# Package 'centralplot’ 

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## Type Package

Title Show the Strength of Relationships Between Centre and Peripheral Items

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Description The degree of correlation between centre and periph-
eral items are shown by the length of the line between them. You can self-define the length by inputing the "distance" parameter. For example, you can input ( 1 - Pearson's correlation coefficient) as "distance" so that the stronger the correlation between centre and peripheral item, the nearer they will be in this plot. Also, If you do a hypothesis test and the null hypothesis is centre and peripheral items are the same, you can input $-\log (\mathrm{P})$ as distance. To sum up, the stronger the correlation between centre and peripheral is, the smaller the "distance" parameter should be. Due to its high degree of freedom, it can be applied to many different circumstance.

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## Description

Show the relationships between centre and peripheral items.

## Usage

centralplot(centrename, dataname, distance, bound, title = "centralplot", color = "\#267ED6", size = 3.5, boundarycolor = "\#EF715E", boundarysize = 1, centretextsize = 3, alpha = 0.5)

## Arguments

| centrename | Name of the centre. |
| :--- | :--- |
| dataname | Name of peripheral items. |
| distance | Distance between centre and peripheral items. |
| bound | A ceriterion to judge whether the relationship is close enough. |
| title | Title of the plot. |
| color | Color of peripheral items. |
| size | Size of peripheral items. |
| boundarycolor | Color of the boundary line. |
| boundarysize | Size of the boundary line. |
| centretextsize | Size of the text for the centre. |
| alpha |  |

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## Examples

```
name <- c('a','b','c')
distance <- c(1,2,3)
bound <- 2.5
centralplot("centre", name,distance,bound)
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