

# Package ‘wrGraph’

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**Description** Additional options for making graphics in the context of analyzing high-throughput data are available here.

This includes automatic segmenting of the current device (eg window) to accommodate multiple new plots,

automatic checking for optimal location of legends in plots, small histograms to insert as legends, histograms re-transforming axis labels to linear when plotting log2-transformed data, a violin-plot <[doi:10.1080/00031305.1998.10480559](https://doi.org/10.1080/00031305.1998.10480559)> function for a wide variety of input-formats,

principal components analysis (PCA) <[doi:10.1080/14786440109462720](https://doi.org/10.1080/14786440109462720)> with bag-plots <[doi:10.1080/00031305.1999.10474494](https://doi.org/10.1080/00031305.1999.10474494)> to highlight and compare the center areas for groups of samples,

generic MA-plots (differential- versus average-value plots) <[doi:10.1093/nar/30.4.e15](https://doi.org/10.1093/nar/30.4.e15)>, staggered count plots and generation of mouse-over interactive html pages.

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<code>.addTextToPoints</code>	<i>Add text to points on plot</i>
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### Description

This function allows to add custom text as lables to points on standard xy-plot.

### Usage

```
.addTextToPoints(  
  x,  
  paramLst = NULL,  
  labels = NULL,  
  cex = NULL,  
  col = NULL,  
  adj = "auto",
```

```

    callFrom = NULL,
    silent = FALSE,
    debug = FALSE
  )

```

**Arguments**

- x (matrix, data.frame) coordinated of points on plot
- paramLst (list) additional parameters for plotting (priority over separate cex or col), otherwise names displayed will be taken from 'labels' or rownames of coordinates 'x'
- labels (character) the text to be displayed (has not priority over 'paramLst'), if nothing valid found numbers will be displayed
- cex (character) (numeric) size of text, as expansion factor (see also cex in par)
- col (character or integer) use custom colors
- adj (character) values other than 0,0.5 or 1 will lead to 'auto' where text is displayed only to left of sufficient space available
- callFrom (character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
- silent (logical) suppress messages
- debug (logical) display additional messages for debugging

**Value**

This function make a plot and may return an optional matrix of outlier-data (depending on argument getOutL)

**See Also**

[prcomp](#) (used here for the PCA underneath) , [princomp](#), see the package [FactoMineR](#) for multiple plotting options or ways of combining categorical and numeric data

**Examples**

```

set.seed(2019); dat1 <- matrix(round(runif(30),2), ncol=2)
plot(dat1) # traditional plot
.addTextToPoints(dat1, labels=letters[1:nrow(dat1)])

```

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.bestLegendLoc	<i>Search best corner of plot for placing for legend This function aims to find best corner for plotting a legend.</i>
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**Description**

Search best corner of plot for placing for legend  
This function aims to find best corner for plotting a legend.

**Usage**

```
.bestLegendLoc(  
  dat,  
  txtLen,  
  txtHi,  
  displayPlotSearch = FALSE,  
  silent = TRUE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>dat</code>	(matrix, list or data.frame) main data of plot
<code>txtLen</code>	(numeric, length=1)
<code>txtHi</code>	(numeric, length=1) text height from graphics::strheight() (including inter-line)
<code>displayPlotSearch</code>	(logical) decide if lines to mark area where data is searched for legend should be drawn
<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**

numeric vector with counts of number of points expected to enter legend-location for each corner (ie legend-localization)

**See Also**

[checkForLegLoc](#), [legend](#)

**Examples**

```
dat1 <- matrix(c(1:5,1,1:5,5), ncol=2)  
(legLoc <- .bestLegendLoc(dat1, txtLen=0.4, txtHi=28))
```

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*.colorByPvalue*

*Colors based on p-Values*

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**Description**

This function helps defining color-gradient based on p-Values. This function requires package RColorBrewer being installed

### Usage

```
.colorByPvalue(  
  x,  
  br = NULL,  
  col = NULL,  
  asIndex = FALSE,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

### Arguments

<code>x</code>	(numeric) p-values (main input)
<code>br</code>	(numeric) custom breaks (used with cut)
<code>col</code>	custom colors (must be of length(br) -1)
<code>asIndex</code>	(logical) custom breaks (used with cut)
<code>silent</code>	(logical) suppress messages
<code>debug</code>	(logical) supplemental messages for debugging
<code>callFrom</code>	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function retruns a color-gradient based on p-Values

### See Also

(for PCA) [plotPCAw](#))

### Examples

```
.colorByPvalue((1:10)/10)
```

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`.determFigMargPix`      *Estimate size/distance of margin to edge of image (png) in pixels*

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### Description

This function allows estimating size/distance of margin to edge of image (png) in pixel and return numeric vector.

### Usage

```
.determFigMargPix(marg, res, callFrom = NULL, silent = FALSE, debug = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

marg	(numeric) distance of margin in inch (as given in <code>par(mar=c( ))</code> )
res	(numeric, length=1) resolution of image (png)
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging

**Value**

This function returns a numeric vector matrix with (estimated) distance to figure margins in pixels

**See Also**

[convertPlotCoordPix](#), [mouseOverHtmlFile](#)

**Examples**

```
.determFigMargPix(c(5,4,4,2),100)
```

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.levIndex

*Transform levels into index*

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**Description**

This function transforms levels into index. This function has been depreciated, please use `wrMisc::levIndex()` insted.

**Usage**

```
.levIndex(dat, asSortedLevNa = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

dat	(numeric) initial levels (main input)
asSortedLevNa	(logical)

**Value**

This function retruns a color-gradient based on p-Values

**See Also**

(for PCA) [plotPCAw](#)

**Examples**

```
library(wrMisc)
```

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.predPointsPix                      *Predict and return pixel location of points of current plot*

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### Description

This function allows predicting the pixel location of points of current plot. Note: may be imprecise in case of x or y with all same values.

### Usage

```
.predPointsPix(  
  x,  
  y,  
  dimPng,  
  res,  
  marg,  
  fromTop = TRUE,  
  scExt = 0.04,  
  displ = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE  
)
```

### Arguments

x	(numeric) initial coordinates for plot
y	(numeric) initial coordinates for plot
dimPng	(numeric, length=2) width and height of png
res	(numeric, length=1) resolution of png
marg	(numeric, length=4) margins in inches (as given by par(mar=c(...)))
fromTop	(logical) default counting in html is from top
scExt	(numeric, length=1) extending scale (default at 0.04 ie 4 %)
displ	(logical) optional plot
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging

### Value

This function returns a numeric matrix with 2 columns 'xPix' and 'yPix' (with length(x) rows); and optionally a plot (if argument displ=TRUE)

**See Also**

[convertPlotCoordPix](#), [mouseOverHtmlFile](#)

**Examples**

```
.predPointsPix(x=c(1,100), y=c(1,100), dimPng=c(700,600), res=200, marg=c(5,4,4,2))
```

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```
.sampNoDeMArrayLM      Locate sample index from index or name of pair-wise comparisons
```

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**Description**

This function helps locating sample index from index or name of pair-wise comparisons

**Usage**

```
.sampNoDeMArrayLM(
  MArrayObj,
  useComp,
  groupSep = "-",
  lstMeans = "means",
  lstP = "BH",
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

MArrayObj	(MArray type object) main input
useComp	(matrix) types of pair-wise comparisons to be performed
groupSep	(character) separator used with pair-wise grouping
lstMeans	(character) type of summarization, default is 'means'
lstP	(character) type of multiple testing correction data to choose from MArrayObj
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) supplemental messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

This function returns a integer vector of indexes

**See Also**

(for PCA) [plotPCAw](#)



## Examples

```
aa <- 1:5
```

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<code>.serachColName</code>	<i>Search Column Name This function provides help when seraching column names</i>
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## Description

Search Column Name

This function provides help when seraching column names

## Usage

```
.serachColName(  
  x,  
  searchColNa,  
  plusLowerCaps = TRUE,  
  returnList = TRUE,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

## Arguments

<code>x</code>	(matrix or data.frame) main input
<code>searchColNa</code>	(character)
<code>plusLowerCaps</code>	(logical) add lower caps to search
<code>returnList</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

integer vector with index of colnames found or list with `$foundNa` and `$remainNa`

## See Also

[convertPlotCoordPix](#); use [htmlSpecCharConv](#) to convert special characters for proper html display

## Examples

```
mat1 <- matrix(1:6, ncol=3, dimnames=list(NULL, LETTERS[1:3]))  
.serachColName(mat1, c("C", "F", "A"))
```

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`addBagPlot`*Add bagplot to existing plot*

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### Description

This function adds a bagplot on an existing (scatter-)plot allowing to highlight the central area of the data. Briefly, a bagplot is a bivariate boxplot, see [Bagplot](#), following the basic idea of a boxplot in two dimensions. Of course, multimodal distributions - if not separated first - may likely lead to mis-interpretation, similarly as it is known for interpreting boxplots. If a group of data consists only of 2 data-points, they will be connected using a straight line. It is recommended using transparent colors to highlight the core part of a group (if only 2 points are available, they will be connected using a straight line), in addition, one could use the option to re-plot all (non-outlyer) points (arguments `reCol`, `rePch` and `reCex` must be used).

### Usage

