# tssports: integrates tsRNA feature extraction, differential analysis, and extensive visualization in one

platforms all

https://github.com/Xia-Youmei/tssports-master

*tssports* can perform small RNA classification, differential gene analysis, principal component analysis (PCA), and visualize the related functions and mechanisms of tsRNA through pie chart, volcano chart, heat map, MA chart etc.

# **Installation**

You can install the development version of tssports like so:

```
if (!requireNamespace("devtools", quietly = TRUE)) {
  install.packages("devtools")
}
devtools::install_github('Xia-Youmei/tssports-master')
```

Alternatively, the latest version can be installed locally from Git-hub: <a href="https://github.com/Xia-Youmei/tssports-master">https://github.com/Xia-Youmei/tssports-master</a>, and use the R package for your own data.

```
if (!requireNamespace("remotes", quietly = TRUE)) {
  install.packages("remotes")
}

remotes::install_local("file_address/tssports-master-main.zip",upgrade =
F,dependencies = T)
```

Note: For most use cases it is not necessary to install the *tssports* package locally, If you have a bad Internet connection, you can choose this method, and because of the sample data is large, please be patient for a few minutes.

To start working with the package *tssports*, you can load it in the R environment with the following command.

```
library('tssports')
```

# **Example**

There is an example downloaded from Gene Expression Omnibus under the accession code GSE144666, it has 6 data sets that are SRR11004011-13 (RNAs were sequenced with standard protocols), SRR11004020-22 (RNAs were treated with T4PNK, then AlkB before cDNA library construction), organism is Mus musculus, tissue is brain.

First, you need to determine the working directory located in the dataset address:

```
setwd("./examples")
```

sportsV1.1 processed and generate the output files into one folder, you can determine the working directory located in the dataset address, it will automatically prossessing those contain "-miR-|-mir-|-let-" keywords annotation commented out, and automatically add reads of same genes at the end of the file, the filename ended in "\_output\_collapse\_miRNA.txt" is obtained.

```
collapse_mature_mirna_reads()
```

This function will result in 3 unified files: 1. sports\_combined\_sample\_fragments\_counts\_matrix\_all.txt; 2. sports\_combined\_sample\_fragments\_counts\_matrix\_0.5.txt; 3. sports\_combined\_sample\_fragments\_annotation.txt. It can also read the entire folder, automatically identify and process the files ending in "\_miRNA.txt" in the folder, first it will collect and sort out all genes to form the first file contains gene sequence, gene sequence length, whether to match to the genome, annotated genes; After that, all the same gene sequences in the input file were sorted into one file, and the screening condition was set as the probability of each fragment not being zero in the sample was greater than 0.5 to form the second file. The third file is the original file that collates all the same gene sequences in the input file into one file without setting screening conditions and gives users sufficient follow-up custom analysis.

```
combine_read_counts()
1.sports_combined_sample_fragments_counts_matrix_all
          Length Match_Genome
Fragment
                               Annotation
TCGCTGCGATCTATTGAAAGTCAGCCCTCGACACAAGGGTTTGT 44 Yes 28S-rRNA
TCACAGTGAACCGGTCTCTTTAA 23 NO piRNA
CGCGACCTCAGATCAGACGT 20 NO 28S-rRNA
TCGGATCCGTCTGAGCTTGGCTTT 24 NO piRNA
TCACAGTGAACCGGTCTCTTAA 22 NO piRNA
TCTTTGGTTATCTAGCTGTATGTT 24 NO piRNA
GGCTGGTCCGAAGGTAGTGAGTTATCTCAATT 32 Yes RNY1-YRNA
TCAGTCGGTCCTGAG 15 Yes 28S-rRNA
TGGGCTGTAGTGCGCTATGC 20 Yes misc_RNA
CTGGGCTGTAGTGCGCTATGC 21 Yes misc_RNA
CGCTGCGATCTATTGAAAGTCAGCCCTCGACACAAGGGTTTGT 43 Yes 28S-rRNA
CGCGACCTCAGATCAGAC 18 NO 28S-rRNA
CATTGATCATCGACACTTCGAACGCACTTGCGGCCCCGGGT 41 NO 5.8S-rRNA
2.sports_combined_sample_fragments_counts_matrix_0.5.txt
          SRR11004011 SRR11004012 SRR11004013 SRR11004020 SRR11004021
SRR11004022
TCGCTGCGATCTATTGAAAGTCAGCCCTCGACACAAGGGTTTGT 269161 143901 82697 49357
96480
     132035
TCACAGTGAACCGGTCTCTTTAA 204627 136474 72396 2679
                                                  5694
                                                         38834
CGCGACCTCAGATCAGACGT 93017 119623 66666 30488 33792 143835
TCGGATCCGTCTGAGCTTT 66940 50898 49442 25380 38967 73429
TCACAGTGAACCGGTCTCTTAA 45249 32876 14415 503 997 8267
TCTTTGGTTATCTAGCTGTATGTT 35142 28972 27240 1199 3243 9601
GGCTGGTCCGAAGGTAGTGAGTTATCTCAATT 32900 20960 14730 52832 34279
mmu-miR-3960
              0
                 0 0 12 8 2
                         2 1 1
mmu-miR-3473g 0 0 0
mmu-miR-6987-5p 0 0 0 2 3
                               1
```

```
mmu-miR-1951 0 0 0 1 1
3.sports_combined_sample_fragments_annotation.txt
          SRR11004011 SRR11004012 SRR11004013 SRR11004020 SRR11004021
Sequence
SRR11004022
TCGCTGCGATCTATTGAAAGTCAGCCCTCGACACAAGGGTTTGT 269161 143901 82697 49357
96480
      132035
TCACAGTGAACCGGTCTCTTTAA 204627 136474 72396 2679
                                              5694
                                                     38834
CGCGACCTCAGATCAGACGT 93017 119623 66666 30488 33792 143835
TCGGATCCGTCTGAGCTTT 66940 50898 49442 25380 38967
                                                        73429
TCACAGTGAACCGGTCTCTTAA 45249 32876 14415 503 997 8267
TCTTTGGTTATCTAGCTGTATGTT 35142 28972 27240 1199 3243 9601
GGCTGGTCCGAAGGTAGTGAGTTATCTCAATT 32900 20960 14730 52832 34279
44606
                          0 1
mmu-miR-511-5p 0 0 0
                       0
mmu-miR-505-3p 0 0 0 0 1
mmu-miR-7074-5p 0 0 0 0 1
mmu-miR-7229-5p 0 0 0 0 1
mmu-miR-6984-3p 0 0 0
```

