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download\_gene\_list Download OncoKB Cancer Gene List

# Description

Download OncoKB Cancer Gene List

# Usage

```
download_gene_list(
   path = stop("`path` must be specified"),
   url = oncokb_dwl_url()
)
```

# Arguments

path	A character string with the file path where the downloaded file is to be saved. Tilde-expansion is performed.
url	The URL of the resource providing the OncoKB cancer gene list.

exported\_genes Exported genes

# Description

A character vector of genes for which the retrieval of sequence profiles was successful and are hence provided with this package.

# Usage

exported\_genes

# Format

A character vector.

# Description

fetch\_oncokb\_genes() retrieves the current set of OncoKB genes from an OncoKB's cancer gene list file.

# Usage

```
fetch_oncokb_genes(file = oncokb_dwl_url())
```

# Arguments

fileA URL or a file path to the source providing the cancer gene list file. By default<br/>it will automatically download cancerGeneList.tsv from OncoKB website.

# Value

A character vector of gene names.

# Examples

fetch\_oncokb\_genes()

get\_profile Get sequence profiles

#### Description

This function retrieves pairwise alignments between the human sequence queried in symbol and each of its orthologs via Ensembl's REST API homology/symbol/:species/:symbol endpoint. Then, from these alignments, sequence profiles are derived.

#### Usage

```
get_profile(symbol, simplify = TRUE)
```

# Arguments

symbol	A character vector of HUGO gene symbols.
simplify	Should the result be simplified if only one gene symbol is queried. If TRUE, then in the case only one gene symbol is queried the result is not a list of one tibble, but the tibble itself.

#### Value

A list of tibbles, one for each gene symbol queried, with the following columns:

timestamp Date and time of the download from Ensembl.

human\_prot\_id Ensembl identifier of the human protein sequence.

ortho\_prot\_id Ensembl identifier of the ortholog protein sequence.

ortho\_species Species name of the ortholog sequence.

- human\_align\_seq In the context of pairwise alignment between the human sequence and one of its orthologs, this is the aligned human sequence.
- ortho\_align\_seq In the context of pairwise alignment between the human sequence and one of its orthologs, this is the aligned ortholog sequence.

human\_ortho\_perc\_id Percentage of the human sequence matching the sequence of the ortholog.

ortho\_human\_perc\_id Percentage of the orthologous sequence matching the human sequence.

human\_profile\_id Human protein sequence.

ortho\_profile\_seq Orthologous sequence stripped off of the alignment positions which correspond to gaps in the human sequence.

missing\_genes Missing genes

# Description

A character vector of genes for which the retrieval of sequence profiles was not successful and are therefore absent.

#### Usage

missing\_genes

# Format

A character vector.

oncokb\_genes

# OncoKB genes

# Description

A character vector of OncoKB genes used as query to retrieve the sequence profiles bundled with this package.

#### Usage

oncokb\_genes

#### Format

A character vector.

profile\_path

*Get the path to a sequence profile* 

# Description

protean comes bundled with a number of sequence profile files in its inst/profiles directory. This function make them easy to access by returning the local path to them.

# Usage

profile\_path(file = NULL)

# Arguments

file

Name of file or gene symbol. If NULL, the profile files will be listed.

# Examples

```
# Retrieve the path to the sequence profile of the TP53 protein
# Using the gene symbol
profile_path("TP53")
# Using the file name
profile_path("TP53.csv.gz")
# List all profile files
profile_path()
```

read\_profile

# Description

Read a sequence profile

# Usage

```
read_profile(file = stop("`file` must be specified"), sort = TRUE)
```

#### Arguments

file	A path to a sequence profile file.
sort	Whether to sort the sequences by the variable human_ortho_perc_id, from
	highest (most similar to human) to lowest (most distant from human).

# Value

A tibble of 10 variables:

timestamp Date and time of the download from Ensembl.

human\_prot\_id Ensembl identifier of the human protein sequence.

ortho\_prot\_id Ensembl identifier of the ortholog protein sequence.

ortho\_species Species name of the ortholog sequence.

- human\_align\_seq In the context of pairwise alignment between the human sequence and one of its orthologs, this is the aligned human sequence.
- ortho\_align\_seq In the context of pairwise alignment between the human sequence and one of its orthologs, this is the aligned ortholog sequence.

human\_ortho\_perc\_id Percentage of the human sequence matching the sequence of the ortholog.

ortho\_human\_perc\_id Percentage of the orthologous sequence matching the human sequence.

human\_profile\_id Human protein sequence.

ortho\_profile\_seq Orthologous sequence stripped off of the alignment positions which correspond to gaps in the human sequence.

# Examples

```
read_profile(profile_path("TP53"))
```

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