```
addBagPlot(  
  x,  
  lev1 = 0.5,  
  outCoef = 2,  
  bagCol = NULL,  
  bagCont = bagCol,  
  bagLwd = 1.5,  
  nCore = 4,  
  outlCol = 2,  
  outlPch = NULL,  
  outlCex = 0.6,  
  reCol = NULL,  
  rePch = NULL,  
  reCex = NULL,  
  ctrPch = NULL,  
  ctrCol = NULL,  
  ctrCex = NULL,  
  addSubTi = TRUE,  
  returnOutL = FALSE,  
  silent = TRUE,  
  callFrom = NULL,  
  debug = FALSE  
)
```

### Arguments

<code>x</code>	(matrix, list or data.frame) main numeric input of data/points to plot
<code>lev1</code>	(numeric) min content of data for central area (default 0.5 for 50 percent)
<code>outCoef</code>	(numeric) parameter for defining outliers (equivalent to range in <a href="#">boxplot</a> )

bagCol	(character or integer) color for filling center part of bagplot (default light transparent grey); Note: It is highly suggested to use transparency, otherwise points underneath will be covered
bagCont	(character) color for inner and outer contours of bagplot
bagLwd	(numeric) line width for outer contour, set to NULL for not displaying outer contour (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
nCore	(integer) decide when center should be determined by median or mean: if number of points reach nCore the median will be used
outlCol	(character or integer) color for highlighting outliers (for text and replottig outliers points), set to NULL for not highlighting outliers at all
outlPch	(integer) symbol replottig highlighted outliers (for text and replottig outliers points), set to NULL for not replottig outlier-points (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
outlCex	(numeric) cex type expansion factor for labels of highlighted outliers, set to NULL for not printing (row)names of outliers (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
reCol	(character or integer) color for replottig (non-outlier) points, default set to NULL for not replottig
rePch	(integer) symbol for replottig (non-outlier) points, default set to NULL for not re-plotting (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
reCex	(numeric) cex type expansion factor for lfor replottig (non-outlier) points, default set to NULL for not replottig
ctrPch	(integer) symbol for showing group center (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
ctrCol	(character or integer) color for group center symbol
ctrCex	(numeric) cex type expansion factor for size of group center (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
addSubTi	(logical) decide if subtitle (stating that potential outliers were displayed separately) should be added in plot
returnOutL	(logical) decide if rownames of (potential) outlier values should be returned when running the function
silent	(logical) suppress messages
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging

### Details

The outlier detection works similar to the one used in `boxplot`: The distance of a given point is compared to the median distance of all points to their respective group-center plus the 25 - 75 quantile-distance (of all points) times the multiplicative factor of argument `outCoef`.

### Value

This function returns primarily a plot, optionally it may return of matrix with outliers (if argument `returnOutL=TRUE`)

### See Also

[plotPCAw](#), [princomp](#)

**Examples**

```

set.seed(2020); dat1 <- matrix(round(rnorm(2000),3),ncol=2); rownames(dat1) <- 1:nrow(dat1)
dat1 <- dat1 + 5*matrix(rep(c(0,1,1,0,0,0,1,1),nrow(dat1)/4), byrow=TRUE, ncol=2)
col1 <- rgb(red=c(153,90,203,255), green=c(143,195,211,125), blue=c(204,186,78,115),
  alpha=90, maxColorValue=255)
## suppose we know the repartition into 4 subgroups which we would like to highlight them
grp1 <- rep(1:4, nrow(dat1)/4)
plot(dat1, col=grey(0.8), xlab="x", ylab="y", las=1, pch=grp1)
for(i in 1:4) addBagPlot(dat1[which(grp1==i),], bagCol=col1[i])
## slightly improved
library(wrMisc)
col2 <- convColorToTransp(col1, 255)
plot(dat1, col=grey(0.8), xlab="x", ylab="y", las=1, pch=grp1)
for(i in 1:4) addBagPlot(dat1[which(grp1==i),], bagCol=col1[i], outLPch=i,
  outLCol=col2[i], bagLwd=3)

```

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checkForLegLoc

*Find best place on plot for placing legend*


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**Description**

This function tries to find the best location for placing a legend of a bivariate plot, ie scatter-plot. All 4 corners of the data to plot are inspected for the least occupation by data plotted while displaying the content of sampleGrp. Alternatively, by setting the argument showLegend the user-defined legend will be returned

**Usage**

```

checkForLegLoc(
  matr,
  sampleGrp = NULL,
  showLegend = TRUE,
  suplSpace = 4,
  testCorner = 1:4,
  silent = TRUE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)

```

**Arguments**

matr	(matrix, list or data.frame) main data of plot
sampleGrp	(character or factor) with this option the text to be displayed in the legend may be taken into consideration for its length
showLegend	(logical or character) decide if matr should be checked for best location; if showLegend contains any of the standard legend-location designations (eg 'topleft') it will be used in the output

suplSpace	(numeric) allows to consider extra room taken in legend by symbol and surrounding space, interpreted as n additional characters
testCorner	(integer) which corners should be considered (1=left-top, 2=right-top, right-bottom, left-bottom)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

list with \$showL indicating if legend is desired and \$loc for the proposition of the best location, \$nConflicts gives the counts of conflicts

**See Also**

[legend](#)

**Examples**

```
dat1 <- matrix(c(1:5,1,1:5,5), ncol=2)
grp <- c("abc","efghijk")
(legLoc <- checkForLegLoc(dat1, grp))
plot(dat1, cex=3)
legend(legLoc$loc, legend=grp, text.col=2:3, pch=1, cex=0.8)
```

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convertPlotCoordPix     *Convert points of plot to coordinates in pixels*

---

**Description**

This function allows conversion the plotting positions ('x' and 'y' coordinates) of points in a given plot into coordinates in pixels (of the entire plotting region). It was designed to be used as coordinates in an html file for mouse-over interactivity (display of names of points and links). Of course, the size of the plotting region is crucial and may not be changed afterwards (if the plot is not written to file using png etc). In turn the function [mouseOverHtmlFile](#) will use the pixel-coordinates, allowing to annotate given points of a plot for mouse-over interactive html.

**Usage**

```
convertPlotCoordPix(
  x,
  y,
  useMar = c(6.2, 4, 4, 2),
  plotDim = c(1400, 800),
  plotRes = 100,
  fromTop = TRUE,
  callFrom = NULL,
```

```

    silent = FALSE,
    debug = FALSE
  )

```

### Arguments

x	(numeric) initial plotting coordinates on x-axis, names of vector - if available- will be used as IDs
y	(numeric) initial plotting coordinates on y-axis
useMar	(numeric,length=4) margins defined with plot, see also <a href="#">par</a>
plotDim	(integer, length=2) dimension of the plotting device in pixels, see also <a href="#">par</a>
plotRes	(integer) resolution of plotting device, see also <a href="#">par</a>
fromTop	(logical) toggle if poordinates should start from top
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) aditonal messages for debugging

### Value

matrix with x- and y-coordinates in pixels

### See Also

[mouseOverHtmlFile](#)

### Examples

```

df1 <- data.frame(id=letters[1:10], x=1:10, y=rep(5,10), mou=paste("point", letters[1:10]),
  link=file.path(tempdir(),paste0(LETTERS[1:10], ".html")), stringsAsFactors=FALSE)
## Typically one wants to get pixel-coordinates for plots written to file.
## Here we'll use R's tempdir, later you may want to choose other locations
pngFile <- file.path(tempdir(), "test01.png")
png(pngFile, width=800, height=600, res=72)
## here we'll just plot a set of horional points at default parameters ...
plot(df1[,2:3], las=1, main="test01")
dev.off()
## Note: Special characters should be converted for proper display in html during mouse-over
library(wrMisc)
df1$mou <- htmlSpecCharConv(df1$mou)
## Let's add the x- and y-coordiates of the points in pixels to the data.frame
df1 <- cbind(df1, convertPlotCoordPix(x=df1[,2], y=df1[,3], plotD=c(800,600), plotRes=72))
head(df1)
## using mouseOverHtmlFile() one could now make an html document with interactive
## display of names and clockable links to the coordinates we determined here ...

```

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cumFrqPlot	<i>Cumulative (or sorted) frequency plot (takes columns of 'dat' as separate series)</i>
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### Description

Display data as sorted or cumulative frequency plot. This type of plot represents an alternative to plotting data as histograms. Histograms are very universal and which are very intuitive. However, fine-tuning the bandwidth (ie width of the bars) may be very delicate, fine resolution details may often remain hidden. One of the advantages of directly displaying all data-points is that subtle differences may be revealed easier, compared to classical histograms. Furthermore, the plot presented here offers more options to display multiple series of data simultaneously. Thus, this type of plot may be useful to compare eg results of data normalization. Of course, with very large data-sets (eg > 3000 values) this gain of 'details' will be less important (compared to histograms) and will penalize speed. In such cases the argument `thisResol` will get useful as it allows to reduce the resolution and introduce binning. Alternatively for very large data-sets one may look into density-plots or vioplots (eg `vioplotW`). The argument `CVlimit` allows optionally excluding extreme values. If numeric (& > 2 columns), its value will be used `exclExtrValues` to identify series with column-median > 'CVlimit'. Of course, exclusion of extreme values should be done with great care, important features of the data may get lost.

### Usage

```
cumFrqPlot(
  dat,
  cumSum = FALSE,
  exclCol = NULL,
  colNames = NULL,
  displColNa = TRUE,
  tit = NULL,
  xLim = NULL,
  yLim = NULL,
  xLab = NULL,
  yLab = NULL,
  col = NULL,
  CVlimit = NULL,
  thisResol = NULL,
  supTxtAdj = 0,
  supTxtYOffs = 0,
  useLog = "",
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

