DE analysis

Sergey Naumenko

2021-05-08

Contents

Overview	2
Checking to see that the transcript to gene mapping is correct	2
Sanity check that metadata matches your expression	2
Run DESeq2	3
Wald test	3
DEGreport QC Size factor QC - samples 1-15	5
Mean-Variance QC plots treatment response ER tumor_percentage_high	8
Covariates effect on count data	11
Covariates correlation with metrics	13
Sample-level QC analysis PCA - treatment PCA - response PCA - ER PCA - tumor_percentage PCA - tumor_percentage_high PCA - date_of	20 21 22
Inter-correlation analysis Without study_id	26 28
Treatment Post vs Pre - see Table3	32
Response pCR vs non-pCR - see Table4	32

ER : Positive vs Negative - Table 5	32
tumor_percentage_high: High vs Low - Table 6	32
date_of: 20180323 vs 20180228 - Table 7	32
Visualization	33
Heatmaps	39
R session	49

Overview

[1] TRUE

- Principal Investigator: Beth Overmoyer
- Experiment: RNAseq_analysis_of_inflammatory_breast_cancer_hbc04141
- study 6 was excluded because if low read depth in 3373-3
- $\verb| https://www.bioconductor.org/packages/release/bioc/vignettes/DEGreport/inst/doc/DEGreport. \\ \verb| html|$
- AnnotationHub. We use ensembl version matching bcbio pipeline v94.
- HBC materials
- HBC materials functional analysis
- http://bioconductor.org/packages/release/bioc/vignettes/DESeq2/inst/doc/DESeq2.html

Checking to see that the transcript to gene mapping is correct

When you have annotations that are from a different source from your reference you can run into problems (i.e lose genes). Some checks you can do before proceeding:

- 1. Look at the dimensions of your count matrix. Do you have ~20k genes present? dim(txi\$counts)
- 2. When running tximport() you will get a message in your console. If you see something like transcripts missing from tx2gene start troubleshooting.

```
dim(txi$counts)
## [1] 58735 44
```

Sanity check that metadata matches your expression

It is always a good idea to check if: 1. Do you have expression data for all samples listed in your metadata?

2. Are the samples in your expression data in the same order as your metadata?

```
### Check that sample names match in both files
all(colnames(txi$counts) %in% rownames(meta))

## [1] TRUE

### Check that sample names match in both files
all(colnames(txi$counts) %in% rownames(meta))

## [1] TRUE

### Check that all samples are in the same order
meta <- meta[colnames(txi$counts),]
all(colnames(txi$counts) == rownames(meta))</pre>
```

Run DESeq2

estimating size factors estimating dispersions gene-wise dispersion estimates mean-dispersion relationship final dispersion estimates fitting model and testing

- Estimating size factors and count normalization
- Gene-wise dispersions
- Mean-dispersion(variance) relationship and the Negative Binomial Model
- Model fitting and hypothesis testing

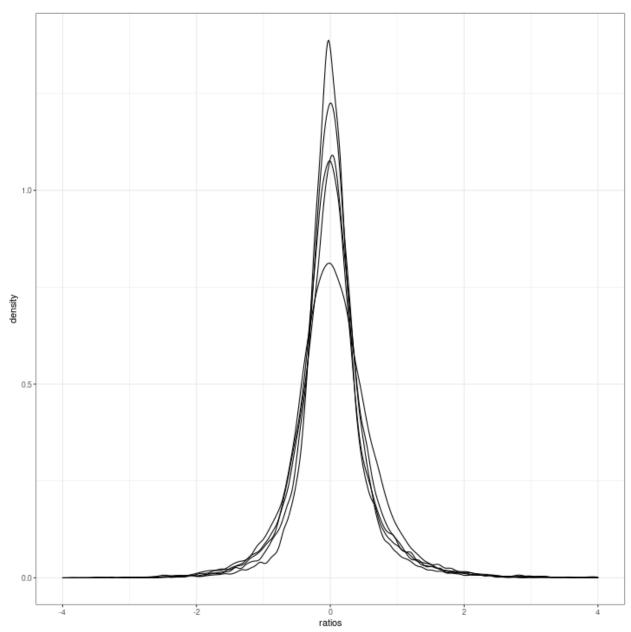
Wald test

Here we subset protein coding genes.

DEGreport QC

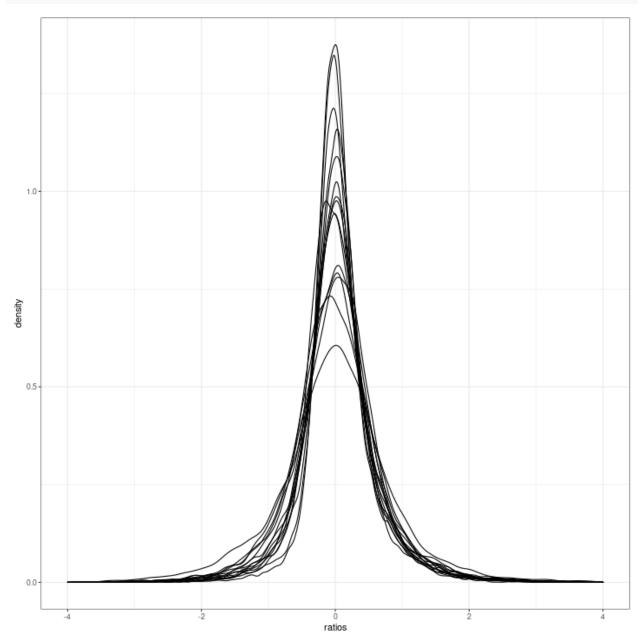
Size factor QC - samples 1-15

```
counts <- counts(dds, normalized = TRUE)
design <- as.data.frame(colData(dds))
degCheckFactors(counts[, 1:5])</pre>
```



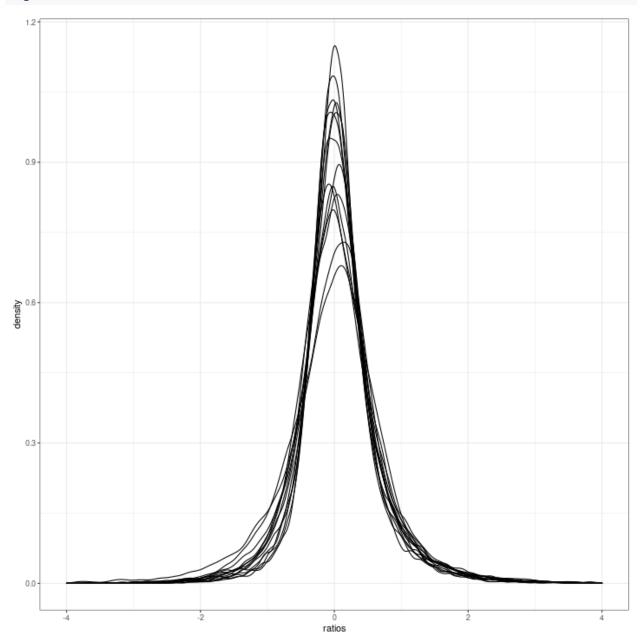
Size factor QC - samples 16-30

degCheckFactors(counts[, 16:30])



Size factor QC - samples 31-40 (44)

