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# Description

Annotates a vcf.obj using df.variants.of.interest (from PrepareAnnotationDB)

# Usage

```
AnnotateVCFObj(vcf.obj, df.annotation.db, columns.to.include,
  include.all.columns = FALSE)
```

# Arguments

```
vcf.obj ReadVCF
df.annotation.db
```

A data.frame from PrepareAnnotationDB. This data.frame must have the columns 'CHROM', 'POS', 'REF', 'ALT'

columns.to.include

A character vector of columns to include. Note that existing columns in vcf.obj will not be affected.

include.all.columns

A boolean value. If TRUE, then annotates vcf.obj with all columns present in df.variants.of.interest. If FALSE, columns.to.include must be supplied.

### Value

An annotated vcf.obj

CheckIfVariantRefinementIsNecessary

*CheckIfVariantRefinementIsNecessary* 

### **Description**

Checks if variant refinement is necessary by identifying mutational signatures related to sequencing artifact in the vcf.obj (set of original unrefined point mutations).

### Usage

```
CheckIfVariantRefinementIsNecessary(vcf.obj, bsg, df.mut.pat.ref.sigs,
  target.mut.sigs, sequencing.artifact.mut.sigs,
  init.artifact.stop = 0.05, verbose = TRUE)
```

# Arguments

vcf.obj A list from ReadVCF

bsg BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC object

df.mut.pat.ref.sigs

A data.frame from MutPatParseRefMutSigs

target.mut.sigs

A character vector of target mutational signatures from reference mutational signatures.

sequencing.artifact.mut.sigs

A character vector of sequencing artifact mutational signatures from reference mutational signatures.

init.artifact.stop

Numeric value less than 1. If the sum of sequencing artifact weights in vcf.obj is less than or equal to this value then this function returns judgment = FALSE, otherwise returns judgment = TRUE.

verbose

If TRUE, provides process detail. Default value is TRUE.

#### Value

A list with the following elements

- judgmentA boolean value
- seq.art.sigs.weights.sumA numeric value. Sum of sequencing artifact weights.

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Chromosome.Names

Constant

# Description

Chromosome names for FIREVAT. Chromosome names should be given in the format of "chr" + chromosome number.

# Usage

Chromosome.Names

### **Format**

An object of class character of length 25.

ComputeZScore

ComputeZScore

# Description

Returns a z-score of x given a distribution of values

# Usage

```
ComputeZScore(values, x)
```

# Arguments

values a numeric vector x a numeric value

# Value

a numeric value corresponding to the z-score of x

 ${\tt Compute ZScore EquiValue}$ 

ComputeZScoreEquiValue

# Description

Returns a numeric value that is equivalent to the specified z.score in the distribution of 'values'

# Usage

```
ComputeZScoreEquiValue(z.score, values)
```

# **Arguments**

z.score numeric value values numeric vector

### Value

a numeric value corresponding to the specified z.score in the 'values' distribution

DecimalCeiling

Decimal Ceiling

# Description

Returns the ceiling of a decimal value e.g. value = 0.15, decimal = 0.1 returns 0.2

# Usage

```
DecimalCeiling(value, decimal)
```

# Arguments

value numeric value (decimal)

decimal numeric value (e.g. 0.1, 0.001)

### Value

a numeric value

DefaultFilterToBinary

Default.Obj.Fn Default.Obj.Fn

### **Description**

Calculates the default objective value for FIREVAT GA optimization.

# Usage

```
Default.Obj.Fn(C.refined, A.refined, C.artifactual, A.artifactual)
```

### **Arguments**

C.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

C.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

#### Value

A numeric value between 0 and 1.

DefaultFilterToBinary Transform default filtering parameters to a binary vector

# Description

This function transforms default filtering parameter to binary vector which can be used as a suggested solution in GA algorithm.

# Usage

```
DefaultFilterToBinary(vcf.filter, params.bit.len)
```

# **Arguments**

```
vcf.filter A list generated in MakeFilter
params.bit.len A list with bit lengths of filtering parameters which is generated from ParameterToBits
```

# Value

A binary vector

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EnumerateTriNucCounts EnumerateTriNucCounts

### **Description**

Returns C>A, C>G, C>T, T>A, T>C, T>G counts

#### **Usage**

EnumerateTriNucCounts(spectrum)

### **Arguments**

spectrum

a numeric vector with 96 numeric values

#### **Details**

Please note that this function assumes that 'spectrum' is sorted (i.e.  $1:16 \rightarrow C>A$ ;  $17:32 \rightarrow C>G$ ;  $33:48 \rightarrow C>T$ ;  $49:64 \rightarrow T>A$ ;  $65:80 \rightarrow T>C$ ;  $81:96 \rightarrow T>G$ )

#### Value

a numeric vector of length 6 corresponding to the counts of each trinucleotide change (C>A, C>G, C>T, T>A, T>C, T>G)

```
Euc.Exp.Weighted.Obj.Fn
```

Euc.Exp.Weighted.Obj.Fn

# Description

Calculates the Euclidean-distance of logarithmically weighted objective value for FIREVAT GA optimization.

### Usage

```
Euc.Exp.Weighted.Obj.Fn(C.refined, A.refined, C.artifactual, A.artifactual)
```

# Arguments

C.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

C.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

### Value

A numeric value between 0 and 1.

```
Euc.Exp.Weighted.Seq.Art.Only.Obj.Fn.1

Euc.Exp.Weighted.Seq.Art.Only.Obj.Fn.1
```

# Description

Calculates the Euclidean-distance of logarithmically weighted objective value for FIREVAT GA optimization.

# Usage

```
Euc.Exp.Weighted.Seq.Art.Only.Obj.Fn.1(C.refined, A.refined, C.artifactual,
   A.artifactual)
```

# **Arguments**

C.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

C.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

#### Value

A numeric value between 0 and 1.

```
Euc.Exp.Weighted.Seq.Art.Only.Obj.Fn.2

Euc.Exp.Weighted.Seq.Art.Only.Obj.Fn.2
```

### **Description**

Calculates the Euclidean-distance of logarithmically weighted objective value for FIREVAT GA optimization.

# Usage

```
Euc.Exp.Weighted.Seq.Art.Only.Obj.Fn.2(C.refined, A.refined, C.artifactual,
   A.artifactual)
```

```
C.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

C.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.
```

Euc.Obj.Fn

# Value

A numeric value between 0 and 1.

Euc.Obj.Fn

Euc.Obj.Fn

# **Description**

Calculates the Euclidean-distance based objective value for FIREVAT GA optimization.

