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**Description** This package provides an interface to the 'samtools', 'bcftools', and 'tabix' utilities (see 'LI-CENCE') for manipulating SAM (Sequence Alignment / Map), binary variant call (BCF) and compressed indexed tab-delimited (tabix) files.

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Rsamtools-package 'samtools' aligned sequence utilities interface

## Description

This package provides facilities for parsing samtools BAM (binary) files representing aligned sequences.

## Details

See packageDescription(Rsamtools) for package details. A useful starting point is the scanBam manual page.

## applyPileups

## Note

This package documents the following classes for purely internal reasons, see help pages in other packages: bzfile, fifo, gzfile, pipe, unz, url.

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## References

The current source code for samtools and bcftools is from https://github.com/samtools/samtools. Additional material is at http://samtools.sourceforge.net/.

## Examples

packageDescription(Rsamtools)

applyPileups Create summary pile-up statistics across multiple BAM files.

#### Description

applyPileups scans one or more BAM files, returning position-specific sequence and quality summaries.

#### Usage

applyPileups(files, FUN, ..., param)

## Arguments

files	A PileupFiles instances.
FUN	A function of 1 argument, x, to be evaluated for each yield (see yieldSize, yieldBy, yieldAll). The argument x is a list, with elements describing the current pile-up. The elements of the list are determined by the argument what, and include:
	<b>seqnames:</b> (Always returned) A named integer() representing the seqnames corresponding to each position reported in the pile-up. This is a run-length encoding, where the names of the elements represent the seqnames, and the values the number of successive positions corresponding to that seqname.
	pos: Always returned) A integer() representing the genomic coordinate of each pile-up position.

	seq: An array of dimensions nucleotide x file x position.
	The 'nucleotide' dimension is length 5, corresponding to 'A', 'C', 'G', 'T',
	and 'N' respectively.
	Entries in the array represent the number of times the nucleotide occurred in reads in the file overlapping the position.
	<b>qual:</b> Like seq, but summarizing quality; the first dimension is the Phred- encoded quality score, ranging from '!' (0) to '~' (93).
	Additional arguments, passed to methods.
param	An instance of the object returned by PileupParam.

## Details

Regardless of param values, the algorithm follows samtools by excluding reads flagged as unmapped, secondary, duplicate, or failing quality control.

## Value

applyPileups returns a list equal in length to the number of times FUN has been called, with each element containing the result of FUN.

PileupParam returns an object describing the parameters.

## Author(s)

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#### References

http://samtools.sourceforge.net/

## See Also

PileupParam.

## Examples

## BamFile

```
h <- -colSums(p * log(p))</pre>
        ifelse(cvg == 4L, NA, h)
    })
    list(seqnames=x[["seqnames"]], pos=x[["pos"]], info=info)
}
which <- GRanges(c("seq1", "seq2"), IRanges(c(1000, 1000), 2000))</pre>
param <- PileupParam(which=which, what="seq")</pre>
res <- applyPileups(fls, calcInfo, param=param)</pre>
str(res)
head(res[[1]][["pos"]]) # positions matching param
head(res[[1]][["info"]]) # inforamtion in each file
## param as part of files
fls1 <- PileupFiles(c(fl, fl), param=param)</pre>
res1 <- applyPileups(fls1, calcInfo)</pre>
identical(res, res1)
## yield by position, across ranges
param <- PileupParam(which=which, yieldSize=500L, yieldBy="position",</pre>
                      what="seq")
res <- applyPileups(fls, calcInfo, param=param)</pre>
sapply(res, "[[", "seqnames")
```

BamFile

#### Maintain and use BAM files

#### Description

Use BamFile() to create a reference to a BAM file (and optionally its index). The reference remains open across calls to methods, avoiding costly index re-loading.

BamFileList() provides a convenient way of managing a list of BamFile instances.

#### Usage

```
## accessors; also path(), index(), yieldSize()
## S4 method for signature BamFile
isOpen(con, rw="")
## S4 method for signature BamFile
isIncomplete(con)
## S4 method for signature BamFile
obeyQname(object, ...)
obeyQname(object, ...) <- value</pre>
## S4 method for signature BamFile
asMates(object, ...)
asMates(object, ...) <- value
## actions
## S4 method for signature BamFile
scanBamHeader(files, ...)
## S4 method for signature BamFile
seginfo(x)
## S4 method for signature BamFile
filterBam(file, destination, index=file, ...,
    filter=FilterRules(), indexDestination=TRUE,
    param=ScanBamParam(what=scanBamWhat()))
## S4 method for signature BamFile
indexBam(files, ...)
## S4 method for signature BamFile
sortBam(file, destination, ..., byQname=FALSE, maxMemory=512)
## S4 method for signature BamFileList
mergeBam(files, destination, ...)
## reading
## S4 method for signature BamFile
scanBam(file, index=file, ..., param=ScanBamParam(what=scanBamWhat()))
## S4 method for signature BamFile
readGAlignmentsFromBam(file, index=file, ..., use.names=FALSE, param=NULL,
                       with.which_label=FALSE)
## S4 method for signature BamFile
readGappedReadsFromBam(file, index=file, use.names=FALSE, param=NULL,
                       with.which_label=FALSE)
## S4 method for signature BamFile
readGAlignmentPairsFromBam(file, index=file, use.names=FALSE, param=NULL,
                           with.which_label=FALSE)
## S4 method for signature BamFile
readGAlignmentsListFromBam(file, index=file, ...,
    use.names=FALSE, param=ScanBamParam(), with.which_label=FALSE)
```

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## BamFile

## counting

```
## S4 method for signature BamFile
countBam(file, index=file, ..., param=ScanBamParam())
## S4 method for signature BamFileList
countBam(file, index=file, ..., param=ScanBamParam())
## S4 method for signature BamFile
quickCountBam(file, ..., param=ScanBamParam(), mainGroupsOnly=FALSE)
## S4 method for signature BamFile
coverage(x, shift=0L, width=NULL, weight=1L, ..., param = ScanBamParam())
## S4 method for signature GRanges,BamFile
summarizeOverlaps(features, reads, mode, ignore.strand=FALSE, ...,
inter.feature=TRUE, singleEnd=TRUE, fragments=FALSE, param=ScanBamParam())
## S4 method for signature BamFile,ANY
findSpliceOverlaps(query, subject, ignore.strand=FALSE, ...,
param=ScanBamParam(), singleEnd=TRUE)
```

## Arguments

•••	Additional arguments.
	For BamFileList, this can either be a single character vector of paths to BAM files, or several instances of BamFile objects. When a character vector of paths, a second named argument 'index' can be a character() vector of length equal to the first argument specifying the paths to the index files, or character() to indicate that no index file is available. See BamFile.
	For coverage, the arguments are passed to the coverage method for GAlignments objects.
	For summarizeOverlaps, providing count.mapped.reads=TRUE include addi- tional passes through the BAM file to collect statistics like those from countBam.
con x, object, file	An instance of BamFile. e, files A character vector of BAM file paths (for BamFile) or a BamFile instance (for other methods).
index	character(1); the BAM index file path (for BamFile); ignored for all other methods on this page.
yieldSize	Number of records to yield each time the file is read from with scanBam. See 'Fields' section for details.
asMates	Logical indicating if records should be paired as mates. See 'Fields' section for details.
obeyQname	Logical indicating if the BAM file is sorted by qname. In Bioconductor > 2.12 paired-end files do not need to be sorted by qname. Instead use asMates=TRUE for reading paired-end data. See 'Fields' section for details.
value	Logical value for setting asMates and obeyQname in a BamFile instance.
filter	A FilterRules instance. Functions in the FilterRules instance should expect a single DataFrame argument representing all information specified by param.

	Each function must return a logical vector, usually of length equal to the num- ber of rows of the DataFrame. Return values are used to include (when TRUE) corresponding records in the filtered BAM file.			
destination	character(1) file path to write filtered reads to.			
indexDestinatio	n			
	logical(1) indicating whether the destination file should also be indexed.			
byQname, maxMem	nory			
	See sortBam.			
param	An optional ScanBamParam instance to further influence scanning, counting, or filtering.			
use.names	Construct the names of the returned object from the query template names (QNAME field)? If not (the default), then the returned object has no names.			
with.which_labe	1			
	See ?readGAlignmentsFromBam.			
rw	Mode of file; ignored.			
ignore.strand	A logical value indicating if strand should be considered when matching.			
shift, width, w	leight			
	See coverage.			
mainGroupsOnly	See quickCountBam.			
features, reads	s, mode, inter.feature, fragments, singleEnd See summarizeOverlaps			
query, subject	See findSpliceOverlaps			

#### **Objects from the Class**

Objects are created by calls of the form BamFile().

## Fields

The BamFile class inherits fields from the RsamtoolsFile class and has fields:

- yieldSize: Number of records to yield each time the file is read from using scanBam. Only valid when length(bamWhich(param)) == 0. Setting yieldSize on a BamFileList does not alter existing yield sizes set on the individual BamFile instances.
- **asMates:** A logical indicating if the records should be returned as mated pairs. When TRUE scan-Bam attempts to mate (pair) the records and returns two additional fields of groupid and mates. groupid is an integer vector of unique group ids; mates is a logical that is TRUE for records successfully paired by the algorithm.

Mate criteria:

- Bit 0x1 (multiple segments) is 1.
- Bit 0x4 (segment unmapped) is 0.
- Bit 0x8 (next segment unmapped) is 0.
- Bit 0x40 and 0x80 (first/last segment): Segments are a pair of first/last
- Bit 0x100 (secondary alignment): Both segments are secondary OR both not secondary

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- Bit 0x2 (properly aligned): Both segments are properly aligned
- qname match.
- tid match.
- segment1 mpos matches segment2 pos AND segment2 mpos matches segment1 pos

Records not passing these criteria are returned with mate status FALSE. Flags, tags and ranges may be specified in the ScanBamParam for fine tuning of results.

**obeyQname:** A logical(0) indicating if the file was sorted by qname. In Bioconductor > 2.12 paired-end files do not need to be sorted by qname. Instead set asMates=TRUE in the BamFile when using readGAlignmentsListFromBam.

When counting paired-end data with summarizeOverlaps, setting singleEnd=FALSE will trigger paired-end reading and counting. It is fine to also set asMates=TRUE in the BamFile but is not necessary if singleEnd=FALSE.

#### **Functions and methods**

BamFileList inherits methods from RsamtoolsFileList and SimpleList.

Opening / closing:

- **open.BamFile** Opens the (local or remote) path and index (if bamIndex is not character(0)), files. Returns a BamFile instance.
- close.BamFile Closes the BamFile con; returning (invisibly) the updated BamFile. The instance may be re-opened with open.BamFile.

**isOpen** Tests whether the BamFile con has been opened for reading.

isIncomplete Tests whether the BamFile con is niether closed nor at the end of the file.

Accessors:

path Returns a character(1) vector of BAM path names.

index Returns a character(1) vector of BAM index path names.

yieldSize, yieldSize<- Return or set an integer(1) vector indicating yield size.

**obeyQname, obeyQname<-** Return or set a logical(0) indicating if the file was sorted by qname.

**asMates, asMates<-** Return or set a logical(0) indicating if the records should be returned as mated pairs.

Methods:

- scanBamHeader Visit the path in path(file), returning the information contained in the file header; see scanBamHeader.
- **seqinfo** Visit the path in path(file), returning a Seqinfo instance containing information on the lengths of each sequence.
- **scanBam** Visit the path in path(file), returning the result of scanBam applied to the specified path.
- **countBam** Visit the path(s) in path(file), returning the result of countBam applied to the specified path.
- **filterBam** Visit the path in path(file), returning the result of filterBam applied to the specified path.

- **indexBam** Visit the path in path(file), returning the result of indexBam applied to the specified path.
- **sortBam** Visit the path in path(file), returning the result of **sortBam** applied to the specified path.
- **mergeBam** Merge several BAM files into a single BAM file. See mergeBam for details; additional arguments supported by mergeBam, character-method are also available for BamFileList.
- readGAlignmentsFromBam, readGappedReadsFromBam, readGAlignmentPairsFromBam Visit the path in path(file), returning the result of readGAlignmentsFromBam, readGappedReadsFromBam, or readGAlignmentPairsFromBam applied to the specified path. See readGAlignmentsFromBam.
- **readGAlignmentsListFromBam** Visit the Bam file in path(file), returning the result of readGAlignmentsListFromBam applied to the specified path. See readGAlignmentsListFromBam.

show Compactly display the object.

