

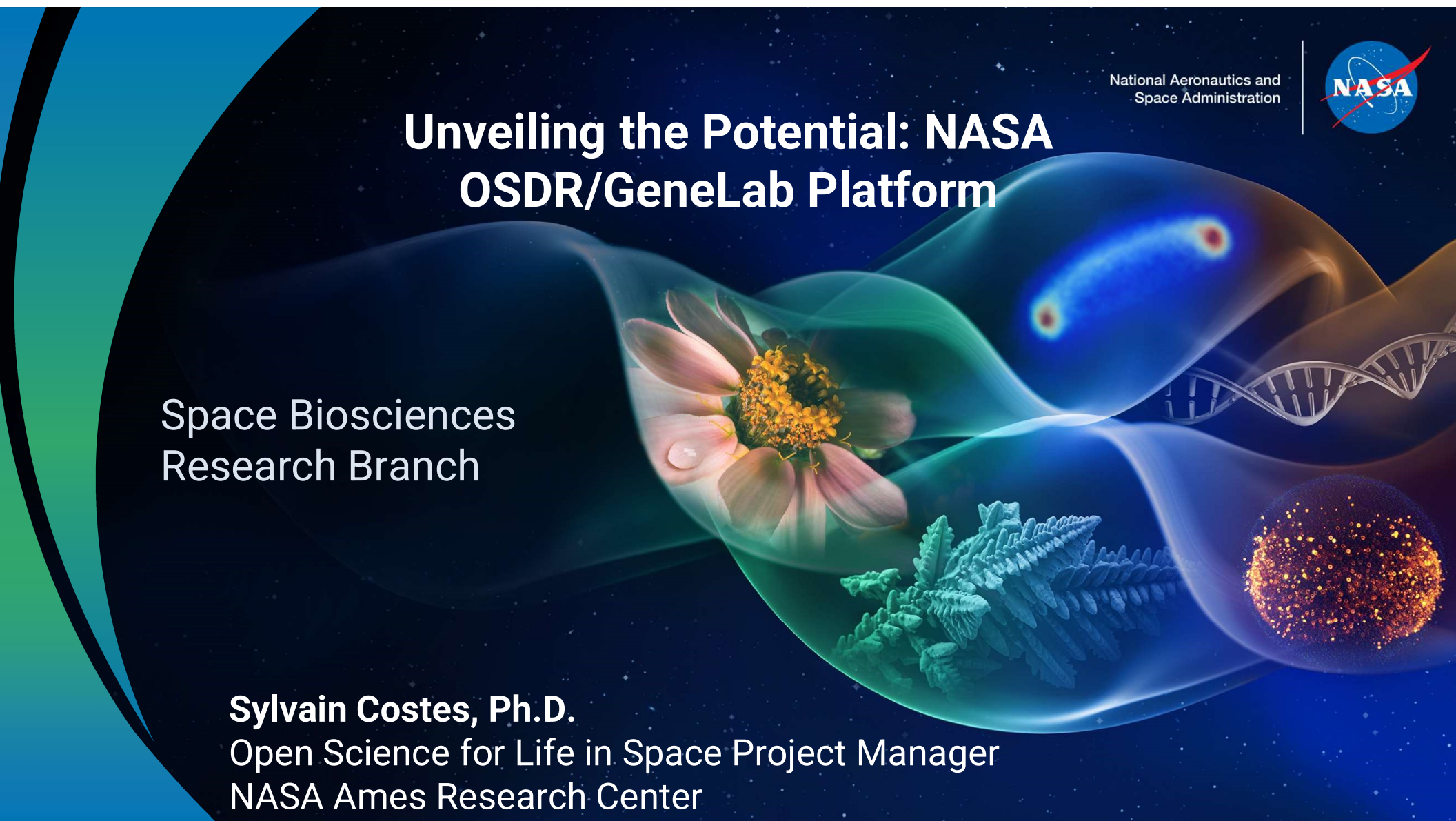
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Unveiling the Potential: NASA OSDR/GeneLab Platform

Space Biosciences
Research Branch

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OSDR Collaborates with ESA SciSpace

- ESA will host a 5-day virtual (Sept. 23-27) ESA Space Omics Hackathon to tackle space exploration challenges using NASA GeneLab omics datasets.
- GeneLab Scientist will serve as a judge and mentor to winning team.
- **Prizes:**
 - First-place prize will be an exciting opportunity – an online internship with NASA GeneLab!
 - The first, second and third place winners will have an opportunity to present at *NASA-GeneLab Multi-omics Working Group online*.

More info: <https://scispace.esa.int/event/esa-space-omics-hackathon/>

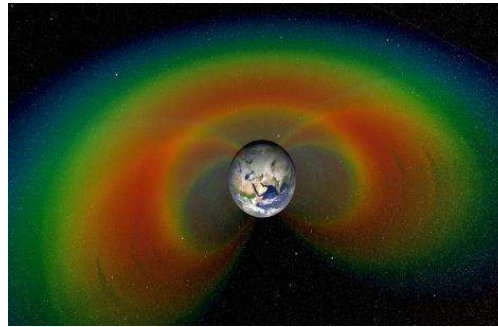


Biologically Relevant Environmental Factors Encountered in Spaceflight

Microgravity/Reduced Gravity



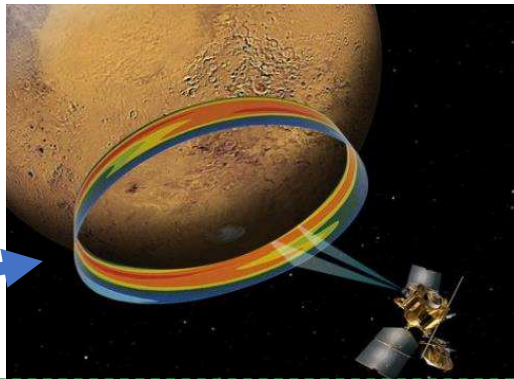
Ionizing Radiation



Altered Day/Night Cycles:
Circadian Rhythm Changes



Altered Temperature
and Atmosphere



Isolation





- Elevated CO₂
- Reduced atmospheric pressure and elevated volumetric fraction of oxygen

COMBINATION OF MULTIPLE STRESSORS

Thriving in Deep Space (TIDES)

Biological effects of multiple **deep-space stressors**

1. Radiation 
2. Gravity 
3. Temperature & Atmosphere
4. Day & Night Light Cycles
5. Isolation
6. Regolith/dust

Transformative biological science and exploration applications

1. Animal biology

Vertebrate and invertebrate models to probe analogous changes in humans



2. Plant Biology

From plant models to crops to sustain life for long-term human habitation

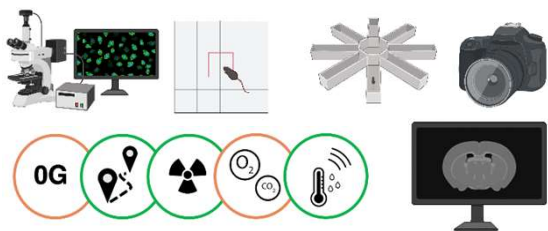
3. Microbiology

How it influences animals and plants in space



NASA's Open Science Data Repository

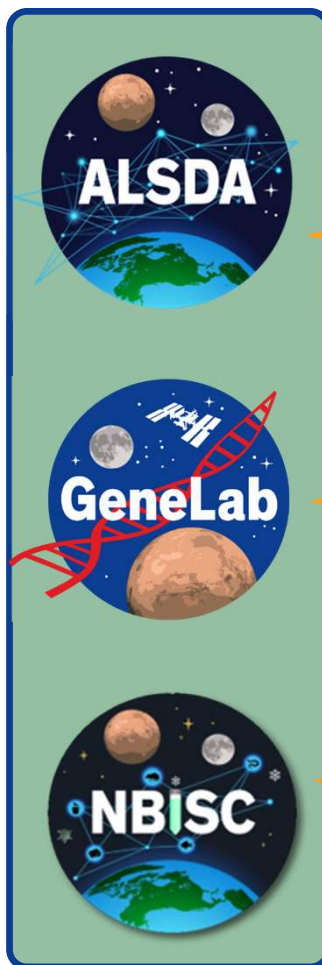
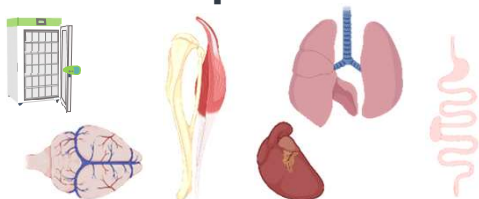
Physiological/Phenotypic/Imaging/
Environmental Telemetry Data



