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## Description

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combinePvalVector

*Combine P Values Using Fisher's Method or Stouffer's Method*

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### Description

combinePvalVector is a function to combine multiple comparison's P values using Fisher's method or Stouffer's method.

### Usage

```
combinePvalVector(pvals, method = "Stouffer", signed = TRUE, twosided = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

pvals	a vector of numerics, the P values from multiple comparison need to be combined.
method	character, users can choose between "Stouffer" and "Fisher". Default is "Stouffer".
signed	logical, if TRUE, will give a sign to the P value to indicate the direction of testing. Default is TRUE.
twosided	logical, if TRUE, P value is calculated in a one-tailed test. If FALSE, P value is calculated in a two-tailed test, and it falls within the range 0 to 0.5. Default is TRUE.

**Value**

Return a vector contains the "Z-statistics" and "P.Value".

**Examples**

```
combinePvalVector(c(0.1,1e-3,1e-5))
combinePvalVector(c(0.1,1e-3,-1e-5))
```

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ConvertNet2List	<i>Convert Pairwise Network Data Frame to Driver-to-Target List</i> ConvertNet2List is a helper function in the get.SJAracne.network. But if users have their own pairwise gene network files, they can convert it to driver-to-target list object.
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**Description**

Convert Pairwise Network Data Frame to Driver-to-Target List ConvertNet2List is a helper function in the get.SJAracne.network. But if users have their own pairwise gene network files, they can convert it to driver-to-target list object.

**Usage**

```
ConvertNet2List(net_dat = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

net_dat	data.frame, must contain two columns with column names "source" (driver) and "target" (target genes). "MI" (mutual information) and "spearman" (spearman correlation coefficient) columns are optional, but strongly suggested to use. If "MI" and "spearman" columns are missing, errors may occur in some following steps (e.g. es.method='weightedmean' in cal.Activity).
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**Value**

Return a list. The names of the list elements are drivers. Each element is a data frame, contains three columns. "target", target gene names; "MI", mutual information; "spearman", spearman correlation coefficient.

Examples

```
TF_file <- system.file('PBM14KDS_DemoDataSet/SJAR/Bcell_11546_11539_77/tf_final/consensus_network_ncol_.txt',
  package = "scMINER")
tf.network <- get.network.scMINER(network_file=TF_file)
network_list <- ConvertNet2List(tf.network$network_dat)
## Not run:
```

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CreateSparseEset	<i>CreateSparseEset</i>
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Description

Create a S4 class which utilize 'ExpressionSet' template yet compatible with sparseMatrix type of assaydata

Usage

```
CreateSparseEset(
  data = NULL,
  meta.data = NULL,
  feature.data = NULL,
  add.meta = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

data	Sparse expression data, could be from either of these class:c('matrix','dgTMatrix','dgCMatrix').Required
meta.data	phenotype data which rownames should be the same as data colnames; Optional; Default as NULL
feature.data	feature data which rownames should be the same as data rownames; Optional; Default as NULL
add.meta	logical; Whether or not calculate extra pheonotype info including total number of UMI, number of non-zero gene for each cell, mitochondrial percentage and spike-in gene expression percentage and store them in Biobase::pData

Value

A customized S4 class using ExpressionSet class as prototype

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DAG_ttest	<i>DAG_ttest</i>
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Description

DAG\_ttest

Usage

```
DAG_ttest(d, group)
```

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draw.bubblePlot2	<i>Inner function for simple bubbleplots</i>
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**Description**

Inner function for simple bubbleplots

**Usage**

```
draw.bubblePlot2(  
  df = NULL,  
  xlab,  
  ylab,  
  clab,  
  slab,  
  low.col = "#004C99",  
  high.col = "#CC0000",  
  plot.title = NULL,  
  xlab_angle = 0,  
  xlab_hjust = 0.5  
)
```

**Arguments**

df	re-structured data.frame for bubble plots
xlab	string
ylab	string
clab	string
slab	string
low.col	string,default as "#004C99"
high.col	string, default as "CC0000"
plot.title	string

**Value**

a ggplot object

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draw.group.barplot	<i>Draw barplot for composition study</i>
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**Description**

Draw barplot for composition study

**Usage**

