

# Exercises

Research with Computational Biology (ReComBio)

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## Part 1: Introduction to R and the R Syntax

### Chapter 3: Data visualization

Load library ggplot2

```
library(ggplot2)
```

Load dataframe

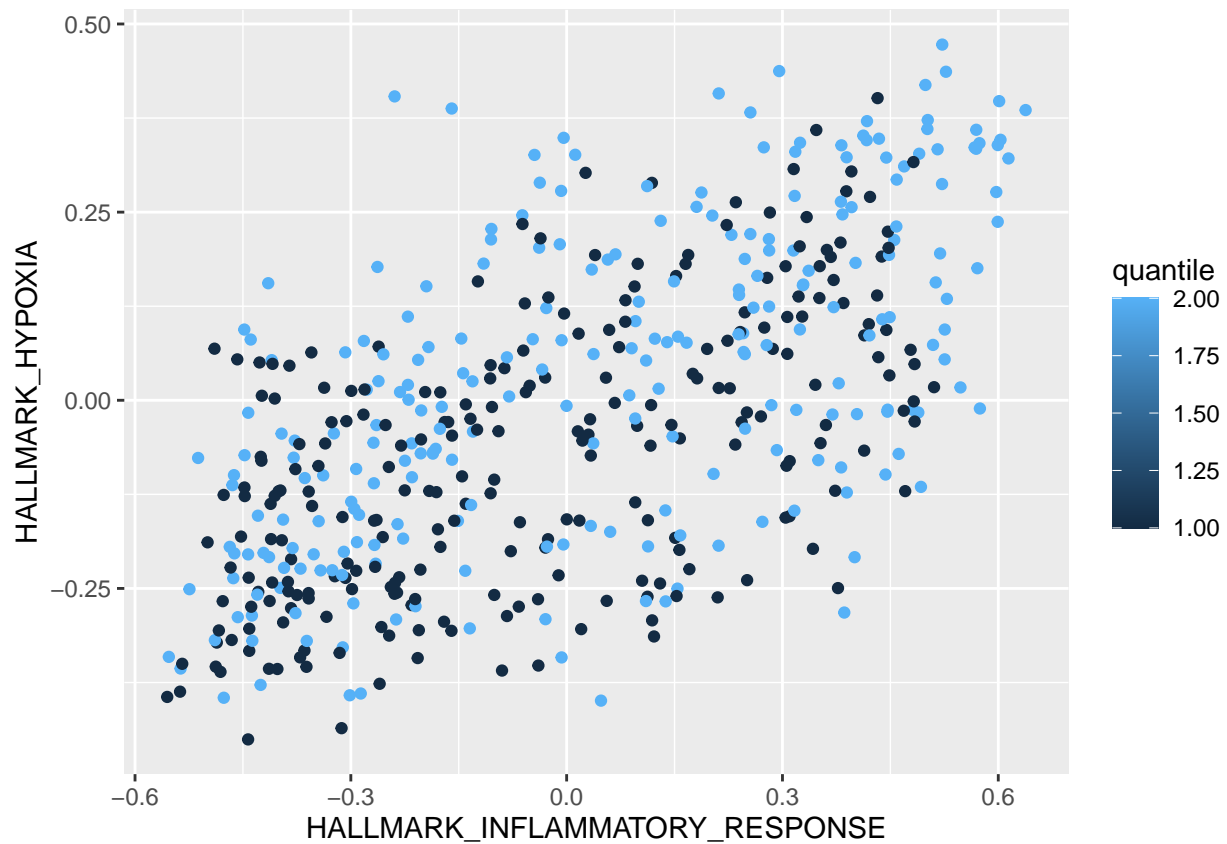
```
r2_gse62564_GSVA_Metadata <- readRDS("~/Desktop/r2_gse62564_GSVA_Metadata_exercise.rds")
```

### Question 1

Use R plot functions to visualize the correlation between Hallmark Hypoxia and Hallmark Inflammatory Response

**Solution:** HALLMARK\_INFLAMMATORY\_RESPONSE vs. HALLMARK\_HYPOXIA

```
qplot(HALLMARK_INFLAMMATORY_RESPONSE, HALLMARK_HYPOXIA,  
      data = r2_gse62564_GSVA_Metadata,  
      colour=quantile,  
      ylab = "HALLMARK_HYPOXIA",  
      xlab = "HALLMARK_INFLAMMATORY_RESPONSE")
```

