# Figure 6 - Combined analysis of cRBP & ncRBP targets

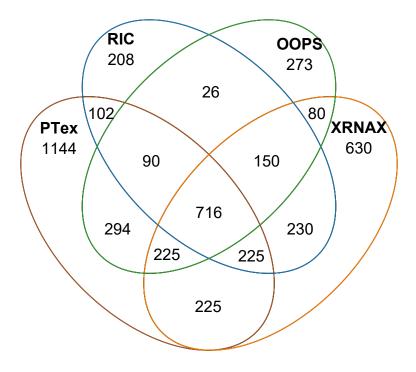
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```
# source and library import
source('code/00_helper_functions.R')
library(tidyverse)
library(org.Hs.eg.db)
library(eulerr)
library(g3viz)
library(patchwork)
library(ComplexUpset)
library(clusterProfiler)
library(crvgo)
library(ComplexHeatmap)
library(circlize)
library(fgsea)
library(ggrepel)
```

## Figure S6A - RBPome overlaps

```
RBPomes <- list(
  PTex = read.csv(file = "data/RBPomes/PTex.csv", stringsAsFactors = F, header = T, sep=";"),
 RNAX = read.csv(file = "data/RBPomes/XRNAX_table_csv", stringsAsFactors = F, header = T, sep=";"),
RIC = read.csv(file = "data/RBPomes/RIC_table_csv", stringsAsFactors = F, header = T, sep=";"),
00PS = read.csv(file = "data/RBPomes/00PS.csv", stringsAsFactors = F, header = T, sep=";")
# extract RBPs
RBPomes$PTex <- RBPomes$PTex %>%
  pull(Gene.name) %>%
  unique()
RBPomes$XRNAX <- RBPomes$XRNAX %>%
  pull(Gene.name) %>%
  unique()
RBPomes$RIC <- RBPomes$RIC[rowSums(RBPomes$RIC[,seq(4,length(RBPomes$RIC))])>0,] %>%
  pull(UNIQUE) %>%
RBPomes$00PS <- AnnotationDbi::select(org.Hs.eg.db, keys=RBPomes$00PS$Uniprot_ID, columns = c('UNIPROT', 'SYMBOL'), keytype="UNIPROT") %>%
  pull(SYMBOL) %>%
  unique()
plot(venn(RBPomes), fills = FALSE, edges=c("#B15928", "#FF7F00", "#1F78B4", "#33A02C"), quantities=TRUE)
```



```
# overlap of all 4 RBPome datasets
overlap <- table(unlist(RBPomes))[table(unlist(RBPomes))==4] %%
 names()
RBDs <- read.table(file = "Data/RBPomes/RBDs_in_RBP_Census.txt", stringsAsFactors = F, header = T, sep="\t")
RBP_Census <- read.csv(file = "Data/RBPomes/Canonical_RBPs_Gerstberger_et_al.csv", stringsAsFactors = F, header = T, sep=";")
RBPDB <- read.table(file = "Data/RBPomes/RBPDB.utoronto.txt", stringsAsFactors = F, header = T, sep="\t")
pattern <- paste(RBDs$Pfam.RNA.binding.domains, collapse = "|")</pre>
RBP_Census <- RBP_Census[grepl(pattern,RBP_Census$domains.count.) | grepl("established",RBP_Census$supporting.evidence....pubmed.ID.),] %>%
 pull(gene.name) %>%
 unique()
RBPDB <- RBPDB$Annotation.ID %>%
  AnnotationDbi::select(org.Hs.eg.db, keys=., columns = c('ENSEMBL', 'SYMBOL'), keytype="ENSEMBL") %>%
 pull(SYMBOL) %>%
 unique()
# remove high confident RBPs with RBDs based on published annotations
ncRBPs_unfilt <- setdiff(overlap, unique(c(RBP_Census, RBPDB)))</pre>
ncRBPs_unfilt_ids <- AnnotationDbi::select(org.Hs.eg.db, keys=ncRBPs_unfilt, columns = c('SYMBOL','UNIPROT','GENENAME'), keytype="SYMBOL") %>%
 dplyr::rename(gene_name = SYMBOL, uniprot = UNIPROT, Description = GENENAME)
{\it \# extract Pfam domains and filter ncRBPs}
ncRBPs <- lapply(ncRBPs_unfilt_ids$uniprot, uniprot2pfam) %>%
 bind rows() %>%
 merge(ncRBPs_unfilt_ids, by="uniprot") %>%
 # manual curation to remove splicing factors, elongation factors, etc
ncRBPs <- ncRBPs %>%
  filter(!grepl(c"TCERG1|AQR|PRPF40A|PSIP1|GTF2F1|ERH|TCOF1|PRPF4B|TMA16|SCAF11|EIF3|ERH|NVL|RNH1|RPRD2|TCEA1|ZNF598"), gene_name)) %>%
  pull(gene_name) %>%
 unique()
# get canonical RBPs
cRBPs <- setdiff(overlap, ncRBPs)
# plot cRBPs vs ncRBPs
df <- data.frame(</pre>
 Category = c("cRBP", "ncRBP"),
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Count = c(length(cRBPs), length(ncRBPs))
)

ggplot(df, aes(x = Category, y = Count, fill = Category)) +
    geom_bar(stat = "identity", width = 0.6, color='black', show.legend = FALSE) +
    geom_text(aes(label = Count), vjust = -0.5, size = 5) +
    scale_fill_manual(values = c("cRBP" = "#ED6062", "ncRBP" = "#9C73C8")) +
    scale_y_continuous(expand = expansion(mult = c(.002, .15))) +
    labs(
        title = "",
        x = "",
        y = "# of proteins"
) +
    theme_bw(base_size = 15)
```

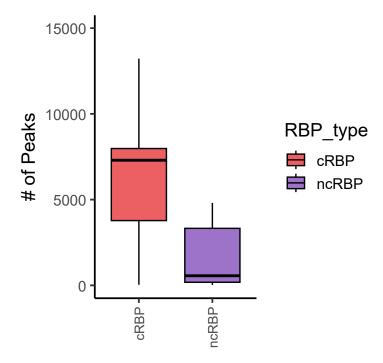


## Load RAPseq peaks

## Figure S6B - RBP binding sites

```
RBP_BS <- RBP_peaks %>%
  group_by(RBP) %>%
  summarise(n_sites = n(), RBP_type) %>%
  distinct() %>%
  arrange(desc(n_sites))

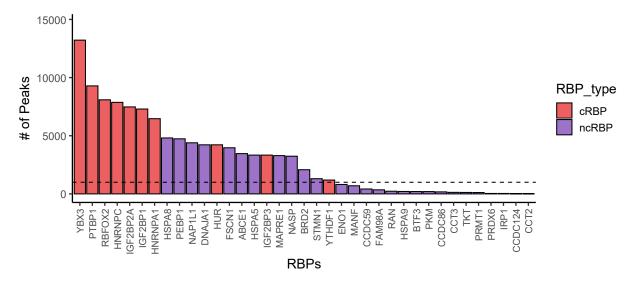
ggplot(RBP_BS, aes(x=RBP_type, y=n_sites, fill=RBP_type)) +
  geom_boxplot(color = "black", outlier.shape = NA) +
  scale_fill_manual(values = c("cRBP" = "#ED6062", "ncRBP" = "#9C73C8")) +
  labs(
    x = "",
    y = "# of Peaks"
) +
  ylim(0, 15000) +
  theme_classic(base_size = 14) +
  theme(
    axis.text.x = element_text(size = 10, angle = 90, hjust = 1, vjust = 0.5),
    plot.margin = margin(10, 10, 10, 10)
)
```

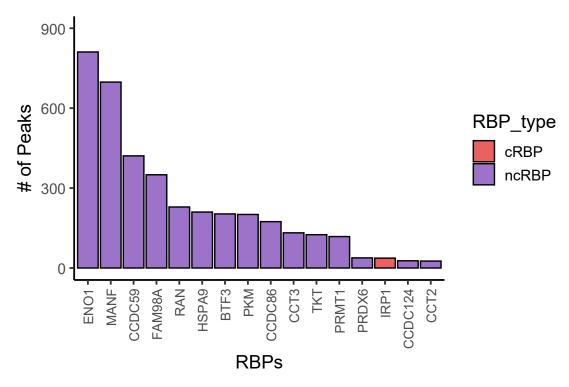


#### Figure S6C - RBP binding sites per RBP

```
# get binding sites for each RBP
RBP_BS <- RBP_peaks %>%
group_by(RBP) %>%
summarise(n_sites = n(), RBP_type) %>%
distinct() %>%
arrange(desc(n_sites))
## canonical RBP
cRBP_BS <- cRBP_peaks %>%
group_by(RBP) %>%
summarise(n_sites = n()) %>%
arrange(desc(n_sites))
## noncanonical RBP
ncRBP_BS <- ncRBP_peaks %>%
group_by(RBP) %>%
summarise(n_sites = n()) %>%
arrange(desc(n_sites))
```

