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Description Pigengene package provides an efficient way to infer biological signatures from gene expression profiles. The signatures are independent from the underlying platform, e.g., the input can be microarray or RNA Seq data. It can even infer the signatures using data from one platform, and evaluate them on the other. Pigengene identifies the modules (clusters) of highly coexpressed genes using coexpression network analysis, summarizes the biological information of each module in an eigengene, learns a Bayesian network that models the probabilistic dependencies between modules, and builds a decision tree based on the expression of eigengenes.

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Pigengene-package

Infers robust biological signatures from gene expression data

# Description

Pigengene identifies gene modules (clusters), computes an eigengene for each module, and uses these biological signatures as features for classification. The resulting biological signatures are very robust with respect to the profiling platform. For instance, if Pigenegene computes a biological signature using a microarray dataset, it can infer the same signature in an RNA Seq dataset such that it is directly comparable across the two datasets.

#### **Details**

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The main function is one.step.pigengene which requires a gene expression profile and the corresponding conditions (types). Individual functions are provided to facilitate running the pipeline in a customized way. Also, the inferred biological signatures (computed eigengenes) are useful for other supervised or unsupervised analyses.

In most functions of this package, eigenegenes are computed or used as robust biological signatures. Briefly, each eigengene is a weighted average of the expression of all genes in a module (cluster), where the weights are adjusted in a way that the explained variance is maximized.

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# References

Large-scale gene network analysis reveals the significance of extracellular matrix pathway and homeobox genes in acute myeloid leukemia, Foroushani A, Agrahari R, Docking R, Karsan A, and Zare H. In preparation.

### See Also

Pigengene-package, one.step.pigengene, compute.pigengene, WGCNA::blockwiseModules

### **Examples**

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aml

AML gene expression profile

# Description

Gene expression profile of 202 acute myeloid leukemia (AML) cases from Mills et al. study. The profile was compared with the profile of 164 myelodysplastic syndromes (MDS) cases and only the 1000 most differentially expressed genes are included.

### Usage

```
data("aml")
```

#### **Format**

A numeric matrix

### **Details**

The columns and rows are named according to the genes Entrez, and patient IDs, respectively. The original data was produced using Affymetrix Human Genome U133 Plus 2.0 Miccoaray. Mills et al. study is part of the MILE Study (Microarray Innovations In LEukemia) program, and aimed at prediction of AML transformation in MDS.

#### Value

It is a 202\*1000 numeric matrix.

#### Source

```
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/geo/query/acc.cgi?acc=GSE15061
```

# References

Mills, Ken I., et al. (2009). Microarray-based classifiers and prognosis models identify subgroups with distinct clinical outcomes and high risk of AML transformation of myelodysplastic syndrome. Blood 114.5: 1063-1072.

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# See Also

Pigengene-package, one.step.pigengene, mds, pigengene

# **Examples**

```
library(pheatmap)
data(aml)
pheatmap(aml[,1:20],show_rownames=FALSE)
```

balance

Balances the number of samples

# Description

Oversamples data by repeating rows such that each condition has roughly the same number of samples.

# Usage

```
balance(Data, Labels, amplification = 5, verbose = 0, naTolerance=0.05)
```

# Arguments

Data	A matrix or data frame containing the expression data, with genes corresponding to columns and rows corresponding to samples. Rows and columns must be named.
Labels	A (preferably named) vector containing the Labels (condition types) for Data. Names must agree with rows of Data.
amplification	An integer that controls the number of repeats for each condition. The number of all samples roughly will be multiplied by this factor after oversampling.
verbose	The integer level of verbosity. 0 means silent and higher values produce more details of computation.
naTolerance	Upper threshold on the fraction of entries per gene that can be missing. Genes with a larger fraction of missing entries are ignored. For genes with smaller fraction of NA entries, the missing values are imputed from their average expression in the other samples. See check.pigengene.input.

# Value

A list of:

balanced The matrix of oversampled data

each condition.

 $\hbox{origSampleInds} \quad \hbox{The indices of rows in balanced that correspond to the original samples before}$ 

oversampling

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### Author(s)

Habil Zare

#### See Also

Pigengene-package, one.step.pigengene, wgcna.one.step, compute.pigengene

# **Examples**

```
data(aml)
data(mds)
d1 <- rbind(aml,mds)
Labels <- c(rep("AML",nrow(aml)),rep("MDS",nrow(mds)))
names(Labels) <- rownames(d1)
b1 <- balance(Data=d1, Labels=Labels)
d2 <- b1$balanced</pre>
```

calculate.beta

Estimates an appropriate power value

# **Description**

The WGCNA package assumes that in the coexpression network the genes are connected with a power-law distribution. Therefore, it need a soft-thresholding power for network construction, which is estimated by this auxiliary function.

### Usage

```
calculate.beta(saveFile = NULL, RsquaredCut = 0.8, Data, doThreads=FALSE,
  verbose = 0)
```

# Arguments

saveFile	The file to save the results in. Set to NULL to disable.
RsquaredCut	A threshold in the range [0,1] used to estimate the power. A higher value can increase power. For technical use only. See pickSoftThreshold for more details.
Data	A matrix or data frame containing the expression data, with genes corresponding to columns and rows corresponding to samples. Rows and columns must be named.
doThreads	Boolean. Allows WGCNA to run a little faster using multi-threading but might not work on all systems.
verbose	The integer level of verbosity. 0 means silent and higher values produce more details of computation.

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### Value

A list of:

sft The full output of pickSoftThreshold function

power The estimated power (beta) value

powers The numeric vector of all tried powers

RsquaredCut The value of input argument RsquaredCut

#### References

Langfelder P and Horvath S, WGCNA: an R package for weighted correlation network analysis. BMC Bioinformatics 2008, 9:559

### See Also

```
pickSoftThreshold, blockwiseModules, one.step.pigengene, wgcna.one.step
```

# **Examples**

```
data(aml)
p1 <- calculate.beta(Data=aml[,1:200])</pre>
```

check.nas

Removes NAs from a data matrix

# **Description**

Checks Data for NA values.

# Usage

```
check.nas(Data, naTolerance=0.05, na.rm=TRUE)
```

### **Arguments**

Data A matrix or data frame containing the expression data, with genes corresponding

to columns and rows corresponding to samples. Rows and columns must be

named.

naTolerance A number in the 0-1 range. If the frequency of NAs in a column of Data is more

than this threshold, then that column will be removed.

na.rm If TRUE, NAs in the Data will be replaces with the average of the column, how-

ever, if the frequency of NAs in the column is too high (i.e., more than naTolerance),

the whole column will be removed.

### Value

A list of:

cleaned The cleaned data with no NA value. Rows are the same as Data, but some

columns may be deleted.

tooNaGenes A character vector of those genes (i.e., column names of Data) that had too

many NAs, and therefore were removed.

replacedNaNum The number of NA entries in the matrix that were replaced with the average of

the corresponding column (gene).

# Author(s)

Habil Zare

#### See Also

```
check.pigengene.input, Pigengene-package
```

### **Examples**

```
data(aml)
dim(aml)
aml[1:410]<-NA
c1 <- check.nas(Data=aml)
dim(c1$cleaned)
c1$tooNaGenes
rm(aml)</pre>
```

check.pigengene.input Quality check on the imput

# Description

Checks Data and Labels for NA values, row and column names, etc.

# Usage

```
check.pigengene.input(Data, Labels, na.rm = FALSE, naTolerance=0.05)
```

# **Arguments**

Data A matrix or data frame containing the expression data, with genes corresponding

to columns and rows corresponding to samples. Rows and columns must be

named.

Labels A (preferably named) vector containing the Labels (condition types) for Data.

Names must agree with rows of Data.

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na.rm If TRUE, NAs in the Data will be replaces with the average of the column, how-

ever, if the frequency of NAs in the column is too high, the whole column will be

removed.

naTolerance Upper threshold on the fraction of entries per gene that can be missing. Genes

with a larger fraction of missing entries are ignored. For genes with smaller fraction of NA entries, the missing values are imputed from their average expression

in the other samples. See check.pigengene.input.

#### Value

A list of:

Data The checked Data matrix, NA possibly removed and rows are ordered as names

of Labels.