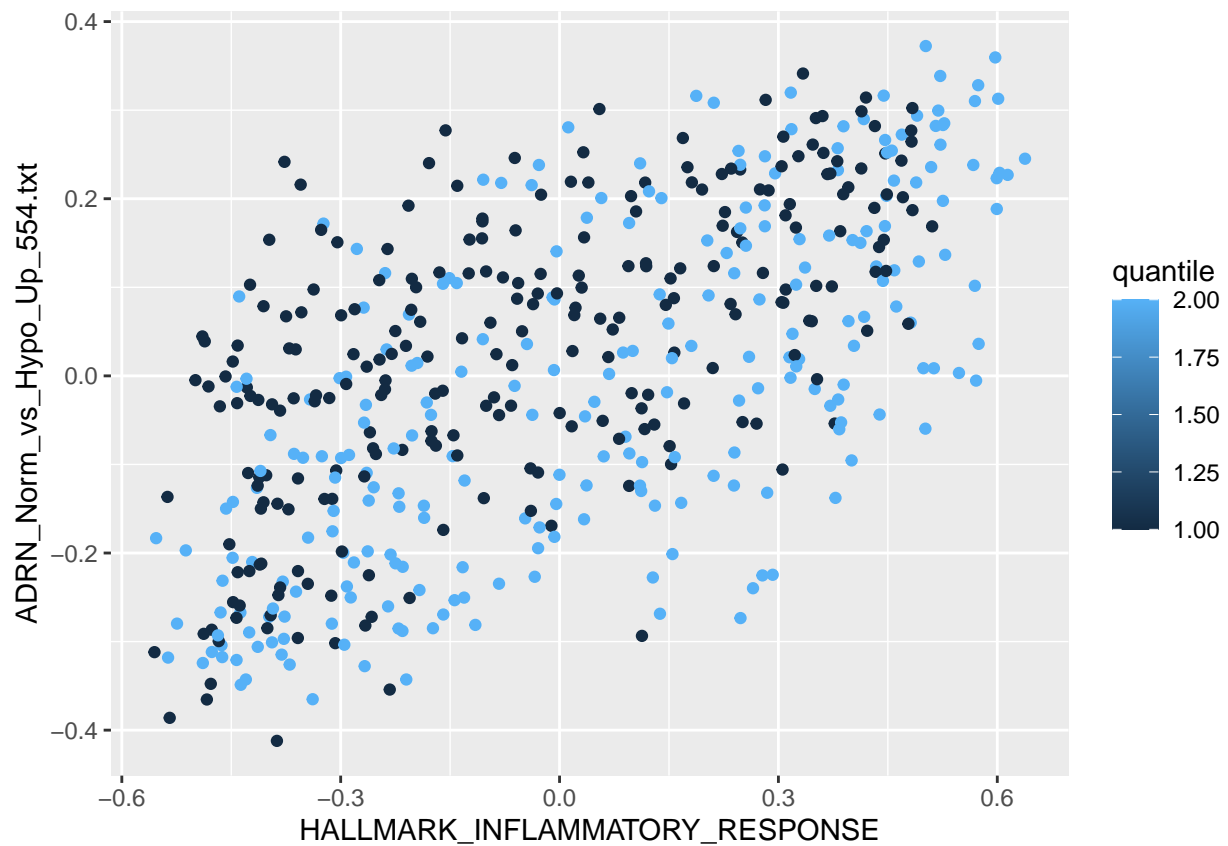


## Question 2

Use R plot functions to visualize the correlation between Hallmark Hypoxia and Hallmark Inflammatory Response

**Solution:** HALLMARK\_INFLAMMATORY\_RESPONSE vs. ADRN\_Norm\_vs\_Hypo\_Up\_554.txt

```
qplot(HALLMARK_INFLAMMATORY_RESPONSE, ADRN_Norm_vs_Hypo_Up_554.txt,  
      data = r2_gse62564_GSVA_Metadata,  
      colour=quantile,  
      xlab = "HALLMARK_INFLAMMATORY_RESPONSE",  
      ylab = "ADRN_Norm_vs_Hypo_Up_554.txt")
```