```
y_lim <- max(RBP_BS$n_sites)</pre>
p \leftarrow ggplot(RBP_BS, aes(x = reorder(RBP, -n_sites), y = n_sites, fill = RBP_type)) +
  geom_bar(stat = "identity", color = "black") +
  geom_hline(yintercept = 1000, linetype = "dashed", color = "black") +
  # geom_text(aes(label = n_sites),
            vjust = -0.5,
              size = 3) +
  scale_fill_manual(values = c("cRBP" = "#ED6062", "ncRBP" = "#9C73C8")) +
  labs(
 y = "# of Peaks"
  ylim(0, y_lim + 1500) +
  theme_classic(base_size = 14) +
  theme(
   axis.text.x = element_text(size = 10, angle = 90, hjust = 1, vjust = 0.5),
   plot.margin = margin(10, 10, 10, 10)
p
```





```
# filter RBPs with les than 1000 peaks
cRBP_names <- cRBP_BS %>%
 pull(RBP)
cRBP_filt_names <- cRBP_BS %>%
 filter(n_sites >= 1000) %>%
 pull(RBP)
cRBP_filt_peaks <- cRBP_peaks %>%
 filter(RBP %in% cRBP_filt_names)
ncRBP_names <- ncRBP_BS %>%
 pull(RBP)
ncRBP_filt_names <- ncRBP_BS %>%
 filter(n_sites >= 1000) %>%
 pull(RBP)
ncRBP_filt_peaks <- ncRBP_peaks %>%
 filter(RBP %in% ncRBP_filt_names)
```

#### Figure 6A - RBP target distribution

```
cRBP_filt_features <- cRBP_filt_peaks %>%
  group_by(RBP, feature) %>%
  summarise(n = n()) %>%
  mutate(percentage = n / sum(n) * 100) %>%
  mutate(RBP = factor(RBP, levels = rev(cRBP_filt_genes$RBP)),
         feature = factor(feature, levels = rev(names(feature_colors))))
ncRBP_filt_features <- ncRBP_filt_peaks %>%
  group_by(RBP, feature) %>%
  summarise(n = n()) %>%
  mutate(percentage = n / sum(n) * 100) %>%
  ungroup() %>%
  mutate(RBP = factor(RBP, levels = rev(ncRBP_filt_genes$RBP)),
         feature = factor(feature, levels = rev(names(feature_colors))))
# get log2FC to Halo
cRBP_filt_FC <- cRBP_filt_peaks %>%
 mutate(log2_FC = log2(Mean_FCH)) %>%
  mutate(RBP = factor(RBP, levels = rev(cRBP_filt_genes$RBP)))
ncRBP_filt_FC <- ncRBP_filt_peaks %>%
 mutate(log2_FC = log2(Mean_FCH)) %>%
  mutate(RBP = factor(RBP, levels = rev(ncRBP_filt_genes$RBP)))
# define maximum x-axis limits
max_genes <- max(cRBP_filt_genes$n_genes,ncRBP_filt_genes$n_genes)</pre>
max_FC <- max(c(max(cRBP_filt_FC$log2_FC), max(ncRBP_filt_FC$log2_FC)))</pre>
# plot
plot_cRBP_genes <- ggplot(cRBP_filt_genes, aes(x = n_genes, y = reorder(RBP, n_genes))) +
    geom_bar(stat = "identity", fill = '#ED6062', width = 0.8, color = "black") +</pre>
  geom_text(aes(label = n_genes),
            hiust = -0.2.
            size = 3.5) +
 labs(
   x = NULL
    y = "Canonical RBPs"
  ) +
  \# xlim(0, max\_genes + 1500) +
  scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, max_genes + 1500), breaks = c(0, 3000, 6000)) +
  theme_classic(base_size = 12) +
  theme(
   axis.text.y = element_text(size = 10),
    axis.text.x = element_blank(),
    axis.ticks.x = element_blank()
   plot.margin = margin(10, 10, 10, 10)
plot_ncRBP_genes <- ggplot(ncRBP_filt_genes, aes(x = n_genes, y = reorder(RBP, n_genes))) +</pre>
  geom_bar(stat = "identity", fill = '#9C73C8', width = 0.8, color = "black")
  geom_text(aes(label = n_genes),
            hjust = -0.2,
             size = 3.5) +
   x = "# of Target Genes",
    y = "Noncanonical RBPs"
  # xlim(0, max_genes + 1500) +
  scale_x_{continuous}(limits = c(0, max_genes + 1500), breaks = c(0, 3000, 6000)) +
  theme_classic(base_size = 12) +
  theme(
    axis.text.y = element_text(size = 10),
   plot.margin = margin(10, 10, 10, 10)
plot_cRBP_features <- ggplot(cRBP_filt_features,</pre>
                              aes(x = percentage, y = RBP, fill = feature)) +
  geom_bar(stat = "identity", position = "fill", width = 0.8, color="black") +
  scale_fill_manual(values = feature_colors) +
  labs(
   x = NULL,
    y = NULL
    fill = "Feature"
  theme_classic(base_size = 12) +
  theme(
    legend.position="none",
    axis.text.y = element_blank(),
axis.text.x = element_blank(),
    axis.ticks.y = element_blank(),
```

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axis.ticks.x = element_blank(),
    plot.margin = margin(10, 10, 10, 10)
plot_ncRBP_features <- ggplot(ncRBP_filt_features,</pre>
  aes(x = percentage, y = RBP, fill = feature)) +
geom_bar(stat = "identity", position = "fill", width = 0.8, color="black") +
  scale_fill_manual(values = feature_colors) +
   x = "Feature Distribution (%)",
    y = NULL,
    fill = "Feature"
  theme_classic(base_size = 12) +
  theme(
   legend.position="none",
    axis.text.y = element_blank(),
axis.ticks.y = element_blank(),
  # axis.ticks.x = element_blank(),
plot.margin = margin(10, 10, 10, 10)

plot_cRBP_FC <- ggplot(cRBP_filt_FC, aes(x = log2_FC, y = RBP)) +</pre>
  geom_boxplot(fill = "#ED6062", color = "black", outlier.shape = NA) +
  labs(
    x = NULL
    y = NULL
  ) +
  xlim(0, max_FC) +
  scale_x_continuous(breaks = c(0, 4, 8)) + theme_classic(base_size = 12) +
  theme(
    axis.text.y = element_blank(),
    axis.text.y = element_blank(),
axis.text.x = element_blank(),
axis.ticks.x = element_blank(),
    plot.margin = margin(10, 10, 10, 10)
plot_ncRBP_FC <- ggplot(ncRBP_filt_FC, aes(x = log2_FC, y = RBP)) +
  geom_boxplot(fill = "#9C73C8", color = "black", outlier.shape = NA) +</pre>
  labs(
    x = "log2(FC to Halo)",
    y = NULL
  xlim(0, max_FC) +
  scale_x_continuous(breaks = c(0, 4, 8)) +
  theme_classic(base_size = 12) +
  theme(
    axis.text.y = element_blank(),
     axis.text.x = element_text(size = 10),
   plot.margin = margin(10, 10, 10, 10)
combined_plot <- (plot_cRBP_genes | plot_cRBP_features | plot_cRBP_FC) / (plot_ncRBP_genes | plot_ncRBP_features | plot_ncRBP_FC)
print(combined_plot)
```

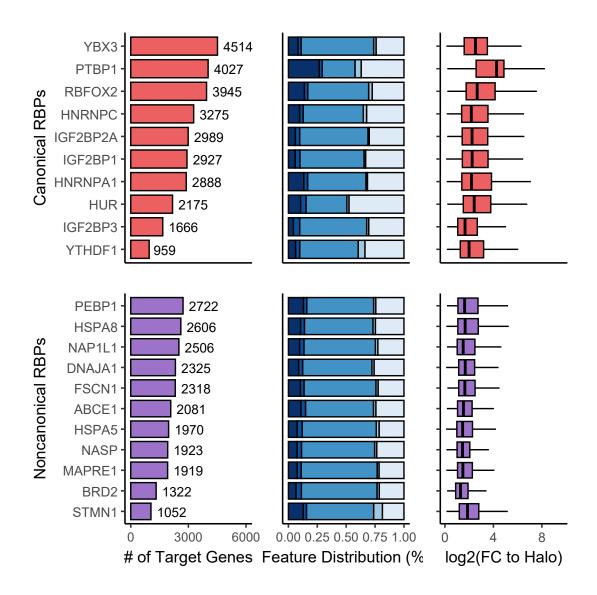
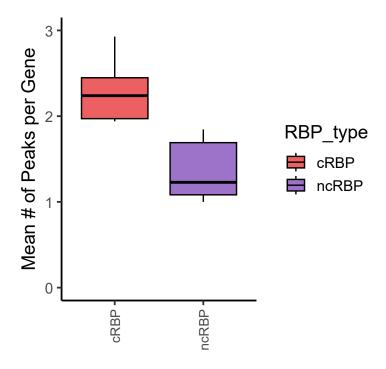


