

Supplementary Information

Table S1. GWAS datasets used in the analysis.

Disease	# Cases	# Controls	# SNPs Analyzed ¹	Number of Proteins Used for Each <i>p</i> -Value Threshold ²	GWAS Study	dbGAP Dataset
Multiple Sclerosis	978	883	245 694	2903; 1040; 438; 205; 106; 54; 27; 17; 11; 8	Baranzini <i>et al.</i> , 2009	pha002861
Systemic Lupus Erythematosus	1311	1783	237 603	2640; 857; 340; 180; 116; 90; 73; 62; 51; 48	Hom <i>et al.</i> , 2008	pha002848
Type 1 diabetes	4000	3999	242 898	2170; 582; 264; 189; 163; 140; 134; 129; 126; 120	Barrett <i>et al.</i> , 2009	pha002862
Breast Cancer	1145	1142	225 246	2862; 1015; 386; 150; 75; 31; 15; 9; 6; 2	Hunter <i>et al.</i> , 2007	pha002853
Neuroblastoma	1032	2043	223 442	2878; 1071; 437; 191; 105; 53; 27; 13; 7; 4	Maris <i>et al.</i> , 2008	pha002845
Parkinson's Disease	1713	3978	221 465	2875; 1047; 415; 182; 93; 43; 28; 16; 12; 10	Simon-Sanchez <i>et al.</i> , 2009	pha002868

¹ Only SNPs mapping within RefSeq gene +/- 10 kb were used; ² values are presented for $-\text{Log}_{10}p$ value = 0.5; 1; 1.5; 2; 2.5; 3; 3.5; 4; 4.5; 5.

Table S2. Significantly enriched canonical pathways in the breast cancer LCC.

Term	Count	%	<i>p</i> -Value	Benjamini
P00021: FGF signaling pathway	22	5.5556	7.7353×10^{-7}	6.0334×10^{-5}
hsa04012: ErbB signaling pathway	15	3.7879	5.1188×10^{-6}	9.7253×10^{-5}
hsa04662: B cell receptor signaling pathway	14	3.5354	4.8063×10^{-6}	1.0653×10^{-4}
hsa04660: T cell receptor signaling pathway	17	4.2929	3.2812×10^{-6}	1.0909×10^{-4}
hsa04722: Neurotrophin signaling pathway	18	4.5455	4.7793×10^{-6}	1.2712×10^{-4}
hsa04650: Natural killer cell mediated cytotoxicity	19	4.7980	2.9961×10^{-6}	1.3282×10^{-4}
hsa04010: MAPK signaling pathway	29	7.3232	1.0688×10^{-6}	1.4215×10^{-4}
hsa05200: Pathways in cancer	32	8.0808	2.5837×10^{-6}	1.7180×10^{-4}
hsa05220: Chronic myeloid leukemia	13	3.2828	2.6239×10^{-5}	3.4893×10^{-4}
hsa04810: Regulation of actin cytoskeleton	23	5.8081	2.4952×10^{-5}	3.6867×10^{-4}
hsa05215: Prostate cancer	14	3.5354	3.2983×10^{-5}	3.9873×10^{-4}
hsa05213: Endometrial cancer	11	2.7778	2.4175×10^{-5}	4.0183×10^{-4}
hsa05214: Glioma	11	2.7778	1.3435×10^{-4}	0.0015
hsa05223: Non-small cell lung cancer	10	2.5253	1.9906×10^{-4}	0.0020
hsa05218: Melanoma	11	2.7778	3.6997×10^{-4}	0.0033
hsa05210: Colorectal cancer	12	3.0303	3.6244×10^{-4}	0.0034
hsa04360: Axon guidance	15	3.7879	4.3509×10^{-4}	0.0036
hsa04510: Focal adhesion	19	4.7980	7.3750×10^{-4}	0.0054
hsa04310: Wnt signaling pathway	16	4.0404	7.0625×10^{-4}	0.0055
REACT_9470: Signaling by FGFR	7	1.7677	2.1350×10^{-4}	0.0059
REACT_11061: Signalling by NGF	19	4.7980	3.2601×10^{-4}	0.0060
hsa04062: Chemokine signaling pathway	18	4.5455	8.7483×10^{-4}	0.0061
hsa04630: Jak-STAT signaling pathway	16	4.0404	9.2863×10^{-4}	0.0062
REACT_9417: Signaling by EGFR	9	2.2727	6.3074×10^{-4}	0.0086
REACT_498: Signaling by insulin receptor	9	2.2727	1.6422×10^{-4}	0.0090

