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adapter\_content

Creates a sorted from most frequent to least frequent abundance table of adapters that are found to be present in the reads at greater than 0.1% of the reads. If output\_file is selected then will save the entire set of adapters and counts. Only available for macOS/Linux due to dependency on C++14.

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#### Usage

```
adapter_content(infile, adapter_file = system.file("extdata",
   "adapters.txt", package = "qckitfastq"), output_file = NA)
```

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#### **Arguments**

infile the path to a gzipped FASTQ file

adapter\_file Path to adapters.txt file. Default from package.

output\_file File to save data frame to. Default NA.

#### Value

Sorted table of adapters and counts.

## **Examples**

```
if(.Platform$OS.type != "windows") {
infile <- system.file("extdata","test.fq.gz",
    package = "qckitfastq")
adapter_content(infile)[1:5]
}</pre>
```

calc\_adapter\_content Compute adapter content in reads. This function is only available for macOS/Linux.

# **Description**

Compute adapter content in reads. This function is only available for macOS/Linux.

# Usage

```
calc_adapter_content(infile, adapters)
```

#### **Arguments**

infile filepath to fastq sequence adapters filepath to adapters

#### Value

map object with adapter names as the key and the number of times the adapters appears in the reads as the value

```
if(.Platform$OS.type != "windows") {
  adapter_file <- system.file("extdata", "adapters.txt", package = "qckitfastq")
  infile <- system.file("extdata", "test.fq.gz", package = "qckitfastq")
  content <- calc_adapter_content(infile, adapter_file)
}</pre>
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calc\_format\_score

Calculate score based on Illumina format

# **Description**

Calculate score based on Illumina format

# Usage

```
calc_format_score(score, score_format)
```

#### **Arguments**

score An ascii quality score from the fastq

score\_format The illumina format

#### Value

a string as with the best guess as to the illumina format

# **Examples**

```
calc_format_score("A", "Sanger")
```

calc\_over\_rep\_seq

Calculate sequece counts for each unique sequence and create a table with unique sequences and corresponding counts

# Description

Calculate sequece counts for each unique sequence and create a table with unique sequences and corresponding counts

# Usage

```
calc_over_rep_seq(infile, min_size = 5L, buffer_size = 1000000L)
```

# Arguments

infile A string giving the path for the fastqfile
min\_size An int for thhresholding over representation
buffer\_size An int for the number of lines to keep in memory

## Value

calculate overrepresented sequence count

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## **Examples**

```
infile <- system.file("extdata", "10^5_reads_test.fq.gz", package = "qckitfastq")
calc_over_rep_seq(infile)[seq_len(5)]</pre>
```

dimensions

Extract the number of columns and rows for a FASTQ file using seq-Tools.

## **Description**

Extract the number of columns and rows for a FASTQ file using seqTools.

# Usage

```
dimensions(fseq, sel)
```

#### **Arguments**

fseq an object that is the read result of the seq.read function sel 'reads' for #reads/rows, 'positions' for #positions/columns

#### Value

a numeric value of the number of reads or the number of positions

# **Examples**

find\_format

Gets quality score encoding format from the FASTQ file. Return possibilities are Sanger(/Illumina1.8), Solexa(/Illumina1.0), Illumina1.3, and Illumina1.5. This encoding is heuristic based and may not be 100 since there is overlap in the encodings used, so it is best if you already know the format.

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GC\_content

#### Usage

```
find_format(infile, reads_used)
```

# Arguments

infile A string giving the path for the fastq file

reads\_used int, the number of reads to use to determine the encoding format.

#### Value

A string denoting the read format. Possibilities are Sanger, Solexa, Illumina1.3, and Illumina1.5.

## **Examples**

```
infile <- system.file("extdata", "10^5_reads_test.fq.gz", package = "qckitfastq")
find_format(infile,100)</pre>
```

GC\_content

Calculates GC content percentage for each read in the dataset.

# **Description**

Calculates GC content percentage for each read in the dataset.

# Usage

```
GC_content(infile, output_file = NA)
```

# Arguments

infile the object that is the path to the FASTQ file

output\_file File to write results to. Default NA.

#### Value

Data frame with read ID and GC content of each read.