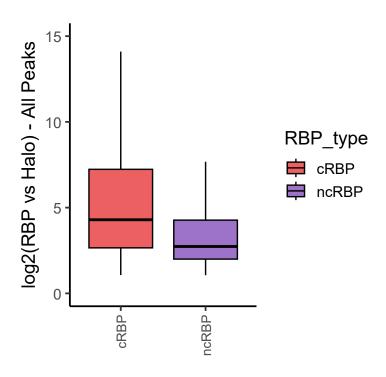
Figure S6D - RBP binding sites per gene

```
RBP_BS_per_gene_mean <- RBP_peaks %>%
  group_by(RBP,gene_name) %>%
  summarise(n_sites = n(), RBP_type) %>%
  distinct() %>%
  group_by(RBP) %>%
  summarise(mean_sites_per_gene = mean(n_sites), RBP_type) %>%
  distinct() %>%
  arrange(desc(mean_sites_per_gene))
\tt p \leftarrow ggplot(RBP\_BS\_per\_gene\_mean, aes(x=RBP\_type, y=mean\_sites\_per\_gene, fill=RBP\_type)) + \\
  geom_boxplot(color = "black", outlier.shape = NA) +
scale_fill_manual(values = c("cRBP" = "#ED6062", "ncRBP" = "#9C73C8")) +
  labs(
    x = "",
    y = "Mean # of Peaks per Gene"
  ) +
  ylim(0, 3) +
  theme_classic(base_size = 14) +
  theme(
    axis.text.x = element_text(size = 10, angle = 90, hjust = 1, vjust = 0.5),
plot.margin = margin(10, 10, 10, 10)
```





## Figure S6E - RBP binding strength (downsampled)



```
RBP_FCH <- RBP_peaks %>%
group_by(RBP_type) %>%
sample_n(42601)

p <- ggplot(RBP_FCH, aes(x=RBP_type, y=Mean_FCH, fill=RBP_type)) +
geom_boxplot(color = "black", outlier.shape = NA) +
scale_fill_manual(values = c("cREP" = "#ED6062", "ncRBP" = "#9C73C8")) +
labs(
    x = "",
    y = "log2(RBP vs Halo) - Downsampled"
) +
ylim(0, 15) +
theme_classic(base_size = 14) +
theme(
    axis.text.x = element_text(size = 10, angle = 90, hjust = 1, vjust = 0.5),
    plot.margin = margin(10, 10, 10, 10)
)</pre>
```

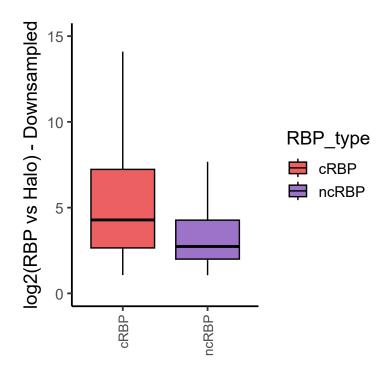
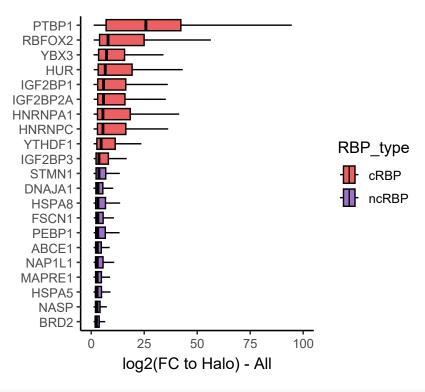
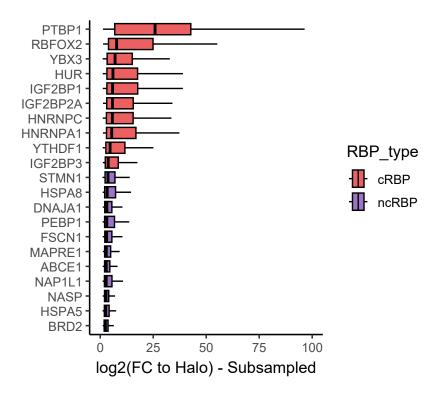


Figure S6F - Binding strength per RBP (downsampled)

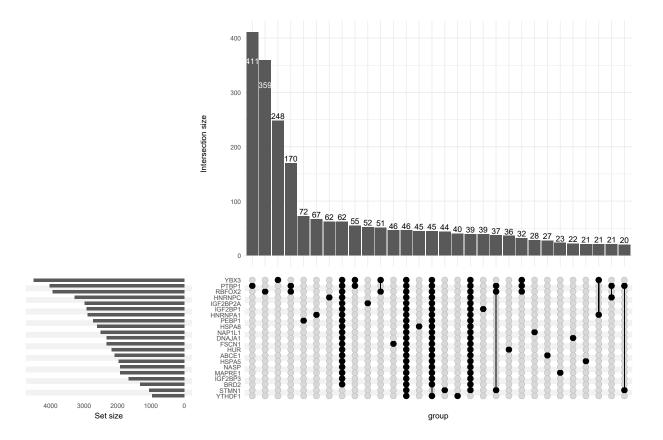


```
df <- RBP_filt_peaks %>%
  group_by(RBP) %>%
   sample_n(1000)
new_order <- df %>%
   group_by(RBP) %>%
   summarise(median_FCH = median(Mean_FCH)) %>%
  arrange(desc(median_FCH)) %>%
pull(RBP)
df <- df %>%
   mutate(RBP = factor(RBP, levels = rev(new_order)))
p <- ggplot(df, aes(x = Mean_FCH, y = RBP, fill = RBP_type)) +
   geom_boxplot(color = "black", outlier.shape = NA) +
   scale_fill_manual(values = c("cRBP" = "#ED6062", "ncRBP" = "#9C73C8")) +</pre>
  labs(
    x = "log2(FC to Halo) - Subsampled",
  y = NULL
) +
  xlim(0, 100) +
   theme_classic(base_size = 12) +
   theme(
  plot.margin = margin(10, 10, 10, 10)
)
p
```



## Overlap analysis of RBP targets

```
RBP_targets <- lapply(setNames(RBP_filt_names,RBP_filt_names), function(x){</pre>
  RBP_filt_peaks %>%
    filter(RBP == x) %>%
    pull(gene_name) %>%
    unique()
RBP_targets_all <- RBP_targets %>%
  unlist() %>%
  unique()
RBP_targets_overlap <- lapply(setNames(RBP_filt_names,RBP_filt_names), function(x){
  overlap <- c(x = RBP_targets_all %in% RBP_targets[[x]])</pre>
  bind_cols(.) %>%
  mutate(target = RBP_targets_all) %>%
  column_to_rownames(var = "target") %>%
  mutate(n_overlaps = rowSums(.),
          RBP_binders = apply(., 1, function(x) paste0(names(x)[x], collapse = '_')))
\mbox{\it\#}\ plotting\ intersections\ with\ at\ lest\ 20\ gene\ targets\ upset(RBP\_targets\_overlap,
       RBP_filt_names,
       min_size = 20)
```



## Generate RBP target network

```
RBP_targets_overlap_more20 <- RBP_targets_overlap$RBP_binders %>%
  table(.) %>%
  sort(decreasing = T) %>%
  as.data.frame() %>%
  filter(Freq>=20) %>%
  pull('.') %>%
  as.character()
RBP_targets_overlap_more20 <- setNames(RBP_targets_overlap_more20,RBP_targets_overlap_more20)
RBP\_targets\_overlap\_more20\_sets \begin{tabular}{l} \begin{tabular}{l} Lapply (RBP\_targets\_overlap\_more20, function(x) & \end{tabular} \end{tabular} \label{lem:lapply}
  RBP_targets_overlap %>%
rownames_to_column(var = "target") %>%
    filter(RBP_binders == x) %>%
    pull(target)
})
id = RBP_filt_names) %>%
  bind_rows(data.frame(node_description = names(RBP_targets_overlap_more20_sets),
                          node_type = "RBP_overlap",
node_size = lapply(RBP_targets_overlap_more20_sets, length) %>% unlist()) %>%
               mutate(id = paste(node_description,node_size, sep="_"))
edges <- nodes %>%
  filter(node_type == "RBP_overlap") %>%
  mutate(source = id) %>%
  add_column(target = .$node_description, .after = 'source') %>%
  separate_rows(target, sep="_") %>%
mutate(interaction = 'link') %>%
  dplyr::select(source, interaction, target)
```

```
# export node and edge tables for Cytoscape
write.table(nodes, file = "results/RBP_target_network_nodes.txt", sep="\t", row.names = F, col.names = T, quote = F)
write.table(edges, file = "results/RBP_target_network_edges.txt", sep="\t", row.names = F, col.names = T, quote = F)
```

