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CommonFeatures, tPCAResult-method  
Extract CommonFeatures

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**Description**

Extract CommonFeatures

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'tPCAResult'  
CommonFeatures(object)
```

**Arguments**

object            and object of class tPCAResult

**Value**

a vector of common features across replicates

**Examples**

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)  
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)  
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)  
  
rownames(m1) <- 1:3  
rownames(m2) <- 2:4  
rownames(m3) <- 2:5  
  
mat_list <- list(  
  m1, m2, m3  
)  
  
ppi_anno <- tibble(  
  x = "2",  
  y = "3",  
  combined_score = 700,  
  pair = "2:3")  
  
tpcaObj <- runTPCA(  
  objList = mat_list,  
  complexAnno = NULL,  
  ppiAnno = ppi_anno  
)  
  
CommonFeatures(tpcaObj)
```

**ComplexAnnotation, tPCAResult-method**  
*Extract ComplexAnnotation*

## Description

Extract ComplexAnnotation

## Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'tPCAResult'
ComplexAnnotation(object)
```

## Arguments

object            and object of class tPCAResult

## Value

a data frame containing the complex annotation

## Examples

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tPCAResult", ObjList = mat_list)
ComplexAnnotation(tpcaObj)
```

**ComplexBackgroundDistributionList, tPCAResult-method**  
*Extract ComplexBackgroundDistributionList*

## Description

Extract ComplexBackgroundDistributionList

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcarResult'
ComplexBackgroundDistributionList(object)
```

**Arguments**

object            and object of class tpcarResult

**Value**

a list of data frames containing distances of random complexes with different number of members

**Examples**

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tpcarResult", ObjList = mat_list)
ComplexBackgroundDistributionList(tpcaObj)
```

**Description**

Extract ComplexRocTable

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcarResult'
ComplexRocTable(object)
```

**Arguments**

object            and object of class tpcarResult

**Value**

a data frame containing a complex analysis roc table

## Examples

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tpcaResult", ObjList = mat_list)
ComplexRocTable(tpcaObj)
```

### ContrastCondName , tpcaResult-method

*Extract ContrastCondName*

## Description

Extract ContrastCondName

## Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcaResult'
ContrastCondName(object)
```

## Arguments

object            and object of class tpcaResult

## Value

a character string describing the contrast condition

## Examples

```
tpcaObj <- new("tpcaResult")
ContrastCondName(tpcaObj)
```

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ContrastDistMat, tPCAResult-method  
Extract ContrastDistMat

---

**Description**

Extract ContrastDistMat

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'tPCAResult'  
ContrastDistMat(object)
```

**Arguments**

object           an object of class tPCAResult

**Value**

a matrix containing the contrast distance matrix of all pairwise protein-protein melting curve distances computed from a TPP experiment

**Examples**

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)  
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)  
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)  
  
rownames(m1) <- 1:3  
rownames(m2) <- 2:4  
rownames(m3) <- 2:5  
  
mat_list <- list(  
    m1, m2, m3  
)  
tpcaObj <- new("tPCAResult", ObjList = mat_list)  
ContrastDistMat(tpcaObj)
```

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ContrastList, tPCAResult-method  
Extract ContrastList

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**Description**

Extract ContrastList

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcaResult'
ContrastList(object)
```

**Arguments**

object            an object of class tpcaResult

**Value**

an object list containing TPP data

**Examples**

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tpcaResult", ObjList = mat_list)
ContrastList(tpcaObj)
```

createDistMat

*Create distance matrix of all vs all protein melting profiles*

**Description**

Create distance matrix of all vs all protein melting profiles

**Usage**

```
createDistMat(
  objList,
  rownameCol = NULL,
  summaryMethodStr = "median",
  distMethodStr = "euclidean"
)
```

**Arguments**

- objList list of objects suitable for the analysis, currently allowed classes of objects are: matrices, data.frames, tibbles and ExpressionSets
- rownameCol in case the input objects are tibbles this parameter takes in the name (character) of the column specifying protein names or ids
- summaryMethodStr character string indicating a method to use to summarize measurements across replicates, default is "median", other options are c("mean", "rbind")
- distMethodStr method to use within dist function, default is 'euclidean'

**Value**

a distance matrix of all pairwise protein melting profiles

**Examples**