```
draw.group.barplot(input_eset, group_by, color_by, colors = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

input_eset	ExpressionSet that include group information in phenotype data
group_by	Group criteria for bars, should be a variable stored in Biobase::pData(input_eset)
color_by	Coloring criteria of bar fractions, should be a variable stored in Biobase::pData(input_eset)
colors	color values to feed in scale_fill_manual, default as NULL; If NULL, then default color for ggplot will be used

**Value**

a ggplot object

**Examples**

```
demo_file <- system.file('PBMC14KDS_DemoDataSet/DATA/pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2.RData',
                          package = "scMINER")
load(demo_file)
draw.group.barplot(pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2,
                   group_by = 'celltype',
                   color_by = 'celltype')
```

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draw.marker.bbp

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*Generate visualization for marker scores via bubble plot*


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**Description**

Marker visualizatoion from known markers/signatures, requires knowledge-based marker list as input

**Usage**

```
draw.marker.bbp(
  ref = NULL,
  input_eset,
  feature = "geneSymbol",
  group_name = "ClusterRes",
  save_plot = FALSE,
  width = 8,
  height = 5,
  plot_name = "AnnotationBubbleplot.png"
)
```

**Arguments**

ref	reference dataframe, includes positive or negative markers for different cell types; Specify first column as different cell types, second columns as markers, third columns as weight (postive or negative marker)
input_eset	expressionSet/SparseExpressionSet object with clustering membership stored in Biobase::pData
feature	feature type from second column of your reference , should be in colnames(Biobase::fData(eset))
group_name	a character, the variable containing clustering label in Biobase::pData(eset); or any other group information stored in Biobase::pData(eset)

save_plot	logical, whether or not save your plot; if TRUE, plot will be saved as plot_name
width	default as 8, inch as unit
height	default as 5, inch as unit
plot_name	plot name, please include plot type

## Details

Visualize marker score of different cell types on bubbleplot

## Value

A ggplot object

## Examples

```
demo_file <- system.file('PBMC14KDS_DemoDataSet/DATA/pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2.RData',
                          package = "scMINER")
load(demo_file)
markers_file <- system.file('PBMC14KDS_DemoDataSet/DATA/',
                             'Immune_signatures.xlsx',
                             package = "scMINER")
markers <- openxlsx::read.xlsx(markers_file)
draw.marker.bbp(ref = markers, input_eset = pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2,
                 width = 6, height = 4, feature = "geneSymbol",
                 group_name = "ClusterRes", save_plot = FALSE)

## Not run:
```

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draw.scRNAseq.QC

draw.scRNAseq.QC

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## Description

generated a scRNA-seq quality control report in html with Rmarkdown

## Usage

```
draw.scRNAseq.QC(
  SparseEset,
  project.name,
  plot.dir = "./QC/",
  output.cutoff = TRUE,
  group = "group",
  only.cutoff = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>SparseEset</code>	an <code>SparseEset</code> generated by <code>CreateSparseEset</code>
<code>project.name</code>	a character, project name to print on report
<code>plot.dir</code>	a character, output directory for QC reports
<code>output.cutoff</code>	logical, whether or not return a list of suggested thresholds for filtering
<code>group</code>	a character, a variable name indicate grouping information (stored in <code>Biobase::pData</code> ) to help generate violin plots
<code>only.cutoff</code>	logical, whether or not only return cutoff without plotting QC

**Details**

`draw.scRNAseq.QC`

**Value**

an R markdown QC report and a list of suggested threshold (if specify)

**Examples**