#### Author(s)

Martin Morgan and Marc Carlson

### See Also

- readGAlignmentsFromBam
- readGAlignmentPairsFromBam
- readGAlignmentsListFromBam
- summarizeOverlaps
- findSpliceOverlaps

#### Examples

```
##
## BamFile options.
##
fl <- system.file("extdata", "ex1.bam", package="Rsamtools")
bf <- BamFile(fl)
bf
## When asMates=TRUE scanBam() reads the data in as
## pairs. See asMates above for details of the pairing
## algorithm.
asMates(bf) <- TRUE
## When yieldSize is set, scanBam() will iterate
## through the file in chunks.
yieldSize(bf) <- 500
##</pre>
```

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```
##
fl <- system.file("extdata", "ex1.bam", package="Rsamtools",</pre>
                   mustWork=TRUE)
length(scanBam(fl)[[1]][[1]]) # all records
bf <- open(BamFile(fl))</pre>
                                 # implicit index
bf
identical(scanBam(bf), scanBam(fl))
close(bf)
## Use yieldSize to iterate through a file in chunks.
bf <- open(BamFile(fl, yieldSize=1000))</pre>
while (nrec <- length(scanBam(bf)[[1]][[1]]))</pre>
    cat("records:", nrec, "\n")
close(bf)
## Repeatedly visit multiple ranges in the BamFile.
rng <- GRanges(c("seq1", "seq2"), IRanges(1, c(1575, 1584)))</pre>
bf <- open(BamFile(fl))</pre>
sapply(seq_len(length(rng)), function(i, bamFile, rng) {
    param <- ScanBamParam(which=rng[i], what="seq")</pre>
    bam <- scanBam(bamFile, param=param)[[1]]</pre>
    alphabetFrequency(bam[["seq"]], baseOnly=TRUE, collapse=TRUE)
}, bf, rng)
close(bf)
```

```
## See ?summarizeOverlaps and ?findSpliceOverlaps in the
## GenomicRanges package for examples with these functions.
```

BamInput	Import, count, index, filter, sort, and merge 'BAM' (binary alignment)
	files.

## Description

Import binary 'BAM' files into a list structure, with facilities for selecting what fields and which records are imported, and other operations to manipulate BAM files.

#### Usage

```
scanBam(file, index=file, ..., param=ScanBamParam(what=scanBamWhat()))
countBam(file, index=file, ..., param=ScanBamParam())
scanBamHeader(files, ...)
## S4 method for signature character
scanBamHeader(files, ...)
```

```
asBam(file, destination, ...)
## S4 method for signature character
asBam(file, destination, ...,
   overwrite=FALSE, indexDestination=TRUE)
filterBam(file, destination, index=file, ...)
## S4 method for signature character
filterBam(file, destination, index=file, ...,
   filter=FilterRules(), indexDestination=TRUE,
   param=ScanBamParam(what=scanBamWhat()))
sortBam(file, destination, ...)
## S4 method for signature character
sortBam(file, destination, ..., byQname=FALSE, maxMemory=512)
indexBam(files, ...)
## S4 method for signature character
indexBam(files, ...)
mergeBam(files, destination, ...)
## S4 method for signature character
mergeBam(files, destination, ..., region = RangedData(),
   overwrite = FALSE, header = character(), byQname = FALSE,
   addRG = FALSE, compressLevel1 = FALSE, indexDestination = FALSE)
```

#### Arguments

file	The character(1) file name of the 'BAM' ('SAM' for asBam) file to be processed.
files	The character() file names of the 'BAM' file to be processed. For mergeBam, must satisfy length(files) >= 2.
index	The character(1) name of the index file of the 'BAM' file being processed; this is given <i>without</i> the '.bai' extension.
destination	The character(1) file name of the location where the sorted, filtered, or merged output file will be created. For asBam and sortBam this is without the ".bam" file suffix.
region	A RangedData() instance with >= 1 rows, specifying the region of the BAM files to merged.
	Additional arguments, passed to methods.
overwrite	A logical(1) indicating whether the destination can be over-written if it already exists.
filter	A FilterRules instance allowing users to filter BAM files based on arbitrary criteria, as described below.
indexDestinatio	n
	A logical(1) indicating whether the created destination file should also be indexed.

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A logical(1) indicating whether the sorted destination file should be sorted by Query-name (TRUE) or by mapping position (FALSE).
A character(1) file path for the header information to be used in the merged BAM file.
A logical(1) indicating whether the file name should be used as RG (read group) tag in the merged BAM file.
A logical(1) indicating whether the merged BAM file should be compressed to zip level 1.
A numerical(1) indicating the maximal amount of memory (in MB) that the function is allowed to use.
An instance of ${\tt ScanBamParam}.$ This influences what fields and which records are imported.

## Details

The scanBam function parses binary BAM files; text SAM files can be parsed using R's scan function, especially with arguments what to control the fields that are parsed.

countBam returns a count of records consistent with param.

scanBamHeader visits the header information in a BAM file, returning for each file a list containing elements targets and text, as described below. The SAM / BAM specification does not require that the content of the header be consistent with the content of the file, e.g., more targets may be present that are represented by reads in the file.

asBam converts 'SAM' files to 'BAM' files, equivalent to the samtools view -Sb file > destination. The 'BAM' file is sorted and an index created on the destination (with extension '.bai') when indexDestination=TRUE.

filterBam parses records in file. Records satisfying the bamWhich bamFlag and bamSimpleCigar criteria of param are accumulated to a default of yieldSize = 1000000 records (change this by specifying yieldSize when creating a BamFile instance; see BamFile-class). These records are then parsed to a DataFrame and made available for further filtering by user-supplied FilterRules. Functions in the FilterRules instance should expect a single DataFrame argument representing all information specified by param. Each function must return a logical vector equal to the number of rows of the DataFrame. Return values are used to include (when TRUE) corresponding records in the filtered BAM file. The BAM file is created at destination. An index file is created on the destination when indexDestination=TRUE. It is more space- and time-efficient to filter use bamWHich, bamFlag, and bamSimpleCigar, if appropriate, than to supply FilterRules.

sortBam sorts the BAM file given as its first argument, analogous to the "samtools sort" function.

indexBam creates an index for each BAM file specified, analogous to the 'samtools index' function.

mergeBam merges 2 or more sorted BAM files. As with samtools, the RG (read group) dictionary in the header of the BAM files is not reconstructed.

Details of the ScanBamParam class are provide on its help page; several salient points are reiterated here. ScanBamParam can contain a field what, specifying the components of the BAM records to be returned. Valid values of what are available with scanBamWhat. ScanBamParam can contain an argument which that specifies a subset of reads to return. This requires that the BAM file be indexed, and that the file be named following samtools convention as <bam\_filename>.bai. ScanBamParam can contain an contain an argument tag to specify which tags will be extracted.

Value

The scanBam, character-method returns a list of lists. The outer list groups results from each Ranges list of bamWhich(param); the outer list is of length one when bamWhich(param) has length 0. Each inner list contains elements named after scanBamWhat(); elements omitted from bamWhat(param) are removed. The content of non-null elements are as follows, taken from the description in the samtools API documentation:

- qname: This is the QNAME field in SAM Spec v1.4. The query name, i.e., identifier, associated with the read.
- flag: This is the FLAG field in SAM Spec v1.4. A numeric value summarizing details of the read. See ScanBamParam and the flag argument, and scanBamFlag().
- rname: This is the RNAME field in SAM Spec v1.4. The name of the reference to which the read is aligned.
- strand: The strand to which the read is aligned.
- pos: This is the POS field in SAM Spec v1.4. The genomic coordinate at the start of the alignment. Coordinates are 'left-most', i.e., at the 3' end of a read on the '-' strand, and 1-based. The position *excludes* clipped nucleotides, even though soft-clipped nucleotides are included in seq.
- qwidth: The width of the query, as calculated from the cigar encoding; normally equal to the width of the query returned in seq.
- mapq: This is the MAPQ field in SAM Spec v1.4. The MAPping Quality.
- cigar: This is the CIGAR field in SAM Spec v1.4. The CIGAR string.
- mrnm: This is the RNEXT field in SAM Spec v1.4. The reference to which the mate (of a paired end or mate pair read) aligns.
- mpos: This is the PNEXT field in SAM Spec v1.4. The position to which the mate aligns.
- isize: This is the TLEN field in SAM Spec v1.4. Inferred insert size for paired end alignments.
- seq: This is the SEQ field in SAM Spec v1.4. The query sequence, in the 5' to 3' orientation. If aligned to the minus strand, it is the reverse complement of the original sequence.
- qual: This is the QUAL field in SAM Spec v1.4. Phred-encoded, phred-scaled base quality score, oriented as seq.
- groupid: This is an integer vector of unique group ids returned when asMates=TRUE in a BamFile object. groupid values are used to create the partitioning for a GAlignmentsList object.
- mates: Returned (always) when asMates=TRUE in a BamFile object. This is a logical vector indicating mate status of each record.

scanBamHeader returns a list, with one element for each file named in files. The list contains two element. The targets element contains target (reference) sequence lengths. The text element is itself a list with each element a list corresponding to tags (e.g., '@SQ') found in the header, and the associated tag values.

asBam returns the file name of the BAM file.

sortBam returns the file name of the sorted file.

indexBam returns the file name of the index file created.

filterBam returns the file name of the destination file created.

## BamInput

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## References

http://samtools.sourceforge.net/

## See Also

ScanBamParam, scanBamWhat, scanBamFlag

## Examples

```
fl <- system.file("extdata", "ex1.bam", package="Rsamtools",</pre>
                   mustWork=TRUE)
##
## scanBam
##
res0 <- scanBam(fl)[[1]] # always list-of-lists</pre>
names(res0)
length(res0[["qname"]])
lapply(res0, head, 3)
table(width(res0[["seq"]])) # query widths
table(res0[["qwidth"]], useNA="always") # query widths derived from cigar
table(res0[["cigar"]], useNA="always")
table(res0[["strand"]], useNA="always")
table(res0[["flag"]], useNA="always")
which <- RangesList(seq1=IRanges(1000, 2000),</pre>
                     seq2=IRanges(c(100, 1000), c(1000, 2000)))
p1 <- ScanBamParam(which=which, what=scanBamWhat())</pre>
res1 <- scanBam(fl, param=p1)</pre>
names(res1)
names(res1[[2]])
p2 <- ScanBamParam(what=c("rname", "strand", "pos", "qwidth"))</pre>
res2 <- scanBam(f1, param=p2)</pre>
p3 <- ScanBamParam(flag=scanBamFlag(isMinusStrand=FALSE))</pre>
length(scanBam(f1, param=p3)[[1]])
##
## filterBam
##
param <- ScanBamParam(</pre>
   flag=scanBamFlag(isUnmappedQuery=FALSE),
   what="seq")
```

```
dest <- filterBam(fl, tempfile(), param=param)</pre>
countBam(dest) ## 3271 records
filt <- list(MinWidth = function(x) width(x$seq) > 35)
dest <- filterBam(fl, tempfile(), param=param, filter=FilterRules(filt))</pre>
countBam(dest) ## 398 records
res3 <- scanBam(dest, param=ScanBamParam(what="seq"))[[1]]</pre>
table(width(res3$seq))
##
## sortBam
##
sorted <- sortBam(fl, tempfile())</pre>
## map mcols(gwhich) to output, e.g., of countBam
gwhich <- as(which, "GRanges")[c(2, 1, 3)]</pre>
mcols(gwhich)[["OriginalOrder"]] <- 1:3</pre>
cnt <- countBam(fl, param=ScanBamParam(which=gwhich))</pre>
cntVals <- unlist(split(mcols(gwhich), seqnames(gwhich)))</pre>
cbind(cnt, as.data.frame(cntVals))
```

BamSampler

Sample from a BAM files

## Description

Use BamSampler() to create a reference to a BAM file (and optionally its index). Calls to scanBam (and many functions that use scanBam) draw a random sample from the BAM file.

## Usage

```
## Constructors
BamSampler(file, index = file, ..., yieldSize, obeyQname = FALSE, asMates = FALSE)
## S4 method for signature BamSampler
scanBam(file, index=file, ..., param=ScanBamParam(what=scanBamWhat()))
```

#### Arguments

file	character(1); BAM file path for BamSampler, or BamSampler index for scanBam and other functions.
index	character(1); the BAM index file path (for BamFile); ignored for other methods.
	Additional arguments; see BamFile-class.
yieldSize	integer(1); number of records to yield each time the file is read from using scanBam.

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obeyQname	logical(1); indicating whether the file is sorted by qname and if so, that qnames are not split between yields.
asMates	logical(1); indicating whether the records should be returned as mated pairs.
param	An optional ScanBamParam instance to further influence scanning, counting, or filtering.

## **Objects from the Class**

Objects are created by calls of the form BamSampler().

## Fields

The BamSampler class inherits fields from the BamFile class.

## **Functions and methods**

BamSampler inherits methods from BamFile and can be used in place of BamFile in many functions.

## Author(s)

Martin Morgan

## Examples

```
fl <- system.file("extdata", "ex1.bam", package="Rsamtools")
samp <- BamSampler(fl, yieldSize=1000)
## two independent samples
head(readGAlignmentsFromBam(samp))
head(readGAlignmentsFromBam(samp))</pre>
```

BamViews

Views into a set of BAM files

#### Description

Use BamViews() to reference a set of disk-based BAM files to be processed (e.g., queried using scanBam) as a single 'experiment'.

## Usage

```
## Constructor
BamViews(bamPaths=character(0),
    bamIndicies=bamPaths,
    bamSamples=DataFrame(row.names=make.unique(basename(bamPaths))),
    bamRanges, bamExperiment = list(), ...)
```

```
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```

```
## S4 method for signature missing
BamViews(bamPaths=character(0),
     bamIndicies=bamPaths,
     bamSamples=DataFrame(row.names=make.unique(basename(bamPaths))),
     bamRanges, bamExperiment = list(), ..., auto.range=FALSE)
## Accessors
bamPaths(x)
bamSamples(x)
bamSamples(x) <- value</pre>
bamRanges(x)
bamRanges(x) <- value</pre>
bamExperiment(x)
## S4 method for signature BamViews
names(x)
## S4 replacement method for signature BamViews
names(x) <- value</pre>
## S4 method for signature BamViews
dimnames(x)
## S4 replacement method for signature BamViews, ANY
dimnames(x) <- value
bamDirname(x, ...) <- value</pre>
## Subset
## S4 method for signature BamViews, ANY, ANY
x[i, j, ..., drop=TRUE]
## S4 method for signature BamViews,ANY,missing
x[i, j, ..., drop=TRUE]
## S4 method for signature BamViews,missing,ANY
x[i, j, ..., drop=TRUE]
## Input
## S4 method for signature BamViews
scanBam(file, index = file, ..., param = ScanBamParam(what=scanBamWhat()))
## S4 method for signature BamViews
countBam(file, index = file, ..., param = ScanBamParam())
## S4 method for signature BamViews
readGAlignmentsFromBam(file, index=file, ..., use.names=FALSE, param=NULL,
                        with.which_label=FALSE)
## Show
## S4 method for signature BamViews
show(object)
## Counting
## S4 method for signature BamViews,missing
summarizeOverlaps(
```

