

List of gene targets predicted for miR-320a, miR-361-5p, miR-21-5p and miR-103a-3p.

miRNA of Interest	Potential Gene Targets	Alternative Name of Gene	Relevant Literature (With Emphasis on Cancer)	P-values for miRNA-gene (<0.05 Threshold)
miR-361-5p	<i>ARCNI</i>	Archain 1	In a screen to identify genes that control 2-deoxyglucose (2DG) sensitivity, <i>ARCNI</i> knockdown was found to sensitize cells to the glycolytic inhibitor. [1]	HiSeq_V1 P₁= 0.000544 HiSeq_V2 P₂= 7.72E-13
	<i>CREG1</i>	Cellular Repressor of E1A stimulated Genes 1	There is conflicting literature for the role of <i>CREG1</i> in cancer. <i>CREG1</i> has been found to be overexpressed in non-small cell lung carcinoma cell lines with <i>KRAS</i> mutations and has also been found to be upregulated in gastric cancer tissues. [2,3] However, <i>CREG1</i> has also been found to be involved in cell senescence, to reduce cell proliferation, and to promote differentiation. [4-6]	P ₁ = 0.002726 P ₂ = 4.39E-07
	<i>ELL3</i>	Elongation Factor For RNA Polymerase II 3	In the breast cancer cell line MCF-7, <i>ELL3</i> expression has been found to promote cell proliferation and to increase cancer stem cell populations. [7] On the other hand, <i>ELL3</i> has been implicated in the stabilization process of p53, which ultimately results in increased cell apoptosis. [8]	P ₁ = 0.002395 P ₂ = 1.51E-07
	<i>NCEH1</i>	Arylacetamide Deacetylase-Like 1	<i>NCEH1</i> plays an important role in lipid metabolism and has been found to be overexpressed in numerous invasive cancer cell lines. [9-12] Knockdown of <i>NCEH1</i> in prostate cancer cells results in reduced cell migration, invasion, and survival. [13]	P ₁ = 0.002849782 P ₂ = 2.01E-08
miR-320a	<i>GSG2</i>	Germ Cell Associated 2 (Haspin)	<i>GSG2</i> plays a critical role in cell mitosis and has been found to be overexpressed in a number of neoplasms. <i>GSG2</i> has been suggested to be a potential therapeutic target for cancer. [14-16]	HiSeq_V1 P ₁ = 0.003303893 HiSeq_V2 P ₂ = 3.71E-06
	<i>RAD51</i>	RAD51 Recombinase	In breast cancer, <i>RAD51</i> has been found to be overexpressed and to be associated with poor prognosis. [17] Another study has also shown that <i>RAD51</i> drives genomic instability in multiple breast cancer cell lines. [18] Additionally, downregulation of <i>RAD51</i> is associated with increased chemo-sensitivity. [19-20]	P₁= 0.000993014 P₂= 3.35E-07
	<i>RRP1B</i>	Ribosomal RNA Processing 1B	In one study, <i>RRP1B</i> was found to interact with metastasis modifier gene <i>SIPA1</i> to	P₁= 0.002623317 P₂= 6.55E-07

