# Package 'MungeSumstats'

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check\_ldsc\_format Ensures that parameters are compatible with LDSC format

# Description

Format summary statistics for direct input to Linkage Disequilibrium SCore (LDSC) regression without the need to use their munge\_sumstats.py script first.

# Usage

```
check_ldsc_format(
   sumstats_dt,
   save_format,
   convert_n_int,
   allele_flip_check,
   compute_z,
   compute_n
)
```

# Arguments

sumstats_dt	data table obj of the summary statistics file for the GWAS.
save_format	Output format of sumstats. Options are NULL - standardised output format from MungeSumstats, LDSC - output format compatible with LDSC and openGWAS - output compatible with openGWAS VCFs. Default is NULL.
convert_n_int allele_flip_che	Binary, if N (the number of samples) is not an integer, should this be rounded? Default is TRUE. ck
	Binary Should the allele columns be checked against reference genome to infer if flipping is necessary. Default is TRUE.
compute_z	Whether to compute Z-score column. Default is FALSE. This can be computed from Beta and SE with (Beta/SE) or P (Z:=sign(BETA)*sqrt(stats::qchisq(P,1,lower=FALSE))). <b>Note</b> that imputing the Z-score from P for every SNP will not be perfectly cor- rect and may result in a loss of power. This should only be done as a last resort. Use 'BETA' to impute by BETA/SE and 'P' to impute by SNP p-value.
compute_n	Whether to impute N. Default of 0 won't impute, any other integer will be im- puted as the N (sample size) for every SNP in the dataset. <b>Note</b> that imputing the sample size for every SNP is not correct and should only be done as a last resort. N can also be inputted with "ldsc", "sum", "giant" or "metal" by pass- ing one of these for this field or a vector of multiple. Sum and an integer value creates an N column in the output whereas giant, metal or ldsc create an Neff or effective sample size. If multiples are passed, the formula used to derive it will be indicated.

# Details

LDSC documentation.

# Value

Formatted summary statistics

# Source

LDSC GitHub

compute_nsize	Check for N column if not present and user wants, impute N based on user's sample size. <b>NOTE</b> this will be the same value for each SNP which is not necessarily correct and may cause issues down the line. N can also be inputted with "ldsc", "sum", "giant" or "metal" by passing one or multiple of these.
	which is not necessarily correct and may cause issues down the line. N can also be inputted with "ldsc", "sum", "giant" or "metal" by passing

# Description

Check for N column if not present and user wants, impute N based on user's sample size. **NOTE** this will be the same value for each SNP which is not necessarily correct and may cause issues down the line. N can also be inputted with "ldsc", "sum", "giant" or "metal" by passing one or multiple of these.

# Usage

```
compute_nsize(
  sumstats_dt,
  imputation_ind = FALSE,
  compute_n = c("ldsc", "giant", "metal", "sum"),
  standardise_headers = FALSE,
  force_new = FALSE,
  return_list = TRUE
)
```

# Arguments

sumstats_dt	data table obj of the summary statistics file for the GWAS.
imputation_ind	Binary Should a column be added for each imputation step to show what SNPs have imputed values for differing fields. This includes a field denoting SNP allele flipping (flipped). <b>Note</b> these columns will be in the formatted summary statistics returned. Default is FALSE.
compute_n	How to compute per-SNP sample size (new column "N").
	• 0: N will not be computed.
	• >0: If any number >0 is provided, that value will be set as N for every row.
	<b>Note</b> : Computing N this way is incorrect and should be avoided if at all possible.
	• "sum": N will be computed as: cases (N_CAS) + controls (N_CON), so
	long as both columns are present.

	<ul> <li>"ldsc": N will be computed as effective sample size: Neff =(N_CAS+N_CON)*(N_CAS/(N_CAS+ /mean((N_CAS/(N_CAS+N_CON))(N_CAS+N_CON)==max(N_CAS+N_CON)).</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>"giant": N will be computed as effective sample size: Neff = 2 / (1/N_CAS + 1/N_CON).</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>"metal": N will be computed as effective sample size: Neff = 4 / (1/N_CAS + 1/N_CON).</li> </ul>
standardise_he	eaders
	Standardise headers first.
force_new	If "Neff" (or "N") already exists in sumstats_dt, replace it with the recomputed version.
return_list	Return the sumstats_dt within a named list (default: TRUE).

# Value

list("sumstats\_dt"=sumstats\_dt)

# Examples

download_vcf	Download VCF file and its index file from Open GWAS

# Description

Ideally, we would use gwasvcf instead but it hasn't been made available on CRAN or Bioconductor yet, so we can't include it as a dep.

# Usage

```
download_vcf(
  vcf_url,
  vcf_dir = tempdir(),
  vcf_download = TRUE,
  download_method = "download.file",
  force_new = FALSE,
  quiet = FALSE,
  timeout = 10 * 60,
  nThread = 1
)
```

#### Arguments

vcf_url	Remote URL to VCF file.	
vcf_dir	Where to download the original VCF from Open GWAS. <i>WARNING:</i> This is set to tempdir() by default. This means the raw (pre-formatted) VCFs be deleted upon ending the R session. Change this to keep the raw VCF file on disk (e.g. vcf_dir="./raw_vcf").	
vcf_download	Download the original VCF from Open GWAS.	
download_method		
	"axel" (multi-threaded) or "download.file" (single-threaded).	
force_new	Overwrite a previously downloaded VCF with the same path name.	
quiet	Run quietly.	
timeout	How many seconds before giving up on download. Passed to download.file. Default: 10*60 (10min).	
nThread	Number of threads to parallelize over.	

### Value

List containing the paths to the downloaded VCF and its index file.

# Examples

```
#only run the examples if user has internet access:
if(try(is.character(getURL("www.google.com")))==TRUE){
vcf_url <- "https://gwas.mrcieu.ac.uk/files/ieu-a-298/ieu-a-298.vcf.gz"
out_paths <- download_vcf(vcf_url = vcf_url)
}
```

find\_sumstats Search Open GWAS for datasets matching criteria

# Description

For each argument, searches for any datasets matching a case-insensitive substring search in the respective metadata column. Users can supply a single character string or a list/vector of character strings.

#### Usage

```
find_sumstats(
    ids = NULL,
    traits = NULL,
    years = NULL,
    consortia = NULL,
    authors = NULL,
    populations = NULL,
```

# find\_sumstats

```
categories = NULL,
subcategories = NULL,
builds = NULL,
pmids = NULL,
min_sample_size = NULL,
min_ncase = NULL,
min_ncontrol = NULL,
min_nsnp = NULL,
include_NAs = FALSE,
access_token = check_access_token()
)
```

# Arguments

ids	List of Open GWAS study IDs (e.g. c("prot-a-664", "ieu-b-4760")).	
traits	List of traits (e.g. c("parkinson", "Alzheimer")).	
years	List of years (e.g. seq(2015,2021) or c(2010, 2012, 2021)).	
consortia	List of consortia (e.g. c("MRC-IEU", "Neale Lab").	
authors	List of authors (e.g. c("Elsworth", "Kunkle", "Neale")).	
populations	List of populations (e.g. c("European", "Asian")).	
categories	List of categories (e.g. c("Binary", "Continuous", "Disease", "Risk factor"))).	
subcategories	List of categories (e.g. c("neurological", "Immune", "cardio"))).	
builds	List of genome builds (e.g. c("hg19", "grch37")).	
pmids	List of PubMed ID (exact matches only) (e.g. c(29875488, 30305740, 28240269)).	
min_sample_size		
	Minimum total number of study participants (e.g. 5000).	
<pre>min_ncase</pre>	Minimum number of case participants (e.g. 1000).	
min_ncontrol	Minimum number of control participants (e.g. 1000).	
min_nsnp	Minimum number of SNPs (e.g. 200000).	
include_NAs	Include datasets with missing metadata for size criteria (i.e. min_sample_size, min_ncase, or min_ncontrol).	
access_token	Google OAuth2 access token. Used to authenticate level of access to data	

# Details

By default, returns metadata for all studies currently in Open GWAS database.

