

Package ‘DTSEA’

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Description It is a novel tool used to identify the candidate drugs against a particular disease based on a drug target set enrichment analysis. It assumes the most effective drugs are those with a closer affinity in the protein-protein interaction network to the specified disease. (See Gómez-Carballa et al. (2022) <[doi:10.1016/j.envres.2022.112890](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.envres.2022.112890)> and Feng et al. (2022) <[doi:10.7150/ijms.67815](https://doi.org/10.7150/ijms.67815)> for disease expression profiles; see Wishart et al. (2018) <[doi:10.1093/nar/gkx1037](https://doi.org/10.1093/nar/gkx1037)> and Gaulton et al. (2017) <[doi:10.1093/nar/gkw1074](https://doi.org/10.1093/nar/gkw1074)> for drug target information; see Kanehisa et al. (2021) <[doi:10.1093/nar/gkaa970](https://doi.org/10.1093/nar/gkaa970)> for the details of KEGG database.)

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DTSEA-package	<i>The Drug target set enrichment analysis (DTSEA)</i>
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Description

The DTSEA implements a novel application to GSEA and extends the adoption of GSEA.

Details

DTSEA

calculate_between	<i>Calculate between variance in network</i>
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Description

No description

Usage

calculate_between(graph, set_a, set_b)

Arguments

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|-------|---|
| graph | The input graph object. It should be either an igraph object or an edge list matrix/data frame. |
| set_a | The first gene set |
| set_b | The second gene set |

Value

a positive number

calculate_p0	<i>Function to calculate the p0 vector used in Random Walk with Restart (RwR)</i>
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Description

The function provides a reliable approach to generating a p0 vector.

Usage

```
calculate_p0(nodes, disease)
```

Arguments

nodes	The 'nodes' variable can either accept the igraph object or the nodes vector.
disease	The 'disease' variable must specify the disease-affected nodes in a short vector.

Value

The resulting p0 vector.

Examples

```
library(DTSEA)
library(dplyr)

# Load the data
data("example_disease_list", package = "DTSEA")
data("example_drug_target_list", package = "DTSEA")
data("example_ppi", package = "DTSEA")

# Compute the p0 vector
p0 <- calculate_p0(nodes = example_ppi, disease = example_disease_list)

# You can decrease the order of the p0 to get the most affected nodes.
p0 <- sort(p0, decreasing = TRUE) %>%
  names() %>%
  head(10)
```

calculate_within	<i>Calculate within variance</i>
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Description

No description

Usage

```
calculate_within(graph, given_set)
```

Arguments

graph	The input graph object. It should be either an igraph object or an edge list matrix / data frame.
given_set	The first gene set

Value

a positive number

cronbach.alpha	<i>Cronbach's alpha</i>
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Description

Computes Cronbach's alpha

Usage

```
cronbach.alpha(data)
```

Arguments

data	A data frame or matrix contains n subjects * m raters.
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Value

The Cronbach's alpha (unstandardized)

Examples

```
library(DTSEA)
library(tibble)

# Load the data
data <- tribble(~x, ~y, ~z, 1, 1, 2, 5, 6, 5, 7, 8, 4, 2, 3, 2, 8, 6, 5)

# Run Cronbach's alpha
cat(cronbach.alpha(data))
```

DTSEA

*Main function of drug target set enrichment analysis (DTSEA)***Description**

The DTSEA function determines whether a drug is potent for a specific disease by the proximity between its targets and the disease-related genes.

Usage

```
DTSEA(
  network,
  disease,
  drugs,
  rwr.pt = 0,
  sampleSize = 101,
  minSize = 1,
  maxSize = Inf,
  eps = 1e-50,
  nPermSimple = 5000,
  gseaParam = 1,
  verbose = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

network	The human protein-protein interactome network. It should be or be preconverted before being inputted in DTSEA.
disease	The disease-related nodes.
drugs	The drug-target long format dataframe. It includes at least columns with the drug_id and drug_target.
rwr.pt	The random walk p0 vector. Set it to 0 if you wish DTSEA automatically compute it, or you can provide your predetermined p0 vector.
sampleSize	The size of a randomly selected gene collection, where size = pathwaySize
minSize	Minimal set of a drug set to be tested.
maxSize	Maximal set of a drug set to be tested.
eps	The boundary of calculating the p value.
nPermSimple	Number of permutations in the simple fgsea implementation for preliminary estimation of P-values.
gseaParam	GSEA parameter value, all gene-level statistics are raised to the power of 'gsea-Param' before calculating of GSEA enrichment scores.
verbose	Show the messages

Value

The resulting dataframe consists of 'drug_id', 'pval', 'padj', 'log2err', 'ES', 'NES', 'size', and 'leadingEdge'.

Examples

