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CiteFuse

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## Description

A function to runSNF for CITE seq data

**Usage**

```

CiteFuse(
  sce,
  altExp_name = "ADT",
  W_list = NULL,
  gene_select = TRUE,
  dist_cal_RNA = "correlation",
  dist_cal_ADT = "propr",
  ADT_subset = NULL,
  K_knn = 20,
  K_knn_Aff = 30,
  sigma = 0.45,
  t = 10,
  metadata_names = NULL,
  verbose = TRUE,
  topN = 2000
)

```

**Arguments**

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| sce            | a SingleCellExperiment  |
| altExp_name    | expression name of ADT matrix   |
| W_list         | affinity list, if it is NULL, the function will calculate it.   |
| gene_select    | whether highly variable genes will be selected for RNA-seq to calculate similarity matrix using ‘scran’ package     |
| dist_cal_RNA   | similarity metrics used for RNA matrix  |
| dist_cal_ADT   | similarity metrics used for ADT matrix  |
| ADT_subset     | A vector indicates the subset that will be used.  |
| K_knn          | Number of nearest neighbours  |
| K_knn_Aff      | Number of nearest neighbors for computing affinity matrix   |
| sigma          | Variance for local model for computing affinity matrix  |
| t              | Number of iterations for the diffusion process.   |
| metadata_names | A vector indicates the names of metadata returned   |
| verbose        | whether print out the process   |
| topN           | top highly variable genes are used variable gene selection (see ‘modelGeneVar’ in ‘scran’ package for more details) |

**Value**

A SingleCellExperiment object with fused matrix results stored

**References**

B Wang, A Mezlini, F Demir, M Fiume, T Zu, M Brudno, B Haibe-Kains, A Goldenberg (2014) Similarity Network Fusion: a fast and effective method to aggregate multiple data types on a genome wide scale. *Nature Methods*. Online. Jan 26, 2014

**Examples**

```
data("sce_ctcl_subset", package = "CiteFuse")
sce_ctcl_subset <- CiteFuse(sce_ctcl_subset)
```

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|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| CITEseq_example | <i>A subset of ECCITE-seq data (control)</i> |
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**Description**

Data from Mimitou et al. ECCITE-seq PBMC control sample data, which is a list of three matrices of RNA, ADT and HTO

**Usage**

```
data(CITEseq_example, package = 'CiteFuse')
```

**Format**

An object of class `list` of length 3.

**Source**

Gene Expression Omnibus with the accession code GSE126310.

**References**

Mimitou, E. P., Cheng, A., Montalbano, A., et al. (2019). Multiplexed detection of proteins, transcriptomes, clonotypes and CRISPR perturbations in single cells. *Nature Methods*, 16(5), 409–412.

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|---------------------|----------------------------|
| crossSampleDoublets | <i>crossSampleDoublets</i> |
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**Description**

A function that perform normalisation for alternative expression

**Usage**

```
crossSampleDoublets(sce, altExp_name = NULL, totalExp_threshold = 10)
```

**Arguments**

sce                    A SingleCellExperiment object

altExp\_name        Name of alternative expression that will be used to perform normalisation. If it is NULL, it will set to HTO.

totalExp\_threshold        the threshold indicates for the HTO less than this threshold will be filtered from the analysis

**Value**

A SingleCellExperiment Object

**Examples**

```
data(CITEseq_example, package = "CiteFuse")
sce_citeseq <- preprocessing(CITEseq_example)
sce_citeseq <- normaliseExprs(sce = sce_citeseq,
altExp_name = "HTO",
transform = "log")
sce_citeseq <- crossSampleDoublets(sce_citeseq)
```

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DEbubblePlot

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**Description**

A function to generate circlepack plot to visualise the marker for each cluster

**Usage**

```
DEbubblePlot(de_list)
```

**Arguments**

de\_list                A list of results from 'DE genes ()'

**Value**

A ggplot to visualise the DE results via bubble plot

**Examples**

```

library(S4Vectors)
data(sce_control_subset, package = "CiteFuse")
sce_control_subset <- DEgenes(sce_control_subset,
  altExp_name = "none",
  group = sce_control_subset$SNF_W_louvain,
  return_all = TRUE,
  exprs_pct = 0.5)

sce_control_subset <- selectDEgenes(sce_control_subset,
  altExp_name = "none")

sce_control_subset <- DEgenes(sce_control_subset,
  altExp_name = "ADT",
  group = sce_control_subset$SNF_W_louvain,
  return_all = TRUE,
  exprs_pct = 0.5)

sce_control_subset <- selectDEgenes(sce_control_subset,
  altExp_name = "ADT")

rna_DEgenes <- metadata(sce_control_subset)[["DE_res_RNA_filter"]]
adt_DEgenes <- metadata(sce_control_subset)[["DE_res_ADT_filter"]]

rna_DEgenes <- lapply(rna_DEgenes, function(x){
  x$name <- gsub("hg19_", "", x$name)
  x})
DEbubblePlot(list(RNA = rna_DEgenes, ADT = adt_DEgenes))

```

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DEcomparisonPlot

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**Description**

A function to visualise the pairwise comparison of pvalue in different data modality.