```
library(Biobase)

m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

colnames(m1) <- paste0("X", 1:4)
colnames(m2) <- paste0("X", 1:4)
colnames(m3) <- paste0("X", 1:4)

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)

createDistMat(mat_list)

expr1 <- ExpressionSet(m1)
expr2 <- ExpressionSet(m2)
expr3 <- ExpressionSet(m3)

exprSet_list <- list(
  expr1, expr2, expr3
)

createDistMat(exprSet_list)
```

**CtrlCondName, tpcarResult-method**  
*Extract CtrlCondName*

### Description

Extract CtrlCondName

### Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcarResult'
CtrlCondName(object)
```

### Arguments

object            and object of class tpcarResult

### Value

a character string describing the control condition

### Examples

```
tpcaObj <- new("tpcarResult")
CtrlCondName(tpcaObj)
```

**diffTpcarResultTable, tpcarResult-method**  
*Extract diffTpcarResultTable*

### Description

Extract diffTpcarResultTable

### Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcarResult'
diffTpcarResultTable(object)
```

### Arguments

object            an object of class tpcarResult

### Value

a data frame containing the results from a diffTpcा analysis

**Examples**

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tpcaResult", ObjList = mat_list)
diffTpcaResultTable(tpcaObj)
```

**DistMat, tpcaResult-method***Extract DistMat***Description**

Extract DistMat

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcaResult'
DistMat(object)
```

**Arguments**

object            an object of class tpcaResult

**Value**

a matrix containing the distance matrix of all pairwise protein-protein melting curve distances computed from a TPP experiment

**Examples**

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
```

```
)
tpcaObj <- new("tpcaResult", ObjList = mat_list)
DistMat(tpcaObj)
```

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**DistMethod, tpcarResult-method**  
*Extract DistMethod*

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### Description

Extract DistMethod

### Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcaResult'
DistMethod(object)
```

### Arguments

object            and object of class tpcarResult

### Value

a character string of the dist method

### Examples

```
tpcaObj <- new("tpcaResult")
DistMethod(tpcaObj)
```

---

**ObjList, tpcarResult-method**  
*Extract ObjList*

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### Description

Extract ObjList

### Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcaResult'
ObjList(object)
```

### Arguments

object            an object of class tpcarResult

**Value**

an object list containing TPP data

**Examples**

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tpcaResult", ObjList = mat_list)
ObjList(tpcaObj)
```

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**ori\_et\_al\_complexes\_df**

*Data frame of annotated protein complexes by Ori et al.*

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**Description**

data frame assigning proteins to annotated protein complexes

**Usage**

```
data("ori_et_al_complexes_df")
```

**Format**

data frame with columns ensembl\_id, protein and id (complex identifier)

**References**

Ori et al. (2016), Genome Biology, 17, 47

**Examples**

```
data("ori_et_al_complexes_df")
```

**ori\_et\_al\_complex\_ppis**

*Data frame of eukaryotic protein-protein interactions inferred from annotated protein complexes by Ori et al. and StringDB interations with a combined score of at least 900*

**Description**

data frame assigning proteins to (in)directly interacting proteins within protein complexes

**Usage**

```
data("ori_et_al_complex_ppis")
```

**Format**

data frame with columns complex\_name, x, y, pair (unique pair id)

**References**

Ori et al. (2016), Genome Biology, 17, 47; Jensen et al. (2009), Nucleic Acids Research, 37, D412–D416

**Examples**

```
data("ori_et_al_complex_ppis")
```

**plotComplexRoc**

*Plot Complex ROC curve*

**Description**

Plots a ROC curve representing how well a given TPP dataset recovers annotated proteins complexes. The ROC curve is generated based on the supplied protein complex annotation specificity is assessed by comparing the given complex annotation to random permutations of that table, i.e. proteins randomly grouped together.

**Usage**