# Value

(Filtered) GWAS metadata table.

# Examples

```
# Only run the examples if user has internet access:
if(try(is.character(getURL("www.google.com")))==TRUE){
### By ID
metagwas <- find_sumstats(ids = c(</pre>
    "ieu-b-4760",
    "prot-a-1725"
    "prot-a-664"
))
### By ID amd sample size
metagwas <- find_sumstats(</pre>
    ids = c("ieu-b-4760", "prot-a-1725", "prot-a-664"),
    min_sample_size = 5000
)
### By criteria
metagwas <- find_sumstats(</pre>
    traits = c("alzheimer", "parkinson"),
    years = seq(2015, 2021)
)
}
```

formatted\_example Formatted example

# Description

Returns an example of summary stats that have had their column names already standardised with standardise\_header.

# Usage

```
formatted_example(
   path = system.file("extdata", "eduAttainOkbay.txt", package = "MungeSumstats"),
   formatted = TRUE,
   sorted = TRUE
)
```

# Arguments

path	Path to raw example file. Default to built-in dataset.
formatted	Whether the column names should be formatted (default:TRUE).
sorted	Whether the rows should be sorted by genomic coordinates (default:TRUE).

### Value

sumstats\_dt

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#### format\_sumstats

#### Examples

sumstats\_dt <- MungeSumstats::formatted\_example()</pre>

format_sumstats	Check that summary statistics from GWAS are in a homogeneous for-
	mat

#### Description

Check that summary statistics from GWAS are in a homogeneous format

# Usage

```
format_sumstats(
  path,
  ref_genome = NULL,
  convert_ref_genome = NULL,
  convert_small_p = TRUE,
  convert_large_p = TRUE,
  convert_neg_p = TRUE,
  compute_z = FALSE,
  force_new_z = FALSE,
  compute_n = 0L,
  convert_n_int = TRUE,
  impute_beta = FALSE,
  es_is_beta = TRUE,
  impute_se = FALSE,
  analysis_trait = NULL,
  INFO_filter = 0.9,
  FRQ_filter = 0,
  pos_se = TRUE,
  effect_columns_nonzero = FALSE,
 N_std = 5,
 N_dropNA = TRUE,
  rmv_chr = c("X", "Y", "MT"),
  rmv_chrPrefix = TRUE,
  on_ref_genome = TRUE,
  strand_ambig_filter = FALSE,
  allele_flip_check = TRUE,
  allele_flip_drop = TRUE,
  allele_flip_z = TRUE,
  allele_flip_frq = TRUE,
  bi_allelic_filter = TRUE,
  snp_ids_are_rs_ids = TRUE,
  remove_multi_rs_snp = FALSE,
  frq_is_maf = TRUE,
  indels = TRUE,
```

```
dbSNP = 155,
 check_dups = TRUE,
 sort_coordinates = TRUE,
 nThread = 1,
 save_path = tempfile(fileext = ".tsv.gz"),
 write_vcf = FALSE,
 tabix_index = FALSE,
 return_data = FALSE,
 return_format = "data.table",
 ldsc_format = FALSE,
 save_format = NULL,
 log_folder_ind = FALSE,
 log_mungesumstats_msgs = FALSE,
 log_folder = tempdir(),
 imputation_ind = FALSE,
 force_new = FALSE,
 mapping_file = sumstatsColHeaders
)
```

### Arguments

path	Filepath for the summary statistics file to be formatted. A dataframe or datat- able of the summary statistics file can also be passed directly to MungeSumstats using the path parameter.
ref_genome	name of the reference genome used for the GWAS ("GRCh37" or "GRCh38"). Argument is case-insensitive. Default is NULL which infers the reference genome from the data.
<pre>convert_ref_gen</pre>	ome
	name of the reference genome to convert to ("GRCh37" or "GRCh38"). This will only occur if the current genome build does not match. Default is not to convert the genome build (NULL).
<pre>convert_small_p</pre>	
	Binary, should non-negative p-values <= 5e-324 be converted to 0? Small p-values pass the R limit and can cause errors with LDSC/MAGMA and should be converted. Default is TRUE.
<pre>convert_large_p</pre>	
	Binary, should p-values >1 be converted to 1? P-values >1 should not be possible and can cause errors with LDSC/MAGMA and should be converted. Default is TRUE.
convert_neg_p	Binary, should p-values <0 be converted to 0? Negative p-values should not be possible and can cause errors with LDSC/MAGMA and should be converted. Default is TRUE.
compute_z	Whether to compute Z-score column. Default is FALSE. This can be computed from Beta and SE with (Beta/SE) or P (Z:=sign(BETA)*sqrt(stats::qchisq(P,1,lower=FALSE))). <b>Note</b> that imputing the Z-score from P for every SNP will not be perfectly cor- rect and may result in a loss of power. This should only be done as a last resort. Use 'BETA' to impute by BETA/SE and 'P' to impute by SNP p-value.

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force_new_z	When a "Z" column already exists, it will be used by default. To override and
	compute a new Z-score column from P set force_new_z=TRUE.

compute\_n Whether to impute N. Default of 0 won't impute, any other integer will be imputed as the N (sample size) for every SNP in the dataset. **Note** that imputing the sample size for every SNP is not correct and should only be done as a last resort. N can also be inputted with "ldsc", "sum", "giant" or "metal" by passing one of these for this field or a vector of multiple. Sum and an integer value creates an N column in the output whereas giant, metal or ldsc create an Neff or effective sample size. If multiples are passed, the formula used to derive it will be indicated.

- convert\_n\_int Binary, if N (the number of samples) is not an integer, should this be rounded? Default is TRUE.
- impute\_betaBinary, whether BETA should be imputed using other effect data if it isn't present in the sumstats. Note that this imputation is an approximation (for Z & SE approach) so could have an effect on downstream analysis. Use with caution. The different methods MungeSumstats will try and impute beta (in this order or priority) are:

1. log(OR) 2. Z x SE Default value is FALSE.

