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add_genome_matches *Add genome matches*

Description

Add genome matches

Usage

```
add_genome_matches(
  spacers,
  bsgenome = getBSgenome(genome(spacers)[1]),
  mismatches = 2,
  pam = "NGG",
  offtargetmethod = c("bowtie", "pdict")[1],
  outdir = OUTDIR,
  indexedgenomesdir = INDEXEDGENOMESDIR,
  verbose = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

| | |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|
| spacers | GRanges |
| bsgenome | BSgenome |
| mismatches | number |
| pam | string |
| offtargetmethod | 'bowtie' or 'pdict' |
| outdir | bowtie output directory |
| indexedgenomesdir | directory with indexed genomes |
| verbose | TRUE (default) or FALSE |

Value

GRanges

Examples

```
require(magrittr)
file <- system.file('extdata/SRF.bed', package='multicrispr')
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10::BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10
targets0 <- bed_to_granges(file, 'mm10')
targets <- extend(targets0)
spacers <- find_spacers(targets, bsgenome, complement = FALSE,
  ontargetmethod = NULL, offtargetmethod = NULL)
```

```
spacers %<>% extract(1:100)
spacers %<>% add_genome_matches(bsgenome)
```

add_inverse_strand *Add inverse strand*

Description

Add inverse strand

Usage

```
add_inverse_strand(gr, verbose = FALSE, plot = FALSE, ...)
```

Arguments

| | |
|---------|--|
| gr | GRanges-class |
| verbose | TRUE or FALSE (default) |
| plot | TRUE or FALSE (default) |
| ... | plot_intervals arguments |

Value

[GRanges-class](#)

Examples

```
# PE example
#-----
require(magrittr)
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38
gr <- char_to_granges(c(PRNP = 'chr20:4699600:+',          # snp
                       HBB = 'chr11:5227002:-',          # snp
                       HEXA = 'chr15:72346580-72346583:-', # del
                       CFTR = 'chr7:117559593-117559595:+'), # ins
                     bsgenome)
add_inverse_strand(gr, plot = TRUE)

# TFBS example
#-----
bedfile <- system.file('extdata/SRF.bed', package='multicrispr')
gr <- bed_to_granges(bedfile, genome = 'mm10')
add_inverse_strand(gr)
```

| | |
|---------|--------------------------------|
| add_seq | <i>Add sequence to GRanges</i> |
|---------|--------------------------------|

Description

Add sequence to GRanges

Usage

```
add_seq(gr, bsgenome, verbose = FALSE, as.character = TRUE)
```

Arguments

| | |
|--------------|--------------------------------|
| gr | GRanges-class |
| bsgenome | BSgenome-class |
| verbose | TRUE or FALSE (default) |
| as.character | TRUE (default) or FALSE |

Value

[GRanges-class](#)

Examples

```
# PE example
#-----
require(magrittr)
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38
gr <- char_to_granges(c(PRNP = 'chr20:4699600:+', # snp
                       HBB = 'chr11:5227002:-', # snp
                       HEXA = 'chr15:72346580-72346583:-', # del
                       CFTR = 'chr7:117559593-117559595:+'), # ins
                     bsgenome)
(gr %<>% add_seq(bsgenome))

# TFBS example
#-----
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10::BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10
bedfile <- system.file('extdata/SRF.bed', package='multicrispr')
gr <- bed_to_granges(bedfile, 'mm10')
(gr %<>% add_seq(bsgenome))
```

add_target_matches *Add target matches*

Description

Add target matches

Usage

```
add_target_matches(
  spacers,
  targets,
  bsgenome,
  mismatches = 2,
  pam = "NGG",
  outdir = OUTDIR,
  verbose = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

| | |
|------------|-------------------------|
| spacers | GRanges |
| targets | GRanges |
| bsgenome | BSgenome |
| mismatches | number |
| pam | string |
| outdir | bowtie output directory |
| verbose | TRUE (default) or FALSE |

Value

GRanges

Examples

```
require(magrittr)
file <- system.file('extdata/SRF.bed', package='multicrispr')
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10::BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10
targets0 <- bed_to_granges(file, 'mm10')
targets <- extend(targets0)
spacers <- find_spacers(targets, bsgenome, complement = FALSE,
  ontargetmethod = NULL, offtargetmethod = NULL)
spacers %<>% add_target_matches(targets, bsgenome)
```

| | |
|----------------|----------------------------------|
| bed_to_granges | <i>Read bedfile into GRanges</i> |
|----------------|----------------------------------|

