

# Analyses of APA dynamics across rice tissues with the movAPA package

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# 1 Overview

We investigated the application of movAPA on a poly(A) site dataset of 14 tissues in *Oryza sativa japonica* from 3'end sequencing (Fu, et al., 2016). We used a subset of the rice data containing 1233 PACs in 455 genes from three tissues (embryo, anther, and mature pollen) for demonstration. The original dataset containing full list of PACs can be downloaded from plantAPAdb (Zhu et al, 2019). Here the poly(A) sites are already poly(A) site clusters (PACs) which were grouped from nearby cleavage sites.

# 2 Preparations

## 2.1 Rice PAC data

movAPA implemented the *PACdataset* object for storing the expression levels and annotation of PACs from various conditions/samples. Almost all analyses of poly(A) site data in movAPA are based on the *PACdataset*. The “counts” matrix is the first element in the array list of *PACdataset*, which stores non-negative values representing expression levels of PACs. The “colData” matrix records the sample information and the “anno” matrix stores the genome annotation or additional information of the poly(A) site data.

The moveAPA package includes an example rice PAC data stored as a *PACdataset* object, which contains 1233 PACs from 455 genes. First load movAPA by *library(movAPA)* and then load the example data.

```

library(movAPA, warn.conflicts = FALSE, quietly=TRUE)
data("PACds")
PACds
#> PAC# 1233
#> gene# 455
#> nPAC
#> 3UTR      482
#> 5UTR      20
#> CDS       44
#> Ext_3UTR  391
#> intergenic 181
#> intron    115
#> sample# 9
#> anther1 anther2 anther3 embryo1 embryo2 ...
#> groups:
#> @colData...[9 x 1]
#>          group
#> anther1 anther
#> anther2 anther
#> @counts...[1233 x 9]
#>          anther1 anther2 anther3 embryo1 embryo2 embryo3
#> Os01g0151600:2792379      0      1      0      2      1      1
#> Os01g0151600:2795487      11     16     17     60     55     51
#>          maturePollen1 maturePollen2 maturePollen3
#> Os01g0151600:2792379      0      0      0
#> Os01g0151600:2795487      24     3      10
#> @colData...[9 x 1]
#>          group
#> anther1 anther
#> anther2 anther
#> @anno...[1233 x 10]
#>          chr UPA_start UPA_end strand coord ftr      gene
#> Os01g0151600:2792379  1  2792363 2792427      + 2792379 intron Os01g0151600
#> Os01g0151600:2795487  1  2795427 2795509      + 2795487 3UTR Os01g0151600
#>          gene_type ftr_start ftr_end
#> Os01g0151600:2792379 protein_coding  2792174 2792920
#> Os01g0151600:2795487 protein_coding  2795347 2795857
summary(PACds)
#> PAC# 1233
#> sample# 9
#> summary of expression level of each PA
#> Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max.
#> 1      5      26     275    163    77248
#> summary of expressed sample# of each PA
#> Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max.
#> 1.000 3.000 6.000 5.637 8.000 9.000
#> gene# 455
#> nPAC
#> 3UTR      482
#> 5UTR      20
#> CDS       44
#> Ext_3UTR  391
#> intergenic 181

```

```
#> intron      115
# Transform the older version of PACdataset to newer version; the counts slot was converted from data.f
# PACds@counts=asAnyMatrix(PACds@counts)
```

## 2.2 Reference genome

The reference genome is not necessary, while it is required for removing internal priming or poly(A) signal analyses. movAPA uses reference genome sequences that are represented as a *BSgenome* object or stored in a fasta file. The *BSgenome* of rice for this example can be downloaded from the github website of movAPA. Please refer to the *BSgenome* package for making a *BSgenome* object if there is no corresponding *BSgenome* package for your species. Alternatively, the genome assembly can be stored in a fasta file, which can also be used as input for movAPA.

```
devtools::load_all("/media/bmi/My Passport/scPACext_HC_288cells/movAPA/movAPA/BSgenome.Oryza.ENSEMBL.IRGSP1")

library("BSgenome.Oryza.ENSEMBL.IRGSP1", quietly = TRUE)
bsgenome <- BSgenome.Oryza.ENSEMBL.IRGSP1
```

## 2.3 Genome annotation

Genome annotation stored in a GFF/GTF file or a TXDB R object can be used for annotating PACs. The function *parseGff* or *parseGenomeAnnotation* is used to parse the given annotation and the processed annotation can be saved into an rdata object for further use. The GFF file or the processed rdata file of rice for this example can be downloaded from the github website of movAPA.

```
gffFile="Oryza_sativa.IRGSP-1.0.42.gff3"
gff=parseGff(gffFile)
save(gff, file='Oryza_sativa.IRGSP-1.0.42.gff.rda')

load('Oryza_sativa.IRGSP-1.0.42.gff.rda')
```

# 3 Preprocessing of PAC data

## 3.1 Remove internal priming artifacts

Internal priming (IP) artifacts can be removed by the *removePACdsIP* function. Here, PACs with six consecutive or more than six As within the -10 to +10 nt window are considered as internal priming artifacts. We scan the internal priming artifacts in PACds and get two *PACdatasets* recording internal priming PACs and real PACs. Since IP artifacts are already removed in the example PACds, we did not perform this step in this case study.

**Note:** *removePACdsIP* step should be performed in caution, because different parameter setting in *removePACdsIP* may result in very different number of internal priming artifacts.

```
PACdsIP=removePACdsIP(PACds, bsgenome, returnBoth=TRUE,
                      up=-10, dn=10, conA=6, sepA=7)
#> 345 IP PACs; 888 real PACs
length(PACdsIP$real)
#> [1] 888
```

```
length(PACdsIP$ip)
#> [1] 345
```

### 3.2 Group nearby cleavage sites

The function *mergePACds* can be used to group nearby cleavage sites into PACs. Here is an example to group nearby PACs within 100 bp into one PAC.

```
PACdsClust=mergePACds(PACds, d=100)
```

```
summary(PACds)
#> PAC# 1233
#> sample# 9
#> summary of expression level of each PA
#>   Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max.
#>   1      5     26    275    163 77248
#> summary of expressed sample# of each PA
#>   Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max.
#>   1.000  3.000  6.000  5.637  8.000  9.000
#> gene# 455
#>          nPAC
#> 3UTR        482
#> 5UTR        20
#> CDS         44
#> Ext_3UTR    391
#> intergenic   181
#> intron       115
summary(PACdsClust)
#> PAC# 1132
#> sample# 9
#> summary of expression level of each PA
#>   Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max.
#>   1.0      5.0    29.0  299.5  175.0 77248.0
#> summary of expressed sample# of each PA
#>   Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max.
#>   1.000  3.000  6.000  5.691  8.000  9.000
```

### 3.3 Merge multiple PAC datasets

The function *mergePACds* can also be used to merge multiple PACdatasets. Notably, the annotation columns (e.g., gene, ftr) are lost after merging, you need call *annotatePAC* to annotate the merged PACds.

In movAPA 0.2.0, a reference PACds can be used for merging PACdsList in a smarter way. Providing reference PACds for merging is useful when there are multiple large PAC lists to be merged, which can prevent generating PACs with a very wide range. If there is reference PACs from 3'seq, it is recommended to use it. Please see the help document of *mergePACds* for details.

```
## Construct another demo PACdataset for merging.
PACds2=PACds
PACds2@anno$coord = PACds2@anno$coord + sample(-50:50, 1)
```

```

## You may also change the sample names and group names.
# rownames(PACds2@colData)=paste0(rownames(PACds2@colData), 'v2')
# PACds2@colData$group=paste0(PACds2@colData$group, 'v2')
# colnames(PACds2@counts)=paste0(colnames(PACds2@counts), 'v2')
## Construct a list of PACds to be merged.
PACdsList=list(pac1=PACds, pac2=PACds2)

## Merge two PACdatasets, nearby PACs within 24bp of each other
## will be merged into one PAC.
pp=mergePACds(PACdsList, d=24)
#> mergePACds: there are 9 duplicated sample names in the PACdsList, will add .N to sample names of each
#> mergePACds: total 2466 redundant PACs from 2 PACds to merge
#> mergePACds without refPACds: 2466 separate PACs reduce to 1233 PACs (d=24nt)
#> mergePACds: melted all counts tables, total 13900 triplet rows
#> mergePACds: link 2466 old PA IDs to 1233 new PA IDs by merge
#> mergePACds: convert 13900 triplets to dgCMatrix
#> mergePACds: construct Matrix[PA, sample], [1233, 18]
summary(pp)
#> PAC# 1233
#> sample# 18
#> summary of expression level of each PA
#>   Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max.
#>     2       10      52    550     326  154496
#> summary of expressed sample# of each PA
#>   Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max.
#>   2.00    6.00   12.00  11.27   16.00  18.00

```

### 3.4 Normalization

The function *normalizePACds* can be called for normalization, which implements three strategies including TPM (Tags Per Million), the normalization method of DESeq (Anders and Huber, 2010), and the TMM method used in EdgeR (Robinson, et al., 2010).

**Note:** normalization should be performed in caution, because different methods would have significant and different impact on the data and downstream analysis!

```

## Here normalization method TMM (or EdgeR) is used,
## while you may also choose TPM or DESeq.
PACds=normalizePACds(PACds, method='TMM')
#> converting counts to integer mode

## Library sizes after normalization.
colSums(PACds@counts)
#>      anther1      anther2      anther3      embryo1      embryo2
#>     20318       21529       21640      30468       31384
#>      embryo3      maturePollen1      maturePollen2      maturePollen3
#>     30768       76027       62261      54242

```

## 4 Annotate PACs

Users can use *annotatePAC* to annotate a *PACdataset* with a GFF/GTF file or a TXDB R object. Here we parse the genome annotation file in GFF3 format and save the processed annotation into a rdata object for

further use.

```
load('Oryza_sativa.IRGSP-1.0.42.gff.rda')
```

Here is an example to annotate PACds with the genome annotation. Because the demo data already contains the annotation, we removed the annotation columns before calling *annotatePAC*.

```
PACds1=PACds  
PACds1@anno[,c('gene','ftr','gene_type','ftr_start','ftr_end')]=NULL  
PACds1=annotatePAC(PACds1, gff)
```

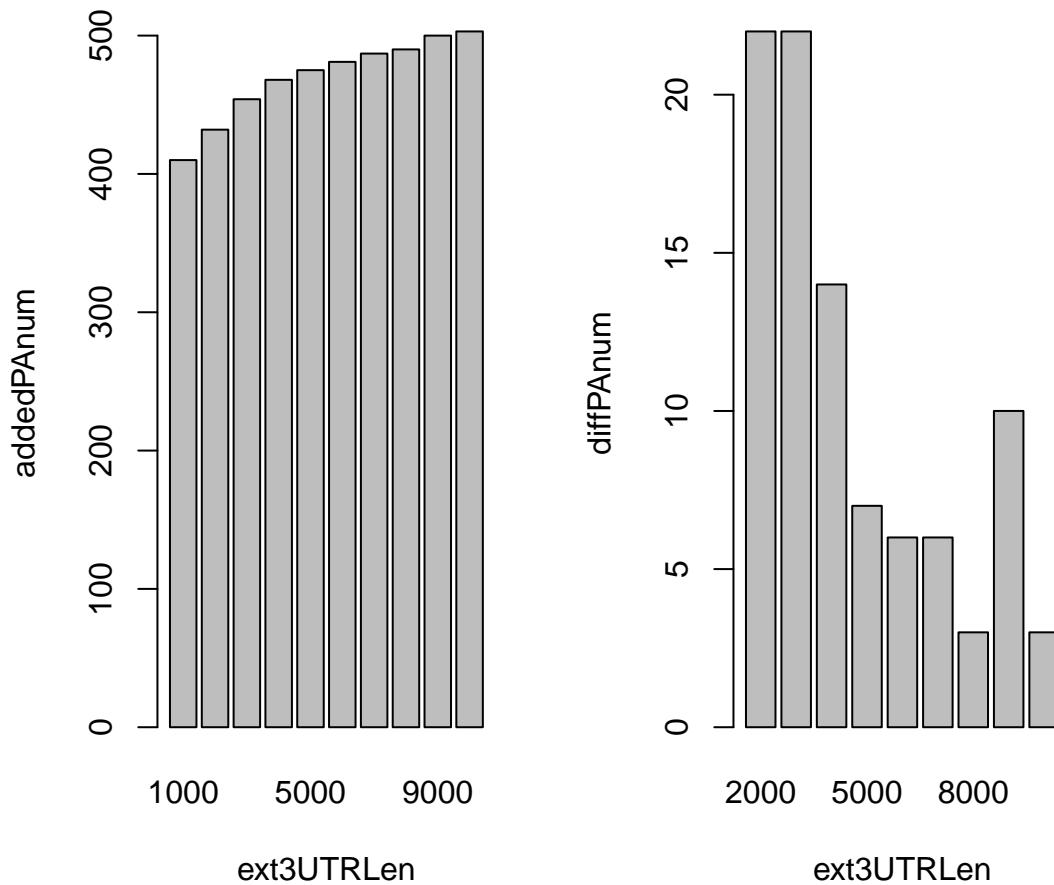
We can output the annotated PACds and the sample information to text files.

```
writePACds(PACds1, file='rice_pac_data.txt',  
           colDataFile = 'rice_pac_data.coldata.txt')
```

## 4.1 Extending annotated 3'UTRs

Genes with or without annotated 3'UTR could be assigned an extended 3'UTR of a given length using the function `ext3UTRPACds`, which can improve the “recovery” of poly(A) sites falling within authentic 3'UTRs. Before extending, we can calculate the number of PACs falling into extended 3'UTRs of different lengths.

```
testExt3UTR(PACds1, seq(1000, 10000, by=1000))
```



```
#>      ext3UTRLen addedPAnum
#> 1          1000     410
#> 2          2000     432
#> 3          3000     454
#> 4          4000     468
#> 5          5000     475
#> 6          6000     481
#> 7          7000     487
#> 8          8000     490
#> 9          9000     500
#> 10        10000    503
```

Here we extended 3'UTR length for 2000 bp. After extension, 70 PACs in intergenic region are now in extended 3'UTRs.

```
table(PACds1@anno$ftr)
#>
#>      3UTR      5UTR      CDS  intergenic      intron
#>      482       18        44      572        117
```

```

PACds1=ext3UTRPACds(PACds1, ext3UTRlen=2000)
#> 432 PACs in extended 3UTR (ftr=intergenic >> ftr=3UTR)
#> Get 3UTR length (anno@toStop) for 3UTR/extended 3UTR PACs
table(PACds1@anno$ftr)

#>
#>      3UTR      5UTR      CDS intergenic      intron
#>     914       18        44      140       117

```

## 5 Statistical analyses of PACs

To make statistics of distributions of PACs for each sample, first we pooled replicates.

```

PACds1=subsetPACds(PACds, group='group', pool=TRUE)
head(PACds1@counts)

#>           anther embryo maturePollen
#> Os01g0151600:2792379    1     3         0
#> Os01g0151600:2795487   33   116        65
#> Os01g0151600:2795636   51     60        11
#> Os01g0151600:2795858   17     45         3
#> Os01g0179300:4125553    6     13         0
#> Os01g0179300:4125845    3      1         0

```

Then we can make statistics of distribution of PACs using different PAT cutoffs. minPAT=5 means that only PACs with  $\geq 5$  reads are used for statistics.

```

pstats=movStat(PACds1, minPAT=c(1, 5, 10, 20, 50, 60), ofilePrefix=NULL)
names(pstats)
#> [1] "pat1"  "pat5"   "pat10"  "pat20"  "pat50"  "pat60"
pstats$pat10

#>           nPAC  nPAT  nGene  nAPAgene  APAextent  3UTR_nPAT  5UTR_nPAT  CDS_nPAT
#> anther      524  61855   340      135  0.3970588   33008      102       31
#> embryo      507  91051   307      150  0.4885993   66158       61      631
#> maturePollen 513 191317   332      122  0.3674699   47998       67       0
#> total       709 344223   388      200  0.5154639  147164      230      662
#>           Ext_3UTR_nPAT  intergenic_nPAT  intron_nPAT  3UTR_nPAC  5UTR_nPAC
#> anther        25951          2235       528      274       5
#> embryo        17494          6090       617      288       2
#> maturePollen 138323          3793      1136      277       3
#> total        181768          12118      2281      359       5
#>           CDS_nPAC  Ext_3UTR_nPAC  intergenic_nPAC  intron_nPAC
#> anther         3            199         30       13
#> embryo         7            182         16       12
#> maturePollen  0            185         35       13
#> total          9            255         57       24

```

Statistical results can be visualized by barplots to show PAC#, PAT#, APA gene%, PAC%, PAT% across samples and genomic regions. Here we plot all statistical results with cutoffs 5 and 10, with each plot having two smaller plots corresponding to the two cutoffs.

```
plotPACdsStat(pstats, pdfFile='PACds_stat.pdf', minPAT=c(5,10))
```

Plot specific cutoffs and conditions.

```
plotPACdsStat(pstats, pdfFile='PACds_stat_anther_embryo.pdf',  
minPAT=c(5,10), cond=c('anther1','embryo1'))
```

Plot the overall distributions using pooled samples (total) and two cutoffs.