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```
features, reads, mode, ignore.strand=FALSE, ..., inter.feature=TRUE,
singleEnd=TRUE, fragments=FALSE, param=ScanBamParam())
```

## Arguments

bamPaths	A character() vector of BAM path names.
bamIndicies	A character() vector of BAM index file path names, <i>without</i> the '.bai' extension.
bamSamples	A DataFrame instance with as many rows as length(bamPaths), containing sample information associated with each path.
bamRanges	A GRanges, RangedData or missing instance with ranges defined on the spaces of the BAM files. Ranges are <i>not</i> validated against the BAM files.
bamExperiment	A list() containing additional information about the experiment.
auto.range	If TRUE and all bamPaths exist, populate the ranges with the union of ranges returned in the target element of scanBamHeader.
	Additional arguments.
x	An instance of BamViews.
object	An instance of BamViews.
value	An object of appropriate type to replace content.
i	During subsetting, a logical or numeric index into bamRanges.
j	During subsetting, a logical or numeric index into bamSamples and bamPaths.
drop	A logical(1), <i>ignored</i> by all BamViews subsetting methods.
file	An instance of BamViews.
index	A character vector of indices, corresponding to the bamPaths(file).
param	An optional ScanBamParam instance to further influence scanning or counting.
use.names	Construct the names of the returned object from the query template names (QNAME field)? If not (the default), then the returned object has no names.
with.which_lab	el
	See ?readGAlignmentsFromBam.
reads	Missing when a BamViews is the only argument supplied to summarizeOverlaps. reads are the files specified in bamPaths of the BamViews object.
features	A BamFileList. features are extracted from the bamRanges of the BamViews object.
	Metadata from bamPaths and bamSamples are stored in the colData slot of the SummarizedExperiment object. bamExperiment metadata are in the exptData slot.
mode	A function that defines the method to be used when a read overlaps more than one feature. Pre-defined options are "Union", "IntersectionStrict", or "Inter- sectionNotEmpty" and are designed after the counting modes available in the HTSeq package by Simon Anders (see references).
	• "Union" : (Default) Reads that overlap any portion of exactly one feature are counted. Reads that overlap multiple features are discarded.

	<ul> <li>"IntersectionStrict" : A read must fall completely "within" the feature to be counted. If a read overlaps multiple features but falls "within" only one, the read is counted for that feature. If the read is "within" multiple features, the read is discarded.</li> <li>"IntersectionNotEmpty" : A read must fall in a unique disjoint region of a feature to be counted. When a read overlaps multiple features, the features are partitioned into disjoint intervals. Regions that are shared between the features are discarded leaving only the unique disjoint regions. If the read overlaps one of these remaining regions, it is assigned to the feature the unique disjoint region came from.</li> </ul>
ignore.strand	A logical value indicating if strand should be considered when matching.
singleEnd	A logical value indicating if the bam files contain single or paired-end reads.
inter.feature	A logical indicating if the counting mode should be aware of overlapping fea- tures. When TRUE (default), reads mapping to multiple features are dropped (i.e., not counted). When FALSE, these reads are retained and a count is as- signed to each feature they map to.
	There are 6 possible combinations of the mode and inter.feature arguments. When inter.feature=FALSE the behavior of modes 'Union' and 'Intersection-NotEmpty' are the same resulting in 5 distinct ways to count.
fragments	A logical value indicating if singletons, reads with unmapped pairs and other fragments should be included in the counting. When fragments=FALSE only reads paired with the algorithm described at ?findMateAlignment are counted. When fragments=TRUE (default) all singletons, reads with unmapped pairs and other fragments are counted in addition to the reads paired with the ?findMateAlignment algorithm. This argument applies to paired-end reads only so singleEnd must be TRUE.

## **Objects from the Class**

Objects are created by calls of the form BamViews().

## Slots

bamPaths A character() vector of BAM path names.

**bamIndicies** A character() vector of BAM index path names.

- **bamSamples** A DataFrame instance with as many rows as length(bamPaths), containing sample information associated with each path.
- **bamRanges** A GRanges instance with ranges defined on the spaces of the BAM files. Ranges are *not* validated against the BAM files.

**bamExperiment** A list() containing additional information about the experiment.

## **Functions and methods**

See 'Usage' for details on invocation.

Constructor:

BamViews: Returns a BamViews object.

## BamViews

#### Accessors:

**bamPaths** Returns a character() vector of BAM path names.

- bamIndicies Returns a character() vector of BAM index path names.
- **bamSamples** Returns a DataFrame instance with as many rows as length(bamPaths), containing sample information associated with each path.
- bamSamples<- Assign a DataFrame instance with as many rows as length(bamPaths), containing sample information associated with each path.
- **bamRanges** Returns a GRanges instance with ranges defined on the spaces of the BAM files. Ranges are *not* validated against the BAM files.
- **bamRanges**<- Assign a GRanges instance with ranges defined on the spaces of the BAM files. Ranges are *not* validated against the BAM files.

bamExperiment Returns a list() containing additional information about the experiment.

**names** Return the column names of the BamViews instance; same as names(bamSamples(x)).

names<- Assign the column names of the BamViews instance.

dimnames Return the row and column names of the BamViews instance.

dimnames<- Assign the row and column names of the BamViews instance.

#### Methods:

"[" Subset the object by bamRanges or bamSamples.

- scanBam Visit each path in bamPaths(file), returning the result of scanBam applied to the specified path. bamRanges(file) takes precedence over bamWhich(param).
- **countBam** Visit each path in bamPaths(file), returning the result of countBam applied to the specified path. bamRanges(file) takes precedence over bamWhich(param).
- readGAlignmentsFromBam Visit each path in bamPaths(file), returning the result of readGAlignmentsFromBam applied to the specified path. When index is missing, it is set equal to bamIndicies(file). Only reads in bamRanges(file) are returned (if param is supplied, bamRanges(file) takes precedence over bamWhich(param)). The return value is a SimpleList, with elements of the list corresponding to each path. bamSamples(file) is available as metadata columns (accessed with mcols) of the returned SimpleList.

show Compactly display the object.

## Author(s)

Martin Morgan

## See Also

readGAlignmentsFromBam. The GenomicRanges package is where the summarizeOverlaps method originates.

## Examples

```
fls <- system.file("extdata", "ex1.bam", package="Rsamtools",</pre>
                   mustWork=TRUE)
rngs <- GRanges(seqnames = Rle(c("chr1", "chr2"), c(9, 9)),</pre>
                ranges = c(IRanges(seq(10000, 90000, 10000), width=500),
                           IRanges(seq(100000, 900000, 100000), width=5000)),
                Count = seq_len(18L))
v <- BamViews(fls, bamRanges=rngs)</pre>
ν
v[1:5,]
bamRanges(v[c(1:5, 11:15),])
bamDirname(v) <- getwd()</pre>
v
bv <- BamViews(fls,</pre>
               bamSamples=DataFrame(info="test", row.names="ex1"),
               auto.range=TRUE)
aln <- readGAlignmentsFromBam(bv)</pre>
aln
aln[[1]]
aln[colnames(bv)]
mcols(aln)
##-----
## summarizeOverlaps() with BamViews
##
## bamSamples and bamPaths metadata are included in the colData.
## bamExperiment metadata is put into the exptData slot.
fl <- system.file("extdata", "ex1.bam", package="Rsamtools", mustWork=TRUE)</pre>
rngs <- GRanges(c("seq1", "seq2"), IRanges(1, c(1575, 1584)))</pre>
samp <- DataFrame(info="test", row.names="ex1")</pre>
view <- BamViews(fl, bamSamples=samp, bamRanges=rngs)</pre>
se <- summarizeOverlaps(view, mode=Union, ignore.strand=TRUE)</pre>
colData(se)
exptData(se)
```

BcfFile

Manipulate BCF files.

#### Description

Use BcfFile() to create a reference to a BCF (and optionally its index). The reference remains open across calls to methods, avoiding costly index re-loading.

BcfFileList() provides a convenient way of managing a list of BcfFile instances.

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## **BcfFile**

## Usage

```
## Constructors
BcfFile(file, index = file,
        mode=ifelse(grepl("\\.bcf$", file), "rb", "r"))
BcfFileList(...)
## Opening / closing
## S3 method for class BcfFile
open(con, ...)
## S3 method for class BcfFile
close(con, ...)
## accessors; also path(), index()
## S4 method for signature BcfFile
isOpen(con, rw="")
bcfMode(object)
## actions
## S4 method for signature BcfFile
scanBcfHeader(file, ...)
## S4 method for signature BcfFile
scanBcf(file, ..., param=ScanBcfParam())
## S4 method for signature BcfFile
indexBcf(file, ...)
```

## Arguments

con, object	An instance of BcfFile.
file	A character(1) vector of the BCF file path or, (for indexBcf) an instance of BcfFile point to a BCF file.
index	A character(1) vector of the BCF index.
mode	A character(1) vector; mode="rb" indicates a binary (BCF) file, mode="r" a text (VCF) file.
param	An optional ScanBcfParam instance to further influence scanning.
	Additional arguments. For BcfFileList, this can either be a single character vector of paths to BCF files, or several instances of BcfFile objects.
rw	Mode of file; ignored.

## **Objects from the Class**

Objects are created by calls of the form BcfFile().

## Fields

The BcfFile class inherits fields from the RsamtoolsFile class.

#### **Functions and methods**

BcfFileList inherits methods from RsamtoolsFileList and SimpleList.

Opening / closing:

- **open.BcfFile** Opens the (local or remote) path and index (if bamIndex is not character(0)), files. Returns a BcfFile instance.
- **close.BcfFile** Closes the BcfFile con; returning (invisibly) the updated BcfFile. The instance may be re-opened with open.BcfFile.

## Accessors:

path Returns a character(1) vector of the BCF path name.

index Returns a character(1) vector of BCF index name.

**bcfMode** Returns a character(1) vector BCF mode.

## Methods:

**scanBcf** Visit the path in path(file), returning the result of scanBcf applied to the specified path. **show** Compactly display the object.

## Author(s)

Martin Morgan

## Examples

```
fl <- system.file("extdata", "ex1.bcf", package="Rsamtools",</pre>
                   mustWork=TRUE)
bf <- BcfFile(fl)</pre>
                          # implicit index
hf
identical(scanBcf(bf), scanBcf(fl))
rng <- GRanges(c("seq1", "seq2"), IRanges(1, c(1575, 1584)))</pre>
param <- ScanBcfParam(which=rng)</pre>
bcf <- scanBcf(bf, param=param) ## all ranges</pre>
## ranges one at a time bf
open(bf)
sapply(seq_len(length(rng)), function(i, bcfFile, rng) {
    param <- ScanBcfParam(which=rng)</pre>
    bcf <- scanBcf(bcfFile, param=param)[[1]]</pre>
    ## do extensive work with bcf
    isOpen(bf) ## file remains open
}, bf, rng)
```

BcfInput

#### Description

Import, coerce, or index variant call files in text or binary format.

## Usage

```
scanBcfHeader(file, ...)
## S4 method for signature character
scanBcfHeader(file, ...)
scanBcf(file, ...)
## S4 method for signature character
scanBcf(file, index = file, ..., param=ScanBcfParam())
asBcf(file, dictionary, destination, ...,
overwrite=FALSE, indexDestination=TRUE)
## S4 method for signature character
asBcf(file, dictionary, destination, ...,
overwrite=FALSE, indexDestination=TRUE)
indexBcf(file, ...)
## S4 method for signature character
```

```
## S4 method for signature character
indexBcf(file, ...)
```

## Arguments

file	For scanBcf and scanBcfHeader, the character() file name of the 'BCF' file to be processed, or an instance of class <code>BcfFile</code> .					
index	The character() file name(s) of the 'BCF' index to be processed.					
dictionary	a character vector of the unique "CHROM" names in the VCF file.					
destination	The character(1) file name of the location where the BCF output file will be created. For asBcf this is without the ".bcf" file suffix.					
param	A instance of ScanBcfParam influencing which records are parsed and the 'INFO' and 'GENO' information returned.					
	Additional arguments, e.g., for scanBcfHeader, character-method, mode of BcfFile.					
overwrite	A logical(1) indicating whether the destination can be over-written if it already exists.					
indexDestinatio	n					
	A logical(1) indicating whether the created destination file should also be indexed.					

## Details

bcf\* functions are restricted to the GENO fields supported by 'bcftools' (see documentation at the url below). The argument param allows portions of the file to be input, but requires that the file be BCF or bgzip'd and indexed as a TabixFile. For similar functions operating on VCF files see ?scanVcf in the VariantAnnotation package.

## Value

scanBcfHeader returns a list, with one element for each file named in file. Each element of the list is itself a list containing three elements. The reference element is a character() vector with names of reference sequences. The sample element is a character() vector of names of samples. The header element is a character() vector of the header lines (preceded by "##") present in the VCF file.

scanBcf returns a list, with one element per file. Each list has 9 elements, corresponding to the columns of the VCF specification: CHROM, POS, ID, REF, ALTQUAL, FILTER, INFO, FORMAT, GENO.

The GENO element is itself a list, with elements corresponding to fields supported by 'bcftools' (see documentation at the url below).

asBcf creates a binary BCF file from a text VCF file.

indexBcf creates an index into the BCF file.

#### Author(s)

Martin Morgan <mtmorgan@fhcrc.org>.

## References

http://vcftools.sourceforge.net/specs.html outlines the VCF specification.

http://samtools.sourceforge.net/mpileup.shtml contains information on the portion of the specification implemented by bcftools.

http://samtools.sourceforge.net/ provides information on samtools.

## See Also

BcfFile, TabixFile

## Examples

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Compression

## Description

These functions compress files for use in other parts of **Rsamtools**: bgzip for tabix files, razip for random-access fasta files.

## Usage

```
bgzip(file, dest=sprintf("%s.gz", file), overwrite = FALSE)
razip(file, dest=sprintf("%s.rz", file), overwrite = FALSE)
```

## Arguments

file	A character(1) path to an existing file. This file will be compressed.
dest	A character(1) path to a file. This will be the compressed file. If dest exists, then it is only over-written when overwrite=TRUE.
overwrite	A logical(1) indicating whether dest should be over-written, if it already exists.

## Value

The full path to dest.

#### Author(s)

Martin Morgan <mtmorgan@fhcrc.org>

#### References

http://samtools.sourceforge.net/

## See Also

TabixFile, FaFile.

## Examples

deprecated

## Description

Functions listed on this page are no longer supported.

## Details

For yieldTabix, use the yieldSize argument of TabixFiles.

## Author(s)

Martin Morgan <mtmorgan@fhcrc.org>.

FaFile

Manipulate indexed fasta files.

## Description

Use FaFile() to create a reference to an indexed fasta file. The reference remains open across calls to methods, avoiding costly index re-loading.

FaFileList() provides a convenient way of managing a list of FaFile instances.

## Usage

```
## Constructors
FaFile(file, ...)
FaFileList(...)
## Opening / closing
## S3 method for class FaFile
open(con, ...)
## S3 method for class FaFile
close(con, ...)
## accessors; also path(), index()
## S4 method for signature FaFile
isOpen(con, rw="")
## actions
```

## FaFile