Description

Read bedfile into GRanges

Usage

```
bed_to_granges(  
  bedfile,  
  genome,  
  txdb = NULL,  
  do_order = TRUE,  
  plot = TRUE,  
  verbose = TRUE  
)
```

Arguments

| | |
|----------|---|
| bedfile | file path |
| genome | string: UCSC genome name (e.g. 'mm10') |
| txdb | NULL (default) or TxDb-class (used for gene annotation) |
| do_order | TRUE (default) or FALSE: order on seqnames and star? |
| plot | TRUE (default) or FALSE: plot karyogram? |
| verbose | TRUE (default) or FALSE |

Value

[GRanges-class](#)

See Also

[char_to_granges](#), [genes_to_granges](#)

Examples

```
bedfile <- system.file('extdata/SRF.bed', package = 'multicrispr')  
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10::BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10  
(gr <- bed_to_granges(bedfile, genome='mm10'))
```

| | |
|-----------------|--|
| char_to_granges | <i>Convert character vector into GRanges</i> |
|-----------------|--|

Description

Convert character vector into GRanges

Usage

```
char_to_granges(x, bsgenome)
```

Arguments

| | |
|----------|--------------------------------|
| x | character vector |
| bsgenome | BSgenome-class |

Value

[GRanges-class](#)

See Also

[bed_to_granges](#), [genes_to_granges](#)

Examples

```
require(magrittr)
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38
x <- c(PRNP = 'chr20:4699600:+', # snp
      HBB = 'chr11:5227002:-', # snp
      HEXA = 'chr15:72346580-72346583:-', # del
      CFTR = 'chr7:117559593-117559595:+') # ins
gr <- char_to_granges(x, bsgenome)
plot_intervals(gr, facet_var = c('targetname', 'seqnames'))
```

| | |
|--------------|---------------------|
| double_flank | <i>Double flank</i> |
|--------------|---------------------|

Description

Double flank

Usage

```
double_flank(
  gr,
  upstart = -200,
  upend = -1,
  downstart = 1,
  downend = 200,
  strandaware = TRUE,
  plot = FALSE,
  linetype_var = "set",
  ...
)
```

Arguments

| | |
|--------------|---|
| gr | GRanges-class |
| upstart | upstream flank start in relation to start(gr) |
| upend | upstream flank end in relation to start(gr) |
| downstart | downstream flank start in relation to end(gr) |
| downend | downstream flank end in relation to end(gr) |
| strandaware | TRUE (default) or FALSE |
| plot | TRUE or FALSE (default) |
| linetype_var | gr var mapped to linetype |
| ... | passed to plot_intervals |

Value

[GRanges-class](#)

Examples

```
# Prime Editing example
#-----
require(magrittr)
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38
gr <- char_to_granges(c(PRNP = 'chr20:4699600:+', # snp
                       HBB = 'chr11:5227002:-', # snp
                       HEXA = 'chr15:72346580-72346583:-', # del
                       CFTR = 'chr7:117559593-117559595:+'), # ins
                     bsgenome)
double_flank(gr, -10, -1, +1, +20, plot = TRUE)

# TFBS example
#-----
bedfile <- system.file('extdata/SRF.bed', package='multicrispr')
gr <- bed_to_granges(bedfile, genome = 'mm10', plot = FALSE)
double_flank(gr, plot = TRUE)
```

extend_for_pe *Extend ranges for prime editing*

Description

Extend target ranges to span in which to look for spacer-pam seqs

Usage

```
extend_for_pe(
  gr,
  bsgenome,
  nrt = 16,
  spacer = strrep("N", 20),
  pam = "NGG",
  plot = FALSE
)
```

Arguments

| | |
|----------|---|
| gr | GRanges-class |
| bsgenome | BSgenome-class |
| nrt | number: reverse transcription length |
| spacer | string: spacer pattern in extended IUPAC alphabet |
| pam | string: pam pattern in extended IUPAC alphabet |
| plot | TRUE (default) or FALSE |

Details

Extend target ranges to find nearby spacers for prime editing

Value

[GRanges-class](#)

