

# Package ‘bigPint’

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bigPint

bigPint *package*

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### Description

bigPint R API

### Details

See the README on [GitHub](#)

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|--------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| plotClusters | <i>Plot static parallel coordinate clusters</i> |
|--------------|-------------------------------------------------|

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### Description

Perform hierarchical clustering analysis and visualize results with parallel coordinate plots. Optionally, save gene IDs within each cluster to .rds files for later use.

### Usage

```
plotClusters(
  data,
  dataMetrics = NULL,
  geneList = NULL,
  geneLists = NULL,
  threshVar = "FDR",
  threshVal = 0.05,
  clusterAllData = TRUE,
  nC = 4,
  colList = rainbow(nC),
  aggMethod = c("ward.D", "ward.D2", "single", "complete", "average", "mcquitty",
    "median", "centroid"),
  yAxisLabel = "Count",
  xAxisLabel = "Sample",
  lineSize = 0.1,
  lineAlpha = 0.5,
  vxAxis = FALSE,
  outDir = tempdir(),
  saveFile = TRUE,
  verbose = FALSE
)
```

### Arguments

|             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
|-------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| data        | DATA FRAME   Read counts                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| dataMetrics | LIST   Differential expression metrics; default NULL                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| geneList    | CHARACTER ARRAY   Array of ID values of genes to be drawn from data as parallel coordinate lines. Use this parameter if you have predetermined genes to be drawn. These genes will be clustered. Otherwise, use dataMetrics, threshVar, and threshVal to create clusters to be overlaid as parallel coordinate lines; default NULL. See package website for examples                                                                                                                             |
| geneLists   | LIST   List of ID values of genes already clustered to be #' drawn from data as parallel coordinate lines. Each list item is an array of genes ID values that are already grouped as a cluster. Unlike the singular geneList object, the plural geneLists object is not be clustered. If you instead wish to cluster genes, use dataMetrics, threshVar, and threshVal or geneList to create clusters to be overlaid as parallel coordinate lines; default NULL. See package website for examples |
| threshVar   | CHARACTER STRING   Name of column in dataMetrics object that is used to threshold significance; default "FDR"                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |

|                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
|----------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| threshVal      | INTEGER   Maximum value to threshold significance from threshVar object; default 0.05                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| clusterAllData | BOOLEAN [TRUE   FALSE]   Create clusters based on the whole dataset and then assign significant genes to those clusters; default is TRUE. If FALSE, create clusters based on just the significant genes. With either option, the side-by-side boxplot will represent the whole dataset (from data input) and the parallel coordinate lines will represent only the significant genes (those that pass threshVal for threshVar) |
| nC             | INTEGER   Number of clusters; default 4                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| collist        | CHARACTER ARRAY   List of colors for each cluster; default is rainbow(nC)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| aggMethod      | CHARACTER STRING ["ward.D"   "ward.D2"   "single"   "complete"   "average"   "mcquitty"   "median"   "centroid"]   The agglomeration method to be used in the hierarchical clustering; default "ward.D"                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| yAxisLabel     | CHARACTER STRING   Vertical axis label; default "Count"                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| xAxisLabel     | CHARACTER STRING   Horizontal axis label; default "Sample"                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| lineSize       | INTEGER   Size of plotted parallel coordinate lines; default 0.1                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| lineAlpha      | INTEGER   Alpha value of plotted parallel coordinate lines, default 0.5                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| vxAxis         | BOOLEAN [TRUE   FALSE]   Flip x-axis text labels to vertical orientation; default FALSE                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| outDir         | CHARACTER STRING   Output directory to save all images; default tempdir()                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| saveFile       | BOOLEAN [TRUE   FALSE]   Save file to outDir; default TRUE                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| verbose        | BOOLEAN [TRUE   FALSE]   Print each cluster from each cluster size into separate files and print the associated IDs of each cluster from each cluster size into separate .rds files; default is FALSE                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |

### Value

List of  $n$  elements each containing a grid of parallel coordinate plots, where  $n$  is the number of treatment pair combinations in the data object. If the saveFile parameter has a value of TRUE, then each grid of parallel coordinate plots is saved to the location specified in the outDir parameter as a JPG file. If the verbose parameter has a value of TRUE, then a JPG file for each parallel coordinate plot in each grid, RDS file containing the superimposed IDs for each parallel coordinate plot in each grid, and the JPG file of each grid of parallel coordinate plots is saved to the location specified in the outDir parameter.

