

Additional file 5. Main function (GOTERM_BP_FAT as classified by DAVID gene ontology) altered in whole peripheral blood cells in the 395 selected variables comparing PD patients and controls. GO annotations with at least 3 genes and $P < 0.05$ (Fisher exact probability) are presented. Count: number of genes involved in the term; %: percentage of involved genes/total genes; P-Value: modified fisher exact P-value, EASE Score; Benjamini: adjusted P-value using Benjamini-Hochberg procedure.

| Term | Count | % | P-Value | Benjamini |
|---|-------|------|----------|-----------|
| GO:0006333~chromatin assembly or disassembly | 11 | 3.05 | 3.23E-04 | 4.53E-01 |
| GO:0042981~regulation of apoptosis | 31 | 8.59 | 1.42E-03 | 7.34E-01 |
| GO:0043067~regulation of programmed cell death | 31 | 8.59 | 1.65E-03 | 6.42E-01 |
| GO:0043065~positive regulation of apoptosis | 20 | 5.54 | 1.72E-03 | 5.52E-01 |
| GO:0010941~regulation of cell death | 31 | 8.59 | 1.74E-03 | 4.77E-01 |
| GO:0044092~negative regulation of molecular function | 17 | 4.71 | 1.75E-03 | 4.20E-01 |
| GO:0043068~positive regulation of programmed cell death | 20 | 5.54 | 1.86E-03 | 3.91E-01 |
| GO:0010942~positive regulation of cell death | 20 | 5.54 | 1.96E-03 | 3.67E-01 |
| GO:0031497~chromatin assembly | 8 | 2.22 | 2.24E-03 | 3.71E-01 |
| GO:0065004~protein-DNA complex assembly | 8 | 2.22 | 2.89E-03 | 4.17E-01 |
| GO:0034728~nucleosome organization | 8 | 2.22 | 3.27E-03 | 4.26E-01 |
| GO:0030098~lymphocyte differentiation | 8 | 2.22 | 5.74E-03 | 5.91E-01 |
| GO:0043154~negative regulation of caspase activity | 4 | 1.11 | 5.80E-03 | 5.66E-01 |
| GO:0002521~leukocyte differentiation | 9 | 2.49 | 6.14E-03 | 5.60E-01 |
| GO:0043407~negative regulation of MAP kinase activity | 5 | 1.39 | 6.44E-03 | 5.52E-01 |
| GO:0001775~cell activation | 14 | 3.88 | 7.29E-03 | 5.73E-01 |
| GO:0051100~negative regulation of binding | 6 | 1.66 | 7.60E-03 | 5.67E-01 |
| GO:0043549~regulation of kinase activity | 16 | 4.43 | 8.00E-03 | 5.65E-01 |
| GO:0006334~nucleosome assembly | 7 | 1.94 | 8.14E-03 | 5.51E-01 |
| GO:0007568~aging | 8 | 2.22 | 8.15E-03 | 5.34E-01 |
| GO:0046649~lymphocyte activation | 11 | 3.05 | 8.96E-03 | 5.50E-01 |
| GO:0042325~regulation of phosphorylation | 19 | 5.26 | 8.99E-03 | 5.35E-01 |
| GO:0010466~negative regulation of peptidase activity | 4 | 1.11 | 9.03E-03 | 5.20E-01 |
| GO:0031328~positive regulation of cellular biosynthetic process | 25 | 6.93 | 9.04E-03 | 5.06E-01 |
| GO:0009891~positive regulation of biosynthetic process | 25 | 6.93 | 1.07E-02 | 5.50E-01 |
| GO:0031647~regulation of protein stability | 5 | 1.39 | 1.11E-02 | 5.51E-01 |
| GO:0006323~DNA packaging | 8 | 2.22 | 1.12E-02 | 5.42E-01 |
| GO:0030217~T cell differentiation | 6 | 1.66 | 1.13E-02 | 5.32E-01 |
| GO:0051338~regulation of transferase activity | 16 | 4.43 | 1.15E-02 | 5.25E-01 |
| GO:0010604~positive regulation of macromolecule metabolic process | 29 | 8.03 | 1.22E-02 | 5.34E-01 |
| GO:0045321~leukocyte activation | 12 | 3.32 | 1.28E-02 | 5.38E-01 |
| GO:0051174~regulation of phosphorus metabolic process | 19 | 5.26 | 1.31E-02 | 5.37E-01 |
| GO:0019220~regulation of phosphate metabolic process | 19 | 5.26 | 1.31E-02 | 5.37E-01 |

