

Aim 2 - Finding differentially expressed features (cluster biomarkers)

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The following tutorials were used as references to generate this script

https://satijalab.org/seurat/articles/pbm3k_tutorial.html

https://satijalab.org/seurat/articles/integration_introduction.html

The dataset using in this script is provided in the script called "Preprocessing-and-Filtering-scRNA-Data.md"

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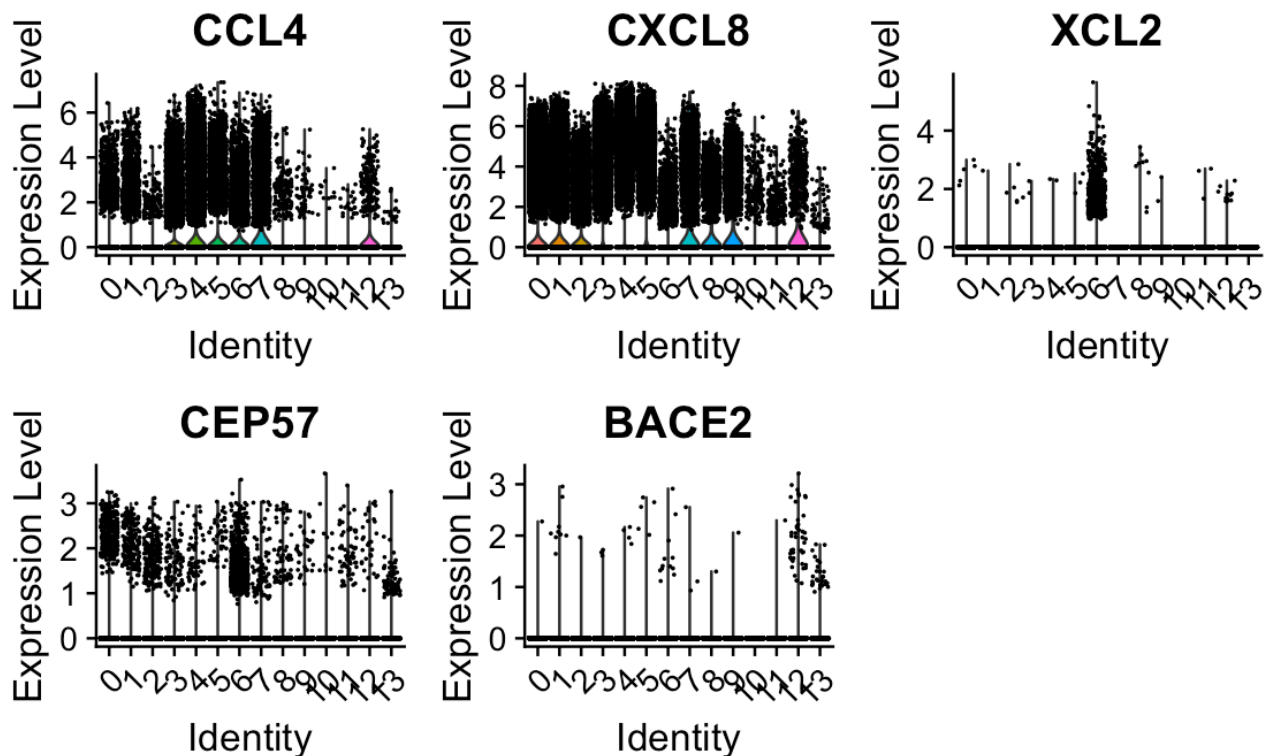
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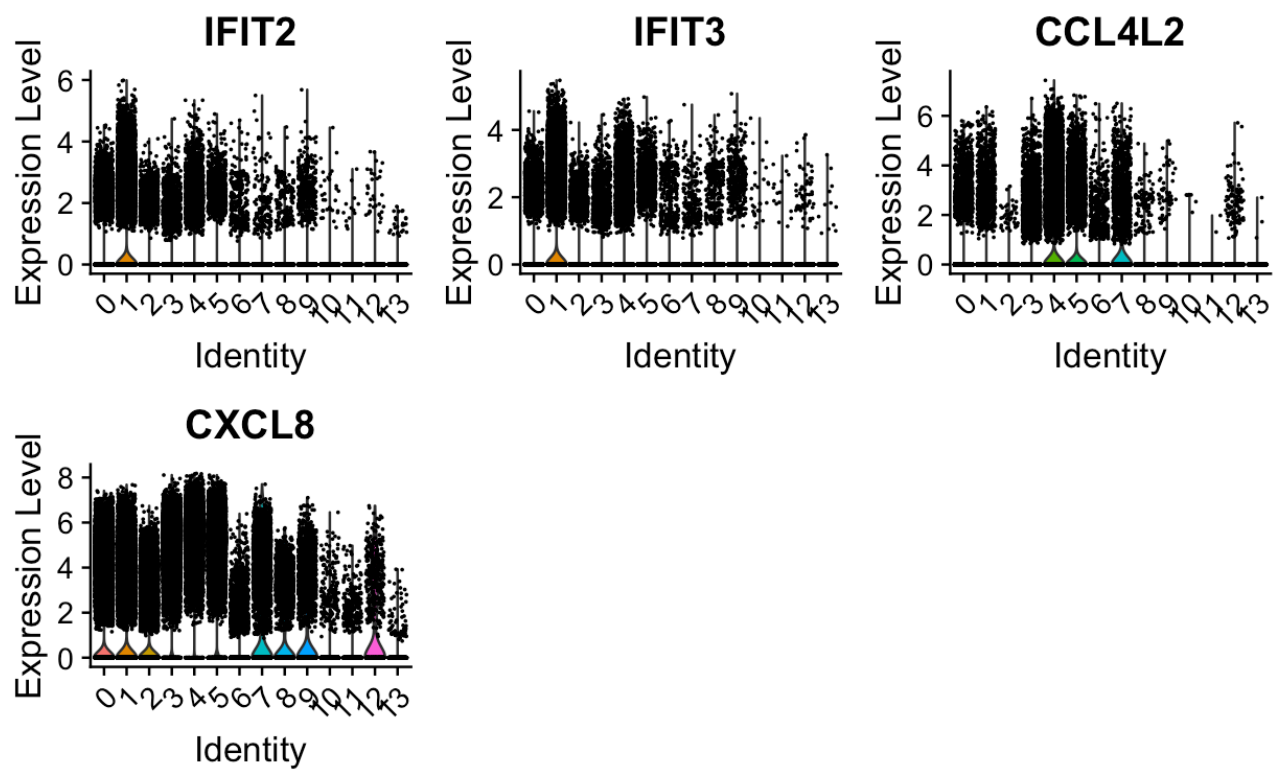
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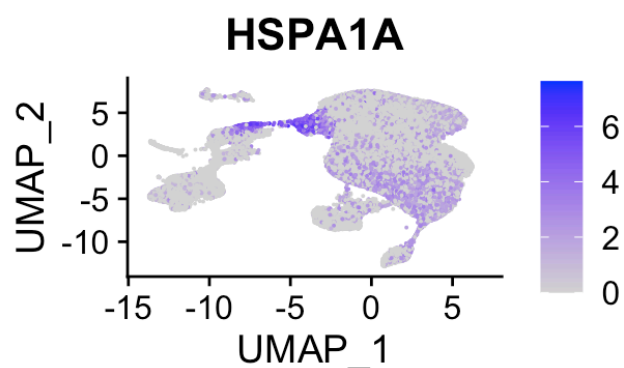
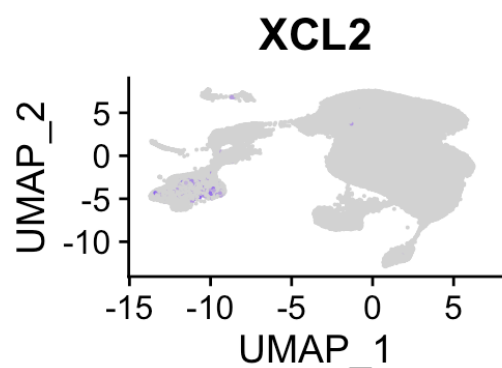
