

# HiPathia

## Models of signaling pathway activity

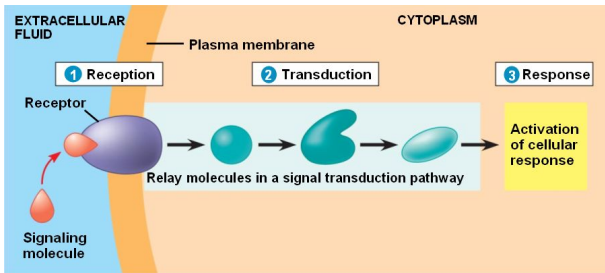
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# WODA

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# Signaling pathways



## Chemical signals

- Hormones
- Neurotransmitters
- Growth factors
- Cytokines
- Drugs

## Activation & Inhibition

- Phosphorilation
- Dephosphorilation
- Glycosylation
- Ubiquitination
- Methylation

## Cellular Function

- Apoptosis
- Survival
- Growth
- Migration
- Proliferation

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# Pathway Analysis

Methods

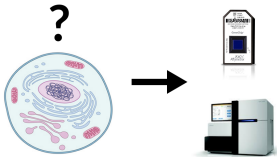
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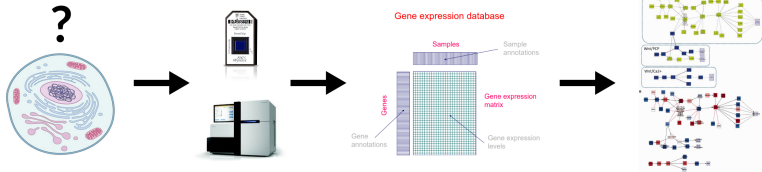
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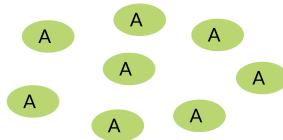
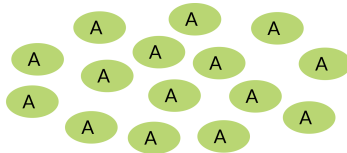
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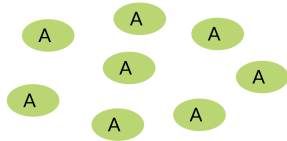
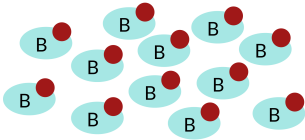
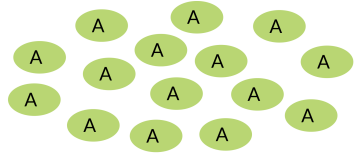
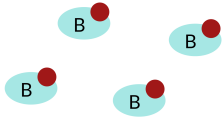
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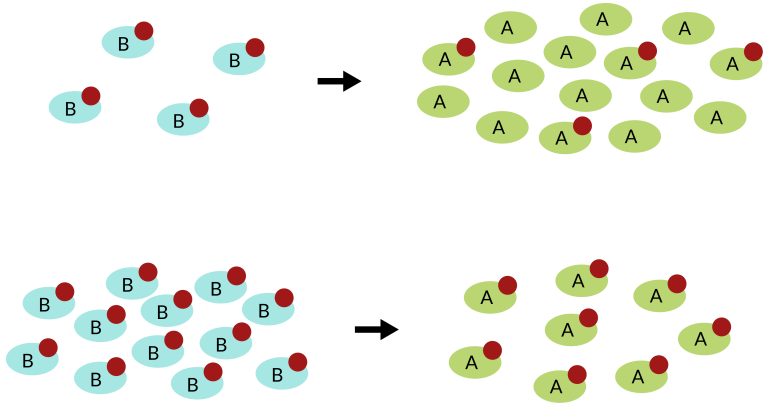
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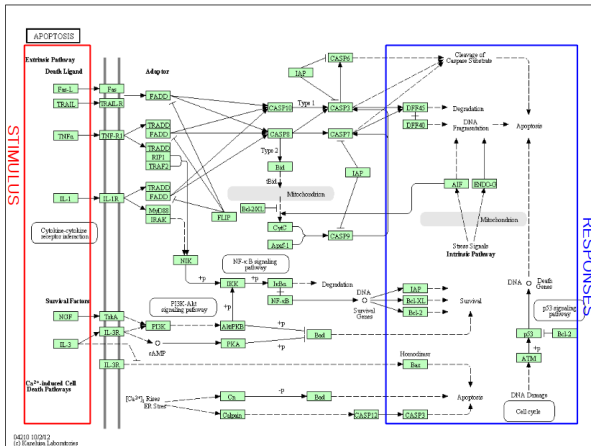
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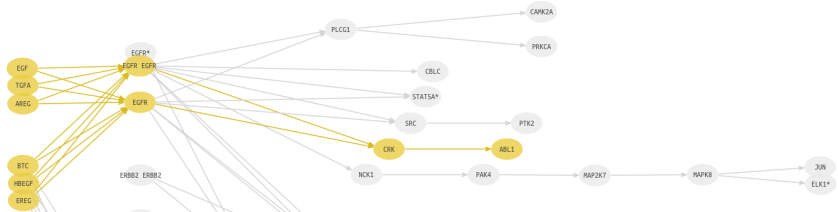
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# Meaningful subpathways

