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Description

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Initialise new individuals into the IBM. This function is generally not needed because it is run inside the run_farm_sim function to generate new individuals for simulations. To initialise individuals with this function, it is necessary to set the mine_output argument to output from the mine_gmatrix function. This output includes all of the information necessary to build individuals with genomes that produce traits that covary in a pre-specified way. The arguments of this function include addition information for building the individual array, which is a two-dimensional array in which each individual occupies a row, and each column specifies a character of the individual (including all genome loci). See vignettes for a more detailed explanation.

Usage

```
initialise_inds(
  mine_output,
  N = 1000,
  xdim = 100,
  ydim = 100,
  repro = "sexual",
  neutral_loci = 10,
  max_age = 9,
  min_age_move = 0,
```

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```
max_age_move = 9,
min_age_reproduce = 0,
max_age_reproduce = 9,
min_age_feed = 0,
max_age_feed = 9,
food\_consume = 0.25,
pesticide_consume = 0.1,
rand_age = FALSE,
move_distance = 1,
food_needed_surv = 0.25,
pesticide_tolerated_surv = 0.1,
food_needed_repr = 0,
pesticide_tolerated_repr = 0,
reproduction_type = "lambda",
mating_distance = 1,
lambda_value = 1,
movement\_bouts = 1,
selfing = TRUE,
feed_while_moving = FALSE,
pesticide_while_moving = FALSE,
mortality_type = 0,
age_food_threshold = NA,
age_pesticide_threshold = NA,
metabolism = 0,
baseline_metabolism = 0,
min_age_metabolism = 1,
max\_age\_metabolism = 9
```

Arguments

)

mine_output	The output from mine_gmatrix			
N	Number of individuals to be initialised			
xdim	Horizontal dimensions of the landscape			
ydim	Vertical dimensions of the landscape			
repro	Type of reproduction allowed: "asexual", "sexual", and "biparental". Note that if repro!= "asexual", this causes a diploid genome.			
neutral_loci	The number of neutral loci individuals have (must be > 0)			
max_age	The maximum age of an individual			
min_age_move	The minimum age at which an individual can move			
max_age_move	The maximum age at which an individual can move			
min_age_reproduce				
	The minimum age which an individual can reproduce			
max_age_reproduce				
	The maximum age which an individual can reproduce			
min_age_feed	The minimum age at which an individual feeds			

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max_age_feed The maximum age at which an individual feeds food_consume The amount of food consumed during feeding pesticide_consume

Amount of pesticide consumed while on a cell

rand_age Initialise individuals with a random age (TRUE/FALSE)

move_distance Maximum cells moved in one bout of movement

food_needed_surv

Food needed to survive (if over min_age_feed)

pesticide_tolerated_surv

Pesticide tolerated by individual

food_needed_repr

Food needed to reproduce 1 offspring

pesticide_tolerated_repr

Pesticide tolerated to allow reproduction

reproduction_type

Poisson reproduction ("lambda") vs "food_based"

mating_distance

Distance in cells within which mate is available

lambda_value individual value for poisson reproduction

movement_bouts Number of bouts of movement per time step

selfing If sexual reproduction, is selfing allowed? (TRUE/FALSE)

feed_while_moving

Do individuals feed after each movement bout?

pesticide_while_moving

Individuals consume pesticide after move bout?

mortality_type Type of mortality (currently only one option)

age_food_threshold

Age at which food threshold is enacted

age_pesticide_threshold

Age at which pesticide threshold is enacted

metabolism The amount of consumed food lost each time step

baseline_metabolism

A fixed baseline rate added to 'metabolism'+

min_age_metabolism

The minimum age affected by metabolism

max_age_metabolism

The maximum age affected by metabolism

Value

A two-dimensional array of individuals for simulation

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Examples

make_landscape

Landscape initialisation

Description

Initialise the landscape for a simulation. This should not normally need to be done explicitly with this function because it is run inside of the run_farm_sim function, but this gives the option to generate a landscape without actually running a simulation. All landscapes are produced as three dimensional arrays with varying numbers of rows and columns that determine landscape size, and a depth of 21 layers. The top layer defines which cells belong to which farm, while the remaining layers define how much of a given crop is on the landscape cell (2-11) or how much pesticide has been applied to it (12-21). An arbitrary number of farms are placed in a blocked design on the landscape using a shortest split-line algorithm, which attempts to make farm size as even as possible. Specifying public land is possible, and adds sections of land that are not farms, but this is not recommended.

