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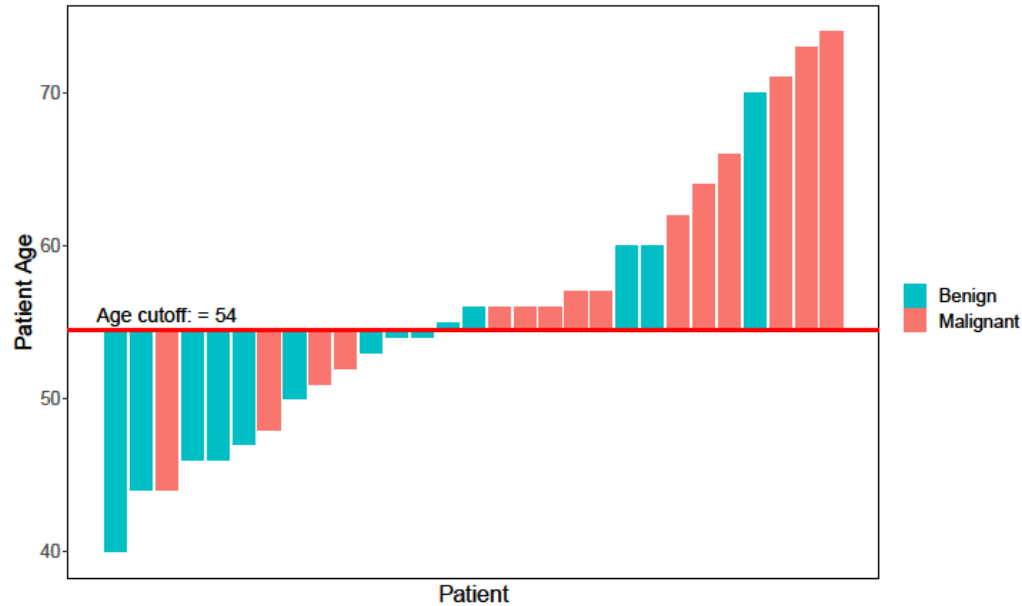
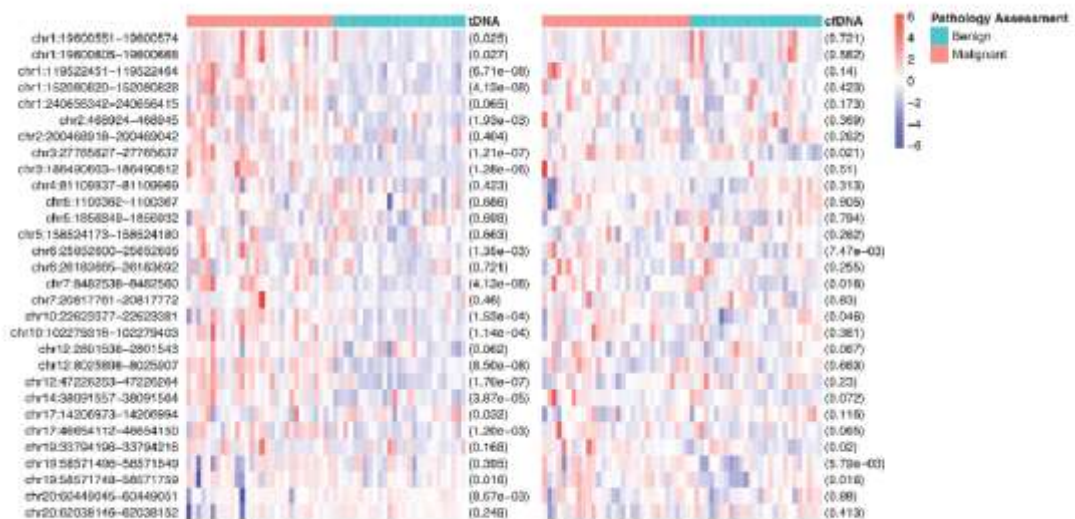
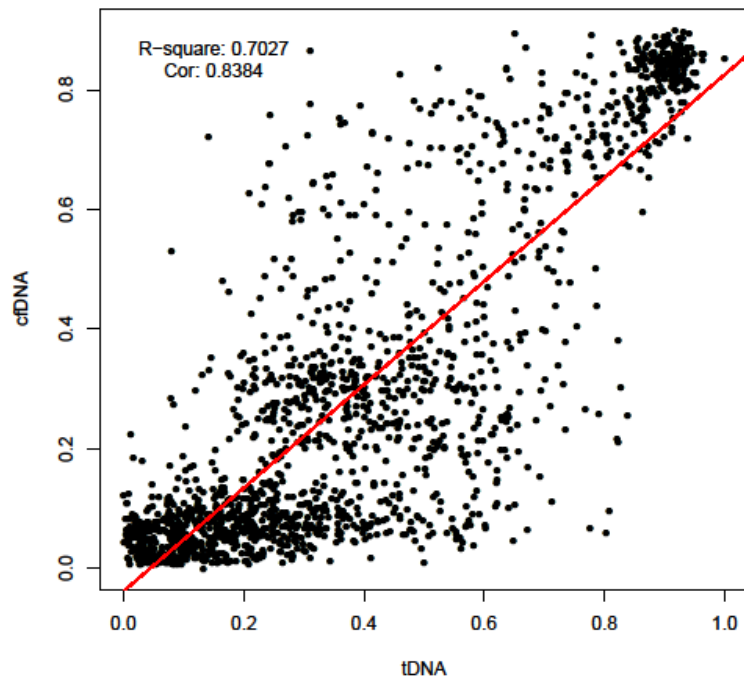


