Mapping the sub-cellular proteome

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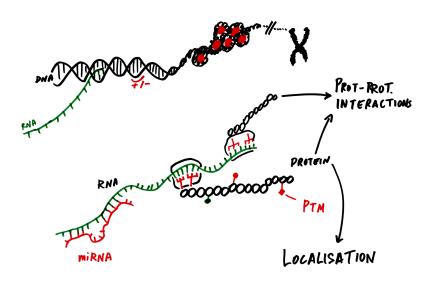
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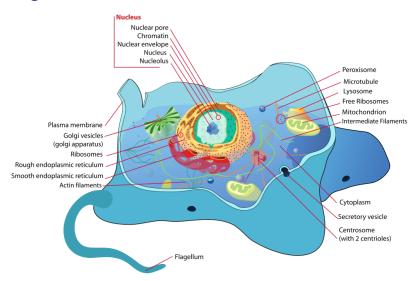
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Cell organisation



Spatial proteomics is the systematic study of protein localisations.

Spatial proteomics - Why?

- Localisation is function
- ▶ Mis-localisation (Kau et al., 2004; Laurila and Vihinen, 2009)
- Re-localisation

Spatial proteomics - How, experimentally

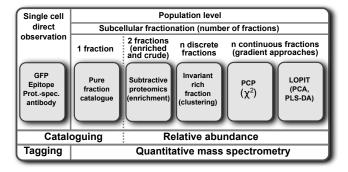
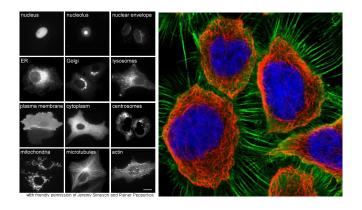


Figure: Organelle proteomics approaches (Gatto et al., 2010)

Fusion proteins and immunofluorescence



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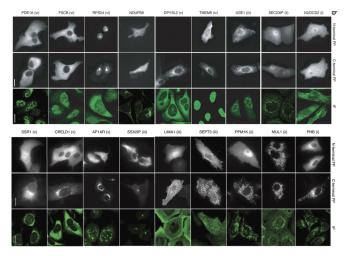


Figure: Example of discrepancies between IF and FPs as well as between FP tagging at the N and C termini (Stadler et al., 2013).

Spatial proteomics - How, experimentally

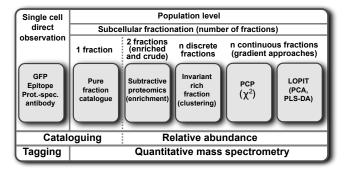
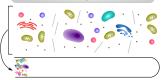


Figure: Organelle proteomics approaches (Gatto et al., 2010). Gradient approaches: Dunkley et al. (2006), Foster et al. (2006).

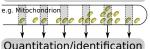
⇒ Explorative/discovery approches, global localisation maps.



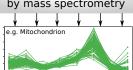
Cell lysis



Fractionation/centrifugation



Quantitation/identification by mass spectrometry



Quantitation data and organelle markers

	$Fraction_1$	$Fraction_2$		Fraction _m	markers
p_1	q _{1,1}	q _{1,2}		q _{1, m}	unknown
p_2	q _{2,1}	$q_{2,2}$		q _{2, m}	loc ₁
p ₃	q _{3,1}	$q_{3,2}$		q _{3, m}	unknown
p ₄	q _{4,1}	$q_{4,2}$		q _{4, m}	loci
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pj	$q_{j,1}$	$q_{j,2}$		q _{j, m}	unknown

Visualisation and classification

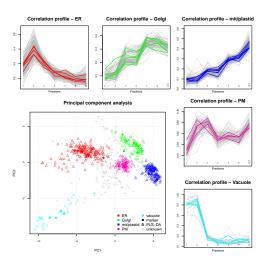
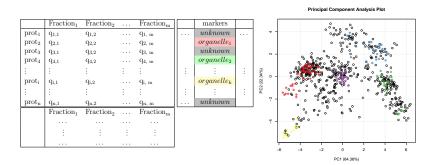


Figure : From Gatto et al. (2010), *Arabidopsis thaliana* data from Dunkley et al. (2006)

Data analysis



Supervised machine learning

Using labelled marker proteins to match unlabelled proteins (of unknown localisation) with similar profiles and classify them as residents to the markers organelle class.

Supervised ML

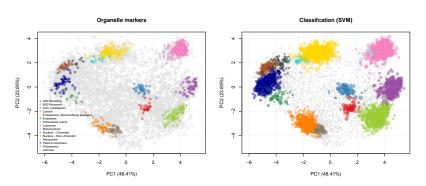
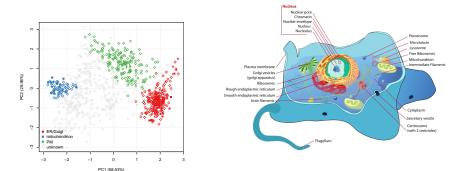


Figure: Support vector machines classifier on the embryonic stem cell data from Christoforou et al. (2016).

