

# Package ‘scTyper’

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**Description** scTyper provides a comprehensive and user-friendly analysis pipeline for the cell typing of scRNA-Seq data with a curated cell marker database, scTyper.db.

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| cell.typing.seurat | <i>cell.typing.seurat</i> |
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**Description**

Wrapper function for cell typing of seurat object

**Usage**

```
cell.typing.seurat(  
  seurat,  
  marker = "Puram.2017.HNSCC",  
  cell.typing.method = c("NTP", "ES", "Average"),  
  level = c("cell", "cluster"),  
  wd,  
  slot = c("scale.data", "count.data", "data"),  
  assay = "RNA",  
  ntp.dir,  
  rda.dir,  
  NTP.g.filter.method = c("sd", "mad", "none"),  
  NTP.gene.filter.cutoff = 0.3,  
  NTP.distance = c("cosine", "correlation"),  
  NTP.norm.method = c("none", "row.std"),  
  mc.cores = 1  
)
```

**Arguments**

|                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| seurat             | Seurat object   |
| marker             | Cell markers to use in cell typing, character or List (identifier or StudyName or User defined gene list) |
| cell.typing.method | cell typing method, c("NTP", "ES", "Average"), (default = "NTP")  |
| wd                 | working directory   |
| slot               | assay data type of seurat object, c("scale.data", "count.data", "data")                                   |
| assay              | Assay of seurat object  |
| ntp.dir            | Output directory of NTP   |
| rda.dir            | Path of the RData saving directory  |

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|------------------------|---|
| NTP.g.filter.method    | Method of gene filtering in NTP c(sd (Default), mad, none)  |
| NTP.gene.filter.cutoff | Cut-off score of standard deviation in NTP  |
| NTP.distance           | Method of calculating distance in NTP, either c("correlation" or "cosine").                                   |
| NTP.norm.method        | Method of normalization in NTP, either c("none", "row.std")   |
| mc.cores               | The number of cores to use. Must be at least one(default=1), and parallelization requires at least two cores. |

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|-----------------|------------------------|
| CellrangerCount | <i>CellrangerCount</i> |
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## Description

A wrapper function to run Cellranger Count process

## Usage

```
CellrangerCount(
  cellranger.path,
  fastq.dir,
  cellranger.ref.dir,
  output.dir,
  sample.name,
  run.cmd = TRUE,
  mc.cores = 1
)
```

## Arguments

|                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| cellranger.path    | Cell Ranger program path  |
| fastq.dir          | FastQC output directory   |
| cellranger.ref.dir | Directory of Cell Ranger reference file   |
| output.dir         | Output directory  |
| sample.name        | sample name   |
| run.cmd            | Whether to execute the command line (default=TRUE)  |
| mc.cores           | The number of cores to use. Must be at least one(default=1), and parallelization requires at least two cores. |

## Details

CellrangerCount takes FASTQ files from fastQC and performs alignment, filtering, barcode counting, and UMI counting.

Value

feature-barcode matrices and Secondary analysis (e.g., dimensionality reduction, cell clustering, and differential expression)

References

Massively parallel digital transcriptional profiling of single cells. GXY Zheng. (2017).

See Also

<https://support.10xgenomics.com/single-cell-gene-expression/software/pipelines/latest/using/count>

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| cell_type_NTP | <i>cell_type_NTP</i> |
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Description

A function to run NTP to infer cell type

Usage

```
cell_type_NTP(  
  seurat,  
  wd,  
  markerList,  
  assay = "RNA",  
  slot = c("scale.data", "count.data", "data"),  
  output.dir = "./",  
  rda.dir = "./data",  
  NTP.g.filter.method = c("sd", "mad", "none"),  
  NTP.gene.filter.cutoff = 0.3,  
  NTP.distance = c("cosine", "correlation"),  
  NTP.norm.method = c("none", "row.std"),  
  mc.cores = 1  
)
```