```
## S4 method for signature FaFile
indexFa(file, ...)
## S4 method for signature FaFile
scanFaIndex(file, ...)
## S4 method for signature FaFileList
scanFaIndex(file, ..., as=c("GRangesList", "GRanges"))
## S4 method for signature FaFile
seqinfo(x)
## S4 method for signature FaFile
countFa(file, ...)
## S4 method for signature FaFile,GRanges
scanFa(file, param, ...)
## S4 method for signature FaFile,RangesList
scanFa(file, param, ...)
## S4 method for signature FaFile, RangedData
scanFa(file, param, ...)
## S4 method for signature FaFile,missing
scanFa(file, param, ...)
## S4 method for signature FaFile
getSeq(x, param, ...)
```

```
## S4 method for signature FaFileList
getSeq(x, param, ...)
```

## Arguments

con, x	An instance of FaFile or (for getSeq) FaFileList.
file	A character(1) vector of the fasta file path (for FaFile), or an instance of class FaFile or FaFileList (for scanFaIndex, getSeq).
param	An optional GRanges, RangesList, or RangedData instance to select reads (and sub-sequences) for input. See Methods, below.
	Additional arguments. For FaFileList, this can either be a single character vector of paths to BAM files, or several instances of FaFile objects.
rw	Mode of file; ignored.
as	character(1) specifying the return type, selected from specified options. When GRangesList, index information from each file is returned as an element of the list. When GRangesList, index information is collapsed across files into the unique index elements.

## **Objects from the Class**

Objects are created by calls of the form FaFile().

## Fields

The FaFile class inherits fields from the RsamtoolsFile class.

#### **Functions and methods**

FaFileList inherits methods from RsamtoolsFileList and SimpleList.

Opening / closing:

- open.FaFile Opens the (local or remote) path and index files. Returns a FaFile instance.
- **close.FaFile** Closes the FaFile con; returning (invisibly) the updated FaFile. The instance may be re-opened with open.FaFile.

Accessors:

path Returns a character(1) vector of the fasta path name.

index Returns a character(1) vector of fasta index name (minus the '.fai' extension).

Methods:

indexFa Visit the path in path(file) and create an index file (with the extension '.fai').

- scanFaIndex Read the sequence names and and widths of recorded in an indexed fasta file, returning the information as a GRanges object.
- seqinfo Consult the index file for defined sequences (seqlevels()) and lengths (seqlengths()).

countFa Return the number of records in the fasta file.

scanFa Return the sequences indicated by param as a DNAStringSet instance. seqnames(param)
selects the sequences to return; start(param) and end{param} define the (1-based) region
of the sequence to return. Values of end(param) greater than the width of the sequence are
set to the width of the sequence. When param is missing, all records are selected. When
length(param)==0 no records are selected.

getSeq Returns the sequences indicated by param from the indexed fasta file(s) of file.

For the FaFile method, the return type is a DNAStringSet. The getSeq, FaFile and scanFa, FaFile, GRanges methods differ in that getSeq will reverse complement sequences selected from the minus strand.

For the FaFileList method, the param argument must be a GRangesList of the same length as file, creating a one-to-one mapping between the ith element of file and the ith element of param; the return type is a SimpleList of DNAStringSet instances, with elements of the list in the same order as the input elements.

show Compactly display the object.

#### Author(s)

Martin Morgan

## FaInput

## Examples

FaInput

Operations on indexed 'fasta' files.

#### Description

Scan indexed fasta (or compressed fasta) files and their indicies.

#### Usage

```
indexFa(file, ...)
## S4 method for signature character
indexFa(file, ...)
scanFaIndex(file, ...)
## S4 method for signature character
scanFaIndex(file, ...)
countFa(file, ...)
## S4 method for signature character
countFa(file, ...)
scanFa(file, param, ...)
## S4 method for signature character, GRanges
scanFa(file, param, ...)
## S4 method for signature character,RangesList
scanFa(file, param, ...)
## S4 method for signature character,RangedData
scanFa(file, param, ...)
## S4 method for signature character,missing
scanFa(file, param, ...)
```

## Arguments

file	A character(1) vector containing the fasta file path.
param	An optional GRanges, RangesList, or RangedData instance to select reads (and sub-sequences) for input.
	Additional arguments, currently unused.

## Value

indexFa visits the path in file and create an index file at the same location but with extension '.fai').

scanFaIndex reads the sequence names and and widths of recorded in an indexed fasta file, returning the information as a GRanges object.

countFa returns the number of records in the fasta file.

scanFa return the sequences indicated by param as a DNAStringSet instance. seqnames(param) selects the sequences to return; start(param) and end{param} define the (1-based) region of the sequence to return. Values of end(param) greater than the width of the sequence are set to the width of the sequence. When param is missing, all records are selected. When param is GRanges(), no records are selected.

#### Author(s)

Martin Morgan <mtmorgan@fhcrc.org>.

## References

http://samtools.sourceforge.net/ provides information on samtools.

#### Examples

findMateAlignment Pairing the elements of a GAlignments object

## Description

Utilities for pairing the elements of a GAlignments object.

#### findMateAlignment

## Usage

```
findMateAlignment(x)
makeGAlignmentPairs(x, use.names=FALSE, use.mcols=FALSE)
## Related low-level utilities:
getDumpedAlignments()
countDumpedAlignments()
flushDumpedAlignments()
```

#### Arguments

x	A named GAlignments object with metadata columns flag, mrnm, and mpos. Typically obtained by loading aligned paired-end reads from a BAM file with:				
	<pre>param &lt;- ScanBamParam(what=c("flag", "mrnm", "mpos")) x &lt;- readGAlignmentsFromBam(, use.names=TRUE, param=param)</pre>				
use.names	Whether the names on the input object should be propagated to the returned object or not.				
use.mcols	Names of the metadata columns to propagate to the returned GAlignmentPairs object.				

## Details

**Pairing algorithm used by findMateAlignment:** findMateAlignment is the power horse used by higher-level functions like makeGAlignmentPairs and readGAlignmentPairsFromBam for pairing the records loaded from a BAM file containing aligned paired-end reads.

It implements the following pairing algorithm:

- First only records with flag bit 0x1 set to 1, flag bit 0x4 set to 0, and flag bit 0x8 set to 0 are candidates for pairing (see the SAM Spec for a description of flag bits and fields). findMateAlignment will ignore any other record. That is, records that correspond to single-end reads, and records that correspond to paired-end reads where one or both ends are unmapped, are discarded.
- Then the algorithm looks at the following fields and flag bits:
  - (A) QNAME
  - (B) RNAME, RNEXT
  - (C) POS, PNEXT
  - (D) Flag bits Ox10 and 0x20
  - (E) Flag bits 0x40 and 0x80
  - (F) Flag bit 0x2
  - (G) Flag bit 0x100

2 records rec(i) and rec(j) are considered mates iff all the following conditions are satisfied:

- (A) They have the same QNAME
- (B) RNEXT(i) == RNAME(j) and RNEXT(j) == RNAME(i)
- (C) PNEXT(i) == POS(j) and PNEXT(j) == POS(i)

- (D) Flag bit 0x20 of rec(i) == Flag bit 0x10 of rec(j) and Flag bit 0x20 of rec(j) == Flag bit 0x10 of rec(i)
- (E) rec(i) corresponds to the first segment in the template and rec(j) corresponds to the last segment in the template, OR, rec(j) corresponds to the first segment in the template and rec(i) corresponds to the last segment in the template
- (F) rec(i) and rec(j) have same flag bit 0x2
- (G) rec(i) and rec(j) have same flag bit 0x100

**Timing and memory requirement of the pairing algorithm:** The estimated timings and memory requirements on a modern Linux system are (those numbers may vary depending on your hardware and OS):

nb of a	lignments		tin	me	required	memc	ry
		+		+-			
8	millions		28 se	ec		1.4	GΒ
16	millions		58 se	ec		2.8	GΒ
32	millions	I	2 mi	in		5.6	GΒ
64	millions	4 mi	in 30 se	ec	1	1.2	GB

This is for a GAlignments object coming from a file with an "average nb of records per unique QNAME" of 2.04. A value of 2 (which means the file contains only primary reads) is optimal for the pairing algorithm. A greater value, say > 3, will significantly degrade its performance. An easy way to avoid this degradation is to load only primary alignments by setting the isNotPrimaryRead flag to FALSE in ScanBamParam(). See examples in ?readGAlignmentPairsFromBam for how to do this.

**Ambiguous pairing:** The above algorithm will find almost all pairs unambiguously, even when the same pair of reads maps to several places in the genome. Note that, when a given pair maps to a single place in the genome, looking at (A) is enough to pair the 2 corresponding records. The additional conditions (B), (C), (D), (E), (F), and (G), are only here to help in the situation where more than 2 records share the same QNAME. And that works most of the times. Unfortunately there are still situations where this is not enough to solve the pairing problem unambiguously. For example, here are 4 records (loaded in a GAlignments object) that cannot be paired with the above algorithm:

Showing the 4 records as a GAlignments object of length 4:

GAlignments with 4 alignments and 2 metadata columns:

	seqnames	strand		cigar	qwidth	start	end
	<rle></rle>	<rle></rle>	<char< td=""><td>acter&gt;</td><td><integer></integer></td><td><integer></integer></td><td><integer></integer></td></char<>	acter>	<integer></integer>	<integer></integer>	<integer></integer>
SRR031714.2658602	chr2R	+	21M3	84N16M	37	6983850	6984270
SRR031714.2658602	chr2R	+	21M3	84N16M	37	6983850	6984270
SRR031714.2658602	chr2R	-	13M3	872N24M	37	6983858	6984266
SRR031714.2658602	chr2R	-	13M3	878N24M	37	6983858	6984272
	width	r	ngap	mr	nm m	pos	
	<integer></integer>	<integ< td=""><td>ger&gt;  </td><td><facto< td=""><td>or&gt; <integ< td=""><td>er&gt;</td><td></td></integ<></td></facto<></td></integ<>	ger>	<facto< td=""><td>or&gt; <integ< td=""><td>er&gt;</td><td></td></integ<></td></facto<>	or> <integ< td=""><td>er&gt;</td><td></td></integ<>	er>	
SRR031714.2658602	421		1	chr	^2R 6983	858	
SRR031714.2658602	421		1	chr	^2R 6983	858	
SRR031714.2658602	409		1	chr	^2R 6983	850	
SRR031714.2658602	415		1	chr	~2R 6983	850	

Note that the BAM fields show up in the following columns:

- QNAME: the names of the GAlignments object (unnamed col)
- RNAME: the seqnames col
- POS: the start col
- RNEXT: the mrnm col
- PNEXT: the mpos col

As you can see, the aligner has aligned the same pair to the same location twice! The only difference between the 2 aligned pairs is in the CIGAR i.e. one end of the pair is aligned twice to the same location with exactly the same CIGAR while the other end of the pair is aligned twice to the same location but with slightly different CIGARs.

Now showing the corresponding flag bits:

	isPaired	isProperPai	r isUnma	appedQuery	<pre>/ hasUnmappedM</pre>	ate	isMinusStrand
[1,]	1		1	(	)	0	0
[2,]	1		1	(	)	0	0
[3,]	1		1	(	)	0	1
[4,]	1		1	(	)	0	1
	isMateMir	nusStrand is	FirstMat	teRead is	SecondMateRead	is№	NotPrimaryRead
[1,]		1		0	1		0
[2,]		1		0	1		0
[3,]		0		1	0		0
[4,]		0		1	0		0
	isNotPass	singQualityC	Controls	isDuplica	ite		
[1,]			0		0		
[2,]			0		0		
[3,]			0		0		
[4,]			0		0		

As you can see, rec(1) and rec(2) are second mates, rec(3) and rec(4) are both first mates. But looking at (A), (B), (C), (D), (E), (F), and (G), the pairs could be rec(1) <-> rec(3) and rec(2) <-> rec(4), or they could be rec(1) <-> rec(4) and rec(2) <-> rec(3). There is no way to disambiguate! So findMateAlignment is just ignoring (with a warning) those alignments with ambiguous pairing, and dumping them in a place from which they can be retrieved later (i.e. after findMateAlignment has returned) for further examination (see "Dumped alignments" subsection below for the details). In other words, alignments that cannot be paired unambiguously are not paired at all. Concretely, this means that readGAlignmentPairs is guaranteed to return a GAlignmentPairs object where every pair was formed in an non-ambiguous way. Note that, in practice, this approach doesn't seem to leave aside a lot of records because ambiguous pairing events seem pretty rare.

**Dumped alignments:** Alignments with ambiguous pairing are dumped in a place ("the dump environment") from which they can be retrieved with getDumpedAlignments() after findMateAlignment has returned.

Two additional utilities are provided for manipulation of the dumped alignments: countDumpedAlignments for counting them (a fast equivalent to length(getDumpedAlignments())), and flushDumpedAlignments to flush "the dump environment". Note that "the dump environment" is automatically flushed at the beginning of a call to findMateAlignment.

#### Value

For findMateAlignment: An integer vector of the same length as x, containing only positive or NA values, where the i-th element is interpreted as follow:

- An NA value means that no mate or more than 1 mate was found for x[i].
- A non-NA value j gives the index in x of x[i]'s mate.

For makeGAlignmentPairs: A GAlignmentPairs object where the pairs are formed internally by calling findMateAlignment on x.

For getDumpedAlignments: NULL or a GAlignments object containing the dumped alignments. See "Dumped alignments" subsection in the "Details" section above for the details.

For countDumpedAlignments: The number of dumped alignments.

Nothing for flushDumpedAlignments.

#### Author(s)

H. Pages

## See Also

GAlignments-class, GAlignmentPairs-class, readGAlignmentsFromBam, readGAlignmentPairsFromBam

## Examples

headerTabix *Retrieve sequence names defined in a tabix file.* 

#### Description

This function queries a tabix file, returning the names of the 'sequences' used as a key when creating the file.

## Usage

```
headerTabix(file, ...)
## S4 method for signature character
headerTabix(file, ...)
```
## index Tabix

### Arguments

file	A character(1) file path or TabixFile instance pointing to a 'tabix' file.
	Additional arguments, currently ignored.

## Value

A list(4) of the sequence names, column indicies used to sort the file, the number of lines skipped while indexing, and the comment character used while indexing.

## Author(s)

Martin Morgan <mtmorgan@fhcrc.org>.

## Examples

indexTabix

Compress and index tabix-compatible files.

# Description

Index (with indexTabix) files that have been sorted into ascending sequence, start and end position ordering.

# Usage

