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 Artist

Visualization Artist for Custom Plots

Description

The Artist class offers a suite of methods designed to create a variety of plots using ggplot2 for data exploration. Any methods prefixed with `plot_` or `test_` will log the command history along with their results, allowing you to review all outcomes later via the `get_all_results()` method. Notably, methods starting with `plot_` will check if the result of the preceding command is of the `htest` class. If so, it will incorporate the previous command and its p-value as the title and subtitle,

respectively. This class encompasses methods for crafting dumbbell plots, bubble plots, divergence bar charts, lollipop plots, contour plots, scatter plots with ellipses, donut plots, and pie charts. Each method is tailored to map data to specific visual aesthetics and to apply additional customizations as needed.

Value

The R6 class `Artist`.

Public fields

`data` Stores the dataset used for plotting.

`command` recode the command.

`result` record the plot.

Methods

Public methods:

- `Artist$new()`
- `Artist$get_all_result()`
- `Artist$test_wilcox()`
- `Artist$test_t()`
- `Artist$plot_scatter()`
- `Artist$plot_box()`
- `Artist$dumbbell()`
- `Artist$bubble()`
- `Artist$barchart_divergence()`
- `Artist$lollipop()`
- `Artist$contour()`
- `Artist$scatter_ellipses()`
- `Artist$donut()`
- `Artist$pie()`
- `Artist$clone()`

Method `new()`: Initializes the Artist class with an optional dataset.

Usage:

```
Artist$new(data = NULL)
```

Arguments:

`data` A data frame containing the dataset to be used for plotting. Default is NULL.

Returns: An instance of the Artist class.

Method `get_all_result()`: Get all history result

Usage:

```
Artist$get_all_result()
```

Returns: a data.table object

Method `test_wilcox()`: Conduct wilcox.test

Usage:

```
Artist$test_wilcox(formula, data = self$data, ...)
```

Arguments:

formula `wilcox.test()` formula arguments

data A data frame containing the data to be plotted. Default is `self$data`.

... Additional aesthetic mappings passed to `wilcox.test()`.

Returns: A ggplot2 scatter plot.

Method `test_t()`: Conduct wilcox.test

Usage:

```
Artist$test_t(formula, data = self$data, ...)
```

Arguments:

formula `t.test()` formula arguments

data A data frame containing the data to be plotted. Default is `self$data`.

... Additional aesthetic mappings passed to `t.test()`.

Returns: A ggplot2 scatter plot.

Method `plot_scatter()`: Creates a scatter plot.

Usage:

```
Artist$plot_scatter(
  data = self$data,
  fun = function(x) x,
  x,
  y,
  ...,
  add = private$is_hstest()
)
```

Arguments:

data A data frame containing the data to be plotted. Default is `self$data`.

fun function to process the `self$data`.

x The column name for the x-axis.

y The column name for the y-axis.

... Additional aesthetic mappings passed to `aes()`.

add whether to add the test result.

Returns: A ggplot2 scatter plot.

Method `plot_box()`: Creates a box plot.

Usage:

```
Artist$plot_box(  
  data = self$data,  
  fun = function(x) x,  
  x,  
  ...,  
  add = private$is_htest()  
)
```

Arguments:

`data` A data frame or tibble containing the data to be plotted. Default is `self$data`.

`fun` function to process the `self$data`.

`x` The column name for the x-axis.

`...` Additional aesthetic mappings passed to `aes()`.

`add` whether to add the test result.

Returns: A `ggplot2` box plot.

Method `dumbbell()`: Create a dumbbell plot

This method generates a dumbbell plot using the provided data, mapping the specified columns to the x-axis, y-axis, and color aesthetic.

Usage:

```
Artist$dumbbell(data = self$data, x, y, col, ...)
```

Arguments:

`data` A data frame containing the data to be plotted.

`x` The column in `data` to map to the x-axis.

`y` The column in `data` to map to the y-axis.

`col` The column in `data` to map to the color aesthetic.

`...` Additional aesthetic mappings or other arguments passed to `ggplot`.

Returns: A `ggplot` object representing the dumbbell plot.

