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calc\_cutoffs\_from\_profiles  
*Calculate offsets from 5' end profiles*

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### Description

This function calculates cutoffs and frame resolution for Ribo-seq reads, for each read length and compartment.

### Usage

```
calc_cutoffs_from_profiles(reads_profile, length_max)
```

### Arguments

reads_profile	Profile of 5' ends around start and stop codon, as a DataFrame object with tx_ids as rows and positions as columns
length_max	Maximum cutoff to use

## Details

Three methods are used and combined in the final choice: the position of maximum coverage around start codon is calculated for each transcript, and the most frequent one is stored in the "\*\_tab" objects. Such frequency values are also subjected to k-means clustering (centers=3) and the first value belonging to the highest cluster is selected, output as "\*km\_tab" objects. Analysis of aggregate plots, instead of frequencies, is performed again using kmeans (centers=3) using the same analysis above and stored in the "\*km\_meta" objects, and by simply calculating the maximum value in the profile, stored in the "\*meta" objects. for each method, all reads ("absolute\_") or only in-frame positions ("in\_frame\_") are considered. The final choice takes the most frequent cutoff chosen in all methods applied to in-frame positions.

## Value

a list with a final\_cutoff object, the frame analysis containing the displaying the max frame and the average all the calculated cutoffs in cutoffs, data used for the frame analysis in frames, and profiles around start codons in profiles\_start.

## Author(s)

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## See Also

[RiboseQC\\_analysis](#)

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choose_readlengths	<i>Filter read lengths for P-sites position calculation</i>
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## Description

This function selects a subset of readlengths to be used in the P-sites calculation step

## Usage

```
choose_readlengths(summary_data, choice = "max_coverage", nt_signals)
```

## Arguments

summary_data	output data from the calc_cutoffs_from_profiles function
choice	Method used to select readlengths, defaults to "max_coverage"
nt_signals	Profiles of 5'ends around start codons

## Details

Three different methods are available to choose readlengths: the "max\_coverage" method selects all read lengths with more in-frame signal compared to out-of-frame signal, on all codons; the "max\_inframe" method starts with the most accurate read length and progressively selects read lengths which add in-frame signals in codons not covered by previous read lengths; the "all" method selects all available read lengths

**Value**

a list object containing different compartments. Each sub-list contains `final_choice`, the set of chosen read lengths with cutoffs, and `data`, the complete stats for each selection method

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**See Also**

[calc\\_cutoffs\\_from\\_profiles](#)

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create_html_report	<i>Create the Ribo-seQC analysis report in html</i>
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**Description**

This function creates the Ribo-seQC html report based on the Ribo-seQC analysis files generated with `RiboseQC_analysis`.

**Usage**

```
create_html_report(input_files, input_sample_names, output_file,
  extended = F)
```

**Arguments**

<code>input_files</code>	Character vector with full paths to data files generated with <code>RiboseQC_analysis</code> . Must be of same length as <code>input_sample_names</code> .
<code>input_sample_names</code>	Character vector containing input names (max. 5 characters per name). Must be of same length as <code>input_files</code> .
<code>output_file</code>	String; full path to html report file.
<code>extended</code>	creates a large html report including codon occupancy for each read length. Defaults to FALSE

**Details**

This function creates the html report visualizing the `RiboseQC` analysis data.

Input are two lists of the same length:

a) `input_files`: list of full paths to one or multiple input files (`Ribo-seQC` analysis files generated with `RiboseQC_analysis`) and

b) `input_sample_names`: list of corresponding names describing the file content in max. 5 characters (these are used as names in the report).

For the report, a RMarkdown file is rendered as html document, saved as `output_file`.

Additionally, all figures in the report are saved as PDF figures in an extra folder in the same directory as the report html file.

Example:

`output_file <- "\mydir\myreport.html"` will generate the html report `\mydir\myreport.html` and the folder `\mydir\myreport_plots\` for the RDS object files to be stored in.

### Value

The function saves the html report file with the file path `output_file` and a folder containing all figures shown in the html report as RDS object files (located in the same directory as the html report).

### Author(s)

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### See Also

`plot_read_biotype_dist_1`, `plot_read_biotype_dist_2`, `plot_read_length_dist`, `plot_read_length_dist_by_biotype`, `plot_read_biotype_dist_by_length`, `get_metagene_data`, `plot_metagene_hm_rmd`, `plot_metagene_hm`, `plot_metagene_bar_rmd`, `plot_metagene_bar`, `plot_frame_dist_boxplot_rmd`, `plot_frame_dist_boxplot`, `get_rl_and_cutoffs`, `get_default_rl_selection`, `get_top50_mapping`, `get_top50_cds_genes`, `get_top50_all_genes`, `get_codon_usage_data`, `plot_codon_usage_positional_rmd`, `plot_codon_usage_positional`, `plot_codon_usage_bulk_rmd`, `plot_codon_usage_bulk`

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`create_pdfs_from_rds_objects`

*Generate PDF files from RDS object files*

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### Description

This function generates figures as PDF files from RDS object files.

### Usage

```
create_pdfs_from_rds_objects(output_rds_path)
```

### Arguments

`output_rds_path`

String; full path to output folder for RDS object files. Example: `/my_path_to/rds/`

### Value

This function creates PDF files from RDS object files.

