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**Description**

A method to identify correlated changes on mRNA and DNA level. For details, see PMID: 27358048

**Details**

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**Examples**

```
# load test data
x <- get.test.data(data.types = c("mRNA.T", "mRNA.N", "CNA", "ann"));

# list of features to be assessed for differential expression
feature.ids <- rownames(x$mRNA.T$BLCA);

# get differentially expressed features
DE.results <- find.DE.features(
  exp.data.T = x$mRNA.T,
  exp.data.N = x$mRNA.N,
  feature.ids = feature.ids,
  test.name = "t.test"
);

# get top features
top.features <- get.top.features(
  DE.features = cbind("FC" = DE.results[, 1], "P" = DE.results[, 2]),
  cna.data.fractions = x$CNA.fractions$BLCA,
  mRNA.FC.up = 0.25,
```

```

mRNA.FC.down = 0.25,
mRNA.p = 0.05,
mRNA.top.n = NULL,
cna.fractions.gain = 0.2,
cna.fractions.loss = 0.2
);

# temporary output directory
tmp.output.dir <- tempdir();

# estimate mRNA and CNA correlation using the pre-selected top features
correlated.features <- estimate.expression.cna.correlation(
  exp.data = x$mRNA.T$BLCA,
  cna.data.log2 = x$CNA.log2$BLCA,
  corr.threshold = 0.3,
  corr.direction = "two.sided",
  subtypes.metadata = list(
    "subtype.samples.list" = list("All" = colnames(x$mRNA.T$BLCA))
  ),
  feature.ids = top.features,
  cancer.type = "BLCA",
  data.dir = paste(tmp.output.dir, "/data/BLCA/", sep = ""),
  graphs.dir = paste(tmp.output.dir, "/graphs/BLCA/", sep = "")
);

```

create.counts.table    *create.counts.table*

## Description

Summary function to collapse the counts of selected (e.g. correlated) features per cancer type into counts table

## Usage

```
create.counts.table(corr.summary = NULL)
```

## Arguments

|              |   |
|--------------|---|
| corr.summary | A list object containing subtype specific selected (e.g. correlated) features. This is the list object returned by <code>estimate.expression.cna.correlation</code> |
|--------------|---|

## Value

A matrix of cancer type specific counts

## Author(s)

Syed Haider

**See Also**

[estimate.expression.cna.correlation](#)

**Examples**

```
# load test data
x <- get.test.data(data.types = c("mRNA.T", "CNA"));

# temporary output directory
tmp.output.dir <- tempdir();

# go through each cancer type iteratively and perform mRNA-CNA correlation analysis
correlated.features <- list();
for (cancer.type in names(x$mRNA.T)) {

  # estimate mRNA and CNA correlation for each cancer/disease type
  correlated.features[[cancer.type]] <- estimate.expression.cna.correlation(
    exp.data = x$mRNA.T[[cancer.type]],
    cna.data.log2 = x$CNA.log2[[cancer.type]],
    corr.threshold = 0.3,
    corr.direction = "two.sided",
    subtypes.metadata = list(
      "subtype.samples.list" = list("All" = colnames(x$mRNA.T[[cancer.type]]))
    ),
    feature.ids = rownames(x$mRNA.T[[cancer.type]]),
    cancer.type = cancer.type,
    data.dir = paste(tmp.output.dir, "/data/", cancer.type, sep = ""),
    graphs.dir = paste(tmp.output.dir, "/graphs/", cancer.type, sep = "")
  );
}

# create counts table across cancer types
counts.table <- create.counts.table(corr.summary = correlated.features);
```

**create.training.validation.split**  
*create.training.validation.split*

**Description**

Utility function to create random partitions of a dataset into training and validation sets. If samples are < 200, 66:34; otherwise 50:50 partitions are generated between training and validation sets respectively

**Usage**

```
create.training.validation.split(  
  exp.data = NULL, ann.data = NULL, seed.number = 51214  
)
```

**Arguments**

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| exp.data    | Feature by sample mRNA abundance matrix |
| ann.data    | Sample by clinical attribute matrix     |
| seed.number | Random seed for sampling                |

