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**Description** The efficient treatment and convenient analysis of experimental high-throughput (omics) data gets facilitated through this collection of diverse functions. Several functions address advanced object-conversions, like manipulating lists of lists or lists of arrays, reorganizing lists to arrays or into separate vectors, merging of multiple entries, etc. Another set of functions provides speed-optimized calculation of standard deviation (sd), coefficient of variance (CV) or standard error of the mean (SEM) for data in matrixes or means per line with respect to additional grouping (eg n groups of replicates). A group of functions facilitate dealing with non-redundant information, by indexing unique, adding counters to redundant or eliminating lines with respect redundancy in a given reference-column, etc. Help is provided to identify very closely matching numeric values to generate (partial) distance matrixes for very big data in a memory efficient manner or to reduce the complexity of large data-sets by combining very close values. Other functions help aligning a matrix or data.frame to a reference using partial matching or to mine an experimental setup to extract patterns of replicate samples. Many times large experimental datasets need some additional filtering, adequate functions are provided. Convenient data normalization is supported in various different modes, parameter estimation via permutations or boot-strap as well as flexible testing of multiple pair-wise combinations using the framework of 'limma' is provided, too. Batch reading (or writing) of sets of files and combining data to arrays is supported, too.

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.addLetterWoLast      *Add letter to all elements but not last*

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**Description**

This function allows to add 'addChr' to all entries, without the last entry

**Usage**

```
.addLetterWoLast(x, addChr)
```

**Arguments**

x	(character) main input
addChr	(character)

**Value**

This function returns a modified character vector

**See Also**

[paste](#); used in [cutAtMultSites](#)

**Examples**

```
.addLetterWoLast(c("abc", "efgh"), "Z")
```

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<i>.allRatioMatr1to2</i>	<i>Calculate ratios for each column to each column of reference-matrix</i>
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**Description**

This function calculates ratio(s) for each column of matrix 'x' versus all/each column(s) of matrix 'y' (reference)

**Usage**

```
.allRatioMatr1to2(x, y, asLog2 = TRUE, sumMeth = "mean", callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

x	(matrix or data.frame) main input1
y	(matrix or data.frame) main input2
asLog2	(logical)
sumMeth	(character) method
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector or matrix in dimension of 'x' (so far summarize all ratios from mult division from mult ref cols as mean or median )



**See Also**

[makeMAList](#), [grep](#)

**Examples**

```
.allRatioMatr1to2(matrix(11:14, ncol=2), matrix(21:24, ncol=2))
```

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.allRatios	<i>Search character-string and cut either before or after</i>
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**Description**

This function extracts/cuts text-fragments out of txt following specific anchors defined by arguments cutFrom and cutTo.

**Usage**

```
.allRatios(dat, ty = "log2", colNaSep = "_")
```

**Arguments**

dat	(matrix or data.frame) main input
ty	(character) type of ratio (eg 'log2')
colNaSep	(character) separator

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector

**See Also**

[makeMAList](#), [grep](#)

**Examples**

```
.allRatios(matrix(11:14, ncol=2))
```

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`.arrLstMean`*Summarize along columns of multiple arrays in list*

---

**Description**

This function allows summarizing along columns of multiple arrays in list

**Usage**

```
.arrLstMean(  
  arrLst,  
  sumType = "mean",  
  arrOutp = FALSE,  
  signifDig = 3,  
  formatCheck = FALSE,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>arrLst</code>	(list) main input
<code>sumType</code>	(character)
<code>arrOutp</code>	(logical)
<code>signifDig</code>	(integer)
<code>formatCheck</code>	(logical)
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

array (1st dim will be summary along cols, rows will be layers of 3rd array-dim)

**See Also**

used in [cutArrayInCluLike](#)

**Examples**

```
.datSlope(c(3:6))
```

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.arrLstSEM                      *Summarize along columns of mult arrays in list*

---

### Description

This function allows summarizing along columns of mult arrays in list

### Usage

```
.arrLstSEM(  
  arrLst,  
  arrOutp = FALSE,  
  signifDig = 3,  
  formatCheck = FALSE,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

### Arguments

arrLst	(list) main input
arrOutp	(logical)
signifDig	(integer)
formatCheck	(logical)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

array (1st dim will be summary along cols, rows will be layers of 3rd array-dim ie dim(arrLst[[1]])[3])

### See Also

used in [cutArrayInCluLike](#)

### Examples

```
.datSlope(c(3:6))
```

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<code>.asDF2</code>	<i>Convert anything to data.frame</i>
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**Description**

This function allows converting anything to data.frame

**Usage**

```
.asDF2(z)
```

**Arguments**

`z` (numeric vector, factor, matrix or list) main input

**Value**

data.frame

**See Also**

[as.data.frame](#)

**Examples**

```
.asDF2(c(3:6))
```

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<code>.breakInSer</code>	<i>Get series of values after last discontinuity</i>
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**Description**

This function aims to get series of values after last discontinuity

**Usage**

```
.breakInSer(x, getFrom = "last")
```

**Arguments**

`x` (numeric) main input  
`getFrom` (character)

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector of reduced length

**See Also**

[dist](#)

**Examples**

```
.breakInSer(c(11:14, 16:18))
```

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<code>.bringToCtr</code>	<i>Bring most extreme to center</i>
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**Description**

This function aims to bring most extreme value to center

**Usage**

```
.bringToCtr(aa, ctr, ctrFa = 0.75)
```

**Arguments**

<code>aa</code>	(numeric) main input
<code>ctr</code>	(numeric) 'control'
<code>ctrFa</code>	(numeric <1) modulate amplitude of effect

**Value**

This function returns an adjusted numeric vector

**See Also**

[dist](#)

**Examples**

```
.bringToCtr(11:14, 9)
```

---

`.checkArgNa`                      *Check argument names*

---

**Description**

This function allows checking of argument names

**Usage**

```
.checkArgNa(x, argNa, lazyEval = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	(character) main input
<code>argNa</code>	(character) argument name
<code>lazyEval</code>	(logical) decide if argument should be evaluated with abbreviated names, too

**Value**

This function returns a elongated character vector

**See Also**

[chartr](#)

**Examples**

```
.checkArgNa("Abc", c("ab", "Ab", "BCD"))
```

---

`.checkConsistentArrList`  
*Check list of arrays for consistent dimensions of all arrays*

---

**Description**

This function allows to check list of arrays for consistent dimensions of all arrays

**Usage**

```
.checkConsistentArrList(  
  arrLst,  
  arrNDim = 3,  
  fxName = NULL,  
  varName = NULL,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

**Arguments**

`arrLst` (list) main input  
`arrNDim` (integer) number of dimensions for arrays  
`fxName` (character) this name will be given in message  
`varName` (character)  
`silent` (logical) suppress messages  
`debug` (logical) additional messages for debugging  
`callFrom` (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

list

**See Also**

used in [cutArrayInCluLike](#)

**Examples**

```
.datSlope(c(3:6))
```

---

`.checkConv2Vect`      *Convert to simple vector (similar to unlist)*

---

**Description**

This function allows converting 'dat' (may be list, data.frame etc) to simple vector, more elaborate than `unlist()`

**Usage**

```
.checkConv2Vect(dat, toNumeric = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

`dat` (list, data.frame) main input  
`toNumeric` (logical)

**Value**

character (or numeric) vector

**See Also**

[unlist](#); used in [equLenNumber](#)

**Examples**

```
aa <- matrix(11:14, ncol=2)
.checkConv2Vect(aa)
```

---

*.checkFactor*                      *Check Factor*

---

**Description**

This function was designed to check a factor object

**Usage**

```
.checkFactor(  
  fac,  
  facNa = NULL,  
  minLev = 2,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>fac</code>	(factor) main input
<code>facNa</code>	(character) level-names
<code>minLev</code>	(integer) minium number of levels
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a corrceted/adjusted factor

**See Also**

[factor](#)

**Examples**

```
.checkFactor(gl(3,2))
```



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.checkFileNameExtensions  
*checkFileNameExtensions Function for checking file-names.*

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### **Description**

checkFileNameExtensions Function for checking file-names.

### **Usage**

```
.checkFileNameExtensions(fileNa, ext)
```

### **Arguments**

fileNa	(character) file name to be checked
ext	(character) file extension

### **Value**

modified character vector

### **Examples**

```
.checkFileNameExtensions("testFile.txt","txt")
```

---

.checkLegendLoc      *Check argument for Location of legend*

---

### **Description**

This function allows checking an argument for Location of legend, if value provided not found as valid, it returns 'defLoc

### **Usage**

```
.checkLegendLoc(  
  legLoc,  
  defLoc = "topright",  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

**Arguments**

`legLoc` (character) main input  
`defLoc` (character)  
`silent` (logical) suppress messages  
`debug` (logical) additional messages for debugging  
`callFrom` (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a character vector designating the potential location of legend

**See Also**

[legend](#)

**Examples**

```
.checkLegendLoc("abc")
```

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<code>.checkLmConfInt</code>	<i>Compare 'dat' to confidence interval of linare model 'lMod' (eg from lm())</i>
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**Description**

This function allows to compare 'dat' to confidence interval of linare model 'lMod' (eg from lm())

**Usage**

```
.checkLmConfInt(dat, lMod, level = 0.95)
```

**Arguments**

`dat` matrix or data.frame, main input  
`lMod` linear model, only used to extract coefficients offset & slope  
`level` (numeric) alpha threshold for linear model

**Value**

This function returns a logical vector for each value in 2nd col of 'dat' if INSIDE confid interval

**See Also**

[searchLinesAtGivenSlope](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200)+rep(1:10,20)),ncol=10)
```

---

.checkRegrArguments     *Check regression arguments*

---

### Description

This function allows to check arguments for linear regression. Used as argument checking for `regrBy1or2point` and `regrMultBy1or2point`

### Usage

```
.checkRegrArguments(inData, refList, regreTo, callFrom = NULL)
```

### Arguments

<code>inData</code>	(numeric vector) main input
<code>refList</code>	(list)
<code>regreTo</code>	(numeric vector)
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

list

### See Also

[append](#); [lrbind](#)

### Examples

```
.datSlope(c(3:6))
```

---

.chooseGrpCol     *Automatic choice of colors*

---

### Description

This function allows to do automatic choice of colors: if single-> grey, if few -> RColorBrewer, if many : gradient green -> grey/red

**Usage**

```
.chooseGrpCol(
  nGrp,
  paired = FALSE,
  alph = 0.2,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

nGrp	(numeric vector) main input
paired	(logical)
alph	(numeric vector)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced#'

**Value**

This function returns a character vector with color codes

**See Also**

[rgb](#); [colorAccording2](#)

**Examples**

```
.chooseGrpCol(4)
```

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<code>.combineListAnnot</code>	<i>Combine annotation information from list of matrixes</i>
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**Description**

This function allows to combine information (annotation) from list of matrixes (ie replace when NA), using always the columns specified in 'useCol' (numeric)

**Usage**

```
.combineListAnnot(
  lst,
  useCol = 1:2,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

- `lst` (list) main input
- `useCol` (numeric vector) which columns should be used
- `silent` (logical) suppress messages
- `debug` (logical) additional messages for debugging
- `callFrom` (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a single matrix of combined (non-redundant) info

**See Also**

used in [cutArrayInCluLike](#)

**Examples**

```
.datSlope(c(3:6))
```

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<code>.compareByDiff</code>	<i>Compare by distance/difference</i>
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**Description**

This function allows to compare by distance/difference

**Usage**

```
.compareByDiff(dat, limit, distVal = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

- `dat` list of 2 numerical vectors
- `limit` (numeric, length=1) threshold value for retaining values, used with distace-type specified in argument 'compTy'
- `distVal` (logical) to toggle outpout as matrix of numeric (distance values above 'limit', others NA) or matrix of logical

**Value**

This function returns a list with close matches of 'x' to given 'y', the numeric value depends on 'sortMatch' (if FASLE then always value of 'y' otherwise of longest of x&y)

**See Also**

[findCloseMatch](#), [checkSimValueInSer](#), and also `.compareByLogRatio`, for convient output [countCloseToLimits](#)

**Examples**

```
cc <- list(aa=11:14, bb=c(13.1,11.5,14.3,20:21))
```

---

`.compareByLogRatio`      *Compare by log-ratio*

---

**Description**

This function allows to compare by log-ratio

**Usage**

```
.compareByLogRatio(dat, limit, distVal = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>dat</code>	list of 2 numerical vectors
<code>limit</code>	(numeric, length=1) threshold value for retaining values, used with <code>distace</code> -type specified in argument <code>'compTy'</code>
<code>distVal</code>	(logical) to toggle output as matrix of numeric (distance values above <code>'limit'</code> , others NA) or matrix of logical

**Value**

This function returns a list with close matches of `'x'` to given `'y'`, the numeric value depends on `'sortMatch'` (if FALSE then always value of `'y'` otherwise of longest of `x&y`)

**See Also**

[findCloseMatch](#), [checkSimValueInSer](#), and also `.compareByDiff`, for convenient output [countCloseToLimits](#)

**Examples**

```
cc <- list(aa=11:14, bb=c(13.1,11.5,14.3,20:21))  
.compareByLogRatio(cc, 1)
```

---

.compareByPPM                      *Compare by PPM*

---

**Description**

This function allows to compare by ppm

**Usage**

```
.compareByPPM(dat, limit, distVal = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

dat                      list of 2 numerical vectors

limit                    (numeric, length=1) threshold value for retaining values, used with distace-type specified in argument 'compTy'

distVal                  (logical) to toggle output as matrix of numeric (distance values above 'limit', others NA) or matrix of logical

**Value**

This function returns a list with close matches of 'x' to given 'y', the numeric value depends on 'sortMatch' (if FASLE then always value of 'y' otherwise of longest of x&y)

**See Also**

[findCloseMatch](#), [checkSimValueInSer](#), and also [.compareByDiff](#), for convient output [countCloseToLimits](#)

**Examples**

```
cc <- list(aa=11:14, bb=c(13.1,11.5,14.3,20:21))
.compareByPPM(cc, 1)
```

---

.complCols                      *Search (complementing) columns for best coverage of non-NA data for rowNormalization (main)*

---

**Description**

This function was designed to complete the selection of columns of sparse matrix 'dat' with sets of 'nCombin' columns at complete 'coverage' Context : In sparse matrix 'dat' search subsets of columns with some rows as complete (no NA).

**Usage**

```
.complCols(x, dat, nCombin)
```

**Arguments**

x	(integer, length=1) column number for with other columns to combine & give (some) complete non-NA lines are seeked
dat	(matrix) .. init data, smay be parse matrix with numerous NA
nCombin	(integer) .. number of columns used to make complete subset

**Value**

This function returns a matrix of column-indexes complementing (nCombin rows)

**See Also**

[rowNormalize](#)

**Examples**

```
.complCols(3, dat=matrix(c(NA,12:17,NA,19),ncol=3), nCombin=3)
```

---

*.composeCallName*      *Compose sequence of (function-)calls*

---

**Description**

This function was designed for tracing the hierarchy of function-calls. It allows to remove any tailing space or ':' from 'callFrom' (character vector) and return with added 'newNa' (+ 'add2Tail')

**Usage**

```
.composeCallName(newNa, add2Head = "", add2Tail = " : ", callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

newNa	(character vector) main input
add2Head	(character)
add2Tail	(character)
callFrom	(character) may also contain multiple separate names (ie length >1), will be concatenated using '->'

**Value**

character vector (history of who called whom)

**See Also**

[paste](#)



### Examples

```
.composeCallName("newFunction", callFrom="initFunction")
```

---

.convertMatrToNum      *Convert numeric matrix to numeric*

---

### Description

Take matrix and return vector

### Usage

```
.convertMatrToNum(matr, useCol = NULL)
```

### Arguments

matr                    (matrix) main input  
useCol                  (integer) design the columns to be used

### Value

numeric vector

### See Also

[matrix](#)

### Examples

```
.convertMatrToNum(matrix(1:6, ncol=2))
```

---

.convertNa              *Convert/standardize names of 'query' to standard names from 'ref'*

---

### Description

This function converts/standardizes names of 'query' to standard names from 'ref' (list of possible names (char vect) where names define standardized name). It takes 'query' as character vector and return character vector (same length as 'query') with 'converted/corrected' names

### Usage

```
.convertNa(query, ref, partMatch = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

query	(matrix or data.frame, min 2 columns) main input
ref	(list) list of multiple possible names associated to given group, reference name for each group is name of list
partMatch	(logical) allows partial matching (ie name of 'ref' must be in head of 'query')

**Value**

This function returns a character vector

**Examples**

```
daPa <- matrix(c(1:5,8,2:6,9), ncol=2)
```

---

*.corDuplItemsByIncrem* Avoid duplicating items between 'curNa' and 'newNa' by incrementing digits after 'extPref' (in newNa)

---

**Description**

This function aims to avoid duplicating items between 'curNa' and 'newNa' by incrementing digits after 'extPref' (in newNa)

**Usage**

```
.corDuplItemsByIncrem(newNa, curNa, extPref = "_s")
```

**Arguments**

newNa	(character) main input 1
curNa	(character) main input 2
extPref	(character) extension

**Value**

This function returns the corrected input vector newNa

**See Also**

[duplicated](#)

**Examples**

```
.corDuplItemsByIncrem(letters[1:6], letters[8:4])
```

---

<code>.cutAtSearch</code>	<i>Search character-string and cut either before or after</i>
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### Description

This function extracts/cuts text-fragments out of `txt` following specific anchors defined by arguments `cutFrom` and `cutTo`.

### Usage

```
.cutAtSearch(  
  x,  
  searchChar,  
  after = TRUE,  
  silent = TRUE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

### Arguments

<code>x</code>	character vector to be treated
<code>searchChar</code>	(character) text to look for
<code>after</code>	(logical)
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns a modified character vector

### See Also

[grep](#)

### Examples

```
.cutAtSearch("abcdefg", "de")
```

---

`.cutStr` *Cut string to get all variants from given start with min and max length*

---

### Description

This function allows truncating character vector to all variants from given start, with min and optional max length Used to evaluate argument calls without giving full length of argument

### Usage

```
.cutStr(txt, startFr = 1, minLe = 1, maxLe = NULL, reverse = TRUE)
```

### Arguments

<code>txt</code>	(character) main input, may be length >1
<code>startFr</code>	(integer) where to start
<code>minLe</code>	(integer) minimum length of output
<code>maxLe</code>	(integer) maximum length of output
<code>reverse</code>	(logical) return longest text-fragments at beginning of vector

### Value

This function returns a character vector

### See Also

used in [pasteC](#); [substr](#)

### Examples

```
.cutStr("abcdefg", minLe=2)
```

---

`.datSlope` *Model linear regression and optional plot*

---

### Description

This function allows to model a linear regression and optionally to plot the results

**Usage**

```
.datSlope(  
  dat,  
  typeOfPlot = "sort",  
  toNinX = FALSE,  
  plotData = FALSE,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

**Arguments**

- dat (vector or matrix) main input
- typeOfPlot (character)
- toNinX (logical)
- plotData (logical)
- silent (logical) suppress messages
- debug (logical) display additional messages for debugging
- callFrom (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

numeric vector with intercept and slope, optional plot

**See Also**

[append](#); [lrbind](#)

**Examples**

```
.datSlope(c(3:6))
```

---

.extrNAneighb *Extract NA-neighbour values*

---

**Description**

This function allows extracting NA-neighbour value

**Usage**

```
.extrNAneighb(x, grp)
```

**Arguments**

`x`                    initial matrix to treat  
`grp`                    (factor) grouping of replicates

**Value**

numeric vector

**See Also**

[unique](#), [nonAmbiguousNum](#), faster than [firstOfRepeated](#) which gives more detail in output (lines/elements/indexes of omitted)

**Examples**

```
.extrNAneighb(c(11:14,NA), rep(1,5))
```

---

`.extrNumHeadingCap`     *Extract number(s) before capital character*

---

**Description**

This function aims to extract number(s) before capital character

**Usage**

```
.extrNumHeadingCap(x)
```

**Arguments**

`x`                    character vector to be treated

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector

**See Also**

[grep](#), [nchar](#)

**Examples**

```
.extrNumHeadingCap(" 1B ")
```

---

.extrNumHeadingSepChar

*Extract numbers before separator followed by alphabetic character*

---

### Description

This function aims to extract number(s) before separator followed by alphabetic character (return named numeric vector, NAs when no numeric part found)

### Usage

```
.extrNumHeadingSepChar(x, sep = "_")
```

### Arguments

x	character vector to be treated
sep	(character) separator

### Value

This function returns a numeric vector

### See Also

[nchar](#)

### Examples

```
.extrNumHeadingSepChar(" 1B ")
```

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.filterNetw

*Filter nodes & edges for extracting networks (main) This function allows extracting and filtering network-data based on fixed threshold (limInt) and add sandwich-nodes (nodes inter-connecting initial nodes) out of node-based queries.*

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### Description

Filter nodes & edges for extracting networks (main)

This function allows extracting and filtering network-data based on fixed threshold (limInt) and add sandwich-nodes (nodes inter-connecting initial nodes) out of node-based queries.

**Usage**

```
.filterNetw(
  lst,
  remOrphans = TRUE,
  reverseCheck = TRUE,
  filtCol = 2,
  callFrom = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

lst	(list, composed of multiple matrix or data.frames ) main input (each list-element should have same number of columns)
remOrphans	(logical) remove networks consisting only of 2 connected edges
reverseCheck	(logical)
filtCol	(integer, length=1) which column of lst should be used to filter using thresholds limInt and sandwLim
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging

**Value**

This function returns a matrix or data.frame

**See Also**

[filterNetw](#) and other CRAN package dedicated to networks

**Examples**

```
ab <- 1:10
```

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```
.filterSw
```

*Filter 3-dim array of numeric data (main)*

---

**Description**

Filtering of matrix or array x (may be 3-dim array) according to fiTy and checkVa

**Usage**

```
.filterSw(x, fiTy, checkVa, indexRet = TRUE)
```



**Arguments**

x	array (3-dim) of numeric data
fiTy	(character) which type of testing to perform ('eq','inf','ineq','sup','sueq','>','<','>=','<=','==')
checkVa	(logical) s
indexRet	(logical) if TRUE (default) rather return index numbers than filtered values

**Value**

This function returns either index (position within 'x') or concrete (filtered) result

**See Also**

[filt3dimArr](#); [filterList](#); [filterLiColDeList](#);

**Examples**

```
arr1 <- array(11:34, dim=c(4,3,2), dimnames=list(c(LETTERS[1:4]),
  paste("col",1:3,sep=""),c("ch1","ch2")))
filt3dimArr(arr1,displCrit=c("col1","col2"),filtCrit="col2",filtVal=7)
.filtSw(arr1, fiTy="inf", checkVa=7)
```

---

.filtSize	<i>Filter for size</i>
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**Description**

This function aims to filter for size

**Usage**

```
.filtSize(x, minSize = 5, maxSize = 36)
```

**Arguments**

x	main inpuy
minSize	(integer) minimum number of characters, if NULL set to 0
maxSize	(integer) maximum number of characters

**Value**

list of filtered input

**See Also**

[filtSizeUniq](#); [correctToUnique](#), [unique](#), [duplicated](#)

**Examples**

```
aa <- 1:10
```

---

*.findBorderOverlaps*     *Find overlap instances among range of values in lines*

---

**Description**

This function aims to find overlap instances among range of values in lines of 'x' (typically give just min & max)

**Usage**

```
.findBorderOverlaps(x, rmRedund = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

x	(matrix of numeric values or all-numeric data.frame) main input
rmRedund	(logical) report overlaps only in 1st instance (will show up twice otherwise)
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

This function returns a matrix with line for each overlap found, cols 'refLi' (line no), 'targLi' (line no), 'targCol' (col no)

**See Also**

[nchar](#)

**Examples**

```
aa <- 11:15
```

---

.firstMin	<i>Get first minimum</i>
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**Description**

This function allows to find the first minimum of a numeric vector

**Usage**

```
.firstMin(x, positionOnly = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

x (numeric vector) main input  
positionOnly (logical)

**Value**

numeric vector

**See Also**

[which.min](#)

**Examples**

```
.firstMin(c(4,3:6))
```

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.fuse2ArrBy2ndDim	<i>fuse 2 instances of 3dim arr as mult cols in 3dim array</i>
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**Description**

This function allows fusing 2 instances of 3dim arr as mult cols in 3dim array (ie fuse along 2nd dim, increase cols)

**Usage**

```
.fuse2ArrBy2ndDim(arr1, arr2, silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

arr1 (array)  
arr2 (array)  
silent (logical) suppress messages  
debug (logical) additional messages for debugging  
callFrom (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector with number of non-numeric characters (ie not '.' or 0-9)

**See Also**

[array](#)

**Examples**

```
aa <- 11:15
```

---

*.getAmean*

*Get A value for each group of replicates*

---

**Description**

This function calculates the 'A' value (ie group mean) for each group of replicates (eg for MA-plot)

**Usage**

```
.getAmean(dat, grp)
```

**Arguments**

*dat* (matrix or data.frame) main input

*grp* (factor) grouping of replicates

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector

**See Also**

[makeMAList](#)

**Examples**

```
.getAmean(matrix(11:18, ncol=4), gl(2,2))
```

---

`.getAmean2`*Get A value for each group of replicates based on comp*

---

**Description**

This function calculates the 'A' value (ie group mean) for each group of replicates (eg for MA-plot) comp is matrix telling which groups to use/compare, assuming that dat are already group-means)

**Usage**

```
.getAmean2(dat, comp)
```

**Arguments**

dat	(matrix or data.frame) main input
comp	(matrix) tells which groups to use/compare, assuming that dat are already group-means)

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector

**See Also**

[makeMAList](#)

**Examples**

```
.getAmean(matrix(11:18, ncol=4), gl(2,2))
```

---

`.getMvalue2`*Get M value for each group of replicates based on comp*

---

**Description**

This function calculates the 'M' value (ie log-ratio) for each group of replicates based on comp (eg for MA-plot) comp is matrix telling which groups to use/compare, assuming that dat are already group-means)

**Usage**

```
.getMvalue2(dat, comp)
```

**Arguments**

dat (matrix or data.frame) main input  
 comp (matrix) tells which groups to use/compare, assuming that dat are already group-means)

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector

**See Also**

[makeMAList](#)

**Examples**

```
.getAmean(matrix(11:18, ncol=4), gl(2,2))
```

---

<code>.growTree</code>	<i>Grow tree</i>
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**Description**

This function allows growing tree-like structures (data.tree objects)

**Usage**

```
.growTree(tm, setX, addToObj = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

tm (list) main input, \$disDat .. matrix with integer start & end sites for fragments; \$lo (logical) which fragments may be grown; \$start (integer) index for which line of \$disDat to start; \$it numeric version of \$lo; \$preN for previous tree objects towards root; \$iter for iterator (starting at 1))  
 setX .. data.tree object (main obj from root)  
 addToObj .. data.tree object (branch on which to add new branches/nodes)

**Value**

list

**See Also**

[buildTree](#)

**Examples**

```
.datSlope(c(3:6))
```

---

`.insp1dimByClustering` *Segment (1-dim vector) 'dat' into clusters*

---

### Description

This function allows segmenting (1-dim vector) 'dat' into clusters. If 'automClu=TRUE ..' first try automatic clustering, if too few clusters, run km with  $\text{length}(\text{dat})^{0.3}$  clusters This function requires the package NbClust to be installed.

### Usage

```
.insp1dimByClustering(  
  dat,  
  automClu = TRUE,  
  cluChar = TRUE,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

### Arguments

dat	matrix or data.frame, main input
automClu	(logical) run automatic clustering
cluChar	(logical) to display cluster characteristics
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns clustering (class index) or (if 'cluChar'=TRUE) list with clustering and cluster-characteristics

### See Also

[searchLinesAtGivenSlope](#)

### Examples

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200)+rep(1:10,20)),ncol=10)
```

---

<code>.inspectHeader</code>	<i>Inspect 'matr' and check if 1st line can be used/converted as header</i>
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**Description**

This function inspects 'matr' and check if 1st line can be used/converted as header. If colnames of 'matr' are either NULL or 'V1',etc the 1st row will be tested if it contains any of the elements (if not, 1st line won't be used as new colnames) If 'numericCheck'=TRUE, all columns will be tested if they can be converted to numeric

**Usage**

```
.inspectHeader(  
  matr,  
  headNames = c("Plate", "Well", "StainA"),  
  numericCheck = TRUE,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>matr</code>	(matrix or data.frame) main input to be instected
<code>headNames</code>	(character) column-names t look for
<code>numericCheck</code>	(logical) allows reducing complexity by drawing for very long x or y
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a matrix vector or data.frame similar to input

**See Also**

[head](#) for looking at first few lines

**Examples**

```
ma1 <- matrix(letters[1:6], ncol=3, dimnames=list(NULL,c("ab","Plate","Well")))  
.inspectHeader(ma1)
```



---

.keepCenter1d                      *Refine/filter 'dat1' (1dim dataset, eg cluster) with aim of keeping center of data*

---

### Description

This function allows to refine/filter 'dat1' (1dim dataset, eg cluster) with aim of keeping center of data. It is done based on most freq class of histogram keep/filter data if 'core' (

### Usage

```
.keepCenter1d(  
  dat1,  
  core = NULL,  
  keepOnly = TRUE,  
  displPlot = FALSE,  
  silent = TRUE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

### Arguments

dat1	simple numeric vector
core	numeric vactor (betw 0 and 1) for fraction of data to keep; if null trimmed-Mean/max hist occurance will be used, limited within 30-70 perent; may also be 'high' or 'low' for forcing low (20-60percent) or high (75-99) percent of data to retain
keepOnly	(logical)
displPlot	(logical) show plot of hist & boundaries
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns the index of values retained or if 'keepOnly' return list with 'keep' index and 'drop' index

### See Also

[searchLinesAtGivenSlope](#)

### Examples

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200)+rep(1:10,20)),ncol=10)
```

---

`.keepFiniteCol`      *Remove all columns where all data are not finite*

---

### **Description**

This function aims to remove all columns where all data are not finite

### **Usage**

```
.keepFiniteCol(  
  dat,  
  msgStart = NULL,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

### **Arguments**

<code>dat</code>	(matrix or data.frame) main input
<code>msgStart</code>	(character)
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

### **Value**

This function returns a corrected matrix or data.frame

### **See Also**

[renameColumns](#); [is.finite](#)

### **Examples**

```
ma1 <- matrix(c(1:5, Inf), ncol=2)  
.keepFiniteCol(ma1)
```

---

.maybeNum *Check if vector may be numeric content*

---

### Description

This function allows to checking if a given vector may be numeric content

### Usage

```
.maybeNum(x, pattern = NULL)
```

### Arguments

x (numeric vector) main input  
pattern (character) custom pattern to check

### Value

This functions returns a logical/boolean vector for each of the elements of 'x'

### See Also

[numeric](#); [convMatr2df](#)

### Examples

```
.maybeNum(c(3:6))
```

---

.medianSpecGrp *Rescale respective to specific group*

---

### Description

This function allows to rescale data 'x' so that specific group 'grpNum' gets normalized to predefined value 'grpVal'. In normal case x will be multiplied by 'grpVal' and divided by value obtained from 'grpNum'. If summary of 'grpNum-positions' or 'grpVal' is 0, then grpVal will be attained by subtraction of summary & adding grpVal

### Usage

```
.medianSpecGrp(x, grpNum, grpVal, sumMeth = "median", callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	(numeric vector) main input
<code>grpNum</code>	(numeric)
<code>grpVal</code>	(numeric)
<code>sumMeth</code>	(character) method for summarizing
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

numeric vector

**See Also**

[which.min](#)

**Examples**

```
.firstMin(c(4,3:6))
```

---

<code>.mergeMatrices</code>	<i>Merge Multiple Matrices (main)</i>
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**Description**

This function allows merging of multiple matrix-like objects from an initial list.

**Usage**

```
.mergeMatrices(  
  inpl,  
  mode = "intersect",  
  useColumn = 1,  
  extrRowNames = FALSE,  
  na.rm = TRUE,  
  argL = NULL,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

**Arguments**

- inpL (list containing matrices or data.frames) main input (multiple matrix or data.frame objects)
- mode (character) allows choosing restricting to all common elements (mode= 'intersect') or union (mode= 'union')
- useColumn (integer, character or list) the column(s) to consider, may be 'all' to use all, integer to select specific indexes or list of indexes or colnames for custom-selection per matrix
- extrRowNames (logical) decide whether columns with all values different (ie no replicates or max divergency) should be excluded
- na.rm (logical) suppress NAs
- argL (list of arguments)
- silent (logical) suppress messages
- debug (logical) additional messages for debugging
- callFrom (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a matrix containing all selected columns of the input matrices to fuse

**See Also**

[mergeMatrixList](#), [merge](#), [mergeMatrices](#) for separate entries

**Examples**

```
mat1 <- matrix(11:18, ncol=2, dimnames=list(letters[3:6],LETTERS[1:2]))
```

---

<code>.minDif</code>	<i>find closest neighbour to numeric vector</i>
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**Description**

This function aims to find closest neighbour to numeric vector

**Usage**

```
.minDif(z, initOrder = TRUE, rat = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

- z (numeric) vector to search minimum difference
- initOrder (logical) return matrix so that 'x' matches exactly 2nd col of output
- rat (logical) express result as ratio

**Value**

This function returns a matrix with index,value,dif,best

**See Also**

[dist](#)

**Examples**

```
.minDif(c(11:15,17))
```

---

.neighbDis

*Distances beteenw sorted points of 2-columns*

---

**Description**

This function returns distances beteenw sorted points of 2-column matrix 'x'

**Usage**

```
.neighbDis(x, asSum = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

x	(matrix or data.frame, min 2 columns) main input
asSum	(logical) if TRUE (default) the sum of all distances will be returned, otherwise the individual distances

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector with distances

**Examples**

```
daPa <- matrix(c(1:5,8,2:6,9), ncol=2)
.neighbDis(daPa)
```

---

.normalize *Main Normalization function*

---

**Description**

This function aims to normalize a matrix or data.frame by columns. It assumes all checks have been done before calling this function.

**Usage**

```
.normalize(  
  dat,  
  meth,  
  mode,  
  param,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

**Arguments**

dat	matrix or data.frame of data to get normalized
meth	(character) may be "mean","median","NULL","none", "trimMean", "rowNormalize", "slope", "exponent", "slope2Sections", "vsn"; When NULL or 'none' is chosen the input will be returned
mode	(character) may be "proportional", "additive"; decide if normalization factors will be applied as multiplicative (proportional) or additive; for log2-omics data mode="additive" is suggested
param	(list) additional parameters
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector

**See Also**

[normalizeThis](#)

**Examples**

```
aa <- matrix(1:12, ncol=3)  
.normalize(aa,"median",mode="proportional",param=NULL)
```

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*.normConstSlope*      *Normalize columns of 2dim matrix to common linear regression fit*

---

### Description

This function aims to normalize columns of 2dim matrix to common linear regression fit within range of 'useQuant'

### Usage

```
.normConstSlope(
  mat,
  useQuant = c(0.2, 0.8),
  refLines = NULL,
  diagPlot = TRUE,
  plotLog = "",
  datName = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

mat	matrix or data.frame of data to get normalized
useQuant	(numeric) quantiles to use
refLines	(NULL or numeric) allows to consider only specific lines of 'dat' when determining normalization factors (all data will be normalized)
diagPlot	(logical) draw diagnostic plot
plotLog	(character) indicate which axis should be displayed on log-scale, may be 'x', 'xy' or 'y'
datName	(character) use as title in diag plot
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns a numeric vector

### See Also

[normalizeThis](#)

### Examples

```
aa <- matrix(1:12, ncol=3)
```



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.offCenter                      *Return position of 'di' (numeric vector) which is most excentric (distant to 0), starts with NAs as most excentric*

---

### Description

This function aims to return position of 'di' (numeric vector) which is most excentric (distant to 0), starts with NAs as most excentric It is used for identifying/removing (potential) outliers. Note : this fx doesn't consider reference distrubutions, even with "perfect data" 'nMost' points will ba tagged !

### Usage

```
.offCenter(di, nMost = 1)
```

### Arguments

di                      (numeric) main input  
nMost                  (integer)

### Value

This function returns a integer/numeric vector (indicating index)

### See Also

use in [presenceFilt](#); [diff](#)

### Examples

```
.offCenter(11:14)
```

---

.pasteCols                      *Paste-concatenate all columns of matrix*

---

### Description

This function allows paste columns

### Usage

```
.pasteCols(mat, sep = "")
```

### Arguments

mat                      inital matrix  
sep                      (character) separator

**Value**

simplified/non-redundant vector/matrix (ie fewer lines for matrix), or respective index

**See Also**

[unique.nonAmbiguousNum](#), faster than [firstOfRepeated](#) which gives more detail in output (lines/elements/indexes of omitted)

**Examples**

```
.pasteCols(matrix(11:16,ncol=2), sep="_")
```

---

```
.plotCountPie          Pie plot for counting results
```

---

**Description**

This function allows to inspect results of `table` or `uniqCountReport` on a pie-plot Note : fairly slow for long vectors !!

**Usage**

```
.plotCountPie(
  count,
  tit = NULL,
  col = NULL,
  radius = 0.9,
  sizeTo = NULL,
  clockwise = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>count</code>	(integer vector) counting result
<code>tit</code>	(character) optional title in plot
<code>col</code>	(character) custom colors in pie
<code>radius</code>	(numeric) radius passed to pie
<code>sizeTo</code>	(numeric or character) optional reference group for size-population relative adjusting overall surface of pie
<code>clockwise</code>	(logical) argument passed to pie
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

vector with counts of n (total), nUnique (wo any repeated), nHasRepeated (first of repeated), nRedundant), optional figure

**See Also**

[uniqCountReport](#), [correctToUnique](#), [unique](#)

**Examples**

```
.plotCountPie(table(c(1:5,4:2)))
```

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<code>.plusLowerCaps</code>	<i>Add lower caps to character vector</i>
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**Description**

This function allows adding all content as lower caps to/of character vector

**Usage**

```
.plusLowerCaps(x)
```

**Arguments**

x (character) main input

**Value**

This function returns a elongated character vector

**See Also**

[chartr](#)

**Examples**

```
.plusLowerCaps(c("Abc", "BCD"))
```

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<code>.predRes</code>	<i>Calculate residues of (2-dim) linear model 'lMod'-prediction offfor 'dat'</i>
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**Description**

This function calculates residues of (2-dim) linear model 'lMod'-prediction off/for 'dat' (using 2nd col of 'useCol' ) (indexing in 'dat', matrix or data.frame with min 2 cols), using 1st col of 'useCol' as 'x'. It may be used for comparing/identifying data close to regression (eg re-finding data on autoregression line in FT-ICR)

**Usage**

```
.predRes(dat, lMod, regTy = "lin", useCol = 1:2)
```

**Arguments**

<code>dat</code>	matrix or data.frame, main input
<code>lMod</code>	linear model, only used to extract coefficients offset & slope
<code>regTy</code>	(character) type of regression model
<code>useCol</code>	(integer) columns to use

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector of residues (for each line of dat)

**See Also**

[searchLinesAtGivenSlope](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200)+rep(1:10,20)),ncol=10)
```

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<code>.raiseColLowest</code>	<i>Raise all values close to lowest value</i>
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---

**Description**

This function aims to raise all values close to lowest value to end up as at value of 'raiseTo'. This is done independently for each col of mat. This function sets all data to common raiseTo (which is min among all cols)

**Usage**

```
.raiseColLowest(  
  mat,  
  raiseTo = NULL,  
  minFa = 0.1,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

**Arguments**

mat	(matrix of numeric values) main input
raiseTo	(numeric)
minFa	(numeric) minimum factor
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector with numer of non-numeric characters (ie not '.' or 0-9))

**See Also**

[nchar](#)

**Examples**

```
aa <- 11:15
```

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.removeCol	<i>Remove columns indicated by col-number</i>
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**Description**

This function aims to remove columns indicated by col-number

**Usage**

```
.removeCol(matr, rmCol)
```

**Arguments**

matr	(matrix or data.frame) main input
rmCol	(integer) column index for removing

**Value**

This function returns an matrix or data.frame

**See Also**

[dist](#)

**Examples**

```
aa <- matrix(1:6, ncol=3)
.removeCol(aa, 2)
```

---

<code>.removeEmptyCol</code>	<i>Search for (empty) columns containing only entries defined in 'searchFields' and remove such columns</i>
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**Description**

This function aims to search for (empty) columns containing only entries defined in 'searchFields' and remove such columns. If 'fromBackOnly' =TRUE .. only trailing empty columns will be removed (other columns with "empty" entries in middle will be kept). If ""=TRUE columns containing all NAs will be excluded as well This function will also remove columns containing (exclusively) mixtures of the various 'searchFields'.

**Usage**

```
.removeEmptyCol(
  dat,
  fromBackOnly = TRUE,
  searchFields = c("", " ", "NA.", NA),
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>dat</code>	(matrix or data.frame) main input
<code>fromBackOnly</code>	(logical)
<code>searchFields</code>	(character)
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a corrected matrix or data.frame

**See Also**

[renameColumns](#); [is.finite](#)

**Examples**

```
ma1 <- matrix(c(1:5, NA), ncol=2)
.removeEmptyCol(ma1)
```

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.replSpecChar	<i>Replace Special Characters</i>
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**Description**

This function allows replacing special characters Note that (most) special characters must be presented with protection for grep and sub.

**Usage**

```
.replSpecChar(x, findSp = c("\\(", "\\)", "\\$"), replBy = "_")
```

**Arguments**

- x (character) main input
- findSp (character) special characters to replace (may have to be given as protected)
- replBy (character) replace by

**Value**

This function returns a corrected/adjusted factor

**See Also**

[factor](#)

**Examples**

```
.replSpecChar(c("jhjh(ab)", "abc"))
```

---

```
.retain1stPart      Trim character string: keep only text before 'sep'
```

---

**Description**

Trim character string: keep only text before 'sep' (length=1 !)