**Author(s)**

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**See Also**

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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generate_rdata_list	<i>Generate a list of R data objects</i>
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**Description**

This function generates a list of loaded RData files to be used during Ribo-seQC report generation.

**Usage**

```
generate_rdata_list(input_files)
```

**Arguments**

`input_files`      List of RData file paths generated by RiboseQC\_analysis.

Example:

```
input_files <- c(sample1="//path//to//sample1", sample2="//path//to//sample2")
```

**Value**

This function returns a list of loaded RData objects that were generated by RiboseQC\_analysis.

**Author(s)**

Dominique Sydow, <dominique.sydow@posteo.de>

**See Also**

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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get\_codon\_usage\_data    *Get codon usage data (positional and bulk)*


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## Description

This function processes codon usage data generated by RiboseQC\_analysis, i.e. codon usage

- per nucleotide position (i.e. positional codon usage) as well as
- summed up over all positions\* (i.e. bulk codon usage)

for a specific data type, originating compartment, and read length, as well as based on a user-defined genetic code.

This data is used as input in plot\_codon\_usage\_bulk to generate a bar plot, and in plot\_codon\_usage\_bulk\_rmd to iteratively generate plots for the Ribo-seQC report in section 7.2.

Please check plot\_codon\_usage for positional codon usage (instead of bulk codon usage).

\* Information on positions included in analysis:

Based on P-site corrected reads, the codon usage within CDS regions for protein coding genes is exemplary calculated

- for the first 11 codons of the CDS (referred to as *start*),
- for 11 codons from the middle of the CDS (referred to as *middle*), and
- for the last 11 codons of the CDS (referred to as *stop*).

## Usage

```
get_codon_usage_data(data, data_type, comp, rl)
```

## Arguments

data                    Object (list of lists) generated by RiboseQC\_analysis: res\_all.

data\_type             String; select one of the following:

- Codon\_counts: codon count in defined positions\*,
- P\_sites\_percodon: P-sites count in defined positions\*, or
- P\_sites\_percodon\_ratio: ratio of P-sites counts to codon counts in defined positions\*.
- E\_sites\_percodon: E-sites count in defined positions\*, or
- E\_sites\_percodon\_ratio: ratio of E-sites counts to codon counts in defined positions\*.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A_sites_percodon: A-sites count in defined positions*, or</li> <li>• A_sites_percodon_ratio: ratio of A-sites counts to codon counts in defined positions*.</li> </ul>
comp	String for originating compartment. Check for available originating compartments in the data set using: names(res_all\$profiles_P_sites\$Codon_count)
rl	String for read length. Check for available read lengths in the data set using: names(res_all\$profiles_P_sites[[data_type]][[comp]])

**Value**

This function returns a list (e.g. called codon\_usage\_bulk\_data) with information on bulk codon usage:

- codon\_usage\_bulk\_data\$data contains the data on bulk codon usage,
- codon\_usage\_bulk\_data\$data\_type saves the data type used (see parameter data\_type)
- codon\_usage\_bulk\_data\$comp saves the originating compartment used (see parameter comp), and
- codon\_usage\_bulk\_data\$rl saves the read length used (see parameter rl).

**Author(s)**

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**See Also**

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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get\_default\_rl\_selection

*Get default choice of read lengths*

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**Description**

This function returns selected read lengths per originating compartment. These read lengths build the basis for all P-site based calculations such as metagene and codon usage analyses (e.g. plot\_metagene\_hm and plot\_codon\_usage)

This data is used in the Ribo-seQC report in section 4.2.3 (displayed as table).

**Usage**

```
get_default_rl_selection(rdata_list)
```



**Arguments**

rdata\_list      List of RiboseQC analysis RData objects generated by generate\_rdata\_list.

**Value**

This function returns data.

**Author(s)**

Dominique Sydow, <dominique.sydow@posteo.de>

**See Also**

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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get_metagene_data	<i>Get 5'/P-site profile data for metagene analysis</i>
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**Description**

This function processes profile data generated by RiboseQC\_analysis.

This data is used as input in plot\_metagene\_hm to generate plot for the Ribo-seQC report in section 4.1/4.3.

**Usage**

```
get_metagene_data(data, profile_type, res, comp)
```

**Arguments**

res              Resolution (subcodon or bins)

**Subcodon resolution:**

five\_prime\_subcodon

(in order to call res\_all\$profiles\_fivepr\$five\_prime\_subcodon) or

P\_sites\_subcodon

(in order to call res\_all\$profiles\_P\_sites\$P\_sites\_subcodon)

Read coverage for the first 25nt after the transcription start site (TSS), 25nt before and 33nt after the start codon, 33nt from the middle of the CDS, 33nt before and 25nt after the stop codon, and the last 25nt before the transcription end site (TES).

