

Supplementary File S4

Experimental eCLIP data from wild-type cells

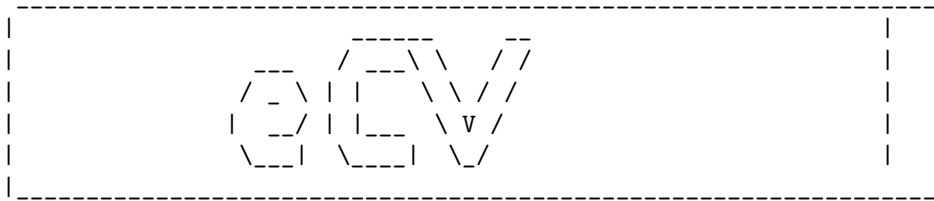
This document contains the required steps to generate the results for section 3.2.2: *Experimental Scenario 2: RBFOX2 eCLIP data on wildtype cells*.

Please follow the instructions in materials and methods within the main manuscript to download and process the experimental data. Pull a Docker image with all the required packages installed (`docker pull ecvpaper2024/ecv_results`).

Data preparation.

Load required packages.

```
Loading required package: idr
Loading required package: mvtnorm
Loading required package: future
Loading required package: future.apply
```



Enhanced Coefficient of Variation and IDR Extensions for Reproducibility Assessment

This package provides extensions and alternative methods to IDR to measure the reproducibility of omic data with an arbitrary number of replicates. It introduces an enhanced Coefficient of Variation (eCV) metric to assess the likelihood of omic features being reproducible.

```
Loading required package: tidyverse
```

```
-- Attaching packages ----- tidyverse 1.3.2 --
v ggplot2 3.4.3      v purrr   1.0.2
v tibble  3.2.1      v dplyr   1.1.2
v tidyr   1.3.0      v stringr 1.5.0
v readr   2.1.2      v forcats 0.5.1
-- Conflicts ----- tidyverse_conflicts() --
x dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
x dplyr::lag()    masks stats::lag()
```

```
Attaching package: 'reshape2'
```

The following object is masked from 'package:tidyr':

smiths

Loading required package: stats4

Loading required package: BiocGenerics

Attaching package: 'BiocGenerics'

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

combine, intersect, setdiff, union

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

IQR, mad, sd, var, xtabs

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

anyDuplicated, append, as.data.frame, basename, cbind, colnames,
dirname, do.call, duplicated, eval, evalq, Filter, Find, get, grep,
grepl, intersect, is.unsorted, lapply, Map, mapply, match, mget,
order, paste, pmax, pmax.int, pmin, pmin.int, Position, rank,
rbind, Reduce, rownames, sapply, setdiff, sort, table, tapply,
union, unique, unsplit, which.max, which.min

Loading required package: S4Vectors

Attaching package: 'S4Vectors'

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

first, rename

The following object is masked from 'package:tidyr':

expand

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

expand.grid, I, unname

Loading required package: IRanges

Attaching package: 'IRanges'

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

collapse, desc, slice

The following object is masked from 'package:purrr':

reduce

Loading required package: GenomeInfoDb

Loading required package: AnnotationDbi

Loading required package: Biobase

Welcome to Bioconductor

Vignettes contain introductory material; view with
'browseVignettes()'. To cite Bioconductor, see
'citation("Biobase")', and for packages 'citation("pkgname")'.

Attaching package: 'AnnotationDbi'

The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':

select

Loading required package: Biostrings

Loading required package: XVector

Attaching package: 'XVector'

The following object is masked from 'package:purrr':

compact

Attaching package: 'Biostrings'

The following object is masked from 'package:base':

strsplit

Loading required package: rtracklayer

Type 'citation("pROC")' for a citation.

