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## check.cdf.type CDF file format function

## Description

This function returns a text string giving the file format for the supplied filename

## Usage

check.cdf.type(filename)

## Arguments

filename fullpath to a cdf file

## Value

Returns a string which is currently one of:
text the cdf file is of the text format
$x d a \quad$ the cdf file is of the binary format used in GCOS
unknown the parser can not handle this format or does not recognize this file as a CDF file

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```
read.cdffile.list Read CDF file into an R list
```


## Description

This function reads the entire contents of a cdf file into an R list structure

## Usage

```
read.cdffile.list(filename, cdf.path = getwd())
```


## Arguments

```
filename name of CDF file
cdf.path path to cdf file
```


## Details

Note that this function can be very memory intensive with large CDF files.

## Value

returns a list structure. The exact contents may vary depending on the file format of the cdf file (see check.cdf.type)

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```
read.celfile Read a CEL file into an R list
```


## Description

This function reads the entire contents of a CEL file into an R list structure

## Usage

read.celfile(filename, intensity.means.only=FALSE)

## Arguments

filename name of CEL file
intensity.means.only
If TRUE then read on only the MEAN section in INTENSITY

## Details

The list has four main items. HEADER, INTENSITY, MASKS, OUTLIERS. Note that INTENSITY is a list of three vectors MEAN, STDEV, NPIXELS. HEADER is also a list. Both of MASKS and OUTLIERS are matrices.

## Value

returns a list structure. The exact contents may vary depending on the file format of the CEL file

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```
read.celfile.header
    Read header information from cel file
```


## Description

This function reads some of the header information (appears before probe intensity data) from the supplied cel file.

## Usage

read.celfile.header(filename, info=c("basic", "full"), verbose=FALSE)

## Arguments

| filename | name of CEL file. May be fully pathed |
| :--- | :--- |
| info | A string. basic returns the dimensions of the chip and the name of the CDF <br> file used when the CEL file was produced. full returns more information in <br> greater detail. |
| verbose | a logical. When true the parsing routine prints more information, typically <br> useful for debugging. |

## Value

A list data structure.

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```
read.celfile.probeintensity.matrices
    Read PM or MM from CEL file into matrices
```


## Description

This function reads PM, MM or both types of intensities into matrices. These matrices have all the probes for a probeset in adjacent rows

## Usage

```
read.celfile.probeintensity.matrices(filenames, cdfInfo, rm.mask=FALSE, rm.outli
```


## Arguments

filenames a character vector of filenames
$c d f \operatorname{Info} \quad$ a list with items giving PM and MM locations for desired probesets. In same structure as returned by make.cdf.package
rm.mask a logical. Return these probes as NA if there are in the [MASK] section of the CEL file
rm. outliers a logical. Return these probes as NA if there are in the [OUTLIERS] section of the CEL file.
rm.extra a logical. Return these probes as NA if there are in the [OUTLIERS] section of the CEL file.
verbose a logical. When true the parsing routine prints more information, typically useful for debugging.
which a string specifing which probe type to return

## Value

returns a list of matrix items. One matrix contains PM probe intensities, with probes in rows and arrays in columns

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