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 ${\tt GenomicInteractions-package}$

A package for looking at genomic interaction data.

Description

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Description

This function directly annotates a single set of anchors using the GRanges elementMetadata.

Usage

```
annotateAnchors(GIObject, oneOrTwo, name, dat)

## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions, numeric, character, vector'
annotateAnchors(GIObject,
  oneOrTwo, name, dat)
```

Arguments

GIObject A GenomicInteractions object

oneOrTwo An integer indicating which anchor to annotate

name Character. Will be used as a column name for the elementMetadata of the anno-

tated anchor.

dat Vector of the same length as the GenomicInteractions object, containing data

with which to annotate the object.

Value

invisible(1)

annotateInteractions Annotate the interactions in a GenomicInteractions object

Description

This function will annotate both anchors with a list of named GRanges objects. Each metadata column is labeled "name.id" and contains the id of the genomic interval(s) it overlaps. Anonymous lists will be given names "FEATURE#.id" where # is the position in the list.

Usage

```
annotateInteractions(GIObject, annotations)
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions,list'
annotateInteractions(GIObject, annotations)
```

Arguments

GIObject A GenomicInteractions object to be annotated

annotations A list containing GRanges (or GRangesList) objects with which to annotate the

GenomicInteractions object.

Details

For each anchor a "node.class" metadata column will also be added, containing the name of the list element which was *first* annotated to each range. Ranges with no overlaps will be classified as "distal". The identifiers for each individual feature/annotation are taken from either the name of the list item in the case of a GRangesList or from either the names of a the provided GRanges or an id column in its associated metadata.

Value

```
invisible(1)
```

Examples

```
library("GenomicRanges")
data(hic_example_data)
data(mm9_refseq_promoters)
mm9_refseq_grl = split(mm9_refseq_promoters, mm9_refseq_promoters$id)
annotateInteractions(hic_example_data, list(promoter=mm9_refseq_grl))
```

 $available {\tt DisplayPars}$

The default display parameters for a track object class can be queries using the availableDisplayPars function.

Description

The default display parameters for a track object class can be queries using the availableDisplayPars function.

Usage

```
availableDisplayPars(class)
```

Arguments

class

A valid track object class name, or the object itself, in which case the class is derived directly from it.

This function provides the same functionality as Gviz::availableDisplayPars and allows the user to display the default display parameters for the InteractionTrack class. If the class of the track is not an InteractionTrack then the function calls the availableDisplayPars method in Gviz.

Value

returns a list of the default display parameters.

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Combine GenomicInteractions Methods

Description

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This method will fail if the seqlengths of the objects to be combined do not match. If some chromosomes appear in one set of seqinfo but not the other, the seqinfo will be merged.

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
c(x, ..., ignore.mcols = FALSE,
  recursive = FALSE)
```

Arguments

x, . . . GenomicInteractions objects to be concatenated

ignore.mcols Logical, default FALSE, remove mcols in combined object.

recursive Not supported

Value

A GenomicInteractions object.

calculateDistances Calculate interaction distances

Description

This function takes a GenomicInteractions object and calculates the distances between the anchors according to the value of method. The distances returned follow the same convention as distance(x, y) in GenomicRanges where the distance between adjacent regions is 0. Note that if anchors are overlapping this method will print a warning and return the distance as 0.

Usage

```
calculateDistances(GIObject, method = "midpoint", floor = TRUE)
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
calculateDistances(GIObject,
  method = "midpoint", floor = TRUE)
```

Arguments

GIObject A GenomicInteractions object

method Character vector indicating how to calculate distances, must be one of 'mid-

point', 'outer', 'inner'.

floor A logical specifying whether to round down distances to nearest base pair or

not. Default TRUE.

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Value

An vector containing the distances between anchors/GRanges, NA if on different chromosomes, rounded down to the nearest bp.

Examples

capitalize

Capitalize first letter of string

Description

This function will capitalize the first letter of each string in a character vector, and lowercase following letters.

Usage

```
capitalize(x)
```

Arguments

Х

A character vector

Value

a string with the first letter capitalised

categoriseInteractions

Get the numbers of interaction types existing in your data

Description

Get the numbers of interaction types existing in your data

```
categoriseInteractions(GIObject, node.classes = NULL, viewpoints = NULL)
```

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Arguments

GIObject A GenomicInteractions object

node.classes Optional. All node.classes to include in the analysis. Default: all node classes. viewpoints Optional. If set will only consider interactions where at least one anchor is of

this node class. Default: all classes in node.classes.

Value

A data.frame.

Examples

```
data(hic_example_data)
categoriseInteractions(hic_example_data)
```

countsBetweenAnchors Summarise Interactions between defined anchors

Description

Calculate the number of of paired-end reads mapping between a defined set of anchors. This function will ignore counts present in the input data.

Usage

```
countsBetweenAnchors(x, y, ...)
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions, GRanges'
countsBetweenAnchors(x, y,
  ignore_overlaps = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

x A GenomicInteractions object
 y A GenomicRanges object
 ... Extra parameters to pass to findOverlaps
 ignore_overlaps

Allow overlapping anchors. Use this when you have overlapping anchors but be careful with multi-mapping. The "within" option can help with this.

