

# Package ‘gQTLstats’

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## Description

computationally efficient analysis of eQTL, mQTL, dsQTL, etc.

## Details

The DESCRIPTION file:

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| Depends:         | R (>= 3.1.0)  |
| Imports:         | methods,.snpStats, BiocGenerics, S4Vectors, IRanges, GenomeInfoDb, GenomicRanges, SummarizedExp |
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| FDRsupp-class  | Class '"FDRsupp"   |
| cisAssoc       | test for variant-expression associations in cis, using VCF                                 |
| clipPCs        | transformations of expression data in smlSet instances                                     |
| directPlot     | visualize relationship between empirical and modeled FDR based on analysis of a gQTL store |
| enumerateByFDR | filter a ciseStore instance using an FDR threshold   |
| eqBox2         | visualization of expression or other assay measure against genotypes extracted from VCF    |

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| queryVCF          | obtain SnpMatrix from VCF genotypes   |
| senstab           | create a plottable table for eQTL sensitivity analysis visualization                                |
| setFDRfunc        | estimate and store function relating association scores to approximate plug-in FDR                  |
| storeToQuantiles  | extract a vector from store results as ff (out of memory reference); support statistical reductions |
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This package addresses the management of map-reduce like computations for cis-association tests between DNA variants and genomic features like gene expression measurements. It makes essential use of data structures defined in package gQTLBase.

A number of experimental functions are present in the current version of the package: prep.cisAssocNB (assembles information to assess negative binomial regression in cis association testing), storeToMaxAssocBySNP (progress towards SNP-specific FDR), table\_sensobj\_thresh (reporting on sensitivity analysis).

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cisAssoc

*test for variant-expression associations in cis, using VCF*

## Description

test for variant-expression associations in cis, using VCF and RangedSummarizedExperiment representations

## Usage

```
cisAssoc(summex, vcf.tf, rhs = ~1, nperm = 3, cisradius =
      50000, genome = "hg19", assayind = 1, lbmaf = 1e-06,
      lbgtf = 1e-06, dropUnivHet = TRUE, infoFields =
      c("LDAF", "SVTYPE"), simpleSNV = TRUE)
cisCount(summex, vcf.tf, rhs = ~1, cisradius =
      50000, genome = "hg19", assayind = 1, lbmaf = 1e-06,
      lbgtf = 1e-06, dropUnivHet = TRUE, infoFields =
      c("LDAF", "SVTYPE"), simpleSNV = TRUE)
```

## Arguments

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| summex      | a <code>RangedSummarizedExperiment</code> object  |
| vcf.tf      | instance of <code>TabixFile</code> , referring to a tabix-indexed, bgzipped VCF file  |
| rhs         | formula ‘right hand side’ for adjustments to be made as <code>snp.rhs.tests</code> is run on each expression vector   |
| nperm       | number of permutations to be used for plug-in FDR computation   |
| cisradius   | distance in bp around each gene body to be searched for SNP association   |
| genome      | tag suitable for use in GenomeInfoDb structures   |
| assayind    | index of <code>assays(summex)</code> to use for expression data retrieval   |
| lmaf        | lower bound on MAF of SNP to retain for analysis, computed using <code>col.summary</code>   |
| lbgtf       | lower bound on genotype frequency of SNP to retain for analysis   |
| dropUnivHet | logical, if TRUE, will check for columns of <code>SnpMatrix</code> instance that possess no values other than "NA" and "A/B". See <a href="http://www.biostars.org/p/117155/#117270">http://www.biostars.org/p/117155/#117270</a> |
| infoFields  | character – VCF fields to retain in <code>vcfInfo()</code> part of query  |
| simpleSNV   | logical – will use simple computation of <code>isSNV</code> to filter variants for analysis to SNV  |

## Details

`snp.rhs.tests` is the workhorse for statistical modeling. VCF content is transformed to the byte-code (which allows for uncertain imputation) and used in fast testing.