This function requires the user to input the set of the last two digits in the SRR filename of the experimental group to distinguish the experimental group from the control group. For example, 20:22 is required for difference analysis in the example data. This function will automatically recognize the sports\_combined\_sample\_fragments\_counts\_matrix\_0.5.txt file output from the previous function. After processing, you will get 4 files, 1. Match all fragment annotations to genes, and get the file sports\_counts\_all.txt; 2. Match all the annotations to genes, and processed with the DESeq2 R package to obtain the differentially expressed genes, and obtain the file sports\_deg\_fDR005\_2fc\_all.txt. 3. All fragments were annotated as genes, and the differentially expressed genes were obtained after processing with DESeq2, and the reads were normalized to cpm (Counts per million) value to obtain the file sports\_cpm\_fdr005\_2fc\_all.txt. 4. Save all the differential genes calculated by DESeq2, without distinguishing log2FoldChange and padj, and get the file sports\_DEG\_all.txt;

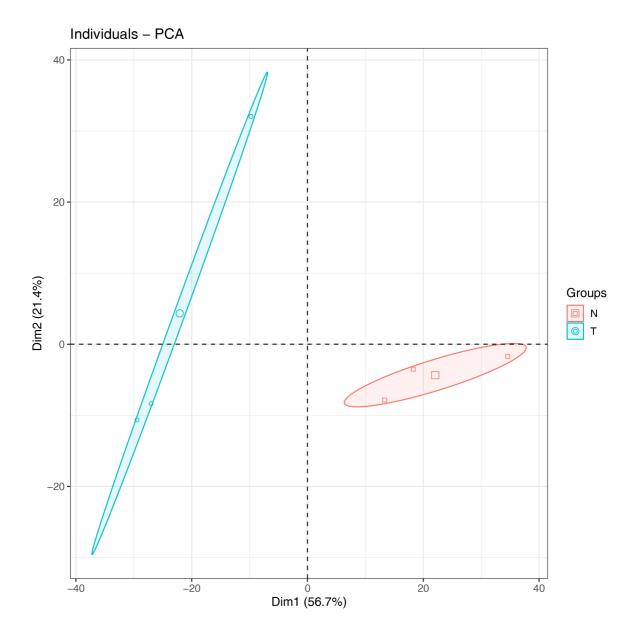
```
getdegs(20:22)
1.sports_counts_all.txt
   SRR11004011 SRR11004012 SRR11004013 SRR11004020 SRR11004021 SRR11004022
28S-rRNA 269161 143901 82697 49357 96480 132035
piRNA 204627 136474 72396 2679 5694 38834
RNY1-YRNA 32900 20960 14730 52832 34279 44606
misc_RNA 28044 35480 18645 13025
                                     21257
                                              15968
5.8S-rRNA 22734 13872 2363 21703 16378 11993
45S-rRNA
         12263 12825 15348 12838
                                       27474
                                              53615
mature-tRNA-Gly-GCC_5_end; mature-tRNA-Gly-CCC_5_end 10286 8054
                                                            6349
15440 24174 38846
5S-rRNA 8157 19663 8814
                            4571 8266
                                          13170
2.sports_deg_fDR005_2fc_all.txt
ID baseMean log2FoldChange lfcSE stat
                                          pvalue padj
mature-tRNA-His-GTG 30035.3716708793 9.18307904145374 0.580202283242111
15.8273748771543 2.01452256749788e-56 2.96940626449187e-53
pre-trna-Leu-CAA 21805.5636328603 9.85974407854832 0.658354292658678
14.9763496471346 1.04818154091913e-50 7.72509795657397e-48
mature-tRNA-Arg-CCT; mature-tRNA-Arg-CCG 468.48506156553 7.40567460160257
0.655365046544287 11.3000756458593 1.31105017035912e-29
6.44162650369779e-27
```

