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## Description

This package allows users to reuse the unique paired Agilent microRNA datasets and to reproduce our simulation studies in the paper linked to via the URL below.

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amplify.ary.eff	<i>Array effect amplification</i>
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## Description

Amplifies array effect in specified slides in a training set by a multiplier.

## Usage

```
amplify.ary.eff(ary.eff.tr, amplify.slide.id, amplify.level, type = "shift")
```

## Arguments

ary.eff.tr	the array effect training set to be modified, rows as probes, columns as samples.
amplify.slide.id	the slide IDs specified to have its array effect amplified; a vector of slide IDs if type = "shift" or "scale1", a list of vectors of slide IDs if type = "scale2".
amplify.level	a multiplier specified to amplify array effect by; a multiplier if type = "shift" or "scale1"; a vector of multipliers if type = "scale2" which has to be equal length to the amplify.slide.id list.
type	a choice of amplification type, either "shift", "scale1" or "scale2" for either location shift amplification or scale amplification; default is "shift". Location shift amplification shifts the entire specified arrays up by a constant. Scaling amplification scales the expressions towards maximum and minimum per array.

## Value

a array-effect-amplified array effect training data

## Examples

```
## Not run:
smp.eff <- estimate.smp.eff(r.data = r.data.pl)
ary.eff <- estimate.ary.eff(r.data = r.data.pl,
                           non.r.data = non.r.data.pl)
ctrl.genes <- unique(rownames(r.data.pl))[grep("NC", unique(rownames(r.data.pl)))]
smp.eff.nc <- smp.eff[!rownames(smp.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
ary.eff.nc <- ary.eff[!rownames(ary.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
ary.eff.nc.tr <- ary.eff.nc[, c(1:64, 129:192)]
ary.eff.nc.tr.shift <- amplify.ary.eff(ary.eff.tr = ary.eff.nc.tr,
                                       amplify.slide.id = colnames(ary.eff.nc.tr)[1:64],
                                       amplify.level = 2, type = "shift")
ary.eff.nc.tr.scale1 <- amplify.ary.eff(ary.eff.tr = ary.eff.nc.tr,
                                       amplify.slide.id = colnames(ary.eff.nc.tr)[1:64],
                                       amplify.level = 2, type = "scale1")
amplify.slide.id <- list(1:40, 41:64, (129:160) - 64, (161:192) - 64)
for(i in 1:length(amplify.slide.id))
  amplify.slide.id[[i]] <- colnames(ary.eff.nc.tr)[amplify.slide.id[[i]]]
amplify.level <- c(1.2, 1.3, 1/3, 2/3)
ary.eff.nc.tr.scale2 <- amplify.ary.eff(ary.eff.tr = ary.eff.nc.tr,
                                       amplify.slide.id = amplify.slide.id,
                                       amplify.level = amplify.level,
                                       type = "scale2")

par(mfrow = c(2, 2), mar = c(4, 3, 2, 2))
rng <- range(ary.eff.nc.tr, ary.eff.nc.tr.shift, ary.eff.nc.tr.scale1, ary.eff.nc.tr.scale2)
boxplot(ary.eff.nc.tr, main = "original",
        ylim = rng, pch = 20, cex = 0.2, xaxt = "n")
boxplot(ary.eff.nc.tr.shift, main = "shifted",
        ylim = rng, pch = 20, cex = 0.2, xaxt = "n")
boxplot(ary.eff.nc.tr.scale1, main = "scaled 1",
        ylim = rng, pch = 20, cex = 0.2, xaxt = "n")
boxplot(ary.eff.nc.tr.scale2, main = "scaled 2",
        ylim = rng, pch = 20, cex = 0.2, xaxt = "n")

## End(Not run)
```

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blocking.design

*Blocking Design*


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## Description

Assigns arrays to samples with blocking design.

## Usage

```
blocking.design(seed, num.smp)
```

**Arguments**

seed                    specifies seed for random assignment using set.seed().  
 num.smp                number of samples.

**Value**

array-to-sample assignment, first half for group 1 (endometrial), second half for group 2 (ovarian)

**Examples**

```
blocking.design(seed = 1, num.smp = 128)
```

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calc.confounding.level

*Level of confounding calculation*

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**Description**

Calculates level of confounding between handling effects of a dataset and sample-group labels.

**Usage**

```
calc.confounding.level(data, group.id, nbe.genes)
```

**Arguments**

data                    expression dataset, rows as probes, columns as samples.  
 group.id               sample group ID for the dataset.  
 nbe.genes              a vector of non-biological genes indicated as TRUE or 1, equal length as number of probes in the data.

