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rlssm is a Python package for fitting **reinforcement learning** (RL) models, **sequential sampling models** (DDM, RDM, LBA, ALBA, and ARDM), and **combinations of the two**, using **Bayesian parameter estimation**.

Parameter estimation is done at an individual or hierarchical level using [PyStan](#), the Python Interface to Stan. Stan performs Bayesian inference using the No-U-Turn sampler, a variant of Hamiltonian Monte Carlo.



INSTALLATION

You can install the `rlssm` package using `pip install rlssm`, or get it directly from [GitHub](#).
Make sure you have the dependencies installed first.

1.1 Dependencies

- `pystan=2.19`
- `pandas`
- `scipy`
- `seaborn`

1.2 Conda environment (suggested)

If you have Anaconda or miniconda installed and you would like to create a separate environment for the `rlssm` package, do the following:

```
conda create --n stanenv python=3 pandas scipy seaborn pystan=2.19
conda activate stanenv
pip install rlssm
```

Check if the compiler is working:

```
python tests/test_compiler.py
```

On MacOS, if you encounter a compilation error, you can try the following:

```
conda create -n stanenv python=3.7 pandas cython seaborn scipy
conda activate stanenv
conda install clang_osx-64 clangxx_osx-64 -c anaconda
conda info
```

Copy the “active env location” and substitute into:

```
ls ACTIVE_ENV_LOCATION/bin/ | grep clang | grep -i 'apple'
```

Copy the two clangs and modify the following:

```
export CC=x86_64-apple-darwin13.4.0-clang  
export CXX=x86_64-apple-darwin13.4.0-clang++
```

Install pystan and rlssm and test again whether the compiler works:

```
conda install -c conda-forge pystan=2.19  
pip install rlssm  
python tests/test_compiler.py
```

If you are experiencing other issues with the compiler, check the [pystan documentation](#).

REFERENCES

The likelihood of the diffusion decision model, or DDM, (the Wiener first passage time distribution) is already implemented in stan (see stan's [manual](#)).

The likelihood functions of the race models are implemented by us in stan, and are based on the following papers:

- Race diffusion model (RDM): Tillman, G., Van Zandt, T., & Logan, G. D. Psychon Bull Rev (2020), [RDM paper](#)
- Linear ballistic accumulator (LBA): Brown, S. D., & Heathcote, A. Cognitive psychology (2008), [LBA paper](#)
- Advantage LBA: van Ravenzwaaij, D., Brown, S. D., Marley, A. A. J., & Heathcote, A. Psychological review (2020), [ALBA paper](#)
- Advantage RDM: Miletic, S., Boag, R. J., Trutti, A. C., Stevenson, N., Forstmann, B. U., & Heathcote, A. (2021), [ARDM paper](#)

The RLDDMs (combinations of RL and DDM, diffusion decision model) are based on the following papers:

- Fontanesi, L., Gluth, S., Spektor, M.S. & Rieskamp, J. Psychon Bull Rev (2019), [RLDDM paper 1](#)
- Fontanesi, L., Palminteri, S. & Lebreton, M. Cogn Affect Behav Neurosci (2019), [RLDDM paper 2](#)

For a more in-depth explanation of the model's cognitive mechanisms and theories, please refer to <https://osf.io/fbpmh/>.

CREDITS

This package was developed by me, **Laura Fontanesi**, with the help of **Amir Hosein Hadian Rasanan**. It is part of ongoing scientific work at the University of Basel and University of Hamburg, in collaboration with Prof. Jörg Rieskamp and Prof. Sebastian Gluth.

When using this package or part of the code for your own research, I ask you to **cite us (using the Zenodo DOI below)** and to always perform a parameter recovery, to make sure that everything is working as it should. Even though we tested all functions, I cannot assure that it will work perfectly on all platforms and data formats. Therefore, feedback on usage and issues is especially welcomed at this stage :)

If you have any questions or would like to contribute, you can write me at laura.fontanesi@unibas.ch.

HOW TO INITIALIZE A MODEL

To initialize a model, you can use one of the following model classes:

1. For simple reinforcement learning models: `RLModel_2A`
2. For diffusion decision models: `DDModel`
3. For reinforcement learning diffusion decision models: `RLDDModel`
4. For race models: `RDModel_2A`, `LBAModel_2A`, `ARDModel_2A`, `ALBAModel_2A`
5. For reinforcement learning race models: `RLRDModel_2A`, `RLLBAModel_2A`, `RLARDModel_2A`, `RLALBAModel_2A`

All these classes have 1 non-default argument: `hierarchical_levels`. This should be set to 1 for model fits on individual data, and 2 for model fits on group data.

Additional arguments can be specified in order to “turn on and off” different model mechanisms that are implemented.

For example, let’s say I want to specify a **RLDDM for 1 subject**:

```
[1]: import rlssm
```

```
[2]: model = rlssm.RLDDModel(hierarchical_levels=1)
```

Using cached StanModel

After initialization, you can inspect the model’s default priors. You can change these when you fit the model.

```
[3]: model.priors
```

```
[3]: {'alpha_priors': {'mu': 0, 'sd': 1},  
      'drift_scaling_priors': {'mu': 1, 'sd': 50},  
      'threshold_priors': {'mu': 1, 'sd': 5},  
      'ndt_priors': {'mu': 1, 'sd': 1}}
```

Note that, if this is the first time that you initialize this type of model, it’s going to take some time to compile it. Otherwise, the cached model will be automatically loaded.

By default, all mechanisms are “off”, meaning that the simplest model is fit, so you need to set alternative mechanisms to `True` to have them included in your model:

```
[4]: model_complex = rlssm.DDModel(hierarchical_levels=1,  
                                   drift_variability = True,  
                                   starting_point_variability=True)
```

Using cached StanModel

```
[5]: model_complex.priors
[5]: {'threshold_priors': {'mu': 0, 'sd': 5},
      'ndt_priors': {'mu': 0, 'sd': 5},
      'drift_trialmu_priors': {'mu': 1, 'sd': 5},
      'drift_trialsd_priors': {'mu': 0, 'sd': 5},
      'rel_sp_trialmu_priors': {'mu': 0, 'sd': 0.8},
      'rel_sp_trialsd_priors': {'mu': 0, 'sd': 0.5}}
```

You can check what are the possible mechanisms for each class in the [API reference](#) guide, or by typing:

```
[6]: rlssm.DDModel?

Init signature:
rlssm.DDModel(
    hierarchical_levels,
    starting_point_bias=False,
    drift_variability=False,
    starting_point_variability=False,
    drift_starting_point_correlation=False,
    drift_starting_point_beta_correlation=False,
    drift_starting_point_regression=False,
)
Docstring:
DDModel allows to specify a diffusion decision model.

When initializing the model, you should specify whether the model is hierarchical or not.
Additionally, you can specify the mechanisms that you wish to include or exclude.

The underlying stan model will be compiled if no previously compiled model is found.
After initializing the model, it can be fitted to a particular dataset using pystan.
Init docstring:
Initialize a DDModel object.

Note
----
This model is restricted to two options per trial (coded as correct and incorrect).

Parameters
-----

hierarchical_levels : int
    Set to 1 for individual data and to 2 for grouped data.

starting_point_bias : bool, default False
    By default, there is no starting point bias.
    If set to True, the starting point bias is estimated.

drift_variability : bool, default False
    By default, there is no drift-rate variability across trials.
    If set to True, the standard deviation of the drift-rate across trials is estimated.

starting_point_variability : bool, default False
    By default, there is no starting point bias variability across trials.
```

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If set to True, the standard deviation of the starting point bias across trials is estimated.

`drift_starting_point_correlation` : bool, default False

By default, the correlation between these 2 parameters is not estimated.

If set to True, the 2 parameters are assumed to come from a multinormal distribution.

Only relevant when `drift_variability` and `starting_point_variability` are True.

`drift_starting_point_beta_correlation` : bool, default False

If True, trial-by-trial drift-rate, `rel_sp` and an external

variable `beta` are assumed to come from a multinormal distribution.

Only relevant when `drift_variability` and `starting_point_variability` are True.

`drift_starting_point_regression` : bool, default False

If True, two regression coefficients are estimated, for trial drift and relative starting point, and an external variable `beta`.

Only relevant when `drift_variability` and `starting_point_variability` are True.

Attributes

`model_label` : str

The label of the fully specified model.

`n_parameters_individual` : int

The number of individual parameters of the fully specified model.

`n_parameters_trial` : int

The number of parameters that are estimated at a trial level.

`stan_model_path` : str

The location of the stan model code.

`compiled_model` : `pystan.StanModel`

The compiled stan model.

File: `~/git/rlssm/rlssm/models_DDM.py`

Type: `type`

Subclasses:

HOW TO FIT A MODEL

To fit a model, there are 3 main things to specify:

1. Data: The data, which should be in the form of a pandas DataFrame.

Different model classes might require different columns in the data. You should check in the [API Reference](#) of each model class (or using `model.fit?`) what the required data columns are.

2. The priors (optional): You can decide whether to use the default priors (which you can see after initializing the model) or whether you want to change the mean or SD of the prior or hyper-prior distributions. Whether you changed the priors or not, they are always printed out when the model starts fitting.

3. Sampling parameters: The sampling parameters (**number of chains, iterations, warmups, thinning, etc.**) are the arguments to the `pystan.StanModel.sampling()` function, and we simply refer to the [pystan documentation](#) for a better overview.

Additional learning parameters: While all sequential sampling models (DDM and race models) **without a learning component** only require a data argument, all models with a learning components (RL models, RLDDMs, and RL+race models) also require a `K` argument, which is the total number of different options in a learning block (note that this can be different from the number of options presented in each trial), and `initial_value_learning`, which is the initial Q value (before learning).

```
[1]: import rlssm
```

5.1 Non-learning example (non-hierarchical, simulated data)

```
[2]: model_ddm = rlssm.DDModel(hierarchical_levels=1)
```

```
Using cached StanModel
```

```
[3]: # simulate some DDM data:
from rlssm.random import simulate_ddm
data_ddm = simulate_ddm(
    n_trials=400,
    gen_drift=.8,
    gen_threshold=1.3,
    gen_ndt=.23)
```

For the simple, non-hierarchical DDM, it is only necessary to have `rt` and `accuracy` columns:

- `rt`, response times in seconds.
- `accuracy`, 0 if the incorrect option was chosen, 1 if the correct option was chosen.

```
[4]: data_ddm.head()
```

```
[4]:
```

		drift	rel_sp	threshold	ndt	rt	accuracy
participant	trial						
1	1	0.8	0.5	1.3	0.23	1.134	0.0
	2	0.8	0.5	1.3	0.23	0.433	1.0
	3	0.8	0.5	1.3	0.23	0.702	1.0
	4	0.8	0.5	1.3	0.23	0.695	1.0
	5	0.8	0.5	1.3	0.23	0.351	1.0

```
[5]: # Run 2 chains, with 2000 samples each, 1000 of which warmup, with custom priors:
```

```
model_fit_ddm = model_ddm.fit(
    data_ddm,
    drift_priors={'mu':.5, 'sd':1},
    threshold_priors={'mu':0, 'sd':.5},
    ndt_priors={'mu':0, 'sd':.1},
    chains=2,
    iter=2000,
    warmup=1000,
    thin=1)
```

Fitting the model using the priors:

drift_priors {'mu': 0.5, 'sd': 1}

threshold_priors {'mu': 0, 'sd': 0.5}

ndt_priors {'mu': 0, 'sd': 0.1}

WARNING:pystan:Maximum (flat) parameter count (1000) exceeded: skipping diagnostic tests,
↪ for n_eff and Rhat.

To run all diagnostics call `pystan.check_hmc_diagnostics(fit)`

Checks MCMC diagnostics:

n_eff / iter looks reasonable for all parameters

0.0 of 2000 iterations ended with a divergence (0.0%)

0 of 2000 iterations saturated the maximum tree depth of 10 (0.0%)

E-BFMI indicated no pathological behavior

5.2 Learning example (hierarchical, real data)

```
[6]: model_rl = rlssm.RLModel_2A(hierarchical_levels = 2)
```

Using cached StanModel

```
[7]: # import some example data:
```

```
data_rl = rlssm.load_example_dataset(hierarchical_levels = 2)
```

```
data_rl.head()
```

```
[7]:
```

	participant	block_label	trial_block	f_cor	f_inc	cor_option	\
0	1	1	1	43	39		2
1	1	1	2	60	50		4
2	1	1	3	44	36		4
3	1	1	4	55	55		4
4	1	1	5	52	49		4

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	inc_option	times_seen	rt	accuracy
0	1	1	1.244082	0
1	3	1	1.101821	1
2	2	2	1.029923	0
3	3	2	1.368007	0
4	3	3	1.039329	1

Since this learning model is only fit on choices, `rt` are not required.

Other columns/indexes that should be included are:

- *accuracy*, 0 if the incorrect option was chosen, 1 if the correct option was chosen.
- *trial_block*, the number of trial in a learning session. Should be integers starting from 1.
- *f_cor*, the output from the correct option in the presented pair (the option with higher outcome on average).
- *f_inc*, the output from the incorrect option in the presented pair (the option with lower outcome on average).
- *cor_option*, the number identifying the correct option in the presented pair (the option with higher outcome on average).
- *inc_option*, the number identifying the incorrect option in the presented pair (the option with lower outcome on average).
- *block_label*, the number identifying the learning session. Should be integers starting from 1. Set to 1 in case there is only one learning session.

If the model is hierarchical, also include:

- *participant*, the participant number. Should be integers starting from 1.

If `increasing_sensitivity` is `True`, also include:

- *times_seen*, average number of times the presented options have been seen in a learning session.

```
[8]: data_rl.head()
```

```
[8]:
```

	participant	block_label	trial_block	f_cor	f_inc	cor_option	\
0	1	1	1	43	39	2	
1	1	1	2	60	50	4	
2	1	1	3	44	36	4	
3	1	1	4	55	55	4	
4	1	1	5	52	49	4	

	inc_option	times_seen	rt	accuracy
0	1	1	1.244082	0
1	3	1	1.101821	1
2	2	2	1.029923	0
3	3	2	1.368007	0
4	3	3	1.039329	1

```
[9]: # Run 2 chains, with 3000 samples each, 1000 of which warmup, with thinning and custom_
      priors:
      model_fit_rl = model_rl.fit(
          data_rl,
          K=4,
```

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```

initial_value_learning=27.5,
alpha_priors={'mu_mu':-.3, 'sd_mu':.1, 'mu_sd':0, 'sd_sd':.1},
sensitivity_priors={'mu_mu':-.1, 'sd_mu':.1, 'mu_sd':0, 'sd_sd':.1},
chains=2,
iter=3000,
warmup=1000,
print_diagnostics=False, # (not suggested, see below)
thin=2)

```

Fitting the model using the priors:

```

alpha_priors {'mu_mu': -0.3, 'sd_mu': 0.1, 'mu_sd': 0, 'sd_sd': 0.1}
sensitivity_priors {'mu_mu': -0.1, 'sd_mu': 0.1, 'mu_sd': 0, 'sd_sd': 0.1}

```

WARNING:pystan:Maximum (flat) parameter count (1000) exceeded: skipping diagnostic tests.
 ↳ for n_eff and Rhat.
 To run all diagnostics call `pystan.check_hmc_diagnostics(fit)`

5.3 Diagnostics

As you can see, the MCMC diagnostics are already printed by default (if you do not want this, you can set `print_diagnostics` to `False`). I refer to https://mc-stan.org/users/documentation/case-studies/divergences_and_bias.html for an excellent explanation of what these diagnostics actually mean and how to assess them.

On top of these, you can also check the convergence of the chains and the WAIC:

```
[10]: model_fit_ddm.rhat
```

```

[10]:      rhat  variable
0  1.000630    drift
1  0.999847 threshold
2  0.999237      ndt

```

```
[11]: model_fit_rl.rhat.describe()
```

```

[11]:      rhat
count  58.000000
mean    1.000025
std     0.000724
min     0.999071
25%     0.999492
50%     0.999797
75%     1.000427
max     1.001968

```

```
[12]: model_fit_ddm.waic
```

```

[12]: {'lppd': -201.4814621446239,
      'p_waic': 3.304311118929816,
      'waic': 409.5715465271074,
      'waic_se': 45.969396831225254}

```

```
[13]: model_fit_rl.waic
[13]: {'lppd': -2632.8620973496854,
      'p_waic': 53.04664551553182,
      'waic': 5371.817485730435,
      'waic_se': 94.06444827215812}
```

If you want to also see the point-wise WAIC, you can set `pointwise_waic` to `True`.

5.4 Save the results

By default, the model fit results are saved in the same folder, using the `model_label` as filename. you can specify a different location using the `filename` argument.

```
[14]: model_fit_ddm.to_pickle()
Saving file as: /Users/laurafontanesi/git/rlssm/docs/notebooks/DDM.pkl
```

```
[15]: model_fit_rl.to_pickle()
Saving file as: /Users/laurafontanesi/git/rlssm/docs/notebooks/hierRL_2A.pkl
```

5.5 Re-load previously saved results

```
[16]: model_fit_ddm = rlssm.load_model_results('/Users/laurafontanesi/git/rlssm/docs/notebooks/
↪DDM.pkl')
```

```
[17]: model_fit_rl = rlssm.load_model_results('/Users/laurafontanesi/git/rlssm/docs/notebooks/
↪hierRL_2A.pkl')
```

The data the model was fit on are stored in `data_info`:

```
[18]: model_fit_rl.data_info['data']
[18]:
```

	index	participant	block_label	trial_block	f_cor	f_inc	cor_option	\
0	0	1	1	1	43	39	2	
1	1	1	1	2	60	50	4	
2	2	1	1	3	44	36	4	
3	3	1	1	4	55	55	4	
4	4	1	1	5	52	49	4	
...
6459	6459	27	3	76	37	36	2	
6460	6460	27	3	77	58	41	4	
6461	6461	27	3	78	64	49	4	
6462	6462	27	3	79	44	37	3	
6463	6463	27	3	80	51	51	4	
	inc_option	times_seen	rt	accuracy				
0	1	1	1.244082	0				
1	3	1	1.101821	1				

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2	2	2	1.029923	0
3	3	2	1.368007	0
4	3	3	1.039329	1
...
6459	1	39	1.875327	1
6460	2	39	1.696957	1
6461	3	38	2.059956	1
6462	1	39	1.623731	1
6463	3	40	1.115363	1

[6464 rows x 11 columns]

The priors are stored in priors:

```
[19]: model_fit_ddm.priors
```

```
[19]: {'drift_priors': {'mu': 0.5, 'sd': 1},
      'threshold_priors': {'mu': 0, 'sd': 0.5},
      'ndt_priors': {'mu': 0, 'sd': 0.1}}
```

```
[20]: model_fit_rl.priors
```

```
[20]: {'alpha_priors': {'mu_mu': -0.3, 'sd_mu': 0.1, 'mu_sd': 0, 'sd_sd': 0.1},
      'sensitivity_priors': {'mu_mu': -0.1, 'sd_mu': 0.1, 'mu_sd': 0, 'sd_sd': 0.1}}
```

And different parameter information are stored in parameter_info:

```
[21]: model_fit_ddm.parameters_info
```

```
[21]: {'hierarchical_levels': 1,
      'n_parameters_individual': 3,
      'n_parameters_trial': 0,
      'n_posterior_samples': 2000,
      'parameters_names': ['drift', 'threshold', 'ndt'],
      'parameters_names_transf': ['transf_drift', 'transf_threshold', 'transf_ndt'],
      'parameters_names_all': ['drift', 'threshold', 'ndt']}
```

```
[22]: model_fit_rl.waic
```

```
[22]: {'lppd': -2632.8620973496854,
      'p_waic': 53.04664551553182,
      'waic': 5371.817485730435,
      'waic_se': 94.06444827215812}
```

And, of course, you can inspect the model's posteriors, see [How to inspect a model](#) for more details on this.

HOW TO INSPECT MODEL FIT RESULTS

```
[1]: import rlssm

# load non-hierarchical DDM fit:
model_fit_ddm = rlssm.load_model_results('/Users/laurafontanesi/git/rlssm/docs/notebooks/
↳DDM.pkl')

# load non-hierarchical LBA fit:
model_fit_lba = rlssm.load_model_results('/Users/laurafontanesi/git/rlssm/docs/notebooks/
↳LBA_2A.pkl')

# load hierarchical RL fit:
model_fit_rl = rlssm.load_model_results('/Users/laurafontanesi/git/rlssm/docs/notebooks/
↳hierRL_2A.pkl')
```

6.1 Posteriors

The posterior samples are stored in `samples`:

```
[2]: model_fit_ddm.samples
```

```
[2]:
```

	chain	draw	transf_drift	transf_threshold	transf_ndt
0	0	339	0.603124	1.290092	0.239343
1	0	784	0.795615	1.308542	0.240124
2	0	250	0.766659	1.299046	0.238052
3	0	498	0.909609	1.293544	0.242449
4	0	854	0.894703	1.304357	0.235697
...
1995	1	482	0.893670	1.245259	0.245646
1996	1	882	0.862621	1.228198	0.248502
1997	1	571	0.732467	1.281621	0.235845
1998	1	403	0.767313	1.278530	0.243468
1999	1	998	0.812562	1.285636	0.242826

[2000 rows x 5 columns]

```
[3]: model_fit_rl.samples.describe()
```

```
[3]:
```

	chain	draw	transf_mu_alpha	transf_mu_sensitivity	\
count	2000.000000	2000.000000	2000.000000	2000.000000	

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mean	0.500000	499.500000	0.215143	0.459187		
std	0.500125	288.747186	0.026105	0.031864		
min	0.000000	0.000000	0.137208	0.371670		
25%	0.000000	249.750000	0.197125	0.437836		
50%	0.500000	499.500000	0.214402	0.457982		
75%	1.000000	749.250000	0.231833	0.478926		
max	1.000000	999.000000	0.322323	0.602965		
	alpha_sbj[1]	alpha_sbj[2]	alpha_sbj[3]	alpha_sbj[4]	alpha_sbj[5]	\
count	2000.000000	2000.000000	2000.000000	2000.000000	2000.000000	
mean	0.118446	0.038598	0.153991	0.125686	0.228167	
std	0.049484	0.046423	0.070357	0.053255	0.081044	
min	0.013977	0.004837	0.016532	0.021659	0.030638	
25%	0.081938	0.017878	0.103897	0.087518	0.172536	
50%	0.111285	0.027213	0.142031	0.118346	0.222287	
75%	0.146284	0.043262	0.191607	0.154902	0.278837	
max	0.386474	0.812427	0.538177	0.378176	0.540157	
	alpha_sbj[6]	...	sensitivity_sbj[18]	sensitivity_sbj[19]	\	
count	2000.000000	...	2000.000000	2000.000000		
mean	0.176434	...	0.186011	0.222761		
std	0.086367	...	0.142018	0.035984		
min	0.016090	...	0.033029	0.134701		
25%	0.111644	...	0.074628	0.197551		
50%	0.162954	...	0.127833	0.218959		
75%	0.228109	...	0.266526	0.242577		
max	0.527946	...	0.879778	0.582695		
	sensitivity_sbj[20]	sensitivity_sbj[21]	sensitivity_sbj[22]	\		
count	2000.000000	2000.000000	2000.000000			
mean	0.345018	0.675645	0.594302			
std	0.051357	0.129893	0.112983			
min	0.226670	0.383286	0.293426			
25%	0.308241	0.585866	0.514762			
50%	0.340830	0.661773	0.582411			
75%	0.375535	0.752205	0.657723			
max	0.697668	1.244169	1.158730			
	sensitivity_sbj[23]	sensitivity_sbj[24]	sensitivity_sbj[25]	\		
count	2000.000000	2000.000000	2000.000000			
mean	0.733052	0.380368	0.400283			
std	0.162488	0.062239	0.142786			
min	0.361626	0.216227	0.165044			
25%	0.616664	0.336826	0.297846			
50%	0.714372	0.373471	0.366054			
75%	0.831164	0.416691	0.473252			
max	1.626704	0.705096	1.150375			
	sensitivity_sbj[26]	sensitivity_sbj[27]				
count	2000.000000	2000.000000				
mean	0.207491	0.255721				
std	0.119114	0.064612				

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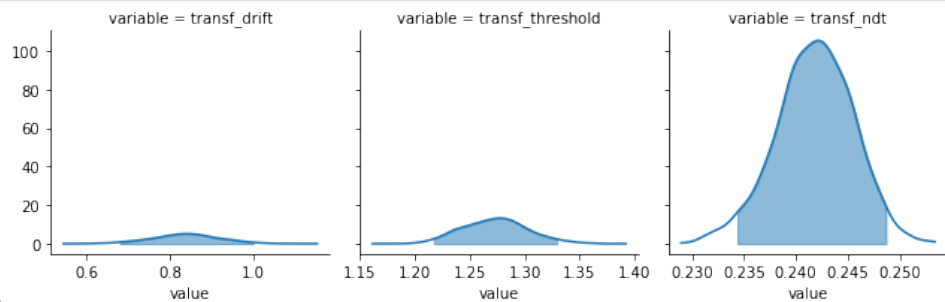
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min	0.050049	0.129987
25%	0.116860	0.211426
50%	0.177753	0.242781
75%	0.266407	0.286889
max	0.990639	0.711207

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You can simply plot the model's posteriors using `plot_posteriors`:

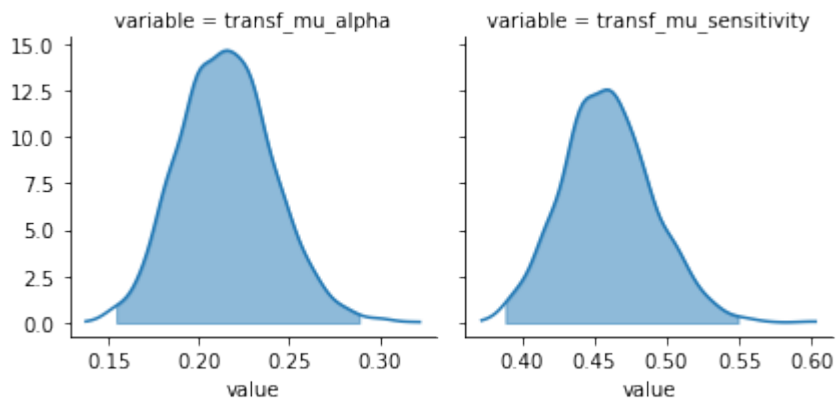
```
[4]: model_fit_ddm.plot_posteriors();
```



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By default, 95% HDIs are shown, but you can also choose to have the posteriors without intervals or BCIs, and change the alpha level:

```
[5]: model_fit_rl.plot_posteriors(show_intervals='BCI', alpha_intervals=.01);
```



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6.1.1 Trial-level

Depending on the model specification, you can also extract certain trial-level parameters as numpy ordered dictionaries of `n_samples X n_trials` shape:

```
[6]: model_fit_ddm.trial_samples['drift_t'].shape
```

```
[6]: (2000, 400)
```

```
[7]: model_fit_ddm.trial_samples.keys()
```

```
[7]: odict_keys(['drift_t', 'threshold_t', 'ndt_t'])
```

```
[8]: model_fit_lba.trial_samples.keys() # for the LBA
```

```
[8]: odict_keys(['k_t', 'A_t', 'tau_t', 'drift_cor_t', 'drift_inc_t'])
```

In the case of a RL model fit on choices alone, you can extract the log probability of accuracy=1 for each trial:

```
[9]: model_fit_rl.trial_samples.keys()
```

```
[9]: odict_keys(['log_p_t'])
```

```
[10]: model_fit_rl.trial_samples['log_p_t'].shape
```

```
[10]: (2000, 6464)
```

6.2 Posterior predictives

With `get_posterior_predictives_df` you get posterior predictives as pandas DataFrames of `n_posterior_predictives X n_trials` shape:

```
[11]: pp = model_fit_rl.get_posterior_predictives_df(n_posterior_predictives=1000)
pp
```

```
[11]: variable accuracy
trial      1      2      3      4      5      6      7      8      9     10     ...      6455  6456  \
sample
1           1      1      1      1      1      1      0      0      1      0     ...      0      1
2           0      1      1      1      1      1      0      1      1      1     ...      0      0
3           1      1      0      0      0      1      1      0      1      1     ...      0      1
4           0      1      0      1      0      1      1      1      1      1     ...      0      0
5           1      1      1      0      1      1      0      0      1      1     ...      0      1
...
996          1      1      0      0      0      1      0      0      1      1     ...      1      0
997          1      0      0      1      1      0      1      0      1      1     ...      0      0
998          0      0      0      1      1      1      1      0      1      1     ...      1      1
999          1      1      0      0      1      1      1      1      1      1     ...      0      0
1000         0      0      1      1      0      1      0      1      1      1     ...      0      0

variable
trial    6457  6458  6459  6460  6461  6462  6463  6464
sample
1           1      1      1      1      1      1      1      1
2           1      1      1      1      1      1      1      1
3           1      0      0      0      1      1      1      1
4           1      1      1      1      1      1      1      1
5           1      1      1      1      1      1      1      0
...
996          1      1      1      1      1      1      1      1
997          1      0      0      0      1      0      0      1
998          1      0      1      0      1      1      1      0
999          0      1      1      1      1      0      1      1
```

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```
1000      1      1      1      1      1      1      1      1
```

```
[1000 rows x 6464 columns]
```

For the DDM, you have additional parameters to tweak the DDM simulations, and you get a DataFrame with a hierarchical column index, for RTs and for accuracy:

```
[12]: pp = model_fit_ddm.get_posterior_predictives_df(n_posterior_predictives=100, dt=.001)
pp
```

```
[12]: variable      rt
trial      1      2      3      4      5      6      \
sample
1      0.383343  0.662343  0.639343  0.748343  0.775343  1.179343
2      0.994124  0.333124  0.549124  0.848124  1.027124  0.310124
3      1.307052  0.686052  0.457052  0.343052  0.367052  0.612052
4      0.642449  0.535449  0.388449  0.470449  0.649449  0.523449
5      0.842697  1.535697  0.721697  0.316697  0.708697  1.516697
...      ...      ...      ...      ...      ...      ...
96     0.496667  0.334667  0.872667  0.771667  0.389667  0.434667
97     0.328090  0.558090  0.444090  0.516090  1.467090  0.736090
98     0.424736  0.395736  0.576736  0.411736  0.324736  0.497736
99     1.000664  0.364664  0.521664  0.370664  0.387664  0.732664
100    0.956275  0.396275  0.968275  0.416275  0.418275  1.048275

variable      ... accuracy
trial      7      8      9      10    ...      391  392  393  394      \
sample
1      1.619343  0.398343  1.047343  0.329343  ...      0.0  1.0  1.0  0.0
2      0.425124  0.601124  0.476124  0.536124  ...      1.0  0.0  1.0  1.0
3      0.284052  0.650052  0.381052  0.615052  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
4      0.338449  0.557449  0.581449  0.606449  ...      1.0  1.0  0.0  0.0
5      0.363697  0.751697  0.417697  0.544697  ...      0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
...      ...      ...      ...      ...      ...      ...      ...
96     0.425667  1.027667  0.433667  0.358667  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
97     1.013090  0.312090  0.405090  0.328090  ...      1.0  0.0  1.0  1.0
98     0.520736  0.741736  0.510736  1.300736  ...      0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
99     0.794664  0.369664  0.780664  0.353664  ...      1.0  1.0  0.0  1.0
100    1.015275  0.706275  0.383275  0.395275  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0

variable
trial  395  396  397  398  399  400
sample
1      1.0  1.0  1.0  0.0  1.0  1.0
2      1.0  1.0  1.0  0.0  1.0  0.0
3      0.0  1.0  0.0  1.0  0.0  1.0
4      0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  0.0  1.0
5      0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
...      ...  ...  ...  ...  ...
96     1.0  0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
97     1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  0.0  0.0
98     1.0  0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  0.0
99     0.0  1.0  1.0  0.0  1.0  0.0
```

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```
100      1.0  0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
```

```
[100 rows x 800 columns]
```

You can also have posterior predictive summaries with `get_posterior_predictives_summary`.

Only mean accuracy for RL models fit on choices alone, and also mean RTs, skewness and quantiles for lower and upper boundaries for models fitted on RTs as well.

