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calc.delta.score *Calculate Delta Score from Ion Score*

Description

Calculates delta score from raw search engine score by substracting the best matching hit with the second best matching. data needs to have not only the best hit per spectrum, but multiple, to be able to calculate the delta score. filterSpectraDeltaScore calls `calc.delta.score` and filters spectra below a minum delta score.

Usage

```
calc.delta.score(my.data)
filterSpectraDeltaScore(my.data, min.delta.score=10, do.remove=FALSE)
```

Arguments

my.data	IBSpectra data frame.
min.delta.score	Minimum delta score.
do.remove	If TRUE, spectra below the min.prob threshold are not just set as 'use.for.quant=FALSE' but removed.

Value

Returns data with additional column 'delta.score'.

Author(s)

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calcPeptidePosition *Recalculate peptide start positions based on protein sequence*

Description

Function to recalculate start position of peptide in protein when it is missing or wrong.

Usage

```
calcPeptidePosition(peptide.info, protein.info, calc.il.peptide)
```

Arguments

peptide.info	Peptide info object of ProteinGroup.
protein.info	Protein info object of ProteinGroup.
calc.il.peptide	Should the 'real' peptide (I/L difference) be calculated?

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calculate-pvalues *Calculate and Adjust Ratio and Sample p-values.*

Description

Functions for calculating and adjusting ratios and sample p-values. Usually, these are called by proteinRatios or peptideRatios.

Usage

```
calculate.ratio.pvalue(lratio, variance, ratiodistr = NULL)
calculate.sample.pvalue(lratio, ratiodistr)

calculate.mult.sample.pvalue(lratio, ratiodistr, strict.pval,
                             lower.tail, n.possible.val, n.observed.val)

adjust.ratio.pvalue(quant.tbl, p.adjust, sign.level, globally = FALSE)
```

Arguments

lratio	log 10 protein or peptide ratios.
ratiodistr	Fitted ratio distribution/
variance	Variance of lratios.
strict.pval	If FALSE, missing ratios are ignored. If TRUE, missing ratios are penalized by giving them a sample.pval of 0.5.
lower.tail	lower.tail of distribution?
n.possible.val	Number of possible ratios.
n.observed.val	Number of observed ratios.
quant.tbl	Quantification table (from proteinRatios or peptideRatios).
p.adjust	p-value adjustment method (see ?p.adjust).
sign.level	Ratio significance level.
globally	Whether the p-values should be adjusted over all conditions, or individually in each condition.

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See Also

proteinRatios,peptideRatios

Examples

```
lratio <- c(-1,-1,seq(from=-1,to=1,by=.25),1,1)
variance <- c(0,1,rep(0.1,9),0,1)
ratiodistr.precise <- new("Norm",mean=0,sd=.25)
ratiodistr.wide <- new("Norm",mean=0,sd=.5)

# ratio p-value is impacted only by the variance
# sample p-value captures whether the ratio distribution is narrow ('precise')
#  or wide
data.frame(lratio, variance,
           ratio.pvalue=calculate.ratio.pvalue(lratio, variance),
           sample.pvalue.precise=calculate.sample.pvalue(lratio,ratiodistr.precise),
           sample.pvalue.wide=calculate.sample.pvalue(lratio,ratiodistr.wide))
```

`calculate.dNSAF` *dNSAF approximate abundance calculations.*

Description

Distributed normalized spectral abundance factor (dNSAF) is a label free quantitative measure of protein abundance based on spectral counts which are corrected for peptides shared by multiple proteins. Original publication: Zhang Y et al., Analytical Chemistry (2010).

Usage

```
calculate.dNSAF(protein.group, use.mw = FALSE, normalize = TRUE,
                combine.f = mean)
```

Arguments

`protein.group`	ProteinGroup object. Its `@proteinInfo` slot `data.frame` must contain a `length` column.
`use.mw`	Use MW to account for protein size
`normalize`	Normalize dSAF to dNSAF?
`combine.f`	How to handle proteins seen only with shared peptides?

Value

Named numeric vector of dNSAF values.

Author(s)

Florian P Breitwieser

References

Zhang Y et al., Analytical Chemistry (2010)

See Also

`proteinInfo`, `getProteinInfoFromUniprot`, `calculate.emPAI`, `ProteinGroup`

Examples

```
data(ibspiked_set1)
protein.group <- proteinGroup(ibspiked_set1)
calculate.dNSAF(protein.group)
```

`calculate.emPAI` *emPAI approximate abundance calculations.*

Description

The Exponentially Modified Protein Abundance Index (emPAI) is a label free quantitative measure of protein abundance based on protein coverage by peptide matches. The original publication is Ishihama Y, et al., Proteomics (2005).

Usage

```
calculate.emPAI(protein.group, protein.g = reporterProteins(protein.group), normalize = FALSE,
          observed.pep = c("pep", "mod.charge.pep"), use.mw = FALSE, combine.f = mean,
               ..., nmc = 0, report.all = FALSE)
n.observable.peptides(...)
observable.peptides(seq, nmc = 1, min.length = 6, min.mass = 600, max.mass = 4000,
                    custom = list(code = c("B", "Z", "J", "U"),
                      mass = c(164.554862, 278.61037, 213.12392, 150.953636)), ...)
```

Arguments

`protein.group`	ProteinGroup object. Its `@proteinInfo` slot `data.frame` must contain a `sequence` column to calculate the number of observable peptides per protein.
`protein.g`	Protein group identifiers.
`normalize`	Normalize to sum = 1?.
`observed.pep`	What counts as observed peptide?
`report.all`	TOADD
`use.mw`	Use MW to normalize for protein size
`combine.f`	How to handle proteins seen only with shared peptides?
`seq`	Protein sequence.
`nmc`	Number of missed cleavages.
`min.length`	Minimum length of peptide.
`min.mass`	Minimum mass of peptide.
`max.mass`	Maximum mass of peptide.
`custom`	User defined residue for `Digest`.
`...`	Further arguments to `observable.peptides`/`Digest`.

Details

The formula is

$$emPAI = 10^{\frac{N<-observed}{N<-observable}} - 1$$

N_observed is the number of observed peptides - we use the count of unique peptide without consideration of charge state. N_observable is the number of observable peptides. Sequence cleavage is done using `Digest`.

Value

Named numeric vector of emPAI values.

Author(s)

Florian P Breitwieser

References

Ishihama Y, et al., Proteomics (2005)

See Also

Digest, proteinInfo, getProteinInfoFromUniprot, calculate.dNSAF, ProteinGroup

Examples

```
data(ibspiked_set1)
protein.group <- proteinGroup(ibspiked_set1)
calculate.emPAI(protein.group,protein.g=protein.g(protein.group,"CERU"))
```

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correct.peptide.ratios

Correct peptide ratios with protein ratios from a separate experiment.

Description

Correct peptide ratios with protein ratios from a separate experiment.

Usage

```
correct.peptide.ratios(ibspectra, peptide.quant.tbl, protein.quant.tbl,
         protein.group.combined, adjust.variance = TRUE,
         correlation = 0, recalculate.pvalue = TRUE)
```

Arguments

ibspectra	IBSpectra object.
peptide.quant.tbl	Calculated with peptideRatios.
protein.quant.tbl	Calculated with proteinRatios.
protein.group.combined	ProteinGroup object generated on both PTM and protein data.
adjust.variance	Adjust variance of ratios.
correlation	Assumed correlation between peptide and protein ratios for variance adjustment.
recalculate.pvalue	Recalculate p-value after variance adjustment.

Author(s)

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`distr-methods` *Functions for distribution calculations*

Description

calcProbXGreaterThanY calculates the probability that X >= Y. calcProbXDiffNormals calculates the probabilities of a set of normals, defined by the vectors mu_Y and sd_Y are greater or less than the reference distribution Y.

Usage

```
calcProbXGreaterThanY(X, Y, rel.tol = .Machine$double.eps^0.25, subdivisions = 100L)
calcProbXDiffNormals(X, mu_Y, sd_Y, ..., alternative = c("greater", "less", "two-sided"), progress = F
#calcCumulativeProbXGreaterThanY(Xs, mu_Ys, sd_Ys, alternative = c("greater", "less", "two-sided"), r
 distrprint(X, round.digits = 5)
 twodistr.plot(X, Y, n.steps = 1000, min.q = 10^-3)
```

Arguments

`X`	Object of the class Distribution.
`Y`	Object of the class Distribution.
`min.q`	minimum quantile
`n.steps`	Number of steps.
`mu_Y`	Numeric vector of parameter mu of a Normal.
`sd_Y`	Numeric vector of parameter sd of a Normal.
`subdivisions`	the maximum number of subintervals
`rel.tol`	relative accuracy requested
`...`	Additional arguments to calcProbXGreaterThanY.
`alternative`	"less", "greater", or "two-sided".
`progress`	Show text progress bar?
`round.digits`	Round digits for printing.

