# Getting Started with MDSMClust

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# Install MDSMClust from GitHub
# Detailed instructions can be found here: https://github.com/wxy929/MDS/blob/main/README.md
library(MDSMClust)
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#### Overview

The MDS for Microbiome Clustering package (v0.1.0) contains functions that conduct classical multidimensional scaling (MDS) with seven different distances or fit Dirichlet Multinomial Models (DMM) to a count matrix first, and then calculate agreement indices between any two partitions for a data set. It also contains four data sets which are used to simulate counts or analyzed as real data sets.

## Examples for the Function MDS

### **Data Preparation**

Take two real data sets as examples.

```
data("Martinez")
str(Martinez, list.len = 3)
#> List of 3
  $ tree
               :List of 6
    ..$ edge : int [1:20451, 1:2] 10228 10229 10229 10228 10230 10231 10232 10233 10233 10234 ...
    ..$ edge.length: num [1:20451] 0.00049 0.00206 0.00014 0.00014 0.00014 0.00014 0.00017 0.0017 0.000
#>
                  : int 10225
     ..$ Nnode
    .. [list output truncated]
    ..- attr(*, "class")= chr "phylo"
     ..- attr(*, "order")= chr "cladewise"
#> $ sampleinfo: Named chr [1:62] "Papua New Guinea" "Papua New Guinea" "Papua New Guinea" "Papua New
    ..- attr(*, "names")= chr [1:62] "001PNG" "002PNG" "003PNG" "004PNG" ...
#> $ otutable : num [1:10227, 1:62] 0 0 0 0 0 573 648 145 252 178 ...
    ..- attr(*, "dimnames")=List of 2
#>
     ....$ : chr [1:10227] "Zotu.9291" "Zotu.3366" "Zotu.9240" "Zotu.3893" ...
     ....$ : chr [1:62] "001PNG" "002PNG" "003PNG" "004PNG" ...
data("Smits")
str(Smits, list.len = 3)
#> List of 3
  $ tree
              :List of 6
#>
     ..$ edge : int [1:23995, 1:2] 12001 12001 12001 12002 12003 12004 12005 12006 12007 12008 ...
    ..$ edge.length: num [1:23995] 0.00397 0.00397 0.00014 0.00014 0.00014 0.00014 0.00014 0.00014 0.0014 0.00
     ..$ Nnode
                 : int 11996
     .. [list output truncated]
```

```
#> ..- attr(*, "class")= chr "phylo"
#> ..- attr(*, "order")= chr "cladewise"
#> $ sampleinfo: Named chr [1:259] "Early Wet" "Early Wet" "Early Wet" "Early Wet" ...
#> ..- attr(*, "names")= chr [1:259] "SRR5760856" "SRR5760857" "SRR5760858" "SRR5760859" ...
#> $ otutable :'data.frame': 12000 obs. of 259 variables:
#> ..$ SRR5760856: num [1:12000] 0 624 204 6 24 344 414 0 269 0 ...
#> ..$ SRR5760857: num [1:12000] 0 314 110 3 4855 ...
#> ..$ SRR5760858: num [1:12000] 0 1164 1813 363 3055 ...
#> .. [list output truncated]
```