Limitations



Incomplete annotation, and therefore lack of training data, for many/most organelles. *Drosophila* data from Tan et al. (2009).

Novelty detection

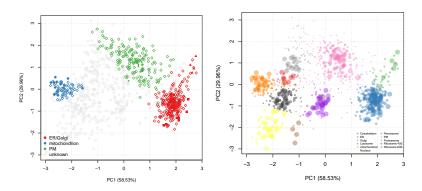


Figure : Left: *Drosophila* data from Tan et al. (2009). Right: Semi-supervised learning, Breckels et al. (2013).

Improving on LOPIT

Improving is obtaining better sub-cellular resolution to increase the number of protein that can be **confidently** assigned to a sub-cellular niche.

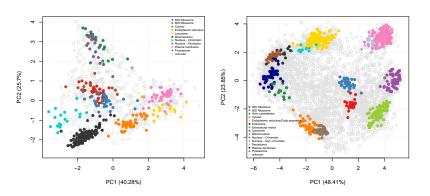


Figure: E14TG2a embryonic stem cells: old (left) vs. new, better resolved (right) experiments (Christoforou et al. (2016)).

Improving on LOPIT

LOPIT Dunkley et al. (2006)	Computational : transfer learning Breckels et al. (2016)	
Experimental : hyperLOPIT	Biological	
Christoforou et al. (2016) Mulvey et al. (2017)	discoveries	

hyperLOPIT

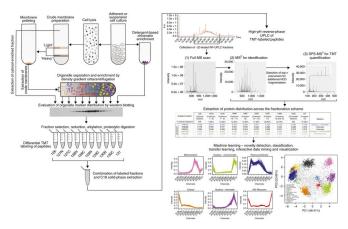


Figure: From Mulvey et al. (2017) Using hyperLOPIT to perform high-resolution mapping of the spatial proteome.

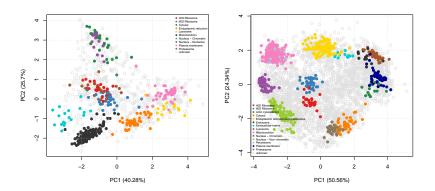


Figure : E14TG2a LOPIT on 8 fractions (using iTRAQ 8-plex) and 1109 proteins vs. hyperLOPIT on 10 fractions (using TMT 10-plex) and SPS-MS³ for 5032 proteins.

Transfer learning

What about annotation data from repositories such as the Gene Ontogy (GO), sequence features, signal peptide, transmembrane domains, images, prediction software, . . .

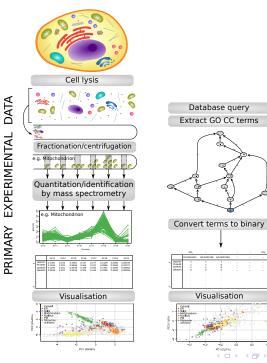
- From a user perspective: "free/cheap" vs. expensive
- ► Abundant (all proteins, 100s of features) vs. (experimentally) limited/**targeted** (1000s of proteins, 6 20 of features)
- ► For localisation in system at hand: low vs. high quality
- Static vs. dynamic

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Transfer learning

Support/complement the **primary** target domain (experimental data) with **auxiliary** data (annotation, imaging, PPI, ...) features without compromising the integrity of our primary data (Breckels et al., 2016).





Database query Extract GO CC terms

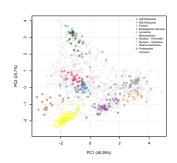
Visualisation



Transfer learnig, based on Wu and Dietterich (2004):

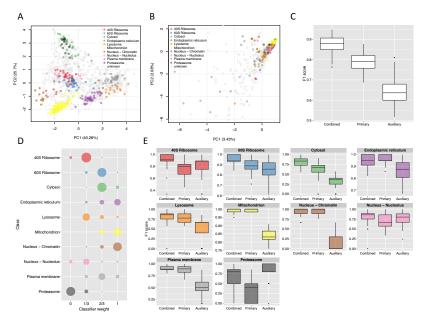
Class-weighted kNN

$$V(c_i)_j = \theta^* n_{ij}^P + (1 - \theta^*) n_{ij}^A$$



Linear programming SVM

$$f(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{v}; \boldsymbol{\alpha}_P, \boldsymbol{\alpha}_A, b) = \sum_{l=1}^m y_l \left[\alpha_l^P K^P(\mathbf{x}_l, \mathbf{x}) + \alpha_l^A K^A(\mathbf{v}_l, \mathbf{v}) \right] + b$$



Data from mouse stem cells (E14TG2a).

