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Analyses

Analysis table functions

Description

Get analysis names and add or remove analyses

Usage

```
Analyses(data, description = FALSE)
AddAnalysis(
    data,
    name,
```

Analyses

```
table,
by = NULL,
warn.present = TRUE,
warn.genes = TRUE
)
```

```
DropAnalysis(data, pattern = NULL)
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object
description	if TRUE, also return the column names of each analysis table (i.e. a list named according to the analyses)
name	The user-defined analysis name
table	The analysis table to add
by	Specify a column that contains gene names or symbols (see details)
warn.present	Warn if an analysis with the same name is already present (and then overwrite)
warn.genes	Warn if genes are missing (and then add NA)
pattern	A regular expression that is matched to analysis names

Details

The columns in the analysis tables are defined by the analysis method (e.g. "Synthesis", "Half-life" and "rmse" by FitKinetics). A call to an analysis function might produce more than one table (e.g. because kinetic modeling is done for multiple Conditions). In this case, AddAnalysisTable produces more than one analysis table.

AddAnalysis is in most cases not called directly by the user, but is used by analysis methods to add their final result to a grandR object (e.g., FitKinetics,LikelihoodRatioTest,LFC,PairwiseDESeq2).

If it is called by the user (e.g. to add analysis results from external tools or from the literature, see pulse-chase vignette), then the user must make sure that either the rownames of the given table can be recognized as genes (names or symbols), or that there is a column in the table giving genes (this must be specified as the "by" parameter). The table does neither have to be sorted the same way the grandR object is, nor does it have to be complete. AddAnalysis will take care or reordering and inserting NA for missing genes (and it will issue a warning in case of missing genes).

Value

Either the analysis names or a grandR data with added/removed slots or the metatable to be used with AddAnalysis

Functions

- Analyses(): Obtain the analyses names
- AddAnalysis(): Add an analysis table
- DropAnalysis(): Remove analyses from the grandR object

See Also

Slots, DefaultSlot

Examples

```
sars <- Normalize(sars)  # default behavior is to update the default slot; this calls AddSlot
Slots(sars)
DefaultSlot(sars)
sars <- DropSlot(sars,"norm")
sars  # note that the default slot reverted to count</pre>
```

AnalyzeGeneSets Gene set analysis

Description

Perform gene-set enrichment and overrepresentation analysis (GSEA/ORA) for a specified set of genes

Usage

```
AnalyzeGeneSets(
   data,
   analysis = Analyses(data)[1],
   criteria = LFC,
   genes = NULL,
   species = NULL,
   category = NULL,
   subcategory = NULL,
   verbose = TRUE,
   minSize = 10,
   maxSize = 500,
   process.genesets = NULL
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object that contains the data to analyze
analysis	the analysis to use, can be more than one and can be regexes (see details)
criteria	an expression to define criteria for GSEA/ORA (see details)
genes	specify genes directly (use analysis and criteria if NULL; see details)
species	the species the genes belong to (eg "Homo sapiens"); can be NULL, then the species is inferred from gene ids (see details)

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category	the category defining gene sets (see ListGeneSets)
subcategory	the category defining gene sets (see ListGeneSets)
verbose	Print status messages
minSize	The minimal size of a gene set to be considered
maxSize	The maximal size of a gene set to be considered
process.genesets	
	a function to process geneset names; can be NULL (see details)

Details

The analysis parameter (just like for GetAnalysisTable can be a regex (that will be matched against all available analysis names). It can also be a vector (of regexes). Be careful with this, if more than one table e.g. with column LFC ends up in here, only the first is used (if criteria=LFC).

The criteria parameter can be used to define how analyses are performed. The criteria must be an expression that either evaluates into a numeric or logical vector. In the first case, GSEA is performed, in the latter it is ORA. The columns of the given analysis table(s) can be used to build this expression.

If no species is given, a very simple automatic inference is done, which will only work when having human or mouse ENSEMBL identifiers as gene ids.

The process.genesets parameters can be function that takes the character vector representing the names of all gene sets. The original names are replaced by the return value of this function.

Value

the clusterprofile object representing the analysis results.

See Also

GSEA, enricher, msigdbr

Examples

See the differential-expression vignette!

ApplyContrasts Apply a function over contrasts

Description

Helper function to run many pairwise comparisons using a contrast matrix

Usage

```
ApplyContrasts(
    data,
    analysis,
    name.prefix,
    contrasts,
    mode.slot = NULL,
    genes = NULL,
    verbose = FALSE,
    FUN,
    ...
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object
analysis	a plain name, only used for status messages
name.prefix	the prefix for the new analysis name; a dot and the column names of the contrast matrix are appended; can be NULL (then only the contrast matrix names are used)
contrasts	contrast matrix that defines all pairwise comparisons, generated using GetCon- trasts
mode.slot	which slot to take expression values from
genes	restrict analysis to these genes; NULL means all genes
verbose	print status messages?
FUN	a function taking 1. the data matrix, 2. a logical vector indicating condition A and 3. a logical vector indicating condition B
	further parameters forward to FUN

Details

To implement most pairwise analyses, you only have to define FUN; see the source code of LFC for an example!

Value

a new grandR object with added analysis tables (that were returned by FUN)

See Also

LFC,PairwiseDESeq2,GetContrasts

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as.Seurat.grandR Create Seurat object from a grandR object

Description

Create Seurat object from a grandR object

Usage

```
as.Seurat.grandR(
   data,
   modalities = c(RNA = "total", newRNA = "new"),
   hls = NULL,
   time = NULL,
   mode = c("assay", "cells", "genes", "list")
)
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object
modalities	vector defining modalities to include in the Seurat object (see details)
hls	half-lives for computing previous RNA, only required for "prev" modality (see details)
time	labeling time, only required for "prev" modality (see details)
mode	how to integrate modalities into seurat object (see details)

Details

Modalities must be a named character vector. The only allowed elements are "total" (total counts), "new" (new counts), "old" (old counts), "prev" (estimated previous time point counts). The names of the elements are further used depending on mode.

To compute the previous time point counts, a vector of half lives and the labeling time is required. The half-lives must be given in the correct order (same as in the grandR object).

The mode parameter defines how the defined modalities are represented in the Seurat object. "assay" means that for each modality, the Seurat object will contain an assay (named according to the corresponding name in modalities). "cells" means that cells will be copied for each modality and cell names are prefixed by the corresponding name in modalities (i.e., if the grandR object has 1000 cells named c1,...,c1000, and modalities=c(RNA="total",newRNA="new"), the Seurat object will have 2000 cells named RNA.c1,...,RNA.c1000,newRNA.c1,...,newRNA.c1000). "genes" means that genes fill be copied for each modality and gene names are prefixed by the corresponding name in modalities. "list" means that instead of a single Seurat object, a list of Seurat objects is returned.

Value

a Seurat object

CalibrateEffectiveLabelingTimeKineticFit

Uses the kinetic model to calibrate the effective labeling time.

Description

The NTRs of each sample might be systematically too small (or large). This function identifies such systematic deviations and computes labeling durations without systematic deviations.

Usage

```
CalibrateEffectiveLabelingTimeKineticFit(
   data,
   slot = DefaultSlot(data),
   time = Design$dur.4sU,
   time.name = "calibrated_time",
   time.conf.name = "calibrated_time_conf",
   CI.size = 0.95,
   compute.confidence = FALSE,
   n.estimate = 1000,
   n.iter = 10000,
   verbose = FALSE,
   ...
)
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object	
slot	The data slot to take expression values from	
time	The column in the column annotation table representing the labeling duration	
time.name	The name in the column annotation table to put the calibrated labeling durations	
time.conf.name	The name in the column annotation table to put the confidence values for the labeling durations (half-size of the confidence interval)	
CI.size	The level for confidence intervals	
compute.confidence		
	should CIs be computed or not?	
n.estimate	the times are calibrated with the top n expressed genes	
n.iter	the maximal number of iterations for the numerical optimization	
verbose	verbose output	
	forwarded to FitKinetics	

Details

There are many reasons why the nominal (wall-clock) time of 4sU labeling might be distinct from the effective labeling time. Most importantly, 4sU needs some time to enter the cells and get activated to be ready for transcription. Therefore, the 4sU concentration (relative to the U concentration) rises, based on observations, over the timeframe of 1-2h. GRAND-SLAM assumes a constant 4sU incorporation rate, i.e. specifically new RNA made early during the labeling is underestimated. This, especially for short labeling (<2h), the effective labeling duration might be significantly less than the nominal labeling duration.

It is impossible to obtain a perfect absolute calibration, i.e. all durations might be off by a factor.

Value

A new grandR object containing the calibrated durations in the column data annotation

See Also

FitKinetics

CalibrateEffectiveLabelingTimeMatchHalflives Calibrate the effective labeling time by matching half-lives to a .reference

Description

The NTRs of each sample might be systematically too small (or large). This function identifies such systematic deviations and computes labeling durations without systematic deviations.

Usage

```
CalibrateEffectiveLabelingTimeMatchHalflives(
   data,
   reference.halflives = NULL,
   reference.columns = NULL,
   slot = DefaultSlot(data),
   time.labeling = Design$dur.4sU,
   time.experiment = NULL,
   time.name = "calibrated_time",
   n.estimate = 1000,
   verbose = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object	
reference.halflives		
	a vector of reference Half-lives named by genes	
reference.colu	mns	
	the reference column description	
slot	The data slot to take expression values from	
time.labeling	the column in the column annotation table denoting the labeling duration or the	
	labeling duration itself	
time.experiment		
	the column in the column annotation table denoting the experimental time point	
	(can be NULL, see details)	
time.name	The name in the column annotation table to put the calibrated labeling durations	
n.estimate	the times are calibrated with the top n expressed genes	
verbose	verbose output	

Value

A new grandR object containing the calibrated durations in the column data annotation

See Also

FitKineticsGeneSnapshot

check.analysis Internal functions to check for a valid analysis or slot names.

Description

Internal functions to check for a valid analysis or slot names.

Usage

```
check.analysis(data, analyses, regex)
```

```
check.slot(data, slot, allow.ntr = TRUE)
```

```
check.mode.slot(data, mode.slot, allow.ntr = TRUE)
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object
analyses	a regex to be matched to analysis names
regex	interpret as regular expression
slot	a slot name
allow.ntr	whether to allow for the value "ntr" (and throw an error in case)
mode.slot	a mode.slot

ClassifyGenes

Details

A mode.slot is a mode followed by a dot followed by a slot name, or just a slot name. A mode is either *total*, *new* or *old*.

Value

Whether or not the given name is valid and unique for the grandR object

ClassifyGenes

Build the type column for the gene info table.

Description

Returns a function to be used as classify.genes parameter for ReadGRAND.

Usage

```
ClassifyGenes(
    ...,
    use.default = TRUE,
    drop.levels = TRUE,
    name.unknown = "Unknown"
)
```

Arguments

	additional functions to define types (see details)
use.default	if TRUE, use the default type inference (priority after the user defined ones); see details
drop.levels	if TRUE, drop unused types from the factor that is generated
name.unknown	the type to be used for all genes where no type was identified

Details

This function returns a function. Usually, you do not use it yourself but ClassifyGenes is usually as classify.genes parameter for ReadGRAND to build the *Type* column in the GeneInfo table. See the example to see how to use it directly.

Each ... parameter must be a function that receives the gene info table and must return a logical vector, indicating for each row in the gene info table, whether it matches to a specific type. The name of the parameter is used as the type name.

If a gene matches to multiple type, the first function returning TRUE for a row in the table is used.

By default, this function will recognize mitochondrial genes (MT prefix of the gene symbol), ERCC spike-ins, and Ensembl gene identifiers (which it will call "cellular"). These three are the last functions to be checked (in case a user defined type via ...) also matches to, e.g., an Ensembl gene).

Value

a function that takes the original GeneInfo table and adds the Type column

See Also

ReadGRAND

Examples

fun<-ClassifyGenes(viral=function(gene.info) gene.info\$Symbol %in% viral.genes)
table(fun(GeneInfo(sars)))</pre>

Coldata

Get the column annotation table or add additional columns to it

Description

The columns of a grandR object are samples or cells. The column annotation table contains meta information for the columns of a grandR object. When loaded from the GRAND-SLAM output, this this constructed from the sample/cell names by MakeColdata

Usage

```
Coldata(data, column = NULL, value = NULL)
Coldata(data, column) <- value
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object
column	The name of the additional annotation column; can also be a data frame (then value is ignored and the data frame is added)
value	The additional annotation per sample or cell

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ComputeAbsolute

Details

A new column can be added either by data<-Coldata(data, name, values) or by Coldata(data, name)<-values.

Several new columns can be added by data<-Coldata(data,df) where df is either a data frame or matrix.

The column named *Condition* has a special meaning in this table: It is used by several functions to stratify the columns during the analysis (e.g. to estimate separate kinetic parameters with FitKinetics or it is used as covariate for LFC or LikelihoodRatioTest). For that reason there are special functions to set and get this column.

Value

Either the column annotation table or a new grandR object having an updated column annotation table

See Also

GeneInfo, MakeColdata, Condition

Examples

Compute Absolute Compute absolute expression using ERCC spike ins

Description

Compute absolute expression in a grandR object and puts the normalized data into a new slot

Usage

```
ComputeAbsolute(
   data,
   dilution = 40000,
   volume = 10,
   slot = "tpm",
   name = "absolute"
)
```

Arguments

data the	e grandR object
dilution the	e dilution of the spikein transcript in the lysis reaction mix
volume the	e approximate volume of the lysis chamber (nanoliters)
slot the	e slot containing relative expression values
name the	e name of the new slot to put absolute expression values in

Value

a new grandR object with an additional slot

See Also

relative2abs

ComputeColumnStatistics

Compute statistics for all columns (i.e. samples or cells)

Description

Compute statistics for all columns (i.e. samples or cells)

Usage

```
ComputeColumnStatistics(data, verbose = TRUE)
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object
verbose	output status messages

Value

a new grandR object containing additional columns in the Coldata table:

- p.conv.X: the T-to-C mismatch frequency in the given ("X") subread category
- percent.new: new overall percentage of new RNA
- total.reads: the total number of reads (or UMIs, if UMIs were sequences)
- total.genes: the total number of genes detected
- percentage per type: the percentage (up to 100!) of the counts of each type in the GeneInfo

ComputeExpressionPercentage

Expression percentage computation

Description

Compute the expression percentage for a particular set of genes.

Usage

```
ComputeExpressionPercentage(
  data,
  name,
  genes = Genes(data),
  mode.slot = DefaultSlot(data),
  genes.total = Genes(data),
  mode.slot.total = mode.slot,
  multiply.by.100 = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object	
name	the new name by which this is added to the Coldata	
genes	define the set of genes to compute the percentage for	
mode.slot	which mode.slot to take the values for computing the percentage from	
genes.total	define the set of genes defining the total value	
mode.slot.total		
	which mode.slot to take the values for computing the total	
multiply.by.100		
	if TRUE, compute percentage values, otherwise fractions between 0 and 1	

Details

The percentages are computed for the given genes with the given mode.slot, w.r.t the mode.slot.total from the genes.total. Thus to compute the percentage of mitochondrial gene expression in total RNA (unnormalized), only set genes=Genes(data,"^MT-",regex=TRUE). To compute the percentage of new RNA among all genes, set mode.slot="new.count" and mode.slot.total="count".

Genes can be referred to by their names, symbols, row numbers in the gene table, or a logical vector referring to the gene table rows.

To refer to data slots, the mode.slot syntax can be used: Each name is either a data slot, or one of (new,old,total) followed by a dot followed by a slot. For new or old, the data slot value is multiplied by ntr or 1-ntr. This can be used e.g. to filter by *new counts*.

Value

a new grandR object having the expression percentage in its Coldata table

See Also

Coldata

ComputeNonConstantParam

Compute and evaluate functions for non constant rates

Description

For simplicity, non constant rates here have the following form \$0+f*t^e\$.

Usage

```
ComputeNonConstantParam(start, end = start, exponent = 1, end.time = 2)
```

```
EvaluateNonConstantParam(t, param)
```

Arguments

start	the value at t=0
end	the value at t=end.time
exponent	the exponent (e above)
end.time	the end time
t	vector of times
param	<pre>output of ComputeNonConstantParam(), only a single row!</pre>

Value

data frame containing either the parameters o, f and e (ComputeNonConstantParam), or containing the value of \$0+f*t^e\$ for the given times (EvaluateNonConstantParam).

Functions

- ComputeNonConstantParam(): compute a data frame containing the parameters for non constant rates
- EvaluateNonConstantParam(): compute a data frame containing the rates for the given parameter set (computed from ComputeNonConstantParam)

ComputeNtrPosteriorQuantile

Compute NTR quantiles

Description

Computes quantiles from the NTR posterior and puts them into a new slot

Usage

```
ComputeNtrPosteriorQuantile(data, quantile, name)
ComputeNtrCI(data, CI.size = 0.95, name.lower = "lower", name.upper = "upper")
ComputeNtrPosteriorLower(data, CI.size = 0.95, name = "lower")
ComputeNtrPosteriorUpper(data, CI.size = 0.95, name = "upper")
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object
quantile	which quantile to compute
name	the name of the new slot to put quantile values in
CI.size	A number between 0 and 1 representing the size of the credible interval
name.lower	the name of the new slot to put the lower bound of the CI in
name.upper	the name of the new slot to put the upper bound of the CI in

Details

The NTR posterior distribution can be approximated by a beta distribution. ComputeNtrPosteriorQuantile computes any quantile from this Beta approximation ComputeNtrPosteriorLower computes the (1-CI.size)/2 quantile ComputeNtrPosteriorUpper computes the 1-(1-CI.size)/2 quantile ComputeNtrCI computes both of these quantiles.

Value

a new grandR object containing an additional slot

ComputePseudoNtr

Description

NTRs can be computed from given new and total counts.

Usage

```
ComputePseudoNtr(
   data,
   new.slot,
   total.slot = DefaultSlot(data),
   detection.rate = 1
)
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object
new.slot	the slot containing new RNA counts
total.slot	the slot containing total RNA counts
detection.rate	the detection rate of T-to-C mismatch reads (see details)

Details

To correct for some bias, a detection rate (as suggested by Cao et al., Nature Biotech 2020) should be provided. This detection rate defines, how much new RNA is detected on average using the T-to-C mismatch reads.

Value

a new grandR object

ComputeSteadyStateHalfLives

Steady state half-lives for each sample

Description

Transforms each NTR to a half-life value (assuming steady state gene expression) and puts them into a new slot or adds an analysis

ComputeSummaryStatistics

Usage

```
ComputeSteadyStateHalfLives(
   data,
   time = Design$dur.4sU,
   name = "HL",
   columns = NULL,
   max.HL = 48,
   CI.size = 0.95,
   compute.CI = FALSE,
   as.analysis = FALSE
)
```

.

Arguments

data	the grandR object
time	either a number indicating the labeling time, or a name of the Coldata table
name	the name of the new slot/analysis to put half-life values in
columns	which columns (i.e. samples or cells) to return; sets as.analysis to TRUE (see details)
max.HL	all values above this will be set to this
CI.size	A number between 0 and 1 representing the size of the credible interval
compute.CI	it TRUE, credible intervals are computed, this also sets as.analysis to TRUE
as.analysis	if TRUE add the results as analysis and not as data slot

Details

An NTR value p can be transformed into an RNA half-live using the equation log(2)/(-1/t*log(1-p)) This is described in our GRAND-SLAM paper (Juerges et al., Bioinformatics 2018).

Columns can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment havin the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition=="x").

Value

a new grandR object with an additional slot or analysis

ComputeSummaryStatistics

Compute summary statistics

Description

Summary statistics are computed for all samples (or cells).