Value

A GenomicInteractions object with annotated counts between anchors

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```
\label{lem:duplicated} duplicated, \textit{GenomicInteractions-method} \\ \textit{duplicated, GenomicInteractions-method}
```

Description

Finds duplicated interactions in a GenomicInteractions object.

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
duplicated(x, fromLast = FALSE,
    dropMetadata = FALSE)
```

Arguments

x A GenomicInteractions object

fromLast Whether to identify duplicates starting from last item in the Genomicinteractions

object or not. Default: FALSE.

dropMetadata Logical, default FALSE. Whether to drop interaction mcols when considering

unique interactions.

Details

Uniqueness is based on anchor positions and metadata, interaction counts, and interaction metadata.

Value

A vector containing indices of duplicated interactions

export.bed12 Export interactions in BED12 format.

Description

Export interactions in BED12 format.

```
export.bed12(GIObject, fn = NULL, score = "counts", drop.trans = c(FALSE, TRUE))
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
export.bed12(GIObject, fn = NULL, score = "counts", drop.trans = c(FALSE, TRUE))
```

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Arguments

GIObject A GenomicInteractions object.

fn A filename to write the object to

score Which metadata column to export as score

drop.trans Logical indicating whether to drop trans interactions.

Exports a GenomicInteractions object to BED12 format, and writes to a specified file. If filename is not specified, then a data.frame containing the informa-

tion is returned.

Bed12 files provide a method for visualising interactions, it is not a good format for storing all of the data associated with an interaction dataset, particularly for trans-chromosomal interactions, which can only be stored in the bed12 names

field.

Value

invisible(1) if outputting to file or a data.frame containing all of the corresponding information

export.bedpe

Export interactions in BED Paired-End format.

Description

#' Exports a GenomicInteractions object to BED-PE format, and writes to a specified file. If filename is not specified, then a data.frame containing the information is returned. The value of the score parameter defines which field is used to populate the score field.

Usage

```
export.bedpe(GIObject, fn = NULL, score = "counts")
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
export.bedpe(GIObject, fn = NULL,
    score = "counts")
```

Arguments

GIObject A GenomicInteractions object.

fn A filename to write the interactions data to score Which metadata column to use as score

Value

invisible(1) if outputting to file or a data.frame containing all of the corresponding information

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export.chiasig

Export interactions in a BEDPE-like format for use with ChiaSig

Description

Exports a GenomicInteractions object to BEDPE like format, (anchor specifications and a column for reads connecting them) and writes to a specified file. If filename is not specified, then a data.frame containing the information is returned. The value of the score parameter defines which field is used to populate the score field.

Usage

```
export.chiasig(GIObject, fn = NULL, score = "counts")
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
export.chiasig(GIObject, fn = NULL,
    score = "counts")
```

Arguments

GIObject A GenomicInteractions object.

fn A filename to write the interactions data to

score Which metadata column to use as the score: counts or normalised

Value

invisible(1) if outputting to file or a data.frame containing all of the corresponding information

export.igraph

Export interactions to an igraph object.

Description

Exports a GenomicInteractions object to graph.data.frame for use by igraph package. This uses unique anchors as nodes and generates edges between them. For the resulting graph to be easily interpretable, anchors should be non-overlapping. This should already be the case for HiC data (either binned or restriction fragments), however ChIA-PET data can contain overlapping anchors, which may need to be reduced to non-overlapping regions before graph export.

Usage

```
export.igraph(GIObject)
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
export.igraph(GIObject)
```

Arguments

GIObject A GenomicInteractions object.