**Usage**

```
DEcomparisonPlot(de_list, feature_list)
```

**Arguments**

**de\_list** A list including two lists results from 'DE genes ()'.

**feature\_list** A list including two lists features indicating the selected subset of features will be visualised

**Value**

A ggplot2 to visualise the comparison plot of DE.

**Examples**

```
library(S4Vectors)
data(sce_control_subset)
sce_control_subset <- DEgenes(sce_control_subset,
group = sce_control_subset$SNF_W_louvain,
return_all = TRUE,
exprs_pct = 0.5)

sce_control_subset <- selectDEgenes(sce_control_subset)

sce_control_subset <- DEgenes(sce_control_subset,
altExp_name = "ADT",
group = sce_control_subset$SNF_W_louvain,
return_all = TRUE,
exprs_pct = 0.5)

sce_control_subset <- selectDEgenes(sce_control_subset,
altExp_name = "ADT")

rna_list <- c("hg19_CD4",
"hg19_CD8A",
"hg19_HLA-DRB1",
"hg19_ITGAX",
"hg19_NCAM1",
"hg19_CD27",
"hg19_CD19")

adt_list <- c("CD4", "CD8", "MHCII (HLA-DR)", "CD11c", "CD56", "CD27", "CD19")

rna_DEgenes_all <- S4Vectors::metadata(sce_control_subset)[["DE_res_RNA"]]
adt_DEgenes_all <- S4Vectors::metadata(sce_control_subset)[["DE_res_ADT"]]

feature_list <- list(RNA = rna_list, ADT = adt_list)
de_list <- list(RNA = rna_DEgenes_all, ADT = adt_DEgenes_all)

DEcomparisonPlot(de_list = de_list,
feature_list = feature_list)
```

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DEgenes

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**Description**

A function to perform DE analysis on CITE seq data

**Usage**

```
DEgenes(
  sce,
  altExp_name = "none",
  exprs_value = "logcounts",
  group = NULL,
  method = "wilcox",
  exprs_pct = 0.1,
  exprs_threshold = 0,
  return_all = FALSE,
  pval_adj = 0.05,
  mean_diff = 0,
  pct_diff = 0.1,
  topN = 10
)
```

**Arguments**

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| sce             | A SingleCellExperiment object   |
| altExp_name     | A character indicates which expression matrix is used. by default is none (i.e. RNA).             |
| exprs_value     | A character indicates which expression value in assayNames is used.                               |
| group           | A vector indicates the grouping of the data   |
| method          | A character indicates the method used in DE analysis  |
| exprs_pct       | A numeric indicates the threshold expression percentage of a gene to be considered in DE analysis |
| exprs_threshold | A numeric indicates the threshold of expression. By default is 0.                                 |
| return_all      | Whether return full list of DE genes  |
| pval_adj        | A numeric indicates the threshold of adjusted p-value.  |
| mean_diff       | A numeric indicates the threshold of difference of average expression.                            |
| pct_diff        | A numeric indicates the threshold of difference of percentage expression.                         |
| topN            | A numeric indicates the top number of genes will be included in the list.                         |

**Value**

A SingleCellExperiment with DE results stored in meta data DE\_res

**Examples**

```
data(sce_control_subset)
sce_control_subset <- DEgenes(sce_control_subset,
  group = sce_control_subset$SNF_W_louvain,
  return_all = TRUE,
  exprs_pct = 0.5)
```



```
sce_control_subset <- selectDEgenes(sce_control_subset)
```

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DEgenesCross

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## Description

A function to perform DE analysis on a list of CITE seq data

## Usage

```
DEgenesCross(
  sce_list,
  altExp_name = "none",
  exprs_value = "logcounts",
  method = "wilcox",
  colData_name = NULL,
  group_to_test = NULL,
  exprs_pct = 0.1,
  exprs_threshold = 0,
  return_all = FALSE,
  pval_adj = 0.05,
  mean_diff = 0,
  pct_diff = 0.1,
  topN = 10
)
```