Usage

```
make_landscape(
  terrain = NA,
  rows = NA,
  cols = NA,
  depth = 21,
  farms = 4,
  public_land = 0,
  farm_var = 0
)
```

Arguments

terrain	a layer of terrain that can be added to specify farm position
rows	The dimension of the other side of the landscape (e.g., Longitude)
cols	The dimension of one side of the landscape (e.g., Latitude)
depth	The number of layers in the 3D landscape
farms	The number of farms on the landscape
public_land	The proportion of landscape cells that are not farmland
farm_var	Does the land distribution vary among farms (>=0, <1)

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Value

the_land A cols by rows landscape with randomly distributed cell types

Examples

```
land <- make_landscape(rows = 10, cols = 10, depth = 2, farms = 4)</pre>
```

mg_n1

Sample mine_gmatrix outputs

Description

Output from mine_gmatrix that maps random normals from 12 loci to four traits with a covariance structure of the identity matrix (replicate 1)

Usage

mg_n1

Format

A list of 8 elements used in individual-based model initialisation

mg_n2

Sample mine_gmatrix outputs

Description

Output from mine_gmatrix that maps random normals from 12 loci to four traits with a covariance structure of the identity matrix (replicate 2)

Usage

mg_n2

Format

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mg_n3

Sample mine_gmatrix outputs

Description

Output from mine_gmatrix that maps random normals from 12 loci to four traits with a covariance structure of the identity matrix (replicate 3)

Usage

mg_n3

Format

A list of 8 elements used in individual-based model initialisation

mg_n4

Sample mine_gmatrix outputs

Description

Output from mine_gmatrix that maps random normals from 12 loci to four traits with a covariance structure of the identity matrix (replicate 4)

Usage

mg_n4

Format

A list of 8 elements used in individual-based model initialisation

mg_n5

Sample mine_gmatrix outputs

Description

Output from mine_gmatrix that maps random normals from 12 loci to four traits with a covariance structure of the identity matrix (replicate 5)

Usage

mg_n5

Format

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mg_v1

Sample mine_gmatrix outputs

Description

Output from mine_gmatrix that maps random normals from 12 loci to four traits with a covariance structure including negative and positive values (replicate 1)

Usage

mg_v1

Format

A list of 8 elements used in individual-based model initialisation

mg_v2

Sample mine_gmatrix outputs

Description

Output from mine_gmatrix that maps random normals from 12 loci to four traits with a covariance structure including negative and positive values (replicate 2)

Usage

mg_v2

Format

A list of 8 elements used in individual-based model initialisation

mg_v3

Sample mine_gmatrix outputs

Description

Output from mine_gmatrix that maps random normals from 12 loci to four traits with a covariance structure including negative and positive values (replicate 3)

Usage

mg_v3

Format

mg_v4

mg_v4

Sample mine_gmatrix outputs

Description

Output from mine_gmatrix that maps random normals from 12 loci to four traits with a covariance structure including negative and positive values (replicate 4)

Usage

mg_v4

Format

A list of 8 elements used in individual-based model initialisation

 mg_v5

Sample mine_gmatrix outputs

Description

Output from mine_gmatrix that maps random normals from 12 loci to four traits with a covariance structure including negative and positive values (replicate 5)

Usage

mg_v5

Format

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mine_gmatrix

Mine G-matrices

Description

Mine networks for establishing the link between genome and g-matrix. The output from this function is required to run individual-based simulations in the rest of the package. The key input to this function, 'gmatrix', is a (square) covariance matrix, with each row and column representing a trait for the individual-based model. This function will run an evolutionary algorithm to try to find a network that produces traits with the covariance structure of gmatrix from a set of random standard normal values. The network from loci values to trait values goes through a number of linked nodes to achieve this, and each generation tests the stress of the resulting network in terms of expected squared deviation of trait covariances from the input gmatrix. Simulations can take minutes to hours or longer, depending on parameters chosen and the number of traits. See vignettes for a more comprehensive explanation for what this function is doing.

