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Description

GLLAMM stands for generalized linear latent and mixed models, and `gllamm` is a Stata command for fitting such models written by Sophia Rabe-Hesketh (University of California–Berkeley) as part of joint work with Anders Skrondal (Norwegian Institute of Public Health) and Andrew Pickles (King’s College London).

Remarks and examples

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Generalized linear latent and mixed models are a class of multilevel latent variable models, where a latent variable is a factor or a random effect (intercept or coefficient), or a disturbance (residual). The `gllamm` command for fitting such models is not an official command of Stata; it has been independently developed by highly regarded authors and is itself highly regarded. You can learn more about `gllamm` by visiting <http://www.gllamm.org>.

`gllamm` is available from the Statistical Software Components (SSC) Archive. To install, type

```
. ssc describe gllamm
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```
. ssc install gllamm
```

If you later wish to uninstall `gllamm`, type `ado uninstall gllamm`.

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The references above are restricted to works by the primary authors of `gllamm`. There are many other books and articles that use or discuss `gllamm`; see <http://www.gllamm.org/pub.html> for a list.

Also see

[ME] **meglm** — Multilevel mixed-effects generalized linear models

[ME] **mixed** — Multilevel mixed-effects linear regression

[SEM] **Intro 2** — Learning the language: Path diagrams and command language

[SEM] **Intro 5** — Tour of models

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