

# Package ‘coldrift’

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**Title** Lightweight Column Drift Detection for Tabular Data

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**Description** Provides simple and efficient methods to detect column-level data drift between reference and target datasets. Designed for monitoring tabular data pipelines and machine learning inputs using statistical distance measures.

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## Description

Compares reference and target datasets to identify column-level drift using statistical distance measures.

**Usage**

```
detect_column_drift(reference, target, alpha = 0.05)
```

**Arguments**

reference	A data.frame representing baseline data
target	A data.frame representing new incoming data
alpha	Significance level for drift detection

**Value**

A data.frame with drift statistics per column

**Examples**

```
ref <- data.frame(  
  age = c(25, 30, 35, 40),  
  city = c("A", "B", "A", "C")  
)  
  
new <- data.frame(  
  age = c(26, 31, 36, 41),  
  city = c("A", "B", "C", "C")  
)  
  
detect_column_drift(ref, new)
```

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