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The results below are generated from an R script.

```
## Install a package manager and packages
if (!require("pacman")) {
  install.packages("pacman")
}
pacman::p_load(Rfast, foreach, doParallel, mvnfast, rstudioapi)
current_path = rstudioapi::getActiveDocumentContext()$path
setwd(dirname(current_path))
pacman::p_load_gh("pkimes/sigclust2")
shc = get("shc", env = environment(shc))
source("sequential_function.R")
\# k = 3 \# number of clusters (3 or 10)
# uneven = FALSE #whether or not to have uneven weights
# distribution = 't' # t distribution or normal distribution?
# iterations = 50 # number of iterations
n = 500 \# total number of samples
alpha = 0.05
if (distribution=='t'){
  distribution_name = 'True distribution components: t-distribution (df=3) mixture distribution'
  samplefunc <- function(n, mu, sigma, w){</pre>
    rmixt(n = n,mu = mus,sigma = sigmas,w = w,df = 3)
  }
}else{
  distribution_name = 'True distribution: Normal mixture distribution'
 samplefunc <- function(n, mu, sigma, w){</pre>
 rmixn(n=n, mu=mus, sigma=sigmas, w=w)
}
}
# formulating d, delta (dimension and distance between clusters)
if (k == 10){
  a = c(2, 1, 2, 2, 2, 3, 2, 4, 2, 5, 2, 6, 2, 7, 2, 8, 2, 9) # dim2
  b = c(8, 1, 8, 2, 8, 3, 8, 4, 8, 5, 8, 6, 8, 7, 8, 8, 8, 9) # dim8
  d_delta = matrix(c(a, b) , ncol = 2, byrow = T)
} else if (k == 3){}
 a = c(2, 1, 2, 2, 2, 3, 2, 4, 2, 5, 2, 6, 2, 7, 2, 8, 2, 9) # dim2
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b = c(8, 1, 8, 2, 8, 3, 8, 4, 8, 5, 8, 6, 8, 7, 8, 8, 8, 9) # dim8
 d_delta = matrix(c(a, b) , ncol = 2, byrow = T)
} else {
 stop("k != 3 or 10")
#weights
w = rep.int(1, k)
if (uneven){
 w[1] = 1 / 4
 w[2] = 1 / 2
w = w / sum(w)
K = floor(sqrt(n / 2)) #num clusters to test
K = min(K, 14L) # to ensure not estimating too many clusters
coresToUse = floor(detectCores() / 2) # cores to use
# function which creates data and performs one iteration
simulation <- function(iteration) {</pre>
  # simulate data
  set.seed(18 + iteration)
  data = samplefunc(n=n, mu=mus, sigma=sigmas, w=w)
  D1 = data[1:floor(n / 2), ]
  D2 = data[(floor(n / 2) + 1):n,]
  # Estimate no.clusters
  Cluster numbers = estimate.cluster.all(D1, D2, alpha, K)
  sigclust_splits = sum(shc(data, alpha = alpha)$nd_type == "sig")
  return(c(unlist(Cluster_numbers, use.names = F), sigclust_splits + 1L))
}
meanEstimate = matrix(nrow = nrow(d_delta), ncol = iterations)
medianEstimate = meanEstimate
meanEstimate12 = meanEstimate
medianEstimate12 = meanEstimate
AICEstimate = meanEstimate
BICEstimate = meanEstimate
sigclustEstimate = meanEstimate
RIFThierEstimate = meanEstimate
# For parallel computing
cl <- makeCluster(coresToUse) #not to overload computer</pre>
registerDoParallel(cl)
for (j in 1:nrow(d_delta)) {
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d = d delta[i, 1]
delta = d_delta[j, 2]
\#sigmas = lapply(c(3,1,1), function(x) diag(x, nrow=d))
sigmas = lapply(rep.int(1, k), function(x)
  diag(x, nrow = d))
\#mus = zeros(k, d)
\#mus[1,1] = delta
\#mus[2,2] = -delta
\#mus[3,2] = delta
mus = outer(rep.int(1L, k), seq.int(d)) + delta * seq.int(0, k - 1L)
estimates <-
 foreach(
   i = 1:iterations,
    .combine = cbind,
    .inorder = F,
    .packages = c("mclust", "Rfast", "mvnfast", "MASS"),
    .verbose = F
  ) %dopar% {
    simulation(i)
# format data into table
meanEstimate[j, ] = estimates[1, ]
medianEstimate[j, ] = estimates[2, ]
meanEstimatel2[j, ] = estimates[3, ]
medianEstimatel2[j, ] = estimates[4, ]
BICEstimate[j, ] = estimates[5, ]
AICEstimate[j,] = estimates[6,]
RIFThierEstimate[j, ] = estimates[7, ]
sigclustEstimate[j, ] = estimates[8, ]
df = stack(data.frame(
  cbind(
    "Mean" = meanEstimate[j, ],
    "Mean12" = meanEstimatel2[j, ],
    "Median" = medianEstimate[j, ],
    "Median12" = medianEstimatel2[j, ],
    "AIC" = AICEstimate[j, ],
    "BIC" = BICEstimate[j, ],
    "RIFT.hc" = RIFThierEstimate[j, ],
    "shc" = sigclustEstimate[j, ]
  )
))
print(paste0("(dimension, delta) = (", d, ",", delta, ")"))