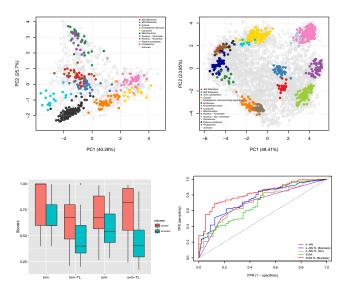


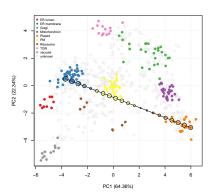
Figure: From Breckels et al. (2016) Learning from heterogeneous data sources: an application in spatial proteomics.

Biological applications

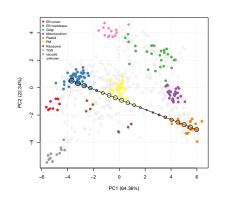
- Multi-localisation
- Trans-localisation

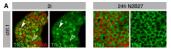
Dependent on good sub-cellular resolution.

Dual-localisation Proteins may be present simultaneously in several organelles (e.g. trafficking). Example from embryonic stem cells (Christoforou et al., 2016).

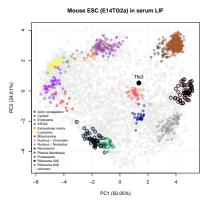


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From Betschinger et al. (2013)



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Spatial dynamics

Trans-localisation monocyte to macrophage differenciation

Goal: to investigate the effect of LPS-mediated inflammatory response in human monocytic cells (THP-1)

Data

- ► Triplicate **temporal** profiling (0, 2, 4, 6, 12, 24 hours).
- Triplicate spatial profiling (0 vs 12 hours) early trafficking components, before actual morphological differentiation at 24h.

Work lead by **Dr Claire Mulvey**, Cambridge Centre for Proteomics.

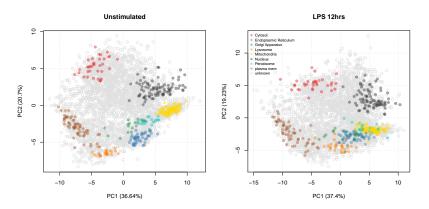


Figure: Spatial maps: unstimulated and LPS-treated.

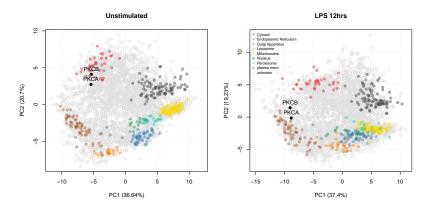


Figure: Relocation of Protein Kinase C alpha and beta from the cytosol to the plasma membrane, driving maturation into a differentiated macrophage phenotype.

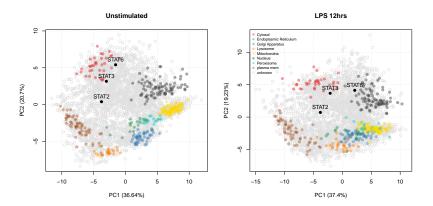


Figure: Relocation of STAT6 from the cytosol to the Nucleus, activating anti-bacterial and anti-viral-like response. Validated by microscopy and see also Chen et al. (2011).

Beyond organelles: application to PPI/Protein complexes

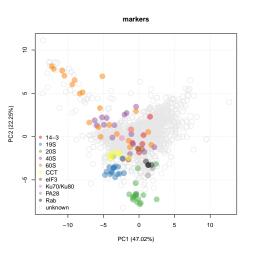


Figure: Data on proteasome complexes from Fabre *et al.* Mol Syst Biol (2015), DOI: 10.15252/msb.20145497

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R/Bioconductor software

Open development

R/Bioconductor:

- Software for spatial proteomics.
- ► Ecosystem for high throughput biology data analysis and comprehension.

Software for mass spectrometry and (spatial) proteomics

Bioconductor Open source, enable **reproducible research**, enables understanding of the data (not a black box) and **drive scientific innovation**.

- MSnbase infrastructure to handle quantitative data and meta-data (Gatto and Lilley, 2012) (~500 unique IP download/month in 2016).
- pRoloc and pRolocGUI dedicated visualisation and ML infrastructure for spatial proteomics (Gatto et al., 2014) (~200 unique IP download/month in 2016).
- pRolocdata structured and annotated spatial proteomics data (Gatto et al., 2014).
- ► And more generally RforProteomics (Gatto and Christoforou, 2014) (~160 unique IP download/month in 2016).

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- What is Collaborative and open development?
- Use case: MSnbase and mzR: contributors and shared infrastructure for MS-based proteomics and metabolomics.

Use case

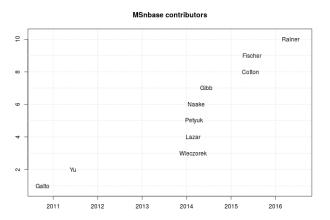


Figure: Contributions to the MSnbase package since its creation. More details: https://lgatto.github.io/msnbase-contribs/

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