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.params

Dummy function with function arguments

## Description

This function eases parameter inheritance to centralise the documentation

## Usage

.params()

## Arguments

databaseDir	Path for the KEGG RData files	
internalDir	Logical, is the directory located in the package directory?	
object	FELLA.USER object	
data	FELLA.DATA object	
type	Character vector, containing entries in "hypergeom", "diffusion" or "pagerank"	
level	Desired level, can be coded as a number or a character: 1 or "pathway"; 2 or "module"; 3 or "enzyme"; 4 or "reaction"; 5 or "compound".	
method	Character, exactly one of: "hypergeom", "diffusion", "pagerank"	
methods	Character vector, containing some of: "hypergeom", "diffusion", "pagerank"	
approx	Character: "simulation" for Monte Carlo, "normality", "gamma" or "t" for parametric approaches	
loadMatrix	Character vector to choose if heavy matrices should be loaded. Can contain: "diffusion", "pagerank"	
threshold	Numeric value between 0 and 1. p.score threshold applied when filtering KEGG nodes. Lower thresholds are more stringent.	
thresholdConnectedComponent		
	Numeric value between 0 and 1. Connected components that are below the threshold are kept, while the ones exceeding it (because they are too small) are discarded.	

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Pathway limit, must be a numeric value between 1 and 50. Limits the amount of plimit pathways in method = "hypergeom" nlimit Node limit, must be a numeric value between 1 and 1000. Limits the order of the solution sub-graph when in method = "diffusion" and method = "pagerank" Number of iterations (permutations) for Monte Carlo ("simulation"), must be a niter numeric value between 1e2 and 1e5 layout Logical, should the plot be returned as a layout? An igraph object, typically a small one, coming from an enrichment through graph "diffusion" or "pagerank". GOterm Character, GO entry to draw semantic similarity in the solution graph. If NULL, the GO labels will be appended without similarities. GONamesAsLabels Logical, should GO names be displayed as labels instead of GO identifiers? LabelLengthAtPlot Numeric value between 10 and 50. Maximum length that a label can reach when plotting the graph. The remaining characters will be truncated using "..." godata.options List, options for the database creator godata List, options for the biomaRt function getBM. Importantly, this defines the ormart.options ganism, see listDatasets for possibilities. If calling generateEnzymesTable, the user can set mart.options = NULL to avoid adding GO labels to enzymes. p.adjust Character passed to the p.adjust method Numeric value between 0 and 1 (none inclusive), damping factor d for PageRank dampingFactor (page.rank) t.df Numeric value; number of degrees of freedom of the t distribution if the approximation approx = "t" is used compounds Character vector containing the KEGG IDs of the compounds considered as affected compoundsBackground Character vector containing the KEGG IDs of the compounds that belong to the background. Can be NULL for the default background (all compounds) NamesAsLabels Logical, should KEGG names be displayed as labels instead of KEGG identifiers? capPscores Numeric value, minimum p-score admitted for the readable formatting. Smaller p-scores will be displayed as < capPscores

#### Value

NULL

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checkArguments	Internal function to check arguments and give personalised errors	

## **Description**

This function checks if the arguments are of the desired type, length and range. If it fails, it gives an error explaining why the argument is invalid.

## Usage

```
checkArguments(databaseDir = "myDatabase", internalDir = TRUE,
  method = "diffusion", methods = "diffusion", approx = "normality",
  loadMatrix = NULL, threshold = 0.05, plimit = 15, nlimit = 250,
  niter = 1000, t.df = 10, dampingFactor = 0.85, layout = FALSE,
  thresholdConnectedComponent = 0.05, GOterm = NULL,
  GONamesAsLabels = TRUE, LabelLengthAtPlot = 22,
  object = new("FELLA.USER"), data = new("FELLA.DATA"), ...)
```

## **Arguments**

databaseDir	Path for the KEGG RData files
internalDir	Logical, is the directory located in the package directory?
method	Character, exactly one of: "hypergeom", "diffusion", "pagerank"
methods	Character vector, containing some of: "hypergeom", "diffusion", "pagerank"
approx	Character: "simulation" for Monte Carlo, "normality", "gamma" or "t" for parametric approaches
loadMatrix	Character vector to choose if heavy matrices should be loaded. Can contain: "diffusion", "pagerank"
threshold	Numeric value between 0 and 1. p.score threshold applied when filtering KEGG nodes. Lower thresholds are more stringent.
plimit	Pathway limit, must be a numeric value between 1 and 50. Limits the amount of pathways in method = "hypergeom"
nlimit	Node limit, must be a numeric value between 1 and 1000. Limits the order of the solution sub-graph when in method = "diffusion" and method = "pagerank"
niter	Number of iterations (permutations) for Monte Carlo ("simulation"), must be a numeric value between 1e2 and 1e5
t.df	Numeric value; number of degrees of freedom of the t distribution if the approximation $approx = "t"$ is used
dampingFactor	Numeric value between 0 and 1 (none inclusive), damping factor d for PageRank (page.rank)
layout	Logical, should the plot be returned as a layout?

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thresholdConnectedComponent

Numeric value between 0 and 1. Connected components that are below the threshold are kept, while the ones exceeding it (because they are too small) are

discarded.

GOterm Character, GO entry to draw semantic similarity in the solution graph. If NULL,

the GO labels will be appended without similarities.

GONamesAsLabels

Logical, should GO names be displayed as labels instead of GO identifiers?

LabelLengthAtPlot

Numeric value between 10 and 50. Maximum length that a label can reach when

plotting the graph. The remaining characters will be truncated using "..."

object FELLA.USER object data FELLA.DATA object ignored arguments

#### Value

A list with values. Currently only a logical value named valid if the process runs smoothly. If the checking fails, it also returns an object called ans, which depends on the situation (can be the original object, NULL, et cetera).

## **Examples**

```
## This function is internal
arg1 <- FELLA:::checkArguments(method = "hello")
arg1$valid
arg2 <- FELLA:::checkArguments(method = "diffusion")
arg2$valid</pre>
```

D.diffusion-class

An internal S4 class for the diffusion data

## Description

An internal S4 class for the diffusion data

#### **Slots**

```
matrix Numeric (dense) matrix [optional]
rowSums Numeric named vector with rowSums internal data
squaredRowSums Numeric named vector with squaredRowSums internal data
```

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D.hypergeom-class

An internal S4 class for the binary matrix (hypergeometric test)

#### **Description**

An internal S4 class for the binary matrix (hypergeometric test)

## **Slots**

matrix Binary sparse matrix

D.keggdata-class

An internal S4 class to represent the KEGG graph and related files

#### **Description**

An internal S4 class to represent the KEGG graph and related files

#### **Slots**

graph KEGG graph
id2name Mapping list: KEGG ID to KEGG name (can contain multiple hits)
pvalues.size Numeric matrix for the evaluation of CC through their size
id List with character vectors for KEGG categories
status Character that specifies the current status of this S4 class

D.pagerank-class

An internal S4 class for the PageRank data

#### **Description**

An internal S4 class for the PageRank data

## **Slots**

```
matrix Numeric (dense) matrix [optional]
rowSums Numeric named vector with rowSums internal data
squaredRowSums Numeric named vector with squaredRowSums internal data
```

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data-funs	Parse, build and load the KEGG knowledge model

#### **Description**

Function buildGraphFromKEGGREST makes use of the KEGG REST API (requires internet connection) to build and return the curated KEGG graph.