Examples

```
require(magrittr)
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38
gr <- char_to_granges(c( PRNP = 'chr20:4699600:+',          # snp
                        HBB  = 'chr11:5227002:-',          # snp
                        HEXA = 'chr15:72346580-72346583:-', # del
                        CFTR = 'chr7:117559593-117559595:+'), # ins
                      bsgenome = bsgenome)
find_primespacers(gr, bsgenome)
(grext <- extend_for_pe(gr))
find_spacers(grext, bsgenome, complement = FALSE)
```

extend_pe_to_gg *Extend prime editing target to find GG sites*

Description

Extend prime editing target to find GG sites in accessible neighbourhood

Usage

```
extend_pe_to_gg(gr, nrt = 16, plot = FALSE)
```

Arguments

| | |
|------|--|
| gr | target GRanges-class |
| nrt | n RT nucleotides (default 16, recommended 10-16) |
| plot | TRUE or FALSE (default) |

Details

Extends each target range to the area in which to search for a prime editing GG duplet, as shown in the sketch below.

```
=====>---GG--->---GG---> ** <---GG <---GG <=====
```

Value

[GRanges-class](#)

Examples

```
# PE example
#-----
require(magrittr)
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38
gr <- char_to_granges(c(PRNP = 'chr20:4699600:+', # snp
                       HBB = 'chr11:5227002:-', # snp
                       HEXA = 'chr15:72346580-72346583:-', # del
                       CFTR = 'chr7:117559593-117559595:+'), # ins
                     bsgenome)
extend_pe_to_gg(gr, plot = TRUE)
```

extract_matchranges *Extract matching subranges*

Description

Extract subranges that match pattern

Usage

```
extract_matchranges(gr, bsgenome, pattern, plot = FALSE)
```

Arguments

| | |
|----------|---|
| gr | GRanges-class |
| bsgenome | BSgenome{BSgenome-class} |
| pattern | string: search pattern in extended IUPAC alphabet |
| plot | TRUE or FALSE (default) |

Value

[GRanges-class](#)

Examples

```
# PE example
#-----
require(magrittr)
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38
gr <- char_to_granges(c(PRNP = 'chr20:4699600:+',          # snp
                       HBB  = 'chr11:5227002:-',        # snp
                       HEXA  = 'chr15:72346580-72346583:-', # del
                       CFTR  = 'chr7:117559593-117559595:+', # ins
                       bsgenome))

gr %<>% extend_for_pe()
pattern <- strrep('N',20) %>% paste0('NGG')
extract_matchranges(gr, bsgenome, pattern, plot = TRUE)

# TFBS examples
#-----
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10::BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10
bedfile <- system.file('extdata/SRF.bed', package='multicrispr')
gr <- bed_to_granges(bedfile, 'mm10') %>% extend()
extract_matchranges(gr, bsgenome, pattern = strrep('N',20) %>% paste0('NGG'))
```

| | |
|-------------------|--------------------------|
| extract_subranges | <i>Extract subranges</i> |
|-------------------|--------------------------|

Description

Extract subranges from a [GRanges-class](#) object

Usage

```
extract_subranges(gr, ir, plot = FALSE)
```

Arguments

| | |
|------|---|
| gr | GRanges-class |
| ir | IRanges-class : subranges to be extracted |
| plot | TRUE or FALSE (default) |

Value

[GRanges-class](#).

Examples

```
# Extract a subrange
gr <- GenomicRanges::GRanges(c(A = 'chr1:1-100:+', B = 'chr1:1-100:-'))
gr$targetname <- 'AB'
ir <- IRanges::IRanges(c(A = '1-10', A = '11-20', B = '1-10', B = '11-20'))
extract_subranges(gr, ir, plot = TRUE)

# Return empty GRanges for empty IRanges
extract_subranges(GenomicRanges::GRanges('chr1:345-456'), IRanges::IRanges())
```

| | |
|---------|----------------|
| find_gg | <i>Find GG</i> |
|---------|----------------|

Description

Find GG

Usage

```
find_gg(gr)
```

Arguments

| | |
|----|-------------------------------|
| gr | GRanges-class |
|----|-------------------------------|