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Value

a graph.data.frame representation of the GenomicInteractions object

findOverlaps

Find overlaps between GRanges and GenomicInteractions objects

Description

When called with a GRanges and a GenomicInteractions object, this function calls findOverlaps separately on each anchor and returns a list. countOverlaps and overlapsAny return a list of integer vectors and logical vectors respectively.

```
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions, GRanges'
findOverlaps(query, subject,
 maxgap = 0L, minoverlap = 1L, type = c("any", "start", "end", "within",
  "equal"), select = c("all", "first", "last", "arbitrary"),
  ignore.strand = FALSE)
## S4 method for signature 'GRanges, GenomicInteractions'
findOverlaps(query, subject,
 maxgap = 0L, minoverlap = 1L, type = c("any", "start", "end", "within",
  "equal"), select = c("all", "first", "last", "arbitrary"),
  ignore.strand = FALSE)
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions, GRanges'
countOverlaps(query, subject,
 maxgap = 0L, minoverlap = 1L, select = c("all", "first", "last",
  "arbitrary"), type = c("any", "start", "end", "within", "equal"),
  ignore.strand = FALSE)
## S4 method for signature 'GRanges, GenomicInteractions'
countOverlaps(query, subject,
 maxgap = 0L, minoverlap = 1L, type = c("any", "start", "end", "within",
  "equal"), select = c("all", "first", "last", "arbitrary"),
  ignore.strand = FALSE)
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions, GRanges'
overlapsAny(query, subject,
 maxgap = 0L, minoverlap = 1L, type = c("any", "start", "end", "within",
  "equal"), ignore.strand = FALSE)
## S4 method for signature 'GRanges, GenomicInteractions'
overlapsAny(query, subject,
 maxgap = 0L, minoverlap = 1L, type = c("any", "start", "end", "within",
  "equal"), ignore.strand = FALSE)
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions, GenomicInteractions'
findOverlaps(query, subject)
```

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Arguments

query GenomicInteractions or GRanges
subject GRanges or GenomicInteractions
maxgap,minoverlap,type,select,ignore.strand
See 'findOverlaps' in the IRanges package.

Details

When

See 'findOverlaps' in the GenomicRanges package for detailed documentation for this function.

Value

A Hits object or a list containing Hits objects for both anchors.

GenomicInteractions

Function to create a GenomicInteraction object

Description

Create GenomicInteraction objects from two GRanges ojects.

Usage

```
GenomicInteractions(anchor_one = GRanges(), anchor_two = GRanges(),
  counts = integer(), experiment_name = NULL, description = NULL, ...)
```

Arguments

```
anchor_one,anchor_two
```

GRanges objects.

counts An integer vector, defaults to 1.

experiment_name

Experiment name.

description Description of experiment.

... Additional data to be added to mcols

Value

a GenomicInteractions object

Examples

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GenomicInteractions-class

A S4 class to represent interactions between genomic regions.

Description

A S4 class to represent interactions between genomic regions.

Slots

metadata List, defaults to "experiment_name" and "description", inherited from S4Vectors::Vector anchor_one, anchor_two GRanges. Set of anchors of interactions. counts integer vector, contains raw counts

elementMetadata DataFrame

This class is used to store information on which genomic regions are interacting with each other. Objects of this class contain information of the genomic coordinates of the interacting regions and the strength of these interactions, and associated metadata such as the name of the dataset and a brief description of the dataset. Interacting regions are stored as a pair of GenomicRanges: each set of anchor regions is stored as a separate GenomicRanges object, accessed by getAnchorOne and getAnchorTwo.

Examples

getters

Functions to access data held in a GenomicInteractions object.

Description

Use these functions to access data stored in each of the slots of a GenomicInteractions object.

```
name(GIObject)
description(GIObject)
anchorOne(GIObject)
anchorTwo(GIObject)
```

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```
interactionCounts(GIObject)
annotationFeatures(GIObject)

## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
name(GIObject)

## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
description(GIObject)

## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
anchorOne(GIObject)

## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
anchorTwo(GIObject)

## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
interactionCounts(GIObject)

## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
interactionCounts(GIObject)
```

Arguments

GIObject A GenomicInteractions object

Value

For 'anchorOne' and 'anchorTwo', a GRanges. For 'interactionCounts', a numeric vector with counts for each interaction in the object. For 'description' and 'name', a character vector with length 1. For 'annotationFeatures', a character vector of features with which the object was previously annotated, or 'NA' if the object is unannotated.

Examples

```
get_binom_ligation_threshold
```

get self ligation threshold with binomial test

Description

This function calculates a self ligation threshold according to a method based on that of Heidari et al., Genome Research, 2014. Briefly, paired reads are divided into in evenly spaced bins. For each bin, the number of reads that are aligned to opposite strand vs to the same strand is calculated. A binomial test is used to test if this is significantly different from the 50:50 ratio expected by chance if all reads are real interactions.

Usage

```
get_binom_ligation_threshold(GIObject, max.distance = 20000, bin.size = 500,
   p.cutoff = 0.05, adjust = "fdr", plot = TRUE)
```

Arguments

GIObject	a GenomicInteractions object of paired end reads
max.distance	The maximum distance to consider between reads. Reads further apart than this distance should be very unlikely to be self ligations.
bin.size	Bin size in base pairs.
p.cutoff	P value cut off for a significant difference from 50:50. Default: 0.05
adjust	Method to use to adjust p values. Default: fdr. See 'help(p.adjust)' for accepted values. Can also be NA for no adjustment.
plot	TRUE by default. Whether to plot the percentage of reads on opposite strands vs difference and the binomial test p value vs distance.

Value

The cutoff in base pairs below which an interaction is likely to be a self ligation.

