viSNE & PhenoGraph Step-By-Step

viSNE

PhenoGraph



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Steps for viSNE analysis in Matlab/Cyt3

1. Import fcs data gated on the population you wish to cluster

2. Transform, arcsinh 150

3. **Downsample** (i.e., subsample a portion of total events)

- to reduce computational burden
- to select a small subset of events for a quick first-pass analysis
- to normalize events across comparative analyses

4. Invoke **bh-SNE**

Launch Matlab/Cyt3

- 1. Launch Matlab
- 2. At the >> prompt type "cyt"
- 3. A new window should appear name "SightOf" at the top



Import pre-gated fcs files (live, singlet, gated on population to cluster) into Cyt3 "SightOf"

Use your fcs files or choose the "Exported FCS files" below. Files are located in the same PittBox as this ppt.



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Pre-processing steps for viSNE analysis: Transform



Why transformation value of 150 for fcs files?

- fcs data can have negative numbers due to compensation correction and instrument baseline correction. Algorithms can't handle negative numbers.
- hyperbolic arcsine (arcsinh) transformation is similar to biexponential transformation in FlowJo. See http://docs.flowjo.com/d2/graphs-and-gating/gwtransform-overview/



Bendall 2011 Science 332:687, Fig S2

Pre-processing steps for viSNE analysis: Downsample



2. Select "navigator wheel" icon, and scroll to "Subsample" (or "Subsample Each" if you have multiple samples to simultaneously downsample)

3. In popup window specify the number of events

- 4. Click "OK". Then type a short prefix to be appended to sample name.
- 5. The new subsampled files you created should appear in the list

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Invoke bh-SNE

1. Select the (transformed, downsampled) fcs files to cluster

2. Select fluors to include in clustering

3. Under "lower navigator wheel" select bh-SNE

4. Check original Matlab window (remember, you are currently in Cyt window) for algorithm progress

 \rightarrow Once algorithm has finished, the two new derived parameters will appear in lower pane: bh-SNE1 and bh-SNE2



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6.

View your bh-SNE plot

5. Make sure the files you clustered are still selected.

6. Select the two new derived parameters bh-SNE1 and bh-SNE2

7. Select "Plot"

viSNE: normal vs PsO



- downsample Normal, PsO_stel to 24K/ea
- cluster all markers except for pre-gated channels (CD3, dump)

Marker heatmaps



L1 statistic – difference between marker distributions



Manual gating overlays

Gate on tSNE clusters





Gate on fluors



Summary: Multidimensional profiling of human skin T cells



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PhenoGraph – automated clustering



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UMAP

for MatLab savvy users who don't need a GUI; available in MathWorks as Add On



- PCA preserves largest pairwise difference, loss of local structure
- **tSNE** dimensionality reduction algorithm that preserves local and global structure but NOT cluster distance
- **UMAP** dimensionality reduction algorithm that preserves local and global structure, including cluster distance, https://arxiv.org/abs/1802.03426