colnames(df) = c("ESTIMATE" , "METHOD")
tableEstimates = with(df, table(METHOD, ESTIMATE))
print(tableEstimates)
```

```
## [1] "(dimension, delta) = (2,1)"
##
         ESTIMATE
           1 2 3 4 5 6 7
                              8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15
## METHOD
           44 53 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
##
    Mean
##
    Meanl2 44 53 3 0 0 0
                            0 0 0
                                   0
                                     0
##
    Median 14 59 19
                    5 2 1
                            0
                              0 0
                                   0
                                     0
                                        0
                                           0
##
    Medianl2 15 58 19
                    5
                      2
                         1
                            0
                              0
                                0
                                   0
                                      0
                                        0
                                           0
##
           2 52 42 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0
                                        0
                                           0
    AIC
                                             \cap
##
    BIC
           23 71 6 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
##
    RIFT.hc 6 22 42 29 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
##
    shc
            0 0 0 3 5 6 13 12 16 8 19 7
##
  [1] "(dimension, delta) = (2,2)"
##
          ESTIMATE
           1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17
## METHOD
##
    Mean
           22 59 17 2 0 0 0
                              0 0 0 0
                                        0
                                           0 0 0 0
##
    Meanl2 22 59 18 1
                      0
                         0
                            0 0 0 0
                                     0
                                        0
                                           0
                                              0
##
    Median
            4 33 45 12 3 1 1
                              0 0 0
                                     1
                                        0
                                           0
                                             \cap
                                               0 0
##
    Medianl2 4 33 45 12 3 1
                           1
                              0
                                0
                                   0
                                     1
                                        0
                                           0
                                              0
                                                0
            1 28 47 18 6 0 0 0 0
                                  0
                                     0
                                        0
##
    AIC
                                           \cap
                                             0
                                                \cap
                                                  \cap
            9 68 22 1 0 0 0 0 0
                                     0
                                        0
##
    RIFT.hc 3 19 40 24 10 1 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
##
##
    shc
            0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 12 18 28 16 12 7 2 1
##
  [1] "(dimension, delta) = (2,3)"
          ESTIMATE
## METHOD
            1 2 3 4 5 6 9 10 11 12 13 14
            5 17 7 5
                      3 1 0 40 17
##
    Mean
                                  4 1 0
            5 17 7 5 3 1 0 40 17 4 1
##
    Meanl2
##
    Median
          0 2 1
                    1 0 0 5 34 37 10
##
    Medianl2 0 2 1
                    1
                      0 0 6 34 35 11
##
    AIC
            0 7 8 3 2 0 0 45 27
                                   7
                                      1