### See Also

[hclust](https://lindsayrutter.github.io/bigPint/articles/clusters.html) <https://lindsayrutter.github.io/bigPint/articles/clusters.html>

### Examples

```
# Example 1: Perform hierarchical clustering of size four using the
# default agglomeration method "ward.D". Cluster only on the genes that have
# FDR < 1e-7 (n = 113) and overlay these genes.

library(grid)
library(matrixStats)
library(ggplot2)
data(soybean_ir_sub)
soybean_ir_sub[,-1] <- log(soybean_ir_sub[-1]+1)
```

```

data(soybean_ir_sub_metrics)
colList = c("#00A600FF", rainbow(5)[c(1,4,5)])
ret <- plotClusters(data=soybean_ir_sub,
  dataMetrics = soybean_ir_sub_metrics, nC=4, colList = colList,
  clusterAllData = FALSE, threshVal = 1e-7, saveFile = FALSE)
grid.draw(ret[["N_P_4"]])

# Example 2: Perform the same analysis, only now create the four groups by
# clustering on all genes in the data (n = 5,604). Then, overlay the genes
# that have FDR < 1e-7 (n = 113) into their corresponding clusters.

ret <- plotClusters(data=soybean_ir_sub,
  dataMetrics = soybean_ir_sub_metrics, nC=4, colList = colList,
  clusterAllData = TRUE, threshVal = 1e-7, saveFile = FALSE)
grid.draw(ret[["N_P_4"]])

# Example 3: Perform the same analysis, only now overlay all genes in the
# data by keeping the dataMetrics object as its default value of NULL.

ret <- plotClusters(data=soybean_ir_sub, nC=4, colList = colList,
  clusterAllData = TRUE, saveFile = FALSE)
grid.draw(ret[["N_P_4"]])

# Example 4: Visualization of gene clusters is usually performed on
# standardized data. Here, hierarchical clustering of size four is performed
# using the agglomeration method "average" on standardized data. Only genes
# with FDR < 0.05 are used for the clustering. Only two of the three
# pairwise combinations of treatment groups (S1 and S2; S1 and S3) have any
# genes with FDR < 0.05. The output plots for these two pairs are examined.

data(soybean_cn_sub)
data(soybean_cn_sub_metrics)
soybean_cn_sub_st <- as.data.frame(t(apply(as.matrix(soybean_cn_sub[, -1]),
  1, scale)))
soybean_cn_sub_st$ID <- as.character(soybean_cn_sub$ID)
soybean_cn_sub_st <- soybean_cn_sub_st[, c(length(soybean_cn_sub_st),
  1:length(soybean_cn_sub_st)-1)]
colnames(soybean_cn_sub_st) <- colnames(soybean_cn_sub)
nID <- which(is.nan(soybean_cn_sub_st[, 2]))
soybean_cn_sub_st[nID, 2:length(soybean_cn_sub_st)] <- 0
ret <- plotClusters(data=soybean_cn_sub_st,
  dataMetrics = soybean_cn_sub_metrics, nC=4,
  colList = c("#00A600FF", "#CC00FFFF", "red", "darkorange"),
  lineSize = 0.5, lineAlpha = 1, clusterAllData = FALSE,
  aggMethod = "average", yAxisLabel = "Standardized read count",
  saveFile = FALSE)
names(ret)
grid.draw(ret[["S1_S2_4"]])
grid.draw(ret[["S1_S3_4"]])

# Example 5: Run the same analysis, only now set the verbose parameter to
# value TRUE. This will save images of each individual cluster, .rds files
# that contain the IDs within each cluster, and images of the conglomerate
# clusters to outDir (default tempdir()).

## Not run:
plotClusters(data=soybean_cn_sub_st, dataMetrics = soybean_cn_sub_metrics,

```

```
nC=4, colList = c("#00A600FF", "#CC00FFFF", "red", "darkorange"),
lineSize = 0.5, lineAlpha = 1, clusterAllData = FALSE,
aggMethod = "average", yAxisLabel = "Standardized read count",
verbose = TRUE)
```

```
## End(Not run)
```

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plotLitre

*Plot static litre plots*


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## Description

Plot static litre plots.

## Usage

```
plotLitre(
  data = data,
  dataMetrics = NULL,
  geneList = NULL,
  threshVar = "FDR",
  threshVal = 0.05,
  option = c("hexagon", "allPoints"),
  pointSize = 2,
  pointColor = "orange",
  xbins = 10,
  outDir = tempdir(),
  saveFile = TRUE
)
```

## Arguments

|             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
|-------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| data        | DATA FRAME   Read counts                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| dataMetrics | LIST   Differential expression metrics; default NULL                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| geneList    | CHARACTER ARRAY   List of ID values of genes to be drawn from data as litre plots. Use this parameter if you have predetermined genes to be drawn. Otherwise, use dataMetrics, threshVar, and threshVal to create genes to be drawn; default NULL |
| threshVar   | CHARACTER STRING   Name of column in dataMetrics object that is used to threshold significance; default "FDR"                                                                                                                                     |
| threshVal   | INTEGER   Maximum value to threshold significance from threshVar object; default 0.05                                                                                                                                                             |
| option      | CHARACTER STRING ["hexagon"   "allPoints"]   The background of plot; default "hexagon"                                                                                                                                                            |
| pointSize   | INTEGER   Size of plotted points; default 2                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| pointColor  | CHARACTER STRING   Color of gene superimposed on litre plot; default "orange"                                                                                                                                                                     |
| xbins       | INTEGER   Number of bins partitioning the range of the plot; default 10                                                                                                                                                                           |
| outDir      | CHARACTER STRING   Output directory to save all plots; default tempdir()                                                                                                                                                                          |
| saveFile    | BOOLEAN [TRUE   FALSE]   Save file to outDir; default TRUE                                                                                                                                                                                        |

**Value**

List of n elements of litre plots, where n is the number of genes determined to be superimposed through the dataMetrics or geneList parameter. If the saveFile parameter has a value of TRUE, then each of these litre plots is saved to the location specified in the outDir parameter as a JPG file.