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mature-tRNA-Arg-ACG_CCA_end 43397.7312599756 7.76515581481599
0.692681783635114 11.2102786564782 3.630486126182e-29 1.33783413749807e-26
pre-trna-tyr-gta 505.057106284187 9.2287311054882 0.828001518415102
11.1457900743384 7.50750007057211e-29 2.21321102080466e-26
mature-tRNA-Pro-TGG_5_end;mature-tRNA-Pro-CGG_5_end;mature-tRNA-Pro-AGG_5_end
1946.81081659445 9.928241334204 1.04537621880354 9.49729021535149
2.15423010298028e-21 5.29222528632156e-19
mature-tRNA-Arg-ACG 1850.07541775039 6.35805962609316 0.67452163520523
9.42602771245233 4.25913920030078e-21 8.96853025891908e-19
3.sports_cpm_fdr005_2fc_all.txt
ID SRR11004011 SRR11004012 SRR11004013 SRR11004020 SRR11004021 SRR11004022
         14.3200235328116 13.5965848351574 13.0443714276675
14.6978424726186 14.9935127374893 14.6639604791408
piRNA 13.9245729094712 13.5201406814239 12.8524707211966
10.4952997919691 10.9115022019083 12.89856566266
RNY1-YRNA 11.2882200871046 10.8179018026627 10.5560816430719
14.7959962196167 13.5006881015406 13.0984586794382
misc_RNA 11.057924529273 11.5769419854079 10.8959117870999
12.776022553392 12.8113773297272 11.6166995041221
5.8S-rRNA 10.7552419878891 10.2228471945342 7.92102213175833
45S-rRNA 9.86541494133145 10.109728768677 10.6153362976346
12.7551626430638 13.1814608784966 13.36382994117
mature-tRNA-Gly-GCC_5_end; mature-tRNA-Gly-CCC_5_end 9.61208227726735
9.43932057807877 9.34318987544876 13.0213797611129 12.9968713182784
12.8990113391204
5S-rRNA 9.27799186112964 10.7257992535941 9.81583605097291
4.sports_DEG_all.txt
ID baseMean log2FoldChange lfcSE stat pvalue padj
28S-rRNA 117369.725044431 0.382472823614208 0.644227936830634
0.593691769245269 0.552718289120833 0.673819151856151
piRNA 50767.1086731965 -2.40366212934164 0.765431138235381
RNY1-YRNA 45719.3346323336 2.44151119683615 0.707386312647438
3.45145382824646 0.000557575147822217 0.00336997078222502
misc_RNA 22395.6619710466 0.67498992210017 0.6596268775384
5.8S-rRNA 19601.5728991033 1.97867701752085 0.882338784732432
45S-rRNA 24872.0434625502 2.26075136993462 0.569544671009807
3.96940132180727 7.20534381777695e-05 0.000689654336844366
mature-tRNA-Gly-GCC_5_end; mature-tRNA-Gly-CCC_5_end 21344.3984569
2.86332800867512 0.563247054211885 5.08360938111179 3.70329152216592e-07
9.00411658654179e-06
5S-rRNA 9981.49076365101
                      1.01321226299543 0.310958784289966 0.450329597790607
```

This function will automatically identify sports\_DEG\_fdr005\_2fc\_all.txt file in the folder, and categorizing the miRNAs, extract contains keywords "-miR-|-let-" for miRNA\_diff. TXT file, The tsRNA\_diff.txt file containing the keyword "tRNA", the rsRNA\_diff.txt file containing the keyword "rRNA", and the ysRNA\_diff.txt file containing the keyword "YRNA".