                                        0
            7 64 26 3 0 0 0 0 0 0
##
    BIC
##
    RIFT.hc 3 13 37 24 21 2 0 0 0 0 0
##
           0 0 0 0 0 0 0 56 32 5 6 1
##
  [1] "(dimension, delta) = (2,4)"
##
         ESTIMATE
## METHOD
           1 2 3 4 5 6 8 9 10 11 12 13 14
            0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 45 33 19 3 0
##
    Mean
##
    Meanl2
            0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 45 32 19 3 0
##
            0 0 0 0 0 0 1 8 25 24 20 11 11
    Median
    Medianl2 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 11 24 21 21 11 11
##
            0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 43 29 23
##
    AIC
##
            0 7 2 0 0 0 0 0 43 28 17
                                        3
    BIC
                                           0
    RIFT.hc 1 7 33 31 21 7 0 0 0 0 0
##
##
    shc 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 88 9 3 0
##
   [1] "(dimension, delta) = (2.5)"
##
          ESTIMATE
## METHOD
            1 2 3 4 5 6 7 9 10 11 12 13 14
            0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 35 31 21 11
##
    Mean
##
    Meanl2
            0 0 0 0
                      0 0 0 0 34 32 21 11 2
##
    Median
            0 0 0
                    0
                      0 0 0 5 26 23 17 12 17
##
    Medianl2 0 0 0
                      0
                         0 0 6 25 22 18 13 16
                    0
##
    AIC
            0 0 0
                   0
                      0
                         0 0 0 33 31 23 10 3
            0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 33 31 23 9 3
##
    BIC
```

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##
    RIFT.hc 2 6 35 26 18 9 4 0 0 0 0 0
    shc 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 91 8 0 1 0
## [1] "(dimension, delta) = (2,6)"
         ESTIMATE
## METHOD
           1 2 3 4 5 6 7 9 10 11 12 13 14
##
           0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 30 29 26 9 5
    Mean
##
    Meanl2
            0 0 0 0
                     0
                        0 0 1 28 30 26 9
##
    Median
            0 0 0 0 0 0 0 6 17 23 9 20 25
##
    Median12 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 10 16 21 6 21 26
##
            0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 28 27 25 14 5
    ATC
            0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 28 28 24 14
##
    BIC
##
    RIFT.hc 2 9 29 18 19 18 3 2 0 0 0 0 0
          0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 91 8 0 1 0
##
  [1] "(dimension, delta) = (2,7)"
          ESTIMATE
##
## METHOD
            1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14
            0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 32 30 22 8 8
##
    Mean
##
    Meanl2
            0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 31 29 24 8 8
##
    Median
            0 0 0 0
                      0
                        0 0 0 7 11 14 25 18 25
    Medianl2 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 7 10 14 25 17 26
##
##
    AIC
            0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 22 29 27 11 11
##
            0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 22 29 26 11 11
    BIC
##
    RIFT.hc 3 5 27 25 19 14 4 1 2 0 0 0 0 0
##
          0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 91 8 0 1 0
##
  [1] "(dimension, delta) = (2,8)"
##
         ESTIMATE
## METHOD
           1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14
##
    Mean
           0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 6 30 24 15 15 7
##
    Mean12
          0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 6 29 23 17 15 7
##
    Median
            0 0 0 0
                      0
                        0 1 5 6 21 18 13 13 23
    Medianl2 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 5 5 20 17 14 14 23
##
            0 0 0 0 0 1 0 6 23 26 17 21 6
##
            0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 6 22 25 18 21 5
##
    BTC
##
    RIFT.hc 1 8 27 31 16 9 5 2 1 0 0 0 0
