# **CLARITE Documentation**

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CLeaning to Analysis: Reproducibility-based Interface for Traits and Exposures

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Motivation

CLARITE was created to provide an easy-to-use tool for analysis of traits and exposures.

It exists as both a python package (for integration into scripts and/or other packages) and as a command line program.

# CHAPTER 2

Installation

## 2.1 Basic Install

At the command line:

\$ pip install clarite

# 2.2 Running R code from CLARITE

In order to use the  $ewas\_r$  function, it is recommended to install CLARITE using Conda:

1. Create and activate a conda environment with python 3.6 or 3.7:

```
$ conda create -n clarite python=3.7
$ conda activate clarite
```

2. Install rpy2 (optional). CLARITE has a version of the EWAS function that calls R code using the *survey* library:

```
$ conda install -c conda-forge rpy2
```

3. Install CLARITE:

```
$ pip install clarite
```

4. Install required R packages (such as *survey*) (optional):

```
$ clarite-cli utils install-r-packages
```

# CHAPTER 3

Citing CLARITE

If you use CLARITE in a scientific publication, please consider citing:

1. Lucas AM, et al (2019) CLARITE facilitates the quality control and analysis process for EWAS of metabolic-related traits. *Frontiers in Genetics*: 10, 1240

#### BibTeX entry:

2. Passero K, et al (2020) Phenome-wide association studies on cardiovascular health and fatty acids considering phenotype quality control practices for epidemiological data. *Pacific Symposium on Biocomputing*: 25, 659

#### BibTeX entry:

```
@inproceedings{passero2020phenome,
   title={Phenome-wide association studies on cardiovascular health and fatty acids_
   →considering phenotype quality control practices for epidemiological data.},
   author={Passero, Kristin and He, Xi and Zhou, Jiayan and Mueller-Myhsok, Bertram_
   →and Kleber, Marcus E and Maerz, Winfried and Hall, Molly A},
   booktitle={Pacific Symposium on Biocomputing},
   volume={25},
   pages={659},
```

```
year={2020},
organization={World Scientific},
URL={https://www.worldscientific.com/doi/abs/10.1142/9789811215636_0058},
DOI={10.1142/9789811215636_0058}
```

# CHAPTER 4

Usage

## 4.1 Organization of Functions

CLARITE has many functions organized into several different modules:

Analyze Functions related to calculating EWAS results

Describe Functions used to gather information about data

Load Functions used to load data from different formats or sources

Modify Functions used to filter and/or modify data

Plot Functions that generate plots

Survey Functions and classes related to handling data with a complex survey design

# 4.2 Coding Style

There are three primary ways of using CLARITE'.

1. Using the CLARITE package as part of a python script or Jupyter notebook

This can be done using the function directly:

```
import clarite
df = clarite.load.from_tsv('data.txt')
df_filtered = clarite.modify.colfilter_min_n(df, n=250)
df_filtered_complete = clarite.modify.rowfilter_incomplete_obs(df_filtered)
clarite.plot.distributions(df_filtered_complete, filename='plots.pdf')
```

Or it can be done using Pandas pipe

#### 2. Using the command line tool

```
clarite-cli load from_tsv data/nhanes.txt results/data.txt --index SEQN cd results clarite-cli modify colfilter-min-n data data_filtered -n 250 clarite-cli modify rowfilter-incomplete-obs data_filtered data_filtered_complete clarite-cli plot distributions data_filtered_complete plots.pdf
```

#### 3. Using the GUI (coming soon)

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# CHAPTER 5

## **Example Analysis**

CLARITE facilitates the quality control and analysis process for EWAS of metabolic-related traits

[Paper in review]

Data from NHANES was used in an EWAS analysis including utilizing the provided survey weight information. The first two cycles of NHANES (1999-2000 and 2001-2002) are assigned to a 'discovery' dataset and the next two cycles (2003-2004 and 2005-2006) are assigned to a 'replication' datset.

```
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
from scipy import stats
import clarite
```

```
pd.options.display.max_rows = 10
pd.options.display.max_columns = 6
```

## 5.1 Load Data

```
data_folder = "../../../data/NHANES_99-06/"
data_main_table_over18 = data_folder + "MainTable_keepvar_over18.tsv"
data_main_table = data_folder + "MainTable.csv"
data_var_description = data_folder + "VarDescription.csv"
data_var_categories = data_folder + "VarCat_nopf.txt"
output = "."
```

#### 5.1.1 Data of all samples with age >= 18

```
# Data
nhanes = clarite.load.from_tsv(data_main_table_over18, index_col="ID")
nhanes.head()
```

```
Loaded 22,624 observations of 970 variables
```

### 5.1.2 Variable Descriptions

```
# Convert variable descriptions to a dictionary for convenience
var_descr_dict = var_descriptions["var_desc"].to_dict()
```

### 5.1.3 Survey Weights, as provided by NHANES

Survey weight information is used so that the results apply to the US civillian non-institutionalized population.

This includes:

- SDMVPSU (Cluster ID)
- SDMVSTRA (Nested Strata ID)
- 2-year weights
- · 4-year weights

Different variables require different weights, as many of them were measured on a subset of the full dataset. For example:

- WTINT is the survey weight for interview variables.
- WTMEC is the survey weight for variables measured in the Mobile Exam Centers (a subset of interviewed samples)

2-year and 4-year weights are provided. It is important to adjust the weights when combining multiple cycles, by computing the weighted average. In this case 4-year weights (covering the first 2 cycles) are provided by NHANES and the replication weights (the 3rd and 4th cycles) were computed from the 2-year weights prior to loading them here.

```
# Convert the data to two dictionaries for convenience
weights_discovery = var_weights.set_index('variable_name')['discovery'].to_dict()
weights_replication = var_weights.set_index('variable_name')['replication'].to_dict()
```

## 5.1.4 Survey Year data

Survey year is found in a separate file and can be matched using the SEQN ID value.

# 5.2 Define the phenotype and covariates

```
BMXBMI = Body Mass Index (kg/m**2)
```

## 5.3 Initial cleanup / variable selection

## 5.3.1 Remove any samples missing the phenotype or one of the covariates

```
nhanes = clarite.modify.rowfilter_incomplete_obs(nhanes, only=[phenotype] + → covariates)
```

```
Running rowfilter_incomplete_obs

Removed 3,687 of 22,624 observations (16.30%) due to NA values in any of 9 variables
```

### 5.3.2 Remove variables that aren't appropriate for the analysis

#### Physical fitness measures

These are measurements rather than proxies for environmental exposures

```
CVDVOMAX = Predicted VO2max (ml/kg/min)

CVDESVO2 = Estimated VO2max (ml/kg/min)

CVDS1HR = Stage 1 heart rate (per min)

CVDS1SY = Stage 1 systolic BP (mm Hg)

CVDS1DI = Stage 1 diastolic BP (mm Hg)

CVDS2HR = Stage 2 heart rate (per min)

CVDS2SY = Stage 2 systolic BP (mm Hg)

CVDS2DI = Stage 2 diastolic BP (mm Hg)

CVDR1HR = Recovery 1 heart rate (per min)

CVDR1SY = Recovery 1 systolic BP (mm Hg)

CVDR1DI = Recovery 1 diastolic BP (mm Hg)

CVDR2HR = Recovery 2 heart rate (per min)

CVDR2SY = Recovery 2 systolic BP (mm Hg)

CVDR2SY = Recovery 2 systolic BP (mm Hg)

CVDR2DI = Recovery 2 diastolic BP (mm Hg)

physical_activity = Physical Activity (MET-based rank)
```

#### Lipid variables

These are likely correlated with BMI in some way

```
lipid_vars = ["LBDHDD", "LBDHDL", "LBDLDL", "LBXSTR", "LBXTC", "LBXTR"]
print("Removing lipid measurement variables:")
for v in lipid_vars:
    print(f"\t{v} = {var_descr_dict[v]}")
nhanes = nhanes.drop(columns=lipid_vars)
```

```
Removing lipid measurement variables:

LBDHDD = Direct HDL-Cholesterol (mg/dL)

LBDHDL = Direct HDL-Cholesterol (mg/dL)

LBDLDL = LDL-cholesterol (mg/dL)

LBXSTR = Triglycerides (mg/dL)

LBXTC = Total cholesterol (mg/dL)

LBXTR = Triglyceride (mg/dL)
```

#### Indeterminate variables

These variables don't have clear meanings

```
indeterminent_vars = ["house_type","hepa","hepb", "house_age", "current_past_smoking"]
print("Removing variables with indeterminate meanings:")
```

```
for v in indeterminent_vars:
    print(f"\t{v} = {var_descr_dict[v]}")
nhanes = nhanes.drop(columns=indeterminent_vars)
```

```
Removing variables with indeterminate meanings:
   house_type = house type
   hepa = hepatitis a
   hepb = hepatitis b
   house_age = house age
   current_past_smoking = Current or Past Cigarette Smoker?
```

## 5.3.3 Recode "missing" values

```
# SMQ077 and DDB100 have Refused/Don't Know for "7" and "9" nhanes = clarite.modify.recode_values(nhanes, {7: np.nan, 9: np.nan}, only=['SMQ077', \upsilon'])
```

```
Running recode_values
Replaced 11 values from 18,937 observations in 2 variables
```

## 5.3.4 Split the data into discovery and replication

```
discovery = (nhanes['SDDSRVYR']==1) | (nhanes['SDDSRVYR']==2)
replication = (nhanes['SDDSRVYR']==3) | (nhanes['SDDSRVYR']==4)

nhanes_discovery = nhanes.loc[discovery]
nhanes_replication = nhanes.loc[replication]
```

```
nhanes_discovery.head()
```

```
nhanes_replication.head()
```

### 5.4 QC

## 5.4.1 Minimum of 200 non-NA values in each variable

Drop variables that have too small of a sample size

```
nhanes_discovery = clarite.modify.colfilter_min_n(nhanes_discovery, skip=[phenotype] 

→+ covariates)

nhanes_replication = clarite.modify.colfilter_min_n(nhanes_replication, 
→skip=[phenotype] + covariates)
```

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```
Running colfilter_min_n

Testing 0 of 0 binary variables
Testing 936 of 945 continuous variables
Removed 302 (32.26%) tested continuous variables which had less than 200 non-null_

values.