Figure S1. Correlation of patient age with PN malignancy validated on the independent validation cohort and presented in waterfall chart. An age cut-off of 54 derived from the discovery cohort had a sensitivity of 73.3% (11/15) and specificity of 64.3% (9/14) on the independent validation cohort.



(a)



(b)

Figure S2. Correlation of cfDNA-based with tDNA-based methylation profiles. (a). Heatmap of cfDNA and tDNA methylation profile heatmaps based on the selected 30 MCB markers. (b). Pearson correlation coefficient between cfDNA-tDNA measurements. Data were based on a 57-patient cohort with paired tumor-blood samples.

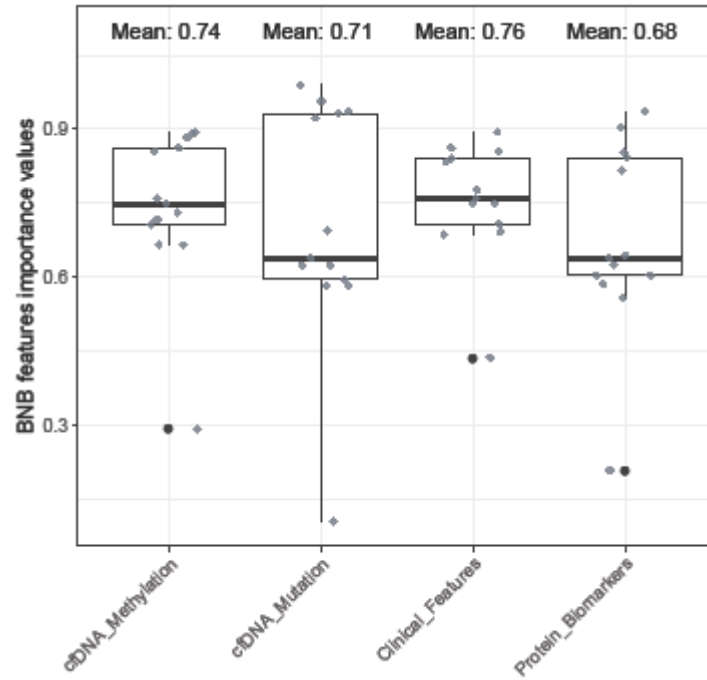


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