##
    shc 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 91 8 0 1 0
  [1] "(dimension, delta) = (2,9)"
##
          ESTIMATE
           1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14
## METHOD
            0 0 0 0 0 0 2 7 6 30 20 20 8 7
##
    Mean
##
    Meanl2
          0 0 0 0 0 0 2 7 6 28 18 23 9 7
##
    Median
            0 0 0 0 0 0 5 5 9 18 11 16 15 21
##
    Medianl2 0 0 0 0 0 0 6 7 6 17 15 14 12 23
            0 0 0 0 0 1 3 6 30 20 20 10 10
##
    AIC
##
    BIC
            0 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 7 31 18 20 11 9
##
    RIFT.hc
           1 8 30 27 11 14 6 1 2 0 0 0 0
         0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 90 8 1 1 0
##
    shc
  [1] "(dimension, delta) = (8,1)"
         ESTIMATE
##
           1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19
## METHOD
##
           72 25 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
    Mean
##
    Meanl2 72 25 2 1 0
                        0
                           0
                             0
                               0
                                  0
                                    0
                                       0
                                         0
                                            0
                                              0
                                                 0
##
    Median 18 69 11
                        0 0
                             0
                               0 0 0
                                       0
                   1 1
                                         0
                                            0
                                              0
                                                 0
                                                   0
                                                     0
                                                        0
##
    Medianl2 18 69 11 1 1 0 0 0 0 0
                                       0 0 0 0 0
                                                     0
                                                        0
## AIC 32 55 11 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
```

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##
    BIC 99 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
    RIFT.hc 8 63 9 16 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
##
          0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 5 12 14 17 11 11 8 9 7 4
##
  [1] "(dimension, delta) = (8,2)"
##
         ESTIMATE
## METHOD
           1 2 3 4 5 6 7 9 10 11 12 13 14
            4 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 32 26 22 11 1
##
    Mean
##
    Mean12
           4 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 32 26 22 11
##
    Median
            0 4 0 0 0 0 0 26 30 18 16
##
    Medianl2 0 4 0 0 0 0 0 26 30 18 16
           6 10 0 0 0 0 0 0 32 25 19
##
    AIC
##
    BTC
          94 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0
##
    RIFT.hc 10 60 12 7 3 3 5 0 0 0 0
##
        0 0 0 0 0 0 0 78 15 6 1
  [1] "(dimension, delta) = (8,3)"
##
          ESTIMATE
##
           1 2 3 4 5 6 9 10 11 12 13 14
## METHOD
           1 0 1 0 0 0 0 32 30 19 13
##
    Mean
##
    Meanl2
           1 0 1
                   0 0 0 0 32 30 19 13
    Median 0 0 0 0 0 0 7 34 29 17
##
    Median12 0 0 0 0 0 0 7 34 29 17 9
##
##
    AIC
           0 1 1
                   0 0 0 0 31 29 19 14
##
    BIC
           24 0 0 0 0 0 0 31 28 14 3
                                       0
##
    RIFT.hc 11 59 24 1 4 1 0 0 0 0
##
         0 0 0 0 0 0 0 89 9 2 0 0
  [1] "(dimension, delta) = (8,4)"
##
##
         ESTIMATE
## METHOD 1 2 3 4 9 10 11 12 13 14
##
    Mean
           3 1 0 0 0 30 28 22 9 7
##
    Mean12
            3 1 0 0 0 30 28 22 9
           0 1 0 0 5 34 30 17 8 5
##
    Median
##
    Medianl2 0 1 0 0 5 34 30 17 8 5
            2 2 0 0 0 30 28 22 9 7
##
    AIC
##
    BIC
            7 0 0 0 0 30 28 21 9
##
    RIFT.hc 12 58 28 2 0 0 0 0 0 0
          0 0 0 0 0 89 9 2 0 0
    shc