**Examples**

```
# Example 1: Create litre plots for each of the 61 genes with FDR < 1e-10.
# Examine the first plot (gene "N_P_Glyma.19G168700.Wm82.a2.v1")

data(soybean_ir_sub)
soybean_ir_sub[,-1] <- log(soybean_ir_sub[,-1]+1)
data(soybean_ir_sub_metrics)
ret <- plotLitre(data = soybean_ir_sub,
  dataMetrics = soybean_ir_sub_metrics, threshVal = 1e-10,
  saveFile = FALSE)
length(ret)
names(ret)[1]
ret[[1]]

# Example 2: Create litre plots for each of the five most significant genes
# (low FDR values). View plot for gene "N_P_Glyma.19G168700.Wm82.a2.v1".

geneList = soybean_ir_sub_metrics[["N_P"]][1:5,]$ID
ret <- plotLitre(data = soybean_ir_sub, geneList = geneList,
  pointColor = "deeppink")
names(ret)
ret[["N_P_Glyma.19G168700.Wm82.a2.v1"]]

# Example 3: Create one litre plot for each of the five most significant
# genes (low FDR values). View the plot for gene
# "N_P_Glyma.19G168700.Wm82.a2.v1". Use points instead of the default
# hexagons as the background.

ret <- plotLitre(data = soybean_ir_sub, geneList = geneList,
  pointColor = "deeppink", option = "allPoints")
names(ret)
ret[["N_P_Glyma.19G168700.Wm82.a2.v1"]]
```

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plotLitreApp

*Plot interactive litre plots*


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**Description**

Plot interactive litre plots.

**Usage**

```
plotLitreApp(
  data = data,
  dataMetrics = dataMetrics,
  geneList = NULL,
```

```

    pointColor = "orange",
    option = c("hexagon", "allPoints")
  )

```

### Arguments

|             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|-------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| data        | DATA FRAME   Read counts                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| dataMetrics | LIST   Differential expression metrics (required)                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| geneList    | CHARACTER ARRAY   List of gene IDs to be drawn onto the litre. Use this parameter if you have predetermined subset of genes to be drawn. Otherwise, all genes in the data object can be superimposed on the litre plot; default NULL |
| pointColor  | CHARACTER STRING   Color of overlaid points on scatterplot matrix; default "orange"                                                                                                                                                  |
| option      | CHARACTER STRING ["hexagon"   "allPoints"]   The background of plot; default "hexagon"; "allPoints" may be too slow depending on data                                                                                                |

### Value

A Shiny application that shows a litre plot background and allows users to superimpose the subset of genes determined to be superimposed through the dataMetrics or geneList parameter. The application allows users to order how to sequentially superimpose the genes by columns in the dataMetrics parameter.

### Examples

```

# Example 1: Create an interactive litre plot for the logged data using
# default background of hexagons.

data(soybean_ir_sub)
data(soybean_ir_sub_metrics)
soybean_ir_sub_log <- soybean_ir_sub
soybean_ir_sub_log[,-1] <- log(soybean_ir_sub[,-1]+1)
app <- plotLitreApp(data = soybean_ir_sub_log,
  dataMetrics = soybean_ir_sub_metrics)
if (interactive()) {
  shiny::runApp(app, port = 1234, launch.browser = TRUE)
}

# Example 2: Repeat the same process, only now plot background data as
# individual points. Note this may be too slow now that all points are drawn
# in the background.

app <- plotLitreApp(data = soybean_ir_sub_log,
  dataMetrics = soybean_ir_sub_metrics, option = "allPoints",
  pointColor = "red")
if (interactive()) {
  shiny::runApp(app)
}

```



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plotPCP

*Plot static parallel coordinate plots*


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### Description

Plot static parallel coordinate plots onto side-by-side boxplot of whole dataset.

### Usage

```
plotPCP(
  data,
  dataMetrics = NULL,
  geneList = NULL,
  threshVar = "FDR",
  threshVal = 0.05,
  lineSize = 0.1,
  lineColor = "orange",
  vxAxis = FALSE,
  outDir = tempdir(),
  saveFile = TRUE,
  hover = FALSE
)
```

### Arguments

|             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
|-------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| data        | DATA FRAME   Read counts                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| dataMetrics | LIST   Differential expression metrics; If both geneList and dataMetrics are NULL, then no genes will be overlaid onto the side-by-side boxplot; default NULL                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| geneList    | CHARACTER ARRAY   List of gene IDs to be drawn onto the scatterplot matrix of all data. If this parameter is defined, these will be the overlaid genes to be drawn. After that, dataMetrics, threshVar, and threshVal will be considered for overlaid genes. If both geneList and dataMetrics are NULL, then no genes will be overlaid onto the side-by-side boxplot; default NULL |
| threshVar   | CHARACTER STRING   Name of column in dataMetrics object that is used to threshold significance; default "FDR"                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| threshVal   | INTEGER   Maximum value to threshold significance from threshVar object; default 0.05                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| lineSize    | INTEGER   Line width of parallel coordinate lines; default 0.1                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| lineColor   | CHARACTER STRING   Color of parallel coordinate lines; default "orange"                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| vxAxis      | BOOLEAN [TRUE   FALSE]   Flip x-axis text labels to vertical orientation; default FALSE                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| outDir      | CHARACTER STRING   Output directory to save all plots; default tempdir()                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| saveFile    | BOOLEAN [TRUE   FALSE]   Save file to outDir; default TRUE                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| hover       | BOOLEAN [TRUE   FALSE]   Allow to hover over points to identify IDs; default FALSE                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |

**Value**

List of  $n$  elements of parallel coordinate plots, where  $n$  is the number of treatment pair combinations in the data object. The background of each plot is a side-by-side boxplot of the full data object, and the parallel coordinate lines on each plot are the subset of genes determined to be superimposed through the `dataMetrics` or `geneList` parameter. If the `saveFile` parameter has a value of `TRUE`, then each parallel coordinate plot is saved to the location specified in the `outDir` parameter as a JPG file.

**Examples**

```
# Example 1: Plot the side-by-side boxplots of the whole dataset without
# overlaying any metrics data by keeping the dataMetrics parameter its
# default value of NULL.

data(soybean_ir_sub)
soybean_ir_sub[,-1] = log(soybean_ir_sub[,-1] + 1)
ret <- plotPCP(data = soybean_ir_sub, saveFile = FALSE)
ret[[1]]

# Example 2: Overlay genes with FDR < 1e-4 as orange parallel coordinate
# lines.

data(soybean_ir_sub_metrics)
ret <- plotPCP(data = soybean_ir_sub, dataMetrics = soybean_ir_sub_metrics,
  threshVal = 1e-4, saveFile = FALSE)
ret[[1]]

# Example 3: Overlay the ten most significant genes (lowest FDR values) as
# blue parallel coordinate lines.

geneList = soybean_ir_sub_metrics[["N_P"]][1:10,]$ID
ret <- plotPCP(data = soybean_ir_sub, geneList = geneList, lineSize = 0.3,
  lineColor = "blue", saveFile = FALSE)
ret[[1]]

# Example 4: Repeat this same procedure, only now set the hover parameter to
# TRUE to allow us to hover over blue parallel coordinate lines and
# determine their individual IDs.

ret <- plotPCP(data = soybean_ir_sub, geneList = geneList, lineSize = 0.3,
  lineColor = "blue", saveFile = FALSE, hover = TRUE)
ret[[1]]
```

---

plotPCPApp

*Plot interactive parallel coordinate plots*


---

**Description**

Plot interactive parallel coordinate plots.

**Usage**

```
plotPCPApp(data = data, pointColor = "orange")
```

**Arguments**

|            |                                                                                     |
|------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| data       | DATA FRAME   Read counts for parallel coordinate lines                              |
| pointColor | CHARACTER STRING   Color of overlaid points on scatterplot matrix; default "orange" |

**Value**

A Shiny application that shows a parallel coordinate plot and allows users to draw rectangular areas across samples and remove genes that are not inside these areas. The user can download a file that contains the gene IDs that remain.

**Examples**

```
# Example: Create interactive parallel coordinate plot for genes that have
# FDR < 0.01 and logFC < -4. Standardize genes to have an average of zero
# and a standard deviation of one.

data(soybean_ir_sub)
data(soybean_ir_sub_metrics)

# Create standardized version of data
library(matrixStats)
soybean_ir_sub_st = as.data.frame(t(apply(as.matrix(soybean_ir_sub[,-1]), 1,
  scale)))
soybean_ir_sub_st$ID = as.character(soybean_ir_sub$ID)
soybean_ir_sub_st = soybean_ir_sub_st[,c(length(soybean_ir_sub_st),
  1:length(soybean_ir_sub_st)-1)]
colnames(soybean_ir_sub_st) = colnames(soybean_ir_sub)
nID = which(is.nan(soybean_ir_sub_st[,2]))
soybean_ir_sub_st[nID,2:length(soybean_ir_sub_st)] = 0

library(dplyr, warn.conflicts = FALSE)
plotGenes = filter(soybean_ir_sub_metrics[["N_P"]], FDR < 0.01,
  logFC < -4) %>% select(ID)
pcpDat = filter(soybean_ir_sub_st, ID %in% plotGenes[,1])

app <- plotPCApp(data = pcpDat, pointColor = "purple")
if (interactive()) {
  shiny::runApp(app, display.mode = "normal")
}
```

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plotSM

*Plot static scatterplot matrices*


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**Description**

Plot static scatterplot matrix. Optionally, superimpose differentially expressed genes (DEGs) onto scatterplot matrix.

