Package 'NCIgraph'

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Title Pathways from the NCI Pathways Database Version 1.56.0 Date 2012-04-27 Author Laurent Jacob Maintainer Laurent Jacob <laurent.jacob@gmail.com> Description Provides various methods to load the pathways from the NCI Pathways Database in R graph objects and to re-format them. License GPL-3 LazyLoad yes Imports graph, KEGGgraph, methods, RBGL, RCy3, R.oo **Depends** R (>= 4.0.0) Suggests Rgraphviz Enhances DEGraph biocViews Pathways, GraphAndNetwork git_url https://git.bioconductor.org/packages/NCIgraph git_branch RELEASE_3_21 git_last_commit 7a42ff7 git_last_commit_date 2025-04-15 **Repository** Bioconductor 3.21 Date/Publication 2025-07-16

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directedBFS Uses a breadth first search on a directed graph to identify which genes are regulated by a particular node in the graph
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Description

Uses a breadth first search on a directed graph to identify which genes are regulated by a particular node in the graph.

Usage

directedBFS(g, node)

Arguments

g A graph object. node A node of g.

Value

A structured list containing the regulated genes and the type of interaction between node and each gene.

Author(s)

Laurent Jacob

See Also

propagateRegulation()

edgesToMerge

Description

Identifies edges that should be merged to parse a NCI network.

Usage

```
edgesToMerge(g)
```

Arguments

g

A graph object.

Value

A list of edges to be merged

Author(s)

Laurent Jacob

See Also

parseNCInetwork()

getNCIPathways Loads networks from Cytoscape and parses them

Description

Loads networks from Cytoscape and parses them.

Usage

getNCIPathways(cyList=NULL, parseNetworks=TRUE, entrezOnly=TRUE, verbose=FALSE)

Arguments

cyList	a list providing the networks loaded from Cytoscape. If NULL, the function will try to build the list from Cytoscape.
verbose	If TRUE, extra information is output.
parseNetworks	A logical. If FALSE, the raw NCI networks are returned as graphNEL objects. If TRUE, some additional parsing is performed by the parseNCInetwork function.
entrezOnly	A logical. If TRUE, only keep nodes with an entrezID property.

Value

A list of two elements: pList, a list of graphNEL objects, and failedW a list containing the names of the networks that R failed to read from cytoscape.

Author(s)

Laurent Jacob

See Also

parseNCInetwork()

Examples

##------## Load NCIgraph ##------

library(NCIgraph)

##------## Example 1: with Cytoscape ##------

Must have Cytoscape running with some networks open and CyREST plugin started.

In this case, getNCIPathways will both read the raw networks from Cytoscape and parse them.

Not run: grList <- getNCIPathways(cyList=NULL, parseNetworks=TRUE, entrezOnly=TRUE, verbose=TRUE)\$pList</pre>

End(Not run)

##------## Example 2: without Cytoscape ##------

Get some raw networks

data("NCIgraphVignette", package="NCIgraph")

When passed a non null cyList argument (a list of networks), ## getNCIPathways will simply parse the list of networks

grList <- getNCIPathways(cyList=NCI.demo.cyList, parseNetworks=TRUE, entrezOnly=TRUE, verbose=TRUE)\$pList

getSubtype.NCIgraph Returns a list of @KEGGEdgeSubType objects describing each edge of the NCI network

Description

Returns a list of @KEGGEdgeSubType objects describing each edge of the NCI network.

Usage

getSubtype.NCIgraph(object)

Arguments

object An NCIgraph object.

Value

A list of KEGGEdgeSubType objects.

Author(s)

Laurent Jacob

Examples

##------## Load NCIgraph ##------

library(NCIgraph)

##-----## Get some raw networks ##-----

data("NCIgraphVignette", package="NCIgraph")

##------## Parse them ##------

grList <- getNCIPathways(cyList=NCI.demo.cyList, parseNetworks=TRUE, entrezOnly=TRUE, verbose=TRUE)\$pList

```
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##
## Get the subtype of the second network. Some activation and some
## inhibition edges.
##
```

```
##-----
```

getSubtype.NCIgraph(grList[[2]])

is.NCIgraph

Assess whether a graph is a NCI graph

Description

Assess whether a graph is a NCI graph.