```
[13]: model_fit_rl.get_posterior_predictives_summary()
```

```
[13]:      mean_accuracy
sample
1          0.799814
2          0.802754
3          0.803373
4          0.800743
5          0.806312
...          ...
496         0.804301
497         0.809561
498         0.807550
499         0.800588
500         0.793472

[500 rows x 1 columns]
```

```
[14]: model_fit_ddm.get_posterior_predictives_summary()
```

```
[14]:      mean_accuracy  mean_rt  skewness  quant_10_rt_low  quant_30_rt_low  \
sample
1          0.6650  0.670093  2.045784          0.346243          0.460143
2          0.7500  0.658724  1.576743          0.392724          0.471524
3          0.7025  0.669302  2.188532          0.363052          0.480652
4          0.7875  0.640931  2.890019          0.361849          0.446049
5          0.7625  0.632817  1.456125          0.338897          0.389897
...          ...          ...          ...          ...          ...
496         0.6950  0.615908  1.971778          0.352350          0.408850
497         0.8025  0.651565  2.103909          0.376220          0.435420
498         0.7525  0.604910  1.602822          0.328585          0.448785
499         0.7425  0.624212  1.663869          0.346202          0.433202
500         0.7625  0.636005  2.907804          0.344582          0.429582

      quant_50_rt_low  quant_70_rt_low  quant_90_rt_low  quant_10_rt_up  \
sample
1          0.568843          0.761643          1.152343          0.351843
2          0.565624          0.725624          1.049824          0.348024
3          0.589052          0.779852          1.210852          0.348052
4          0.526449          0.699049          1.110649          0.363849
5          0.481697          0.626897          1.060897          0.361097
...          ...          ...          ...          ...
496         0.505750          0.665450          0.982550          0.337250
497         0.567020          0.728620          1.113820          0.352020
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```

498      0.573785      0.717585      0.966385      0.340785
499      0.536402      0.619802      0.957202      0.347602
500      0.522382      0.681182      1.085382      0.350382

```

```

      quant_30_rt_up quant_50_rt_up quant_70_rt_up quant_90_rt_up
sample
1      0.434843      0.550343      0.720843      1.103843
2      0.423524      0.567624      0.703324      1.168924
3      0.455052      0.546052      0.723052      1.068052
4      0.432649      0.543449      0.695449      0.987649
5      0.442697      0.559697      0.754097      1.007497
...      ...      ...      ...
496      0.435350      0.543750      0.687050      1.004750
497      0.434020      0.536020      0.710020      1.085020
498      0.429785      0.519785      0.662785      0.956785
499      0.451402      0.552402      0.722202      1.003002
500      0.440582      0.537382      0.698582      1.021982

```

[500 rows x 13 columns]

You can also specify which quantiles you are interested in:

```
[15]: model_fit_lba.get_posterior_predictives_summary(n_posterior_predictives=200, quantiles=[.
↳ 1, .5, .9])
```

```

[15]:      mean_accuracy      mean_rt      skewness      quant_10_rt_incorrect \
sample
1      0.858333      1.721248      1.746695      1.477207
2      0.850000      1.711749      2.070015      1.353934
3      0.812500      1.737245      1.874562      1.516550
4      0.875000      1.629739      1.314279      1.337575
5      0.841667      1.648190      2.309592      1.304721
...      ...      ...      ...
196      0.883333      1.719413      2.057477      1.576292
197      0.908333      1.623029      1.669531      1.286818
198      0.891667      167.991497      15.491932      1.290854
199      0.904167      1.672464      4.330050      1.579026
200      0.891667      1.662455      1.442103      1.374941

      quant_50_rt_incorrect      quant_90_rt_incorrect      quant_10_rt_correct \
sample
1      1.835347      2.437212      1.289665
2      1.743663      2.418908      1.249635
3      1.909714      2.711531      1.215915
4      1.594347      2.075680      1.219060
5      1.557302      2.144594      1.228440
...      ...      ...      ...
196      1.939482      2.982563      1.218782
197      1.684597      2.031900      1.211736
198      1.626846      3.500035      1.209622
199      2.011868      2.988423      1.209593
200      1.719873      2.295363      1.249559

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	quant_50_rt_correct	quant_90_rt_correct
sample		
1	1.589248	2.239182
2	1.564929	2.175558
3	1.550399	2.272305
4	1.536317	2.125802
5	1.531487	2.100375
...
196	1.544592	2.283167
197	1.512554	2.172847
198	1.526332	2.445680
199	1.535032	1.992702
200	1.578828	2.195988

[200 rows x 9 columns]

Finally, you can get summary for grouping variables (e.g., experimental conditions, trial blocks, etc.) in your data:

```
[16]: model_fit_lba.get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary(n_posterior_predictives=200,
                                                             grouping_vars=['block_label'],
                                                             quantiles=[.3, .5, .7])
```

```
[16]:
```

		mean_accuracy	mean_rt	skewness	quant_30_rt_incorrect	\
block_label	sample					
1	1	0.8875	1.742559	0.838222	1.958646	
	2	0.8250	1.667581	2.036401	1.490616	
	3	0.7875	1.727859	1.586878	1.890115	
	4	0.8500	1.683817	6.404095	1.440239	
	5	0.9000	1.625880	2.086927	1.694815	
...		
3	196	0.9000	1.725673	1.756656	1.776924	
	197	0.8500	1.699036	2.265547	1.630694	
	198	0.9125	1.772827	3.916904	1.515939	
	199	0.8375	1.717850	2.060856	1.609815	
	200	0.8500	1.685803	0.829624	1.469060	

		quant_30_rt_correct	quant_50_rt_incorrect	\
block_label	sample			
1	1	1.402651	2.265617	
	2	1.386556	1.690442	
	3	1.314495	2.045244	
	4	1.336986	1.638169	
	5	1.334574	1.804016	
...		
3	196	1.402891	1.912637	
	197	1.350169	1.696332	
	198	1.358824	1.594244	
	199	1.404633	1.786825	
	200	1.422103	1.654015	

		quant_50_rt_correct	quant_70_rt_incorrect	\
block_label	sample			
1	1	1.637518	2.414924	

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```

      2      1.539333      1.996045
      3      1.469067      2.167337
      4      1.467766      1.874202
      5      1.481553      1.877418
...
3      196      1.556986      1.987094
      197      1.519048      2.194706
      198      1.478403      2.743708
      199      1.567322      1.928092
      200      1.567095      1.986281

      quant_70_rt_correct
block_label sample
1           1      1.812356
           2      1.740201
           3      1.671310
           4      1.667109
           5      1.693119
...
3           196      1.743893
           197      1.645663
           198      1.674592
           199      1.769137
           200      1.827734

```

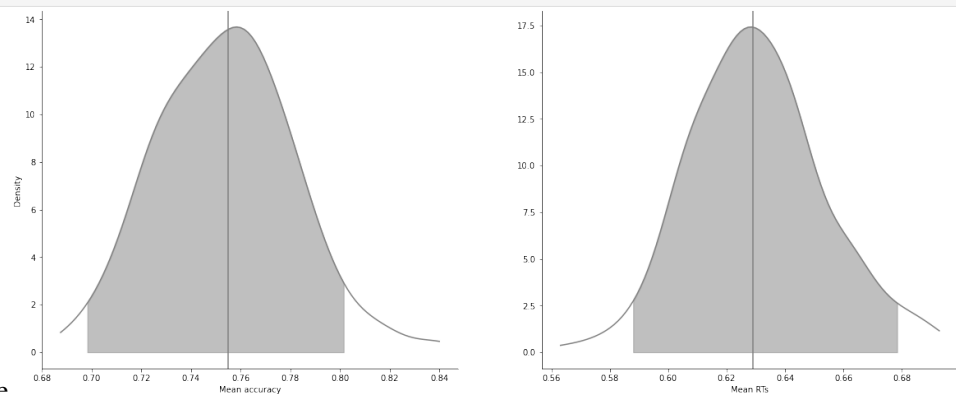
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6.3 Plot posterior predictives

You can plot posterior predictives similarly, both **ungrouped** (across all trials) or **grouped** (across conditions, trial blocks, etc. `plot_mean_posterior_predictives`).

For RT models, you have both **mean plots**, and **quantile plots**:

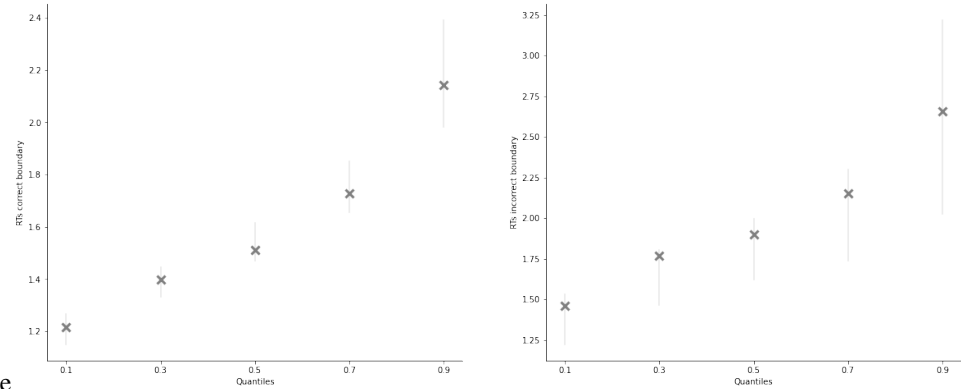
```
[17]: model_fit_ddm.plot_mean_posterior_predictives(n_posterior_predictives=200);
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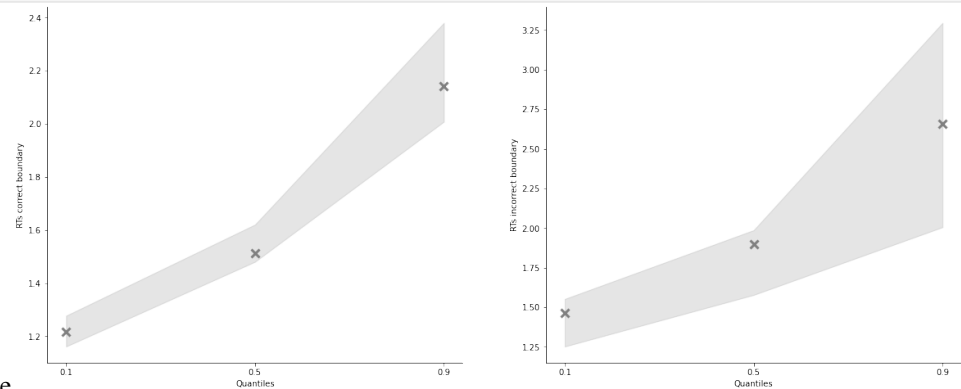
Quantile plots have 2 main visualization options, “shades” and “lines”, and you can specify again which quantiles you want, which in tervals and alpha levels:

```
[18]: model_fit_lba.plot_quantiles_posterior_predictives(n_posterior_predictives=200);
```



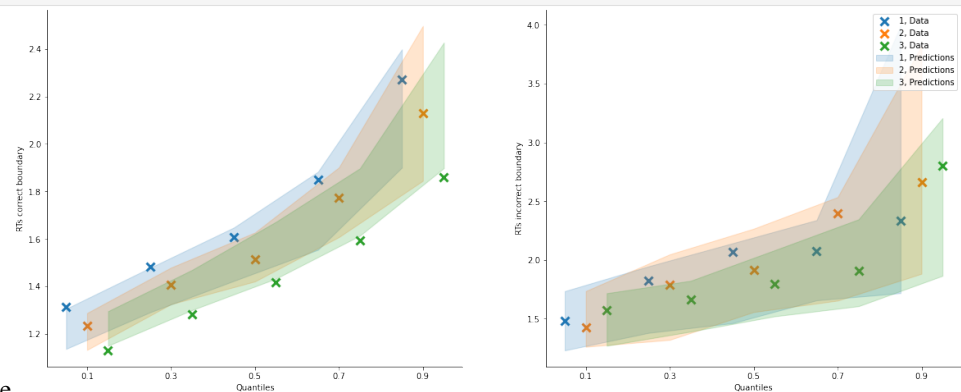
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```
[19]: model_fit_lba.plot_quantiles_posterior_predictives(n_posterior_predictives=200,
kind='shades',
quantiles=[.1, .5, .9]);
```



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```
[20]: model_fit_lba.plot_quantiles_grouped_posterior_predictives(
n_posterior_predictives=100,
grouping_var='block_label',
kind='shades',
quantiles=[.1, .3, .5, .7, .9]);
```



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```
[21]: # Define new grouping variables:
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```

import pandas as pd
import numpy as np

data = model_fit_rl.data_info['data']

# add a column to the data to group trials across learning blocks
data['block_bins'] = pd.cut(data.trial_block, 8, labels=np.arange(1, 9))

# add a column to define which choice pair is shown in that trial
data['choice_pair'] = 'AB'
data.loc[(data.cor_option == 3) & (data.inc_option == 1), 'choice_pair'] = 'AC'
data.loc[(data.cor_option == 4) & (data.inc_option == 2), 'choice_pair'] = 'BD'
data.loc[(data.cor_option == 4) & (data.inc_option == 3), 'choice_pair'] = 'CD'

```

```

[22]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns

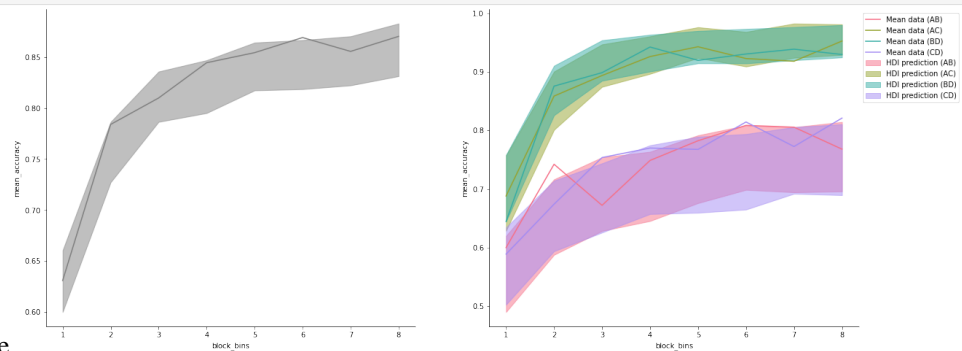
fig, axes = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(20,8))

model_fit_rl.plot_mean_grouped_posterior_predictives(grouping_vars=['block_bins'], n_
    ↳posterior_predictives=500, ax=axes[0])

model_fit_rl.plot_mean_grouped_posterior_predictives(grouping_vars=['block_bins',
    ↳'choice_pair'],
                                                    n_posterior_predictives=500,
    ↳ax=axes[1])

sns.despine()

```



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FIT THE DDM ON INDIVIDUAL DATA

```
[1]: import rlssm
import pandas as pd
import os
```

7.1 Import the data

```
[2]: data = rlssm.load_example_dataset(hierarchical_levels = 1)
```

```
data.head()
```

```
[2]:
```

	participant	block_label	trial_block	f_cor	f_inc	cor_option	\
0	15	1	1	50	28	3	
1	15	1	2	52	44	3	
2	15	1	3	30	38	2	
3	15	1	4	64	45	4	
4	15	1	5	48	26	3	

	inc_option	times_seen	rt	accuracy
0	1	1	2.630658	1
1	1	2	2.718299	1
2	1	2	2.382882	1
3	2	1	2.167205	1
4	1	3	2.748257	0

7.2 Initialize the model

```
[3]: model = rlssm.DDModel(hierarchical_levels = 1)
```

```
Using cached StanModel
```

7.3 Fit

```
[4]: # sampling parameters
n_iter = 1000
n_chains = 2
n_thin = 1
```

```
[5]: model_fit = model.fit(
    data,
    thin = n_thin,
    iter = n_iter,
    chains = n_chains,
    pointwise_waic=False,
    verbose = False)
```

Fitting the model using the priors:

drift_priors {'mu': 1, 'sd': 5}

threshold_priors {'mu': 0, 'sd': 5}

ndt_priors {'mu': 0, 'sd': 5}

WARNING:pystan:Maximum (flat) parameter count (1000) exceeded: skipping diagnostic tests.
↪ for n_eff and Rhat.

To run all diagnostics call `pystan.check_hmc_diagnostics(fit)`

Checks MCMC diagnostics:

n_eff / iter looks reasonable for all parameters

0.0 of 1000 iterations ended with a divergence (0.0%)

0 of 1000 iterations saturated the maximum tree depth of 10 (0.0%)

E-BFMI indicated no pathological behavior

7.3.1 get Rhat

```
[6]: model_fit.rhat
```

```
[6]:      rhat  variable
0  1.000810      drift
1  1.006943 threshold
2  1.007549        ndt
```

7.3.2 get wAIC

```
[7]: model_fit.waic
```

```
[7]: {'lppd': -249.31901167684737,
      'p_waic': 3.0587189056624244,
      'waic': 504.7554611650196,
      'waic_se': 34.26010966730786}
```

7.4 Posteriors

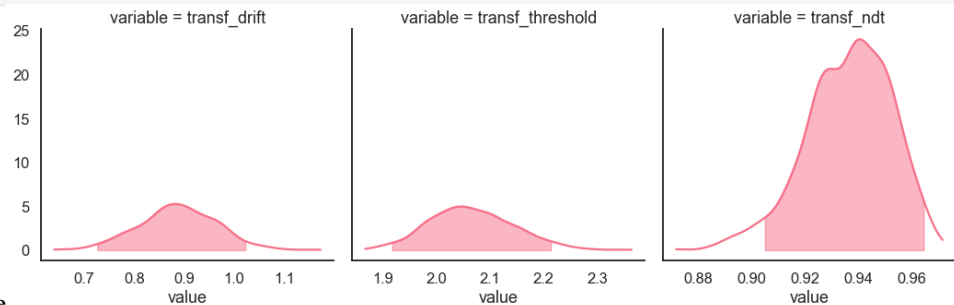
```
[8]: model_fit.samples.describe()
```

```
[8]:
```

	chain	draw	transf_drift	transf_threshold	transf_ndt
count	1000.000000	1000.000000	1000.000000	1000.000000	1000.000000
mean	0.500000	249.500000	0.887978	2.066264	0.936474
std	0.50025	144.409501	0.077742	0.078720	0.016016
min	0.000000	0.000000	0.639946	1.866531	0.871589
25%	0.000000	124.750000	0.838996	2.012143	0.926123
50%	0.500000	249.500000	0.887060	2.060566	0.938202
75%	1.000000	374.250000	0.939397	2.117163	0.948530
max	1.000000	499.000000	1.172651	2.364307	0.971738

```
[9]: import seaborn as sns
sns.set(context = "talk",
        style = "white",
        palette = "husl",
        rc={'figure.figsize':(15, 8)})
```

```
[10]: model_fit.plot_posteriors(height=5, show_intervals="HDI", alpha_intervals=.05);
```



7.5 Posterior predictives

7.5.1 Ungrouped

```
[11]: pp = model_fit.get_posterior_predictives_df(n_posterior_predictives=100)
pp
```

```
[11]:
```

variable	rt						
trial	1	2	3	4	5	6	\
sample							
1	1.223334	2.259334	1.509334	1.212334	2.187334	2.319334	
2	1.305570	1.567570	1.483570	1.874570	1.748570	1.159570	
3	1.400020	1.402020	3.388020	1.057020	2.142020	1.223020	
4	4.672817	1.878817	1.780817	1.547817	2.339817	1.494817	
5	3.312260	2.279260	2.675260	1.332260	1.425260	2.339260	
...	
96	2.024093	1.262093	2.446093	4.031093	1.437093	1.193093	
97	1.300279	1.493279	1.214279	1.889279	1.611279	1.160279	

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```

98      1.342920  1.468920  2.064920  1.563920  3.481920  1.511920
99      1.473277  2.308277  1.750277  1.995277  1.345277  1.712277
100     1.485624  1.479624  1.893624  2.016624  1.354624  2.434624

variable
trial      7      8      9     10    ... accuracy \
sample
1      1.228334  2.348334  1.991334  1.349334  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  0.0
2      1.312570  1.802570  1.703570  1.095570  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
3      2.474020  1.597020  1.396020  1.279020  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
4      1.835817  1.222817  2.578817  3.279817  ...      0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
5      1.814260  1.268260  1.372260  1.549260  ...      0.0  1.0  0.0  1.0
...      ...      ...      ...      ...  ...      ...  ...  ...  ...
96     2.746093  1.450093  1.216093  2.919093  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
97     1.265279  1.881279  3.004279  2.891279  ...      1.0  1.0  0.0  1.0
98     1.863920  1.289920  1.685920  1.471920  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
99     1.291277  1.392277  1.486277  1.976277  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
100    1.665624  2.441624  1.143624  1.129624  ...      1.0  1.0  0.0  1.0

variable
trial    234  235  236  237  238  239
sample
1      1.0  1.0  0.0  1.0  1.0  0.0
2      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
3      1.0  1.0  0.0  1.0  0.0  1.0
4      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
5      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
...      ...  ...  ...  ...  ...  ...
96     0.0  1.0  1.0  0.0  0.0  1.0
97     1.0  0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
98     1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  0.0  1.0
99     1.0  0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
100    1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0

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```

```
[12]: pp_summary = model_fit.get_posterior_predictives_summary(n_posterior_predictives=100)
pp_summary
```

```

[12]:      mean_accuracy  mean_rt  skewness  quant_10_rt_low  quant_30_rt_low \
sample
1      0.878661  1.892451  2.078444      1.378734      1.538534
2      0.832636  1.769654  3.328429      1.184570      1.293470
3      0.924686  1.782321  1.752938      1.219020      1.453120
4      0.803347  1.767152  1.387015      1.225617      1.505617
5      0.895397  1.745301  2.373022      1.250060      1.413660
...      ...      ...      ...      ...      ...
96     0.849372  1.825122  2.236298      1.277593      1.400593
97     0.874477  1.747479  1.793196      1.177179      1.235679
98     0.836820  1.865740  1.573733      1.221320      1.324320
99     0.887029  1.832696  1.897374      1.208077      1.358877
100    0.870293  1.697068  2.067900      1.206624      1.279624
```

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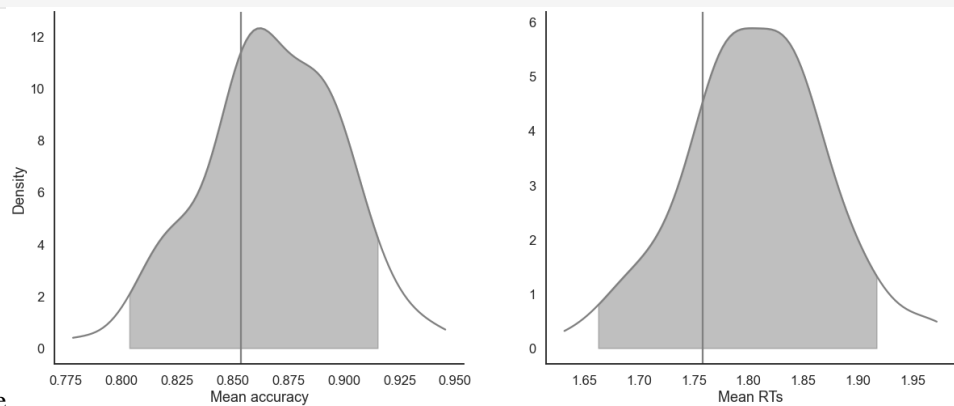
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	quant_50_rt_low	quant_70_rt_low	quant_90_rt_low	quant_10_rt_up	\
sample					
1	1.742334	2.037534	3.194934	1.212934	
2	1.441070	1.742370	2.202970	1.185370	
3	1.737520	1.887220	2.282020	1.230020	
4	1.725817	1.867217	2.265217	1.175917	
5	1.624260	1.853460	2.186860	1.179860	
...	
96	1.548593	1.712593	2.730093	1.198093	
97	1.505779	1.718079	2.450379	1.171479	
98	1.529920	1.825520	2.247520	1.200220	
99	1.609277	1.928877	2.915877	1.184377	
100	1.573624	1.868624	2.586624	1.143124	

	quant_30_rt_up	quant_50_rt_up	quant_70_rt_up	quant_90_rt_up
sample				
1	1.432634	1.656334	2.048934	2.963734
2	1.381770	1.575570	1.923370	2.626970
3	1.360020	1.584020	1.929020	2.615020
4	1.353117	1.589317	1.994917	2.578117
5	1.352760	1.582260	1.840360	2.588060
...
96	1.389893	1.613093	2.038493	2.657093
97	1.301479	1.504279	1.795079	2.846879
98	1.433020	1.740920	2.032520	2.920520
99	1.371877	1.601277	2.000277	2.812677
100	1.328724	1.525124	1.824924	2.440624

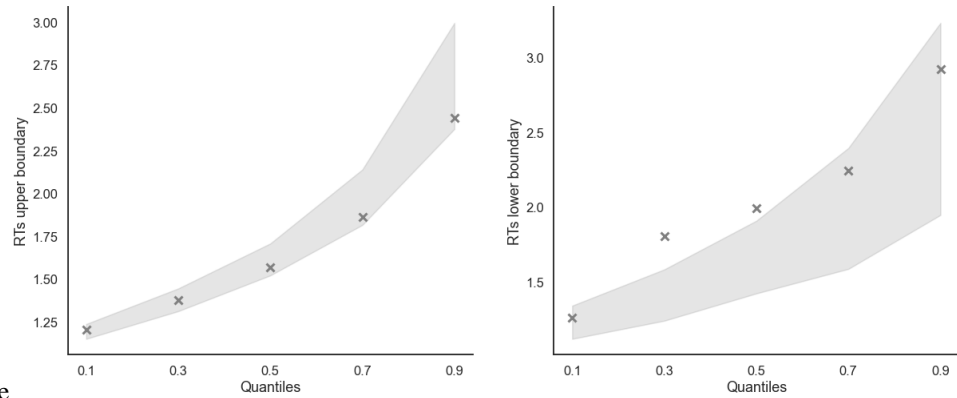
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```
[13]: model_fit.plot_mean_posterior_predictives(n_posterior_predictives=100, figsize=(20,8),
→ show_intervals='HDI');
```



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```
[14]: model_fit.plot_quantiles_posterior_predictives(n_posterior_predictives=100, kind='shades
→ ');
```



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7.5.2 Grouped

```
[15]: import numpy as np
```

```
[16]: # Define new grouping variables, in this case, for the different choice pairs, but any
      ↪ grouping var can do
      data['choice_pair'] = 'AB'
      data.loc[(data.cor_option == 3) & (data.inc_option == 1), 'choice_pair'] = 'AC'
      data.loc[(data.cor_option == 4) & (data.inc_option == 2), 'choice_pair'] = 'BD'
      data.loc[(data.cor_option == 4) & (data.inc_option == 3), 'choice_pair'] = 'CD'

      data['block_bins'] = pd.cut(data.trial_block, 8, labels=np.arange(1, 9))
```

```
[17]: model_fit.get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary(
      grouping_vars=['block_label', 'choice_pair'],
      quantiles=[.3, .5, .7],
      n_posterior_predictives=100)
```

```
[17]:
```

			mean_accuracy	mean_rt	skewness \
block_label	choice_pair	sample			
1	AB	1	0.85	2.110784	1.247609
		2	0.85	1.624170	0.995058
		3	0.95	1.735570	1.643538
		4	0.75	1.557317	1.365500
		5	0.85	1.756110	1.313400
...		
3	CD	96	0.75	1.501643	0.760884
		97	1.00	1.679479	1.992939
		98	1.00	1.809320	2.061042
		99	0.95	1.526577	1.452011
		100	0.85	1.690874	2.286446

			quant_30_rt_low	quant_30_rt_up \
block_label	choice_pair	sample		
1	AB	1	1.394134	1.324534
		2	1.831370	1.357170
		3	1.350020	1.374820
		4	1.221417	1.320417

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...
3      CD      5      1.313460      1.244660
...
3      CD      96      1.369893      1.277693
          97      NaN      1.343079
          98      NaN      1.290220
          99      1.913277      1.293877
         100      1.749624      1.329624

          quant_50_rt_low  quant_50_rt_up  \
block_label choice_pair sample
1      AB      1      1.427334      1.898334
          2      2.268570      1.439570
          3      1.350020      1.546020
          4      1.239817      1.503817
          5      1.338260      1.565260
...
3      CD      96      1.553093      1.382093
          97      NaN      1.527279
          98      NaN      1.469920
          99      1.913277      1.353277
         100      1.943624      1.404624

          quant_70_rt_low  quant_70_rt_up
block_label choice_pair sample
1      AB      1      1.492934      2.750934
          2      2.271770      1.612570
          3      1.350020      1.817820
          4      1.509417      1.694217
          5      1.588660      2.090260
...
3      CD      96      1.657093      1.625293
          97      NaN      1.597579
          98      NaN      1.932820
          99      1.913277      1.658677
         100      1.964424      1.777024

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```

```
[18]: model_fit.get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary(
        grouping_vars=['block_bins'],
        quantiles=[.3, .5, .7],
        n_posterior_predictives=100)
```

```
[18]:
      mean_accuracy  mean_rt  skewness  quant_30_rt_low  \
block_bins sample
1      0.933333  1.963768  1.036143      1.866334
          2      0.833333  1.588937  2.913381      1.240770
          3      0.933333  1.896486  2.235551      1.538420
          4      0.833333  1.723484  1.037996      1.675017
          5      0.966667  1.668193  2.396271      2.047260
...
8      0.689655  1.988265  1.413794      1.474693
```

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97      0.793103  1.831796  1.107177      1.467779
98      0.793103  1.898368  2.873183      1.320920
99      0.896552  2.043208  2.130396      1.331477
100     0.965517  1.748003  1.149147      1.250624

      quant_30_rt_up  quant_50_rt_low  quant_50_rt_up  \
block_bins sample
1      1      1.523834      2.112334      1.723834
      2      1.281170      1.549570      1.446570
      3      1.590420      1.672020      1.839520
      4      1.328017      1.723817      1.482817
      5      1.285660      2.047260      1.446260
...
8      96      1.529093      1.514093      1.859093
      97      1.469279      1.586779      1.549279
      98      1.476520      1.478920      1.701920
      99      1.459777      1.346277      1.714277
      100     1.506824      1.250624      1.692624

      quant_70_rt_low  quant_70_rt_up
block_bins sample
1      1      2.358334      2.232334
      2      1.569570      1.629170
      3      1.805620      2.031920
      4      1.995017      1.927617
      5      2.047260      1.650460
...
8      96      2.040893      2.171193
      97      1.791779      2.077879
      98      1.585420      2.138520
      99      1.890677      2.075277
      100     1.250624      1.907424

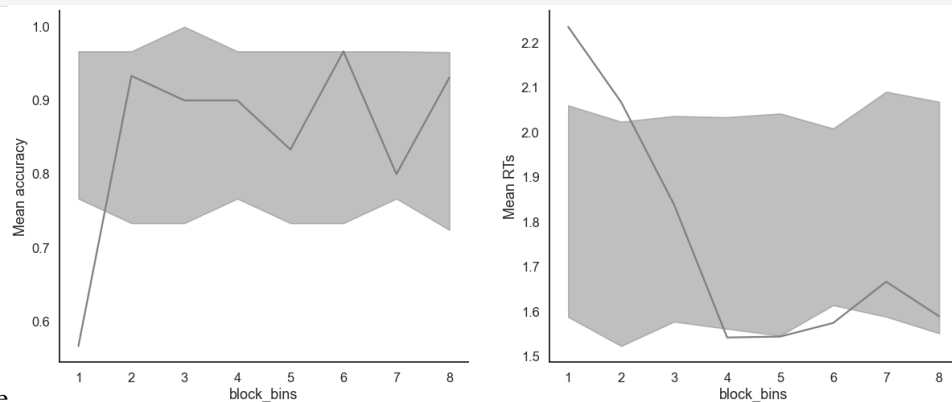
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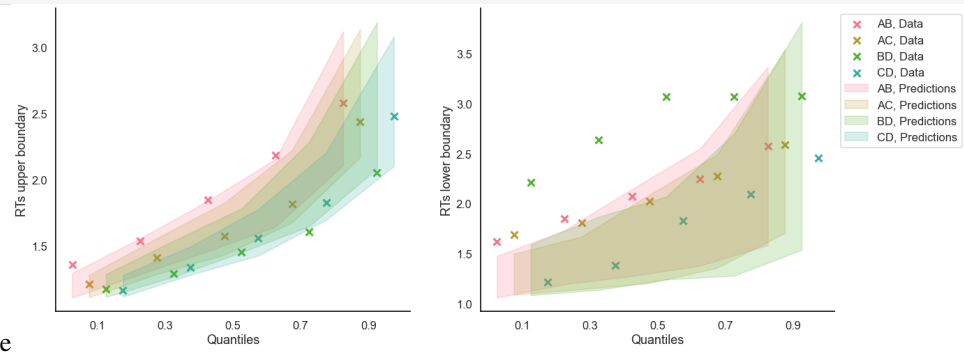
[19]: model_fit.plot_mean_grouped_posterior_predictives(grouping_vars=['block_bins'],
      n_posterior_predictives=100,
      figsize=(20,8));

```



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```
[20]: model_fit.plot_quantiles_grouped_posterior_predictives(
    n_posterior_predictives=100,
    grouping_var='choice_pair',
    kind='shades',
    quantiles=[.1, .3, .5, .7, .9]);
```



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FIT THE DDM ON HIERARCHICAL DATA

```
[1]: import rlssm
import pandas as pd
import os
```

8.1 Import the data

```
[2]: data = rlssm.load_example_dataset(hierarchical_levels = 2)
```

```
data.head()
```

```
[2]:
```

	participant	block_label	trial_block	f_cor	f_inc	cor_option	\
0	1	1	1	43	39	2	
1	1	1	2	60	50	4	
2	1	1	3	44	36	4	
3	1	1	4	55	55	4	
4	1	1	5	52	49	4	

	inc_option	times_seen	rt	accuracy
0	1	1	1.244082	0
1	3	1	1.101821	1
2	2	2	1.029923	0
3	3	2	1.368007	0
4	3	3	1.039329	1

8.2 Initialize the model

```
[3]: model = rlssm.DDModel(hierarchical_levels = 2)
```

```
Using cached StanModel
```

8.3 Fit

```
[4]: # sampling parameters
n_iter = 3000
n_warmup = 1000
n_chains = 2
n_thin = 1

# bayesian model, change default priors:
drift_priors = {'mu_mu':1, 'sd_mu':1, 'mu_sd':0, 'sd_sd':1}
threshold_priors = {'mu_mu':-1, 'sd_mu':.5, 'mu_sd':0, 'sd_sd':1}
```

```
[5]: model_fit = model.fit(
    data,
    drift_priors=drift_priors,
    threshold_priors=threshold_priors,
    warmup = n_warmup,
    iter = n_iter,
    chains = n_chains,
    verbose = False)
```

Fitting the model using the priors:

