

Data: 1) a matrix of gene expression data (TCGA data). The samples are in the columns and the genes in the rows; 2) a matrix where the pathways are in the columns and the genes inside the pathways are in the rows

Result: pathway interactions that are able to classify two groups of samples with the best performances

Being a and b two pathways in a set of pathways P ;

for *all nodes*(a,b) *in* P **do**

 a score distance between the nodes a and b ;

if $AUC > cut-off$ **then**

 keep (a,b) as edge;

else

 remove (a,b) as edge;

end

end