```
demo_file <- system.file('PBM14KDS_DemoDataSet/DATA/pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2.RData',
                          package = "scMINER")
load(demo_file)
cutoffs <- scMINER::draw.scRNAseq.QC(SparseEset = pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2,
                                     project.name = 'test',
                                     plot.dir = '.',
                                     group = "group",
                                     output.cutoff = TRUE, only.cutoff=TRUE)
```

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feature\_heatmap

*Visualize gene expression level on scRNA-seq data via heatmap*

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**Description**

This plot will visualiz feature info in scatter plot by outputing a ggplot object

**Usage**

```
feature_heatmap(
  input_eset,
  target,
  feature = "geneSymbol",
  group_name = "label",
  name = "log2Exp",
  save_plot = TRUE,
  width = 4,
  height = 8,
  cluster_rows = FALSE,
  colors = rev(colorRampPalette(brewer.pal(10, "RdYlBu"))(256)),
  plot_name = "GeneHeatmap.png",
  ...
)
```



**Arguments**

input_eset	Input expression set
target	a character or a character vector indicating feature names
feature	a character, which feature to visualize
group_name	a character, label to visualize on the top of heatmap
name	character, name of value visualized in color scale
save_plot	logical, whether to save plots or not
width	numerical
height	numerical
cluster_rows	logical, if or not cluster rows
colors	color palette
plot_name	character, name of heatmap
...	parameter to be passed to ComplexHeatmap::Heatmap

**Value**

a ggplot object

**Examples**

```
demo_file <- system.file('PBMC14KDS_DemoDataSet/DATA/pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2.RData',
                        package = "scMINER")
load(demo_file)
genes_of_interest <- c("CD3D", "CD27", "IL7R",
                      "SELL", "CCR7", "IL32",
                      "GZMA", "GZMK", "DUSP2",
                      "CD8A", "GZMH", "GZMB",
                      "CD79A", "CD79B", "CD86", "CD14")
scMINER::feature_heatmap(input_eset = pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2,
                        target = genes_of_interest,
                        group_name = "ClusterRes",
                        save_plot = FALSE,
                        width = 6, height = 6,
                        name = "log2Exp")
```

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feature\_highlighting    *feature\_highlighting*

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**Description**

This plot will visualize feature info on scatter plot by outputting a ggplot object

**Usage**

```
feature_highlighting(
  input_eset,
  target = NULL,
  feature = "geneSymbol",
  x = "X",
  y = "Y",
  wrap_by = NULL,
  ylabel = "Expression",
  pct.size = 0.8,
  title.size = 15,
  ncol = 4,
  alpha = 0.8,
  colors = colorRampPalette(c("#E3E3E3", "#BCA2FC", "#4900FE"), interpolate =
    "linear")(8)
)
```

**Arguments**

input_eset	Input expression set
target	a character vector, the list of feature to visualize
feature	character, which feature to visualize
x	coordinates for x axis
y	coordinates for y axis
wrap_by	character, variable to wrap plot with
ylabel	a character term, title of y axis
pct.size	numerical, point size
title.size	numerical, default as 5
ncol	coordinates for y axis
alpha	numerical, default as 0.8
colors	color palette for feature highlighting

**Examples**

```
demo_file <- system.file('PBMC14KDS_DemoDataSet/DATA/pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2.RData',
  package = "scMINER")

load(demo_file)
genes_of_interest <-c("CD3D", "CD27", "IL7R",
  "SELL", "CCR7", "IL32",
  "GZMA", "GZMK", "DUSP2",
  "CD8A", "GZMH", "GZMB",
  "CD79A", "CD79B", "CD86", "CD14")

scMINER::feature_highlighting(input_eset = pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2,
  target = genes_of_interest,
  feature = "geneSymbol",
  ylabel = "log2Exp",
  x = "X", y = "Y",
  pct.size = 0.5)
```

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feature_vlnplot	<i>feature_vlnplot</i>
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## Description

This plot will visualize feature info in violin plot by outputting a ggplot object

## Usage

