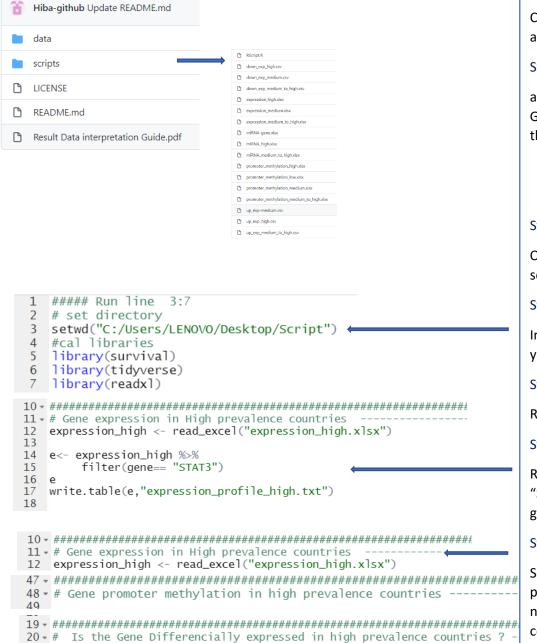
# User guide

- 1. Download data and setting up the R script
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1. Download and Analyze data:



### Step1:

Create a folder in your desktop and name it "Script".

# Step2:

access the "Script" directory in GitHub page and download all the files and the R script.

## Step3:

Open the R script with R studio software.

# Step4:

In line 3, replace the pathway to your own.

## Step5:

Run lines 3 to 7

### Step7:

Replace the gene symbol "STAT3" to your own target gene symbol (in all the Script)

## Step 8:

Select and run the target prevalence sections from the name of the section to the line containing the function "write.table"

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Step 9:
238 - # The miRNA regulating the gene ---
                                                                              Run this section
    miRNA_gene <- read_excel("miRNA-gene.xlsx")</pre>
239
240
241
     miRNA <- miRNA_gene %>%
       filter(gene =="STAT3")
242
243
     miRNA
244
    #export result
     write.table( miRNA , "miRNA_gene.txt" , row.names=F , sep = ",")
245
246
247
240
                                                                              Step10:
251 * # Is the miRNAs expressed in MS in high prevalence countries
252
                                                                              Run the miRNA section
253
                                                                              corresponding to your target
254
     miRNA_high <- read_excel("miRNA_high.xlsx")</pre>
255
                                                                              prevalence.
256
     miRNA_ms1 <- miRNA_high %>%
257
258
       filter(ID == "hsa-miR-130a-3p")
259
     miRNA_ms1
260
     #export result
     write.table( miRNA_ms1 , "miRNA_expressed.txt" , row.names=F , sep = ",")
261
262
263
264
```

Note: only high and medium to high prevalence miRNA data are availble.

Maybe a future version will contain more data.

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Step10:
                          DGE
                                                                                                                                                                          Run the miRNA section
                > exp_high
                                                                                                                                                                          corresponding to your target
                [1] "The gene is not differencially expressed"
                                                                                                                                                                          prevalence.
                             Methylation:
   cpg_met
A tibble: 11 x 9
                               P.Value B
     gene cpg
                                                              loaFC
                                                                              NΑ
                                                                                                                                                              NA
                                                                                                                                                              NΑ
                                                                                                                                                              NA
4 STAT3 cg07458/01 4.12e-01 -7.28064 1.58e-03 chr17:40539837-405407/5 Island chr17:40539837-405407/5 S_shore STAT3 cg194656938 7.32e-01 -7.57745 4.73e-04 chr17:40539837-40540775 S_shore STAT3 cg19557623 7.78e-01 -7.59794 5.03e-04 chr17:40539837-40540775 Island STAT3 cg09804439 8.69e-01 -7.62555 4.07e-04 chr17:40539837-40540775 Island STAT3 cg17411949 8.89e-01 -7.63683 -1.60e-04 chr17:40539837-40540775 Island STAT3 cg15704988 9.76e-01 -7.63965 7.78e-05 chr17:40539837-40540775 Island STAT3 cg15704988 9.76e-01 -7.63965 7.78e-05 chr17:40539837-40540775 Island
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NA
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```

Step 9:

Run this section

miRNA (healthy condition)

\* miRNA expression in MS

If the miRNA is expressed:

If the miRNA is NOT expressed:

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> miRNA_ms1
# A tibble: 0 x 3
```

### Export data:

Results will be automatically exported in the working directory.

- 3. Definitions:
- P value: is the probability for the experimental outcome as observed or more extreme, if there is no difference in expression between the experimental conditions.
   A small P-value indicates evidence of differential expression, either overexpression or underexpression.
- logFC: represents the variation of mRNA abundance across different biological conditions. A
  positive value mean that the overexpressed and a negative value means that's the gene is
  underexpressed
- **B value :** the estimate of methylation level using the ratio of intensities between methylated and unmethylated alleles.
  - β are between 0 and 1 with 0 being unmethylated and 1 fully methylated
- UCSC CpG Islands Name: Chromosomal coordinates of the CpG Island from UCSC.
- Relation to UCSC CpG Island: The location of the CpG relative to the CpG island.
- DMR: Differentially methylated regions
  - CDMR = Cancer-specific Differentially Methylated Region.
  - RDMR = Reprogramming-specific Differentially Methylated Region.
  - NA = No data