

# CytokineFinder: identifying disease associated cytokines

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## 1 Introduction

- importance of identifying driver cytokines
- mention limitations in publicly available cytokine data
- state hypothesis: using gene expression data we can identify the driver cytokines of disease

## 2 Methods

### 2.1 public cytokine data curation

- cytokine stimulations
- anti-cytokine treatment
- studies with paired gene-expression and protein data

### 2.2 study data

- asthma gene expression data
- validate with cytokine protein levels

### 2.3 cytokineFinder

- add workflow diagram of study (figure 1)
- briefly describe each method; but add more details of each method in the supplement

### 2.4 benchmarking analysis

### 2.5 data analysis of study data

- apply best method to study data

### 3 Results

#### 3.1 Benchmarking (figure 2)

- impact of annotations
- which method+ann works best

#### 3.2 study results

- patient demographics
- cytokine finder results with study data
- hypothesis testing for significant cytokines

### 4 Discussion

#### 4.1 A Subsection Sample

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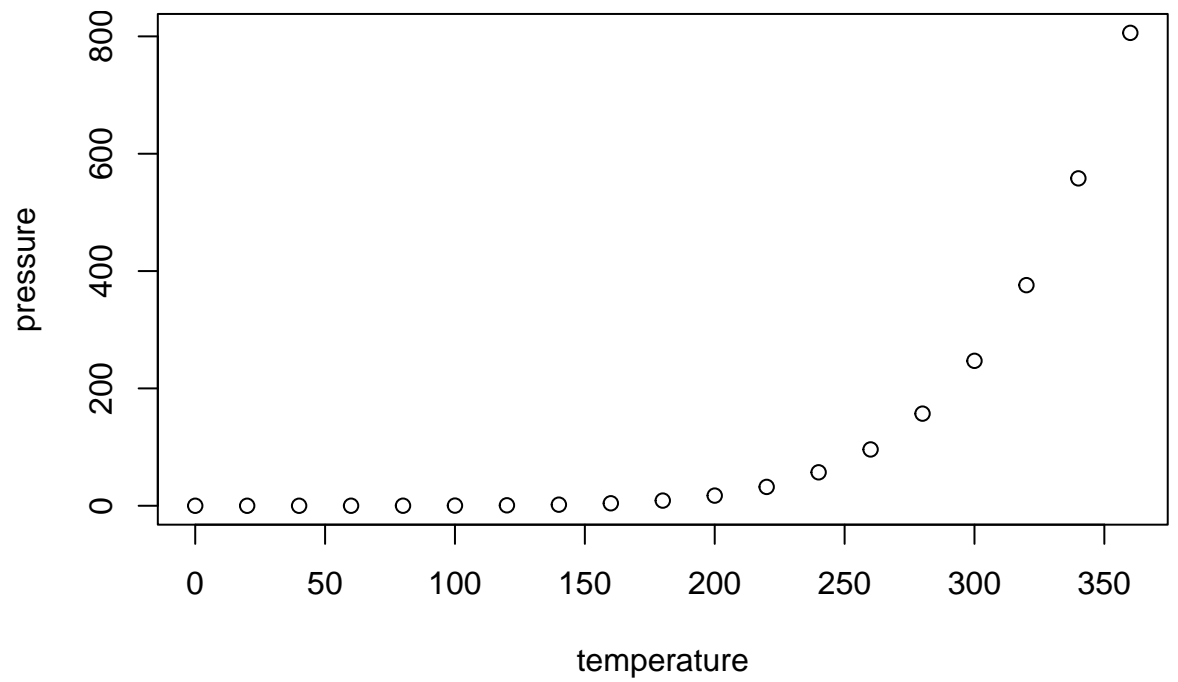
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temperature	pressure
0	0.0002
20	0.0012
40	0.0060
60	0.0300
80	0.0900
100	0.2700

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$$x + y = z \tag{1}$$

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