

Relative Abundance Normalization Method Comparison

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Comparison of relative abundance error rate for different normalization methods

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library(tidyverse)
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## Loading tidyverse: ggplot2
## Loading tidyverse: tibble
## Loading tidyverse: tidyr
## Loading tidyverse: readr
## Loading tidyverse: purrr
## Loading tidyverse: dplyr
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## Conflicts with tidy packages -----
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## filter(): dplyr, stats
## lag():    dplyr, stats
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library(ggthemes)
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norm_count_df <- readRDS("~/Desktop/to_file/mgtst_RDS/norm_count_df.RDS")
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Mean variance relationship by normalization method - not sure if the difference is due to scaling or normalization method.

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subsample_norm <- norm_count_df %>%
  # filter(mean_count != 0, biosample_id != "NTC") %>%
  # filter(mean_count != 0, var_count > 1e-10,
  #       # biosample_id == "E01JH0004") %>%
  filter(mean_count != 0, var_count > 1e-10, t_fctr == 0)

ggplot(subsample_norm) +
  geom_point(aes(x = mean_count, y = var_count, fill = biosample_id),
            shape = 21, alpha = 0.25) +
  geom_abline(aes(intercept = 0, slope = 1)) +
  facet_wrap(~norm_method) +
  theme_bw() + scale_y_log10() + scale_x_log10() +
  labs(x = "Mean", y = "Variance") +
  coord_equal()
```

Calculating Error Rate

```
pa_summary_anno_df <- readRDS("~/Desktop/to_file/mgtst_RDS/pa_summary_anno_df.RDS")
theta_est <- readRDS("~/Desktop/to_file/mgtst_RDS/bootstrap_theta_estimates.rds")
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pre_post_prop <- norm_count_df %>%
  ungroup() %>%
  filter(t_fctr %in% c(0,20)) %>%
  mutate(end_point = if_else(t_fctr == 0 , "post", "pre")) %>%
  select(-t_fctr, -var_count) %>%
  ## setting values to 0 when one or more of the PCR replicates are 0 for titration end-points
  spread(end_point, mean_count, fill = 0)
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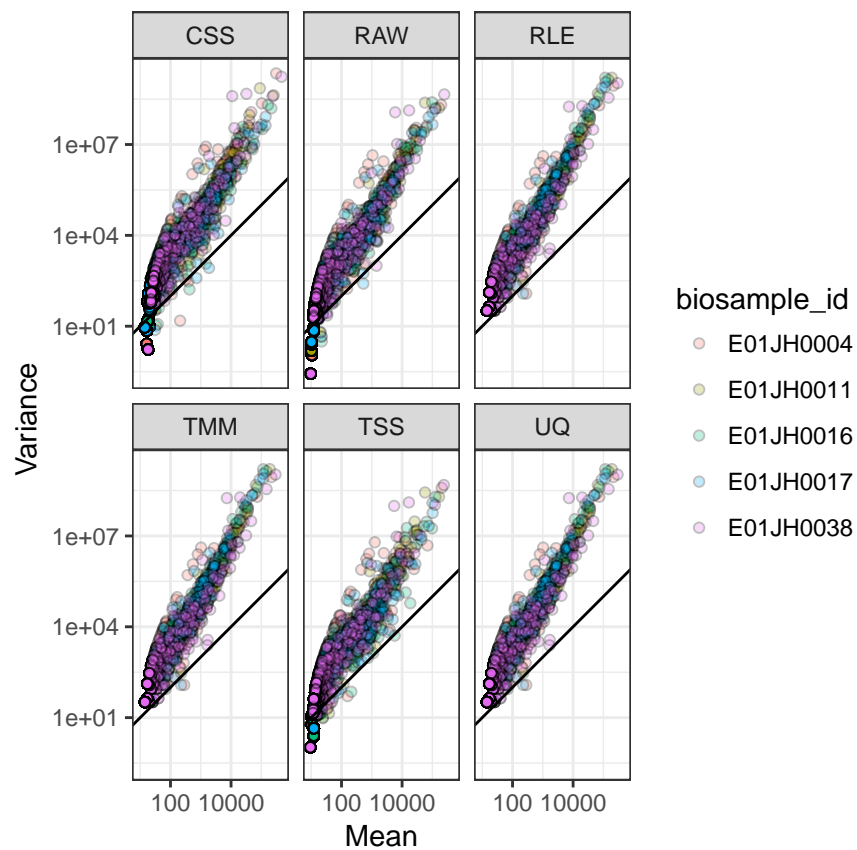


Figure 1: Comparison of relative abundance mean and variance relationship for PCR replicates across normalization methods. RLE - relative log expression, TMM - weighted trim mean of M-values, RAW - unnormalized, CSS - cumulative sum scaling, TSS - total sum scaling, UQ - upperquartile.

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prop_inferred <- theta_est %>%
  filter(pipe == "unclustered") %>%
  ungroup() %>%
  mutate(t_fctr = factor(t_fctr, levels = c(0:5, 10, 15, 20))) %>%
  select(biosample_id, theta_hat_mean, t_fctr) %>%
  right_join(norm_count_df) %>%
  right_join(pre_post_prop) %>%
  filter(t_fctr %in% c(1:5,10,15)) %>%
  ## Using inferred theta estimates to calculate expected values
  mutate(inferred_prop = post * theta_hat_mean + pre * (1 - theta_hat_mean))

## Joining, by = c("biosample_id", "t_fctr")

## Warning: Column `t_fctr` joining factors with different levels, coercing to
## character vector

## Joining, by = c("biosample_id", "norm_method", "feature_id", "pipe")

## Excluding mix and unmix specific features
## Only including features observed in all or none of the four pre- post- PCR replicates
## Features with relative abundance estimates less than 1e-7, these are features that we would not expect
pa_filter <- pa_summary_anno_df %>%
  filter(pa_specific == "unspecific") %>%
  select(biosample_id, pipe, feature_id, full_pre, T00, T20, pa_mixed) %>%
  filter(T00 %in% c(0,4), T20 %in% c(04))

# prop_inferred <- prop_inferred %>%
#   right_join(pa_filter) %>%
#   filter(nb_prop > 1e-7)

#### Error Rate Calculations
rel_abu_error <- prop_inferred %>%
  mutate(t_fctr = factor(t_fctr, levels = c(1:5, 10, 15))) %>%
  mutate(inferred_error = abs(mean_count - inferred_prop),
         inferred_error_rate = inferred_error/inferred_prop)

rel_abu_ridge_df <- rel_abu_error %>%
  mutate(inferred_error_rate = if_else(inferred_error_rate < 1e-10,
                                       0, inferred_error_rate)) %>%
  filter(inferred_error_rate != 0 & mean_count > 1e-10)

rel_abu_med <- rel_abu_ridge_df %>%
  group_by(biosample_id, norm_method) %>%
  mutate(med_error = median( inferred_error_rate))

rel_abu_ridge_df %>%
  ggplot() +
  geom_density_ridges(aes(x = inferred_error_rate, y = norm_method, color = norm_method),
                    alpha = 0.5, stat = "binline", bins = 30, draw_baseline = FALSE) +
  geom_text(data = rel_abu_med,
            aes(x = 10, y = norm_method, label = round(med_error,2))) +
  facet_wrap(~biosample_id) + theme_bw() +
  scale_x_log10() +
  labs(x = "Error Rate", y = "Normalization", color = "Normalization") +

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theme(legend.position = "none")
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