```
plotComplexRoc(tpcaObj, computeAUC = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

tpcaObj	tpcaResult object
computeAUC	logical parameter indicating whether area under the ROC should be computed and indicated in the lower right corner of the plot

**Value**

ggplot object of a receiver operating curve (ROC)

**Examples**

```
rocTab = data.frame(
  TPR = c(0, 0.1, 0.2, 0.4, 0.5, 0.7, 0.9, 1),
  FPR = c(0, 0.05, 0.1, 0.2, 0.5, 0.7, 0.9, 1)
)

tpcaTest <- new(
  "tpcaResult",
  ComplexRocTable = rocTab)

plotComplexRoc(tpcaTest)
```

**plotDiffTpcVolcano** *Plot differential TPCA analysis results*

**Description**

Plot differential TPCA analysis results

**Usage**

```
plotDiffTpcVolcano(
  tpcaObj,
  alpha = 0.1,
  setXLim = FALSE,
  xlim = c(-0.75, 0.75)
)
```

**Arguments**

- |                      |  |
|----------------------|--|
| <code>tpcaObj</code> | a <code>tpcaObj</code> after having performed a differential analysis, see <code>runDiffTPCA</code>                      |
| <code>alpha</code>   | significance level / FDR at which null hypothesis should be rejected   |
| <code>setXLim</code> | logical determining whether x-axis limits should be set according to <code>xlimit</code>                                 |
| <code>xlimit</code>  | numeric vector with two elements determing the x-axis limits, only is implemented if <code>setXLim</code> is set to TRUE |

**Value**

ggplot displaying a volcano plot

### Examples

```

library(dplyr)
library(Bioconductor)

m1 <- matrix(1:28, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:25, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:19), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:7
rownames(m2) <- 3:8
rownames(m3) <- 2:8

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)

c1 <- matrix(29:2, ncol = 4)
c2 <- matrix(26:3, ncol = 4)
c3 <- matrix(c(11:3, 20:2), ncol = 4)

rownames(c1) <- 1:7
rownames(c2) <- 3:8
rownames(c3) <- 2:8

contrast_list <- list(
  c1, c2, c3
)

ppi_anno <- tibble(
  x = c("3", "3"),
  y = c("5", "7"),
  pair = c("3:5", "3:7"))

ref_df <- tibble(
  pair = c("3:5", "3:7"),
  valueC2 = c(4, 8)
)

diff_tpca <- runDiffTPCA(
  mat_list, contrast_list, ppiAnno = ppi_anno)

plotDiffTpcaVolcano(diff_tpca)

```

**plotPPiProfiles**

*Plot thermal profile of protein pairs*

### Description

Plot thermal profile of protein pairs

**Usage**

```
plotPPiProfiles(tpcaObj, pair, splinesDf = 4)
```

**Arguments**

tpcaObj	a tpcaObj after having performed a differential analysis, see <code>runDiffTPCA</code>
pair	character vector of one or more protein names
splinesDf	numeric, degree of freedom of the spline fit to the melting curves

**Value**

ggplot displaying the thermal profile of a protein pair across conditions

**Examples**

```
library(BioBase)

set.seed(12)
m1 <- matrix(rnorm(50), ncol = 10)
m2 <- matrix(rnorm(50), ncol = 10)

rownames(m1) <- letters[1:5]
rownames(m2) <- letters[1:5]

colnames(m1) <- paste("fc", 1:10, sep = "_")
colnames(m2) <- paste("fc", 1:10, sep = "_")

pheno <- data.frame(
  temperature = seq(37, 67, length.out = 10))
rownames(pheno) <- paste("fc", 1:10, sep = "_")

eset1 <- ExpressionSet(
  assayData = m1,
  phenoData = AnnotatedDataFrame(pheno)
)

eset2 <- ExpressionSet(
  assayData = m2,
  phenoData = AnnotatedDataFrame(pheno)
)

tpcaObj <- new("tpcaResult",
  ObjList = list(eset1),

  ContrastList = list(eset2),
  CtrlCondName = "control",
  ContrastCondName = "treatment")

plotPPiProfiles(tpcaObj, pair = c("b", "d"))
```