```
library(dplyr)
library(DTSEA)

# Load the data
data("example_disease_list", package = "DTSEA")
data("example_drug_target_list", package = "DTSEA")
data("example_ppi", package = "DTSEA")

# Run the DTSEA and sort the result dataframe by normalized enrichment scores
# (NES)
result <- DTSEA(
  network = example_ppi,
  disease = example_disease_list,
  drugs = example_drug_target_list
) %>%
  arrange(desc(NES))

# We can extract the significantly NES > 0 drug items.
result %>%
  filter(NES > 0 & pval < .05)
# Or we can draw the enrichment plot of the first predicted drug.
fgsea::plotEnrichment(
  pathway = example_drug_target_list %>%
    filter(drug_id == slice(result, 1)$drug_id) %>%
    pull(gene_target),
  stats = random.walk(network = example_ppi,
    p0 = calculate_p0(nodes = example_ppi,
      disease = example_disease_list)
  )
)
```

example_disease_list *An example vector of disease nodes*

Description

The list was integrated the significantly differentially expressed genes (DEGs) of GEO dataset GSE183071 and the work from Feng, Song, Guo, and et al.

Usage

```
example_disease_list
```

Format

An object of class character of length 63.

References

Gómez-Carballa A, Rivero-Calle I, Pardo-Seco J, Gómez-Rial J, Rivero-Velasco C, Rodríguez-Núñez N, Barbeito-Castiñeiras G, Pérez-Freixo H, Cebey-López M, Barral-Arca R, Rodríguez-Tenreiro C, Dacosta-Urbieto A, Bello X, Pischedda S, Currás-Tuala MJ, Viz-Lasheras S, Martín-Torres F, Salas A; GEN-COVID study group. A multi-tissue study of immune gene expression profiling highlights the key role of the nasal epithelium in COVID-19 severity. *Environ Res.* 2022 Jul;210:112890. doi: 10.1016/j.envres.2022.112890. Epub 2022 Feb 22. PMID: 35202626; PMCID: PMC8861187.

Feng S, Song F, Guo W, Tan J, Zhang X, Qiao F, Guo J, Zhang L, Jia X. Potential Genes Associated with COVID-19 and Comorbidity. *Int J Med Sci.* 2022 Jan 24;19(2):402-415. doi: 10.7150/ijms.67815. PMID: 35165525; PMCID: PMC8795808.

Examples

```
library(DTSEA)

data("example_disease_list", package = "DTSEA")
```

```
example_drug_target_list
```

An example data frame of drug target lists

Description

Drug-target interactions were downloaded and integrated from DrugBank and ChEMBL.

Usage

```
example_drug_target_list
```

Format

A data frame with 970 rows and 3 variables: - drug_id: the DrugBank ID - drug_name: the name of each drug - gene_target: the targets of drugs

References

Wishart DS, Feunang YD, Guo AC, Lo EJ, Marcu A, Grant JR, Sajed T, Johnson D, Li C, Sayeeda Z, Assempour N, Iynkkaran I, Liu Y, Maciejewski A, Gale N, Wilson A, Chin L, Cummings R, Le D, Pon A, Knox C, Wilson M. DrugBank 5.0: a major update to the DrugBank database for 2018. *Nucleic Acids Res.* 2018 Jan 4;46(D1):D1074-D1082. doi: 10.1093/nar/gkx1037. PMID: 29126136; PMCID: PMC5753335.

Gaulton A, Hersey A, Nowotka M, Bento AP, Chambers J, Mendez D, Mutowo P, Atkinson F, Bellis LJ, Cibrián-Uhalte E, Davies M, Dedman N, Karlsson A, Magariños MP, Overington JP, Papadatos G, Smit I, Leach AR. The ChEMBL database in 2017. *Nucleic Acids Res.* 2017 Jan 4;45(D1):D945-D954. doi: 10.1093/nar/gkw1074. Epub 2016 Nov 28. PMID: 27899562; PMCID: PMC5210557.

Examples

```
library(DTSEA)
data("example_drug_target_list", package = "DTSEA")
```

example_ppi

An example human protein-protein interactome graph object

Description

We extracted the protein-protein interactions from multiple biological pathways with experimental evidence and then integrated them from three different databases.

Usage