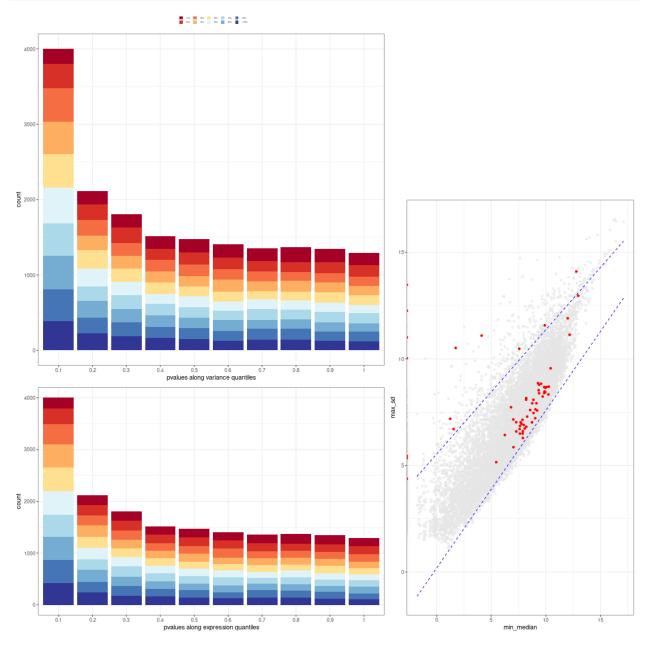
degCheckFactors(counts[, 31:ncol(counts)])



Mean-Variance QC plots

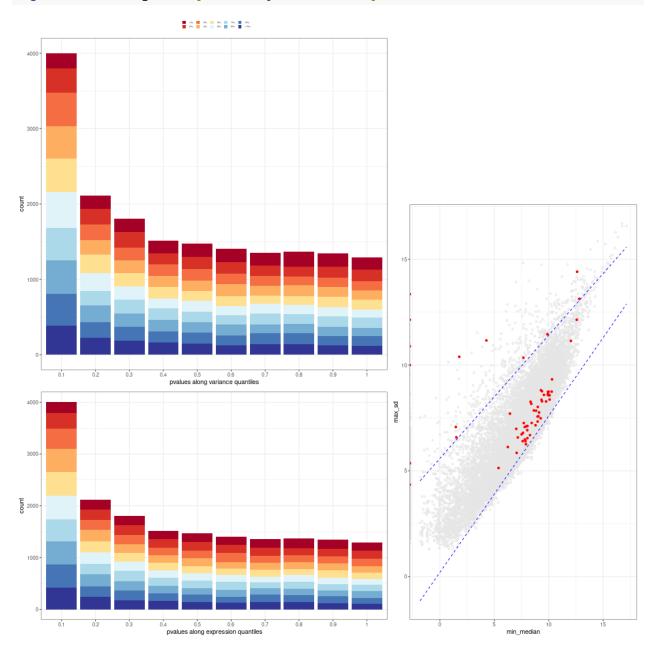
treatment

```
res <- results(dds)
degQC(counts, design[["treatment"]], pvalue = res[["pvalue"]])</pre>
```



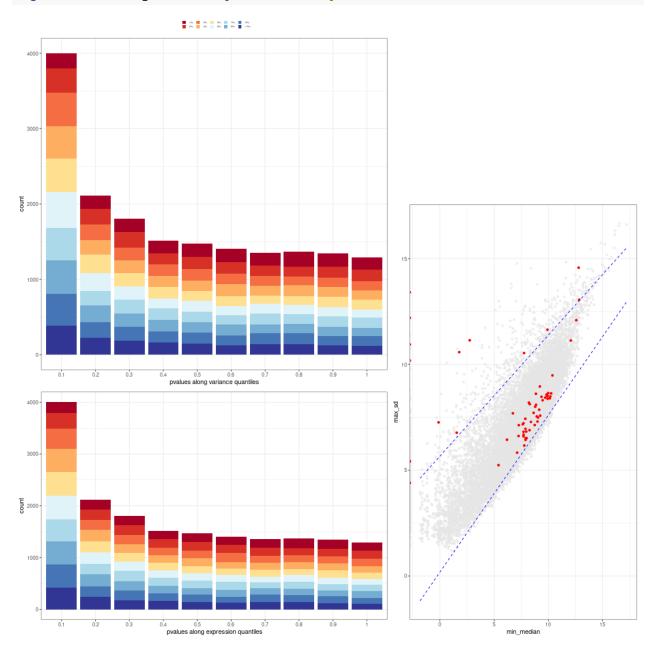
response

degQC(counts, design[["response"]], pvalue = res[["pvalue"]])



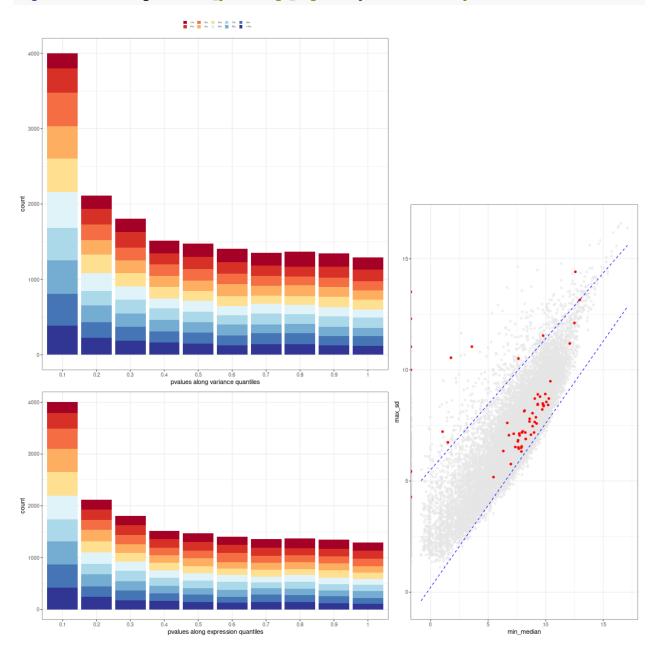
 $\mathbf{E}\mathbf{R}$

degQC(counts, design[["er"]], pvalue = res[["pvalue"]])



tumor_percentage_high

degQC(counts, design[["tumor_percentage_high"]], pvalue = res[["pvalue"]])

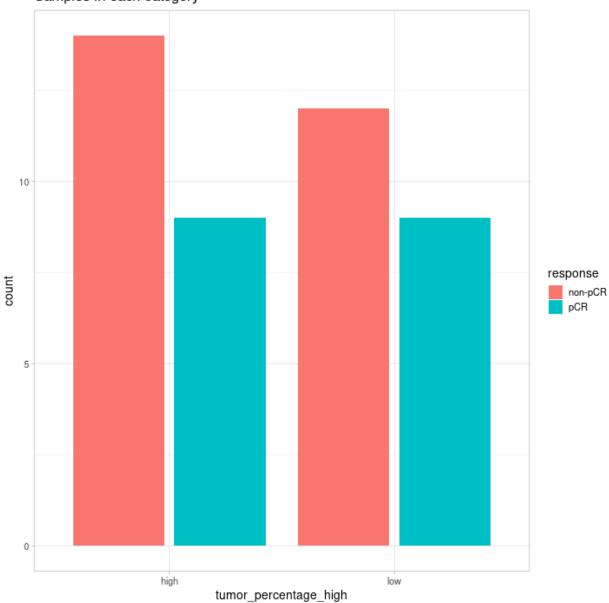


Covariates effect on count data

```
mdata <- colData(dds) %>% as.data.frame() %>%
  dplyr::select(treatment, response, er, date_of, tumor_percentage_high)
resCov <- degCovariates(log2(counts(dds)+0.5), mdata)</pre>
         -2.0
        -1.5
        -1.0
         -0.5
         0.0
   PC3 (7.31%)
PC2 (11.06%)
  PC1 (24.09%)
                    type_variable • categorical
                                                             importance ● 0.25 ● 0.50 ● 0.75 ● 1.00
                                            -1.0 -0.5 0.0 0.5 1.0
```