```
infile <- system.file("extdata", "10^5_reads_test.fq.gz",
    package = "qckitfastq")
head(GC_content(infile))</pre>
```

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gc\_per\_read

Calculate GC nucleotide sequence content per read of the FASTQ gzipped file

#### **Description**

Calculate GC nucleotide sequence content per read of the FASTQ gzipped file

# Usage

```
gc_per_read(infile)
```

# **Arguments**

infile

A string giving the path for the fastqfile

#### Value

GC content perncentage per read

# **Examples**

```
infile <- system.file("extdata", "10^5_reads_test.fq.gz", package = "qckitfastq")
gc_per_read(infile)[1:10]</pre>
```

kmer\_count

Return kmer count per sequence for the length of kmer desired

# **Description**

Return kmer count per sequence for the length of kmer desired

# Usage

```
kmer_count(infile, k, output_file = NA)
```

# Arguments

infile the object that is the path to gzippped FASTQ file

k the length of kmer

output\_file File to save plot to. Default NA.

# Value

kmers counts per sequence

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#### **Examples**

```
infile <- system.file("extdata", "10^5_reads_test.fq.gz",
    package = "qckitfastq")
km<-kmer_count(infile,k=4)
km[1:20,1:10]</pre>
```

overrep\_kmer

Generate overrepresented kmers of length k based on their observed to expected ratio at each position across all sequences in the dataset. The expected proportion of a length k kmer assumes site independence and is computed as the sum of the count of each base pair in the kmer times the probability of observing that base pair in the data set, i.e. P(A)count\_in\_kmer(A)+P(C)count\_in\_kmer(C)+... The observed to expected ratio is computed as log2(obs/exp). Those with obsexp\_ratio > 2 are considered to be overrepresented and appear in the returned data frame along with their position in the sequence.

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## Usage

```
overrep_kmer(infile, k, output_file = NA)
```

#### **Arguments**

infile path to gzipped FASTQ file

k the kmer length

output\_file File to save plot to. Default NA.

#### Value

Data frame with columns: Position (in read), Obsexp\_ratio, & Kmer

```
infile <-system.file("extdata", "test.fq.gz",
    package = "qckitfastq")
overrep_kmer(infile,k=4)</pre>
```

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Sort all sequences per read by count.

# Description

Sort all sequences per read by count.

#### Usage

```
overrep_reads(infile, output_file = NA)
```

# Arguments

infile Path to gzippped FASTQ file.

output\_file File to save data frame to. Default NA.

#### Value

Table of sequences sorted by count.

# **Examples**

```
infile <- system.file("extdata", "10^5_reads_test.fq.gz",
    package = "qckitfastq")
overrep_reads(infile)[1:5,]</pre>
```

per\_base\_quality

Compute the mean, median, and percentiles of quality score per base. This is returned as a data frame.

# Description

Compute the mean, median, and percentiles of quality score per base. This is returned as a data frame.

# Usage

```
per_base_quality(infile, output_file = NA)
```

#### **Arguments**

infile Path to a gzippped FASTQ file

output\_file File to write results in CSV format to. Default NA.

per\_read\_quality

# Value

A dataframe of the mean, median and quantiles of the FASTQ file

#### Author(s)

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August Guang, <august_guang@brown.edu>
```

# **Examples**

per\_read\_quality

Compute the mean quality score per read. per\_read\_quality

# **Description**

Compute the mean quality score per read. per\_read\_quality

# Usage

```
per_read_quality(infile, output_file = NA)
```

#### **Arguments**

infile Path to FASTQ file

output\_file File to write plot to. Will not write to file if NA. Default NA.

#### Value

Data frame of mean quality score per read

```
infile <- system.file("extdata", "10^5_reads_test.fq.gz", package = "qckitfastq")
prq <- per_read_quality(infile)</pre>
```

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plot\_adapter\_content Creates a bar plot of the top 5 most present adapter sequences.

## **Description**

Creates a bar plot of the top 5 most present adapter sequences.

#### Usage

```
plot_adapter_content(ac_sorted, output_file = NA)
```

# **Arguments**

ac\_sorted Sorted table of adapters and counts.

output\_file File to save data frame to. Default NA.

## Value

Barplot of top 5 most frequent adapter sequences.

# **Examples**

```
if(.Platform$0S.type != "windows") {
infile <- system.file("extdata", "test.fq.gz", package = "qckitfastq")
ac_sorted <- adapter_content(infile)
plot_adapter_content(ac_sorted)
}</pre>
```

plot\_GC\_content

Generate mean GC content histogram.

# **Description**

Generate mean GC content histogram.