## Figure 6D - Analysis of RBP target network subsets

#### GO enrichment analysis of RBP target subsets

```
gene_targets_subsets <- RBP_targets_overlap_more20_sets[c("PTBP1", "RBF0X2", "YBX3", "STMN1", "PTBP1_RBF0X2", "YBX3_PTBP1", "YBX3_RBF0X2", "PTBP1_
input <- read.table(file="data/INPUTs.TPMs.txt", stringsAsFactors = F, header=T)</pre>
input_genes <- input %>%
    filter(TPM RAP >= 1) %>%
    pull(gene_ID) %>%
   gsub("\\..*","",.) %>%
   unique() %>%
   mapIds(x=org.Hs.eg.db, keys=., column='SYMBOL', keytype = 'ENSEMBL') %>%
    unique()
RBP_bound_genes <- RBP_filt_peaks %>%
   pull(gene_name) %>%
gene_background <- unique(c(input_genes, RBP_bound_genes))</pre>
gene_targets_subsets_GO <- lapply(setNames(names(gene_targets_subsets),names(gene_targets_subsets)), function(x) {</pre>
   res <- enrichGO(gene = gene_targets_subsets[[x]],</pre>
                                   universe = gene_background,
                                   keyType = "SYMBOL",
                                   OrgDb = org.Hs.eg.db,
                                   ont = "ALL",
                                   pAdjustMethod = "BH",
                                   pvalueCutoff = 0.1,
                                   qvalueCutoff = 0.1,
                                  minGSSize = 10,
                                  maxGSSize = 100
                                  readable = TRUE)
   res@result <- res@result %>%
       add_column(subset_name = x, .before = 1)
})
gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined <- lapply(gene_targets_subsets_GO, function(x) x@result) %>%
   bind rows()
# split by BP, MF and CC
gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_BP <- gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined %>%
   filter(ONTOLOGY == "BP")
gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_MF <- gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined %>%
   filter(ONTOLOGY == "MF")
{\tt gene\_targets\_subsets\_GO\_combined\_CC} \end{center} = {\tt gene\_targets\_subsets\_GO\_combined} \end{center} \begin{center} \beg
   filter(ONTOLOGY == "CC")
# collapse GO terms
\verb|sim_mtx| <- calculateSimMatrix(unique(gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_BP\$ID)|, \\
                                                           orgdb="org.Hs.eg.db",
                                                           ont="BP",
                                                          method="Rel")
sim_mtx_reduced <- reduceSimMatrix(sim_mtx,</pre>
                                                                   threshold=0.9.
                                                                    orgdb="org.Hs.eg.db")
gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_BP <- gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_BP %>%
left_join(sim_mtx_reduced, by=c("ID"="go")) %>%
ablantial=c("-c")
   dplyr::filter(!is.na(parent))
gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_BP_reduced <- gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_BP %>%
   dplyr::group_by(parentTerm) %>%
    dplyr::summarise(ONTOLOGY, geneID = paste0(geneID, collapse="/")) %>%
   dplyr::mutate(geneID = unlist(lapply(geneID, function(x) paste0(unique(unlist(strsplit(x, split="/"))), collapse="/")))) %>%
   dplyr::filter(!duplicated(parentTerm))
sim_mtx <- calculateSimMatrix(unique(gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_MF$ID),</pre>
                                                           orgdb="org.Hs.eg.db",
                                                           ont="MF",
                                                           method="Rel")
sim_mtx_reduced <- reduceSimMatrix(sim_mtx,</pre>
```

threshold=0.9,

```
orgdb="org.Hs.eg.db")
gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_MF <- gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_MF %>%
left_join(sim_mtx_reduced, by=c("ID"="go")) %>%
  dplyr::filter(!is.na(parent))
gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_MF_reduced <- gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_MF %>%
  dplyr::group_by(parentTerm) %>%
  dplyr::summarise(ONTOLOGY, geneID = pasteO(geneID, collapse="/")) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(geneID = unlist(lapply(geneID, function(x) paste0(unique(unlist(strsplit(x, split="/"))), collapse="/")))) %>%
  dplyr::filter(!duplicated(parentTerm))
sim_mtx <- calculateSimMatrix(unique(gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_CC$ID),</pre>
                                  orgdb="org.Hs.eg.db",
                                  ont="CC",
                                  method="Rel")
sim_mtx_reduced <- reduceSimMatrix(sim_mtx,</pre>
                                       threshold=0.9,
orgdb="org.Hs.eg.db")
gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_CC <- gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_CC %>%
left_join(sim_mtx_reduced, by=c("ID"="go")) %>%
  dplvr::filter(!is.na(parent))
gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_CC_reduced <- gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_CC %>%
  dplyr::group_by(parentTerm) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(geneID = paste0(geneID, collapse="/")) %>%
dplyr::mutate(geneID = unlist(lapply(geneID, function(x) paste0(unique(unlist(strsplit(x, split="/"))), collapse="/")))) %>%
  dplyr::filter(!duplicated(parentTerm))
# merge collapsed enriched GO terms
gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_reduced <- bind_rows(gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_BP_reduced,</pre>
                                            gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_MF_reduced,
                                             gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_CC_reduced) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(ONTOLOGY = factor(ONTOLOGY, levels = c("BP", "MF", "CC"))) %>%
  dplyr::arrange(ONTOLOGY, parentTerm, .locale = "en")
```

#### Binding strength of RBP targets

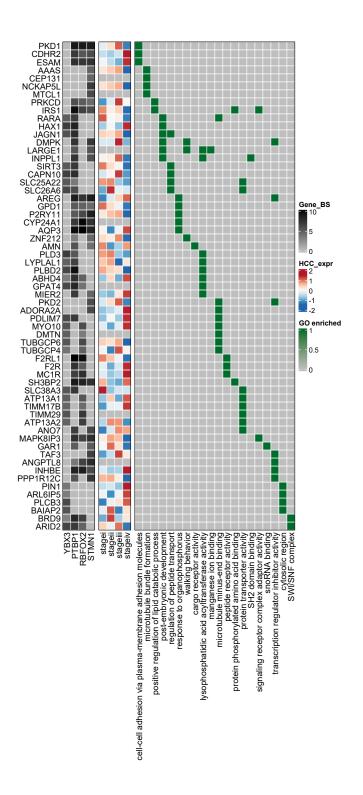
```
# binding strength of RBPs per gene target
GO_enriched_genes <- gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_reduced %>%
  pull(geneID) %>%
  str_split("\\/") %>%
 unlist() %>%
 unique()
df <- RBP_filt_peaks %>%
  filter(gene_name %in% GO_enriched_genes) %>%
  select(RBP, gene_name, Gene_BS) %>%
  filter(!duplicated(.)) %>%
 pivot_wider(names_from = RBP, values_from = Gene_BS, values_fill = 0.1) %>%
  mutate(gene_name = factor(gene_name, levels=GO_enriched_genes)) %>%
 arrange(gene_name) %>%
 column_to_rownames(var = "gene_name") %>%
select("YBX3","PTBP1","RBF0X2","STMN1")
p <- list()
p[[1]] <- Heatmap(log2(df+1),</pre>
        name = "Gene_BS"
        col = circlize::colorRamp2(c(0, max((log2(df)))), c("#BEBEBE", "#000000")),
        cluster_rows = F,
        cluster_columns = F,
        row_names_side = "left",
        column_names_side = "bottom",
        width = unit(ncol(df)*4, "mm"),
        height = unit(nrow(df)*4, "mm"),
        cell_fun = function(j, i, x, y, width, height, fill) {
            grid.rect(x, y, width, height,
                       gp = gpar(col = "white", fill=NA, lwd = 1))
        border = T)
```

#### Expression of RBP target genes in liver cancer stages

```
header=T) %>%
  pivot_longer(cols = -attrib_name, names_to = "patient_id", values_to = "value") %>%
  pivot_wider(names_from = attrib_name, values_from = value) %>%
  dplyr::filter(!is.na(pathologic_stage)) %>%
  mutate(pathologic_stage = factor(pathologic_stage, levels = c("stagei", "stageii", "stageiii", "stageiv"))) %>%
  arrange(pathologic_stage)
TCGA_RNAseq <- read.table(file="data/TCGA/Human__TCGA_LIHC__UNC__RNAseq__HiSeq_RNA__01_28_2016__BI__Gene__Firehose_RSEM_log2.cct",
                          stringsAsFactors = F,
                          sep = "\t"
                          header=T) %>%
  column_to_rownames("attrib_name") %>%
 dplyr::select(TCGA_annot$patient_id[TCGA_annot$patient_id %in% colnames(.)])
TCGA_RNAseq_scaled_median_by_stage <- groupTransform(TCGA_RNAseq,
                TCGA_annot$pathologic_stage[TCGA_annot$patient_id %in% colnames(TCGA_RNAseq)],
                 function(x) apply(x, 1, median)) %>%
  scaleData(., method = "zscore") %>%
 rownames_to_column(var = "geneID")
GO_enriched_genes <- gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_reduced %>%
  pull(geneID) %>%
 str_split("\\/") %>%
 unlist() %>%
 unique()
df <- data.frame(geneID = GO_enriched_genes) %>%
  left_join(TCGA_RNAseq_scaled_median_by_stage, by=c("geneID"="geneID")) %>%
  column_to_rownames("geneID")
divergent_pal <- c( "#2166AC", "#4393C3", "#92C5DE", "#D1E5F0", "#F7F7F7", "#FDDBC7", "#F4A582", "#D6604D", "#B2182B")
p[[2]] <- Heatmap(df,</pre>
        name = "HCC_expr",
        col = divergent_pal,
        cluster_rows = F,
        cluster_columns = F,
        row_names_side = "left",
        column_names_side = "bottom";
        width = unit(ncol(df)*4, "mm"),
        height = unit(nrow(df)*4, "mm"),
        cell_fun = function(j, i, x, y, width, height, fill) {
           grid.rect(x, y, width, height,
                      gp = gpar(col = "white", fill=NA, lwd = 1))
        border = T)
```