```
1.miRNA_diff.txt
ID baseMean log2FoldChange lfcSE stat pvalue padj
mmu-miR-2137 87.8349839348083 5.9563172036757 0.799484930810467
7.45019321081833 9.3203633809477e-14 7.63234201306495e-12
mmu-miR-153-3p 316.296855176786 -5.03376515234459
                                                 0.750489390856289
-6.70731020807795 1.98244544430187e-11 1.12389407111575e-09
mmu-miR-340-5p 1374.52373372071 -4.43397551622456 0.754895118332545
-5.87363119530906 4.26351320188798e-09 1.39653743546286e-07
mmu-miR-101a-3p 13763.2199746233 -4.86630273572994 0.87811726649203
-5.5417458708792 2.9947070804607e-08 8.82839647319815e-07
mmu-miR-690 1186.05912973371 3.84780460164948 0.713714629912904
5.39123683385759 6.99743788822742e-08 1.983504509086e-06
mmu-miR-9-3p 2296.27478279842 -4.20391814855742 0.810478351339246
-5.18695920947278 2.13755526571688e-07 5.62635082440478e-06
mmu-miR-136-3p 124.245832937843 -5.32869206253836 1.04845251393674
-5.08243529554823 3.72626263079409e-07 9.00411658654179e-06
2.tsRNA_diff.txt file
ID baseMean log2FoldChange lfcSE stat pvalue padj
mature-tRNA-His-GTG 30035.3716708793 9.18307904145374 0.580202283242111
15.8273748771543 2.01452256749788e-56 2.96940626449187e-53
pre-trna-Leu-CAA 21805.5636328603 9.85974407854832 0.658354292658678
14.9763496471346 1.04818154091913e-50 7.72509795657397e-48
mature-tRNA-Arg-CCT; mature-tRNA-Arg-CCG 468.48506156553 7.40567460160257
0.655365046544287 11.3000756458593 1.31105017035912e-29
6.44162650369779e-27
mature-tRNA-Arg-ACG_CCA_end 43397.7312599756 7.76515581481599
0.692681783635114 \qquad 11.2102786564782 \qquad 3.630486126182e-29 \quad 1.33783413749807e-26
pre-tRNA-Tyr-GTA 505.057106284187 9.2287311054882 0.828001518415102
11.1457900743384 7.50750007057211e-29 2.21321102080466e-26
mature-tRNA-Pro-TGG_5_end; mature-tRNA-Pro-CGG_5_end; mature-tRNA-Pro-AGG_5_end
1946.81081659445 9.928241334204 1.04537621880354 9.49729021535149
2.15423010298028e-21 5.29222528632156e-19
mature-tRNA-Arg-ACG 1850.07541775039 6.35805962609316 0.67452163520523
9.42602771245233 4.25913920030078e-21 8.96853025891908e-19
3.rsRNA_diff.txt
ID baseMean log2FoldChange lfcSE stat pvalue padj
45s-rrna 24872.0434625502 2.26075136993462 0.569544671009807
3.96940132180727 7.20534381777695e-05 0.000689654336844366
                                           0.937010532600679
     12.4284548829842 2.37423147013067
4.ysRNA_diff.txt
ID baseMean
             log2FoldChange lfcSE stat pvalue padj
RNY3-YRNA 1275.60735378423 2.23955706124081 0.603348544285474
3.71187944754726 0.000205725970976646 0.00156309320216277
RNY1-YRNA 45719.3346323336 2.44151119683615
                                               0.707386312647438
3.45145382824646 0.000557575147822217 0.00336997078222502
```

This function will automatically identifies the sports\_counts\_all.txt file in the folder, selects the top 1000 genes by multiple change, and generates a PDF file of the principal component analysis using the ggplot2 R package.



## function of visualization

pie\_plot\_tsRNA\_aa.pdf: This function will automatically identifies the tsRNA\_diff.txt file in the folder, and uses the ggplot2 R package to draw the pie chart of different amino acid classes of tsRNA, including Glu, Gly, Val, and Ser, generate the pie\_plot\_tsRNA\_aa.pdf file.

pie\_plot\_tsRNA\_end.pdf: This function will automatically identify the tsRNA\_diff.txt file in the folder, and use the ggplot2 R package to draw the pie chart of different tsRNA end categories, including 5'end, 3'end, CCA end, generate the pie\_plot\_tsRNA\_end.pdf file.

maplot.pdf: This function will automatically identifies the sports\_deg\_all.txt file in the folder and uses the ggplot2 R package to draw the MA map of sports output differentially expressed genes, generating the "maplot.pdf" file.

heatmap\_plot.pdf: This function will automatically identifies the sports\_cpm\_fdr005\_2fc\_all.txt and sports\_DEG\_fdr005\_2fc\_all.txt files in the folder, selects and uses the ggplot2 R package to draw a heat map of the differentially expressed genes that sports outputs, Generate the heatmap\_plot.pdf file.

volcano\_plot: This function will will automatically identify the sports\_DEG\_all.txt file in the folder and use the ggplot2 R package to draw the volcano plot of sports output differentially expressed genes, log2FC>1,  $p\leq0.05$ , generate the "volcano\_plot.pdf" file.

### visualization()

Those pictures shown below are the sample data output, and the format is adjusted by Adobe Illustrator software.