Value

GRanges-class

Examples

```
# PE example
#-----
require(magrittr)
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38
gr <- char_to_granges(c(PRNP = 'chr20:4699600:+', # snp
                       HBB = 'chr11:5227002:-', # snp
                       HEXA = 'chr15:72346580-72346583:-', # del
                       CFTR = 'chr7:117559593-117559595:+'), # ins
                     bsgenome)
gr %<>% extend_pe_to_gg(plot = TRUE) %>% add_seq(bsgenome)
find_gg(gr)
```

| | |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|
| find_primespacers | <i>Find prime editing spacers</i> |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|

Description

Find prime editing spacers around target ranges

Usage

```
find_primespacers(
  gr,
  bsgenome,
  edits = get_plus_seq(bsgenome, gr),
  nprimer = 13,
  nrt = 16,
  ontargetmethod = c("Doench2014", "Doench2016")[1],
  offtargetmethod = c("bowtie", "pdict")[1],
  mismatches = 0,
  nickmatches = 2,
  indexedgenomesdir = INDEXEDGENOMESDIR,
  outdir = OUTDIR,
  verbose = TRUE,
  plot = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

| | |
|----------|----------------|
| gr | GRanges-class |
| bsgenome | BSgenome-class |

| | |
|-------------------|---|
| edits | character vector: desired edits on '+' strand. If named, names should be identical to those of gr |
| nprimer | n primer nucleotides (default 13, max 17) |
| nrt | n rev transcr nucleotides (default 16, recomm. 10-16) |
| ontargetmethod | 'Doench2014' or 'Doench2016': on-target scoring method |
| offtargetmethod | 'bowtie' or 'pdict' |
| mismatches | no of primespacer mismatches (default 0, to suppress offtarget analysis: -1) |
| nickmatches | no of nickspacer offtarget mismatches (default 2, to suppresses offtarget analysis: -1) |
| indexedgenomesdir | directory with indexed genomes (as created by index_genome) |
| outdir | directory where offtarget analysis output is written |
| verbose | TRUE (default) or FALSE |
| plot | TRUE (default) or FALSE |
| ... | passed to plot_intervals |

Details

Below the architecture of a prime editing site. Edits can be performed anywhere in the revtranscript area.

```
spacer pam -----=== primer revtranscript -----===== 1.....17....GG.....
.....CC..... -----extension-----
```

Value

[GRanges-class](#) with prime editing spacer ranges and following mcols: * crisprspacer: N20 spacers * crisprpam: NGG PAMs * crisprprimer: primer (on PAM strand) * crisprtranscript: reverse transcript (on PAM strand) * crisprextension: 3' extension of gRNA contains: reverse transcription template + primer binding site sequence can be found on non-PAM strand * crisprexrange: genomic range of crispr extension * Doench2016|4: on-target efficiency scores * off0, off1, off2: number of offtargets with 0, 1, 2 mismatches * off: total number of offtargets: off = off0 + off1 + ... * nickrange: nickspacer range * nickspacer: nickspacer sequence * nickDoench2016|4: nickspacer Doench scores * nickoff: nickspacer offtarget counts

See Also

[find_spacers](#) to find standard crispr sites

Examples

```
# Find PE spacers for 4 clinically relevant loci (Anzalone et al, 2019)
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38
gr <- char_to_granges(c(
  PRNP = 'chr20:4699600:+',          # snp: prion disease
  HBB  = 'chr11:5227002:-',        # snp: sickle cell anemia
```

```

    HEXA = 'chr15:72346580-72346583:-', # del: tay sachs disease
    CFTR = 'chr7:117559593-117559595:+'), # ins: cystic fibrosis
    bsgenome)
  spacers <- find_primespacers(gr, bsgenome)
  spacers <- find_spacers(extend_for_pe(gr), bsgenome, complement = FALSE)

# Edit PRNP locus for resistance against prion disease (Anzalone et al, 2019)
  bsgenome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38
  gr <- char_to_granges(c(PRNP = 'chr20:4699600:+'), bsgenome)
  find_primespacers(gr, bsgenome)
  find_primespacers(gr, bsgenome, edits = 'T')

```

 find_spacers

Find crispr spacers in targetranges

Description

Find crispr spacers in targetranges

Usage