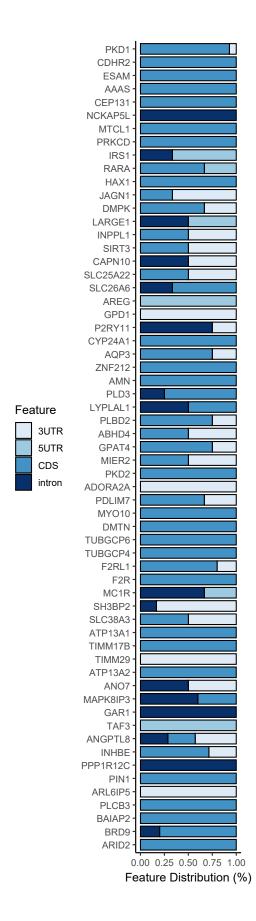
#### Presence of gene targets in enriched GO terms

```
# presence of gene targets in enriched GO terms
GO_enriched_genes <- gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_reduced %>%
  pull(geneID) %>%
  str_split("\\/") %>%
 unlist() %>%
 unique()
df <- gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_reduced %>%
  select(parentTerm, geneID) %>%
  separate_longer_delim(col = geneID, delim = "/") %>%
 pivot_wider(names_from = parentTerm, values_from = parentTerm,
             values_fn = length, values_fill = 0) %>%
 group_by(geneID) %>%
 summarise_all(sum) %>%
 mutate(geneID = factor(geneID, levels=GO_enriched_genes)) %>%
 arrange(geneID) %>%
 column_to_rownames('geneID')
p[[4]] <- Heatmap(df,</pre>
        name = "GO enriched",
        col = circlize::colorRamp2(c(0, 1), c("#BEBEBE", "#006D2C")),
        cluster_rows = F,
        cluster_columns = F,
row_names_side = "left",
        column_names_side = "bottom";
        width = unit(ncol(df)*4, "mm"),
        height = unit(nrow(df)*4, "mm"),
```



## Distribution of RBP target sites in target genes

```
"5UTR" = "#9ECAE1",
"3UTR" = "#DEEBF7")
GO_enriched_genes <- gene_targets_subsets_GO_combined_reduced %>%
  pull(geneID) %>%
  str_split("\\/") %>%
unlist() %>%
  unique()
df <- RBP_filt_peaks %>%
  filter(gene_name %in% GO_enriched_genes) %>%
  group_by(gene_name,feature) %>%
  summarise(n_sites = n()) %>%
  mutate(percent = n_sites/sum(n_sites)*100) %>%
  mutate(gene_name = factor(gene_name, levels=rev(GO_enriched_genes))) %>%
  mutate(feature = factor(feature, levels=rev(names(feature_colors))))
p[[5]] <- ggplot(df, aes(x = percent, y = gene_name, fill = feature)) +
  geom_bar(stat = "identity", position = "fill", width = 0.8, color="black") +
  scale_fill_manual(values = feature_colors) +</pre>
   x = "Feature Distribution (%)",
y = NULL,
    fill = "Feature"
  theme_classic(base_size = 12) +
  theme(
    legend.position="left",
  plot.margin = margin(10, 10, 10, 10)
p[[<mark>5</mark>]]
```



## Load RNAseq data from siRNA KD experiments

# Figure S6G - Enrichment of RBP targets in RBPKD datasets by binding site distribution

```
rbp_names <- list(</pre>
   "YBX3" = "YBX3".
  "PTBP1" = "PTBP1"
  "RBFOX2" = "RBFOX2",
  "STMN1" = "STMN1"
feature_names <- list(</pre>
   "exon" = "exon",
  "intron" = "intron",
  "5UTR" = "5UTR",
  "3UTR" = "3UTR",
  "CDS" = "CDS".
  "all" = c("exon", "intron", "5UTR", "3UTR", "CDS")
)
rbp_targets <- lapply(rbp_names, function(x){</pre>
  lapply(feature names, function(y){
    RBP_filt_peaks %>%
      filter(RBP == x & feature %in% y) %>%
      pull(gene_name) %>%
      unique()
 })
1)
# gene background
input <- read.table(file="Data/INPUTs.TPMs.txt", stringsAsFactors = F, header=T)</pre>
input_genes <- input %>%
  filter(TPM_RAP >= 1) %>%
  pull(gene_ID) %>%
  gsub("\\..*","",.) %>%
  unique() %>%
  mapIds(x=org.Hs.eg.db, keys=., column='SYMBOL', keytype = 'ENSEMBL') %>%
  unique()
RBP_bound_genes <- RBP_filt_peaks %>%
  pull(gene_name) %>%
gene_background <- unique(c(input_genes, RBP_bound_genes))</pre>
random_sets_n100 <- lapply(setNames(seq(1,100), paste0("set_", seq(1,100))), function(x){</pre>
  sample(x = gene_background, size = 100)
})
genes_rnk_kd <- list(</pre>
  "YBX3" = RBPKDs_ENCODE_DESeq2$HepG2_RNAi$HepG2_RNAi_YBX3_ENCFF571NNW %>%
    dplyr::filter(!is.na(pvalue)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(external_gene_name = mapIds(x=org.Hs.eg.db, keys=ensembl_gene_id, column='SYMBOL', keytype = 'ENSEMBL')) %>%
    dplyr::filter(!is.na(external_gene_name)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = -log10(pvalue)*sign(log2FoldChange)) %>% dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = ifelse(is.na(neg_log10Pval), 0, neg_log10Pval)) %>%
    dplyr::arrange(dplyr::desc(neg_log10Pval)),
  "PTBP1" = RBPKDs_ENCODE_DESeq2$HepG2_RNAi$HepG2_RNAi_PTBP1_ENCFF044UQQ %>%
    dplyr::filter(!is.na(pvalue)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(external_gene_name = mapIds(x=org.Hs.eg.db, keys=ensembl_gene_id, column='SYMBOL', keytype = 'ENSEMBL')) %>%
    dplyr::filter(!is.na(external_gene_name)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = -log10(pvalue)*sign(log2FoldChange)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = ifelse(is.na(neg_log10Pval), 0, neg_log10Pval)) %>%
    dplyr::arrange(dplyr::desc(neg_log10Pval)),
  "RBFOX2" = RBPKDs_ENCODE_DESeq2$HepG2_RNAi$HepG2_RNAi_RBFOX2_ENCFF166HLT %>%
```

```
dplyr::filter(!is.na(pvalue)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(external_gene_name = mapIds(x=org.Hs.eg.db, keys=ensembl_gene_id, column='SYMBOL', keytype = 'ENSEMBL')) %>%
    dplyr::filter(!is.na(external_gene_name)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = -log10(pvalue)*sign(log2FoldChange)) %>%
dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = ifelse(is.na(neg_log10Pval), 0, neg_log10Pval)) %>%
    dplyr::arrange(dplyr::desc(neg_log10Pval)),
  "STMN1" = RBPKDs_Sondergaard2022$STMN1 %>%
    dplyr::filter(!is.na(external_gene_name)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = -log10(PValue)*sign(log2FoldChange)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = ifelse(is.na(neg_log10Pval), 0, neg_log10Pval)) %>%
    dplyr::arrange(dplyr::desc(neg_log10Pval))
# run GSEA
gsea_res <- lapply(rbp_names, function(x) {</pre>
  print(x)
  runGSEA(gene.rnk = setNames(genes_rnk_kd[[x]]$neg_log10Pval,
                                genes_rnk_kd[[x]]$external_gene_name),
           gene.sets = rbp_targets[[x]],
          min.size = 1,
max.size = 5000,
          nproc = 1)
})
## [1] "YBX3"
   ##
## [1] "PTBP1"
     - 1
## [1] "RBFOX2"
   - 1
##
## [1] "STMN1"
gsea_res_rand_n100 <- lapply(rbp_names, function(x) {</pre>
  print(x)
  runGSEA(gene.rnk = setNames(genes_rnk_kd[[x]]$neg_log10Pval,
                                genes_rnk_kd[[x]]$external_gene_name),
           gene.sets = random_sets_n100,
           min.size = 1,
           max.size = 5000,
          nproc = 1)
})
## [1] "YBX3"
##
    - 1
##
## [1] "PTBP1"
## |
##
## [1] "RBFOX2"
## |
##
## [1] "STMN1"
## |
df <- lapply(rbp_names, function(x) {</pre>
  gsea_res_NES = gsea_res[[x]]$all %>%
    dplyr::mutate(abs_NES = abs(NES),
                   neg_log10pval = -log10(pval)) %>%
    dplyr::select(pathway, abs_NES, neg_log10pval) %>%
    dplyr::add_row(pathway = "rand_n100", abs_NES = mean(abs(gsea_res_rand_n100[[x]]$all$NES)), neg_log10pval = mean(-log10(gsea_res_rand_n100[[x]]$filter(!pathway %in% c("all")) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(pathway = factor(pathway, levels = c("intron", "exon", "CDS", "5UTR", "3UTR", "rand_n100")))
  if(!"exon" %in% unique(gsea_res_NES$pathway)){
    gsea_res_NES <- gsea_res_NES %>%
      add_row(pathway = "exon", abs_NES = 0, neg_log10pval = 0)
gsea_res_NES
})
lab_colors <- c("intron" = "#08306B",
                 "exon" = "#08519C",
                 "CDS" = "#4292C6",
                 "5UTR" = "#9ECAE1",
                 "3UTR" = "#DEEBF7",
                 "rand_n100" = "#CCCCCC")
p <- list()
```

```
rbp <- "YBX3"
p[[1]] <- ggplot(df[[rbp]], aes(x = pathway, y = abs_NES, fill = pathway)) +
    geom_bar(stat = "identity", width = 0.8, color="black") +</pre>
  labs(
   x = "Genomic feature",
    y = "|Norm. enrich. score|"
  scale_fill_manual(values = lab_colors) +
  ylim(0, 2) +
  ggtitle(rbp) +
  theme_classic(base_size = 14)
rbp <- "PTBP1"
p[[2]] <- ggplot(df[[rbp]], aes(x = pathway, y = abs_NES, fill = pathway)) +
    geom_bar(stat = "identity", width = 0.8, color="black") +</pre>
 y = "|Norm. enrich. score|"
  scale_fill_manual(values = lab_colors) +
  ylim(0, 2) +
  ggtitle(rbp) +
theme_classic(base_size = 14)
p[[3]] <- ggplot(df[[rbp]], aes(x = pathway, y = abs_NES, fill = pathway)) +
geom_bar(stat = "identity", width = 0.8, color="black") +</pre>
  labs(
 y = "|Norm. enrich. score|"
  scale_fill_manual(values = lab_colors) +
  ylim(0, 2) +
  ggtitle(rbp) +
  theme_classic(base_size = 14)
rbp <- "STMN1"
p[[4]] <- ggplot(df[[rbp]], aes(x = pathway, y = abs_NES, fill = pathway)) +
geom_bar(stat = "identity", width = 0.8, color="black") +
  labs(
   x = "Genomic feature",
    y = "|Norm. enrich. score|"
  scale_fill_manual(values = lab_colors) +
  ylim(0, 2) +
  ggtitle(rbp) +
  theme_classic(base_size = 14)
combined_plot <- (p[[1]] | p[[2]]) / (p[[3]] | p[[4]])</pre>
print(combined_plot)
```