- es\_is\_beta Binary, whether to map ES to BETA. We take BETA to be any BETA-like value (including Effect Size). If this is not the case for your sumstats, change this to FALSE. Default is TRUE.
- impute\_se Binary, whether the standard error should be imputed using other effect data if it isn't present in the sumstats. Note that this imputation is an approximation so could have an effect on downstream analysis. Use with caution. The different methods MungeSumstats will try and impute se (in this order or priority) are:

1. BETA / Z 2. abs(BETA/ qnorm(P/2)) Default is FALSE.

- analysis\_trait If multiple traits were studied, name of the trait for analysis from the GWAS. Default is NULL.
- INFO\_filter numeric The minimum value permissible of the imputation information score (if present in sumstats file). Default 0.9.
- FRQ\_filter numeric The minimum value permissible of the frequency(FRQ) of the SNP (i.e. Allele Frequency (AF)) (if present in sumstats file). By default no filtering is done, i.e. value of 0.
- pos\_seBinary Should the standard Error (SE) column be checked to ensure it is greater<br/>than 0? Those that are, are removed (if present in sumstats file). Default TRUE.

effect\_columns\_nonzero

```
Binary should the effect columns in the data BETA,OR (odds ratio),LOG_ODDS,SIGNED_SUMSTAT be checked to ensure no SNP=0. Those that do are removed(if present in sumstats file). Default FALSE.
```

- N\_std numeric The number of standard deviations above the mean a SNP's N is needed to be removed. Default is 5.
- N\_dropNA Drop rows where N is missing.Default is TRUE.
- rmv\_chr vector or character The chromosomes on which the SNPs should be removed. Use NULL if no filtering necessary. Default is X, Y and mitochondrial.

rmv_chrPrefix	Remove "chr" or "CHR" from chromosome names. Default is TRUE.
on_ref_genome	Binary Should a check take place that all SNPs are on the reference genome by SNP ID. Default is TRUE.
<pre>strand_ambig_fi</pre>	lter
	Binary Should SNPs with strand-ambiguous alleles be removed. Default is FALSE.
allele_flip_che	ck
	Binary Should the allele columns be checked against reference genome to infer if flipping is necessary. Default is TRUE.
allele_flip_dro	р
	Binary Should the SNPs for which neither their A1 or A2 base pair values match a reference genome be dropped. Default is TRUE.
allele_flip_z	Binary should the Z-score be flipped along with effect and FRQ columns like Beta? It is assumed to be calculated off the effect size not the P-value and so will be flipped i.e. default TRUE.
allele_flip_frq	
	Binary should the frequency (FRQ) column be flipped along with effect and z-score columns like Beta? Default TRUE.
<pre>bi_allelic_filt</pre>	
	Binary Should non-biallelic SNPs be removed. Default is TRUE.
<pre>snp_ids_are_rs_</pre>	
	Binary Should the supplied SNP ID's be assumed to be RSIDs. If not, imputa- tion using the SNP ID for other columns like base-pair position or chromosome will not be possible. If set to FALSE, the SNP RS ID will be imputed from the reference genome if possible. Default is TRUE.
<pre>remove_multi_rs</pre>	_snp
	Binary Sometimes summary statistics can have multiple RSIDs on one row (i.e. related to one SNP), for example "rs5772025_rs397784053". This can cause an error so by default, the first RS ID will be kept and the rest removed e.g."rs5772025". If you want to just remove these SNPs entirely, set it to TRUE. Default is FALSE.
frq_is_maf	Conventionally the FRQ column is intended to show the minor/effect allele fre- quency (MAF) but sometimes the major allele frequency can be inferred as the FRQ column. This logical variable indicates that the FRQ column should be renamed to MAJOR_ALLELE_FRQ if the frequency values appear to relate to the major allele i.e. >0.5. By default this mapping won't occur i.e. is TRUE.
indels	Binary does your Sumstats file contain Indels? These don't exist in our reference file so they will be excluded from checks if this value is TRUE. Default is TRUE.
dbSNP	version of dbSNP to be used for imputation (144 or 155).
check_dups	whether to check for duplicates - if formatting QTL datasets this should be set to FALSE otherwise keep as TRUE. Default is TRUE.
sort_coordinate	
	Whether to sort by coordinates of resulting sumstats
nThread	Number of threads to use for parallel processes.
save_path	File path to save formatted data. Defaults to tempfile(fileext=".tsv.gz").

write_vcf	Whether to write as VCF (TRUE) or tabular file (FALSE).
tabix_index	Index the formatted summary statistics with tabix for fast querying.
return_data	Return data.table, GRanges or VRanges directly to user. Otherwise, return the path to the save data. Default is FALSE.
return_format	If return_data is TRUE. Object type to be returned ("data.table", "vranges", "granges").
ldsc_format	DEPRECATED, do not use. Use save_format="LDSC" instead.
save_format	Output format of sumstats. Options are NULL - standardised output format from MungeSumstats, LDSC - output format compatible with LDSC and openGWAS - output compatible with openGWAS VCFs. Default is NULL.
log_folder_ind	Binary Should log files be stored containing all filtered out SNPs (separate file per filter). The data is outputted in the same format specified for the resulting sumstats file. The only exception to this rule is if output is vcf, then log file saved as .tsv.gz. Default is FALSE.
log_mungesumsta	its_msgs
	Binary Should a log be stored containing all messages and errors printed by MungeSumstats in a run. Default is FALSE
log_folder	Filepath to the directory for the log files and the log of MungeSumstats messages to be stored. Default is a temporary directory.
imputation_ind	Binary Should a column be added for each imputation step to show what SNPs have imputed values for differing fields. This includes a field denoting SNP allele flipping (flipped). On the flipped value, this denoted whether the alelles where switched based on MungeSumstats initial choice of A1, A2 from the input column headers and thus may not align with what the creator intended. <b>Note</b> these columns will be in the formatted summary statistics returned. Default is FALSE.
force_new	If a formatted file of the same names as save_path exists, formatting will be skipped and this file will be imported instead (default). Set force_new=TRUE to override this.
mapping_file	MungeSumstats has a pre-defined column-name mapping file which should cover the most common column headers and their interpretations. However, if a col- umn header that is in youf file is missing of the mapping we give is incorrect you can supply your own mapping file. Must be a 2 column dataframe with col- umn names "Uncorrected" and "Corrected". See data(sumstatsColHeaders) for default mapping and necessary format.

# Value

The address for the modified sumstats file or the actual data dependent on user choice. Also, if log files wanted by the user, the return in both above instances are a list.

# Examples

```
# Pass path to Educational Attainment Okbay sumstat file to a temp directory
eduAttainOkbayPth <- system.file("extdata", "eduAttainOkbay.txt",
    package = "MungeSumstats"
```

```
## Call uses reference genome as default with more than 2GB of memory,
## which is more than what 32-bit Windows can handle so remove certain checks
## Using dbSNP = 144 for speed as it's smaller but you should use 155 unless
## you know what you are doing and need 144
is_32bit_windows <-</pre>
    .Platform$OS.type == "windows" && .Platform$r_arch == "i386"
if (!is_32bit_windows) {
    reformatted <- format_sumstats(</pre>
        path = eduAttainOkbayPth,
        ref_genome = "GRCh37",
        dbSNP = 144
    )
} else {
    reformatted <- format_sumstats(</pre>
        path = eduAttainOkbayPth,
        ref_genome = "GRCh37",
        on_ref_genome = FALSE,
        strand_ambig_filter = FALSE,
        bi_allelic_filter = FALSE,
        allele_flip_check = FALSE,
        dbSNP=144
    )
}
# returned location has the updated summary statistics file
```

get\_genome\_builds Infer genome builds

#### Description

Infers the genome build of summary statistics files (GRCh37 or GRCh38) from the data. Uses SNP (RSID) & CHR & BP to get genome build.

### Usage

```
get_genome_builds(
  sumstats_list,
  header_only = TRUE,
  sampled_snps = 10000,
  names_from_paths = FALSE,
  dbSNP = 155,
  nThread = 1
)
```

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)

#### Arguments

sumstats_list	A named list of paths to summary statistics, or a named list of data.table objects.	
header_only	Instead of reading in the entire sumstats file, only read in the first N rows where N=sampled_snps. This should help speed up cases where you have to read in sumstats from disk each time.	
<pre>sampled_snps</pre>	Downsample the number of SNPs used when inferring genome build to save time.	
names_from_paths		
	Infer the name of each item in sumstats_list from its respective file path. Only works if sumstats_list is a list of paths.	
dbSNP	version of dbSNP to be used (144 or 155). Default is 155.	
nThread	Number of threads to use for parallel processes.	

