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Description Data analysis of proteomics experiments by mass spectrometry is supported by this collection of functions mostly dedicated to the analysis of (bottom-up) quantitative (XIC) data. Fasta-formatted proteomes (eg from UniProt Consortium <doi:10.1093/nar/gky1049>) can be read with automatic parsing and multiple annotation types (like species origin, abbreviated gene names, etc) extracted. Quantitative proteomics (Schubert et al 2017 <doi:10.1038/nprot.2017.040>) measurements frequently contain multiple NA values, due to physical absence of given peptides in some samples, limitations in sensitivity or other reasons. The functions provided here help to inspect graphically the data to investigate the nature of NA-values via their respective replicate measurements and to help/confirm the choice of NA-replacement by low random values. Dedicated filtering and statistical testing using the framework of package 'limma' <doi:10.18129/B9.bioc.limma> can be run, enhanced by multiple rounds of NA-replacements to provide robustness towards rare stochastic events. Multi-species samples, as frequently used in benchmark-tests (eg Navarro et al 2016 <doi:10.1038/nbt.3685>, Ramus et al 2016 <doi:10.1016/j.jprot.2015.11.011>), can be run with special options separating the data into sub-groups during normalization and testing. Subsequently, ROC curves (Hand and Till 2001 <doi:10.1023/A:1010920819831>) can be constructed to compare multiple analysis approaches.

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AAmass	<i>Molecular mass for amino-acids</i>
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Description

Calculate molecular mass based on atomic composition

Usage

```
AAmass(massTy = "mono", inPept = TRUE, inclSpecAA = FALSE)
```

Arguments

massTy	(character) 'mono' or 'average'
inPept	(logical) remove H2O corresponding to water loss at peptide bond formaton
inclSpecAA	(logical) include ornithine O & selenocysteine U

Value

vector with masses for all amino-acids (argument 'massTy' to switch from mono-isotopic to average mass)

See Also

[massDeFormula](#), [convToNum](#)

Examples

```
massDeFormula(c("12H12O", "H0", " 2H 1 Se, 6C 2N", "HSeCN", " ", "e"))
AAmass()
```

```
combineMultFilterNAimput
```

Combine multiple filters on NA-imputed data

Description

In most omics data-analysis one needs to employ a certain number of filtering strategies to avoid getting artifacts to the step of statistical testing. `combineMultFilterNAimput` takes on one side the original data and on the other side NA-imputed data to create several different filters and to finally combine them. A filter aiming to take away the least abundant values (using the imputed data) is fine-tuned by the argument `abundThr`. This step compares the means for each group and line, at least one group-mean has to be > the threshold (based on hypothesis that if all conditions represent extremely low measures their differential may not be determined with certainty). In contrast, the filter addressing the number of missing values (NA) uses the original data, the arguments `colTotNa`, `minSpeNo` and `minTotNo` are used at this step. Basically, this step allows defining a minimum content of 'real' (ie non-NA) values for further considering the measurements as reliable. This part uses internally [presenceFilt](#) for filtering elevated content of NA per line. Finally, this function combines both filters (as matrix of FALSE and TRUE) on NA-imputed and original data and returns a vector of logical values if corresponding lines pass all filter criteria.

Usage

```
combineMultFilterNAimput(
  dat,
  imputed,
  grp,
  annDat = NULL,
  abundThr = NULL,
  colRazNa = NULL,
  colTotNa = NULL,
  minSpeNo = 1,
  minTotNo = 2,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

Arguments

<code>dat</code>	(matrix or data.frame) main data (may contain NA)
<code>imputed</code>	(character) same as 'dat' but with all NA imputed
<code>grp</code>	(character or factor) define groups of replicates (in columns of 'dat')
<code>annDat</code>	(matrix or data.frame) annotation data (should match lines of 'dat')
<code>abundThr</code>	(numeric) optional threshold filter for minimum abundance
<code>colRazNa</code>	(character) if razor peptides are used: column name for razor peptide count
<code>colTotNa</code>	(character) column name for total peptide count
<code>minSpeNo</code>	(integer) minimum number of specific peptides for maintaining proteins
<code>minTotNo</code>	(integer) minimum total ie max razor number of peptides
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allows easier tracking of message(s) produced

Value

vector of logical values if corresponding line passes filter criteria

See Also

[presenceFilt](#)

Examples

```
set.seed(2013)
datT6 <- matrix(round(rnorm(300)+3,1),ncol=6,dimnames=list(paste("li",1:50,sep=""),letters[19:24]))
datT6 <- datT6 +matrix(rep(1:nrow(datT6),ncol(datT6)),ncol=ncol(datT6))
datT6[6:7,c(1,3,6)] <- NA
datT6[which(datT6 < 11 & datT6 > 10.5)] <- NA
datT6[which(datT6 < 6 & datT6 > 5)] <- NA
datT6[which(datT6 < 4.6 & datT6 > 4)] <- NA
datT6b <- matrixNANeighbourImpute(datT6,gr=gl(2,3))
datT6c <- combineMultFilterNAimput(datT6,datT6b,grp=gl(2,3),abundThr=2)
```

convAASeq2mass

Molecular mass for amino-acids

Description

This function calculates the molecular mass of one-letter code amino-acid sequences.

Usage

```
convAASeq2mass(
  x,
  massTy = "mono",
  seqName = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

Arguments

x	(character) aminoacid sequence (single upper case letters for describing a peptide/protein)
massTy	(character) default 'mono' for mono-isotopic masses (alternative 'average')
seqName	(logical) optional (alternative) names for the content of 'x' (ie aa seq) as name (always if 'x' has no names)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

Value

vector with masses for all amino-acids (argument 'massTy' to switch from mono-isotopic to average mass)

See Also

[massDeFormula](#), [AAmass](#), [convToNum](#)

Examples

```
convAASeq2mass(c("PEPTIDE", "fPROTEINES"))
pep1 <- c(aa="AAAA", de="DEFDEF")
convAASeq2mass(pep1, seqN=FALSE)
```

countNoOfCommonPeptides

Compare in-silico digested proteomes for unique and shared peptides, counts per protein or as peptides Compare in-silico digested proteomes for unique and shared peptides, counts per protein or as peptides. The in-silico digestion may be performed separately using the package [Rhrefhttps://bioconductor.org/packages/release/bioc/html/cleaver.html](https://bioconductor.org/packages/release/bioc/html/cleaver.html)cleaver. Note: input must be list (or multiple names lists) of proteins with their respective peptides (eg by in-silico digestion).