Usage

```
ComputeSummaryStatistics(
   data,
   pairs = Findno4sUPairs(data),
   coldata = FALSE,
   do.bootstrap = FALSE,
   seed = 1337
)
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object
pairs	a no4sU pairs list as generated by Findno4sUPairs
coldata	if TRUE, add the coldata table
do.bootstrap	if TRUE, also report standard errors of the 4sU dropout estimated via bootstrapping
seed	the seed for the random number generator for bootstrapping

Value

a table of summary statistics including:

- Mean LFC: the mean absolute log2 fold change of each sample vs the corresponding 4sU naive sample
- 4sU dropout: the estimated 4sU dropout percentage
- p.conv: The 4sU incorporation frequency estimated by GRAND-SLAM
- Frction labelled: the global NTR

 ${\tt ComputeTotalExpression}$

Total expression computation

Description

Compute the total expression for a particular set of genes.

Usage

```
ComputeTotalExpression(
   data,
   name,
   genes = Genes(data),
   mode.slot = DefaultSlot(data)
)
```

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Condition

Arguments

data	the grandR object
name	the new name by which this is added to the Coldata
genes	define the set of genes to compute the percentage for
mode.slot	which mode.slot to take the values for computing the percentage from

Details

Genes can be referred to by their names, symbols, row numbers in the gene table, or a logical vector referring to the gene table rows.

To refer to data slots, the mode.slot syntax can be used: Each name is either a data slot, or one of (new,old,total) followed by a dot followed by a slot. For new or old, the data slot value is multiplied by ntr or 1-ntr. This can be used e.g. to filter by *new counts*.

Value

a new grandR object having the total expression in its Coldata table

See Also

Coldata

Condition

Get or set the conditions in the column annotation table.

Description

The conditions column from the column annotation table is used by several functions to stratify the columns (samples or cells) during the analysis (e.g. to estimate separate kinetic parameters with FitKinetics or it is used as covariate for LFC or LikelihoodRatioTest). For that reason there are special functions to set and get this column.

Usage

Condition(data, value = NULL)

Condition(data) <- value</pre>

Arguments

data	A grandR object
value	Either a vector of column names from the column annotation table, or the con-
	dition names themselves

Details

If the conditions column does not exist (or has been set to NULL), all analysis functions will work without stratifying samples or cells. The condition can also be set up directly when loading data, by using *Condition* as one of the design vector entries (see below).

The condition can be set either by data<-Condition(data, names) or by Condition(data)<-names.

Value

Either the values of the condition column for Condition(data) or the grandR data object having the new condition column

See Also

Coldata

Examples

correctdropout Correct for 4sU dropout

Description

For several potential reasons, a sample specific percentage of reads from labelled RNA might be lost. This can be corrected for by increasing the amount of labelled RNA (see details).

Usage

```
Correct4sUDropoutHLFactor(
   data,
   pairs = Findno4sUPairs(data),
   factors = Estimate4sUDropoutPercentage(data, pairs = pairs, ...),
   ...
)
```

Correct4sUDropoutHLSpline(data, pairs = Findno4sUPairs(data), spline.df = 15)

CreateConvolutionTable

Arguments

data	a grandR object
pairs	a no4sU pairs list as generated by Findno4sUPairs
factors	the 4sU dropout percentages
	further arguments to be passed to or from other methods.
spline.df	the degrees of freedom to be used for smoothing splines

Details

The factor based correction approach requires estimates of the 4sU dropout percentage d. Labelled RNA is multiplied by 1/(1-d), and total count and NTRs are adapted accordingly. alpha and beta are also adapted such that their sum is maintained, but the mean of the corresponding beta function is the new NTR. All other slots are treated to be expression estimates (and are adapted accordingly).

The spline approach uses quantile regression to fit a smoothing spline to the 4sU dropout rank plot, which is then used to correct labelled RNA.

Value

a new grandR object that is corrected for 4sU dropout

See Also

Estimate4sUDropoutPercentage,ComputeSummaryStatistics

CreateConvolutionTable

Create Convolution Table from a Seurat object

Description

Create Convolution Table from a Seurat object

Usage

```
CreateConvolutionTable(data, n.neighbors = 20)
```

Arguments

data	a Seurat object
n.neighbors	the number of neighbors to be convoluted

Details

This function returns a table which can be used as input for GRAND3. Note that a data set contatining multiple time points should be split before convolution.

Value

a table with two columns "Cell" and "Pseudobulk"

CreatePdfs

Convencience methods for creating QC pdfs

Description

These methods are invoked by GRAND3 to generate pdfs.

Usage

```
CreatePdfs(data, labels = NULL, estimators = NULL)
CreatePdfsParameters(data, labels = NULL, estimators = NULL)
CreatePdfsComparison(data, labels = NULL, estimators = NULL)
CreatePdfsProfiles(data, labels = NULL, estimators = NULL)
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object
labels	which label to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); if NULL, all available estimators are used
estimators	which estimator to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); if NULL, all available estimators are used

Functions

- CreatePdfs(): Create all pdfs
- CreatePdfsParameters(): Create pdfs visualizing the estimated parameters
- CreatePdfsComparison(): Create pdfs comparing the estimated parameters
- CreatePdfsProfiles(): Create pdfs visualizing the profile likelihoods

CreatePseudobulkTable Create Pseudobulk Table from a Seurat object

Description

Create Pseudobulk Table from a Seurat object

Usage

```
CreatePseudobulkTable(
  data,
  name.column = "Name",
  pseudobulk.column = "Condition"
)
```

Arguments

data	a Seurat object
name.column	name of the metadata column containing the sample/cell names. Default "Name".
pseudobulk.column	
	name of the metadata column containing the Pseudobulk names. Default "Con- dition".

Details

This function returns a table which can be used as input for GRAND3

Value

a table with two columns "Cell" and "Pseudobulk"

data.apply

Internal function to apply functions to all slots etc.

Description

Internal function to apply functions to all slots etc.

Usage

```
data.apply(data, fun, fun.gene.info = NULL, fun.coldata = NULL, ...)
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object
fun	apply this function to each data slot (i.e. it receives each data matrix)
fun.gene.info	apply this function to the gene info table
fun.coldata	apply this function to the column annotation table
	passed further to fun, fun.gene.info and fun.coldata

Details

The additional parameters are provided to each of the functions.

Value

A new grandR object

DefaultSlot

Get or set the default slot for a grandR object.

Description

The default slot is used by default by many functions including GetData,GetTable or FitKinetics

Usage

DefaultSlot(data, value = NULL)

DefaultSlot(data) <- value</pre>

Arguments

data	A grandR object
value	the name of the new default slot

Details

The default slot can be set either by data<-DefaultSlot(data, "norm") or by DefaultSlot(data)<- "norm".

Value

Either the name of the default slot for DefaultSlot(data) or the grandR data object having the new default slot

See Also

Slots

Defer

Examples

Defer

Defer calling a function

Description

This generates a function with one mandatory parameter (and additional optional parameters) that, when called, (i) also receives the parameters given when calling Defer, and (ii) after calling it each element of the add list is appended by +. When no optional parameters are given, the result is cached.

Usage

Defer(FUN, ..., add = NULL, cache = TRUE, width.height = NULL)

Arguments

FUN	the function to be deferred
	additional parameters to be used when the deferred function is called
add	list containing additional elements to be added + to the result of the deferred function
cache	use caching mechanism
width.height	a vector containing the desired width and height (not checked!)

Details

The following expressions are very similar: f <- function(d) Heavy.function(d) and f <- Defer(Heavy.function). In both cases, you get a function f that you can call for some d, which in turn calls Heavy.function. The only difference is that in the second case, the result is cached: Heavy.function is called only once when first calling f, if f is called a second time, the previous result is returned. This makes sense if the parameter d is constant (like a grandR object) and if Heavy.function is deterministic.

If additional parameters are provided to f, caching is disabled. If any of these additional parameters has the same name as the parameters given to Defer(), the parameters given to Defer() are overwritten. Be careful if Heavy.function is not deterministic (see examples).

Use case scenario: You want to produce a heatmap from a grandR object to be used as plot.static in the shiny web interface. PlotHeatmap takes some time, and the resulting object is pretty large in memory. Saving the heatmap object to disk is very inefficient (the Rdata file will be huge, especially with many heatmaps). Deferring the call without caching also is bad, because whenever the user clicks onto the heatmap, it is regenerated.

Value

a function that can be called

Examples

```
Heavy.function <- function(data) rnorm(5,mean=data)
f1=Defer(Heavy.function)
f2=function(d) Heavy.function(d)
f2(4)
f2(4) # these are not equal, as rnorm is called twice
f1(4)
f1(4) # these are equal, as the result of rnorm is cached</pre>
```

density2d

Density estimation in 2d

Description

Estimate point densities on a regular grid for.

Usage

```
density2d(x, y, facet = NULL, n = 100, margin = "n")
```

Arguments

x	x coordinates
У	y coordinates
facet	factor: estimate for each unique factor; can be NULL
n	size of the grid
margin	one of 'n','x' or 'y'; should the density be computed along both axes ('n'), or along 'x' or 'y' axis only

Value

a density value for each point

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DESeq2BIC

Description

Compute the delta BIC for a list of potential models

Usage

```
DESeq2BIC(
   data,
   name = "BIC",
   mode = "total",
   normalization = mode,
   formulas = list(Condition = ~Condition, Background = ~1),
   no4sU = FALSE,
   columns = NULL,
   verbose = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object
name	the user defined analysis name to store the results
mode	either "total", "new" or "old"
normalization	normalize on "total", "new", or "old" (see details)
formulas	list of formulas specifying the models (you can use any column name from the Coldata(data))
no4sU	Use no4sU columns (TRUE) or not (FALSE)
columns	logical vector of which columns (samples or cells) to use (or NULL: use all)
verbose	Print status updates

Details

DESeq2 by default performs size factor normalization. When computing differential expression of new RNA, it might be sensible to normalize w.r.t. to total RNA, i.e. use the size factors computed from total RNA instead of computed from new RNA. This can be accomplished by setting mode to "new", and normalization to "total"!

Value

a new grandR object including a new analysis table. The columns of the new analysis table are named as <name in list>.dBIC

Design

Description

These predefined names mainly are implemented here to harmonize analyses. It is good practise to use these names if sensible.

Usage

Design

Format

An object of class list of length 11.

DesignSemantics Build the design semantics list

Description

This is used to add additional columns to the Coldata table by giving additional semantics to existing columns.

Usage

DesignSemantics(...)

Arguments

. . .

named parameter list of functions (see details)

Details

DesignSemantics returns a list of functions that is supposed to be used as semantics parameter when calling MakeColdata. For each design vector element matching a name of this list the corresponding function is called by MakeColdata to add additional columns.

Each function takes two parameters, the first being the original column in the Coldata table column, the second being its name.

Semantics.time is such a predefined function: Contents such as 3h or 30min are converted into a numerical value (in hours), and no4sU is converted into 0.

Semantics.concentration is such a predefined function: Contents such as 200uM or 1mM are converted into a numerical value (in uM), and no4sU is converted into 0.

By default, Semantics.time is used for the names duration.4sU and Experimental.time, and Semantics.concentration is used for concentration.4sU

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Value

a named list; the names should correspond to column names in the Coldata table, and the values are functions to add semantics to this table

See Also

MakeColdata

Semantics.time(c("5h","30min","no4sU"),"Test")

Examples

```
myfun <- function(s,name) {
    r<-Semantics.time(s,name)
    cbind(r,data.frame(hpi=paste0(r$duration.4sU+3,"h")))
}
sars <- ReadGRAND(system.file("extdata", "sars.tsv.gz", package = "grandR"),
    design=function(names)
    MakeColdata(names,c("Cell",Design$dur.4sU,Design$Replicate),
    semantics=DesignSemantics(duration.4sU=myfun)),
    verbose=TRUE)
Coldata(sars)</pre>
```

```
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```

Perform 4sU dropout tests

Description

Testing for RNA dropout of a 4sU sample is performed by comparing half-lives or NTR ranks against the log2 fold change of the 4sU sample vs equivalent no4sU samples.

Usage

```
Plot4sUDropoutRankAll(data, pairs = Findno4sUPairs(data), ...)
Plot4sUDropoutAll(data, pairs = Findno4sUPairs(data), ...)
Plot4sUDropoutDeferAll(data, pairs = NULL, ...)
Plot4sUDropoutRankDeferAll(data, pairs = NULL, ...)
Plot4sUDropoutRank(
    data,
    w4sU,
    no4sU = Findno4sUPairs(data)[[w4sU]],
    ntr = w4sU,
```

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```
ylim = NULL,
 LFC.fun = lfc::PsiLFC,
  slot = "count",
  correction = 1,
  label.corr = TRUE,
  return.corr = FALSE,
 boxplot.bins = 10,
  title = w4sU,
  size = 1.5,
  invert.ranks = FALSE
)
Plot4sUDropout(
  data,
 w4sU,
  no4sU = Findno4sUPairs(data)[[w4sU]],
 ntr = w4sU,
 ylim = NULL,
 LFC.fun = lfc::PsiLFC,
  slot = "count",
 hl.quantile = 0.8,
 h1 = NULL,
  correction = 1,
 label.corr = FALSE,
 return.corr = FALSE,
  title = w4sU,
 size = 1.5,
  color.by.ntr = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object
pairs	a no4sU pairs list as generated by Findno4sUPairs
	further arguments to be passed to or from other methods.
w4sU	the name of a 4sU sample
no4sU	the name(s) of equivalent no4sU sample(s)
ntr	the name of a sample to take NTRs from (usually equal to w4sU)
ylim	y axis limits
LFC.fun	function to compute log fold change (default: PsiLFC, other viable option: NormLFC)
slot	the slot of the grandR object to take the data from; for PsiLFC, this really should be "count"!
correction	correction factor
label.corr	add statistics as subtitle

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return.corr	instead of only the ggplot object, return a list with slots plot (what is normally returned) and label (the correlation statistics)
boxplot.bins	how many boxplots for Plot4sUDropoutRank
title	the main title for the plot
size	the point size
invert.ranks	if TRUE, left to right on the plot is largest NTR to smallest NTR
hl.quantile	the half-life quantile to cut the plot
hl	if NULL, compute half-lives from the ntr column; otherwise, must be a vector containing half-lives
color.by.ntr	if true, compute the density colors along the ntr axis instead of globally

Details

The deferred versions are useful to be used in conjunction with ServeGrandR plot.static. Their implementation make sure that they are lightweight, i.e. when saving the returned function to an Rdata file, the grandR object is not stored.

Value

either a ggplot object, a list of ggplot objects, or a list of deferred functions for plotting

See Also

Findno4sUPairs,Defer

dropoutpercent Estimate 4sU dropout percentages

Description

For several potential reasons, a sample specific percentage of reads from labelled RNA might be lost. This percentage can be estimated from data of this sample and an equivalent 4sU naive control (see details).

Usage

```
Estimate4sUDropoutPercentage(data, pairs = Findno4sUPairs(data), ...)
```

```
Estimate4sUDropoutPercentageForSample(
  data,
  w4sU,
  no4sU,
  ntr = w4sU,
  LFC.fun = lfc::PsiLFC,
  type = c("spearman", "quantreg", "linear", "lowess"),
  bootstrap = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object
pairs	a no4sU pairs list as generated by Findno4sUPairs
	further arguments to be passed to or from other methods.
w4sU	the name of a 4sU sample
no4sU	the name(s) of equivalent no4sU sample(s)
ntr	the name of a sample to take NTRs from (usually equal to w4sU)
LFC.fun	function to compute log fold change (default: PsiLFC, other viable option: NormLFC)
type	one of "spearman", "quantreg", "linear" or "lowess" (see details)
bootstrap	if TRUE, perform a single bootstrap sample (by drawing genes with replace- ment)

Details

The percentage of 4sU dropout is estimated by numerical optimization of the factor f that has to be multiplied with the NTR to mitigate the effect of 4sU dropout. The exact objective function depends on the type parameter:

- spearman: f is estimated such that the spearman correlation coefficient of the log2 fold change 4sU/no4sU vs the ntr rank is 0
- quantreg: f is estimated such that the slope of a median regression with the the ntr rank as independent variable and the log2 fold change 4sU/no4sU as dependent variable is 0
- linear: f is estimated such that the slope of a linear regression with the the ntr rank as independent variable and the log2 fold change 4sU/no4sU as dependent variable is 0
- lowess: f is estimated by minimizing the sum-of-squares of the residuals from a lowess regression with the the ntr rank as independent variable and the log2 fold change 4sU/no4sU as dependent variable is 0

Once f is computed the percentage of 4sU dropout is f/(f+1).

Value

the percentage of 4sU dropout for a single sample (Estimate4sUDropoutPercentageForSample) or all samples (Estimate4sUDropoutPercentage)

See Also

Correct4sUDropoutHLFactor,ComputeSummaryStatistics
estimate.dispersion Estimate dispersion parameters for a count matrix using DESeq2

Description

Estimate dispersion parameters for a count matrix using DESeq2

Usage

```
estimate.dispersion(ss)
```

Arguments ss

the count matrix

Value

a vector of dispersion parameters (to be used as size=1/dispersion for Xnbinom functions)

EstimateRegulation *Estimate regulation from snapshot experiments*

Description

Compute the posterior log2 fold change distributions of RNA synthesis and degradation

Usage

```
EstimateRegulation(
  data,
  name.prefix = "Regulation",
  contrasts,
  reference.columns = NULL,
  slot = DefaultSlot(data),
  time.labeling = Design$dur.4sU,
  time.experiment = NULL,
  ROPE.max.log2FC = 0.25,
  sample.f0.in.ss = TRUE,
 N = 10000,
 N.max = N * 10,
  CI.size = 0.95,
  seed = 1337,
  dispersion = NULL,
  sample.level = 2,
  correct.labeling = FALSE,
  verbose = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object	
name.prefix	the prefix for the new analysis name; a dot and the column names of the contrast matrix are appended; can be NULL (then only the contrast matrix names are used)	
contrasts	contrast matrix that defines all pairwise comparisons, generated using GetCon- trasts	
reference.colum	ins	
	a reference matrix usually generated by FindReferences to define reference samples for each sample; can be NULL if all conditions are at steady state (see details)	
slot	the data slot to take f0 and totals from	
time.labeling	the column in the Coldata table denoting the labeling duration, or the numeric labeling duration itself	
time.experiment		
	the column in the Coldata table denoting the experimental time point (can be NULL, see details)	
ROPE.max.log2FC		
	the region of practical equivalence is [-ROPE.max.log2FC,ROPE.max.log2FC] in log2 fold change space	
<pre>sample.f0.in.ss</pre>		
	whether or not to sample f0 under steady state conditions	
Ν	the sample size	
N.max	the maximal number of samples (necessary if old RNA > f0); if more are neces- sary, a warning is generated	
CI.size	A number between 0 and 1 representing the size of the credible interval	
seed	Seed for the random number generator	
dispersion	overdispersion parameter for each gene; if NULL this is estimated from data	
sample.level	Define how the NTR is sampled from the hierarchical Bayesian model (must be $0,1$, or 2; see details)	
correct.labeling		
	Labeling times have to be unique; usually execution is aborted, if this is not the case; if this is set to true, the median labeling time is assumed	
verbose	Print status messages	

Details

The kinetic parameters s and d are computed using TransformSnapshot. For that, the sample either must be in steady state (this is the case if defined in the reference.columns matrix), or if the levels at an earlier time point are known from separate samples, so called temporal reference samples. Thus, if s and d are estimated for a set of samples $x_1,...,x_k$ (that must be from the same time point t), we need to find (i) the corresponding temporal reference samples from time t0, and (ii) the time difference between t and t0.

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The temporal reference samples are identified by the reference.columns matrix. This is a square matrix of logicals, rows and columns correspond to all samples and TRUE indicates that the row sample is a temporal reference of the columns sample. This time point is defined by time.experiment. If time.experiment is NULL, then the labeling time of the A or B samples is used (e.g. useful if labeling was started concomitantly with the perturbation, and the steady state samples are unperturbed samples).

By default, the hierarchical Bayesian model is estimated. If sample.level = 0, the NTRs are sampled from a beta distribution that approximates the mixture of betas from the replicate samples. If sample.level = 1, only the first level from the hierarchical model is sampled (corresponding to the uncertainty of estimating the biological variability). If sample.level = 2, the first and second levels are estimated (corresponding to the full hierarchical model).

if N is set to 0, then no sampling from the posterior is performed, but the transformed MAP estimates are returned

Value

a new grandR object including a new analysis table. The columns of the new analysis table are

"s.A"	the posterior mean synthesis rate for sample A from the comparison	
"s.B"	the posterior mean synthesis rate for sample B from the comparison	
"HL.A"	the posterior mean RNA half-life for sample A from the comparison	
"HL.B"	the posterior mean RNA half-life for sample B from the comparison	
"s.log2FC"	the posterior mean synthesis rate log2 fold change	
"s.cred.lower"	the lower CI boundary of the synthesis rate log2 fold change	
"s.cred.upper"	the upper CI boundary of the synthesis rate log2 fold change	
"s.ROPE"	the signed ROPE probability (negative means downregulation) for the synthesis rate fold change	
"HL.log2FC"	the posterior mean half-life log2 fold change	
"HL.cred.lower"		
	the lower CI boundary of the half-life log2 fold change	
"HL.cred.upper"		
	the upper CI boundary of the half-life log2 fold change	
"HL.ROPE"	the signed ROPE probability (negative means downregulation) for the half-life fold change	

See Also

FitKineticsGeneSnapshot,FitKineticsSnapshot

Examples

f.nonconst

Function to compute the abundance of new or old RNA at time t for non-constant rates.

Description

The standard mass action kinetics model of gene expression arises from the differential equation df/dt = s(t) - d(t)f(t), with s(t) being the synthesis rate at time t, d(t) the degradation rate at time t and f0 = f(0) (the abundance at time 0). Here, both s and d have the following form $s(t) = so + sf \cdot t^{se}$.

Usage

f.nonconst(t, f0, s, d)

Arguments

t	time in h (can be a vector)
fØ	the abundance at time t=0
S	the synthesis rate (see details)
d	the degradation rate (see details)

Details

Both rates can be either (i) a single number (constant rate), (ii) a data frame with names "offset", "factor" and "exponent" (for linear functions, see ComputeNonConstantParam; only one row allowed) or (iii) a unary function time->rate. Functions

Value

the RNA abundance at time t

See Also

f.nonconst.linear

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Function to compute the abundance of new or old RNA at time t for non-constant rates.

Description

The standard mass action kinetics model of gene expression arises from the differential equation df/dt = s(t) - d(t)f(t), with s(t) being the synthesis rate at time t, d(t) the degradation rate at time t and f0 = f(0) (the abundance at time 0). Here, both s and d have the following form $s(t) = so + sf \cdot t^{se}$.

Usage

f.nonconst.linear(t, f0, so, sf, se, do, df, de)

Arguments

t	time in h (can be a vector)
fØ	the abundance at time t=0
SO	synthesis date offset
sf	synthesis date factor
se	synthesis date exponent
do	degradation rate offset
df	degradation rate factor
de	degradation rate exponent

Value

the RNA abundance at time t

See Also

f.nonconst

