

# Package ‘mSigAct’

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**Description** Analyze the ``activities'' of mutational signatures in one or more mutational spectra. 'mSigAct' stands for mutational Signature Activity. mSigAct can estimate (conservatively) whether there is evidence that a particular set of mutational signatures is present in a spectrum. It can also determine a *\*minimal\** subset of signatures needed to plausibly reconstruct an observed spectrum. This sparse assign signatures functionality is *\*deliberately biased\** toward using as few signatures as possible. This package does not provide all-purpose estimation for signature attribution.

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AddSigActivity	<i>Add contributing signature activity information for multiple spectra</i>
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## Description

Add contributing signature activity information for multiple spectra

**Usage**

```
AddSigActivity(spectra, exposure, sigs, sigs.presence.prop, nbinom.size = 5)
```

**Arguments**

spectra	The spectra (multiple spectra) to be reconstructed.
exposure	Exposures as a numerical matrix (or data.frame) with signatures in rows and samples in columns. Rownames are taken as the signature names and column names are taken as the sample IDs.
sigs	The signatures with which we are trying to reconstruct spectra. A numerical matrix, possibly an <a href="#">ICAMS</a> catalog. The column names of sigs should be a superset of row names of exposure.
sigs.presence.prop	The proportions of samples that contain each signature. A numerical vector (values between 0 and 1), with names being a subset of colnames(sigs). See <a href="#">ExposureProportions</a> for more details.
nbinom.size	The dispersion parameter for the negative binomial distribution; smaller is more dispersed. See <a href="#">NegBinomial</a> .

**Details**

This function calls [ReconstructSpectrum](#) and [LLHSpectrumNegBinom](#).

**Value**

A list of lists containing output for each sample in spectra.

Each sublist has the following elements:

- `original.spect`: The original spectrum with total mutation counts added to its column name. An additional attribute "exposure" from exposure is also added.
- `reconstructed.spect`: The reconstructed spectrum using sigs and exposure. Its column name has the total mutation counts and cosine similarity with the original spectrum.
- `contributing.sigs`: The contributing signatures to the original spectrum. The column names of each contributing signature has mutation counts attributed to this signature, its contribution proportion and proposed etiology(if the etiology is unknown, then will be blank.)
- `distances`: Various distances and similarities between the original spectrum and reconstructed.spect.

**Remark**

The column names of spectra should be the same as the column name of exposure.

**Examples**

```
spectra <- PCAWG7::spectra$PCAWG$SBS96[, 1:2, drop = FALSE]
exposure <- PCAWG7::exposure$PCAWG$SBS96[, 1:2, drop = FALSE]
sigs <- PCAWG7::signature$genome$SBS96
sigs.prop <- ExposureProportions(mutation.type = "SBS96",
                                cancer.type = "Biliary-AdenoCA")
retval <- AddSigActivity(spectra, exposure, sigs, sigs.prop)
```

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CancerTypes	<i>Return a character vector of some common cancer types</i>
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**Description**

Return a character vector of some common cancer types

**Usage**

```
CancerTypes()
```

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cossim	<i>Cosine similarity with useful argument types..</i>
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**Description**

Calls [cosine](#).

**Usage**

```
cossim(v1, v2)
```

**Arguments**

v1	A vector or single-column matrix
v2	A vector or single-column matrix

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DefaultManyOpts	<i>Set default options for many functions, especially <a href="#">nloptr</a>.</i>
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**Description**

Set default options for many functions, especially [nloptr](#).

**Usage**

```
DefaultManyOpts()
```

**Value**

A list with the following elements

**global.opts** A sub-list with several options for [nloptr](#), q.v., for the global optimization phase, including `eval_f`, the objective function.

**local.opts** A sub-list with several options for [nloptr](#), q.v., for the local optimization phase, including `eval_f`, the objective function and the inequality constraint function `eval_g_ineq`

**nbinom.size** The dispersion parameter for the negative binomial distribution; smaller is more dispersed. See [NegBinomial](#).