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| GO:0043086~negative regulation of catalytic activity | 13 | 3.60 | 1.35E-02 | 5.35E-01 |
| GO:0010648~negative regulation of cell communication | 12 | 3.32 | 1.51E-02 | 5.65E-01 |
| GO:0016311~dephosphorylation | 9 | 2.49 | 1.54E-02 | 5.63E-01 |
| GO:0008219~cell death | 25 | 6.93 | 1.55E-02 | 5.54E-01 |
| GO:0016265~death | 25 | 6.93 | 1.64E-02 | 5.66E-01 |
| GO:0006917~induction of apoptosis | 14 | 3.88 | 1.68E-02 | 5.65E-01 |
| GO:0012501~programmed cell death | 22 | 6.09 | 1.71E-02 | 5.61E-01 |
| GO:0012502~induction of programmed cell death | 14 | 3.88 | 1.73E-02 | 5.56E-01 |
| GO:0009968~negative regulation of signal transduction | 11 | 3.05 | 1.76E-02 | 5.54E-01 |
| GO:0008610~lipid biosynthetic process | 14 | 3.88 | 1.81E-02 | 5.56E-01 |
| GO:0010557~positive regulation of macromolecule biosynthetic process | 23 | 6.37 | 1.83E-02 | 5.51E-01 |
| GO:0008283~cell proliferation | 17 | 4.71 | 2.07E-02 | 5.87E-01 |
| GO:0044242~cellular lipid catabolic process | 6 | 1.66 | 2.11E-02 | 5.87E-01 |
| GO:0006470~protein amino acid dephosphorylation | 8 | 2.22 | 2.14E-02 | 5.83E-01 |
| GO:0043392~negative regulation of DNA binding | 5 | 1.39 | 2.15E-02 | 5.77E-01 |
| GO:0045934~negative regulation of nucleobase, nucleoside, nucleotide and nucleic acid metabolic process | 19 | 5.26 | 2.17E-02 | 5.74E-01 |
| GO:0042127~regulation of cell proliferation | 26 | 7.20 | 2.37E-02 | 5.99E-01 |
| GO:0051172~negative regulation of nitrogen compound metabolic process | 19 | 5.26 | 2.42E-02 | 5.99E-01 |
| GO:0019637~organophosphate metabolic process | 10 | 2.77 | 2.45E-02 | 5.96E-01 |
| GO:0051276~chromosome organization | 18 | 4.99 | 2.57E-02 | 6.07E-01 |
| GO:0008202~steroid metabolic process | 10 | 2.77 | 2.59E-02 | 6.03E-01 |
| GO:0007167~enzyme linked receptor protein signaling pathway | 14 | 3.88 | 2.73E-02 | 6.15E-01 |
| GO:0006325~chromatin organization | 15 | 4.16 | 2.75E-02 | 6.12E-01 |
| GO:0043405~regulation of MAP kinase activity | 8 | 2.22 | 2.83E-02 | 6.15E-01 |
| GO:0051173~positive regulation of nitrogen compound metabolic process | 22 | 6.09 | 2.88E-02 | 6.15E-01 |
| GO:0048384~retinoic acid receptor signaling pathway | 3 | 0.83 | 2.90E-02 | 6.12E-01 |
| GO:0051252~regulation of RNA metabolic process | 50 | 13.85 | 3.25E-02 | 6.48E-01 |
| GO:0006007~glucose catabolic process | 5 | 1.39 | 3.26E-02 | 6.43E-01 |
| GO:0010608~posttranscriptional regulation of gene expression | 10 | 2.77 | 3.30E-02 | 6.41E-01 |
| GO:0010605~negative regulation of macromolecule metabolic process | 24 | 6.65 | 3.30E-02 | 6.35E-01 |
| GO:0043631~RNA polyadenylation | 3 | 0.83 | 3.34E-02 | 6.34E-01 |
| GO:0007049~cell cycle | 25 | 6.93 | 3.42E-02 | 6.37E-01 |
| GO:0006469~negative regulation of protein kinase activity | 6 | 1.66 | 3.52E-02 | 6.42E-01 |
| GO:0010906~regulation of glucose metabolic process | 4 | 1.11 | 3.59E-02 | 6.44E-01 |
| GO:0045935~positive regulation of nucleobase, nucleoside, nucleotide and nucleic acid metabolic process | 21 | 5.82 | 3.74E-02 | 6.54E-01 |
| GO:0006396~RNA processing | 19 | 5.26 | 3.77E-02 | 6.51E-01 |
| GO:0033673~negative regulation of kinase activity | 6 | 1.66 | 3.99E-02 | 6.67E-01 |
| GO:0006006~glucose metabolic process | 8 | 2.22 | 4.13E-02 | 6.74E-01 |

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| GO:0001959~regulation of cytokine-mediated signaling pathway | 3 | 0.83 | 4.29E-02 | 6.83E-01 |
| GO:0008203~cholesterol metabolic process | 6 | 1.66 | 4.31E-02 | 6.81E-01 |
| GO:0010675~regulation of cellular carbohydrate metabolic process | 4 | 1.11 | 4.42E-02 | 6.85E-01 |
| GO:0048534~hemopoietic or lymphoid organ development | 11 | 3.05 | 4.62E-02 | 6.96E-01 |
| GO:0006644~phospholipid metabolic process | 9 | 2.49 | 4.64E-02 | 6.93E-01 |
| GO:0016071~mRNA metabolic process | 14 | 3.88 | 4.65E-02 | 6.89E-01 |
| GO:0006109~regulation of carbohydrate metabolic process | 4 | 1.11 | 4.72E-02 | 6.90E-01 |
| GO:0006915~apoptosis | 20 | 5.54 | 4.75E-02 | 6.88E-01 |
| GO:0045941~positive regulation of transcription | 19 | 5.26 | 4.85E-02 | 6.91E-01 |
| GO:0009123~nucleoside monophosphate metabolic process | 5 | 1.39 | 4.87E-02 | 6.88E-01 |