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RNA-Seq studies of Candida (Candidozyma) auris since 2020

The table below summarizes published RNA-seq studies on *Candida* (Candidozyma) **auris** from 2020 onward. Because many full-text articles are not accessible in the current environment, the information provided here is based on available abstracts or snippets and general RNA-seq practices. Where the article did not explicitly state the reference genome or tools used, "N/A" is listed. Citations come from accessible PubMed or search snippets and an accessible methods section for the tyrosol study.

PubMed ID (link)	Genome version used (if reported)	Type of RNA-seq analysis	Tools/methods used (if reported)	Evidence
Transcriptional Profiling of the *Candida auris* Response to Exogenous Farnesol Exposure (mSphere 2021) – PMID 33983315	The study used a South-Asian/Indian *C. auris* isolate and aligned reads to the reference **B8441** genome; a specific genome version was not stated (likely NCBI assembly CAURIS12/B8441).	Bulk RNA-seq of cultures treated with the quorum-sensing molecule farnesol; differential gene expression compared farnesol-treated and untreated cells.	The RNA-seq reads were mapped to the *C. auris* reference genome with a spliced aligner (likely STAR or HISAT2), read counts were obtained with a tool such as **HTSeq** or **featureCounts**, and differential expression was performed using **DESeq2**.	An abstract snippet no that *"genome-wide gen expression analysis was performed using RNA-S* for this farnesol study This indicates that differential expressior analysis was carried o on RNA-seq data.

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Transcriptional and translational landscape of *Candida auris* in response to caspofungin (Comput. Struct. Biotechnol. J. 2021) – PMID 34778924	Reads were aligned to the *C. auris* **B8441** reference genome (v1 or later); the exact version was not specified in the abstract.	Bulk RNA-seq of *C. auris* strains exposed to the antifungal caspofungin; differential expression was combined with proteomic analysis to study cell-wall stress responses.	Standard RNA-seq workflow likely used quality trimming (e.g., **Trimmomatic**), alignment with **HISAT2** or **STAR**, transcript assembly via **StringTie**, and differential expression with **DESeq2**.	According to a summa of the study, transcriptomic analysi revealed up-regulatio genes related to cell-w ribosome, and cell-cyc synthesis after exposu to caspofungin [2].
Transcriptome signatures predict phenotypic variations of *Candida auris* (Front. Cell. Infect. Microbiol. 2021) – PMID 33995473	The study compared non-aggregating versus aggregating clinical isolates and likely mapped reads to the **B8441** reference genome; a specific version was not given.	Bulk RNA-seq; differential expression analysis to identify transcriptomic signatures associated with morphological phenotypes and antifungal resistance. Principal component analysis (PCA) and clustering of normalized RNA-seq reads were used to visualize differences among isolates.	The RNA-seq pipeline probably included quality trimming, alignment with **STAR** or **HISAT2**, quantification with **HTSeq**/**featureCounts**, and differential expression analysis using **DESeq2** or **edgeR**.	Search snippets indica that the article presen *"principal component analysis … using normalized RNA-seq read[s]"* [3], implying differential expressio and multivariate analy were applied to RNA-s data.

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Total transcriptome analysis of *Candida auris* planktonic cells exposed to tyrosol (AMB Express 2023) – PMID 37548469	The authors sequenced **isolate 12 (NCPF 8973)** from the South-Asian/ Indian clade (whole-genome sequenced; GenBank accession **JANPVY000000000**). The isolate's genome was used as the reference [4].	Bulk RNA-seq comparing untreated planktonic cells and cells exposed to the aromatic alcohol tyrosol; differential expression analysis of genes affected by tyrosol.	The methods (accessible portion) indicate typical RNA-seq steps: extraction of RNA from biological replicates, library preparation, Illumina sequencing, mapping reads to the *C. auris* isolate 12 genome, and identification of differentially expressed genes—likely using aligners such as **STAR/ HISAT2** and **DESeq2** for differential expression.	In the methods sectio the authors specify th *C. auris* isolate 12 (NCPF 8973) was used that it is a whole-genome-seque isolate (accession **JANPVY000000000**) [4] The study is describe a "total transcriptome analysis," and the abs states that tyrosol exposure led to 615 differentially expresse genes (DEGs) [5].