## Arguments

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| sce_list        | A Slist of ingleCellExperiment object   |
| altExp_name     | A character indicates which expression matrix is used. by default is none (i.e. RNA).                     |
| exprs_value     | A character indicates which expression value in assayNames is used.                                       |
| method          | A character indicates the method used in DE analysis  |
| colData_name    | A vector of character indicates the colData that stored the group information of each sce of the sce_list |
| group_to_test   | A vector of character indicates which group in each sce is used to compared across the sce list.          |
| exprs_pct       | A numeric indicates the threshold expression percentage of a gene to be considered in DE analysis         |
| exprs_threshold | A numeric indicates the threshold of expression. By default is 0.   |
| return_all      | Whether return full list of DE genes  |
| pval_adj        | A numeric indicates the threshold of adjusted p-value.  |

mean\_diff        A numeric indicates the threshold of difference of average expression.  
 pct\_diff        A numeric indicates the threshold of difference of percentage expression.  
 topN            A numeric indicates the top number of genes will be included in the list.

### Value

A SingleCellExperiment with DE results stored in meta data DE\_res

### Examples

```
data("sce_control_subset", package = "CiteFuse")
data("sce_ctcl_subset", package = "CiteFuse")

de_res <- DEgenesCross(sce_list = list(control = sce_control_subset,
ctcl = sce_ctcl_subset),
colData_name = c("SNF_W_louvain", "SNF_W_louvain"),
group_to_test = c("2", "6"))
```

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| geneADTnetwork | <i>geneADTnetwork</i> |
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### Description

A function to visualise the features distribtuion

### Usage

```
geneADTnetwork(
  sce,
  RNA_exprs_value = "logcounts",
  altExp_name = "ADT",
  altExp_exprs_value = "logcounts",
  RNA_feature_subset = NULL,
  ADT_feature_subset = NULL,
  cell_subset = NULL,
  cor_threshold = 0.5,
  cor_method = c("pearson", "kendall", "spearman"),
  RNA_exprs_pct = 0.1,
  ADT_exprs_pct = 0.1,
  RNA_exprs_threshold = 0,
  ADT_exprs_threshold = 0,
  network_layout = NULL,
  return_igraph = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| sce                 | A singlecellexperiment object  |
| RNA_exprs_value     | A character indicates which expression value for RNA in assayNames is used.  |
| altExp_name         | A character indicates which expression matrix is used. by default is none (i.e. RNA).  |
| altExp_exprs_value  | A character indicates which expression value in assayNames is used.  |
| RNA_feature_subset  | A vector of characters indicates the subset of features of RNA that are used for visualisation   |
| ADT_feature_subset  | A vector of characters indicates the subset of features of ADT that are used for visualisation   |
| cell_subset         | A vector of characters indicates the subset of cells that are used for visualisation   |
| cor_threshold       | Thresholds of correlation.   |
| cor_method          | a character string indicating which correlation coefficient (or covariance) is to be computed. One of "pearson" (default), "kendall", or "spearman": can be abbreviated. |
| RNA_exprs_pct       | A numeric indicates the threshold expression percentage of a gene to be considered in correlation analysis   |
| ADT_exprs_pct       | A numeric indicates the threshold expression percentage of a gene to be considered in correlation analysis   |
| RNA_exprs_threshold | A numeric indicates the threshold of RNA expression. By default is 0.  |
| ADT_exprs_threshold | A numeric indicates the threshold of ADT expression. By default is 0.  |
| network_layout      | layout of the network  |
| return_igraph       | indicates whether return the igraph object   |

**Value**

A igraph object of gene-ADT network

**Examples**

```
library(SingleCellExperiment)
set.seed(2020)
data(sce_control_subset, package = "CiteFuse")
RNA_feature_subset <- sample(rownames(sce_control_subset), 50)
ADT_feature_subset <- rownames(altExp(sce_control_subset, "ADT"))

geneADTnetwork(sce_control_subset,
               RNA_feature_subset = RNA_feature_subset,
               ADT_feature_subset = ADT_feature_subset,
               cor_method = "pearson",
```

```
network_layout = igraph::layout_with_fr)
```

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```
igraphClustering      igraphClustering
```

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### Description

A function to perform igraph clustering

### Usage

```
igraphClustering(
  sce,
  metadata = "SNF_W",
  method = c("louvain", "leiden", "walktrap", "spinglass", "optimal", "leading_eigen",
            "label_prop", "fast_greedy", "edge_betweenness"),
  ...
)
```

### Arguments

|          |  |
|----------|--|
| sce      | A singlecellexperiment object  |
| metadata | indicates the meta data name of affinity matrix to virsualise  |
| method   | A character indicates the method for finding communities from igraph. Default is louvain clustering. |
| ...      | Other inputs for the igraph functions  |

