

Class 12 Lab

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Population Scale:

One sample is obviously not enough to know what is happening in a population. You are interested in assessing genetic differences on a population scale. So, you processed about ~230 samples and did the normalization on a genome level. Now, you want to find whether there is any association of the 4 asthma-associated SNPs (rs8067378...) on ORM DL3 expression.

How many samples do we have:

Reading the Table:

```
expr <- read.table("DataClass12.txt")
head(expr)
```

	sample	geno	exp
1	HG00367	A/G	28.96038
2	NA20768	A/G	20.24449
3	HG00361	A/A	31.32628
4	HG00135	A/A	34.11169
5	NA18870	G/G	18.25141
6	NA11993	A/A	32.89721

```
summary(expr)
```

sample	geno	exp
Length:462	Length:462	Min. : 6.675
Class :character	Class :character	1st Qu.:20.004
Mode :character	Mode :character	Median :25.116
		Mean :25.640
		3rd Qu.:30.779
		Max. :51.518

Reading the Sample size for each genotype:

```
table(expr$geno)
```

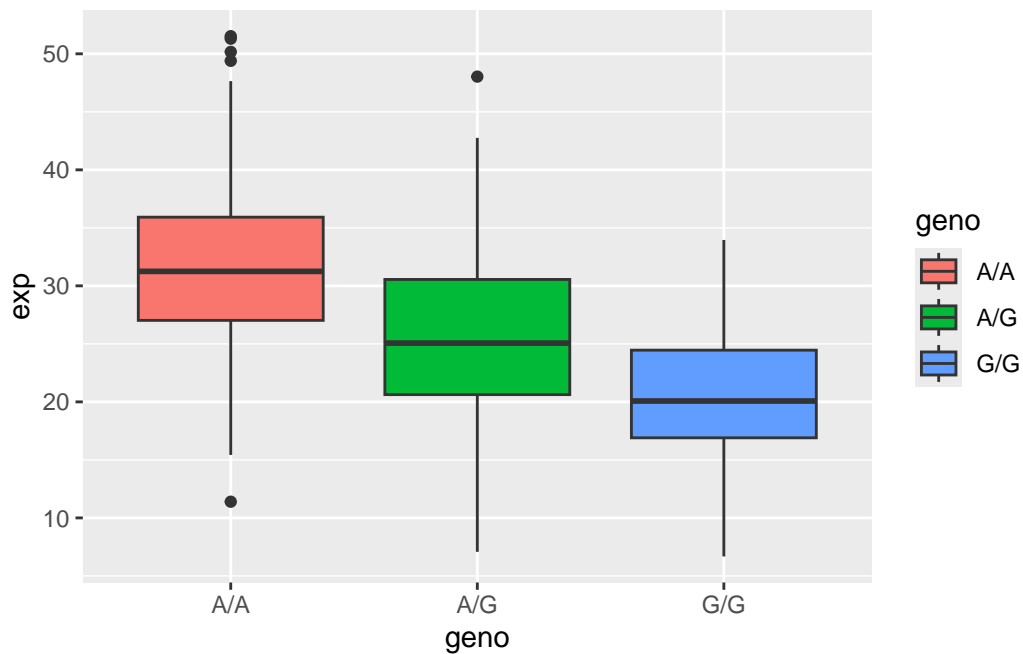
```
A/A A/G G/G  
108 233 121
```

Making a boxplot from expr data

```
library(ggplot2)
```

Making the boxplot using ggplot:

```
exprplot <- ggplot(expr, aes(geno, exp, fill = geno)) + geom_boxplot()  
exprplot
```



Q13: Read this file into R and determine the sample size for each genotype and their corresponding median expression levels for each of these genotypes

```
library(dplyr)
```

Attaching package: 'dplyr'

The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':

filter, lag

The following objects are masked from 'package:base':

intersect, setdiff, setequal, union

```
medians <- expr %>% group_by(geno) %>% summarize(median_value = median(exp))
medians
```

```
# A tibble: 3 x 2
  geno median_value
  <chr>         <dbl>
1 A/A           31.2
2 A/G           25.1
3 G/G           20.1
```

Given the table function for each genotype, We have 108 A/A, 233 A/G, and 121 G/G genotypes. The median for A/A is 31.24847, the median for A/G is 25.06486, and the median for G/G is 20.07363.

Q14: Generate a boxplot with a box per genotype, what could you infer from the relative expression value between A/A and G/G displayed in this plot? Does the SNP effect the expression of ORMDL3?

Based on the boxplot, we can infer that A/A has a much higher relative expression value compared to G/G. Given this, it seems that the SNP does affect the expression levels of ORMDL3.