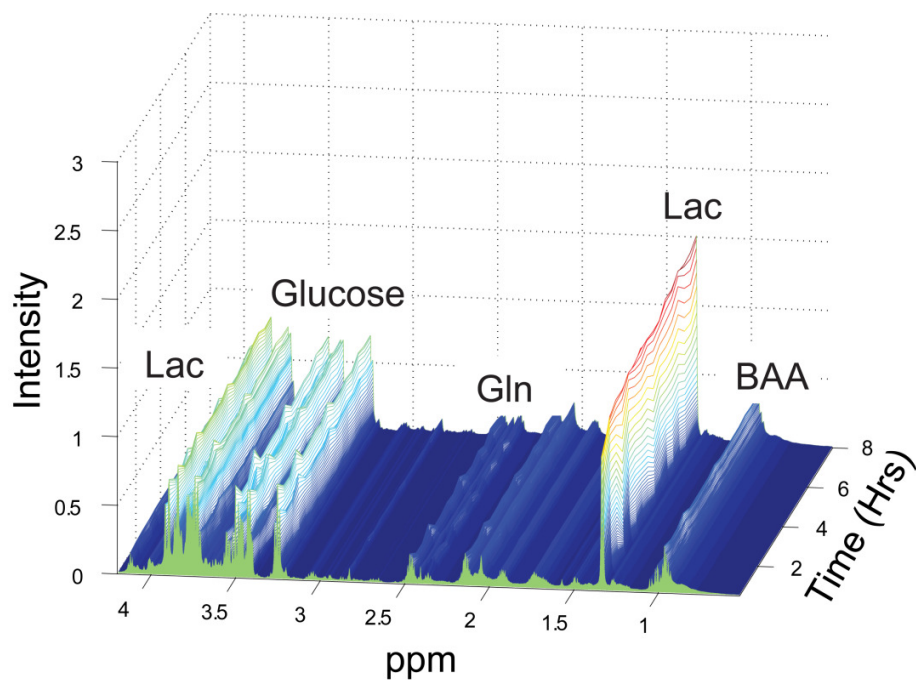
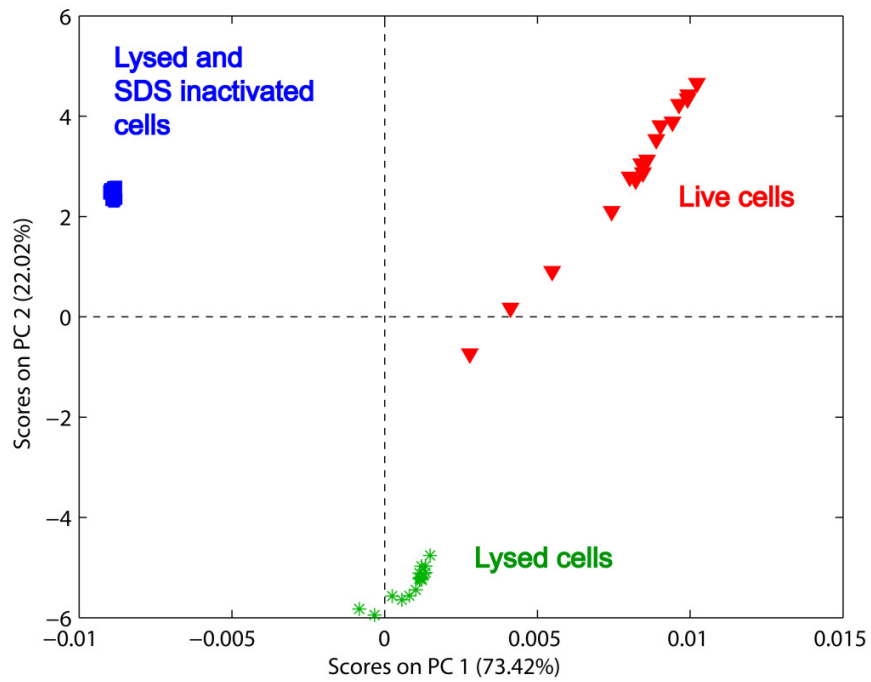


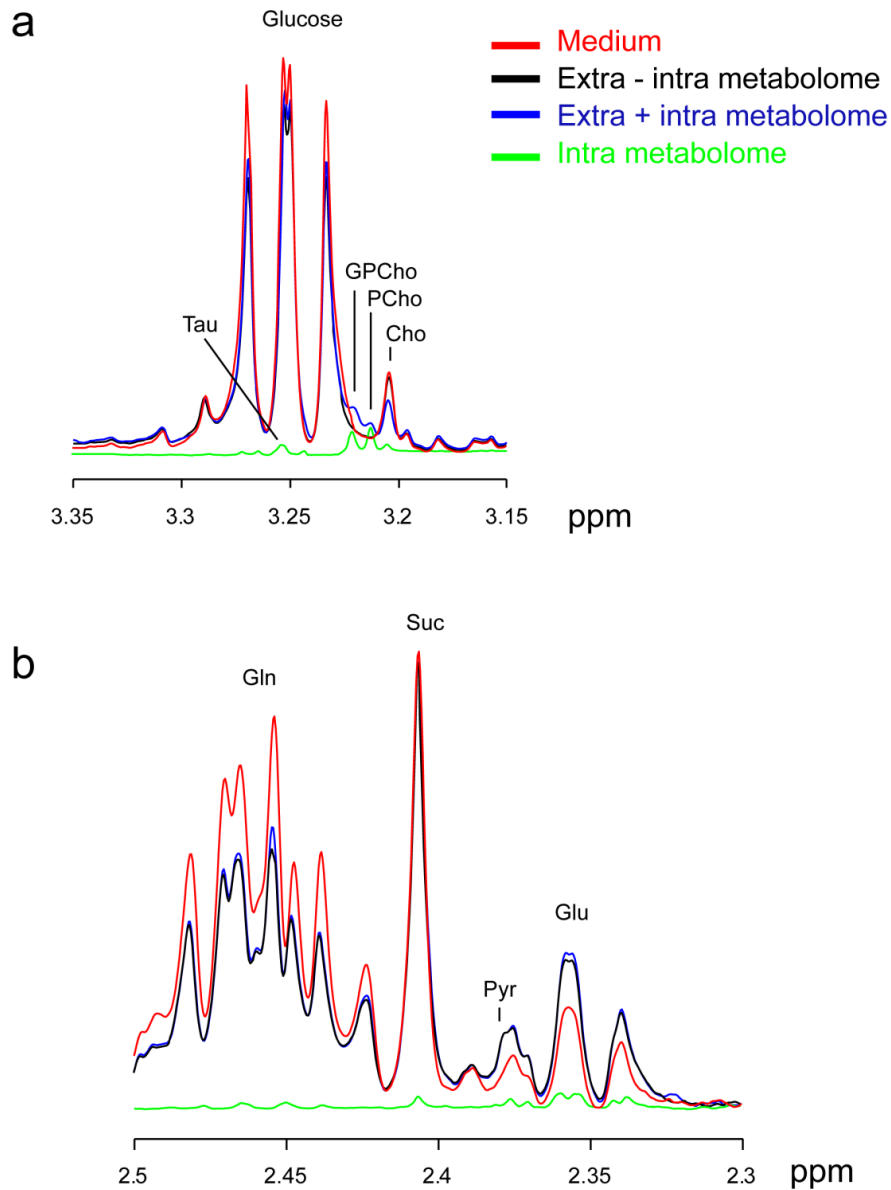