```
drift_priors {'mu_mu': 1, 'sd_mu': 1, 'mu_sd': 0, 'sd_sd': 1}
threshold_priors {'mu_mu': -1, 'sd_mu': 0.5, 'mu_sd': 0, 'sd_sd': 1}
ndt_priors {'mu_mu': 1, 'sd_mu': 1, 'mu_sd': 0, 'sd_sd': 1}
```

WARNING:pystan:Maximum (flat) parameter count (1000) exceeded: skipping diagnostic tests.
↪ for n_eff and Rhat.

To run all diagnostics call `pystan.check_hmc_diagnostics(fit)`

Checks MCMC diagnostics:

```
n_eff / iter looks reasonable for all parameters
0.0 of 4000 iterations ended with a divergence (0.0%)
0 of 4000 iterations saturated the maximum tree depth of 10 (0.0%)
E-BFMI indicated no pathological behavior
```

8.3.1 get Rhat

```
[6]: model_fit.rhat.describe()
```

```
[6]:
```

	rhat
count	87.000000
mean	1.002063
std	0.001658
min	0.999537
25%	1.000544
50%	1.001811
75%	1.003711
max	1.005368

8.3.2 calculate wAIC

```
[7]: model_fit.waic
```

```
[7]: {'lppd': -5411.232334273516,
      'p_waic': 100.49218768903286,
      'waic': 11023.449043925099,
      'waic_se': 176.56475211992282}
```

8.4 Posteriors

```
[8]: model_fit.samples.describe()
```

```
[8]:
```

	chain	draw	transf_mu_drift	transf_mu_threshold	\
count	4000.000000	4000.000000	4000.000000	4000.000000	
mean	0.500000	999.500000	0.902761	1.807539	
std	0.500063	577.422379	0.059822	0.054908	
min	0.000000	0.000000	0.674924	1.595346	
25%	0.000000	499.750000	0.863994	1.772357	
50%	0.500000	999.500000	0.903058	1.808784	
75%	1.000000	1499.250000	0.940805	1.842290	
max	1.000000	1999.000000	1.141893	2.033432	

	transf_mu_ndt	drift_sbj[1]	drift_sbj[2]	drift_sbj[3]	drift_sbj[4]	\
count	4000.000000	4000.000000	4000.000000	4000.000000	4000.000000	
mean	0.741604	1.130521	0.796869	0.987316	0.722244	
std	0.026017	0.092552	0.086190	0.091410	0.070307	
min	0.647802	0.819075	0.466966	0.655683	0.454312	
25%	0.723955	1.067871	0.738409	0.926912	0.674731	
50%	0.740936	1.130679	0.795897	0.986899	0.722107	
75%	0.758722	1.192259	0.855532	1.047859	0.769020	
max	0.852444	1.422928	1.123298	1.392205	0.987737	

	drift_sbj[5]	...	ndt_sbj[18]	ndt_sbj[19]	ndt_sbj[20]	ndt_sbj[21]	\
count	4000.000000	...	4000.000000	4000.000000	4000.000000	4000.000000	
mean	0.788625	...	0.730397	0.387217	0.917420	0.746415	
std	0.080458	...	0.010526	0.013373	0.012058	0.016956	
min	0.505320	...	0.676340	0.326232	0.861828	0.663290	
25%	0.733996	...	0.723725	0.378700	0.909887	0.735585	
50%	0.788834	...	0.731266	0.388043	0.918484	0.747791	
75%	0.842797	...	0.738054	0.396858	0.925692	0.758399	
max	1.074931	...	0.757969	0.422315	0.950412	0.794461	

	ndt_sbj[22]	ndt_sbj[23]	ndt_sbj[24]	ndt_sbj[25]	ndt_sbj[26]	\
count	4000.000000	4000.000000	4000.000000	4000.000000	4000.000000	
mean	0.742279	0.582877	0.738693	0.853545	0.465463	
std	0.012844	0.015244	0.011544	0.009388	0.005858	
min	0.685504	0.512557	0.690101	0.785180	0.433751	
25%	0.734626	0.573140	0.731390	0.847871	0.461699	
50%	0.743200	0.583825	0.739453	0.854248	0.465894	
75%	0.751337	0.593646	0.746683	0.860238	0.469833	

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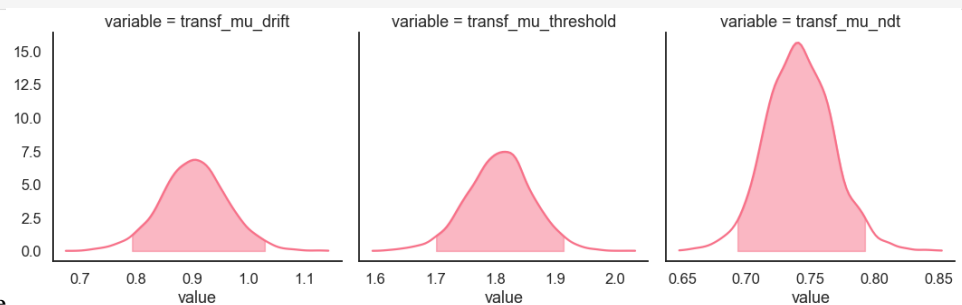
```
max      0.777875    0.625252    0.774845    0.880258    0.479346
```

```
ndt_sbj[27]
count 4000.000000
mean   0.863420
std    0.013867
min    0.801070
25%    0.854582
50%    0.864309
75%    0.873388
max    0.901650
```

```
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```

```
[9]: import seaborn as sns
sns.set(context = "talk",
        style = "white",
        palette = "husl",
        rc={'figure.figsize':(15, 8)})
```

```
[10]: model_fit.plot_posteriors(height=5, show_intervals='HDI');
```



```
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```

8.5 Posterior predictives

8.5.1 Ungrouped

```
[11]: pp_summary = model_fit.get_posterior_predictives_summary(n_posterior_predictives=100)
pp_summary
```

```
[11]:
```

	mean_accuracy	mean_rt	skewness	quant_10_rt_low	quant_30_rt_low	\
sample						
1	0.833075	1.465869	1.924414	0.883730	1.093301	
2	0.836170	1.463162	2.103788	0.892418	1.078721	
3	0.846999	1.483644	2.208010	0.905064	1.090908	
4	0.814047	1.484810	2.045138	0.923073	1.095670	
5	0.837407	1.465835	2.270638	0.922109	1.093109	
...	
96	0.829517	1.469527	2.031207	0.921734	1.093067	
97	0.834004	1.482221	2.272835	0.884389	1.096907	

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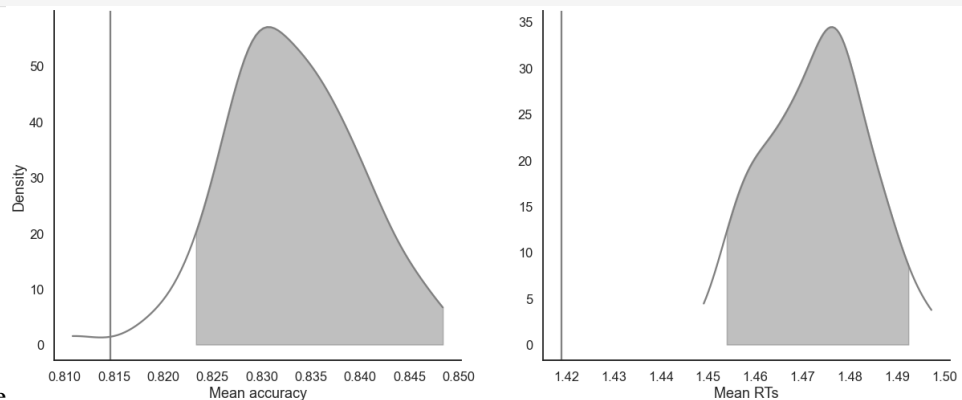
98	0.825959	1.478508	2.217464	0.900590	1.089122
99	0.828899	1.468675	2.238373	0.900192	1.104152
100	0.827042	1.463481	2.305245	0.882360	1.074106

	quant_50_rt_low	quant_70_rt_low	quant_90_rt_low	quant_10_rt_up	\
sample					
1	1.272597	1.568961	2.198967	0.941062	
2	1.299354	1.572111	2.172324	0.931466	
3	1.315067	1.576960	2.248927	0.940345	
4	1.295465	1.581610	2.274091	0.947493	
5	1.314665	1.643438	2.282154	0.937676	
...	
96	1.290120	1.542060	2.201835	0.940105	
97	1.286055	1.565813	2.301758	0.940277	
98	1.268247	1.549817	2.153399	0.941824	
99	1.303109	1.600759	2.304936	0.932834	
100	1.280296	1.583718	2.223310	0.945467	

	quant_30_rt_up	quant_50_rt_up	quant_70_rt_up	quant_90_rt_up
sample				
1	1.119104	1.321842	1.611800	2.195939
2	1.112196	1.298555	1.591849	2.215945
3	1.116395	1.311158	1.604061	2.271693
4	1.129157	1.314156	1.610896	2.241961
5	1.112792	1.289724	1.571149	2.203733
...
96	1.114216	1.305271	1.599589	2.227620
97	1.119118	1.309424	1.595480	2.277529
98	1.118637	1.309469	1.600631	2.277239
99	1.107752	1.296001	1.570841	2.213527
100	1.117998	1.303640	1.580593	2.195555

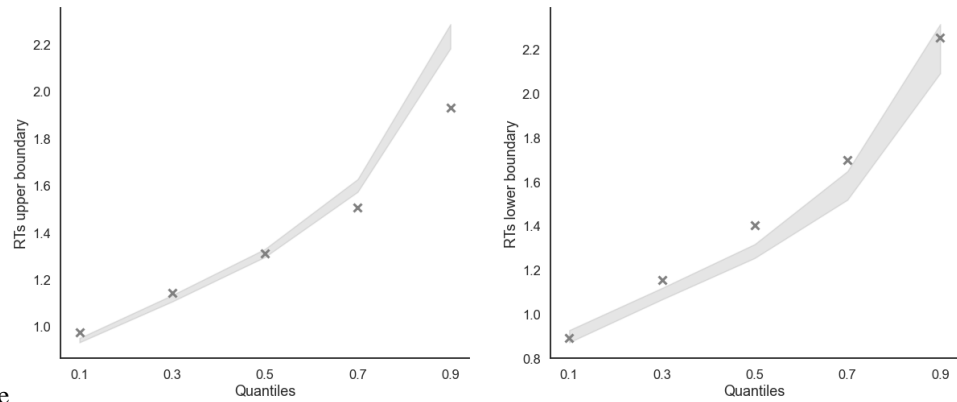
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```
[12]: model_fit.plot_mean_posterior_predictives(n_posterior_predictives=100, figsize=(20,8),
→ show_intervals='HDI');
```



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```
[13]: model_fit.plot_quantiles_posterior_predictives(n_posterior_predictives=100, kind='shades
→ ');
```



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8.5.2 Grouped

```
[14]: import numpy as np
```

```
[15]: # Define new grouping variables, in this case, for the different choice pairs, but any
      ↪ grouping var can do
      data['choice_pair'] = 'AB'
      data.loc[(data.cor_option == 3) & (data.inc_option == 1), 'choice_pair'] = 'AC'
      data.loc[(data.cor_option == 4) & (data.inc_option == 2), 'choice_pair'] = 'BD'
      data.loc[(data.cor_option == 4) & (data.inc_option == 3), 'choice_pair'] = 'CD'

      data['block_bins'] = pd.cut(data.trial_block, 8, labels=np.arange(1, 9))
```

```
[16]: model_fit.get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary(
      grouping_vars=['block_label', 'choice_pair'],
      quantiles=[.3, .5, .7],
      n_posterior_predictives=100)
```

```
[16]:
```

			mean_accuracy	mean_rt	skewness \
block_label	choice_pair	sample			
1	AB	1	0.836127	1.424913	1.829896
		2	0.810056	1.489926	3.021606
		3	0.834264	1.522572	1.795817
		4	0.826816	1.504265	2.000594
		5	0.856611	1.455028	2.136628
...		
3	CD	96	0.822222	1.508209	1.729570
		97	0.829630	1.469977	1.739914
		98	0.838889	1.519894	1.752790
		99	0.844444	1.462611	1.526917
		100	0.838889	1.442204	2.094030

			quant_30_rt_low	quant_30_rt_up \
block_label	choice_pair	sample		
1	AB	1	1.132202	1.090361
		2	1.085730	1.115178
		3	1.114961	1.123546

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		4	1.127252	1.137665
		5	1.016709	1.092805
...		
3	CD	96	1.070761	1.113506
		97	1.114338	1.112565
		98	1.191110	1.155950
		99	1.011587	1.141000
		100	1.070715	1.115111
			quant_50_rt_low	quant_50_rt_up \
block_label	choice_pair	sample		
1	AB	1	1.302380	1.287831
		2	1.290275	1.313489
		3	1.348158	1.338346
		4	1.289395	1.347707
		5	1.266724	1.297497
...		
3	CD	96	1.194467	1.393401
		97	1.333333	1.292743
		98	1.393306	1.349036
		99	1.217973	1.333668
		100	1.201510	1.322007
			quant_70_rt_low	quant_70_rt_up
block_label	choice_pair	sample		
1	AB	1	1.640282	1.555307
		2	1.660278	1.574471
		3	1.773007	1.607617
		4	1.620425	1.639692
		5	1.535460	1.598402
...		
3	CD	96	1.542280	1.692783
		97	1.630972	1.608350
		98	1.715621	1.666124
		99	1.496050	1.607953
		100	1.432134	1.583041
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```
[ ]: model_fit.get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary(
      grouping_vars=['block_bins'],
      quantiles=[.3, .5, .7],
      n_posterior_predictives=100)
```

```
[ ]: model_fit.plot_mean_grouped_posterior_predictives(grouping_vars=['block_bins'],
      n_posterior_predictives=100,
      figsize=(20,8));
```

```
[ ]: model_fit.plot_quantiles_grouped_posterior_predictives(n_posterior_predictives=100,
      grouping_var='choice_pair',
      kind='shades',
```

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```
quantiles=[.1, .3, .5, .7, .9]);
```

PARAMETER RECOVERY OF THE DDM WITH STARTING POINT BIAS

```
[1]: import rlssm
import pandas as pd
```

9.1 Simulate individual data

```
[2]: from rlssm.random import simulate_ddm
```

```
[3]: data = simulate_ddm(
    n_trials=400,
    gen_drift=.8,
    gen_threshold=1.3,
    gen_ndt=.23,
    gen_rel_sp=.6)
```

```
[4]: data.describe()[['rt', 'accuracy']]
```

```
[4]:
```

	rt	accuracy
count	400.000000	400.000000
mean	0.583140	0.81750
std	0.296395	0.38674
min	0.257000	0.000000
25%	0.366000	1.000000
50%	0.493500	1.000000
75%	0.706500	1.000000
max	1.916000	1.000000

9.2 Initialize the model

```
[5]: model = rlssm.DDMModel(hierarchical_levels = 1, starting_point_bias=True)
```

```
Using cached StanModel
```

9.3 Fit

```
[6]: # sampling parameters
n_iter = 3000
n_chains = 2
n_thin = 1

# bayesian model, change default priors:
drift_priors = {'mu':1, 'sd':3}
threshold_priors = {'mu':-1, 'sd':3}
ndt_priors = {'mu':-1, 'sd':1}
```

```
[7]: model_fit = model.fit(
    data,
    drift_priors=drift_priors,
    threshold_priors=threshold_priors,
    ndt_priors=ndt_priors,
    thin = n_thin,
    iter = n_iter,
    chains = n_chains,
    verbose = False)
```

Fitting the model using the priors:

```
drift_priors {'mu': 1, 'sd': 3}
threshold_priors {'mu': -1, 'sd': 3}
ndt_priors {'mu': -1, 'sd': 1}
rel_sp_priors {'mu': 0, 'sd': 0.8}
```

WARNING:pystan:Maximum (flat) parameter count (1000) exceeded: skipping diagnostic tests.
↪ for n_eff and Rhat.

To run all diagnostics call `pystan.check_hmc_diagnostics(fit)`

Checks MCMC diagnostics:

```
n_eff / iter looks reasonable for all parameters
0.0 of 3000 iterations ended with a divergence (0.0%)
0 of 3000 iterations saturated the maximum tree depth of 10 (0.0%)
E-BFMI indicated no pathological behavior
```

9.3.1 get Rhat

```
[8]: model_fit.rhat
```

```
[8]:      rhat  variable
0  1.002813    drift
1  1.000353 threshold
2  0.999921     ndt
3  1.003156    rel_sp
```


9.3.2 calculate wAIC

```
[9]: model_fit.waic
```

```
[9]: {'lppd': -122.26126045695726,
      'p_waic': 3.682425753566376,
      'waic': 251.88737242104727,
      'waic_se': 47.269086540763105}
```

9.4 Posteriors

```
[10]: model_fit.samples.describe()
```

```
[10]:
```

	chain	draw	transf_drift	transf_threshold	transf_ndt \
count	3000.000000	3000.000000	3000.000000	3000.000000	3000.000000
mean	0.500000	749.500000	0.792928	1.306639	0.233079
std	0.500083	433.084792	0.103006	0.033952	0.004736
min	0.000000	0.000000	0.338697	1.204520	0.214251
25%	0.000000	374.750000	0.721867	1.283811	0.230113
50%	0.500000	749.500000	0.793180	1.306182	0.233424
75%	1.000000	1124.250000	0.863523	1.329765	0.236436
max	1.000000	1499.000000	1.242643	1.431171	0.247481

	transf_rel_sp
count	3000.000000
mean	0.604580
std	0.019013
min	0.537698
25%	0.591341
50%	0.604716
75%	0.617648
max	0.668216

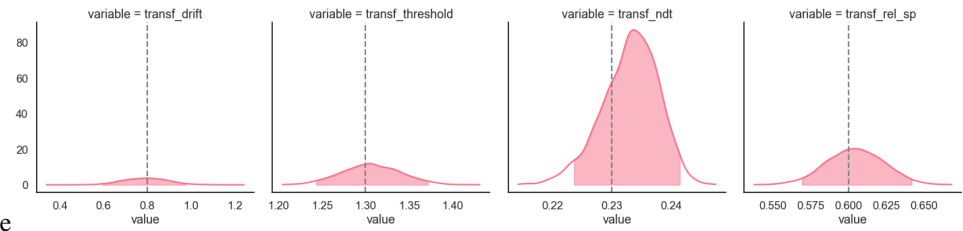
```
[11]: import seaborn as sns
      sns.set(context = "talk",
              style = "white",
              palette = "husl",
              rc={'figure.figsize':(15, 8)})
```

Here we plot the estimated posterior distributions against the generating parameters, to see whether the model parameters are recovering well:

```
[12]: g = model_fit.plot_posteriors(height=5, show_intervals='HDI')

      for i, ax in enumerate(g.axes.flatten()):
          ax.axvline(data[['drift', 'threshold', 'ndt', 'rel_sp']].mean().values[i], color=
→ 'grey', linestyle='--')
```

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PARAMETER RECOVERY OF THE HIERARCHICAL DDM WITH STARTING POINT BIAS

```
[1]: import rlssm
import pandas as pd
```

10.1 Simulate group data

```
[2]: from rlssm.random import simulate_hier_ddm
```

```
[3]: data = simulate_hier_ddm(n_trials=200,
                             n_participants=10,
                             gen_mu_drift=.6, gen_sd_drift=.1,
                             gen_mu_threshold=.5, gen_sd_threshold=.1,
                             gen_mu_ndt=0, gen_sd_ndt=.01,
                             gen_mu_rel_sp=.1, gen_sd_rel_sp=.01)
```

```
[4]: data.head()
```

```
[4]:
```

		drift	threshold	ndt	rel_sp	rt	accuracy
participant	trial						
1	1	0.623365	0.997041	0.692471	0.539151	0.716471	1.0
	1	0.623365	0.997041	0.692471	0.539151	0.902471	1.0
	1	0.623365	0.997041	0.692471	0.539151	0.793471	1.0
	1	0.623365	0.997041	0.692471	0.539151	0.980471	0.0
	1	0.623365	0.997041	0.692471	0.539151	1.739471	1.0

```
[5]: data.groupby('participant').describe()[['rt', 'accuracy']]
```

```
[5]:
```

	rt						
	count	mean	std	min	25%	50%	\
participant							
1	200.0	0.951961	0.228372	0.710471	0.796221	0.888471	
2	200.0	0.977915	0.226304	0.730590	0.816340	0.919590	
3	200.0	0.999711	0.246408	0.728586	0.829836	0.935586	
4	200.0	0.926358	0.171244	0.720133	0.794883	0.892133	
5	200.0	0.885120	0.165347	0.708605	0.774355	0.831605	
6	200.0	0.939961	0.198498	0.711296	0.809296	0.900296	
7	200.0	0.909842	0.185368	0.703557	0.785057	0.844057	

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8	200.0	0.902757	0.165986	0.710047	0.790047	0.854547
9	200.0	0.892931	0.151139	0.711606	0.777356	0.852106
10	200.0	0.955701	0.230286	0.726306	0.810306	0.901306

			accuracy								
	75%	max	count	mean	std	min	25%	50%	75%		
participant											
1	1.012721	2.130471	200.0	0.680	0.467647	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0		
2	1.074590	2.046590	200.0	0.650	0.478167	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0		
3	1.111336	2.373586	200.0	0.675	0.469550	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0		
4	1.008383	1.610133	200.0	0.695	0.461563	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0		
5	0.923105	1.585605	200.0	0.625	0.485338	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0		
6	1.028546	2.424296	200.0	0.655	0.476561	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0		
7	0.984807	2.023557	200.0	0.720	0.450126	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0		
8	0.967047	1.645047	200.0	0.635	0.482638	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0		
9	0.968856	1.604606	200.0	0.735	0.442441	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0		
10	1.023556	2.345306	200.0	0.705	0.457187	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0		

	max
participant	
1	1.0
2	1.0
3	1.0
4	1.0
5	1.0
6	1.0
7	1.0
8	1.0
9	1.0
10	1.0

10.2 Initialize the model

```
[6]: model = rlssm.DDModel(hierarchical_levels = 2, starting_point_bias=True)
```

Using cached StanModel

10.3 Fit

```
[7]: # sampling parameters
n_iter = 5000
n_chains = 2
n_thin = 1
```

```
[8]: model_fit = model.fit(
    data,
```

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```
thin = n_thin,
iter = n_iter,
chains = n_chains,
verbose = False)
```

Fitting the model using the priors:

```
drift_priors {'mu_mu': 1, 'sd_mu': 5, 'mu_sd': 0, 'sd_sd': 5}
threshold_priors {'mu_mu': 1, 'sd_mu': 3, 'mu_sd': 0, 'sd_sd': 3}
ndt_priors {'mu_mu': 1, 'sd_mu': 1, 'mu_sd': 0, 'sd_sd': 1}
rel_sp_priors {'mu_mu': 0, 'sd_mu': 1, 'mu_sd': 0, 'sd_sd': 1}
```

WARNING:pystan:Maximum (flat) parameter count (1000) exceeded: skipping diagnostic tests.
↪ for n_eff and Rhat.

To run all diagnostics call `pystan.check_hmc_diagnostics(fit)`

WARNING:pystan:3 of 5000 iterations ended with a divergence (0.06 %).

WARNING:pystan:Try running with adapt_delta larger than 0.8 to remove the divergences.

Checks MCMC diagnostics:

n_eff / iter looks reasonable for all parameters

3.0 of 5000 iterations ended with a divergence (0.06%)

Try running with larger adapt_delta to remove the divergences

0 of 5000 iterations saturated the maximum tree depth of 10 (0.0%)

E-BFMI indicated no pathological behavior

10.3.1 get Rhat

```
[9]: model_fit.rhat.describe()
```

```
[9]:      rhat
count  48.000000
mean    1.000329
std     0.000791
min     0.999604
25%     0.999880
50%     1.000038
75%     1.000444
max     1.003618
```

10.3.2 calculate wAIC

```
[10]: model_fit.waic
```

```
[10]: {'lppd': -138.87336841598818,
      'p_waic': 23.687615971055777,
      'waic': 325.1219687740879,
      'waic_se': 92.20297977041197}
```

10.4 Posteriors

```
[11]: model_fit.samples.describe()
```

```
[11]:
```

	chain	draw	transf_mu_drift	transf_mu_threshold	\
count	5000.000000	5000.000000	5000.000000	5000.000000	
mean	0.500000	1249.500000	0.615952	1.009498	
std	0.500005	721.759958	0.065815	0.030910	
min	0.000000	0.000000	0.350688	0.860374	
25%	0.000000	624.750000	0.572878	0.990568	
50%	0.500000	1249.500000	0.615384	1.009284	
75%	1.000000	1874.250000	0.659705	1.028144	
max	1.000000	2499.000000	0.961835	1.160558	

	transf_mu_ndt	transf_mu_rel_sp	drift_sbj[1]	drift_sbj[2]	\
count	5000.000000	5000.000000	5000.000000	5000.000000	
mean	0.691726	0.530285	0.603799	0.576879	
std	0.002199	0.012904	0.090243	0.093931	
min	0.681198	0.475725	0.093595	0.157550	
25%	0.690373	0.522065	0.549763	0.520853	
50%	0.691617	0.530185	0.604913	0.584693	
75%	0.693001	0.538358	0.660774	0.638983	
max	0.704329	0.589211	0.934712	0.990759	

	drift_sbj[3]	drift_sbj[4]	...	rel_sp_sbj[1]	rel_sp_sbj[2]	\
count	5000.000000	5000.000000	...	5000.000000	5000.000000	
mean	0.599734	0.642007	...	0.536195	0.526231	
std	0.088017	0.093087	...	0.018094	0.017883	
min	0.190691	0.282644	...	0.469905	0.460770	
25%	0.544895	0.581498	...	0.524433	0.514626	
50%	0.601593	0.633981	...	0.535846	0.526326	
75%	0.656278	0.694858	...	0.548069	0.537657	
max	0.994084	1.178273	...	0.602393	0.590122	

	rel_sp_sbj[3]	rel_sp_sbj[4]	rel_sp_sbj[5]	rel_sp_sbj[6]	\
count	5000.000000	5000.000000	5000.000000	5000.000000	
mean	0.522930	0.526576	0.520650	0.492087	
std	0.018320	0.017435	0.017763	0.020995	
min	0.455520	0.465381	0.450294	0.414656	
25%	0.510905	0.515375	0.509454	0.477564	
50%	0.523374	0.527026	0.521320	0.492551	
75%	0.535127	0.538225	0.532493	0.506852	
max	0.599665	0.592212	0.595451	0.551932	

	rel_sp_sbj[7]	rel_sp_sbj[8]	rel_sp_sbj[9]	rel_sp_sbj[10]
count	5000.000000	5000.000000	5000.000000	5000.000000
mean	0.568101	0.520123	0.549857	0.539313
std	0.021740	0.017393	0.019104	0.018017
min	0.506434	0.461902	0.484085	0.466391
25%	0.552796	0.508784	0.536325	0.527094
50%	0.567758	0.520566	0.549263	0.538623
75%	0.582966	0.531734	0.562528	0.551173
max	0.638467	0.586136	0.617997	0.610974

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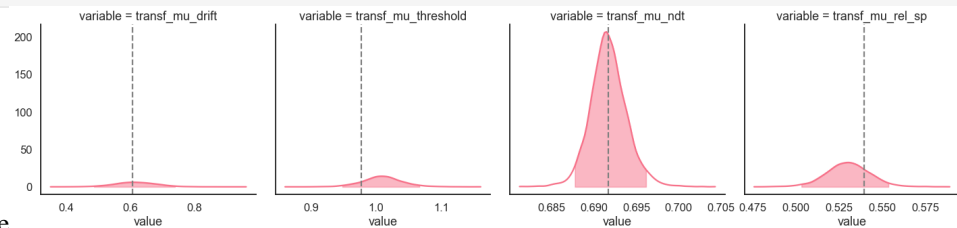
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```
[12]: import seaborn as sns
sns.set(context = "talk",
        style = "white",
        palette = "husl",
        rc={'figure.figsize':(15, 8)})
```

Here we plot the estimated posterior distributions against the generating parameters, to see whether the model parameters are recovering well:

```
[13]: g = model_fit.plot_posteriors(height=5, show_intervals='HDI')

for i, ax in enumerate(g.axes.flatten()):
    ax.axvline(data[['drift', 'threshold', 'ndt', 'rel_sp']].mean().values[i], color=
    ↪ 'grey', linestyle='--')
```



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FIT A RL MODEL ON INDIVIDUAL DATA

```
[1]: import rlssm
import pandas as pd
import os
```

11.1 Import individual data

```
[2]: # import some example data:
data = rlssm.load_example_dataset(hierarchical_levels = 1)
```

```
data.head()
```

```
[2]:
```

	participant	block_label	trial_block	f_cor	f_inc	cor_option	\
0	20	1	1	46	46	4	
1	20	1	2	60	33	4	
2	20	1	3	32	44	2	
3	20	1	4	56	40	4	
4	20	1	5	34	32	2	

	inc_option	times_seen	rt	accuracy
0	2	1	2.574407	1
1	2	2	1.952774	1
2	1	2	2.074999	0
3	2	3	2.320916	0
4	1	3	1.471107	1

11.2 Initialize the model

```
[3]: # you can "turn on and off" different mechanisms:
model = rlssm.RLModel_2A(hierarchical_levels = 1,
                          increasing_sensitivity = False,
                          separate_learning_rates = True)
```

```
Using cached StanModel
```

```
[4]: model.priors
```

```
[4]: {'sensitivity_priors': {'mu': 1, 'sd': 50},
      'alpha_pos_priors': {'mu': 0, 'sd': 1},
      'alpha_neg_priors': {'mu': 0, 'sd': 1}}
```

11.3 Fit

```
[5]: # sampling parameters
n_iter = 2000
n_chains = 2
n_thin = 1

# learning parameters
K = 4 # n options in a learning block (participants see 2 at a time)
initial_value_learning = 27.5 # initial learning value (Q0)
```

```
[6]: model_fit = model.fit(
    data,
    K,
    initial_value_learning,
    sensitivity_priors={'mu': 0, 'sd': 5},
    thin = n_thin,
    iter = n_iter,
    chains = n_chains,
    verbose = False)
```

```
Fitting the model using the priors:
sensitivity_priors {'mu': 0, 'sd': 5}
alpha_pos_priors {'mu': 0, 'sd': 1}
alpha_neg_priors {'mu': 0, 'sd': 1}
```

```
WARNING:pystan:n_eff / iter below 0.001 indicates that the effective sample size has
↳ likely been overestimated
```

```
Checks MCMC diagnostics:
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1] is 0.0005136779702589292!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[2] is 0.0005090424204222284!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[81] is 0.0006137657752379577!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[161] is 0.000616751650396009!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_lik[1] is 0.0005161261210126754!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_lik[2] is 0.0005103493063252117!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_lik[81] is 0.0009513954236082592!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter below 0.001 indicates that the effective sample size has likely been
↳ overestimated
0.0 of 2000 iterations ended with a divergence (0.0%)
```

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```
0 of 2000 iterations saturated the maximum tree depth of 10 (0.0%)
E-BFMI indicated no pathological behavior
```

11.4 get Rhat

```
[7]: model_fit.rhat
```

```
[7]:      rhat      variable
0  0.999890    alpha_pos
1  1.000694    alpha_neg
2  1.000057  sensitivity
```

11.5 get wAIC

```
[8]: model_fit.waic
```

```
[8]: {'lppd': -76.0013341137295,
      'p_waic': 2.584147075766782,
      'waic': 157.17096237899256,
      'waic_se': 15.860333370240344}
```

11.6 Posteriors

```
[9]: model_fit.samples.describe()
```

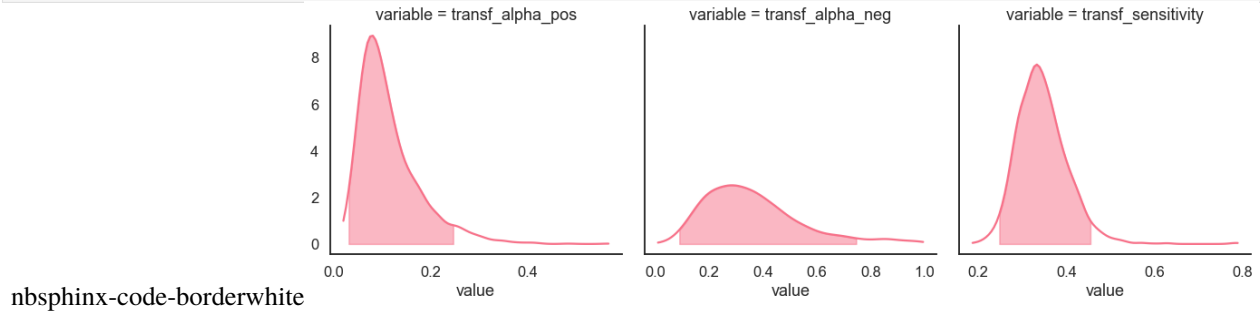
```
[9]:
```

	chain	draw	transf_alpha_pos	transf_alpha_neg	\
count	2000.000000	2000.000000	2000.000000	2000.000000	
mean	0.500000	499.500000	0.114611	0.362081	
std	0.500125	288.747186	0.063520	0.180011	
min	0.000000	0.000000	0.020200	0.010799	
25%	0.000000	249.750000	0.070945	0.230730	
50%	0.500000	499.500000	0.097523	0.329723	
75%	1.000000	749.250000	0.141440	0.449876	
max	1.000000	999.000000	0.567216	0.995145	

	transf_sensitivity
count	2000.000000
mean	0.345694
std	0.057914
min	0.187258
25%	0.306195
50%	0.339720
75%	0.376828
max	0.789082

```
[10]: import seaborn as sns
sns.set(context = "talk",
        style = "white",
        palette = "husl",
        rc={'figure.figsize':(15, 8)})
```

```
[11]: model_fit.plot_posteriors(height=5, show_intervals="HDI", alpha_intervals=.05);
```