Running colfilter_min_n

Testing 0 of 0 binary variables
Testing 0 of 0 categorical variables
Testing 0 of 0 categorical variables
Testing 936 of 945 continuous variables
Removed 225 (24.04%) tested continuous variables which had less than 200 non-null_

values.
```

### 5.4.2 Categorize Variables

This is important, as different variable types must be processed in different ways. The number of unique values for each variable is a good heuristic for determining this. The default settings were used here, but different cutoffs can be specified. CLARITE reports the results in neatly formatted text:

```
nhanes_discovery = clarite.modify.categorize(nhanes_discovery)
nhanes_replication = clarite.modify.categorize(nhanes_replication)
```

```
______
Running categorize
229 of 643 variables (35.61%) are classified as binary (2 unique values).
19 of 643 variables (2.95%) are classified as categorical (3 to 6 unique values).
336 of 643 variables (52.26%) are classified as continuous (>= 15 unique values).
37 of 643 variables (5.75%) were dropped.
   O variables had zero unique values (all NA).
   37 variables had one unique value.
22 of 643 variables (3.42%) were not categorized and need to be set manually.
   22 variables had between 6 and 15 unique values
   0 variables had >= 15 values but couldn't be converted to continuous (numeric)...
→values
Running categorize
236 of 720 variables (32.78%) are classified as binary (2 unique values).
32 of 720 variables (4.44%) are classified as categorical (3 to 6 unique values).
400 of 720 variables (55.56%) are classified as continuous (>= 15 unique values).
13 of 720 variables (1.81%) were dropped.
   O variables had zero unique values (all NA).
   13 variables had one unique value.
39 of 720 variables (5.42%) were not categorized and need to be set manually.
   39 variables had between 6 and 15 unique values
   0 variables had >= 15 values but couldn't be converted to continuous (numeric)
-values
```

## 5.4.3 Checking categorization

#### Distributions of variables may be plotted using CLARITE:

#### One variable needed correcting where the heuristic was not correct

```
v = "L_GLUTAMINE_gm"
print(f"\t{v} = {var_descr_dict[v]}\n")
nhanes_discovery = clarite.modify.make_continuous(nhanes_discovery, only=[v])
nhanes_replication = clarite.modify.make_continuous(nhanes_replication, only=[v])
```

```
L_GLUTAMINE_gm = L_GLUTAMINE_gm

Running make_continuous

Set 1 of 606 variable(s) as continuous, each with 9,063 observations

Running make_continuous

Running make_continuous

Set 1 of 707 variable(s) as continuous, each with 9,874 observations
```

#### After examining all of the uncategorized variables, they are all continuous

```
WARNING: 22 variables need to be categorized into a type manually

URXUBE = Beryllium, urine (ug/L)

URXUPT = Platinum, urine (ug/L)

DRD350BQ = # of times crabs eaten in past 30 days

DRD350FQ = # of times oysters eaten in past 30 days

DRD350IQ = # of times other shellfish eaten

DRD370AQ = # of times breaded fish products eaten

DRD370DQ = # of times catfish eaten in past 30 days
```

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```
DRD370EQ = # of times cod eaten in past 30 days
   DRD370FQ = # of times flatfish eaten past 30 days
   DRD370UQ = # of times other unknown fish eaten
   OMEGA_3_FATTY_ACIDS_mg = OMEGA_3_FATTY_ACIDS_mg
   ALANINE_mg = ALANINE_mg
   ARGININE_mg = ARGININE_mg
   BETA_CAROTENE_mg = BETA_CAROTENE_mg
   CAFFEINE_mg = CAFFEINE_mg
   CYSTINE_mg = CYSTINE_mg
   LYSINE_mg = LYSINE_mg
   PROLINE_mg = PROLINE_mg
   SERINE_mg = SERINE_mg
   TRYPTOPHAN_mg = TRYPTOPHAN_mg
   TYROSINE_mg = TYROSINE_mg
   OTHER_FATTY_ACIDS_mg = OTHER_FATTY_ACIDS_mg
_____
Running make_continuous
Set 22 of 606 variable(s) as continuous, each with 9,063 observations
```

```
WARNING: 39 variables need to be categorized into a type manually
   LBXVCT = Blood Carbon Tetrachloride (ng/ml)
   LBXV3A = Blood 1,1,1-Trichloroethene (ng/ml)
   URXUBE = Beryllium, urine (ug/L)
   LBXTO2 = Toxoplasma (IgM)
   LBXPFDO = Perfluorododecanoic acid
   DRD350AQ = # of times clams eaten in past 30 days
   DRD350BQ = # of times crabs eaten in past 30 days
   DRD350DQ = # of times lobsters eaten past 30 days
   DRD350FQ = # of times oysters eaten in past 30 days
   DRD350GQ = # of times scallops eaten past 30 days
   DRD370AQ = # of times breaded fish products eaten
   DRD370DQ = # of times catfish eaten in past 30 days
   DRD370EQ = # of times cod eaten in past 30 days
   DRD370FQ = # of times flatfish eaten past 30 days
   DRD370GQ = # of times haddock eaten in past 30 days
   DRD370NQ = # of times sardines eaten past 30 days
   DRD370RQ = # of times trout eaten in past 30 days
   DRD370UQ = # of times other unknown fish eaten
   ALANINE_mg = ALANINE_mg
   ARGININE_mg = ARGININE_mg
   BETA_CAROTENE_mg = BETA_CAROTENE_mg
   CAFFEINE_mg = CAFFEINE_mg
   CYSTINE_mg = CYSTINE_mg
   HISTIDINE_mg = HISTIDINE_mg
   ISOLEUCINE_mg = ISOLEUCINE_mg
   LEUCINE_mg = LEUCINE_mg
   LYSINE_mg = LYSINE_mg
```

```
PHENYLALANINE_mg = PHENYLALANINE_mg

PROLINE_mg = PROLINE_mg

SERINE_mg = SERINE_mg

THREONINE_mg = THREONINE_mg

TRYPTOPHAN_mg = TRYPTOPHAN_mg

TYROSINE_mg = TYROSINE_mg

VALINE_mg = VALINE_mg

LBXV2T = Blood trans-1,2-Dichloroethene (ng/mL)

LBXV4T = Blood 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane (ng/mL)

LBXVDM = Blood Dibromomethane (ng/mL)

URXUTM = Urinary Trimethylarsine Oxide (ug/L)

LBXPFBS = Perfluorobutane sulfonic acid

Running make_continuous

Set 39 of 707 variable(s) as continuous, each with 9,874 observations
```

#### Types should match across discovery/replication

```
# Take note of which variables were differently typed in each dataset
print ("Correcting differences in variable types between discovery and replication")
# Merge current type series
dtypes = pd.DataFrame({'discovery':clarite.describe.get_types(nhanes_discovery),
                       'replication':clarite.describe.qet_types(nhanes_replication)
                       })
diff_dtypes = dtypes.loc[(dtypes['discovery'] != dtypes['replication']) &
                         (~dtypes['discovery'].isna()) &
                         (~dtypes['replication'].isna())]
# Discovery
# Binary -> Categorical
compare_bin_cat = list(diff_dtypes.loc[(diff_dtypes['discovery']=='binary') &
                                        (diff_dtypes['replication'] == 'categorical'),].
→index)
if len(compare_bin_cat) > 0:
   print(f"Bin vs Cat: {', '.join(compare_bin_cat)}")
   nhanes_discovery = clarite.modify.make_categorical(nhanes_discovery, only=compare_
→bin_cat)
   print()
# Binary -> Continuous
compare_bin_cont = list(diff_dtypes.loc[(diff_dtypes['discovery'] == 'binary') &
                                        (diff_dtypes['replication'] == 'continuous'),].
→index)
if len(compare_bin_cont) > 0:
    print(f"Bin vs Cont: {', '.join(compare_bin_cont)}")
   nhanes_discovery = clarite.modify.make_continuous(nhanes_discovery, only=compare_
→bin_cont)
    print()
# Categorical -> Continuous
compare_cat_cont = list(diff_dtypes.loc[(diff_dtypes['discovery']=='categorical') &
                                        (diff_dtypes['replication'] == 'continuous'),].
→index)
if len(compare_cat_cont) > 0:
```

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```
print(f"Cat vs Cont: {', '.join(compare_cat_cont)}")
   nhanes_discovery = clarite.modify.make_continuous(nhanes_discovery, only=compare_
print()
# Replication
# Binary -> Categorical
compare_cat_bin = list(diff_dtypes.loc[(diff_dtypes['discovery']=='categorical') &
                                       (diff_dtypes['replication'] == 'binary'), ].index)
if len(compare_cat_bin) > 0:
   print(f"Cat vs Bin: {', '.join(compare_cat_bin)}")
   nhanes_replication = clarite.modify.make_categorical(nhanes_replication,...
→only=compare_cat_bin)
   print()
# Binary -> Continuous
compare_cont_bin = list(diff_dtypes.loc[(diff_dtypes['discovery'] == 'continuous') &
                                        (diff_dtypes['replication'] == 'binary'),].
if len(compare_cont_bin) > 0:
    print(f"Cont vs Bin: {', '.join(compare_cont_bin)}")
   nhanes_replication = clarite.modify.make_continuous(nhanes_replication,_
→only=compare_cont_bin)
   print()
# Categorical -> Continuous
compare_cont_cat = list(diff_dtypes.loc[(diff_dtypes['discovery']=='continuous') &
                                        (diff_dtypes['replication'] == 'categorical'),].
→index)
if len(compare_cont_cat) > 0:
   print(f"Cont vs Cat: {', '.join(compare_cont_cat)}")
   nhanes_replication = clarite.modify.make_continuous(nhanes_replication,...
→only=compare_cont_cat)
   print()
```

```
Correcting differences in variable types between discovery and replication
Bin vs Cat: BETA_CAROTENE_mcg, CALCIUM_Unknown, MAGNESIUM_Unknown

Running make_categorical

Set 3 of 606 variable(s) as categorical, each with 9,063 observations

Bin vs Cont: LBXPFDO

Running make_continuous

Set 1 of 606 variable(s) as continuous, each with 9,063 observations

Cat vs Cont: DRD350AQ, DRD350DQ, DRD350GQ

Running make_continuous

Set 3 of 606 variable(s) as continuous, each with 9,063 observations

Set 3 of 606 variable(s) as continuous, each with 9,063 observations
```

## 5.4.4 Filtering

These are a standard set of filters with default settings

```
# 200 non-na samples
discovery_1_min_n = clarite.modify.colfilter_min_n(nhanes_discovery)
replication_1_min_n = clarite.modify.colfilter_min_n(nhanes_replication)
```

```
______
Running colfilter_min_n
Testing 228 of 228 binary variables
   Removed 0 (0.00%) tested binary variables which had less than 200 non-null values.
Testing 15 of 15 categorical variables
   Removed 0 (0.00%) tested categorical variables which had less than 200 non-null_
\rightarrowvalues.
Testing 363 of 363 continuous variables
   Removed 0 (0.00%) tested continuous variables which had less than 200 non-null_
Running colfilter_min_n
Testing 236 of 236 binary variables
   Removed 0 (0.00%) tested binary variables which had less than 200 non-null values.
Testing 31 of 31 categorical variables
   Removed 0 (0.00%) tested categorical variables which had less than 200 non-null.
→values.
Testing 440 of 440 continuous variables
   Removed 0 (0.00%) tested continuous variables which had less than 200 non-null_
______
```

```
Running colfilter_min_cat_n

Testing 222 of 228 binary variables

Removed 162 (72.97%) tested binary variables which had a category with less than 
$\iff 200$ values.

Testing 14 of 15 categorical variables

Removed 10 (71.43%) tested categorical variables which had a category with less 
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$\iff \text{than 200 values.}$$

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```

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```
# 90percent zero filter
discovery_3_pzero = clarite.modify.colfilter_percent_zero(discovery_2_min_cat_n)
replication_3_pzero = clarite.modify.colfilter_percent_zero(replication_2_min_cat_n)
```

```
Running colfilter_percent_zero

Testing 363 of 363 continuous variables

Removed 28 (7.71%) tested continuous variables which were equal to zero in at eleast 90.00% of non-NA observations.