**Value**

the level of confounding and the most correlated principal component of the non-biological genes in the dataset with the sample-group labels

**Examples**

```
smp.eff <- estimate.smp.eff(r.data = r.data.pl)
ary.eff <- estimate.ary.eff(r.data = r.data.pl,
                           non.r.data = non.r.data.pl)
ctrl.genes <- unique(rownames(r.data.pl))[grep("NC", unique(rownames(r.data.pl)))]
smp.eff.nc <- smp.eff[!rownames(smp.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
ary.eff.nc <- ary.eff[!rownames(ary.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
group.id <- substr(colnames(smp.eff.nc), 7, 7)
smp.eff.train.ind <- colnames(smp.eff.nc)[c(sample(which(group.id == "E"), size = 64),
```

```

sample(which(group.id == "V"), size = 64))
ary.eff.train.ind <- colnames(ary.eff.nc)[c(1:64, 129:192)]
# randomly created a vector of Boolean for nbe.genes
nbe.genes <- sample(c(TRUE, FALSE), size = nrow(smp.eff.nc), replace = TRUE)
calc.confounding.level(data = smp.eff.nc[, smp.eff.train.ind],
                      group.id = substr(smp.eff.train.ind, 7, 7),
                      nbe.genes = nbe.genes)

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classify.gene.type	<i>Gene type classification</i>
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## Description

Classifies genes into technical, biological or other based on the differential expression analysis results of the estimated sample and array effect data.

## Usage

```

classify.gene.type(smp.eff, ary.eff, smp.eff.train.ind, ary.eff.train.ind,
                  group.id, ary.to.smp.assign)

```

## Arguments

smp.eff	estimated sample effect data, rows as probes, columns as samples; can only take in either probe-level data with 10 probe per unique probe or probe-set-level data.
ary.eff	estimated array effect data, rows as probes, columns as samples; must have same dimensions and same probe name as sample effect data; can only take in either probe-level data with 10 probe per unique probe or probe-set-level data; must be the same dimensions as the estimated sample effect data.
smp.eff.train.ind	training set index for samples from the estimated sample effect data.
ary.eff.train.ind	training set index for arrays from the estimated array effect data.
group.id	sample group ID for the estimated sample effect data.
ary.to.smp.assign	array-to-sample assignment for the arrays of the estimated array effect data.

## Value

gene category vector, -1 for technical, 0 for other, 1 for biological genes

## Examples

```
## Not run:
smp.eff <- estimate.smp.eff(r.data = r.data.pl)
ary.eff <- estimate.ary.eff(r.data = r.data.pl,
                           non.r.data = non.r.data.pl)
ctrl.genes <- unique(rownames(r.data.pl))[grep("NC", unique(rownames(r.data.pl)))]
smp.eff.nc <- smp.eff[!rownames(smp.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
ary.eff.nc <- ary.eff[!rownames(ary.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
group.id <- substr(colnames(smp.eff.nc), 7, 7)
smp.eff.train.ind <- colnames(smp.eff.nc)[c(sample(which(group.id == "E"), size = 64),
sample(which(group.id == "V"), size = 64))]
smp.eff.test.ind <- colnames(smp.eff.nc)[!colnames(smp.eff.nc) %in% smp.eff.train.ind]
ary.eff.train.ind <- colnames(ary.eff.nc)[c(1:64, 129:192)]
group.id.list <- list("all" = group.id,
                     "tr" = substr(smp.eff.train.ind, 7, 7),
                     "te" = substr(smp.eff.test.ind, 7, 7))
ary.to.smp.assign <- list("all" = c(rep(c("E", "V"), each = 64),
rep(c("V", "E"), each = 32)),
                         "tr" = rep(c("E", "V"), each = 64),
                         "te" = rep(c("V", "E"), each = 32))
gene.cat <- classify.gene.type(smp.eff = smp.eff.nc,
                              ary.eff = ary.eff.nc,
                              smp.eff.train.ind = smp.eff.train.ind,
                              ary.eff.train.ind = ary.eff.train.ind,
                              group.id = group.id.list,
                              ary.to.smp.assign = ary.to.smp.assign)

## End(Not run)
```

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confounding.design      *Confounding Design*

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## Description

Assigns arrays to samples with confounding design.

## Usage

```
confounding.design(seed, num.smp, degree = "complete", rev.order = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

seed	specifies seed for random assignment using set.seed().
num.smp	number of samples.
degree	level of confounding; has to be either "complete" or "partial" for either "complete confounding" or "partial confounding" design; default is "complete".
rev.order	FALSE indicating no reverse order, first half arrays to group 1 (endometrial), second half arrays to group 2 (ovarian); default is FALSE.