# Usage

```
Euc.Obj.Fn(C.refined, A.refined, C.artifactual, A.artifactual)
```

### **Arguments**

C.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

C.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

# Value

A numeric value between 0 and 1.

```
Exp.Weighted.A.Art.Obj.Fn

Exp.Weighted.A.Art.Obj.Fn
```

# **Description**

Exponentially weighted objective function

# Usage

```
Exp.Weighted.A.Art.Obj.Fn(C.refined, A.refined, C.artifactual,
   A.artifactual)
```

```
C.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

C.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.
```

### Value

A numeric value between 0 and 1.

```
\label{eq:continuous} {\it Exp. Weighted. A. Ref. Obj. Fn} \\ {\it Exp. Weighted. A. Ref. Obj. Fn}
```

# **Description**

Exponentially weighted objective function

# Usage

```
Exp.Weighted.A.Ref.Obj.Fn(C.refined, A.refined, C.artifactual,
   A.artifactual)
```

# **Arguments**

```
C.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

C.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.
```

# Value

A numeric value between 0 and 1.

```
{\tt Exp.Weighted.Obj.Fn.1} \ \ \textit{Exp.Weighted.Obj.Fn.1}
```

# **Description**

Calculates the exponentially weighted objective value for FIREVAT GA optimization.

# Usage

```
Exp.Weighted.Obj.Fn.1(C.refined, A.refined, C.artifactual, A.artifactual)
```

```
C.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

C.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.
```

# Value

A numeric value between 0 and 1.

```
Exp.Weighted.Obj.Fn.2 Exp.Weighted.Obj.Fn.2
```

### **Description**

Calculates the exponentially weighted objective value for FIREVAT GA optimization.

### Usage

```
Exp.Weighted.Obj.Fn.2(C.refined, A.refined, C.artifactual, A.artifactual)
```

### **Arguments**

```
C.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

C.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.
```

#### Value

A numeric value between 0 and 1.

```
Exp.Weighted.Refined.Seq.Art.Only.Obj.Fn

Exp.Weighted.Refined.Seq.Art.Only.Obj.Fn
```

# Description

Calculates the Euclidean-distance of logarithmically weighted objective value for FIREVAT GA optimization.

# Usage

```
Exp.Weighted.Refined.Seq.Art.Only.Obj.Fn(C.refined, A.refined,
    C.artifactual, A.artifactual)
```

```
C.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

C.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.
```

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### Value

A numeric value between 0 and 1.

```
FilterByStrandBiasAnalysis
```

Filter By Strand Bias Analysis

# Description

Filters refined.vcf.obj by strand bias analysis and moves these filtered variants to artifactual.vcf.obj

### Usage

```
FilterByStrandBiasAnalysis(refined.vcf.obj, artifactual.vcf.obj, perform.fdr.correction, filter.by.strand.bias.analysis.cutoff)
```

# **Arguments**

```
refined.vcf.obj

A list of vcf data
artifactual.vcf.obj

A list of vcf data
perform.fdr.correction

A boolean value.
filter.by.strand.bias.analysis.cutoff
A numeric value.
```

#### Value

A list with filtering parameter values

- refined.vcf.obj updated refined.vcf.obj
- artifactual.vcf.obj updated artifactual.vcf.obj

FilterVCF

**FilterVCF** 

# **Description**

Filter vcf based on the filter Filtering parameters are saved in config.obj Split vcf.obj into vcf.obj.filtered & vcf.obj.artifact based on vcf.filter

### Usage

```
FilterVCF(vcf.obj, vcf.filter, config.obj, include.array = NULL,
  force.include = FALSE, verbose = TRUE)
```

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# **Arguments**

vcf.obj A list from ReadVCF

vcf.filter A list from MakeMuTect2Filter config.obj A list from ParseConfigFile

include.array A boolean vector

force.include A boolean value. If TRUE, then uses 'include.array'

verbose If true, provides process detail

#### Value

A list with the following elements

- 1) Mutations which passed filteringvcf.obj.filtered = vcf.obj (list with data, header, genome)
- 2) Mutations which did not pass filteringvcf.obj.artifact = vcf.obj (list with data, header, genome)

GenerateConfigObj Generate config.obj by checking vcf header

### **Description**

This function generate config.obj by checking vcf header. Users should fill in the information needed in console. In current version, only Integers & Float values can be used in config.obj for running FIREVAT.

### Usage

```
GenerateConfigObj(vcf.obj, save.config = TRUE,
  config.path = "../temp/FIREVAT_configure.json")
```

# Arguments

vcf.obj A list from ReadVCF

save.config If true, save config.obj to config.path

config.path File path to write config.obj (json or yaml)

# Value

config.obj

GetCOSMICMutSigs

**GetCOSMICMutSigs** 

### **Description**

Returns a data.frame of the COSMIC mutational signature reference file from the data directory

# Usage

GetCOSMICMutSigs()

# Value

a data.frame of the COSMIC reference mutational signatures

 $\label{lem:getCOSMICMutSigsEtiologiesColors} Get COSMICMutSigsNames$ 

# **Description**

Returns all COSMIC mutational signature etiologies and colors

# Usage

GetCOSMICMutSigsEtiologiesColors()

### Value

data.frame with following columns: signature, group and color.

 ${\tt GetCOSMICMutSigsNames} \quad \textit{GetCOSMICMutSigsNames}$ 

# Description

Returns all COSMIC mutational signature names

# Usage

GetCOSMICMutSigsNames()

### Value

a character vector

GetGASuggestedSolutions

GetGASuggestedSolutions

# **Description**

Computes suggested solutions

# Usage

```
GetGASuggestedSolutions(vcf.obj, bsg, config.obj, lower.upper.list,
   df.mut.pat.ref.sigs, target.mut.sigs, sequencing.artifact.mut.sigs,
   objective.fn, original.muts.seq.art.weights.sum, ga.preemptive.killing,
   verbose = TRUE)
```

# Arguments

vcf.obj A list from ReadVCF

bsg BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC object

config.obj A list from ParseConfigFile

lower.upper.list

A list from GetParameterLowerUpperVector

df.mut.pat.ref.sigs

A data.frame from MutPatParseRefMutSigs

target.mut.sigs

A character vector of the target mutational signatures from reference mutational signatures.

sequencing.artifact.mut.sigs

A character vector of the sequencing artifact mutational signatures from reference mutational signatures.

objective.fn Objective value derivation function.

original.muts.seq.art.weights.sum

A numeric value. 'seq.art.sigs.weights.sum' from CheckIfVariantRefinementIs-Necessary

ga.preemptive.killing

If TRUE, then preemptively kills populations that yield greater sequencing artifact weights sum compared to the original mutatational signatures analysis

verbose If TRUE, provides process detail. Default value is TRUE.

### Value

A list with the following elements

- judgmentA boolean value
- seq.art.sigs.weightsA numeric value. Sum of sequencing artifact weights.

 ${\tt GetOptimizedSignatures}$ 

GetOptimizedSignatures

# **Description**

This function fetches the last row from the optimization iteration log and returns the target and artifactual mutational signatures for the type of mutations ('refined' or 'artifactual')

### Usage

```
GetOptimizedSignatures(data, mutations.type = "refined",
    signatures = "all")
```

# **Arguments**

data A list of main data from RunFIREVAT

mutations.type A string for type of mutations ('refined' or 'artifact')

signatures A string ('all', 'target', 'artifact')

#### Value

A data.frame with the columns 'signature' and 'weight'

 ${\tt GetParameterLowerUpperVector}$ 

GetParameterLowerUpperVector

# Description

Return a lower/upper vector needed to conduct FIREVAT GA real-valued optimization.

