

Classification of Breast Cancer Subtypes by combining Gene Expression and DNA Methylation Data

Supplemental Material

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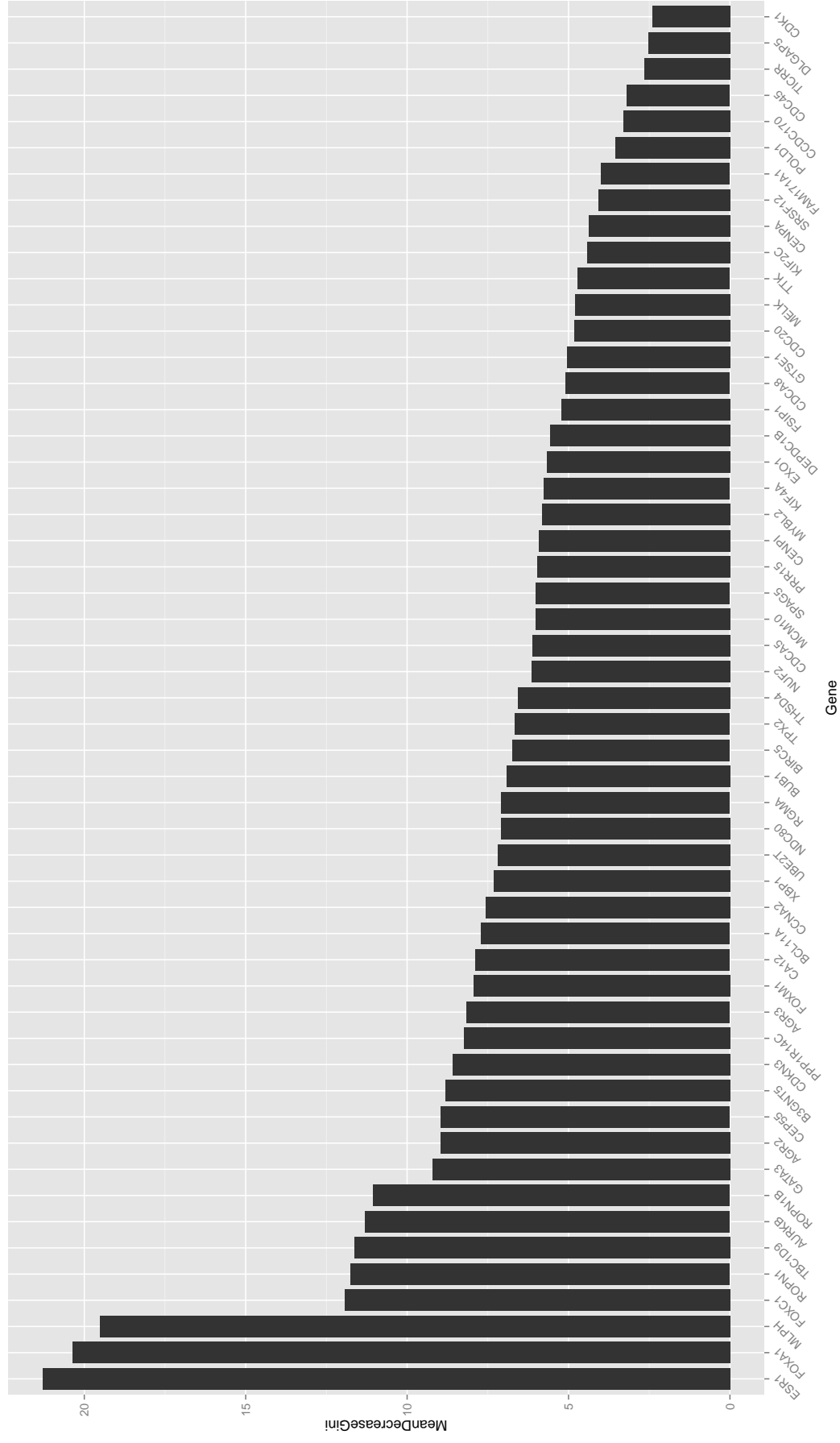
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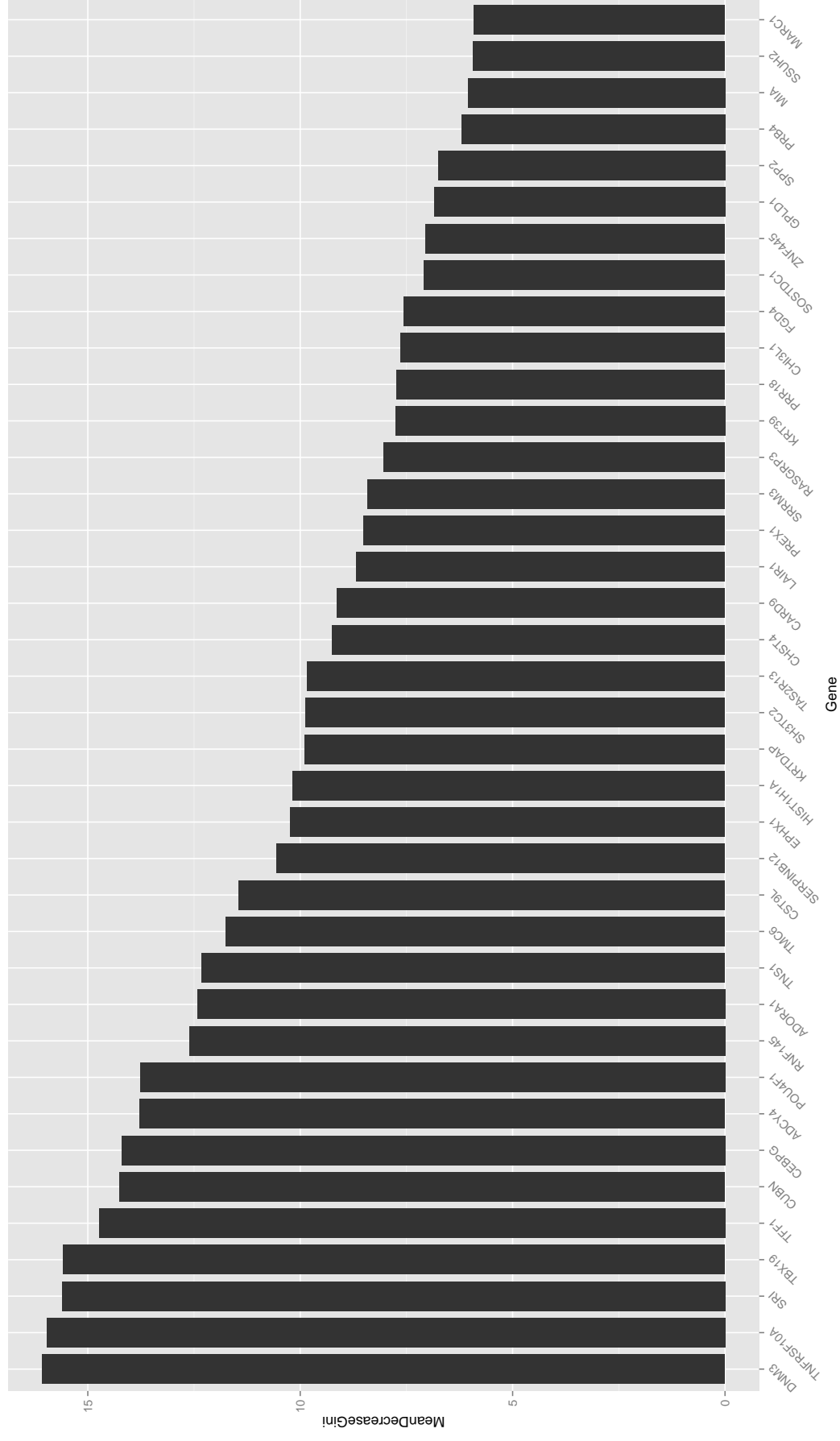
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