**Value**

array-to-sample assignment, first half for group 1 (endometrial), second half for group 2 (ovarian)

**Examples**

```
cc.ind <- confounding.design(seed = 1, num.smp = 128,  
                             degree = "complete", rev.order = FALSE)  
cc.ind <- confounding.design(seed = 1, num.smp = 128,  
                             degree = "complete", rev.order = FALSE)
```

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estimate.ary.eff	<i>Estimated array effect</i>
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**Description**

Estimates array effect from taking the differences between the expressions of the non-randomized and the randomized data, matched by samples

**Usage**

```
estimate.ary.eff(r.data, non.r.data)
```

**Arguments**

r.data	randomized expression dataset, rows as probes, columns as samples.
non.r.data	non-randomized expression dataset, rows as probes, columns as samples; must have same dimensions and same probe name as randomized data.

**Value**

an estimation of the array effect

**Examples**

```
ary.eff <- estimate.ary.eff(r.data = r.data.pl, non.r.data = non.r.data.pl)
```

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estimate.smp.eff	<i>Estimated Sample Effect</i>
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**Description**

Estimates sample effect from the expressions of the randomized data

**Usage**

```
estimate.smp.eff(r.data)
```

**Arguments**

r.data	randomized expression dataset, rows as probes, columns as samples.
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**Value**

an estimation of the sample effect

**Examples**

```
smp.eff <- estimate.smp.eff(r.data = r.data.pl)
```

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lasso.intcv	<i>Least absolute shrinkage and selection operator through internal cross validation</i>
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**Description**

Builds a LASSO classifier using internal cross validation, with a 5-fold cross validation as default.

**Usage**

```
lasso.intcv(kfold = 5, X, y, seed, alp = 1)
```

**Arguments**

kfold	number of folds; default is 5.
X	expression dataset to be trained, rows as probes, columns as samples.
y	sample group corresponding to the dataset to be trained; should have the equal length as the number of samples as X.
seed	specifies seed for random assignment using set.seed().
alp	alpha, the penalty type from 0 to 1; default alp = 1 for LASSO; alp = 0 for a ridge classifier.



**Value**

a LASSO classifier

**Examples**

```
set.seed(101)
smp.eff <- estimate.smp.eff(r.data = r.data.pl)
ctrl.genes <- unique(rownames(r.data.pl))[grep("NC", unique(rownames(r.data.pl)))]
smp.eff.nc <- smp.eff[!rownames(smp.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
group.id <- substr(colnames(smp.eff.nc), 7, 7)

smp.eff.train.ind <- colnames(smp.eff.nc)[c(sample(which(group.id == "E"), size = 64),
                                             sample(which(group.id == "V"), size = 64))]
smp.eff.nc.tr <- smp.eff.nc[, smp.eff.train.ind]

lasso.int <- lasso.intcv(X = smp.eff.nc.tr,
                        y = substr(colnames(smp.eff.nc.tr), 7, 7),
                        kfold = 5, seed = 1, alp = 1)
```

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lasso.predict	<i>Prediction with least absolute shrinkage and selection operator classifier</i>
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**Description**

Predicts from a least absolute shrinkage and selection operator fit.

**Usage**

```
lasso.predict(lasso.intcv.model, pred.obj, pred.obj.group.id)
```

**Arguments**

lasso.intcv.model	a LASSO classifier built with lasso.intcv().
pred.obj	expression dataset to have its sample group predicted, rows as probes, columns as samples; should have equal number of probes as the data trained.
pred.obj.group.id	sample group corresponding to the dataset to be predicted; should have equal length as the number of samples as pred.obj.

**Value**

predicted object, predicted error and predicted features

## Examples

```

set.seed(101)
smp.eff <- estimate.smp.eff(r.data = r.data.pl)
ctrl.genes <- unique(rownames(r.data.pl))[grep("NC", unique(rownames(r.data.pl)))]
smp.eff.nc <- smp.eff[!rownames(smp.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
group.id <- substr(colnames(smp.eff.nc), 7, 7)

smp.eff.train.ind <- colnames(smp.eff.nc)[c(sample(which(group.id == "E"), size = 64),
                                           sample(which(group.id == "V"), size = 64))]
smp.eff.test.ind <- colnames(smp.eff.nc)[!colnames(smp.eff.nc) %in% smp.eff.train.ind]
smp.eff.nc.tr <- smp.eff.nc[, smp.eff.train.ind]
smp.eff.nc.te <- smp.eff.nc[, smp.eff.test.ind]

lasso.int <- lasso.intcv(X = smp.eff.nc.tr,
                        y = substr(colnames(smp.eff.nc.tr), 7, 7),
                        kfold = 5, seed = 1, alp = 1)

lasso.pred <- lasso.predict(lasso.intcv.model = lasso.int,
                           pred.obj = smp.eff.nc.te,
                           pred.obj.group.id = substr(colnames(smp.eff.nc.te), 7, 7))

lasso.int$mc
lasso.pred$mc

```

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limma.pbset

*Differential expression analysis of probe-set data*


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## Description

Performs two-group differential expression analysis using "limma".

