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**Description** An implementation of sensitivity analysis for phylogenetic comparative methods. The package is an umbrella of statistical and graphical methods that estimate and report different types of uncertainty in PCM: (i) Species Sampling uncertainty (sample size; influential species and clades). (ii) Phylogenetic uncertainty (different topologies and/or branch lengths). (iii) Data uncertainty (intraspecific variation and measurement error).

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alien

*Alien Mammals dataset: Example dataset for the package sensiPhy***Description**

A comparative dataset containing traits for 94 alien mammal species (alien.data) and a multiphylo object with 101 phylogenies matching the data (alien.phy). Tip labels are the binomial species names and match with data rownames. Data was taken from (Gonzalez-Suarez et al. 2015) and phylogenies from (Fritz et al 2009) and (Kuhn et al 2011).

**Usage**

```
data(alien)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 94 rows and 7 variables:

- family: Taxonomic family
- adultMass: Mean adult body mass (g)
- gestaLen: Mean gestation length (days)

- homeRange: Mean home range (km)
- SE\_mass: Standard deviation (intraspecific) for mean adult body mass (g)
- SE\_gesta: Standard deviation (intraspecific) for mean gestation length (days)
- SE\_range: Standard deviation (intraspecific) for mean home range (km)

A multiphylo containing 101 trees for 94 mammal species.

## References

Alien mammal data: Gonzalez-Suarez, Manuela, Sven Bacher, and Jonathan M. Jeschke. "Intraspecific trait variation is correlated with establishment success of alien mammals." *The American Naturalist* 185.6 (2015): 737-746 DOI: 10.1086/681105

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Phylogeny: Kuhn, Tyler S., Arne O. Mooers, and Gavin H. Thomas. "A simple polytomy resolver for dated phylogenies." *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2.5 (2011): 427-436.

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clade\_continuous

*Influential Clade Detection - Trait Evolution Continuous Characters*

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## Description

Fits models for trait evolution of continuous characters, detecting influential clades

## Usage

```
clade_continuous(  
  data,  
  phy,  
  model,  
  trait.col,  
  clade.col,  
  n.species = 5,  
  n.sim = 20,  
  bounds = list(),  
  n.cores = NULL,  
  track = TRUE,  
  ...  
)
```

## Arguments

data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
model	The evolutionary model (see Details).
trait.col	The column in the provided data frame which specifies the trait to analyse (which should be a factor with two level)
clade.col	The column in the provided data frame which specifies the clades (a character vector with clade names).

n.species	Minimum number of species in a clade for the clade to be included in the leave-one-out deletion analysis. Default is 5.
n.sim	Number of simulations for the randomization test.
bounds	settings to constrain parameter estimates. See <a href="#">fitContinuous</a>
n.cores	number of cores to use. If 'NULL', number of cores is detected.
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to <a href="#">fitContinuous</a>

### Details

This function sequentially removes one clade at a time, fits a model of continuous character evolution using [fitContinuous](#), repeats this many times (controlled by `n.sim`), stores the results and calculates the effects on model parameters. Currently, only binary continuous traits are supported.

Additionally, to account for the influence of the number of species on each clade (clade sample size), this function also estimates a null distribution expected for the number of species in a given clade. This is done by fitting models without the same number of species as in the given clade. The number of simulations to be performed is set by '`n.sim`'. To test if the clade influence differs from the null expectation for a clade of that size, a randomization test can be performed using '`summary(x)`'.

Different evolutionary models from [fitContinuous](#) can be used, i.e. BM,OU, EB, trend, lambda, kappa, delta and drift.

See [fitContinuous](#) for more details on evolutionary models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

### Value

The function `tree_continuous` returns a list with the following components:

`call`: The function call

`data`: The original full data frame.

`full.model.estimates`: Parameter estimates (rate of evolution `sigsq` and where applicable `optpar`), root state `z0`, AICc for the full model without deleted clades.

`sensi.estimates`: Parameter estimates (`sigsq` and `optpar`), (percentual) difference in parameter estimate compared to the full model (`DIFsigsq`, `sigsq.perc`, `DIFoptpar`, `optpar.perc`), AICc and `z0` for each repeat with a clade removed.

`null.dist`: A data frame with estimates for the null distributions for all clades analysed.

`errors`: Clades where deletion resulted in errors.

`clade.col`: Which column was used to specify the clades?

`optpar`: Transformation parameter used (e.g. lambda, kappa etc.)

### Author(s)

Gijsbert Werner & Gustavo Paterno

## References

- Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467
- Yang Z. 2006. *Computational Molecular Evolution*. Oxford University Press: Oxford.
- Harmon Luke J, Jason T Weir, Chad D Brock, Richard E Glor, and Wendell Challenger. 2008. GEIGER: investigating evolutionary radiations. *Bioinformatics* 24:129-131.

## See Also

[fitContinuous](#)

## Examples

```
## Not run:
data("primates")
#Model trait evolution accounting for phylogenetic uncertainty
clade_cont<-clade_continuous(data=primates$data,phy = primates$phy[[1]], model="OU",
trait.col = "adultMass",clade.col="family",n.sim=30,n.species=10,n.cores = 2,track=TRUE)
#Print summary statistics
summary(clade_cont)
sensi_plot(clade_cont,graph="all")
sensi_plot(clade_cont,clade="Cercopithecoidea",graph = "sigsq")
sensi_plot(clade_cont,clade="Cercopithecoidea",graph = "optpar")
#Change the evolutionary model, tree transformation or minimum number of species per clade
clade_cont2<-clade_continuous(data=primates$data,phy = primates$phy[[1]],model="delta",
trait.col = "adultMass",clade.col="family",n.sim=30,n.species=5,n.cores = 2,track=TRUE)
summary(clade_cont2)
sensi_plot(clade_cont2)
clade_cont3<-clade_continuous(data=primates$data,phy = primates$phy[[1]],model="BM",
trait.col = "adultMass",clade.col="family",n.sim=30,n.species=5,n.cores = 2,track=TRUE)
summary(clade_cont3)
sensi_plot(clade_cont3,graph="sigsq")

## End(Not run)
```

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clade\_discrete

*Influential Clade Detection - Trait Evolution Discrete Characters*

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## Description

Fits models for trait evolution of discrete (binary) characters, detecting influential clades

## Usage

```
clade_discrete(
  data,
  phy,
  model,
```

```

    transform = "none",
    trait.col,
    clade.col,
    n.species = 5,
    n.sim = 20,
    bounds = list(),
    n.cores = NULL,
    track = TRUE,
    ...
)

```

### Arguments

<code>data</code>	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
<code>phy</code>	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
<code>model</code>	The Mkn model to use (see Details).
<code>transform</code>	The evolutionary model to transform the tree (see Details). Default is none.
<code>trait.col</code>	The column in the provided data frame which specifies the trait to analyse (which should be a factor with two level)
<code>clade.col</code>	The column in the provided data frame which specifies the clades (a character vector with clade names).
<code>n.species</code>	Minimum number of species in a clade for the clade to be included in the leave-one-out deletion analysis. Default is 5.
<code>n.sim</code>	Number of simulations for the randomization test.
<code>bounds</code>	settings to constrain parameter estimates. See <a href="#">fitDiscrete</a>
<code>n.cores</code>	number of cores to use. If 'NULL', number of cores is detected.
<code>track</code>	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
<code>...</code>	Further arguments to be passed to <a href="#">fitDiscrete</a>

### Details

This function sequentially removes one clade at a time, fits a model of discrete character evolution using [fitDiscrete](#), repeats this this many times (controlled by `n.sim`), stores the results and calculates the effects on model parameters. Currently, only binary discrete traits are supported.

Additionally, to account for the influence of the number of species on each clade (clade sample size), this function also estimates a null distribution expected for the number of species in a given clade. This is done by fitting models without the same number of species as in the given clade. The number of simulations to be performed is set by 'n.sim'. To test if the clade influence differs from the null expectation for a clade of that size, a randomization test can be performed using 'summary(x)'.

Different character model from [fitDiscrete](#) can be used, including ER (equal-rates), SYM (symmetric), ARD (all-rates-different) and meristic (stepwise fashion).

All transformations to the phylogenetic tree from [fitDiscrete](#) can be used, i.e. none, EB, lambda, kappa and delta.

See [fitDiscrete](#) for more details on character models and tree transformations.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

**Value**

The function `tree_discrete` returns a list with the following components:

`call`: The function call

`data`: The original full data frame.

`full.model.estimates`: Parameter estimates (transition rates  $q_{12}$  and  $q_{21}$ ), AICc and the optimised value of the phylogenetic transformation parameter (e.g.  $\lambda$ ) for the full model without deleted clades.

`sensi.estimates`: Parameter estimates (transition rates  $q_{12}$  and  $q_{21}$ ), (percentual) difference in parameter estimate compared to the full model ( $DIF_{q_{12}}$ ,  $sig_{sq,q_{12}}$ ,  $DIF_{q_{21}}$ ,  $optpar.q_{21}$ ), AICc and the optimised value of the phylogenetic transformation parameter (e.g.  $\lambda$ ) for each repeat with a clade removed.

`null.dist`: A data frame with estimates for the null distributions for all clades analysed.

`errors`: Clades where deletion resulted in errors.

`clade.col`: Which column was used to specify the clades?

`optpar`: Transformation parameter used (e.g.  $\lambda$ ,  $\kappa$  etc.)

**Author(s)**

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**References**

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467

Yang Z. 2006. *Computational Molecular Evolution*. Oxford University Press: Oxford.

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**See Also**

[fitDiscrete](#)

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
#Load data:
data("primates")
#Create a binary trait factor
primates$data$adultMass_binary<-ifelse(primates$data$adultMass > 7350, "big", "small")
clade_disc<-clade_discrete(data=primates$data,phy = primates$phy[[1]],model="SYM",
trait.col = "adultMass_binary",clade.col="family",n.sim=30,n.species=10,n.cores = 2)
summary(clade_disc)
sensi_plot(clade_disc)
sensi_plot(clade_disc, clade = "Cebidae", graph = "q12")
#Change the evolutionary model, tree transformation or minimum number of species per clade
clade_disc_2<-clade_discrete(data=primates$data,phy = primates$phy[[1]],
model="ARD",transform="kappa",
```

```

trait.col = "adultMass_binary",clade.col="family",n.sim=30,
n.species=8,n.cores = 2)
summary(clade_disc_2)
sensi_plot(clade_disc_2)
sensi_plot(clade_disc_2, graph = "q12")
sensi_plot(clade_disc_2, graph = "q21")

## End(Not run)

```

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clade\_phyglm

*Estimate the impact on model estimates of phylogenetic logistic regression after removing clades from the analysis.*

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### Description

Estimate the impact on model estimates of phylogenetic logistic regression after removing clades from the analysis.

### Usage

```

clade_phyglm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  btol = 50,
  track = TRUE,
  clade.col,
  n.species = 5,
  n.sim = 100,
  ...
)

```

### Arguments

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
btol	Bound on searching space. For details see phyloglm
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
clade.col	The column in the provided data frame which specifies the clades (a character vector with clade names).
n.species	Minimum number of species in a clade for the clade to be included in the leave-one-out deletion analysis. Default is 5.
n.sim	Number of simulations for the randomization test.
...	Further arguments to be passed to phyloglm

## Details

This function sequentially removes one clade at a time, fits a phylogenetic logistic regression model using `phyloglm` and stores the results. The impact of a specific clade on model estimates is calculated by a comparison between the full model (with all species) and the model without the species belonging to a clade.

To account for the influence of the number of species on each clade (clade sample size), this function also estimates a null distribution expected for the number of species in a given clade. This is done by fitting models without the same number of species as in the given clade. The number of simulations to be performed is set by `'n.sim'`. To test if the clade influence differs from the null expectation for a clade of that size, a randomization test can be performed using `'summary(x)'`.

Currently, only logistic regression using the "logistic\_MPLE"-method from `phyloglm` is implemented.

`clade_phyglm` detects influential clades based on difference in intercept and/or estimate when removing a given clade compared to the full model including all species.

Additionally, to account for the influence of the number of species on each clade (clade sample size), this function also estimates a null distribution expected for the number of species in a given clade. This is done by fitting models without the same number of species in the given clade. The number of simulations to be performed is set by `'n.sim'`. To test if the clade influence differs from the null expectation for a clade of that size, a randomization test can be performed using `'summary(x)'`.

Currently, this function can only implement simple logistic models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

## Value

The function `clade_phyglm` returns a list with the following components:

`formula`: The formula

`full.model.estimates`: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g.  $\alpha$ ) for the full model without deleted species.

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a deleted clade. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (`intercept`), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (`DIFintercept`), the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (`intercept.perc`) and intercept p-value (`pval.intercept`). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (`DIFestimate` etc.). Additionally, model aic value (AIC) and the optimised value (`optpar`) of the phylogenetic parameter are reported.

`null.dist`: A data frame with estimates for the null distributions for all clades analysed.

`data`: Original full dataset.

`errors`: Clades where deletion resulted in errors.

`clade.col`: Which column was used to specify the clades?

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- Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

**See Also**

[phyloglm](#), [clade\\_phylm](#), [influ\\_phyglm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Simulate Data:
set.seed(6987)
phy = rtree(150)
x = rTrait(n=1,phy=phy)
X = cbind(rep(1,150),x)
y = rbinTrait(n=1,phy=phy, beta=c(-1,0.5), alpha=.7 ,X=X)
cla <- rep(c("A","B","C","D","E"), each = 30)
dat = data.frame(y, x, cla)
# Run sensitivity analysis:
clade <- clade_phyglm(y ~ x, phy = phy, data = dat, n.sim = 30, clade.col = "cla")
# To check summary results and most influential clades:
summary(clade)
# Visual diagnostics for clade removal:
sensi_plot(clade)
# Specify which clade removal to plot:
sensi_plot(clade, "B")
sensi_plot(clade, "C")
sensi_plot(clade, "D") #The clade with the largest effect on slope and intercept

## End(Not run)
```

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clade\_phylm

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*Influential clade detection - Phylogenetic Linear Regression*


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**Description**

Estimate the impact on model estimates of phylogenetic linear regression after removing clades from the analysis.

**Usage**

```
clade_phylm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
```

```

model = "lambda",
track = TRUE,
clade.col,
n.species = 5,
n.sim = 100,
...
)

```

### Arguments

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
model	The phylogenetic model to use (see Details). Default is lambda.
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
clade.col	The column in the provided data frame which specifies the clades (a character vector with clade names).
n.species	Minimum number of species in a clade for the clade to be included in the leave-one-out deletion analysis. Default is 5.
n.sim	Number of simulations for the randomization test.
...	Further arguments to be passed to phylo1m

### Details

This function sequentially removes one clade at a time, fits a phylogenetic linear regression model using `phylo1m` and stores the results. The impact of a specific clade on model estimates is calculated by a comparison between the full model (with all species) and the model without the species belonging to a clade.

Additionally, to account for the influence of the number of species on each clade (clade sample size), this function also estimates a null distribution expected for the number of species in a given clade. This is done by fitting models without the same number of species as in the given clade. The number of simulations to be performed is set by 'n.sim'. To test if the clade influence differs from the null expectation for a clade of that size, a randomization test can be performed using 'summary(x)'.

All phylogenetic models from `phylo1m` can be used, i.e. BM, OUfixedRoot, OUrandomRoot, lambda, kappa, delta, EB and trend. See `?phylo1m` for details.

`clade_phylm` detects influential clades based on difference in intercept and/or estimate when removing a given clade compared to the full model including all species.

Currently, this function can only implement simple linear models (i.e.  $y = a + bx$ ). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

**Value**

The function `clade_phylm` returns a list with the following components:

`formula`: The formula

`full.model.estimates`: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. `lambda`) for the full model without deleted species.

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a deleted clade. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (`intercept`), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (`DIFintercept`), the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (`intercept.perc`) and intercept p-value (`pval.intercept`). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (`DIFestimate` etc.). Additionally, model aic value (AIC) and the optimised value (`optpar`) of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. `kappa` or `lambda`, depending on the phylogenetic model used) are reported.

`null.dist`: A data frame with estimates for the null distributions for all clades analysed.

`data`: Original full dataset.

`errors`: Clades where deletion resulted in errors.

`clade.col`: Which column was used to specify the clades?

**Author(s)**

Gustavo Paterno

**References**

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467

Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

**See Also**

[phyloIm](#), [samp\\_phylm](#), [influ\\_phylm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#), [sensi\\_plot](#), [clade\\_phyglm](#),

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Load data:
data(primates)
# run analysis:
clade <- clade_phylm(log(sexMaturity) ~ log(adultMass),
phy = primates$phy[[1]], data = primates$data, n.sim = 30, clade.col = "family")
# To check summary results and most influential clades:
summary(clade)
# Visual diagnostics for clade removal:
sensi_plot(clade)
# Specify which clade removal to plot:
sensi_plot(clade, "Cercopithecidae")
sensi_plot(clade, "Cebidae")
```

```
## End(Not run)
```

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```
clade_physig      Influential clade detection - Phylogenetic signal
```

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## Description

Estimate the influence of clade removal on phylogenetic signal estimates

## Usage

```
clade_physig(
  trait.col,
  data,
  phy,
  clade.col,
  n.species = 5,
  n.sim = 100,
  method = "K",
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

<code>trait.col</code>	The name of a column in the provided data frame with trait to be analyzed (e.g. "Body_mass").
<code>data</code>	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in <code>phy</code> .
<code>phy</code>	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
<code>clade.col</code>	The column in the provided data frame which specifies the clades (a character vector with clade names).
<code>n.species</code>	Minimum number of species in a clade for the clade to be included in the leave-one-out deletion analysis. Default is 5.
<code>n.sim</code>	Number of simulations for the randomization test.
<code>method</code>	Method to compute signal: can be "K" or "lambda".
<code>track</code>	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
<code>...</code>	Further arguments to be passed to <a href="#">phylosig</a>

## Details

This function sequentially removes one clade at a time, estimates phylogenetic signal (K or lambda) using `phylosig` and stores the results. The impact of a specific clade on signal estimates is calculated by the comparison between the full data (with all species) and reduced data estimates (without the species belonging to a clade).

To account for the influence of the number of species on each clade (clade sample size), this function also estimate a null distribution of signal estimates expected by the removal of the same number of species as in a given clade. This is done by estimating phylogenetic signal without the same number of species in the given clade. The number of simulations to be performed is set by `'n.sim'`. To test if the clade influence differs from the null expectation for a clade of that size, a randomization test can be performed using `'summary(x)'`.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

## Value

The function `clade_physig` returns a list with the following components:

`trait.col`: Column name of the trait analysed

`full.data.estimates`: Phylogenetic signal estimate (K or lambda) and the P value (for the full data).

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a deleted clade. Columns report the calculated phylogenetic signal (K or lambda) (`estimate`), difference between simulation signal and full data signal (DF), the percentage of change in signal compared to the full data estimate (`perc`) and p-value of the phylogenetic signal with the reduced data (`pval`).

`null.dist`: A data frame with estimates for the null distribution of phylogenetic signal for all clades analysed.

`data`: Original full dataset.

## Note

The argument `"se"` from `phylosig` is not available in this function. Use the argument `"V"` instead with `intra_physig` to indicate the name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the trait variable instead.

## Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno

## References

- Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467
- Blomberg, S. P., T. Garland Jr., A. R. Ives (2003) Testing for phylogenetic signal in comparative data: Behavioral traits are more labile. *Evolution*, 57, 717-745.
- Pagel, M. (1999) Inferring the historical patterns of biological evolution. *Nature*, 401, 877-884.
- Kamilar, J. M., & Cooper, N. (2013). Phylogenetic signal in primate behaviour, ecology and life history. *Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society B: Biological Sciences*, 368: 20120341.

**See Also**

[phylosig](#), [clade\\_phylm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

**Examples**

```
data(alien)
alien.data<-alien$data
alien.phy<-alien$phy
# Logtransform data
alien.data$logMass <- log(alien.data$adultMass)
# Run sensitivity analysis:
clade <- clade_physig(trait.col = "logMass", data = alien.data, n.sim = 20,
                    phy = alien.phy[[1]], clade.col = "family", method = "K")
summary(clade)
sensi_plot(clade, "Bovidae")
sensi_plot(clade, "Sciuridae")
```

---

influ\_continuous

*Influential Species Detection - Trait Evolution Continuous Characters*

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**Description**

Fits models for trait evolution of continuous characters, detecting influential species.