### Value

A vector indicates the membership (clustering) results

### Examples

```
data(sce_control_subset, package = "CiteFuse")
sce_control_subset <- CiteFuse(sce_control_subset)
SNF_W_louvain <- igraphClustering(sce_control_subset,
method = "louvain")
```

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|---------------|----------------------|
| importanceADT | <i>importanceADT</i> |
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### Description

A function to calculate the importance score of ADT

### Usage

```
importanceADT(
  sce,
  altExp_name = "ADT",
  exprs_value = "logcounts",
  method = c("randomForest", "PCA"),
  group = NULL,
  subsample = TRUE,
  times = 10,
  prop = 0.8,
  k_pca = 5,
  remove_first_PC = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

### Arguments

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| sce             | A singlecellexperiment object  |
| altExp_name     | A character indicates which expression matrix is used. by default is none (i.e. RNA).              |
| exprs_value     | A character indicates which expression value in assayNames is used.                                |
| method          | A character indicates the method of ADT importance calculation, either randomForest or PCA         |
| group           | A vector indicates the grouping of the data (for random forest)                                    |
| subsample       | Whether perform subsampling (for random forest)  |
| times           | A numeric indicates the times of subsampling is performed (for random forest)                      |
| prop            | A numeric indicates the proportion of cells are subsampled from the whole data (for random forest) |
| k_pca           | Number of principal component will be used to calculate the loading scores (for PCA)               |
| remove_first_PC | A logical input indicates whether the first component will be removed from calculation (for PCA).  |
| ...             | other arguments to 'randomForest()' or 'prcomp()' function   |

**Details**

For random forest, the importance scores are based on features importance. For PCA, it implements the method proposed in Levin et al (based on the loading of features).

**Value**

A SingleCellExperiment object

**References**

Levine, J.H., Simonds, E.F., Bendall, S.C., Davis, K.L., El-ad, D.A., Tadmor, M.D., Litvin, O., Fienberg, H.G., Jager, A., Zunder, E.R. and Finck, R., 2015. Data-driven phenotypic dissection of AML reveals progenitor-like cells that correlate with prognosis. *Cell*, 162(1), pp.184-197.

**Examples**

```
data("sce_control_subset", package = "CiteFuse")
sce_control_subset <- importanceADT(sce_control_subset,
group = sce_control_subset$SNF_W_louvain,
subsample = TRUE)
```

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ligandReceptorTest      *ligandReceptorTest*

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**Description**

A function to perform ligand receptor analysis

**Usage**

```
ligandReceptorTest(
  sce,
  ligandReceptor_list,
  cluster,
  RNA_exprs_value = "minMax",
  use_alt_exp = TRUE,
  altExp_name = "ADT",
  altExp_exprs_value = "zi_minMax",
  num_permute = 1000,
  p_sig = 0.05
)
```

**Arguments**

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| sce                 | A singlecellexperiment object   |
| ligandReceptor_list | A data.frame indicates the ligand receptor list   |
| cluster             | A vector indicates the cluster results  |
| RNA_exprs_value     | A character indicates which expression value for RNA in assayNames is used.                                 |
| use_alt_exp         | A logical vector indicates whether receptors expression will use alternative expression matrix to quantify. |
| altExp_name         | A character indicates which expression matrix is used. by default is ADT .                                  |
| altExp_exprs_value  | A character indicates which expression value in assayNames is used.   |
| num_permute         | Number of permutation.  |
| p_sig               | A numeric indicates threshold of the pvalue significance  |

**Value**

A SingleCellExperiment object with ligand receptor results

**Examples**

```
data(lr_pair_subset, package = "CiteFuse")
data(sce_control_subset, package = "CiteFuse")

sce_control_subset <- normaliseExprs(sce = sce_control_subset,
altExp_name = "ADT",
transform = "zi_minMax")

sce_control_subset <- normaliseExprs(sce = sce_control_subset,
altExp_name = "none",
exprs_value = "logcounts",
transform = "minMax")

sce_control_subset <- ligandReceptorTest(sce = sce_control_subset,
ligandReceptor_list = lr_pair_subset,
cluster = sce_control_subset$SNF_W_louvain,
RNA_exprs_value = "minMax",
use_alt_exp = TRUE,
altExp_name = "ADT",
altExp_exprs_value = "zi_minMax",
num_permute = 100)
```

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|                |  |
|----------------|--|
| lr_pair_subset | <i>A subset of Ligand Receptor Pairs</i> |
|----------------|--|

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**Description**

A subset of Ligand Receptor Pairs

**Usage**

```
data(lr_pair_subset, package = 'CiteFuse')
```

**Format**

An object of class matrix (inherits from array) with 50 rows and 2 columns.

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|----------------|-----------------------|
| normaliseExprs | <i>normaliseExprs</i> |
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**Description**

A function that perform normalisation for alternative expression

**Usage**