Usage

```
mine_gmatrix(
  loci = 18,
  layers = 6,
  indivs = 1000,
  npsize = 2000,
  mu_pr = 0.05,
 mu_sd = 0.01,
  max_gen = 1000,
  pr\_cross = 0.05,
  sampleK = 40,
  chooseK = 4,
  term_cri = -5.3,
  sd_ini = 0.1,
  use_cor = FALSE,
  prnt_out = TRUE,
  gmatrix
)
```

Arguments

loci The number of loci for an individual.	Simulations can allow for both haploid
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and diploid individuals. Allele values at each loci affect trait values through a

network of intermediary nodes.

layers The number of hidden layers in the network linking loci to traits.

indivs The number of individuals initialised in each generation of the evolutionary algorithm to test among-individual trait correlations. Individuals are initialised

with allele values drawn from a standard normal distribution.

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npsize	The size of the population of networks in each generation of the evolutionary algorithm. Each network is a discrete individual in the population.
mu_pr	The probability that a value in the network will mutate in a generation. Mutation events change the existing value by adding a new value drawn from a normal distribution with a mean of 0 and standard deviation of mu_sd.
mu_sd	The standard deviation of the random normal value mean centered at 0 that is added to the existing value of the network when a mutation event occurs.
max_gen	The maximum number of generations that the evolutionary algorithm is allowed to run before terminating (regardless of how well the evolved covariance structure matches the pre-specified gmatrix).
pr_cross	The probability that a focal network in the population will initiate a crossover of a subset of its values with a randomly selected second network (note that any given network might therefore be included in more than one crossover event in a generation). The size of the subset is determined randomly.
sampleK	During a round of selection, the number of random networks chosen to compete in a tournament. A single generation will include as many tournaments as necessary to create a new network population of size npsize.
chooseK	During a round of selection tournament, the number of networks within the sampleK random subset of the tournament that have the highest fitness will be selected to populate the next generation of networks
term_cri	The criteria for terminating the evolutionary algorithm. The algorithm will terminate if a network is found in which the mean squared deviation of the covariance matrix elements from gmatrix is less than exp(term_crit).
sd_ini	The standard deviation of initialised network values at the start of the evolutionary algorithm. All network values are initialised by randomly sampling from a normal distribution with a mean of 0 and a standard deviation of sd_ini
use_cor	Should the gmatrix be treated as a correlation matrix rather than a covariance matrix when calculating fitness?
prnt_out	Should the function print out progress showing the stress for each generation
gmatrix	The pre-specified trait covariance matrix. This will define what the covariance will be between each trait when allele values are drawn from a standard normal distribution.

Value

A list of eight elements that includes the following: (1) A vector of input parameters, (2) the prespecified covariance matrix, (3) matrix defining the effects of loci values on the first layer of the network, (4) a three dimensional array link the first network layer to trait values, (5) a matrix of the marginal effect of each locus on each trait, (6) the mined covariance structure, (7) all network values to be inserted into individual genomes, and (8) the log stress of the mined matrix against the pre-specified matrix.

Examples

```
gmt <- matrix(data = 0, nrow = 4, ncol = 4);
diag(gmt) <- 1;</pre>
```

run_farm_sim

Initialise individuals and simulate farming

Description

Initialises a new set of individuals and then simulates farming over time. This is the main function that runs individual-based simulations of crop and pesticide use and the evolution of pesticide resistance over time. To run this function, output from the mine_gmatrix function is required to specify the covariance structure of individual traits and individual genomes. The arguments to this function are used to initialise a landscape with the make_landscape function and initialise individuals with the initialise_inds function. After initialisation, the simulation continues for up to a set number of time steps (unless extinction occurs), and individuals on the landscape feed, encounter pesticide, move, reproduce, and die depending upon the arguments specified in this function. After a specified number of time steps, the crop or pesticide applied to a landscape cell can also change. The end result is an evolving population of individuals that express traits that can potentially affect fitness (e.g., food consumption, pesticide consumption, movement). Population level statistics are calculated by default and printed to a CSV, but individual level data (which includes all individual characteristics in a large table) need to be turned on because files can become extremely large (use print_inds with extreme caution and print_last with care).

