

Statistical analysis of proteomics experiments with R and MSstats (v3.0.9)

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Prerequisites

Set the working directory to where you saved files. Note that you should a different path on your computer from the example.

```
setwd('/Users/Meena/Dropbox/MSstats_GitHub_document')
```

You can check your working directory by:

```
getwd()
```

```
## [1] "/Users/Meena/Dropbox/MSstats_GitHub_document"
```

If you didn't have MSstats installed so far, you can downlaod the package from the [MSstats installation page](#) to your working directory and install it as follows:

```
install.packages(pkgs = 'MSstats_3.0.9.tar.gz', repos = NULL, type = 'source')
```

Load MSstats into the R session and verify that you have the correct version (3.0.9) loaded.

```
library('MSstats', warn.conflicts = F, quietly = T, verbose = F)
?MSstats
```

DDA analysis with MSstats

Controlled mixture DDA data will be used for demonstration. This dataset is available in [MSstats material github](#) in the folder named 'example dataset/DDA_controlledMixture2009'. It is processed by Superhirn. [original reference link](#)

1. Preparing the data for MSstats input

Let's start by reading in data.

```
DDA2009.superhirn <- read.csv("RawData.DDA.csv")
head(DDA2009.superhirn)
```

##	ProteinName	PeptideSequence	PrecursorCharge	FragmentIon	ProductCharge
## 1	bovine	S.PVDIDTK_5	NA	5	NA
## 2	bovine	S.PVDIDTK_5	NA	5	NA
## 3	bovine	S.PVDIDTK_5	NA	5	NA
## 4	bovine	S.PVDIDTK_5	NA	5	NA
## 5	bovine	S.PVDIDTK_5	NA	5	NA
## 6	bovine	S.PVDIDTK_5	NA	5	NA

##	IsotopeLabelType	Condition	BioReplicate	Run	Intensity
## 1	L	C1	1	1	2636792
## 2	L	C1	1	2	1992418
## 3	L	C1	1	3	1982146
## 4	L	C2	1	4	5019594
## 5	L	C2	1	5	4560468
## 6	L	C2	1	6	3627849

2. Processing the data

2.1 Normalizing and summarizing data with dataProcess

?dataProcess

2.1.1 Default normalization and summarization options (! Always pay attention to the default options)

The default option for normalization is `equalizeMedians`, where all the intensities in a run are shifted by a constant, to equalize the median of intensities across runs for label-free experiment. This normalization works when the assumption that the majority of proteins do not change across runs is held. Therefore if your label-free DDA dataset has a small number of proteins, please be careful to use the `equalizeMedians` option. Instead, if you have a spiked in standard then you want to set this to `globalStandards` and define the standard with `nameStandards`. For label based experiment, `equalizeMedians` equalizes the median of reference intensities across runs for label based experiment. Therefore, it works for dataset with a small number of proteins.

Usually label-free DDA datasets have many missing values and noisy features with outliers. MSstats supports several ways to deal with this. The default option for summarization is TMP (Tukey's median polish, robust parameter estimation method with median across rows and columns) after imputation by AFT (accelerated failure time model, `MBimpute=TRUE`) based on censored intensity for NA (`censoredInt="NA"`) with a cutoff as the minimum value for a feature and a run (`cutoffCensored="minFeatureNRun"`). Here the NA values represent censored measurements, which are below the cutoff and not detected. This process handles missing values through imputation and reduces the influence of the outliers using the TMP estimation. However, those runs with no measurements at all will be removed and not be used for any calculation.

```
# default option
DDA2009.TMP <- dataProcess(raw = DDA2009.superhirn, fillIncompleteRows = TRUE,
                           normalization = 'equalizeMedians',
                           summaryMethod = 'TMP',
                           censoredInt = "NA", cutoffCensored="minFeatureNRun",
                           MBimpute = TRUE)
```

```
## * Use all features that the dataset originally has.
```

```
##
```

```
## Summary of Features :
```

```

##                               count
## # of Protein                  6
## # of Peptides/Protein        11-32
## # of Transitions/Peptide      1-1
##
## Summary of Samples :
##                               C1 C2 C3 C4 C5 C6
## # of MS runs                  3  3  3  3  3  3
## # of Biological Replicates    1  1  1  1  1  1
## # of Technical Replicates     3  3  3  3  3  3

##
## Summary of Missingness :
##
## # transitions are completely missing in one condition: 90
##
##   -> D.GPLTGTyr_23_NA_23_NA, F.HFWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR_402_NA_402_NA, G.PLTGTyr_8_NA_8_NA, H.SFNVEYDDSQ
##
## # run with 75% missing observations: 0
##
##
## == Start the summarization per subplot...
## Getting the summarization by Tukey's median polish per subplot for protein bovine ( 1 of 6 )
## Getting the summarization by Tukey's median polish per subplot for protein chicken ( 2 of 6 )
## Getting the summarization by Tukey's median polish per subplot for protein cyc_horse ( 3 of 6 )
## Getting the summarization by Tukey's median polish per subplot for protein myg_horse ( 4 of 6 )
## Getting the summarization by Tukey's median polish per subplot for protein rabbit ( 5 of 6 )
## Getting the summarization by Tukey's median polish per subplot for protein yeast ( 6 of 6 )
##
## == the summarization per subplot is done.

```

If MBimpute=FALSE, imputation will not be performed and censored intensities (here NAs) will be just replaced with cutoff value assigned in cutoffCensored="minFeatureNRun". With this option, those runs with substantial missing measurements will be biased by the cutoff value. In such case, you can remove the runs that have more than 50% missing values from your analysis with remove50missing=TRUE.

```
names(DDA2009.TMP)
```

```

## [1] "ProcessedData"      "RunlevelData"       "SummaryMethod"
## [4] "ModelQC"            "PredictBySurvival"

```

```

# the data after reformatting and normalization
head(DDA2009.TMP$ProcessedData)

```

```

##      PROTEIN                PEPTIDE TRANSITION
## 55    bovine          D.GPLTGTyr_23_NA      23_NA
## 937   bovine F.HFWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR_402_NA    402_NA
## 1628  bovine F.HWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR_229_NA     229_NA
## 19    bovine          G.PLTGTyr_8_NA        8_NA
## 1081  bovine      H.SFNVEYDDSQDK_465_NA    465_NA
## 469   bovine      K.AVVQDPALKPL_156_NA    156_NA
##
##                               FEATURE LABEL GROUP_ORIGINAL