Function buildDataFromGraph takes as input the KEGG graph generated by buildGraphFromKEGGREST and writes the KEGG knowledge model in the desired permanent directory.

Function loadKEGGdata loads the internal files containing the KEGG knowledge model into a FELLA.DATA object.

In general, generateGraphFromKEGGREST and generateDataFromGraph are one-time executions for a given organism and knowledge model, in this precise order. On the other hand, the user needs to run loadKEGGdata in every new R session to load such model into a FELLA.DATA object.

#### Usage

```
buildGraphFromKEGGREST(organism = "hsa", filter.path = NULL)
buildDataFromGraph(keggdata.graph = NULL, databaseDir = NULL,
   internalDir = TRUE, matrices = c("hypergeom", "diffusion",
   "pagerank"), normality = c("diffusion", "pagerank"),
   dampingFactor = 0.85, niter = 100)

loadKEGGdata(databaseDir = tail(listInternalDatabases(), 1),
   internalDir = TRUE, loadMatrix = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

organism	Character, KEGG code for the organism of interest
filter.path	Character vector, pathways to filter. This is a pattern matched using regexp. E.g: "01100" to filter the overview metabolic pathway in any species
keggdata.graph	An <b>igraph</b> object generated by the function buildGraphFromKEGGREST
databaseDir	Character containing the directory to save KEGG files. It is a relative directory inside the library location if internalDir = TRUE. If left to NULL, an automatic name containing the date, organism and the KEGG release is generated.
internalDir	Logical, should the directory be internal in the package directory?
matrices	A character vector, containing any of these: "hypergeom", "diffusion", "pagerank"
normality	A character vector, containing any of these: "diffusion", "pagerank"
dampingFactor	Numeric value between 0 and 1 (none inclusive), damping factor d for PageRank (page.rank)
niter	Numeric value, number of iterations to estimate the p-values for the CC size. Between 10 and 1e3.
loadMatrix	Character vector to choose if heavy matrices should be loaded. Can contain: "diffusion", "pagerank"

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#### **Details**

In function buildGraphFromKEGGREST, The user specifies (i) an organism, and (ii) patterns matching pathways that should not be included as nodes. A graph object, as described in [Picart-Armada, 2017], is built from the comprehensive KEGG database [Kanehisa, 2017]. As described in the main vignette, accessible through browseVignettes("FELLA"), this graph has five levels that represent categories of KEGG nodes. From top to bottom: pathways, modules, enzymes, reactions and compounds. This knowledge representation is resemblant to the one formerly used by MetScape [Karnovsky, 2011], in which enzymes connect to genes instead of modules and pathways. The necessary KEGG annotations are retrieved through KEGGREST R package [Tenenbaum, 2013]. Connections between pathways/modules and enzymes are inferred through organism-specific genes, i.e. an edge is added if a gene connects both entries. However, in order to enrich metabolomics data, the user has to pass the graph object to buildDataFromGraph to obtain the FELLA. USER object. All the networks are handled with the igraph R package [Csardi, 2006].

Using buildDataFromGraph is the second step to use the FELLA package. The knoledge graph is used to compute other internal variables that are required to run any enrichment. The main point behind the enrichment is to provide a small part of the knowledge graph relevant to the supplied metabolites. This is accomplished through diffusion processes and random walks, followed by a statistical normalisation, as described in [Picart-Armada, 2017]. When building the internal files, the user can choose whether to store (i) matrices for each provided method, and (ii) vectors derived from such matrices to use the parametric approaches. These are optional but enable (i) faster permutations and custom metabolite backgrounds, and (ii) parametric approaches. WARNING: diffusion and PageRank matrices in (i) can allocate up to 250MB each. On the other hand, the niter parameter controls the amount of trials to approximate the distribution of the connected component size under uniform node sampling. For further info, see the option thresholdConnectedComponent in the details from ?generateResultsGraph. Regarding the destination, the user can specify the name of the directory. Otherwise a name containing the creation date, the organism and the KEGG release will be used. The database can be stored within the library path or in a custom location.

Function loadKEGGdata returns a FELLA.DATA object from any of the databases generated by FELLA.DATA. This object is the starting point of any enrichment using FELLA. In case the user built the matrices for "diffusion" and "pagerank", he or she can choose to load them. Further detail on the methods can be found in [Picart-Armada, 2017]. The matrices allow a faster computation and the definition of a custom background, but use up to 250MB of memory each.

#### Value

buildGraphFromKEGGREST returns the curated KEGG graph (class **igraph**)

buildDataFromGraph returns invisible(TRUE) if successful. As a side effect, the directory outdir is created, containing the internal data.

loadKEGGdata returns the FELLA. DATA object that contains the KEGG knowledge representation.

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#### See Also

```
class FELLA, DATA
```

```
## Toy example
## In this case, the graph is not built from current KEGG.
## It is loaded from sample data in FELLA
data("FELLA.sample")
## Graph to build the database (this example is a bit hacky)
g.sample <- FELLA:::getGraph(FELLA.sample)</pre>
dir.tmp <- paste0(tempdir(), "/", paste(sample(letters), collapse = ""))</pre>
## Build internal files in a temporary directory
buildDataFromGraph(
keggdata.graph = g.sample,
databaseDir = dir.tmp,
internalDir = FALSE,
matrices = NULL,
normality = NULL,
dampingFactor = 0.85,
niter = 10)
## Load database
myFELLA.DATA <- loadKEGGdata(</pre>
dir.tmp,
internalDir = FALSE)
myFELLA.DATA
## Not run:
## Full example
## First step: graph for Mus musculus discarding the mmu01100 pathway
## (an analog example can be built from human using organism = "hsa")
g.mmu <- buildGraphFromKEGGREST(</pre>
organism = "mmu",
filter.path = "mmu01100")
summary(g.mmu)
cat(comment(g.mmu))
## Second step: build internal files for this graph
## (consumes some time and memory, especially if we compute
"diffusion" and "pagerank" matrices)
buildDataFromGraph(
```

```
keggdata.graph = g.mmu,
databaseDir = "example_db_mmu",
internalDir = TRUE,
matrices = c("hypergeom", "diffusion", "pagerank"),
normality = c("diffusion", "pagerank"),
dampingFactor = 0.85,
niter = 1e3)
## Third step: load the internal files into a FELLA.DATA object
FELLA.DATA.mmu <- loadKEGGdata(
"example_db_mmu",
internalDir = TRUE,
loadMatrix = c("diffusion", "pagerank"))
FELLA.DATA.mmu
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

enrich-funs

Functions to map and enrich a list of metabolites

## Description

Function defineCompounds creates a FELLA. USER object from a list of compounds and a FELLA. DATA object.

