

## **Network Modeling for Epidemics**

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#### **EpiModel**

Mathematical Modeling of Infectious Disease Dynamics

EpiModel is an R package that provides tools for simulating and analyzing mathematical models of infectious disease dynamics. Supported epidemic model classes include deterministic compartmental models, stochastic individual contact models, and stochastic network models. Disease types include SI, SIR, and SIS epidemics with and without demography, with utilities available for expansion to construct and simulate epidemic models of arbitrary complexity. The network model class is based on the statistical framework of temporal exponential random graph models (ERGMs) implementated in the Statnet suite of software for R.



#### Installation

The current software version is EpiModel v2.0.2, which may be downloaded from CRAN and installed in R through:

install.packages("EpiModel", dependencies = TRUE)

The development version of EpiModel is hosted on GitHub and may be installed via the remotes package by:

remotes::install\_github("statnet/EpiModel")

The software source code is available at the Github Repository. Users should submit bug reports and feature requests as issues there. The Releases page on the repository lists all the changes to the software over time.

#### **EpiModel 2.0 Update**

In July 2020, we relased EpiModel version 2.0. This major software package update incorporates a sumany elements of the EpiModel infrastructure and application programming interface (API). We anticipate minor backwards incompatibilities with any EpiModel code developed with versions 1.x. There is migration document available in the Tutorials page.

https://epimodel.org/

#### Citation

If using EpiModel for teaching or research, please include a citation of our software with:

Jenness SM, Goodreau SM and Morris M. EpiModel: An R Package for Mathematical Modeling of Infectious Disease over Networks. *Journal of Statistical Software*. 2018; 84(8): 1-47.