Method `bubble()`: Create a bubble plot

This method generates a bubble plot where points are mapped to the x and y axes, with their size and color representing additional variables.

Usage:

```
Artist$bubble(data = self$data, x, y, size, col, ...)
```

Arguments:

`data` A data frame containing the data to be plotted.

`x` The column in `data` to map to the x-axis.

`y` The column in `data` to map to the y-axis.

`size` The column in `data` to map to the size of the points.

`col` The column in `data` to map to the color of the points.

`...` Additional aesthetic mappings or other arguments passed to `ggplot`.

Returns: A `ggplot` object representing the bubble plot.

Method `barchart_divergence()`: Create a divergence bar chart

This method generates a divergence bar chart where bars are colored based on their positive or negative value.

Usage:

```
Artist$barchart_divergence(data = self$data, group, y, fill, ...)
```

Arguments:

`data` A data frame containing the data to be plotted.

`group` The column in `data` representing the grouping variable.

`y` The column in `data` to map to the y-axis.

`fill` The column in `data` to map to the fill color of the bars.

`...` Additional aesthetic mappings or other arguments passed to `ggplot`.

Returns: A `ggplot` object representing the divergence bar chart.

Method `lollipop()`: Create a lollipop plot

This method generates a lollipop plot, where points are connected to a baseline by vertical segments, with customizable colors and labels.

Usage:

```
Artist$lollipop(data = self$data, x, y, ...)
```

Arguments:

`data` A data frame containing the data to be plotted.

`x` The column in `data` to map to the x-axis.

`y` The column in `data` to map to the y-axis.

`...` Additional aesthetic mappings or other arguments passed to `ggplot`.

Returns: A `ggplot` object representing the lollipop plot.

Method `contour()`: Create a contour plot

This method generates a contour plot that includes filled and outlined density contours, with data points overlaid.

Usage:

```
Artist$contour(data = self$data, x, y, ...)
```

Arguments:

`data` A data frame containing the data to be plotted.

`x` The column in `data` to map to the x-axis.

`y` The column in `data` to map to the y-axis.

`...` Additional aesthetic mappings or other arguments passed to `ggplot`.

Returns: A `ggplot` object representing the contour plot.

Method `scatter_ellipses()`: Create a scatter plot with ellipses

This method generates a scatter plot where data points are colored by group, with ellipses representing the confidence intervals for each group.

Usage:

```
Artist$scatter_ellipses(data = self$data, x, y, col, ...)
```

Arguments:

`data` A data frame containing the data to be plotted.
`x` The column in `data` to map to the x-axis.
`y` The column in `data` to map to the y-axis.
`col` The column in `data` to map to the color aesthetic.
... Additional aesthetic mappings or other arguments passed to `ggplot`.

Returns: A `ggplot` object representing the scatter plot with ellipses.

Method `donut()`: Create a donut plot

This method generates a donut plot, which is a variation of a pie chart with a hole in the center. The sections of the donut represent the proportion of categories in the data.

Usage:

```
Artist$donut(data = self$data, x, y, fill, ...)
```

Arguments:

`data` A data frame containing the data to be plotted.
`x` The column in `data` to map to the x-axis.
`y` The column in `data` to map to the y-axis.
`fill` The column in `data` to map to the fill color of the sections.
... Additional aesthetic mappings or other arguments passed to `ggplot`.

Returns: A `ggplot` object representing the donut plot.

Method `pie()`: Create a pie chart

This method generates a pie chart where sections represent the proportion of categories in the data.

Usage:

```
Artist$pie(data = self$data, y, fill, ...)
```

Arguments:

`data` A data frame containing the data to be plotted.
`y` The column in `data` to map to the y-axis.
`fill` The column in `data` to map to the fill color of the sections.
... Additional aesthetic mappings or other arguments passed to `ggplot`.

Returns: A `ggplot` object representing the pie chart.

Method `clone()`: The objects of this class are cloneable with this method.*Usage:*

```
Artist$clone(deep = FALSE)
```

Arguments:

`deep` Whether to make a deep clone.