##
  [1] "(dimension, delta) = (8,5)"
          ESTIMATE
##
## METHOD
           1 2 3 4 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14
##
            2 1 0 0 0 1 2 39 27 14 12
    Mean
    Meanl2
##
            2 1 0 0 0 1 2 39 27 14 12
##
    Median
            0 0 0 0 1 0 4 41 28 14 10
##
    Medianl2 0 0 0 0 1 0 4 41 28 14 10
##
    AIC
            2 2 0 0 0 1 0 40 27 14 12
##
    BIC
            7 0 0 0 0 0 0 39 27 14 12
##
    RIFT.hc 9 56 31 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
          0 0 0 0 0 0 0 87 10 3 0 0
## [1] "(dimension, delta) = (8,6)"
         ESTIMATE
##
           1 2 3 4 9 10 11 12 13 14
## METHOD
           0 0 0 0 1 71 21 4 1 2
##
    Mean
          0 0 0 0 1 71 21 4 1 2
##
    Meanl2
##
    Median 0 0 0 0 0 72 21 4 1
## Medianl2 0 0 0 0 0 72 21 4 1 2
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```
0 0 0 0 1 71 21 4 1 2
##
    AIC
##
            1 0 0 0 0 71 21
##
    RIFT.hc
            8 56 30 6 0 0 0 0 0 0
            0 0 0 0 0 90 7 3 0 0
##
    shc
## [1] "(dimension, delta) = (8,7)"
##
           ESTIMATE
## METHOD
            1 2 3 4 5 6 10 11 12
##
    Mean
            0 0 0 0 0 0 89 11 0
            0 0 0 0 0 0 89 11 0
##
    Mean12
##
    Median
            0 0 0 0 0 0 88 12 0
    Medianl2 0 0 0 0 0 0 88 12 0
##
##
    ATC
            0 0 0 0 0 0 89 11 0
##
    BIC
            0 0 0 0 0 0 89 11 0
##
    RIFT.hc 8 60 22 6 2 2 0 0 0
            0 0 0 0 0 0 88 10 2
## [1] "(dimension, delta) = (8,8)"
          ESTIMATE
           1 2 3 4 5 6 10 11 12
## METHOD
##
    Mean
            0 0 0 0 0 0 96
##
            0 0 0 0 0 0 96 4 0
    Meanl2
##
    Median 0 0 0 0 0 0 95 5 0
    Median12 0 0 0 0 0 95
##
                             5 0
            0 0 0 0 0 0 96 4 0
##
    AIC
##
    BIC
            0 0 0 0 0 0 96 4 0
##
    RIFT.hc 9 64 20 5 1 1 0 0 0
            0 0 0 0 0 0 86 12 2
##
## [1] "(dimension, delta) = (8,9)"
         ESTIMATE
##
## METHOD
           1 2 3 4 6 10 11 12
##
    Mean
            0 0 0 0 0 99 1 0
            0 0 0 0 0 98
                           2 0
##
    Meanl2
##
    Median
            0 0 0 0 0 98
    Median12 0 0 0 0 0 97
##
                           3 0
##
    AIC
            0 0 0 0 0 99
##
    BIC
            0 0 0 0 0 99
                          1 0
    RIFT.hc 11 58 26 4 1 0 0 0
##
           0 0 0 0 0 88 10 2
##
#stop cluster (parallel computing)
stopCluster(cl)
print(distribution_name )
## [1] "True distribution: Normal mixture distribution"
print(paste(k, 'true clusters:'))
## [1] "10 true clusters:"
print('Cluster weights:')
## [1] "Cluster weights:"
print(w)
```

## The R session information (including the OS info, R version and all packages used):

```
sessionInfo()
## R version 4.1.2 (2021-11-01)
## Platform: x86_64-apple-darwin17.0 (64-bit)
## Running under: macOS Monterey 12.0.1
##
## Matrix products: default
## LAPACK: /Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Versions/4.1/Resources/lib/libRlapack.dylib
## locale:
## [1] en GB.UTF-8/en GB.UTF-8/en GB.UTF-8/C/en GB.UTF-8/en GB.UTF-8
## attached base packages:
## [1] grid
                                     graphics grDevices utils
                 parallel stats
                                                                    datasets methods
## [9] base
##
## other attached packages:
## [1] arm_1.12-2
                           lme4_1.1-27.1
                                               Matrix_1.3-4
                                                                  knitr_1.37
## [5] sigclust_1.1.0
                           mixtools_1.2.0
                                               gridExtra_2.3
                                                                  ggplot2_3.3.5
## [9] MASS_7.3-54
                           pracma_2.3.6
                                               mclust_5.4.9
                                                                  sigclust2_1.2.4
## [13] rstudioapi_0.13
                           mvnfast_0.2.7
                                               doParallel_1.0.16 iterators_1.0.13
