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 accum*Response calculation* 

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**Description**

Calculates needed sample size accumulation from iTRAQ data which is given on spectrum level.

**Usage**

```
accum(dwide)
```

**Arguments**

dwide	iTRAQ data in wide format including columns corresponding to iTRAQ channels containing their intensities.
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addIonStatistics	<i>Summary statistics – Ion intensities per spectra</i>
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**Description**

Summary statistics – Ion intensities per spectra

**Usage**

```
addIonStatistics(dwide)
```

**Arguments**

dwide	iTRAQ data in wide format including columns corresponding to iTRAQ channels containing their intensities.
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addLoadings	<i>Adjust for confounding – add an appropriate target</i>
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**Description**

Adjust for confounding – add an appropriate target

**Usage**

```
addLoadings(dwide, byRef = F)
```

**Arguments**

dwide	iTRAQ data in wide format
byRef	schould the average be calculated from the loading of the reference channel. Default is FALSE and this is recommended.

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`addRetentionAtApex`      *Summary statistics – Calculates retention time statistics at apex*

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## Description

Calculates different summary retention time statistics for each peptide (a subsequence of a protein including post translational modifications). The idea is that each peptide is supposed to have roughly the same retention time.

## Usage

```
addRetentionAtApex(dwide, ...)
```

## Arguments

dwide	iTRAQ data in wide format
...	Additional arguments passed for ddply

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`addRetentionIndexTimeStatistics`  
    *Summary statistics – Calculates index retention time statistics*

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## Description

Summary statistics – Calculates index retention time statistics

## Usage

```
addRetentionIndexTimeStatistics(dwide, ...)
```

## Arguments

dwide	iTRAQ data in wide format
...	Additional arguments passed for ddply

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**adjustBy***Adjust for confounding – Generic function for centring data*

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**Description**

This function calculates from given adjusting factors that compensate for possible confounding due the transformed values for the statistical analysis.

**Usage**

```
adjustBy(dwide, effect, ch)
```

**Arguments**

- |        |   |
|--------|---|
| dwide  | iTRAQ data in wide format.                        |
| effect | estimated effects which may yield to confounding. |
| ch     | names of the channel columns.                     |

**Details**

Can be used to perfome custom adjustments. (Code not used anymore.)

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**adjusting***Adjust for confounding – State of the art adjustments for confounding*

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**Description**

Compensate for possible confounding due the transformed values for the statistical analysis.

**Usage**

```
adjusting(dwide)
```

**Arguments**

- |       |                            |
|-------|----------------------------|
| dwide | iTRAQ data in wide format. |
|-------|----------------------------|

adjustOne	<i>Adjust for confounding – In one single experiment only</i>
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### Description

Simple code when only one iTRAQ-experiment has been performed. (Code not used anymore.)

### Usage

```
adjustOne(dwide)
```

### Arguments

dwide	iTRAQ data in wide format.
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avrgLoading	<i>Adjust for confounding – calculates the average loading</i>
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### Description

Adjust for confounding – calculates the average loading

### Usage

```
avrgLoading(dwide)
```

### Arguments

dwide	iTRAQ data in wide format
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channelResponses	<i>Response calculation</i>
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### Description

From spectrum to protein level – Response variable calculation

### Usage

```
channelResponses(dwide, acc)
```

### Arguments

dwide	iTRAQ data in wide format including columns corresponding to iTRAQ channels containing their intensities.
acc	result of an accumulation of sample sizes

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copyLoadings	<i>Adjust for confounding – copy loadings from one experiment to another</i>
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## Description

This is important when analysing enriched samples. Here, use the loading averages from the corresponding non-enriched sample.

## Usage

```
copyLoadings(fromWide, toWide)
```

## Arguments

fromWide	iTRAQ data in wide format
toWide	iTRAQ data in wide format

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factoring	<i>Sample design – Generating multiple factor designs from one-dimensional factor</i>
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## Description

Making a multiple-factor ANOVA from the single channel variable of an iTRAQ experiment.

## Usage

```
factoring(dwide, cvmat)
```

## Arguments

dwide	iTRAQ data in wide format including columns corresponding to iTRAQ channels containing their intensities.
cvmat	a matrix that hold the information on which channel is mapped to which factor.