**Usage**

```
influ_continuous(
  data,
  phy,
  model,
  bounds = list(),
  cutoff = 2,
  n.cores = NULL,
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

data	Data vector for a single continuous trait, with names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
model	The evolutionary model (see Details).
bounds	settings to constrain parameter estimates. See <a href="#">fitContinuous</a>
cutoff	The cut-off parameter for influential species (see Details).
n.cores	number of cores to use. If 'NULL', number of cores is detected.
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to <a href="#">fitContinuous</a>

## Details

This function sequentially removes one species at a time, fits different models of continuous character evolution using `fitContinuous`, stores the results and calculates the effects on model parameters.

`inlu_continuous` detects influential species based on the standardised difference in the rate parameter `sigseq` and the optimisation parameter `optpar` (e.g. `lamda`, `kappa`, `alpha`, depending on which model is set), when removing a given species compared to the full model including all species. Species with a standardised difference above the value of `cutoff` are identified as influential.

Different evolutionary models from `fitContinuous` can be used, i.e. BM,OU, EB, trend, lambda, kappa, delta and drift.

See `fitContinuous` for more details on evolutionary models.

## Value

The function `tree_discrete` returns a list with the following components:

`call`: The function call

`cutoff`: The value selected for `cutoff`

`data`: The original full data vector

`optpar`: Transformation parameter used (e.g. `lambda`, `kappa` etc.)

`full.model.estimates`: Parameter estimates (rate of evolution `sigseq` and where applicable `optpar`), root state `z0`, AICc for the full model without deleted species.

`influential_species`: List of influential species, based on standardised difference in estimates for `sigseq` and `optpar`. Species are ordered from most influential to less influential and only include species with a standardised difference  $>$  `cutoff`.

`sensi.estimates`: Parameter estimates (`sigseq` and `optpar`), (percentual) difference in parameter estimate compared to the full model (`DIFsigseq`, `sigseq.perc`, `sDIFsigseq`, `DIFoptpar`, `optpar.perc`, `sDIFoptpar`), AICc and `z0` for each repeat with a species removed.

## Author(s)

Gijsbert Werner & Gustavo Paterno

## References

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467.

Yang Z. 2006. *Computational Molecular Evolution*. Oxford University Press: Oxford.

Harmon Luke J, Jason T Weir, Chad D Brock, Richard E Glor, and Wendell Challenger. 2008. GEIGER: investigating evolutionary radiations. *Bioinformatics* 24:129-131.

## See Also

[fitContinuous](#)

**Examples**

```

## Not run:
#Load data:
data("primates")
#Model trait evolution accounting for influential species
adultMass<-primates$data$adultMass
names(adultMass)<-rownames(primates$data)
influ_cont<-influ_continuous(data = adultMass,phy = primates$phy[[1]],
model = "OU",cutoff = 2,n.cores = 2,track = TRUE)
#Print summary statistics
summary(influ_cont)
sensi_plot(influ_cont)
sensi_plot(influ_cont,graphs="sigsq")
#' sensi_plot(influ_cont,graphs="optpar")
#Use a different evolutionary model or cutoff
influ_cont2<-influ_continuous(data = adultMass,phy = primates$phy[[1]],
model = "lambda",cutoff = 1.2,n.cores = 2,track = TRUE)
summary(influ_cont2)
sensi_plot(influ_cont2)
influ_cont3<-influ_continuous(data = adultMass,phy = primates$phy[[1]],
model = "BM",cutoff = 2,n.cores = 2,track = TRUE)
summary(influ_cont3)

## End(Not run)

```

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influ\_discrete

*Influential Species Detection - Trait Evolution Discrete Characters*


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**Description**

Fits models for trait evolution of discrete (binary) characters, detecting influential species.

**Usage**

```

influ_discrete(
  data,
  phy,
  model,
  transform = "none",
  bounds = list(),
  cutoff = 2,
  n.cores = NULL,
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)

```

**Arguments**

<code>data</code>	Data vector for a single binary trait, with names matching tips in phy.
<code>phy</code>	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
<code>model</code>	The Mkn model to use (see Details).
<code>transform</code>	The evolutionary model to transform the tree (see Details). Default is none.
<code>bounds</code>	settings to constrain parameter estimates. See <a href="#">fitDiscrete</a>
<code>cutoff</code>	The cut-off parameter for influential species (see Details).
<code>n.cores</code>	number of cores to use. If 'NULL', number of cores is detected.
<code>track</code>	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
<code>...</code>	Further arguments to be passed to <a href="#">fitDiscrete</a>

**Details**

This function sequentially removes one species at a time, fits a model of discrete character evolution using [fitDiscrete](#), stores the results and calculates the effects on model parameters. Currently, only binary discrete traits are supported.

`inlu_discrete` detects influential species based on the standardised difference in  $q_{12}$  or  $q_{21}$  when removing a given species compared to the full model including all species. Species with a standardised difference above the value of `cutoff` are identified as influential.

Different character model from `fitDiscrete` can be used, including ER (equal-rates), SYM (symmetric), ARD (all-rates-different) and meristic (stepwise fashion).

Different transformations to the phylogenetic tree from `fitDiscrete` can be used, i.e. none, EB, lambda, kappa and delta.

See [fitDiscrete](#) for more details on character models and tree transformations.

**Value**

The function `tree_discrete` returns a list with the following components:

`call`: The function call

`cutoff`: The value selected for `cutoff`

`data`: The original full data vector

`optpar`: Transformation parameter used (e.g. lambda, kappa etc.)

`full.model.estimates`: Parameter estimates (transition rates  $q_{12}$  and  $q_{21}$ ), AICc and the optimised value of the phylogenetic transformation parameter (e.g. lambda) for the full model.

`influential_species`: List of influential species, based on standardised difference in estimates for  $q_{12}$  and  $q_{21}$ . Species are ordered from most influential to less influential and only include species with a standardised difference  $>$  `cutoff`.

`sensi.estimates`: Parameter estimates (transition rates  $q_{12}$  and  $q_{21}$ ), (percentual) difference in parameter estimate compared to the full model ( $DIFq_{12}$ ,  $sigsq.q_{12}$ ,  $sDIFq_{12}$ ,  $DIFq_{21}$ ,  $optpar.q_{21}$ ,  $sDIFq_{21}$ ), AICc and the optimised value of the phylogenetic transformation parameter (e.g. lambda) for each analysis with a species deleted.

**Author(s)**

Gijsbert Werner & Gustavo Paterno

**References**

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467.

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Harmon Luke J, Jason T Weir, Chad D Brock, Richard E Glor, and Wendell Challenger. 2008. GEIGER: investigating evolutionary radiations. *Bioinformatics* 24:129-131.

**See Also**

[fitDiscrete](#)

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
#Load data:
data("primates")
#Create a binary trait factor
adultMass_binary<-ifelse(primates$data$adultMass > 7350, "big", "small")
adultMass_binary<-as.factor(as.factor(adultMass_binary))
names(adultMass_binary)<-rownames(primates$data)
#Model trait evolution accounting for influential species
influ_binary<-influ_discrete(data = adultMass_binary,phy = primates$phy[[1]],
model = "SYM",transform = "none",cutoff = 2,n.cores = 2,track = TRUE)
#Print summary statistics
summary(influ_binary)
sensi_plot(influ_binary) #q12 and q21 are, as expected, exactly the same in symmetrical model.
#Use a different evolutionary model.
influ_binary2<-influ_discrete(data = adultMass_binary,phy = primates$phy[[1]],
model = "SYM",transform = "delta",n.cores = 2,track = TRUE)
summary(influ_binary2)
sensi_plot(influ_binary2)
#Or change the cutoff and transformation
influ_binary3<-influ_discrete(data = adultMass_binary,phy = primates$phy[[1]],
model = "ARD",transform = "none",cutoff = 1.2,n.cores = 2,track = TRUE)
summary(influ_binary3)
sensi_plot(influ_binary3)

## End(Not run)
```

**Description**

Performs leave-one-out deletion analysis for phylogenetic logistic regression, and detects influential species.

**Usage**

```
inlu_phyglm(formula, data, phy, btol = 50, cutoff = 2, track = TRUE, ...)
```

**Arguments**

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
btol	Bound on searching space. For details see phyloglm
cutoff	The cutoff value used to identify for influential species (see Details)
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to phyloglm

**Details**

This function sequentially removes one species at a time, fits a phylogenetic logistic regression model using [phyloglm](#), stores the results and detects influential species.

Currently only logistic regression using the "logistic\_MPLE"-method from [phyloglm](#) is implemented.

`inlu_phyglm` detects influential species based on the standardised difference in intercept and/or slope when removing a given species compared to the full model including all species. Species with a standardised difference above the value of `cutoff` are identified as influential. The default value for the cutoff is 2 standardised differences change.

Currently, this function can only implement simple logistic models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

**Value**

The function `inlu_phyglm` returns a list with the following components:

`cutoff`: The value selected for cutoff

`formula`: The formula

`full.model.estimates`: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (i.e. alpha) for the full model without deleted species.

`influential_species`: List of influential species, both based on standardised difference in intercept and in the slope of the regression. Species are ordered from most influential to less influential and only include species with a standardised difference > `cutoff`.

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a deleted clade. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (`intercept`), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (`DIFintercept`), the standardised difference (`sDIFintercept`),

the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (`intercept.perc`) and intercept p-value (`pval.intercept`). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (`DIFestimate` etc.). Additionally, model aic value (AIC) and the optimised value (`optpar`) of the phylogenetic parameter (i.e. `alpha`) are reported.

`data`: Original full dataset.

`errors`: Species where deletion resulted in errors.

### Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno & Gijsbert D.A. Werner

### References

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467.

Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

### See Also

[phyloglm](#), [samp\\_phyglm](#), [influ\\_phylm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

### Examples

```
# Simulate Data:
set.seed(6987)
phy = rtree(100)
x = rTrait(n=1,phy=phy)
X = cbind(rep(1,100),x)
y = rbinTrait(n=1,phy=phy, beta=c(-1,0.5), alpha=.7 ,X=X)
dat = data.frame(y, x)
# Run sensitivity analysis:
influ <- influ_phyglm(y ~ x, data = dat, phy = phy)
# To check summary results and most influential species:
summary(influ)
# Visual diagnostics for clade removal:
sensi_plot(influ)
```

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influ\_phylm

*Influential species detection - Phylogenetic Linear Regression*

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### Description

Performs leave-one-out deletion analysis for phylogenetic linear regression, and detects influential species.

**Usage**

```
inlu_phylm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  model = "lambda",
  cutoff = 2,
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
model	The phylogenetic model to use (see Details). Default is lambda.
cutoff	The cutoff value used to identify for influential species (see Details)
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to phylo1m

**Details**

This function sequentially removes one species at a time, fits a phylogenetic linear regression model using `phylo1m`, stores the results and detects influential species.

All phylogenetic models from `phylo1m` can be used, i.e. BM, OUfixedRoot, OUrandomRoot, lambda, kappa, delta, EB and trend. See `?phylo1m` for details.

`inlu_phylm` detects influential species based on the standardised difference in intercept and/or slope when removing a given species compared to the full model including all species. Species with a standardised difference above the value of `cutoff` are identified as influential. The default value for the cutoff is 2 standardised differences change.

Currently, this function can only implement simple linear models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

**Value**

The function `inlu_phylm` returns a list with the following components:

`cutoff`: The value selected for cutoff

`formula`: The formula

`full.model.estimates`: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. lambda) for the full model without deleted species.

`influential_species`: List of influential species, both based on standardised difference in intercept and in the slope of the regression. Species are ordered from most influential to less influential and only include species with a standardised difference > cutoff.

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a deleted clade. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (`intercept`), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (`DIFintercept`), the standardised difference (`sDIFintercept`), the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (`intercept.perc`) and intercept p-value (`pval.intercept`). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (`DIFestimate` etc.). Additionally, model aic value (AIC) and the optimised value (`optpar`) of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. `kappa` or `lambda`, depending on the phylogenetic model used) are reported.

`data`: Original full dataset.

`errors`: Species where deletion resulted in errors.

### Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno & Gijsbert D.A. Werner

### References

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467

Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

### See Also

[phyloIm](#), [samp\\_phylm](#), [influ\\_phyglm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

### Examples

```
# Load data:
data(alien)
# run analysis:
influ <- influ_phylm(log(gestaLen) ~ log(adultMass), phy = alien$phy[[1]],
data = alien$data)
# To check summary results:
summary(influ)
# Most influential speciesL
influ$influential.species
# Visual diagnostics
sensi_plot(influ)
# You can specify which graph and parameter ("estimate" or "intercept") to print:
sensi_plot(influ, param = "estimate", graphs = 2)
```

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inlu_physig	<i>Influential species detection - Phylogenetic signal</i>
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### Description

Performs leave-one-out deletion analysis for phylogenetic signal estimates, and detects influential species for K or lambda.

### Usage

```
inlu_physig(trait.col, data, phy, method = "K", cutoff = 2, track = TRUE, ...)
```

### Arguments

trait.col	The name of a column in the provided data frame with trait to be analyzed (e.g. "Body_mass").
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
method	Method to compute signal: can be "K" or "lambda".
cutoff	The cutoff value used to identify for influential species (see Details)
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to <a href="#">phylosig</a>

### Details

This function sequentially removes one species at a time, and estimates phylogenetic signal (K or lambda) using [phylosig](#), stores the results and detects the most influential species.

`inlu_physig` detects influential species based on the standardised difference in signal estimate (K or lambda) when removing a given species compared to the full data estimate (with all species). Species with a standardised difference above the value of `cutoff` are identified as influential. The default value for the cutoff is 2 standardised differences in signal estimate.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

### Value

The function `inlu_physig` returns a list with the following components:

`cutoff`: The value selected for cutoff

`trait.col`: Column name of the trait analysed

`full.data.estimates`: Phylogenetic signal estimate (K or lambda) and the P value (for the full data).

`influential_species`: List of influential species, based on standardised difference in K or lambda. Species are ordered from most influential to less influential and only include species with a standardised difference > `cutoff`.

`inlu.physig.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a deleted species. Columns report the calculated signal estimate ( $k$ ) or ( $\lambda$ ), difference between signal estimation of the reduced and full data ( $DF$ ), the percentage of change in signal compared to the full data signal ( $perc$ ) and p-value for the phylogenetic signal test ( $pval$ )

`data`: Original full dataset.

### Note

The argument "se" from `phylosig` is not available in this function. Use the argument "V" instead with `intra_physig` to indicate the name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the trait variable instead.

### Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno

### References

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467

Blomberg, S. P., T. Garland Jr., A. R. Ives (2003) Testing for phylogenetic signal in comparative data: Behavioral traits are more labile. *Evolution*, 57, 717-745.

Pagel, M. (1999) Inferring the historical patterns of biological evolution. *Nature*, 401, 877-884.

Kamilar, J. M., & Cooper, N. (2013). Phylogenetic signal in primate behaviour, ecology and life history. *Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society B: Biological Sciences*, 368: 20120341.

### See Also

[phylosig](#), [inlu\\_phyilm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

### Examples

```
## Not run:
# Load data:
data(alien)
# Logtransform data
alien.data$logMass <- log(alien.data$adultMass)
# Run sensitivity analysis:
inlu <- inlu_physig("logMass", data = alien.data, phy = alien.phy[[1]])
# To check summary results:
summary(inlu)
# Most influential speciesL
inlu$influential.species
# Visual diagnostics
sensi_plot(inlu)
# You can specify which graph to print:
sensi_plot(inlu, graphs = 1)
sensi_plot(inlu, graphs = 2)

## End(Not run)
```

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intra_clade_phyglm	<i>Interaction between intraspecific variability and influential clade detection - Phylogenetic Logistic Regression</i>
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## Description

Estimate the impact on model estimates of phylogenetic logistic regression after removing clades from the analysis, while taking into account potential interactions with intraspecific variability.

## Usage

```
intra_clade_phyglm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  clade.col,
  n.species = 5,
  n.sim = 100,
  n.intra = 2,
  Vx = NULL,
  distrib = "normal",
  x.transf = NULL,
  btol = 50,
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
clade.col	The column in the provided data frame which specifies the clades (a character vector with clade names).
n.species	Minimum number of species in a clade for the clade to be included in the leave-one-out deletion analysis. Default is 5.
n.sim	Number of simulations for the randomization test.
n.intra	Number of datasets resimulated taking into account intraspecific variation (see: "intra_phyglm")
Vx	Name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the predictor variable. When information is not available for one taxon, the value can be 0 or NA

distrib	A character string indicating which distribution to use to generate a random value for the response and/or predictor variables. Default is normal distribution: "normal" (function <code>rnorm</code> ). Uniform distribution: "uniform" ( <code>runif</code> ) Warning: we recommend to use normal distribution with $V_x$ or $V_y =$ standard deviation of the mean.
x.transf	Transformation for the predictor variable (e.g. "log" or "sqrt"). Please use this argument instead of transforming data in the formula directly (see also details below).
btol	Bound on searching space. For details see <code>phyloglm</code>
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to <code>phyloglm</code>

### Details

This function sequentially removes one clade at a time, fits a phylogenetic logistic regression model using `phyloglm` and stores the results. The impact of of a specific clade on model estimates is calculated by the comparison between the full model (with all species) and the model without the species belonging to a clade. This operation is repeated `n.intra` times for simulated values of the dataset, taking into account intraspecific variation. At each iteration, the function generates a random value for each row in the dataset using the standard deviation or errors supplied, and detect the influential species within that iteration.

Additionally, to account for the influence of the number of species on each clade (clade sample size), this function also estimate a null distribution expected for the number of species in a given clade. This is done by fitting models without the same number of species in the given clade. The number of simulations to be performed is set by '`n.sim`'. To test if the clade influence differs from the null expectation for a clade of that size, a randomization test can be performed using '`summary(x)`'.

All phylogenetic models from `phyloglm` can be used, i.e. BM, OUfixedRoot, OUrandomRoot, lambda, kappa, delta, EB and trend. See `?phyloglm` for details.

`clade_phyglm` detects influential clades based on difference in intercept and/or slope when removing a given clade compared to the full model including all species.

Currently, this function can only implement simple logistic models (i.e.  $y = a + bx$ ). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

### Value

The function `intra_clade_phyglm` returns a list with the following components:

`formula`: The formula

`full.model.estimates`: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. lambda) for the full model without deleted species.

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a deleted clade. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (`intercept`), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (`DIFintercept`), the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (`intercept.perc`) and intercept p-value (`pval.intercept`). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (`DIFestimate` etc.). Additionally, model aic value (AIC)

and the optimised value (optpar) of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. kappa or lambda, depending on the phylogenetic model used) are reported.

null.dist: A data frame with estimates for the null distributions for all clades analysed.

data: Original full dataset.

errors: Clades and/or iterations where deletion resulted in errors.

### Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno, Caterina Penone

### References

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467

Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

### See Also

[phyloglm](#), [intra\\_phyglm](#), [clade\\_phyglm](#), [intra\\_clade\\_phylm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

### Examples

```
## Not run:
set.seed(6987)
phy = rtree(100)
x = rTrait(n=1,phy=phy,parameters=list(ancestral.state=2,optimal.value=2,sigma2=1,alpha=1))
X = cbind(rep(1,100),x)
y = rbinTrait(n=1,phy=phy, beta=c(-1,0.5), alpha=.7 ,X=X)
z = rnorm(n = length(x),mean = mean(x),sd = 0.1*mean(x))
cla <- rep(c("A","B","C","D"), each = 25)
dat = data.frame(y, x, z, cla)
intra_clade <- intra_clade_phyglm(formula=y ~ x, data = dat, phy = phy,
                                clade.col = "cla", n.sim = 30, n.intra = 3,
                                x.transf = log, Vx = "z", distrib="normal")

sensi_plot(intra_clade)
sensi_plot(intra_clade, clade = "B", graphs = 2)

## End(Not run)
```

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intra_clade_phylm	<i>Interaction between intraspecific variability and influential clade detection - Phylogenetic Linear Regression</i>
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### Description

Estimate the impact on model estimates of phylogenetic linear regression after removing clades from the analysis, while taking into account potential interactions with intraspecific variability.

