Nanostring Analysis for Dataset X

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Guiding Questions

Which immune cell type (and other) to compare with what we learned from flow cytometry? Did PD1 elicit any changes in expression profile compared with IgG? What can we learn about IFNg treatment.immune cells activated?

What are the characteristics of the samples?

Basic Setup

##		${\tt RNA.Solution}$	${\tt Tumor}$	Fraction	${\tt Treatment}$	Amount.of.Material.Provide
##	1	RNAlater	P0003	large fragments	None	500µL
##	2	RNAlater	P0003	single cell flow	None	500µL
##	3	RNAlater	P0004	large fragments	None	500µL
##	4	RNAlater	P0004	None	None	500µL
##	5	RNAlater	P0004	single cell flow	None	500µL
##	6	RNAdvance	P0010	None	IFNy	200µL
##	7	RNAdvance	P0010	None	IgG	200µL
##	8	RNAlater	P0010	large fragments	None	500µL
##	9	RNAlater	P0010	None	None	500µL
##	10	RNAdvance	P0010	None	aPD1	200µL
##	11	RNAlater	P0011	large fragments	None	500µL
##	12	RNAlater	P0011	None	None	500µL

What is being quantified?

What Gene functions are being quantified?

x
Gene
Cell.Type
Adaptive.Immunity
Apoptosis
Cell.Cycle
Cellular.Stress
Complement.System

 \mathbf{x}

Death.Receptor.Signaling
Extracellular.matrix.organization
Fc.Receptor.Signaling
Innate.Immunity
Interferon.Signaling
Interleukin.Signaling
NF.kB
MAPK.Signaling
Metabolism
TLR.Signaling
VEGF.Signaling
Wnt.Signaling

How many genes represent each function type Information?

Cell.Type	n
	712
B-cells	4
CD45	1
CD8 T cells	2
Cytotoxic cells	8
DC	4
Exhausted CD8	4
Macrophages	2
Mast cells	2
Neutrophils	3
NK CD56dim cells	3
NK cells	2
T-cells	5
Th1 cells	1
Treg	1

Cellular.Stress	n
-	723
+	31

Complement.System	n
-	720
+	34

Death.Receptor.Signaling	n
-	736
+	18

Extracellular.matrix.organization	n
-	714
+	40

Fc.Receptor.Signaling	n
-	681
+	73

n
733 21

Interferon.Signaling	n
-	664
+	90

$$\begin{array}{c|c} \underline{\text{Interleukin.Signaling}} & \underline{n} \\ - & 631 \\ + & 123 \end{array}$$

MAPK.Signaling	n
_	689
+	65

Metabolism	n
-	712
+	42

VEGF. Signaling	n
-	698
+	56

Wnt.Signaling	n
-	734
+	20

What comparisons can be made?

Fraction	n
large fragments	4
None	6
single cell flow	2

RNA.Solution	n
RNAdvance	3
RNAlater	9

n
2
3
5
2

Treatment	n
aPD1	1
IFNy	1
IgG	1
None	9

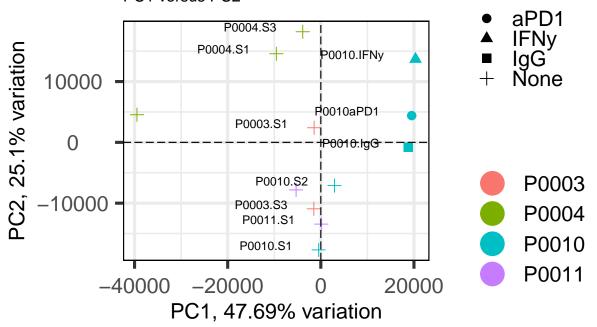
Can we group the samples?

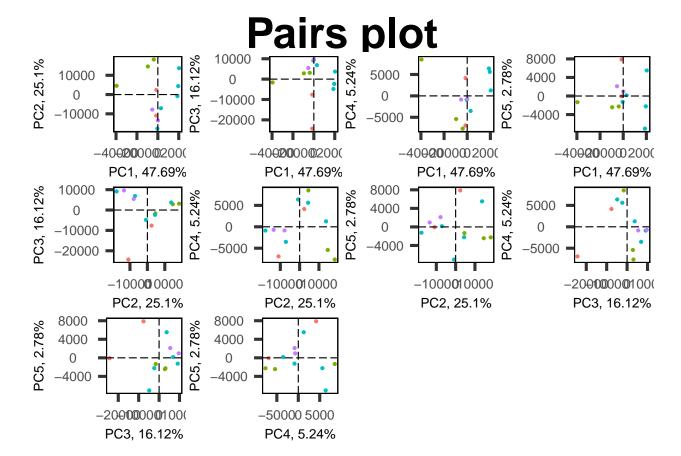
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PC1 vs PC2