```

find_spacers(
  gr,
  bsgenome,
  spacer = strrep("N", 20),
  pam = "NGG",
  complement = TRUE,
  ontargetmethod = c("Doench2014", "Doench2016")[1],
  offtargetmethod = c("bowtie", "pdict")[1],
  offtargetfilterby = character(0),
  subtract_targets = FALSE,
  mismatches = 2,
  indexedgenomesdir = INDEXEDGENOMESDIR,
  outdir = OUTDIR,
  verbose = TRUE,
  plot = TRUE,
  ...
)

```

Arguments

| | |
|----------------|---|
| gr | GRanges-class |
| bsgenome | BSgenome-class |
| spacer | string: spacer pattern in extended IUPAC alphabet |
| pam | string: pam pattern in extended IUPAC alphabet |
| complement | TRUE (default) or FALSE: also search in compl ranges? |
| ontargetmethod | 'Doench2016', 'Doench2016' or NULL (no on-target score) |


```

offtargetmethod
    'bowtie', 'pdict', or NULL (no offtarget analysis)
offtargetfilterby
    filter for best off-target counts by this variable
subtract_targets
    TRUE or FALSE (default): whether to subtract target (mis)matches from offtar-
    get counts
mismatches
    0-3: allowed mismatches in offtargetanalysis (choose mismatch=-1 to suppress
    offtarget analysis)
indexedgenomesdir
    directory with Bowtie-indexed genomes (as produced with index\_genome)
outdir
    directory where bowtie analysis results are written to
verbose
    TRUE (default) or FALSE
plot
    TRUE (default) or FALSE
...
    passed to plot_intervals

```

Value

[GRanges-class](#)

See Also

[find_primespacers](#) to find prime editing spacers

Examples

```

# PE example
#-----
require(magrittr)
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38
gr <- char_to_granges(c(PRNP = 'chr20:4699600:+', # snp
                       HBB = 'chr11:5227002:-', # snp
                       HEXA = 'chr15:72346580-72346583:-', # del
                       CFTR = 'chr7:117559593-117559595:+'), # ins
                     bsgenome)

plot_intervals(gr)
find_primespacers(gr, bsgenome)
find_spacers(extend_for_pe(gr), bsgenome, complement=FALSE, mismatches=0)
# complement = FALSE because extend_for_pe already
# adds reverse complements and does so in a strand-specific
# manner

# TFBS example
#-----
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10::BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10
bedfile <- system.file('extdata/SRF.bed', package='multicrispr')
gr <- bed_to_granges(bedfile, 'mm10') %>% extend()
gr %<>% extract(1:100)
find_spacers(gr, bsgenome, subtract_targets = TRUE)

```

genes_to_granges *Convert geneids into GRanges*

Description

Convert geneids into GRanges

Usage

```
genes_to_granges(geneids, txdb, complement = TRUE, plot = TRUE, verbose = TRUE)
```

```
genefile_to_granges(file, txdb, complement = TRUE, plot = TRUE)
```

Arguments

| | |
|------------|---|
| geneids | Gene identifier vector |
| txdb | TxDb-class or EnsDb-class |
| complement | TRUE (default) or FALSE: add complementary strand? |
| plot | TRUE (default) or FALSE |
| verbose | TRUE (default) or FALSE |
| file | Gene identifier file (one per row) |

Value

[GRanges-class](#)

See Also

[char_to_granges](#), [bed_to_granges](#)

Examples

```
# Entrez
#-----
genefile <- system.file('extdata/SRF.entrez', package='multicrispr')
geneids  <- as.character(read.table(genefile)[[1]])
txdb     <- getFromNamespace('TxDb.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10.knownGene',
                             'TxDb.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10.knownGene')
(gr <- genes_to_granges(geneids, txdb))
(gr <- genefile_to_granges(genefile, txdb))

# Ensembl
#-----
# txdb <- AnnotationHub::AnnotationHub()[["AH75036"]]
# genefile <- system.file('extdata/SRF.ensembl', package='multicrispr')
# geneids <- as.character(read.table(genefile)[[1]])
# (gr <- genes_to_granges(geneids, txdb))
# (gr <- genefile_to_granges(genefile, txdb))
```

| | |
|-------|--------------------------------------|
| gr2dt | <i>GRanges</i> <-> <i>data.table</i> |
|-------|--------------------------------------|

Description

GRanges <-> data.table

Usage

```
gr2dt(gr)
```

```
dt2gr(dt, seqinfo)
```

Arguments

| | |
|---------|-------------------------------|
| gr | GRanges-class |
| dt | data.table |
| seqinfo | Seqinfo-class |

Value

data.table (gr2dt) or GRanges (dt2gr)

Examples