# Details

Iterative version of get\_genome\_build.

# Value

ref\_genome the genome build of the data

# Examples

```
# Pass path to Educational Attainment Okbay sumstat file to a temp directory
eduAttainOkbayPth <- system.file("extdata", "eduAttainOkbay.txt",</pre>
    package = "MungeSumstats"
)
sumstats_list <- list(ss1 = eduAttainOkbayPth, ss2 = eduAttainOkbayPth)</pre>
## Call uses reference genome as default with more than 2GB of memory,
## which is more than what 32-bit Windows can handle so remove certain checks
is_32bit_windows <-</pre>
    .Platform$OS.type == "windows" && .Platform$r_arch == "i386"
if (!is_32bit_windows) {
    #multiple sumstats can be passed at once to get all their genome builds:
    #ref_genomes <- get_genome_builds(sumstats_list = sumstats_list)</pre>
    #just passing first here for speed
    sumstats_list_quick <- list(ss1 = eduAttainOkbayPth)</pre>
    ref_genomes <- get_genome_builds(sumstats_list = sumstats_list_quick,</pre>
                                      dbSNP=144)
}
```

hg19ToHg38

# Description

UCSC Chain file hg19 to hg38, .chain.gz file, downloaded from https://hgdownload.cse.ucsc.edu/goldenpath/hg19/liftOver/ on 09/10/21

# Format

gunzipped chain file

# Details

UCSC Chain file hg19 to hg38, .chain.gz file, downloaded on 09/10/21 To be used as a back up if the download from UCSC fails.

#### hg19ToHg38.over.chain.gz

NA

### Source

The chain file was downloaded from https://hgdownload.cse.ucsc.edu/goldenpath/hg19/liftOver/ utils::download.file('ftp://hgdownload.cse.ucsc.edu/goldenPath/hg19/liftOver/hg19ToHg38.over.chain.

hg38ToHg19

UCSC Chain file hg38 to hg19

### Description

UCSC Chain file hg38 to hg19, .chain.gz file, downloaded from https://hgdownload.cse.ucsc.edu/goldenpath/hg19/liftOver/ on 09/10/21

# Format

gunzipped chain file

# Details

UCSC Chain file hg38 to hg19, .chain.gz file, downloaded on 09/10/21 To be used as a back up if the download from UCSC fails.

# hg38ToHg19.over.chain.gz

NA

#### ieu-a-298

# Source

The chain file was downloaded from https://hgdownload.cse.ucsc.edu/goldenpath/hg38/liftOver/ utils::download.file('ftp://hgdownload.cse.ucsc.edu/goldenPath/hg38/liftOver/hg38ToHg19.over.chain.

ieu-a-298

Local ieu-a-298 file from IEU Open GWAS

# Description

Local ieu-a-298 file from IEU Open GWAS, downloaded on 09/10/21.

# Format

gunzipped tsv file

# Details

Local ieu-a-298 file from IEU Open GWAS, downlaoded on 09/10/21. This is done in case the download in the package vignette fails.

# ieu-a-298.tsv.gz

NA

### Source

The file was downloaded with: MungeSumstats::import\_sumstats(ids = "ieu-a-298",ref\_genome = "GRCH37")

import\_sumstats Import full genome-wide GWAS summary statistics from Open GWAS

# Description

Requires internet access to run.

# Usage

```
import_sumstats(
    ids,
    vcf_dir = tempdir(),
    vcf_download = TRUE,
    save_dir = tempdir(),
    write_vcf = FALSE,
    download_method = "download.file",
    quiet = TRUE,
    force_new = FALSE,
    force_new_vcf = FALSE,
    nThread = 1,
    parallel_across_ids = FALSE,
    ...
)
```

# Arguments

ids	List of Open GWAS study IDs (e.g. c("prot-a-664", "ieu-b-4760")).
vcf_dir	Where to download the original VCF from Open GWAS. <i>WARNING:</i> This is set to tempdir() by default. This means the raw (pre-formatted) VCFs be deleted upon ending the R session. Change this to keep the raw VCF file on disk (e.g. vcf_dir="./raw_vcf").
vcf_download	Download the original VCF from Open GWAS.
save_dir	Directory to save formatted summary statistics in.
write_vcf	Whether to write as VCF (TRUE) or tabular file (FALSE).
download_metho	d
	"axel" (multi-threaded) or "download.file" (single-threaded).
quiet	Run quietly.
force_new	If a formatted file of the same names as save_path exists, formatting will be skipped and this file will be imported instead (default). Set force_new=TRUE to override this.
<pre>force_new_vcf</pre>	Overwrite a previously downloaded VCF with the same path name.
nThread	Number of threads to use for parallel processes.
parallel_acros	s_ids
	If parallel_across_ids=TRUE and nThread>1, then each ID in ids will be processed in parallel.
	Arguments passed on to format_sumstats
	<ul> <li>path Filepath for the summary statistics file to be formatted. A dataframe or datatable of the summary statistics file can also be passed directly to MungeSumstats using the path parameter.</li> <li>ref_genome name of the reference genome used for the GWAS ("GRCh37" or "GRCh38"). Argument is case-insensitive. Default is NULL which infers the reference genome from the data.</li> </ul>
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- convert\_ref\_genome name of the reference genome to convert to ("GRCh37" or "GRCh38"). This will only occur if the current genome build does not match. Default is not to convert the genome build (NULL).
- convert\_small\_p Binary, should non-negative p-values <= 5e-324 be converted to 0? Small p-values pass the R limit and can cause errors with LDSC/MAGMA and should be converted. Default is TRUE.
- convert\_large\_p Binary, should p-values >1 be converted to 1? P-values >1 should not be possible and can cause errors with LDSC/MAGMA and should be converted. Default is TRUE.
- convert\_neg\_p Binary, should p-values <0 be converted to 0? Negative p-values should not be possible and can cause errors with LDSC/MAGMA and should be converted. Default is TRUE.
- compute\_z Whether to compute Z-score column. Default is FALSE. This can be computed from Beta and SE with (Beta/SE) or P (Z:=sign(BETA)\*sqrt(stats::qchisq(P,1,lower=FA Note that imputing the Z-score from P for every SNP will not be perfectly correct and may result in a loss of power. This should only be done as a last resort. Use 'BETA' to impute by BETA/SE and 'P' to impute by SNP p-value.
- force\_new\_z When a "Z" column already exists, it will be used by default. To override and compute a new Z-score column from P set force\_new\_z=TRUE.
- compute\_n Whether to impute N. Default of 0 won't impute, any other integer will be imputed as the N (sample size) for every SNP in the dataset. Note that imputing the sample size for every SNP is not correct and should only be done as a last resort. N can also be inputted with "ldsc", "sum", "giant" or "metal" by passing one of these for this field or a vector of multiple. Sum and an integer value creates an N column in the output whereas giant, metal or ldsc create an Neff or effective sample size. If multiples are passed, the formula used to derive it will be indicated.
- convert\_n\_int Binary, if N (the number of samples) is not an integer, should this be rounded? Default is TRUE.
- impute\_beta Binary, whether BETA should be imputed using other effect data if it isn't present in the sumstats. Note that this imputation is an approximation (for Z & SE approach) so could have an effect on downstream analysis. Use with caution. The different methods MungeSumstats will try and impute beta (in this order or priority) are:
  - 1. log(OR) 2. Z x SE Default value is FALSE.
- es\_is\_beta Binary, whether to map ES to BETA. We take BETA to be any BETA-like value (including Effect Size). If this is not the case for your sumstats, change this to FALSE. Default is TRUE.
- impute\_se Binary, whether the standard error should be imputed using other effect data if it isn't present in the sumstats. Note that this imputation is an approximation so could have an effect on downstream analysis. Use with caution. The different methods MungeSumstats will try and impute se (in this order or priority) are:

1. BETA / Z 2. abs(BETA/ qnorm(P/2)) Default is FALSE.

analysis\_trait If multiple traits were studied, name of the trait for analysis from the GWAS. Default is NULL.