Author(s)

Florian P. Breitwieser

Examples

```
library(distr)
calcProbXGreaterThanY(Norm(0,.25),Norm(1,.25))
```

`fit distributions` *Fit weighted and unweighted Cauchy and Normal distributions*

Description

Functions to fit the probability density functions on ratio distribution.

Usage

```
fitCauchy(x)
fitNorm(x, portion = 0.75)
fitWeightedNorm(x, weights)
fitNormalCauchyMixture(x)
fitGaussianMixture(x, n = 500)
fitTlsd(x)
```

Arguments

`x`	Ratios
`weights`	Weights
`portion`	Central portion of data to take for computation
`n`	number of sampling steps

Value

`Cauchy`,`Norm`

Author(s)

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See Also

proteinRatios

Examples

```
library(distr)
data(ibspiked_set1)
data(noise.model.hcd)
# calculate protein ratios of Trypsin and CERU_HUMAN. Note: this is only
#  for illustration purposes. For estimation of sample variability, data
#  from all protein should be used
pr <- proteinRatios(ibspiked_set1,noise.model=noise.model.hcd,
             cl=as.character(c(1,1,2,2)),combn.method="intraclass",protein=c("136429","P00450"))

# fit a Cauchy distribution
ratiodistr <- fitCauchy(pr$lratio)
plot(ratiodistr)
```

getPeptideModifContext

Get context of modification

Description

Gets neighboring amino acids around modification which can be used to find enriched motifs.

Usage

```
getPeptideModifContext(protein.group, modif, n.aa.up = 7, n.aa.down = 7)
```

Arguments

protein.group	ProteinGroup object.
modif	Modification of interest.
n.aa.up	Number of AA downstream to report.
n.aa.down	Number of AA upstream to report.

getPhosphoRSProbabilities

Generate input files for PhosphoRS, call it, and get modification site probabilities

Description

Get phosphorylation site localization probabilities by calling PhosphoRS and parsing its output. `getPhosphoRSProbabilities` generates a XML input file for PhosphoRS calling `writePhosphoRSInput`, then executes phosphoRS.jar with java, and parses the XML result file with `readPhosphoRSOutput`.

Usage

```
getPhosphoRSProbabilities(id.file, mgf.file, massTolerance, activationType,
                simplify = FALSE, mapping.file = NULL, mapping =
                c(peaklist = "even", id = "odd"), pepmodif.sep =
                "##.##", besthit.only = TRUE, phosphors.cmd =
                paste("java -jar", system.file("phosphors",
                "phosphoRS.jar", package = "isobar")), file.basename =
                tempfile("phosphors."))


writePhosphoRSInput(phosphoRS.infile, id.file, mgf.file, massTolerance,
                activationType, mapping.file = NULL, mapping =
                c(peaklist = "even", id = "odd"), pepmodif.sep =
```

```
    "##.##", modif.masses = rbind(c("PHOS", "1",
    "1:Phospho:Phospho:79.966331:PhosphoLoss:97.976896:STY"),
    c("Oxidation_M", "2",
    "2:Oxidation:Oxidation:15.994919:null:0:M"),
    c("Cys_CAM", "3",
"3:Carbamidomethylation:Carbamidomethylation:57.021464:null:0:C"),
    c("iTRAQ4plex", "4",
    "4:iTRAQ4:iTRAQ4:144.1544:null:0:KX"), c("iTRAQ8plex",
    "5", "5:iTRAQ8:iTRAQ8:304.308:null:0:KX"),
    c("TMT6plex", "7",
    "7:TMT6:TMT6:229.162932:null:0:KX"), c("TMTsixplex",
    "6", "6:TMT6:TMT6:229.162932:null:0:KX")))


readPhosphoRSOutput(phosphoRS.outfile, simplify = FALSE, pepmodif.sep = "##.##", besthit.only = TRUE)

filterSpectraPhosphoRS(id.file, mgf.file, ..., min.prob = NULL, do.remove=FALSE)
```

Arguments

id.file	Database search results file in ibspectra.csv or mzIdentML format. See IBSpectra and isobar vignette for information on converting Mascot dat and Phenyx pidres files into ibspectra format.
mgf.file	Peaklist file
massTolerance	Fragment ion mass tolerance (in Da)
activationType	Activation types of spectra. CID, HCD, or ETD.
simplify	If TRUE, returns a data.frame instead of a list.
mapping.file	Mapping file. See also readIBSpectra.
mapping	Mapping columns.
besthit.only	Only show best hit, simplifies result to data.frame instead of list.
phosphors.cmd	PhosphoRS script.
file.basename	Base name for creating phosphoRS input and output files.
phosphoRS.infile	PhosphoRS input XML file name.
phosphoRS.outfile	PhosphoRS output XML file name.
pepmodif.sep	separator of peptide and modification in XML id
modif.masses	masses and ID used for PhosphoRS
min.prob	Threshold for PhosphoRS peptide probability to consider it for quantification
...	Further arguments to getPhosphoRSProbabilities
do.remove	If TRUE, spectra below the min.prob threshold are not just set as 'use.for.quant=FALSE' but removed.

Details

PhosphoRS is described in Taus et al., 2011. It can be downloaded from http://cores.imp.ac.at/protein-chemistry/download/ and used as Freeware. Java is required at runtime.

Value

If `simplify=TRUE`, a `data.frame` with the following columns: `spectrum`, `peptide`, `modif`, `PepScore`, `PepProb`, `seqpos`

If `simplify=FALSE`, a list (of spectra) of lists (of peptide identifications) of lists (with information about identification and localization). spectrum -> peptide 1, peptides 2, ... -> peptide. First level: - spectrum Second level: - peptide identifications for spectrum (might be more than one) Third level: - peptide: vector with peptide sequence and modification stirng - site.probs: matrix with site probabilities for each phospho site - isoforms: peptide score and probabilities for each isoform

Author(s)

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References

Taus et al., 2011

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getPtmInfo *Get PTM site information for idenfied proteins from public databases.*

Description

Get PTM site information for idenfied proteins from public databases.

Usage

```
getPtmInfoFromPhosphoSitePlus(protein.group, file.name = NULL, modif = "PHOS",
                              psp.url = "http://www.phosphosite.org/downloads/",
                            mapping = c(PHOS = "Phosphorylation_site_dataset.gz",
                                        ACET = "Acetylation_site_dataset.gz",
                                        METH = "Methylation_site_dataset.gz",
                                        SUMO = "Sumoylation_site_dataset.gz",
                                      UBI = "Ubiquitination_site_dataset.gz"))

getPtmInfoFromNextprot(protein.group, nextprot.url = "http://www.nextprot.org/rest/entry/NX_XXX/ptm
                       url.wildcard = "XXX")
```

Arguments

protein.group	ProteinGroup object.
file.name	File name to save downloaded data, defaults to the original file name (see mapping).
modif	Selects dataset to download (see mapping).
psp.url	PhosphoSitePlus main URL for datasets.
mapping	Names of PhosphoSitePlus modification datasets, mapped by modif name.
nextprot.url	URL for fetching Nextprot results. url.wildcard will be replaced by the Uniprot Protein AC.
url.wildcard	wildcard to replace with Uniprot protein AC in nextprot.url.

Details

PhosphoSitePlus datasets are downloaded and written to the working directory with its original name (see mapping) unless a file with that name exists, which is then parsed into a data.frame of suitable format.

Value

data.frame with (at least) the columns: isoform_ac, description, evidence, position

Note

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Examples

```
## Not run:
  data(ib_phospho)
  ptm.info.np <- getPtmInfoFromNextprot(proteinGroup(ib_phospho))
  ptm.info.np <- ptm.info.np[grep("Phospho",ptm.info.np$modification.name),]
  ptm.info.psp <- getPtmInfoFromPhosphoSitePlus(proteinGroup(ib_phospho),modif="PHOS")

  str(ptm.info.np)
  str(ptm.info.psp)


## End(Not run)
```

`groupMemberPeptides` *Peptide info for protein group members*

Description

For a given reporter protein group identifier, information on its peptides is returned. It contains information on how the peptides are shared and in which member they occur.

Usage

```
groupMemberPeptides(x, reporter.protein.g, ordered.by.pos = TRUE, only.first.pos = TRUE)
```

Arguments

`x`	ProteinGroup object
`reporter.protein.g`	group reporter protein
`ordered.by.pos`	if TRUE, start position of peptides in proteins is exported and peptides are ordered by position
`only.first.pos`	if TRUE, only first occurence of peptide in protein is reported

Value

list of two: [1] peptide.info: data.frame peptide specificity n.shared.groups n.shared.proteins start.pos [2] group.member.peptides: data.frame each column corresponds to a group member, and each row to a peptide

Author(s)

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Examples

```
    data(ibspiked_set1)
    protein.group <- proteinGroup(ibspiked_set1)
    ceru.rat <- protein.g(protein.group,"CERU_RAT")
    groupMemberPeptides(protein.group,ceru.rat)

## find protein groups with members
    t <- table(proteinGroupTable(protein.group)$reporter.protein)
    t[t>2]
    protein.g <- names(t)[t>2][1]
    groupMemberPeptides(protein.group,protein.g)
```

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human.protein.names *Info on proteins*

Description

Gather human readable information from protein group codes.

