Supplementary Data

Title: Defining developmental potency and cell lineage trajectories by expression profiling of differentiating mouse embryonic stem cells

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Supplementary Data:

Examples of gene expression patterns (Pages 3 - 10 in this document).

Additional Supplementary Data Legends:

Supplementary Table S1: A list of genes and their expression patterns for primitive endoderm lineage. The explanation of legends for each column can be found in the help file of the NIA Array Analysis software (http://lgsun.grc.nia.nih.gov/ANOVA/help.html). In brief, "logChange" is the degree of gene expression change, which is determined as a slope of regression of log-transformed gene expression level for a gene onto the cell coordinates on each cell lineage trajectory; and "logExpression (logExpr)" is simply an average log-transformed gene expression level for a genes are ordered by the product of logChange and logExpr (i.e., logChange x logExpr), because the importance of genes associated with each lineage trajectory depends both on the magnitude of change of their expression levels in the course of differentiation and on the average expression (i.e., highly-expressed genes are more important than lowly-expressed genes).

Supplementary Table S2: A list of genes and their expression patterns for trophoblast lineage. See the legend for Supplemental Information 3.

Supplementary Table S3: A list of genes and their expression levels for primitive ectoderm/neural lineage. See the legend for Supplemental Information 3.

Supplementary Video S1: A movie file (.avi format) is available at

http://lgsun.grc.nia.nih.gov/data/Publications-Supplemental-download.html. This provides a view of 3D-PCA figure from different angles by rotating a Figure 1b. (Tested for Quicktime or Windows Media Player on PC or Macintosh.). A virtual reality modeling language (vrml) file is also available at http://lgsun.grc.nia.nih.gov/data/Publications-Supplemental-download.html. This provides yet another view of 3D PCA figure (Fig. 1b). You can rotate and zoom-in 3D PCA figure. To open this file, you need to download a free viewer/client for vrml file: either Cortona by Parallel Graphics (http://www.parallelgraphics.com/products/cortona/) or Cosmo player by Karmanaut (http://www.parallelgraphics.com/products/cortona/) or Cosmo player by browser (e.g., Internet Explorer) and open the vrml file from the web browser.

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(Page 3) Examples of genes whose expression changes positively correlate with the primitive endoderm trajectory



(Page 4) Examples of genes whose expression changes positively correlate with the trophoblast trajectory



(Page 5) Examples of genes whose expression changes positively correlate with the primitive ectoderm/neural ectoderm trajectory



(Page 6) Examples of other notable genes





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(Page 9) How to search for the expression patterns of a specific gene.

Method 1: Download the Supplemental Information 7, "All DNA microarray data" from the journal web site. Open the file by Microsoft Excel. Use the search function of Excel to search a specific gene name, e.g., Pou5f1. Select a row containing all the gene expression levels in different cell types and use the plot making function of Excel to visualize the data.

Method 2: Use the public website of NIA Array Analysis tool.

Step 1: Open http://lgsun.grc.nia.nih.gov/ANOVA/ by an web browser.

Step 2: Login name: Trajectory Password: Trajectory1 Note the first letter should be uppercase.



Step 3: Choose the file, "Fig3_Reodered_19may08.txt." Click "Analysis."



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Step 4: Type a gene symbol, e.g., "Oct4" or "Pou5f1." Gene aliases should work, but official gene symbols (<u>http://www.informatics.jax.org/</u> or <u>http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/</u>) will work better.



Step 5: Click "Hist" of a correct gene symbol.

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Step 6: You will see the expression profiles in the next window.