```
get_self_ligation_threshold

Get self ligation threshold with SD method from Heidari et al
```

Description

This function calculates a self ligation threshold according to the method published in Heidari et al., Genome Research, 2014. Briefly, paired reads are divided into in evenly sized bins. For each bin, the log2 ratio of reads that are aligned to opposite strand vs to the same strand is calculated. Twice the standard deviation of this ratio at high distances is used a cutoff to determine which bins are likely to contain mostly self-liagted reads.

```
get_self_ligation_threshold(GIObject, bins = 100, distance_th = 4e+05,
    plot = TRUE)
```

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Arguments

GIObject a GenomicInteractions object of paired end reads

bins Number of evenly sized bins to use.

determine the standard deviation.

plot TRUE by default. Whether to plot the log2ratio of opposite to same strand reads

vs distance.

Value

The cutoff in base pairs below which an interaction is likely to be a self ligation.

hg19.refseq.transcripts

Human Refseq transcripts from chr 17-18

Description

This dataset contains a subset of the transcripts from the Refseq annotation for mouse genome build hg19 See the ChIA-PET analysis vignette (vignettes(GenomicInteractions)) for more information on how this dataset was created.

Usage

```
data(hg19.refseq.transcripts)
```

Format

A GRanges object with length 2441.

Value

A GRanges object.

hic_example_data

Example HiC dataset

Description

This dataset contains HiC data from Seitan et al. 2013. The data was analysed using HOMER (Heinz et al. 2010) at a resolution of 100kb to find significant interactions. This example dataset has been filtered to retain only interactions on chromosomes 14 and 15 with a FDR < 0.1. The data has also been annotated for overlaps with Refseq promoters. See the HiC analysis vignette (vignettes (GenomicInteractions)) for more information on how this dataset was created.

```
data(hic_example_data)
```

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Format

A GenomicInteractions object with length 8171.

Value

GenomicInteractions object

References

Seitan, V. C. et al. Cohesin-based chromatin interactions enable regulated gene expression within pre-existing architectural compartments. Genome Res. 23, 2066-77 (2013).

Heinz S, Benner C, Spann N, Bertolino E et al. Simple Combinations of Lineage-Determining Transcription Factors Prime cis-Regulatory Elements Required for Macrophage and B Cell Identities. Mol Cell 2010 May 28;38(4):576-589.

InteractionTrack

Constructor to create an InteractionTrack object

Description

Create InteractionTrack object from an GenomicInteractions object to visualise a specified chromosome.

Usage

```
InteractionTrack(x, chromosome = "", name = NULL, start = NULL,
end = NULL)
```

Arguments

x A GenomicInteractions object

chromosome specify which chromosome to hold information on - can be null

name specify the name of the track - if null takes it to be the name of the GenomicIn-

teractions passed

start specify which start location to hold information on - can be null specify which end location to hold information on - can be null

Value

an InteractionTrack object

Examples

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InteractionTrack-class

A class to hold chromatin interaction data for a specific genomic region.

Description

A class to hold chromatin interaction data for a specific genomic region.

Slots

plottingFunction function variables list chromosome chromosome stacking character

InteractionTrack is a specific Gviz-derived class for enabling the visualisation of chromatin interaction data. The InteractionTrack class allows interactions on a specified chromosome to be visualised by examining interactions between anchors as bezier curves. The object is instantiated and used in a similar fashion to standard Gviz tracks and plotted using the plotTracks.

Several additional display parameters (i.e. displayPars(foo)=list(...) are defined for this class, including plot.anchors which can be used to specify whether anchors are to be drawn. col.anchors.line which can be used to alter the colour of border of these anchor elements and col. anchors. fill can be used to alter the fill colour of these elements. The value of plot outside determines whether or not interactions which span outside of the window are to be plotted, and col.outside defines the colour of these interactions. Similarly plot.trans determines whether trans-interactions are plotted and col.trans specifies the colour of trans-interactions. By default, the height of an arc representing an interaction is proportional to the number of reads/counts supporting that interaction. Instead of using the counts to define this, the height can be set to be proportional to either fdr or p.value using the interaction.measure display parameter. By changing the interaction.dimension to width, the line widths of each arc now represent the statistic supporting them. The heights of the arcs can be made to be proportional to log10 of the supporting statistic by changing interaction.dimension.transform to log. col.interactions sets the colour of arcs representing interactions within the region of interest. It is possible to colour the arcs by the type of interaction they are involved in (i.e. promoter-promoter interactions etc) by setting the col.interactions.types display parameter to be a named vector of colours, where the name corresponds to the type of interaction. This is applicable to anchors regions through the use of the col.anchors.line.node.class and col.anchors.fill.node.class parameis.pp

Description

Functions to classify interactions within GenomicInteractions objects.

• "isInteractionType" takes two character arguments which are annotated node classes and returns interactions between them.

- "is.pp", "is.pd" etc. are bindings for common annotations:
 - **p** promoter
 - d distal
 - t terminator
- "is.trans" & "is.cis" select trans-chromosomal and intra-chromosomal interactions, respectively

