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graph.diffuseP1	<i>Diffuse Probability P1 from a starting node.</i>
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Description

Recursively diffuse probability from a starting node based on the connectivity of the background knowledge graph, representing the likelihood that a variable will be most influenced by a perturbation in the starting node.

Usage

```
graph.diffuseP1(p1, startNode, G, visitedNodes, graphNumber = 1,
               verbose = FALSE)
```

Arguments

p1	- The probability being dispersed from the starting node, startNode.
startNode	- The first variable drawn in the adaptive permutation node sequence, from which p1 gets dispersed.
G	- The igraph object associated with the background knowledge graph.
visitedNodes	- The history of previous draws in the permutation sequence.
graphNumber	- If testing against multiple background knowledge graphs, this is the index associated with the adjacency matrix that codes for G. Default value is 1.
verbose	- If debugging or tracking a diffusion event, verbose=TRUE will activate print statements. Default is FALSE.

Examples

```
graph.diffuseP1(p1, startNode, G, visitedNodes, 1)
```

mle.getEncodingLength	<i>Minimum encoding length (MLE)</i>
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Description

This function calculates the minimum encoding length associated with a subset of variables given a background knowledge graph.

Usage

```
mle.getEncodingLength(bs, pvals, ptID)
```

Arguments

bs	- A list of bitstrings associated with a given patient's perturbed variables.
pvals	- The matrix that gives the perturbation strength significance for all variables (columns) for each patient (rows)
ptID	- The row name in data.pvals corresponding to the patient you specifically want encoding information for.

Examples

```
mle.getEncodingLength(optBS, data.pvals, ptID)
```

```
mle.getPatientSimilarity
```

Patient similarity using mutual information MLE metric of patients' most modular, perturbed subsets.

Description

This function calculates the universal distance between patients, using a mutual information metric, where self-information comes from the minimum encoding length of each patient's encoded modular perturbations in the background knowledge graph.

Usage

```
mle.getPatientSimilarity(p1.optBS, ptID, p2.optBS, ptID2, data, data.pvals)
```

Arguments

p1.optBS	- The optimal bitstring associated with patient 1.
ptID	- The identifier associated with patient 1's sample.
p2.optBS	- The optimal bitstring associated with patient 2.
data	- The matrix that gives the perturbation strength (z-scores) for all variables (columns) for each patient (rows).
ptID	- The identifier associated with patient 2's sample.
pvals	- The matrix that gives the perturbation strength significance (p-value) for all variables (columns) for each patient (rows).

```
mle.getPermMovie
```

Capture the movement of the adaptive walk of the diffusion probability method.

Description

Make a movie of the adaptive walk the diffusion probability method makes in search of a given patient's perturbed variables.

Usage

```
mle.getPermMovie(patient.sig.nodes, patient, ig, output_filepath,  
  movie = TRUE)
```

Arguments

- patient.sig.nodes - The subset of variables, S, in a background graph, G. These are the perturbed molecular phenotype variables in a given patient's profile.
- patient - The column number in data.pvals associated with the patient being examined.
- ig - The igraph object associated with the background knowledge graph.
- movie - If you want to make a movie, set to TRUE. This will produce a set of still images that you can stream together to make a movie. Default is TRUE. Alternatively (movie=FALSE), you could use this function to get the node labels returned for each permutation starting with a perturbed variable.

Examples

```
mle.getPermMovie(patient.sig.nodes, patient, ig)
```

mle.getPermN	<i>Generate the "adaptive walk" node permutations, starting from a given perturbed variable</i>
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Description

This function calculates the node permutation starting from a given perturbed variable in a subset of variables in the background knowledge graph.

Usage

```
mle.getPermN(n)
```

Arguments

- n - The index (out of a vector of metabolite names) of the permutation you want to calculate.

Examples

```
mle.getPermN(n)
```

mle.getPtBSbyK	<i>Generate patient-specific bitstrings from adaptive network walk.</i>
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Description

This function calculates the bitstrings (1 is a hit; 0 is a miss) associated with the adaptive network walk made by the diffusion algorithm trying to find the variables in the encoded subset, given the background knowledge graph.

Usage

```
mle.getPtBSbyK(data, ptID, perms, kmx)
```

Arguments

data	- The matrix that gives the perturbation strength (z-score) for all variables (columns) for each patient (rows).
ptID	- The rowname in pvals associated with the patient being processed.
perms	- The list of permutations calculated over all possible starting nodes, across all metabolites in data.
kmx	- The maximum size of variable sets for which you want to calculate probabilities.

Examples

```
mle.getPtBSbyK(data, ptID, permutationByStartNode, kmx)
```

plot.hmSim	<i>Generate heatmap plot of patient similarity matrix.</i>
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Description

This function plots a heatmap of a patient similarity matrix.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'hmSim'  
plot(simMat, path, diagnoses = NULL)
```

Arguments

simMat	- The patient similarity matrix.
path	- The filepath to a directory in which you want to store the .png file.
diagnoses	- A character vector of diagnostic labels associated with the rownames of simMat.

Examples

```
plot.hmSim(simMat, path)
```

plot.mdsSim	<i>View patient clusters using multi-dimensional scaling.</i>
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Description

This function plots the provided patient similarity matrix in a lower dimensional space using multi-dimensional scaling, which is well suited for similarity metrics.

Usage

```
## S3 method for class 'mdsSim'  
plot(simMat, diagnoses, k, diag)
```

Arguments

- simMat - The patient similarity matrix.
- diagnoses - A character vector of diagnostic labels associated with the rownames of simMat.
- k - The number of dimension you want to plot your data using multi-dimensional scaling.
- diag - The diagnosis associated with positive controls in your data.

Examples

```
plot.mdsSim(simMat, path)
```

```
stats.entropyFunction    Entropy of a bit-string
```

Description

The entropy of a bitstring (ex: 1010111000) is calculated.

Usage

```
stats.entropyFunction(bitString)
```

Arguments

- x - A vector of 0's and 1's.

Examples

```
stats.entropyFunction(c(1,0,0,0,1,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0))
> 0.6193822
stats.entropyFunction(c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,0,0,0,0,0,0,0))
> 1
stats.entropyFunction(c(1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1))
> 0
```

```
stats.fishersMethod    Fisher's Combined P-value
```

Description

Fisher's combined p-value, used to combine the results of individual statistical tests into an overall hypothesis.

Usage

```
stats.fishersMethod(x)
```

Arguments

`x` - A vector of floating point numbers.

Examples

```
stats.fishersMethod(c(0.2,0.1,0.3))  
> 0.1152162
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