Usage

```
my.protein.info(x, protein.g)


human.protein.names(my.protein.info)
```

Arguments

x	ProteinGroup object
protein.g	protein
my.protein.info	Return value of function my.protein.info

Author(s)

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IBSpectra-class *IBSpectra Class for Isobarically Tagged Quantitative MS Proteomics Data*

Description

This class represents a quantitative MS proteomics experiment labeled using Isobaric tags (iTRAQ, TMT). IBSpectra is a abstract class which is implemented in the IBSpectraTypes classes iTRAQ4plexSpectra, iTRAQ8plexSpectra, TMT2plexSpectra, TMT6plexSpectra and TMT10plexSpectra.

It contains per-spectrum meassurements of the reporter tag intensity and m/z in assayData, and protein grouping in proteinGroup.

Objects from the Class

IBSpectra objects are typically created using the readIBSpectra method or by calls of the form new("iTRAQ4plexSpectra",data=NULL,data.ions=NULL,...).

Slots

IBSpectra extends eSet which is a container for high-throughput assays and experimental meta-data. Slots introduced in eSet (for more details on slots and methods refer to eSet help):

assayData: Contains matrices 'ions' and 'mass storing reporter tag intensities and m/z values for each tag and spectrum. Can be accessed by reporterIntensities and reporterMasses. Class: AssayData

phenoData: Contains experimenter-supplied variables describing phenotypes behind reporter tags. Class: AnnotatedDataFrame-class

featureData: Describes the spectra's retention time, charge, peptide sequence, etc and can be accessed by fData. Class: AnnotatedDataFrame

experimentData: Contains details of experimental methods. Class: MIAME

annotation: UNUSED. Label associated with the annotation package used in the experiment. Class: character

protocolData: UNUSED. Contains equipment-generated variables describing reporter tags. Class: AnnotatedDataFrame

log: character matrix logging isotope impurity correction, normalization, etc.

Slots introduced in IBSpectra:

proteinGroup: A ProteinGroup object describing peptide and protein identifications grouped by shared peptides.

reporterTagNames: A character vector denoting the reporter tag labels.

reporterMasses: The 'true' m/z of the reporter tags in the MS/MS spectrum, used to isolate m/z-intensity pairs from peaklist.

isotopeImpurities: Manufacturer supplied isotope impurities, need to be set per batch and used for correction by correctIsotopeImpurities.

Constructor

See readIBSpectra for creation based on peaklist (e.g. MGF format) and identification files (Mascot and Phenyx output).

new(type,data): Creates a IBSpectra object.

type Denotes the type of IBSpectra, either 'iTRAQ4plexSpectra','iTRAQ8plexSpectra','TMT2plexSpectra', 'TMT6plexSpectra' or 'TMT10plexSpectra'. Call IBSpectraTypes() to see a list of the implemented types.

data A 'data.frame' in a ibspectra-csv format.

Coercion

In the code snippets below, x is a IBSpectra object. IBSpectra object can be coerced to

as(x, "data.frame"): Creates a data.frame containing all identification and quantitation information. Peptide matching to multiple proteins produce multiple lines.

ibSpectra.as.concise.data.frame(x): Creates a data.frame containing all identification and quantitation information. Proteins are concatenated - so the resulting data.frame has one line per spectrum.

as(x, "MSnSet"): Coerces to a MSnSet object (package MSnbase).

as(msnset,"IBSpectra"): Coerces a MSnSet to IBSpectra object.

Accessors

In the following code snippets, x is a IBSpectra object.

proteinGroup(x): Gets and sets the ProteinGroup.

isotopeImpurities(x): Gets and sets the isotope impurities of the isobaric tags as defined by the manufacturers per batch.

reporterData(x,element="ions",na.rm=FALSE,na.rm.f='any',...): Gets and sets the element ('ions' or 'mass') for each tag and spectrum. '...' is handed down to spectrumSel, so it is possible to select for peptides or proteins. If na.rm is TRUE, than spectra missing quantitative information in 'any' or 'all' channels (parameter na.rm.f) are removed.

reporterIntensities(x,...): Convenience function, calls reporterData(...,element="ions")

reporterMasses(x,...): Convenience function, calls reporterData(...,element="mass")

spectrumTitles(x,...): Gets the spectrum titles. '...' is passed down to spectrumSel.

classLabels(x): Gets and sets the class labels in phenoData. Used for summarization, see also estimateRatio and phenoData.

Methods

In the following code snippets, x is a IBSpectra object.

subsetIBSpectra(x, protein=NULL, peptide=NULL, direction="exclude",specificity): Get a 'subset' of IBSpectra: include or exclude proteins or peptides. When selection is based on proteins, it can be defined to exclude only peptides which are specific to the protein ('reporter-specific'), specific to the group ('group-specific') or which are shared with other proteins ('unspecific'). See subsetIBSpectra.

`spectrumSel(x,peptide,protein,specificity="reporter-specific")`: Gets a boolean vector selecting the corresponding spectra: If peptide is given, all spectra assigned to this peptide. If protein is given, all spectra assigned to peptides of this protein with specificity 'specificity'. See also `ProteinGroup`.

Author(s)

Florian P. Breitwieser

See Also

ProteinGroup, isobar-preprocessing, isobar-analysis, isobar-plots

Examples

```
data(ibspiked_set1)
ibspiked_set1
head(reporterIntensities(ibspiked_set1))
head(reporterMasses(ibspiked_set1))
proteinGroup(ibspiked_set1)
isotopeImpurities(ibspiked_set1)

# create new object
set.seed(123)
data <- data.frame(spectrum=letters,
                   peptide=sample(c("pepA","pepB","pepC"),26,TRUE),
                   start.pos=1,
                   modif=sample(c("::X:::",":Y::::","::Z:::"),26,TRUE),
                   accession=c("protein1","protein2"))
data.ions <- matrix(rnorm(26*2,1000,50),
                    ncol=2,dimnames=list(letters,NULL))
data.mass <- matrix(rep(c(126.1,127.1),26),
                    ncol=2,byrow=TRUE,dimnames=list(letters,NULL))
ib <- new("TMT2plexSpectra",data,data.ions,data.mass)
ib
reporterIntensities(ib)
isotopeImpurities(ib) <- matrix(c(0.8,0.1,0.2,0.9),nrow=2)
reporterIntensities(correctIsotopeImpurities(ib))
```

`IBSpectra.log` *Log functions for IBSpectra objects*

Description

The slot `log` of `IBSpectra` objects contains a matrix with two columns which contain a timestamp and message. Rownames relate to the item logged.

Used by `correctIsotopeImpurities` and `normalize`.

Usage

```
do.log(x, name, msg)

get.log(x, name)

is.logged(x, name)
```

Arguments

x	IBSpectra object
name	Name of property to be logged (translates to row name).
msg	Message to be logged for name.

Details

A warning message will be displayed if a already logged property is logged again.

Value

do.log: IBSpectra object with updated log. get.log:

Author(s)

Florian P Breitwieser

See Also

IBSpectra-class

Examples

```
data(ibspiked_set1)
ib <- normalize(correctIsotopeImpurities(ibspiked_set1))
ib@log
```

Isobar util functions *Isobar util functions*

Description

Utility functions. paste0 as a shorthand to paste(...,sep="") in versions of R pre 2.14.

Usage

```
paste0(..., sep = "")
a %inrange% b
```

Arguments

...	Arguments to paste.
sep	Separator.
a	values.
b	range.

Author(s)

Florian P Breitwieser

Examples

```
1:10
```

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isobar-analysis *IBSpectra analysis: Protein and peptide ratio calculation*

Description

Calculates the relative abundance of a peptide or protein in one tag compared to another.