#### Conduct MDS and Evaluate the Clustering Results

#### Martinez

```
data("Martinez")
# qet the tree information - it's necessary when you choose a distance which needs the tree information
tree = Martinez$tree
# get the OTU matrix - rows are samples and columns are taxa
otu.table = Martinez$otutable
otu.count = t(otu.table)
dim(otu.count)
#> \(\Gamma\) 17
         62 10227
# invoke the function MDS - you need to decide the parameters first
table(Martinez$sampleinfo)
#>
#> Papua New Guinea
                                 USA
                                  22
                 40
MDS(otu.count, distance = "bray", mdsrank = 5, est = "gap", K.max = 16,
group = as.numeric(as.factor(Martinez$sampleinfo)), randMethod = "MA")
#> Registered S3 methods overwritten by 'treeio':
#>
    method
                         from
#>
    MRCA.phylo
                        tidytree
#>
    MRCA.treedata
                        tidytree
   {\it Nnode.treedata}
#>
                        tidytree
#>
    Ntip.treedata
                        tidytree
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    ancestor.phylo
                        tidytree
#>
    ancestor.treedata tidytree
#>
    child.phylo
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#>
    child.\ treedata
                        tidytree
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    full_join.phylo
                        tidytree
#>
    full_join.treedata tidytree
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    groupClade.phylo
                        tidytree
#>
     groupClade.treedata tidytree
#>
    groupOTU.phylo
                       tidytree
#>
    groupOTU.treedata tidytree
#>
     is.rooted.treedata tidytree
#>
    nodeid.phylo
                        tidytree
#>
    nodeid.\ treedata
                        tidytree
#>
    nodelab.phylo
                        tidytree
     nodelab.treedata
#>
                        tidytree
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```
#> offspring.phylo tidytree
#>
   offspring.treedata tidytree
#> parent.phylo
                   tidytree
#> parent.treedata tidytree
#> root.treedata
                   tidytree
                   tidytree
#> rootnode.phylo
#>
  sibling.phylo
                   tidytree
#> $bestk
#> [1] 10
#>
#> $ARI
#>
      MA
#> 0.247169
#>
#> $cluster
#> 001PNG 002PNG 003PNG 004PNG 005PNG 006PNG 007PNG 008PNG 009PNG 010PNG 011PNG
                                  3
          2
                      2
                            2
                                        2
                 1
                                                    1
#> 012PNG 013PNG 014PNG 015PNG 016PNG 017PNG 018PNG 019PNG 020PNG 250PNG 251PNG
     5 5 1
                                         2
                                                     2
                      3
                           5
                                  1
                                              1
#> 252PNG 253PNG 254PNG 255PNG 256PNG 257PNG 258PNG 259PNG 260PNG 261PNG 262PNG
#> 5 1 1 2
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                          2
                                1 3
                                              1
#> 263PNG 264PNG 265PNG 266PNG 267PNG 268PNG 269PNG
                                               \boldsymbol{A}
                                                     В
                                                          C
#>
     1 2 2 3 1 3 1
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      E
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      R
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                       9
```

#### **Smits**

```
data("Smits")
# get the tree information - it's necessary when you choose a distance which needs the tree information
tree = Smits$tree
# get the OTU matrix - rows are samples and columns are taxa
otu.table = as.matrix(Smits$otutable)
otu.count = t(otu.table)
dim(otu.count)
#> [1] 259 12000
# invoke the function MDS - you need to decide the parameters first
table(Smits$sampleinfo)
#>
#> Early Wet Late Dry
         62
                 197
# detailed output can be found in the html file
s = MDS(otu.count, distance = "PhILR", tree = tree, mdsrank = 5, est = "si", K.max = 8, group = as.nume
#> Warning in calculate.blw(tree, method = "sum.children"): Note: a total of 42
#> tip edges with zero length have been replaced with a small pseudocount of the
#> minimum non-zero edge length ( 1e-04 ).
s$bestk
```

## Examples for the Function DMM - Martinez

```
data(Martinez)
tree = Martinez$tree
otu.table = Martinez$otutable
otu.count = t(otu.table)

DMM(otu.count, group = as.numeric(as.factor(Martinez$sampleinfo)), k = 5, trim = TRUE, threshold = 5)
```