Functions runHypergeom, runDiffusion and runPagerank perform an enrichment on a FELLA. USER with the mapped input metabolites (through defineCompounds) and a FELLA. DATA object. They are based on the hypergeometric test, the heat diffusion model and the PageRank algorithm, respectively.

Function enrich is a wrapper with the following order: loadKEGGdata (optional), defineCompounds and one or more in runHypergeom, runDiffusion and runPagerank

#### Usage

```
defineCompounds(compounds = NULL, compoundsBackground = NULL,
    data = NULL)

runHypergeom(object = NULL, data = NULL, p.adjust = "fdr")

runDiffusion(object = NULL, data = NULL, approx = "normality",
    t.df = 10, niter = 1000)

runPagerank(object = NULL, data = NULL, approx = "normality",
    dampingFactor = 0.85, t.df = 10, niter = 1000)

enrich(compounds = NULL, compoundsBackground = NULL,
    methods = listMethods(), loadMatrix = "none", approx = "normality",
    t.df = 10, niter = 1000, databaseDir = NULL, internalDir = TRUE,
    data = NULL, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

compounds Character vector containing the KEGG IDs of the compounds considered as

affected

compoundsBackground

Character vector containing the KEGG IDs of the compounds that belong to the

background. Can be NULL for the default background (all compounds)

data FELLA.DATA object object FELLA.USER object

p.adjust Character passed to the p.adjust method

approx Character: "simulation" for Monte Carlo, "normality", "gamma" or "t" for para-

metric approaches

t.df Numeric value; number of degrees of freedom of the t distribution if the approx-

imation approx = "t" is used

niter Number of iterations (permutations) for Monte Carlo ("simulation"), must be a

numeric value between 1e2 and 1e5

dampingFactor Numeric value between 0 and 1 (none inclusive), damping factor d for PageRank

(page.rank)

methods Character vector, containing some of: "hypergeom", "diffusion", "pagerank"

loadMatrix Character vector to choose if heavy matrices should be loaded. Can contain:

"diffusion", "pagerank"

databaseDir Character, path to load the FELLA. DATA object if it is not already passed through

the argument data

internalDir Logical, is the directory located in the package directory?

... Further arguments for the enrichment function(s) runDiffusion, runPagerank

#### Details

Function defineCompounds maps the specificid list of KEGG compounds [Kanehisa, 2017], usually from an experimental metabolomics study, to the graph contained in the FELLA.DATA object. Importantly, the names must be KEGG ids, so other formats (common names, HMDB ids, etc) must be mapped to KEGG first. For example, through the "Compound ID Conversion" tool in MetaboAnalyst [Xia, 2015]. The user can also define a personalised background as a list of KEGG compound ids, which should be more extensive than the list of input metabolites. Once the compounds are mapped, the enrichment can be performed through runHypergeom, runDiffusion and runPagerank.

Function runHypergeom performs an over representation analysis through the hypergeometric test [Fisher, 1935] on a FELLA.USER object with mapped metabolites and a FELLA.DATA object. If a custom background was specified, it will be used. This approach is included for completeness and it is not the main purpose behind the FELLA package. Importantly, runHypergeom is not a hypergeometric test using the original KEGG pathways. Instead, a compound "belongs" to a "pathway" if it can reach the original pathway in the upwards-directed KEGG graph. This is a way to evaluate enrichment including indirect connections to a pathway, e.g. through an enzymatic family. New "pathways" are expected to be larger than the original pathways in this analysis and therefore the results can differ from the standard over representation.

Function runDiffusion performs the diffusion-based enrichment on a FELLA. USER object with mapped metabolites and a FELLA. DATA object [Picart-Armada, 2017]. If a custom background was specified, it will be used. The idea behind the heat diffusion is the usage of the finite difference formulation of the heat equation to propagate labels from the metabolites to the rest of the graph.

Following the notation in [Picart-Armada, 2017], the temperatures (diffusion scores) are computed as:

$$T = -KI^{-1} \cdot G$$

G is an indicator vector of the input metabolites (1 if input metabolite, 0 otherwise). KI is the matrix -KI = L + B, being L the unnormalised graph Laplacian and B the diagonal matrix with B[i,i] = 1 if node i is a pathway and B[i,i] = 0 otherwise.

Equivalently, with the notation in the HotNet approach [Vandin, 2011], the stationary temperature is named fs:

$$f^s = L_{\gamma}^{-1} \cdot b^s$$

bs is the indicator vector G from above. Lgamma, on the other hand, is found as Lgamma = L + gamma\*I, where L is the unnormalised graph Laplacian, gamma is the first order leaking rate and I is the identity matrix. In our formulation, only the pathway nodes are allowed to leak, therefore I is switched to B. The parameter gamma is set to gamma = 1.

The input metabolites are forced to stay warm, propagating flow to all the nodes in the network. However, only pathway nodes are allowed to evacuate this flow, so that its directionality is bottom-up. Further details on the setup of the diffusion process can be found in the supplementary file S2 from [Picart-Armada, 2017].

Finally, the warmest nodes in the graph are reported as the relevant sub-network. This will probably include some input metabolites and also reactions, enzymes, modules and pathways. Other metabolites can be suggested as well.

Function runPagerank performs the random walk based enrichment on a FELLA. USER object with mapped metabolites and a FELLA. DATA object. If a custom background was specified, it will be used. PageRank was originally conceived as a scoring system for websites [Page, 1999]. Intuitively, PageRank favours nodes that (1) have a large amount of nodes pointing at them, and (2) whose pointing nodes also have high scores. Classical PageRank is formulated in terms of a random walker - the PageRank of a given node is the stationary probability of the walker visiting it.