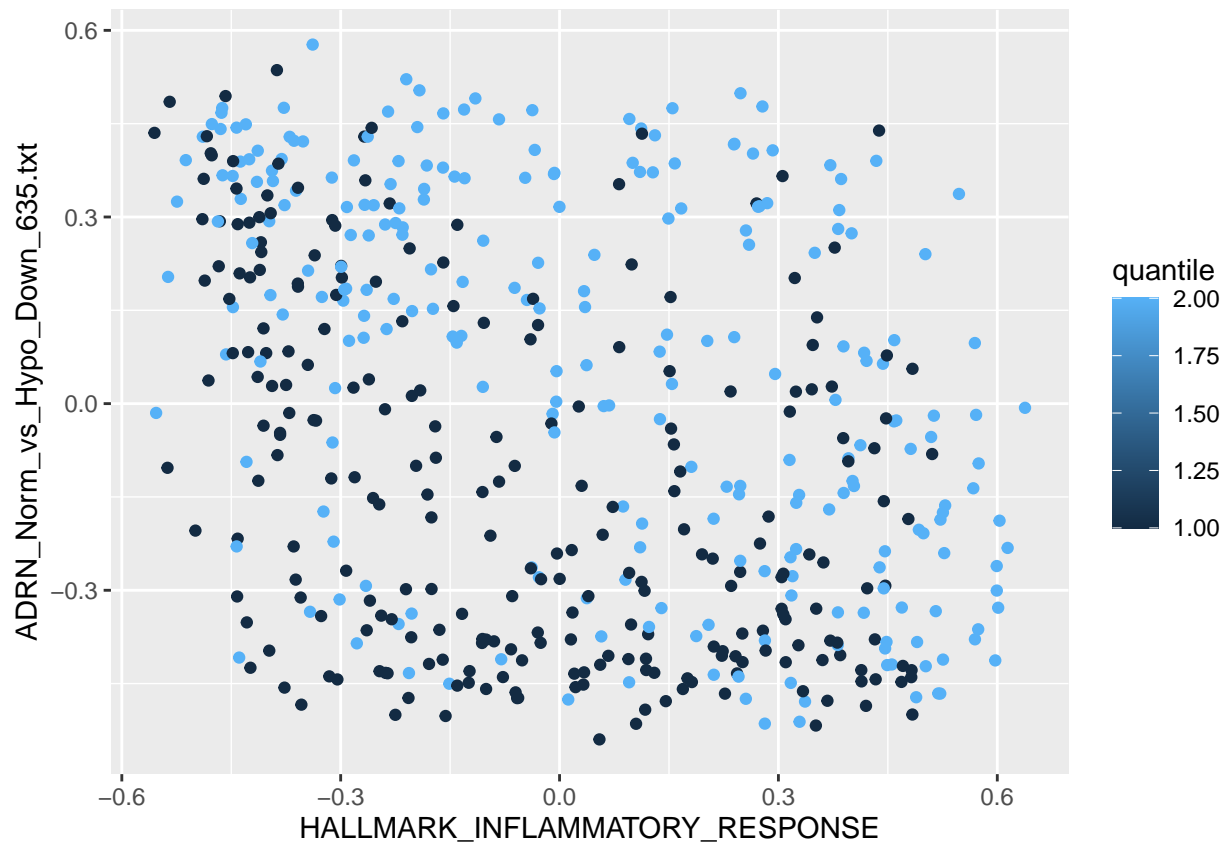


### Question 3

Use R plot functions to visualize the correlation between Hallmark Hypoxia and Hallmark Inflammatory Response

**Solution:** HALLMARK\_INFLAMMATORY\_RESPONSE vs. ADRN\_Norm\_vs\_Hypo\_Down\_635.txt

```
qplot(HALLMARK_INFLAMMATORY_RESPONSE, ADRN_Norm_vs_Hypo_Down_635.txt,  
      data = r2_gse62564_GSVA_Metadata,  
      colour=quantile,  
      ylab = "ADRN_Norm_vs_Hypo_Down_635.txt",  
      xlab = "HALLMARK_INFLAMMATORY_RESPONSE")
```



#### Question 4

From the analysis of questions 1-3, choose the correct option:

- ☐ HALLMARK\_INFLAMMATORY\_RESPONSE and HALLMARK\_HYPOXIA have a positive correlation because hypoxia is always beneficial in the tumor microenvironment
- ☐ HALLMARK\_INFLAMMATORY\_RESPONSE and ADRN\_Norm\_vs\_Hypo\_Up\_554.txt have a positive correlation because hypoxia upregulation in this case, is beneficial in the tumor microenvironment
- ☐ HALLMARK\_INFLAMMATORY\_RESPONSE and ADRN\_Norm\_vs\_Hypo\_Up\_554.txt have a positive correlation because hypoxia upregulation has a negative impact on survival
- ☐ HALLMARK\_INFLAMMATORY\_RESPONSE and ADRN\_Norm\_vs\_Hypo\_Down\_635.txt have a negative correlation because hypoxia upregulation in this case, is not beneficial in the tumor microenvironment

#### Question 5

Which gene expression group has worse survival probability?

- ☐ High HIF1A expression
- ☐ Low HIF1A expression

#### Question 6

Which phenotype score group has worse survival probability?

- ☐ High Hallmark Hypoxia
- ☐ Low Hallmark Hypoxia

### Question 7

Which phenotype score group has worse survival probability?

- ☐ High Hallmark Inflammatory Response
- ☐ Low Hallmark Inflammatory Response

### Question 8

Plot the survival curve of the MYCN status variable. Which MYCN status has worse survival outcome?

- ☐ Individuals with MYCN amplification
- ☐ Individuals without MYCN amplification
- ☐ The MYCN group with unknown MYCN status

### Question 9

Plot the survival curve of the INSS stage variable. Which INSS stage has worse survival outcome?

- ☐ INSS Stage I
- ☐ INSS Stage II
- ☐ INSS Stage III
- ☐ INSS Stage IV
- ☐ INSS Stage IV A

### Question 10

Mark TRUE or FALSE.

- ☐ The higher the age at diagnosis the greater the HIF1A expression difference between HR and non-HR
- ☐ The lower the age at diagnosis the greater the HIF1A expression difference between HR and non-HR