```

```
## 55          D.GPLTGTyr_23_NA_23_NA      L      C1
## 937 F.HFWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR_402_NA_402_NA    L      C1
## 1628 F.HWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR_229_NA_229_NA    L      C1
## 19          G.PLTGTyr_8_NA_8_NA         L      C1
## 1081        H.SFNVEYDDSQDK_465_NA_465_NA  L      C1
## 469        K.AVVQDPALKPL_156_NA_156_NA    L      C1
##      SUBJECT_ORIGINAL RUN GROUP SUBJECT SUBJECT_NESTED INTENSITY ABUNDANCE
## 55          1 1 1 1 1.1 757400.1 19.79517
## 937          1 1 1 1 1.1 2087125.8 21.25756
## 1628         1 1 1 1 1.1 1485145.8 20.76665
## 19          1 1 1 1 1.1 4986404.0 22.51404
## 1081         1 1 1 1 1.1 2488141.2 21.51111
## 469          1 1 1 1 1.1 7519322.0 23.10664
##      METHOD
## 55          1
## 937          1
## 1628         1
## 19          1
## 1081         1
## 469          1
```

```
# run-level summarized data
head(DDA2009.TMP$RunlevelData)
```

```
## RUN Protein LogIntensities more50missing GROUP GROUP_ORIGINAL
## 1 1 bovine 21.25800 FALSE 1 C1
## 2 1 myg_horse 22.77386 FALSE 1 C1
## 3 1 rabbit 12.54786 TRUE 1 C1
## 4 1 yeast 16.44018 TRUE 1 C1
## 5 1 chicken 18.29509 FALSE 1 C1
## 6 1 cyc_horse 19.49460 FALSE 1 C1
## SUBJECT_ORIGINAL SUBJECT_NESTED SUBJECT
## 1 1 1.1 1
## 2 1 1.1 1
## 3 1 1.1 1
## 4 1 1.1 1
## 5 1 1.1 1
## 6 1 1.1 1
```

```
# Since this is not model-based, no model summary (here DDAskyline.quant$ModelQC=NULL).
# Only with 'summaryMethod="linear"'
head(DDA2009.TMP$ModelQC)
```

```
## NULL
```

```
# here 'TMP'
head(DDA2009.TMP$SummaryMethod)
```

```
## [1] "TMP"
```

```
# predict values by AFT with 'MBimpute=TRUE'.
# These values are matching with rownames of DDA2009.TMP$ProcessedData
head(DDA2009.TMP$PredictBySurvival)
```

```
##          55          937          1628          19          1081          469
## 19.63438 22.40369 21.67132 23.52286 21.55629 23.11901
```

If censoredInt=NULL, we assume that all intensities are randomly missing and there is no action for missing values.

```
# no action for missing values.
DDA2009.TMP.random <- dataProcess(raw = DDA2009.superhirn, fillIncompleteRows = TRUE,

                                   normalization = 'equalizeMedians',
                                   summaryMethod = 'TMP',
                                   censoredInt=NULL)
```

```
## * Use all features that the dataset origianally has.
```

```
##
```

```
## Summary of Features :
```

```
##          count
## # of Protein          6
## # of Peptides/Protein 11-32
## # of Transitions/Peptide 1-1
```

```
##
```

```
## Summary of Samples :
```

```
##          C1 C2 C3 C4 C5 C6
## # of MS runs          3 3 3 3 3 3
## # of Biological Replicates 1 1 1 1 1 1
## # of Technical Replicates 3 3 3 3 3 3
```

```
##
```

```
## Summary of Missingness :
```

```
##
```

```
## # transitions are completely missing in one condition: 90
```

```
##
```

```
## -> D.GPLTGTyr_23_NA_23_NA, F.HFHWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR_402_NA_402_NA, G.PLTGTyr_8_NA_8_NA, H.SFNVEYDDSQ
```

```
##
```

```
## # run with 75% missing observations: 0
```

```
##
```

```
##
```

```
## == Start the summarization per subplot...
```

```
## Getting the summarization by Tukey's median polish per subplot for protein bovine ( 1 of 6 )
```

```
## Getting the summarization by Tukey's median polish per subplot for protein chicken ( 2 of 6 )
```

```
## Getting the summarization by Tukey's median polish per subplot for protein cyc_horse ( 3 of 6 )
```

```
## Getting the summarization by Tukey's median polish per subplot for protein myg_horse ( 4 of 6 )
```

```
## Getting the summarization by Tukey's median polish per subplot for protein rabbit ( 5 of 6 )
```

```
## Getting the summarization by Tukey's median polish per subplot for protein yeast ( 6 of 6 )
```

```
##
```

```
## == the summarization per subplot is done.
```

2.1.2 Different summarization options Besides summarizing observations with the median polish method, MSstats also offers a summarization option using linear model, and one based on the sum of log-intensities, which is the default Skyline behaviour. Summarization using the option `summaryMethod="linear"` with `censoredInt=NULL` assumes that all NAs are randomly missing and uses `lm` or `lmer` for parameter estimation. On the other hand, `summaryMethod="linear"` with `censoredInt="NA"` assumes that NA intensities are censored, not detected because intensities are below the cutoff. AFT model is then applied with left-censored for parameter estimation. 'cutoffCensored' is the same as `summaryMethod="TMP"`. For `summaryMethod="linear"`, AFT model is only used for parameter estimation, not for imputation. Therefore `MBimpute=TRUE` with `summaryMethod="linear"` doesn't work (no imputation before parameter estimation, the same with `MBimpute=FALSE`).

```
# linear mixed model (lm or lmer) with run and feature
DDA2009.linear <- dataProcess(raw = DDA2009.superhirn,
                             summaryMethod = "linear", censoredInt = NULL)

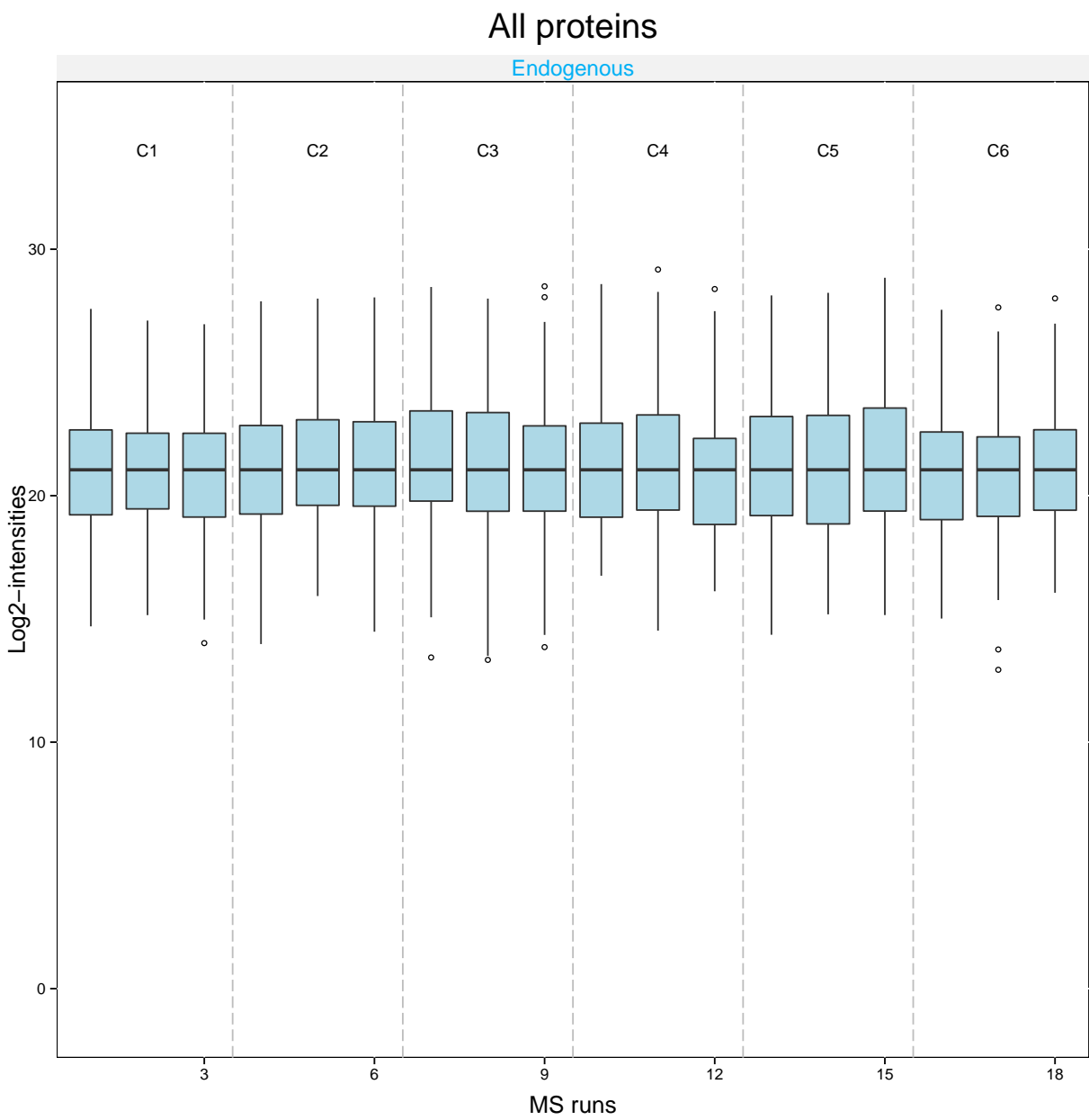
# accelerated failure model with left-censored. NA intensities are assumed as censored
DDA2009.linear.censored <- dataProcess(raw = DDA2009.superhirn,
                                       summaryMethod = "linear", censoredInt = "NA")
```