**trace** If  $> 0$  print progress messages.

ExposureProportions	<i>Return the proportions of tumors of a given cancer type that have a particular signature</i>
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```
g_ineq_for_ObjFnBinomMaxLH2
```

*Function to constrain the sum of estimated exposures to the number of mutations in the spectrum.*

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### Description

See [nloptr](#) to understand how this function is used.

### Usage

```
g_ineq_for_ObjFnBinomMaxLH2(exp, spectrum, sigs, nbinom.size)
```

### Arguments

<code>exp</code>	A numeric vector of exposures.
<code>spectrum</code>	The observed spectrum we are trying to reconstruct.
<code>sigs</code>	The signatures with which we are trying to reconstruct the spectrum. (Ignored in this function but used by <a href="#">nloptr</a> .)
<code>nbinom.size</code>	Dispersion parameter. (Ignored in this function but used by <a href="#">nloptr</a> .)

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```
LLHSpectrumMAP
```

*Likelihood that 1 observed spectrum was generated from a vector of expected mutation counts using prior information of the signature presence proportions*

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### Description

Likelihood that 1 observed spectrum was generated from a vector of expected mutation counts using prior information of the signature presence proportions

### Usage

```
LLHSpectrumMAP(
  spectrum,
  expected.counts,
  nbinom.size,
  model,
  sigs.presence.prop,
  verbose = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

spectrum	An observed spectrum (a numeric vector).
expected.counts	A vector of (integer) expected mutation counts, one expected count for each mutation type. We want to know the likelihood that this model generated the observed spectrum, assuming each mutational types generates counts according to a negative binomial distribution with the given expected.counts (argument mu to <a href="#">NegBinomial</a> ) and dispersion parameter nbinom.size.
nbinom.size	The dispersion parameter for the negative binomial distribution; smaller is more dispersed. See <a href="#">NegBinomial</a> .
model	Names of sigs present in the MAP exposure. Do not use indices.
sigs.presence.prop	The proportions of samples that contain each signature. A numerical vector (values between 0 and 1), with names being a superset of model.
verbose	If TRUE print messages under some circumstances.

**Value**

$\log(\text{likelihood}(\text{spectrum} \mid \text{expected.counts})) + \log(\text{probability}(\text{model} \mid \text{sigs.presence.prop}))$ , or, in more detail, the sum of the negative binomial likelihoods that each element of the spectrum (i.e., the count for each mutation type e.g. ACT > AAT) was generated from the expected count for that mutation type plus the probability of the signature model used in the reconstruction given the prior sigs.presence.prop.

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LLHSpectrumNegBinom	<i>Likelihood that 1 observed spectrum was generated from a vector of expected mutation counts.</i>
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**Description**

Likelihood that 1 observed spectrum was generated from a vector of expected mutation counts.

**Usage**

```
LLHSpectrumNegBinom(spectrum, expected.counts, nbinom.size, verbose = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

spectrum	An observed spectrum (a numeric vector)
expected.counts	A vector of (integer) expected mutation counts, one expected count for each mutation type. We want to know the likelihood that this model generated the observed spectrum, assuming each mutational types generates counts according to a negative binomial distribution with the given expected.counts (argument mu to <a href="#">NegBinomial</a> ) and dispersion parameter nbinom.size.
nbinom.size	The dispersion parameter for the negative binomial distribution; smaller is more dispersed. See <a href="#">NegBinomial</a> .
verbose	If TRUE print messages under some circumstances.

**Value**

$\log(\text{likelihood}(\text{spectrum} \mid \text{expected.counts}))$ , or, in more detail, the sum of the negative binomial likelihoods that each element of the spectrum (i.e., the count for each mutation type e.g. ACT > AAT) was generated from the expected count for that mutation type.