Molecular/Omics Data



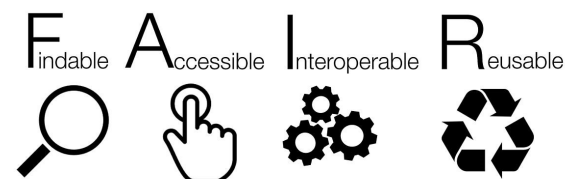
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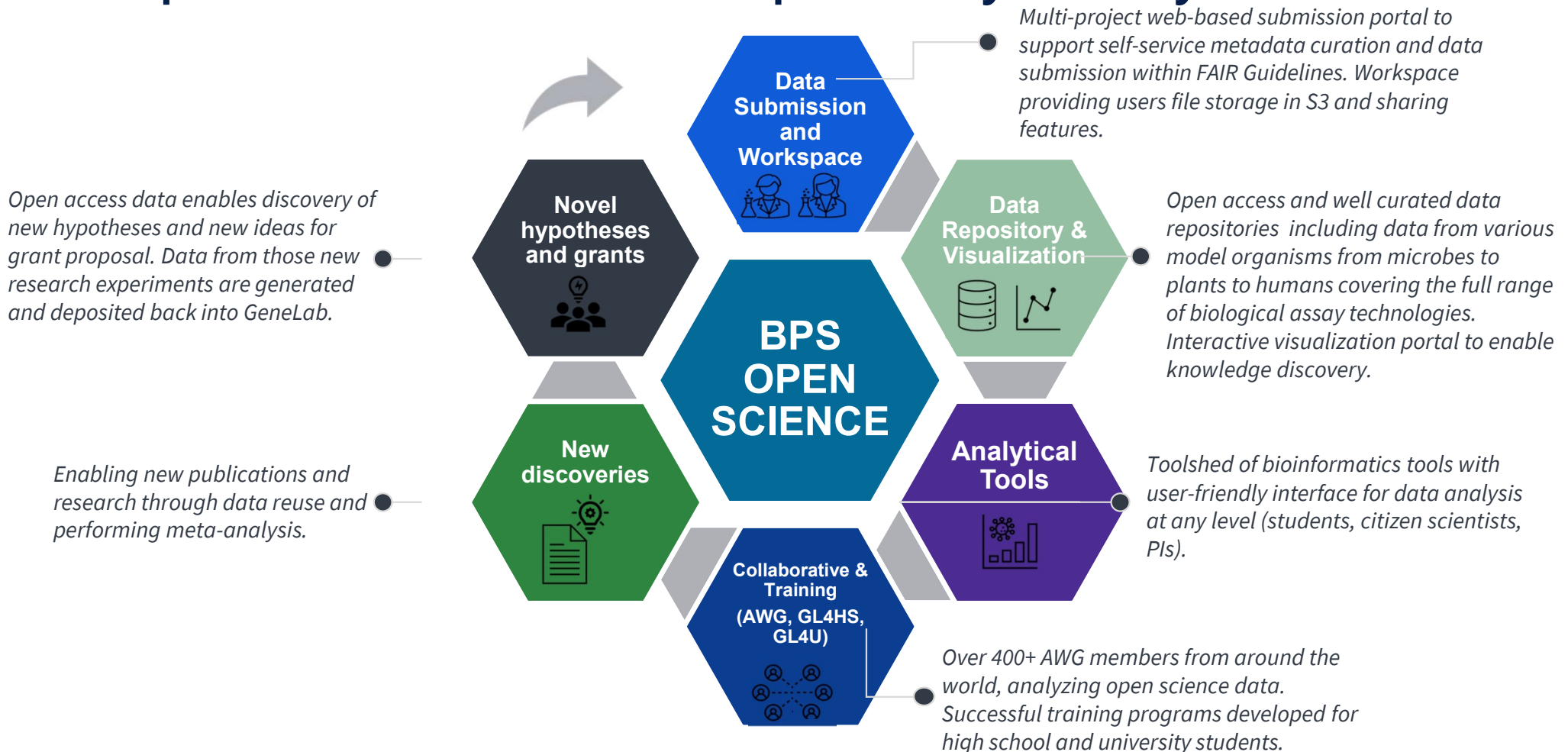
NASA Open Science
Data Repository (OSDR)

osdr.nasa.gov/bio

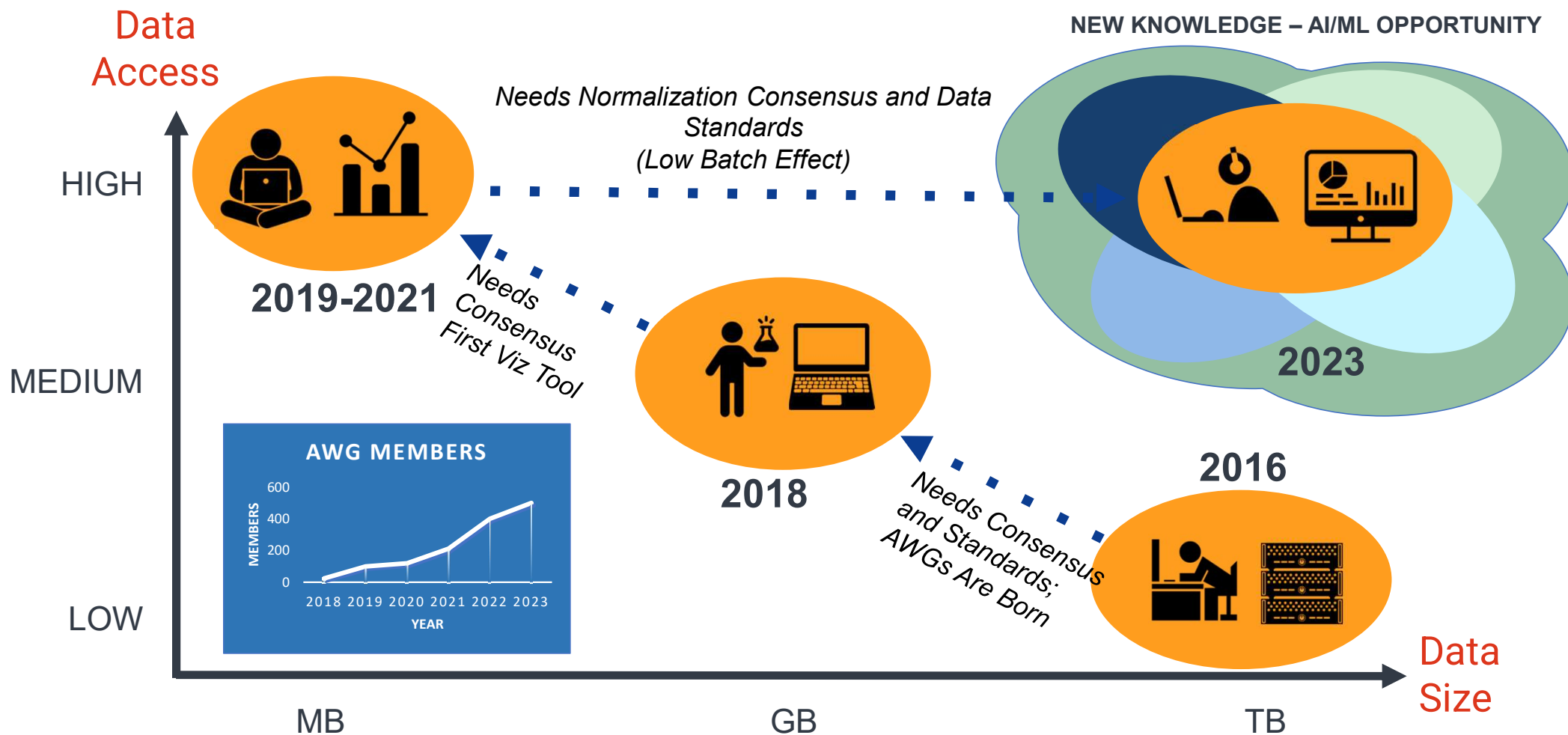
- Single Submission Portal (BDME)
- User Interface/Website Tool for RDSAs (Research Data Submission Agreements)
- Workspace
- Maximally Open Access with Necessary Controls for Sensitive Data
- Data Maximally FAIR