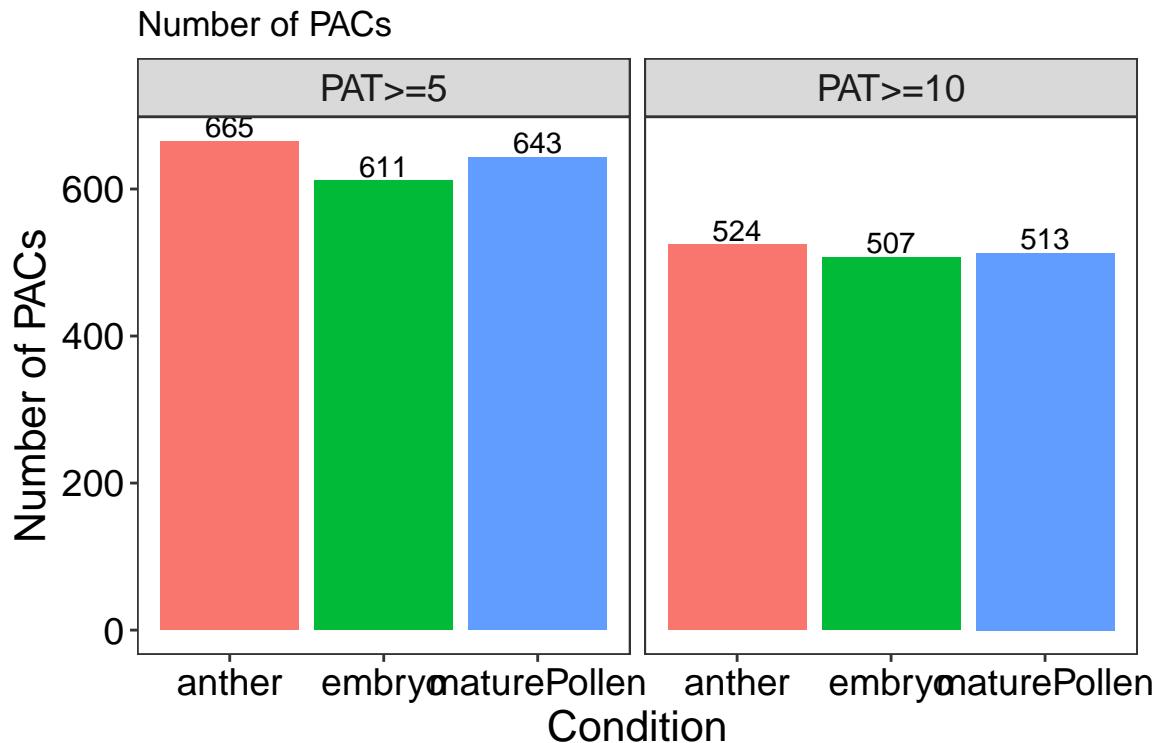
```
plotPACdsStat(pstats, pdfFile='PACds_stat_total.pdf',  
minPAT=c(5,10), cond=c('total'))
```

Plot the overall distributions using pooled samples (total) and one cutoff.

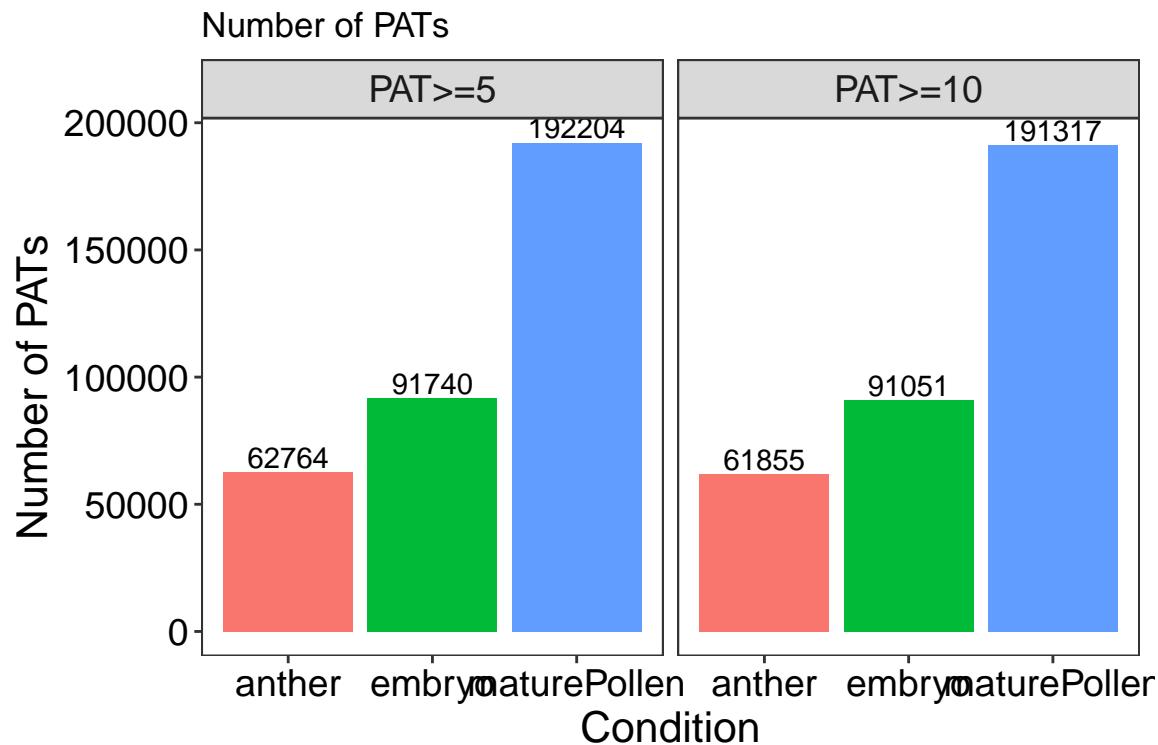
```
plotPACdsStat(pstats, pdfFile='PACds_stat_total_PAT10.pdf',  
minPAT=c(10), cond=c('total'))
```

Plot figures to the current device.

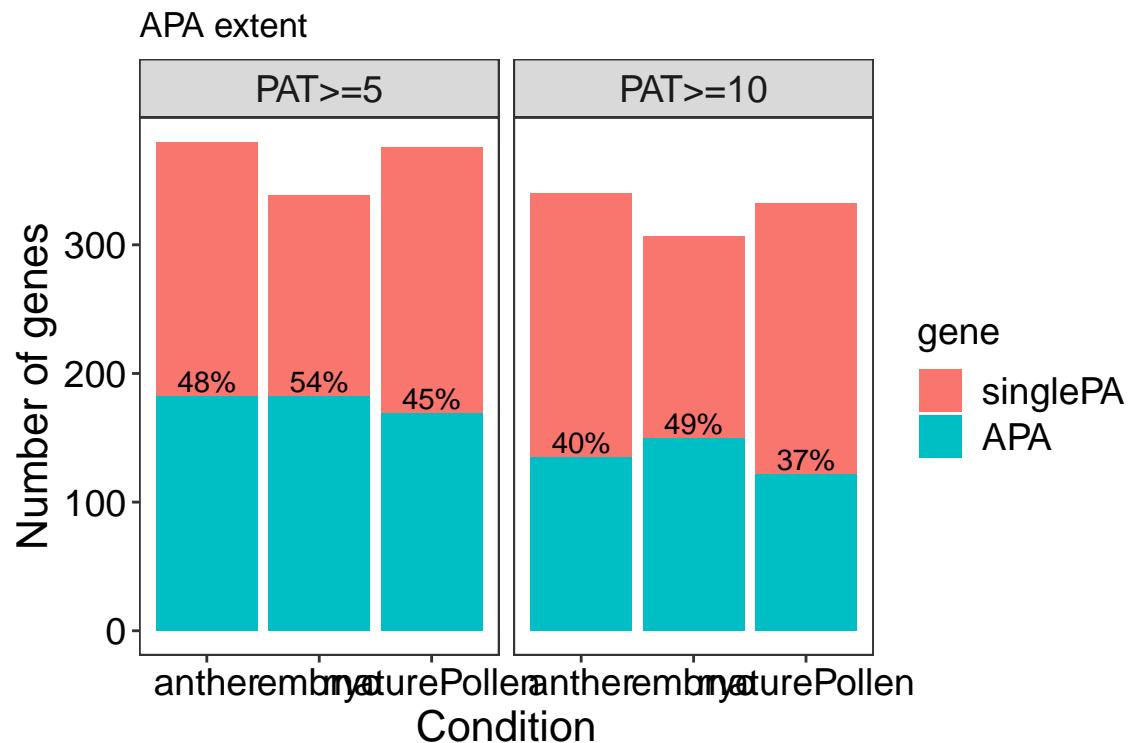
```
plotPACdsStat(pstats, pdfFile=NULL, minPAT=c(5,10))
```



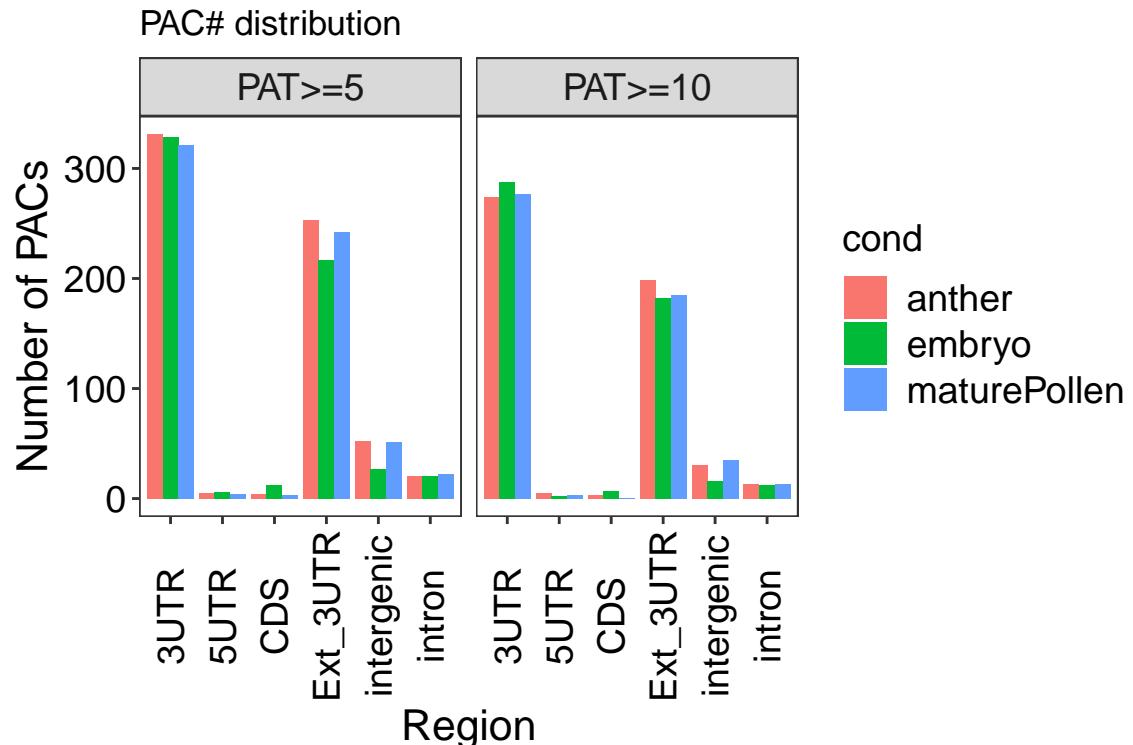
```
#> Plot Number of PACs
```



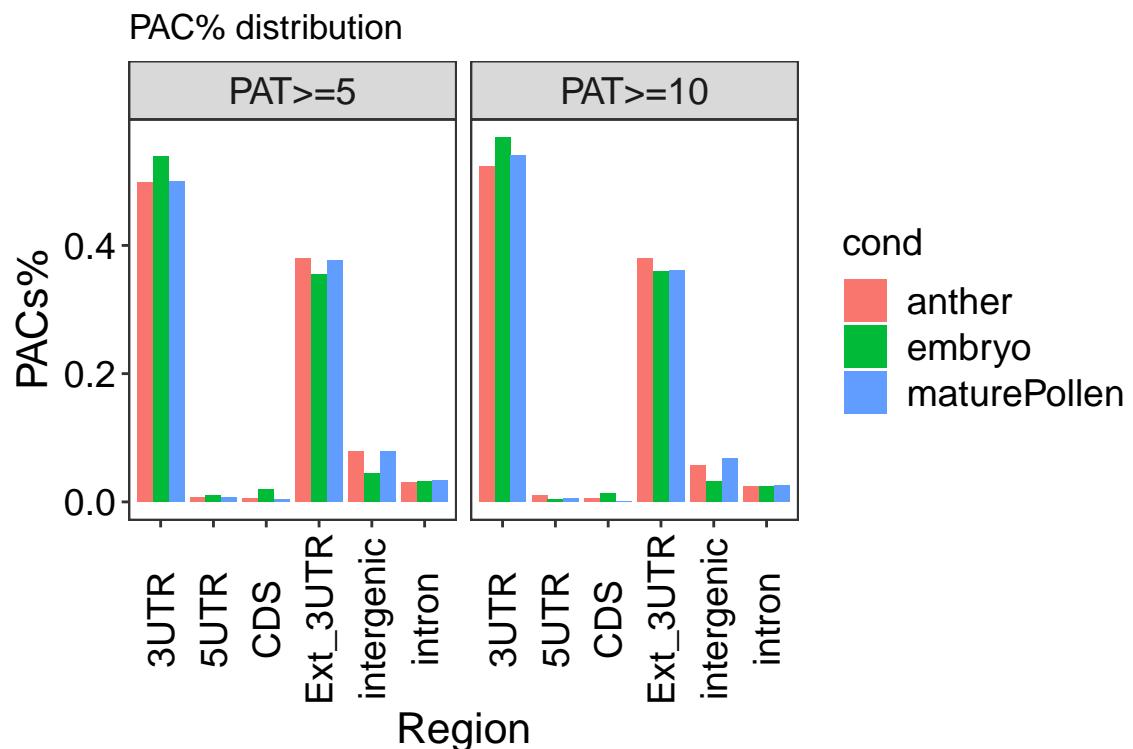
```
#> Plot Number of PATs
```



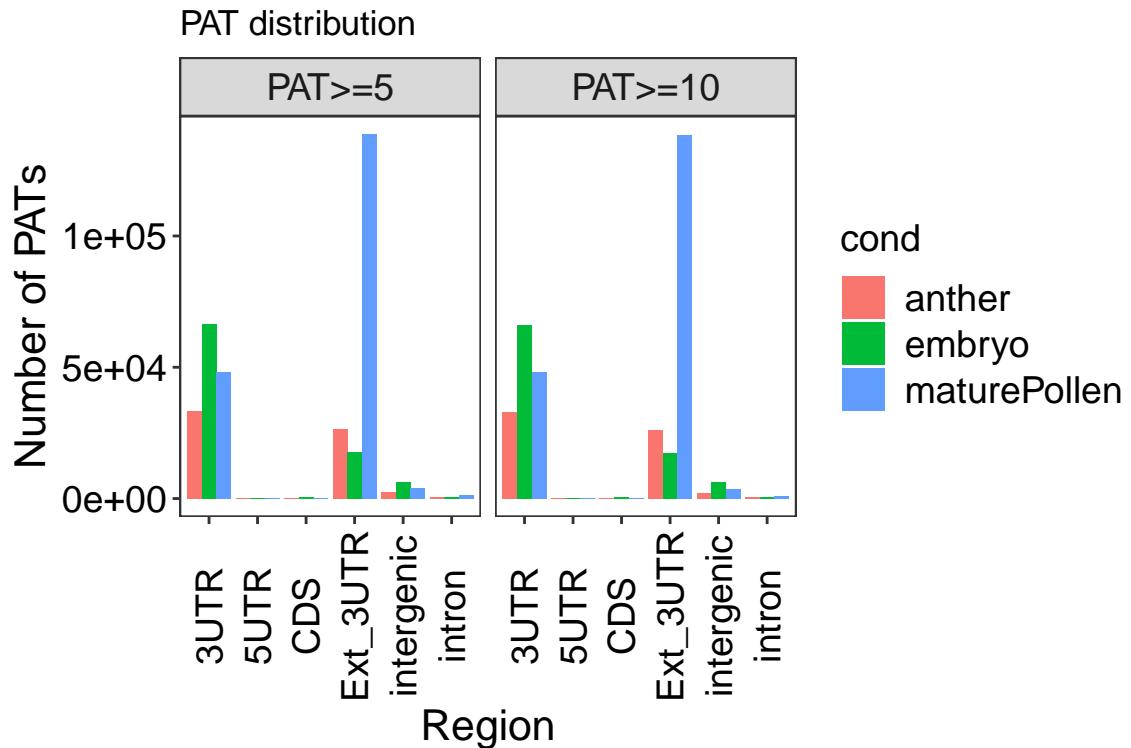
```
#> Plot APA extent
```



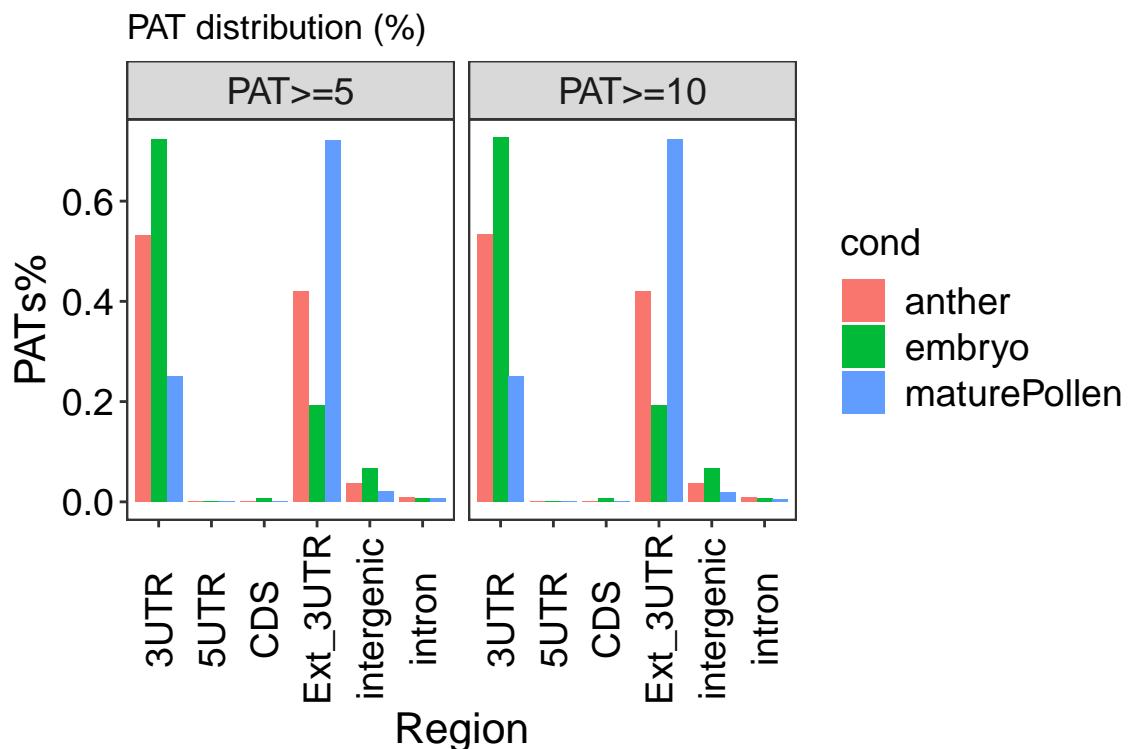
```
#> Plot PAC# distribution
```



```
#> Plot PAC% distribution
```



```
#> Plot PAT# distribution
```



```
#> Plot PAT% distribution
```

## 6 Poly(A) signals and sequences

movAPA provides several functions, including *annotateByPAS*, *faFromPACds*, *kcount*, and *plotATCGforFAfile*, for sequence extraction and poly(A) signal identification.