```
normaliseExprs(
  sce,
  altExp_name = NULL,
  exprs_value = "counts",
  transform = c("log", "clr", "zi_minMax", "minMax"),
  log_offset = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| sce         | A SingleCellExperiment object   |
| altExp_name | Name of alternative expression that will be used to perform normalisation                               |
| exprs_value | A character indicates which expression value in assayNames is used.                                     |
| transform   | type of transformation, either log or clr (Centered log ratio transform)                                |
| log_offset  | Numeric scalar specifying the pseudo-count to add when log-transforming expression values. Default is 1 |

**Value**

a SingleCellExperiment object



**Examples**

```
data(CITEseq_example, package = "CiteFuse")
sce_citeseq <- preprocessing(CITEseq_example)
sce_citeseq <- normaliseExprs(sce = sce_citeseq,
altExp_name = "ADT",
transform = "log")
```

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plotHTO

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**Description**

A function to plot HTO expression

**Usage**

```
plotHTO(sce, which_idx = seq_len(2), altExp_name = NULL, ncol = 2)
```

**Arguments**

|             |             |
|-------------|-------------|
| sce         | sce         |
| which_idx   | which_idx   |
| altExp_name | altExp_name |
| ncol        | ncol        |

**Value**

A plot visualising the HTO expression

**Examples**

```
data(CITEseq_example, package = "CiteFuse")
sce_citeseq <- preprocessing(CITEseq_example)
sce_citeseq <- normaliseExprs(sce = sce_citeseq,
altExp_name = "HTO",
transform = "log")
plotHTO(sce_citeseq, 1:4)
```

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| plotHTOSingle | <i>plotHTOSingle</i> |
|---------------|----------------------|

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**Description**

A function to plot HTO expression

**Usage**

```
plotHTOSingle(sce, which_idx = seq_len(2), altExp_name = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

|             |             |
|-------------|-------------|
| sce         | sce         |
| which_idx   | which_idx   |
| altExp_name | altExp_name |

**Value**

A plot visualising the HTO expression

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|               |   |
|---------------|---|
| preprocessing | <i>A function to preprocess the list of expression matrix</i> |
|---------------|---|

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**Description**

This function will keep the samples that are common across the list of expression matrix, and filter the features that are all zeros across samples, and finally construct a SingleCellExperiment object

**Usage**

```
preprocessing(
  exprsMat = NULL,
  return_sce = TRUE,
  assay_matrix = 1,
  filter_features = TRUE,
  rowData = NULL,
  colData = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

|                              |   |
|------------------------------|---|
| <code>exprsMat</code>        | A list or a matrix indicates the expression matrices of the testing datasets (each matrix must be <code>matrix</code> or <code>dgCMatrx</code> class) |
| <code>return_sce</code>      | A logical input indicates whether a <code>SingleCellExperiment</code> object will be returned   |
| <code>assay_matrix</code>    | A integer indicates which list will be used as ‘assay’ input of ‘ <code>SingleCellExperiment</code> ’   |
| <code>filter_features</code> | A logical input indicates whether the features with all zeros will be removed   |
| <code>rowData</code>         | A <code>DataFrame</code> indicates the <code>rowData</code> to be stored in the <code>sce</code> object   |
| <code>colData</code>         | A <code>DataFrame</code> indicates the <code>colData</code> to be stored in the <code>sce</code> object   |

**Value**

either a `SingleCellExperiment` object or a preprocessed expression matrix

**Examples**

```
data(CITEseq_example, package = "CiteFuse")
sce_citeseq <- preprocessing(CITEseq_example)
```

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| <code>readFrom10X</code> | <i>readFrom10X</i> |
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**Description**

A function to read the data from 10X

**Usage**

```
readFrom10X(
  dir,
  type = c("auto", "sparse", "HDF5"),
  feature_named_by = c("gene_id", "gene_symbol"),
  filter_features = TRUE
)
```

**Arguments**

|                               |   |
|-------------------------------|---|
| <code>dir</code>              | A character indicates the directory of the 10X files  |
| <code>type</code>             | A character indicates the format of the data, <code>sparse</code> or <code>HDF5</code>                    |
| <code>feature_named_by</code> | A character indicates whether the genes will be named by <code>gene_id</code> or <code>gene_symbol</code> |
| <code>filter_features</code>  | A logical input indicates whether the features with all zeros will be removed                             |