The walker chooses, in each step, whether to continue the random walk with probability dampingFactor or to restart it with probability 1 – dampingFactor. In the original publication, dampingFactor = 0.85, which is the value used in FELLA by default. If he or she continues, an edge is picked from the outgoing edges in the current node with a probability proportional to its weight. If he or she restarts it, a node is uniformly picked from the whole graph. The "personalised PageRank" variant allows a user-defined distribution as the source of new random walks. The R package igraph contains such variant in its page.rank function [Csardi, 2006].

As described in the supplement S3 from [Picart-Armada, 2017], the PageRank PR can be computed as a column vector by imposing a stationary state in the probability. With a damping factor d and the user-defined distribution p as a column vector:

$$PR = d \cdot M \cdot PR + (1 - d) \cdot p$$

M is the matrix whose element M[i,j] is the probability of transitioning from j to i. If node j has outgoing edges, their probability is proportional to their weight - all weights must be positive. If node j has no outgoing edges, the probability is uniform over all the nodes, i.e. M[i,j] = 1/nrow(M) for every i. Note that all the columns from M sum up exactly 1. This leads to an expression to compute PageRank:

$$PR = (1 - d)p \cdot (I - dM)^{-1}$$

The idea behind the method "pagerank" is closely related to "diffusion". Relevant metabolites are the sources of new random walks and nodes are scored through their PageRank. Specifically, p is set to a uniform probability on the input metabolites. More details on the setup can be found in the supplementary file S3 from [Picart-Armada, 2017].

There is an important detail for "diffusion" and "pagerank": the scores are statistically normalised. Omitting this normalisation leads to a systematic bias, especially in pathway nodes, as described in [Picart-Armada, 2017].

Therefore, in both cases, scores undergo a normalisation through permutation analysis. The score of a node i is compared to its null distribution under input permutation, leading to their p-scores. As described in [Picart-Armada, 2017], two alternatives are offered: a parametric and deterministic approach and a non-parametric, stochastic one.

Stochastic Monte Carlo trials ("simulation") imply randomly permuting the input niter times and counting, for each node i, how many trials led to an equally or more extreme value than the original score. An empirical p-value is returned [North, 2002].

On the other hand, the parametric scores (approx = "normality") give a z-score for such permutation analysis. The expected value and variance of such null distributions are known quantities, see supplementary file S4 from [Picart-Armada, 2017]. To work in the same range [0,1], z-scores are transformed using the routine pnorm. The user can also choose the Student's t using approx = "t" and choosing a number of degrees of freedom through t.df. This uses the function pt instead. Alternatively, a gamma distribution can be used by setting approx = "gamma". The theoretical mean (E) and variance (V) are used to define the shape (E^2/V) and scale (V/E) of the gamma distribution, and pgamma to map to [0,1].

Any sub-network prioritised by "diffusion" and "pagerank" is selected by applying a threshold on the p-scores.

Finally, the function enrich is a wrapper to perform the enrichment analysis. If no FELLA.DATA object is supplied, it loads it, maps the affected compounds and performs the desired enrichment(s) with a single call. Returned is a list with the loaded FELLA.DATA object and the results in a FELLA.USER object. Conversely, the user can supply the FELLA.DATA object and the wrapper will map the metabolites and run the desired enrichment method(s). In this case, only the FELLA.USER will be returned.

#### Value

defineCompounds returns the FELLA. USER object with the mapped metabolites, ready to be enriched.

runHypergeom returns a FELLA. USER object updated with the hypergeometric test results runDiffusion returns a FELLA. USER object updated with the diffusion enrichment results runPagerank returns a FELLA. USER object updated with the PageRank enrichment results

enrich returns a FELLA. USER object updated with the desired enrichment results if the FELLA. DATA was supplied. Otherwise, a list with the freshly loaded FELLA. DATA object and the corresponding enrichment in the FELLA. USER object.

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```
## Load the internal database.
## This one is a toy example!
## Do not use as a regular database
data(FELLA.sample)
## Load a list of compounds to enrich
data(input.sample)
## Example, step by step
## First, map the compounds
obj <- defineCompounds(</pre>
compounds = c(input.sample, "I_dont_map", "me_neither"),
data = FELLA.sample)
## See the mapped and unmapped compounds
getInput(obj)
getExcluded(obj)
## Compounds are already mapped
## We can enrich using any method now
## If no compounds are mapped an error is thrown. Example:
## Not run:
```

```
data(FELLA.sample)
obj <- defineCompounds(</pre>
compounds = c("C00049", "C00050"),
data = FELLA.sample)
## End(Not run)
## Enrich using hypergeometric test
obj <- runHypergeom(</pre>
object = obj,
data = FELLA.sample)
obj
## Enrich using diffusion
## Note how the results are added;
## the hypergeometric results are not overwritten
obj <- runDiffusion(</pre>
object = obj,
approx = "normality",
data = FELLA.sample)
obj
## Enrich using PageRank
## Again, this does not overwrite other methods
obj <- runPagerank(</pre>
object = obj,
approx = "simulation",
data = FELLA.sample)
obj
## Example using the "enrich" wrapper
## Only diffusion
obj.wrap <- enrich(</pre>
compounds = input.sample,
method = "diffusion",
data = FELLA.sample)
obj.wrap
## All the methods
obj.wrap <- enrich(</pre>
compounds = input.sample,
methods = FELLA::listMethods(),
data = FELLA.sample)
obj.wrap
```