Running colfilter_percent_zero

Testing 440 of 440 continuous variables

Removed 30 (6.82%) tested continuous variables which were equal to zero in at eleast 90.00% of non-NA observations.
```

#### 5.4.5 Summarize

```
# Summarize Results
print("\nDiscovery:")
clarite.describe.summarize(discovery_4_weights)
print('-'*50)
print("Replication:")
clarite.describe.summarize(replication_4_weights)
```

```
Discovery:
9,063 observations of 385 variables
66 Binary Variables
5 Categorical Variables
```

## 5.4.6 Keep only variables that passed QC in both datasets

```
both = set(list(discovery_4_weights)) & set(list(replication_4_weights))
discovery_final = discovery_4_weights[both]
replication_final = replication_4_weights[both]
print(f"{len(both)} variables in common")
```

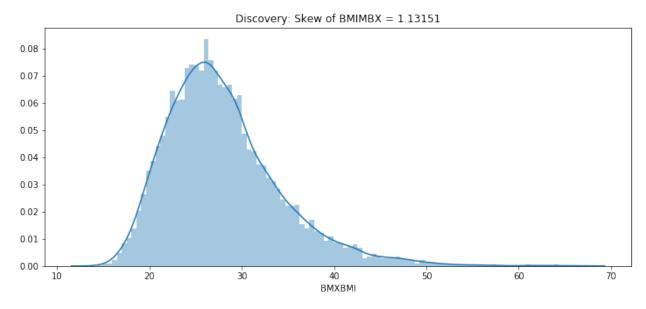
```
341 variables in common
```

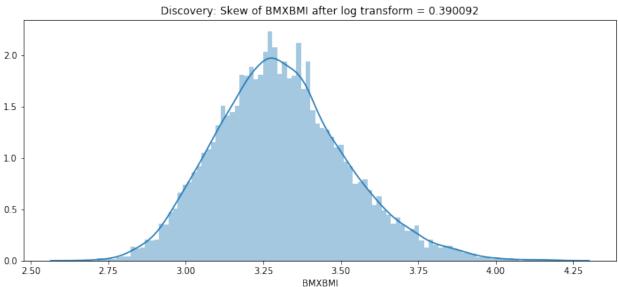
## 5.5 Checking the phenotype distribution

The phenotype appears to be skewed, so it will need to be corrected. CLARITE makes it easy to plot distributions and to transform variables.

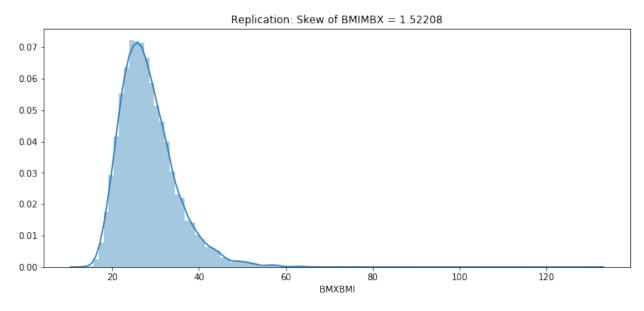
```
Running transform

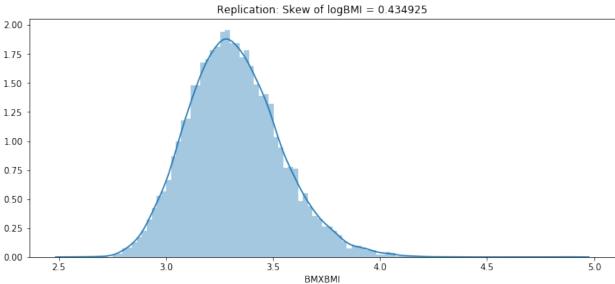
Transformed 'BMXBMI' using 'log'
```





```
Running transform
------
Transformed 'BMXBMI' using 'log'
```





## **5.6 EWAS**

## 5.6.1 Survey Design Spec

When utilizing survey data, a survey design spec object must be created.

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#### 5.6.2 **EWAS**

#### This can then be passed into the EWAS function

```
Running EWAS on a continuous variable
###### Regressing 280 Continuous Variables ######
WARNING: DRD370UQ - 3 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→removed
WARNING: LBXVID has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: URXP24 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: age_stopped_birth_control has non-varying covariates(s): female
WARNING: DR1TCHOL - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: LBX206 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TVB1 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: LBXDIE has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DRD350BQ - 2 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
→removed
WARNING: LBXLYC has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: LBXF09 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TS160 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
→removed
WARNING: DR1TVK has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DRD350FQ - 1 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: DRD370TQ - 1 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: DRD370EQ - 1 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
WARNING: DR1TS100 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: LBXALD has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TCOPP - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were_
\hookrightarrowremoved
WARNING: URXP20 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TSELE - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were_
WARNING: LBX151 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: LBXLUZ has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TLZ has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TPHOS - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
→removed
WARNING: DR1TP204 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were_
→removed
WARNING: LBXCBC has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TPOTA - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
→removed
WARNING: DR1TVB6 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: DR1TVB12 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
→removed
```

```
WARNING: DR1TP184 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were_
WARNING: DR1TP182 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
→ removed
WARNING: DR1TMFAT - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: RHQ556 has non-varying covariates(s): female
WARNING: LBXBEC has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TSUGR has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: URXP02 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DRD370AQ - 2 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
\hookrightarrowremoved
WARNING: LBXEND has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TCRYP has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TKCAL - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→ removed
WARNING: DR1TFIBE - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: DR1TTFAT - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: DR1TZINC - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→ removed
WARNING: LBX110 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: how_long_estrogen has non-varying covariates(s): female
WARNING: LBD199 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: URXMHH has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TTHEO - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→removed
WARNING: DR1TFDFE has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: URXOP4 - 403 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
→ removed
WARNING: DRD350DQ - 1 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were,
→ removed
WARNING: DR1TALCO - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→ removed
WARNING: URXUHG has non-varying covariates(s): female
WARNING: URXP22 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: URXP21 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TSFAT - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: DRD350HQ - 6 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were,
WARNING: URXOP1 - 404 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: DRD370BQ - 5 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: URXOP2 - 404 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→removed
WARNING: DR1TM201 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
→removed
WARNING: DR1TFF has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: URXMOH has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TFA has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TS120 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were,
→removed
WARNING: URXMNM has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: LBX195 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
```

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```
WARNING: DR1TACAR has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DRD370FQ - 1 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→ removed
WARNING: DR1TATOC has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: URXOP3 - 404 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: LBX189 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TP225 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: DR1TP226 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were_
→ removed
WARNING: DR1TP183 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: LBXTHG has non-varying covariates(s): female
WARNING: DR1TBCAR has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DRD370MQ - 1 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: DR1TPFAT - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: DR1TS060 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→ removed
WARNING: DR1TM161 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
WARNING: LBXCRY has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TCALC - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→removed
WARNING: LBXIHG has non-varying covariates(s): female
WARNING: DR1TM221 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→ removed
WARNING: DR1TIRON - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
→removed
WARNING: DRD370DQ - 1 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
→ removed
WARNING: URXOP5 - 403 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→ removed
WARNING: DR1TPROT - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were,
WARNING: DR1TVARA has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TCARB - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: DR1TMAGN - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were,
WARNING: DR1TM181 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: DR1TS140 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
→ removed
WARNING: DR1TVC - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→removed
WARNING: LBX196 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: age_started_birth_control has non-varying covariates(s): female
WARNING: URXP01 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: LBXD02 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: URXMIB has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: LBX149 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: LBXALC has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TS180 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
→removed
```

```
WARNING: DR1TVB2 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
WARNING: DR1TCAFF - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were_
→ removed
WARNING: DR1TLYCO has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: LBX087 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: LBXV3A has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TP205 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
→ removed
WARNING: LBX194 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TNIAC - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: URXUUR has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DRD350AQ - 1 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
WARNING: URXMC1 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DR1TS040 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were_
WARNING: URXOP6 - 403 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
WARNING: DR1TS080 - 14 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→ removed
WARNING: DR1TRET has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: LBX028 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
###### Regressing 48 Binary Variables ######
WARNING: DRD350A - 6 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→ removed
WARNING: DRD350B - 6 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were_
→removed
WARNING: current_loud_noise - 925 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero_
→weights were removed
WARNING: LBXBV has non-varying covariates(s): female, SDDSRVYR
WARNING: ordinary_salt - 19 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights.
⇒were removed
WARNING: ordinary_salt has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: taking_birth_control has non-varying covariates(s): female
WARNING: LBXMS1 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DRD370A - 10 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→ removed
WARNING: DRD370F - 10 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
WARNING: SXQ280 has non-varying covariates(s): female
WARNING: DRD350F - 6 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were_
WARNING: DRD350G - 6 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→removed
WARNING: DRD370B - 10 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were_
WARNING: DRD370U - 10 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were,
WARNING: DRD370D - 10 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
WARNING: LBXHBC - 5808 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
WARNING: DRD370T - 10 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
                                                                         (continues on next page)
 →removed
```

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```
WARNING: DRD340 - 22 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
WARNING: DRD350H - 6 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
→removed
WARNING: RHQ540 has non-varying covariates(s): female
WARNING: DRD350D - 6 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were_
→ removed
WARNING: DRD370M - 10 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
- removed
WARNING: DRD360 - 21 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were_
→removed
WARNING: no_salt - 19 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were_
WARNING: no_salt has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DRD370E - 10 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→ removed
WARNING: RHQ510 has non-varying covariates(s): female
###### Regressing 4 Categorical Variables ######
WARNING: DBD100 - 9 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→ removed
WARNING: DBD100 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
Completed EWAS
```

There is a separate function for adding pvalues with multiple-test-correction applied.

```
clarite.analyze.add_corrected_pvalues(ewas_discovery)
```

Saving results is straightforward

```
ewas_discovery.to_csv(output + "/BMI_Discovery_Results.txt", sep="\t")
```

### 5.6.3 Selecting top results

Variables with an FDR less than 0.1 were selected (using standard functionality from the Pandas library, since the ewas results are simply a Pandas DataFrame).

```
significant_discovery_variables = ewas_discovery[ewas_discovery['pvalue_fdr']<0.1].

→index.get_level_values('Variable')
print(f"Using {len(significant_discovery_variables)} variables based on FDR-corrected_
→pvalues from the discovery dataset")</pre>
```

```
Using 100 variables based on FDR-corrected pvalues from the discovery dataset
```

## 5.7 Replication

The variables with low FDR in the discovery dataset were analyzed in the replication dataset

#### 5.7.1 Filter out variables

```
keep_cols = list(significant_discovery_variables) + covariates + [phenotype]
replication_final_sig = clarite.modify.colfilter(replication_final, only=keep_cols)
clarite.describe.summarize(replication_final_sig)
```

### 5.7.2 Run Replication EWAS

```
survey_design_replication
```

```
Running EWAS on a continuous variable

####### Regressing 85 Continuous Variables ######

WARNING: URXP24 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR

WARNING: age_stopped_birth_control has non-varying covariates(s): female

WARNING: LBXODT has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR

WARNING: LBX206 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR

WARNING: LBX170 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR

WARNING: LBX099 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR

WARNING: URXP20 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR

WARNING: URXP10 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR

WARNING: LBX156 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR

WARNING: LBX118 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR

WARNING: LBX118 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR

WARNING: LBX105 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR

WARNING: LBXD05 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR

WARNING: LBD199 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
```

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```
WARNING: LBXHPE has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: URXOP1 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: URXP15 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: LBXMIR has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: URXOP3 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: LBXHXC has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: LBXME has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: LBX180 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: LBX196 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: age_started_birth_control has non-varying covariates(s): female
WARNING: LBXF04 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: URXP03 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: LBXIRN has non-varying covariates(s): female
WARNING: LBX194 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DUQ110 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
###### Regressing 13 Binary Variables ######
WARNING: DUQ100 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: LBXHBC - 6318 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
WARNING: SMQ210 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: ever_loud_noise_gt3 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: ever_loud_noise_gt3_2 has non-varying covariates(s): SDDSRVYR
WARNING: DRD370M - 19 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were
→ removed
WARNING: DRD370E - 19 observation(s) with missing, negative, or zero weights were.
→removed
###### Regressing 2 Categorical Variables ######
Completed EWAS
```