**Usage**

```
intra_clade_phylm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  clade.col,
  n.species = 5,
  n.sim = 100,
  n.intra = 2,
  Vy = NULL,
  Vx = NULL,
  distrib = "normal",
  y.transf = NULL,
  x.transf = NULL,
  model = "lambda",
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
clade.col	The column in the provided data frame which specifies the clades (a character vector with clade names).
n.species	Minimum number of species in a clade for the clade to be included in the leave-one-out deletion analysis. Default is 5.
n.sim	Number of simulations for the randomization test.
n.intra	Number of datasets resimulated taking into account intraspecific variation (see: "intra_phylm")
Vy	Name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the response variable. When information is not available for one taxon, the value can be 0 or NA.
Vx	Name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the predictor variable. When information is not available for one taxon, the value can be 0 or NA
distrib	A character string indicating which distribution to use to generate a random value for the response and/or predictor variables. Default is normal distribution: "normal" (function <a href="#">rnorm</a> ). Uniform distribution: "uniform" ( <a href="#">runif</a> ) Warning: we recommend to use normal distribution with Vx or Vy = standard deviation of the mean.
y.transf	Transformation for the response variable (e.g. "log" or "sqrt"). Please use this argument instead of transforming data in the formula directly (see also details below).

<code>x.transf</code>	Transformation for the predictor variable (e.g. "log" or "sqrt"). Please use this argument instead of transforming data in the formula directly (see also details below).
<code>model</code>	The phylogenetic model to use (see Details). Default is lambda.
<code>track</code>	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
<code>...</code>	Further arguments to be passed to <code>phylolm</code>

## Details

This function sequentially removes one clade at a time, fits a phylogenetic linear regression model using `phylolm` and stores the results. The impact of a specific clade on model estimates is calculated by the comparison between the full model (with all species) and the model without the species belonging to a clade. This operation is repeated `n.intra` times for simulated values of the dataset, taking into account intraspecific variation. At each iteration, the function generates a random value for each row in the dataset using the standard deviation or errors supplied, and detect the influential species within that iteration.

Additionally, to account for the influence of the number of species on each clade (clade sample size), this function also estimates a null distribution expected for the number of species in a given clade. This is done by fitting models without the same number of species in the given clade. The number of simulations to be performed is set by `'n.sim'`. To test if the clade influence differs from the null expectation for a clade of that size, a randomization test can be performed using `'summary(x)'`.

All phylogenetic models from `phylolm` can be used, i.e. BM, OUfixedRoot, OUrandomRoot, lambda, kappa, delta, EB and trend. See `?phylolm` for details.

`clade_phylm` detects influential clades based on difference in intercept and/or slope when removing a given clade compared to the full model including all species.

Currently, this function can only implement simple linear models (i.e.  $y = a + bx$ ). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

## Value

The function `intra_clade_phylm` returns a list with the following components:

`formula`: The formula

`full.model.estimates`: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. lambda) for the full model without deleted species.

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a deleted clade. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (`intercept`), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (`DIFintercept`), the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (`intercept.perc`) and intercept p-value (`pval.intercept`). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (`DIFestimate` etc.). Additionally, model aic value (AIC) and the optimised value (`optpar`) of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. kappa or lambda, depending on the phylogenetic model used) are reported.

`null.dist`: A data frame with estimates for the null distributions for all clades analysed.

`data`: Original full dataset.

`errors`: Clades and/or iterations where deletion resulted in errors.

**Author(s)**

Gustavo Paterno, Caterina Penone

**References**

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467.

Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

**See Also**

[phyloIrm](#), [intra\\_phyIrm](#), [clade\\_phyIrm](#), [intra\\_clade\\_phyIrm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
#load data
data(alien)
intra_clade <- intra_clade_phyIrm(gestaLen ~ adultMass, phy = alien$phy[[1]],
  data = alien$data, clade.col = "family", n.sim = 30, n.intra = 5,
  y.transf = log, x.transf = log, Vy="SD_gesta")
summary(intra_clade)
sensi_plot(intra_clade)
sensi_plot(intra_clade, clade = "Bovidae", graphs = 2)
sensi_plot(intra_clade, clade = "Mustelidae", graphs = 2)

## End(Not run)
```

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intra_influ_phyglm	<i>Interaction between intraspecific variability and influential species - Phylogenetic Logistic Regression</i>
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**Description**

Performs leave-one-out deletion analysis for phylogenetic logistic regression, and detects influential species, while taking into account potential interactions with intraspecific variability.

**Usage**

```
intra_influ_phyglm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  Vx = NULL,
  n.intra = 30,
  x.transf = NULL,
```

```

    distrib = "normal",
    cutoff = 2,
    btol = 50,
    track = TRUE,
    ...
)

```

### Arguments

formula	The model formula: response~predictor.
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
Vx	Name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the predictor variable. When information is not available for one taxon, the value can be 0 or NA
n.intra	Number of datasets resimulated taking into account intraspecific variation (see: "intra_phyglm")
x.transf	Transformation for the predictor variable (e.g. "log" or "sqrt"). Please use this argument instead of transforming data in the formula directly (see also details below).
distrib	A character string indicating which distribution to use to generate a random value for the response and/or predictor variables. Default is normal distribution: "normal" (function <a href="#">rnorm</a> ). Uniform distribution: "uniform" ( <a href="#">runif</a> ) Warning: we recommend to use normal distribution with Vx = standard deviation of the mean.
cutoff	The cutoff value used to identify for influential species (see Details)
btol	Bound on searching space. For details see <a href="#">phyloglm</a>
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to <a href="#">phyloglm</a>

### Details

This function fits a phylogenetic linear regression model using [phyloglm](#), and detects influential species by sequentially deleting one at a time. The regression is repeated `n.intra` times for simulated values of the dataset, taking into account intraspecific variation. At each iteration, the function generates a random value for each row in the dataset using the standard deviation or errors supplied, and detect the influential species within that iteration.

`influ_phyglm` detects influential species based on the standardised difference in intercept and/or slope when removing a given species compared to the full model including all species. Species with a standardised difference above the value of `cutoff` are identified as influential. The default value for the cutoff is 2 standardised differences change.

Currently, this function can only implement simple models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

**Value**

The function `intra_influ_phyglm` returns a list with the following components:

`cutoff`: The value selected for cutoff

`formula`: The formula

`full.model.estimates`: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. `lambda`) for the full model without deleted species.

`influential_species`: List of influential species, both based on standardised difference in intercept and in the slope of the regression. Species are ordered from most influential to less influential and only include species with a standardised difference  $>$  cutoff.

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a deleted clade for an iteration of resimulated data. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (`intercept`), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (`DIFintercept`), the standardised difference (`sDIFintercept`), the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (`intercept.perc`) and intercept p-value (`pval.intercept`). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (`DIFestimate` etc.). Additionally, model aic value (AIC) and the optimised value (`optpar`) of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. `kappa` or `lambda`, depending on the phylogenetic model used) are reported.

`data`: Original full dataset.

`errors`: Species where deletion resulted in errors.

**Warning**

When  $V_x$  exceeds  $X$  negative (or null) values can be generated, this might cause problems for data transformation (e.g. log-transformation). In these cases, the function will skip the simulation. This problem can be solved by increasing `n.intra`, changing the transformation type and/or checking the target species in `output$sp.pb`.

Setting `n.intra` at high values can take a long time to execute, since the total number of iterations equals `n.intra * nrow(data)`.

**Author(s)**

Gustavo Paterno, Caterina Penone & Gijsbert D.A. Werner

**References**

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467.

Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

**See Also**

[phyloIrm](#), [intra\\_phyglm](#), [influ\\_phyglm](#), [intra\\_influ\\_phyglm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#).

**Examples**

```

## Not run:
#Generate data
set.seed(6987)
phy = rtree(100)
x = rTrait(n=1,phy=phy,parameters=list(ancestral.state=2,optimal.value=2,sigma2=1,alpha=1))
X = cbind(rep(1,100),x)
y = rbinTrait(n=1,phy=phy, beta=c(-1,0.5), alpha=.7 ,X=X)
z = rnorm(n = length(x),mean = mean(x),sd = 0.1*mean(x))
dat = data.frame(y, x, z)
# Run sensitivity analysis:
intra_influ <- intra_influ_phylm(formula = y ~ x, data = dat, phy = phy,
                               Vx = "z", n.intra = 5,track = TRUE,distrib="normal",x.transf=NULL)
# To check summary results and most influential species:
summary(intra_influ)
# Visual diagnostics for clade removal:
sensi_plot(intra_influ)

## End(Not run)

```

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intra_influ_phylm	<i>Interaction between intraspecific variability and influential species - Phylogenetic Linear Regression</i>
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**Description**

Performs leave-one-out deletion analysis for phylogenetic linear regression, and detects influential species, while taking into account potential interactions with intraspecific variability.

**Usage**

```

intra_influ_phylm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  Vy = NULL,
  Vx = NULL,
  y.transf = NULL,
  x.transf = NULL,
  n.intra = 10,
  distrib = "normal",
  model = "lambda",
  cutoff = 2,
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)

```

**Arguments**

formula	The model formula: response~predictor.
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
Vy	Name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the response variable. When information is not available for one taxon, the value can be 0 or NA.
Vx	Name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the predictor variable. When information is not available for one taxon, the value can be 0 or NA
y.transf	Transformation for the response variable (e.g. "log" or "sqrt"). Please use this argument instead of transforming data in the formula directly (see also details below).
x.transf	Transformation for the predictor variable (e.g. "log" or "sqrt"). Please use this argument instead of transforming data in the formula directly (see also details below).
n.intra	Number of datasets resimulated taking into account intraspecific variation (see: "intra_phylm")
distrib	A character string indicating which distribution to use to generate a random value for the response and/or predictor variables. Default is normal distribution: "normal" (function <code>rnorm</code> ). Uniform distribution: "uniform" ( <code>runif</code> ) Warning: we recommend to use normal distribution with Vx or Vy = standard deviation of the mean.
model	The phylogenetic model to use (see Details). Default is lambda.
cutoff	The cutoff value used to identify for influential species (see Details)
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to <code>phylolm</code>

**Details**

This function fits a phylogenetic linear regression model using `phylolm`, and detects influential species by sequentially deleting one at a time. The regression is repeated `n.intra` times for simulated values of the dataset, taking into account intraspecific variation. At each iteration, the function generates a random value for each row in the dataset using the standard deviation or errors supplied, and detect the influential species within that iteration.

All phylogenetic models from `phylolm` can be used, i.e. BM, OUfixedRoot, OUrandomRoot, lambda, kappa, delta, EB and trend. See `?phylolm` for details.

`influ_phylm` detects influential species based on the standardised difference in intercept and/or slope when removing a given species compared to the full model including all species. Species with a standardised difference above the value of `cutoff` are identified as influential. The default value for the cutoff is 2 standardised differences change.

Currently, this function can only implement simple linear models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

**Value**

The function `intra_influ_phylm` returns a list with the following components:

`cutoff`: The value selected for cutoff

`formula`: The formula

`full.model.estimates`: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. `lambda`) for the full model without deleted species.

`influential_species`: List of influential species, both based on standardised difference in intercept and in the slope of the regression. Species are ordered from most influential to less influential and only include species with a standardised difference  $>$  cutoff.

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a deleted clade for an iteration of resimulated data. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (`intercept`), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (`DIFintercept`), the standardised difference (`sDIFintercept`), the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (`intercept.perc`) and intercept p-value (`pval.intercept`). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (`DIFestimate` etc.). Additionally, model aic value (AIC) and the optimised value (`optpar`) of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. `kappa` or `lambda`, depending on the phylogenetic model used) are reported.

`data`: Original full dataset.

`errors`: Species where deletion resulted in errors.

**Warning**

When  $V_y$  or  $V_x$  exceed  $Y$  or  $X$ , respectively, negative (or null) values can be generated, this might cause problems for data transformation (e.g. log-transformation). In these cases, the function will skip the simulation.

Setting `n.intra` at high values can take a long time to execute, since the total number of iterations equals `n.intra * nrow(data)`.

**Author(s)**

Gustavo Paterno, Caterina Penone & Gijsbert D.A. Werner

**References**

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467.

Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

**See Also**

[phylolm](#), [intra\\_phylm](#), [influ\\_phylm](#), [intra\\_influ\\_phyglm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#).

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Load data:
data(alien)
# run analysis:
intra_influ <- intra_influ_phyglm(formula = gestaLen ~ adultMass, phy = alien$phy[[1]],
data=alien$data,model="lambda",y.transf = log,x.transf = NULL,Vy="SD_gesta",Vx=NULL,
n.intra=30,distrib = "normal")
summary(intra_influ)
sensi_plot(intra_influ)

## End(Not run)
```

intra\_phyglm

*Intraspecific variability - Phylogenetic Logistic Regression***Description**

Performs Phylogenetic logistic regression evaluating intraspecific variability in predictor variables.

**Usage**

```
intra_phyglm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  Vx = NULL,
  n.intra = 30,
  x.transf = NULL,
  distrib = "normal",
  btol = 50,
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

formula	The model formula: response~predictor.
data	Data frame containing species traits with species as row names.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo', see ?ape).
Vx	Name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the predictor variable. When information is not available for one taxon, the value can be 0 or NA
n.intra	Number of times to repeat the analysis generating a random value for the predictor variable. If NULL, n.intra = 2

<code>x.transf</code>	Transformation for the predictor variable (e.g. <code>log</code> or <code>sqrt</code> ). Please use this argument instead of transforming data in the formula directly (see also details below).
<code>distrib</code>	A character string indicating which distribution to use to generate a random value for the predictor variable. Default is normal distribution: "normal" (function <code>rnorm</code> ). Uniform distribution: "uniform" ( <code>runif</code> ) Warning: we recommend to use normal distribution with $Vx = \text{standard deviation of the mean}$ .
<code>btol</code>	Bound on searching space. For details see <code>phyloglm</code>
<code>track</code>	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
<code>...</code>	Further arguments to be passed to <code>phyloglm</code>

### Details

This function fits a phylogenetic logistic regression model using `phyloglm`. The regression is repeated `n.intra` times. At each iteration the function generates a random value for each row in the dataset using the standard deviation or error supplied and assuming a normal or uniform distribution. To calculate means and se for your raw data, you can use the `summarySE` function from the package `Rmisc`.

All phylogenetic models from `phyloglm` can be used, i.e. `BM`, `OufixedRoot`, `OUrandomRoot`, `lambda`, `kappa`, `delta`, `EB` and `trend`. See `?phyloglm` for details.

Currently, this function can only implement simple logistic models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

### Value

The function `intra_phyglm` returns a list with the following components:

`formula`: The formula

`data`: Original full dataset

`sensi.estimate`s: Coefficients, `aic` and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. `lambda`) for each regression.

`N.obs`: Size of the dataset after matching it with tree tips and removing NA's.

`stats`: Main statistics for model parameters. `CI_low` and `CI_high` are the lower and upper limits of the 95

`all.stats`: Complete statistics for model parameters. `sd_intra` is the standard deviation due to intraspecific variation. `CI_low` and `CI_high` are the lower and upper limits of the 95

`sp.pb`: Species that caused problems with data transformation (see details above).

### Warning

When  $Vx$  exceeds  $X$  negative (or null) values can be generated, this might cause problems for data transformation (e.g. log-transformation). In these cases, the function will skip the simulation. This problem can be solved by increasing `n.intra`, changing the transformation type and/or checking the target species in `output$sp.pb`.

**Author(s)**

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**References**

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467

Martinez, P. a., Zurano, J.P., Amado, T.F., Penone, C., Betancur-R, R., Bidau, C.J. & Jacobina, U.P. (2015). Chromosomal diversity in tropical reef fishes is related to body size and depth range. *Molecular Phylogenetics and Evolution*, 93, 1-4

Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

**See Also**

[phyloglm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

**Examples**

```
# Simulate Data:
set.seed(6987)
phy = rtree(150)
x = rTrait(n=1,phy=phy)
x_sd = rnorm(150,mean = 0.8,sd=0.2)
X = cbind(rep(1,150),x)
y = rbinTrait(n=1,phy=phy, beta=c(-1,0.5), alpha=.7 ,X=X)
dat = data.frame(y, x, x_sd)

# Run phylogenetic logistic regression accounting for intraspecific variation:
intra_glm <- intra_phyglm(y~x,Vx = "x_sd",data = dat,phy=phy,distrib = "normal")

#Print summary of sensitivity analysis
summary(intra_glm)
head(intra_glm$sensi.estimates)
#Visual output
sensi_plot(intra_glm)
```

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intra\_phylm

*Intraspecific variability - Phylogenetic Linear Regression*

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**Description**

Performs Phylogenetic linear regression evaluating intraspecific variability in response and/or predictor variables.

**Usage**

```

intra_phylm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  Vy = NULL,
  Vx = NULL,
  y.transf = NULL,
  x.transf = NULL,
  n.intra = 30,
  distrib = "normal",
  model = "lambda",
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)

```

**Arguments**

formula	The model formula: response~predictor.
data	Data frame containing species traits and species names as row names.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo', see ?ape).
Vy	Name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the response variable. When information is not available for one taxon, the value can be 0 or NA.
Vx	Name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the predictor variable. When information is not available for one taxon, the value can be 0 or NA.
y.transf	Transformation for the response variable (e.g. log or sqrt). Please use this argument instead of transforming data in the formula directly (see also details below).
x.transf	Transformation for the predictor variable (e.g. log or sqrt). Please use this argument instead of transforming data in the formula directly (see also details below).
n.intra	Number of times to repeat the analysis generating a random value for response and/or predictor variables. If NULL, n.intra = 30
distrib	A character string indicating which distribution to use to generate a random value for the response and/or predictor variables. Default is normal distribution: "normal" (function <a href="#">rnorm</a> ). Uniform distribution: "uniform" ( <a href="#">runif</a> ) Warning: we recommend to use normal distribution with Vx or Vy = standard deviation of the mean.
model	The phylogenetic model to use (see Details). Default is lambda.
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to <code>phylo1m</code>

## Details

This function fits a phylogenetic linear regression model using `phylolm`. The regression is repeated `n.intra` times. At each iteration the function generates a random value for each row in the dataset using the standard deviation or errors supplied and assuming a normal or uniform distribution. To calculate means and se for your raw data, you can use the `summarySE` function from the package `Rmisc`.

#' All phylogenetic models from `phylolm` can be used, i.e. BM, OUfixedRoot, OUrandomRoot, lambda, kappa, delta, EB and trend. See `?phylolm` for details.

Currently, this function can only implement simple linear models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

## Value

The function `intra_phylm` returns a list with the following components:

`formula`: The formula

`data`: Original full dataset

`sensi.estimate`s: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. lambda) for each regression.

`N.obs`: Size of the dataset after matching it with tree tips and removing NA's.

`stats`: Main statistics for model parameters. `CI_low` and `CI_high` are the lower and upper limits of the 95

`all.stats`: Complete statistics for model parameters. `sd_intra` is the standard deviation due to intraspecific variation. `CI_low` and `CI_high` are the lower and upper limits of the 95

`sp.pb`: Species that caused problems with data transformation (see details above).

## Warning

When  $V_y$  or  $V_x$  exceed  $Y$  or  $X$ , respectively, negative (or null) values can be generated, this might cause problems for data transformation (e.g. log-transformation). In these cases, the function will skip the simulation. This problem can be solved by increasing `n.intra`, changing the transformation type and/or checking the target species in `output$sp.pb`.

## Author(s)

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## References

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- Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

**See Also**

[phylolm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

**Examples**

```
# Load data:
data(alien)
# run PGLS accounting for intraspecific variation:
intra <- intra_phylm(gestaLen ~ adultMass, y.transf = log, x.transf = log,
  phy = alien$phy[[1]], data = alien$data, Vy = "SD_gesta", n.intra = 30)
# To check summary results:
summary(intra)
# Visual diagnostics
sensi_plot(intra)
```

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intra\_physig

*Intraspecific variability - Phylogenetic signal*


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**Description**

Performs Phylogenetic signal estimates evaluating trait intraspecific variability

**Usage**

```
intra_physig(
  trait.col,
  data,
  phy,
  V = NULL,
  n.intra = 100,
  distrib = "normal",
  method = "K",
  track = TRUE
)
```

**Arguments**

trait.col	The name of a column in the provided data frame with trait to be analyzed (e.g. "Body_mass").
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo', see ?ape).
V	Name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the trait variable. When information is not available for one taxon, the value can be 0 or NA.
n.intra	Number of times to repeat the analysis generating a random trait value. If NULL, n.intra = 30

distrib	A character string indicating which distribution to use to generate a random value for the response and/or predictor variables. Default is normal distribution: "normal" (function <code>rnorm</code> ). Uniform distribution: "uniform" ( <code>runif</code> ) Warning: we recommend to use normal distribution with $V_x$ or $V_y$ = standard deviation of the mean.
method	Method to compute signal: can be "K" or "lambda".
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)

### Details

This function estimates phylogenetic signal using `phylosig`. The analysis is repeated `n.intra` times. At each iteration the function generates a random value for each row in the dataset using the standard deviation or errors supplied and assuming a normal or uniform distribution. To calculate means and se for your raw data, you can use the `summarySE` function from the package `Rmisc`.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

### Value

The function `intra_physig` returns a list with the following components:

`Trait`: Column name of the trait analysed

`data`: Original full dataset

`intra.physig.estimates`: Run number, phylogenetic signal estimate (lambda or K) and the p-value for each run with a different simulated dataset.

`N.obs`: Size of the dataset after matching it with tree tips and removing NA's.

`stats`: Main statistics for signal estimate `CI_low` and `CI_high` are the lower and upper limits of the 95

### Note

The argument "se" from `phylosig` is not available in this function. Use the argument "V" instead with `intra_physig` to indicate the name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the trait variable instead.

### Author(s)

Caterina Penone & Pablo Ariel Martinez & Gustavo Paterno

### References

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467

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Blomberg, S. P., T. Garland Jr., A. R. Ives (2003) Testing for phylogenetic signal in comparative data: Behavioral traits are more labile. *Evolution*, 57, 717-745.

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Kamilar, J. M., & Cooper, N. (2013). Phylogenetic signal in primate behaviour, ecology and life history. *Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society B: Biological Sciences*, 368: 20120341.

### See Also

[phylosig](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

### Examples

```
## Not run:
data(alien)
alien.data<-alien$data
alien.phy<-alien$phy
# Run sensitivity analysis:
intra <- intra_physig(trait.col = "gestaLen", V = "SD_gesta" ,
                    data = alien.data, phy = alien.phy[[1]])

summary(intra)
sensi_plot(intra)
sensi_plot(intra, graphs = 1)
sensi_plot(intra, graphs = 2)

## End(Not run)
```

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intra_samp_phyglm	<i>Interaction between intraspecific variability and species sampling - Phylogenetic Logistic Regression</i>
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### Description

Performs analyses of sensitivity to species sampling by randomly removing species and detecting the effects on parameter estimates in a phylogenetic logistic regression, while taking into account potential interactions with intraspecific variability.