Usage

is.NCIgraph(gr)

Arguments

gr A graph object.

Value

A logical, TRUE if the graph is a NCI graph, FALSE otherwise.

Author(s)

Laurent Jacob

See Also

parseNCInetwork()

mergeNodes

Merges a given list of nodes in a graph

Description

Merges a given list of nodes in a graph.

Usage

```
mergeNodes(g, mEdges, separateEntrez=TRUE, entrezOnly=TRUE)
```

NCI.demo.cyList

Arguments

g	A graph object.
mEdges	A list of nodes to be merged.
separateEntrez	A logical. If TRUE, don't merge two nodes with entrezID.
entrezOnly	A logical. If TRUE, only keep nodes with an entrezID property.

Value

The updated graph object

Author(s)

Laurent Jacob

See Also

parseNCInetwork()

NCI.demo.cyList	10 raw NCI networks from Nature curated pathways and BioCarta
	imported as graphNEL objects, for demonstration purpose

Description

These are the ten first elements of the full list of raw networks that can be downloaded using the downloadCyLists.R script.

Usage

NCI.demo.cyList

Format

A list of 10 graphNEL objects.

Author(s)

Laurent Jacob

Examples

```
data("NCIgraphVignette")
length(NCI.demo.cyList)
```

library(Rgraphviz)
plot(NCI.demo.cyList[[1]])

NCIgraph

Description

Package: NCIgraph Class NCIgraph

public static class **NCIgraph** extends graphNELObject

Class extending graphNEL fro graphs build from NCI gene networks.

Author(s)

Laurent Jacob

parseNCInetwork	Takes a NCI network and transforms it into a simpler graph only rep-
	resenting inhibition/activation relationships between genes

Description

Takes a NCI network and transforms it into a simpler graph only representing inhibition/activation relationships between genes.

Usage

parseNCInetwork(g, propagateReg=TRUE, separateEntrez=TRUE, mergeEntrezCopies=TRUE, entrezOnly=TRUE)

Arguments

g	A graph object.						
propagateReg	A logical. If TRUE, use propagateRegulation to transform the network before parsing it.						
separateEntrez	A logical. If TRUE, don't merge two nodes with entrezID.						
mergeEntrezCopies							
	A logical. If TRUE, merge resulting nodes that have the same entrezID.						
entrezOnly	A logical. If TRUE, only keep nodes with an entrezID property.						

Value

The new graph object.

propagateRegulation

Author(s)

Laurent Jacob

Examples

Load NCIgraph
library(NCIgraph)
Get some raw networks
data("NCIgraphVignette", package="NCIgraph")
Parse the first of them
parsedNetwork <- parseNCInetwork(NCI.demo.cyList[[1]],propagateReg=TRUE,separateEntrez=TRUE,mergeEntrezCopies=T</pre>

propagateRegulation	Transforms the network in a way that each Biochemical Reaction node
	pointing to a Complex points to what is regulated by the complex and
	updates the interaction types accordingly

Description

Transforms the network in a way that each Biochemical Reaction node pointing to a Complex points to what is regulated by the complex and updates the interaction types accordingly.

Usage

propagateRegulation(g)

Arguments g

A graph object.

Value

The updated graph object

Author(s)

Laurent Jacob

See Also

parseNCInetwork()

translateNCI2GeneID Gives the entrezID corresponding to the nodes of a graph

Description

Gives the entrezID corresponding to the nodes of a graph.

Usage

```
translateNCI2GeneID(g)
```

Arguments g

A graph object.

Value

A vector of character giving the entrez ID of the nodes of g.

Author(s)

Laurent Jacob

See Also

parseNCInetwork()

Examples

##------## Load NCIgraph ##------

library(NCIgraph)

Get some raw networks

data("NCIgraphVignette", package="NCIgraph")

Parse them

grList <- getNCIPathways(cyList=NCI.demo.cyList, parseNetworks=TRUE, entrezOnly=TRUE, verbose=TRUE)\$pList</pre>

Get the gene ids for the first of them

gids <- translateNCI2GeneID(grList[[1]])</pre>

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