### 6.1 Poly(A) signals

Annotate PACs by corresponding signal of AATAAA located upstream 50 bp of the PAC.

```
PACdsPAS=annotateByPAS(PACds, bsgenome, grams='AATAAA',
                        from=-50, to=-1, label=NULL)
summary(PACdsPAS@anno$AATAAA_dist)
#>   Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max. NA's
#> 16.00 22.00 25.00 26.92 30.00 50.00 1132
```

Scan AATAAA's 1nt variants.

```
PACdsPAS=annotateByPAS(PACds, bsgenome, grams='V1',
                        from=-50, to=-1, label=NULL)
table(PACdsPAS@anno$V1_gram)
#>
#> AAAAAAA AACAAA AAGAAA AATAAA AATAAC AATAAG AATAAT AATACA AATAGA AATATA AATCAA
#>    91     24     50     74     15     31     31     25     26     55     26
#> AATGAA AATTAA ACTAAA AGTAAA ATTAAA CATAAA GATAAA TATAAA
#>    56     21      4     21     27     13     11     36
```

Scan custom k-grams.

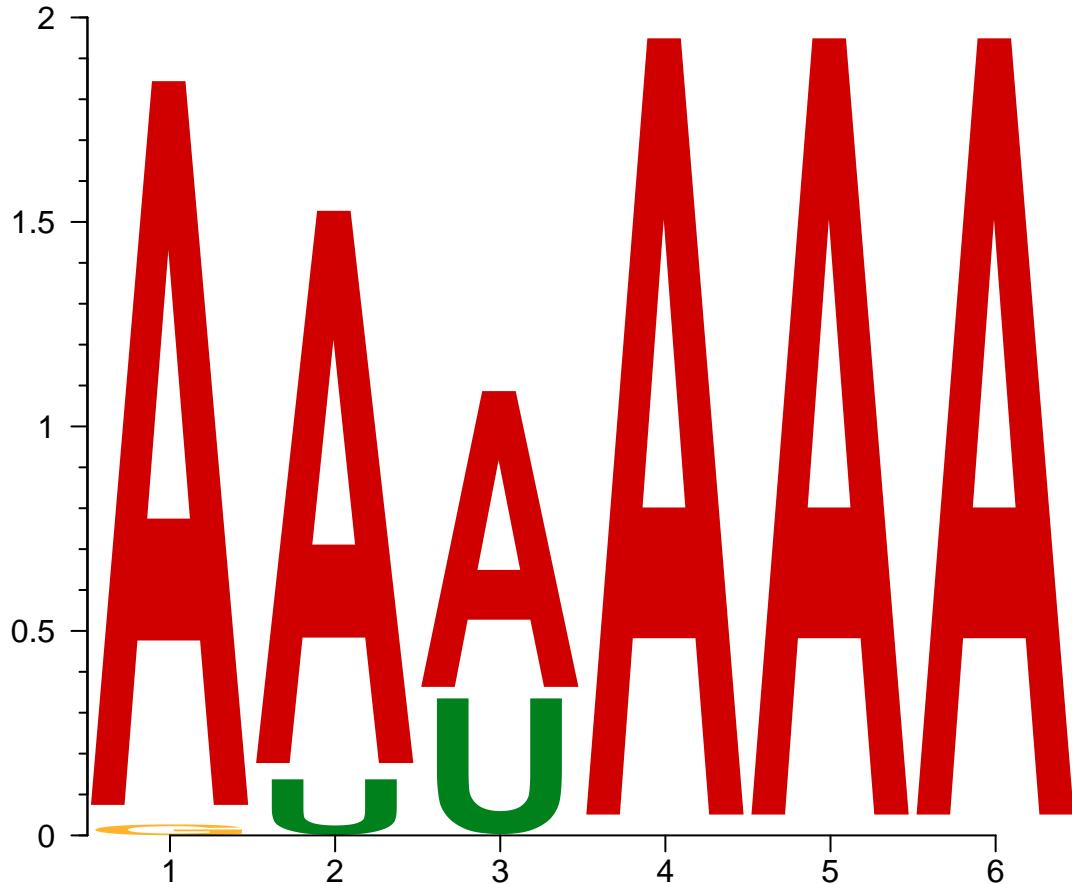
```
PACdsPAS=annotateByPAS(PACds, bsgenome,
                        grams=c('AATAAA', 'ATTAAA', 'GATAAA', 'AAAA'),
                        from=-50, to=-1, label='GRAM')
table(PACdsPAS@anno$GRAM_gram)
#>
#> AAAA AATAAA ATTAAA GATAAA
#> 409    48    24     8
```

Scan patterns with priority: AATAAA » ATTAAA » remaining k-grams.

```
PACdsPAS=annotateByPAS(PACds, bsgenome,
                        grams=c('AATAAA', 'ATTAAA', 'GATAAA', 'AAAA'),
                        priority=c(1,2,3,3),
                        from=-50, to=-1, label='GRAM')
table(PACdsPAS@anno$GRAM_gram)
#>
#> AAAA AATAAA ATTAAA GATAAA
#> 337    101    44     7
```

Plot signal logos.

```
pas=PACdsPAS@anno$GRAM_gram[!is.na(PACdsPAS@anno$GRAM_gram)]
plotSeqLogo(pas)
```



Here we show another example to scan mouse signals in rice PACs. First, we get mouse signals and set the priority.

```
v=getVarGrams('mm')
priority=c(1,2,rep(3, length(v)-2))
```

Then scan upstream regions of PACs for mouse signals.

```
PACdsMM=annotateByPAS(PACds, bsgenome, grams=v,
                      priority=priority,
                      from=-50, to=-1, label='mm')
```

Prepare the data to plot PAS distributions.

```

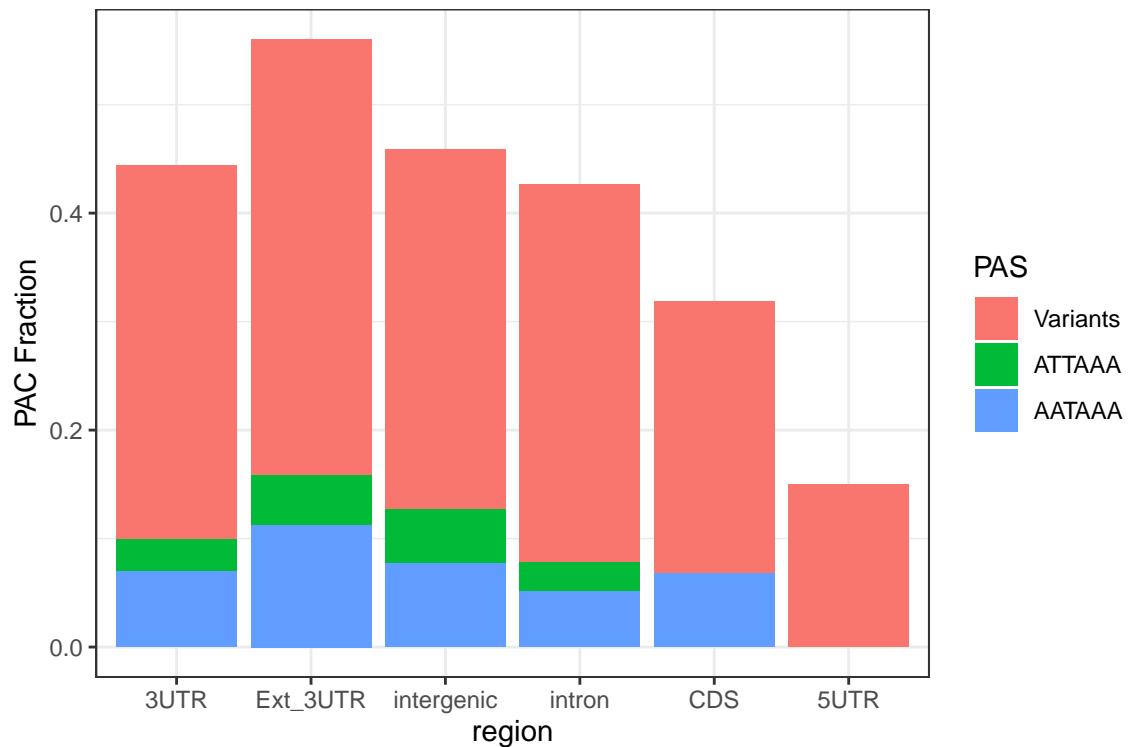
library(magrittr)
#>
#> Attaching package: 'magrittr'
#> The following object is masked from 'package:GenomicRanges':
#>
#>     subtract
library(dplyr)
#>
#> Attaching package: 'dplyr'
#> The following objects are masked from 'package:Biostrings':
#>
#>     collapse, intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
#> The following object is masked from 'package:XVector':
#>
#>     slice
#> The following object is masked from 'package:AnnotationDbi':
#>
#>     select
#> The following object is masked from 'package:Biobase':
#>
#>     combine
#> The following objects are masked from 'package:GenomicRanges':
#>
#>     intersect, setdiff, union
#> The following object is masked from 'package:GenomeInfoDb':
#>
#>     intersect
#> The following objects are masked from 'package:IRanges':
#>
#>     collapse, desc, intersect, setdiff, slice, union
#> The following objects are masked from 'package:S4Vectors':
#>
#>     first, intersect, rename, setdiff, setequal, union
#> The following objects are masked from 'package:BiocGenerics':
#>
#>     combine, intersect, setdiff, union
#> The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
#>
#>     filter, lag
#> The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
#>
#>     intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
pas=as.data.frame(cbind(region=PACdsMM@anno$ftr, PAS=PACdsMM@anno$mm_gram))
pas$PAS[is.na(pas$PAS)]='NOPAS'
pas$PAS[pas$PAS %in% v[-c(1:2)]]='Variants'
n=pas %>% dplyr::group_by(region, PAS) %>% dplyr::summarise(nPAC=n())
#> `summarise()` has grouped output by 'region'. You can override using the
#> `.` argument.
n2=pas %>% dplyr::group_by(region) %>% dplyr::summarise(nTot=n())
n=merge(n, n2)
n$PAC=n$nPAC/n$nTot
n=n[n$PAS!='NOPAS', ]
n$PAS=factor(n$PAS, levels=rev(c('AATAAA', 'ATTAAAA','Variants', 'NOPAS')))

```

```
n$region=factor(n$region,
  levels=c('3UTR', 'Ext_3UTR', 'intergenic', 'intron', 'CDS', '5UTR'))
```

Plot PAS distributions.

```
library(ggplot2)
ggplot(data=n, aes(x=region, y=PAC, fill=PAS)) +
  geom_bar(stat="identity") +
  ylab("PAC Fraction") + theme_bw()
```



## 6.2 Extract sequences

The *faFromPACds* function provides various options to extract sequences of interest.

```
## Extract the sequence of PACs, from UPA_start to UPA_end.
faFromPACds(PACds, bsgenome, what='pac', fapre='pac')

## Extract upstream 300 bp ~ downstream 100 bp around PACs,
## where the position of PAC is 301.
faFromPACds(PACds, bsgenome, what='updn', fapre='updn',
             up=-300, dn=100)

## Divide PACs into groups of genomic regions and then extract sequences for each group.
faFromPACds(PACds, bsgenome, what='updn', fapre='updn',
             up=-100, dn=100, byGrp='ftr')
```

```

## Extract sequences for only 3UTR PACs.
faFromPACds(PACds, bsgenome, what='updn', fapre='updn',
             up=-300, dn=100, byGrp=list(ftr='3UTR'))

## Extract sequences for only 3UTR PACs and separate sequences by strand.
faFromPACds(PACds, bsgenome, what='updn', fapre='updn',
             up=-300, dn=100,
             byGrp=list(ftr='3UTR', strand=c('+', '-')))

## Extract sequences of genomic regions where PACs are located.
faFromPACds(PACds, bsgenome, what='region', fapre='region', byGrp='ftr')

```

Here we show some examples to extract sequences from different poly(A) signal regions.

```

## The suggested signal regions when species is 'chlamydomonas_reinhardtii'.
files=faFromPACds(PACds, bsgenome, what='updn', fapre='Chlamy.NUE',
                   up=-25, dn=-5, byGrp='ftr')
files=faFromPACds(PACds, bsgenome, what='updn', fapre='Chlamy.FUE',
                   up=-150, dn=-25, byGrp='ftr')
files=faFromPACds(PACds, bsgenome, what='updn', fapre='Chlamy.CE',
                   up=-5, dn=5, byGrp='ftr')
files=faFromPACds(PACds, bsgenome, what='updn', fapre='Chlamy.DE',
                   up=-5, dn=30, byGrp='ftr')

## The suggested signal regions when species is plant.
## In Arabidopsis or rice, signal regions are: FUE -200~-35, NUE -35~-10, CE -10~15.
files=faFromPACds(PACds, bsgenome, what='updn', fapre='plants.NUE',
                   up=-35, dn=-10, byGrp='ftr')
files=faFromPACds(PACds, bsgenome, what='updn', fapre='plants.FUE',
                   up=-200, dn=-35, byGrp='ftr')
files=faFromPACds(PACds, bsgenome, what='updn', fapre='plants.CE',
                   up=-10, dn=15, byGrp='ftr')

```

### 6.3 Base compositions and k-grams

The function *plotATCGforFAfile* is for plotting single nucleotide profiles for given fasta file(s), which is particularly useful for discerning base compositions surrounding PACs.

First trim sequences surrounding PACs. Sequences surrounding PACs in different genomic regions are extracted into files. The PAC position is 301.

```

faFiles=faFromPACds(PACds, bsgenome, what='updn', fapre='updn',
                     up=-300, dn=100, byGrp='ftr')
#> 115 >>> updn.intron.fa
#> 482 >>> updn.3UTR.fa
#> 391 >>> updn.Ext_3UTR.fa
#> 44 >>> updn.CDS.fa
#> 181 >>> updn.intergenic.fa
#> 20 >>> updn.5UTR.fa

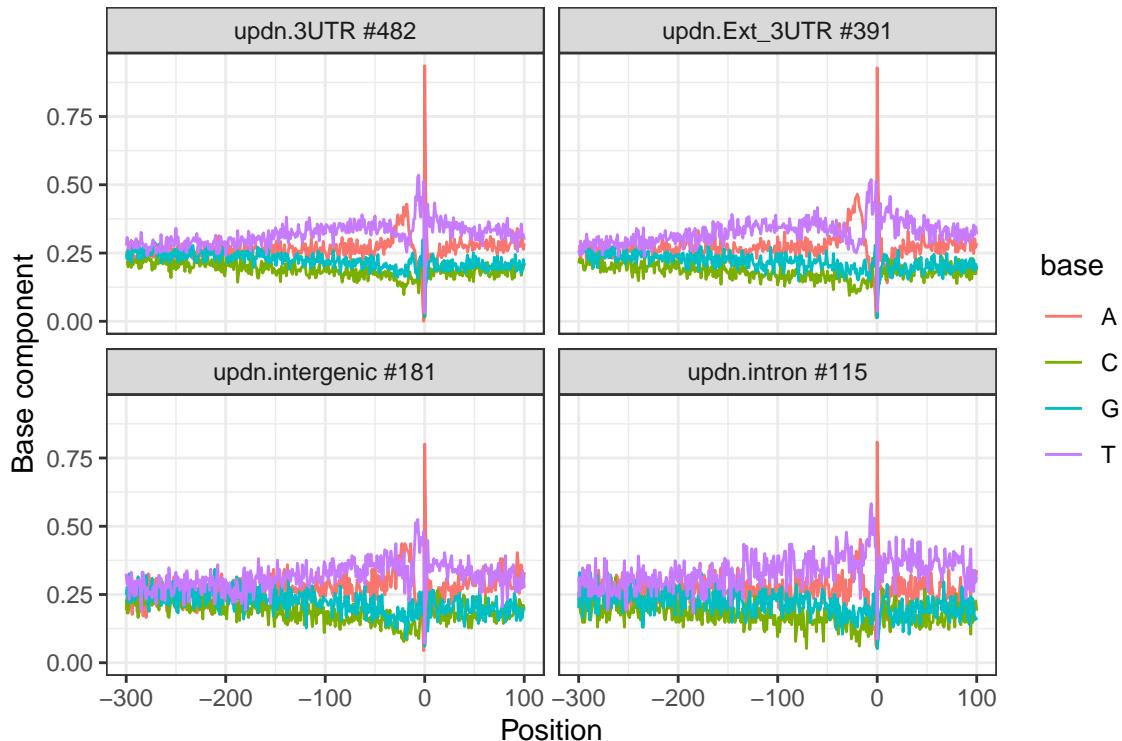
```

Then plot base compositions for specific sequence file(s).

```

faFiles=c("updn.3UTR.fa", "updn.Ext_3UTR.fa", "updn.intergenic.fa", "updn.intron.fa")
## Plot single nucleotide profiles using the extracted sequences and merge all plots into one.
plotATCGforFAfile(faFiles, ofreq=FALSE, opdf=FALSE,
                    refPos=301, mergePlots = TRUE)

```



We can also plot a single fasta file and specify a region.

```

plotATCGforFAfile (faFiles='updn.intron.fa',
                     ofreq=FALSE, opdf=FALSE, refPos=301)
plotATCGforFAfile (faFiles='updn.intron.fa',
                     ofreq=FALSE, opdf=FALSE, refPos=NULL,
                     filepre ='NUE', start=250, end=350)

```

Users can also generate these plots into a PDF file and save the calculated base compositions.

```

plotATCGforFAfile (faFiles, ofreq=TRUE, opdf=TRUE, refPos=301,
                     filepre='singleBasePlot', mergePlots = TRUE)

```

After extracting sequences, we can call the *kcount* function to obtain the number of occurrences or frequencies of k-grams from the whole sequences or a specified region of sequences. Particularly, specific k-grams (e.g., AAUAAA, AUUAAA) or a value of k (e.g., k=6 means all hexamers) can be set.

```

## Count top 10 hexamers (k=6) in the NUE region
## (normally from 265~295 if the PAC is at 301).
fafile='updn.3UTR.fa'
kcount(fafile=fafile, k=6, from=265, to=295, topn=10)
#>      grams count      perc

```

```

#> 1      AAAAAAA    74 0.005904883
#> 274   ATATAT     38 0.003032237
#> 3073  GAAAAAA    34 0.002713055
#> 2      AAAAAT     31 0.002473667
#> 257   ATAAAAA    31 0.002473667
#> 5      AAAATA     30 0.002393872
#> 65    AATAAA     30 0.002393872
#> 1366  TTTTTT     28 0.002234280
#> 449   ATGAAA     27 0.002154485
#> 769   AGAAAAA    27 0.002154485

## Count given hexamers.
kcount(fafile=fafile, grams=c('AATAAA','ATTAAG'), 
       from=265, to=295, sort=FALSE)
#>      grams count      perc
#> 1 AATAAA     30 0.7142857
#> 2 ATTAAG     12 0.2857143

## Count AATAAA and its 1nt variants in a given region.
kcount(fafile=fafile, grams='v1', from=265, to=295, sort=FALSE)
#>      grams count      perc
#> 1 AATAAA     30 0.092024540
#> 2 TATAAA     14 0.042944785
#> 3 CATAAA     8 0.024539877
#> 4 GATAAA     9 0.027607362
#> 5 ATTAAG     12 0.036809816
#> 6 ACTAAA     3 0.009202454
#> 7 AGTAAA     8 0.024539877
#> 8 AAAAAAA    74 0.226993865
#> 9 AACAAA     13 0.039877301
#> 10 AAGAAA    21 0.064417178
#> 11 AATTAA    14 0.042944785
#> 12 AATCAA    11 0.033742331
#> 13 AATGAA    19 0.058282209
#> 14 AATATA    26 0.079754601
#> 15 AATACA    9 0.027607362
#> 16 AATAGA    8 0.024539877
#> 17 AATAAT    23 0.070552147
#> 18 AATAAC    7 0.021472393
#> 19 AATAAG    17 0.052147239

```

## 7 Quantification of PACs by various metrics

movAPA provides various metrics to measure the usages of PACs across samples, including three metrics for the quantification of the usage of each single poly(A) site by the *movPAindex* function and four metrics for the quantification of APA site usage of a gene by the *movAPAnindex* function.

