## m6A-seq and MAZTER-seq peaks lift-over to SK1 reference genome

- 1. Download genome annotation in supplementary table 5 from Schwartz et al Cell 2013 (https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cell.2013.10.047) (https://ars.els-cdn.com/content/image/1-s2.0-S0092867413013652-mmc5.xlsx) and convert to tsv format. This table is basically a bed file of gene genomic coordinates, and has the gene name, the start sites, end sites, and the strand for the reference genome used by Schwartz et al.
- 2. Download m6A-seq sites in supplementary table 1 from Schwartz et al Cell 2013 (https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cell.2013.10.047). (https://ars.els-cdn.com/content/image/1-s2.0-S0092867413013652-mmc1.xlsx) and convert to tsv format. This is a file that has the gene id, gene name, and m6A site in genomic coordinates. This file is reported to be in the same reference genome as supplementary table 5.
- 3. Download MAZTER-seq sites in supplementary table 4 from Garcia-Campos et al Cell 2019 (https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cell.2019.06.013) (https://ars.els-cdn.com/content/image/1-s2.0-S0092867419306762-mmc4.xlsx) and convert to tsv format. This is a file that has the gene id, and genomic coordinates for each MAZTER-seq site, in addition to a confidence score at each time point. This file is reported to be in the same reference genome as supplementary table 5.
- 4. Calculate the distance between the start codon as reported in the genome annotation (supp. table 5 of Schwartz et al.) and the m6A peaks. Then, for each gene, map the start sites from supp. table 5 to the start sites in the bed12 file for sk1 reference genome, which was generated as an intermediate to creating a reference gtf file (see Methods). Then use the start codon in bed12 file for sk1 reference genome and the difference calculated before to remap the m6A-seq sites into the sk1 coordinates we are using. The MAZTER-seq sites with a confGroup greater than 1 were converted to the new coordinates in the same way as the m6A-seq peaks.

To do this, convert\_m6a\_to\_sk1.py was used with command:

convert\_m6A\_to\_sk1.py --bed alignments.bed --annotation annotation.tsv --m6a m6A-seq.tsv --mazter MAZTER-seq.tsv --outfile m6A\_peaks\_lifted-over.bed, with:

alignments.bed: file generated for the sk1 reference genome

annotation.tsv: supplementary table 5 from Schwartz et al Cell 2013

m6a: m6A-seq site peaks supplementary table 1 from Schwartz et al Cell 2013

mazter: MAZTER-seq peaks supplementary 4 table from Garcia-Campos et al Cell 2019

outfile: file to save the converted m6A sites.