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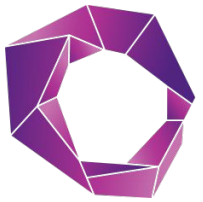
Tidy Transcriptomics for Single-cell RNA Sequencing Analyses



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tidybulk: an R tidy framework for modular transcriptomic data analysis

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   observation    variable_1 variable_2
   <glue>         <chr>      <chr>
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 1 observation 1  ...        ...        <gg>       <tibble [10 × 2]>
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 3 observation 3  ...        ...        <gg>       <tibble [10 × 2]>
 4 observation 4  ...        ...        <gg>       <tibble [10 × 2]>
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   <glue>         <chr>      <chr>      <list>     <list>             <list>     <list>        <list>
 1 observation 1  ...        ...        <gg>       <tibble [10 × 2]> <lm>       <Seurat[,80]> <SnglCllE[,80…
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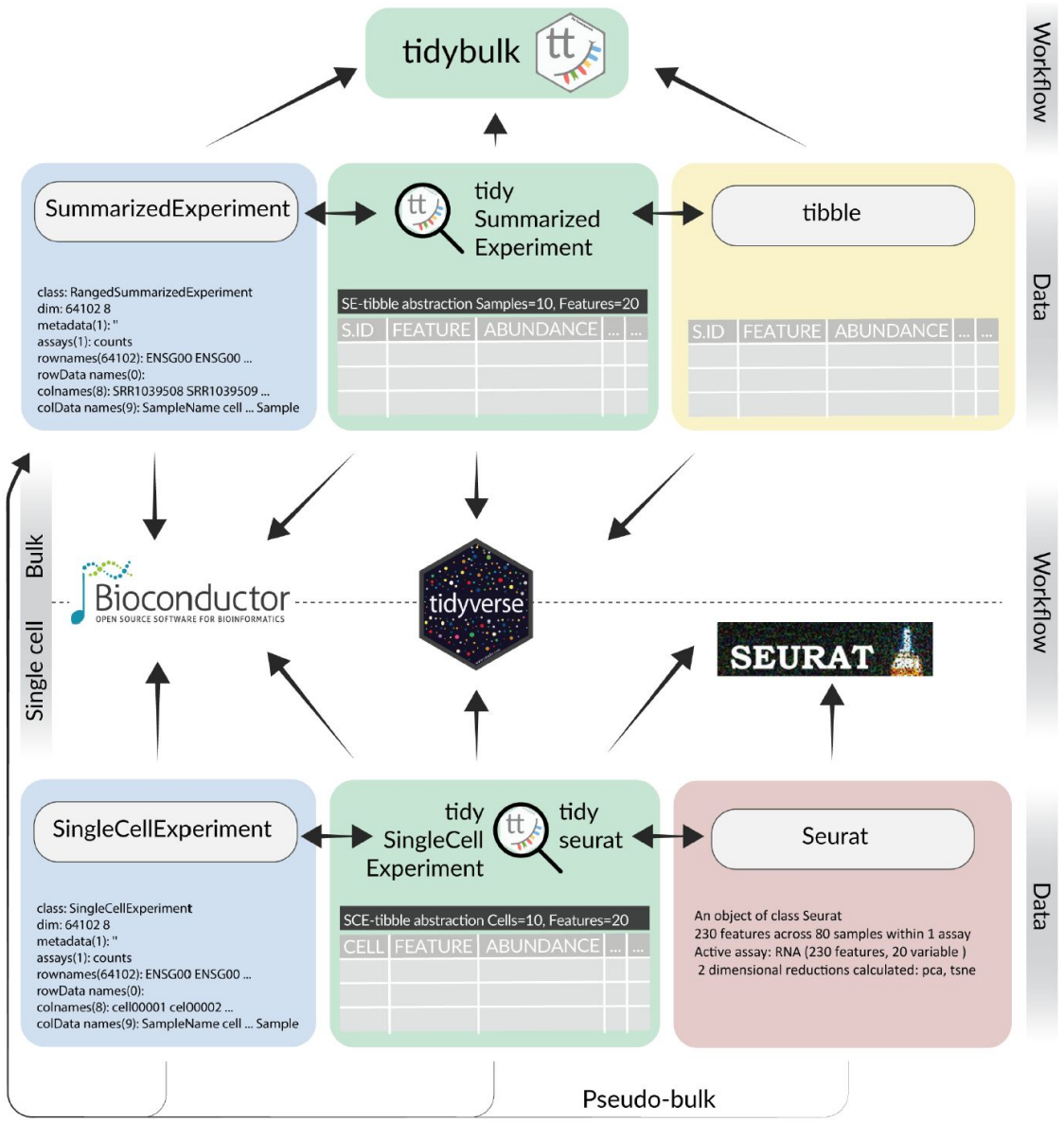