### Usage

```
intra_samp_phyglm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  n.sim = 10,
  n.intra = 3,
  breaks = seq(0.1, 0.5, 0.1),
  btol = 50,
  Vx = NULL,
  distrib = "normal",
```

```

x.transf = NULL,
track = TRUE,
...
)

```

### Arguments

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
n.sim	The number of times species are randomly deleted for each break.
n.intra	Number of datasets resimulated taking into account intraspecific variation (see: "intra_phyglm")
breaks	A vector containing the percentages of species to remove.
btol	Bound on searching space. For details see phyloglm
Vx	Name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the predictor variable. When information is not available for one taxon, the value can be 0 or NA
distrib	A character string indicating which distribution to use to generate a random value for the response and/or predictor variables. Default is normal distribution: "normal" (function <a href="#">rnorm</a> ). Uniform distribution: "uniform" ( <a href="#">runif</a> ) Warning: we recommend to use normal distribution with Vx = standard deviation of the mean.
x.transf	Transformation for the predictor variable (e.g. "log" or "sqrt"). Please use this argument instead of transforming data in the formula directly (see also details below).
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to phyloglm

### Details

This function randomly removes a given percentage of species (controlled by breaks) from the full phylogenetic logistic regression, fits a phylogenetic logistic regression model without these species using [phyloglm](#), repeats this many times (controlled by n.sim), stores the results and calculates the effects on model parameters. This operation is repeated n.intra times for simulated values of the dataset, taking into account intraspecific variation. At each iteration, the function generates a random value for each row in the dataset using the standard deviation or errors supplied, and evaluates the effects of sampling within that iteration.

All phylogenetic models from [phyloglm](#) can be used, i.e. BM, OUfixedRoot, OUrandomRoot, lambda, kappa, delta, EB and trend. See [?phyloglm](#) for details.

Currently, this function can only implement simple logistic models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using [sensi\\_plot](#).

**Value**

The function `samp_phyglm` returns a list with the following components:

`formula`: The formula

`full.model.estimates`: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. lambda or kappa) for the full model without deleted species.

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a model re-run with a given number of species `n.remov` removed, representing `n.percent` of the full dataset. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (`intercept`), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (`DIFintercept`), the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (`intercept.perc`) and intercept p-value (`pval.intercept`). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (`DIFestimate` etc.). Additionally, model aic value (AIC) and the optimised value (`optpar`) of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. kappa or lambda, depending on the phylogenetic model used) are reported. Lastly we reported the standardised difference in intercept (`sDIFintercept`) and slope (`sDIFestimate`).

`sign.analysis` For each break (i.e. each percentage of species removed) this reports the percentage of statistically significant (at  $p < 0.05$ ) intercepts (`perc.sign.intercept`) over all repetitions as well as the percentage of statistically significant (at  $p < 0.05$ ) slopes (`perc.sign.estimate`).

`data`: Original full dataset.

**Note**

Please be aware that dropping species may reduce power to detect significant slopes/intercepts and may partially be responsible for a potential effect of species removal on p-values. Please also consult standardised differences in the (summary) output.

**Author(s)**

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**References**

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467

Werner, G.D.A., Cornwell, W.K., Sprent, J.I., Kattge, J. & Kiers, E.T. (2014). A single evolutionary innovation drives the deep evolution of symbiotic N<sub>2</sub>-fixation in angiosperms. *Nature Communications*, 5, 4087.

Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

**See Also**

[phyloIm](#), [samp\\_phyglm](#), [intra\\_phyglm](#), [intra\\_samp\\_phylm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
set.seed(6987)
phy = rtree(100)
x = rTrait(n=1,phy=phy,parameters=list(ancestral.state=2,optimal.value=2,sigma2=1,alpha=1))
X = cbind(rep(1,100),x)
y = rbinTrait(n=1,phy=phy, beta=c(-1,0.5), alpha=.7 ,X=X)
z = rnorm(n = length(x),mean = mean(x),sd = 0.1*mean(x))
dat = data.frame(y, x, z)
#Run sensitivity analysis:
intra_samp <- intra_samp_phylm(formula = y ~ x, data = dat, phy = phy,
                             n.sim=10, n.intra = 3,
                             breaks=seq(.1,.5,.1),
                             Vx = "z", distrib="normal", x.transf=NULL)

summary(intra_samp)
sensi_plot(intra_samp)

## End(Not run)
```

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intra_samp_phylm	<i>Interaction between intraspecific variability and species sampling - Phylogenetic Linear Regression</i>
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**Description**

Performs analyses of sensitivity to species sampling by randomly removing species and detecting the effects on parameter estimates in a phylogenetic linear regression, while taking into account potential interactions with intraspecific variability.

**Usage**

```
intra_samp_phylm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  n.sim = 10,
  n.intra = 3,
  breaks = seq(0.1, 0.5, 0.1),
  model = "lambda",
  Vy = NULL,
  Vx = NULL,
  distrib = "normal",
  y.transf = NULL,
  x.transf = NULL,
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
n.sim	The number of times species are randomly deleted for each break.
n.intra	Number of datasets resimulated taking into account intraspecific variation (see: "intra_phylm")
breaks	A vector containing the percentages of species to remove.
model	The phylogenetic model to use (see Details). Default is lambda. #' @param Vy Name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the response variable. When information is not available for one taxon, the value can be 0 or NA.
Vy	Name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the response variable. When information is not available for one taxon, the value can be 0 or NA.
Vx	Name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the predictor variable. When information is not available for one taxon, the value can be 0 or NA
distrib	A character string indicating which distribution to use to generate a random value for the response and/or predictor variables. Default is normal distribution: "normal" (function <code>rnorm</code> ). Uniform distribution: "uniform" ( <code>runif</code> ) Warning: we recommend to use normal distribution with Vx or Vy = standard deviation of the mean.
y.transf	Transformation for the response variable (e.g. "log" or "sqrt"). Please use this argument instead of transforming data in the formula directly (see also details below).
x.transf	Transformation for the predictor variable (e.g. "log" or "sqrt"). Please use this argument instead of transforming data in the formula directly (see also details below).
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to <code>phylolm</code>

**Details**

This function randomly removes a given percentage of species (controlled by `breaks`) from the full phylogenetic linear regression, fits a phylogenetic linear regression model without these species using `phylolm`, repeats this many times (controlled by `n.sim`), stores the results and calculates the effects on model parameters. This operation is repeated `n.intra` times for simulated values of the dataset, taking into account intraspecific variation. At each iteration, the function generates a random value for each row in the dataset using the standard deviation or errors supplied, and evaluates the effects of sampling within that iteration.

All phylogenetic models from `phylolm` can be used, i.e. BM, OUfixedRoot, OUrandomRoot, lambda, kappa, delta, EB and trend. See `?phylolm` for details.

Currently, this function can only implement simple linear models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

### Value

The function `samp_phylm` returns a list with the following components:

`formula`: The formula

`full.model.estimates`: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. lambda or kappa) for the full model without deleted species.

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a model re-run with a given number of species `n.remov` removed, representing `n.percent` of the full dataset. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (`intercept`), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (`DIFintercept`), the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (`intercept.perc`) and intercept p-value (`pval.intercept`). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (`DIFestimate` etc.). Additionally, model aic value (AIC) and the optimised value (`optpar`) of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. kappa or lambda, depending on the phylogenetic model used) are reported. Lastly we reported the standardised difference in intercept (`sDIFintercept`) and slope (`sDIFestimate`).

`sign.analysis` For each break (i.e. each percentage of species removed) this reports the percentage of statistically significant (at  $p < 0.05$ ) intercepts (`perc.sign.intercept`) over all repetitions as well as the percentage of statistically significant (at  $p < 0.05$ ) slopes (`perc.sign.estimate`).

`data`: Original full dataset.

### Note

Please be aware that dropping species may reduce power to detect significant slopes/intercepts and may partially be responsible for a potential effect of species removal on p-values. Please also consult standardised differences in the (summary) output.

### Author(s)

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### References

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Werner, G.D.A., Cornwell, W.K., Sprent, J.I., Kattge, J. & Kiers, E.T. (2014). A single evolutionary innovation drives the deep evolution of symbiotic N<sub>2</sub>-fixation in angiosperms. *Nature Communications*, 5, 4087.

Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

### See Also

[phyloIm](#), [samp\\_phylm](#), [intra\\_phylm](#), [intra\\_samp\\_phyglm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Load data:
data(alien)
# Run analysis:
samp <- intra_samp_phylm(gestaLen ~ adultMass, phy = alien$phy[[1]],
                        y.transf = log, x.transf = NULL, Vy="SD_gesta", Vx=NULL,
                        data = alien$data, n.intra = 5, n.sim=10)

summary(samp)
head(samp$sensi.estimate)
# Visual diagnostics
sensi_plot(samp)
# You can specify which graph and parameter ("estimate" or "intercept") to print:
sensi_plot(samp, graphs = 1)
sensi_plot(samp, graphs = 2)

## End(Not run)
```

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match\_dataphy

*Match data and phylogeny based on model formula*


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**Description**

Combines phylogeny and data to ensure that tips in phylogeny match data and that observations with missing values are removed. This function uses variables provided in the ‘formula’ argument to:

- Remove NA’s: Check if there is any row with NA in the variables included in the formula. All rows containing NA will be removed from the data
- Match data and phy: Check if tips from phylogeny match rownames in data. Tips not present in data and phy will be removed from the phylogeny and data
- Return matched data and phy: The returned data has no NA in the variables included in ‘formula’ and only rows that match phylogeny tips. Returned phy has only tips that match data

Used internally in [samp\\_phylm](#), [samp\\_phyglm](#), [clade\\_phylm](#), [clade\\_phyglm](#), [intra\\_phylm](#), [intra\\_phyglm](#), [tree\\_phylm](#), [tree\\_phyglm](#) and all function analysing interactions. Users can also directly use this function to combine a phylogeny and a dataset.

**Usage**

```
match_dataphy(formula, data, phy, verbose = TRUE, ...)
```

**Arguments**

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class ‘phylo’ or ‘multiphylo’)

verbose	Print the number of species that match data and phylogeny and warnings. We highly recommend to use the default (verbose = T), but warning and information can be silenced for advanced use.
...	Further arguments to be passed to match_dataphy

### Details

This function uses all variables provided in the 'formula' to match data and phylogeny. To avoid cropping the full dataset, 'match\_dataphy' searches for NA values only on variables provided by formula. Missing values on other variables, not included in 'formula', will not be removed from data. If no species names are provided as row names in the dataset but the number of rows in the dataset is the same as the number of tips in the phylogeny, the function assumes that the dataset and the phylogeny are in the same order.

This ensures consistency between data and phylogeny only for the variables that are being used in the model (set by 'formula').

If phy is a 'multiphylo' object, all phylogenies will be cropped to match data. But the dataset order will only match the first tree provided. The returned phylogeny will be a 'multiphylo' object.

### Value

The function match\_dataphy returns a list with the following components:

data: Cropped dataset matching phylogeny

phy: Cropped phylogeny matching data

dropped: Species dropped from phylogeny and removed from data.

### Note

If tips are removed from the phylogeny and data or if rows containing missing values are removed from data, a message will be printed with the details. Further, the final number of species that match data and phy will always be reported by a message.

### Author(s)

Caterina Penone & Gustavo Paterno

### References

This function is largely inspired by the function `comparative.data` in caper package David Orme, Rob Freckleton, Gavin Thomas, Thomas Petzoldt, Susanne Fritz, Nick Isaac and Will Pearse (2013). caper: Comparative Analyses of Phylogenetics and Evolution in R. R package version 0.5.2. <http://CRAN.R-project.org/package=caper>

### Examples

```
# Load data:
data(alien)
head(alien$data)
# Match data and phy based on model formula:
```

```

comp.data <- match_dataphy(gestaLen ~ homeRange, data = alien$data, alien$phy[[1]])
# Check data:
head(comp.data$data)
# Check phy:
comp.data$phy
# See species dropped from phy or data:
comp.data$dropped
# Example2:
# Match data and phy based on model formula:
comp.data2 <- match_dataphy(gestaLen ~ adultMass, data = alien$data, alien$phy)
# Check data (missing data on variables not included in the formula are preserved)
head(comp.data2$data)
# Check phy:
comp.data2$phy
# See species dropped from phy or data:
comp.data2$dropped

```

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miss.phylo.d

*Phylogenetic signal in missing data*


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## Description

Calculates D statistic (Fritz & Purvis 2010), a measure of phylogenetic signal, for missing data. Missingness is recoded into a binary variable (1=missing, 0=non missing). This function is an adaptation of [phylo.d](#) for missing data.

## Usage

```
miss.phylo.d(data, phy, ...)
```

## Arguments

data	Data frame containing species traits with species as row names.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo', see ?ape).
...	Further arguments to be passed to phylo.d.

## Details

This function builds on [phylo.d](#) to calculate a phylogenetic signal in missing data. The variable of interest, usually a trait, is recoded into a binary variable (1=missing data, 0=non missing data). Then the [phylo.d](#) function tests the estimated D value for significant departure from both random association and the clumping expected under a Brownian evolution threshold model (Fritz & Purvis, 2010).

Output can be visualised using `print()` and `plot()`

**Value**

The function `miss.phylo.d` returns an object of class "phylo.d" with the following components, for complete list of arguments see [phylo.d](#) :

`DEstimate`: The estimated D value

`Pval1`: A p value, giving the result of testing whether D is significantly different from one

`Pval0`: A p value, giving the result of testing whether D is significantly different from zero The function also prints the percentage of missing data per variable in the dataset.

**Author(s)**

Caterina Penone & Gustavo Paterno

**References**

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467

Fritz, S. A. and Purvis, A. (2010). Selectivity in mammalian extinction risk and threat types: a new measure of phylogenetic signal strength in binary traits. *Conservation Biology*, 24(4):1042-1051.

David Orme, Rob Freckleton, Gavin Thomas, Thomas Petzoldt, Susanne Fritz, Nick Isaac and Will Pearse (2013). `caper`: Comparative Analyses of Phylogenetics and Evolution in R. R package version 0.5.2. <https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=caper>

**Examples**

```
# Load caper:
library(caper)
# Load data
data(primates)
data<-alien$data
phy=alien$phy[[1]]

# Test phylogenetic signal for missing data:
sexNASig <- miss.phylo.d(data,phy,binvar=homeRange)
print(sexNASig)
plot(sexNASig)

massNASig <- miss.phylo.d(data,phy,binvar=adultMass)
print(massNASig)
plot(massNASig)
```

**Description**

A comparative dataset containing traits for 95 Primates species (primates.data) and a multiphylo object with 101 phylogenies matching the data (primates.phy). Tip labels are the binomial species names and match with data rownames. Data was taken from (Jones et al. 2009) and phylogenies from (Fritz et al 2009) and (Kuhn et al 2011).

**Usage**

```
data(primates)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 95 rows and 3 variables:

- family: Taxonomic family
- adultMass: Mean adult body mass (g)
- sexMaturity: Age when individuals are first physically capable of reproducing (days)
- homeRange: Mean home range (km)

A multiphylo containing 101 trees for 95 primate species.

**References**

Data downloaded from: <http://esapubs.org/archive/ecol/E090/184/>

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primates.data

*Primates dataset: Example dataset for the package sensiPhy*

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**Description**

A comparative dataset containing traits for 95 Primates species (primates.data) and a multiphylo object with 101 phylogenies matching the data (primates.phy). Tip labels are the binomial species names and match with data rownames. Data was taken from (Jones et al. 2009) and phylogenies from (Fritz et al 2009) and (Kuhn et al 2011).

**Usage**

```
data(primates)
```

**Format**

A data frame with 95 rows and 3 variables:

- family: Taxonomic family
- adultMass: Mean adult body mass (g)
- sexMaturity: Age when individuals are first physically capable of reproducing (days)
- homeRange: Mean home range (km)

A multiphylo containing 101 trees for 95 primate species.

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samp\_continuous

*Species Sampling uncertainty - Trait Evolution Continuous Characters*

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**Description**

Fits models for trait evolution of continuous characters, evaluating sampling uncertainty.

**Usage**

```
samp_continuous(
  data,
  phy,
  n.sim = 30,
  breaks = seq(0.1, 0.5, 0.1),
  model,
  n.cores = NULL,
  bounds = list(),
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>data</code>	Data vector for a single binary trait, with names matching tips in <code>phy</code> .
<code>phy</code>	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
<code>n.sim</code>	The number of times species are randomly deleted for each break.
<code>breaks</code>	A vector containing the percentages of species to remove.
<code>model</code>	The evolutionary model (see Details).
<code>n.cores</code>	number of cores to use. If 'NULL', number of cores is detected.
<code>bounds</code>	settings to constrain parameter estimates. See <a href="#">fitContinuous</a>
<code>track</code>	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
<code>...</code>	Further arguments to be passed to <a href="#">fitContinuous</a>

**Details**

This function randomly removes a given percentage of species (controlled by `breaks`), fits different models of continuous character evolution using [fitContinuous](#), repeats this this many times (controlled by `n.sim`), stores the results and calculates the effects on model parameters.

Different evolutionary models from `fitContinuous` can be used, i.e. BM,OU, EB, trend, lambda, kappa, delta and drift.

See [fitContinuous](#) for more details on character models and tree transformations.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

**Value**

The function `tree_continuous` returns a list with the following components:

`call`: The function call

`data`: The original full data vector

`optpar`: Transformation parameter used (e.g. lambda, kappa etc.)

`full.model.estimates`: Parameter estimates (rate of evolution `sigsq` and where applicable `optpar`), root state `z0`, AICc for the full model without deleted species.

`break.summary.tab`: Summary per break of the mean and median effects of species removal on percentage and absolute change parameter estimates.

`sensi.estimates`: Parameter estimates (`sigsq` and `optpar`), (percentual) difference in parameter estimate compared to the full model (`DIFsigsq`, `sigsq.perc`, `sDIFsigsq`, `DIFoptpar`, `optpar.perc`, `sDIFoptpar`), AICc and `z0` for each repeat with random species removed.

`optpar`: Transformation parameter used (e.g. lambda, kappa etc.)

**Author(s)**

Gijsbert Werner & Gustavo Paterno

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## See Also

[fitContinuous](#)

## Examples

```
## Not run:
#Load data:
data("primates")
#Model trait evolution accounting for sampling size
adultMass<-primates$data$adultMass
names(adultMass)<-rownames(primates$data)
samp_cont<-samp_continuous(data = adultMass,phy = primates$phy[[1]],
model = "OU",n.sim=25,breaks=seq(.05,.2,.05),n.cores = 2, track = TRUE)
#Print summary statistics
summary(samp_cont)
sensi_plot(samp_cont)
sensi_plot(samp_cont, graphs = 1)
#Use a different evolutionary model
samp_cont2<-samp_continuous(data = adultMass,phy = primates$phy[[1]],
model = "kappa",n.sim=25,breaks=seq(.05,.2,.05),n.cores = 2,track = TRUE)
summary(samp_cont2)
sensi_plot(samp_cont2)
sensi_plot(samp_cont2, graphs = 2)
samp_cont3<-samp_continuous(data = adultMass,phy = primates$phy[[1]],
model = "BM",n.sim=25,breaks=seq(.05,.2,.05),n.cores = 2,track = TRUE)
summary(samp_cont3)

## End(Not run)
```

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samp\_discrete

*Species Sampling uncertainty - Trait Evolution Discrete Characters*

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## Description

Fits models for trait evolution of discrete (binary) characters, evaluating sampling uncertainty.

**Usage**

```
samp_discrete(
  data,
  phy,
  n.sim = 30,
  breaks = seq(0.1, 0.5, 0.1),
  model,
  transform = "none",
  bounds = list(),
  n.cores = NULL,
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>data</code>	Data vector for a single binary trait, with names matching tips in <code>phy</code> .
<code>phy</code>	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
<code>n.sim</code>	The number of times species are randomly deleted for each break.
<code>breaks</code>	A vector containing the percentages of species to remove.
<code>model</code>	The Mkn model to use (see Details).
<code>transform</code>	The evolutionary model to transform the tree (see Details). Default is none.
<code>bounds</code>	settings to constrain parameter estimates. See <a href="#">fitDiscrete</a>
<code>n.cores</code>	number of cores to use. If 'NULL', number of cores is detected.
<code>track</code>	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
<code>...</code>	Further arguments to be passed to <a href="#">fitDiscrete</a>

**Details**

This function randomly removes a given percentage of species (controlled by `breaks`), fits different models of discrete character evolution using [fitDiscrete](#), repeats this this many times (controlled by `n.sim`), stores the results and calculates the effects on model parameters. Currently, only binary discrete traits are supported.

Different character model from `fitDiscrete` can be used, including ER (equal-rates), SYM (symmetric), ARD (all-rates-different) and meristic (stepwise fashion).