Arguments

|            |  |
|------------|--|
| seurat     | Seurat object  |
| wd         | working directory  |
| markerList | List of cell type marker   |
| assay      | Assay to use   |
| slot       | seurat object expression data, c("scale.data", "count.data", "data")() |
| output.dir | output directory   |

|                                     |   |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| <code>rda.dir</code>                | Path of the RData saving directory  |
| <code>NTP.g.filter.method</code>    | Method of gene filtering in NTP c(sd (Default), mad, none)  |
| <code>NTP.gene.filter.cutoff</code> | Cut-off score of standard deviation in NTP  |
| <code>NTP.distance</code>           | Method of calculating distance in NTP, either c("correlation" or "cosine").                                   |
| <code>NTP.norm.method</code>        | Method of normalization in NTP, either c("none", "row.std")   |
| <code>mc.cores</code>               | The number of cores to use. Must be at least one(default=1), and parallelization requires at least two cores. |

**Details**

cell type annotation using NTP

**Value**

Seurat object

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| <code>cnv.distribution</code> | <i>cnv.distribution</i> |
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**Description**

Visualize cnv distribution of scTyper

**Usage**

```
cnv.distribution(
  seurat,
  wd,
  marker = "Puram.2017.HNSCC.TME",
  slot = c("scale.data", "count.data", "data")
)
```

**Arguments**

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <code>seurat</code> | seurat object   |
| <code>wd</code>     | working directory   |
| <code>marker</code> | cell type marker  |
| <code>slot</code>   | assay data type of seurat object, c("scale.data", "count.data", "data") |

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| draw.heatmap | <i>draw.heatmap</i> |
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**Description**

Visualize heatmap of scTyper

**Usage**

```
draw.heatmap(  
  seurat,  
  wd,  
  run.inferCNV = TRUE,  
  slot = c("scale.data", "count.data", "data"),  
  marker = "Puram.2017.HNSCC.TME"  
)
```

**Arguments**

|              |   |
|--------------|---|
| seurat       | seurat object   |
| wd           | working directory   |
| run.inferCNV | whether run inferCNV (default=TRUE)                                     |
| slot         | assay data type of seurat object, c("scale.data", "count.data", "data") |
| marker       | cell type marker  |

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| fastqc | <i>fastqc</i> |
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**Description**

A wrapper function to run fastQC

**Usage**

```
fastqc(  
  fastqc.path,  
  fastq.dir,  
  sample.name,  
  fq1.idx = "_R1_001.fastq",  
  fq2.idx = "_R2_001.fastq",  
  output.dir,  
  run.cmd = TRUE,  
  mc.cores = 1  
)
```

**Arguments**

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| fastqc.path | FastQC program path   |
| fastq.dir   | FastQC output directory   |
| sample.name | sample name   |
| fq1.idx     | Index of the FASTQ file (Read 1)  |
| fq2.idx     | Index of the FASTQ file (Read 2)  |
| output.dir  | Output directory  |
| run.cmd     | Whether to execute the command line (default=TRUE)  |
| mc.cores    | The number of cores to use. Must be at least one(default=1), and parallelization requires at least two cores. |

**Details**

FastQC aims to provide a QC report that detects problems originating from either the sequencer or the starting library material.

**Value**

Quality check report for sequence data. (e.g., .html)

**References**

FastQC: a quality control tool for high throughput sequence data. Andrews S. (2010).

**See Also**

<http://www.bioinformatics.babraham.ac.uk/projects/fastqc>

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|----------------|-----------------------|
| get.markerList | <i>get.markerList</i> |
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**Description**

get markerList from scTyper database

**Usage**

```
get.markerList(marker)
```

**Arguments**

|        |   |
|--------|---|
| marker | Signature_list or Signature name of scTyper db or User-defined list of marker genes |
|--------|---|

**Value**

marker list

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|--------------|---------------------|
| loadTestData | <i>loadTestData</i> |
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**Description**

load test data in 'extdata' directory

**Usage**

```
loadTestData()
```

**Value**

test.seurat

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|-------------------|--------------------------|
| make.seurat.fdata | <i>make.seurat.fdata</i> |
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**Description**