**Bins:**

five\_prime\_bins

(in order to call res\_all\$profiles\_fivepr\$five\_prime\_bins) or

	P_sites_bins (in order to call <code>res_all\$profiles_P_sites\$P_sites_bins</code> )
	Read coverage for 50 bins between TSS and start codon, 100 bins for the CDS, and 50 after stop codon to TES.
comp	String for originating compartment
profiles	Check for available originating compartments in the data set using: <code>names(res_all\$profiles_fivepr\$)</code> 5' or P-site profile data generated by RiboseQC_analysis:  <code>res_all\$profiles_fivepr</code> or <code>res_all\$profiles_P_sites</code>  Consists of DataFrames each containing counts of 5' or P-site profiles, calculated for different resolution types (see parameter <code>res</code> ), originating compartments (see parameter <code>comp</code> ), and read lengths per input sample.  Example to access DataFrame: <code>res_all\$profiles_fivepr[[res]][[comp]][[read_length]]</code> or <code>res_all\$profiles_P_sites[[res]][[comp]][[read_length]]</code>

**Value**

This function returns data `profile_data` as `list(data_single, data_all, res)` with profile data

- for all read lengths individually (`profile_data[1]` is `data_single`) and
- for all read lengths summarized (`profile_data[[2]]` is `data_all`).

with different scaling: no scaling (`none`), log2 scaling (`log2`), and z scoring (`zscore`), accessible via e.g. `profile_data[[1]]$none` or `profile_data[[2]]$zscore`.

`profile_data[[3]]` saves the resolution type `res` for later use during plotting.

`profile_data[[4]]` stores information on whether data represents 5' or P site profiles (`profile_type`) for later use during plotting.

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**See Also**

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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get\_ps\_fromsplicemin    *Offset spliced reads on minus strand*

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**Description**

This function calculates P-sites positions for spliced reads on the minus strand

**Usage**

```
get_ps_fromsplicemin(x, cutoff)
```

**Arguments**

x	a GAlignments object with a cigar string
cutoff	number representing the offset value

**Value**

a GRanges object with offset reads

**Author(s)**

Lorenzo Calviello, <calviello.l.bio@gmail.com>

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get\_ps\_fromspliceplus    *Offset spliced reads on plus strand*

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**Description**

This function calculates P-sites positions for spliced reads on the plus strand

**Usage**

```
get_ps_fromspliceplus(x, cutoff)
```

**Arguments**

x	a GAlignments object with a cigar string
cutoff	number representing the offset value

**Value**

a GRanges object with offset reads

**Author(s)**

Lorenzo Calviello, <calviello.l.bio@gmail.com>

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get_rl_and_cutoffs	<i>Get selected read lengths and cutoffs</i>
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**Description**

This function retrieves data on selected read lengths (per originating compartment), e.g. their cutoff values, frame preference and codon gain.

This data is used in the Ribo-seQC report in section 4.2.2 (displayed as table).

**Usage**

```
get_rl_and_cutoffs(rdata_list)
```

**Arguments**

`rdata_list` List of RiboseQC analysis RData objects generated by `generate_rdata_list`.

**Value**

This function returns data.

**Author(s)**

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**See Also**

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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get_top50_all_genes	<i>Get top 50 abundant genes (all genes)</i>
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**Description**

This function retrieves data on the top 50 abundant genes.

This data is used in the Ribo-seQC report in section 6 (displayed as table).

**Usage**

```
get_top50_all_genes(rdata_list)
```

**Arguments**

`rdata_list` List of RiboseQC analysis RData objects generated by `generate_rdata_list`.

**Value**

This function returns data to be displayed as table in the html report.

**Author(s)**

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**See Also**

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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get_top50_cds_genes	<i>Get top 50 abundant genes (CDS regions for protein coding genes)</i>
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**Description**

This function retrieves data on the top 50 abundant CDS regions for protein coding genes.

This data is used in the Ribo-seQC report in section 6 (displayed as table).

**Usage**

```
get_top50_cds_genes(rdata_list)
```

**Arguments**

`rdata_list` List of RiboseQC analysis RData objects generated by `generate_rdata_list`.

**Value**

This function returns data to be displayed as table in the html report.

**Author(s)**

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**See Also**

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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get_top50_mapping	<i>Get top 50 mapping positions</i>
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### Description

This function retrieves data on the top 50 positions (nucleotide resolution) are listed where most reads (their 5' end) map to, revealing possibly contaminating sequences.

This data is used in the Ribo-seQC report in section 5 (displayed as table).

### Usage

```
get_top50_mapping(rdata_list)
```

### Arguments

`rdata_list` List of RiboseQC analysis RData objects generated by `generate_rdata_list`.

### Value

This function returns data to be displayed as table in the html report.

### Author(s)

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### See Also

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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load_annotation	<i>Load genomic features and genome sequence</i>
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### Description

This function loads the annotation created by the `prepare_annotation_files` function

### Usage

```
load_annotation(path)
```

### Arguments

`path` Full path to the \*Rannot R file in the annotation directory used in the `prepare_annotation_files` function

**Value**

introduces a GTF\_annotation object and a genome\_seq object in the parent environment

**Author(s)**

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**See Also**

[prepare\\_annotation\\_files](#)

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plot\_codon\_usage\_bulk *Plot bulk codon usage bar plots*

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**Description**

This function plots the codon usage summed up over all positions\* (bulk codon usage) as bar plot for a specific data type, originating compartment, and read length, as well as based on a user-defined genetic code.

\* Information on positions included in analysis:

Based on P-site corrected reads, the codon usage within CDS regions for protein coding genes is exemplary calculated

- for the first 11 codons of the CDS (referred to as *start*),
- for 11 codons from the middle of the CDS (referred to as *middle*), and
- for the last 11 codons of the CDS (referred to as *stop*).