Transformations to the phylogenetic tree from `fitDiscrete` can be used, i.e. none, EB, lambda, kappa and delta.

See [fitDiscrete](#) for more details on character models and tree transformations.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

**Value**

The function `tree_discrete` returns a list with the following components:

`call`: The function call

data: The original full data vector

optpar: Transformation parameter used (e.g. lambda, kappa etc.)

full.model.estimates: Parameter estimates (transition rates q12 and q21), AICc and the optimised value of the phylogenetic transformation parameter (e.g. lambda) for the full model without deleted species.

break.summary.tab: Summary per break of the mean and median effects of species removal on percentage and absolute change in parameters q12 and q21.

sensi.estimates: Parameter estimates (transition rates q12 and q21), (percentual) difference in parameter estimate compared to the full model (DIFq12, sigsq.q12, sDIFq12, DIFq21, optpar.q21, sDIFq21), AICc and the optimised value of the phylogenetic transformation parameter (e.g. lambda) for each analysis with a species deleted.

optpar: Transformation parameter used (e.g. lambda, kappa etc.)

### Author(s)

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### See Also

[fitDiscrete](#)

### Examples

```
## Not run:
#Load data:
data("primates")
#Create a binary trait factor
adultMass_binary<-ifelse(primates$data$adultMass > 7350, "big", "small")
adultMass_binary<-as.factor(as.factor(adultMass_binary))
names(adultMass_binary)<-rownames(primates$data)
#Model trait evolution accounting for sampling size
samp_binary<-samp_discrete(data = adultMass_binary,phy = primates$phy[[1]],
n.sim=25,breaks=seq(.1,.3,.1),model = "SYM",transform = "none",n.cores = 2,track = TRUE)
#Print summary statistics
summary(samp_binary)
sensi_plot(samp_binary)
sensi_plot(samp_binary,graphs=1)
```

```

sensi_plot(samp_binary,graphs=2)
#Use a different evolutionary model or transformation
samp_binary2<-samp_discrete(data = adultMass_binary,phy = primates$phy[[1]],
n.sim=25,breaks=seq(.1,.3,.1),model = "ARD",transform = "lambda",n.cores = 2,track = TRUE)
summary(samp_binary2)
sensi_plot(samp_binary2)
sensi_plot(samp_binary2,graphs=1)
sensi_plot(samp_binary2,graphs=3)

## End(Not run)

```

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samp\_phyglm

*Sensitivity Analysis Species Sampling - Phylogenetic Logistic Regression*


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## Description

Performs analyses of sensitivity to species sampling by randomly removing species and detecting the effects on parameter estimates in phylogenetic logistic regression.

## Usage

```

samp_phyglm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  n.sim = 30,
  breaks = seq(0.1, 0.5, 0.1),
  btol = 50,
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)

```

## Arguments

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
n.sim	The number of times species are randomly deleted for each break.
breaks	A vector containing the percentages of species to remove.
btol	Bound on searching space. For details see phyloglm
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to phyloglm

## Details

This function randomly removes a given percentage of species (controlled by `breaks`) from the full phylogenetic logistic regression, fits a phylogenetic logistic regression model without these species using `phyloglm`, repeats this many times (controlled by `n.sim`), stores the results and calculates the effects on model parameters.

Only logistic regression using the "logistic\_MPLE"-method from `phyloglm` is implemented.

Currently, this function can only implement simple logistic models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

## Value

The function `samp_phyglm` returns a list with the following components:

`formula`: The formula

`full.model.estimates`: Coefficients, `aic` and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. `lambda` or `kappa`) for the full model without deleted species.

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a model re-run with a given number of species `n.remov` removed, representing `n.percent` of the full dataset. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (`intercept`), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (`DIFintercept`), the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (`intercept.perc`) and intercept p-value (`pval.intercept`). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (`DIFestimate` etc.). Additionally, model `aic` value (AIC) and the optimised value (`optpar`) of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. `kappa` or `lambda`, depending on the phylogenetic model used) are reported. Lastly we reported the standardised difference in intercept (`sDIFintercept`) and slope (`sDIFestimate`).

`sign.analysis` For each break (i.e. each percentage of species removed) this reports the percentage of statistically significant (at  $p < 0.05$ ) intercepts (`perc.sign.intercept`) over all repetitions as well as the percentage of statistically significant (at  $p < 0.05$ ) slopes (`perc.sign.estimate`).

`data`: Original full dataset.

## Note

Please be aware that dropping species may reduce power to detect significant slopes/intercepts and may partially be responsible for a potential effect of species removal on p-values. Please also consult standardised differences in the (summary) output.

## Author(s)

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# Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

### See Also

[phyloglm](#), [samp\\_phylm](#), [influ\\_phyglm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

### Examples

```
# Simulate Data:
set.seed(6987)
phy = rtree(100)
x = rTrait(n=1,phy=phy)
X = cbind(rep(1,100),x)
y = rbinTrait(n=1,phy=phy, beta=c(-1,0.5), alpha=.7 ,X=X)
dat = data.frame(y, x)
# Run sensitivity analysis:
samp <- samp_phyglm(y ~ x, data = dat, phy = phy, n.sim = 10)
# To check summary results and most influential species:
summary(samp)
## Not run:
# Visual diagnostics for clade removal:
sensi_plot(samp)

## End(Not run)
```

---

samp\_phylm

*Sensitivity Analysis Species Sampling - Phylogenetic Linear Regression*

---

### Description

Performs analyses of sensitivity to species sampling by randomly removing species and detecting the effects on parameter estimates in a phylogenetic linear regression.

### Usage

```
samp_phylm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  n.sim = 30,
  breaks = seq(0.1, 0.5, 0.1),
  model = "lambda",
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
n.sim	The number of times species are randomly deleted for each break.
breaks	A vector containing the percentages of species to remove.
model	The phylogenetic model to use (see Details). Default is lambda.
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to phylo1m

**Details**

This function randomly removes a given percentage of species (controlled by breaks) from the full phylogenetic linear regression, fits a phylogenetic linear regression model without these species using `phylo1m`, repeats this many times (controlled by n.sim), stores the results and calculates the effects on model parameters.

All phylogenetic models from `phylo1m` can be used, i.e. BM, OUfixedRoot, OUrandomRoot, lambda, kappa, delta, EB and trend. See `?phylo1m` for details.

Currently, this function can only implement simple linear models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

**Value**

The function `somp_phylm` returns a list with the following components:

formula: The formula

full.model.estimates: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. lambda or kappa) for the full model without deleted species.

sensi.estimates: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a model re-run with a given number of species n.remov removed, representing n.percent of the full dataset. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (intercept), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (DIFintercept), the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (intercept.perc) and intercept p-value (pval.intercept). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (DIFestimate etc.). Additionally, model aic value (AIC) and the optimised value (optpar) of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. kappa or lambda, depending on the phylogenetic model used) are reported. Lastly we reported the standardised difference in intercept (sDIFintercept) and slope (sDIFestimate).

sign.analysis For each break (i.e. each percentage of species removed) this reports the percentage of statistically significant (at  $p < 0.05$ ) intercepts (perc.sign.intercept) over all repetitions as well as the percentage of statistically significant (at  $p < 0.05$ ) slopes (perc.sign.estimate).

data: Original full dataset. #' @note Please be aware that dropping species may reduce power to detect significant slopes/intercepts and may partially be responsible for a potential effect of species removal on p-values. Please also consult standardised differences in the (summary) output.

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**See Also**

[phyloilm](#), [samp\\_phyglm](#), [influ\\_phylm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

**Examples**

```
# Load data:
data(alien)
# Run analysis:
samp <- samp_phylm(log(gestalen) ~ log(adultMass), phy = alien$phy[[1]],
data = alien$data, n.sim = 10)
summary(samp)
head(samp$sensi.estimates)
# Visual diagnostics
## Not run:
sensi_plot(samp)
# You can specify which graph and parameter ("estimate" or "intercept") to print:
sensi_plot(samp, graphs = 1, param = "estimate")
sensi_plot(samp, graphs = 2, param = "intercept")

## End(Not run)
```

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samp\_physig

*Sensitivity Analysis Species Sampling - Phylogenetic signal*

---

**Description**

Performs analyses of sensitivity to species sampling by randomly removing species and detecting the effects on phylogenetic signal estimates

**Usage**

```
samp_physig(
  trait.col,
  data,
  phy,
  n.sim = 30,
  breaks = seq(0.1, 0.5, 0.1),
  method = "K",
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

trait.col	The name of a column in the provided data frame with trait to be analyzed (e.g. "Body_mass").
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
n.sim	The number of times to repeat species random removal for each break interval.
breaks	A vector containing the percentages of species to remove.
method	Method to compute signal: can be "K" or "lambda".
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to <a href="#">phylosig</a>

**Details**

This function randomly removes a given percentage of species (controlled by breaks) from the full data, estimates phylogenetic signal for a given trait (K or lambda) without these species using [phylosig](#), then repeats the analysis many times (controlled by n.sim), stores the results and calculates the effect of random species removal on phylogenetic signal estimates.

Output can be visualised using [sensi\\_plot](#).

**Value**

The function `samp_phylosig` returns a list with the following components:

`Trait`: Column name of the trait analysed

`full.model.estimates`: Phylogenetic signal (K or lambda) and p-value using the full dataset (without deleted species). See [phylosig](#) for details.

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a rerun with a given number of species `n.remov` removed, representing `n.percent` of the full dataset. Columns report the calculated signal estimate (`estimate`), difference between reduced data signal estimate and full data signal (`DF`), the percentage of change in signal compared to the full data estimate (`perc`) and signal p-value for the reduced data estimate (`pval`).

`sign.analysis` For each break (i.e. each percentage of species removed) this reports the percentage of statistically significant (at  $p < 0.05$ ) phylogenetic signal over all repetitions with reduced data sets.

data: Original full dataset used in the analysis. #' @note Please be aware that dropping species may reduce power to detect significant signal and may partially be responsible for a potential effect of species removal on p-values. Please also consult standardised differences in the (summary) output.

### Note

The argument "se" from `phylosig` is not available in this function. Use the argument "V" instead with `intra_physig` to indicate the name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the trait variable instead.

### Author(s)

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### See Also

[phylosig](#), [samp\\_phylm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

### Examples

```
## Not run:
data(alien)
alien.data<-alien$data
alien.phy<-alien$phy
# Logtransform data
alien.data$logMass <- log(alien.data$adultMass)
# Run sensitivity analysis:
samp <- samp_physig(trait.col = "logMass", data = alien.data, n.sim = 30,
phy = alien.phy[[1]])
summary(samp)
sensi_plot(samp)
sensi_plot(samp, graphs = 1)
sensi_plot(samp, graphs = 2)

## End(Not run)
```

**Description**

An implementation of sensitivity analysis for phylogenetic comparative methods. The package is an umbrella of statistical and graphical methods that estimate and report different types of uncertainty in PCM: (i) Species Sampling uncertainty (sample size; influential species and clades). (ii) Phylogenetic uncertainty (different topologies and/or branch lengths). (iii) Data uncertainty (intraspecific variation and measurement error).

**Bug reports**

<https://github.com/paternogbc/sensiPhy/issues>.

**How to contribute?**

You can find instructions on how to contribute to **sensiPhy** at this link: <https://github.com/paternogbc/sensiPhy/wiki/How-to-support-sensiPhy>

A quick tutorial is available at this link: <https://github.com/paternogbc/sensiPhy/wiki>

**Author(s)**

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**References**

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467.

**Description**

Generic function for plotting results from any sensitivity analysis performed with 'sensiPhy'

**Usage**

```
sensi_plot(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

x                    any output from the sensiPhy package.  
...                  further arguments to methods

## Details

sensi\_plot recognize and print different sets of graphs depending on the function that generated 'x'. See the links below for details about the graphs generated for each sensiPhy function:

### **PGLS regressions (single uncertainty):**

- clade\_phylm: [sensi\\_plot.sensiClade](#)
- influ\_phylm: [sensi\\_plot.sensiInflu](#)
- samp\_phylm: [sensi\\_plot.sensiSamp](#)
- intra\_phylm: [sensi\\_plot.sensiIntra](#)
- tree\_phylm: [sensi\\_plot.sensiTree](#)

### **PGLS regressions (interacting uncertainties):**

- tree\_intra\_phylm: [sensi\\_plot.sensiTree\\_Intra](#)
- intra\_clade\_phylm: [sensi\\_plot.sensiIntra\\_Clade](#)
- intra\_influ\_phylm: [sensi\\_plot.sensiIntra\\_Influ](#)
- intra\_samp\_phylm: [sensi\\_plot.sensiIntra\\_Samp](#)
- tree\_clade\_phylm: [sensi\\_plot.sensiTree\\_Clade](#)
- tree\_influ\_phylm: [sensi\\_plot.sensiTree\\_Influ](#)
- tree\_samp\_phylm: [sensi\\_plot.sensiTree\\_Samp](#)

### **Phylogenetic signal:**

- clade\_physig: [sensi\\_plot.clade.physig](#)
- influ\_physig: [sensi\\_plot.influ.physig](#)
- samp\_physig: [sensi\\_plot.samp.physig](#)
- tree\_physig: [sensi\\_plot.tree.physig](#)
- intra\_physig: [sensi\\_plot.intra.physig](#)

### **trait evolution (continuous & discrete characters):**

- clade\_continuous & \_discrete [sensi\\_plot.sensiClade.TraitEvol](#)
- influ\_continuous & \_discrete [sensi\\_plot.sensiInflu.TraitEvol](#)
- tree\_continuous & \_discrete [sensi\\_plot.sensiTree.TraitEvol](#)
- samp\_continuous & \_discrete [sensi\\_plot.sensiSamp.TraitEvol](#)

## Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno

## References

The function 'multiplot', developed by Winston Chang, is used inside sensi\_plot to print multiple graphs in one frame. The source code is available here: [http://www.cookbook-r.com/Graphs/Multiple\\_graphs\\_on\\_one\\_page\\_\(ggplot2\)/](http://www.cookbook-r.com/Graphs/Multiple_graphs_on_one_page_(ggplot2)/)

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`sensi_plot.clade.physig`*Graphical diagnostics for class 'clade.physig'*

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**Description**`plot_clade_physig` Plot results from `clade_physig`**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'clade.physig'  
sensi_plot(x, clade = NULL, ...)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	output from <code>influ_physig</code>
<code>clade</code>	The name of the clade to be evaluated (see details)
<code>...</code>	further arguments to methods.

**Details**

For 'x' from `clade_physig`:

**Graph 1:** Distribution of the simulated signal estimates (Null distribution for a given clade sample size). The red dashed line represents the estimated signal for the reduced data (without the focal clade) and the black line represents the signal estimate for the full data.

**Author(s)**

Gustavo Paterno

**See Also**

[ggplot](#), [phylosig](#)

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`sensi_plot.influ.physig`*Graphical diagnostics for class 'influ.physig'*

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**Description**`sensi_plot.influ_physig` Plot results from `influ_physig`**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'influ.physig'  
sensi_plot(x, graphs = "all", ...)
```

**Arguments**

x                    output from influ\_physig  
graphs              choose which graph should be printed on the output ("all", 1, 2)  
...                  further arguments to methods.

**Details**

For 'x' from influ\_physig:

**Graph 1:** Distribution of estimated phylogenetic signal (K or lambda) for each simulation (leave-one-out deletion). Dashed red vertical line represents the original estimate of phylogenetic signal with the full data (with all species).

**Graph 2:** Distribution of P values for the phylogenetic signal (K or lambda) for each simulation (leave-one-out deletion). Red vertical line represents the alpha significance level = 0.05.

**Author(s)**

Gustavo Paterno

**See Also**

[ggplot](#), [phylosig](#)

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sensi\_plot.intra.physig

*Graphical diagnostics for class 'intra.physig'*

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**Description**

sensi\_plot\_intra.physig Plot results from intra\_physig.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'intra.physig'  
sensi_plot(x, graphs = "all", ...)
```

**Arguments**

x                    output from intra\_physig  
graphs              choose which graph should be printed in the output ("all", 1 or 2)  
...                  further arguments to methods

**Details**

For 'x' from `intra_physig`

Graphs 1: Distribution of estimated phylogenetic signal (lambda or K) for each simulation Red vertical line represents the average signal among all estimates.

Graph 2: Distribution of p-values for the phylogenetic signal (K or lambda) for each simulation. Red vertical line represents the alpha significance level = 0.05.

**Author(s)**

Caterina Penone and Gustavo Paterno

**See Also**

[ggplot](#), [intra\\_phylm](#) [intra\\_phylm](#)

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`sensi_plot.samp.physig`

*Graphical diagnostics for class 'samp.physig'*

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**Description**

`plot_samp_phylm` Plot results from `samp_physig`

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'samp.physig'
sensi_plot(x, graphs = "all", ...)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	output from <code>samp_physig</code>
<code>graphs</code>	choose which graph should be printed on the output ("all", 1,2 and 3 )
<code>...</code>	further arguments to methods

**Details**

For 'x' from `samp_physig`:

**Graph 1:** Estimated phylogenetic signal for each simulation across percentages of species removed. Colours represent percentage of change in comparison with the full data estimate (blue = lower than 5, orange = between 5 and 10 and red = higher than 10). The red horizontal line represents the original phylogenetic signal estimated from the full model (with all species).

**Graph 2:** The proportion of estimated signal in each category across the percentage of species removed.

**Graph 3:** The percentage of significant signal estimates across the percentage of species removed.

**Author(s)**

Gustavo Paterno

**See Also**[ggplot](#), [samp\\_phylm](#) [samp\\_physig](#)


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sensi\_plot.sensiClade *Graphical diagnostics for class 'sensiClade'*


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**Description**Plot results from `clade_phylm` and `clade_phyglm`**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'sensiClade'
sensi_plot(x, clade = NULL, ...)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	output from <code>clade_phylm</code> or <code>clade_phyglm</code>
<code>clade</code>	The name of the clade to be evaluated (see details)
<code>...</code>	further arguments to methods.

**Details**For 'x' from `clade_phylm` or `clade_phyglm`:

**Graph 1:** The original scatterplot  $y = a + bx$  (with the full dataset) and a comparison between the regression lines of the full dataset and the rerun without the selected clade (set by `clade`). For further details about this method, see [clade\\_phylm](#).

Species from the selected clade are represented in red (removed species), black solid line represents the regression with the full model and red dashed line represents the regression of the model without the species from the selected clade. To check the available clades to plot, see `x$sensi.estimates$clade` in the object returned from `clade_phylm` or `clade_phyglm`.

**Graph 2:** Distribution of the simulated slopes (Null distribution for a given clade sample size). The red dashed line represents the estimated slope for the reduced model (without the focal clade) and the black line represents the slope for the full model.

**Author(s)**

Gustavo Paterno

**See Also**[clade\\_phylm](#)

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```
sensi_plot.sensiClade.TraitEvol
```

*Graphical diagnostics for class 'sensiClade.TraitEvol'*

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## Description

Plot results from `clade_discrete` and `clade_continuous`

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'sensiClade.TraitEvol'  
sensi_plot(x, clade = NULL, graph = "all", ...)
```

## Arguments

<code>x</code>	output from <code>clade_discrete</code> or <code>clade_continuous</code>
<code>clade</code>	The name of the clade to be evaluated (see details)
<code>graph</code>	The graph to be printed. Default <code>all</code> , or for <code>clade_continuous</code> set <code>sigsq</code> or <code>optpar</code> and for <code>clade_discrete</code> set <code>q12</code> or <code>q21</code> .
<code>...</code>	further arguments to methods.

## Details

For 'x' from `clade_discrete` or `clade_continuous`:

**Graph 1:** Distribution of the simulated parameter estimates (Null distribution for a given clade sample size). The red dashed line represents the estimated signal for the reduced data (without the focal clade) and the black line represents the signal estimate for the full data.

## Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno & Gijsbert Werner

## See Also

[clade\\_continuous](#) or [clade\\_discrete](#)

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sensi\_plot.sensiInflu *Graphical diagnostics for class 'sensiInflu'*

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## Description

plot\_influ\_phylm Plot results from influ\_phylm and influ\_phyglm

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'sensiInflu'  
sensi_plot(x, graphs = "all", param = "estimate", ...)
```

## Arguments

x	output from influ_phylm
graphs	choose which graph should be printed on the output ("all", 1,2,3 or 4)
param	choose which parameter ("intercept" or "estimate" should be printed)
...	further arguments to methods

## Details

For 'x' from influ\_phylm or influ\_phyglm:

**Graph 1:** Distribution of estimated slopes (estimates) or intercepts for each simulation (leave-one-out deletion). Red vertical line represents the original slope or intercept from the full model (with all species).

**Graph 2:** Original regression plot (*trait predictor*). Standardized difference in slope or intercept is represented by a continuous size scale. The names of the most influential species (sDF > cutoff) are plotted in the graph.

**Graph 3:** Distribution of standardized difference in slope or intercept. Red colour indicates influential species (with a standardised difference above the value of cutoff).