- INFO\_filter numeric The minimum value permissible of the imputation information score (if present in sumstats file). Default 0.9.
- FRQ\_filter numeric The minimum value permissible of the frequency(FRQ) of the SNP (i.e. Allele Frequency (AF)) (if present in sumstats file). By default no filtering is done, i.e. value of 0.
- pos\_se Binary Should the standard Error (SE) column be checked to ensure it is greater than 0? Those that are, are removed (if present in sumstats file). Default TRUE.
- effect\_columns\_nonzero Binary should the effect columns in the data BETA,OR (odds ratio),LOG\_ODDS,SIGNED\_SUMSTAT be checked to ensure no SNP=0. Those that do are removed(if present in sumstats file). Default FALSE.
- N\_std numeric The number of standard deviations above the mean a SNP's N is needed to be removed. Default is 5.
- N\_dropNA Drop rows where N is missing.Default is TRUE.
- rmv\_chr vector or character The chromosomes on which the SNPs should be removed. Use NULL if no filtering necessary. Default is X, Y and mitochondrial.
- rmv\_chrPrefix Remove "chr" or "CHR" from chromosome names. Default is TRUE.
- on\_ref\_genome Binary Should a check take place that all SNPs are on the reference genome by SNP ID. Default is TRUE.
- strand\_ambig\_filter Binary Should SNPs with strand-ambiguous alleles be removed. Default is FALSE.
- allele\_flip\_check Binary Should the allele columns be checked against reference genome to infer if flipping is necessary. Default is TRUE.
- allele\_flip\_drop Binary Should the SNPs for which neither their A1 or A2 base pair values match a reference genome be dropped. Default is TRUE.
- allele\_flip\_z Binary should the Z-score be flipped along with effect and FRQ columns like Beta? It is assumed to be calculated off the effect size not the P-value and so will be flipped i.e. default TRUE.
- allele\_flip\_frq Binary should the frequency (FRQ) column be flipped along with effect and z-score columns like Beta? Default TRUE.
- bi\_allelic\_filter Binary Should non-biallelic SNPs be removed. Default is TRUE.
- snp\_ids\_are\_rs\_ids Binary Should the supplied SNP ID's be assumed to be RSIDs. If not, imputation using the SNP ID for other columns like basepair position or chromosome will not be possible. If set to FALSE, the SNP RS ID will be imputed from the reference genome if possible. Default is TRUE.
- remove\_multi\_rs\_snp Binary Sometimes summary statistics can have multiple RSIDs on one row (i.e. related to one SNP), for example "rs5772025\_rs397784053". This can cause an error so by default, the first RS ID will be kept and the rest removed e.g."rs5772025". If you want to just remove these SNPs entirely, set it to TRUE. Default is FALSE.

- frq\_is\_maf Conventionally the FRQ column is intended to show the minor/effect allele frequency (MAF) but sometimes the major allele frequency can be inferred as the FRQ column. This logical variable indicates that the FRQ column should be renamed to MAJOR\_ALLELE\_FRQ if the frequency values appear to relate to the major allele i.e. >0.5. By default this mapping won't occur i.e. is TRUE.
- indels Binary does your Sumstats file contain Indels? These don't exist in our reference file so they will be excluded from checks if this value is TRUE. Default is TRUE.
- dbSNP version of dbSNP to be used for imputation (144 or 155).
- check\_dups whether to check for duplicates if formatting QTL datasets this should be set to FALSE otherwise keep as TRUE. Default is TRUE.
- sort\_coordinates Whether to sort by coordinates of resulting sumstats
- save\_path File path to save formatted data. Defaults to tempfile(fileext=".tsv.gz").
- tabix\_index Index the formatted summary statistics with tabix for fast querying.
- return\_data Return data.table, GRanges or VRanges directly to user. Otherwise, return the path to the save data. Default is FALSE.
- return\_format If return\_data is TRUE. Object type to be returned ("data.table", "vranges", "granges").
- ldsc\_format DEPRECATED, do not use. Use save format="LDSC" instead.
- save\_format Output format of sumstats. Options are NULL standardised output format from MungeSumstats, LDSC - output format compatible with LDSC and openGWAS - output compatible with openGWAS VCFs. Default is NULL.
- log\_folder\_ind Binary Should log files be stored containing all filtered out SNPs (separate file per filter). The data is outputted in the same format specified for the resulting sumstats file. The only exception to this rule is if output is vcf, then log file saved as .tsv.gz. Default is FALSE.
- log\_mungesumstats\_msgs Binary Should a log be stored containing all messages and errors printed by MungeSumstats in a run. Default is FALSE
- log\_folder Filepath to the directory for the log files and the log of Munge-Sumstats messages to be stored. Default is a temporary directory.
- imputation\_ind Binary Should a column be added for each imputation step to show what SNPs have imputed values for differing fields. This includes a field denoting SNP allele flipping (flipped). On the flipped value, this denoted whether the alelles where switched based on MungeSumstats initial choice of A1, A2 from the input column headers and thus may not align with what the creator intended.Note these columns will be in the formatted summary statistics returned. Default is FALSE.
- mapping\_file MungeSumstats has a pre-defined column-name mapping file which should cover the most common column headers and their interpretations. However, if a column header that is in youf file is missing of the mapping we give is incorrect you can supply your own mapping file. Must be a 2 column dataframe with column names "Uncorrected" and "Corrected". See data(sumstatsColHeaders) for default mapping and necessary format.

# Value

Either a named list of data objects or paths, depending on the arguments passed to format\_sumstats.

# Examples

```
#only run the examples if user has internet access:
if(try(is.character(getURL("www.google.com")))==TRUE){
### Search by criteria
metagwas <- find_sumstats(</pre>
    traits = c("parkinson", "alzheimer"),
   min_sample_size = 5000
)
### Only use a subset for testing purposes
ids <- (dplyr::arrange(metagwas, nsnp))$id</pre>
### Default usage
## You can supply \code{import_sumstats()}
## with a list of as many OpenGWAS IDs as you want,
## but we'll just give one to save time.
## Call uses reference genome as default with more than 2GB of memory,
## which is more than what 32-bit Windows can handle so remove certain checks
## commented out down to runtime
# datasets <- import_sumstats(ids = ids[1])</pre>
}
```

index\_tabular Tabix-index file: table

#### Description

Convert summary stats file to tabix format.

# Usage

```
index_tabular(
   path,
   chrom_col = "CHR",
   start_col = "BP",
   end_col = start_col,
   overwrite = TRUE,
   remove_tmp = TRUE,
   verbose = TRUE
)
```

# liftover

#### Arguments

path	Path to GWAS summary statistics file.
chrom_col	Name of the chromosome column in sumstats_dt (e.g. "CHR").
start_col	Name of the starting genomic position column in $sumstats_dt$ (e.g. "POS", "start").
end_col	Name of the ending genomic position column in sumstats_dt (e.g. "POS","end"). Can be the same as start_col when sumstats_dt only contains SNPs that span 1 base pair (bp) each.
overwrite	A logical(1) indicating whether dest should be over-written, if it already exists.
remove_tmp	Remove the temporary uncompressed version of the file (.tsv).
verbose	Print messages.

