

PEM data overview

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- A total of 6 files:
 - **Covariate data**: environmental measurements (e.g. humidity, temperature), individual information (e.g. age, BMI, gender) and technical covariates (with respect to an OMIC platform)
 - **Exposures**: measured and background PM2.5 (Particulate Matter 2.5) and UFP (Ultra Fine Particles)
 - **Inflammatory proteins** (p=13)
 - **Metabolites** (p=11,217)
 - **Transcripts** (p=23,557)
 - **DNA methylation** (p=485,512)

Covariates

```
covar=read.table('Covariates.txt', sep='\t')
dim(covar)
```

```
## [1] 526 19
```

```
head(covar)
```

```
##      subjectidp      temp  relhum gender age session  city  bmi season
## 001A      001A  7.916000 81.16000   Men 58.5      A Turin 22.60 winter
## 001B      001B 16.091667 73.66667   Men 58.5      B Turin 22.92 spring
## 001C      001C 11.770833 34.20833   Men 58.5      C Turin 22.92 Autumn
## 002A      002A  7.630435 82.60870  Women 58.6      A Turin 25.48 winter
## 002B      002B 16.025000 74.37500  Women 58.6      B Turin 25.48 spring
## 002C      002C 14.795833 91.58333  Women 58.6      C Turin 25.48 Autumn
##      physical_act id      date education_adj      chip position plate
## 001A      1.795932  1  1/21/2014              2 200053730042  R03C02      6
## 001B      1.514928  1  05/06/2014              2 200053730042  R01C02      6
## 001C      1.436621  1 10/23/2014              2 200053730042  R01C01     NA
## 002A      1.677509  2  1/21/2014              2 101231030012  R03C02      6
## 002B      1.738323  2  05/06/2014              2      NA      <NA>      6
## 002C      1.738323  2      <NA>              2 101231030012  R03C01     NA
##      isolation labeling hybridization
## 001A      1      1              1
## 001B      1      1              1
## 001C      NA     NA              NA
## 002A      1      1              1
## 002B      1      1              1
## 002C      NA     NA              NA
```

Exposures

```
expo=read.table('Exposures.txt', sep='\t')  
dim(expo) # not the same size
```

```
## [1] 521 10
```

```
head(expo)
```

```
##      subjectidp id pm25_adj_p pm25abs_adj_p pm25_adj_o pm25abs_adj_o  
## 001A      001A  1      22.78          4.004      19.75          5.398  
## 001B      001B  1      10.26          1.690      11.10          1.615  
## 001C      001C  1      16.32          1.661       6.37          1.571  
## 002A      002A  2      13.63          3.578      19.47          4.279  
## 002B      002B  2      11.61          1.795      12.19          2.072  
## 002C      002C  2      15.69          2.228      25.75          3.298  
##      pncmedian modeledpnc modeledpm25abs modeledpm25  
## 001A      12042   13185.75    3.297130    30.95109  
## 001B      12707   13185.75    3.297130    30.95109  
## 001C      11164   13185.75    3.297130    30.95109  
## 002A      12717   13122.62    3.327551    30.95240  
## 002B      11308   13122.62    3.327551    30.95240  
## 002C       9176   13122.62    3.327551    30.95240
```

Proteins

```
proteins=read.table('Proteins.txt', sep='\t')  
dim(proteins) # not the same number of observations
```

```
## [1] 336 13
```

```
range(proteins)
```

```
## [1] 0.07 224562.10
```

⇒ Only positive values: **log-transformation** of the data?

Proteins

```
head(proteins[,1:10])
```

```
##      IL.8.C_imputed EGF.2_imputed MP0.5_imputed VEGF_imputed IL.17_imputed
## 201A           4.61          48.32    25353.53         38.10          3.84
## 201B           6.47          17.82    22707.26         27.68          4.07
## 202A           7.35          29.97    19043.52         69.94          6.79
## 202B           4.28           2.96     9966.67         28.98          5.08
## 203A           6.03          86.09    32180.47         81.81          7.14
## 203B           2.97           3.39    16404.33         31.33          6.10
##      MDC.CC_imputed G.CSF_imputed Eotaxi_imputed CRP_imputed IP.10_imputed
## 201A          379.51           1.91          94.94    3669.236         21.22
## 201B          355.46           3.63           82.13    4041.735         26.67
## 202A          780.20           4.20         167.66    1479.613         48.73
## 202B          620.31           3.63          93.14    1862.627         65.05
## 203A          687.28           3.63          85.83    1390.502         13.98
## 203B          372.38           1.02          78.39    1321.342         17.92
```

⇒ The proteins are on different scales: **rescaling** of the data?

Metabolites

```
metabolites=read.table('Metabolites.txt', sep='\t')  
dim(metabolites) # more variables
```

```
## [1] 400 11217
```

```
range(metabolites, na.rm=TRUE)
```

```
## [1] 10000 145932752
```