Class 16 - Analyzing sequencing data in the cloud

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Downstream Analysis

Back on our laptop we can now use R and Bioconductor tools to further explore this large scale dataset.

we can import the transcript count estimates into R using:

samples <- sub("_quant", "", folders)</pre>

```
# Install BiocManager if not already installed
# BiocManager::install("tximport")
#BiocManager::install("rhdf5")

#load tximport library
library(tximport)

# setup the folder and filenames to read
folders <- dir(pattern="SRR21568*")
samples <- sub("_quant", "", folders)
files <- file.path( folders, "abundance.h5" )
names(files) <- samples

txi.kallisto <- tximport(files, type = "kallisto", txOut = TRUE)

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```

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# Display the head of the counts matrix
head(txi.kallisto$counts)</pre>
```

SRR2156848 SRR2156849 SRR2156850 SRR2156851

ENST00000539570	0	0	0.00000	0
ENST00000576455	0	0	2.62037	0
ENST00000510508	0	0	0.00000	0
ENST00000474471	0	1	1.00000	0
ENST00000381700	0	0	0.00000	0
ENST00000445946	0	0	0.00000	0

We now have our estimated transcript counts for each sample in R. We can see how many transcripts we have for each sample:

```
# Compute column sums of the counts matrix
colSums(txi.kallisto$counts)
```

```
SRR2156848 SRR2156849 SRR2156850 SRR2156851
2563611 2600800 2372309 2111474
```

And how many transcripts are detected in at least one sample:

```
sum(rowSums(txi.kallisto$counts)>0)
```

[1] 94561

Before subsequent analysis, we might want to filter out those annotated transcripts with no reads:

```
# Identify rows with non-zero counts
to.keep <- rowSums(txi.kallisto$counts) > 0

# Subset the counts matrix to include rows with non-zero counts
kset.nonzero <- txi.kallisto$counts[to.keep,]</pre>
```

And those with no change over the samples:

```
# Calculate row-wise standard deviation and identify rows with non-zero standard deviation
keep2 <- apply(kset.nonzero,1,sd)>0

x <- kset.nonzero[keep2,]</pre>
```

Principal Component Analysis

Now we compute the principal components, centering and scaling each transcript's measured levels so that each feature contributes equally to the PCA:

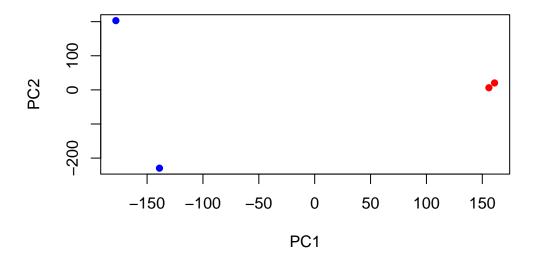
```
# Perform Principal Component Analysis (PCA)
pca <- prcomp(t(x), scale=TRUE)

# Obtain summary of PCA results
summary(pca)</pre>
```

Importance of components:

```
PC1 PC2 PC3 PC4
Standard deviation 183.6379 177.3605 171.3020 1e+00
Proportion of Variance 0.3568 0.3328 0.3104 1e-05
Cumulative Proportion 0.3568 0.6895 1.0000 1e+00
```

Now we can use the first two principal components as a co-ordinate system for visualizing the summarized transcriptomic profiles of each sample:



Q. Use ggplot to make a similar figure of PC1 vs PC2 and a seperate figure PC1

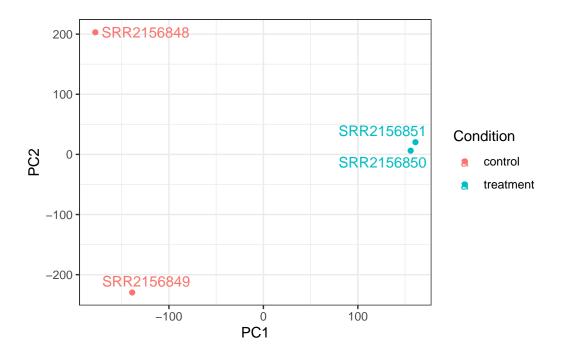
vs PC3 and PC2 vs PC3.

```
# Load ggplot2 and ggrepel libraries
library(ggplot2)
  library(ggrepel)

# Make metadata object for the samples
  colData <- data.frame(condition = factor(rep(c("control", "treatment"), each = 2)))
  rownames(colData) <- colnames(txi.kallisto$counts)

# Make the data.frame for ggplot
  y <- as.data.frame(pca$x)
  y$Condition <- as.factor(colData$condition)

# Create scatter plot with labeled data points using ggplot2
ggplot(y) +aes(PC1, PC2, col=Condition) +
        geom_point() +
        geom_text_repel(label=rownames(y)) +
        theme_bw()</pre>
```



The plot makes it clear that PC1 separates the two control samples (SRR2156848 and SRR2156849) from the two enhancer-targeting CRISPR-Cas9 samples (SRR2156850 and SRR2156851).