11.7 Posterior predictives

11.7.1 Ungrouped

```
[12]: pp = model_fit.get_posterior_predictives_df(n_posterior_predictives=1000)
pp
```

```
[12]: variable accuracy
trial      1  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  9  10  ... 231 232 233 234 \
sample
1          0  1  0  1  1  0  1  1  0  1  ...  1  1  1  1
2          1  1  0  1  1  1  1  1  1  1  ...  0  1  1  1
3          1  1  0  1  1  1  1  1  0  0  ...  0  0  1  0
4          0  0  1  1  0  1  0  1  0  1  ...  0  1  1  1
5          0  1  1  1  1  1  1  1  1  0  ...  0  0  1  1
...
996        1  1  1  1  1  0  1  0  1  1  ...  1  1  1  1
997        1  0  1  1  1  0  1  1  0  0  ...  1  1  1  0
998        0  1  1  1  1  1  0  0  0  1  ...  0  0  1  1
999        1  1  1  1  1  1  1  0  0  0  ...  1  0  1  1
1000       0  0  1  0  1  1  1  1  0  1  ...  0  1  1  1

variable
trial    235 236 237 238 239 240
sample
1          1  1  1  0  1  1
2          1  1  1  0  1  1
3          1  0  1  1  0  1
4          1  1  1  1  1  1
5          1  1  1  1  1  1
...
996        1  0  0  0  0  1
```

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```

997      1  1  1  1  1  1
998      1  0  1  1  1  1
999      1  0  1  1  0  1
1000     1  0  1  1  1  1

```

```
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```

```
[13]: pp_summary = model_fit.get_posterior_predictives_summary(n_posterior_predictives=1000)
      pp_summary
```

```

[13]:      mean_accuracy
sample
1      0.804167
2      0.804167
3      0.800000
4      0.883333
5      0.825000
...      ...
996     0.833333
997     0.908333
998     0.887500
999     0.845833
1000     0.900000

[1000 rows x 1 columns]

```

```

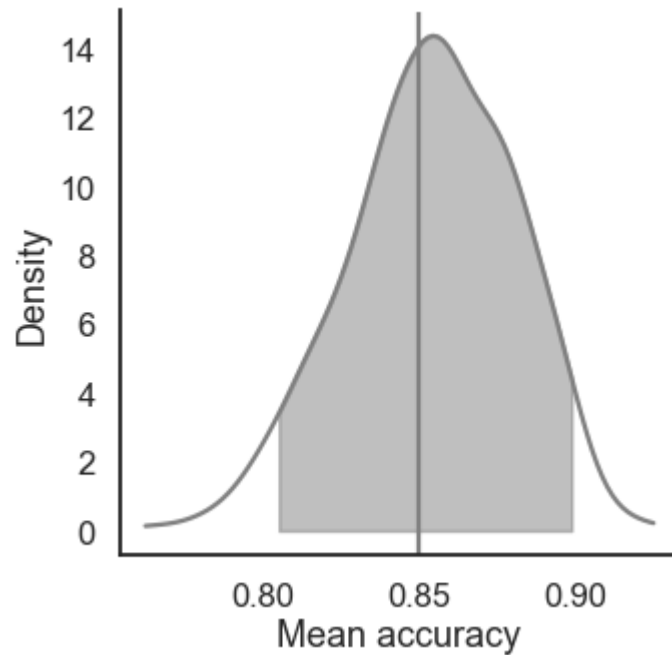
[14]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
      fig, ax = plt.subplots(1, 1, figsize=(5, 5))

      model_fit.plot_mean_posterior_predictives(n_posterior_predictives=500, ax=ax, show_
      ↪ intervals='HDI')

      ax.set_ylabel('Density')
      ax.set_xlabel('Mean accuracy')

      sns.despine()

```



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11.7.2 Grouped

```
[15]: import numpy as np
```

```
[16]: # Define new grouping variables, in this case, for the different choice pairs, but any
      ↪ grouping var can do
      data['choice_pair'] = 'AB'
      data.loc[(data.cor_option == 3) & (data.inc_option == 1), 'choice_pair'] = 'AC'
      data.loc[(data.cor_option == 4) & (data.inc_option == 2), 'choice_pair'] = 'BD'
      data.loc[(data.cor_option == 4) & (data.inc_option == 3), 'choice_pair'] = 'CD'

      data['block_bins'] = pd.cut(data.trial_block, 8, labels=np.arange(1, 9))
```

```
[17]: model_fit.get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary(grouping_vars=['block_label', 'block_
      ↪ bins', 'choice_pair'],
      n_posterior_predictives=500)
```

```
[17]:
```

block_label	block_bins	choice_pair	sample	mean_accuracy
1	1	AB	1	0.800000
			2	0.200000
			3	0.600000
			4	0.800000
			5	0.800000
...				...
3	8	CD	496	1.000000
			497	0.666667
			498	0.333333
			499	0.333333

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500 0.333333

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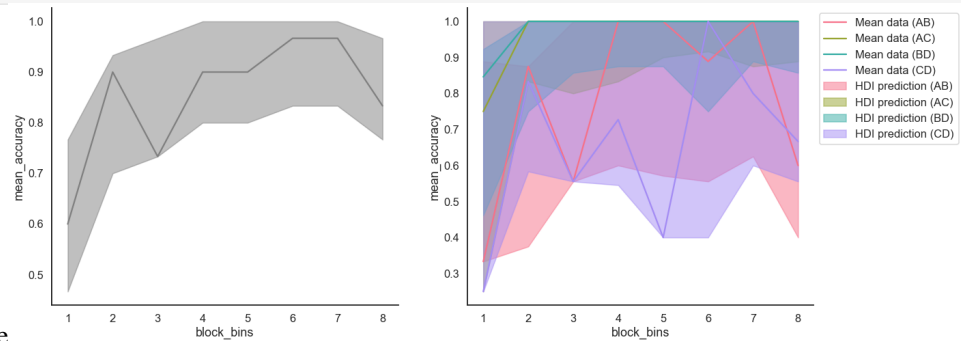
```
[18]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

fig, axes = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(20,8))

model_fit.plot_mean_grouped_posterior_predictives(grouping_vars=['block_bins'], n_
↳posterior_predictives=500, ax=axes[0])

model_fit.plot_mean_grouped_posterior_predictives(grouping_vars=['block_bins', 'choice_
↳pair'], n_posterior_predictives=500, ax=axes[1])

sns.despine()
```



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FIT A RL MODEL ON HIERARCHICAL DATA

```
[1]: import rlssm
import pandas as pd
import os
```

12.1 Import the data

```
[2]: # import some example data:
data = rlssm.load_example_dataset(hierarchical_levels = 2)
```

```
data.head()
```

```
[2]:
```

	participant	block_label	trial_block	f_cor	f_inc	cor_option	\
0	1	1	1	43	39		2
1	1	1	2	60	50		4
2	1	1	3	44	36		4
3	1	1	4	55	55		4
4	1	1	5	52	49		4

	inc_option	times_seen	rt	accuracy
0	1	1	1.244082	0
1	3	1	1.101821	1
2	2	2	1.029923	0
3	3	2	1.368007	0
4	3	3	1.039329	1

12.2 Initialize the model

```
[3]: # you can "turn on and off" different mechanisms:
model = rlssm.RLModel_2A(hierarchical_levels = 2,
                          increasing_sensitivity = False,
                          separate_learning_rates = True)
```

```
Using cached StanModel
```

12.3 Fit

```
[4]: # sampling parameters
n_iter = 3000
n_warmup = 1000
n_chains = 2

# learning parameters
K = 4 # n options in a learning block (participants see 2 at a time)
initial_value_learning = 27.5 # initial learning value (Q0)
```

```
[5]: model_fit = model.fit(
    data,
    K,
    initial_value_learning,
    warmup = n_warmup,
    iter = n_iter,
    chains = n_chains)
```

Fitting the model using the priors:

```
sensitivity_priors {'mu_mu': 1, 'sd_mu': 30, 'mu_sd': 0, 'sd_sd': 30}
alpha_pos_priors {'mu_mu': 0, 'sd_mu': 1, 'mu_sd': 0, 'sd_sd': 0.1}
alpha_neg_priors {'mu_mu': 0, 'sd_mu': 1, 'mu_sd': 0, 'sd_sd': 0.1}
```

WARNING:pystan:Maximum (flat) parameter count (1000) exceeded: skipping diagnostic tests.
→ for n_eff and Rhat.

To run all diagnostics call `pystan.check_hmc_diagnostics(fit)`

Checks MCMC diagnostics:

```
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1] is 0.0002799233707527157!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[2] is 0.0002799233707527157!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[81] is 0.0002819023696361508!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[161] is 0.00028433848233607736!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[162] is 0.00028433848233607736!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[241] is 0.0002933653734114046!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[242] is 0.0002933653734114046!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[320] is 0.0002928140782404197!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[400] is 0.00028898105267411957!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[480] is 0.0002790395611894542!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[482] is 0.0002790395611894542!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[560] is 0.00028717534526783535!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[561] is 0.00028717534526783535!
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E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[640] is 0.00028800993107425766!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[720] is 0.0002576570694326876!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[723] is 0.0002576570694326876!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[800] is 0.00025343033893801493!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[801] is 0.00025343033893801493!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[880] is 0.0002539916221127828!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[881] is 0.0002539916221127828!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[959] is 0.0002546669394810881!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1039] is 0.0002522257027637923!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1041] is 0.0002522257027637923!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1119] is 0.00025264916607589764!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1199] is 0.0002632187948482939!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1279] is 0.0002857366973637469!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1281] is 0.0002857366973637469!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1359] is 0.0002867847068497782!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1439] is 0.00026986409994502706!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1519] is 0.00027615916806837725!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1520] is 0.00027615916806837725!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1599] is 0.0002757065088419681!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1679] is 0.00025656750207598834!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1681] is 0.00025656750207598834!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1682] is 0.0002578704495630675!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1759] is 0.0002573090744724767!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1839] is 0.00026016390719811827!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1841] is 0.00026016390719811827!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1919] is 0.00026006908560515305!

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E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[1998] is 0.0002538633169948887!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[2078] is 0.0002546920004679544!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[2158] is 0.00026447678259718045!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[2237] is 0.00028661549004448225!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[2317] is 0.00029329505695239484!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[2318] is 0.00029329505695239484!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[2397] is 0.00025230405014892165!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[2477] is 0.000258199347568308!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[2556] is 0.00025732370268245514!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[2557] is 0.00025732370268245514!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[2636] is 0.00025649225036419247!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[2637] is 0.00025649225036419247!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[2714] is 0.0002892244128889484!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_p_t[2715] is 0.0002892244128889484!
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n_eff / iter for parameter log_lik[6306] is 0.0002555814397782251!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_lik[6385] is 0.0002589668002955581!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter for parameter log_lik[6386] is 0.00025913330121181665!
E-BFMI below 0.2 indicates you may need to reparameterize your model
n_eff / iter below 0.001 indicates that the effective sample size has likely been
↳ overestimated
0.0 of 4000 iterations ended with a divergence (0.0%)

```

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```
0 of 4000 iterations saturated the maximum tree depth of 10 (0.0%)
E-BFMI indicated no pathological behavior
```

12.3.1 get Rhat

```
[6]: model_fit.rhat.describe()
```

```
[6]:           rhat
count  87.000000
mean   1.000126
std     0.000572
min     0.999518
25%     0.999702
50%     0.999932
75%     1.000346
max     1.001978
```

12.3.2 get wAIC

```
[7]: model_fit.waic
```

```
[7]: {'lppd': -2585.9186822018128,
      'p_waic': 49.06740318618709,
      'waic': 5269.972170776,
      'waic_se': 90.34698762773861}
```

12.4 Posteriors

```
[8]: model_fit.samples.describe()
```

```
[8]:           chain          draw  transf_mu_alpha_pos  transf_mu_alpha_neg  \
count  4000.000000  4000.000000          4000.000000          4000.000000
mean      0.500000   999.500000          0.059391          0.240970
std      0.500063   577.422379          0.011054          0.034860
min      0.000000    0.000000          0.029233          0.130741
25%      0.000000   499.750000          0.051704          0.216983
50%      0.500000   999.500000          0.058487          0.238924
75%      1.000000  1499.250000          0.066049          0.263020
max      1.000000  1999.000000          0.112444          0.375415

           transf_mu_sensitivity  alpha_pos_sbj[1]  alpha_pos_sbj[2]  \
count          4000.000000          4000.000000          4000.000000
mean           0.337773           0.042806           0.012892
std           0.049276           0.021579           0.005417
min           0.208916           0.007275           0.002957
25%           0.303607           0.028721           0.009236
50%           0.333174           0.037555           0.011515
75%           0.366492           0.051156           0.015136
```

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max	0.593196	0.202651	0.050444	
	alpha_pos_sbj[3]	alpha_pos_sbj[4]	alpha_pos_sbj[5]	... \
count	4000.000000	4000.000000	4000.000000	...
mean	0.070399	0.101971	0.102206	...
std	0.041293	0.045829	0.042308	...
min	0.001847	0.023123	0.023433	...
25%	0.046246	0.069185	0.072545	...
50%	0.066096	0.093490	0.094744	...
75%	0.091792	0.123847	0.124971	...
max	0.455474	0.370728	0.396222	...
	sensitivity_sbj[18]	sensitivity_sbj[19]	sensitivity_sbj[20]	\
count	4000.000000	4000.000000	4000.000000	
mean	0.084429	0.312524	0.372647	
std	0.054155	0.074492	0.058519	
min	0.020625	0.133664	0.207507	
25%	0.059548	0.258165	0.331700	
50%	0.072125	0.302820	0.366789	
75%	0.088098	0.354502	0.407251	
max	0.720152	0.625586	0.699467	
	sensitivity_sbj[21]	sensitivity_sbj[22]	sensitivity_sbj[23]	\
count	4000.000000	4000.000000	4000.000000	
mean	0.767712	0.588902	0.901913	
std	0.176125	0.110758	0.197530	
min	0.357291	0.300730	0.443730	
25%	0.651809	0.509775	0.760999	
50%	0.740668	0.575615	0.876022	
75%	0.849611	0.651033	1.016270	
max	2.335755	1.317175	2.048247	
	sensitivity_sbj[24]	sensitivity_sbj[25]	sensitivity_sbj[26]	\
count	4000.000000	4000.000000	4000.000000	
mean	0.426767	0.606579	0.083444	
std	0.076603	0.147913	0.020596	
min	0.240316	0.218562	0.023674	
25%	0.375488	0.501393	0.069679	
50%	0.417441	0.592633	0.081530	
75%	0.469168	0.698397	0.095357	
max	0.975525	1.537778	0.264362	
	sensitivity_sbj[27]			
count	4000.000000			
mean	0.250021			
std	0.050787			
min	0.138294			
25%	0.216377			
50%	0.243665			
75%	0.274589			
max	0.748396			

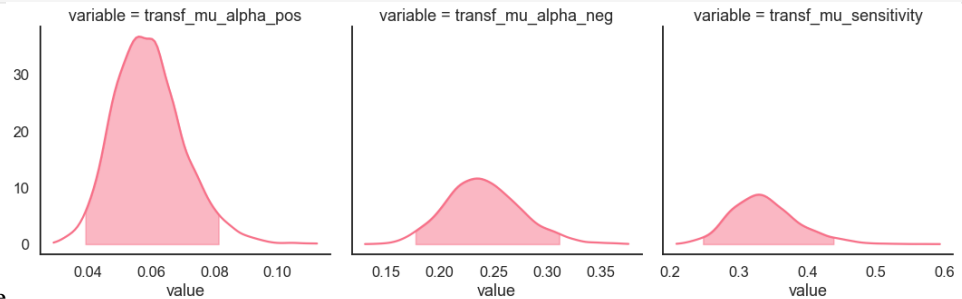
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```
[9]: import seaborn as sns
sns.set(context = "talk",
        style = "white",
        palette = "husl",
        rc={'figure.figsize':(15, 8)})
```

```
[10]: model_fit.plot_posteriors(height=5, show_intervals="HDI", alpha_intervals=.05);
```



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12.5 Posterior predictives

12.5.1 Ungrouped

```
[11]: pp = model_fit.get_posterior_predictives_df(n_posterior_predictives=500)
pp
```

```
[11]: variable accuracy
trial      1  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  9  10  ...  6455 6456
sample
1          0  0  1  1  0  1  1  0  1  1  ...  0  0
2          1  1  1  0  0  0  1  1  1  1  ...  1  0
3          1  0  0  1  1  0  0  1  1  1  ...  1  1
4          1  0  1  0  1  1  0  0  1  1  ...  1  1
5          0  0  0  1  1  0  0  0  1  1  ...  0  1
...
496        1  0  1  1  1  0  1  0  1  1  ...  1  0
497        1  0  0  1  0  1  1  0  0  0  ...  1  0
498        0  0  1  0  0  1  0  0  0  0  ...  1  1
499        0  0  1  1  0  1  1  1  1  1  ...  1  1
500        1  1  0  1  0  1  1  1  1  1  ...  1  1

variable
trial      6457 6458 6459 6460 6461 6462 6463 6464
sample
1          1  1  1  0  1  0  1  0
2          1  1  0  1  1  1  1  0
3          1  1  1  1  1  0  1  0
4          1  0  1  0  1  0  1  1
```

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```

5          1      1      1      1      1      1      0      1
...      ...    ...    ...    ...    ...    ...    ...    ...
496        1      0      1      0      1      1      1      1
497        1      1      1      1      1      1      1      1
498        1      1      0      1      1      1      1      1
499        1      0      1      1      0      1      1      0
500        1      1      1      1      1      0      1      1

```

[500 rows x 6464 columns]

```
[12]: pp_summary = model_fit.get_posterior_predictives_summary(n_posterior_predictives=500)
pp_summary
```

```
[12]:      mean_accuracy
sample
1          0.793162
2          0.798886
3          0.796101
4          0.796411
5          0.795173
...      ...
496        0.799041
497        0.802599
498        0.803837
499        0.797494
500        0.799350

```

[500 rows x 1 columns]

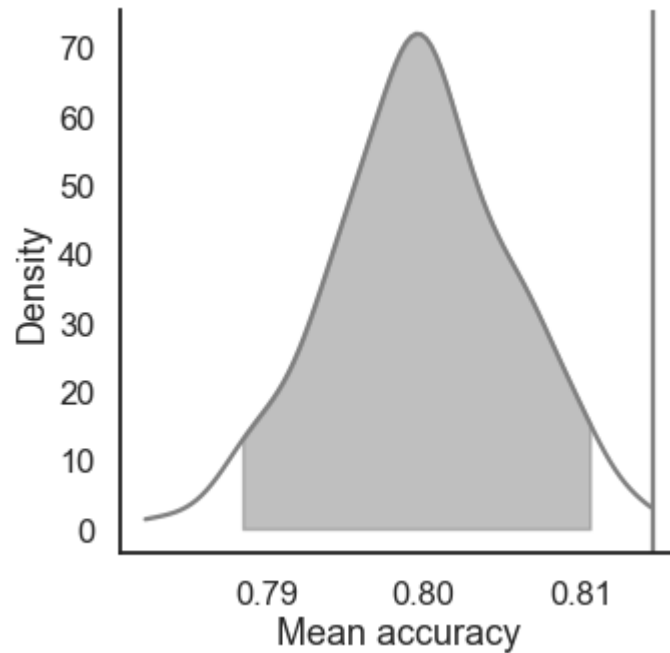
```
[13]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

fig, ax = plt.subplots(1, 1, figsize=(5, 5))

model_fit.plot_mean_posterior_predictives(n_posterior_predictives=500, ax=ax, show_
↪ intervals='HDI')

ax.set_ylabel('Density')
ax.set_xlabel('Mean accuracy')

sns.despine()
```



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12.5.2 Grouped

```
[14]: import numpy as np
```

```
[15]: # Define new grouping variables, in this case, for the different choice pairs, but any
      ↪ grouping var can do
      data['choice_pair'] = 'AB'
      data.loc[(data.cor_option == 3) & (data.inc_option == 1), 'choice_pair'] = 'AC'
      data.loc[(data.cor_option == 4) & (data.inc_option == 2), 'choice_pair'] = 'BD'
      data.loc[(data.cor_option == 4) & (data.inc_option == 3), 'choice_pair'] = 'CD'

      data['block_bins'] = pd.cut(data.trial_block, 8, labels=np.arange(1, 9))
```

```
[16]: model_fit.get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary(grouping_vars=['block_label', 'block_
      ↪ bins', 'choice_pair'], n_posterior_predictives=500)
```

```
[16]:
```

				mean_accuracy
block_label	block_bins	choice_pair	sample	
1	1	AB	1	0.619048
			2	0.587302
			3	0.523810
			4	0.523810
			5	0.523810
...				...
3	8	CD	496	0.833333
			497	0.703704
			498	0.685185
			499	0.740741
			500	0.814815

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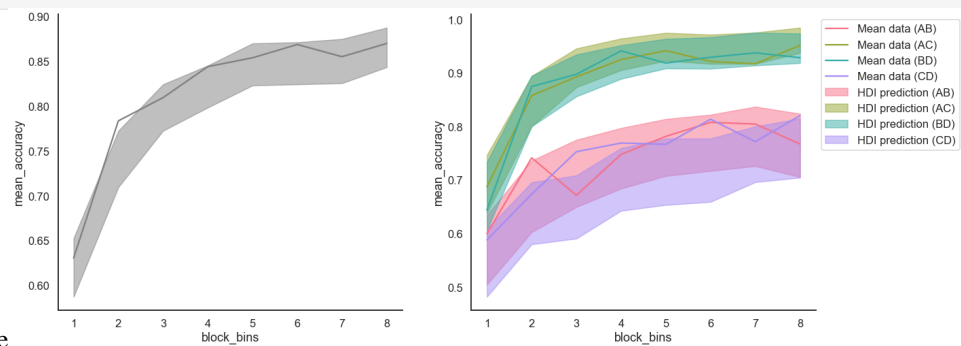
```
[17]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

fig, axes = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(20,8))

model_fit.plot_mean_grouped_posterior_predictives(grouping_vars=['block_bins'], n_
↳posterior_predictives=500, ax=axes[0])

model_fit.plot_mean_grouped_posterior_predictives(grouping_vars=['block_bins', 'choice_
↳pair'], n_posterior_predictives=500, ax=axes[1])

sns.despine()
```



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FIT THE RLDDM ON INDIVIDUAL DATA

```
[1]: import rlssm
import pandas as pd
import os
```

13.1 Import the data

```
[2]: # import some example data:
data = rlssm.load_example_dataset(hierarchical_levels = 1)
```

```
data.head()
```

```
[2]:
```

	participant	block_label	trial_block	f_cor	f_inc	cor_option	\
0	10	1	1	61	52		4
1	10	1	2	54	37		4
2	10	1	3	51	51		4
3	10	1	4	50	35		3
4	10	1	5	59	50		4

	inc_option	times_seen	rt	accuracy
0	3	1	1.285418	0
1	2	1	1.577622	0
2	3	2	1.564731	0
3	1	2	1.217245	1
4	2	3	1.929781	0

13.2 Initialize the model

```
[3]: # you can "turn on and off" different mechanisms:
model = rlssm.RLDDModel(hierarchical_levels=1,
                        separate_learning_rates=False,
                        threshold_modulation=False,
                        nonlinear_mapping=True)
```

```
Using cached StanModel
```

13.3 Fit

```
[4]: # sampling parameters
n_iter = 3000
n_warmup = 1000
n_chains = 2

# learning parameters
K = 4 # n options in a learning block (participants see 2 at a time)
initial_value_learning = 27.5 # initial learning value (Q0)
```

```
[5]: model_fit = model.fit(
    data,
    K,
    initial_value_learning,
    warmup = n_warmup,
    iter = n_iter,
    chains = n_chains)
```

Fitting the model using the priors:

```
alpha_priors {'mu': 0, 'sd': 1}
drift_scaling_priors {'mu': 1, 'sd': 50}
drift_asymptote_priors {'mu': 1, 'sd': 50}
threshold_priors {'mu': 1, 'sd': 5}
ndt_priors {'mu': 1, 'sd': 1}
```

WARNING:pystan:Maximum (flat) parameter count (1000) exceeded: skipping diagnostic tests.
↪ for n_eff and Rhat.

To run all diagnostics call `pystan.check_hmc_diagnostics(fit)`

WARNING:pystan:6 of 4000 iterations ended with a divergence (0.15 %).

WARNING:pystan:Try running with `adapt_delta` larger than 0.8 to remove the divergences.

WARNING:pystan:6 of 4000 iterations saturated the maximum tree depth of 10 (0.15 %)

WARNING:pystan:Run again with `max_treedepth` larger than 10 to avoid saturation

Checks MCMC diagnostics:

`n_eff / iter` looks reasonable for all parameters

6.0 of 4000 iterations ended with a divergence (0.15%)

Try running with larger `adapt_delta` to remove the divergences

6 of 4000 iterations saturated the maximum tree depth of 10 (0.15%)

Run again with `max_depth` set to a larger value to avoid saturation

E-BFMI indicated no pathological behavior

13.3.1 get Rhat

```
[6]: model_fit.rhat
```

```
[6]:      rhat      variable
0  1.018417      alpha
1  1.037281  drift_scaling
2  1.027634  drift_asymptote
3  1.000449      threshold
4  1.001236          ndt
```

13.3.2 get wAIC

```
[7]: model_fit.waic
```

```
[7]: {'lppd': -222.10485280567747,
      'p_waic': 4.70099816274729,
      'waic': 453.6117019368495,
      'waic_se': 28.500117385818506}
```

13.4 Posteriors

```
[8]: model_fit.samples.describe()
```

```
[8]:
```

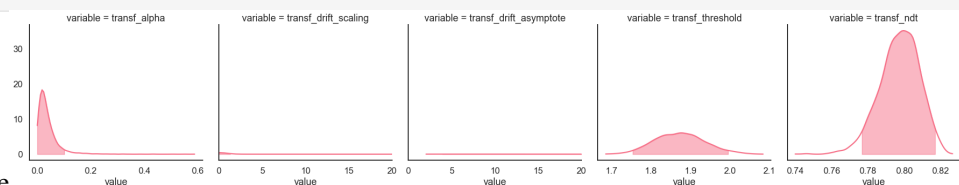
	chain	draw	transf_alpha	transf_drift_scaling \
count	4000.000000	4000.000000	4000.000000	4000.000000
mean	0.500000	999.500000	0.037983	0.794183
std	0.500063	577.422379	0.039915	4.429973
min	0.000000	0.000000	0.000057	0.002300
25%	0.000000	499.750000	0.014890	0.013506
50%	0.500000	999.500000	0.027752	0.029816
75%	1.000000	1499.250000	0.048028	0.103515
max	1.000000	1999.000000	0.587557	64.531895

	transf_drift_asymptote	transf_threshold	transf_ndt
count	4000.000000	4000.000000	4000.000000
mean	36.160095	1.873717	0.797365
std	30.778307	0.063024	0.010966
min	2.043295	1.685766	0.739923
25%	9.554932	1.828763	0.790487
50%	28.618335	1.873455	0.798071
75%	54.034849	1.915392	0.805142
max	190.530448	2.084672	0.826664

```
[9]: import seaborn as sns
      sns.set(context = "talk",
              style = "white",
              palette = "husl",
              rc={'figure.figsize':(15, 8)})
```

```
[10]: g = model_fit.plot_posteriors(height=5, show_intervals='HDI');
```

```
g.axes.flat[1].set_xlim(0, 20)
g.axes.flat[2].set_xlim(0, 20);
```



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13.5 Posterior predictives

13.5.1 Ungrouped

```
[11]: pp = model_fit.get_posterior_predictives_df(n_posterior_predictives=100)
      pp
```

```
[11]: variable      rt
trial      1      2      3      4      5      6      \
sample
1      1.262933  1.069933  1.784933  1.543933  1.083933  1.111933
2      1.025510  5.076510  1.705510  1.124510  1.230510  1.659510
3      1.563506  1.586506  1.463506  1.030506  0.960506  1.705506
4      1.377698  1.081698  2.731698  2.004698  1.227698  1.097698
5      1.211327  0.994327  1.420327  1.985327  0.982327  1.153327
...      ...      ...      ...      ...      ...      ...
96     1.638157  0.958157  1.110157  1.300157  1.791157  1.347157
97     1.278817  1.766817  1.079817  1.173817  1.616817  2.170817
98     1.075953  1.300953  1.090953  1.380953  1.067953  2.644953
99     1.154160  1.308160  1.598160  3.026160  2.950160  0.944160
100    2.028603  1.326603  1.547603  1.012603  1.077603  3.032603

variable
trial      7      8      9     10    ... accuracy
sample
1      2.414933  1.016933  1.438933  1.144933  ...      230  231  232  233
2      1.058510  2.201510  1.932510  1.383510  ...      1.0  0.0  1.0  1.0
3      1.394506  1.566506  1.668506  1.237506  ...      1.0  1.0  0.0  1.0
4      2.421698  2.383698  1.264698  2.216698  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
5      1.323327  1.587327  1.402327  1.462327  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
...      ...      ...      ...      ...  ...      ...  ...  ...  ...
96     1.563157  1.162157  1.243157  2.055157  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
97     1.960817  1.078817  1.794817  1.288817  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
98     1.694953  1.517953  1.402953  1.505953  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
99     1.161160  1.392160  1.694160  1.407160  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
100    1.243603  1.232603  1.043603  0.913603  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0

variable
trial    234  235  236  237  238  239
sample
1      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  0.0
2      1.0  0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  0.0
3      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  0.0  1.0
4      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
5      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
...      ...  ...  ...  ...  ...  ...
96     1.0  0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
97     1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
98     1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
99     1.0  0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
100    1.0  0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  0.0
```

```
[100 rows x 478 columns]
```

```
[12]: pp_summary = model_fit.get_posterior_predictives_summary(n_posterior_predictives=100)
pp_summary
```

```
[12]:
```

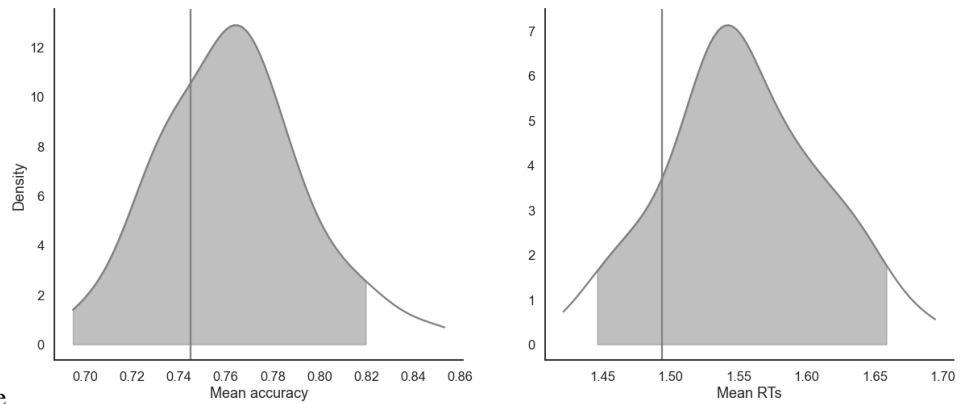
	mean_accuracy	mean_rt	skewness	quant_10_rt_low	quant_30_rt_low	\
sample						
1	0.736402	1.597975	2.020770	1.046733	1.180133	
2	0.803347	1.568459	2.537627	1.036110	1.224110	
3	0.744770	1.592808	2.887339	1.006506	1.161506	
4	0.748954	1.596832	1.956484	1.062198	1.234398	
5	0.765690	1.517963	2.230927	1.002327	1.154827	
...	
96	0.686192	1.420931	1.572826	0.967357	1.108957	
97	0.778243	1.513348	3.399520	1.023017	1.141617	
98	0.757322	1.657665	2.967858	1.047453	1.262653	
99	0.761506	1.491198	2.239910	1.002160	1.203360	
100	0.769874	1.476908	2.132750	1.057803	1.188803	

	quant_50_rt_low	quant_70_rt_low	quant_90_rt_low	quant_10_rt_up	\
sample					
1	1.408933	1.834733	2.707733	1.018933	
2	1.456510	1.908310	2.555710	1.007610	
3	1.417506	1.887506	2.220506	1.027106	
4	1.577698	1.925998	2.465298	1.015098	
5	1.437327	1.729827	2.573327	1.000527	
...	
96	1.323157	1.570757	2.142957	0.958757	
97	1.316817	1.542817	1.993417	1.025817	
98	1.514953	1.938653	2.723953	1.015953	
99	1.428160	1.722160	2.474160	1.015160	
100	1.390603	1.567003	2.074803	0.990203	

	quant_30_rt_up	quant_50_rt_up	quant_70_rt_up	quant_90_rt_up
sample				
1	1.226433	1.405433	1.629933	2.320933
2	1.186710	1.328510	1.644910	2.335410
3	1.195906	1.334506	1.637906	2.401806
4	1.157698	1.359698	1.651698	2.269698
5	1.139527	1.300327	1.564927	2.151527
...
96	1.081057	1.277157	1.438257	2.128157
97	1.198817	1.376317	1.621317	2.195317
98	1.177953	1.370953	1.686953	2.368953
99	1.135160	1.244660	1.503260	2.128160
100	1.108203	1.276603	1.540803	2.212203

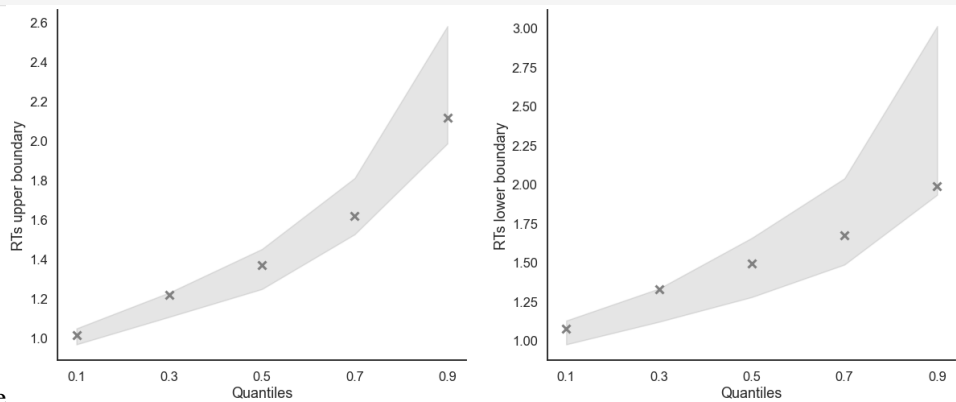
[100 rows x 13 columns]