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hsa05221: Acute myeloid leukemia	9	2.2727	0.0016	0.0099
hsa04622: RIG-I-like receptor signaling pathway	10	2.5253	0.0016	0.0099
hsa04210: Apoptosis	11	2.7778	0.0019	0.0107
P00047: PDGF signaling pathway	21	5.3030	2.8445×10^{-4}	0.0110
hsa04910: Insulin signaling pathway	14	3.5354	0.0021	0.0117
REACT_16888: Signaling by PDGF	10	2.5253	0.0012	0.0134
hsa04520: Adherens junction	10	2.5253	0.0028	0.0147
hsa04114: Oocyte meiosis	12	3.0303	0.0034	0.0175
P04393: Ras Pathway	13	3.2828	9.9547×10^{-4}	0.0192
P00053: T cell activation	15	3.7879	0.0015	0.0226
P00010: B cell activation	12	3.0303	0.0021	0.0229
P00018: EGF receptor signaling pathway	17	4.2929	9.0451×10^{-4}	0.0233
REACT_578: Apoptosis	14	3.5354	0.0026	0.0237
P00031: Inflammation mediated by chemokine and cytokine signaling pathway	27	6.8182	0.0020	0.0253
hsa05211: Renal cell carcinoma	9	2.2727	0.0054	0.0265
REACT_6900: Signaling in Immune system	23	5.8081	0.0035	0.0273
P00005: Angiogenesis	21	5.3030	0.0038	0.0363
hsa04664: Fc epsilon RI signaling pathway	9	2.2727	0.0104	0.0484

Figure S1. Percentage of direct interactions per gene-wise *p*-value for the six GWAS analyzed. For each $-\text{Log}_{10}$ gene wise *p*-value cutoff in the x-axis the percentage of direct interactions was plotted for proteins encoded by disease-associated genes (red line) and for the mean of 1000 equal sized random samples of proteins (blue line), using the global PPI network (A) and the high-confidence PPI network (B). Dark grey areas represent the range between the 25th and 75th quartiles and light grey areas indicate the range between the minimum and maximum values of the random data. Empirical *p*-values are indicated.