**Graph 4:** Distribution of the percentage of change in slope or intercept.

## Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno

## See Also

[ggplot](#)

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sensi\_plot.sensiInflu.TraitEvol

*Graphical diagnostics for class 'sensiInflu.TraitEvol'*


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## Description

sensi\_plot.sensiTree.TraitEvol Plot results from influ\_discrete and influ\_continuous.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'sensiInflu.TraitEvol'
sensi_plot(x, graphs = "all", ...)
```

## Arguments

x	output from influ_discrete or influ_continuous
graphs	choose which graph should be printed in the output ("all", "q12", "q21", "aic" or "optpar")
...	further arguments to methods

## Author(s)

Gijsbert Werner

## See Also

[ggplot](#), [influ\\_discrete](#) [influ\\_continuous](#)

The following graphs are printed.

**Graph aicc:** Distribution of estimated AICc-values across all single-species deletions. Red vertical line represents the mean signal among all estimates. Blue vertical line represents the median signal among all estimates.

**Graph optpar:** Distribution of estimated values for optimisation parameter specified using 'transform' (if applicable) Red vertical line represents the mean signal among all estimates. Blue vertical line represents the median signal among all estimates.

Additionally, only for tree\_discrete the function creates the following graphs.

**Graph q12:** Distribution of estimated parameter values for transition rates q12 across all single-species deletions. Red vertical line represents the mean signal among all estimates. Blue vertical line represents the median signal among all estimates.

**Graph q21:** Distribution of estimated parameter values for transition rates q21. Red vertical line represents the mean signal among all estimates. Blue vertical line represents the median signal among all estimates.

While only for tree\_continuous the function creates the following graphs.

**Graph sigsq:** Distribution of estimated parameter values for rate of evolution sigsq across all single-species deletions. Red vertical line represents the mean signal among all estimates. Blue vertical line represents the median signal among all estimates.

**Graph z0:** Distribution of estimated parameter values for z0. Red vertical line represents the mean signal among all estimates. Blue vertical line represents the median signal among all estimates.

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sensi\_plot.sensiIntra *Graphical diagnostics for class 'sensiIntra'*

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## Description

plot\_tree.intra\_phylm Plot results from tree\_phylm, intra\_phylm and intra\_phyglm

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'sensiIntra'  
sensi_plot(x, graphs = "all", ...)
```

## Arguments

x	output from tree_phylm, tree_phyglm, intra_phylm or intra_phyglm
graphs	choose which graph should be printed in the output ("all", 1, 2 or 3)
...	further arguments to methods

## Details

For 'x' from tree\_phylm, tree\_phyglm, intra\_phylm or intra\_phyglm:

**Graphs 1 and 2:** Distribution of estimated slopes (estimates) and intercepts for each tree (for tree\_phylm) or value generated within a given interval (intra\_phylm) Red vertical line represents the mean estimate or intercept for all models.

**Graph 3:** Scatterplot with mean regression (black line) and standard deviation of the regression (red dotted lines).

## Author(s)

Caterina Penone and Gustavo Paterno

## See Also

[ggplot](#), [tree\\_phylm](#) [intra\\_phylm](#)

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`sensi_plot.sensiIntra_Clade`*Graphical diagnostics for class 'sensiIntra\_Clade'*

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## Description

Plot results from `intra_clade_phylm` and `intra_clade_phyglm`

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'sensiIntra_Clade'  
sensi_plot(x, clade = NULL, graphs = "all", ...)
```

## Arguments

<code>x</code>	output from <code>intra_clade_phylm</code> or <code>intra_clade_phyglm</code>
<code>clade</code>	The name of the clade to be evaluated (see details)
<code>graphs</code>	Choose which graph should be printed on the output ("all", 1 or 2). Defaults to "all".
<code>...</code>	further arguments to methods.

## Details

For 'x' from `intra_clade_phylm` or `intra_clade_phyglm`:

**Graph 1:** Estimated slopes after clade removal (reduced data) across multiple simulations. Small dots represent estimates reruns between simulations while larger dots represents the average estimate between all simulations for each clade. The solid black line represents the average slope estimate among trees using the full dataset.

**Graph 2:** The effect of clade removal on slope estimate across all individual simulations for each clade analyzed. The black line indicates estimates with the full dataset while the red line represent estimates without the focal clade (reduced data) across different simulation The blue dots represent null expectation estimates after removing the same number of species of the focal clade, with dots falling outside the red line area indicating a larger than expected absolute effect.

## Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno, Caterina Penone

## See Also

[intra\\_clade\\_phylm](#)

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```
sensi_plot.sensiIntra_Influ
```

*Graphical diagnostics for class 'sensiIntra\_Influ'*

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### Description

sensi\_plot.intra\_influ Plot results from intra\_influ\_phylm and intra\_influ\_phyglm

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'sensiIntra_Influ'  
sensi_plot(x, graphs = "all", ...)
```

### Arguments

x	output from influ_phylm or intra_influ_phyglm
graphs	choose which graph should be printed on the output ("all", 1,2,3 or 4)
...	further arguments to methods

### Details

For 'x' from intra\_influ\_phylm or intra\_influ\_phyglm:

**Graph 1:** Most common influential species on model estimates. Percentage of iterations (n.tree or n.intra) where the removal of individual species caused significant change in model estimate (sDIFestimate > cutoff).

**Graph 2:** Shift on model estimate after species removal for most influential species. Small red dots represent individual reruns between different trees or simulations while large red dots represent the average DIFestimate among all iterations.

### Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno, Caterina Penone

### See Also

[intra\\_influ\\_phylm](#); [intra\\_influ\\_phyglm](#)

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```
sensi_plot.sensiIntra_Samp
```

*Graphical diagnostics for class 'sensiIntra\_Samp' and 'sensiTree\_samp'*

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## Description

sensi\_plot.sensiIntra\_Samp Plot results from sensiIntra\_Samp\_phylm and sensiIntra\_Samp\_phyglm

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'sensiIntra_Samp'  
sensi_plot(x, graphs = "all", ...)
```

## Arguments

x	output from sensiIntra_Samp_phylm or sensiIntra_Samp_phyglm
graphs	choose which graph should be printed on the output ("all", 1,2,3 or 4)
...	further arguments to methods

## Details

For 'x' from sensiIntra\_Samp\_phylm or sensiIntra\_Samp\_phyglm:

**Graph 1:** : Estimated estimates for each simulation across percentages of species removed. Small red dots represent individual estimates for each iteration (tree or intra) across percentages of removed species. Large dots represent the average among these estimates within each iteration and percentage of species removal. Different estimates within the same percentage interval represent different iterations (tree or intra).

**Graph 2:** : The percentage of significant estimates ( $p < 0.05$ ) across the percentage of species removed. Small red dots represent individual iterations (tree or intra) while large dots represent the average among these iterations.

## Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno

## See Also

[ggplot](#), [samp\\_phylm](#) [samp\\_phyglm](#)

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sensi\_plot.sensiSamp *Graphical diagnostics for class 'sensiSamp'*

---

### Description

plot\_samp\_phyilm Plot results from samp\_phyilm and influ\_phyloglm

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'sensiSamp'
sensi_plot(x, graphs = "all", param = "estimate", ...)
```

### Arguments

x	output from samp_phyilm
graphs	choose which graph should be printed on the output ("all", 1,2,3 or 4)
param	choose which model parameter should be plotted ("intercept" or "estimate")
...	further arguments to methods

### Details

For 'x' from samp\_phyilm or samp\_phyglm:

**Graph 1:** Estimated slopes or intercepts for each simulation across percentages of species removed. Colours represent percentage of change in comparison with the full model (blue = lower than 5, orange = between 5 and 10 and red = higher than 10). The red horizontal line represents the original slope or intercept from the full model (with all species).

**Graph 2:** The proportion of estimated slopes and intercepts in each category across the percentage of species removed.

**Graph 3:** Estimated phylogenetic model parameter for each simulation across the percentage of species removed.

**Graph 4:** The percentage of significant slopes or intercepts across the percentage of species removed.

### Note

If model = "BM", only plots 1, 2 and 4 are printed. Plot 3, phylogenetic model parameter is not available for model = "BM"

### Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno

### See Also

[ggplot](#), [samp\\_phyilm](#) [samp\\_phyglm](#)

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`sensi_plot.sensiSamp.TraitEvol`*Graphical diagnostics for class 'sensiSamp.TraitEvol'*

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## Description

`sensi_plot.sensiSamp.TraitEvol` Plot results from `samp_continuous` and `samp_discrete`

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'sensiSamp.TraitEvol'  
sensi_plot(x, graphs = "all", ...)
```

## Arguments

<code>x</code>	output from <code>samp_continuous</code> or <code>samp_discrete</code>
<code>graphs</code>	choose which graph should be printed on the output ("all", 1,2,3 or 4)
<code>...</code>	further arguments to methods

## Details

For 'x' from `samp_continuous` or `samp_discrete`:

**Graph 1:** Estimated q12 (discrete) or sigsq (discrete) for each simulation across percentages of species removed. Colours represent percentage of change in comparison with the full model (blue = lower than 5, orange = between 5 and 10 and red = higher than 10). The red horizontal line represents the original value from the full model (with all species).

**Graph 2:** The proportion of estimated q12 (discrete) or sigsq (discrete) in each category across the percentage of species removed.

**Graph 3:** Estimated q21 for each simulation across the percentage of species removed (only for `samp_discrete`).

**Graph 4:** The percentage of significant q21 across the percentage of species removed (only for `samp_discrete`).

## Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno & Gijsbert Werner

## See Also

[ggplot](#), [samp\\_continuous](#) [samp\\_discrete](#)

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sensi\_plot.sensiTree *Graphical diagnostics for class 'sensiTree'*

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### Description

plot\_tree.intra\_phylm Plot results from tree\_phylm, intra\_phylm and intra\_phyglm

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'sensiTree'  
sensi_plot(x, graphs = "all", ...)
```

### Arguments

x	output from tree_phylm, tree_phyglm, intra_phylm or intra_phyglm
graphs	choose which graph should be printed in the output ("all", 1, 2 or 3)
...	further arguments to methods

### Details

For 'x' from tree\_phylm, tree\_phyglm, intra\_phylm or intra\_phyglm:

**Graphs 1 and 2:** Distribution of estimated estimates and intercepts for each tree (for tree\_phylm) or value generated within a given interval (intra\_phylm) Red vertical line represents the mean estimate or intercept for all models.

**Graph 3:** Scatterplot with mean regression (black line) and standard deviation of the regression (blue dotted lines).

### Author(s)

Caterina Penone and Gustavo Paterno

### See Also

[ggplot](#), [tree\\_phylm](#) [intra\\_phylm](#)

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```
sensi_plot.sensiTree.TraitEvol
```

*Graphical diagnostics for class 'sensiTree.TraitEvol'*

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## Description

sensi\_plot.sensiTree.TraitEvol Plot results from tree\_discrete and tree\_continuous.

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'sensiTree.TraitEvol'
sensi_plot(x, graphs = "all", ...)
```

## Arguments

x	output from tree_fitDiscrete or tree_fitContinuous
graphs	choose which graph should be printed in the output ("all", "q12", "q21", "aic" or "optpar")
...	further arguments to methods

## Author(s)

Gijsbert Werner

## See Also

[ggplot](#), [tree\\_discrete](#) [tree\\_continuous](#)

The following graphs are printed.

**Graph aicc:** Distribution of estimated AICc-values across each tree. Red vertical line represents the mean value among all estimates. Blue vertical line represents the median value among all estimates.

**Graph optpar:** Distribution of estimated values for optimisation parameter specified using 'transform' (if applicable) Red vertical line represents the mean value among all estimates. Blue vertical line represents the median value among all estimates.

Additionally, only for tree\_discrete the function creates the following graphs.

**Graph q12:** Distribution of estimated parameter values for transition rates q12 for each tree. Red vertical line represents the mean value among all estimates. Blue vertical line represents the median value among all estimates.

**Graph q21:** Distribution of estimated parameter values for transition rates q21 for each tree. Red vertical line represents the mean value among all estimates. Blue vertical line represents the median value among all estimates.

While only for tree\_continuous the function creates the following graphs.

**Graph sigsq:** Distribution of estimated parameter values for rate of evolution sigsq for each tree. Red vertical line represents the mean value among all estimates. Blue vertical line represents the median value among all estimates.

**Graph z0:** Distribution of estimated parameter values for z0 for each tree. Red vertical line represents the mean value among all estimates. Blue vertical line represents the median value among all estimates.

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```
sensi_plot.sensiTree_Clade
```

*Graphical diagnostics for class 'sensiTree\_Clade'*

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### Description

Plot results from `tree_clade_phylm` and `tree_clade_phyglm`

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'sensiTree_Clade'
sensi_plot(x, clade = NULL, graphs = "all", ...)
```

### Arguments

<code>x</code>	output from <code>tree_clade_phylm</code> or <code>tree_clade_phyglm</code>
<code>clade</code>	The name of the clade to be evaluated (see details)
<code>graphs</code>	Choose which graph should be printed on the output ("all", 1 or 2). Defaults to "all".
<code>...</code>	further arguments to methods.

### Details

For 'x' from `tree_clade_phylm` or `tree_clade_phyglm`:

**Graph 1:** Estimated slopes after clade removal (reduced data) across multiple trees. Small dots represent estimates reruns between phylogenetic trees while larger dots represents the average estimate between all trees for each clade. The solid black line represents the average slope estimate among trees using the full dataset.

**Graph 2:** The effect of clade removal on slope estimate across all individual phylogenetic trees for each clade analyzed. The black line indicates estimates with the full dataset while the red line represent estimates without the focal clade (reduced data) across different trees. The blue dots represent null expectation estimates after removing the same number of species of the focal clade, with dots falling outside the red line area indicating a larger than expected absolute effect.

### Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno, Caterina Penone

### See Also

[tree\\_clade\\_phylm](#)

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`sensi_plot.sensiTree_Influ`*Graphical diagnostics for class 'sensiTree\_Influ'*

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## Description

`sensi_plot.sensiTree_Influ` Plot results from `tree_influ_phylm` and `tree_influ_phyglm`

## Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'sensiTree_Influ'  
sensi_plot(x, graphs = "all", ...)
```

## Arguments

<code>x</code>	output from <code>tree_influ_phylm</code> or <code>tree_influ_phyglm</code>
<code>graphs</code>	choose which graph should be printed on the output ("all", 1,2,3 or 4)
<code>...</code>	further arguments to methods

## Details

For 'x' from `sensiTree_Influ_phylm` or `sensiTree_Influ_phyglm`:

**Graph 1:** Most common influential species on model estimates. Percentage of iterations (`n.tree` or `n.intra`) where the removal of individual species caused significant change in model estimate (`sDIFestimate > cutoff`).

**Graph 2:** Shift on model estimate after species removal for most influential species. Small red dots represent individual reruns between different trees or simulations while large red dots represent the average `DIFestimate` among all iterations.

## Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno, Caterina Penone

## See Also

[ggplot](#)

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`sensi_plot.sensiTree_Intra`*Graphical diagnostics for class 'sensiIntra\_Tree'*

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### Description

`plot_tree.intra.phylm` Plot results from `tree_intra.phylm`, `tree_intra.phylm` and `tree_intra.phyglm`

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'sensiTree_Intra'  
sensi_plot(x, graphs = "all", uncer.type = "all", ...)
```

### Arguments

<code>x</code>	output from <code>tree_intra.phylm</code> , <code>tree_intra.phyglm</code>
<code>graphs</code>	choose which graph should be printed in the output ("all", 1, 2 or 3)
<code>uncer.type</code>	choose which uncertainty type should be printed ("all", "intra", "tree")
<code>...</code>	further arguments to methods

### Details

For 'x' from `tree_intra.phylm` or `tree_intra.phyglm`:

**Graphs 1 and 2:** Distribution of estimated estimates and intercepts for each tree (for `tree.phylm`) or value generated within a given interval (`interaction_intra_tree.phylm`) Red vertical line represents the mean estimate or intercept for all models.

**Graph 3:** Scatterplot with mean regression (black line) and standard deviation of the regression (blue dotted lines).

### Author(s)

Caterina Penone and Gustavo Paterno

### See Also

[ggplot](#), [tree.phylm](#) [intra.phylm](#)

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`sensi_plot.sensiTree_Samp`*Graphical diagnostics for class 'sensiTree\_samp'*

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**Description**

`sensi_plot.sensiTree_Samp` Plot results from `sensiTree_Samp_phyilm` and `sensiTree_Samp_phyglm`

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'sensiTree_Samp'  
sensi_plot(x, graphs = "all", ...)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	output from <code>sensiTree_Samp_phyilm</code> or <code>sensiTree_Samp_phyglm</code>
<code>graphs</code>	choose which graph should be printed on the output ("all", 1,2,3 or 4)
<code>...</code>	further arguments to methods

**Details**

For 'x' from `sensiTree_Samp_phyilm` or `sensiTree_Samp_phyglm`:

**Graph 1:** : Estimated estimates for each simulation across percentages of species removed. Small red dots represent individual estimates for each iteration (tree or intra) across percentages of removed species. Large dots represent the average among these estimates within each iteration and percentage of species removal. Different estimates within the same percentage interval represent different iterations (tree or intra).

**Graph 2:** : The percentage of significant estimates ( $p < 0.05$ ) across the percentage of species removed. Small red dots represent individual iterations (tree or intra) while large dots represent the average among these iterations.

**Note**

If `model = "BM"`, only plots 1, 2 and 4 are printed. Plot 3, phylogenetic model parameter is not available for `model = "BM"`

**Author(s)**

Gustavo Paterno

**See Also**

[ggplot](#), [samp\\_phyilm](#) [samp\\_phyglm](#)

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sensi\_plot.tree.bd      *Graphical diagnostics for class 'tree.physig'*

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### Description

sensi\_plot\_tree.bd Plot results from tree\_bd.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'tree.bd'  
sensi_plot(x, graphs = "all", ...)
```

### Arguments

x	output from tree_bd
graphs	choose which graph should be printed in the output ("all", 1 or 2)
...	further arguments to methods

### Details

For 'x' from tree\_bd

**Graphs 1:** Distribution of estimated diversification or speciation rate for each tree. Red vertical line represents the average signal among all estimates.

**Graphs 2:** Estimates across each phylogenetic tree.

### Author(s)

Caterina Penone and Gustavo Paterno

### See Also

[ggplot](#), [tree\\_phylm](#) [intra\\_phylm](#)

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sensi\_plot.tree.physig  
*Graphical diagnostics for class 'tree.physig'*

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### Description

sensi\_plot\_tree.physig Plot results from tree\_physig.

### Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'tree.physig'  
sensi_plot(x, graphs = "all", ...)
```

**Arguments**

x	output from tree_physig
graphs	choose which graph should be printed in the output ("all", 1 or 2)
...	further arguments to methods

**Details**

For 'x' from tree\_physig

**Graphs 1:** Distribution of estimated phylogenetic signal (lambda or K) for each tree. Red vertical line represents the average signal among all estimates.

**Graph 2:** Distribution of p-values for the phylogenetic signal (K or lambda) for each tree. Red vertical line represents the alpha significance level = 0.05.

**Author(s)**

Caterina Penone and Gustavo Paterno

**See Also**

[ggplot](#), [tree\\_phylm](#) [intra\\_phylm](#)

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tree\_bd

*Phylogenetic uncertainty - net diversification rate*

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**Description**

Performs estimates of diversification rate evaluating uncertainty in trees topology.

**Usage**

```
tree_bd(phy, n.tree = "all", method = "ms", track = F, ...)
```

**Arguments**

phy	A phylogeny (class 'multiPhylo', see ?ape).
n.tree	Number of times to repeat the analysis with n different trees picked randomly in the multiPhylo file. (If n.tree = "all", diversification will be estimated among the set of trees provided in phy)
method	the method for estimating diversification rate ("ms" or "km") (see Details).
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to phylosig

## Details

This function estimates net diversification rate using `bd.ms` (Magallon and Sanderson (2000) method) or speciation rate using `bd.km` (Kendall-Moran method) for `n` trees, randomly picked from a multi-Phylo file.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

## Value

The function `tree_bd` returns a list with the following components:

`tree.bd.estimates`: Three number, diversification/speciation rate estimate ("Magallon and Sanderson" or "Kendall-Moran") for each run with a different phylogenetic tree.

`stats`: Main statistics for estimates across trees. `CI_low` and `CI_high` are the lower and upper limits of the 95

## Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno

## References

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467

Magallon S and MJ Sanderson. 2000. Absolute diversification rates in angiosperm clades. *Evolution* 55:1762-1780.

## See Also

[bd.ms](#), [tree\\_phylm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

## Examples

```
data("primates")
# To estimate diversification rate with Magallon and Sanderson method:
fit <- tree_bd(phy = primates.phy, n.tree = 30, method = "ms")
summary(fit)
sensi_plot(fit)
# To estimate speciation rate Kendall-Moran method
fit <- tree_bd(phy = primates.phy, n.tree = 30, method = "km")
summary(fit)
sensi_plot(fit)
```

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tree_clade_phyglm	<i>Interaction between phylogenetic uncertainty and influential clade detection - Phylogenetic Logistic Regression</i>
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## Description

Estimate the impact on model estimates of phylogenetic logistic regression after removing clades from the analysis and evaluating uncertainty in trees topology.