## Value

`cisAssoc`: a `GRanges-class` instance with mcols including chisq, permScore...  
`cisCount`: enumerate locations in VCF that would be tested

## Note

`seqlevelsStyle` for `summex` and `vcf.tf` content must agree

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## Examples

```
require(GenomeInfoDb)
require(geuvPack)
require(Rsamtools)
data(geuFPKM)
lgeu = geuFPKM[ which(seqnames(geuFPKM)=="chr20"), ]
seqlevelsStyle(lgeu) = "NCBI"
tf20 = TabixFile(system.file("vcf/c20exch.vcf.gz", package="GGtools"))
if (require(VariantAnnotation)) scanVcfHeader(tf20)
```

```

lgeue = clipPCs(lgeu[,which(lgeu$popcode=="CEU")], 1:2)
set.seed(1234)
litc = cisAssoc(lgeue[c(162,201),], tf20, nperm=2, lbmaf=.05, cisradius=50000)
summary(litc$chisq)
# \dontrun{
litc$pifdr = gQTLstats:::pifdr(litc$chisq, c(litc$permScore_1, litc$permScore_2))
litc[which(litc$pifdr < .01)]
# }

```

**clipPCs***transformations of expression data in smlSet instances***Description**

transformations of expression data in smlSet instances or assay data in RangedSummarizedExperiment

**Usage**

```

clipPCs(x, inds2drop, center = TRUE)

regressOut(x, rhs, ...)

```

**Arguments**

|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| <code>x</code>         | a <a href="#">RangedSummarizedExperiment</a> object   |
| <code>inds2drop</code> | Vector of PCs to be eliminated by setting the associated diagonal elements in the SVD to zero before recomposing the matrix of expression values. If the value 0 is present in <code>inds2drop</code> , the smlSet is returned unchanged, with a message. |
| <code>center</code>    | logical, passed to <a href="#">prcomp</a>   |
| <code>rhs</code>       | formula fragment (no dependent variable) used to form residuals in a reexpression of the expression matrix; variable bindings found in pData of an ExpressionSet or colData of a RangedSummarizedExperiment   |
| <code>...</code>       | arguments passed to <a href="#">lmFit</a>   |

**Details**

`clipPCs` is an operation on the  $n \times p$  transposed matrix  $X$  of expression data. The singular value decomposition  $X = UDV^t$  is formed, the diagonal elements of  $D$  corresponding to `inds2drop` are set to zero yielding the diagonal matrix  $E$ , and then  $Y = UEV^t$  is computed and transposed to replace the expression data.

`regressOut` obtains residuals after genewise regression of expression on the design matrix specified by the `rhs`; [lmFit](#) is used to compute coefficients, linear predictions and residuals.

**Value**

a [RangedSummarizedExperiment](#) object

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**References**

The use of PCA-based adjustments to remove mass extraneous effects from expression matrices has been criticized in work of Oliver Stegle and Jeffrey Leek, who offer Bayesian PEER and SVA respectively as alternative solutions.

**Examples**

```
if(require(geuvPack)){
  data(geuFPKM)
  cg = clipPCs(geuFPKM, 1:10)
  ro = regressOut(cg, ~popcode)
  ro
}
```

**directPlot**

*visualize relationship between empirical and modeled FDR based on analysis of a gQTL store*

**Description**

visualize relationship between empirical and modeled FDR based on analysis of a gQTL store

**Usage**

```
directPlot(FDRsupp)
```

**Arguments**

|         |   |
|---------|---|
| FDRsupp | instance of <a href="#">FDRsupp-class</a> |
|---------|---|

**Details**

This plot is used to show the degree of fit between a smooth model relating modeled FDR to empirical FDR, and the empirical FDR themselves. It should be used in conjunction with [txsPlot](#).

It is possible for an implausible squiggly model to yield perfect agreement for all empirical FDR estimates. See the example.

**Examples**

```
data(filtFDR)
directPlot(filtFDR)
```

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|----------------|---|
| enumerateByFDR | <i>filter a ciseStore instance using an FDR threshold</i> |
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**Description**

filter a ciseStore instance using an FDR threshold

**Usage**

```
enumerateByFDR(store, fdrsupp, threshold = 0.05, filter=force,
               ids=NULL, trimToUnit=TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

|            |  |
|------------|--|
| store      | instance of <a href="#">ciseStore-class</a>  |
| fdrsupp    | instance of <a href="#">FDRsupp-class</a>  |
| threshold  | upper bound on FDR to be included  |
| filter     | The FDR can be computed for any association score. To return only records satisfying a given filter, supply the filter function here. It may be desirable to carry a filter function from the storeToFDR stage, and this may be considered in future versions. |
| ids        | if NULL, process all results in store, otherwise limit attention to jobs with id values in ids   |
| trimToUnit | plug-in FDR estimates can sometimes lie outside [0,1] owing to sparsity or defects of extrapolation; if this parameter is TRUE, estimated FDR values outside [0,1] are moved to the nearest boundary   |

**Details**

uses [storeApply](#), which will use BiocParallel infrastructure when available

**Value**

A GRanges instance with store contents to which estFDR is appended for each range. The estFDR quantity is predicted using the GAM model held in the FDRsupp instance.

**Examples**