#### **Description**

In general, generateResultsTable, generateEnzymesTable and generateResultsGraph provide the results of an enrichment in several formats.

Function generateResultsTable returns a table that contains the best hits from a FELLA.USER object with a successful enrichment analysis. Similarly, generateEnzymesTable returns a data frame with the best scoring enzyme families and their annotated genes.

Function generateResultsGraph gives a sub-network, plottable through plotGraph, with the nodes with the lowest p.score from an enrichment analysis. Function addGOToGraph can be applied to such sub-networks to overlay GO labels and similarity to a user-defined GO term.

Function exportResults is a wrapper around generateResultsTable, generateEnzymesTable and generateResultsGraph to write the results to files.

#### Usage

```
generateResultsTable(method = "diffusion", threshold = 0.05,
   plimit = 15, nlimit = 250, LabelLengthAtPlot = 45,
   capPscores = 1e-06, object = NULL, data = NULL, ...)
generateEnzymesTable(method = "diffusion", threshold = 0.05,
   nlimit = 250, LabelLengthAtPlot = 45, capPscores = 1e-06,
   mart.options = list(biomart = "ensembl", dataset =
    "hsapiens_gene_ensembl"), object = NULL, data = NULL, ...)
generateResultsGraph(method = "diffusion", threshold = 0.05,
   plimit = 15, nlimit = 250, thresholdConnectedComponent = 0.05,
   LabelLengthAtPlot = 22, object = NULL, data = NULL, ...)
exportResults(format = "csv", file = "myOutput",
   method = "diffusion", object = NULL, data = NULL, ...)
addGOToGraph(graph = NULL, GOterm = NULL, godata.options = list(OrgDb
   = "org.Hs.eg.db", ont = "CC"), mart.options = list(biomart = "ensembl",
   dataset = "hsapiens_gene_ensembl"))
plotGraph(graph = NULL, layout = FALSE, graph.layout = NULL,
   plotLegend = TRUE, plot.fun = "plot.igraph", NamesAsLabels = TRUE,
    ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

method	one in "diffusion", "pagerank"
threshold	Numeric value between 0 and 1. p.score threshold applied when filtering KEGG nodes. Lower thresholds are more stringent.
plimit	Pathway limit, must be a numeric value between 1 and 50. Limits the amount of pathways in method = "hypergeom"
nlimit	Node limit, must be a numeric value between 1 and 1000. Limits the order of the solution sub-graph when in method = "diffusion" and method = "pagerank"

LabelLengthAtPlot

Numeric value between 10 and 50. Maximum length that a label can reach when

plotting the graph. The remaining characters will be truncated using "..."

capPscores Numeric value, minimum p-score admitted for the readable formatting. Smaller

p-scores will be displayed as < capPscores

object FELLA.USER object data FELLA.DATA object

... Optional arguments for the plotting function in plotGraph. Arguments passed

to the exporting function in exportResults. Ignored otherwise.

mart.options List, options for the biomaRt function getBM. Importantly, this defines the or-

ganism, see listDatasets for possibilities. If calling generateEnzymesTable, the user can set mart.options = NULL to avoid adding GO labels to enzymes.

thresholdConnectedComponent

Numeric value between 0 and 1. Connected components that are below the threshold are kept, while the ones exceeding it (because they are too small) are

discarded.

format Character, one of: "csv" for regular results table, "enzyme" for table with en-

zyme data, "igraph" for igraph format. Alternatively, any format supported by

igraph, see write\_graph

file Character specifying the output file name

graph An **igraph** object, typically a small one, coming from an enrichment through

"diffusion" or "pagerank".

GOterm Character, GO entry to draw semantic similarity in the solution graph. If NULL,

the GO labels will be appended without similarities.

godata.options List, options for the database creator godata

layout Logical, should the plot be returned as a layout?

graph.layout Two-column numeric matrix, if this argument is not null then it is used as graph

layout

plotLegend Logical, should the legend be plotted as well?

plot.fun Character, can be either plot.igraph or tkplot

NamesAsLabels Logical, should KEGG names be displayed as labels instead of KEGG identi-

fiers?

#### **Details**

Functions generateResultsTable and generateEnzymesTable need a FELLA.DATA object and a FELLA.USER object with a successful enrichment. generateResultsTable provides the entries whose p-score is below the chosen threshold in a tabular format. generateEnzymesTable returns a table that contains (1) the enzymes that are below the user-defined p-score threshold, along with (2) the genes that belong to the enzymatic families in the organism defined in the database, and (3) GO labels of such enzymes, if mart.options is not NULL and points to the right database.

Function generateResultsGraph returns an **igraph** object with a relevant sub-network for manual examination. A FELLA.USER object with a successful enrichment analysis and the corresponding

FELLA. DATA must be supplied. Graph nodes are prioritised by p.score and selected through the most stringent between (1) p.score threshold and (2) maximum number of nodes nlimit.

There is an additional filtering feature for tiny connected components, controllable through thresholdConnectedComponent (smaller is stricter). The user can choose to turn off this filter by setting thresholdConnectedComponent

= 1. The idea is to discard connected components so small that are likely to arise from random selection of nodes. Let k be the order of the current sub-network. A connected component of order r will be kept only if the probability that a random subgraph from the whole KEGG knowledge model of order k contains a connected component of order at least r is smaller than thresholdConnectedComponent. Such probabilities are estimated during buildDataFromGraph; the amount of random trials can be controlled by its niter argument.

Function exportResults writes the enrichment results as the specified filetype. Options are: a csv table ("csv"), an enzyme csv table ("enzyme") an **igraph** object as an RData file, or any format supported by igraph's write\_graph.

Function addGOToGraph takes and returns a graph object with class **igraph** adding the following attributes: GO labels in V(graph)\$GO, and semantic similarities in V(graph)\$GO.simil if GOterm != NULL.

The GO database describes genes in terms of three ontologies: molecular function (MF), biological process (BP) and cellular component (CC) [Gene Ontology Consortium, 2015]. The user can be interested in finding which enzymatic families reported with a low p. score are closest to a particular GO term. To assess similarity between GO labels, FELLA uses the semantic similarity defined in [Yu, 2010] and their implementation in the **GOSemSim** R package. The user will obtain, for each enzymatic family, the closest GO term to his or her GO query and the semantic similarity between them. Exact matches have a similarity of 1. Function plotGraph detects the presence of the GO similarity option and plots its magnitude.

Function plotGraph plots a solution graph from the diffusion and pagerank analysis. For plotting hypergeom results, please use plot instead. Specific colors and shapes for each KEGG category are used: pathways are maroon, modules are violet, enzymes are orange, reactions are blue and compounds are green. If the graph contains the similarity to a GO term, enzymes will be displayed as triangles whose color depicts the strength of such measure (yellow: weak, purple: strong). At the moment, plotGraph allows plotting throug the static plot.igraph and the interactive tkplot.

#### Value

generateResultsTable returns a data.frame that contains the nodes below the p.score threshold from an enrichment analysis

generateEnzymesTable returns a data.frame that contains the enzymes below the p.score threshold, along with their genes and GO labels

generateResultsGraph returns an **igraph** object: a sub-network from the whole KEGG knowledge model under the specified thresholds (threshold and thresholdConnectedComponent)

exportResults returns invisible(), but as a side effect the specified file is created.

addGOToGraph returns an **igraph** object, which is the input graph with extra attributes: GO labels in V(graph)\$GO, and semantic similarities in V(graph)\$GO.simil if GOterm!= NULL

plotGraph returns invisible() if layout = F and the plotting layout as a data.frame otherwise.

#### References

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Yu, G., Li, F., Qin, Y., Bo, X., Wu, Y., & Wang, S. (2010). GOSemSim: an R package for measuring semantic similarity among GO terms and gene products. Bioinformatics, 26(7), 976-978.

```
## First generate a toy enrichment
library(igraph)
data(FELLA.sample)
data(input.sample)
## Enrich input
obj <- enrich(</pre>
compounds = input.sample,
data = FELLA.sample)
##############################
## Results table
tab.res <- generateResultsTable(</pre>
method = "hypergeom",
threshold = 0.1,
object = obj,
data = FELLA.sample)
head(tab.res)
tab.res <- generateResultsTable(</pre>
method = "diffusion",
threshold = 0.1,
object = obj,
data = FELLA.sample)
head(tab.res)
########################
## Use wrapper to write the table to a file
out.file <- tempfile()</pre>
exportResults(
format = "csv",
threshold = 0.1,
file = out.file,
object = obj,
data = FELLA.sample)
tab.wrap <- read.csv(out.file)</pre>
head(tab.wrap)
#############################
## Enzymes table
tab.ec <- generateEnzymesTable(</pre>
threshold = 0.1,
object = obj,
data = FELLA.sample,
```

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```
mart.options = NULL)
head(tab.ec)
## Generate graph
g.res <- generateResultsGraph(</pre>
method = "pagerank",
threshold = 0.1,
object = obj,
data = FELLA.sample)
g.res
## Plot graph (without GO terms)
plotGraph(g.res)
## Add similarity to the GO CC term "mitochondrion"
## Not run:
g.cc <- FELLA:::addGOToGraph(</pre>
graph = g.res,
GOterm = "GO:0005739")
## Plot graph (with GO terms)
plotGraph(g.cc)
## Without the CC
any(V(g.res)\$G0.simil >= 0)
## With the CC
v.cc <- unlist(V(g.cc)$GO.simil)</pre>
sum(v.cc >= 0, na.rm = TRUE)
## Similarity values
table(v.cc)
## End(Not run)
```

**FELLA** 

The FELLA package

#### **Description**

FELLA is a metabolomics data enrichment tool that contextualises a list of metabolites using KEGG reactions, enzymes, modules and pathways [Picart-Armada, 2017].

#### **Details**

FELLA can build knowledge models for the desired organism from the KEGG database [Kanehisa, 2017]. Once a model is ready, the input for the enrichment is introduced as a list of affected metabolites (as KEGG IDs). The output contains a comprehensive biological network layout that relates relevant pathways to the affected metabolites. Results are available in network and tabular format.

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FELLA is equipped with a simple graphical interface for the lay user, deployed through launchApp.

FELLA relies mainly on the following packages: KEGGREST for the queries to the KEGG server [Tenenbaum, 2013], **igraph** for the network support [Csardi, 2006] and **shiny** for the graphical user interface [Chang, 2017].