## Effector subpathway

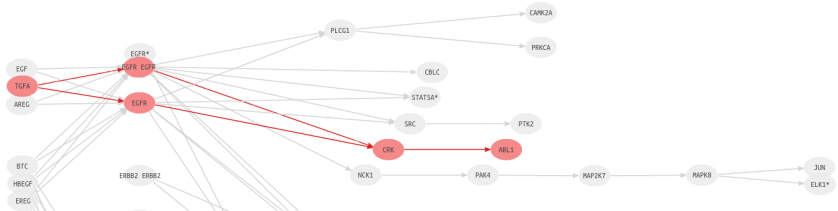
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## Decomposed subpathway

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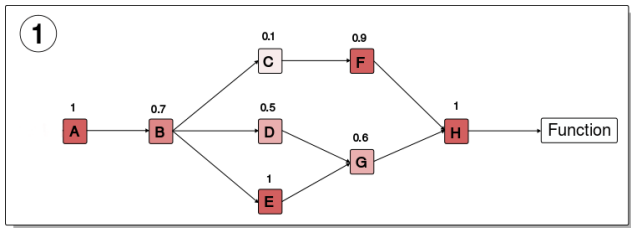
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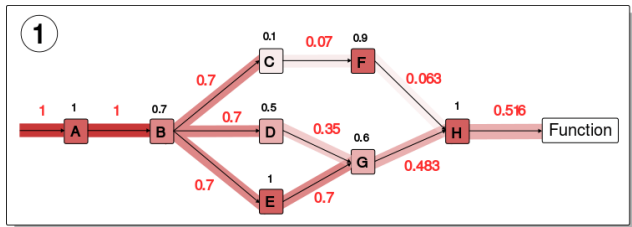
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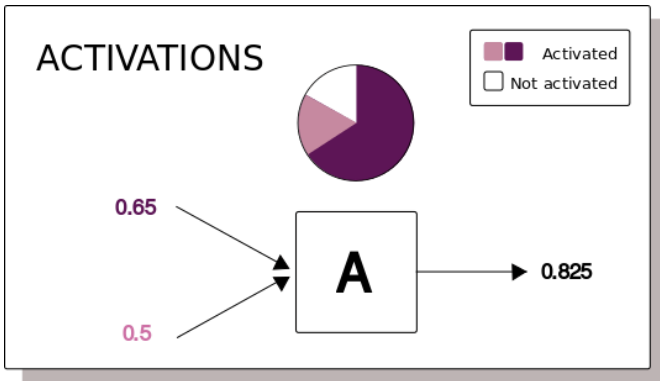
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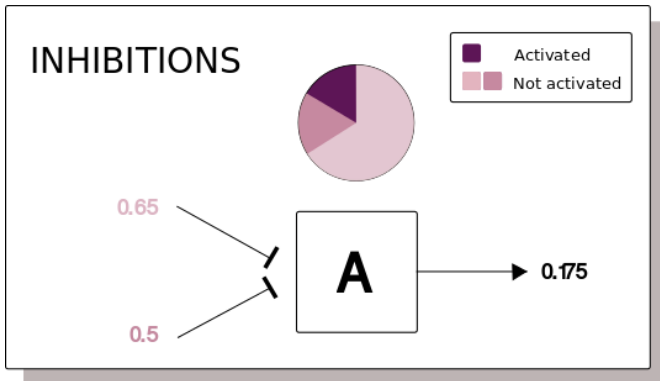
I: Inhibition edges