Examples

```
library(data.table)
air <- subset(airquality, Month %in% c(5, 6))
setDT(air)
cying <- Artist$new(data = air)
cying$plot_scatter(x = Wind, y = Temp)
cying$test_wilcox(
  formula = Ozone ~ Month,
)
cying$plot_scatter(x = Wind, y = Temp)
cying$plot_scatter(f = \"(x) x[, z := Wind * Temp], x = Wind, y = z)
```

 check_marker

Verify Markers for Specific Clusters Using matchCellMarker

Description

This function checks the markers for specified clusters returned by the `matchCellMarker2` function. It allows users to filter by species, cluster, and to specify whether to consider cis or trans interactions.

Usage

```
check_marker(marker, n, spc, cl = c(), topcellN = 2, cis = FALSE)
```

Arguments

marker	A data frame of markers obtained from <code>Seurat::FindAllMarkers</code> .
n	An integer specifying the top number of genes to match from the input markers.
spc	A character string specifying the species, which can be either 'Human' or 'Mouse'.
cl	An integer or vector of integers specifying the clusters to check.
topcellN	An integer specifying the number of top cells to check for each cluster.
cis	A logical value indicating whether to check marker directly from the top symbol of <code>matchCellMarker2</code> or re-search marker for top cell in <code>cellMarker2</code> .

Value

A named list where each name corresponds to a cell type and each element is a vector of marker names.

Examples

```
# Example usage:
# Check the top 50 markers for clusters 1, 4, and 7 in the Human species.
library(easybio)
data(pbmc.markers)
verified_markers <- check_marker(pbmc.markers, n = 50, spc = "Human", cl = c(1, 4, 7))
print(verified_markers)
```

CHOL_DEGs	<i>Example DEGs data from Limma-Voom workflow for TCGA-CHOL project</i>
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Description

The data were obtained by the limma-voom workflow

dgeList	<i>Construct a DGEList Object</i>
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Description

This function creates a DGEList object from a count matrix, sample information, and feature information. It is designed to facilitate the analysis of differential gene expression using the edgeR package.

Usage

```
dgeList(count, sample.info, feature.info)
```

Arguments

count	A numeric matrix where rows represent features (e.g., genes) and columns represent samples. Row names should correspond to feature identifiers, and column names should correspond to sample identifiers.
sample.info	A data frame containing information about the samples. The number of rows should match the number of columns in the count matrix.
feature.info	A data frame containing information about the features. The number of rows should match the number of rows in the count matrix.

Value

A DGEList object as defined by the edgeR package, which includes the count data, sample information, and feature information.

dprocess_dgeList *Filter Low-Expressed Genes and Normalize DGEList Data*

Description

This function filters out low-expressed genes from a DGEList object and normalizes the count data. It also provides diagnostic plots for raw and filtered data.

Usage

```
dprocess_dgeList(x, group.column, min.count = 10)
```

Arguments

x	A DGEList object containing raw count data.
group.column	The name of the column in x\$samples that contains the grouping information for the samples.
min.count	The minimum number of counts required for a gene to be considered expressed. Genes with counts below this threshold in any group will be filtered out. Defaults to 10.

Value

The function returns a DGEList object with low-expressed genes filtered out and normalization factors calculated.

finsert *Insert Specific Values into a Character Vector at Defined Positions*

Description

This function constructs a character vector of a specified length, inserting given values at positions determined by numeric indices. It is designed for single cell annotation tasks, where specific annotations need to be placed at certain positions in a vector.

Usage

```
finsert(
  x = expression(c(0, 1, 3) == "Neutrophil", c(2, 4, 8) == "Macrophage"),
  len = integer(),
  setname = TRUE,
  na = "Unknown"
)
```

Arguments

x	An expression defining the value to insert and the positions at which to insert them. The expression should be a list of logical comparisons, where the left side is a numeric vector of positions and the right side is the corresponding character value to insert.
len	The desired length of the output character vector. If the specified positions exceed this length, the vector will be padded with the na value.
setname	A logical value indicating whether to set names for the elements of the vector. If TRUE, names are set as character representations of the positions from 0 to the length of the vector minus one.
na	The default value to use for positions not specified in x. This value is also used to pad the vector if its length exceeds the positions specified in x.

Value

A named character vector with the specified values inserted at given positions and padded with the na value if necessary.