**plotPPiRoc***Plot PPI ROC curve***Description**

Plot PPI ROC curve

**Usage**

```
plotPPiRoc(tpcaObj, computeAUC = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

<code>tpcaObj</code>	tpcaResult object
<code>computeAUC</code>	logical parameter indicating whether area under the ROC should be computed and indicated in the lower right corner of the plot

**Value**

ggplot object of a receiver operating curve (ROC)

**Examples**

```
rocTab = data.frame(
  TPR = c(0, 0.1, 0.2, 0.4, 0.5, 0.7, 0.9, 1),
  FPR = c(0, 0.05, 0.1, 0.2, 0.5, 0.7, 0.9, 1)
)

tpcaTest <- new(
  "tpcaResult",
  PPiRocTable = rocTab)

plotPPiRoc(tpcaTest)
```

**plotTpcVolcano***Plot TPCA analysis results***Description**

Plot TPCA analysis results

**Usage**

```
plotTpcVolcano(tpcaObj, alpha = 0.1)
```

**Arguments**

tpcaObj	a tPCAObj after having performed a differential analysis, see <code>runDiffTPCA</code>
alpha	significance level / FDR at which null hypothesis should be rejected

**Value**

ggplot displaying a volcano plot

**Examples**

```
library(dplyr)
library(BioconductorUtil)

m1 <- matrix(1:28, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:25, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:19), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:7
rownames(m2) <- 3:8
rownames(m3) <- 2:8

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)

complex_anno <- tibble(
  protein = c("3", "4", "5",
             "4", "5", "6", "7"),
  id = c(rep("1", 3), rep("2", 4)),
  count = c(rep(3, 3), rep(4, 4)))

tpca_result <- runTPCA(
  mat_list, complexAnno = complex_anno)

plotTpcVolcano(tpca_result)
```

**Description**

Extract PPiAnnotation

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'tPCAResult'
PPiAnnotation(object)
```

**Arguments**

object            and object of class `tpcaResult`

**Value**

a data frame containing the results from a tPCA analysis

**Examples**

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tpcaResult", ObjList = mat_list)
PPiAnnotation(tpcaObj)
```

**PPiRocTable, tPCA-method**

*Extract PPiRocTable*

**Description**

Extract PPiRocTable

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcaResult'
PPiRocTable(object)
```

**Arguments**

object            an object of class `tpcaResult`

**Value**

a data frame containing the results from a tPCA analysis

### Examples

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tpcaResult", ObjList = mat_list)
PPiRocTable(tpcaObj)
```

### PPiRocTableAnno, tpcarResult-method

*Extract PPiRocTableAnno*

### Description

Extract PPiRocTableAnno

### Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcaResult'
PPiRocTableAnno(object)
```

### Arguments

object            an object of class tpcarResult

### Value

a data frame containing annotation information for PPiRocTable

### Examples

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
```

```
tpcaObj <- new("tpcaResult", ObjList = mat_list)
PPiRocTableAnno(tpcaObj)
```

**runDiffTPCA***Run differential TPCA analysis***Description**

Run differential TPCA analysis

**Usage**