**Usage**

```
plot_codon_usage_bulk(codon_usage_data, sample = "",
  output_rds_path = "")
```

**Arguments**

sample	String; sample name (selected from the input names given in the input_sample_names parameter of create_html_report).
output_rds_path	String; full path to output folder for RDS object files created by this function. Defaults to NOT save RDS; to save RDS, provide path to destination folder.
codon_usage_bulk_data	List containing codon usage bulk data and meta data, generated by get_codon_usage_data.

**Value**

This function returns a plot that can be integrated in the html report and that can be saved as RDS object file.

**Author(s)**

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**See Also**

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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plot\_codon\_usage\_bulk\_rmd

*Plot bulk codon usage bar plots within the RMarkdown document*

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**Description**

This function generates iteratively all bulk codon usage bar plots; iteration over originating compartments, read length, and data type (codon count, read count, codon-read count ratio).

These plots are displayed in the Ribo-seQC report in section 8.

**Usage**

```
plot_codon_usage_bulk_rmd(data, sample = "", output_rds_path = "")
```

**Arguments**

data	Object (list of lists) generated by RiboseQC_analysis: res_all.
sample	String; sample name (selected from the input names given in the input_sample_names parameter of create_html_report).
output_rds_path	String; full path to output folder for RDS object files created by this function. Defaults to NOT save RDS; to save RDS, provide path to destination folder.

**Value**

This function returns iteratively all bulk codon usage plots for the html report and saves the same plots as RDS object file.

**Author(s)**

Dominique Sydow, <dominique.sydow@posteo.de>

**See Also**

[create\\_html\\_report](#), [get\\_metagene\\_data](#), [plot\\_metagene\\_hm](#)



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`plot_codon_usage_positional`*Plot positional codon usage heatmap*

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### Description

This function plots the codon usage per nucleotide position\* (positional codon usage) as heatmap for a specific data type, originating compartment, read length, and scaling method, as well as based on a user-defined genetic code.

\* Information on positions included in analysis:

Based on P-site corrected reads, the codon usage within CDS regions for protein coding genes is exemplary calculated

- for the first 11 codons of the CDS (referred to as *start*),
- for 11 codons from the middle of the CDS (referred to as *middle*), and
- for the last 11 codons of the CDS (referred to as *stop*).

### Usage

```
plot_codon_usage_positional(codon_usage_data, scal, sample = "",  
  output_rds_path = "")
```

### Arguments

<code>sample</code>	String; sample name (selected from the input names given in the <code>input_sample_names</code> parameter of <code>create_html_report</code> ).
<code>output_rds_path</code>	String; full path to output folder for RDS object files created by this function. Defaults to NOT save RDS; to save RDS, provide path to destination folder.
<code>codon_usage_bulk_data</code>	List containing codon usage bulk data and meta data, generated by <code>get_codon_usage_data</code> .

### Value

This function returns a plot that can be integrated in the html report and that can be saved as RDS object file.

### Author(s)

Dominique Sydow, <dominique.sydow@posteo.de>

### See Also

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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`plot_codon_usage_positional_rmd`*Plot positional codon usage heatmaps within the RMarkdown document*

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## Description

This function generates iteratively all positional codon usage heatmaps; iteration over originating compartments, read length, data type (codon count, read count, codon-read count ratio), and scaling method (none, log2, zscale).

These plots are displayed in the Ribo-seQC report in section 7.

## Usage

```
plot_codon_usage_positional_rmd(data, sample = "",  
  output_rds_path = "")
```

## Arguments

<code>data</code>	Object (list of lists) generated by RiboseQC_analysis: <code>res_all</code> .
<code>sample</code>	String; sample name (selected from the input names given in the <code>input_sample_names</code> parameter of <code>create_html_report</code> ).
<code>output_rds_path</code>	String; full path to output folder for RDS object files created by this function. Defaults to NOT save RDS; to save RDS, provide path to destination folder.

## Value

This function returns iteratively all positional codon usage plots for the html report and saves the same plots as RDS object file.

## Author(s)

Dominique Sydow, <dominique.sydow@posteo.de>

## See Also

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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plot\_frame\_dist\_boxplot

*Plot frame coverage of 5'-site profiles*


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## Description

This function plots the frame coverage of 5'-site profiles, i.e. the fraction of reads (their 5' end) in frame 0, 1, and 2 (defined by start codon), as boxplots (per-frame distributions over all transcripts) for individual read lengths as well as for all read lengths summarized.

## Usage

```
plot_frame_dist_boxplot(analysis_frame_cutoff, comp, sample = "",
  output_rds_path = "")
```

## Arguments

analysis\_frame\_cutoff

Object containing statistics on frame coverage (per originating compartment and read length) generated by RiboseQC\_analysis.

Example:

```
res_all$selection_cutoffs$analysis_frame_cutoff
```

comp

String for originating compartment

sample

Check for available originating compartments in the data set using: `names(res_all$profiles_fivepr$)`  
String; sample name (selected from the input names given in the `input_sample_names` parameter of `create_html_report`).

output\_rds\_path

String; full path to output folder for RDS object files created by this function. Defaults to NOT save RDS; to save RDS, provide path to destination folder.