Examples

```
# Example usage:
# Insert "Neutrophil" at positions 0, 1, 3 and "Macrophage" at positions 2, 4, 8
# in a vector of length 10, with "Unknown" as the default value.
library(easybio)
annotated_vector <- finsert(
  x = expression(
    c(0, 1, 3) == "Neutrophil",
    c(2, 4, 8) == "Macrophage"
  ),
  len = 10,
  na = "Unknown"
)
print(annotated_vector)
```

get_attr

Retrieve Attributes from an R Object

Description

This function extracts a specified attribute from an R object.

Usage

```
get_attr(x, attr_name)
```

Arguments

x	An R object that has attributes.
attr_name	The name of the attribute to retrieve.

Value

The value of the attribute with the given name.

get_marker	<i>Retrieve Markers for Specific Cells from cellMarker2</i>
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Description

This function extracts a list of markers for one or more cell types from the cellMarker2 dataset. It allows filtering by species, cell type, the number of markers to retrieve, and a minimum count threshold for marker occurrences.

Usage

```
get_marker(spc, cell = character(), number = 5, min.count = 1)
```

Arguments

spc	A character string specifying the species, which can be either 'Human' or 'Mouse'.
cell	A character vector of cell types for which to retrieve markers.
number	An integer specifying the number of top markers to return for each cell type.
min.count	An integer representing the minimum number of times a marker must have been reported to be included in the results.

Value

A named list where each name corresponds to a cell type and each element is a vector of marker names.

Examples

```
# Example usage:
# Retrieve the top 5 markers for 'Macrophage' and 'Monocyte' cell types in humans,
# with a minimum count of 1.
library(easybio)
markers <- get_marker(spc = "Human", cell = c("Macrophage", "Monocyte"))
print(markers)
```

groupStat

Perform Summary Analysis by Group Using Regular Expressions

Description

This function applies a specified function to each group defined by a regular expression pattern applied to the names of a data object. It is useful for summarizing data when groups are defined by a pattern in the names rather than a specific column or index.

Usage

```
groupStat(f, x, xname = names(x), patterns)
```

Arguments

f	A function that takes a single argument and returns a summary of the data.
x	A data frame or matrix containing the data to be summarized.
xname	A character vector containing the names of the variables in x.
patterns	A character vector of regular expressions that define the groups.

Value

A data frame or matrix containing the summary statistics for each group.

groupStatI

Perform Summary Analysis by Group Using an Index

Description

This function applies a specified function to each group defined by an index, and returns a summary of the results. It is useful for summarizing data by group when the groups are defined by an index rather than a named column.

Usage

```
groupStatI(f, x, idx)
```

Arguments

f	A function that takes a single argument and returns a summary of the data.
x	A data frame or matrix containing the data to be summarized.
idx	A vector of indices or group names that define the groups.

Value

A data frame or matrix containing the summary statistics for each group.

`limmaFit`*Fit a Linear Model for RNA-seq data using limma*

Description

This function fits a linear model to processed `DGEList` data using the `limma` package. It defines contrasts between groups and performs differential expression analysis.

Usage

```
limmaFit(x, group.column)
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	A processed <code>DGEList</code> object containing normalized count data.
<code>group.column</code>	The name of the column in <code>x\$samples</code> that contains the grouping information for the samples.

Value

An `eBayes` object containing the fitted linear model and results of the differential expression analysis.

`list2dt`*Convert a List with Vector Values to a Long Data.table*

Description

This function converts a named list with vector values in each element to a long `data.table`. The list is first flattened into a single vector, and then the `data.table` is created with two columns: one for the name of the original list element and another for the value.

Usage

```
list2dt(x)
```

Arguments

<code>x</code>	A named list where each element contains a vector of values.
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Value

A long `data.table` with two columns: 'name' and 'value'.

list2graph	<i>Convert a Named List into a Graph Based on Overlap</i>
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Description

This function creates a graph from a named list, where the edges are determined by the overlap between the elements of the list. Each node in the graph represents an element of the list, and the weight of the edge between two nodes is the number of overlapping elements between the two corresponding lists.

Usage