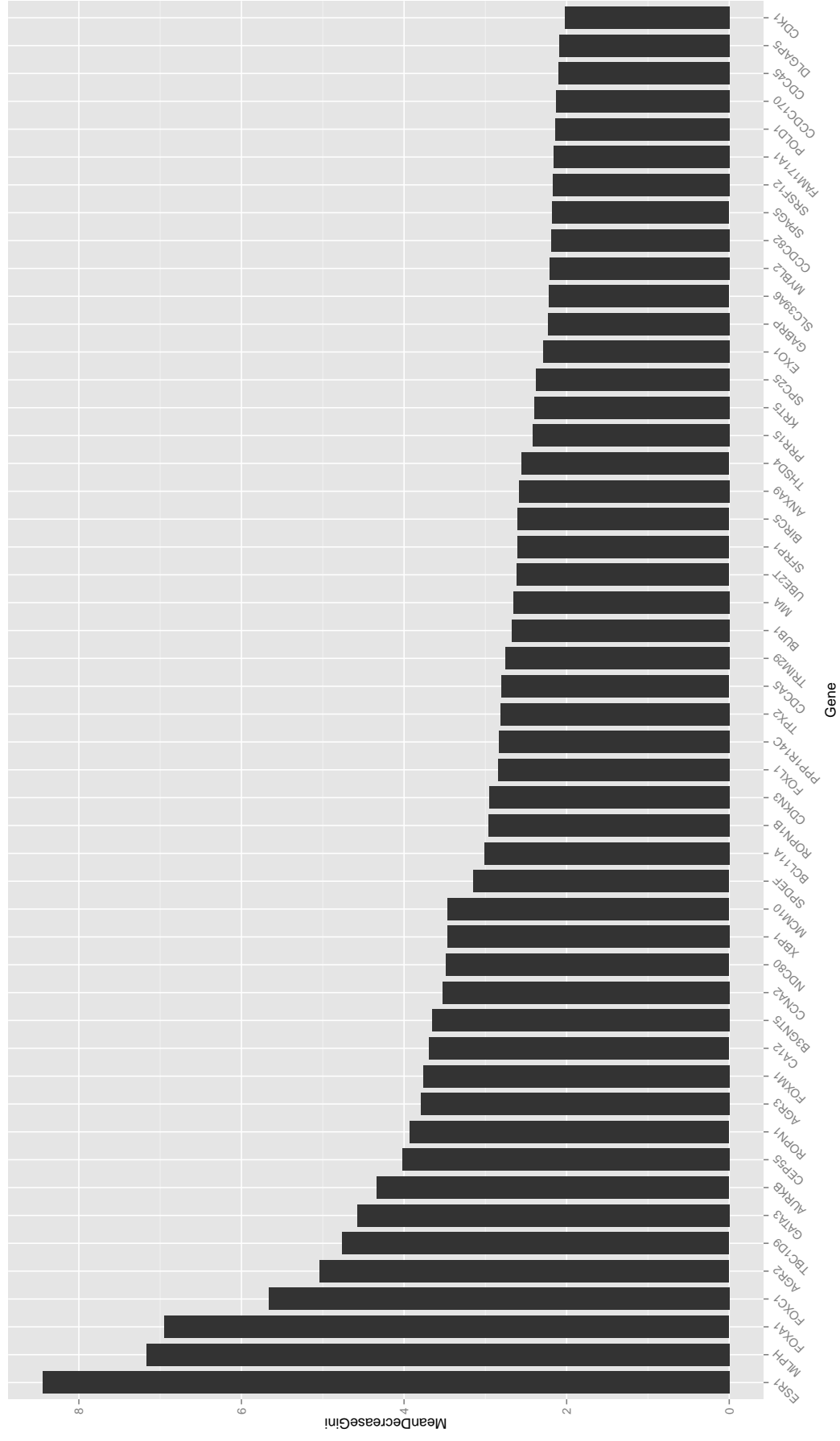
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Supplemental Figure 1: All 53 selected features of the gene expression model.