### Usage

```
GetParameterLowerUpperVector(vcf.obj, config.obj, vcf.filter,
  multiplier = 100)
```

vcf.obj	A list from ReadVCF
config.obj	A list from ParseConfigFile
vcf.filter	A list from MakeMuTect2Filter
multiplier	A multiplier for convert fraction to integer (default = 100)

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### **Details**

vcf.obj\$data: if max(vcf.obj\$data[[param]]) < 1, then multiply multiplier to the vector

### Value

A list with the elements

- lower.vector A numeric vector. Each element is the minimum value of each parameter
- upper.vector A numeric vector. Each element is the maximum value of each parameter
- · vcf.obj vcf.obj with updated data

GetPCAWGMutSigs

**GetPCAWGMutSigs** 

### **Description**

Returns the PCAWG mutational signatures data

# Usage

```
GetPCAWGMutSigs(sequencing.type = "wes")
```

# **Arguments**

sequencing.type

A string value. It can be either 'wes' for whole-exome sequencing or 'wgs' for whole-genome sequencing

# Value

a data.frame of the PCAWG mutatioanl signatures

```
{\tt GetPCAWGMutSigsEtiologiesColors}
```

GetPCAWGMutSigsEtiologiesColors

# **Description**

Returns the PCAWG mutational signatures etiologies and colors

# Usage

```
GetPCAWGMutSigsEtiologiesColors()
```

### Value

```
a data.frame with the columns 'signature', 'group', 'color'
```

 ${\tt GetPCAWGMutSigsNames} \quad \textit{GetPCAWGMutSigsNames}$ 

### **Description**

Returns the PCAWG mutational signatures names

### Usage

GetPCAWGMutSigsNames()

# Value

a character vector of the PCAWG mutational signatures names

GetPCAWGPlatinumMutSigs

GetPCAWGPlatinumMutSigs

# Description

Returns the PCAWG platinum mutational signatures data

# Usage

GetPCAWGPlatinumMutSigs()

### Value

a data.frame of the PCAWG platinum mutatioanl signatures

 $\label{lem:GetPCAWGPlatinumMutSigsEtiologiesColors} GetPCAWGPlatinumMutSigsEtiologiesColors$ 

# Description

Returns the PCAWG platinum mutational signatures etiologies and colors

# Usage

GetPCAWGPlatinumMutSigsEtiologiesColors()

### Value

a data.frame with the columns 'signature', 'group', 'color'

 ${\tt GetPCAWGPlatinumMutSigsNames}$ 

GetPCAWGPlatinumMutSigsNames

# Description

Returns the PCAWG platinum mutational signatures names

# Usage

```
GetPCAWGPlatinumMutSigsNames()
```

# Value

a character vector of the PCAWG platinum mutational signatures names

GetSeedForVCF

GetSeedForVCF

# Description

Returns a seed integer based on VCF file size

# Usage

```
GetSeedForVCF(vcf.file)
```

# Arguments

```
vcf.file (full path of a .vcf file)
```

Details

Returns the same seed integer for the same VCF file (based on file size)

# Value

an integer value

InitializeVCF	InitializeVCF

# **Description**

Initialize VCF with FIREVAT config file This functions selects point mutations and appends filter values to vcf.obj\$data

# Usage

```
InitializeVCF(vcf.obj, config.obj, verbose = TRUE)
```

# **Arguments**

vcf.obj A list from ReadVCF
config.obj A list from ParseConfigFile
verbose If true, provides process detail

#### Value

A list with the following elements

- vcf.obj.filteredvcf.obj (high-quality vcf)
- vcf.obj.artifactvcf.obj (low-quality vcf)

```
Leaky.ReLU.A.Art.Obj.Fn

Leaky.ReLU.A.Art.Obj.Fn
```

# **Description**

Leaky ReLU objective function

# Usage

```
Leaky.ReLU.A.Art.Obj.Fn(C.refined, A.refined, C.artifactual, A.artifactual)
```

# Arguments

 $\begin{array}{lll} \hbox{C.refined} & A \text{ numeric value between 0 and 1.} \\ \hbox{A.refined} & A \text{ numeric value between 0 and 1.} \\ \hbox{C.artifactual} & A \text{ numeric value between 0 and 1.} \\ \hbox{A.artifactual} & A \text{ numeric value between 0 and 1.} \\ \end{array}$ 

### Value

A numeric value between 0 and 1.

```
Leaky.ReLU.A.Ref.Obj.Fn
```

Leaky.ReLU.A.Ref.Obj.Fn

# Description

Leaky ReLU objective function

# Usage

```
Leaky.ReLU.A.Ref.Obj.Fn(C.refined, A.refined, C.artifactual, A.artifactual)
```

# Arguments

C.refined	A numeric value between 0 and 1.
A.refined	A numeric value between 0 and 1.
C.artifactual	A numeric value between 0 and 1.
A.artifactual	A numeric value between 0 and 1.

### Value

A numeric value between 0 and 1.

```
Leaky.ReLU.Obj.Fn Leaky.ReLU.Obj.Fn
```

# **Description**

Lkeay ReLU objective function

# Usage

```
Leaky.ReLU.Obj.Fn(C.refined, A.refined, C.artifactual, A.artifactual)
```

# **Arguments**

```
C.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

C.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.
```

# Value

A numeric value between 0 and 1.

MakeFilter

MakeFilter

# Description

Creates a vcf filter from config.obj

# Usage

```
MakeFilter(config.obj)
```

# Arguments

config.obj

A list from ParseConfigFile (any filter with "use\_in\_filter" value declared as FALSE is not considered)

# Value

A list with the filter parameters

MutaliskParseVCF0bj

MutaliskParseVCFObj

# Description

Parses a vcf.obj and prepares it to run Mutalisk.

# Usage

```
MutaliskParseVCFObj(vcf.obj)
```

# Arguments

vcf.obj

A list from ReadVCF

### Value

A data.frame

MutPatParseRefMutSigs MutPatParseRefMutSigs

### **Description**

Parses a df.ref.mut.sigs and prepares it to run Mutational Patterns.

# Usage

```
MutPatParseRefMutSigs(df.ref.mut.sigs, target.mut.sigs,
    signature.start.column.index = 4,
    mutation.type.header = "SomaticMutationType")
```

### **Arguments**

```
df.ref.mut.sigs
A data.frame of reference mutational signatures

target.mut.sigs
A character vector of target mutational signatures names

signature.start.column.index
= An integer value (e.g. column index corresponding to 'SBS1')

mutation.type.header
= A string value (name of header corresponding to column containing 'A[C>A]A' data))
```

#### Value

A data.frame of the format deconstructSigs::signatures.cosmic

MutPatParseVCFObj MutPatParseVCFObj

# Description

Parses a vcf.obj and prepares it to run Mutational Patterns.

