archivist: Managing Data Analysis Results

https://github.com/pbiecek/archivist

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Figure : wp.pl

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- large-scale online learning
- personalized news article recommendation
- e-mail targeting
- text mining
- web user behavior identification

Main features

- allows to **store** and **archive** objects in repositories (stored on a local disk or via GitHub/Dropbox)
- provides handy tools facilitating objects' **search** and **recovery**
- ideally performs as **cache**
- supports the philosophy of **reproducible research**

Solves reproducible research problems

- sometimes raw data are large or with limited access
- computations take a lot of time or require specialized hardware
- reproducibility requires specific versions of packages

archivist: Cache Use Case

```
getMaxDistribution <- function(D = rnorm, N = 10,
                               R = 1000000) {
  res <- replicate(R, max(D(N)))
  summary(res)
}

# or get directly from GitHub
library(archivist)
loadFromGithubRepo(md5hash="c", user="MarcinKosinski",
                   repo="Museum")
```

archivist: Cache Use Case

Using the archivist one can prepare a repository which stores calls and results of the cache() function to avoid their re-call in the future.

```
cacheRepo <- tempdir()
createEmptyRepo(cacheRepo)

system.time(cache(cacheRepo, getMaxDistribution,
                                rnorm, 10) )
   user  system elapsed
  5.230   0.090   5.315
system.time(cache(cacheRepo, getMaxDistribution,
                                rnorm, 10) )
   user  system elapsed
  0.009   0.000   0.008
```

archivist: Retrieving an Object Use Case

Fragment of a poster

This can be reproduced in R with

```
library(RTCGA.mutations);library(RTCGA.rnaseq)
mutationsBox(c('BRCA','HNSC','LUSC','PRAD'),'TP53','ETF1')
```

load to R with archivist::aread('MarcinKosinski/ISOBM/3b')

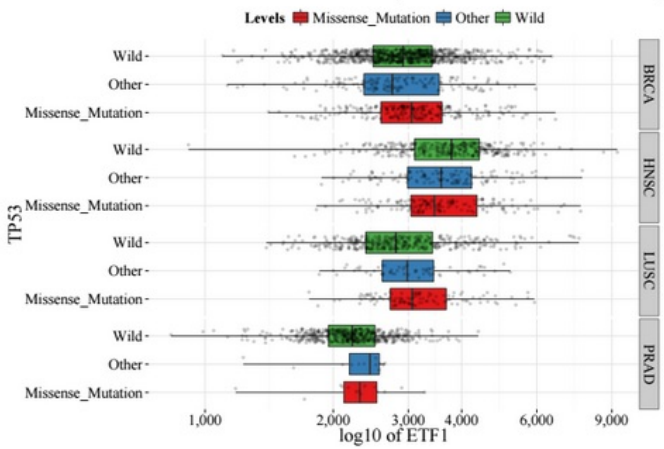


Figure : ggplot object

Using archivist to retrieve an object

```
aread('MarcinKosinski/ISOBM/3b')
      -> mutationsPlot
plot(mutationsPlot)
```

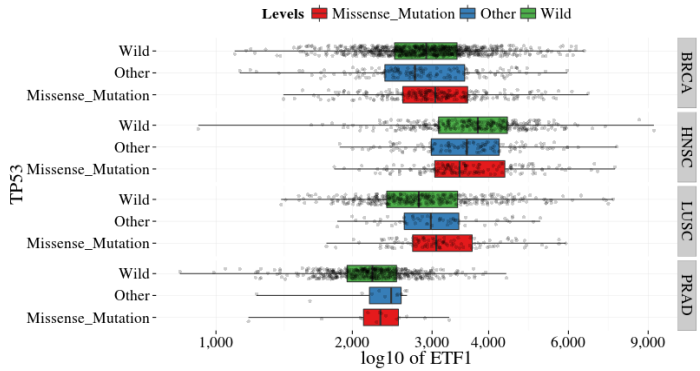


Figure : downloaded object

archivist: Object's Pedigree Use Case

```
createEmptyRepo("FORUM_BI", default = TRUE)
invisible(aoptions("silent", TRUE))

data(iris)
iris %a%
  dplyr::filter(Sepal.Length < 16) %a%
  lm(Petal.Length~Species, data=.) %a%
  summary() -> obj

ahistory(obj)

    iris                                          [ff575c261c949d073b2895b05d1097c3]
-> dplyr::filter(Sepal.Length < 16)               [9f7045b7322cdf3a9071377c6fe9c175]
-> lm(Petal.Length ~ Species, data = .)           [0a82efeb8250a47718cea9d7f64e5ae7]
-> summary()                                      [671a0b89fccdf02087acb002374a0fcd]
```

archivist: Objects' Exploration Within a Repository

```
models <- asearch("pbiecek/graphGallery",
 patterns = c("class:lm", "coefname:Sepal.Length"))
lapply(models, coef)
```

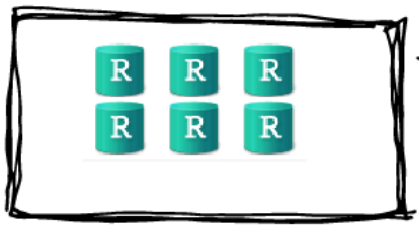
```
[[1]]
 (Intercept) Sepal.Length
   -7.101443     1.858433

[[2]]
      (Intercept)      Sepal.Length Speciesversicolor  Speciesvirginica
       -1.7023422         0.6321099         2.2101378         3.0900021
```

archivist: How does it work?

createEmptyRepo(repoDir)
summaryLocalRepo(repoDir)
summaryGithubRepo(repo, user)
deleteRepo(repoDir)

saveToRepo(artifact, repoDir) →



→ loadFromLocalRepo(md5hash, repoDir)
loadFromGithubRepo(md5hash, repo, user)

→ searchInLocalRepo(pattern, repoDir)
searchInGithubRepo(pattern, repo, user)

Each repository contains a database with objects metadata.
Objects are stored as binary files.
Each object has a unique key - md5 hash.
Metadata, like object class, name, creation date, relations with other objects are useful when searching for an object in a repository.

```
library("archivist")
```

archivist: Plans & Prototypes

Automated repository creation on github, commit, push and a return of a hook to an object.

```
archive(iris, "MarcinKosinski",
 "archivist-Museum-RforeveR_last3",
        USER_EMAIL, USER_PASSWORD, app_key, app_secret,
            github_token) -> aread_input
# function returns a hook
archivist::aread("MarcinKosinski/archivist-Museum-
    RforeveR_last3/ff575c261c949d073b2895b05d1097c3")
archivist::aread(aread_input) -> x
digest::digest(x)

[1] "ff575c261c949d073b2895b05d1097c3"

identical(iris,x)

[1] TRUE
```

archivist: Learn More

http://pbiecek.github.io/archivist/