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For examples:

|       |   |                           |
|-------|---|---------------------------|
| CC    | : | Central canal             |
| DAB   | : | 3,3'-diaminobenzidine     |
| HRP   | : | Horseradish peroxidase    |
| MS222 | : | Tricaine methanesulfonate |
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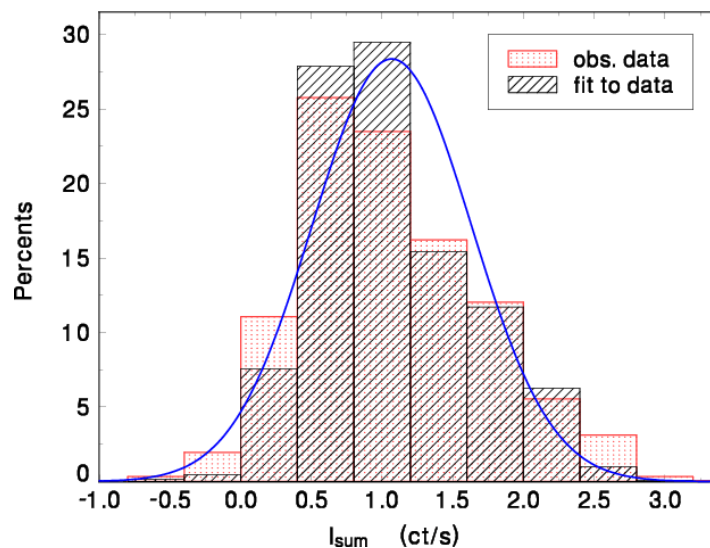
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