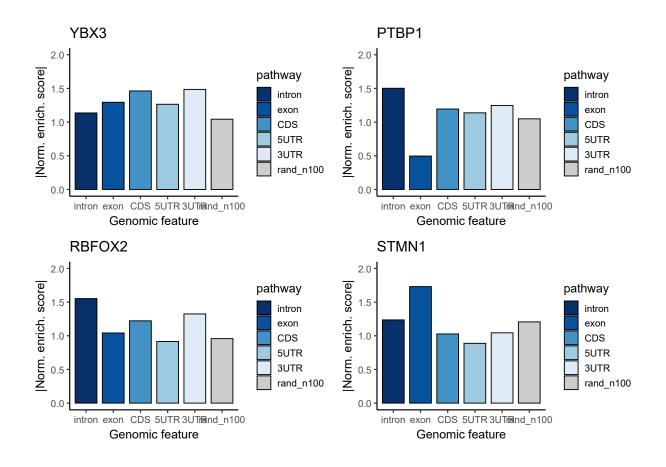
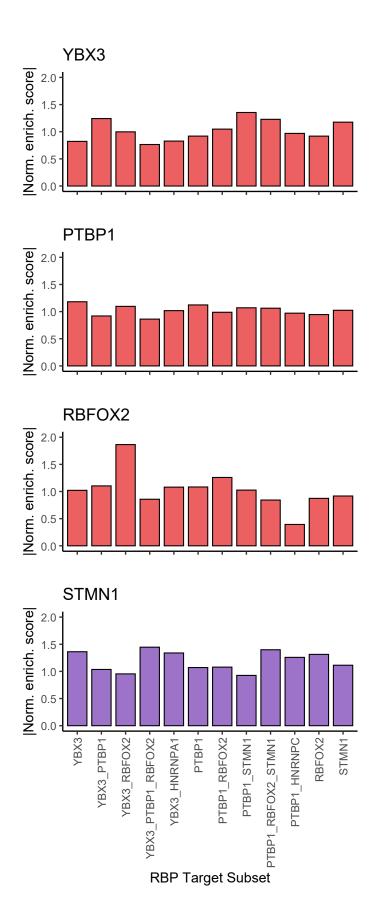


Figure 6C - Enrichment of RBP target subsets in RBPKD datasets

```
# target subsets for PTBP1, RBFOX2, YBX3, STMN1. Both shared and unique.
"YBX3_RBF0X2"
                                                                "YBX3 PTBP1 RBF0X2".
                                                                "YBX3_HNRNPA1",
                                                                "PTBP1",
"PTBP1_RBF0X2",
                                                                "PTBP1_STMN1"
                                                                "PTBP1_RBFOX2_STMN1",
                                                                "PTBP1_HNRNPC",
                                                                "RBFOX2"
                                                                "STMN1")]
input <- read.table(file="Data/INPUTs.TPMs.txt", stringsAsFactors = F, header=T)</pre>
input_genes <- input %>%
  filter(TPM_RAP >= 1) %>%
  pull(gene_ID) %>%
  gsub("\\..*","",.) %>%
unique() %>%
  mapIds(x=org.Hs.eg.db, keys=., column='SYMBOL', keytype = 'ENSEMBL') %>%
RBP_bound_genes <- RBP_filt_peaks %>%
  pull(gene_name) %>%
gene_background <- unique(c(input_genes, RBP_bound_genes))</pre>
genes_rnk_kd <- list(</pre>
   "YBX3" = RBPKDs_ENCODE_DESeq2$HepG2_RNAi$HepG2_RNAi_YBX3_ENCFF571NNW %>%
    dplyr::filter(!is.na(pvalue)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(external_gene_name = mapIds(x=org.Hs.eg.db, keys=ensembl_gene_id, column='SYMBOL', keytype = 'ENSEMBL')) %>%
    dplyr::filter(!is.na(external_gene_name)) %>%
dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = -log10(pvalue)*sign(log2FoldChange)) %>%
dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = ifelse(is.na(neg_log10Pval), 0, neg_log10Pval)) %>%
    dplyr::arrange(dplyr::desc(neg_log10Pval)),
```

```
"PTBP1" = RBPKDs_ENCODE_DESeq2$HepG2_RNAi$HepG2_RNAi_PTBP1_ENCFF044UQQ %>%
     dplyr::filter(!is.na(pvalue)) %>%
     dplyr::mutate(external_gene_name = mapIds(x=org.Hs.eg.db, keys=ensembl_gene_id, column='SYMBOL', keytype = 'ENSEMBL')) %>%
     dplyr::filter(!is.na(external_gene_name)) %>%
     dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = -log10(pvalue)*sign(log2FoldChange)) %>%
dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = ifelse(is.na(neg_log10Pval), 0, neg_log10Pval)) %>%
     dplyr::arrange(dplyr::desc(neg_log10Pval)),
   "RBFOX2" = RBPKDs_ENCODE_DESeq2$HepG2_RNAi$HepG2_RNAi_RBFOX2_ENCFF166HLT %>%
     dplyr::filter(!is.na(pvalue)) %>%
     dplyr::mutate(external_gene_name = mapIds(x=org.Hs.eg.db, keys=ensembl_gene_id, column='SYMBOL', keytype = 'ENSEMBL')) %>%
     dplyr::filter(!is.na(external_gene_name)) %>%
     dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = -log10(pvalue)*sign(log2FoldChange)) %>%
dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = ifelse(is.na(neg_log10Pval), 0, neg_log10Pval)) %>%
     dplyr::arrange(dplyr::desc(neg_log10Pval)),
   "STMN1" = RBPKDs_Sondergaard2022$STMN1 %>%
     dplyr::filter(!is.na(external_gene_name)) %>%
     dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = -log10(PValue)*sign(log2FoldChange)) %>%
     dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = ifelse(is.na(neg_log10Pval), 0, neg_log10Pval)) %>%
     dplyr::arrange(dplyr::desc(neg_log10Pval))
# run GSEA
gsea_res <- lapply(rbp_names, function(x) {</pre>
  print(x)
   runGSEA(gene.rnk = setNames(genes_rnk_kd[[x]]$neg_log10Pval,
                                  genes_rnk_kd[[x]]$external_gene_name),
            gene.sets = gene_targets_subsets,
           min.size = 1,
max.size = 5000,
           nproc = 1)
})
## [1] "YBX3"
## [1] "PTBP1"
## [1] "RBFOX2"
   - 1
##
## [1] "STMN1"
##
    df <- lapply(rbp_names, function(x) {</pre>
  gsea_res_NES = gsea_res[[x]]$all %>%
     dplyr::mutate(abs_NES = abs(NES),
                    neg_log10pval = -log10(pval)) %>%
     dplyr::select(pathway, abs_NES, neg_log10pval) %>%
     dplyr::mutate(pathway = factor(pathway, levels = c("YBX3",
                                                                "YBX3_PTBP1",
                                                                "YBX3_RBFOX2",
                                                                "YBX3_PTBP1_RBFOX2",
                                                                "YBX3_HNRNPA1",
                                                                "PTBP1",
                                                                "PTBP1_RBFOX2",
                                                                "PTBP1_STMN1",
                                                                "PTBP1_RBFOX2_STMN1",
                                                                "PTBP1_HNRNPC",
                                                                "RBFOX2"
                                                                "STMN1")))
gsea_res_NES
})
p <- list()
rbp <- "YBX3"
pp[[1]] <- ggplot(df[[rbp]], aes(x = pathway, y = abs_NES)) +
geom_bar(stat = "identity", width = 0.8, color="black", fill="#ED6062") +</pre>
   labs(
    x = ""
    y = "|Norm. enrich. score|"
   ylim(0, 2) +
   ggtitle(rbp) +
   theme_classic(base_size = 14) +
   theme(axis.text.x = element_blank())
rbp <- "PTBP1"
p[[2]] <- ggplot(df[[rbp]], aes(x = pathway, y = abs_NES)) +
  geom_bar(stat = "identity", width = 0.8, color="black", fill="#ED6062") +</pre>
   labs(
    y = "|Norm. enrich. score|"
ylim(0, 2) +
```

```
ggtitle(rbp) +
  theme_classic(base_size = 14) +
  theme(axis.text.x = element_blank())
rbp <- "RBFOX2"
p[[3] <- ggplot(df[[rbp]], aes(x = pathway, y = abs_NES)) +
  geom_bar(stat = "identity", width = 0.8, color="black", fill="#ED6062") +</pre>
  labs(
x = "",
 y = "|Norm. enrich. score|"
  ylim(0, 2) +
  ggtitle(rbp) +
  theme_classic(base_size = 14) +
theme(axis.text.x = element_blank())
p[[4]] <- ggplot(df[[rbp]], aes(x = pathway, y = abs_NES)) +
geom_bar(stat = "identity", width = 0.8, color="black", fill="#9C73C8") +
  labs(
 y = "|Norm. enrich. score|"
  ylim(0, 2) +
ggtitle(rbp) +
  theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 90, hjust = 1, vjust = 0.5))
combined_plot <- p[[1]] / p[[2]] / p[[3]] / p[[4]]</pre>
print(combined_plot)
```