```
require(geuvStore)
require(gQTLBase)
st = makeGeuvStore()
data(filtFDR)
filtEnum = enumerateByFDR( st, filtFDR,
                           filter=function(x)x[which(x$mindist <= 500000 & x$MAF >= 0.05)] )
names(metadata(filtEnum))
filtEnum[order(filtEnum$chisq, decreasing=TRUE)[1:2]]
```

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| eqBox2 | <i>visualization of expression or other assay measure against genotypes extracted from VCF</i> |
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**Description**

visualization of expression or other assay measure against genotypes extracted from VCF

**Usage**

```
eqBox2(gene, se, tf, snpgr, genome = "hg19", ...)
eqDesc2(gene, se, tf, snpgr, genome = "hg19")
```

**Arguments**

|        |  |
|--------|--|
| gene   | an element of rownames(se) from which a vector of assay values will be created                           |
| se     | a <a href="#">RangedSummarizedExperiment</a> object  |
| tf     | instance of class <a href="#">TabixFile-class</a> , defining paths to a tabix-indexed VCF and index file |
| snpgr  | instance of <a href="#">GRanges-class</a> identifying the SNP to be visualized                           |
| genome | tag identifying reference genome   |
| ...    | extra arguments passed to boxplot  |

**Examples**

```
require(Rsamtools)
require(SummarizedExperiment)
mygr = GRanges("1", IRanges(54683925, width=1))
gene = "ENSG00000231581.1"
library(geuvPack)
data(geuFPKM)
#tf = gtpath(1)
tf = TabixFile(system.file("vcf/small_1.vcf.gz", package="gQTLstats"))
eqBox2(gene, se=geuFPKM, tf, mygr )
eqDesc2(gene, se=geuFPKM, tf, mygr )
```

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| FDRsupp-class | <i>Class "FDRsupp"</i> |
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**Description**

Support for FDR computations with ciseStore instances

## Objects from the Class

Objects can be created by calls of the form `new("FDRsupp", ...)`.

### Slots

- tab:** Object of class "data.frame" a table with association scores and plug-in FDR estimates evaluated on selected score values
- FDRfunc:** Object of class "function" a function of one argument with input association score and output the corresponding FDR estimate
- FDRmodel:** Object of class "gam" that was fit to elements of tab
- filterUsed:** Object of class "function" a copy of the function used for filtering the store to create the FDRfunc element.
- sessinfo:** `sessionInfo()` value at time of construction
- theCall:** instance of class "call" showing call leading to construction

### Methods

- getFDRfunc** signature(`x = "FDRsupp"`): extract the FDR approximating function, a function of one (vector) argument assumed to represent association scores, evaluating to the plug-in FDR estimates corresponding to these scores
- getTab** signature(`x = "FDRsupp"`): extract the table of association scores and empirical FDR estimates

### Note

Typically the `FDRfunc` function is constructed using a smooth model relating the estimated FDR to association scores.

### Examples

```
showClass("FDRsupp")
```

`filtFDR`

*illustration of FDRsupp class*

### Description

illustration of FDRsupp class

### Usage

```
data("filtFDR")
```

### Format

A FDRsupp object.

## Details

filtFDR was constructed on geuvStore contents, filtering to MAF at least five percent and radius at most 500kbp. rawFDR uses the entire geuvStore contents, with 1Mbp radius and 1 percent MAF lower bound

## Examples

```
data(filtFDR)
filtFDR
```

`hmm878`

*labeled GRanges with ChromHMM chromatin states for GM12878*

## Description

labeled GRanges with ChromHMM chromatin states for GM12878

## Usage

```
data(hmm878)
```

## Format

The format is:

```
Formal class 'GRanges' [package "GenomicRanges"] with 6 slots
..@ seqnames :Formal class 'Rle' [package "IRanges"] with 4 slots
... ..@ values : Factor w/ 23 levels "chr1","chr2",...: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 ...
... ..@ lengths : int [1:23] 54467 46499 37617 25155 30071 34846 29420 24506 24123 27263 ...
... ..@ elementMetadata: NULL
... ..@ metadata : list()
..@ ranges :Formal class 'IRanges' [package "IRanges"] with 6 slots
... ..@ start : int [1:571339] 10001 10601 11138 11738 11938 12138 14538 20338 22138 22938
...
... ..@ width : int [1:571339] 600 537 600 200 200 2400 5800 1800 800 4000 ...
... ..@ NAMES : NULL
... ..@ elementType : chr "integer"
... ..@ elementMetadata: NULL
... ..@ metadata : list()
..@ strand :Formal class 'Rle' [package "IRanges"] with 4 slots
... ..@ values : Factor w/ 3 levels "+","-","*": 3
... ..@ lengths : int 571339
... ..@ elementMetadata: NULL
... ..@ metadata : list()
..@ elementMetadata:Formal class 'DataFrame' [package "IRanges"] with 6 slots
... ..@ rownames : NULL
... ..@ nrows : int 571339
... ..@ listData :List of 4
```

```

... . . . . $ name : chr [1:571339] "15_Repetitive/CNV" "13_Heterochrom/lo" "8_Insulator" "11_Weak_Txn"
...
... . . . . $ score : num [1:571339] 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
... . . . . $ itemRgb: chr [1:571339] "#F5F5F5" "#F5F5F5" "#0ABEFE" "#99FF66" ...
... . . . . $ thick :Formal class 'IRanges' [package "IRanges"] with 6 slots
... . . . . . @ start : int [1:571339] 10001 10601 11138 11738 11938 12138 14538 20338 22138
22938 ...
... . . . . . @ width : int [1:571339] 600 537 600 200 200 2400 5800 1800 800 4000 ...
... . . . . . @ NAMES : NULL
... . . . . . @ elementType : chr "integer"
... . . . . . @ elementMetadata: NULL
... . . . . . @ metadata : list()
... . . . . . @ elementType : chr "ANY"
... . . . . @ elementMetadata: NULL
... . . . . @ metadata : list()
..@ seqinfo :Formal class 'Seqinfo' [package "GenomicRanges"] with 4 slots
... . . @ seqnames : chr [1:23] "chr1" "chr2" "chr3" "chr4" ...
... . . @ seqlengths : int [1:23] 249250621 243199373 198022430 191154276 180915260 171115067
159138663 146364022 141213431 135534747 ...
... . . @ is_circular: logi [1:23] FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE ...
... . . @ genome : chr [1:23] "hg19" "hg19" "hg19" "hg19" ...
..@ metadata :List of 1
... $ url: chr "http://genome.ucsc.edu/cgi-bin/hgFileUi?g=wgEncodeBroadHmm&db=hg19"

```

## Details

acquired using rtracklayer import from the bed file given at metadata(hmm878)[["url"]]

## Source

see details

## References

- Ernst J, Kellis M. Discovery and characterization of chromatin states for systematic annotation of the human genome. Nat Biotechnol. 2010 Aug;28(8):817-25.
- Ernst J, Kheradpour P, Mikkelsen TS, Shores N, Ward LD, Epstein CB, Zhang X, Wang L, Issner R, Coyne M et al. Mapping and analysis of chromatin state dynamics in nine human cell types. Nature. 2011 May 5;473(7345):43-9.

## Examples

```

data(hmm878)
table(hmm878$name)

```

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**manhWngr***manhattan plot with named GRanges*

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## Description

manhattan plot with named GRanges

## Usage

```
manhWngr(store, probeid = "ENSG00000183814.10", sym = "LIN9", fdrsupp, namedGR, slstyle = "NCBI", xlab
```

## Arguments

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| store          | instance of <a href="#">ciseStore-class</a>   |
| probeid        | name of feature identifier to use for cis association   |
| sym            | symbol for feature identifier   |
| fdrsupp        | instance of <a href="#">FDRsupp-class</a>   |
| namedGR        | <a href="#">GRanges</a> instance with 'name' in mcols element   |
| slstyle        | seqlevelsStyle  |
| xlab.in        | x axis label  |
| ylab.in        | y axis label  |
| applyFDRfilter | if TRUE, use the filter defined in the filterUsed element of the object supplied as fdrsupp on the output |
| ...            | additional arguments for plotting   |

## Examples

```
require(geuvStore)
require(gQTLBase)
store = makeGeuvStore()
data(hmm878)
data(filtFDR)
manhWngr(store, fdrsupp=filtFDR, namedGR=hmm878)
```

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| queryVCF | <i>obtain SnpMatrix from VCF genotypes</i> |
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**Description**

obtain SnpMatrix from VCF genotypes

**Usage**