```
f.old.equi
```

Description

The standard mass action kinetics model of gene expression arises from the differential equation df/dt = s - df(t), with s being the constant synthesis rate, d the constant degradation rate and f0 = f(0) (the abundance at time 0).

Usage

f.old.equi(t, s, d)
f.old.nonequi(t, f0, s, d)
f.new(t, s, d)

Arguments

t	time in h
S	synthesis date in U/h (arbitrary unit U)
d	degradation rate in 1/h
fØ	the abundance at time t=0

Value

the RNA abundance at time t

Functions

- f.old.equi(): abundance of old RNA assuming steady state (i.e. f0=s/d)
- f.old.nonequi(): abundance of old RNA without assuming steady state
- f.new(): abundance of new RNA (steady state does not matter)

Examples

```
d=log(2)/2
s=10
```

```
f.new(2,s,d) \# Half-life 2, so after 2h the abundance should be half the steady state f.old.equi(2,s,d) s/d
```

```
t<-seq(0,10,length.out=100)
plot(t,f.new(t,s,d),type='l',col='blue',ylim=c(0,s/d))
lines(t,f.old.equi(t,s,d),col='red')
abline(h=s/d,lty=2)</pre>
```

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```
abline(v=2,lty=2)
# so old and new RNA are equal at t=HL (if it is at steady state at t=0)
plot(t,f.new(t,s,d),type='l',col='blue')
lines(t,f.old.nonequi(t,f0=15,s,d),col='red')
abline(h=s/d,lty=2)
abline(v=2,lty=2)
# so old and new RNA are not equal at t=HL (if it is not at steady state at t=0)
```

Filter genes

FilterGenes

Description

Return a grandR object with fewer genes than the given grandR object (usually to filter out weakly expressed genes).

Usage

```
FilterGenes(
   data,
   mode.slot = "count",
   minval = 100,
   mincol = ncol(data)/2,
   min.cond = NULL,
   use = NULL,
   keep = NULL,
   return.genes = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object
mode.slot	the mode.slot that is used for filtering (see details)
minval	the minimal value for retaining a gene
mincol	the minimal number of columns (i.e. samples or cells) a gene has to have a value >= minval
min.cond	if not NULL, do not compare values per column, but per condition (see details)
use	if not NULL, defines the genes directly that are supposed to be retained (see details)
keep	if not NULL, defines genes directly, that should be kept even though they do not adhere to the filtering criteria (see details)
return.genes	if TRUE, return the gene names instead of a new grandR object

Details

By default genes are retained, if they have 100 read counts in at least half of the columns (i.e. samples or cells).

The use parameter can be used to define genes to be retained directly. The keep parameter, in contrast, defines *additional* genes to be retained. For both, genes can be referred to by their names, symbols, row numbers in the gene table, or a logical vector referring to the gene table rows.

To refer to data slots, the mode.slot syntax can be used: Each name is either a data slot, or one of (new,old,total) followed by a dot followed by a slot. For new or old, the data slot value is multiplied by ntr or 1-ntr. This can be used e.g. to filter by *new counts*.

if the min.cond parameter is given, first all columns belonging to the same Condition are summed up, and then the usual filtering is performed by conditions instead of by columns.

Value

either a new grandR object (if return.genes=FALSE), or a vector containing the gene names that would be retained

Examples

These are the 11 viral genes.

Findno4sUPairs Find equivalent no4sU samples for 4sU samples

Description

Identify all no4sU samples in the same condition, and return everything as a list to be used in Plot4sUDropout, Plot4sUDropoutRank, Plot4sUDropoutAll, Plot4sUDropoutRankAll

Usage

```
Findno4sUPairs(data, paired.replicates = FALSE, discard.no4sU = TRUE)
```

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Arguments

data	a grandR object	
paired.replicates		
	pair replicates, i.e. only no4sU.A is found for 4sU.A	
discard.no4sU	do not report references for no4sU samples	

Value

a named list containing, for each 4sU sample, a vector of equivalent no4sU samples

See Also

Plot4sUDropout, Plot4sUDropoutRank, Plot4sUDropoutAll, Plot4sUDropoutRankAll

Examples

FindReferences	Obtain reference columns (samples or cells) for all columns (samples
	or cells) in the data set

Description

In some situations (see examples) it is required to find a reference sample of some kind for each sample in a data set. This is a convenience method to find such reference samples, and provide them as a lookup table.

Usage

```
FindReferences(
   data,
   reference = NULL,
   reference.function = NULL,
   group = NULL,
   as.list = FALSE,
   columns = NULL
)
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object	
reference	Expression evaluating to a logical vector to indicate which columns are reference columns; evaluated in an environment having the columns of Coldata(data)	
reference.function		
	Function evaluating to a logical vector to indicate which columns are reference columns; called with the data frame row corresponding to the sample, and evaluated in an environment having the columns of Coldata(data)	
group	a vector of colnames in Coldata(data)	
as.list	return it as a list (names correspond to each sample, elements are the reference samples)	
columns	find references only for a subset of the columns (samples or cells; can be NULL)	

Details

Without any group, the list simply contains all references for each sample/cell. With groups defined, each list entry consists of all references from the same group.

Columns can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment havin the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition=="x").

Value

A logical matrix that contains for each sample or cell (in columns) a TRUE for the corresponding corresponding reference samples or cells in rows

See Also

Coldata, Findno4sUPairs, Condition

Examples

FitKinetics

Description

Fit the standard mass action kinetics model of gene expression by different methods. Some methods require steady state assumptions, for others data must be properly normalized. The parameters are fit per Condition.

Usage

```
FitKinetics(
   data,
   name.prefix = "kinetics",
   type = c("nlls", "ntr", "lm", "chase"),
   slot = DefaultSlot(data),
   time = Design$dur.4sU,
   CI.size = 0.95,
   return.fields = c("Synthesis", "Half-life"),
   return.extra = NULL,
   ...
)
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object
name.prefix	the prefix of the analysis name to be stored in the grandR object
type	Which method to use (either one of "full", "ntr", "lm", "chase")
slot	The data slot to take expression values from
time	The column in the column annotation table representing the labeling duration
CI.size	A number between 0 and 1 representing the size of the confidence interval
return.fields	which statistics to return (see details)
return.extra	additional statistics to return (see details)
	$forwarded \ to \ {\tt FitKineticsGeneNtr}, \\ {\tt FitKineticsGeneLeastSquares} \ or \ {\tt FitKineticsGeneLogSpaceLinet} \\ for \ {\tt FitKineticsGeneLogSpaceLinet} \\ $

Details

The start of labeling for all samples should be the same experimental time point. The fit gets more precise with multiple samples from multiple labeling durations.

The standard mass action kinetics model of gene expression arises from the following differential equation:

$$df/dt = s - df(t)$$

This model assumes constant synthesis and degradation rates. Based on this, there are different ways for fitting the parameters:

- FitKineticsGeneLeastSquares: non-linear least squares fit on the full model; depends on proper normalization; can work without steady state; assumption of homoscedastic gaussian errors is theoretically not justified
- FitKineticsGeneLogSpaceLinear: linear model fit on the old RNA; depends on proper normalization; assumes steady state for estimating the synthesis rate; assumption of homoscedastic gaussian errors in log space is problematic and theoretically not justified
- FitKineticsGeneNtr: maximum a posteriori fit on the NTR posterior transformed to the degradation rate; as it is based on the NTR only, it is independent on proper normalization; assumes steady state; theoretically well justified

Pulse-chase designs are fit using FitKineticsGeneLeastSquares while only considering the drop of labeled RNA. Note that in this case the notion "new" / "old" RNA is misleading, since labeled RNA corresponds to pre-existing RNA!

This function is flexible in what to put in the analysis table. You can specify the statistics using return.fields and return.extra (see kinetics2vector)

Value

A new grandR object with the fitted parameters as an analysis table

See Also

FitKineticsGeneNtr, FitKineticsGeneLeastSquares, FitKineticsGeneLogSpaceLinear

Examples

FitKineticsGeneLeastSquares Fit a kinetic model according to non-linear least squares.

Description

Fit the standard mass action kinetics model of gene expression using least squares (i.e. assuming gaussian homoscedastic errors) for the given gene. The fit takes both old and new RNA into account and requires proper normalization, but can be performed without assuming steady state. The parameters are fit per Condition.

Usage

```
FitKineticsGeneLeastSquares(
   data,
   gene,
   slot = DefaultSlot(data),
   time = Design$dur.4sU,
   chase = FALSE,
   CI.size = 0.95,
   steady.state = NULL,
   use.old = TRUE,
   use.new = TRUE,
   maxiter = 250,
   compute.residuals = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object
gene	The gene for which to fit the model
slot	The data slot to take expression values from
time	The column in the column annotation table representing the labeling duration
chase	is this a pulse-chase experiment? (see details)
CI.size	A number between 0 and 1 representing the size of the confidence interval
steady.state	either a named list of logical values representing conditions in steady state or not, or a single logical value for all conditions
use.old	a logical vector to exclude old RNA from specific time points
use.new	a logical vector to exclude new RNA from specific time points
maxiter	the maximal number of iterations for the Levenberg-Marquardt algorithm used to minimize the least squares
compute.residuals	

set this to TRUE to compute the residual matrix

Details

The start of labeling for all samples should be the same experimental time point. The fit gets more precise with multiple samples from multiple labeling durations. In particular (but not only) without assuming steady state, also a sample without 4sU (representing time 0) is useful.

The standard mass action kinetics model of gene expression arises from the following differential equation:

$$df/dt = s - df(t)$$

This model assumes constant synthesis and degradation rates (but not necessarily that the system is in steady state at time 0). From the solution of this differential equation, it is straight forward to derive the expected abundance of old and new RNA at time t for given parameters s (synthesis

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rate), d (degradation rate) and f0=f(0) (the abundance at time 0). These equations are implemented in f.old.equi (old RNA assuming steady state gene expression, i.e. f0=s/d), f.old.nonequi (old RNA without assuming steady state gene expression) and f.new (new RNA; whether or not it is steady state does not matter).

This function finds s and d such that the squared error between the observed values of old and new RNA and their corresponding functions is minimized. For that to work, data has to be properly normalized.

For pulse-chase designs, only the drop of the labeled RNA is considered. Note that in this case the notion "new" / "old" RNA is misleading, since labeled RNA corresponds to pre-existing RNA!

Value

A named list containing the model fit:

- data: a data frame containing the observed value used for fitting
- residuals: the computed residuals if compute.residuals=TRUE, otherwise NA
- Synthesis: the synthesis rate (in U/h, where U is the unit of the slot)
- Degradation: the degradation rate (in 1/h)
- Half-life: the RNA half-life (in h, always equal to log(2)/degradation-rate
- conf.lower: a vector containing the lower confidence bounds for Synthesis, Degradation and Half-life
- conf.upper: a vector containing the lower confidence bounds for Synthesis, Degradation and Half-life
- f0: The abundance at time 0 (in U)
- logLik: the log likelihood of the model
- rmse: the total root mean square error
- · rmse.new: the total root mean square error for all new RNA values used for fitting
- rmse.old: the total root mean square error for all old RNA values used for fitting
- total: the total sum of all new and old RNA values used for fitting
- type: non-equi or equi

If Condition(data) is not NULL, the return value is a named list (named according to the levels of Condition(data)), each element containing such a structure.

See Also

FitKinetics, FitKineticsGeneLogSpaceLinear, FitKineticsGeneNtr

Examples

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FitKineticsGeneLogSpaceLinear

Fit a kinetic model using a linear model.

Description

Fit the standard mass action kinetics model of gene expression using a linear model after logtransforming the observed values (i.e. assuming gaussian homoscedastic errors of the logarithmized values) for the given gene. The fit takes only old RNA into account and requires proper normalization, but can be performed without assuming steady state for the degradation rate. The parameters are fit per Condition.

Usage

```
FitKineticsGeneLogSpaceLinear(
   data,
   gene,
   slot = DefaultSlot(data),
   time = Design$dur.4sU,
   CI.size = 0.95
)
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object
gene	The gene for which to fit the model
slot	The data slot to take expression values from
time	The column in the column annotation table representing the labeling duration
CI.size	A number between 0 and 1 representing the size of the confidence interval

Details

The start of labeling for all samples should be the same experimental time point. The fit gets more precise with multiple samples from multiple labeling durations. Also a sample without 4sU (representing time 0) is useful.

The standard mass action kinetics model of gene expression arises from the following differential equation:

$$df/dt = s - df(t)$$

This model assumes constant synthesis and degradation rates (but not necessarily that the system is in steady state at time 0). From the solution of this differential equation, it is straight forward to derive the expected abundance of old and new RNA at time t for given parameters s (synthesis rate), d (degradation rate) and f0=f(0) (the abundance at time 0). These equations are implemented in f.old.equi (old RNA assuming steady state gene expression, i.e. f0=s/d), f.old.nonequi (old

RNA without assuming steady state gene expression) and f.new (new RNA; whether or not it is steady state does not matter).

This function primarily finds d such that the squared error between the observed values of old and new RNA and their corresponding functions is minimized in log space. For that to work, data has to be properly normalized, but this is independent on any steady state assumptions. The synthesis rate is computed (under the assumption of steady state) as $s = f0 \cdot d$

Value

A named list containing the model fit:

- · data: a data frame containing the observed value used for fitting
- Synthesis: the synthesis rate (in U/h, where U is the unit of the slot)
- Degradation: the degradation rate (in 1/h)
- Half-life: the RNA half-life (in h, always equal to log(2)/degradation-rate
- conf.lower: a vector containing the lower confidence bounds for Synthesis, Degradation and Half-life
- conf.upper: a vector containing the lower confidence bounds for Synthesis, Degradation and Half-life
- f0: The abundance at time 0 (in U)
- logLik: the log likelihood of the model
- · rmse: the total root mean square error
- adj.r.squared: adjusted R^2 of the linear model fit
- total: the total sum of all new and old RNA values used for fitting
- type: always "lm"

If Condition(data) is not NULL, the return value is a named list (named according to the levels of Condition(data)), each element containing such a structure.

See Also

FitKinetics, FitKineticsGeneLeastSquares, FitKineticsGeneNtr

Examples

FitKineticsGeneNtr

Fit a kinetic model using the degradation rate transformed NTR posterior distribution.

Description

Fit the standard mass action kinetics model of gene expression by maximum a posteriori on a model based on the NTR posterior. The fit takes only the NTRs into account and is completely independent on normalization, but it cannot be performed without assuming steady state. The parameters are fit per Condition.

Usage

```
FitKineticsGeneNtr(
   data,
   gene,
   slot = DefaultSlot(data),
   time = Design$dur.4sU,
   CI.size = 0.95,
   transformed.NTR.MAP = TRUE,
   exact.ci = FALSE,
   total.fun = median
)
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object	
gene	The gene for which to fit the model	
slot	The data slot to take expression values from	
time	The column in the column annotation table representing the labeling duration	
CI.size	A number between 0 and 1 representing the size of the credible interval	
transformed.NTR.MAP		
	Use the transformed NTR MAP estimator instead of the MAP of the transformed posterior	
exact.ci	compute exact credible intervals (see details)	
total.fun	use this function to summarize the expression values (only relevant for computing the synthesis rate s)	

Details

The start of labeling for all samples should be the same experimental time point. The fit gets more precise with multiple samples from multiple labeling durations.

The standard mass action kinetics model of gene expression arises from the following differential equation:

$$df/dt = s - df(t)$$

This model assumes constant synthesis and degradation rates. Further assuming steady state allows to derive the function transforming from the NTR to the degradation rate d as d(ntr) = -1/tlog(1 - ntr). Furthermore, if the ntr is (approximately) beta distributed, it is possible to derive the distribution of the transformed random variable for the degradation rate (see Juerges et al., Bioinformatics 2018).

This function primarily finds d by maximizing the degradation rate posterior distribution. For that, data does not have to be normalized, but this only works under steady-state conditions. The synthesis rate is then computed (under the assumption of steady state) as $s = f0 \cdot d$

The maximum-a-posteriori estimator is biased. Bias can be removed by a correction factor (which is done by default).

By default the chi-squared approximation of the log-posterior function is used to compute credible intervals. If exact.ci is used, the posterior is integrated numerically.

Value

A named list containing the model fit:

- data: a data frame containing the observed value used for fitting
- Synthesis: the synthesis rate (in U/h, where U is the unit of the slot)
- Degradation: the degradation rate (in 1/h)
- Half-life: the RNA half-life (in h, always equal to log(2)/degradation-rate
- conf.lower: a vector containing the lower confidence bounds for Synthesis, Degradation and Half-life
- conf.upper: a vector containing the lower confidence bounds for Synthesis, Degradation and Half-life
- f0: The abundance at time 0 (in U)
- logLik: the log likelihood of the model
- rmse: the total root mean square error
- total: the total sum of all new and old RNA values used for fitting
- type: always "ntr"

If Condition(data) is not NULL, the return value is a named list (named according to the levels of Condition(data)), each element containing such a structure.