```
feature_vlnplot(
  input_eset,
  target = NULL,
  feature = "geneSymbol",
  group_by = "celltype",
  ylabel = "Expression",
  color_by = NULL,
  colors = NULL,
  ncol = 3,
  stat = "median",
  boxplot = FALSE,
  title.size = 5
)
```

## Arguments

input_eset	Input expression set
target	a character vector, the list of feature to visualize
feature	character, which feature to visualize
group_by	character, which group info to visualize as x axis
ylabel	a character, title of y axis
color_by	character, which group info to define color, if NULL, then violin plots will be colored by 'group_by'
colors	character vector, default as NULL, will use ggplot default color palette
ncol	coordinates for y axis
stat	a character, whether to plot median or mean as a black dot on violinplot
boxplot	logical, whether to plot boxplot on violinplot
title.size	numerical, default as 5

## Examples

```
demo_file <- system.file('PBM14KDS_DemoDataSet/DATA/pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2.RData',
                          package = "scMINER")
load(demo_file)
genes_of_interest <-c("CD3D", "CD27", "IL7R",
                      "SELL", "CCR7", "IL32",
                      "GZMA", "GZMK", "DUSP2",
                      "CD8A", "GZMH", "GZMB",
                      "CD79A", "CD79B", "CD86", "CD14")
scMINER::feature_vlnplot(input_eset = pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2,
```

```
target = genes_of_interest,
feature = "geneSymbol",
group_by = "ClusterRes",
ylabel = "log2Exp", ncol = 4)
```

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generateMICAinput	<i>Generate MICA input accepted txt or h5ad file</i>
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### Description

A utility function that helps generate MICA input from a data matrix with rownames and colnames

### Usage

```
generateMICAinput(d, filename="project_name_MICAinput.h5")
```

### Arguments

sampleN	integer, number of cells that should be sampled for computational efficiency purpose, default is 50000. If sampleN=NULL, no sampling will be performed.
seed	integer, the random seed for sampling, default is 1.
scminer.par	list for the parameter settings in scMINER pipeline, optional.
d	matrix with colnames as cell/sample info, rownames as gene/feature info
filename	filename of your MICA input file, supported format: txt or h5

### Value

A txt file or a h5 file that could be read in MICA

### Examples

```
demo_file <- system.file('PBMC14KDS_DemoDataSet/DATA/pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2.RData',
                        package = "scMINER")
load(demo_file)
MICA.cmd <- generateMICAinput(eset = pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2 ,
                             filepath = 'test.h5ad')
```

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generateSJARACNeInput	<i>Generate SJARACNE input with designed folder structure</i>
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### Description

This function helps to generate appropriate input files for SJARACNe pipeline. It can take transcription factor/signaling gene reference from internal(stored in package) or external (manual define)

**Usage**

```
generateSJARACNeInput(
  input_eset,
  ref = NULL,
  funcType = NULL,
  input_driver = NULL,
  sampleN = 1000,
  seed = 1,
  wd.src,
  group_name,
  symbolColumnName = "geneSymbol"
)
```

**Arguments**

input_eset	An expressionSet
ref	c("hg", "mm"), could be a manually defined geneSymbol vector
funcType	c("TF", "SIG", NULL), if NULL then both TF and SIG will be considered
input_driver,	a list of drivers for calculation. If NULL, curated driver list in the R package will be used.
sampleN	integer, number of cells that should be sampled per group for computational efficiency purpose, default is 1000. If sampleN=NULL, no sampling will be performed.
seed	integer, the random seed for sampling, default is 1.
wd.src	output path
group_name	name of group for sample identification
symbolColumnName	name for the column that save gene symbols.

**Details**

generateSJARACNeInput

**Value**

SJARACNe input files for each subgroups

**Examples**