Usage

```
estimateRatio(ibspectra, noise.model = NULL, channel1, channel2, protein, peptide, ...)
estimateRatioForPeptide(peptide, ibspectra, noise.model, channel1, channel2, combine = TRUE, ...)
estimateRatioForProtein(protein, ibspectra, noise.model, channel1, channel2, combine = TRUE, method = '

## S4 method for signature 'numeric,numeric,missing'
estimateRatioNumeric(channel1,channel2,summarize.f=median, ...)

## S4 method for signature 'numeric,numeric,NoiseModel'
estimateRatioNumeric(channel1,channel2,noise.model,ratiodistr=NULL,variance.function="maxi",
                                        sign.level=0.05,sign.level.rat=sign.level,sign.level.sample=
                                        remove.outliers=TRUE,outliers.args=list(method = "iqr", outl
                                              method="isobar",fc.threshold=1.3,
                                        channel1.raw=NULL,channel2.raw=NULL,use.na=FALSE,preweights=

## S4 method for signature
## 'IBSpectra,ANY,character,character,character,missing'
estimateRatio(ibspectra,noise.model,channel1,channel2,
                                                              protein,peptide,...)

## S4 method for signature 'IBSpectra,ANY,character,character,character,NULL'
estimateRatio(ibspectra,noise.model,channel1,channel2,
                                                        protein,peptide=NULL,...)
```

```
## S4 method for signature
## 'IBSpectra,ANY,character,character,missing,character'
estimateRatio(ibspectra,noise.model,channel1,channel2,protein,peptide,...)
## S4 method for signature 'IBSpectra,ANY,character,character,NULL,character'
estimateRatio(ibspectra,noise.model,channel1,channel2,protein=NULL,peptide,...)
```

Arguments

ibspectra	IBSpectra object.
noise.model	NoiseModel object.
channel1	Tag channel 1. Can either be a character denoting a 'reporter name' or a numeric vector whose value should be summarized.Ratio is calculated as channel2/channel1.
channel2	Tag channel 2. Can either be a character denoting a 'reporter name' or a numeric vector whose value should be summarized. Ratio is calculated as channel2/channel1.
protein	Protein(s) of interest. If present, channel1 and channel2 must be reporter names. Provide either proteins or peptides.
peptide	Peptide(s) of interest. If present, channel1 and channel2 must be reporter names. Provide either proteins or peptides.
combine	If true, a single ratio is returned even for multiple peptides/spectra. If false, a data.frame with a row for each peptide/protein is returned.
specificity	See specificities.
quant.w.grouppeptides	Proteins which should be quantified with group specific peptides. Normally, only reporter specific peptides are used.
ratiodistr	distr object of ratio distribution.
variance.function	Defines how the variance for ratio is calculated. 'ev' is the estimator variance and thus 1/sum(1/variances). 'wsv' is the weighted sample variance. 'maxi' method takes the maximum of the former two variances.
sign.level	Significiance level.
sign.level.rat	Signal p-value significiance level.
sign.level.sample	Sample p-value significiance level.
remove.outliers	Should outliers be removed?
outliers.args	Arguments for outlier removal, see OUTLIERS function (TODO).
method	method taken for ratio computation and selection: one of 'isobar','libra','multiq','pep','ttest' and 'compare.all'.
fc.threshold	When method equals fc, takes this as fold change threshold.
summarize.f	A method for summarizing spectrum ratios when no other information is available. For example median or mean.

channel1.raw	When given, noise estimation is based on channel1.raw and channel2.raw. These are the intensities of the channels before normalization.
channel2.raw	See channel1.raw.
use.na	Use NA values to calculate ratio. Experimental feature - use with caution.
preweights	Specifies weigths for each spectrum. Experimental feature - use with caution.
...	Passed down to estimateRatioNumeric methods.

Value

In general, a named character vector with the following elements: - lratio: log ratio - variance - n.spectra: number of spectra available in the ratio calculation - p.value.rat: Signal p-value. NA if called w/o ratiodistr - p.value.sample: Sample p-value. NA if called w/o ratiodistr - is.significant: NA if called w/o ratiodistr

If combine=FALSE, estimateRatio returns a data.frame, with columns as described above.

Author(s)

Florian P. Breitwieser, Jacques Colinge

See Also

ProteinGroup, IBSpectra, isobar-preprocessing, isobar-plots proteinRatios

Examples

```
  data(ibspiked_set1)
  data(noise.model.hcd)
  ceru.human <- protein.g(proteinGroup(ibspiked_set1),"CERU_HUMAN")
  ceru.rat <- protein.g(proteinGroup(ibspiked_set1),"CERU_RAT")
  ceru.mouse <- protein.g(proteinGroup(ibspiked_set1),"CERU_MOUSE")
  ceru.proteins <- c(ceru.human,ceru.rat,ceru.mouse)

## Calculate ratio based on all spectra of peptides specific
##  to CERU_HUMAN, CERU_RAT or CERU_MOUSE. Returns a named
##  numeric vector.
10^estimateRatio(ibspiked_set1,noise.model.hcd,
                 channel1="114",channel2="115",
                 protein=ceru.proteins)['lratio']

## If argument 'combine=FALSE', estimateRatio returns a data.frame
##  with one row per protein
10^estimateRatio(ibspiked_set1,noise.model.hcd,
                 channel1="114",channel2="115",
                 protein=ceru.proteins,combine=FALSE)[,'lratio']
## spiked material channel 115 vs 114:
##                  CERU_HUMAN (P00450): 1
##                  CERU_RAT   (P13635): 2
##                  CERU_MOUSE (Q61147): 0.5
```

isobar-import *Loading data into IBSpectra objects using readIBSpectra*

Description

Read ibspectra-csv files and peaklist files as an IBSpectra object of type 'type' (see IBSpectra, e.g. iTRAQ4plexSpectra or TMT6plexSpectra). If peaklist.file is missing, it is assumed that id.file contains intensity and m/z columns for the reporter tags.

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'character,character'
readIBSpectra(type,id.file)

# reads id file
## S4 method for signature 'character,character,character'
readIBSpectra(
                type, id.file, peaklist.file, sep = "\t", mapping.file
                = NULL, mapping = c(quantification.spectrum = "hcd",
                identification.spectrum = "cid"), id.file.domap =
                NULL, identifications.format = NULL, decode.titles =
                FALSE, ...)

# reads peaklist file
## S4 method for signature 'character,data.frame,character'
readIBSpectra(
                type, id.file, peaklist.file, annotate.spectra.f =
                NULL, peaklist.format = NULL, scan.lines = 0,
                fragment.precision = NULL, fragment.outlier.prob =
                NULL, ...)
```

Arguments

type	Name of class of new IBSpectra object: iTRAQ4plexSpectra, iTRAQ8plexSpectra, TMT2plexSpectra, TMT6plexSpectra, or TMT10plexSpectra
id.file	Database search results file in ibspectra.csv or mzIdentML format. See identifications.format. See the vignette for information on converting Mascot dat and Phenyx pidres files into ibspectra format.
peaklist.file	Peaklist file, typically in MGF format, see peaklist.format. MGF must be centroid!
mapping.file	If defined, spectum titles from the peaklist file are linked to the identifications via this file. This can be used when running HCD runs for quantification and CID runs for identification. See Koecher et al., 2009 for details.
mapping	Named character vector defining the names of columns in mapping.file. The names must be 'peaklist' and 'id', and the values must correspond to colnames of the mapping files.

`id.file.domap` When using HCD-CID or a method akin and every spectrum is used for identification, the ID result files of the HCD run can be specfied in `id.file.domap`. Then, the results are merged after mapping the identification results.

`annotate.spectra.f`
Function which changes or annotates the spectra feature data before it is written to IBpectra object. This can be used to calculate and threshold additional scores, for example localization scores of post- translational modifications such as Delta Score (filterSpectraDeltaScore) or PhosphoRS site localization probabilities (annotateSpectraPhosphoRS).

`peaklist.format`
"mgf" (Mascot Generic format) or "mcn" (iTracker Machine Readable output). When NULL, it detects the format on file name extension.

`identifications.format`
"ibspectra.csv" or "mzid" (PSI MzIdentML format). When NULL, file format is guessed based on extension.

`fragment.precision`
Fragment precision for extraction of reporter tags: for each tag and spectrum the m/z-intensity pair with it's mass closest to the known reporter tag mass is extracted within the window true_mass +/- fragment.precision/2.

`fragment.outlier.prob`
Fragment outlier probability filter: After all m/z-intensity pairs have been extracted, those pairs with the fragment.outlier.prob/2 most unprecise m/z values are filtered out.

`decode.titles` Boolean. Decode spectrum titles in identification file using `URLdecode`. When extracting the DAT file from Mascot web interface, the spectrum titles are encoded - %20 instead of space, etc. Set decode.titles to TRUE to map these titles to the unescaped MGF titles.

`scan.lines` Read files sequentially scan.lines lines at a time. Can help in case of memory issues, set to 10000 or higher, for example.

`sep` sep argument of read.table

`...` Further arguments handed down to `initialize`.

Author(s)

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See Also

ProteinGroup, IBSpectra, isobar-preprocessing, isobar-analysis, isobar-plots

Examples

```
data(ibspiked_set1)

# get identifier for Ceruplasmin proteins
ceru.acs <- protein.g(proteinGroup(ibspiked_set1),"CERU")
# create a smaller ibspectra w/ only Ceruplasmins
```

```
ib.ceru <- subsetIBSpectra(ibspiked_set1,protein=ceru.acs,direction="include")