```
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38
gr <- char_to_granges(c(PRNP = 'chr20:4699600:+', # snp
                       HBB = 'chr11:5227002:-', # snp
                       HEXA = 'chr15:72346580-72346583:-', # del
                       CFTR = 'chr7:117559593-117559595:+'), # ins
                     bsgenome)

(dt <- gr2dt(gr))
(gr <- dt2gr(dt, BSgenome::seqinfo(bsgenome)))
```

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|------------------|--------------------------|
| has_been_indexed | <i>Has been indexed?</i> |
|------------------|--------------------------|

Description

Has been indexed?

Usage

```
has_been_indexed(bsgenome, indexedgenomesdir = INDEXEDGENOMESDIR)
```

Arguments

bsgenome BSgenome
 indexedgenomesdir
 directory with indexed genomes

Value

TRUE or FALSE

Examples

```
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38
has_been_indexed(bsgenome)
```

| | |
|--------------|---------------------|
| index_genome | <i>Index genome</i> |
|--------------|---------------------|

Description

Bowtie index genome

Usage

```
index_genome(  
  bsgenome,  
  indexedgenomesdir = INDEXEDGENOMESDIR,  
  download = TRUE,  
  overwrite = FALSE  
)
```

Arguments

bsgenome [BSgenome-class](#)
 indexedgenomesdir
 string: directory with bowtie-indexed genome
 download TRUE (default) or FALSE: whether to download pre-indexed version if available
 overwrite TRUE or FALSE (default)

Details

Checks whether already available locally. If not, checks whether indexed version can be downloaded from our s3 storage. If not, builds the index with bowtie. This can take a few hours, but is a one-time operation.

Value

invisible(genomdir)

Examples

```
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Scerevisiae.UCSC.sacCer1::Scerevisiae
index_genome(bsgenome, indexedgenomesdir = tempdir())
```

| | |
|---------------|----------------------|
| index_targets | <i>Index targets</i> |
|---------------|----------------------|

Description

Bowtie index targets

Usage

```
index_targets(
  targets,
  bsgenome = getBSgenome(genome(targets)[1]),
  outdir = OUTDIR,
  verbose = TRUE
)
```

Arguments

| | |
|----------|--------------------------------|
| targets | GRanges-class |
| bsgenome | BSgenome-class |
| outdir | string: output directory |
| verbose | TRUE (default) or FALSE |

Value

invisible(targetdir)

Examples

```
require(magrittr)
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10::BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10
bedfile <- system.file('extdata/SRF.bed', package = 'multicrispr')
targets <- extend(bed_to_granges(bedfile, genome = 'mm10'))
index_targets(targets, bsgenome)
```

plot_intervals *Interval plot GRanges*

Description

Interval plot GRanges

Usage

```
plot_intervals(
  gr,
  xref = "targetname",
  y = default_y(gr),
  nperchrom = 2,
  nchrom = 4,
  color_var = "targetname",
  facet_var = "seqnames",
  linetype_var = default_linetype(gr),
  size_var = default_size_var(gr),
  alpha_var = default_alpha_var(gr),
  title = NULL,
  scales = "free"
)
```

Arguments

| | |
|--------------|--|
| gr | GRanges-class |
| xref | gr var used for scaling x axis |
| y | 'names' (default) or name of gr variable |
| nperchrom | number (default 1): n head (and n tail) targets shown per chromosome |
| nchrom | number (default 6) of chromosomes shown |
| color_var | 'seqnames' (default) or other gr variable |
| facet_var | NULL(default) or gr variable mapped to facet |
| linetype_var | NULL (default) or gr variable mapped to linetype |
| size_var | NULL (default) or gr variable mapped to size |
| alpha_var | NULL or gr variable mapped to alpha |
| title | NULL or string: plot title |
| scales | 'free', 'fixed', etc |

Value

ggplot object

See Also[plot_karyogram](#)**Examples**

```

# SRF sites
require(magrittr)
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10::BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10
bedfile <- system.file('extdata/SRF.bed', package = 'multicrispr')
targets <- bed_to_granges(bedfile, 'mm10', plot = FALSE)
plot_intervals(targets)