**Value**

A list of four matrices expression and two associated clinical matrices (exp.T, ann.T, exp.V and ann.V). One set for training and one for validation

**Author(s)**

Syed Haider

**Examples**

```
# load test data  
x <- get.test.data(data.types = c("mRNA.T", "ann"));  
  
# create training and validation sets  
partitioned.datasets <- create.training.validation.split(  
  exp.data = x$mRNA.T$BLCA,  
  ann.data = x$ann$BLCA,  
  seed.number = 51214  
)
```

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**estimate.expression.cna.correlation**  
*estimate.expression.cna.correlation*

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**Description**

Estimate subtype specific correlation between mRNA and CNA profiles

**Usage**

```
estimate.expression.cna.correlation(
  exp.data = NULL,
  cna.data.log2 = NULL,
  corr.threshold = 0.3,
  corr.direction = "two.sided",
  subtypes.metadata = NULL,
  feature.ids = NULL,
  cancer.type = NULL,
  data.dir = NULL,
  graphs.dir = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

|                                |  |
|--------------------------------|--|
| <code>exp.data</code>          | Feature by sample mRNA abundance matrix  |
| <code>cna.data.log2</code>     | Feature by sample CNA log ratio matrix   |
| <code>corr.threshold</code>    | Threshold for Spearman's Rho to consider a feature as candidate driver   |
| <code>corr.direction</code>    | Whether to include positively (greater), negatively (less) or both (two.sided) correlated features. Defaults to <code>two.sided</code>   |
| <code>subtypes.metadata</code> | Subtypes metadata list of lists. Must contain at least one subtype specific samples using list <code>subtype.samples.list</code> . If no subtypes are present, specify list element "All" with all samples |
| <code>feature.ids</code>       | Vector of features to be used to estimate correlation  |
| <code>cancer.type</code>       | Name of the cancer type or dataset   |
| <code>data.dir</code>          | Path to output directory where mRNA and CNA correlation statistics will be stored  |
| <code>graphs.dir</code>        | Path to graphs directory   |

**Value**

A list of lists containing correlated features per cancer subtype

**Author(s)**

Syed Haider

**Examples**

```
# load test data
x <- get.test.data(data.types = c("mRNA.T", "CNA"));

# temporary output directory
tmp.output.dir <- tempdir();
```

```
# estimate mRNA and CNA correlation
correlated.features <- estimate.expression.cna.correlation(
  exp.data = x$mRNA.T$BLCA,
  cna.data.log2 = x$CNA.log2$BLCA,
  corr.threshold = 0.3,
  corr.direction = "two.sided",
  subtypes.metadata = list(
    "subtype.samples.list" = list("All" = colnames(x$mRNA.T$BLCA))
  ),
  feature.ids = rownames(x$mRNA.T$BLCA),
  cancer.type = "BLCA",
  data.dir = paste(tmp.output.dir, "/data/BLCA/", sep = ""),
  graphs.dir = paste(tmp.output.dir, "/graphs/BLCA/", sep = "")
);
```

estimate.null.distribution.correlation  
*estimate.null.distribution.correlation*

## Description

Function to estimate probability of observing correlations as high as observed using a feature list of interest

## Usage

```
estimate.null.distribution.correlation(
  exp.data = NULL,
  cna.data.log2 = NULL,
  corr.threshold = 0.3,
  corr.direction = "two.sided",
  subtypes.metadata = NULL,
  feature.ids = NULL,
  observed.correlated.features = NULL,
  iterations = 50,
  cancer.type = NULL,
  data.dir = NULL
)
```

## Arguments

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| exp.data       | Feature by sample mRNA abundance matrix   |
| cna.data.log2  | Feature by sample CNA log ratio matrix  |
| corr.threshold | Threshold for Spearman's Rho to consider a feature as candidate driver  |
| corr.direction | Whether to include positively (greater), negatively (less) or both (two.sided) correlated features. Defaults to two.sided |

