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## Description

Bayesian estimation in Stata is similar to standard estimation—simply prefix the estimation commands with `bayes:` (see [\[BAYES\] bayes](#)). You can also refer to [\[BAYES\] bayesmh](#) and [\[BAYES\] bayesmh evaluators](#) for fitting more general Bayesian models. For Bayesian variable selection, see [\[BAYES\] bayesselect](#).

The following estimation commands support the `bayes` prefix.

Command	Entry	Description
Linear regression models		
<code>regress</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: regress</a>	Linear regression
<code>hetregress</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: hetregress</a>	Heteroskedastic linear regression
<code>tobit</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: tobit</a>	Tobit regression
<code>intreg</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: intreg</a>	Interval regression
<code>truncreg</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: truncreg</a>	Truncated regression
<code>mvreg</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: mvreg</a>	Multivariate regression
<code>qreg</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: qreg</a>	Quantile regression
Binary-response regression models		
<code>logistic</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: logistic</a>	Logistic regression, reporting odds ratios
<code>logit</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: logit</a>	Logistic regression, reporting coefficients
<code>probit</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: probit</a>	Probit regression
<code>cloglog</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: cloglog</a>	Complementary log–log regression
<code>hetprobit</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: hetprobit</a>	Heteroskedastic probit regression
<code>binreg</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: binreg</a>	GLM for the binomial family
<code>biprobit</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: biprobit</a>	Bivariate probit regression
Ordinal-response regression models		
<code>ologit</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: ologit</a>	Ordered logistic regression
<code>oprobit</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: oprobit</a>	Ordered probit regression
<code>hetoprobit</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: hetoprobit</a>	Heteroskedastic ordered probit regression
<code>ziologit</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: ziologit</a>	Zero-inflated ordered logit regression
<code>zioprobit</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: zioprobit</a>	Zero-inflated ordered probit regression
Categorical-response regression models		
<code>mlogit</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: mlogit</a>	Multinomial (polytomous) logistic regression
<code>mprobit</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: mprobit</a>	Multinomial probit regression
<code>clogit</code>	<a href="#">[BAYES] bayes: clogit</a>	Conditional logistic regression

Count-response regression models

poisson [BAYES] **bayes: poisson**  
 nbreg [BAYES] **bayes: nbreg**  
 gnbreg [BAYES] **bayes: gnbreg**  
 tpoisson [BAYES] **bayes: tpoisson**  
 tnbreg [BAYES] **bayes: tnbreg**  
 zip [BAYES] **bayes: zip**  
 zinb [BAYES] **bayes: zinb**

Poisson regression  
 Negative binomial regression  
 Generalized negative binomial regression  
 Truncated Poisson regression  
 Truncated negative binomial regression  
 Zero-inflated Poisson regression  
 Zero-inflated negative binomial regression

Generalized linear models

glm [BAYES] **bayes: glm**

Generalized linear models

Fractional-response regression models

fracreg [BAYES] **bayes: fracreg**  
 betareg [BAYES] **bayes: betareg**

Fractional response regression  
 Beta regression

Survival regression models

streg [BAYES] **bayes: streg**

Parametric survival models

Sample-selection regression models

heckman [BAYES] **bayes: heckman**  
 heckprobit [BAYES] **bayes: heckprobit**  
 heckoprobit [BAYES] **bayes: heckoprobit**

Heckman selection model  
 Probit regression with sample selection  
 Ordered probit model with sample selection

Longitudinal/panel-data regression models

xtreg [BAYES] **bayes: xtreg**  
 xtlogit [BAYES] **bayes: xtlogit**  
 xtprobit [BAYES] **bayes: xtprobit**  
 xtologit [BAYES] **bayes: xtologit**  
 xtoprobit [BAYES] **bayes: xtoprobit**  
 xtmlogit [BAYES] **bayes: xtmlogit**  
 xtpoisson [BAYES] **bayes: xtpoisson**  
 xtnbreg [BAYES] **bayes: xtnbreg**

Random-effects linear regression  
 Random-effects logit regression  
 Random-effects probit regression  
 Random-effects ordered logit regression  
 Random-effects ordered probit regression  
 Random-effects multinomial logit regression  
 Random-effects Poisson regression  
 Random-effects negative binomial regression

Multilevel regression models

mixed [BAYES] **bayes: mixed**  
 metobit [BAYES] **bayes: metobit**  
 meintreg [BAYES] **bayes: meintreg**  
 melogit [BAYES] **bayes: melogit**  
 meprobit [BAYES] **bayes: meprobit**  
 mecloglog [BAYES] **bayes: mecloglog**  
 meologit [BAYES] **bayes: meologit**  
 meoprobit [BAYES] **bayes: meoprobit**  
 mepoisson [BAYES] **bayes: mepoisson**  
 menbreg [BAYES] **bayes: menbreg**  
 meglm [BAYES] **bayes: meglm**  
 mestreg [BAYES] **bayes: mestreg**

Multilevel linear regression  
 Multilevel tobit regression  
 Multilevel interval regression  
 Multilevel logistic regression  
 Multilevel probit regression  
 Multilevel complementary log–log regression  
 Multilevel ordered logistic regression  
 Multilevel ordered probit regression  
 Multilevel Poisson regression  
 Multilevel negative binomial regression  
 Multilevel generalized linear model  
 Multilevel parametric survival regression

Time-series models

`var` [BAYES] **bayes: var** Vector autoregressive models

DSGE models

`dsge` [BAYES] **bayes: dsge** Linear DSGE models  
`dsge1` [BAYES] **bayes: dsge1** Nonlinear DSGE models

## Video examples

[Introduction to Bayesian statistics, part 1: The basic concepts](#)

[Introduction to Bayesian statistics, part 2: MCMC and the Metropolis–Hastings algorithm](#)

## Also see

[BAYES] **bayes** — Bayesian regression models using the bayes prefix

[BAYES] **bayesmh** — Bayesian models using Metropolis–Hastings algorithm

[BAYES] **bayesmh evaluators** — User-defined evaluators with bayesmh

[BAYES] **bayesselect** — Bayesian variable selection for linear regression

[BAYES] **Bayesian postestimation** — Postestimation tools after Bayesian estimation

[BAYES] **Intro** — Introduction to Bayesian analysis

[BAYES] **Glossary**

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