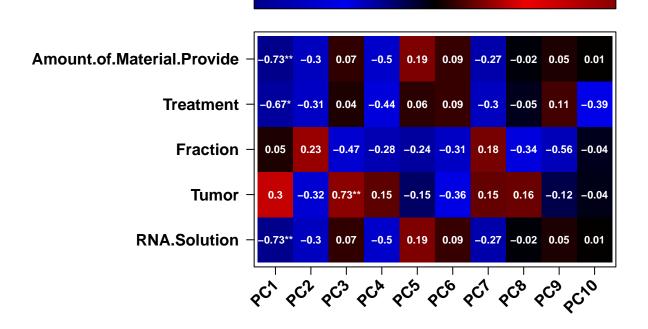
PC1 versus PC2



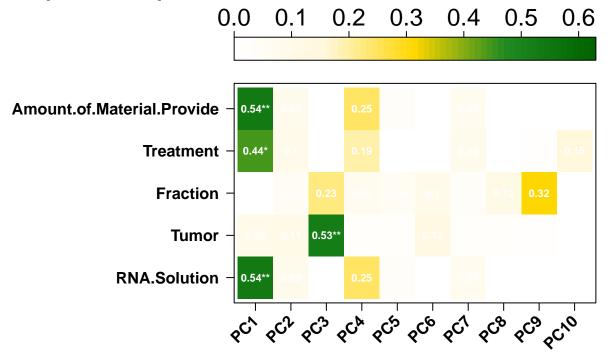


Principle Components Correlation





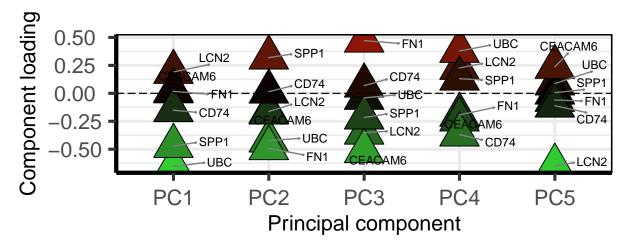
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What genes are driving the principle component

PC1, PC2, PC3, PC4, PC5

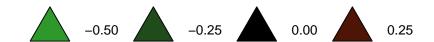


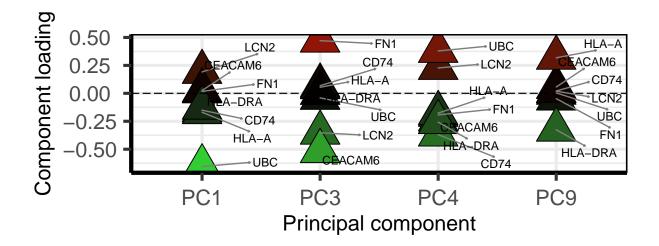


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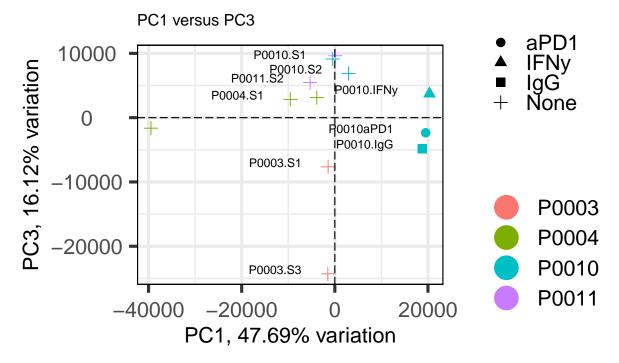
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Focus on Significant Components





Component Comparison



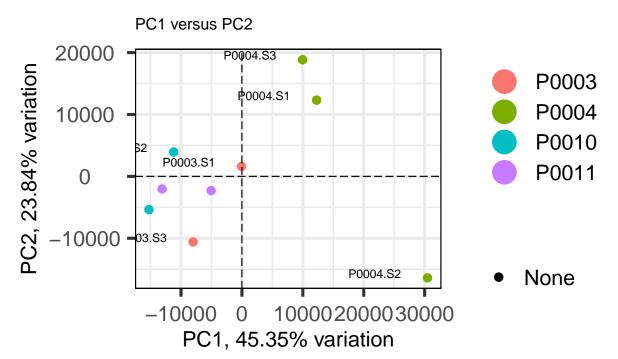
Can we group the samples without treatment samples?

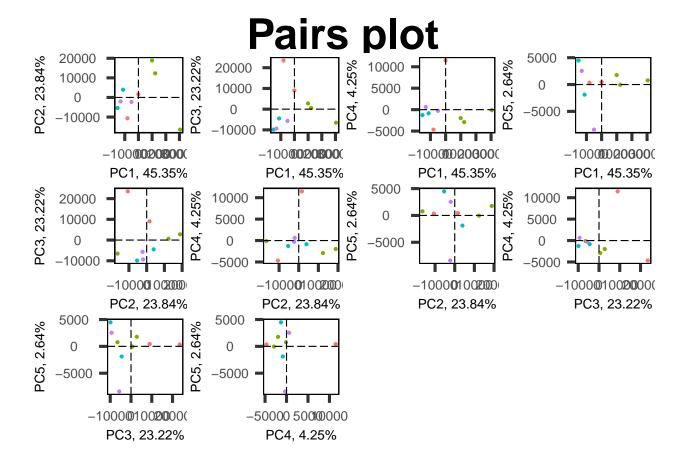
One of the strongest indicators for how RNA expression changed was due to treatment / day effect. What are the factors if these samples are excluded from the analysis?

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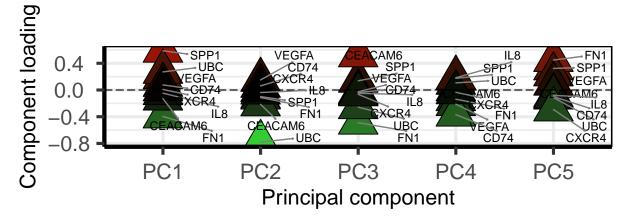




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