## Details

This plot is used in the Ribo-seQC report in section 4.2.1.

## Value

This function returns a plot that can be integrated in the html report and that can be saved as RDS object file.

## Author(s)

Dominique Sydow, <dominique.sydow@posteo.de>

## See Also

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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plot\_frame\_dist\_boxplot\_rmd

*Plot frame coverage of 5'-site profiles within the RMarkdown document*

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## Description

This function generates iteratively all frame coverage boxplots (iteration over originating compartments).

These plots are displayed in the Ribo-seQC report in section 4.2.1.

## Usage

```
plot_frame_dist_boxplot_rmd(analysis_frame_cutoff, sample = "",
  output_rds_path = "")
```

## Arguments

analysis\_frame\_cutoff

Object containing statistics on frame coverage (per originating compartment and read length) generated by RiboseQC\_analysis.

Example:

```
res_all$selection_cutoffs$analysis_frame_cutoff
```

sample

String; sample name (selected from the input names given in the input\_sample\_names parameter of create\_html\_report).

output\_rds\_path

String; full path to output folder for RDS object files created by this function. Defaults to NOT save RDS; to save RDS, provide path to destination folder.

## Value

This function integrates plots in the html report.

## Author(s)

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## See Also

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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plot_metagene_bar	<i>Plot 5'/P-site profile per read length as barplot</i>
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## Description

This function plots a 5' or P-site profile as barplot (for a specific originating compartment, resolution type, and read length).

This plot is used in the Ribo-seQC report in section 4.1/4.3.

## Usage

```
plot_metagene_bar(metagene_data, rl, sample = "", output_rds_path = "")
```

## Arguments

**sample** String; sample name (selected from the input names given in the input\_sample\_names parameter of create\_html\_report).

**output\_rds\_path** String; full path to output folder for RDS object files created by this function. Defaults to NOT save RDS; to save RDS, provide path to destination folder.

**data** Profile data for a resolution type, specific originating compartment, and read length.

Example:

**res\_all\$profiles\_fiveprime**\$five\_prime\_subcodon\$nucl\$'30'

or

**res\_all\$profiles\_P\_sites**\$five\_prime\_subcodon\$nucl\$'30'

Shown in bold are fixed list names, remaining list names should be adapted to the resolution type, specific originating compartment, and read length of interest.

## Value

This function returns a plot that can be integrated in the html report and that can be saved as RDS object file.

## Author(s)

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## See Also

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

---

plot\_metagene\_bar\_rmd *Plot 5'/P-site profile per read length as barplot in R Markdown*

---

### Description

This function plots a 5' or P-site profile as barplot (for a specific originating compartment, resolution type, and read length).

This plot is used in the Ribo-seQC report in section 4.1/4.3.

### Usage

```
plot_metagene_bar_rmd(metagene_data, sample = "", output_rds_path = "")
```

### Arguments

metagene\_data ...

sample String; sample name (selected from the input names given in the input\_sample\_names parameter of create\_html\_report).

output\_rds\_path String; full path to output folder for RDS object files created by this function. Defaults to NOT save RDS; to save RDS, provide path to destination folder.

### Value

...

### Author(s)

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### See Also

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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plot\_metagene\_hm *Plot 5'/P-site profiles (for all read lengths) as heatmap*

---

### Description

This function plots a 5' or P-site profiles for all read lengths as heatmap (for a specific originating compartment, resolution type, and scaling method).

This plot is used in the Ribo-seQC report in section 4.1/4.3.

**Usage**

```
plot_metagene_hm(metagene_data, scal, sample = "",
  output_rds_path = "")
```

**Arguments**

scal	Scaling method: no scaling (none), log2 scaling (log2), or z scoring (zscore).
sample	String; sample name (selected from the input names given in the input_sample_names parameter of create_html_report).
output_rds_path	String; full path to output folder for RDS object files created by this function. Defaults to NOT save RDS; to save RDS, provide path to destination folder.
data_profile	Profile data for a specific originating compartment and resolution type, generated using <a href="#">get_metagene_data</a> .

**Value**

This function returns a plot that can be integrated in the html report and #' that can be saved as RDS object file.

**Author(s)**

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**See Also**

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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plot\_metagene\_hm\_rmd    *Plot 5'/P-site profiles as heatmaps within the RMarkdown document*

---

**Description**

This function generates iteratively all heatmap plots (iteration over originating compartments, resolution types, and scaling methods).

These plots are displayed in the Ribo-seQC report in section 4.1/4.3.

**Usage**

```
plot_metagene_hm_rmd(data, profile_type, sample = "",
  output_rds_path = "")
```

**Arguments**

sample	String; sample name (selected from the input names given in the input_sample_names parameter of create_html_report).
output_rds_path	String; full path to output folder for RDS object files created by this function. Defaults to NOT save RDS; to save RDS, provide path to destination folder.
profiles	<p>5' or P-site profile data generated by RiboseQC_analysis:</p> <p>res_all\$profiles_fivepr or res_all\$profiles_P_sites</p> <p>Consists of DataFrames each containing counts of 5' or P-site profiles, calculated for different resolution types (see parameter res), originating compartments (see parameter comp), and read lengths per input sample.</p> <p>Example to access DataFrame: res_all\$profiles_fivepr[[res]][[comp]][[read_length]] or res_all\$profiles_P_sites[[res]][[comp]][[read_length]]</p>

**Value**

This function returns iteratively all 5' or P-site profile plots for the html report and saves the same plots as RDS object file.