**Usage**

```
.retain1stPart(chr, sep = " = ", offSet = 1)
```

**Arguments**

chr	character vector to be treated
sep	(character) separator
offSet	(integer) off-set

**Value**

This function returns a modified character vector

**See Also**

[substr](#)

**Examples**

```
.retain1stPart("abc = def")
```

---

```
.rowGrpCV          row group CV (main)
```

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**Description**

This function calculates CVs for matrix with multiple groups of data, ie one CV for each group of data.

**Usage**

```
.rowGrpCV(x, grp, means)
```

**Arguments**

x	numeric matrix where replicates are organized into separate columns
grp	(factor) defining which columns should be grouped (considered as replicates)
means	(numeric) alternative values instead of means by .rowGrpMeans()



**Value**

This function returns a matrix of CV values

**See Also**

[rowGrpCV](#), [rowCVs](#), [arrayCV](#), [replPlateCV](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200)+rep(1:10,20)),ncol=10)
grp1 <- gl(4,3,labels=LETTERS[1:4])[2:11]
head(.rowGrpCV(dat1, grp1, .rowGrpMeans(dat1, grp1)))
```

---

.rowGrpMeans	<i>row group mean (main)</i>
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---

**Description**

This function calculates CVs for matrix with multiple groups of data, ie one CV for each group of data.

**Usage**

```
.rowGrpMeans(x, grp, na.replVa = NULL, na.rm = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

- x numeric matrix where replicates are organized into separate columns
- grp (factor) defining which columns should be grouped (considered as replicates)
- na.replVa (numeric) value to replace NA values
- na.rm (logical) remove all NA values

**Value**

This function returns a matrix of mean values per row and group of replicates

**See Also**

[rowGrpCV](#), [rowCVs](#), [arrayCV](#), [replPlateCV](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200)+rep(1:10,20)),ncol=10)
grp1 <- gl(4,3,labels=LETTERS[1:4])[2:11]
head(.rowGrpMeans(dat1, grp1))
```

---

<code>.rowGrpSds</code>	<i>row group sd (main)</i>
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---

**Description**

This function calculates sd for matrix with multiple groups of data, ie one sd for each group of data.

**Usage**

```
.rowGrpSds(x, grp)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	numeric matrix where replicates are organized into separate columns
<code>grp</code>	(factor) defining which columns should be grouped (considered as replicates)

**Value**

This function returns a matrix of sd values per row and group of replicates

**See Also**

[rowGrpCV](#), [rowCVs](#), [arrayCV](#), [replPlateCV](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200)+rep(1:10,20)),ncol=10)
grp1 <- gl(4,3,labels=LETTERS[1:4])[2:11]
head(.rowGrpSds(dat1, grp1))
```

---

<code>.rowGrpSums</code>	<i>row group rowSums per group (main)</i>
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---

**Description**

This function calculates row-sums for matrix with multiple groups of data, with multiple groups of data, ie one sd for each group of data.

**Usage**

```
.rowGrpSums(x, grp, na.replVa = NULL, na.rm = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

- x                    numeric matrix where replicates are organized into separate columns
- grp                 (factor) defining which columns should be grouped (considered as replicates)
- na.replva          (numeric) value to replace NA values
- na.rm              (logical) remove all NA values

**Value**

This function returns a matrix of row-sums for matrix with multiple groups of data

**See Also**

[rowGrpCV](#), [rowCVs](#), [arrayCV](#), [replPlateCV](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200)+rep(1:10,20)),ncol=10)
grp1 <- gl(4,3,labels=LETTERS[1:4])[2:11]
head(.rowGrpSums(dat1, grp1))
```

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.rowNorm	<i>Row-normalization procedure on matrix or data.frame 'dat'</i>
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---

**Description**

This function was performs a row-normalization procedure on matrix or data.frame 'dat'

**Usage**

```
.rowNorm(  
  dat,  
  refLi,  
  method,  
  proportMode,  
  maxFact = 10,  
  fact0val = 10,  
  retFact = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  silent = FALSE  
)
```

**Arguments**

dat	(matrix) .. init data, smay be parse matrix with numerous NA
refLi	(NULL or numeric) allows to consider only specific lines of 'dat' when determining normalization factors (all data will be normalized)
method	(character) may be "mean","median" (plus "NULL","none"); When NULL or 'none' is chosen the input will be returned as is
proportMode	(logical) decide if normalization should be done by multiplicative or additive factor
maxFact	(numeric, length=2) max normalization factor
fact0val	(integer)
retFact	(logical)
callFrom	(character) This function allows easier tracking of messages produced
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
silent	(logical) suppress messages

**Value**

This function returns a matrix of normalized data same dimensions as 'dat'

**See Also**

[rowNormalize](#)

**Examples**

```
.rowNorm(matrix(11:31, ncol=3), refLi=1, method="mean", proportMode=TRUE)
```

---

.rowNormFact	<i>Obtain normalization factor (main)</i>
--------------	---

---

**Description**

This function was designed to obtain normalization factors.

**Usage**

```
.rowNormFact(
  dat,
  combOfN,
  comUse,
  method = "median",
  refLi = NULL,
  refGrp = NULL,
  proportMode = TRUE,
```

```
minQuant = NULL,  
maxFact = 10,  
omitNonAlignable = FALSE,  
silent = FALSE,  
debug = FALSE,  
callFrom = NULL  
)
```

### Arguments

dat	(matrix) .. init data, smay be parse matrix with numerous NA
combOfN	(matrix) .. # matrix of index for all sub-groups (assumed as sorted)
comUse	(list) .. index of complete lines for each col of combOfN
method	(character) may be "mean","median" (plus "NULL","none"); When NULL or 'none' is chosen the input will be returned as is
refLi	(NULL or numeric) allows to consider only specific lines of 'dat' when determining normalization factors (all data will be normalized)
refGrp	(integer) Only the columns indicated will be used as reference, default all columns (integer or colnames)
proportMode	(logical) decide if normalization should be done by multiplicative or additive factor
minQuant	(numeric) optional filter to set all values below given value as NA
maxFact	(numeric, length=2) max normalization factor
omitNonAlignable	(logical) allow omitting all columns which can't get aligned due to sparseness
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) This function allows easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns a matrix of column-indexes complementing (nCombin rows)

### See Also

[rowNormalize](#)

### Examples

```
ma1 <- matrix(11:41, ncol=3)
```

---

<code>.scale01</code>	<i>Scale between 0 and 1 (main)</i>
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---

**Description**

This function rescales between 0 and 1

**Usage**

```
.scale01(x)
```

**Arguments**

`x` numeric vector to be re-scaled

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector of same length with re-scaled values

**See Also**

[scaleXY](#), [scale](#)

**Examples**

```
.scale01(11:15)
```

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<code>.scaleSpecGrp</code>	<i>Rescale respective to specific group</i>
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**Description**

This function allows to rescale data 'x' so that 2 specific groups get normalized to predefined values (and all other values follow proportionally) 'grp1Num' and 'grp2Num' should be either numeric for positions in 'x' or character for names of 'x'; if 'grp1Num' and/or 'grp2Num' design multiple locations: perform median or mean summarization, according to 'sumMeth'

**Usage**

```
.scaleSpecGrp(
  x,
  grp1Num,
  grp1Val,
  grp2Num = NULL,
  grp2Val = NULL,
  sumMeth = "mean",
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x	(numeric vector) main input
grp1Num	(numeric)
grp1Val	(numeric)
grp2Num	(numeric)
grp2Val	(numeric)
sumMeth	(character) method for summarizing
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

numeric vector

**See Also**

[which.min](#)

**Examples**

```
.firstMin(c(4,3:6))
```

---

.scaleXY *Scale between min and max value (main)*

---

**Description**

This function rescales between user-defined min and max values

**Usage**

```
.scaleXY(x, minim = 2, maxim = 3)
```

**Arguments**

x	numeric vector to be re-scaled
minim	(numeric) minimum value for resultant vector
maxim	(numeric) maximum value for resultant vector

**Value**

This function returns a matrix of CV values

**See Also**

[scaleXY](#), [scale](#)

## Examples

```
.scaleXY(11:15, min=1, max=100)
```

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<code>.seqCutStr</code>	<i>Cut string to get all variants from given start with min length, deprecated</i>
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## Description

This function is deprecated, please use `/cutStr` instead ! This function allows truncating character vector to all variants from given start, with min and optional max length Used to evaluate argument calls without giving full length of argument

## Usage

```
.seqCutStr(txt, startFr = 1, minLe = 1, reverse = TRUE)
```

## Arguments

<code>txt</code>	(character) main input, may be length >1
<code>startFr</code>	(integer) where to start
<code>minLe</code>	(integer) minimum length of output
<code>reverse</code>	(logical) return longest text-fragments at beginning of vector

## Value

This function returns a character vector

## See Also

[pasteC](#); [substr](#)

## Examples

```
.seqCutStr("abcdefg", minLe=2)
```



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.setLowestTo                    *Set lowest value to given value*

---

**Description**

This function aims to set lowest value of x to value 'setTo'

**Usage**

```
.setLowestTo(x, setTo)
```

**Arguments**

x	(numeric) main vector to be treated
setTo	(numeric) replacement value

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector

**See Also**

[nchar](#)

**Examples**

```
.setLowestTo(9:4, 6)
```

---

.sortMid                        *Choose most frequent or middle of sorted vector*

---

**Description**

This function chooses the (first) most frequent or middle of sorted vector, similar to the concept of mode

**Usage**

```
.sortMid(x, retVal = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

x	(numeric) main input
retVal	(logical) return value of most frequent, if FALSE return index of (1st) 'x' for most frequent

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector

**See Also**

simple/partial functionality in [summarizeCols](#), [checkSimValueInSer](#)

**Examples**

```
.sortMid(11:14)
.sortMid(rep("b",3))
```

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.stackArray	<i>Reorganize array by reducing dimension 'byDim' (similar to stack()) for data-frames)</i>
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**Description**

This function aims to reorganize an array by reducing dimension 'byDim' (similar to stack()) for data-frames) It returns an array/matrix of 1 dimension less than 'arr', 1st dim has more lines (names as paste with '\_' )

**Usage**

```
.stackArray(arr, byDim = 3)
```

**Arguments**

arr	(array) main input
byDim	(integer)

**Value**

This function returns an array/matrix of 1 dimension less than 'arr', 1st dim has more lines (names as paste with '\_' )

**See Also**

[dist](#)

**Examples**

```
(arr1 <- array(11:37, dim=c(3,3,3)))
.stackArray(arr1, 3)
```

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.summarizeCols	<i>Summarize columns of matrix (or data.frame) 'x' using apply (main)</i>
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**Description**

This function summarizes columns of matrix (or data.frame) 'x' using apply In case of character entries the 'median' of sorted values will be returned

**Usage**

```
.summarizeCols(
  x,
  me = "median",
  nEq = FALSE,
  vectAs1row = TRUE,
  supl = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

- x                    data.frame matrix of data to be summarized by comlumn
- me                    (character, length=1) summarization method (eg 'min', 'max', 'mean', 'mean.trim', 'median', 'sd', 'CV', 'medianComplete' or 'meanComplete' etc, see [summarizeCols](#))
- nEq                    (logical) if TRUE, add additional column indicating the number of equal lines for choice (only with min or max)
- vectAs1row            (logical) if TRUE will interpret non-matrix 'x' as matrix with 1 row (correct effect of automatic conversion when extracting 1 line)
- supl                    (numeric) supplemental parameters for the various summarizing functions (currently used with 'me=mean.trim' to assign upper and lower trimming fraction, passed to )
- silent                (logical) suppress messages
- debug                 (logical) additional messages for debugging
- callFrom              (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

vector with summary for each column (unless 'me=="summary"', in this case a matrix or list will be returned )

**See Also**

[summarizeCols](#), [table table](#)

**Examples**

```
m1 <- matrix(c(28,27,11,12,11,12), nrow=2, dimnames=list(1:2,c("y","x","ref")))
.summarizeCols(m1, me="median")
```

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<code>.trimFromEnd</code>	<i>Trim from end (Deprecated)</i>
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**Description**

Deprecated Version - This function allows trimming/removing redundant text-fragments from end

**Usage**

```
.trimFromEnd(x, ..., callFrom = NULL, debug = FALSE, silent = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	character vector to be treated
<code>...</code>	more vectors to be treated
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
<code>debug</code>	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages

**Value**

This function returns a modified character vector

**See Also**

[trimRedundText](#); Inverse : Find/keep common text [keepCommonText](#); you may also look for related functions in package [stringr](#)

**Examples**

```
txt1 <- c("abcd_ccc", "bcd_ccc", "cde_ccc")
.trimRight(txt1)
```

---

.trimFromStart            *Trim from start (Deprecated)*

---

### Description

Deprecated Version - This function allows trimming/removing redundant text-fragments from start

### Usage

```
.trimFromStart(  
  x,  
  ...,  
  minNchar = 1,  
  silent = TRUE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

### Arguments

x	character vector to be treated
...	more vectors to be treated
minNchar	(integer) minimum number of characters that must remain
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns a modified character vector

### See Also

[trimRedundText](#); Inverse : Find/keep common text [keepCommonText](#); you may also look for related functions in package [stringr](#)

### Examples

```
txt1 <- c("abcd_ccc", "bcd_ccc", "cde_ccc")  
.trimLeft(txt1) # replacement
```

---

`.trimLeft`*Trim From Left Side*

---

**Description**

This function allows trimming/removing redundant text-fragments from left side.

**Usage**

```
.trimLeft(x, minNchar = 1, silent = TRUE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	character vector to be treated
<code>minNchar</code>	(integer) minimum number of characters that must remain
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a modified character vector

**See Also**

[trimRedundText](#); Inverse : Find/keep common text [keepCommonText](#); you may also look for related functions in package [stringr](#)

**Examples**

```
txt1 <- c("abcd_ccc", "bcd_ccc", "cde_ccc")
.trimLeft(txt1)
```

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`.trimRight`*Trim From Right Side*

---

**Description**

This function allows trimming/removing redundant text-fragments from right side.

**Usage**

```
.trimRight(x, minNchar = 1, silent = TRUE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

### Arguments

x	character vector to be treated
minNchar	(integer) minimum number of characters that must remain
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns a modified character vector

### See Also

[trimRedundText](#); Inverse : Find/keep common text [keepCommonText](#); you may also look for related functions in package [stringr](#)

### Examples

```
txt1 <- c("abcd_ccc", "bcd_ccc", "cde_ccc")
.trimRight(txt1)
```

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.uniqueWName	<i>Check regression arguments</i>
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### Description

This function is an enhanced version of unique, names of elements are maintained

### Usage

```
.uniqueWName(  
  x,  
  splitSameName = TRUE,  
  silent = TRUE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

### Arguments

x	(numeric or character vector) main input
splitSameName	(logical)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

vector like input

**See Also**

[unique](#)

**Examples**

```
aa <- c(a=11, b=12,a=11,d=14, c=11)
.uniqueWName(aa)
.uniqueWName(aa[-1]) # value repeated but different name
```

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.vector2Matr

*Convert numeric vector to matrix*

---

**Description**

Take (numeric) vector and return matrix, if 'colNa' given will be used as colname

**Usage**

```
.vector2Matr(x, colNa = NULL, rowsKeep = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

x (numeric or character) main input  
colNa (integer) design the comumn-name to be given  
rowsKeep (logical) is TRUE make matrix of 1 column, otherwise of 1 row

**Value**

matrix

**See Also**

[matrix](#)

**Examples**

```
.vector2Matr(c(3:6))
```



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addBeforFileExtension *Add text before file-extension*

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### Description

This function helps changing character strings like file-names and allows adding the character vector 'add' (length 1) before the extension (defined by last '.') of the input string 'x'. Used for easily creating variants/additional filenames but keeping current extension.

### Usage

```
addBeforFileExtension(  
  x,  
  add,  
  sep = "_",  
  silent = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL,  
  debug = FALSE  
)
```

### Arguments

x	main character vector
add	character vector to be added
sep	(character) separator between 'x' & 'add' (character, length 1)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging

### Value

modified character vector

### Examples

```
addBeforFileExtension(c("abd.txt", "ghg.ijij.txt", "kjh"), "new")
```

adjBy2ptReg

*Linear rescaling of numeric vector or matrix***Description**

adjBy2ptReg takes data within window defined by 'lims' and determines linear transformation so that these points get the regression characteristics 'regrTo', all other points (ie beyond the limits) will follow the same transformation. In other words, this function performs 'linear rescaling', by adjusting (normalizing) the vector 'dat' by linear regression so that points falling in 'lims' (list with upper & lower boundaries) will end up as 'regrTo'.

**Usage**

```
adjBy2ptReg(
  dat,
  lims,
  regrTo = c(0.1, 0.9),
  refLines = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

dat	numeric vector, matrix or data.frame
lims	(list, length=2) should be list giving limits (list(lo=c(min,max),hi=c(min,max)) in data allowing identifying which points will be used for determining slope & offset
regrTo	(numeric, length=2) to which characteristics data should be regressed
refLines	(NULL or integer) optional subselection of lines of dat (will be used internal as refDat)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a matrix (of same dimensions as input matrix) with normalized values

**See Also**

[normalizeThis](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- round(runif(50,0,100),1)
## extreme values will be further away :
adjBy2ptReg(dat1,lims=list(c(5,9), c(60,90)))
plot(dat1, adjBy2ptReg(dat1, lims=list(c(5,9),c(60,90))))
```

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adjustUnitPrefix	<i>Adjust Value With Different Decimal Prefixes To Single Prefix Plus Unit</i>
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**Description**

This function provides help converting values with with different unit-prefixes to a single prefix-unit type. This can be used to convert a vector of mixed prefixes like 'p' and 'n'. Any text to the right of the unit will be ignored.

**Usage**

```
adjustUnitPrefix(
  x,
  pref = c("z", "a", "f", "p", "n", "u", "m", "", "k", "M", "G"),
  unit = "sec",
  sep = c("_", ".", " ", "" ),
  minTrimNChar = 0,
  returnType = c("NAifInvalid", "allText"),
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x	(character) vector containing digit uunit-prefix and unit terms
pref	(character) multiplicative unit-prefixes, assumes as increasing factors of 1000
unit	(character) unit name, the numeric part may be sepatated by one space-character
sep	(character) separator characters that may appear between integer numeric value and unit description
minTrimNChar	(integer) min number of text characters when trimming adjacent text on left and right of main numeric+prefix+unit
returnType	(character) set options for retuning results : 'NAifInvalid' .. return NA for invalid parts,'allText' .. return initial text if problem, 'trim'
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Details**

The aim of this function is to allow adjusting a vector containing '100pMol' and '1nMol' to '100pMol' and '1000pMol' for better downstream analysis. Please note that the current version recognizes and converts only interger values; decimals or scientific writing won't be recognized properly. The resultant numeric vector expresses all values as lowest prefix unit level. In case of invalid entries NAs will be returned.

Please note that decimal/comma digits will not be recognized properly, since the function will consider (by default) the decimal sign as just another separator.

To avoid special characters (which may not work on all operating-systems) the letter 'u' is used for 'micro'.

**Value**

This function returns a character vector (same length as input) with adjusted unified decimal prefix and adjusted numeric content, the numeric content only is also given in the names of the output

**See Also**

[convToNum](#); [checkUnitPrefix](#); [trimRedundText](#)

**Examples**

```
adjustUnitPrefix(c("2.psec abc", "20 fsec etc"), unit="sec")

x1 <- c("50_amol", "5_fmol", "250_amol", "100_amol", NA, "500_amol", "500_amol", "1_fmol")
adjustUnitPrefix(x1, unit="mol")

x2 <- c("abCc 500_nmol ABC", "abEe5_umol", "", "abFF_100_nmol_G", "abGg 2_mol", "abH.1 mmol")
rbind( adjustUnitPrefix(x2, unit="mol", returnType="allText") ,
       adjustUnitPrefix(x2, unit="mol", returnType="trim"),
       adjustUnitPrefix(x2, unit="mol", returnType=""))
```

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appendNR

*Append vectors or lists, without duplicating common elements*

---

**Description**

This function allows combining two vectors or lists without duplicating common content (defined by name of list-elements).

**Usage**

```
appendNR(x, y, rmDuplicate = TRUE, silent = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

x	(vector or list) must have names to allow checking for duplicate names in y
y	(vector or list) must have names to allow checking for duplicate names in x
rmDuplicate	(logical) avoid duplicating liste-elements present in both x and y (based on names of list-elements)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Details**

When setting the argument `rmDuplicate=FALSE` the function will behave like `append`.

**Value**

If both x and y are vectors, the output will be a vector, otherwise it will be a list

**See Also**

[append](#); [lrbind](#)

**Examples**

```
li1 <- list(a=1, b=2, c=3)
li2 <- list(A=11, B=12, c=3)
appendNR(li1, li2)
append(li1, li2)
```

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arrayCV

*CV of array*


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**Description**

`arrayCV` gets CVs for replicates in 2 or 3 dim array and returns CVs as matrix. This function may be used to calculate CVs from replicate microtiter plates (eg 8x12) where replicates are typically done as multiple plates, ie initial matrixes that are the organized into arrays.

**Usage**

```
arrayCV(arr, byDim = 3, silent = TRUE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

arr	(3-dim) array of numeric data like where replicates are along one dimesion of the array
byDim	(integer) over which dimension repliates are found
silent	(logical) suppres messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message produced

**Value**

matrix of CV values

**See Also**

[rowCVs](#), [rowGrpCV](#), [replPlateCV](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200) + rep(1:10,20)), ncol=10)
head(arrayCV(dat1,byDim=2))
```

---

asSepList

*Organize Data as Separate List-Entries*

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**Description**

asSepList allows reorganizing most types of input into a list with separate numeric vectors. For example, matrixes or data.frames will be split into separate columns (different to [partUnlist](#) which maintains the original structure). This function also works with lists of lists. This function may be helpful for reorganizing data for plots.

**Usage**

```
asSepList(
  y,
  minLen = 4,
  asNumeric = TRUE,
  exclElem = NULL,
  sep = "_",
  fillNames = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  debug = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

y	list to be separated/split in vectors
minLen	(integer) min length (or number of rows), as add'l element to eliminate arguments given without names when asSepList is called in vioplot2
asNumeric	(logical) to transform all list-elements in simple numeric vectors (won't work if some entries are character)
exclElem	(character) optional names to exclude if any (lazy matching) matches (to exclude other arguments be misinterpreted as data)
sep	(character) separator when combining name of list-element to colames

fillNames (logical) add names for list-elements/ series when not given  
 silent (logical) suppress messages  
 callFrom (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced  
 debug (logical) display additional messages for debugging

### Value

This function returns a list, partially unlisted to vectors

### See Also

[partUnlist](#), [unlist](#)

### Examples

```

bb <- list(fa=gl(2,2), c=31:33, L2=matrix(21:28,nc=2),
  li=list(li1=11:14, li2=data.frame(41:44)))
asSepList(bb)
## multi data-frame examples
ca <- data.frame(a=11:15, b=21:25, c=31:35)
cb <- data.frame(a=51:53, b=61:63)
cc <- list(gl(3,2), ca, cb, 91:94, short=81:82, letters[1:5])
asSepList(cc)
cd <- list(e1=gl(3,2), e2=ca, e3=cb, e4=91:94, short=81:82, e6=letters[1:5])
asSepList(cd)

```

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buildTree

*Connect edges to from tree and extract all possible branches*

---

### Description

It is assumed that multiple fragments from a common ancestor bay be charcterized by the their start- and end-sites by integer values. For example, If 'abcdefg' is the ancestor, the fragments 'bcd' (from position 2 to 4) to and 'efg' may then be assembled. To do so, all fragments must be presented as matix specifying all start- and end-sites (and fragment-names). buildTree searches contiguous fragments from columns 'posCo' (start/end) from 'disDat' to build tree & extract path information starting with line 'startFr'. Made for telling if dissociated fragments contribute to long assemblies. This function uses various functions of package [data.tree](#) which must be installed, too.

### Usage

```

buildTree(
  disDat,
  startFr = NULL,
  posCo = c("beg", "end"),
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)

```

**Arguments**

disDat	(matrix or data.frame) integer values with 1st column, ie start site of fragment, 2nd column as end of fragments, rownames as unique IDs (node-names)
startFr	(integer) index for 1st node (typically =1 if 'disDat' sorted by "beg"), should point to a terminal node for consecutive growing of branches
posCo	(character) colnames specifying the begin & start sites in 'disDat', if NULL 1st & 2nd col will be used
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a list with \$paths (branches as matrix with columns 'sumLen' & 'n'), \$usedNodes (character vector of all names used to build tree) and \$tree (object from data.tree)

**See Also**

package [data.tree](#) original function used [Node](#); in this package : for exploiting edge/tree related issues [simpleFragFig](#), [countSameStartEnd](#) and [contribToContigPerFrag](#),

**Examples**

```
frag2 <- cbind(beg=c(2,3,7,13,13,15,7,9,7,3,7,5,7,3),end=c(6,12,8,18,20,20,19,12,12,4,12,7,12,4))
rownames(frag2) <- c("A","E","B","C","D","F","H","G","I", "J","K","L","M","N")
buildTree(frag2)
countSameStartEnd(frag2)
```

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cbindNR

*cbind to non-redundant*


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**Description**

cbindNR combines all matrixes given as arguments to non-redundant column names (by ADDING the number of 'duplicated' columns !). Thus, this function works similar to cbind, but allows combining multiple matrix-objects containing redundant column-names. Of course, all input-matrixes must have the same number of rows ! By default, the output gets sorted by column-names. Note, due to the use of '...' arguments must be given by their full argument-names, lazy evaluation might not recognize properly argument names.



**Usage**

```
cbindNR(
  ...,
  convertDFtoMatr = TRUE,
  sortOutput = TRUE,
  summarizeAs = "sum",
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

... all matrixes to get combined in cbind way

convertDFtoMatr (logical) decide if output should be converted to matrix

sortOutput (logical) optional sorting by column-names

summarizeAs (character) decide of combined values should get summed (default, 'sum') or averaged ('mean')

silent (logical) suppress messages

callFrom (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a matrix or data.frame (as cbind would return)

**See Also**

[cbind](#), [nonAmbiguousNum](#), [firstOfReplines](#)

**Examples**

```
ma1 <- matrix(1:6, ncol=3, dimnames=list(1:2,LETTERS[3:1]))
ma2 <- matrix(11:16, ncol=3, dimnames=list(1:2,LETTERS[3:5]))
cbindNR(ma1, ma2)
cbindNR(ma1, ma2, summarizeAs="mean")
```

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checkAvSd	<i>Check how multiple groups of data separate or overlap based on mean +/- sd</i>
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**Description**

checkAvSd compares if/how neighbour groups separate/overlap via the 'engineering approach' (+/- 2 standard-deviations is similar to  $\alpha=0.05$  t. test). This approach may be used as less elegant alternative to (multi-group) logistic regression. The function uses 'daAv' as matrix of means (rows are tested for up/down character/progression) which get compared with boundaries taken from daSd (for Sd values of each mean in 'daAv').

**Usage**

```

checkAvSd(
  daAv,
  daSd,
  nByGr = NULL,
  multSd = 2,
  codeConst = "const",
  extSearch = FALSE,
  outAsLogical = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)

```

**Arguments**

daAv	matrix or data.frame
daSd	matrix or data.frame
nByGr	optinal specifying number of Elements per group, allows rather using SEM (adopt to variable n of different groups)
multSd	(numeric) the factor specifyin how many sd values should be used as margin
codeConst	(character) which term/word to use when specifying 'constant'
extSearch	(logical) if TRUE, extend search to one group further (will call result 'nearUp' or 'nearDw')
outAsLogical	to switch between 2col-output (separate col for 'up' and 'down') or simple categorical vector ('const','okDw','okUp')
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

vector describing character as 'const' or 'okUp','okDw' (or if extSearch=TRUE 'nearUp','nearDw')

**See Also**

[rowGrpMeans](#)

**Examples**

```

mat1 <- matrix(rep(11:24,3)[1:40],byrow=TRUE,ncol=8)
checkGrpOrderSEM(mat1,grp=gl(3,3)[-1])
checkAvSd(rowGrpMeans(mat1,gl(3,3)[-1]),rowGrpSds(mat1,gl(3,3)[-1]) )
# consider variable n :
checkAvSd(rowGrpMeans(mat1,gl(3,3)[-1]),rowGrpSds(mat1,gl(3,3)[-1]),nByGr=c(2,3,3))

```

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checkFilePath	<i>Check If File Is Available For Reading</i>
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### Description

This function allows testing if a given file-name corresponds to an existing file (eg for reading lateron). Indications to the path and file-extensions may be given separately. If no files do match .gz compressed versions may be searched, too.

### Usage

```
checkFilePath(
    fileName,
    path,
    expectExt = "",
    mode = "byFile",
    compressedOption = NULL,
    strictExtension = NULL,
    stopIfNothing = NULL,
    silent = FALSE,
    debug = FALSE,
    callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

fileName	(character) name of file to be tested; may also include an absolute or relative path; if NULL and path as well as expectExt will take 1st file in given path and proper extension
path	(character, length=1) optional separate entry for path of fileName
expectExt	(character) file extension (will not be considered if "")
mode	(character) further details if function should give error or warning if no files found integrates previous argument compressedOption to also look for look for .gz compressed files; strictExtension to decide if extension (expectExt) - if given - should be considered obligatory; stopIfNothing to stop with error if no files found
compressedOption	deprecated (logical) also look for .gz compressed files
strictExtension	deprecated (logical) decide if extension (expectExt) - if given - should be considered obligatory
stopIfNothing	deprecated, please use argument mode instead !
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Details**

When the filename given by the user exists but its file-extension is not matching expectExt the argument strictExtension allows to decide if the filename will still be returned or not.

When expectExt is given, initial search will look for perfect matches. However, if nothing is found and strictExtension=FALSE, a more relaxed and non-case-sensitive search will be performed.

**Value**

This function returns a character vector with verified path and file-name(s), returns NULL if nothing

**See Also**

[file.exists](#)

**Examples**

```
(RhomeFi <- list.files(R.home()))
file.exists(file.path(R.home(), "bin"))
checkFilePath(c("xxx", "unins000"), R.home(), expectExt="dat")
```

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checkGrpOrder

*checkGrpOrder*

---

**Description**

checkGrpOrder tests each line of 'x' if expected order appears. Used for comparing groups of measures with expected profile (simply by matching expected order)

**Usage**

```
checkGrpOrder(
  x,
  rankExp = NULL,
  revRank = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x	matrix or data.frame
rankExp	(numeric) expected order for values in columns, default 'rankExp' =1:ncol(x)
revRank	(logical) if 'revRank'=TRUE, the initial ranks & reversed ranks will be tested
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

vector of logical values

**See Also**

[checkGrpOrderSEM](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2005); mat1 <- rbind(matrix(round(runif(40),1),nc=4), rep(1,4))
checkGrpOrder(mat1)
checkGrpOrder(mat1,c(1,4,3,2))
```

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checkGrpOrderSEM	<i>Check order of multiple groups including non-overlapping SEM-margins</i>
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**Description**

checkGrpOrderSEM tests each line of 'x' if expected order of (replicate-) groups (defined in 'grp') appears intact, while including SEM of groups (replicates) via a proportional weight 'sdFact' as  $(avGr1-gr1SEM) < (avGr1+gr1SEM) < (avGr2-gr2SEM) < (avGr2+gr2SEM)$ . Used for comparing groups of measures with expected profile (by matching expected order) to check if data in 'x' representing groups ('grp') as lines follow. Groups of size=1: The sd (and SEM) can't be estimated directly without any replicates, however, an estimate can be given by shrinking if 'shrink1sampSd'=TRUE under the hypothesis that the overall mechanisms determining the variances is constant across all samples.

**Usage**

```
checkGrpOrderSEM(
  x,
  grp,
  sdFact = 1,
  revRank = TRUE,
  shrink1sampSd = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x	matrix or data.frame
grp	(factor) to organize replicate columns of (x)
sdFact	(numeric) is proportional factor how many units of SEM will be used for defining lower & upper bounds of each group

revRank            (logical) optionally revert ranks  
 shrink1sampSd    (logical)  
 silent             (logical) suppress messages  
 callFrom          (character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

logical vector if order correct (as expected based on ranks)

**See Also**

takes only 10

**Examples**

```
mat1 <- matrix(rep(11:24,3)[1:40],byrow=TRUE,ncol=8)
checkGrpOrderSEM(mat1,grp=gl(3,3)[-1])
```

---

checkSimValueInSer      *Check for similar values in series*

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**Description**

This function checks all values of 'x' for similar neighbour values within (relative) range of 'ppm' (ie parts per milion as measure of distance). By default values will be sorted internally, so if a given value of x has anywhere in x another value close enough, this will be detected. However, if sortX=FALSE only the values next to left and right will be considered. Return logical vector : FALSE for each entry of 'x' if value inside of ppm range to neighbour (of sorted values)

**Usage**

```
checkSimValueInSer(
  x,
  ppm = 5,
  sortX = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x                    numeric vector  
 ppm                  (numeric, length=1) ppm-range for considering as similar  
 sortX                (logical) allows speeding up function when set to FALSE, for large data that are already sorted

silent            (logical) suppress messages  
 debug            (logical) additional messages for debugging  
 callFrom        (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns a logical vector : TRUE for each entry of x where at least one neighbour is inside of ppm distance/range

### See Also

similar with more options [withinRefRange](#)

### Examples

```
va1 <- c(4:7,7,7,7,7,8:10)+(1:11)/28600; checkSimValueInSer(va1)
data.frame(va=sort(va1),simil=checkSimValueInSer(va1))
```

---

checkStrictOrder        *Check for strict (ascencing or descending) order*

---

### Description

checkStrictOrder tests lines of 'dat' (matrix of data.frame) for strict order (ascending, descending or constant), each col of data is tested relative to the col on its left.

### Usage

```
checkStrictOrder(
  dat,
  invertCount = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

dat                matrix or data.frame  
 invertCount        (logical) inverse counting (ie return 0 for all elements in order)  
 silent            (logical) suppress messages  
 debug            (logical) display additional messages for debugging  
 callFrom        (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

matrix with counts of up pairs, down pairs, equal-pairs, if 'invertCount'=TRUE all non-events are counted, ie a resulting 0 means that all columns are following the described characteristics (with variable col-numbers easier to count)

**See Also**

[order](#), [checkGrpOrder](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2005); mat1 <- rbind(matrix(round(runif(40),1),nc=4), rep(1,4))
checkStrictOrder(mat1); mat1[which(checkStrictOrder(mat1)[,2]==0),]
```

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checkUnitPrefix

*Check For Common Unit-Name in Text*

---

**Description**

This function aims to find a unit abbreviation or name occurring in all elements of a character-vector x. The unit name may be preceded by different decimal prefixes (eg 'k','M'), as defined by argument pref and separators (sep). The unit name will be returned (or first of multiple).

**Usage**

```
checkUnitPrefix(
  x,
  pref = c("a", "f", "p", "n", "u", "m", "", "k", "M", "G", "T", "P"),
  unit = c("m", "s", "sec", "Mol", "mol", "g", "K", "cd", "A", "W", "Watt", "V", "Volt"),
  sep = c("", " ", ";", ",", "_", "."),
  sep2 = "",
  stringentSearch = FALSE,
  na.rm = FALSE,
  protSpecChar = TRUE,
  inclPat = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

x	(character) vector containing digit uunit-prefix and unit terms
pref	(character) multiplicative unit-prefixes, assumes as increasing factors of 1000
unit	(character) unit name, the numeric part may be sepatated by one space-character
sep	(character) separator character(s) that may appear between integer numeric value and unit-prefix



sep2	(character) separator character(s) after unit, set to sep2="" for ignoring characters following unit
stringentSearch	(logical) if TRUE only matches with same separators (sep, sep2) pass, otherwise different elements may contain different separators
na.rm	(logical) remove NA from input
protSpecChar	(logical) protect special characters and use as they are instead of regex-meaning
inclPat	(logical) return list including pattern of successful search
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging

### Details

Basically this function searches the pattern : digit + separator(sep) + prefix(pref) + unit + optional separator2(sep2) and returns the first unit-name/abbreviation found in all elements of x.

If if() In case of invalid entries or no common unit-names NULL will be returned.

Please note the 'u' is used for 'micro' since handling of special characters may not be portal between different operating systems.

### Value

This function returns a character vector (length=1) with the common unit name, if inclPat=TRUE it returns a list with \$unit and \$pattern

### See Also

[convToNum](#); [adjustUnitPrefix](#)

### Examples

```
x1 <- c("10fg WW", "xx 10fg 3pW", " 1pg 2.0W")
checkUnitPrefix(x1)
## different separators between digit and prefix:
x2 <- c("10fg WW", "xx 8_fg 3pW", " 1 pg-2.0W")
checkUnitPrefix(x2, stringentSearch=TRUE)
checkUnitPrefix(x2, stringentSearch=FALSE)

x4 <- c("CT_mixture_QY_50_amol_CN_UPS1_CV_Standards_Research_Group",
      "CT_mixture_QY_5_fmol_CN_UPS1_CV_Standards_Research_Group")
```

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checkVectLength	<i>Check length of vector</i>
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### Description

checkVectLength checks argument 'x' for expected length 'expeL' and return either message or error when expectation not met. May be used for parameter ('sanity') checking in other user front-end functions.

### Usage

```
checkVectLength(  
  x,  
  expeL = 1,  
  stopOnProblem = FALSE,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

### Arguments

x	(numeric or character vector) input to check length
expeL	(numeric) expected length
stopOnProblem	(logical) continue on problems with message or stop (as error message)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

### Value

This function returns NULL; it produces either error-message if length is not OK or optional message if length is OK

### Examples

```
aa <- 1:5; checkVectLength(aa,exp=3)
```

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cleanReplicates	<i>Replace Most Distant Values by NA</i>
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### Description

This procedure aims to straighten (clean) the most extreme values of noisy replicates by identifying the most distant points (among a set of replicates). The input 'x' (matrix or data.frame) is supposed to come from multiple different measures taken in replicates (eg weight of different individuals as rows taken as multiple replicate measures in subsequent columns).

### Usage

```
cleanReplicates(  
  x,  
  centrMeth = "median",  
  nOutl = 2,  
  retOffPos = FALSE,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

### Arguments

x	matrix (or data.frame)
centrMeth	(character) method to summarize (mean or median)
nOutl	(integer) determines how many points per line will be set to NA (with n=1 the worst row of replicates will be 'cleaned')
retOffPos	(logical) if TRUE, replace the most extreme outlier only
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Details

With the argument nOutl the user chooses the total number of most extreme values to replace by NA. how many of the most extreme replicates of the whole dataset will be replaced by NA, ie with nOutl=1 only the single most extreme outlier will be replaced by NA. Outlier points are determined as point(s) with highest distance to (row) center (median and mean choice via argument 'centrMeth'). Thus function returns input data with "removed" points set to NA, or if retOffPos=TRUE the most extreme/outlier positions.

### Value

This function returns a matrix of same dimensions as input x, data-points which were tagged/removed are set to NA, or if retOffPos=TRUE the most extreme/outlier positions

**Examples**

```
mat3 <- matrix(c(19,20,30, 18,19,28, 16,14,35),ncol=3)
cleanReplicates(mat3, nOutl=1)
```

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closeMatchMatrix      *Reorganize results of search for close (similar) values in matrix-view*

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**Description**

closeMatchMatrix reorganizes/refines results from simple search of similar values of 2 sets of data by [findCloseMatch](#) (as list for one-to many relations) to more human friendly/readable matrix. This function returns results combining two sets of data which were initially compared (eg measured and theoretical values) as matrix-view using output of [findCloseMatch](#) and both original datasets. Additional information (covariables, annotation, ...) may be included as optional columns for either 'predMatr' or 'measMatr'. Note : It is important to run [findCloseMatch](#) with sortMatch=FALSE ! Note : Results presented based on view of 'predMatr', so if multiple 'measMatr' are at within tolared distance, lines of 'measMatr' will be repeated; Note : Distances 'disToMeas' and 'ppmToPred' are oriented : neg value if measured is lower than predicted (and pos values if higher than predicted); Note : Returns NULL when nothing within given limits of comparison;

**Usage**

```
closeMatchMatrix(
  closeMatch,
  predMatr,
  measMatr,
  prefMatch = c("^x", "^y"),
  colPred = 1,
  colMeas = 1,
  limitToBest = TRUE,
  asDataFrame = FALSE,
  origNa = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  debug = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

closeMatch	(list) output from <a href="#">findCloseMatch</a> , ie list with hits for each 'x' (1st argument) : named vectors of value & x index in name; run with 'sortMatch'=F
predMatr	(vector or matrix) predicted values, the column 'colPred' indicates which column is used for matching from <a href="#">findCloseMatch</a> ; if column 'id' present this column will be used as identifier for matching
measMatr	(vector or matrix) measured values, the column 'colMeas' indicates which column is used for matching from <a href="#">findCloseMatch</a> ; if column 'id' present this column will be used as identifier for matching

prefMatch	(character, length=2) prefixes ('^x' and/or '^y') that may have been added by findCloseMatch
colPred	(integer or text, length=1) column of 'predMatr' with main values of comparison
colMeas	(integer or text, length=1) column of 'measMatr' with main measures of comparison
limitToBest	(integer) column of 'measMatr' with main measures of comparison
asDataFrame	(logical) convert results to data.frame if non-numeric matrix produced (may slightly slow down big results)
origNa	(logical) will try to use original names of objects 'predMatr', 'measMatr', if they are not multi-column and not conflicting other output-names (otherwise 'predMatr', 'measMatr' will appear)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of message(s) produced
debug	(logical) for bug-tracking: more/enhanced messages

### Value

results as matrix-view based on initial results from [findCloseMatch](#), including optional columns of supplemental data for both sets of data for comparison. Returns NULL when nothing within limits

### See Also

[findCloseMatch](#), [checkSimValueInSer](#)

### Examples

```
aA <- c(11:17); bB <- c(12.001,13.999); cC <- c(16.2,8,9,12.5,15.9,13.5,15.7,14.1,5)
(cloMa <- findCloseMatch(aA,cC,com="diff",lim=0.5,sor=FALSE))
# all matches (of 2d arg) to/within limit for each of 1st arg ('x'); 'y' ..to 2nd arg = cC
(maAa <- closeMatchMatrix(cloMa,aA,cC,lim=TRUE)) #
(maAa <- closeMatchMatrix(cloMa,aA,cC,lim=FALSE,origN=TRUE)) #
(maAa <- closeMatchMatrix(cloMa,cbind(valA=81:87,aA),cbind(valC=91:99,cC),colM=2,
  colP=2,lim=FALSE))
(maAa <- closeMatchMatrix(cloMa,cbind(aA,valA=81:87),cC,lim=FALSE,deb=TRUE)) #
a2 <- aA; names(a2) <- letters[1:length(a2)]; c2 <- cC; names(c2) <- letters[10+1:length(c2)]
(cloM2 <- findCloseMatch(x=a2,y=c2,com="diff",lim=0.5,sor=FALSE))
(maA2 <- closeMatchMatrix(cloM2,predM=cbind(valA=81:87,a2),measM=cbind(valC=91:99,c2),
  colM=2,colP=2,lim=FALSE,asData=TRUE))
(maA2 <- closeMatchMatrix(cloM2,cbind(id=names(a2),valA=81:87,a2),cbind(id=names(c2),
  valC=91:99,c2),colM=3,colP=3,lim=FALSE,deb=FALSE))
```

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`coinPermTest`*Compare Means Of Two Vectors By Permutation Test*

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**Description**

Run coin-flipping like permutation tests (to compare difference of 2 means: 'x1' and 'x2') without any distribution-assumptions. This function uses the package `coin`, if not installed, the function will return NULL and give a warning.

**Usage**

```
coinPermTest(  
  x1,  
  x2,  
  orient = "two.sided",  
  nPerm = 5000,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x1</code>	numeric vector (to be compared with vector 'x2')
<code>x2</code>	numeric vector (to be compared with vector 'x1')
<code>orient</code>	(character) may be "two.sided", "greater" or "less"
<code>nPerm</code>	(integer) number of permutations
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns an object of "MCp" class numeric output with p-values

**See Also**

`oneway_test` in [LocationTests](#)

**Examples**

```
coinPermTest(2, 3, nPerm=200)
```

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colCVs	<i>rowCVs</i>
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**Description**

This function returns CV for values in each column (using speed optimized standard deviation).  
 Note : NaN values get replaced by NA.