A function to make fdata using seurat object

**Usage**

```
make.seurat.fdata(seurat, gene.ref.gtf, rda.dir)
```

**Arguments**

|              |                         |
|--------------|-------------------------|
| seurat       | Seurat object           |
| gene.ref.gtf | gene reference gtf file |
| rda.dir      | rData directory         |

**Details**

make feature data using seurat

**Value**

feature data



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| malignant.cellTyper | <i>malignant.cellTyper</i> |
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**Description**

A function to malignant cell typing

**Usage**

```
malignant.cellTyper(  
  seurat,  
  rda.dir = "./data",  
  malignant.cell.type = "Epithelial",  
  feature.to.test = c("cell.type", "tissue.type"),  
  cells.test_reference = "immune"  
)
```

**Arguments**

- seurat                    Seurat object
- rda.dir                 rData directory
- malignant.cell.type                    Cell type to assign malignant cell
- feature.to.test                    features to test as reference
- cells.test\_reference                cells to test as reference

**Details**

classification of malignant and non malignant seurat object.

**Value**

Seurat object

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| report | <i>report</i> |
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**Description**

A function to create a report

**Usage**

```
report(envList, qc.dir, output.dir)
```

**Arguments**

|            |                    |
|------------|--------------------|
| envList    | R environment list |
| qc.dir     | qc directory       |
| output.dir | output directory   |

**Details**

Provides a report that summarizes the processing steps and visualized tables and plots for the processed results. The report file is automatically generated recording the workflows of the data processing steps, the options used in the processing, and the outcome results.

**Value**

pdf file include data processing result information

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|--------------|---------------------|
| run.inferCNV | <i>run.inferCNV</i> |
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**Description**

A wrapper function to run inferCNV

**Usage**

```
run.inferCNV(
  seurat,
  assay = "RNA",
  output.dir = "./",
  rda.dir = "./data",
  fdata,
  pheno_info = pheno.df,
  feature.to.test = c("tissue.type", "cell.type"),
  cells.test_reference = "Normal",
  cells.test_excluded = c("Epithelial"),
  fc.cutoff = 0.05,
  cutoff.gene.cluster = 0.05,
  min_mean_expr_cutoff = 0.1,
  window_length = 101,
  smooth_ends = TRUE,
  recenter_method = "median",
  ordered = FALSE,
  inv_log = TRUE,
  sd_amplifier = 1.5,
  bp = 1000000,
  sd.cut = 0.3,
  mc.cores = 1
)
```

**Arguments**

|                      |   |
|----------------------|---|
| seurat               | Seurat object   |
| assay                | Name of assay to pull data from seurat object   |
| output.dir           | output directory  |
| rda.dir              | rData directory   |
| fdata                | feature information   |
| pheno_info           | phenotype information   |
| feature.to.test      | feature to test either "tissue.type" or "cell.type"   |
| cells.test_reference | a vector containing the classifications of the reference (normal) cells to use for inferring cnv              |
| cells.test_excluded  | cell type to exclude functional enrichment analysis   |
| fc.cutoff            | fold change cutoff  |
| cutoff.gene.cluster  | A cutoff P-value for filtering out the gene clusters (calculated from GO analysis)                            |
| min_mean_expr_cutoff | the minimum mean value allowed for a gene to be retained in the expression matrix.                            |
| window_length        | length of window (number of genes) for the moving average   |
| smooth_ends          | perform smoothing at the ends of the chromosomes (default:TRUE)   |
| recenter_method      | method to select the center of the cell expression value. (default:'mean', option:'mean', 'median')           |
| ordered              | order bool, default FALSE. Sort descending vs. ascending  |
| inv_log              | mean values will be determined based on $(2^x - 1)$   |
| sd_amplifier         | multiplicative factor applied to the standard deviation to alter the noise range (default: 1.5)               |
| bp                   | base pair   |
| sd.cut               | standard deviation cutoff   |
| mc.cores             | The number of cores to use. Must be at least one(default=1), and parallelization requires at least two cores. |