## Usage

```
tree_clade_phyglm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  clade.col,
  n.species = 5,
  n.sim = 100,
  n.tree = 2,
  btol = 50,
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'multiPhylo', see ?ape).
clade.col	The column in the provided data frame which specifies the clades (a character vector with clade names).
n.species	Minimum number of species in a clade for the clade to be included in the leave-one-out deletion analysis. Default is 5.
n.sim	Number of simulations for the randomization test.
n.tree	Number of times to repeat the analysis with n different trees picked randomly in the multiPhylo file. If NULL, n.tree = 2
btol	Bound on searching space. For details see phyloglm
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to phyloglm

## Details

Currently only logistic regression using the "logistic\_MPLE"-method from phyloglm is implemented.

This function sequentially removes one clade at a time, fits a phylogenetic logistic regression model using `phyloglm` and stores the results. The impact of a specific clade on model estimates is calculated by the comparison between the full model (with all species) and the model without the species belonging to a clade. It repeats this operation using `n` trees, randomly picked in a multiPhylo file.

Additionally, to account for the influence of the number of species on each clade (clade sample size), this function also estimates a null distribution of slopes expected for the number of species in a given clade. This is done by fitting models without the same number of species in the given clade. The number of simulations to be performed is set by `'n.sim'`. To test if the clade influence differs from the null expectation for a clade of that size, a randomization test can be performed using `'summary(x)'`.

`clade_phyglm` detects influential clades based on difference in intercept and/or slope when removing a given clade compared to the full model including all species. This is done for `n` trees in the multiPhylo file.

Currently, this function can only implements simple logistic models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

## Value

The function `clade_phyglm` returns a list with the following components:

`formula`: The formula

`full.model.estimates`: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. `lambda`) for the full model without deleted species.

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a deleted clade for a tree iteration. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (`intercept`), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (`DIFintercept`), the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (`intercept.perc`) and intercept p-value (`pval.intercept`). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (`DIFestimate` etc.). Additionally, model aic value (AIC) and the optimised value (`optpar`) of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. `kappa` or `lambda`, depending on the phylogenetic model used) are reported.

`null.dist`: A data frame with estimates for the null distributions for all clades analysed.

`data`: Original full dataset.

`errors`: Clades and/or trees where deletion resulted in errors.

## Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno, Caterina Penone & Gijsbert D.A. Werner

## References

- Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467
- Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

## See Also

[phyloglm](#), [tree\\_phyglm](#), [clade\\_phyglm](#), [tree\\_clade\\_phylm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# Simulate Data:
set.seed(6987)
mphy = rmtree(150, N = 30)
x = rTrait(n=1,phy=mphy[[1]])
X = cbind(rep(1,150),x)
y = rbinTrait(n=1,phy=mphy[[1]], beta=c(-1,0.5), alpha=.7 ,X=X)
cla <- rep(c("A","B","C","D","E"), each = 30)
dat = data.frame(y, x, cla)
# Run sensitivity analysis:
tree_clade <- tree_clade_phyglm(y ~ x, phy = mphy, data = dat,
n.tree = 10, n.sim = 10, clade.col = "cla")
# To check summary results and most influential clades:
summary(tree_clade)
# Visual diagnostics for clade removal:
sensi_plot(tree_clade)
# Specify which clade removal to plot:
sensi_plot(tree_clade, "B")
sensi_plot(tree_clade, "C", graphs = 2)
sensi_plot(tree_clade, "D", graphs = 2)

## End(Not run)
```

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tree\_clade\_phylm

*Interaction between phylogenetic uncertainty and influential clade detection - Phylogenetic Linear Regression*

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## Description

Estimate the impact on model estimates of phylogenetic linear regression after removing clades from the analysis and evaluating uncertainty in trees topology.

**Usage**

```
tree_clade_phylm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  clade.col,
  n.species = 5,
  n.sim = 100,
  n.tree = 2,
  model = "lambda",
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

**Arguments**

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'multiPhylo', see ?ape).
clade.col	The column in the provided data frame which specifies the clades (a character vector with clade names).
n.species	Minimum number of species in a clade for the clade to be included in the leave-one-out deletion analysis. Default is 5.
n.sim	Number of simulations for the randomization test.
n.tree	Number of times to repeat the analysis with n different trees picked randomly in the multiPhylo file. If NULL, n.tree = 2
model	The phylogenetic model to use (see Details). Default is lambda.
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to phylo1m

**Details**

This function sequentially removes one clade at a time, fits a phylogenetic linear regression model using `phylo1m` and stores the results. The impact of a specific clade on model estimates is calculated by the comparison between the full model (with all species) and the model without the species belonging to a clade. It repeats this operation using n trees, randomly picked in a multiPhylo file.

Additionally, to account for the influence of the number of species on each clade (clade sample size), this function also estimate a null distribution of slopes expected for the number of species in a given clade. This is done by fitting models without the same number of species in the given clade. The number of simulations to be performed is set by 'n.sim'. To test if the clade influence differs from the null expectation for a clade of that size, a randomization test can be performed using 'summary(x)'.

All phylogenetic models from `phylo1m` can be used, i.e. BM, OUfixedRoot, OUrandomRoot, lambda, kappa, delta, EB and trend. See ?`phylo1m` for details.

clade\_phylm detects influential clades based on difference in intercept and/or slope when removing a given clade compared to the full model including all species. This is done for n trees in the multiphylo file.

Currently, this function can only implement simple linear models (i.e.  $y = a + bx$ ). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

### Value

The function `clade_phylm` returns a list with the following components:

`formula`: The formula

`full.model.estimates`: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. lambda) for the full model without deleted species.

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a deleted clade for a tree iteration. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (`intercept`), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (`DIFintercept`), the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (`intercept.perc`) and intercept p-value (`pval.intercept`). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (`DIFestimate` etc.). Additionally, model aic value (AIC) and the optimised value (`optpar`) of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. kappa or lambda, depending on the phylogenetic model used) are reported.

`null.dist`: A data frame with estimates for the null distributions for all clades analysed.

`data`: Original full dataset.

`errors`: Clades and/or trees where deletion resulted in errors.

### Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno, Caterina Penone & Gijsbert D.A. Werner

### References

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467

Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

### See Also

[phyloIm](#), [tree\\_phylm](#), [clade\\_phylm](#), [tree\\_clade\\_phyglm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

### Examples

```
## Not run:
# Load data:
data(primates)
# run analysis:
clade_tree <- tree_clade_phylm(log(sexMaturity) ~ log(adultMass),
phy = primates$phy, data = primates$data, clade.col = "family", n.sim = 50, n.tree = 5)
```

```

# To check summary results and most influential clades:
summary(clade_tree)
# Visual diagnostics for clade removal:
sensi_plot(clade_tree)
# Specify which clade removal to plot:
sensi_plot(clade_tree)
sensi_plot(clade_tree, "Cercopithecidae")
sensi_plot(clade_tree, clade = "Cebidae", graphs = 2)

## End(Not run)

```

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tree\_continuous

*Phylogenetic uncertainty - Trait Evolution Continuous Characters*


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## Description

Fits models for trait evolution of continuous characters, evaluating phylogenetic uncertainty.

## Usage

```

tree_continuous(
  data,
  phy,
  n.tree = 10,
  model,
  bounds = list(),
  n.cores = NULL,
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)

```

## Arguments

data	Data vector for a single continuous trait, with names matching tips in phy.
phy	Phylogenies (class 'multiPhylo', see ?ape).
n.tree	Number of times to repeat the analysis with n different trees picked randomly in the multiPhylo file. If NULL, n.tree = 10
model	The evolutionary model (see Details).
bounds	settings to constrain parameter estimates. See <a href="#">fitContinuous</a>
n.cores	number of cores to use. If 'NULL', number of cores is detected.
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to <a href="#">fitContinuous</a>

## Details

This function fits different models of continuous character evolution using `fitContinuous` to `n` trees, randomly picked in a `multiPhylo` file.

Different evolutionary models from `fitContinuous` can be used, i.e. BM,OU, EB, trend, lambda, kappa, delta and drift.

See `fitContinuous` for more details on character models and tree transformations.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

## Value

The function `tree_continuous` returns a list with the following components:

`call`: The function call

`data`: The original full data vector

`sensi.estimates`: (rate of evolution `sigsq`, root state `z0` and where applicable `optpar`), AICc and the optimised value of the phylogenetic transformation parameter (e.g. `lambda`) for each analysis with a different phylogenetic tree.

`N.tree`: Number of trees `n.tree` analysed

`stats`: Main statistics for model parameters, i.e. minimum, maximum, mean, median and sd-values

`optpar`: Evolutionary model used (e.g. `lambda`, `kappa` etc.)

## Author(s)

Gijsbert Werner & Caterina Penone

## References

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467

Yang Z. 2006. *Computational Molecular Evolution*. Oxford University Press: Oxford.

Harmon Luke J, Jason T Weir, Chad D Brock, Richard E Glor, and Wendell Challenger. 2008. GEIGER: investigating evolutionary radiations. *Bioinformatics* 24:129-131.

## See Also

[fitContinuous](#)

## Examples

```
## Not run:
#Load data:
data("primates")
#Model trait evolution accounting for phylogenetic uncertainty
adultMass<-primates$data$adultMass
names(adultMass)<-rownames(primates$data)
tree_cont<-tree_continuous(data = adultMass,phy = primates$phy,
model = "OU",n.tree=30,n.cores = 2,track = TRUE)
```

```

#Print summary statistics
summary(tree_cont)
sensi_plot(tree_cont)
sensi_plot(tree_cont,graphs="sigsq")
sensi_plot(tree_cont,graphs="optpar")
#Use a different evolutionary model
tree_cont2<-tree_continuous(data = adultMass,phy = primates$phy,
model = "delta",n.tree=30,n.cores = 2,track = TRUE)
summary(tree_cont2)
sensi_plot(tree_cont2)

## End(Not run)

```

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tree\_discrete

*Phylogenetic uncertainty - Trait Evolution Discrete Characters*


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## Description

Fits models for trait evolution of discrete (binary) characters, evaluating phylogenetic uncertainty.

## Usage

```

tree_discrete(
  data,
  phy,
  n.tree = 10,
  model,
  transform = "none",
  bounds = list(),
  n.cores = NULL,
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)

```

## Arguments

data	Data vector for a single binary trait, with names matching tips in phy.
phy	Phylogenies (class 'multiPhylo', see ?ape).
n.tree	Number of times to repeat the analysis with n different trees picked randomly in the multiPhylo file. If NULL, n.tree = 10
model	The Mkn model to use (see Details).
transform	The evolutionary model to transform the tree (see Details). Default is none.
bounds	settings to constrain parameter estimates. See <a href="#">fitDiscrete</a>
n.cores	number of cores to use. If 'NULL', number of cores is detected.
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to <a href="#">fitDiscrete</a>

## Details

This function fits different models of discrete character evolution using `fitDiscrete` to `n` trees, randomly picked in a multiPhylo file. Currently, only binary discrete traits are supported

Different character model from `fitDiscrete` can be used, including ER (equal-rates), SYM (symmetric), ARD (all-rates-different) and meristic (stepwise fashion).

All transformations to the phylogenetic tree from `fitDiscrete` can be used, i.e. none, EB, lambda, kappa and delta.

See `fitDiscrete` for more details on character models and tree transformations.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

## Value

The function `tree_discrete` returns a list with the following components:

`call`: The function call

`data`: The original full data vector

`sensi.estimates`: Parameter estimates (transition rates `q12` and `q21`), AICc and the optimised value of the phylogenetic transformation parameter (e.g. `lambda`) for each analysis with a different phylogenetic tree.

`N.tree`: Number of trees `n.tree` analysed

`stats`: Main statistics for model parameters, i.e. minimum, maximum, mean, median and sd-values

`optpar`: Transformation parameter used (e.g. `lambda`, `kappa` etc.)

## Author(s)

Gijsbert Werner & Caterina Penone

## References

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467

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Harmon Luke J, Jason T Weir, Chad D Brock, Richard E Glor, and Wendell Challenger. 2008. GEIGER: investigating evolutionary radiations. *Bioinformatics* 24:129-131.

## See Also

[fitDiscrete](#)

## Examples

```
## Not run:
#Load data:
data("primates")
#Create a binary trait factor
adultMass_binary<-ifelse(primates$data$adultMass > 7350, "big", "small")
adultMass_binary<-as.factor(as.factor(adultMass_binary))
```

```

names(adultMass_binary)<-rownames(primates$data)
#Model trait evolution accounting for phylogenetic uncertainty
tree_binary<-tree_discrete(data = adultMass_binary,phy = primates$phy,
model = "ARD",transform = "none",n.tree = 30,n.cores = 2,track = TRUE)
#Print summary statistics
summary(tree_binary)
sensi_plot(tree_binary)
sensi_plot(tree_binary,graphs="q12")
sensi_plot(tree_binary,graphs="q21")
#Use a different evolutionary model or transformation.
tree_binary_lambda<-tree_discrete(data = adultMass_binary,phy = primates$phy,
model = "SYM",transform = "lambda",n.tree = 30,n.cores = 2,track = TRUE)
summary(tree_binary_lambda) #Using Pagel's Lambda
sensi_plot(tree_binary_lambda)
#Symmetrical rates, with an Early Burst (EB) model of trait evolution
tree_binary_SYM_EB<-tree_discrete(data = adultMass_binary,phy = primates$phy,
model = "SYM",transform = "EB",n.tree = 30,n.cores = 2,track = TRUE)
summary(tree_binary_SYM_EB)
sensi_plot(tree_binary_SYM_EB)
sensi_plot(tree_binary_SYM_EB,graphs="optpar")

## End(Not run)

```

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tree_influ_phyglm	<i>Interaction between phylogenetic uncertainty and influential species detection - Phylogenetic Logistic Regression</i>
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## Description

Performs leave-one-out deletion analysis for phylogenetic logistic regression, and detects influential species while evaluating uncertainty in trees topology.

## Usage

```

tree_influ_phyglm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  n.tree = 2,
  cutoff = 2,
  btol = 50,
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)

```

## Arguments

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.

phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
n.tree	Number of times to repeat the analysis with n different trees picked randomly in the multiPhylo file.
cutoff	The cutoff value used to identify for influential species (see Details)
btol	Bound on searching space. For details see phyloglm
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to phyloglm

### Details

This function sequentially removes one species at a time, fits a phylogenetic logistic regression model using [phyloglm](#), stores the results and detects influential species. It repeats this operation using n trees, randomly picked in a multiPhylo file.

Currently only logistic regression using the "logistic\_MPLE"-method from [phyloglm](#) is implemented.

`influ_phyglm` detects influential species based on the standardised difference in intercept and/or slope when removing a given species compared to the full model including all species. Species with a standardised difference above the value of `cutoff` are identified as influential. The default value for the cutoff is 2 standardised differences change.

Currently, this function can only implement simple logistic models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

### Value

The function `influ_phyglm` returns a list with the following components:

`cutoff`: The value selected for cutoff

`formula`: The formula

`full.model.estimates`: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (i.e. alpha) for the full model without deleted species.

`influential_species`: List of influential species, both based on standardised difference in intercept and in the slope of the regression. Species are ordered from most influential to less influential and only include species with a standardised difference > cutoff.

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a deleted clade for a given random tree. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (`intercept`), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (`DIFintercept`), the standardised difference (`sDIFintercept`), the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (`intercept.perc`) and intercept p-value (`pval.intercept`). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (`DIFestimate` etc.). Additionally, model aic value (AIC) and the optimised value (`optpar`) of the phylogenetic parameter (i.e. alpha) are reported.

`data`: Original full dataset.

`errors`: Species where deletion resulted in errors.

**Author(s)**

Gustavo Paterno, Caterina Penone & Gijsbert D.A. Werner

**References**

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467

Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

**See Also**

[phyloglm](#), [tree\\_phyglm](#), [influ\\_phyglm](#), [tree\\_influ\\_phyglm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Simulate Data:
set.seed(6987)
mphy = rmtree(100, N = 30)
x = rTrait(n=1,phy=mphy[[1]])
X = cbind(rep(1,100),x)
y = rbinTrait(n=1,phy=mphy[[1]], beta=c(-1,0.5), alpha=.7 ,X=X)
dat = data.frame(y, x)
# Run sensitivity analysis:
tree_influ <- tree_influ_phyglm(y ~ x, data = dat, phy = mphy, n.tree = 5)
summary(tree_influ)
sensi_plot(tree_influ)
sensi_plot(tree_influ, graphs = 1)
sensi_plot(tree_influ, graphs = 2)

## End(Not run)
```

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tree\_influ\_phylm

*Interaction between phylogenetic uncertainty and influential species detection - Phylogenetic Linear Regression*

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**Description**

Performs leave-one-out deletion analysis for phylogenetic linear regression, and detects influential species while evaluating uncertainty in trees topology.

**Usage**

```
tree_influ_phylm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
```

```

n.tree = 2,
cutoff = 2,
model = "lambda",
track = TRUE,
...
)

```

### Arguments

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
n.tree	Number of times to repeat the analysis with n different trees picked randomly in the multiPhylo file.
cutoff	The cutoff value used to identify for influential species (see Details)
model	The phylogenetic model to use (see Details). Default is lambda.
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to phylo1m

### Details

This function sequentially removes one species at a time, fits a phylogenetic linear regression model using `phylo1m`, stores the results and detects influential species. It repeats this operation using n trees, randomly picked in a multiPhylo file.

All phylogenetic models from `phylo1m` can be used, i.e. BM, OUfixedRoot, OUrandomRoot, lambda, kappa, delta, EB and trend. See `?phylo1m` for details.

`influ_phylm` detects influential species based on the standardised difference in intercept and/or slope when removing a given species compared to the full model including all species. Species with a standardised difference above the value of `cutoff` are identified as influential. The default value for the cutoff is 2 standardised differences change.

Currently, this function can only implement simple linear models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

### Value

The function `influ_phylm` returns a list with the following components:

`cutoff`: The value selected for cutoff

`formula`: The formula

`full.model.estimates`: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. lambda) for the full model without deleted species.

`influential_species`: List of influential species, both based on standardised difference in intercept and in the slope of the regression. Species are ordered from most influential to less influential and only include species with a standardised difference > cutoff.

sensi.estimates: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a deleted clade for a given random tree. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (`intercept`), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (`DIFintercept`), the standardised difference (`sDIFintercept`), the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (`intercept.perc`) and intercept p-value (`pval.intercept`). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (`DIFestimate` etc.). Additionally, model aic value (AIC) and the optimised value (`optpar`) of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. `kappa` or `lambda`, depending on the phylogenetic model used) are reported.

data: Original full dataset.

errors: Species where deletion resulted in errors.

### Author(s)

Gustavo Paterno, Caterina Penone & Gijsbert D.A. Werner

### References

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467

Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

### See Also

[phyloIm](#), [tree\\_phylm](#), [influ\\_phylm](#), [tree\\_influ\\_phyglm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

### Examples

```
## Not run:
# Load data:
data(alien)
# run analysis:
tree_influ <- tree_influ_phylm(log(gestaLen) ~ log(adultMass), phy = alien$phy,
data = alien$data, n.tree = 5)
# To check summary results:
summary(tree_influ)
# Visual diagnostics
sensi_plot(tree_influ)
sensi_plot(tree_influ, graphs = 1)
sensi_plot(tree_influ, graphs = 2)

data(alien)
tree_influ <- tree_influ_phylm(log(gestaLen) ~ log(adultMass), phy = alien$phy,
data = alien$data[1:25, ], n.tree = 2)
summary(tree_influ)

## End(Not run)
```

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tree_intra_phyglm	<i>Interaction between phylogenetic uncertainty and intraspecific variability - Phylogenetic logistic Regression</i>
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### Description

Performs Phylogenetic logistic regression evaluating intraspecific variability in response and/or predictor variables and uncertainty in trees topology.

### Usage

```
tree_intra_phyglm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  Vx = NULL,
  x.transf = NULL,
  n.intra = 10,
  n.tree = 2,
  distrib = "normal",
  track = TRUE,
  btol = 50,
  ...
)
```

### Arguments

formula	The model formula: response~predictor.
data	Data frame containing species traits and species names as row names.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo', see ?ape).
Vx	Name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the predictor variable. When information is not available for one taxon, the value can be 0 or NA
x.transf	Transformation for the predictor variable (e.g. log or sqrt). Please use this argument instead of transforming data in the formula directly (see also details below).
n.intra	Number of times to repeat the analysis generating a random value for response and/or predictor variables. If NULL, n.intra = 30
n.tree	Number of times to repeat the analysis with n different trees picked randomly in the multiPhylo file. If NULL, n.tree = 2
distrib	A character string indicating which distribution to use to generate a random value for the response and/or predictor variables. Default is normal distribution: "normal" (function <a href="#">rnorm</a> ). Uniform distribution: "uniform" ( <a href="#">runif</a> ) Warning: we recommend to use normal distribution with Vx or Vy = standard deviation of the mean.

track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
btol	Bound on searching space. For details see phyloglm
...	Further arguments to be passed to phyloglm

### Details

This function fits a phylogenetic logistic regression model using `phyloglm` to `n` trees (`n.tree`), randomly picked in a multiPhylo file. The regression is also repeated `n.intra` times. At each iteration the function generates a random value for each row in the dataset using the standard deviation or errors supplied and assuming a normal or uniform distribution. To calculate means and se for your raw data, you can use the `summarySE` function from the package `Rmisc`.

