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**Description** Enrichment analysis enables researchers to uncover mechanisms underlying a phenotype. However, conventional methods for enrichment analysis do not take into account protein-protein interaction information, resulting in incomplete conclusions, pathfindR is a tool for enrichment analysis utilizing active subnetworks. The main function identifies active subnetworks in a protein-protein interaction network using a user-provided list of genes and associated p values. It then performs enrichment analyses on the identified subnetworks, identifying enriched terms (i.e. pathways or, more broadly, gene sets) that possibly underlie the phenotype of interest. pathfindR also offers functionalities to cluster the enriched terms and identify representative terms in each cluster, to score the enriched terms per sample and to visualize analysis results. The enrichment, clustering and other methods implemented in pathfindR are described in detail in Ulgen E, Ozisik O, Sezerman OU. 2019. pathfindR: An R Package for Comprehensive Identification of Enriched Pathways in Omics Data Through Active Subnetworks. Front. Genet. <doi:10.3389/fgene.2019.00858>.

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active\_snw\_enrichment\_wrapper

Wrapper for Active Subnetwork Search + Enrichment over Single/Multiple Iteration(s)

### **Description**

Wrapper for Active Subnetwork Search + Enrichment over Single/Multiple Iteration(s)

```
active_snw_enrichment_wrapper(
  input_processed,
  pin_path,
  gset_list,
  enrichment_threshold,
  list_active_snw_genes,
  adj_method = "bonferroni",
  search_method = "GR",
  disable_parallel = FALSE,
  use_all_positives = FALSE,
  iterations = 10,
  n_processes = NULL,
  score_quan_thr = 0.8,
  sig\_gene\_thr = 0.02,
  saTemp0 = 1,
  saTemp1 = 0.01,
  saIter = 10000,
  gaPop = 400,
  gaIter = 200,
  gaThread = 5,
  gaCrossover = 1,
  gaMut = 0,
  grMaxDepth = 1,
```

```
grSearchDepth = 1,
grOverlap = 0.5,
grSubNum = 1000,
silent_option = TRUE
)
```

#### **Arguments**

input\_processed

processed input data frame

pin\_path path/to/PIN/file gset\_list list for gene sets enrichment\_threshold

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adjusted-p value threshold used when filtering enrichment results (default = 0.05)

list\_active\_snw\_genes

boolean value indicating whether or not to report the non-significant active subnetwork genes for the active subnetwork which was enriched for the given term with the lowest p value (default = FALSE)

adj\_method correction method to be used for adjusting p-values. (default = 'bonferroni')

search\_method algorithm to use when performing active subnetwork search. Options are greedy search (GR), simulated annealing (SA) or genetic algorithm (GA) for the search

(default = 'GR').

disable\_parallel

boolean to indicate whether to disable parallel runs via foreach (default = FALSE)

use\_all\_positives

if TRUE: in GA, adds an individual with all positive nodes. In SA, initializes

candidate solution with all positive nodes. (default = FALSE)

iterations number of iterations for active subnetwork search and enrichment analyses (De-

fault = 10

n\_processes optional argument for specifying the number of processes used by foreach. If

not specified, the function determines this automatically (Default == NULL.

Gets set to 1 for Genetic Algorithm)

score\_quan\_thr active subnetwork score quantile threshold. Must be between 0 and 1 or set to

-1 for not filtering. (Default = 0.8)

sig\_gene\_thr threshold for the minimum proportion of significant genes in the subnetwork

(Default = 0.02) If the number of genes to use as threshold is calculated to be <

2 (e.g. 50 signif. genes x 0.01 = 0.5), the threshold number is set to 2

saTemp0 Initial temperature for SA (default = 1.0)
saTemp1 Final temperature for SA (default = 0.01)
saIter Iteration number for SA (default = 10000)
gaPop Population size for GA (default = 400)
gaIter Iteration number for GA (default = 200)

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gaThread Number of threads to be used in GA (default = 5)

gaCrossover Applies crossover with the given probability in GA (default = 1, i.e. always

perform crossover)

gaMut For GA, applies mutation with given mutation rate (default = 0, i.e. mutation

off)

grMaxDepth Sets max depth in greedy search, 0 for no limit (default = 1)

grSearchDepth Search depth in greedy search (default = 1)

grOverlap Overlap threshold for results of greedy search (default = 0.5)

grSubNum Number of subnetworks to be presented in the results (default = 1000)

silent\_option boolean value indicating whether to print the messages to the console (FALSE)

or not (TRUE, this will print to a temp. file) during active subnetwork search (default = TRUE). This option was added because during parallel runs, the con-

sole messages get disorderly printed.

### Value

Data frame of combined pathfindR enrichment results

active\_snw\_search

Perform Active Subnetwork Search

### Description

Perform Active Subnetwork Search

```
active_snw_search(
  input_for_search,
  pin_name_path = "Biogrid",
  snws_file = "active_snws",
  dir_for_parallel_run = NULL,
  score_quan_thr = 0.8,
  sig_gene_thr = 0.02,
  search_method = "GR",
  seedForRandom = 1234,
  silent_option = TRUE,
  use_all_positives = FALSE,
  geneInitProbs = 0.1,
  saTemp0 = 1,
  saTemp1 = 0.01,
  saIter = 10000.
  gaPop = 400,
  gaIter = 10000,
  gaThread = 5,
```

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```
gaCrossover = 1,
  gaMut = 0,
  grMaxDepth = 1,
 grSearchDepth = 1,
 grOverlap = 0.5,
 grSubNum = 1000
)
```

#### **Arguments**

input\_for\_search

input the input data that active subnetwork search uses. The input must be a data frame containing at least these 2 columns:

**GENE** Gene Symbol

**P** VALUE p value obtained through a test, e.g. differential expression/methylation

Name of the chosen PIN or absolute/path/to/PIN.sif. If PIN name, must be one pin\_name\_path of c('Biogrid', 'STRING', 'GeneMania', 'IntAct', 'KEGG', 'mmu\_STRING').

If path/to/PIN.sif, the file must comply with the PIN specifications. (Default =

'Biogrid')

snws\_file name for active subnetwork search output data without file extension (default

= 'active\_snws')

dir\_for\_parallel\_run

(previously created) directory for a parallel run iteration. Used in the wrapper function (see ?run\_pathfindR) (Default = NULL)

score\_quan\_thr active subnetwork score quantile threshold. Must be between 0 and 1 or set to

-1 for not filtering. (Default = 0.8)

sig\_gene\_thr threshold for the minimum proportion of significant genes in the subnetwork

(Default = 0.02) If the number of genes to use as threshold is calculated to be <

2 (e.g. 50 signif. genes x 0.01 = 0.5), the threshold number is set to 2

search method algorithm to use when performing active subnetwork search. Options are greedy

search (GR), simulated annealing (SA) or genetic algorithm (GA) for the search

(default = 'GR').

seedForRandom seed for reproducibility while running the java modules (applies for GR and SA)

silent\_option boolean value indicating whether to print the messages to the console (FALSE)

> or not (TRUE, this will print to a temp. file) during active subnetwork search (default = TRUE). This option was added because during parallel runs, the con-

sole messages get disorderly printed.

use\_all\_positives

if TRUE: in GA, adds an individual with all positive nodes. In SA, initializes

candidate solution with all positive nodes. (default = FALSE)

geneInitProbs For SA and GA, probability of adding a gene in initial solution (default = 0.1)

saTemp0 Initial temperature for SA (default = 1.0)

saTemp1 Final temperature for SA (default = 0.01)

saIter Iteration number for SA (default = 10000) annotate\_term\_genes 7

gaPop	Population size for GA (default = 400)
gaIter	Iteration number for GA (default = 200)
gaThread	Number of threads to be used in GA (default = 5)
gaCrossover	Applies crossover with the given probability in GA (default = 1, i.e. always perform crossover)
gaMut	For GA, applies mutation with given mutation rate (default = $0$ , i.e. mutation off)
grMaxDepth	Sets max depth in greedy search, 0 for no limit (default = 1)
grSearchDepth	Search depth in greedy search (default = 1)
grOverlap	Overlap threshold for results of greedy search (default = $0.5$ )
grSubNum	Number of subnetworks to be presented in the results (default = 1000)

### Value

A list of genes in every identified active subnetwork that has a score greater than the 'score\_quan\_thr'th quantile and that has at least 'sig\_gene\_thr' affected genes.

# **Examples**

```
processed_df <- example_pathfindR_input[1:15, -2]
colnames(processed_df) <- c('GENE', 'P_VALUE')
GR_snws <- active_snw_search(
  input_for_search = processed_df,
  pin_name_path = 'KEGG',
  search_method = 'GR',
  score_quan_thr = 0.8
)
# clean-up
unlink('active_snw_search', recursive = TRUE)</pre>
```

annotate\_term\_genes

Annotate the Affected Genes in the Provided Enriched Terms

### **Description**

Function to annotate the involved affected (input) genes in each term.