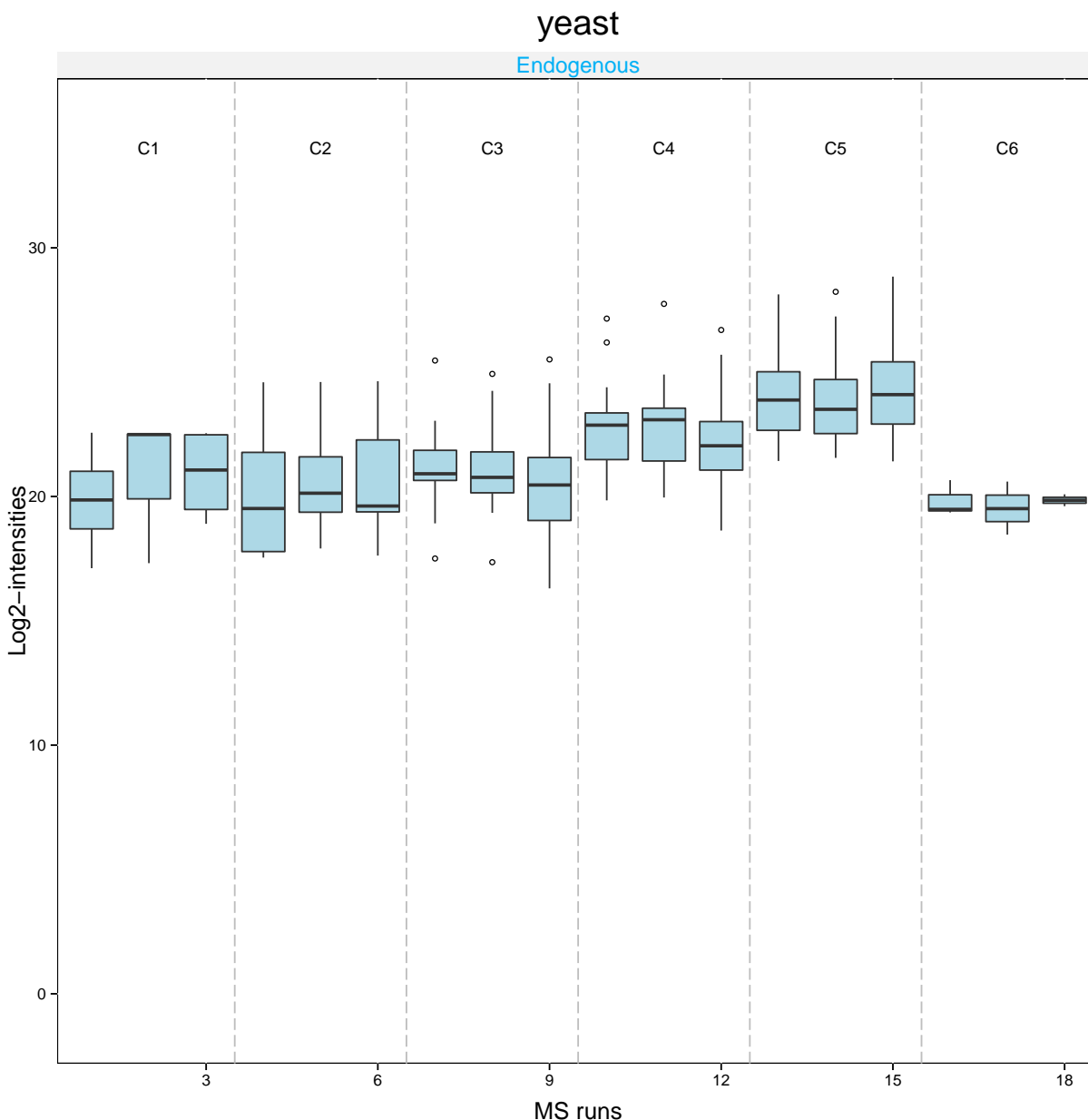
2.2 Visualization of processed data

2.2.1 Quality control and Normalization effects Now let's look at what the equalize medians procedure did to our data. We can generate QC plots for all proteins or for single proteins at a time if we have a big dataset. Let's look at the 'Kininogen-1' (Kng1/NP_036828) protein in these example data.

```
# use type="QCplot" with all proteins and change the upper limit of y-axis=35
dataProcessPlots(data = DDA2009.TMP, type="QCplot", ylimUp=35)

# QCplot for only 'yeast' protein
dataProcessPlots(data = DDA2009.TMP, type="QCplot", ylimUp=35,
                 which.Protein="yeast", address="yeast_eqmedians_")
```





NOTE Don't worry about warning messages as below. It means they will not plot with NA values, which we want.