#### References

#### Methodology:

Picart-Armada, S., Fernandez-Albert, F., Vinaixa, M., Rodriguez, M. A., Aivio, S., Stracker, T. H., Yanes, O., & Perera-Lluna, A. (2017). Null diffusion-based enrichment for metabolomics data. PLOS ONE, 12(12), e0189012.

#### Database:

Kanehisa, M., Furumichi, M., Tanabe, M., Sato, Y., & Morishima, K. (2017). KEGG: new perspectives on genomes, pathways, diseases and drugs. Nucleic acids research, 45(D1), D353-D361.

## Main dependencies:

Tenenbaum, D. (2013). KEGGREST: Client-side REST access to KEGG. R package version, 1(1).

Csardi, G., & Nepusz, T. (2006). The igraph software package for complex network research. InterJournal, Complex Systems, 1695(5), 1-9.

Chang, W., Cheng, J., Allaire, JJ., Xie, Y., & McPherson, J. (2017). shiny: Web Application Framework for R. R package version 1.0.5. https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=shiny

#### **Examples**

## Walkthrough
browseVignettes("FELLA")
## I: create database
?buildGraphFromKEGGREST
## II: enrich data
?enrich
## III: export results
?exportResults

FELLA.DATA-class

An S4 class to represent all the necessary KEGG data

#### **Description**

An S4 class to represent all the necessary KEGG data "show" is an S4 method to show a FELLA.DATA object

#### Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'FELLA.DATA'
show(object)
```

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## **Arguments**

object A FELLA. DATA object

#### Value

show returns invisible()

#### **Slots**

```
keggdata A D.keggdata S4 object
hypergeom A D.hypergeom S4 object
diffusion A D.diffusion S4 object
pagerank A D.pagerank S4 object
```

FELLA.sample

FELLA.DATA sample data

## **Description**

This FELLA. DATA object is a small KEGG graph object. Despite being a small database that only contains the two metabolic pathways hsa00010 - Glycolysis / Gluconeogenesis, and hsa00640 - Propanoate metabolism, it is useful to play around with FELLA's functions. It is also used for internal testing of this package.

## Usage

```
data(FELLA.sample)
```

#### **Format**

An object of class FELLA. DATA of length 1.

#### Value

```
A FELLA. DATA object
```

#### **Source**

```
Generated from a mid-2017 KEGG release (http://www.genome.jp/kegg/)
```

```
data(FELLA.sample)
```

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FELLA. USER-class

An S4 class to save all the user analysis data

#### **Description**

Assigning the value of show to a variable will provide small data frames with the best scoring pathways (hypergeom) and the best nodes in the KEGG network (diffusion and pagerank)

#### Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'FELLA.USER'
show(object)

## S4 method for signature 'FELLA.USER,missing'
plot(x = new("FELLA.USER"),
    method = "hypergeom", threshold = 0.05, plimit = 15,
    nlimit = 250, layout = FALSE, thresholdConnectedComponent = 0.05,
    LabelLengthAtPlot = 22, data = NULL, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

object A FELLA. USER object
x A FELLA. USER object

method Character, exactly one of: "hypergeom", "diffusion", "pagerank"

threshold Numeric value between 0 and 1. p. score threshold applied when filtering

KEGG nodes. Lower thresholds are more stringent.

plimit Pathway limit, must be a numeric value between 1 and 50. Limits the amount of

pathways in method = "hypergeom"

nlimit Node limit, must be a numeric value between 1 and 1000. Limits the order of the

solution sub-graph when in method = "diffusion" and method = "pagerank"

layout Logical, should the plot be returned as a layout?

thresholdConnectedComponent

Numeric value between 0 and 1. Connected components that are below the threshold are kept, while the ones exceeding it (because they are too small) are

discarded.

 ${\tt LabelLengthAtPlot}$ 

Numeric value between 10 and 50. Maximum length that a label can reach when

plotting the graph. The remaining characters will be truncated using "..."

data FELLA.DATA object

... Additional arguments passed to plotting functions

#### Value

show invisibly returns a list of data frames with the best hits for each applied method plot returns a layout if layout = T, otherwise invisible()

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## **Slots**

```
userinput A U. userinput S4 object
hypergeom A U. hypergeom S4 object
diffusion A U. diffusion S4 object
pagerank A U. pagerank S4 object
```

getBackground

Get compounds in the defined background

## **Description**

Extractor function for the compounds defined as background

## Usage

```
getBackground(object)
```

## **Arguments**

object

FELLA.USER object

#### Value

Vector of compounds in the background. If this vector is empty, all the compounds are used as background by default.

```
data(FELLA.sample)
data(input.sample)
input <- head(input.sample, 12)</pre>
## If the background is default, we see an empty vector
## Note that the number of iterations is really small in the example
obj <- enrich(</pre>
compounds = input,
method = "diffusion",
approx = "simulation",
niter = 100,
data = FELLA.sample)
getBackground(obj)
## Otherwise we see the background compounds that mapped to the graph
obj <- enrich(</pre>
compounds = input,
compoundsBackground = input.sample,
method = "diffusion",
```

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```
approx = "simulation",
niter = 100,
data = FELLA.sample)
getBackground(obj)
```

getCom

Get community

## Description

Extractor function for all the nodes from a level/community of KEGG graph

## Usage

```
getCom(data, level, format = "name")
```

## Arguments

data FELLA.DATA object

level Desired level, can be coded as a number or a character: 1 or "pathway"; 2 or

"module"; 3 or "enzyme"; 4 or "reaction"; 5 or "compound".

format Format of the output, "name" returns KEGG IDs whereas "id" returns vertices

IDs

## Value

Vector of the names/ids of the desired KEGG graph community

```
data(FELLA.sample)
## Pathways
getCom(FELLA.sample, 1, format = "name")
getCom(FELLA.sample, 1, format = "id")
## Modules
getCom(FELLA.sample, 2)
## Enzymes
head(getCom(FELLA.sample, 3))
## Reactions
head(getCom(FELLA.sample, 4))
## Compounds
head(getCom(FELLA.sample, 5))
```

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getExcluded

Get excluded compounds

## **Description**

Extractor function for the compounds in the input that were not mapped to the KEGG graph

## Usage

```
getExcluded(object)
```

## **Arguments**

object

FELLA.USER object

## Value

Vector of the excluded compounds

## **Examples**

```
data(FELLA.sample)
data(input.sample)

## No excluded compounds
obj <- defineCompounds(
compounds = input.sample,
data = FELLA.sample)
getExcluded(obj)

## One compound does not map
## The user gets a warning as well
obj <- defineCompounds(
compounds = c(input.sample, "intruder"),
data = FELLA.sample)
getExcluded(obj)</pre>
```

getGraph

Get KEGG graph

## **Description**

Extractor function for the KEGG graph from the FELLA.DATA object

## Usage

```
getGraph(data)
```

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## **Arguments**

data

FELLA.DATA object

## Value

KEGG graph as an igraph object

## Examples

```
data(FELLA.sample)
g <- getGraph(FELLA.sample)
class(g)</pre>
```

getInfo

Get KEGG version info

## Description

Extractor function for the info about the KEGG version used to build the FELLA.DATA object