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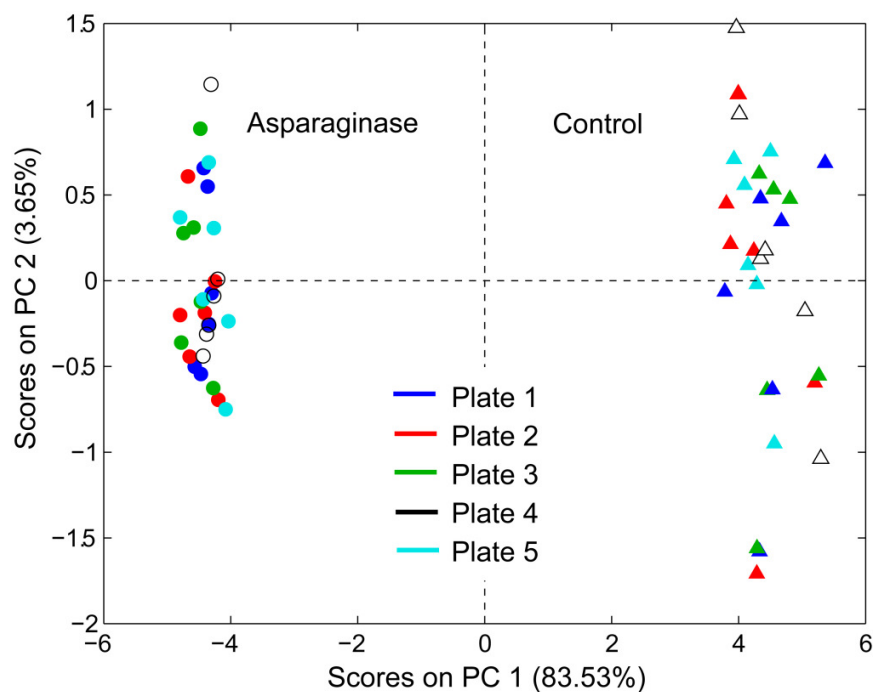
