



Additional file 5, Supplementary Figure 2. A total of 190 samples comprised of 123 human samples and 67 mouse samples were used for this meta-analysis. Human samples are composed of normal bone marrow samples, MGUS, 4 different stages of multiple myeloma (MM1, MM2, MM3 and MM4), tonsil plasma and tonsil B cells. Mouse samples are composed of 5 different plasmacytomas groups (ABPC, ABLMYC, TEPC, KiPC and IL6PC), 3 B cell lymphoma groups (BLL, BL and IL6 LN) and iMycE μ pre-malignant splenic B cells. The human and mouse data were normalized and standardized separately. The genes for cluster analysis were selected by one-way ANOVA analysis of combined orthologues, and 1488 genes that showed significant differences ($p < 1 \times 10^{-7}$) were used for cluster analysis.