#### **Getting Started**

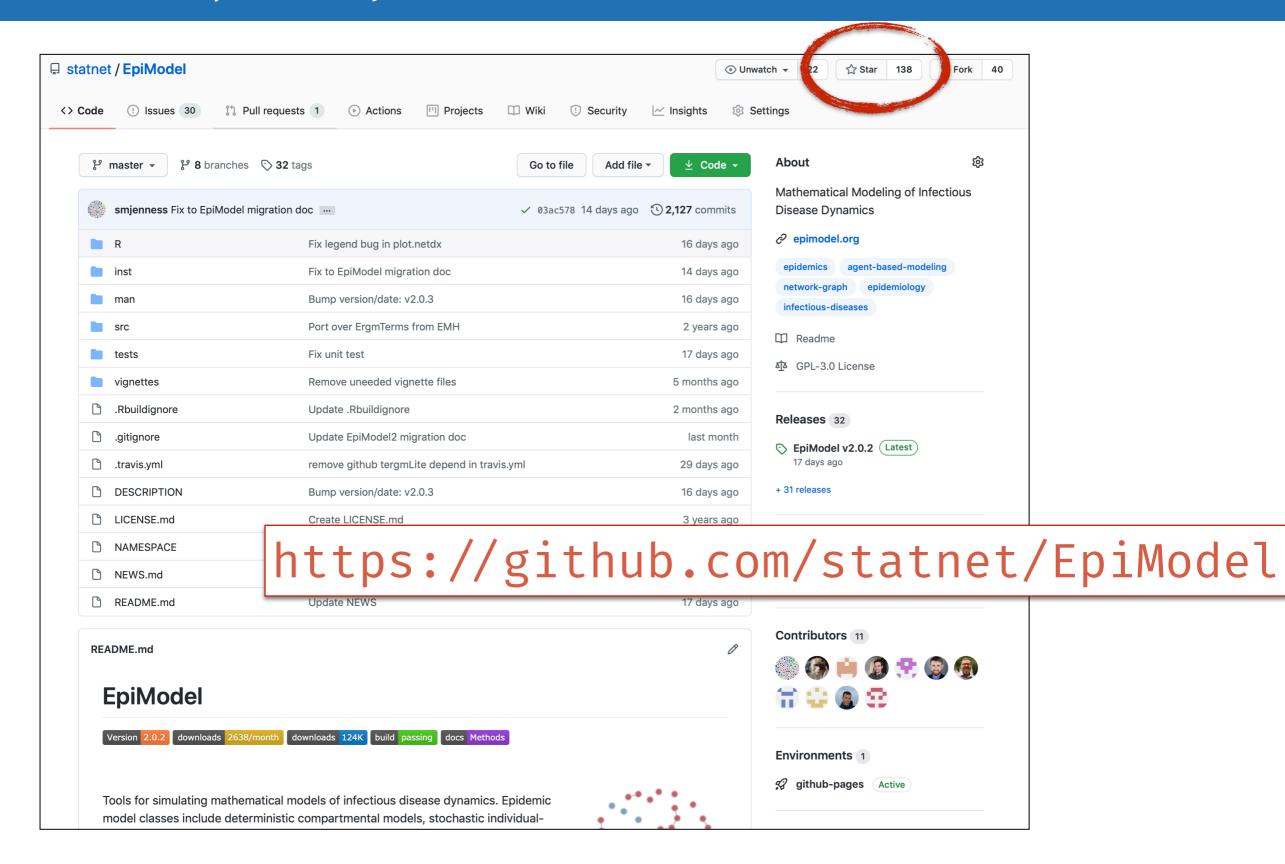
#### **Software Manual**

The EpiModel Software Manual provides a list of all the main functions within the package, with syntax and examples. This documentation is also available within the package by consulting the help files.

## Main EpiModel Website

- Tutorial, resources, links to Github repositories
- NME 2020 Resources:
  - We will keep Slack workspace open
  - Video recordings available for at least 90 days
  - All other NME materials available indefinitely (updated yearly)

# Github Repository

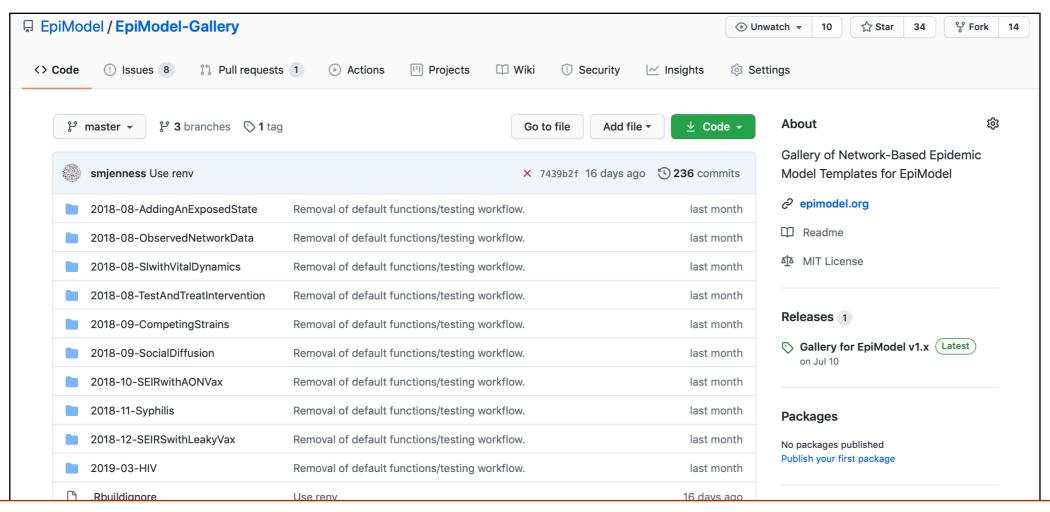


# Github Repository

#### Github Issues

- File an issue to ask targeted questions and/or file a bug report
- Github wiki
  - Up to date listing of current literature using EpiModel
- Github NEWS/Releases
  - Listing of how EpiModel has changed over time
  - New features added with every release

## EpiModel Gallery



# https://github.com/EpiModel/EpiModel-Gallery



#### We are here to help!

- A central mission of the EpiModel/Statnet platforms is to assist our users
  - Ask for help in a semi-public forum so others can learn from your questions
- Technical questions are facilitated by an MRE
  - Minimally reproducible example = something that is minimal enough to reproduce your error/question, but no more
- We request that you cite EpiModel if you use it
  - Jenness SM, Goodreau SM and Morris M. EpiModel: An R Package for Mathematical Modeling of Infectious Disease over Networks. Journal of Statistical Software. 2018; 84(8): 1-47.
  - Send us an email to let us know, so we can it to our bibliography
- Consider using an open-source, open-development model yourself

#### Final Considerations

## THANK YOU!

- Final thoughts from your instructors
- Remaining time is available for questions, project consultations, small group discussions...