```
list2graph(nodes)
```

Arguments

nodes	A named list where each element is a vector.
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Value

A data.table representing the graph, with columns for the node names (node_x and node_y) and the weight of the edge (weight).

matchCellMarker2	<i>Match Markers with cellMarker2 Dataset</i>
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Description

This function matches markers from the FindAllMarkers output with the cellMarker2 dataset, filtering by species and selecting the top genes based on their average log2 fold change and adjusted p-values.

Usage

```
matchCellMarker2(marker, n, spc)
```

Arguments

marker	A data frame of markers obtained from the FindAllMarkers function, expected to contain columns such as avg_log2FC, p_val_adj, and gene.
n	An integer specifying the top number of genes to match from the input markers.
spc	A character string specifying the species, which can be either 'Human' or 'Mouse'.

Value

A data frame containing matched markers from the cellMarker2 dataset, with additional columns indicating the number of matches and ordered symbols.

Examples

```
# Example usage:
# Match the top 50 markers from the pbmc.markers dataset with the Human
# species in the cellMarker2 dataset.
library(easybio)
data(pbmc.markers)
matched_markers <- matchCellMarker2(pbmc.markers, n = 50, spc = "Human")
print(matched_markers)
```

pbmc.markers	<i>Example marker data from Seurat::FindAllMarkers()</i>
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Description

The data were obtained by the seurat PBMC workflow. exact script for this data is available as `system.file("example-single-cell.R", package="easybio")`

plotEnrichment2	<i>Plot Enrichment for a Specific Pathway in fgsea</i>
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Description

This function creates a plot of enrichment scores for a specified pathway. It provides a visual representation of the enrichment score (ES) along with the ranks and ticks indicating the GSEA walk length.

Usage

```
plotEnrichment2(pathways, pwayname, stats, gseaParam = 1, ticksSize = 0.2)
```

Arguments

pathways	A list of pathways.
pwayname	The name of the pathway for which to plot enrichment.
stats	A rank vector obtained from the 'fgsea' package.
gseaParam	The GSEA walk length parameter. Default is 1.
ticksSize	The size of the tick marks. Default is 0.2.

Value

A ggplot object representing the enrichment plot.

`plotGSEA`*Visualization of GSEA Result from `fgsea::fgsea()`*

Description

The `plotGSEA` function visualizes the results of a GSEA (Gene Set Enrichment Analysis) using data from the `fgsea` package. It generates a composite plot that includes an enrichment plot and a ranked metric plot.

Usage

```
plotGSEA(fgseaRes, pathways, pwayname, stats, save = FALSE)
```

Arguments

<code>fgseaRes</code>	A data table containing the GSEA results from the <code>fgsea</code> package.
<code>pathways</code>	A list of all pathways used in the GSEA analysis.
<code>pwayname</code>	The name of the pathway to visualize.
<code>stats</code>	A numeric vector representing the ranked statistics.
<code>save</code>	A logical value indicating whether to save the plot as a PDF file. Default is <code>FALSE</code> .

Value

`ggplot2` object.

`plotMarkerDistribution`*Plot Distribution of a Marker Across Tissues and Cell Types*

Description

This function creates a dot plot displaying the distribution of a specified marker across different tissues and cell types, based on data from the CellMarker2.0 database.

Usage

```
plotMarkerDistribution(mkr = character())
```

Arguments

<code>mkr</code>	character, the name of the marker to be plotted.
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Value

A ggplot2 object representing the distribution of the marker.

Examples

```
plotMarkerDistribution("CD14")
```

plotORA

Visualization of ORA Test Results

Description

The plotORA function visualizes the results of an ORA (Over-Representation Analysis) test. It generates a plot with customizable aesthetics for x, y, point size, and fill, with an option to flip the axes.

Usage

```
plotORA(data, x, y, size, fill, flip = FALSE)
```

Arguments

data	A data frame containing the ORA results to be visualized.
x	The column in data to map to the x-axis.
y	The column in data to map to the y-axis.
size	The column in data to map to the size of the points.
fill	The column in data to map to the fill color of the bars or points. Use a constant value for a single category.
flip	A logical value indicating whether to flip the axes of the plot. Default is FALSE.

Value

ggplot2 object.

plotPossibleCell	<i>Plot Possible Cell Distribution Based on matchCellMarker2() Results</i>
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Description

This function creates a dot plot to visualize the distribution of possible cell types based on the results from the `matchCellMarker2()` function, utilizing data from the CellMarker2.0 database.

Usage

