

Environmental drivers of spatiotemporal foraging intensity in fruit bats and implications for Hendra virus ecology

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R code for boosted regression tree analysis

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library(raster)
library(dismo)
library(SDMTools)
library(Metrics)
library(foreach)
library(parallel)
library(doParallel)

# read data
path <- 'data/foraging_stop_data.csv' # file path to foraging_stop_data.csv
d <- read.csv(path)

# Albers equal area coordinate projection
albers <- "+proj=aea +lat_1=-18 +lat_2=-36 +lat_0=0 +lon_0=132 +x_0=0 +y_0=0
+ellps=GRS80 +towgs84=0,0,0,0,0,0,0 +units=m +no_defs"

# weight/offset
ybar <- sum(d$pres)/nrow(d) # probability of presence in dataset
tau <- 0.5 # assumed probability of presence
w1 <- tau/ybar
w0 <- (1-tau)/(1-ybar)
d$weight <- round(w1*d$pres + w0*(1-d$pres), 2)

# add gridded groups
dpts <- SpatialPointsDataFrame(cbind(d$coords.x1, d$coords.x2), d)
cols <- 23
rows <- 18 # 5km cells
par(mfrow=c(1,1), mar=c(4,4,2,2))
r <- raster(ncol=cols,
            nrow=rows,
            ext=extent(dpts),
            crs=CRS(albers),
            vals=1:(rows*cols))
dpts$gridcell <- raster::extract(r, dpts)
print(ncells <- length(unique(dpts$gridcell))/5) # grid cells per fold

# aggregate data into 5 random groups
m <- matrix(nrow=0, ncol=2)
try <- 1000
for (i in 1:try) {
  set.seed(i)
  gcall <- unique(dpts$gridcell) # vector of all gridgroups
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gg1 <- sample(ggall, ncells)
dpts1 <- dpts[dpts$gridcell %in% gg1,]
dpts1$gridgroup <- 1
ggall <- ggall[!(ggall %in% gg1)] # remove gg1 sample from ggall
gg2 <- sample(ggall, ncells)
dpts2 <- dpts[dpts$gridcell %in% gg2,]
dpts2$gridgroup <- 2
ggall <- ggall[!(ggall %in% gg2)]
gg3 <- sample(ggall, ncells)
dpts3 <- dpts[dpts$gridcell %in% gg3,]
dpts3$gridgroup <- 3
gg4 <- ggall[!(ggall %in% gg3)]
gg4 <- sample(ggall, ncells)
dpts4 <- dpts[dpts$gridcell %in% gg4,]
dpts4$gridgroup <- 4
gg5 <- ggall[!(ggall %in% gg4)] # grid cells remaining in ggall
dpts5 <- dpts[dpts$gridcell %in% gg5,]
dpts5$gridgroup <- 5
print(i)

# use seed which has lowest variance among grid groups
print(s <- round(var(c(sum(dpts1$pres),
                      sum(dpts2$pres),
                      sum(dpts3$pres),
                      sum(dpts4$pres))),1))

m <- rbind(m, c(i, s))
}

# use seed with data most evenly distributed across grid groups
m <- m[order(m[,2]),]
set.seed(m[1,1])

# assign to grid groups
ggall <- unique(dpts$gridcell) # vector of all gridgroups
gg1 <- sample(ggall, ncells)
dpts1 <- dpts[dpts$gridcell %in% gg1,]
dpts1$gridgroup <- 1
ggall <- ggall[!(ggall %in% gg1)] # remove gg1 sample from ggall
gg2 <- sample(ggall, ncells)
dpts2 <- dpts[dpts$gridcell %in% gg2,]
dpts2$gridgroup <- 2
ggall <- ggall[!(ggall %in% gg2)]
gg3 <- sample(ggall, ncells)
dpts3 <- dpts[dpts$gridcell %in% gg3,]
dpts3$gridgroup <- 3
ggall <- ggall[!(ggall %in% gg3)]
gg4 <- sample(ggall, ncells)
dpts4 <- dpts[dpts$gridcell %in% gg4,]
dpts4$gridgroup <- 4
gg5 <- ggall[!(ggall %in% gg4)] # grid cells remaining in ggall
dpts5 <- dpts[dpts$gridcell %in% gg5,]
dpts5$gridgroup <- 5

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sum(dpts1$pres)
sum(dpts2$pres)
sum(dpts3$pres)
sum(dpts4$pres)
sum(dpts5$pres)

# recombine spatialpointsdataframes
d <- rbind(as.data.frame(dpts1),
           as.data.frame(dpts2),
           as.data.frame(dpts3),
           as.data.frame(dpts4),
           as.data.frame(dpts5))
d <- d[,-c((ncol(d)-1),ncol(d))]

plot(d$coords.x1, d$coords.x2, pch=1, col=d$gridgroup)
lines(rasterToPolygons(r), lwd=2)