**Value**

a SingleCellExperiment object

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
tmpdir <- tempdir()
tenXdata <- "http://cf.10xgenomics.com/samples/cell-exp/3.1.0/connect_5k_pbmc_NGSC3_ch1/"
file <- "connect_5k_pbmc_NGSC3_ch1_filtered_feature_bc_matrix.tar.gz"
download.file(paste0(tenXdata, file),file.path(tmpdir, file))
untar(file.path(tmpdir,file),
      exdir = tmpdir)
sce_citeseq_10X <- readFrom10X(file.path(tmpdir,
"filtered_feature_bc_matrix/"))
sce_citeseq_10X

## End(Not run)
```

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reducedDimSNF

*reducedDimSNF*


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**Description**

A function to reduce the dimension of the similarity matrix

**Usage**

```
reducedDimSNF(sce, metadata = "SNF_W", method = "UMAP", dimNames = NULL, ...)
```

**Arguments**

|          |  |
|----------|--|
| sce      | A singlecellexperiment object  |
| metadata | indicates the meta data name of affinity matrix to visualise           |
| method   | the method of visualisation, which can be UMAP, tSNE and diffusion map |
| dimNames | indicates the name of the reduced dimension results.                   |
| ...      | other parameters for tsne(), umap()                                    |

**Value**

A SingleCellExperiment object

**Examples**

```
data(sce_control_subset, package = "CiteFuse")
sce_control_subset <- CiteFuse(sce_control_subset)
sce_control_subset <- reducedDimSNF(sce_control_subset,
method = "tSNE",
dimNames = "tSNE_joint")
```

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sce\_control\_subset      *A SingleCellExperiment of ECCITE-seq data*

---

**Description**

Data from Mimitou et al. ECCITE-seq PBMC Control sample data

**Usage**

```
data(sce_control_subset, package = 'CiteFuse')
```

**Format**

An object of class `SingleCellExperiment` with 1508 rows and 128 columns.

**Source**

Gene Expression Omnibus with the accession code GSE126310.

**References**

Mimitou, E. P., Cheng, A., Montalbano, A., et al. (2019). Multiplexed detection of proteins, transcriptomes, clonotypes and CRISPR perturbations in single cells. *Nature Methods*, 16(5), 409–412.

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sce\_ctcl\_subset      *A SingleCellExperiment of ECCITE-seq data*

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**Description**

Data from Mimitou et al. ECCITE-seq PBMC CTCL sample data

**Usage**

```
data(sce_ctcl_subset, package = 'CiteFuse')
```

**Format**

An object of class `SingleCellExperiment` with 1450 rows and 173 columns.

**Source**

Gene Expression Omnibus with the accession code GSE126310.

**References**

Mimitou, E. P., Cheng, A., Montalbano, A., et al. (2019). Multiplexed detection of proteins, transcriptomes, clonotypes and CRISPR perturbations in single cells. *Nature Methods*, 16(5), 409–412.

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| selectDEgenes | <i>selectDEgenes</i> |
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**Description**

A function to select DE genes

**Usage**

```
selectDEgenes(
  sce = NULL,
  de_res = NULL,
  altExp_name = "none",
  pval_adj = 0.05,
  mean_diff = 0,
  pct_diff = 0.1,
  topN = 10
)
```

**Arguments**

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| sce         | A SingleCellExperiment object with DE results stored in meta data DE_res list.        |
| de_res      | DE_res returned by DEgenesCross().  |
| altExp_name | A character indicates which expression matrix is used. by default is none (i.e. RNA). |
| pval_adj    | A numeric indicates the threshold of adjusted p-value.                                |
| mean_diff   | A numeric indicates the threshold of difference of average expression.                |
| pct_diff    | A numeric indicates the threshold of difference of percentage expression.             |
| topN        | A numeric indicates the top number of genes will be included in the list.             |

**Value**

A SingleCellExperiment With filtered DE results in DE\_res\_filter list of metadata

### Examples

```
data(sce_control_subset)
sce_control_subset <- DEgenes(sce_control_subset,
group = sce_control_subset$SNF_W_louvain,
return_all = TRUE,
exprs_pct = 0.5)

sce_control_subset <- selectDEgenes(sce_control_subset)
```

---

spectralClustering      *spectralClustering*

---

### Description

A function to perform spectral clustering

### Usage

```
spectralClustering(affinity, K = 20, delta = 1e-05)
```

### Arguments

|          |                    |
|----------|--------------------|
| affinity | An affinity matrix |
| K        | number of clusters |
| delta    | delta              |

### Value

A list indicates the spectral clustering results

### Examples

```
data(sce_control_subset, package = "CiteFuse")
sce_control_subset <- CiteFuse(sce_control_subset)
SNF_W <- S4Vectors::metadata(sce_control_subset)[["SNF_W"]]
SNF_W_clust <- spectralClustering(SNF_W, K = 5)
```

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| visImportance | <i>visImportance</i> |
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## Description

A function to visualise the features distribution

## Usage

