# RSCORE_Tutorial_for_HECA

Code

Please notice that, we use an updated BioGRID PPI (Version: 3.5.174, provided, previous version: 3.5.173), thus the result maybe a little different, but the conclusions are consistent with our study.

load the HECA data

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# change the directory to yours
setwd("F:/Github/HECA/RSCORE_Tutorial_for_HECA/")
Cortex <- readRDS("../Cortex_UMI_counts_filtered.rds")
FGC <- readRDS("../FGC_UMI_counts_filtered.rds")
Heart <- readRDS("../Heart_UMI_counts_filtered.rds")
Kidney <- readRDS("../Kidney_UMI_counts_filtered.rds")
PFC <- readRDS("../PFC_UMI_counts_filtered.rds")
#combine all the five datasets
HECA <- cbind(Cortex,FGC,Heart,Kidney,PFC)
#check the data size
dim(HECA)
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[1] 33694 17010
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Construct a Seurat V3 object

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HECA_seurat <- CreateSeuratObject(counts = as.matrix(HECA), min.cells = 3, min.features = 1000,
                                  names.field = 2, names.delim = '_',
                                  assay = 'RNA', project = 'HECA')
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Feature names cannot have underscores ('_'), replacing with dashes ('-')
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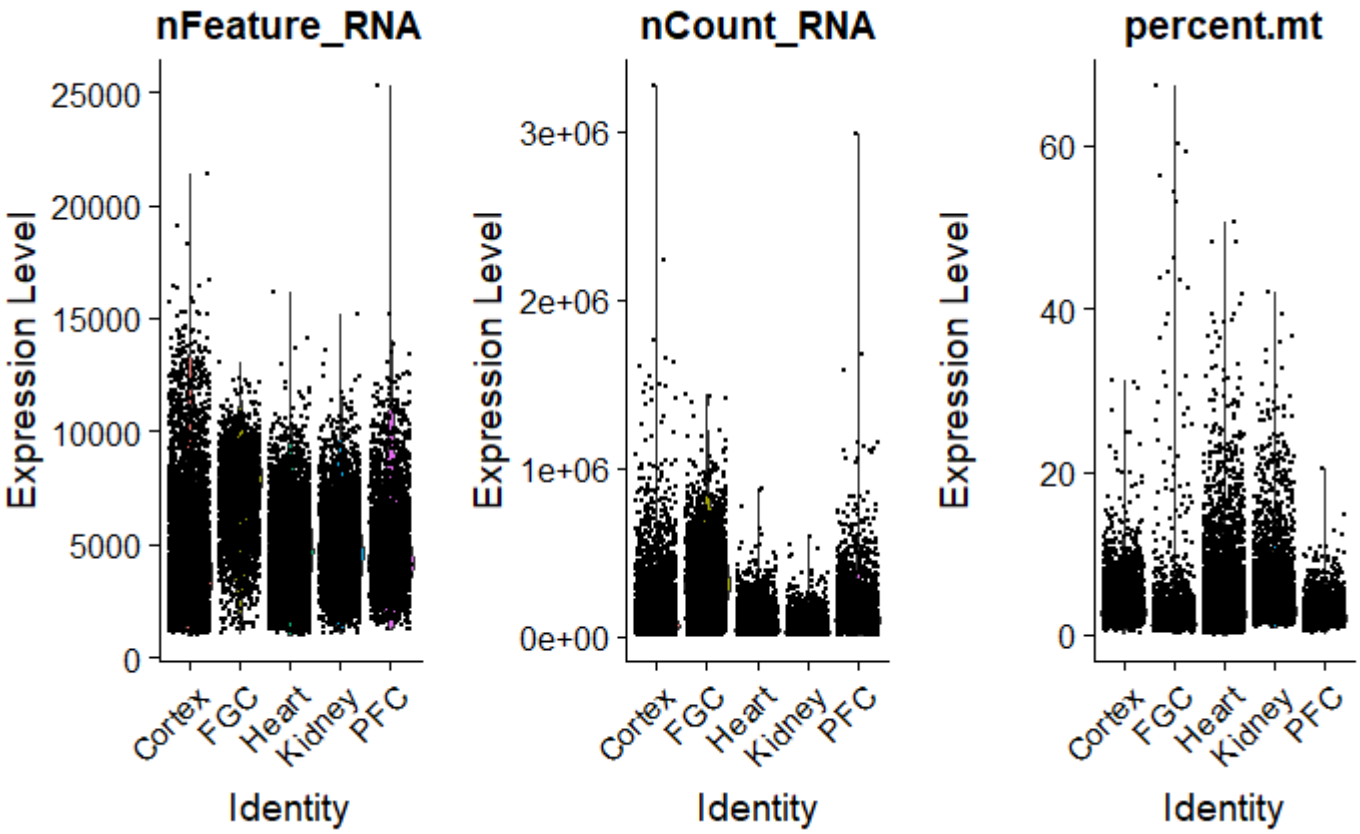
Check the data quality