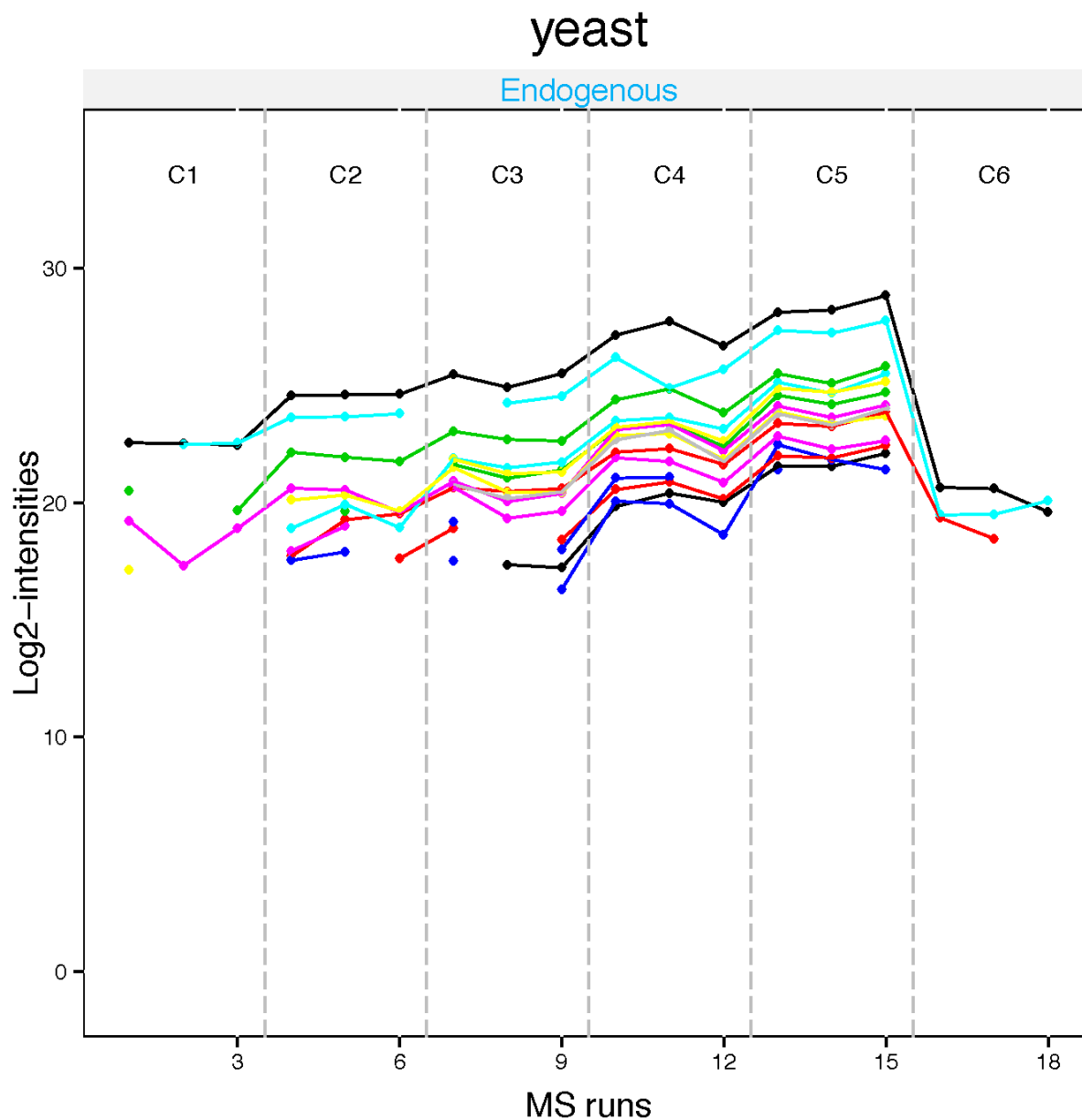
Warning messages: 1: In loop_apply(n, do.ply) : Removed 698 rows containing non-finite values (stat_boxplot).

2.2.2 Summarization effects

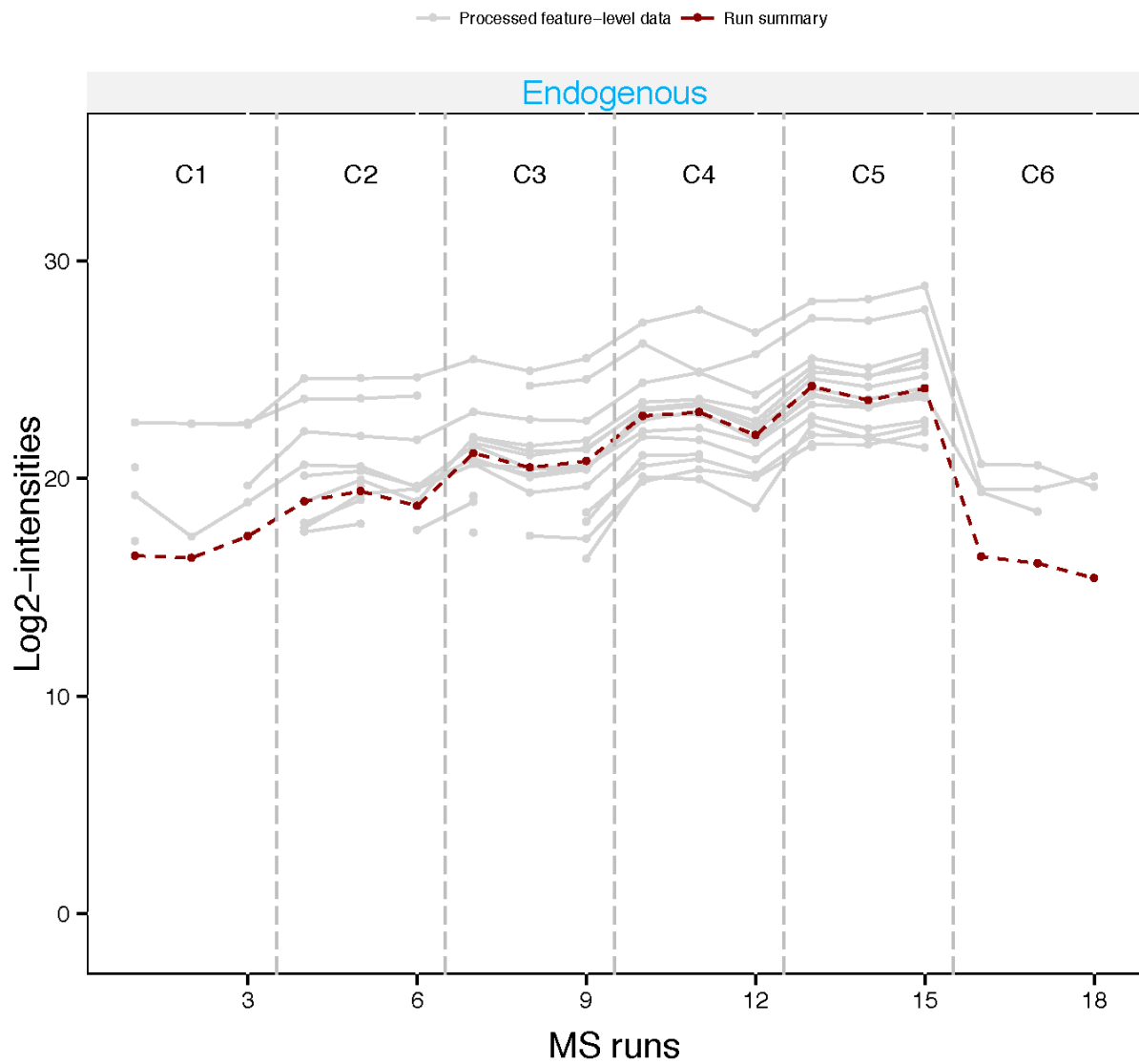
Profile plots Let's look at how the original data look like. Profile plot shows all individual measurements per protein. With `type="profileplot"`, two pdfs will be generated. The first pdf includes plots (per protein) to show individual measurement for each peptide (peptide for DDA, transition for SRM or DIA) across runs, grouped per condition. Each peptide has a different color/type layout. If you don't want to generate these plots, please use the option `originalPlot=FALSE`. The second pdf, which is named with 'wSummarization'