Attaching package: 'pROC'

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

cov, var

The following objects are masked from 'package:S4Vectors':

cov, var

The following object is masked from 'package:BiocGenerics':

var

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

cov, smooth, var

Warning: replacing previous import 'GenomicRanges::union' by 'dplyr::union' when loading 'Sierra'

Warning: replacing previous import 'GenomicRanges::intersect' by 'dplyr::intersect' when loading 'Sierra'

Warning: replacing previous import 'GenomicRanges::setdiff' by 'dplyr::setdiff' when loading 'Sierra'

Set color palette.

```
res_colors <-  
  c(IDR = "tan",  
    gIDR = "#30B7BC", # bright teal  
    eCV = "#AF275F", # light magenta  
    mIDR = "#DE653A" # medium teal  
  )
```

Download genome.

```
wget https://ftp.ebi.ac.uk/pub/databases/gencode/Gencode_human/release_41/GRCh38.p13.genome.fa.gz
gunzip GRCh38.p13.genome.fa.gz
```

Download GTF file.

```
wget https://ftp.ebi.ac.uk/pub/databases/gencode/Gencode_human/release_41/gencode.v41.chr_patch_hapl_scaff.gtf.gz
gunzip gencode.v41.chr_patch_hapl_scaff.annotation.gtf.gz
```

Upload eCLIP data and keep only chromosome one for faster computations.

```
(eclip_data <-
  read_tsv(
    file = "RBF0X2_new_reagents.peak_table.tsv",
    col_types = cols()) %>%
  dplyr::filter(chrom == "chr1"))
```

Extract peaks intensities.

```
eclip_inten <-
  eclips_data %>%
  dplyr::select(contains("num_QC"))
```

Get PCA of peak intensities.

```
eclip_inten <- eclips_inten %>% ceiling()
pca <- princomp(log2(eclip_inten + 1))
ggplot(pca$loadings[1:8,TRUE] %>%
  as.data.frame() %>%
  rownames_to_column("Sample"),
  aes(x=Comp.1, y=Comp.2)) +
  ggrepel::geom_label_repel(aes(label=Sample),size=2) + geom_point() +
  theme_bw() + ggtitle("PCA biplot of peaks intensities")
```

Get normalized IP intensities.

```
eclip_inten <- (eclip_inten %>% dplyr::select(contains("IP_num"))) %>%
  mutate_all(~ . + 1)) /
  (eclip_inten %>% dplyr::select(-contains("IP_num"))) %>% mutate_all(~ . + 1))
```

Filter peaks with normalized intensity higher than 1.

```
tmp <- rowSums(eclip_inten >=
  1) > 0
eclip_data <- eclips_data[tmp,]
eclip_inten <- eclips_inten[tmp,]
```

```
eclip_inten <-
  eclips_inten %>%
    mutate_all(~ . + 1.1) %>%
    as.matrix() %>%
  log()
```

Create subset with different number of replicates.

```
# Subset of j replicates.
eclip_inten_reps <-
  lapply(c(2, 3, 4), function(j) eclips_inten[,seq_len(j)])

names(eclip_inten_reps) <- paste0("n_rep=", c(2,3,4))

# Check dimensions.
lapply(eclip_inten_reps, dim)
```

Set initial values for IDR, gIDR, and mIDR and number of iterations for eCV.

```
# Set parameters for each model.
methods_params <- list(
  eCV = list(max.ite = 1e4),
  IDR = list(
    mu = 2.5,
    sigma = 1,
    rho = 0.8,
    p = 0.5,
    eps = 1e-3,
    max.ite = 100
  ),
  gIDR = list(
    mu = 2.5,
    sigma = 1,
    rho = 0.8,
    p = 0.5,
    eps = 1e-3,
    max.ite = 100
  ),
  mIDR = list(
    mu = 2.5,
    sigma = 1,
    rho = 0.8,
    p = 0.5,
    eps = 1e-3,
    max.ite = 100
  )
)
```

Data analysis.

FOX2 motif enrichment.