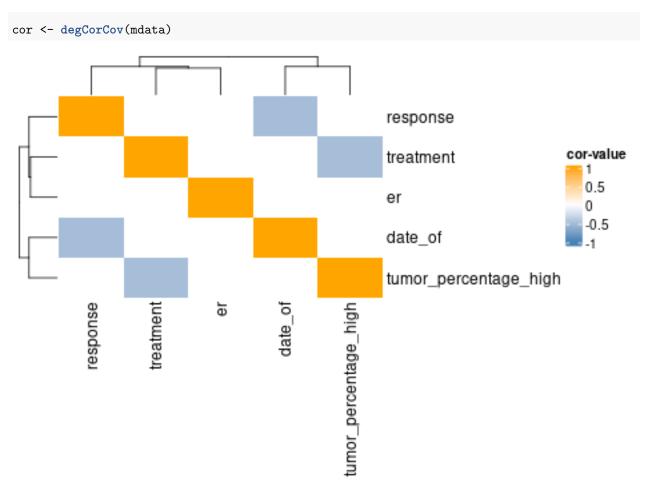
```
mdata %>% ggplot(aes(tumor_percentage_high, fill = response)) +
  geom_bar(position = "dodge2") +
  ggtitle("Samples in each category")
```

Samples in each category

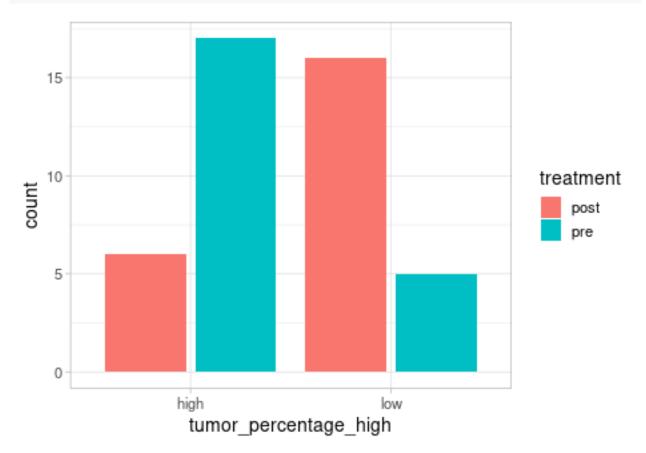


Samples split equally between tumor_percentage_high for both response types. That allows to control for tumor_percentage_high batch effectively.

Covariates correlation with metrics



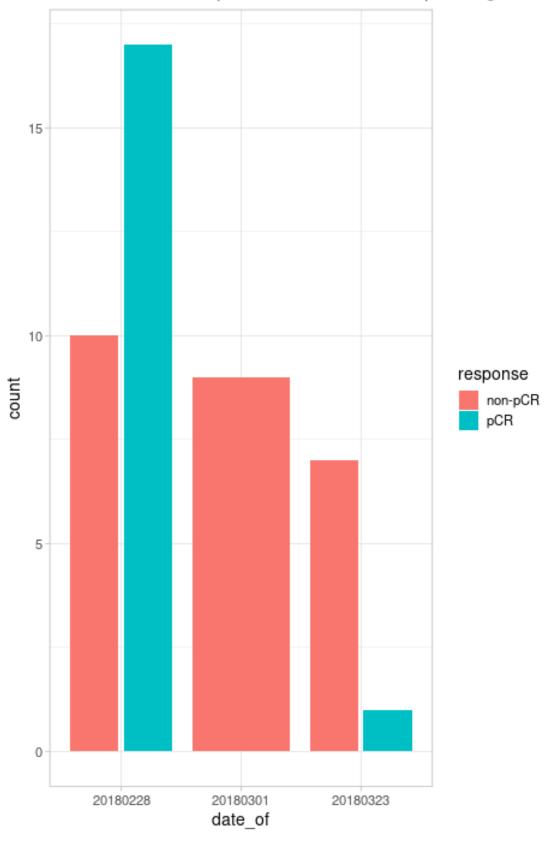
mdata %>% ggplot(aes(tumor_percentage_high, fill = treatment)) + geom_bar(position = "dodge2")



pre-treatment samples have a larger proportion of higher tumor_percentage - tumor content decreases after treatment, it is harder to sample high purity tumors.

```
mdata %>% ggplot(aes(date_of, fill = response)) +
  geom_bar(position = "dodge2") +
  ggtitle("Distribution of samples across dates of sequencing")
```

Distribution of samples across dates of sequencing

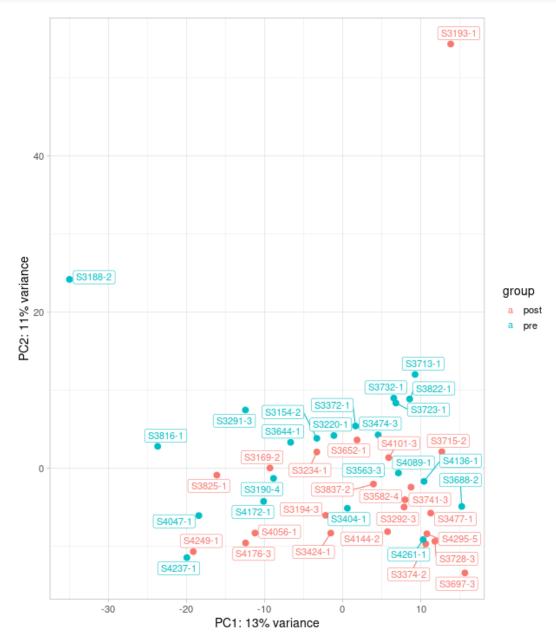


Most pCR samples were sequenced on 20180228 and non-pCR on two other dates. It is important to check the magnitude of DE signal between dates.

Sample-level QC analysis

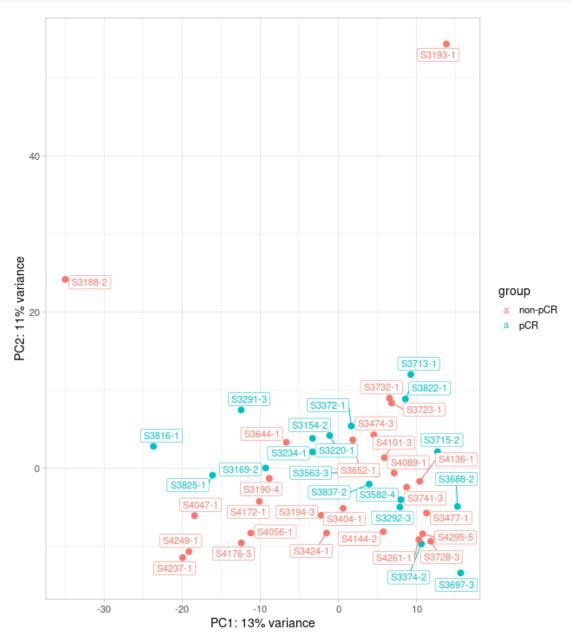
PCA - treatment

```
# Use the DESeq2 function
plotPCA(rld, intgroup = c("treatment")) + geom_label_repel(aes(label = name))
```



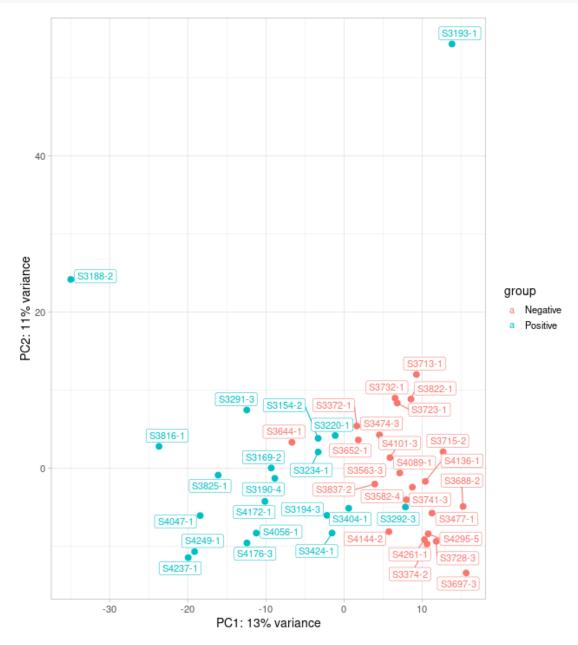
PCA - response

```
# Use the DESeq2 function
plotPCA(rld, intgroup = c("response")) + geom_label_repel(aes(label = name))
```