suffix, shows run-level summarized data per protein. The same peptides (or transition) in the first plot are presented in grey, with the summarized values by TMP overlaid in red.

```
dataProcessPlots(data = DDA2009.TMP, type="Profileplot", ylimUp=35,
  featureName="NA", width=7, height=7, address="DDA2009_TMP_")
```



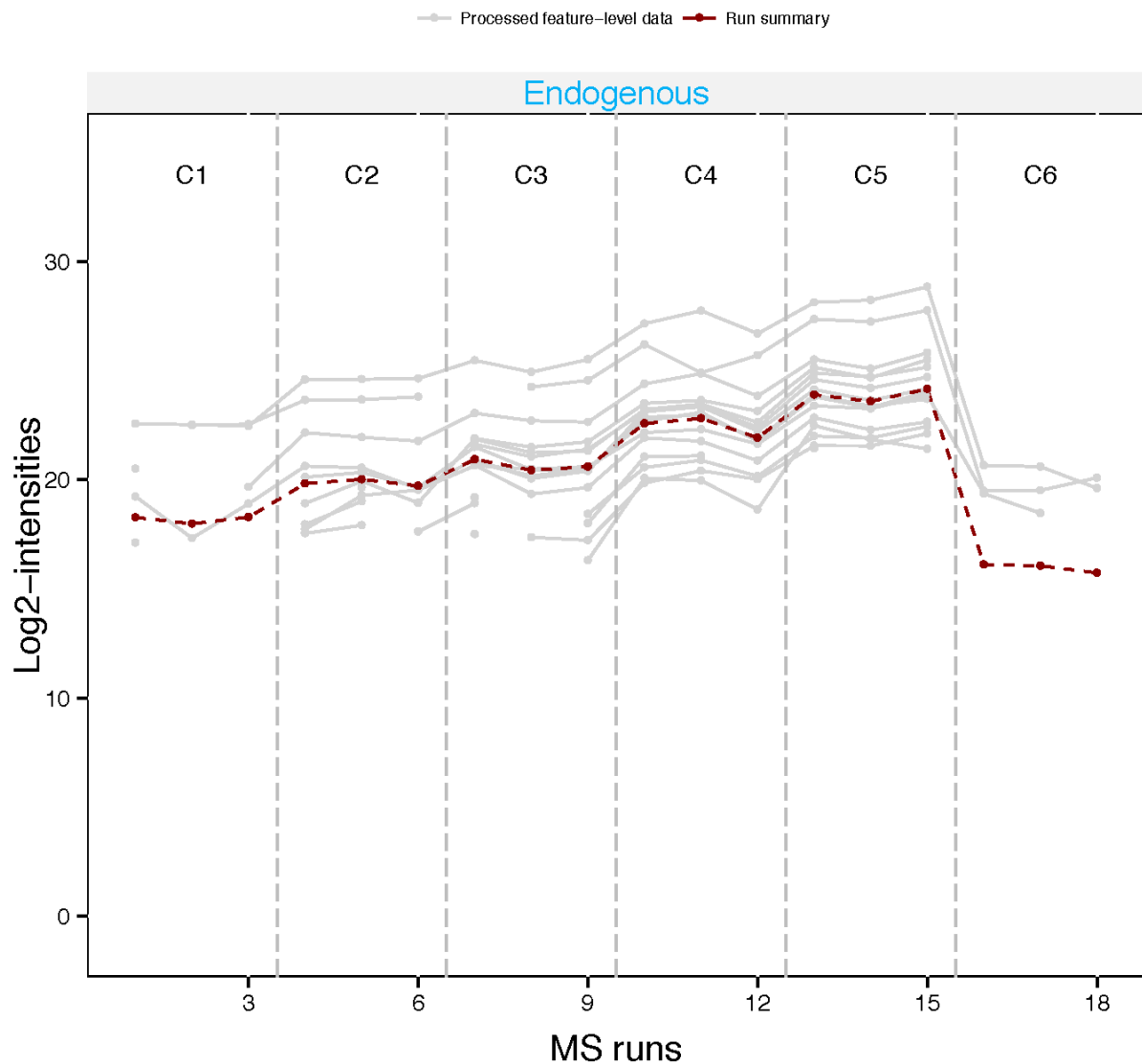
yeast



Have a look at the profile plots to compare the different options (e.g., TMP with or without considering missing values for summarization in `dataProcess`.) Original profile plots are the same. But, summarization plots are different, especially for conditions 'C1' and 'C2' in 'yeast' protein, which have many missing values.

```
dataProcessPlots(data = DDA2009.TMP.random, type="Profileplot", ylimUp=35,
  featureName="NA", width=7, height=7,
  originalPlot=FALSE, summaryPlot=TRUE, address="DDA2009_TMP_random_")
```

yeast



3. Finding differentially abundant proteins across conditions

3.1 Comparing conditions with groupComparison

After we normalized the data and summarized each protein's behaviour across conditions with one of the `dataProcess` summarization methods, we are all set to compare protein changes between groups of conditions. Within MSstats we can do this with the `groupComparison` function, which takes as input the output of the `dataProcess` function.

```
?groupComparison
```

We need to provide the `groupComparison` function with a contrast matrix to define the comparison to be made. The contrast matrix is created with each condition in column and each comparison in row. Note that

the conditions are arranged **in alphabetical order**:

```
levels(DDA2009.TMP$ProcessedData$GROUP_ORIGINAL)
```

```
## [1] "C1" "C2" "C3" "C4" "C5" "C6"
```

It shows the order of condition, which MSstats can recognize. Then, we add a row with entries of 0, 1, or -1 for every comparison we would like to make between groups of conditions.

0 is for conditions we would like to ignore. 1 is for conditions we would like to put in the numerator of the ratio or fold-change. -1 is for conditions we would like to put in the denominator of the ratio or fold-change.