Description

Compare in-silico digested proteomes for unique and shared peptides, counts per protein or as peptides

Compare in-silico digested proteomes for unique and shared peptides, counts per protein or as peptides. The in-silico digestion may be performed separately using the package [cleaver](#). Note: input must be list (or multiple names lists) of proteins with their respective peptides (eg by in-silico digestion).

Usage

```
countNoOfCommonPeptides(
  ...,
  prefix = c("Hs", "Sc", "Ec"),
  sep = "_",
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

Arguments

...	(list) multiple lists of (in-silico) digested proteins (typically protein ID as names) with their respective peptides (AA sequence), one entry for each species
prefix	(character) optional (species-) prefix for entries in '...', will be only considered if '...' has no names
sep	(character) concatenation symbol
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of message(s) produced

Value

list with \$byPep as list of logical matrixes for each peptide (as line) and unique/shared/etc for each species; \$byProt as list of matrixes with count data per protein (as line) for each species; \$tab with simple summary-type count data

See Also

[readFasta2](#) and/or [cleave](#)-methods in package [cleaver](#)

Examples

```
## The example mimics a proteomics experiment where extracts from E coli and
## Saccharomyces cerevisiae were mixed, thus not all peptides may occur unique.
(mi2 = countNoOfCommonPeptides(Ec=list(E1=letters[1:4],E2=letters[c(3:7)],
  E3=letters[c(4,8,13)],E4=letters[9]),Sc=list(S1=letters[c(2:3,6)],
  S2=letters[10:13],S3=letters[c(5,6,11)],S4=letters[c(11)],S5="n"))))
## a .. uni E, b .. inteR, c .. inteR(+intra E), d .. intra E (no4), e .. inteR,
## f .. inteR +intra E (no6), g .. uni E, h .. uni E (no8), i .. uni E,
## j .. uni S (no10), k .. intra S (no11), l .. uni S (no12), m .. inteR (no13)
```

```
lapply(mi2$byProt, head)
mi2$tab
```

extrSpeciesAnnot	<i>Extract species annotation</i>
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Description

extrSpeciesAnnot identifies species-related annotation (as suffix to identifiers) for data containing multiple species and returns alternative (short) names. This function also suppresses extra heading or trailing space or punctuation characters. In case multiple tags are found, the last tag is reported and a message of alert may be displayed.

Usage

```
extrSpeciesAnnot(
  annot,
  spec = c("_CONT", "_HUMAN", "_YEAST", "_ECOLI"),
  shortNa = c("cont", "H", "S", "E"),
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

Arguments

annot	(character) vector with initial annotation
spec	(character) the tags to be identified
shortNa	(character) the final abbreviation used, order and length must fit to argument annot
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

Value

character vector with single (last of multiple) term if found in argument annot

See Also

[grep](#)

Examples

```
spec <- c("keratin_CONT", "AB_HUMAN", "CD_YEAST", "EF_G_HUMAN", "HI_HUMAN_ECOLI", "_YEAST_012")
extrSpeciesAnnot(spec)
```

massDeFormula	<i>molecular mass from chemical formula</i>
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Description

Calculate molecular mass based on atomic composition

Usage

```
massDeFormula(  
  comp,  
  massTy = "mono",  
  rmEmpty = FALSE,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

Arguments

comp	(character) atomic composition
massTy	(character) 'mono' or 'average'
rmEmpty	(logical) suppress empty entries
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

Value

numeric vector with mass

See Also

[convToNum](#)

Examples

```
massDeFormula(c("12H12O", "HO", " 2H 1 Se, 6C 2N", "HSeCN", " ", "e"))
```


matrixNAinspect

*Histogram of content of NAs in matrix***Description**

matrixNAinspect makes histograms of the full data and shows sub-population of NA-neighbour values. The aim of this function is to investigate the nature of NA values in matrix (of experimental measures) where replicate measurements are available. If a given element was measured twice, and one of these measurements revealed a NA while the other one gave a (finite) numeric value, the non-NA-value is considered a NA-neighbour. The subpopulation of these NA-neighbour values will then be highlighted in the resulting histogram. In a number of experimental settings some actual measurements may not meet an arbitrary defined baseline (as 'zero') or may be too low to be distinguishable from noise that associated measures were initially recorded as NA. In several types of measurements in proteomics and transcriptomics this may happen. So this function allows to collect all NA-neighbour values and compare them to the global distribution of the data to investigate if NA-neighbours are typically very low values. In case of data with multiple replicates NA-neighbour values may be distinguished for the case of 2 NA per group/replicate-set. The resulting plots are typically used to decide if and how NA values may get replaced by imputed random values or whether measures containing NA-values should rather be omitted. Of course, such decisions do have a strong impact on further steps of data-analysis and should be performed with care.

Usage

```
matrixNAinspect(
  dat,
  gr,
  retnNA = TRUE,
  xLab = NULL,
  tit = NULL,
  xLim = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

Arguments

dat	(matrix or data.frame) main numeric data
gr	(character or factor) grouping of columns of dat indicating who is a replicate of whom (ie the length of 'gr' must be equivalent to the number of columns in 'dat')
retnNA	(logical) report number of NAs in graphic
xLab	(character) custom x-label
tit	(character) custom title
xLim	(numerical,length=2) custom x-axis limits
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

Value

graphic only

See Also

[hist](#), [na.fail](#), [naOmit](#)