`dat` (matrix or data.frame) data to plot/inspect

cumSum	(logical) for either plotting cumulates Sums (then <code>thisResol</code> for number of breaks) or (if <code>=FALSE</code> ) simply sorted values -> max resolution
exclCol	(integer) columns to exclude
colNames	(character) for alternative column/series names in display, as long as <code>displColNa=TRUE</code>
displColNa	(logical) display column-names
tit	(character) custom title
xLim	(numeric) custom limit for x-axis (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
yLim	(numeric) custom limit for y-axis (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
xLab	(character) custom x-axis label
yLab	(character) custom y-axis label
col	(integer or character) custom colors
CVlimit	(numeric) for the tag 'outlier column' (uses <a href="#">exclExtrValues</a> ) identify & mark column with median row-CV > CVlimit
thisResol	(integer) resolution <code>res</code> for binning large data-sets
supTxtAdj	(numeric) parameter <code>adj</code> for supplemental text
supTxtYOffs	(numeric) supplemental offset for text on y axis
useLog	(character) default="", otherwise for setting axis in log-scale "x", "y" or "xy"
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function plots to the current graphical device

### See Also

[layout](#), [exclExtrValues](#) for decision of potential outliers; [hist](#), [vioplotW](#)

### Examples

```
set.seed(2017); dat0 <- matrix(rnorm(500), ncol=5, dimnames=list(NULL,1:5))
cumFrqPlot(dat0, tit="Sorted values")
cumFrqPlot(dat0, cumSum=TRUE, tit="Sum of sorted values")
```



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foldChangeArrow	<i>Add arrow for expected Fold-Change to VolcanoPlot or MA-plot</i>
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### Description

This function allows adding an arrow indicating a fold-change to MA- or Volcano-plots. When comparing multiple concentrations of standards in benchmark-tests it may be useful to indicate the expected ratio in a pair-wise comparison. In case of main input as list or MArrayLM-object (as generated from limma), the column-names of multiple pairwise comparisons can be used for extracting a numeric content (supposed as concentrations in sample-names) which will be used to determine the expected ratio used for plotting. Optionally the ratio used for plotting can be returned as numeric value.

### Usage

```
foldChangeArrow(
  FC,
  useComp = 1,
  isLin = TRUE,
  asX = TRUE,
  col = 2,
  arr = c(0.005, 0.15),
  lwd = NULL,
  addText = c(line = -0.9, cex = 0.7, txt = "expected", loc = "toright"),
  returnRatio = FALSE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

FC	(numeric, list or MArrayLM-object) main information for drawing arrow : either numeric value for fold-change/log2-ratio of object to search for colnames of statistical testing for extracting numeric part
useComp	(integer) only used in case FC is list or MArrayLM-object and has multiple pairwise-comparisons
isLin	(logical) indicate if FC is log2 or not
asX	(logical) indicate if arrow should be on x-axis
col	(integer or character) custom color
arr	(numeric, length=2) start- and end-points of arrow (as relative to entire plot)
lwd	(numeric) line-width of arrow
addText	(logical or named vector) indicate if text explaining arrow should be displayed, use TRUE for default (on top right of plot), or any combination of 'loc', 'line', 'cex', 'side', 'adj', 'col', 'text' (or 'txt') for customizing specific elements

returnRatio (logical) return ratio  
 silent (logical) suppress messages  
 debug (logical) additional messages for debugging  
 callFrom (character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

### Details

#' @details The argument addText also allows specifying a fixed position when using addText=c(loc="bottomleft"), also bottomright, topleft, topright, toleft and toright may be used. In this case the elems side and adjust will be redefined to accommodate the text in the corner specified.

### Value

This function plots only an arrow onto current plotting device (and some explicative text), if returnRatio=TRUE also returns numeric value for extracted ratio

### See Also

[MAplotW](#), [VolcanoPlotW](#)

### Examples

```
plot(rnorm(20,1.5,0.1), 1:20)
foldChangeArrow(FC=1.5)
```

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histW

*Histogram (version by WR)*

---

### Description

This function proposes a few special tweaks to the general [hist](#) function : In a number of settings data are treated and plotted as log-data. This function allows feeding directly log2-data and displaying the x-axis (re-translated) in linear scale (see argument isLog). The default settings allow making (very) small histograms ('low resolution'), which may be used as a rough overview of bandwidth and distribution of values in dat. Similar to [hist](#), by changing the parameters nBars and/or breaks very 'high resolution' histograms can be produced. By default it displays n per set of data (on the top of the figure). Note that the argument for (custom) title main is now called tit.

### Usage

```
histW(
  dat,
  fileName = "histW",
  output = "screen",
  nBars = 8,
  breaks = NULL,
```

```

    tit = NULL,
    subTi = NULL,
    xLab = NULL,
    yLab = NULL,
    las = NULL,
    xcex = 0.7,
    imgxSize = 900,
    useCol = NULL,
    useBord = NULL,
    isLog = TRUE,
    cexSubTi = NULL,
    cropHist = TRUE,
    parDefault = TRUE,
    silent = FALSE,
    debug = FALSE,
    callFrom = NULL
)

```

### Arguments

<code>dat</code>	(matrix, list or data.frame) data to plot
<code>fileName</code>	(character) name of file for saving graphics
<code>output</code>	(character, length=1) options for output on 'screen' or saving image in various formats (set to 'jpg', 'png' or 'tif')
<code>nBars</code>	(integer) number of bars in histogram (default for 'low resolution' plot to give rough overview)
<code>breaks</code>	(integer) for (partial) compatibility with <code>hist()</code> : use only for number of breaks (or 'FD'), gets priority over 'nBars'
<code>tit</code>	(character) custom title
<code>subTi</code>	(character) may be FALSE for NOT displaying, or any text, otherwise range
<code>xLab</code>	(character) custom x-axes label
<code>yLab</code>	(character) custom y-axes label
<code>las</code>	(integer) optional fixed text orientation of x-axis numbers : use 1 for horizontal and 2 for perpendicular, see also <a href="#">par</a>
<code>xcex</code>	(numeric) cex-type expansion factor for x-axis numbers, see also <a href="#">par</a>
<code>imgxSize</code>	(integer) width of image when saving to file, see also <a href="#">par</a>
<code>useCol</code>	(character or integer) custom colors, see also <a href="#">par</a>
<code>useBord</code>	(character) custom histogram elements border color, see also <a href="#">par</a>
<code>isLog</code>	(logical) for lin scale signal intensity values where representation needs log, assume log2 if TRUE
<code>cexSubTi</code>	(numerical) subtitle size (expansion factor cex), see also <a href="#">par</a>
<code>cropHist</code>	(logical) -not implemented yet- designed for cutting off bars with very low ('insignificant') values
<code>parDefault</code>	(logical) to automatic adjusting <code>par(marg=,cex.axis=0.8)</code> , see also <a href="#">par</a>

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

**Value**

This function produces a histogram type graphic (to the current graphical device)

**See Also**

[hist](#)

**Examples**

```

set.seed(2016); dat1 <- round(c(rnorm(200,6,0.5),rlnorm(300,2,0.5),rnorm(100,17)),2)
dat1 <- dat1[which(dat1 <50 & dat1 > 0.2)]
histW(dat1, br="FD", isLog=FALSE)
histW(log2(dat1), br="FD", isLog=TRUE)

## quick overview of distributions
layout(partitionPlot(4))
for(i in 1:4) histW(iris[,i], isLog=FALSE, tit=colnames(iris)[i])

```

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imageW

*Display Numeric Content Of Matrix As Image*

---

**Description**

To get a quick overview of the spatial distribution of smaller data-sets it may be useful to display numeric values as colored boxes. Such an output may also be referred to as heatmap (note that the term 'heatmap' is frequently associated with graphical display of hierarchical clustering results). The function [image](#) provides the basic support to do so (ie heatmap without rearranging rows and columns by clustering). To do this more conveniently, the function `imageW` offers additional options for displaying row- and column-names or displaying NA-values as custom-color.

**Usage**

```

imageW(
  data,
  latticeVersion = FALSE,
  transp = TRUE,
  NAcol = "grey95",
  tit = NULL,
  rowNa = NULL,
  colNa = NULL,
  xLab = NULL,
  yLab = NULL,
  xLabVal = NULL,

```