**Usage**

```
colCVs(dat, autoconvert = NULL, silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

dat	(numeric) matix
autoconvert	(NULL or character) allows converting simple vectors in matrix of 1 row (autoconvert="row")
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a (numeric) vector with CVs for each column of 'dat'

**See Also**

[rowSums](#), [rowCVs](#), [rowGrpCV](#), [colSds](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200) +rep(1:10,20)),ncol=10)
head(colCVs(dat1))
```

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colMedSds	<i>Standard Error Of Median For Each Column By Bootstrap</i>
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**Description**

Determine standard error (sd) of median by bootstrapping for multiple sets of data (rows in input matrix 'dat'). Note: The package **boot** must be installed from CRAN.

**Usage**

```
colMedSds(dat, nBoot = 99, silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

dat (numeric) matrix  
nBoot (integer, length=1) number of iterations  
silent (logical) suppress messages  
debug (logical) additional messages for debugging  
callFrom (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a (numeric) vector with estimated standard errors

**See Also**

[boot](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200) + rep(1:10,20)), ncol=10)
colMedSds(dat1)
```

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colorAccording2

*Transform Numeric Values To Color-Gradient*

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**Description**

This function helps making color-gradients for plotting a numerical variable. Note : RColorBrewer palettes were not integrated here/yet.

**Usage**

```
colorAccording2(  
  x,  
  gradTy = "rainbow",  
  nStartOmit = NULL,  
  nEndOmit = NULL,  
  revCol = FALSE,  
  alpha = 1,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```



**Arguments**

x	(character) color input
gradTy	(character) type of gradeint may be 'rainbow', 'heat.colors', 'terrain.colors', 'topo.colors', 'cm.colors', 'hcl.colors', 'grey.colors', 'gray.colorsW' or 'logGray'
nStartOmit	(integer) omit n steps from beginning of gradient range
nEndOmit	(integer or "sep") omit n steps from end of gradient range, if nEndOmit="sep" 20 percent of initial grades will be removed to obtain 'separate' ie non-closing color-circles/gradients eg with rainbow
revCol	(logical) reverse order
alpha	(numeric) optional transparency value (1 for no transparency, 0 for complete opaqueness)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a character vector (of same length as x) with color encoding

**See Also**

[cut](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2015); dat1 <- round(runif(15),2)
plot(1:15,dat1,pch=16,cex=2,col=colorAccording2(dat1))
plot(1:15,dat1,pch=16,cex=2,col=colorAccording2(dat1,nStart0=0,nEnd0=4,revCol=TRUE))
plot(1:9,pch=3)
points(1:9,1:9,col=transpGraySca(st=0,en=0.8,nSt=9,trans=0.3),cex=42,pch=16)
```

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colSds

*sd for each column*


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**Description**

This function is speed optimized sd per column of a matrix or data.frame and treats each column as independent set of data for sd (equiv to `apply(dat, 2, sd)`). NAs are ignored from data. Speed improvements may be seen at more than 100 columns

**Usage**

```
colSds(dat, silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

dat	matrix (or data.frame) with numeric values (may contain NAs which will be ignored)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

numeric vector of sd values

**See Also**

[sd](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200) +rep(1:10,20)), ncol=10)
colSds(dat1)
```

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combinatIntTable

*Planing for making all multiplicative combinations*

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**Description**

Provide all combinations for each of n elements of vector 'nMax' (positive integer, eg number of max multiplicative value). For example, imagine, we have 3 cities and the (maximum) voting participants per city. Results must be read vertically and allow to see all total possible compositions.

**Usage**

```
combinatIntTable(
  nMax,
  include0 = TRUE,
  asList = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  silent = TRUE
)
```

**Arguments**

nMax	(positive integer) could be max number of voting participants form different cities, eg Paris max 2 persons, Lyon max 1 person ...
include0	(logical) include 0 occurances, ie provide al combinations starting from 0 or from 1 up to nMax
asList	(logical) return result as list or as array
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
silent	(logical) suppress messages

**Value**

list or array (as 2- or 3 dim) with possible number of occurrences for each of the 3 elements in nMax.  
 Read results vertical : out[[1]] or out[,1] .. (multiplicative) table for 1st element of nMax; out[,2]  
 .. for 2nd

**See Also**

[combn](#)

**Examples**

```
combinatIntTable(c(1,1,1,2), include0=TRUE, asList=FALSE, silent=TRUE)
## Imagine we have 3 cities and the (maximum) voting participants per city :
nMa <- c(Paris=2, Lyon=1, Strasbourg=1)
combinatIntTable(nMa, include0=TRUE, asList=TRUE, silent=TRUE)
```

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combineAsN

*Combine Vectors From List And Return Basic Count Statistics*

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**Description**

The aim of this function is to choose a fixed number (nCombin) of list-elements from lst and count the number of common values/words. Furthermore, one can define levels to fine-tune the types of combinations to examine. In case multiple combinations for a given level are possible, some basic summary statistics are provided, too.

**Usage**

```
combineAsN(
  lst,
  lev = NULL,
  nCombin = 3,
  remDouble = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

lst	(list of character or integer vectors) main input
lev	(character) define groups of lst
nCombin	(integer) number of list-elements to combine from lst
remDouble	(logical) remove intra-duplicates (defaults to TRUE)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

## Details

Note of caution : With very long lists and/or high numbers of repeats of given levels, however, the computational effort increases very much (like it does when using `table`). Thus, when exploring all different combinations of large data-sets may easily result in queries consuming many resources (RAM and processing time) ! It is recommended to start testing with test smaller sub-groups.

The main idea of this function is to count frequency of terms when combining different drawings. For example, you ask students from different cities which are their preferred hobbies, they may have different preference depending on the city ( defined by `lev`). Now, if you want to make groups of 3 students, possibly with one from each city (A ,B and C), you want to count (/estimate) the frequency of different combinations possible. Thus, using this function all combinations of the students from city A with the students from city B and C will be made when counting the number of common hobbies (by `nCombin` students). Then, all counting results will be summarized to the average count for the various categories (which hobbies were seen once, twice or 3 times...), `sem` (standard error of the mean) and `CI` (95

Of course, the number of potential combinations may quickly get very large. Using the argument `remDouble=TRUE` you can limit the search to either finding all students giving the same answer plus all student giving different answers. In this case, when a given level appears multiple times, all possible combinations using one of the respective entries will be made with the other levels.

## Value

This function returns an array with 3 dimensions : i) ii) the combinations of `nCombin` list-elements, iii) the number of counts (`n`), `sem` (standard error of the mean), `CI` (confidence interval) and `sd`

## See Also

[table](#), [replicateStructure](#)

## Examples

```
## all list-elements are considered equal
tm1 <- list(a1=LETTERS[1:17], a2=LETTERS[3:19], a3=LETTERS[6:20], a4=LETTERS[8:22])
combineAsN(tm1, lev=gl(1,4))[,1,]

## different levels/groups in list-elements
tm4 <- list(a1=LETTERS[1:15], a2=LETTERS[3:16], a3=LETTERS[6:17], a4=LETTERS[8:19],
  b1=LETTERS[5:19], b2=LETTERS[7:20], b3=LETTERS[11:24], b4=LETTERS[13:25], c1=LETTERS[17:26],
  d1=LETTERS[4:12], d2=LETTERS[5:11], d3=LETTERS[6:12], e1=LETTERS[7:10])
te4 <- combineAsN(tm4, nCombin=4, lev=substr(names(tm4),1,1))
str(te4)
te4[, ,1]
```

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combineByEitherFactor *Create factor-like column regrouping data regrouping simultaneously by two factors*

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### Description

This function aims to address the situation when two somehow different groupings (of the same data) exist and need to be joined. It is not necessary that both alternative groupings use the same labels, neither. `combineByEitherFactor` adds new (last) column named 'grp' to input matrix representing the combined factor relative to 2 specified columns from input matrix `mat` (via 'refC1','refC2'). Optionally, the output may be sorted and a column giving `n` per factor-level may be added. The function treats selected columns of `mat` as pairwise combination of 2 elements (that may occur multiple times over all lines of `mat`) and sorts/organizes all instances of such combined elements (ie from both selected columns) as repeats of a given group, who's class number is given in output column 'grp', the (total) number of repeats may be displayed in column 'nGrp' (`nByGrp=TRUE`). If groups are overlapping (after re-ordering), an iterative process of max 3x2 passes will be launched after initial matching. Works on numeric as well as character input.

### Usage

```
combineByEitherFactor(
  mat,
  refC1,
  refC2,
  nByGrp = FALSE,
  convergeMax = TRUE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  debug = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE
)
```

### Arguments

<code>mat</code>	main input matrix
<code>refC1</code>	(integer) column-number of 'mat' to use as 1st set
<code>refC2</code>	(integer) column-number of 'mat' to use as 2nd set
<code>nByGrp</code>	(logical) add last col with n by group
<code>convergeMax</code>	(logical) if TRUE, run 2 add'l iterative steps to search convergence to stable result
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced
<code>debug</code>	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages

### Value

This function returns a matrix containing both selected columns plus additional column(s) indicating group-number of the pair-wise combination (and optional the total `n` by group)

**Examples**

```

nn <- rep(c("a","e","b","c","d","g","f"),c(3,1,2,2,1,2,1))
qq <- rep(c("m","n","p","o","q"),c(2,1,1,4,4))
nq <- cbind(nn,qq)[c(4,2,9,11,6,10,7,3,5,1,12,8),]
combineByEitherFactor(nq,1,2,nBy=TRUE); combineByEitherFactor(nq,1,2,nBy=FALSE)
combineByEitherFactor(nq,1,2,conv=FALSE); combineByEitherFactor(nq,1,2,conv=TRUE)
##
mm <- rep(c("a","b","c","d","e"),c(3,4,2,3,1)); pp <- rep(c("m","n","o","p","q"),c(2,2,2,2,5))
combineByEitherFactor(cbind(mm,pp), 1, 2, con=FALSE, nBy=TRUE)
combineByEitherFactor(cbind(mm,pp), 1, 2, con=TRUE, nBy=TRUE)

```

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combineOverlapInfo      *Find and combine points located very close in x/y space*

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**Description**

Search points in x,y space that are located very close and thus likely to overlap. In case of points close enough, various options for joining names (and shortening longer descriptions) are available.

**Usage**

```

combineOverlapInfo(
  dat,
  suplInfo = NULL,
  disThr = 0.01,
  addNsimil = TRUE,
  txtSepChar = ", ",
  combSym = "+",
  maxOverl = 50,
  callFrom = NULL,
  debug = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE
)

```

**Arguments**

dat	(matrix) matrix or data.frame with 2 cols (used ONLY 1st & 2nd column !), used as x & y coordinates
suplInfo	(NULL or character) when points are considered overlapping the text from 'suplInfo' will be reduced to fragment before 'txtSepChar' and combined (with others from overlapping text) using 'combSym', if NULL \$combInf will appear with row-numbers
disThr	(numeric) distance-threshold for considering as similar via searchDataPairs()
addNsimil	(logical) include number of fused points
txtSepChar	(character) for use with .retain1stPart(): where to cut (& keep 1st part) text from 'suplInfo' to return in out\$CombInf; only 1st element used !

combSym	(character) concatenation symbol (character, length=1) for points considered overlaying, see also 'suplInfo'
maxOverl	(integer) if NULL no limit or max limit of group/clu size (avoid condensing too many neighbour points to single cloud)
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
silent	(logical) suppress messages

**Value**

matrix with fused (condensed) information for cluster of overlapping points

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2013)
datT2 <- matrix(round(rnorm(200)+3,1), ncol=2, dimnames=list(paste("li", 1:100, sep=""),
  letters[23:24]))
# (mimick) some short and longer names for each line
inf2 <- cbind(sh=paste(rep(letters[1:4], each=26), rep(letters, 4), 1:(26*4), sep=""),
  lo=paste(rep(LETTERS[1:4], each=26), rep(LETTERS, 4), 1:(26*4), ", ", rep(letters[sample.int(26)], 4),
  rep(letters[sample.int(26)], 4), sep=""))[1:100, ]
head(datT2, n=10)
head(combineOverlapInfo(datT2, disThr=0.03), n=10)
head(combineOverlapInfo(datT2, suplI=inf2[, 2], disThr=0.03), n=10)
```

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combineRedBasedOnCol *Combine/reduce redundant lines based on specified column*

---

**Description**

This function works similar to unique, but it takes a matrix as input and considers one specified column to find unique instances. It identifies 'repeated' lines of the input-matrix (or data.frame) 'mat' based on (repeated) elements in/of column with name 'colNa' (or column-number). Redundant lines (ie repeated lines) will disappear in output. Eg used with extracted annotation where 1 gene has many lines for different GO annotation.

**Usage**

```
combineRedBasedOnCol(mat, colNa, sep = ", ", silent = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

mat	input matrix or data.frame
colNa	character vector (length 1) macting 1 column name (if mult only 1st will be used), in case of mult matches only 1st used
sep	(character) separator (default=", ")
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

matrix containing the input matrix without lines considered repeated (unique-like)

**See Also**

[findRepeated](#), [firstOfReplines](#), [organizeAsListOfRepl](#), [combineRedundLinesInList](#)

**Examples**

```
matr <- matrix(c(letters[1:6], "h", "h", "f", "e", LETTERS[1:5]), ncol=3,
  dimnames=list(letters[11:15], c("xA", "xB", "xC")))
combineRedBasedOnCol(matr, colN="xB")
combineRedBasedOnCol(rbind(matr[1,], matr), colN="xB")
```

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combineRedundLinesInList

*Combine Redundant Lines In List*

---

**Description**

This function provides help for combining/summarizing lines of numeric data which may be summarized according to reference vector or matrix of annotation (part of the same input-list). The data and reference will be aligned and data corresponding to redundant information be combined/summarized.

**Usage**

```
combineRedundLinesInList(
  lst,
  refNa = "ref",
  datNa = "quant",
  refColNa = "GeneName",
  supRefColNa = NULL,
  summarizeType = "av",
  NA.rm = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

lst	(list) main input, containing matrix or data.frame of numeric data (see datNa and annotation (see refNa) and possibly unrelated stuff
refNa	(character) name of list-element containing annotation
datNa	(character) name(s) of list-element(s) containing numeric/quantitation data
refColNa	(character) in case the list-element to be used as reference is matrix or data.frame, the column to be used must be specified here



supRefColNa	(character) in case the 1st\$refNa has no rownames, the content of column 1st\$supRefColNa will be used instead
summarizeType	(character) the summarization method gets specified here; so far 'sum', 'av', 'med', 'first' and 'last' are implemented
NA.rm	(logical) pass to summarizing functions order to omit NAs, defaults to TRUE
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Details

All input data should be in a list, ie one or multipl matrix or data.frame for numeric data (see argument datNa), as well as the reference (see argument refNa). The refergence may be a named character vecor or a matrix for which the column to be used should be specified using the argument refColNa. In case the annotation is a matrix, the rownames will be used as unique/independent identifiyers to adjust potentially different order of numeric data and annotation. In absence of rownames, an additional column supRefColNa of the annotation may be designed for adjusting the order of annotation and numeric data.

The numeric list may contain multiple matrixes or data.frames which will all be summarized by the same procedure as long as they have the same initial dimensions and are specified by refNa.

Please note that all other list elements from input not specified by refNa (or datNa) will be maintained in the output just as they are.

### Value

This function returns a list of same length as input

### See Also

[findRepeated](#), [firstOfRepLines](#), [organizeAsListOfRepl](#), [combineRedBasedOnCol](#)

### Examples

```
x1 <- list(quant=matrix(11:34, ncol=3, dimnames=list(letters[8:1], LETTERS[11:13])),
  annot=matrix(paste0(LETTERS[c(1:4,6,3:5)],LETTERS[c(1:4,6,3:5)]), ncol=1,
  dimnames=list(paste(letters[1:8],"xx"))) )
combineRedundLinesInList(1st=x1, refNa="annot", datNa="quant", refColNa="xx")
```

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combineRedundLinesInListAcRef

*Combine Redundant Lines In List, Deprecated*

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### Description

The function combineRedundLinesInListAcRef() has been deprecated and replaced by combineRedundLinesInList() from the same package

**Usage**

```
combineRedundLinesInListAcRef(
  lst,
  listNa = c("ref", "quant"),
  refColNa = "xx",
  summarizeType = "av",
  NA.rm = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

lst	(list) main input
listNa	(character) names of list-elements containing quantitation data (1st position) and protein/line annotation (2nd position)
refColNa	(character) in case the list-element to be used as reference is <code>matrix</code> or <code>data.frame</code> , the column to be used must be specified here
summarizeType	(character) the summarization method gets specified here; so far 'sum', 'av', 'med', 'first' and 'last' are implemented
NA.rm	(logical) pass to summarizing functions order to omit NAs, defaults to TRUE
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a list of same length as input

**See Also**

[combineRedundLinesInList](#)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- list(quant=matrix(11:34, ncol=3, dimnames=list(letters[8:1], LETTERS[11:13])),
  annot=matrix(paste0(LETTERS[c(1:4,6,3:5)],LETTERS[c(1:4,6,3:5)]), ncol=1,
  dimnames=list(paste(letters[1:8],"xx"))) )
## please use combineRedundLinesInList()
combineRedundLinesInList(lst=x1, refNa="annot", datNa="quant", refColNa="xx")
```

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`combineReplFromListToMatr`*Combine replicates from list to matrix*

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### Description

Suppose multiple measures (like multiple channels) are taken for subjects and these measures are organized as groups in a list, like multiple parameters (= channels) or types of measurements (typically many parameters are recorded when screening compounds in microtiter plates). Within one parameter/channel all replicate-data from separate list-entries ('lst') will get combined according to names of list-elements. The function will trim any redundant text in names of list-elements, try to isolate separator (may vary among replicate-groups, but should be 1 character long). eg names "hct116 1.1.xlsx" & "hct116 1.2.xlsx" will be combined as replicates, "hct116 2.1.xlsx" will be considered as new group.

### Usage

```
combineReplFromListToMatr(lst, silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

### Arguments

<code>lst</code>	(list) list of arrays (typically multi-parameter measures of microtiterplate data)
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

list of arrays now with same dimension of arrays (but shorter, since replicate-arrays were combined)

### See Also

[extr1chan](#), [organizeAsListOfRepl](#)

### Examples

```
lst2 <- list(aa_1x=matrix(1:12,nrow=4,byrow=TRUE),ab_2x=matrix(24:13,nrow=4,byrow=TRUE))
combineReplFromListToMatr(lst2)
```

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combineSingleT	<i>Get all combinations with TRUE from each column</i>
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### Description

This function addresses the case when multiple alternative ways exist to combine two elements. combineSingleT makes combinatory choices : if multiple TRUE in given column of 'mat' make all multiple selections with always one TRUE from each column. The resultant output contains index for first and second input columns elements to be combined.

### Usage

```
combineSingleT(mat)
```

### Arguments

mat                    2-column matrix of logical values

### Value

matrix with indexes of combinations of TRUE

### Examples

```
## Example: First column indicates which boys want to dance and second column
## which girls want to dance. So if several boys want to dance each of the girls
## will have the chance to dance with each of them.
matr <- matrix(c(TRUE,FALSE,TRUE,FALSE,TRUE,FALSE),ncol=2)
combineSingleT(matr)
```

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completeArrLst	<i>Complete list of arrays for same dimensions</i>
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### Description

This function aims to inspect repeating structures of data given as list of arrays and will try to complete arrays with fewer lines or columns (as this may appear eg with the very last set of high-throughput screening data if fewer measures remain in the last set). Thus, the dimensions of the arrays are compared and cases with fewer (lost) columns (eg fewer experimental replicates) will be adjusted/completed by adding column(s) of NA. Used eg when at reading microtiterplate data the last set is not complete.

### Usage

```
completeArrLst(arrLst, silent = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

arrLst (list) list of arrays (typically 1st and 2nd dim for specific genes/objects, 3rd for different measures associated with)

silent (logical) suppress messages

callFrom (character) allows easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

list of arrays, now with same dimension of arrays

**See Also**

[organizeAsListOfRepl](#), [extr1chan](#)

**Examples**

```
arr1 <- array(1:24,dim=c(4,3,2),dimnames=list(c(LETTERS[1:4]),
  paste("col",1:3,sep=""),c("ch1","ch2")))
arr3 <- array(81:96,dim=c(4,2,2),dimnames=list(c(LETTERS[1:4]),
  paste("col",1:2,sep=""),c("ch1","ch2")))
arrL3 <- list(p1=arr1,p13=arr3)
completeArrLst(arrL3)
```

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concatMatch

*Value Matching With Option For Concatenated Terms*

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**Description**

This is a `_match()`-like function allowing to search among concatenated terms/IDs, additional options to remove text pattern like terminal lowercase extension are available. The function returns a named vector indicating the positions of (first) matches similar to `match`.

**Usage**

```
concatMatch(
  x,
  table,
  sep = ",",
  sepPattern = NULL,
  globalPat = "digitExtension",
  nomatch = NA_integer_,
  incomparables = NULL,
  extensPat = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x	(vector) the values to be matched
table	(vector) the values to be matched against (ie reference)
sep	(character) separator character in case concatenation of entries is tested
sepPattern	(character or NULL) optional custom pattern for splitting concatenations of x) and table) (in case NULL) is not sufficient)
globalPat	(character) pattern for additional trimming of search-terms. If globalPat="digitExtension" all terminal digits will not be considered when matching
nomatch	(vector) similar to <code>match</code> the value to be returned in the case when no match is found
incomparables	(vector) similar to <code>match</code> , a vector of values that cannot be matched. Any value in x matching a value in this vector is assigned the nomatch value.
extensPat	(logical) similar to <code>match</code> the value to be returned in the case when no match is found
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Details**

The main motivation to create this function was to be able to treat concatenated entries and to look if any of the concatenated values match to 'x'. This function offers additional options for trimming values before running the main comparison.

Of course, the concatenation strategy must be known and only a single concatenation separator (which may be multiple characters long) may be used for both x and match. Thus result will only indicate that at least one of the concatenated terms had a match, but not which one. Finally, both vectors x and table may contain concatenated terms. In this case this function will require much more computational resources due to the increased combinatorics when comparing larger vectors.

Please note, that in case of multiple to multiple matches, only the first hit gets reported.

The argument globalPat="digitExtension" allows eg reducing 'A1234-4' to 'A1234'.

**Value**

This function returns a character vector with verified path and file-name(s), returns NULL if nothing

**See Also**

`match` (for two simple vectors without concatenated terms), `grep`

**Examples**

```
tab1 <- c("AA", "BB-5", "CCab", "FF")
tab2 <- c("AA", "WW, Vde, BB-5, E", "CCab", "FF, Uef")
x1 <- c("ZZ", "YY", "AA", "BB-2", "DD", "CCdef", "Dxy") # modif of single ID (no concat)
concatMatch(x1, tab2)
```

```
x2 <- c("ZZ,Z","YY,Y","AA,Z,Y","BB-2","DD","X,CCdef","Dxy") # concatenated in 'x'
concatMatch(x2, tab2)
tab1 <- c("AA","BB-5","CCab","FF") # no concatenated in 'table'
concatMatch(x2, tab1) # simple case of no concat anywhere
concatMatch(x1, tab1)
```

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 confInt

*Confidence Interval To Given Alpha*


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### Description

This little function returns the confidence interval associated to a given significance level alpha under the hypothesis of the Normal distribution is valid.

### Usage

```
confInt(x, alpha = 0.05, distrib = "Normal", silent = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

### Arguments

x	(numeric) main input
alpha	(numeric) significance level, accepted type I error
distrib	(character) distribution, so far only Normal is implemented
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

### Value

This function returns the confidence interval to a given alpha under the hypothesis of the Normal distribution.

### See Also

[TDist](#); [confint](#)

### Examples

```
confInt(c(5,2:6))
```

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 contribToContigPerFrag

*Characterize individual contribution of single edges in tree-structures*


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## Description

This function helps investigating tree-like structures with the aim of indicating how much individual tree components contribute to compose long stretches. `contribToContigPerFrag` characterizes individual (isolated) contribution of single edges in tree-structures. Typically used to process/exploit summarized trees (as matrix) made by `buildTree` which makes use of the package `data.tree`. For example if A,B and C can be joined as well and B +D, this function will check if A+B+C is longer and if A contributes to the longest tree.

## Usage

```
contribToContigPerFrag(joinMat, fullLength = NULL, nDig = 3)
```

## Arguments

<code>joinMat</code>	(matrix) matrix with concatenated edges as rownames (separated by slashes), column <code>sumLen</code> for total length and column <code>n</code> for number of edges
<code>fullLength</code>	(integer) custom total length (useful if the concatenated edges do not cover 100 percent of the original precursor whose fragments are studied)
<code>nDig</code>	(integer) rounding: number of digits for 3rd column <code>len.rat</code> in output

## Value

matrix of 3 columns: with length of longest tree-branches where given edge participates (column `sumLen`), the (total) number of edges therein (col `n.frag`) and a relative value (`len.rat`)

## See Also

to build tree `buildTree`

## Examples

```
path1 <- matrix(c(17,19,18,17, 4,4,2,3), ncol=2,
  dimnames=list(c("A/B/C/D", "A/B/G/D", "A/H", "A/H/I"), c("sumLen", "n")))
contribToContigPerFrag(path1)
```



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conv01toColNa	<i>Convert matrix of integer to matrix of x-times repeated column-names</i>
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**Description**

conv01toColNa transforms matrix of integers (eg 0 and 1) to repeated & concatenated text from argument colNa, the character string for 0 occurrences of argument zeroTex may be customized. Used eg when specifying (and concatenating) various counted elements (eg properties) along a vector like variable peptide modifications in proteomics.

**Usage**

```
conv01toColNa(mat, colNa = NULL, zeroTex = "", pasteCol = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

mat	input matrix (with integer values)
colNa	alternative (column-)names to the ones from 'mat' (default colnames of 'mat')
zeroTex	text to display if 0 (default "")
pasteCol	(logical) allows to collapse all columns to single chain of characters in output

**Value**

character vector

**Examples**

```
(ma1 <- matrix(sample(0:3,40,rep1=TRUE), ncol=4, dimnames=list(NULL, letters[11:14])))
conv01toColNa(ma1)
conv01toColNa(ma1, colNa=LETTERS[1:4], ze=".")
conv01toColNa(ma1, colNa=LETTERS[1:4], pasteCol=TRUE)
```

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convColorToTransp	<i>Assign new transparency to given colors</i>
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**Description**

This function allows (re-)defining a new transparency. A color encoding vector will be transformed to the same color(s) but with new transparency (alpha).

**Usage**

```
convColorToTransp(color, alph = 1)
```

**Arguments**

color (character) color input

alph (numeric) transparency value (1 for no transparency, 0 for complete opacity), values <1 will be treated as percent-values

**Value**

character vector (of same length as input) with color encoding for new transparency

**See Also**

[rgb](#), [par](#)

**Examples**

```
col0 <- c("#998FCC", "#5AC3BA", "#CBD34E", "#FF7D73")
col1 <- convColorToTransp(col0, alph=0.7)
layout(1:2)
pie(rep(1, length(col0)), col=col0)
pie(rep(1, length(col1)), col=col1, main="new transparency")
```

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convMatr2df

*Convert matrix (eg with redundant) row-names to data.frame*

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**Description**

This function provides flexible converting of matrix to data.frame. For example repeated/redundant rownames are not allowed in data.frame(), thus the corresponding column-names have to be renamed using a counter-suffix. In case of non-redundant rownames, a new column 'addIniNa' will be introduced at beginning to document the initial (redundant) rownames, non-redundant rownames will be created. Finally, this functions converts the corrected matrix to data.frame and checks/converts columns for transforming character to numeric if possible. If the input is a data.frame containing factors, they will be converted to character before potential conversion. Note: for simpler version (only text to numeric) see from this package `.convertMatrToNum`.

**Usage**

```
convMatr2df(
  mat,
  addIniNa = TRUE,
  duplTxtSep = "_",
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

mat	matrix (or data.frame) to be converted
addIniNa	(logical) if TRUE an additional column ('ID') with rownames will be added at beginning
duplTxtSep	(character) separator for enumerating replicated names
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

This functions returns a data.frame equivalent to the input matrix, an additional column named 'ID' will be added for initial rownames

**See Also**

[numeric](#), for simpler version (only text to numeric) see from this package `.convertMatrToNum`

**Examples**

```
dat1 <- matrix(1:10, ncol=2)
rownames(dat1) <- letters[c(1:3,2,5)]
## as.data.frame(dat1) ... would result in an error
convMatr2df(dat1)

df1 <- data.frame(a=as.character((1:3)/2), b=LETTERS[1:3], c=1:3)
str(convMatr2df(df1))

df2 <- df1; df2$b <- as.factor(df2$b)
str(convMatr2df(df2))
```

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convToNum

*Convert Vector To Numeric*


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**Description**

This function checks if input vector/character string contains numbers (with or without comma) and attempts converting to numeric. This functions was designed for extracting the numeric part of character-vectors (or matrix) containing both numbers and character-elements. Depending on the parameters `convert` and `remove text-entries` can be converted to NA (in resulting numeric objects) or removed (the number of elements/lines gets reduced, in consequence). Note: if 'x' is a matrix, its matrix-dimensions & -names will be preserved. Note: so far Inf and -Inf do not get recognized as numeric.

**Usage**

```
convToNum(
  x,
  autoConv = TRUE,
  spaceRemove = TRUE,
  convert = c(NA, "sparseChar"),
  remove = NULL,
  euroStyle = TRUE,
  sciIncl = TRUE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  silent = TRUE,
  debug = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

x	vector to be converted
autoConv	(logical) simple automatic conversion based on function <code>as.numeric</code> ; if TRUE all other arguments except <code>spaceRemove</code> will not be considered
spaceRemove	(logical) to remove all heading and trailing (white) space (until first non-space character)
convert	(character) define which type of non-conform entries to convert to NAs. Note, if <code>remove</code> is selected to eliminate character-entries they cannot be converted any more. Use <code>'allChar'</code> for all character-entries; <code>'sparseChar'</code> sparse (ie rare) character entries; NA for converting <code>'Na'</code> or <code>'na'</code> to NA; if <code>'none'</code> or NULL no conversions at all.
remove	(character) define which type of non-conform entries to remove, removed items cannot be converted to NA any more. Use <code>'allChar'</code> for removing all character entries; NA for removing all instances of NA (except those created by converting text); all elements will be kept if <code>'none'</code> or NULL.
euroStyle	(logical) if TRUE will convert all <code>'.'</code> (eg used as European decimal-separator) to <code>'.'</code> (as internally used by R as decimal-separator), thus allowing converting the European decimal format.
sciIncl	(logical) include recognizing scientific notation (eg <code>2e-4</code> )
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging

**Details**

This function may be used in two modes, depending if argument `autoConv` is TRUE or FALSE. The first option allows accessing an automatic mode based on `as.numeric`, while the second option investigates all characters if they may belong to numeric expressions and allows removing specific text-elements.

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector (or matrix (if 'x' is matrix))

**See Also**

[numeric](#) and `as.numeric` (on same help-page)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- c("+4", " + 5", "6", "bb", "Na", "-7")
convToNum(x1)
convToNum(x1, autoConv=FALSE, convert=c("allChar"))
convToNum(x1, autoConv=FALSE)      # too many non-numeric instances for 'sparseChar'

x2 <- c("+4", " + 5", "6", "-7", " - 8", "1e6", "+ 2.3e4", "-3E4", "- 4E5")
convToNum(x2)
convToNum(x2, autoConv=FALSE, convert=NA, remove=c("allChar", NA))
convToNum(x2, autoConv=FALSE, convert=NA, remove=c("allChar", NA), sciIncl=FALSE)
```

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coordOfFilt	<i>get coordinates of values/points in matrix according to filtering condition</i>
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**Description**

Get coordinates of values/points in matrix according to filtering condition

**Usage**

```
coordOfFilt(mat, cond, sortByRows = FALSE, silent = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

mat	(matrix or data.frame) matrix or data.frame
cond	(logical or integer) condition/test to see which values of mat fulfill test, or integer of index passing
sortByRows	(logical) optional sorting of results by row-index
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

matrix columns 'row' and 'col'

**See Also**

[which](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2021); ma1 <- matrix(sample.int(n=40,size=27,replace=TRUE), ncol=9)
## let's test which values are >37
which(ma1 >37)      # doesn't tell which row & col
coordOfFilt(ma1, ma1 >37)
```

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correctToUnique	<i>Correct vector to unique</i>
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**Description**

correctToUnique checks 'x' for unique entries, while maintaining the original length. If necessary a counter will added to non-unique entries.

**Usage**

```
correctToUnique(
  x,
  sep = "_",
  atEnd = TRUE,
  maxIter = 4,
  NAenum = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x	input character vector
sep	(character) separator used when adding counter
atEnd	(logical) decide location of placing the counter (at end or at beginning of initial text)
maxIter	(numeric) max number of iterations
NAenum	(logical) if TRUE all NAs will be enumerated (NA_1,NA_2,...)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) for better tracking of use of functions

**Value**

This function returns a character vector

**See Also**

[unique](#) will simply remove repeated elements, ie length of 'x' won't remain constant, [filtSizeUniq](#) is more complex and slower, [treatTxtDuplicat](#)

**Examples**

```
correctToUnique(c("li0", "n", NA, NA, rep(c("li2", "li3"), 2), rep("n", 4)))
```

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correctWinPath	<i>Correct mixed slash and backslash in file path</i>
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**Description**

This function corrects paths character strings for mixed slash and backslash in file path. In Windows the function `tempdir()` will use double backslashes as separator while `file.path()` uses regular slashes. So when combining these two one might encounter a mix of slashes and double backslashes which may cause trouble, unless this is streightened out to a single separator used. When pointig to given files inside html-files, paths need to have a prefix, this can be added using the argument `asHtml`.

**Usage**

```
correctWinPath(
  x,
  asHtml = FALSE,
  anyPlatf = FALSE,
  silent = TRUE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	(character) input path to test and correct
<code>asHtml</code>	(logical) option for use in html : add prefix "file:"
<code>anyPlatf</code>	(logical) if TRUE, checking will only be performed in Windows environement
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allows easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

character vector with corrected path

**See Also**

[tempfile](#), [file.path](#)

**Examples**

```
path1 <- 'D:\\temp\\Rtmp6X8\\working_dir\\RtmpKC\\example.txt'
(path1b <- correctWinPath(path1, anyPlatf=TRUE))
(path1h <- correctWinPath(path1, anyPlatf=TRUE, asHtml=TRUE))
```

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countCloseToLimits      *Count from two vectors number of values close within given limits*

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### Description

This functions summarizes the search of similar (or identical) numeric values from 2 initial vectors, it evaluates the result from initial search run by `findCloseMatch()`, whose output is a less convenient list. `countCloseToLimits` checks furthermore how many results within additional (more stringent) distance-limits may be found and returns the number of distance values within the limits tested. Designed for checking if threshold used with `findCloseMatch()` may be set more stringent, eg when searching reasonable FDR limits ...

### Usage

```
countCloseToLimits(closeMatch, limitIdent = 5, prefix = "lim_")
```

### Arguments

<code>closeMatch</code>	(list) output from <code>findCloseMatch()</code> , ie list indicating which instances of 2 series of data have close matches
<code>limitIdent</code>	(numeric) max limit or panel of threshold values to test (if single value, in addition a panel with values below will be tested)
<code>prefix</code>	(character) prefix for names of output

### Value

integer vector with counts for number of list-elements with at least one absolute value below threshold, names

### See Also

[findCloseMatch](#)

### Examples

```
set.seed(2019); aa <- sample(12:15,20, repl=TRUE) +round(runif(20),2)-0.5
bb <- 11:18
match1 <- findCloseMatch(aa,bb,com="diff",lim=0.65)
head(match1)
(tmp3 <- countCloseToLimits(match1,lim=c(0.5,0.35,0.2)))
(tmp4 <- countCloseToLimits(match1,lim=0.7))
```



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countSameStartEnd	<i>Count same start- and end- sites of edges (or fragments)</i>
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## Description

Suppose a parent sequence/string 'ABCDE' gets cut in various fragments (eg 'ABC', 'AB' ...). countSameStartEnd counts how many (ie re-occurring) start- and end- sites of edges do occur in the input-data. The input is presented as matrix of/indicating start- and end-sites of edges. The function is used to characterize partially redundant edges and accumulation of cutting/breakage sites.

## Usage

```
countSameStartEnd(frag, minFreq = 2, nDig = 4)
```

## Arguments

frag	(matrix) 1st column beg start-sites, 2nd column end end-sites of edges, row-names to precise fragment identities are recommended
minFreq	(integer) min number of accumulated sites for taking into account (allows filtering with large datasets)
nDig	(integer) rounding: number of digits for columns beg.rat and end.rat in output

## Value

matrix of 6 columns: input (beg and end), beg.n, beg.rat, end.n, end.rat

## See Also

to build initial tree [buildTree](#), [contribToContigPerFrag](#), [simpleFragFig](#)

## Examples

```
frag1 <- cbind(beg=c(2,3,7,13,13,15,7,9,7, 3,3,5), end=c(6,12,8,18,20,20,19,12,12, 4,5,7))
rownames(frag1) <- letters[1:nrow(frag1)]
countSameStartEnd(frag1)
simpleFragFig(frag1)
```

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cutArrayInCluLike	<i>Cut 3-dim array in list of matrixes (or arrays) similar to organizing into clusters</i>
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### Description

cutArrayInCluLike cuts 'dat' (matrix,data.frame or 3-dim array) in list (of appended lines) according to 'cluOrg', which serves as instruction which line of 'dat' should be placed in which list-element (like sorting according to cluster-numbers).