```
annotate_term_genes(
  result_df,
  input_processed,
  genes_by_term = pathfindR.data::kegg_genes
)
```

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# **Arguments**

```
result_df data frame of enrichment results. The only must-have column is 'ID'.

input_processed input data processed via input_processing

genes_by_term List that contains genes for each gene set. Names of this list are gene set IDs (default = kegg_genes)
```

#### Value

The original data frame with two additional columns:

**Up\_regulated** the up-regulated genes in the input involved in the given term's gene set, commaseparated

**Down\_regulated** the down-regulated genes in the input involved in the given term's gene set, comma-separated

# Examples

```
example_gene_data <- example_pathfindR_input
colnames(example_gene_data) <- c('GENE', 'CHANGE', 'P_VALUE')
annotated_result <- annotate_term_genes(
  result_df = example_pathfindR_output,
  input_processed = example_gene_data
)</pre>
```

check\_java\_version

Check Java Version

### **Description**

Check Java Version

#### **Usage**

```
check_java_version(version = NULL)
```

## **Arguments**

version

character vector containing the output of 'java -version'. If NULL, result of fetch\_java\_version is used (default = NULL)

### **Details**

this function was adapted from the CRAN package sparklyr

### Value

only parses and checks whether the java version is  $\geq 1.8$ 

cluster\_enriched\_terms

cluster\_enriched\_terms

Cluster Enriched Terms

### **Description**

Cluster Enriched Terms

#### **Usage**

```
cluster_enriched_terms(
  enrichment_res,
  method = "hierarchical",
  plot_clusters_graph = TRUE,
  use_description = FALSE,
  use_active_snw_genes = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

tails.

### **Arguments**

enrichment\_res data frame of pathfindR enrichment results. Must-have columns are 'Term\_Description' (if use\_description = TRUE) or 'ID' (if use\_description = FALSE), 'Down\_regulated', and 'Up\_regulated'. If use\_active\_snw\_genes = TRUE, 'non\_Signif\_Snw\_Genes' must also be provided. Either 'hierarchical' or 'fuzzy'. Details of clustering are provided in the corremethod sponding functions hierarchical\_term\_clustering, and fuzzy\_term\_clustering plot\_clusters\_graph boolean value indicate whether or not to plot the graph diagram of clustering results (default = TRUE) use\_description Boolean argument to indicate whether term descriptions (in the 'Term Description' column) should be used. (default = FALSE) use\_active\_snw\_genes boolean to indicate whether or not to use non-input active subnetwork genes in the calculation of kappa statistics (default = FALSE, i.e. only use affected additional arguments for hierarchical\_term\_clustering, fuzzy\_term\_clustering

and cluster\_graph\_vis. See documentation of these functions for more de-

#### Value

a data frame of clustering results. For 'hierarchical', the cluster assignments (Cluster) and whether the term is representative of its cluster (Status) is added as columns. For 'fuzzy', terms that are in multiple clusters are provided for each cluster. The cluster assignments (Cluster) and whether the term is representative of its cluster (Status) is added as columns.

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### See Also

See hierarchical\_term\_clustering for hierarchical clustering of enriched terms. See fuzzy\_term\_clustering for fuzzy clustering of enriched terms. See cluster\_graph\_vis for graph visualization of clustering.

### **Examples**

```
example_clustered <- cluster_enriched_terms(
  example_pathfindR_output[1:3, ],
  plot_clusters_graph = FALSE
)
example_clustered <- cluster_enriched_terms(
  example_pathfindR_output[1:3, ],
  method = 'fuzzy', plot_clusters_graph = FALSE
)</pre>
```

cluster\_graph\_vis

Graph Visualization of Clustered Enriched Terms

### **Description**

Graph Visualization of Clustered Enriched Terms

### Usage

```
cluster_graph_vis(
  clu_obj,
  kappa_mat,
  enrichment_res,
  kappa_threshold = 0.35,
  use_description = FALSE,
  vertex.label.cex = 0.7,
  vertex.size.scaling = 2.5
)
```

#### **Arguments**

clu\_obj clustering result (either a matrix obtained via hierarchical\_term\_clustering

or fuzzy\_term\_clustering 'fuzzy\_term\_clustering' or a vector obtained via

'hierarchical\_term\_clustering')

kappa\_mat matrix of kappa statistics (output of create\_kappa\_matrix)

enrichment\_res data frame of pathfindR enrichment results. Must-have columns are 'Term\_Description'

(if use\_description = TRUE) or 'ID' (if use\_description = FALSE), 'Down\_regulated', and 'Up\_regulated'. If use\_active\_snw\_genes = TRUE, 'non\_Signif\_Snw\_Genes'

must also be provided.

kappa\_threshold

threshold for kappa statistics, defining strong relation (default = 0.35)

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```
use_description
```

Boolean argument to indicate whether term descriptions (in the 'Term\_Description' column) should be used. (default = FALSE)

vertex.label.cex

font size for vertex labels; it is interpreted as a multiplication factor of some device-dependent base font size (default = 0.7)

vertex.size.scaling

scaling factor for the node size (default = 2.5)

#### Value

Plots a graph diagram of clustering results. Each node is an enriched term from 'enrichment\_res'. Size of node corresponds to -log(lowest\_p). Thickness of the edges between nodes correspond to the kappa statistic between the two terms. Color of each node corresponds to distinct clusters. For fuzzy clustering, if a term is in multiple clusters, multiple colors are utilized.

### **Examples**

```
## Not run:
cluster_graph_vis(clu_obj, kappa_mat, enrichment_res)
## End(Not run)
```

color\_kegg\_pathway

Color hsa KEGG pathway

### Description

Color hsa KEGG pathway

#### Usage

```
color_kegg_pathway(
  pw_id,
  change_vec,
  scale_vals = TRUE,
  node_cols = NULL,
  legend.position = "top"
)
```

```
pw_id hsa KEGG pathway id (e.g. hsa05012)

change_vec vector of change values, names should be hsa KEGG gene ids

scale_vals should change values be scaled? (default = TRUE)
```

node\_cols

low, middle and high color values for coloring the pathway nodes (default = NULL). If node\_cols=NULL, the low, middle and high color are set as 'green', 'gray' and 'red'. If all change values are 1e6 (in case no changes are supplied, this dummy value is assigned by input\_processing), only one color ('#F38F18' if NULL) is used.

legend.position

the default position of legends ("none", "left", "right", "bottom", "top", "inside")

### Value

a ggplot object containing the colored KEGG pathway diagram visualization

### **Examples**

```
## Not run:
pw_id <- 'hsa00010'
change_vec <- c(-2, 4, 6)
names(change_vec) <- c('hsa:2821', 'hsa:226', 'hsa:229')
result <- pathfindR:::color_kegg_pathway(pw_id, change_vec)
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

combined\_results\_graph

Combined Results Graph

## Description

Combined Results Graph

#### Usage

```
combined_results_graph(
  combined_df,
  selected_terms = "common",
  use_description = FALSE,
  layout = "stress",
  node_size = "num_genes"
)
```

```
combined_df Data frame of combined pathfindR enrichment results

selected_terms the vector of selected terms for creating the graph (either IDs or term descriptions). If set to 'common', all of the common terms are used. (default = 'common')
```

use\_description

Boolean argument to indicate whether term descriptions (in the 'Term\_Description'

column) should be used. (default = FALSE)

layout The type of layout to create (see ggraph for details. Default = 'stress')

node\_size Argument to indicate whether to use number of significant genes ('num\_genes')

or the -log10(lowest p value) ('p\_val') for adjusting the node sizes (default =

'num\_genes')

#### Value

a ggraph object containing the combined term-gene graph. Each node corresponds to an enriched term (orange if common, different shades of blue otherwise), an up-regulated gene (green), a down-regulated gene (red) or a conflicting (i.e. up in one analysis, down in the other or vice versa) gene (gray). An edge between a term and a gene indicates that the given term involves the gene. Size of a term node is proportional to either the number of genes (if node\_size = 'num\_genes') or the -log10(lowest p value) (if node\_size = 'p\_val').

# Examples

```
combined_results <- combine_pathfindR_results(
    example_pathfindR_output,
    example_comparison_output,
    plot_common = FALSE
)
g <- combined_results_graph(combined_results, selected_terms = sample(combined_results$ID, 3))</pre>
```

```
combine_pathfindR_results
```

Combine 2 pathfindR Results

### **Description**

Combine 2 pathfindR Results

### Usage

```
combine_pathfindR_results(result_A, result_B, plot_common = TRUE)
```

### **Arguments**

result\_A data frame of first pathfindR enrichment results
result\_B data frame of second pathfindR enrichment results

plot\_common boolean to indicate whether or not to plot the term-gene graph of the common

terms (default=TRUE)

#### Value

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Data frame of combined pathfindR enrichment results. Columns are:

**ID** ID of the enriched term

**Term\_Description** Description of the enriched term

**Fold\_Enrichment\_A** Fold enrichment value for the enriched term (Calculated using ONLY the input genes)

occurrence\_A the number of iterations that the given term was found to enriched over all iterations

**lowest\_p\_A** the lowest adjusted-p value of the given term over all iterations

**highest\_p\_A** the highest adjusted-p value of the given term over all iterations

Up\_regulated\_A the up-regulated genes in the input involved in the given term's gene set, commaseparated

**Down\_regulated\_A** the down-regulated genes in the input involved in the given term's gene set, comma-separated

**Fold\_Enrichment\_B** Fold enrichment value for the enriched term (Calculated using ONLY the input genes)

occurrence\_B the number of iterations that the given term was found to enriched over all iterations

**lowest\_p\_B** the lowest adjusted-p value of the given term over all iterations

**highest** p B the highest adjusted-p value of the given term over all iterations

Up\_regulated\_B the up-regulated genes in the input involved in the given term's gene set, commaseparated

**Down\_regulated\_B** the down-regulated genes in the input involved in the given term's gene set, comma-separated

**combined\_p** the combined p value (via Fisher's method)

**status** whether the term is found in both analyses ('common'), found only in the first ('A only') or found only in the second ('B only)

By default, the function also displays the term-gene graph of the common terms

### **Examples**

combined\_results <- combine\_pathfindR\_results(example\_pathfindR\_output, example\_comparison\_output)</pre>

# Description

Configure Output Directory Name

```
configure_output_dir(output_dir = NULL)
```

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### **Arguments**

output\_dir

the directory to be created where the output and intermediate files are saved (default = NULL, a temporary directory is used)