```
indexTabix(file,
    format=c("gff", "bed", "sam", "vcf", "vcf4", "psltbl"),
    seq=integer(), start=integer(), end=integer(),
    skip=0L, comment="#", zeroBased=FALSE, ...)
```

## Arguments

file	A characater(1) path to a sorted, bgzip-compressed file.
format	The format of the data in the compressed file. A characater(1) matching one of the types named in the function signature.
seq	If format is missing, then seq indicates the column in which the 'sequence' identifier (e.g., chrq) is to be found.
start	If format is missing, start indicates the column containing the start coordinate of the feature to be indexed.

end	If format is missing, end indicates the column containing the ending coordinate of the feature to be indexed.
skip	The number of lines to be skipped at the beginning of the file.
comment	A single character which, when present as the first character in a line, indicates that the line is to be omitted. from indexing.
zeroBased	A logical(1) indicating whether coordinats in the file are zero-based.
	Additional arguments.

# Value

The return value of indexTabix is an updated instance of file reflecting the newly-created index file.

### Author(s)

Martin Morgan <mtmorgan@fhcrc.org>.

## References

http://samtools.sourceforge.net/tabix.shtml

## Examples

PileupFiles Represent BAM files for pileup summaries.

## Description

Use PileupFiles() to create a reference to a BAM files (and their indicies), to be used for calculating pile-up summaries.

## Usage

```
## Constructors
PileupFiles(files, ..., param=PileupParam())
## S4 method for signature character
PileupFiles(files, ..., param=PileupParam())
## S4 method for signature list
```

## **PileupFiles**

```
PileupFiles(files, ..., param=PileupParam())
## opening / closing
## S3 method for class PileupFiles
open(con, ...)
## S3 method for class PileupFiles
close(con, ...)
## accessors; also path()
## S4 method for signature PileupFiles
isOpen(con, rw="")
plpFiles(object)
plpParam(object)
## actions
## S4 method for signature PileupFiles,missing
applyPileups(files, FUN, ..., param)
## S4 method for signature PileupFiles,PileupParam
applyPileups(files, FUN, ..., param)
```

## display
## S4 method for signature PileupFiles
show(object)

# Arguments

files	For PileupFiles, a character() or list of BamFile instances representing files to be included in the pileup. Using a list of BamFile allows indicies to be specified when these are in non-standard format. All elements of must be the same type.
	For applyPileups,PileupFiles-method, a PileupFiles instance.
	Additional arguments, currently ignored.
con, object	An instance of PileupFiles.
FUN	A function of one argument; see applyPileups.
param	An instance of PileupParam, to select which records to include in the pileup, and which summary information to return.
rw	character() indicating mode of file; not used for TabixFile.

# **Objects from the Class**

Objects are created by calls of the form PileupFiles().

## Fields

The PileupFiles class is implemented as an S4 reference class. It has the following fields:

**files** A list of BamFile instances.

param An instance of PileupParam.

## **Functions and methods**

Opening / closing:

- **open.PileupFiles** Opens the (local or remote) path and index of each file in the PileupFiles instance. Returns a PileupFiles instance.
- **close.PileupFiles** Closes each file in the PileupFiles instance; returning (invisibly) the updated PileupFiles. The instance may be re-opened with open.PileupFiles.

Accessors:

plpFiles Returns the list of the files in the PileupFiles instance.

plpParam Returns the PileupParam content of the PileupFiles instance.

### Methods:

**applyPileups** Calculate the pileup across all files in files according to criteria in param (or plpParam(files) if param is missing), invoking FUN on each range or collection of positions. See applyPileups.

show Compactly display the object.

### Author(s)

Martin Morgan

#### Examples

example(applyPileups)

PileupParam

Parameters for creating pileups from BAM files

### Description

Use PileupParam() to create a parameter object influencing what fields and which records are used to calculate pile-ups, and to influence the values returned.

#### Usage

```
# Constructor
PileupParam(flag = scanBamFlag(),
    minBaseQuality = 13L, minMapQuality = 0L,
    minDepth = 0L, maxDepth = 250L,
    yieldSize = 1L, yieldBy = c("range", "position"), yieldAll = FALSE,
    which = GRanges(), what = c("seq", "qual"))
```

# PileupParam

```
# Accessors
plpFlag(object)
plpFlag(object) <- value</pre>
plpMaxDepth(object)
plpMaxDepth(object) <- value</pre>
plpMinBaseQuality(object)
plpMinBaseQuality(object) <- value</pre>
plpMinDepth(object)
plpMinDepth(object) <- value</pre>
plpMinMapQuality(object)
plpMinMapQuality(object) <- value</pre>
plpWhat(object)
plpWhat(object) <- value</pre>
plpWhich(object)
plpWhich(object) <- value</pre>
plpYieldAll(object)
plpYieldAll(object) <- value</pre>
plpYieldBy(object)
plpYieldBy(object) <- value</pre>
plpYieldSize(object)
plpYieldSize(object) <- value</pre>
```

```
## S4 method for signature PileupParam
show(object)
```

# Arguments

flag	An instance of the object returned by scanBamFlag, restricting various aspects of reads to be included or excluded.	
minBaseQuality	The minimum read base quality below which the base is ignored when summa- rizing pileup information.	
minMapQuality	The minimum mapping quality below which the entire read is ignored.	
minDepth	The minimum depth of the pile-up below which the position is ignored.	
maxDepth	The maximum depth of reads considered at any position; this can be used to limit memory consumption.	
yieldSize	The number of records to include in each call to FUN.	
yieldBy	How records are to be counted. By range (in which case yieldSize must equal 1) means that FUN is invoked once for each range in which. By position means that FUN is invoked whenever pile-ups have been accumulated for yieldSize positions, regardless of ranges in which.	
yieldAll	Whether to report all positions (yieldAll=TRUE), or just those passing the fil- tering criteria of flag, minBaseQuality, etc. When yieldAll=TRUE, positions not passing filter criteria have '0' entries in seq or qual.	
which	A GRanges or RangesList instance restricting pileup calculations to the corresponding genomic locations.	

what	A character() instance indicating what values are to be returned. One or more of c("seq", "qual").
object	An instace of class PileupParam.
value	An instance to be assigned to the corresponding slot of the ${\tt PileupParam}$ instance.

## **Objects from the Class**

Objects are created by calls of the form PileupParam().

## Slots

Slot interpretation is as described in the 'Arguments' section.

flag Object of class integer encoding flags to be kept when they have their '0' (keep0) or '1' (keep1) bit set.

```
minBaseQuality An integer(1).
```

minMapQuality An integer(1).

minDepth An integer(1).

maxDepth An integer(1).

yieldSize An integer(1).

yieldBy An character(1).

yieldAll A logical(1).

which A GRanges or RangesList instance.

what A character().

## **Functions and methods**

See 'Usage' for details on invocation. Constructor:

PileupParam: Returns a PileupParam object.

Accessors: get or set corresponding slot values; for setters, value is coerced to the type of the corresponding slot.

plpFlag, plpFlag<- Returns or sets the named integer vector of flags; see scanBamFlag.

- **plpMinBaseQuality, plpMinBaseQuality**<- Returns or sets an integer(1) vector of miminum base qualities.
- plpMinMapQuality, plpMinMapQuality<- Returns or sets an integer(1) vector of miminum map qualities.

plpMinDepth, plpMinDepth<- Returns or sets an integer(1) vector of miminum pileup depth.

**plpMaxDepth**, **plpMaxDepth**<- Returns or sets an integer(1) vector of the maximum depth to which pileups are calculated.

plpYieldSize, plpYieldSize<- Returns or sets an integer(1) vector of yield size.</pre>

- **plpYieldBy, plpYieldBy<-** Returns or sets an character(1) vector determining how pileups will be returned.
- **plpYieldAll, plpYieldAll-** Returns or sets an logical(1) vector indicating whether all positions, or just those satisfying pileup positions, are to be returned.
- **plpWhich, plpWhich<-** Returns or sets the object influencing which locations pileups are calculated over.
- **plpWhat, plpWhat**<- Returns or sets the character vector describing what summaries are returned by pileup.

Methods:

show Compactly display the object.

### Author(s)

Martin Morgan

### See Also

applyPileups.

### Examples

example(applyPileups)

quickCountBam	Group the records of a BAM file based on their flag bits and count the
	number of records in each group

# Description

quickCountBam groups the records of a BAM file based on their flag bits and counts the number of records in each group.

#### Usage

```
quickCountBam(file, ..., param=ScanBamParam(), mainGroupsOnly=FALSE)
## S4 method for signature character
quickCountBam(file, index=file, ..., param=ScanBamParam(),
    mainGroupsOnly=FALSE)
## S4 method for signature list
quickCountBam(file, ..., param=ScanBamParam(), mainGroupsOnly=FALSE)
```

## Arguments

file, index	For the character method, the path to the BAM file to read, and to the index file of the BAM file to read, respectively.
	For the list() method, file is a named list with elements "qname" and "flag" with content as from scanBam.
	Additional arguments, perhaps used by methods.
param	An instance of ScanBamParam. This determines which records are considered in the counting.
mainGroupsOnly	If TRUE, then the counting is performed for the main groups only.

## Value

Nothing is returned. A summary of the counts is printed to the console unless redirected by sink.

## Author(s)

H. Pages

# References

http://samtools.sourceforge.net/

## See Also

scanBam, ScanBamParam.

BamFile for a method for that class.

## Examples

readGAlignmentsFromBam

Reading a GAlignments, GappedReads, GAlignmentPairs, or GAlignmentsList object from a BAM file

## Description

Read a GAlignments, GappedReads, GAlignmentPairs, or GAlignmentsList object from a BAM file.

## Usage

# Arguments

file, inde	The path to the BAM file to read, and to the index file of the BAM file to read, respectively. The latter is given <i>without</i> the '.bai' extension. See scanBam for more information.
	Arguments passed to other methods.
use.names	Use the query template names (QNAME field) as the names of the returned object? If not (the default), then the returned object has no names.
param	NULL or an instance of ScanBamParam. Like for scanBam, this influences what fields and which records are imported. However, note that the fields specified thru this ScanBamParam object will be loaded <i>in addition</i> to any field required for generating the returned object (GAlignments, GappedReads, or GAlignment-Pairs object), but only the fields requested by the user will actually be kept as metadata columns of the object.
	By default (i.e. param=NULL or param=ScanBamParam()), no additional field is loaded. The flag used is scanBamFlag(isUnmappedQuery=FALSE) for readGAlignmentsFromBam, readGappedReadsFromBam and readGAlignmentsListFromBam (i.e. only records corresponding to mapped reads are loaded), and scanBamFlag(isUnmappedQuery=FALSE, isPaired=TR for readGAlignmentPairsFromBam (i.e. only records corresponding to paired- end reads with both ends mapped are loaded).
with.which	_label
	TRUE or FALSE (the default). If TRUE and if param has a which component, a "which_label" metadata column is added to the returned GAlignments or GappedReads object, or to the first and last components of the returned GAlignmentPairs object. In the case of readGAlignmentsListFromBam, it's added as an <i>inner</i> metadata column, that is, the metadata column is placed on the GAlignments object obtained by unlisting the returned GAlignmentsList ob- ject.
	The purpose of this metadata column is to unambiguously identify the range in which where each element in the returned object originates from. The labels used to identify the ranges are normally of the form "seq1:12250-246500", that is, they're the same as the names found on the outer list that scanBam would return if called with the same param argument. If some ranges are duplicated,

then the labels are made unique by appending a unique suffix to all of them. The "which\_label" metadata column is represented as a factor-Rle.

## Details

See ?GAlignments-class for a description of GAlignments objects.

See ?GappedReads-class for a description of GappedReads objects.

readGAlignmentPairsFromBam proceeds in 2 steps:

- 1. Load the BAM file into a GAlignments object with readGAlignmentsFromBam;
- 2. Turn this GAlignments object into a GAlignmentPairs object by pairing its elements.

See ?GAlignmentPairs-class for a description of GAlignmentPairs objects, and ?findMateAlignment for a description of the pairing algorithm (including timing and memory requirement).

readGAlignmentsListFromBam pairs records into 'mates' acording to the criteria below. A GAlignmentsList is returned with a 'mates' metadata column which indicates mate status. The mates are returned first followed by non-mates. When the 'file' argument is a BamFile, 'asMates=TRUE' must be set, otherwise the data are treated as single-end reads. See the 'asMates' section of 'BamFile for details.

Mate criteria:

- Bit 0x1 (multiple segments) is 1.
- Bit 0x4 (segment unmapped) is 0.
- Bit 0x8 (next segment unmapped) is 0.
- Bit 0x40 and 0x80 (first/last segment): Segments are a pair of first/last OR neither segment is marked first/last.
- Bit 0x100 (secondary alignment): Both segments are secondary OR both not secondary
- Bit 0x2 (properly aligned): Both segments are properly aligned
- 'qname' match.
- 'tid' match.
- segment1 'mpos' matches segment2 'pos' AND segment2 'mpos' matches segment1 'pos'

Records not passing these criteria are returned with mate status FALSE. Flags, tags and ranges may be specified in the ScanBamParam for fine tuning of results.

See ?GAlignmentsList-class for a description of GAlignmentsList objects.

### Value

A GAlignments object for readGAlignmentsFromBam.

A GappedReads object for readGappedReadsFromBam.

A GAlignmentPairs object for readGAlignmentPairsFromBam. Note that a BAM (or SAM) file can in theory contain a mix of single-end and paired-end reads, but in practise it seems that single-end and paired-end are not mixed. In other words, the value of flag bit 0x1 (isPaired) is the same for all the records in a file. So if readGAlignmentPairsFromBam returns a GAlignmentPairs object of length zero, this almost certainly means that the BAM (or SAM) file contains alignments for single-end reads (although it could also mean that the user-supplied ScanBamParam is filtering out everything, or that the file is empty, or that all the records in the file correspond to unmapped reads).

A GAlignmentsList object for readGAlignmentsListFromBam.

### Note

BAM records corresponding to unmapped reads are always ignored.

Starting with Rsamtools 1.7.1 (BioC 2.10), PCR or optical duplicates are loaded by default (use scanBamFlag(isDuplicate=FALSE) to drop them).

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## See Also

GAlignments-class, GAlignmentsList-class, GappedReads-class, GAlignmentPairs-class, findMateAlignment, scanBam, ScanBamParam

### Examples