```
is.pp(GIObject)
is.pd(GIObject)
is.pt(GIObject)
is.dd(GIObject)
is.dt(GIObject)
is.tt(GIObject)
isInteractionType(GIObject, x, y)
is.trans(GIObject)
is.cis(GIObject)
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
is.pp(GIObject)
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
is.pd(GIObject)
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
is.pt(GIObject)
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
is.dd(GIObject)
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
is.dt(GIObject)
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
is.tt(GIObject)
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
```

```
isInteractionType(GIObject, x, y)
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
is.trans(GIObject)
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
is.cis(GIObject)
```

Arguments

GIObject A GenomicInteractions object

x, y Names of annotated node classes

Value

A logical vector

length,GenomicInteractions-method

Get the length of a GenomicInteractions GIObject

Description

Get the length of a GenomicInteractions GIObject

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
length(x)
```

Arguments

x GenomicInteractions GIObject

Value

A numeric vector containing the length of the GIObject

makeGenomicInteractionsFromFile

Function to create GenomicInteraction objects from a file

Description

Function to create GenomicInteraction objects from a variety of files. The resulting objects contain information on which genomic regions are interacting with each other, and the number of counts supporting each interaction. It is also possible to store information on associated p-values and false-discovery rates (FDR). It is possible to create GenomicInteractions objects for various datasets including Hi-C and ChIA-PET. It is possible to read interactions from a variety of files including BAM files, bed files (BED12 and BEDPE) and from the output from standard processing pipelines, such as HOMER and ChIA-PET tool. GenomicInteractions objects can also be created using calls of the form new("GenomicInteractions", ...). For hiclib, it expects the directory in which the files extracted using h5dictToTxt.py from the hdf5 file are located, where as for all of the other file types it expects the full filename. Note that recent versions of hiclib (2015-) cannot export the required data and so this function will only work with older files.

Usage

```
makeGenomicInteractionsFromFile(fn, type, experiment_name = "",
  description = "", chr_names = NULL)
```

Arguments

fn Filename or, if type="hiclib", folder

type One of "chiapet.tool", "bed12", "bedpe", "hiclib", "homer", "bam", "two.bams".

experiment_name

Experiment name.

description Description of experiment.

chr_names a vector of chromosome names in order, required for re-naming chromosomes

for hiclib import

Value

a GenomicInteractions object

Examples

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Description

This dataset contains a subset of the promoters from the Refseq annotation for mouse genome build mm9. See the HiC analysis vignette (vignettes(GenomicInteractions)) for more information on how this dataset was created.

Usage

```
data(mm9_refseq_promoters)
```

Format

A GRanges object with length 2441.

Value

A GRanges object.

plotAvgViewpoint

Plot coverage around a set of virtual 4C viewpoints

Description

Plots summarised coverage of interactions around a set of viewpoints, e.g. promoters. This function requires the output of 'viewPoint()' as input.

Usage

```
plotAvgViewpoint(x, left_dist = 1e+05, right_dist = 1e+05,
  ylab = "Average signal", xlab = "Relative position", fix = "center",
  ...)
```

Arguments

X	A GenomicInteractions object which is output from viewPoint
left_dist	Distance 'left' of interactions to consider, in bp.
right_dist	Distance 'right' of interactions to consider, in bp.
ylab	Y axis label.
xlab	X axis label.
fix	One of "center", "start", "end". Passed to 'resize'. Interaction distances are calculated relative to this part of the bait.
	additional arguments to plot

Value

Coverage that is plotted (invisibly)

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plotCisTrans	Plots the percentages of cis and trans interactions for a GenomicIn-
	teractions object as a donut plot.