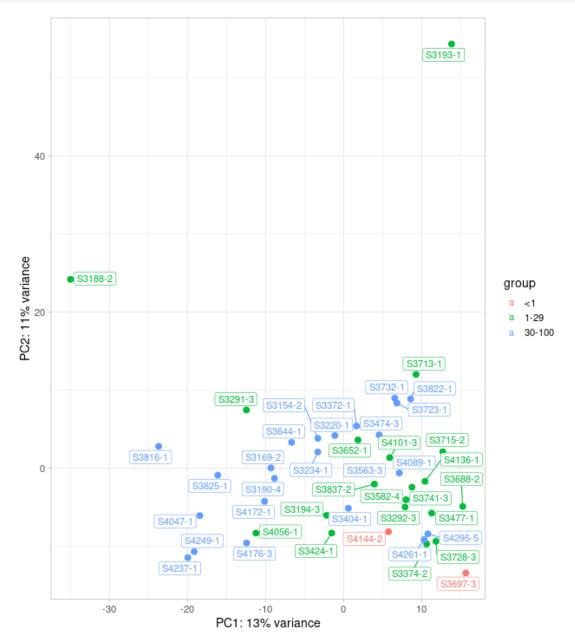
PCA - ER

```
# Use the DESeq2 function
plotPCA(rld, intgroup = c("er")) + geom_label_repel(aes(label = name))
```



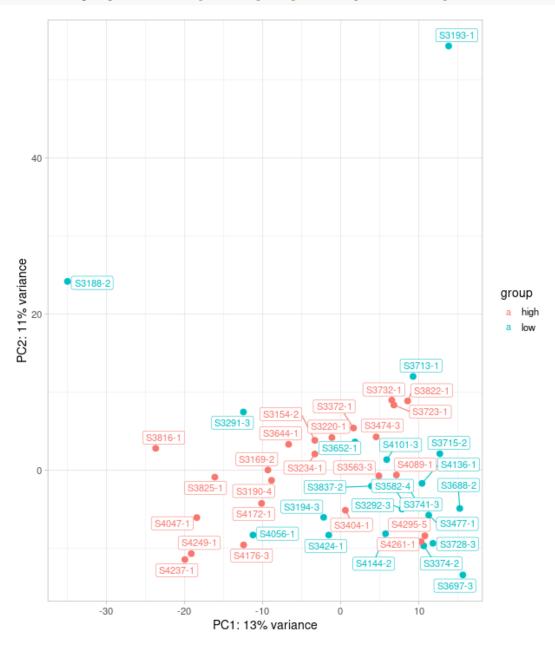
PCA - tumor_percentage

```
# Use the DESeq2 function
plotPCA(rld, intgroup = c("tumor_percentage")) + geom_label_repel(aes(label = name))
```



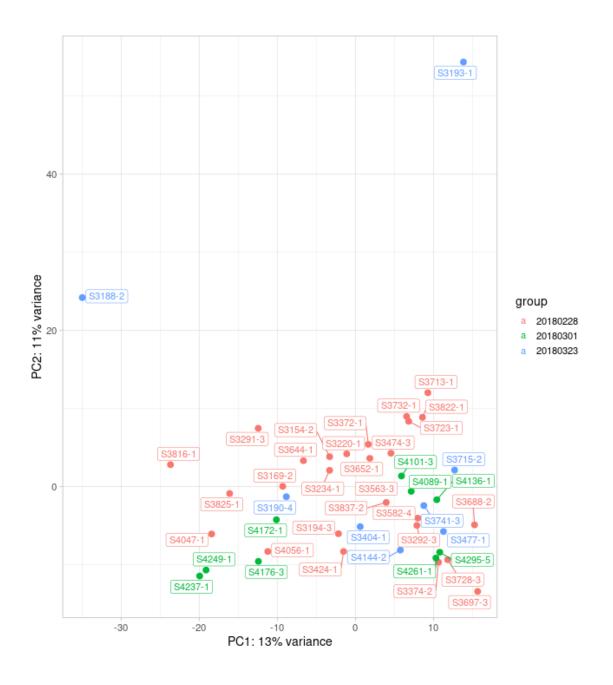
PCA - tumor_percentage_high

```
# Use the DESeq2 function
plotPCA(rld, intgroup = c("tumor_percentage_high")) + geom_label_repel(aes(label = name))
```



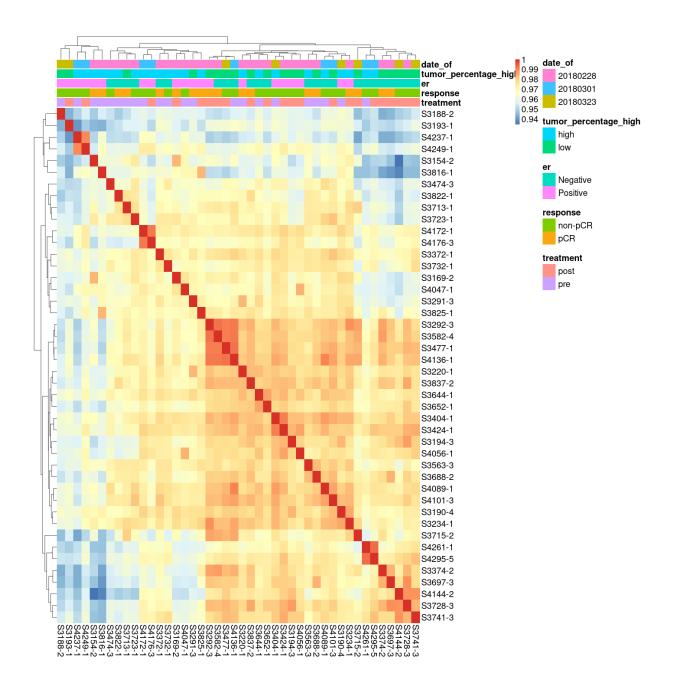
PCA - date_of

```
# Use the DESeq2 function
plotPCA(rld, intgroup = c("date_of")) + geom_label_repel(aes(label = name))
```