## [17] foreach 1.5.1
                           Rfast 2.0.6
                                               RcppZiggurat 0.1.6 Rcpp 1.0.8
## [21] pacman_0.5.1
##
## loaded via a namespace (and not attached):
                                                       ellipsis_0.3.2
## [1] minqa_1.2.4
                               colorspace_2.0-2
## [4] dynamicTreeCut 1.63-1 htmlTable 2.4.0
                                                       XVector 0.34.0
## [7] base64enc 0.1-3
                               ggdendro 0.1.23
                                                       bit64 4.0.5
## [10] AnnotationDbi_1.56.2
                               fansi_0.5.0
                                                       codetools_0.2-18
## [13] splines_4.1.2
                               cachem_1.0.6
                                                       impute_1.68.0
## [16] Formula_1.2-4
                               nloptr_1.2.2.3
                                                       broom_0.7.12
## [19] WGCNA_1.70-3
                               cluster_2.1.2
                                                       kernlab_0.9-29
## [22] GO.db_3.14.0
                               png_0.1-7
                                                       compiler_4.1.2
                               backports_1.4.1
## [25] httr_1.4.2
                                                       fastmap_1.1.0
## [28] htmltools_0.5.2
                               tools_4.1.2
                                                       coda_0.19-4
## [31] gtable_0.3.0
                               glue_1.6.1
                                                       GenomeInfoDbData_1.2.7
                               ggthemes_4.2.4
## [34] dplyr_1.0.7
                                                       Biobase_2.54.0
## [37] vctrs_0.4.1
                               Biostrings_2.62.0
                                                       preprocessCore_1.56.0
## [40] nlme 3.1-153
                               xfun 0.30
                                                       fastcluster 1.2.3
## [43] stringr_1.4.0
                               lifecycle_1.0.1
                                                       zlibbioc_1.40.0
## [46] scales 1.1.1
                               RColorBrewer 1.1-2
                                                       yaml_2.3.4
## [49] memoise_2.0.1
                               rpart_4.1-15
                                                       segmented_1.3-4
## [52] latticeExtra_0.6-29
                               stringi_1.7.6
                                                       RSQLite_2.2.10
                               S4Vectors_0.32.3
## [55] highr_0.9
                                                       blme_1.0-5
## [58] checkmate_2.0.0
                               BiocGenerics 0.40.0
                                                       boot 1.3-28
## [61] GenomeInfoDb_1.30.1
                               rlang_1.0.2
                                                       pkgconfig_2.0.3
## [64] matrixStats_0.61.0
                               bitops_1.0-7
                                                       evaluate_0.15
## [67] lattice_0.20-45
                               purrr_0.3.4
                                                       htmlwidgets_1.5.4
## [70] bit_4.0.4
                               tidyselect_1.1.1
                                                       magrittr_2.0.2
## [73] R6_2.5.1
                               IRanges_2.28.0
                                                       generics_0.1.1
## [76] Hmisc_4.6-0
                               DBI_1.1.2
                                                       pillar_1.6.4
## [79] foreign_0.8-81
                               withr_2.4.3
                                                       survival_3.2-13
## [82] KEGGREST_1.34.0
                               abind_1.4-5
                                                       RCurl_1.98-1.6
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