Examples

```
set.seed(2013)
datT6 <- matrix(round(rnorm(300)+3,1),ncol=6,dimnames=list(paste("li",1:50,sep=""),letters[19:24]))
datT6 <- datT6 +matrix(rep(1:nrow(datT6),ncol(datT6)),ncol=ncol(datT6))
datT6[6:7,c(1,3,6)] <- NA
datT6[which(datT6 < 11 & datT6 > 10.5)] <- NA
datT6[which(datT6 < 6 & datT6 > 5)] <- NA
datT6[which(datT6 < 4.6 & datT6 > 4)] <- NA
matrixNAinspect(datT6,gr=gl(2,3))
```

matrixNAneighbourImpute

Impute random values to NAs in matrix based on replicates (neighbour) values

Description

It is assumed that NA-values appear the data when quantitation values are very low, as this appears eg in proteomics. Thus the remaining lowest values may be used to guide imputation. Here, groups of replicate samples (grouping defined via `gr` of columns of `dat`) are inspected for each line to gather NA-neighbour values. Eg, if a given line contains for a set of 4 replicates 2 NA-values, the remaining 2 non-NA-values will be considered as NA-neighbours. Then, this function replaces NA-values based the sub-population of all NA-neighbours (across all groups of replicates and all lines), assuming a Gaussian distribution. Indeed, in a number of experimental settings some actual measurements may not meet an arbitrary defined baseline (as 'zero') or may be too low to be distinguishable from noise that associated measures were initially recorded as NA. In several types of (quantitative) measurements in proteomics and transcriptomics this is known to happen. So this function allows to model and subsequently replace all NA-values by Gaussian random values based on the characteristics of NA-neighbours in the same data-set. However, defining these characteristics (via the arguments `avSdH` and `avSdL`) may be very delicate and visual verification of the plots produced is highly encouraged ! If more than 300 NA-neighbours were detected, the imputation will be based on a more restricted sub-set of data with >1 NA values (ie via the argument `avSdH`). Optionally a histogram may be plotted showing the initial, imputed and final distribution to check if the global hypothesis that NA-values arose from very low measurements and to appreciate the impact of the imputed values to the overall final distribution. Of course, all decisions to replace values do have a strong impact on further steps of data-analysis and should be performed with care. Please note, that no distinction is made if values seem totally absent (all values of given line and group) as NA or partially absent (mixture of NA and real quantitations). Thus, truly absent groups may be over-estimated.

Usage

```
matrixNNeighbourImpute(
  dat,
  gr,
  retnNA = TRUE,
  avSdH = c(0.18, 0.5),
  avSdL = c(0.1, 0.5),
  plotHist = TRUE,
  xLab = NULL,
  tit = NULL,
  addImputDetail = TRUE,
  seedNo = 2018,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

Arguments

<code>dat</code>	(matrix or data.frame) main data (may contain NA)
<code>gr</code>	(character or factor) grouping of columns of 'dat', replicate association
<code>retnNA</code>	(logical) decide if NA values should be removed or retained
<code>avSdH</code>	(numerical,length=2) population characteristics 'high' (mean and sd) for >1 NA-neighbours (per line)
<code>avSdL</code>	(numerical,length=2) population characteristics 'low' (mean and sd) for >0 NA-neighbours
<code>plotHist</code>	(logical) decide if supplemental figure with histogram should be drawn
<code>xLab</code>	(character) label on x-axis on plot
<code>tit</code>	(character) title on plot
<code>addImputDetail</code>	(logical) display details about data (number of NAs) and imputation in graph (min number of NA-neighbours per protein and group, quantile to model, mean and sd of imputed)
<code>seedNo</code>	(integer) seed-value for normal random values
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

Value

list with `$data` .. matrix of data where NA are replaced by imputed values, `$nNA` .. number of NA by group, `$randParam` .. parameters used for making random data

See Also

[hist](#), [na.fail](#), [naOmit](#)

Examples

```
set.seed(2013)
datT6 <- matrix(round(rnorm(300)+3,1),ncol=6,dimnames=list(paste("li",1:50,sep=""),
  letters[19:24]))
datT6 <- datT6 +matrix(rep(1:nrow(datT6),ncol(datT6)),ncol=ncol(datT6))
datT6[6:7,c(1,3,6)] <- NA
datT6[which(datT6 < 11 & datT6 > 10.5)] <- NA
datT6[which(datT6 < 6 & datT6 > 5)] <- NA
datT6[which(datT6 < 4.6 & datT6 > 4)] <- NA
datT6b <- matrixNANeighbourImpute(datT6,gr=gl(2,3))
head(datT6b$data)
```

plotROC

Plot ROC curves

Description

plotROC plots ROC curves based on results from [summarizeForROC](#). Does not return any data, plot only. Allows printing simultaneously multiple ROC curves from different studies. Was made for special consideration of 3 species mix as in proteomics benchmark In the simplest case data were prepared using [moderTest2grp](#)

Usage

```
plotROC(
  dat,
  ...,
  useCol = 2:3,
  methNames = NULL,
  col = NULL,
  pch = 1,
  bg = NULL,
  tit = NULL,
  xlim = NULL,
  point05 = 0.05,
  pointSi = 0.85,
  nByMeth = NULL,
  speciesOrder = NULL,
  txtLoc = c(0.4, 0.3, 0.04),
  legCex = 0.72,
  addSuplT = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

Arguments

<code>dat</code>	(matrix) from testing (eg summarizeForROC)
<code>...</code>	optional additional data-sets to include as seprate ROC-curves to same plot (must be of same type of format as 'dat')
<code>useCol</code>	(integer or character, length=2) columns from dat to be used for pecificity and sensitivity
<code>methNames</code>	(character) names of methods (data-sets) to be displayed
<code>col</code>	(character) custom colors for lines and text (choose one color for each different data-set)
<code>pch</code>	(integer) type of symbol to be used (see also par)
<code>bg</code>	(character) background color in plot (see also par)
<code>tit</code>	(character) custom title
<code>xlim</code>	(numeric, length=2) custom x-limits
<code>point05</code>	(numeric) specific point to highlight in plot (typically at alpha=0.05)
<code>pointSi</code>	(numeric) size of points (as expansion factor cex)
<code>nByMeth</code>	(integer) value of n to display
<code>speciesOrder</code>	(integer) custom order of species in legend
<code>txtLoc</code>	(numeric, length=3) location for text (x, y and proportional factor for line-offset, default is c(0.4,0.3,0.04))
<code>legCex</code>	(numeric) cex expansion factor for legend (see also par)
<code>addSuplT</code>	(logical) add text with information about precision,accuracy and FDR
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