**Usage**

```

plotSM(
  data = data,
  dataMetrics = NULL,
  geneList = NULL,
  threshVar = "FDR",
  threshVal = 0.05,
  option = c("allPoints", "foldChange", "orthogonal", "hexagon"),
  xbins = 10,
  threshFC = 3,
  threshOrth = 3,
  pointSize = 0.5,
  pointColor = "orange",
  outDir = tempdir(),
  saveFile = TRUE
)

```

**Arguments**

|             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
|-------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| data        | DATA FRAME   Read counts                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| dataMetrics | LIST   Differential expression metrics; default NULL                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| geneList    | CHARACTER ARRAY   List of gene IDs to be drawn onto the scatterplot matrix of all data. Use this parameter if you have predetermined genes to be drawn. Otherwise, use dataMetrics, threshVar, and threshVal to create genes to be drawn onto the scatterplot matrix; default NULL; used in "hexagon" and "allPoints" |
| threshVar   | CHARACTER STRING   Name of column in dataMetrics object that is used to threshold significance; default "FDR"; used in all options                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| threshVal   | INTEGER   Maximum value to threshold significance from threshVar object; default 0.05; used in all options                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| option      | CHARACTER STRING ["foldChange"   "orthogonal"   "hexagon"   "allPoints"]   The type of plot; default "allPoints"                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| xbins       | INTEGER   Number of bins partitioning the range of the plot; default 10; used in option "hexagon"                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| threshFC    | INTEGER   Threshold of fold change; default 3; used in option "foldChange"                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| threshOrth  | INTEGER   Threshold of orthogonal distance; default 3; used in option "orthogonal"                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| pointSize   | INTEGER   Size of plotted points; default 0.5; used for DEGs in "hexagon" and "allPoints" and used for all points in "foldChange" and "orthogonal"                                                                                                                                                                    |
| pointColor  | CHARACTER STRING   Color of overlaid points on scatterplot matrix; default "orange"; used for DEGs in "hexagon" and "allPoints" and used for all points in "foldChange" and "orthogonal"                                                                                                                              |
| outDir      | CHARACTER STRING   Output directory to save all plots; default tempdir(); used in all options                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| saveFile    | BOOLEAN [TRUE   FALSE]   Save file to outDir; default TRUE; used in all options                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |

## Details

There are seven options:

- "foldChange": Plots DEGs onto scatterplot matrix of fold changes
- "orthogonal": Plots DEGs onto scatterplot matrix of orthogonal distance
- "hexagon": Plot DEGs onto scatterplot matrix of hexagon binning
- "allPoints": Plot DEGs onto scatterplot matrix of all data points

## Value

List of  $n$  elements of scatterplot matrices, where  $n$  is the number of treatment pair combinations in the data object. The subset of genes that are superimposed are determined through the `dataMetrics` or `geneList` parameter. If the `saveFile` parameter has a value of `TRUE`, then each of these scatterplot matrices is saved to the location specified in the `outDir` parameter as a JPG file.

## Examples

```
# Read in data and metrics (need for all examples)
data(soybean_cn_sub)
data(soybean_cn_sub_metrics)
data(soybean_ir_sub)
data(soybean_ir_sub_metrics)

# Create standardized version of data (need for some examples)
library(matrixStats)
library(ggplot2)
soybean_cn_sub_st <- as.data.frame(t(apply(as.matrix(soybean_cn_sub[, -1]),
  1, scale)))
soybean_cn_sub_st$ID <- as.character(soybean_cn_sub$ID)
soybean_cn_sub_st <- soybean_cn_sub_st[, c(length(soybean_cn_sub_st),
  1:length(soybean_cn_sub_st)-1)]
colnames(soybean_cn_sub_st) <- colnames(soybean_cn_sub)
nID <- which(is.nan(soybean_cn_sub_st[, 2]))
soybean_cn_sub_st[nID, 2:length(soybean_cn_sub_st)] <- 0

# Example 1: Plot scatterplot matrix of points. Saves three plots to outDir
# because saveFile equals TRUE by default.

## Not run:
plotSM(soybean_cn_sub, soybean_cn_sub_metrics)

## End(Not run)

# Example 2: Plot scatterplot matrix of points. Return list of plots so user
# can tailor them (such as add title) and does not save to outDir because
# saveFile equals FALSE.

ret <- plotSM(soybean_cn_sub, soybean_cn_sub_metrics, pointColor = "pink",
  saveFile = FALSE)
# Determine names of plots in returned list
names(ret)
ret[["S1_S2"]] + ggtitle("S1 versus S2")
ret[["S1_S3"]] + ggtitle("S1 versus S3")
ret[["S2_S3"]] + ggtitle("S2 versus S3")
```

```

# Example 3: Plot standardized data as scatterplot matrix of points.

ret <- plotSM(soybean_cn_sub_st, soybean_cn_sub_metrics,
  pointColor = "#00C379", saveFile = FALSE)
ret[[1]] + xlab("Standardized read counts") +
ylab("Standardized read counts")

# Example 4: Plot scatterplot matrix of hexagons.

ret <- plotSM(soybean_cn_sub, soybean_cn_sub_metrics, option = "hexagon",
  xbins = 5, pointSize = 0.1, saveFile = FALSE)
ret[[2]]

# Example 5: Plot scatterplot matrix of orthogonal distance on the logged
# data, first without considering the metrics dataset and then considering
# it.

soybean_ir_sub[,-1] <- log(soybean_ir_sub[,-1] + 1)
ret <- plotSM(soybean_ir_sub, option = "orthogonal", threshOrth = 2.5,
  pointSize = 0.2, saveFile = FALSE)
ret[[1]]
ret <- plotSM(soybean_ir_sub, soybean_ir_sub_metrics, option = "orthogonal",
  threshOrth = 2.5, pointSize = 0.2, saveFile = FALSE)
ret[[1]]

# Example 6: Plot scatterplot matrix of fold change.

ret <- plotSM(soybean_cn_sub, soybean_cn_sub_metrics, option = "foldChange",
  threshFC = 0.5, pointSize = 0.2, saveFile = FALSE)
ret[[1]]

```

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plotSMAApp

*Plot interactive scatterplot matrices*


---

## Description

Plot interactive scatterplot matrices.