### Value

/path/to/output/dir

create\_HTML\_report

Create HTML Report of pathfindR Results

### Description

Create HTML Report of pathfindR Results

### Usage

```
create_HTML_report(input, input_processed, final_res, dir_for_report)
```

### **Arguments**

input

the input data that pathfindR uses. The input must be a data frame with three columns:

- 1. Gene Symbol (Gene Symbol)
- 2. Change value, e.g. log(fold change) (OPTIONAL)
- 3. p value, e.g. adjusted p value associated with differential expression

input\_processed

processed input data frame

final\_res final pathfindR result data frame dir\_for\_report directory to render the report in

create\_kappa\_matrix

Create Kappa Statistics Matrix

### **Description**

Create Kappa Statistics Matrix

```
create_kappa_matrix(
  enrichment_res,
  use_description = FALSE,
  use_active_snw_genes = FALSE
)
```

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### **Arguments**

```
enrichment_res data frame of pathfindR enrichment results. Must-have columns are 'Term_Description' (if use_description = TRUE) or 'ID' (if use_description = FALSE), 'Down_regulated', and 'Up_regulated'. If use_active_snw_genes = TRUE, 'non_Signif_Snw_Genes' must also be provided.

use_description

Boolean argument to indicate whether term descriptions (in the 'Term_Description' column) should be used. (default = FALSE)

use_active_snw_genes

boolean to indicate whether or not to use non-input active subnetwork genes in the calculation of kappa statistics (default = FALSE, i.e. only use affected genes)
```

#### Value

a matrix of kappa statistics between each term in the enrichment results.

### **Examples**

```
sub_df <- example_pathfindR_output[1:3, ]
create_kappa_matrix(sub_df)</pre>
```

enrichment

Perform Enrichment Analysis for a Single Gene Set

### **Description**

Perform Enrichment Analysis for a Single Gene Set

# Usage

```
enrichment(
  input_genes,
  genes_by_term = pathfindR.data::kegg_genes,
  term_descriptions = pathfindR.data::kegg_descriptions,
  adj_method = "bonferroni",
  enrichment_threshold = 0.05,
  sig_genes_vec,
  background_genes
)
```

#### **Arguments**

input\_genes The set of gene symbols to be used for enrichment analysis. In the scope of this package, these are genes that were identified for an active subnetwork

genes\_by\_term List that contains genes for each gene set. Names of this list are gene set IDs

 $(default = kegg\_genes)$ 

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term\_descriptions

Vector that contains term descriptions for the gene sets. Names of this vector are gene set IDs (default = kegg\_descriptions)

adj\_method correction method to be used for adjusting p-values. (default = 'bonferroni') enrichment\_threshold

adjusted-p value threshold used when filtering enrichment results (default = 0.05)

sig\_genes\_vec

vector of significant gene symbols. In the scope of this package, these are the input genes that were used for active subnetwork search

background\_genes

vector of background genes. In the scope of this package, the background genes are taken as all genes in the PIN (see <a href="mailto:enrichment\_analyses">enrichment\_analyses</a>)

#### Value

A data frame that contains enrichment results

#### See Also

p.adjust for adjustment of p values. See run\_pathfindR for the wrapper function of the pathfindR workflow. hyperg\_test for the details on hypergeometric distribution-based hypothesis testing.

### **Examples**

```
enrichment(
  input_genes = c('PER1', 'PER2', 'CRY1', 'CREB1'),
  sig_genes_vec = 'PER1',
  background_genes = unlist(pathfindR.data::kegg_genes)
)
```

enrichment\_analyses

Perform Enrichment Analyses on the Input Subnetworks

### **Description**

Perform Enrichment Analyses on the Input Subnetworks

```
enrichment_analyses(
    snws,
    sig_genes_vec,
    pin_name_path = "Biogrid",
    genes_by_term = pathfindR.data::kegg_genes,
    term_descriptions = pathfindR.data::kegg_descriptions,
    adj_method = "bonferroni",
    enrichment_threshold = 0.05,
    list_active_snw_genes = FALSE
)
```

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#### **Arguments**

a list of subnetwork genes (i.e., vectors of genes for each subnetwork) snws vector of significant gene symbols. In the scope of this package, these are the sig\_genes\_vec input genes that were used for active subnetwork search pin\_name\_path Name of the chosen PIN or absolute/path/to/PIN.sif. If PIN name, must be one of c('Biogrid', 'STRING', 'GeneMania', 'IntAct', 'KEGG', 'mmu\_STRING'). If path/to/PIN.sif, the file must comply with the PIN specifications. (Default = 'Biogrid') genes\_by\_term List that contains genes for each gene set. Names of this list are gene set IDs  $(default = kegg\_genes)$ term\_descriptions Vector that contains term descriptions for the gene sets. Names of this vector are gene set IDs (default = kegg descriptions) adj\_method correction method to be used for adjusting p-values. (default = 'bonferroni') enrichment\_threshold adjusted-p value threshold used when filtering enrichment results (default = 0.05) list\_active\_snw\_genes

boolean value indicating whether or not to report the non-significant active subnetwork genes for the active subnetwork which was enriched for the given term with the lowest p value (default = FALSE)

#### Value

a dataframe of combined enrichment results. Columns are:

**ID** ID of the enriched term

Term\_Description Description of the enriched term

Fold\_Enrichment Fold enrichment value for the enriched term

**p\_value** p value of enrichment

adj\_p adjusted p value of enrichment

**support** the support (proportion of active subnetworks leading to enrichment over all subnetworks) for the gene set

non\_Signif\_Snw\_Genes (OPTIONAL) the non-significant active subnetwork genes, comma-separated

### See Also

enrichment for the enrichment analysis for a single gene set

### **Examples**

```
enr_res <- enrichment_analyses(
   snws = example_active_snws[1:2],
   sig_genes_vec = example_pathfindR_input$Gene.symbol[1:25],
   pin_name_path = 'KEGG'
)</pre>
```

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enrichment\_chart

Create Bubble Chart of Enrichment Results

### **Description**

This function is used to create a ggplot2 bubble chart displaying the enrichment results.

# Usage

```
enrichment_chart(
  result_df,
  top\_terms = 10,
  plot_by_cluster = FALSE,
  num\_bubbles = 4,
  even_breaks = TRUE
)
```

### **Arguments**

result\_df

a data frame that must contain the following columns:

**Term\_Description** Description of the enriched term

Fold\_Enrichment Fold enrichment value for the enriched term

lowest\_p the lowest adjusted-p value of the given term over all iterations

**Up\_regulated** the up-regulated genes in the input involved in the given term's gene set, comma-separated

**Down\_regulated** the down-regulated genes in the input involved in the given term's gene set, comma-separated

**Cluster(OPTIONAL)** the cluster to which the enriched term is assigned

top\_terms

number of top terms (according to the 'lowest\_p' column) to plot (default = 10). If plot\_by\_cluster = TRUE, selects the top top\_terms terms per each cluster. Set top\_terms = NULL to plot for all terms. If the total number of terms is less than top\_terms, all terms are plotted.

plot\_by\_cluster

boolean value indicating whether or not to group the enriched terms by cluster (works if result\_df contains a 'Cluster' column).

num\_bubbles

number of sizes displayed in the legend # genes (Default = 4)

even\_breaks

whether or not to set even breaks for the number of sizes displayed in the legend # genes. If TRUE (default), sets equal breaks and the number of displayed bubbles may be different than the number set by num\_bubbles. If the exact number set by num\_bubbles is required, set this argument to FALSE

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#### Value

a ggplot2 object containing the bubble chart. The x-axis corresponds to fold enrichment values while the y-axis indicates the enriched terms. Size of the bubble indicates the number of significant genes in the given enriched term. Color indicates the -log10(lowest-p) value. The closer the color is to red, the more significant the enrichment is. Optionally, if 'Cluster' is a column of result\_df and plot\_by\_cluster == TRUE, the enriched terms are grouped by clusters.

### **Examples**

```
g <- enrichment_chart(example_pathfindR_output)</pre>
```

fetch\_gene\_set

Fetch Gene Set Objects

### **Description**

Function for obtaining the gene sets per term and the term descriptions to be used for enrichment analysis.

### Usage

```
fetch_gene_set(
  gene_sets = "KEGG",
  min_gset_size = 10,
  max_gset_size = 300,
  custom_genes = NULL,
  custom_descriptions = NULL)
```

### **Arguments**

gene\_sets

Name of the gene sets to be used for enrichment analysis. Available gene sets are 'KEGG', 'Reactome', 'BioCarta', 'GO-All', 'GO-BP', 'GO-CC', 'GO-MF', 'cell\_markers', 'mmu\_KEGG' or 'Custom'. If 'Custom', the arguments custom\_genes and custom\_descriptions must be specified. (Default = 'KEGG')

min\_gset\_size

minimum number of genes a term must contain (default = 10)

max\_gset\_size

maximum number of genes a term must contain (default = 300)

custom\_genes

a list containing the genes involved in each custom term. Each element is a vector of gene symbols located in the given custom term. Names should correspond

to the IDs of the custom terms.

custom\_descriptions

A vector containing the descriptions for each custom term. Names of the vector should correspond to the IDs of the custom terms.