```

subtypes.metadata
  Subtypes metadata list. Contains at least subtype specific samples
feature.ids      Vector of features to be used to estimate correlation
observed.correlated.features
  List of features that were found to be correlated for subtypes of a given cancer
  type
iterations        Number of random permutations for estimating p value
cancer.type       Name of the cancer type or dataset
data.dir          Path to output directory where the randomisation results will be stored

```

### **Value**

1 if successful

### **Author(s)**

Syed Haider

### **See Also**

[estimate.expression.cna.correlation](#)

### **Examples**

```

# load test data
x <- get.test.data(data.types = c("mRNA.T", "CNA"));

# temporary output directory
tmp.output.dir <- tempdir();

# estimate mRNA and CNA correlation for each cancer/disease type
correlated.features <- estimate.expression.cna.correlation(
  exp.data = x$mRNA.T$BLCA,
  cna.data.log2 = x$CNA.log2$BLCA,
  corr.threshold = 0.3,
  corr.direction = "two.sided",
  subtypes.metadata = list(
    "subtype.samples.list" = list("All" = colnames(x$mRNA.T$BLCA))
  ),
  feature.ids = rownames(x$mRNA.T$BLCA),
  cancer.type = "BLCA",
  data.dir = paste(tmp.output.dir, "/data/BLCA/", sep = ""),
  graphs.dir = paste(tmp.output.dir, "/graphs/BLCA/", sep = "")
);

# estimate NULL distribution
estimate.null.distribution.correlation(
  exp.data = x$mRNA.T$BLCA,
  cna.data.log2 = x$CNA.log2$BLCA,
  corr.threshold = 0.3,

```

```
corr.direction = "two.sided",
subtypes.metadata = list(
  "subtype.samples.list" = list("All" = colnames(x$mRNA.T$BLCA))
),
feature.ids = rownames(x$mRNA.T$BLCA),
observed.correlated.features = correlated.features$correlated.genes.subtypes,
iterations = 50,
cancer.type = "BLCA",
data.dir = paste(tmp.output.dir, "/data/BLCA/", sep = ""))
);
```

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**find.DE.features**      *find.DE.features*

---

## Description

Funtion to identify differentially expressed/variable features between Tumour (T) and Normal (N) profiles

## Usage

```
find.DE.features(
  exp.data.T = NULL,
  exp.data.N = NULL,
  feature.ids = NULL,
  test.name = "t.test"
)
```

## Arguments

|                          |  |
|--------------------------|--|
| <code>exp.data.T</code>  | Feature by sample mRNA abundance matrix; tumour samples  |
| <code>exp.data.N</code>  | Feature by sample mRNA abundance matrix; normal/baseline samples   |
| <code>feature.ids</code> | Vector of features to be used to estimate correlation  |
| <code>test.name</code>   | Specify the statistical test name (exactly as it appears in R). Supported tests are <code>t.test</code> , <code>wilcox.test</code> , <code>var.test</code> |

## Value

Feature by cancer type matrix of log2 fold change (T vs N) and adjusted P values. P values are estimated through `test.name`

## Author(s)

Syed Haider

**See Also**

[t.test](#), [wilcox.test](#), [var.test](#)

**Examples**

```
# load test data
x <- get.test.data(data.types = c("mRNA.T", "mRNA.N"));

# list of features to be assessed for differential expression
feature.ids <- rownames(x$mRNA.T$BLCA);

DE.results <- find.DE.features(
  exp.data.T = x$mRNA.T,
  exp.data.N = x$mRNA.N,
  feature.ids = feature.ids,
  test.name = "t.test"
);
```

**get.program.defaults** *get.program.defaults*

**Description**

Get default datasets bundled with package for test runs

**Usage**

```
get.program.defaults()
```

**Value**

A list with `program.data.dir` containing path to example program directory and `test.data.dir` containing path to example datasets directory

**Author(s)**

Syed Haider

**Examples**

```
x <- get.program.defaults();
```

---

get.test.data      *get.test.data*

---

### Description

Function to load test data

### Usage

```
get.test.data(data.types = c("mRNA.T", "ann"))
```

### Arguments

data.types      Datatypes to be read Valid datatypes are: mRNA.T, mRNA.N, CNA (includes: log2, calls and fractions), annotations

### Value

List of lists containing datasets and respective molecular profiles as matrices

### Author(s)

Syed Haider

### Examples