#' All phylogenetic models from `phyloglm` can be used, i.e. BM, OUfixedRoot, OUrandomRoot, lambda, kappa, delta, EB and trend. See `?phyloglm` for details.

Currently, this function can only implement simple logistic models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

### Value

The function `tree_intra_phyglm` returns a list with the following components:

`formula`: The formula

`data`: Original full dataset

`sensi.estimate`s: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. lambda) for each regression using a value in the interval of variation and a different phylogenetic tree.

`N.obs`: Size of the dataset after matching it with tree tips and removing NA's.

`stats`: Main statistics for model parameters. `CI_low` and `CI_high` are the lower and upper limits of the 95

`all.stats`: Complete statistics for model parameters. Fields coded using `all` describe statistics due to both intraspecific variation and phylogenetic uncertainty. Fields coded using `intra` describe statistics due to intraspecific variation only. Fields coded using `tree` describe statistics due to phylogenetic uncertainty only. `sd` is the standard deviation. `CI_low` and `CI_high` are the lower and upper limits of the 95

`sp.pb`: Species that caused problems with data transformation (see details above).

### Warning

When  $V_y$  or  $V_x$  exceed  $Y$  or  $X$ , respectively, negative (or null) values can be generated, this might cause problems for data transformation (e.g. log-transformation). In these cases, the function will skip the simulation. This problem can be solved by increasing `times`, changing the transformation type and/or checking the target species in `output$sp.pb`.

### Author(s)

Caterina Penone & Pablo Ariel Martinez

## References

- Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467
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- Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

## See Also

[phyloglm](#), [tree\\_phyglm](#), [intra\\_phyglm](#), [tree\\_intra\\_phylm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

## Examples

```
# Simulate data
set.seed(6987)
mphy = ape::rmtree(150, N = 30)
x = phylolm::rTrait(n=1,phy=mphy[[1]])
x_sd = rnorm(150,mean = 0.8,sd=0.2)
X = cbind(rep(1,150),x)
y = rbinTrait(n=1,phy=mphy[[1]], beta=c(-1,0.5), alpha=.7 ,X=X)
dat = data.frame(y, x, x_sd)
intra.tree <- tree_intra_phyglm(y ~ x, data = dat, phy = mphy, n.intra = 3,
                              n.tree = 3, Vx = "x_sd")

# summary results:
summary(intra.tree)
# Visual diagnostics for phylogenetic uncertainty:
sensi_plot(intra.tree, uncer.type = "all") #or uncer.type = "tree", uncer.type = "intra"
```

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tree_intra_phylm	<i>Interaction between phylogenetic uncertainty and intraspecific variability - Phylogenetic Linear Regression</i>
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## Description

Performs Phylogenetic linear regression evaluating intraspecific variability in response and/or predictor variables and uncertainty in trees topology.

## Usage

```
tree_intra_phylm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  Vy = NULL,
  Vx = NULL,
```

```

y.transf = NULL,
x.transf = NULL,
n.intra = 10,
n.tree = 2,
distrib = "normal",
model = "lambda",
track = TRUE,
...
)

```

### Arguments

formula	The model formula: response~predictor.
data	Data frame containing species traits and species names as row names.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo', see ?ape).
Vy	Name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the response variable. When information is not available for one taxon, the value can be 0 or NA.
Vx	Name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the predictor variable. When information is not available for one taxon, the value can be 0 or NA.
y.transf	Transformation for the response variable (e.g. log or sqrt). Please use this argument instead of transforming data in the formula directly (see also details below).
x.transf	Transformation for the predictor variable (e.g. log or sqrt). Please use this argument instead of transforming data in the formula directly (see also details below).
n.intra	Number of times to repeat the analysis generating a random value for response and/or predictor variables. If NULL, n.intra = 30
n.tree	Number of times to repeat the analysis with n different trees picked randomly in the multiPhylo file. If NULL, n.tree = 2
distrib	A character string indicating which distribution to use to generate a random value for the response and/or predictor variables. Default is normal distribution: "normal" (function <code>rnorm</code> ). Uniform distribution: "uniform" ( <code>runif</code> ) Warning: we recommend to use normal distribution with Vx or Vy = standard deviation of the mean.
model	The phylogenetic model to use (see Details). Default is lambda.
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to <code>phylolm</code>

### Details

This function fits a phylogenetic linear regression model using `phylolm` to n trees (n.tree), randomly picked in a multiPhylo file. The regression is also repeated n.intra times. At each iteration the function generates a random value for each row in the dataset using the standard deviation or

errors supplied and assuming a normal or uniform distribution. To calculate means and se for your raw data, you can use the `summarySE` function from the package `Rmisc`.

#' All phylogenetic models from `phylolm` can be used, i.e. `BM`, `OUfixedRoot`, `OUrandomRoot`, `lambda`, `kappa`, `delta`, `EB` and `trend`. See `?phylolm` for details.

Currently, this function can only implement simple linear models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

## Value

The function `tree_intra_phylm` returns a list with the following components:

`formula`: The formula

`data`: Original full dataset

`sensi.estimates`: Coefficients, `aic` and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. `lambda`) for each regression using a value in the interval of variation and a different phylogenetic tree.

`N.obs`: Size of the dataset after matching it with tree tips and removing NA's.

`stats`: Main statistics for model parameters. `CI_low` and `CI_high` are the lower and upper limits of the 95

`all.stats`: Complete statistics for model parameters. Fields coded using `all` describe statistics due to both intraspecific variation and phylogenetic uncertainty. Fields coded using `intra` describe statistics due to intraspecific variation only. Fields coded using `tree` describe statistics due to phylogenetic uncertainty only. `sd` is the standard deviation. `CI_low` and `CI_high` are the lower and upper limits of the 95

`sp.pb`: Species that caused problems with data transformation (see details above).

## Warning

When  $V_y$  or  $V_x$  exceed  $Y$  or  $X$ , respectively, negative (or null) values can be generated, this might cause problems for data transformation (e.g. log-transformation). In these cases, the function will skip the simulation. This problem can be solved by increasing `times`, changing the transformation type and/or checking the target species in `output$sp.pb`.

## Author(s)

Caterina Penone & Pablo Ariel Martinez

## References

- Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467
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- Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

**See Also**

[phyloIm](#), [tree\\_phyIm](#), [intra\\_phyIm](#), [tree\\_intra\\_phyglm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

**Examples**

```
# Load data:
data(alien)
# run PGLS accounting for intraspecific and phylogenetic variation:
intra.tree <- tree_intra_phyIm(gestaLen ~ adultMass, data = alien$data, phy = alien$phy,
Vy = "SD_gesta", n.intra = 3, n.tree = 3, y.transf = log, x.transf = log)
# To check summary results:
summary(intra.tree)
# Visual diagnostics
sensi_plot(intra.tree, uncer.type = "all") #or uncer.type = "tree", uncer.type = "intra"
```

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tree\_phyglm

*Phylogenetic uncertainty - Phylogenetic Logistic Regression*


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**Description**

Performs Phylogenetic logistic regression evaluating uncertainty in trees topology.

**Usage**

```
tree_phyglm(formula, data, phy, n.tree = 2, btol = 50, track = TRUE, ...)
```

**Arguments**

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with species as row names.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'multiPhylo', see ?ape).
n.tree	Number of times to repeat the analysis with n different trees picked randomly in the multiPhylo file. If NULL, n.tree = 2
btol	Bound on searching space. For details see phyloglm.
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to phyloglm

**Details**

This function fits a phylogenetic logistic regression model using [phyloglm](#) to n trees, randomly picked in a multiPhylo file.

Currently, this function can only implement simple logistic models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using [sensi\\_plot](#).

**Value**

The function `tree_phyglm` returns a list with the following components:

`formula`: The formula

`data`: Original full dataset

`sensi.estimates`: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. lambda) for each regression with a different phylogenetic tree.

`N.obs`: Size of the dataset after matching it with tree tips and removing NA's.

`stats`: Main statistics for model parameters. `CI_low` and `CI_high` are the lower and upper limits of the 95

`all.stats`: Complete statistics for model parameters. `sd_intra` is the standard deviation due to intraspecific variation. `CI_low` and `CI_high` are the lower and upper limits of the 95

**Author(s)**

Caterina Penone & Pablo Ariel Martinez

**References**

Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467

Donoghue, M.J. & Ackerly, D.D. (1996). Phylogenetic Uncertainties and Sensitivity Analyses in Comparative Biology. *Philosophical Transactions: Biological Sciences*, pp. 1241-1249.

Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

**See Also**

[phyloglm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#), [tree\\_phyglm](#)

**Examples**

```
### Simulating Data:
set.seed(6987)
mphy = rmtree(150, N = 30)
x = rTrait(n=1,phy=mphy[[1]])
X = cbind(rep(1,150),x)
y = rbinTrait(n=1,phy=mphy[[1]], beta=c(-1,0.5), alpha=.7 ,X=X)
dat = data.frame(y, x)
# Run sensitivity analysis:
tree <- tree_phyglm(y ~ x, data = dat, phy = mphy, n.tree = 30)
# summary results:
summary(tree)
# Visual diagnostics for phylogenetic uncertainty:
sensi_plot(tree)
```

tree\_phylm

*Phylogenetic uncertainty - Phylogenetic Linear Regression***Description**

Performs Phylogenetic linear regression evaluating uncertainty in trees topology.

**Usage**

```
tree_phylm(formula, data, phy, n.tree = 2, model = "lambda", track = TRUE, ...)
```

**Arguments**

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with species as row names.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'multiPhylo', see ?ape).
n.tree	Number of times to repeat the analysis with n different trees picked randomly in the multiPhylo file. If NULL, n.tree = 2
model	The phylogenetic model to use (see Details). Default is lambda.
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to phylolm

**Details**

This function fits a phylogenetic linear regression model using [phylolm](#) to n trees, randomly picked in a multiPhylo file.

All phylogenetic models from phylolm can be used, i.e. BM, OUfixedRoot, OUrandomRoot, lambda, kappa, delta, EB and trend. See ?phylolm for details.

Currently, this function can only implement simple linear models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using [sensi\\_plot](#).

**Value**

The function tree\_phylm returns a list with the following components:

formula: The formula

data: Original full dataset

sensi.estimates: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. lambda) for each regression with a different phylogenetic tree.

N.obs: Size of the dataset after matching it with tree tips and removing NA's.

stats: Main statistics for model parameters. CI\_low and CI\_high are the lower and upper limits of the 95

all.stats: Complete statistics for model parameters. sd\_intra is the standard deviation due to intraspecific variation. CI\_low and CI\_high are the lower and upper limits of the 95

**Author(s)**

Caterina Penone & Pablo Ariel Martinez

**References**

- Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467
- Donoghue, M.J. & Ackerly, D.D. (1996). Phylogenetic Uncertainties and Sensitivity Analyses in Comparative Biology. *Philosophical Transactions: Biological Sciences*, pp. 1241-1249.
- Ho, L. S. T. and Ane, C. 2014. "A linear-time algorithm for Gaussian and non-Gaussian trait evolution models". *Systematic Biology* 63(3):397-408.

**See Also**

[phylolm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#), [tree\\_phyglm](#)

**Examples**

```
# Load data:
data(alien)
# This analysis needs a multiphylo file:
class(alien$phy)
alien$phy
# run PGLS accounting for phylogenetic uncertain:
tree <- tree_phyglm(log(gestalen) ~ log(adultMass), phy = alien$phy,
data = alien$data, n.tree = 30)
# To check summary results:
summary(tree)
# Visual diagnostics
sensi_plot(tree)
# You can specify which graph to print:
sensi_plot(tree, graphs = 3)
```

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tree\_physig

*Phylogenetic uncertainty - Phylogenetic signal*

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**Description**

Performs phylogenetic signal estimates evaluating uncertainty in trees topology.

**Usage**

```
tree_physig(
  trait.col,
  data,
  phy,
  n.tree = "all",
  method = "K",
```

```

    track = TRUE,
    ...
)

```

### Arguments

trait.col	The name of a column in the provided data frame with trait to be analyzed (e.g. "Body_mass").
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
n.tree	Number of times to repeat the analysis with n different trees picked randomly in the multiPhylo file. (If n.tree = "all", phylogenetic signal will be estimated among the all set of trees provided in phy)
method	Method to compute signal: can be "K" or "lambda".
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to phylosig

### Details

This function estimates phylogenetic signal using [phylosig](#) to n trees, randomly picked in a multi-Phylo file.

Output can be visualised using [sensi\\_plot](#).

### Value

The function `tree_physig` returns a list with the following components:

Trait: Column name of the trait analysed

data: Original full dataset

tree.physig.estimates: Three number, phylogenetic signal estimate (lambda or K) and the p-value for each run with a different phylogenetic tree.

N.obs: Size of the dataset after matching it with tree tips and removing NA's.

stats: Main statistics for phylogenetic estimates. CI\_low and CI\_high are the lower and upper limits of the 95

### Note

The argument "se" from [phylosig](#) is not available in this function. Use the argument "V" instead with [intra\\_physig](#) to indicate the name of the column containing the standard deviation or the standard error of the trait variable instead.

### Author(s)

Caterina Penone & Gustavo Paterno

## References

- Paterno, G. B., Penone, C. Werner, G. D. A. [sensiPhy: An r-package for sensitivity analysis in phylogenetic comparative methods](#). *Methods in Ecology and Evolution* 2018, 9(6):1461-1467
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## See Also

[phylosig](#), [tree\\_phylm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

## Examples

```
# Load data:
data(alien)
alien.data<-alien$data
alien.phy<-alien$phy
# Logtransform data
alien.data$logMass <- log(alien.data$adultMass)
# Run sensitivity analysis:
tree <- tree_physig(trait.col = "logMass", data = alien.data,
phy = alien.phy, n.tree = 10)
summary(tree)
sensi_plot(tree)
sensi_plot(tree, graphs = 1)
sensi_plot(tree, graphs = 2)
```

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tree\_samp\_phyglm

*Interaction between phylogenetic uncertainty and sensitivity to species sampling - Phylogenetic Logistic Regression*

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## Description

Performs analyses of sensitivity to species sampling by randomly removing species and detecting the effects on parameter estimates in phylogenetic logistic regression, while evaluating uncertainty in trees topology.

## Usage

```
tree_samp_phyglm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
```

```

n.sim = 30,
n.tree = 2,
breaks = seq(0.1, 0.5, 0.1),
btol = 50,
track = TRUE,
...
)

```

### Arguments

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
n.sim	The number of times species are randomly deleted for each break.
n.tree	Number of times to repeat the analysis with n different trees picked randomly in the multiPhylo file.
breaks	A vector containing the percentages of species to remove.
btol	Bound on searching space. For details see phyloglm
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to phyloglm

### Details

This function randomly removes a given percentage of species (controlled by breaks) from the full phylogenetic logistic regression, fits a phylogenetic logistic regression model without these species using `phyloglm`, repeats this many times (controlled by times), stores the results and calculates the effects on model parameters. It repeats this operation using n trees, randomly picked in a multiPhylo file.

Only logistic regression using the "logistic\_MPLE"-method from `phyloglm` is implemented.

Currently, this function can only implement simple logistic models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

### Value

The function `samp_phyglm` returns a list with the following components:

`formula`: The formula

`full.model.estimates`: Coefficients, aic and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. lambda or kappa) for the full model without deleted species.

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a model re-run with a given number of species `n.remov` removed, representing `n.percent` of the full dataset. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (`intercept`), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (`DIFintercept`), the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (`intercept.perc`) and intercept p-value (`pval.intercept`). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (`DIFestimate` etc.). Additionally, model aic value (AIC)

and the optimised value (optpar) of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. kappa or lambda, depending on the phylogenetic model used) are reported. Lastly we reported the standardised difference in intercept (sDIFintercept) and slope (sDIFestimate).

sign. analysis For each break (i.e. each percentage of species removed) this reports the percentage of statistically significant (at  $p < 0.05$ ) intercepts (perc.sign.intercept) over all repetitions as well as the percentage of statistically significant (at  $p < 0.05$ ) slopes (perc.sign.estimate).

data: Original full dataset.

## Note

Please be aware that dropping species may reduce power to detect significant slopes/intercepts and may partially be responsible for a potential effect of species removal on p-values. Please also consult standardised differences in the (summary) output.

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## See Also

[phyloglm](#), [samp\\_phyglm](#), [tree\\_phyglm](#), [tree\\_samp\\_phylm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# Simulate Data:
set.seed(6987)
mphy = rmtree(100, N = 30)
x = rTrait(n=1,phy=mphy[[1]])
X = cbind(rep(1,100),x)
y = rbinTrait(n=1,phy=mphy[[1]], beta=c(-1,0.5), alpha=.7 ,X=X)
dat = data.frame(y, x)
# Run sensitivity analysis:
tree_samp <- tree_samp_phyglm(y ~ x, data = dat, phy = mphy, n.tree = 3, n.sim=10)
summary(tree_samp)
sensi_plot(tree_samp)
sensi_plot(tree_samp, graphs = 1)
sensi_plot(tree_samp, graphs = 2)

## End(Not run)
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tree_samp_phylm	<i>Interaction between phylogenetic uncertainty and sensitivity to species sampling - Phylogenetic Linear Regression</i>
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### Description

Performs analyses of sensitivity to species sampling by randomly removing species and detecting the effects on parameter estimates in a phylogenetic linear regression, while evaluating uncertainty in trees topology.

### Usage

```
tree_samp_phylm(
  formula,
  data,
  phy,
  n.sim = 30,
  n.tree = 2,
  breaks = seq(0.1, 0.5, 0.1),
  model = "lambda",
  track = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

### Arguments

formula	The model formula
data	Data frame containing species traits with row names matching tips in phy.
phy	A phylogeny (class 'phylo') matching data.
n.sim	The number of times species are randomly deleted for each break.
n.tree	Number of times to repeat the analysis with n different trees picked randomly in the multiPhylo file.
breaks	A vector containing the percentages of species to remove.
model	The phylogenetic model to use (see Details). Default is lambda.
track	Print a report tracking function progress (default = TRUE)
...	Further arguments to be passed to <code>phylolm</code>

### Details

This function randomly removes a given percentage of species (controlled by breaks) from the full phylogenetic linear regression, fits a phylogenetic linear regression model without these species using `phylolm`, repeats this many times (controlled by n.sim), stores the results and calculates the effects on model parameters. It repeats this operation using n trees, randomly picked in a multiPhylo file.

All phylogenetic models from `phylolm` can be used, i.e. `BM`, `OUnfixedRoot`, `OUnrandomRoot`, `lambda`, `kappa`, `delta`, `EB` and `trend`. See `?phylolm` for details.

Currently, this function can only implement simple linear models (i.e. *trait predictor*). In the future we will implement more complex models.

Output can be visualised using `sensi_plot`.

## Value

The function `samp_phylm` returns a list with the following components:

`formula`: The formula

`full.model.estimates`: Coefficients, `aic` and the optimised value of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. `lambda` or `kappa`) for the full model without deleted species.

`sensi.estimates`: A data frame with all simulation estimates. Each row represents a model re-run with a given number of species `n.remov` removed, representing `n.percent` of the full dataset. Columns report the calculated regression intercept (`intercept`), difference between simulation intercept and full model intercept (`DIFintercept`), the percentage of change in intercept compared to the full model (`intercept.perc`) and intercept p-value (`pval.intercept`). All these parameters are also reported for the regression slope (`DIFestimate` etc.). Additionally, model `aic` value (AIC) and the optimised value (`optpar`) of the phylogenetic parameter (e.g. `kappa` or `lambda`, depending on the phylogenetic model used) are reported. Lastly we reported the standardised difference in intercept (`sDIFintercept`) and slope (`sDIFestimate`).

`sign.analysis` For each break (i.e. each percentage of species removed) this reports the percentage of statistically significant (at  $p < 0.05$ ) intercepts (`perc.sign.intercept`) over all repetitions as well as the percentage of statistically significant (at  $p < 0.05$ ) slopes (`perc.sign.estimate`).

`data`: Original full dataset. #' @note Please be aware that dropping species may reduce power to detect significant slopes/intercepts and may partially be responsible for a potential effect of species removal on p-values. Please also consult standardised differences in the (summary) output.

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## See Also

[phylolm](#), [samp\\_phylm](#), [tree\\_phylm](#), [tree\\_samp\\_phyglm](#), [sensi\\_plot](#)

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
# Load data:
data(alien)
# Run analysis:
samp <- tree_samp_phylm(log(gestaLen) ~ log(adultMass), phy = alien$phy,
                       data = alien$data, n.tree = 5, n.sim=10)

summary(samp)
head(samp$sensi.estimate)
# Visual diagnostics
sensi_plot(samp)
sensi_plot(samp, graphs = 1)
sensi_plot(samp, graphs = 2)

## End(Not run)
```

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