

# Package ‘gsEasy’

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gsEasy-package

*Gene Set Enrichment Analysis in R*

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### Description

R-interface to C++ implementation of the rank/score based GSEA test described by Subramanian et al 2005.

### Details

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get\_GO\_gene\_sets

*Create list of gene sets defined by GO term annotation*

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### Description

Note, this function takes several minutes to execute.

### Usage

```
get_GO_gene_sets(GO_annotation_file,  
  GO_file = "http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/go.obo", min_genes = 15,  
  max_genes = 500, verbose = TRUE)
```

**Arguments**

GO_annotation_file	File path of annotation file, which should contain a column of genes and a column of terms. Can be downloaded from at <a href="http://geneontology.org/gene-associations/gene_association.goa_human.gz">http://geneontology.org/gene-associations/gene_association.goa_human.gz</a> .
GO_file	File path of gene ontology.
min_genes	Minimum number of genes in gene sets.
max_genes	Maximum number of genes in gene sets.
verbose	Print progress.

**Value**

List of character vectors of term IDs.

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get\_ontological\_gene\_sets

*Create list of gene sets defined by ontological annotation*

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**Description**

Create list of gene sets defined by ontological annotation

**Usage**

```
get_ontological_gene_sets(ontology, gene, term, min_genes = 1,  
  max_genes = 500)
```

**Arguments**

ontology	ontology_index object.
gene	Character vector of genes.
term	Character vector of term IDs annotated to corresponding genes.
min_genes	Minimum number of genes in gene sets.
max_genes	Maximum number of genes in gene sets.

**Value**

List of character vectors of term IDs.

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GO_gene_sets	<i>GO term gene sets</i>
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**Description**

List of gene sets annotated by each GO term

**Format**

List of character vectors of genes per GO term, and named by term ID.

**Details**

Based on gene-GO term annotations downloaded from [geneontology.org](http://geneontology.org). Only contains gene sets for terms with up to 500 genes.

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gset	<i>Gene set enrichment test</i>
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**Description**

Gene set enrichment test

**Usage**

```
gset(S, N = NULL, r = NULL, p = 1, min_its = 200, max_its = 1e+05,
     significance_threshold = 0.05, log_dismiss = -10, raw_score = FALSE)
```

**Arguments**

S	Ranks of gene set
N	Integer value. Only required if r is not specified.
r	Rank/correlation scores. If S is character, then r must be named by gene or be a character vector of the gene names in rank order (necessarily containing S).
p	Weighting of ranking/correlations, see Subramanian et. al 2005.
min_its	Minimum number of null permutations to compare.
max_its	Maximum number of null permutations to compare.
significance_threshold	Maximum p-value of significant result.
log_dismiss	Threshold log probability of returning a significant result, below which function returns current p-value.
raw_score	Logical value determining whether to return the raw value of the gene set enrichment score.

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**Value**

Numeric value - p-value of enrichment.

**Examples**

```
gset(S=1:5 * 2, N=1000)
gset(S=letters[1:3], r=letters)
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