

# Package ‘sublime’

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Multi-Modality Longitudinal Magnetic Resonance Images

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**Description** Creates probability maps of incident and enlarging lesion voxels  
from a baseline and followup magnetic resonance imaging study in  
patients with multiple sclerosis.

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SuBLIME-package	<i>SuBLIME package: Subtraction-Based Logistic Inference for Modeling and Estimation</i>
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### Description

This packages runs the SuBLIME pipeline on preprocessed data for detection of lesions in patients iwth MS. The functions will normalize and runt he model

### Details

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### References

Sweeney, E. M., Shinohara, R. T., Shea, C. D., Reich, D. S., & Crainiceanu, C. M. (2013). Automatic Lesion Incidence Estimation and Detection in Multiple Sclerosis Using Multisequence Longitudinal MRI. *American Journal of Neuroradiology*, 34(1), 68-73.

### See Also

~~ [AnalyzeFMRI](#) ~~

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download_data	<i>Download SuBLIME data</i>
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### Description

Download test data for examples

### Usage

```
download_data(folder = system.file(package = "SuBLIME"), force = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

folder	Folder to download the data - usually SuBLIME folder, but may need a different directory due to permissions
force	Force download of file even if it exists

**Value**

Indicator if the file was downloaded and unzipped

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normalize	<i>Intensity-normalization by a image mask</i>
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**Description**

This function normalized the image by the mean and standard deviation by intensities of voxels in the mask. In SuBLIME the mask is normal appearing white matter

**Usage**

```
normalize(image, mask = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

image	3D Array or object of class nifti
mask	Mask with same dimensions. If NULL, then original image is returned

**Value**

Object of class nifti or array, depending on image input

**Examples**

```
## Not run:  
## put in ex here  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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SuBLIME\_model      *Sublime Predictive model*

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### Description

Predictive model for SuBLIME algorithm

### Usage

SuBLIME\_model

### Format

An lm object, but with data and other things, notably qr removed

### References

Sweeney, E. M., et al. "Automatic lesion incidence estimation and detection in multiple sclerosis using multisequence longitudinal MRI." *American Journal of Neuroradiology* 34.1 (2013): 68-73.

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SuBLIME\_prediction      *Gets predicted probabilities from SuBLIME*

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### Description

Takes in MRI images from followup and gets predictions (probabilities) of the enhancing of lesions

### Usage

