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| calcDis | <i>Calculates d score.</i> |
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Description

Calculates d score.

Usage

```
calcDis(x)
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Arguments

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| x | A numeric vector or matrix. |
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Value

If input is a numeric vector, a number is returned. For a matrix, a numeric vector is returned.

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| dCombs | <i>Assesses within-group or between-group variation.</i> |
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Description

Assesses within-group or between-group variation.

Usage

```
dCombs(rdf, combs)
```

Arguments

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| rdf | Data.frame of reactivities for each sample. |
| combs | Data.frame with each column containing groupings of samples. |

Value

Nucleotide-wise d score.

dStruct

*Performs de novo discovery of differentially reactive regions.***Description**

Performs de novo discovery of differentially reactive regions.

Usage

```
dStruct(rdf, reps_A, reps_B, batches = F, min_length = 11,
        check_signal_strength = T, check_nucs = T, check_quality = T,
        quality = "auto", evidence = 0, signal_strength = 0.1,
        within_combs = NULL, between_combs = NULL, ind_regions = T, gap = 1,
        get_FDR = T, proximity_assisted = F, proximity = 10,
        proximity_defined_length = 30)
```

Arguments

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| rdf | Dataframe of reactivities for each sample. |
| reps_A | Number of replicates of group A. |
| reps_B | Number of replicates of group B. |
| batches | Logical suggesting if replicates of group A and B were performed in batches and are labelled accordingly. If TRUE, a heterogeneous/homogeneous subset may not have multiple samples from the same batch. |
| min_length | Minimum length of constructed regions. |
| check_signal_strength | Logical, if TRUE, construction of regions must be based on nucleotides that have a minimum absolute value of reactivity. |
| check_nucs | Logical, if TRUE, constructed regions must have a minimum number of nucleotides participating in Wilcoxon signed rank test. |
| check_quality | Logical, if TRUE, check constructed regions for quality. |
| quality | Worst allowed quality for a region to be tested. |
| evidence | Minimum evidence of increase in variation from within-group comparisons to between-group comparisons for a region to be tested. |
| signal_strength | Threshold for minimum signal strength. |
| within_combs | Data.frame with each column containing groupings of replicates of groups A or B, which will be used to assess within-group variation. |
| between_combs | Dataframe with each column containing groupings of replicates of groups A and B, which will be used to assess between-group variation. |
| ind_regions | Logical, if TRUE, test each region found in the transcript separately. |
| gap | Integer. Join regions if they are separated by these many nucleotides. |
| get_FDR | Logical, if FALSE, FDR is not reported. |
| proximity_assisted | Logical, if TRUE, proximally located regions are tested together. |

proximity Maximum distance between constructed regions for them to be considered proximal.

proximity_defined_length If performing a "proximity-assisted" test, minimum end-to-end length of a region to be tested.

Value

Constructs regions, reports p-values and FDR for them.

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| dStruct.guided | <i>Performs guided discovery of differentially reactive regions.</i> |
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Description

Performs guided discovery of differentially reactive regions.

Usage

```
dStruct.guided(rdf, reps_A, reps_B, batches = F, within_combs = NULL,
  between_combs = NULL, check_quality = TRUE, quality = "auto",
  evidence = 0)
```

Arguments

rdf Dataframe of reactivities for each sample. Each column must be labelled as A1, A2, ..., B1, B2, ...

reps_A Number of replicates of group A.

reps_B Number of replicates of group B.

batches Logical suggesting if replicates of group A and B were performed in batches and are labelled accordingly. If TRUE, a heterogeneous/homogeneous subset may not have multiple samples from the same batch.

within_combs Data.frame with each column containing groupings of replicates of groups A or B, which will be used to assess within-group variation.

between_combs Dataframe with each column containing groupings of replicates of groups A and B, which will be used to assess between-group variation.

check_quality Logical, if TRUE, check regions for quality.

quality Worst allowed quality for a region to be tested.

evidence Minimum evidence of increase in variation from within-group comparisons to between-group comparisons for a region to be tested.

Value

p-value for the tested region, estimated using one-sided Wilcoxon signed rank test.

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| dStructome | <i>Performs de novo discovery of differentially reactive regions for transcriptome-wide data.</i> |
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Description

Performs de novo discovery of differentially reactive regions for transcriptome-wide data.

Usage