For example, if you want to compare C2-C1, which means $\log(C2)-\log(C1)$ and the same as $\log(C2/C1)$, set '1' for C2 and '-1' for C1 in the row. Also, combining multiple groups for comparison is possible. For example, if you want to compare between average of C2 and C3 and average of C1, $(C3+C2)/2-C1$ as formula, set '-1' for C1, '0.5' for C2 and '0.5' for C3, and '0' for rest of groups.

```
comparison1<-matrix(c(-1,1,0,0,0,0),nrow=1)
comparison2<-matrix(c(0,-1,1,0,0,0),nrow=1)
comparison3<-matrix(c(0,0,-1,1,0,0),nrow=1)
comparison4<-matrix(c(0,0,0,-1,1,0),nrow=1)
comparison5<-matrix(c(0,0,0,0,-1,1),nrow=1)
comparison6<-matrix(c(1,0,0,0,0,-1),nrow=1)

comparison<-rbind(comparison1,comparison2,comparison3,comparison4,comparison5,comparison6)
row.names(comparison)<-c("C2-C1", "C3-C2", "C4-C3", "C5-C4", "C6-C5", "C1-C6")
```

We're ready to go! let's compare our two populations.

```
DDA2009.comparisons <- groupComparison(contrast.matrix = comparison, data=DDA2009.TMP)
```

Let's inspect the results to see what proteins change significantly between groups.

```
# output from groupComparison function has three data frames
names(DDA2009.comparisons)
```

```
## [1] "ComparisonResult" "ModelQC"          "fittedmodel"
```

Results of the statistical comparison are stored in the data frame named ComparisonResult:

```
# name of columns in result data.frame
names(DDA2009.comparisons$ComparisonResult)
```

```
## [1] "Protein"      "Label"        "log2FC"       "SE"           "Tvalue"
## [6] "DF"           "pvalue"       "adj.pvalue"
```

You can get a shorter list of the differentially abundant proteins based on the comparison results:

```
# get only significant proteins and comparisons among all comparisons
SignificantProteins =
  DDA2009.comparisons$ComparisonResult[DDA2009.comparisons$ComparisonResult$adj.pvalue < 0.05 ,]
nrow(SignificantProteins)
```

```
## [1] 33
```

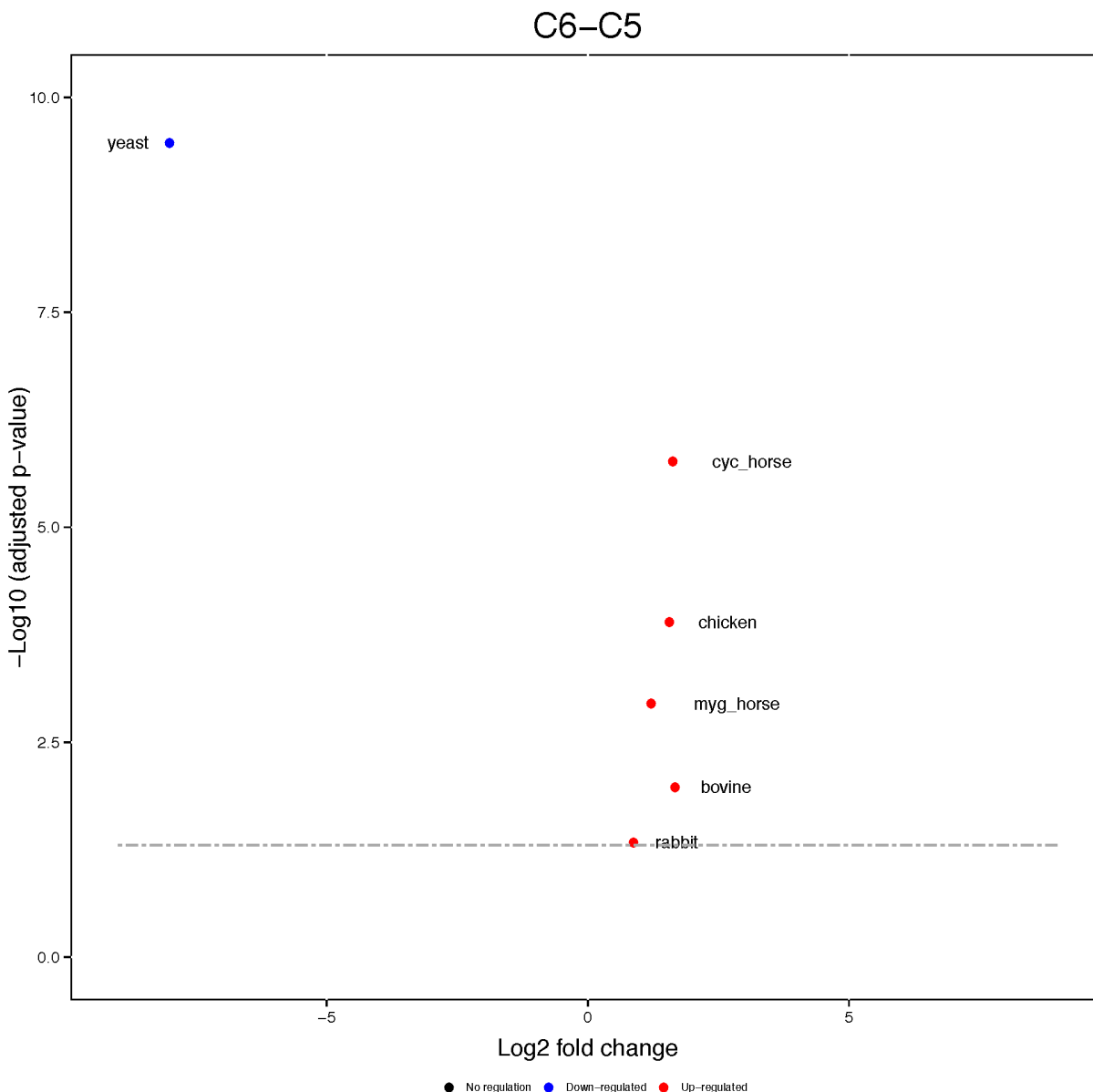
3.2 Visualization of differentially abundant proteins

`?groupComparisonPlots`

Volcano plots visualize the outcome of one comparison between conditions for all the proteins, and combine the information on statistical and practical significance. The y-axis displays the FDR-adjusted p-values on the negative log10 scale, and represents statistical significance. The horizontal dashed line represents the FDR cutoff. The points above the FDR cutoff line are statistically significant differentially abundant proteins. These points are colored in red for upregulated proteins, and in blue for downregulated proteins. The x-axis is the model-based estimate of log-fold change (the base of logarithm transform is the same as specified in the logTrans option of the dataProcess step), and represents practical significance. It is possible to specify a practical significance cutoff based on the estimate of fold change in addition to the statistical significance cutoff. If the fold change cutoff is specified, the points above the horizontal cutoff line but within the vertical cutoff line will be judged as not differentially abundant (and will be colored in black). The practical significance cutoff can only be applied in addition to the statistical significance cutoff (i.e. the fold change alone does not present enough evidence for differential abundance).

```
groupComparisonPlots(data = DDA2009.comparisons$ComparisonResult, type = 'VolcanoPlot')
```