### Usage

```
cutArrayInCluLike(dat, cluOrg, silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

### Arguments

dat	array (3 dim)
cluOrg	(factor) organization of lines to clusters
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

### Value

This function retruns a list of matrixes (or arrays)

### Examples

```
mat1 <- matrix(1:30,nc=3,dimnames=list(letters[1:10],1:3))
cutArrayInCluLike(mat1,cluOrg=factor(c(2,rep(1:4,2),5)))
```

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cutAtMultSites	<i>Cut character-vector at multiple sites</i>
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### Description

This function cuts character vector after 'cutAt' (ie keep the search substing 'cutAt', different to strsplit). Used for theoretical enzymatic digestion (eg in proteomics)

### Usage

```
cutAtMultSites(y, cutAt)
```

**Arguments**

`y` character vector (better if of length=1, otherwise one won't know which fragment stems from which input)

`cutAt` (character) search substing, ie 'cutting rule'

**Value**

modified (ie cut) character vector

**See Also**

[strsplit](#), [nFragments0](#), [nFragments](#)

**Examples**

```
tmp <- "MSVSRMEDSCELDLVYVTERIIAVSFPSTANEENFRSNLREVAQMLKSKHGGNYLLFNLSERRPDITKLHAKVLEFGWPDHLHTPALEKI"
cutAtMultSites(c(tmp,"ojioRij"),c("R","K"))
```

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cutToNgrp

*Cut numeric vector to n groups (ie convert to factor)*

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**Description**

cutToNgrp is a more elaborate version of [cut](#) for cutting a the content of a numeric vector 'x' into a given number of groups, taken from the length of 'lev'. Besides, this function provides the group borders/limits for convention use with legends.

**Usage**

```
cutToNgrp(x, lev, NAuse = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

`x` numeric vector

`lev` (character or numeric), the length of this argument tells the number of groups to be used for cutting

`NAuse` (logical) include NAs as separate group

`callFrom` (character) for better tracking of use of functions

**Value**

list with `$grouped` telling which element of 'x' goes in which group and `$legTxt` with group-borders for convenient use with legends

**See Also**

[cut](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2019); dat <- runif(30) +(1:30)/2
cutToNgrp(dat,1:5)
plot(dat,col=(1:5)[as.numeric(cutToNgrp(dat,1:5)$grouped)])
```

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diffCombin	<i>Compute matrix of differences for all pairwise combinations of numeric vector</i>
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**Description**

diffCombin returns matrix of differences (eg resulting from substitution) for all pairwise combinations of numeric vector 'x'.

**Usage**

```
diffCombin(x, diagAsNA = FALSE, prefix = TRUE, silent = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

x	numeric vector to compute differences for all combinations
diagAsNA	(logical) return all self-self combinations as NA (otherwise 0)
prefix	(logical) if TRUE, dimnames of output will specify orientation (prefix='from.' and 'to.')
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

numeric matrix of all pairwise differences

**See Also**

[diff](#) for simple differences

**Examples**

```
diffCombin(c(10,11.1,13.3,16.6))
```

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diffPPM	<i>Difference in ppm between numeric values</i>
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### Description

This is a `diff()`-like function to return difference in ppm between subsequent values. Result is oriented, ie neg ppm value means decrease (from higher to lower value). Note that if the absolute difference remains the same the difference in ppm will not remain same. Any difference to NA is returned as NA, thus a single NA will result in two NAs in output (unless NA is 1st or last).

### Usage

```
diffPPM(dat, toPrev = FALSE, silent = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

### Arguments

<code>dat</code>	(numeric) vector for calculating difference to preceding/following value in ppm
<code>toPrev</code>	(logical) determine orientation
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns a list with close matches of 'x' to given 'y', the numeric value depends on 'sortMatch' (if FALSE then always value of 'y' otherwise of longest of x&y)

### See Also

[checkSimValueInSer](#) and (from this package) `.compareByDiff`, `diff`

### Examples

```
aa <- c(1000.01, 1000.02, 1000.05, 1000.08, 1000.09, 1000.08)
.compareByPPM(list(aa,aa), 30, TRUE)           # tabular 'long' version
diffPPM(aa)
```

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elimCloseCoord      *Eliminate close (overlapping) points (in x & y space)*

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### Description

elimCloseCoord reduces number of rows in 'dat' by eliminating lines where x & y coordinates (columns of matrix 'dat' defined by 'useCol') are identical (overlay points) or very close. The stringency for 'close' values may be fine-tuned using nDig, this function uses internally [firstOfRepeated](#).

### Usage

```
elimCloseCoord(
  dat,
  useCol = 1:2,
  elimIdentOnly = FALSE,
  refine = 2,
  nDig = 3,
  callFrom = NULL,
  silent = FALSE
)
```

### Arguments

dat	matrix (or data.frame) with main numeric input
useCol	(numeric) index for numeric columns of 'dat' to use/consider
elimIdentOnly	(logical) if TRUE, eliminate real duplicated points only (ie identical values only)
refine	(numeric) allows increasing stringency even further (higher 'refine' .. more lines considered equal)
nDig	(integer) number of significant digits used for rounding, if two 'similar' values are identical after this rounding the second will be eliminated.
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of message(s) produced
silent	(logical) suppress messages

### Value

resultant matrix/data.frame

### See Also

[findCloseMatch](#), [firstOfRepeated](#)

### Examples

```
da1 <- matrix(c(rep(0:4,5),0.01,1.1,2.04,3.07,4.5),nc=2); da1[,1] <- da1[,1]*99; head(da1)
elimCloseCoord(da1)
```

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equLenNumber	<i>Equal character-length number</i>
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**Description**

equLenNumber convert numeric entry 'x' to text, with all elements getting the same number of characters (ie by adding preceding or tailing 0s, if needed). So far, the function cannot handle scientific annotations.

**Usage**

```
equLenNumber(x, silent = FALSE, callFrom = NULL, debug = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

x	(character) input vector
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging

**Value**

character vector formatted as equal number of characters per value

**See Also**

[sprintf](#)

**Examples**

```
equLenNumber(c(12,-3,321))  
equLenNumber(c(12,-3.3,321))
```

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exclExtrValues	<i>Exclude extreme values (based on distance to mean)</i>
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**Description**

This function aims to identify extreme values (values most distant to mean, thus potential outliers), mark them as NA or directly exclude them (depending on 'showNAs'). Note that every set of non-identical values will have at least one most extreme value. Extreme values are part of many distributions, they are not necessarily true outliers.

**Usage**

```

exclExtrValues(
  dat,
  result = "val",
  CVlim = NULL,
  maxExcl = 1,
  showNA = FALSE,
  goodValues = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)

```

**Arguments**

<code>dat</code>	numeric vector, main input
<code>result</code>	(character) may be 'val' for returning data without extreme values or 'pos' for returning position/index of extreme values
<code>CVlim</code>	(NULL or numeric) allows to retain extreme values only if a certain CV (for all 'dat') is exceeded (to avoid calling extreme values form homogenous data-sets)
<code>maxExcl</code>	(integer) max number of elements to exclude
<code>showNA</code>	(logical) will display extreme values as NA
<code>goodValues</code>	(logical) allows to display rather the good values instead of the extreme values
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

numeric vector with extreme values or index-position of extreme values

**See Also**

[firstOfRepLines](#), [get1stOfRepeatedByCol](#) for treatment of matrix

**Examples**

```

x <- c(rnorm(30), -6, 20)
exclExtrValues(x)

```



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exponNormalize	<i>Normalize by adjusting exponent</i>
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### Description

This function normalizes 'dat' by optimizing exponent function (ie  $\text{dat}^{\text{exp}}$ ) to fit best to 'ref' (default: average of each line of 'dat').

### Usage

```
exponNormalize(
  dat,
  useExpon,
  dynExp = TRUE,
  nStep = 20,
  startExp = 1,
  simMeas = "cor",
  refDat = NULL,
  refGrp = NULL,
  refLines = NULL,
  rSquare = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

dat	matrix or data.frame of numeric data to be normalized
useExpon	(numeric vector or matrix) exponent values to be tested
dynExp	(logical) require 'useExpon' as 2 values (matrix), will gradually increase exponent from 1st to 2nd; may be matrix or data.frame for dynamic, in this case 1st line for exp for lowest data, 2nd line for highest
nStep	(integer) number of exponent variations (steps) when testing range from-to
startExp	(numeric)
simMeas	(character) similarity metric to be used (so far only "cor"), if rSquare=TRUE, the r-squared will be returned
refDat	(matrix or data.frame) if null average of each line from 'dat' will be used as reference in similarity measure
refGrp	(factor) designating which col of 'ref' should be used with which col of 'dat' (length equal to number of cols in 'dat'). Note: 'refGrp' not yet coded optimally to extract numeric part of character vector, potential problems when all lines or cols of dat are NA
refLines	(NULL or integer) optional subset of lines to be considered (only) when determining normalization factors

rSquare (logical) if TRUE, add r-squared  
 silent (logical) suppress messages  
 callFrom (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns a matrix of normalized data

### See Also

more evolved than [normalizeThis](#) with argument set to 'exponent'

### Examples

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200)+rep(1:10,20)),nc=10)
head(rowGrpCV(dat1,gr=gl(4,3,labels=LETTERS[1:4])[2:11]))
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- c(0.1,0.2,0.3,0.5)*rep(c(1,10),each=4)
dat1 <- matrix(round(c(sqrt(dat1),dat1^1.5,3*dat1+runif(length(dat1)))),2),nc=3)
dat2a <- exponNormalize(dat1[,1],useExpon=2,nSte=1,refD=dat1[,3])
layout(matrix(1:2,nc=2))
plot(dat1[,1],dat1[,3],type="b",main="init",ylab="ref")
plot(dat2a$datNor[,1],dat1[,3],type="b",main="norm",ylab="ref")
dat2b <- exponNormalize(dat1[,1],useExpon=c(1.7,2.3),nSte=5,refD=dat1[,3])
plot(dat1[,1],dat1[,3],type="b",main="init",ylab="ref")
plot(dat2b$datNor[,1],dat1[,3],type="b",main="norm",ylab="ref")

dat2c <- exponNormalize(dat1[,-3],useExpon=matrix(c(1.7,2.3,0.6,0.8),nc=2),nSte=5,refD=dat1[,3]);
plot(dat1[,1],dat1[,3],type="b",main="init",ylab="ref ")
plot(dat2c$datNor[,1],dat1[,3],type="b",main="norm 1",ylab="ref")
plot(dat1[,2],dat1[,3],type="b",main="init",ylab="ref")
plot(dat2c$datNor[,2],dat1[,3],type="b",main="norm 2",ylab="ref");
```

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extr1chan

*Extract just one series, ie channel, of list of arrays*

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### Description

This function was designed for handling measurements stored as list of multiple arrays, like eg compound-screens using microtiter-plates where multiple parameters ('channels') were recorded for each well (element). The elements (eg compounds screened) are typically stored in the 1st dimension of the arrays, the replicated in the second dimension and different measure types/parameters in the 3rd channel. In order to keep the structure of individual microtiter-plates, typically each plate forms a separate array (of same dimensions) in a list. The this function allows extracting a single channel of the list of arrays (3rd dim of each array) and return row-appended matrix.

### Usage

```
extr1chan(arrLst, cha, na.rm = TRUE, rowSep = "__")
```

**Arguments**

arrLst	(list) list of arrays (typically 1st and 2nd dim for specific genes/objects, 3rd for different measures associated with)
cha	(integer) channel number
na.rm	(logical) default =TRUE to remove NAs
rowSep	(character) separator for rows

**Value**

list with just single channel extracted

**See Also**

[organizeAsListOfRepl](#)

**Examples**

```
arr1 <- array(1:24,dim=c(4,3,2),dimnames=list(c(LETTERS[1:4]),
  paste("col",1:3,sep=""),c("ch1","ch2")))
arr2 <- array(74:51,dim=c(4,3,2),dimnames=list(c(LETTERS[1:4]),
  paste("col",1:3,sep=""),c("ch1","ch2")))
arrL1 <- list(pl1=arr1,pl2=arr2)
extr1chan(arrL1,ch=2)
```

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extractLast2numericParts

*Extract last two numeric parts from character vector*

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**Description**

extractLast2numericParts extracts last 2 (integer) numeric parts between punctuations out of character vector 'x'. Runs faster than gregexpr . Note: won't work correctly with decimals or exponential signs !! (such characters will be considered as punctuation, ie as separator)

**Usage**

```
extractLast2numericParts(x, silent = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

x	main character input
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

(numeric) matrix with 2 columns (eg from initial concatenated coordinates)

**See Also**

gregexpr from [grep](#)

**Examples**

```
extractLast2numericParts(c("M01.1-4", "M001/2.5", "M_0001_03-16", "zyx", "012", "a1.b2.3-7,2"))
```

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extrColsDeX

*Flexible extraction of columns*

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**Description**

This function provides flexible checking if a set of columns may be extracted from a matrix or data.frame 'x'. If argument extrCol is list of character vectors, this allows to search among given options, the first matching name for each vector will be identified.

**Usage**

```
extrColsDeX(x, extrCol, doExtractCols = FALSE, callFrom = NULL, silent = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

x	(matrix or data.frame) main input (where data should be extracted from)
extrCol	(character, integer or list) columns to be extracted, may be column-names or column index; if is list each first-level element will be considered as options for one choice
doExtractCols	(logical) if default FALSE only the column indexes will be returned
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of message(s) produced
silent	(logical) suppress messages

**Value**

integer-vector (ifdoExtractCols=FALSE return depending on input matrix or data.frame)

**See Also**

[read.table](#), [filterList](#)

**Examples**

```
dFr <- data.frame(a=11:14, b=24:21, cc=LETTERS[1:4], dd=rep(c(TRUE,FALSE),2))
extrColsDeX(dFr,c("b","cc","notThere"))
extrColsDeX(dFr,c("b","cc","notThere"), doExtractCols=TRUE)
extrColsDeX(dFr, list(c("nn","b","a"), c("cc","a"),"notThere"))
```

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extrNumericFromMatr      *Extract numeric part of matrix or data.frame*

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### Description

extrNumericFromMatr extracts numeric part of matrix or data.frame, removing remaining non-numeric elements if trimToData is set to TRUE. Note, that cropping entire lines where a (single) text element appeared may quickly reduce the overall content of the input data.

### Usage

```
extrNumericFromMatr(dat, trimToData = TRUE, silent = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

### Arguments

dat	matrix (or data.frame) for extracting numeric parts
trimToData	(logical) default to remove (crop) lines and cols contributing to NA, non-numeric data is transformed to NA
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

### Value

matrix of numeric data

### Examples

```
mat <- matrix(c(letters[1:7],14:16,LETTERS[1:6]),nrow=4,dimnames=list(1:4,letters[1:4]))
mat; extrNumericFromMatr(mat)
mat <- matrix(c(letters[1:4],1,"e",12:19,LETTERS[1:6]),nr=5,dimnames=list(11:15,letters[1:4]))
mat; extrNumericFromMatr(mat)
```

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extrSpcText                      *Extract specific text*

---

### Description

This function extracts/cuts text-fragments out of txt following specific anchors defined by arguments cutFrom and cutTo.

**Usage**

```
extrSpcText(
  txt,
  cutFrom = " GN=",
  cutTo = " PE=",
  missingAs = NA,
  exclFromTag = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

txt	character vector to be treated
cutFrom	(character) text where to start cutting
cutTo	(character) text where to stop cutting
missingAs	(character) specific content of output at line/location of 'exclLi'
exclFromTag	(logical) to exclude text given in 'cutFrom' from result
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Details**

In case cutFrom is not found missingAs will be returned. In case cutTo is not found, text gets extracted with chaMaxEl characters.

**Value**

This function returns a modified character vector

**See Also**

[substr](#)

**Examples**

```
extrSpcText(c(" ghjg GN=thisText PE=001", " GN=_ PE=", NA, "abcd"))
extrSpcText(c("ABCDEF.3-6", "05g", "bc.4-5"), cutFr="\\. ", cutT="-")
```

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filt3dimArr	<i>Filter three-dimensional array of numeric data</i>
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**Description**

Filtering of matrix or (3-dim) array *x* : filter column according to *filtCrit* (eg 'inf') and threshold *filtVal*

**Usage**

```

filt3dimArr(
  x,
  filtVal,
  filtTy = ">",
  filtCrit = NULL,
  displCrit = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)

```

**Arguments**

<i>x</i>	array (3-dim) of numeric data
<i>filtVal</i>	(numeric, length=1) for testing inferior/superor/equal condition
<i>filtTy</i>	(character, length=1) which type of testing to perform (may be 'eq','inf','ineq','sup','supeq','>','<','>=','<=','==')
<i>filtCrit</i>	(character, length=1) which column-name consider when filtering filter with 'filtVal' and 'filtTy'
<i>displCrit</i>	(character) column-name(s) to display
<i>silent</i>	(logical) suppress messages
<i>debug</i>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<i>callFrom</i>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Details**

and extract/display all col matching 'displCrit'.

**Value**

This function returns a list of filtered matrixes (by 3rd dim)

**See Also**

[filterList](#); [filterLiColDeList](#);

**Examples**

```
arr1 <- array(11:34, dim=c(4,3,2), dimnames=list(c(LETTERS[1:4]),
  paste("col",1:3,sep=""), c("ch1","ch2")))
filt3dimArr(arr1,displCrit=c("col1","col2"),filtCrit="col2",filtVal=7)
```

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filterLiColDeList      *Filter lines(rows) and/or columns from all suitable elements of list*

---

**Description**

Filter all elements of list (or S3-object) according to criteria designed to one selected reference-element of the list. All simple vectors, matrix, data.frames and 3-dimensional arrays will be checked if matching number of rows and/or columns to decide if they should be filtered the same way. If the reference element has same number of rows and columns simple (1-dimensional) vectors won't be filtered since it not clear if this should be done to lines or columns.

**Usage**

```
filterLiColDeList(
  lst,
  useLines,
  useCols = NULL,
  ref = 1,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  debug = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

lst	(list or S3 object) main input
useLines	(integer, logical or character) vector to assign lines to keep when filtering along lines; set to NULL for no filtering; if 'allNA' all lines composed uniquely of NA values will be removed.
useCols	(integer, logical or character) vector for filtering columns; set to NULL for no filtering; if 'allNA' all columns uniquely NA values will be removed
ref	(integer) index for designating the element of 'lst' to take as reference for checking which other list-elements have suitable number of rows or columns
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging

**Details**

This function is used eg in package wrProteo to simultaneously filter raw and transformed data.



**Value**

This function returns the correct(ed) input (object of same class, of same length)

**See Also**

[moderTest2grp](#) for single comparisons, [lmFit](#)

**Examples**

```
lst1 <- list(m1=matrix(11:18,ncol=2), m2=matrix(21:30,ncol=2), indR=31:34,
            m3=matrix(c(21:23,NA,25:27,NA),ncol=2))
## here $m2 has more lines than $m1, and thus will be ignored when ref=1
filterLiColDeList(lst1, useLines=2:3)
filterLiColDeList(lst1, useLines="allNA", ref=4)
```

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 filterList

*Filter for unique elements*


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**Description**

This function aims to apply a given filter-criterion, a matrix or vector of FALSE/TRUE which is typically combined with a second layer which filters for a min content of filer-passing values per line for the first/main criterium. Then all lines concerned will be removed. This will be done for all list-elements (of appropriate size) of the input-list (while maintaining the list-structure in the output) not matching the filtering criteria.

**Usage**

```
filterList(lst, filt, minLineRatio = 0.5, silent = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

lst	(list) main input, each vector, matrix or data.frame in this list will be filtered if its length or number of lines fits to filt
filt	(logical) vector of FALSE/TRUE to use for filtering. If this a matrix is given, the value of minLineRatio will be applied as threshod of min content of TRUE for each line of filt
minLineRatio	(numeric) in case filt is a matrix of FALSE/TRUE, this value will be used as threshold of min content of TRUE for each line of filt
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

filtered list

**See Also**

[correctToUnique](#), [unique](#), [duplicated](#), [extrColsDeX](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2020); dat1 <- round(runif(80),2)
list1 <- list(m1=matrix(dat1[1:40],ncol=8), m2=matrix(dat1[41:80],ncol=8), other=letters[1:8])
rownames(list1$m1) <- rownames(list1$m2) <- paste0("line",1:5)
filterList(list1, list1$m1[,1] >0.4)
filterList(list1, list1$m1 >0.4)
```

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filterNetw	<i>Filter nodes &amp; edges for extracting networks This function allows extracting and filtering network-data based on fixed threshold (limInt) and add sandwich-nodes (nodes inter-connecting initial nodes) out of node-based queries.</i>
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**Description**

Filter nodes & edges for extracting networks

This function allows extracting and filtering network-data based on fixed threshold (limInt) and add sandwich-nodes (nodes inter-connecting initial nodes) out of node-based queries.

**Usage**

```
filterNetw(
  lst,
  filtCol = 3,
  limInt = 5000,
  sandwLim = 5000,
  filterAsInf = TRUE,
  outFormat = "matrix",
  remOrphans = TRUE,
  remRevPairs = TRUE,
  elemNa = "genes",
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  debug = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

lst	(list, composed of multiple matrix or data.frames ) main input (each list-element should have same number of columns)
filtCol	(integer, length=1) which column of lst should be used to filter using thresholds limInt and sandwLim

limInt	(numeric, length=1) filter main edge-scores according to filterAsInf
sandwLim	(numeric, length=1) filter sandwich connection edge-scores according to filterAsInf
filterAsInf	(logical) filter as 'inferior or equal' or 'superior or equal'
outFormat	(character) may be 'matrix' for tabular output, 'all' as list with matrix and list of node-names
remOrphans	(logical) remove networks consisting only of 2 connected edges
remRevPairs	(logical) remove duplicate edges due to reverse mapping (eg A - B and B - A); NOTE : use only when edges don't have orientation !
elemNa	(character) used only for messages
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging

**Value**

This function returns a matrix or data.frame

**See Also**

in [cbind](#)

**Examples**

```
lst2 <- list('121'=data.frame(ID=as.character(c(141,221,228,229,449)),11:15),
            '131'=data.frame(ID=as.character(c(228,331,332,333,339)),11:15),
            '141'=data.frame(ID=as.character(c(121,151,229,339,441,442,449)),c(11:17)),
            '151'=data.frame(ID=as.character(c(449,141,551,552)),11:14),
            '161'=data.frame(ID=as.character(171),11), '171'=data.frame(ID=as.character(161),11),
            '181'=data.frame(ID=as.character(881:882),11:12) )

lst2 <- list('121'=data.frame(ID=as.character(c(141,221,228,229,449)),11:15, 21:25),
            '131'=data.frame(ID=as.character(c(228,331,332,333,339)),11:15, 21:25),
            '141'=data.frame(ID=as.character(c(121,151,229,339,441,442,449)), c(11:17), 21:27),
            '151'=data.frame(ID=as.character(c(449,141,551,552)), 11:14, 21:24),
            '161'=data.frame(ID=as.character(171), 11,21), '171'=data.frame(ID=as.character(161), 11,21),
            '181'=data.frame(ID=as.character(881:882), 11:12,21:22) )

(te1 <- filterNetw(lst2, limInt=90, remOrphans=FALSE))
(te2 <- filterNetw(lst2, limInt=90, remOrphans=TRUE))

(te3 <- filterNetw(lst2, limInt=13, remOrphans=FALSE))
(te4 <- filterNetw(lst2, limInt=13, remOrphans=TRUE))
```

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filtSizeUniq                      *Filter for unique elements*

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### Description

This function aims to identify and remove duplicated elements in a list and maintain the list-structure in the output. `filtSizeUniq` filters 'lst' (list of character-vectors or character-vector) for elements being unique (to 'ref' or if NULL to all 'lst') and of character length. In addition, the min- and max- character length may be filtered, too. Eg, in proteomics this helps removing peptide sequences which would not be measured/detected any way.

### Usage

```

filtSizeUniq(
  lst,
  ref = NULL,
  minSize = 6,
  maxSize = 36,
  filtUnique = TRUE,
  byProt = TRUE,
  inclEmpty = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)

```

### Arguments

<code>lst</code>	list of character-vectors or character-vector
<code>ref</code>	(character) optional alternative 'reference', if not NULL used in addition to 'lst' for considering elements of 'lst' as unique
<code>minSize</code>	(integer) minimum number of characters, if NULL set to 0
<code>maxSize</code>	(integer) maximum number of characters
<code>filtUnique</code>	(logical) if TRUE return unique-only character-strings
<code>byProt</code>	(logical) if TRUE organize output as list (by names of input, eg protein-names) - if 'lst' was named list
<code>inclEmpty</code>	(logical) optional including empty list-elements when all elements have been filtered away - if 'lst' was named list
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

list of filtered input

**See Also**

[correctToUnique](#), [unique](#), [duplicated](#)

**Examples**

```
filtSizeUniq(list(A="a",B=c("b","bb","c"),D=c("dd","d","ddd","c")),filtUn=TRUE,minSi=NULL)
# input: c and dd are repeated
filtSizeUniq(list(A="a",B=c("b","bb","c"),D=c("dd","d","ddd","c")),ref=c(letters[c(1:26,1:3)]),
  "dd","dd","bb","ddd"),filtUn=TRUE,minSi=NULL) # a,b,c,dd repeated
```

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findCloseMatch

*Find close numeric values between two vectors*

---

**Description**

findCloseMatch finds close matches (similar values) between two numeric vectors ('x','y') based on method 'compTy' and threshold 'limit'. Return list with close matches of 'x' to given 'y', the numeric value depends on 'sortMatch' (if FALSE then always value of 'y' otherwise of longest of x&y). Note: Speed & memory improvement if 'sortMatch'=TRUE (but result might be inversed!): adopt search of x->y or y->x to searching matches of each longest to each shorter (ie flip x &y). Otherwise, if length of 'x' & 'y' are very different, it may be advantagous to use a long(er) 'x' and short(er) 'y' (with 'sortMatch'=FALSE). Note: Names of 'x' & 'y' or (if no names) prefix letters 'x' & 'y' are always added as names to results.

**Usage**

```
findCloseMatch(
  x,
  y,
  compTy = "ppm",
  limit = 5,
  asIndex = FALSE,
  maxFitShort = 100,
  sortMatch = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x	numeric vector for comparison
y	numeric vector for comparison
compTy	(character) may be 'diff' or 'ppm', will be used with threshold from argument 'limit'
limit	(numeric) threshold value for retaining values, used with distace-type specified in argument 'compTy'

asIndex	(logical) optionally rather report index of retained values
maxFitShort	(numeric) limit output to max number of elements (avoid returning high number of results if filtering was not enough stringent)
sortMatch	(logical) if TRUE than matching will be performed as 'match longer (of x & y) to closer', this may process slightly faster (eg 'x' longer: list for each 'y' all 'x' that are close, otherwise list of each 'x'),
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

### Value

This function returns a list with close matches of 'x' to given 'y', the numeric value depends on 'sortMatch' (if FALSE then always value of 'y' otherwise of longest of x&y)

### See Also

[checkSimValueInSer](#) and (from this package) `.compareByDiff`, for convenient output [countCloseToLimits](#)

### Examples

```
aa <- 11:14 ; bb <- c(13.1,11.5,14.3,20:21)
findCloseMatch(aa,bb,com="diff",lim=0.6)
findCloseMatch(c(a=5,b=11,c=12,d=18),c(G=2,H=11,I=12,J=13)+0.5, comp="diff", lim=2)
findCloseMatch(c(4,5,11,12,18),c(2,11,12,13,33)+0.5, comp="diff", lim=2)
findCloseMatch(c(4,5,11,12,18),c(2,11,12,13,33)+0.5, comp="diff", lim=2, sort=FALSE)
.compareByDiff(list(c(a=10,b=11,c=12,d=13),c(H=11,I=12,J=13,K=33)+0.5),limit=1) #' return matrix

a2 <- c(11:20); names(a2) <- letters[11:20]
b2 <- c(25:5)+c(rep(0,5),(1:10)/50000,rep(0,6)); names(b2) <- LETTERS[25:5]
which(abs(b2-a2[8]) < a2[8]*1e-6*5) #' find R=18 : no10
findCloseMatch(a2, b2, com="ppm", lim=5) #' find Q,R,S,T
findCloseMatch(a2, b2, com="ppm", lim=5,asI=TRUE) #' find Q,R,S,T
findCloseMatch(b2, a2, com="ppm", lim=5,asI=TRUE,sort=FALSE)
findCloseMatch(a2, b2, com="ratio", lim=1.000005) #' find Q,R,S,T
findCloseMatch(a2, b2, com="diff", lim=0.00005) #' find S,T
```

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findRepeated

*Find repeated elements*

---

### Description

findRepeated gets index of repeated items/values in vector 'x' (will be treated as character). Return (named) list of indexes for each of the repeated values, or NULL if all values are unique. This approach is similar but more basic compared to [get1stOfRepeatedByCol](#).

**Usage**

```
findRepeated(x, nonRepeated = FALSE, silent = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

x	character vector
nonRepeated	(logical) if =TRUE, return list with elements \$rep and \$nonrep
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

(named) list of indexes for each of the repeated values, or NULL if all values unique

**See Also**

similar approach but more basic than [get1stOfRepeatedByCol](#)

**Examples**

```
aa <- c(11:16,14:12,14); findRepeated(aa)
```

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findSimilFrom2sets      *Find similar numeric values from two vectors/matrixes*

---

**Description**

findSimilFrom2sets compares to vectors or matrixes and returns combined view including only all close (by [findCloseMatch](#)). Return matrix (predMatr) with add'l columns for index to and 'grp' (group of similar values (1-to-many)), 'nGrp' (n of grp), 'isBest' or 'nBest', 'disToMeas' (distance/difference between pair) & 'ppmToPred' (distance in ppm). Note: too wide 'limitComp' will result in large window and many 'good' hits will compete (and be mutually excluded) if selection 'bestOnly' is selected

**Usage**

```
findSimilFrom2sets(
  predMatr,
  measMatr,
  colMeas = 1,
  colPre = 1,
  compareTy = "diff",
  limitComp = 0.5,
  bestOnly = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  debug = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

predMatr	(matrix or numeric vector) dataset number 1, referred to as 'predicted', the column specified in argument colPre points to the data to be used
measMatr	(matrix or numeric vector) dataset number 2, referred to as 'measured', the column specified in argument colMeas points to the data to be used
colMeas	(integer) which column number of 'measMatr' to consider
colPre	(integer) which column number of 'predMatr' to consider
compareTy	(character) 'diff' (difference) 'ppm' (relative difference)
limitComp	(numeric) limit used by 'compareTy'
bestOnly	(logical) allows to filter only hits with min distance (defined by 'compareTy'), 3rd last col will be 'nBest' - otherwise 3rd last col 'isBest'
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
debug	(logical) for bug-tracking: more/enhanced messages

**Value**

This function returns a matrix (predMatr) with add'l columns for index to and 'grp' (group of similar values (1-to-many)), 'nGrp' (n of grp), 'isBest' or 'nBest', 'disToMeas' (distance/difference between pair) & 'ppmToPred' (distance in ppm)

**See Also**

[checkSimValueInSer](#) [findCloseMatch](#) [closeMatchMatrix](#)

**Examples**

```
aA <- c(11:17); bB <- c(12.001,13.999); cC <- c(16.2,8,9,12.5,12.6,15.9,14.1)
aZ <- matrix(c(aA,aA+20),ncol=2,dimnames=list(letters[1:length(aA)],c("aa","aZ")))
cZ <- matrix(c(cC,cC+20),ncol=2,dimnames=list(letters[1:length(cC)],c("cc","cZ")))
findCloseMatch(cC,aA,com="diff",lim=0.5,sor=FALSE)
findSimilFrom2sets(aA,cC)
findSimilFrom2sets(cC,aA)
findSimilFrom2sets(aA,cC,best=FALSE)
findSimilFrom2sets(aA,cC,comp="ppm",lim=5e4,deb=TRUE)
findSimilFrom2sets(aA,cC,comp="ppm",lim=9e4,best0=FALSE)
# below: find fewer 'best matches' since search window larger (ie more good hits compete !)
findSimilFrom2sets(aA,cC,comp="ppm",lim=9e4,best0=TRUE)
```



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findUsableGroupRange *Select groups within given range*

---

### Description

This function aims to help finding stretches/segments of data with a given maximum number of NA-instances. This function is used to inspect/filter each lines of 'dat' for a subset with sufficient presence/absence of NA values (ie limit number of NAs per level of 'grp'). Note : optimal performance with n.lines » n.groups

### Usage

```
findUsableGroupRange(dat, grp, maxNA = 1, callFrom = NULL)
```

### Arguments

dat (matrix or data.frame) main input  
 grp (factor) information which column of 'dat' is replicate of whom  
 maxNA (interger) max number of tolerated NAs  
 callFrom (character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

### Value

matrix with boundaries of 1st and last usable column (NA if there were no suitable groups found)

### Examples

```
dat1 <- matrix(1:56,nc=7)
dat1[c(2,3,4,5,6,10,12,18,19,20,22,23,26,27,28,30,31,34,38,39,50,54)] <- NA
rownames(dat1) <- letters[1:nrow(dat1)]
findUsableGroupRange(dat1,gl(3,3)[-3:4])
```

---

firstLineOfDat *Filter matrix to keep only first of repeated lines*

---

### Description

This function aims to reduce the complexity of a matrix (or data.frame) in case column 'refCol' has multiple lines with same value. In this case, it reduces the input-data to 1st line of redundant entries and returns a matrix (or data.frame) without lines identified as redundant entries for 'refCol'. In sum, this functions works like using unique on a given column, and propagates the same treatment to all other columns.

### Usage

```
firstLineOfDat(dat, refCol = 2, silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

dat	(matrix or data.frame) main input
refCol	(integer) column number of reference-column
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

matrix (same number of columns as input)

**See Also**

[firstOfRepeated](#), [unique](#), [duplicated](#)

**Examples**

```
(mat1 <- matrix(c(1:6,rep(1:3,1:3)),ncol=2,dimnames=list(letters[1:6],LETTERS[1:2])))
firstLineOfDat(mat1)
```

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firstOfRepeated	<i>Find first of repeated elements</i>
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**Description**

This function works similar to `unique`, but provides additional information about which elements of original input 'x' are repeated by providing indexes relative to the input. `firstOfRepeated` makes list with 3 elements: `$indRepeated..` index for first of repeated 'x', `$indUniq..` index of all unique + first of repeated, `$indRedund..` index of all redundant entries, ie non-unique (wo 1st). Used for reducing data to non-redundant status, however, for large numeric input the function `nonAmbiguousNum()` may perform better/faster. NAs won't be considered (NAs do not appear in reported index of results), see also `firstOfRepLines()`.

**Usage**

```
firstOfRepeated(x, silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

x	(character or numeric) main input
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

list with indices: \$indRepeated, \$indUniq, \$indRedund

**See Also**

[duplicated](#), [nonAmbiguousNum](#), [firstOfRepLines](#) gives less detail in output (lines/elements/indexes of omitted not directly accessible) and works faster

**Examples**

```
x <- c(letters[c(3,2:4,8,NA,3:1,NA,5:4)]); names(x) <- 100+(1:length(x))
firstOfRepeated(x)
x[firstOfRepeated(x)$indUniq]          # only unique with names
```

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firstOfRepLines	<i>Reduce to first occurrence of repeated lines</i>
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**Description**

This function concatenates all columns of input-matrix and then searches like unique for unique elements, optionally the indexes of unique elements may get returned. Note: This function treats input as character (thus won't understand  $10 == 10.0$ ). Returns simplified/non-redundant vector/matrix (ie fewer lines), or respective index. faster than [firstOfRepeated](#)

**Usage**

```
firstOfRepLines(
  mat,
  outTy = "ind",
  useCol = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

mat	initial matrix to treat
outTy	for output type: 'ind'.. index to 1st occurrence (non-red), 'orig'..non-red lines of mat, 'conc'.. non-red concatenated values, 'num'.. index to which group/category the lines belong
useCol	(integer) custom choice of which columns to paste/concatenate
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

simplified/non-redundant vector/matrix (ie fewer lines for matrix), or respective index

**See Also**

[unique](#), [nonAmbiguousNum](#), faster than [firstOfRepeated](#) which gives more detail in output (lines/elements/indexes of omitted)

**Examples**

```
mat <- matrix(c("e","n","a","n","z","z","n","z","z","b",
  "","n","c","n","","","n","","","z"),ncol=2)
firstOfRepLines(mat,out="conc")
```

---

fuseAnnotMatr

*Fuse annotation matrix to initial matrix*

---

**Description**

In a number of instances experimental measurements and additional information (annotation) are provided by separate objects (matrixes) as they may not be generated the same time. The aim of this function is provide help when matching appropriate lines for 2 sets of data (experimental measures in `iniTab` and annotation from `annotTab`) for fusing. `fuseAnnotMatr` adds supplemental columns/annotation to an initial matrix `iniTab` : using column `'refIniT'` as key (in `iniTab`) to compare with key `'refAnnotT'` (from `'annotTab'`). The columns to be added from `annotTab` must be chosen explicitly. Note: if non-unique IDs in `iniTab` : runs slow (but save) due to use of loop for each unique ID.

**Usage**

```
fuseAnnotMatr(
  iniTab,
  annotTab,
  refIniT = "Uniprot",
  refAnnotT = "combName",
  addCol = c("ensembl_gene_id", "description", "geneName", "combName"),
  debug = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>iniTab</code>	(matrix), that may have lines with multiple (=repeated) key entries
<code>annotTab</code>	(matrix) containing reference annotation
<code>refIniT</code>	(character) type of reference (eg 'Uniprot')
<code>refAnnotT</code>	(character) column name to use for reference-annotation

addCol (character) column-names of 'annotTab' to use/extract (if no matches found, use all)

debug (logical) for bug-tracking: more/enhanced messages

silent (logical) suppress messages

callFrom (character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

combined matrix (elements not found in 'annotTab' are displayed as NA)

**See Also**

[merge](#)

**Examples**

```
tab0 <- matrix(rep(letters[1:25],8),ncol=10)
tab1 <- cbind(Uniprot=paste(tab0[,1],tab0[,2]),col1=paste(tab0[,3],
  tab0[,4],tab0[,5]," ",tab0[,7],tab0[,6]))
tab2 <- cbind(combName=paste(tab0[,1],tab0[,2]),col2=paste(tab0[,8],tab0[,9],tab0[,10]))
fuseAnnotMatr(tab1,tab2[c(20:11,2:5),],refIni="Uniprot",refAnnotT="combName",addCol="col2")
fuseAnnotMatr(tab2[c(20:11,2:5),],tab1,refAnnotT="Uniprot",refIni="combName",addCol="col1")
```

---

fuseCommonListElem *Fuse content of list-elements with redundant (duplicated) names*

---

**Description**

fuseCommonListElem fuses (character or numeric) elements of list re-occurring under same name, so that resultant list has unique names. Note : will not work with list of matrixes

**Usage**

```
fuseCommonListElem(
  lst,
  initOrd = TRUE,
  removeDuplicates = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

lst (list) main input, list of numeric vectors

initOrd (logical) preserve initial order in output (if TRUE) or otherwise sort alphabetically

removeDuplicates (logical) allow to remove duplicate entries (if vector contains names, both the name and the value need to be identical to be removed; note: all names must have names with more than 0 characters to be considered as names)

callFrom (character) allows easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

fused list (same names as elements of input)

**See Also**

[unlist](#)

**Examples**

```
val1 <- 10 +1:26
names(val1) <- letters
lst1 <- list(c=val1[3:6],a=val1[1:3],b=val1[2:3],a=val1[12],c=val1[13])
fuseCommonListElem(lst1)
```

---

fusePairs

*Fuse pairs to generate cluster-names*

---

**Description**

Fuse previously identified pairs to 'clusters', return vector with cluster-numbers.

**Usage**

```
fusePairs(
  datPair,
  refDatNames = NULL,
  inclRepLst = FALSE,
  maxFuse = NULL,
  debug = FALSE,
  silent = TRUE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

datPair 2-column matrix where each line represents 1 pair

refDatNames (NULL or character) allows placing selected pairs in context of larger data-set (names to match those of 'datPair')

inclRepLst (logical) if TRUE, return list with 'clu' (clu-numbers, default output) and 'refLst' (list of clustered elements, only n>1)

maxFuse	(integer, default NULL) maximal number of groups/clusters
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

This function returns a vector with cluster-numbers

**Examples**

```
daPa <- matrix(c(1:5,8,2:6,9), ncol=2)
fusePairs(daPa, maxFuse=4)
```

---

get1stOfRepeatedByCol *Get first of repeated by column*

---

**Description**

get1stOfRepeatedByCol sorts matrix 'mat' and extracts only 1st occurrence of values in column 'sortBy'. Returns then non-redundant matrix (ie for column 'sortBy', if 'markIfAmbig' specifies existing col, mark ambig there). Note : problem when sortSupl or sortBy not present (or not intended for use)

**Usage**

```
get1stOfRepeatedByCol(
  mat,
  sortBy = "seq",
  sortSupl = "ty",
  asFirstLast = c("full", "inter"),
  markIfAmbig = c("ambig", "seqNa"),
  asList = FALSE,
  abmiPref = "_"
)
```

**Arguments**

mat	(matrix or data.frame) numeric vector to be tested
sortBy	column name for which elements should be made unique, numeric or character column; 'sortSupl' .. add'l colname to always select specific 1st)
sortSupl	default="ty"
asFirstLast	(character,length=2) to force specific strings from coluln 'sortSupl' as first and last when selecting 1st of repeated terms, default=c("full","inter")
markIfAmbig	(character,length=2) 1st will be set to 'TRUE' if ambiguous/repeated, 2nd will get (heading) prefix, default=c("ambig","seqNa")

asList            (logical) to return list with non-redundant ('unique') and removed lines ('repeats')

abmiPref        (character) prefix to note ambiguous entries/terms, default="\_"

**Value**

depending on 'asList' either list with non-redundant ('unique') and removed lines ('repeats')

**See Also**

[firstOfRepeated](#) for (more basic) treatment of simple vector, [nonAmbiguousNum](#) for numeric use (much faster !!!)

**Examples**

```
aa <- cbind(no=as.character(1:20), seq=sample(LETTERS[1:15], 20, repl=TRUE),
            ty=sample(c("full", "Nter", "inter"), 20, repl=TRUE), ambig=rep(NA, 20), seqNa=1:20)
get1stOfRepeatedByCol(aa)
```

---

getValuesByUnique        *Print matrix-content as plot*

---

**Description**

When data have repeated elements (defined by names inside the vector), it may be advantageous to run some operations only on a unique set of the initial data, or sometimes all repeated occurrences need to be replaced by a common (summarizing) value. This function allows to re-introduce new values from on second vector with unique names, to return a final vector of initial input-length and order of names (elements) like initial, too. Normally the user would provide 'datUniq' (without repeated names) containing new values which will be expanded to structure of 'dat', if 'datUniq' is not provided a vector with unique names will be made using the first occurrence of repeated value(s). For more complex cases the indexing relative to 'datUniq' can be returned (setting asIndex=TRUE). Note: If not all names of 'dat' are found in 'datUniq' the missing spots will be returned as NA.

**Usage**

```
getValuesByUnique(
  dat,
  datUniq = NULL,
  asIndex = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```



**Arguments**

dat	(numeric or character) main long input, must have names
datUniq	(numeric or character) will be used to impose values on dat, must have names that should match names (at least partially) from dat
asIndex	(logical) if TRUE index values will be returned instead of replacing values
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

vector of length dat with imposed values, or index values if asIndex=TRUE

**See Also**

[unique](#), [findRepeated](#), [correctToUnique](#), [treatTxtDuplicates](#)

**Examples**

```
dat <- 11:19
names(dat) <- letters[c(6:3,2:4,8,3)]
## let's make a 'datUniq' with the mean of repeated values :
datUniq <- round(tapply(dat,names(dat),mean),1)
## now propagate the mean values to the full vector
getValuesByUnique(dat,datUniq)
cbind(ini=dat,firstOfRep=getValuesByUnique(dat,datUniq),
      indexUniq=getValuesByUnique(dat,datUniq,asIn=TRUE))
```

---

gitDataUrl

*Convert url-name for reading in raw-mode*

---

**Description**

This functions converts a given urlName so that from data from git-hub can be read correctly that tabular data. Thus, this will remove '/blob/' and change starting characters to 'raw.githubusercontent.com'

**Usage**

```
gitDataUrl(
  urlName,
  replTxt = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

urlName	(character) main url-address
replTxt	(NULL or matrix) adjust/ custom-modify search- and replacement items; should be matrix with 2 columns, the 1st colimn entries will be used as 'search-for' and the 2nd as 'replace by' fro each row.
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

corrected urlName

**See Also**

[sub](#);

**Examples**

```
url1 <- paste0("https://github.com/bigbio/proteomics-metadata-standard/blob/",
  "master/annotated-projects/PXD001819/PXD001819.sdrf.tsv")
gitDataUrl(url1)
```

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htmlSpecCharConv

*Html Special Character Conversion*

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**Description**

Converts 'txt' so that (the most common) special characters (like 'beta', 'micro', 'square' etc) will be displayed correctly whe used for display in html (eg at mouse-over). Note : The package **stringi** is required for the conversions (the input will get returned if **stringi** is not available). Currently only the 16 most common special characters are implemented.

**Usage**

```
htmlSpecCharConv(txt, silent = FALSE, callFrom = NULL, debug = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

txt	character vector, including special characters
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging

**Value**

This function returns a corrected character vector adopted for html display

**See Also**

tables on <https://www.htmlhelp.com/reference/html40/entities/latin1.html>, <https://www.degraeve.com/reference/specialcharacters.php>, or <https://ascii.cl/htmlcodes.htm>

**Examples**

```
## we'll use the package stringi to generate text including the 'micro'-symbol as input
x <- if(requireNamespace("stringi", quietly=TRUE)) {
  stringi::stri_unescape_unicode("\u00b5\u003d\u0061\u0062")
} else "\"x=αβ\""
htmlSpecCharConv(x)
```

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keepCommonText

*Extract Longest Common Text Out Of Character Vector*

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**Description**

This function allows recovering the single longest common text-fragments (from center, head or tail) out of character vector txt. Only the first of all of the longest solutions will be returned.