Usage

```
run_farm_sim(
 mine_output,
 N = 1000,
 xdim = 100,
 ydim = 100,
  repro = "sexual",
 neutral_loci = 1000,
 max_age = 9,
 min_age_move = 0,
 max_age_move = 9,
 min_age_reproduce = 0,
 max_age_reproduce = 9,
 min_age_feed = 0,
 max_age_feed = 9,
  food\_consume = 0.25,
  pesticide_consume = 0.1,
  rand_age = FALSE,
 move_distance = 1,
  food_needed_surv = 0.25,
  pesticide_tolerated_surv = 0.1,
 food_needed_repr = 0,
  pesticide_tolerated_repr = 0,
```

```
reproduction_type = "lambda",
  mating_distance = 1,
  lambda_value = 1,
  movement_bouts = 1,
  selfing = TRUE,
  feed_while_moving = FALSE,
  pesticide_while_moving = FALSE,
 mortality_type = 0,
  age_food_threshold = 0,
  age_pesticide_threshold = 0,
  farms = 4,
  time_steps = 100,
 mutation_pr = 0,
  crossover_pr = 0,
 mutation_type = 0,
  net_mu_layers = 0,
  net_mu_dir = 0,
 mutation_direction = 0,
  crop_init = "random",
  crop_rotation_type = 2,
  crop_rotation_time = 1,
  pesticide_init = "random",
  pesticide_rotation_type = 2,
  pesticide_rotation_time = 1,
  crop_per_cell = 1,
  pesticide_per_cell = 1,
  crop\_sd = 0,
  pesticide_sd = 0,
  crop_min = 0,
  crop_max = 1000,
  pesticide_min = 0,
  pesticide_max = 1000,
  crop_number = 2,
  pesticide_number = 1,
  print_inds = FALSE,
  print_gens = TRUE,
  print_last = FALSE,
  K_{on_birth} = 1e+06,
  pesticide_start = 0,
  immigration_rate = 0,
  get_f_coef = FALSE,
  get_stats = TRUE,
 metabolism = 0,
 baseline_metabolism = 0,
 min_age_metabolism = 1,
 max_age_metabolism = 9,
  terrain = NA
)
```

Arguments

mine_output The output from mine_gmatrix, which will be used to initialise the genomes and traits of pests. Ν The number of individuals that are initialised in a simulation. Individuals are initialised in a random location on the landscape, and at least two individuals are needed. xdim The number of cells in the horizontal dimension of the landscape. This value must be an integer greater than two. ydim The number of cells in the vertical dimension of the landscape. This value must be an integer greater than two. The type of reproduction that individuals undergo in the simulation. There are repro three options: (1) "asexual," in which individuals reproduce clonally and offspring have haploid genomes and traits identical to their mother with the potential for mutation; (2) "sexual," in which individuals are monoecious (both female and male) and offspring have diploid genomes with alleles inherited from both parents with mutation and recombination; (3) "biparental," in which individuals are dioecious (only female or male) and offspring have diploid genomes with alleles inherited from both parents with mutation and recombination. neutral_loci The number of loci that are completely neutral (i.e., have no effect on fitness). These loci can be used to monitor genetic drift or calculate inbreeding coefficients. max_age This is the maximum number of time steps that an individual can survive. Individuals that are older than this age in a time step will always die. This is the minimum age at which an individual can move. Individuals below min_age_move this age will always remain on their current cell. This is the maximum age at which an individual can move. Individuals above max_age_move this age will always remain on their current cell. min_age_reproduce This is the minimum age at which an individual can be reproductively active. they be recognised as potential mates by other individuals.

No individuals below this age will engage in any reproductive activity, nor will

max_age_reproduce

max age feed

food_consume

This is the maximum age at which an individual can be reproductively active. No individuals above this age will engage in any reproductive activity, nor will they be recognised as potential mates by other individuals.

min_age_feed This is the minimum age at which an individual can eat. No individuals below this age will be able to consume food on the landscape.

> This is the maximum age at which an individual can eat. No individuals above this age will be able to consume food on the landscape.