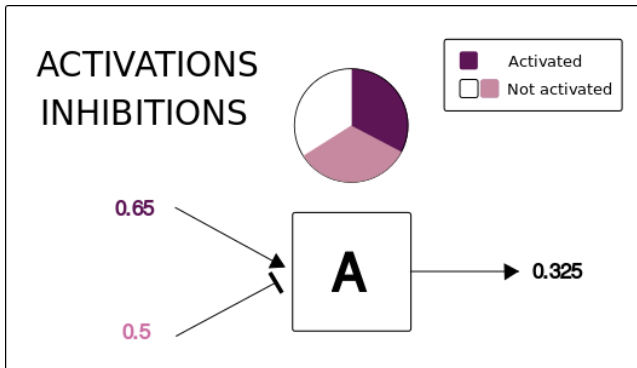
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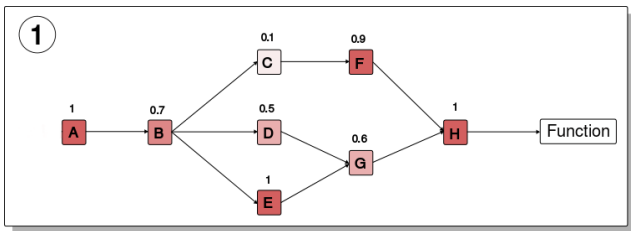
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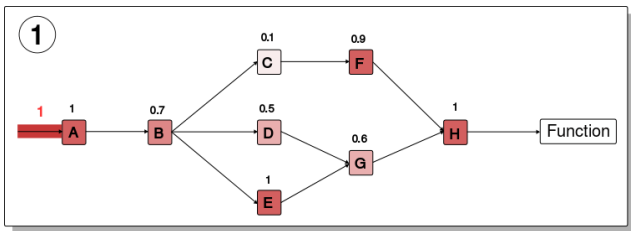
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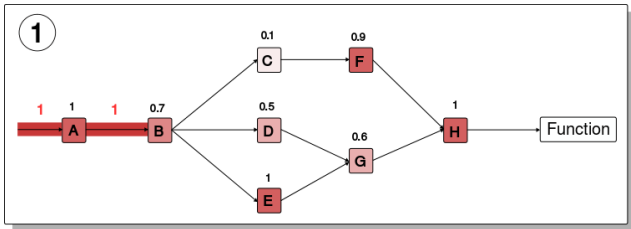
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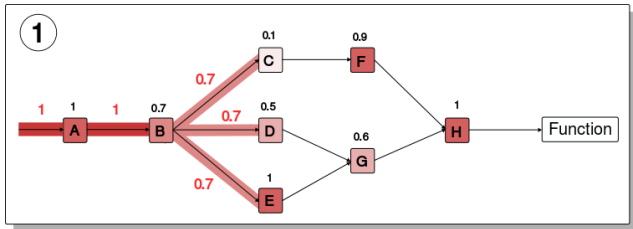
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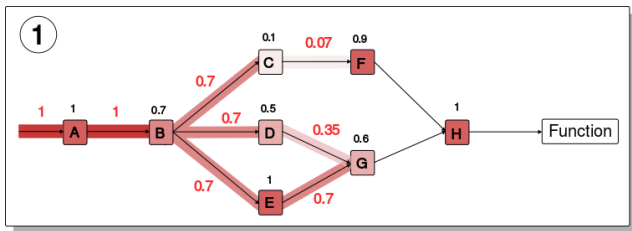
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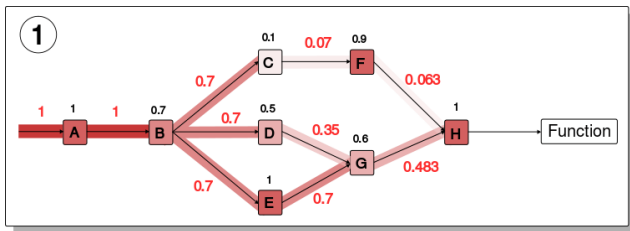