### Usage

```
MutPatParseVCFObj(vcf.obj, bsg, sample.id = "sample")
```

# Arguments

vcf.obj A list from ReadVCF

bsg BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg19::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg19 or BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38

sample.id A string value

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### Value

A data frame with the column sample id and row names corresponding to 96 substitution types

neterToBits

# Description

Calculate the number of bits needed to conduct FIREVAT GA binary optimization.

# Usage

```
ParameterToBits(vcf.obj, config.obj, vcf.filter, multiplier = 100)
```

# **Arguments**

vcf.obj	A list from ReadVCF
config.obj	A list from ParseConfigFile
vcf.filter	A list from MakeMuTect2Filter
multiplier	A multiplier for convert fraction to integer (default = 100)

#### **Details**

vcf.obj\$data: if max(vcf.obj\$data[[param]]) < 1, then multiply multiplier to the vector

# Value

A list with the elements

- params.bit.lenA numeric vector. Each element is the bit length of each parameter value
- vcf.objA vcf.obj (ReadVCF) with updated data

# **Description**

This function returns config.obj from JSON or YAML config file. - Check if the config file is in JSON format or YAML format - Return config.obj

# Usage

```
ParseConfigFile(config.path, verbose = TRUE)
```

### **Arguments**

config.path A string for config file path verbose If true, provides process detail

# Value

```
config.obj: list of parameters
```

# **Examples**

```
## Not run:
ParseConfigFile("example.variant.caller.json")
ParseConfigFile("example.variant.caller.json", verbose=False)
## End(Not run)
```

```
PCAWG.All.Sequencing.Artifact.Signatures

**Constant**
```

### **Description**

PCAWG mutational signatures reported to be associated with sequencing artifacts

# Usage

```
PCAWG.All.Sequencing.Artifact.Signatures
```

### **Format**

An object of class character of length 18.

```
{\it PCAWG.} Known. Sequencing. Artifact. Signatures \\ {\it Constant}
```

# **Description**

PCAWG mutational signatures reported to be associated with sequencing artifacts

# Usage

```
PCAWG.Known.Sequencing.Artifact.Signatures
```

# **Format**

An object of class character of length 1.

PCAWG.Platinum.All.Technology.Related.Artifact.Signatures

\*Constant\*

# Description

PCAWG mutational signatures reported to be associated with sequencing artifacts

# Usage

PCAWG.Platinum.All.Technology.Related.Artifact.Signatures

### **Format**

An object of class character of length 9.

PCAWG.Possible.Sequencing.Artifact.Signatures

\*\*Constant\*\*

# **Description**

PCAWG mutational signatures reported to be associated with sequencing artifacts

# Usage

PCAWG.Possible.Sequencing.Artifact.Signatures

# **Format**

An object of class character of length 17.

PCAWG.Target.Mutational.Signatures

\*\*Constant\*\*

# Description

PCAWG target mutational signatures reported to be unrelated to sequencing artifacts

# Usage

PCAWG.Target.Mutational.Signatures

### **Format**

An object of class character of length 47.

PerformStrandBiasAnalysis

PerformStrandBiasAnalysis

# **Description**

Performs strand bias analysis

# Usage

```
PerformStrandBiasAnalysis(vcf.obj, ref.forward.strand.var,
  ref.reverse.strand.var, alt.forward.strand.var, alt.reverse.strand.var,
  perform.fdr.correction = TRUE, fdr.correction.method = "BH")
```

# **Arguments**

### Value

An updated vcf.obj

PlotMutaliskResults PlotMutaliskResults

# Description

Plots Mutalisk results

# Usage

```
PlotMutaliskResults(mutalisk.results, signatures,
  df.ref.sigs.groups.colors, trinuc.max.y, trinuc.min.y, mut.type.max.y,
  title, font.size.small = 8, font.size.med = 14)
```

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# **Arguments**

```
mutalisk.results
                 A list obtained from RunMutalisk
signatures
                 A character vector of mutational signatures names
df.ref.sigs.groups.colors
                 A data.frame with signature groups and colors
                 A numeric value (maximum y-axis value)
trinuc.max.y
trinuc.min.y
                 A numeric value (minimum y-axis value)
mut.type.max.y A numeric value
title
                 A string value
font.size.small
                 A numeric value
font.size.med
               A numeric value
```

#### Value

A ggplot object

### **Examples**

 ${\tt PlotMutationTypes}$ 

**PlotMutationTypes** 

# **Description**

Plots a horizontal barplot of mutation types

### Usage

```
PlotMutationTypes(mutation.types = c("C>A", "C>G", "C>T", "T>A", "T>C", "T>G"), mutation.types.values, mutation.types.colors, max.y.val, title, convert.to.percentage = T, show.legend = T, font.size.small = 8, font.size.med = 14, plot.margin = unit(c(0.5, 0.5, 0.5, 0.5), "cm"))
```

### **Arguments**

```
mutation.types \;\; Mutation \; types; \; Default = c("C>A", "C>G", "C>T", "T>A", "T>C", "T>G")
mutation.types.values
                  Mutation count for each mutation type
mutation.types.colors
                  A color vector for indicating mutation types
max.y.val
                  y axis maximum value
title
                  Plot title
convert.to.percentage
                  if True convert y values to percentage (x 100); Default = T
show.legend
                  If True, show legend; Default = T
font.size.small
                  Small font size; Default = 8
font.size.med
                  Medium font size; Default = 14
                  Margin vector for drawing plot; Default = unit(c(0.5, 0.5, 0.5, 0.5, 0.5), "cm"))
plot.margin
```

### Value

A ggplot object

### **Examples**

PlotOptimizationIterations

**PlotOptimizationIterations** 

# **Description**

Plots multiple scatter plots into one figure

### Usage

```
PlotOptimizationIterations(df, columns.to.plot, x.axis.var, x.axis.title,
    x.min, x.max, save.file, title, y.axis.title = "", y.max = 1,
    point.size = 1, connect.dots = T, plot.legend = T,
    legend.ncol = 1, font.size.med = 14, font.size.large = 16,
    plot.margin = unit(c(0.5, 0.5, 0.5, 0.5), "cm"))
```

### **Arguments**

```
A data.frame (from reading "FIREVAT_Optimization_Logs.tsv")
df
columns.to.plot
                  A character vector (of column names to plot)
x.axis.var
                  x axis variable
x.axis.title
                  x axis title
                  x axis maximum value
x.max
save.file
                  Filename (including full path) to which the plot will be saved
title
                  Plot title
                  y axis title; Default = ""
y.axis.title
y.max
                  y axis maximum value; Default = 1
                  Point size; Default = 1
point.size
connect.dots
                  If True draws dots for each iteration; Default = True
plot.legend
                  If True write legend of plot; Default = T
legend.ncol
                  legend.n Default = 1
font.size.med
                  Medium font size; Default = 14
font.size.large
                  Large font size; Default = 16
                  Margin vector for plot; Default = unit(c(0.5, 0.5, 0.5, 0.5), "cm"))
plot.margin
```