# Usage

```
plot_GC_content(gc_df, output_file = NA)
```

# **Arguments**

gc\_df the object that is the GC content vectors generated from GC content function output\_file File to write plot to. Will not write to file if NA. Default NA.

#### Value

A histogram of mean GC content.

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#### **Examples**

```
infile <- system.file("extdata", "10^5_reads_test.fq.gz", package = "qckitfastq")
gc_df<-GC_content(infile)
plot_GC_content(gc_df)</pre>
```

plot\_outliers

Determine how to plot outliers. Heuristic used is whether their obsexp\_ratio differs by more than 1 and whether they fall into the same bin or not. If for 2 outliers, obsexp\_ratio differs by less than .4 and they are in the same bin, then combine into a single plotting point. NOT FULLY FUNCTIONAL

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#### Usage

```
plot_outliers(overkm, top_num)
```

#### **Arguments**

overkm data frame with columns pos, obsexp ratio, and kmer that has already been

reordered by descending obsexp\_ratio

top\_num number of most overrepresented kmers to plot. Default is 5.

#### Value

currently 0 as function is not fully working.

plot\_overrep\_kmer

Create a box plot of the log2(observed/expected) ratio across the length of the sequence as well as top overrepresented kmers. Only ratios greater than 2 are included in the box plot. Default is 20 bins across the length of the sequence and the top 2 overrepresented kmers, but this can be changed by the user.

#### **Description**

Create a box plot of the log2(observed/expected) ratio across the length of the sequence as well as top overrepresented kmers. Only ratios greater than 2 are included in the box plot. Default is 20 bins across the length of the sequence and the top 2 overrepresented kmers, but this can be changed by the user.

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#### Usage

```
plot_overrep_kmer(overkm, bins = 20, top_num = 2, output_file = NA)
```

#### **Arguments**

overkm data frame with columns pos, obsexp\_ratio, and kmer bins number of intervals across the length of the sequence top\_num number of most overrepresented kmers to plot

output\_file File to write plot to. Will not write to file if NA. Default NA.

#### Value

A box plot of the log2(observed/expected ratio) across the length of the sequence

## **Examples**

```
infile <- system.file("extdata", "test.fq.gz",
    package = "qckitfastq")
over_km <- overrep_kmer(infile,k=4)
plot_overrep_kmer(over_km)</pre>
```

plot\_overrep\_reads

Plot the top 5 sequences

# **Description**

Plot the top 5 sequences

#### Usage

```
plot_overrep_reads(overrep_reads, output_file = NA)
```

# Arguments

overrep\_reads the table that sorts the sequence content and corresponding counts in descending

order

output\_file File to save plot to. Will not write to file if NA. Default NA.

# Value

plot of the top 5 overrepresented sequences

```
infile <- system.file("extdata", "10^5_reads_test.fq.gz", package = "qckitfastq")
overrep_df <- overrep_reads(infile)
plot_overrep_reads(overrep_df)</pre>
```

plot\_per\_base\_quality Generate a boxplot of the per position quality score.

#### **Description**

Generate a boxplot of the per position quality score.

# Usage

```
plot_per_base_quality(per_base_quality, output_file = NA)
```

# **Arguments**

```
per_base_quality
```

a data frame of the mean, median and quantiles of sequence quality per base.

Most likely generated with the 'per\_base\_quality' function.

output\_file File to save plot to. Will not write to file if NA. Default NA.

#### Value

A boxplot of per position quality score distribution.

#### **Examples**

```
pbq <- per_base_quality(system.file("extdata", "10^5_reads_test.fq.gz", package = "qckitfastq"))
plot_per_base_quality(pbq)</pre>
```

```
plot_per_read_quality Plot the mean quality score per sequence as a histogram. High quality sequences are those mostly distributed over 30. Low quality sequences are those mostly under 30. plot_per_read_quality
```

# Description

Plot the mean quality score per sequence as a histogram. High quality sequences are those mostly distributed over 30. Low quality sequences are those mostly under 30. plot\_per\_read\_quality

## Usage

```
plot_per_read_quality(prq, output_file = NA)
```

# **Arguments**

prq Data frame from per\_read\_quality function

output\_file File to write plot to. Will not write to file if NA. Default NA.

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# Value

Plot of mean quality score per read

# **Examples**

```
infile <- system.file("extdata", "10^5_reads_test.fq.gz", package = "qckitfastq")
prq <- per_read_quality(infile)
plot_per_read_quality(prq)</pre>
```

plot\_read\_content

Plot the per position nucleotide content.

