

# Visualization of data from assays in microtitre plate or slide format

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The `splots` package provides a single function, `plotScreen`, for visualising data in microtitre plate or slide format. Here we show a short demo of its parameters. First, we generate example data:

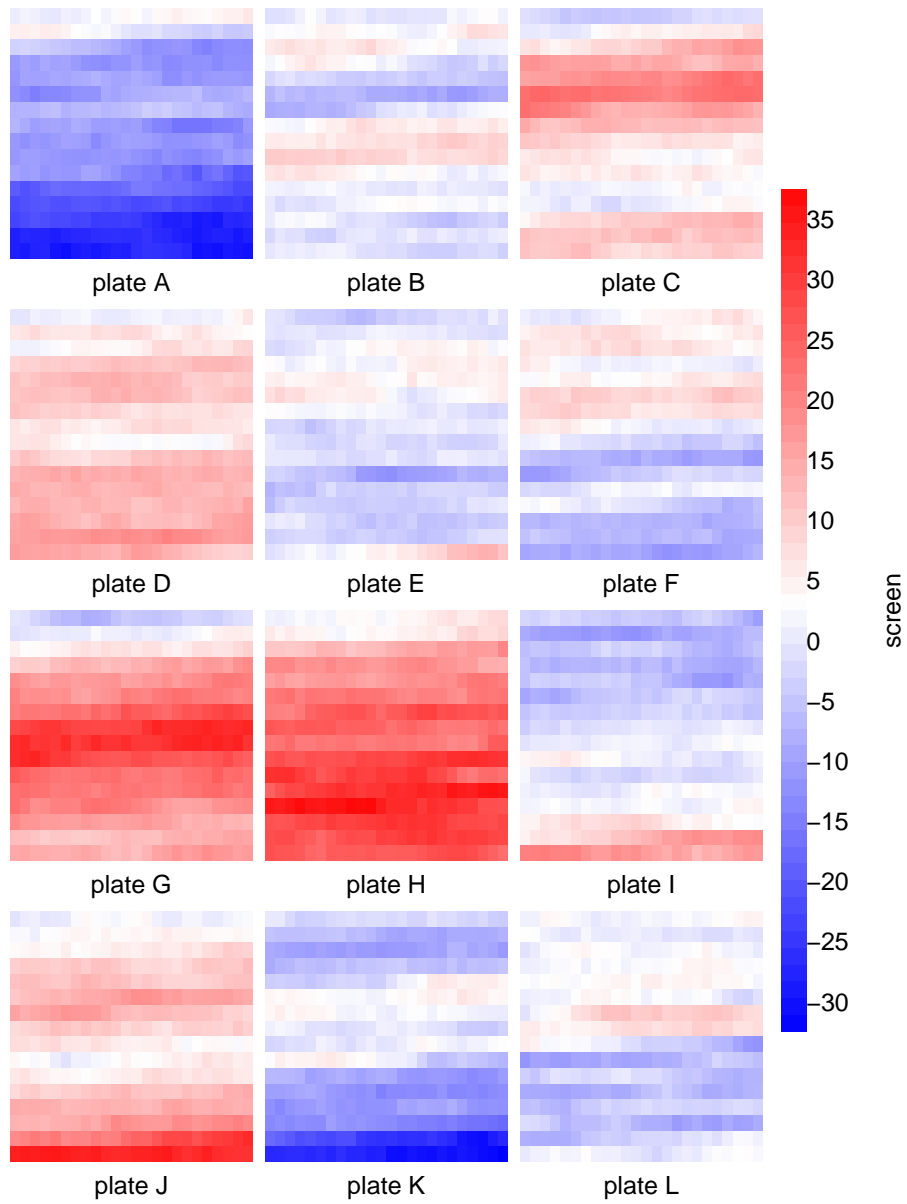
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> library("splots")
> screen = lapply(1:12, function(i) cumsum(rnorm(384)))
> names(screen) = paste("plate", LETTERS[seq(along=screen)])
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> toLatex(sessionInfo())
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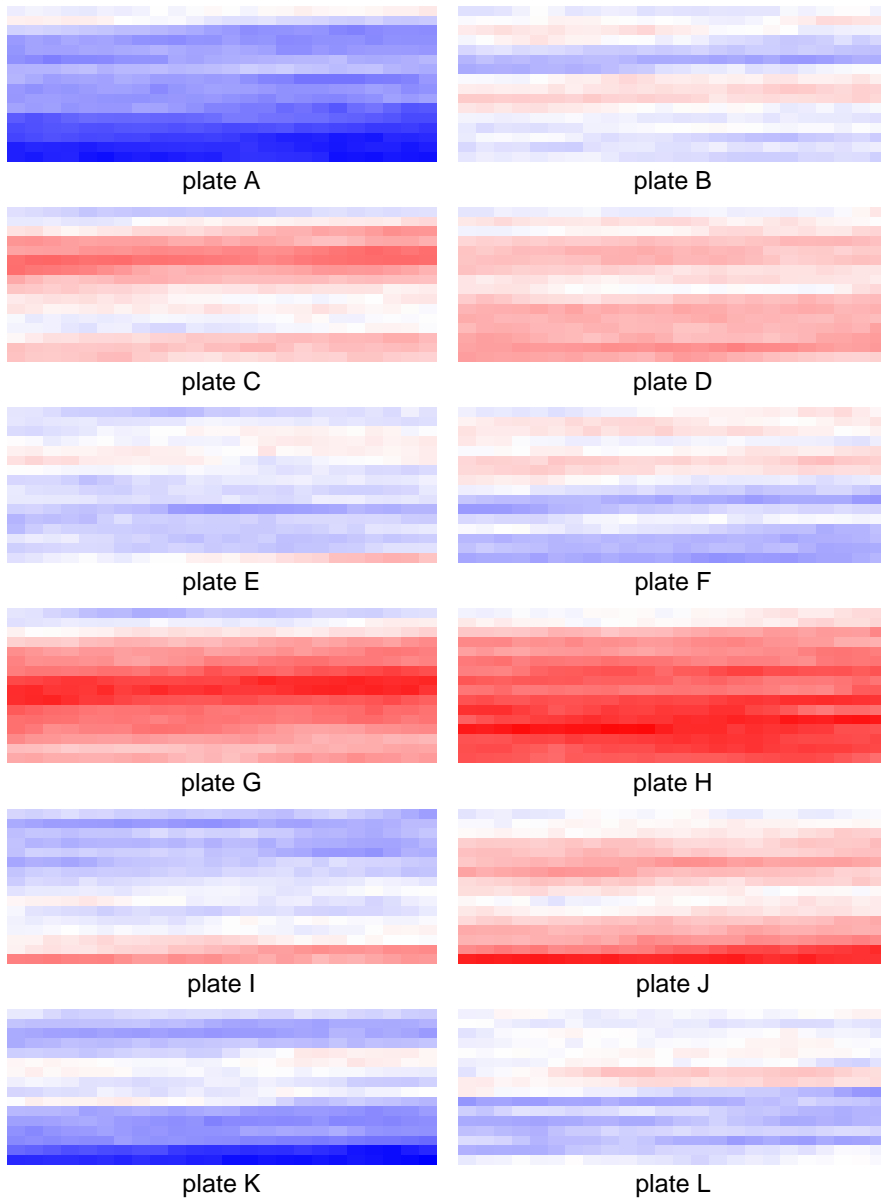
- R version 4.0.0 (2020-04-24), x86\_64-apple-darwin17.0
- Locale: C/en\_US.UTF-8/en\_US.UTF-8/C/en\_US.UTF-8/en\_US.UTF-8
- Running under: macOS Mojave 10.14.6
- Matrix products: default
- BLAS:  
/Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Versions/4.0/Resources/lib/libRblas.dylib
- LAPACK:  
/Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Versions/4.0/Resources/lib/libRlapack.dylib
- Base packages: base, datasets, grDevices, graphics, methods, stats, utils
- Other packages: splots 1.54.0
- Loaded via a namespace (and not attached): RColorBrewer 1.1-2, compiler 4.0.0,  
grid 4.0.0, tools 4.0.0

Table 1: The output of `sessionInfo` on the build system after running this vignette.