```
[13]: model_fit.plot_mean_posterior_predictives(n_posterior_predictives=100, figsize=(20,8),
→ show_intervals='HDI');
```



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```
[14]: model_fit.plot_quantiles_posterior_predictives(n_posterior_predictives=100, kind='shades
→');
```



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13.5.2 Grouped

```
[15]: import numpy as np
```

```
[16]: # Define new grouping variables, in this case, for the different choice pairs, but any_
→grouping var can do
data['choice_pair'] = 'AB'
data.loc[(data.cor_option == 3) & (data.inc_option == 1), 'choice_pair'] = 'AC'
data.loc[(data.cor_option == 4) & (data.inc_option == 2), 'choice_pair'] = 'BD'
data.loc[(data.cor_option == 4) & (data.inc_option == 3), 'choice_pair'] = 'CD'

data['block_bins'] = pd.cut(data.trial_block, 8, labels=np.arange(1, 9))
```

```
[17]: model_fit.get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary(
        grouping_vars=['block_label', 'choice_pair'],
        quantiles=[.3, .5, .7],
        n_posterior_predictives=100)
```

```
[17]:
```

			mean_accuracy	mean_rt	skewness	\
block_label	choice_pair	sample				
1	AB	1	0.75	2.049033	1.861715	
		2	0.65	1.672710	1.528835	

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```

      3      0.55 1.501656 0.745925
      4      0.75 1.343298 1.370879
      5      0.65 1.492577 2.332409
...
3      CD      96      0.55 1.266957 1.404526
      97      0.60 1.652267 0.660315
      98      0.55 1.756253 0.798266
      99      0.70 1.721210 3.783809
     100      0.70 1.791353 2.759446

```

```

                                quant_30_rt_low  quant_30_rt_up  \
block_label choice_pair sample
1      AB      1      1.215533      1.493133
      2      1.153710      1.194110
      3      1.239906      1.102506
      4      1.110298      1.043498
      5      1.176527      1.166127

```

```

...
3      CD      96      1.086357      1.191157
      97      1.150917      1.331017
      98      1.631753      1.265953
      99      1.402160      1.234060
     100      0.991603      1.474003

```

```

                                quant_50_rt_low  quant_50_rt_up  \
block_label choice_pair sample
1      AB      1      1.261933      1.537933
      2      1.548510      1.394510
      3      1.471506      1.159506
      4      1.464698      1.161698
      5      1.297327      1.237327

```

```

...
3      CD      96      1.123157      1.262157
      97      1.527317      1.603817
      98      1.652953      1.288953
      99      1.556660      1.314660
     100      1.134103      1.665103

```

```

                                quant_70_rt_low  quant_70_rt_up
block_label choice_pair sample
1      AB      1      1.385933      2.341733
      2      1.751310      1.922710
      3      1.657906      1.648506
      4      1.526298      1.313698
      5      1.693927      1.416327

```

```

...
3      CD      96      1.181957      1.365157
      97      2.327617      1.847717
      98      2.349353      1.884953
      99      1.684660      1.701360
     100      1.659103      1.834503

```

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```
[18]: model_fit.get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary(
        grouping_vars=['block_bins'],
        quantiles=[.3, .5, .7],
        n_posterior_predictives=100)
```

```
[18]:
```

		mean_accuracy	mean_rt	skewness	quant_30_rt_low \
block_bins	sample				
1	1	0.700000	1.602333	1.979790	1.158733
	2	0.566667	1.757410	1.151978	1.383910
	3	0.466667	1.813140	1.656559	1.101506
	4	0.566667	1.899765	0.471722	1.463898
	5	0.433333	1.572861	1.098442	1.180327
...	
8	96	0.862069	1.374777	2.498250	1.055157
	97	0.862069	1.655334	0.906741	1.427517
	98	0.827586	1.357953	2.034553	1.469153
	99	0.862069	1.354539	0.819861	1.521060
	100	0.965517	1.464017	2.051352	1.133603

		quant_30_rt_up	quant_50_rt_low	quant_50_rt_up \
block_bins	sample			
1	1	1.141933	1.284933	1.326933
	2	1.077710	1.912510	1.238510
	3	1.148406	1.655006	1.530006
	4	1.342298	1.783698	1.718698
	5	1.087927	1.458327	1.264327
...	
8	96	1.124157	1.142157	1.198157
	97	1.215217	1.499317	1.459817
	98	1.014053	1.689953	1.115453
	99	1.143760	1.748660	1.229160
	100	1.094103	1.133603	1.317603

		quant_70_rt_low	quant_70_rt_up
block_bins	sample		
1	1	1.535933	1.756933
	2	2.361110	1.508510
	3	1.874006	2.292106
	4	2.064898	2.397498
	5	1.775127	1.447327
...	
8	96	1.422057	1.367757
	97	1.592817	1.846817
	98	1.845153	1.261953
	99	1.941960	1.382560
	100	1.133603	1.514103

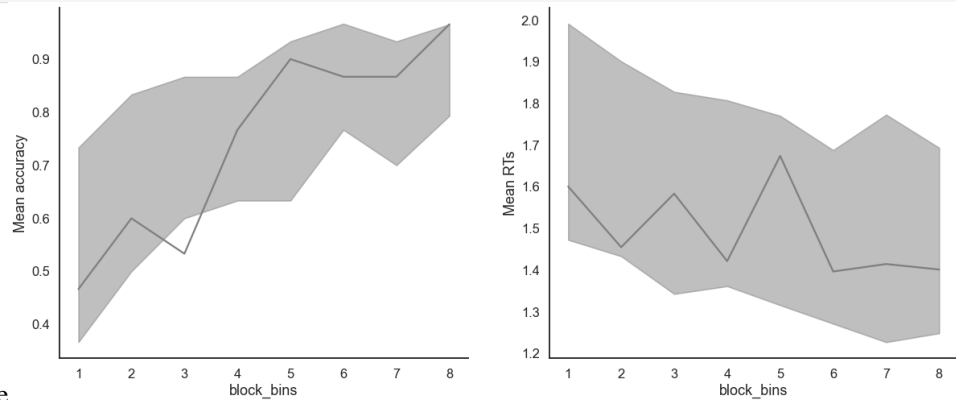
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```
[19]: model_fit.plot_mean_grouped_posterior_predictives(grouping_vars=['block_bins'],
```

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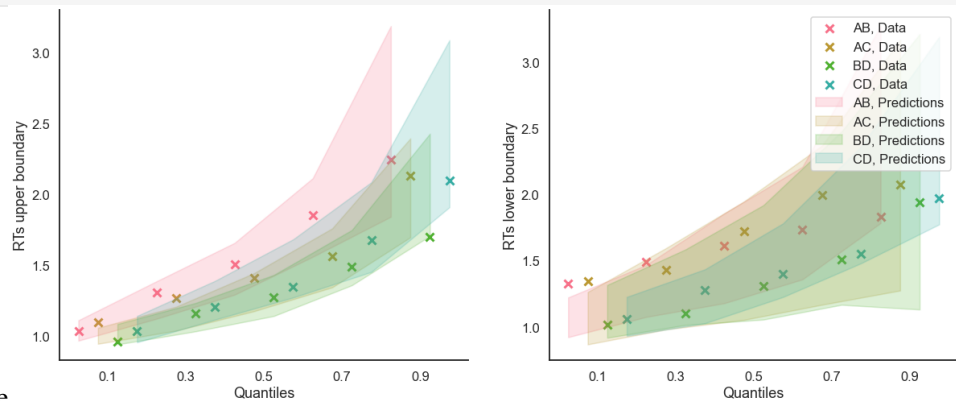
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```
n_posterior_predictives=100,
figsize=(20,8));
```



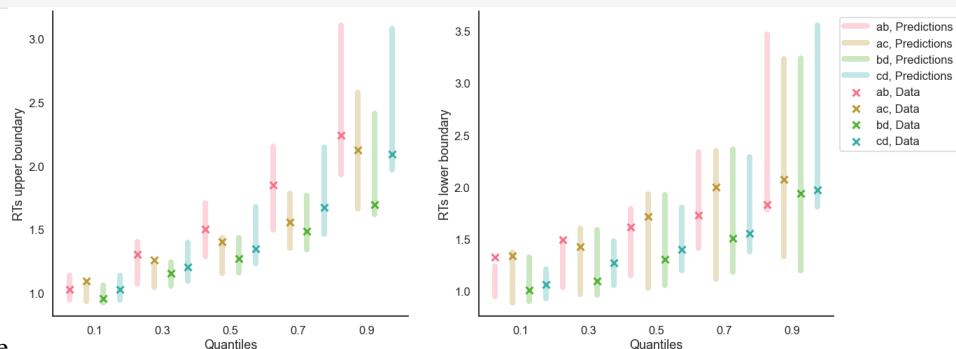
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```
[20]: model_fit.plot_quantiles_grouped_posterior_predictives(n_posterior_predictives=100,
grouping_var='choice_pair',
kind='shades',
quantiles=[.1, .3, .5, .7, .9]);
```



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```
[21]: model_fit.plot_quantiles_grouped_posterior_predictives(
n_posterior_predictives=300,
grouping_var='choice_pair',
palette = sns.color_palette('husl'),
intervals_kws={'alpha': .3, 'lw':8},
hue_order=['AB', 'AC', 'BD', 'CD'],
hue_labels=['ab', 'ac', 'bd', 'cd']);
```



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FIT THE LBA ON INDIVIDUAL DATA

```
[1]: import rlssm
import pandas as pd
import os
```

14.1 Import individual data

```
[2]: # import some example data:
data = rlssm.load_example_dataset(hierarchical_levels = 1)
```

```
data.head()
```

```
[2]:
```

	participant	block_label	trial_block	f_cor	f_inc	cor_option	\
0	20	1	1	46	46	4	
1	20	1	2	60	33	4	
2	20	1	3	32	44	2	
3	20	1	4	56	40	4	
4	20	1	5	34	32	2	

	inc_option	times_seen	rt	accuracy
0	2	1	2.574407	1
1	2	2	1.952774	1
2	1	2	2.074999	0
3	2	3	2.320916	0
4	1	3	1.471107	1

14.2 Initialize the model

```
[3]: model = rlssm.LBAModel_2A(hierarchical_levels = 1)
```

```
Using cached StanModel
```

14.3 Fit

```
[4]: # sampling parameters
n_iter = 1000
n_chains = 2
n_thin = 5
```

```
[5]: model_fit = model.fit(
    data,
    thin = n_thin,
    iter = n_iter,
    chains = n_chains)
```

Fitting the model using the priors:

drift_priors {'mu': 1, 'sd': 5}

k_priors {'mu': 1, 'sd': 1}

A_priors {'mu': 0.3, 'sd': 1}

tau_priors {'mu': 0, 'sd': 1}

WARNING:pystan:Maximum (flat) parameter count (1000) exceeded: skipping diagnostic tests.
↪ for n_eff and Rhat.

To run all diagnostics call `pystan.check_hmc_diagnostics(fit)`

Checks MCMC diagnostics:

n_eff / iter looks reasonable for all parameters

0.0 of 200 iterations ended with a divergence (0.0%)

0 of 200 iterations saturated the maximum tree depth of 10 (0.0%)

E-BFMI indicated no pathological behavior

14.3.1 Get rhat

```
[6]: model_fit.rhat
```

```
[6]:      rhat  variable
0  0.996595         k
1  0.996693         A
2  0.995655        tau
3  0.999796  drift_cor
4  1.002850  drift_inc
```

14.3.2 Get WAIC

```
[7]: model_fit.waic
```

```
[7]: {'lppd': -195.9117676732156,
      'p_waic': 3.4080101153548954,
      'waic': 398.639555577141,
      'waic_se': 35.24758887155065}
```

14.3.3 Save results

```
[8]: model_fit.to_pickle()
```

Saving file as: /Users/laurafontanesi/git/rlssm/docs/notebooks/LBA_2A.pkl

14.4 Posteriors

```
[9]: model_fit.samples.describe()
```

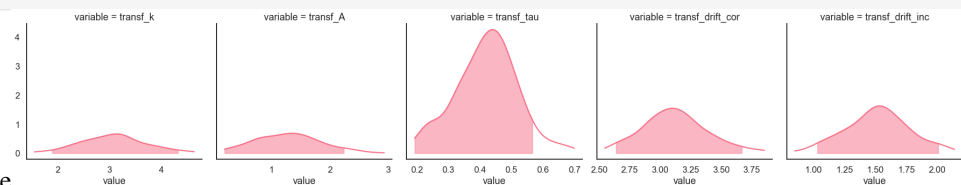
```
[9]:
```

	chain	draw	transf_k	transf_A	transf_tau \
count	200.000000	200.000000	200.000000	200.000000	200.000000
mean	0.500000	49.500000	3.072969	1.282488	0.420315
std	0.501255	28.938507	0.617627	0.545432	0.097345
min	0.000000	0.000000	1.547620	0.199475	0.193221
25%	0.000000	24.750000	2.617696	0.853162	0.356208
50%	0.500000	49.500000	3.097387	1.279160	0.425263
75%	1.000000	74.250000	3.441474	1.622801	0.477226
max	1.000000	99.000000	4.636813	2.929345	0.698922

	transf_drift_cor	transf_drift_inc
count	200.000000	200.000000
mean	3.123329	1.517988
std	0.264801	0.256313
min	2.546426	0.849490
25%	2.950180	1.360080
50%	3.109816	1.517640
75%	3.265753	1.679263
max	3.853958	2.140647

```
[10]: import seaborn as sns
sns.set(context = "talk",
        style = "white",
        palette = "husl",
        rc={'figure.figsize':(15, 8)})
```

```
[11]: model_fit.plot_posteriors(height=5, show_intervals='HDI');
```



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14.5 Posterior predictives

14.5.1 Ungrouped

```
[12]: pp = model_fit.get_posterior_predictives_df(n_posterior_predictives=100)
      pp
```

```
[12]: variable      rt
trial      1      2      3      4      5      6  \
sample
1      2.246846  1.537963  1.249976  2.667635  1.394088  1.185661
2      1.474279  1.317326  1.281292  1.776970  1.338612  1.595272
3      1.769881  1.248670  2.000013  2.477428  1.417273  1.537488
4      1.218720  1.806578  1.491374  1.556123  1.754127  2.173220
5      1.505410  1.545240  1.263004  1.981529  1.742220  1.447841
...      ...      ...      ...      ...      ...      ...
96     2.114076  1.682352  1.292053  1.290883  1.631570  2.536921
97     1.515118  1.732291  7.900185  1.992388  1.701881  1.195694
98     1.934512  1.704758  3.664648  2.025907  2.636455  1.388794
99     1.485397  1.458125  1.561393  1.374246  1.817840  1.899995
100    1.858069  1.869365  1.464518  1.568417  2.022131  1.332558

variable
trial      7      8      9     10    ... accuracy
sample
1      1.775463  1.299116  2.344744  1.585738  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
2      1.423343  1.411392  1.368143  1.718686  ...      1.0  0.0  1.0  1.0
3      1.298886  2.047417  1.673906  1.490852  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
4      1.786404  1.423031  1.509262  1.651425  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
5      2.140920  1.298421  1.297520  1.534183  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  0.0
...      ...      ...      ...      ...  ...      ...  ...  ...  ...
96     1.475092  1.839493  1.549875  1.748721  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
97     1.765124  2.120031  1.681817  1.935664  ...      1.0  0.0  1.0  1.0
98     1.289439  1.364305  1.641123  1.961389  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
99     2.221972  2.021029  1.958976  1.611125  ...      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
100    1.296797  2.512003  1.955222  3.026658  ...      0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0

variable
trial    235  236  237  238  239  240
sample
1      0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
2      0.0  0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
3      0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
4      1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
5      0.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
...      ...  ...  ...  ...  ...  ...
96     1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
97     1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0
98     1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  0.0
99     1.0  1.0  1.0  0.0  1.0  0.0
100    1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  1.0  0.0
```

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```

```
[13]: pp_summary = model_fit.get_posterior_predictives_summary(n_posterior_predictives=100)
pp_summary
```

```
[13]:
```

	mean_accuracy	mean_rt	skewness	quant_10_rt_incorrect	\
sample					
1	0.854167	1.664804	2.165810		1.506785
2	0.862500	1.682668	3.158625		1.368550
3	0.850000	1.712393	1.725298		1.613360
4	0.887500	1.619813	2.537257		1.331044
5	0.845833	1.768796	2.713919		1.382418
...
96	0.858333	1.679296	2.592582		1.538260
97	0.887500	1.705270	8.036846		1.314066
98	0.891667	1.674279	2.983261		1.416547
99	0.812500	1.740113	3.226386		1.337939
100	0.904167	1.803922	4.509639		1.383537

	quant_30_rt_incorrect	quant_50_rt_incorrect	quant_70_rt_incorrect	\
sample				
1		1.669890	1.752361	2.038205
2		1.540713	1.674629	2.156115
3		1.732978	1.990309	2.124092
4		1.556282	1.776372	2.082097
5		1.583290	1.743878	2.181400
...	
96		1.704401	1.905312	2.145374
97		1.598821	1.771878	2.127968
98		1.601738	1.762865	1.999681
99		1.570886	1.752819	2.034753
100		1.553577	1.736791	1.890371

	quant_90_rt_incorrect	quant_10_rt_correct	quant_30_rt_correct	\
sample				
1	2.385568	1.221533		1.359931
2	2.884746	1.240682		1.375500
3	2.672556	1.243860		1.403816
4	2.355689	1.149061		1.302143
5	2.802916	1.258256		1.455523
...
96	2.677621	1.191991		1.364760
97	2.772499	1.191808		1.345362
98	2.596806	1.222192		1.372858
99	2.808015	1.211335		1.442884
100	2.585798	1.243580		1.441850

	quant_50_rt_correct	quant_70_rt_correct	quant_90_rt_correct
sample			
1	1.511616	1.739581	2.151703
2	1.534844	1.744025	2.127136
3	1.528488	1.743321	2.166606
4	1.471107	1.648440	2.088338
5	1.567858	1.793322	2.336169
...

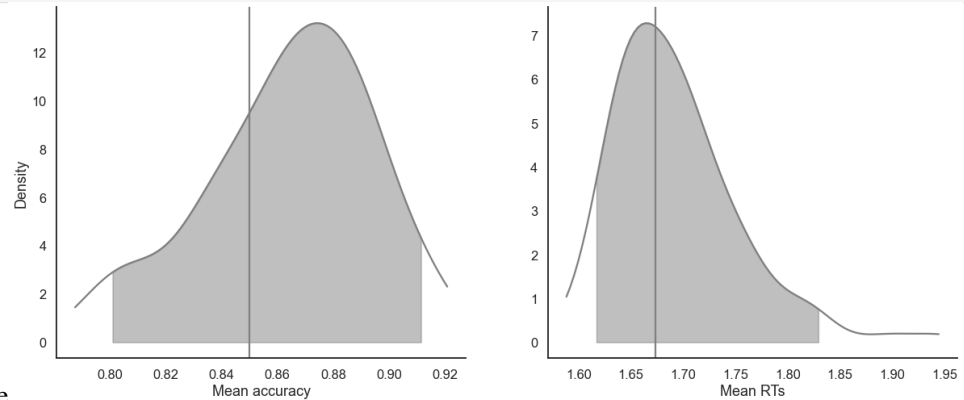
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96	1.517171	1.705111	2.255572
97	1.502895	1.700021	2.239710
98	1.562998	1.767055	2.190829
99	1.596091	1.788202	2.252709
100	1.608690	1.858538	2.475641

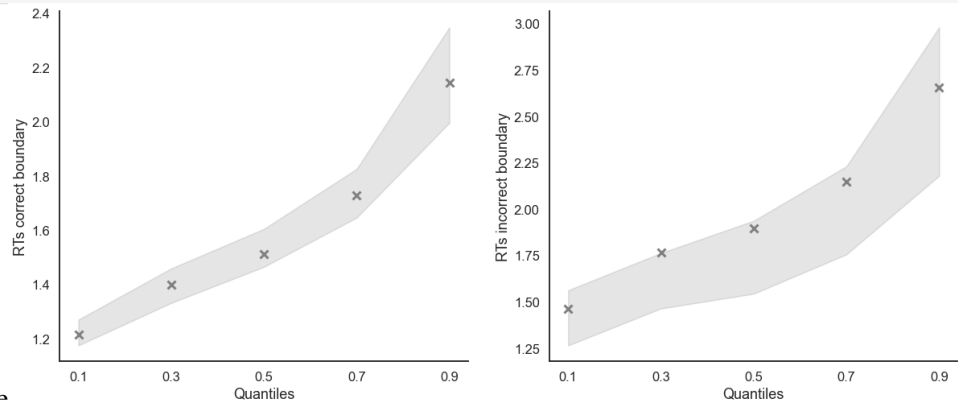
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```
[14]: model_fit.plot_mean_posterior_predictives(n_posterior_predictives=100, figsize=(20,8),
→ show_intervals='HDI');
```



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```
[15]: model_fit.plot_quantiles_posterior_predictives(n_posterior_predictives=100, kind='shades
→');
```



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14.5.2 Grouped

```
[16]: import numpy as np
```

```
[17]: # Define new grouping variables, in this case, for the different choice pairs, but any
→ grouping var can do
data['choice_pair'] = 'AB'
data.loc[(data.cor_option == 3) & (data.inc_option == 1), 'choice_pair'] = 'AC'
data.loc[(data.cor_option == 4) & (data.inc_option == 2), 'choice_pair'] = 'BD'
data.loc[(data.cor_option == 4) & (data.inc_option == 3), 'choice_pair'] = 'CD'
```

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```
data['block_bins'] = pd.cut(data.trial_block, 8, labels=np.arange(1, 9))
```

```
[18]: model_fit.get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary(
        grouping_vars=['block_label', 'choice_pair'],
        quantiles=[.3, .5, .7],
        n_posterior_predictives=100)
```

```
[18]:
```

			mean_accuracy	mean_rt	skewness \
block_label	choice_pair	sample			
1	AB	1	0.85	1.760965	2.793220
		2	0.75	1.791783	1.563911
		3	0.90	1.743365	2.371058
		4	0.85	1.801372	2.994665
		5	0.90	1.617718	3.355427
...		
3	CD	96	0.85	1.659586	-0.079339
		97	0.85	1.524945	1.819670
		98	0.90	1.668617	1.254209
		99	0.75	1.462542	0.138408
		100	0.70	1.609434	0.946274

			quant_30_rt_incorrect	quant_30_rt_correct \
block_label	choice_pair	sample		
1	AB	1	2.273896	1.349401
		2	1.768126	1.315160
		3	2.337256	1.448736
		4	1.981311	1.463829
		5	2.051592	1.385195
...		
3	CD	96	1.661425	1.501355
		97	1.528637	1.322557
		98	1.800101	1.443070
		99	1.512019	1.255587
		100	1.566879	1.516307

			quant_50_rt_incorrect	quant_50_rt_correct \
block_label	choice_pair	sample		
1	AB	1	2.481967	1.600919
		2	2.557145	1.426042
		3	2.416226	1.615792
		4	2.114486	1.677760
		5	2.619649	1.455759
...		
3	CD	96	1.726938	1.584971
		97	1.713642	1.434720
		98	1.805070	1.491801
		99	1.536708	1.457608
		100	1.694011	1.562540

			quant_70_rt_incorrect	quant_70_rt_correct
block_label	choice_pair	sample		

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1	AB	1	3.183433	1.703819
		2	2.614723	1.619165
		3	2.495196	1.723226
		4	2.126189	1.782304
		5	3.187705	1.580824
...		
3	CD	96	1.852454	1.809642
		97	1.860052	1.482929
		98	1.810039	1.667956
		99	1.646303	1.573202
		100	1.858372	1.618214

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```
[19]: model_fit.get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary(
        grouping_vars=['block_bins'],
        quantiles=[.3, .5, .7],
        n_posterior_predictives=100)
```

```
[19]:
```

		mean_accuracy	mean_rt	skewness	quant_30_rt_incorrect \
block_bins	sample				
1	1	0.866667	1.725833	1.289234	1.584221
	2	0.900000	1.752329	1.527601	2.231171
	3	0.900000	1.686033	0.924488	1.746004
	4	0.900000	1.732809	1.865226	2.113744
	5	0.800000	1.635091	2.085413	1.567397
...					
8	96	0.966667	1.735385	4.445814	2.664596
	97	0.833333	1.693073	0.534953	1.727258
	98	0.866667	1.791996	0.811008	1.669274
	99	0.900000	1.738719	1.967172	1.483509
	100	0.866667	1.796386	1.052592	1.761800

		quant_30_rt_correct	quant_50_rt_incorrect \
block_bins	sample		
1	1	1.460545	1.660907
	2	1.498770	2.560241
	3	1.332471	1.842445
	4	1.246336	2.483196
	5	1.324384	1.675482
...			
8	96	1.356872	2.664596
	97	1.334572	1.769807
	98	1.466517	1.782816
	99	1.408075	1.496928
	100	1.419787	1.807006

		quant_50_rt_correct	quant_70_rt_incorrect \
block_bins	sample		
1	1	1.644744	1.729153
	2	1.612940	2.708332
	3	1.544803	1.884541

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```

      4      1.450803      2.575727
      5      1.518778      1.730329
...
8      96      1.475787      2.664596
      97      1.583482      1.853036
      98      1.642452      1.919534
      99      1.619821      2.271276
     100      1.594746      1.927432

```

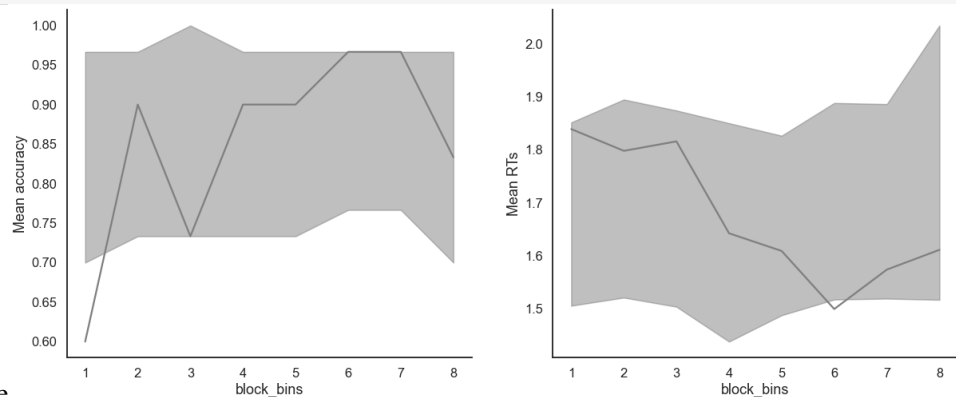
```

                                quant_70_rt_correct
block_bins sample
1          1      1.791533
          2      1.745022
          3      1.863387
          4      1.597772
          5      1.790997
...
8          96      1.649329
          97      1.902496
          98      1.949012
          99      1.783024
         100      2.010042

```

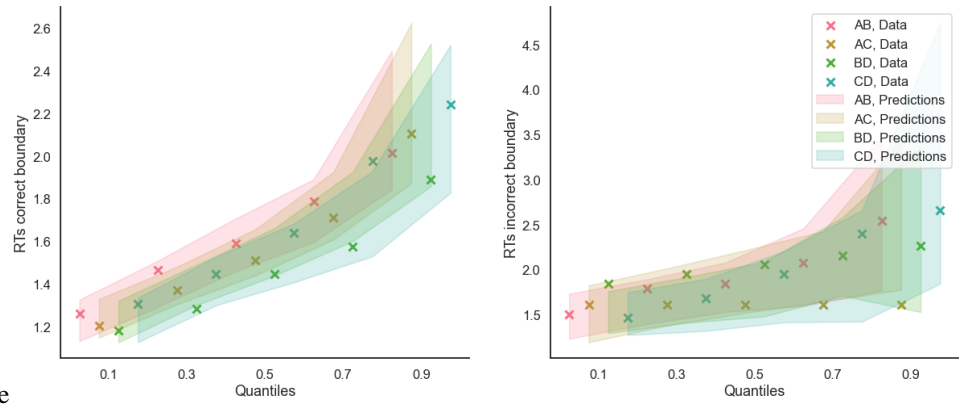
[800 rows x 9 columns]

```
[20]: model_fit.plot_mean_grouped_posterior_predictives(grouping_vars=['block_bins'],
                                                         n_posterior_predictives=100,
                                                         figsize=(20,8));
```



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```
[21]: model_fit.plot_quantiles_grouped_posterior_predictives(
        n_posterior_predictives=100,
        grouping_var='choice_pair',
        kind='shades',
        quantiles=[.1, .3, .5, .7, .9]);
```



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MODEL CLASSES

These classes can be used to define different available models. Currently, 5 classes of models are implemented in *rlssm*:

1. simple reinforcement learning models: *RLModel_2A*
2. diffusion decision models: *DDModel*
3. reinforcement learning diffusion decision models: *RLDDModel*
4. race models: *RModel_2A*, *LBAModel_2A*, *ARDModel_2A*, *ALBAModel_2A*
5. reinforcement learning race models: *RLRModel_2A*, *RLLBAModel_2A*, *RLARDModel_2A*, *RLALBAModel_2A*

All classes have a hierarchical and non-hierarchical version, and come with additional cognitive mechanisms that can be added or excluded.

Note: At the moment, all model classes are meant for decisions between 2 alternatives.

15.1 Reinforcement learning models (for 2 alternatives)

class *rlssm.RLModel_2A*(*hierarchical_levels*, *increasing_sensitivity=False*, *separate_learning_rates=False*)

RLModel_2A allows to specify a reinforcement learning model.

When initializing the model, you should specify whether the model is hierarchical or not. Additionally, you can specify the mechanisms that you wish to include or exclude.

The underlying stan model will be compiled if no previously compiled model is found. After initializing the model, it can be fitted to a particular dataset using *pystan*.

__init__(*hierarchical_levels*, *increasing_sensitivity=False*, *separate_learning_rates=False*)

Initialize a *RLModel_2A* object.

Note: This model is restricted to two options per trial (coded as correct and incorrect). However, more than two options can be presented in the same learning session.

Parameters

- **hierarchical_levels** (*int*) – Set to 1 for individual data and to 2 for grouped data.

- **increasing_sensitivity** (*bool*, *default False*) – By default, sensitivity is fixed throughout learning. If set to True, sensitivity increases throughout learning. In particular, it increases as a power function of the *n* times an option has been seen (as in Yechiam & Busemeyer, 2005).
- **separate_learning_rates** (*bool*, *default False*) – By default, there is only one learning rate. If set to True, separate learning rates are estimated for positive and negative prediction errors.

model_label

The label of the fully specified model.

Type
str

n_parameters_individual

The number of individual parameters of the fully specified model.

Type
int

n_parameters_trial

The number of parameters that are estimated at a trial level.

Type
int

stan_model_path

The location of the stan model code.

Type
str

compiled_model

The compiled stan model.

Type
pystan.StanModel

fit(*data*, *K*, *initial_value_learning*, *alpha_priors=None*, *sensitivity_priors=None*, *consistency_priors=None*, *scaling_priors=None*, *alpha_pos_priors=None*, *alpha_neg_priors=None*, *include_rhat=True*, *include_waic=True*, *include_last_values=True*, *pointwise_waic=False*, *print_diagnostics=True*, ***kwargs*)

Fits the specified reinforcement learning model to data.

Parameters

- **data** (*DataFrame*) – A pandas DataFrame containing data observations.
Columns should include (it's OK if some of them are column indexes too):
 - *trial_block*, the number of trial in a learning session. Should be integers starting from 1.
 - *f_cor*, the output from the correct option in the presented pair (the option with higher outcome on average).
 - *f_inc*, the output from the incorrect option in the presented pair (the option with lower outcome on average).
 - *cor_option*, the number identifying the correct option in the presented pair (the option with higher outcome on average).
 - *inc_option*, the number identifying the incorrect option in the presented pair (the option with lower outcome on average).

– *block_label*, the number identifying the learning session. Should be integers starting from 1. Set to 1 in case there is only one learning session.

– *accuracy*, 0 if the incorrect option was chosen, 1 if the correct option was chosen.

If the model is hierarchical, also include:

– *participant*, the participant number. Should be integers starting from 1.

If *increasing_sensitivity* is True, also include:

– *times_seen*, average number of times the presented options have been seen in a learning session.