Labels The checked vector of Labels

### Author(s)

Habil Zare

#### See Also

```
check.nas, one.step.pigengene, Pigengene-package
```

# **Examples**

```
data(aml)
Labels <- c(rep("AML",nrow(aml)))
names(Labels) <- rownames(aml)
c1 <- check.pigengene.input(Data=aml, Labels=Labels,na.rm=TRUE)
Data <- c1$Data
Labels <- c1$Labels</pre>
```

combine.networks

Combines two or more networks

### **Description**

Takes as input two or more adjacency matrices, and the corresponding contributions. Computes a combined network (weighted graph) in which the weight on an edge between two nodes is an average of the weights on the same edge in the input networks.

### Usage

```
combine.networks(nets, contributions, outPath, midfix="",
    powerVector=1:20, verbose=1, RsquaredCut=0.75, minModuleSize=5,
    doRemoveTOM=TRUE, datExpr, doReturNetworks=FALSE, doSave=FALSE, doIdentifyModule=TRUE)
```

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### **Arguments**

nets A list of adjacency matrices (networks), which can be generated using e.g., the

WGCNA::adjacency function. Rows and columns must be named.

contributions A numeric vector with the same length as nets. In computing the average weight

on each edge in the combined network, first the edge weights from individual networks are multiplied by their corresponding contributions, then the result will

be divided by the sum of weights of all networks containing this edge.

outPath A string to the path where plots and results will be saved.

midfix An optional string used in the output file names.

powerVector A numeric vector of power values that are tried to find the best one. See WGCNA::pickSoftThreshold

documentation.

verbose The integer level of verbosity. 0 means silent and higher values produce more

details of computation.

RsquaredCut A threshold in the range [0,1] used to estimate the power. A higher value can

increase power. For technical use only. See pickSoftThreshold for more de-

tails.

minModuleSize The value that controls the minimum number of genes per module.

doRemoveTOM A boolean determining the big TOM file must remove or not.

datExpr The expression matrix that WGCNA::blockwiseModules uses for fine-tuning and

removing genes from modules. This is not an ideal behavior by WGCNA.

doReturNetworks

A boolean value to determine whether to return Network, which is relatively a

big matrix (typically GBs). Set to FALSE not to waste memory.

doSave A boolean value to determine whether the whole output of this function (typi-

cally 1-2 GBs) should be saved as combinedNetwork. Set to FALSE not to waste

disk space.

doIdentifyModule

A boolean value to determine whether modules should be identified. Set it to

FALSE if you just need the network, not the modules.

#### Value

A list with following components

call The command that created the results

midfix The input argument

Network The adjacency matrix of the combined network

denominators A matrix, each cell of which is the sum of weights of all networks contributing

to the edge corresponding to that cell

power The power (beta) value used for the combined network fits The fit indices calculated for the combined network

net The output of WGCNA::blockwiseModules containing the module information

in its colors field

modules The output of WGCNA::blockwiseModules

combinedNetworkFile

The path to the saved file containing combinedNetwork

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### Note

If the networks have different node sets, the combined network will be computed on the union of nodes.

#### See Also

```
WGCNA::blockwiseModules, WGCNA::TOMsimilarity, and WGCNA::pickSoftThreshold.fromSimilarity
```

# **Examples**

compact.tree

Reduces the number of genes in a decision tree

### **Description**

In a greedy way, this function removes the genes with smaller weight one-by-one, while assessing the accuracy of the predictions of the resulting trees.

# Usage

```
compact.tree(c5Tree, pigengene, Data=pigengene$Data, Labels=pigengene$Labels,
  testD=NULL, testL=NULL, saveDir=".", verbose=0)
```

#### **Arguments**

c5Tree	A decision tree of class C50 that uses module eigengenes, or NULL. If NULL, If NULL, expression plots for all modules are created.
pigengene	A object of pigengene-class, output of compute.pigengene
Data	A matrix or data frame containing the expression data, with genes corresponding to columns and rows corresponding to samples. Rows and columns must be named.
Labels	Labels (condition types) for the (training) expression data. It is a named vector of characters. Data will be subset according to these names.
testD	The test expression data, for example, from an independent dataset. Optional.
testL	Labels (condition types) for the (test) expression data. Optional.

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saveDir Where to save the plots of the tree(s)

verbose Integer level of verbosity. 0 means silent and higher values produce more details

of computation.

### Value

A list with following elements is invisibly returned:

call The call that created the results

predTrain Prediction using projected data without compacting

predTrainCompact

Prediction after compacting

genes A character vector of all genes in the full tree before compacting

genesCompacted A character vector of all genes in the compacted tree

trainErrors A matrix reporting errors on the train data. The rows are named according to

the number of removed genes. Each column reports the number of misclassified samples in one condition (type) except the last column that reports the total.

testErrors A matrix reporting errors on the test data similar to trainErrors

queue A numeric vector named by all genes contributing to the full tree before com-

pacting. The numeric values are weights increasingly ordered by absolute value.

pos The number of removed genes

txtFile Confusion matrices and other details on compacting are reported in this text file

# References

Large-scale gene network analysis reveals the significance of extracellular matrix pathway and homeobox genes in acute myeloid leukemia, Foroushani A, Agrahari R, Docking R, Karsan A, and Zare H. In preparation.

Gene shaving as a method for identifying distinct sets of genes with similar expression patterns, Hastie, Trevor, et al. Genome Biol 1.2 (2000): 1-0003.

#### See Also

Pigengene-package, compute.pigengene, make.decision.tree, C5.0, Pigengene-package

# **Examples**

```
## Data:
data(aml)
data(mds)
data(pigengene)
d1 <- rbind(aml,mds)

## Fiting the trees:
trees <- make.decision.tree(pigengene=pigengene, Data=d1,
saveDir="trees", minPerLeaf=14:15, doHeat=FALSE,verbose=3,
toCompact=FALSE)</pre>
```

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compute.pigengene Computes the eigengenes

# Description

This function takes as input the expression data and module assignments, and computes an eigengene for each module using PCA.

# Usage

```
compute.pigengene(Data, Labels, modules, saveFile = "pigengene.RData",
    selectedModules = "All", amplification = 5, doPlot = TRUE,
    verbose = 0, dOrderByW = TRUE, naTolerance=0.05)
```

# Arguments

Data	A matrix or data frame containing the training expression data, with genes corresponding to columns and rows corresponding to samples. Rows and columns must be named.
Labels	A (preferably named) vector containing the Labels (condition types) for the training Data. Names must agree with rows of Data.
modules	A numeric vector, named by genes, that reports the module (clustering) assignments.
saveFile	The file to save the results. NULL will disable saving, and thus requires doPlot to be FALSE.
selectedModule	S
	A numeric vector determining which modules to use, or set to "All" (default) to include every module.
amplification	An integer that controls the number of repeats for each condition. The number of all samples roughly will be multiplied by this factor after oversampling. See balance.
doPlot	Boolean determining whether heatmaps of expression of eigengenes should be ploted and saved.
verbose	The integer level of verbosity. 0 means silent and higher values produce more details of computation.
d0rderByW	If TRUE, the genes will be ordered in the csv file based on their absolute weight in the corresponding module.
naTolerance	Upper threshold on the fraction of entries per gene that can be missing. Genes with a larger fraction of missing entries are ignored. For genes with smaller fraction of NA entries, the missing values are imputed from their average expression in the other samples. See <a href="mailto:check.pigengene.input">check.pigengene.input</a> .

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### **Details**

Rows of Data are oversampled using balance so that each condition has roughly the same number of samples. moduleEigengenes computes an eigengene for each module using PCA.

#### Value

An object of pigengene-class.

# Author(s)

Habil Zare and Amir Foroushani

#### References

Large-scale gene network analysis reveals the significance of extracellular matrix pathway and homeobox genes in acute myeloid leukemia, Foroushani A, Agrahari R, Docking R, Karsan A, and Zare H. In preparation.

#### See Also

Pigengene-package, one.step.pigengene, wgcna.one.step, make.decision.tree, moduleEigengenes

# **Examples**

dcor.matrix

Computes distance correlation for give matrix

#### **Description**

This function computes the distance correlation between every pair of columns of the input data matrix.

# Usage

```
dcor.matrix(Data)
```

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# **Arguments**

Data

A matrix containing the data

#### **Details**

Using for loops, all pairs of columns are passed to link[energy]{dcor} function from link[energy]{energy-package}.