#### Value

A ggplot object

PlotSignaturesContProbs

*PlotSignaturesContProbs* 

# Description

Plots a horizontal barplot of identified mutational signatures

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### Usage

```
PlotSignaturesContProbs(df.identified.mut.sigs, df.ref.sigs.groups.colors,
  title, convert.to.percentage = T, font.size.small = 8,
  font.size.med = 14, plot.margin = unit(c(0.5, 0.5, 0.5, 0.5), "cm"))
```

### **Arguments**

```
df.identified.mut.sigs
A data.frame of identified mutational signatures

df.ref.sigs.groups.colors
A data.frame with 'signature', 'group', and 'color' columns

title
Plot title
convert.to.percentage
If true, convert y values to percentage (x 100); Default = T,

font.size.small
Small font size; Default = 8,

font.size.med
Medium font size; Default = 14,

plot.margin
Margin vector for drawing plot; Default = unit(c(0.5, 0.5, 0.5, 0.5), "cm"))
```

#### Value

A ggplot object

### **Examples**

```
## Not run:
    g <- PlotSignaturesContProbs(sigs = c(mutalisk.results$identified.mut.sigs),
    sigs.probs = c(mutalisk.results$identified.mut.sigs.probs),
    df.ref.sigs.groups.colors = GetPCAWGMutSigsEtiologiesColors())
    print(g)
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

PlotTable

*PlotTable* 

### Description

Plots basic statistics table

### Usage

```
PlotTable(df, padding = 20, font.size = 14)
```

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#### **Arguments**

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df = A data.frame where the first column is header and the second column is data

value

padding Padding size; Default = 20 font.size Font size; Default = 14

#### Value

A plot

PlotTriNucSpectrum PlotTriNucSpectrum

# **Description**

Plots the spectrum of 96 trinucleotide distribution (C>A, C>G, C>T, T>A, T>C, T>G) Please note that this function assumes that both sub.types and spectrum are sorted in the following order: C>A, C>G, C>T, T>A, T>C, T>G

#### Usage

```
PlotTriNucSpectrum(sub.types, spectrum, max.y.val, min.y.val, y.axis.title,
  draw.top.strip = T, draw.x.axis.labels = T, draw.y.axis.labels = T,
  draw.y.axis.title = T, font.size.small = 8, font.size.med = 14,
  plot.margin.top = 0.5, plot.margin.bottom = 0.5,
  plot.margin.left = 0.5, plot.margin.right = 0.5, title)
```

### Arguments

font.size.med

```
A character vector (types of 96 trinucleotide substitutions)
sub.types
                  A numeric vector (96 elements)
spectrum
max.y.val
                  y axis maximum value
min.y.val
                  y axis minimum value
y.axis.title
                  y axis title
draw.top.strip If True then draws top strip; Default = T
draw.x.axis.labels
                  If True then draws x axis labels; Default = T
draw.y.axis.labels
                  If True then draws y axis labels; Default = T
draw.y.axis.title
                  If True then draws y axis title; Default = T
font.size.small
                  Small font size; Default = 8
```

Medium font size; Default = 14

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```
Top margin; Default = 0.5

plot.margin.bottom

Bottom margin; Default = 0.5

plot.margin.left

Left margin; Default = 0.5

plot.margin.right

Right margin; Default = 0.5

title Plot title
```

#### Value

A ggplot object

PlotVCFStatsBoxPlots PlotVCFStatsBoxPlots

# **Description**

Plots multiple (original, refined, artifact vcf) boxplots for single filter parameter

# Usage

```
PlotVCFStatsBoxPlots(original.vcf.stat.values, refined.vcf.stat.values,
  artifact.vcf.stat.values, xlab, axis.font.size = 10,
  label.font.size = 10, title.font.size = 12)
```

### Arguments

```
original.vcf.stat.values
```

A numeric vector corresponding to the original vcf.obj values of single filter parameter

refined.vcf.stat.values

A numeric vector corresponding to the refined vcf.obj values of single filter parameter

artifact.vcf.stat.values

A numeric vector corresponding to the artifact vcf.obj values of single filter parameter

xlab A string value (x-axis label)

axis.font.size An integer value (axis font size)

label.font.size

An integer value (label font size)

title.font.size

An integer value (title font size)

#### Value

A ggboxplot

PlotVCFStatsHistograms

*PlotVCFStatsHistograms* 

# **Description**

Plots multiple VCF stats histograms into one figure

### Usage

```
PlotVCFStatsHistograms(plot.values, x.axis.labels, stat.y.max.vals,
   stat.x.max.vals, sample.id, save.file, title, cutoff.values,
   plot.boxplot = F, plot.cutoff.line.color = "#D4012E",
   plot.cutoff.value.lines = F, bin.width = 1, ncol = 4, nrow = 3,
   font.size.med = 10, font.size.large = 12, plot.margin = unit(c(0.5,
   0.5, 0.5, 0.5), "cm"))
```

```
plot.values
                  A list of multiple numeric vectors
x.axis.labels
                  A character vector of x axis labels
stat.y.max.vals
                  A numeric vector of max y-axis values
stat.x.max.vals
                  A numeric vector of max x-axis values
sample.id
                  A string value of sample ID
save.file
                  A string value of file to which the resulting plot will be saved
title
                  A string value of plot title
cutoff.values
                  A numeric vector of cutoff values
plot.boxplot
                  A boolean value (default = False)
plot.cutoff.line.color
                  A hex string value (default = "#D4012E")
plot.cutoff.value.lines
                  A boolean value (default = False)
bin.width
                  An integer value (default = 1; histogram bin width)
ncol
                  An integer value (default = 4; ggarrange ncol)
                  An integer value (default = 3; ggarrange nrow)
nrow
font.size.med
                  An integer value (default = 10)
font.size.large
                  An integer value (default = 12)
                  A list (default = unit(c(0.5, 0.5, 0.5, 0.5), "cm"))
plot.margin
```

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### Value

A list with the following elements

- f = A ggarrange object
- graphs = A list of length 3; each element is a ggplot histogram

PrepareAnnotationDB

Prepare Annotation DB

### Description

Prepares df.genes.of.interest from a vcf.obj (ReadVCF) of COSMIC or ClinVar vcf for AnnotateVCFObj

### Usage

PrepareAnnotationDB(annotation.vcf.obj)

### **Arguments**

```
annotation.vcf.obj vcf.obj of COSMIC or ClinVar vcf file
```

### Value

A data.frame of annotation.vcf.obj

 ${\tt Prepare Artifact Annotation Table}$ 

Prepare Artifact Annotation Table

# Description

Prepares artifactual mutations annotation (filtered, queried) table

# Usage

PrepareArtifactAnnotationTable(data)

### **Arguments**

data

A list of elements returned from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

A data.frame

 ${\tt PrepareArtifactStrandBiasTable}$ 

Prepare Artifact Strand Bias Table

# Description

Prepares artifactual mutations strand biased variants table

### Usage

PrepareArtifactStrandBiasTable(data)