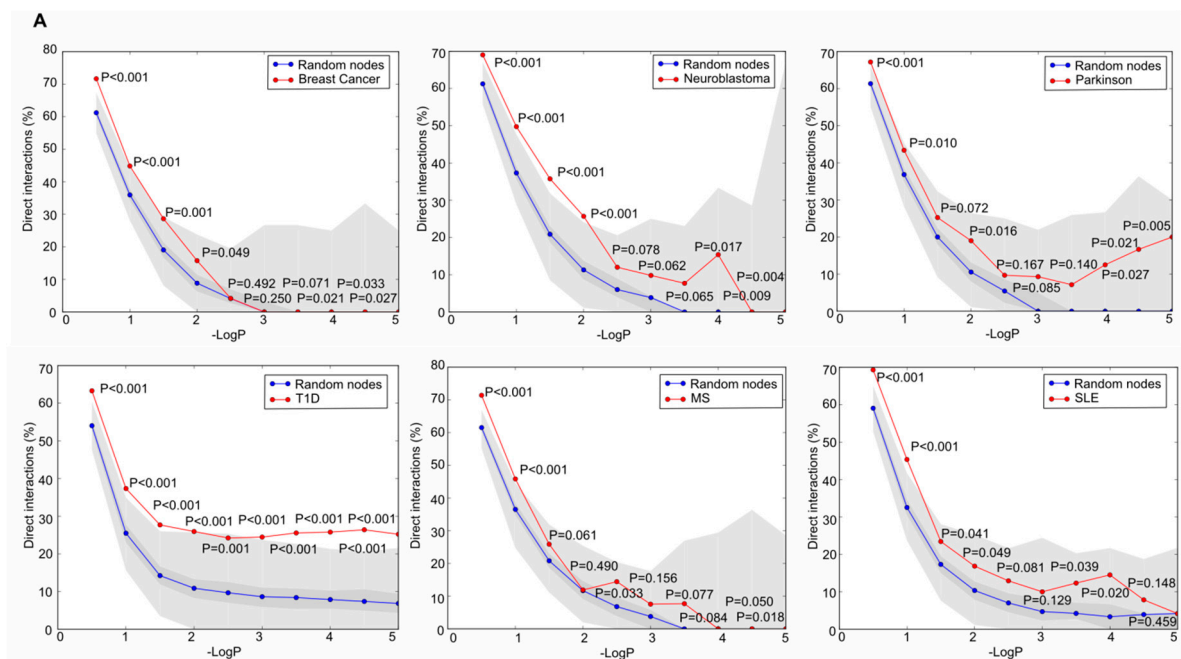


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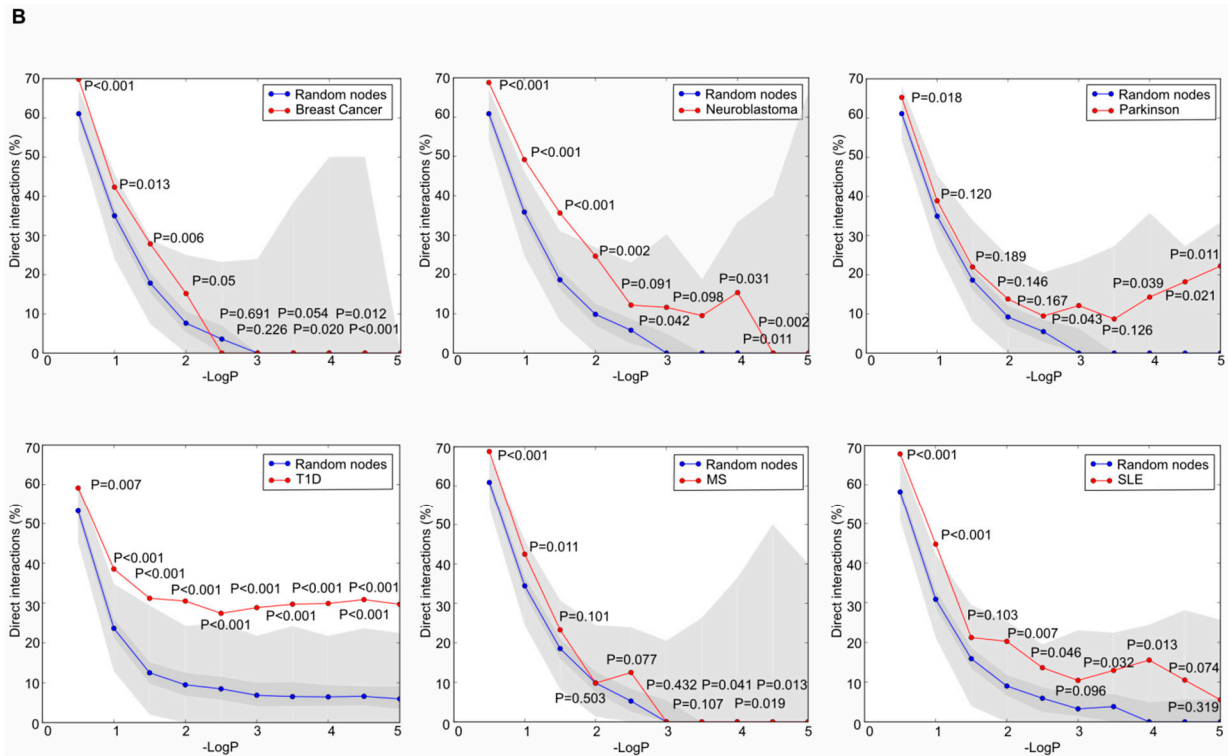


Figure S2. Percentage of isolated nodes per gene-wise p -value for the six GWAS analyzed. For each $-\log_{10}$ gene wise p -value cutoff in the x-axis the percentage of isolated nodes was plotted for proteins encoded by disease-associated genes (red line) and for the mean of 1000 equal sized random samples of proteins (blue line), using the global PPI network (A) and the high-confidence PPI network (B). Dark grey areas represent the range between the 25th and 75th quartiles and light gray areas indicate the range between the minimum and maximum values of the random data. Empirical p -values are indicated.