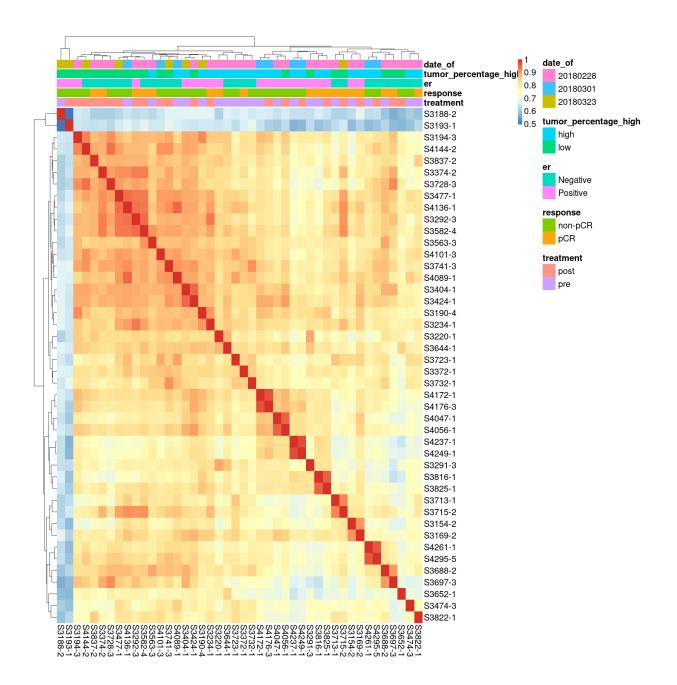


Inter-correlation analysis

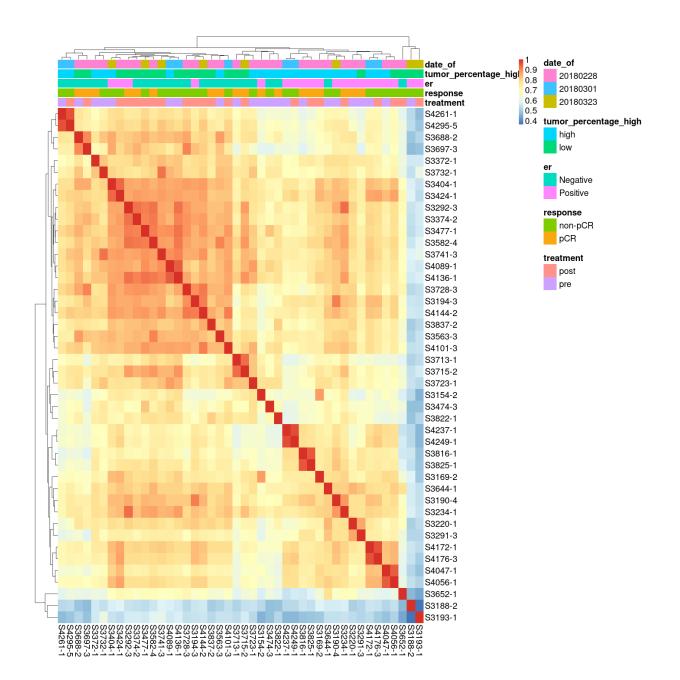
Without study_id



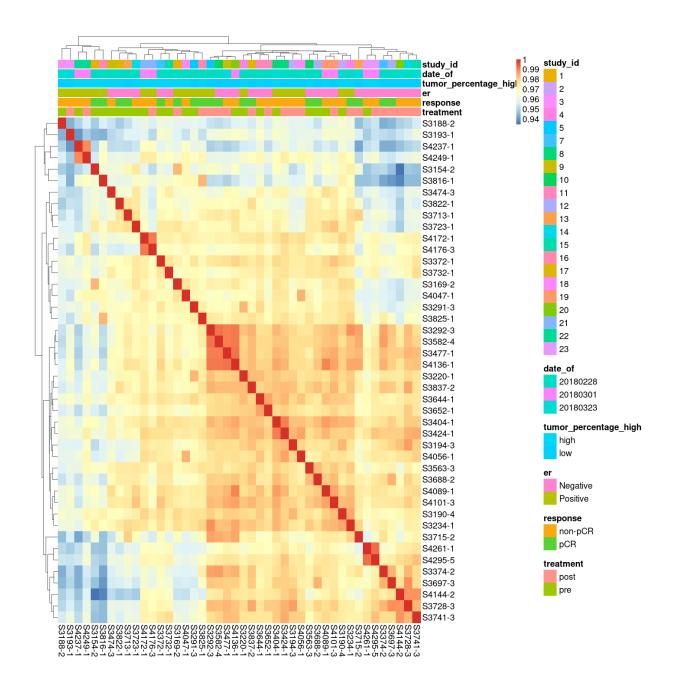
Without study_id = top 1000 variable genes



Wihout study_id = top 500 variable genes



With study_id



Treatment Post vs Pre - see Table3

Response pCR vs non-pCR - see Table4

ER : Positive vs Negative - Table 5

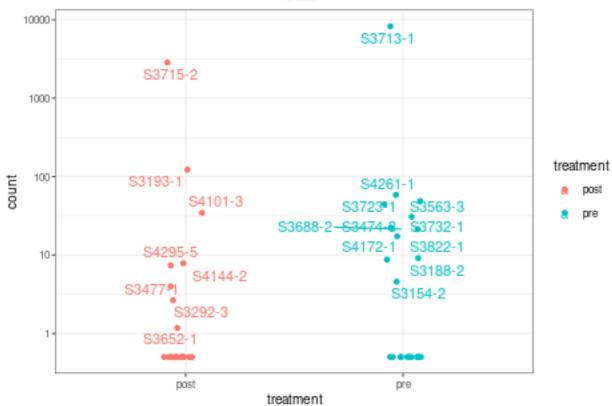
 $tumor_percentage_high: High~vs~Low~-~Table~6$

date_of: 20180323 vs 20180228 - Table 7

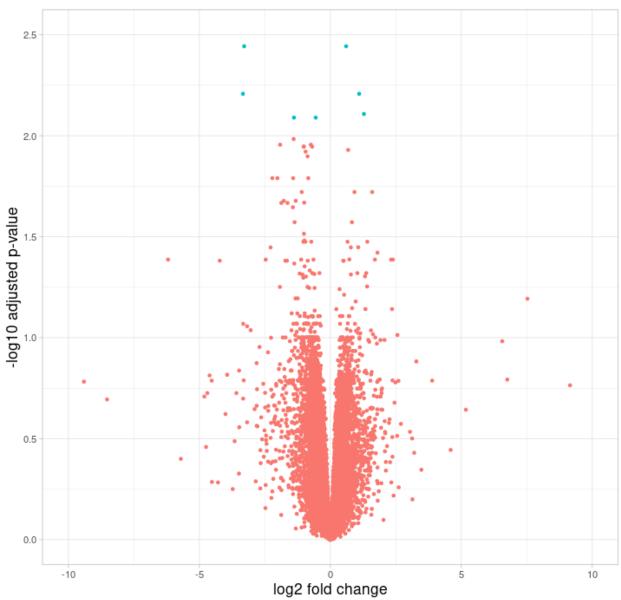
Visualization

 $Gene\ example$





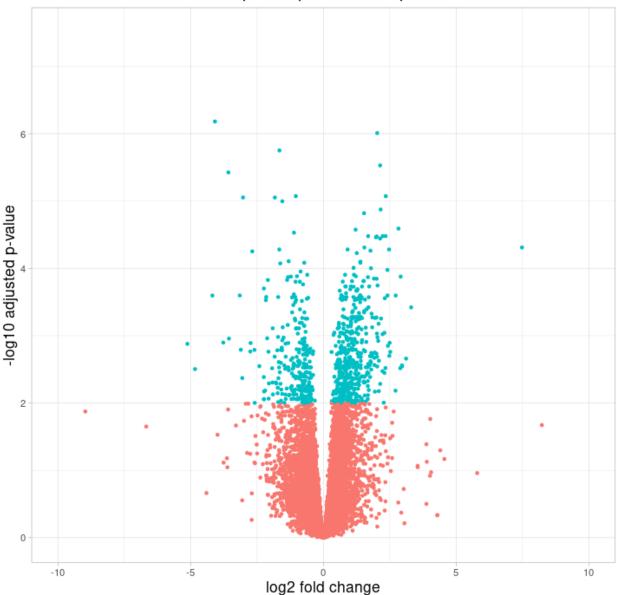
Treatment Post vs Pre



```
# Add a column for significant genes
resResponse_tb <- resResponse_tb %>% mutate(threshold = padj < 0.01)

ggplot(resResponse_tb) +
   geom_point(aes(x = log2FoldChange, y = -log10(padj), colour = threshold)) +
   ggtitle("Response pCR vs non-pCR") +
   xlab("log2 fold change") +
   ylab("-log10 adjusted p-value") +
   scale_x_continuous(limits = c(-10,10)) +
   scale_y_continuous(limits = c(0, 7.5))+
   theme(legend.position = "none",
        plot.title = element_text(size = rel(1.5), hjust = 0.5),
        axis.title = element_text(size = rel(1.25)))</pre>
```