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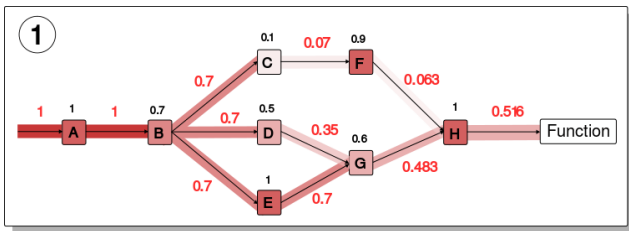
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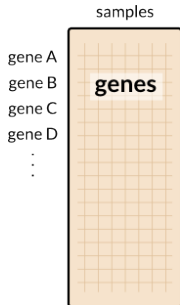
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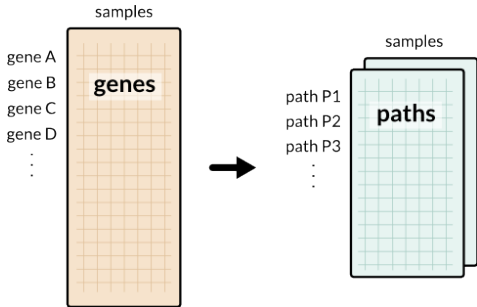
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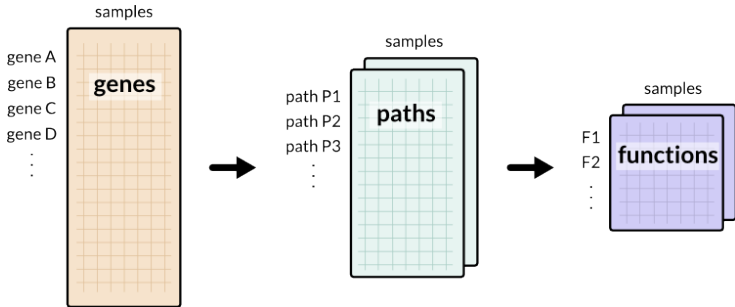
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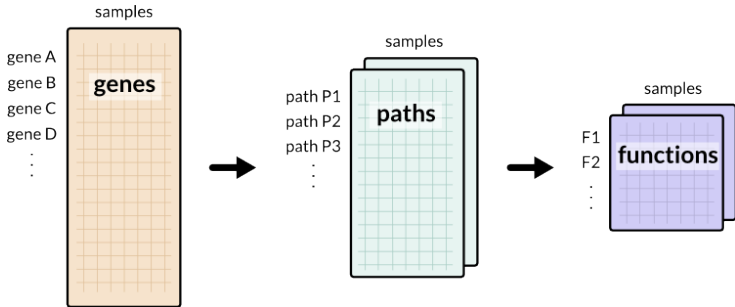
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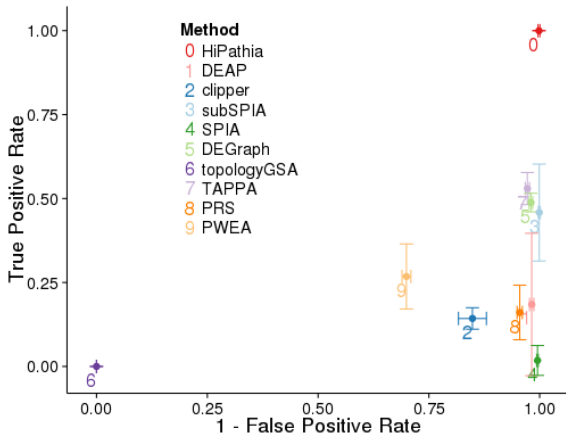