```

yLabVal = NULL,
las = 2,
col = NULL,
nColor = 9,
balanceCol = TRUE,
gridCol = "grey75",
gridLty = 1,
centColShift = 0,
cexDispl = NULL,
panel.background.col = "white",
supLat = list(),
rotXlab = 0,
rotYlab = 0,
cexTit = 1.6,
cexAxs = NULL,
cexXlab = 0.7,
cexYlab = 0.9,
showValues = FALSE,
Xtck = 0,
Ytck = 0,
silent = FALSE,
debug = FALSE,
callFrom = NULL
)

```

### Arguments

<code>data</code>	(matrix or data.frame) main input
<code>latticeVersion</code>	(logical) use lattice for plotting (this will include a color-legend)
<code>transp</code>	(logical) decide if data should get transposed (if TRUE the data will be displayed exactly same order as when printing the values as table); set to FALSE to get behaviour prior to version 1.3.0.
<code>NAcol</code>	(character or integer) custom color for NA-values, default is light grey
<code>tit</code>	(character) custom figure title
<code>rowNa</code>	(character) optional custom rownames
<code>colNa</code>	(character) optional custom colnames
<code>xLab</code>	(character, length=1) optional custom text for x-axis label (so far fixed color & fontsize)
<code>yLab</code>	(character, length=1) optional custom text for y-axis label
<code>xLabVal</code>	(character) optional custom text for x-axis 'values' (multiple values/names instead of counters, replaces argument <code>xLab</code> in older versions)
<code>yLabVal</code>	(character) optional custom text for y-axis 'values' (multiple values/names instead of counters, replaces argument <code>yLab</code> in older versions)
<code>las</code>	(numeric) style of axis labels (see also <a href="#">par</a> ); in case of <code>latticeVersion=TRUE</code> this argument will override default <code>rotXlab=0</code> and/or <code>rotYlab=0</code>

<code>col</code>	(character or integer) colors; in lattice version 2 or 3 color-names to define central- and end-points of gradient (starting with color for lowest values, optional central color and color for highest values), default is 60 shades 'RdYlBu' RColorBrewer, if 'heat.colors' use heat.colors in min 15 shades
<code>nColor</code>	(integer, only used in lattice version) number of color-blocks in color gradient (made based on central- and end-points from <code>col</code> )
<code>balanceCol</code>	(logical, only used in lattice version) if TRUE the color-radiant aims to color the value closest to 0 with the center color (from <code>col</code> (default gray))
<code>gridCol</code>	(character, only used in lattice version) define color of grid
<code>gridLty</code>	(integer, only used in lattice version) define line-type of grid (see also <code>lty</code> <a href="#">par</a> )
<code>centColShift</code>	(integer, only used in lattice version) shift central (default grey) color element for negative scale up or down (ie increase or reduce number of color-blocks for negative values), used for correcting automatic scaling rounding issues to ensure the central elements captures 0
<code>cexDispl</code>	(numeric, length=1, only used in lattice version) define cex size for displaying (rounded) values in plot, set to NULL for omitting
<code>panel.background.col</code>	(character, only used in lattice version)
<code>supLat</code>	(list, only used in lattice version) additional arguments/parameters passed to <code>levelplot</code> - currently not activated
<code>rotXlab</code>	(numeric, 0 - 360, lattice version only) control rotation of x-axis values
<code>rotYlab</code>	(numeric, 0 - 360, lattice version only) control rotation of y-axis values
<code>cexTit</code>	(numeric) cex-like expansion factor for title (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
<code>cexAxs</code>	(numeric) cex-like expansion factor for x- and y-axis text/labels (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
<code>cexXlab</code>	(numeric) cex-like expansion factor for x-axis labels (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
<code>cexYlab</code>	(numeric) cex-like expansion factor for y-axis labels (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
<code>showValues</code>	(logical or numeric) optional display of values from data, if contains eg <code>cex=0.5</code> this value will be used as expansion factor (otherwise default to 0.6); if contains eg <code>digits=3</code> this value displayed will be rounded to this number of significant digits (otherwise default to 4)
<code>Xtck</code>	(numeric or logical) expansion factor for length of tick-marks on x-axis (default=0 for no tick-marks)
<code>Ytck</code>	(numeric or logical) expansion factor for length of tick-marks on y-axis
<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

This function allows two modes of operation : 1) plotting using standard R -graphics or 2) using the framework of grid- and lattice-graphics (since version 1.2.6). The latter version allows integrating a legend for the color-scale and adding grid-lines, rotation of axis-labels or removing tick-marks. Please note that sometimes the center-color segment may not end up directly with the center of the scale, in this case you may adjust using the argument `centColShift=-1`

**Value**

This function plots in image (to the current graphical device) as image does

**See Also**

[image](#), for the lattice version [levelplot](#), heatmaps including hierarchical clustering [heatmap](#) or [heatmap.2](#) from package [gplots](#)

**Examples**

```
imageW(iris[1:40,1:4], transp=FALSE, tit="Iris (head)")
imageW(iris[1:20,1:4], latticeVersion=TRUE, col=c("blue","red"),
       rotXlab=45, yLab="Observation no", tit="Iris (head)")
```

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legendHist

---

*Add histogram to existing plot*


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**Description**

Add histogram at place of legend using colors from 'colorRamp'.

**Usage**

```
legendHist(
  x,
  colRamp = NULL,
  location = "bottomright",
  legTit = NULL,
  cex = 0.7,
  srt = 67,
  offs = NULL,
  border = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

**Arguments**

x	(numeric) main input/component of plot
colRamp	(character or integer) set of colors, default is rainbow-like
location	(character) for location of histogram inside existing plot (may be 'br', 'bl', 'tl', 'tr', 'bottomright', 'bottomleft', 'topleft', 'topright')
legTit	(character, length=1) optional title for histogram-insert
cex	(numeric) expansion factor (see also <a href="#">par</a> )

srt	(numeric) angle for histogram text labels (90 will give vertical label) (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
offS	(NULL or numeric, length=5) fine-tuning of where histogram-insert will be placed and how elements therein are distributed (default c(xOff=0.2,yOff=0.25,leftOffS=0.05,upperBarEnd=1.05,txtOff=0.02), 1st and 2nd determine proportion of insert relative to entire plotting region, 3rd defines space left on bottom for text, 4th if bars hit ceiling of insert or proportion to leave, 5th for shifting text towards top when turned other than 90 degrees )
border	(logical) decide if draw gray rectangle or not around legend
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This function produces a histogram on the current plotting device

### Examples

```
dat <- rnorm(90); plot(dat)
legendHist(dat, col=1:5)
```

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MAplotW

*MA-plot (differential intensity versus average intensity)*


---

### Description

This type of plot for display of relative changes versus (mean) absolute abundance is very common in high-throughput biology, see [MA-plot](#). Basically one compares two independent series of measures (ie gene transcript or protein abundance values) of 2 samples/data-sets or the means of 2 groups of replicates. And the log-fold-change ('Minus'=M) is plotted against the absolute mean value ('Average'=A). Furthermore, output from statistical testing by [moderTest2grp](#) or [moderTestXgrp](#) can be directly read to produce MA plots for diagnostic purpose. Please note, that plotting a very high number of points in transparency (eg >10000) may take several seconds.

### Usage

```
MAplotW(
  Mvalue,
  Avalue = NULL,
  useComp = 1,
  filtFin = NULL,
  ProjNa = NULL,
  FCthrs = NULL,
  subTxt = NULL,
  grayIncr = TRUE,
```



```

col = NULL,
pch = 16,
compNa = NULL,
batchFig = FALSE,
cexMa = 1.8,
cexLa = 1.1,
limM = NULL,
limA = NULL,
annotColumn = c("SpecType", "GeneName", "EntryName", "Accession", "Species", "Contam"),
annColor = NULL,
cexPt = NULL,
cexSub = NULL,
cexTxLab = 0.7,
namesNBest = NULL,
NbestCol = 1,
NaSpecTypeAsContam = TRUE,
useMar = c(6.2, 4, 4, 2),
returnData = FALSE,
callFrom = NULL,
silent = FALSE,
debug = FALSE
)

```

### Arguments

Mvalue	(numeric, list or MArrayLM-object) main data to plot; if numeric, the content will be used as M-values (and A-values must be provided separately); if list or MArrayLM-object, it must contain list-elements named Mvalue and means to extract all information needed for plotting
Avalue	(numeric, list or data.frame) if NULL it is assumed that M-values can be extracted from argument Avalue
useComp	(integer) choice of one of multiple comparisons present in Mvalue (if generated using moderTestXgrp())
filtFin	(matrix or logical) The data may get filtered before plotting: If FALSE no filtering will get applied; if matrix of TRUE/FALSE it will be used as optional custom filter, otherwise (if Mvalue if an MArrayLM-object eg from limma) a default filtering based on the filtFin element will be applied
ProjNa	(character) custom title
FCthrs	(numeric) Fold-Change threshold (display as line) give as Fold-change and NOT log <sub>2</sub> (FC)
subTxt	(character) custom sub-title
grayIncr	(logical) if TRUE, display overlay of points (not exceeding threshold) as increased shades of gray
col	(character) custom color(s) for points of plot (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
pch	(integer) type of symbol(s) to plot (default=16) (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
compNa	deprecated, please use useComp instead

batchFig	(logical) if TRUE figure title and axes legends will be kept shorter for display on fewer space
cexMa	(numeric) font-size of title, as expansion factor (see also cex in <a href="#">par</a> )
cexLa	(numeric) size of axis-labels, as expansion factor (see also cex in <a href="#">par</a> )
limM	(numeric, length=2) range of axis M-values
limA	(numeric, length=2) range of axis A-values
annotColumn	(character) column names of annotation to be extracted (only if Mvalue is MArrayLM-object containing matrix \$annot). The first entry (typically 'SpecType') is used for different symbols in figure, the second (typically 'GeneName') is used as preferred text for annotating the best points (if namesNBest allows to do so.)
annColor	(character or integer) colors for specific groups of annotation (only if Mvalue is MArrayLM-object containing matrix \$annot)
cexPt	(numeric) size of points, as expansion factor (see also cex in <a href="#">par</a> )
cexSub	(numeric) size of subtitle, as expansion factor (see also cex in <a href="#">par</a> )
cexTxLab	(numeric) size of text-labels for points, as expansion factor (see also cex in <a href="#">par</a> )
namesNBest	(integer or character, length=1) number of best points to add names in figure; if 'passThr' all points passing FC-filter will be selected; if the initial object Mvalue contains a list-element called 'annot' the second of the column specified in argument annotColumn will be used as text
NbestCol	(character or integer) colors for text-labels of best points
NaSpecTypeAsContam	(logical) consider lines/proteins with NA in Mvalue\$annot["SpecType"] as contaminants (if a 'SpecType' for contaminants already exists)
useMar	(numeric,length=4) custom margins (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
returnData	(logical) optional returning data.frame with (ID, Mvalue, Avalue, FDRvalue, passFilt)
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging

### Value

This function plots an MA-plot (to the current graphical device); if returnData=TRUE, a data.frame with (\$ID, \$Mvalue, \$Avalue, \$FDRvalue, \$passFilt) gets returned

### See Also

(for PCA) [plotPCAw](#)

**Examples**

```

library(wrMisc)
set.seed(2005); mat <- matrix(round(runif(600),2), ncol=6)
rownames(mat) <- c(rep(letters[1:25],each=3), letters[2:26])
MAplotW(mat[,2] -mat[,1], A=rowMeans(mat))
## assume 2 groups with 3 samples each
matMeans <- rowGrpMeans(mat, gr=gl(2,3,labels=LETTERS[3:4]))
MAplotW(M=matMeans[,2] -matMeans[,1], A=matMeans)
## assume 2 groups with 3 samples each and run moderated t-test (from package 'limma')
tRes <- moderTest2grp(mat, gl(2,3))
MAplotW(tRes$Mval, tRes$Amean)
MAplotW(M=tRes$Mval, A=tRes$means, FCth=1.3)
MAplotW(tRes)
MAplotW(tRes, limM=c(-2,2), FCth=1.3)

```

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mouseOverHtmlFile

*Create mouse-over interactive html-pages (with links)*


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**Description**

This function allows generating html pages with interactive mouse-over to display information for the points of the plot and www-links when clicking based on embedded png file. Basically, an html page will be generated which contains a call to display to an image file specified in pngFileNa and in the body below pixel-coordinated will be given for display of information at mouse-over and embedded links.

**Usage**

```

mouseOverHtmlFile(
  myCoor,
  pngFileNa,
  HtmFileNa = NULL,
  mouseOverTxt = NULL,
  displSi = c(800, 600),
  colNa = NULL,
  tit = "",
  myHtmTit = "",
  myComment = NULL,
  textAtStart = NULL,
  textAtEnd = NULL,
  pxDiam = 5,
  addLinks = NULL,
  linkExt = NULL,
  htmlExt = "htm",
  callFrom = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE
)

```

**Arguments**

myCoor	(matrix or data.frame) with initial x&y coordinates of points for plot; with IDs (1st column !!) & coordinates (2nd & 3rd col), data for mouse-over & link (4th & 5th); NOTE : if 'colNa' NOT given, colnames of 'myCoor' will be inspected & filtered (columns of non-conform names may get lost) !!! Associated with (already existing) figure file 'pngFileNa' and make html page where points may be indicated by mouse-over
pngFileNa	(character, length=1) filename for complementary png figure (must already exist)
HtmFileNa	(character, length=1) filename for html file produced
mouseOverTxt	(character, length=1) text for interactive mouse-over in html, if NULL, will use col specified by 1st 'colNa' or (if NULL) rownames of 'myCoor'
displSi	(integer, length=2) size of image ('pngFileNa') at display in html (width,height), see also <a href="#">par</a>
colNa	(character) if not NULL min length of 3 to custom specify the column-names to be used : 1st for mouse-over and 2nd+3rd for coordinates associated (and optional 4th for links)
tit	(character) title to be displayed on top of figure
myHtmTit	(character) title of Html page; 'htmlExt' .. checking and correcting filename-extension (only main Html page)
myComment	(character) modify comment embedded in html-document
textAtStart	(character) text in html before figure
textAtEnd	(character) text in html after figure
pxDiam	(integer, length=1) diameter for mouse-over tip to appear (single val or vector), simpler version/solution than with 'Tooltip' package
addLinks	(character) for clickable links, either 1) vector of links or 2) single character-chain to be used for pasting to rownames (eg <a href="https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/">https://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/</a> ) or 3) TRUE to check presence of 4th name specified in 'colNa' to be used as columnname from 'myCoor' dominates over eventual presence of 4th name in 'colNa'
linkExt	(character) if specified : links will get specified ending, define as NULL or "" for taking 'addLinks' asIs
htmlExt	(character, length=1) extension used when making html files
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging

**Details**

Basically there are two options for defining the path to the image embedded : 1) Absolute path : In turn you can move the html to different locations, as long as it still can see the png-file the image can be displayed. However, this may not be any more the case when the html file is sent to another person. If the png-file is accessible as url, it should be easily visible. 2) Relative path : The simplest

case would be to give only the file-name with no path at all, thus the png-file is supposed to be in the same directory as the html-file. This option is very 'transportable'. Basically the same applies to the clickable links which may be provided. In high-throughput biology one typically points here to data-bases accessible over the internet where urls to specific pages. With UniProt such links can easily be constructed when using protein identifiers as rownames.

## Value

plot

## See Also

[convertPlotCoordPix](#); use [htmlSpecCharConv](#) to convert special characters for proper html display

## Examples

```
## Note, this example writes files to R's tempdir,
## Otherwise, if you simply work in the current directory without specifying paths you'll
## get an html with relative paths, which simply needs the png file in the same path
df1 <- data.frame(id=letters[1:10], x=1:10, y=rep(5,10), mou=paste("point",letters[1:10]),
  link=file.path(tempdir(),paste0(LETTERS[1:10],".html")), stringsAsFactors=FALSE)
## here we'll use R's tempdir, later you may want to choose other locations
pngFile <- file.path(tempdir(),"test01.png")
png(pngFile,width=800, height=600,res=72)
## here we'll just plot a set of horizontal points ...
plot(df1[,2:3],las=1,main="test01")
dev.off()
## Note : Special characters should be converted for display in html pages during mouse-over
library(wrMisc)
df1$mou <- htmlSpecCharConv(df1$mou)
## Let's add the x- and y-coordinates of the points in pixels to the data.frame
df1 <- cbind(df1,convertPlotCoordPix(x=df1[,2],y=df1[,3],plotD=c(800,600),plotRes=72))
head(df1)
## Now make the html-page allowing to display mouse-over to the png made before
htmlFile <- file.path(tempdir(),"test01.html")
mouseOverHtmlFile(df1,pngFile,HtmlFileName=htmlFile,pxDiam=15,
  textAtStart="Points in the figure are interactive to mouse-over ...",
  textAtEnd="and/or may contain links")
## We still need to make some toy links
for(i in 1:nrow(df1)) cat(paste0("point no ",i," : ",df1[i,1]," x=",df1[i,2]," y=",
  df1[i,3]), file=df1$link[i])
## Now we are ready to open the html file using any browser
## Not run:
browseURL(htmlFile)

## End(Not run)
```

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partitionPlot	<i>Make matrix for layout to partition plotting area</i>
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### Description

This function proposes a matrix for use with [layout](#) to arrange given number of plots to be placed on a page/plotting area. In certain instances the proposed layout may accomodate slightly more plots, eg nFig=5 can not be arranged in 2 or 3 columns without an empty last spot. Portrait (vertival) or lanscape (horizontal) layout proportions can be chosen. The user can also impose a given number of columns.

### Usage

```
partitionPlot(
  nFig,
  returnMatr = TRUE,
  horiz = TRUE,
  figNcol = NULL,
  byrow = TRUE,
  silent = TRUE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

nFig	(integer) number of figures to be arrages on single plotting surface (ie window or plotting device)
returnMatr	(logical) will return matrix ready for use by <a href="#">layout</a> ; returns vector with nRow and nCol if =FALSE
horiz	(logical) will priviledge horizontal layout if TRUE
figNcol	(integer) optional number of columns
byrow	(logical) toggle if output is in order of rows or columns (equivalent to <a href="#">matrix</a> )
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additonal messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

matrix for use with [layout](#) or (if returnMatr=FALSE numeric vector with number of segements in x- an y-axis)

### See Also

[layout](#)

**Examples**

```
partitionPlot(5); partitionPlot(14,horiz=TRUE)
```

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plotBy2Groups

*Separate and plot data by 2 groups*

---

**Description**

Plot series of data as membership of 2 different grouping vectors (eg by grp=patient and grp2=age-group).

**Usage**

```
plotBy2Groups(  
  dat,  
  grp,  
  grp2 = NULL,  
  col = NULL,  
  pch = NULL,  
  tit = NULL,  
  cex = 2,  
  lwd = 0.5,  
  lty = 2,  
  yLab = NULL,  
  cexLab = NULL,  
  sepLines = FALSE,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

**Arguments**

dat	(numeric) main data (may contain NA)
grp	(character or factor) grouping of columns of 'dat', eg replicate association
grp2	(character or factor) additional/secondary grouping of columns of 'dat'
col	(character or integer) use custom colors, see also <a href="#">par</a>
pch	(integer) symbol to mark group-center (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
tit	(character) custom title
cex	(numeric) expansion factor for text (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
lwd	(integer) line-width (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
lty	(integer) line-type (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
yLab	(character) custom y-axis label

cexLab	(numeric) expansion factor for labels: 1st value for main groups (grp, eg genotypes), 2nd for detailed text (grp2, eg animal IDs) (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
sepLines	(logical) optional drawing of horizontal lines aiming to separate groups (in analogy to support vectors)
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

list with \$annot, \$abund for initial/raw abundance values and \$quant with final normalized quantitations, or returns data.frame with annot and quant if separateAnnot=FALSE

**See Also**

[read.table](#), [normalizeThis](#))