## Usage

```
plotSMAApp(data = data, xbins = 10)
```

## Arguments

|       |                                                                         |
|-------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| data  | DATA FRAME   Read counts                                                |
| xbins | INTEGER   Number of bins partitioning the range of the plot; default 10 |

## Value

A Shiny application that shows a scatterplot matrix with hexagon bins and allows users to click on hexagon bins to determine how many genes they each contain. The user can download a file that contains the gene IDs that are located in the clicked hexagon bin.

**Examples**

```
# Example: Create interactive scatterplot matrix for first two treatment
# groups of data.

data(soybean_cn_sub)
soybean_cn_sub <- soybean_cn_sub[,1:7]
app <- plotSMAApp(data=soybean_cn_sub)
if (interactive()) {
  shiny::runApp(app)
}
```

plotVolcano

*Plot static volcano plot***Description**

Plot static volcano plot.

**Usage**

```
plotVolcano(
  data = data,
  dataMetrics = dataMetrics,
  geneList = NULL,
  threshVar = "FDR",
  threshVal = 0.05,
  option = c("hexagon", "allPoints"),
  logFC = "logFC",
  PValue = "PValue",
  xbins = 10,
  pointSize = 0.5,
  pointColor = "orange",
  outDir = tempdir(),
  saveFile = TRUE,
  hover = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

|             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
|-------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| data        | DATA FRAME   Read counts                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| dataMetrics | LIST   Differential expression metrics. This object must contain one column with magnitude changes (for the logFC parameter) and one column with statistical values (for the PValue parameter), unless geneList is not NULL                                                                                   |
| geneList    | CHARACTER ARRAY   List of gene IDs to be drawn onto the scatterplot matrix of all data. Use this parameter if you have predetermined subset of genes to be superimposed. Otherwise, dataMetrics, threshVar, and threshVal will be used to create genes to be superimposed onto the volcano plot; default NULL |
| threshVar   | CHARACTER STRING   Name of column in dataMetrics object that is used to determine genes to be overlaid; default "FDR"                                                                                                                                                                                         |

|            |                                                                                                               |
|------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| threshVal  | INTEGER   Maximum value to threshold significance from threshVar object; default 0.05                         |
| option     | CHARACTER STRING ["hexagon"   "allPoints"]   The background of plot; default "hexagon"                        |
| logFC      | CHARACTER STRING   Name of column in dataMetrics object that contains log fold change values; default "logFC" |
| PValue     | CHARACTER STRING   Name of column in dataMetrics object that contains p-values; default "PValue"              |
| xbins      | INTEGER   Number of bins partitioning the range of the plot; default 10                                       |
| pointSize  | INTEGER   Size of plotted points; default 0.5                                                                 |
| pointColor | CHARACTER STRING   Color of overlaid points on scatterplot matrix; default "orange"                           |
| outDir     | CHARACTER STRING   Output directory to save all plots; default tempdir()                                      |
| saveFile   | BOOLEAN [TRUE   FALSE]   Save file to outDir; default TRUE                                                    |
| hover      | BOOLEAN [TRUE   FALSE]   Allow to hover over points to identify IDs; default FALSE                            |

### Value

List of  $n$  elements of volcano plots, where  $n$  is the number of treatment pair combinations in the data object. The subset of genes that are superimposed are determined through the dataMetrics or geneList parameter. If the saveFile parameter has a value of TRUE, then each of these volcano plots is saved to the location specified in the outDir parameter as a JPG file.

### Examples

```
# Example 1: Plot volcano plot with default settings for overlaid points
# (FDR < 0.05).

data(soybean_ir_sub)
data(soybean_ir_sub_metrics)
ret <- plotVolcano(soybean_ir_sub, soybean_ir_sub_metrics, pointSize = 1,
  saveFile = FALSE)
ret[[1]]

# Example 2: Plot volcano plot and overlay points with PValue < 1e-15.

ret <- plotVolcano(soybean_ir_sub, soybean_ir_sub_metrics,
  pointColor = "red", pointSize = 1, threshVar = "PValue",
  threshVal = 1e-15, saveFile = FALSE)
ret[[1]]

# Example 3: Plot volcano plot and overlay points with PValue < 1e-15. This
# time, plot all points (instead of hexagons) for the background.

ret <- plotVolcano(soybean_ir_sub, soybean_ir_sub_metrics,
  pointColor = "red", pointSize = 1, threshVar = "PValue",
  threshVal = 1e-15, option = "allPoints", saveFile = FALSE)
ret[[1]]

# Example 4: Plot volcano plot with points in background and overlay points
# with PValue < 1e-15. This time, use a value of TRUE for the hover
```



```
# parameter so that you can hover over overlaid points and determine their
# IDs.