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### Value

```
a list containing 2 elements

genes_by_term list of vectors of genes contained in each term
term_descriptions vector of descriptions per each term
```

### **Examples**

```
KEGG_gset <- fetch_gene_set()
GO_MF_gset <- fetch_gene_set('GO-MF', min_gset_size = 20, max_gset_size = 100)</pre>
```

fetch\_java\_version

Obtain Java Version

### **Description**

Obtain Java Version

### Usage

```
fetch_java_version()
```

### **Details**

this function was adapted from the CRAN package sparklyr

### Value

character vector containing the output of 'java -version'

filterActiveSnws

Parse Active Subnetwork Search Output File and Filter the Subnetworks

# Description

Parse Active Subnetwork Search Output File and Filter the Subnetworks

```
filterActiveSnws(
  active_snw_path,
  sig_genes_vec,
  score_quan_thr = 0.8,
  sig_gene_thr = 0.02
)
```

### **Arguments**

```
path to the output of an Active Subnetwork Search

sig_genes_vec vector of significant gene symbols. In the scope of this package, these are the input genes that were used for active subnetwork search

score_quan_thr active subnetwork score quantile threshold. Must be between 0 and 1 or set to -1 for not filtering. (Default = 0.8)

sig_gene_thr threshold for the minimum proportion of significant genes in the subnetwork (Default = 0.02) If the number of genes to use as threshold is calculated to be < 2 (e.g. 50 signif. genes x 0.01 = 0.5), the threshold number is set to 2
```

#### Value

A list containing subnetworks: a list of of genes in every active subnetwork that has a score greater than the score\_quan\_thrth quantile and that contains at least sig\_gene\_thr of significant genes and scores the score of each filtered active subnetwork

#### See Also

See run\_pathfindR for the wrapper function of the pathfindR enrichment workflow

### **Examples**

```
path2snw_list <- system.file(
  'extdata/resultActiveSubnetworkSearch.txt',
  package = 'pathfindR'
)
filtered <- filterActiveSnws(
  active_snw_path = path2snw_list,
  sig_genes_vec = example_pathfindR_input$Gene.symbol
)</pre>
```

fuzzy\_term\_clustering Heuristic Fuzzy Multiple-linkage Partitioning of Enriched Terms

### **Description**

Heuristic Fuzzy Multiple-linkage Partitioning of Enriched Terms

```
fuzzy_term_clustering(
  kappa_mat,
  enrichment_res,
  kappa_threshold = 0.35,
  use_description = FALSE
)
```

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### Arguments

### **Details**

The fuzzy clustering algorithm was implemented based on: Huang DW, Sherman BT, Tan Q, et al. The DAVID Gene Functional Classification Tool: a novel biological module-centric algorithm to functionally analyze large gene lists. Genome Biol. 2007;8(9):R183.

### Value

a boolean matrix of cluster assignments. Each row corresponds to an enriched term, each column corresponds to a cluster.

### **Examples**

```
## Not run:
fuzzy_term_clustering(kappa_mat, enrichment_res)
fuzzy_term_clustering(kappa_mat, enrichment_res, kappa_threshold = 0.45)
## End(Not run)
```

column) should be used. (default = FALSE)

get\_biogrid\_pin

Retrieve the Requested Release of Organism-specific BioGRID PIN

### **Description**

Retrieve the Requested Release of Organism-specific BioGRID PIN

```
get_biogrid_pin(org = "Homo_sapiens", path2pin, release = "latest")
```

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# Arguments

org	organism name. BioGRID naming requires underscores for spaces so 'Homo sapiens' becomes 'Homo_sapiens', 'Mus musculus' becomes 'Mus_musculus' etc. See https://wiki.thebiogrid.org/doku.php/statistics for a full list of available organisms (default = 'Homo_sapiens')
path2pin	the path of the file to save the PIN data. By default, the PIN data is saved in a temporary file
release	the requested BioGRID release (default = 'latest')

### Value

the path of the file in which the PIN data was saved. If path2pin was not supplied by the user, the PIN data is saved in a temporary file

```
get_gene_sets_list Retrieve Organism-specific Gene Sets List
```

# Description

Retrieve Organism-specific Gene Sets List

# Usage

```
get_gene_sets_list(
  source = "KEGG",
  org_code = "hsa",
  species = "Homo sapiens",
  collection,
  subcollection = NULL
)
```

org_code  (Used for 'KEGG' only) KEGG organism code for the selected organism. For a full list of all available organisms, see https://www.genome.jp/kegg/catalog/org_list.html  species  (Used for 'MSigDB' only) species name, such as Homo sapiens, Mus musculus, etc. See msigdbr_show_species for all the species available in the msigdbr package (default = 'Homo sapiens')  collection  (Used for 'MSigDB' only) collection. i.e., H, C1, C2, C3, C4, C5, C6, C7.  subcollection  (Used for 'MSigDB' only) sub-collection, such as CGP, MIR, BP, etc. (default = NULL, i.e. list all gene sets in collection)	source	As of this version, either 'KEGG', 'Reactome' or 'MSigDB' (default = 'KEGG')
etc. See msigdbr_show_species for all the species available in the msigdbr package (default = 'Homo sapiens')  collection (Used for 'MSigDB' only) collection. i.e., H, C1, C2, C3, C4, C5, C6, C7.  subcollection (Used for 'MSigDB' only) sub-collection, such as CGP, MIR, BP, etc. (default	org_code	full list of all available organisms, see https://www.genome.jp/kegg/catalog/
subcollection (Used for 'MSigDB' only) sub-collection, such as CGP, MIR, BP, etc. (default	species	etc. See msigdbr_show_species for all the species available in the msigdbr
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	collection	(Used for 'MSigDB' only) collection. i.e., H, C1, C2, C3, C4, C5, C6, C7.
	subcollection	

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#### Value

A list containing 2 elements:

- gene\_sets A list containing the genes involved in each gene set
- descriptions A named vector containing the descriptions for each gene set

. For 'KEGG' and 'MSigDB', it is possible to choose a specific organism. For a full list of all available KEGG organisms, see <a href="https://www.genome.jp/kegg/catalog/org\_list.html">https://www.genome.jp/kegg/catalog/org\_list.html</a>. See <a href="msigdbr\_show\_species">msigdbr\_show\_species</a> for all the species available in the msigdbr package used for obtaining 'MSigDB' gene sets. For Reactome, there is only one collection of pathway gene sets.

get\_kegg\_gsets

Retrieve Organism-specific KEGG Pathway Gene Sets

#### **Description**

Retrieve Organism-specific KEGG Pathway Gene Sets

### Usage

```
get_kegg_gsets(org_code = "hsa")
```

### **Arguments**

org\_code

KEGG organism code for the selected organism. For a full list of all available organisms, see https://www.genome.jp/kegg/catalog/org\_list.html

#### Value

list containing 2 elements:

- gene\_sets A list containing KEGG IDs for the genes involved in each KEGG pathway
- descriptions A named vector containing the descriptions for each KEGG pathway

get\_mgsigdb\_gsets

Retrieve Organism-specific MSigDB Gene Sets

### **Description**

Retrieve Organism-specific MSigDB Gene Sets

```
get_mgsigdb_gsets(species = "Homo sapiens", collection, subcollection = NULL)
```

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### Arguments

species species name, such as Homo sapiens, Mus musculus, etc. See msigdbr\_show\_species for all the species available in the msigdbr package

collection collection. i.e., H, C1, C2, C3, C4, C5, C6, C7.

subcollection sub-collection, such as CGP, BP, etc. (default = NULL, i.e. list all gene sets in

collection)

### **Details**

this function utilizes the function msigdbr from the msigdbr package to retrieve the 'Molecular Signatures Database' (MSigDB) gene sets (Subramanian et al. 2005 <doi:10.1073/pnas.0506580102>, Liberzon et al. 2015 <doi:10.1016/j.cels.2015.12.004>). Available collections are: H: hallmark gene sets, C1: positional gene sets, C2: curated gene sets, C3: motif gene sets, C4: computational gene sets, C5: GO gene sets, C6: oncogenic signatures and C7: immunologic signatures

#### Value

Retrieves the MSigDB gene sets and returns a list containing 2 elements:

- gene\_sets A list containing the genes involved in each of the selected MSigDB gene sets
- descriptions A named vector containing the descriptions for each selected MSigDB gene set

<pre>get_pin_file</pre>	Retrieve Organism-specific PIN data
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### **Description**

Retrieve Organism-specific PIN data

### Usage

```
get_pin_file(source = "BioGRID", org = "Homo_sapiens", path2pin, ...)
```

source	As of this version, this function is implemented to get data from 'BioGRID' only. This argument (and this wrapper function) was implemented for future utility
org	organism name. BioGRID naming requires underscores for spaces so 'Homo sapiens' becomes 'Homo_sapiens', 'Mus musculus' becomes 'Mus_musculus' etc. See https://wiki.thebiogrid.org/doku.php/statistics for a full list of available organisms (default = 'Homo_sapiens')
path2pin	the path of the file to save the PIN data. By default, the PIN data is saved in a temporary file
	additional arguments for get_biogrid_pin

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### Value

the path of the file in which the PIN data was saved. If path2pin was not supplied by the user, the PIN data is saved in a temporary file

# **Examples**

```
## Not run:
pin_path <- get_pin_file()
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

get\_reactome\_gsets

Retrieve Reactome Pathway Gene Sets

# Description

Retrieve Reactome Pathway Gene Sets

### Usage

```
get_reactome_gsets()
```

### Value

Gets the latest Reactome pathways gene sets in gmt format. Parses the gmt file and returns a list containing 2 elements:

- gene\_sets A list containing the genes involved in each Reactome pathway
- descriptions A named vector containing the descriptions for each Reactome pathway

gset\_list\_from\_gmt

Retrieve Gene Sets from GMT-format File

### **Description**

Retrieve Gene Sets from GMT-format File

### Usage

```
gset_list_from_gmt(path2gmt, descriptions_idx = 2)
```

### Value

list containing 2 elements:

- gene\_sets A list containing the genes involved in each gene set
- descriptions A named vector containing the descriptions for each gene set

hierarchical\_term\_clustering

Hierarchical Clustering of Enriched Terms

# Description

Hierarchical Clustering of Enriched Terms

### Usage