**Usage**

```
keepCommonText(
  txt,
  minNchar = 1,
  side = "center",
  hiResol = TRUE,
  silent = TRUE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  debug = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

txt	character vector to be treated
minNchar	(integer) minimum number of characters that must remain
side	(character) may be either 'center', 'any', 'terminal', 'left' or 'right'; only with side='center' or 'any' internal text-segments may be found
hiResol	(logical) find best solution, but at much higher computational cost (eg 3x slower, however hiResol=FALSE rather finds anchor which may need to get extended)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging

## Details

Please note, that finding common parts between chains of characters is not a completely trivial task. This topic still has ongoing research for the application of sequence-alignments, where chains of characters to be compared get very long. This function uses a k-mer inspired approach. The initial aim with this function was allowing to treat smaller chains of characters (and finding shorter stretches of common text), like eg with column-names.

Important : This function identifies only the first best hit, ie other shared/common character-chains of the same length will not be found !

Using the argument `hiResol=FALSE` it is possible to accelerate the search approx 3x (with larger character-vectors), however, frequently the very best solution may not be found. This means, that in this case the result should rather be considered a 'seed', allowing check if further extension may improve the result, ie for identifying a (slightly) longer chain of common characters.

With longer vectors and longer character chains this may get demanding on computational resources, the argument `hiResol=FALSE` allows reducing this at the price of missing the best solution. With this argument single common/matching characters will not be searched if all text-elements are longer than 500 characters, an empty character vector will be returned.

When argument `side` is either `left`, `right` or `terminal` only terminal common text may be found (a potentially even longer internal text will be lost). Of course, choosing this option makes searches much faster.

This function does not return the position of the shared/common characters within the text, you may use `gregexpr` or `regexec` to locate them.

## Value

This function returns a character vector of `length=1`, ie only one (normally the longest) common sequence of characters is identified. If nothing is found common/shared an empty character-vector is returned

## See Also

Use `gregexpr` or `regexec` in [grep](#) for locating the identified common characters in the initial query.

Inverse : Trim redundant text (from either side) to keep only variable part using [trimRedundText](#); you may also look for related functions in package [stringr](#)

## Examples

```
txt1 <- c("abcd_abc_kjh", "bcd_abc123", "cd_abc_po")
keepCommonText(txt1, side="center")      # trim from right

txt2 <- c("ddd_ab", "ddd_bcd", "ddd_cde")
trimRedundText(txt2, side="left")      #
keepCommonText(txt2, side="center")    #
```

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levIndex	<i>Transform (factor) levels into index</i>
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### Description

This function helps transforming a numeric or character vector into indexes of levels (of its original values). By default indexes are assigned by order of occurrence, ie, the first value of x will be get the index of 1. Using the argument `byOccurance=FALSE` the resultant indexes will follow the sorted values.

### Usage

```
levIndex(  
  dat,  
  byOccurance = TRUE,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

### Arguments

<code>dat</code>	(numeric or character vector or factor) main input
<code>byOccurance</code>	(logical) toggle if lowest index should be based on alphabetical order or on order of input
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

matrix with mean values

### See Also

[rowSds](#), [colSums](#)

### Examples

```
x1 <- letters[rep(c(5,2:3),1:3)]  
levIndex(x1)  
levIndex(x1, byOccurance=FALSE)  
## with factor  
fa1 <- factor(letters[rep(c(5,2:3),1:3)], levels=letters[1:6])  
levIndex(fa1)  
levIndex(fa1, byOccurance=FALSE)
```

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linModelSelect	<i>Test multiple starting levels for linear regression model, select best and plot</i>
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### Description

The aim of this function is to select the data suiting set of levels of the main input data to construct a linear regression model. In real world measurements one may be confronted to the case of very low level analytes below the detection limit (LOD) and resulting read-outs fluctuate around around a common baseline (instead of NA). With such data it may be preferable to omit the read-outs for the lowest concentrations/levels of analytes if they are spread around a base-line value. This function allows trying to omit all starting levels designed in `startLev`, then the resulting p-values for the linear regression slopes will be checked and the best p-value chosen. The input may also be a `MArrayLM`-type object from package `limma` or from `moderTestXgrp` or `moderTest2grp`. In the graphical representation all points associated to levels omitted are shown in light green. For the graphical display additional information can be used : If the `dat` is list or `MArrayLM`-type object, the list-elements `$raw` (according to argument `lisNa` will be used to display points initially given as NA and imputed later on in grey. Logarithmic (ie log-linear) data can be treated by setting argument `logExpect=TRUE`. Then the levels will be taken as exponent of 2 for the regression, while the original values will be displayed in the figure.

### Usage

```
linModelSelect(
  rowNa,
  dat,
  expect,
  logExpect = FALSE,
  startLev = NULL,
  lisNa = c(raw = "raw", annot = "annot", datImp = "datImp"),
  plotGraph = TRUE,
  tit = NULL,
  pch = c(1, 3),
  cexLeg = 0.95,
  cexSub = 0.85,
  xLab = NULL,
  yLab = NULL,
  cexXAxis = 0.85,
  cexYAxis = 0.9,
  xLabLas = 1,
  cexLab = 1.1,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

rowNa	(character, length=1) rowname for line to be extracted from dat
dat	(matrix, list or MArrayLM-object from limma) main input of which columns should get re-ordered, may be output from <a href="#">moderTestXgrp</a> or <a href="#">moderTest2grp</a> .
expect	(numeric or character) the expected levels; if character, constant unit-characters will be stripped away to extract the numeric content
logExpect	(logical) toggle to TRUE if the main data are logarithmic but expect is linear
startLev	(integer) specify all starting levels to test for omitting here (multiple start sites for modelling linear regression may be specified to finally pick the best model)
lisNa	(character) in case dat is list or MArrayLM-type object, the list-elements with these names will be used as \$raw (for indicating initial NA-values, \$datImp (the main quantitation data to use) and \$annot for displaying the corresponding value from the "Accession"-column.
plotGraph	(logical) display figure
tit	(character) optional custom title
pch	(integer) symbols to use n optional plot; 1st for regular values, 2nd for values not used in regression
cexLeg	(numeric) size of text in legend
cexSub	(numeric) text-size for line (as subtitle) giving regression details of best linear model)
xLab	(character) custom x-axis label
yLab	(character) custom y-axis label
cexXAxis	(character) cex-type for size of text for x-axis labels
cexYAxis	(character) cex-type for size of text for y-axis labels
xLabLas	(integer) las-type orientation of x-axis labels (set to 2 for vertical axis-labels)
cexLab	(numeric) cex-type for size of text in x & y axis labels (will be passed to cex.lab in plot())
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a list with \$coef (coefficients), \$name (as/from input rowNa), \$startLev the best starting level)

**See Also**

[moderTestXgrp](#) for single comparisons, [order](#)

**Examples**

```
## Construct data
li1 <- rep(c(4,3,3:6),each=3) + round(runif(18)/5,2)
names(li1) <- paste0(rep(letters[1:5], each=3), rep(1:3,6))
li2 <- rep(c(6,3:7), each=3) + round(runif(18)/5, 2)
dat2 <- rbind(P1=li1, P2=li2)
exp2 <- rep(c(11:16), each=3)

## Check & plot for linear model
linModelSelect("P2", dat2, expect=exp2)

## Log-Linear data
## Suppose dat2 is result of measures in log2, but exp4 is not
exp4 <- rep(c(3,10,30,100,300,1000), each=3)
linModelSelect("P2", dat2, expect=exp4, logE=FALSE) # bad
linModelSelect("P2", dat2, expect=exp4, logE=TRUE)
```

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linRegrParamAndPVal    *Fit linear regression, return parameters and p-values*

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**Description**

This function fits a linear regression and returns the parameters, including p-values from Anova. Here the vector 'y' (scalar response or dependent variable, ie the value that should get estimated) will be estimated according to 'dep' (explanatory or independent variable). Alternatively, 'dep' may me a matrix where 1st column will be used as 'dep' and the 2nd column as 'y'.

**Usage**

```
linRegrParamAndPVal(
  dep,
  y = NULL,
  asVect = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

dep	(numeric vector, matrix or data.frame) explanatory or dependent variable, if matrix or data.frame the 1st column will be used, if 'y'=NULL the 2nd column will be used as 'y'
y	(numeric vector) independent variable (the value that should get estimated based on 'dep')
asVect	(logical) return numeric vector (Intercept, slope, p.intercept, p.slope) or matrix or results



silent           (logical) suppress messages  
 debug           (logical) additional messages for debugging  
 callFrom       (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

numeric vector (Intercept, slope, p.intercept, p.slope), or if asVect==TRUE as matrix (p.values in 2nd column)

**See Also**

[lm](#)

**Examples**

```
linRegrParamAndPVal(c(5,5.1,8,8.2),gl(2,2))
```

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<code>listBatchReplace</code>	<i>Replacements in list</i>
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**Description**

listBatchReplace replaces in list lst all entries with value searchValue by replaceBy

**Usage**

```
listBatchReplace(
  lst,
  searchValue,
  replaceBy,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

lst           input-list to be used for replacing  
 searchValue   (character, length=1)  
 replaceBy     (character, length=1)  
 silent       (logical) suppress messages  
 debug       (logical) additional messages for debugging  
 callFrom     (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a corrected list

**See Also**

basic replacement sub in [grep](#)

**Examples**

```
lst1 <- list(aa=1:4, bb=c("abc","efg","abh","effge"), cc=c("abdc","efg"))
listBatchReplace(lst1, search="efg", repl="EFG", sil=FALSE)
```

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listGroupsByNames	<i>Organize values into list and sort by names</i>
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**Description**

Sort values of 'x' by its names and organize as list by common names, the names until 'sep' are used for (re)grouping. Note that typical separators occurring the initial names may need protection by '\` (this is automatically taken care of for the case of the dot ('.') separator).

**Usage**

```
listGroupsByNames(x, sep = ".", silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

x	(list) main input
sep	(character) separator (note that typical separators may need to be protected, only automatically added for '.')
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

matrix or data.frame

**See Also**

rbind in [cbind](#)

**Examples**

```
listGroupsByNames((1:10)/5)
ser1 <- 1:6; names(ser1) <- c("AA","BB","AA.1","CC","AA.b","BB.e")
listGroupsByNames(ser1)
```

lmSelClu

*Run lm on segmented data (from clustering)***Description**

lmSelClu runs linear regression on data segmented previously (eg by clustering). This function offers various types of (2-coefficient) linear regression on 2 columns of 'dat' (matrix with 3rd column named 'clu' or 'cluID', numeric elements for cluster-number). If argument 'clu' is (default) 'max', the column 'clu' will be inspected to take most frequent value of 'clu', otherwise a numeric entry specifying the cluster to extract is expected. Note: this function was initially made for use with results from diagCheck() Note: this function lacks means of judging goodness of fit of the regression performed & means for plotting

**Usage**

```
lmSelClu(
  dat,
  useCol = 1:2,
  clu = "max",
  regTy = "lin",
  filt1 = NULL,
  filt2 = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

dat	matrix or data.frame
useCol	(integer or character) specify which 2 columns of 'dat' to use for linear regression
clu	(character) name of cluster to be extracted and treated
regTy	(character) change type used for linear regression : 'lin' for 1st col ~ 2nd col, 'res' for residue ~ 2nd col, 'norRes' for residue/2nd col ~ 2nd col or 'sqNorRes', 'inv' for 1st col ~ 1/(2nd col), 'invRes' for residue ~ 1/(2nd col)
filt1	(logical or numerical) filter criteria for 1st of 'useCol' , if numeric then select all lines of dat less than max of filt1
filt2	(logical or numerical) filter criteria for 2nd of 'useCol' , if numeric then select all lines of dat less than max of filt2
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

lm object (or NULL if no data left)

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

```

set.seed(2016); ran1 <- runif(220)
mat1 <- round(rbind(matrix(c(1:100+ran1[1:100],rep(1,50)),ncol=3),
  matrix(c(1:60,68:9+ran1[101:160],rep(2,60)),nc=3)),1)
colnames(mat1) <- c("a","BB","clu")
lmSelClu(mat1)
plot(mat1[which(mat1[,3]=="2"),1:2],col=grey(0.6))
abline(lmSelClu(mat1),lty=2,lwd=2)
#
mat2 <- round(rbind(matrix(c(1:100+ran1[1:100],rep(1,50)),ncol=3),
  matrix(c(1:60,(2:61+ran1[101:160])^2,rep(2,60)),nc=3)),1)
colnames(mat2) <- c("a","BB","clu")
(reg2 <- lmSelClu(mat2,regTy="sqNor"))
plot(function(x) coef(reg2)[2]+ (coef(reg2)[2]*x^2),xlim=c(1,70))
points(mat2[which(mat2[,3]=="2"),1:2],col=2)

```

lrbind

*rbind on lists***Description**

rbind-like function to append list-elements containing matrixes (or data.frames) and return one long table. All list-elements must have same number of columns (and same types of classes in case of data.frames. Simple vectors (as list-elements) will be considered as sigle lines for attaching.

**Usage**

```
lrbind(lst, silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

lst	(list, composed of multiple matrix or data.frames or simple vectors) main input (each list-element should have same number of columns, numeric vectors will be converted to number of columns of other columns/elements)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns (depending on input) a matrix or data.frame

**See Also**

rbind in [cbind](#)

**Examples**

```
lst1 <- list(matrix(1:9, ncol=3, dimnames=list(letters[1:3],c("AA","BB","CC"))),
  11:13, matrix(51:56, ncol=3))
lrbind(lst1)
```

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makeMAList	<i>Make MA-List Object</i>
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**Description**

makeMAList extracts sets of data-pairs (like R & G series) and makes MA objects as MA-List object (eg for ratio oriented analysis). The grouping of columns as sets of replicate-measurements is done according to argument MAfac. The output is fully compatible to functions of package [limma](#) (Bioconductor).

**Usage**

```
makeMAList(
  mat,
  MAfac,
  useF = c("R", "G"),
  isLog = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

mat	main input matrix
MAfac	(factor) factor organizing columns of 'mat' (if useF contains the default 'R' and 'G', they should also be part of MAfac)
useF	(character) two specific factor-levels of MAfac that will be used/extracted
isLog	(logical) tell if data is already log2 (will be considered when computing M and A values)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Details**

This function requires Bioconductor package [limma](#) being installed.

**Value**

limma-type "MAList" containing M and A values

**See Also**

[test2factLimma](#), for creating RG-lists within limma: MA.RG in [normalizeWithinArrays](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2017); t4 <- matrix(round(runif(40,1,9),2), ncol=4,
  dimnames=list(letters[c(1:5,3:4,6:4)], c("AA1","BB1","AA2","BB2")))
makeMAList(t4, gl(2,2,labels=c("R","G")))
```

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makeNRedMatr

*Make non-redundant matrix*

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**Description**

This function takes matrix or data.frame 'dat' to summarize redundant lines (column argument iniID) along method specified in summarizeRedAs to treat all lines with redundant iniID by same approach (ie for all columns the line where specified column is at eg max = 'maxOfRef' ). If no name given, the function will take the last numeric (factors may be used - they will be read as levels).

**Usage**

```
makeNRedMatr(
  dat,
  summarizeRedAs,
  iniID = "iniID",
  retDataFrame = TRUE,
  nEqu = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

**dat** (matrix or data.frame) main input for making non-redundant

**summarizeRedAs** (character) summarization method(s), typical choices 'median', 'mean', 'min' or 'maxOfRef'; basic usage like summarizeRedAs= 'mean' will pick independently the mean for each (numeric) column; it is also possible to specify different methods for each of columnw (length of summarizeRedAs should be equal number of numeric columns); special methods look at a single reference column to decide which line should be picked and their values reported (not compatible with specifying different methods for different columns),

iniID	(character) column-name used as reference for determining groups of redundant lines (default="iniID")
retDataFrame	(logical) if TRUE, check if text-columns may be converted to data.frame with numeric
nEqu	(logical) if TRUE, add additional column indicating the number of equal lines for choice (only with min or max)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

### Details

When using for selection of single initial line give the character-string of argument `summarizeRedAs` a name (eg `summ=c(X1="minOfRef")`) so that the function will use **ONLY** the column specified via the name for determining which line should be used/kept.

It is possible to base the choice from 'redundant' lines on a single reference-column. For example, when `summarizeRedAs='maxOfRef'` summarizing of all (numeric) columns will be performed according to one single column (ie the line where the last numeric column is at its max). Otherwiser, a name can be assigned as reference column to be used (eg see last example using `summarizeRedAs=c(x1='maxOfRef')`)

### Value

This function returns a (numeric) matrix or data.frame with summarized data and add'l col with number of initial redundant lines

### See Also

simple/partial functionality in [summarizeCols](#), [checkSimValueInSer](#)

### Examples

```
t3 <- data.frame(ref=rep(11:15,3),tx=letters[1:15],
  matrix(round(runif(30,-3,2),1),nc=2),stringsAsFactors=FALSE)
by(t3,t3[,1],function(x) x)
t(sapply(by(t3,t3[,1],function(x) x), summarizeCols, me="maxAbsOfRef"))
# calculate mean for lines concereded of all columns :
(xt3 <- makeNRedMatr(t3, summ="mean", iniID="ref"))
# choose lines based only on content of column 'X1' (here: max):
(xt3 <- makeNRedMatr(t3, summ=c(X1="maxOfRef"), iniID="ref"))
```

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matchMatrixLinesToRef *Match All Lines of Matrix To Reference Note*

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### Description

This function allows adjusting the order of lines of a matrix `mat` to a reference character-vector `ref`, even when initial direct matching of character-strings using `match` is not possible/successful. In this case, various variants of using `grep` will be used to see if unambiguous matching is possible of characteristic parts of the text. All columns of `mat` will be tested and the column giving the best results will be used.

### Usage

```
matchMatrixLinesToRef(
  mat,
  ref,
  exclCol = NULL,
  addRef = TRUE,
  inclInfo = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

<code>mat</code>	(matrix or data.frame) main input, all columns of <code>mat</code> will be tested for (partial) matching of <code>ref</code>
<code>ref</code>	(character, length must match ) reference for trying to match each of the columns of <code>mat</code>
<code>exclCol</code>	(character or integer) column-name or -index of column to ignore/exclude when looking for matches
<code>addRef</code>	(logical), if TRUE the content of <code>ref</code> will be added to <code>mat</code> as additional column
<code>inclInfo</code>	(logical) allows returning list with new matrix and additional information
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

### Details

This function tests all columns of `mat` to find perfect matching results to the reference `ref`. In case of multiple results the In case no direct matching is possible, `grep` will be used to find the best partial matching. The order of the rows of input `mat` will be adjusted according to the matching results.

If `addRef=TRUE`, the reference will be included as additional column to the results, too.



**Value**

This function returns the input matrix in an adjusted order (plus an optional additional column showing the reference) or if `inclInfo=TRUE` a list with `$mat` (adjusted matrix), `$byColumn`, `$newOrder` and `$method`; the reference can be added as additional last column if `addRef=TRUE`

**See Also**

[match](#), [grep](#), [trimRedundText](#), [replicateStructure](#)

**Examples**

```
## Note : columns b and e allow non-ambiguous match, not all elements of e are present in a
mat0 <- cbind(a=c("mvvk","axxd","bxxd","vv"),b=c("iwwy","iyyu","kvvh","gxx"), c=rep(9,4),
  d=c("hgf","hgf","vxc","nvnn"), e=c("_vv_","_ww_","_xx_","_yy_"))
matchMatrixLinesToRef(mat0[,1:4], ref=mat0[,5])
matchMatrixLinesToRef(mat0[,1:4], ref=mat0[1:3,5], inclInfo=TRUE)

matchMatrixLinesToRef(mat0[,-2], ref=mat0[,2], inclInfo=TRUE) # needs 'reverse grep'
```

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matchNamesWithReverseParts

*Value Matching with optional reversing of sub-parts of non-matching elements*

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**Description**

This function provides a variant to [match](#), where initially non-matching elements of `x` will be tested by decomposing non-matching elements, reversing the parts in front and after the separator `sep` and re-matching. If separator `sep` does not occur, a warning will be issued, if it occurs more than once, the parts before and after the first separator will be used and a warning issued.

**Usage**

```
matchNamesWithReverseParts(
  x,
  y,
  sep = "-",
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	(character) first vector for match
<code>y</code>	(character) second vector for match
<code>sep</code>	(character) separator between elements

silent (logical) suppress messages  
 debug (logical) additional messages for debugging  
 callFrom (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

index for matching (integer) x to y

**See Also**

[match](#)

**Examples**

```
tx1 <- c("a-b", "a-c", "d-a", "d-b", "b-c", "d-c")
tmp <- triCoord(4)
tx2 <- paste(letters[tmp[,1]], letters[tmp[,2]], sep="-")
## Some matches won't be found, since 'a-d' got reversed to 'd-a', etc...
match(tx1, tx2)
matchNamesWithReverseParts(tx1, tx2)
```

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matchSampToPairw      *Match names to concatenated pairs of names*

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**Description**

The column-names of multiple pairwise testing contain the names of the initial groups/conditions tested, plus there is a separator (eg '-' in moderTestXgrp). Thus function allows to map back which groups/conditions were used by returning the index of the respective groups used in pair-wise sets.

**Usage**

```
matchSampToPairw(
  grpNa,
  pairwNa,
  sep = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

grpNa (character) the names of the groups of replicates (ie conditions) used to test  
 pairwNa (character) the names of pairwise-testing (ie 'concatenated' sampNa  
 sep (character) if not NULL the characters given will be used via stringsplit  
 silent (logical) suppress messages  
 debug (logical) additional messages for debugging  
 callFrom (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Details**

There are two modes of operation : 1) Argument `sep` is set to `NULL` : The names of initial groups/conditions (`grpNa`) will be tested for exact pattern matching either at beginning or at end of pair-wise names (`pairwNa`). This approach has the advantage that it does not need to be known what character(s) were used as separator (or they may change), but the disadvantage that in case the perfect `grpNa` was not given, the longest best match of `grpNa` will be returned.

2) The separator `sep` is given and exact matches at both sides will be searched. However, if the character(s) from `sep` do appear inside `grpNa` no matches will be found.

If some `grpNa` are not found in `pairwNa` this will be marked as `NA`.

**Value**

matrix of 2 columns with indices of `sampNa` with `pairwNa` as rows

**See Also**

(for running multiple pair-wise test) [moderTestXgrp](#), [grep](#), [strsplit](#)

**Examples**

```
pairwNa1 <- c("abc-efg", "abc-hij", "efg-hij")
grpNa1 <- c("hij", "abc", "abcc", "efg", "klm")
matchSampToPairw(grpNa1, pairwNa1)
```

```
pairwNa2 <- c("abc-efg", "abcc-hij", "abc-hij", "abc-hijj", "zz-zz", "efg-hij")
matchSampToPairw(grpNa1, pairwNa2)
```

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matr2list

*Transform columns of matrix to list of vectors*


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**Description**

convert matrix to list of vectors: each column of 'mat' as vector of list

**Usage**

```
matr2list(mat, concSym = ".", silent = FALSE, debug = TRUE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

<code>mat</code>	(matrix) main input
<code>concSym</code>	(character) symbol for concatenating: concatenation of named vectors in list names as <code>colname(s)+'concSym'+rowname</code>
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

matrix or array (1st dim is intraplate-position, 2nd .. plate-group/type, 3rd .. channels)

**See Also**

[convToNum](#)

**Examples**

```
mat1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol=3, dimnames=list(letters[1:4], LETTERS[1:3]))
mat2 <- matrix(LETTERS[11:22], ncol=3, dimnames=list(letters[1:4], LETTERS[1:3]))
matr2list(mat1); matr2list(mat2)
```

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mergeMatrices

*Merge Multiple Matrices*

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**Description**

This function allows merging of multiple matrix-like objects. The matrix-rownames will be used to align common elements, either by returning all common elements mode='intersect' or containing all elements mode='union' (the result may contain additional NAs).

**Usage**

```
mergeMatrices(
  ...,
  mode = "intersect",
  useColumn = 1,
  na.rm = TRUE,
  extrRowNames = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

...	(matrix or data.frame) multiple matrix or data.frame objects may be entered
mode	(character) allows choosing restricting to all common elements (mode='intersect') or union (mode='union')
useColumn	(integer, character or list) the column(s) to consider, may be 'all' to use all, integer to select specific indexes or list of indexes or colnames for custom-selection per matrix
na.rm	(logical) suppress NAs
extrRowNames	(logical) decide whether columns with all values different (ie no replicates or max divergency) should be excluded

silent           (logical) suppress messages  
 debug           (logical) additional messages for debugging  
 callFrom       (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Details

Custom column-names can be given by entering matrices like named arguments (see examples below). The choice of columns to use may be adopted to each matrix entered, in this case the argument useColumn may be a list with matrix-names to use or a list of indexes (see examples below).

Note, that matrices may contain repeated rownames (see examples, mat3). In this case only the first of repeated rownames will be considered (and lines of repeated names ignored).

### Value

This function returns a matrix containing all selected columns of the input matrices to fuse

### See Also

[merge](#), [mergeMatrixList](#)

### Examples

```

mat1 <- matrix(11:18, ncol=2, dimnames=list(letters[3:6],LETTERS[1:2]))
mat2 <- matrix(21:28, ncol=2, dimnames=list(letters[2:5],LETTERS[3:4]))
mat3 <- matrix(31:38, ncol=2, dimnames=list(letters[c(1,3:4,3)],LETTERS[4:5]))

mergeMatrices(mat1, mat2)
mergeMatrices(mat1, mat2, mat3, mode="union", useCol=2)
## custom names for matrix-origins
mergeMatrices(m1=mat1, m2=mat2, mat3, mode="union", useCol=2)
## flexible/custom selection of columns
mergeMatrices(m1=mat1, m2=mat2, mat3, mode="union", useCol=list(1,1:2,2))

```

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mergeMatrixList

*Merge Multiple Matrices from List*

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### Description

This function allows merging of multiple matrix-like objects from an initial list. The matrix-rownames will be used to align common elements, either by returning all common elements mode='intersect' or containing all elements mode='union' (the result may contain additional NAs).

**Usage**

```
mergeMatrixList(
  matLst,
  mode = "intersect",
  useColumn = 1,
  na.rm = TRUE,
  extrRowNames = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

matLst	(list containing matrices or data.frames) main input (multiple matrix or data.frame objects)
mode	(character) allows choosing restricting to all common elements (mode='intersect') or union (mode='union')
useColumn	(integer, character or list) the column(s) to consider, may be 'all' to use all, integer to select specific indexes or list of indexes or colnames for custom-selection per matrix
na.rm	(logical) suppress NAs
extrRowNames	(logical) decide whether columns with all values different (ie no replicates or max divergency) should be excluded
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Details**

Custom column-names can be given by entering matrices like named arguments (see examples below). The choice of columns to use may be adopted to each matrix entered, in this case the argument useColumn may be a list with matrix-names to use or a list of indexes (see examples below).

Note, that matrices may contain repeated rownames (see examples, mat3). In this case only the first of repeated rownames will be considered (and lines of repeated names ignored).

**Value**

This function returns a matrix containing all selected columns of the input matrices to fuse

**See Also**

[merge](#), [mergeMatrices](#) for separate entries

**Examples**

```
mat1 <- matrix(11:18, ncol=2, dimnames=list(letters[3:6],LETTERS[1:2]))
mat2 <- matrix(21:28, ncol=2, dimnames=list(letters[2:5],LETTERS[3:4]))
mat3 <- matrix(31:38, ncol=2, dimnames=list(letters[c(1,3:4,3)],LETTERS[4:5]))

mergeMatrixList(list(mat1, mat2))

mergeMatrixList(list(m1=mat1, m2=mat2, mat3), mode="union", useCol=2)
```

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mergeSelCol

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*Merge selected columns out of 2 matrix or data.frames*


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**Description**

This function merges selected columns out of 2 matrix or data.frames. 'selCols' will be used to define columns to be used; optionally may be different for 'dat2' : define in 'supCols2'. Output-cols will get additions specified in newSuff (default '.x' and '.y')

**Usage**

```
mergeSelCol(
  dat1,
  dat2,
  selCols,
  supCols2 = NULL,
  byC = NULL,
  useAll = FALSE,
  setRownames = TRUE,
  newSuff = c(".x", ".y"),
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

dat1	matrix or data.frame for fusing
dat2	matrix or data.frame for fusing
selCols	will be used to define columns to be used; optionally may be different for 'dat2' : define in 'supCols2'
supCols2	if additional column-names should be extracted form dat2
byC	(character) 'by' value used in <a href="#">merge</a>
useAll	(logical) use all lines (will produce NAs when given identifier not found un 2nd group of data)
setRownames	(logical) if TRUE, will use values of col used as 'by' as rownames instead of showing as add'l col in output

newSuff (character) prefix (argument 'suffixes' in merge)  
 silent (logical) suppress messages  
 debug (logical) display additional messages for debugging  
 callFrom (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a data.frame containing the merged columns

**See Also**

[merge](#), merge 3 data.frames using [mergeSelCol3](#)

**Examples**

```
mat1 <- matrix(c(1:7, letters[1:7]), 11:17), ncol=3, dimnames=list(LETTERS[1:7], c("x1", "x2", "x3")))
mat2 <- matrix(c(1:6, c("b", "a", "e", "f", "g", "k"), 31:36),
  ncol=3, dimnames=list(LETTERS[11:16], c("y1", "x2", "x3")))
mergeSelCol(mat1, mat2, selC=c("x2", "x3"))
```

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mergeSelCol3

*mergeSelCol3*

---

**Description**

successive merge of selected columns out of 3 matrix or data.frames. 'selCols' will be used to define columns to be used; optionally may be different for 'dat2' : define in 'supCols2'. Output-cols will get additions specified in newSuff (default '.x' and '.y')

**Usage**

```
mergeSelCol3(
  dat1,
  dat2,
  dat3,
  selCols,
  supCols2 = NULL,
  supCols3 = NULL,
  byC = NULL,
  useAll = FALSE,
  setRownames = TRUE,
  newSuff = c(".x", ".y", ".z"),
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```



**Arguments**

dat1	matrix or data.frame for fusing
dat2	matrix or data.frame for fusing
dat3	matrix or data.frame for fusing
selCols	will be used to define columns to be used; optionally may be different for 'dat2' : define in 'supCols2'
supCols2	if additional column-names should be extracted form dat2
supCols3	if additional column-names should be extracted form dat3
byC	(character) 'by' value used in <a href="#">merge</a>
useAll	(logical) use all lines (will produce NAs when given identifier not found un 2nd group of data)
setRownames	if TRUE, will use values of col used as 'by' as rownames instead of showing as add'l col in output
newSuff	(character) prefix (argument 'suffixes' in merge)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a data.frame containing the merged columns

**See Also**

[merge](#), [mergeSelCol](#)

**Examples**

```
mat1 <- matrix(c(1:7, letters[1:7]), 11:17, ncol=3, dimnames=list(LETTERS[1:7], c("x1", "x2", "x3")))
mat2 <- matrix(c(1:6, c("b", "a", "e", "f", "g", "k")), 31:36, ncol=3,
  dimnames=list(LETTERS[11:16], c("y1", "x2", "x3")))
mat3 <- matrix(c(1:6, c("c", "a", "e", "b", "g", "k")), 51:56, ncol=3,
  dimnames=list(LETTERS[11:16], c("z1", "x2", "x3")))
mergeSelCol3(mat1, mat2, mat3, selC=c("x2", "x3"))
```

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mergeVectors

*Merge Named Vectors*

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**Description**

This function allows merging for multiple named vectors (each element needs to be named). Basically, all elements carrying the same name across different input-vectors will be aligned in the same column of the output (input-vectors appear as lines). If vectors are not given using a name (see first example below), they will be names 'x.1' etc (see argument namePrefix).

**Usage**

```
mergeVectors(  
  ...,  
  namePrefix = "x.",  
  NAto0 = FALSE,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

**Arguments**

...	all vectors that need to be merged
namePrefix	(character) prefix to numers used when vectors are not given with explicit names (second exaample)
NAto0	(logical) optional replacemet of NAs by 0
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Details**

Note : The arguments 'namePrefix', 'NAto0', 'callFrom' and 'silent' must be given with full name to be recognized as such (and not get considered as vector for merging).

**Value**

This function returns a matrix of merged values

**See Also**

[merge](#) (for two data.frames)

**Examples**

```
x1 <- c(a=1, b=11, c=21)  
x2 <- c(b=12, c=22, a=2)  
x3 <- c(a=3, d=43)  
mergeVectors(vect1=x1, vect2=x2, vect3=x3)  
x4 <- 41:44      # no names - not conform for merging  
mergeVectors(x1, x2, x3, x4)
```

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mergeW2	<i>Extended version of merge for multiple objects (even without row-names)</i>
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### Description

mergeW2 provides flexible merging out of 'MArrayLM'-object (if found, won't consider any other input-data) or of separate vectors or matrixes. The main idea was to have something not adding add'l lines as merge might do, but to stay within the frame of the 1st argument given, even when IDs are repeated, so the output follows the order of the 1st argument, non-redundant IDs are created (orig IDs as new column). If no 'MArrayLM'-object found: try to combine all elements of input '...', input-names must match predefined variants 'chInp'. IDs given in 1st argument and not found in later arguments will be displayed as NA in the output matrix of data.frame. Note : (non-data) arguments must be given with full name (so far no lazy evaluation, may conflict with names in 'inputNamesLst'). Note : special characters in colnames bound to give trouble. Note : when no names given, mergeW2 will presume order of elements (names) from 'inputNamesLst'. PROBLEM : error after xxMerg3 when several entries have matching (row)names but some entries match only partially (what to do : replace with NAs ??)

### Usage

```
mergeW2(
  ...,
  nonRedundID = TRUE,
  convertDF = TRUE,
  selMerg = TRUE,
  inputNamesLst = NULL,
  noMatchPursue = TRUE,
  standColNa = FALSE,
  lastOfMultCols = c("p.value", "Lfdr"),
  duplTxtSep = "_",
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

...	all data (vectors, matrixes or data.frames) intended for merge
nonRedundID	(logical) if TRUE, always add 1st column with non-redundant IDs (add anyway if non-redundant IDs found)
convertDF	(logical) allows converting output in data.frame, add new heading col with non-red rownames & check which cols should be numeric
selMerg	(logical) if FALSE toggle to classic merge() (will give more rows in output in case of redundant names)

inputNamesLst	(list) named list with character vectors (should be unique), search these names in input for extracting/merging elements use for 'lazy matching' when checking names of input, default : 7 groups ('Mvalue', 'Avalue', 'p.value', 'mouseInfo', 'LfdR', 'link', 'filt') with common short versions
noMatchPursue	(logical) allows using entries where 0 names match (just as if no names given)
standColNa	(logical) if TRUE return standard colnames as defined in 'inputNamesLst' (ie 'chInp'), otherwise colnames as initially provided
lastOfMultCols	may specify input groups where only last col will be used/extracted
duplTxtSep	(character) separator for counting/denominating multiple occurances of same name
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) for bug-tracking: more/enhanced messages and intermediate objects written in global name-space
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

matrix or data.frame of fused data

**See Also**

[merge](#)

**Examples**

```
t1 <- 1:10; names(t1) <- letters[c(1:7,3:4,8)]
t2 <- 20:11; names(t2) <- letters[c(1:7,3:4,8)]
t3 <- 101:110; names(t3) <- letters[c(11:20)]
t4 <- matrix(100:81, ncol=2, dimnames=list(letters[1:10], c("co1", "co2")))
t5 <- cbind(t1=t1, t52=t1+20, t53=t1+30)
      t1; t2; t3; cbind(t1, t2)
mergeW2(Mval=t1, p.value=t2, debug=FALSE)
```

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minDiff

*Minimum distance/difference between values*

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**Description**

This function aims to find the min distance (ie closest point) to any other x (numeric value), ie intra 'x' and returns matrix with 'index', 'value', 'dif', 'ppm', 'ncur', 'nbest', 'best'. At equal distance to lower & upper neighbour point, the upper (following) point is chosen (as single best). In case of multiple ex-aequo distance returns 1st of multiple, may be different at various repeats.

**Usage**

```
minDiff(
  x,
  digSig = 3,
  ppm = TRUE,
  initOrder = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x	(numeric) vector to search minimum difference
digSig	number of significant digits, used for ratio or ppm column
ppm	(logical) display distance as ppm ( $1e6 * \text{diff} / \text{refValue}$ , ie normalized difference eg as used in mass spectrometry), otherwise the ratio is given as : value(from 'x') / closestValue (from 'x')
initOrder	(logical) return matrix so that 'x' matches exactly 2nd col of output
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a matrix

**See Also**

[diff](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2017); aa <- 100*c(0.1 +round(runif(20),2),0.53,0.53)
minDiff(aa);
minDiff(aa,init0=TRUE,ppm=FALSE); .minDif(unique(aa))
```

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moderTest2grp

*Moderated Pair-Wise t-test From Limma*


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**Description**

This function runs moderated t-test from package `limma` on each line of data. Note: This function requires the package `limma` from bioconductor being installed. The `limma` contrast-matrix has to be read by column, the lines in the contrast-matrix containing '+1' will be compared to the '-1' lines, eg `grpA-grpB`. Local false discovery rates (l<sub>fdr</sub>) estimations will be made using the CRAN-package `fdrtool` (if available).

**Usage**

```
moderTest2grp(
  dat,
  grp,
  limmaOutput = TRUE,
  addResults = c("lfdr", "FDR", "Mval", "means"),
  testOrientation = "=",
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>dat</code>	matrix or data.frame with rows for multiple (independent) tests, use ONLY with 2 groups; assumed as log2-data
<code>grp</code>	(factor) describes column-relationship of 'dat' (1st factor is considered as reference -> orientation of M-values !!)
<code>limmaOutput</code>	(logical) return full (or extended) MArrayLM-object from limma or 'FALSE' for only the (uncorrected) p.values
<code>addResults</code>	(character) types of results to add besides basic limma-output, data are assumed to be log2 ! (eg "lfdr" using fdrtool-package, "FDR" or "BH" for BH-FDR, "BY" for BY-FDR, "bonferroni" for Bonferroni-correction, "qValue" for lfdr by qvalue, "Mval", "means" or "nonMod" for non-moderated test and he equivalent all (other) multiple testing corrections chosen here)
<code>testOrientation</code>	(character) for one-sided test (">","greater" or "<","less"), NOTE : 2nd grp is considered control/reference, '<' will identify grp1 < grp2
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a limma-type object of class MArrayLM

**See Also**

[lmFit](#) and the eBayes-family of functions in package [limma](#), [p.adjust](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2017); t8 <- matrix(round(rnorm(1600,10,0.4),2), ncol=8,
  dimnames=list(paste("l",1:200),c("AA1","BB1","CC1","DD1","AA2","BB2","CC2","DD2")))
t8[3:6,1:2] <- t8[3:6,1:2]+3 # augment lines 3:6 for AA1&BB1
t8[5:8,5:6] <- t8[5:8,5:6]+3 # augment lines 5:8 for AA2&BB2 (c,d,g,h should be found)
t4 <- log2(t8[,1:4]/t8[,5:8])
```

```
## Two-sided testing
fit4 <- moderTest2grp(t4,gl(2,2))
# If you have limma installed we can now see further
if("list" %in% mode(fit4) & requireNamespace("limma")) {
  limma::topTable(fit4, coef=1, n=5) # effect for 3,4,7,8

## One-sided testing
fit4in <- moderTest2grp(t4,gl(2,2),test0="<")
# If you have limma installed we can now see further
if("list" %in% mode(fit4) & requireNamespace("limma")) {
  limma::topTable(fit4in, coef=1, n=5) }
```

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moderTestXgrp

*Multiple moderated pair-wise t-tests from limma*


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### Description

Runs all pair-wise combinations of moderated t-tests from package 'limma' on each line of data against 1st group from 'grp'. Note: This function requires the package **limma** from bioconductor. The limma contrast-matrix has to be read by column, the lines in the contrast-matrix containing '+1' will be compared to the '-1' lines, eg grpA-grpB .

### Usage

```
moderTestXgrp(
  dat,
  grp,
  limmaOutput = TRUE,
  addResults = c("lfdr", "FDR", "Mval", "means"),
  testOrientation = "=",
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

dat	matrix or data.frame with rows for multiple (independent) tests, use ONLY with 2 groups; assumed as log2-data !!!
grp	(factor) describes column-relationship of 'dat' (1st factor is considered as reference -> orientation of M-values !!)
limmaOutput	(logical) return full (or extended) MArrayLM-object from limma or 'FALSE' for only the (uncorrected) p.values
addResults	(character) types of results to add besides basic limma-output, data are assumed to be log2 ! (eg "lfdr" using fdrtool-package, "FDR" or "BH" for BH-FDR, "BY" for BY-FDR, "bonferroni" for Bonferroni-correction, "qValue" for lfdr by qvalue, "Mval", "means" or "nonMod" for non-moderated test and he equivalent all (other) multiple testing corrections chosen here)

testOrientation (character) for one-sided test (">","greater" or "<","less"), NOTE : 2nd grp is considered control/reference, '<' will identify grp1 < grp2

silent (logical) suppress messages

debug (logical) additional messages for debugging

callFrom (character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

This function returns a limma-type MA-object (list)

**See Also**

[moderTest2grp](#) for single comparisons, [lmFit](#) and the eBayes-family of functions in package [limma](#)

**Examples**

```
grp <- factor(rep(LETTERS[c(3,1,4)],c(2,3,3)))
set.seed(2017); t8 <- matrix(round(rnorm(208*8,10,0.4),2), ncol=8,
  dimnames=list(paste(letters[],rep(1:8,each=26),sep=""), paste(grp,c(1:2,1:3,1:3),sep="")))
t8[3:6,1:2] <- t8[3:6,1:2] +3 # augment lines 3:6 (c-f)
t8[5:8,c(1:2,6:8)] <- t8[5:8,c(1:2,6:8)] -1.5 # lower lines
t8[6:7,3:5] <- t8[6:7,3:5] +2.2 # augment lines
## expect to find C/A in c,d,g, (h)
## expect to find C/D in c,d,e,f
## expect to find A/D in f,g,(h)
test8 <- moderTestXgrp(t8, grp)
# If you have limma installed we can now see further
if("list" %in% mode(test8)) head(test8$p.value, n=8)
```

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multiCharReplace	<i>Multiple replacement of entire character elements in simple vector, matrix or data.frame</i>
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**Description**

This functions allows multiple types of replacements of entire character elements in simple vector, matrix or data.frame. In addition, the result may be optionally directly transformed to logical or numeric

**Usage**

```
multiCharReplace(
  mat,
  repl,
  convTo = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
```



```

    debug = TRUE,
    callFrom = NULL
  )

```

### Arguments

mat	(character vector, matrix or data.frame) main data
repl	(matrix or list) tells what to replace by what: If matrix the 1st oolumn will be considered as 'old' and the 2nd as 'replaceBy'; if named list, the names of the list-elements will be considered as 'replaceBy'
convTo	(character) optional conversion of content to 'numeric' or 'logical'
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns an object of same dimension as input (with replaced content)

### See Also

[grep](#)

### Examples

```

x1 <- c("ab", "bc", "cd", "efg", "ghj")
multiCharReplace(x1, cbind(old=c("bc", "efg"), new=c("BCC", "EF")))

x2 <- c("High", "n/a", "High", "High", "Low")
multiCharReplace(x2, cbind(old=c("n/a", "Low", "High"), new=c(NA, FALSE, TRUE)), convTo="logical")

# works also to replace numeric content :
x3 <- matrix(11:16, ncol=2)
multiCharReplace(x3, cbind(12:13, 112:113))

```

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multiMatch

*Simple Multi-to-Multi Matching of (Concatenated) Terms*

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### Description

This function allows convenient matching of multi-to-multi relationships between two objects/vectors. It was designed for finding common elements in multiple to multiple matching situations (eg when comparing c("aa; bb", "cc") to c("bb; ab", "dd"), ie to find 'bb' as matching between both objects).