#### **Arguments**

data

A list of elements returned from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

A data.frame

 $\label{lem:prepareArtifactualMutsOptimizationIterationsPlot} PrepareArtifactualMutsOptimizationIterationsPlot$ 

# Description

Prepares artifactual mutations optimization iterations plot

# Usage

PrepareArtifactualMutsOptimizationIterationsPlot(data)

### **Arguments**

data

A list of elements returned from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

A ggplot object

 ${\tt PrepareFilterCutoffsTable}$ 

Prepare Filter Cutoffs Table

# Description

Prepares filter cutoffs table for reporting

# Usage

PrepareFilterCutoffsTable(data)

# Arguments

data

A list of elements returned from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

A data.frame

 ${\tt Prepare Genetic Algorithm Parameters Table}$ 

Prepare Genetic Algorithm Parameters Table

# Description

Prepares Genetic Algorithm parameters table

# Usage

 ${\tt Prepare Genetic Algorithm Parameters Table (data)}$ 

# Arguments

data

A list of elements returned from RunFIREVAT

### Value

A data.frame

 ${\tt PrepareIdentifiedSignaturesPlot}$ 

Prepare Identified Signatures Plot

# Description

Prepares identified signatures plot for reporting

### Usage

PrepareIdentifiedSignaturesPlot(data)

### Arguments

data

A list of elements returned from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

A ggarrange object

 ${\tt Prepare MLERe constructed Spectrums Plot}$ 

Prepare MLE Reconstructed Spectrums Plot

# Description

Prepares MLE reconstructed spectrums plot

# Usage

PrepareMLEReconstructedSpectrumsPlot(data)

# Arguments

data

A list of elements returned from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

 ${\tt Prepare Nucleotide Substitution Types Plot}$ 

Prepare Nucleotide Substitution Types Plot

# Description

Prepares nucleotide substitution types plot

# Usage

PrepareNucleotideSubstitutionTypesPlot(data)

### **Arguments**

data

A list of elements returned from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

A ggarrange object

 ${\tt Prepare Observed Spectrums Plot}$ 

PrepareObservedSpectrumsPlot

# Description

Prepares observed spectrums plot

# Usage

PrepareObservedSpectrumsPlot(data)

# Arguments

data

A list of elements returned from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

PrepareOptimizationResultsTable

 ${\it Prepare Optimization Results Table}$ 

# Description

Prepares optimization results table

### Usage

PrepareOptimizationResultsTable(data)

# Arguments

data

A list of elements returned from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

A data.frame

PrepareOptimizedVCFStatisticsPlot

Prepare Optimized VCF Statistics Plot

# Description

Prepares optimized VCF statistics plot

# Usage

PrepareOptimizedVCFStatisticsPlot(data)

### **Arguments**

data

A list of elements returned from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

 ${\tt Prepare Refined Annotation Table}$ 

Prepare Refined Annotation Table

# Description

Prepares refined mutations annotation (filtered, queried) table

### Usage

PrepareRefinedAnnotationTable(data)

#### **Arguments**

data

A list of elements returned from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

A data.frame

 ${\tt Prepare Refined Muts Optimization Iterations Plot}$ 

Prepare Refined Muts Optimization Iterations Plot

# Description

Prepares refined mutations optimization iterations plot

# Usage

PrepareRefinedMutsOptimizationIterationsPlot(data)

### **Arguments**

data

A list of elements returned from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

A ggplot object

 ${\tt Prepare Refined Strand Bias Table}$ 

 ${\it Prepare Refined Strand Bias Table}$ 

# Description

Prepares refined mutations strand biased variants table

### Usage

PrepareRefinedStrandBiasTable(data)

# Arguments

data

A list of elements returned from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

A data.frame

 ${\tt PrepareResidualSpectrumsPlot}$ 

PrepareResidualSpectrumsPlot

# Description

Prepares residual spectrums plot

# Usage

PrepareResidualSpectrumsPlot(data)

# Arguments

data

A list of elements returned from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

 ${\tt PrepareTrinucleotideSpectrumsTable}$ 

Prepare Trinucle ot ide Spectrums Table

# Description

Prepares trinucleotide spectrums table

# Usage

PrepareTrinucleotideSpectrumsTable(data)

### **Arguments**

data

A list of elements returned from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

A data.frame

PrintLog

**PrintLog** 

# Description

Prints log message

# Usage

```
PrintLog(msg, type = "INFO")
```

### **Arguments**

msg String value message to print along with log type and date

type String value that represents type of this message. 'INFO' by default.

 ${\tt QueryAnnotatedVCF}$ 

FilterAnnotatedVCF

### **Description**

Annotates a vcf.obj using df.variants.of.interest (from (PrepareAnnotationDB)

# Usage

```
QueryAnnotatedVCF(vcf.obj.annotated, filter.key.value.pairs,
  filter.condition = "AND")
```

### **Arguments**

```
vcf.obj.annotated
```

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filter.key.value.pairs

A list with the key as the column name and value as the filtering values. E.g. list("CLNSIG" = c("Pathogenic", "Pathogenic/Likely\_pathogenic"))

filter.condition

'AND' or 'OR'.

#### Value

A vcf.obj

 ${\tt ReadOptimizationIterationReport}$ 

ReadOptimizationIterationReport

# Description

Read optimization iteration report

#### Usage

ReadOptimizationIterationReport(data)

#### **Arguments**

data

A list of elements returned from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

A data.frame of FIREVAT optimization logs

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ReadVCF

ReadVCF

# Description

Reads a .vcf file

### Usage

```
ReadVCF(vcf.file, genome = "hg19", split.info = FALSE,
   check.chromosome.name = TRUE)
```

### **Arguments**

vcf.file (full path of a .vcf file) genome ('hg19' or 'hg38')

split.info A boolean value. If TRUE, then makes the INFO column in the vcf as a separate

column. Default value is FALSE.

check.chromosome.name

A boolean value. If TRUE, then check whether converts 'MT' to 'M' and adds

'chr' to the CHROM column. Default value is TRUE.

#### Value

A list with elements 'data', 'header', 'genome'

```
ReportFIREVATResults ReportFIREVATResults
```

# Description

Reports FIREVAT results in html format (generated from Rmd)

#### Usage

```
ReportFIREVATResults(data)
```

#### **Arguments**

data

A list of main data from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

An updated data list

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#### **Description**

Runs FIREVAT using configuration data. Filters point mutations in the user-specified vcf file based on mutational signature identification and outputs the refined and artifact vcf files as well as metadata related to the refinement process.