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LLHSpectrumNegBinomDebug

*A verbose version of [LLHSpectrumNegBinom](#) for testing*

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**Description**

We use a separate function so as not to slow down the heavily used [LLHSpectrumNegBinom](#) and to provide more information in the output

**Usage**

```
LLHSpectrumNegBinomDebug(
  spectrum,
  expected.counts,
  nbinom.size,
  verbose = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

spectrum	An observed spectrum (a numeric vector)
expected.counts	A vector of (integer) expected mutation counts, one expected count for each mutation type. We want to know the likelihood that this model generated the observed spectrum, assuming each mutational types generates counts according to a negative binomial distribution with the given expected.counts (argument mu to <a href="#">NegBinomial</a> ) and dispersion parameter nbinom.size.
nbinom.size	The dispersion parameter for the negative binomial distribution; smaller is more dispersed. See <a href="#">NegBinomial</a> .
verbose	If TRUE print messages under some circumstances.

**Value**

A [tibble](#) with self-explanatory columns and rows.



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MAPAssignActivity	<i>Find Maximum A Posteriori (MAP) assignment of signature exposures that explain multiple spectra</i>
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## Description

Find Maximum A Posteriori (MAP) assignment of signature exposures that explain multiple spectra

## Usage

```
MAPAssignActivity(
  spectra,
  sigs,
  sigs.presence.prop,
  output.dir,
  max.level = 5,
  p.thresh = 0.05,
  m.opts = DefaultManyOpts(),
  num.parallel.samples = 5,
  mc.cores.per.sample = min(20, 2^max.level),
  progress.monitor = NULL,
  seed = NULL,
  max.subsets = 1000
)
```

## Arguments

spectra	The spectra (multiple spectra) to be reconstructed.
sigs	A numerical matrix, possibly an <a href="#">ICAMS</a> catalog.
sigs.presence.prop	The proportions of samples that contain each signature. A numerical vector (values between 0 and 1), with names being a subset of <code>colnames(sigs)</code> . See <a href="#">ExposureProportions</a> for more details.
output.dir	Directory path to save the output file.
max.level	The maximum number of signatures to try removing.
p.thresh	If the p value for a better reconstruction with a set of signatures (as opposed to without that set of signatures) is > than this argument, then we can use exposures without this set.
m.opts	See <a href="#">DefaultManyOpts</a> .
num.parallel.samples	The (maximum) number of samples to run in parallel. On Microsoft Windows machines it is silently changed to 1. Each sample in turn can require multiple cores, as governed by <code>mc.cores.per.sample</code> .
mc.cores.per.sample	The maximum number of cores to use for each sample. On Microsoft Windows machines it is silently changed to 1.
progress.monitor	Function called at the start of each new level (number of signatures to try excluding). Must take named arguments <code>value</code> and <code>detail</code> , and no others. Designed for a <a href="#">AsyncProgress</a> progress bar function.

seed	Random seed; set this to get reproducible results. (The numerical optimization is in two phases; the first, global phase might rarely find different optima depending on the random seed.)
max.subsets	This argument provides a way to heuristically limit the amount of time spent by this function. Larger values of this argument will tend to allow longer running times. The algorithm successively tries to remove all subsets of 1 signature, 2 signatures, 3 signatures, etc., down to max.level. (Not every subset is tested at each level; if a subset was already found to be necessary the algorithm does not test supersets of that subset.) If at any level the algorithm needs to test more than max.subsets this function will not proceed.

### Value

A list with the elements:

- proposed.assignment: Proposed signature assignment for spectra with the highest MAP found.
- proposed.reconstruction: Proposed reconstruction of spectra based on MAP.
- reconstruction.distances: Various distances and similarities between spectra and proposed.reconstruction
- error.messages: Only appearing if there are errors running MAPAssignActivity.
- results.details: Detailed results for each sample in spectra.

The elements proposed.assignment, proposed.reconstruction, reconstruction.distances will be NULL if the algorithm could not find the optimal reconstruction or there are errors coming out for **all** samples.

### Examples