**Usage**

```
multiMatch(
  x,
  y,
  sep = "; ",
  sep2 = NULL,
  method = "byX",
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x	(vector or list) first object to compare; if vector, the (partially) concatenated identifiers (will be split using separator sep), or list of items to be matched (ie already split)
y	(vector or list) second object to compare; if vector, the (partially) concatenated identifiers (will be split using separator sep), or list of items to be matched (ie already split)
sep	(character, length=1) separator used to split concatenated identifiers (if x or y is vector)
sep2	(character, length=1) optional separator used when method="matched" to concatenate all indexes of y for column y.allInd
method	(character) mode of operation: 'asIndex' to return index of y (those hwo have matches) with names of x (which x are the correpsonding match)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Details**

method='byX' .. returns data.frame with view oriented towards entries of x: character column x for entire content of x; integer column x.Ind for index of x; character column TagBest for most frequent matching isolated tag/ID; integer column y.IndBest index of most frequent matching y; character column y.IndAll index for all y matching any of the tags; character column y.Match for entire content of best matching y; character column y.Adj for y adjusted to best matching y for easier subsequent perfect matching.

method=c("byX", "filter") .. combined argument to keep only lines with any matches

method='byTag' .. returns matrix (of integers) from view of isolated tags from x (a separate line for each tag from x matching to y);

method=c("byTag", "filter") ..if combined as arguments, this will return a data.frame for all unique tags with any matches between x and y, with additional columns x.AllInd for all matching x-indexes, y.IndBest best matching y index; x.n for number of different x conatining this tag; y.AllInd for all matching y-indexes

method='adjustXtoY' .. returns vector with x adjusted to y, ie those elements of x matching are replace by the exact corresponding term of y.

method=NULL .. If no term matching the options shown above is given, another version of 'asIndex' is returned, but indexes to y `_after_` splitting by sep. Again, this method can be filtered by using method="filter" to focus on the best matches to x.

### Value

matrix, data.frame or list with matching results depending on method chosen

### See Also

[match](#); [strsplit](#)

### Examples

```
aa <- c("m","k", "j; aa", "m; aa; bb; o; ee", "n; dd; cc", "aa", "cc")
bb <- c("dd; r", "aa", "ee; bb; q; cc", "p; cc")
(match1 <- multiMatch(aa, bb, method=NULL))      # match bb to aa
(match2 <- multiMatch(aa, bb, method="byX"))    # match bb to aa
(match3 <- multiMatch(aa, bb, method="byTag"))  # match bb to aa
(match4 <- multiMatch(aa, bb, method=c("byTag","filter"))) # match bb to aa
```

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naOmit

*Fast na.omit*

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### Description

naOmit removes NAs from input vector. This function has no slot for removed elements while na.omit does so. Resulting objects from naOmit are smaller in size and subsequent execution (on large vectors) is faster (in particular if many NAs get encountered). Note : Behaves differently to na.omit with input other than plain vectors. Will not work with data.frames !

### Usage

```
naOmit(x)
```

### Arguments

x (vector or matrix) input

### Value

vector without NAs (matrix input will be transformed to vector). Returns NULL if input consists only of NAs.

**See Also**

[na.fail](#), `na.omit`

**Examples**

```
aA <- c(11:13,NA,10,NA);
naOmit(aA)
```

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nFragments	<i>Number of fragments after cut at specific character(s) within size-range</i>
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**Description**

nFragments determines number of fragments /entry within range of 'sizeRa' (numeric,length=2) when cutting after 'cutAt'

**Usage**

```
nFragments(protSeq, cutAt, sizeRa)
```

**Arguments**

protSeq	(character) text to be cut
cutAt	(character) position to cut
sizeRa	(numeric,length=2) min and max size to consider

**Value**

numeric vector with number of fragments for each entry 'protSeq' (names are 'protSeq')

**See Also**

[cutAtMultSites](#), simple version {nFragments0} (no size-range)

**Examples**

```
tmp <- "MSVSREDSCELDLVYVTERIIAVSFPSTANEENFRSNLREVAQMLKSKHGNYLLFNLSERRPDITKLHAKVLEFGWPDLHTPALEKI"
nFragments(c(tmp,"ojoRij"),c("R","K"),c(4,31))
```

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nFragments0	<i>Number of fragments after cut at specific character(s)</i>
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**Description**

nFragments0 tells the number of fragments/entry when cutting after 'cutAt'

**Usage**

```
nFragments0(protSeq, cutAt)
```

**Arguments**

protSeq	(character) text to be cut
cutAt	(integer) position to cut

**Value**

numeric vector with number of fragments for each entry 'protSeq' (names are 'protSeq')

**See Also**

more elaborate {nFragments}; [cutAtMultSites](#)

**Examples**

```
tmp <- "MSVSRMEDSCELDLVYVTERIIAVSFPSTANEENFRSNLREVAQMLKSKHGNYLLFNLSERRPDITKLHAKVLEFGWPDLHTPALEKI"
nFragments0(c(tmp, "ojoRij"), c("R", "K"))
```

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nNonNumChar	<i>Count number of non-numeric characters</i>
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**Description**

nNonNumChar counts number of non-numeric characters. Made for positive non-scientific values (eg won't count neg-sign, neither Euro comma ',')

**Usage**

```
nNonNumChar(txt)
```

**Arguments**

txt	character vector to be treated
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**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector with number of non-numeric characters (ie not '.' or 0-9)

**See Also**

[nchar](#)

**Examples**

```
nNonNumChar("a1b "); sapply(c("aa","12ab","a1b2","12","0.5"), nNonNumChar)
```

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nonAmbiguousMat	<i>Transform matrix to non-ambiguous matrix (in respect to given column)</i>
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**Description**

nonAmbiguousMat makes values of matrix 'mat' in col 'byCol' unique.

**Usage**

```
nonAmbiguousMat(
  mat,
  byCol,
  uniqOnly = FALSE,
  asList = FALSE,
  nameMod = "amb_",
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

mat	numeric or character matrix (or data.frame), column specified by 'byCol' must be/will be used as.numeric, 1st column of 'mat' will be considered like index & used for adding prefix 'nameMod' (unless byCol=1, then 2nd col will be used)
byCol	(character or integer-index) column by which ambiguity will be tested
uniqOnly	(logical) if =TRUE return unique only, if =FALSE return unique and single representative of non-unique values (with "" added to name), selection of representative of repeated: first (of sorted) or middle if >2 instances
asList	(logical) return result as list
nameMod	(character) prefix added to 1st column of 'mat' (expect 'by') for indicating non-unique/ambiguous values
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

sorted non-ambiguous numeric vector (or list if 'asList'=TRUE and 'uniqOnly'=FALSE)

**See Also**

for non-numeric use [firstOfRepeated](#) - but 1000x much slower !; [get1stOfRepeatedByCol](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2017); mat2 <- matrix(c(1:100,round(rnorm(200),2)),ncol=3,
  dimnames=list(1:100,LETTERS[1:3]));
head(mat2U <- nonAmbiguousMat(mat2,by="B",na="_",uniq0=FALSE),n=15)
head(get1stOfRepeatedByCol(mat2,sortB="B",sortS="B"))
```

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nonAmbiguousNum	<i>make numeric vector non-ambiguous (ie unique)</i>
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**Description**

nonAmbiguousNum makes (named) values of numeric vector 'x' unique. Note: for non-numeric use [firstOfRepeated](#) - but 1000x slower ! Return sorted non-ambiguous numeric vector (or list if 'asList'=TRUE and 'uniqOnly'=FALSE)

**Usage**

```
nonAmbiguousNum(
  x,
  uniqOnly = FALSE,
  asList = FALSE,
  nameMod = "amb_",
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x	(numeric) main input
uniqOnly	(logical) if=TRUE return unique only, if =FALSE return unique and single representative of non-unique values (with " added to name), selection of representative of repeated: first (of sorted) or middle if >2 instances
asList	(logical) return list
nameMod	(character) text to add in case on ambiguous values, default="amb_"
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

sorted non-ambiguous numeric vector (or list if 'asList'=TRUE and 'uniqOnly'=FALSE)

**See Also**

[firstOfRepeated](#) for non-numeric use (much slower !!!), [duplicated](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2017); aa <- round(rnorm(100),2); names(aa) <- 1:length(aa)
str(nonAmbiguousNum(aa))
str(nonAmbiguousNum(aa,uniq=FALSE,asLi=TRUE))
```

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nonredDataFrame      *Filter for unique elements*

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**Description**

nonredDataFrame filters 'x' (list of char-vectors or char-vector) for elements unique (to 'ref' or if NULL to all 'x') and of character length. May be used for different 'accession' for same pep sequence (same 'peptide\_id'). Note : made for treating data.frames, may be slightly slower than matrix equivalent

**Usage**

```
nonredDataFrame(
  dataFr,
  useCol = c(pepID = "peptide_id", protID = "accession", seq = "sequence", mod =
    "modifications"),
  sepCollapse = "//",
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

dataFr	(data.frame) main input
useCol	(character,length=2) column names of 'dataFr' to use : 1st value designates where redundant values should be gathered; 2nd value designates column of which information should be concatenated
sepCollapse	(character) concatenation symbol
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a data.frame of filtered (fewer lines) with additional 2 columns 'nSamePep' (number of redundant entries) and 'concID' (concatenated content)

**See Also**

[combineRedBasedOnCol](#), [correctToUnique](#), [unique](#)

**Examples**

```
df1 <- data.frame(cbind(xA=letters[1:5], xB=c("h","h","f","e","f"), xC=LETTERS[1:5]))
nonredDataFrame(df1, useCol=c("xB","xC"))
```



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nonRedundLines	<i>Non-redundant lines of matrix</i>
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**Description**

nonRedundLines reduces complexity of matrix (or data.frame) if multiple consecutive (!) lines with same values. Return matrix (or data.frame) without repeated lines (keep 1st occurrence)

**Usage**

```
nonRedundLines(dat, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

dat	(matrix or data.frame) main input
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

matrix (or data.frame) without repeated lines (keep 1st occurrence)..

**See Also**

[firstLineOfDat](#), [firstOfRepLines](#), [findRepeated](#), [firstOfRepeated](#), [get1stOfRepeatedByCol](#), [combineRedBasedOnCol](#), [correctToUnique](#)

**Examples**

```
mat2 <- matrix(rep(c(1,1:3,3,1),2),ncol=2,dimnames=list(letters[1:6],LETTERS[1:2]))
nonRedundLines(mat2)
```

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normalizeThis	<i>Normalize Data In Various Modes</i>
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**Description**

Generic normalization of 'dat' (by columns), multiple methods may be applied. The choice of normalization procedures must be done with care, plotting the data before and after normalization may be critical to understanding the initial data structure and the effect of the procedure applied. Inappropriate methods chosen may render interpretation of (further) results incorrect.

**Usage**

```
normalizeThis(
  dat,
  method = "mean",
  refLines = NULL,
  refGrp = NULL,
  mode = "proportional",
  trimFa = NULL,
  minQuant = NULL,
  sparseLim = 0.4,
  nCombin = 3,
  omitNonAlignable = FALSE,
  maxFact = 10,
  quantFa = NULL,
  expFa = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

dat	matrix or data.frame of data to get normalized
method	(character) may be "mean","median","NULL","none", "trimMean", "rowNormalize", "slope", "exponent", "slope2Sections", "vsn"; When NULL or 'none' is chosen the input will be returned
refLines	(NULL or numeric) allows to consider only specific lines of 'dat' when determining normalization factors (all data will be normalized)
refGrp	Only the columns indicated will be used as reference, default all columns (integer or colnames)
mode	(character) may be "proportional", "additive"; decide if normalization factors will be applied as multiplicative (proportional) or additive; for log2-omics data mode="additive" is suggested
trimFa	(numeric, length=1) additional parameters for trimmed mean
minQuant	(numeric) only used with method='rowNormalize': optional filter to set all values below given value as NA; see also <a href="#">rowNormalize</a>
sparseLim	(integer) only used with method='rowNormalize': decide at which min content of NA values the function should go in sparse-mode; see also <a href="#">rowNormalize</a>
nCombin	(NULL or integer) only used with method='rowNormalize': used only in sparse-mode (ie if content of NAs higher than content of sparseLim): Number of groups of smaller matrixes with this number of columns to be inspected initially; low values (small groups have higher chances of more common elements); see also <a href="#">rowNormalize</a>
omitNonAlignable	(logical) only used with method='rowNormalize': allow omitting all columns which can't get aligned due to sparseness; see also <a href="#">rowNormalize</a>

maxFact	(numeric, length=2) only used with method='rowNormalize': max normalization factor; see also <a href="#">rowNormalize</a>
quantFa	(numeric, length=2) additional parameters for quantiles to use with method='slope'
expFa	(numeric, length=1) additional parameters for method='exponent'
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

## Details

In most cases of treating 'Omics'-data one works with the hypothesis that there are no global changes in the structure of all data/columns. Under this hypothesis it is very common to assume the the median (via the argument method) of all samples (ie columns) should remain constant. For examples samples/columns with less signal will be considered as having received 'accidentally' less material (eg due to the imprecision when transferring very small amounts of liquid samples). In consequence, a sample having received only 95% of the material, all measures will be multiplied by 1/0.95 (approx 1.053) to compensate for supposed lack of starting material.

With the analysis of 'Omics'-data it is very common to work with data on log-scale. In this case the argument mode should be set to additive, since adding a constant factor to log-data corresponds to a multiplicative factor on regular scale. Please note that (at this point) the methods 'slope', 'exponent', 'slope2Sections' and 'vsn' don't distinguish between additive and proportional modes, but take the data 'as is' (you may look at the original documentation for more details, see [exponNormalize](#), [adjBy2ptReg](#), [justvsn](#)).

Normalization using method="rowNormalize" runs [rowNormalize](#) from this package. In this case, the working hypothesis is, that all values in each row are expected to be the same. This method could be applied when all series of values (ie columns) are replicate measurements of the same sample. There is also an option for treating sparse data (see argument sparseLim), which may, however, consume much more computational resources, in particular, when the value nCombin is low (compared to the number of samples/columns).

Normalization using method="vsn" runs [justvsn](#) from [vsn](#) (this requires a minimum of 42 rows of input-data and having the Bioconductor package vsn installed). Note : Depending on the procedure chosen, the normalized data may appear on a different scale.

## Value

This function returns a matrix of normalized data (same dimensions as input)

## See Also

[rowNormalize](#), [exponNormalize](#), [adjBy2ptReg](#), [justvsn](#)

## Examples

```
set.seed(2015); rand1 <- round(runif(300)+rnorm(300,0,2),3)
dat1 <- cbind(ser1=round(100:1+rand1[1:100]), ser2=round(1.2*(100:1+rand1[101:200])-2),
  ser3=round((100:1 +rand1[201:300])^1.2-3))
dat1 <- cbind(dat1, ser4=round(dat1[,1]^seq(2,5,length.out=100)+rand1[11:110],1))
```

```

dat1[dat1 <1] <- NA
summary(dat1)
dat1[c(1:5,50:54,95:100),]
no1 <- normalizeThis(dat1, refGrp=1:3, meth="mean")
no2 <- normalizeThis(dat1, refGrp=1:3, meth="trimMean", trim=0.4)
no3 <- normalizeThis(dat1, refGrp=1:3, meth="median")
no4 <- normalizeThis(dat1, refGrp=1:3, meth="slope", quantFa=c(0.2,0.8))
dat1[c(1:10,91:100),]
cor(dat1[,3],rowMeans(dat1[,1:2],na.rm=TRUE), use="complete.obs") # high
cor(dat1[,4],rowMeans(dat1[,1:2],na.rm=TRUE), use="complete.obs") # bad
cor(dat1[c(1:10,91:100),4],rowMeans(dat1[c(1:10,91:100),1:2],na.rm=TRUE),use="complete.obs")
cor(dat1[,3],rowMeans(dat1[,1:2],na.rm=TRUE)^(1/seq(2,5,length.out=100)),use="complete.obs")

```

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numPairDeColNames      *Extract pair of numeric values from vector or column-names*

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### Description

This function extracts a pair of numeric values out of a vector or colnames (from a matrix). This is useful when pairwise comparisons are concatenated like '10c-100c', return matrix with 'index'=selComp, log2rat and both numeric. Additional white space or character text can be removed via the argument stripTxt. Of course, the separator sep needs to be specified and should not be included to 'stripTxt'.

### Usage

```

numPairDeColNames(
  dat,
  selComp = NULL,
  stripTxt = NULL,
  sep = "-",
  columLabel = "conc",
  sortByAbsRatio = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)

```

### Arguments

dat	(matrix or data.frame) main input
selComp	(character) the column index selected
stripTxt	(character, max length=2) text to ignore, if NULL heading letter and punctuation characters will be removed; default will remove all letters (and following spaces)
sep	(character, length=1) separator between pair of numeric values to extract
columLabel	(character) column labels in output

sortByAbsRatio (logical) optional sorting of output by (absolute) log-ratios (most extreme ratios on top)  
 silent (logical) suppress messages  
 debug (logical) additional messages for debugging  
 callFrom (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns a matrix

### See Also

[strsplit](#) and help on regex

### Examples

```
## composed column names
mat1 <- matrix(1:8, nrow=2, dimnames=list(NULL, paste0(1:4,"-",6:9)))
numPairDeColNames(mat1)
numPairDeColNames(colnames(mat1))
## works also with simple numeric column names
mat2 <- matrix(1:8, nrow=2, dimnames=list(NULL, paste0("a",6:9)))
numPairDeColNames(mat2)
```

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orderMatrToRef

*Order Lines of Matrix According to Reference (Character) Vector*

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### Description

This function orders lines of matrix `mat` according to a (character) reference vector `ref`. To do so, all columns of `mat` will be considered to use the first column from left with the best (partial) matching results. This function first looks for unambiguous perfect matches, and if not found successive rounds of more elaborate partial matching will be engaged: In case of no perfect matches found, `grep` of `ref` on all columns of `mat` and/or `grep` of all columns of `mat` on `ref` (ie 'reverse grep') will be applied (finally a 'two way grep' approach). Until a perfect match is found each element of `ref` will be tested on `mat` and inversely (for each column) each element of `mat` will be tested on `ref`. The approach with the best number of (unique) matches will be chosen. In case of one-to-many matches, it will be tried to use most complete lines (see also last example).

### Usage

```
orderMatrToRef(
  mat,
  ref,
  addRef = TRUE,
  listReturn = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
```

```

  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)

```

### Arguments

mat	(matrix, data.frame) main input of which rows should get re-ordered according to a (character) reference vector ref
ref	(character) reference imposing new order
addRef	(logical) add ref to output as new column
listReturn	(logical) allows retrieving more information in form of list
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns, depending on `listReturn`, either the input-matrix in new order or a list with `$mat` (the input matrix in new order), `$grep` (matched matrix) and `$col` indicating the column of `mat` finally used

### See Also

for basic ordering see [match](#); [checkGrpOrder](#) for testing each line for expected order, [checkStrictOrder](#) to check for strict (ascending or descending) order

### Examples

```

mat1 <- matrix(paste0("__", letters[rep(c(1,1,2,2,3),3) + rep(0:2, each=5)]), rep(1:5)), ncol=3)
orderMatrToRef(mat1, paste0(letters[c(3,4,5,3,4)], c(1,3,5,2,4)))

mat2 <- matrix(paste0("__", letters[rep(c(1,1,2,2,3),3) + rep(0:2, each=5)]),
  c(rep(1:5,2), 1,1,3:5 )), ncol=3)
orderMatrToRef(mat2, paste0(letters[c(3,4,5,3,4)], c(1,3,5,1,4)))

mat3 <- matrix(paste0(letters[rep(c(1,1,2,2,3),3) + rep(0:2, each=5)]),
  c(rep(1:5,2), 1,1,3,3,5 )), ncol=3)
orderMatrToRef(mat3, paste0("__", letters[c(3,4,5,3,4)], c(1,3,5,1,3)))

```

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organizeAsListOfRepl *(re)organize data of (3-dim) array as list of replicates*

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### Description

Organize array of all data ('arrIn', long table) into list of (replicate-)arrays (of similar type/layout) based on dimension number 'byDim' of 'arrIn' (eg 2nd or 3rd dim). Argument inspNChar defines the number of characters to consider, so if the beginning of names is the same they will be separated as list of multiple arrays. Default will search for '\_' separator or trim from end if not found in the relevant dimnames

### Usage

```
organizeAsListOfRepl(
  arrIn,
  inspNChar = 0,
  byDim = 3,
  silent = TRUE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

arrIn	(array) main input
inspNChar	(integer) if inspNChar=0 the array-names (2nd dim of 'arrIn') will be cut before last '_'
byDim	(integer, length=1) dimension number along which data will be split in separate elements (considering the first inspNChar characters)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns a list of arrays (typically 1st and 2nd dim for specific genes/objects, 3rd for different measures associated with)

### See Also

[array](#)

### Examples

```
arr1 <- array(1:24,dim=c(4,3,2),dimnames=list(c(LETTERS[1:4]),
  paste("col",1:3,sep=""), c("ch1","ch2")))
organizeAsListOfRepl(arr1)
```

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packageDownloadStat    *Simple Package Download Statistics From CRAN*

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### Description

This function allows accessing the most recent counts of package downloads available on <http://www.datasciencemeta.com/> obtaining rank quantiles and to compare (multiple) given packages to the bulk data, optionally a plot can be drawn.

### Usage

```
packageDownloadStat(
  queryPackages = c("wrMisc", "wrProteo", "cif", "bcv", "FinCovRegularization"),
  countUrl = "http://www.datasciencemeta.com/rpackages",
  refQuant = (1:10)/10,
  options = c("naOmit", "sort"),
  figure = TRUE,
  log = "",
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  debug = FALSE
)
```

### Arguments

queryPackages	(character or integer) package names of interest, if integer, n random packages will be picked by random
countUrl	(character) the url where the daily counts are available
refQuant	(numeric) add reference quantile values to output matrix
options	(character) additional settings : use 'naOmit' to remove NA-lines from output (package-names not found in 'countUrl'); 'sort' for sorting output by number of downloads
figure	(logical) decide if figure should be printed
log	(character) set count-axis of figure to linear or log-scale (by setting log="y")
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging

### Details

Detailed articles on this subject have been published on R-Hub (<https://blog.r-hub.io/2020/05/11/packagerank-intro/>) and on R-bloggers (<https://www.r-bloggers.com/2020/10/a-cran-downloads-experiment/>). The task of checking the number of downloads for a given package has also been addressed by several other packages (eg dlstats, cranlogs, adjustedcranlogs).



This function only allows accessing counts as listed on the website of [www.datasciencemeta.com](http://www.datasciencemeta.com) which get updated daily. Please note, that reading all lines from the website may take a few seconds !! To get a better understanding of the counts read, reference quantiles for download-counts get added by default (see argument `refQuant`). The (optional) figure can be drawn in linear scale (default, with minor zoom to lower number of counts) or in log (necessary for proper display of the entire range of counts), by setting the argument `log="y"`.

The number of downloads counted by RStudio may not be a perfect measure for the actual usage/popularity of a given package, the articles cited above discuss this in more detail. For example, multiple downloads from the same IP or subsequent downloads of multiple (older) versions of the same package seem to get counted, too.

### Value

This function returns a matrix with download counts (or NULL if the web-site can't be accessed or the query-packages are not found there)

### See Also

packages [cranlogs](#) and [packageRank](#)

### Examples

```
## Let's try a microscopic test-file (NOT representative for true up-to-date counts !!)
pack1 <- c("cif", "bcv", "FinCovRegularization", "wrMisc", "wrProteo")
testFi <- file.path(system.file("extdata", package="wrMisc"), "rpackagesMicro.html")
packageDownloadStat(pack1, countUrl=testFi, log="y", figure=FALSE)
## For real online counting simply use the argument countUrl in default setting
```

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`pairsAsPropensMatr`      *Convert Pairs of Node-Names to Non-Oriented Propensity Matrix*

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### Description

Numerous network query tools produce a listing of pairs of nodes (with one pair of nodes per line). Using this function such a matrix (or `data.frame`) can be combined to this more comprehensive view as propensity-matrix.

### Usage

```
pairsAsPropensMatr(mat, silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

### Arguments

<code>mat</code>	(matrix) main input, matrix of interaction partners with each line as a separate pair of nodes; the first two columns should contain identifiers of the nodes
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Details**

Note, this has been primarily developed for undirected interaction networks, the resulting propensity-matrix does not show any orientation any more. In a number of applications (eg in protein-protein interaction networks, PPI) the resulting matrix may be rather sparse.

**Value**

This function returns matrix or data.frame

**See Also**

uses typically input from [filterNetw](#)

**Examples**

```
pairs3L <- matrix(LETTERS[c(1,3,3, 2,2,1)], ncol=2) # loop of 3
(netw13pr <- pairsAsPropensMatr(pairs3L)) # as prop matr
```

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partialDist	<i>Partial distance matrix (focus on closest)</i>
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**Description**

partialDist calculates distance matrix like dist for 1- or 2-dim data, but only partially, ie only cases of small distances. This function was made for treating very large data-sets where only very close distances to a given point need to be found, it allows to overcome memory-problems with larger data (and faster execution with > 50 rows of 'dat').

**Usage**

```
partialDist(
  dat,
  groups,
  overLap = TRUE,
  method = "euclidean",
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

dat	(matrix of numeric values) main input
groups	(factor) to split using cut or specific custom grouping (length of dat)
overLap	(logical) if TRUE make groups overlapping by 1 value (ie maintain some context-information)

method	'character' name of method passed to dist
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

This function returns a matrix with partial distances (not of class 'dist' object)

**See Also**

[dist](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); mat3 <- matrix(runif(300),nr=30)
round(dist(mat3), 1)
round(partialDist(mat3, gr=3), 1)
```

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partUnlist	<i>Partial unlist of lists of lists</i>
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**Description**

partUnlist does partial unlist for treating list of lists : New (returned) list has one level less of hierarchy (Highest level list will be appended). In case of conflicting (non-null) listnames a prefix will be added. Behaviour different to [unlist](#) when unlisting list of matrixes.

**Usage**

```
partUnlist(lst, sep = "_", silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

lst	(list) main input, list to be partially unlisted
sep	(character, length=1) separator for names
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a list with partially reduced nested structure

**See Also**

[unlist](#), [asSepList](#)

**Examples**

```
partUnlist(list(list(a=11:12,b=21:24), list(c=101:101,d=201:204)))
li4 <- list(c=1:3, M2=matrix(1:4,ncol=2), L3=list(L1=11:12, M3=matrix(21:26,ncol=2)))
partUnlist(li4)
unlist(li4, rec=FALSE)
```

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 pasteC

*Advanced paste-collapse*


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**Description**

This function is a variant of [paste](#) for convenient use of paste-collapse and separation of last element to paste (via 'lastCol'). This function was made for more human like enumerating in output and messages. If multiple arguments are given without names they will all be concatenated, if they contain names lazy evaluation for names will be tried (with preference to longest match to argument names). Note that some special characters (like backslash) may need to be protected when used with 'collapse' or 'quoteC'. Returns character vector of length 1 (everything pasted together)

**Usage**

```
pasteC(..., collapse = ", ", lastCol = " and ", quoteC = "")
```

**Arguments**

...	(character) main input to be collapsed
collapse	(character,length=1) element to use for collapsing
lastCol	(character) text to use before last item enumerated element
quoteC	character to use for citing with quotations (default "")

**Value**

This function returns a character vector of truncated versions of input txt

**See Also**

[paste](#) for basic paste

**Examples**

```
pasteC(1:4)
```

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presenceFilt                      *Filter lines of matrix for max number of NAs*

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### Description

This function produces a logical matrix to be used as filter for lines of 'dat' for sufficient presence of non-NA values (ie limit number of NAs per line). Filter abundance/expression data for min number and/or ratio of non-NA values in at east 1 of multiple groups. This type of procedure is common in proteomics and tanscriptomics, where a NA can many times be assocoaued with quantitation below detetction limit.

### Usage

```
presenceFilt(
  dat,
  grp,
  maxGrpMiss = 1,
  ratMaxNA = 0.8,
  minVal = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

dat	matrix or data.frame (abundance or expression-values which may contain some NAs).
grp	factor of min 2 levels describing which column of 'dat' belongs to which group (levels 1 & 2 will be used)
maxGrpMiss	(numeric) at least 1 group has not more than this number of NAs (otherwise marke line as bad)
ratMaxNA	(numeric) at least 1 group reaches this content of non-NA values
minVal	(default NULL or numeric), any value below will be treated like NA
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

logical matrix (with separate col for each pairwise combination of 'grp' levels) indicating if line of 'dat' acceptable based on NAs (and values minVal)

**See Also**

[presenceGrpFilt](#), there are also other packages totally dedicated to filtering on CRAN and Bioconductor

**Examples**

```
mat <- matrix(rep(8,150), ncol=15, dimnames=list(NULL,
  paste0(rep(LETTERS[4:2],each=6),1:6)[c(1:5,7:16)]))
mat[lower.tri(mat)] <- NA
mat[,15] <- NA
mat[c(2:3,9),14:15] <- NA
mat[c(1,10),13:15] <- NA
mat
presenceFilt(mat ,rep(LETTERS[4:2], c(5,6,4)))
presenceFilt(mat, rep(1:2,c(9,6)))

# one more example
dat1 <- matrix(1:56, ncol=7)
dat1[c(2,3,4,5,6,10,12,18,19,20,22,23,26,27,28,30,31,34,38,39,50,54)] <- NA
dat1; presenceFilt(dat1,gr=gl(3,3)[-3:4], maxGr=0)
presenceFilt(dat1, gr=gl(2,4)[-1], maxGr=1, ratM=0.1)
presenceFilt(dat1, gr=gl(2,4)[-1], maxGr=2, rat=0.5)
```

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presenceGrpFilt	<i>Filter for each group of columns for sufficient data as non-NA</i>
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**Description**

The aim of this function is to filter for each group of columns for sufficient data as non-NA.

**Usage**

```
presenceGrpFilt(dat, grp, presThr = 0.75, silent = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

dat	matrix or data.frame (abundance or expression-values which may contain some NAs).
grp	factor of min 2 levels describing which column of 'dat' belongs to which group (levels 1 & 2 will be used)
presThr	(numeric) min ratio of non- NA values (per group) for returning a given line & group as TRUE
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Details**

This function allows to identify lines with an NA-content above the threshold `presThr` per group as defined by the levels of factor `grp`. With different types of projects/questions different threshold `presThr` levels may be useful. For example, if one would like to keep the degree of threshold `presThrs` per group rather low, one could use a value of 0.75 (ie  $\geq 75$

**Value**

logical matrix (with on column for each level of `grp`)

**See Also**

[presenceFilt](#), there are also other packages totally dedicated to filtering on CRAN and Bioconductor

**Examples**

```
mat <- matrix(NA, nrow=11, ncol=6)
mat[lower.tri(mat)] <- 1
mat <- cbind(mat, mat[,1:4])
colnames(mat) <- c(paste0("re",1:6), paste0("x",1:4))
mat[6:8,7:10] <- mat[1:3,7:10] # ref
mat[9:11,1:6] <- mat[2:4,1:6]

## accept 1 NA out of 4, 2 NA out of 6 (ie certainly present)
(filt0a <- presenceGrpFilt(mat, rep(1:2, c(6,4)), pres=0.66))
## accept 2 NA out of 4, 2 NA out of 6 (ie min 50% present)
(filt0b <- presenceGrpFilt(mat, rep(1:2, c(6,4)), pres=0.5))
## accept 3 NA out of 4, 4 NA out of 6 (ie possibly present)
(filt0c <- presenceGrpFilt(mat, rep(1:2, c(6,4)), pres=0.19))
```

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protectSpecChar

*Protect Special Characters*

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**Description**

Some characters do have a special meaning when used with regular expressions. This concerns characters like a point, parenthesis, backslash etc. Thus, when using `grep` or any related command, such special characters must get protected in order to get considered as they are.

**Usage**

```
protectSpecChar(
  x,
  prot = c(".", "\\ ", "|", "(", ")", "[", "{", "^", "$", "*", "+", "?"),
  silent = TRUE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x	character vector to be prepared for use in regular expressions
prot	(character) collection of characters that need to be protected
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a modified character vector

**Examples**

```
aa <- c("abc", "abcde", "ab.c", "ab.c.e", "ab*c", "ab\\d")
grepl("b.", aa)           # all TRUE
grepl("b\\. ", aa)        # manual prootection
grepl(protectSpecChar("b."), aa)
```

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pVal2lfdr

*Convert p-values to lfdr*

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**Description**

This function takes a numeric vector of p-values and returns a vector of lfdr-values (local false discovery) using the package `fdrtool`. Multiple testing correction should be performed with caution, short series of p-values typically pose problems for transforming to lfdr. The transformation to lfdr values may give warning messages, in this case the resultant lfdr values may be invalid !

**Usage**

```
pVal2lfdr(x, silent = TRUE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

x	(numeric) vector of p.values
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a (numeric) vector of lfdr values (or NULL if data insufficient to run the function 'fdrtool')



**See Also**

lfdr from [fdrtool](#), other p-adjustments (multiple test correction, eg FDR) in [p.adjust](#)

**Examples**

```
## Note that this example is too small for estimating really meaningful fdr values
## In consequence, a warning will be issued.
set.seed(2017); t8 <- matrix(round(rnorm(160,10,0.4),2), ncol=8,
  dimnames=list(letters[1:20], c("AA1","BB1","CC1","DD1","AA2","BB2","CC2","DD2")))
t8[3:6,1:2] <- t8[3:6,1:2]+3 # augment lines 3:6 (c-f) for AA1&BB1
t8[5:8,5:6] <- t8[5:8,5:6]+3 # augment lines 5:8 (e-h) for AA2&BB2 (c,d,g,h should be found)
head(pVal2lfdr(apply(t8, 1, function(x) t.test(x[1:4], x[5:8])$p.value)))
```

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 randIndFx

*Distance of categorical data (Jaccard, Rand and adjusted Rand index)*


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**Description**

randIndFx calculates distance of categorical data (as Rand Index, Adjusted Rand Index or Jaccard Index). Note: uses/requires package [flexclust](#) Methods so far available (via flexclust): "ARI" .. adjusted Rand Index, "RI" .. Rand index, "J" .. Jaccard, "FM" .. Fowlkes-Mallows.

**Usage**

```
randIndFx(
  ma,
  method = "ARI",
  adjSense = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

ma	(matrix) main input for distance calculation
method	(character) name of distance method (eg "ARI","RI","J","FM")
adjSense	(logical) allows introducing correlation/anticorrelation (interpret neg distance results as anti)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a distance matrix

**See Also**

comPart in [randIndex](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); tab2 <- matrix(sample(1:2, size=42, replace=TRUE), ncol=7)
if(requireNamespace("flexclust")) { flexclust::comPart(tab2[1,], tab2[2,])
  flexclust::comPart(tab2[1,], tab2[3,])
  flexclust::comPart(tab2[1,], tab2[4,]) }
## via randIndFx():
randIndFx(tab2, adjSense=FALSE)
cor(t(tab2))
randIndFx(tab2, adjSense=TRUE)
```

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rankToContigTab

*Contingency tables for fit of ranking*

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**Description**

Count the number of instances where the corresponding columns of 'dat' have a value matching the group number as specified by 'grp'. Counting will be performed/repeated independently for each line of 'dat'. Returns array (1st dim is rows of dat, 2nd is unique(grp), 3rd dim is ok/bad), these results may be tested using eg [fisher.test](#). This function was made for preparing to test the ranking of multiple features (lines in 'mat') including replicates (levels of 'grp').

**Usage**

```
rankToContigTab(dat, grp)
```

**Arguments**

dat (matrix or data.frame of integer values) ranking of multiple features (lines), equal ranks may occur

grp (integer) expected ranking

**Value**

array (1st dim is rows of dat, 2nd is unique(grp), 3rd dim is ok/bad)

**See Also**

[lm](#)

**Examples**

```
# Let's create a matrix with ranks (equal ranks do occur)
ma0 <- matrix(rep(1:3,each=6), ncol=6, dimnames=list(
  c("li1","li2","ref"), letters[1:6]))
ma0[1,6] <- 1 # create item not matching correctly
ma0[2,] <- c(3:1,2,1,3) # create items not matching correctly
gr0 <- gl(3,2) # the expected ranking (as duplicates)
(count0 <- rankToContigTab(ma0,gr0))
cTab <- t(apply(count0, c(1,3), sum))
# Now we can compare the ranking of line1 to ref ...
fisher.test(cTab[,c(3,1)]) # test li1 against ref
fisher.test(cTab[,c(3,2)]) # test li2 against ref
```

ratioAllComb

*Calculate all ratios between x and y***Description**

This function calculates all possible pairwise ratios between all individual values of x and y, or samples up to a maximum number of combinations.

**Usage**

```
ratioAllComb(
  x,
  y,
  maxLim = 10000,
  isLog = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x	(numeric) vector, numerator for constructing ratios
y	(numeric) vector, denominator for constructing ratios
maxLim	(integer) allows reducing complexity by drawing for very long x or y
isLog	(logical) adjust ratio calculation to log-data
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2014); ra1 <- c(rnorm(9,2,1),runif(8,1,2))
ratioAllComb(ra1[1:9],ra1[10:17])
boxplot(list(norm=ra1[1:9], unif=ra1[10:17], rat=ratioAllComb(ra1[1:9],ra1[10:17])))
```

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ratioToPpm	<i>Convert ratio to ppm</i>
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### Description

This function transforms ratio 'x' to ppm (parts per million). If 'y' not given (or different length as 'x'), then 'x' is assumed as ratio otherwise ratios are constructed as x/y is used lateron. Does additional checking : negative values not expected - will be made absolute !

### Usage

```
ratioToPpm(
  x,
  y = NULL,
  nSign = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

x	(numeric) main input
y	(numeric) optional value to construct ratios (x/y). If NULL (or different length as 'x'), then 'x' will be considered as ratio.
nSign	(numeric) number of significant digits
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns a numeric vector of ppm values

### See Also

[XYToDiffPpm](#) for ppm of difference as used in mass spectrometrie

### Examples

```
set.seed(2017); aa <- c(1.000001, 0.999999, 1+rnorm(10, 0, 0.001))
cbind(x=aa, ppm=ratioToPpm(aa, nSign=4))
```

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readCsvBatch	<i>Read batch of csv-files</i>
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### Description

This function was designed to read screening data split in parts (with common structure) and saved to multiple files, to extract the numeric columns and to compile all (numeric) data to a single array (or list). Some screening platforms save results while progressing through a pile of microtiter-plates separately. The organization of the resultant files is structured through file-names and all files have exactly the same organization of lines and columns/ European or US-formatted csv files can be read, if argument `fileFormat` is NULL both types will be tested, otherwise it allows to specify a given format. The presence of headers (to be used as column-names) may be tested using `checkFormat`.