## Usage

```
limma.pbset(data, group.id, group.id.level = c("E", "V"), pbset.id = NULL)
```

## Arguments

data	expression dataset to be differentially expression analyzed, rows as unique probe-sets, columns as samples.
group.id	sample group label; must be a 2-level non-numeric factor vector.
group.id.level	sample group label level, the first one being the reference level; default = c("E", "V") in our studies when comparing endometrial to ovarian samples.
pbset.id	unique probe-set name; default is NULL, the rownames of the dataset.

## Value

differential expression anlysis results, group means, group standard deviations

**Examples**

```

r.data.psl <- med.sum.pbset(data = r.data.pl,
                           num.per.unipbset = 10)
ctrl.genes <- unique(rownames(r.data.pl))[grep("NC", unique(rownames(r.data.pl)))]
r.data.psl.nc <- r.data.psl[!rownames(r.data.psl) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
group.id <- substr(colnames(r.data.psl.nc), 7, 7)
group.id.level <- levels(as.factor(group.id))
limma.fit.r.data<- limma.pbset(data = r.data.psl.nc,
                              group.id = group.id,
                              group.id.level = group.id.level)
table(limma.fit.r.data$P.Value < 0.01, dnn = "DE genes")

```

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med.norm	<i>Median normalization</i>
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**Description**

Normalizes training dataset so that each array shares a same median, stores the median from the training dataset as the reference to frozen median normalize test dataset.

**Usage**

```
med.norm(train, test = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

train	training data to be median normalized, rows as probes, columns as samples.
test	test data to be frozen median normalized, rows as probes with equal number of rows as the training set, columns as samples.

**Value**

a list of two datasets, the normalized training set and the frozen normalied test set

**Examples**

```

set.seed(101)
group.id <- substr(colnames(non.r.data.pl), 7, 7)
train.ind <- colnames(non.r.data.pl)[c(sample(which(group.id == "E"), size = 64),
                                       sample(which(group.id == "V"), size = 64))]
train.dat <- non.r.data.pl[, train.ind]
test.dat <- non.r.data.pl[, !colnames(non.r.data.pl) %in%train.ind]
data.mn <- med.norm(train = train.dat)
str(data.mn)
data.mn <- med.norm(train = train.dat, test = test.dat)
str(data.mn)

```

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med.sum.pbset	<i>Probe-set median summarization</i>
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### Description

Summarizes probe-set using median of each unique probe, only taking in data matrix with a fixed number of probes per unique probe-set.

### Usage

```
med.sum.pbset(data, pbset.id = NULL, num.per.unipbset = 10)
```

### Arguments

data	expression data to be summarized, rows as probes, columns as samples; row-names as probe names; only accept data matrix with a fixed number of probes per unique probe-set. If the data is already on the probe-set level, no manipulation will be done.
pbset.id	unique probe-set name, if not specified then use the unique probe name of the data.
num.per.unipbset	number of probes for each unique probe-set; default is 10.

### Value

probe-set median summarized data

### Examples

```
r.data.psl <- med.sum.pbset(data = r.data.pl,
                             num.per.unipbset = 10)
```

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non.r.data.pl	<i>The non-randomized (test) probe-level dataset, 10 probes for each unique probe</i>
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### Description

The non-randomized probe-level dataset, non-control-probe-removed, 10 probes for each unique probe, no background adjusted and after logged 2.

### Usage

```
non.r.data.pl
```

**Format**

A data matrix with 1810 rows (probes) and 192 columns (samples), column names ending with E/V are endometrial/ovarian samples.

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pam.intcv

*Nearest shrunken centroid through internal cross validation*


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**Description**

Builds a PAM classifier using internal cross validation, with 5-fold cross validation as the default.

**Usage**

```
pam.intcv(X, y, vt.k = NULL, n.k = 30, kfold = 5, folds = NULL, seed)
```

**Arguments**

X	expression dataset to be trained, rows as probes, columns as samples.
y	sample group corresponding to the data to be trained; must have the equal length as the number of samples as X.
vt.k	custom-specified threshold list; default is NULL predetermined by the PAM package.
n.k	number of threshold values desired; default is 30.
kfold	number of folds for cross validation; default is 5
folds	prespecifies samples to folds; default is NULL for no prespecification.
seed	specifies seed for random assignment using set.seed().

**Value**

a PAM classifier

**Examples**

```
set.seed(101)
smp.eff <- estimate.smp.eff(r.data = r.data.pl)
ctrl.genes <- unique(rownames(r.data.pl))[grep("NC", unique(rownames(r.data.pl)))]
smp.eff.nc <- smp.eff[!rownames(smp.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
group.id <- substr(colnames(smp.eff.nc), 7, 7)

smp.eff.train.ind <- colnames(smp.eff.nc)[c(sample(which(group.id == "E"), size = 64),
                                             sample(which(group.id == "V"), size = 64))]
smp.eff.nc.tr <- smp.eff.nc[, smp.eff.train.ind]

pam.int <- pam.intcv(X = smp.eff.nc.tr,
                    y = substr(colnames(smp.eff.nc.tr), 7, 7),
                    kfold = 5, seed = 1)
```

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pam.predict	<i>Prediction with nearest shrunken centroid classifier</i>
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## Description

Predicts from a nearest shrunken centroid fit.

## Usage

