Package ‘HiBED’

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**Description**

The function estimates proportions up to 7 cell types in brain tissues.

**Usage**

```r
HiBED_deconvolution(Beta, h = 2)
```

**Arguments**

- `Beta`: Methylation beta in the format of matrix or data frame or Mset or SummarizedExperiment from brain samples.
- `h`: Numeric variable. Specify the layer of deconvolution in the hierarchical model. Default is 2.

**Value**

A matrix with predicted cell proportions in brain tissues.

**Examples**

```r
# Step 1: Load required libraries
globalEnv()
library(FlowSorted.Blood.EPIC)
library(FlowSorted.DLPFC.450k)
# Step 2: Load example data and preprocess
Mset<-minfi::preprocessRaw(FlowSorted.DLPFC.450k)
Examples_Betas<-minfi::getBeta(Mset)
# Step 3: Run HiBED and show results
HiBED_result<-HiBED_deconvolution(Examples_Betas, h=2)
head(HiBED_result)
```
HiBED_Libraries

HiBED library CpGs matrix stored in SummarizedExperiment for brain tissue DNA methylation deconvolution

Description

This object contains 4 matrices of the the average DNA methylation values of the probes included in 4 layers of the HiBED deconvolution. These CpGs are used as the backbone for deconvolution and were selected because their methylation signature differs across the seven brain cell subtypes.

Usage

data("HiBED_Libraries")

Format

The list contains matrices are 81 x 3, 183 x 4, 237 x 5, 120 x 4
The format is: num [1:81, 1:3] 0.04592944 0.02268472 0.88886150 ...

Value

A list with 4 libraries in SummarizedExperiment formats

Examples

data("HiBED_Libraries")
head(HiBED_Libraries)
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