Open Science Data Repository ecosystem



A Brief History of the Open Science AWGs



Open Science Analysis Working Groups

ANIMAL

104 members



Facilitates the use of omics in understanding basic mechanisms by which animals and constituent tissues and cells adapt to the spaceflight environment.

MULTI-OMICS

307 members



Interactions between the different omics to provide complete understanding of the entire system being studied.

MICROBES

98 members



Focuses on analyzing microbial datasets within GeneLab that includes gene-expression, proteomic, metabolomic and environmental metagenomic datasets.

PLANTS

88 members



Share and discuss the latest developments in Astrobotany – the discipline of botany concerned with interactions between plant biology and space environment.

AI/ML

96 members



Focuses on developing data AI-readiness guidelines, algorithm and automation development, and developing ethical guidelines to increase trust and explainability surrounding AI in space biology.

ALSDA

138 members



Feedback on science data and metadata standards for physiological, phenotypic, and behavioral datasets to be reusable. Datasets span from raw to processed-results data, and across tabular, bioimaging, and video formats.

Consist of **500+ scientists** from multiple space agencies, international institutions, and industry. Scientists meet monthly with each group to provide feedback, develop standards, and analyze data.
We invite you to join - <https://genelab.nasa.gov/awg/join/>!

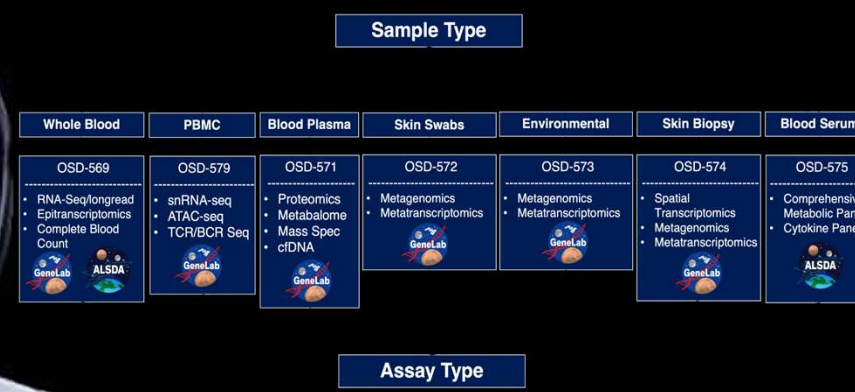
Engaging with commercial entities: 14 Human Data into OSDR

INSPIRATION

a SpaceX Inspiration4 Spaceflight Omic and Medical Data Release

Data Location: Omic Data (Public (OSDR/GenLab), Controlled Access (OSDR/GenLab, TrialX)), Clinical/Biomarker (Public (OSDR/ALSDA))

Samples	Assays	Raw Data	Pre-Flight			Flight			Post Flight			Recovery	Descriptive Profile	Comparative Profile Differentials	Processed Data
			L-92	L-44	L-3	FD1	FD2	FD3	R+1	R+45	R+82				
Whole Blood	Whole Genome Sequencing	●	●	●	●						●				●
	Clonal Hematopoiesis	●	●	●							●				●
	Complete Blood Count (CBC)	●	●	●							●				●
	Direct RNA-seq	●	●	●							●				●
Serum	Cytokine/Chemokine Biomarker Panel	●	●	●							●				●
	Cardiovascular Biomarker Panel	●	●	●							●				●
	Comprehensive Metabolic Panel	●	●	●							●				●
PBMCs	Single-Nuclei RNA-seq	●	●	●							●				●
	Single-Nuclei ATAC-seq	●	●	●							●				●
	Single-Cell TCR-seq	●	●	●							●				●
Plasma	Single-Cell BCR-seq	●	●	●							●				●
	Proteomics	●	●	●							●				●
EVPs	Metabolomics	●	●	●							●				●
	cDNA	●	●	●							●				●
Dried Blood Spot	Proteomics	●	●	●							●				●
	Telomere qPCR	●	●	●							●				●
Microbiome Swabs	Metagenome	●	●	●							●				●
	Metatranscriptome	●	●	●							●				●
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	Metatranscriptome	●	●	●							●				●
Biopsy	Spatially Resolved Transcriptomics	●	●	●							●				●
	Metagenome	●	●	●							●				●
Biopsy	Metagenome	●	●	●							●				●
	Metatranscriptome	●	●	●							●				●



OSDR able to ingest and properly curate all data for reuse

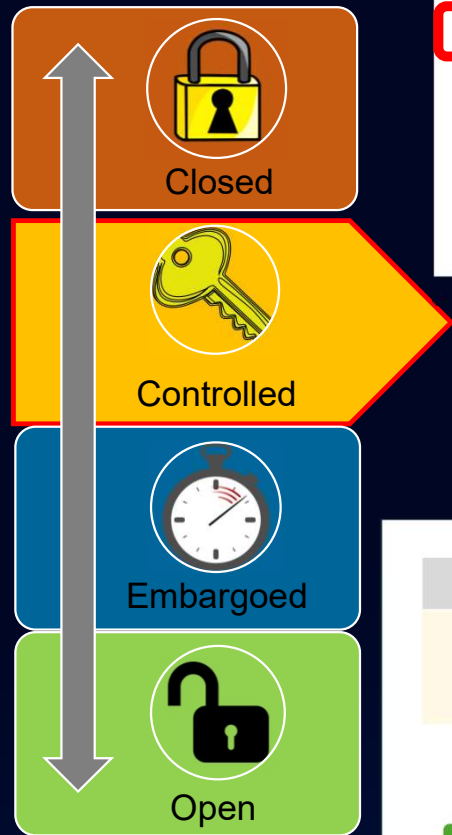
- Credit: Chris Mason's Lab; Overbey et al., 2023
- In Peer Review at *Nature*

Request Process inspired by NIH's Database of Genotypes and Phenotypes (dbGaP)



Controlled Access Data

The Continuum



Files

Request Access to Restricted Files

Study Metadata Files

OSD-571_metadata_OSD-571-ISA.zip

RNA-Seq

Raw sequence data

GLDS-563_rna-seq_cfRNA_I4_C004_R+45_rep2_R2_raw.fastq.gz

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GeneLab Processed RNA-Seq Files