## Details

This function uses a matrix cvmat to convert the single channel into a full fledged multiple factor ANOVA.

## Examples

```
channels <- c("X113", "X114", "X115", "X116", "X117", "X118", "X119") #, "X121")
typus    <- c(rep(c("A", "B", "C"), each=2), "reference")
treatment <- c(rep(c("I", "II"), 3), "mixed")
convmat   <- data.frame(channels=channels, typus=typus, treatment=treatment)
print(convmat)
## Not run: factoring(dwide, cvmat=convmat)
```

meetSelection

*Data parsing – from Proteom Discover v1.4*

## Description

Has been tested with PD v1.4

## Usage

```
meetSelection(dwide, ch, ref)
```

## Arguments

dwide	raw data from a PD export.
ch	the column names which hold the reporter ion intensities.
ref	the colmun name which holds the reporter ion intesities of the reference channel.

## Details

This is a rather neat function that allows to get data from an export form the software Proteom Discoverer into R and parsed into a reasonable data frame such one can work with it. It will also add a few statistics and create unique identifiers for all identified peptides. You may argue that this functionality alone is worth the import of the whole package.

## Examples

```
## Not run:
bio1 <- read.csv("my-proteome-discoverer-v1.4-export-experiment-1.csv")
bio2 <- read.csv("my-proteome-discoverer-v1.4-export-experiment-2.csv")
run1 <- droplevels(bio1[bio1$Quan.Usage == "Used",])
run2 <- droplevels(bio2[bio2$Quan.Usage == "Used",])
channels <- c("X113", "X114", "X115", "X116", "X117", "X118", "X119", "X121")
reference <- c("X121")

run1 <- meetSelection(run1, channels, reference)
run2 <- meetSelection(run2, channels, reference)

run1$experiment <- factor(1, levels=1:2, labels=c("iTRAQ-1", "iTRAQ-2"))
run2$experiment <- factor(2, levels=1:2, labels=c("iTRAQ-1", "iTRAQ-2"))
runs <- rbind(run1, run2)

## End(Not run)
```

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**mergeFrames***Merging multiple experiments*

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**Description**

At the end each channel in each iTRAQ experiment can be uniquely identified by a barcode. If two channels of different experiments correspond to the same subject, the same barcode may be used and a method of combining these measurements be chosen.

**Usage**

```
mergeFrames(files, path, sampledesign)
```

**Arguments**

files	data frame of file names and corresponding ids.
path	leading to the files
sampledesign	data frame of ids, channelnames and corresponding barcodes.

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**norm2Reference***Response calculation*

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**Description**

Normalizing the responses of a single iTRAQ to a given reference channel.

**Usage**

```
norm2Reference(dlong)
```

**Arguments**

dlong	iTRAQ data in long format.
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pAction	<i>Plotting p-value distributions</i>
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**Description**

Plotting p-value distributions

**Usage**

```
pAction(restest)
```

**Arguments**

restest	result frame of test results
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plotMePeptide	<i>Plot interaction plots of peptides</i>
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**Description**

Plot interaction plots of peptides

**Usage**

```
plotMePeptide(datP)
```

**Arguments**

datP	subframe of peptide data
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plotMeProtein	<i>Plot interaction plots of proteins</i>
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**Description**

Plot interaction plots of proteins

**Usage**

```
plotMeProtein(datP)
```

**Arguments**

datP	subframe of protein data
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**pRetention**                  *Plot Retention Time Statistics*

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**Description**

Plot retention times with possible outliers

**Usage**

```
pRetention(rwide)
```

**Arguments**

**rwide**                  iTRAQ data in wide format with retention time information

**Examples**

```
## Not run:  
iglobal <- addIonStatistics(pglobal)  
rglobal <- addRetentionTimeStatistics(iglobal, .parallel=TRUE)  
rglob$outlier <- with(rglob, abs(retention.atApex - retention) > 4)  
p <- pRetention(rglobal)  
  
p + geom_point(aes(retention.atApex, retention))  
p + geom_point(aes(retention.atApex, retention-retention.atApex))  
p + geom_point(aes(ppm, retention-retention.atApex))  
p + geom_density(aes(x=ppm), alpha=.242)  
  
## End(Not run)
```