```
queryVCF(gr, vcf.tf, samps, genome = "hg19", getSM = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

|        |  |
|--------|--|
| gr     | GRanges instance; SNPs lying within will be processed  |
| vcf.tf | TabixFile instance pointing to VCF   |
| samps  | samples to be retained   |
| genome | tag identifying build  |
| getSM  | logical; if FALSE, <code>genotypeToSnpMatrix</code> will not be run and only the output of <code>readVcf</code> is returned. |

**Value**

a list of length two

|         |   |
|---------|---|
| readout | output of <code>readVcf</code>                                    |
| sm      | output of <code>genotypeToSnpMatrix</code> run on the read result |

**Examples**

```
require(Rsamtools)
tf20 = TabixFile(system.file("vcf/c20exch.vcf.gz", package="GGtools"))
require(geuvPack)
data(geuFPKM)
lgeu = geuFPKM[ which(seqnames(geuFPKM)=="chr20"),
  which(geuFPKM$popcode=="CEU") ]
seqlevelsStyle(lgeu) = "NCBI"
rng = rowRanges(lgeu)[232] # CPNE1
myq = queryVCF( rng, tf20, samps=colnames(lgeu), genome="hg19" )
myq
```

**senstab***create a plottable table for eQTL sensitivity analysis visualization***Description**

create a plottable table for eQTL sensitivity analysis visualization

**Usage**

```
senstab(x, filt = force)
## S3 method for class 'senstab'
plot(x, ...)
```

**Arguments**

- x** a list generated by a process analogous to the sensitivity survey exhibited in the example below
- filt** a function that operates on and returns a data.frame; typically will select rows based on values of fields 'MAF' and 'radius'
- ...** extra arguments passed to plot

**Details**

`sensByProbe` is a list structure; for information on this and other elements of sensitivity analysis workflow, see extensive non-executed code in example below

**Value**

an instance of the S3 class 'senstab', 'data.frame'

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
#
# illustration of sensitivity analysis using BatchJobs
#
# assume the following content in 'parms.R' (uncommented)
# MAFS = c(.03, .04, .05, .075, .10, .125, .15)
# dists = c(5000, 7500, 10000, 15000, 20000,
#         25000, 50000, 100000, 250000, 500000, 750000, 1000000)
# parms = expand.grid(MAFS, dists)
library(BatchJobs) # for bigStore manip
library(gQTLstats)

# could use multilevel parallelism here
# because it is a somewhat large, fragile job, BatchJobs
# is a relevant tool for iteration. but storeToFDRByProbe is
# already using bplapply. so register 3 cores for it
```

```

# and specify 15 cpu for BatchJobs in .BatchJobs.R

sens1 = makeRegistry("sens1", file.dir="sens1",
  packages=c("gQLstats", "dplyr"),
  src.files="parms.R") # note parms.R

sens40ne = function(z) {
  load("../bigStore.rda") # get a ciseStore instance
  ans = storeToFDRByProbe(bigStore, xprobs=seq(.01,.99,.01), # xprobs
    # needs to be chosen with care
    filter=function(x) x[which(x$MAF >= parms[z,1] &
      x$mindist <= parms[z,2])])
  ans = setFDRfunc(ans, span=.35) # span can be important
  list(fdrsupp=ans, parms=parms[z,])
}

batchMap(sens1, sens40ne, 1:nrow(parms))
submitJobs(sens1)

# now loadResult(sens1) or the equivalent can be the input to senstab()
# as in the example to continue here:

## End(Not run)
library(gQLstats)
data(sensByProbe)
ptab = t(sapply(sensByProbe, function(x)as.numeric(x[[2]])))
unique(ptab[,1]) # MAFs used
unique(ptab[,2]) # radii used
# here we filter away some extreme values of the design space
tab = senstab(sensByProbe, filt=function(x) {
  x[ x$radius > 10000 & x$ radius < 500000 & x$MAF > .03, ]
})
plot(tab)

```

**setFDRfunc**

*estimate and store function relating association scores to approximate plug-in FDR*

**Description**

estimate and store function relating association scores to approximate plug-in FDR

**Usage**