# PE targets
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38
gr <- char_to_granges(c(PRNP = 'chr20:4699600:+',
                       HBB = 'chr11:5227002:-',
                       HEXA = 'chr15:72346580-72346583:-',
                       CFTR = 'chr7:117559593-117559595:+'),
                     bsgenome)
spacers <- find_primespacers(gr, bsgenome, plot = FALSE)
plot_intervals(gr)
plot_intervals(extend_for_pe(gr))
plot_intervals(spacers)

# Empty gr
plot_intervals(GenomicRanges::GRanges())

```

plot_karyogram

*Karyo/Interval Plot GRanges(List)***Description**

Karyo/Interval Plot GRanges(List)

Usage

```
plot_karyogram(grlist, title = unique(genome(grlist)))
```

Arguments

| | |
|--------|-------------------------------|
| grlist | GRanges-class |
| title | plot title |

Value

list

See Also[plot_intervals](#)**Examples**

```
# Plot GRanges
bedfile <- system.file('extdata/SRF.bed', package = 'multicrispr')
gr <- bed_to_granges(bedfile, 'mm10', plot = FALSE)
plot_karyogram(gr)

# Plot GRangesList
flanks <- up_flank(gr, stranded=FALSE)
grlist <- GenomicRanges::GRangesList(sites = gr, flanks = flanks)
plot_karyogram(grlist)
```

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|-----------------|--|
| score_ontargets | <i>Add on-target efficiency scores</i> |
|-----------------|--|

Description

Add Doench2014 or Doench2016 on-target efficiency scores

Usage

```
score_ontargets(
  spacers,
  bsgenome,
  ontargetmethod = c("Doench2014", "Doench2016")[1],
  chunksize = 10000,
  verbose = TRUE,
  plot = TRUE,
  ...
)
```

Arguments

| | |
|----------------|---|
| spacers | GRanges-class : spacers |
| bsgenome | BSgenome-class |
| ontargetmethod | 'Doench2014' (default) or 'Doench2016' (requires non-NULL argument python, virtualenv, or condaenv) |
| chunksize | Doench2016 is executed in chunks of chunksize |
| verbose | TRUE (default) or FALSE |
| plot | TRUE (default) or FALSE |
| ... | passed to plot_intervals |

Details

add_ontargets adds efficiency scores filter_ontargets adds efficiency scores and filters on them

Value

numeric vector

References

Doench 2014, Rational design of highly active sgRNAs for CRISPR-Cas9-mediated gene inactivation. Nature Biotechnology, doi: 10.1038/nbt.3026

Doench 2016, Optimized sgRNA design to maximize activity and minimize off-target effects of CRISPR-Cas9. Nature Biotechnology, doi: 10.1038/nbt.3437

Python module azimuth: [github/MicrosoftResearch/azimuth](https://github.com/MicrosoftResearch/azimuth)

Examples

```
# Install azimuth
#-----
## With reticulate
# require(reticulate)
# conda_create('azienv', c('python=2.7'))
# use_condaenv('azienv')
# py_install(c('azimuth', 'scikit-learn==0.17.1', 'biopython==1.76'),
#           'azienv', pip = TRUE)

## Directly
# conda create --name azienv python=2.7
# conda activate azienv
# pip install scikit-learn==0.17.1
# pip install biopython==1.76
# pip install azimuth

# PE example
#-----
require(magrittr)
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38
targets <- char_to_granges(c(PRNP = 'chr20:4699600:+',           # snp
                           HBB = 'chr11:5227002:-',           # snp
                           HEXA = 'chr15:72346580-72346583:-', # del
                           CFTR = 'chr7:117559593-117559595:+'), # ins
                          bsgenome)
spacers <- find_primespacers(targets, bsgenome, ontargetmethod=NULL,
                             offtargetmethod=NULL)
spacers %<>% score_ontargets(bsgenome, 'Doench2014')
# reticulate::use_condaenv('azienv')
# reticulate::import('azimuth')
# spacers %<>% score_ontargets(bsgenome, 'Doench2016')