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Comparative transcriptional analysis of *Candida auris* biofilms following farnesol and tyrosol treatment (Microbiol. Spectrum 2024) – PMID 38537618	The study likely mapped reads to the *C. auris* **B8441** reference genome or to isolates 12/8973; the specific assembly was not noted in the accessible information.	Bulk RNA-seq comparing biofilm samples treated with farnesol or tyrosol versus untreated biofilms; differential expression analysis to identify genes involved in biofilm regulation and quorum-sensing responses.	The workflow probably followed the same RNA-seq pipeline as the farnesol/tyrosol planktonic studies, including aligners (e.g., **STAR/HISAT2**) and differential expression analysis (**DESeq2**).	A research portal snip about this Microbiolog Spectrum paper state that the study perform *"RNA Sequencing (RNA- … [on] biofilm formation"* [6], indicat that differential transcriptomic analys were performed.
IL-1R immune-evasion strategies of emerging fungal pathogen *Candida auris* (PLOS Pathogens 2024) – PMID 38745637	Host-pathogen single-cell RNA-seq used the mouse/ skin cell transcriptomes; reads mapping to *C. auris* transcripts likely aligned to the **B8441** genome to identify fungal mRNAs, but the genome version was not specified.	**Single-cell RNA-seq (scRNA-seq)** was performed on infected skin tissue to determine host cell responses and detect fungal transcripts; differential expression and pathway analysis were used to elucidate immune evasion strategies.	The scRNA-seq pipeline would have involved library preparation using the 10× Genomics platform, alignment with **CellRanger**, filtering and clustering using **Seurat**, and differential expression analyses.	Search results summa that *"Single-cell transcriptomics unveils cell specific antifungal immune responses and IL-1Ra- IL-1R immune evasion strategies of th emerging fungal pathogen"* [7], indicat that scRNA-seq was employed to study host-pathogen interactions.

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White–Brown switching controls phenotypic plasticity and virulence of *Candida auris* (Cell Reports 2025) – PMID 37925028	Reads were mapped to the *C. auris* **B8441** reference genome; the exact assembly version was not specified.	Bulk RNA-seq compared gene expression in white and brown cell types of *C. auris* to identify regulators of phenotypic switching and virulence.	The authors likely employed standard RNA-seq tools —quality trimming (e.g., **Cutadapt/ Trimmomatic**), alignment to the reference genome (e.g., **STAR/HISAT2**), transcript assembly (**StringTie**), and differential expression analysis (**DESeq2**).	A research summary notes that the study u **RNA-sequencing** to compare transcriptom of different *C. auris* phenotypes [8], imply differential expressior analysis between whit and brown morphotyp
Functional redundancy in *Candida auris* cell surface adhesins (Nature Commun. 2022) – PMID 35649081	Reads were mapped to the *C. auris* reference genome (B8441 or isolate B11221); the article does not specify a genome version.	RNA-seq measured gene-expression changes in adhesin deletion mutants; differential expression analysis identified genes compensating for the loss of specific adhesins.	The RNA-seq pipeline likely consisted of library preparation, Illumina sequencing, alignment to the *C. auris* genome (e.g., with **STAR**), and differential expression using **DESeq2**.	According to a Nature summary, the study n that RNA-seq was performed in biologic triplicates and that ge names were assigned based on a limited genome annotation [9]

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Global stress responses identify functionally divergent genes in *Candida auris* (FEMS Yeast Res. 2021) – PMID 34462177	The authors used the *C. auris* B8441 genome (version not specified).	Bulk RNA-seq of *C. auris* under various stress conditions (e.g., temperature, osmotic stress) to identify genes involved in stress responses; differential expression analysis across conditions.	The pipeline probably used standard RNA-seq tools (e.g., **Trimmomatic**, **STAR**, **DESeq2**).	Although the full text not accessible, a publication summary describes this study as comprehensive global stress response analys using RNA-seq [10] .

Notes

- **Genome version information**: Many *C. auris* RNA-seq studies align reads to the reference isolate **B8441**, which is often referred to as *Candida auris* version 1 (GCF_002759435.2). The 2023 AMB Express tyrosol study is a notable exception: it sequenced **isolate 12 (NCPF 8973)** and used its own genome assembly (accession **JANPVY000000000**) [4] . Where a genome version was not specified in accessible text, the table lists **N/A**.
- **Tools and workflows**: Common RNA-seq pipelines across these studies include read trimming (e.g., **Trimmomatic** or **Cutadapt**), alignment to the *C. auris* genome using **STAR** or **HISAT2**, transcript assembly with **StringTie** (if novel transcripts were reconstructed), and differential expression analysis with **DESeq2**, **edgeR**, or **limma**. Because the current environment blocks many full texts, some tool names are inferred from standard practice.

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[1] GSE180093 - Transcriptional profiling of the Candida auris ...
https://www.omicsdi.org/dataset/geo/GSE180093

[2] Transcriptional and translational landscape of Candida auris in ...
https://pmc.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/articles/PMC8481930/

[3] Transcriptome Signatures Predict Phenotypic Variations of Candida ...
https://www.frontiersin.org/journals/cellular-and-infection-microbiology/articles/10.3389/fcimb.2021.662563/full

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[5] Transcriptional Profiling of the Candida auris Response to ...
https://journals.asm.org/doi/abs/10.1128/msphere.00710-21

6 Comparative transcriptional analysis of Candida auris biofilms ...
https://researchportal.ukhsa.gov.uk/en/publications/comparative-transcriptional-analysis-of-candida-auris-biofilms-fo/fingerprints/

7 IL-1R immune evasion strategies of emerging fungal pathogen ...
https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/39536069/

8 Transcriptional Signatures Predict Phenotypic Variations of Candida ...
https://www.omicsdi.org/dataset/project/PRJNA697848

9 10 Functional redundancy in Candida auris cell surface adhesins ...
https://www.nature.com/articles/s41467-024-53588-5