#### ## Compare results

```
# Combine results
ewas_keep_cols = ['pvalue', 'pvalue_bonferroni', 'pvalue_fdr']
combined = pd.merge(ewas_discovery[['Variable_type'] + ewas_keep_cols],
                   ewas_replication[ewas_keep_cols],
                   left_index=True, right_index=True, suffixes=("_disc", "_repl"))
# FDR < 0.1 in both
fdr_significant = combined.loc[(combined['pvalue_fdr_disc'] <= 0.1) & (combined[</pre>
→'pvalue_fdr_repl'] <= 0.1),]</pre>
fdr_significant = fdr_significant.assign(m=fdr_significant[['pvalue_fdr_disc',
→'pvalue_fdr_repl']].mean(axis=1))\
                                .sort_values('m').drop('m', axis=1)
fdr_significant.to_csv(output + "/Significant_Results_FDR_0.1.txt", sep="\t")
print(f"{len(fdr_significant)} variables had FDR < 0.1 in both discovery and_</pre>
→replication")
# Bonferroni < 0.05 in both
bonf_significant05 = combined.loc[(combined['pvalue_bonferroni_disc'] <= 0.05) &_
bonf_significant05 = bonf_significant05.assign(m=fdr_significant[['pvalue_bonferroni_
→disc', 'pvalue_bonferroni_repl']].mean(axis=1))\
```

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```
.sort_values('m').drop('m', axis=1)
bonf_significant05.to_csv(output + "/Significant_Results_Bonferroni_0.05.txt", sep="\t

.")
print(f"{len(bonf_significant05)} variables had Bonferroni < 0.05 in both discovery_
...
and replication")

# Bonferroni < 0.01 in both
bonf_significant01 = combined.loc[(combined['pvalue_bonferroni_disc'] <= 0.01) &_
...
(combined['pvalue_bonferroni_repl'] <= 0.01),]
bonf_significant01 = bonf_significant01.assign(m=fdr_significant[['pvalue_bonferroni_...
...
disc', 'pvalue_bonferroni_repl']].mean(axis=1))\
...
...
...
...
...
...
bonf_significant01.to_csv(output + "/Significant_Results_Bonferroni_0.01.txt", sep="\t
...
...
...
print(f"{len(bonf_significant01)} variables had Bonferroni < 0.01 in both discovery_
...
...
...
...
...
...
...
bonf_significant01.head()
```

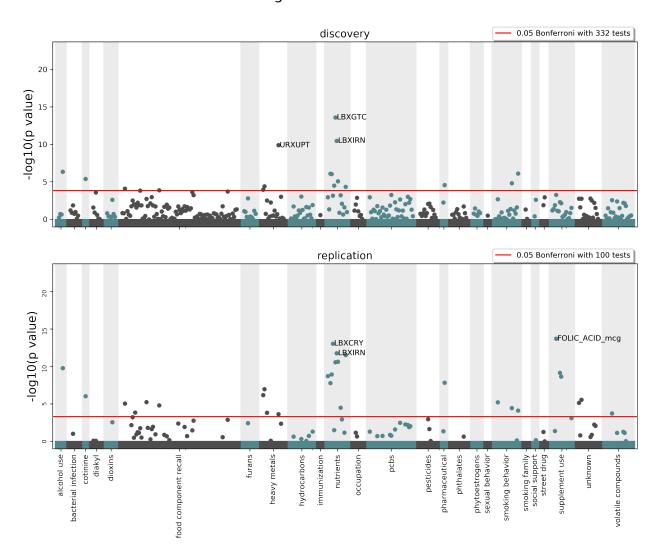
```
63 variables had FDR < 0.1 in both discovery and replication
16 variables had Bonferroni < 0.05 in both discovery and replication
10 variables had Bonferroni < 0.01 in both discovery and replication
```

# 5.8 Manhattan Plots

CLARITE provides functionality for generating highly customizable Manhattan plots from EWAS results

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# Weighted EWAS Results



# CHAPTER 6

# Complex Survey Data

CLARITE provides preliminary support for handling complex survey designs, similar to how the r-package *survey* works.

A SurveyDesignSpec can be created, which is used to obtain survey design objects for specific variables:

There are a few different options for the 'single\_cluster' parameter, which controls how strata with single clusters are handled in the linearized covariance calculation:

- error Throw an error
- scaled Use the average value of other strata
- centered Use the average of all observations
- certainty Single-cluster strata don't contribute to the variance

After a SurveyDesignSpec is created, it can be passed into the ewas function to utilize the survey design parameters:

```
ewas_discovery = clarite.analyze.ewas("logBMI", covariates, nhanes_discovery_bin, 

→nhanes_discovery_cat, nhanes_discovery_cont, sd_discovery, cov_method='stata')
```

# CHAPTER 7

# **API** Reference

If you are looking for information on a specific function, class or method, this part of the documentation is for you.

# 7.1 API Reference

CLARITE functions are organized into several modules:

# 7.1.1 Analyze

EWAS and associated calculations

ewas(phenotype, covariates, data,)	Run an EWAS on a phenotype.
<pre>add_corrected_pvalues(ewas_result)</pre>	Add bonferroni and FDR pvalues to an ewas re-
	sult and sort by increasing FDR (in-place)

### clarite.analyze.ewas

```
clarite.analyze.ewas (phenotype: str, covariates: List[str], data: pan-
das.core.frame.DataFrame, survey_design_spec:
Union[clarite.modules.survey.survey_design.SurveyDesignSpec,
NoneType] = None, cov_method: Union[str, NoneType] = 'stata',
min_n: Union[int, NoneType] = 200)
```

Run an EWAS on a phenotype.

### Note:

- Binary variables are treated as continuous features, with values of 0 and 1.
- The results of a likelihood ratio test are used for categorical variables, so no Beta values or SE are reported.

- The regression family is automatically selected based on the type of the phenotype. \* Continuous phenotypes use gaussian regression \* Binary phenotypes use binomial regression (the larger of the two values is counted as "success")
- Categorical variables run with a survey design will not report Diff\_AIC

#### **Parameters**

**phenotype: string** The variable to be used as the output of the regressions

**covariates:** list (strings), The variables to be used as covariates. Any variables in the DataFrames not listed as covariates are regressed.

**data: pd.DataFrame** The data to be analyzed, including the phenotype, covariates, and any variables to be regressed.

**survey\_design\_spec: SurveyDesignSpec or None** A SurveyDesignSpec object is used to create SurveyDesign objects for each regression.

**cov\_method: str or None** Covariance calculation method (if survey\_design\_spec is passed in). 'stata' or 'jackknife'

min\_n: int or None Minimum number of complete-case observations (no NA values for phenotype, covariates, variable, or weight) Defaults to 200

#### Returns

```
df: pd.DataFrame EWAS results DataFrame with these columns: ['variable_type', 'N', 'beta', 'SE', 'var_pvalue', 'LRT_pvalue', 'diff_AIC', 'pvalue']
```

### **Examples**

# clarite.analyze.add\_corrected\_pvalues

```
clarite.analyze.add_corrected_pvalues (ewas_result)

Add bonferroni and FDR pvalues to an ewas result and sort by increasing FDR (in-place)
```

#### **Parameters**

```
ewas_result: pd.DataFrame EWAS results DataFrame with these columns: ['Variable_type', 'Converged', 'N', 'Beta', 'SE', 'Variable_pvalue', 'LRT_pvalue', 'Diff_AIC', 'pvalue']
```

### Returns

None

### **Examples**

```
>>> clarite.analyze.add_corrected_pvalues(ewas_discovery)
```

### 7.1.2 Describe

Functions that are used to gather information about some data

correlations(data, threshold)	Return variables with pearson correlation above
	the threshold
freq_table(data)	Return the count of each unique value for all bi-
	nary and categorical variables.
get_types(data)	Return the type of each variable
percent_na(data)	Return the percent of observations that are NA for
	each variable
skewness(data, dropna)	Return the skewness of each continuous variable
summarize(data)	Print the number of each type of variable and the
	number of observations

### clarite.describe.correlations

clarite.describe.correlations (data: pandas.core.frame.DataFrame, threshold: float = 0.75)

Return variables with pearson correlation above the threshold

### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame The DataFrame to be described

**threshold: float, between 0 and 1** Return a dataframe listing pairs of variables whose absolute value of correlation is above this threshold

#### Returns

**result: pd.DataFrame** DataFrame listing pairs of correlated variables and their correlation value

### **Examples**

```
>>> import clarite
>>> correlations = clarite.describe.correlations(df, threshold=0.9)
>>> correlations.head()
                   var1
                             var2 correlation
  supplement_count DSDCOUNT
0
                                1.000000
          DR1TM181 DR1TMFAT
1
                                 0.997900
2
           DR1TP182 DR1TPFAT
                                 0.996172
3
           DRD370FQ
                    DRD370UQ
                                  0.987974
4
           DR1TS160 DR1TSFAT
                                  0.984733
```

### clarite.describe.freq\_table

clarite.describe.freq\_table(data: pandas.core.frame.DataFrame)

Return the count of each unique value for all binary and categorical variables. Other variables will return a single row with a value of '<Non-Categorical Values>' and the number of non-NA values.

#### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame The DataFrame to be described

#### Returns

**result: pd.DataFrame** DataFrame listing variable, value, and count for each categorical variable

### **Examples**

```
>>> import clarite
>>> clarite.describe.freq_table(df).head(n=10)
   variable value count
                                                2 4872
0
                SDDSRVYR
                SDDSRVYR
                                                   4191
1
                                                1
2
                  female
                                                1
                                                   4724
3
                  female
                                                   4339
                                                0
4 how_many_years_in_house
                                                5 2961
5 how_many_years_in_house
                                                3 1713
6 how_many_years_in_house
                                                2 1502
7 how_many_years_in_house
                                                1 1451
8 how_many_years_in_house
                                                4 1419
9
                LBXPFDO <Non-Categorical Values> 1032
```

### clarite.describe.get\_types

clarite.describe.get\_types (data: pandas.core.frame.DataFrame)
 Return the type of each variable

### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame The DataFrame to be described

#### Returns

result: pd.Series Series listing the CLARITE type for each variable

### **Examples**

```
>>> import clarite
>>> clarite.describe.get_types(df).head()
RIDAGEYR continuous
female binary
black binary
mexican binary
other_hispanic binary
dtype: object
```

### clarite.describe.percent\_na

clarite.describe.percent\_na (data: pandas.core.frame.DataFrame)

Return the percent of observations that are NA for each variable

### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame The DataFrame to be described

### Returns

**result: pd.DataFrame** DataFrame listing percent NA for each variable

## **Examples**

```
>>> import clarite
>>> clarite.describe.percent_na(df)
    variable percent_na
0 SDDSRVYR     0.00000
1    female     0.00000
2    LBXHBC     4.99321
3    LBXHBS     4.98730
```

### clarite.describe.skewness

clarite.describe.skewness (data: pandas.core.frame.DataFrame, dropna: bool = False)
Return the skewness of each continuous variable

#### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame The DataFrame to be described

**dropna: bool** If True, drop rows with NA values before calculating skew. Otherwise the NA values propagate.

#### Returns

**result: pd.DataFrame** DataFrame listing three values for each continuous variable and NA for others: skew, zscore, and pvalue The test null hypothesis is that the skewness of the samples population is the same as the corresponding

normal distribution. The pvalue is the two-sided pvalue for the hypothesis test

### **Examples**

### clarite.describe.summarize

clarite.describe.summarize (data: pandas.core.frame.DataFrame)

Print the number of each type of variable and the number of observations

### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame The DataFrame to be described

Returns

result: None

### **Examples**

```
>>> import clarite
>>> clarite.describe.get_types(df).head()
RIDAGEYR continuous
female binary
black binary
mexican binary
other_hispanic binary
dtype: object
```

### 7.1.3 Load

Load data from different formats or sources

<pre>from_tsv(filename, index_col, int,)</pre>	Load data from a tab-separated file into a
	DataFrame
from_csv(filename, index_col, int,)	Load data from a comma-separated file into a
	DataFrame

### clarite.load.from\_tsv

Load data from a tab-separated file into a DataFrame

### **Parameters**

filename: str or Path File with data to be used in CLARITE

index\_col: int or string (default 0) Column to use as the row labels of the DataFrame.

\*\*kwargs: Other keword arguments to pass to pd.read\_csv

### Returns

**DataFrame** The index column will be used when merging

### **Examples**

Load a tab-delimited file with an "ID" column