			regulate tumor suppressor genes. [21] <i>RRP1B</i> has also been found to interact with splicing regulator <i>SRSF1</i> to repress metastasis. [22]	
	<i>SYNGR2</i>	Synaptogyrin 2	Expression of <i>SYNGR2</i> was included in a six-gene signature for thyroid tumors that could differentially diagnose malignant tumors and benign tumors. [23]	P ₁ = 0.000122781 P ₂ = 0.026343543
	<i>TDG</i>	Thymine DNA Glycosylase	Deletion of <i>TDG</i> along with <i>PMS2</i> alterations contributes to a supermutator phenotype in both breast cancer and rectal cancer. [24-25]	P₁= 0.001831776 P₂= 7.25E-08
miR-21-5p	<i>ATXN10</i>	Ataxin 10	This gene has been found to be elevated in human cachectic cancer patients, and inducing <i>ATXN10</i> in cardiomyocytes proved to be sufficient in producing cachexia phenotypes. [26] On the other hand, it has also been found that <i>ATXN10</i> is associated with cell senescence in human fibroblasts, and that knockdown of <i>ATXN10</i> promoted cell senescence avoidance. [27]	HiSeq_V1 P ₁ = 0.002806202 HiSeq_V2 P ₂ = 7.05E-09
	<i>GATAD2B</i>	GATA Zinc Finger Domain Containing 2B	In human fibroblasts, combinatorial knockdown of <i>GATAD2B</i> along with <i>ELAVL2</i> and <i>TEAD1</i> produced CD105+ cell populations, demonstrating increased differentiation. [28] Another study found that the stabilization of <i>GATAD2B</i> from <i>LRRC42</i> induction helps to promote cell growth in lung cancer cells. [29]	P ₁ = 0.002524675 P ₂ = 2.19E-10
	<i>MSH2</i>	MutS Homolog 2	<i>MSH2</i> appears to play multiple roles in breast cancer, producing research suggesting that <i>MSH2</i> possesses a dual role as oncogene and tumor suppressor depending on the context. <i>MSH2</i> expression has been observed to have increased expression in breast cancer tissues compared to normal tissues, and has been observed to have a negative correlation with histological grade. [30, 31] In contrast, <i>MSH2</i> has also been reported to be a tumor suppressor for its role in the TGF- β pathway. [32, 33]	P₁= 0.000321851 P₂= 1.88E-12
	<i>NKIRAS1</i>	NFKB Inhibitor Interacting Ras-Like 1	In breast cancer and non-small cell lung cancer, <i>NKIRAS1</i> upregulation has been associated with the methylation of regulatory genes, potentially contributing to the	P ₁ = 0.004336416 P ₂ = 9.59E-10

			dysregulation of cell processes. [34, 35] However, <i>NKIRAS</i> has been found to be deleted or methylated in renal cancer. [36, 37]	
	<i>PEL11</i>	Pellino E3 Ubiquitin Protein Ligase 1	In leukemia, the constitutive expression of <i>PEL11</i> results in the development of lymphoid tumors. [38]	P ₁ = 0.001309759 P ₂ = 6.90E-06
	<i>RMND5A</i>	Required For Meiotic Nuclear Division 5 Homolog A	In HeLa cells, the targeting of <i>RMND5A</i> through miR-138 dramatically reduces cell migration. [39] On the other hand, <i>RMND5A</i> expression has been found to increase after paclitaxel and carboplatin treatment for leukocyte gene expression. [40]	P₁= 0.001820747 P₂= 6.80E-14
	<i>STAG2</i>	Stromal Antigen 2	<i>STAG2</i> is believed to play a tumor suppressing role for its function in the cohesion complex for both leukemia and pancreatic cancer. [41, 42] However, complete loss of <i>STAG2</i> in bladder cancer predicts good prognosis. [43]	P₁= 0.003000074 P₂= 1.93E-14
	<i>UBE2D3</i>	Ubiquitin Conjugating Enzyme E2 D3	<i>UBE2D3</i> appears to act as a tumor suppressor in breast cancer because knockdown of <i>UBE2D3</i> in breast cancer cells augments cell proliferation and invasion. [44, 45] Additionally, inhibition of <i>UBE2D3</i> leads to radio-resistance. [44, 46]	P₁= 0.003901447 P₂= 2.03E-07
	<i>USP15</i>	Ubiquitin Specific Peptidase 15	<i>USP15</i> 's role in enhancing TGF- β signaling has been found to be significant in glioblastomas, ovarian, and breast cancer. [47, 48] It has also been highlighted the <i>USP15</i> stabilizes MDM2, a negative regulator of p53, in cancer cells. [49]	P ₁ = 0.003470684 P ₂ = 3.27E-08
miR-103a-3p	<i>AMMECR1</i>	Alport Syndrome, Mental Retardation, Midface Hypoplasia And Elliptocytosis Chromosomal Region Gene 1	In ER+ breast cancer cells, miR-26 overexpression was found to inhibit estrogen-stimulated cell proliferation and tumor growth; <i>AMMECR1</i> was highlighted as a potential target of miR-26 as an estrogen responsive gene. [50]	HiSeq_V1 P ₁ = 0.004118655 HiSeq_V2 P ₂ = 2.55E-13

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