```
demo_file <- system.file('PBMC14KDS_DemoDataSet/DATA/pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2.RData',
  package = "scMINER")
load(demo_file)
SJAR.cmd.tf <- generateSJARACNeInput(
  input_eset = pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2,
  funcType = "TF",
  ref = "hg", # human
  wd.src = 'test/', # output directory
  group_name = "celltype")
## Not run:
```

get.DA

*Find differential activity genes from activity matrix***Description**

get.DA is a wrapper of (DAG\_test, and getDE.limma), which helps to conduct two\_sided t.test on all genes in specific group VS Others to find differential activity genes, a table with essential statistics will be outputted.

**Usage**

```
get.DA(
  input_eset = NULL,
  group_name = "celltype",
  group_case = NULL,
  group_ctrl = NULL,
  method = "t.test"
)
```

**Arguments**

input_eset	ExpressionSet that stores group information in Biobase::pData
group_name	a character string, column name in Biobase::pData(input_eset) that indicates group info
group_case	NULL(If do get.DA for all group vs others) or a character string (one specific group vs others) of column name in Biobase::pData(input_eset) that indicates group info
group_ctrl	NULL(If one vs Others); a character indicate case group if do pairwise analysis
method	a character from c("t.test", "limma"), which method will be used to identify differential activity gene

**Value**

output would be a data.frame containing: t.statistics, p.value, log2FC, z.score, and mean Activity value

**Examples**

```
demo_file <- system.file('PBMC14KDS_DemoDataSet/DATA/celltype_Activity.RData',
                          package = "scMINER")
load(demo_file)
DAG_result_tf <- get.DA(input_eset = AC_eset$AC.TF,
                        group_name = "celltype")
```

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get.network.scMINER	<i>Read SJARACNe Network Result and Return it as List Object(adapted from NetBID2)</i>
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## Description

get.network.scMINER reads SJARACNe network construction result and returns a list object with network data frame, driver-to-target list and igraph object wrapped inside.

## Usage

```
get.network.scMINER(network_file = NULL)
```

## Arguments

network_file	character, the path for storing network file. For the output of SJAracne, the name of the network file will be "consensus_network_ncol.txt" under the output directory.
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## Details

In the demo, "consensus\_network\_ncol.txt" file will be read and convert into a list object. This list contains three elements, network\_data, target\_list and igraph\_obj. network\_dat is a data.frame, contains all the information of the network SJARACNe constructed. target\_list is a driver-to-target list object. Please check details in get\_net2target\_list. igraph\_obj is an igraph object used to save this directed and weighted network. Each edge of the network has two attributes, weight and sign. weight is the "MI (mutual information)" value and sign is the sign of the spearman correlation coefficient (1, positive regulation; -1, negative regulation).

## Value

Return a list containing three elements, network\_dat, target\_list and igraph\_obj.

## Examples

```
TF_file <- system.file('PBMC14KDS_DemoDataSet/SJAR/Bcell_11546_11539_77/tf_final/consensus_network_ncol.txt',
  package = "scMINER")
tf.network <- get.network.scMINER(network_file=TF_file)
## Not run:
```

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get.Topdrivers	<i>get.Topdrivers</i>
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## Description

Help quick pick top master regulators from previous differential activity analysis results

**Usage**

```
get.Topdrivers(
  DAG_result = DAG_result,
  n = 5,
  degree_filter = c(50, 500),
  celltype = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

DAG_result	Output table from function FindDAG
n	threshold to pick top master regulators(top n)
degree_filter	filter out drivers with target number less than certain value
celltype	character, output top hits are from which celltype

**Value**

A list of top master regulators among different groups

**Examples**

```
demo_file <- system.file('PBM14KDS_DemoDataSet/DATA/celltype_Activity.RData',
                          package = "scMINER")

load(demo_file)
DAG_result_tf <- get.DA(input_eset = AC_eset$AC.TF,
                       group_name = "celltype")
celltype <- levels(Biobase::pData(AC_eset$AC.TF)[,"celltype"])
TF_list <- get.Topdrivers(DAG_result = DAG_result_tf,
                        celltype = celltype,
                        n = 5, degree_filter = c(50, 600))
```

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GetActivityFromSJARACNe

*GetActivityFromSJARACNe*

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**Description**

Allocate network information from SJARACNe and calculate activity score for each hub genes.