```
>>> import clarite
>>> df = clarite.import.from_tsv('nhanes.txt', index_col="SEQN")
Loaded 22,624 observations of 970 variables
```

### clarite.load.from\_csv

### **Parameters**

**filename: str or Path** File with data to be used in CLARITE

index\_col: int or string (default 0) Column to use as the row labels of the DataFrame.

\*\*kwargs: Other keword arguments to pass to pd.read\_csv

### Returns

DataFrame The index column will be used when merging

# **Examples**

Load a tab-delimited file with an "ID" column

```
>>> import clarite
>>> df = clarite.import.from_csv('nhanes.csv', index_col="SEQN")
Loaded 22,624 observations of 970 variables
```

# **7.1.4 Modify**

Functions used to filter and/or change some data, always taking in one set of data and returning one set of data.

categorize(data, cat_min, cat_max,	Classify variables into constant, binary, categori-
cont_min)	cal, continuous, and 'unknown'.
colfilter(data, skip, List[str],)	Remove some variables (skip) or keep only cer-
	tain variables (only)
colfilter_percent_zero(data, fil-	Remove continuous variables which have <pro-< td=""></pro-<>
ter_percent,)	portion> or more values of zero (excluding NA)
colfilter_min_n(data, n, skip, List[str],	Remove variables which have less than <n> non-</n>
)	NA values
colfilter_min_cat_n(data, n, skip,)	Remove binary and categorical variables which
	have less than <n> occurences of each unique</n>
	value
make_binary(data, skip, List[str],)	Set variable types as Binary
<pre>make_categorical(data, skip, List[str],)</pre>	Set variable types as Categorical
make_continuous(data, skip, List[str],)	Set variable types as Numeric
merge_observations(top, bottom)	Merge two datasets, keeping only the columns
	present in both.
merge_variables(left,)	Merge a list of dataframes with different variables
	side-by-side.
move_variables(left, right,)	Move one or more variables from one DataFrame
	to another
recode_values(data, replacement_dict, skip,	Convert values in a dataframe.
)	
remove_outliers(data, method[, cutoff])	Remove outliers from continuous variables by re-
	placing them with np.nan
rowfilter_incomplete_obs(data, skip,	Remove rows containing null values
)	
transform(data, transform_method, skip,)	Apply a transformation function to a variable

#### clarite.modify.categorize

Classify variables into constant, binary, categorical, continuous, and 'unknown'. Drop variables that only have NaN values.

#### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame The DataFrame to be processed

cat\_min: int, default 3 Minimum number of unique, non-NA values for a categorical variable

cat\_max: int, default 6 Maximum number of unique, non-NA values for a categorical variable

cont\_min: int, default 15 Minimum number of unique, non-NA values for a continuous variable

#### Returns

**result: pd.DataFrame or None** If inplace, returns None. Changes the datatypes on the input DataFrame.

### **Examples**

### clarite.modify.colfilter

### **Parameters**

```
data: pd.DataFrame The DataFrame to be processed and returned skip: str, list or None (default is None) List of variables to remove only: str, list or None (default is None) List of variables to keep
```

#### Returns

data: pd.DataFrame The filtered DataFrame

### **Examples**

### clarite.modify.colfilter\_percent\_zero

```
clarite.modify.colfilter_percent_zero (data: pandas.core.frame.DataFrame, fil-
ter_percent: float = 90.0, skip: Union[str,
List[str], NoneType] = None, only:
Union[str, List[str], NoneType] = None)
Remove continuous variables which have proportion> or more values of zero (excluding NA)
```

#### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame The DataFrame to be processed and returned

**filter\_percent: float, default 90.0** If the percentage of rows in the data with a value of zero is greater than or equal to this value, the variable is filtered out.

**skip: str, list or None (default is None)** List of variables that the filter should *not* be applied to

**only: str, list or None (default is None)** List of variables that the filter should *only* be applied to

### Returns

data: pd.DataFrame The filtered DataFrame

### **Examples**

#### clarite.modify.colfilter min n

Remove variables which have less than <n> non-NA values

#### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame The DataFrame to be processed and returned

**n: int, default 200** The minimum number of unique values required in order for a variable not to be filtered

**skip: str, list or None (default is None)** List of variables that the filter should *not* be applied to

**only: str, list or None (default is None)** List of variables that the filter should *only* be applied to

#### **Returns**

data: pd.DataFrame The filtered DataFrame

### **Examples**

### clarite.modify.colfilter min cat n

Remove binary and categorical variables which have less than <n> occurences of each unique value

#### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame The DataFrame to be processed and returned

**n: int, default 200** The minimum number of occurences of each unique value required in order for a variable not to be filtered

**skip: str, list or None (default is None)** List of variables that the filter should *not* be applied to

**only: str, list or None (default is None)** List of variables that the filter should *only* be applied to

#### Returns

data: pd.DataFrame The filtered DataFrame

### **Examples**

### clarite.modify.make binary

Set variable types as Binary

Checks that each variable has at most 2 values and converts the type to pd.Categorical.

Note: When these variables are used in regression, they are ordered by value. For example, Sex (Male=1, Female=2) will encode "Male" as 0 and "Female" as 1 during the EWAS regression step.

#### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame or pd.Series Data to be processed

**skip: str, list or None (default is None)** List of variables that should *not* be made binary

**only: str, list or None (default is None)** List of variables that are the *only* ones to be made binary

### Returns

**data:** pd.DataFrame DataFrame with the same data but validated and converted to binary types

### **Examples**

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```
Set 4 of 970 variable(s) as binary, each with 22,624 observations
```

### clarite.modify.make\_categorical

Set variable types as Categorical

Converts the type to pd.Categorical

### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame or pd.Series Data to be processed

**skip: str, list or None (default is None)** List of variables that should *not* be made categorical

**only: str, list or None (default is None)** List of variables that are the *only* ones to be made categorical

### Returns

**data:** pd.DataFrame DataFrame with the same data but validated and converted to categorical types

#### **Examples**

### clarite.modify.make continuous

Set variable types as Numeric

Converts the type to numeric

#### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame or pd.Series Data to be processed

**skip: str, list or None (default is None)** List of variables that should *not* be made continuous

**only: str, list or None (default is None)** List of variables that are the *only* ones to be made continuous

#### Returns

data: pd.DataFrame DataFrame with the same data but validated and converted to numeric types

### **Examples**

### clarite.modify.merge observations

Merge two datasets, keeping only the columns present in both. Raise an error if a datatype conflict occurs.

### **Parameters**

```
top: pd.DataFrame "top" DataFrame
```

bottom: pd.DataFrame "bottom" DataFrame

### Returns

result: pd.DataFrame

### clarite.modify.merge\_variables

```
clarite.modify.merge_variables (left: Union[pandas.core.frame.DataFrame, pandas.core.series.Series], right: Union[pandas.core.frame.DataFrame, pandas.core.series.Series], how: str = outer)
```

Merge a list of dataframes with different variables side-by-side. Keep all observations ('outer' merge) by default.

### **Parameters**

```
left: pd.Dataframe or pd.Series "left" DataFrame or Series
```

**right: pd.DataFrame or pd.Series** "right" DataFrame or Series which uses the same index

how: merge method, one of {'left', 'right', 'inner', 'outer'} Keep only rows present in the left data, the right data, both datasets, or either dataset.

### **Examples**

```
>>> import clarite
>>> df = clarite.modify.merge_variables(df_bin, df_cat, how='outer')
```

#### clarite.modify.move variables

```
clarite.modify.move_variables (left: pandas.core.frame.DataFrame, right: Union[pandas.core.frame.DataFrame, pandas.core.series.Series], skip: Union[str, List[str], NoneType] = None, only: Union[str, List[str], NoneType] = None)
```

Move one or more variables from one DataFrame to another

#### **Parameters**

left: pd.Dataframe DataFrame containing the variable(s) to be moved

**right: pd.DataFrame or pd.Series** DataFrame or Series (which uses the same index) that the variable(s) will be moved to

skip: str, list or None (default is None) List of variables that will not be moved

only: str, list or None (default is None) List of variables that are the *only* ones to be moved

#### Returns

**left: pd.DataFrame** The first DataFrame with the variables removed **right: pd.DataFrame** The second DataFrame with the variables added

### **Examples**

### clarite.modify.recode values

```
clarite.modify.recode_values (data, replacement_dict, skip: Union[str, List[str], None-
Type] = None, only: Union[str, List[str], NoneType] =
None)
```

Convert values in a dataframe. By default, replacement occurs in all columns but this may be modified with 'skip' or 'only'. Pandas has more powerful 'replace' methods for more complicated scenarios.

### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame The DataFrame to be processed and returned

**replacement\_dict: dictionary** A dictionary mapping the value being replaced to the value being inserted

**skip: str, list or None (default is None)** List of variables that the replacement should *not* be applied to

only: str, list or None (default is None) List of variables that the replacement should only be applied to

### **Examples**

### clarite.modify.remove\_outliers

Remove outliers from continuous variables by replacing them with np.nan

#### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame The DataFrame to be processed and returned

**method: string, 'gaussian' (default) or 'iqr'** Define outliers using a gaussian approach (standard deviations from the mean) or inter-quartile range

**cutoff: positive numeric, default of 3** Either the number of standard deviations from the mean (method='gaussian') or the multiple of the IQR (method='iqr') Any values equal to or more extreme will be replaced with np.nan

**skip: str, list or None (default is None)** List of variables that the replacement should *not* be applied to

**only: str, list or None (default is None)** List of variables that the replacement should *only* be applied to

### **Examples**

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```
>>> nhanes_rm_outliers = clarite.modify.remove_outliers(nhanes, only=[

→'DR1TVB1', 'URXP07'])

Running remove_outliers

------

WARNING: 36 variables need to be categorized into a type manually
Removing outliers from 2 continuous variables with values more than 3_

→standard deviations from the mean

Removed 0 low and 42 high gaussian outliers from URXP07 (outside_

→-1,194.83 to 1,508.13)