```
## Not run:
# This is a long running example unless parallel computing is supported on your machine
indices <- grep("Lung-AdenoCA", colnames(PCAWG7::spectra$PCAWG$SBS96))
spectra <- PCAWG7::spectra$PCAWG$SBS96[, indices[1:2], drop = FALSE]
sigs <- PCAWG7::signature$genome$SBS96
sigs.prop <- ExposureProportions(mutation.type = "SBS96",
                                cancer.type = "Lung-AdenoCA")
MAP.out <- MAPAssignActivity(spectra = spectra,
                            sigs = sigs,
                            sigs.presence.prop = sigs.prop,
                            output.dir = file.path(tempdir(), "Lung-AdenoCA"),
                            max.level = length(sigs.prop) - 1,
                            p.thresh = 0.05 / ncol(spectra),
                            num.parallel.samples = 2,
                            mc.cores.per.sample = 10)

## End(Not run)
```

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MAPAssignActivity1

*Find a Maximum A Posteriori (MAP) assignment of signature exposures that explain one spectrum.*

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### Description

Find a Maximum A Posteriori (MAP) assignment of signature exposures that explain one spectrum.

**Usage**

```
MAPAssignActivity1(
  spect,
  sigs,
  sigs.presence.prop,
  max.level = 5,
  p.thresh = 0.05,
  m.opts = DefaultManyOpts(),
  max.mc.cores = min(20, 2^max.level),
  progress.monitor = NULL,
  seed = NULL,
  max.subsets = 1000
)
```

**Arguments**

spect	A single spectrum.
sigs	A numerical matrix, possibly an <a href="#">ICAMS</a> catalog.
sigs.presence.prop	The proportions of samples that contain each signature. A numerical vector (values between 0 and 1), with names being a subset of <code>colnames(sigs)</code> . See <a href="#">ExposureProportions</a> for more details.
max.level	The maximum number of signatures to try removing.
p.thresh	If the p value for a better reconstruction with a set of signatures (as opposed to without that set of signatures) is > than this argument, then we can use exposures without this set.
m.opts	See <a href="#">DefaultManyOpts</a> .
max.mc.cores	The maximum number of cores to use. On Microsoft Windows machines it is silently changed to 1.
progress.monitor	Function called at the start of each new level (number of signatures to try excluding). Must take named arguments <code>value</code> and <code>detail</code> , and no others. Designed for a <a href="#">AsyncProgress</a> progress bar function.
seed	Random seed; set this to get reproducible results. (The numerical optimization is in two phases; the first, global phase might rarely find different optima depending on the random seed.)
max.subsets	This argument provides a way to heuristically limit the amount of time spent by this function. Larger values of this argument will tend to allow longer running times. The algorithm successively tries to remove all subsets of 1 signature, 2 signatures, 3 signatures, etc., down to <code>max.level</code> . (Not every subset is tested at each level; if a subset was already found to be necessary the algorithm does not test supersets of that subset.) If at any level the algorithm needs to test more than <code>max.subsets</code> this function will not proceed.

**Value**

A list with the elements:

- `proposed.assignment`: Proposed signature assignment for `spect` with the highest MAP found.

- `proposed.reconstruction`: Reconstruction based on MAP.
- `reconstruction.distances`: Various distances and similarities between `spect` and `proposed.reconstruction`.
- `all.tested`: A tibble of all the search results.
- `time.for.MAP.assign`: Value from `system.time` for running `MAPAssignActivity1`.
- `error.messages`: Only present if there were errors running `MAPAssignActivity1`.

The elements `proposed.assignment`, `proposed.reconstruction`, `reconstruction.distances`, `all.tested`, `time.for.MAP.assign` will be `NULL` if the algorithm could not find the optimal reconstruction or there are errors coming out.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
# This is a long running example unless parallel computing is supported on your machine
indices <- grep("Lung-AdenoCA", colnames(PCAWG7::spectra$PCAWG$SBS96))
spect <- PCAWG7::spectra$PCAWG$SBS96[, indices[1], drop = FALSE]
sigs <- PCAWG7::signature$genome$SBS96
sigs.prop <- ExposureProportions(mutation.type = "SBS96",
                                cancer.type = "Lung-AdenoCA")
MAP.out <- MAPAssignActivity1(spect = spect,
                             sigs = sigs,
                             sigs.presence.prop = sigs.prop,
                             max.level = length(sigs.prop) - 1)

## End(Not run)
```

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ObjFnBinomMaxLHMustRound

*A deprecated negative binomial maximum likelihood objective function.*

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## Description

Use [ObjFnBinomMaxLHRound](#) instead.