Merged Sequence Data

MultiQC Reports

GLDS-563_rna_seq_raw_multiqc_GLbulkrnaseq_report.zip

Data Access Info Available On DAR Portal

Data Access Requests

DAR-63: Study: OSD-571 | Version 1 | State: **Approved** | Expiration: 1/30/2025

RNA-Seq

Raw sequence data

Files

Study Files

Download

Search Files

OSD-571

Study Metadata Files

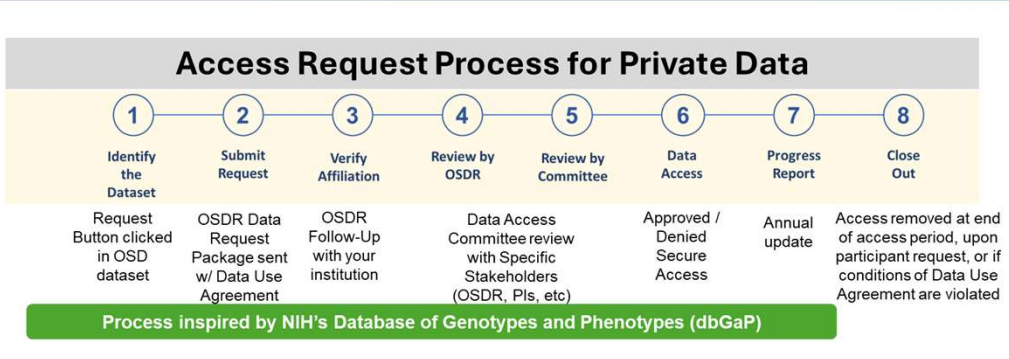
RNA-Seq

Raw sequence data

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If Approved



Enhancing Search and Data Submission



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Search Datasets

Organisms	Factors	Assay Types	Release Date	Description	
Study OSD-664	Mus musculus	Spaceflight	protein quantification	02-Nov-2023	We examined (GSK3) content in muscle samples from four separate missions (BIO-01, BION-1, BION-2, and BION-3).
Study OSD-662	Mus musculus	Spaceflight Space Mission Genotype Treatment	protein quantification Muscle Contraction Molecular Cellular Imaging	02-Nov-2023	We examined (GSK3) content in muscle samples from four separate missions (BIO-01, BION-1, BION-2, and BION-3).
Study OSD-500	Staphylococcus aureus	Spaceflight	protein expression profiling	27-Oct-2023	Staphylococcus aureus colonizes the nares of approximately 30% of humans, a risk factor for opportunistic infections. Because of the potential threat of S. aureus to astronaut health, the effect of sp...
Study OSD-661	Mus musculus	Hindlimb Unloading Genotype	Bone Microstructure	25-Oct-2023	We examined the effects of ~30 days of spaceflight on glycogen synthase kinase 3 (GSK3) content and inhibitory serine phosphorylation in murine muscle and bone samples from four separate missions (BIO-01, BION-1, BION-2, and BION-3).

Open Science Data Repository Search

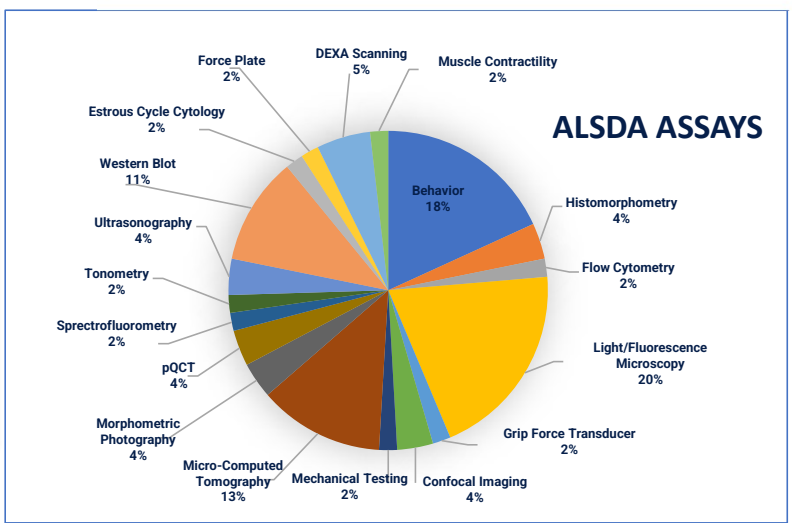
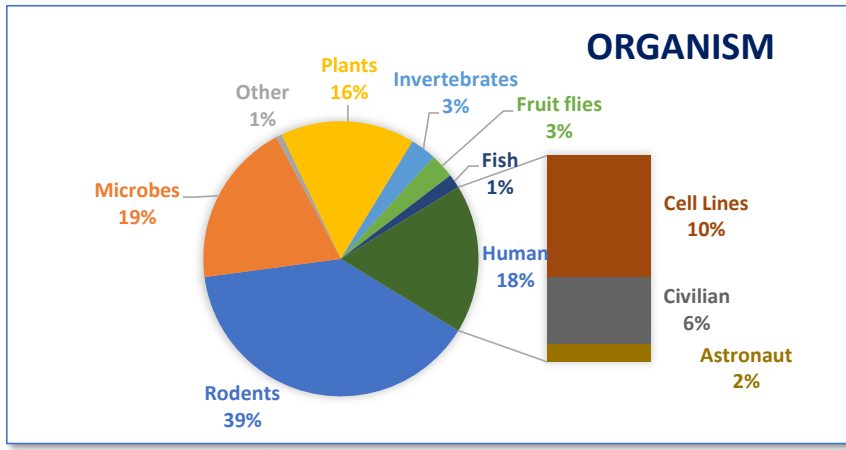
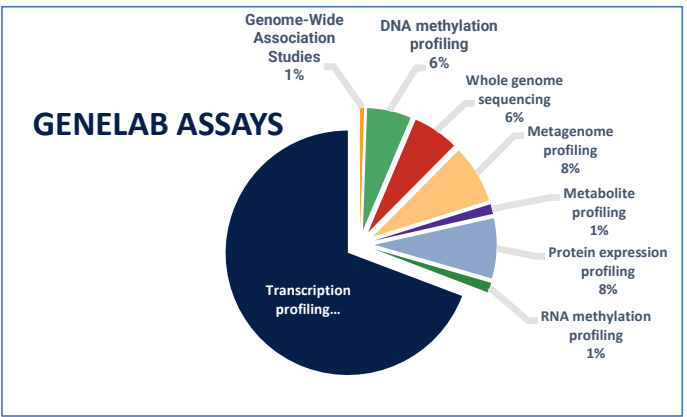
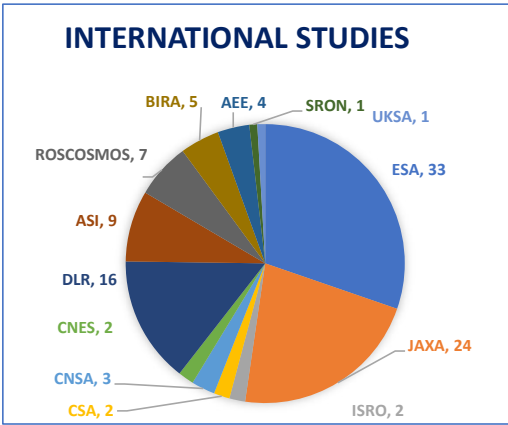
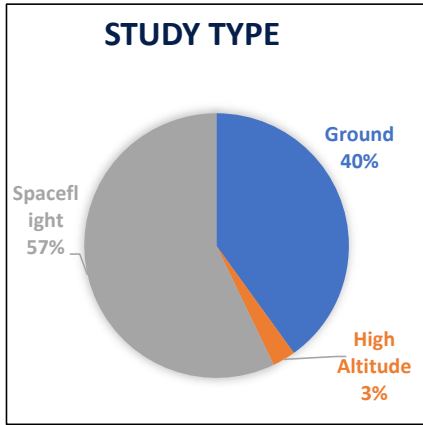
Select Measurement

- Amplicon Sequencing ← Omics Assay
- Behavior
- Bone biomechanical measurement
- Bone Microstructure
- Calcium Uptake
- Chromatin Accessibility
- clinical chemistry analysis
- Complete Blood Count
- Comprehensive Metabolic Panel
- copy number variation profiling ← Omics Assay

← Phenotypic/Behavioral/Physiology Assays

OSDR Database (GeneLab and ALSDA)

506 Studies
 970 Datasets
 45 Species
 >80 Assays
 >160TB Data



Civilian and Astronaut	Bed Rest, Spaceflight, Mars simulation
Cell Lines	Radiation (Ground), Simulated uG, Spaceflight, Parabolic Flight