```
hierarchical_term_clustering(
  kappa_mat,
  enrichment_res,
  num_clusters = NULL,
  use_description = FALSE,
  clu_method = "average",
  plot_hmap = FALSE,
  plot_dend = TRUE
)
```

kappa_mat	matrix of kappa statistics (output of create_kappa_matrix)	
enrichment_res	data frame of pathfindR enrichment results. Must-have columns are 'Term_Description' (if use_description = TRUE) or 'ID' (if use_description = FALSE), 'Down_regulated', and 'Up_regulated'. If use_active_snw_genes = TRUE, 'non_Signif_Snw_Genes' must also be provided.	
num_clusters	number of clusters to be formed (default = NULL). If NULL, the optimal number of clusters is determined as the number which yields the highest average silhouette width.	
use_description		
	Boolean argument to indicate whether term descriptions (in the 'Term_Description' column) should be used. (default = FALSE)	
clu_method	the agglomeration method to be used (default = 'average', see hclust)	
plot_hmap	boolean to indicate whether to plot the kappa statistics clustering heatmap or not (default = FALSE)	
plot_dend	boolean to indicate whether to plot the clustering dendrogram partitioned into the optimal number of clusters (default = TRUE)	

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#### **Details**

The function initially performs hierarchical clustering of the enriched terms in enrichment\_res using the kappa statistics (defining the distance as 1 - kappa\_statistic). Next, the clustering dendrogram is cut into  $k=2,\,3,\,...,\,n-1$  clusters (where n is the number of terms). The optimal number of clusters is determined as the k value which yields the highest average silhouette width. (if num\_clusters not specified)

### Value

a vector of clusters for each enriched term in the enrichment results.

### **Examples**

```
## Not run:
hierarchical_term_clustering(kappa_mat, enrichment_res)
hierarchical_term_clustering(kappa_mat, enrichment_res, method = 'complete')
## End(Not run)
```

hyperg\_test

Hypergeometric Distribution-based Hypothesis Testing

### **Description**

Hypergeometric Distribution-based Hypothesis Testing

### Usage

```
hyperg_test(term_genes, chosen_genes, background_genes)
```

### **Arguments**

```
term_genes vector of genes in the selected term gene set

chosen_genes vector containing the set of input genes

background_genes

vector of background genes (i.e. universal set of genes in the experiment)
```

### Details

To determine whether the chosen\_genes are enriched (compared to a background pool of genes) in the term\_genes, the hypergeometric distribution is assumed and the appropriate p value (the value under the right tail) is calculated and returned.

#### Value

the p-value as determined using the hypergeometric distribution.

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### **Examples**

```
hyperg_test(letters[1:5], letters[2:5], letters)
hyperg_test(letters[1:5], letters[2:10], letters)
hyperg_test(letters[1:5], letters[2:13], letters)
```

input\_processing

Process Input

### **Description**

**Process Input** 

### Usage

```
input_processing(
  input,
  p_val_threshold = 0.05,
  pin_name_path = "Biogrid",
  convert2alias = TRUE
)
```

### **Arguments**

input

the input data that pathfindR uses. The input must be a data frame with three columns:

- 1. Gene Symbol (Gene Symbol)
- 2. Change value, e.g. log(fold change) (OPTIONAL)
- 3. p value, e.g. adjusted p value associated with differential expression

p\_val\_threshold

the p value threshold to use when filtering the input data frame. Must a numeric value between 0 and 1. (default = 0.05)

pin\_name\_path

Name of the chosen PIN or absolute/path/to/PIN.sif. If PIN name, must be one of c('Biogrid', 'STRING', 'GeneMania', 'IntAct', 'KEGG', 'mmu\_STRING'). If path/to/PIN.sif, the file must comply with the PIN specifications. (Default = 'Biogrid')

convert2alias

boolean to indicate whether or not to convert gene symbols in the input that are not found in the PIN to an alias symbol found in the PIN (default = TRUE) IMPORTANT NOTE: the conversion uses human gene symbols/alias symbols.

### Value

This function first filters the input so that all p values are less than or equal to the threshold. Next, gene symbols that are not found in the PIN are identified. If aliases of these gene symbols are found in the PIN, the symbols are converted to the corresponding aliases. The resulting data frame containing the original gene symbols, the updated symbols, change values and p values is then returned.

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### See Also

See run\_pathfindR for the wrapper function of the pathfindR workflow

### **Examples**

```
processed_df <- input_processing(
  input = example_pathfindR_input[1:5, ],
  pin_name_path = 'KEGG'
)
processed_df <- input_processing(
  input = example_pathfindR_input[1:10, ],
  pin_name_path = 'KEGG',
  convert2alias = FALSE
)</pre>
```

input\_testing

Input Testing

# Description

Input Testing

### Usage

```
input_testing(input, p_val_threshold = 0.05)
```

### **Arguments**

input

the input data that pathfindR uses. The input must be a data frame with three columns:

- 1. Gene Symbol (Gene Symbol)
- 2. Change value, e.g. log(fold change) (OPTIONAL)
- 3. p value, e.g. adjusted p value associated with differential expression

p\_val\_threshold

the p value threshold to use when filtering the input data frame. Must a numeric value between 0 and 1. (default = 0.05)

### Value

Only checks if the input and the threshold follows the required specifications.

### See Also

See run\_pathfindR for the wrapper function of the pathfindR workflow

### **Examples**

```
input_testing(example_pathfindR_input, 0.05)
```

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isColor

Check if value is a valid color

### **Description**

Check if value is a valid color

#### Usage

isColor(x)

### **Arguments**

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value

### Value

TRUE if x is a valid color, otherwise FALSE

pathfindR

pathfindR: A package for Enrichment Analysis Utilizing Active Subnetworks

### **Description**

pathfindR is a tool for active-subnetwork-oriented gene set enrichment analysis. The main aim of the package is to identify active subnetworks in a protein-protein interaction network using a user-provided list of genes and associated p values then performing enrichment analyses on the identified subnetworks, discovering enriched terms (i.e. pathways, gene ontology, TF target gene sets etc.) that possibly underlie the phenotype of interest.

#### **Details**

For analysis on non-Homo sapiens organisms, pathfindR offers utility functions for obtaining organism-specific PIN data and organism-specific gene sets data.

pathfindR also offers functionalities to cluster the enriched terms and identify representative terms in each cluster, to score the enriched terms per sample and to visualize analysis results.

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### See Also

See run\_pathfindR for details on the pathfindR active-subnetwork-oriented enrichment analysis See cluster\_enriched\_terms for details on methods of enriched terms clustering to define clusters of biologically-related terms See score\_terms for details on agglomerated score calculation for enriched terms to investigate how a gene set is altered in a given sample (or in cases vs. controls) See term\_gene\_heatmap for details on visualization of the heatmap of enriched terms by involved genes See term\_gene\_graph for details on visualizing terms and term-related genes as a graph to determine the degree of overlap between the enriched terms by identifying shared and/or distinct significant genes See UpSet\_plot for details on creating an UpSet plot of the enriched terms. See get\_pin\_file for obtaining organism-specific PIN data and get\_gene\_sets\_list for obtaining organism-specific gene sets data

plot\_scores

Plot the Heatmap of Score Matrix of Enriched Terms per Sample

### Description

Plot the Heatmap of Score Matrix of Enriched Terms per Sample

# Usage

```
plot_scores(
   score_matrix,
   cases = NULL,
   label_samples = TRUE,
   case_title = "Case",
   control_title = "Control",
   low = "green",
   mid = "black",
   high = "red"
)
```

score_matrix	Matrix of agglomerated enriched term scores per sample. Columns are samples, rows are enriched terms
cases	(Optional) A vector of sample names that are cases in the case/control experiment. (default = $NULL$ )
label_samples	Boolean value to indicate whether or not to label the samples in the heatmap plot (default = $TRUE$ )
case_title	Naming of the 'Case' group (as in cases) (default = 'Case')
control_title	Naming of the 'Control' group (default = 'Control')
low	a string indicating the color of 'low' values in the coloring gradient (default = 'green')

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a string indicating the color of 'mid' values in the coloring gradient (default = 'black')

high a string indicating the color of 'high' values in the coloring gradient (default = 'red')

#### Value

A 'ggplot2' object containing the heatmap plot. x-axis indicates the samples. y-axis indicates the enriched terms. 'Score' indicates the score of the term in a given sample. If cases are provided, the plot is divided into 2 facets, named by case\_title and control\_title.

### **Examples**

```
score_matrix <- score_terms(
  example_pathfindR_output,
  example_experiment_matrix,
  plot_hmap = FALSE
)
hmap <- plot_scores(score_matrix)</pre>
```

process\_pin

Process Data frame of Protein-protein Interactions

# Description

Process Data frame of Protein-protein Interactions

### Usage

```
process_pin(pin_df)
```

# Arguments

pin\_df data frame of protein-protein interactions with 2 columns: 'Interactor\_A' and 'Interactor B'

## Value

processed PIN data frame (removes self-interactions and duplicated interactions)

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# Description

This function returns the absolute path/to/PIN.sif. While the default PINs are 'Biogrid', 'STRING', 'GeneMania', 'IntAct', 'KEGG' and 'mmu\_STRING'. The user can also use any other PIN by specifying the 'path/to/PIN.sif'. All PINs to be used in this package must formatted as SIF files: i.e. have 3 columns with no header, no row names and be tab-separated. Columns 1 and 3 must be interactors' gene symbols, column 2 must be a column with all rows consisting of 'pp'.

### Usage