## Usage

```
ObjFnBinomMaxLHMustRound(exp, spectrum, sigs, nbinom.size)
```

## Arguments

<code>exp</code>	A vector of exposures ("activities").
<code>spectrum</code>	The spectrum to assess.
<code>sigs</code>	The matrix of signatures.
<code>nbinom.size</code>	The dispersion parameter for the negative binomial distribution; smaller is more dispersed. See <a href="#">NegBinomial</a> .

## Details

This function will lead to errors in some situations when the rounded reconstructed signature contains 0s for mutations classes for which the target spectrum is  $> 0$ .

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ObjFnBinomMaxLHNoRoundOK

*A deprecated negative binomial maximum likelihood objective function.*


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## Description

Use [ObjFnBinomMaxLHRound](#) instead.

## Usage

```
ObjFnBinomMaxLHNoRoundOK(exp, spectrum, sigs, nbinom.size)
```

## Arguments

exp	A vector of exposures ("activities").
spectrum	The spectrum to assess.
sigs	The matrix of signatures.
nbinom.size	The dispersion parameter for the negative binomial distribution; smaller is more dispersed. See <a href="#">NegBinomial</a> .

## Details

This function rounds sometimes, which leads to minor differences in log likelihoods of reconstructed spectra ([LLHSpectrumNegBinom](#)) compared to the value returned by this function.

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ObjFnBinomMaxLHRound

*The preferred negative binomial maximum likelihood objective function.*


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## Description

Can be used as the objective function for [SparseAssignActivity](#), [SparseAssignActivity1](#), and [SignaturePresenceTest1](#). (Internally used by [nloptr](#).)

## Usage

```
ObjFnBinomMaxLHRound(exp, spectrum, sigs, nbinom.size)
```

## Arguments

exp	A vector of exposures ("activities").
spectrum	The spectrum to assess.
sigs	The matrix of signatures.
nbinom.size	The dispersion parameter for the negative binomial distribution; smaller is more dispersed. See <a href="#">NegBinomial</a> .

## Value

-1 \* log(likelihood(spectrum | reconstruction))

[nloptr](#) minimizes the objective function, so the lower the objective function, the better.

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OneMAPAssignTest	Run one test of <a href="#">MAPAssignActivity1</a> .
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## Description

Run one test of [MAPAssignActivity1](#).

## Usage

```
OneMAPAssignTest(
  spect,
  reference.exp,
  cancer.type,
  mutation.type,
  exposure.mutation.type,
  max.subsets = 1000,
  max.level = 5,
  max.mc.cores = 100,
  m.opts = DefaultManyOpts(),
  out.dir = NULL,
  p.thresh,
  max.presence.proportion,
  sigs.prop = NULL,
  sigs = NULL
)
```

## Arguments

spect	A single spectrum.
reference.exp	Compare the inferred exposures to this.
cancer.type	Character string from a fixed set indicating different cancer types, used to look up the set of signatures known in that cancer type and the proportion of cancers of that type that have the signature. TODO: provide information on how to find the allowed cancer types.
mutation.type	One of "SBS96", "SBS192", "ID", "DBS78".
exposure.mutation.type	One of "SBS96", "ID", "DBS78".
max.subsets	The maximum number of subsets that can be tested for removal from the set of signatures.
max.level	The maximum number of signatures to try removing.
max.mc.cores	The maximum number of cores to use. On Microsoft Windows machines it is silently changed to 1.
m.opts	See <a href="#">DefaultManyOpts</a> .
out.dir	If non-NULL create this directory if necessary and put results there.
p.thresh	If the p value for a better reconstruction with than without a set of signatures is > than p.thresh, then we can use exposures without this set.