Value

plot only

See Also

[summarizeForROC](#), [moderTest2grp](#)

Examples

```
roc0 <- cbind(alph=c(2e-6,4e-5,4e-4,2.7e-3,1.6e-2,4.2e-2,8.3e-2,1.7e-1,2.7e-1,4.1e-1,5.3e-1,
6.8e-1,8.3e-1,9.7e-1), spec=c(1,1,1,1,0.957,0.915,0.915,0.809,0.702,0.489,0.362,0.234,
0.128,0.0426), sens=c(0,0,0.145,0.942,2.54,2.68,3.33,3.99,4.71,5.87,6.67,8.04,8.77,
9.93)/10, n.pos.a=c(0,0,0,0,2,4,4,9,14,24,36,41) )
plotROC(roc0)
```

razorNoFilter	<i>Filter based on either number of total peptides and specific peptides or number of razor peptides</i>
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Description

razorNoFilter filters based on either a) number of total peptides and specific peptides or b) number of razor peptides. This function was designed for filtering using a minimum number of (PSM-) count values following the common practice to consider results with 2 or more peptide counts as reliable. The function be (re-)run independently on each of various questions (comparisons). Note: Non-integer data will be truncated to integer (equivalent to floor).

Usage

```
razorNoFilter(
  annot,
  speNa = NULL,
  totNa = NULL,
  minRazNa = NULL,
  minSpeNo = 1,
  minTotNo = 2,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

Arguments

annot	(matrix or data.frame) main data (may contain NAs) with (PSM-) count values for each protein
speNa	(integer or character) indicate which column of 'annot' has number of specific peptides
totNa	(integer or character) indicate which column of 'annot' has number of total peptides
minRazNa	(integer or character) name of column with number of razor peptides, alternative to 'minSpeNo' & 'minTotNo'
minSpeNo	(integer) minimum number of specific peptides
minTotNo	(integer) minimum total ie max razor number of peptides
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

Value

vector of logical values if corresponding line passes filter criteria

See Also[presenceFilt](#)**Examples**

```
set.seed(2019); datT <- matrix(sample.int(20,60,replace=TRUE),ncol=6,
  dimnames=list(letters[1:10],LETTERS[1:6])) -3
datT[,2] <- datT[,2] +2
datT[which(datT <0)] <- 0
razorNoFilter(datT,speNa="A",totNa="B")
```

readFasta2	<i>Read file of protein sequences in fasta format Read fasta formatted file (from Rhrefhttps://www.uniprot.org/UniProt) to extract (protein) sequences and name. If tableOut=TRUE output may be organized as matrix for separating meta-annotation (eg GeneName, OrganismName, ProteinName) in separate columns.</i>
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Description

Read file of protein sequences in fasta format

Read fasta formatted file (from [UniProt](#)) to extract (protein) sequences and name. If tableOut=TRUE output may be organized as matrix for separating meta-annotation (eg GeneName, OrganismName, ProteinName) in separate columns.

Usage

```
readFasta2(
  filename,
  delim = "|",
  databaseSign = c("sp", "tr", "generic", "gi"),
  tableOut = FALSE,
  UniprSep = c("OS=", "OX=", "GN=", "PE=", "SV="),
  cleanCols = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  debug = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

filename	(character) names fasta-file to be read
delim	(character) delimiter at header-line
databaseSign	(character) characters at beginning right afetr the '>' (typically specifying the data-base-origin), they will be excluded from the sequence-header

tableOut	(logical) toggle to return named character-vector or matrix with enhanced parsing of fasta-header. The resulting matrix will contain the columns 'database', 'uniqueIdentifier', 'entryName', and further columns depending on argument UniprSep
UniprSep	(character) separators for further separating entry-fields if tableOut=TRUE, see also UniProt-FASTA-headers
cleanCols	(logical) remove columns with all entries NA, if tableOut=TRUE
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of message(s) produced
debug	(logical) supplemental messages for debugging

Value

return (based on 'tableOut') simple character vector (of sequence) with Uniprot ID as name or matrix with columns: 'database', 'uniqueIdentifier', 'entryName', 'proteinName', 'sequence' and further columns depending on argument UniprSep

See Also

[scan](#) or [read.fasta](#)

Examples

```
# tiny example with common contaminants
path1 <- system.file('extdata',package='wrProteo')
fiNa <- "conta1.fasta"
fasta1 <- readFasta2(file.path(path1,fiNa))
## now let's read and further separate annotation-fields
fasta2 <- readFasta2(file.path(path1,fiNa),tableOut=TRUE)
str(fasta1)
```

readMaxQuantFile	<i>Read csv or txt files exported from MS-Angel and Proline</i>
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Description

Quantification results from **MaxQuant** can be read using this function and relevant information extracted. The final output is a list containing 3 elements: \$annot, \$abund and optional \$quant, or returns data.frame with entire content of file if separateAnnot=FALSE. This function has been developed using MaxQuant version 1.6.10.x, the format of resulting file 'proteinGroups.txt' is typically well conserved.