```
runDiffTPCA(
  objList,
  contrastList,
  ctrlCondName = "control",
  contrastCondName = "treatment",
  ppiAnno = NULL,
  complexAnno = NULL,
  rownameCol = NULL,
  summaryMethodStr = "median",
  distMethodStr = "euclidean",
  n = 10000,
  p_adj_method = "BH"
)
```

**Arguments**

<code>objList</code>	input list of objects, e.g. ExpressionSets retrieved after TPP data import or matrices or data frames
<code>contrastList</code>	input list of objects for comparison at e.g. different treatment condition, same file formats work as for <code>objList</code>
<code>ctrlCondName</code>	character string indicating the name of the control condition, default is "control"
<code>contrastCondName</code>	character string indicating the name of the contrast condition, default is "treatment"
<code>ppiAnno</code>	data frame annotation known protein-protein interactions (PPI) to test
<code>complexAnno</code>	data frame annotating known protein complexes of interest to test
<code>rownameCol</code>	in case the input objects are tibbles this parameter takes in the name (character) of the column specifying protein names or ids
<code>summaryMethodStr</code>	character string indicating a method to use to summarize measurements across replicates, default is "median", other options are c("mean", "rbind")
<code>distMethodStr</code>	method to use within <code>dist</code> function, default is 'euclidean'
<code>n</code>	number of random protein pair draws to obtain empirical p-value, default is 10000
<code>p_adj_method</code>	method to be used for multiple testing adjustment, default is "BH"

**Value**

an object of class tPCAResult with the following slots: 1) ObjList: containing the supplied list of objects

**Examples**

```
library(dplyr)
library(Bioconductor)

m1 <- matrix(1:28, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:25, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:19), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:7
rownames(m2) <- 3:8
rownames(m3) <- 2:8

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)

c1 <- matrix(29:2, ncol = 4)
c2 <- matrix(26:3, ncol = 4)
c3 <- matrix(c(11:3, 20:2), ncol = 4)

rownames(c1) <- 1:7
rownames(c2) <- 3:8
rownames(c3) <- 2:8

contrast_list <- list(
  c1, c2, c3
)

ppi_anno <- tibble(
  x = c("3", "3"),
  y = c("5", "7"),
  pair = c("3:5", "3:7"))

ref_df <- tibble(
  pair = c("3:5", "3:7"),
  valueC2 = c(4, 8)
)

diff_tPCA <- Rtpca:::runDiffTPCA(
  mat_list, contrast_list, ppiAnno = ppi_anno)
```

## Description

Run the TPCA analysis

## Usage

```
runTPCA(
  objList,
  complexAnno = NULL,
  ppiAnno = NULL,
  rownameCol = NULL,
  summaryMethodStr = "median",
  distMethodStr = "euclidean",
  doRocAnalysis = TRUE,
  minCount = 3,
  nSamp = 10000,
  p_adj_method = "BH"
)
```

## Arguments

<code>objList</code>	inout list of objects, e.g. ExpressionSets retrieved after TPP data import or matrices or data frames
<code>complexAnno</code>	data frame annotating known protein complexes of interest to test
<code>ppiAnno</code>	data frame annotation known protein-protein interactions (PPI) to test
<code>rownameCol</code>	in case the input objects are tibbles this parameter takes in the name (character) of the column specifying protein names or ids
<code>summaryMethodStr</code>	character string indicating a method to use to summarize measurements across replicates, default is "median", other options are c("mean", "rbind")
<code>distMethodStr</code>	method to use within dist function, default is 'euclidean'
<code>doRocAnalysis</code>	logical indicating whether a ROC analysis should be performed which can be used to assess the predictive power of the dataset for protein-protein interactions / protein complexes based on distanc between melting curves of protein interactions partners
<code>minCount</code>	integer indicating how many subunits of a complex should be qunatified to includ it into the analysis, default is 3
<code>nSamp</code>	integer indicating the number of random samples which should be performed to estimate empirical null distributions, default is 10000
<code>p_adj_method</code>	character string indicating a valid method to be used for multiple testing adjustment, default is "BH" which makes p.adjust use benjamini-hochberg, for additional options check ?p.adjust

## Value

an object of class `tpcaResult` with the following slots: 1) `ObjList`: containing the supplied list of objects

## Examples

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

colnames(m1) <- paste0("X", 1:4)
colnames(m2) <- paste0("X", 1:4)
colnames(m3) <- paste0("X", 1:4)

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)

ppi_anno <- tibble(
  x = "2",
  y = "3",
  combined_score = 700,
  pair = "2:3")

runTPCA(
  objList = mat_list,
  complexAnno = NULL,
  ppiAnno = ppi_anno
)
```

