

# Package: PUPMCR (via r-universe)

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Terminology and Known Fungal Pigments

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**Description** Image-based color matching using the "Mycological Colour Chart" by Rayner (1970, ISBN:9780851980263) and its associated fungal pigments. This package will assist mycologists in identifying color during morphological analysis.

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fungalpigments.LAB     *fungalpigments.LAB*

### Description

Generates results for associated fungal pigments / class of compounds based on the CIELAB color matches

### Usage

```
fungalpigments.LAB(fungi, distance.method = "euclidean")
```

### Arguments

fungi                    Image of fungi in transparent background  
distance.method        Metrics for color-matching ("euclidean", or "chisq")

### Value

Fungal pigments, 3D LAB plot, color histogram

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**Examples**

```
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## Not run: fungalpigments.LAB("fungi_image_format")
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fungalpigments.RGB      *fungalpigments.RGB*

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**Description**

Generates results for associated fungal pigments / class of compounds based on the RGB color matches

**Usage**

```
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**Value**

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`hue.LAB`*hue.LAB*

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**Description**

Generates results for hue groups based on the CIELAB color matches

**Usage**

```
hue.LAB(fungi, distance.method = "euclidean")
```

**Arguments**

<code>fungi</code>	Image of fungi in transparent background
<code>distance.method</code>	Metrics for color-matching ("euclidean", or "chisq")

**Value**

Hue groups, 3D LAB plot, color histogram

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raynercolor.LAB      *raynercolor.LAB*

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Generates results for color names from the CIELAB color space

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### Arguments

fungi                      Image of fungi in transparent background  
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### Value

Color names, 3D LAB plot, color histogram

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