Usage

```
readMaxQuantFile(
  path,
  fileName = "proteinGroups.txt",
  normalizeMeth = "median",
  quantCol = "LFQ.intensity",
  contamCol = "Potential.contaminant",
  uniqPepPat = "Razor...unique.peptides",
  refLi = NULL,
  extrColNames = c("Majority.protein.IDs", "Fasta.headers", "Number.of.proteins"),
  specPref = c(conta = "conta|CON_|LYSC_CHICK", mainSpecies = "OS=Homo sapiens"),
  tit = NULL,
  wex = 1.6,
  separateAnnot = TRUE,
  plotGraph = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

Arguments

path	(character) path of file to be read
fileName	(character) name of file to be read (default 'proteinGroups.txt' as typically generated by MaxQuant in txt folder)
normalizeMeth	(character) normalization method (will be sent to normalizeThis)
quantCol	(character or integer) exact col-names, or if length=1 content of quantCol will be used as pattern to search among column-names for \$quant using grep
contamCol	(character or integer, length=1) which columns should be used for contaminants marked by ProteomeDiscoverer
uniqPepPat	(character, length=1) pattern to search for columns with unique (razor) peptides using grep, default set to read unique razor-peptides
refLi	(character or integer) custom specify which line of data is main species, if character (eg 'mainSpe'), the column 'SpecType' in \$annot will be searched for exact match of the (single) term given
extrColNames	(character) column names to be read (1: prefix for LFQ quantitation, default 'LFQ.intensity'; 2: column name for protein-IDs, default 'Majority.protein.IDs'; 3: column names of fasta-headers, default 'Fasta.headers', 4: column name for number of protein IDs matching, default 'Number.of.proteins')
specPref	(character) prefix to identifiers allowing to separate i) recognize contamination database, ii) species of main identifications and iii) spike-in species
tit	(character) custom title to plot
wex	(numeric) relative expansion factor of the violin in plot
separateAnnot	(logical) if TRUE output will be organized as list with \$annot, \$abund for initial/raw abundance values and \$quant with final normalized quantitations

`plotGraph` (logical) optional plot vioplot of initial and normalized data (using `normalizeMeth`); alternatively the argument may contain numeric details that will be passed to layout when plotting

`silent` (logical) suppress messages

`callFrom` (character) allow easier tracking of message produced

Value

list with `$annot`, `$raw` for initial abundance values and `$quant` with final normalized quantitations, or returns `data.frame` with `annot` and `quant` if `separateAnnot=FALSE`

See Also

`read.table`, `normalizeThis`, `readProlineFile`

Examples

```
path1 <- system.file("extdata",package="wrProteo")
# Here we'll load a short/trimmed example file (thus not MaxQuant default name)
fiNa <- "proteinGroupsMaxQuantUps1.txt"
specPref1 <- c(conta="conta|CON_|LYSC_CHICK", mainSpecies="YEAST",spike="HUMAN_UPS")
dataMQ <- readMaxQuantFile(path1, file=fiNa, specPref=specPref1)
summary(dataMQ$quant)
matrixNAinspect(dataMQ$quant, gr=gl(3,3))
```

readPDExport

Read tabulated files imported from Thermo ProteomeDiscoverer

Description

Quantification results form **Thermo ProteomeDiscoverer** exported as tabulated text can be imported and relevant information extracted. The final output is a list containing 3 elements: `$annot`, `$raw` and optional `$quant`, or returns `data.frame` with entire content of file if `separateAnnot=FALSE`. This function has been developed using MaxQuant version Thermo ProteomeDiscoverer2.4, the format of resulting file is typically well conserved.

Usage

```
readPDExport(
  fileName,
  path = NULL,
  normalizeMeth = "median",
  sampleNames = NULL,
  read0asNA = TRUE,
  annotCol = NULL,
  quantCol = "^Abundances",
  contamCol = "Contaminant",
  refLi = NULL,
```

```

    separateAnnot = TRUE,
    plotGraph = TRUE,
    tit = "Proteome Discoverer",
    graphTit = NULL,
    wex = 1.6,
    specPref = c(conta = "CON_|LYSC_CHICK", mainSpecies = "OS=Homo sapiens"),
    silent = FALSE,
    callFrom = NULL
)

```

Arguments

fileName	(character) name of file to be read (default 'proteinGroups.txt' as typically generated by MaxQuant in txt folder)
path	(character) path of file to be read
normalizeMeth	(character) normalization method (will be sent to normalizeThis)
sampleNames	(character) new column-names for quantification data (ProteomeDiscoverer does not automatically use file-names from spectra)
read0asNA	(logical) decide if initial quantifications at 0 should be transformed to NA
annotCol	(character) column names to be read/extracted for the annotation section (default <code>c("Accession", "Description", "Gene", "Contaminant", "Sum.PEP.Score", "Coverage....", "X..Peptides", "X..AAs", "MW.kDa.")</code>)
quantCol	(character or integer) exact col-names, or if length=1 content of quantCol will be used as pattern to search among column-names for \$quant using grep
contamCol	(character or integer, length=1) which columns should be used for contaminants marked by ProteomeDiscoverer
refLi	(character or integer) custom specify which line of data is main species, if character (eg 'mainSpe'), the column 'SpecType' in \$annot will be searched for exact match of the (single) term given
separateAnnot	(logical) if TRUE output will be organized as list with \$annot, \$abund for initial/raw abundance values and \$quant with final normalized quantitations
plotGraph	(logical) optional plot of type vioplot of initial and normalized data (using normalizeMeth); if integer, it will be passed to layout when plotting
tit	(character) custom title to plot
graphTit	(character) (deprecated custom title to plot), please use 'tit'
wex	(integer) relative expansion factor of the violin-plot (will be passed to vioplotW)
specPref	(character) define characteristic text for recognizing (main) groups of species (1st for contaminants - will be marked as 'conta', 2nd for main species- marked as 'mainSpe', and optional following ones for supplemental tags/species - marked as 'species2', 'species3',)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

Value

list with \$annot, \$raw for initial/raw abundance values and \$quant with final normalized quantitations, or returns data.frame with annot and quant if separateAnnot=FALSE

See Also

`read.table, normalizeThis), readProlineFile`

Examples

```
path1 <- system.file("extdata", package="wrProteo")
fiNa <- "exampleProtDiscov1.txt"
dataPD <- readPDExport(file=fiNa, path=path1)
summary(dataPD$quant)
matrixNAinspect(dataPD$quant, gr=gl(2,3))
```

readProlineFile

Read csv or txt files exported from MS-Angel and Proline

Description

Quantification results form MS-Angel and Proline **Proline** should be first saved via Excel or Libre-Office as csv or tabulated txt. Such files can be read by this function and relevant information be extracted. The final output is a list containing 3 elements: \$annot, \$abund and optional \$quant, or returns data.frame with entire content of file if separateAnnot=FALSE. Note: There is no normalization by default since quite frequently data produced by Proline are already sufficiently normalized. In case of doubt the figure prouced using the argument plotGraph=TRUE may help judging if distribtions are aligned suffiently well.

Usage