### Usage

```
readCsvBatch(
  fileNames = NULL,
  path = ".",
  fileFormat = "Eur",
  checkFormat = TRUE,
  returnArray = TRUE,
  columns = c("Plate", "Well", "StainA"),
  excludeFiles = "All infected plates",
  simpleNames = TRUE,
  minNamesLe = 4,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

<code>fileNames</code>	(character) names of files to be read, if NULL all files fitting 'fileFormat'
<code>path</code>	(character) where files should be read (folders should be written in R-style)
<code>fileFormat</code>	(character) may be NULL (both US and European formats will be tried), 'Eur' or 'US'
<code>checkFormat</code>	(logical) if TRUE: check header, remove empty columns, 1st line if all empty, set output format for each file to matrix, if rownames are increasing integers try to use 2nd of 'columns' as rownames
<code>returnArray</code>	(logical) allows switching from array to list-output
<code>columns</code>	(NULL or character) column-headers to be extracted (if specified), 2nd value may be column with rownames (if rownames are encountered as increasing rownames)
<code>excludeFiles</code>	(character) names of files to exclude (only used when reading all files of given directory)

simpleNames	(logical) allows truncating names (from beginning) to get to variable part (using <code>.trimLeft()</code> ), but keeping 'minNamesLe'
minNamesLe	(integer) min length of column-names if simpleNames=TRUE
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns an array (or list if `returnArray=FALSE`) of all numeric data read (numerical columns only) from individual files

**See Also**

[read.table](#), [writeCsv](#), [readXlsxBatch](#)

**Examples**

```
path1 <- system.file("extdata", package="wrMisc")
fiNa <- c("pl01_1.csv", "pl01_2.csv", "pl02_1.csv", "pl02_2.csv")
datAll <- readCsvBatch(fiNa, path1)
str(datAll)
## batch reading of all csv files in specified path :
datAll2 <- readCsvBatch(fileNames=NULL, path=path1, silent=TRUE)
```

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readTabulatedBatch      *Batch Reading Of Tabulated Text-Files*

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**Description**

This function allows batch reading of multiple tabulated text files n batch. The files can be designed specifically, or, alternatively all files from a given directory can be read. If package `data.table` is available, faster reading of files will be performed using the function [fread](#).

**Usage**

```
readTabulatedBatch(
  query,
  path = NULL,
  dec = ".",
  header = "auto",
  strip.white = FALSE,
  blank.lines.skip = TRUE,
  fill = FALSE,
  filtCol = 2,
  filterAsInf = TRUE,
  filtVal = 5000,
```

```

    silent = FALSE,
    callFrom = NULL,
    debug = FALSE
  )

```

### Arguments

query	(character) vector of file-names to be read, if "." all files will be read (no matter what their extension might be)
path	(character) path for reading files, if NULL or NA the current directory will be used
dec	(character, length=1) decimals to use, will be passed to <a href="#">fread</a> or <a href="#">read.delim</a>
header	(character, length=1) path for reading files, if NULL or NA the current directory will be used, will be passed to <a href="#">fread</a> or <a href="#">read.delim</a>
strip.white	(logical, length=1) Strips leading and trailing whitespaces of unquoted fields, will be passed to <a href="#">fread</a> or <a href="#">read.delim</a>
blank.lines.skip	(logical, length=1) If TRUE blank lines in the input are ignored. will be passed to <a href="#">fread</a> or <a href="#">read.delim</a>
fill	(logical, length=1) If TRUE then in case the rows have unequal length, blank fields are implicitly filled, will be passed to <a href="#">fread</a> or <a href="#">read.delim</a>
filtCol	(integer, length=1) which columns should be used for filtering, if NULL or NA all data will be returned
filterAsInf	(logical, length=1) filter as inferior or equal (TRUE) or superior or equal threshold <code>filtVal</code>
filtVal	(numeric, length=1) which numeric threshold should be used for filtering, if NULL or NA all data will be returned
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging

### Details

If you want to provide a flexible pattern of file-names, this has to be done before calling this function, eg using `grep` to provide an explicit collection of files. However, it is possible to read different files from different locations/directories, the length of path must match the length of query

### Value

This function returns a list of data.frames

### See Also

[fread](#), [read.delim](#), for reading batch of csv files : [readCsvBatch](#)

**Examples**

```
path1 <- system.file("extdata", package="wrMisc")
fiNa <- c("a1.txt", "a2.txt")
allTxt <- readTabulatedBatch(fiNa, path1)
str(allTxt)
```

readVarColumns

*Read Tabular Content Of Files With Variable Number Of Columns***Description**

Reading the content of files where the number of separators (eg tabulation) is variable poses problems with traditional methods for reading files, like [read.table](#). This function reads each line independently and then parses all separators therein. The first line is assumed to be column-headers. Finally, all data will be returned in a matrix adopted to the line with most separators and if the number of column-headers is insufficient, new (unique) column-headers will be generated. Thus, the lines may contain different number of elements, empty elements (ie tabular fields) will always get added to right of data read and their content will be as defined by argument `emptyFields` (default NA).

**Usage**

```
readVarColumns(
  fiName,
  path = NULL,
  sep = "\t",
  header = TRUE,
  emptyFields = NA,
  refCo = NULL,
  supNa = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>fiName</code>	(character) file-name
<code>path</code>	(character) optional path
<code>sep</code>	(character) separator (between columns)
<code>header</code>	(logical) indicating whether the file contains the names of the variables as its first line.
<code>emptyFields</code>	(NA or character) missing headers will be replaced by the content of 'emptyFields', if NA the last column-name will be re-used and a counter added
<code>refCo</code>	(integer) for custom choice of column to be used as row-names (default will use 1st text-column)



supNa (character) base for constructing name for columns wo names (+counter starting at 2), default column-name to left of 1st col wo colname  
 silent (logical) suppress messages  
 callFrom (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Details

Note, this functions assumes one line of header and at least one line of data ! Note, for numeric data the comma is assumed to be US-Style (as '.'). Note, that it is assumed, that any missing fields for the complete tabular view are missing on the right (ie at the end of line) !

### Value

This function returns a matrix (character or numeric)

### See Also

for regular 'complete' data [read.table](#) and its argument flush

### Examples

```

path1 <- system.file("extdata",package="wrMisc")
fiNa <- "Names1.tsv"
datAll <- readVarColumns(fiName=file.path(path1,fiNa))
str(datAll)

```

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readXlsxBatch      *Read Batch of Excel xlsx-Files*

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### Description

readXlsxBatch reads data out of multiple xlsx files, the sheet indicated by 'sheetInd' will be considered. All files must have the same organization of data, as this is typically the case when high-throughput measurements are automatically saved while experiments progress. In particular, the first file read is used to structure the output.

### Usage

```

readXlsxBatch(
  fileNames = NULL,
  path = ".",
  fileExtension = "xlsx",
  excludeFiles = NULL,
  sheetInd = 1,
  checkFormat = TRUE,
  returnArray = TRUE,
  columns = c("Plate", "Well", "StainA"),

```

```

    simpleNames = 3,
    silent = FALSE,
    debug = FALSE,
    callFrom = NULL
  )

```

### Arguments

fileNames	(character) provide either explicit list of file-names to be read or leave NULL for reading all files ending with 'xlsx' in path specified with argument path
path	(character) there may be a different path for each file
fileExtension	(character) extension of files (default='xlsx')
excludeFiles	(character) names of files to exclude (only used when reading all files of given directory)
sheetInd	(character or integer) specify which sheet to extract (as exact name of sheet or sheet-number, eg sheetInd=2 will extract always the 2nd sheet (no matter the name); if given as sheet-name but not present in file an empty list-element will be returned)
checkFormat	(logical) if TRUE: check header, remove empty columns, if rownames are increasing integers it will search for first column with different entries to use as rownames
returnArray	(logical) allows switching from array to list-output
columns	(NULL or character) column-headers to be extracted (if specified, otherwise all columns will be extracted)
simpleNames	(integer), if NULL all characters of fileNames will be maintained, otherwise allows truncating names (from beginning) to get to variable part (using .trimLeft()), but keeping at least the number of characters indicated by this argument
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

### Details

By default all columns with text-content may be eliminated to keep the numeric part only, which may then get organized to a 3-dim numeric array (where the additional files will be used as 2nd dimension and multiple columns per file shown as 3rd dimension).

NOTE : (starting from version wrMisc-1.5.5) requires packages **readxl** and **Rcpp** being installed ! (This allows much faster and memory efficient processing than previous use of package 'xlsx')

### Value

This function returns a list of data.frames

### See Also

[read\\_excel](#); for simple reading of (older) xls-files under 32-bit R one may also see the package **RODBC**

**Examples**

```

path1 <- system.file("extdata", package="wrMisc")
fiNa <- c("pl01_1.xlsx", "pl01_2.xlsx", "pl02_1.xlsx", "pl02_2.xlsx")
datAll <- readXlsxBatch(fiNa, path1)
str(datAll)
## Now let's read all xlsx files of directory
datAll2 <- readXlsxBatch(path=path1, silent=TRUE)
identical(datAll, datAll2)

```

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reduceTable

*Reduce table by aggregating smaller groups*


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**Description**

reduceTable treats/reduces results from [table](#) to 'nGrp' groups, optional indiv resolution of 'separFirst' (numeric or NULL). Mainly made for reducing the number of classes for better plots with [pie](#)

**Usage**

```
reduceTable(tab, separFirst = 4, nGrp = 15)
```

**Arguments**

tab	output of <a href="#">table</a>
separFirst	(integer or NULL) optional separation of n 'separFirst' groups (value <2 or NULL will privilege more uniform size of groups, higher values will cause small initial and larger tailing groups)
nGrp	(integer) number of groups expected

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector with number of counts and class-borders as names (like [table](#)).

**See Also**

[table](#)

**Examples**

```

set.seed(2018); dat <- sample(11:60, 200, repl=TRUE)
pie(table(dat))
pie(reduceTable(table(dat), sep=NULL))
pie(reduceTable(table(dat), sep=NULL), init.angle=90,
  clockwise=TRUE, col=rainbow(20)[1:15], cex=0.8)

```

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regrBy1or2point	<i>Rescaling according to reference data using linear regression.</i>
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### Description

regrBy1or2point does rescaling: linear transform simple vector 'inDat' that (mean of) elements of names cited in 'refLst' will end up as values 'regrTo'. Regress single vector according to 'refLst' (describing names of inDat). If 'refLst' contains 2 groups, the 1st group will be set to the 1st value of 'regrTo' (and the 2nd group of 'refLst' to the 2nd 'regrTo')

### Usage

```
regrBy1or2point(
  inDat,
  refLst,
  regrTo = c(1, 0.5),
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

inDat	matrix or data.frame
refLst	list of names existing in inDat (one group of names for each value in 'regrTo'), to be transformed in values precised in 'regrTo'; if no matches to names of 'inDat' found, the 2 lowest and/or highest highest values will be chosen
regrTo	(numeric,length=2) range (at scale 0-1) of target-values for mean of elements cited in 'refLst'
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of message(s) produced

### Value

normalized matrix

### See Also

[adjBy2ptReg](#), [regrMultBy1or2point](#)

### Examples

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- 1:50 +(1:50)*round(runif(50),1)
names(dat1) <- 1:length(dat1)
reg1 <- regrBy1or2point(dat1,refLst=c("2","49"))
plot(reg1,dat1)
```

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regrMultBy1or2point	<i>Rescaling of multiple data-sets according to reference data using regression</i>
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**Description**

regrMultBy1or2point regresses each col of matrix according to 'refLst' (describing rownames of inDat). If 'refLst' contains 2 groups, the 1st group will be set to the 1st value of 'regrTo' (and the 2nd group of 'refLst' to the 2nd 'regrTo')

**Usage**

```
regrMultBy1or2point(
  inDat,
  refLst,
  regrTo = c(1, 0.5),
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

inDat	matrix or data.frame
refLst	list of names existing in inDat (one group of names for each value in 'regrTo'), to be transformed in values precised in 'regrTo'; if no matches to names of 'inDat' found, the 2 lowest and/or highest values will be chosen
regrTo	(numeric,length=2) range (at scale 0-1) of target-values for mean of elements cited in 'refLst'
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

normalized matrix

**See Also**

[adjBy2ptReg](#), [regrBy1or2point](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat2 <- round(cbind(1:50 +(1:50)*runif(50),2.2*(1:50) +rnorm(50,0,3)),1)
rownames(dat2) <- 1:nrow(dat2)
reg1 <- regrBy1or2point(dat2[,1],refLst=list(as.character(5:7),as.character(44:45)))
reg2 <- regrMultBy1or2point(dat2,refLst=list(as.character(5:7),as.character(44:45)))
plot(dat2[,1],reg2[,1])
identical(reg1,reg2[,1])
identical(dat2[,1],reg2[,1])
```

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renameColumns	<i>Rename columns</i>
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**Description**

This function renames columns of 'refMatr' using 2-column matrix (or data.frame) indicating old and new names (for replacement).

**Usage**

```
renameColumns(refMatr, newName, silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

refMatr	matrix (or data.frame) where column-names should be changed
newName	(matrix of character) giving correspondence of old to new names (number of lines must match number of columns of 'refMatr')
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a matrix (or data.frame) with renamed columns

**Examples**

```
ma <- matrix(1:8, ncol=4, dimnames=list(1:2, LETTERS[1:4]))
replBy1 <- cbind(new=c("dd", "bb", "z_"), old=c("D", "B", "zz"))
replBy2 <- matrix(c("D", "B", "zz", "dd", "bb", "z_"), ncol=2)
replBy3 <- matrix(c("X", "Y", "zz", "xx", "yy", "z_"), ncol=2)
renameColumns(ma, replBy1)
renameColumns(ma, replBy2)
renameColumns(ma, replBy3)
```

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reorgByCluNo	<i>Reorganize matrix according to clustering-output</i>
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**Description**

Reorganize input matrix as sorted by cluster numbers (and geometric mean) according to vector with cluster names, and index for sorting per cluster and per geometric mean. In case mat is an array, the 3rd dimension will be considered as 'column' with arguments useColumn ( and cluNo, if it designs a 'column' of mat).

**Usage**

```
reorgByCluNo(
  mat,
  cluNo,
  useColumn = NULL,
  meanCol = NULL,
  addInfo = TRUE,
  retList = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  debug = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

mat	(matrix or data.frame) main input
cluNo	(positive integer, length to match nrow(dat) initial cluster numbers for each line of 'mat' (obtained by separate clustering or other segmentation) or may design column of mat to use as cluster-numbers
useColumn	(character or integer) the columns to use from mat as main data (default will use all, except cluCol and/or meanCol if they design columns))
meanCol	(character or integer) alternative summarizing data for intra-cluster sorting (instead of geometric mean)
addInfo	(logical) allows adding of columns 'index', 'geoMean' and 'cluNo' (or array if FALSE)
retList	(logical) return as list of matrixes (or array if FALSE)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging

**Value**

This function returns a list or array (as 2- or 3 dim) with possible number of occurrences for each of the 3 elements in nMax. Read results vertical : out[[1]] or out[,1] .. (multiplicative) table for 1st element of nMax; out[,2] .. for 2nd

**See Also**

pairwise combinations [combn](#), clustering [kmeans](#)

**Examples**

```
dat1 <- matrix(round(runif(24),2), ncol=3, dimnames=list(NULL,letters[1:3]))
clu <- stats::kmeans(dat1, 5)$cluster
reorgByCluNo(dat1, clu)

dat2 <- cbind(dat1, clu=clu)
reorgByCluNo(dat2, "clu")
```

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 replicateStructure      *Search and Select Groups of Replicates*


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### Description

This function was designed for mining annotation information organized in multiple columns to identify the (potential) grouping of multiple samples, ie to determine factor levels. The argument method allows further finetuning if high or low number of groups should be preferred, if multiple columns may be combined, or to choose a particular custom column for designating factor levels.

### Usage

```
replicateStructure(
  x,
  method = "median",
  sep = "__",
  exclNoRepl = TRUE,
  trimNames = FALSE,
  includeOther = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  debug = FALSE
)
```

### Arguments

x	(matrix or data.frame) the annotation to inspect; each column is supposed to describe another set of annoation/metadata for the rows of x (min 1 row and 1 column),
method	(character, length=1) the procedure to choose column(s) with properties of information, may be highest or max (max number of levels) lowest or min (min number of levels), median (median of all options for number of levels), combAll (combine all columns of x) or combNonOrth (combine only non-orthogonal columns of x, to avoid avoid n lines with n levels); lazy evluation of the argument is possible
sep	(character) separator used when a method combining multiple columns (eg combAll, combNonOrth) is chosen (should not appear anywhere in x)
exclNoRepl	(logical) decide whether columns with all values different (ie no replicates or max divergency) should be excluded
trimNames	(logical) optional trimming of names in x by removing redundant heading and tailing text
includeOther	(logical) include \$allCols with pattern of (all) other columns
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging



## Details

Statistical tests require specifying which samples should be considered as replicates of whom. In some cases, like the Sdrf-format, automatic mining of such annotation to identify an experiment's underlying structure of replicates may be challenging, since the key information may not always be found in the same column. For this reason this function allows inspecting all columns of a matrix of data.frame to identify which columns may serve describing groups of replicates.

The argument `exclNoRepl=TRUE` allows excluding all columns with different content for each line (like line-numbers), ie information without any replicates. It is set by default to `TRUE` to exclude such columns, since statistical tests usually do require some replicates.

When using as `method="combAll"`, there is risk all lines (samples) will be considered different and no replicates remain. To avoid this situation the argument can be set to `method="combNonOrth"`. Using this mode it will be checked if adding more columns will lead to complete loss of replicates, and -if so- concerned columns omitted.

## Value

This function returns a list with `$col` (column index relativ to `x`), `$lev` (abstract labels of level), `$meth` (note of method finally used) and `$allCols` with general replicate structure of all columns of `x`

## See Also

[duplicated](#), uses [trimRedundText](#)

## Examples

```
## a is all different, b is groups of 2,
## c & d are groups of 2 but NOT 'same general' pattern as b
strX <- data.frame(a=letters[18:11], b=letters[rep(c(3:1,4), each=2)],
  c=letters[rep(c(5,8:6), each=2)], d=letters[c(1:2,1:3,3:4,4)],
  e=letters[rep(c(4,8,4,7),each=2)], f=rep("z",8) )
strX
replicateStructure(strX[,1:2])
replicateStructure(strX[,1:4], method="combAll")
replicateStructure(strX[,1:4], method="combAll", exclNoRepl=FALSE)
replicateStructure(strX[,1:4], method="combNonOrth", exclNoRepl=TRUE)
replicateStructure(strX, method="lowest")
replicateStructure(strX, method=3, includeOther=TRUE) # custom choice of 3rd column
```

**Description**

With several screening techniques used in high-throughput biology values at/below detection limit are returned as NA. However, the resultant NA-values may be difficult to analyse properly, simply ignoring NA-values may not be a good choice. When (technical) replicate measurements are available, one can look for cases where one gave an NA while the other did not with the aim of investigating such 'NA-neighbours'. `replNAbyLow` locates and replaces NA values by (random) values from same line & same group 'grp'. The origin of NAs should be predominantly absence of measure (quantitation) due to signal below limit of detection and not saturation at upper detection limit or other technical problems. Note, this approach may be not optimal if the number of NA-neighbours is very low. Replacement is done -depending on argument 'unif'- by Gaussian random model based on neighbour values (within same group), using their means and sd, or a uniform random model (min and max of neighbour values). Then numeric matrix (same dim as 'x') with NA replaced is returned.

**Usage**

```
replNAbyLow(
  x,
  grp,
  quant = 0.8,
  signific = 3,
  unif = TRUE,
  absOnly = FALSE,
  seed = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>x</code>	(numeric matrix or data.frame) main input
<code>grp</code>	(factor) to organize replicate columns of (x)
<code>quant</code>	(numeric) quantile form 'neighbour' values to use as upper limit for random values
<code>signific</code>	number of signif digits for random values
<code>unif</code>	(logical) toggle between uniform and Gaussian random values
<code>absOnly</code>	(logical) if TRUE, make negative NA-replacement values positive as absolute values
<code>seed</code>	(integer) for use with <code>set.seed</code> for reproducible output
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

**Value**

numeric matrix (same dim as 'x') with NA replaced

**See Also**[naOmit](#), [na.fail](#)**Examples**

```
dat <- matrix(round(rnorm(30),2),ncol=6); grD <- gl(2,3)
dat[sort(sample(1:30,9,repl=FALSE))] <- NA
dat; replNabyLow(dat,gr=grD)
```

replPlateCV

*CV of replicate plates (list of matrixes)***Description**

replPlateCV gets CVs of replicates from list of 2 or 3-dim arrays (where 2nd dim is replicates, 3rd dim may be channel). Note : all list-elements of must **MUST** have SAME dimensions ! When treating data from microtiter plates (eg 8x12) data are typically spread over multiple plates, ie initial matrixes that are the organized into arrays. Returns matrix or array (1st dim is intraplate-position, 2nd .. plate-group/type, 3rd .. channels)

**Usage**

```
replPlateCV(lst, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

lst                   list of matrixes : suppose lines are independent elements, columns are replicates of the 1st column. All matrixes must have same dimensions

callFrom           (character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

matrix or array (1st dim is intraplate-position, 2nd .. plate-group/type, 3rd .. channels)

**See Also**[rowCVs](#), [@seealso](#) [arrayCV](#)**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); ra1 <- matrix(rnorm(3*96),nrow=8)
pla1 <- list(ra1[,1:12],ra1[,13:24],ra1[,25:36])
replPlateCV(pla1)
arrL1 <- list(a=array(as.numeric(ra1)[1:192],dim=c(8,12,2)),
             b=array(as.numeric(ra1)[97:288],dim=c(8,12,2)))
replPlateCV(arrL1)
```

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rmDupl2colMatr	<i>Remove lines of matrix redundant /duplicated for 1st and 2nd column</i>
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**Description**

rmDupl2colMatr removes lines of matrix that are redundant /duplicated for 1st and 2nd column (irrespective of content of their columns). The first occurrence of redundant /duplicated elements is kept.

**Usage**

```
rmDupl2colMatr(mat, useCol = c(1, 2))
```

**Arguments**

mat	(matrix or data.frame) main input
useCol	(integer, length=2) columns to consider/use when looking for duplicated entries

**Value**

matrix with duplicated lines removed

**See Also**

[unlist](#)

**Examples**

```
mat <- matrix(1:12, ncol=3)
mat[3,1:2] <- mat[1,1:2]
rmDupl2colMatr(mat)
```

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rmEnumeratorName	<i>Remove or rename enumerator tag/name (or remove entire enumerator) from tailing enumerators</i>
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**Description**

This function allows identifying, removing or renaming enumerator tag/name (or remove entire enumerator) from tailing enumerators (eg 'abc\_No1' to 'abc\_1'). A panel of potential candidates as combination of separator-symbols and separator text/words will be tested to find if one matches all data. In case the main input is a matrix, all columns will be tested independently to find the first column where one specific combination of separator-symbols and separator text/words is found. Several options exist for the output, the combination of separator-symbols and separator text/words may be included, too.

**Usage**

```
rmEnumeratorName(
  dat,
  nameEnum = c("Number", "No", "#", "Replicate", "Sample"),
  sepEnum = c(" ", "-", "_"),
  newSep = "",
  incl = c("anyCase", "trim2"),
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

dat	(character vector or matrix) main input
nameEnum	(character) potential enumerator-names
sepEnum	(character) potential separators for enumerator-names
newSep	(character) potential enumerator-names
incl	(character) options to include further variants of the enumerator-names, use "rmEnum" for completely removing enumerator tag/name and digits for different options of trimming names/tags from nameEnum one may use anyCase, trim3 (trimming down to max 3 letters), trim2 (trimming to max 2 letters) or trim1 (trimming down to single letter); trim0 works like trim1 but also includes ' ', ie no enumerator tag/name in front of the digit(s)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Details**

Please note, that checking a variety of different separator text-word and separator-symbols may give an important number of combinations to check. In particular, when automatic trimming of separator text-words is added (eg `incl="trim2"`), the complexity of associated searches increases quickly. Thus, with large data-sets restricting the content of the arguments `nameEnum`, `sepEnum` and (in particular) `newSep` to the most probable terms/options is suggested to help reducing demands on memory and CPU.

In case the input `dat` is a matrix and multiple different numerator-types are found, only the first column (from the left) will be treated. If you wish to remove/substitute multiple types of enumerators the function `rmEnumeratorName` must be run independently, see last example below.

**Value**

This function returns a corrected vector (or matrix), or a list if `incl="rmEnumL"` containing `$dat` (corrected data), `$pattern` (the combination of separator-symbols and separator text/words found), and if input is matrix `$column` (which column of the input was identified and treated)

**See Also**

when the exact pattern is known [grep](#) and [sub](#) may allow direct manipulations much faster

**Examples**

```
xx <- c("hg_Re1", "hjRe2_Re2", "hk-Re3_Re33")
rmEnumeratorName(xx)
rmEnumeratorName(xx, newSep="--")
rmEnumeratorName(xx, incl="anyCase")

xy <- cbind(a=11:13, b=c("11#11", "2_No2", "333_samp333"), c=xx)
rmEnumeratorName(xy)
rmEnumeratorName(xy, incl=c("anyCase", "trim2", "rmEnumL"))

xz <- cbind(a=11:13, b=c("23#11", "4#2", "567#333"), c=xx)
apply(xz, 2, rmEnumeratorName, sepEnum=c("", "_"), newSep="_", silent=TRUE)
```

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 rmOrphans

*Remove or Reassign Orphan Indexes*


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**Description**

This function allows detecting terminal orphans of a vector of (cluster-) indexes and removing (ie marking as NA) or re-assigning them to the neighbour class towards the center.

**Usage**

```
rmOrphans(
  ind,
  minN = 1,
  reassign = FALSE,
  side = "both",
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

ind	(integer) main input of (cluster-) indexes
minN	(numeric, length=1) the min frequency to consider as orphans, if less than 1 it will be interpreted as ratio compared to length of index
reassign	(logical) if TRUE orphan indexes will be replaced by neighbour class indexes (towards the center)
side	(character) may be 'both', 'b', 'upper', 'u', 'lower' or 'l' to decide if lower and/or upper end indexes should be treated.

silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

### Details

All input of `ind` is supposed to be interger values as (cluster-) indexes. This function will look if the lowest and/or highest (cluster-) indexes appear at very low frequency so that they may be considered orphans. The argument `minN` assigns the threshold of when the frquency of terminal values may be considered as 'orphan', either as absolute threshold or if less than 1 as ratio ( $0.1 \Rightarrow 10$ )

The argument `side` may be 'both', 'b', 'upper', 'u', 'lower' or 'l', to decide if lower and/or upper end indexes should be treated.

### Value

This function returns an integer vector of adjusted indexes

### See Also

[table](#)

### Examples

```
x=c(3:1,3:4,4:6,5:3); rmOrphans(x)
rmOrphans(x, minN=0.2)
## reassign orphans to neighbour center class
cbind(x, x=x, def=rmOrphans(x, reassign=TRUE),
      minN=rmOrphans(x, minN=0.2, reassign=TRUE) )
```

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rmSharedWords

*Trim/Remove Redundant Words*

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### Description

This function allows removing shared words, ie trimming to non-redundant words.

### Usage

```
rmSharedWords(
  x,
  sep = c("_", " ", "."),
  anySep = TRUE,
  newSep = NULL,
  minLe = 2,
  na.omit = FALSE,
  fixed = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
```

```

    debug = FALSE,
    callFrom = NULL
  )

```

### Arguments

x	(character) main input for making non-redundant
sep	(character) separator(s) to be used
anySep	(logical) if TRUE, will consider all separators at one time (), thus combinations with different separators won't be distinguished
newSep	(character) new (uniform) separator between words, if NULL the first value/separator of if sep will be used
minLe	(integer) minimum length for allowing being recognised as 'word'
na.omit	(logical) if TRUE NAs will be removed from output
fixed	(logical) will be transmitted to argument fixed of strsplit(); if TRUE regular expressions are allowed/used
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

### Details

Heading separators will be removed in any case (even if not followed by a 'word').

Special characters will be automatically protected. When looking for repeated words, the order of such words does NOT matter, multiple repeats will be removed, too.

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### Value

This function returns character vector of same length (unless na.omit=TRUE), simply with modified text-content

### See Also

[trimRedundText](#)

### Examples

```

x1 <- c("aa_A1 yy_zz.txt", NA, "B2 yy_aa_aa_zz.txt")
rmSharedWords(x1)

```



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rnormW	<i>Normal random number generation with close fit to expected mean and sd</i>
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### Description

This function allows creating a vector of random values similar to `rnorm`, but resulting values get recorrected to fit to expected mean and sd. When the number of random values to generate is low, the mean and sd of the resultant values may deviate from the expected mean and sd when using the standard `rnorm` function. In such cases the function `rnormW` helps getting much closer to the expected mean and sd.

### Usage

```
rnormW(  
  n,  
  mean = 0,  
  sd = 1,  
  seed = NULL,  
  digits = 8,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

### Arguments

<code>n</code>	(integer, length=1) number of observations. If <code>length(n) &gt; 1</code> , the length is taken to be the number required.
<code>mean</code>	(numeric, length=1) expected mean
<code>sd</code>	(numeric, length=1) expected sd
<code>seed</code>	(integer, length=1) seed for generating random numbers
<code>digits</code>	(integer, length=1 or NULL) number of significant digits for output, set to NULL to get all digits
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Details

For making result reproducible, a seed for generating random numbers can be set via the argument `seed`. However, with `n=2` the resulting values are 'fixed' since no random component is possible at `n < 3`.

### Value

This function returns a numeric vector of random values

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

```
x1 <- (11:16)[-5]
mean(x1); sd(x1)
## the standard way
ra1 <- rnorm(n=length(x1), mean=mean(x1), sd=sd(x1))
## typically the random values deviate (slightly) from expected mean and sd
mean(ra1) -mean(x1)
sd(ra1) -sd(x1)
## random numbers with close fit to expected mean and sd :
ra2 <- rnormW(length(x1), mean(x1), sd(x1))
mean(ra2) -mean(x1)
sd(ra2) -sd(x1)          # much closer to expected value
```

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*rowCVs**rowCVs*

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**Description**

This function returns CV for values in each row (using speed optimized standard deviation). Note : NaN values get replaced by NA.

**Usage**

```
rowCVs(dat, autoconvert = NULL, silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

<code>dat</code>	(numeric) matrix
<code>autoconvert</code>	(NULL or character) allows converting simple vectors in matrix of 1 row (autoconvert="row")
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a (numeric) vector with CVs for each row of 'dat'

**See Also**[colSums](#), [rowSds](#), [rowGrpCV](#), [colCVs](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200) + rep(1:10,20)), ncol=10)
head(rowCVs(dat1))
```

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rowGrpCV

*Row group CV*

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**Description**

This function calculates CVs for matrix with multiple groups of data, ie one CV for each group of data. Groups are specified as columns of 'x' in 'grp' (so length of grp should match number of columns of 'x', NAs are allowed)

**Usage**

```
rowGrpCV(x, grp, means = NULL, listOutp = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

x	numeric matrix where replicates are organized into separate columns
grp	(factor) defining which columns should be grouped (considered as replicates)
means	(numeric) alternative values instead of means by .rowGrpMeans()
listOutp	(logical) if TRUE, provide output as list with \$CV, \$mean and \$n

**Value**

This function returns a matrix of CV values

**See Also**

[rowCVs](#), [arrayCV](#), [replPlateCV](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200)+rep(1:10,20)),ncol=10)
head(rowGrpCV(dat1, gr=gl(4,3,labels=LETTERS[1:4])[2:11]))
```

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rowGrpMeans	<i>rowMeans with distinction of groups (of columns, eg groups of replicates)</i>
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**Description**

rowGrpMeans calculates column-means for matrix with multiple groups of data, ie similar to rowMeans but one mean for each group of data. Groups are specified as columns of 'x' in 'grp' (so length of grp should match number of columns of 'x', NAs are allowed).

**Usage**

```
rowGrpMeans(x, grp, na.rm = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

x	matrix or data.frame
grp	(character or factor) defining which columns should be grouped (considered as replicates)
na.rm	(logical) a logical value indicating whether NA-values should be stripped before the computation proceeds.

**Value**

matrix with mean values

**See Also**

[rowSds](#), [colSums](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200) + rep(1:10,20)), ncol=10)
head(rowGrpMeans(dat1, gr=gl(4, 3, labels=LETTERS[1:4])[2:11]))
```

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rowGrpNA	<i>Count number of NAs per row and group of columns</i>
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**Description**

This functions allows easy counting the number of NAs per row in data organized in multiple sub-groups as columns.

**Usage**

```
rowGrpNA(mat, grp)
```

**Arguments**

mat (matrix of data.frame) data to count the number of NAs  
 grp (character or factor) defining which columns should be grouped (considered as replicates)

**Value**

matrix with number of NAs per group

**See Also**

[rowGrpMeans](#), [rowSds](#), [colSums](#)

**Examples**

```
mat2 <- c(22.2, 22.5, 22.2, 22.2, 21.5, 22.0, 22.1, 21.7, 21.5, 22, 22.2, 22.7,
  NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, 21.2, NA, NA, NA, NA,
  NA, 22.6, 23.2, 23.2, 22.4, 22.8, 22.8, NA, 23.3, 23.2, NA, 23.7,
  NA, 23.0, 23.1, 23.0, 23.2, 23.2, NA, 23.3, NA, NA, 23.3, 23.8)
mat2 <- matrix(mat2, ncol=12, byrow=TRUE)
gr4 <- gl(3, 4, labels=LETTERS[1:3])
# overall number of NAs per row
rowSums(is.na(mat2))
# number of NAs per row and group
rowGrpNA(mat2, gr4)
```

---

rowGrpSds

*Per line and per group sd-values*

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**Description**

rowGrpSds calculate Sd (standard-deviation) for matrix with multiple groups of data, ie one sd for each group of data. Groups are specified as columns of 'x' in 'grp' (so length of grp should match number of columns of 'x', NAs are allowed).

**Usage**

```
rowGrpSds(x, grp)
```

**Arguments**

x matrix where replicates are organized into seprate columns  
 grp (character or factor) defining which columns should be grouped (considered as replicates)

**Value**

This function returns a matrix of sd values

**See Also**

[rowGrpMeans](#), [rowCVs](#), [rowSEMs,sd](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200) +rep(1:10,20)), ncol=10)
head(rowGrpSds(dat1, grp=gl(4,3,labels=LETTERS[1:4])[2:11]))
```

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rowGrpSums	<i>rowSums with distinction of groups (of columns, eg groups of replicates)</i>
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**Description**

This function calculates row-sums for matrix with multiple groups of data, ie similar to `rowSums` but one summed value for each line and group of data. Groups are specified as columns of 'x' in 'grp' (so length of grp should match number of columns of 'x', NAs are allowed).

**Usage**

```
rowGrpSums(x, grp, na.rm = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

x	matrix or data.frame
grp	(character or factor) defining which columns should be grouped (considered as replicates)
na.rm	(logical) a logical value indicating whether NA-values should be stripped before the computation proceeds.

**Value**

This function a matrix with row/group sum values

**See Also**

[rowGrpMeans](#), [rowGrpSds](#), [rowSds](#), [colSums](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200) +rep(1:10,20)), ncol=10)
head(rowGrpMeans(dat1, grp=gl(4, 3, labels=LETTERS[1:4])[2:11]))
```

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rowMedSds	<i>Estimate sd Of Median For Each Row By Bootstrap</i>
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**Description**

This function determines the stand error (sd) of the median for each row by bootstraping each row of 'dat'. Note: requires package [boot](#)

**Usage**

```
rowMedSds(dat, nBoot = 99, silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

dat	(numeric) matix, main input
nBoot	(integer) number if iterations for bootstrap
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This functions returns a (numeric) vector with estimated sd values

**See Also**

For a more flexible version able to handle lists please look at [colMedSds](#) , based on [boot](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200)+rep(1:10,20)), ncol=10)
rowMedSds(dat1) ; plot(rowSds(dat1), rowMedSds(dat1))
```

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rowNormalize	<i>Row Normalize</i>
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**Description**

This function was designed for normalizing data that is supposed to be particularly similar, like a collection of technical replicates. Thus, initially for each row an independent normalization factor is calculated and the median or mean across all factors will be finally applied to the data. This function has a special mode of operation with higher content of NA values (which may pose problems with other normalization approaches). If the NA-content is higher than the threshold set in `sparseLim`, a special procedure for sparse data will be applied (iteratively trating subsets of `nCombin` columns that will be combined in a later step).

**Usage**

```

rowNormalize(
  dat,
  method = "median",
  refLines = NULL,
  refGrp = NULL,
  proportMode = TRUE,
  minQuant = NULL,
  sparseLim = 0.4,
  nCombin = 3,
  omitNonAlignable = FALSE,
  maxFact = 10,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)

```

**Arguments**

dat	matrix or data.frame of data to get normalized
method	(character) may be "mean","median" (plus "NULL","none"); When NULL or 'none' is chosen the input will be returned as is
refLines	(NULL or numeric) allows to consider only specific lines of 'dat' when determining normalization factors (all data will be normalized)
refGrp	(integer) Only the columns indicated will be used as reference, default all columns (integer or colnames)
proportMode	(logical) decide if normalization should be done by multiplicative or additive factor
minQuant	(numeric) optional filter to set all values below given value as NA
sparseLim	(integer) decide at which min content of NA values the function should go in sparse-mode
nCombin	(NULL or integer) used only in sparse-mode (ie if content of NAs higher than content of sparseLim): Number of groups of smller matrixes with this number of columns to be inspected initailly; low values (small groups have higher chances of more common elements)
omitNonAlignable	(logical) allow omitting all columns which can't get aligned due to sparseness
maxFact	(numeric, length=2) max normalization factor
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) This function allows easier tracking of messages produced



## Details

Arguments were kept similar with function `normalizeThis` as much as possible. In most cases data get normalized by proportional factors. In case of log2-data (very common in omics-data) normalizing by an additive factor is equivalent to a proportional factor.

This function has a special mode of operation for sparse data (ie containing a high content of NA values). 0-values by themselves will be primarily considered as true measurement outcomes and not as missing. However, by using the argument `minQuant` all values below a given threshold will be set as NA and this may possibly trigger the sparse mode of normalizing.

Note : Using a small value of `nCombin` will give the highest chances of finding sufficient complete combination of columns with sparse data. However, this will also increase (very much) the computational efforts and time required to produce an output.

When using default proportional mode a potential division by 0 could occur, when the initial normalization factor turns out as 0. In this case a small value (default the maximum value of `dat / 10`) will be added to all data before normalizing. If this also creates 0-values in the data this factor will be multiplied by 0.03.

## Value

This function returns a matrix of normalized data

## See Also

[exponNormalize](#), [adjBy2ptReg](#), [justvsn](#)

## Examples

```
## sparse matrix normalization
set.seed(2); AA <- matrix(rbinom(110,10,0.05), nrow=10)
AA[,4:5] <- AA[,4:5] *rep(4:3, each=nrow(AA))
AA[2,c(2,6,7)] <- 1; AA[3,8] <- 1;

(AA1 <- rowNormalize(AA))
(AA2 <- rowNormalize(AA, minQuant=1)) # set all 0 as NAs
(AA3 <- rowNormalize(AA, refLines=1:6, omitNonAlignable=FALSE, minQuant=1))
```

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rowSds

*sd for each row (fast execution)*

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## Description

This function is speed optimized `sd` per row of a matrix or data.frame and treats each row as independent set of data for `sd` (equiv to `apply(dat, 1, sd)`). NAs are ignored from data unless entire line NA). Speed improvements may be seen at more than 100 lines. Note: NaN instances will be transformed to NA

**Usage**

```
rowSds(dat, silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

dat	matrix (or data.frame) with numeric values (may contain NAs which will be ignored)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

numeric vector of sd values

**See Also**

[sd](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200)+rep(1:10,20)),ncol=10)
rowSds(dat1)
```

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rowSEMs

*SEM for each row*

---

**Description**

This function speed optimized SEM (standard error of the mean) for each row. The function takes a matrix or data.frame and treats each row as set of data for SEM; NAs are ignored from data. Note: NaN instances will be transformed to NA

**Usage**

```
rowSEMs(dat)
```

**Arguments**

dat	matrix or data.frame
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**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector with SEM values

**See Also**

[rowSds](#), [colSds](#), [colSums](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); dat1 <- matrix(c(runif(200)+rep(1:10,20)),ncol=10)
head(rowSEMs(dat1))
```

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sampNoDeMArrayLM	<i>Locate Sample Index From Index Or Name Of Pair-Wise Comparisons In List Or MArrayLM-Object</i>
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**Description**

When multiple series of data are tested simultaneously (eg using `moderTestXgrp`), multiple pairwise comparisons get performed. This function helps locating the samples, ie mean-columns, corresponding to a specific pairwise comparison.