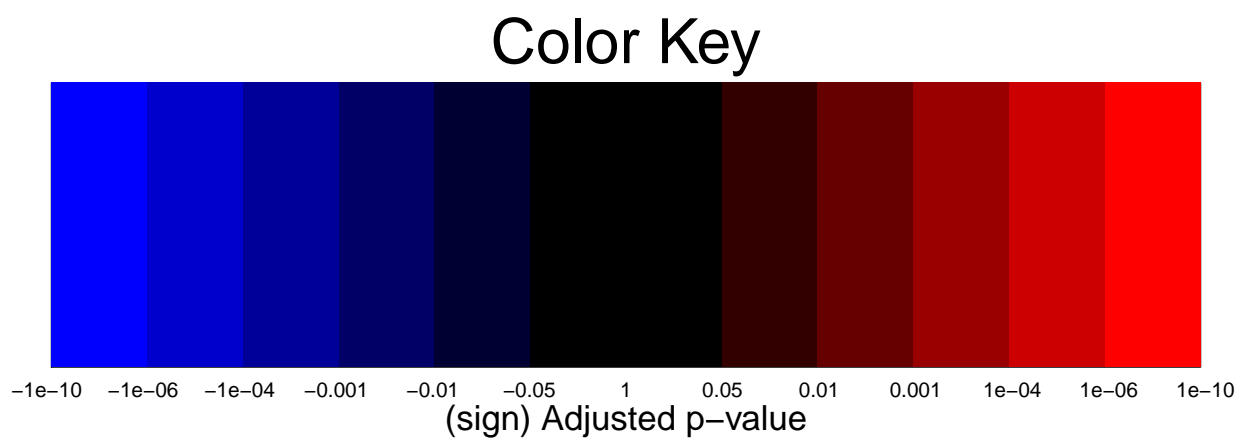
Then, 'VolcanoPlot.pdf' will be saved under the folder you assigned. It has the plots per comparison you set in contrast.matrix. Below is one of volcano plot, for comparison 'C6-C5'. Please check `?groupComparisonPlots` for detail, such as labelling protein names, size of dots, font sizes, etc.

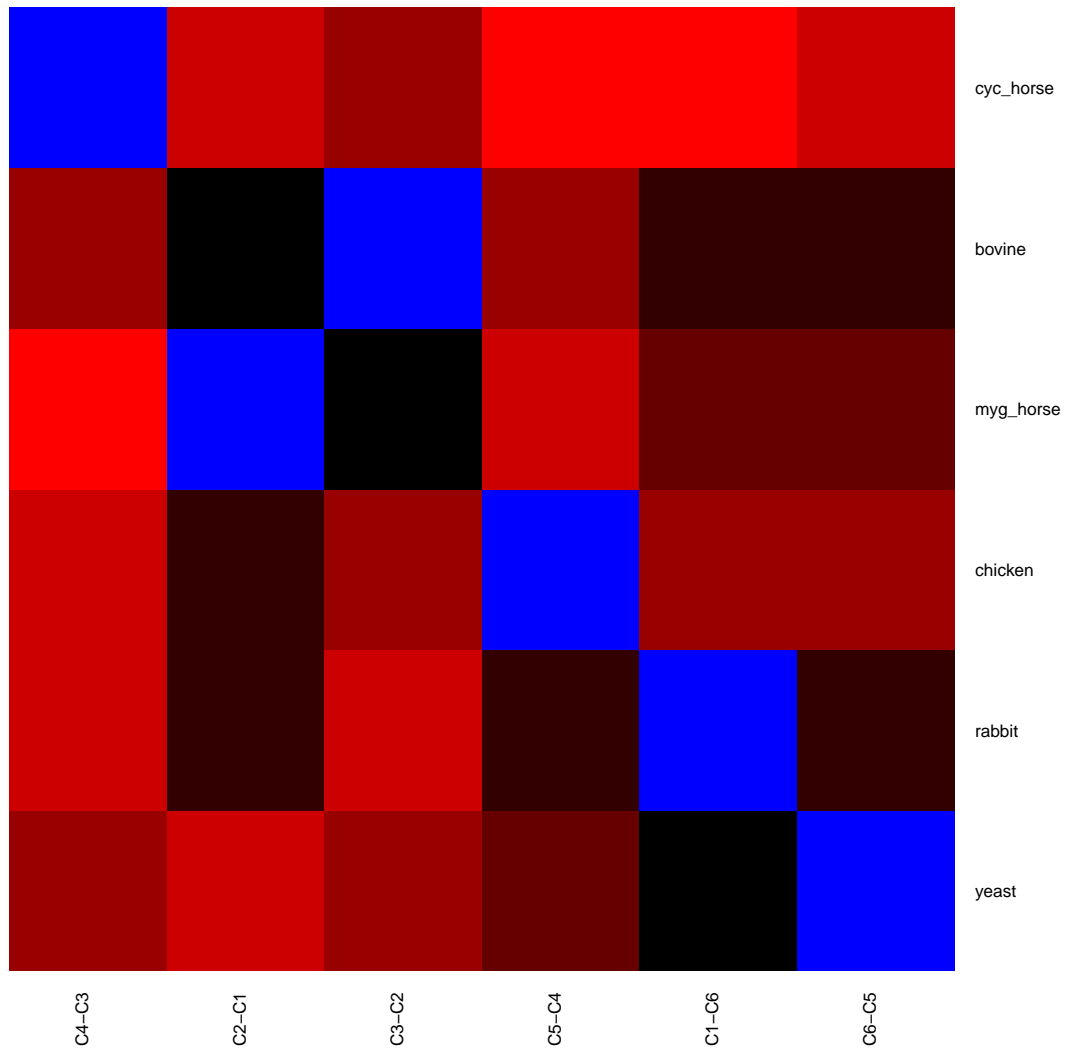


Heatmaps illustrate the patterns of up- and down-regulation of proteins in several comparisons. Columns in the heatmaps are comparison of conditions you assigned in `contrast.matrix`, and rows are proteins. The heatmaps display signed FDR-adjusted p-values of the tests, colored in red/blue for significantly up-/down-regulated proteins, while taking into account the specified FDR cutoff and the additional optional fold change cutoff. Brighter colors indicate stronger evidence in favor of differential abundance. Black color represents proteins are not significantly differentially abundant.

```
groupComparisonPlots(data = DDA2009.comparisons$ComparisonResult, type = 'Heatmap')
```

Then, 'VolcanoPlot.pdf' will be saved under the folder you assigned. It has the plots per comparison you set in `contrast.matrix`. Below is one of volcano plot, for comparison 'C6-C5'. Please check `?groupComparisonPlots` for detail, such as labelling protein names, size of dots, font sizes, etc.





Convert skyline output to MSstats required format

If you use Skyline output, please follow this section. The same original raw dataset from previous section is used, but it is processed by Skyline.