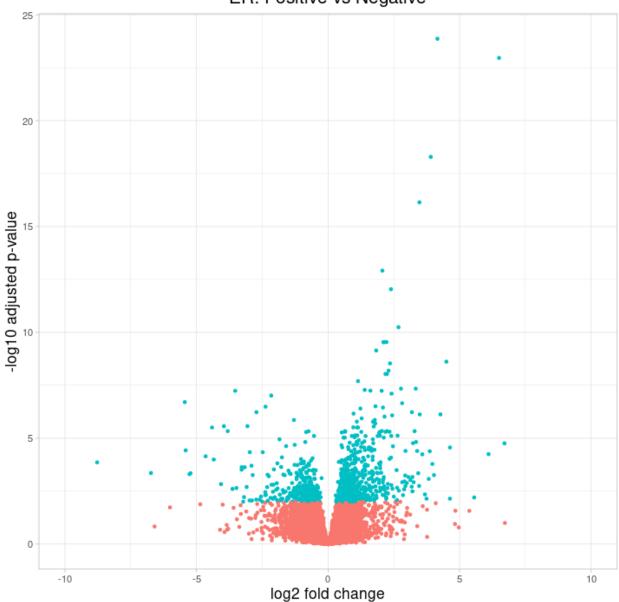
Response pCR vs non-pCR



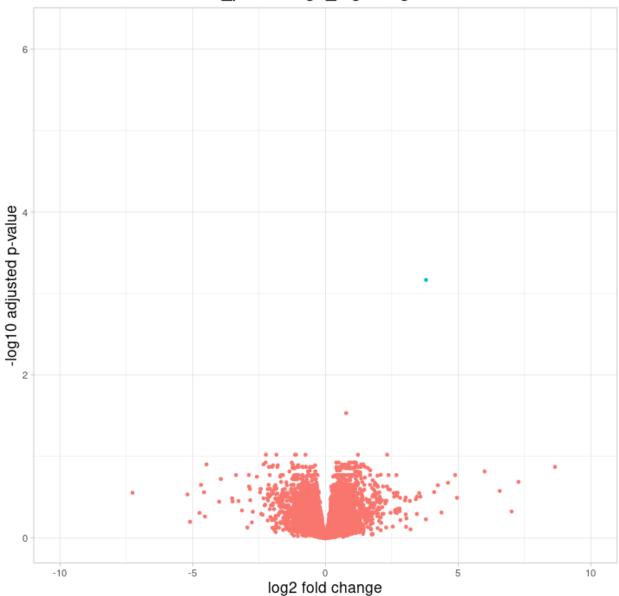
```
# Add a column for significant genes
resER_tb <- resER_tb %>% mutate(threshold = padj < 0.01)

ggplot(resER_tb) +
   geom_point(aes(x = log2FoldChange, y = -log10(padj), colour = threshold)) +
   ggtitle("ER: Positive vs Negative") +
   xlab("log2 fold change") +
   ylab("-log10 adjusted p-value") +
   scale_x_continuous(limits = c(-10,10)) +
   theme(legend.position = "none",
        plot.title = element_text(size = rel(1.5), hjust = 0.5),
        axis.title = element_text(size = rel(1.25)))</pre>
```

ER: Positive vs Negative



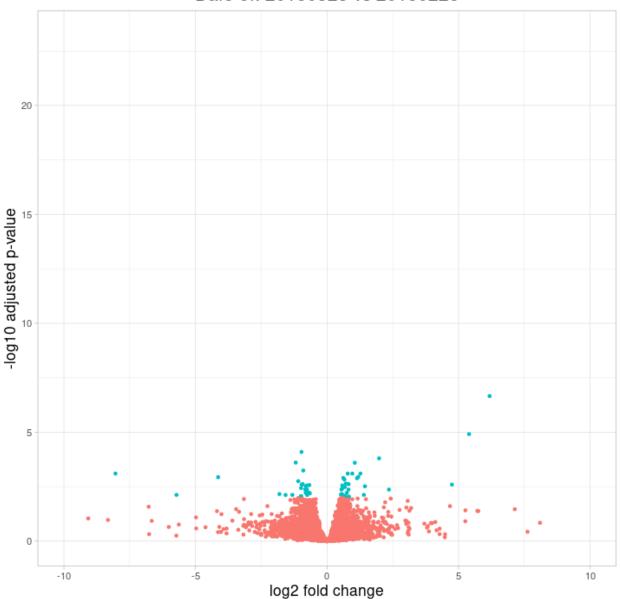
Tumor_percentage_high: High vs Low



```
# Add a column for significant genes
resDO_tb <- resDO_tb %>% mutate(threshold = padj < 0.01)

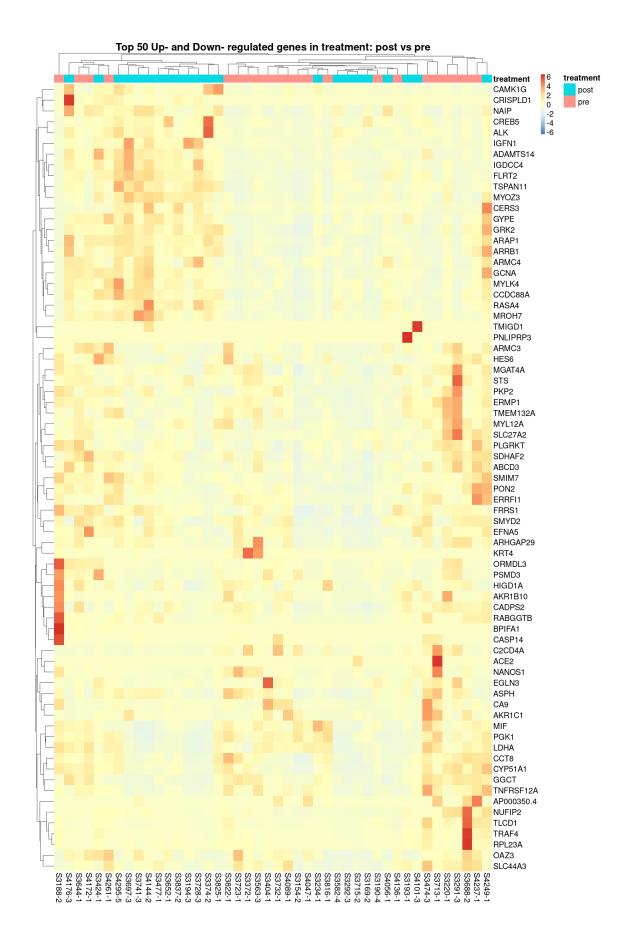
ggplot(resDO_tb) +
   geom_point(aes(x = log2FoldChange, y = -log10(padj), colour = threshold)) +
   ggtitle("Dafe of: 20180323 vs 20180228") +
   xlab("log2 fold change") +
   ylab("-log10 adjusted p-value") +
   scale_x_continuous(limits = c(-10,10)) +
   theme(legend.position = "none",
        plot.title = element_text(size = rel(1.5), hjust = 0.5),
        axis.title = element_text(size = rel(1.25)))</pre>
```