Removed 0 low and 301 high gaussian outliers from DR1TVB1_

→(outside -1.06 to 4.27)
```

# clarite.modify.rowfilter\_incomplete\_obs

Remove rows containing null values

#### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame The DataFrame to be processed and returned

**skip: str, list or None (default is None)** List of columns that are not checked for null values

only: str, list or None (default is None) List of columns that are the only ones to be checked for null values

#### Returns

data: pd.DataFrame The filtered DataFrame

### **Examples**

### clarite.modify.transform

Apply a transformation function to a variable

#### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame or pd.Series Data to be processed

**transform\_method: str** Name of the transformation (Python function or NumPy ufunc to apply)

skip: str, list or None (default is None) List of variables that will not be transformed

**only: str, list or None (default is None)** List of variables that are the *only* ones to be transformed

#### Returns

data: pd.DataFrame DataFrame with variables that have been transformed

### **Examples**

### 7.1.5 Plot

### Functions that generate plots

histogram(data, column, figsize, int] = (12,	Plot a histogram of the values in the given col-
)	umn.
distributions(data, filename,)	Create a pdf containing histograms for each bi-
	nary or categorical variable, and one of several
	types of plots for each continuous variable.
manhattan(dfs, pan-	Create a Manhattan-like plot for a list of EWAS
das.core.frame.DataFrame],)	Results
manhattan_fdr(dfs,)	Create a Manhattan-like plot for a list of EWAS
	Results using FDR significance
manhattan_bonferroni(dfs,)	Create a Manhattan-like plot for a list of EWAS
	Results using Bonferroni significance
top_results(ewas_result, pvalue_name,)	Create a dotplot for EWAS Results showing pval-
	ues and beta coefficients

### clarite.plot.histogram

Plot a histogram of the values in the given column. Takes kwargs for seaborn's distplot.

### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame The DataFrame containing data to be plotted

**column: string** The name of the column that will be plotted

figsize: tuple(int, int), default (12, 5) The figure size of the resulting plot

title: string or None, default None The title used for the plot

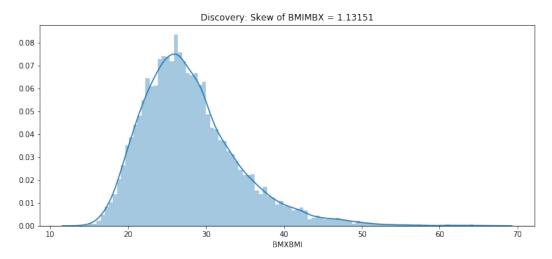
**figure: matplotlib Figure or None, default None** Pass in an existing figure to plot to that instead of creating a new one (ignoring figsize)

\*\*kwargs: Other keyword arguments to pass to the distplot function of Seaborn

### Returns

None

### **Examples**



### clarite.plot.distributions

Create a pdf containing histograms for each binary or categorical variable, and one of several types of plots for each continuous variable.

### **Parameters**

data: pd.DataFrame The DataFrame containing data to be plotted

**filename: string** Name of the saved pdf file. The extension will be added automatically if it was not included.

**continuous\_kind: string** What kind of plots to use for continuous data. Binary and Categorical variables will always be shown with histograms. One of { 'count', 'box', 'violin', 'qq'}

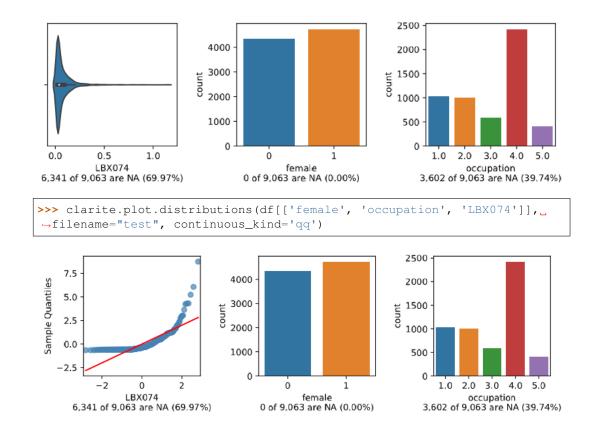
```
nrows: int (default=4) Number of rows per page
ncols: int (default=3) Number of columns per page
quality: 'low', 'medium', or 'high' Adjusts the DPI of the plots (150, 300, or 1200)
variables: List[str] or None Which variables to plot. If None, all variables are plotted.
sort: Boolean (default=True) Whether or not to sort variable names
Returns
```

None

### **Examples**

```
>>> import clarite
>>> clarite.plot.distributions(df[['female', 'occupation', 'LBX074']],_
→filename="test")
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                                                                        2.0 3.0 4.0
                                                                                     5.0
             LBX074
                                            female
                                                                          occupation
   6,341 of 9,063 are NA (69.97%)
                                     0 of 9,063 are NA (0.00%)
                                                                  3,602 of 9,063 are NA (39,74%)
>>> clarite.plot.distributions(df[['female', 'occupation', 'LBX074']],
 →filename="test", continuous_kind='box')
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                                   female
0 of 9,063 are NA (0,00%)
          LBX074
                                                                          occupation
                                                                  3,602 of 9,063 are NA (39,74%)
 6,341 of 9,063 are NA (69.97%)
>>> clarite.plot.distributions(df[['female',
                                                       'occupation', 'LBX074']],
→filename="test", continuous_kind='violin')
```

```
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```



### clarite.plot.manhattan

clarite.plot.manhattan (dfs: Dict[str, pandas.core.frame.DataFrame], categories:

Dict[str, str] = {}, bonferroni: Union[float, NoneType] =

0.05, fdr: Union[float, NoneType] = None, num\_labeled:

int = 3, label\_vars: List[str] = [], figsize: Tuple[int, int] =

(12, 6), dpi: int = 300, title: Union[str, NoneType] = None,

figure: Union[figure, NoneType] = None, colors: List[str]

= ['#53868B', '#4D4D4D'], background\_colors: List[str] =

['#EBEBEB', '#FFFFFF'], filename: Union[str, NoneType] =

None)

Create a Manhattan-like plot for a list of EWAS Results

#### **Parameters**

**dfs: DataFrame** Dictionary of dataset names to pandas dataframes of ewas results (requires certain columns)

**categories: dictionary (string: string)** A dictionary mapping each variable name to a category name

**bonferroni: float or None (default 0.05)** Show a cutoff line at the pvalue corresponding to a given bonferroni-corrected pvalue

**fdr: float or None (default None)** Show a cutoff line at the pvalue corresponding to a given fdr

num\_labeled: int, default 3 Label the top <num\_labeled> results with the variable
name

label\_vars: list of strings, default empty list Label the named variables

figsize: tuple(int, int), default (12, 6) The figure size of the resulting plot in inches

dpi: int, default 300 The figure dots-per-inch

title: string or None, default None The title used for the plot

**figure: matplotlib Figure or None, default None** Pass in an existing figure to plot to that instead of creating a new one (ignoring figsize and dpi)

**colors:** List(string, string), default ["#53868B", "#4D4D4D"] A list of colors to use for alternating categories (must be same length as 'background\_colors')

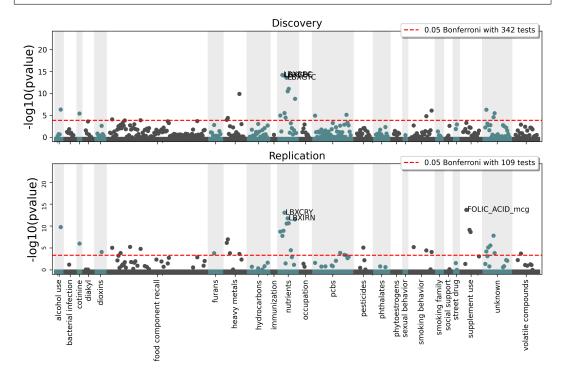
background\_colors: List(string, string), default ["#EBEBEB", "#FFFFFF"] A list of background colors to use for alternating categories (must be same length as 'colors')

**filename: Optional str** If provided, a copy of the plot will be saved to the specified file

#### **Returns**

None

### **Examples**



#### clarite.plot.manhattan fdr

```
clarite.plot.manhattan_fdr (dfs: Dict[str, pandas.core.frame.DataFrame], categories:

Dict[str, str] = {}, cutoff: Union[float, NoneType] = 0.05,
num_labeled: int = 3, label_vars: List[str] = [], figsize:
Tuple[int, int] = (12, 6), dpi: int = 300, title: Union[str,
NoneType] = None, figure: Union[figure, NoneType] =
None, colors: List[str] = ['#53868B', '#4D4D4D'], back-
ground_colors: List[str] = ['#EBEBEB', '#FFFFFF'],
filename: Union[str, NoneType] = None)
```

Create a Manhattan-like plot for a list of EWAS Results using FDR significance

#### **Parameters**

**dfs: DataFrame** Dictionary of dataset names to pandas dataframes of ewas results (requires certain columns)

**categories: dictionary (string: string)** A dictionary mapping each variable name to a category name

**cutoff: float or None (default 0.05)** The pvalue to draw the FDR significance line at (None for no line)

num\_labeled: int, default 3 Label the top <num\_labeled> results with the variable
name

label\_vars: list of strings, default empty list Label the named variables

figsize: tuple(int, int), default (12, 6) The figure size of the resulting plot in inches

dpi: int, default 300 The figure dots-per-inch

title: string or None, default None The title used for the plot

**figure:** matplotlib Figure or None, default None Pass in an existing figure to plot to that instead of creating a new one (ignoring figsize and dpi)

**colors:** List(string, string), default ["#53868B", "#4D4D4D"] A list of colors to use for alternating categories (must be same length as 'background\_colors')

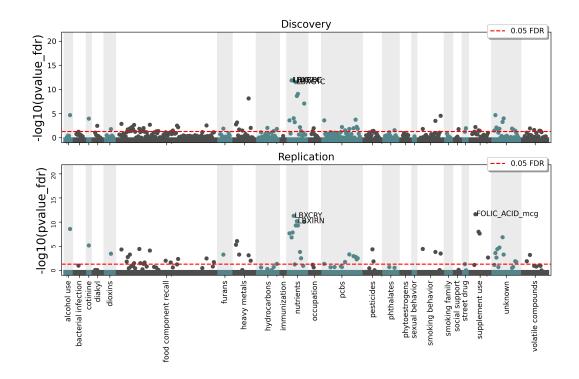
background\_colors: List(string, string), default ["#EBEBEB", "#FFFFFF"] A list of background colors to use for alternating categories (must be same length as 'colors')

**filename: Optional str** If provided, a copy of the plot will be saved to the specified file

#### Returns

None

### **Examples**



### clarite.plot.manhattan bonferroni

Create a Manhattan-like plot for a list of EWAS Results using Bonferroni significance

#### **Parameters**

**dfs: DataFrame** Dictionary of dataset names to pandas dataframes of ewas results (requires certain columns)

**categories: dictionary (string: string)** A dictionary mapping each variable name to a category name

**cutoff: float or None** (**default 0.05**) The pvalue to draw the Bonferroni significance line at (None for no line)

num\_labeled: int, default 3 Label the top <num\_labeled> results with the variable
name

label\_vars: list of strings, default empty list Label the named variables

figsize: tuple(int, int), default (12, 6) The figure size of the resulting plot in inches dpi: int, default 300 The figure dots-per-inch

title: string or None, default None The title used for the plot

**figure: matplotlib Figure or None, default None** Pass in an existing figure to plot to that instead of creating a new one (ignoring figsize and dpi)

**colors:** List(string, string), default ["#53868B", "#4D4D4D"] A list of colors to use for alternating categories (must be same length as 'background\_colors')

background\_colors: List(string, string), default ["#EBEBEB", "#FFFFFF"] A list of background colors to use for alternating categories (must be same length as 'colors')

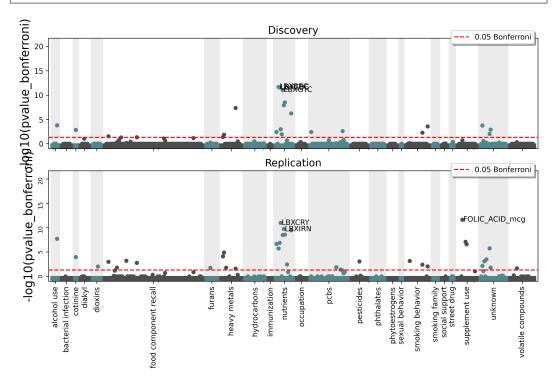
**filename: Optional str** If provided, a copy of the plot will be saved to the specified file

#### **Returns**

None

### **Examples**

```
>>> clarite.plot.manhattan_bonferroni({'discovery':disc_df, 'replication 
→':repl_df},
categories=data_categories, title="EWAS Results")
```



### clarite.plot.top\_results

```
clarite.plot.top_results (ewas_result: pandas.core.frame.DataFrame, pvalue_name:

str = 'pvalue', cutoff: float = 0.05, num_rows: int = 20, file-
name: Union[str, NoneType] = None)

Create a dotplot for EWAS Results showing pvalues and beta coefficients
```

#### **Parameters**

ewas\_result: DataFrame EWAS Result to plot

pvalue\_name: str 'pvalue', 'pvalue\_fdr', or 'pvalue\_bonferroni'