See Also

FitKinetics, FitKineticsGeneLeastSquares, FitKineticsGeneLogSpaceLinear

FitKineticsGeneSnapshot

Examples

FitKineticsGeneSnapshot

Compute the posterior distributions of RNA synthesis and degradation for a particular gene

Description

Compute the posterior distributions of RNA synthesis and degradation for a particular gene

Usage

```
FitKineticsGeneSnapshot(
  data,
  gene,
  columns = NULL,
  reference.columns = NULL,
  dispersion = NULL,
  slot = DefaultSlot(data),
  time.labeling = Design$dur.4sU,
  time.experiment = NULL,
  sample.f0.in.ss = TRUE,
  sample.level = 2,
  beta.prior = NULL,
  return.samples = FALSE,
  return.points = FALSE,
 N = 10000,
 N.max = N * 10,
 CI.size = 0.95,
  correct.labeling = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object
gene	a gene name or symbol or index
columns	samples or cell representing the same experimental condition (must refer to a unique labeling duration)

reference.columns		
	a reference matrix usually generated by FindReferences to define reference samples for each sample (see details)	
dispersion	dispersion parameter for the given columns (if NULL, this is estimated from the data, takes a lot of time!)	
slot	the data slot to take f0 and totals from	
time.labeling	the column in the column annotation table denoting the labeling duration or the labeling duration itself	
time.experiment		
	the column in the column annotation table denoting the experimental time point (can be NULL, see details)	
<pre>sample.f0.in.ss</pre>		
	whether or not to sample f0 under steady state conditions	
sample.level	Define how the NTR is sampled from the hierarchical Bayesian model (must be 0,1, or 2; see details)	
beta.prior	The beta prior for the negative binomial used to sample counts, if NULL, a beta distribution is fit to all expression values and given dispersions	
return.samples	return the posterior samples of the parameters?	
return.points	return the point estimates per replicate as well?	
Ν	the posterior sample size	
N.max	the maximal number of posterior samples (necessary if old RNA > f0); if more are necessary, a warning is generated	
CI.size	A number between 0 and 1 representing the size of the credible interval	
correct.labeling		

whether to correct labeling times

Details

The kinetic parameters s and d are computed using TransformSnapshot. For that, the sample either must be in steady state (this is the case if defined in the reference.columns matrix), or if the levels of reference samples from a specific prior time point are known. This time point is defined by time.experiment (i.e. the difference between the reference samples and samples themselves). If time.experiment is NULL, then the labeling time of the samples is used (e.g. useful if labeling was started concomitantly with the perturbation, and the reference samples are unperturbed samples).

By default, the hierarchical Bayesian model is estimated. If sample.level = 0, the NTRs are sampled from a beta distribution that approximates the mixture of betas from the replicate samples. If sample.level = 1, only the first level from the hierarchical model is sampled (corresponding to the uncertainty of estimating the biological variability). If sample.level = 2, the first and second levels are estimated (corresponding to the full hierarchical model).

Columns can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment having the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition=="x").

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Value

a list containing the posterior mean of s and s, its credible intervals and, if return.samples=TRUE a data frame containing all posterior samples

FitKineticsPulseR Fit kinetics using pulseR

Description

Fit kinetics using pulseR

Usage

```
FitKineticsPulseR(data, name = "pulseR", time = Design$dur.4sU)
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object
name	the user defined analysis name to store the results
time	The column in the column annotation table representing the labeling duration

Details

This is adapted code from https://github.com/dieterich-lab/ComparisonOfMetabolicLabeling

Value

a new grandR object containing the pulseR analyses in a new analysis table

FitKineticsSnapshot Fits RNA kinetics from snapshot experiments

Description

Compute the posterior distributions of RNA synthesis and degradation from snapshot experiments for each condition

Usage

```
FitKineticsSnapshot(
  data,
  name.prefix = "Kinetics",
  reference.columns = NULL,
  slot = DefaultSlot(data),
  conditions = NULL,
  time.labeling = Design$dur.4sU,
  time.experiment = NULL,
  sample.f0.in.ss = TRUE,
 N = 10000,
 N.max = N * 10,
 CI.size = 0.95,
  seed = 1337,
  dispersion = NULL,
  sample.level = 2,
  correct.labeling = FALSE,
  verbose = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object	
name.prefix	the prefix for the new analysis name; a dot and the column names of the contrast matrix are appended; can be NULL (then only the contrast matrix names are used)	
reference.colum	ins	
	a reference matrix usually generated by FindReferences to define reference samples for each sample (see details), can be NULL if all conditions are at steady state	
slot	the data slot to take f0 and totals from	
conditions	character vector of all condition names to estimate kinetics for; can be NULL (i.e. all conditions)	
time.labeling	the column in the column annotation table denoting the labeling duration or the labeling duration itself	
time.experiment	:	
	the column in the column annotation table denoting the experimental time point (can be NULL, see details)	
sample.f0.in.ss		
	whether or not to sample f0 under steady state conditions	
Ν	the sample size	
N.max	the maximal number of samples (necessary if old RNA > f0); if more are necessary, a warning is generated	
CI.size	A number between 0 and 1 representing the size of the credible interval	
seed	Seed for the random number generator	

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dispersion	overdispersion parameter for each gene; if NULL this is estimated from data	
sample.level	Define how the NTR is sampled from the hierarchical Bayesian model (must be $0,1$, or 2; see details)	
correct.labeling		
	Labeling times have to be unique; usually execution is aborted, if this is not the case; if this is set to true, the median labeling time is assumed	
verbose	Vebose output	

Details

The kinetic parameters s and d are computed using TransformSnapshot. For that, the sample either must be in steady state (this is the case if defined in the reference.columns matrix), or if the levels at an earlier time point are known from separate samples, so called temporal reference samples. Thus, if s and d are estimated for a set of samples $x_1,...,x_k$ (that must be from the same time point t), we need to find (i) the corresponding temporal reference samples from time t0, and (ii) the time difference between t and t0.

The temporal reference samples are identified by the reference.columns matrix. This is a square matrix of logicals, rows and columns correspond to all samples and TRUE indicates that the row sample is a temporal reference of the columns sample. This time point is defined by time.experiment. If time.experiment is NULL, then the labeling time of the A or B samples is used (e.g. useful if labeling was started concomitantly with the perturbation, and the steady state samples are unperturbed samples).

By default, the hierarchical Bayesian model is estimated. If sample.level = 0, the NTRs are sampled from a beta distribution that approximates the mixture of betas from the replicate samples. If sample.level = 1, only the first level from the hierarchical model is sampled (corresponding to the uncertainty of estimating the biological variability). If sample.level = 2, the first and second levels are estimated (corresponding to the full hierarchical model).

if N is set to 0, then no sampling from the posterior is performed, but the transformed MAP estimates are returned

Value

a new grandR object including new analysis tables (one per condition). The columns of the new analysis table are

"s"	the posterior mean synthesis rate
"HL"	the posterior mean RNA half-life
"s.cred.lower"	the lower CI boundary of the synthesis rate
"s.cred.upper"	the upper CI boundary of the synthesis rate
"HL.cred.lower"	,
	the lower CI boundary of the half-life
"HL.cred.upper"	,

the upper CI boundary of the half-life

FormatCorrelation Formatting function for correlations

Description

Returns a function that takes x and y and returns a formatted output to describe the correlation of x and y

Usage

```
FormatCorrelation(
  method = "pearson",
  n.format = NULL,
  coeff.format = "%.2f",
  p.format = "%.2g",
  slope.format = NULL,
  rmsd.format = NULL,
  min.obs = 5
)
```

Arguments

method	how to compute correlation coefficients (can be pearson, spearman or kendall)
n.format	format string for the number of data points (see sprintf); can be NULL (don't output the number of data points)
coeff.format	format string for the correlation coefficient (see sprintf); can be NULL (don't output the correlation coefficient)
p.format	format string for the P value (see sprintf); can be NULL (don't output the P value)
<pre>slope.format</pre>	format string for the slope (see sprintf); can be NULL (don't output the slope)
rmsd.format	format string for the root mean square deviation (see sprintf); can be NULL (don't output the rmsd)
min.obs	minimum number of observations (no output outerwise)

Details

Use this for the correlation parameter of PlotScatter

The slope is computed via a principal component analysis and *not* by linear regression

Value

a function

GeneInfo

Examples

```
set.seed(42)
data <- data.frame(u=runif(500))  # generate some correlated data
data$x <- rnorm(500,mean=data$u)
data$y <- rnorm(500,mean=data$u)
fun <- FormatCorrelation()
fun(data$x,data$y)
fun <- FormatCorrelation(method="spearman",p.format="%.4g")
fun(data$x,data$y)
```

GeneInfo

Get the gene annotation table or add additional columns to it

Description

The gene annotation table contains meta information for the rows of a grandR object. When loaded from the GRAND-SLAM output, this this contains gene ids, gene symbols, the transcript length and the type.

Usage

```
GeneInfo(data, column = NULL, value = NULL)
```

```
GeneInfo(data, column) <- value</pre>
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object
column	The name of the additional annotation column
value	The additional annotation per gene

Details

New columns can be added either by data<-GeneInfo(data, name, values) or by GeneInfo(data, name)<-values.

Value

Either the gene annotation table or a new grandR object having an updated gene annotation table

See Also

Genes, Coldata, ReadGRAND

Genes

Examples

Genes

Gene and sample (or cell) names

Description

Get the genes and sample (or cell) names for a grandR object, or add an additional gene annotation column

Usage

Genes(data, genes = NULL, use.symbols = TRUE, regex = FALSE)

```
Columns(data, columns = NULL, reorder = FALSE)
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object
genes	which genes to use
use.symbols	obtain the gene symbols instead of gene names
regex	treat genes as a regex, and return all that match
columns	which columns (i.e. samples or cells) to return (see details)
reorder	if TRUE, do not enforce the current order of columns

Details

The genes are either the (often unreadable) gene ids (e.g. Ensembl ids), or the symbols.

Genes(data,use.symbols=FALSE) it the same as rownames(data), and Columns(data) is the same as colnames(data)

If both column and value are specified for GeneInfo, a new column is added to the gene annotation table

Columns can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment having the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition=="x").

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Value

Either the gene or column names of the grandR data object, or the columns of an analysis table in the grandR object

See Also

Coldata, GeneInfo, Analyses

Examples

```
all(Genes(sars,use.symbols = FALSE)==rownames(sars))
all(Columns(sars)==colnames(sars))
```

get.mode.slot Internal functions to parse mode.slot strings

Description

Internal functions to parse mode.slot strings

Usage

get.mode.slot(data, mode.slot, allow.ntr = TRUE)

Arguments

data	a grandR object
mode.slot	a mode.slot
allow.ntr	whether to allow for the value "ntr" (and throw an error in case)

Details

A mode.slot is a mode followed by a dot followed by a slot name, or just a slot name. A mode is either *total, new* or *old*

Value

a named list with elements mode and slot (or only slot in case of *ntr,alpha* or *beta*)

Description

This is the main function to access analysis results. For slot data, use GetTable (as a large matrix) or GetData (as tidy table).

Usage

```
GetAnalysisTable(
   data,
   analyses = NULL,
   regex = TRUE,
   columns = NULL,
   genes = Genes(data),
   by.rows = FALSE,
   gene.info = TRUE,
   name.by = "Symbol",
   prefix.by.analysis = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object
analyses	One or several regex to be matched against analysis names (Analyses); all analysis tables if NULL
regex	Use regex for analyses (TRUE) or don't (FALSE, i.e. must specify the exact name)
columns	Regular expressions to select columns from the analysis table (all have to match!); all columns if NULL
genes	Restrict the output table to the given genes
by.rows	if TRUE, add rows if there are multiple analyses; otherwise, additional columns are appended; TRUE also sets prefix.by.analysis to FALSE!
gene.info	Should the table contain the GeneInfo values as well (at the beginning)?
name.by	A column name of Coldata(data). This is used as the rownames of the output table
prefix.by.analysis	
	Should the column names in the output prefixed by the analysis name?

Details

The names for the output table are <Analysis name>.<columns name>

GetContrasts

Value

A data frame containing the analysis results

See Also

GetTable,GetData,Genes

Examples

GetContrasts Create a contrast matrix

Description

Each column of a contrast matrix represents a pairwise comparison of all samples or cells of a grandR object (or a column annotation table). Elements being 1 are contrasted vs. elements being -1 (and all 0 are irrelevant for this comparison).

Usage

```
GetContrasts(x, ...)
## S3 method for class 'grandR'
GetContrasts(
  х,
  contrast = "Condition",
 no4sU = FALSE,
  columns = NULL,
  group = NULL,
 name.format = NULL,
  . . .
)
## Default S3 method:
GetContrasts(
  х,
  contrast,
  columns = NULL,
  group = NULL,
 name.format = NULL,
  . . .
)
```

Arguments

х	A grandR object or a column annotation table
	further arguments to be passed to or from other methods.
contrast	A vector describing what should be contrasted
no4sU	Use no4sU columns (TRUE) or not (FALSE)
columns	logical vector of which columns (samples or cells) to use (or NULL: use all); for grandR objects, see details
group	Split the samples or cells according to this column of the column annotation table (and adapt the of the output table)
name.format	Format string for generating the column from the contrast vector (see details)

Details

To compare one specific factor level A against another level B in a particular column COL of the column annotation table, specify contrast=c("COL","A","B")

To compare all levels against a specific level A in a particular column COL of the column annotation table, specify contrast=c("COL","A")

To perform all pairwise comparisons of all levels from a particular column *COL* of the column annotation table, specify contrast=c("COL")

If the column COL only has two levels, all three are equivalent.

In all cases, if groups is not NULL, the columns annotation table is first split and contrasts are applied within all samples or cells with the same *group* factor level.

The format string specifies the column name in the generated contrast matrix (which is used as the *Analysis* name when calling ApplyContrasts, LFC, PairwiseDESeq2, etc.). The keywords *\$GRP*, *\$COL*, *\$A* and *\$B* are substituted by the respective elements of the contrast vector or the group this comparison refers to. By default, it is "\$A vs \$B" if group is NULL, and "\$A vs \$B.\$GRP" otherwise.

The method for grandR objects simply calls the general method

For grandR objects, columns can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment having the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition="x").

Value

A data frame representig a contrast matrix to be used in ApplyContrasts, LFC, PairwiseDESeq2

See Also

ApplyContrasts, LFC, PairwiseDESeq2

GetData

Examples

GetData

Obtain a tidy table of values for a gene or a small set of genes

Description

This is the main function to access slot data data from a particular gene (or a small set of genes) as a tidy table. If data for all genes must be retrieved (as a large matrix), use the GetTable function. For analysis results, use the GetAnalysisTable function.

Usage

```
GetData(
    data,
    mode.slot = DefaultSlot(data),
    columns = NULL,
    genes = Genes(data),
    by.rows = FALSE,
    coldata = TRUE,
    ntr.na = TRUE,
    name.by = "Symbol"
)
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object
mode.slot	Which kind of data to access (see details)
columns	A vector of columns (see details); all condition/cell names if NULL
genes	Restrict the output table to the given genes (this typically is a single gene, or very few genes)
by.rows	if TRUE, add rows if there are multiple genes / mode.slots; otherwise, additional columns are appended

coldata	Should the table contain the Coldata values as well (at the beginning)?
ntr.na	For columns representing a 4sU naive sample, should mode.slot <i>ntr,new.count</i> and <i>old.count</i> be 0,0 and count (ntr.na=FALSE; can be any other slot than count) or NA,NA and NA (ntr.na=TRUE)
name.by	A column name of Coldata(data). This is used as the colnames of the output table

Details

To refer to data slots, the mode.slot syntax can be used: Each name is either a data slot, or one of (new,old,total) followed by a dot followed by a slot. For new or old, the data slot value is multiplied by ntr or 1-ntr. This can be used e.g. to obtain the *new counts*.

If only one mode.slot and one gene is given, the output table contains one column (and potentially columns from Coldata) named *Value*. If one gene and multiple mode.slots are given, the columns are named according to the mode.slots. If one mode.slot and multiple genes are given, the columns are named according to the genes. If multiple genes and mode.slots are given, columns are named gene.mode.slot.

If by.rows=TRUE, the table is molten such that each row contains only one value (for one of the genes and for one of the mode.slots). If only one gene and one mode.slot is given, melting does not have an effect.

Columns can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment havin the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition=="x").

Value

A data frame containing the desired values

See Also

GetTable,GetAnalysisTable,DefaultSlot,Genes

Examples

GetDiagnosticParameters

Describe parameters relevant to diagnostics

Description

Many of the diagnostics functions expect (optional or mandatory) parameters that are described by this function

Usage

GetDiagnosticParameters(data)

Arguments

data a grandR object

Value

a list with

- orientation: Sense or Antisense, only relevant to mismatches for strand unspecific data
- category: all available categories (Exonic/Intronic, genomes). Note that this might differ from what is available from GeneInfo(data, "Category"), since Grand3 might not have estimated NTRs for all categories!
- label: which nucleoside analogs have been used
- model: which model (binom or tbbinom) to inspect
- estimator: which estimator (joint or separate NTRs were estimated for subreads)

GetMatrix

Obtain a genes x values table as a large matrix

Description

This is the main function to access slot data for all genes as a (potentially sparse) matrix.

Usage

```
GetMatrix(
   data,
   mode.slot = DefaultSlot(data),
   columns = NULL,
   genes = Genes(data),
   name.by = "Symbol",
   summarize = NULL
)
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object
mode.slot	Which kind of data to access (see details)
columns	which columns (i.e. samples or cells) to return (see details)
genes	Restrict the output table to the given genes
name.by	A column name of Coldata(data). This is used as the rownames of the output table
summarize	Should replicates by summarized? see details

Details

To refer to data slots, the mode.slot syntax can be used: It is either a data slot, or one of (new,old,total) followed by a dot followed by a slot. For new or old, the data slot value is multiplied by ntr or 1-ntr. This can be used e.g. to obtain the *new counts*.

Columns can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment havin the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition=="x").

The summarization parameter can only be specified if columns is NULL. It is either a summarization matrix (GetSummarizeMatrix) or TRUE (in which case GetSummarizeMatrix(data) is called). If there a NA values, they are imputed as the mean per group!

Value

A (potentially) sparse matrix containing the desired values

See Also

GetData,GetAnalysisTable,DefaultSlot,Genes,GetSummarizeMatrix

GetPairContrasts Create a contrast matrix for two given conditions

Description

Each column of a contrast matrix represents a pairwise comparison of all samples or cells of a grandR object (or a column annotation table). Elements being 1 are contrasted vs. elements being -1 (and all 0 are irrelevant for this comparison).

Usage

GetPairContrasts(d, name, A, B)

GetSignificantGenes

Arguments

d	A grandR object or a column annotation table
name	the name of the contrast
A	definition of the condition of interest, see details
В	definition of the reference condition , see details

Details

This creates a contrast A vs B (i.e. the fold change would be A/B)

Columns that belong to A or B can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment having the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition="x").

Value

A data frame with a single column representig a contrast matrix to be used in ApplyContrasts, LFC, PairwiseDESeq2

See Also

ApplyContrasts, LFC, PairwiseDESeq2, GetContrasts

GetSignificantGenes Significant genes

Description

Return significant genes for this grandR object

Usage

```
GetSignificantGenes(
   data,
   analysis = NULL,
   regex = TRUE,
   criteria = NULL,
   as.table = FALSE,
   use.symbols = TRUE,
   gene.info = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object
analysis	the analysis to use, can be more than one and can be regexes (see details)
regex	interpret analyses as regex?
criteria	the criteria used to define what significant means; if NULL, Q<0.05 & abs(LFC)>=1 is used; can use the column names of the analysis table as variables, should be a logical or numerical value per gene (see Details)
as.table	return a table
use.symbols	return them as symbols (gene ids otherwise)
gene.info	add gene infos to the output table

Details

The analysis parameter (just like for GetAnalysisTable can be a regex (that will be matched against all available analysis names). It can also be a vector (of regexes). Be careful with this, if more than one table e.g. with column LFC ends up in here, only the first is used (if criteria=LFC).

The criteria parameter can be used to define how analyses are performed. If criteria is a logical, it obtains significant genes defined by cut-offs (e.g. on q value and LFC). If it is a numerical, all genes are returned sorted (descendingly) by this value. The columns of the given analysis table(s) can be used to build this expression.

Value

a vector of gene names (or symbols), or a table

Examples

GetSummarizeMatrix Create a summarize matrix

Description

If this matrix is multiplied with a count table (e.g. obtained by GetTable), either the average (average=TRUE) or the sum (average=FALSE) of all columns (samples or cells) belonging to the same Condition is computed.
GetSummarizeMatrix

Usage

```
GetSummarizeMatrix(x, ...)
## S3 method for class 'grandR'
GetSummarizeMatrix(x, no4sU = FALSE, columns = NULL, average = TRUE, ...)
## Default S3 method:
GetSummarizeMatrix(x, subset = NULL, average = TRUE, ...)
```

Arguments

x	A grandR object or a named vector (the names indicate the sample names, the value the conditions to be summarized)
	further arguments to be passed to or from other methods.
no4sU	Use no4sU columns (TRUE) or not (FALSE)
columns	which columns (i.e. samples or cells) to return (see details)
average	matrix to compute the average (TRUE) or the sum (FALSE)
subset	logical vector of which elements of the vector v to use (or NULL: use all)

Details

Columns can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment having the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition="x").

The method for grandR object simply calls the general method

Value

A matrix to be multiplied with a count table

See Also

GetTable

Examples

```
GetSummarizeMatrix(sars)
head(as.matrix(GetTable(sars)) %*% GetSummarizeMatrix(sars)) # average by matrix multiplication
head(GetTable(sars,summarize = TRUE)) # shortcut, does the same
```

See the data-matrices-and-analysis-results vignette for more examples!

GetTable

Description

This is the main function to access slot data for all genes as a large matrix. If data from a particular gene (or a small set of genes) must be retrieved, use the GetData function. For analysis results, use the GetAnalysisTable function.

Usage

```
GetTable(
   data,
   type = DefaultSlot(data),
   columns = NULL,
   genes = Genes(data),
   ntr.na = TRUE,
   gene.info = FALSE,
   summarize = NULL,
   prefix = NULL,
   name.by = "Symbol",
   reorder.columns = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object
type	Either a mode.slot (see details) or a regex to be matched against analysis names. Can also be a vector
columns	A vector of columns (either condition/cell names if the type is a mode.slot, or names in the output table from an analysis; use Columns(data, <analysis>) to learn which columns are available); all condition/cell names if NULL</analysis>
genes	Restrict the output table to the given genes
ntr.na	For columns representing a 4sU naive sample, should types <i>ntr,new.count</i> and <i>old.count</i> be 0,0 and count (ntr.na=FALSE; can be any other slot than count) or NA,NA and NA (ntr.na=TRUE)
gene.info	Should the table contain the GeneInfo values as well (at the beginning)?
summarize	Should replicates by summarized? see details
prefix	Prepend each column in the output table (except for the gene.info columns) by the given prefix
name.by	A column name of Coldata(data). This is used as the rownames of the output table
reorder.columns	
	if TRUE, the columns in the output table are ordered according to column (otherwise according to their order in the grandR object)

GetTable

Details

This is a convenience wrapper for GetData (values from data slots) and GetAnalysisTable (values from analyses). Types can refer to any of the two (and can be mixed). If there are types from both data and analyses, columns must be NULL. Otherwise columns must either be condition/cell names (if type refers to one or several data slots), or regular expressions to match against the names in the analysis tables.