```
plotPossibleCell(marker, min.uniqueN = 2)
```

Arguments

marker	data.table, the result from the <code>matchCellMarker2()</code> function.
min.uniqueN	integer, the minimum number of unique marker genes that must be matched for a cell type to be included in the plot. Default is 2.

Value

A `ggplot2` object representing the distribution of possible cell types.

plotRank	<i>Visualization of GSEA Rank Statistics</i>
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Description

The `plotRank` function visualizes the ranked statistics of a GSEA (Gene Set Enrichment Analysis) analysis. The function creates a plot where the x-axis represents the rank of each gene, and the y-axis shows the corresponding ranked list metric.

Usage

```
plotRank(stats)
```

Arguments

stats	A numeric vector containing the ranked statistics from a GSEA analysis.
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Value

`ggplot2` object

plotSeuratDot	<i>Create Dot Plots for Markers from check_marker</i>
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Description

This function generates dot plots for the markers obtained from the `check_marker` function for specified cluster groups within a Seurat object. The plots are saved to a temporary directory.

Usage

```
plotSeuratDot(srt, cls, ...)
```

Arguments

<code>srt</code>	A Seurat object containing the single-cell data.
<code>cls</code>	A list containing cluster groups to check. Each element of the list should correspond to a cluster or a group of clusters for which to generate dot plots.
<code>...</code>	Additional parameters to pass to the <code>check_marker</code> function.

Value

The function returns the temporary directory invisibly.

plotVolcano	<i>Plot Volcano Plot for Differentially Expressed Genes</i>
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Description

This function generates a volcano plot for differentially expressed genes (DEGs) using `ggplot2`. It allows for customization of the plot with different aesthetic parameters.

Usage

```
plotVolcano(data, data.text, x, y, color, label)
```

Arguments

<code>data</code>	A data frame containing the DEGs result.
<code>data.text</code>	A data frame containing labeled data for text annotation.
<code>x</code>	variable representing the aesthetic for the x-axis.
<code>y</code>	variable representing the aesthetic for the y-axis.
<code>color</code>	variable representing the column name for the color aesthetic.
<code>label</code>	variable representing the column name for the text label aesthetic.

Value

A ggplot object representing the volcano plot.

prepare_geo

Download and Process GEO Data

Description

This function downloads gene expression data from the Gene Expression Omnibus (GEO) database. It retrieves either the expression matrix or the supplementary tabular data if the expression data is not available. The function also allows for the conversion of probe identifiers to gene symbols and can combine multiple probes into a single symbol.

Usage

```
prepare_geo(geo, dir = ".", combine = TRUE, method = "max")
```

Arguments

geo	A character string specifying the GEO Series ID (e.g., "GSE12345").
dir	A character string specifying the directory where files should be downloaded. Default is the current working directory (".").
combine	A logical value indicating whether to combine multiple probes into a single gene symbol. Default is TRUE.
method	A character string specifying the method to use for combining probes into a single gene symbol. Options are "max" (take the maximum value) or "mean" (compute the average). Default is "max".

Value

A list containing:

data	A data frame of the expression matrix.
sample	A data frame of the sample metadata.
feature	A data frame of the feature metadata, which includes gene symbols if combining probes.

prepare_tcga	<i>Prepare TCGA Data for Analysis</i>
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Description

This function prepares TCGA data for downstream analyses such as differential expression analysis with `limma` or survival analysis. It extracts and processes the necessary information from the TCGA data object, separating tumor and non-tumor samples.

Usage

```
prepare_tcga(data)
```

Arguments

data	A SummarizedExperiment object containing TCGA data, typically obtained from R package TCGABiolinks.
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Value

A list.

setcolnames	<i>Rename Column Names of a Data Frame or Matrix</i>
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Description

This function renames the column names of a data frame or matrix to the specified names.

Usage