Quality control

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HECA_seurat <- subset(HECA_seurat, subset = nFeature_RNA > 1000 & nCount_RNA > 10000 & nCount_RNA < 150000 & percent.mt < 20)
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Since we use the UMI count, we need to nomalize the data. We use 100,000 because our data is high-quality rather than 10X data (where you should use 10,000). If you load an already normalized dataset, please skip this step

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HECA_seurat <- NormalizeData(HECA_seurat, normalization.method = "LogNormalize", scale.factor = 100000)
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Performing log-normalization
0%   10   20   30   40   50   60   70   80   90   100%
[----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
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You can use either method to remove low-quality genes,mean.var.plot or vst. Please keep enough genes for the downstream network inference For SMART-seq2 based scRNA-seq, we recommends ~8000 genes, while 10X based data, ~6000 genes. You can also try different gene number to obtain optimal results.

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HECA_seurat <- FindVariableFeatures(HECA_seurat, selection.method = "mean.var.plot",
                                    mean.cutoff = c(0.1,Inf), dispersion.cutoff = c(0.1,Inf))
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Calculating gene means
0%   10   20   30   40   50   60   70   80   90   100%
[----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
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Calculating gene variance to mean ratios
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#HECA_seurat <- FindVariableFeatures(object = HECA_seurat, selection.method = 'vst', nfeatures = 10000)
#check the number of selected genes
length(VariableFeatures(HECA_seurat))
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[1] 8844
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Scale the data

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HECA_seurat <- ScaleData(object = HECA_seurat)
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PPI data is necessary. You can provide the adjacent matrix of PPI network by yourself or use our function to build a PPI network easily.

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# change the directory to yours
hs_network <- as.matrix(readRDS("hs_ppi_matrix_BioGRID-3.5.174.Rda"))
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Now, we can use SCORE to analyze our data

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DefaultAssay(HECA_seurat) <- "RNA"
HECA_seurat <- R.SCORE(Data = HECA_seurat, PPI = hs_network, max_step = 10, nCores = 4)
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The result is saved in 'Net' assay of RCA_seurat (it has been set as default assay). You can plot the UMAP

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HECA_seurat <- RunPCA(HECA_seurat, features = rownames(HECA_seurat), assay = "Net", npcs = 50,
                      reduction.name = "NetPCA", reduction.key = "NetPCA_", verbose = F)
HECA_seurat <- RunUMAP(HECA_seurat, reduction = "NetPCA", dims = 1:50,
                       reduction.name = "NetUMAP",  reduction.key = "NetUMAP_")
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Now we can do clustering, you can change the parameters to obtan optimal results

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HECA_seurat <- FindNeighbors(HECA_seurat, reduction = "NetPCA",dims = 1:50,k.param = 10)
HECA_seurat <- FindClusters(HECA_seurat, resolution = 0.8)
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#Net_umap_cluster <- DimPlot(HECA_seurat, reduction = "NetUMAP", pt.size = 1,label = T)
#Net_umap_origin <- DimPlot(HECA_seurat, reduction = "NetUMAP", pt.size = 1, group.by = 'orig.ident',label
 = T)
CombinePlots(plots = list(Net_umap_origin, Net_umap_cluster))
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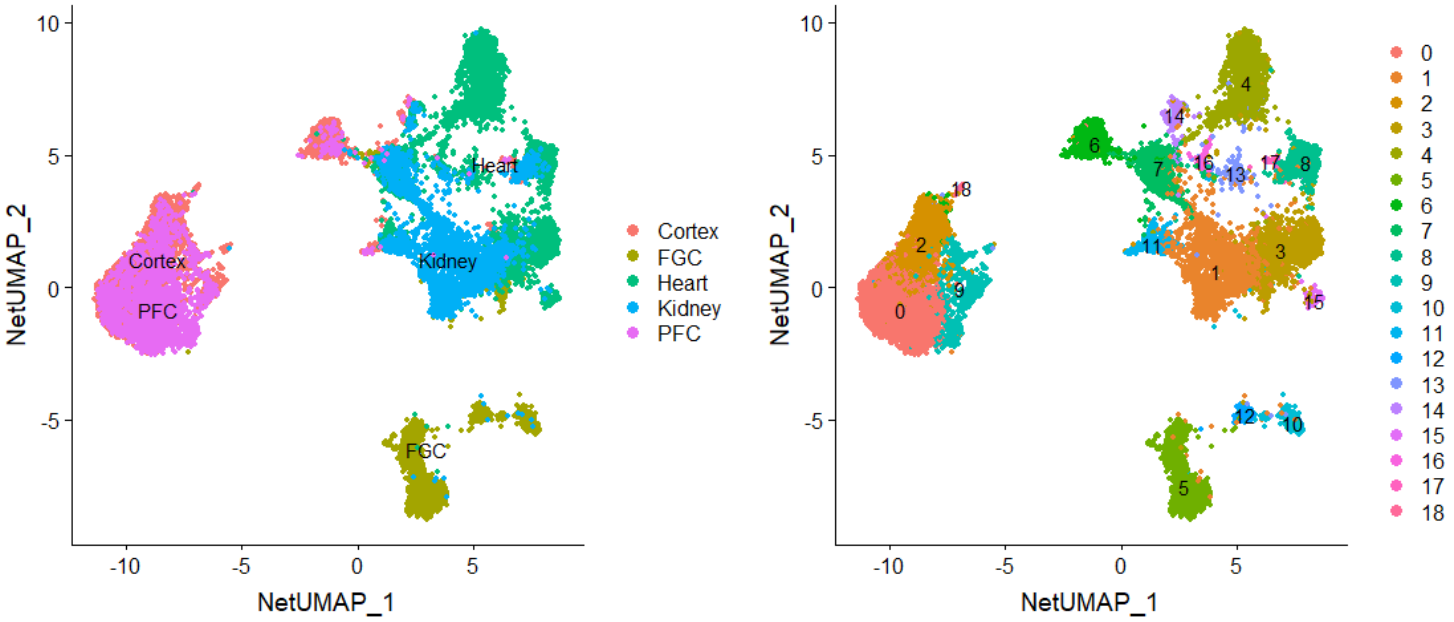