# Value

Path to tabix-indexed tabular file

#### Source

Borrowed function from echotabix.

# See Also

Other tabix: index\_vcf()

# Examples

```
sumstats_dt <- MungeSumstats::formatted_example()
path <- tempfile(fileext = ".tsv")
MungeSumstats::write_sumstats(sumstats_dt = sumstats_dt, save_path = path)
indexed_file <- MungeSumstats::index_tabular(path = path)</pre>
```

liftover

Genome build liftover

#### Description

Transfer genomic coordinates from one genome build to another.

# Usage

```
liftover(
  sumstats_dt,
  convert_ref_genome,
  ref_genome,
  imputation_ind = TRUE,
  chrom_col = "CHR",
  start_col = "BP",
```

```
end_col = start_col,
as_granges = FALSE,
style = "NCBI",
verbose = TRUE
)
```

# Arguments

sumstats_dt	data table obj of the summary statistics file for the GWAS.
convert_ref_ger	nome
	name of the reference genome to convert to ("GRCh37" or "GRCh38"). This will only occur if the current genome build does not match. Default is not to convert the genome build (NULL).
ref_genome	name of the reference genome used for the GWAS ("GRCh37" or "GRCh38"). Argument is case-insensitive. Default is NULL which infers the reference genome from the data.
imputation_ind	Binary Should a column be added for each imputation step to show what SNPs have imputed values for differing fields. This includes a field denoting SNP allele flipping (flipped). On the flipped value, this denoted whether the alelles where switched based on MungeSumstats initial choice of A1, A2 from the input column headers and thus may not align with what the creator intended. <b>Note</b> these columns will be in the formatted summary statistics returned. Default is FALSE.
chrom_col	Name of the chromosome column in sumstats_dt (e.g. "CHR").
start_col	Name of the starting genomic position column in $sumstats_dt$ (e.g. "POS", "start").
end_col	Name of the ending genomic position column in sumstats_dt (e.g. "POS","end"). Can be the same as start_col when sumstats_dt only contains SNPs that span 1 base pair (bp) each.
as_granges	Return results as GRanges instead of a data.table (default: FALSE).
style	Style to return GRanges object in (e.g. "NCBI" = 4; "UCSC" = "chr4";) (default: "NCBI").
verbose	Print messages.

# Value

Lifted summary stats in data.table or GRanges format.

# Source

liftOver UCSC chain files

# Examples

sumstats\_dt <- MungeSumstats::formatted\_example()</pre>

sumstats\_dt\_hg38 <- liftover(sumstats\_dt=sumstats\_dt,</pre>

```
ref_genome = "hg19",
convert_ref_genome="hg38")
```

list\_sumstats

List munged summary statistics

# Description

Searches for and lists local GWAS summary statistics files munged by format\_sumstats or import\_sumstats.

# Usage

```
list_sumstats(
   save_dir = getwd(),
   pattern = "*.tsv.gz$",
   ids_from_file = TRUE,
   verbose = TRUE
)
```

# Arguments

save_dir	Top-level directory to recursively search for summary statistics files within.
pattern	Regex pattern to search for files with.
ids_from_file	Try to extract dataset IDs from file names. If FALSE, will infer IDs from the directory names instead.
verbose	Print messages.

# Value

Named vector of summary stats paths.

# Examples

```
save_dir <- system.file("extdata",package = "MungeSumstats")
munged_files <- MungeSumstats::list_sumstats(save_dir = save_dir)</pre>
```

load\_ref\_genome\_data Load the reference genome data for SNPs of interest

### Description

Load the reference genome data for SNPs of interest

### Usage

```
load_ref_genome_data(snps, ref_genome, dbSNP = c(144, 155), msg = NULL)
```

#### Arguments

snps	Character vector SNPs by rs_id from sumstats file of interest.
ref_genome	Name of the reference genome used for the GWAS (GRCh37 or GRCh38)
dbSNP	version of dbSNP to be used (144 or 155)
msg	Optional name of the column missing from the dataset in question. Default is NULL

# Value

data table of snpsById, filtered to SNPs of interest.

#### Source

```
sumstats_dt <- formatted_example() rsids <- MungeSumstats:::load_ref_genome_data(snps
= sumstats_dt$SNP, ref_genome = "GRCH37", dbSNP=144)</pre>
```

load_snp_loc_data	Loads the SNP locations and alleles for Homo sapiens extracted from
	NCBI dbSNP Build 144. Reference genome version is dependent on
	user input.

# Description

Loads the SNP locations and alleles for Homo sapiens extracted from NCBI dbSNP Build 144. Reference genome version is dependent on user input.

#### Usage

```
load_snp_loc_data(ref_genome, dbSNP = c(144, 155), msg = NULL)
```

#### parse\_logs

### Arguments

ref_genome	name of the reference genome used for the GWAS (GRCh37 or GRCh38)
dbSNP	version of dbSNP to be used (144 or 155)
msg	Optional name of the column missing from the dataset in question

# Value

SNP\_LOC\_DATA SNP positions and alleles for Homo sapiens extracted from NCBI dbSNP Build 144

# Examples

SNP\_LOC\_DATA <- load\_snp\_loc\_data("GRCH37",dbSNP=144)</pre>

parse_logs	
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#### Parse data from log files

# Description

Parses data from the log files generated by format\_sumstats or import\_sumstats when the argument log\_mungesumstats\_msgs is set to TRUE.

# Usage

```
parse_logs(
  save_dir = getwd(),
  pattern = "MungeSumstats_log_msg.txt$",
  verbose = TRUE
)
```

# Arguments

save_dir	Top-level directory to recursively search for log files within.
pattern	Regex pattern to search for files with.
verbose	Print messages.

# Value

data.table of parsed log data.

#### Examples

```
save_dir <- system.file("extdata",package = "MungeSumstats")
log_data <- MungeSumstats::parse_logs(save_dir = save_dir)</pre>
```

raw\_ALSvcf

#### Description

VCF (VCFv4.2) of the GWAS Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis ieu open GWAS project Dataset: ebia-GCST005647. A subset of 99 SNPs

# Format

vcf document with 528 items relating to 99 SNPs

#### Details

A VCF file (VCFv4.2) of the GWAS Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis ieu open GWAS project has been subsetted here to act as an example summary statistic file in VCF format which has some issues in the formatting. MungeSumstats can correct these issues and produced a standardised summary statistics format.

#### ALSvcf.vcf

NA

#### Source

The summary statistics VCF (VCFv4.2) file was downloaded from https://gwas.mrcieu.ac.uk/datasets/ebia-GCST005647/ and formatted to a .rda with the following: #Get example VCF dataset, use GWAS Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis ALS\_GWAS\_VCF <- readLines("ebi-a-GCST005647.vcf.gz") #Subset to just the first 99 SNPs ALSvcf <- ALS\_GWAS\_VCF[1:528] writeLines(ALSvcf,"inst/extdata/ALSvcf.v

raw\_eduAttainOkbay GWAS Educational Attainment Okbay 2016 - Subset

#### Description

GWAS Summary Statistics on Educational Attainment by Okbay et al 2016: PMID: 27898078 PMCID: PMC5509058 DOI: 10.1038/ng1216-1587b. A subset of 93 SNPs

#### Format

txt document with 94 items

#### **Details**

GWAS Summary Statistics on Educational Attainment by Okbay et al 2016 has been subsetted here to act as an example summary statistic file which has some issues in the formatting. MungeSumstats can correct these issues.