Description

Plots the percentages of cis and trans interactions for a GenomicInteractions object as a donut plot.

Usage

```
plotCisTrans(GIObject)
```

Arguments

GIObject A GenomicInteractions object

Value

A ggplot2 plot

Examples

```
data(hic_example_data)
plotCisTrans(hic_example_data)
```

plotCounts

Plot a bar chart of the number of interactions supported by different numbers of reads in your data.

Description

Plot a bar chart of the number of interactions supported by different numbers of reads in your data.

Usage

```
plotCounts(GIObject, normalise = FALSE, cut = 10)
```

Arguments

GIObject A GenomicInteractions object.

normalise Logical. If TRUE, plots proportion of total reads instead of count.

cut Numeric, can be NULL. Default: 10. All interactions with counts > cut are

consolidated into a single category.

Value

A ggplot2 plot

Examples

```
data(hic_example_data)
plotCounts(hic_example_data)
plotCounts(hic_example_data, normalise=TRUE)
```

plotDists

Plots a histogram of interaction distances for a GenomicInteractions Object

Description

Plots a histogram of interaction distances for a GenomicInteractions Object

Usage

```
plotDists(GIObject, breaks = c(0, 1000, 5000, 10000, 50000, 1e+05, 5e+05,
    1e+06, 2e+06), method = "midpoint")
```

Arguments

GIObject A GenomicInteractions object

breaks A numeric vector of breaks for the histogram

method Method used for distance between anchors. Passed to calculateDistances. One

of "midpoint", "inner", or "outer".

Value

A ggplot2 plot

Examples

```
data(hic_example_data)
plotDists(hic_example_data)
```

 ${\tt plotInteractionAnnotations}$

Plot a donut plot of interaction types for an annotated GenomicInteractions object

Description

Plot a donut plot of interaction types for an annotated GenomicInteractions object

```
plotInteractionAnnotations(GIObject, node.classes = NULL, viewpoints = NULL,
    other = 0, keep.order = FALSE, legend = FALSE)
```

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Arguments

GIObject A GenomicInteractions object

node.classes Optional. All node.classes to include in the analysis. Default: all node classes. viewpoints Optional. If set will only consider interactions where at least one anchor is of

this node class. Default: all classes in node.classes.

other Optional. Interaction types making up fewer than "other" percent of the total

interactions will be consolidated into a single "other" category.

keep.order Optional. Logical. Keep original order of node.classes for plotting or not. De-

fault: FALSE, alphabetical order.

legend Optional. Logical. If TRUE, legend is plotted to right of donut plot. If FALSE,

donut plot is annotated with category names.

Value

A ggplot2 plot

Examples

```
data(hic_example_data)
plotInteractionAnnotations(hic_example_data)
```

plotSummaryStats

Plot summary statistics for a GenomicInteractions object

Description

Makes summary plots of the counts, interaction distances, interaction annotations, and percentage of cis and trans interactions for a GenomicInteractions object using 'plotCounts', 'plotDists', 'plotCisTrans', and 'plotInteractionAnnotations'.

Usage

```
plotSummaryStats(GIObject, other = 5, cut = 10)
```

Arguments

GIObject A GenomicInteractions object

other Default 5. Passed to plotInteractionAnnotations. Interaction types making up

fewer than "other" percent of the total interactions will be consolidated into a

single "other" category.

cut Default 10. Passed to plotCounts.All interactions with counts > cut are consoli-

dated into a single category.

Value

invisible(1)

Examples

```
data(hic_example_data)
plotSummaryStats(hic_example_data)
```

n l n t	VIEW	point

Plot coverage around a virtual 4C viewpoint

Description

Plots coverage of interactions around a given viewpoint. This function requires the output of 'view-Point()' as input. You should additionally specify the total region you wish to plot.

Usage

```
plotViewpoint(x, region, ylab = "Signal", xlab = NULL, ...)
```

Arguments

x a GenomicInteractions	object which is	output from viewPoint
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region The genomic region to plot

ylab Y axis label.

xlab X axis label. By default this is the chromosome of the region that is being

plotted.