ret <- plotVolcano(soybean_ir_sub, soybean_ir_sub_metrics,
  pointColor = "red", pointSize = 1, threshVar = "PValue",
  threshVal = 1e-15, option = "allPoints", saveFile = FALSE,
  hover = TRUE)
ret[[1]]
```

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plotVolcanoApp

*Plot interactive volcano plots*


---

## Description

Plot interactive volcano plots.

## Usage

```
plotVolcanoApp(
  data = data,
  dataMetrics = dataMetrics,
  option = c("hexagon", "allPoints"),
  pointColor = "orange"
)
```

## Arguments

|             |                                                                                                                          |
|-------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| data        | DATA FRAME   Read counts                                                                                                 |
| dataMetrics | LIST   Differential expression metrics. This object must contain one column named "logFC" and one column named "PValue". |
| option      | CHARACTER STRING ["hexagon"   "allPoints"]   The background of plot; default "hexagon"                                   |
| pointColor  | CHARACTER STRING   Color of overlaid points on scatterplot matrix; default "orange"                                      |

## Value

A Shiny application that shows a volcano plot and allows users to overlay genes depending on two values, usually a statistical value (such as P-value) and a magnitude change value (such as log fold change). The user can download a file that contains the gene IDs that pass these thresholds.

## Examples

```
# Example 1: Create interactive volcano plot of logged data using hexagon
# bins for the background.

data(soybean_cn_sub)
data(soybean_cn_sub_metrics)
app <- plotVolcanoApp(data = soybean_cn_sub,
  dataMetrics = soybean_cn_sub_metrics)
if (interactive()) {
```

```
    shiny::runApp(app)
  }

# Example 2: Create interactive volcano plot of logged data using points for
# the background.

app <- plotVolcanoApp(data = soybean_cn_sub,
  dataMetrics = soybean_cn_sub_metrics, option = "allPoints",
  pointColor = "magenta")
if (interactive()) {
  shiny::runApp(app)
}
```

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soybean\_cn

*Normalized soybean cotyledon data*

---

### Description

This dataset contains normalized RNA-sequencing read counts from soybean cotyledon across three time stages of development. Early stage cotyledons were collected four days after planting and were green but closed. Middle stage cotyledons were collected while green and open, soon after the plant generated its first set of unifoliate leaves. Late stage cotyledons were collected immediately after the initiation of yellowing and shrinking.

### Format

a RData instance, 1 row per gene

### Details

Normalized soybean cotyledon data

- ID gene name
- S1.1 early stage replicate 1 normalized read counts
- S1.2 early stage replicate 2 normalized read counts
- S1.3 early stage replicate 3 normalized read counts
- S2.1 middle stage replicate 1 normalized read counts
- S2.2 middle stage replicate 2 normalized read counts
- S2.3 middle stage replicate 3 normalized read counts
- S3.1 late stage replicate 1 normalized read counts
- S3.2 late stage replicate 2 normalized read counts
- S3.3 late stage replicate 3 normalized read counts

### References

Brown AV, Hudson KA (2015) Developmental profiling of gene expression in soybean trifoliate leaves and cotyledons. *BMC Plant Biol* 15:169

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soybean\_cn\_metrics      *Normalized soybean cotyledon metrics*

---

### Description

This data contains metrics for normalized RNA-sequencing read counts from soybean cotyledon across three time stages of development. Early stage cotyledons were collected four days after planting and were green but closed. Middle stage cotyledons were collected while green and open, soon after the plant generated its first set of unifoliate leaves. Late stage cotyledons were collected immediately after the initiation of yellowing and shrinking. The metrics include the log fold change, log counts per million, likelihood ratio, p-values, and FDR values for all genes and all pairwise combinations of treatment groups.

### Format

a RData instance, 1 list per treatment group combination and 1 row per gene

### Details

Normalized soybean cotyledon metrics

- ID gene name
- logFC log fold change
- logCPM log counts per million
- LR likelihood ratio
- PValue p-value
- FDR FDR value

### See Also

[soybean\\_cn](#) for information about the treatment groups

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soybean\_cn\_sub      *Normalized and subsetted soybean cotyledon data*

---

### Description

This dataset contains normalized RNA-sequencing read counts from soybean cotyledon across three time stages of development. Early stage cotyledons were collected four days after planting and were green but closed. Middle stage cotyledons were collected while green and open, soon after the plant generated its first set of unifoliate leaves. Late stage cotyledons were collected immediately after the initiation of yellowing and shrinking. To save on size, this example dataset was generated by obtaining a random subset of 1 out of 10 genes from the original resource.

### Usage