Columns definitions for data slots can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment having the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition=="x").

To refer to data slots via type, the mode.slot syntax can be used: Each name is either a data slot, or one of (new,old,total) followed by a dot followed by a slot. For new or old, the data slot value is multiplied by ntr or 1-ntr. This can be used e.g. to obtain the *new counts*.

The summarization parameter can only be specified if columns is NULL. It is either a summarization matrix (GetSummarizeMatrix) or TRUE (in which case GetSummarizeMatrix(data) is called). If there a NA values, they are imputed as the mean per group!

Value

A data frame containing the desired values

See Also

GetData,GetAnalysisTable,DefaultSlot,Genes,GetSummarizeMatrix

Examples

Description

The grandR object contains

- metadata about the origin (file/url) of the GRAND-SLAM output
- the current state (e.g., what is the current default slot) of the grandR object
- a gene info table (i.e. metadata for the rows of the data matrices)
- a column annotation table (i.e. metadata for the columns of the data matrices)
- several data matrices for read counts, normalized expression values, NTRs, etc. (genes x samples or genes x cells; stored in so-called *slots*)
- potentially several analysis output tables (for kinetic modeling, differential gene expression testing)

Usually, this constructor is not invoked directly (but by ReadGRAND or SimulateTimeCourse).

Usage

```
grandR(
  prefix = parent$prefix,
 gene.info = parent$gene.info,
  slots = parent$data,
  coldata = parent$coldata,
 metadata = parent$metadata,
 analyses = NULL,
 plots = NULL,
 parent = NULL
)
Title(data)
IsSparse(data)
## S3 method for class 'grandR'
dim(x)
is.grandR(x)
## S3 method for class 'grandR'
dimnames(x)
## S3 method for class 'grandR'
print(x, ...)
```

grandR

```
Metadata(x, ...)
## S3 method for class 'grandR'
subset(x, columns, reorder = TRUE, ...)
## S3 method for class 'grandR'
split(x, f = Design$Condition, drop = FALSE, ...)
RenameColumns(data, map = NULL, fun = NULL)
SwapColumns(data, s1, s2)
## S3 method for class 'grandR'
merge(..., list = NULL, by.columns = TRUE, column.name = Design$Origin)
```

Arguments

prefix	Can either be the prefix used to call GRAND-SLAM with, or the main output file (\$prefix.tsv.gz); if the RCurl package is installed, this can also be a URL
gene.info	a data frame with metadata for all genes
slots	A list of matrices representing the slots
coldata	a data frame with metadata for all samples (or cells)
metadata	a metadata list
analyses	the analyses list
plots	the plots list
parent	A parent object containing default values for all other parameters (i.e. all parameters not specified are obtained from this object)
data, x	a grandR object
	further arguments to be passed to or from other methods.
columns	which columns (i.e. samples or cells) to return (see details)
reorder	reorder all factors in coldata (if columns for subset define a different order)
f	The name of the annotation table according to which the object is split or the new annotation table column name denoting the origin after merging
drop	unused
map	named list or vector representing a lookup table (names are current column names)
fun	a function that maps a vector of names to a new vector of names
s1, s2	column names
list	a list of grandR objects
by.columns	merge by columns (i.e. add additional columns to the first) or not (i.e. add additional genes to the first)
column.name	a new name for the Coldata table to annotate the merged objects

Details

The dimensions (nrow, ncol) of the grandR object are considered to be the dimensions of the data tables, i.e. nrow(data) provides the number of genes and ncol(data) the number of samples (or cells).

Currently, the object is implemented as a list of the above mentioned items. This implementation is subject to change. Make sure to use accessor functions to obtain the information you want.

Columns can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment havin the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition=="x").

Value

A grandR object containing the read counts, NTRs, information on the NTR posterior distribution (alpha,beta) and potentially additional information of all genes detected by GRAND-SLAM

Functions

Title Obtain a useful title for the project (from the prefix parameter)

dim Obtain the dimensions (genes x samples or genes x cells)

is Check whether it is a grandR object

dimnames Obtain the row and column names of this object (genes x samples or genes x cells)

print Print information on this grandR object

- subset Create a new grandR object with a subset of the columns (use FilterGenes to subset on genes)
- **split** Split the grandR object into a list of multiple grandR objects (according to the levels of an annotation table column)
- **RenameColumns** Rename the column names according to a lookup table (map) or a function (invoked on the current names)
- SwapColumns Swap two columns (samples or cells); this is what you do if samples were mislabeled!

Metadata Obtain global metadata

merge Merge several grandR objects into one

See Also

Slots, DefaultSlot, Genes, GeneInfo, Coldata, GetTable, GetData, Analyses, GetAnalysisTable

Examples

IsParallel

Description

Checks for parallel execution

Usage

IsParallel()

Value

whether or not parallelism is activated

LFC

Estimation of log2 fold changes

Description

Estimate the log fold changes based on a contrast matrix, requires the LFC package.

Usage

```
LFC(
   data,
   name.prefix = mode,
   contrasts,
   slot = "count",
   LFC.fun = lfc::PsiLFC,
   mode = "total",
   normalization = NULL,
   compute.M = TRUE,
   genes = NULL,
   verbose = FALSE,
   ...
```

)

Arguments

datathe grandR objectname.prefixthe prefix for the new analysis name; a dot and the column names of the contrast
matrix are appended; can be NULL (then only the contrast matrix names are
used)

contrasts	contrast matrix that defines all pairwise comparisons, generated using GetCon- trasts
slot	the slot of the grandR object to take the data from; for PsiLFC, this really should be "count"!
LFC.fun	function to compute log fold changes (default: PsiLFC, other viable option: NormLFC)
mode	compute LFCs for "total", "new", or "old" RNA
normalization	normalize on "total", "new", or "old" (see details)
compute.M	also compute the mean expression (in log10 space)
genes	restrict analysis to these genes; NULL means all genes
verbose	print status messages?
	further arguments forwarded to LFC.fun

Details

Both PsiLFC and NormLFC) by default perform normalization by subtracting the median log2 fold change from all log2 fold changes. When computing LFCs of new RNA, it might be sensible to normalize w.r.t. to total RNA, i.e. subtract the median log2 fold change of total RNA from all the log2 fold change of new RNA. This can be accomplished by setting mode to "new", and normalization to "total"!

Normalization can also be a mode.slot! Importantly, do not specify a slot containing normalized values, but specify a slot of unnormalized values (which are used to compute the size factors for normalization!) Can also be a numeric vector of size factors with the same length as the data as columns. Then each value is divided by the corresponding size factor entry.

Value

a new grandR object including a new analysis table. The columns of the new analysis table are

"LFC" the log2 fold change

See Also

PairwiseDESeq2,GetContrasts

Examples

LikelihoodRatioTest Compute a likelihood ratio test.

Description

The test is computed on any of total/old/new counts using DESeq2 based on two nested models specified using formulas.

Usage

```
LikelihoodRatioTest(
   data,
   name = "LRT",
   mode = "total",
   slot = "count",
   normalization = mode,
   target = ~Condition,
   background = ~1,
   columns = NULL,
   logFC = FALSE,
   verbose = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object
name	the user defined analysis name to store the results
mode	either "total", "new" or "old"
slot	which slot to use (should be a count slot, not normalized values)
normalization	normalize on "total", "new", or "old" (see details)
target	formula specifying the target model (you can use any column name from the Coldata(data))
background	formula specifying the background model (you can use any column name from the Coldata(data))
columns	logical vector of which columns (samples or cells) to use (or NULL: use all)
logFC	compute and add the log2 fold change as well
verbose	Print status updates

Details

This is a convenience wrapper around the likelihood ratio test implemented in DESeq2.

DESeq2 by default performs size factor normalization. When computing differential expression of new RNA, it might be sensible to normalize w.r.t. to total RNA, i.e. use the size factors computed from total RNA instead of computed from new RNA. This can be accomplished by setting mode to "new", and normalization to "total"!

Value

a new grandR object including a new analysis table. The columns of the new analysis table are

"M"	the base mean
"S"	the difference in deviance between the reduced model and the full model
"P"	the likelihood ratio test P value
"Q"	same as P but Benjamini-Hochberg multiple testing corrected
"LFC"	the log2 fold change for the target model (only with the logFC parameter set to TRUE)

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Description

Helper function to return a table with all available gene sets for AnalyzeGeneSets.

Usage

ListGeneSets()

Details

This is a convenience wrapper for msigdbr_collections.

Value

the gene set table; use the values in the category and subcategory columns for the corresponding parameters of AnalyzeGeneSets

See Also

AnalyzeGeneSets

MakeColdata

Description

If columns (i.e. sample or cell) follow a specific naming pattern, this can be used to conveniently set up an annotation table.

Usage

```
MakeColdata(
   names,
   design,
   semantics = DesignSemantics(),
   rownames = TRUE,
   keep.originals = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

names	Formatted names vector (see details)
design	Titles for the columns of the annotation table
semantics	Additional semantics to apply to given annotations (see details)
rownames	Add rownames to the annotation table
keep.originals	To not discard the original values for all annotations where semantics were ap plied

Details

The names have to contain dots (.) to separate the fields for the column annotation table. E.g. the name *Mock.4h.A* will be split into the fields *Mock*, *4h* and *A*. For such names, a design vector of length 3 has to be given, that describes the meaning of each field. A reasonable design vector for the example would be c("Treatment", "Time", "Replicate"). Some names are predefined in the list Design.

The names given in the design vector might even have additional semantics: E.g. for the name duration.4sU the values are interpreted (e.g. 4h is converted into the number 4, or 30min into 0.5, or no4sU into 0).

Semantics can be user-defined via the *semantics* list: For each name in the design vector matching to a name in this list, the corresponding function in the list is run. Functions must accept 2 parameters, the first is the original column in the annotation table, the second the original name. The function must return a data.frame with the number of rows matching to the annotation table. In most cases it is easier to manipulate the returned data frame instead of changing the semantics. However, the build-in semantics provide a convenient way to reduce this kind of manipulation in most cases.

Value

A data frame representing the annotation table

See Also

ReadGRAND, DesignSemantics, Coldata

Examples

MAPlot

Make an MA plot

Description

Plot average expression vs. log2 fold changes

Usage

```
MAPlot(
   data,
   analysis = Analyses(data)[1],
   p.cutoff = 0.05,
   lfc.cutoff = 1,
   annotate.numbers = TRUE,
   ...
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object that contains the data to be plotted	
analysis	the analysis to plot (default: first analysis)	
p.cutoff	p-value cutoff (default: 0.05)	
lfc.cutoff	log fold change cutoff (default: 1)	
annotate.numbers		
	if TRUE, label the number of genes	
	further parameters passed to PlotScatter	

Value

a ggplot object

Normalize

Description

Normalizes data in a grandR object and puts the normalized data into a new slot

Usage

```
Normalize(
  data,
  genes = Genes(data),
  name = "norm",
  slot = "count",
  set.to.default = TRUE,
  size.factors = NULL,
  return.sf = FALSE
)
NormalizeFPKM(
  data,
  genes = Genes(data),
  name = "fpkm",
  slot = "count";
  set.to.default = TRUE,
  tlen = GeneInfo(data, "Length")
)
NormalizeRPM(
  data,
  genes = Genes(data),
  name = "rpm",
  slot = "count",
  set.to.default = TRUE,
  factor = 1e+06
)
NormalizeTPM(
  data,
  genes = Genes(data),
  name = "tpm",
  slot = "count",
  set.to.default = TRUE,
  tlen = GeneInfo(data, "Length")
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object
genes	compute the normalization w.r.t. these genes (see details)
name	the name of the new slot for the normalized data
slot	the name of the slot for the data to normalize
set.to.default	set the new slot as the default slot
size.factors	numeric vector; if not NULL, use these size factors instead of computing size factors
return.sf	return the size factors and not a grandR object
tlen	the transcript lengths (for FPKM and TPM)
factor	the rpm factor (default: 1 (m)illion)

Details

Normalize will perform DESeq2 normalization, i.e. it will use estimateSizeFactorsForMatrix to estimate size factors, and divide each value by this. If genes are given, size factors will be computed only w.r.t. these genes (but then all genes are normalized).

NormalizeFPKM will compute fragments per kilobase and million mapped reads. If genes are given, the scaling factor will only be computed w.r.t. these genes (but then all genes are normalized).

NormalizeRPM will compute reads per million mapped reads. If genes are given, the scaling factor will only be computed w.r.t. these genes (but then all genes are normalized).

NormalizeTPM will compute transcripts per million mapped reads. If genes are given, the scaling factor will only be computed w.r.t. these genes (but then all genes are normalized).

Genes can be referred to by their names, symbols, row numbers in the gene table, or a logical vector referring to the gene table rows.

Value

a new grandR object with a new data slot

See Also

NormalizeBaseline

Examples

Description

Normalizes data in a grandR object to a baseline and puts the normalized data into a new slot

Usage

```
NormalizeBaseline(
    data,
    baseline = FindReferences(data, reference = Condition == levels(Condition)[1]),
    name = "baseline",
    slot = DefaultSlot(data),
    set.to.default = FALSE,
    LFC.fun = lfc::PsiLFC,
    ...
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object
baseline	matrix defining the corresponding baseline (row) for each column (sample or cell; see details)
name	the name of the new slot for the normalized data
slot	the name of the slot for the data to normalize
<pre>set.to.default</pre>	set the new slot as the default slot
LFC.fun	either NormLFC or PsiLFC from the lfc package
	forwarded to LFC.fun

Details

Baseline normalization computes the log2 fold change for a column (i.e. sample or cell) to a baseline columns (or several baseline columns). This is by default done using the PsiLFC function from the lfc package, which, by default, also normalizes log2 fold changes by adding a constant such that the median is zero.

Baselines are defined by a square logical matrix, defining for each sample or cell of the grandR object, represented by the column of the matrix, which samples or cells are indeed the baseline (represented by the rows). Such matrices can conveniently be obtained by FindReferences.

Value

a new grandR object with an additional slot

See Also

Normalize, FindReferences

Examples

Pairwise

Log2 fold changes and Wald tests for differential expression

Description

This function is a shortcut for first calling PairwiseDESeq2 and then LFC.

Usage

```
Pairwise(
   data,
   name.prefix = mode,
   contrasts,
   LFC.fun = lfc::PsiLFC,
   slot = "count",
   mode = "total",
   normalization = mode,
   genes = NULL,
   verbose = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object
name.prefix	the prefix for the new analysis name; a dot and the column names of the contrast matrix are appended; can be NULL (then only the contrast matrix names are used)
contrasts	contrast matrix that defines all pairwise comparisons, generated using GetCon- trasts
LFC.fun	function to compute log fold changes (default: PsiLFC, other viable option: NormLFC)
slot	the slot of the grandR object to take the data from; should contain counts!
mode	compute LFCs for "total", "new", or "old" RNA

normalization	normalize on "total", "new", or "old" (see details)
genes	restrict analysis to these genes; NULL means all genes
verbose	print status messages?

Details

Both PsiLFC and NormLFC) by default perform normalization by subtracting the median log2 fold change from all log2 fold changes. When computing LFCs of new RNA, it might be sensible to normalize w.r.t. to total RNA, i.e. subtract the median log2 fold change of total RNA from all the log2 fold change of new RNA. This can be accomplished by setting mode to "new", and normalization to "total"!

Normalization can also be a mode.slot! Importantly, do not specify a slot containing normalized values, but specify a slot of unnormalized values (which are used to compute the size factors for normalization!) Can also be a numeric vector of size factors with the same length as the data as columns. Then each value is divided by the corresponding size factor entry.

Value

a new grandR object including a new analysis table. The columns of the new analysis table are

"M"	the base mean
"S"	the log2FoldChange divided by lfcSE
"P"	the Wald test P value
"Q"	same as P but Benjamini-Hochberg multiple testing corrected
"LFC"	the log2 fold change

See Also

PairwiseDESeq2,GetContrasts

PairwiseDESeq2 Perform Wald tests for differential expression

Description

Apply DESeq2 for comparisons defined in a contrast matrix, requires the DESeq2 package.

Usage

```
PairwiseDESeq2(
   data,
   name.prefix = mode,
   contrasts,
   separate = FALSE,
   mode = "total",
   slot = "count",
```

```
normalization = NULL,
logFC = FALSE,
genes = NULL,
verbose = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object
name.prefix	the prefix for the new analysis name; a dot and the column names of the contrast matrix are appended; can be NULL (then only the contrast matrix names are used)
contrasts	contrast matrix that defines all pairwise comparisons, generated using GetCon- trasts
separate	model overdispersion separately for all pairwise comparison (TRUE), or fit a single model per gene, and extract contrasts (FALSE)
mode	compute LFCs for "total", "new", or "old" RNA
slot	which slot to use (should be a count slot, not normalized values)
normalization	normalize on "total", "new", or "old" (see details)
logFC	compute and add the log2 fold change as well
genes	restrict analysis to these genes; NULL means all genes
verbose	print status messages?

Details

DESeq2 by default performs size factor normalization. When computing differential expression of new RNA, it might be sensible to normalize w.r.t. to total RNA, i.e. use the size factors computed from total RNA instead of computed from new RNA. This can be accomplished by setting mode to "new", and normalization to "total"!

Normalization can also be a mode.slot! Importantly, do not specify a slot containing normalized values, but specify a slot of unnormalized values (which are used to compute the size factors for normalization!) Can also be a numeric vector of size factors with the same length as the data as columns. Then each value is divided by the corresponding size factor entry.

Value

a new grandR object including a new analysis table. The columns of the new analysis table are

"M"	the base mean
"S"	the log2FoldChange divided by lfcSE
"P"	the Wald test P value
"Q"	same as P but Benjamini-Hochberg multiple testing corrected
"LFC"	the log2 fold change (only with the logFC parameter set to TRUE)

PlotAnalyses

See Also

LFC,GetContrasts

Examples

PlotAnalyses	Convenience function to make the same type of plot for multple analy-
	ses.

Description

Convenience function to make the same type of plot for multple analyses.

Usage

```
PlotAnalyses(data, plot.fun, analyses = Analyses(data), add = NULL, ...)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object that contains the data to be plotted
plot.fun	the plottinf function to apply
analyses	the analyses to plot (default: all)
add	additional ggplot (e.g., geoms) objects to add
	passed further to plot.fun

Value

ggplot objects

PlotConversionFreq Diagnostic plot for conversion frequencies

Description

This is the second diagnostic plot (estimated conversions) generated by GRAND3.