```
x <- get.test.data(data.types = c("mRNA.T", "mRNA.N", "ann"));
```

---

get.top.features      *get.top.features*

---

### Description

Prioritise top features satisfying the criteria specified by various parameters described below

### Usage

```
get.top.features(  
  DE.features = NULL,  
  cna.data.fractions = NULL,  
  mRNA.FC.up = 0,  
  mRNA.FC.down = 0,  
  mRNA.p = 0.05,  
  mRNA.top.n = NULL,
```

```
cna.fractions.gain = 0.2,
cna.fractions.loss = 0.2
)
```

### Arguments

|                                 |  |
|---------------------------------|--|
| <code>DE.features</code>        | Matrix containing differentially expressed features with two columns: FC and P. P may contain adjusted P or raw                |
| <code>cna.data.fractions</code> | Feature by cancer type matrix with CNA fractions   |
| <code>mRNA.FC.up</code>         | Log2 fold change threshold for selecting over-expressed features   |
| <code>mRNA.FC.down</code>       | Log2 fold change threshold for selecting under-expressed features  |
| <code>mRNA.p</code>             | P value threshold for selecting significantly differentially expressed features. Mutually exclusive to <code>mRNA.top.n</code> |
| <code>mRNA.top.n</code>         | Top n differentially expressed features satisfying each of the fold change criteria. Mutually exclusive to <code>mRNA.p</code> |
| <code>cna.fractions.gain</code> | Threshold for selecting copy number gain/amplifications  |
| <code>cna.fractions.loss</code> | Threshold for selecting copy number losses   |

### Value

Vector of top features

### Author(s)

Syed Haider

### Examples

```
# load test data
x <- get.test.data(data.types = c("mRNA.T", "mRNA.N", "CNA"));

# list of features to be assessed for differential expression
feature.ids <- rownames(x$mRNA.T$BLCA);

# get differentially expressed features
DE.results <- find.DE.features(
  exp.data.T = x$mRNA.T,
  exp.data.N = x$mRNA.N,
  feature.ids = feature.ids,
  test.name = "t.test"
);

# get top features
top.features <- get.top.features(
  DE.features = cbind("FC" = DE.results[, 1], "P" = DE.results[, 2]),
  cna.fractions.gain = 0.2,
  cna.fractions.loss = 0.2
)
```

```
cna.data.fractions = x$CNA.fractions$BLCA,
mRNA.FC.up = 0.25,
mRNA.FC.down = 0.25,
mRNA.p = 0.05,
mRNA.top.n = NULL,
cna.fractions.gain = 0.2,
cna.fractions.loss = 0.2
);
```

load.datasets

*load.datasets***Description**

Function to load and systemise molecular datasets

**Usage**

```
load.datasets(
  data.dir = "./",
  metadata = NULL,
  data.types = c("mRNA.T", "ann")
)
```

**Arguments**

|                         |  |
|-------------------------|--|
| <code>data.dir</code>   | Path to base data directory or directory containing molecular profiles   |
| <code>metadata</code>   | Dataset by profile metadata matrix containing file names of the molecular profiles for different datasets        |
| <code>data.types</code> | Datatypes to be read Valid datatypes are: mRNA.T, mRNA.N, CNA (includes: log2, calls and fractions), annotations |

**Value**

List of lists containing datasets and respective molecular profiles as matrices

**Author(s)**

Syed Haider

**Examples**

```
# locate test data directory which comes with the package
data.dir <- paste(system.file("programdata/testdata/", package = "iDOS"), "/", sep = "");

# read meta data file
```

```
metadata <- read.table(  
  file = paste(data.dir, "metadata.txt", sep = ""),  
  row.names = 1,  
  header = TRUE,  
  sep = "\t",  
  stringsAsFactors = FALSE  
);  
  
x <- load.datasets(  
  data.dir = data.dir,  
  metadata = metadata,  
  data.types = c("mRNA.T", "mRNA.N", "ann")  
);
```

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