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# Method comparison



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# HiPathia

Web tool

# Logging in

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hiPathia Pathways analysis suite Differential signaling Prediction Login Sign up

## hiPathia

HIGH THROUGHPUT **PATHWAY**  
INFERENCE ANALYSIS

1 Start

2 3

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# Upload data

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# Workflow

2 hiPathia Pathways analysis suite

3 Differential signaling Prediction

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Browse My Data

gsa2016ciberer

Name	Size	Date
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Search by name...

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The interface is divided into several sections:

- Function level analysis:** Contains checkboxes for "Gene ontology" and "UniProt keywords".
- Pathways:** A list of biological pathways with checkboxes, including "Focal adhesion", "Adherens junction", "Tight Junction", "Gap Junction", "Platelet activation", "Toll-like receptor signaling pathway", "NOD-like receptor signaling pathway", "RIG-I like receptor signaling pathway", "Natural killer cell mediated cytotoxicity", "T cell receptor signaling pathway", "B cell receptor signaling pathway", "Fc epsilon RI signaling pathway", "Fc gamma R-mediated phagocytosis", and "Leukocyte transendothelial migration".
- Job information:** Includes a "Output folder:" section with a "File browser" button and a note: "You can create folders using the button  inside file browser:". Below this are fields for "Job name:" (containing "Differential signaling.job") and "Description:".
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Numbered callouts (4, 5, 6, 7, 8) highlight specific elements: 4 points to the "Function level analysis" section; 5 points to the "Launch Job" button; 6 points to the "My jobs" tab; 7 points to the "My data" tab; and 8 points to the "Differential signaling example" job entry in the job list.

# Tools

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- Compare signal activity between two conditions
- Correlate path value with a continuous variable

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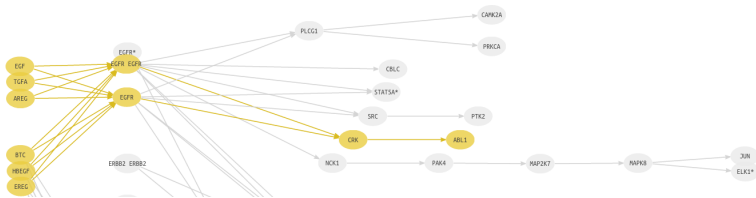
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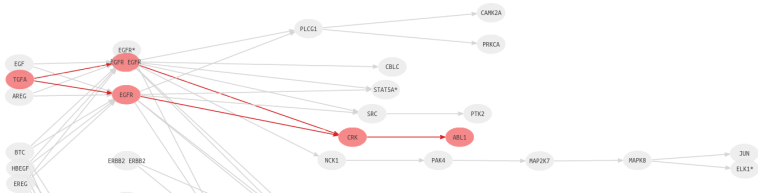
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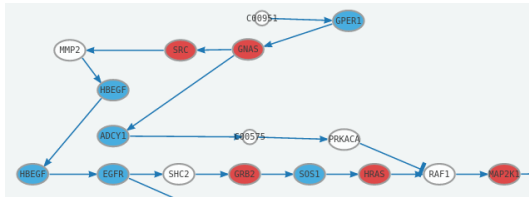
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## ② Function level analysis

Perform analysis with the following functional annotations:

- Gene ontology
- Uniprot keywords



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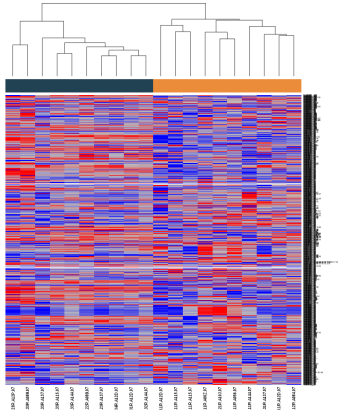
Results

# Heatmap

Graphical representation of data where values in a matrix are represented as colors