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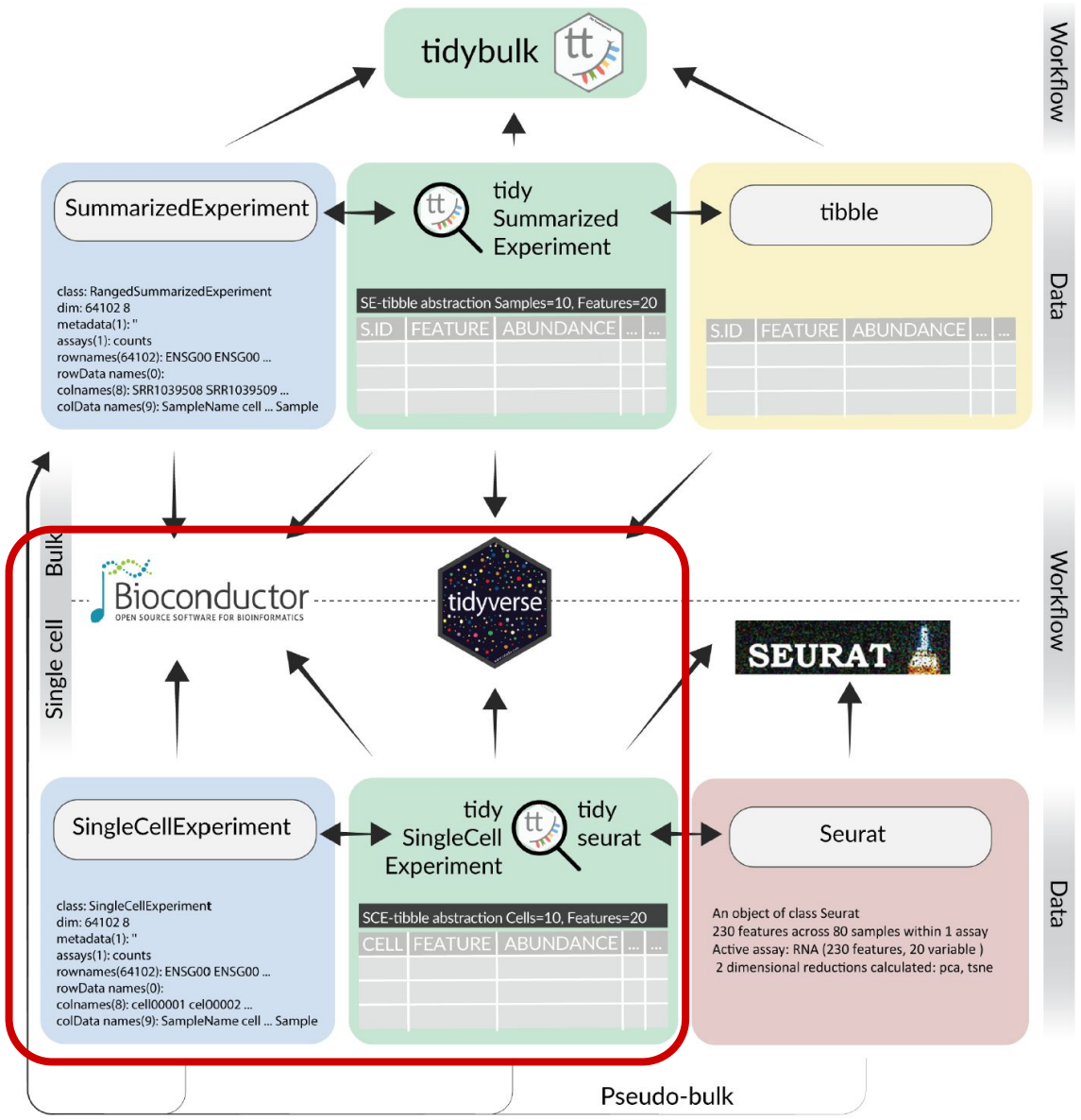
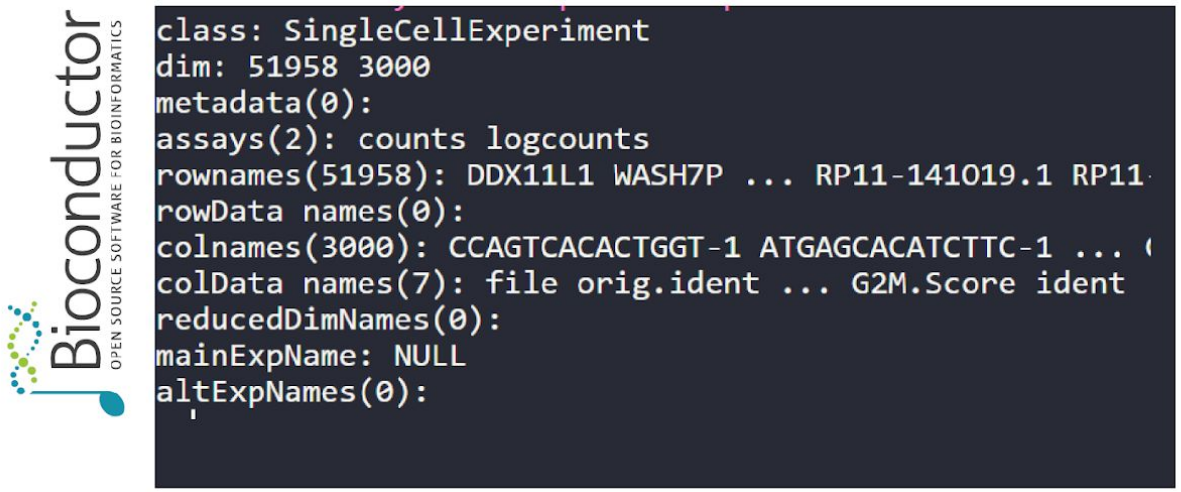