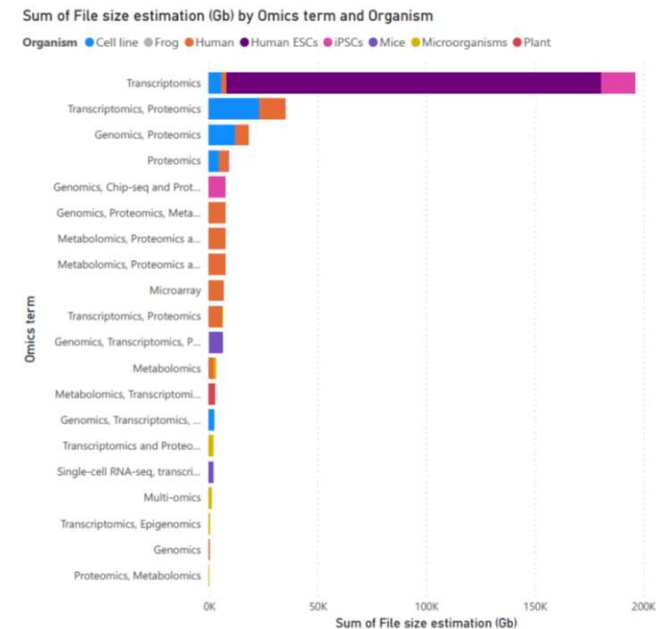
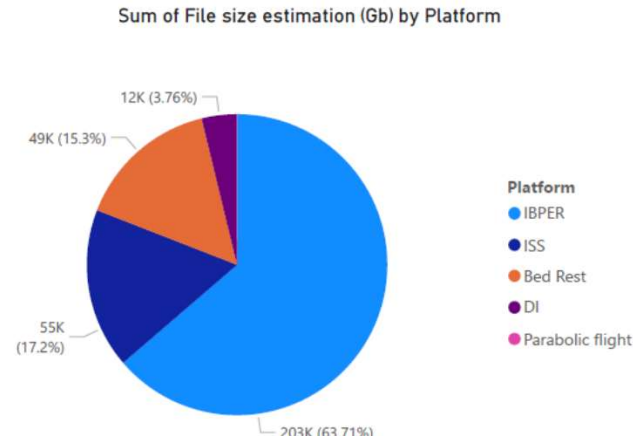
ESA Omics Data

In the next 5 years, ESA estimates to collect 300 TB of omics data.

Majority of the omics projects are transcriptomics across several platforms using various organisms.

To utilize the current infrastructure, ESA SciSpacE team has requested all omics data be submitted and hosted on GeneLab (via OSDR).

Formal agreement for collaboration is currently in progress.



This initiative aims to centralize space omics data for the scientific community, facilitating cross-analysis and interoperability (FAIR), and leading to cost savings by avoiding infrastructure duplication.

GL4U – Enabling the next generation



JPL Preparing for Research in Space Microbiology (PRISM) Workshop Series



2023 JPL PRISM Workshops:

- In-person/virtual 4-day workshop at 4 HBCUs/MSI
 - CalState Northridge – 25 students
 - Alabama A&M – 16 students
 - Howard University – 15 students
 - CalPoly Pomona – 20 students
- *Wetlab (1 day, JPL-led)*: Students extracted & quantified DNA from microbial isolates recovered from spacecraft-assembly clean rooms to be used for sequencing
- *Drylab (2 days, GeneLab-led)*: Students learned basic Unix coding and performed assembly, characterization, and annotation of these newly sequenced isolate genomes

GeneLab for Colleges and Universities (GL4U)

GL4U Direct Approach



MSI/HBCU Students

Direct GL4U – Student Bootcamps:

2021 – Intro & RNAseq Modules

- Virtual 1-week long bootcamp with 17 **SJSU** students
- Collaboration with USRA/SJSU; SJSU compute system
- Space biology- and RNAseq-specific lectures and hands-on instruction using Jupyter Notebooks (JNs)

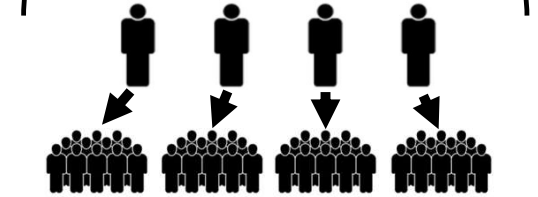
2023 – Intro & Amplicon Seq Modules

- In-person 4-day bootcamp with 24 **CSULA** students
- NSF ACCESS compute resources
- Space biology- and Amplicon Seq-specific lectures/JNs

GL4U Indirect Approach



MSI/HBCU Educators



Indirect GL4U – Educator Bootcamps:

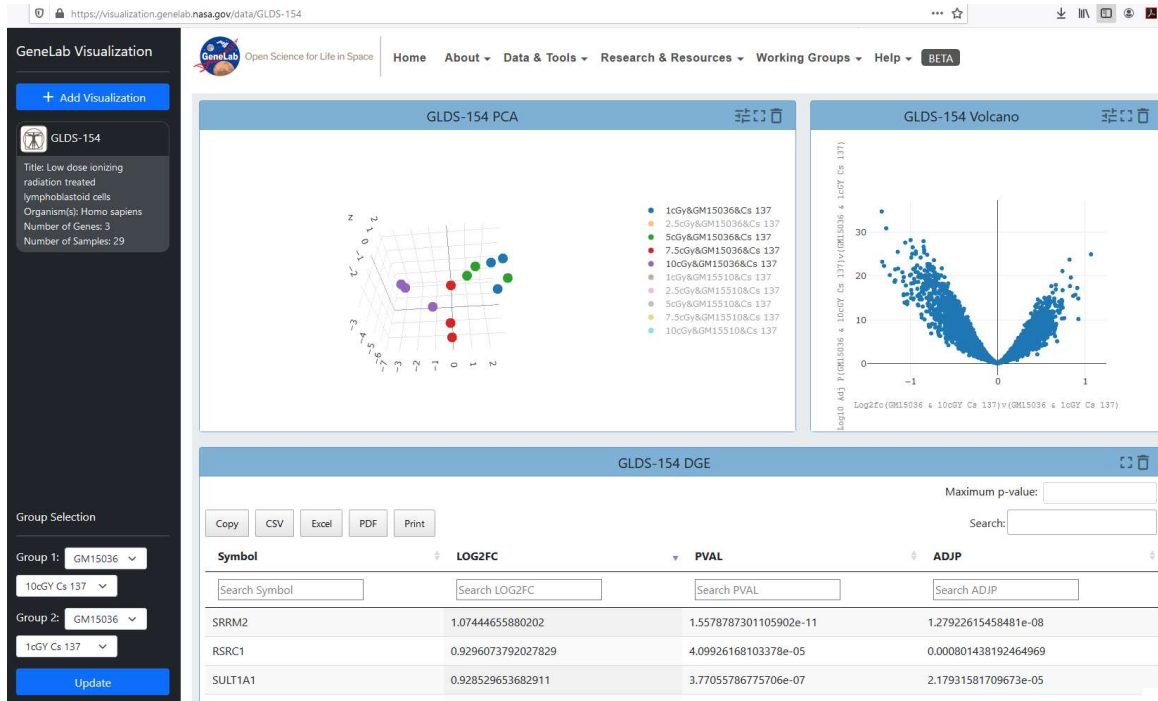
2022 – Intro & RNAseq Modules

- Virtual ~1.5-week long bootcamp
- SMCE compute resources
- 6 professors and 4 graduate students from 4 **HBCUs/MSIs**
- Space biology- and RNAseq-specific lectures and hands-on instruction using JNs
- Resources to teach at home institution
- Dr. Wei-Jen Lin taught content at CalPoly Pomona during their Fall 2022 semester