#### Figure S6H - Volcano plots of RBP target genes in RBPKD datasets

```
RBP_diff_expr <- list(</pre>
  "YBX3" = RBPKDs_ENCODE_DESeq2$HepG2_RNAi$HepG2_RNAi_YBX3_ENCFF571NNW %>%
    dplyr::filter(!is.na(padj)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(external_gene_name = mapIds(x=org.Hs.eg.db, keys=ensembl_gene_id, column='SYMBOL', keytype = 'ENSEMBL')) %>%
    dplyr::filter(!is.na(external_gene_name)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(padj = ifelse(is.na(padj), 1, padj)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = -log10(padj)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(is_target = external_gene_name %in% RBP_targets[["YBX3"]]) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = external_gene_name %in% intersect(RBP_targets[["YBX3"]], unlist(RBP_targets_overlap_more20_sets))) %>%
    dplyr::arrange(neg_log10Pval),
  "PTBP1" = RBPKDs_ENCODE_DESeq2$HepG2_RNAi$HepG2_RNAi_PTBP1_ENCFF044UQQ %>%
    dplyr::filter(!is.na(padj)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(external_gene_name = mapIds(x=org.Hs.eg.db, keys=ensembl_gene_id, column='SYMBOL', keytype = 'ENSEMBL')) %>%
    dplyr::filter(!is.na(external_gene_name)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(padj = ifelse(is.na(padj), 1, padj)) %>%
dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = -log10(padj)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(is_target = external_gene_name %in% RBP_targets[["PTBP1"]]) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = external_gene_name %in% intersect(RBP_targets[["PTBP1"]], unlist(RBP_targets_overlap_more20_sets))) %>%
    dplyr::arrange(neg_log10Pval),
  "RBFOX2" = RBPKDs_ENCODE_DESeq2$HepG2_RNAi$HepG2_RNAi_RBFOX2_ENCFF166HLT %>%
    dplyr::filter(!is.na(padj)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(external_gene_name = mapIds(x=org.Hs.eg.db, keys=ensembl_gene_id, column='SYMBOL', keytype = 'ENSEMBL')) %>%
    dplyr::filter(!is.na(external_gene_name)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(padj = ifelse(is.na(padj), 1, padj)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = -log10(padj)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(is_target = external_gene_name %in% RBP_targets[["RBFOX2"]]) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = external_gene_name %in% intersect(RBP_targets[["RBF0X2"]], unlist(RBP_targets_overlap_more20_sets))) %>%
    dplyr::arrange(neg_log10Pval),
  "STMN1" = RBPKDs_Sondergaard2022$STMN1 %>%
    dplyr::filter(!is.na(external_gene_name)) %>%
   dplyr::mutate(padj = ifelse(is.na(padj), 1, padj)) %>%
dplyr::mutate(neg_log10Pval = -log10(padj)) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(is_target = external_gene_name %in% RBP_targets[["STMN1"]]) %>%
    dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = external_gene_name %in% intersect(RBP_targets[["STMN1"]]),
                                                                                  unlist(RBP_targets_overlap_more20_sets))) %>%
    dplyr::arrange(neg_log10Pval)
)
p <- list()
# YBX volcano plot
rbp <- "YBX3"
df <- RBP_diff_expr[[rbp]] %>%
  dplyr::mutate(is_target = ifelse(is_target, "Target", "Non-target")) %>%
dplyr::filter(is_target == 'Target' | external_gene_name == rbp) %>%
dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = ifelse(is_target_in_subset, "Target in subset", "Non-target in subset")) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = ifelse(padj<0.05 & abs(log2FoldChange)>log2(1.5), is_target_in_subset, "Non significant")) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = ifelse(external_gene_name == rbp, rbp, is_target_in_subset)) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = factor(is_target_in_subset, levels = c("Non significant", "Non-target in subset", "Target in subset", rbp)))
  dplyr::arrange(is_target_in_subset)
to_label <- c(df %>% filter(external_gene_name == rbp) %>% pull(external_gene_name),
               df %>% filter(is_target_in_subset == "Non-target in subset" & padj<0.05 & abs(log2FoldChange)>log2(1.5)) %>% dplyr::arrange(padj) %>df %>% filter(is_target_in_subset == "Target in subset" & padj<0.05 & abs(log2FoldChange)>log2(1.5)) %>% pull(external_gene_name)) %
  mutate(label = ifelse(external_gene_name %in% to_label, external_gene_name, ""))
paste0(rbp, ":")
## [1] "YBX3:"
table(df$is_target_in_subset)
##
##
         Non significant Non-target in subset
                                                       Target in subset
##
                     4067
##
                     YBX3
##
p[[1]] <- ggplot(df, aes(x = log2FoldChange, y = neg_log10Pval, color = is_target_in_subset)) +
  geom_point(size = 2) +
  scale_alpha_manual(values = c("Target in subset" = 0.8, "Non-target in subset" = 0.3, rbp = 1)) +
scale_color_manual(values = c("Target in subset" = "#e31a1c", "Non-target in subset" = "#fb9a99", rbp = "#000000", "Non significant" = "#BFBFBF"
  geom_hline(yintercept = -log10(0.05), linetype = "dashed", color = "black") +
  geom_vline(xintercept = c(-log2(1.5), log2(1.5)), linetype = "dashed", color = "black") +
  geom_text_repel(aes(label = label), box.padding = 0.5, point.padding = 0.5, segment.color = "black", max.overlaps = Inf) +
  labs(
    x = "log2 Fold Change",
   y = "-log10(padj)"
```