### 7.1 Quantification of each PAC by *movPAindex*

*movPAindex* provides three metrics for the quantification of each PAC in a gene, including “ratio”, “Shannon”, and “geo”. First you can merge replicates of the same sample and remove lowly expressed PACs before

calculate the index.

```
p=subsetPACds(PACds, group='group', pool=TRUE, totPACtag=20)
```

Calculate the tissue-specificity. Q or H=0 means that the PAC is only expressed in one tissue. NA means the PAC is not expressed in the respective tissue.

```
paShan=movPAindex(p, method='shan')
#> Using count for Shannon.
#> Tissue-specific PAC's H_cutoff (mean-2*sd): 0.275623
#> Tissue-specific PAC's Q_cutoff (mean-2*sd): 0.2052354
#> Tissue-specific PAC# (H<H_cutoff): 35
#> Tissue-specific PAC# (Q<Q_cutoff): 25
#> Constitutive PAC's H_cutoff (mean+2*sd): 1.957418
#> Constitutive PAC's Q_cutoff (mean+2*sd): 3.42726
#> Constitutive PACs (H>H_cutoff): 0
#> Constitutive PACs (Q>Q_cutoff): 0
## Show some rows with low H value (which means high overall tissue-specificity).
head(paShan[paShan$H<0.2742785, ], n=2)
#>          H      Q_min Q_min_cond anther embryo
#> Os01g0266100:9088974 0.2006223 0.246426    embryo 5.200622 0.246426
#> Os01g0571300:21939527 0.0000000 0.000000    embryo       NA 0.000000
#>                      maturePollen
#> Os01g0266100:9088974           NA
#> Os01g0571300:21939527           NA
```

Use the relative expression levels (ratio) to calculate tissue-specificity.

```
paShan2=movPAindex(p, method='shan', shan.ratio = TRUE)
#> Using ratio for Shannon.
#> Tissue-specific PAC's H_cutoff (mean-2*sd): 0.6462506
#> Tissue-specific PAC's Q_cutoff (mean-2*sd): 0.9463281
#> Tissue-specific PAC# (H<H_cutoff): 20
#> Tissue-specific PAC# (Q<Q_cutoff): 24
#> Constitutive PAC's H_cutoff (mean+2*sd): 2.053762
#> Constitutive PAC's Q_cutoff (mean+2*sd): 3.81471
#> Constitutive PACs (H>H_cutoff): 0
#> Constitutive PACs (Q>Q_cutoff): 0
head(paShan2, n=2)
#>          H      Q_min Q_min_cond anther embryo
#> ENSRNA049472915:32398829 0.7060639 0.9176406    embryo 4.950709 0.9176406
#> ENSRNA049472915:32398407 1.5828394 3.1107952    anther 3.110795 3.2821041
#>                      maturePollen
#> ENSRNA049472915:32398829           4.285457
#> ENSRNA049472915:32398407           3.116965
```

Cacluate the geo metric, which is only suitable for APA genes. NA means no PAC of the gene is expressed in the respective tissue. geo>0 means the PAC is used more than average usage of all PACs in the gene. geo~0 means similar usage; <0 means less usage.

```
paGeo=movPAindex(p, method='geo')
head(paGeo, n=2)
```

```
#>                               anther   embryo maturePollen
#> ENSRNA049472915:32398829 -3.454947 -1.44546     -3.084963
#> ENSRNA049472915:32398407  3.454947  1.44546      3.084963
```

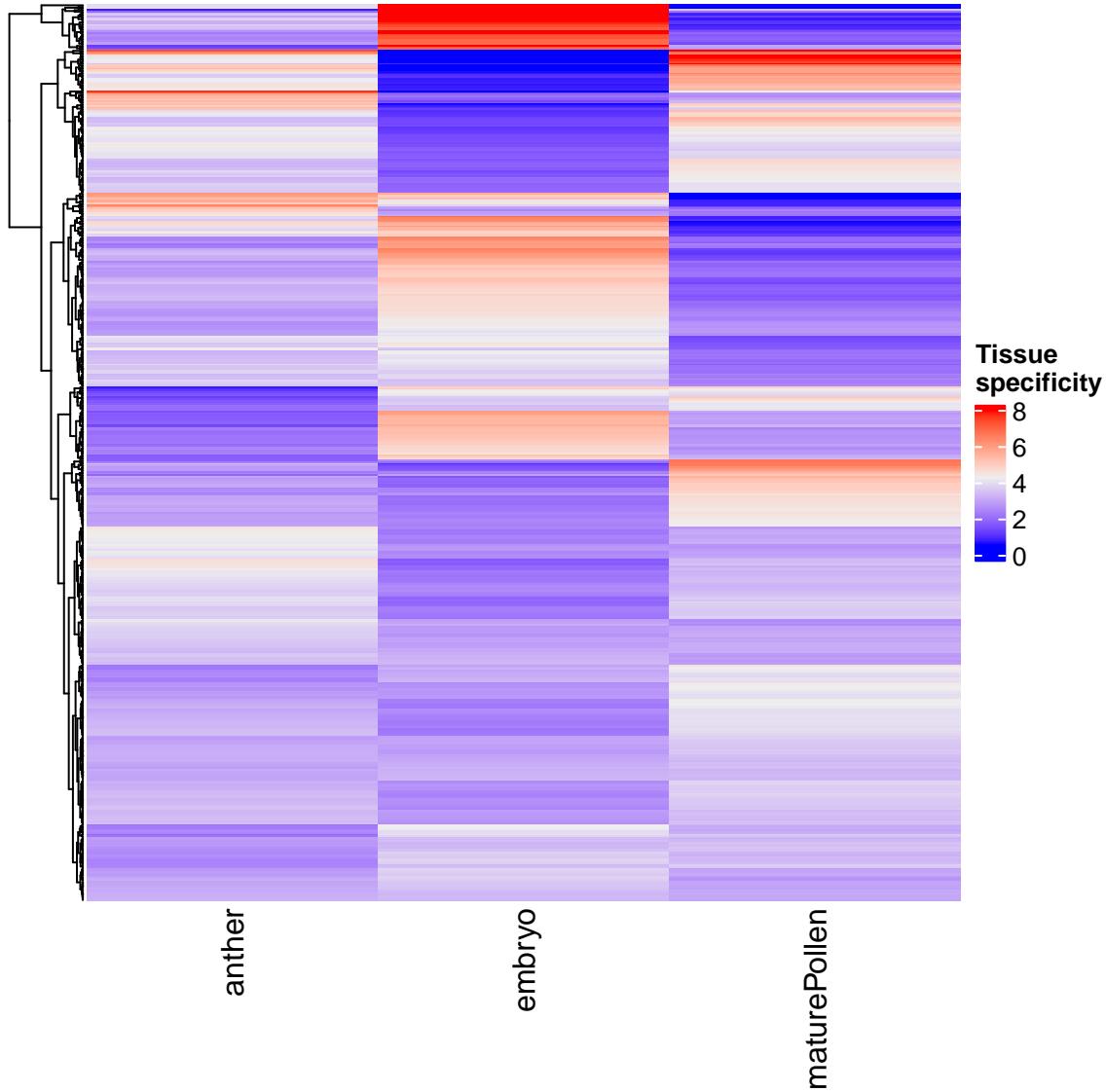
Calculate the ratio metric, which is only suitable for APA genes. NA means no PAC of the gene is expressed in the respective tissue.

```
paRatio=movPAindex(p, method='ratio')
head(paRatio)
#>                               anther   embryo maturePollen
#> ENSRNA049472915:32398829 0.007231405 0.1183852  0.01146789
#> ENSRNA049472915:32398407 0.992768595 0.8816148  0.98853211
#> Os01g0151600:2795487    0.326732673 0.5248869  0.82278481
#> Os01g0151600:2795636    0.504950495 0.2714932  0.13924051
#> Os01g0151600:2795858    0.168316832 0.2036199  0.03797468
#> Os01g0179300:4126216    0.927272727 0.8699634  0.99152542
```

Plot a heatmap to show the distribution of tissue-specificity of PACs. It is only reasonable to plot the heatmap of the Shanno metric. Or you may filter the proximal or distal PAC of the gene first and plot the ratio or geo metrics.

First, remove rows with NA and then plot the heatmap.

```
paShanHm=paShan[, -(1:3)]
paShanHm=paShanHm[rowSums(is.na(paShanHm))==0, ]
library(ComplexHeatmap, quietly = TRUE)
Heatmap(paShanHm, show_row_names=FALSE, cluster_columns = FALSE,
        heatmap_legend_param = list(title = 'Tissue\nspecificity'))
```



Calculate the tissue-specificity for each replicate.

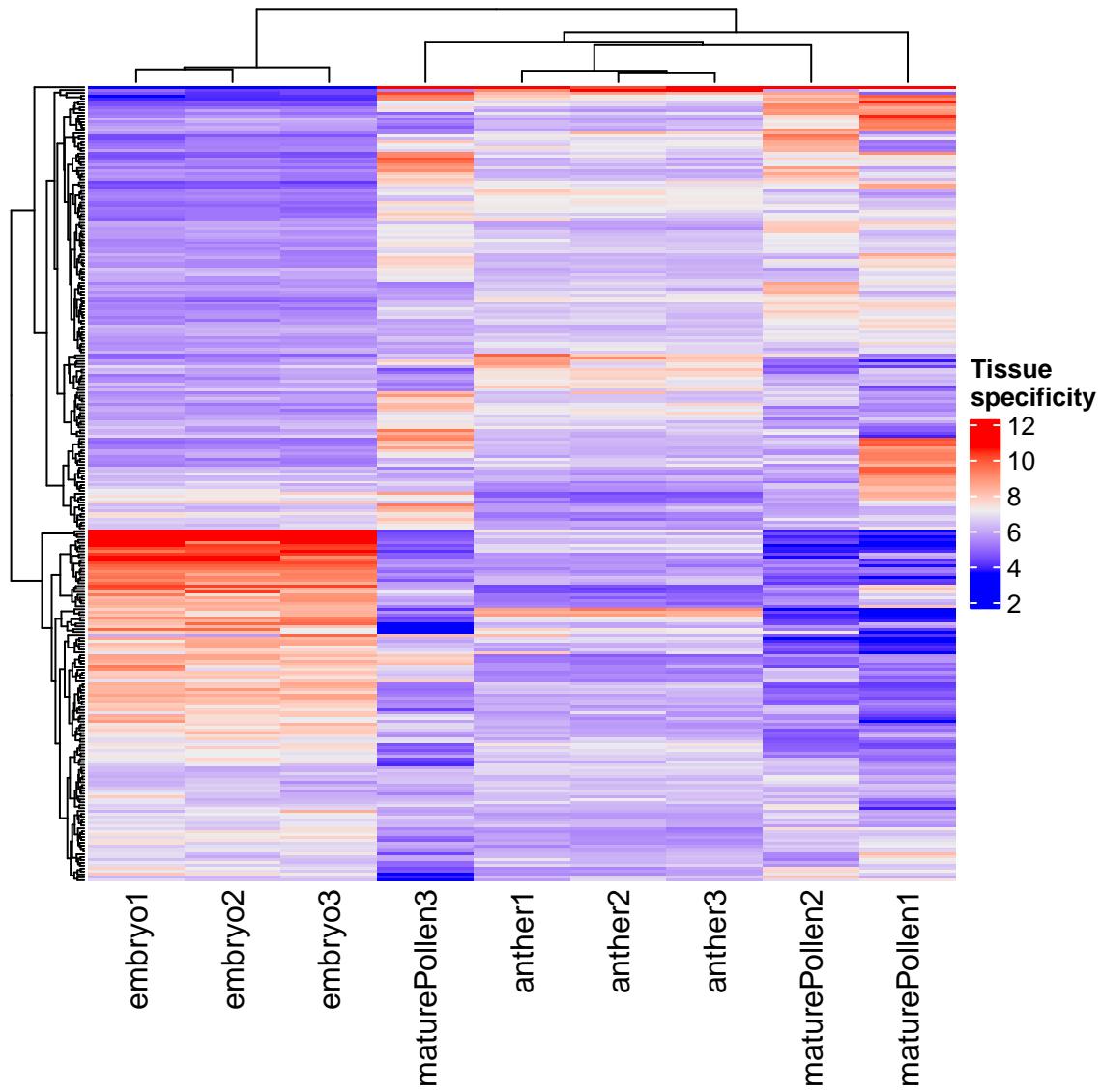
```

paShan=movPAindex(PACds, method='shan')
#> Using count for Shannon.
#> Tissue-specific PAC's H_cutoff (mean-2*sd): 0.269235
#> Tissue-specific PAC's Q_cutoff (mean-2*sd): 0.3825375
#> Tissue-specific PAC# (H<H_cutoff): 91
#> Tissue-specific PAC# (Q<Q_cutoff): 91
#> Constitutive PAC's H_cutoff (mean+2*sd): 3.69439
#> Constitutive PAC's Q_cutoff (mean+2*sd): 6.527702
#> Constitutive PACs (H>H_cutoff): 0
#> Constitutive PACs (Q>Q_cutoff): 0

## Plot heatmap to show the consistency among replicates.
paShanHm=paShan[, -(1:3)]
paShanHm=paShanHm[rowSums(is.na(paShanHm))==0, ]
Heatmap(paShanHm, show_row_names=FALSE, cluster_columns = TRUE,

```

```
heatmap_legend_param = list(title = 'Tissue\nspecificity')
```



```
data## Quantification of APA by movAPAindex The movAPAindex function provides four gene-level metrics for the quantification of APA site usage, including RUD (Relative Usage of Distal PAC) (Ji, et al., 2009), WUL (Weighted 3' UTR Length) (Ulitsky, et al., 2012; Fu, et al., 2016), SLR (Short to Long Ratio) (Begik, et al., 2017), and GPI (Geometric Proximal Index) (Shulman and Elkon, 2019).
```

Get APA index using the smart RUD method (available in movAPA v2.0).

```
pd=get3UTRAPApd(pacds=p, minDist=50, maxDist=1000, minRatio=0.05, fixDistal=FALSE, addCols='pd')
rud=movAPAindex(pd, method="smartRUD", sRUD.oweight=TRUE)
head(rud$rud)
head(rud$weight)
geneRUD=rud$rud
geneRUD=geneRUD[rowSums(is.na(geneRUD))==0, ]
head(geneRUD, n=2)
Heatmap(geneRUD, show_row_names=FALSE, cluster_columns = F,
```

```
    heatmap_legend_param = list(title = 'RUD'))
```

Get APA index using the WUL method.

```
geneWUL=movAPAindex(p, method="WUL", choose2PA=NULL)
head(geneWUL, n=2)
#>           anther   embryo maturePollen
#> Os01g0151600 231.4643 191.7955     162.5658
#> Os01g0254900 265.4275 286.5083     233.5099
```

Plot gene's metric values across samples by heatmap with the ComplexHeatmap package.

```
## Remove NA rows before plotting heatmap.
geneWUL= geneWUL [rowSums(is.na(geneWUL))==0, ]
Heatmap(geneWUL, show_row_names=FALSE)
```

Get APA index using the RUD method.