Usage

```
PlotConversionFreq(data, category, sample = NULL, max.columns = 120)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object
category	show a specific category (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL
sample	compare subreads for a specific sample; can be NULL, then compare all samples per subread
max.columns	if there are more columns (samples for bulk, cells for single cell) than this, show boxplots instead of points

Details

Show the percentage of all conversion types for all samples. In contrast to mismatches (see PlotMismatchPositionForSample and PlotMismatchPositionForType), the correct strand is already inferred for conversions, i.e. conversions refer to actual conversion events on RNA, whereas mismatches are observed events in mapped reads.

Value

a list with a ggplot object, a description, and the desired size for the plot

PlotGeneGroupsBars Plot gene values as bars

Description

Plot old and new RNA of a gene in a row.

PlotGeneGroupsBars

Usage

```
PlotGeneGroupsBars(
   data,
   gene,
   slot = DefaultSlot(data),
   columns = NULL,
   show.CI = FALSE,
   xlab = NULL,
   transform = NULL
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object to get the data to be plotted from
gene	the gene to plot
slot	the slot of the grandR object to get the data from
columns	which columns (i.e. samples or cells) to show (see details)
show.CI	show confidence intervals; one of TRUE/FALSE (default: FALSE)
xlab	The names to show at the x axis;
transform	function that is called on the data frame directly before plotting (can be NULL)

Details

xlab can be given as a character vector or an expression that evaluates into a character vector. The expression is evaluated in an environment having the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently it.

Columns can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment having the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition=="x").

Value

a ggplot object.

See Also

GetData, PlotGeneTotalVsNtr,PlotGeneOldVsNew,PlotGeneGroupsBars

PlotGeneGroupsPoints Plot gene groups as points

Description

Plot either old, new or total RNA of a gene in a row, per condition.

Usage

```
PlotGeneGroupsPoints(
   data,
   gene,
   group = "Condition",
   mode.slot = DefaultSlot(data),
   columns = NULL,
   log = TRUE,
   show.CI = FALSE,
   aest = NULL,
   size = 2,
   transform = NULL
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object to get the data to be plotted from
gene	the gene to plot
group	how to group the genes (default: Condition)
mode.slot	the mode.slot of the grandR object to get the data from
columns	which columns (i.e. samples or cells) to show (see details)
log	show the y axis in log scale
show.CI	show confidence intervals; one of TRUE/FALSE (default: FALSE)
aest	parameter to set the visual attributes of the plot
size	the point size used for plotting; overridden if size is defined via aest
transform	function that is called on the data frame directly before plotting (can be NULL)

Details

The value of the aest parameter must be an Aesthetic mapping as generated by aes.

To refer to data slots, the mode.slot syntax can be used: Each name is either a data slot, or one of (new,old,total) followed by a dot followed by a slot. For new or old, the data slot value is multiplied by ntr or 1-ntr. This can be used e.g. to obtain the *new counts*.

The table used for plotting is the table returned by GetData with coldata set to TRUE, i.e. you can use all names from the Coldata table for aest.

PlotGeneOldVsNew

By default, aest is set to aes(color=Condition,shape=Replicate) (if both Condition and Replicate are names in the Coldata table).

Columns can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment having the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition=="x").

Value

a ggplot object.

See Also

GetData, PlotGeneTotalVsNtr,PlotGeneOldVsNew,PlotGeneGroupsBars

PlotGeneOldVsNew Gene plot comparing old vs new RNA

Description

Plot the old vs new RNA values of a gene

Usage

```
PlotGeneOldVsNew(
   data,
   gene,
   slot = DefaultSlot(data),
   columns = NULL,
   log = TRUE,
   show.CI = FALSE,
   aest = NULL,
   size = 2
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object to get the data to be plotted from
gene	the gene to plot
slot	the slot of the grandR object to get the data from
columns	which columns (i.e. samples or cells) to show (see details)
log	show both axes in log scale
show.CI	show confidence intervals; one of TRUE/FALSE (default: FALSE)
aest	parameter to set the visual attributes of the plot
size	the point size used for plotting; overridden if size is defined via aest

Details

The value of the aest parameter must be an Aesthetic mapping as generated by aes.

The table used for plotting is the table returned by GetData with coldata set to TRUE, i.e. you can use all names from the Coldata table for aest.

By default, aest is set to aes(color=Condition,shape=Replicate) (if both Condition and Replicate are names in the Coldata table).

Columns can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment having the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition=="x").

Value

a ggplot object.

See Also

GetData, PlotGeneTotalVsNtr,PlotGeneGroupsPoints,PlotGeneGroupsBars

PlotGeneProgressiveTimecourse

Plot progressive labeling timecourses

Description

Plot the abundance of new and old RNA and the fitted model over time for a single gene.

Usage

```
PlotGeneProgressiveTimecourse(
   data,
   gene,
   slot = DefaultSlot(data),
   time = Design$dur.4sU,
   type = c("nlls", "ntr", "lm"),
   exact.tics = TRUE,
   show.CI = FALSE,
   return.tables = FALSE,
   rescale = TRUE,
   ...
)
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object
gene	the gene to be plotted
slot	the data slot of the observed abundances
time	the labeling duration column in the column annotation table
type	how to fit the model (see FitKinetics)
exact.tics	use axis labels directly corresponding to the available labeling durations?
show.CI	show confidence intervals; one of TRUE/FALSE (default: FALSE)
return.tables	also return the tables used for plotting
rescale	for type=ntr or type=chase, rescale all samples to the same total value?
	given to the fitting procedures

Details

For each Condition there will be one panel containing the values and the corresponding model fit.

Value

either a ggplot object, or a list containing all tables used for plotting and the ggplot object.

See Also

FitKineticsGeneNtr, FitKineticsGeneLeastSquares, FitKineticsGeneLogSpaceLinear

```
PlotGeneSnapshotTimecourse
```

Gene plot for snapshot timecourse data

Description

Plot the total RNA expression vs the new-to-total RNA ratio for a gene

Usage

```
PlotGeneSnapshotTimecourse(
   data,
   gene,
   time = Design$dur.4sU,
   mode.slot = DefaultSlot(data),
   columns = NULL,
   average.lines = TRUE,
   exact.tics = TRUE,
   log = TRUE,
   show.CI = FALSE,
   aest = NULL,
   size = 2
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object to get the data to be plotted from
gene	the gene to plot
time	the times to show on the x axis (see details)
mode.slot	the mode.slot of the grandR object to get the data from
columns	which columns (i.e. samples or cells) to show (see details)
average.lines	add average lines?
exact.tics	use axis labels directly corresponding to the available temporal values?
log	show the y axis in log scale
show.CI	show confidence intervals; one of TRUE/FALSE (default: FALSE)
aest	parameter to set the visual attributes of the plot
size	the point size used for plotting; overridden if size is defined via aest

Details

The x axis of this plot will show a temporal dimension. The time parameter defines a name in the Coldata table containing the temporal values for each sample.

The value of the aest parameter must be an Aesthetic mapping as generated by aes.

The table used for plotting is the table returned by GetData with coldata set to TRUE, i.e. you can use all names from the Coldata table for aest.

By default, aest is set to aes(color=Condition,shape=Replicate) (if both Condition and Replicate are names in the Coldata table).

Columns can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment having the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition=="x").

Value

a ggplot object.

See Also

GetData, PlotGeneOldVsNew,PlotGeneGroupsPoints,PlotGeneGroupsBars

PlotGeneTotalVsNtr Gene plot comparing total RNA vs the NTR

Description

Plot the total RNA expression vs the new-to-total RNA ratio for a gene

Usage

```
PlotGeneTotalVsNtr(
   data,
   gene,
   slot = DefaultSlot(data),
   columns = NULL,
   log = TRUE,
   show.CI = FALSE,
   aest = NULL,
   size = 2
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object to get the data to be plotted from	
gene	the gene to plot	
slot	the slot of the grandR object to get the data from	
columns	which columns (i.e. samples or cells) to show (see details)	
log	show the x axis (total RNA) in log scale	
show.CI	show confidence intervals; one of TRUE/FALSE (default: FALSE)	
aest	parameter to set the visual attributes of the plot	
size	the point size used for plotting; overridden if size is defined via aest	

Details

The value of the aest parameter must be an Aesthetic mapping as generated by aes.

The table used for plotting is the table returned by GetData with coldata set to TRUE, i.e. you can use all names from the Coldata table for aest.

By default, aest is set to aes(color=Condition,shape=Replicate) (if both Condition and Replicate are names in the Coldata table).

Columns can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment having the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition=="x").

Value

a ggplot object.

See Also

GetData, PlotGeneOldVsNew,PlotGeneGroupsPoints,PlotGeneGroupsBars

PlotHeatmap Create heatmaps from grandR objects

Description

Convenience method to compare among more two variables (slot data or analyses results).

Usage

```
PlotHeatmap(
  data,
  type = DefaultSlot(data),
  columns = NULL,
 genes = NULL,
  summarize = NULL,
  transform = "Z",
  cluster.genes = TRUE,
  cluster.columns = FALSE,
  label.genes = NULL,
 xlab = NULL,
 breaks = NULL,
 colors = NULL,
  title = NULL,
  return.matrix = FALSE,
  na.to = NA,
  . . .
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object that contains the data to plot	
type	Either a mode.slot (see details) or a regex to be matched against analysis names. Can also be a vector	
columns	a vector of columns (either condition/cell names if the type is a mode.slot, or names in the output table from an analysis; use Columns(data, <analysis>) to learn which columns are available); all condition/cell names if NULL</analysis>	
genes	the genes to be included in the plot (default: all genes)	
summarize	Should replicates by summarized? Can only be specified if columns is NULL either a summarization matrix (GetSummarizeMatrix) or TRUE (in which case GetSummarizeMatrix(data) is called)	
transform	apply a transformation to the selected data; can be a function, or a character (see details)	

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cluster.genes	should genes be clustered?	
cluster.columns	5	
	should samples (or cells) be clustered?	
label.genes	should genes be labeled?	
xlab	The names to show at the x axis (only works if type is a single slot)	
breaks	vector of color breaks; can be NULL (see details)	
colors	an RColorBrewer palette name; can be NULL (see details)	
title	the title for the plot; can be NULL	
return.matrix	if TRUE, return a list containing the data matrix and the heatmap instead of the heatmap alone	
na.to	convert NA values in the matrix to this value immediately before computing the heatmap	
	additional parameters forwarded to Heatmap	

Details

This is just a convenience function which

- 1. Calls GetTable with the parameter type, columns, summarize, genes
- 2. Transforms the returned table using the transform parameter
- 3. Determines reasonable colors using breaks and colors
- 4. and then calls ComplexHeatmap::Heatmap

type and columns can refer to values from data slots values from analyses (and can be mixed). If there are types from both data and analyses, columns must be NULL. Otherwise columns must either be condition/cell names (if type refers to one or several data slots), or regular expressions to match against the names in the analysis tables.

Columns definitions for data slots can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment having the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition=="x").

To refer to data slots, the mode.slot syntax can be used: Each name is either a data slot, or one of (new,old,total) followed by a dot followed by a slot. For new or old, the data slot value is multiplied by ntr or 1-ntr. This can be used e.g. to obtain the *new counts*.

The transform parameter either is a function that transforms a matrix (which can conveniently be done using the Transform.XXX functions described next), or a character (which must be the XXX to find such a function). Available data transformations are

- transform=Transform.Z() or transform="Z": compute z scores for each row (see Transform.Z)
- transform=Transform.VST() or transform="VST": do a variance stabilizing transformation (see Transform.VST)
- transform=Transform.logFC() or transform="logFC": compute log2 fold changes to one or several reference columns; which must be defined via parameters (see Transform.logFC)
- transform=Transform.no() or transform="no": do not transform (see Transform.no)

Reasonable coloring is chosen depending on the value distribution in the matrix. If the values are zero centered (e.g. z scores or most often log fold changes), then by default the 50 quantile with the larger value. The breaks are -q90,q50,0,q50,q90, and, by default, the red to blue "RdBu" palette from RColorBrewer is taken. If the values are not zero centered, the 5

xlab can be given as a character vector or an expression that evaluates into a character vector. The expression is evaluated in an environment having the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables.

Value

a ComplexHeatmap object

See Also

GetTable,Heatmap

PlotMismatchPositionForSample

Diagnostic plot for mismatch position for columns (by sample)

Description

This belongs to the first diagnostic plots (raw mismatches) generated by GRAND3.

Usage

```
PlotMismatchPositionForSample(
   data,
   sample,
   orientation = NULL,
   category = NULL,
   max.pos = 2500
)
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object	
sample	a sample name	
orientation	restrict to either Sense or Antisense; can be NULL	
category	restrict to a specific category (see GetDiagnosticParameters); can be NULL	
max.pos	remove everything behind this position	

Details

For all positions along the reads (x axis; potentially paired end, shown left and right), show the percentage of all mismatch types. The panel in column T and row C shows T-to-C mismatches. Positions outside of shaded areas are clipped. Uncorrected and Retained means before and after correcting multiply sequenced bases. Sense/Antisense means reads (first read for paired end) that are (based on the annotation) oriented in sense or antisense direction to a gene (i.e. this is only relevant for sequencing protocols that do not preserve strand information).

Value

a list with a ggplot object, a description, and the desired size for the plot

```
PlotMismatchPositionForType
```

Diagnostic plot for mismatch position for columns (by mismatch type)

Description

This belongs to the first diagnostic plots (raw mismatches) generated by GRAND3.

Usage

```
PlotMismatchPositionForType(
   data,
   genomic,
   read,
   orientation = NULL,
   category = NULL,
   max.pos = 2500
)
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object	
genomic	the nucleotide as it occurs in the genome	
read	the nucleotide as it occurs in the read	
orientation	restrict to either Sense or Antisense; can be NULL	
category	restrict to a specific category (see GetDiagnosticParameters); can be NULL	
max.pos	remove everything behind this position	

Details

For all positions along the reads (x axis; potentially paired end, shown left and right), show the percentage of a specific mismatch type for all samples. Positions outside of shaded areas are clipped. Uncorrected and Retained means before and after correcting multiply sequenced bases. Sense/Antisense means reads (first read for paired end) that are (based on the annotation) oriented in sense or antisense direction to a gene (i.e. this is only relevant for sequencing protocols that do not preserve strand information).

Value

a list with a ggplot object, a description, and the desired size for the plot

PlotModelCompareConv Diagnostic plot for estimated models (global conversion rate)

Description

This belongs to the fourth kind (model comparison) of diagnostic plots

Usage

```
PlotModelCompareConv(data, label = "4sU", estimator = "Separate")
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object	
label	which label to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL	
estimator	which estimator to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL	

Details

Compares the estimated conversion rate (i.e., the probability for a conversion on a new RNA molecule) for the binom and tbbinom models (mean conversion rate).

Value

a list with a ggplot object, a description, and the desired size for the plot

PlotModelCompareErr Diagnostic plot for estimated models (global error rate)

Description

This belongs to the fourth kind (model comparison) of diagnostic plots

Usage

```
PlotModelCompareErr(data, label = "4sU", estimator = "Separate")
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object	
label	which label to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL	
estimator	which estimator to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL	

Details

Compares the estimated error rate (i.e., the probability for a conversion on an old RNA molecule) for the binom and tbbinom models.

Value

a list with a ggplot object, a description, and the desired size for the plot

PlotModelCompareErrPrior

Diagnostic plot for estimated models (global error rate)

Description

This belongs to the fourth kind (model comparison) of diagnostic plots

Usage

```
PlotModelCompareErrPrior(
   data,
   label = "4sU",
   estimator = "Separate",
   model = "Binom"
)
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object	
label	which label to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL	
estimator	which estimator to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL	
model	which model to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL	

Details

Compares the prior error rate (estimated from no4sU samples or from all other mismatch types) against the final error rate estimate.

Value

a list with a ggplot object, a description, and the desired size for the plot

PlotModelCompareLL Diagnostic plot for estimated models (log likelihoods)

Description

This belongs to the fourth kind (model comparison) of diagnostic plots

Usage

```
PlotModelCompareLL(data, label = "4sU", estimator = "Separate")
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object	
label	which label to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL	
estimator	which estimator to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL	

Details

Shows the difference in log likelihoods between the binom and tbbinom models.

Value

a list with a ggplot object, a description, and the desired size for the plot

PlotModelCompareNtr Diagnostic plot for estimated models (global NTR)

Description

This belongs to the fourth kind (model comparison) of diagnostic plots

Usage

```
PlotModelCompareNtr(data, label = "4sU", estimator = "Separate")
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object	
label	which label to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL	
estimator	which estimator to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL	

Details

Compares the global NTR (i.e. for all reads used for estimation of global parameters, what is the percentage of new RNA) for the binom and tbbinom models.

PlotModelConv

Value

a list with a ggplot object, a description, and the desired size for the plot

PlotModelConv Diagnostic plot for estimated models (global conversion rate)

Description

This belongs to the third kind (model) of diagnostic plots

Usage

```
PlotModelConv(data, label = "4sU", estimator = "Separate", model = "Binom")
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object	
label	which label to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL	
estimator	which estimator to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL	
model	which model to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL	

Details

Shows the estimated conversion rate (i.e., the probability for a conversion on a new RNA molecule) for each sample.

Value

a list with a ggplot object, a description, and the desired size for the plot

PlotModelErr	Diagnostic plot for estimated models (global error rate)
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Description

This belongs to the third kind (model) of diagnostic plots

Usage

```
PlotModelErr(data, label = "4sU", estimator = "Separate", model = "Binom")
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object
label	which label to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL
estimator	which estimator to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL
model	which model to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL

Details

Shows the estimated error rate (i.e., the probability for a conversion on an old RNA molecule) for each sample.

Value

a list with a ggplot object, a description, and the desired size for the plot

PlotModelLabelTimeCourse

Diagnostic plot for estimated models (4sU increase)

Description

This belongs to the third kind (model) of diagnostic plots

Usage

```
PlotModelLabelTimeCourse(data, label = "4sU", estimator = "Separate")
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object
label	which label to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL
estimator	which estimator to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL

Details

Shows the estimated time evolution of 4sU increase in the tbbinom model for each sample.

Value

a list with a ggplot object, a description, and the desired size for the plot
PlotModelNtr

Description

This belongs to the third kind (model) of diagnostic plots

Usage

```
PlotModelNtr(data, label = "4sU", estimator = "Separate", model = "Binom")
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object
label	which label to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL
estimator	which estimator to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL
model	which model to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL

Details

Shows the estimated global NTR (i.e. for all reads used for estimation of global paramters, what is the percentage of new RNA) for each sample.

Value

a list with a ggplot object, a description, and the desired size for the plot

PlotModelShape Diagnostic plot for estimated models (global shape parameter)

Description

This belongs to the third kind (model) of diagnostic plots

Usage

```
PlotModelShape(data, label = "4sU", estimator = "Separate")
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object
label	which label to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL
estimator	which estimator to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL

Details

Shows the estimated shape parameter (describing the increase of 4sU over time) in the tbbinom model for each sample.

Value

a list with a ggplot object, a description, and the desired size for the plot

PlotPCA

Make a PCA plot

Description

Make a PCA plot

Usage

```
PlotPCA(
   data,
   mode.slot = DefaultSlot(data),
   ntop = 500,
   aest = NULL,
   x = 1,
   y = 2,
   columns = NULL,
   do.vst = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object that contains the data to plot	
mode.slot	the mode and slot of data to plot; slot in the grandr object (eg "count")	
ntop	how many genes to use	
aest	parameter to set the visual attributes	
x	number of principal component to show on the x axis (numeric)	
У	number of principal component to show on the y axis (numeric)	
columns	which columns (i.e. samples or cells) to perform PCA on (see details)	
do.vst	perform a variance stabilizing transformation for count data?	

Details

Columns can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells). The expression is evaluated in an environment having the Coldata, i.e. you can use names of Coldata as variables to conveniently build a logical vector (e.g., columns=Condition=="x").

PlotProfileLikelihood

Value

a PCA plot

PlotProfileLikelihood Diagnostic plot for estimated models (global error rate)

Description

This belongs to the fifth kind (profile likelihoods) of diagnostic plots

Usage

```
PlotProfileLikelihood(
   data,
   label = "4sU",
   estimator = NULL,
   sample = NULL,
   subread = NULL
)
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object
label	which label to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL
estimator	which estimator to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL
sample	which sample to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL
subread	which subread to consider (see GetDiagnosticParameters); cannot be NULL

Details

Shows the profile likelihoods for all parameters of the tbbinom model.