Create peak IDs.

```
eclip_data <-
  eclips_data %>%
  mutate(ID = paste0(chrom, ":", start, "-", end, strand),
         score = 0)
```

Export table as a bed file.

```
eclip_data %>%
  dplyr::select(chrom, start, end, ID, score, strand) %>%
  write_tsv(file = "eclip_data.bed", col_names = FALSE)
```

Detect peaks matching FOX2 binding motif with Homer.

```
bin/findMotifsGenome.pl "eclip_data.bed" \
  GRCh38.p13.genome.fa \
  .aux \
  -find FOX2_all.motif -rna -size 75 \
  > "eclip_data_homer_res.bed"
rm -f -r .aux
```

Load Homer's results.

```
eclip_data <-
  eclips_data %>%
  mutate(motif=eclip_data$ID %in%
    read_delim(file = "eclip_data_homer_res.bed",
      col_types = cols())$PositionID)
```

Features distribution.

```
gtf <-
  import.gff("gencode.v41.chr_patch_hapl_scaff.annotation.gtf")
```

make TxDb.

```
txdb <-
  makeTxDbFromGFF("gencode.v41.chr_patch_hapl_scaff.annotation.gtf")
```

```
feature_dist <-
  eclips_data %>%
  makeGRangesFromDataFrame() %>%
  annotate_gr_from_gtf(gtf_gr = gtf,
    gtf_TxDb = txdb,
    transcriptDetails = TRUE)
```

Correlation analysis of imposed reproducible features.

```
tmp <- eclips_data$motif & (feature_dist$UTR3 == "YES" | feature_dist$intron == "YES")

R<- cor(eclip_inten[tmp, ])
r <- mean(R[upper.tri(R)])

CorCI(r,sum(tmp))
```

Assess reproducibility with each method.

Create a table with all combinations of parameters.

```
(par_settings <- expand.grid(n_rep = paste0("n_rep=", c(4, 3, 2)),
                           method=c("gIDR", "mIDR", "IDR", "eCV"),
                           stringsAsFactors = FALSE) %>%
  mutate(par_com = seq_along(n_rep)))

# Set parallel scheduler.
future::plan(multisession, workers = 4)
perf_res <- NULL

for (i in par_settings$par_com) {
  set.seed(42)
  print(par_settings[i,])
  n_rep <- par_settings$n_rep[i]
  method <- par_settings$method[i]

  if(method != "eCV") {
    X <- preprocess(eclip_inten_reps[[n_rep]],
                    value_transformation = "identity",
                    jitter=1e-4)
  } else {
    X <- eclip_inten_reps[[n_rep]]
  }

  rep_index <- mrep_assessment(
    x = X,
    method = method,
    param = methods_params[[method]],
    n_threads = 4
  )$rep_index

  tmp <- eclip_data$motif & (feature_dist$UTR3 == "YES" | feature_dist$intron == "YES")

  print(perf <- roc(tmp, rep_index, quiet = TRUE))
  perf_thr <- ci.coords(perf, conf.level=0.90,
                       x = 1/(1 + exp(-c(1:20) + 10)),
                       ret=c("threshold", "tpr", "tnr"))

  perf_thr <- rbind(perf_thr$tpr %>%
    as.data.frame() %>%
    mutate(threshold= 1/(1 + exp(-c(1:20) + 10)),
           perf="TPR (CI)" ) ,
    perf_thr$tnr %>%
    as.data.frame() %>%
    mutate(threshold= 1/(1 + exp(-c(1:20) + 10)),
           perf="TNR (CI)"))

  perf_thr$n_rep <- n_rep
  perf_thr$method <- method
  perf_res <- rbind(perf_res, perf_thr)
}

# Close me buddies.
```



```
future::plan(sequential)
```