```
setcolnames(object = nm, nm)
```

Arguments

object	A data frame or matrix whose column names will be renamed.
nm	A character vector containing the new names for the columns.

Value

A data frame or matrix with the new column names.

setrownames	<i>Rename Row Names of a Data Frame or Matrix</i>
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Description

This function renames the row names of a data frame or matrix to the specified names.

Usage

```
setrownames(object = nm, nm)
```

Arguments

object	A data frame or matrix whose row names will be renamed.
nm	A character vector containing the new names for the rows.

Value

A data frame or matrix with the new row names.

setSavedir	<i>Set a Directory for Saving Files</i>
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Description

This function sets a directory path for saving files, creating the directory if it does not already exist. The directory path is created with the given arguments, which are passed directly to `file.path()`.

Usage

```
setSavedir(...)
```

Arguments

...	Arguments to be passed to <code>file.path()</code> to construct the directory path.
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Value

The path to the newly created or existing directory.

split_matrix	<i>Split a Matrix into Smaller Submatrices by Column</i>
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Description

This function splits a matrix into multiple smaller matrices by column. It is useful for processing large matrices in chunks, such as when performing analysis on a single computer with limited memory.

Usage

```
split_matrix(matrix, chunk_size)
```

Arguments

matrix	A numeric or logical matrix to be split.
chunk_size	The number of columns to include in each smaller matrix.

Value

A list of smaller matrices, each with chunk_size columns.

theme_publication	<i>Custom ggplot2 Theme for Academic Publications</i>
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Description

theme_publication creates a custom ggplot2 theme designed for academic publications, ensuring clarity, readability, and a professional appearance. It is based on theme_classic() and includes additional refinements to axis lines, text, and other plot elements to meet the standards of high-quality academic figures.

Usage

```
theme_publication(base_size = 12, base_family = "sans")
```

Arguments

base_size	numeric, the base font size. Default is 12.
base_family	character, the base font family. Default is "sans".

Value

A ggplot2 theme object that can be applied to ggplot2 plots.
ggplot2 theme.

Examples

```
library(ggplot2)
p <- ggplot(mtcars, aes(mpg, wt)) +
  geom_point() +
  theme_publication()
print(p)
```

tuneParameters	<i>Optimize Resolution and Gene Number Parameters for Cell Type Annotation</i>
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Description

This function tunes the resolution parameter in `Seurat::FindClusters()` and the number of top differential genes (N) to obtain different cell type annotation results. The function generates UMAP plots for each parameter combination, allowing for a comparison of how different settings affect the clustering and annotation.

Usage

```
tuneParameters(srt, resolution = numeric(), N = integer(), spc)
```

Arguments

srt	Seurat object, the input data object to be analyzed.
resolution	numeric vector, a vector of resolution values to be tested in <code>Seurat::FindClusters()</code> .
N	integer vector, a vector of values indicating the number of top differential genes to be used for matching in <code>matchCellMarker2()</code> .
spc	character, the species parameter for the <code>matchCellMarker2()</code> function, specifying the organism.

Value

A list of ggplot2 objects, each representing a UMAP plot generated with a different combination of resolution and N parameters.

uniprot_id_map	<i>Map UniProt IDs to Other Identifiers</i>
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Description

This function maps UniProt IDs to other identifiers using UniProt's ID mapping service. It sends a request to the UniProt API to perform the mapping and retrieves the results in a tabular format.

Usage

```
uniprot_id_map(...)
```

Arguments

... Parameters to be passed in the request body.

Value

A data.table containing the mapped identifiers.

Examples

```
uniprot_id_map(  
  ids = "P21802,P12345",  
  from = "UniProtKB_AC-ID",  
  to = "UniRef90"  
)
```

workIn	<i>Perform Operations in a Specified Directory and Return to the Original Directory</i>
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Description

This function allows you to perform operations in a specified directory and then return to the original directory. It is useful when you need to work with files or directories that are located in a specific location, but you want to return to the original working directory after the operation is complete.

Usage

```
workIn(dir, expr)
```

Arguments

dir The directory path in which to operate. If the directory does not exist, it will be created recursively.

expr An R expression to be evaluated within the specified directory.

Value

The result of evaluating the expression within the specified directory.

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