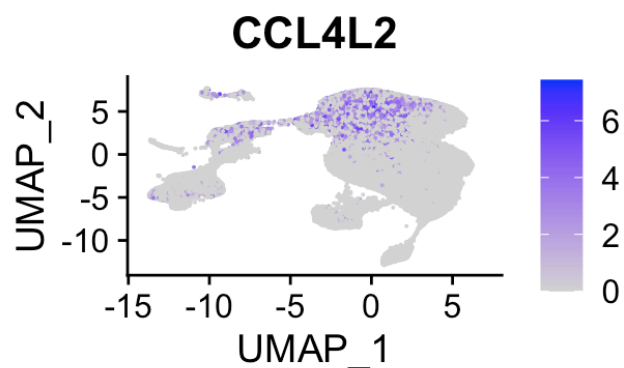
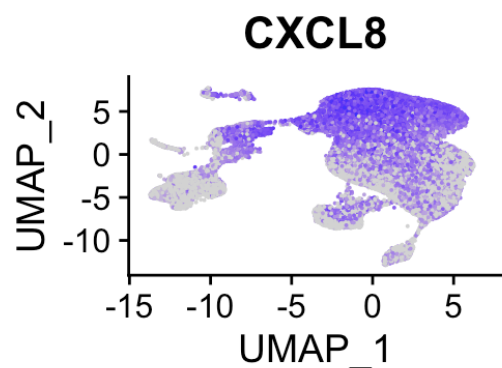
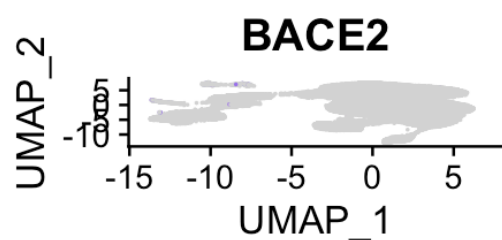
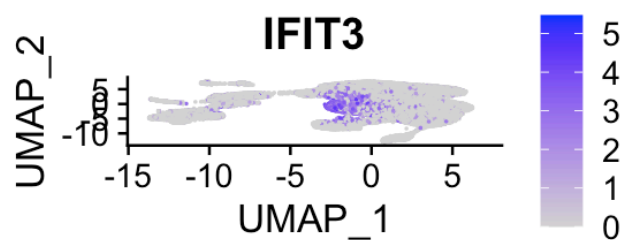
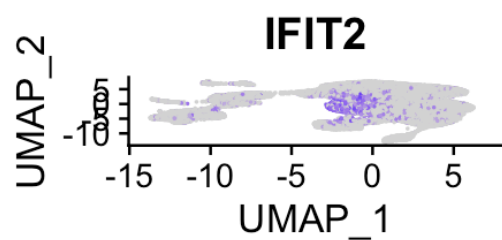
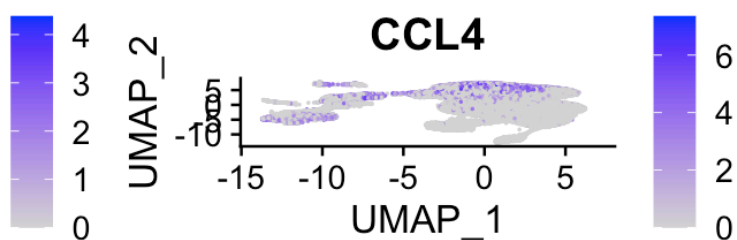
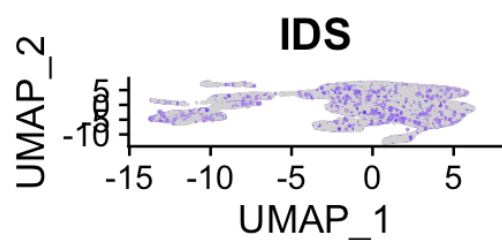
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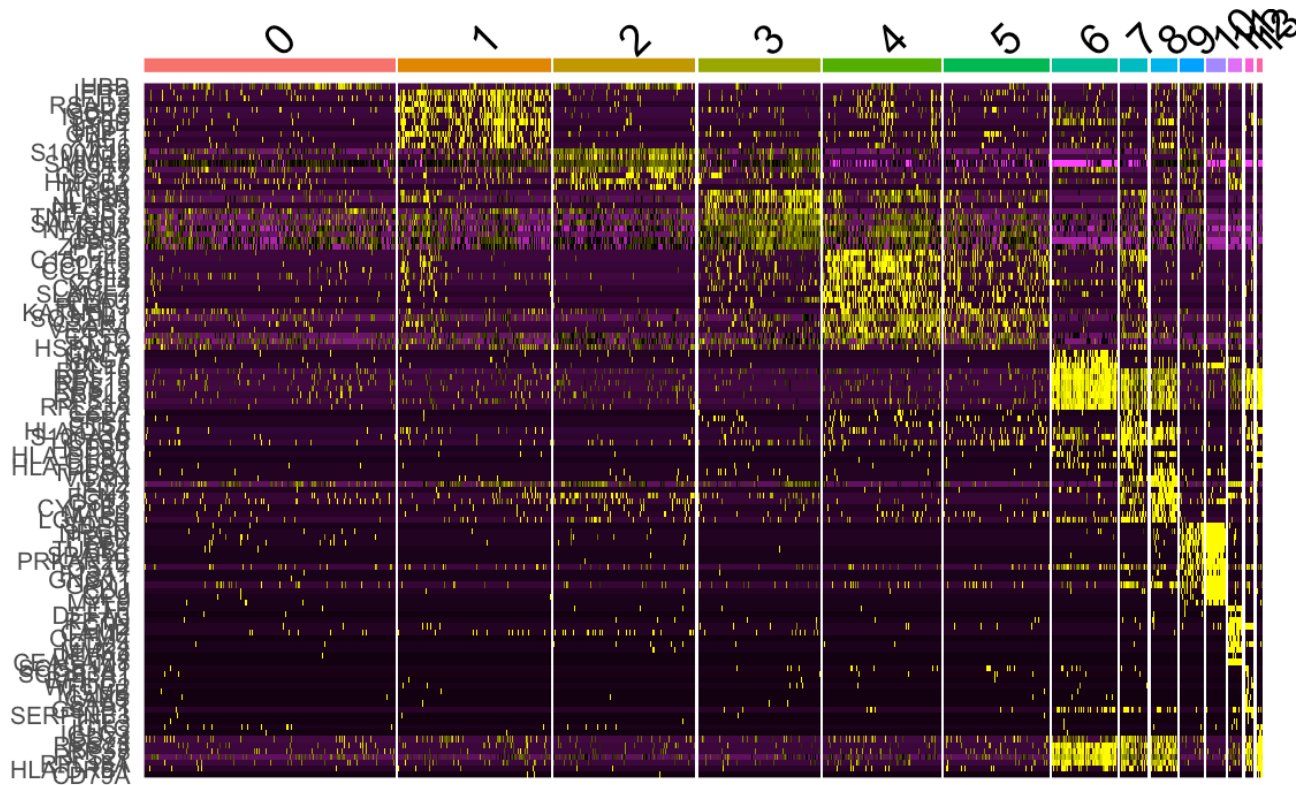