#### read\_header

#### eduAttainOkbay.txt

#### NA

#### Source

The summary statistics file was downloaded from https://www.nature.com/articles/ng.3552 and formatted to a .rda with the following: #Get example dataset, use Educational-Attainment\_Okbay\_2016 link<-"Educational-Attainment\_Okbay\_2016/EduYears\_Discovery\_5000.txt" eduAttainOkbay<-readLines(link #There is an issue where values end with .0, this 0 is removed in func #There are also SNPs not on ref genome or arebi/tri allelic #So need to remove these in this dataset as its used for testing tmp <- tempfile() writeLines(eduAttainOkbay,con=tmp) eduAttainOkbay <- data.table::fread(tm #DT read removes the .0's #remove those not on ref genome and withbi/tri allelic rmv <c("rs192818565", "rs79925071", "rs1606974", "rs1871109", "rs73074378", "rs7955289") eduAttainOkbay <- eduAttainOkbay[!MarkerName data.table::fwrite(eduAttainOkbay,file=tmp,sep="\t") eduAttainOkbay <- readLines(tmp) writeLines(eduAttainOkbay, "inst/extdata/eduAttainOkbay.txt")

read\_header

Read in file header

#### Description

Read in file header

#### Usage

```
read_header(path, n = 2L, skip_vcf_metadata = FALSE, nThread = 1)
```

### Arguments

path	Filepath for the summary statistics file to be formatted. A dataframe or datat- able of the summary statistics file can also be passed directly to MungeSumstats using the path parameter.
n	integer. The (maximal) number of lines to read. Negative values indicate that one should read up to the end of input on the connection.
<pre>skip_vcf_metadata</pre>	
	logical, should VCF metadata be ignored
nThread	Number of threads to use for parallel processes.

#### Value

First n lines of the VCF header

#### Examples

read\_sumstats

# Description

Determine summary statistics file type and read them into memory

# Usage

```
read_sumstats(
   path,
   nrows = Inf,
   standardise_headers = FALSE,
   samples = 1,
   sampled_rows = 10000L,
   nThread = 1,
   mapping_file = sumstatsColHeaders
)
```

# Arguments

path	Filepath for the summary statistics file to be formatted. A dataframe or data- able of the summary statistics file can also be passed directly to MungeSumstats using the path parameter.
nrows	integer. The (maximal) number of lines to read. If Inf, will read in all rows.
standardise_hea	nders
	Standardise headers first.
samples	Which samples to use:
	• 1 : Only the first sample will be used ( <i>DEFAULT</i> ).
	• NULL : All samples will be used.
	• c(" <sample_id1>","<sample_id2>",) : Only user-selected samples will be used (case-insensitive).</sample_id2></sample_id1>
sampled_rows	First N rows to sample. Set NULL to use full sumstats_file. when determining whether cols are empty.
nThread	Number of threads to use for parallel processes.
mapping_file	MungeSumstats has a pre-defined column-name mapping file which should cover the most common column headers and their interpretations. However, if a col- umn header that is in youf file is missing of the mapping we give is incorrect you can supply your own mapping file. Must be a 2 column dataframe with col- umn names "Uncorrected" and "Corrected". See data(sumstatsColHeaders) for default mapping and necessary format.

### Value

data.table of formatted summary statistics

read\_vcf

# Examples

```
path <- system.file("extdata", "eduAttainOkbay.txt",
    package = "MungeSumstats"
)
eduAttainOkbay <- read_sumstats(path = path)</pre>
```

read\_vcf

Read in VCF file

### Description

Read in a VCF file as a VCF or a data.table. Can optionally save the VCF/data.table as well.

# Usage

```
read_vcf(
 path,
  as_datatable = TRUE,
  save_path = NULL,
  tabix_index = FALSE,
  samples = 1,
 which = NULL,
  use_params = TRUE,
  sampled_rows = 10000L,
 download = TRUE,
  vcf_dir = tempdir(),
  download_method = "download.file",
  force_new = FALSE,
 mt_thresh = 100000L,
 nThread = 1,
  verbose = TRUE
)
```

#### Arguments

path	Path to local or remote VCF file.
as_datatable	Return the data as a data.table (default: TRUE) or a VCF (FALSE).
save_path	File path to save formatted data. Defaults to tempfile(fileext=".tsv.gz").
tabix_index	Index the formatted summary statistics with tabix for fast querying.
samples	Which samples to use:
	• 1 : Only the first sample will be used ( <i>DEFAULT</i> ).
	• NULL : All samples will be used.

• c("<sample\_id1>","<sample\_id2>",...) : Only user-selected samples will be used (case-insensitive).

which	A GRanges describing the sequences and ranges to be queried. Variants whose POS lies in the interval(s) [start, end] are returned. If which is not specified all ranges are returned.
use_params	When TRUE (default), increases the speed of reading in the VCF by omitting columns that are empty based on the head of the VCF (NAs only). NOTE that that this requires the VCF to be sorted, bgzip-compressed, tabix-indexed, which read_vcf will attempt to do.
sampled_rows	First N rows to sample. Set NULL to use full ${\tt sumstats_file}$ when determining whether cols are empty.
download	Download the VCF (and its index file) to a temp folder before reading it into R. This is important to keep TRUE when nThread>1 to avoid making too many queries to remote file.
vcf_dir	Where to download the original VCF from Open GWAS. <i>WARNING:</i> This is set to tempdir() by default. This means the raw (pre-formatted) VCFs be deleted upon ending the R session. Change this to keep the raw VCF file on disk (e.g. vcf_dir="./raw_vcf").
download_method	
	"axel" (multi-threaded) or "download.file" (single-threaded).
force_new	If a formatted file of the same names as save_path exists, formatting will be skipped and this file will be imported instead (default). Set force_new=TRUE to override this.
mt_thresh	When the number of rows (variants) in the VCF is < mt_thresh, only use single- threading for reading in the VCF. This is because the overhead of parallelisation outweighs the speed benefits when VCFs are small.
nThread	Number of threads to use for parallel processes.
verbose	Print messages.

# Value

The VCF file in data.table format.

# Source

```
#### Benchmarking #### library(VCFWrenchR) library(VariantAnnotation) path <- "https://gwas.mrcieu.ac.
vcf <- VariantAnnotation::readVcf(file = path) N <- 1e5 vcf_sub <- vcf[1:N,] res <- microbenchmark::microb
"vcf2df"={dat1 <- MungeSumstats:::vcf2df(vcf = vcf_sub)}, "VCFWrenchR"= {dat2 <- as.data.frame(x
= vcf_sub)}, "VRanges"={dat3 <- data.table::as.data.table(methods::as(vcf_sub, "VRanges"))},
times=1)
```

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# Examples

```
#### Local file ####
path <- system.file("extdata","ALSvcf.vcf", package="MungeSumstats")
sumstats_dt <- read_vcf(path = path)</pre>
```

#### register\_cores

```
#### Remote file ####
## Small GWAS (0.2Mb)
# path <- "https://gwas.mrcieu.ac.uk/files/ieu-a-298/ieu-a-298.vcf.gz"
# sumstats_dt2 <- read_vcf(path = path)
## Large GWAS (250Mb)
# path <- "https://gwas.mrcieu.ac.uk/files/ubm-a-2929/ubm-a-2929.vcf.gz"
# sumstats_dt3 <- read_vcf(path = path, nThread=11)
### Very large GWAS (500Mb)
# path <- "https://gwas.mrcieu.ac.uk/files/ieu-a-1124/ieu-a-1124.vcf.gz"
# sumstats_dt4 <- read_vcf(path = path, nThread=11)</pre>
```

register\_cores Register cores

# Description

Register a multi-threaded instances using BiocParallel.