```
readProlineFile(
  fileName,
  path = NULL,
  logConvert = TRUE,
  quantCol = "^abundance_",
  annotCol = c("accession", "description", "is_validated", "coverage", "X.sequences",
    "X.peptides", "protein_set.score"),
  refLi = NULL,
  separateAnnot = TRUE,
  plotGraph = TRUE,
  tit = NULL,
  graphTit = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

Arguments

fileName	(character) name of file to read
path	(character) optional path (note: Windows backslash should be protected or written as '/')
logConvert	(logical) convert numeric data as log2, will be placed in \$quant
quantCol	(character or integer) exact col-names, or if length=1 content of quantCol will be used as pattern to search among column-names for \$quant using grep
annotCol	(character) (character) exact col-names or if length=1 pattern to search among column-names for \$annot
refLi	(integer) custom decide which line of data is main species, if single character entry it will be used to choose a group of species (eg 'mainSpe')
separateAnnot	(logical) separate annotation from numeric data (quantCol and annotCol must be defined)
plotGraph	(logical or matrix of integer) optional plot vioplot of initial data; if integer, it will be passed to layout when plotting
tit	(character) custom title to plot
graphTit	(character) (deprecated custom title to plot), please use 'tit'
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

Value

list with \$annot, \$raw and optional \$quant, or returns data.frame with entire content of file if separateAnnot=FALSE

See Also

[read.table](#)

Examples

```
path1 <- system.file("extdata", package="wrProteo")
fiNa <- "exampleProlineABC.csv"
dataABC <- readProlineFile(file.path(path1, fiNa))
summary(dataABC$quant)
matrixNAinspect(dataABC$quant, gr=as.factor(substr(colnames(dataABC$quant), 1, 1)))
```

readUCSCtable

Read annotation files from UCSC

Description

This function allows reading and importing genomic **UCSC-annotation** data. Files can be read as default UCSC exprot or as GTF-format. In the context of proteomics we noticed that sometimes UniProt tables from UCSC are hard to match to identifiers from UniProt Fasta-files, ie many protein-identifiers won't match. For this reason additional support is given to reading 'Genes and Gene Predictions': Since this table does not include protein-identifiers, a non-redundant list of ENSxxx transcript identifiers can be expted as file for an additional stop of conversion, eg using a batch conversion tool at the site of **UniProt**. The initial genomic annotation can then be complemented using [readUniProtExport](#). Using this more elaborate route, we found higher coverage when trying to add genomic annotation to protein-identifiers to proteomics results with annnotation based on an initial Fasta-file.

Usage

```
readUCSCtable(
  fiName,
  exportFileNa = NULL,
  gtf = NA,
  simplifyCols = c("gene_id", "chr", "start", "end", "strand", "frame"),
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

Arguments

fiName	(character) name (and path) of file to read
exportFileNa	(character) optional file-name to be exported, if NULL no file will be written
gtf	(logical) specify if file fiName in gtf-format (see UCSC)
simplifyCols	(character) optional list of column-names to be used for simplification (if 6 column-headers are given) : the 1st value will be used to identify the column used as refence to summarize all lines with this ID; for the 2nd (typically chromosome names) will be taken a representative value, for the 3rd (typically gene start site) will be taken the minimum, for the 4th (typically gene end site) will be taken the maximum, for the 5th and 6th a representative values will be reported;
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of message(s) produced

Value

matrix, optionally the file 'exportFileNa' may be written

See Also

[readUniProtExport](#), [readPDEExport](#), [readMaxQuantFile](#),

Examples

```
path1 <- system.file("extdata", package="wrProteo")
gtfFi <- file.path(path1, "UCSC_hg38_chr11extr.gtf")
# here we'll write the file for UniProt conversion to tempdir() to keep things tidy
expFi <- file.path(tempdir(), "deUcscForUniProt2.txt")
UcscAnnot1 <- readUCSCTable(gtfFi, exportFileName=expFi)

## results can be further combined with readUniProtExport()
deUniProtFi <- file.path(path1, "deUniProt_hg38chr11extr.tab")
deUniPr1 <- readUniProtExport(deUniProtFi, deUcsc=UcscAnnot1,
  targRegion="chr11:1-135,086,622")
deUniPr1[1:5,-5]
```

readUniProtExport	<i>Read protein annotation as exported from UniProt batch-conversion</i>
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Description

This function allows reading and importing protein-ID conversion results from **UniProt**. To do so, first copy/paste your query IDs into **UniProt** 'Retrieve/ID mapping' field called '1. Provide your identifiers' (or upload as file), verify '2. Select options'. In a typical case of 'enst000xxx' IDs you may leave default settings, ie 'Ensemble Transcript' as input and 'UniProt KB' as output. Then, 'Submit' your search and retrieve results via 'Download', you need to specify a 'Tab-separated' format ! If you download as 'Compressed' you need to decompress the .gz file before running the function [readUCSCTable](#) In addition, a file with UCSC annotation (Ensembl accessions and chromosomal locations, obtained using [readUCSCTable](#)) can be integrated.

Usage

```
readUniProtExport(
  UniProtFileName,
  deUcsc = NULL,
  targRegion = NULL,
  useUniPrCol = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

Arguments

UniProtFileName	(character) name (and path) of file exported from UniProt (tabulated text file including headers)
deUcsc	(data.frame) object produced by readUCSCTable to be combined with data from UniProtFileName

targRegion	(character or list) optional marking of chromosomal locations to be part of a given chromosomal target region, may be given as character like chr11:1-135,086,622 or as list with a first component characterizing the chromosome and a integer-vector with start- and end- sites
useUniPrCol	(character) optional declaration which columns from UniProt exported file should be used/imported (default 'EnsID','Entry','Entry.name','Status','Protein.names','Gene.names','Length').
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of message(s) produced

Details

In a typical use case, first chromosomal location annotation is extracted from UCSC for the species of interest and imported to R using [readUCSCTable](#). However, the tables provided by UCSC don't contain Uniprot IDs. Thus, an additional (batch-)conversion step needs to be added. For this reason [readUCSCTable](#) allows writing a file with Ensemble transcript IDs which can be converted to UniProt IDs at the site of [UniProt](#). Then, UniProt annotation (downloaded as tab-separated) can be imported and combined with the genomic annotation using this function.