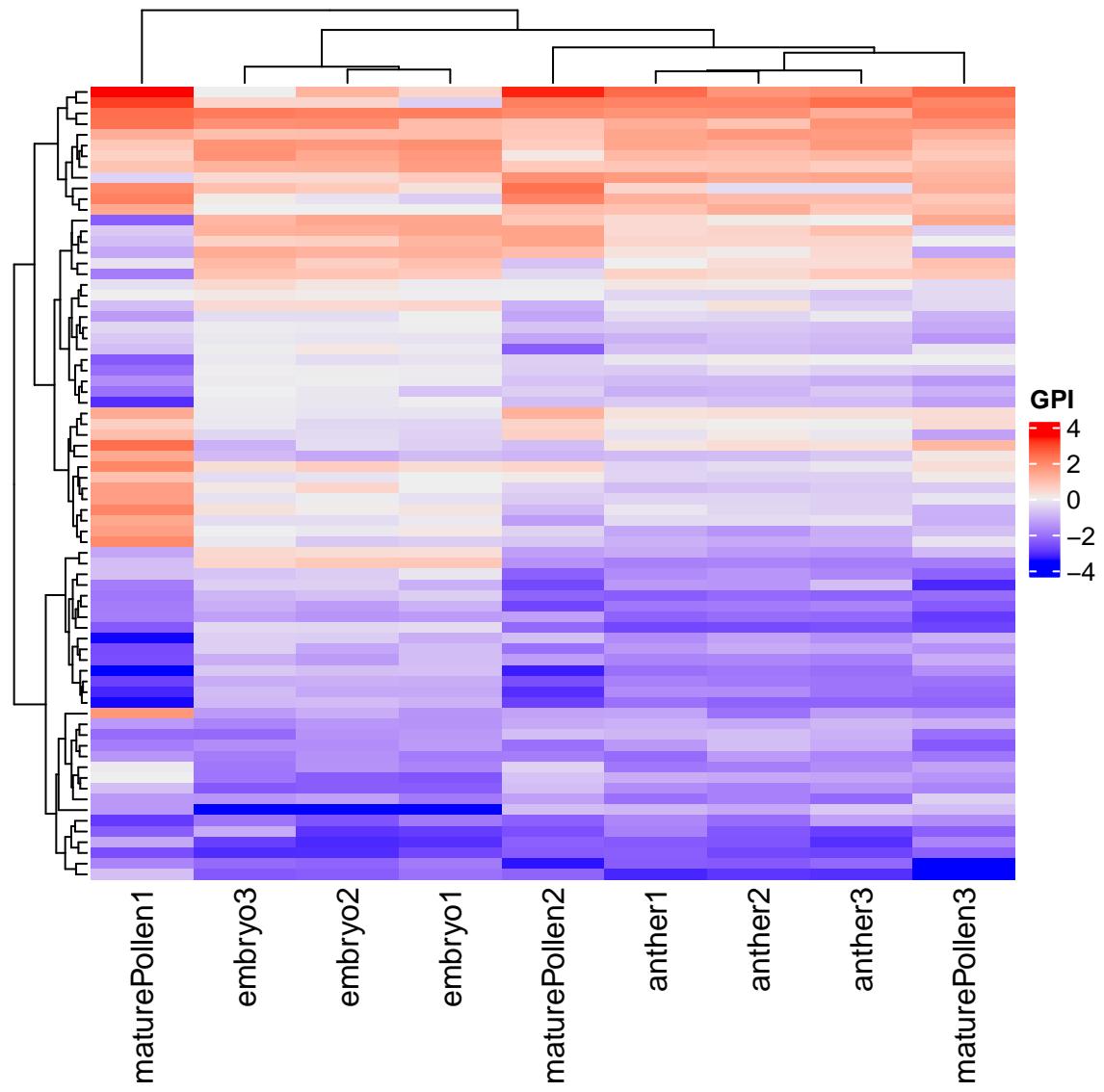
```
geneRUD=movAPAindex(p, method="RUD",
                      choose2PA=NULL, RUD.includeNon3UTR=TRUE)
geneRUD= geneRUD [rowSums(is.na(geneRUD))==0, ]
head(geneRUD, n=2)
Heatmap(geneRUD, show_row_names=FALSE, cluster_columns = F,
        heatmap_legend_param = list(title = 'RUD'))
```

Get APA index by method=SLR, using the proximal and distal PACs.

```
geneSLR=movAPAindex(p, method="SLR", choose2PA='PD')
head(geneSLR, n=2)
geneSLR= geneSLR [rowSums(is.na(geneSLR))==0, ]
Heatmap(geneSLR, show_row_names=FALSE)
```

Get APA index by method=GPI, using the proximal and distal PACs.

```
geneGPI=movAPAindex(PACds, method="GPI", choose2PA='PD')
head(geneGPI)
#>           anther1   anther2   anther3   embryo1   embryo2
#> Os01g0151600 -0.4587689 -0.3107442 -0.1400540  0.3912043  0.6609640
#> Os01g0254900  0.2721603  0.3175016  0.3064884 -0.1752486 -0.1705185
#> Os01g0261200 -1.0253130 -0.9437626 -0.6497801 -0.7075187 -0.1315172
#> Os01g0263600 -0.5000000          NaN -0.5000000 -1.2924813 -0.2924813
#> Os01g0314000  1.1609640  0.7924813  1.0000000  0.5000000  1.0000000
#> Os01g0524500 -0.3140156 -0.5000000 -0.2237295          NaN          NaN
#>           embryo3   maturePollen1   maturePollen2   maturePollen3
#> Os01g0151600  3.552467e-01      2.014874  0.5000000  0.35021986
#> Os01g0254900 -9.965440e-02      1.347822  1.2221596  0.35975231
#> Os01g0261200 -3.203427e-16     -2.043731 -0.5351947 -1.00000000
#> Os01g0263600 -1.292481e+00          NaN          NaN          NaN
#> Os01g0314000  2.924813e-01          NaN          NaN          NaN
#> Os01g0524500  0.000000e+00      1.100817  0.2311716  0.03700029
geneGPI= geneGPI [rowSums(is.na(geneGPI))==0, ]
Heatmap(geneGPI, show_row_names=FALSE, cluster_columns = TRUE,
        heatmap_legend_param = list(title = 'GPI'))
```



## 8 DE genes

3' seq data have been demonstrated informative in quantifying expression levels of genes by summing up 3' seq reads of all PACs in a gene (Lianoglou, et al., 2013). To detect DE genes between samples with 3' seq, we implemented the function *movDEgene* with the widely used R package DESeq2.

**Note:** DE detection should be performed in caution, because different methods would have significant and different impact on the DE results!

### 8.1 Detect DE genes

First we show an example of detecting DE genes for two conditions.

```

library(DESeq2)
## Subset two conditions first.
pacds=subsetPACds(PACds, group='group', cond1='anther', cond2='embryo')
## Detect DE genes using DESeq2 method,
## only genes with total read counts in all samples >=50 are used.
DEgene=movDEGene(PACds=pacds, method='DESeq2', group='group', minSumPAT=50)

```

Make statistics of the DE gene results; genes with  $\text{padj} < 0.05$  &  $\log_2 \text{FC} >= 0.5$  are considered as DE genes.

```

stat=movStat(object=DEgene, padjThd=0.05, valueThd=0.5)
stat$nsig
#>           sig.num
#> anther.embryo      219
head(stat$siglist$anther.embryo)
#> [1] "ENSRNA049472915" "Os01g0151600"    "Os01g0179300"    "Os01g0210600"
#> [5] "Os01g0247600"     "Os01g0254900"

```

We can also detect DE genes among more than two conditions.

```

DEgene=movDEGene(PACds=PACds, method='DESeq2', group='group', minSumPAT=50)
stat=movStat(object=DEgene, padjThd=0.05, valueThd=1)

```

```

## Number of DE genes in each pair of conditions.
stat$nsig
#>           sig.num
#> anther.embryo      150
#> anther.maturePollen    77
#> embryo.maturePollen    192
## Overlap between condition pairs.
stat$ovp
#>                                pair n1.sig.num n2.sig.num novp.sig.num
#> 1      anther.embryo-anther.maturePollen    150      77        47
#> 2      anther.embryo-embryo.maturePollen    150     192       122
#> 3 anther.maturePollen-embryo.maturePollen    77     192        62

```

## 8.2 Output DE genes

Output *movStat* results into files: ‘DEgene.plots.pdf’ and ‘DEgene.stat’. Several heatmaps are generated.

```
outputHeatStat(heatStats=stat, ostatfile='DEgene.stat', plotPre='DEgene')
```

You can further call *movSelect()* to select DE gene results with more information. Select DE gene results with full information including the read counts in each sample.

```

selFull=movSelect(DEgene, condpair='embryo.anther', padjThd=0.05, valueThd=1,
                  out='full', PACds=PACds)
## Warning: condpair is flip of movRes@conds, so movRes@pairwise$value*(-1)
head(selFull)
#>           gene anther1 anther2 anther3 embryo1 embryo2 embryo3 maturePollen1
#> 1 Os01g0179300      38      42      39     195     195     170      58

```

```

#> 2 Os01g0210600      59      65      52     376     359     295      22
#> 3 Os01g0224200      1       1       0      15      13      16       0
#> 4 Os01g0238500      8      11      12       0       0       2      62
#> 5 Os01g0247600    106     132     123      20      15      12       6
#> 6 Os01g0524500     26      25      24       0       0       2     138
#>   maturePollen2 maturePollen3      padj      value
#> 1           31          29 3.594718e-10  2.234465
#> 2           60          82 5.726760e-08  2.548997
#> 3            5          1 4.048010e-03  4.459420
#> 4           17         111 6.343326e-03 -3.954189
#> 5           63          7 1.080655e-03 -2.941261
#> 6          105         76 1.104847e-05 -5.228812

```

Select DE gene results with only padj and value. Here value is log2(anther/embryo).

```

sel=movSelect(DEgene, condpair='anther.embryo',
               padjThd=0.05, valueThd=1, out='pv')
head(sel)
#>           padj      value
#> Os01g0179300 3.594718e-10 -2.234465
#> Os01g0210600 5.726760e-08 -2.548997
#> Os01g0224200 4.048010e-03 -4.459420
#> Os01g0238500 6.343326e-03  3.954189
#> Os01g0247600 1.080655e-03  2.941261
#> Os01g0524500 1.104847e-05  5.228812

```

Output gene names of DE genes.

```

sel=movSelect(DEgene, condpair='embryo.anther',
               padjThd=0.05, upThd=0.5, out='gene')
#> Warning: condpair is flip of movRes@conds, so movRes@pairwise$value*(-1)
head(sel)
#> [1] "ENSRNA049472915" "Os01g0179300"     "Os01g0210600"     "Os01g0224200"
#> [5] "Os01g0571300"      "Os01g0586600"

```

## 9 DE PACs

movAPA provides the function *movDEPAC* to identify DE PACs between samples. Three strategies were utilized: (i) using DESeq2 with replicates; (ii) using DEXseq with replicates; (iii) using chi-squared test without replicates (“chisq”).

### 9.1 Detect DE PACs

First we show an example of detecting DE PACs among all pairwise conditions using three different methods. Only PACs with total read counts in all samples  $\geq 20$  are used.

```

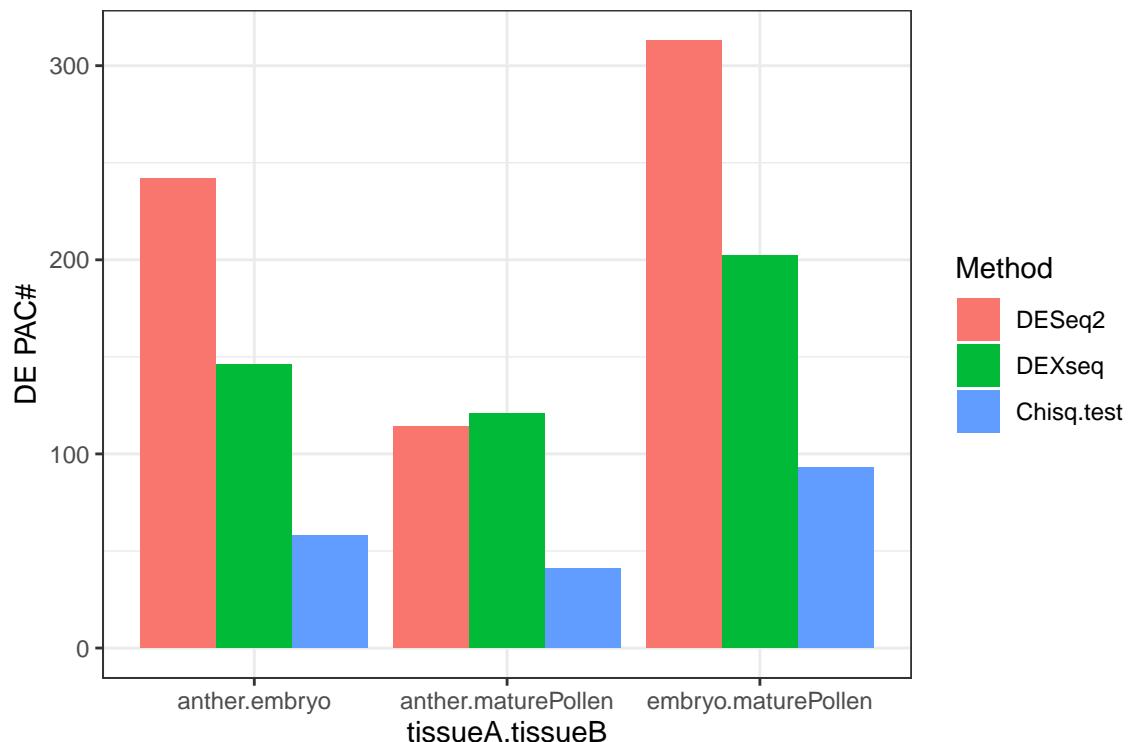
DEPAC=movDEPAC(PACds, method='DESeq2', group='group', minSumPAT=20)
DEXPAC=movDEPAC(PACds, method='DEXseq', group='group', minSumPAT=20)
DEqPAC=movDEPAC(PACds, method='chisq', group='group', minSumPAT=20)

```

Number of DE PACs among methods.

```
library(ggplot2)
## Get significant DE results.
stat1=movStat(object=DEPAC, padjThd=0.05, valueThd=1)
stat2=movStat(object=DEXPAC, padjThd=0.05, valueThd=1)
stat3=movStat(object=DEqPAC, padjThd=0.05, valueThd=0.95)

## Count the number of DE PACs by different methods.
nsig=as.data.frame(cbind(stat1$nsig, stat2$nsig, stat3$nsig))
colnames(nsig)=c('DESeq2', 'DEXseq', 'Chisq.test')
nsig$tissueA.tissueB=rownames(nsig)
nsig
#>              DESeq2 DEXseq Chisq.test      tissueA.tissueB
#> anther.embryo     242    146      58      anther.embryo
#> anther.maturePollen   114    121      41 anther.maturePollen
#> embryo.maturePollen   313    202      93 embryo.maturePollen
## Plot a barplot.
nsig=reshape2::melt(nsig, variable.name='Method')
## Using tissueA.tissueB as id variables
ggplot(data=nsig, aes(x=tissueA.tissueB, y=value, fill=Method)) +
  geom_bar(stat="identity", position=position_dodge()) +
  ylab("DE PAC#") + theme_bw()
```



We can also detect DE PACs between two given conditions.

```
## First subset PACs in two conditions.
PACds1=subsetPACds(PACds, group='group',
                     cond1='anther', cond2='embryo', choosePA='apa')
```

```

## Detect DE PACs.
DEPAC1=movDEPAC(PACds1, method='DESeq2', group='group', minSumPAT=10)
DEXPAC1=movDEPAC(PACds1, method='DEXseq', group='group', minSumPAT=10)
DEqPAC1=movDEPAC(PACds1, method='chisq', group='group', minSumPAT=10)

```

## 9.2 Statistics of DE PACs

Make statistics of the DE PACs result by DESeq2 method (*DEPAC*).

```
stat=movStat(object=DEPAC, padjThd=0.05, valueThd=1)
```

```

## Number of DE PACs between conditions.
stat$nsig
#>                               sig.num
#> anther.embryo              242
#> anther.maturePollen        114
#> embryo.maturePollen       313
## Overlap of DE PACs between different pairs of conditions.
head(stat$ovp)
#>                               pair n1.sig.num n2.sig.num novp.sig.num
#> 1      anther.embryo-anther.maturePollen    242      114          68
#> 2      anther.embryo-embryo.maturePollen    242      313         199
#> 3 anther.maturePollen-embryo.maturePollen   114      313          90
## DE PAC list
head(stat$siglist[[1]])
#> [1] "0s01g0151600:2795487" "0s01g0179300:4126216" "0s01g0179300:4126779"
#> [4] "0s01g0238500:7668102" "0s01g0247600:8130944" "0s01g0247600:8131074"

```

We can also plot a venn diagram to show the overlap among results from different pairwise comparisons.

```

library(VennDiagram, quietly = TRUE)
x=venn.diagram(stat$siglist, fill=brewer.pal(3, "Set1"), cex=2,
                 cat.fontface=4, filename='DEPAC.venn')

```

Stat the DE PAC result from the chisq-test method, here the value column of DEqPAC is 1-pvalue\_of\_the\_gene. So using padjThd=0.05 and valueThd=0.95 means filtering DE PACs with adjusted pvalue of PAC <0.05 and adjusted pvalue of gene <0.05.

```
stat=movStat(object=DEqPAC, padjThd=0.05, valueThd=0.95)
```

## 9.3 Output DE PACs

We can use *movSelect* to output full or simple list of DE PACs.

```

## Here method is DEXseq, so the valueThd (log2FC) threshold is automatically determined.
sel=movSelect(aMovRes=DEXPAC, condpair='embryo.anther',
               padjThd=0.1, out='full', PACds=PACds)
#> Warning: condpair is flip of movRes@conds, so movRes@pairwise$value*(-1)
#> Warning: movRes is DEXPAC, but valueThd/upThd/dnThd are all NULL, manually set valueThd=min(maxfc)=
#> Warning: movRes is DEXPAC, also filter by rowMax(movRes@pairwise$value)

```

```

head(sel, n=2)
#> PA chr UPA_start UPA_end strand coord ftr
#> 1 ENSRNA049444301:25040070 12 25040068 25040071 - 25040070 intergenic
#> 2 ENSRNA049472915:32398407 3 32398154 32398573 - 32398407 Ext_3UTR
#> gene gene_type ftr_start ftr_end anther1 anther2 anther3 embryo1
#> 1 ENSRNA049444301 tRNA 25043356 25032325 0 0 0 0
#> 2 ENSRNA049472915 snoRNA 32398830 32398830 285 324 352 510
#> embryo2 embryo3 maturePollen1 maturePollen2 maturePollen3 padj
#> 1 0 0 24 3 0 6.971614e-02
#> 2 558 548 130 191 110 1.081613e-13
#> value
#> 1 -0.7671602
#> 2 0.8623713

## You can also manually set a log2FC threshold.
sel=movSelect(aMovRes=DEXPAC, condpair='embryo.anther',
               padjThd=0.1, valueThd=2, out='pa');
#> Warning: condpair is flip of movRes@conds, so movRes@pairwise$value*(-1)
#> Warning: movRes is DEXPAC, also filter by rowMax(movRes@pairwise$value)
head(sel)
#> [1] "Os01g0263600:8948833" "Os01g0327400:12630082" "Os01g0327400:12630218"
#> [4] "Os01g0812200:34534443" "Os01g0841000:36096864" "Os01g0881300:38257576"

## Filter only up-regulated PACs in embryo
## (value=log2(embryo_this_others/anther_this_others)).
sel=movSelect(aMovRes=DEXPAC, condpair='embryo.anther',
               padjThd=0.1, upThd=2, out='full', PACds=PACds)
#> Warning: condpair is flip of movRes@conds, so movRes@pairwise$value*(-1)
#> Warning: movRes is DEXPAC, also filter by rowMax(movRes@pairwise$value)
head(sel, 2)
#> PA chr UPA_start UPA_end strand coord ftr
#> 1 ENSRNA049472915:32398407 3 32398154 32398573 - 32398407 Ext_3UTR
#> 2 Os01g0327400:12630082 1 12629955 12630117 + 12630082 intergenic
#> gene gene_type ftr_start ftr_end anther1 anther2 anther3
#> 1 ENSRNA049472915 snoRNA 32398830 32398830 285 324 352
#> 2 Os01g0327400 protein_coding 12582256 12646586 1 1 1
#> embryo1 embryo2 embryo3 maturePollen1 maturePollen2 maturePollen3
#> 1 510 558 548 130 191 110
#> 2 0 0 0 0 0 0
#> padj value
#> 1 1.081613e-13 0.8623713
#> 2 3.171817e-02 11.5717831