# write it to a file
tf <- tempfile("isobar")
write.table(as.data.frame(ib.ceru),sep="\t",file=tf,quote=FALSE)

# read it again into an IBSpectra object
ib.ceru2 <- readIBSpectra("iTRAQ4plexSpectra",tf,identifications.format="ibspectra")
ib.ceru2

unlink(tf)
```

`isobar-plots` *IBSpectra plots*

Description

Various plots are implement to assure data quality, and accompany preprocessing and analysis.

reporterMassPrecision

`reporterMassPrecision(x)`**:** Calculates and displays the deviation from the 'true' tag mass - as specified in the IBSpectra object - of each channel.

reporterIntensityPlot

`reporterIntensityPlot(x)`**:** Displays boxplots of intensity of channels before and after normalization - useful to check the result of normalization.

raplot

`raplot(x,...)`**:** Ratio-Absolute intensity plot - will be deprecated by maplot

`x` IBSpectra object

`...` Parameters to plot function.

plotRatio

`plotRatio(x,channel1,channel2,protein,...)`**:** Plots abundances of one protein

`x` IBSpectra object

`channel1`

`channel2`

`protein`

`...` Parameters to plot function.

maplot

`maplot(x,channel1,channel2,...)`**:** Creates a ratio-versus-intensity plot.

`x` IBSpectra object.

maplot2

`maplot2()`:

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See Also

IBSpectra, isobar-preprocessing isobar-analysis

Examples

```
data(ibspiked_set1)
maplot(ibspiked_set1,main="IBSpiked, not normalized")
maplot(normalize(ibspiked_set1),main="IBSpiked, normalized")
```

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isobar-preprocessing *IBSpectra preprocessing*

Description

Preprocessing is a necessary step prior to analysis of data. In a sequential order, it is often neccassary to correct isotope impurities, to normalize, and subtract additive noise.

Isotope impurity correction

`correctIsotopeImpurities(x)`: Returns impurity corrected IBSpectra object by solving a linear system of equations. See also isotopeImpurities.

Normalization

`normalize(x,f=median,target="intensity",exclude.protein=NULL, use.protein=NULL,f.doapply=TRUE,log=TR`
Normalizes the intensities for multiplicative errors. Those changes are most likely produced by pipetting errors, and different hybridization efficencies, but can also be due to biological reasons. By default, tag intensities are multiplied by a factor so that the median intensity is equal across tags.

`f`: `f` is applied to each column, unless f.doapply is FALSE. Then `f` is supposed to compute column-wise statistics of the matrix of intensities. E.g. `colSums` and `colMeans`.

`target`: One of "intensity" and "ratio".

`exclude.proteins` Spectra of peptides which might come from these proteins are excluded. Use for example for contaminants and proteins depleted in the experiment.

`use.protein`: If specified, only spectra coming from this protein are used. Use when a protein is spiked-in as normalization control.

`f.isglobal`: If true, `f` is applied on each column. If false, `f` is supposed to compute column-wise statistics of the matrix of intensities. E.g. `colSums` and `colMeans`.

`log`: Used when target=ratio.

Substract additive noise

`subtractAdditiveNoise(x,method="quantile",shared=TRUE,prob=0.01)`: `method` 'quantile' method is supported for now. It take's the prob (0.01) quantile to estimate the noise level. This value is subtracted from all intensities, and all remaining intensities have to be at least that value.

`prob` See 'method'.

`shared` If channels are assumed similar in intensity and hence a shared noise level is reasonable. If not, then one level per channel is necessary.

Exclusion of proteins

`exclude(x,proteins.to.exclude)`: Removes spectra which are assigned to proteins in protein.to.exclude from the object. This can be useful to remove contaminants. It create a new grouping based on the data which is left.

`proteins.to.exclude` Proteins to exclude.

Author(s)

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See Also

ProteinGroup, IBSpectra, isobar-analysis, isobar-plots

Examples

```
data(ibspiked_set1)
maplot(ibspiked_set1,main="IBSpiked, not normalized")
maplot(normalize(ibspiked_set1),main="IBSpiked, normalized")
```

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isobar-reports *Isobar reports*

Description

Generation of LaTeX and XLS reports is helped with functions which facilitate the gathering of relevant information and creation of tikz plots. `create.reports` parses properties (by calling `load.properties`) and initialize environments and computations (by calling `initialize.env`) required by the reports, calls Sweave and pdflatex.

Usage

```
create.reports(properties.file = "properties.R",
          global.properties.file = system.file("report","properties.R", package = "isobar"),
               args = NULL, ...,
               recreate.properties.env = TRUE, recreate.report.env = TRUE)

load.properties(properties.file = "properties.R",
           global.properties.file = system.file("report","properties.R",package="isobar"),
                args = NULL, ...)

initialize.env(env, properties.env)
```

Arguments

`properties.file`	File which holds the parameters for data analysis and report generation. It is parsed as R code after the global report configuration file `global.properties.file` and defines peaklists, identification files, significance levels, etc. See the global properties file for the available options and values.
`global.properties.file`	`system.file("report","properties.R",package="isobar")`
`args`	Additional (command line) arguments which overrids those in `properties.file`.
`...`	Additional properties.
`recreate.properties.env`	Whether a properties.env existing in the global environment should be used, or it should be recreated.
`recreate.report.env`	Whether a report.env existing in the global environment should be used, or it should be recreated.
`env`	Item to be initialized.
`properties.env`	Environment into which properties are read.

Details

The directory `inst` in the isobar installation directory `system.file("inst",package="isobar")` contains R, Sweave, and LaTeX files as examples of how to create XLS and PDF reports using `isobar`.

create_reports.R Call with Rscript. It is the main file which

1. parses command line options. `--compile` and `--zip` are parsed directly and given as arguments to `create.reports`. Other arguments are given `load.properties`.
2. calls a perl script to generate a XLS report
3. generates a LaTeX quality control and analysis report

for the XLS report the script pl/tab2xls.pl is used, which concetenates CSV files to a XLS. See Perl requirements. Sweave is called on report/isobar-qc.Rnw and report/isobar-analysis.Rnw. All files are written the working directory.

isobar-qc.Rnw Quality control Sweave file.

isobar-analysis.Rnw Data analysis Sweave file.

properties.R Default configuration for data analysis.

report-utils.tex LaTeX functions for plotting tikz graphics, etc.

Author(s)

Florian P Breitwieser

See Also

IBSpectra, isobar-preprocessing isobar-analysis

`isobar.data` *Isobar Data packages*

Description

ibspiked_set1 and ibspiked_set2 are objects of class iTRAQ4plexSpectra. It contains over 160 protein groups, over 1600 peptides from about 15,000 spectra each, mainly from background proteins and three spiked-in Ceruplasmins (CERU_HUMAN, CERU_MOUSE, CERU_RAT).

Usage

```
data(ibspiked_set1)
data(ibspiked_set2)
data(ib_phospho)
```

Format

iTRAQ4plexSpectra objects.

Source

isobar publication. Acquired on Orbitrap instrument w/ 20 offline-fractions and HCD fragmentation.

Examples

```
data(ibspiked_set1)
print(ibspiked_set1)
```

maplot.protein *Ratio intensity plot for individual proteins*

Description

Plots ratio-versus-intensity for a selected protein against a reference channel.

Usage

```
maplot.protein(x, relative.to, protein, noise.model = NULL, channels = NULL,
               xlim = NULL, ylim = NULL, identify = FALSE, add = FALSE,
               pchs = NULL, log="xy", legend.pos = "topright", names = NULL,
               legend.cex = 0.8, cols = pchs, ltys = 1, main = protein,
               xlab = NULL, ylab = NULL, type="ma", show.lm = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

x	IBSpectra object
relative.to	a character vector specifying reporter tag names. Either of length 1 or same length as channels.
protein	Protein group identifier.
noise.model	NoiseModel object.
channels	Reporter tag names.
xlim	See par.
ylim	See par.
identify	boolean. If true, identify is called with peptide labels.
add	
pchs	a vector of the same length as channels. See pch in plot.default.
log	a character string which contains x if the x axis is to be logarithmic, y if the y axis is to be logarithmic and xy or yx if both axes are to be logarithmic.
legend.pos	see pos in legend.
names	a character string of the same length as channels, legend text.
legend.cex	see cex in legend.
cols	a vector of the same length as channels. See col in plot.default.
ltys	a vector of the same length as channels. See lty in plot.default.
main	a main title for the plot
xlab	a label for the x axis, defaults to a description of x.
ylab	a label for the y axis, defaults to a description of y.
type	type of plot
...	passed to plot.
show.lm	show LM

Author(s)

Florian P. Breitwieser

`NoiseModel-class` *NoiseModel objects*

Description

A NoiseModel represent the technical variation which is dependent on signal intensity.

Constructor

`new(type,ibspectra,reporterTagNames=NULL,one.to.one=TRUE,min.spectra=10,plot=FALSE, pool=FALSE)`**:** Creates a new NoiseModel object based on ibspectra object.