# TFBS example
```

```
#-----
bedfile <- system.file('extdata/SRF.bed', package = 'multicrispr')
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10::BSgenome.Mmusculus.UCSC.mm10
targets <- extend(bed_to_granges(bedfile, 'mm10'))
spacers <- find_spacers(targets, bsgenome, ontargetmethod=NULL,
                        offtargetmethod=NULL)
spacers %<>% score_ontargets(bsgenome, 'Doench2014')
# reticulate::use_condaenv('azienv')
# reticulate::import('azimuth')
# spacers %>% score_ontargets(bsgenome, 'Doench2016')
```

up_flank

Extend or Flank GRanges

Description

Returns extensions, upstream flanks, or downstream flanks

Usage

```
up_flank(
  gr,
  start = -200,
  end = -1,
  strandaware = TRUE,
  bsgenome = NULL,
  verbose = FALSE,
  plot = FALSE,
  linetype_var = "set",
  ...
)

down_flank(
  gr,
  start = 1,
  end = 200,
  strandaware = TRUE,
  bsgenome = NULL,
  verbose = FALSE,
  plot = FALSE,
  linetype_var = "set",
  ...
)

extend(
  gr,
  start = -22,
  end = 22,
```

```

    strandaware = TRUE,
    bsgenome = NULL,
    verbose = FALSE,
    plot = FALSE,
    linetype_var = "set",
    ...
)

```

Arguments

| | |
|--------------|---|
| gr | GRanges-class |
| start | number or vector (same length as gr): start definition, relative to gr start (up_flank, extend) or gr end (down_flank). |
| end | number or vector (same length as gr): end definition, relative to gr start (up_flank) or gr end (extend, down_flank). |
| strandaware | TRUE (default) or FALSE: consider strand information? |
| bsgenome | NULL (default) or BSgenome-class . Required to update gr\$seq if present. |
| verbose | TRUE or FALSE (default) |
| plot | TRUE or FALSE (default) |
| linetype_var | string: gr var mapped to linetype |
| ... | passed to plot_intervals |

Details

up_flank returns upstream flanks, in relation to start(gr). down_flank returns downstream flanks, in relation to end(gr). extend returns extensions, in relation to start(gr) and end(gr)

Value

a [GRanges-class](#)

Examples

```

# PE example
#-----
require(magrittr)
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38
gr <- char_to_granges(c(PRNP = 'chr20:4699600:+',          # snp
                       HBB = 'chr11:5227002:-',          # snp
                       HEXA = 'chr15:72346580-72346583:-', # del
                       CFTR = 'chr7:117559593-117559595:+'), # ins
                    bsgenome = bsgenome)
gr %>% up_flank( -22, -1, plot=TRUE)
gr %>% up_flank( c(-10,-20,-30,-40), -1, plot=TRUE)
gr %>% up_flank( -22, -1, plot=TRUE, strandaware=FALSE)

gr %>% down_flank(+1, +22, plot=TRUE)
gr %>% down_flank(+1, c(10, 20, 30, 40), plot=TRUE)

```

```

gr %>% down_flank(+1, +22, plot=TRUE, strandaware=FALSE)

gr %>% extend( -10, +20, plot=TRUE)
gr %>% extend( -10, +20, plot=TRUE, strandaware=FALSE)

# TFBS example
#-----
bedfile <- system.file('extdata/SRF.bed', package='multicrispr')
gr <- bed_to_granges(bedfile, genome = 'mm10')
gr %>% extend(plot = TRUE)
gr %>% up_flank(plot = TRUE)
gr %>% down_flank(plot = TRUE)

```

write_ranges

Write GRanges to file

Description

Write GRanges to file

Usage

```
write_ranges(gr, file, verbose = TRUE)
```

```
read_ranges(file, bsgenome)
```

Arguments

| | |
|----------|--------------------------------|
| gr | GRanges-class |
| file | file |
| verbose | TRUE (default) or FALSE |
| bsgenome | BSgenome-class |

Value

[GRanges-class](#) for read_ranges

Examples

```

# Find PE spacers for 4 clinically relevant loci (Anzalone et al, 2019)
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38::BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38
gr <- char_to_granges(c(
  PRNP = 'chr20:4699600:+',          # snp: prion disease
  HBB = 'chr11:5227002:-',          # snp: sickle cell anemia
  HEXA = 'chr15:72346580-72346583:-', # del: tay sachs disease
  CFTR = 'chr7:117559593-117559595:+'), # ins: cystic fibrosis
  bsgenome)
file <- file.path(tempdir(), 'gr.txt')
write_ranges(gr, file)
read_ranges(file, bsgenome)

```

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