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2020); rand1 <- round(runif(12),2) +rep(1:3,each=4)
plotBy2Groups(rand1, gl(2,6,labels=LETTERS[5:6]), gl(4,3,labels=letters[1:4]))
```

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plotLinReg

*Plot linear regression and confidence interval of regression*

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**Description**

This function provides help to display a series of bivariate points given in 'dat' (multiple data formats possible), to model a linear regression and plot the results. Furthermore, a confidence interval to the regression may be added to the plot, regression parameters get be displayed.

**Usage**

```
plotLinReg(
  dat,
  indepVarLst = NULL,
  dependVar = NULL,
  cusTxt = NULL,
  regrLty = 1,
  regrLwd = 1,
  regrCol = 1,
  confInt = 0.95,
  confCol = NULL,
  xLab = NULL,
  yLab = NULL,
  xLim = NULL,
```



```

yLim = NULL,
tit = NULL,
nSignif = 3,
col = 1,
pch = 1,
silent = FALSE,
debug = FALSE,
callFrom = NULL
)

```

### Arguments

dat	(numeric, data.frame or list) main data to plot/inspect. If numeric 'dat' will be used as dependent variable (y-data) together with numeric 'indepVarLst' (independent variable); if list, then list-elements indepVarLst and dependVar will be used; if matrix, the the 1st and 2nd colum will be used
indepVarLst	(character) if 'dat' is list, this designes the list element with the explanatory or independent variable (ie the variable used for explaining, typically x-data)
dependVar	(character) if 'dat' is list, this designes the list element with dependent variable (ie the variable to be explained, typically y-data) to test
cusTxt	(character) optional custom text to display in subtitle (instead of p-value to H0: slope.regression=0)
regrLty	(integer) line type for regression
regrLwd	(integer) line width for regression
regrCol	(integer) color of regression-line
confInt	(numeric, between 0 and 1) the probabiitiy alpha for the regression interval, if NULL no confidence intervall will be plotted/calculated
confCol	(character) (background) color for confidence-interval
xLab	(character) optional custom x-label
yLab	(character) optional custom y-label
xLim	(numeric) custom limit for x-axis (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
yLim	(numeric) custom limit for y-axis (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
tit	(character) optional title
nSignif	(integer) number of significant digits for regression parameters in subtitle of plot
col	(integer or character) custom color for points (choose NULL for not plotting the actual data)
pch	(integer or character) type of symbol for points (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Value

This functions simply plots (to the current graphical device); an invisible list containing \$data, \$lin-Reg, \$confInterval (if calculated) may be returned, too

**See Also**

[exclExtrValues](#) for decision of potential outliers; [hist](#), [vioplotW](#)

**Examples**

```
set.seed(2020); dat1 <- rep(1:6,each=2) +runif(12,0,1)
plotLinReg(dat1, gl(6,2))
## extract elements out of list :
li2 <- list(aa=gl(5,2), bb=dat1[1:10])
plotLinReg(li2, indepVarLst="aa", dependVar="bb")
```

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plotPCAw

*PCA plot with bag-plot to highlight groups*

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**Description**

This function allows to plot **principal components analysis (PCA)**, with options to show center and potential outliers for each of the groups (columns of data). The main points of this implementation consist in offering bagplots to highlight groups of columns/samples and support to (object-oriented) output from [limma](#) and [wrProteo](#).

**Usage**

```
plotPCAw(
  dat,
  sampleGrp,
  tit = NULL,
  useSymb = c(21:25, 9:12, 3:4),
  center = TRUE,
  scale. = TRUE,
  colBase = NULL,
  useSymb2 = NULL,
  cexTxt = 1,
  cexSub = 0.6,
  displBagPl = TRUE,
  outCoef = 2,
  getOutL = FALSE,
  showLegend = TRUE,
  nGrpForMedian = 6,
  pointLabelPar = NULL,
  rowTyName = "genes",
  rotatePC = NULL,
  suplFig = TRUE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE
)
```

**Arguments**

dat	(matrix, data.frame, MArrayLM-object or list) data to plot. Note: NA-values cannot be processed - all lines with non-finite data (eg NA) will be omitted ! In case of MArrayLM-object or list dat must contain list-element named 'datImp', 'dat' or 'data'.
sampleGrp	(character or factor) should be factor describing groups of replicates, NAs are not supported
tit	(character) custom title
useSymb	(integer) symbols to use (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
center	(logical or numeric) decide if variables should be shifted to be zero centered, argument passed to <a href="#">prcomp</a>
scale.	(logical or numeric) decide if scaling to obtain unit variance, argument passed to <a href="#">prcomp</a> Alternatively, a vector of length equal the number of columns of x can be supplied. The value is passed to scale.
colBase	(character or integer) use custom colors
useSymb2	(integer) symbol to mark group-center (no mark of group-center if default NULL) (equivalent to pch, see also <a href="#">par</a> )
cexTxt	(integer) expansion factor for text (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
cexSub	(integer) expansion factor for subtitle line text (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
displBagPl	(logical) if TRUE, show bagPlot (group-center) if >3 points per group otherwise the average-confidence-interval
outCoef	(numeric) parameter for defining outliers, see <a href="#">addBagPlot</a> (equivalent to range in <a href="#">boxplot</a> )
getOutL	(logical) return outlier samples/values
showLegend	(logical or character) toggle to display legend, if character it designates the location within the plot to display the legend ('bottomleft', 'topright', etc..)
nGrpForMedian	(integer) decide if group center should be displayed via its average or median value: If group has less than 'nGrpForMedian' values, the average will be used, otherwise the median; if NULL no group centers will be displayed
pointLabelPar	(character) define formatting for optional labels next to points in main figure (ie PC1 vs PC2); may be TRUE or list containing elements 'textLabel', 'textCol', 'textCex', 'textOffSet', 'textAdj' for fine-tuning
rowTyName	(character) for subtitle : specify nature of rows (genes, proteins, probesets,...)
rotatePC	(integer) optional rotation (by -1) for figure of the principal components specified by index
suplFig	(logical) to include plots vs 3rd principal component (PC) and Screeplot
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) display additional messages for debugging

## Details

One motivation for this implementation of plotting PCA was to provide a convenient way for doing so with of MArrayLM-objects or lists as created by [limma](#) and [wrProteo](#).

Another motivation for this implementation come from integrating the idea of bag-plots to better visualize different groups of points (if they can be organized so beforehand as distinct groups) : The main body of data is shown as 'bag-plots' (a bivariate boxplot, see [Bagplot](#)) with different transparent colors to highlight the core part of different groups (if they contain more than 2 values per group). Furthermore, group centers are shown as average or median (see 'nGrpForMedian') with stars & index-number (if <25 groups).

Layout is automatically set to 2 or 4 subplots (if plotting more than 2 principal components makes sense).

Note : This function uses [prcomp](#) for calculating Eigenvectors and principal components, with default `center=TRUE` and `scale.=FALSE` (different to `princomp()`. which standardizes by default). This way the user has to option to intervene on arguments `center` and `scale.`. However, this should be done with care.

Note: NA-values cannot (by definition) be processed by (any) PCA - all lines with any non-finite values/content (eg NA) will be omitted !

Note : Package [RColorBrewer](#) may be used if available.

For more options with PCA (and related methods) you may also see also the package [FactoMineR](#) which provides a very wide spectrum of possibilities, in particular for combined numeric and categorical data.

## Value

This function make a plot and may return an optional matrix of outlier-data (depending on argument `getOutL`)

## See Also

[prcomp](#) (used here for the PCA underneath) , [princomp](#), see the package [FactoMineR](#) for multiple plotting options or ways of combining categorical and numeric data

## Examples

```
set.seed(2019); dat1 <- matrix(round(c(rnorm(1000), runif(1000,-0.9,0.9))),2),
  ncol=20, byrow=TRUE) + matrix(rep(rep(1:5,6:2), each=100), ncol=20)
biplot(prcomp(dat1))          # traditional plot
(grp = factor(rep(LETTERS[5:1],6:2)))
plotPCAw(dat1, grp)
```

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plotW2Leg	<i>x-y plot with 2 legends</i>
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### Description

This is a modified version of `plot` for 2-dimensional data, allowing to choose symbols and colors of points according to two additional columns of `dat`.

### Usage

```
plotW2Leg(  
  dat,  
  useCol = c("logp", "slope", "medAbund", "startFr"),  
  tit = NULL,  
  subTi = NULL,  
  subCex = 0.9,  
  pch = 21:25,  
  xlim = NULL,  
  ylim = NULL,  
  xlab = NULL,  
  ylab = NULL,  
  ablines = NULL,  
  legendloc = "topright",  
  txtLegend = NULL,  
  histLoc = "bottomleft",  
  legHiTi = NULL,  
  silent = TRUE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL  
)
```

### Arguments

<code>dat</code>	(matrix or <code>data.frame</code> ) main input
<code>useCol</code>	(character or integer) columns from <code>dat</code> : The 1st and 2nd column are used as x- and y-axis
<code>tit</code>	(character) optional custom title
<code>subTi</code>	(character) optional custom subtitle
<code>subCex</code>	(numeric) cex-like expansion factor for subtitle (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
<code>pch</code>	(integer) symbols to use for plotting (see also <a href="#">par</a> ), will be associated to 4th column of <code>useCol</code>
<code>xlim</code>	(numeric, length=2) x- axis limits (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
<code>ylim</code>	(numeric, length=2) y- axis limits (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
<code>xlab</code>	(character) custom x-axis label

y1ab	(character) custom x-axis label
ablines	(list) optional horizontal and/or vertical gray dashed guide-lines
legendloc	(character) location of legend (of symbols)
txtLegend	(character) optional label for legend (of symbols)
histLoc	(character) location of histogram-legend (of 3rd column of useCol)
legHiTi	(character) optional title for histogram-legend
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allows easier tracking of messages produced

**Value**

graphical output only

**See Also**

(standard plots) plot from the package base

**Examples**

