

# Package ‘ZIBseq’

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**Type** Package

**Title** Differential Abundance Analysis for Metagenomic Data via  
Zero-Inflated Beta Regression

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**Description** Detects abundance differences across clinical conditions. Besides, it takes the sparse nature of metagenomic data into account and handles compositional data efficiently.

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ZIBseq-package

*Identify differentially abundant features***Description**

Detects abundance differences across clinical conditions. Besides, it takes the sparse nature of metagenomic data into account and handles compositional data efficiently.

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ZIBseq-package	Identify differentially abundant features
calc_qvalues	a function used to calculate q values
testdata	Real metagenomic data

~~ An overview of how to use the package, including the most important functions ~~

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**References**

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**See Also**

~~ Optional links to other man pages, e.g. ~~ [ZIBseq](#) ~~

**Examples**

```
## Not run:
data(testdata)
x=testdata[,9:248]
p=dim(x)[2]
for (i in 1:p){x[,i]=as.numeric(as.character(x[,i]))}
gr=testdata[,2]
gr=as.numeric(gr)
gr[which(gr<4)]=0
gr[which(gr==4)]=1
result=ZIBseq(data=x,outcome=gr)

## End(Not run)
```

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calc_qvalues	<i>a function used to calculate q values</i>
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**Description**

Estimates their q-values based on a list of p-values resulting from the simultaneous testing of many hypothesis.

**Usage**

```
calc_qvalues(pvalues)
```

**Arguments**

pvalues            input the p value

**Details**

To control the false discovery rate(FDR), q-value has been widely accepted as an alternative approach for multiple hypothesis testing correction in recent years.

**Value**

qvalues

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**References**

<http://bioconductor.org/packages/release/bioc/html/qvalue.html>

**Examples**

```
##---- Should be DIRECTLY executable !! ----
##-- ==> Define data, use random,
##--or do help(data=index) for the standard data sets.

## The function is currently defined as
function (pvalues)
{
  nrows = length(pvalues)
  lambdas <- seq(0, 0.95, 0.01)
  pi0_hat <- array(0, dim = c(length(lambdas)))
  for (l in 1:length(lambdas)) {
    count = 0
    for (i in 1:nrows) {
      if (pvalues[i] > lambdas[l]) {
```

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        count = count + 1
      }
      pi0_hat[l] = count/(nrows * (1 - lambdas[l]))
    }
  }
  f <- unclass(smooth.spline(lambdas, pi0_hat, df = 3))
  f_spline <- f$y
  pi0 = f_spline[length(lambdas)]
  ordered_ps <- order(pvalues)
  pvalues <- pvalues
  qvalues <- array(0, dim = c(nrows))
  ordered_qs <- array(0, dim = c(nrows))
  ordered_qs[nrows] <- min(pvalues[ordered_ps[nrows]] * pi0,
    1)
  for (i in (nrows - 1):1) {
    p = pvalues[ordered_ps[i]]
    new = p * nrows * pi0/i
    ordered_qs[i] <- min(new, ordered_qs[i + 1], 1)
  }
  for (i in 1:nrows) {
    qvalues[ordered_ps[i]] = ordered_qs[i]
  }
  return(qvalues)
}

```

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 testdata

*Real metagenomic data*


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### Description

The metagenomic dataset was downloaded from dbGaP under study ID phs000258. The data and analytical results were first reported by Zupancic et al. (2012). There were a total of 310 Amish adult samples with 112 males and 198 females. And there were a total of 240 taxa at the genus level.

### Usage

```
data(testdata)
```

### Format

testdata is a data frame with 310 cases(rows) and 248 variables(columns). Among 248 variables, 240 of them are taxa at the genus level and 8 of them are clinical phenotypes.

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ZIBseq	<i>Conducts the zero-inflated beta regression based on the general count data and categorical vector outcome.</i>
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**Description**

zero-inflated beta regression

**Usage**

```
ZIBseq(data, outcome, transform = F, alpha = 0.05)
```

**Arguments**

data	a matrix records the count data
outcome	a categorical vector of a specific kind of clinical condition
transform	square-root transform of the compositional matrix
alpha	customized threshold while calculating q values

**Details**

The function takes the sparse nature of metagenomics data into account and handle the compositional data efficiently.

**Value**

sigFeature	output the significant feature
useFeature	features being concerned
qvalue	qvalue
pvalue	pvalue

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**References**

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