- **K** (*int*) – Number of options per learning session.
- **initial_value_learning** (*float*) – The assumed value expectation in the first learning session. The learning value in the following learning sessions is set to the average learned value in the previous learning session.
- **alpha_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the learning rate parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **sensitivity_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the sensitivity parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **consistency_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the consistency parameter (only meaningful if *increasing_sensitivity* is True). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **scaling_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the scaling parameter (only meaningful if *increasing_sensitivity* is True). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **alpha_pos_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the learning rate for the positive PE (only meaningful if *separate_learning_rates* is True). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **alpha_neg_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the learning rate for the negative PE (only meaningful if *separate_learning_rates* is True). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **include_rhat** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to calculate the Gelman-Rubin convergence diagnostic \hat{r} (Gelman & Rubin, 1992).
- **include_waic** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to calculate the widely applicable information criterion (WAIC; Watanabe, 2013).
- **pointwise_waic** (*bool, default False*) – Whether to also include the pointwise WAIC. Only relevant if *include_waic* is True.
- **include_last_values** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to extract the last values for each chain.
- **print_diagnostics** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to print mcmc diagnostics after fitting. It is advised to leave it to True and always check, on top of the \hat{r} .

- ****kwargs** – Additional arguments to `pystan.StanModel.sampling()`.

Returns

`res`

Return type

`rlssm.fits.RLModelResults`

15.2 Diffusion decision models

```
class rlssm.DDModel(hierarchical_levels, starting_point_bias=False, drift_variability=False,  
                    starting_point_variability=False, drift_starting_point_correlation=False,  
                    drift_starting_point_beta_correlation=False, drift_starting_point_regression=False)
```

DDModel allows to specify a diffusion decision model.

When initializing the model, you should specify whether the model is hierarchical or not. Additionally, you can specify the mechanisms that you wish to include or exclude.

The underlying stan model will be compiled if no previously compiled model is found. After initializing the model, it can be fitted to a particular dataset using `pystan`.

```
__init__(hierarchical_levels, starting_point_bias=False, drift_variability=False,  
         starting_point_variability=False, drift_starting_point_correlation=False,  
         drift_starting_point_beta_correlation=False, drift_starting_point_regression=False)
```

Initialize a DDModel object.

Note: This model is restricted to two options per trial (coded as correct and incorrect).

Parameters

- **hierarchical_levels** (*int*) – Set to 1 for individual data and to 2 for grouped data.
- **starting_point_bias** (*bool*, *default False*) – By default, there is no starting point bias. If set to True, the starting point bias is estimated.
- **drift_variability** (*bool*, *default False*) – By default, there is no drift-rate variability across trials. If set to True, the standard deviation of the drift-rate across trials is estimated.
- **starting_point_variability** (*bool*, *default False*) – By default, there is no starting point bias variability across trials. If set to True, the standard deviation of the starting point bias across trials is estimated.
- **drift_starting_point_correlation** (*bool*, *default False*) – By default, the correlation between these 2 parameters is not estimated. If set to True, the 2 parameters are assumed to come from a multinormal distribution. Only relevant when `drift_variability` and `starting_point_variability` are True.
- **drift_starting_point_beta_correlation** (*bool*, *default False*) – If True, trial-by-trial drift-rate, `rel_sp` and an external variable `beta` are assumed to come from a multinormal distribution.

Only relevant when `drift_variability` and `starting_point_variability` are True.
- **drift_starting_point_regression** (*bool*, *default False*) – If True, two regression coefficients are estimated, for trial drift and relative starting point, and an external variable `beta`. Only relevant when `drift_variability` and `starting_point_variability` are True.

model_label

The label of the fully specified model.

Type
str

n_parameters_individual

The number of individual parameters of the fully specified model.

Type
int

n_parameters_trial

The number of parameters that are estimated at a trial level.

Type
int

stan_model_path

The location of the stan model code.

Type
str

compiled_model

The compiled stan model.

Type
pystan.StanModel

fit(data, drift_priors=None, threshold_priors=None, ndt_priors=None, rel_sp_priors=None, starting_point=0.5, drift_trialmu_priors=None, drift_trialsd_priors=None, rel_sp_trialmu_priors=None, rel_sp_trialsd_priors=None, corr_matrix_prior=None, beta_trialmu_priors=None, beta_trialsd_priors=None, regression_coefficients_priors=None, include_rhat=True, include_waic=True, include_last_values=True, pointwise_waic=False, print_diagnostics=True, **kwargs)

Fits the specified diffusion decision model to data.

Parameters

- **data** (*DataFrame*) – A pandas DataFrame containing data observations.

Columns should include:

- *rt*, response times in seconds.
- *accuracy*, 0 if the incorrect option was chosen, 1 if the correct option was chosen.

If the model is hierarchical, also include:

- *participant*, the participant number. Should be integers starting from 1.

When either *drift_starting_point_correlation*, *drift_starting_point_beta_correlation*, or *drift_starting_point_regression* are True, also include:

- *beta*, the external variable to correlate/regress to drift and rel_sp.

- **starting_point** (*float*, *default* .5) – The relative starting point of the diffusion process. By default there is no bias, so the starting point is .5. Should be between 0 and 1.
- **drift_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the drift-rate parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.

- **threshold_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the threshold parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **ndt_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the non decision time parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **rel_sp_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the relative starting point parameter (only meaningful if `starting_point_bias` is `True`). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **drift_trialmu_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the mean drift-rate across trials (only meaningful if `drift_variability` is `True`). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **drift_trialsd_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the standard deviation of the drift-rate across trials (only meaningful if `drift_variability` is `True`). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **rel_sp_trialmu_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the standard deviation of the relative starting point across trials (only meaningful if `starting_point_variability` is `True`). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **rel_sp_trialsd_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the standard deviation of the relative starting point across trials (only meaningful if `starting_point_variability` is `True`). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **corr_matrix_prior** (*float, default to 1*) – Prior for the eta parameter of the LKJ prior of the correlation matrix (only meaningful if `drift_starting_point_correlation` is `True`).
- **beta_trialmu_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the mean beta across trials (only meaningful if `drift_starting_point_beta_correlation` is `True`). Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr.
- **beta_trialsd_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the standard deviation of the beta across trials (only meaningful if `drift_starting_point_beta_correlation` is `True`). Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr.
- **regression_coefficients_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the regression coefficients (only relevant if `drift_starting_point_regression` is `True`). Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr.
- **include_rhat** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to calculate the Gelman-Rubin convergence diagnostic \hat{r} (Gelman & Rubin, 1992).
- **include_waic** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to calculate the widely applicable information criterion (WAIC; Watanabe, 2013).
- **pointwise_waic** (*bool, default False*) – Whether to also include the pointwise WAIC. Only relevant if `include_waic` is `True`.
- **include_last_values** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to extract the last values for each chain.

- **print_diagnostics** (*bool*, *default True*) – Whether to print mcmc diagnostics after fitting. It is advised to leave it to True and always check, on top of the \hat{r} .
- ****kwargs** – Additional arguments to `pystan.StanModel.sampling()`.

Returns**res****Return type**`rlssm.fits.DDModelResults`

15.3 Reinforcement learning diffusion decision models

class `rlssm.RLDDModel`(*hierarchical_levels*, *nonlinear_mapping=False*, *separate_learning_rates=False*, *threshold_modulation=False*)

RLDDModel allows to specify a combination of reinforcement learning and diffusion decision models.

When initializing the model, you should specify whether the model is hierarchical or not. Additionally, you can specify the mechanisms that you wish to include or exclude.

The underlying stan model will be compiled if no previously compiled model is found. After initializing the model, it can be fitted to a particular dataset using `pystan`.

__init__(*hierarchical_levels*, *nonlinear_mapping=False*, *separate_learning_rates=False*, *threshold_modulation=False*)

Initialize a RLDDModel object.

Note: This model is restricted to two options per trial (coded as correct and incorrect). However, more than two options can be presented in the same learning session.

Parameters

- **hierarchical_levels** (*int*) – Set to 1 for individual data and to 2 for grouped data.
- **nonlinear_mapping** (*bool*, *default False*) – By default, the mapping between value differences and drift-rate is linear. If set to True, a non-linear mapping function is estimated.
- **separate_learning_rates** (*bool*, *default False*) – By default, there is only one learning rate. If set to True, separate learning rates are estimated for positive and negative prediction errors.
- **threshold_modulation** (*bool*, *default False*) – By default, the threshold is independent on the presented options. If set to True, the threshold can decrease or increase depending on the average value of the presented options.

model_label

The label of the fully specified model.

Type`str`**n_parameters_individual**

The number of individual parameters of the fully specified model.

Type`int`

n_parameters_trial

The number of parameters that are estimated at a trial level.

Type

int

stan_model_path

The location of the stan model code.

Type

str

compiled_model

The compiled stan model.

Type

pystan.StanModel

fit(*data*, *K*, *initial_value_learning*, *alpha_priors=None*, *drift_scaling_priors=None*, *threshold_priors=None*, *ndt_priors=None*, *drift_asymptote_priors=None*, *threshold_modulation_priors=None*, *alpha_pos_priors=None*, *alpha_neg_priors=None*, *include_rhat=True*, *include_waic=True*, *pointwise_waic=False*, *include_last_values=True*, *print_diagnostics=True*, ***kwargs*)

Fits the specified reinforcement learning diffusion decision model to data.

Parameters

- **data** (*DataFrame*) – A pandas DataFrame containing data observations.
Columns should include (it's OK if some of them are column indexes too):
 - *trial_block*, the number of trial in a learning session. Should be integers starting from 1.
 - *f_cor*, the output from the correct option in the presented pair (the option with higher outcome on average).
 - *f_inc*, the output from the incorrect option in the presented pair (the option with lower outcome on average).
 - *cor_option*, the number identifying the correct option in the presented pair (the option with higher outcome on average).
 - *inc_option*, the number identifying the incorrect option in the presented pair (the option with lower outcome on average).
 - *block_label*, the number identifying the learning session. Should be integers starting from 1. Set to 1 in case there is only one learning session.
 - *rt*, response times in seconds.
 - *accuracy*, 0 if the incorrect option was chosen, 1 if the correct option was chosen.If the model is hierarchical, also include:
 - *participant*, the participant number. Should be integers starting from 1.
- **K** (*int*) – Number of options per learning session.
- **initial_value_learning** (*float*) – The assumed value expectation in the first learning session. The learning value in the following learning sessions is set to the average learned value in the previous learning session.
- **alpha_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the learning rate parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.

- **drift_scaling_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the drift scaling parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **threshold_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the threshold parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **ndt_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the non decision time parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **drift_asymptote_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the drift-rate asymptote (only meaningful if *nonlinear_mapping* is True). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **threshold_modulation_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the threshold coefficient (only meaningful if *threshold_modulation* is True). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **alpha_pos_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the learning rate for the positive PE (only meaningful if *separate_learning_rates* is True). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **alpha_neg_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the learning rate for the negative PE (only meaningful if *separate_learning_rates* is True). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **include_rhat** (*bool*, *default True*) – Whether to calculate the Gelman-Rubin convergence diagnostic \hat{r} (Gelman & Rubin, 1992).
- **include_waic** (*bool*, *default True*) – Whether to calculate the widely applicable information criterion (WAIC; Watanabe, 2013).
- **pointwise_waic** (*bool*, *default False*) – Whether to also include the pointwise WAIC. Only relevant if *include_waic* is True.
- **include_last_values** (*bool*, *default True*) – Whether to extract the last values for each chain.
- **print_diagnostics** (*bool*, *default True*) – Whether to print mcmc diagnostics after fitting. It is advised to leave it to True and always check, on top of the \hat{r} .
- ****kwargs** – Additional arguments to `pystan.StanModel.sampling()`.

Returns`res`**Return type**`rlssm.fits.DDModelResults`

15.4 Race models (for 2 alternatives)

class rlssm.RDModel_2A(*hierarchical_levels*)

RDModel_2A allows to specify a race diffusion model for 2 alternatives.

When initializing the model, you should specify whether the model is hierarchical or not.

The underlying stan model will be compiled if no previously compiled model is found. After initializing the model, it can be fitted to a particular dataset using `pystan`.

__init__(*hierarchical_levels*)

Initialize a RDModel_2A object.

Note: This model is restricted to two options per trial (coded as correct and incorrect).

Parameters

hierarchical_levels (*int*) – Set to 1 for individual data and to 2 for grouped data.

model_label

The label of the fully specified model.

Type
str

n_parameters_individual

The number of individual parameters of the fully specified model.

Type
int

n_parameters_trial

The number of parameters that are estimated at a trial level.

Type
int

stan_model_path

The location of the stan model code.

Type
str

compiled_model

The compiled stan model.

Type
`pystan.StanModel`

fit(*data*, *threshold_priors=None*, *ndt_priors=None*, *drift_priors=None*, *include_rhat=True*, *include_waic=True*, *pointwise_waic=False*, *include_last_values=True*, *print_diagnostics=True*, ***kwargs*)

Fits the specified diffusion decision model to data.

Parameters

- **data** (*DataFrame*) – A pandas DataFrame containing data observations.
Columns should include:
 - *rt*, response times in seconds.

– *accuracy*, 0 if the incorrect option was chosen, 1 if the correct option was chosen.

If the model is hierarchical, also include:

– *participant*, the participant number. Should be integers starting from 1.

- **starting_point** (*float*, *default* .5) – The relative starting point of the diffusion process. By default there is no bias, so the starting point is .5. Should be between 0 and 1.
- **threshold_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the threshold parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **ndt_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the non decision time parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **drift_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the drift-rate parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **include_rhat** (*bool*, *default* True) – Whether to calculate the Gelman-Rubin convergence diagnostic r hat (Gelman & Rubin, 1992).
- **include_waic** (*bool*, *default* True) – Whether to calculate the widely applicable information criterion (WAIC; Watanabe, 2013).
- **pointwise_waic** (*bool*, *default* False) – Whether to also include the pointwise WAIC. Only relevant if include_waic is True.
- **include_last_values** (*bool*, *default* True) – Whether to extract the last values for each chain.
- **print_diagnostics** (*bool*, *default* True) – Whether to print mcmc diagnostics after fitting. It is advised to leave it to True and always check, on top of the r hat.
- ****kwargs** – Additional arguments to `pystan.StanModel.sampling()`.

Returns

res

Return type

`rlssm.fits.DDModelResults`

class `rlssm.LBAModel_2A(hierarchical_levels)`

LBAModel_2A allows to specify a linear ballistic accumulator model for 2 alternatives.

When initializing the model, you should specify whether the model is hierarchical or not.

The underlying stan model will be compiled if no previously compiled model is found. After initializing the model, it can be fitted to a particular dataset using `pystan`.

__init__ (*hierarchical_levels*)

Initialize a LBAModel_2A object.

Note: This model is restricted to two options per trial (coded as correct and incorrect).

Parameters

hierarchical_levels (*int*) – Set to 1 for individual data and to 2 for grouped data.

model_label

The label of the fully specified model.

Type
str

n_parameters_individual

The number of individual parameters of the fully specified model.

Type
int

n_parameters_trial

The number of parameters that are estimated at a trial level.

Type
int

stan_model_path

The location of the stan model code.

Type
str

compiled_model

The compiled stan model.

Type
pystan.StanModel

fit(*data*, *k_priors*=None, *A_priors*=None, *tau_priors*=None, *drift_priors*=None, *include_rhat*=True, *include_waic*=True, *pointwise_waic*=False, *include_last_values*=True, *print_diagnostics*=True, ***kwargs*)

Fits the specified diffusion decision model to data.

Parameters

- **data** (*DataFrame*) – A pandas DataFrame containing data observations.
Columns should include:
 - *rt*, response times in seconds.
 - *accuracy*, 0 if the incorrect option was chosen, 1 if the correct option was chosen.If the model is hierarchical, also include:
 - *participant*, the participant number. Should be integers starting from 1.
- **starting_point** (*float*, *default* .5) – The relative starting point of the diffusion process. By default there is no bias, so the starting point is .5. Should be between 0 and 1.
- **k_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the k parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **A_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the A parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **tau_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the non decision time parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.

- **drift_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the drift-rate parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **include_rhat** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to calculate the Gelman-Rubin convergence diagnostic \hat{r} (Gelman & Rubin, 1992).
- **include_waic** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to calculate the widely applicable information criterion (WAIC; Watanabe, 2013).
- **pointwise_waic** (*bool, default False*) – Whether to also include the pointwise WAIC. Only relevant if `include_waic` is `True`.
- **include_last_values** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to extract the last values for each chain.
- **print_diagnostics** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to print mcmc diagnostics after fitting. It is advised to leave it to `True` and always check, on top of the \hat{r} .
- ****kwargs** – Additional arguments to `pystan.StanModel.sampling()`.

Returns**res****Return type**`rlssm.fits.DDModelResults`**class** `rlssm.ARDModel_2A(hierarchical_levels)``ARDModel_2A` allows to specify a advantage race diffusion model for 2 alternatives.

When initializing the model, you should specify whether the model is hierarchical or not.

The underlying stan model will be compiled if no previously compiled model is found. After initializing the model, it can be fitted to a particular dataset using `pystan`.**__init__** (*hierarchical_levels*)Initialize a `ARDModel_2A` object.

Note: This model is restricted to two options per trial (coded as correct and incorrect).

Parameters**hierarchical_levels** (*int*) – Set to 1 for individual data and to 2 for grouped data.**model_label**

The label of the fully specified model.

Type`str`**n_parameters_individual**

The number of individual parameters of the fully specified model.

Type`int`**n_parameters_trial**

The number of parameters that are estimated at a trial level.

Type`int`

stan_model_path

The location of the stan model code.

Type

str

compiled_model

The compiled stan model.

Type

pystan.StanModel

fit(*data*, *threshold_priors=None*, *ndt_priors=None*, *v0_priors=None*, *ws_priors=None*, *wd_priors=None*, *include_rhat=True*, *include_waic=True*, *pointwise_waic=False*, *include_last_values=True*, *print_diagnostics=True*, ***kwargs*)

Fits the specified diffusion decision model to data.

Parameters

- **data** (*DataFrame*) – A pandas DataFrame containing data observations.
Columns should include:
 - *rt*, response times in seconds.
 - *accuracy*, 0 if the incorrect option was chosen, 1 if the correct option was chosen.If the model is hierarchical, also include:
 - *participant*, the participant number. Should be integers starting from 1.
- **starting_point** (*float*, *default .5*) – The relative starting point of the diffusion process. By default there is no bias, so the starting point is .5. Should be between 0 and 1.
- **threshold_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the threshold parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **ndt_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the non decision time parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **v0_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the v0 parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **ws_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the ws parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **wd_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the wd parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **include_rhat** (*bool*, *default True*) – Whether to calculate the Gelman-Rubin convergence diagnostic r hat (Gelman & Rubin, 1992).
- **include_waic** (*bool*, *default True*) – Whether to calculate the widely applicable information criterion (WAIC; Watanabe, 2013).
- **pointwise_waic** (*bool*, *default False*) – Whether to also include the pointwise WAIC. Only relevant if include_waic is True.
- **include_last_values** (*bool*, *default True*) – Whether to extract the last values for each chain.

- **print_diagnostics** (*bool*, *default True*) – Whether to print mcmc diagnostics after fitting. It is advised to leave it to True and always check, on top of the \hat{r} hat.
- ****kwargs** – Additional arguments to `pystan.StanModel.sampling()`.

Returns**res****Return type**`rlssm.fits.DDModelResults`

class `rlssm.ALBAModel_2A`(*hierarchical_levels*)

ALBAModel_2A allows to specify a advantage linear ballistic accumulator model for 2 alternatives.

When initializing the model, you should specify whether the model is hierarchical or not.

The underlying stan model will be compiled if no previously compiled model is found. After initializing the model, it can be fitted to a particular dataset using `pystan`.

__init__(*hierarchical_levels*)

Initialize a ALBAModel_2A object.

Note: This model is restricted to two options per trial (coded as correct and incorrect).

Parameters

hierarchical_levels (*int*) – Set to 1 for individual data and to 2 for grouped data.

model_label

The label of the fully specified model.

Type`str`**n_parameters_individual**

The number of individual parameters of the fully specified model.

Type`int`**n_parameters_trial**

The number of parameters that are estimated at a trial level.

Type`int`**stan_model_path**

The location of the stan model code.

Type`str`**compiled_model**

The compiled stan model.

Type`pystan.StanModel`

fit(*data*, *k_priors=None*, *A_priors=None*, *tau_priors=None*, *v0_priors=None*, *ws_priors=None*, *wd_priors=None*, *include_rhat=True*, *include_waic=True*, *pointwise_waic=False*, *include_last_values=True*, *print_diagnostics=True*, ****kwargs**)

Fits the specified diffusion decision model to data.

Parameters

- **data** (*DataFrame*) – A pandas DataFrame containing data observations.
Columns should include:
 - *rt*, response times in seconds.
 - *accuracy*, 0 if the incorrect option was chosen, 1 if the correct option was chosen.If the model is hierarchical, also include:
 - *participant*, the participant number. Should be integers starting from 1.
- **starting_point** (*float*, *default .5*) – The relative starting point of the diffusion process. By default there is no bias, so the starting point is .5. Should be between 0 and 1.
- **k_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the k parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **A_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the A parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **tau_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the non decision time parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **v0_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the v0 parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **ws_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the ws parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **wd_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the wd parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **include_rhat** (*bool*, *default True*) – Whether to calculate the Gelman-Rubin convergence diagnostic \hat{r} (Gelman & Rubin, 1992).
- **include_waic** (*bool*, *default True*) – Whether to calculate the widely applicable information criterion (WAIC; Watanabe, 2013).
- **pointwise_waic** (*bool*, *default False*) – Whether to also include the pointwise WAIC. Only relevant if `include_waic` is True.
- **include_last_values** (*bool*, *default True*) – Whether to extract the last values for each chain.
- **print_diagnostics** (*bool*, *default True*) – Whether to print mcmc diagnostics after fitting. It is advised to leave it to True and always check, on top of the \hat{r} .
- ****kwargs** – Additional arguments to `pystan.StanModel.sampling()`.

Returns

`res`

Return type

`rlssm.fits.DDModelResults`

15.5 Reinforcement learning race models (for 2 alternatives)

class rlssm.**RLRDMModel_2A**(*hierarchical_levels*, *separate_learning_rates=False*, *nonlinear_mapping=False*)

RLRDMModel_2A allows to specify a combination of reinforcement learning and race diffusion decision models.

When initializing the model, you should specify whether the model is hierarchical or not. Additionally, you can specify the mechanisms that you wish to include or exclude.

The underlying stan model will be compiled if no previously compiled model is found. After initializing the model, it can be fitted to a particular dataset using `pystan`.

__init__(*hierarchical_levels*, *separate_learning_rates=False*, *nonlinear_mapping=False*)

Initialize a RLRDMModel_2A object.

Note: This model is restricted to two options per trial (coded as correct and incorrect). However, more than two options can be presented in the same learning session.

Parameters

- **hierarchical_levels** (*int*) – Set to 1 for individual data and to 2 for grouped data.
- **separate_learning_rates** (*bool*, *default False*) – By default, there is only one learning rate. If set to True, separate learning rates are estimated for positive and negative prediction errors.
- **nonlinear_mapping** (*bool*, *default False*) – By default, the mapping between value differences and drift-rate is linear. If set to True, a non-linear mapping function is estimated.

model_label

The label of the fully specified model.

Type
str

n_parameters_individual

The number of individual parameters of the fully specified model.

Type
int

n_parameters_trial

The number of parameters that are estimated at a trial level.

Type
int

stan_model_path

The location of the stan model code.

Type
str

compiled_model

The compiled stan model.

Type
`pystan.StanModel`

```
fit(data, K, initial_value_learning, alpha_priors=None, drift_scaling_priors=None, threshold_priors=None,
    ndt_priors=None, utility_priors=None, alpha_pos_priors=None, alpha_neg_priors=None,
    include_rhat=True, include_waic=True, pointwise_waic=False, include_last_values=True,
    print_diagnostics=True, **kwargs)
```

Fits the specified reinforcement learning diffusion decision model to data.

Parameters

- **data** (*DataFrame*) – A pandas DataFrame containing data observations.
Columns should include (it's OK if some of them are column indexes too):
 - *trial_block*, the number of trial in a learning session. Should be integers starting from 1.
 - *f_cor*, the output from the correct option in the presented pair (the option with higher outcome on average).
 - *f_inc*, the output from the incorrect option in the presented pair (the option with lower outcome on average).
 - *cor_option*, the number identifying the correct option in the presented pair (the option with higher outcome on average).
 - *inc_option*, the number identifying the incorrect option in the presented pair (the option with lower outcome on average).
 - *block_label*, the number identifying the learning session. Should be integers starting from 1. Set to 1 in case there is only one learning session.
 - *rt*, response times in seconds.
 - *accuracy*, 0 if the incorrect option was chosen, 1 if the correct option was chosen.If the model is hierarchical, also include:
 - *participant*, the participant number. Should be integers starting from 1.
- **K** (*int*) – Number of options per learning session.
- **initial_value_learning** (*float*) – The assumed value expectation in the first learning session. The learning value in the following learning sessions is set to the average learned value in the previous learning session.
- **alpha_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the learning rate parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **drift_scaling_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the drift scaling parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **threshold_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the threshold parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **ndt_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the non decision time parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **utility_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the utility time parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.

- **alpha_pos_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the learning rate for the positive PE (only meaningful if `separate_learning_rates` is `True`). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **alpha_neg_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the learning rate for the negative PE (only meaningful if `separate_learning_rates` is `True`). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **include_rhat** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to calculate the Gelman-Rubin convergence diagnostic \hat{r} (Gelman & Rubin, 1992).
- **include_waic** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to calculate the widely applicable information criterion (WAIC; Watanabe, 2013).
- **pointwise_waic** (*bool, default False*) – Whether to also include the pointwise WAIC. Only relevant if `include_waic` is `True`.
- **include_last_values** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to extract the last values for each chain.
- **print_diagnostics** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to print mcmc diagnostics after fitting. It is advised to leave it to `True` and always check, on top of the \hat{r} .
- ****kwargs** – Additional arguments to `pystan.StanModel.sampling()`.

Returns**res****Return type**`rlssm.fits.DDModelResults`

class `rlssm.RLLBAModel_2A`(*hierarchical_levels, separate_learning_rates=False, nonlinear_mapping=False*)

`RLLBAModel_2A` allows to specify a combination of reinforcement learning and linear ballistic accumulator models.

When initializing the model, you should specify whether the model is hierarchical or not. Additionally, you can specify the mechanisms that you wish to include or exclude.

The underlying stan model will be compiled if no previously compiled model is found. After initializing the model, it can be fitted to a particular dataset using `pystan`.

__init__(*hierarchical_levels, separate_learning_rates=False, nonlinear_mapping=False*)

Initialize a `RLLBAModel_2A` object.

Note: This model is restricted to two options per trial (coded as correct and incorrect). However, more than two options can be presented in the same learning session.

Parameters

- **hierarchical_levels** (*int*) – Set to 1 for individual data and to 2 for grouped data.
- **separate_learning_rates** (*bool, default False*) – By default, there is only one learning rate. If set to `True`, separate learning rates are estimated for positive and negative prediction errors.
- **nonlinear_mapping** (*bool, default False*) – By default, the mapping between value differences and drift-rate is linear. If set to `True`, a non-linear mapping function is estimated.

model_label

The label of the fully specified model.

Type

str

n_parameters_individual

The number of individual parameters of the fully specified model.

Type

int

n_parameters_trial

The number of parameters that are estimated at a trial level.

Type

int

stan_model_path

The location of the stan model code.

Type

str

compiled_model

The compiled stan model.

Type

pystan.StanModel

fit(*data*, *K*, *initial_value_learning*, *k_priors=None*, *A_priors=None*, *tau_priors=None*, *utility_priors=None*, *alpha_priors=None*, *drift_scaling_priors=None*, *alpha_pos_priors=None*, *alpha_neg_priors=None*, *include_rhat=True*, *include_waic=True*, *pointwise_waic=False*, *include_last_values=True*, *print_diagnostics=True*, ***kwargs*)

Fits the specified reinforcement learning diffusion decision model to data.

Parameters

- **data** (*DataFrame*) – A pandas DataFrame containing data observations.

Columns should include (it's OK if some of them are column indexes too):

- *trial_block*, the number of trial in a learning session. Should be integers starting from 1.
- *f_cor*, the output from the correct option in the presented pair (the option with higher outcome on average).
- *f_inc*, the output from the incorrect option in the presented pair (the option with lower outcome on average).
- *cor_option*, the number identifying the correct option in the presented pair (the option with higher outcome on average).
- *inc_option*, the number identifying the incorrect option in the presented pair (the option with lower outcome on average).
- *block_label*, the number identifying the learning session. Should be integers starting from 1. Set to 1 in case there is only one learning session.
- *rt*, response times in seconds.
- *accuracy*, 0 if the incorrect option was chosen, 1 if the correct option was chosen.

If the model is hierarchical, also include:

- *participant*, the participant number. Should be integers starting from 1.

- **K** (*int*) – Number of options per learning session.
- **initial_value_learning** (*float*) – The assumed value expectation in the first learning session. The learning value in the following learning sessions is set to the average learned value in the previous learning session.
- **alpha_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the learning rate parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **drift_scaling_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the drift scaling parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **k_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the k parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **A_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the A parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **tau_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the tau parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **utility_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the utility time parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **alpha_pos_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the learning rate for the positive PE (only meaningful if `separate_learning_rates` is `True`). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **alpha_neg_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the learning rate for the negative PE (only meaningful if `separate_learning_rates` is `True`). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **include_rhat** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to calculate the Gelman-Rubin convergence diagnostic \hat{r} (Gelman & Rubin, 1992).
- **include_waic** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to calculate the widely applicable information criterion (WAIC; Watanabe, 2013).
- **pointwise_waic** (*bool, default False*) – Whether to also include the pointwise WAIC. Only relevant if `include_waic` is `True`.
- **include_last_values** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to extract the last values for each chain.
- **print_diagnostics** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to print mcmc diagnostics after fitting. It is advised to leave it to `True` and always check, on top of the \hat{r} .
- ****kwargs** – Additional arguments to `pystan.StanModel.sampling()`.

Returns`res`**Return type**`rlssm.fits.DDModelResults`

class rlssm.**RLARDModel_2A**(*hierarchical_levels*, *separate_learning_rates=False*)

RLARDModel_2A allows to specify a combination of reinforcement learning and advantage race diffusion decision models.

When initializing the model, you should specify whether the model is hierarchical or not. Additionally, you can specify the mechanisms that you wish to include or exclude.

The underlying stan model will be compiled if no previously compiled model is found. After initializing the model, it can be fitted to a particular dataset using pystan.

__init__(*hierarchical_levels*, *separate_learning_rates=False*)

Initialize a RLARDModel_2A object.

Note: This model is restricted to two options per trial (coded as correct and incorrect). However, more than two options can be presented in the same learning session.

Parameters

- **hierarchical_levels** (*int*) – Set to 1 for individual data and to 2 for grouped data.
- **separate_learning_rates** (*bool*, *default False*) – By default, there is only one learning rate. If set to True, separate learning rates are estimated for positive and negative prediction errors.

model_label

The label of the fully specified model.

Type
str

n_parameters_individual

The number of individual parameters of the fully specified model.

Type
int

n_parameters_trial

The number of parameters that are estimated at a trial level.

Type
int

stan_model_path

The location of the stan model code.

Type
str

compiled_model

The compiled stan model.

Type
pystan.StanModel

fit(*data*, *K*, *initial_value_learning*, *threshold_priors=None*, *ndt_priors=None*, *v0_priors=None*, *ws_priors=None*, *wd_priors=None*, *alpha_priors=None*, *alpha_pos_priors=None*, *alpha_neg_priors=None*, *include_rhat=True*, *include_waic=True*, *pointwise_waic=False*, *include_last_values=True*, *print_diagnostics=True*, ***kwargs*)

Fits the specified reinforcement learning diffusion decision model to data.

Parameters

- **data** (*DataFrame*) – A pandas DataFrame containing data observations.
Columns should include (it's OK if some of them are column indexes too):
 - *trial_block*, the number of trial in a learning session. Should be integers starting from 1.
 - *f_cor*, the output from the correct option in the presented pair (the option with higher outcome on average).
 - *f_inc*, the output from the incorrect option in the presented pair (the option with lower outcome on average).
 - *cor_option*, the number identifying the correct option in the presented pair (the option with higher outcome on average).
 - *inc_option*, the number identifying the incorrect option in the presented pair (the option with lower outcome on average).
 - *block_label*, the number identifying the learning session. Should be integers starting from 1. Set to 1 in case there is only one learning session.
 - *rt*, response times in seconds.
 - *accuracy*, 0 if the incorrect option was chosen, 1 if the correct option was chosen.
 If the model is hierarchical, also include:
 - *participant*, the participant number. Should be integers starting from 1.
- **K** (*int*) – Number of options per learning session.
- **initial_value_learning** (*float*) – The assumed value expectation in the first learning session. The learning value in the following learning sessions is set to the average learned value in the previous learning session.
- **threshold_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the threshold parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **alpha_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the learning rate parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **v0_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the v0 parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **ws_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the ws parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **wd_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the wd parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **ndt_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the non decision time parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **alpha_pos_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the learning rate for the positive PE (only meaningful if *separate_learning_rates* is True). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.

- **alpha_neg_priors** (*dict, optional*) – Priors for the learning rate for the negative PE (only meaningful if `separate_learning_rates` is `True`). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **include_rhat** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to calculate the Gelman-Rubin convergence diagnostic \hat{r} (Gelman & Rubin, 1992).
- **include_waic** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to calculate the widely applicable information criterion (WAIC; Watanabe, 2013).
- **pointwise_waic** (*bool, default False*) – Whether to also include the pointwise WAIC. Only relevant if `include_waic` is `True`.
- **include_last_values** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to extract the last values for each chain.
- **print_diagnostics** (*bool, default True*) – Whether to print mcmc diagnostics after fitting. It is advised to leave it to `True` and always check, on top of the \hat{r} .
- ****kwargs** – Additional arguments to `pystan.StanModel.sampling()`.