1. Preparing the data for MSstats input

Let's read the data.


```
raw <- read.csv(file = "ControlMixerMSstatsInputfromskyline.csv")
head(raw)
```

```
## ProteinName PeptideSequence PrecursorCharge FragmentIon ProductCharge
## 1 bovine HWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR 2 precursor 2
## 2 bovine HWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR 2 precursor 2
## 3 bovine HWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR 2 precursor 2
## 4 bovine HWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR 2 precursor 2
## 5 bovine HWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR 2 precursor 2
## 6 bovine HWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR 2 precursor 2
## IsotopeLabelType Condition BioReplicate FileName Area
## 1 light 1 1 B06-8004_c.mzXML 1015466
## 2 light 3 2 B06-8006_c.mzXML 907841
## 3 light 5 3 B06-8008_c.mzXML 1263905
## 4 light 2 4 B06-8010_c.mzXML 2457121
## 5 light 4 5 B06-8012_c.mzXML 958204
## 6 light 6 6 B06-8014_c.mzXML 788090
## StandardType Truncated
## 1 NA False
## 2 NA False
## 3 NA False
## 4 NA False
## 5 NA False
## 6 NA False
```

The raw data (input data for MSstats) is required to contain variable of ProteinName, PeptideSequence, PrecursorCharge, FragmentIon, ProductCharge, IsotopeLabelType, Condition, BioReplicate, Run, Intensity. The variable names should be fixed. MSstats input from Skyline adapts the column scheme of the dataset so that it fits MSstats input format. However you should change FileName to Run and Area to Intensity.

```
colnames(raw)[9] <- 'Run'
colnames(raw)[10] <- 'Intensity'
head(raw)
```

```
## ProteinName PeptideSequence PrecursorCharge FragmentIon ProductCharge
## 1 bovine HWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR 2 precursor 2
## 2 bovine HWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR 2 precursor 2
## 3 bovine HWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR 2 precursor 2
## 4 bovine HWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR 2 precursor 2
## 5 bovine HWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR 2 precursor 2
## 6 bovine HWGSSDDQGSEHTVDR 2 precursor 2
## IsotopeLabelType Condition BioReplicate Run Intensity
## 1 light 1 1 B06-8004_c.mzXML 1015466
## 2 light 3 2 B06-8006_c.mzXML 907841
## 3 light 5 3 B06-8008_c.mzXML 1263905
## 4 light 2 4 B06-8010_c.mzXML 2457121
## 5 light 4 5 B06-8012_c.mzXML 958204
## 6 light 6 6 B06-8014_c.mzXML 788090
## StandardType Truncated
## 1 NA False
## 2 NA False
```

```
## 3      NA      False
## 4      NA      False
## 5      NA      False
## 6      NA      False
```

The difference between output from Skyline and other spectral processing tool is that Skyline can distinguish random missing (NA) and censored missing (zero). The output from Skyline can have NA (expect small number of NAs or none of them) and 0 (zero). Then, we can use zero values in intensity are censored.

```
sum(is.na(raw$Intensity))
```

```
## [1] 0
```

```
sum(raw$Intensity==0)
```

```
## [1] 4326
```

1.1 Preprocessing with DDA experiment from Skyline output

The output from Skyline for DDA experiment needs one extra step before using MSstats. It has several peak area from the monoisotopic, M+1 and M+2 peaks. To get a robust measure of peptide intensity, we can sum per peptide or use highest peak per peptide. Here we will sum per peptide.

```
library(reshape2)

raw$pepprecursor<-paste(raw$PeptideSequence, raw$PrecursorCharge, sep="_")

data_w = dcast( Run ~ pepprecursor, data=raw, value.var='Intensity', fun.aggregate=sum, fill=NULL)

newdata = melt(data_w, id.vars=c('Run'))
colnames(newdata)[colnames(newdata) %in% c("variable","value")]<-c('pepprecursor','Intensity')

uniinfo<-unique(raw[,c("ProteinName","PeptideSequence","PrecursorCharge","pepprecursor")])
newraw<-merge(newdata,uniinfo, by="pepprecursor")

uniinfo<-unique(raw[,c("Run","BioReplicate","Condition")])
newraw<-merge(newraw,uniinfo, by="Run")

newraw$BioReplicate<-1 # it should be change based on your experiment.
newraw$FragmentIon<-"sum"
newraw$ProductCharge<-NA
newraw$IsotopeLabelType<-"L"

raw<-newraw
# now 'raw' is ready to use MSstats
```

2. Different options for Skyline in dataProcess

Additional options in `dataProcess` need to be specified for processing Skyline output are `skylineReport=TRUE` (remove `Truncated=TRUE` rows and handle `intensity=0`) and `censoredInt="0"` (use `intensity=0` as censored to handle missing values and in this case, NA values are assumed as random missing).

Convert MaxQuant output to MSstats required input

If you have MaxQuant output, please follow this section. Here controlled mixture data with dynamic range benchmark (Cox, 2014 in MCP) is used to demonstrate. This dataset is available in [MSstats material github](#) in the folder named 'example dataset/DDA_controlledMixture20014'.

1. First, get protein ID information

```
proteinGroups <- read.table("DDA2014_proteinGroups.txt", sep = "\t", header = TRUE)
```

2. Read in annotation including condition and biological replicates: annotation.csv

```
annot <- read.csv("DDA2014_annotation.csv", header = TRUE)
```

3. Read in MaxQuant file: evidence.txt

```
infile <- read.table("evidence.txt", sep = "\t", header = TRUE)
```

4. Reformat for MSstats required input

```
# check options for converting format  
?MaxQtoMSstatsFormat
```

```
msstats.raw <- MaxQtoMSstatsFormat(evidence=infile, annotation=annot, proteinGroups=proteinGroups)
```

```
# now 'msstats.raw' is ready for MSstats  
head(msstats.raw)
```

```
## ProteinName PeptideSequence PrecursorCharge FragmentIon  
## 1 A5A614 QVAESTPDIPK 2 NA  
## 2 000762ups DPAATSVAAAR 2 NA  
## 3 000762ups FLTPCYHPNVDQTQGNICLDILK 2 NA  
## 4 000762ups FLTPCYHPNVDQTQGNICLDILK 3 NA  
## 5 000762ups GAEPSSGAAR 2 NA  
## 6 000762ups GISAFPESDNLFK 2 NA  
## ProductCharge IsotopeLabelType Condition BioReplicate  
## 1 NA L UPS1 1  
## 2 NA L UPS1 1  
## 3 NA L UPS1 1  
## 4 NA L UPS1 1  
## 5 NA L UPS1 1  
## 6 NA L UPS1 1  
## Run Intensity  
## 1 20130510_EXQ1_IgPa_QC_UPS1_01 NA  
## 2 20130510_EXQ1_IgPa_QC_UPS1_01 1144800000  
## 3 20130510_EXQ1_IgPa_QC_UPS1_01 32793000  
## 4 20130510_EXQ1_IgPa_QC_UPS1_01 566960000  
## 5 20130510_EXQ1_IgPa_QC_UPS1_01 58709000  
## 6 20130510_EXQ1_IgPa_QC_UPS1_01 861090000
```