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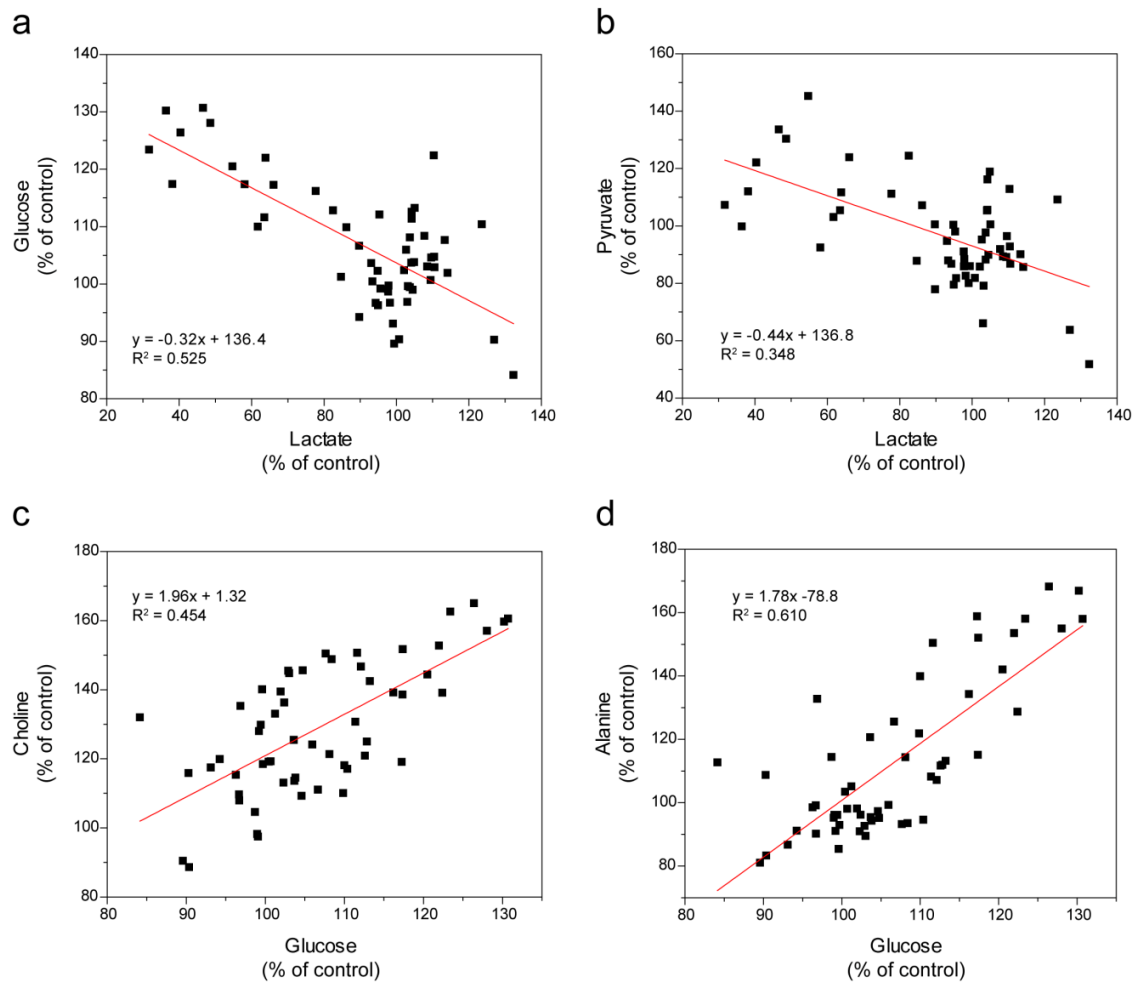