This defines how much food an individual will consume from the cell on which it is feeding. Food consumption can take on any positive real value, and an individual will consume up to this amount if possible (if not, they will consume however much food is left within their landscape cell).

pesticide_consume

This defines how much pesticide an individual will consume from the cell on which it resides. Pesticide consumption can take on any positive real value, and an individual will consume up to this amount if possible (if not, they will consume however much pesticide has been placed on the landscape cell).

rand_age

This argument determines whether individuals in the simulation will be initialised with a random age selected uniformly from zero to max_age. If FALSE, then all individuals will be initialised at age zero.

move_distance

This is the maximum number of cells that an individual can move, in any direction, on the landscape during one bout of movement.

food_needed_surv

This is the amount of food that an individual needs to consume to survive. If the individual has not consumed this amount of food before the age of age_food_threshold, then they will die in the time step.

pesticide_tolerated_surv

This is the amount of pesticide that an individual can tolerate and still survive. If the individual has consumed more than this amount of pesticide on or after the age of age_pesticide_threshold, then they will die in the time step.

food_needed_repr

This is the amount of food that an individual needs to produce one offspring. The total number of offspring that an individual produces in a time step is the floor value of their food consumption divided by this value.

pesticide_tolerated_repr

This is the amount of pesticide tolerated below which an individual can reproduce. Note that individuals above the threshold can still mate and sire offspring,

reproduction_type

This determines how individuals reproduce; the two options are "lambda" and "food_based." If "lambda," then the number of offspring an individual produces is sampled from a Poisson distribution with a fixed rate parameter lambda_value (potentially adjusted by other factors in the simulation). If "food_based," then the number of offspring produced is based on the amount of food consumed by the individual.

mating_distance

This is the distance in cells (any direction) away from a focal individual from which they can successfully find and identify a mate (e.g., if 0, then only individuals on the same cell are potential mates).

lambda_value

This is the rate parameter for the Poisson sampling of offspring number; it only applies when reproduction_type is set to "lambda."

movement_bouts

This is the number of times an individual can move in a single time step (i.e., the number of cells that it can potentially visit). Each time an individual visits a new cell, it can potentially feed or consume pesticide.

selfing

This determines whether or not self-fertilisation is allowed when repro is set to "sexual."

feed_while_moving

If TRUE, then individuals will feed in each movement bout when they arrive to a new landscape cell.

pesticide_while_moving

If TRUE, then individuals will consume pesticide in each movement bout when they arrive to a new landscape cell.

mortality_type This determines how mortality is enacted in the simulation. Currently there is only one mortality type possible; mortality occurs if individuals exceed their maximum age, do not consume enough food, or consume too much pesticide.

age_food_threshold

This is the age at which mortality associated with feeding is enacted, so an individual younger than this age will not die if they have not yet consumed sufficient food to satisfy food needed surv.

age_pesticide_threshold

This is the age at which mortality associated with pesticide consumption is enacted, so an individual younger than this age will not die even if they have exceeded their pesticide threshold.

farms

This is the number of farms to be placed on the landscape. Farms are placed in blocks of roughly equal sizes using a shortest splitline algorithm. Farms operate independently in terms of what crops they grow and pesticides they apply.

time_steps

This is the number of time steps that a simulation will run. Simulations will be terminated before this number if extinction occurs.

mutation_pr

This is the probability of mutation occurring at any locus of a newly produced offspring.

crossover_pr

This is the probability of crossover between two homologous loci. This only applies for diploid genomes.

mutation_type

This determines how mutation is modelled. If 0, then a completely new allele value is drawn from a normal distribution with a mean of mutation direction and a standard deviation of 1 (or 1 / sqrt(2) for diploids, so that the expected standard devation of the sum of both allele values is 1). If 1, then a new value is drawn from a normal distribution with mean mutation_direction and standard deviation of 1, and this new value is then added to the existing allele value.

net_mu_layers

This is the proportion of the genome that can evolve. If 0, then only loci values (green circles in Figure 1) can mutate. If 1, then loci and the first column of arrows (green circles to first column of blue squares in Figure 1) can mutate. If 2, then the first two columns of arrows in Figure 1 can mutate, and so forth. Fewer mutation layers will constrain the covariance among traits, while more mutation layers will allow the covariance structure to evolve more readily.