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# FeaturePlot() helps to visualize gene expression on a dimensional reduction plot
f1 <- FeaturePlot(dt, features = c("CXCL8", "CCL4L2", "XCL2", "HSPA1A", "ACE2"))
f1

f2 <- FeaturePlot(dt, features = c("IDS", "CCL4", "IFIT2", "IFIT3", "BACE2"))
f2
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#DoHeatmap() generates an expression heatmap for given cells and features.
top10 <- dt.markers %>% group_by(cluster) %>% top_n(n = 10, wt = avg_log2FC)
DoHeatmap(dt, features = top10$gene) + NoLegend()
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Unfortunately in the case of this dataset, we cannot use canonical markers to easily match the unbiased clustering to known cell types: so I did some research to try to assign cell types for each cluster

```
new.cluster.ids <- c("Neutrophils (1)", "Neutrophils (2)", "Monocytes (1)",
  "Macrophages (1)", "Neutrophils (3)", "Neutrophils (4)", "T cells, NK-cells",
  "Macrophages (2)", "Monocytes (2)", "Neutrophils (5)", "Neutrophils (6)",
  "Neutrophils (7)", "Epithelial_cell", "B cells")
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draw the umap figure showing the cell type for each cell type

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names(new.cluster.ids) <- levels(dt)
dt_2 <- RenameIdsents(dt, new.cluster.ids)
DimPlot(dt_2, reduction = "umap", label = TRUE, pt.size = 0.5) + NoLegend()
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