# Package: survivalVignettes (via r-universe)

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Survival Analysis Vignettes and Optional Datasets

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Survival with amyloidosis

#### **Description**

This pair of datasets is used in the external validation vignette. The amyloidmodel dataset contains survival curves from four studies, the amyloid data survival times and risk scores for 1005 subjects.

## Usage

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## Format

A data frame with 1005 observations on the following 8 variables.

age age in years
month survival time in months
status 0= censored, 1= death
number.organs number of involved organ systems
r2004 patient stage based on the 2004 model
r2012 patient stage based on the 2012 model
r2013 patient stage based on the 2013 model
r2015 patient stage based on the 2015 model
year diagnosis year

A data frame with 832 observations on the following 4 variables.

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study which study: 2004, 2012, 2013 or 2015 stage disease stage month months from study entry survival predicted survival

The model assement is found in Muchtar (2019), and used as an example in a package vignette. Patients with biopsy proven systemic light chain (AL) amyloidosis seen at the Mayo Clinic from 2003-01-01 to 31-08-2015 were screened for the study. The final study cohort includes all those without prior chemotherapy and with the necessary baseline data to assign patient stage, using each of the four systems.

The survival curves from the staging systems were (impefectly) digitized from the relevant papers. The 2013 publication is from a trial involving only stage 2 subjects and divided them as IIIa, IIIb and IIIc (stage 2-4 in our notation). The 2015 paper is also from a clinical trial and has 0/30 deaths in the stage 0 subjects. They label the stages as I, II, IIIa and IIIb where we have used 0-3 for consistency with the original 2004 system.

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A Dispenzieri 2004, doi:10.1200/JCO.2004.03.029 S Kumar 2012, doi:10.1200/JCO.2011.38.5724 A Wechalekar 2013, doi:10.1182/blood-2012-12-473066 M Palladini 2015, doi: 10.1182/blood-2015-01-620302

 $sfit <- survfit(Surv(months, status) \sim r2012, amyloid) \ plot(sfit, lty=1:4, col=1:4, lwd=2, log=TRUE, xlab="Months from diagnosis", ylab="Survival")$ 

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