`type`**:** A non-virtual class deriving from NoiseModel: `ExponentialNoiseModel`, `ExponentialNoANoiseModel`, `InverseNoiseModel`, `InverseNoANoiseModel`

`reporterTagNames`**:** When NULL, all channels from ibspectra are taken (i.e. `sampleNames(ibspectra)`). Otherwise, specify subset of names, or a matrix which defines the desireed combination of channels (nrow=2).

`one.to.one`**:** Set to false to learn noise model one a non one-to-one dataset

`min.spectra`**:** When one.to.one=FALSE, only take proteins with min.spectra to learn noise model.

`plot`**:** Set to true to plot data the noise model is learnt on.

`pool`**:** If false, a NoiseModel is estimated on each combination of channels indivdually, and then the parameters are averaged. If true, the ratios of all channels are pooled and then a NoiseModel is estimated.

Accessor methods

`noiseFunction`**:** Gets the noise function.

`parameter`**:** Gets and sets the parameters for the noise function.

`variance`**:** Gets the variance for data points based on the noise function and parameters.

`stddev`**:** Convenience function, `sqrt(variance(...))`.

`lowIntensity`**:** Gets and sets the low intensity slot, denoting the noise region.

`naRegion`**:** Gets and sets the na.region slot.

Examples

```
data(ibspiked_set1)

ceru.proteins <- protein.g(proteinGroup(ibspiked_set1),"CERU")

# normalize
ibspiked_set1 <- normalize(correctIsotopeImpurities(ibspiked_set1))
```

```
# remove spiked proteins
ibspiked_set1.noceru <- exclude(ibspiked_set1,ceru.proteins)
ibspiked_set1.justceru <- subsetIBSpectra(ibspiked_set1,protein=ceru.proteins,direction="include")

# learn noise models
nm.i <- new("InverseNoiseModel",ibspiked_set1.noceru)
nm.e <- new("ExponentialNoiseModel",ibspiked_set1.noceru)

#learn on non-one.to.one data: not normalized, with spiked proteins
nm.n <- new("ExponentialNoiseModel",ibspiked_set1.justceru,one.to.one=FALSE)

maplot(ibspiked_set1,noise.model=c(nm.e,nm.i,nm.n),ylim=c(0.1,10))
```

`number.ranges` *Helper function to transform number lists to ranges*

Description

1,2,3,4,5,8,9,10 -> 1-5,8-10

Usage

```
number.ranges(numbers)
```

Arguments

`numbers`	numeric

Value

character

Author(s)

Florian P Breitwieser

Examples

```
number.ranges(c(1,2,3,9,3,10,8,11))
```

observedKnownSites *Observed modification sites.*

Description

Functions to display the modification sites observed for each protein isoform and count the number of modified residues per protein.

Usage

```
observedKnownSites(protein.group, protein.g, ptm.info, modif, modification.name = NULL)

modif.site.count(protein.group, protein.g = reporterProteins(protein.group), modif, take = max)

modif.sites(protein.group, protein.g = reporterProteins(protein.group), modif)
```

Arguments

protein.group	ProteinGroupb object.
protein.g	protein group identifier.
ptm.info	ptm information data.frame, see ?getPtmInfo.
modif	Modification to track, e.g. 'PHOS'.
modification.name	Value to filter 'modification.name' column in ptm.info.
take	should be either max or min: When multiple isoforms are present, which value should be taken for the count?

Author(s)

Florian P. Breitwieser

Examples

```
data(ib_phospho)
data(ptm.info)

# Modification sites of reporter proteins:
#  a list of protein groups,
#     containing sub-lists of identified sites for each isoform
protein.modif.sites <- sort(modif.site.count(proteinGroup(ib_phospho),modif="PHOS"))

# Details on modification sites of proteins
#   detected with most modifications
modif.sites(proteinGroup(ib_phospho),modif="PHOS",protein.g=names(tail(protein.modif.sites)))

# How many sites are known, and how many known sites have been observed?
observedKnownSites(proteinGroup(ib_phospho),modif="PHOS",protein.g=names(tail(protein.modif.sites)),ptm.info=p
```

peptide.count *Peptide counts, spectral counts and sequence coverage for ProteinGroup objects.*

Description

Report the peptide count, spectral count and sequence coverage for supplied proteins.

Usage

```
peptide.count(protein.group, protein.g = reporterProteins(protein.group),
         specificity = c("reporter-specific", "group-specific", "unspecific"), ...)

spectra.count(protein.group, protein.g = reporterProteins(protein.group),
           specificity = c("reporter-specific", "group-specific", "unspecific"),
              modif = NULL, ...)

sequence.coverage(protein.group, protein.g = reporterProteins(protein.group),
            specificity = c("reporter-specific", "group-specific", "unspecific"),
                  simplify = TRUE, ...)
```

Arguments

protein.group	ProteinGroup object.
protein.g	Protein group identifier.
specificity	Specificity of peptides.
modif	Only count peptides having a certain modification.
simplify	If simplify=TRUE, a named numeric vector is returned, with the mean sequence coverage of the ACs of each protein.g supplied. Else, a list with the length of protein.g is returned having the sequence coverage for each protein AC.
...	Further arguments to peptides

Author(s)

Florian P Breitwieser

See Also

calculate.emPAI, calculate.dNSAF, ProteinGroup

Examples

```
data(ibspiked_set1)
sc <- spectra.count(proteinGroup(ibspiked_set1))
pc <- peptide.count(proteinGroup(ibspiked_set1))
plot(jitter(sc),jitter(pc),log="xy")
```

`Protein and peptide ratio calculation and summarization`
Calculating and Summarizing Protein and Peptide Ratios

Description

A set of functions to create ratios within groups and summarize them. `proteinRatios` serves as hub and calls `combn.matrix`, `combn.protein.tbl` and `summarize.ratios` successively. It can be used to calculate intra-class and inter-class ratios, to assess ratios and variability within and over cases.

Usage

```
proteinRatios(ibspectra, noise.model, reporterTagNames = NULL,
                proteins = reporterProteins(proteinGroup(ibspectra)),
                peptide = NULL, cl = classLabels(ibspectra),
                combn.method = "global", combn.vs = NULL,
                symmetry = FALSE, summarize =
                FALSE, summarize.method = "mult.pval", min.detect =
                NULL, strict.sample.pval = TRUE, strict.ratio.pval =
                TRUE, orient.div = 0, sign.level = 0.05,
                sign.level.rat = sign.level, sign.level.sample =
                sign.level, ratiodistr = NULL, zscore.threshold =
                NULL, variance.function = "maxi", combine = FALSE,
                p.adjust = NULL, reverse = FALSE, cmbn = NULL,
                before.summarize.f = NULL, ...)

peptideRatiosNotQuant(ibspectra, ..., peptide = unique(fData(ibspectra)[!fData(ibspectra)[["use.for.c
peptideRatios(ibspectra, ..., peptide = peptides(proteinGroup(ibspectra), columns = c("peptide", "modi

combn.matrix(x, method = "global", cl = NULL, vs = NULL)

combn.protein.tbl(cmbn, reverse = FALSE, ...)

summarize.ratios(ratios, by.column = "ac", summarize.method = "mult.pval",
                min.detect = NULL, n.combination = NULL,
                strict.sample.pval = TRUE, strict.ratio.pval = TRUE,
                orient.div = 0, sign.level = 0.05, sign.level.rat =
                sign.level, sign.level.sample = sign.level,
                variance.function = "maxi", ratiodistr = NULL)
```

Arguments

`ibspectra`	IBSpectra object
`x`	for combn.matrix: reporter names. See reporterTagNames. argument of proteinRatios.

ratios	result of combn.protein.tbl
by.column	Column(s) which are the identifiers. Usually 'ac', 'peptide' or c('peptide','modif')
cmbn	result of combn.matrix
before.summarize.f	Function which is called after calculating ratios before summarizing them.
noise.model	NoiseModel for spectra variances
reporterTagNames	Reporter tags to use. By default all reporterTagNames of ibspectra object.
proteins	proteins for which ratios are calculated - defaults to all proteins with peptides specific to them.
peptide	peptides for which ratios are calculated.
cl	Class labels. See also ?classLabels.
vs	Class label or reporter tag name. When combn.method is "versus.class", all combinations against class vs are computed, when combn.method is "verus.channel", all combinations against channel vs.
combn.method	"global", "interclass", "intra-class", "versus.class" or "versus.channel". Defines which ratios are computed, based on class labels cl
method	See combn.method
combn.vs	vs argument for combn, if combn.method is "versus.class" or "versus.channel".
symmetry	If true, reports also the inverse ratio
summarize	If true, ratios for each protein are summarized.
summarize.method	"isobar", for now.
min.detect	How many times must a ratio for a protein be present when summarizing? When NULL, defaults to the maximum number of combinations.
strict.sample.pval	If true, missing ratios are penalized by giving them a sample.pval of 0.5.
strict.ratio.pval	If true, take all ratios into account. If false, only take ratios into account which are in the same direction as the majority of ratios
orient.div	Number of ratios which might go in the wrong direction.
sign.level	Significance level
sign.level.rat	Significance level on ratio p-value
sign.level.sample	Significance level on sample p-value
ratiodistr	Protein ratio distribution
variance.function	Variance function
zscore.threshold	z-score threshold to apply
...	Passed to estimateRatio()