Value

a list with a ggplot object, a description, and the desired size for the plot

Plots

Description

Get plot names and add or remove plots

Usage

```
Plots(data)
AddGenePlot(data, name, FUN)
AddGlobalPlot(data, name, FUN, floating = FALSE)
PlotGene(data, name, gene)
PlotGlobal(data, name)
DropPlots(data, pattern = NULL)
```

Arguments

data	A grandR object	
name	The user-defined plot name	
FUN	The plotting function to add	
floating	whether or not the plot should be shown as a floating window	
gene	The gene to plot	
pattern	A regular expression that is matched to plot names	

Details

FUN has to be a function with a single parameter for global plots (i.e., the grandR object) or two parameters for gene plots (i.e., the grandR object and the gene name). Usually, it is either the name of a plotting function, such as PlotGeneOldVsNew, or, if it is necessary to parametrize it, a call to Defer (which takes care of caching plots without storing an additional copy of the grandR object).

For floating window plots, if names are given in the format <title>.<name>, a plot is created for each <title> with several subplots.

Value

Either the plot names or a grandR data with added/removed plots

PlotScatter

Functions

- Plots(): Obtain the plot names
- AddGenePlot(): Add a gene plot to the grandR object
- AddGlobalPlot(): Add a global plot to the grandR object
- PlotGene(): Create a gene plot
- PlotGlobal(): Create a global plot
- DropPlots(): Remove plots from the grandR object

PlotScatter

Make a scatter plot

Description

Convenience method to compare two variables (slot data or analyses results).

Usage

```
PlotScatter(
  data,
  x = NULL,
  y = NULL,
  analysis = NULL,
 mode.slot = NULL,
  xcol = NULL,
  ycol = NULL,
 xlab = NULL,
 ylab = NULL,
  log = FALSE,
  \log x = \log,
  \log_y = \log_y
  axis = TRUE,
  axis.x = axis,
  axis.y = axis,
  remove.outlier = 1.5,
  show.outlier = TRUE,
  lim = NULL,
  xlim = lim,
 ylim = lim,
  size = 0.3,
  cross = NULL,
  diag = NULL,
  filter = NULL,
  genes = NULL,
  highlight = NULL,
  label = NULL,
```

```
label.repel = 1,
 facet = NULL,
 color = NULL,
 colorpalette = NULL,
 colorbreaks = NULL,
 color.label = NULL,
 density.margin = "n",
 density.n = 100,
 rasterize = NULL,
 correlation = NULL,
 correlation.x = -Inf,
 correlation.y = Inf,
 correlation.hjust = 0.5,
 correlation.vjust = 0.5,
 layers.below = NULL
)
```

data	the grandR object (can also be a plain data frame)	
x	an expression to compute the x value or a character corresponding to a sample (or cell) name or a fully qualified analysis result name (see details)	
У	an expression to compute the y value or a character corresponding to a sample (or cell) name or a fully qualified analysis result name (see details)	
analysis	the name of an analysis table (can be NULL; see details)	
mode.slot	the mode.slot (only relevant if data is a dense grandR object and analysis=NULL)	
xcol	a character corresponding to a sample (or cell) name or a fully qualified analysis result name (see details)	
ycol	a character corresponding to a sample (or cell) name or a fully qualified analysis result name (see details)	
xlab	the label for x (can be NULL, then the x parameter is used)	
ylab	the label for y (can be NULL, then the y parameter is used)	
log	if TRUE, use log scales for x and y axis	
log.x	if TRUE, use log scale for the x axis	
log.y	if TRUE, use log scale for the y axis	
axis	if FALSE, don't show x and y axes	
axis.x	if FALSE, don't show the x axis	
axis.y	if FALSE, don't show the y axis	
remove.outlier	configure how outliers are selected (is the coef parameter to boxplot.stats); can be FALSE, in which case no points are considered outliers (see details)	
show.outlier	if TRUE, show outlier as gray points at the border of the plotting plane	
lim	define the both x and y axis limits (vector of length 2 defining the lower and upper bound, respectively)	

xlim	define the x axis limits (vector of length 2 defining the lower and upper bound, respectively)
ylim	define the y axis limits (vector of length 2 defining the lower and upper bound, respectively)
size	the point size to use
cross	add horizontal and vertical lines through the origin?
diag	if TRUE, add main diagonal; if numeric vector, add these diagonals
filter	restrict to these rows; is evaluated for the data frame, and should result in a logical vector
genes	restrict to these genes; can be either numeric indices, gene names, gene symbols or a logical vector
highlight	highlight these genes; can be either numeric indices, gene names, gene symbols or a logical vector (see details)
label	label these genes; can be either numeric indices, gene names, gene symbols or a logical vector (see details)
label.repel	force to repel labels from points and each other (increase if labels overlap)
facet	an expression (evaluated in the same environment as x and y); for each unique value a panel (facet) is created; can be NULL
color	either NULL (use point density colors), or a name of the GeneInfo table (use scale_color_xxx to define colors), or a color for all points
colorpalette	either NULL (use default colors), or a palette name from color brewer or viridis
colorbreaks	either NULL (use default algorithm of using quantiles of the values), or "min- max" for 5 breaks in between the minimum and maximum of the values, or the actual color breaks to distribute the colors from the palette
color.label	the label for the color legend
density.margin	for density colors, one of 'n','x' or 'y'; should the density be computed along both axes ('n'), or along 'x' or 'y' axis only
density.n	how many bins to use for density calculation (see kde2d)
rasterize	use ggrastr to rasterize points? (can be NULL, see details)
correlation	a function to format correlation statistics to be annotated (see details)
correlation.x	x coordinate to put the correlation annotation in the plot (see details)
correlation.y	y coordinate to put the correlation annotation in the plot (see details)
correlation.hju	st x adjustment to put the correlation annotation in the plot (see details)
correlation.vju	
1	y adjustment to put the correlation annotation in the plot (see details)
layers.below	list of ggplot geoms to add before adding the layer containing the points

Details

Both the x and y parameter are either expressions or names. Names are either sample (or cell, in case of single cell experiments) names or fully qualified analysis results (analysis name followed by a dot and the analysis result table column). If the analysis parameter is given, the analysis name must be omitted from x and y. These names can be used within expressions using non-standard evaluation. Defining by names only works with character literals like "kinetics.Synthesis", but if you give an expression (e.g. a variable name that contains a character), the situation is more complicated, since PlotScatter will try to evaluate this for defining the values, not the name of the column. If the expression evaluates into a single character string that is equal to a name (see above!), PlotScatter knows what to do. For more complicated situations that cannot be resolved by this, you can use the xcol and ycol parameters instead of the x and y parameters!

By default the limits of x and y axis are chosen after removing outliers (using the same algorithm used for boxplot). Thus, larger numbers filter less stringently. remove.outlier can also be set to FALSE (no outlier filtering). If xlim or ylim are set, this overrides outlier filtering. Points outside of the limits (i.e. outliers or points outside of xlim or ylim) are set to infinity (such that they are shown at the border of the plot in gray)

By default, all genes are shown. This can be restricted using the genes parameter (see ToIndex). It is also possible to highlight a subset of the genes using highlight. This parameter either describes a subset of the genes (either numeric indices, gene names, gene symbols or a logical vector), in which case these genes are plotted in red and with larger points size, or it can be a list of such vectors. The names of this list must be valid colors. Genes can also be labeled (make sure that this is really only a small subset of the genes).

When rendering to vector based devices (such as svg or pds), a genome-wide scatterplot often is painfully big (and rendering therefore slow). The rasterize parameter can be used to automatically rasterize the points only (via the ggrastr package). If this parameter is NULL, ggrastr is used if more than 1000 points are plotted!

Often scatter plots show that x and y coordinates are correlated. Correlations can be annotated using the FormatCorrelation function. Most often you will use PlotScatter(data, x, y, correlation=FormatCorrelation()). To use a different correlation measure, other formats for correlation coefficient and P values or omit one of these statistics, parametrize FormatCorrelation. Use correlation.x and correlation.y to place the annotation in the plot, and correlation.hjust/correlation.vjust to align the annotation at the given x,y coordinates. Infinite values for correlation.x/correlation.y will put the annotation at the border of the plot.

Value

a ggplot object with the data frame used as the df attribute

PlotSimulation Plot simulated data

Description

The input data is usually created by SimulateKinetics

PlotTypeDistribution

Usage

```
PlotSimulation(
   sim.df,
   ntr = TRUE,
   old = TRUE,
   new = TRUE,
   total = TRUE,
   line.size = 1
)
```

Arguments

sim.df	the input data frame
ntr	show the ntr?
old	show old RNA?
new	show new RNA?
total	show total RNA?
line.size	which line size to use

Value

a ggplot object

See Also

SimulateKinetics for creating the input data frame

Examples

PlotSimulation(SimulateKinetics(hl=2))

PlotTypeDistribution *Plot the distribution of gene types*

Description

Plot the distribution of gene types

Usage

PlotTypeDistribution(data, mode.slot = DefaultSlot(data), relative = FALSE)

Arguments

data	the grandR object to get the data to be plotted from
mode.slot	which mode and slot to use
relative	show percentage values?

Value

a ggplot object

PoolColumns

Pool reads across columns

Description

Pool read counts, ntrs, and alpha/beta values across columns defined by a pooling matrix

Usage

```
PoolColumns(
    data,
    pooling = GetSummarizeMatrix(data, average = FALSE, no4sU = TRUE)
)
```

Arguments

data	grandR object
pooling	a pooling matrix (see details)

Details

The pooling matrix must have as many rows as there are columns (i.e., samples or cells) in data, and as many columns as you want to have columns in the resulting object. The matrix should consist of 0 and 1, where 1 indicates a column of the original object that should go into a column of the new object. In essence, to obtain the new count matrix, the old count matrix is matrix-multiplied with the pooling matrix.

The new ntr matrix is computed by componentwise division of the new count and total count matrices derived as just described. alpha and beta are computed using matrix multiplication, i.e. summing up all alpha and beta values of all the columns belonging to a pool.

Value

a new grandR object

psapply

Description

Depending on whether SetParallel has been called, execute in parallel or not.

Usage

psapply(..., seed = NULL, enforce = NA)

plapply(..., seed = NULL, enforce = NA)

Arguments

	forwarded to lapply or parallel::mclapply
seed	Seed for the random number generator
enforce	if TRUE, do it parallelized no matter what IsParallel() says, if FALSE do it non- parallelized no matter what IsParallel() says

Details

If the code uses random number specify the seed to make it deterministic

Value

a vector (psapply) or list (plapply)

ReadCounts	Read a count table	

Description

grandR can also be used to analyze standard RNA-seq data, and this function is here to read such data.

Usage

```
ReadCounts(
   file,
   design = c(Design$Condition, Design$Replicate),
   classify.genes = ClassifyGenes(),
   rename.sample = NULL,
   filter.table = NULL,
   num.samples = NULL,
   verbose = FALSE,
   sep = "\t"
)
```

file	a file containing a count matrix
design	Either a design vector (see details), or a data.frame providing metadata for all columns (samples/cells), or a function that is called with the condition name vector and is supposed to return this data.frame.
classify.genes	A function that is used to add the <i>type</i> column to the gene annotation table, always a call to ClassifyGenes
rename.sample	function that is applied to each sample name before parsing (or NULL)
filter.table	function that is applied to the table directly after read it (or NULL)
num.samples	number of sample columns containing read counts (can be NULL, see details)
verbose	Print status updates
sep	The column separator used in the file

Details

The table is assumed to have read counts in the last n columns, which must be named according to sample names. If num.samples is NULL this n is automatically recognized as the number of numeric columns (so make sure to either specify num.samples, or that the column immediately prior to the first sample column is *not* numeric).

If these columns are named systematically in a particular way, the design vector provides a powerful and easy way to create the column annotations.

The column names have to contain dots (.) to separate the fields for the column annotation table. E.g. the name *Mock.4h.A* will be split into the fields *Mock, 4h* and *A*. For such names, a design vector of length 3 has to be given, that describes the meaning of each field. A reasonable design vector for the example would be c("Treatment", "Time", "Replicate"). Some names are predefined in the list Design.

The names given in the design vector might even have additional semantics: E.g. for the name *duration.4sU* the values are interpreted (e.g. 4h is converted into the number 4, or 30min into 0.5, or no4sU into 0). Semantics can be user-defined by calling MakeColdata and using the return value as the design parameter, or a function that calls MakeColdata. In most cases it is easier to manipulate the Coldata table after loading data instead of using this mechanism; the build-in semantics simply provide a convenient way to reduce this kind of manipulation in most cases.

Sometimes you might have forgotten to name all samples consistently (or you simply messed something up). In this case, the rename.sample parameter can be handy (e.g. to rename a particular misnamed sample).

Sometimes the table contains more than you want to read. In this case, use the filter.table parameter to preprocess it. This should be a function that receives a data.frame, and returns a data.frame.

If there are no columns named "Gene" or "Symbol", the first column is used!

Value

a grandR object

ReadFeatureCounts Read featureCounts

Description

grandR can also be used to analyze standard RNA-seq data, and this function is here to read such data.

Usage

```
ReadFeatureCounts(
   file,
   design = c(Design$Condition, Design$Replicate),
   classify.genes = ClassifyGenes(),
   rename.sample = NULL,
   filter.table = NULL,
   num.samples = NULL,
   verbose = FALSE,
   sep = "\t"
)
```

Arguments

file	a file containing featureCounts
design	Either a design vector (see details), or a data.frame providing metadata for all columns (samples/cells), or a function that is called with the condition name vector and is supposed to return this data.frame.
classify.genes	A function that is used to add the <i>type</i> column to the gene annotation table, always a call to ClassifyGenes
rename.sample	function that is applied to each sample name before parsing (or NULL)
filter.table	function that is applied to the table directly after read it (or NULL)
num.samples	number of sample columns containing read counts (can be NULL, see details)
verbose	Print status updates
sep	The column separator used in the file

Details

The table is assumed to have read counts in the last n columns, which must be named according to sample names. If num.samples is NULL this n is automatically recognized as the number of columns containing .bam (so make sure to either specify num.samples, or that the count columns are called after the bam files).

If these columns are named systematically in a particular way, the design vector provides a powerful and easy way to create the column annotations.

The column names have to contain dots (.) to separate the fields for the column annotation table. E.g. the name *Mock*.4*h*.A will be split into the fields *Mock*, 4*h* and A. For such names, a design vector

of length 3 has to be given, that describes the meaning of each field. A reasonable design vector for the example would be c("Treatment", "Time", "Replicate"). Some names are predefined in the list Design.

The names given in the design vector might even have additional semantics: E.g. for the name *duration.4sU* the values are interpreted (e.g. 4h is converted into the number 4, or 30min into 0.5, or no4sU into 0). Semantics can be user-defined by calling MakeColdata and using the return value as the design parameter, or a function that calls MakeColdata. In most cases it is easier to manipulate the Coldata table after loading data instead of using this mechanism; the build-in semantics simply provide a convenient way to reduce this kind of manipulation in most cases.

Sometimes you might have forgotten to name all samples consistently (or you simply messed something up). In this case, the rename.sample parameter can be handy (e.g. to rename a particular misnamed sample).

Sometimes the table contains more than you want to read. In this case, use the filter.table parameter to preprocess it. This should be a function that receives a data.frame, and returns a data.frame.

If there are no columns named "Geneid", "Gene" or "Symbol", the first column is used!

Value

a grandR object

ReadGRAND

Read the output of GRAND-SLAM 2.0 into a grandR object.

Description

Metabolic labeling - nucleotide conversion RNA-seq data (such as generated by SLAM-seq,TimeLapseseq or TUC-seq) must be carefully analyzed to remove bias due to incomplete labeling. GRAND-SLAM is a software package that employs a binomial mixture modeling approach to obtain precise estimates of the new-to-total RNA ratio (NTR) per gene and sample (or cell). This function directly reads the output of GRAND-SLAM 2.0 into a grandR object.

Usage

```
ReadGRAND(
    prefix,
    design = c(Design$Condition, Design$Replicate),
    classify.genes = ClassifyGenes(),
    read.percent.conv = FALSE,
    read.min2 = FALSE,
    rename.sample = NULL,
    verbose = FALSE
)
```

prefix	Can either be the prefix used to call GRAND-SLAM with, or the main output file (\$prefix.tsv.gz); if the RCurl package is installed, this can also be a URL	
design	Either a design vector (see details), or a data.frame providing metadata for all columns (samples/cells), or a function that is called with the condition name vector and is supposed to return this data.frame.	
classify.genes	A function that is used to add the <i>type</i> column to the gene annotation table, always a call to ClassifyGenes	
read.percent.conv		
	Should the percentage of conversions also be read?	
read.min2	Should the read count with at least 2 mismatches also be read?	
rename.sample	function that is applied to each sample name before parsing (or NULL)	
verbose	Print status updates	

Details

If columns (samples/cells) are named systematically in a particular way, the design vector provides a powerful and easy way to create the column annotations.

The column names have to contain dots (.) to separate the fields for the column annotation table. E.g. the name *Mock.4h.A* will be split into the fields *Mock, 4h* and *A*. For such names, a design vector of length 3 has to be given, that describes the meaning of each field. A reasonable design vector for the example would be c("Treatment", "Time", "Replicate"). Some names are predefined in the list Design.

The names given in the design vector might even have additional semantics: E.g. for the name *duration.4sU* the values are interpreted (e.g. 4h is converted into the number 4, or 30min into 0.5, or no4sU into 0). Semantics can be user-defined by calling MakeColdata and using the return value as the design parameter, or a function that calls MakeColdata. In most cases it is easier to manipulate the Coldata table after loading data instead of using this mechanism; the build-in semantics simply provide a convenient way to reduce this kind of manipulation in most cases.

Sometimes you might have forgotten to name all samples consistently (or you simply messed something up). In this case, the rename.sample parameter can be handy (e.g. to rename a particular misnamed sample).

Value

A grandR object containing the read counts, NTRs, information on the NTR posterior distribution (alpha,beta) and potentially additional information of all genes detected by GRAND-SLAM

See Also

ReadGRAND3, ClassifyGenes, MakeColdata, DesignSemantics

Examples

ReadGRAND3

Read the output of GRAND-SLAM 3.0 into a grandR object.

Description

Metabolic labeling - nucleotide conversion RNA-seq data (such as generated by SLAM-seq,TimeLapseseq or TUC-seq) must be carefully analyzed to remove bias due to incomplete labeling. GRAND-SLAM is a software package that employs a binomial mixture modeling approach to obtain precise estimates of the new-to-total RNA ratio (NTR) per gene and sample (or cell). This function directly reads the output of GRAND-SLAM 3.0 into a grandR object.