```
setFDRfunc(FDRsupp, fudge = 1e-06, zthresh = 30, ...)
```

**Arguments**

|         |   |
|---------|---|
| FDRsupp | instance of <a href="#">FDRsupp-class</a> |
|---------|---|

|         |  |
|---------|--|
| fudge   | if FDR is zero, a log or logistic transform will fail; we add the small positive number fudge to avoid this  |
| zthresh | for association scores greater than this value, a hard value of FDR 0 is assigned  |
| ...     | arguments passed to <code>lo</code> for the smooth model relating association score to FDR at selected quantiles of the association score distribution |

**Value**

returns an updated `FDRsupp-class` instance

**Examples**

```
data(filtFDR)
filtFDR2 = setFDRfunc(filtFDR)
```

|              |  |
|--------------|--|
| storeToStats | <i>extract a vector from store results as ff (out of memory reference); support statistical reductions</i> |
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**Description**

extract a vector from store results as ff (out of memory reference); support statistical reductions

**Usage**

```
storeToQuantiles(store, field,
                 probs=c(seq(0,.999,.001), 1-(c(1e-4,1e-6,1e-7))),
                 ids = NULL, ..., checkField = FALSE, filter=force)
storeToHist(store, getter = function(x)
             as.numeric(S4Vectors::as.matrix(mcols(x)[,
               grep("permScore", names(mcols(x)))])), breaks, ids =
               NULL, filter = force)
storeToFDR(store, xprobs = c(seq(0, 0.999, 0.001), 1 - (c(1e-04,
               1e-06, 1e-06, 1e-07))), xfield = "chisq", getter =
               function(x) as.numeric(S4Vectors::as.matrix(mcols(x)[,
               grep("permScore", names(mcols(x)))])), filter = force)
```

**Arguments**

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| store  | instance of <code>ciseStore-class</code>   |
| field  | character tag, length one, must be name of a numeric field in the result set (typically something like 'chisq' in the GRanges generated by <code>cisAssoc</code> ) |
| xfield | as <code>field</code> , for FDR computation, see Details.  |
| ids    | job ids to be used; if NULL, process all jobs  |
| breaks | boundaries of histogram bins   |

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| ...        | supplied to makeRegistry for a temporary registry: typically will be a vector of package names if additional packages are needed to process results |
| checkField | if TRUE steps will be taken to verify that the tag to which 'field' evaluates is present in result in the first job                                 |
| probs      | numeric vector of probabilities with values in [0,1]. See <a href="#">quantile.ff</a> .   |
| xprobs     | percentiles of the empirical distribution of the association statistic at which FDR estimates are recorded.   |
| getter     | function of a single argument that extracts a numeric vector of association scores obtained under permutation                                       |
| x          | instance of FDRsupp   |
| filter     | function accepting and returning GRanges instance, executed when cisAssoc result is loaded to modify that result, defaults to no-op                 |

## Details

uses current BatchJobs configuration to parallelize extraction; reduceResults could be used for a sequential solution

## Value

storeToQuantiles and storeToHist return objects analogous to those returned by stats::quantile and graphics::hist.

However, it should be noted that storeToQuantiles will use the [quantile.ff](#) of ffbase. For vectors of modest length, this can disagree with results of base::quantile by a few percent.

storeToFDR and storeToFDRByProbe return an instance of FDRsupp class

## Note

uses ffbase:::c.ff explicitly to concatenate outputs; there is no guarantee of order among elements

## Examples

```
stopifnot(require(geuvStore))
require(BatchJobs)
require(gQTLBase)
store = makeGeuvStore()
library(doParallel)
if (.Platform$OS.type == "windows") {
  registerDoSEQ()
} else registerDoParallel(cores=max(c(detectCores()-1,1)))
smchisq = storeToFF( store, "chisq", ids=store@validJobs[1:3])
smchisq
qs = storeToQuantiles( store, "chisq", ids = store@validJobs[1:5],
  probs=seq(.1,.9,.1) )
qs
hh = storeToHist( store, ids = store@validJobs[1:5], breaks=
  c(0,qs,1e9) )
hh$counts
```

```
fd = storeToFDR( store, xprobs=c(seq(.05,.95,.05),.99,.999) )
tail(getTab(fd),4)
sss = storeToFDRByProbe( store , xprobs=c(seq(.05,.95,.05),.99) )
tail(getTab(sss),4)
```

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**txsPlot**

*visualize transformed FDR against transformed association statistics*

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**Description**

visualize transformed FDR against transformed association statistics

**Usage**

```
txsPlot(FDRsupp)
```

**Arguments**

FDRsupp            an instance of [FDRsupp-class](#)

**Examples**

```
data(filtFDR)
txsPlot(filtFDR)
```

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