```
## A. readGAlignmentsFromBam()
## -----
## Simple use:
bamfile <- system.file("extdata", "ex1.bam", package="Rsamtools",</pre>
                     mustWork=TRUE)
gal1 <- readGAlignmentsFromBam(bamfile)</pre>
gal1
names(gal1)
## Using the use.names arg:
gal2 <- readGAlignmentsFromBam(bamfile, use.names=TRUE)</pre>
gal2
head(names(gal2))
## Using the param arg to drop PCR or optical duplicates as well as
## secondary alignments, and to load additional BAM fields:
param <- ScanBamParam(flag=scanBamFlag(isDuplicate=FALSE,</pre>
                                    isNotPrimaryRead=FALSE),
                    what=c("qual", "flag"))
gal3 <- readGAlignmentsFromBam(bamfile, param=param)</pre>
gal3
mcols(gal3)
## Using the param arg to load reads from particular regions.
## Note that if we werent providing a what argument here, all the
## BAM fields would be loaded:
which <- RangesList(seq1=IRanges(1000, 2000),</pre>
                  seq2=IRanges(c(100, 1000), c(1000, 2000)))
param <- ScanBamParam(which=which)</pre>
gal4 <- readGAlignmentsFromBam(bamfile, param=param)</pre>
gal4
```

## Note that a given record is loaded one time for each region it

```
## belongs to (this is a scanBam() feature, readGAlignmentsFromBam()
## is based on scanBam()):
which <- IRangesList(seq2=IRanges(c(1563, 1567), width=1))</pre>
param <- ScanBamParam(which=which)</pre>
gal5 <- readGAlignmentsFromBam(bamfile, param=param)</pre>
gal5
## Use with.which_label=TRUE to identify the range in which
## where each element in gal5 originates from.
gal5 <- readGAlignmentsFromBam(bamfile, param=param,</pre>
                          with.which_label=TRUE)
gal5
## Using the param arg to load tags. Except for MF and Aq, the tags
## specified below are predefined tags (see the SAM Spec for the list
## of predefined tags and their meaning).
param <- ScanBamParam(tag=c("MF", "Aq", "NM", "UQ", "H0", "H1"),</pre>
                  what="isize")
gal6 <- readGAlignmentsFromBam(bamfile, param=param)</pre>
mcols(gal6) # "tag" cols always after "what" cols
## B. readGappedReadsFromBam()
## -------
greads1 <- readGappedReadsFromBam(bamfile)</pre>
greads1
names(greads1)
qseq(greads1)
greads2 <- readGappedReadsFromBam(bamfile, use.names=TRUE)</pre>
head(greads2)
head(names(greads2))
## -------
## C. readGAlignmentPairsFromBam()
## -----
galp1 <- readGAlignmentPairsFromBam(bamfile)</pre>
head(galp1)
names(galp1)
## Using the param arg to drop PCR or optical duplicates as well as
## secondary alignments (dropping secondary alignments can help make the
## pairing algorithm run significantly faster, see ?findMateAlignment):
param <- ScanBamParam(flag=scanBamFlag(isDuplicate=FALSE,</pre>
                                 isNotPrimaryRead=FALSE))
galp2 <- readGAlignmentPairsFromBam(bamfile, use.names=TRUE, param=param)</pre>
galp2
head(galp2)
head(names(galp2))
## D. readGAlignmentsListFromBam()
## -----
```

library(pasillaBamSubset)

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## readPileup

```
## file as character.
fl <- untreated3_chr4()</pre>
galist1 <- readGAlignmentsListFromBam(fl)</pre>
galist1[1:3]
length(galist1)
table(elementLengths(galist1))
## When file is a BamFile, asMates must be TRUE. If FALSE,
## the data are treated as single-end and each list element of the
## GAlignmentsList will be of length 1. For single-end data
## use readGAlignments().
bf <- BamFile(fl, yieldSize=3, asMates=TRUE)</pre>
readGAlignmentsList(bf)
## Use a param to fine tune the results.
param <- ScanBamParam(flag=scanBamFlag(isProperPair=TRUE))</pre>
galist2 <- readGAlignmentsListFromBam(fl, param=param)</pre>
length(galist2)
```

```
readPileup
```

Import samtools 'pileup' files.

#### Description

Import files created by evaluation of samtools' pileup -cv command.

### Usage

```
readPileup(file, ...)
## S4 method for signature connection
readPileup(file, ..., variant=c("SNP", "indel", "all"))
```

### Arguments

file	The file name, or connection, of the pileup output file to be parsed.
	Additional arguments, passed to methods. For instance, specify variant for the readPileup, character-method.
variant	Type of variant to parse; select one.

#### Value

readPileup returns a GRanges object.

The value returned by variant="SNP" or variant="all" contains:

space: The chromosome names (fastq ids) of the reference sequence

position: The nucleotide position (base 1) of the variant.

referenceBase: The nucleotide in the reference sequence.

consensusBase; The consensus nucleotide, as determined by samtools pileup.

consensusQuality: The phred-scaled consensus quality.

**snpQuality:** The phred-scaled SNP quality (probability of the consensus being identical to the reference).

maxMappingQuality: The root mean square mapping quality of reads overlapping the site.

coverage: The number of reads covering the site.

The value returned by variant="indel" contains space, position, reference, consensus, consensusQuality, snpQuality, maxMappingQuality, and coverage fields, and:

alleleOne, alleleTwo The first (typically, in the reference sequence) and second allelic variants.

alleleOneSupport, alleleTwoSupport The number of reads supporting each allele.

additionalIndels The number of additional indels present.

#### Author(s)

Sean Davis

# References

http://samtools.sourceforge.net/

## Examples

## End(Not run)

RsamtoolsFile

# Description

RsamtoolsFile is a base class for managing file references in **Rsamtools**; it is not intended for direct use by users – see, e.g., BamFile.

### Usage

```
## accessors
index(object)
## S4 method for signature RsamtoolsFile
path(object, ...)
## S4 method for signature RsamtoolsFile
isOpen(con, rw="")
## S4 method for signature RsamtoolsFile
yieldSize(object, ...)
yieldSize(object, ...) <- value
## S4 method for signature RsamtoolsFile
show(object)
```

### Arguments

con, object	An instance of a class derived from RsamtoolsFile.
rw	Mode of file; ignored.
	Additional arguments, unused.
value	Replacement value.

## **Objects from the Class**

Users do not directly create instances of this class; see, e.g., BamFile-class.

#### Fields

The RsamtoolsFile class is implemented as an S4 reference class. It has the following fields:

**.extptr** An externalptr initialized to an internal structure with opened bam file and bam index pointers.

**path** A character(1) vector of the file name.

**index** A character(1) vector of the index file name.

yieldSize An integer(1) vector of the number of records to yield.

### **Functions and methods**

#### Accessors:

**path** Returns a character(1) vector of path names.

**index** Returns a character(1) vector of index path names.

yieldSize, yieldSize<- Return or set an integer(1) vector indicating yield size.

Methods:

isOpen Report whether the file is currently open.

show Compactly display the object.

## Author(s)

Martin Morgan

RsamtoolsFileList *A base class for managing lists of Rsamtools file references* 

## Description

RsamtoolsFileList is a base class for managing lists of file references in **Rsamtools**; it is not intended for direct use – see, e.g., BamFileList.

## Usage

```
## S4 method for signature RsamtoolsFileList
path(object, ...)
## S4 method for signature RsamtoolsFileList
isOpen(con, rw="")
## S3 method for class RsamtoolsFileList
open(con, ...)
## S3 method for class RsamtoolsFileList
close(con, ...)
## S4 method for signature RsamtoolsFileList
names(x)
## S4 method for signature RsamtoolsFileList
yieldSize(object, ...)
```

### Arguments

con,	object,	Х	An instance of a class derived from RsamtoolsFileList.
rw			Mode of file; ignored.
•••			Additional arguments.

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## **Objects from the Class**

Users do not directly create instances of this class; see, e.g., BamFileList-class.

### **Functions and methods**

This class inherits functions and methods for subseting, updating, and display from the SimpleList class.

Methods:

isOpen: Report whether each file in the list is currently open.

open: Attempt to open each file in the list.

close: Attempt to close each file in the list.

**names:** Names of each element of the list or, if names are NULL, the basename of the path of each element.

### Author(s)

Martin Morgan

ScanBamParam

Parameters for scanning BAM files

### Description

Use ScanBamParam() to create a parameter object influencing what fields and which records are imported from a (binary) BAM file. Use of which requires that a BAM index file (<filename>.bai) exists.

# Usage

```
# Constructor
ScanBamParam(flag = scanBamFlag(), simpleCigar = FALSE,
    reverseComplement = FALSE, tag = character(0),
    what = character(0), which)
# Constructor helpers
scanBamFlag(isPaired = NA, isProperPair = NA, isUnmappedQuery = NA,
    hasUnmappedMate = NA, isMinusStrand = NA, isMateMinusStrand = NA,
    isFirstMateRead = NA, isSecondMateRead = NA, isNotPrimaryRead = NA,
    isSotPassingQualityControls = NA, isDuplicate = NA,
    isValidVendorRead = NA)
scanBamWhat()
```

# Accessors

```
bamFlag(object, asInteger=FALSE)
bamFlag(object) <- value
bamReverseComplement(object)
bamSimpleCigar(object)
bamSimpleCigar(object) <- value
bamTag(object)
bamTag(object) <- value
bamWhat(object)
bamWhat(object) <- value
bamWhich(object) <- value</pre>
```

```
## S4 method for signature ScanBamParam
show(object)
```

```
# Flag utils
bamFlagAsBitMatrix(flag, bitnames=FLAG_BITNAMES)
bamFlagAND(flag1, flag2)
bamFlagTest(flag, value)
```

# Arguments

flag	For ScanBamParam, an integer(2) vector used to filter reads based on their 'flag' entry. This is most easily created with the scanBamFlag() helper function.
	For bamFlagAsBitMatrix, bamFlagTest an integer vector where each element represents a 'flag' entry.
simpleCigar	A logical(1) vector which, when TRUE, returns only those reads for which the cigar (run-length encoded representation of the alignment) is missing or contains only matches / mismatches (M).
reverseCompleme	ent
	A logical(1) vectors. BAM files store reads mapping to the minus strand as though they are on the plus strand. Rsamtools obeys this convention by default (reverseComplement=FALSE), but when this value is set to TRUE returns the sequence and quality scores of reads mapped to the minus strand in the reverse complement (sequence) and reverse (quality) of the read as stored in the BAM file. This might be useful if wishing to recover read and quality scores as represented in fastq files, but is NOT appropriate for variant calling or other alignment-based operations.
tag	A character vector naming tags to be extracted. A tag is an optional field, with arbitrary information, stored with each record. Tags are identified by two-letter codes, so all elements of tag must have exactly 2 characters.
what	A character vector naming the fields to return scanBamWhat() returns a vector of available fields. Fields are described on the scanBam help page.
which	A GRanges, RangesList, RangedData, or missing object, from which a IRangesList instance will be constructed. Names of the IRangesList correspond to reference sequences, and ranges to the regions on that reference sequence for which

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	matches are desired. Because data types are coerced to IRangesList, which does <i>not</i> include strand information (use the flag argument instead). Only records with a read overlapping the specified ranges are returned. All ranges must have ends less than or equal to 536870912.
isPaired	A logical(1) indicating whether unpaired (FALSE), paired (TRUE), or any (NA) read should be returned.
isProperPair	A logical(1) indicating whether improperly paired (FALSE), properly paired (TRUE), or any (NA) read should be returned. A properly paired read is defined by the alignment algorithm and might, e.g., represent reads aligning to identical reference sequences and with a specified distance.
isUnmappedQuery	y .
	A logical(1) indicating whether unmapped (TRUE), mapped (FALSE), or any (NA) read should be returned.
hasUnmappedMate	2
	A logical(1) indicating whether reads with mapped (FALSE), unmapped (TRUE), or any (NA) mate should be returned.
isMinusStrand	A logical(1) indicating whether reads aligned to the plus (FALSE), minus (TRUE), or any (NA) strand should be returned.
isMateMinusStra	and
	A logical(1) indicating whether mate reads aligned to the plus (FALSE), minus (TRUE), or any (NA) strand should be returned.
isFirstMateRead	d
	A logical(1) indicating whether the first mate read should be returned (TRUE) or not (FALSE), or whether mate read number should be ignored (NA).
isSecondMateRea	ad
	A logical(1) indicating whether the second mate read should be returned (TRUE) or not (FALSE), or whether mate read number should be ignored (NA).
isNotPrimaryRea	
	A logical(1) indicating whether alignments that are primary (FALSE), are not primary (TRUE) or whose primary status does not matter (NA) should be re- turned. A non-primary alignment ("secondary alignment" in the SAM specifi- cation) might result when a read aligns to multiple locations. One alignment is designated as primary and has this flag set to FALSE; the remainder, for which this flag is TRUE, are designated by the aligner as secondary.
isNotPassingQua	alityControls
	A logical(1) indicating whether reads passing quality controls (FALSE), reads not passing quality controls (TRUE), or any (NA) read should be returned.
isValidVendorRe	ead
	Deprecated; use isNotPassingQualityControls.
isDuplicate	A logical(1) indicating that un-duplicated (FALSE), duplicated (TRUE), or any (NA) reads should be returned. 'Duplicated' reads may represent PCR or optical duplicates.
object	An instance of class ScanBamParam.
value	An instance of the corresponding slot, to be assigned to object or, for bamFlagTest, a character(1) name of the flag to test, e.g., "isUnmappedQuery", from the arguments to scanBamFlag.

asInteger	logical(1) indicating whether 'flag' should be returned as an encoded integer vector (TRUE) or human-readable form (FALSE).
bitnames	Names of the flag bits to extract. Will be the colnames of the returned matrix.
flag1, flag2	Integer vectors containing 'flag' entries.

# **Objects from the Class**

Objects are created by calls of the form ScanBamParam().

# Slots

- flag Object of class integer encoding flags to be kept when they have their '0' (keep0) or '1' (keep1) bit set.
- simpleCigar Object of class logical indicating, when TRUE, that only 'simple' cigars (empty or 'M') are returned.
- reverseComplement Object of class logical indicating, when TRUE, that reads on the minus strand are to be reverse complemented (sequence) and reversed (quality).
- tag Object of class character indicating what tags are to be returned.
- what Object of class character indicating what fields are to be returned.
- which Object of class RangesList indicating which reference sequence and coordinate reads must overlap.

## **Functions and methods**

See 'Usage' for details on invocation.

Constructor:

**ScanBamParam:** Returns a ScanBamParam object. The which argument to the constructor can be one of several different types, as documented above.

Accessors:

**bamTag**, **bamTag**<- Returns or sets a character vector of tags to be extracted.

**bamWhat**, **bamWhat**<- Returns or sets a character vector of fields to be extracted.

- **bamWhich, bamWhich<-** Returns or sets a RangesList of bounds on reads to be extracted. A length 0 RangesList represents all reads.
- **bamFlag, bamFlag-** Returns or sets an integer(2) representation of reads flagged to be kept or excluded.
- **bamSimpleCigar, bamSimpleCigar<-** Returns or sets a logical(1) vector indicating whether reads without indels or clipping be kept.
- bamReverseComplement, bamReverseComplement<- Returns or sets a logical(1) vector indicating whether reads on the minus strand will be returned with sequence reverse complemented and quality reversed.

### Methods:

show Compactly display the object.

## Author(s)

Martin Morgan

### See Also

scanBam

## Examples