```

## 9.4 Visualize DE PACs in a gene

Here we take the DEPAC result for example to show the visualization of DE PACs in a gene.

```

## Filter less results and plot the heatmap clearly.
stat=movStat(object=DEPAC, padjThd=0.001, valueThd=8)
outputHeatStat(heatStats=stat, ostatefile='DEPAC.stat', plotPre='DEPAC',
               show_rownames = TRUE)

```

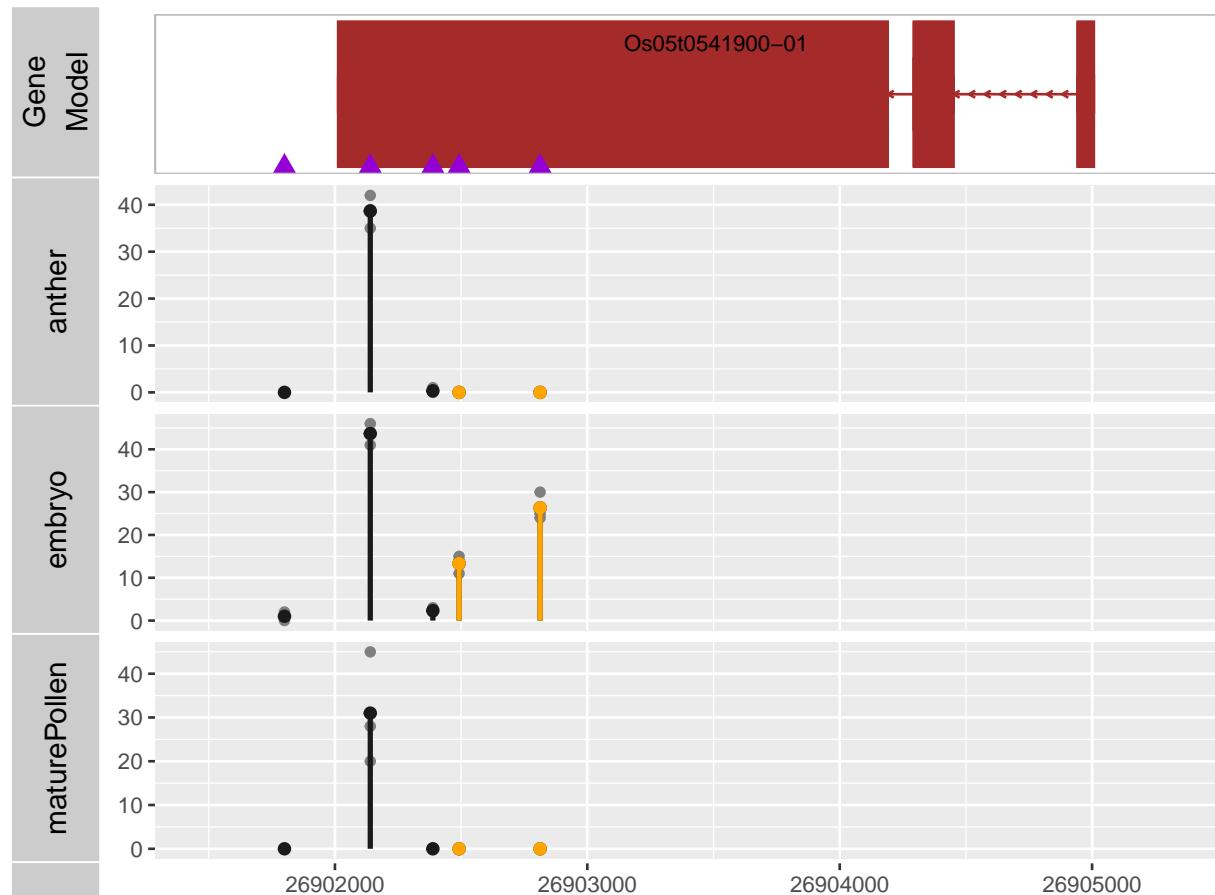
Visualize DE PACs in an example gene by *movViz*. First, we examine all PACs in this gene. There are three

PACs, two in 3'UTR and one in extended 3'UTR. But the expression level of the PAC in extended 3'UTR is only 3.

```
gene='Os05g0541900'
gp=PACds[PACds@anno$gene==gene, ]
cbind(gp@anno$ftr, rowSums(gp@counts))
#>          [,1]      [,2]
#> Os05g0541900:26902813 "3'UTR"    "79"
#> Os05g0541900:26902492 "3'UTR"    "40"
#> Os05g0541900:26902388 "3'UTR"    "8"
#> Os05g0541900:26902140 "3'UTR"    "340"
#> Os05g0541900:26901800 "Ext_3'UTR" "3"
#> Os05g0541900:26900274 "intergenic" "2"
```

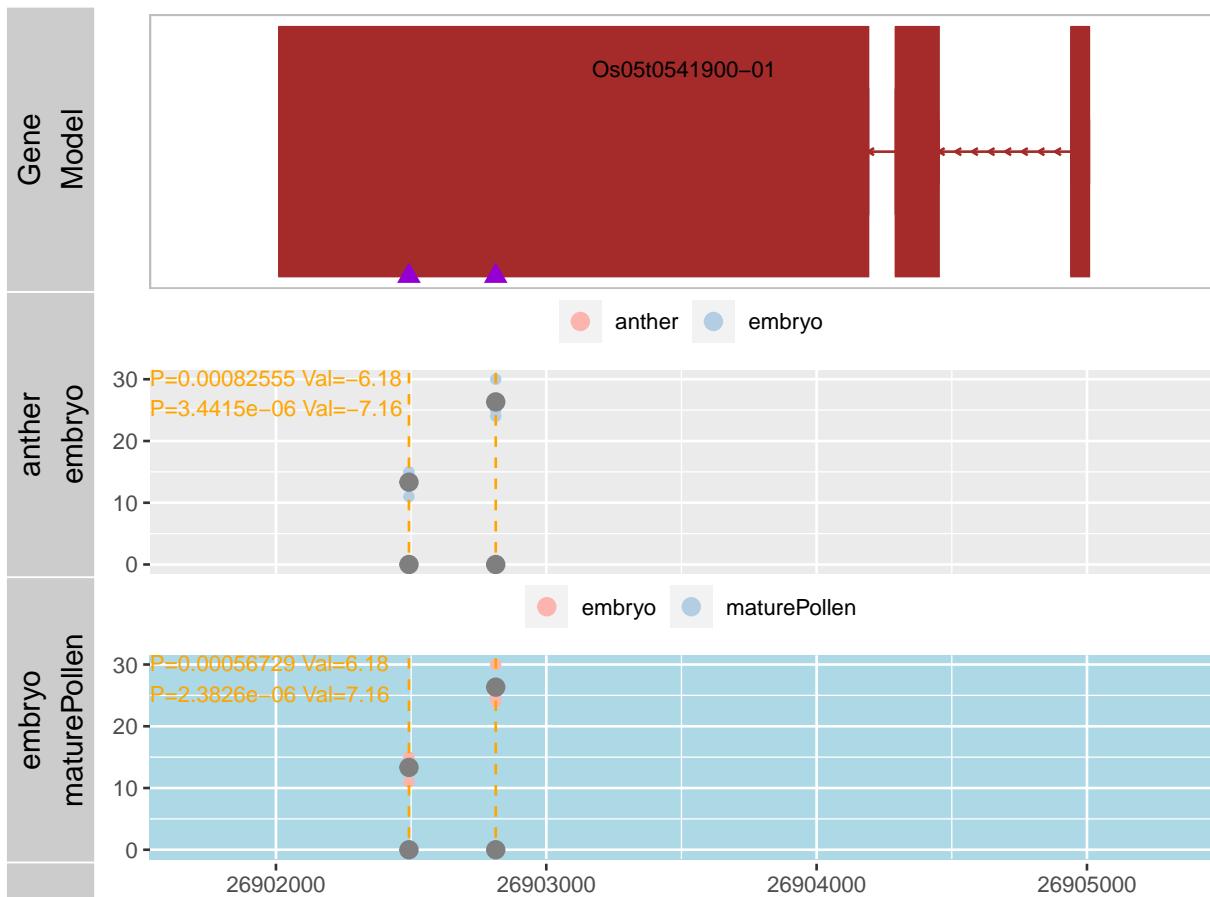
Visualize PACs of this gene in individual conditions. Here the Y-axis is read count, the scale of which is different among conditions. DE PACs identified by DESeq2 method with  $\text{padj} < \text{padjThd}$  are highlighted in dashed yellow lines.

```
movViz(object=DEPAC, gene=gene, txdb=gff, PACds=PACds, collapseCnds=FALSE,
       padjThd=0.01, showRatio=FALSE, showAllPA=TRUE)
```



We can also show condition pairs in individual tracks and only display and/or highlight given condition pairs. If  $\text{padjThd}$  is given, then the DE PACs ( $\text{padj} < \text{padjThd}$ ) will be highlighted (dashed yellow line).

```
movViz(object=DEPAC, gene=gene, txdb=gff, PACds=PACds, collapseConds=TRUE,
       padjThd=0.01, showPV=TRUE, showAllPA=FALSE, showRatio=F,
       conds=DEPAC@conds[c(1,3), ], highlightConds=DEPAC@conds[c(3), ])
```



## 10 3'UTR switching

APA dynamics (i.e., APA site switching or 3'UTR lengthening/shortening) of a gene can be deduced by comparing the ratios of expression levels of one poly(A) site (e.g., the short isoform) over the other poly(A) site (e.g., the long isoform) between two biological samples. For unity, here we refer 3'UTR lengthening/shortening to 3'UTR switching, and refer APA dynamics involving a pair of PACs to APA site switching. Function *movUTRtrend* is used to identify 3'UTR switching events between samples. We developed three methods in *movUTRtrend* for detecting 3'UTR switching events from samples with or without replicates: (i) the strategy based on the chi-squared test for trend in proportions (“linearTrend”); (ii) the strategy based on DE PACs from DESeq2 (“DE”); (iii) the strategy based on DE PACs from DEXSeq (“DEX”).

### 10.1 Detect 3'UTR switching events

First, we used the ‘linearTrend’ method to detect 3'UTR switching events. Only PACs and genes with average read count between the two conditions  $\geq 10$  and  $\geq 20$  are used.

```

utr=movUTRtrend(PACds, group='group', method='linearTrend',
                  avgPACtag=10, avgGeneTag=20)
#> anther.embryo
#> anther.maturePollen
#> embryo.maturePollen
## Number of genes for analyzing, including those not significant.
lapply(utr@fullList, nrow)
#> $anther.embryo
#> [1] 44
#>
#> $anther.maturePollen
#> [1] 31
#>
#> $embryo.maturePollen
#> [1] 47
head(utr@fullList[["anther.embryo"]], n=2)
#>          gene nPAC geneTag1 geneTag2 avgUTRlen1 avgUTRlen2
#> Os01g0151600 Os01g0151600    2      28      59   231.4643   191.5085
#> Os01g0254900 Os01g0254900    2     221     101   265.5520   286.9604
#>           pvalue      padj change       cor logRatio
#> Os01g0151600 0.018098744 0.4886661      -1 -0.2534036 -1.072588
#> Os01g0254900 0.008878056 0.2840978      1  0.1458238  1.128916
#>                               PAs1
#> Os01g0151600 Os01g0151600:2795487=11;Os01g0151600:2795636=17
#> Os01g0254900 Os01g0254900:8475658=133;Os01g0254900:8475521=88
#>                               PAs2
#> Os01g0151600 Os01g0151600:2795487=39;Os01g0151600:2795636=20
#> Os01g0254900 Os01g0254900:8475658=45;Os01g0254900:8475521=56

```

Make statistics of the results; genes with padj<0.1 and abs(cor)>0 are considered as 3'UTR switching.

```

stat=movStat(object=utr, padjThd=0.1, valueThd=0)
#> All cond pairs in heat@colData, get de01 and deNum
stat$nsig
#>          sig.num
#> anther.embryo      9
#> anther.maturePollen     4
#> embryo.maturePollen    24

```

Output 3'UTR switching results for a pair of conditions.

```

## Only output gene ids.
out=movSelect(aMovRes=utr, condpair='anther.embryo',
              padjThd=0.1, valueThd=0, out='gene')
## Output PAC ids.
out=movSelect(aMovRes=utr, condpair='anther.maturePollen',
              padjThd=0.1, valueThd=0, out='pa')
## Output gene ids with padj and value.
out=movSelect(aMovRes=utr, condpair='anther.embryo',
              padjThd=0.1, valueThd=0, out='pv')
## Output full information with expression levels, 3UTR length,
## read counts of each PA in each sample, etc.
out=movSelect(aMovRes=utr, condpair='anther.embryo',

```

```

    padjThd=0.1, valueThd=0, out='full')
## Output full information for 3UTR lengthening genes from anther to embryo (change=1).
out=movSelect(aMovRes=utr, condpair='anther.embryo',
               padjThd=0.1, upThd=0, out='full')

## Output full information for 3UTR shortening genes from anther to embryo (change=-1).
out=movSelect(aMovRes=utr, condpair='anther.embryo',
               padjThd=0.1, dnThd=0, out='full')
head(out, n=2)
#>           gene nPAC geneTag1 geneTag2 avgUTRlen1 avgUTRlen2
#> 0s02g0759700 0s02g0759700    2      77      54   539.7662   323.3704
#> 0s05g0438800 0s05g0438800    2      93     197   348.7204   294.7005
#>          pvalue      padj change      cor logRatio
#> 0s02g0759700 2.499868e-09 1.049944e-07     -1 -0.5208556 0.5111023
#> 0s05g0438800 6.160952e-06 2.464381e-04     -1 -0.2654699 -1.0820747
#>
#>          PAas1
#> 0s02g0759700 0s02g0759700:31988970=10;0s02g0759700:31989403=67
#> 0s05g0438800 0s05g0438800:21501003=4;0s05g0438800:21500764=89
#>
#>          PAas2
#> 0s02g0759700 0s02g0759700:31988970=34;0s02g0759700:31989403=20
#> 0s05g0438800 0s05g0438800:21501003=53;0s05g0438800:21500764=144

```

Here is another example of using DEX method to detect 3'UTR switching events. First get DE PAC results by DEXseq and then get 3'UTR switching events.

```

DEXPAC=movDEPAC(PACds, method='DEXseq', group='group', minSumPAT=10)
swDEX=movUTRtrend(PACds, group='group', method='DEX',
                    avgPACtag=10, avgGeneTag=20,
                    aMovDEPACRes=DEXPAC, DEPAC.padjThd=0.01,
                    mindist=50, fisherThd=0.01, logFCThd=1, selectOne='farest')

```

Get 3'UTR switching genes with padj<0.1 and |log2FC|>=1.

```

stat=movStat(object=swDEX, padjThd=0.01, valueThd=1)
## All cond pairs in heat@colData, get de01 and deNum
stat$nsig
#>           sig.num
#> anther.embryo       6
#> anther.maturePollen 1
#> embryo.maturePollen 15

out=movSelect(aMovRes=swDEX, condpair='anther.embryo',
               padjThd=0.01, valueThd=1, out='full')
head(out, n=2)
#>           gene nPAC geneTag1 geneTag2 avgUTRlen1 avgUTRlen2      fisherPV
#> 1 0s02g0759700    2      77      54   539.7662   323.3704 4.912714e-09
#> 2 0s05g0438800    2      93     197   348.7204   294.7005 3.852680e-06
#>          logFC change      PA1      PA2 dist nDEPA
#> 1 -3.364997     -1 0s02g0759700:31988970 0s02g0759700:31989403 434      2
#> 2 -2.744903     -1 0s05g0438800:21501003 0s05g0438800:21500764 240      1
#>          nSwitchPair      PAas1
#> 1 1 0s02g0759700:31988970=10;0s02g0759700:31989403=67

```

```
#> 2           1 0s05g0438800:21501003=4;0s05g0438800:21500764=89
#>                                         PAs2
#> 1 0s02g0759700:31988970=34;0s02g0759700:31989403=20
#> 2 0s05g0438800:21501003=53;0s05g0438800:21500764=144
```

## 10.2 Statistics of 3'UTR switching results

Here we used three methods to call 3'UTR switching and then compared the results from these methods.

```
swLinear=movUTRtrend(PACds, group='group', method='linearTrend',
                      avgPACtag=10, avgGeneTag=20)
swDEX=movUTRtrend(PACds, group='group', method='DEX',
                    avgPACtag=10, avgGeneTag=20,
                    aMovDEPACRes=DEXPAC, DEPAC.padjThd=0.01,
                    mindist=50, fisherThd=0.01, logFCThd=1, selectOne='fisherPV')

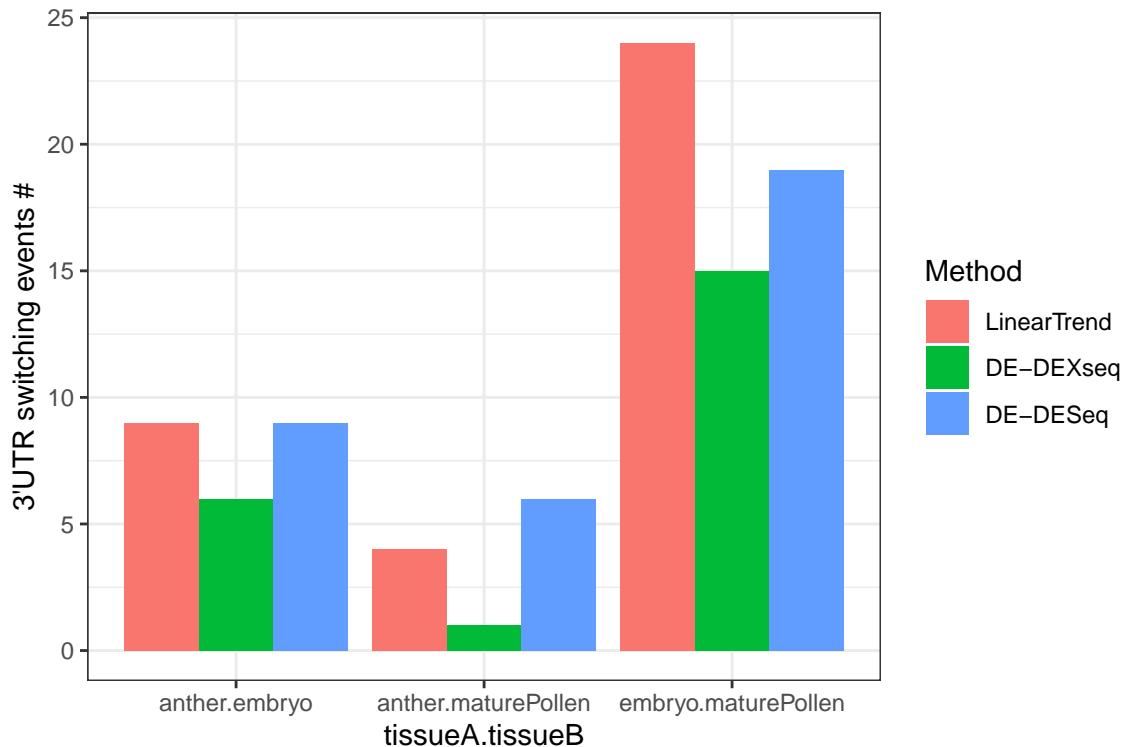
swDE=movUTRtrend(PACds, group='group', method='DE',
                   avgPACtag=10, avgGeneTag=20,
                   aMovDEPACRes=DEPAC, DEPAC.padjThd=0.01,
                   mindist=50, fisherThd=0.01, logFCThd=1, selectOne='fisherPV')
```