**SetCommonFeatures, tpcarResult-method**

*Set CommonFeatures*

## Description

Set CommonFeatures

## Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcarResult'
SetCommonFeatures(object, commonFeatures)
```

## Arguments

object	and object of class tpcarResult
commonFeatures	a vector of characters indicating the common features across replicates

## Value

a vector of common features across replicates

### Examples

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)

tpcaObj <- new("tPCAResult", ObjList = mat_list)
SetCommonFeatures(tpcaObj, c("2", "3"))
```

**SetComplexAnnotation, tPCAResult-method**  
*Set ComplexAnnotation*

### Description

Set ComplexAnnotation

### Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'tPCAResult'
SetComplexAnnotation(object, df)
```

### Arguments

object	an object of class tPCAResult
df	data frame containing complex annotation

### Value

an object of class tPCAResult

### Examples

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
```

```

    m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tPCAResult", ObjList = mat_list)
SetComplexAnnotation(tpcaObj, data.frame(id = "complex1"))

```

**SetComplexBackgroundDistributionList, tPCAResult-method**  
*Set ComplexBackgroundDistributionList*

### Description

Set ComplexBackgroundDistributionList

### Usage

```

## S4 method for signature 'tPCAResult'
SetComplexBackgroundDistributionList(object, lt)

```

### Arguments

object	an object of class tPCAResult
lt	a list of data frames containing distances of random complexes with different number of members

### Value

an object of class tPCAResult

### Examples

```

m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tPCAResult", ObjList = mat_list)
SetComplexBackgroundDistributionList(tpcaObj,
  list('3' = data.frame(pair = "A:B")))

```

**SetComplexRocTable, tPCAResult-method**  
*Set ComplexRocTable*

### Description

Set ComplexRocTable

### Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'tPCAResult'
SetComplexRocTable(object, df)
```

### Arguments

object	and object of class tPCAResult
df	data.frame containing ComplexRocTable to set

### Value

a data frame containing the results from a tPCA analysis

### Examples

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tPCAResult", ObjList = mat_list)
SetComplexRocTable(tpcaObj, data.frame(FPR = 1, TPR = 1))
```

**SetContrastCondName, tPCAResult-method**  
*Set ContrastCondName*

### Description

Set ContrastCondName

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcaResult'  
SetContrastCondName(object, name)
```

**Arguments**

- |        |  |
|--------|--|
| object | an object of class tpcaResult                        |
| name   | a character string describing the contrast condition |

**Value**

an object of class tpcaResult

**Examples**

```
tpcaObj <- new("tpcaResult")  
SetContrastCondName(tpcaObj, "DMSO")
```

---

SetContrastDistMat, tpcaResult-method  
*Set ContrastDistMat*

---

**Description**

Set ContrastDistMat

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcaResult'  
SetContrastDistMat(object, mat)
```

**Arguments**

- |        |   |
|--------|---|
| object | and object of class tpcaResult                    |
| mat    | matrix containing contrast distance matrix to set |

**Value**

a data frame containing the results from a t pca analysis

## Examples

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tPCAResult", ObjList = mat_list)
SetContrastDistMat(tpcaObj, matrix(c(0, 1, 0, 1), ncol = 2))
```

**SetCtrlCondName, tPCAResult-method**  
*Set CtrlCondName*

## Description

Set CtrlCondName

## Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'tPCAResult'
SetCtrlCondName(object, name)
```

## Arguments

object	an object of class tPCAResult
name	a character string describing the control condition