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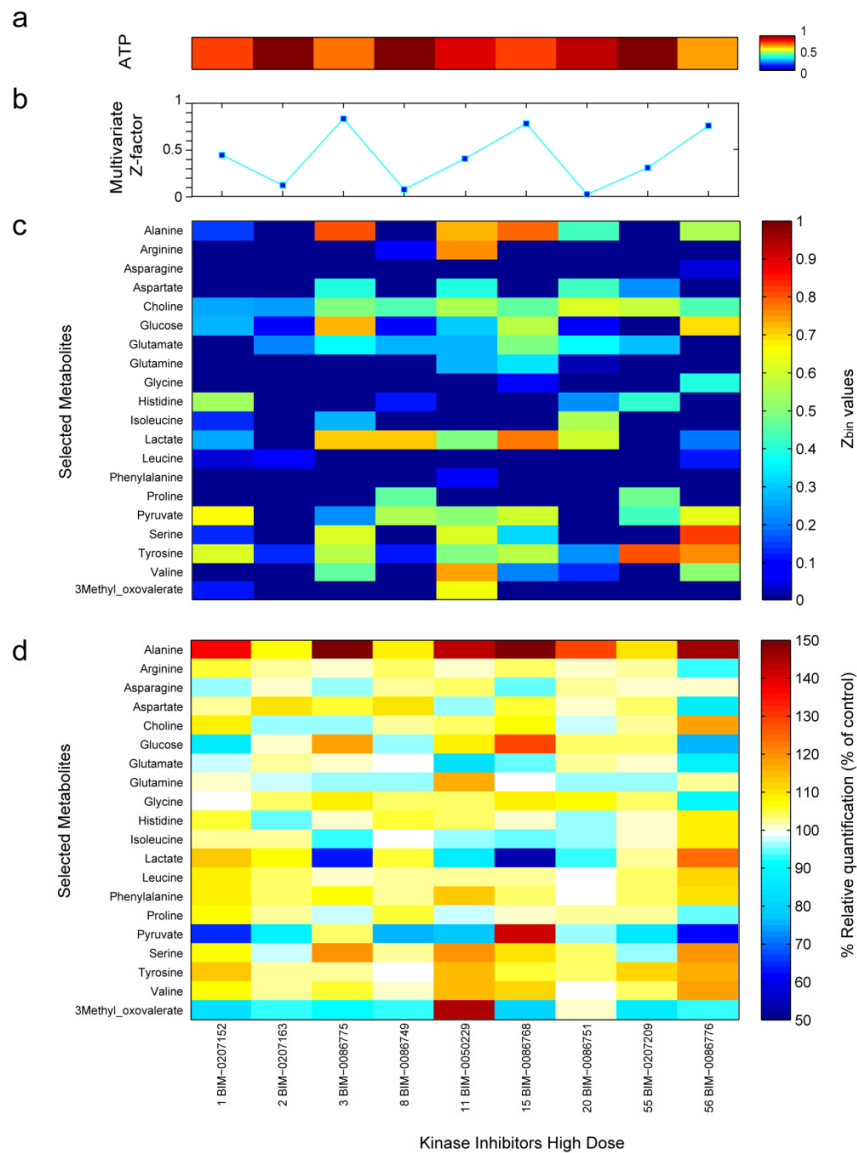
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