... additional arguments to plot

Value

Coverage that is plotted (invisibly)

```
print,GenomicInteractions-method
```

Print function for GenomicInteractions

Description

Print function for GenomicInteractions

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
print(x)
```

Arguments

x GenomicInteractionsObject

Value

invisible(1)

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removeDups

Remove all but one occurences of a duplicated interaction

Description

Removes all but the first occurrence of a duplicated interaction (defined as having identical coordinates for both anchors). N.B. this does not summarise the total counts of all the duplicates. It is designed for removing potential PCR duplicates after reading in .bam files.

Usage

```
removeDups(GIObject)
```

Arguments

GIObject

A GenomicInteractions object.

Value

A GenomicInteractions object that is a subset of the input object.

resetAnnotations

Reset annotations made to a GenomicInteractions object

Description

This function removes all annotations from a GenomicInteractions object by deleting all of the metadata columns associated with both anchors.

Usage

```
resetAnnotations(GIObject)
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
resetAnnotations(GIObject)
```

Arguments

GIObject

An annotated GenomicInteractions object

Value

invisible(1)

sameStrand

Tests whether anchors have the same strand.

Description

This is designed for processing .bam files.

Usage

```
sameStrand(GIObject)
```

Arguments

GIObject

A GenomicInteractions object

Value

A logical vector denoting with TRUE if both anchors of an interaction are on the same strand and FALSE otherwise.

```
seqinfo, GenomicInteractions-method
```

Acessing/modifying sequence information for a GenomicInteractions object

Description

Allows access/modification of seqinfo for GenomicInteractions objects. When used with "force=True", interactions with either (or both) anchors on invalid chromosomes will be removed.

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
seqinfo(x)

## S4 replacement method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
seqinfo(x, new2old = NULL, force = FALSE) <-
value</pre>
```

Arguments

x A GenomicInteractions object

new2old Mapping between new and old seqnames. See ?seqinfo in GenomeInfoDb for

details.

force A logical indicating whether or not to drop invalid levels.

value A replacement seqinfo object

Details

For more information see ?seqinfo in the GenomeInfoDb package.

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Value

A seqinfo object,

setters

Functions to set data held in a GenomicInteractions object.

Description

Use these functions to set data stored in each of the slots of a GenomicInteractions object.

Usage

```
name(GIObject) <- value

description(GIObject) <- value

interactionCounts(GIObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'GenomicInteractions' name(GIObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'GenomicInteractions' description(GIObject) <- value

## S4 replacement method for signature 'GenomicInteractions' interactionCounts(GIObject) <- value</pre>
```

Arguments

GIObject A GenomicInteractions object

value A vector to replace a slot in the object

Value

GenomicInteractions object

Examples

```
interactionCounts(test) <- c(2,3,8,5)
interactionCounts(test)</pre>
```

show, GenomicInteractions-method

Representation function for GenomicInteractions

Description

Representation function for GenomicInteractions

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
show(object)
```

Arguments

object

A GenomicInteractionsObject

Value

```
invisible(1)
```

sort,GenomicInteractions-method

Sort GenomicInteractions Object

Description

This method will sort a GenomicInteractions object by first arranging all interactions start on the lower-ordered anchor; for trans-chromosomal interactions this is the anchor on the lower ordered chromomsome (defined by the seqlevels factor); and then by the position of the first anchor. See ?"GenomicRanges-comparison" for ordering rules.

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
sort(x, decreasing = FALSE,
    order.interactions = TRUE)
```

Arguments

```
x GenomicInteractions Object
decreasing A logical indicating sort order
order.interactions
```

A logical indicating if interactions should be reordered, or only rearranged so that start(anchorOne) < start(anchorTwo)

Value

A sorted GenomicInteractions object

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subsetByFeatures	Subset a GenomicInteractions object by features
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Description

Subsets interactions for which at least one of the anchors overlaps with a given GRanges object. Alternatively, subsets interactions based on annotated feature IDs for a particular feature.

Usage

```
subsetByFeatures(GIObject, features, feature.class = NULL)

## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions, GRanges, missing'
subsetByFeatures(GIObject,
  features, feature.class = NULL)

## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions, GRangesList, missing'
subsetByFeatures(GIObject,
  features, feature.class = NULL)

## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions, character, character'
subsetByFeatures(GIObject,
  features, feature.class = NULL)
```

Arguments

GIObject A GenomicInteractions object

features A GRanges or GRangesList object, or a character vector containing IDs of an-

notated features, e.g. promoter IDs.

moter".

Value

a subsetted GenomicInteractions object

```
\verb"sum", Genomic Interactions-method"
```

Return the total number of interactions in a GenomicInteractions GIObject

Description

Return the total number of interactions in a GenomicInteractions GIObject

```
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
sum(x)
```

Arguments

Х

GenomicInteractions GIObject

Value

The sum of the counts in GIObject

summariseByFeaturePairs

Summarise the number of interactions between two sets of features.

Description

This function will calculate the number of observed interactions between two sets of features provided by the end-user. This allows the summarisation of the number of features of a specific type a particular region is involved in and how many interactions exist between them.