# build boosted regression tree models with all combinations of meta-parameters
# and cross validate using the random grid groups as folds
LR <- c(0.005, 0.001, 0.0005) # learning rate
TC <- c(5,7,9) # tree count
BF <- c(0.5,0.6,0.7) # bagging fraction

results.all <- list()
for(g in 1:max(d$gridgroup)) {

  # define gridded CV subsets
  print(paste("Withholding fold number ", g, sep=" "), quote=F)
  d.train <- subset(d, gridgroup != g )
  d.test <- subset(d, gridgroup == g)

  df <- data.frame()
  for (i in TC){
    for (j in LR){
      for (k in BF) {

        print(paste('TC = ', i, ', LR = ', j, ', and BF = ', k, sep=''),
              quote=F)

        BRT1 <- gbm.step(data=d.train,
                        gbm.x=c(4,8:18), #c(4,8:18,24,30:63)
                        gbm.y=1,
                        family='poisson',
                        tree.complexity=i,
                        learning.rate=j,
                        bag.fraction=k,
                        n.folds=5,
                        site.weights=d.train$weight,
                        max.trees=10000,
                        verbose=F)

        if(is.null(BRT1)==T){
          tmp <- data.frame(TC=i,

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        LR=j,
        BF=k,
        n.trees=NA,
        deviance=NA,
        MSE=NA,
        R2=NA)
    } else {
      preds <- predict(BRT1,
                      d.test,
                      n.trees=BRT1$gbm.call$best.trees,
                      type='response')

      dev <- calc.deviance(obs=d.test$count,
                          pred=preds,
                          family='poisson',
                          calc.mean=T)

      MSE <- mse(d.test$count, preds)
      R2 <- cor(d.test$count, preds)^2

      # add results to list
      name <- paste('TC', i, 'LR', j, 'BF', k, sep='')
      tmp <- data.frame(TC=i,
                        LR=j,
                        BF=k,
                        n.trees=BRT1$gbm.call$best.trees,
                        deviance=dev,
                        MSE=MSE,
                        R2=R2)

    }

    df <- rbind(df, tmp)
  }
}

results.all[[g]] <- df
}

df <- results.all[[1]][,colnames(results.all[[1])) %in% c('TC', 'LR', 'BF')]

# get summaries of deviance and MSE
for (i in c('deviance', 'MSE')){
  dv <- as.data.frame(cbind(results.all[[1]][,i],
                            results.all[[2]][,i],
                            results.all[[3]][,i],
                            results.all[[4]][,i],
                            results.all[[5]][,i]))
  dv <- as.data.frame(cbind(round(apply(dv,
                                       FUN=mean,
                                       MARGIN=1), 3),
                            round(apply(dv,
                                       FUN=sd,
                                       MARGIN=1), 2)

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names(dv) <- c(paste(i, '.mean', sep=''),
              paste(i, '.se', sep=''))
df <- cbind(df, dv)
}

# confirm n.trees was >1000 for all cross validations
dv <- as.data.frame(cbind(results.all[[1]][, 'n.trees'],
                        results.all[[2]][, 'n.trees'],
                        results.all[[3]][, 'n.trees'],
                        results.all[[4]][, 'n.trees'],
                        results.all[[5]][, 'n.trees']))

df$n.trees <- apply(dv,
                  FUN=function(x) min(x),
                  MARGIN=1)
df$min.trees <- apply(dv,
                    FUN=function(x) min(x) > 1000,
                    MARGIN=1)

df2 <- subset(df, n.trees > 1000)
df2 <- df2[order(df2$deviance.mean),]
best.pars <- df2[1,]

# Re-run gbm.step with best parameters to get optimal number of trees
BRT1 <- gbm.step(data=d,
                gbm.x=c(4,8:18,24,30:63),
                gbm.y=1,
                family='poisson',
                tree.complexity=best.pars$TC,
                learning.rate=best.pars$LR,
                bag.fraction=best.pars$BF,
                n.folds=5,
                site.weights=d$weight)

preds <- predict(BRT1,
                d,
                n.trees=BRT1$gbm.call$best.trees,
                type='response')

calc.deviance(obs=d$count,
              pred=preds,
              family='poisson',
              calc.mean=T)

# Summarize Poisson model performance
par(mfrow=c(1,2), mar=c(4,4,2,2))

plot(BRT1$fitted, BRT1$residuals,
     ylab='Model residuals',
     xlab="Fitted values")
abline(h=0, lty=2, col='grey50')
sp <- smooth.spline(BRT1$fitted, BRT1$residuals, spar=2.09)

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lines(sp, col='red', cex=1.2)

plot(d$count, BRT1$fitted,
     ylim=c(0,max(d$count)),
     ylab='Fitted values',
     xlab="Data")
lines(x=seq(-5, max(d$count)+5, 1),
      y=seq(-5, max(d$count)+5, 1),
      lty=2,
      col='grey50')
sp <- smooth.spline(BRT1$fitted, d$count, spar=2)
lines(sp, col='red', cex=1.2)

R2 <- cor(d$count, BRT1$fitted)^2
lab <- bquote(italic.(('R'))^2 == .(round(R2, 2.1)))
text(6, 35, label=lab)

# Influential variables
par(mfrow=c(1,1))
barplot(summary(BRT1)[1:24,])

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