```
example_ppi
```

Format

An igraph object

References

Kanehisa M, Furumichi M, Sato Y, Ishiguro-Watanabe M, Tanabe M. KEGG: integrating viruses and cellular organisms. Nucleic Acids Res. 2021 Jan 8;49 (D1):D545-D551. doi: 10.1093/nar/gkaa970. PMID: 33125081; PMCID: PMC7779016.

Examples

```
library(DTSEA)
data("example_ppi", package = "DTSEA")
```

kendall.w

Kendall's coefficient of concordance W

Description

Computes the Kendall's coefficient of concordance.

Usage

```
kendall.w(raw, correct = TRUE)
```

Arguments

raw	A data frame or matrix contains n subjects * m raters.
correct	Logical. Indicates whether the W should be corrected for ties within raters.

Value

The resulting list consists of 'title', 'kendall.w', 'chisq', 'df', 'pval', 'report'.

Examples

```
library(DTSEA)
library(tibble)

# Load the data
data <- tribble(~x, ~y, ~z, 1,1,2, 5,6,5, 7,8,4, 2,3,2, 8,6,5)

# Run Kendall's W
print(kendall.w(data)$report)
```

random.walk	<i>Function to implement Random Walk with Restart (RwR) algorithm on the input graph</i>
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Description

Function ‘random.walk’ is supposed to implement the original Random Walk with Restart (RwR) on the input graph. If the seeds (i.e., a set of starting nodes) are given, it intends to calculate the affinity score of all nodes in the graph to the seeds.

Usage

```
random.walk(
  network,
  p0,
  edge_weight = FALSE,
  gamma = 0.7,
  threshold = 1e-10,
  pt.post.processing = "log",
  pt.align = "median",
  verbose = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

network	The input graph object. It should be either an igraph object or an edge list matrix / data frame.
p0	The starting vector on time 0.
edge_weight	Logical to indicate whether the input graph contains weight information.
gamma	The restart probability used for RwR. The ‘gamma’ takes the value from 0 to 1, controlling the probability that a node would go back to its starting node.
threshold	The threshold used for RwR. The ‘threshold’ indicates the stabilization status, which is a stopping criterion of RwR.
pt.post.processing	The way to scale the ‘pt’ vector. It can be ‘none’, ‘zscore’, and ‘log’.
pt.align	The way to normalize the output ‘pt’ vector. It can be ‘mean’ to manually cut the up- and down-regulated genes, ‘median’ to avoid the influence of the distribution shape, or ‘none’ for no normalization.
verbose	Show the progress of the calculation.

Value

‘pt’ vector

Examples

```
library(DTSEA)

# Load the data
data("example_disease_list", package = "DTSEA")
data("example_drug_target_list", package = "DTSEA")
data("example_ppi", package = "DTSEA")

# Perform random walk
p0 <- calculate_p0(nodes = example_ppi, disease = example_disease_list)
pt <- random.walk(network = example_ppi, p0 = p0)

# Perform GSEA analysis
# ....
```

random_graph

A random graph for the computation of the separation measure

Description

The random graph was retrieved from Menche et al (2015).

Usage

```
random_graph
```

Format

An igraph object

References

Menche J, Sharma A, Kitsak M, Ghiassian SD, Vidal M, Loscalzo J, Barabási AL. Disease networks. Uncovering disease-disease relationships through the incomplete interactome. *Science*. 2015 Feb 20;347(6224):1257601. doi: 10.1126/science.1257601. PMID: 25700523; PMCID: PMC4435741.

Examples

```
library(DTSEA)
data("random_graph", package = "DTSEA")
```

separation*A measure of network separation*

Description

Calculates the separation of two sets of nodes on a network. The metric is calculated as in Menche et al. (2015).

Usage

```
separation(graph, set_a, set_b)
```

Arguments

graph	The input graph object. It should be either an igraph object or an edge list matrix/data frame.
set_a	The first gene set
set_b	The second gene set

Value

The separation and distance measurement of the specified two modules.

Examples

```
library(DTSEA)

# Load the data
data("random_graph", package = "DTSEA")

# Compute the separation metric
separation <- separation(
  graph = random_graph,
  set_a = c("4", "6", "8", "13"),
  set_b = c("8", "9", "10", "15", "18")
)
cat(separation, "\n")
```

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