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FeaturePlot(HECA_seurat, reduction = "NetUMAP", c('PTPRC','ALAS2','CDH5','PECAM1'))
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#Identify the DEGs using genesorteR
SCORE_DEGs_list <- Find_Markers(object = HECA_seurat, assay = 'RNA', FoldChange = 1.5)
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Select the top n marker genes of each cluster

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top10_DEGs <- SCORE_DEGs_list$Markers %>% group_by(Cluster) %>% top_n(n = 20, wt = Gene.Score)
#genesorteR plotMarkerHeat function
plotMarkerHeat(exp = SCORE_DEGs_list$GeneSort$inputMat,
               classes = SCORE_DEGs_list$GeneSort$inputClass,
               markers = top10_DEGs$Marker,
               clusterGenes = FALSE,
               averageCells = 1)
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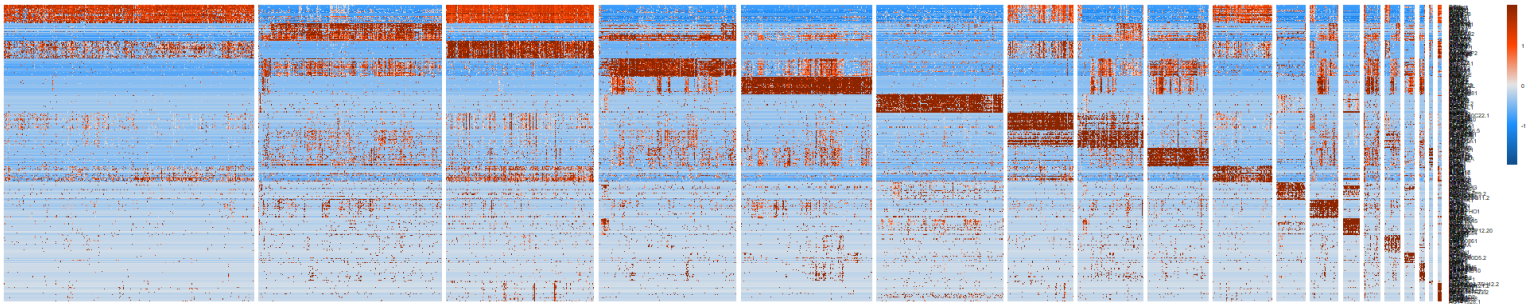