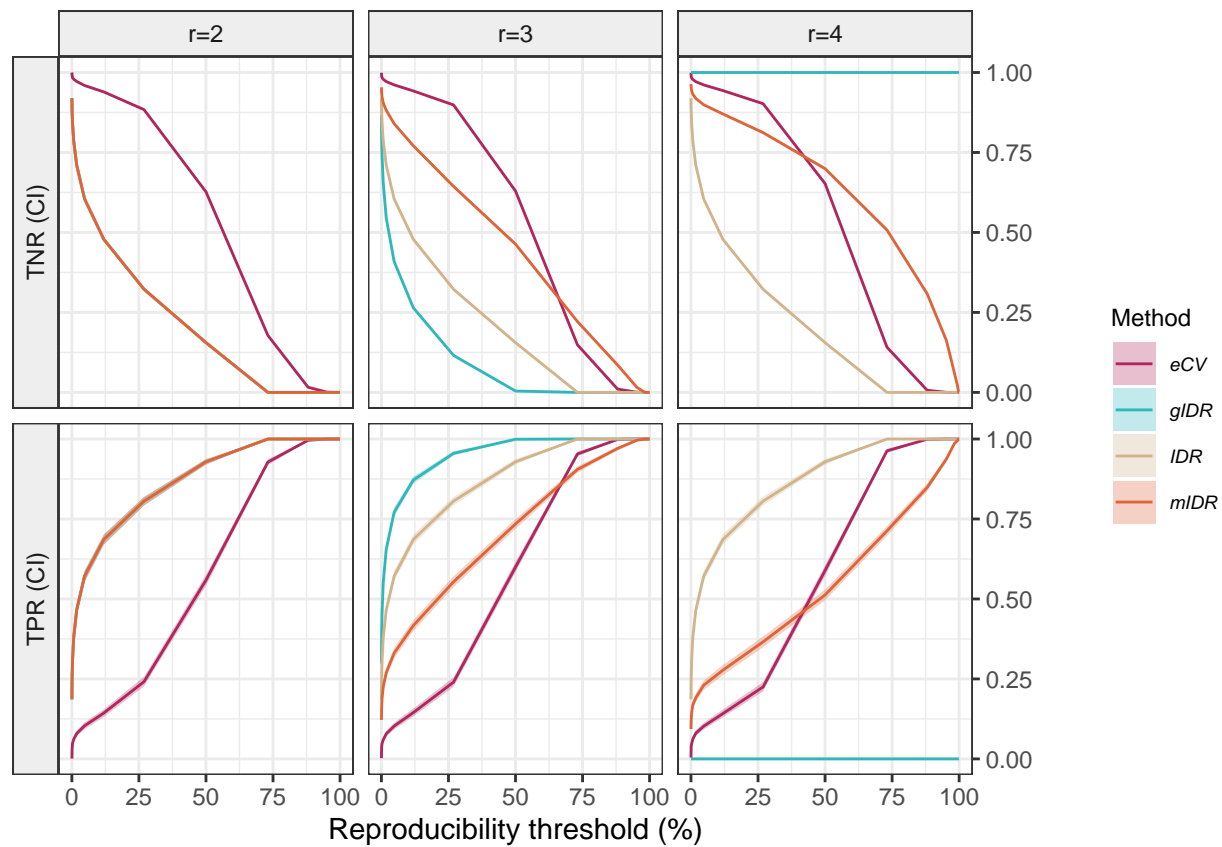
```
# Save results.
```

```
saveRDS(perf_res, file="perf_resRealRBP.rds")
```

Arrange results for figure creation.

```
p <- perf_res %>%
mutate(n_rep = paste0("r=", str_remove(n_rep, "n_rep="))) %>%
ggplot(aes(x=threshold, y=`50%`, color=method)) +
facet_grid(perf~n_rep, switch="y") +
geom_ribbon(color = NA,
aes(x = threshold, ymin = `5%`, ymax = `95%`, fill=method),
alpha = 0.3) +
geom_line() +
scale_color_manual(values=alpha(res_colors, 1)) +
scale_linetype_manual(values=c("miR1"="solid", "miR124"="dashed")) +
scale_fill_manual(values=alpha(res_colors, 0.6)) +
scale_y_continuous(position = "right")+
theme_bw() + theme(
legend.title = element_text(size=9),
legend.text = element_text(size=7, face = "italic"),
strip.background = element_rect(fill=alpha("gray", 0.25)),
legend.background = element_rect(fill = alpha("white", 0.1))) +
guides(color=guide_legend(ncol=1, override.aes = list(size = 2))) +
labs(y="", fill="Method", linetype="Transfection",
color="Method", x="Reproducibility threshold (%)") +
scale_x_continuous(breaks=c(0, 0.25, 0.5, 0.75, 1),
labels = c("0", "25", "50", "75", "100"))
```

p



```
ggsave(filename = "Figure6.tiff", plot = p, device = "tiff",
        dpi=300, units = "in", width = 7, height = 5, scale = 0.85)
```