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**pVioline**                  *Plot Retention Time Statistics in violine form*

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**Description**

Plot Retention Time Statistics in violine form

**Usage**

```
pVioline(dat, target)
```

**Arguments**

**dat**                  iTRAQ in log format  
**target**                  of the norming

**pVolcano***Volcano plot***Description**

Volcano plot

**Usage**

```
pVolcano(res, threshold, .foldchange = TRUE,
         .plot = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

- |                          |  |
|--------------------------|--|
| <code>res</code>         | result frame of test results                   |
| <code>threshold</code>   | for biological reasonable effect               |
| <code>.foldchange</code> | wheather results given in ratios or log-ratios |
| <code>.plot</code>       | if true adds a plotting layer                  |

**responseStatistics***Summary statistics – Generic to calculate summary statistics***Description**

Calculates generic summary statistics based on a given formula.

**Usage**

```
responseStatistics(dwide, frm)
```

**Arguments**

- |                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| <code>dwide</code> | iTRAQ data in wide format   |
| <code>frm</code>   | for example: frm <- value ~ protein + variable<br>frm <- value ~ peptide + variable |

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selectByConfidence      *Result filtering – Test for biological effect*

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## Description

The result file filtered by contains on the confidence intervals. This function will use these confidence intervals to filter out biological irrelevant effects.

## Usage

```
selectByConfidence(res, threshold, foldchange = TRUE)
```

## Arguments

res	Result file
threshold	Biologically reasonable threshold
foldchange	Is the threshold given a fold change or a log2-fold change. Default ist TRUE.

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selectByEffect      *Result filtering – Test for biological effect*

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## Description

Result filtering – Test for biological effect

## Usage

```
selectByEffect(res, cutoff = 1)
```

## Arguments

res	Result file
cutoff	the cutoff to be used in the selection

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`selectByFDR`*Result filtering*

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**Description**

Result filtering

**Usage**

```
selectByFDR(res, fdr = 0.01)
```

**Arguments**

<code>res</code>	result frame of test results
<code>fdr</code>	false discovery rate

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`testForPeptideEffect` *Data Analysis – Testing on peptide level*

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**Description**

Data Analysis – Testing on peptide level

**Usage**

```
testForPeptideEffect(dat, frm, conf.level, ...)
```

**Arguments**

<code>dat</code>	iTRAQ data in long format
<code>frm</code>	formal for the test
<code>conf.level</code>	confidence level
<code>...</code>	arguments understood by ddply

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testForProteinEffect *Data Analysis – Testing on protein level*

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## Description

Data Analysis – Testing on protein level

## Usage

```
testForProteinEffect(dat, frm, conf.level, ...)
```

## Arguments

dat	iTRAQ data in long format
frm	formal for the test
conf.level	confidence level
...	arguments understood by ddply

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testing *Data Analysis – Testing features with Tukey Honest Significant Differences*

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## Description

Data Analysis – Testing features with Tukey Honest Significant Differences

## Usage

```
testing(dp, frm, conf.level)
```

## Arguments

dp	iTRAQ data in long format
frm	formal for the test
conf.level	confidence level

testingOneshot	<i>Data Analysis – Testing one feature without Tukey Honest Significant Differences</i>
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**Description**

Data Analysis – Testing one feature without Tukey Honest Significant Differences

**Usage**

```
testingOneshot(model)
```

**Arguments**

model	ANOVA model of the corresponding fit
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testingTukey	<i>Data Analysis – Testing one feature with Tukey Honest Significant Differences</i>
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**Description**

Data Analysis – Testing one feature with Tukey Honest Significant Differences

**Usage**

```
testingTukey(model, conf.level)
```

**Arguments**

model	ANOVA model of the corresponding fit
conf.level	confidence level

toAlpha	<i>Measuring stability – angle of loading vector</i>
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**Description**

Measuring stability by evaluating angle of loading vector from identity

**Usage**

```
toAlpha(dwide)
```

**Arguments**

dwide	iTRAQ data in wide format
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**toProportions**      *Transformation – From intensity scales to density histograms*

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**Description**

Transformation – From intensity scales to density histograms

**Usage**

```
toProportions(dwide)
```

**Arguments**

dwide      iTRAQ data in wide format

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