#### Usage

```
RunFIREVAT(vcf.file, vcf.file.genome = "hg19", config.file,
 df.ref.mut.sigs = GetPCAWGMutSigs(),
 target.mut.sigs = GetPCAWGMutSigsNames(),
 df.ref.mut.sigs.groups.colors = GetPCAWGMutSigsEtiologiesColors(),
 sequencing.artifact.mut.sigs = PCAWG.All.Sequencing.Artifact.Signatures,
 num.cores = 2, output.dir, mode = "ga", init.artifact.stop = 0.05,
 objective.fn = Default.Obj.Fn, use.suggested.soln = TRUE,
 ga.type = "real-valued", ga.pop.size = 100, ga.max.iter = 100,
 ga.run = 50, ga.pmutation = 0.1, ga.preemptive.killing = FALSE,
 ga.seed = NULL, mutalisk = TRUE, mutalisk.method = "all",
 mutalisk.must.include.sigs = NULL,
 mutalisk.random.sampling.count = 20,
 mutalisk.random.sampling.max.iter = 10,
 perform.strand.bias.analysis = FALSE,
 filter.by.strand.bias.analysis = TRUE,
 filter.by.strand.bias.analysis.cutoff = 0.25,
 strand.bias.perform.fdr.correction = TRUE,
 strand.bias.fdr.correction.method = "BH",
 ref.forward.strand.var = NULL, ref.reverse.strand.var = NULL,
 alt.forward.strand.var = NULL, alt.reverse.strand.var = NULL,
 annotate = FALSE, df.annotation.db = NULL,
 annotated.columns.to.display = NULL,
 annotation.filter.key.value.pairs = NULL,
 annotation.filter.condition = "AND", write.vcf = TRUE,
 report = TRUE, save.rdata = TRUE, save.tsv = TRUE,
 report.format = "html", verbose = TRUE)
```

#### **Arguments**

```
vcf.file String value corresponding to input .vcf file. Please provide the full path.

vcf.file.genome

Genome assembly of the input .vcf file. The value should be eitehr 'hg19' or 'hg38'.

config.file String value corresponding to input configuration file. For more details please refer to ...
```

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df.ref.mut.sigs

A data frame of the reference mutational signatures

target.mut.sigs

A character vector of the target mutational signatures from reference mutational signatures.

df.ref.mut.sigs.groups.colors

A data frame of the reference mutational signatures groups and colors

sequencing.artifact.mut.sigs

A character vector of the sequencing artifact mutational signatures from reference mutational signatures.

num. cores Number of cores to allocate

output.dir String value of the desired output directory

mode String value. The value should be either 'ga' or 'manual'.

init.artifact.stop

Numeric value less than 1. If the sum of sequencing artifact weights in the user-specified original VCF file (i.e. vcf.file) is less than or equal to this value then FIREVAT does not perform variant refinement. Default value is 0.05. Note that this option does not apply if 'mode' is 'manual'.

objective.fn Objective value derivation function. Default: Default.Obj.Fn.

use.suggested.soln

Boolean value. If TRUE, then FIREVAT passes the default values of filter variables declared as 'use\_in\_filter' in the config file to the 'suggestions' parameter of the Genetic Algorithm package. If FALSE, then FIREVAT supplies NULL to the GA package 'suggestions' parameter. FIREVAT also computes baseline performance of each filter variable and uses fittest population from each variable as a suggested solution.

ga. type String value. The value should be either 'binray' or 'real-valued'.

ga.pop.size Integer value of the Genetic Algorithm 'population size' parameter. Default: 100. This value should be set based on the number of filter parameters. Recommendation: 40 per filter parameter.

ga.max.iter Integer value of the Genetic Algorithm 'maximum iterations' parameter. Default: 100. This value should be set based on the number of filter parameters. Recommendation: same as 'ga.pop.size'.

ga.run Integer value of the Genetic Algorithm 'run' parameter. Default: 50. This value should be set based on the 'ga.max.iter' parameter. Recommendation: 25 percent of 'ga.max.iter'.

ga.pmutation Float value of the Genetic Algorithm 'mutation probability' parameter. Default: 0.1.

ga.preemptive.killing

If TRUE, then preemptively kills populations that yield greater sequencing artifact weights sum compared to the original mutatational signatures analysis

ga. seed Integer value of the Genetic Algorithm 'seed' parameter. Default: NULL.

mutalisk If TRUE, confirm mutational signature analysis with Mutalisk. Default: TRUE.

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mutalisk.method

Mutalisk signature identification method. Default: 'random.sampling'. The value can be either 'all' or 'random.sampling'. 'all' uses all target.mut.sigs to identify mutational signatures. 'random.sampling' randomly samples from target.mut.sigs to identify mutational signatures.

mutalisk.must.include.sigs

Signatures that must be included in the Mutalisk signature identification A character vector corresponding to the signature names.

mutalisk.random.sampling.count

Mutalisk random sampling count. Default: 20. The number of signatures to sample from target.mut.sigs

mutalisk.random.sampling.max.iter

Mutalisk random sampling maximum iteration. Default: 10. The number of times Mutalisk randomly samples from target.mut.sigs before determining the candidate signatures.

perform.strand.bias.analysis

If TRUE, then performs strand bias analysis.

filter.by.strand.bias.analysis

If TRUE, then filters out variants in refined vcf based on strand bias analysis results

filter.by.strand.bias.analysis.cutoff

The p.value or q value cutoff for filtering out variants.

strand.bias.perform.fdr.correction

If TRUE, then performs false discovery rate correction for strand bias analysis.

strand.bias.fdr.correction.method

A string value. Default value is 'BH'. Refer to 'p.adjust()' function method.

ref.forward.strand.var

A string value.

ref.reverse.strand.var

A string value,

alt.forward.strand.var

A string value,

alt.reverse.strand.var

A string value,

annotate A boolean value. Default value is TRUE.

df.annotation.db

A data.frame. Please refer to PrepareAnnotationDB

annotated.columns.to.display

A character vector.

annotation.filter.key.value.pairs

A list.

annotation.filter.condition

'AND' or 'OR'.

write.vcf If TRUE, write original/refined/artifact vcfs. Default: TRUE.

report If TRUE, generate report. Default: TRUE.

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save.rdata If TRUE, save rdata. Default: TRUE. save.tsv If TRUE, save tsv. Default: TRUE.

report. format The format of FIREVAT report. We currently only support 'html'.

verbose If TRUE, provides process detail. Default: TRUE.