```
return_pin_path(pin_name_path = "Biogrid")
```

### **Arguments**

pin\_name\_path Name of the chosen PIN or absolute/path/to/PIN.sif. If PIN name, must be one of c('Biogrid', 'STRING', 'GeneMania', 'IntAct', 'KEGG', 'mmu\_STRING').

If path/to/PIN.sif, the file must comply with the PIN specifications. (Default = 'Biogrid')

### Value

The absolute path to chosen PIN.

#### See Also

See run\_pathfindR for the wrapper function of the pathfindR workflow

### **Examples**

```
## Not run:
pin_path <- return_pin_path('GeneMania')
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

run\_pathfindR

Wrapper Function for pathfindR - Active-Subnetwork-Oriented Enrichment Workflow

### Description

run\_pathfindR is the wrapper function for the pathfindR workflow

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### Usage

```
run_pathfindR(
  input,
  gene_sets = "KEGG",
  min_gset_size = 10,
  max_gset_size = 300,
  custom_genes = NULL,
  custom_descriptions = NULL,
  pin_name_path = "Biogrid",
  p_val_threshold = 0.05,
  enrichment_threshold = 0.05,
  convert2alias = TRUE,
  plot_enrichment_chart = TRUE,
  output_dir = NULL,
  list_active_snw_genes = FALSE,
  ...
)
```

### **Arguments**

input

the input data that pathfindR uses. The input must be a data frame with three columns:

- 1. Gene Symbol (Gene Symbol)
- 2. Change value, e.g. log(fold change) (OPTIONAL)
- 3. p value, e.g. adjusted p value associated with differential expression

gene\_sets

Name of the gene sets to be used for enrichment analysis. Available gene sets are 'KEGG', 'Reactome', 'BioCarta', 'GO-All', 'GO-BP', 'GO-CC', 'GO-MF', 'cell\_markers', 'mmu\_KEGG' or 'Custom'. If 'Custom', the arguments custom\_genes and custom\_descriptions must be specified. (Default = 'KEGG')

min\_gset\_size

minimum number of genes a term must contain (default = 10)

max\_gset\_size

maximum number of genes a term must contain (default = 300)

custom\_genes

a list containing the genes involved in each custom term. Each element is a vector of gene symbols located in the given custom term. Names should correspond to the IDs of the custom terms.

custom\_descriptions

A vector containing the descriptions for each custom term. Names of the vector should correspond to the IDs of the custom terms.

pin\_name\_path

Name of the chosen PIN or absolute/path/to/PIN.sif. If PIN name, must be one of c('Biogrid', 'STRING', 'GeneMania', 'IntAct', 'KEGG', 'mmu\_STRING'). If path/to/PIN.sif, the file must comply with the PIN specifications. (Default = 'Biogrid')

p\_val\_threshold

the p value threshold to use when filtering the input data frame. Must a numeric value between 0 and 1. (default = 0.05)

enrichment\_threshold

adjusted-p value threshold used when filtering enrichment results (default = 0.05)

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convert2alias boolean to indicate whether or not to convert gene symbols in the input that are

not found in the PIN to an alias symbol found in the PIN (default = TRUE) IMPORTANT NOTE: the conversion uses human gene symbols/alias symbols.

plot\_enrichment\_chart

boolean value. If TRUE, a bubble chart displaying the enrichment results is

plotted. (default = TRUE)

output\_dir the directory to be created where the output and intermediate files are saved

(default = NULL, a temporary directory is used)

list\_active\_snw\_genes

boolean value indicating whether or not to report the non-significant active subnetwork genes for the active subnetwork which was enriched for the given term

with the lowest p value (default = FALSE)

... additional arguments for active\_snw\_enrichment\_wrapper

#### **Details**

This function takes in a data frame consisting of Gene Symbol, log-fold-change and adjusted-p values. After input testing, any gene symbols that are not in the PIN are converted to alias symbols if the alias is in the PIN. Next, active subnetwork search is performed. Enrichment analysis is performed using the genes in each of the active subnetworks. Terms with adjusted-p values lower than enrichment\_threshold are discarded. The lowest adjusted-p value (over all subnetworks) for each term is kept. This process of active subnetwork search and enrichment is repeated for a selected number of iterations, which is done in parallel. Over all iterations, the lowest and the highest adjusted-p values, as well as number of occurrences are reported for each enriched term.

#### Value

Data frame of pathfindR enrichment results. Columns are:

**ID** ID of the enriched term

**Term\_Description** Description of the enriched term

**Fold\_Enrichment** Fold enrichment value for the enriched term (Calculated using ONLY the input genes)

occurrence the number of iterations that the given term was found to enriched over all iterations

**support** the median support (proportion of active subnetworks leading to enrichment within an iteration) over all iterations

**lowest\_p** the lowest adjusted-p value of the given term over all iterations

**highest\_p** the highest adjusted-p value of the given term over all iterations

non\_Signif\_Snw\_Genes (OPTIONAL) the non-significant active subnetwork genes, comma-separated

**Up\_regulated** the up-regulated genes (as determined by 'change value' > 0, if the 'change column' was provided) in the input involved in the given term's gene set, comma-separated. If change column not provided, all affected are listed here.

**Down\_regulated** the down-regulated genes (as determined by 'change value' < 0, if the 'change column' was provided) in the input involved in the given term's gene set, comma-separated

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The function also creates an HTML report with the pathfindR enrichment results linked to the visualizations of the enriched terms in addition to the table of converted gene symbols. This report can be found in 'output\_dir/results.html' under the current working directory.

By default, a bubble chart of top 10 enrichment results are plotted. The x-axis corresponds to fold enrichment values while the y-axis indicates the enriched terms. Sizes of the bubbles indicate the number of significant genes in the given terms. Color indicates the -log10(lowest-p) value; the more red it is, the more significant the enriched term is. See enrichment\_chart.

#### Warning

Especially depending on the protein interaction network, the algorithm and the number of iterations you choose, 'active subnetwork search + enrichment' component of run\_pathfindR may take a long time to finish.

#### See Also

input\_testing for input testing, input\_processing for input processing, active\_snw\_search for active subnetwork search and subnetwork filtering, enrichment\_analyses for enrichment analysis (using the active subnetworks), summarize\_enrichment\_results for summarizing the active-subnetwork-oriented enrichment results, annotate\_term\_genes for annotation of affected genes in the given gene sets, visualize\_terms for visualization of enriched terms, enrichment\_chart for a visual summary of the pathfindR enrichment results, foreach for details on parallel execution of looping constructs, cluster\_enriched\_terms for clustering the resulting enriched terms and partitioning into clusters.

## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
run_pathfindR(example_pathfindR_input)
## End(Not run)
```

score\_terms

Calculate Agglomerated Scores of Enriched Terms for Each Subject

# Description

Calculate Agglomerated Scores of Enriched Terms for Each Subject

```
score_terms(
  enrichment_table,
  exp_mat,
  cases = NULL,
  use_description = FALSE,
  plot_hmap = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

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#### **Arguments**

enrichment\_table

a data frame that must contain the 3 columns below:

**Term\_Description** Description of the enriched term (necessary if use\_description = TRUE)

**ID** ID of the enriched term (necessary if use\_description = FALSE)

**Up\_regulated** the up-regulated genes in the input involved in the given term's gene set, comma-separated

**Down\_regulated** the down-regulated genes in the input involved in the given term's gene set, comma-separated

exp\_mat the experiment (e.g., gene expression/methylation) matrix. Columns are sam-

ples and rows are genes. Column names must contain sample names and row

names must contain the gene symbols.

cases (Optional) A vector of sample names that are cases in the case/control experi-

ment. (default = NULL)

use\_description

Boolean argument to indicate whether term descriptions (in the 'Term\_Description'

column) should be used. (default = FALSE)

plot\_hmap Boolean value to indicate whether or not to draw the heatmap plot of the scores.

(default = TRUE)

... Additional arguments for plot\_scores for aesthetics of the heatmap plot

#### Value

Matrix of agglomerated scores of each enriched term per sample. Columns are samples, rows are enriched terms. Optionally, displays a heatmap of this matrix.

## **Conceptual Background**

For an experiment matrix (containing expression, methylation, etc. values), the rows of which are genes and the columns of which are samples, we denote:

- E as a matrix of size  $m \times n$
- G as the set of all genes in the experiment  $G = E_{i}$ ,  $i \in [1, m]$
- S as the set of all samples in the experiment  $S = E_{j}$ ,  $\in [1, n]$

We next define the gene score matrix GS (the standardized experiment matrix, also of size  $m \times n$ ) as:

$$GS_{gs} = \frac{E_{gs} - \bar{e_g}}{s_g}$$

where  $g \in G$ ,  $s \in S$ ,  $\bar{e_g}$  is the mean of all values for gene g and  $\bar{s_g}$  is the standard deviation of all values for gene g.

We next denote T to be a set of terms (where each  $t \in T$  is a set of term-related genes, i.e.,  $t = \{g_x, ..., g_y\} \subset G$ ) and finally define the agglomerated term scores matrix TS (where rows correspond to genes and columns corresponds to samples s.t. the matrix has size  $|T| \times n$ ) as:

$$TS_{ts} = \frac{1}{|t|} \sum_{g \in t} GS_{gs}$$
, where  $t \in T$  and  $s \in S$ .