**Usage**

```
GetActivityFromSJARACNe(
  SJARACNe_output_path = NA,
  SJARACNe_input_eset = NA,
  functype = "tf",
  group_name = NA,
  activity.method = "unweighted",
  activity.norm = TRUE,
  save_network_file = FALSE,
  save_path = NULL
)
```



**Arguments**

SJARACNe_output_path	Path to SJARACNe output folder(s)
SJARACNe_input_eset	Expressionset that you generate input from
functype	character c("tf","sig"); If NULL, both activity from TF and SIG network will be calculated; default as NULL
group_name	a string, group name stored in Biobase::pData that defines expression matrix separation
activity.method	c("weighted,unweighted), default to "unweighted"
activity.norm	logical, default to TRUE.
save_network_file	logical, default to FALSE
save_path	Path to save network file

**Value**

An expressionset with activity values

**Author(s)**

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**Examples**

```
demo_file <- system.file('PBMC14KDS_DemoDataSet/DATA/pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2.RData',
                        package = "scMINER")
load(demo_file)
out.dir.SJAR <- system.file('PBMC14KDS_DemoDataSet/SJAR/',
                          package = "scMINER")
acs.14k.tf <- GetActivityFromSJARACNe(
  SJARACNe_output_path = out.dir.SJAR,
  SJARACNe_input_eset = pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2,
  activity.method="unweighted",
  activity.norm=TRUE,
  group_name = "celltype",
  save_network_file=FALSE,
  functype="tf",
  save_path='.')

## Not run:
```

getDE.limma

*Differential Expression Analysis and Differential Activity Analysis Between 2 Sample Groups Using Limma***Description**

getDE.limma is a function performs differential gene expression analysis and differential driver activity analysis between control group (parameter G0) and experimental group (parameter G1), using limma related functions.

**Usage**

```
getDE.limma(
  eset = NULL,
  G1 = NULL,
  G0 = NULL,
  G1_name = NULL,
  G0_name = NULL,
  verbose = TRUE,
  random_effect = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

eset	ExpressionSet class object, contains gene expression data or driver activity data.
G1	a vector of characters, the sample names of experimental group.
G0	a vecotr of characters, the sample names of control group.
G1_name	character, the name of experimental group (e.g. "Male"). Default is "G1".
G0_name	character, the name of control group (e.g. "Female"). Default is "G0".
verbose	logical, if TRUE, sample names of both groups will be printed. Default is TRUE.
random_effect	a vector of characters, vector or factor specifying a blocking variable. Default is NULL, no random effect will be considered.

**Value**

Return a data frame. Rows are genes/drivers, columns are "ID", "logFC", "AveExpr", "t", "P.Value", "adj.P.Val", "B", "Z-statistics", "Ave.G1" and "Ave.G0". Names of the columns may vary from different group names. Sorted by P-values.

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
analysis.par <- list()
analysis.par$out.dir.DATA <- system.file('demo1', 'driver/DATA/', package = "NetBID2")
NetBID.loadRData(analysis.par=analysis.par, step='ms-tab')
phe_info <- Biobase::pData(analysis.par$cal.eset)
each_subtype <- 'G4'
G0 <- rownames(phe_info)[which(phe_info$`subgroup`!=each_subtype)] # get sample list for G0
G1 <- rownames(phe_info)[which(phe_info$`subgroup`==each_subtype)] # get sample list for G1
DE_gene_limma <- getDE.limma(eset=analysis.par$cal.eset,
```

```

                                G1=G1,G0=G0,
                                G1_name=each_subtype,
                                G0_name='other')
DA_driver_limma <- getDE.limma(eset=analysis.par$merge.ac.eset,
                                G1=G1,G0=G0,
                                G1_name=each_subtype,
                                G0_name='other')

## End(Not run)