### Value

A list with the following elements

- f = A ggarrange object
- graphs = A list of length 3; each element is a ggplot histogram

RunGAMode

RunGAMode

# Description

Runs FIREVAT ga mode

# Usage

RunGAMode(data)

# Arguments

data

A list from RunFIREVAT

# Value

A list

RunManualMode

RunManualMode

### Description

Runs FIREVAT manual mode

### Usage

RunManualMode(data)

# Arguments

data

A list from RunFIREVAT

#### Value

A list

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RunMutalisk

### **Description**

Identifies mutational signatures using Mutalisk

### Usage

```
RunMutalisk(vcf.obj, df.ref.mut.sigs, target.mut.sigs,
  random.sampling.candidate.mut.sigs = c(), method = "random.sampling",
  n.sample = 20, n.iter = 10, verbose = TRUE)
```

#### **Arguments**

```
A list (from firevat_vcf::ReadVCF)
vcf.obi
df.ref.mut.sigs
                  A data.frame of reference mutational signatures
target.mut.sigs
                  A character vector of target mutational signatures names to identify from
random.sampling.candidate.mut.sigs
                  A character vector of mutational signatures names that gets appended to the list
                  of candidate mutational signatures so that these are always considered.
method
                  A string value (must be either 'random.sampling' or 'all'). The method 'ran-
                  dom.sampling' samples (without replacement) 'n.sample' number of signatures
                  'n.iter' number of times and runs the candidate signatures one last time. The
                  method 'all' uses all target.mut.sigs
                  An integer value ('random.sampling' method parameter) Number of signatures
n.sample
                  to choose for each iteration of random sampling).
n.iter
                  An integer value ('random.sampling' method parameter). Number of iterations
                  to perform random sampling.
                  If true, provides process details
verbose
```

#### Value

A list with the following elements

- num.point.mutationsAn integer value count of total point mutations
- sub.typesA character vector of length 96
- sub.types.spectrumA numeric vector of length 96
- num.mut.sigsAn integer value (count of unique mutational signatures identified)
- · identified.mut.sigsA character vector where each element is a mutational signature identified
- identified.mut.sigs.probsA numeric vector where each element is the weight of mutational signature identified. The ordering follows identified.mut.sigs

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- identified.mut.sigs.spectrumA numeric vector of length 96
- residualsA numeric vector of length 96
- rssA numeric value (residual sum of squares)
- cos.sim.scoreA numeric value (cosine similarity score between observed mutational spectrum and reconstructed mutational signatures)
- all.models.sigsA list where each element is a model; a model is a list of signatures identified)
- all.models.sigs.probsA list where each element is a model; a model is a list of contribution probabilities
- all.models.cos.sim.scoresA list where each element is a model; a model is a list of cosine similarity socres

RunMutaliskHelper

RunMutaliskHelper

#### **Description**

Helper function for RunMutalisk

#### Usage

```
RunMutaliskHelper(vcf.trinucleotide.data, df.ref.mut.sigs, target.mut.sigs)
```

#### Arguments

```
vcf.trinucleotide.data
A data.frame (from firevat_mutalisk::MutaliskParseVCFObj)

df.ref.mut.sigs
A data.frame of reference mutational signatures

target.mut.sigs
A character vector of target mutational signatures names
```

#### Value

A list with the following elements

- num.point.mutationsAn integer value count of total point mutations
- sub.typesA character vector of length 96
- sub.types.spectrumA numeric vector of length 96
- num.mut.sigsAn integer value (count of unique mutational signatures identified)
- · identified.mut.sigsA character vector where each element is a mutational signature identified
- identified.mut.sigs.probsA numeric vector where each element is the weight of mutational signature identified. The ordering follows identified.mut.sigs
- identified.mut.sigs.spectrumA numeric vector of length 96

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- · residualsA numeric vector of length 96
- rssA numeric value (residual sum of squares)
- cos.sim.scoreA numeric value (cosine similarity score between observed mutational spectrum and reconstructed mutational signatures)
- all.models.sigsA list where each element is a model; a model is a list of signatures identified)
- all.models.sigs.probsA list where each element is a model; a model is a list of contribution probabilities
- all.models.cos.sim.scoresA list where each element is a model; a model is a list of cosine similarity socres

RunMutPat

RunMutPat

#### **Description**

Identifies mutational signatures using Mutational Patterns

#### Usage

```
RunMutPat(mut.pat.input, df.mut.pat.ref.sigs, target.mut.sigs,
  verbose = TRUE)
```

#### **Arguments**

#### Value

A list with the following elements

- tumor.mutation.types.spectrumA numeric vector of length 96 'observed' spectrum
- identified.mutation.types.spectrumA numeric vector of length 96 'identified' spectrum
- residuals A numeric vector of length 96 residuals
- mutation.typesA character vector of length 96
- · identified.mut.sigsA character vector where each element is a mutational signature identified
- identified.mut.sigs.contribution.weightsA numeric vector where each element is the weight of mutational signature identified. The ordering follows identified.mut.sigs
- · cosine.similarity.scoreA numeric value

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#### **Examples**

```
## Not run:
vcf.obj <- ReadVCF(vcf.file = "../data/sample/HNT-082-BT.final.call.vcf", genome = "hg19")
df.ref.mut.sigs <- GetPCAWGMutSigs()
target.mut.sigs <- GetPCAWGMutSigsNames()
RunMutPat(vcf.obj = vcf.obj,
df.ref.mut.sigs = df.ref.mut.sigs,
target.mut.sigs = target.mut.sigs)
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

Sigmoid.Obj.Fn

Sigmoid.Obj.Fn

### **Description**

Sigmoid objective function

#### Usage

```
Sigmoid.Obj.Fn(C.refined, A.refined, C.artifactual, A.artifactual)
```

### **Arguments**

C.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.

C.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

A.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

#### Value

A numeric value between 0 and 1.

Test.Obj.Fn.1

Test.Obj.Fn.1

# Description

Test objective function 1

### Usage

```
Test.Obj.Fn.1(C.refined, A.refined, C.artifactual, A.artifactual)
```

#### **Arguments**

C.refined	A numeric value between 0 and 1.
A.refined	A numeric value between 0 and 1.
C.artifactual	A numeric value between 0 and 1.
A.artifactual	A numeric value between 0 and 1.

### Value

A numeric value between 0 and 1.

Test.Obj.Fn.2 Test.Obj.Fn.2

# Description

Test objective function 2

### Usage

```
Test.Obj.Fn.2(C.refined, A.refined, C.artifactual, A.artifactual)
```

### **Arguments**

C.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.
A.refined A numeric value between 0 and 1.
C.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.
A.artifactual A numeric value between 0 and 1.

#### Value

A numeric value between 0 and 1.

 $\label{thm:colors} {\it TriNuc.Mutation.Type.Hex.Colors} \\ {\it Constant}$ 

### **Description**

Hex codes for the mutation types (for plotting purposes)

#### Usage

TriNuc.Mutation.Type.Hex.Colors

#### **Format**

An object of class character of length 6.

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 ${\tt UpdateFilter}$ 

UpdateFilter

# Description

Update filter based on optim parameter values

# Usage

```
UpdateFilter(vcf.filter, param.values)
```

# Arguments

vcf.filter

A list from MakeFilterFromConfig

param.values

A numeric vector contains filtering value (same length with length(vcf.config.filter))

#### Value

Updated vcf.filter (list)

WriteFIREVATResultsToTSV

WriteFIREVATResultsToTSV

# Description

Writes FIREVAT results to a csv file

### Usage

```
WriteFIREVATResultsToTSV(firevat.results)
```

# Arguments

firevat.results

List returned from RunFIREVAT

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WriteVCF WriteVCF

# Description

Writes a vcf.obj to a .vcf file

# Usage

```
WriteVCF(vcf.obj, save.file)
```

# Arguments

vcf.obj (from the function ReadVCF) save.file (full path including filename)

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