```
SuBLIME_prediction(baseline_flair, follow_up_flair, baseline_pd, follow_up_pd,
  baseline_t2, follow_up_t2, baseline_t1, follow_up_t1, time_diff,
  baseline_nawm_mask = NULL, follow_up_nawm_mask = baseline_nawm_mask,
  brain_mask, model = SuBLIME::SuBLIME_model, voxel = TRUE,
  smooth.using = c("GaussSmoothArray", "none"), voxel.sigma = diag(3, 3),
  voxel.ksize = 5, s.sigma = diag(3, 3), s.ksize = 3,
  plot.imgs = FALSE, slice = 90, pdfname = "diag.pdf", verbose = TRUE)
```

### Arguments

baseline\_flair    Baseline FLAIR image, either array or class nifti  
 follow\_up\_flair      Followup FLAIR image, either array or class nifti  
 baseline\_pd      Baseline PD image, either array or class nifti  
 follow\_up\_pd      Followup PD image, either array or class nifti  
 baseline\_t2      Baseline T2 image, either array or class nifti

follow_up_t2	Followup T2 image, either array or class nifti
baseline_t1	Baseline T1 image, either array or class nifti
follow_up_t1	Followup T1 image, either array or class nifti
time_diff	Difference in time (in days) between baseline and followup, numeric
baseline_nawm_mask	Baseline Normal Appearing white matter mask, either array or class nifti. Will be coerced to logical usign baseline_nawm_mask \$> 0\$. If NULL, no NAWM normalization is done (assumes data is already normalized)
follow_up_nawm_mask	Followup Normal Appearing white matter mask, either array or class nifti. Will be coerced to logical usign follow_up_nawm_mask \$> 0\$. Defaults to baseline_nawm_mask if not specified. If NULL, no NAWM normalization is done (assumes data is already normalized)
brain_mask	Brain mask, either array or class nifti. Will be #' coerced to logical usign brain_mask \$> 0\$.
model	Model of class <code>lm</code> or set of coefficients.
voxsels	Do Voxel Selection based on normalized T2 (logical)
smooth.using	Character vector to decide if using <code>GaussSmoothArray</code> from AnalyzeFMRI or <code>fslsmooth</code> from fslr package
voxsels.sigma	Sigma passed to <code>voxel_select</code>
voxsels.ksize	Kernel size passed to <code>voxel_select</code>
s.sigma	Sigma passed to <code>GaussSmoothArray</code>
s.ksize	Kernel size passed to <code>GaussSmoothArray</code>
plot.imgs	Plot images along the way
slice	Slice to be plotted
pdfname	Name of pdf created for plot.imgs
verbose	Print Diagnostic Messages

**Value**

array

**See Also**

predict

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
download_data()
modes = c("FLAIR", "PD", "T2", "VolumetricT1")
modals = paste0(modes, "norm.nii.gz")
base_files = system.file(file.path("01/Baseline", modals), package="SuBLIME")
base_imgs = lapply(base_files, readNIFTI, reorient=FALSE)
f_files = system.file(file.path("01/FollowUp", modals), package="SuBLIME")
```

```

f_imgs = lapply(f_files, readNIfTI, reorient=FALSE)
names(base_imgs) = names(f_imgs) = modes
baseline_nawm_file = system.file("01/Baseline/nawm.nii.gz", package="SuBLIME")
baseline_nawm_mask = readNIfTI(baseline_nawm_file, reorient=FALSE)
baseline_nawm_mask = drop(baseline_nawm_mask)
follow_up_nawm_file = system.file("01/FollowUp/nawm.nii.gz", package="SuBLIME")
follow_up_nawm_mask = readNIfTI(follow_up_nawm_file, reorient=FALSE)
brain_file = system.file("01/duramask.nii.gz", package="SuBLIME")
brain_mask = readNIfTI(brain_file, reorient=FALSE)
brain_mask = drop(brain_mask)

follow_up_nawm_mask = NULL
baseline_nawm_mask = NULL
smooth.using = "GaussSmoothArray"
verbose = TRUE
time_diff = 10
voxsels = TRUE
model = SuBLIME_model
#voxsels.sigma = s.sigma =diag(3,3)
#s.ksize = 3
#voxsels.ksize = 5

outimg = SuBLIME_prediction(
  baseline_flair = base_imgs[["FLAIR"]],
  follow_up_flair = f_imgs[["FLAIR"]],
  baseline_pd = base_imgs[["PD"]],
  follow_up_pd = f_imgs[["PD"]],
  baseline_t2 = base_imgs[["T2"]],
  follow_up_t2 = f_imgs[["T2"]],
  baseline_t1 = base_imgs[["VolumetricT1"]],
  follow_up_t1 = f_imgs[["VolumetricT1"]],
  time_diff = time_diff,
  baseline_nawm_mask = baseline_nawm_mask,
  brain_mask = brain_mask,
  voxels = voxels,
  model = model, plot_imgs = TRUE,
  pdfname = "~/Dropbox/SuBLIME_Web_Test/01/pkg_diagnostc.pdf"
)

names(base_imgs) = paste0("baseline_", c("flair", "pd", "t2", "t1"))
names(f_imgs) = paste0("follow_up_", c("flair", "pd", "t2", "t1"))
attach(base_imgs)
attach(f_imgs)

## End(Not run)

```

**Description**

Takes the difference in T2 images, smoothes this difference, and then finds voxels greater than one SD of the smoothed mask as potential voxels and returns it

**Usage**

```
voxel_select(normalized_baseline_t2, normalized_follow_up_t2, brain_mask,  
             sigma = diag(3, 3), ksize = 5)
```

**Arguments**

normalized_baseline_t2	Baseline T2 image, array or object class nifti that
normalized_follow_up_t2	Followup T2 image, array or object class nifti that
brain_mask	A 3D 0-1 mask that delimits where the smoothing occurs, passed to <a href="#">GaussSmoothArray</a>
sigma	Sigma passed to <a href="#">GaussSmoothArray</a>
ksize	Kernel size passed to <a href="#">GaussSmoothArray</a>

**Value**

Array or object class nifti depending on input iamges

**See Also**

[GaussSmoothArray](#)

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