**Author(s)**

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**See Also**

[create\\_html\\_report](#), [get\\_metagene\\_data](#), [plot\\_metagene\\_hm](#)

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plot\_read\_biotype\_dist\_1

*Plot read location distribution by biotype (and originating compartment)*

---

**Description**

This function plots the read location distribution by biotype (and originating compartment) for one input sample.

This plot is used in the Ribo-seQC report in section 1.1.

**Usage**

```
plot_read_biotype_dist_1(pos, sample, output_rds_path = "")
```



**Arguments**

pos	res_all\$read_stats\$positions generated by RiboseQC_analysis.
	data.frame containing the number of reads per biotype (rows) and originating compartment (columns).
sample	String; sample name (selected from the input names given in the input_sample_names parameter of create_html_report).
output_rds_path	String; full path to output folder for RDS object files created by this function. Defaults to NOT save RDS; to save RDS, provide path to destination folder.

**Value**

This function returns a plot that can be integrated in the html report and that can be saved as RDS object file.

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**See Also**

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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plot\_read\_biotype\_dist\_2

*Plot read location distribution by originating compartment (and biotype)*

---

**Description**

This function plots the read location distribution by originating compartment (and biotype) for all input samples.

This plot is used in the Ribo-seQC report in section 1.2.

**Usage**

```
plot_read_biotype_dist_2(rdata_list, output_rds_path = "")
```

**Arguments**

rdata_list	List of RiboseQC analysis RData objects generated by generate_rdata_list.
output_rds_path	String; full path to output folder for RDS object files created by this function. Defaults to NOT save RDS; to save RDS, provide path to destination folder.

**Value**

This function returns a plot that can be integrated in the html report and that can be saved as RDS object file.

**Author(s)**

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**See Also**

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

---

plot\_read\_biotype\_dist\_by\_length

*Plot read length and location distribution (distribution per read length)*

---

**Description**

This function plots the biotype distribution for each originating compartment as distribution per read length for one input sample (displayed as read count and as read count fraction).

This plot is used in the Ribo-seQC report in section 3.2.

**Usage**

```
plot_read_biotype_dist_by_length(reads_summary, sample,
                                output_rds_path = "")
```

**Arguments**

reads_summary	res_all\$read_stats\$reads_summary generated by RiboseQC_analysis
	List of DataFrames: one DataFrame for each originating compartment, each DataFrame contains read counts per biotype (rows) and read lengths (columns).
sample	String; sample name (selected from the input names given in the input_sample_names parameter of create_html_report).
output_rds_path	String; full path to output folder for RDS object files created by this function. Defaults to NOT save RDS; to save RDS, provide path to destination folder.

**Value**

This function returns a plot that can be integrated in the html report and that can be saved as RDS object file.

**Author(s)**

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**See Also**

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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plot\_read\_length\_dist *Plot read length distribution*

---

**Description**

This function plots the read length distribution per originating compartment for one input sample.

This plot is used in the Ribo-seQC report in section 2.

**Usage**

```
plot_read_length_dist(rld, sample, output_rds_path = "")
```

**Arguments**

rld	res_all\$read_stats\$rld generated by RiboseQC_analysis
	data.frame containing the number of reads per originating compartment (rows) and read lengths (columns).
sample	String; sample name (selected from the input names given in the input_sample_names parameter of create_html_report).
output_rds_path	String; full path to output folder for RDS object files created by this function. Defaults to NOT save RDS; to save RDS, provide path to destination folder.

**Value**

This function returns a plot that can be integrated in the html report and that can be saved as RDS object file.

**Author(s)**

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**See Also**

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

---

plot\_read\_length\_dist\_by\_biotype

*Plot read length and location distribution (distribution per biotype)*


---

## Description

This function plots the read length distribution for each originating compartment as distribution per biotype for one input sample (displayed as read count and as read count fraction).

This plot is used in the Ribo-seQC report in section 3.1.

## Usage

```
plot_read_length_dist_by_biotype(reads_summary, sample,
  output_rds_path = "")
```

## Arguments

reads_summary	res_all\$read_stats\$reads_summary generated by RiboseQC_analysis
	List of DataFrames: one DataFrame for each originating compartment, each DataFrame contains read counts per biotype (rows) and read lengths (columns).
sample	String; sample name (selected from the input names given in the input_sample_names parameter of create_html_report).
output_rds_path	String; full path to output folder for RDS object files created by this function. Defaults to NOT save RDS; to save RDS, provide path to destination folder.

## Value

This function returns a plot that can be integrated in the html report and that can be saved as RDS object file.

## Author(s)

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## See Also

[create\\_html\\_report](#)

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prepare\_annotation\_files

*Prepare comprehensive sets of annotated genomic features*


---

## Description

This function processes a gtf file and a twobit file (created using faToTwoBit from ucsc tools: <http://hgdownload.soe.ucsc.edu/admin/exe/> ) to create a comprehensive set of genomic regions of interest in genomic and transcriptomic space (e.g. introns, UTRs, start/stop codons). In addition, by linking genome sequence and annotation, it extracts additional info, such as gene and transcript biotypes, genetic codes for different organelles, or chromosomes and transcripts lengths.