### Value

A numeric square matrix. The number of rows and columns is equal to the number of columns of Data and they are named accordingly.

#### Note

This function uses for loops, which are not efficient for an input matrix with too many columns.

#### Author(s)

Habil Zare

### References

```
Szekely, G.J., Rizzo, M.L., and Bakirov, N.K. (2007), Measuring and Testing Dependence by Correlation of Distances, _Annals of Statistics_, Vol. 35 No. 6, pp. 2769-2794.
```

<URL: http://dx.doi.org/10.1214/009053607000000505>

Szekely, G.J. and Rizzo, M.L. (2009), Brownian Distance Covariance, \_Annals of Applied Statistics\_, Vol. 3, No. 4, 1236-1265.

<URL: http://dx.doi.org/10.1214/09-AOAS312>

Szekely, G.J. and Rizzo, M.L. (2009), Rejoinder: Brownian Distance Covariance, \_Annals of Applied Statistics\_, Vol. 3, No. 4, 1303-1308.

#### See Also

```
link[energy]{dcor}
```

# Examples

```
## Data:
data(aml)
dcor1 <- dcor.matrix(Data=aml[,1:5])
dcor1

## Comparison with Pearson:
cor1 <- abs(cor(aml[,1:5]))
## With 202 samples, distance and Pearson correlations do not differ much:
dcor1-cor1
dcor2 <- dcor.matrix(Data=aml[1:20,1:5])
cor2 <- abs(cor(aml[1:20,1:5]))
## Distance correlation is more robust if fewer samples are available:</pre>
```

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```
dcor2-cor2
plot(dcor2-cor1,cor1-cor2,xlim=c(-0.5,0.5),ylim=c(-0.5,0.5))
```

draw.bn

Draws a Bayesian network

# **Description**

Draws the BN using appropriate colors and font size.

### Usage

```
draw.bn(BN, plotFile = NULL, inputType = "ENTREZIDat", edgeColor = "blue",
   DiseaseCol = "darkgreen", DiseaseFill = "red", DiseaseChildFill = "pink",
   nodeCol = "darkgreen", nodeFill = "yellow", moduleNamesFile = NULL,
   mainText = NULL, nodeFontSize = 14 * 1.1, verbose = 0)
```

# **Arguments**

BN An object of bn-class

plotFile If not NULL, the plot will be saved here.

inputType The type of gene IDs in BN

edgeColor The color of edges

DiseaseCol The color of the border of the Disease node

DiseaseFill The color of the area inside the Disease node

DiseaseChildFill

The color of the area inside the children of the Disease node

nodeCol The color of the border of the usual nodes excluding Disease and its children

nodeFill The color of the area inside the usual nodes

moduleNamesFile

An optional csv file including the information to rename the nodes name. See

coderename.node.

mainText The main text shown at the top of the plot

nodeFontSize Adjusts the size of nodes

verbose The integer level of verbosity. 0 means silent and higher values produce more

details of computation.

# Value

A list with following components:

The call that created the results

An echo of input BN argument

renamedBN An object of bn-class when moduleNamesFile is provided

gr The full output of graphviz.plot function

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### Author(s)

Habil Zare

#### See Also

bnlearn-package, Pigengene-package, learn.bn, graph-class

# **Examples**

## See lear.bn function.

eigengenes33

Eigengenes of 33 modules

# Description

This list contains partial eigengenes computed from AML and MDS gene expression profiles provided by Mills et al. These data are included to illustrate how to use Pigengene-package and also to facilitate reproducing the results presented in the corresponding paper.

# Usage

data(eigengenes33)

#### **Format**

A list

#### **Details**

The top 9166 differentially expressed genes were identified and their expressions in AML were used for identifying 33 modules. The first column, ME0, corresponds to module 0 (outliers) and is usually ignored. The eigengene for each module was obtained using compute.pigengene function. Oversampling was performed with amplification=5 to adjust for unbalanced sample-size.

# Value

It is a list of 3 objects:

aml A 202 by 34 matrix. Each column reports the values of a module eigengene for AML cases.

mds A 164 by 34 matrix for MDS cases with columns similar to aml.

modules A numeric vector of length 9166 labeling members of each module. Named by Entrez ID.

# Source

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/geo/query/acc.cgi?acc=GSE15061

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### References

Mills, Ken I., et al. (2009). Microarray-based classifiers and prognosis models identify subgroups with distinct clinical outcomes and high risk of AML transformation of myelodysplastic syndrome. Blood 114.5: 1063-1072.

#### See Also

```
Pigengene-package, compute.pigengene, aml, mds, learn.bn
```

# **Examples**

```
library(pheatmap)
data(eigengenes33)
pheatmap(eigengenes33$aml,show_rownames=FALSE)
## See Pigengene::learn.bn() documentation for more examples.
```

gene.mapping

Maps gene IDs

# **Description**

Takse as input gene IDs in a convention, say REFSEQ, and converts them to another convention.

### Usage

```
gene.mapping(ids, inputType = "REFSEQ", outputType = "SYMBOL",
  leaveNA = TRUE, inputDb = "Human", outputDb = inputDb,
  verbose = 0)
```

# **Arguments**

ids	A character vector of input gene IDs
inputType	The type of input IDs.
outputType	The type of output IDs. If it is a character vector, mapping will be done for each element.
leaveNA	If TRUE, the IDs that were not matched are left with NAs in the second column of the output, otherwise the input IDs are returned.
inputDb	The input data base. Use org.Hs.eg.db for human and org.Mm.eg.db for mouse. The default "Human" character uses the former.
outputDb	The output data base. If it is a list, mapping will be done for each element.
verbose	The integer level of verbosity. 0 means silent and higher values produce more details of computation.

#### **Details**

It can map homologous genes between species e.g. from mouse to human. If more than 1 ID found for an input gene, only one of them is returned.

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# Value

A matrix of characters with 3 columns: input, output1, and output2. The last one is guaranteed not to be NA.

#### Author(s)

Amir Foroushani, Habil Zare, and Rupesh Agrahari

#### References

Pages H, Carlson M, Falcon S and Li N. AnnotationDbi: Annotation Database Interface. R package version 1.32.3.

# See Also

```
AnnotationDb-class, org.Hs.eg.db org.Mm.eg.db
```

#### **Examples**

```
library(org.Hs.eg.db)
g1 <- gene.mapping(ids="NM_001159995")
print(g1)

## Mapping to multiple convention
library(org.Mm.eg.db)
g2 <- gene.mapping(ids=c("NM_170730", "NM_001013580"),
    inputType="REFSEQ", inputDb=org.Mm.eg.db,
    outputType=c("SYMBOL","ENTREZID"),
    outputDb=list(org.Hs.eg.db,org.Mm.eg.db), verbose=1)
print(g2)</pre>
```

get.enriched.pw

Performs pathway over representation analysis

### **Description**

Takes as input a vector or list of gene IDs in any convention, and performs over representation analysis.

# Usage

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# Arguments

genes A character vector or a named list of genes for which pathway over representa-

tion analysis to be done.

idType A string describing the type of input gene ID e.g., "ENTREZID", "REFSEQ",

"SYMBOL".

pathwayDb A character vector determining which enrichment database to be used e.g., "GO",

"KEGG", "REACTOME", or "NCG".

ont GO ontology terms to be analysed e.g., "BP", "MF" or "CC". Default is all three.

Org A character string equal to "Human" or "Mouse" determining the reference or-

ganism to be used. For "Human" and "Mouse" org. Hg. eg. db and org. Mm. eg. db

will be used, respectively. If Org is not NULL, OrgDb must be NULL.

OrgDb The reference data base to be used. Use e.g. org.Ce.eg.db for 'Celegans' when

analysing Celegans data. If OrgDb is not NULL, Org must be NULL.

outPath A file path where results will be saved.

pvalueCutoff A numerical value that determines a cutoff of adjusted pValue.

pAdjustMethod A string passed to the clusterProfiler::enrichG0 function to determine the method

for adjusting the p-value. Options include "holm", "hochberg", "hommel", "bon-

ferroni", "BH", "BY", "fdr", "none".

fontSize A numerical value that determines the font size of the y-axis and the title in the

plot.

verbose The integer level of verbosity. 0 means silent and higher values produce more

details of computation.

#### Value

A list:

EnrichResults A list of output of enrichment analysis for different database analyzed.

noEnrichment A vector of database names in which no enriched pathways were found.

The output is saved for each selected module under the "moduleName\\_enrichment" folder. There is a subfolder that includes an excel file and plot(s). Each sheet in the excel file corresponds to a pathway database (KEGG in the below example). Each row is an overrepresented pathway.

# Author(s)

Isha Mehta, and Habil Zare

# References

Guangchuang Yu, Li-Gen Wang, Yanyan Han and Qing-Yu He, clusterProfiler: an R package for comparing biological themes among gene clusters. OMICS: A Journal of Integrative Biology 2012, 16(5):284-287

Guangchuang Yu, Qing-Yu He. ReactomePA: an R/Bioconductor package for reactome pathway analysis and visualization. Molecular BioSystems 2016, 12(2):477-479

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### See Also