```
pam.predict(pam.intcv.model, pred.obj, pred.obj.group.id)
```

## Arguments

pam.intcv.model	a PAM classifier built with pam.intcv().
pred.obj	expression dataset to have its sample group predicted, rows as probes, columns as samples; should have equal number of probes as the data trained.
pred.obj.group.id	sample group corresponding to the data to be predicted; should have equal length as the number of samples as pred.obj.

## Value

predicted object, predicted error and predicted features

## Examples

```
set.seed(101)
smp.eff <- estimate.smp.eff(r.data = r.data.pl)
ctrl.genes <- unique(rownames(r.data.pl))[grep("NC", unique(rownames(r.data.pl)))]
smp.eff.nc <- smp.eff[!rownames(smp.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
group.id <- substr(colnames(smp.eff.nc), 7, 7)

smp.eff.train.ind <- colnames(smp.eff.nc)[c(sample(which(group.id == "E"), size = 64),
                                             sample(which(group.id == "V"), size = 64))]
smp.eff.test.ind <- colnames(smp.eff.nc)[!colnames(smp.eff.nc) %in% smp.eff.train.ind]
smp.eff.nc.tr <- smp.eff.nc[, smp.eff.train.ind]
smp.eff.nc.te <- smp.eff.nc[, smp.eff.test.ind]

pam.int <- pam.intcv(X = smp.eff.nc.tr,
                    y = substr(colnames(smp.eff.nc.tr), 7, 7),
                    kfold = 5, seed = 1)

pam.pred <- pam.predict(pam.intcv.model = pam.int,
                       pred.obj = smp.eff.nc.te,
                       pred.obj.group.id = substr(colnames(smp.eff.nc.te), 7, 7))

pam.int$mc
pam.pred$mc
```

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per.unipbset.truncate *Classification analysis of uniformly-handled data*


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**Description**

Performs classification analysis on the uniformly-handled data by reassigning samples to training and test set in Qin et al. (see reference).

**Usage**

```
per.unipbset.truncate(data, pbset.id = NULL, num.per.unipbset = 10)
```

**Arguments**

data	expression data, rows as probes, columns as samples.
pbset.id	unique probe-set name; default is NULL, the rownames of the dataset.
num.per.unipbset	number of probes for each unique probe-set; default is 10.

**Value**

benchmark analysis results with list of models built and internal and external misclassification error stored, also a list of assignment stored

**References**

<http://clincancerres.aacrjournals.org/content/20/13/3371.long>

**Examples**

```
r.data.pl.p5 <- per.unipbset.truncate(data = r.data.pl,
num.per.unipbset = 5)
```

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precision.simulate *Classification analysis of simulation study*


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**Description**

Performs simulation study in Qin et al. (see reference).

**Usage**

```
precision.simulate(myseed, N, smp.eff.tr, smp.eff.te, ary.eff.tr, ary.eff.te,
group.id.tr, group.id.te, design.list = c("CC+", "CC-", "PC+", "PC-"),
norm.list = c("NN", "QN"), class.list = c("PAM", "LASSO"),
batch.id = NULL, icombat = FALSE, isva = FALSE, iruv = FALSE,
smp.eff.tr.ctrl = NULL, ary.eff.tr.ctrl = NULL, norm.funcs = NULL,
class.funcs = NULL, pred.funcs = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