<code>max.presence.proportion</code>	The maximum value of the proportion of tumors that must have a given signature. Used so that it is possible to exclude a signature from a spectrum, e.g. perhaps all examples of tumor types have SBS5, but we want to allow a small chance that SBS5 is not present.
<code>sigs.prop</code>	The proportions of samples that contain each signature. A numerical vector (values between 0 and 1), with names being signature identifiers. Can be the return value from <a href="#">ExposureProportions</a> .
<code>sigs</code>	Matrix of signatures.

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OptimizeExposure	<i>Optimize the reconstruction of a spectrum from a set of signatures.</i>
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## Description

Optimize the reconstruction of a spectrum from a set of signatures.

## Usage

```
OptimizeExposure(spectrum, sigs, m.opts, ...)
```

## Arguments

<code>spectrum</code>	The spectrum to be reconstructed.
<code>sigs</code>	The available signatures.
<code>m.opts</code>	Options that govern the numerical optimization. For documentation see <a href="#">DefaultManyOpts</a> .
<code>...</code>	Additional arguments for <code>eval_f</code> .

## Value

A list with elements

`loglh` The log likelihood of the best solution (set of exposures) found.

`exposure` The vector of exposures that generated `loglh`, i.e. the number of mutations ascribed to each signature.

`objective` The final value of the objective function.

`solution` The optimum exposures. Deprecated.

`warnings` A character vector of warnings.

`global.search.diagnostics` Diagnostics from [nloptr](#).

`local.search.diagnostics` Diagnostics from [nloptr](#).

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OptimizeExposureQP	<i>Quadratic programming optimization of signature activities</i>
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**Description**

Quadratic programming optimization of signature activities

**Usage**

```
OptimizeExposureQP(spectrum, signatures)
```

**Arguments**

spectrum	Mutational signature spectrum as a numeric vector or single column data frame or matrix.
signatures	Matrix or data frame of signatures from which reconstruct spectrum. Rows are mutation types and columns are signatures. Should have column names for interpretable results. Cannot be a vector because the column names are needed.

**Value**

A vector of exposures with names being the colnames from signatures. Code adapted from SignatureEstimation::decomposeQP.

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OptimizeExposureQPBootstrap	<i>Bootstrap <a href="#">OptimizeExposureQP</a> and filter exposures by confidence intervals</i>
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**Description**

Bootstrap [OptimizeExposureQP](#) and filter exposures by confidence intervals

**Usage**

```
OptimizeExposureQPBootstrap(
  spectrum,
  signatures,
  num.replicates = 10000,
  conf.int = 0.95,
  mc.cores = 10,
  seed = NULL
)
```



**Arguments**

spectrum	Mutational signature spectrum as a numeric vector or single column data frame or matrix.
signatures	Matrix or data frame of signatures from which reconstruct spectrum. Rows are mutation types and columns are signatures. Should have column names for interpretable results. Cannot be a vector because the column names are needed.
num.replicates	Number of bootstrap replicates.
conf.int	Discard signatures with conf.int that overlaps 0.
mc.cores	The maximum number of cores to use. On MS Windows machines it defaults to 1.
seed	Random seed; set this to get reproducible results. #' @return A list with elements exposure The vector of exposures that generated loglh, i.e. the number of mutations ascribed to each signature. The names of exposure are a subset of the colnames(signatures). euclidean.dist The final value of the objective function. cosine.sim The cosine similarity between spectrum and the reconstruction based on signatures. If the spectrum has 0 mutations, no bootstrapping is done, and in the return value all signaures have 0 exposures, euclidian.dist is 0, and cosine.sim is NaN.