```
visImportance(  
  sce,  
  plot = c("boxplot", "heatmap"),  
  altExp_name = "ADT",  
  exprs_value = "logcounts"  
)
```

## Arguments

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| sce         | A singlecellexperiment object   |
| plot        | A string indicates the type of the plot (either boxplot or heatmap)                   |
| altExp_name | A character indicates which expression matrix is used. by default is none (i.e. RNA). |
| exprs_value | A character indicates which expression value in assayNames is used.                   |

## Value

A plot (either ggplot or pheatmap) to visualise the ADT importance results

## Examples

```
data("sce_control_subset", package = "CiteFuse")  
sce_control_subset <- importanceADT(sce_control_subset,  
  group = sce_control_subset$SNF_W_louvain,  
  subsample = TRUE)  
visImportance(sce_control_subset, plot = "boxplot")
```



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visLigandReceptor      *visLigandReceptor*

---

## Description

A function to visualise ligand receptor analysis

## Usage

```
visLigandReceptor(
  sce,
  type = c("pval_heatmap", "pval_dotplot", "group_network", "group_heatmap",
    "lr_network"),
  receptor_type = NULL
)
```

## Arguments

|               |  |
|---------------|--|
| sce           | A singlecellexperiment object  |
| type          | A character indicates the type of the plot for ligand receptor results visualisation, option includes "pval_heatmap", "pval_dotplot", "group_network", "group_heatmap", and "lr_network" |
| receptor_type | A character indicates which receptor expression's ligand receptor results are used to generate the figures.  |

## Value

A plot visualise the ligand receptor results

## Examples

```
data(lr_pair_subset, package = "CiteFuse")
data(sce_control_subset, package = "CiteFuse")

sce_control_subset <- normaliseExprs(sce = sce_control_subset,
  altExp_name = "ADT",
  transform = "zi_minMax")

sce_control_subset <- normaliseExprs(sce = sce_control_subset,
  altExp_name = "none",
  exprs_value = "logcounts",
  transform = "minMax")

sce_control_subset <- ligandReceptorTest(sce = sce_control_subset,
  ligandReceptor_list = lr_pair_subset,
  cluster = sce_control_subset$SNF_W_louvain,
  RNA_exprs_value = "minMax",
  use_alt_exp = TRUE,
```

```

                                altExp_name = "ADT",
                                altExp_exprs_value = "zi_minMax",
                                num_permute = 100)
visLigandReceptor(sce_control_subset,
type = "pval_heatmap",
receptor_type = "ADT")

```

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visualiseDim

*visualiseDim*


---

## Description

A function to visualise the reduced dimension

## Usage

```

visualiseDim(
  sce,
  dimNames = NULL,
  colour_by = NULL,
  shape_by = NULL,
  data_from = c("colData", "assay", "altExp"),
  assay_name = NULL,
  altExp_name = NULL,
  altExp_assay_name = NULL,
  dim = seq_len(2)
)

```

## Arguments

|                   |  |
|-------------------|--|
| sce               | A singlecellexperiment object  |
| dimNames          | indicates the name of the reduced dimension results.   |
| colour_by         | A character indicates how the cells coloured by. The information either stored in colData, assay, or altExp. |
| shape_by          | A character indicates how the cells shaped by. The information either stored in colData, assay, or altExp.   |
| data_from         | A character indicates where the colour by data stored  |
| assay_name        | A character indicates the assay name of the expression   |
| altExp_name       | A character indicates the name of alternative expression   |
| altExp_assay_name | A character indicates the assay name of alternative expression   |
| dim               | a vector of numeric with length of 2 indicates which component is being plot                                 |

## Value

A ggplot of the reduced dimension visualisation

**Examples**

```

data(sce_control_subset, package = "CiteFuse")
sce_control_subset <- CiteFuse(sce_control_subset)
sce_control_subset <- reducedDimSNF(sce_control_subset,
method = "tSNE",
dimNames = "tSNE_joint")
visualiseDim(sce_control_subset, dimNames = "tSNE_joint",
colour_by = "SNF_W_clust")

```

---

visualiseExprs

*visualiseExprs*


---

**Description**

A function to visualise the features distribution

**Usage**