Dafe of: 20180323 vs 20180228

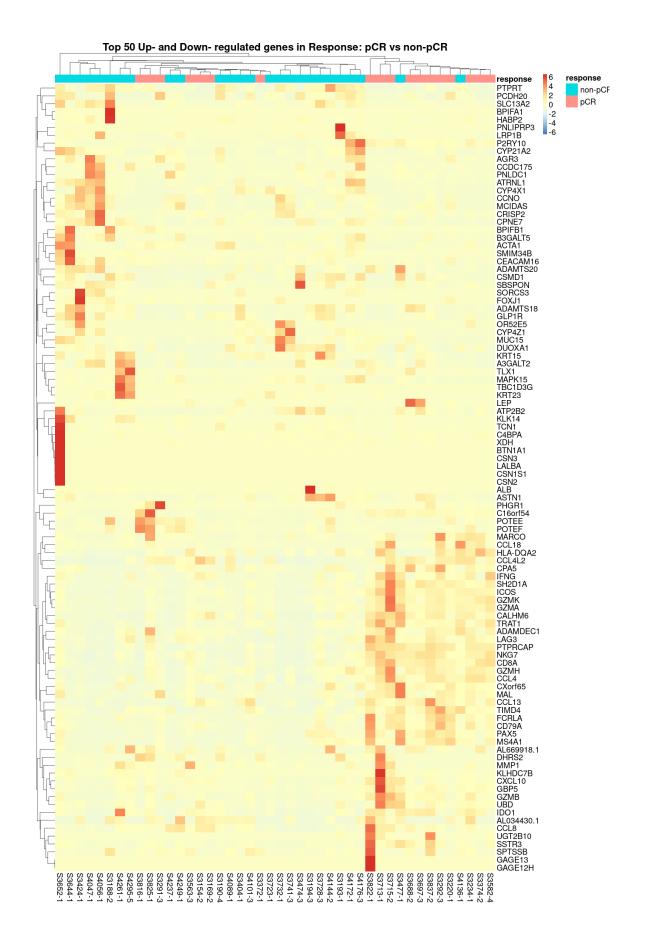


Heatmaps

```
# Create a matrix of normalized expression
sig_up <- resTreatment_tb_significant %>% arrange(-log2FoldChange) %>% head(50) %>% pull(gene)
sig_down <- resTreatment_tb_significant %>% arrange(log2FoldChange) %>% head(50) %>% pull(gene)
sig <- c(sig_up, sig_down)</pre>
row_annotation <- gene_symbol %>%
                    as_tibble() %>%
                    dplyr::filter(gene_id %in% sig)
plotmat <- txi$abundance[c(sig_up, sig_down),] %>% as.data.frame() %>%
          rownames_to_column(var = "ensembl_gene_id") %>%
          left_join(gene_symbol, by = c("ensembl_gene_id" = "gene_id")) %>%
          drop_na(symbol)
plotmat$ensembl_gene_id <- NULL</pre>
plotmat <- plotmat %>% column_to_rownames(var = "symbol") %>% as.matrix()
# Color palette
heat.colors <- brewer.pal(6, "YlOrRd")</pre>
# Plot heatmap
# color = heat.colors,
pheatmap(plotmat, scale = "row",
         show_rownames = TRUE,
         border = FALSE,
         annotation = meta[, c("treatment"), drop = FALSE],
         main = "Top 50 Up- and Down- regulated genes in treatment: post vs pre",
         fontsize = 20)
```



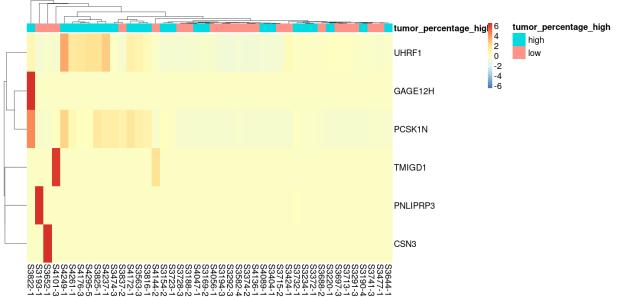
```
# Create a matrix of normalized expression
sig_up <- resResponse_tb_significant %>% arrange(-log2FoldChange) %>% head(50) %>% pull(gene)
sig_down <- resResponse_tb_significant %>% arrange(log2FoldChange) %>% head(50) %>% pull(gene)
sig <- c(sig_up, sig_down)</pre>
row_annotation <- gene_symbol %>%
                    as_tibble() %>%
                    dplyr::filter(gene_id %in% sig)
plotmat <- txi$abundance[c(sig_up, sig_down),] %>% as.data.frame() %>%
          rownames_to_column(var = "ensembl_gene_id") %>%
          left_join(gene_symbol, by = c("ensembl_gene_id" = "gene_id")) %>%
          drop_na(symbol)
plotmat$ensembl_gene_id <- NULL</pre>
plotmat <- plotmat %>% column_to_rownames(var = "symbol") %>% as.matrix()
# Color palette
heat.colors <- brewer.pal(6, "YlOrRd")</pre>
# Plot heatmap
pheatmap(plotmat,
         scale = "row",
         show_rownames = TRUE,
         border = FALSE,
         annotation = meta[, c("response"), drop = FALSE],
         main = "Top 50 Up- and Down- regulated genes in Response: pCR vs non-pCR",
         fontsize = 20)
```



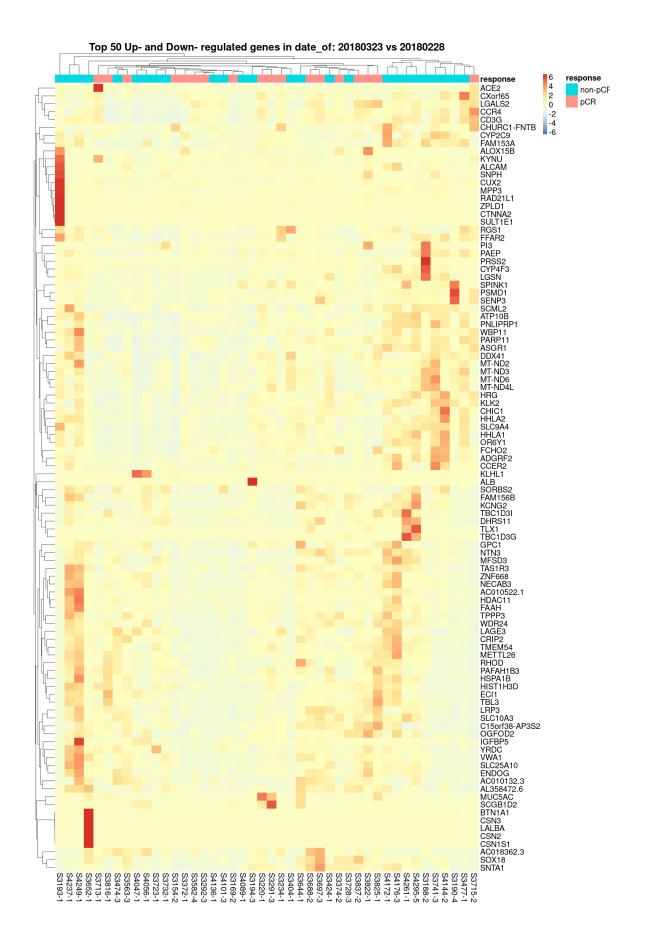
```
# Create a matrix of normalized expression
sig_up <- resER_tb_significant %>% arrange(-log2FoldChange) %>% head(50) %>% pull(gene)
sig_down <- resER_tb_significant %>% arrange(log2FoldChange) %>% head(50) %>% pull(gene)
sig <- c(sig_up, sig_down)</pre>
row_annotation <- gene_symbol %>%
                    as_tibble() %>%
                    dplyr::filter(gene_id %in% sig)
plotmat <- txi$abundance[c(sig_up, sig_down),] %>% as.data.frame() %>%
          rownames_to_column(var = "ensembl_gene_id") %>%
          left_join(gene_symbol, by = c("ensembl_gene_id" = "gene_id")) %>%
          drop_na(symbol)
plotmat$ensembl_gene_id <- NULL</pre>
plotmat <- plotmat %>% column_to_rownames(var = "symbol") %>% as.matrix()
# Color palette
heat.colors <- brewer.pal(6, "YlOrRd")</pre>
# Plot heatmap
pheatmap(plotmat,
         scale = "row",
         show_rownames = TRUE,
         border = FALSE,
         annotation = meta[, c("er"), drop = FALSE],
         main = "Top 50 Up- and Down- regulated genes in ER: positive vs negative",
         fontsize = 20)
```