Analysis infrastructure for single-cell data

Data container



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```
class: SingleCellExperiment
dim: 51958 3000
metadata(0):
assays(2): counts logcounts
rownames(51958): DDX11L1 WASH7P ... RP11-141O19.1 RP11
rowData names(0):
colnames(3000): CCAGTCACACTGGT-1 ATGAGCACATCTTC-1 ...
colData names(7): file orig.ident ... G2M.Score ident
reducedDimNames(0):
mainExpName: NULL
altExpNames(0):
```

Analysis

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Manipulation

```
colData(data)
reducedDims(data, "umap")
subset(data, , class=="A")
data$info = info

data =    cbind( data,cohort_info[
   match(data$sample, cohort_info$sample)
   ,])
subset(data, , !is.na(sample_id))
```

Tidy data representation

Data container

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```
# A SingleCellExperiment-tibble abstraction: 80 x 15
# Features=230 | Assays=counts, logcounts
   cell             orig.ident    nCount_RNA nFeature_RNA RNA_snn_res.0.8 letter.idents groups RNA_snn_res.1    PC_1   PC_2   PC_3  PC_4   PC_5 tSNE_1 tSNE_2
   <chr>            <fct>              <dbl>        <int> <fct>           <fct>         <chr>  <fct>           <dbl>  <dbl>  <dbl> <dbl>  <dbl>  <dbl>  <dbl>
 1 ATGCCAGAACGACT   SeuratProject         70           47 0               A             g2     0             -0.774  -0.900 -0.249 0.559  0.465  0.868  -8.10
 2 CATGGCCTGTGCAT   SeuratProject         85           52 0               A             g1     0             -0.0260 -0.347  0.665 0.418  0.585 -7.39   -8.77
 3 GAACCTGATGAACC   SeuratProject         87           50 1               B             g2     0             -0.457   0.180  1.32  2.01  -0.482 -28.2    0.241
 4 TGACTGGATTCTCA   SeuratProject        127           56 0               A             g2     0             -0.812  -1.38  -1.00  0.139 -1.60   16.3   -11.2
 5 AGTCAGACTGCACA   SeuratProject        173           53 0               A             g2     0             -0.774  -0.900 -0.249 0.559  0.465  1.91   -11.2
 6 TCTGATACACGTGT   SeuratProject         70           48 0               A             g1     0             -0.774  -0.900 -0.249 0.559  0.465  3.15   -9.94
 7 TGGTATCTAAACAG   SeuratProject         64           36 0               A             g1     0             -0.460  -1.19  -0.312 0.716 -1.65   17.9    -9.90
 8 GCAGCTCTGTTTCT   SeuratProject         72           45 0               A             g1     0             -0.900  -0.388  0.693 0.404  0.536 -6.49   -8.39
 9 GATATAACACGCAT   SeuratProject         52           36 0               A             g1     0             -0.774  -0.900 -0.249 0.559  0.465  1.33   -9.68
10 AATGTTGACAGTCA   SeuratProject        100           41 0               A             g1     0             -0.488  -1.16  -0.306 0.702 -1.47   17.0    -9.43
# … with 70 more rows
```

Tidy analysis infrastructure

Data container

```
# A SingleCellExperiment-tibble abstraction: 80 x 15
# Features=230 | Assays=counts, logcounts
   cell             orig.ident    nCount_RNA nFeature_RNA RNA_snn_res.0.8
   <chr>            <fct>              <dbl>        <int> <fct>
 1 ATGCCAGAACGACT   SeuratProject         70           47 0
 2 CATGGCCTGTGCAT   SeuratProject         85           52 0
 3 GAACCTGATGAACC   SeuratProject         87           50 1
 4 TGACTGGATTCTCA   SeuratProject        127           56 0
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 6 TCTGATACACGTGT   SeuratProject         70           48 0
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Tidyseurat and tidySingleCellExperiment

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Tidy operators available

as_tibble()
mutate()
bind_rows()
left_join() inner_join() *_join()
select() **distinct()**
count() add_count() **summarise()**
pull() slice()
filter() sample_n() sample_frac()
rename()
separate() unite() extract()
nest() unnest() map_*()
pivot_longer()
join_features()
ggplot()
plotly()

What tidy data frameworks are and what are not

NO: data containers
NO: analysis tools

YES: data interface
YES: manipulation, integration, visualisation tools

Therefore, the question "**can we go from tidyseurat to Seurat and vice versa**" is not relevant, as we never leave **Seurat**.