`combine`	If true, a single ratio for all proteins and peptides, resp., is calculated. See `estimateRatio`.
`p.adjust`	Set to one of p.adjust.methods to adjust ratio p-values for multiple comparisions. See `p.adjust`.
`reverse`	reverse
`n.combination`	number of combinations possible

Value

'data.frame': 11 variables:

`lratio`	log ratio
`variance`	variance
`n.spectra`	Number of spectra used for quantification
`p.value.rat`	Signal p-value (NA if ratiodistr is missing)
`p.value.sample`	Sample p-value (NA if ratiodistr is missing)
`is.significant`	Is the ratio significant? (NA if ratiodistr is missing)
`protein`	Protein quantified
`r1`	r1
`r2`	r2

Author(s)

Florian P Breitwieser, Jacques Colinge

See Also

IBSpectra, isobar-preprocessing isobar-analysis

Examples

```
combn.matrix(114:117,method="interclass",cl=as.character(c(1,1,2,2)))
combn.matrix(114:117,method="interclass",cl=as.character(c(1,1,2,2)))
combn.matrix(114:117,method="global")

data(ibspiked_set1)
data(noise.model.hcd)

ceru.proteins <- c("P13635","Q61147")
proteinRatios(ibspiked_set1,noise.model=noise.model.hcd,proteins=ceru.proteins,cl=c("T","T","C","C"),combn.met
```

`ProteinGroup-class` *ProteinGroup objects*

Description

The ProteinGroup class is a container for identified peptides and proteins, and groups them to distinguish proteins with specific peptides.

Usage

```
ProteinGroup(from,template=NULL,proteinInfo=data.frame())

protein.ac(x, protein.g)
protein.g(x, pattern, variables=c("AC","name"), ...)
```

Arguments

`from`	`data.frame` object to create a ProteinGroup from. See Details from column specifications
`template`	'template' ProteinGroup object for grouping.
`x`	ProteinGroup object
`protein`	character string
`proteinInfo`	data.frame for proteinInfo slot
`protein.g`	character string, denoting a 'protein group'.
`pattern`	character string, see `grep` for details.
`variables`	`AC` maps a protein accession code to a protein group. `name` maps using protein information from `proteinInfo`.
`...`	Passed on to `grep`.

Details

The ProteinGroup class stores spectrum to peptide to protein mapping.

The proteins are grouped by their evidence, i. e. peptides:

- Peptides with changes only from Leucin to Isoleucin are considered the same, as they cannot be distinguished by MS.
- Proteins which are detected with the same peptides are grouped together to a 'indistinguishable protein'- normally these are splice variants.
- Proteins with specific peptides are 'reporters'.
- Proteins with no specific peptides are grouped under these 'reporters.

This information is stored in six slots:

`spectra.n.peptides` a named 'character' vector, names being spectrum identifier and values are peptides.

`peptide.n.proteins` a 'data.frame' containing the number of proteins the peptides could derive from.

`peptide.n.protein` a character 'matrix' linking peptides to proteins.

`indistinguishable.proteins` a 'matrix' contain.

Constructor

`ProteinGroup(tbl.prot.pep,template=NULL)`: Creates a ProteinGroup object.

`tbl.prot.pep` A 'data.frame' with three columns: 1. Protein, 2. Peptide, 3. Spectrum.

`template` Optional ProteinGroup object the grouping is based upon.

Coercion

In the code snippets below, x is a ProteinGroup object.

`as(from, "ProteinGroup")`: Creates a ProteinGroup object from a data.frame.

`as.data.frame(x, row.names = NULL, optional = FALSE)`: Creates a data.frame with columns `protein` (character), `peptide` (character), `spectrum`.

`as.concise.data.frame(from)`: Creates a 'concise' data.frame with one spectrum per row, and protein ACs combined

Accessors

In the following code snippets, x is a ProteinGroup object.

`spectrumToPeptide(x)`: Gets spectrum to peptide assignment.

`peptideInfo(x)`: Peptide information such as protein start position.

`peptideSpecificity(x)`: Gets a 'data.frame' containing the peptide specificity: they can be reporter-specific, group-specific, or non-specific.

`peptideNProtein(x)`: Gets peptide to protein assignment.

`indistinguishableProteins(x)`: Gets the proteins which cannot be distinguished based on peptide evidence.

`proteinGroupTable`: Gets the protein grouping, listing reporters and group members.

`peptides(x,protein=NULL,specificity=c("reporter-specific", "group-specific","unspecific"),columns="p`
Gets all peptides detected, or just those for a protein with the defined specificity. `columns` might define multiple columns of `peptideSpecificity(x)`. set=union returns the union of peptides of all proteins defined, set=intersect returns the intersection.

Author(s)

Florian P. Breitwieser

See Also

IBSpectra

Examples

```
tbl <- data.frame(spectrum=1:14,peptide=c(rep(letters[1:3],4),"a","x"),
                  modif=":",start.pos=1,
                  protein=c(rep(c("A","B"),each=6),"C","D"))
pg <- ProteinGroup(tbl)
pg
proteinGroupTable(pg)

data(ibspiked_set1)
pg <- proteinGroup(ibspiked_set1)
ceru.proteins <- protein.g(pg,"CERU")

## all ceru peptides
peptides(pg,ceru.proteins)

## peptides shared by all ceru proteins
peptides(pg,ceru.proteins, set=intersect)
```

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proteinInfo-methods *Methods for Function proteinInfo*

Description

proteinInfo slot in Proteingroup objects contains information about proteins. `proteinInfo` method allows to get and set it.

`getProteinInfoFromUniprot` downloads information of contained proteins from Uniprot, `getProteinInfoFromBiomart` from Biomart.

Usage

```
  ## S4 method for signature 'ProteinGroup'
proteinInfo(x)

  ## S4 method for signature 'ProteinGroup,character,missing'
proteinInfo(x, protein.g, select="name", collapse=", ",
                                          simplify = TRUE, do.warn = TRUE)

  ## S4 method for signature 'ProteinGroup,missing,character'
proteinInfo(x, protein.ac, select="name", collapse=", ",
                                          simplify = TRUE, do.warn = TRUE)


  proteinInfoIsOnSpliceVariants(protein.info)

# getProteinInfoFromUniprot(x, splice.by = 200, fields = c(accession = "id", name
#                 = "entry%20name", protein_name = "protein%20names",
#                 gene_name = "genes", organism = "organism", length =
```

```
#                 "length", sequence = "sequence"))


  getProteinInfoFromTheInternet(x)

  getProteinInfoFromNextProt(x)

  getProteinInfoFromBiomart(x, database = "Uniprot")

  getProteinInfoFromBioDb(x, ..., con = NULL)

  getProteinInfoFromEntrez(x, splice.by = 200)
```

Arguments

x	ProteinGroup object
protein.g	Protein group identifier. If supplied, only information for these proteins is returned.
protein.ac	Protein ACs. If supplied, only information for these proteins is returned.
select	indicating columns to select. See Details.
collapse	passed to paste to concatenate information of multiple protein in one protein group.
simplify	If true, a vector or matrix is returned, with the pasted protein information. If false, a list is returned.
do.warn	If true, report diagnostic warning messages.
splice.by	Chunk size for query of Uniprot database.
database	database from which the ACs stem from. Only Uniprot is supported for now.
con	database connection
fields	mapping of CSV field names to proteinInfo field names
...	arguments to build database connection.
protein.info	protein info data.frame

Details

proteinInfo contains columns accession, name, gene_name, protein_name, and possibly length and sequence. accession is mapped with the entry AC is mapped to the entry AC in the database. getProteinInfoFromUniprot is the preferred methods to get the information. getProteinInfoFromBioDb is an example how to implement the query on a local database. Depending on the database, protein information might be available on protein ACs or also on the specific splice variants. This can be queried with the proteinInfoIsOnSpliceVariants function.

See Also

protein.g

Examples

```
data(ibspiked_set1)
pg <- proteinGroup(ibspiked_set1)

## Not run:
  proteinInfo(pg) <- getProteinInfoFromUniprot(pg)
  proteinInfo(pg) <- getProteinInfoFromBiomart(pg)

## End(Not run)

proteinInfo(pg,protein.g="P13635")
protein.g(pg,"CERU")
```

`proteinNameAndDescription` *Get protein gene names and description from protein info of protein group.*

Description

Convenience functions to retrieve protein gene names and description for a list of protein group identifiers.

