
Subject: Re: R group count

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Hi Angus, if I understand correctly you could actually use the frequency function: `frequency(value, column-name)`

If you have a column called 'R-Group', then the two parameters passed to the function are:
`frequency(rGroup, "R-Group")`

The first parameter is the variable name that refers to the actual R-group in the respective row, while the second is the column in which this R-Group's occurrence is counted. If you for instance have a column that contains 'methyl' five times and 'ethyl' two times, then a new column is created that has a '5' in every 'methyl' row and a '2' in every row of which the R-group is 'ethyl'.

The trick is to pass a variable as the first parameter and not a static value.

Does this answer your question?

Thomas