Path values

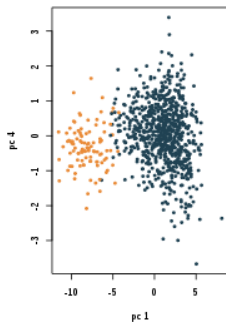
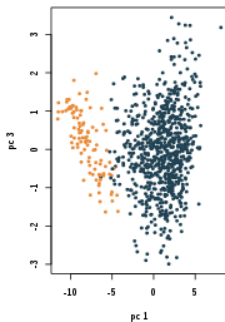
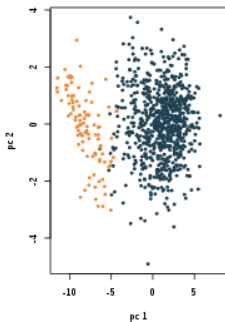
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# Principal Components Analysis (PCA)

Statistical procedure to convert a set of observations into a set of values of linearly uncorrelated variables

 PCA 



# Results table

- Table of results for the comparison.
- Ordered by the FDR p-value.

Path significance 

circuit/term	UP/DOWN	statistic	p.value	FDRp.value
ErbB signaling pathway: STAT5A	DOWN	-16.076	0.000	0.000
Adrenergic signaling in cardiomyocytes: SCN1B	DOWN	-15.987	0.000	0.000
Thyroid hormone signaling pathway: RCAN1	DOWN	-15.966	0.000	0.000
cGMP-PKG signaling pathway: PDE2A	DOWN	-15.909	0.000	0.000
cGMP-PKG signaling pathway: C00144	DOWN	-15.786	0.000	0.000
AMPK signaling pathway: LEPR	DOWN	-15.761	0.000	0.000
Hippo signaling pathway: FGF1	DOWN	-15.728	0.000	0.000
Adherens junction: SMAD4 SMAD2	DOWN	-15.727	0.000	0.000
Adipocytokine signaling pathway: PTPN11	DOWN	-15.727	0.000	0.000
p53 signaling pathway: CDK1 CCNB3	UP	15.693	0.000	0.000

# Viewer

hiPathia Pathways analysis suite

Differential signaling Prediction

My data My genes g:K01176:cbcrn1 F:Protein I:cygn

## Pathways

Shape

Color

Stroke color

Nodes

- Gene
- Metabolite

Edges

- Inhibition
- Activation

Down-regulated path

Up-regulated path

Not differentially regulated path

Ras signaling pathway (hsa04014)

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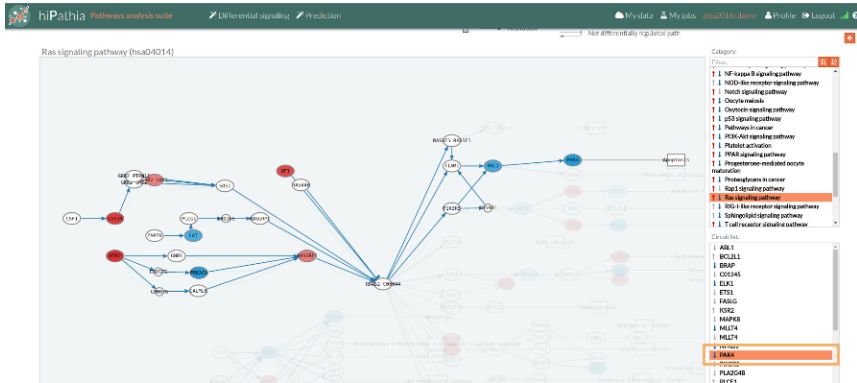
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- 1 | Ras signaling pathway
- 1 | RAS-like receptor signaling pathway
- 1 | Notch signaling pathway
- 1 | Oncogene network
- 1 | Oncostatin signaling pathway
- 1 | JAK-STAT signaling pathway
- 1 | Pathways overview
- 1 | PI3K-Akt signaling pathway
- 1 | Platelet activation
- 1 | PPAR signaling pathway
- 1 | Prostaglandin-mediated cyclooxygenase regulation
- 1 | Proteoglycans in cancer
- 1 | Rho1 signaling pathway
- 1 | Ras signaling pathway
- 1 | RIG-I-like receptor signaling pathway
- 1 | Sphingosin1-IP3 signaling pathway
- 1 | Tyrosine receptor signaling pathway