net_mu_dir

The direction along the network in which net mu layers applies (not loci, green circles in Figure 1, can always mutate). If 1, then net_mu_layers applies in the direction from loci to traits. If 0, then the direction applies from traits to loci (i.e., net_mu_dir = 0 and net_mu_layers = 1 would mean that only the arrow values between the last hidden layer and traits in Figure 1 could mutate).

mutation_direction

This allows mutations to be biased in one direction. A default value of 0 makes positive or negative allele values equally likely.

crop_init

Initial crop type for each farm. This can be set in one of two ways. First, the default value "random" will randomly assign each farm to an initial crop to

> produce. Second, a vector can be used to specify the crop initialised on each farm. The vector must be the same length as the number of farms, and the value of each element 'i' of the vector defines which crop is initialised for each farm i. Hence, a crop_init vector must have as many elements as there are farms, and vector elements must include natural numbers from 1 to the total number of crops.

crop_rotation_type

This determines how crop types are rotated across the landscape. This can be set in one of two ways. First, a natural number can specify a rotation type: (1) crops will never rotate, (2) a new crop type will be randomly chosen every crop_rotation_time time steps for each farm, or (3) farms will cycle through crop types in order, with a change from one crop type to another every crop_rotation_time time step. Second, a square matrix can specify the probability of transition from a focal crop type (rows) to the next crop type (columns). Matrix rows must therefore sum to 1. For example, an identity matrix (1s in the diagonal and 0s in the off-diagonal) would specify crops that never rotate (i.e., crop i always rotates to itself).

crop_rotation_time

This determines how many time steps a crop is left before being refreshed and potentially changed. Note that even if the crop type does not change, this value still has the effect of determining how often crops are replenished (if some have been eaten since the last time they were replenished).

pesticide_init Initial pesticide type for each farm. This can be set in one of two ways. First, the default value "random" will randomly assign each farm to an initial pesticide to apply. Second, a vector can be used to specify the pesticide initialised on each farm. The vector must be the same length as the number of farms, and the value of each element 'i' of the vector defines which pesticide is initialised for each farm i. Hence, a pesticide init vector must have as many elements as there are farms, and vector elements must include natural numbers from 1 to the total number of pesticides.

pesticide_rotation_type

This determines how pesticide types are rotated across the landscape. This can be set in one of two ways. First, a natural number can specify a rotation type: (1) pesticides will never rotate, (2) a new pesticide type will be randomly chosen every pesticide_rotation_time time steps for each farm, or (3) farms will cycle through pesticide types in order, with a change from one pesticide type to another every pesticide_rotation_time time step. Second, a square matrix can specify the probability of transition from a focal pesticide type (rows) to the next pesticide type (columns). Matrix rows must therefore sum to 1. For example, an identity matrix (1s in the diagonal and 0s in the off-diagonal) would specify pesticides that never rotate (i.e., pesticide i always rotates to itself).

pesticide_rotation_time

This determines how many time steps a pesticide is left before being replenished and potentially changed. Note that unlike crops, pesticide levels do not decrease on the landscape over time (e.g., with consumption).

crop_per_cell

This determines the expected amount of crop that is placed on a single landscape cell. The more crop on a cell, the more that can be potentially consumed by individuals.

pesticide_per_cell

This determines how much pesticide is placed on a single landscape cell. The higher concentration of pesticide per cell, the more that individuals on the cell will imbibe and potentially be affected by.

This is the standard deviation of crop number placed on landscape cells. A crop_sd default value of 0 assumes that all cells have the same amount of crop.

This is the standard deviation of pesticide applied to each landscape cell. A pesticide_sd default value of 0 assumes that each cell has the same concentration of pesticide applied.

This is the minimum amount of crop that is possible to have on a single cell (i.e., crop_min crop values will never be initialised to be lower than this value).

crop_max This is the maximum amount of crop that is possible to have on a single cell (i.e., crop values will never be initialised to be higher than this value).

This is the minimum concentration of pesticide that is possible to have on a pesticide_min single cell (i.e., pesticide values will never be initialised to be lower than this value).

> This is the maximum concentration of pesticide that is possible to have on a single cell (i.e., pesticide values will never be initialised to be higher than this value).