Top Up/Down-regulated genes in Tumor_percentage_high: high vs low



```
# Create a matrix of normalized expression
sig_up <- resD0_tb_significant %>% arrange(-log2FoldChange) %>% head(50) %>% pull(gene)
sig_down <- resD0_tb_significant %>% arrange(log2FoldChange) %>% head(50) %>% pull(gene)
sig <- c(sig_up, sig_down)</pre>
row_annotation <- gene_symbol %>%
                    as_tibble() %>%
                    dplyr::filter(gene_id %in% sig)
plotmat <- txi$abundance[c(sig_up, sig_down),] %>% as.data.frame() %>%
          rownames_to_column(var = "ensembl_gene_id") %>%
          left_join(gene_symbol, by = c("ensembl_gene_id" = "gene_id")) %>%
          drop_na(symbol)
plotmat$ensembl_gene_id <- NULL</pre>
plotmat <- plotmat %>% column_to_rownames(var = "symbol") %>% as.matrix()
# Color palette
heat.colors <- brewer.pal(6, "YlOrRd")</pre>
# Plot heatmap
pheatmap(plotmat,
         scale = "row",
         show_rownames = TRUE,
         border = FALSE,
         annotation = meta[, c("response"), drop = FALSE],
         main = "Top 50 Up- and Down- regulated genes in date_of: 20180323 vs 20180228",
         fontsize = 20)
```



R session

sessionInfo()

```
## R version 4.0.3 (2020-10-10)
## Platform: x86_64-redhat-linux-gnu (64-bit)
## Running under: Fedora 32 (Workstation Edition)
## Matrix products: default
## BLAS/LAPACK: /usr/lib64/libopenblas-r0.3.12.so
##
## locale:
   [1] LC_CTYPE=en_CA.UTF-8
                                   LC NUMERIC=C
##
  [3] LC_TIME=en_CA.UTF-8
                                   LC COLLATE=en CA.UTF-8
  [5] LC_MONETARY=en_CA.UTF-8
                                   LC_MESSAGES=en_CA.UTF-8
##
   [7] LC_PAPER=en_CA.UTF-8
                                   LC_NAME=C
## [9] LC_ADDRESS=C
                                   LC_TELEPHONE=C
## [11] LC_MEASUREMENT=en_CA.UTF-8 LC_IDENTIFICATION=C
## attached base packages:
## [1] parallel
                stats4
                           stats
                                     graphics grDevices utils
                                                                    datasets
## [8] methods
##
## other attached packages:
  [1] ensembldb_2.14.1
                                    AnnotationFilter_1.14.0
  [3] GenomicFeatures_1.42.3
                                    AnnotationDbi_1.52.0
## [5] AnnotationHub_2.22.1
                                    BiocFileCache_1.14.0
## [7] dbplyr_2.1.1
                                    knitr_1.30
## [9] ggrepel_0.9.1
                                    tximport_1.18.0
## [11] DEGreport_1.26.0
                                    pheatmap_1.0.12
## [13] RColorBrewer 1.1-2
                                    forcats_0.5.1
## [15] stringr_1.4.0
                                    dplyr_1.0.5
## [17] purrr_0.3.4
                                    readr_1.4.0
## [19] tidyr_1.1.3
                                    tibble_3.1.1
## [21] ggplot2 3.3.3
                                    tidyverse 1.3.1
## [23] DESeq2_1.30.1
                                    SummarizedExperiment_1.20.0
## [25] Biobase_2.50.0
                                    MatrixGenerics_1.2.1
## [27] matrixStats_0.58.0
                                    GenomicRanges_1.42.0
## [29] GenomeInfoDb_1.26.7
                                    IRanges_2.24.1
## [31] S4Vectors_0.28.1
                                    BiocGenerics_0.36.1
##
## loaded via a namespace (and not attached):
     [1] readxl_1.3.1
##
                                       backports_1.2.1
     [3] circlize_0.4.12
##
                                       plyr_1.8.6
                                       ConsensusClusterPlus_1.54.0
     [5] lazyeval_0.2.2
##
##
     [7] splines_4.0.3
                                       BiocParallel_1.24.1
##
     [9] digest_0.6.27
                                       htmltools 0.5.1.1
##
  [11] fansi_0.4.2
                                       magrittr_2.0.1
## [13] memoise_2.0.0
                                       cluster_2.1.0
## [15] limma_3.46.0
                                       ComplexHeatmap_2.6.2
## [17] Biostrings_2.58.0
                                       annotate_1.68.0
## [19] Nozzle.R1_1.1-1
                                       modelr 0.1.8
## [21] askpass_1.1
                                       prettyunits_1.1.1
## [23] colorspace_2.0-0
                                       blob_1.2.1
```

```
[25] rvest_1.0.0
                                       rappdirs 0.3.3
##
   [27] haven_2.4.1
                                       xfun_0.19
                                       RCurl 1.98-1.3
## [29] crayon 1.4.1
## [31] jsonlite_1.7.2
                                       genefilter_1.72.1
##
   [33] survival_3.2-7
                                       glue 1.4.2
##
  [35] gtable 0.3.0
                                       zlibbioc 1.36.0
## [37] XVector 0.30.0
                                       MatrixModels 0.5-0
## [39] GetoptLong_1.0.5
                                       DelayedArray_0.16.3
##
   [41] shape 1.4.5
                                       SparseM 1.81
##
  [43] scales_1.1.1
                                       DBI_1.1.1
  [45] edgeR_3.32.1
                                       Rcpp_1.0.6
##
  [47] progress_1.2.2
                                       xtable_1.8-4
  [49] lasso2_1.2-21.1
                                       tmvnsim_1.0-2
## [51] clue_0.3-59
                                       bit_4.0.4
## [53] httr_1.4.2
                                       ellipsis_0.3.1
##
   [55] farver_2.1.0
                                       pkgconfig_2.0.3
## [57] reshape_0.8.8
                                       XML_3.99-0.6
  [59] locfit 1.5-9.4
                                       utf8 1.2.1
## [61] labeling_0.4.2
                                       tidyselect_1.1.0
##
   [63] rlang 0.4.10
                                       later 1.2.0
## [65] munsell_0.5.0
                                       BiocVersion_3.12.0
## [67] cellranger 1.1.0
                                       tools 4.0.3
## [69] cachem_1.0.4
                                       cli_2.5.0
## [71] generics 0.1.0
                                       RSQLite 2.2.7
## [73] broom_0.7.6
                                       evaluate 0.14
## [75] fastmap_1.1.0
                                       ggdendro_0.1.22
## [77] yaml_2.2.1
                                       bit64_4.0.5
## [79] fs_1.5.0
                                       nlme_3.1-149
## [81] quantreg_5.85
                                       mime_0.9
## [83] xml2_1.3.2
                                       biomaRt_2.46.3
##
   [85] compiler_4.0.3
                                       rstudioapi_0.13
## [87] curl_4.3
                                       png_0.1-7
  [89] interactiveDisplayBase_1.28.0 reprex_2.0.0
## [91] geneplotter_1.68.0
                                       stringi_1.5.3
## [93] lattice 0.20-41
                                       ProtGenerics 1.22.0
## [95] Matrix_1.2-18
                                       psych_2.1.3
## [97] vctrs 0.3.7
                                       pillar 1.6.0
## [99] lifecycle_1.0.0
                                       BiocManager_1.30.12
## [101] GlobalOptions_0.1.2
                                       conquer_1.0.2
## [103] cowplot_1.1.1
                                       bitops_1.0-7
## [105] rtracklayer 1.50.0
                                       httpuv 1.6.0
## [107] R6 2.5.0
                                       promises_1.2.0.1
## [109] MASS_7.3-53
                                       assertthat 0.2.1
## [111] openssl_1.4.3
                                       rjson_0.2.20
                                       GenomicAlignments_1.26.0
## [113] withr_2.4.2
## [115] Rsamtools_2.6.0
                                       mnormt_2.0.2
## [117] GenomeInfoDbData_1.2.4
                                       hms_1.0.0
                                       rmarkdown_2.5
## [119] grid_4.0.3
## [121] Cairo_1.5-12.2
                                       logging_0.10-108
## [123] shiny_1.6.0
                                       lubridate_1.7.10
```