Get significant 3'UTR switching events.

```
stat1=movStat(object=swLinear, padjThd=0.1, valueThd=0)
stat2=movStat(object=swDEX, padjThd=0.01, valueThd=1)
stat3=movStat(object=swDE, padjThd=0.01, valueThd=1)
```

Count number of 3'UTR switching events by different methods

```
nsig=as.data.frame(cbind(stat1$nsig, stat2$nsig, stat3$nsig))
colnames(nsig)=c('LinearTrend', 'DE-DEXseq', 'DE-DESeq')
nsig$tissueA.tissueB=rownames(nsig)
nsig
#>                               LinearTrend DE-DEXseq DE-DESeq      tissueA.tissueB
#> anther.embryo                 9        6        9      anther.embryo
#> anther.maturePollen            4        1        6  anther.maturePollen
#> embryo.maturePollen           24       15       19 embryo.maturePollen
nsig=reshape2::melt(nsig, variable.name='Method')
#> Using tissueA.tissueB as id variables
ggplot(data=nsig, aes(x=tissueA.tissueB, y=value, fill=Method)) +
  geom_bar(stat="identity", position=position_dodge()) +
  ylab("3'UTR switching events #") + theme_bw()
```



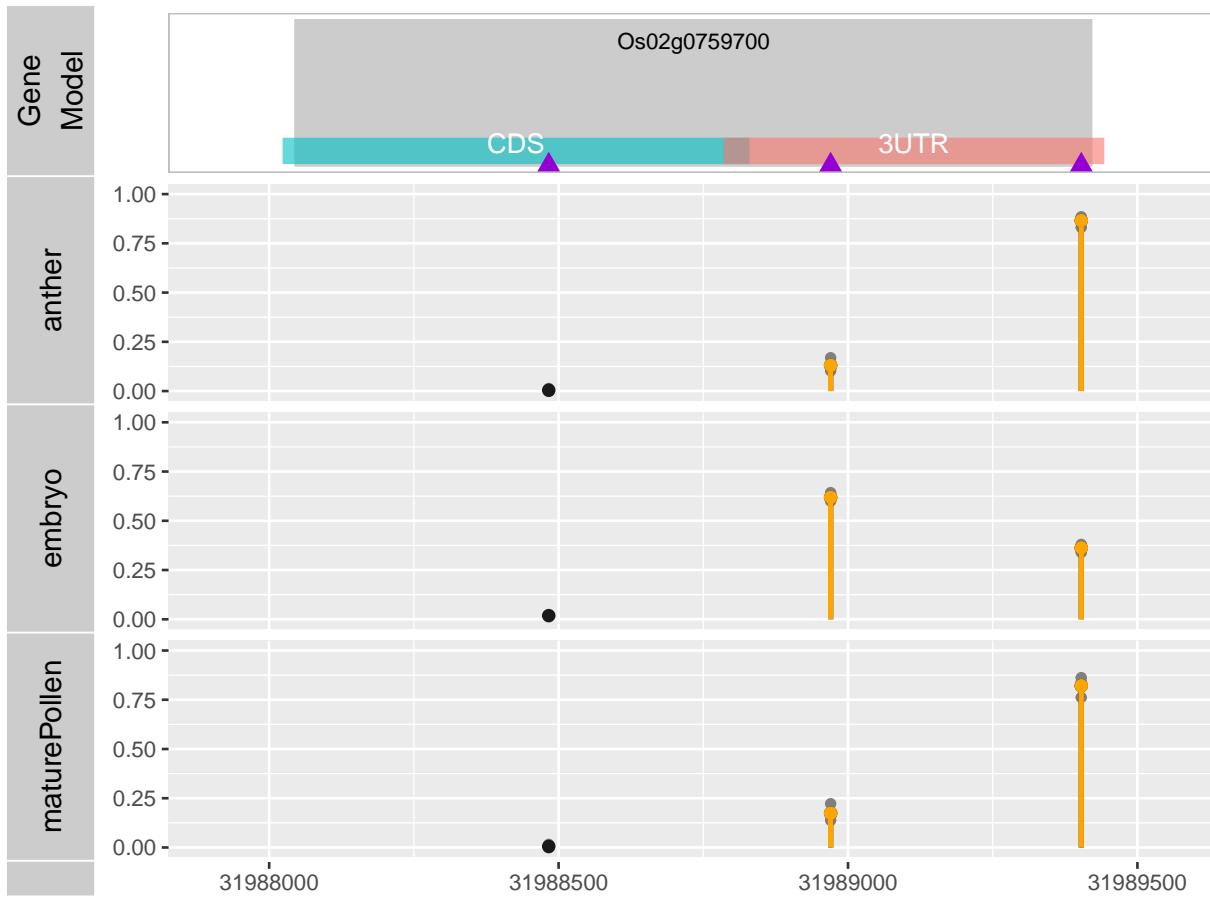
### 10.3 Visualize 3'UTR switching events

Gene Os02g0759700 is identified as 3'UTR switching. This gene has one PAC in CDS and two PACs in 3UTR; the 3UTR switching happens between anther~embryo and between embryo~maturePollen.

```
gene='Os02g0759700'
gp=PACds[PACds@anno$gene==gene, ]
cbind(gp@anno$ftr, rowSums(gp@counts))
#>          [,1]      [,2]
#> Os02g0759700:31988483 "CDS"      "5"
#> Os02g0759700:31988970 "3UTR"     "204"
#> Os02g0759700:31989403 "3UTR"     "649"
#> Os02g0759700:31990233 "intergenic" "4"
```

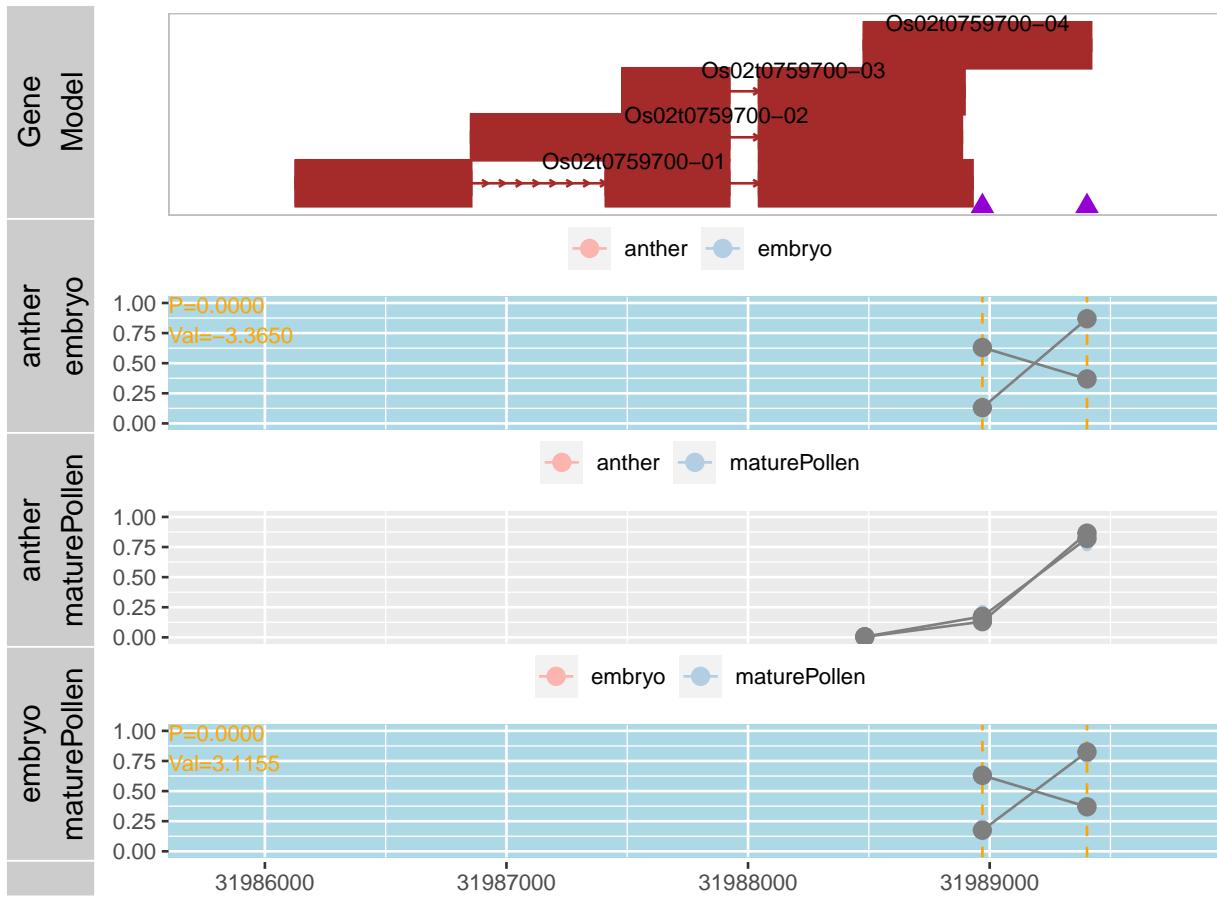
Plot all PACs of this gene in all conditions and replicates. Highlight PACs involving in the switching analysis in orange.

```
movViz(object=swDE, gene=gene, txdb=NULL, PACds=PACds, showRatio=TRUE,
       padjThd=0.01, showAllPA=TRUE)
```



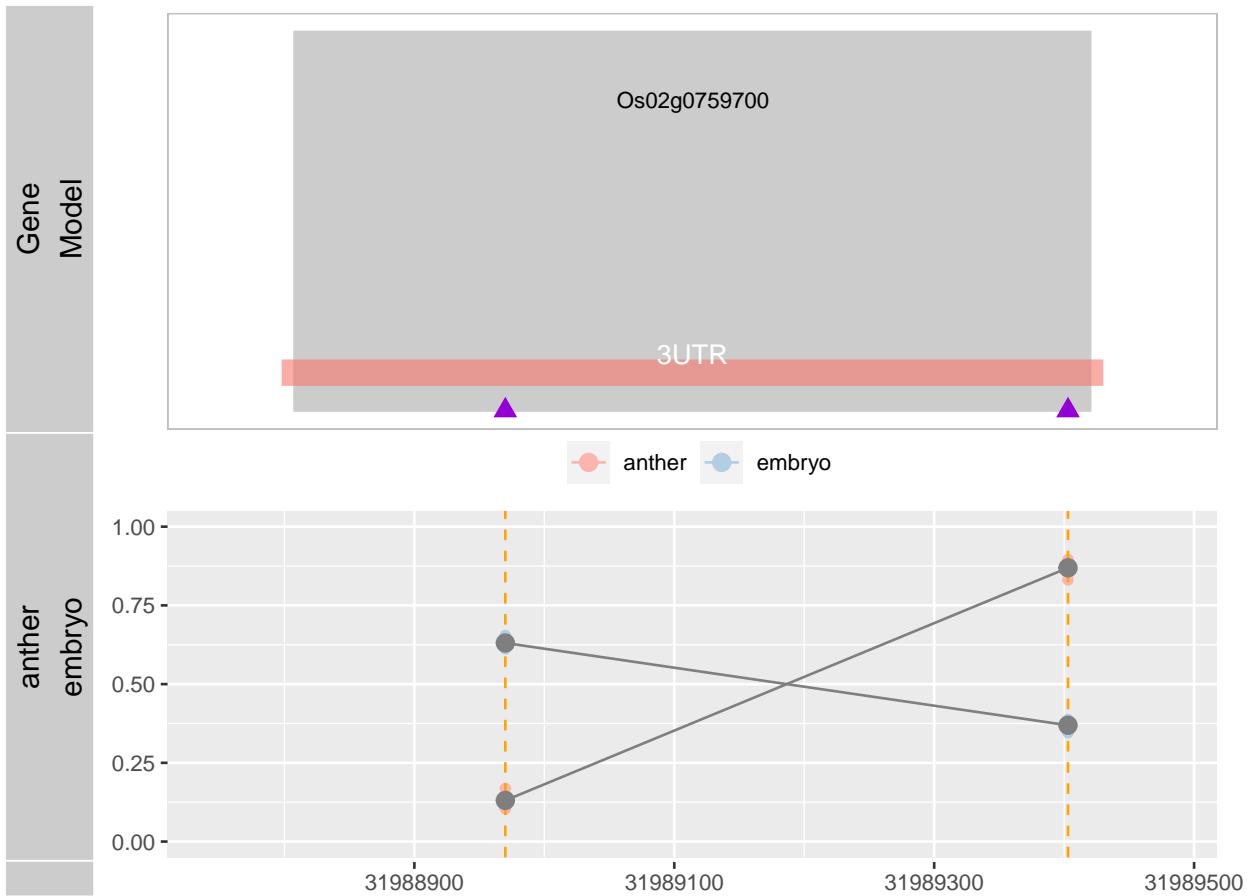
Show in each track a condition pair and use line to link PACs to show the trend. There is 3'UTR switching between anther and maturePollen, and embryo and maturePollen. Highlight specific condition pair with blue background and only show PACs involving the switching analysis with a dashed line in orange.

```
movViz(object=swDE, gene=gene, txdb=gff, PACds=PACds, collapseConds=TRUE,
      conds=swDE@conds, highlightConds=swDE@conds[c(1,3), ], showRatio=TRUE,
       linkPAs=TRUE, padjThd=0.01, showAllPA=FALSE, showPV=TRUE)
```



Show only the condition pair anther~embryo and only PACs involving the 3UTR switching. Do not show gene model but only the genomic region of PACs, and show all PACs but highlight the switching PACs in dashed yellow line. Show only switching PACs.

```
movViz(object=swDE, gene=gene, txdb=NULL, PACds=PACds, collapseConds=TRUE,
       conds=swDE@conds[1, ], highlightConds=NULL, showRatio=TRUE, linkPAs=TRUE,
       padjThd=0.01, showAllPA=FALSE, showPV=FALSE)
```



This example shows using heatmaps for DEPAC results. First call the differential analysis and then call *movStat* to stat the results.

```
stat=movStat(object=swDE, padjThd=0.01, valueThd=1)
#> All cond pairs in heat@colData, get de01 and deNum
stat$nsig
#>                      sig.num
#> anther.embryo          9
#> anther.maturePollen    6
#> embryo.maturePollen   19
```

Output stat results into files. The pdf file stores the plots about the number of significant events and the overlap among different condition pairs.

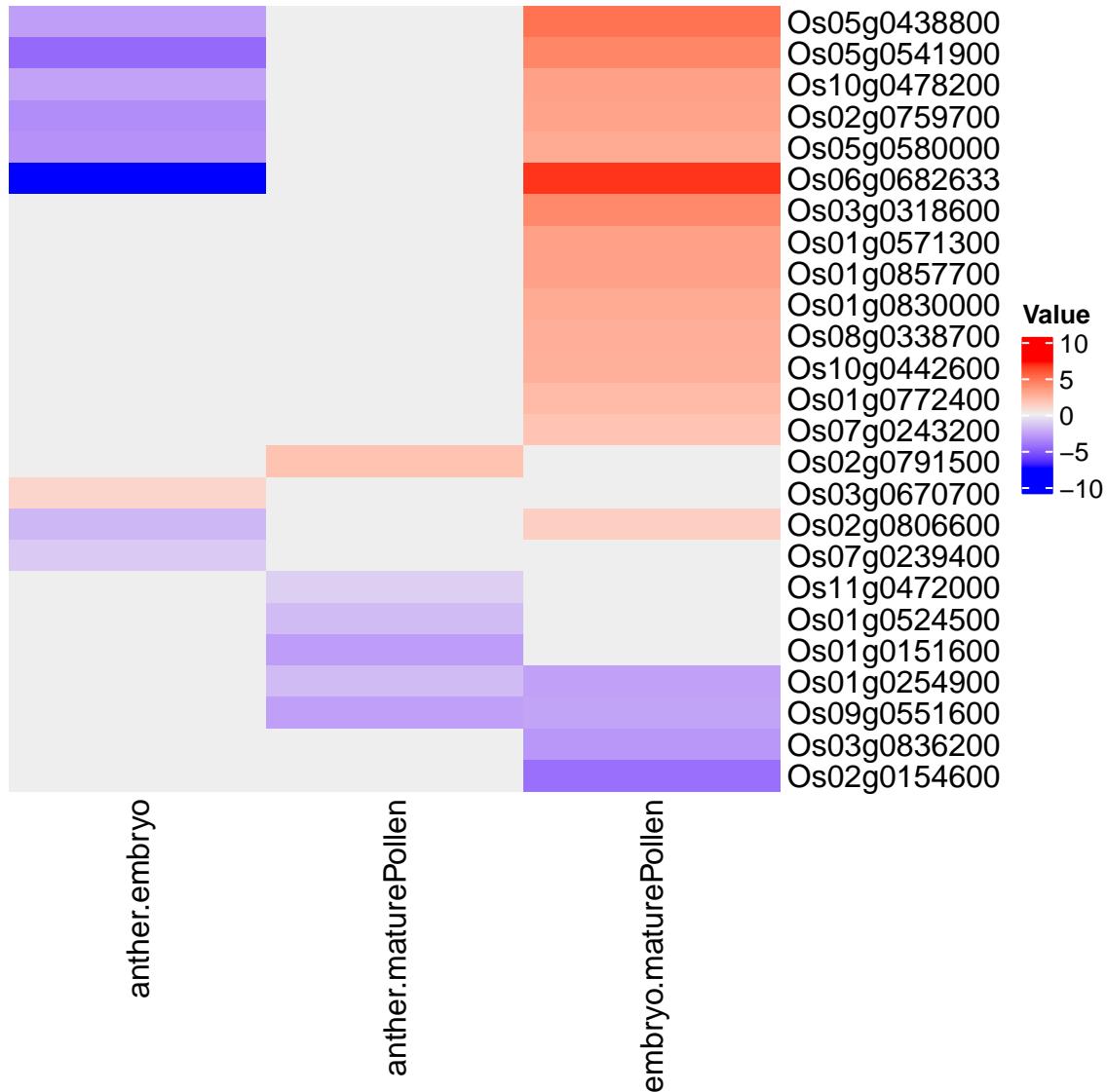
```
outputHeatStat(heatStats=stat, ostatefile='3UTR_switching_DE.stat',
               plotPre='3UTR_switching_DE', show_rownames = TRUE)
```