This is the number of unique crops that can exist on the landscape during the course of a simulation. The maximum number of possible crops is 10.

pesticide_number

This is the number of unique pesticides that can exist on the landscape during the course of a simulation. The maximum number of possible pesticides is 10.

If TRUE, a CSV file will print in the working directory with every individual and all of their characteristics (i.e., locations, traits, genomes) in every time step. By default, this is set to FALSE and should only be set to TRUE with extreme caution, as large populations persisting over long periods of time can produce extremely large CSV files.

If TRUE, the time step and the population size will be printed to the R console as the simulation is running.

If TRUE, a CSV file will print in the working directory with every individual and all of their characteristics (i.e., locations, traits, genomes) in only the last time step. Note that for large populations, the file size generated can be very large (10s to 100s of GBs).

This is a carrying capacity applied to new individuals across the entire landscape. If the total number of offspring in a time step exceeds this value, then offspring are removed at random until the total number of new offspring equals K_on_birth. In practice, this can help speed up simulations by avoiding the unnecessary production of individuals when most will perish.

pesticide_start

This is the time step at which pesticide begins to be applied. No pesticide will be applied prior to this start time, so individuals will not experience any effects of pesticide. This can be useful as a tool to burn in the population prior to introducing pesticide.

pesticide_max

crop_number

print_inds

print_gens

print_last

K_on_birth

immigration_rate

This is the number of immigrant individuals arriving in the landscape in each time step. Immigrants are initialised in random locations with the same network structure (Figure 1) as individuals initialised at the start of the simulation, and with allele values randomly drawn from a standard normal distribution.

get_f_coef

This determines whether or not inbreeding coefficients will be calculated for sexual populations and printed off in CSV files. Because this can add some computation time, it is best to set to FALSE unless it is needed.

get_stats

If TRUE, a CSV file will print in the working directory with summary statistics for each time step. This is set to TRUE by default.

metabolism

This determines the rate at which food consumed in previous time steps is lost in subsequent time steps, which can be especially relevant if food consumed determines survival or reproductive output. Values of 0 mean that stored gains will always persist throughout an individual's lifetime, while very high values will model the gains of one time step being wiped out in subsequent time steps (if, e.g., the objective is to model individuals needing to consume food successfully in each time step to survive or reproduce, as opposed to having a feeding life history stage followed by a mating and reproduction stage).

baseline metabolism

This fixes a baseline metabolic rate at which food consumed in previous time steps is lost in subsequent steps. This fixed value is always added to metabolism for each individual. By default, this value is 0.

min_age_metabolism

This determines the minimum age at which losses of food consumed in previous time steps enacted by metabolism and baseline metabolism can occur.

max_age_metabolism

This determines the maximum age at which losses of food consumed in previous time steps enacted by metabolism and baseline_metabolsim can occur.

terrain

Insert a custom terrain of different farms, which takes the form of a matrix that includes a sequence of natural numbers in all matrix elements. For example, if there are 4 farms, then all matrix elements must be 1, 2, 3, or 4. Beyond this requirement, there is no restriction on where different farms are placed; the do not even need to be contiguous on the landscape. Note that a custom terrain will override the arguments farms, xdim, and ydim. For example, if the matrix given to the terrain argument has 10 rows and 10 columns, then the simulation will automatically set xdim and ydim equal to 10 without any warnings. Also note that these terrain values do not necessarily need to be farms. Through the use of a custom landscape and pesticide rotation option, these cells could represent something like diversionary feeding sites or even buildings or rivers. See vignettes and other documentation for details.

Value

The output in the R console is a list with two elements; the first element is a vector of parameter values used by the model, and the second element is the landscape in the simulation. The most relevant output will be produced as CSV files within the working directory. When get_stats = TRUE, a file named 'population_data.csv' is produced in the working directory. When print_last =

TRUE, a complete array of all individuals and their characteristics is printed for the last time step in the working directory in a file named 'last_time_step.csv' (for large simulations, this file can be > 1GB in size). When print_inds = TRUE, a complete array of all individuals in all time steps is produced in the working directory in a file named 'individuals.csv' (use this option with extreme caution for all but the smallest simulations).

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