# **Description**

Plot the per position nucleotide content.

# Usage

```
plot_read_content(read_content, output_file = NA)
```

#### **Arguments**

```
read_content Data frame produced by read_content function.

output_file File to save plot to. Will not write to file if NA. Default NA.
```

## Value

ggplot line plot of all nucleotide content inclding A, T, G, C and N

```
infile <- system.file("extdata", "10^5_reads_test.fq.gz", package = "qckitfastq")
fseq <- seqTools::fastqq(infile,k=6)
read_content <- read_content(fseq)
plot_read_content(read_content)</pre>
```

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plot\_read\_length

Plot a histogram of the number of reads with each read length.

# **Description**

Plot a histogram of the number of reads with each read length.

## Usage

```
plot_read_length(read_len, output_file = NA)
```

# **Arguments**

read\_len Data frame of read lengths and number of reads with that length.

output\_file File to save plot to. Default is NA, i.e. do not write to file.

#### Value

A histogram of the read length distribution.

#### Author(s)

```
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```

# **Examples**

```
infile <- system.file("extdata", "10^5_reads_test.fq.gz", package = "qckitfastq")
fseq <- seqTools::fastqq(infile,k=6)
read_len <- read_length(fseq)
plot_read_length(read_len)</pre>
```

qual\_score\_per\_read

Calculate the mean quality score per read of the FASTQ gzipped file

# Description

Calculate the mean quality score per read of the FASTQ gzipped file

# Usage

```
qual_score_per_read(infile)
```

### **Arguments**

infile

A string giving the path for the fastqfile

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# Value

mean quality per read

# **Examples**

```
infile <- system.file("extdata", "10^5_reads_test.fq.gz", package = "qckitfastq")
qual_score_per_read(infile)$q50_per_position[1:10]</pre>
```

read\_base\_content

Compute nucleotide content per position for a single base pair. Wrapper function around seqTools.

# Description

Compute nucleotide content per position for a single base pair. Wrapper function around seqTools.

#### Usage

```
read_base_content(fseq, content)
```

# Arguments

fseq a seqTools::fastqq object

content nucleotide. Options are "A", "T", "G", "C", "N"(either capital or lower case)

## Value

Nucleotide sequence content per position.

#### Author(s)

Wenyue Xing, <wenyue\_xing@brown.edu>, August Guang <august\_guang@brown.edu>

```
infile <- system.file("extdata", "10^5_reads_test.fq.gz", package = "qckitfastq")
fseq <- seqTools::fastqq(infile,k=6)
read_base_content(fseq,"A")</pre>
```

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| read_content | Compute nucleotide content per position. seqTools. | Wrapper function around |
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|              |  |                         |

# **Description**

Compute nucleotide content per position. Wrapper function around seqTools.

# Usage

```
read_content(fseq, output_file = NA)
```

# Arguments

fseq a seqTools::fastqq object

output\_file File to write results in CSV format to. Will not write to file if NA. Default NA.

# Value

Data frame of nucleotide sequence content per position

# **Examples**

```
infile <- system.file("extdata", "10^5_reads_test.fq.gz", package = "qckitfastq")
fseq <- seqTools::fastqq(infile,k=6)
read_content(fseq)</pre>
```

read\_length

Creates a data frame of read lengths and the number of reads with that read length.

# **Description**

Creates a data frame of read lengths and the number of reads with that read length.

# Usage

```
read_length(fseq, output_file = NA)
```

#### **Arguments**

fseq a seqTools object produced by seqTools::fastqq on the raw FASTQ file

output\_file File to save data frame to. Default NA.

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# Value

Data frame of read lengths and number of reads with that length.

# **Examples**

```
infile <- system.file("extdata","test.fq.gz",
    package = "qckitfastq")
fseq <- seqTools::fastqq(infile,k=6)
read_len <- read_length(fseq)</pre>
```

run\_all

Will run all functions in the qckitfastq suite and save the data frames and plots to a user-provided directory. Plot names are supplied by default.

# Description

Will run all functions in the qckitfastq suite and save the data frames and plots to a user-provided directory. Plot names are supplied by default.

# Usage

```
run_all(infile, dir)
```

# Arguments

infile Path to gzipped FASTQ file dir Directory to save results to

#### Value

Generate files from all functions

```
infile <- system.file("extdata", "test.fq.gz",
    package = "qckitfastq")
testfolder <- tempdir()
run_all(infile, testfolder)</pre>
```

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