```
enrichGO, enrichKEGG, enrichNCG, enrichPathway
```

# **Examples**

get.fitted.leaf

Returs the leaf for each sample

# **Description**

Taking as input a tree and data, this function determines the leaf each sample will fall in.

# Usage

```
get.fitted.leaf(c5Tree, inpDTemp, epsi = 10^(-7))
```

### **Arguments**

c5Tree A decision tree of class C50 that uses module eigengenes, or NULL. If NULL,

expression plots for all modules are created.

inpDTemp The possibly new data matrix with samples on rows epsi A small perturbation to resolve the boundary issue

#### Value

A numeric vector of node indices named by samples (rows of inpDTemp)

# Note

This function is tricky because C50 uses a global variable.

### Author(s)

Amir Foroushani

# See Also

Pigengene-package, make.decision.tree, compact.tree, compute.pigengene, module.heatmap, get.used.features, preds.at

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### **Examples**

```
## Data:
data(aml)
data(mds)
data(pigengene)
d1 <- rbind(aml,mds)

## Fiting the trees:
trees <- make.decision.tree(pigengene=pigengene, Data=d1,
saveDir="trees", minPerLeaf=15, doHeat=FALSE,verbose=3,
    toCompact=FALSE)
f1 <- get.fitted.leaf(c5Tree=trees$c5Trees[["15"]],
    inpDTemp=pigengene$eigengenes)</pre>
```

get.genes

*List the (most relevant) genes for a decision tree.* 

# **Description**

This function returns all genes that are left after shrinking (compacting) a given tree. If enhance is set to TRUE, it makes sure that the output contains at least two genes from each used module.

# Usage

```
get.genes(c5Tree = NULL, pigengene = NULL, queue = NULL, modules = NULL, pos=0,
   enhance = TRUE)
```

# Arguments

queue A character vector. The membership queue for a decision tree.

Number of genes that are considered from removal. Same interpretation as in

preds.at

enhance If enhance is set to TRUE, the function makes sure that the output contains at least

two genes from each used module. Otherwise, exactly the pos first elements of

the queue are removed from consideration.

modules Named character vector listing the module assignments.

c5Tree A decision tree of class C50.

pigengene An object in pigengene-class, usually created by compute.pigengene.

### **Details**

This function needs modules and queue, or alternatively, c5Tree and pigengene.

# Value

A character vector containing the names of the genes involved in the modules whose eigengenes are used in the tree. If pos > 0, the first pos such genes with lowest absolute membership in their respective modules are filtered.

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# See Also

Pigengene-package, compact.tree,preds.at, get.used.features, make.decision.tree

# **Examples**

```
## Data:
data(aml)
data(mds)
data(pigengene)
d1 <- rbind(aml,mds)

## Fiting the trees:
trees <- make.decision.tree(pigengene=pigengene, Data=d1,
saveDir="trees", minPerLeaf=15, doHeat=FALSE,verbose=3,
    toCompact=FALSE)
g1 <- get.genes(c5Tree=trees$c5Trees[["15"]],pigengene=pigengene)</pre>
```

get.used.features

Return the features used in a tree

# **Description**

Only some of the features will be automatically selected and used in a decision tree. However, an object of class C5.0 does not have the selected feature names explicitly. This function parses the tree component and extracts the names of features contributing to the tree.

# Usage

```
get.used.features(c5Tree)
```

#### **Arguments**

c5Tree

A decision tree of class 50

# Value

A character vector of the names of features (module eigengenes) contributing to the input decision tree.

# Author(s)

Amir Foroushani

# See Also

```
Pigengene-package, make.decision.tree, compact.tree, compute.pigengene, module.heatmap, get.fitted.leaf, preds.at, Pigengene-package
```

### **Examples**

learn.bn

Learns a Bayesian network

# **Description**

This function takes as input the eigengenes of all modules and learns a Bayesian network using bnlearn package. It builds several individual networks from random staring networks by optimizing their score. Then, it infers a consensus network from the ones with relatively "higher" scores. The default hyper-parameters and arguments should be fine for most applications.

# Usage

```
learn.bn(pigengene=NULL, Data=NULL, Labels=NULL, bnPath = "bn", bnNum = 100,
   consensusRatio = 1/3, consensusThresh = "Auto", doME0 = FALSE,
   selectedFeatures = NULL, trainingCases = "All", algo = "hc", scoring = "bde",
   restart = 0, pertFrac = 0.1, doShuffle = TRUE, use.Hartemink = TRUE,
   bnStartFile = "None", use.Disease = TRUE, use.Effect = FALSE, dummies = NULL,
   tasks = "All", onCluster = !(which.cluster()$cluster == "local"),
   inds = 1:ceiling(bnNum/perJob), perJob = 2, maxSeconds = 5 * 60,
   timeJob = "00:10:00", bnCalculationJob = NULL, seed = NULL, verbose = 0,
   naTolerance=0.05)
```

# **Arguments**

pigengene	An object from pigengene-class. The output of compute.pigengene function.
Data	A matrix or data frame containing the training data with eigengenes corresponding to columns and rows corresponding to samples. Rows and columns must be named.
Labels	A (preferably named) vector containing the Labels (condition types) for the training data. Names must agree with rows of Data.
bnPath	The path to save the results

bnNum The total number of individual networks. In practice, the number of learnt net-

works can be less than bnNum because some jobs may take too long and be

terminated.

consensusRatio A numeric in the range 0-1 that determines what portion of highly scored net-

works should be used to build the consensus network

consensusThresh

A vector of thresholds in the range 0-1. For each threshold t, a consensus network will be build by considering the arcs that are present in at least a fraction of t of the individual networks. Alternatively, if it is "Auto" (the default), the threshold will be automatically set to the mean plus the standard deviation of the frequencies (strengths) of all arcs in the individual networks.

doME0 If TRUE, module 0 (the outliers) will be considered in learning the Bayesian

network.

selectedFeatures

A character vector. If not NULL, only these features (eigengenes) will be used.

trainingCases A character vector that determines which cases (samples) should be considered

for learning the network.

algo The algorithm that bnlean uses for optimizing the score. The default is "hc" (hill

climbing). See arc. strength for other options and more details.

scoring A character determining the scoring criteria. Use 'bde' and 'bic' for the Bayesian

Dirichlet equivalent and Bayesian Information Criterion scores, respectively.

See score for technical details.

restart The number of random restarts. For technical use only. See hc.

pertFrac A numeric in the range 0-1 that determines the number of attempts to randomly

insert/remove/reverse an arc on every random restart. For technical use only.

doShuffle The ordering of the features (eigengenes) is important in making the initial net-

work. If doShuffle=TRUE, they will be shuffled before making every initial

network.

use. Hartemink If TRUE, Hartemink algorithm will be used to discretize data. Otherwise, interval

discretization will be applied. See bnlearn: discretize.

bnStartFile Optionally, learning can start from a Bayesian network instead of a random net-

work. bnStartFile should contain a list called selected and selected\$BN should be an object of bn-class. Non-technical users can set to "None" to

disable.

use.Disease If TRUE, the condition variable Disease will be included in the network, which

cannot be the child of any other variable.

use. Effect If TRUE, the condition variable beAML will be included in the network, which

cannot be the parent of any other variable.

dummies A vector of numeric values in the range 0-1. Dummy random variables will be

added to the Bayesian network to check whether the learning process is effective.

For development purposes only.

tasks A character vector and a subset of c("learn", "harvest", "consensus", "graph")

that identifies the tasks to be done. Useful if part of the analysis was done pre-

viously, otherwise set to "All".

onCluster A Boolean variable that is FALSE if the learning is not done on a computer clus-

ter.

inds The indices of the jobs that are included in the analysis.

perJob The number of individual networks that are learnt by 1 job.

maxSeconds An integer limiting computation time for each training job that runs locally, i.e.,

when oncluster=FALSE.

timeJob The time in "hh:mm:ss" format requested for each job if they are running on a

computer cluster.

bnCalculationJob

A script used to submit jobs to the cluster. Set to NULL if not using a cluster.

seed The random seed that can be set to an integer to reproduce the same results.

verbose Integer level of verbosity. 0 means silent and higher values produce more details

of computation.

naTolerance Upper threshold on the fraction of entries per gene that can be missing. Genes

with a larger fraction of missing entries are ignored. For genes with smaller fraction of NA entries, the missing values are imputed from their average expression

in the other samples. See check.pigengene.input.

#### **Details**

For learning a Bayesian network with tens of nodes (eigengenes), bnNum=1000 or higher is recommended. Increasing consensusThresh generally results in a network with fewer arcs. Nagarajan et al. proposed a fundamental approach that determines this hyper-parameter based on the background noise. They use non-parametric bootstrapping, which is not implemented in the current package yet.

The default values for the rest of the hyper-parameters should be fine for most applications.

#### Value

#### A list of:

consensusThresh

The vector of thresholds as described in the arguments.

indvPath The path where the individual networks were saved.

moduleFile The file containing data in appropriate format for bnlearn package and the black-

list arcs.

scoreFile The file containing the record of the successively jobs and the scores of the

corresponding individual networks.

consensusFile The file containing the consensus network and its BDe and BIC scores.

bnModuleRes The result of bn.module function. Useful mostly for development.

runs A list containing the record of successful jobs.

scores The list saved in scoreFile.

consensusThreshRes

The full output of consensus.thresh() function.

consensus 1 The consensus Bayesian network corresponding to the first threshold. It is the

output of consensus function and consensus1\$BN is an object of bn-class.

scorePlot The output of plot.scores functions, containing the scores of individual net-

works.

graphs The output of plot . graphS function, containing the BDe score of the consensus

network.

timeTaken An object of difftime-class recording the learning wall-time.

use.Disease, use.Effect, use.Hartemink
Some of the input arguments.

#### Note

Running the jobs on a cluster needs bnCalculationJob script, which is NOT included in the package yet.

#### Author(s)

Amir Foroushani, Habil Zare, and Rupesh Agrahari

#### References

Hartemink A (2001). Principled Computational Methods for the Validation and Discovery of Genetic Regulatory Networks. Ph.D. thesis, School of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Nagarajan, Radhakrishnan, et al. (2010) Functional relationships between genes associated with differentiation potential of aged myogenic progenitors. Frontiers in Physiology 1.

### See Also

bnlearn-package, Pigengene-package, compute.pigengene

# Examples