To plot heatmap manually, first convert the *movRes* object to a heatmap object and then filter switching genes.

```
heat=movRes2heatmapResults(swDE)
heatUp=subsetHeatmap(heat, padjThd=0.05, valueThd=1)
```

From the heatmap, we can see gene Os06g0682633 is shorter from anther to embryo (value=-8) and longer from embryo to maturePollen (value=7).

```
plotHeatmap(heatUp@value, show_rownames=TRUE, plotPre=NULL, cluster_rows=TRUE)
```



Get the switching information for this gene.

```
f1=swDE@fullList$anther.embryo  
f1[f1$gene=='Os06g0682633',]  
#>      gene nPAC geneTag1 geneTag2 avgUTRlen1 avgUTRlen2      fisherPV  
#> 7  Os06g0682633    2      11     353      1181    558.3938 1.420396e-12  
#>      logFC change          PA1          PA2 dist nDEPA  
#> 7 -7.370687    -1  Os06g0682633:28447307  Os06g0682633:28447973   667      1  
#>      nSwitchPair          PAs1  
#> 7            3  Os06g0682633:28447307=0;Os06g0682633:28447973=11  
#>                      PAs2  
#> 7  Os06g0682633:28447307=330;Os06g0682633:28447973=23
```

## 11 APA site switching

The function *movAPAswitch* is used to detect both canonical and non-canonical APA site switching events. The strategy of *movAPAswitch* is similar to the strategy based on DE PACs in *movUTRtrend* but with higher flexibility. If a gene has more than two PACs, then each pair of PACs (denoted as PA1 and PA2) are analyzed. The following criteria are used to determine a APA switching event: whether PA1 or PA2 are DE; average read count for both sites; distance between PA1 and PA2; average read count for a gene; relative change of PA1 and PA2 (RC); read count ratio (PA1:PA2) >1 in one sample and <1 in another sample; p-value of the Fisher's exact test for PA1 and PA2 read counts between samples. Pairs of PACs that meet user specified conditions are considered as APA site switching events. Users can use the *movSelect* function to filter 3' UTR switching events or APA site switching events with higher flexibility.

### 11.1 Detect 3'UTR-PAC switching

First get DE PAC results by DEXseq.

```
DEXPAC=movDEPAC(PACds, method='DEXseq', group='group', minSumPAT=10)
```

Then get 3'UTR switching genes, usig selectOne=NULL to detect all pairs of switching PACs.

```
swDEX=movAPAswitch(PACds, group='group', aMovDEPACRes=DEXPAC,
                      avgPACtag=5, avgGeneTag=10,
                      only3UTR=TRUE,
                      DEPAC.padjThd=0.1, nDEPAC=1,
                      mindist=50, fisherThd=0.1, logFCThd=0.5,
                      cross=FALSE, selectOne=NULL)
```

Stat the switching results.

```
stat=movStat(object=swDEX, padjThd=0.1, valueThd=1)
#> All cond pairs in heat@colData, get de01 and deNum
stat$nsig
#>           sig.num
#> anther.embryo      32
#> anther.maturePollen 11
#> embryo.maturePollen 38
```

Output switching genes with full information for anther~embryo.

```
sel=movSelect(aMovRes=swDEX, condpair='anther.embryo',
               padjThd=0.1, valueThd=1, out='full')
head(sel, n=2)
#>   gene nPAC geneTag1 geneTag2 avgUTRlen1 avgUTRlen2    fisherPV
#> 1 0s01g0151600    2      84     176  231.4643  191.7955 6.670538e-05
#> 3 0s01g0655400    2      70      76  144.7857  200.5000 2.241096e-02
#>   logFC change                               PA1                  PA2 dist nDEPA
#> 1 -1.552604      -1 0s01g0151600:2795487 0s01g0151600:2795636  150      2
#> 3  1.120104      1 0s01g0655400:26602269 0s01g0655400:26601984  286      1
#>   nSwitchPair                                PAs1
#> 1          1 0s01g0151600:2795487=33;0s01g0151600:2795636=51
#> 3          1 0s01g0655400:26602269=45;0s01g0655400:26601984=25
```

```

#>                               PAs2
#> 1  Os01g0151600:2795487=116;Os01g0151600:2795636=60
#> 3  Os01g0655400:26602269=34;Os01g0655400:26601984=42

```

## 11.2 Detect APA-site switching

Detect APA switching events involving non-3'UTR PACs, using selectOne=NULL to get all pairs of switching PACs.

```

swDE=movAPAswitch(PACds, group='group', aMovDEPACRes=DEXPAC,
                    avgPACtag=10, avgGeneTag=20,
                    only3UTR=FALSE,
                    DEPAC.padjThd=0.1, nDEPAC=1,
                    mindist=50, fisherThd=0.1, logFCThd=0.5,
                    cross=FALSE, selectOne=NULL)

```

Stat the switching results.

```

stat=movStat(object=swDE, padjThd=0.1, valueThd=1)
#> All cond pairs in heat@colData, get de01 and deNum
stat$nsig
#>                      sig.num
#> anther.embryo          43
#> anther.maturePollen    21
#> embryo.maturePollen    57

```

Output switching genes with full information for anther~embryo.

```

sw=movSelect(aMovRes=swDE, condpair='anther.embryo',
              padjThd=0.01, valueThd=1, out='full')
head(sw[order(sw$fisherPV), ], n=2)
#>           gene nPAC geneTag1 geneTag2     fisherPV      logFC change
#> 25  Os04g0635800    2      94     3437 7.680786e-75 -6.255737    -1
#> 16  Os02g0790500    2      549     124 6.634803e-35 -3.837820    -1
#>           PA1           PA2 dist nDEPA nSwitchPair
#> 25  Os04g0635800:32341126 Os04g0635800:32339713 1414      2        1
#> 16  Os02g0790500:33573091 Os02g0790500:33573166   76      2        1
#>           PAs1
#> 25  Os04g0635800:32341126=21;Os04g0635800:32339713=73
#> 16  Os02g0790500:33573091=81;Os02g0790500:33573166=468
#>           PAs2           ftr
#> 25  Os04g0635800:32341126=3293;Os04g0635800:32339713=144 3UTR,Ext_3UTR
#> 16  Os02g0790500:33573091=89;Os02g0790500:33573166=35 3UTR,Ext_3UTR

```

## 11.3 Subset PACds by switching genes or PACs

First get list of genes or PACs of switching events, then subset PACds by genes or PACs.

```

genes=movSelect(aMovRes=swDE, condpair='anther.embryo',
                 padjThd=0.01, valueThd=1, out='gene')
swPAC=subsetPACds(PACds, genes=genes, verbose=TRUE)
#>           count
#> before subsetPACds 1233
#> minExprConds>=1    1233
#> genes          138
table(swPAC@anno$ftr)
#>
#>      3UTR      5UTR      CDS  Ext_3UTR intergenic      intron
#>      66         8        7       31        11        15

PAs=movSelect(aMovRes=swDE, condpair='anther.embryo', padjThd=0.01,
               valueThd=1, out='pa')
swPAC=subsetPACds(PACds, PAs=PAs, verbose=TRUE)
#>           count
#> before subsetPACds 1233
#> minExprConds>=1    1233
#> PAs            77
table(swPAC@anno$ftr)
#>
#>      3UTR Ext_3UTR      intron
#>      53     22        2

```

## 11.4 Visualization of APA-site switching

Show one switching gene (Os05g0451900), where switching happens between a 3'UTR PAC and an intronic PAC. This gene has 2 PACs in intron and 1 PAC in 3UTR; the APA-site switching happens between anther~maturePollen.

```

gene='Os05g0451900'
gp=PACds[PACds@anno$gene==gene, ]
cbind(gp@anno$ftr, rowSums(gp@counts))
#>           [,1]      [,2]
#> Os05g0451900:22185329 "intron" "294"
#> Os05g0451900:22185573 "intron" "6"
#> Os05g0451900:22188660 "3UTR"   "223"

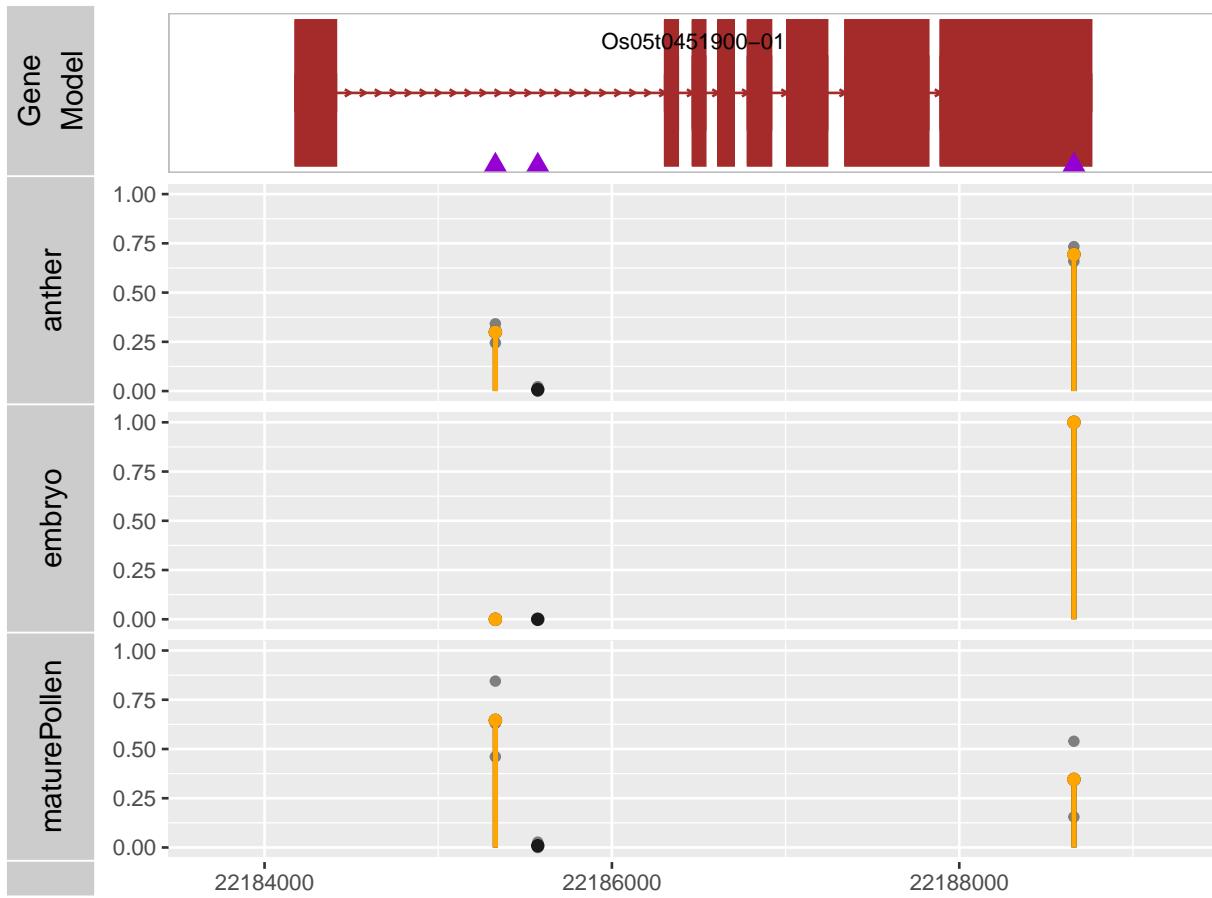
```

Plot all PACs of this gene in all conditions and replicates. Highlight PACs involving in the switching analysis in orange.

```

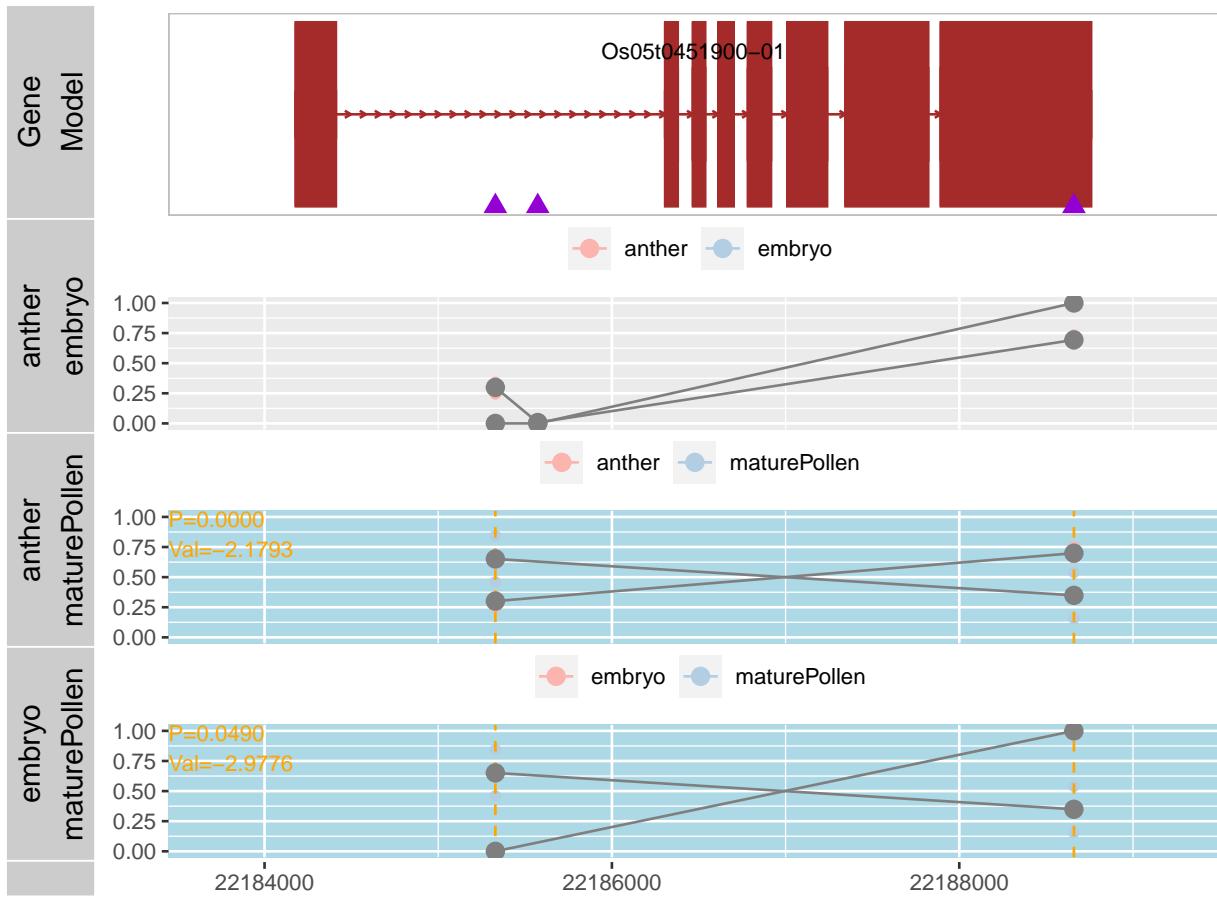
movViz(object=swDE, gene=gene, txdb=gff, PACds=PACds,
        showRatio=TRUE, padjThd=0.01, showAllPA=TRUE)

```



Show in each track a condition pair and use line to link PACs to show the trend. Highlight specific condition pair with blue background and only show PACs involving the switching analysis with a dashed line in orange. There is APA-site switching between anther and maturePollen.

```
movViz(object=swDE, gene=gene, txdb=gff, PACds=PACds, collapseCnds=TRUE,
       cnds=swDE@cnds, highlightCnds=swDE@cnds[c(2,3), ], showRatio=TRUE,
       linkPAs=TRUE, padjThd=0.01, showAllPA=FALSE)
```



## 12 Session Information

The session information records the versions of all the packages used in the generation of the present document.

```
sessionInfo()
#> R version 4.2.2 (2022-10-31 ucrt)
#> Platform: x86_64-w64-mingw32/x64 (64-bit)
#> Running under: Windows 10 x64 (build 22621)
#>
#> Matrix products: default
#>
#> locale:
#> [1] LC_COLLATE=Chinese (Simplified)_China.utf8
#> [2] LC_CTYPE=Chinese (Simplified)_China.utf8
#> [3] LC_MONETARY=Chinese (Simplified)_China.utf8
#> [4] LC_NUMERIC=C
#> [5] LC_TIME=Chinese (Simplified)_China.utf8
#>
#> attached base packages:
#> [1] grid      stats4    stats     graphics  grDevices utils     datasets
#> [8] methods   base
#>
```

```

#> other attached packages:
#> [1] DESeq2_1.38.1
#> [2] SummarizedExperiment_1.28.0
#> [3] MatrixGenerics_1.10.0
#> [4] matrixStats_0.63.0
#> [5] ComplexHeatmap_2.14.0
#> [6] dplyr_1.0.10
#> [7] magrittr_2.0.3
#> [8] BSgenome.Oryza.ENSEMBL.IRGSP1_1.4.2
#> [9] BSgenome_1.66.2
#> [10] rtracklayer_1.58.0
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#> [15] AnnotationDbi_1.60.0
#> [16] Biobase_2.58.0
#> [17] GenomicRanges_1.50.1
#> [18] GenomeInfoDb_1.34.9
#> [19] IRanges_2.32.0
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#> [23] movAPA_0.2.0
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#> [11] hwriter_1.3.2.1        data.table_1.14.6
#> [13] rpart_4.1.19            KEGGREST_1.38.0
#> [15] TFBSTools_1.36.0       RCurl_1.98-1.9
#> [17] AnnotationFilter_1.22.0 doParallel_1.0.17
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```

```

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```

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