Value

data.frame (with columns \$EnsID, \$Entry, \$Entry.name, \$Status, \$Protein.names, \$Gene.names, \$Length; if deUcsc is integrated plus: \$chr, \$type, \$start, \$end, \$score, \$strand, \$Ensnot, \$avPos)

See Also

[readUCSCTable](#)

Examples

```
path1 <- system.file("extdata",package="wrProteo")
deUniProtFi <- file.path(path1,"deUniProt_hg38chr11extr.tab")
deUniPr1a <- readUniProtExport(deUniProtFi)
str(deUniPr1a)

## Workflow starting with UCSC annotation (gtf) files :
gtfFi <- file.path(path1,"UCSC_hg38_chr11extr.gtf")
UcscAnnot1 <- readUCSCTable(gtfFi)
## Results of conversion at UniProt are already available (file "deUniProt_hg38chr11extr.tab")
myTargRegion <- list("chr1", pos=c(198110001,198570000))
myTargRegion2 <- "chr11:1-135,086,622" # works equally well
deUniPr1 <- readUniProtExport(deUniProtFi,deUcsc=UcscAnnot1,
                             targRegion=myTargRegion)
## Now UniProt IDs and genomic locations are both available :
str(deUniPr1)
```

removeSampleInList	<i>Remove samples/columns from list of matrixes Remove samples (ie columns) from every instance of list of matrixes. Note: This function assumes same order of columns in list-elements 'listElem' !</i>
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Description

Remove samples/columns from list of matrixes

Remove samples (ie columns) from every instance of list of matrixes. Note: This function assumes same order of columns in list-elements 'listElem' !

Usage

```
removeSampleInList(
  dat,
  remSamp,
  listElem = c("abund", "quant"),
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

Arguments

dat	(list) main input to be filtered
remSamp	(integer) column number to exclude
listElem	(character) names of list-elements where columns indicated with 'remSamp' should be removed
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

Value

matrix including imputed values or list of final and matrix with number of imputed by group (plus optional plot)

See Also

[testRobustToNAimputation](#)

Examples

```
set.seed(2019)
datT6 <- matrix(round(rnorm(300)+3,1),ncol=6,dimnames=list(paste("li",1:50,sep=""),
  letters[19:24]))
datL <- list(abund=datT6,quant=datT6,annot=matrix(nrow=nrow(datT6),ncol=2))
datDelta2 <- removeSampleInList(datL,remSam=2)
```

summarizeForROC

Summarize statistical test result for plotting ROC-curves

Description

summarizeForROC takes statistical testing results (obtained using [testRobustToNAimputation](#) or [moderTest2grp](#), based on [limma](#)) and calculates specificity and sensitivity values for plotting ROC-curves along a panel of thresholds. Based on column from test\$annot and argument 'spec' TP,FP,FN and TN are determined. Special consideration is made to 3 species mix samples as found in proteomics benchmark-tests. See also [ROC on Wikipedia](#) for explanations of TP,FP,FN and TN as well as examples. An optional plot may be produced, too. Return matrix with TP,FP,FN,TN,spec,sens,prec,accur and FDR count values along the various thresholds specified in column 'alph'. Note that numerous other packages also provide support for building and plotting ROC-curves : Eg [rocPkgShort](#), [ROCR](#), [pROC](#) or [ROCit](#)

Usage

```
summarizeForROC(
  test,
  thr = NULL,
  tyThr = "BH",
  columnTest = 1,
  spec = c("H", "E", "S"),
  annotCol = "spec",
  tit = NULL,
  color = 1,
  plotROC = TRUE,
  pch = 1,
  bg = NULL,
  overlPlot = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

Arguments

test	(class MArrayLM, S3-object from limma) from testing (eg testRobustToNAimputation or test2grp)
thr	(numeric) threshold, if NULL a panel of 108 values will be used for calculating specificity and sensitivity
tyThr	(character,length=1) type of test-result to be used for sensitivity and specificity calculations (eg 'BH','lfr' or 'p.value'), must be list-element of 'test'
columnTest	(character or integer) only in case 'tyThr' is matrix (as typically the case after testRobustToNAimputation) : which column of 'test\$tyThr' should be used as test-result

spec	(character) labels for species will be matched to column 'spec' of test\$annot and used for sensitivity and specificity calculations. Important : 1st label for matrix (expected as constant) and subsequent labels for spike-ins (variable)
annotCol	(character) column name of test\$annot to use to separate species
tit	(character) optional custom title in graph
color	(character or integer) color in graph
plotROC	(logical) toggle plot on or off
pch	(integer) type of symbol to be used (see par)
bg	(character) background in plot (see par)
overlPlot	(logical) overlay to existing plot if TRUE
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of message(s) produced

Value

matrix including imputed values or list of final and matrix with number of imputed by group (plus optional plot)

See Also

replot the figure [plotROC](#), robust test for preparing tables [testRobustToNAimputation](#), [moderTest2grp](#), [test2grp](#), eBayes in package [limma](#), [t.test](#)

Examples

```
set.seed(2019); test1 <- list(annot=cbind(spec=c(rep("b",35),letters[sample.int(n=3,
size=150,replace=TRUE)])),BH=matrix(c(runif(35,0,0.01),runif(150)),ncol=1))
tail(roc1 <- summarizeForROC(test1,spec=c("a","b","c")))
```

test2grp	<i>t-test each line of 2 groups of data</i>
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Description

test2grp performs t-test on two groups of data using [limma](#), this is a custom implementation of [moderTest2grp](#) for proteomics. The final object also includes the results without moderation by limma (eg BH-FDR in \$nonMod.BH). Furthermore, there is an option to make use of package ROTS (note, this will increase the time of computations considerably).

