

scRNA-seq reference data

Cell-level molecular profile

	Gene 1	Gene 2	...	Gene P
Cell 1	23	19	...	0
Cell 2	0	139	...	18
⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮
Cell M	0	0	...	56

Cell type information

	cellType
Cell 1	Cell type 1
Cell 2	Cell type 2
⋮	⋮
Cell M	Cell type 4

Spatial transcriptomics data

Spot-level molecular profile

	Gene 1	Gene 2	...	Gene P
Spot 1	23	19	...	0
Spot 2	0	139	...	18
⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮
Spot N	0	0	...	56

geospatial profile

	x	y
Spot 1	16.9	9.0
Spot 2	16.9	11.1
⋮	⋮	⋮
Spot N	18.0	10.1

A zero-inflated negative binomial mixture model with Markov random field prior

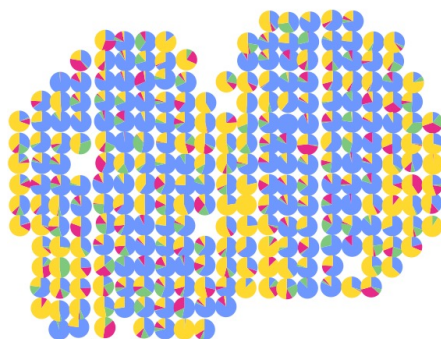
$$x_{mj}|c_m = k, \gamma_j, \mu_{kj}, \mu_{0j}, \psi_j, \zeta_{mj} = 0 \sim \gamma_j \text{NB}(x_{mj}; v_m \mu_{kj}, \psi_j) + (1 - \gamma_j) \text{NB}(x_{mj}; v_m \mu_{0j}, \psi_j) + \pi_i. | z_i = d, \alpha_d. \sim \text{Dir}(\pi_i.; \alpha_d.)$$

$$\gamma_{ij} | \pi_{ik}, \gamma_j, \mu_{kj}, \mu_{0j}, \phi_j, \eta_{ij} = 0 \sim \gamma_j \text{NB}(\gamma_{ij}; s_i \sum_{k=1}^K \pi_{ik} \mu_{kj}, \phi_j) + (1 - \gamma_j) \text{NB}(\gamma_{ij}; s_i \mu_{0j}, \phi_j) + \pi(z_i = d | \mathbf{z}_{-i}) \propto \exp(e_d + f \sum_{i'=1}^N g_{ii'} I(z_{i'} = d))$$

Cell type
deconvolution

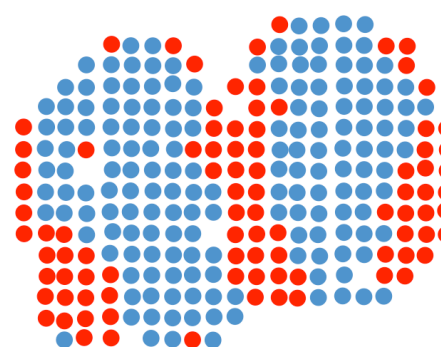
Estimated cell type proportion

	Cell type 1	Cell type 2	Cell type 3	Cell type 4
Spot 1	0.51	0.06	0.09	0.34
Spot 2	0.29	0.01	0.17	0.53
⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮
Spot N	0.75	0.10	0.11	0.04



Spatial domain
identification

Estimated spatial domain



Discriminating gene
detection

Heatmap of detected discriminating genes