## Usage

```
getInfo(data)
```

## Arguments

data

FELLA.DATA object

## Value

Character containing the KEGG release details

```
data(FELLA.sample)
getInfo(FELLA.sample)
```

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getInput

Get metabolites in the input

#### **Description**

Extractor function for the metabolites specified by the user in the input

## Usage

```
getInput(object)
```

## **Arguments**

object

FELLA.USER object

#### Value

Vector of metabolites in the input

#### **Examples**

```
data(FELLA.sample)
data(input.sample)

## No excluded compounds: the input is recovered as is
obj <- defineCompounds(
compounds = input.sample,
data = FELLA.sample)
i1 <- getInput(obj)

## One compound does not map: the input contains only the mapped entities
obj <- defineCompounds(
compounds = c(input.sample, "intruder"),
data = FELLA.sample)
i2 <- getInput(obj)

identical(sort(i1), sort(i2))</pre>
```

getMatrix

Get matrix for the desired methodology

## Description

Extractor function for the matrices of hypergeometric, diffusion and PageRank methodologies

## Usage

```
getMatrix(data, method)
```

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#### **Arguments**

data FELLA.DATA object

method Character, exactly one of: "hypergeom", "diffusion", "pagerank"

#### Value

Matrix for the desired methodology (internal usage)

#### **Examples**

```
## This function is internal
attach(environment(FELLA:::getMatrix))
data(FELLA.sample)
# When a matrix is loaded:
x <- getMatrix(FELLA.sample, "hypergeom")
dim(x)
# When it is not:
y <- getMatrix(FELLA.sample, "diffusion")
dim(y)
v</pre>
```

getName

Map KEGG identifiers to KEGG names

## **Description**

Map KEGG identifiers to KEGG names, multiple names for an ID are reported if annotated. The KEGG identifiers may have mixed levels.

## Usage

```
getName(data, id)
```

#### **Arguments**

data FELLA.DATA object

id KEGG IDs whose name is desired

## Value

List whose names are KEGG IDs and whose entries are the vectors of matches

```
data(FELLA.sample)
getName(FELLA.sample, c("C00002", "C00040"))
```

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getPscores

Get p-scores from the desired methodology

## Description

Extractor function for the p-scores using the desired methodology

## Usage

```
getPscores(object, method)
```

## Arguments

object FELLA.USER object

method Character, exactly one of: "hypergeom", "diffusion", "pagerank"

#### Value

Named vector of p-scores

## **Examples**

```
data(FELLA.sample)
data(input.sample)
obj <- enrich(
compounds = input.sample,
data = FELLA.sample)
p <- getPscores(obj, "diffusion")
sum(p < 0.1)</pre>
```

getPvaluesSize

Get matrix for the p-value regarding CC size

## Description

Extractor function for the matrix containing p-value by CC size that compares to a random selection of nodes in the KEGG graph

## Usage

```
getPvaluesSize(data)
```

## **Arguments**

data

FELLA.DATA object

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## Value

Matrix with p-values for CC size (internal usage)

## **Examples**

```
## This function is internal
attach(environment(FELLA:::getPvaluesSize))
data(FELLA.sample)
M <- getPvaluesSize(FELLA.sample)
dim(M)
summary(as.vector(M))</pre>
```

getStatus

Get the slot "status"

## Description

Extractor function for the slot "status" for the KEGG data

## Usage

```
getStatus(data)
```

## **Arguments**

data

FELLA.DATA object

## Value

```
Slot "status" (internal usage)
```

```
## This function is internal
data(FELLA.sample)

## Is the object loade?
FELLA:::getStatus(FELLA.sample)
FELLA:::getStatus(new("FELLA.DATA"))
```

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getSums Get rowSums/squaredRowSums
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## **Description**

Extractor function for rowSums/squaredRowSums

## Usage

```
getSums(data, method, squared)
```

## **Arguments**

data FELLA.DATA object

method Character, exactly one of: "hypergeom", "diffusion", "pagerank" squared Logical, whether to return rowSums (F) or squaredRowSums (T)

#### Value

Named vector with rowSums/squaredRowSums (internal usage)

#### **Examples**

```
## This function is internal
attach(environment(FELLA:::getSums))
data(FELLA.sample)
rowsums <- getSums(FELLA.sample, "diffusion", squared = FALSE)
hist(rowsums)</pre>
```

getValid Get the slot "valid"

## **Description**

Extractor function for the slot "valid"

## Usage

```
getValid(object, method)
```

## Arguments

object FELLA.USER object

method Character, exactly one of: "hypergeom", "diffusion", "pagerank"

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#### Value

```
Slot "valid" (internal usage)
```

#### **Examples**

```
## This function is internal

data(FELLA.sample)
data(input.sample)

obj <- enrich(
  compounds = input.sample,
  method = "diffusion",
  data = FELLA.sample)

## If the analysis is valid
  FELLA:::getValid(obj, "diffusion")

## Otherwise
  FELLA:::getValid(new("FELLA.USER"), "diffusion")
  FELLA:::getValid(obj, "pagerank")</pre>
```

infere.con2ec

Infer connections to EC

#### **Description**

Function infere.con2ec infers network connections to KEGG EC families by passing through genes. This assumes that the category being mapped to enzymes is above them.

## Usage

```
infere.con2ec(ids, ent, ent2gene, gene2enzyme)
```

## Arguments

ids Character vector of identifiers to map. For example, all the KEGG pathways ent Character, entity that we are mapping (one of "pathway" and one of "module")

ent2gene Named character vector, names are the entity ent and values are genes

gene2enyzme Named character vector, names are genes and values are EC enzyme families

category Character, one of:

#### Value

Two-column data frame. Column "from" contains the KEGG enzyme families whereas "to" contains the entity ent.

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#### **Examples**

```
ids <- "hsa00010"
ent <- "pathway"
ent2gene <- c("hsa00010" = "hsa:10", "hsa00010" = "hsa:120")
gene2enzyme <- c("hsa:10" = "1.1.1.1", "hsa:120" = "1.2.3.4")
FELLA:::infere.con2ec(ids, ent, ent2gene, gene2enzyme)</pre>
```

input.sample

A randomly generated list of affected metabolites

## **Description**

This character vector object has been generated using the sample data in the object FELLA. sample. The KEGG compounds have been chosen with preference for the hsa00640 pathway, so that the enrichment results choose pathway hsa00640 over hsa00010.

## Usage

```
data(input.sample)
```

#### **Format**

An object of class character of length 30.