Usage

```
ReadGRAND3(
    prefix,
    design = NULL,
    label = "4sU",
    estimator = "Binom",
    classify.genes = ClassifyGenes(),
    read.posterior = NULL,
    rename.sample = NULL,
    verbose = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

prefix	the prefix used to call GRAND-SLAM
design	Either a design vector (see details), or a data.frame providing metadata for all columns (samples/cells), or a function that is called with the condition name vector and is supposed to return this data.frame. if NULL, a library,sample,barcode design is used for sparse data, and a condition,replicate design for dense data
label	which nucleoside analog
estimator	which estimator to use (one of Binom, TbBinom, TbBinomShape)
classify.genes	A function that is used to add the <i>type</i> column to the gene annotation table, always a call to ClassifyGenes
read.posterior	also read the posterior parameters alpha and beta? if NULL, TRUE for dense data, FALSE for sparse data
rename.sample	function that is applied to each sample name before parsing (or NULL)
verbose	Print status updates

ReadNewTotal

Details

If columns (samples/cells) are named systematically in a particular way, the design vector provides a powerful and easy way to create the column annotations.

The column names have to contain dots (.) to separate the fields for the column annotation table. E.g. the name *Mock.4h.A* will be split into the fields *Mock, 4h* and *A*. For such names, a design vector of length 3 has to be given, that describes the meaning of each field. A reasonable design vector for the example would be c("Treatment", "Time", "Replicate"). Some names are predefined in the list Design.

The names given in the design vector might even have additional semantics: E.g. for the name *duration.4sU* the values are interpreted (e.g. 4h is converted into the number 4, or 30min into 0.5, or no4sU into 0). Semantics can be user-defined by calling MakeColdata and using the return value as the design parameter, or a function that calls MakeColdata. In most cases it is easier to manipulate the Coldata table after loading data instead of using this mechanism; the build-in semantics simply provide a convenient way to reduce this kind of manipulation in most cases.

Sometimes you might have forgotten to name all samples consistently (or you simply messed something up). In this case, the rename.sample parameter can be handy (e.g. to rename a particular misnamed sample).

Value

A grandR object containing the read counts, NTRs, information on the NTR posterior distribution (alpha,beta) and potentially additional information of all genes detected by GRAND-SLAM

See Also

ReadGRAND, ClassifyGenes, MakeColdata, DesignSemantics

ReadNewTotal

Read sparse new/total matrices

Description

This function can be used to load matrix market data in case genes were quantified by (i) counting all reads (for total RNA) and (ii) counting T-to-C mismatch reads (for new RNA)

Usage

```
ReadNewTotal(
  genes,
  cells,
  new.matrix,
  total.matrix,
  detection.rate = 1,
  verbose = FALSE
)
```

genes	csv file (or URL) containing gene information
cells	csv file (or URL) containing cell information
new.matrix	Matrix market file of new counts
total.matrix	Matrix market file of total counts
detection.rate	the detection rate of T-to-C mismatch reads (see details)
verbose	verbose output

Details

Metabolic labeling - nucleotide conversion RNA-seq data (such as generated by SLAM-seq,TimeLapseseq or TUC-seq) must be carefully analyzed to remove bias due to incomplete labeling. We advice against counting read with and without T-to-C mismatches for quantification, and encourage using a statistical method such as GRAND-SLAM that properly deals with incomplete labeling.

To correct for some bias, a detection rate (as suggested by Cao et al., Nature Biotech 2020) should be provided. This detection rate defines, how much new RNA is detected on average using the T-to-C mismatch reads.

Value

a grandR object

RotatateAxisLabels Rotate x axis labels

Description

Add this to a ggplot object to rotate the x axis labels

Usage

```
RotatateAxisLabels(angle = 90)
```

Arguments

angle the angle by which to rotate

Value

a ggplot theme object

SaveNtrSlot

Description

Copy the NTR slot and save under new name

Usage

SaveNtrSlot(data, name)

Arguments

data	the grandR object
name	the name of the new slot

Value

a grandR object

Scale

Scale data

Description

Compute values for all genes standardized (i.e. z scores) across samples.

Usage

```
Scale(
   data,
   name = "scaled",
   slot = DefaultSlot(data),
   set.to.default = FALSE,
   group = NULL,
   center = TRUE,
   scale = TRUE
)
```

data	a grandR object
name	the new slot name
slot	the slot from where to take values
<pre>set.to.default</pre>	set the new slot as default slot
group	Perform standardization per group of columns (see details)
center	Perform centering (forwarded to scale)
scale	Perform scaling (forwarded to scale)

Details

Standardization can be done per group. For this, the group parameter has to be a name of the Coldata table, to define groups of columns (i.e. samples or cells).

Value

a new grandR object with a new slot

See Also

scale

Semantics.concentration

Semantics for concentration columns

Description

Defines additional semantics for columns representing concentrations

Usage

Semantics.concentration(s, name)

Arguments

S	original column
name	the column name

Value

a data frame with a single numeric column, where $\langle x \rangle$ uM from s is replaced by x, $\langle x \rangle$ mM is replaced by x*1000, and no4sU is replaced by 0

Semantics.time Semantics for time columns

Description

Defines additional semantics for columns representing temporal dimensions

Usage

```
Semantics.time(s, name)
```

Arguments

S	original column
name	the column name

Value

a data frame with a single numeric column, where $\langle x \rangle$ h from s is replaced by x, $\langle x \rangle$ min is replaced by x/60, and no4sU is replaced by 0

ServeGrandR Serve a shiny web interface

Description

Fire up a shiny web server for exploratory analysis of grandR data.

Usage

```
ServeGrandR(
    data,
    table = NULL,
    sizes = NA,
    height = 400,
    floating.size = c(350, 350),
    plot.gene = NULL,
    plot.global = NULL,
    plot.window = NULL,
    highlight = NULL,
    df.identifier = "Symbol",
    title = Title(data),
    show.sessionInfo = FALSE,
    help = list(".Q: multiple testing corrected p values", ".LFC: log2 fold changes")
)
```

data	the grandR object (or a file name to an rds file containing a grandR object)	
table	the table to display (can be NULL or a named list; see details)	
sizes	the widths for the gene plots to show (12 is full screen with); must be a vector as long as there are gene plots	
height	the height for the gene plots in pixel	
floating.size	either a vector (width,height) for all plots in floating windows or a named list of such vectors for each floating window	
plot.gene	a list of gene plots; can be NULL, then the stored gene plots are used (see Plots)	
plot.global	a list of global plots; can be NULL, then the stored global plots are used (see Plots)	
plot.window	a list of static plots to show in a floating window; see details	
highlight	a vector of gene names that are highlighted in the beginning; can also be a column name in the (first) table	
df.identifier	the main identifier (column name) from the table; this is used when calling the gene plot functions;	
title	the title to show in the header of the website	
show.sessionInfo		
	whether to show session info	
help	a list of characters that is shown as help text at the beginning (when no gene plot is shown); should describe the contents of your table	

Details

If the table parameter is NULL, either an analysis table named "ServeGrandR" is used (if it exists), otherwise the columns "Q", "LFC", "Synthesis" and "Half-life" of all analysis tables are used. If it is a list, a menu is created in the navbar

plot.window must be a list of plotting functions that receive the grandR object and return a plot. It can also be a list of list, in which case more than one plotting windows are generated. Each plot will be rendered with a size of 350x350.

The gene plots must be functions that accept two parameters: the grandR object and a gene identifier. You can either use functions directly (e.g. plot.gene=list(PlotGeneOldVsNew)), or use Defer in cases you need to specify additional parameters, e.g. plot.gene=list(Defer(PlotGeneOldVsNew,log=FALSE)). The global plots are functions accepting a single parameter (the grandR object). Here the use of Defer is encouraged due to its caching mechanism.

Value

a shiny web server

SetParallel

Examples

End(Not run)

SetParallel

Set up parallel execution

Description

Set the number of cores for parallel execution.

Usage

SetParallel(cores = max(1, parallel::detectCores() - 2))

Arguments

cores number of cores

Details

Whenever psapply or plapply are used, they are executed in parallel.

Value

No return value, called for side effects

```
SimulateKinetics
```

Description

The standard mass action kinetics model of gene expression arises from the differential equation df/dt = s - df(t), with s being the constant synthesis rate, d the constant degradation rate and f0 = f(0) (the abundance at time 0). The RNA half-life is directly related to d via HL = log(2)/d. This model dictates the time evolution of old and new RNA abundance after metabolic labeling starting at time t=0. This function simulates data according to this model.

Usage

```
SimulateKinetics(
    s = 100 * d,
    d = log(2)/hl,
    hl = 2,
    f0 = NULL,
    dropout = 0,
    min.time = -1,
    max.time = 10,
    N = 1000,
    name = NULL,
    out = c("Old", "New", "Total", "NTR")
)
```

Arguments

S	the synthesis rate (see details)
d	the degradation rate (see details)
hl	the RNA half-life
fØ	the abundance at time t=0
dropout	the 4sU dropout factor
min.time	the start time to simulate
max.time	the end time to simulate
Ν	how many time points from min.time to max.time to simuate
name	add a Name column to the resulting data frame
out	which values to put into the data frame

Details

Both rates can be either (i) a single number (constant rate), (ii) a data frame with names "offset", "factor" and "exponent" (for linear functions, see ComputeNonConstantParam) or (iii) a unary function time->rate. Functions

Value

a data frame containing the simulated values

See Also

PlotSimulation for plotting the simulation

Examples

head(SimulateKinetics(hl=2)) # simulate steady state kinetics for an RNA with half-life 2h

SimulateReadsForSample

Simulate metabolic labeling - nucleotide conversion RNA-seq data.

Description

This function takes a vector of *true* relative abundances and NTRs, and then simulates (i) read counts per gene and (ii) 4sU incorporation and conversion events. Subsequently, it uses the same approach as implemented in the GRAND-SLAM 2.0 software (Juerges et al., Bioinformatics 2018) to estimate the NTR from these simulated data.

Usage

```
SimulateReadsForSample(
 num.reads = 2e+07,
 rel.abundance = setNames(rlnorm(10000, meanlog = 4.5, sdlog = 1), paste0("Gene",
    1:10000)),
  ntr = setNames(rbeta(10000, 1.5, 3), paste0("Gene", 1:10000)),
  dispersion = 0.05,
  beta.approx = FALSE,
  conversion.reads = FALSE,
  u.content = 0.25,
  u.content.sd = 0.05,
  read.length = 75,
  p.old = 1e-04,
  p.new = 0.04,
  p.new.fit = p.new,
  enforce.parallelized = NA,
  seed = NULL
)
```

num.reads	the total amount of reads for simulation	
rel.abundance	named (according to genes) vector of the true relative abundances. Is divided by its sum.	
ntr	vector of true NTRs	
dispersion	vector of dispersion parameters (should best be estimated by DESeq2)	
beta.approx	should the beta approximation of the NTR posterior be computed?	
conversion.read	ds	
	also output the number of reads with conversion	
u.content	the relative frequency of uridines in the reads	
u.content.sd	the standard deviation of the u content	
read.length	the read length for simulation	
p.old	the probability for a conversion in reads originating from old RNA	
p.new	the probability for a conversion in reads originating from new RNA	
p.new.fit	the probability for a conversion in reads originating from new RNA that is used for fitting (to simulate bias in the estimation of p.new)	
enforce.parallelized		
	should parallelization be used (NA: use state of IsParallel())	
seed	seed value for the random number generator (set to make it deterministic!)	

Details

The simulation proceeds as follows:

- 1. Draw for each gene the number of reads from a negative binomial distribution parametrized with the relative abundances x read number and the dispersion parameter
- 2. For each gene: Draw for each read the number of uridines according to a beta binomial distribution for the given read length (the beta prior is parametrized to match the u.content and u.content.sd parameters)
- 3. For each read: Draw the number of conversions according to the binomial mixture model of GRAND-SLAM (parametrized with p_old, p_new, the gene specific NTR and the read specific number of uridines)
- 4. Estimate the NTR by using the GRAND-SLAM approach

Value

a matrix containing, per column, the simulated counts, the simulated NTRs, (potentially the shape parameters of the beta distribution approximation,) and the true relative frequencies and ntrs

See Also

SimulateTimeCourse

Examples

```
SimulateReadsForSample(num.reads = 10000,rel.abundance = rep(1,5),ntr=0.9)
SimulateReadsForSample(num.reads = 10000,rel.abundance = rep(1,5),ntr=0.9,seed=1337)
SimulateReadsForSample(num.reads = 10000,rel.abundance = rep(1,5),ntr=0.9,seed=1337)
# the second and third matrix should be equal, the first should be distinct
```

SimulateTimeCourse	Simulate a complete time course of metabolic labeling - nucleotide
	conversion RNA-seq data.

Description

This function takes a vector of *true* synthesis rates and RNA half-lives, and then simulates data for multiple time points and replicates. Both synthesis rate and RNA half-lives are assumed to be constant, but the system might not be in steady-state.

Usage

```
SimulateTimeCourse(
  condition,
  gene.info,
  s,
  d,
  f0 = s/d,
  s.variation = 1,
 d.variation = 1,
 dispersion,
  num.reads = 1e+07,
  timepoints = c(0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 4, 4, 4),
 beta.approx = FALSE,
  conversion.reads = FALSE,
  verbose = TRUE,
  seed = NULL,
  . . .
)
```

Arguments

condition	A user-defined condition name (which is placed into the Coldata of the final grandR object)
gene.info	either a data frame containing gene annotation or a vector of gene names
S	a vector of synthesis rates
d	a vector of degradation rates (to get a specific half-life HL, use d=log(2)/HL)
fØ	the abundance at time t=0
s.variation	biological variability of s among all samples (see details)

d.variation	biological variability of d among all samples (see details)	
dispersion	a vector of dispersion parameters (estimate from data using DESeq2, e.g. by the estimate.dispersion utility function)	
num.reads	a vector representing the number of reads for each sample	
timepoints	a vector representing the labeling duration (in h) for each sample	
beta.approx	should the beta approximation of the NTR posterior be computed?	
conversion.reads		
	also output the number of reads with conversion	
verbose	Print status updates	
seed	seed value for the random number generator (set to make it deterministic!)	
	provided to SimulateReadsForSample	

Details

If *s.variation* or *d.variation* are > 1, then for each gene a random gaussian is added to s (or d) such that 90 of the gaussian is log2(s.variation).

Value

a grandR object containing the simulated data in its data slots and the true parameters in the gene annotation table

```
SimulateTimeCourseNonConstant
```

Simulate a complete time course of metabolic labeling - nucleotide conversion RNA-seq data.

Description

This function takes a vector of *true* synthesis rates and RNA half-lives, and then simulates data for multiple time points and replicates. Both synthesis rate and RNA half-lives are assumed to be constant, but the system might not be in steady-state.

Usage

```
SimulateTimeCourseNonConstant(
   condition,
   gene.info,
   s,
   d,
   dispersion,
   num.reads = 1e+07,
   t = 2,
   replicates = 3,
   beta.approx = FALSE,
```

SimulateTimeCourseNonConstant

```
conversion.reads = FALSE,
verbose = TRUE,
seed = NULL,
...
```

Arguments

)

condition	A user-defined condition name (which is placed into the Coldata of the final grandR object)	
gene.info	either a data frame containing gene annotation or a vector of gene names	
S	a vector of synthesis rates (see details)	
d	a vector of degradation rates (see details)	
dispersion	a vector of dispersion parameters (estimate from data using DESeq2, e.g. by the estimate.dispersion utility function)	
num.reads	a vector representing the number of reads for each sample	
t	a single number denoting the time	
replicates	a single number denoting the number of replicates	
beta.approx	should the beta approximation of the NTR posterior be computed?	
conversion.reads		
	also output the number of reads with conversion	
verbose	Print status updates	
seed	seed value for the random number generator (set to make it deterministic!)	
	provided to SimulateReadsForSample	

Details

Both rates can be either (i) a single number (constant rate), (ii) a data frame with names "offset", "factor" and "exponent" (for linear functions, see ComputeNonConstantParam; only one row allowed) or (iii) a unary function time->rate. Functions

Value

a grandR object containing the simulated data in its data slots and the true parameters in the gene annotation table

See Also

SimulateTimeCourse

Slots

Description

Get slot names and add or remove slots

Usage

Slots(data)
DropSlot(data, pattern = NULL)
AddSlot(data, name, matrix, set.to.default = FALSE, warn = TRUE)

Arguments

data	A grandR object
pattern	a regular expression matched against slot names
name	the slot name
matrix	the data matrix for the new slot
<pre>set.to.default</pre>	set the new slot as the default slot?
warn	issue a warning if the slot name already exists and is overwritten

Value

Either the slot names or a grandR data with added/removed slots

Functions

- Slots(): Obtain the slot names
- DropSlot(): Remove one or several slots from this grandR object
- AddSlot(): Add an additional slot to this grandR object

See Also

DefaultSlot

Examples

Description

The structure is supposed to be a list. Flattening is done by extracting the given fields (return.fields) and applying the additional function (return.extra). This is mainly to be used within sapply and similar.

Usage

```
structure2vector(d, return.fields = NULL, return.extra = NULL)
kinetics2vector(
   d,
   condition = NULL,
   return.fields = c("Synthesis", "Half-life"),
   return.extra = NULL
)
```

Arguments

d	the data structure
return.fields	which fields should be extracted directly (may be NULL)
return.extra	apply a function returning a flat list or vector (may be NULL)
condition	if the original grandR object had Condition set, which condition to extract (NULL otherwise)

Value

the data flattened into a vector

Functions

• kinetics2vector(): Convert the output of the FitKinetics methods into a vector

Examples

Summarize

Description

Helper function to work in conjunction with GetMatrix or similar to obtain a summarized matrix.

Usage

```
Summarize(mat, summarize.mat)
```

Arguments

mat	the matrix to summarize
summarize.mat	the matrix defining how to summarize (see details)

Details

The summarize.mat can be obtained via GetSummarizeMatrix. If there are missing (NA) values in the matrix, they are imputed from the rest (average)

Value

the summarized matrix

ToIndex

Obtain the indices of the given genes

Description

Genes can be referred to by their names, symbols, row numbers in the gene table, or a logical vector referring to the gene table rows. This function accepts all these possibilities and returns the row number in the gene table for the given genes,

Usage

```
ToIndex(data, gene, regex = FALSE, remove.missing = TRUE, warn = TRUE)
```

Arguments

data	The grandR object
gene	A vector of genes. Can be either numeric indices, gene names, gene symbols or a logical vector
regex	Treat gene as a regex and return all that match
remove.missing	if TRUE, do not return missing genes (return NA otherwise)
warn	if TRUE emit a warning if not all genes are found

Transform.no

Value

Numeric indices corresponding to the given genes

See Also

GeneInfo

Examples

Transform.no

Transformations for PlotHeatmap

Description

Functions to perform transformations on the matrix used for PlotHeatmap.

Usage

```
Transform.no(label = " ")
Transform.Z(label = "z score", center = TRUE, scale = TRUE)
Transform.VST(label = "VST")
```

Transform.logFC(label = "log2 FC", LFC.fun = NULL, columns = NULL, ...)

Arguments

label	label that is used for the heatmap legend
center	perform centering when computing Z scores (see scale)
scale	perform scaling when computing Z scores (see scale)
LFC.fun	function to compute log fold changes (default: PsiLFC, other viable option: NormLFC)
columns	which columns (i.e. samples or cells) to use as reference when computing log fold changes (see details)
	further parameters passed down to LFC.fun

Details

These functions should be used as transform parameter to PlotHeatmap. Available data transformations are

- transform=Transform.Z(): compute z scores for each row; you can omit the usual centering or scaling by setting the respective parameters to false; see scale
- transform=Transform.VST(): do a variance stabilizing transformation using vst
- transform=Transform.logFC(): compute log2 fold changes to one or several reference columns; see below how to define them; fold changes are computed using the lfc package)
- transform=Transform.no(): do not transform

The label to be used in the heatmap legend can be changed by specifying the label parameter.

For Transform.logFC, columns can be given as a logical, integer or character vector representing a selection of the columns (samples or cells).

Value

A function that transforms a matrix.

TransformSnapshot *Estimate parameters for a one-shot experiment.*

Description

Under steady state conditions it is straight-forward to estimate s and d. Otherwise, the total levels at some other time point are needed.

Usage

TransformSnapshot(ntr, total, t, t0 = NULL, f0 = NULL, full.return = FALSE)

Arguments

ntr	the new to total RNA ratio (measured)
total	the total level of RNA (measured)
t	the labeling duration
tØ	time before measurement at which f0 is total level (only necessary under non-steady-state conditions)
fØ	total level at t0 (only necessary under non-steady-state conditions)
full.return	also return the provided parameters

Details

t0 must be given as the total time in between the measurement of f0 and the given ntr and total values!

UpdateSymbols

Value

a named vector for s and d

UpdateSymbols Update symbols using biomaRt

Description

If your input files only contained ENSEMBL ids, use this to add gene symbols!

Usage

```
UpdateSymbols(data, species = NULL, current.value = "ensembl_gene_id")
```

Arguments

data	a grandR object
species	the species the genes belong to (eg "Homo sapiens"); can be NULL, then the species is inferred from gene ids (see details)
current.value	What it the current value in the symbols field?

Details

If no species is given, a very simple automatic inference is done, which will only work when having human or mouse ENSEMBL identifiers as gene ids. If you need to specify species, it must be one of biomaRt::listDatasets(biomaRt::useMart("ensembl"))\$dataset!

Current.value must be one of biomaRt::listAttributes(biomaRt::useMart("ensembl"))\$name!

Value

a grandR object with updated symbol names

Description

Copy the NTR slot and save under new name

Usage

UseNtrSlot(data, name)

data	the grandR object
name	the name of the new slot

Value

a grandR object

VulcanoPlot

Make a Vulcano plot

Description

Plot log2 fold changes against -log10 multiple testing adjusted P values

Usage

```
VulcanoPlot(
   data,
   analysis = Analyses(data)[1],
   p.cutoff = 0.05,
   lfc.cutoff = 1,
   annotate.numbers = TRUE,
   ...
)
```

Arguments

data	the grandR object that contains the data to be plotted	
analysis	the analysis to plot (default: first analysis)	
p.cutoff	p-value cutoff (default: 0.05)	
lfc.cutoff	log fold change cutoff (default: 1)	
annotate.numbers		
	if TRUE, label the number of genes	
	further parameters passed to PlotScatter	

Value

a ggplot object

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