```
data(eigengenes33)
ms <- 10:20 ## A subset of modules for quick demonstration
amlE <- eigengenes33$aml[,ms]</pre>
mdsE <- eigengenes33$mds[,ms]</pre>
eigengenes <- rbind(amlE,mdsE)</pre>
Labels <- c(rep("AML",nrow(amlE)),rep("MDS",nrow(mdsE)))</pre>
names(Labels) <- rownames(eigengenes)</pre>
learnt <- learn.bn(Data=eigengenes, Labels=Labels,</pre>
  bnPath="bnExample", bnNum=10, seed=1)
bn <- learnt$consensus1$BN</pre>
## Visualize:
d1 <- draw.bn(BN=bn,nodeFontSize=14)</pre>
## What are the children of the Disease node?
childrenD <- bnlearn::children(x=bn, node="Disease")</pre>
print(childrenD)
## Fit the parameters of the Bayesian network:
```

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```
fit <- bnlearn::bn.fit(x=bn, data=learnt$consensus1$Data, method="bayes",iss=10)</pre>
## The conditional probability table for a child of the Disease node:
fit[[childrenD[1]]]
## The fitted Bayesian network can be used for predicting the labels
## (i.e., values of the Disease node).
12 <- predict(object=fit, node="Disease", data=learnt$consensus1$Data, method="bayes-lw")
table(Labels, 12)
```

make.decision.tree

Creates a decision tree to classify samples using the eigengenes values

# **Description**

A decision tree in Pigengene-package uses module eigengenes to build a classifier that distinguishes the different classes. Briefly, each eigengene is a weighted average of the expression of all genes in the module, where the weight of each gene corresponds to its membership in the module.

#### Usage

```
make.decision.tree(pigengene, Data,
 Labels = structure(pigengene$annotation[rownames(pigengene$eigengenes),
          1], names = rownames(pigengene$eigengenes)),
  testD = NULL, testL = NULL, selectedFeatures = NULL,
  saveDir = "C5Trees", minPerLeaf = NULL, useMod0 = FALSE,
  costRatio = 1, toCompact = NULL, noise = 0, noiseRepNum = 10, doHeat=TRUE,
  verbose = 0, naTolerance=0.05)
```

### **Arguments**

pigengene	The pigengene object that is used to build the decision tree. See pigengene-class.		
Data	The training expression data		
Labels	Labels (condition types) for the (training) expression data. It is a named vector of characters. Data and pigengene will be subset according to these names.		
testD	The test expression data, for example, from an independent dataset. Optional.		
testL	Labels (condition types) for the (test) expression data. Optional.		
selectedFeatures			
	A numeric vector determining the subset of digengence that should be used as		

A numeric vector determining the subset of eigengenes that should be used as potential predictors. By default ("All"), eigengenes for all modules are considered. See also useMod0.

saveDir Where to save the plots of the tree(s).

minPerLeaf Vector of integers. For each value, a tree will be built requiring at least that many nodes on each leaf. By default (NULL), several trees are built, one for each

possible value between 2 and 10 percent of the number of samples.

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useMod0 Boolean. Wether to allow the tree(s) to use the eigengene of module 0, which

corresponds to the set of outlier, as a proper predictor.

costRatio A numeric value effective only for 2 groups classification. The default value

(1) considers the misclassification of both conditions as equally disadvatageous. Change this value to a larger or smaller value if you are more interested in the

specificity of predictions for condition 1 or condition 2, respectively.

toCompact An integer. The tree with this minPerLeaf value will be compacted (shrunk).

Compacting in this context means reducing the number of required genes for the calculation of the relevant eigengenes and making the predictions using the tree. If NULL (default), the (persumably) most general proper tree (corresponding to the largest value in the minPerLeaf vector for which a tree could be constructed)

is compacted. Set to FALSE to turn off compacting.

noise, noiseRepNum

For development purposes only. These parameters allow investigating the effect of gaussian noise in the expression data on the accurracy of the tree for test data.

doHeat Boolean. Set to FALSE not to plot the heatmaps for faster comoutation.

verbose The integer level of verbosity. 0 means silent and higher values produce more

details of computation.

naTolerance Upper threshold on the fraction of entries per gene that can be missing. Genes

with a larger fraction of missing entries are ignored. For genes with smaller fraction of NA entries, the missing values are imputed from their average expression

in the other samples. See check.pigengene.input.

#### **Details**

This function passes the inut eigengenes and appropriate arguments C5.0 function from C50 package.

#### Value

A list with following elements:

call The call that created the results

c5Trees A list, with one element of class C5.0 for each attempted minNodesperleaf

value. The list is named with the corresponding values as characters.

minPerLeaf A numeric vector enumerating all of the attempted minPerLeaf values.

compacted The full output of compact.tree function if toCompact is not FALSE

heat The output of module.heatmap function for the full tree if doHeat is not FALSE heatCompact

The output of module.heatmap function for the compacted tree if toCompact is

not FALSE

noisy The full output of noise analysiy function if noise is not 0. For development

and evaluation purposes only.

leafLocs A matrix reporting the leaf for each sample on 1 row. The columns are named

according to the correspoding minNodesperleaf value.

toCompact Echos the toCompact input argument

costs The cost matrix

saveDir The directory where plots are saved in

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### Note

For faster computation in an initial, explanatory run, turn off compacting, which can take a few minutes, with toCompact=FALSE.