Categories:

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- 1 | BCL2L1
- 1 | EGFR
- 1 | ERK1
- 1 | ERK2
- 1 | FAK3
- 1 | HSP2
- 1 | MAPK8

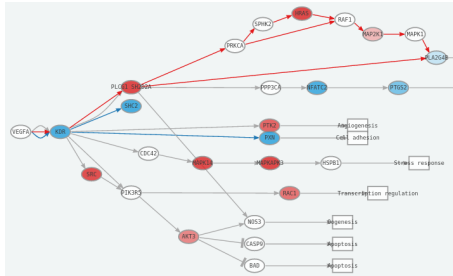
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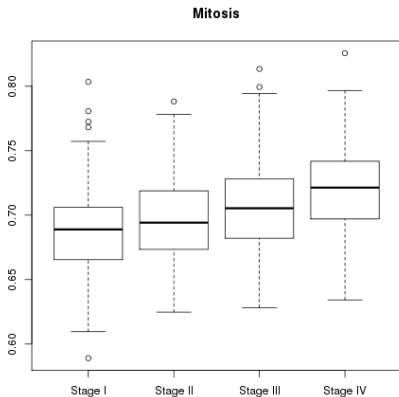
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Further analysis

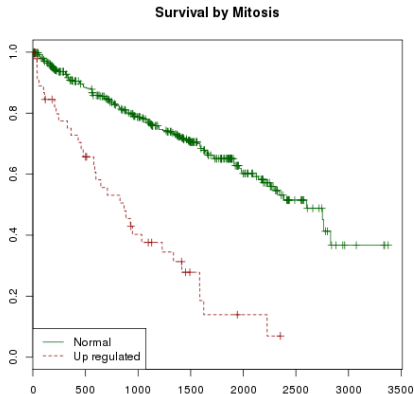
# Disease progression analysis

Search for features which increase with the progression of the disease



# Survival analysis

Analysis of time duration until one or more events happen



# Neuroblastoma

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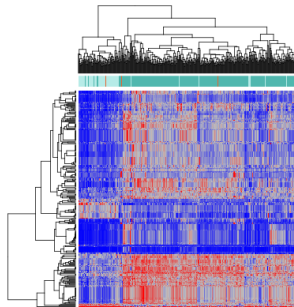
- Tumor derivado de células primitivas del sistema nervioso simpático
- Poca supervivencia para pacientes de alto riesgo
  - Estadio de la enfermedad
  - Edad del paciente
  - Amplificación de MYCN

# Comparación MYCN - No MYCN

Comparación de expresión entre individuos con y sin amplificación de MYCN

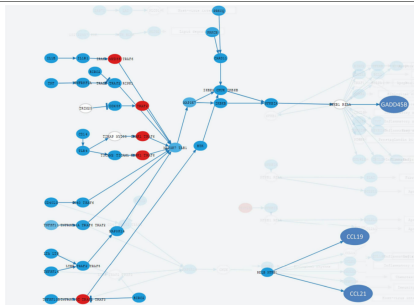
Pacientes con MYCN:

- inhibición de apoptosis a través de la ruta JNK [Fey, Sci Signal 2015]
- problemas de reparación de ADN