## Value

an object of class tPCAResult

## Examples

```
tpcaObj <- new("tPCAResult")
SetCtrlCondName(tpcaObj, "DMSO")
```

---

SetDiffTpcaResultTable, tpcaResult-method  
*Set diffTpcaResultTable*

---

**Description**

Set diffTpcaResultTable

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcaResult'
SetDiffTpcaResultTable(object, df)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of class tpcaResult
df	a data frame containing the results from a differential tpca analysis

**Value**

an object of class tpcaResult

**Examples**

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tpcaResult", ObjList = mat_list)
SetDiffTpcaResultTable(tpcaObj, data.frame(pair = "A:B"))
```

---

SetDistMat, tpcaResult-method  
*Set DistMat*

---

**Description**

Set DistMat

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'tPCAResult'
SetDistMat(object, mat)
```

**Arguments**

- |        |  |
|--------|--|
| object | an object of class tPCAResult            |
| mat    | matrix containing distance matrix to set |

**Value**

a data frame containing the results from a tPCA analysis

**Examples**

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tPCAResult", ObjList = mat_list)
SetDistMat(tpcaObj, matrix(c(0, 1, 0, 1), ncol = 2))
```

**Description**

Set distMethod

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'tPCAResult'
SetDistMethod(object, method)
```

**Arguments**

- |        |                                 |
|--------|---------------------------------|
| object | an object of class tPCAResult   |
| method | character string of dist method |

**Value**

an object of class tPCAResult

**Examples**

```
tpcaObj <- new("tPCAResult")
SetDistMethod(tpcaObj, "euclidean")
```

**SetPPiRocTable, tPCAResult-method**  
*Set PPiRocTable*

**Description**

Set PPiRocTable

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'tPCAResult'
SetPPiRocTable(object, df)
```

**Arguments**

object	an object of class tPCAResult
df	data.frame containing PPiRocTable to set

**Value**

an object of class tPCAResult

**Examples**

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tPCAResult", ObjList = mat_list)
SetPPiRocTable(tpcaObj, data.frame(FPR = 1, TPR = 1))
```

**SetPPiRocTableAnno, tPCAResult-method**  
*Set PPiRocTableAnno*

### Description

Set PPiRocTableAnno

### Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'tPCAResult'
SetPPiRocTableAnno(object, df)
```

### Arguments

object	an object of class tPCAResult
df	data.frame containing PPiRocTable annotation to set

### Value

an object of class tPCAResult

### Examples

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tPCAResult", ObjList = mat_list)
SetPPiRocTableAnno(tpcaObj, data.frame(pair = "A:B"))
```

**SetSummaryMethod, tPCAResult-method**  
*Set summaryMethod*

### Description

Set summaryMethod

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcaResult'  
SetSummaryMethod(object, method)
```

**Arguments**

- |        |                                    |
|--------|------------------------------------|
| object | an object of class tpcarResult     |
| method | character string of summary method |

**Value**

an object of class tpcarResult

**Examples**

```
tpcaObj <- new("tpcaResult")  
SetSummaryMethod(tpcaObj, "median")
```

---

SetTpcarResultTable, tpcarResult-method  
*Set TpcarResultTable*

---

**Description**

Set TpcarResultTable

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcaResult'  
SetTpcarResultTable(object, df)
```

**Arguments**

- |        |  |
|--------|--|
| object | an object of class tpcarResult                           |
| df     | a data frame containing the results from a tpcा analysis |

**Value**

an object of class tpcarResult

### Examples

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tpcaResult", ObjList = mat_list)
SetTpcaResultTable(tpcaObj, data.frame(pair = "A:B"))
```

**string\_ppi\_df**

*Data frame of annotated human protein-protein interactions retrieved from stringDB with a combined interaction score equal or higher than 700*

### Description

data frame assigning proteins to interacting proteins

### Usage

```
data("string_ppi_df")
```

### Format

data frame with columns x, y (gene symbol of interactors), combined\_score, pair (unique pair id)

### References

Jensen et al. (2009), Nucleic Acids Research, 37, D412–D416

### Examples