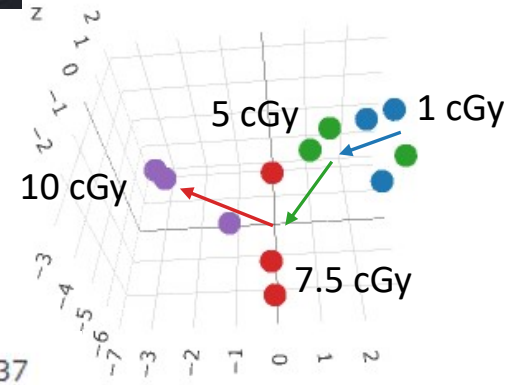
Multi-Study Visualization Platform

Low dose radiation transcriptomic data can be visualized



GLDS-154

Title: Low dose ionizing radiation treated lymphoblastoid cells
Organism(s): Homo sapiens
Number of Genes: 3
Number of Samples: 29



- 1cGy&GM15036&Cs 137
- 2.5cGy&GM15036&Cs 137
- 5cGy&GM15036&Cs 137
- 7.5cGy&GM15036&Cs 137
- 10cGy&GM15036&Cs 137

Wu P, Coleman M, Wyrobek AJ. "Low dose ionizing radiation treated lymphoblastoid cells", GeneLab, Version 3, <http://doi.org/10.26030/hs0p-6w85>

View and select RNA-seq studies

Filter

[Apply filters](#)

Show only studies with processed data

Assay technology type

rna sequencing (rna-seq) 93

dna microarray 66

microarray 1

Organism

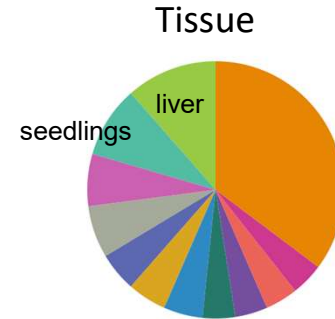
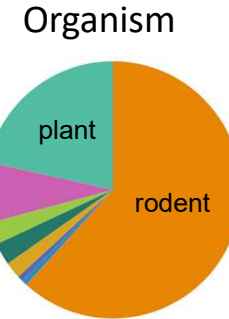
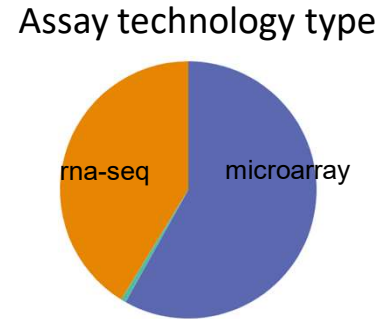
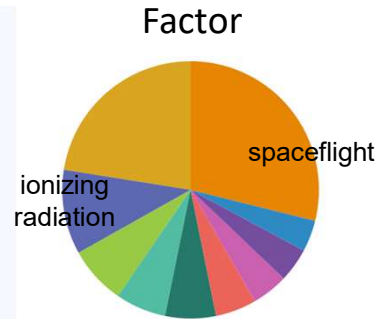
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bacteria 4



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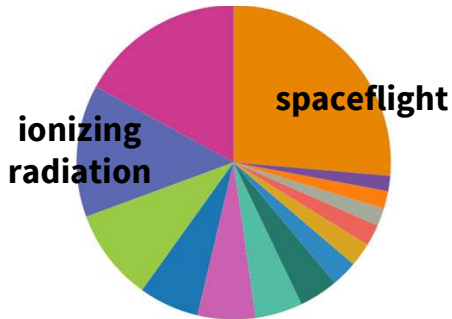
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OSD	Title	Assay	Organism	Tissue	Factor
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<input type="checkbox"/>	OSD-38 Proteomics and Transcriptomics analysis of Arabidopsis Seedlings in Microgravity	RNA Sequencing (RNA-Seq)	Arabidopsis thaliana	Seedling	sample preservation method,sample preservation method.term accession number,spaceflight,spaceflight.term accession number,spaceflight.term source ref,

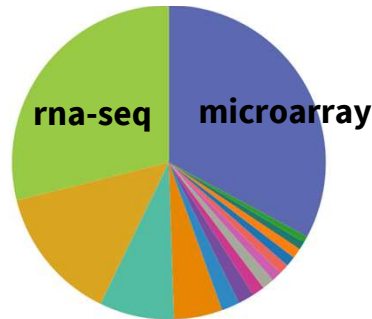
Visualization and Analysis Platform

1. Filter Data

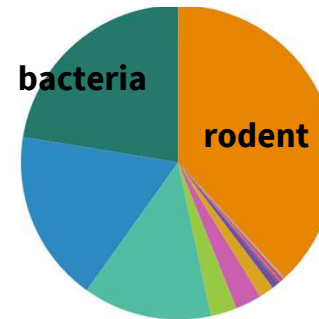
Experimental Factor



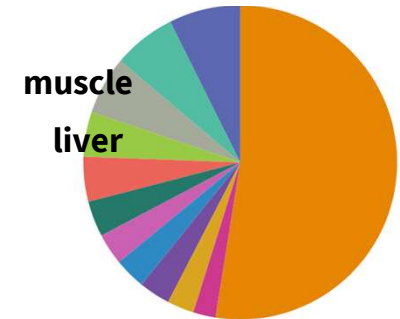
Experimental Assay



Organism



Tissue



2. Select Datasets to Analyze

OSD	Title	Assay	Organism	Tissue	Factor	
<input type="checkbox"/>	OSD-47	Rodent Research-1 (RR1) National Lab Validation Flight: Mouse liver transcriptomic, proteomic, epigenomic and histology data	RNA Sequencing (RNA-Seq)	Mus musculus	Liver	spaceflight,spaceflight.term accession number,spaceflight.term source ref,
<input type="checkbox"/>	OSD-48	Rodent Research-1 (RR1) NASA Validation Flight: Mouse liver transcriptomic, proteomic, epigenomic and histology data	RNA Sequencing (RNA-Seq)	Mus musculus	Liver	dissection condition,spaceflight,spaceflight.term accession number,spaceflight.term source ref,

[Visualize Study](#)

Multi-Study Normalization

- Multiple RNA-seq studies can be *combined* and *normalized*
- DESeq2 “Median of Ratios” normalization
 - Ensures that all samples are directly comparable across experiments

Multiple RNA Sequencing (RNA-Seq) studies selected

You have selected studies with assay technology RNA Sequencing (RNA-Seq). Would you like to normalize?

- Normalize using DESeq2
- No normalization

Multi study PCA

OSD-37&OSD-38&OSD-120&OSD-217

Multi-Study PCA

Counts were normalized using DESeq2

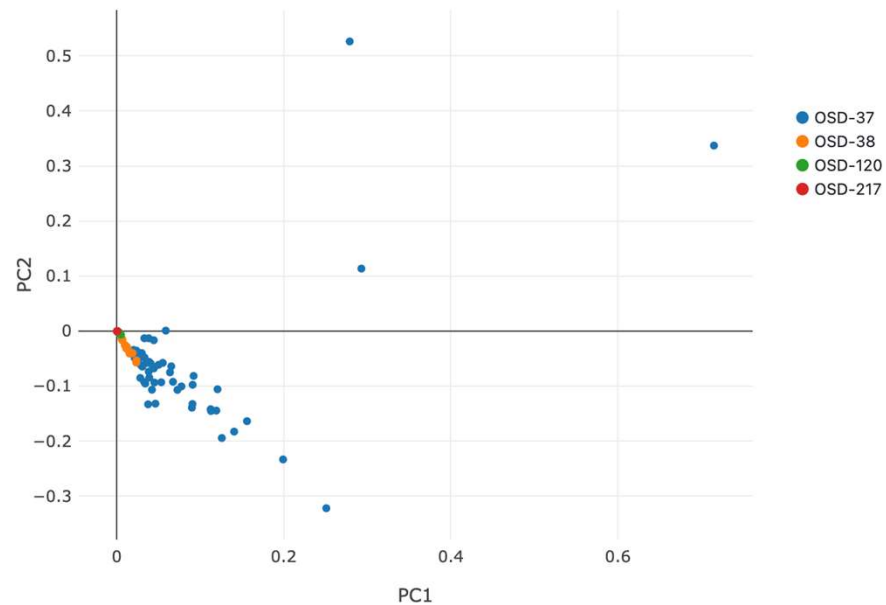
[Change normalization method](#)