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> plotScreen(screen, ncol=3)
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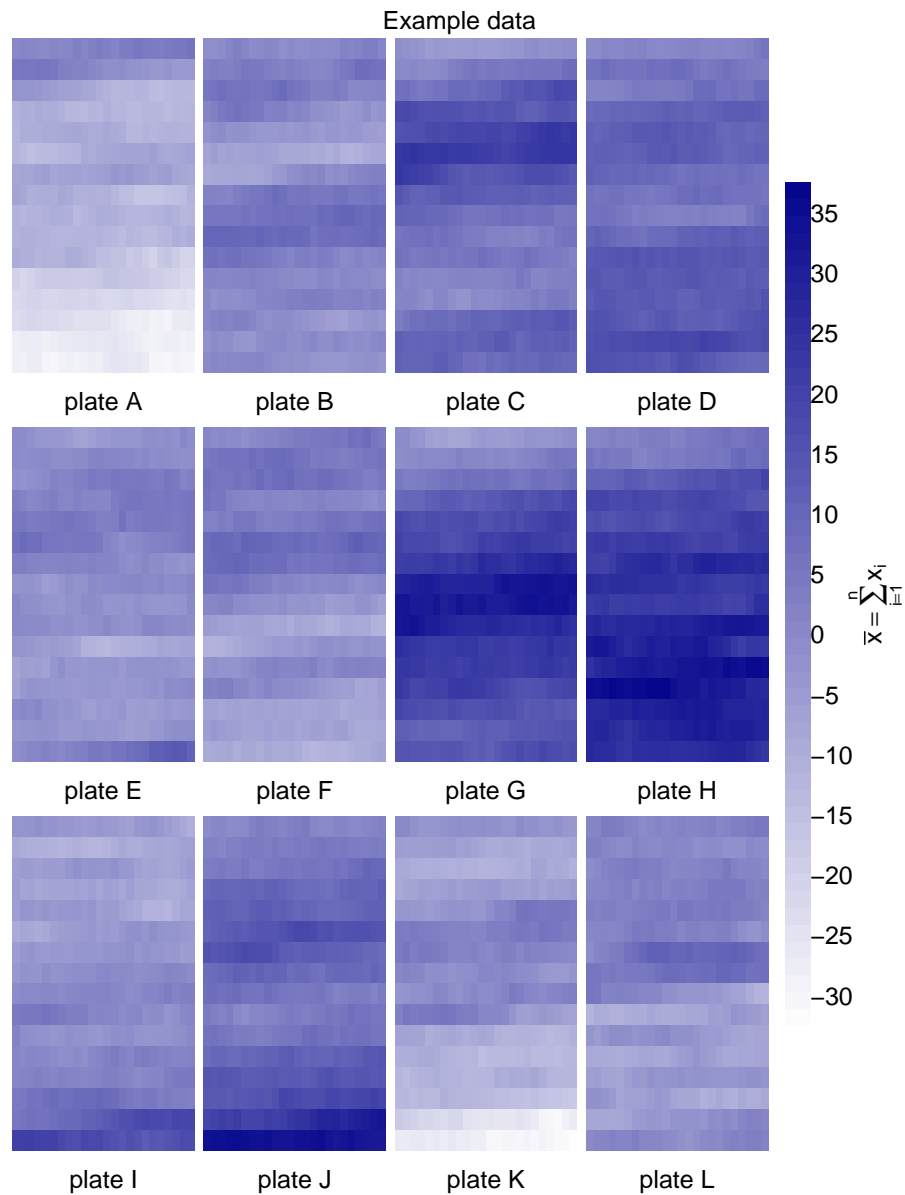
```
> plotScreen(screen, ncol=2, do.legend=FALSE)
```



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> plotScreen(screen, ncol=4, fill=c("white", "darkblue"),
+           main="Example data",
+           legend.label=expression(bar(x) == sum(x[i], i==1, n)))

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> for(i in seq(along=screen))
+   screen[[i]][sample(384, 5)] = NA
> plotScreen(screen, ncol=4, do.names=FALSE,
+           main="Example data", legend.label="Legend label")

```