**Details**

CNV inference

**Value**

Seurat object

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|--------------------|---------------------------|
| run.seurat.process | <i>run.seurat.process</i> |
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## Description

A wrapper function to run seurat normalization process

## Usage

```
run.seurat.process(
  count.dir = count.dir,
  rda.dir = rda.dir,
  project = proj.name,
  metrics_summary,
  sample.name = sample.name,
  percent.min.cells = 0.01,
  min.features = 200,
  scale.factor = 10000,
  vars.to.regress = c("nCount_RNA", "percent.mt"),
  selection.method = "vst",
  more_nFeature_RNA = 200,
  Less_nFeature_RNA = 8000,
  percent.mt = 10,
  normalize = TRUE,
  assay = "RNA",
  dims = 1:10,
  resolution = seq(0.6, 2, 0.2),
  random.seed = 1234
)
```

## Arguments

|                   |  |
|-------------------|--|
| count.dir         | Ouput directory of cellranger count  |
| rda.dir           | Path of the RData saving directory   |
| project           | project name   |
| metrics_summary   | cellranger summary metrics   |
| sample.name       | Sample name  |
| percent.min.cells | Include genes with detected expression in at least this many cells. Will subset the raw.data matrix as well. To reintroduce excluded genes, create a new object with a lower cutoff. |
| min.features      | Include cells where at least this many genes are detected.   |
| scale.factor      | Sets the scale factor for cell-level normalization(10,000 by default)  |

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|--------------------------------|---|
| <code>vars.to.regress</code>   | Variables to regress out (previously <code>latent.vars</code> in <code>RegressOut</code> ). For example, <code>nUMI</code> , or <code>percent.mito</code> . |
| <code>selection.method</code>  | How to choose top variable features. Choose one of 'vst', 'mean.var.plot', 'dispersion'   |
| <code>more_nFeature_RNA</code> | High cutoffs for filtering cells that have unique feature counts (default is 200)   |
| <code>Less_nFeature_RNA</code> | low cutoffs for filtering cells that have unique feature counts (default is 8000)   |
| <code>percent.mt</code>        | low cutoffs for filtering cells that have >n percent mitochondrial counts (default is 10)   |
| <code>normalize</code>         | use log normalization   |
| <code>assay</code>             | Assay to use  |
| <code>dims</code>              | A vector of the dimensions to use in construction of the SNN group.   |
| <code>resolution</code>        | Value of the resolution parameter, use a value above (below) 1.0 if you want to obtain a larger (smaller) number of communities.                            |
| <code>random.seed</code>       | Seed of the random number generator.  |

## Details

CellrangerCount takes FASTQ files from fastQC and performs alignment, filtering, barcode counting, and UMI counting.

## Value

feature-barcode matrices and Secondary analysis (e.g., dimensionality reduction, cell clustering, and differential expression)

## References

Massively parallel digital transcriptional profiling of single cells. GXY Zheng. (2017).

## See Also

<https://satijalab.org/seurat/>

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scTyper

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## Description

The main scTyper function

**Usage**

```

scTyper(
  seurat.object = NULL,
  marker = "Puram.2017.HNSCC.TME",
  wd = getwd(),
  output.name = "test.result",
  pheno.fn,
  qc = FALSE,
  run.cellranger = FALSE,
  norm.seurat = FALSE,
  cell.typing.method = c("NTP", "ES", "Average"),
  level = c("cell", "cluster"),
  run.inferCNV = TRUE,
  proj.name = "scTyper",
  fastqc.path = NULL,
  fastq.dir = NULL,
  fq1.idx = "_R1_001.fastq",
  fq2.idx = "_R2_001.fastq",
  cellranger.path = NULL,
  cellranger.ref.dir = NULL,
  percent.min.cells = 0.1,
  min.features = 200,
  percent.mt = 10,
  vars.to.regress = c("nCount_RNA", "percent.mt"),
  dims = 1:10,
  resolution = 2,
  slot = c("scale.data", "count.data", "data"),
  assay = "RNA",
  NTP.g.filter.method = c("sd", "mad", "none"),
  NTP.gene.filter.cutoff = 0.3,
  NTP.distance = c("cosine", "correlation"),
  NTP.norm.method = c("none", "row.std"),
  gene.ref.gtf = NULL,
  feature.to.test = c("tissue.type", "cell.type"),
  cells.test_excluded = "Epithelial",
  cells.test_reference = "immune",
  fc.cutoff = 0.05,
  cutoff.gene.cluster = 0.05,
  malignant.cell.type = "Epithelial",
  report.mode = TRUE,
  mc.cores = 1
)