### See Also

```
Pigengene-package, compute.pigengene, compact.tree, C5.0, Pigengene-package
```

# **Examples**

mds

MDS gene expression profile

### **Description**

Gene expression profile of 164 myelodysplastic syndromes (MDS) cases from Mills et al. study. The profile was compared with the profile of 202 acute myeloid leukemia (AML) cases and only the 1000 most differentially expressed genes are included.

# Usage

```
data("mds")
```

#### **Format**

A numeric matrix

#### **Details**

The columns and rows are named according to the genes Entrez, and patient IDs, respectively. The original data was produced using Affymetrix Human Genome U133 Plus 2.0 Miccoaray.Mills et al. study is part of the MILE Study (Microarray Innovations In LEukemia) program, and aimed at prediction of AML transformation in MDS.

# Value

It is a 164\*1000 numeric matrix.

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# Note

This profile includes data of the 25 chronic myelomonocytic leukemia (CMLL) cases that can have different expression signatures according to Mills et al.

# Source

```
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/geo/query/acc.cgi?acc=GSE15061
```

### References

Mills, Ken I., et al. (2009). Microarray-based classifiers and prognosis models identify subgroups with distinct clinical outcomes and high risk of AML transformation of myelodysplastic syndrome. Blood 114.5: 1063-1072.

### See Also

```
Pigengene-package, one.step.pigengene, aml, compute.pigengene
```

# **Examples**

```
library(pheatmap)
data(mds)
pheatmap(mds[,1:20],show_rownames=FALSE)
```

message.if

Conditional messaging.

# **Description**

Messages only if verbose is more than 0 and write in a text file if provided.

### Usage

```
{\tt message.if(me=NULL,\ verbose=0,\ txtFile=NULL,\ append=TRUE,\ \ldots)}
```

# Arguments

me	The Message. Can be a character vector.
verbose	A integer.
txtFile	The text file in which the message will be written. Set to NULL to disable.
append	logical. Set to FALSE to overwrite txtFile.
	Arguments to be passed to capture.output.

# Value

NULL

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### Author(s)

Amir Foroushani

# **Examples**

```
message.if("Hello world!", verbose=1)
```

module.heatmap

Plots heatmaps for modules

# Description

This function takes as input a tree and an object from pigengene-class and per any module used in the tree, it plots one gene expression heatmap. Alternatively, it can plot a heatmap for every module in the given pigengene object.

# Usage

```
module.heatmap(c5Tree=NULL, pigengene, mes=NULL, saveDir, testD = NULL,
  testL = NULL, pos = 0, verbose=0, doAddEigengene=TRUE, scalePngs=1, ...)
```

# Arguments

c5Tree	A decision tree of class C50 that uses module eigengenes, or NULL. If NULL, expression plots for all modules are created.
pigengene	A object of pigengene-class, output of compute.pigengene
mes	A character vector that determines which modules to plot, e.g., c("ME3","ME5"). Set it to NULL to plot a heatmap for every module. This argument will be ignored if c5Tree is not NULL.
saveDir	Directory to save the plots
testD, testL	Optional. The matrix of (independent) test expression data, and the corresponding vector of labels. testL must be named according to the row names of testD.
pos	Number of genes to discard. Interpreted the same way as in compact.tree and preds.at
verbose	The integer level of verbosity. 0 means silent and higher values produce more details of computation.
${\sf doAddEigengene}$	If TRUE, the eigengene of each module will be added to the corresponding heatmap. $ \\$
scalePngs	If not 1, the size of pngs will be adjusted using this parameter. A typical value would be 7.
	Additional arguments. Passed to pheatmap.type

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#### Value

A list of:

call The call that created the results

saveDir An echo of the input argument determining where the plots are saved

#### See Also

Pigengene-package, make.decision.tree, compact.tree, compute.pigengene

# **Examples**

one.step.pigengene

Runs the entire Pigengene pipeline

### **Description**

Runs the entire Pigengene pipeline, from gene expression to compact decision trees in a single function. It identifies the gene modules using coexpression network analysis, computes eigengenes, learns a Bayesian network, fits decision trees, and compact them.

### Usage

```
one.step.pigengene(Data, saveDir="Pigengene", Labels, testD=NULL,
  testLabels=NULL, doBalance=TRUE, RsquaredCut=0.8, costRatio=1,
  toCompact=FALSE, bnNum=0, bnArgs=NULL, useMod0=FALSE, mit="All",
  verbose=0, doHeat=TRUE, seed=NULL, dOrderByW=TRUE, naTolerance=0.05,
  doNetOnly=FALSE, idType="ENTREZID", pathwayDb=NULL, OrgDb=org.Hs.eg.db)
```

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### **Arguments**

Data A matrix or data frame (or list of matrices or data frames) containing the training

expression data, with genes corresponding to columns and rows corresponding to samples. Rows and columns must be named. For example, from RNA-Seq

data, log(RPKM+1) can be used.

Labels A (preferably named) vector containing the Labels (condition types) for the

training Data. Or, if Data is a list, a list of label vectors corresponding to the

data sets in Data. Names must agree with rows of Data.

saveDir Directory to save the results.

testD Test expression data with syntax similar to Data, possibly with different rows

and columns. This argument is optional and can be set to NULL if test data are

not available.

testLabels A (preferably named) vector containing the Labels (condition types) for the test

Data. This argument is optional and can be set to NULL if test data are not

available.

doBalance Boolean. Whether the data should be oversampled before identifying the mod-

ules so that each condition contribute roughly the same number of samples to

clustering.

RsquaredCut A threshold in the range [0,1] used to estimate the power. A higher value can in-

crease power. For technical use only. See pickSoftThreshold for more details.

A larger value generally leads to more modules.

costRatio A numeric value, the relative cost of misclassifying a sample from the first con-

dition vs. misclassifying a sample from the second condition.

toCompact An integer value determining which decision tree to shrink. It is the minimum

number of genes per leaf imposed when fitting the tree. Set to FALSE to skip

compacting, to NULL to automatically select the maximum value.

bnNum Desired number of bootstraped Baysian networks. Set to 0 to skip BN learning.

bnArgs A list of arguments passed to learn.bn function.

useMod0 Boolean, whether to allow module zero (the set of outliers) to be used as a

predictor in the decision tree(s).

mit The "module identification type", a character vector determining the reference

conditions for clustering. If 'All' (default), clustering is performed using the

entire data regardless of condition.

verbose The integer level of verbosity. 0 means silent and higher values produce more

details of computation.

doHeat If TRUE the heatmap of expression of genes in the modules that contribute to the

the tree will be plotted.

seed Random seed to ensure reproducibility.

dOrderByW If TRUE, the genes will be ordered in the csv file based on their absolute weight

in the corresponding module.

naTolerance Upper threshold on the fraction of entries per gene that can be missing. Genes

with a larger fraction of missing entries are ignored. For genes with smaller fraction of NA entries, the missing values are imputed from their average expression

in the other samples. See check.pigengene.input.

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doNetOnly If TRUE, the pipeline does not continue after making the network and identifying

the modules, e.g., eigengenes will not be computed.

idType A string describing the type of input gene ID e.g., "ENTREZID", "REFSEQ",

"SYMBOL".

pathwayDb A character vector determining which enrichment database to be used by the

get.enriched.pw function e.g., "GO", "KEGG", "REACTOME", or "NCG".

Set to NULL to skip the pathway enrichment analysis.

OrgDb The reference data base to be used. Use e.g. org.Ce.eg.db for 'Celegans' when

analysing Celegans data. If OrgDb is not NULL, Org must be NULL.

#### **Details**

This is the main function of the package Pigengene and performs several steps: First, modules are identified in the training expression data, according to mit argument i.e. based on coexpression behaviour in the corresponding conditions. Set it to "All" to use all training data for this step regardless of the condition. Then, if a list of data frames is provided in Data, similarity networks on the data sets are computed and combined into one similarity network for the union of nodes across data sets. Then, the eigengenes for each module and each sample are calculated, where the expression of an eigengene of a module in a sample is the weighted average of the expression of the genes in that module in the sample. Technically, an eigengene is the first principal component of the gene expression in a module. PCA ensures that the maximum variance accross all the training samples is explained by the eigengene. Next, (optionally -if bnNum is set to a value greater than 0), several bootstrapped Bayesian networks are learned and combined into a consensus network, in order to detect and illustrate the probabilistic dependencies between the eigengenes and the disease subtype. Next, decisision tree(s) are built that use the module eigengenes, or a subset of them, to distinguish the classes (Labels). The accurracy of trees is assessed on the train and (if provided) test data. Finally, the number of required genes for the calculation of the relevant eigengenes is reduced (the tree is 'compacted'). The accuracy of the tree is reassessed after removal of each gene. Along the way, several self explanatory directories, heatmaps and plots are created and stored under saveDir.