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# **Examples**

```
score_matrix <- score_terms(
  example_pathfindR_output,
  example_experiment_matrix,
  plot_hmap = FALSE
)</pre>
```

single\_iter\_wrapper

Active Subnetwork Search + Enrichment Analysis Wrapper for a Single Iteration

# Description

Active Subnetwork Search + Enrichment Analysis Wrapper for a Single Iteration

```
single_iter_wrapper(
  i = NULL,
  dirs,
  input_processed,
  pin_path,
  score_quan_thr,
  sig_gene_thr,
  search_method,
  silent_option,
  use_all_positives,
  geneInitProbs,
  saTemp0,
  saTemp1,
  saIter,
  gaPop,
  gaIter,
  gaThread,
  gaCrossover,
  gaMut,
  grMaxDepth,
  grSearchDepth,
  grOverlap,
  grSubNum,
  gset_list,
  adj_method,
  enrichment_threshold,
  list_active_snw_genes
)
```

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#### **Arguments**

i current iteration index (default = NULL)
dirs vector of directories for parallel runs

input\_processed

processed input data frame

pin\_path path/to/PIN/file

score\_quan\_thr active subnetwork score quantile threshold. Must be between 0 and 1 or set to

-1 for not filtering. (Default = 0.8)

sig\_gene\_thr threshold for the minimum proportion of significant genes in the subnetwork

(Default = 0.02) If the number of genes to use as threshold is calculated to be <

2 (e.g. 50 signif. genes x 0.01 = 0.5), the threshold number is set to 2

search\_method algorithm to use when performing active subnetwork search. Options are greedy

search (GR), simulated annealing (SA) or genetic algorithm (GA) for the search

(default = 'GR').

silent\_option boolean value indicating whether to print the messages to the console (FALSE)

or not (TRUE, this will print to a temp. file) during active subnetwork search (default = TRUE). This option was added because during parallel runs, the con-

sole messages get disorderly printed.

use\_all\_positives

if TRUE: in GA, adds an individual with all positive nodes. In SA, initializes

candidate solution with all positive nodes. (default = FALSE)

geneInitProbs For SA and GA, probability of adding a gene in initial solution (default = 0.1)

saTemp0 Initial temperature for SA (default = 1.0)
saTemp1 Final temperature for SA (default = 0.01)
saIter Iteration number for SA (default = 10000)
gaPop Population size for GA (default = 400)
gaIter Iteration number for GA (default = 200)

gaThread Number of threads to be used in GA (default = 5)

gaCrossover Applies crossover with the given probability in GA (default = 1, i.e. always

perform crossover)

gaMut For GA, applies mutation with given mutation rate (default = 0, i.e. mutation

off)

grMaxDepth Sets max depth in greedy search, 0 for no limit (default = 1)

grSearchDepth Search depth in greedy search (default = 1)

groverlap Overlap threshold for results of greedy search (default = 0.5)

grSubNum Number of subnetworks to be presented in the results (default = 1000)

gset\_list list for gene sets

adj\_method correction method to be used for adjusting p-values. (default = 'bonferroni')

enrichment\_threshold

adjusted-p value threshold used when filtering enrichment results (default =

0.05)

list\_active\_snw\_genes

boolean value indicating whether or not to report the non-significant active subnetwork genes for the active subnetwork which was enriched for the given term with the lowest p value (default = FALSE)

## Value

Data frame of enrichment results using active subnetwork search results

summarize\_enrichment\_results

Summarize Enrichment Results

## Description

Summarize Enrichment Results

#### Usage

summarize\_enrichment\_results(enrichment\_res, list\_active\_snw\_genes = FALSE)

#### Arguments

enrichment\_res a dataframe of combined enrichment results. Columns are:

**ID** ID of the enriched term

Term\_Description Description of the enriched term

Fold\_Enrichment Fold enrichment value for the enriched term

**p\_value** p value of enrichment

adj\_p adjusted p value of enrichment

**non\_Signif\_Snw\_Genes (OPTIONAL)** the non-significant active subnetwork genes, comma-separated

list\_active\_snw\_genes

boolean value indicating whether or not to report the non-significant active subnetwork genes for the active subnetwork which was enriched for the given term with the lowest p value (default = FALSE)

#### Value

a dataframe of summarized enrichment results (over multiple iterations). Columns are:

**ID** ID of the enriched term

Term\_Description Description of the enriched term

Fold\_Enrichment Fold enrichment value for the enriched term

**occurrence** the number of iterations that the given term was found to enriched over all iterations **support** the median support (proportion of active subnetworks leading to enrichment within an

iteration) over all iterations

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**lowest\_p** the lowest adjusted-p value of the given term over all iterations

highest\_p the highest adjusted-p value of the given term over all iterations

non\_Signif\_Snw\_Genes (OPTIONAL) the non-significant active subnetwork genes, comma-separated

# **Examples**

```
## Not run:
summarize_enrichment_results(enrichment_res)
## End(Not run)
```

term\_gene\_graph

Create Term-Gene Graph

# Description

Create Term-Gene Graph

# Usage

```
term_gene_graph(
  result_df,
  num_terms = 10,
  layout = "stress",
  use_description = FALSE,
  node_size = "num_genes",
  node_colors = c("#E5D7BF", "green", "red")
)
```

#### **Arguments**

result\_df

A dataframe of pathfindR results that must contain the following columns:

**Term\_Description** Description of the enriched term (necessary if use\_description = TRUE)

**ID** ID of the enriched term (necessary if use\_description = FALSE)

**lowest\_p** the lowest adjusted-p value of the given term over all iterations

**Up\_regulated** the up-regulated genes in the input involved in the given term's gene set, comma-separated

**Down\_regulated** the down-regulated genes in the input involved in the given term's gene set, comma-separated

num\_terms

Number of top enriched terms to use while creating the graph. Set to NULL to use all enriched terms (default = 10, i.e. top 10 terms)

layout

The type of layout to create (see ggraph for details. Default = 'stress')

use\_description

Boolean argument to indicate whether term descriptions (in the 'Term\_Description' column) should be used. (default = FALSE)

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node_size	Argument to indicate whether to use number of significant genes ('num_genes') or the -log10(lowest p value) ('p_val') for adjusting the node sizes (default = 'num_genes')
node_colors	vector of 3 colors to be used for coloring nodes (colors for term nodes, up, and down, respectively)

#### **Details**

This function (adapted from the Gene-Concept network visualization by the R package enrichplot) can be utilized to visualize which input genes are involved in the enriched terms as a graph. The term-gene graph shows the links between genes and biological terms and allows for the investigation of multiple terms to which significant genes are related. The graph also enables determination of the overlap between the enriched terms by identifying shared and distinct significant term-related genes.

#### Value

a ggraph object containing the term-gene graph. Each node corresponds to an enriched term (beige), an up-regulated gene (green) or a down-regulated gene (red). An edge between a term and a gene indicates that the given term involves the gene. Size of a term node is proportional to either the number of genes (if node\_size = 'num\_genes') or the -log10(lowest p value) (if node\_size = 'p\_val').

# **Examples**

```
p <- term_gene_graph(example_pathfindR_output)
p <- term_gene_graph(example_pathfindR_output, num_terms = 5)
p <- term_gene_graph(example_pathfindR_output, node_size = 'p_val')</pre>
```

term\_gene\_heatmap

Create Terms by Genes Heatmap

# **Description**

Create Terms by Genes Heatmap

```
term_gene_heatmap(
  result_df,
  genes_df,
  num_terms = 10,
  use_description = FALSE,
  low = "red",
  mid = "black",
  high = "green",
  legend_title = "change",
```

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```
sort_terms_by_p = FALSE,
)
```

## **Arguments**

result\_df

A dataframe of pathfindR results that must contain the following columns:

**Term Description** Description of the enriched term (necessary if use\_description = TRUE)

**ID** ID of the enriched term (necessary if use\_description = FALSE)

**lowest\_p** the highest adjusted-p value of the given term over all iterations

**Up regulated** the up-regulated genes in the input involved in the given term's gene set, comma-separated

**Down regulated** the down-regulated genes in the input involved in the given term's gene set, comma-separated

genes\_df

the input data that was used with run\_pathfindR. It must be a data frame with 3 columns:

- 1. Gene Symbol (Gene Symbol)
- 2. Change value, e.g. log(fold change) (optional)
- 3. p value, e.g. adjusted p value associated with differential expression

The change values in this data frame are used to color the affected genes

num\_terms

Number of top enriched terms to use while creating the plot. Set to NULL to use all enriched terms (default = 10)

use\_description

Boolean argument to indicate whether term descriptions (in the 'Term\_Description'

column) should be used. (default = FALSE)

a string indicating the color of 'low' values in the coloring gradient (default = low

'green')

mid a string indicating the color of 'mid' values in the coloring gradient (default =

high a string indicating the color of 'high' values in the coloring gradient (default =

'red')

legend\_title legend title (default = 'change')

sort\_terms\_by\_p

boolean to indicate whether to sort terms by 'lowest\_p' (TRUE) or by number of

genes (FALSE) (default = FALSE)

additional arguments for input\_processing (used if genes\_df is provided)

#### Value

a ggplot2 object of a heatmap where rows are enriched terms and columns are involved input genes. If genes\_df is provided, colors of the tiles indicate the change values.

## **Examples**

```
term_gene_heatmap(example_pathfindR_output, num_terms = 3)
```

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UpSet\_plot

Create UpSet Plot of Enriched Terms

#### **Description**

Create UpSet Plot of Enriched Terms

# Usage