## Usage

```
prepare_annotation_files(annotation_directory, twobit_file, gtf_file,
  scientific_name = "Homo.sapiens", annotation_name = "genc25",
  export_bed_tables_TxDb = T, forge_BSgenome = T, create_TxDb = T)
```

## Arguments

annotation_directory	The target directory which will contain the output files
twobit_file	Full path to the genome file in twobit format
gtf_file	Full path to the annotation file in GTF format
scientific_name	A name to give to the organism studied; must be two words separated by a ".", defaults to Homo.sapiens
annotation_name	A name to give to annotation used; defaults to genc25
export_bed_tables_TxDb	Export coordinates and info about different genomic regions in the annotation_directory? It defaults to TRUE
forge_BSgenome	Forge and install a BSgenome package? It defaults to TRUE
create_TxDb	Create a TxDb object and a *Rannot object? It defaults to TRUE

## Details

This function uses the makeTxDbFromGFF function to create a TxDb object and extract genomic regions and other info to a \*Rannot R file; the mapToTranscripts and mapFromTranscripts functions are used to map features to genomic or transcript-level coordinates. GTF file must contain "exon" and "CDS" lines, where each line contains "transcript\_id" and "gene\_id" values. Additional values such as "gene\_biotype" or "gene\_name" are also extracted. Regarding sequences, the twobit file, together with input scientific and annotation names, is used to forge and install a BSgenome package using the forgeBSgenomeDataPkg function.

The resulting GTF\_annotation object (obtained after running `load_annotation`) contains:

txs: annotated transcript boundaries.  
txs\_gene: GRangesList including transcript grouped by gene.  
seqinfo: indicating chromosomes and chromosome lengths.  
start\_stop\_codons: the set of annotated start and stop codon, with respective transcript and gene\_ids. representative\_mostcommon, representative\_boundaries and representative\_5len represent the most common start/stop codon, the most upstream/downstream start/stop codons and the start/stop codons residing on transcripts with the longest 5'UTRs  
cds\_txs: GRangesList including CDS grouped by transcript.  
introns\_txs: GRangesList including introns grouped by transcript.  
cds\_genes: GRangesList including CDS grouped by gene.  
exons\_txs: GRangesList including exons grouped by transcript.  
exons\_bins: the list of exonic bins with associated transcripts and genes.  
junctions: the list of annotated splice junctions, with associated transcripts and genes.  
genes: annotated genes coordinates.  
threeutrs: collapsed set of 3'UTR regions, with corresponding gene\_ids. This set does not overlap CDS region.  
fiveutrs: collapsed set of 5'UTR regions, with corresponding gene\_ids. This set does not overlap CDS region.  
ncIsof: collapsed set of exonic regions of protein\_coding genes, with corresponding gene\_ids. This set does not overlap CDS region.  
ncRNAs: collapsed set of exonic regions of non\_coding genes, with corresponding gene\_ids. This set does not overlap CDS region.  
introns: collapsed set of intronic regions, with corresponding gene\_ids. This set does not overlap exonic region.  
intergenicRegions: set of intergenic regions, defined as regions with no annotated genes on either strand.  
trann: DataFrame object including (when available) the mapping between gene\_id, gene\_name, gene\_biotypes, transcript\_id and transcript\_biotypes.  
cds\_txs\_coords: transcript-level coordinates of ORF boundaries, for each annotated coding transcript. Additional columns are the same as as for the start\_stop\_codons object.  
genetic\_codes: an object containing the list of genetic code ids used for each chromosome/organelle. see GENETIC\_CODE\_TABLE for more info.  
genome\_package: the name of the forged BSgenome package. Loaded with load\_annotation function.  
stop\_in\_gtf: stop codon, as defined in the annotation.

## Value

a TxDb file and a \*Rannot files are created in the specified annotation\_directory. In addition, a BSgenome object is forged, installed, and linked to the \*Rannot object

## Author(s)

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**See Also**

[load\\_annotation](#), [forgeBSgenomeDataPkg](#), [makeTxDbFromGFF](#).

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RiboseQC_analysis	<i>Perform a Ribo-seQC analysis</i>
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**Description**

This function loads annotation created by the `prepare_annotation_files` function, and analyzes a BAM file.

**Usage**

```
RiboseQC_analysis(annotation_file, bam_files, read_subset = T,
  readlength_choice_method = "max_coverage", chunk_size = 5000000L,
  write_tmp_files = T, dest_names = NA, rescue_all_rls = FALSE,
  fast_mode = T, create_report = T, sample_names = NA,
  report_file = NA, extended_report = F, pdf_plots = T,
  stranded = T, normalize_cov = T)
```

