

# Package ‘ImpactEffectsize’

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**ImpactEffectsize-package**  
*ImpactEffectsize-package*

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### Description

Calculation and visualization of the Impact effect size measure. A non-parametric effect size measure capturing changes in central tendency or shape of data distributions for feature selection preceding machine-learning. The package provides the necessary functions to calculate and plot the Impact effect size measure between two groups.

### References

Lotsch, J., and Ultsch, A. (2019): Impact – An R Package for calculation and visualisation of the Impact distance and data distribution-shape based effect size measure.

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| <b>BcellLymphomaCD79</b> | <i>Example data of bimodal CD79 expression.</i> |
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### Description

Data set of CD79 expression in patients with B lymphoma (class 1) and in controls (class 2).

### Usage

```
data("BcellLymphomaCD79")
```

### Details

Size 258429 x 2 , Dimensions 1, stored in `BcellLymphomaCD79$Data`  
 Classes 2, stored in `BcellLymphomaCD79$Classes`

### Examples

```
data(BcellLymphomaCD79)
str(BcellLymphomaCD79)
```

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FeatureselectionData    *Example data with two groups and the Impact effect size measure.*

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### Description

Dataset with 2 classes and 20 variables that allow class separation at various degrees of difficulty.

### Usage

```
data("FeatureselectionData")
```

### Details

Size 2000 x 20 , Dimensions 1, stored in FeatureselectionData\$Var0001 , . . . , FeatureselectionData\$Var0020  
Classes 2, stored in FeatureselectionData\$Classes

### Examples

```
data(FeatureselectionData)
str(FeatureselectionData)
```

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FlowcytometricData    *Example data of hematologic marker expression.*

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### Description

Data set of 8 flow cytometry-based lymphoma makers from 1,494 cells from healthy subjects (class 1) and 1,302 cells from lymphoma patients (class 2).

### Usage

```
data("FlowcytometricData")
```

### Details

Size 2796 x 9 , Dimensions 1, stored in FlowcytometricData\$\$[CD3,CD4,CD8,CD11,CD19,CD103,CD200,IgM]  
Classes 2, stored in FlowcytometricData\$Classes

### Examples

```
data(FlowcytometricData)
str(FlowcytometricData)
```

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| <b>Impact</b> | <i>Impact effect size measure</i> |
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## Description

Calculates the Impact effect size measure that is based on the group distance and the difference in the shape of the data distribution between two groups.

## Usage

```
Impact(Data, Cls, PlotIt = FALSE, pde = TRUE,
       col = c("red","blue"), meanLines = FALSE, medianLines = FALSE, ...)
```

## Arguments

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| Data        | the data of both groups as a vector.   |
| Cls         | the class information as a vector of similar length as the data vector.  |
| PlotIt      | plots the pdf of the two groups as Pareto density estimation.  |
| col         | colors of the two lines to plot. Will be ignored if PlotIt = FALSE.  |
| pde         | plots a standard pdf instead of a non-parametric Pareto density estimation. Will be ignored if PlotIt = FALSE. |
| meanLines   | adds perpendicular lines at the means of the two groups. Will be ignored if PlotIt = FALSE.                    |
| medianLines | adds perpendicular lines at the medians of the two groups. Will be ignored if PlotIt = FALSE.                  |
| ...         | more graphical parameters can be given as plot arguments if PlotIt = TRUE.                                     |

## Value

Returns a list of value including the main result and intermediate results.

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| Impact    | the main effect size measure.                                |
| MorphDiff | the extend of the group-difference in the shapes of the pdf. |
| CTDiff    | the extend of the difference in the group medians.           |

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## References

Lotsch, J., and Ultsch, A. (2019): ImpactEffectsize – an R Package for calculation and visualisation of the Impact distance and shape based effect size measure.

## Examples

```
## example 1
data("FeatureselectionData")
ImpactSize <- Impact(Data = FeatureselectionData$Var0011,
                      Cls = FeatureselectionData$Classes, PlotIt = TRUE)

## example 2
data("BcellLymphomaCD79")
data("FeatureselectionData")
data("FlowcytometricData")
data("SameMeansData")
data("StocksFluctuation")
```

SameMeansData

*Example artificial data with two groups of same means but different data distribution shapes.*

## Description

Dataset with 2 classes six variables were both classes have the same means but different shapes of the distribution.

## Usage

```
data("SameMeansData")
```

## Details

Size 2000 x 7 , Dimensions 1, stored in SameMeansData\$N0changeInMandS, . . . , SameMeansData\$NegChi2andGauss  
Classes 2, stored in SameMeansData\$Classes

## Examples

```
data(SameMeansData)
str(SameMeansData)
```

StocksFluctuation

*Example data of stock fluctuation.*

## Description

Data set of Log ratios of daily changes of n =5,522 for 10 German stocks with low fluctuation (class 1) or high fluctuation (class 2).

## Usage

```
data("StocksFluctuation")
```

**Details**

Size 5522 x 2 , Dimensions 1, stored in StocksFluctuation\$logFluctuation  
Classes 2, stored in StocksFluctuation\$Classes

**Examples**

```
data(StocksFluctuation)
str(StocksFluctuation)
```

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