```
UpSet_plot(
  result_df,
  genes_df,
  num_terms = 10,
  method = "heatmap",
  use_description = FALSE,
  low = "red",
  mid = "black",
  high = "green",
  ...
)
```

#### **Arguments**

result\_df

A dataframe of pathfindR results that must contain the following columns:

**Term\_Description** Description of the enriched term (necessary if use\_description = TRUE)

**ID** ID of the enriched term (necessary if use\_description = FALSE)

**lowest\_p** the highest adjusted-p value of the given term over all iterations

**Up\_regulated** the up-regulated genes in the input involved in the given term's gene set, comma-separated

**Down\_regulated** the down-regulated genes in the input involved in the given term's gene set, comma-separated

genes\_df

the input data that was used with run\_pathfindR. It must be a data frame with 3 columns:

- 1. Gene Symbol (Gene Symbol)
- 2. Change value, e.g. log(fold change) (optional)
- 3. p value, e.g. adjusted p value associated with differential expression

The change values in this data frame are used to color the affected genes

num\_terms

Number of top enriched terms to use while creating the plot. Set to NULL to use all enriched terms (default = 10)

method

the option for producing the plot. Options include 'heatmap', 'boxplot' and 'barplot'. (default = 'heatmap')

use\_description

Boolean argument to indicate whether term descriptions (in the 'Term\_Description' column) should be used. (default = FALSE)

low	a string indicating the color of 'low' values in the coloring gradient (default = 'green')
mid	a string indicating the color of 'mid' values in the coloring gradient (default = 'black')
high	a string indicating the color of 'high' values in the coloring gradient (default = 'red')
	additional arguments for input_processing (used if genes_df is provided)

## Value

UpSet plots are plots of the intersections of sets as a matrix. This function creates a ggplot object of an UpSet plot where the x-axis is the UpSet plot of intersections of enriched terms. By default (i.e. method = 'heatmap') the main plot is a heatmap of genes at the corresponding intersections, colored by up/down regulation (if genes\_df is provided, colored by change values). If method = 'barplot', the main plot is bar plots of the number of genes at the corresponding intersections. Finally, if method = 'boxplot' and if genes\_df is provided, then the main plot displays the boxplots of change values of the genes at the corresponding intersections.

# **Examples**

```
UpSet_plot(example_pathfindR_output)
```

```
visualize_active_subnetworks
```

Visualize Active Subnetworks

# Description

Visualize Active Subnetworks

```
visualize_active_subnetworks(
  active_snw_path,
  genes_df,
  pin_name_path = "Biogrid",
  num_snws,
  layout = "stress",
  score_quan_thr = 0.8,
  sig_gene_thr = 0.02,
  ...
)
```

## **Arguments**

```
active_snw_path
                  path to the output of an Active Subnetwork Search
                  the input data that was used with run_pathfindR. It must be a data frame with
genes_df
                  3 columns:
                    1. Gene Symbol (Gene Symbol)
                    2. Change value, e.g. log(fold change) (optional)
                    3. p value, e.g. adjusted p value associated with differential expression
                  The change values in this data frame are used to color the affected genes
                  Name of the chosen PIN or absolute/path/to/PIN.sif. If PIN name, must be one
pin_name_path
                  of c('Biogrid', 'STRING', 'GeneMania', 'IntAct', 'KEGG', 'mmu_STRING').
                  If path/to/PIN.sif, the file must comply with the PIN specifications. (Default =
                   'Biogrid')
                  number of top subnetworks to be visualized (leave blank if you want to visualize
num_snws
                  all subnetworks)
layout
                  The type of layout to create (see ggraph for details. Default = 'stress')
                  active subnetwork score quantile threshold. Must be between 0 and 1 or set to
score_quan_thr
                  -1 for not filtering. (Default = 0.8)
sig_gene_thr
                  threshold for the minimum proportion of significant genes in the subnetwork
                  (Default = 0.02) If the number of genes to use as threshold is calculated to be <
                  2 (e.g. 50 signif. genes x 0.01 = 0.5), the threshold number is set to 2
                  additional arguments for input_processing
```

## Value

a list of ggplot objects of graph visualizations of identified active subnetworks. Green nodes are down-regulated genes, reds are up-regulated genes and yellows are non-input genes

## **Examples**

```
path2snw_list <- system.file(
  'extdata/resultActiveSubnetworkSearch.txt',
  package = 'pathfindR'
)
# visualize top 2 active subnetworks
g_list <- visualize_active_subnetworks(
  active_snw_path = path2snw_list,
  genes_df = example_pathfindR_input[1:10, ],
  pin_name_path = 'KEGG',
  num_snws = 2
)</pre>
```

```
visualize_KEGG_diagram
```

Visualize Human KEGG Pathways

# Description

Visualize Human KEGG Pathways

## Usage

```
visualize_KEGG_diagram(
  kegg_pw_ids,
  input_processed,
  scale_vals = TRUE,
  node_cols = NULL,
  legend.position = "top"
)
```

## **Arguments**

```
kegg_pw_ids KEGG ids of pathways to be colored and visualized

input_processed

input data processed via input_processing

scale_vals should change values be scaled? (default = TRUE)

node_cols low, middle and high color values for coloring the pathway nodes (default = NULL). If node_cols=NULL, the low, middle and high color are set as 'green', 'gray' and 'red'. If all change values are 1e6 (in case no changes are supplied, this dummy value is assigned by input_processing), only one color ('#F38F18' if NULL) is used.

legend.position

the default position of legends ("none", "left", "right", "bottom", "top", "inside")
```

# Value

Creates colored visualizations of the enriched human KEGG pathways and returns them as a list of ggplot objects, named by Term ID.

#### See Also

See visualize\_terms for the wrapper function for creating enriched term diagrams. See run\_pathfindR for the wrapper function of the pathfindR enrichment workflow.

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## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
input_processed <- data.frame(</pre>
  GENE = c("PKLR", "GPI", "CREB1", "INS"),
  CHANGE = c(1.5, -2, 3, 5)
gg_list <- visualize_KEGG_diagram(c("hsa00010", "hsa04911"), input_processed)</pre>
## End(Not run)
```

visualize\_terms

Create Diagrams for Enriched Terms

## **Description**

Create Diagrams for Enriched Terms

## Usage

```
visualize_terms(
  result_df,
  input_processed = NULL,
  is_KEGG_result = TRUE,
 pin_name_path = "Biogrid",
)
```

# **Arguments**

result\_df

Data frame of enrichment results. Must-have columns for KEGG human pathway diagrams (is\_KEGG\_result = TRUE) are: 'ID' and 'Term\_Description'. Musthave columns for the rest are: 'Term\_Description', 'Up\_regulated' and 'Down\_regulated'

input\_processed

input data processed via input\_processing, not necessary when is\_KEGG\_result = FALSE

is\_KEGG\_result boolean to indicate whether KEGG gene sets were used for enrichment analysis

or not (default = TRUE)

Name of the chosen PIN or absolute/path/to/PIN.sif. If PIN name, must be one pin\_name\_path

of c('Biogrid', 'STRING', 'GeneMania', 'IntAct', 'KEGG', 'mmu\_STRING'). If path/to/PIN.sif, the file must comply with the PIN specifications. (Default =

'Biogrid')

additional arguments for visualize\_KEGG\_diagram (used when is\_KEGG\_result = TRUE) or visualize\_term\_interactions (used when is\_KEGG\_result = FALSE)

#### **Details**

For is\_KEGG\_result = TRUE, KEGG pathway diagrams are created, affected nodes colored by up/down regulation status. For other gene sets, interactions of affected genes are determined (via a shortest-path algorithm) and are visualized (colored by change status) using igraph.

#### Value

Depending on the argument is\_KEGG\_result, creates visualization of interactions of genes involved in the list of enriched terms in result\_df. Returns a list of ggplot objects named by Term ID.

#### See Also

See visualize\_KEGG\_diagram for the visualization function of KEGG diagrams. See visualize\_term\_interactions for the visualization function that generates diagrams showing the interactions of input genes in the PIN. See run\_pathfindR for the wrapper function of the pathfindR workflow.

## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
input_processed <- data.frame(
    GENE = c("PARP1", "NDUFA1", "STX6", "SNAP23"),
    CHANGE = c(1.5, -2, 3, 5)
)
result_df <- example_pathfindR_output[1:2, ]

gg_list <- visualize_terms(result_df, input_processed)
gg_list2 <- visualize_terms(result_df, is_KEGG_result = FALSE, pin_name_path = 'IntAct')
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

visualize\_term\_interactions

Visualize Interactions of Genes Involved in the Given Enriched Terms

# Description

Visualize Interactions of Genes Involved in the Given Enriched Terms

```
visualize_term_interactions(result_df, pin_name_path, show_legend = TRUE)
```

## **Arguments**

result_df	Data frame of enrichment results. Must-have columns are: 'Term_Description', 'Up_regulated' and 'Down_regulated'
pin_name_path	Name of the chosen PIN or absolute/path/to/PIN.sif. If PIN name, must be one of c('Biogrid', 'STRING', 'GeneMania', 'IntAct', 'KEGG', 'mmu_STRING'). If path/to/PIN.sif, the file must comply with the PIN specifications. (Default = 'Biogrid')
show_legend	Boolean to indicate whether to display the legend (TRUE) or not (FALSE) (default: TRUE)

# **Details**

The following steps are performed for the visualization of interactions of genes involved for each enriched term:

- 1. shortest paths between all affected genes are determined (via igraph)
- 2. the nodes of all shortest paths are merged
- 3. the PIN is subsetted using the merged nodes (genes)
- 4. using the PIN subset, the graph showing the interactions is generated
- 5. the final graph is visualized using igraph, colored by changed status (if provided)

#### Value

list of ggplot objects (named by Term ID) visualizing the interactions of genes involved in the given enriched terms (annotated in the result\_df) in the PIN used for enrichment analysis (specified by pin\_name\_path).

## See Also

See visualize\_terms for the wrapper function for creating enriched term diagrams. See run\_pathfindR for the wrapper function of the pathfindR enrichment workflow.

# **Examples**

```
## Not run:
result_df <- example_pathfindR_output[1:2, ]
gg_list <- visualize_term_interactions(result_df, pin_name_path = 'IntAct')
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

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