#### Usage

```
register_cores(workers = 1, progressbar = TRUE)
```

# Arguments

workers	integer(1) Number of workers. Defaults to all cores available as determined
	by detectCores. For a SOCK cluster workers can be a character() vector of
	host names.
progressbar	logical(1) Enable progress bar (based on plyr:::progress_text).

#### Value

Null output.

standardise\_header Standardise the column headers in the Summary Statistics files

### Description

Use a reference data table of common column header names (stored in sumstatsColHeaders or user inputted mapping file) to convert them to a standard set, i.e. chromosome -> CHR. This function does not check that all the required column headers are present. The amended header is written directly back into the file

### Usage

```
standardise_header(
   sumstats_dt,
   mapping_file = sumstatsColHeaders,
   uppercase_unmapped = TRUE,
   return_list = TRUE
)
```

# Arguments

sumstats_dt	data table obj of the summary statistics file for the GWAS.
mapping_file	MungeSumstats has a pre-defined column-name mapping file which should cover the most common column headers and their interpretations. However, if a col- umn header that is in youf file is missing of the mapping we give is incorrect you can supply your own mapping file. Must be a 2 column dataframe with col- umn names "Uncorrected" and "Corrected". See data(sumstatsColHeaders) for default mapping and necessary format.
uppercase_unmap	ped
	For columns that could not be identified in the mapping_file, return them in the same format they were input as (without forcing them to uppercase).
return_list	Return the sumstats_dt within a named list (default: TRUE).

# Value

list containing sumstats\_dt, the modified summary statistics data table object

#### Examples

sumstatsColHeaders Summary Statistics Column Headers

# Description

List of uncorrected column headers often found in GWAS Summary Statistics column headers. Note the effect allele will always be the A2 allele, this is the approach done for VCF(https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PM This is enforced with the column header corrections here and also the check allele flipping test.

#### Usage

```
data("sumstatsColHeaders")
```

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#### vcf2df

#### Format

dataframe with 2 columns

#### Source

The code to prepare the .Rda file file from the marker file is: # Most the data in the below table comes from the LDSC github wiki data("sumstatsColHeaders") # Make additions to sumstatsColHeaders using github version of MungeSumstats-# shown is an example of adding columns for Standard Error (SE) #se\_cols <- data.frame("Uncorrected"=c("SE", "se", "STANDARD.ERROR", # "STANDARD\_ERROR", "STAND "Corrected"=rep("SE", 5)) #sumstatsColHeaders <- rbind(sumstatsColHeaders, se\_cols) #Once additions are made, order & save the new mapping dataset #now sort ordering -important for logic that # uncorrected=corrected comes first sumstatsColHeaders\$corrected, sumstatsColHeaders\$Unce sumstatsColHeaders <- sumstatsColHeaders[order(sumstatsColHeaders) sumstatsColHeaders\$ordering = TRUE),] rownames(sumstatsColHeaders)<-1:nrow(sumstatsColHeaders) sumstatsColHeaders\$ordering <- NULL #manually move FRWQUENCY to above MAR - github issue 95 frequency <- sumstatsColHeaders[sumstatsCol maf <- sumstatsColHeaders[sumstatsColHeaders\$Uncorrected=="MAF",] if(as.integer(rownames(frequency))? sumstatsColHeaders[as.integer(rownames(frequency)),] <- maf sumstatsColHeaders[as.integer(rownames(mates)] <- frequency } usethis::use\_data(sumstatsColHeaders, overwrite = TRUE, internal=TRUE) save(sumstatsColHeaders, file="data/sumstatsColHeaders.rda") # You will need to restart your r session for effects to take account

vcf2df

VCF to DF

### Description

Function to convert a VariantAnnotation CollapsedVCF/ExpandedVCF object to a data.frame.

#### Usage

```
vcf2df(
 vcf,
 add_sample_names = TRUE,
 add_rowranges = TRUE,
 drop_empty_cols = TRUE,
 unique_cols = TRUE,
 unique_rows = TRUE,
 unlist_cols = TRUE,
 sampled_rows = NULL,
 verbose = TRUE
)
```

#### Arguments

vcf

Variant Call Format (VCF) file imported into R as a VariantAnnotation CollapsedVCF/ ExpandedVCF object.

add_sample_name	es
	Append sample names to column names (e.g. "EZ" -> "EZ_ubm-a-2929").
add_rowranges	Include rowRanges from VCF as well.
drop_empty_cols	
	Drop columns that are filled entirely with: NA, ".", or "".
unique_cols	Only keep uniquely named columns.
unique_rows	Only keep unique rows.
unlist_cols	If any columns are lists instead of vectors, unlist them. Required to be TRUE when unique_rows=TRUE.
sampled_rows	First N rows to sample. Set NULL to use full $sumstats_file$ . when determining whether cols are empty.
verbose	Print messages.

### Value

data.frame version of VCF

# Source

# Original code source

### vcfR:

if(!require("pinfsc50")) install.packages("pinfsc50") vcf\_file <- system.file("extdata", "pinf\_sc50.vcf.gz", package = "pinfsc50") vcf <- read.vcfR( vcf\_file, verbose = FALSE ) vcf\_df\_list <- vcfR::vcfR2tidy(vcf, single\_frame=TRUE) vcf\_df <- data.table::data.table(vcf\_df\_list\$dat)

# Examples

write\_sumstats Write sum stats file to disk

# Description

Write sum stats file to disk

# write\_sumstats

# Usage

```
write_sumstats(
   sumstats_dt,
   save_path,
   ref_genome,
   sep = "\t",
   write_vcf = FALSE,
   save_format = NULL,
   tabix_index = FALSE,
   nThread = 1,
   return_path = FALSE,
   save_path_check = FALSE
)
```

# Arguments

sumstats_dt	data table obj of the summary statistics file for the GWAS.
save_path	File path to save formatted data. Defaults to tempfile(fileext=".tsv.gz").
ref_genome	name of the reference genome used for the GWAS ("GRCh37" or "GRCh38"). Argument is case-insensitive. Default is NULL which infers the reference genome from the data.
sep	The separator between columns. Defaults to the character in the set [,\t  ;:] that separates the sample of rows into the most number of lines with the same number of fields. Use NULL or "" to specify no separator; i.e. each line a single character column like base::readLines does.
write_vcf	Whether to write as VCF (TRUE) or tabular file (FALSE).
save_format	Output format of sumstats. Options are NULL - standardised output format from MungeSumstats, LDSC - output format compatible with LDSC and openGWAS - output compatible with openGWAS VCFs. Default is NULL.
tabix_index	Index the formatted summary statistics with tabix for fast querying.
nThread	The number of threads to use. Experiment to see what works best for your data on your hardware.
return_path	Return save_path. This will have been modified in some cases (e.g. after compressing and tabix-indexing a previously un-compressed file).
save_path_check	
	Ensure path name is valid (given the other arguments) before writing (default: FALSE).

# Value

If return\_path=TRUE, returns save\_path. Else returns NULL.

# Source

VariantAnnotation::writeVcf has some unexpected/silent file renaming behavior

# Examples

```
path <- system.file("extdata", "eduAttainOkbay.txt",
    package = "MungeSumstats"
)
eduAttainOkbay <- read_sumstats(path = path)
write_sumstats(
    sumstats_dt = eduAttainOkbay,
    save_path = tempfile(fileext = ".tsv.gz")
)
```

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