```

visualiseExprs(
  sce,
  plot = c("boxplot", "violin", "jitter", "density", "pairwise"),
  altExp_name = c("none"),
  exprs_value = "logcounts",
  group_by = NULL,
  facet_by = NULL,
  feature_subset = NULL,
  cell_subset = NULL,
  n = NULL,
  threshold = NULL
)

```

**Arguments**

|                |  |
|----------------|--|
| sce            | A singlecellexperiment object  |
| plot           | Type of plot, includes boxplot, violin, jitter, density, and pairwise. By default is boxplot                   |
| altExp_name    | A character indicates which expression matrix is used. by default is none (i.e. RNA).                          |
| exprs_value    | A character indicates which expression value in assayNames is used.  |
| group_by       | A character indicates how is the expression will be group in the plots (stored in colData).                    |
| facet_by       | A character indicates how is the expression will be lay out panels in a grid in the plots (stored in colData). |
| feature_subset | A vector of characters indicates the subset of features that are used for visualisation                        |

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| cell_subset | A vector of characters indicates the subset of cells that are used for visualisation |
| n           | A numeric indicates the top expressed features to show.                              |
| threshold   | Thresholds of high expression for features (only is used for pairwise plot).         |

**Value**

A ggplot to visualise te features distribution

**Examples**

```
data(sce_control_subset)
visualiseExprs(sce_control_subset,
plot = "boxplot",
group_by = "SNF_W_louvain",
feature_subset = c("hg19_CD8A"))

visualiseExprs(sce_control_subset,
plot = "density",
altExp_name = "ADT",
group_by = "SNF_W_louvain",
feature_subset = c("CD8", "CD4"))
```

---

visualiseExprsList     *visualiseExprsList*

---

**Description**

A function to visualise the features distribtuion for a list of SingleCellExperiment

**Usage**

```
visualiseExprsList(
  sce_list,
  plot = c("boxplot", "violin", "jitter", "density"),
  altExp_name = "none",
  exprs_value = "logcounts",
  group_by = NULL,
  feature_subset = NULL,
  cell_subset = NULL,
  n = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

|                |  |
|----------------|--|
| sce_list       | A list of SingleCellExperiment object  |
| plot           | Type of plot, includes boxplot, violin, jitter, density, and pairwise. By default is boxplot |
| altExp_name    | A character indicates which expression matrix is used. by default is none (i.e. RNA).        |
| exprs_value    | A character indicates which expression value in assayNames is used.                          |
| group_by       | A character indicates how is the expression will be group in the plots (stored in colData).  |
| feature_subset | A vector of characters indicates the subset of features that are used for visualisation      |
| cell_subset    | A vector of characters indicates the subset of cells that are used for visualisation         |
| n              | A numeric indicates the top expressed features to show.                                      |

**Value**

A ggplot to visualise te features distribution

**Examples**

```
data(sce_control_subset, package = "CiteFuse")
data(sce_ctcl_subset, package = "CiteFuse")
visualiseExprsList(sce_list = list(control = sce_control_subset,
ctcl = sce_ctcl_subset),
plot = "boxplot",
altExp_name = "none",
exprs_value = "logcounts",
feature_subset = c("hg19_CD8A"),
group_by = c("SNF_W_louvain", "SNF_W_louvain"))
```

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visualiseKNN

*visualiseKNN*


---

**Description**

A function to perform louvain clustering

**Usage**

```
visualiseKNN(sce, colour_by = NULL, metadata = "SNF_W")
```

**Arguments**

|           |   |
|-----------|---|
| sce       | A singlecellexperiment object                                 |
| colour_by | the name of coldata that is used to colour the node           |
| metadata  | indicates the meta data name of affinity matrix to virsualise |

**Value**

A igraph plot

**Examples**

```
data(sce_control_subset, package = "CiteFuse")
sce_control_subset <- CiteFuse(sce_control_subset)
SNF_W_louvain <- igraphClustering(sce_control_subset,
method = "louvain")
visualiseKNN(sce_control_subset, colour_by = "SNF_W_louvain")
```

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`withinSampleDoublets` *withinSampleDoublets*

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**Description**

doublet identification within batch

**Usage**

```
withinSampleDoublets(sce, altExp_name = NULL, eps = 200, minPts = 50)
```

**Arguments**

|             |                               |
|-------------|-------------------------------|
| sce         | a SingleCellExperiment        |
| altExp_name | expression name of HTO matrix |
| eps         | eps of DBSCAN                 |
| minPts      | minPts of DBSCAN              |

**Value**

A SingleCellExperiment object

**Examples**

```
data(CITEseq_example, package = "CiteFuse")
sce_citeseq <- preprocessing(CITEseq_example)
sce_citeseq <- normaliseExprs(sce = sce_citeseq,
altExp_name = "HT0",
transform = "log")
sce_citeseq <- crossSampleDoublets(sce_citeseq)
sce_citeseq <- withinSampleDoublets(sce_citeseq,
minPts = 10)
```

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