PCAWGMAPTest

Run [MAPAssignActivity1](#) on one sample from the PCAWG platinum data set.

**Description**

Run [MAPAssignActivity1](#) on one sample from the PCAWG platinum data set.

Run [MAPAssignActivity1](#) on one sample from the PCAWG platinum data set with artifact signatures removed.

**Usage**

```
PCAWGMAPTest(
  cancer.type,
  sample.index,
  mutation.type,
  max.level = 5,
  max.mc.cores,
  out.dir = NULL,
  p.thresh = 0.01,
  m.opts = DefaultManyOpts(),
  max.presence.proportion = 0.99,
  sigs.prop = NULL
)
```

```
PCAWGMAPTest(
  cancer.type,
```

```

    sample.index,
    mutation.type,
    max.level = 5,
    max.mc.cores,
    out.dir = NULL,
    p.thresh = 0.01,
    m.opts = DefaultManyOpts(),
    max.presence.proportion = 0.99,
    sigs.prop = NULL
)

```

### Arguments

<code>cancer.type</code>	A cancer type from the PCAWG exposures matrix.
<code>sample.index</code>	The index of the sample within the exposures matrix.
<code>mutation.type</code>	One of "SBS96", "SBS192", "ID", "DBS78"
<code>max.level</code>	The maximum number of signatures to try removing.
<code>max.mc.cores</code>	The maximum number of cores to use. On Microsoft Windows machines it is silently changed to 1.
<code>out.dir</code>	If non-NULL create this directory if necessary and put results there.
<code>p.thresh</code>	If the p value for a better reconstruction with than without a set of signatures is > than <code>p.thresh</code> , then we can use exposures without this set.
<code>m.opts</code>	See <a href="#">DefaultManyOpts</a> .
<code>max.presence.proportion</code>	The maximum value of the proportion of tumors that must have a given signature. Used so that it is possible to exclude a signature from a spectrum, e.g. perhaps all examples of tumor types have SBS5, but we want to allow a small chance that SBS5 is not present.
<code>sigs.prop</code>	The proportions of samples that contain each signature. A numerical vector (values between 0 and 1), with names being signature identifiers. Can be the return value from <a href="#">ExposureProportions</a> .

### Value

See [OneMAPAssignTest](#).

A list with two elements, each the result for one call to [OneMAPAssignTest](#).

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PossibleArtifacts	<i>Return a character vector of the IDs of possible SBS96 signature artifacts.</i>
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### Description

Return a character vector of the IDs of possible SBS96 signature artifacts.

### Usage

```
PossibleArtifacts()
```

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RareSignatures	<i>Return a character vector of the IDs of rare SBS96 signatures.</i>
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**Description**

Return a character vector of the IDs of rare SBS96 signatures.

**Usage**

```
RareSignatures()
```

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ReconstructSpectrum	<i>Given signatures (sigs) and exposures (exp), return a spectrum or spectra</i>
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**Description**

Given signatures (sigs) and exposures (exp), return a spectrum or spectra

**Usage**

```
ReconstructSpectrum(sigs, exp, use.sig.names = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

sigs	Signature as a matrix or or data frame, with each row one mutation type (g.e. CCT > CAT or CC > TT) and each column a signature.
exp	The exposures for one or more samples as a matrix or data.frame, with each row a signature and each column a sample.
use.sig.names	If TRUE check that rownames(exp) is a subset of colnames(sigs), and use only the columns in sigs that are present in exp.

**Details**

Does not care or check if colSums(sigs) == 1. Error checking is minimal since this function is called often.

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ShowSigActivity

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Show signature activity from the output generated by AddSigActivity

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## Description

Show signature activity from the output generated by AddSigActivity

## Usage

```
ShowSigActivity(
  list.of.sig.activity,
  output.dir,
  base.filename = NULL,
  plot.all.samples.in.one.pdf = TRUE,
  plot.exposure.proportion = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