Usage

```
test2grp(
  dat,
  questNo,
  useCol = NULL,
  grp = NULL,
  annot = NULL,
  ROTSn = 0,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

Arguments

<code>dat</code>	(matrix or data.frame) main data (may contain NAs)
<code>questNo</code>	(integer) specify here which question, ie comparison should be addressed
<code>useCol</code>	(integer or character)
<code>grp</code>	(character or factor)
<code>annot</code>	(matrix or data.frame)
<code>ROTSn</code>	(integer) number of iterations ROTS runs (stabilization of results may be seen with >300)
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of message produced

Value

limma-type S3 object of class 'MArrayLM' which can be accessed; multiple testing correction types or modified testing by ROTS may get included ('p.value', 'FDR', 'BY', 'lfdr' or 'ROTS.BH')

See Also

[moderTest2grp](#), [pVal2lfdr](#), [t.test](#), ROTS from the Bioconductor package [ROTS](#)

Examples

```
set.seed(2018); datT8 <- matrix(round(rnorm(800)+3,1),nc=8,dimnames=list(paste(
  "l1",1:100,sep=""),paste(rep(LETTERS[1:3],c(3,3,2)),letters[18:25],sep="")))
datT8[3:6,1:2] <- datT8[3:6,1:2]+3 # augment lines 3:6 (c-f)
datT8[5:8,5:6] <- datT8[5:8,5:6]+3 # augment lines 5:8 (e-h)
grp8 <- gl(3,3,labels=LETTERS[1:3],length=8)
datL <- list(data=datT8,filt= wrMisc::presenceFilt(datT8,grp=grp8,maxGrpM=1,ratMa=0.8))
testAvB0 <- wrMisc::moderTest2grp(datT8[,1:6],gl(2,3))
testAvB <- test2grp(datL,questNo=1)
```

`testRobustToNAimputation`*Test robust to NA-imputation*

Description

`testRobustToNAimputation` replaces NA values based on group neighbours (based on grouping of columns in argument `gr`), following overall assumption of close to Gaussian distribution. Furthermore, it is assumed that NA-values originate from experimental settings where measurements at or below detection limit are recorded as NA. In such cases (eg in proteomics) it is current practice to replace NA-values by very low (random) values in order to be able to perform t-tests. However, random normal values used for replacing may in rare cases deviate from the average (the 'assumed' value) and in particular, if multiple NA replacements are above the average, may look like induced biological data and be misinterpreted as so. The statistical testing uses eBayes from Bioconductor package **limma** for robust testing in the context of small numbers of replicates. By repeating multiple times the process of replacing NA-values and subsequent testing the results can be summarized afterwards by median over all repeated runs to remove the stochastic effect of individual NA-imputation. Thus, one may gain stability towards random-character of NA imputations by repeating imputation & test 'nLoop' times and summarize p-values by median (results stabilized at 50-100 rounds). It is necessary to define all groups of replicates in `gr` to obtain all possible pair-wise testing (multiple columns in `$BH`, `$lfr` etc). The modified testing-procedure of Bioconductor package **ROTS** may optionally be included, if desired. This function returns a **limma**-like S3 list-object further enriched by additional fields/elements.

Usage

```
testRobustToNAimputation(  
  dat,  
  gr,  
  annot = NULL,  
  retnNA = TRUE,  
  avSdH = c(0.18, 0.5),  
  avSdL = c(0.1, 0.5),  
  plotHist = FALSE,  
  xLab = NULL,  
  tit = NULL,  
  seedNo = 2018,  
  nLoop = 20,  
  lfrInclude = TRUE,  
  ROTSn = NULL,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

Arguments

<code>dat</code>	(matrix or data.frame) main data (may contain NA); if <code>dat</code> is list containing <code>\$quant</code> and <code>\$annot</code> as matrix, the element <code>\$quant</code> will be used
<code>gr</code>	(character or factor) replicate association
<code>annot</code>	(matrix or data.frame) annotation (lines must match lines of data !), if <code>annot</code> is NULL and argument <code>dat</code> is a list containing both <code>\$quant</code> and <code>\$annot</code> , the element <code>\$annot</code> will be used
<code>retnNA</code>	(logical) retain and report number of NA
<code>avSdH</code>	(numeric) population characteristics (mean and sd) for >1 NA neighbours 'high' (per line)
<code>avSdL</code>	(numeric) population characteristics (mean and sd) for >0 NA neighbours 'low' (per line)
<code>plotHist</code>	(logical) additional histogram of original, imputed and resultant distribution (made using matrixNAneighbourImpute)
<code>xLab</code>	(character) custom x-axis label
<code>tit</code>	(character) custom title
<code>seedNo</code>	(integer) seed-value for normal random values
<code>nLoop</code>	(integer) number of runs of independent NA-imputation
<code>lfdrInclude</code>	(logical) include lfdr estimations (may cause warning message(s) concerning convergence if few too lines/proteins in dataset tested).
<code>ROTSn</code>	(integer) number of repeats by ROTS, if NULL ROTS will not be called
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

Value

limma-type S3 object of class 'MArrayLM' which can be accessed; multiple results of testing or multiple testing correction types may get included ('p.value', 'FDR', 'BY', 'lfdr' or 'ROTS.BH')

See Also

[moderTest2grp](#), [pVal2lfdr](#), eBayes in Bioconductor package [limma](#), [t.test](#), ROTS of Bioconductor package [ROTS](#)

Examples

```
set.seed(2015); rand1 <- round(runif(600)+rnorm(600,1,2),3)
dat1 <- matrix(rand1,ncol=6) + matrix(rep((1:100)/20,6),ncol=6)
dat1[13:16,1:3] <- dat1[13:16,1:3]+2 # augment lines 13:16
dat1[19:20,1:3] <- dat1[19:20,1:3]+3 # augment lines 19:20
dat1[15:18,4:6] <- dat1[15:18,4:6]+1.4 # augment lines 15:18
dat1[dat1 <1] <- NA # mimick some NAs for low abundance
## normalize data
boxplot(dat1,main="data before normalization")
dat1 <- wrMisc::normalizeThis(as.matrix(dat1),meth="median")
```

```
## designate replicate relationships in samples ...
grp1 <- gl(2,3,labels=LETTERS[1:2])
## moderated t-test with repeated imputations (may take >10 sec, >60 sec if ROTSn >0 !)
PLtestR1 <- testRobustToNAimputation(dat=dat1,gr=grp1,retnNA=TRUE,nLoop=100,ROTSn=0,lfdR=FALSE)
names(PLtestR1)
```

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