Select the top n marker modules of each cluster

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top10_DAMs <- SCORE_DAMs_list$Markers %>% group_by(Cluster) %>% top_n(n = 20, wt = Gene.Score)
plotMarkerHeat(exp = SCORE_DAMs_list$GeneSort$inputMat,
               classes = SCORE_DAMs_list$GeneSort$inputClass,
               markers = top10_DAMs$Marker,
               clusterGenes = FALSE,
               averageCells = 1)
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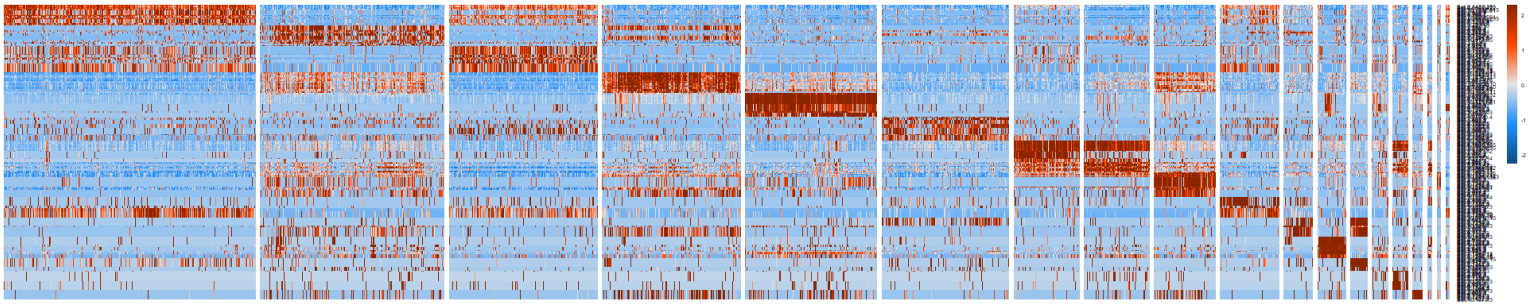

You can also show steiner tree of given cluster

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PlotSteinertree(HECA_seurat, ident = '0')
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calculate tree
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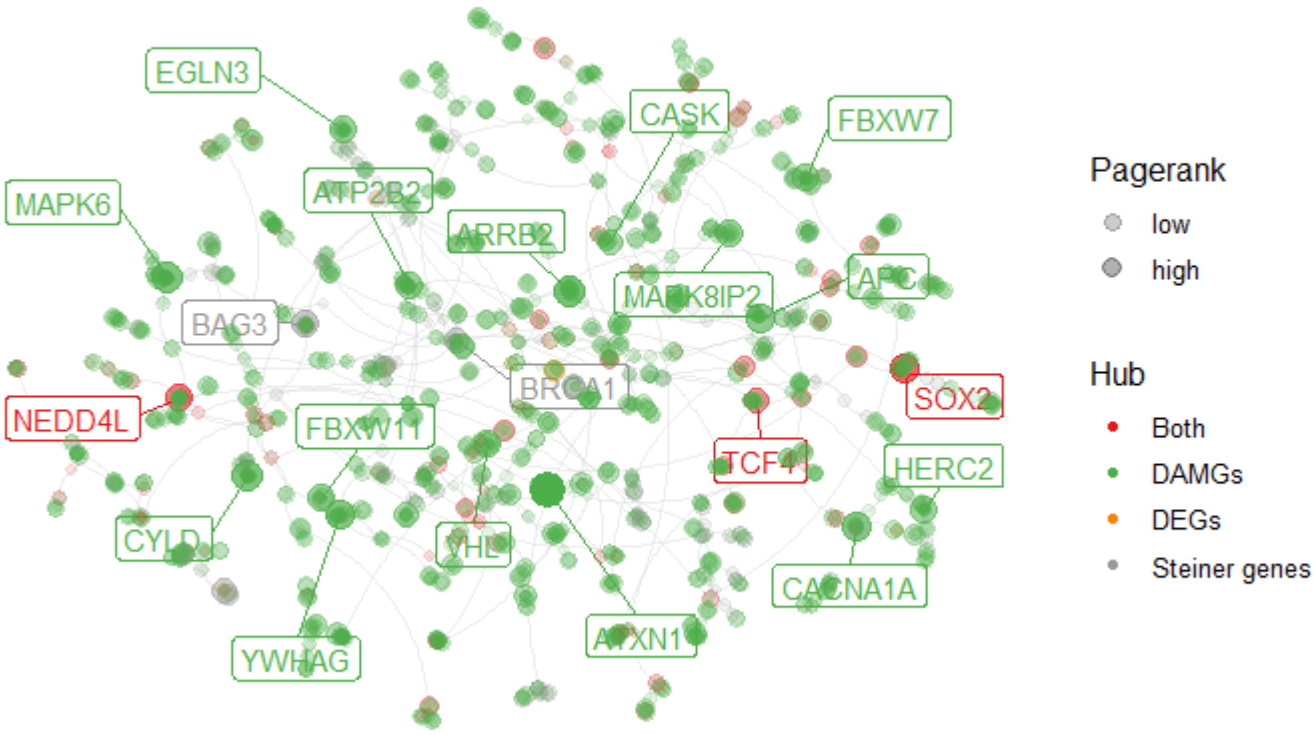
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CASK
FBXW7
MAPK6
ATP2B2
ARRB2
APC
MAPK8IP2
BAG3
BRCA1
SOX2
NEDD4L
FBXW11
TCF4
HERC2
CYLD
YHL
CACNA1A
ATXN1
YWHAG
Pagerank
low
high
Hub
Both
DAMGs
DEGs
Steiner genes