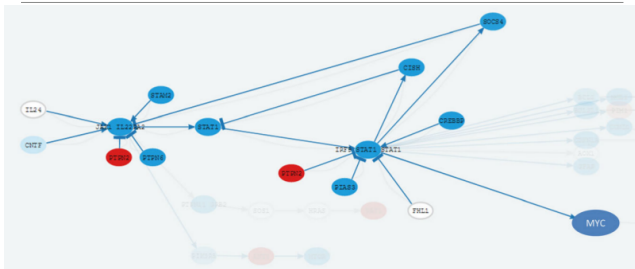
# Inhibición ruta JNK

Circuit (Pathway and effector protein)	Status	FDR p-value	GO ID	GO Definition
Ras signaling pathway: MAPK8	DOWN	4.31E-29	GO:0007254	JNK cascade
Fc epsilon RI signaling pathway: MAPK8	DOWN	1.23E-15	GO:0007254	JNK cascade
cAMP signaling pathway: MAPK8	DOWN	4.72E-08	GO:0007254	JNK cascade
Apoptosis: GADD45G	DOWN	1.07E-29	GO:0046330	positive regulation of JNK cascade
MAPK signaling pathway: MAP 4 K2	DOWN	1.68E-24	GO:0046330	positive regulation of JNK cascade
NF-kappa B signaling pathway: CCL19	DOWN	2.36E-22	GO:0046330	positive regulation of JNK cascade
NF-kappa B signaling pathway: GADD45B	DOWN	3.83E-21	GO:0046330	positive regulation of JNK cascade
NF-kappa B signaling pathway: CCL21	DOWN	8.43E-16	GO:0046330	positive regulation of JNK cascade
p53 signaling pathway: GADD45G	UP	1.70E-07	GO:0046330	positive regulation of JNK cascade



# Reparación de ADN

Circuit (Pathway and effector protein)	Status	FDR p-value	GO ID	GO Definition
Jak-STAT signaling pathway: MYC	DOWN	1.94E-32	GO:2001022	positive regulation of response to DNA damage stimulus
MAPK signaling pathway: MYC	DOWN	1.39E-26	GO:2001022	positive regulation of response to DNA damage stimulus
ErbB signaling pathway: MYC	DOWN	7.15E-24	GO:2001022	positive regulation of response to DNA damage stimulus
Wnt signaling pathway: MYC	DOWN	7.78E-22	GO:2001022	positive regulation of response to DNA damage stimulus
Hippo signaling pathway: MYC	DOWN	7.12E-13	GO:2001022	positive regulation of response to DNA damage stimulus
Jak-STAT signaling pathway: MYC	DOWN	1.94E-32	GO:0006338	chromatin remodeling
MAPK signaling pathway: MYC	DOWN	1.39E-26	GO:0006338	chromatin remodeling
ErbB signaling pathway: MYC	DOWN	7.15E-24	GO:0006338	chromatin remodeling
Wnt signaling pathway: MYC	DOWN	7.78E-22	GO:0006338	chromatin remodeling
Hippo signaling pathway: MYC	DOWN	7.12E-13	GO:0006338	chromatin remodeling



# Supervivencia

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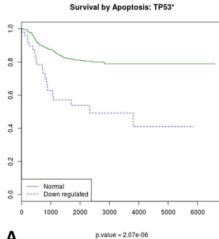
## Supervivencia en pacientes de NB

- 10% más UP contra resto
- 10% más DOWN contra el resto
  
- Kaplan-Meyer plots
- $X^2$  test

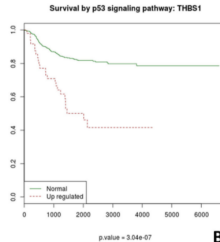


# Supervivencia

Inhibición  
apoptosis

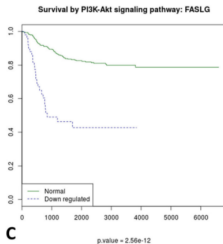


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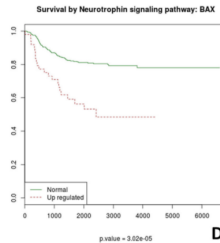


**B**

Angiogénesis



**C**



**D**

Metástasis

Evasión  
sistema  
inmune

# Hipathia

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HIGH THROUGHPUT PATHWAY  
INFERENCE ANALYSIS

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- Paquete Bioconductor Hipathia
- Contacta con nosotros! [ubb@cipf.es](mailto:ubb@cipf.es)

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# Exercises

# HiPathia exercises

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## Exercise 1

Do the [Differential signaling worked example](#)

## Exercise 2

Do the Prediction worked example

- 1 Train a predictor following [these steps](#)
- 2 Test a new dataset following [these steps](#)

## Exercises 3,4,...

Do the [Differential signaling exercises](#)