```
x1 <- cbind(x=c(2,1:7), y=8:1 +runif(8), grade=rep(1:4,2))
plotW2Leg(x1,useCol=c("x","y","y","grade"))
```

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profileAsClu

*Plot profiles according to CLustering*

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**Description**

This function was made for visualizing the result of clustering of a numeric vector or clustering along multiple columns of a matrix. The data will be plotted like a regular scatter-plot, but some extra space is added to separate clusters and dashed lines highlight cluster-borders. If no mean/representative value is specified, a geometric mean will be calculated along all columns of dat. In case dat has multiple columns, a legend and a representative (default geometric mean) dashed grey line will be displayed.

**Usage**

```
profileAsClu(
  dat,
  clu,
  meanD = NULL,
  tit = NULL,
  col = NULL,
  pch = NULL,
  xlab = NULL,
```

```

ylab = NULL,
meCol = "grey",
meLty = 1,
meLwd = 1,
cex = NULL,
cexTit = NULL,
legLoc = "bottomleft",
silent = TRUE,
debug = FALSE,
callFrom = NULL
)

```

### Arguments

<code>dat</code>	(matrix or data.frame) main input with data to plot as points
<code>clu</code>	(numeric or character) clustering results; if length=1 and character this term will be understood as column-name with cluster-numbers from <code>dat</code>
<code>meanD</code>	(numeric) mean/representative of multiple series for display as lines; if length=1 and character this term will be understood as columnname with cluster-numbers from <code>dat</code>
<code>tit</code>	(character) optional custom title
<code>col</code>	(character) custom colors
<code>pch</code>	(integer) custom plotting symbols (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
<code>xlab</code>	(character) custom x-axis label
<code>ylab</code>	(character) custom y-axis label
<code>meCol</code>	(character) color for (dashed) line of mean/representative values
<code>meLty</code>	(integer) line-type line of mean/representative values (see also <code>lty</code> in <a href="#">par</a> )
<code>meLwd</code>	(numeric) line-width line of mean/representative values (see also <code>lwd</code> in <a href="#">par</a> )
<code>cex</code>	(numeric) cex-like expansion factor (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
<code>cexTit</code>	(numeric) cex-like expansion factor for title (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
<code>legLoc</code>	(character) legend location
<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 plot only

### Examples

```

set.seed(2020); dat1 <- runif(12)/2 + rep(6:8, each=4)
dat1Cl <- stats::kmeans(dat1, 3)$cluster
dat1Cl <- 5- dat1Cl # bring cluster-numbers in ascending form
dat1Cl[which(dat1Cl >3)] <- 1 # bring cluster-numbers in ascending form
profileAsClu(dat1, clu=dat1Cl)

```

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staggerdCountsPlot	<i>Staggered Chart for Ploting Counts to Multiple Levels of the Threshold used</i>
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## Description

The basic idea of this plot is to show how counts data change while shifting a threshold-criterion. At each given threshold the counts are plotted like a staggered bar-chart (or staggered histogram) but without vertical lines to illustrate the almost continuous change from preceding or following threshold-value. Initially this plot was designed for showing the absolute count-data used when constructing roc-curves (eg using the function `summarizeForROC` of package `wrProteo`). The main input should furnish the panel of threshold as one column and the corresponding counts data as min 2 columns. The threshold column gets specified using the argument `threColumn`, the counts-data may either be specified using argument `countsCol` or be searched using `grep` using column-names containing the text given in argument `varCountNa` with may be combined with a fixed preceding part given as argument `fixedCountPat`.

## Usage

```
staggerdCountsPlot(
  roc,
  threColumn = 1,
  countsCol = NULL,
  fixedCountPat = "n.pos.",
  varCountNa = NULL,
  sortAscending = TRUE,
  vertLine = NULL,
  col = NULL,
  tit = NULL,
  logScale = FALSE,
  las.alph = 2,
  displMaxSpec = TRUE,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL
)
```

## Arguments

<code>roc</code>	(numeric matrix or data.frame) main input: one column with thresholds and multiple columns of associated count data
<code>threColumn</code>	(integer or character) to specify the column with threshold-data, in typical proteomics benchmark studies this would be 'alph' (for the statistical test threshold)
<code>countsCol</code>	(character or integer, min length=2) choice of column(s) with count-data in 'roc' to be used for display, if not NULL will override alternative search of columns using 'varCountNa' and 'fixedCountPat'



<code>fixedCountPat</code>	(character) optional pattern to help identifying counts-data: if not NULL it will be used as fixed part in column names to get pasted to <code>varCountNa</code> . In proteomics benchmark studies this would typically be 'n.pos.'
<code>varCountNa</code>	(character) alternative way to select the columns from 'roc': searched using <code>grep</code> using column-names containing the text given in argument <code>varCountNa</code> with may be combined with a fixed preceding part given as argument <code>fixedCountPat</code> . In proteomics benchmark studies this would typically be the species-abbreviations (eg 'H','S','E')
<code>sortAscending</code>	(logical) decide if data should be sorted ascending or descending
<code>vertLine</code>	(numeric) for optional vertical line, typically used to highlight alpha 0.05
<code>col</code>	(character) custom colors, see also <code>par</code>
<code>tit</code>	(character) custom title
<code>logScale</code>	(logical) display threshold values (x-axis) on log-scale
<code>las.alph</code>	(numeric) orientation of label of alpha-cutoff, see also <code>par</code>
<code>displMaxSpec</code>	(logical) display on right side of figure max count value of contributing group species
<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

Investigate count data prepared for plotting ROC curves : cumulative counts plot by species (along different statistical test thresholds). Note : Package `wrProteo` may be used to prepare input (matrix of ROC data).

### Value

plot only

### See Also

`ecdf`, for preparing input to ROC: function `summarizeForROC` in package `wrProteo`

### Examples

```
set.seed(2019); test1 <- cbind(a=sample.int(n=7,size=50,repl=TRUE),
  b=sample.int(n=11,size=50,repl=TRUE),c=sample.int(n=18,size=50,repl=TRUE))
test1 <- cbind(alph=seq(0,1,length.out=50),a=cumsum(test1[,1]),b=cumsum(test1[,2]),
  c=cumsum(test1[,3]))
staggerdCountsPlot(test1,countsCol=c("a","b","c"))
## example below requires the package wrProteo
```

**Description**

This function allows generating **Violin plots**) using a variety of input formats and offers additional options for colors. Main input may be multiple vectors, a matrix or list of multiple data-elements (entries may be of variable length), individual colors for different sets of data or color-gradients can be specified, and the display of n per set of data was integrated (based on an inspiration from the discussion 'Removing-NAs-from-dataframe-for-use-in-Vioplot' on the forum Nabble). It is also possible to plot pairwise half-violins for easier pairwise-comparisons (using `halfViolin="pairwise"`). Many arguments are kept similar to **vioplot** (here, the package `vioplot` is not required/used).

**Usage**

```
vioplotW(  
  x,  
  ...,  
  finiteOnly = TRUE,  
  removeEmpty = FALSE,  
  halfViolin = FALSE,  
  boxCol = "def",  
  hh = NULL,  
  xlim = NULL,  
  ylim = NULL,  
  nameSer = NULL,  
  cexNameSer = NULL,  
  horizontal = FALSE,  
  col = "rainbow",  
  border = "black",  
  xlab = NULL,  
  ylab = NULL,  
  cexLab = NULL,  
  cexAxis = NULL,  
  lty = 1,  
  pointCol = NULL,  
  cexPt = NULL,  
  tit = NULL,  
  las = 1,  
  lwd = 1,  
  rectCol = "black",  
  at = 0,  
  add = FALSE,  
  wex = NULL,  
  silent = FALSE,  
  debug = FALSE,  
  callFrom = NULL
```

)

**Arguments**

x	(matrix, list or data.frame) data to plot, or first series of data
...	(numeric) additional sets of data to plot
finiteOnly	(logical) eliminate non-finite elements to avoid potential errors (eg when encountering NA)
removeEmpty	(logical) omit empty series (or less than 4 finite numeric entries) of data from plot
halfViolin	(logical or character) decide with TRUE or FALSE if full or only half of violins should be plotted, if "pairwise" always 2 data-sets will be plotted back-to-back
boxCol	(character) decide if boxplot should be added inside the violin, use "def" for default transparent grey
hh	(numeric, length <4) smoothing parameter (standard deviation to kernel function, if omitted anormal optimal smoothing parameter is used); equivalent to argument h in package <a href="#">vioplot</a> ; see also <a href="#">sm.density</a>
xlim	(NULL or numeric, length=2) custom limit on x-axis, see also <a href="#">par</a>
ylim	(NULL or numeric, length=2) custom limit on y-axis, see also <a href="#">par</a>
nameSer	(character) custom label for data-sets or columns (length must match number of data-sets)
cexNameSer	(numeric) size of individual data-series labels as cex-expansion factor (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
horizontal	(logical) orientation of plot
col	(character or integer) custom colors or gradients like 'rainbow', 'grayscale', 'heat.colors', 'topo.colors', 'Spectral' or 'Paired', or you may use colors made by the package <a href="#">colorRamps</a>
border	(character) custom color for figure border
xlab	(character) custom x-axis label
ylab	(character) custom y-axis label
cexLab	(numeric) size of axis labels as cex-expansion factor (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
cexAxis	(numeric) size of numeric y-axis labels as cex-expansion factor (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
lty	(integer) line-type for linear regression line (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
pointCol	(character or numeric) display of median: color (defaultly white)
cexPt	(numeric) display of median : size of point as cex-expansion factor (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
tit	(character) custom title to figure
las	(integer) orientation of axis labels (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
lwd	(integer) width of line(s) (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
rectCol	(character) color of rectangle

at	(numeric) custom location of data-series names, ie the points at which tick-marks are to be drawn, will be passed to <code>axis</code> , it's length must match the number of data-sets
add	(logical) add to existing plot if TRUE
wex	(integer) relative expansion factor of the violin
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced

### Details

The (relative) width of the density-profiles ('Violins') may be manually adjusted using the parameter `wex` which applies to all profiles drawn.

Note : Arguments have to be given with full names, lazy evaluation of arguments will not work properly with this function (since `'...'` is used to capture additional data-sets). Note : `vioplot` offers better options for plotting formulas

### Value

This function plots a figure (to the current graphical device)

### See Also

the package `vioplot`, `sm` is used for the density estimation

### Examples