```

**Arguments**

|               |  |
|---------------|--|
| seurat.object | Seurat object, if users have pre-processed seurat object, user have to insert seurat object as input |
| marker        | Cell markers to use in cell typing, character or List (#identifier or #StudyName                     |

|                        |  |
|------------------------|--|
|                        | or User defined gene list)   |
| wd                     | Working directory  |
| output.name            | Output directory name  |
| pheno.fn               | Phenotype file path  |
| qc                     | Whether to execute FASTQC (default=FALSE)  |
| run.cellranger         | whether to excute cellranger count (default=FALSE)   |
| norm.seurat            | whether to normalize seurat object (default=FALSE)   |
| cell.typing.method     | cell typing method, c("NTP", "ES", "Average"), (default = "NTP")   |
| level                  | Indicate the cell assignment level (cell or cluster)   |
| run.inferCNV           | Indicate whether 'malignant cell typing by inferCNV process run  |
| proj.name              | Project name   |
| fastqc.path            | FastQC program path  |
| fastq.dir              | FastQC output directory  |
| fq1.idx                | Index of the FASTQ file (Read 1)   |
| fq2.idx                | Index of the FASTQ file (Read 2)   |
| cellranger.path        | Cell Ranger program path   |
| cellranger.ref.dir     | Directory of Cell Ranger reference file  |
| percent.min.cells      | Cutoff to filter features containing minimum percent of cells  |
| min.features           | Cutoff to filter cells containing minimum number of features   |
| percent.mt             | Cutoff for filtering cells that have >n percent mitochondrial counts   |
| vars.to.regress        | Variables to regress out   |
| dims                   | A vector of the dimensions to use in construction of the SNN graph.  |
| resolution             | Value of the resolution parameter, use a value above (below) 1.0 if you want to obtain a larger (smaller) number of communities. |
| slot                   | Data type of Seurat object, c("scale.data", "count.data", "data")  |
| assay                  | Assay of Seurat object   |
| NTP.g.filter.method    | Method to filter genes in NTP  |
| NTP.gene.filter.cutoff | Cutoff to filter genes of in NTP   |
| NTP.distance           | NTP distance method, a character, either c("correlation" or "cosine").   |
| NTP.norm.method        | NTP normalization method, either c("none", "row.std")  |
| gene.ref.gtf           | Path of GTF file including genomic location for genes  |

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|----------------------|--|
| feature.to.test      | Column header name of the meta data in Seurat object (select the cell groups for T.test) either "tissue.type" or "cell.type" |
| cells.test_excluded  | A value indicates the cells to be excluded in T.test   |
| cells.test_reference | A value indicates the cells to use as be excluded in T.test  |
| fc.cutoff            | Cutoff of fold change  |
| cutoff.gene.cluster  | A cutoff P-value for filtering out the gene clusters (calculated from GO analysis)   |
| malignant.cell.type  | Cell type to assign malignant cell   |
| report.mode          | Generate report file   |
| mc.cores             | The number of cores to use. Must be at least one(default=1), and parallelization requires at least two cores.                |

Value

Seurat object

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|---------------|----------------------|
| update.sig.db | <i>update.sig.db</i> |
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Description

Update sig.db

Usage

update.sigTyper.db(sig.db.path, db.name=c("CellMarker", "sigTyper.db"), output.dir=system.file("/dat

Arguments

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| sig.db.path | Path of sig.db.txt   |
| db.name     | database name to update. either c("sigTyper.db", "CellMarker") |
| output.dir  | storage path of sig.db marker                                  |



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