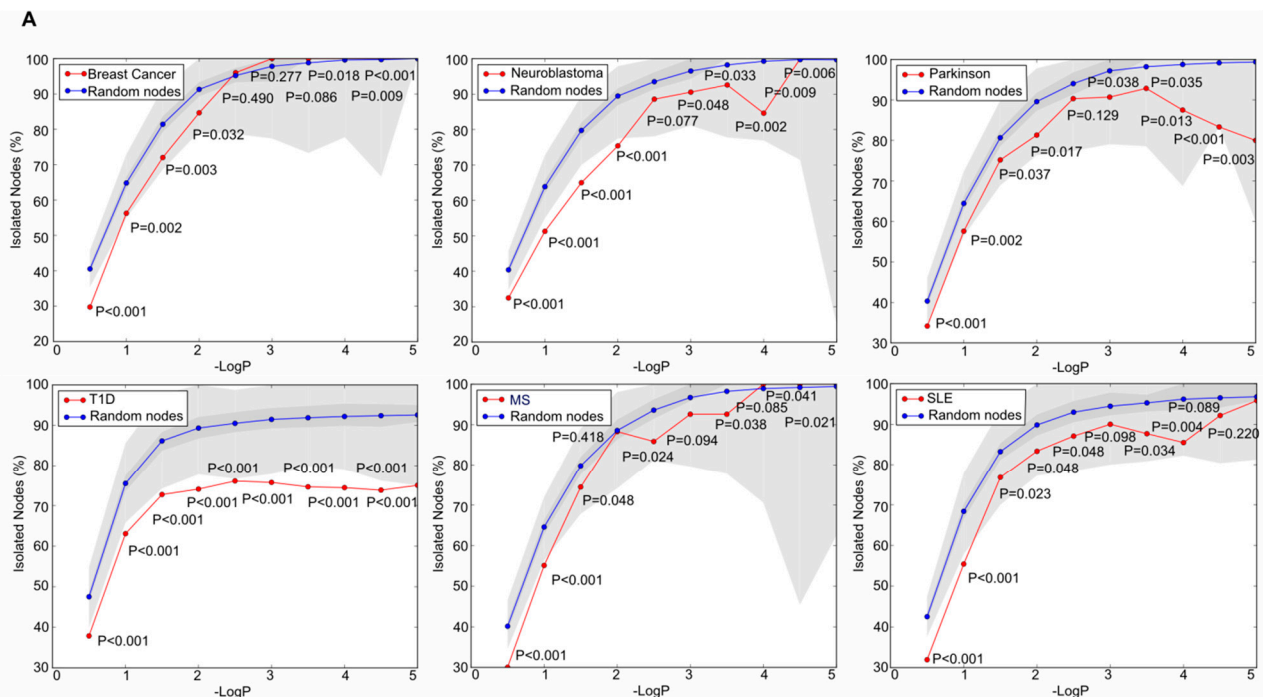


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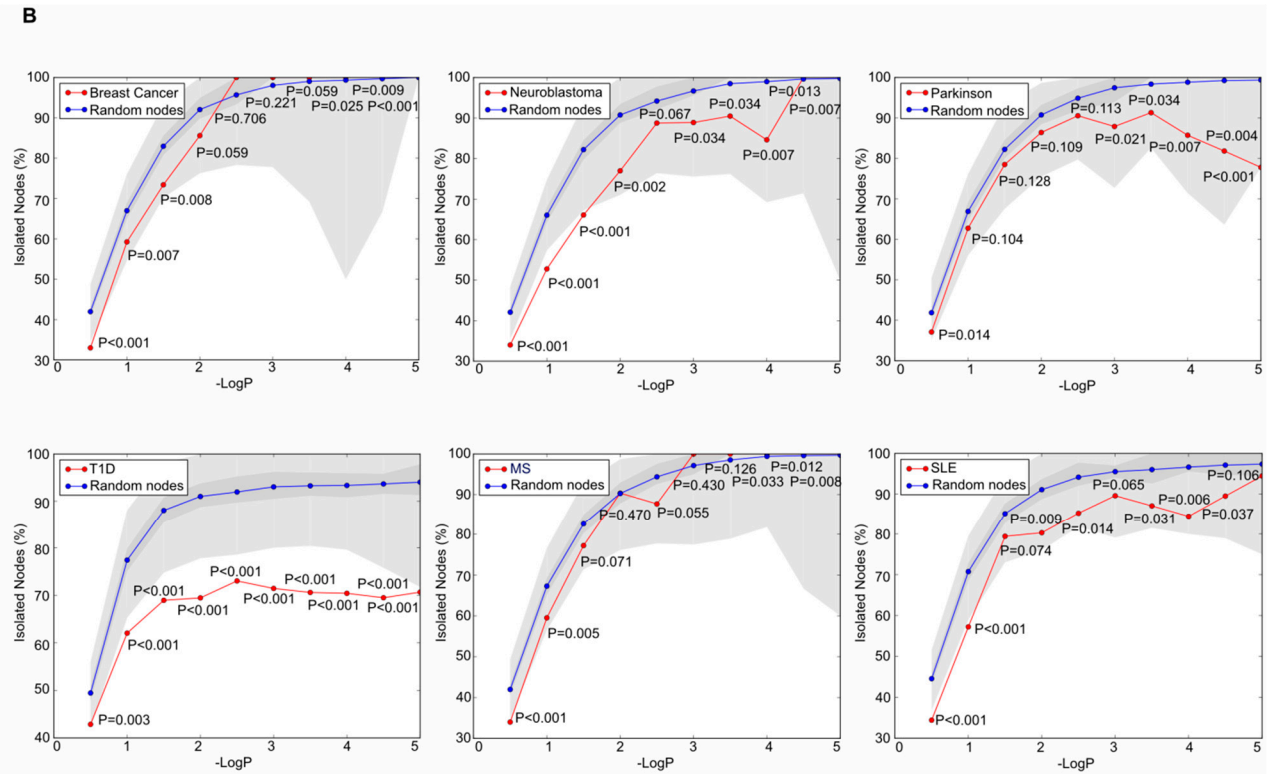