```

get\_activity

*Calculate activity from network file or gene list***Description**

Calculate activity from network file or gene list

**Usage**

```

get_activity(
  Net = NULL,
  eset,
  tag = NULL,
  genelist = NULL,
  use.symbol = FALSE,
  feature = "geneSymbol",
  es.method = "mean",
  activity.method = "weighted",
  normalize = TRUE,
  sep.symbol = "."
)

```

**Arguments**

Net	Network data frame
eset	ExpressionSet/SparseExpressionSet with expression data
tag	If network is TF network or SIG network
genelist	A list of signature gene list
use.symbol	logical, in network file, use geneSymbol or use geneID
feature	character, use which feature as ID in Biobase::fData(eset)
es.method	character, which method to use to calculate activity value ("mean", "maxmean")
activity.method	character, which method to use to estimate activity ("weighted", "unweighted")
normalize	logical, if normalize or not
sep.symbol	which symbol to separate name and tag

**Details**

If network object was loaded by get.network.scMINER function, then network dataframe is could be retrieved under network\_dat slot.

## Examples

```
demo_file <- system.file('PBM14KDS_DemoDataSet/DATA/pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2.RData',
                          package = "scMINER")
load(demo_file)
TF_file <- system.file('PBM14KDS_DemoDataSet/SJAR/Bcell_11546_11539_77/tf_final/consensus_network_ncol.tx',
                       package = "scMINER")
tf.network <- get.network.scMINER(network_file=TF_file)
acs1<-get_activity(Net = tf.network$network_dat, tag = "TF",
                  normalize=TRUE,
                  eset = pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2,
                  activity.method = 'unweighted',
                  use.symbol=TRUE)
```

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MICApLOT

*plot MICA clustering results or other meta variables*


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## Description

This function helps to generate a ggplot object for phenotypic visualization

## Usage

```
MICApLOT(
  input_eset,
  color_by = "ClusterRes",
  colors = NULL,
  X = NULL,
  Y = NULL,
  show_label = FALSE,
  label.size = 10,
  title.size = 20,
  title.name = "",
  pct = 0.5,
  alpha = 1
)
```

## Arguments

<code>input_eset</code>	ExpressionSet that include visualization coordinates in phenotype data
<code>color_by</code>	Coloring criteria of data points, should be a variable stored in <code>Biobase::pData(input_eset)</code>
<code>colors</code>	character, color values, if NULL then use ggplot default color
<code>X</code>	character, column name of x axis
<code>Y</code>	character, column name of y axis
<code>show_label</code>	logical, whether or not to show label on tSNE plot
<code>label.size</code>	numerical, size of label plotted on figure
<code>title.size</code>	numerical, size of plot title, default as 10
<code>title.name</code>	character, title of plot, default as NULL
<code>pct</code>	numerical, size of point, default as 0.5
<code>alpha</code>	numerical, indicate point transparency

**Examples**

```
demo_file <- system.file('PBMC14KDS_DemoDataSet/DATA/pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2.RData',
                          package = "scMINER")
load(demo_file)
scMINER::MICAplot(input_eset = pbmc.14k.DS.eset.log2, X = "X", Y = "Y",
                  color_by = "ClusterRes", pct = 0.5)
## Not run:
```

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```
preMICA.filtering      preMICA.filtering
```

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**Description**

scRNA-seq filtering function

**Usage**