## Arguments

<code>list.of.sig.activity</code>	A list of contributing signature activity information for multiple spectra. See the return value of <a href="#">AddSigActivity</a> for more details.
<code>output.dir</code>	The directory to save the results. Create this directory if it does not exist.
<code>base.filename</code>	Optional. <code>base.filename</code> will be appended to the start of the names of files generated inside <code>output.dir</code> .
<code>plot.all.samples.in.one.pdf</code>	Whether to plot all the signature activity information within one PDF. Default is TRUE. If FALSE, then plot one PDF for each sample.
<code>plot.exposure.proportion</code>	Whether to plot exposure proportions rather than counts.
<code>...</code>	Other arguments passed to <a href="#">PlotCatalogToPdf</a> .

## Examples

```
spectra <- PCAWG7::spectra$PCAWG$SBS96[, 1:2, drop = FALSE]
exposure <- PCAWG7::exposure$PCAWG$SBS96[, 1:2, drop = FALSE]
sigs <- PCAWG7::signature$genome$SBS96
sigs.prop <- ExposureProportions(mutation.type = "SBS96",
                                cancer.type = "Biliary-AdenoCA")
retval <- AddSigActivity(spectra, exposure, sigs, sigs.prop)
ShowSigActivity(retval, output.dir = file.path(tempdir(), "SBS96"),
                base.filename = "Biliary-AdenoCA")
```

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SignaturePresenceTest    *Test whether a given signature is plausibly present in a catalog.*

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### Description

Test whether a given signature is plausibly present in a catalog.

### Usage

```
SignaturePresenceTest(
    spectra,
    sigs,
    target.sig.index,
    m.opts = NULL,
    mc.cores = 10
)
```

### Arguments

spectra	The catalog (matrix) to analyze. This could be an <a href="#">ICAMS</a> catalog or a numerical matrix.
sigs	A catalog of signatures from which to choose. This could be and <a href="#">ICAMS</a> catalog or a numerical matrix.
target.sig.index	The index of the signature the presence of which we want to test.
m.opts	If NULL use the return from calling <a href="#">DefaultManyOpts</a> . For documentation see <a href="#">DefaultManyOpts</a> .
mc.cores	Number of cores to use. Always silently changed to 1 on Microsoft Windows.

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SignaturePresenceTest1

*Test whether a given signature is plausibly present in a spectrum.*

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### Description

For backward compatibility. See also [AnySigSubsetPresent](#).

### Usage

```
SignaturePresenceTest1(spectrum, sigs, target.sig.index, m.opts)
```

### Arguments

spectrum	The spectrum to analyze.
sigs	A catalog of signatures from which to choose.
target.sig.index	The index of the signature the presence of which we want to test.
m.opts	For documentation see <a href="#">DefaultManyOpts</a> .

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**SparseAssignActivity**    *Find known signatures that can most sparsely reconstruct each spectrum in a catalog.*

---

## Description

Find known signatures that can most sparsely reconstruct each spectrum in a catalog.

## Usage

```
SparseAssignActivity(
  spectra,
  sigs,
  max.level = 5,
  p.thresh = 0.05,
  m.opts = NULL,
  num.parallel.samples = 5,
  mc.cores.per.sample = min(20, 2^max.level)
)
```

## Arguments

<code>spectra</code>	The spectra (multiple spectra) to be reconstructed.
<code>sigs</code>	The known signatures to use in reconstruction.
<code>max.level</code>	The largest number of signatures to consider discarding in the reconstruction.
<code>p.thresh</code>	The maximum p value based on which it is decided to retain a signature in a reconstruction.
<code>m.opts</code>	For documentation see <a href="#">DefaultManyOpts</a> .
<code>num.parallel.samples</code>	The (maximum) number of samples to run in parallel; each sample in turn can require multiple cores, as governed by <code>mc.cores.per.sample</code> .
<code>mc.cores.per.sample</code>	The maximum number of cores to use for each sample. On Microsoft Windows machines it is silently changed to 1.

## Value

A list with the inferred exposure matrix as element `exposure`.

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