**cutoff: float (default 0.05)** A vertical line is drawn in the pvalue column to show a significance cutoff

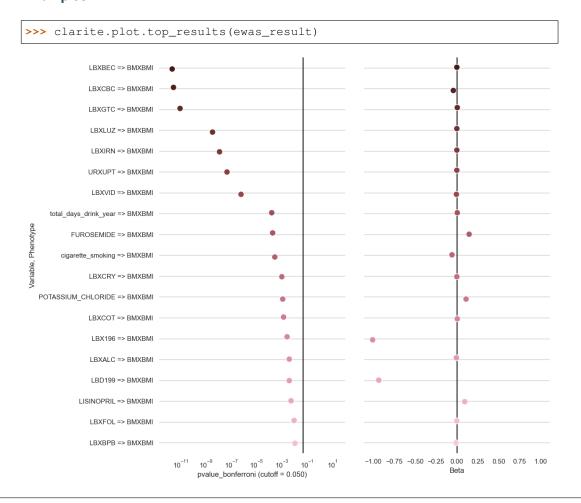
num\_rows: int (default 20) How many rows to show in the plot

**filename: Optional str** If provided, a copy of the plot will be saved to the specified

Returns

None

### **Examples**



# **7.1.6 Survey**

Complex survey design

```
SurveyDesignSpec(survey_df, strata, cluster,...) Holds parameters for building a statsmodels SurveyDesign object
```

### clarite.survey.SurveyDesignSpec

```
class clarite.survey.SurveyDesignSpec (survey\_df: pan-das.core.frame.DataFrame, strata: Optional[str] = None, cluster: Optional[str] = None, nest: bool = False, weights: Union[str, Dict[str, str]] = None, fpc: Optional[str] = None, single\_cluster: Optional[str] = 'fail', drop\_unweighted: bool = False)
```

Holds parameters for building a statsmodels SurveyDesign object

#### **Parameters**

survey\_df: pd.DataFrame A DataFrame containing Cluster, Strata, and/or weights data

strata: string or None The name of the strata variable in the survey\_df

cluster: string or None The name of the cluster variable in the survey\_df

**nest: bool, default False** Whether or not the clusters are nested in the strata (The same cluster IDs are repeated in different strata)

weights: string or dictionary(string:string) The name of the weights variable in the survey\_df, or a dictionary mapping variable names to weight names

**fpc: string or None** The name of the variable in the survey\_df that contains the finite population correction information. This reduces variance when a substantial portion of the population is sampled. May be specified as the total population size, or the fraction of the population that was sampled.

**single\_cluster: str** Setting controlling variance calculation in single-cluster ('lonely psu') strata 'fail': default, throw an error 'adjust': use the average of all observations (more conservative) 'average': use the average value of other strata 'certainty': that strata doesn't contribute to the variance (0 variance)

**drop\_unweighted: bool, default False** If True, drop observations that are missing a weight value. This may not be statistically sound. Otherwise the result for variables with missing weights (when the variable is not missing) is NULL.

### **Examples**

\_\_init\_\_ (self, survey\_df: pandas.core.frame.DataFrame, strata: Union[str, NoneType] = None, cluster: Union[str, NoneType] = None, nest: bool = False, weights: Union[str, Dict[str, str]] = None, fpc: Union[str, NoneType] = None, single\_cluster: Union[str, NoneType] = 'fail', drop\_unweighted: bool = False)
Initialize self. See help(type(self)) for accurate signature.

### **Methods**

init(self, survey_df, strata,)		Initialize self.
get_survey_design(self,	regres-	Build a survey design based on the regression
sion_variable,)		variable

**CLI** Reference

Documentation for using the CLI

# 8.1 CLI Reference

Once CLARITE is installed, the command line interface can be run using the clarte-cli command.

The command line interface has command groups that are the same as the modules in the package (except for *survey*).

The --help option will show documentation when run with any command or command group:

```
$ clarite-cli --help
Usage: clarite-cli [OPTIONS] COMMAND [ARGS]...

Options:
--help Show this message and exit.

Commands:
   analyze
   describe
   load
   modify
   plot
```

# 8.1.1 –skip and –only

Many commands in the CLI have the *skip* and *only* options. These will limit the command to specific variables. If *skip* is specified, all variables except the specified ones will be processed. If *only* is specified, only the specified variables will be processed.

Only one or the other option may be used in a single command. They may be passed in any combination of two ways:

1. As the name of a file containing one variable name per line

2. As the variable name specfied directly in the terminal

For example:

results in:

### 8.1.2 Commands

### clarite-cli analyze

```
clarite-cli analyze [OPTIONS] COMMAND [ARGS]...
```

### add-corrected-pvals

Get FDR-corrected and Bonferroni-corrected pvalues

```
clarite-cli analyze add-corrected-pvals [OPTIONS] EWAS_RESULT OUTPUT
```

### **Arguments**

### EWAS\_RESULT

Required argument

## OUTPUT

Required argument

### ewas

### Run an EWAS analysis

```
clarite-cli analyze ewas [OPTIONS] PHENOTYPE DATA OUTPUT
```

# **Options**

### **Options** stataljackknife

### --min-n <min\_n>

Minimum number of complete cases needed to run a regression

### --survey-data <survey\_data>

Tab-separated data file with survey weights, strata IDs, and/or cluster IDs. Must have an 'ID' column.

#### --strata <strata>

Name of the strata column in the survey data

### --cluster <cluster>

Name of the cluster column in the survey data

#### --nested, --not-nested

Whether survey data is nested or not

### --weights-file <weights\_file>

Tab-delimited data file with 'Variable' and 'Weight' columns to match weights from the survey data to specific variables

#### -w, --weight <weight>

Name of a survey weight column found in the survey data. This option can't be used with -weights-file

### --fpc <fpc>

Name of the finite population correction column in the survey data

### --single-cluster <single\_cluster>

How to handle singular clusters

**Options** failladjustlaveragelcertainty

### **Arguments**

#### PHENOTYPE

Required argument

### DATA

Required argument

### OUTPUT

Required argument

### ewas-r

### Run an EWAS analysis using R

```
clarite-cli analyze ewas-r [OPTIONS] PHENOTYPE DATA OUTPUT
```

### **Options**

### -c, --covariate <covariate>

Covariates

## --covariance-calc <covariance\_calc>

Covariance calculation method

**Options** stataljackknife

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#### --min-n <min n>

Minimum number of complete cases needed to run a regression

### --survey-data <survey\_data>

Tab-separated data file with survey weights, strata IDs, and/or cluster IDs. Must have an 'ID' column.

#### --strata <strata>

Name of the strata column in the survey data

#### --cluster <cluster>

Name of the cluster column in the survey data

### --nested, --not-nested

Whether survey data is nested or not

### --weights-file <weights\_file>

Tab-delimited data file with 'Variable' and 'Weight' columns to match weights from the survey data to specific variables

### -w, --weight <weight>

Name of a survey weight column found in the survey data. This option can't be used with -weights-file

#### --fpc <fpc>

Name of the finite population correction column in the survey data

### --single-cluster <single\_cluster>

How to handle singular clusters

**Options** failladjustlaveragelcertainty

### **Arguments**

### PHENOTYPE

Required argument

#### DATA

Required argument

### OUTPUT

Required argument

### get-significant

filter out non-significant results

```
clarite-cli analyze get-significant [OPTIONS] EWAS_RESULT OUTPUT
```

### **Options**

### --fdr, --bonferroni

Use FDR (-fdr) or Bonferroni pvalues (-bonferroni). FDR by default.

# -p, --pvalue <pvalue>

Keep results with a pvalue <= this value (0.05 by default)

#### EWAS RESULT

Required argument

## OUTPUT

Required argument

## clarite-cli describe

```
clarite-cli describe [OPTIONS] COMMAND [ARGS]...
```

## correlations

## Report top correlations between variables

```
clarite-cli describe correlations [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT
```

## **Options**

-t, --threshold <threshold>
 Report correlations with R >= this value

## **Arguments**

#### DATA

Required argument

## OUTPUT

Required argument

## freq-table

## Report the number of occurences of each value for each variable

```
clarite-cli describe freq-table [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT
```

## **Arguments**

## DATA

Required argument

## OUTPUT

Required argument

## get-types

Get the type of each variable

clarite-cli describe get-types [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT

## **Arguments**

#### DATA

Required argument

## OUTPUT

Required argument

## percent-na

Report the percent of observations that are NA for each variable

clarite-cli describe percent-na [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT

## **Arguments**

## DATA

Required argument

#### OUTPUT

Required argument

## skewness

Report and test the skewness for each continuous variable

clarite-cli describe skewness [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT

## **Options**

## --dropna, --keepna

Omit NA values before calculating skew

## **Arguments**

## DATA

Required argument

## OUTPUT

Required argument

## clarite-cli load

clarite-cli load [OPTIONS] COMMAND [ARGS]...

#### from-csv

Load data from a comma-separated file and save it in the standard format

clarite-cli load from-csv [OPTIONS] INPUT OUTPUT

## **Options**

-i, --index <index>

Name of the column to use as the index. Default is the first column.

-s, --skip <skip>

variables to skip. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

-o, --only <only>

variables to process, skipping all others. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

## **Arguments**

#### INPUT

Required argument

## OUTPUT

Required argument

#### from-tsv

Load data from a tab-separated file and save it in the standard format

```
clarite-cli load from-tsv [OPTIONS] INPUT OUTPUT
```

## **Options**

-i, --index <index>

Name of the column to use as the index. Default is the first column.

-s, --skip <skip>

variables to skip. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

-o, --only <only>

variables to process, skipping all others. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

INPUT

Required argument

OUTPUT

Required argument

## clarite-cli modify

```
clarite-cli modify [OPTIONS] COMMAND [ARGS]...
```

## categorize

Categorize data based on the number of unique values

```
clarite-cli modify categorize [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT
```

## **Options**

```
--cat_min <cat_min>
```

Minimum number of unique values in a variable to make it a categorical type

--cat\_max <cat\_max>

Maximum number of unique values in a variable to make it a categorical type

--cont\_min <cont\_min>

Minimum number of unique values in a variable to make it a continuous type

## **Arguments**

DATA

Required argument

OUTPUT

Required argument

## colfilter

Remove some variables from a dataset

```
clarite-cli modify colfilter [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT
```

## **Options**

```
-s, --skip <skip>
```

variables to skip. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

-o, --only <only>

variables to process, skipping all others. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

#### DATA

Required argument

## OUTPUT

Required argument

## colfilter-min-cat-n

Filter variables based on a minimum number of non-NA observations per category

```
clarite-cli modify colfilter-min-cat-n [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT
```

## **Options**

**-n** <n>

Remove variables with less than this many non-na observations in each category

- -s, --skip <skip> variables to skip. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.
- -o, --only <only> variables to process, skipping all others. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

## **Arguments**

#### DATA

Required argument

## OUTPUT

Required argument

## colfilter-min-n

Filter variables based on a minimum number of non-NA observations

```
clarite-cli modify colfilter-min-n [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT
```

## **Options**

**-n** <n>

Remove variables with less than this many non-na observations

- -s, --skip <skip> variables to skip. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.
- -o, --only <only> variables to process, skipping all others. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

#### DATA

Required argument

## OUTPUT

Required argument

## colfilter-percent-zero

Filter variables based on the fraction of observations with a value of zero

```
clarite-cli modify colfilter-percent-zero [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT
```

## **Options**

- -p, --filter-percent <filter\_percent>
   Remove variables when the percentage of observations equal to 0 is >= this value (0 to 100)
- -s, --skip <skip> variables to skip. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.
- -o, --only <only> variables to process, skipping all others. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

## **Arguments**

#### DATA

Required argument

## OUTPUT

Required argument

## drop-extra-categories

Remove extra categories from categorical datatypes

```
clarite-cli modify drop-extra-categories [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT
```

## **Options**

- -s, --skip <skip> variables to skip. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.
- -o, --only <only> variables to process, skipping all others. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