#### Value

A character vector containing 30 KEGG IDs

#### **Source**

```
Generated from a mid-2017 KEGG release (http://www.genome.jp/kegg/)
```

```
data(input.sample)
```

is.FELLA.USER

is.FELLA.DATA

Check FELLA.DATA class

## Description

```
Is x a FELLA. DATA object?
```

## Usage

```
is.FELLA.DATA(x = NULL)
```

## Arguments

Х

Object to check

#### Value

Logical value stating if x is a FELLA. DATA object

## **Examples**

```
data(FELLA.sample)
is.FELLA.DATA(FELLA.sample)
is.FELLA.DATA(42)
```

is.FELLA.USER

Check FELLA. USER class

## Description

```
Is x a FELLA. USER object?
```

## Usage

```
is.FELLA.USER(x = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

Х

Object to check

#### Value

Logical value stating if x is a FELLA. USER object

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## **Examples**

```
is.FELLA.USER(new("FELLA.USER"))
is.FELLA.USER(42)

data(FELLA.sample)
data(input.sample)
obj <- enrich(
compounds = input.sample,
method = "diffusion",
data = FELLA.sample)
is.FELLA.USER(obj)</pre>
```

largestcc

Extract largest CC

## Description

Function largestcc extracts the largest connected component of an igraph object

## Usage

```
largestcc(graph)
```

## Arguments

graph

Igraph object

## Value

Connected igraph object

```
library(igraph)
g <- barabasi.game(10) + graph.empty(10)
FELLA:::largestcc(g)</pre>
```

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launchApp

Launch a shiny app with FELLA

## Description

launchApp deploys a shiny application to perform the metabolomics data enrichment. Although this app does not provide all the options available in FELLA, it is easily accessible for the lay user.

## Usage

```
launchApp(...)
```

## **Arguments**

Parameters passed to runApp

#### **Details**

The graphical interface allows to: (1) upload the data and check if the KEGG ids have successfully mapped, (2) select database, set analysis and graphical parameters, (3) interactively browse the resulting sub-network as a graph or as a table, and (4) export such results as a table or a network. At least one database is needed before deploying the app. See ?buildDataFromGraph for further details.

#### Value

invisible(), but as a side effect the app will be launched

## **Examples**

```
## Not run:
r <- try(launchApp())
## End(Not run)</pre>
```

listApprox

List of approximations

#### **Description**

Available approximations for the analysis

#### Usage

```
listApprox()
```

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## Value

Character vector

## **Examples**

listApprox()

listCategories

List of node categories

## Description

Node categories used in the internal representations

## Usage

listCategories()

#### Value

Character vector

## **Examples**

listCategories()

listInternalDatabases List internal databases

## Description

This function lists the directories in the local database path

## Usage

```
listInternalDatabases(full.names = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

full.names Logic

Logical, should full paths be returned?

## Value

Vector with database directories

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## **Examples**

listInternalDatabases()

listMethods

List of methods

## Description

Methods available for the analysis

## Usage

listMethods()

#### Value

Character vector

## **Examples**

listMethods()

mytriangle

Add triangular shape to igraph plot

## Description

This function enables the usage of triangles as shape in the function plot.igraph.

## Usage

```
mytriangle(coords, v = NULL, params)
```

## Arguments

```
coords, v, params
```

clipping arguments, see shapes

#### Value

Plot symbols

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#### **Examples**

```
## This function is internal
library(igraph)

add.vertex.shape(
"triangle", clip = shapes("circle")$clip,
plot = FELLA:::mytriangle)

g <- barabasi.game(10)
plot(
g, vertex.shape = "triangle",
vertex.color = rainbow(vcount(g)),
vertex.size = seq(10, 20, length = vcount(g)))</pre>
```

plotBipartite

Internal function to plot a bipartite graph

## Description

This function plots a bipartite graph, tailored for the hypergeometric over representation analysis. As the nodes can only be compounds and pathways, the layout is simple and bipartite.

## Usage

```
plotBipartite(graph = NULL, layout = FALSE, ...)
```

#### **Arguments**

graph Graph result that must come from the hypergeometric test analysis
layout Logical, should the plot be returned as a layout?

Additional parameters passed to plot.igraph

#### Value

If layout = F then the value returned is invisible(). Otherwise, the layout is returned, also in an invisible fashion.

```
## This function is internal
data(FELLA.sample)
data(input.sample)
## Enrich input
obj <- enrich(
compounds = input.sample,
data = FELLA.sample,
method = "hypergeom")</pre>
```

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```
## Generate the bipartite graph (only in the hypergeometric test)
g <- generateResultsGraph(
method = "hypergeom",
threshold = 1,
object = obj,
data = FELLA.sample)
## Plot it
FELLA:::plotBipartite(g)</pre>
```

plotLegend

Internal function to add a legend to a graph plot

## Description

This function adds a legend to a solution plot. It can include the CC similarity.

#### Usage

```
plotLegend(GO.annot = FALSE, cex = 0.75)
```

## **Arguments**

GO. annot Logical, should GO annotations be included?

cex Numeric value, cex parameter for the function legend

#### Value

This function is only used for its effect, so it returns invisible()

```
## This function is internal
library(igraph)
g <- barabasi.game(20)
plot(g)
FELLA:::plotLegend()
plot(g)
FELLA:::plotLegend(GO.annot = TRUE)</pre>
```

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sanitise

ID sanitiser function

## Description

Sanitise KEGG identifiers

## Usage

```
sanitise(x, category, organism)
```

## Arguments

x Character vector, IDs to sanitise

category Character, one of: "pathway", "module", "enzyme", "ncbi", "reaction",

"compound"

#### Value

Character vector, sanitised x

## **Examples**

```
FELLA:::sanitise(c("path:hsa00010", "path:hsa00020"), "pathway", "hsa")
```

U.diffusion-class

An internal S4 class for the user data of the diffusion enrichment analysis

## **Description**

An internal S4 class for the user data of the diffusion enrichment analysis

#### **Slots**

```
valid Logical value; is the analysis valid?
```

pscores Named numeric vector with p-scores

approx Character; which approximation was used? Can be "simulation" for Monte Carlo; "normality", "gamma" or "t" for parametric approaches

niter Numeric value, number of iterations for the simulated approach

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U.hype	rgeom-class	An internal S4 class for the user data of the hypergeometric over representation analysis

## **Description**

An internal S4 class for the user data of the hypergeometric over representation analysis

#### **Slots**

valid Logical value; is the analysis valid?

pvalues Named numeric vector with p-values

pathhits Numeric named vector with the quantities "sample\_success" for the hypergeometric distribution (#affected in path)

pathbackground Numeric named vector with the quantities "total\_success" for the hypergeometric distribution (total in path)

nbackground Numeric value, number of compoudns in the background. Equivalently, number of rows for the hypergeometric binary matrix

ninput Numeric value, number of affected compounds matched to the rownames

U.pagerank-class	An internal S4 class for the user data of the PageRank enrichment analysis
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## Description

An internal S4 class for the user data of the PageRank enrichment analysis

#### Slots

valid Logical value; is the analysis valid?

pscores Named numeric vector with p-scores

approx Character; which approximation was used? Can be "simulation" for Monte Carlo; "normality", "gamma" or "t" for parametric approaches

niter Numeric value, number of iterations for the simulated approach

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U.userinput-class An internal S4 class for the user input data
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## Description

An internal S4 class for the user input data

#### **Slots**

metabolites Character vector containing the affected compounds

metabolitesbackground Character vector containing the compounds for the personalised background. Optionally, can be NULL for default background

excluded Character vector containing the compounds that have been excluded because they cannot be mapped to KEGG graph compounds

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