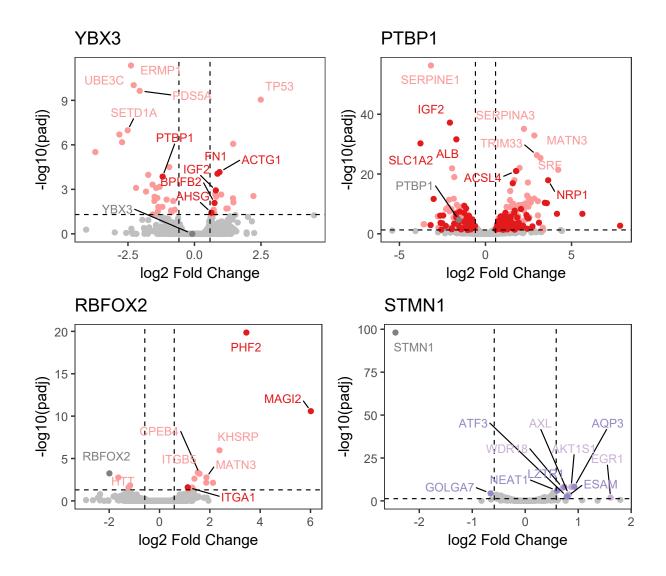
```
) +
  ggtitle(rbp) +
   theme_bw(base_size = 14) +
  theme(panel.grid = element_blank(),
         legend.position = "none")
# PTBP1 volcano plot
rbp <- "PTBP1"
df <- RBP_diff_expr[[rbp]] %>%
  dplyr::mutate(is_target = ifelse(is_target, "Target", "Non-target")) %>%
dplyr::filter(is_target == 'Target' | external_gene_name == rbp) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = ifelse(is_target_in_subset, "Target in subset", "Non-target in subset")) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = ifelse(padj<0.05 & abs(log2FoldChange)>log2(1.5), is_target_in_subset, "Non significant")) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = ifelse(external_gene_name == rbp, rbp, is_target_in_subset)) %>% dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = factor(is_target_in_subset, levels = c("Non significant", "Non-target in subset", "Target in subset", rbp)))
  dplyr::arrange(is_target_in_subset)
to_label <- c(df %>% filter(external_gene_name == rbp) %>% pull(external_gene_name),

df %>% filter(is_target_in_subset == "Non-target in subset" & padj<0.05 & abs(log2FoldChange)>log2(1.5)) %>% dplyr::arrange(padj) %>

df %>% filter(is_target_in_subset == "Target in subset" & padj<0.05 & abs(log2FoldChange)>log2(1.5)) %>% dplyr::arrange(padj) %>% sl
  unique()
df <- df %>%
  mutate(label = ifelse(external_gene_name %in% to_label, external_gene_name, ""))
pasteO(rbp, ":")
## [1] "PTBP1:"
table(df$is_target_in_subset)
         Non significant Non-target in subset
                                                         Target in subset
##
                      3169
##
                     PTBP1
##
p[[2]] <- ggplot(df, aes(x = log2FoldChange, y = neg_log10Pval, color = is_target_in_subset)) +
  geom_point(size = 2) +
   scale_alpha_manual(values = c("Target in subset" = 0.8, "Non-target in subset" = 0.3, rbp = 1)) +
  scale_color_manual(values = c("Target in subset" = "#e31a1c", "Non-target in subset" = "#fb9a99", rbp = "#000000", "Non significant" = "#BFBFBF"
  geom_hline(yintercept = -log10(0.05), linetype = "dashed", color = "black")
  geom_vline(xintercept = c(-log2(1.5), log2(1.5)), linetype = "dashed", color = "black") +
  geom_text_repel(aes(label = label), box.padding = 0.5, point.padding = 0.5, segment.color = "black", max.overlaps = Inf) +
    x = "log2 Fold Change",
    y = "-log10(padj)"
  ggtitle(rbp) +
   theme_bw(base_size = 14) +
  theme(panel.grid = element_blank(),
         legend.position = "none")
# RBFOX2 volcano plot
rbp <- "RBFOX2"
df <- RBP_diff_expr[[rbp]] %>%
  dplyr::mutate(is_target = ifelse(is_target, "Target", "Non-target")) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(is_target == 'Target' | external_gene_name == rbp) %>%
dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = ifelse(is_target_in_subset, "Target in subset", "Non-target in subset")) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = ifelse(padj<0.05 & abs(log2FoldChange)>log2(1.5), is_target_in_subset, "Non significant")) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = ifelse(external_gene_name == rbp, rbp, is_target_in_subset)) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = factor(is_target_in_subset, levels = c("Non significant", "Non-target in subset", "Target in subset", rbp)))
  dplyr::arrange(is_target_in_subset)
to_label <- c(df %>% filter(external_gene_name == rbp) %>% pull(external_gene_name),

df %>% filter(is_target_in_subset == "Non-target in subset" & padj<0.05 & abs(log2FoldChange)>log2(1.5)) %>% dplyr::arrange(padj) %>
                df %-% filter(is_target_in_subset == "Target in subset" & padj<0.05 & abs(log2FoldChange)>log2(1.5)) %-% pull(external_gene_name)) %
  unique()
df <- df %>%
  mutate(label = ifelse(external_gene_name %in% to_label, external_gene_name, ""))
paste0(rbp, ":")
## [1] "RBFOX2:"
table(df$is_target_in_subset)
##
         Non significant Non-target in subset
                                                         Target in subset
                      3624
                    RBF0X2
##
p[[3]] <- ggplot(df, aes(x = log2FoldChange, y = neg_log10Pval, color = is_target_in_subset)) +
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scale_alpha_manual(values = c("Target in subset" = 0.8, "Non-target in subset" = 0.3, rbp = 1)) +
  scale_color_manual(values = c("Target in subset" = "#e31a1c", "Non-target in subset" = "#fb9a99", rbp = "#000000", "Non significant" = "#BFBFBF"
  geom_hline(yintercept = -log10(0.05), linetype = "dashed", color = "black") +
  geom_vline(xintercept = c(-log2(1.5), log2(1.5)), linetype = "dashed", color = "black") +
  geom_text_repel(aes(label = label), box.padding = 0.5, point.padding = 0.5, segment.color = "black", max.overlaps = Inf) +
  labs(
    x = "log2 Fold Change",
    y = "-log10(padj)"
  ggtitle(rbp) +
  theme_bw(base_size = 14) +
  theme(panel.grid = element_blank(),
         legend.position = "none")
# STMN1 volcano plot
rbp <- "STMN1"
df <- RBP_diff_expr[[rbp]] %>%
  dplyr::mutate(is_target = ifelse(is_target, "Target", "Non-target")) %>% dplyr::filter(is_target == 'Target' | external_gene_name == rbp) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = ifelse(is_target_in_subset, "Target in subset", "Non-target in subset")) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = ifelse(padj<0.05 & abs(log2FoldChange)>log2(1.5), is_target_in_subset, "Non significant")) %>%
  dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = ifelse(external_gene_name == rbp, rbp, is_target_in_subset)) %>% dplyr::mutate(is_target_in_subset = factor(is_target_in_subset, levels = c("Non significant", "Non-target in subset", "Target in subset", rbp)))
dplyr::arrange(is_target_in_subset)
to_label <- c(df %>% filter(external_gene_name == rbp) %>% pull(external_gene_name),
               df %>% filter(is_target_in_subset == "Non-target in subset" & padj<0.05 & abs(log2FoldChange)>log2(1.5)) %>% dplyr::arrange(padj) %>df %>% filter(is_target_in_subset == "Target in subset" & padj<0.05 & abs(log2FoldChange)>log2(1.5)) %>% pull(external_gene_name)) %
  unique()
df <- df %>%
  mutate(label = ifelse(external_gene_name %in% to_label, external_gene_name, ""))
paste0(rbp, ":")
## [1] "STMN1:"
table(df$is_target_in_subset)
         Non significant Non-target in subset
##
                                                        Target in subset
##
                      980
##
                    STMN1
##
                         1
p[[4]] <- ggplot(df, aes(x = log2FoldChange, y = neg_log10Pval, color = is_target_in_subset)) +
  geom_point(size = 2) +
  scale_alpha_manual(values = c("Target in subset" = 0.8, "Non-target in subset" = 0.3, rbp = 1)) +
  scale_color_manual(values = c("Target in subset" = "#9787c4", "Non-target in subset" = "#cab2d6", rbp = "#000000", "Non significant" = "#BFBFBF"
  geom_hline(yintercept = -log10(0.05), linetype = "dashed", color = "black") +
  geom_vline(xintercept = c(-log2(1.5), log2(1.5)), linetype = "dashed", color = "black") +
  geom_text_repel(aes(label = label), box.padding = 0.5, point.padding = 0.5, segment.color = "black", max.overlaps = Inf) +
  labs(
    x = "log2 Fold Change",
    y = "-log10(padj)"
  ggtitle(rbp) +
  theme bw(base size = 14) +
  theme(panel.grid = element_blank(),
         legend.position = "none")
combined_plot <- (p[[1]] | p[[2]]) / (p[[3]] | p[[4]])</pre>
print(combined plot)
```



## SessionInfo

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sessionInfo()
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