#### Value

A list with the following components:

call The call that created the results.

modules A named vector. Names are genes IDs and values are the corresponding module

number.

wgRes A list. The results of WGCNA clustering of the Data by wgcna.one.step if

Data is one matrix.

betaRes A list. The automatically selected beta (power) parameter which was used for

the WGCNA clustering. It is the result of the call to calculate. beta using the

expression data of mit conditions(s).

pigengene The pigengene object computed for the clusters, result of compute.pigengene.

learntBn A list. The results of learn.bn call for learning a Bayesian network using the

eigengenes.

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selectedFeatures

A vector of the names of module eigengenes that were considered during the construction of decision trees. If bnNum >0, this corresponds to the immediate neighbors of the Disease or Effect variable in the consensus network.

c5treeRes

A list. The results of make.decision.tree call for learning decision trees that use the eigengenes as features.

#### Note

The individual functions are exported to facilitated running the pipeline step-by-step in a customized way.

#### Author(s)

Amir Foroushani, Habil Zare, Rupesh Agrahari, and Meghan Short

#### References

Large-scale gene network analysis reveals the significance of extracellular matrix pathway and homeobox genes in acute myeloid leukemia, Foroushani A, Agrahari R, Docking R, Karsan A, and Zare H. In preparation.

#### See Also

```
check.pigengene.input, balance, calculate.beta, wgcna.one.step, compute.pigengene, learn.bn, make.decision.tree, blockwiseModules
```

# **Examples**

pheatmap.type

Plots heatmap with clustering only within types.

# Description

This function first performs hierarchical clustering on samples (rows of data) within each condition. Then, plots a heatmap without further clustering of rows.

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## Usage

```
pheatmap.type(Data, annRow, type = colnames(annRow)[1],
doTranspose=FALSE, conditions="Auto",...)
```

#### **Arguments**

Data A matrix with samples on rows and features (genes) on columns.

annRow A data frame with 1 column or more. Row names must be the same as row

names of Data.

type The column of annRow used for determining the condition

doTranspose If TRUE, the matrix will be transposed for the final plot. E.g., if the genes are on

the columns of Data, they will be shown on rows of the heatmap.

conditions A character vector that determines the conditions, and their order, to be included

in the heatmap. By default ("Auto"), an alphabetical order of all available con-

ditions in annRow will be used.

... Additional arguments passed to pheatmap function.

# Value

A list of:

pheatmapS The results of pheatmap function for each condition
pheat The output of final pheatmap function applied on all data

ordering The ordering of the rows in the final heatmap annRowAll The row annotation used in the final heatmap

#### Note

If type is not determined, by default the first column of annRow is used.

## Author(s)

Habil Zare

## See Also

```
eigengenes33
```

```
data(eigengenes33)
d1 <- eigengenes33$aml
d2 <- eigengenes33$mds
Disease <- c(rep("AML",nrow(d1)), rep("MDS",nrow(d2)))
Disease <- as.data.frame(Disease)
rownames(Disease) <- c(rownames(d1), rownames(d2))
p1 <- pheatmap.type(Data=rbind(d1,d2),annRow=Disease,show_rownames=FALSE)</pre>
```

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An object of class Pigengene

## **Description**

This is a toy example object of class pigengene-class. It is used in examples of Pigengene-package. Gene expression profile of 202 acute myeloid leukemia (AML) cases from Mills et al. study. The profile was compared with the profile of 164 myelodysplastic syndromes (MDS) cases and only the 1000 most differentially expressed genes are included.

## Usage

```
data("aml")
```

#### **Format**

An object of pigengene-class.

#### **Details**

The object is made using compute.pigengene function from aml and mds data as shown in the examples. The R CMD build --resave-data trick was used to reduce the size of saved object from 3.1 MB to 1.4 MB.

# Value

It is an object of pigengene-class.

#### Source

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/geo/query/acc.cgi?acc=GSE15061

## References

Mills, Ken I., et al. (2009). Microarray-based classifiers and prognosis models identify subgroups with distinct clinical outcomes and high risk of AML transformation of myelodysplastic syndrome. Blood 114.5: 1063-1072.

## See Also

Pigengene-package, pigengene-class, one.step.pigengene, mds, aml, compute.pigengene

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## **Examples**

pigengene-class

The pigengene class

## Description

A pigengene object holds the eigengenes, weights (memberships) and other related information.

## **Details**

A object of class pigengene is the output of compute.pigengene function. It is a list containing at least the following components:

- call The call that created the results.
- Reptimes A named vector reporting the number of repeats for each condition in the oversampling process, which is done by the balance function.
- eigenResults The full output of moduleEigengenes function with some fixes, e.g., we change eigengenes to a matrix, and use genes as its row names. Also, varExplained is named according to modules.
- Data The data matrix of gene expression.
- Labels A character vector giving the condition (type) for each sample (row of Data).
- eigengenes The matrix of eigengenes ordered based on selectedModules if provided. Rows correspond to samples.
- membership The matrix of weights of genes (rows) in all modules (columns).
- orderedModules The module assignment numeric vector named with genes and ordered based on module number.
- annotation A data frame containing labeling information useful in plotting. It has a column named "Condition". Rows have sample names.

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- saveFile The file where the pigengene object is saved.
- weightsCsvFile The file containing the weights in csv format. See d0rderByW=TRUE.
- weights The weight matrix, which is also saved in csv format. It has more columns than membership but rows may be in a different order if dOrderByW=TRUE.
- heavyToLow If dOrderByW=TRUE, this will be the ordering of genes according to the modules the belong to, where the genes in each module are ordered based on the absolute value of the weights in that module. Also, the genes in the csv file are in this order.

For 2 or more groups (conditions), additional (optional) components include:

- pvalues A numeric matrix with columns "pValue", "FDR", and "Bonferroni". Rows correspond to modules. The null hypothesis is that the eigengene is expressed with the same distribution in all groups (conditions).
- log.pvalues A data frame with 1 column containing the logarithm of Bonferroni-adjusted pvalues in base 10.

#### See Also

Pigengene-package, plot.pigengene, wgcna.one.step, compute.pigengene, learn.bn, make.decision.tree

plot.pigengene

Plots and saves a pigengene object

## Description

Plots a couple of heatmaps of expression of the eigengenes, weights (memberships), and so on. Saves the plots in png format.

#### **Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'pigengene'
plot(x, saveDir = NULL,
   DiseaseColors="Auto",
   fontsize = 35, doShowColnames = TRUE, fontsizeCol = 25,
   doClusterCols = ncol(pigengene$eigengenes) > 1,
   verbose = 2, doShowRownames = "Auto",
   pngfactor = max(2, ncol(pigengene$eigengenes)/16), do0Mem = FALSE, ...)
```

## **Arguments**

x The object from pigengene-class computed by compute.pigengene.

saveDir The directory for saving the plots

DiseaseColors A vector of characters determining color for each disease. Names should match

the values in the first column of x\$annotation.

fontsize Passd to pheatmap.type

doShowColnames Boolean

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fontsizeCol Numeric doClusterCols Boolean

verbose The integer level of verbosity. 0 means silent and higher values produce more

details of computation.

doShowRownames Boolean

pngfactor A numeric adjusting the size of the png files

do@Mem If TRUE, module 0 genes are included in the membership heatmap.

... Passd to pheatmap. type function

#### **Details**

Many of the arguments are passed to pheatmap.

#### Value

A list of:

heat The full output of pheatmap functionion
heatNotRows The full output of pheatmap.type function

#### Author(s)

Habil Zare ad Amir Foroushani

## References

Large-scale gene network analysis reveals the significance of extracellular matrix pathway and homeobox genes in acute myeloid leukemia, Foroushani A, Agrahari R, Docking R, Karsan A, and Zare H. In preparation.

## See Also

Pigengene-package, compute.pigengene, pheatmap.type

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```
plot(p1,saveDir="plots")
```

preds.at Prediction using a possibly compacted tree

## **Description**

A decision tree in Pigengene uses module eigengenes to build a classifier that distincuishes two or more classes. Each eigengene is a weighted average of the expression of all genes in the module, where the weight of each gene corresponds to its membership in the module. Each modules might contain dozens to hundreds of genes, and hence the final classifier might depend on the expression of a large number of genes. In practice, it can be desireable to reduce the number of necessary genes used by a decision tree. This function is helpful in observing changes to the classification output after removing genes with lower weights membership. It determines how a given decision tree would classify the expression data after removing a certain number of genes from consideration.