```
data(soybean_cn_sub)
```

**Format**

a RData instance, 1 row per gene

**Details**

Normalized and subsetted soybean cotyledon data

- ID gene name
- S1.1 early stage replicate 1 normalized read counts
- S1.2 early stage replicate 2 normalized read counts
- S1.3 early stage replicate 3 normalized read counts
- S2.1 middle stage replicate 1 normalized read counts
- S2.2 middle stage replicate 2 normalized read counts
- S2.3 middle stage replicate 3 normalized read counts
- S3.1 late stage replicate 1 normalized read counts
- S3.2 late stage replicate 2 normalized read counts
- S3.3 late stage replicate 3 normalized read counts

**References**

Brown AV, Hudson KA (2015) Developmental profiling of gene expression in soybean trifoliolate leaves and cotyledons. *BMC Plant Biol* 15:169

**See Also**

[soybean\\_cn](#) from which this dataset is subsetted

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soybean\_cn\_sub\_metrics

*Normalized and subsetted soybean cotyledon metrics*

---

**Description**

This data contains metrics for normalized RNA-sequencing read counts from soybean cotyledon across three time stages of development. Early stage cotyledons were collected four days after planting and were green but closed. Middle stage cotyledons were collected while green and open, soon after the plant generated its first set of unifoliolate leaves. Late stage cotyledons were collected immediately after the initiation of yellowing and shrinking. The metrics include the log fold change, log counts per million, likelihood ratio, p-values, and FDR values for all genes and all pairwise combinations of treatment groups. To save on size, this example dataset was generated by obtaining a random subset of 1 out of 10 genes from the original resource.

**Usage**

```
data(soybean_cn_sub_metrics)
```

**Format**

a RData instance, 1 list per treatment group combination and 1 row per gene

**Details**

Normalized and subsetted soybean cotyledon metrics

- ID gene name
- logFC log fold change
- logCPM log counts per million
- LR likelihood ratio
- PValue p-value
- FDR FDR value

**See Also**

[soybean\\_cn\\_sub](#) for information about the treatment groups

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soybean\_ir

*Raw soybean leaves iron-metabolism data*

---

**Description**

This dataset contains raw RNA-sequencing read counts from a soybean dataset that compared leaves that were exposed to iron-rich (iron -positive) soil conditions versus leaves that were exposed to iron-poor (iron-negative) soil conditions. The data was collected 120 minutes after iron conditions were initiated.

**Format**

a RData instance, 1 row per gene

**Details**

Raw soybean leaves data

- ID gene name
- N.1 iron-negative condition replicate 1 raw read counts
- N.2 iron-negative condition replicate 2 raw read counts
- N.3 iron-negative condition replicate 3 raw read counts
- P.1 iron-positive condition replicate 1 raw read counts
- P.2 iron-positive condition replicate 2 raw read counts
- P.3 iron-positive condition replicate 3 raw read counts

---

soybean\_ir\_metrics      *Raw soybean leaves iron-metabolism metrics*

---

### Description

This data contains metrics for raw RNA-sequencing read counts from a soybean dataset that compared leaves that were exposed to iron-rich (iron-positive) soil conditions versus leaves that were exposed to iron-poor (iron-negative) soil conditions. The data was collected 120 minutes after iron conditions were initiated. The metrics include the log fold change and the p-values for all genes and all pairwise combinations of treatment groups.

### Format

a RData instance, 1 list per treatment group combination and 1 row per gene

### Details

Raw soybean leaves metrics

- ID gene name
- logFC log fold change
- PValue p-value

### See Also

[soybean\\_ir](#) for information about the treatment groups

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soybean\_ir\_sub      *Raw and subsetted soybean leaves iron-metabolism data*

---

### Description

This dataset contains raw RNA-sequencing read counts from a soybean dataset that compared leaves that were exposed to iron-rich (iron-positive) soil conditions versus leaves that were exposed to iron-poor (iron-negative) soil conditions. The data was collected 120 minutes after iron conditions were initiated. To save on size, this example dataset was generated by obtaining a random subset of 1 out of 10 genes from the original resource.

### Usage

```
data(soybean_ir_sub)
```

### Format

a RData instance, 1 row per gene

**Details**

Raw and subsetted soybean leaves data

- ID gene name
- N.1 iron-negative condition replicate 1 raw read counts
- N.2 iron-negative condition replicate 2 raw read counts
- N.3 iron-negative condition replicate 3 raw read counts
- P.1 iron-positive condition replicate 1 raw read counts
- P.2 iron-positive condition replicate 2 raw read counts
- P.3 iron-positive condition replicate 3 raw read counts

**References**

Moran Lauter AN, Graham MA. NCBI SRA bioproject accession: PRJNA318409.

**See Also**

[soybean\\_ir](#) from which this dataset is subsetted

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soybean\_ir\_sub\_metrics

*Raw and subsetted soybean leaves iron-metabolism metrics*

---

**Description**

This data contains metrics for raw RNA-sequencing read counts from a soybean dataset that compared leaves that were exposed to iron-rich (iron-positive) soil conditions versus leaves that were exposed to iron-poor (iron-negative) soil conditions. The data was collected 120 minutes after iron conditions were initiated. The metrics include the log fold change and the p-values for all genes and all pairwise combinations of treatment groups. To save on size, this example dataset was generated by obtaining a random subset of 1 out of 10 genes from the original resource.

**Usage**

```
data(soybean_ir_sub_metrics)
```

**Format**

a RData instance, 1 list per treatment group combination and 1 row per gene

**Details**

Raw and subsetted soybean leaves iron-metabolism metrics

- ID gene name
- logFC log fold change
- PValue p-value

**References**

Moran Lauter AN, Graham MA. NCBI SRA bioproject accession: PRJNA318409.

**See Also**

[soybean\\_ir\\_sub](#) for information about the treatment groups



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