#### DATA

Required argument

## OUTPUT

Required argument

## make-binary

Set the type of variables to 'binary'

```
clarite-cli modify make-binary [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT
```

## **Options**

```
-s, --skip <skip> variables to skip. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.
```

-o, --only <only> variables to process, skipping all others. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

## **Arguments**

#### DATA

Required argument

#### OUTPUT

Required argument

## make-categorical

Set the type of variables to 'categorical'

```
clarite-cli modify make-categorical [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT
```

## **Options**

```
-s, --skip <skip> variables to skip. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.
```

```
-o, --only <only> variables to process, skipping all others. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.
```

## **Arguments**

#### DATA

Required argument

## OUTPUT

Required argument

#### make-continuous

Set the type of variables to 'continuous'

clarite-cli modify make-continuous [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT

## **Options**

- -s, --skip <skip> variables to skip. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.
- -o, --only <only> variables to process, skipping all others. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

## **Arguments**

#### DATA

Required argument

#### OUTPUT

Required argument

## merge-observations

Merge observations from two different datasets into one

clarite-cli modify merge-observations [OPTIONS] TOP BOTTOM OUTPUT

## **Arguments**

#### TOP

Required argument

## BOTTOM

Required argument

#### OUTPUT

Required argument

## merge-variables

Merge variables from two different datasets into one

clarite-cli modify merge-variables [OPTIONS] LEFT RIGHT OUTPUT

## **Options**

-h, --how <how>
 Type of Merge

**Options** leftlrightlinnerlouter

#### LEFT

Required argument

## RIGHT

Required argument

#### OUTPUT

Required argument

#### move-variables

Move variables from one dataset to another

```
clarite-cli modify move-variables [OPTIONS] LEFT RIGHT
```

## **Options**

```
--output_left <output_left>
--output_right <output_right>
-s, --skip <skip>
    variables to skip. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.
-o, --only <only>
    variables to process, skipping all others. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.
```

## **Arguments**

## LEFT

Required argument

## RIGHT

Required argument

## recode-values

Replace values in the data with other values. The value being replaced ('current') and the new value ('replacement') are specified with their type, and only one may be included for each. If it is not specified, the value being replaced or being inserted is None.

```
clarite-cli modify recode-values [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT
```

## **Options**

```
--current-str <cs>
    Replace occurences of this string value
--current-int <ci>
    Replace occurences of this integer value
```

#### --current-float <cf>

Replace occurences of this float value

## --replacement-str <rs>

Insert this string value

## --replacement-int <ri>

Insert this integer value

## --replacement-float <rf>

Insert this float value

## -s, --skip <skip>

variables to skip. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

## -o, --only <only>

variables to process, skipping all others. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

## **Arguments**

#### DATA

Required argument

#### OUTPUT

Required argument

#### remove-outliers

Replace outlier values with NaN. Outliers are defined using a gaussian or IQR approach.

```
clarite-cli modify remove-outliers [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT
```

## **Options**

-m, --method <method>

**Options** gaussianliqr

- -c, --cutoff <cutoff>
- -s, --skip <skip>

variables to skip. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

-o, --only <only>

variables to process, skipping all others. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

## **Arguments**

## DATA

Required argument

#### OUTPUT

Required argument

## rowfilter

Select some rows from a dataset using a simple comparison, keeping rows where the comparison is True.

clarite-cli modify rowfilter [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT COLUMN

## **Options**

#### --value-str <vs>

Compare values in the column to this string

## --value-int <vi>

Compare values in the column to this integer

#### --value-float <vf>

Compare values in the column to this floating point number

## -c, --comparison <comparison>

Keep rows where the value of the column is lt (<), lte (<=), eq (==), gte (>=), or gt (>) the specified value. Eq by default.

Options Itllteleqlgtelgt

## **Arguments**

#### DATA

Required argument

#### OUTPUT

Required argument

#### COLUMN

Required argument

## rowfilter-incomplete-obs

Filter out observations that are not complete cases (contain no NA values)

```
clarite-cli modify rowfilter-incomplete-obs [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT
```

## **Options**

```
-s, --skip <skip>
```

variables to skip. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

-o, --only <only>

variables to process, skipping all others. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

## **Arguments**

#### DATA

Required argument

#### OUTPUT

Required argument

## transform-variable

Apply a function to each value of a variable

clarite-cli modify transform-variable [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT TRANSFORM\_METHOD

## **Options**

- -s, --skip <skip> variables to skip. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.
- -o, --only <only> variables to process, skipping all others. Either individual names, or a file containing one name per line.

## **Arguments**

#### DATA

Required argument

## OUTPUT

Required argument

## TRANSFORM\_METHOD

Required argument

## clarite-cli plot

```
clarite-cli plot [OPTIONS] COMMAND [ARGS]...
```

#### distributions

Generate a pdf containing distribution plots for each variable

```
clarite-cli plot distributions [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT
```

## **Options**

-k, --kind <kind>

Kind of plot used for continuous data. Non-continuous always shows a count plot.

**Options** countlbox|violin|qq

--nrows <nrows>

Number of rows per page

--ncols <ncols>

Number of columns per page

```
-q, --quality <quality>
```

Quality of the generated plots: low (150 dpi), medium (300 dpi), or high (1200 dpi).

Options lowlmediumlhigh

## --sort, --no-sort

Sort variables alphabetically

## **Arguments**

#### DATA

Required argument

#### OUTPUT

Required argument

## histogram

## Create a histogram plot of a variable

```
clarite-cli plot histogram [OPTIONS] DATA OUTPUT VARIABLE
```

## **Arguments**

## DATA

Required argument

#### OUTPUT

Required argument

## VARIABLE

Required argument

## manhattan

## Generate a manhattan plot of EWAS results

other datasets to include in the plot

```
clarite-cli plot manhattan [OPTIONS] EWAS_RESULT OUTPUT
```

## **Options**

```
-c, --categories <categories>
    tab-separate file with two columns: 'Variable' and 'category'
--bonferroni <bonferroni>
    cutoff value to plot bonferroni-adjusted pvalue line
--fdr <fdr>
    cutoff value to plot fdr-adjusted pvalue line
-o, --other <other>
```

```
--nlabeled <nlabeled>
label top n points
```

--label <label>
 label points by name

## **Arguments**

#### EWAS RESULT

Required argument

#### OUTPUT

Required argument

#### manhattan-bonferroni

Generate a manhattan plot of EWAS results showing Bonferroni-corrected pvalues

```
clarite-cli plot manhattan-bonferroni [OPTIONS] EWAS_RESULT OUTPUT
```

## **Options**

```
-c, --categories <categories>
    tab-separate file with two columns: 'Variable' and 'category'
--cutoff <cutoff>
    cutoff value for plotting the significance line
--fdr <fdr>
    cutoff value to plot Bonferroni-adjusted pvalue line
-o, --other <other>
    other datasets to include in the plot
```

--nlabeled <nlabeled>
label top n points

--label <label>
 label points by name

## **Arguments**

#### EWAS RESULT

Required argument

## OUTPUT

Required argument

## manhattan-fdr

Generate a manhattan plot of EWAS results showing FDR-corrected pvalues

```
clarite-cli plot manhattan-fdr [OPTIONS] EWAS_RESULT OUTPUT
```

## **Options**

```
-c, --categories <categories>
    tab-separate file with two columns: 'Variable' and 'category'
--cutoff <cutoff>
    cutoff value for plotting the significance line
--fdr <fdr>
    cutoff value to plot fdr-adjusted pvalue line
-o, --other <other>
    other datasets to include in the plot
--nlabeled <nlabeled>
    label top n points
--label <label>
    label points by name
```

## **Arguments**

## EWAS\_RESULT

Required argument

## OUTPUT

Required argument

# CHAPTER 9

## **Additional Notes**

Release History, etc

## 9.1 Release History

## 9.1.1 v0.10.0 (2020-05-28)

## **Enhancements**

- Manhattan plot split into three functions (raw, bonferroni, and fdr) and now has a custom threshold parameter
- Use Pandas v1.0+
- Refactored regression objects to simplify internal code and potentially allow for more types of regression in the future
- Added an ewas\_r function that seamlessly runs the ewas analysis in R, using the R *survey* library \* This is recommended when using weights, as the python version has some inconsistencies in some edge cases
- · Added a skewness function
- Added a top\_results plot
- Add a *drop\_unweighted* parameter to the *SurveyDesignSpec* to provide an easy (if potentially incorrect) workaround for observations with missing weights

## **Fixes**

- · Provide a warning and a convenience function when categorical types have categories with no occurrences
- Catch errors when categorizing variables with many unique string values
- · Corrected some edge-case EWAS results when using weights in the presence of missing values
- Avoid some cryptic errors by ensuring the input to some functions is a DataFrame and not a Series

## **Tests**

Many additional tests were added, especially related to EWAS

## 9.1.2 v0.9.1 (2019-11-20)

Minor documentation update

## 9.1.3 v0.9.0 (2019-10-31)

## **Enhancements**

- Add a figure parameter to histogram and manhattan plots in order to plot to an existing figure
- SurveyDesignSpec can now utilize more parameters, such as fpc
- The larger (numeric or alphabetic) binary variable is always treated as the success case for binary phenotypes
- Improved logging during EWAS, including printing the survey design information
- Extensively updated documentation
- CLARITE now has a logo!

#### **Fixes**

- · Corrected an indexing error that sometimes occurred when removing rows with missing weights
- Improve precision in EWAS results for weighted analyses by using sf instead of 1-cdf
- Change some column names in the EWAS output to be more clear

#### **Tests**

An R script and the output of that script is now included. The R output is compared to the python output in the test suite in order to ensure analysis result concordance between R and Python for several analysis scenarios.

## 9.1.4 v0.8.0 (2019-09-03)

#### **Enhancements**

- · Allow file input in the command line for skip/only
- Make the manhattan plot function less restrictive of the data passed into it
- Use skip/only in the transform function

#### **Fixes**

• Categorization would silently fail if there was only one variable of a given type

## 9.1.5 v0.7.0 (2019-07-23)

## **Enhancements**

- Improvements to the CLI and printed log messages.
- The functions from the 'Process' module were put into the 'Modify' module.
- Datasets are no longer split apart when categorizing.

## 9.1.6 v0.6.0 (2019-07-11)

Extensive changes in organization, but limited new functionality (not counting the CLI).

#### **Enhancements**

- Reorganize functions https://github.com/HallLab/clarite-python/pull/13
- Add a CLI https://github.com/HallLab/clarite-python/pull/11

## 9.1.7 v0.5.0 (2019-06-28)

## **Enhancements**

- · Added a function to recode values https://github.com/HallLab/clarite-python/issues/4
- Added a function to filter outlier values https://github.com/HallLab/clarite-python/issues/5
- Added a function to generate manhattan plots for multiple datasets together https://github.com/HallLab/ clarite-python/issues/9

## **Fixes**

• Add some validation of input DataFrames to prevent some errors in calculations

#### **Tests**

· Added an initial batch of tests

## 9.1.8 v0.4.0 (2019-06-18)

Support EWAS with binary outcomes. Additional handling of NA values in covariates and the phenotype. Add a 'min\_n' parameter to the ewas function to require a minimum number of observations after removing incomplete cases. Add additional functions including 'plot\_distributions', 'merge\_variables', 'get\_correlations', 'get\_freq\_table', and 'get\_percent\_na'

## 9.1.9 v0.3.0 (2019-05-31)

Add support for complex survey designs

## 9.1.10 v0.2.1 (2019-05-02)

Added documentation for existing functions

## 9.1.11 v0.2.0 (2019-04-30)

First functional version. Mutliple methods are available under a 'clarite' Pandas accessor.

## 9.1.12 v0.1.0 (2019-04-23)

Initial Release

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