<code>myseed</code>	specifies seed for random assignment using <code>set.seed()</code> .
<code>N</code>	number of simulation runs.
<code>smp.eff.tr</code>	sample effect training data, rows as probes, columns as samples.
<code>smp.eff.te</code>	sample effect test data, rows as probes, columns as samples; must have same number of probes and probe names as sample effect training data.
<code>ary.eff.tr</code>	array effect training data, rows as probes, columns as samples; must have same dimensions and same probe name as sample effect training data.
<code>ary.eff.te</code>	array effect test data, rows as probes, columns as samples; must have same dimensions and same probe name as array effect test data.
<code>group.id.tr</code>	sample group ID of the sample effect training data; has to be "E" and "V".
<code>group.id.te</code>	sample group ID of the sample effect test data; has to be "E" and "V".
<code>design.list</code>	a list of strings for study designs compared in the simulation study; built-in designs are "CC+", "CC-", "PC+", "PC-", "BLK", and "STR" for "Complete Confounding 1", "Complete Confounding 2", "Partial Confounding 1", "Partial Confounding 2", "Blocking", "Stratification" in Qin et al.
<code>norm.list</code>	a list of strings for normalization methods compared in the simulation study; build-in available normalization methods are "NN", "QN", "MN", "VSN" for "No Normalization", "Quantile Normalization", "Median Normalization", "Variance Stabilizing Normalization"; user can provide a list of normalization methods given the functions are supplied (also see <code>norm.funcs</code> ).
<code>class.list</code>	a list of strings for classification methods compared in the simulation study; built-in classification methods are "PAM" and "LASSO" for "prediction analysis for microarrays" and "least absolute shrinkage and selection operator"; user can provide a list of classification methods given the corresponding model-building and predicting functions are supplied (also see <code>class.funcs</code> and <code>pred.funcs</code> ).
<code>batch.id</code>	a list of batch id by the number of batches when stratification study design is specified; default is NULL.
<code>icombat</code>	indicator for combat adjustment; default is not to adjust ( <code>icombat = FALSE</code> ).
<code>isva</code>	indicator for sva adjustment; default is not to adjust ( <code>isva = FALSE</code> ).
<code>iruv</code>	indicator for RUV-4 adjustment; default is not to adjust ( <code>iruv = FALSE</code> ).
<code>smp.eff.tr.ctrl</code>	negative-control gene sample effect data if <code>iruv = TRUE</code> , rows as probes, columns as samples; must have same number of probes and probe names as non-control gene sample effect training data.
<code>ary.eff.tr.ctrl</code>	negative-control gene array effect data if <code>iruv = TRUE</code> , rows as probes, columns as samples; must have same number of probes and probe names as non-control gene array effect training data.
<code>norm.funcs</code>	a list of strings for names of user-defined normalization method functions, in the order of <code>norm.list</code> excluding any built-in normalization methods.
<code>class.funcs</code>	a list of strings for names of user-defined classification model-building functions, in the order of <code>class.list</code> excluding any built-in classification methods.
<code>pred.funcs</code>	a list of strings for names of user-defined classification predicting functions, in the order of <code>class.list</code> excluding any built-in classification methods.



## Value

simulated results with list of models built and internal and external misclassification error stored, also a list of assignment stored

## References

<http://clincancerres.aacrjournals.org/content/20/13/3371.long>

## Examples

[illegible]

```

class.list = c("PAM", "LASSO"),
batch.id = list(1:40,
                41:64,
                (129:160) - 64,
                (161:192) - 64))

# Simulation with RUV-4 batch adjustment
smp.eff.ctrl <- smp.eff[rownames(smp.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
ary.eff.ctrl <- ary.eff[rownames(ary.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]

smp.eff.tr.ctrl <- smp.eff.ctrl[, smp.eff.train.test.split$tr]
ary.eff.tr.ctrl <- ary.eff.ctrl[, ary.eff.train.test.split$tr]

precision.ruv4.results <- precision.simulate(myseed = 1, N = 3,
                                             smp.eff.tr = smp.eff.nc.tr,
                                             smp.eff.te = smp.eff.nc.te,
                                             ary.eff.tr = ary.eff.nc.tr,
                                             ary.eff.te = ary.eff.nc.te,
                                             group.id.tr = substr(colnames(smp.eff.nc.tr), 7, 7),
                                             group.id.te = substr(colnames(smp.eff.nc.te), 7, 7),
                                             design.list = c("PC-", "STR"),
                                             norm.list = c("NN", "QN"),
                                             class.list = c("PAM", "LASSO"),
                                             batch.id = list(1:40,
                                                             41:64,
                                                             (129:160) - 64,
                                                             (161:192) - 64),
                                             iruv = TRUE,
                                             smp.eff.tr.ctrl = smp.eff.tr.ctrl,
                                             ary.eff.tr.ctrl = ary.eff.tr.ctrl)

## End(Not run)

```

quant.norm

*Quantile normalization***Description**

Normalizes training dataset with quantile normalization, stores the quantiles from the training dataset as the references to frozen quantile normalize test dataset.

**Usage**

```
quant.norm(train, test = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

train	training data to be quantile normalized, rows as probes, columns as samples.
test	test data to be frozen quantile normalized, rows as probes with equal number of rows as the training set, columns as samples.

**Value**

a list of two datasets, the normalized training set and the frozen normalied test set

**References**

Bolstad, B. M., Irizarry R. A., Astrand, M, and Speed, T. P. (2003) A Comparison of Normalization Methods for High Density Oligonucleotide Array Data Based on Bias and Variance. *Bioinformatics* 19(2) ,pp 185-193. <http://bmbolstad.com/misc/normalize/normalize.html>

**Examples**