**Arguments**

<code>annotation_file</code>	Full path to the annotation file (*Rannot). Or, a vector with paths to one annotation file per bam file.
<code>bam_files</code>	character vector containing the full path to the bam files
<code>read_subset</code>	Select readlengths up to 99 percent of the reads, defaults to TRUE. Must be of length 1 or same length as <code>bam_files</code> .
<code>readlength_choice_method</code>	Method used to subset relevant read lengths (see <code>choose_readlengths</code> function); defaults to "max_coverage". Must be of length 1 or same length as <code>bam_files</code> .
<code>chunk_size</code>	the number of alignments to read at each iteration, defaults to 5000000, increase when more RAM is available. Must be between 10000 and 100000000
<code>write_tmp_files</code>	Should output all the results (in <code>*results_RiboseQC_all</code> )? Defaults to TRUE. Must be of length 1 or same length as <code>bam_files</code> .
<code>dest_names</code>	character vector containing the prefixes to use for the result output files. Defaults to same as <code>bam_files</code>
<code>rescue_all_rls</code>	Set cutoff of 12 for read lengths ignored because of insufficient coverage. Defaults to FALSE. Must be of length 1 or same length as <code>bam_files</code> .
<code>fast_mode</code>	Use only top 500 genes to build profiles? Defaults to TRUE. Must be of length 1 or same length as <code>bam_files</code> .
<code>create_report</code>	Create an html report showing the RiboseQC analysis results. Defaults to TRUE

<code>sample_names</code>	character vector containing the names for each sample analyzed (for the html report). Defaults to "sample1", "sample2" ...
<code>report_file</code>	desired filename for the html report file. Defaults to the first entry of <code>bam_files</code> followed by ".html"
<code>extended_report</code>	creates a large html report including codon occupancy for each read length. Defaults to FALSE
<code>pdf_plots</code>	creates a pdf file for each produced plot. Defaults to TRUE
<code>stranded</code>	are the analyzed libraries strand-specific? TRUE, FALSE or "inverse". Defaults to TRUE
<code>normalize_cov</code>	export normalized (sum to 1 million) bigwigs for coverage tracks? Defaults to TRUE

## Details

This function loads different genomic regions created in the `prepare_annotation_files` step, separating features on different recognized organelles. The bam files is then analyzed in chunks to minimize RAM usage.

The complete list of analysis and output is as follows:

`read_stats`: contains:

`read_length_distribution` (rld) per organelle, `positions` contains mapping statistics on different genomic regions, `reads_pos1` contains 5' end mapping positions for each read, separated by read length. `counts_cds_genes`: contains read mapping statistics on CDS regions of protein coding genes, including gene symbols, counts, RPKM and TPM values `counts_all_genes`: is a similar object, but contains statistics on all annotated genes. `reads_summary`: reports mapping statistics on different genomic regions and divided by read length and organelle.

`profiles_fivepr` contains:

`five_prime_bins`: a `DataFrame` object (one for each read length and compartment) with signal values over 50 5'UTR bins, 100 CDS bins and 50 3'UTR bins; one representative transcript (representative\_mostcommon) is selected for each gene. `five_prime_subcodon` contains a similar structure, but for 25nt downstream the Transcription Start Site (TSS), 25nt upstream start codons, 33nt downstream the start codon, 33nt in the middle of the ORF, 33nt upstream the stop codon, 25nt downstream the stop codon, and 25nt upstream the Transcription End Site (TES).

`selection_cutoffs` contains:

`results_choice`: containing the calculated cutoffs and selected readlengths, together with data about the different methods. `results_cutoffs` has statistics about calculated cutoffs, while `analysis_frame_cutoff` has extensive statistics concerning cutoff calculations and read length selection, see `calc_cutoffs_from_profiles` for more details.

`P_sites_stats`: contains the list of calculated P\_sites, from all reads (`P_sites_all`), uniquely mapping reads (`P_sites_all_uniq`), or uniquely mapping reads with mismatches (`P_sites_uniq_mm`). `junctions` contains stastics on read mapping on annotated splice junctions. coverage for entire reads (no 5'ends or P\_sites-transformed) on different strands and for all and uniquely mapping reads are also calculated.



profiles\_P\_sites contains:

P\_sites\_bins: profiles for each organelle and read length around binned transcript locations.

P\_sites\_subcodon: profiles for each organelle and read length around transcript start/ends and ORF start/ends.

Codon\_counts: codon occurrences in the first 11 codons, middle 11 codons, and last 11 codons for each ORF.

P\_sites\_percodon: P\_sites counts on each codon, separated by ORF positions as described above. Values are separated by organelle and read length.

P\_sites\_percodon\_ratio: ratio of P\_sites\_percodon/Codon\_counts, as a measure of P\_site occupancy on each codon, divided again by organelle and read length, for different ORF positions.

sequence\_analysis: contains a DataFrame object with the 50top mapping location in the genome, with the corresponding DNA sequence, number of reads mapping (also in percentage of total n of reads), and genomic feature annotation.

summary\_P\_sites: contains a DataFrame object summarizing the P\_sites calculation and read length selection, including statistics on percentage of total reads used.

### Value

the function saves a "results\_RiboseQC\_all" R file appended to the bam\_files path including the complete list of outputs described here. In addition, bigwig files for coverage value and P\_sites position is appended to the bam\_files path, including also a summary of P\_sites selection statistics, a smaller "results\_RiboseQC" R file used for creating a dynamic html report, and a "for\_SaTAnn" R object that can be used in the SaTAnn pipeline.

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### See Also

[prepare\\_annotation\\_files](#), [calc\\_cutoffs\\_from\\_profiles](#), [choose\\_readlengths](#), [create\\_html\\_report](#).

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