Usage

```
proteinNameAndDescription(protein.group, protein.g = reporterProteins(protein.group), collapse = FALS
proteinGeneName(protein.group, protein.g = reporterProteins(protein.group))
proteinDescription(protein.group, protein.g = reporterProteins(protein.group))
proteinID(protein.group, protein.g = reporterProteins(protein.group))
```

Arguments

`protein.group`	ProteinGroup object.
`protein.g`	protein group identifier.
`collapse`	If TRUE, the information for all protein.gs is combined.

Author(s)

Florian P Breitwieser

Examples

```
data(ibspiked_set1)
pg <- proteinGroup(ibspiked_set1)
protein.gs <- protein.g(pg,"CERU")
protein.gs
proteinNameAndDescription(pg,protein.gs)
proteinNameAndDescription(pg,protein.gs,collapse=TRUE)
```

```
proteinGeneName(pg,protein.gs)
proteinDescription(pg,protein.gs)
proteinID(pg,protein.gs)
```

`ratiosReshapeWide` *Reshape output of proteinRatios into wide format*

Description

Reshape output of proteinRatios into wide format

Usage

```
ratiosReshapeWide(quant.tbl, vs.class = NULL, sep = ".", cmbn = NULL,
                  short.names = FALSE)
```

Arguments

`quant.tbl`	Output of proteinRatios or peptideRatios.
`vs.class`	Only return ratios where class1 is vs.class
`sep`	Separator for column names in the reshape.
`cmbn`	Not functional.
`short.names`	If vs.class is set and short.names=TRUE, then the comparision name will be i.e. 'class2' instead of 'class2/class1'.

Author(s)

Florian P. Breitwieser

`reporter.protein-methods`
Get reporter protein group identifier for protein group identifier

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Description

Methods for function `reporter.protein` in package **isobar**

Methods:

`signature(x = "ProteinGroup", protein.g = "character")` Get reporter protein for protein group identifier.

sanitize *Helper function for LaTeX export*

Description

Sanitizes strings for LaTeX

Usage

```
sanitize(str, dash = TRUE)
```

Arguments

str	character string to be escaped
dash	shoud a dash ('-') should be escaped to a '\nobreakdash-'?

Value

escaped character

Author(s)

iQuantitator,Florian P Breitwieser

Examples

```
sanitize("\textbf{123-123}")
```

shared.ratios *Shared ratio calculation*

Description

Calculate ratios of reporter proteins and subset proteins with shared peptides.

Usage

```
shared.ratios(ibspectra, noise.model, channel1 , channel2 , protein = reporterProteins(proteinGroup(ib
```

Arguments

ibspectra	IBspectra object.
noise.model	NoiseModel object.
channel1	channel1 to compare.
channel2	channel2 to compare.
protein	proteins for which the calculation should be made.
...	Additional arguments passed to estimteRatio.

Value

data.frame

Author(s)

Florian P.\ Breitwieser

See Also

shared.ratios.sign

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shared.ratios.sign *Plot and get significantly shared ratios.*

Description

Plot and get significantly shared ratios.

Usage

```
shared.ratios.sign(ress, z.shared, min.spectra = 1, plot = TRUE)
```

Arguments

ress	Result of shared.ratios.
z.shared	z.
min.spectra	Minimal number of spectra needed.
plot	plot.

Author(s)

Florian P.\ Breitwieser

See Also

shared.ratios.

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specificities *Peptide specificities*

Description

Peptides can appear in multiple proteins and therefore have different specificities.

Details

reporter specific: peptides specific to reporter. group specific: peptides specific to the group. unspecific: peptides shared with other proteins.

spectra.count2 *Spectral count for peptides and proteins in ProteinGroup objects.*

Description

Spectral count for peptides and proteins in ProteinGroup objects. It can - other than spectra.count - quantify the spectra count on the level of peptides, potenitally modifed, too,

Usage

```
spectra.count2(ibspectra, value = reporterProteins(protein.group),
          type = "protein.g", specificity = c("reporter-specific", "group-specific", "unspecific"),
           modif = NULL, combine = FALSE, subset = NULL, require.quant = NULL, ...)
```

Arguments

ibspectra	IBSpectra object.
value	List of protein group identifiers or peptides.
type	Either 'protein.g' or 'peptide'.
specificity	Specificity of peptides.
modif	Only count peptides having a certain modification.
combine	If TRUE, only one combined result is returned.
subset	Allows to specify an expression to subset link{featureData} of the ibspectra.
require.quant	If not NULL, it may be 'any' or 'all' to only consider spectra with quantitative information in at least one or all channels.
...	Further arguments to peptides

Author(s)

Florian P Breitwieser

See Also

spectra.count, ProteinGroup

Examples

```
data(ibspiked_set1)
pg <- proteinGroup(ibspiked_set1)
protein.gs <- protein.g(pg,"CERU")
sc <- spectra.count2(ibspiked_set1,protein.gs)
sc.ik <- spectra.count2(ibspiked_set1,protein.gs,modif="iTRAQ4plex_K")
rbind(spectra.counts=sc,spectra.counts_iTRAQk=sc.ik)
```

subsetIBSpectra *Subset IBSpectra objects*

Description

Returns an IBSpectra object which is a subset of the input, excluding or exclusively containing the peptides or proteins supplied.

Usage

```
subsetIBSpectra(x, protein = NULL, peptide = NULL,
                direction = "exclude",
              specificity = c(REPORTERSPECIFIC, GROUPSPECIFIC, UNSPECIFIC), ...)
```

Arguments

x	IBSpectra object.
protein	Protein group identifiers. Use protein.g to get protein group identifiers from protein database ACs.
peptide	Peptide sequences.
direction	either 'include' or 'exclude'.
specificity	When 'protein' is supplied: Which peptides should be selected? See specificities.
...	Further arguments passed to spectrumSel

Author(s)

Florian P Breitwieser

See Also

protein.g, spectrumSel, specificities

Examples

```
data(ibspiked_set1)

# get Keratin proteins
keratin.proteins <- protein.g(proteinGroup(ibspiked_set1),"Keratin")

# exclude Keratin proteins
subsetIBSpectra(ibspiked_set1,protein=keratin.proteins,direction="exclude")
```

Tlsd-class *Class* "Tlsd"

Description

Location scale family T distribution, based on the original T function.

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form `new("Tlsd", df, location, scale)`.

Slots

gaps: Object of class "OptionalMatrix" ~~

img: Object of class "rSpace" ~~

param: Object of class "OptionalParameter" ~~

r: Object of class "function" ~~

d: Object of class "OptionalFunction" ~~

p: Object of class "OptionalFunction" ~~

q: Object of class "OptionalFunction" ~~

.withSim: Object of class "logical" ~~

.withArith: Object of class "logical" ~~

.logExact: Object of class "logical" ~~

.lowerExact: Object of class "logical" ~~

Symmetry: Object of class "DistributionSymmetry" ~~

Extends

Class "AbscontDistribution", directly. Class "UnivariateDistribution", by class "AbscontDistribution", distance 2. Class "AcDcLcDistribution", by class "AbscontDistribution", distance 2. Class "Distribution", by class "AbscontDistribution", distance 3. Class "UnivDistrListOrDistribution", by class "AbscontDistribution", distance 3.

Methods

No methods defined with class "Tlsd" in the signature.

Author(s)

Florian P. Breitwieser, based on original T distribution class.

Examples

```
showClass("Tlsd")
```

TlsParameter-class *Class* "TlsParameter"

Description

The parameter of a location scale t distribution, used by Tlsd-class

Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form `new("TlsParameter", ...)`. Usually an object of this class is not needed on its own, it is generated automatically when an object of the class `Tlsd` is instantiated.

Slots

`df`: Object of class `"numeric"` ~~

`location`: Object of class `"numeric"` ~~

`scale`: Object of class `"numeric"` ~~

`name`: Object of class `"character"` ~~

Extends

Class `"Parameter"`, directly. Class `"OptionalParameter"`, by class "Parameter", distance 2.

Methods

No methods defined with class "TlsParameter" in the signature.

Author(s)

Florian P. Breitwieser, based on original TParameter class.

See Also

`Tlsd`

Examples

```
showClass("TlsParameter")
```

writeHscoreData — *Write identifications into a format suitable for Hscore.*

Description

Write identifications into a format suitable for Hscore.

Usage

```
writeHscoreData(outfile, ids, massfile = "defs.txt")
```

Arguments

outfile	Output file.
ids	IBSpectra identifications data.frame (ie fData).
massfile	Definition file for Hscore.

Author(s)

Florian P. Breitwieser

writeIBSpectra — *Write IBSpectra file as CSV in a format readable by readIBSpectra.*

Description

Write IBSpectra file using write.table with defaults in a format readable by readIBSpectra.

Usage

```
writeIBSpectra(ibspectra, file, sep = "\t", row.names = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

ibspectra	IBSpectra object
file	file name.
sep	field separator string.
row.names	indicates whether row.names should be written.
...	further arguments to write.table

Author(s)

Florian P Breitwieser

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