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Description Metabolomics data are inevitably subject to a component of unwanted variation, due to factors such as batch effects, matrix effects, and confounding biological variation. This package contains a collection of R functions which can be used to remove unwanted variation and obtain normalized metabolomics data.

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MetNorm-package	<i>MetNorm</i>
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Description

Statistical methods for normalizing metabolomics data

Details

Metabolomics data are inevitably subject to a component of unwanted variation, due to factors such as batch effects, matrix effects, and confounding biological variation. This package contains a collection of R functions which may be used to obtain normalized metabolomics data.

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References

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NormalizeRUVRand	<i>RUV-random normalized data</i>
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Description

Given suitable controls, this function may be used to obtain a normalized metabolomics data matrix for downstream statistical analysis

Usage

```
NormalizeRUVRand(Y,ctl,k=NULL,lambda=NULL,plotk=TRUE)
```

Arguments

Y	A metabolomics data matrix with samples in rows and metabolites in columns
ctl	A logical vector indicating which metabolites should be used as negative controls
k	The number of factors of unwanted variation
plotk	A logical indicating whether a bargraph for the proportion of variance explained by the factors of unwanted variation needs to be plotted
lambda	The regularization parameter which depends on k. If not entered, it will be estimated. See DeLivera et al, 2014 for details.

Value

The result is an object of class `normdata`.

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Examples

```
data(UV)
Y<-data.matrix(UV[, -c(1:3)])

##Empirical controls
IS<-Y[, which(colnames(Y)=="IS")]
r<-numeric(dim(Y)[2])
for(j in 1:length(r)){
  r[j]<-cor(IS, Y[, j])
}
ctl<-logical(length(r))
ctl[which(r>round(quantile(r, 0.7), 2))]<-TRUE

## Not run:
ruv<-NormalizeRUVRand(Y=Y, ctl=ctl, k=3)
ruvclust<-NormalizeRUVRandClust(RUVRand=ruv,
                               maxIter=200,
                               nUpdate=100,
                               lambdaUpdate=TRUE,
                               p=2)
ruvclustY<-ruvclust$newY
pairs(princomp(ruvclustY, cor=TRUE)$scores[, c(1:3)],
      pch=as.numeric(UV[, 2]), col=UV[, 3],
      main="RUV random for clustering")

## End(Not run)
```

NormalizeRUVRandClust *RUV-random method for clustering*

Description

Given suitable controls and user input, this function may be used to obtain a normalized metabolomics data matrix suitable for clustering

Usage

```
NormalizeRUVRandClust(RUVRand,
                      maxIter,
                      nUpdate=maxIter+1,
                      lambdaUpdate=TRUE,
                      p=p, ...)
```

Arguments

RUVRand	Output from NormalizeRUVRand
maxIter	Maximum number of iterations
nUpdate	Update the unwanted variation component every nUpdate iterations
lambdaUpdate	A logical indicating whether the regularization parameter needs to be updated
p	The number of clusters to be used in the k-means clustering
...	Other arguments for kmeans

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Examples

```
data(UV)
Y<-data.matrix(UV[, -c(1:3)])

##Empirical controls
IS<-Y[,which(colnames(Y)=="IS")]
r<-numeric(dim(Y)[2])
for(j in 1:length(r)){
  r[j]<-cor(IS,Y[,j])
}
ctl<-logical(length(r))
ctl[which(r>round(quantile(r,0.7),2))]<-TRUE

## Not run:
ruv<-NormalizeRUVRand(Y=Y,ctl=ctl,k=3)
ruvclust<-NormalizeRUVRandClust(RUVRand=ruv,
                               maxIter=200,
                               nUpdate=100,
                               lambdaUpdate=TRUE,
                               p=2)
ruvclustY<-ruvclust$newY
pairs(princomp(ruvclustY,cor=TRUE)$scores[,c(1:3)],
      pch=as.numeric(UV[,2]), col=UV[,3],
      main="RUV random for clustering")

## End(Not run)
```

normdata-class	<i>Normalized data -class</i>
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Description

A list containing the following components:

Slots/Components

unadjY The unadjusted data matrix

newY The normalized data matrix).

UVcomp The removed unwanted variation component

ctl A logical vector indicating the controls used in the model

k The number of factors of unwanted variation

lambda The regularization parameter

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UV	<i>Example data</i>
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Description

A metabolomics dataset with samples run on different machines and settings

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