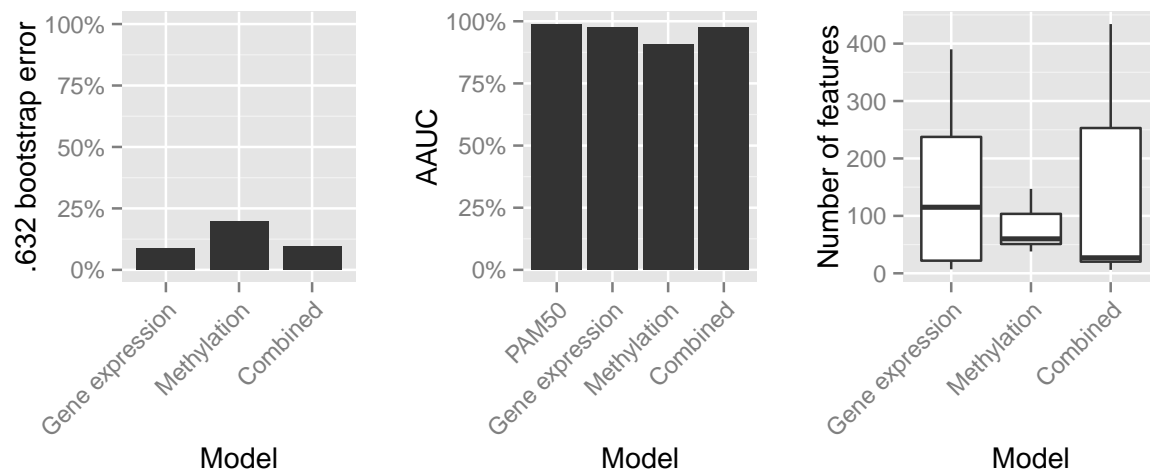


Supplemental Figure 2: All 38 selected features of the *methylation model*.

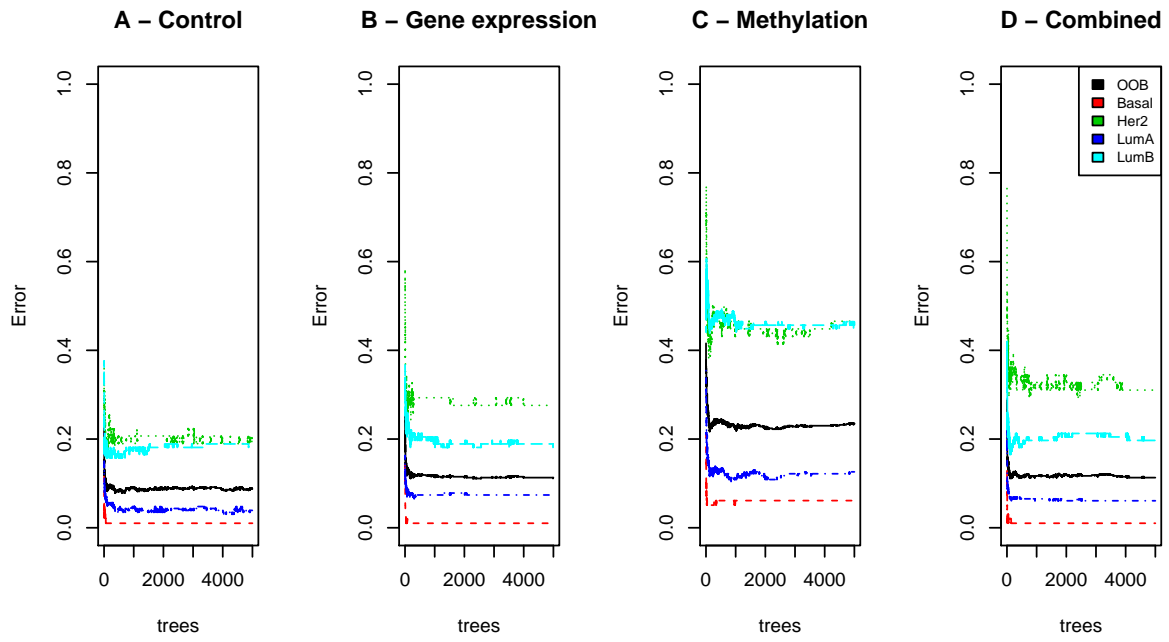


Supplemental Figure 3: The top 50 features of the *combined model* that have a mean decrease in gini index > 2 .

Results when omitting all samples labelled as normal



Supplemental Figure 4: The .632 bootstrap error over 10 iterations (left), the AAUC (middle), and the distribution of the number of variables across bootstrap iterations (right) after applying random forests to the different models. Here, samples labelled as normal have been excluded from model creation. For comparison, the AAUC of the *control model* is also shown.



Supplemental Figure 5: The classification and out of bag error (OOB) of each subtype for the *control model* (A), the *gene expression model* (B), the *methylation model* (C) and the *combined model* (D) excluding samples labelled by PAM50 as normal and depending on the number of trees already created in the feature selection process.