Usage

```
summariseByFeaturePairs(GIObject, features.one, feature.name.one, features.two,
    feature.name.two)

## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
summariseByFeaturePairs(GIObject, features.one,
    feature.name.one, features.two, feature.name.two)
```

Arguments

GIObject An annotated GenomicInteractions object

features.one A GRanges object containing the feature set of interest

 ${\tt feature.name.one}$

The name of the first feature set of interest

features. two A GRanges object containing the second feature set of interest

feature.name.two

The name of the second feature set of interest

Value

A data frame with one line for each range in 'features'

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summariseByFeatures

Summary statistics of interactions for a given feature set

Description

This function will calculate summary statistics for each element in the given feature set, including the number of interactions (the sum of all interaction counts), number of unique interactions and number of trans- (interchromosomal) interations. It also returns some statistics for the distances of interactions for all interactions of the feature, and for the different interaction types e.g. promoter-distal.

Usage

```
summariseByFeatures(GIObject, features, feature.name,
   distance.method = "midpoint", annotate.self = FALSE)

## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
summariseByFeatures(GIObject, features,
   feature.name, distance.method = "midpoint", annotate.self = FALSE)
```

Arguments

GIObject An annotated GenomicInteractions object features A GRanges object containing the feature set

feature.name The name of the feature set

distance.method

Method for calculating distances between anchors, see ?calculateDistances

annotate.self Logical. Indicates whether to annotate self interactions, i.e. where a feature in

'features' overlaps both anchors of an interaction. Default: FALSE.

Value

A data frame with one line for each range in 'features'

```
trim,GenomicInteractions-method
```

Trim a GenomicInteractions object

Description

This will remove any interactions with an anchor falling outside of the seqlengths in a GenomicInteractions object, and trim ranges which cross the ends of chromosomes.

```
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
trim(x, minAnchorSize = 1, ...)
```

Arguments

x A GenomicInteractions object

minAnchorSize The minimum size anchor to allow when trimming ranges.

... any additional arguments to trim

Value

A trimmed GenomicInteractions object

```
unique\,, {\tt GenomicInteractions-method} \\ unique, {\tt GenomicInteractions-method}
```

Description

Finds unique interactions in a GenomicInteractions object.

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
unique(x, dropMetadata = FALSE)
```

Arguments

x GenomicInteractionsObject

dropMetadata Logical, default FALSE. Whether to drop interaction mcols when considering

unique interactions.

Details

Uniqueness is based on anchor positions and metadata, interaction counts, and interaction metadata (unless dropMetadata is TRUE)

Value

A GenomicInteractions object

Examples

```
library(GenomicInteractions)
data(hic_example_data)
unique(hic_example_data[c(1:4, 1:5)])
```

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C viewpoint

Description

This function creates a GenomicInteractions object representing interactions originating at a given viewpoint ("bait"), or set of viewpoints. This is similar to the idea of a virtual 4C experiment where you are interested in interactions with a specific region.

Usage

```
viewPoint(x, bait, region = NULL, ...)
```

Arguments

Х	A GenomicInteractions object.
bait	A GRanges object describing bait regions.
region	If present, a GenomicInteractions object specifying the region to look for bait interactions in.
	additional arguments to findoverlaps

Details

The object returned has the "bait" as anchor one, and the interacting regions as anchor two. By default this is genome wide. If you only want to consider interactions within a certain distance around the bait, you can specify a region to consider.

Multiple baits can be given, e.g. to find all interactions around promoters.

You may want to visualise the resulting interactions in a genome browser - you can do this by creating coverage over anchor two of the object and exporting as a wig or bedgraph file.

Value

A GenomicInteractions object.

Examples

```
## Not run:
data(hic_data)
library(GenomicRanges)
pos <- GRanges(seqnames="chr5", ranges=IRanges(start=115938063, end=115941352))
region <- GRanges(seqnames="chr5", ranges=IRanges(start=115838063, end=116041352))
viewPoint(hic_data, pos, region)
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

Standard subsetting methods for GenomicInteractions objects

Description

Standard subsetting methods for GenomicInteractions objects

Usage

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```
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions, ANY, ANY' x[i, j, drop]
```

Arguments

x A genomicInteractions object
 i A numeric, logical or Rle vector
 j A numeric or logical vector
 drop Logical. If TRUE, result is coerced to lowest possible dimension.

Value

A GenomicInteractions object containing only the features specified by 'i'.

\$,GenomicInteractions-method

Quick access to GenomicInteractions metadata columns

Description

Quick access to GenomicInteractions metadata columns

Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
x$name
## S4 replacement method for signature 'GenomicInteractions'
x$name <- value</pre>
```

Arguments

x A GenomicInteractions object

name Column to select value Replacement value

Value

A vector containing the contents of the column

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