**Usage**

```
sampNoDeMArrayLM(
  MArrayObj,
  useComp,
  groupSep = "-",
  lstMeans = "means",
  lstP = c("BH", "FDR", "p.value"),
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>MArrayObj</code>	(list or MArray-object) main input
<code>useComp</code>	(character or integer) index or name of pairwise-comparison to be addressed
<code>groupSep</code>	(character, length=1) separator for pair of names
<code>lstMeans</code>	(character, length=1) the list element containing the individual sample names, typically the matrix containing the replicate-mean values for each type of sample, the column-names get used
<code>lstP</code>	(character, length=1) the list element containing all pairwise comparisons performed, the column-names get used
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Details**

As main input one gives a list or MArrayLM-object containing testing results contain the pairwise comparisons and a specific comparison indicated by `useComp` to get located in the element of mean-columns (`lstMeans`) among all pairwise comparisons.

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector (length=2) with index indicating the columns of (replicate) mean-values corresponding to the comparison specified in useComp

**See Also**

[moderTestXgrp](#), this function gets used eg in [MAnplotW](#) or [VolcanoPlotW](#)

**Examples**

```
grp <- factor(rep(LETTERS[c(3,1,4)],c(2,3,3)))
set.seed(2017); t8 <- matrix(round(rnorm(208*8,10,0.4),2), ncol=8,
  dimnames=list(paste(letters[],rep(1:8,each=26),sep=""), paste(grp,c(1:2,1:3,1:3),sep="")))
if(requireNamespace("limma", quietly=TRUE)) { # need limma installed...
  test8 <- moderTestXgrp(t8, grp)
  head(test8$p.value) # all pairwise comparisons available
  sampNoDeMArrayLM(test8,1)
  head(test8$means[,sampNoDeMArrayLM(test8,1)])
  head(test8$means[,sampNoDeMArrayLM(test8,"C-D")]) }
```

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scaleXY

*Scale data to given minimum and maximum*

---

**Description**

This is a convenient way to scale data to given minimum and maximum without full standardization, ie without deviding by the sd.

**Usage**

```
scaleXY(x, min = 0, max = 1)
```

**Arguments**

x	(numeric) vector to rescale
min	(numeric) minimum value in output
max	(numeric) maximum value in output

**Value**

vector of rescaled data (in dimensions as input)

**See Also**

[scale](#)

**Examples**

```

dat <- matrix(2*round(runif(100),2), ncol=4)
range(dat)
dat1 <- scaleXY(dat, 1,100)
range(dat1)
summary(dat1)

## scale for each column individually
dat2 <- apply(dat, 2, scaleXY, 1, 100)
range(dat2)
summary(dat2)

```

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searchDataPairs

*Search duplicated data over multiple columns, ie pairs of data*


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**Description**

searchDataPairs searches matrix for columns of similar data, ie 'duplicate' values in separate columns or very similar columns if realDupsOnly=FALSE. Initial distance measures will be normalized either to diagonale (normRange=TRUE) of 'window' or to the real max distance observed (equal or less than diagonale). Return data.frame with names for sample-pair, percent of identical values (100 for complete identical pair) and relative (Euclidean) distance (ie max dist observed =1.0). Note, that low distance values do not necessarily imply correlating data.

**Usage**

```

searchDataPairs(
  dat,
  disThr = 0.01,
  byColumn = TRUE,
  normRange = TRUE,
  altNa = NULL,
  realDupsOnly = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)

```

**Arguments**

dat	matrix or data.frame (main input)
disThr	(numeric) threshold to decide when to report similar data (applied on normalized distances, low val fewer reported), applied on normalized distances (norm to diagonale of all data for best relative 'unbiased' view)
byColumn	(logical) rotates main input by 90 degrees (using <code>t</code> ), thus allows to read by rows instead of by columns
normRange	(logical) normalize each columns separately if TRUE

altNa	(character, default NULL) vector with alternative names (for display)
realDupsOnly	(logical) if TRUE will consider equal values only, otherwise will also consider very close values (based on argument disThr)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a data.frame with names of sample-pairs, percent of identical values (100 for complete identical pair) and rel (Euclidean) distance (ie max dist observed =1.0)

**See Also**

[duplicated](#)

**Examples**

```
mat <- round(matrix(c(11:40,runif(20)+12,11:19,17,runif(20)+18,11:20), nrow=10), 1)
colnames(mat) <- 1:9
searchDataPairs(mat,disThr=0.05)
```

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searchLinesAtGivenSlope

*Search Points Forming Lines At Given Slope*

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**Description**

searchLinesAtGivenSlope searches among set of points (2-dim) those forming line(s) with user-defined slope ('coeff'), ie search optimal (slope-) offset parameter(s) for (regression) line(s) with given slope ('coef'). Note: larger data-sets : segment residuals to 'coeff' & select most homogenous

**Usage**

```
searchLinesAtGivenSlope(
  dat,
  coeff = 1.5,
  filtExtr = c(0, 1),
  minMaxDistThr = NULL,
  lmCompare = TRUE,
  indexPoints = TRUE,
  displHist = FALSE,
  displScat = FALSE,
  bestCluByDistRat = TRUE,
  neighbDiLim = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>dat</code>	matrix or data.frame, main input
<code>coeff</code>	(numeric) slope to consider
<code>filtExtr</code>	(integer) lower & upper quantile values, remove points with extreme deviation to offset=0, (if single value: everything up to or after will be used)
<code>minMaxDistThr</code>	(logical) optional minimum and maximum distance threshold
<code>lmCompare</code>	(logical) add'l fitting of linear regression to best results, return offset AND slope based on lm fit
<code>indexPoints</code>	(logical) return results as list with element 'index' specifying retained points
<code>displHist</code>	(logical) display histogram of residues
<code>displScat</code>	(logical) display (simple) scatter plot
<code>bestCluByDistRat</code>	(logical) initial selection of decent clusters based on ratio overallDist/averNeighbDist (or by CV & cor)
<code>neighbDiLim</code>	(numeric) additional threshold for (trimmed mean) neighbour-distance
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) for bug-tracking: more/enhanced messages
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Details**

Note: The package MASS is required when using as `lmCompare=TRUE`. For larger data the function will try using the package NbClust (available from CRAN) if installed.

**Value**

This functions returns a matrix of line-characteristics (or if `indexPoints` is TRUE then list (line-characteristics & index & lm-results))

**See Also**

[lm](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); ra1 <- runif(300)
dat1 <- cbind(x=round(c(1:100+ra1[1:100]/5, 4*ra1[1:50]), 1),
             y=round(c(1:100+ra1[101:200]/5, 4*ra1[101:150]), 1))
(li1 <- searchLinesAtGivenSlope(dat1, coeff=1))
```

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simpleFragFig	<i>Simple figure showing line from start- to end-sites of edges (or fragments) defined by their start- and end-sites simpleFragFig draws figure showing start- and end-sites of edges (or fragments)</i>
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### Description

Simple figure showing line from start- to end-sites of edges (or fragments) defined by their start- and end-sites

simpleFragFig draws figure showing start- and end-sites of edges (or fragments)

### Usage

```
simpleFragFig(
  frag,
  fullSize = NULL,
  sortByHead = TRUE,
  useTit = NULL,
  useCol = NULL,
  displNa = TRUE,
  useCex = 0.7
)
```

### Arguments

frag	(matrix) 2 columns defining begin- and end-sites (as interger values)
fullSize	(integer) optional max size used for figure (x-axis)
sortByHead	(logical) sort by begin-sites (if TRUE) or sort by end-sites
useTit	(character) custom title
useCol	(character) specify colors, if numeric vector will be onsidered as score values
displNa	(character) display names of edges (figure may get crowded)
useCex	(numeric) expansion factor, see also <a href="#">par</a>

### Value

matrix with mean values

### See Also

[buildTree](#), [countSameStartEnd](#), [contribToContigPerFrag](#),

### Examples

```
frag2 <- cbind(beg=c(2,3,7,13,13,15,7,9,7, 3,7,5,7,3),end=c(6,12,8,18,20,20,19,12,12, 4,12,7,12,4))
rownames(frag2) <- c("A","E","B","C","D","F","H","G","I", "J","K","L","M","N")
simpleFragFig(frag2,fullSize=21,sortByHead=TRUE)
buildTree(frag2)
```



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singleLineAnova	<i>2-factorial Anova on single line of data</i>
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### Description

This function runs 2-factorial Anova on a single line of data (using [aov](#) from package `stats`) using a model with two factors (without factor-interaction) and extracts the corresponding p-value.

### Usage

```
singleLineAnova(  
  dat,  
  fac1,  
  fac2,  
  inclInteraction = TRUE,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

### Arguments

<code>dat</code>	numeric vector
<code>fac1</code>	(character or factor) vector describing grouping elements of <code>dat</code> for first factor, must be of same length as <code>fac2</code>
<code>fac2</code>	(character or factor) vector describing grouping elements of <code>dat</code> for second factor, must be of same length as <code>fac1</code>
<code>inclInteraction</code>	(logical) decide if factor-interactions (eg synergy) should be included to model
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns the (uncorrected) p for factor 'Pr(>F)' (see [aov](#))

### See Also

[aov](#), [anova](#); for repeated tests using the package [limma](#) including [lmFit](#) and [eBayes](#) see [test2factLimma](#)

### Examples

```
set.seed(2012); dat <- round(runif(8),1)  
singleLineAnova(dat, gl(2,4),rep(1:2,4))
```

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 sortBy2CategorAnd1IntCol

*Sort matrix by two categorical and one integer columns*


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### Description

This function sorts matrix 'mat' subsequently by categorical and numerical columns of 'mat', ie lines with identical values for categor are sorted by numeric value.

### Usage

```
sortBy2CategorAnd1IntCol(
  mat,
  categCol,
  numCol,
  findNeighb = TRUE,
  decreasing = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

mat	matrix (or data.frame) from which by 2 columns will be selected for sorting
categCol	(integer or character) which columns of 'mat' to be used as categorical columns
numCol	(integer or character) which column of 'mat' to be used as integer columns
findNeighb	(logical) if 'findNeighb' neighbour cols according to 'numCol' will be identified as groups & marked in new col 'neiGr', orphans marked as NA
decreasing	(logical) order of sort
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns a sorted matrix (same dimensions as 'mat')

### Examples

```
mat <- cbind(aa=letters[c(3,rep(7:8,3:4),4,4:6,7)],bb=LETTERS[rep(1:5,c(1,3,4,4,1))],
  nu=c(23:21,23,21,22,18:12))
mat[c(3:5,1:2,6:9,13:10),]
sortBy2CategorAnd1IntCol(mat,cate=c("bb","aa"),num="nu",findN=FALSE,decr=TRUE)
sortBy2CategorAnd1IntCol(mat,cate=c("bb","aa"),num="nu",findN=TRUE,decr=FALSE)
```

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sortByNRepeated	<i>Make a list of common occurrences sorted by number of repeats</i>
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### Description

The aim of this function is to count the number of occurrences of words when comparing separate vectors (x, y and z) or from a list (given as x) and to give an output sorted by their frequency. The output lists the various values/words by their frequency, the names of the resulting list-elements indicate number of times the values/words were found repeated.

### Usage

```
sortByNRepeated(
  x,
  y = NULL,
  z = NULL,
  filterIntraRep = TRUE,
  silent = TRUE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

x	(list, character or integer) main input, if list, arguments y and z will not be used
y	(character or integer) supplemental vector to compare with x
z	(character or integer) supplemental vector to compare with x
filterIntraRep	(logical) allow making vectors x, y and z unique before comparing (defaults to TRUE)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Details

In order to compare the frequency of values/words between separate vectors or vectors within a list, it is necessary that these have been made unique before calling this function or using `filterIntraRep=TRUE`.

In case the input is given as list (in x), there is no restriction to the number of vectors to be compared. With very long lists, however, the computational effort increases (like it does when using `table`)

### Value

This function returns a list sorted by number of occurrences. The names of the list indicate the number of repeats.

**See Also**

[table](#), [replicateStructure](#)

**Examples**

```
sortByNRepeated(x=LETTERS[1:11], y=LETTERS[3:13], z=LETTERS[6:12])
sortByNRepeated(x=LETTERS[1:11], y=LETTERS[c(3:13,5:4)], z=LETTERS[6:12])
```

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stableMode

*Estimate Mode (Most Frequent Value)*

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**Description**

Estimate mode, ie most frequent value. In case of continuous numeric data, the most frequent values may not be the most frequently repeated exact term. This function offers various approaches to estimate the mode of a numeric vector. Besides, it can also be used to identify the most frequent exact term (in this case also from character vectors).

**Usage**

```
stableMode(
  x,
  method = "density",
  finiteOnly = TRUE,
  bandw = NULL,
  rangeSign = 1:6,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  debug = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

x	(numeric, or character if 'method='mode') data to find/estimate most frequent value
method	(character) There are 3 options : BBmisc, binning and density (default). If "binning" the function will search context dependent, ie like most frequent class of histogram. Using "binning" mode the search will be refined if either 80 percent of values in single class or >50 percent in single class.
finiteOnly	(logical) suppress non-finite values; allows avoiding NULL as result in presence of some Inf values; NA will be ignored in any case
bandw	(integer) only used when method="binning" or method="density" : defines the number of points to look for density or number of classes used; very "critical" parameter, may change results in strong way. Note: with method="binning": At higher values for "bandw" you will finally loose advantage of histLike-type search of mode !

rangeSign	(integer) only used when method="binning": range of numbers used as number of significant values
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging

### Details

The argument method allows to choose among (so far) 4 different methods available. If "density" is chosen, the most dense region of sqrt(n) values will be chosen; if "binning", the data will be binned (like in histograms) via rounding to a user-defined number of significant values ("rangeSign"). If method is set to "BBmisc", the function computeMode() from package **BBmisc** will be used. If "mode" is chosen, the first most frequently occurring (exact) value will be returned, if "allModes", all ties will be returned. This last mode also works with character input.

### Value

This function returns a numeric vector with value of mode, the name of the value indicates it's position

### See Also

computeMode() in package **BBmisc**

### Examples

```
set.seed(2012); dat <- round(c(rnorm(50), runif(100)),3)
stableMode(dat)
```

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standardW

*Standardize (scale) data*

---

### Description

This functions work similar to [scale](#), however, it evaluates the entire input and not column-wise (and independtly as scale does). With Standarizing we speak of transforming the data to end up with mean=0 and sd=1. Furthermore, in case of 3-dim arrays, this function returns also an object with the same dimensions as the input.

### Usage

```
standardW(
  mat,
  byColumn = FALSE,
  na.rm = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

mat	(matrix, data.frame or array) data that need to get standardized.
byColumn	(logical) if TRUE the function will be run independently over all columns such as <code>apply(mat, 2, standardW)</code>
na.rm	(logical) if NAs in the data don't get ignored via this argument, the output will be all NA
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This functions retruns a vector of rescaled data (in dimensions as input)

**See Also**

[scale](#)

**Examples**

```
dat <- matrix(2*round(runif(100),2), ncol=4)
mean(dat); sd(dat)
```

```
dat2 <- standardW(dat)
apply(dat2, 2, sd)
summary(dat2)
```

```
dat3 <- standardW(dat, byColumn=TRUE)
apply(dat2, 2, sd)
summary(dat2)
mean(dat2); sd(dat2)
```

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stdErrMedBoot

*Standard Error Of Median by Boot-Strap*

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**Description**

stdErrMedBoot estimate standard error of median by bootstrap approach. Note: requires package [boot](#)

**Usage**

```
stdErrMedBoot(x, nBoot = 9, silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

x	(numeric) vector to estimate median and it's standard error
nBoot	(integer) number for iterations
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a (numeric) vector with estimated standard error

**See Also**

[colMedSds](#) and [rowMedSds](#); based on [boot](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2014); ra1 <- c(rnorm(9,2,1),runif(8,1,2))
rat1 <- ratioAllComb(ra1[1:9],ra1[10:17])
median(rat1); stdErrMedBoot(rat1)
```

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summarizeCols

*Summarize columns (as median,mean,min,last or other methods)*


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**Description**

summarizeCols summarizes all columns of matrix (or data.frame). In case of text-columns the sorted middle (~median) will be given, unless 'maxAbsLast', 'minAbsLast', .. consider only last column of 'matr' : choose from all columns the line where (max of) last col is at min; 'median-Complete' or 'meanComplete' considers only lines/rows where no NA occur (NA have influence other columns !)

**Usage**

```
summarizeCols(
  matr,
  meth = "median",
  refCol = NULL,
  nEqu = FALSE,
  supl = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>matr</code>	data.frame matrix of data to be summarized by comlumn (may do different method for text and numeric comlumnns)
<code>meth</code>	(character) summarization method, may be 'mean', 'aver', 'median', 'sd', 'CV', 'min', 'max', 'first', 'last', 'medianComplete' or 'meanComplete', 'n' (number of non-NA elements), 'n.NA' (number of NA elements), 'NULL' (returns NULL)
<code>refCol</code>	(character or integr) column to be used as reference
<code>nEq</code>	(logical) if TRUE, add additional column indicating the number of equal lines for choice (only with min or max)
<code>supl</code>	(numeric) supplemental parameters for the various summarizing functions (eg used with <code>meth="trimmedMean"</code> , <code>supl=c(l=0.1,u=0.2)</code> to pass arguments to <a href="#">trimmedMean</a> )
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

**Details**

The argument `method` allows options that treat (summarize) all columns independently or to select one line (based on argument `refCol`)

**Value**

vector with summary for each column

**See Also**

[colSums](#); if data has subgroups to be used in a [tapply](#)-way please see [makeNRedMatr](#)

**Examples**

```
t1 <- matrix(round(runif(30,1,9)),nc=3); rownames(t1) <- letters[c(1:5,3:4,6:4)]
summarizeCols(t1, me="median")
t(sapply(by(t1,rownames(t1), function(x) x), summarizeCols,me="maxAbsLast"))
t3 <- data.frame(ref=rep(11:15,3), tx=letters[1:15],
  matrix(round(runif(30,-3,2),1), ncol=2), stringsAsFactors=FALSE)
by(t3,t3[,1], function(x) x)
by(t3,t3[,1], function(x) summarizeCols(x, me="maxAbsLast"))
t(sapply(by(t3, t3[,1], function(x) x), summarizeCols, me="maxAbsLast"))
```



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sumNAperGroup	<i>Count number of NAs per sub-set of columns</i>
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### Description

This function will count the number of NAs per group (defined by argument `grp`) while summing over all lines of a matrix or data.frame. The row-position has no influence on the counting. Using the argument `asRelative=TRUE` the result will be given as (average) number of NAs per row and group.

### Usage

```
sumNAperGroup(  
  x,  
  grp,  
  asRelative = FALSE,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

### Arguments

<code>x</code>	matrix or data.frame which may contain NAs
<code>grp</code>	factor describing which column of 'dat' belongs to which group
<code>asRelative</code>	(logical) return as count of NAs per row and group
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) additional messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function returns an integer vector with count of NAs per group

### See Also

[NA](#), filter NAs by line [presenceFilt](#)

### Examples

```
mat <- matrix(1:25, ncol=5)  
mat[lower.tri(mat)] <- NA  
sumNAperGroup(mat, rep(1:2,c(3,2)))  
sumNAperGroup(mat, rep(1:2,c(3,2)), asRelative=TRUE)
```

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sysDate	<i>System-date (compressed format)</i>
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**Description**

This function returns current date (based on Sys.Date) in different format options.

**Usage**

```
sysDate(style = "univ1")
```

**Arguments**

style (character) choose style (default 'univ1' for very compact style)

**Details**

Multiple options for formatting exist : 'univ1' or 'wr' ... (default) compact style using day, first 3 letters of English name of month (lowercaps) and last 2 letters of year as ddmmmyy, eg 14jun21

'univ2' ... as ddMmmyy, eg 14Jun21

'univ3' ... as ddMonthyyyy, eg 14June2021

'univ4' ... as ddmonthyyyy, eg 14june2021

'univ5' ... as yyyy-mm-dd (output of Sys.Date()), eg 2021-06-14

'univ6' ... as yyyy-number of day (in year), eg 2021-165

'local1' ... compact style using day, first 3 letters of current locale name of month (not necessarily unique !) and last 2 letters of year as ddmmmyy, eg 14jui21

'local2' ... as ddMmmyy, month based on current locale (not necessarily unique !), eg 14Jui21

'local3' ... as ddMonthyyyy, month based on current locale , eg 14Jui2021

'local4' ... as ddmonthyyyy, month based on current locale , eg 14juin2021

'local5' ... as dd-month-yyyy, month based on current locale , eg 14-juin-2021

'local6' ... as yyymonthddd, month based on current locale , eg 2021juin14

**Value**

character vector with formatted date

**See Also**

[date](#), [Sys.Date](#) and [Sys.time](#),

**Examples**

```
sysDate()
```

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tableToPlot	<i>Print matrix-content as plot</i>
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### Description

This function prints all columns of matrix in plotting region for easier inclusion to reports (default values are set to work for output as A4-sized pdf). It was made for integrating listings of text to graphical output to devices like png, jpeg or pdf.

### Usage

```
tableToPlot(
  matr,
  colPos = c(0.05, 0.35, 0.41, 0.56),
  useCex = 0.7,
  useAdj = c(0, 1, 1, 0),
  titOffs = 0,
  useCol = 1,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

matr	(matrix) main (character) matrix to display
colPos	(numeric) position of columns on x-scale (from 0 to 1)
useCex	(numeric) cex expansion factor for size of text (may be different for each column)
useAdj	(numeric) left/center/right alignment for text (may be different for each column)
titOffs	(numeric) offset for title line (relative to 'colPos')
useCol	color specification for text (may be different for each column)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of message(s) produced

### Details

This function was initially designed for listings with small/medium 1st col (eg counter or index), 2nd & 3rd col small and long 3rd col (like file paths). Obviously, the final number of lines one can pack and still read correctly into the graphical output depends on the size of the device (on a pdf of size A4 one can pack up to approx. 110 lines). Of course, [Sweave](#), combined with LaTeX, provides a powerful alternative for wrapping text to pdf-output (and further combining text and graphics). Note: The final result on pdf devices may vary depending on screen-size (ie with of current device), the parameters 'colPos' and 'titOffs' may need some refinements. Note: In view of typical page/figure layouts like A4, the plotting region will be split to avoid too wide spacing between rows with less than 30 rows.

**Value**

This function returns NULL (no R-object returned), print 'plot' in current device only

**See Also**

[Sweave](#) for more flexible framework

**Examples**

```
## as example let's make a listing of file-names and associated parameters in current directory
mat <- dir()
mat <- cbind(no=1:length(mat), fileName=mat, mode=file.mode(mat),
  si=round(file.size(mat)/1024), path=getwd())
## Now, we wrap all text into a figure (which could be saved as jpg, pdf etc)
tableToPlot(mat[, -1], colPos=c(0.01, 0.4, 0.46, 0.6), titOffs=c(0.05, -0.03, -0.01, 0.06))
tableToPlot(mat, colPos=c(0, 0.16, 0.36, 0.42, 0.75), useAdj=0.5, titOffs=c(-0.01, 0, -0.01, 0, -0.1))
```

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test2factLimma

2-Factorial Limma-Style t-Test

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**Description**

The aim of this function is to provide convenient acces to two-factorial (linear) testing withing the framework of [makeMAlist](#) including the emprical Bayes shrinkage. The input data 'datMatr' which should already be organized as limma-type MAlist, eg using using [makeMAlist](#). Note: This function uses the Bioconductor package [limma](#) (which must be installed).

**Usage**

```
test2factLimma(
  datMatr,
  fac1,
  fac2,
  testSynerg = FALSE,
  testOrientation = "=",
  addResults = c("lfdr", "FDR", "Mval", "means"),
  addGenes = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  debug = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

datMatr	matrix or data.frame with lines as independent series of measures (eg different genes)
fac1	(character or factor) vector describing grouping elements of each line of 'datMatr' for first factor, must be of same length as fac2

fac2	(character or factor) vector describing grouping elements of each line of 'dat-Matr' for second factor, must be of same length as fac1
testSynerg	(logical) decide if factor-interactions (eg synergy) should be tested in model, otherwise additive factors are supposed
testOrientation	(character) default (or any non-recognized input) '=', otherwise either '>', 'greater', 'sup', 'upper' or '<', 'inf', 'lower'
addResults	(character) vector defining which types of information should be included to output, may be 'lfdR', 'FDR' (for BY correction), 'Mval' (M values), 'means' (matrix with mean values for each group of replicates)
addGenes	(matrix or data.frame) additional information to add to output
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging

### Value

This function returns an object of class "MArrayLM" (from limma) containing/enriched by the testing results

### See Also

[makeMAList](#), single line testing [lmFit](#) and the eBayes-family of functions in package [limma](#)

### Examples

```
set.seed(2014)
dat0 <- rnorm(30) + rep(c(10,15,19,20),c(9,8,7,6))
fa <- factor(rep(letters[1:4],c(9,8,7,6)))
dat2 <- data.frame(facA=rep(c("-", "A", "-", "A"), c(9,8,7,6)),
  facB= rep(c("-", "-", "B", "B"), c(9,8,7,6)), dat1=dat0, dat2=runif(30))
grpNa <- sub("-", "", sub("\\.", "", apply(dat2[,1:2], 1, paste, collapse="")))
test2f <- test2factLimma(t(dat2[,3:4]), dat2$facA, dat2$facB)
test2f      # just the p-values
# Similarly, you can easily summarize results using topTable from limma
if(requireNamespace("limma", quietly=TRUE)) {
  test2g <- test2factLimma(t(dat2[,3:4]), dat2$facA, dat2$facB, addR=FALSE)
  library(limma)
  topTable(test2g, coef=1, n=5)
  topTable(test2g, coef=2, n=5) }
```

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transpGraySca	<i>Make single vector gray-gradient</i>
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### Description

This function helps making gray-gradients. Note : The resulting color gradient does not seem linear to the human eye, you may try [gray.colors](#) instead

### Usage

```
transpGraySca(startGray = 0.2, endGrey = 0.8, nSteps = 5, transp = 0.3)
```

### Arguments

startGray	(numeric) gray shade at start
endGrey	(numeric) gray shade at end
nSteps	(integer) number of levels
transp	(numeric) transparency alpha

### Value

character vector (of same length as x) with color encoding

### See Also

[gray.colors](#)

### Examples

```
layout(1:2)
col1 <- transpGraySca(0.8,0.3,7,0.9)
pie(rep(1,length(col1)), col=col1, main="from transpGraySca")
col2 <- gray.colors(7,0.9,0.3,alph=0.9)
pie(rep(1,length(col2)), col=col2, main="from gray.colors")
```

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treatTxtDuplicates	<i>Locate duplicates in text and make non-redundant</i>
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### Description

treatTxtDuplicates locates dupliques in character-vector 'x' and return list (length=3) : with \$init (initial), \$nRed .. non-redundant text by adding number at end or beginning, and \$nrLst .. list-version with indexes per unique entry. Note : NAs (if multiple) will be renamed to NA\_1, NA\_2

**Usage**

```
treatTxtDuplicates(
  x,
  atEnd = TRUE,
  sep = "_",
  onlyCorrectToUnique = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x	(character) vector with character-entries to identify (and remove) duplicates
atEnd	(logical) decide location of placing the counter (at end or at beginning of ID) (see <a href="#">correctToUnique</a> )
sep	(character) separator to add before counter when making non-redundant version
onlyCorrectToUnique	(logical) if TRUE, return only vector of non-redundant
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

list with \$init, \$nRed, \$nrLst

**See Also**

For simple correction use [correctToUnique](#)

**Examples**

```
treatTxtDuplicates(c("li0", NA, rep(c("li2", "li3"), 2)))
correctToUnique(c("li0", NA, rep(c("li2", "li3"), 2)))
```

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 triCoord

*Pairwise x,y combinations*


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**Description**

triCoord gets pairwise combinations for 'n' elements; returns matrix with x & y coordinates to form all pairwise groups for 1:n elements

**Usage**

```
triCoord(n, side = "upper")
```

**Arguments**

n (integer) number of elements for making all pair-wise combinations  
 side (character) "upper" or "lower"

**Value**

2-column matrix with indexes for all pairwise combinations of 1:n

**See Also**

[lower.tri](#) or [upper.tri](#), simpler version [upperMaCoord](#)

**Examples**

```
triCoord(4)
```

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trimmedMean	<i>Trimmed Mean</i>
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**Description**

This function allows more flexible options for calculating a trimmed mean compared to mean (from the base-package).

**Usage**

```
trimmedMean(
  dat,
  trim = c(l = 0.2, u = 0.2),
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

dat (numeric) numeric vector  
 trim (numeric, length=2) specifies how data should get trimmed, lower and upper fraction(s) to exclude have to be assigned separately. The lower and upper fraction may be named 'l' and 'u'. The value 0 means that all (sorted) data on a given side will be used.  
 silent (logical) suppress messages  
 debug (logical) additional messages for debugging  
 callFrom (character) allows easier tracking of messages produced



## Details

If the second value of trim is  $<0.5$  it is supposed that this indicates a fraction from the upper end the vector-dat as `mean` does. Otherwise, `trim=c(l=0.2, u=0.7)` will be interpreted indication to use the 20th percentile to 70th percentile of dat.

Please note, that trimmed means - and in particular asymmetric trimmed means - should be used with caution as there is also a risk of introducing bias.

## Value

This function returns a (numeric) vector with the trimmed mean

## See Also

`mean` (symmetric trimming only)

## Examples

```
x <- c(17:11,27:28)
mean(x); mean(x, trim=0.15)
trimmedMean(x, trim=c(l=0, u=0.7)) # asymmetric trim
```

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trimRedundText	<i>Trim redundant text</i>
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## Description

This function allows trimming/removing redundant text-fragments (redundant from head or tail) out of character vector 'txt'.

## Usage

```
trimRedundText(
  txt,
  minNchar = 1,
  side = "both",
  spaceElim = FALSE,
  silent = TRUE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  debug = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

txt	character vector to be treated
minNchar	(integer) minimum number of characters that must remain
side	(character) may be either 'both', 'left' or 'right'
spaceElim	(logical) optional removal of any heading or tailing white space
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging

**Value**

This function returns a modified character vector

**See Also**

[rmSharedWords](#); Inverse search : Find/keep common text [keepCommonText](#); [checkUnitPrefix](#); you may also look for related functions in package [stringr](#)

**Examples**

```
txt1 <- c("abcd_ccc", "bcd_ccc", "cde_ccc")
trimRedundText(txt1, side="right")      # trim from right

txt2 <- c("ddd_ab", "ddd_bcd", "ddd_cde")
trimRedundText(txt2, side="left")      # trim from left
```

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tTestAllVal

*t.test on all individual values against all other values*


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**Description**

Run t.test on each indiv value of x against all its neighbours (=remaining values of same vector) in order to test if tis value is likely to belong to vector x. This represents a repeated leave-one-out testing. Mutiple choices for multiple testing correction are available.

**Usage**

```
tTestAllVal(
  x,
  alph = 0.05,
  alternative = "two.sided",
  p.adj = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x	matrix or data.frame
alph	(numeric) threshold alpha (passed to <code>t.test</code> )
alternative	(character) will be passed to <code>t.test</code> as argument 'alternative', may be "two.sided",...
p.adj	(character) multiple test correction : may be NULL (no correction), "BH", "BY", "holm", "hochberg" or "bonferroni" (but not 'fdr' since this may be confounded with local false discovery rate), see <a href="#">p.adjust</a>
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector with p-values or FDR (depending on argument `p.adj`)

**See Also**

[t.test](#), [p.adjust](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2016); x1 <- rnorm(100)
allTests1 <- tTestAllVal(x1)
hist(allTests1, breaks="FD")
```

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unifyEnumerator

*Unify Enumerators*


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**Description**

The aim of this function is to provide help in automatically harmonizing enumerators at the end of sample-names. When data have same grouped setup/design, many times this is reflected in their names, eg 'A\_sample1', 'A\_sample2' and 'B\_sample1'. However, human operators may use multiple similar (but not identical) ways of expressing the same meanin, eg writng 'A\_Samp\_1'. This function allows testing a panel of different extensions of enumerators and (if recognized) to replace them by a user-defined standard text/enumerator. Please note that the more recent function [rmEnumeratorName](#) offers better/more flexible options.

**Usage**

```
unifyEnumerator(
  x,
  refSep = "_",
  baseSep = c("\\- ", "\\ ", "\\."),
  sup1Enu = c("Rep1", "Rep", "R", "Number", "No", "Sample", "Samp"),
```

```

    stringentMatch = TRUE,
    silent = FALSE,
    debug = FALSE,
    callFrom = NULL
  )

```

### Arguments

x	(character) main input
refSep	(character) separator for output
baseSep	(character) basic separators to test (you have to protect special characters)
suplEnu	(character) additional text
stringentMatch	(logical) decide if enumerator text has to be found in all instances or only once
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Details

This function has been developed for matching series of the same samples passing in parallel through different evaluation software (see R package *wrProteo*). The way human operators may name things may easily leave room for surprises and this function allows testing only a limited number of common ways of writing. Thus, in any case, the user is advised to inspect the results by eye and - if needed- to adjust the parameters.

Basically enumerator separators can be constructed by combing a base-separator `baseSep` (like '-', '\_' etc) and an enumerator-abbreviation `suplEnu`. Then, all possible combinations will be tested if they occur in the text `x`. Furthermore, the text searched has to be followed by one or multiple digits at the end of text-entry (decimal comma-separators etc are not allowed). Thus, if there is other 'free text' following to the right after the enumerator-text this function will not find any enumerators to replace.

The argument `stringentMatch` allows defining if this text has to be found in all text-entries of `x` or just one of them. When using `stringentMatch=FALSE` there is risk that other text not meant to design enumerators may be picked up and modified.

Please note, that with large data-sets (ie many columns) testing/checking a larger panel of enumerator-abbreviations may result in slower performance. In cases of larger data-sets it may be more effective to first study the data and then run simple substitutions using `sub` targeted for this very case.

### Value

This function returns a character vector of same length as input `x`, with its content as adjusted enumerators

### See Also

`rmEnumeratorName` for better/more flexible options; `grep` or `sub()`, etc if exact and consistent patterns are known

**Examples**

```
unifyEnumerator(c("ab-1", "ab-2", "c-3"))
unifyEnumerator(c("ab-R1", "ab-R2", "c-R3"))
unifyEnumerator(c("ab-1", "c3-2", "dR3"), strin=FALSE);
```

uniqCountReport                      *Report number of unique and redundant elements (optional figure)*

**Description**

Make report about number of unique and redundant elements of vector 'dat'. Note : fairly slow for long vectors !!

**Usage**

```
uniqCountReport(
  dat,
  frL = NULL,
  plotDispl = FALSE,
  tit = NULL,
  col = NULL,
  radius = 0.9,
  sizeTo = NULL,
  clockwise = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

- dat                      (character or numeric vector) main input where number of unique (and redundant) should be determined
- frL                      (logical) optional (re-)introducing results from duplicated to shorten time of execution
- plotDispl                (logical) decide if pie-type plot should be produced
- tit                      (character) optional title in plot
- col                      (character) custom colors in pie
- radius                    (numeric) radius passed to pie
- sizeTo                    (numeric or character) optional reference group for size-population relative adjusting overall surface of pie
- clockwise                (logical) argument passed to pie
- silent                    (logical) suppress messages
- debug                    (logical) additional messages for debugging
- callFrom                 (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

vector with counts of n (total), nUnique (wo any repeated), nHasRepeated (first of repeated), nRedundant), optional figure

**See Also**

[correctToUnique](#), [unique](#)

**Examples**

```
layout(1:2)
uniqCountReport(rep(1:7,1:7),plot=TRUE)
uniqCountReport(rep(1:3,1:3),plot=TRUE,sizeTo=rep(1:7,1:7))
```

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upperMaCoord	<i>(upper) pairwise x,y combinations</i>
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**Description**

upperMaCoord gets pairwise combinations for 'n' elements; return matrix with x & y coordinates to form all pairwise groups for n elements. But no distinction of 'upper' or 'lower' possible like in [triCoord](#)

**Usage**

```
upperMaCoord(n)
```

**Arguments**

n (integer) number of elements for making all pair-wise combinations

**Value**

2-column matrix wiyh indexes for all pairwise combnations of 1:n

**See Also**

[lower.tri](#), more evolved version [triCoord](#)

**Examples**

```
upperMaCoord(4)
```

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withinRefRange	<i>Check for values within range of reference</i>
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### Description

withinRefRange checks which values of numeric vector 'x' are within range +/- 'fa' x 'ref' (ie within range of reference).

### Usage

```
withinRefRange(x, fa, ref = NULL, absRef = TRUE, asInd = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

x	matrix or data.frame
fa	(numeric) absolute or relative tolerance value (numeric, length=1), interpreted according to 'absRef' as absolute or relative to 'x' (ie fa*ref)
ref	(numeric) (center) reference value for comparison (numeric, length=1), if not given mean of 'x' (excluding NA or non-finite values) will be used
absRef	(logical) return result as absolute or relative to 'x' (ie fa*ref)
asInd	(logical) if TRUE return index of which values of 'x' are within range, otherwise return values if 'x' within range

### Value

numeric vector (containing only the values within range of reference)

### Examples

```
## within 2.5 +/- 0.7
withinRefRange(-5:6, fa=0.7, ref=2.5)
## within 2.5 +/- (0.7*2.5)
withinRefRange(-5:6, fa=0.7, ref=2.5, absRef=FALSE)
```

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writeCsv	<i>Write (and convert) csv files</i>
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### Description

This functions is absed on write.csv allows for more options when writing data into csv-files. The main input may be given as R-object or read from file 'input'. Then, one can (re-)write using specified conversions. An optional filter to select columns (column-name specified via 'filterCol') is available. The output may be simultaneously written to multiple formats, as specified in 'expTy', tabulation characters may be converted to avoid accidentally split/shift text to multiple columns. Note: Mixing '.' and ',' as comma separators via text-columns or fused text&data may cause problems lateron, though.

**Usage**

```
writeCsv(
  input,
  inPutFi = NULL,
  expTy = c("Eur", "US"),
  imporTy = "Eur",
  filename = NULL,
  quote = FALSE,
  filterCol = NULL,
  replMatr = NULL,
  returnOut = FALSE,
  SYLKprevent = TRUE,
  digits = 22,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

input	either matrix or data.frame
inPutFi	(character or NULL) file-name to be read (format as US or Euro-type may specified via argument imporTy)
expTy	(character) 'US' and/or 'Eur' for sparator and decimal type in output
imporTy	(character) default 'Eur' (otherwise set to 'US')
filename	(character) optional new file name(s)
quote	(logical) will be passed to function write.csv
filterCol	(integer or character) optionally, to export only the columns specified here
replMatr	optional, matrix (1st line:search, 2nd li:use for replacing) indicating which characters need to be replaced )
returnOut	(logical) return output as object
SYLKprevent	(logical) prevent difficulty when opening file via Excel. In some cases Excel presumes (by error) the SYLK format and produces an error when trying to open files : To prevent this, if necessary, the 1st column-name will be changed from 'ID' to 'Id'.
digits	(interger) limit number of signif digits in output (ie file)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) for bug-tracking: more/enhanced messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function writes a file to disk and returns NULL unless returnOut=TRUE



**See Also**

write.csv in [write.table](#), batch reading using this package [readCsvBatch](#)

**Examples**

```
dat1 <- data.frame(ini=letters[1:5],x1=1:5,x2=11:15,t1=c("10,10","20.20","11,11","21,21","33.33"),
  t2=c("10,11","20.21","kl;kl","az,az","ze.ze"))
fiNa <- file.path(tempdir(), paste("test",1:2,".csv",sep=""))
writeCsv(dat1, filename=fiNa[1])
dir(path=tempdir(), pattern="cs")

(writeCsv(dat1, replM=rbind(bad=c(";",",",""), replBy="__"), expTy=c("Eur"),
  returnOut=TRUE, filename=fiNa[2]))
```

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 XYToDiffPpm

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*Express difference as ppm*


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**Description**

This function transforms offset (pariwise-difference) between 'x' & 'y' to ppm (as normalized difference ppm, parts per million, ie  $(x-y)/y$  ). This type of expressing differences is used eg in mass-spectrometry.

**Usage**

```
XYToDiffPpm(x, y, nSign = NULL, silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE, callFrom = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

x	(numeric) typically for measured variable
y	(numeric) typically for theoretical/expected value (vector must be of same length as 'x')
nSign	(integer) number of significant digits in output
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector of (ratio-) ppm values

**See Also**

[ratioToPpm](#) for classical ppm

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2017); aa <- runif(10,50,900)
cbind(x=aa,y=aa+1e-3,ppm=XYToDiffPpm(aa,aa+1e-3,nSign=4))
```

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