Show Unnormalized Counts PCA

Normalized

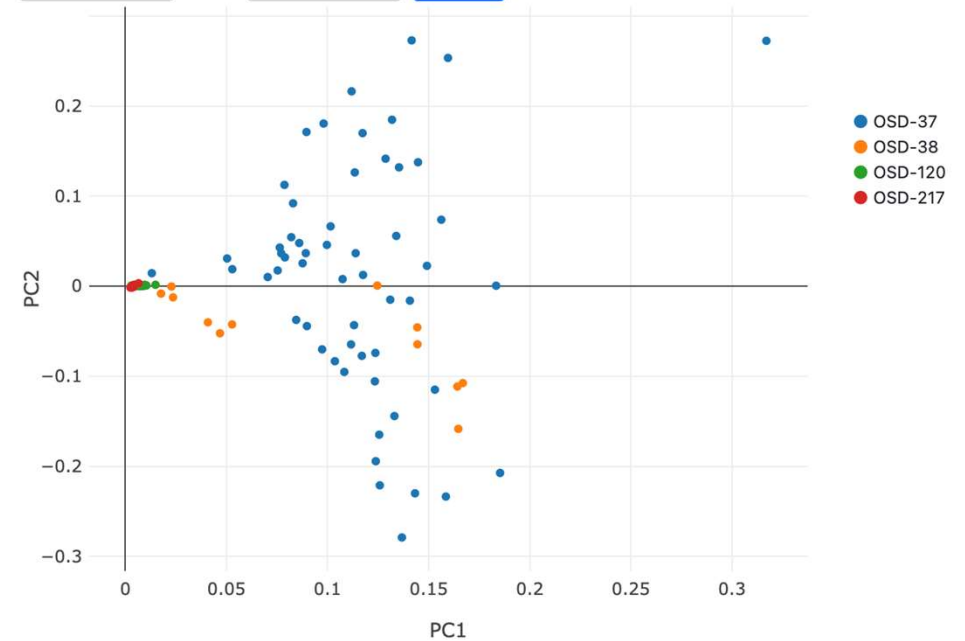
2D 3D X: PC1 Y: PC2 Color: dataset accession
Shape: Size: [Update](#)

To add more options to Color, Shape, and Size, you can add more variables to the Factor table on the right.



Unnormalized

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Size: [Update](#)



Select new factors to visualize

Factor selection

Select variables and click 'Add' to add variables to the factors table. The variables selected will be as used as factors for Differential Gene Expression Analysis. If no variables are added as factors, OSD will be used as a factor.

Adding a variable to the table will automatically add it as a color option on the PCA.

Factors

OSD	ecotype <input type="checkbox"/>	spaceflight <input type="checkbox"/>
OSD-37	Col-0,Cvi-0,Ler-0,Ws-2	Ground Control,Space Flight
OSD-38		Ground Control,Space Flight
OSD-120	Col-0,Col-0 PhyD,Wassilewskija ecotype	Ground Control,Space Flight
OSD-217	Wassilewskija ecotype	Ground Control,Space Flight

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OSD-217	Wassilewskija ecotype	Ground Control,Space Flight

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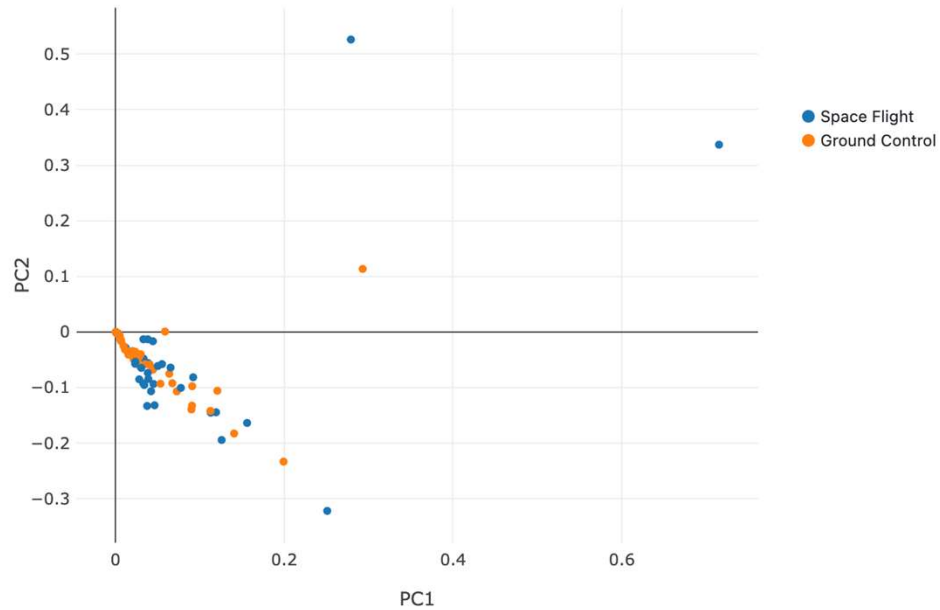
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PCA with new factors