Figure S3. LCC size per gene-wise p -value for the six GWAS analyzed. For each $-\log_{10}$ gene wise p -value cutoff in the x-axis the logarithm of the LCC size was plotted for proteins encoded by disease-associated genes (red line) and for the mean of 1000 equal sized random samples of proteins (blue line), using the global PPI network (A) and the high-confidence PPI network (B). Dark grey areas represent the range between the 25th and 75th quartiles and light gray areas indicate the range between the minimum and maximum values of the random data. Empirical p -values are indicated.

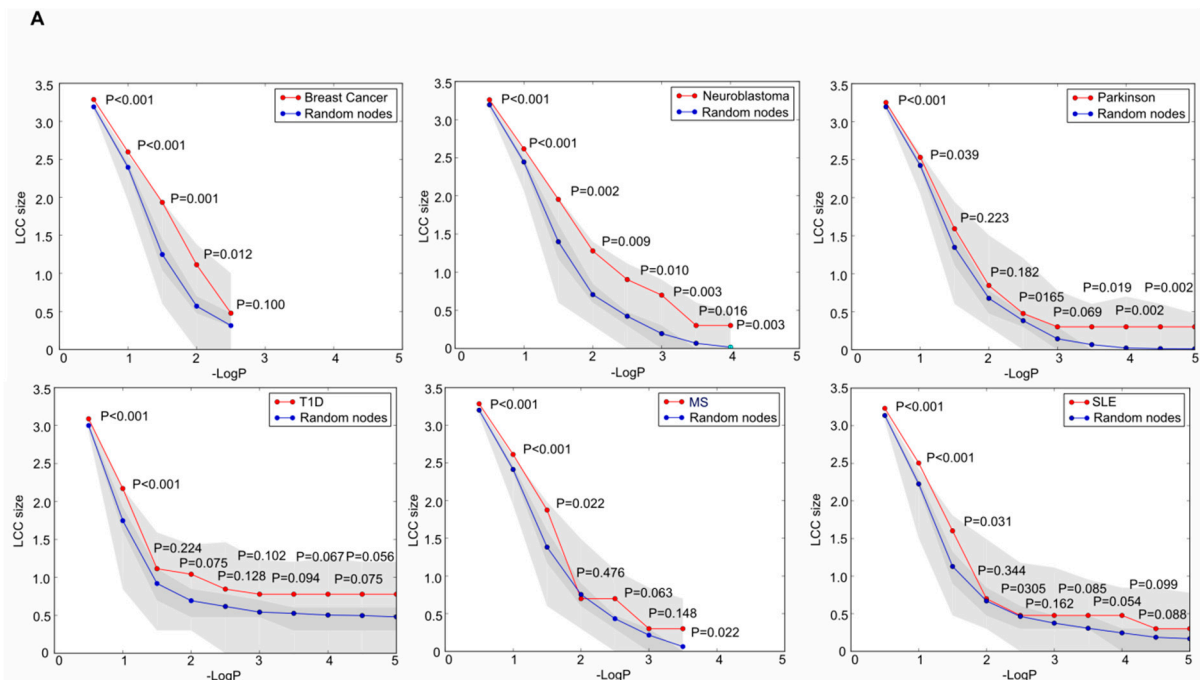


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