```
## defaults
p0 <- ScanBamParam()</pre>
## subset of reads based on genomic coordinates
which <- RangesList(seq1=IRanges(1000, 2000),</pre>
                      seq2=IRanges(c(100, 1000), c(1000, 2000)))
p1 <- ScanBamParam(which=which)</pre>
## subset of reads based on flag value
p2 <- ScanBamParam(flag=scanBamFlag(isMinusStrand=FALSE))</pre>
## subset of fields
p3 <- ScanBamParam(what=c("rname", "strand", "pos", "qwidth"))</pre>
## use
fl <- system.file("extdata", "ex1.bam", package="Rsamtools",</pre>
                   mustWork=TRUE)
res <- scanBam(f1, param=p2)[[1]]</pre>
lapply(res, head)
## tags; NM: edit distance; H1: 1-difference hits
p4 <- ScanBamParam(tag=c("NM", "H1"), what="flag")</pre>
bam4 <- scanBam(fl, param=p4)</pre>
str(bam4[[1]][["tag"]])
## flag utils
flag <- scanBamFlag(isUnmappedQuery=FALSE, isMinusStrand=TRUE)</pre>
flag
bamFlagAsBitMatrix(flag)
flag4 <- bam4[[1]][["flag"]]</pre>
bamFlagAsBitMatrix(flag4[1:9], bitnames=c("isUnmappedQuery", "isMinusStrand"))
```

ScanBcfParam-class Parameters for scanning BCF files

#### Description

Use ScanBcfParam() to create a parameter object influencing the 'INFO' and 'GENO' fields parsed, and which sample records are imported from a BCF file. Use of which requires that a BCF index file (<filename>.bci) exists.

## Usage

```
ScanBcfParam(fixed=character(), info=character(), geno=character(),
             samples=character(), trimEmpty=TRUE, which, ...)
## S4 method for signature missing
ScanBcfParam(fixed=character(), info=character(), geno=character(),
             samples=character(), trimEmpty=TRUE, which, ...)
## S4 method for signature RangesList
ScanBcfParam(fixed=character(), info=character(), geno=character(),
             samples=character(), trimEmpty=TRUE, which, ...)
## S4 method for signature RangedData
ScanBcfParam(fixed=character(), info=character(), geno=character(),
             samples=character(), trimEmpty=TRUE, which, ...)
## S4 method for signature GRanges
ScanBcfParam(fixed=character(), info=character(), geno=character(),
             samples=character(), trimEmpty=TRUE, which, ...)
## S4 method for signature GRangesList
ScanBcfParam(fixed=character(), info=character(), geno=character(),
             samples=character(), trimEmpty=TRUE, which, ...)
## Accessors
bcfFixed(object)
```

bcfFlxed(object) bcfInfo(object) bcfGeno(object) bcfSamples(object) bcfTrimEmpty(object) bcfWhich(object)

### Arguments

fixed	A logical(1) for use with ScanVcfParam only.
info	A character() vector of 'INFO' fields (see scanVcfHeader) to be returned.
geno	A character() vector of 'GENO' fields (see scanVcfHeader) to be returned. character(0) returns all fields, NA_character_ returns none.
samples	A character() vector of sample names (see scanVcfHeader) to be returned. character(0) returns all fields, NA_character_ returns none.
trimEmpty	A logical(1) indicating whether 'GENO' fields with no values should be re- turned.
which	An object, for which a method is defined (see usage, above), describing the sequences and ranges to be queried. Variants whose POS lies in the interval(s) [start, end) are returned.
object	An instance of class ScanBcfParam.
	Arguments used internally.

## **Objects from the Class**

Objects can be created by calls of the form ScanBcfParam().

### Slots

which: Object of class "RangesList" indicating which reference sequence and coordinate variants must overlap.

info: Object of class "character" indicating portions of 'INFO' to be returned.

geno: Object of class "character" indicating portions of 'GENO' to be returned.

samples: Object of class "character" indicating the samples to be returned.

trimEmpty: Object of class "logical" indicating whether empty 'GENO' fields are to be returned.

fixed: Object of class "character". For use with ScanVcfParam only.

## **Functions and methods**

See 'Usage' for details on invocation.

Constructor:

**ScanBcfParam:** Returns a ScanBcfParam object. The which argument to the constructor can be one of several types, as documented above.

Accessors:

bcfInfo, bcfGeno, bcfTrimEmpty, bcfWhich: Return the corresponding field from object.

Methods:

show Compactly display the object.

#### Author(s)

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## See Also

scanVcf ScanVcfParam

## Examples

## see ?ScanVcfParam examples

seqnamesTabix

### Description

This function queries a tabix file, returning the names of the 'sequences' used as a key when creating the file.

# Usage

```
seqnamesTabix(file, ...)
## S4 method for signature character
seqnamesTabix(file, ...)
```

### Arguments

file	A character(1) file path or TabixFile instance pointing to a 'tabix' file.
	Additional arguments, currently ignored.

## Value

A character() vector of sequence names present in the file.

### Author(s)

Martin Morgan <mtmorgan@fhcrc.org>.

#### Examples

sequenceLayer Lay read sequences alongside the reference space, using their CIGARs

#### Description

sequenceLayer can lay strings that belong to a given space (e.g. the "query" space) alongside another space (e.g. the "reference" space) by removing/injecting substrings from/into them, using the supplied CIGARs.

Its primary use case is to lay the read sequences stored in a BAM file (which are considered to belong to the "query" space) alongside the "reference" space. It can also be used to remove the parts of the read sequences that correspond to soft-clipping. More generally it can lay strings that belong to any supported space alongside any other supported space. See the Details section below for the list of supported spaces.

### sequenceLayer

#### Usage

```
sequenceLayer(x, cigar, from="query", to="reference",
D.letter="-", N.letter="-",
I.letter="-", S.letter="+", H.letter="+")
```

## Arguments

х	An XStringSet object containing strings that belong to a given space.
cigar	A character vector or factor of the same length as x containing the extended CIGAR strings (one per element in x).
from, to	A single string specifying one of the 8 supported spaces listed in the Details section below. from must be the current space (i.e. the space the strings in x belong to) and to is the space alonside which to lay the strings in x.
D.letter, N.let	ter, I.letter, S.letter, H.letter A single letter used as a filler for injections. More on this in the Details section below.

### Details

The 8 supported spaces are: "reference", "reference-N-regions-removed", "query", "query-before-hard-clipping "query-after-soft-clipping", "pairwise", "pairwise-N-regions-removed", and "pairwise-dense".

Each space can be characterized by the extended CIGAR operations that are *visible* in it. A CIGAR operation is said to be *visible* in a given space if it "runs along it", that is, if it's associated with a block of contiguous positions in that space (the size of the block being the length of the operation). For example, the M/=/X operations are *visible* in all spaces, the D/N operations are *visible* in the "reference" space but not in the "query" space, the S operation is *visible* in the "query" space but not in the "query-after-soft-clipping" space, etc...

Here are the extended CIGAR operations that are visible in each space:

- 1. reference: M, D, N, =, X
- 2. reference-N-regions-removed: M, D, =, X
- 3. query: M, I, S, =, X
- 4. query-before-hard-clipping: M, I, S, H, =, X
- 5. query-after-soft-clipping: M, I, =, X
- 6. pairwise: M, I, D, N, =, X
- 7. pairwise-N-regions-removed: M, I, D, =, X
- 8. pairwise-dense: M, =, X

sequenceLayer lays a string that belongs to one space alongside another by (1) removing the substrings associated with operations that are not *visible* anymore in the new space, and (2) injecting substrings associated with operations that become *visible* in the new space. Each injected substring has the length of the operation associated with it, and its content is controlled via the corresponding \*.letter argument.

For example, when going from the "query" space to the "reference" space (the default), the Iand S-substrings (i.e. the substrings associated with I/S operations) are removed, and substrings associated with D/N operations are injected. More precisely, the D-substrings are filled with the letter specified in D.letter, and the N-substrings with the letter specified in N.letter. The other \*.letter arguments are ignored in that case.

### Value

An XStringSet object of the same class and length as x.

#### Author(s)

H. Pages

#### See Also

- The stackStringsFromBam function for stacking the read sequences (or their quality strings) stored in a BAM file on a region of interest.
- The readGAlignmentsFromBam function for loading read sequences from a BAM file (via a GAlignments object).
- The extractAt and replaceAt functions in the **Biostrings** package for extracting/replacing arbitrary substrings from/in a string or set of strings.
- cigar-utils in the GenomicRanges package for the CIGAR utility functions used internally by sequenceLayer.

### Examples

```
## A. FROM "guery" TO "reference" SPACE
## -------
## Load read sequences from a BAM file (they will be returned in a
## GAlignments object):
bamfile <- system.file("extdata", "ex1.bam", package="Rsamtools")</pre>
param <- ScanBamParam(what="seq")</pre>
gal <- readGAlignmentsFromBam(bamfile, param=param)</pre>
qseq <- mcols(gal)$seq # the read sequences (aka query sequences)</pre>
## Lay the query sequences alongside the reference space. This will
## remove the substrings associated with insertions to the reference
## (I operations) and soft clipping (S operations), and will inject new
## substrings (filled with "-") where deletions from the reference (D
## operations) and skipped regions from the reference (N operations)
## occurred during the alignment process:
qseq_on_ref <- sequenceLayer(qseq, cigar(gal))</pre>
## A typical use case for doing the above is to compute 1 consensus
## sequence per chromosome. The code below shows how this can be done
## in 2 extra steps.
## Step 1: Compute one consensus matrix per chromosome.
```

```
qseq_on_ref_by_chrom <- splitAsList(qseq_on_ref, seqnames(gal))
pos_by_chrom <- splitAsList(start(gal), seqnames(gal))</pre>
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```
cm_by_chrom <- lapply(names(pos_by_chrom),</pre>
   function(seqname)
       consensusMatrix(qseq_on_ref_by_chrom[[seqname]],
                       as.prob=TRUE,
                       shift=pos_by_chrom[[seqname]]-1,
                       width=seqlengths(gal)[[seqname]]))
names(cm_by_chrom) <- names(pos_by_chrom)</pre>
## cm_by_chrom is a list of consensus matrices. Each matrix has 17
## rows (1 per letter in the DNA alphabet) and 1 column per chromosome
## position.
## Step 2: Compute the consensus string from each consensus matrix.
## Well put "+" in the strings wherever there is no coverage for that
## position, and "N" where there is coverage but no consensus.
cs_by_chrom <- lapply(cm_by_chrom,</pre>
   function(cm) {
       ## Because consensusString() doesnt like consensus matrices
       ## with columns that contain only zeroes (and you will have
       ## columns like that for chromosome positions that dont
       ## receive any coverage), we need to "fix" cm first.
       idx <- colSums(cm) == 0</pre>
       cm["+", idx] <- 1
       DNAString(consensusString(cm, ambiguityMap="N"))
   })
## consensusString() provides some flexibility to let you extract
## the consensus in different ways. See ?consensusString in the
## Biostrings package for the details.
## Finally, note that the read quality strings can also be used as
## input for sequenceLayer():
param <- ScanBamParam(what="qual")</pre>
gal <- readGAlignmentsFromBam(bamfile, param=param)</pre>
qual <- mcols(gal)$qual # the read quality strings</pre>
qual_on_ref <- sequenceLayer(qual, cigar(gal))</pre>
## Note that since the "-" letter is a valid quality code, there is
## no way to distinguish it from the "-" letters inserted by
## sequenceLayer().
## ______
## B. FROM "query" TO "query-after-soft-clipping" SPACE
## ------
                                                     _____
## Going from "query" to "query-after-soft-clipping" simply removes
## the substrings associated with soft clipping (S operations):
qseq <- DNAStringSet(c("AAAGTTCGAA", "TTACGATTAN", "GGATAATTTT"))</pre>
cigar <- c("3H10M", "2S7M1S2H", "2M1I1M3D2M4S")
clipped_qseq <- sequenceLayer(qseq, cigar,</pre>
                             from="query", to="query-after-soft-clipping")
```

sequenceLayer(clipped\_qseq, cigar,