```
preMICA.filtering(
  SparseEset,
  cutoffs,
  gene_filter = TRUE,
  nGene_filter = TRUE,
  nUMI_filter = TRUE,
  ERCC_filter = TRUE,
  Mito_filter = TRUE
)
```

**Arguments**

SparseEset	the sparseEset object outputted from draw.scRNAseq.QC
cutoffs	a list outputted by draw.scRNAseq.QC, if NULL, manual input will be required
gene_filter	logical; or a numerical number, indicating lower threshold for gene filtering based on how many non-zero cells each gene expressed in
nGene_filter	logical; a numerical number, indicating lower threshold put on number of gene expression in each cell for cell filtering
nUMI_filter	logical;a vector of two numerical number, indicating lower threshold and upper threshold put on number of total UMI for cell filtering
ERCC_filter	logical; a numerical number, indicating upper threshold put on ERCC percentage for cell filtering
Mito_filter	logical;a numerical number, indicating upper threshold put on Mitochondrial gene expression fraction for cell filtering

**Details**

preMICA.filtering

**Value**

A Sparse expression set

[illegible]

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readMICAoutput	<i>readMICAoutput</i>
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## Read MICA input and output to create an expressionSet for downstream analysis

```
readMICAoutput(eset = NULL, input_file, output_file, load_ClusterRes = TRUE)
```

eset	a SparseMatrix Eset
input_file	input expression txt file of MICA pipeline
output_file	output ClusterMem.txt file from MICA pipeline
load_ClusterRes	logical, if TRUE, clustering results will be store at Biobase::pData(eset)\$label

A sparse expressionSet object

[illegible]



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scMINER.dir.create	<i>Manipulation of Working Directories for scMINER pipeline</i>
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## Description

scMINER.dir.create is used to help users create an organized working directory for the network construction step in scMINER analysis. However, it is not essential for the analysis. It creates a hierarchical working directory and returns a list contains this directory information.

## Usage

```
scMINER.dir.create(project_main_dir = NULL, project_name = NULL)
```

## Arguments

project_main_dir	character, name or absolute path of the main working directory.
project_name	character, name of the project folder.

## Details

This function needs users to define the main working directory and the project's name. It creates a main working directory with a subdirectory of the project. It also automatically creates five subfolders (DATA, SJAR, MICA, QC, PLOT) within the project folder. DATA/, storing data files; SJAR/, storing files needed for running SJAracne; MICA/, storing files needed for running MICA; QC/, storing Quality Control related plots; PLOT/, storing plot files; This function also returns a list object (example, scminer.par in the demo) with directory information wrapped inside.

## Value

scMINER.dir.create returns a list object, containing main.dir (path of the main working directory), project.name (project name), out.dir (path of the project folder).

## Examples

```
project_main_dir <- '../test'
project_name <- 'PBMC14KDS'
scminer.par <- scMINER::scMINER.dir.create(project_main_dir = project_main_dir,
                                           project_name = project_name)

## Not run:
# Creating a main working directory under the current working directory by folder name
scminer.par <- scMINER.dir.create("MyMainDir", "MyProject")
# Or creating a main working directory under the current working directory by relative path
scminer.par <- scMINER.dir.create("../MyMainDir", "MyProject")
# Or creating a main working directory to a specific path by absolute path
scminer.par <- scMINER.dir.create("~/Desktop/MyMainDir", "MyProject")

## End(Not run)
```



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SJARACNe_filter	<i>SJARACNe_filter</i>
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### Description

This is the inner function to help generate SJARACNe input for scRNA-seq data, all non-informative (zero genes) will be filtered in by this function

### Usage

```
SJARACNe_filter(
  eset.sel,
  tf.ref,
  sig.ref,
  wd.src,
  grp.tag,
  symbolColumnName = "geneSymbol"
)
```

### Arguments

<code>eset.sel</code>	ExpressionSet to generate SJaracne input
<code>tf.ref</code>	A vector of reference transcription factors
<code>sig.ref</code>	A vector of reference signaling genes
<code>wd.src</code>	path to store SJaracne input
<code>grp.tag</code>	name of group for identification
<code>symbolColumnName</code>	name for the column that save gene symbols.

### Details

Non-expressed genes in subgroups are filtered. `tf.ref` should be coordinate with `featureNames(eset.sel)`.

### Value

A folder with picked master regulator and filtered gene expression matrix

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SparseExpressionSet-class	<i>SparseExpressionSet</i>
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### Description

SparseExpressionSet

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