```
set.seed(101)
group.id <- substr(colnames(non.r.data.pl), 7, 7)
train.ind <- colnames(non.r.data.pl)[c(sample(which(group.id == "E"), size = 64),
                                       sample(which(group.id == "V"), size = 64))]
train.dat <- non.r.data.pl[, train.ind]
test.dat <- non.r.data.pl[, !colnames(non.r.data.pl) %in%train.ind]
data.qn <- quant.norm(train = train.dat)
str(data.qn)
data.qn <- quant.norm(train = train.dat, test = test.dat)
str(data.qn)
```

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r.data.pl	<i>The randomized (benchmark) probe-level dataset, 10 probes for each unique probe</i>
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**Description**

The randomized probe-level dataset, non-control-probe-removed, 10 probes for each unique probe, no background adjusted and after logged 2.

**Usage**

```
r.data.pl
```

**Format**

A data matrix with 1810 rows (probes) and 192 columns (samples), column names ending with E/V are endometrial/ovarian samples.

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reduce.signal

*Biological signal reduction*


---

## Description

Reduces biological effect between sample group by a multiplier.

## Usage

```
reduce.signal(smp.eff, group.id, group.id.level = c("E", "V"),
  reduce.multiplier = 1/2, pbset.id = NULL)
```

## Arguments

smp.eff	estimated sample effect data, rows as probes, columns as samples; can only take in probe-level data with 10 probe per unique probe.
group.id	sample group ID for the estimated sample effect data.
group.id.level	sample group label level; default = c("E", "V") in our studies when comparing endometrial to ovarian samples.
reduce.multiplier	a multiplier specified to reduce between-sample-group signal by; default is 1/2.
pbset.id	unique probe-set name, if not specified then use the unique probe name of the data.

## Value

estimated sample effect data with reduced biological signal

## Examples

```
smp.eff <- estimate.smp.eff(r.data = r.data.pl)
ary.eff <- estimate.ary.eff(r.data = r.data.pl,
  non.r.data = non.r.data.pl)
ctrl.genes <- unique(rownames(r.data.pl))[grep("NC", unique(rownames(r.data.pl)))]
smp.eff.nc <- smp.eff[!rownames(smp.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
ary.eff.nc <- ary.eff[!rownames(ary.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
group.id <- substr(colnames(smp.eff.nc), 7, 7)
redhalf.smp.eff.nc <- reduce.signal(smp.eff = smp.eff.nc,
  group.id = group.id,
  group.id.level = c("E", "V"),
  reduce.multiplier = 1/2)
```

rehybridize

*Rehybridization with an array-to-sample assignment***Description**

Creates simulated dataset through rehybridization with a specified array-to-sample assignment.

**Usage**

```
rehybridize(smp.eff, ary.eff, group.id, group.id.level = c("E", "V"),
  ary.to.smp.assign, icombat = FALSE, isva = FALSE, iruv = FALSE,
  smp.eff.ctrl = NULL, ary.eff.ctrl = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

smp.eff	sample effect data, rows as probes, columns as samples.
ary.eff	array effect data, rows as probes, columns as samples; must have same dimensions and same probe name as sample effect data.
group.id	sample group label; must be a 2-level non-numeric factor vector.
group.id.level	sample group label level, the first one being the reference level; default = c("E", "V") in our studies when comparing endometrial to ovarian samples.
ary.to.smp.assign	array-to-sample assignment, equal length as number of samples of sample effect data; first half of the vector assigning to endometrial, second half to ovarian.
icombat	indicator for combat adjustment; default is not to adjust, icombat = FALSE.
isva	indicator for sva adjustment; default is not to adjust, isva = FALSE.
iruv	indicator for RUV-4 adjustment; default is not to adjust, iruv = FALSE.
smp.eff.ctrl	negative-control gene sample effect data if iruv = TRUE.
ary.eff.ctrl	negative-control gene array effect data if iruv = TRUE

**Value**

simulated data, after batch adjustment if specified

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
smp.eff <- estimate.smp.eff(r.data = r.data.pl)
ary.eff <- estimate.ary.eff(r.data = r.data.pl,
  non.r.data = non.r.data.pl)
ctrl.genes <- unique(rownames(r.data.pl))[grep("NC", unique(rownames(r.data.pl)))]
smp.eff.nc <- smp.eff[!rownames(smp.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
ary.eff.nc <- ary.eff[!rownames(ary.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
assign.ind <- confounding.design(seed = 1, num.smp = 192,
  degree = "complete", rev.order = FALSE)
```

```

group.id <- substr(colnames(smp.eff.nc), 7, 7)
sim.data.raw <- rehybridize(smp.eff = smp.eff.nc,
                           ary.eff = ary.eff.nc,
                           group.id = group.id,
                           ary.to.smp.assign = assign.ind)
sim.data.sva <- rehybridize(smp.eff = smp.eff.nc,
                           ary.eff = ary.eff.nc,
                           group.id = group.id,
                           ary.to.smp.assign = assign.ind,
                           isva = TRUE)
smp.eff.ctrl <- smp.eff[rownames(smp.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
ary.eff.ctrl <- ary.eff[rownames(ary.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
sim.data.ruv <- rehybridize(smp.eff = smp.eff.nc,
                           ary.eff = ary.eff.nc,
                           group.id = group.id,
                           ary.to.smp.assign = assign.ind,
                           iruv = TRUE,
                           smp.eff.ctrl = smp.eff.ctrl,
                           ary.eff.ctrl = ary.eff.ctrl)