```
data("string_ppi_df")
```

---

SummaryMethod, tPCAResult-method  
Extract SummaryMethod

---

**Description**

Extract SummaryMethod

**Usage**

```
## S4 method for signature 'tPCAResult'  
SummaryMethod(object)
```

**Arguments**

object            and object of class tPCAResult

**Value**

a character string of the summary method

**Examples**

```
tPCAObj <- new("tPCAResult")  
SummaryMethod(tPCAObj)
```

---

tPCAResult-class        S4 TPCA Result Class

---

**Description**

S4 TPCA Result Class

**Value**

an object of class tPCAResult with the following slots: 1) ObjList: containing the supplied list of objects (e.g. a list of Expression Sets summarizing a TPP experiment) 2) ContrastList: containing the supplied list of contrast objects (if supplied for performance of a differential Rtpca analysis) 3) CtrlCondName: character string indicating the control condition, e.g. "control" 4) ContrastCondName: character string indicating the contrast condition, e.g. "drug treatment" 5) DistMat: a matrix containing all pairwise protein-protein distances obtained from comparing their melting curves in the control condition 6) ContrastDistMat: a matrix containing all pairwise protein-protein distances obtained from comparing their melting curves in the contrast condition 7) CommonFeatures: a vector containing the features (proteins) found in common between control and contrast condition 8) ComplexAnnotation: a data frame supplied by the user annotating protein to protein complexes 9) ComplexBackgroundDistributionList: a list of distances drawn for random groups of

proteins with different number of members 10) PPiAnnotation: a data frame supplied by the user annotating protein-protein interactions 11) PPiRocTable: data frame containing false positive rate and true positive rate based on ranking the TPCA analysis results by euclidean distance of melting curves of protein pairs, annotated PPIs are considered true positives 12) PPiRocTableAnno: annotation to PPiRocTable 13) ComplexRocTable: data frame containing false positive rate and true positive rate based on ranking the TPCA analysis results by euclidean distance of melting curves of proteins within annotated complexes, annotated complexes are considered true positives, proteins in randomly permuted complex annotations are considered false positives 14) summaryMethod: character string of summarization method used to summarize data across replicates 15) distMethod: character string of distance method used to compare melting curves of proteins 16) tpcaResultTable: data frame containing the results from a tpca analysis 17) diffTpcaResultTable: data frame containing the results from a differential tpca analysis

### Slots

```
ObjList list.
ContrastList list.
CtrlCondName character.
ContrastCondName character.
DistMat matrix.
ContrastDistMat matrix
CommonFeatures vector.
ComplexAnnotation data.frame.
ComplexBackgroundDistributionList list.
PPiAnnotation data.frame.
PPiRocTable data.frame
PPiRocTableAnno data.frame
ComplexRocTable data.frame
summaryMethod character.
distMethod character.
tpcaResultTable data.frame.
diffTpcaResultTable data.frame.
```

### Examples

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)

rownames(m1) <- 1:3
rownames(m2) <- 2:4
rownames(m3) <- 2:5

mat_list <- list(
  m1, m2, m3
)
tpcaObj <- new("tpcaResult", ObjList = mat_list)
```

---

tpcaResultTable, tpcaResult-method  
Extract *tpcaResultTable*

---

## Description

Extract tpcaResultTable

## Usage

```
## S4 method for signature 'tpcaResult'  
tpcaResultTable(object)
```

## Arguments

object            an object of class tpcaResult

## Value

a data frame containing the results from a tpca analysis

## Examples

```
m1 <- matrix(1:12, ncol = 4)  
m2 <- matrix(2:13, ncol = 4)  
m3 <- matrix(c(2:10, 1:7), ncol = 4)  
  
rownames(m1) <- 1:3  
rownames(m2) <- 2:4  
rownames(m3) <- 2:5  
  
mat_list <- list(  
    m1, m2, m3  
)  
tpcaObj <- new("tpcaResult", ObjList = mat_list)  
tpcaResultTable(tpcaObj)
```

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