```
dStructome(r1, reps_A, reps_B, batches = F, min_length = 11,
  check_signal_strength = T, check_nucs = T, check_quality = T,
  quality = "auto", evidence = 0, signal_strength = 0.1,
  within_combs = NULL, between_combs = NULL, ind_regions = T, gap = 1,
  processes = "auto", method = "denovo", proximity_assisted = F,
  proximity = 10, proximity_defined_length = 30)
```

Arguments

| | |
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| r1 | List of dataframes of reactivities for each sample. |
| reps_A | Number of replicates of group A. |
| reps_B | Number of replicates of group B. |
| batches | Logical suggesting if replicates of group A and B were performed in batches and are labelled accordingly. If TRUE, a heterogeneous/homogeneous subset may not have multiple samples from the same batch. |
| min_length | Minimum length of constructed regions. |
| check_signal_strength | Logical, if TRUE, construction of regions must be based on nucleotides that have a minimum absolute value of reactivity. |
| check_nucs | Logical, if TRUE, constructed regions must have a minimum number of nucleotides participating in Wilcoxon signed rank test. |
| check_quality | Logical, if TRUE, check constructed regions for quality. |
| quality | Worst allowed quality for a region to be tested. |
| evidence | Minimum evidence of increase in variation from within-group comparisons to between-group comparisons for a region to be tested. |
| signal_strength | Threshold for minimum signal strength. |
| within_combs | Data.frame with each column containing groupings of replicates of groups A or B, which will be used to assess within-group variation. |
| between_combs | Dataframe with each column containing groupings of replicates of groups A and B, which will be used to assess between-group variation. |
| ind_regions | Logical, if TRUE, test each region found in the transcript separately. |
| gap | Integer. Join regions if they are separated by these many nucleotides. |
| processes | Number of parallel processes to use. |
| method | Character specifying either guided or de novo discovery approach. |

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| proximity_assisted | Logical, if TRUE, proximally located regions are tested together. |
| proximity | Maximum distance between constructed regions for them to be considered proximal. |
| proximity_defined_length | If performing a "proximity-assisted" test, minimum end-to-end length of a region to be tested. |

Value

Constructs regions, reports p-values and FDR for them.

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| getCombs | <i>Identifies subgroupings of replicates for assessing within-group and between-group variation.</i> |
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Description

Identifies subgroupings of replicates for assessing within-group and between-group variation.

Usage

```
getCombs(reps_A, reps_B, batches = F, between_combs = NULL,
         within_combs = NULL)
```

Arguments

| | |
|---------------|--|
| reps_A | Number of replicates of group A. |
| reps_B | Number of replicates of group B. |
| batches | Logical suggesting if replicates of group A and B were performed in batches and are labelled accordingly. If TRUE, a heterogeneous/homogeneous subset may not have multiple samples from the same batch. |
| between_combs | Dataframe with each column containing groupings of replicates of groups A and B, which will be used to assess between-group variation. |
| within_combs | Data.frame with each column containing groupings of replicates of groups A or B, which will be used to assess within-group variation. |

Value

List of two dataframes, containing groupings for within-group and between-group variation.

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| getContigRegions | <i>Identifies contiguous regions from a list of nucleotide indices.</i> |
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Description

Identifies contiguous regions from a list of nucleotide indices.

Usage

```
getContigRegions(x, gap = 0)
```

Arguments

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| x | A vector of integers. |
| gap | Allowed gap to merge regions. |

Value

Dataframe storing start and stop sites of contiguous regions.

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| getRegions | <i>Constructs potential differentially reactive regions.</i> |
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Description

Constructs potential differentially reactive regions.

Usage

```
getRegions(d_within, d_spec, rdf, min_length = 11,
  check_signal_strength = T, check_nucs = T, check_quality = T,
  quality = 0.5, evidence = 0, signal_strength = 0.1)
```

Arguments

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| d_within | Nucleotide-wise d score for within-group variation. |
| d_spec | Nucleotide-wise d score for between-group variation. |
| rdf | Dataframe of reactivities for each sample. |
| min_length | Minimum length of constructed regions. |
| check_signal_strength | Logical, if TRUE, construction of regions must be based on nucleotides that have a minimum absolute value of reactivity. |
| check_nucs | Logical, if TRUE, constructed regions must have a minimum number of nucleotides participating in Wilcoxon signed rank test. |
| check_quality | Logical, if TRUE, check constructed regions for quality. |
| quality | Worst allowed quality for a region to be tested. |
| evidence | Minimum evidence of increase in variation from within-group comparisons to between-group comparisons for a region to be tested. |
| signal_strength | Threshold for minimum signal strength. |

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| normalizer | Returns normalizer for reactivity vector. |
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Description

Assesses normalization factor for raw reactivities using 2-8 % method.

Usage

```
normalizer(raw.estimates)
```

Arguments

raw.estimates A vector of raw reactivities.

Value

The normalization factor.

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| plot_dStructurome | Plots differentially reactive regions. |
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Description

Plots differentially reactive regions.

Usage

```
plot_dStructurome(r1, diff_regions, outfile, fdr = 0.05, ylim = c(-0.05, 3))
```

Arguments

| | |
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| r1 | List of dataframes of reactivities for each sample. |
| diff_regions | Dataframe of regions with significance of differentially reactivity. |
| outfile | The name for pdf file which will be saved. |
| fdr | FDR threshold for plotted regions. |
| ylim | Y-axis limits for plots. |

Value

Saves a PDF for all differentially reactive regions. Returns NULL.

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| two.eight.normalize | <i>Normalizes reactivity vector.</i> |
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Description

Normalizes raw reactivities using 2-8 % method.

Usage

```
two.eight.normalize(raw.estimates)
```

Arguments

raw.estimates A vector of raw reactivities.

Value

A vector of normalized reactivities.

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