## End(Not run)

```

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stratification.design *Stratification Design*

---

## Description

Assigns arrays to samples with stratification design.

## Usage

```
stratification.design(seed, num.smp, batch.id)
```

## Arguments

seed	specifies seed for random assignment using set.seed().
num.smp	number of samples.
batch.id	sample group ID for the estimated sample effect data.

## Value

array-to-sample assignment, first half for group 1 (endometrial), second half for group 2 (ovarian)

## Examples

```

batch.id <- list(1:40, 41:64, (129:160) - 64, (161:192) - 64)
str.ind <- stratification.design(seed = 1, num.smp = 128,
                                batch.id = batch.id)

```

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uni.handled.simulate    *Classification analysis of uniformly-handled data*


---

## Description

Performs classification analysis on the uniformly-handled data by reassigning samples to training and test set in Qin et al. (see reference).

## Usage

```
uni.handled.simulate(myseed, N, smp.eff, norm.list = c("NN", "QN"),
  class.list = c("PAM", "LASSO"), norm.funcs = NULL, class.funcs = NULL,
  pred.funcs = NULL)
```

## Arguments

myseed	specifies seed for random assignment using set.seed().
N	number of simulation runs.
smp.eff	sample effect data, rows as probes, columns as samples.
norm.list	a list of strings for normalization methods compared in the simulation study; built-in normalization methods includes "NN", "QN", "MN", "VSN" for "No Normalization", "Quantile Normalization", "Median Normalization", "Variance Stabilizing Normalization"; user can provide a list of normalization methods given the functions are supplied (also see norm.funcs).
class.list	a list of strings for classification methods compared in the simulation study; built-in classification methods are "PAM" and "LASSO" for "prediction analysis for microarrays" and "least absolute shrinkage and selection operator"; user can provide a list of classification methods given the corresponding model-building and predicting functions are supplied (also see class.funcs and pred.funcs).
norm.funcs	a list of strings for names of user-defined normalization method functions, in the order of norm.list excluding any built-in normalization methods.
class.funcs	a list of strings for names of user-defined classification model-building functions, in the order of class.list excluding any built-in classification methods.
pred.funcs	a list of strings for names of user-defined classification predicting functions, in the order of class.list excluding any built-in classification methods.

## Value

benchmark analysis results with list of models built and internal and external misclassification error stored, also a list of assignment stored

## References

<http://clincancerres.aacrjournals.org/content/20/13/3371.long>

## Examples

```
## Not run:
smp.eff <- estimate.smp.eff(r.data = r.data.pl)
ctrl.genes <- unique(rownames(r.data.pl))[grep("NC", unique(rownames(r.data.pl)))]
smp.eff.nc <- smp.eff[!rownames(smp.eff) %in% ctrl.genes, ]
uni.handled.results <- uni.handled.simulate(myseed = 1, N = 3,
                                           smp.eff = smp.eff.nc,
                                           norm.list = c("NN", "QN"),
                                           class.list = c("PAM", "LASSO"))

## End(Not run)
```

---

vs.norm

*Variance stabilizing normalization*


---

## Description

Normalizes training dataset with vsn, stores the fitted vsn model from the training dataset as the reference to frozen variance stabilizing normalize test dataset.

## Usage

```
vs.norm(train, test = NULL)
```

## Arguments

train	training data to be variance stabilizing normalized, rows as probes, columns as samples.
test	test data to be frozen variance stabilizing normalized, rows as probes with equal number of rows as the training set, columns as samples.

## Value

a list of two datasets, the normalized training set and the frozen normalized test set

## References

Wolfgang Huber, Anja von Heydebreck, Holger Sueltmann, Annemarie Poustka and Martin Vingron. Variance Stabilization Applied to Microarray Data Calibration and to the Quantification of Differential Expression. *Bioinformatics* 18, S96-S104 (2002).

## Examples

```
## Not run:
set.seed(101)
group.id <- substr(colnames(non.r.data.pl), 7, 7)
train.ind <- colnames(non.r.data.pl)[c(sample(which(group.id == "E"), size = 64),
                                       sample(which(group.id == "V"), size = 64))]
```



```
train.dat <- non.r.data.pl[, train.ind]
test.dat <- non.r.data.pl[, !colnames(non.r.data.pl) %in%train.ind]
data.vsn <- vs.norm(train = train.dat)
str(data.vsn)
data.vsn <- vs.norm(train = train.dat, test = test.dat)
str(data.vsn)

## End(Not run)
```

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