Spaceflight

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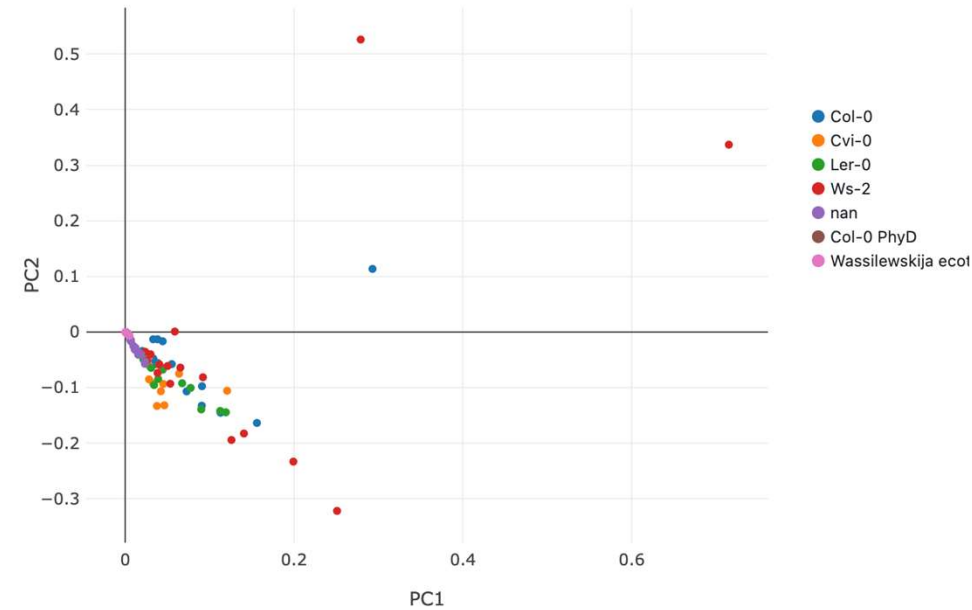
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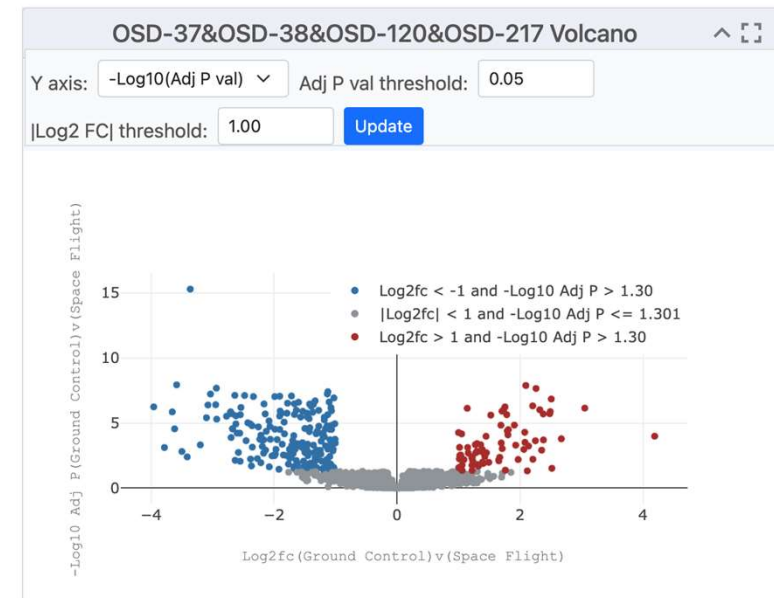
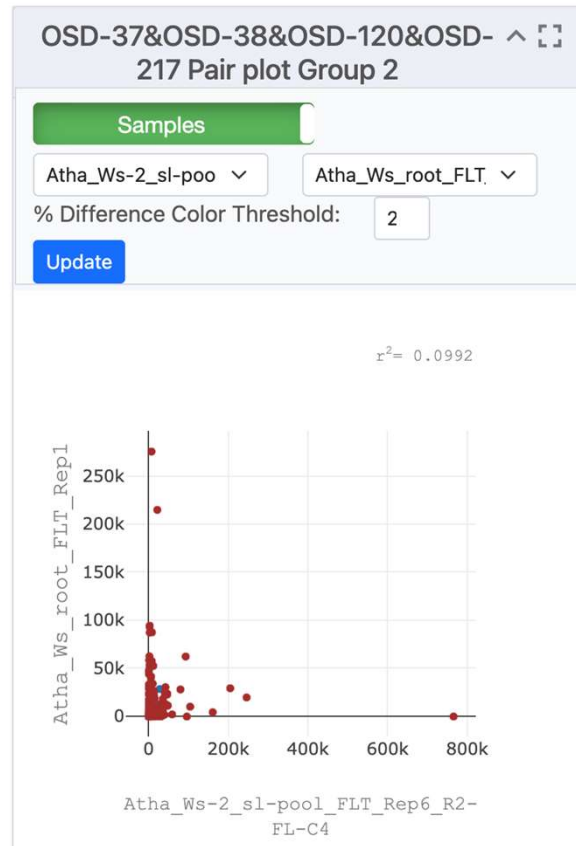
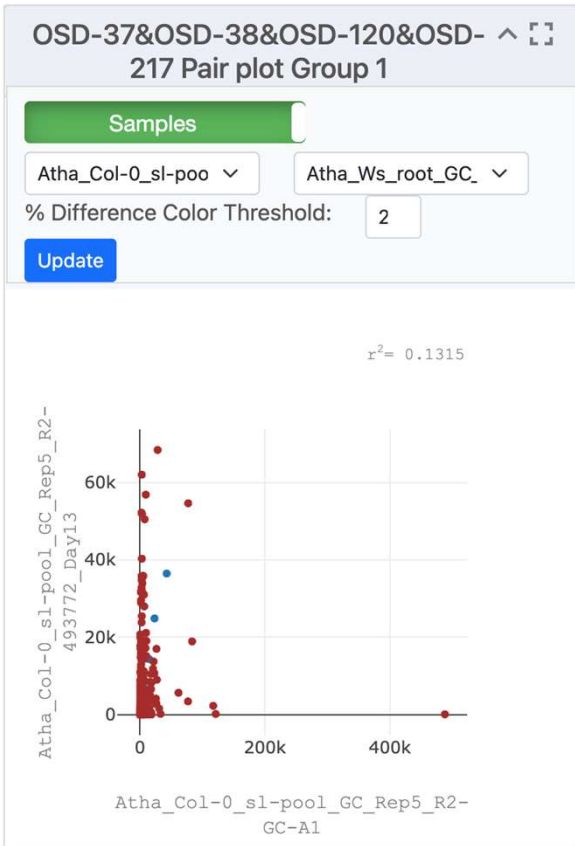
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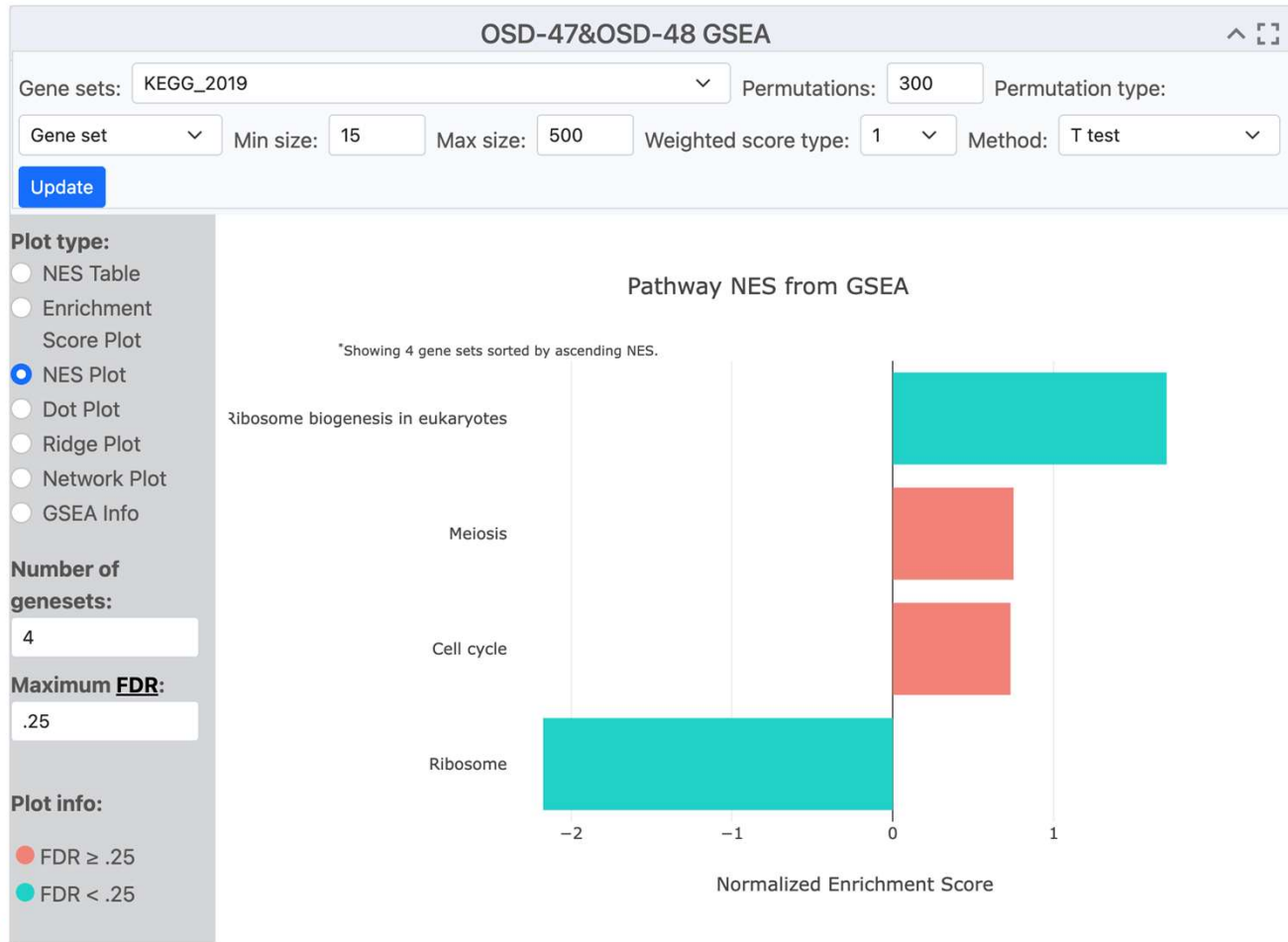
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Pair and volcano plots



Gene Set Enrichment Analysis



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