```
from="query-after-soft-clipping", to="query")
sequenceLayer(clipped_qseq, cigar,
             from="query-after-soft-clipping", to="query",
             S.letter="-")
## C. BRING QUERY AND REFERENCE SEQUENCES TO THE "pairwise" or
##
     "pairwise-dense" SPACE
## ------
## Load read sequences from a BAM file:
library(RNAseqData.HNRNPC.bam.chr14)
bamfile <- RNAseqData.HNRNPC.bam.chr14_BAMFILES[1]</pre>
param <- ScanBamParam(what="seq",</pre>
                     which=GRanges("chr14", IRanges(1, 2500000)))
gal <- readGAlignmentsFromBam(bamfile, param=param)</pre>
qseq <- mcols(gal)$seq # the read sequences (aka query sequences)</pre>
## Load the corresponding reference sequences from the appropriate
## BSgenome package (the reads in RNAseqData.HNRNPC.bam.chr14 were
## aligned to hg19):
library(BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg19)
rseq <- getSeq(Hsapiens, as(gal, "GRanges")) # the reference sequences</pre>
## Bring qseq and rseq to the "pairwise" space.
## For gseq, this will remove the substrings associated with soft
## clipping (S operations) and inject substrings (filled with "-")
## associated with deletions from the reference (D operations) and
## skipped regions from the reference (N operations). For rseq, this
## will inject substrings (filled with "-") associated with insertions
## to the reference (I operations).
qseq2 <- sequenceLayer(qseq, cigar(gal),</pre>
                      from="query", to="pairwise")
rseq2 <- sequenceLayer(rseq, cigar(gal),</pre>
                      from="reference", to="pairwise")
## Sanity check: qseq2 and rseq2 should have the same shape.
stopifnot(identical(elementLengths(qseq2), elementLengths(rseq2)))
## A closer look at reads with insertions and deletions:
cigar_op_table <- cigarOpTable(cigar(gal))</pre>
head(cigar_op_table)
I_idx <- which(cigar_op_table[ , "I"] >= 2) # at least 2 insertions
qseq2[I_idx]
rseq2[I_idx]
D_idx <- which(cigar_op_table[ , "D"] >= 2) # at least 2 deletions
qseq2[D_idx]
rseq2[D_idx]
## A closer look at reads with skipped regions:
```

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```
N_idx <- which(cigar_op_table[ , "N"] != 0)</pre>
qseq2[N_idx]
rseq2[N_idx]
## A variant of the "pairwise" space is the "pairwise-dense" space.
## In that space, all indels and skipped regions are removed from qseq
## and rseq.
qseq3 <- sequenceLayer(qseq, cigar(gal),</pre>
                     from="query", to="pairwise-dense")
rseq3 <- sequenceLayer(rseq, cigar(gal),</pre>
                     from="reference", to="pairwise-dense")
## Sanity check: qseq3 and rseq3 should have the same shape.
stopifnot(identical(elementLengths(qseq3), elementLengths(rseq3)))
## Insertions were removed:
qseq3[I_idx]
rseq3[I_idx]
## Deletions were removed:
qseq3[D_idx]
rseq3[D_idx]
## Skipped regions were removed:
qseq3[N_idx]
rseq3[N_idx]
## D. SANITY CHECKS
SPACES <- c("reference",</pre>
           "reference-N-regions-removed",
           "query",
           "query-before-hard-clipping",
           "query-after-soft-clipping",
           "pairwise",
           "pairwise-N-regions-removed",
           "pairwise-dense")
cigarWidth <- list(</pre>
   function(cigar) cigarWidthAlongReferenceSpace(cigar),
   function(cigar) cigarWidthAlongReferenceSpace(cigar,
                                               N.regions.removed=TRUE),
   function(cigar) cigarWidthAlongQuerySpace(cigar),
   function(cigar) cigarWidthAlongQuerySpace(cigar,
                                           before.hard.clipping=TRUE),
   function(cigar) cigarWidthAlongQuerySpace(cigar,
                                           after.soft.clipping=TRUE),
   function(cigar) cigarWidthAlongPairwiseSpace(cigar),
   function(cigar) cigarWidthAlongPairwiseSpace(cigar,
                                              N.regions.removed=TRUE),
   function(cigar) cigarWidthAlongPairwiseSpace(cigar, dense=TRUE)
)
```

```
cigar <- c("3H2S4M1D2M2I1M5N3M6H", "5M1I3M2D4M2S")</pre>
seq <- list(</pre>
    BStringSet(c(A="AAAA-BBC+++++DDD", B="AAAAABBB--CCCC")),
    BStringSet(c(A="AAAA-BBCDDD", B="AAAAABBB--CCCC")),
    BStringSet(c(A="..AAAABBiiCDDD", B="AAAAAiBBBCCCC..")),
    BStringSet(c(A="....AAAABBiiCDDD.....", B="AAAAAiBBBCCCC..")),
    BStringSet(c(A="AAAABBiiCDDD", B="AAAAAiBBBCCCC")),
    BStringSet(c(A="AAAA-BBiiC++++DDD", B="AAAAAiBBB--CCCC")),
    BStringSet(c(A="AAAA-BBiiCDDD", B="AAAAAiBBB--CCCC")),
    BStringSet(c(A="AAAABBCDDD", B="AAAAABBBCCCC"))
)
stopifnot(all(sapply(1:8,
    function(i) identical(width(seq[[i]]), cigarWidth[[i]](cigar))
)))
sequenceLayer2 <- function(x, cigar, from, to)</pre>
    sequenceLayer(x, cigar, from=from, to=to, D.letter="-", N.letter= "+",
                   I.letter="i", S.letter=".", H.letter=".")
identical_XStringSet <- function(target, current)</pre>
{
    ok1 <- identical(class(target), class(current))</pre>
    ok2 <- identical(names(target), names(current))</pre>
    ok3 <- all(target == current)</pre>
    ok1 && ok2 && ok3
}
res <- sapply(1:8, function(i) {</pre>
           sapply(1:8, function(j) {
                target <- seq[[j]]</pre>
                current <- sequenceLayer2(seq[[i]], cigar,</pre>
                                           from=SPACES[i], to=SPACES[j])
                identical_XStringSet(target, current)
           })
       })
stopifnot(all(res))
```

stackStringsFromBam Stack the read sequences stored in a BAM file on a region of interest

### Description

stackStringsFromBam lays the read sequences (or their quality strings) stored in a BAM file alongside the reference space, and stacks them on the specified region.

### Usage

## Arguments

	respectively. The latter is given <i>without</i> the '.bai' extension. See scanBam for more information.	
param	A ScanBamParam object containing exactly 1 genomic region (i.e. unlist(bamWhich(param)) must have length 1). Alternatively, param can be a GRanges or RangesList object containing exactly 1 genomic region, or a character string specifying a single genomic region (in the "chr14:5201-5300" format).	
what	A single string. Either "seq" or "qual". If "seq" (the default), the read se- quences will be stacked. If "qual", the read quality strings will be stacked.	
use.names	Use the query template names (QNAME field) as the names of the returned object? If not (the default), then the returned object has no names.	
D.letter, N.letter		
	A single letter used as a filler for injections. The 2 arguments are passed down to the sequenceLayer function. See ?sequenceLayer for more details.	
Lpadding.letter	, Rpadding.letter	
	A single letter to use for padding the sequences on the left, and another one to use for padding on the right. The 2 arguments are passed down to the stackStrings function defined in the <b>Biostrings</b> package. See ?stackStrings in the <b>Biostrings</b> package for more details.	

## Details

stackStringsFromBam performs the 3 following steps:

- 1. Load the read sequences (or their quality strings) from the BAM file. Only the read sequences that overlap with the specified region are loaded. This is done with the readGAlignmentsFromBam function. Note that if the file contains paired-end reads, the pairing is ignored.
- 2. Lay the sequences alongside the reference space, using their CIGARs. This is done with the sequenceLayer function.
- 3. Stack them on the specified region. This is done with the stackStrings function defined in the **Biostrings** package.

# Value

A rectangular (i.e. constant-width) DNAStringSet object (if what is "seq") or BStringSet object (if what is "qual").

## Note

### TWO IMPORTANT CAVEATS:

Specifying a big genomic region, say  $\geq 100000$  bp, can require a lot of memory (especially with high coverage reads) and is not recommended.

Paired-end reads are treated as single-end reads (i.e. they're not paired).

# Author(s)

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# See Also

- The readGAlignmentsFromBam function for loading read sequences (or their quality strings) from a BAM file (via a GAlignments object).
- The sequenceLayer function for laying read sequences alongside the reference space, using their CIGARs.
- The stackStrings function in the **Biostrings** package for stacking an arbitrary XStringSet object.
- The SAMtools mpileup command available at <a href="http://samtools.sourceforge.net/">http://samtools.sourceforge.net/</a> as part of the SAMtools project.

## Examples

```
## A. EXAMPLE WITH TOY DATA
## -------
bamfile <- BamFile(system.file("extdata", "ex1.bam", package="Rsamtools"))</pre>
stackStringsFromBam(bamfile, param=GRanges("seq1", IRanges(1, 60)))
options(showHeadLines=18)
options(showTailLines=6)
stackStringsFromBam(bamfile, param=GRanges("seq1", IRanges(61, 120)))
stacked_qseq <- stackStringsFromBam(bamfile, param="seq2:1509-1519")</pre>
stacked_gseg # deletion in read 13
stackStringsFromBam(bamfile, param="seq2:1509-1519", what="qual")
consensusMatrix(stacked_qseq)
## B. EXAMPLE WITH REAL DATA
library(RNAseqData.HNRNPC.bam.chr14)
bamfile <- BamFile(RNAseqData.HNRNPC.bam.chr14_BAMFILES[1])</pre>
## My Region Of Interest:
```

## TabixFile

```
my_ROI <- GRanges("chr14", IRanges(19650095, 19650159))
readGAlignments(bamfile, param=ScanBamParam(which=my_ROI))
stackStringsFromBam(bamfile, param=my_ROI)</pre>
```

```
TabixFile
```

Manipulate tabix indexed tab-delimited files.

### Description

Use TabixFile() to create a reference to a Tabix file (and its index). Once opened, the reference remains open across calls to methods, avoiding costly index re-loading.

TabixFileList() provides a convenient way of managing a list of TabixFile instances.

### Usage

```
## Constructors
TabixFile(file, index = paste(file, "tbi", sep="."), ...,
          yieldSize=NA_integer_)
TabixFileList(..., yieldSize=NA_integer_)
## Opening / closing
## S3 method for class TabixFile
open(con, ...)
## S3 method for class TabixFile
close(con, ...)
## accessors; also path(), index(), yieldSize()
## S4 method for signature TabixFile
isOpen(con, rw="")
## actions
## S4 method for signature TabixFile
seqnamesTabix(file, ...)
## S4 method for signature TabixFile
headerTabix(file, ...)
## S4 method for signature TabixFile,GRanges
scanTabix(file, ..., param)
## S4 method for signature TabixFile,RangesList
scanTabix(file, ..., param)
## S4 method for signature TabixFile,RangedData
scanTabix(file, ..., param)
```

```
## S4 method for signature TabixFile,missing
scanTabix(file, ..., param)
## S4 method for signature character,ANY
scanTabix(file, ..., param)
## S4 method for signature character,missing
scanTabix(file, ..., param)
```

```
countTabix(file, ...)
```

## Arguments

con	An instance of TabixFile.
file	For TabixFile(), A character(1) vector to the tabix file path; can be remote (http://, ftp://). For countTabix, a character(1) or TabixFile instance. For others, a TabixFile instance.
index	A character(1) vector of the tabix file index.
yieldSize	Number of records to yield each time the file is read from using scanTabix. Only valid when param is unspecified. yieldSize does not alter existing yield sizes, include NA, when creating a TabixFileList from TabixFile instances.
param	An instance of GRanges, IRangedData, or RangesList, used to select which records to scan.
	Additional arguments. For TabixFileList, this can either be a single character vector of paths to tabix files, or several instances of TabixFile objects.
rw	character() indicating mode of file; not used for TabixFile.

## **Objects from the Class**

Objects are created by calls of the form TabixFile().

## Fields

The TabixFile class inherits fields from the RsamtoolsFile class.

### **Functions and methods**

TabixFileList inherits methods from RsamtoolsFileList and SimpleList.

Opening / closing:

- **open.TabixFile** Opens the (local or remote) path and index. Returns a TabixFile instance. yieldSize determines the number of records parsed during each call to scanTabix; NA indicates that all records are to be parsed.
- **close.TabixFile** Closes the TabixFile con; returning (invisibly) the updated TabixFile. The instance may be re-opened with open.TabixFile.

## Accessors:

**path** Returns a character(1) vector of the tabix path name.

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index Returns a character(1) vector of tabix index name.

yieldSize, yieldSize<- Return or set an integer(1) vector indicating yield size.

Methods:

seqnamesTabix Visit the path in path(file), returning the sequence names present in the file.

- headerTabix Visit the path in path(file), returning the sequence names, column indicies used to sort the file, the number of lines skipped while indexing, the comment character used while indexing, and the header (preceeded by comment character, at start of file) lines.
- **countTabix** Return the number of records in each range of param, or the count of all records in the file (when param is missing).
- scanTabix For signature(file="TabixFile"), Visit the path in path(file), returning the result of scanTabix applied to the specified path. For signature(file="character"), call the corresponding method after coercing file to TabixFile.
- **indexTabix** This method operates on file paths, rather than TabixFile objects, to index tabseparated files. See indexTabix.

show Compactly display the object.

#### Author(s)

Martin Morgan

#### Examples

```
fl <- system.file("extdata", "example.gtf.gz", package="Rsamtools",</pre>
                   mustWork=TRUE)
tbx <- TabixFile(fl)</pre>
param <- GRanges(c("chr1", "chr2"), IRanges(c(1, 1), width=100000))</pre>
countTabix(tbx)
countTabix(tbx, param=param)
res <- scanTabix(tbx, param=param)</pre>
sapply(res, length)
res[["chr1:1-100000"]][1:2]
## parse to list of data.frames
dff <- Map(function(elt) {</pre>
    read.csv(textConnection(elt), sep="\t", header=FALSE)
}. res)
dff[["chr1:1-100000"]][1:5,1:8]
## parse 100 records at a time
length(scanTabix(tbx)[[1]]) # total number of records
tbx <- open(TabixFile(fl, yieldSize=100))</pre>
while(length(res <- scanTabix(tbx)[[1]]))</pre>
   cat("records read:", length(res), "\n")
close(tbx)
```

TabixInput

### Description

Scan compressed, sorted, tabix-indexed, tab-delimited files.

# Usage

```
scanTabix(file, ..., param)
## S4 method for signature character,RangesList
scanTabix(file, ..., param)
## S4 method for signature character,RangedData
scanTabix(file, ..., param)
## S4 method for signature character,GRanges
scanTabix(file, ..., param)
```

## Arguments

instance of class TabixFile.	
param A instance of GRanges, RangedData, or RangesList provide the sequ and regions to be parsed.	ence names
Additional arguments, currently ignored.	

# Value

scanTabix returns a list, with one element per region. Each element of the list is a character vector representing records in the region.

### Error

scanTabix signals errors using signalCondition. The following errors are signaled:

scanTabix\_param yieldSize(file) must be NA when more than one range is specified.

scanTabix\_io A read error occured while inputing the tabix file. This might be because the file is corrupt, or of incorrect format (e.g., when path points to a plain text file but index is present, implying that path should be a bgziped file.

## Author(s)

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### References

http://samtools.sourceforge.net/tabix.shtml
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