```
set.seed(2013)
dat6 <- matrix(round(rnorm(300) +3, 1), ncol=6,
  dimnames=list(paste0("li",1:50), letters[19:24]))
vioplotW(dat6)
## variable number of elements (each n is displayed)
dat6b <- apply(dat6, 2, function(x) x[which(x < 5)])
dat6b[[4]] <- dat6b[[4]][dat6b[[4]] < 4]
vioplotW(dat6b, col="Spectral")
vioplotW(dat6b, col="Spectral", halfViolin="pairwise", horizontal=TRUE)
vioplotW(dat6b, col="Spectral", halfViolin="pairwise", horizontal=FALSE)
```

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VolcanoPlotW

*Volcano-Plot (Statistical Test Outcome versus Relative Change)*

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### Description

This type of plot is very common in high-throughput biology, see [Volcano-plot](#). Basically, this plot allows comparing the outcome of a statistical test to the relative change (ie log fold-change, M-value).

**Usage**

```

VolcanoPlotW(
  Mvalue,
  pValue = NULL,
  useComp = 1,
  filtFin = NULL,
  ProjNa = NULL,
  FCthrs = NULL,
  FdrList = NULL,
  FdrThrs = NULL,
  FdrType = NULL,
  subTxt = NULL,
  grayIncr = TRUE,
  col = NULL,
  pch = 16,
  compNa = NULL,
  batchFig = FALSE,
  cexMa = 1.8,
  cexLa = 1.1,
  limM = NULL,
  limp = NULL,
  annotColumn = c("SpecType", "GeneName", "EntryName", "Accession", "Species", "Contam"),
  annColor = NULL,
  expFCarrow = FALSE,
  cexPt = NULL,
  cexSub = NULL,
  cexTxLab = 0.7,
  namesNBest = NULL,
  NbestCol = 1,
  sortLeg = "descend",
  NaSpecTypeAsContam = TRUE,
  useMar = c(6.2, 4, 4, 2),
  returnData = FALSE,
  callFrom = NULL,
  silent = FALSE,
  debug = FALSE
)

```

**Arguments**

Mvalue	(MArrayLM-object, numeric or matrix) data to plot; M-values are typically calculated as difference of log <sub>2</sub> -abundance values and 'pValue' the mean of log <sub>2</sub> -abundance values; M-values and p-values may be given as 2 columns of a matrix, in this case the argument pValue should remain NULL. One may also furnish MArrayLM-objects created by package wrProteo or limma.
pValue	(numeric, list or data.frame) if NULL it is assumed that 2nd column of 'Mvalue' contains the p-values to be used

useComp	(integer, length=1) choice of which of multiple comparisons to present in Mvalue (if generated using moderTestXgrp())
filtFin	(matrix or logical) The data may get filtered before plotting: If FALSE no filtering will get applied; if matrix of TRUE/FALSE it will be used as optional custom filter, otherwise (if Mvalue if an MArrayLM-object eg from limma) a default filtering based on the filtFin element will be applied
ProjNa	(character) custom title
FCthrs	(numeric) Fold-Change threshold (display as line) give as Fold-change and NOT $\log_2(\text{FC})$ , default at 1.5, set to NA for omitting
FdrList	(numeric) FDR data or name of list-element
FdrThrs	(numeric) FDR threshold (display as line), default at 0.05, set to NA for omitting
FdrType	(character) FDR-type to extract if Mvalue is 'MArrayLM'-object (eg produced by from moderTest2grp etc); if NULL it will search for suitable fields/values in this order : 'FDR', 'BH', 'lfdR' and 'BY'
subTxt	(character) custom sub-title
grayIncr	(logical) if TRUE, display overlay of points (not exceeding thresholds) as increased shades of gray
col	(character) custom color(s) for points of plot (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
pch	(integer) type of symbol(s) to plot (default=16) (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
compNa	(character) names of groups compared
batchFig	(logical) if TRUE figure title and axes legends will be kept shorter for display on fewer space
cexMa	(numeric) font-size of title, as expansion factor (see also cex in <a href="#">par</a> )
cexLa	(numeric) size of axis-labels, as expansion factor (see also cex in <a href="#">par</a> )
limM	(numeric, length=2) range of axis M-values
limp	(numeric, length=2) range of axis FDR / p-values
annotColumn	(character) column names of annotation to be extracted (only if Mvalue is MArrayLM-object containing matrix \$annot). The first entry (typically 'SpecType') is used for different symbols in figure, the second (typically 'GeneName') is used as preferred text for annotating the best points (if namesNBest allows to do so.)
annColor	(character or integer) colors for specific groups of annotation (only if Mvalue is MArrayLM-object containing matrix \$annot)
expFCarrow	(logical, character or numeric) optional adding arrow for expected fold-change; if TRUE the expected ratio will be extracted from numeric concentration-indications from sample-names if numeric an arrow will be drawn (M-value as 1st position, color of 2nd position of vector).
cexPt	(numeric) size of points, as expansion factor (see also cex in <a href="#">par</a> )
cexSub	(numeric) size of subtitle, as expansion factor (see also cex in <a href="#">par</a> )
cexTxLab	(numeric) size of text-labels for points, as expansion factor (see also cex in <a href="#">par</a> )

namesNBest	(integer or character) for display of labels to points in figure: if 'pass', 'passThr' or 'signif' all points passing thresholds; if numeric (length=1) this number of best points will get labels if the initial object Mvalue contains a list-element called 'annot' the second of the column specified in argument annotColumn will be used as text
NbestCol	(character or integer) colors for text-labels of best points, also used for arrow
sortLeg	(character) sorting of 'SpecType' annotation either ascending ('ascend') or descending ('descend'), no sorting if NULL
NaSpecTypeAsContam	(logical) consider lines/proteins with NA in Mvalue\$annot["SpecType"] as contaminants (if a 'SpecType' for contaminants already exists)
useMar	(numeric,length=4) custom margins (see also <a href="#">par</a> )
returnData	(logical) optional returning data.frame with (ID, Mvalue, pValue, FDRvalue, passFilt)
callFrom	(character) allow easier tracking of messages produced
silent	(logical) suppress messages
debug	(logical) additional messages for debugging

### Details

In high-throughput biology data are typically already transformed to log2 and thus, the 'M'-values (obtained by subtracting two group means) represent a relative change. Output from statistical testing by [moderTest2grp](#) or [moderTestXgrp](#) can be directly read to produce Volcano plots for diagnostic reasons. Please note, that plotting a very high number of points (eg >10000) in transparency may take several seconds.

### Value

This function simply plots an MA-plot (to the current graphical device), if returnData=TRUE an optional data.frame with (ID, Mvalue, pValue, FDRvalue, passFilt) can be returned

### See Also

(for PCA) [plotPCAw](#))

### Examples

```
library(wrMisc)
set.seed(2005); mat <- matrix(round(runif(900),2), ncol=9)
rownames(mat) <- paste0(rep(letters[1:25], each=4), rep(letters[2:26],4))
mat[1:50,4:6] <- mat[1:50,4:6] + rep(c(-1,1)*0.1,25)
mat[3:7,4:9] <- mat[3:7,4:9] + 0.7
mat[11:15,1:6] <- mat[11:15,1:6] - 0.7
## assume 2 groups with 3 samples each
gr3 <- gl(3, 3, labels=c("C","A","B"))
tRes2 <- moderTest2grp(mat[,1:6], gl(2,3), addResults = c("FDR","means"))
# Note: due to the small number of lines only FDR chosen to calculate
VolcanoPlotW(tRes2)
```

```
## Add names of points passing custom filters
VolcanoPlotW(tRes2, FCth=1.3, FdrThrs=0.2, namesNBest="passThr")

## assume 3 groups with 3 samples each
tRes <- moderTestXgrp(mat, gr3, addResults = c("FDR", "means"))
# Note: due to the small number of lines only FDR chosen to calculate
VolcanoPlotW(tRes)
VolcanoPlotW(tRes, FCth=1.3, FdrThrs=0.2)
VolcanoPlotW(tRes, FCth=1.3, FdrThrs=0.2, useComp=2)
```



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