#### Usage

```
preds.at(c5Tree, pigengene, pos=0, Data)
```

## **Arguments**

c5Tree A decision tree that uses eigengenes from the pigengene object to classify the

samples from the expression data.

pigengene A object of pigengene-class, output of compute.pigengene

Number of genes to be removed from the consideration. Genes are removed in

ascending order of their absolute weight in the relevant modules. If 0 (default),

the prediction will be done without compacting.

Data The expression possibly new data used for classification

## Value

A list with following components:

predictions The vector of predictions after neglecting pos number of genes
eigengenes The values for the eigenges after neglecting pos number of genes

#### See Also

Pigengene-package, pigengene-class, make.decision.tree, compact.tree, compute.pigengene, module.heatmap, get.used.features, get.fitted.leaf, Pigengene-package

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## **Examples**

```
## Data:
data(aml)
data(mds)
data(pigengene)
d1 <- rbind(aml,mds)

## Fiting the trees:
trees <- make.decision.tree(pigengene=pigengene, Data=d1,
    saveDir="trees", minPerLeaf=15, doHeat=FALSE,verbose=3,
    toCompact=FALSE)
preds1 <- preds.at(c5Tree=trees$c5Trees[["15"]], pigengene=pigengene,
    pos=0, Data=d1)</pre>
```

project.eigen

Infers eigengenes for given expression data

## **Description**

This function projects (new) expression data onto the eigengenes of modules from another dataset. It is useful for comparing the expression behaviour of modules accross (biologically related yet independent) datasets, for evaluating the performance of a classifier on new datasets, and for examining the robustness of a pattern with regards to missing genes.

## Usage

```
project.eigen(Data, saveFile = NULL, pigengene, naTolerance = 0.05,
  verbose = 0, ignoreModules = c())
```

# **Arguments**

Data A matrix or data frame of expression data to be projected. Genes correspond to

columns, and rows correspond to samples. Rows and columns must be named. It is OK to miss a few genes originally used to compute the eigengenes, thereby,

projection is robust to choose of platform.

saveFile If not NULL, where to save the results in .RData format.

pigengene An object of pigengene-class, usually created by compute.pigengene

naTolerance Upper threshold on the fraction of entries per gene that can be missing. Genes

with a larger fraction of missing entries are ignored. For genes with smaller fraction of NA entries, the missing values are imputed from their average expression

in the other samples. See check.pigengene.input.

verbose The integer level of verbosity. 0 means silent and higher values produce more

details of computation.

ignoreModules A vector of integers. In order to speed up the projection, it may be desirable

to focus only on the eigengenes of a few interesting modules. In that case, the remaining modules can be listed here and will be ignored during projection

(Optional).

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#### **Details**

For each module, from the pigengene object, the weight (membership) of each gene is retrieved. The eigengene is computed (inferred) on the new data as alinear combination using the corresponding weights. The inferred eigengene vector will be normalized so that it has the same Euclidean norm as the original eigengene vector.

#### Value

A list of:

projected The matrix of inferred (projected) eigengenes

replacedNaNum The number of NA entries in the input Data that were replaced with the the

average expression of the corresponding gene

tooNaGenes A character vector of genes that were ignored because they had too many NAs

notMatched A character vector of genes in the original eigengene that could not be matched

in the given input Data

#### Note

The new data should use the same type of biolocal identifiers (e.g. Gene Symbols or ENTREZIDs) as the original data for which the pigengene was constructed. It is, however, not required that the new data originate from the same type of technology, e.g. the eigengenes can be based on microarray experiments, whereas the new data comes from an RNA-Seq experiment. Nor is it necessary that the new datset contains measurements for all of the genes from the original modules.

#### See Also

Pigengene-package, compute.pigengene moduleEigengenes

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pvalues.manova	Computes pvalues for multi-class differential expression	

## Description

Passes the arguments to manova, which performs multi-class analysis of variance.

# Usage

```
pvalues.manova(Data, Labels)
```

## **Arguments**

Data A matrix or data frame containing the (expression) data, with genes correspond-

ing to columns and rows corresponding to samples. Rows and columns must be

named.

Labels A (preferably named) vector containing the Labels (condition types). Names

must agree with rows of Data

#### Value

A list with following elements:

call The call that created the results

pvals The matrix of pvalues with columns "pValue", "FDR", "Bonferroni". Rows are

named according to genes, the columns of Data.

manovaFit The full output of manova function.

## Note

oneway. test function is a better generalizatoion to Welch's t-tst from 2-calsses to multi-class because it dose not assume that the variaces are necessarly equal. However, in practice, with "enough number of samples", the two approaches will lead to similar p-values.

## Author(s)

Amir Foroushani

## References

Krzanowski, W. J. (1988) \_Principles of Multivariate Analysis. A User's Perspective.\_ Oxford.

Hand, D. J. and Taylor, C. C. (1987) \_Multivariate Analysis of Variance and Repeated Measures.\_ Chapman and Hall.

B. L. Welch (1951), On the comparison of several mean values: an alternative approach.

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## See Also

```
oneway.test, manova, compute.pigengene
```

# **Examples**

```
data(eigengenes33)
d1 <- rbind(eigengenes33$aml,eigengenes33$mds)
Labels <- c(rep("AML",nrow(eigengenes33$aml)),rep("MDS",nrow(eigengenes33$mds)))
names(Labels) <- rownames(d1)
ps <- pvalues.manova(Data=d1, Labels=Labels)
plot(log10(ps$pvals[,"Bonferroni"]))</pre>
```

save.if

Saves an object verbosely.

## **Description**

Saves an R object, and reports the size of the saved object in memory and on file.

# Usage

```
save.if(x1, file, verbose = 1)
```

## **Arguments**

x1 The object to be saved.

file Where to save. If NULL, nothing will be saved.

verbose A numeric determining how much detail will be printed.

## Value

A list including file, and a vector of sizes of the object in memory and on file.

## Author(s)

Amir Foroushani, and Habil Zare

## See Also

```
message.if
```

```
m1 <- matrix(0, nrow=1000, ncol=1000)
save.if(m1, file="./m1.RData", verbose=3)</pre>
```

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# Description

This function is a wrapper function for WGCNA::blockwiseModules and passes its arguments to it. Some other arguments are fixed.

# Usage

```
wgcna.one.step(Data, power, saveDir=".", blockSize = "All", saveTOMs = FALSE,
    doThreads=FALSE, verbose = 0, seed = NULL)
```

# Arguments

Data	A matrix or data frame containing the expression data, with genes corresponding to columns and rows corresponding to samples. Rows and columns must be named.
power	Soft-thresholding power for network construction
saveDir	The directory to save the results and plots. NULL will disable saving.
blockSize	The size of block when the data is too big. If not "All" (default) may introduce artifacts.
saveTOMs	Boolean determining if the TOM data should be saved, which can be hundreds of MBs and useful for identifying hubs.
doThreads	Boolean. Allows WGCNA to run a little faster using multi-threading but might not work on all systems.
verbose	The integer level of verbosity. 0 means silent and higher values produce more details of computation.
seed	Random seed to ensure reproducibility.

# **Details**

 ${\tt Data,power,blockSize,saveTOMs,verbose,andseed\ are\ passed\ to\ WGCNA::blockwiseModules.}$ 

# Value

A list with following components

call	The command that created the results
genes	The names of Data columns
modules	A numeric vector, named by genes, that reports the module (clustering) assignments.
moduleColors	A character vector, named by genes, that reports the color of each gene according to its module assignment

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net The full output of blockwiseModules function

netFile The file in which the net object is saved

power An echo of the power argument.

## References

Langfelder P and Horvath S, WGCNA: an R package for weighted correlation network analysis. BMC Bioinformatics 2008, 9:559

# See Also

 $blockwise {\tt Modules}, {\tt pickSoftThreshold}, {\tt calculate.beta}$ 

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