Returns

res

Return type

`rlssm.fits.DDModelResults`

class `rlssm.RLALBAModel_2A(hierarchical_levels, separate_learning_rates=False)`

`RLALBAModel_2A` allows to specify a combination of reinforcement learning and advantage linear ballistic accumulator models.

When initializing the model, you should specify whether the model is hierarchical or not. Additionally, you can specify the mechanisms that you wish to include or exclude.

The underlying stan model will be compiled if no previously compiled model is found. After initializing the model, it can be fitted to a particular dataset using `pystan`.

__init__(*hierarchical_levels, separate_learning_rates=False*)

Initialize a `RLALBAModel_2A` object.

Note: This model is restricted to two options per trial (coded as correct and incorrect). However, more than two options can be presented in the same learning session.

Parameters

- **hierarchical_levels** (*int*) – Set to 1 for individual data and to 2 for grouped data.
- **separate_learning_rates** (*bool, default False*) – By default, there is only one learning rate. If set to `True`, separate learning rates are estimated for positive and negative prediction errors.

model_label

The label of the fully specified model.

Type

`str`

n_parameters_individual

The number of individual parameters of the fully specified model.

Type

int

n_parameters_trial

The number of parameters that are estimated at a trial level.

Type

int

stan_model_path

The location of the stan model code.

Type

str

compiled_model

The compiled stan model.

Type

pystan.StanModel

fit(*data*, *K*, *initial_value_learning*, *k_priors=None*, *A_priors=None*, *tau_priors=None*, *v0_priors=None*, *ws_priors=None*, *wd_priors=None*, *alpha_priors=None*, *alpha_pos_priors=None*, *alpha_neg_priors=None*, *include_rhat=True*, *include_waic=True*, *pointwise_waic=False*, *include_last_values=True*, *print_diagnostics=True*, ***kwargs*)

Fits the specified reinforcement learning diffusion decision model to data.

Parameters

- **data** (*DataFrame*) – A pandas DataFrame containing data observations.
Columns should include (it's OK if some of them are column indexes too):
 - *trial_block*, the number of trial in a learning session. Should be integers starting from 1.
 - *f_cor*, the output from the correct option in the presented pair (the option with higher outcome on average).
 - *f_inc*, the output from the incorrect option in the presented pair (the option with lower outcome on average).
 - *cor_option*, the number identifying the correct option in the presented pair (the option with higher outcome on average).
 - *inc_option*, the number identifying the incorrect option in the presented pair (the option with lower outcome on average).
 - *block_label*, the number identifying the learning session. Should be integers starting from 1. Set to 1 in case there is only one learning session.
 - *rt*, response times in seconds.
 - *accuracy*, 0 if the incorrect option was chosen, 1 if the correct option was chosen.
 If the model is hierarchical, also include:
 - *participant*, the participant number. Should be integers starting from 1.
- **K** (*int*) – Number of options per learning session.
- **initial_value_learning** (*float*) – The assumed value expectation in the first learning session. The learning value in the following learning sessions is set to the average learned value in the previous learning session.

- **k_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the k parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **A_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the A parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **tau_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the tau parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **alpha_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the learning rate parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **v0_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the v0 parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **ws_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the ws parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **wd_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the wd parameter. In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **alpha_pos_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the learning rate for the positive PE (only meaningful if `separate_learning_rates` is `True`). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **alpha_neg_priors** (*dict*, *optional*) – Priors for the learning rate for the negative PE (only meaningful if `separate_learning_rates` is `True`). In case it is not a hierarchical model: Mean and standard deviation of the prior distr. In case it is a hierarchical model: Means and standard deviations of the hyper priors.
- **include_rhat** (*bool*, *default True*) – Whether to calculate the Gelman-Rubin convergence diagnostic \hat{r} (Gelman & Rubin, 1992).
- **include_waic** (*bool*, *default True*) – Whether to calculate the widely applicable information criterion (WAIC; Watanabe, 2013).
- **pointwise_waic** (*bool*, *default False*) – Whether to also include the pointwise WAIC. Only relevant if `include_waic` is `True`.
- **include_last_values** (*bool*, *default True*) – Whether to extract the last values for each chain.
- **print_diagnostics** (*bool*, *default True*) – Whether to print mcmc diagnostics after fitting. It is advised to leave it to `True` and always check, on top of the \hat{r} .
- ****kwargs** – Additional arguments to `pystan.StanModel.sampling()`.

Returns`res`**Return type**`rlssm.fits.DDModelResults`

MODELRESULTS CLASS FOR RL MODELS

There is one class to inspect model fits of **RL models (fitted on choices alone)**: *RLModelResults_2A*.

The main functions of this class are:

- Assess the model's **convergence** and **mcmc diagnostics**, to make sure that the sampling was successful. This step is crucial and should be preferably done first.
- Provide a measure of the model's **quantitative fit** to the data (i.e., the Watanabe-Akaike information criterion). This is important when comparing the quantitative fit to the data of several, competing models.
- Visualize and make interval-based (either Bayesian Credible Intervals or Higher Density Intervals) inferences on the **posterior distributions** of the model's parameters. This is important when specific hypotheses were made about the parameters' values.
- Calculate and visualize **posterior predictive distributions** of the observed data. This step is important to assess the qualitative fit of the model to the data. Qualitative fit should be assessed not only when comparing different competing models, but also when a single candidate model is fitted. Different ways of calculating posterior predictive distributions are provided, together with different plotting options. In general, emphasis is given to calculating posterior predictive distributions across conditions. This allows us to assess whether a certain behavioral pattern observed in the data (e.g., due to experimental manipulations) can also be reproduced by the model.

16.1 All models

```
class rlssm.fits_RL.ModelResults(model_label, data_info, parameters_info, priors, rhat, waic, last_values,
                                samples, trial_samples)
```

```
plot_posteriors(gridsize=100, clip=None, show_intervals='HDI', alpha_intervals=0.05,
                intervals_kws=None, **kwargs)
```

Plots posterior predictives of the model's parameters.

If the model is hierarchical, then only the group parameters are plotted. In particular, group means are plotted in the first row and group standard deviations are plotted in the second row. By default, 95 percent HDI are shown. The kernel density estimation is calculated using `scipy.stats.gaussian_kde`.

Parameters

- **gridsize** (*int*, *default to 100*) – Resolution of the kernel density estimation function, default to 100.
- **clip** (*tuple of (float, float)*, *optional*) – Range for the kernel density estimation function. Default is min and max values of the distribution.

- **show_intervals** (*str*, *default to "HDI"*) – Either “HDI”, “BCI”, or None. HDI is better when the distribution is not simmetrical. If None, then no intervals are shown.
- **alpha_intervals** (*float*, *default to .05*) – Alpha level for the intervals. Default is 5 percent which gives 95 percent BCIs and HDIs.
- **intervals_kws** (*dict*) – Additional arguments for *matplotlib.axes.Axes.fill_between* that shows shaded intervals. By default, they are 50 percent transparent.
- ****kwargs** – Additional parameters for *seaborn.FacetGrid*.

Returns**g****Return type***seaborn.FacetGrid***to_pickle**(*filename=None*)

Pickle the fitted model’s results object to file.

This can be used to store the model’s result and read them and inspect them at a later stage, without having to refit the model.

Parameters

filename (*str*, *optional*) – File path where the pickled object will be stored. If not specified, is set to

16.2 Reinforcement learning models

class *rlssm.fits_RL.RLModelResults_2A*(*model_label*, *data_info*, *parameters_info*, *priors*, *rhat*, *waic*, *last_values*, *samples*, *trial_samples*)

RLModelResults allows to perform various model checks on fitted RL models.

In particular, this can be used to visualize the estimated posterior distributions and to calculate and visualize the estimated posterior predictive distributions.

show-inheritance**inherited-members****get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary**(*grouping_vars*, *n_posterior_predictives=500*)

Calculates summary of posterior predictives of choices, separately for a list of grouping variables.

The mean proportion of choices (in this case coded as accuracy) is calculated for each posterior sample across all trials in all conditions combination.

For example, if *grouping_vars*=[‘reward’, ‘difficulty’], posterior predictives will be collapsed for all combinations of levels of the reward and difficulty variables.

Parameters

- **grouping_vars** (*list of strings*) – They should be existing grouping variables in the data.
- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If *n_posterior_predictives* is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.

Returns

out – Pandas DataFrame. The column contains the mean accuracy. The row index is a pandas.MultiIndex, with the grouping variables as higher level and number of samples as lower level.

Return type

DataFrame

get_posterior_predictives(*n_posterior_predictives=500*)

Calculates posterior predictives of choices.

Parameters

n_posterior_predictives (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If *n_posterior_predictives* is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.

Returns

pp_acc – Array of shape (n_samples, n_trials).

Return type

numpy.ndarray

get_posterior_predictives_df(*n_posterior_predictives=500*)

Calculates posterior predictives of choices.

Parameters

n_posterior_predictives (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If *n_posterior_predictives* is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.

Returns

out – Data frame of shape (n_samples, n_trials).

Return type

DataFrame

get_posterior_predictives_summary(*n_posterior_predictives=500*)

Calculates summary of posterior predictives of choices.

The mean proportion of choices (in this case coded as accuracy) is calculated for each posterior sample across all trials.

Parameters

n_posterior_predictives (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If *n_posterior_predictives* is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.

Returns

out – Data frame, where every row corresponds to a posterior sample. The column contains the mean accuracy for each posterior sample over the whole dataset.

Return type

DataFrame

plot_mean_grouped_posterior_predictives(*grouping_vars, n_posterior_predictives=500, **kwargs*)

Plots the mean posterior predictives of choices, separately for either 1 or 2 grouping variables.

The first grouping variable will be plotted on the x-axis. The second grouping variable, if provided, will be showed with a different color per variable level.

Parameters

- **grouping_vars** (*list of strings*) – They should be existing grouping variables in the data. The list should be of length 1 or 2.
- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If `n_posterior_predictives` is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.
- **x_order** (*list of strings*) – Order to plot the levels of the first grouping variable in, otherwise the levels are inferred from the data objects.
- **hue_order** (*lists of strings*) – Order to plot the levels of the second grouping variable (when provided) in, otherwise the levels are inferred from the data objects.
- **hue_labels** (*list of strings*) – Labels corresponding to `hue_order` in the legend. Advised to specify `hue_order` when using this to avoid confusion. Only makes sense when the second grouping variable is provided.
- **show_data** (*bool*) – Whether to show a vertical line for the mean data. Set to `False` to not show it.
- **show_intervals** (*either "HDI", "BCI", or None*) – HDI is better when the distribution is not symmetrical. If `None`, then no intervals are shown.
- **alpha_intervals** (*float*) – Alpha level for the intervals. Default is 5 percent which gives 95 percent BCIs and HDIs.
- **palette** (*palette name, list, or dict*) – Colors to use for the different levels of the second grouping variable (when provided). Should be something that can be interpreted by `color_palette()`, or a dictionary mapping hue levels to matplotlib colors.
- **color** (*matplotlib color*) – Color for both the mean data and intervals. Only used when there is 1 grouping variable.
- **ax** (*matplotlib axis, optional*) – If provided, plot on this axis. Default is set to current Axes.
- **intervals_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional arguments for the matplotlib `fill_between` function that shows shaded intervals. By default, they are 50 percent transparent.

Returns

ax – Returns the `matplotlib.axes.Axes` object with the plot for further tweaking.

Return type

`matplotlib.axes.Axes`

plot_mean_posterior_predictives(*n_posterior_predictives, **kwargs*)

Plots the mean posterior predictives of choices.

The mean proportion of choices (in this case coded as accuracy) is calculated for each posterior sample across all trials, and then it's plotted as a distribution. The mean accuracy in the data is plotted as vertical line. This allows to compare the real mean with the BCI or HDI of the predictions.

Parameters

- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If `n_posterior_predictives` is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.
- **show_data** (*bool*) – Whether to show a vertical line for the mean data. Set to `False` to not show it.
- **color** (*matplotlib color*) – Color for both the mean data and intervals.

- **ax** (*matplotlib axis, optional*) – If provided, plot on this axis. Default is set to current Axes.
- **gridsize** (*int*) – Resolution of the kernel density estimation function, default to 100.
- **clip** (*tuple*) – Range for the kernel density estimation function. Default is min and max values of the distribution.
- **show_intervals** (*either "HDI", "BCI", or None*) – HDI is better when the distribution is not simmetrical. If None, then no intervals are shown.
- **alpha_intervals** (*float*) – Alpha level for the intervals. Default is 5 percent which gives 95 percent BCIs and HDIs.
- **intervals_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional arguments for the matplotlib `fill_between` function that shows shaded intervals. By default, they are 50 percent transparent.

Returns

ax – Returns the *matplotlib.axes.Axes* object with the plot for further tweaking.

Return type

matplotlib.axes.Axes

MODELRESULTS CLASS FOR DDMS (OR RLDDMS)

There is one class to inspect model fits of **DDM or combinations of RL and DDM (fitted on choices and response times)**: *DDModelResults*.

The main functions of this class are:

- To assess the model's **convergence** and **mcmc diagnostics**, to make sure that the sampling was successful. This step is crucial and should be preferably done first.
- To provide a measure of the model's **quantitative fit** to the data (i.e., the Watanabe-Akaike information criterion). This is important when comparing the quantitative fit to the data of several, competing models.
- To visualize and make interval-based (either Bayesian Credible Intervals or Higher Density Intervals) inferences on the **posterior distributions** of the model's parameters. This is important when specific hypotheses were made about the parameters' values.
- To calculate and visualize **posterior predictive distributions** of the observed data. This step is important to assess the qualitative fit of the model to the data. Qualitative fit should be assessed not only when comparing different competing models, but also when a single candidate model is fitted. Different ways of calculating posterior predictive distributions are provided, together with different plotting options. In general, emphasis is given to calculating posterior predictive distributions across conditions. This allows us to assess whether a certain behavioral pattern observed in the data (e.g., due to experimental manipulations) can also be reproduced by the model. Finally, posterior predictives are available not only for mean choices and response times, but also for other summary statistics of the response times distributions (i.e., skewness and quantiles).

17.1 All models

```
class rlssm.fits_DDM.ModelResults(model_label, data_info, parameters_info, priors, rhat, waic, last_values,
                                   samples, trial_samples)
```

```
plot_posteriors(gridsize=100, clip=None, show_intervals='HDI', alpha_intervals=0.05,
                 intervals_kws=None, **kwargs)
```

Plots posterior predictives of the model's parameters.

If the model is hierarchical, then only the group parameters are plotted. In particular, group means are plotted in the first row and group standard deviations are plotted in the second row. By default, 95 percent HDI are shown. The kernel density estimation is calculated using `scipy.stats.gaussian_kde`.

Parameters

- **gridsize** (*int*, *default to 100*) – Resolution of the kernel density estimation function, default to 100.
- **clip** (*tuple of (float, float)*, *optional*) – Range for the kernel density estimation function. Default is min and max values of the distribution.

- **show_intervals** (*str*, *default to "HDI"*) – Either “HDI”, “BCI”, or None. HDI is better when the distribution is not simmetrical. If None, then no intervals are shown.
- **alpha_intervals** (*float*, *default to .05*) – Alpha level for the intervals. Default is 5 percent which gives 95 percent BCIs and HDIs.
- **intervals_kws** (*dict*) – Additional arguments for *matplotlib.axes.Axes.fill_between* that shows shaded intervals. By default, they are 50 percent transparent.
- ****kwargs** – Additional parameters for *seaborn.FacetGrid*.

Returns

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Return type

seaborn.FacetGrid

to_pickle(*filename=None*)

Pickle the fitted model’s results object to file.

This can be used to store the model’s result and read them and inspect them at a later stage, without having to refit the model.

Parameters

filename (*str*, *optional*) – File path where the pickled object will be stored. If not specified, is set to

17.2 Diffusion decision models

```
class rlssm.fits_DDM.DDModelResults(model_label, data_info, parameters_info, priors, rhat, waic,  
                                   last_values, samples, trial_samples, starting_point_bias,  
                                   drift_variability, starting_point_variability)
```

DDModelResults allows to perform various model checks on fitted DDM and RLDDM models.

In particular, this can be used to visualize the estimated posterior distributions and to calculate and visualize the estimated posterior predictives distributions.

show-inheritance**inherited-members**

```
get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary(grouping_vars, n_posterior_predictives=500,  
                                           quantiles=None, **kwargs)
```

Calculates summary of posterior predictives of choices and response times, separately for a list of grouping variables.

The mean proportion of choices (in this case coded as accuracy) is calculated for each posterior sample across all trials in all conditions combination. Response times are summarized using mean, skewness, and quantiles.

For example, if *grouping_vars*=[‘reward’, ‘difficulty’], posterior predictives will be collapsed for all combinations of levels of the reward and difficulty variables.

Parameters

- **grouping_vars** (*list of strings*) – They should be existing grouping variables in the data.

- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If `n_posterior_predictives` is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.
- **quantiles** (*list of floats*) – Quantiles to summarize response times distributions (separately for correct/incorrect) with.
- **noise_constant** (*float*) – Scaling factor of the diffusion decision model. If changed, drift and threshold would be scaled accordingly. Not to be changed in most applications.
- **rt_max** (*float*) – Controls the maximum rts that can be predicted. Making this higher might make the function a bit slower.
- **dt** (*float*) – Controls the time resolution of the diffusion decision model. Default is 1 msec. Lower values of `dt` make the function more precise but much slower.

Returns

out – Pandas DataFrame. The columns contains the mean accuracy for each posterior sample, as well as mean response times, response times skewness and response times quantiles. The row index is a `pandas.MultiIndex`, with the grouping variables as higher level and number of samples as lower level.

Return type

DataFrame

get_posterior_predictives(*n_posterior_predictives=500, **kwargs*)

Calculates posterior predictives of choices and response times.

Parameters

- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If `n_posterior_predictives` is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.
- **noise_constant** (*float*) – Scaling factor of the diffusion decision model. If changed, drift and threshold would be scaled accordingly. Not to be changed in most applications.
- **rt_max** (*float*) – Controls the maximum rts that can be predicted. Making this higher might make the function a bit slower.
- **dt** (*float*) – Controls the time resolution of the diffusion decision model. Default is 1 msec. Lower values of `dt` make the function more precise but much slower.

Returns

- **pp_rt** (*np.ndarray*) – Array of shape (`n_samples`, `n_trials`) containing predicted response times.
- **pp_acc** (*np.ndarray*) – Array of shape (`n_samples`, `n_trials`) containing predicted choices.

get_posterior_predictives_df(*n_posterior_predictives=500, **kwargs*)

Calculates posterior predictives of choices and response times.

Parameters

- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If `n_posterior_predictives` is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.
- **noise_constant** (*float*) – Scaling factor of the diffusion decision model. If changed, drift and threshold would be scaled accordingly. Not to be changed in most applications.

- **rt_max** (*float*) – Controls the maximum rts that can be predicted. Making this higher might make the function a bit slower.
- **dt** (*float*) – Controls the time resolution of the diffusion decision model. Default is 1 msec. Lower values of dt make the function more precise but much slower.

Returns

out – Data frame of shape (n_samples, n_trials*2). Response times and accuracy are provided as hierarchical column indices.

Return type

DataFrame

get_posterior_predictives_summary(*n_posterior_predictives=500, quantiles=None, **kwargs*)

Calculates summary of posterior predictives of choices and response times.

The mean proportion of choices (in this case coded as accuracy) is calculated for each posterior sample across all trials. Response times are summarized using mean, skewness, and quantiles.

Parameters

- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If n_posterior_predictives is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.
- **quantiles** (*list of floats*) – Quantiles to summarize response times distributions (separately for correct/incorrect) with. Default to [.1, .3, .5, .7, .9].
- **noise_constant** (*float*) – Scaling factor of the diffusion decision model. If changed, drift and threshold would be scaled accordingly. Not to be changed in most applications.
- **rt_max** (*float*) – Controls the maximum rts that can be predicted. Making this higher might make the function a bit slower.
- **dt** (*float*) – Controls the time resolution of the diffusion decision model. Default is 1 msec. Lower values of dt make the function more precise but much slower.

Returns

out – Pandas DataFrame, where every row corresponds to a posterior sample. The columns contains the mean accuracy for each posterior sample, as well as mean response times, response times skewness and response times quantiles.

Return type

DataFrame

plot_mean_grouped_posterior_predictives(*grouping_vars, n_posterior_predictives, figsize=(20, 8), post_pred_kws=None, **kwargs*)

Plots the mean posterior predictives of choices and response times, separately for either 1 or 2 grouping variables.

The first grouping variable will be plotted on the x-axis. The second grouping variable, if provided, will be showed with a different color per variable level.

Parameters

- **grouping_vars** (*list of strings*) – They should be existing grouping variables in the data. The list should be of length 1 or 2.
- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If n_posterior_predictives is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.

- **x_order** (*list of strings*) – Order to plot the levels of the first grouping variable in, otherwise the levels are inferred from the data objects.
- **hue_order** (*lists of strings*) – Order to plot the levels of the second grouping variable (when provided) in, otherwise the levels are inferred from the data objects.
- **hue_labels** (*list of strings*) – Labels corresponding to hue_order in the legend. Advised to specify hue_order when using this to avoid confusion. Only makes sense when the second grouping variable is provided.
- **show_data** (*bool*) – Whether to show a vertical line for the mean data. Set to False to not show it.
- **show_intervals** (*either "HDI", "BCI", or None*) – HDI is better when the distribution is not simmetrical. If None, then no intervals are shown.
- **alpha_intervals** (*float*) – Alpha level for the intervals. Default is 5 percent which gives 95 percent BCIs and HDIs.
- **palette** (*palette name, list, or dict*) – Colors to use for the different levels of the second grouping variable (when provided). Should be something that can be interpreted by color_palette(), or a dictionary mapping hue levels to matplotlib colors.
- **color** (*matplotlib color*) – Color for both the mean data and intervals. Only used when there is 1 grouping variable.
- **ax** (*matplotlib axis, optional*) – If provided, plot on this axis. Default is set to current Axes.
- **intervals_kws** (*dictionary*) –

Additional arguments for the matplotlib fill_between function

that shows shaded intervals. By default, they are 50 percent transparent.

post_pred_kws

[dictionary] Additional parameters to get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary.

Returns

fig

Return type

matplotlib.figure.Figure

plot_mean_posterior_predictives(*n_posterior_predictives*, *figsize*=(20, 8), *post_pred_kws*=None, ***kwargs*)

Plots the mean posterior predictives of choices and response times.

The mean proportion of choices (in this case coded as accuracy) is calculated for each posterior sample across all trials, and then it's plotted as a distribution. The mean accuracy in the data is plotted as vertical line. This allows to compare the real mean with the BCI or HDI of the predictions. The same is done for response times, and are plotted one next to each other.

Parameters

- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If n_posterior_predictives is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.
- **figsize** (*tuple*) – figure size of the matplotlib figure
- **show_data** (*bool*) – Whether to show a vertical line for the mean data. Set to False to not show it.
- **color** (*matplotlib color*) – Color for both the mean data and intervals.

- **ax** (*matplotlib axis, optional*) – If provided, plot on this axis. Default is set to current Axes.
- **gridsize** (*int*) – Resolution of the kernel density estimation function, default to 100.
- **clip** (*tuple*) – Range for the kernel density estimation function. Default is min and max values of the distribution.
- **show_intervals** (*either "HDI", "BCI", or None*) – HDI is better when the distribution is not simmetrical. If None, then no intervals are shown.
- **alpha_intervals** (*float*) – Alpha level for the intervals. Default is 5 percent which gives 95 percent BCIs and HDIs.
- **intervals_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional arguments for the matplotlib `fill_between` function that shows shaded intervals. By default, they are 50 percent transparent.
- **post_pred_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional parameters to `get_posterior_predictives_summary`.

Returns**fig****Return type**`matplotlib.figure.Figure`

plot_quantiles_grouped_posterior_predictives(*n_posterior_predictives, grouping_var, quantiles=None, figsize=(20, 8), post_pred_kws=None, **kwargs*)

Plots the quantiles of the posterior predictives of response times, separately for correct/incorrect responses, and 1 grouping variable.

Parameters

- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If `n_posterior_predictives` is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.
- **grouping_vars** (*string*) – Should be an existing grouping variable in the data.
- **quantiles** (*list of floats*) – Quantiles to summarize response times distributions (separately for correct/incorrect) with.
- **figsize** (*tuple*) – figure size of the matplotlib figure
- **show_data** (*bool*) – Whether to show the quantiles of the data. Set to False to not show it.
- **show_intervals** (*either "HDI", "BCI", or None*) – HDI is better when the distribution is not simmetrical. If None, then no intervals are shown.
- **alpha_intervals** (*float*) – Alpha level for the intervals. Default is 5 percent which gives 95 percent BCIs and HDIs.
- **kind** (*either 'lines' or 'shades'*) – Two different styles to plot quantile distributions.
- **palette** (*palette name, list, or dict*) – Colors to use for the different levels of the second grouping variable (when provided). Should be something that can be interpreted by `color_palette()`, or a dictionary mapping hue levels to matplotlib colors.
- **hue_order** (*lists of strings*) – Order to plot the levels of the grouping variable in, otherwise the levels are inferred from the data objects.

- **hue_labels** (*list of strings*) – Labels corresponding to hue_order in the legend. Advised to specify hue_order when using this to avoid confusion.
- **jitter** (*float*) – Amount to jitter the grouping variable’s levels for better visualization.
- **scatter_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional plotting parameters to change how the data points are shown.
- **intervals_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional plotting parameters to change how the quantile distributions are shown.
- **post_pred_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional parameters to get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary.

Returns**fig****Return type**

matplotlib.figure.Figure

plot_quantiles_posterior_predictives(*n_posterior_predictives*, *quantiles=None*, *figsize=(20, 8)*, *post_pred_kws=None*, ***kwargs*)

Plots the quantiles of the posterior predictives of response times, separately for correct/incorrect responses.

Parameters

- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If n_posterior_predictives is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.
- **quantiles** (*list of floats*) – Quantiles to summarize response times distributions (separately for correct/incorrect) with.
- **figsize** (*tuple*) – figure size of the matplotlib figure
- **show_data** (*bool*) – Whether to show the quantiles of the data. Set to False to not show it.
- **show_intervals** (*either "HDI", "BCI", or None*) – HDI is better when the distribution is not symmetrical. If None, then no intervals are shown.
- **alpha_intervals** (*float*) – Alpha level for the intervals. Default is 5 percent which gives 95 percent BCIs and HDIs.
- **kind** (*either 'lines' or 'shades'*) – Two different styles to plot quantile distributions.
- **color** (*matplotlib color*) – Color for both the data and intervals.
- **scatter_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional plotting parameters to change how the data points are shown.
- **intervals_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional plotting parameters to change how the quantile distributions are shown.
- **post_pred_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional parameters to get_posterior_predictives_summary.

Returns**fig****Return type**

matplotlib.figure.Figure

17.3 Reinforcement learning diffusion decision models

See *DDModelResults*.

MODELRESULTS CLASS FOR RACE (OR RL+RACE) MODELS

There is one class to inspect model fits of **race models (RDM, LBA, ARDM, and ALBA) or combinations of RL and race models (fitted on choices and response times)**: *raceModelResults_2A*.

The main functions of this class are:

- To assess the model's **convergence** and **mcmc diagnostics**, to make sure that the sampling was successful. This step is crucial and should be preferably done first.
- To provide a measure of the model's **quantitative fit** to the data (i.e., the Watanabe-Akaike information criterion). This is important when comparing the quantitative fit to the data of several, competing models.
- To visualize and make interval-based (either Bayesian Credible Intervals or Higher Density Intervals) inferences on the **posterior distributions** of the model's parameters. This is important when specific hypotheses were made about the parameters' values.
- To calculate and visualize **posterior predictive distributions** of the observed data. This step is important to assess the qualitative fit of the model to the data. Qualitative fit should be assessed not only when comparing different competing models, but also when a single candidate model is fitted. Different ways of calculating posterior predictive distributions are provided, together with different plotting options. In general, emphasis is given to calculating posterior predictive distributions across conditions. This allows us to assess whether a certain behavioral pattern observed in the data (e.g., due to experimental manipulations) can also be reproduced by the model. Finally, posterior predictives are available not only for mean choices and response times, but also for other summary statistics of the response times distributions (i.e., skewness and quantiles).

18.1 All models

```
class rlssm.fits_race.ModelResults(model_label, data_info, parameters_info, priors, rhat, waic,  
                                   last_values, samples, trial_samples)
```

```
plot_posteriors(gridsize=100, clip=None, show_intervals='HDI', alpha_intervals=0.05,  
                intervals_kws=None, **kwargs)
```

Plots posterior predictives of the model's parameters.

If the model is hierarchical, then only the group parameters are plotted. In particular, group means are plotted in the first row and group standard deviations are plotted in the second row. By default, 95 percent HDI are shown. The kernel density estimation is calculated using `scipy.stats.gaussian_kde`.

Parameters

- **gridsize** (*int*, *default to 100*) – Resolution of the kernel density estimation function, default to 100.
- **clip** (*tuple of (float, float)*, *optional*) – Range for the kernel density estimation function. Default is min and max values of the distribution.

- **show_intervals** (*str*, *default to "HDI"*) – Either “HDI”, “BCI”, or None. HDI is better when the distribution is not simmetrical. If None, then no intervals are shown.
- **alpha_intervals** (*float*, *default to .05*) – Alpha level for the intervals. Default is 5 percent which gives 95 percent BCIs and HDIs.
- **intervals_kws** (*dict*) – Additional arguments for *matplotlib.axes.Axes.fill_between* that shows shaded intervals. By default, they are 50 percent transparent.
- ****kwargs** – Additional parameters for *seaborn.FacetGrid*.

Returns**g****Return type***seaborn.FacetGrid***to_pickle**(*filename=None*)

Pickle the fitted model’s results object to file.

This can be used to store the model’s result and read them and inspect them at a later stage, without having to refit the model.

Parameters

filename (*str*, *optional*) – File path where the pickled object will be stored. If not specified, is set to

18.2 Race diffusion models (RDM, LBA, ARDM, and ALBA)

```
class rlssm.fits_race.raceModelResults_2A(model_label, data_info, parameters_info, priors, rhat, waic,
                                          last_values, samples, trial_samples, family)
```

show-inheritance**inherited-members**

```
get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary(grouping_vars, n_posterior_predictives=500,
                                          quantiles=None, **kwargs)
```

Calculates summary of posterior predictives of choices and response times, separately for a list of grouping variables.

The mean proportion of choices (in this case coded as accuracy) is calculated for each posterior sample across all trials in all conditions combination. Response times are summarized using mean, skewness, and quantiles.

For example, if `grouping_vars=['reward', 'difficulty']`, posterior predictives will be collapsed for all combinations of levels of the reward and difficulty variables.

Parameters

- **grouping_vars** (*list of strings*) – They should be existing grouping variables in the data.
- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If `n_posterior_predictives` is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.
- **quantiles** (*list of floats*) – Quantiles to summarize response times distributions (separately for correct/incorrect) with.

- **noise_constant** (*float*) – Scaling factor of the diffusion decision model. If changed, drift and threshold would be scaled accordingly. Not to be changed in most applications.
- **rt_max** (*float*) – Controls the maximum rts that can be predicted. Making this higher might make the function a bit slower.
- **dt** (*float*) – Controls the time resolution of the diffusion decision model. Default is 1 msec. Lower values of dt make the function more precise but much slower.

Returns

out – Pandas DataFrame. The columns contains the mean accuracy for each posterior sample, as well as mean response times, response times skewness and response times quantiles. The row index is a pandas.MultiIndex, with the grouping variables as higher level and number of samples as lower level.

Return type

DataFrame

get_posterior_predictives_df(*n_posterior_predictives=500, **kwargs*)

Calculates posterior predictives of choices and response times.

Parameters

- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If *n_posterior_predictives* is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.
- **noise_constant** (*float*) – Scaling factor of the diffusion decision model. If changed, drift and threshold would be scaled accordingly. Not to be changed in most applications.
- **rt_max** (*float*) – Controls the maximum rts that can be predicted. Making this higher might make the function a bit slower.
- **dt** (*float*) – Controls the time resolution of the diffusion decision model. Default is 1 msec. Lower values of dt make the function more precise but much slower.

Returns

out – Data frame of shape (*n_samples*, *n_trials**2). Response times and accuracy are provided as hierarchical column indices.

Return type

DataFrame

get_posterior_predictives_summary(*n_posterior_predictives=500, quantiles=None, **kwargs*)

Calculates summary of posterior predictives of choices and response times.

The mean proportion of choices (in this case coded as accuracy) is calculated for each posterior sample across all trials. Response times are summarized using mean, skewness, and quantiles.

Parameters

- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If *n_posterior_predictives* is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.
- **quantiles** (*list of floats*) – Quantiles to summarize response times distributions (separately for correct/incorrect) with. Default to [.1, .3, .5, .7, .9].
- **noise_constant** (*float*) – Scaling factor of the diffusion decision model. If changed, drift and threshold would be scaled accordingly. Not to be changed in most applications.
- **rt_max** (*float*) – Controls the maximum rts that can be predicted. Making this higher might make the function a bit slower.

- **dt** (*float*) – Controls the time resolution of the diffusion decision model. Default is 1 msec. Lower values of dt make the function more precise but much slower.

Returns

out – Pandas DataFrame, where every row corresponds to a posterior sample. The columns contains the mean accuracy for each posterior sample, as well as mean response times, response times skewness and response times quantiles.