# Example Code to Reproduce DM Simulation in the paper

```
rm(list = ls())
# library(SpiecEasi)
# library(philr)
# library(fpc)
# library(MiSPU)
# library(GUniFrac)
library(dirmult)
# library(cluster)
# library(clues)
library(DirichletMultinomial)
# library(MASS)
# library(vegan)
# library(mutnorm)
# library(reshape2)
# library(doSNOW)
library(MDSMClust)
# pre_DM_RData -
ini.seed = 2020
n = 400
signal.cluster.zero = 0
signal.zero = 0
readdepth = 4000
data("DM_throat_info")
throat.tree = throat.info$tree
tree.otu.id = throat.tree$tip.label
tree.par.pi = throat.info$par.pi
tree.par.theta = throat.info$par.theta
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otu.cluster = throat.info$otu.cluster
m = length(tree.par.pi)
n1 = n2 = n3 = n4 = n/4
                                # 100
groups = c(rep(0,n1), rep(1,n2), rep(2,n3), rep(3,n4))
set.seed(ini.seed)
otu.perc.cluster = NULL
for(i in 1:20){
  otu.perc.cluster = c(otu.perc.cluster, sum(tree.par.pi[which(otu.cluster==i)], na.rm = TRUE) )
## simulate the difference - change three clusters
# common -> DM_Common.RData
signal.cluster.pos = c(6, 17, 7)
signal.pos = 1.4
tree.par.pi.grp1 = tree.par.pi
tree.par.pi.grp2 = tree.par.pi
tree.par.pi.grp3 = tree.par.pi
tree.par.pi.grp1[which(otu.cluster==signal.cluster.pos[1])] = tree.par.pi.grp1[which(otu.cluster==signal.cluster)]
tree.par.pi.grp2[which(otu.cluster==signal.cluster.pos[2])] = tree.par.pi.grp2[which(otu.cluster==signal.cluster)]
tree.par.pi.grp3[which(otu.cluster==signal.cluster.pos[3])] = tree.par.pi.grp3[which(otu.cluster==signal.cluster)]
# rare -> DM_Rare.RData
signal.cluster.pos = c(19, 20, 14)
signal.pos = 1.4
tree.par.pi.grp1 = tree.par.pi
tree.par.pi.grp2 = tree.par.pi
tree.par.pi.grp3 = tree.par.pi
tree.par.pi.grp1[which(otu.cluster==signal.cluster.pos[1])] = tree.par.pi.grp1[which(otu.cluster==signal.cluster)]
tree.par.pi.grp2[which(otu.cluster==signal.cluster.pos[2])] = tree.par.pi.grp2[which(otu.cluster==signal.cluster)]
tree.par.pi.grp3[which(otu.cluster==signal.cluster.pos[3])] = tree.par.pi.grp3[which(otu.cluster==signal.cluster)]
# random -> DM Random.RData
signal.pos = 1.4
set.seed(ini.seed)
id = sample(1:281, 60)
id1 = which(names(tree.par.pi) %in% tree.otu.id[id[1:20]])
id2 = which(names(tree.par.pi) %in% tree.otu.id[id[21:40]])
id3 = which(names(tree.par.pi) %in% tree.otu.id[id[41:60]])
tree.par.pi.grp1 = tree.par.pi
tree.par.pi.grp2 = tree.par.pi
tree.par.pi.grp3 = tree.par.pi
tree.par.pi.grp1[id1] = tree.par.pi.grp1[id1] * signal.pos * (1/sqrt(sum(tree.par.pi[id1], na.rm = TRUE
tree.par.pi.grp2[id2] = tree.par.pi.grp2[id2] * signal.pos * (1/sqrt(sum(tree.par.pi[id2], na.rm = TRUE
tree.par.pi.grp3[id3] = tree.par.pi.grp3[id3] * signal.pos * (1/sqrt(sum(tree.par.pi[id3], na.rm = TRUE
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# Simulation in One of Three Possible Scenarios ------
# load("DM_Common.RData") from above code
rare = FALSE
                                       # TRUE if consider the rarefication
set.seed(2024) # seeds from 2024 to 2523 - avg of 500 seeds reported in the paper
# simulate data from Dirichlet-multinomial distribution
\verb|otu.countsim = rbind(simPop(J=n1, n=readdepth[1:100], pi=tree.par.pi, theta=tree.par.theta) | $$ data, pi=tree.par.pi, theta=tree.par.theta | $$ data, pi=tree.par.pi, pi=
                                                       simPop(J=n2, n=readdepth[101:200], pi=tree.par.pi.grp1, theta=tree.par.theta)$dat
                                                       simPop(J=n3, n=readdepth[201:300], pi=tree.par.pi.grp2, theta=tree.par.theta)$dat
                                                       simPop(J=n4, n=readdepth[301:400], pi=tree.par.pi.grp3, theta=tree.par.theta) $\frac{1}{3}$ dat
otu.propsim = otu.countsim/rowSums(otu.countsim)
colnames(otu.propsim) = tree.otu.id
colnames(otu.countsim) = tree.otu.id
# rarefication
if(rare){
     readdepth.rarefied = min(readdepth)
     otu.countsim.rarefied = matrix(0, ncol = ncol(otu.countsim), nrow = nrow(otu.countsim))
         otu.countsim.rarefied[i, ] = t(rmultinom(n=1, size = readdepth.rarefied, prob = otu.propsim[i, ]))
     colnames(otu.countsim.rarefied) = tree.otu.id
     otu.propsim = otu.countsim.rarefied/rowSums(otu.countsim.rarefied)
     colnames(otu.propsim) = tree.otu.id
     otu.countsim = otu.countsim.rarefied
    print("Rarified")
# then take the simulated "otu.count" as the input to the "MDS" function
```