Return type

DataFrame

plot_mean_grouped_posterior_predictives(*grouping_vars*, *n_posterior_predictives*, *figsize*=(20, 8), *post_pred_kws*=None, ***kwargs*)

Plots the mean posterior predictives of choices and response times, separately for either 1 or 2 grouping variables.

The first grouping variable will be plotted on the x-axis. The second grouping variable, if provided, will be showed with a different color per variable level.

Parameters

- **grouping_vars** (*list of strings*) – They should be existing grouping variables in the data. The list should be of lenght 1 or 2.
- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If *n_posterior_predictives* is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.
- **x_order** (*list of strings*) – Order to plot the levels of the first grouping variable in, otherwise the levels are inferred from the data objects.
- **hue_order** (*lists of strings*) – Order to plot the levels of the second grouping variable (when provided) in, otherwise the levels are inferred from the data objects.
- **hue_labels** (*list of strings*) – Labels corresponding to *hue_order* in the legend. Advised to specify *hue_order* when using this to avoid confusion. Only makes sense when the second grouping variable is provided.
- **show_data** (*bool*) – Whether to show a vertical line for the mean data. Set to False to not show it.
- **show_intervals** (*either "HDI", "BCI", or None*) – HDI is better when the distribution is not simmetrical. If None, then no intervals are shown.
- **alpha_intervals** (*float*) – Alpha level for the intervals. Default is 5 percent which gives 95 percent BCIs and HDIs.
- **palette** (*palette name, list, or dict*) – Colors to use for the different levels of the second grouping variable (when provided). Should be something that can be interpreted by *color_palette()*, or a dictionary mapping hue levels to matplotlib colors.
- **color** (*matplotlib color*) – Color for both the mean data and intervals. Only used when there is 1 grouping variable.
- **ax** (*matplotlib axis, optional*) – If provided, plot on this axis. Default is set to current Axes.
- **intervals_kws** (*dictionary*) –

Additional arguments for the matplotlib fill_between function

that shows shaded intervals. By default, they are 50 percent transparent.

post_pred_kws

[dictionary] Additional parameters to get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary.

Returns

fig

Return type

matplotlib.figure.Figure

plot_mean_posterior_predictives(*n_posterior_predictives*, *figsize*=(20, 8), *post_pred_kws*=None, ***kwargs*)

Plots the mean posterior predictives of choices and response times.

The mean proportion of choices (in this case coded as accuracy) is calculated for each posterior sample across all trials, and then it's plotted as a distribution. The mean accuracy in the data is plotted as vertical line. This allows to compare the real mean with the BCI or HDI of the predictions. The same is done for response times, and are plotted one next to each other.

Parameters

- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If *n_posterior_predictives* is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.
- **figsize** (*tuple*) – figure size of the matplotlib figure
- **show_data** (*bool*) – Whether to show a vertical line for the mean data. Set to False to not show it.
- **color** (*matplotlib color*) – Color for both the mean data and intervals.
- **ax** (*matplotlib axis, optional*) – If provided, plot on this axis. Default is set to current Axes.
- **gridsize** (*int*) – Resolution of the kernel density estimation function, default to 100.
- **clip** (*tuple*) – Range for the kernel density estimation function. Default is min and max values of the distribution.
- **show_intervals** (*either "HDI", "BCI", or None*) – HDI is better when the distribution is not symmetrical. If None, then no intervals are shown.
- **alpha_intervals** (*float*) – Alpha level for the intervals. Default is 5 percent which gives 95 percent BCIs and HDIs.
- **intervals_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional arguments for the matplotlib `fill_between` function that shows shaded intervals. By default, they are 50 percent transparent.
- **post_pred_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional parameters to `get_posterior_predictives_summary`.

Returns

fig

Return type

matplotlib.figure.Figure

plot_quantiles_grouped_posterior_predictives(*n_posterior_predictives*, *grouping_var*, *quantiles*=None, *figsize*=(20, 8), *post_pred_kws*=None, ***kwargs*)

Plots the quantiles of the posterior predictives of response times, separately for correct/incorrect responses, and 1 grouping variable.

Parameters

- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If `n_posterior_predictives` is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.
- **grouping_vars** (*string*) – Should be an existing grouping variable in the data.
- **quantiles** (*list of floats*) – Quantiles to summarize response times distributions (separately for correct/incorrect) with.
- **figsize** (*tuple*) – figure size of the matplotlib figure
- **show_data** (*bool*) – Whether to show the quantiles of the data. Set to `False` to not show it.
- **show_intervals** (*either "HDI", "BCI", or None*) – HDI is better when the distribution is not simmetrical. If `None`, then no intervals are shown.
- **alpha_intervals** (*float*) – Alpha level for the intervals. Default is 5 percent which gives 95 percent BCIs and HDIs.
- **kind** (*either 'lines' or 'shades'*) – Two different styles to plot quantile distributions.
- **palette** (*palette name, list, or dict*) – Colors to use for the different levels of the second grouping variable (when provided). Should be something that can be interpreted by `color_palette()`, or a dictionary mapping hue levels to matplotlib colors.
- **hue_order** (*lists of strings*) – Order to plot the levels of the grouping variable in, otherwise the levels are inferred from the data objects.
- **hue_labels** (*list of strings*) – Labels corresponding to `hue_order` in the legend. Advised to specify `hue_order` when using this to avoid confusion.
- **jitter** (*float*) – Amount to jitter the grouping variable's levels for better visualization.
- **scatter_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional plotting parameters to change how the data points are shown.
- **intervals_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional plotting parameters to change how the quantile distributions are shown.
- **post_pred_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional parameters to `get_grouped_posterior_predictives_summary`.

Returns

fig

Return type

`matplotlib.figure.Figure`

plot_quantiles_posterior_predictives(*n_posterior_predictives*, *quantiles=None*, *figsize=(20, 8)*, *post_pred_kws=None*, ***kwargs*)

Plots the quantiles of the posterior predictives of response times, separately for correct/incorrect responses.

Parameters

- **n_posterior_predictives** (*int*) – Number of posterior samples to use for posterior predictives calculation. If `n_posterior_predictives` is bigger than the posterior samples, then calculation will continue with the total number of posterior samples.
- **quantiles** (*list of floats*) – Quantiles to summarize response times distributions (separately for correct/incorrect) with.
- **figsize** (*tuple*) – figure size of the matplotlib figure

- **show_data** (*bool*) – Whether to show the quantiles of the data. Set to False to not show it.
- **show_intervals** (*either "HDI", "BCI", or None*) – HDI is better when the distribution is not simmetrical. If None, then no intervals are shown.
- **alpha_intervals** (*float*) – Alpha level for the intervals. Default is 5 percent which gives 95 percent BCIs and HDIs.
- **kind** (*either 'lines' or 'shades'*) – Two different styles to plot quantile distributions.
- **color** (*matplotlib color*) – Color for both the data and intervals.
- **scatter_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional plotting parameters to change how the data points are shown.
- **intervals_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional plotting parameters to change how the quantile distributions are shown.
- **post_pred_kws** (*dictionary*) – Additional parameters to `get_posterior_predictives_summary`.

Returns**fig****Return type**

matplotlib.figure.Figure

18.3 Reinforcement learning race diffusion models (RLRDM, RLLBA, RLARDM, and RLALBA)

See *raceModelResults_2A*.

SIMULATE DATA WITH THE DDM

These functions can be used to simulate data of a single participant or of a group of participants, given a set of parameter values.

These functions can be thus used for parameter recovery: A model can be fit on the simulated data in order to compare the generating parameters with their estimated posterior distributions. For such purpose, `simulate_ddm` (for a single participant) and `simulate_hier_ddm` (for a group of participants) should be used.

For faster calculations, parameters can be given as `numpy.ndarrays` to `random_ddm` and `random_ddm_vector`.

19.1 In pandas

```
rlssm.random.simulate_ddm(n_trials, gen_drift, gen_threshold, gen_ndt, gen_rel_sp=0.5, participant_label=1,  
                           gen_drift_trialsd=None, gen_rel_sp_trialsd=None, **kwargs)
```

Simulates behavior (rt and accuracy) according to the diffusion decision model.

This function is to simulate data for, for example, parameter recovery.

Simulates data for one participant.

In this parametrization, it is assumed that 0 is the lower threshold, and, when `rel_sp = .5`, the diffusion process starts halfway through the threshold value.

Note: When `gen_drift_trialsd` is not specified, there is no across-trial variability in the drift-rate.

Instead, when `gen_drift_trialsd` is specified, the trial-by-trial drift-rate has the following distribution:

- $\text{drift} \sim \text{normal}(\text{gen_drift}, \text{gen_drift_trialsd})$.

Similarly, when `gen_rel_sp_trialsd` is not specified, there is no across-trial variability starting point.

Instead, when `gen_rel_sp_trialsd` is specified, the trial-by-trial relative starting point has the following distribution:

- $\text{rel_sp} \sim \text{Phi}(\text{normal}(\text{rel_sp}, \text{gen_rel_sp_trialsd}))$.

In this case, `gen_rel_sp` is first transformed to the $-\text{Inf}/+\text{Inf}$ scale, so the input value is the same (no bias still corresponds to `.5`).

Parameters

- **n_trials** (*int*) – Number of trials to be simulated.
- **gen_drift** (*float*) – Drift-rate of the diffusion decision model.

- **gen_threshold** (*float*) – Threshold of the diffusion decision model. Should be positive.
- **gen_ndt** (*float*) – Non decision time of the diffusion decision model, in seconds. Should be positive.
- **gen_rel_sp** (*float, default .5*) – Relative starting point of the diffusion decision model. Should be higher than 0 and smaller than 1. When is 0.5 (default), there is no bias.
- **gen_drift_trialsd** (*float, optional*) – Across trial variability in the drift-rate. Should be positive.
- **gen_rel_sp_trialsd** (*float, optional*) – Across trial variability in the relative starting point. Should be positive.
- **participant_label** (*string or float, default 1*) – What will appear in the participant column of the output data.
- ****kwargs** – Additional arguments to `rlssm.random.random_ddm()`.

Returns

data – *pandas.DataFrame*, with `n_trials` rows. Columns contain simulated response times and accuracy [“rt”, “accuracy”], as well as the generating parameters (both for each trial and across-trials when there is across-trial variability).

Return type

DataFrame

Examples

Simulate 1000 trials from 1 participant.

Relative starting point is set towards the upper bound (higher than .5), so in this case there will be more accurate and fast decisions:

```
from rlssm.random import simulate_ddm
>>> data = simulate_ddm(n_trials=1000,
                        gen_drift=.8,
                        gen_threshold=1.3,
                        gen_ndt=.23,
                        gen_rel_sp=.6)

>>> print(data.head())
```

	participant	drift	rel_sp	threshold	ndt	rt	accuracy
trial							
1	1	0.8	0.6	1.3	0.23	0.344	1.0
2	1	0.8	0.6	1.3	0.23	0.376	0.0
3	1	0.8	0.6	1.3	0.23	0.390	1.0
4	1	0.8	0.6	1.3	0.23	0.434	0.0
5	1	0.8	0.6	1.3	0.23	0.520	1.0

To have trial number as a column:

```
>>> print(data.reset_index())
```

	trial	participant	drift	rel_sp	threshold	ndt	rt	accuracy
0	1	1	0.8	0.6	1.3	0.23	0.344	1.0
1	2	1	0.8	0.6	1.3	0.23	0.376	0.0
2	3	1	0.8	0.6	1.3	0.23	0.390	1.0

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3	4	1	0.8	0.6	1.3	0.23	0.434	0.0
4	5	1	0.8	0.6	1.3	0.23	0.520	1.0
..
995	996	1	0.8	0.6	1.3	0.23	0.423	1.0
996	997	1	0.8	0.6	1.3	0.23	0.956	1.0
997	998	1	0.8	0.6	1.3	0.23	0.347	1.0
998	999	1	0.8	0.6	1.3	0.23	0.414	1.0
999	1000	1	0.8	0.6	1.3	0.23	0.401	1.0
[1000 rows x 8 columns]								

```
rlssm.random.simulate_hier_ddm(n_trials, n_participants, gen_mu_drift, gen_sd_drift, gen_mu_threshold,
                               gen_sd_threshold, gen_mu_ndt, gen_sd_ndt, gen_mu_rel_sp=0.5,
                               gen_sd_rel_sp=None, **kwargs)
```

Simulates behavior (rt and accuracy) according to the diffusion decision model.

This function is to simulate data for, for example, parameter recovery.

Simulates hierarchical data for a group of participants.

In this parametrization, it is assumed that 0 is the lower threshold, and, when *rel_sp* = .5, the diffusion process starts halfway through the threshold value.

The individual parameters have the following distributions:

- $\text{drift} \sim \text{normal}(\text{gen_mu_drift}, \text{gen_sd_drift})$
- $\text{threshold} \sim \log(1 + \exp(\text{normal}(\text{gen_mu_threshold}, \text{gen_sd_threshold})))$
- $\text{ndt} \sim \log(1 + \exp(\text{normal}(\text{gen_mu_ndt}, \text{gen_sd_ndt})))$

Note: When *gen_sd_rel_sp* is not specified, the relative starting point is assumed to be fixed across participants at *gen_mu_rel_sp*.

Instead, when *gen_sd_rel_sp* is specified, the starting point has the following distribution:

- $\text{rel_sp} \sim \text{Phi}(\text{normal}(\text{gen_mu_rel_sp}, \text{gen_sd_rel_sp}))$

Parameters

- **n_trials** (*int*) – Number of trials to be simulated.
- **n_participants** (*int*) – Number of participants to be simulated.
- **gen_mu_drift** (*float*) – Group-mean of the drift-rate of the diffusion decision model.
- **gen_sd_drift** (*float*) – Group-standard deviation of the drift-rate of the diffusion decision model.
- **gen_mu_threshold** (*float*) – Group-mean of the threshold of the diffusion decision model.
- **gen_sd_threshold** (*float*) – Group-standard deviation of the threshold of the diffusion decision model.
- **gen_mu_ndt** (*float*) – Group-mean of the non decision time of the diffusion decision model.

- **gen_sd_ndt** (*float*) – Group-standard deviation of the non decision time of the diffusion decision model.
- **gen_mu_rel_sp** (*float*, *default .5*) – Relative starting point of the diffusion decision model. When *gen_sd_rel_sp* is not specified, *gen_mu_rel_sp* is fixed across participants. When *gen_sd_rel_sp* is specified, *gen_mu_rel_sp* is the group-mean of the starting point.
- **gen_sd_rel_sp** (*float*, *optional*) – Group-standard deviation of the relative starting point of the diffusion decision model.
- ****kwargs** – Additional arguments to *rlssm.random.random_ddm()*.

Returns

data – *pandas.DataFrame*, with *n_trials*n_participants* rows. Columns contain simulated response times and accuracy [“rt”, “accuracy”], as well as the generating parameters (at the participant level).

Return type

DataFrame

Examples

Simulate data from 15 participants, with 200 trials each.

Relative starting point is on average across participants towards the upper bound. So, in this case, there will be more accurate and fast decisions:

```
from rlssm.random import simulate_hier_ddm
>>> data = simulate_hier_ddm(n_trials=200,
                             n_participants=15,
                             gen_mu_drift=.6, gen_sd_drift=.3,
                             gen_mu_threshold=.5, gen_sd_threshold=.1,
                             gen_mu_ndt=-1.2, gen_sd_ndt=.05,
                             gen_mu_rel_sp=.1, gen_sd_rel_sp=.05)

>>> print(data.head())
```

		drift	threshold	ndt	rel_sp	rt	accuracy
participant	trial						
1	1	0.773536	1.753562	0.300878	0.553373	0.368878	1.0
	1	0.773536	1.753562	0.300878	0.553373	0.688878	1.0
	1	0.773536	1.753562	0.300878	0.553373	0.401878	1.0
	1	0.773536	1.753562	0.300878	0.553373	1.717878	1.0
	1	0.773536	1.753562	0.300878	0.553373	0.417878	1.0

Get mean response time and accuracy per participant:

```
>>> print(data.groupby('participant').mean()[['rt', 'accuracy']])
```

	rt	accuracy
participant		
1	0.990313	0.840
2	0.903228	0.740
3	1.024509	0.815
4	0.680104	0.760
5	0.994501	0.770
6	0.910615	0.865
7	0.782978	0.700

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8	1.189268	0.740
9	0.997170	0.760
10	0.966897	0.750
11	0.730522	0.855
12	1.011454	0.590
13	0.972070	0.675
14	0.849755	0.625
15	0.940542	0.785

To have participant and trial numbers as a columns:

```
>>> print(data.reset_index())
      participant  trial      drift  threshold      ndt      rel_sp      rt  accuracy
0              1      1  0.773536  1.753562  0.300878  0.553373  0.368878      1.
1              1      1  0.773536  1.753562  0.300878  0.553373  0.688878      1.
2              1      1  0.773536  1.753562  0.300878  0.553373  0.401878      1.
3              1      1  0.773536  1.753562  0.300878  0.553373  1.717878      1.
4              1      1  0.773536  1.753562  0.300878  0.553373  0.417878      1.
...           ...     ...      ...      ...      ...      ...      ...      ..
2995           15     200  0.586573  1.703662  0.302842  0.556116  0.826842      1.
2996           15     200  0.586573  1.703662  0.302842  0.556116  0.925842      1.
2997           15     200  0.586573  1.703662  0.302842  0.556116  0.832842      1.
2998           15     200  0.586573  1.703662  0.302842  0.556116  0.628842      1.
2999           15     200  0.586573  1.703662  0.302842  0.556116  0.856842      1.

[3000 rows x 8 columns]
```

19.2 In numpy

`rlssm.random.random_ddm(drift, threshold, ndt, rel_sp=0.5, noise_constant=1, dt=0.001, max_rt=10)`

Simulates behavior (rt and accuracy) according to the diffusion decision model.

In this parametrization, it is assumed that 0 is the lower threshold, and, when `rel_sp=1/2`, the diffusion process starts halfway through the threshold value.

Note: This function is mainly for the posterior predictive calculations. It assumes that `drift`, `threshold` and `ndt` are provided as `numpy.ndarray` of shape `(n_samples, n_trials)`.

However, it also works when the `rel_sp` is given as a float. Drift, threshold and `ndt` should have the same shape.

Parameters

- **drift** (*numpy.ndarray*) – Shape is usually (n_samples, n_trials). Drift-rate of the diffusion decision model.
- **threshold** (*numpy.ndarray*) – Shape is usually (n_samples, n_trials). Threshold of the diffusion decision model.
- **ndt** (*numpy.ndarray*) – Shape is usually (n_samples, n_trials). Non decision time of the diffusion decision model, in seconds.
- **rel_sp** (*numpy.ndarray or float, default .5*) – When is an array, shape is usually (n_samples, n_trials). Relative starting point of the diffusion decision model.
- **noise_constant** (*float, default 1*) – Scaling factor of the diffusion decision model. If changed, drift and threshold would be scaled accordingly. Not to be changed in most applications.
- **max_rt** (*float, default 10*) – Controls the maximum rts that can be predicted. Making this higher might make the function a bit slower.
- **dt** (*float, default 0.001*) – Controls the time resolution of the diffusion decision model. Default is 1 msec. Lower values of `dt` make the function more precise but much slower.

Returns

- **rt** (*numpy.ndarray*) – Shape is the same as the input parameters. Contains simulated response times according to the diffusion decision model. Every element corresponds to the set of parameters given as input with the same shape.
- **acc** (*numpy.ndarray*) – Shape is the same as the input parameters. Contains simulated accuracy according to the diffusion decision model. Every element corresponds to the set of parameters given as input with the same shape.

`rlssm.random.random_ddm_vector(drift, threshold, ndt, rel_sp=0.5, noise_constant=1, dt=0.001, rt_max=10)`

Simulates behavior (rt and accuracy) according to the diffusion decision model.

In this parametrization, it is assumed that 0 is the lower threshold, and, when `rel_sp=1/2`, the diffusion process starts halfway through the threshold value.

Note: This is a vectorized version of `rlssm.random.random_ddm()`. It seems to be generally slower, but might work for higher `dt` values and shorter `rt_max` (with less precision). There is more trade-off between `dt` and `rt_max` here compared to the `random_ddm` function.

This function is mainly for the posterior predictive calculations. It assumes that drift, threshold and `ndt` are provided as *numpy.ndarray* of shape (n_samples, n_trials).

However, it also works when the `rel_sp` and/or the `ndt` are given as floats. Drift and threshold should have the same shape.

Parameters

- **drift** (*numpy.ndarray*) – Shape is usually (n_samples, n_trials). Drift-rate of the diffusion decision model.

- **threshold** (*numpy.ndarray*) – Shape is usually (n_samples, n_trials). Threshold of the diffusion decision model.
- **ndt** (*numpy.ndarray or float*) – Shape is usually (n_samples, n_trials). Non decision time of the diffusion decision model, in seconds.
- **rel_sp** (*numpy.ndarray or float, default .5*) – When is an array, shape is usually (n_samples, n_trials). Relative starting point of the diffusion decision model.
- **noise_constant** (*float, default 1*) – Scaling factor of the diffusion decision model. If changed, drift and threshold would be scaled accordingly. Not to be changed in most applications.
- **max_rt** (*float, default 10*) – Controls the maximum rts that can be predicted. Making this higher might make the function a bit slower.
- **dt** (*float, default 0.001*) – Controls the time resolution of the diffusion decision model. Default is 1 msec. Lower values of dt make the function more precise but much slower.

Returns

- **rt** (*numpy.ndarray*) – Shape is the same as the input parameters. Contains simulated response times according to the diffusion decision model. Every element corresponds to the set of parameters given as input with the same shape.
- **acc** (*numpy.ndarray*) – Shape is the same as the input parameters. Contains simulated accuracy according to the diffusion decision model. Every element corresponds to the set of parameters given as input with the same shape.

SIMULATE DATA WITH RACE MODELS

Note: At the moment, these functions are not fully optimized and only possible to simulate data from one subject.

20.1 In numpy

```
rlssm.random.random_rdm_2A(cor_drift, inc_drift, threshold, ndt, noise_constant=1, dt=0.001, max_rt=10)  
rlssm.random.random_lba_2A(k, A, tau, cor_drift, inc_drift)
```


SIMULATE DATA WITH RL MODELS, RLDDMS, AND RL+RACE MODELS

These functions can be used to simulate data of a single participant or of a group of participants, given a set of parameter values.

These functions can be thus used for parameter recovery: A model can be fit on the simulated data in order to compare the generating parameters with their estimated posterior distributions.

Note: At the moment, only non-hierarchical RLRDM data can be simulated.

21.1 Simulate RL stimuli

`rlssm.random.generate_task_design_fontanesi(n_trials_block, n_blocks, n_participants, trial_types, mean_options, sd_options)`

Generates the RL stimuli as in the 2019 Fontanesi et al.'s paper.

Note: In the original paper we corrected for repetition and order presentation of values too. This is not implemented here.

Parameters

- **n_trials_block** (*int*) – Number of trials per learning session.
- **n_blocks** (*int*) – Number of learning session per participant.
- **n_participants** (*int*) – Number of participants.
- **trial_types** (*list of strings*) – List containing possible pairs of options. E.g., in the original experiment: ['1-2', '1-3', '2-4', '3-4']. It is important that they are separated by a '-', and that they are numbered from 1 to n_options (4 in the example). Also, the "incorrect" option of the couple should go first in each pair.
- **mean_options** (*list or array of floats*) – Mean reward for each option. The length should correspond to n_options.
- **sd_options** (*list or array of floats*) – SD reward for each option. The length should correspond to n_options.

Returns

task_design – *pandas.DataFrame*, with `n_trials_block*n_blocks` rows. Columns contain:

“f_cor”, “f_inc”, “trial_type”, “cor_option”, “inc_option”, “trial_block”, “block_label”, “participant”.

Return type

DataFrame

21.2 Simulate only-choices RL data

`rlssm.random.simulate_rl_2A(task_design, gen_alpha, gen_sensitivity, initial_value_learning=0)`

Simulates behavior (accuracy) according to a RL model,

where the learning component is the Q learning (delta learning rule) and the choice rule is the softmax.

This function is to simulate data for, for example, parameter recovery. Simulates data for one participant.

Note: The number of options can be actually higher than 2, but only 2 options (one correct, one incorrect) are presented in each trial. It is important that “trial_block” is set to 1 at the beginning of each learning session (when the Q values are reset) and that the “block_label” is set to 1 at the beginning of the experiment for each participant. There is no special requirement for the participant number.

Parameters

- **task_design** (*DataFrame*) – *pandas.DataFrame*, with `n_trials_block*n_blocks` rows. Columns contain: “f_cor”, “f_inc”, “trial_type”, “cor_option”, “inc_option”, “trial_block”, “block_label”, “participant”.
- **gen_alpha** (*float or list of floats*) – The generating learning rate. It should be a value between 0 (no updating) and 1 (full updating). If a list of 2 values is provided then 2 separate learning rates for positive and negative prediction error are used.
- **gen_sensitivity** (*float*) – The generating sensitivity parameter for the soft_max choice rule. It should be a value higher than 0 (the higher, the more sensitivity to value differences).
- **initial_value_learning** (*float*) – The initial value for Q learning.

Returns

data – *pandas.DataFrame*, that is the task_design, plus: ‘Q_cor’, ‘Q_inc’, ‘alpha’, ‘sensitivity’, ‘p_cor’, and ‘accuracy’.

Return type

DataFrame

`rlssm.random.simulate_hier_rl_2A(task_design, gen_mu_alpha, gen_sd_alpha, gen_mu_sensitivity, gen_sd_sensitivity, initial_value_learning=0)`

Simulates behavior (accuracy) according to a RL model, where the learning component is the Q learning (delta learning rule) and the choice rule is the softmax.

Simulates hierarchical data for a group of participants. The individual parameters have the following distributions:

- $\alpha \sim \text{Phi}(\text{normal}(\text{gen_mu_alpha}, \text{gen_sd_alpha}))$
- $\text{sensitivity} \sim \log(1 + \exp(\text{normal}(\text{gen_mu_sensitivity}, \text{gen_sd_sensitivity})))$

When 2 learning rates are estimated:

- $\alpha_{\text{pos}} \sim \text{Phi}(\text{normal}(\text{gen_mu_alpha}[0], \text{gen_sd_alpha}[1]))$

- `alpha_neg ~ Phi(normal(gen_mu_alpha[1], gen_sd_alpha[1]))`

Note: The number of options can be actually higher than 2, but only 2 options (one correct, one incorrect) are presented in each trial. It is important that “trial_block” is set to 1 at the beginning of each learning session (when the Q values are reset) and that the “block_label” is set to 1 at the beginning of the experiment for each participant. There is no special requirement for the participant number.

Parameters

- **task_design** (*DataFrame*) – *pandas.DataFrame*, with `n_trials_block*n_blocks` rows. Columns contain: “f_cor”, “f_inc”, “trial_type”, “cor_option”, “inc_option”, “trial_block”, “block_label”, “participant”.
- **gen_mu_alpha** (*float or list of floats*) – The generating group mean of the learning rate. If a list of 2 values is provided then 2 separate learning rates for positive and negative prediction error are used.
- **gen_sd_alpha** (*float or list of floats*) – The generating group SD of the learning rate. If a list of 2 values is provided then 2 separate learning rates for positive and negative prediction error are used.
- **gen_mu_sensitivity** (*float*) – The generating group mean of the sensitivity parameter for the soft_max choice rule.
- **gen_sd_sensitivity** (*float*) – The generating group SD of the sensitivity parameter for the soft_max choice rule.
- **initial_value_learning** (*float*) – The initial value for Q learning.

Returns

data – *pandas.DataFrame*, that is the task_design, plus: ‘Q_cor’, ‘Q_inc’, ‘alpha’, ‘sensitivity’, ‘p_cor’, and ‘accuracy’.

Return type

DataFrame

21.3 Simulate RLDDM data (choices and RTs)

`rlssm.random.simulate_rlddm_2A(task_design, gen_alpha, gen_drift_scaling, gen_threshold, gen_ndt, initial_value_learning=0, **kwargs)`

Simulates behavior (rt and accuracy) according to a RLDDM model,

where the learning component is the Q learning (delta learning rule) and the choice rule is the DDM.

Simulates data for one participant.

In this parametrization, it is assumed that 0 is the lower threshold, and the diffusion process starts halfway through the threshold value.

Note: The number of options can be actually higher than 2, but only 2 options (one correct, one incorrect) are presented in each trial. It is important that “trial_block” is set to 1 at the beginning of each learning session (when the Q values are reset) and that the “block_label” is set to 1 at the beginning of the experiment for each participant. There is no special requirement for the participant number.

Parameters

- **task_design** (*DataFrame*) – *pandas.DataFrame*, with `n_trials_block*n_blocks` rows. Columns contain: “f_cor”, “f_inc”, “trial_type”, “cor_option”, “inc_option”, “trial_block”, “block_label”, “participant”.
- **gen_alpha** (*float or list of floats*) – The generating learning rate. It should be a value between 0 (no updating) and 1 (full updating). If a list of 2 values is provided then 2 separate learning rates for positive and negative prediction error are used.
- **gen_drift_scaling** (*float*) – Drift-rate scaling of the RLDDM.
- **gen_threshold** (*float*) – Threshold of the diffusion decision model. Should be positive.
- **gen_ndt** (*float*) – Non decision time of the diffusion decision model, in seconds. Should be positive.
- **initial_value_learning** (*float*) – The initial value for Q learning.
- ****kwargs** – Additional arguments to `rlssm.random.random_ddm()`.

Returns

data – *pandas.DataFrame*, that is the `task_design`, plus: ‘Q_cor’, ‘Q_inc’, ‘drift’, ‘alpha’, ‘drift_scaling’, ‘threshold’, ‘ndt’, ‘rt’, and ‘accuracy’.

Return type

DataFrame

```
rlssm.random.simulate_hier_rlddm_2A(task_design, gen_mu_alpha, gen_sd_alpha, gen_mu_drift_scaling,  
                                     gen_sd_drift_scaling, gen_mu_threshold, gen_sd_threshold,  
                                     gen_mu_ndt, gen_sd_ndt, initial_value_learning=0, **kwargs)
```

Simulates behavior (rt and accuracy) according to a RLDDM model,

where the learning component is the Q learning (delta learning rule) and the choice rule is the DDM.

Simulates hierarchical data for a group of participants.

In this parametrization, it is assumed that 0 is the lower threshold, and the diffusion process starts halfway through the threshold value.

The individual parameters have the following distributions:

- $\alpha \sim \text{Phi}(\text{normal}(\text{gen_mu_alpha}, \text{gen_sd_alpha}))$
- $\text{drift_scaling} \sim \log(1 + \exp(\text{normal}(\text{gen_mu_drift}, \text{gen_sd_drift})))$
- $\text{threshold} \sim \log(1 + \exp(\text{normal}(\text{gen_mu_threshold}, \text{gen_sd_threshold})))$
- $\text{ndt} \sim \log(1 + \exp(\text{normal}(\text{gen_mu_ndt}, \text{gen_sd_ndt})))$

When 2 learning rates are estimated:

- $\alpha_{\text{pos}} \sim \text{Phi}(\text{normal}(\text{gen_mu_alpha}[0], \text{gen_sd_alpha}[1]))$
- $\alpha_{\text{neg}} \sim \text{Phi}(\text{normal}(\text{gen_mu_alpha}[1], \text{gen_sd_alpha}[1]))$

Note: The number of options can be actually higher than 2, but only 2 options (one correct, one incorrect) are presented in each trial. It is important that “trial_block” is set to 1 at the beginning of each learning session (when the Q values are reset) and that the “block_label” is set to 1 at the beginning of the experiment for each participant. There is no special requirement for the participant number.

Parameters

- **task_design** (*DataFrame*) – *pandas.DataFrame*, with `n_trials_block*n_blocks` rows. Columns contain: “f_cor”, “f_inc”, “trial_type”, “cor_option”, “inc_option”, “trial_block”, “block_label”, “participant”.
- **gen_mu_alpha** (*float or list of floats*) – The generating group mean of the learning rate. If a list of 2 values is provided then 2 separate learning rates for positive and negative prediction error are used.
- **gen_sd_alpha** (*float or list of floats*) – The generating group SD of the learning rate. If a list of 2 values is provided then 2 separate learning rates for positive and negative prediction error are used.
- **gen_mu_drift_scaling** (*float*) – Group-mean of the drift-rate scaling of the RLDDM.
- **gen_sd_drift_scaling** (*float*) – Group-standard deviation of the drift-rate scaling of the RLDDM.
- **gen_mu_threshold** (*float*) – Group-mean of the threshold of the RLDDM.
- **gen_sd_threshold** (*float*) – Group-standard deviation of the threshold of the RLDDM.
- **gen_mu_ndt** (*float*) – Group-mean of the non decision time of the RLDDM.
- **gen_sd_ndt** (*float*) – Group-standard deviation of the non decision time of the RLDDM.
- **initial_value_learning** (*float*) – The initial value for Q learning.
- ****kwargs** – Additional arguments to `rlssm.random.random_ddm()`.

Returns

data – *pandas.DataFrame*, that is the task_design, plus: ‘Q_cor’, ‘Q_inc’, ‘drift’, ‘alpha’, ‘drift_scaling’, ‘threshold’, ‘ndt’, ‘rt’, and ‘accuracy’.

Return type

DataFrame

21.4 Simulate RLDDM data (choices and RTs)

```
rlssm.random.simulate_rlrdm_2A(task_design, gen_alpha, gen_drift_scaling, gen_threshold, gen_ndt,
                               initial_value_learning=0, **kwargs)
```


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