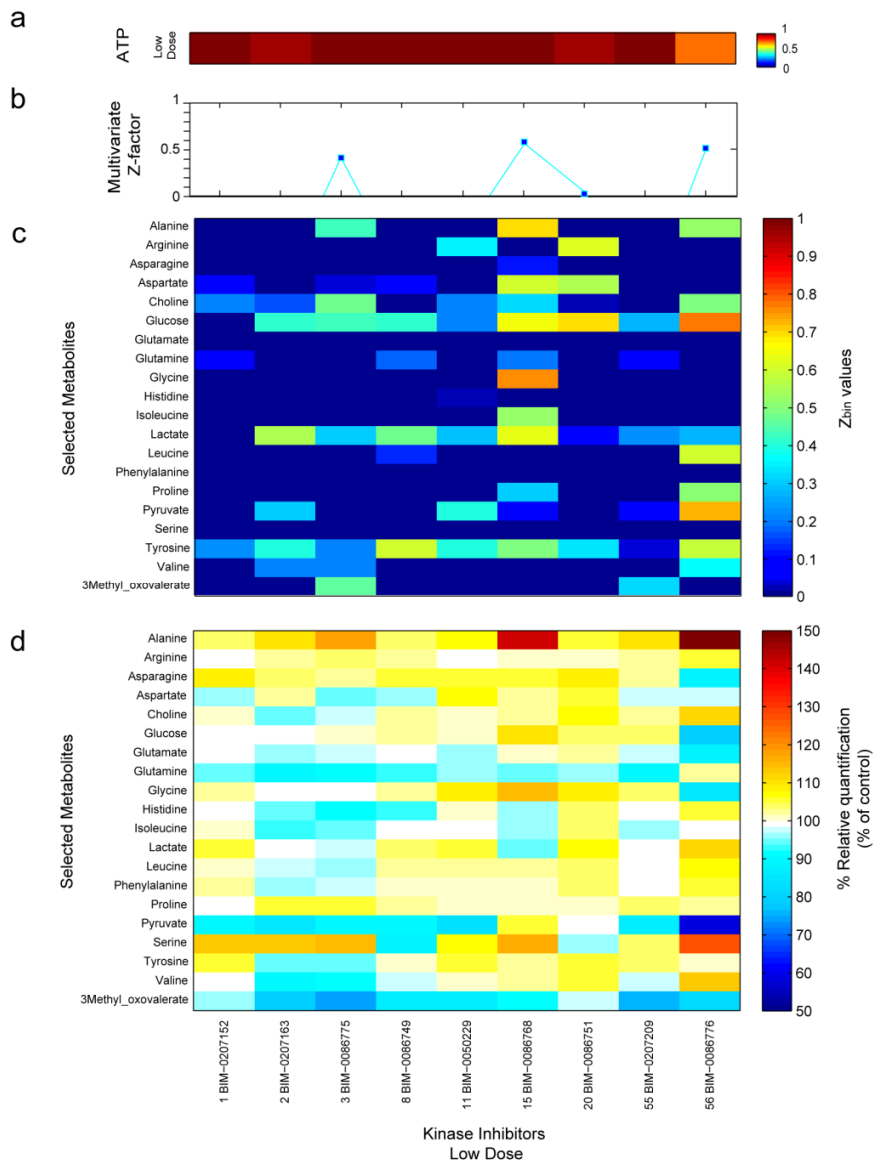
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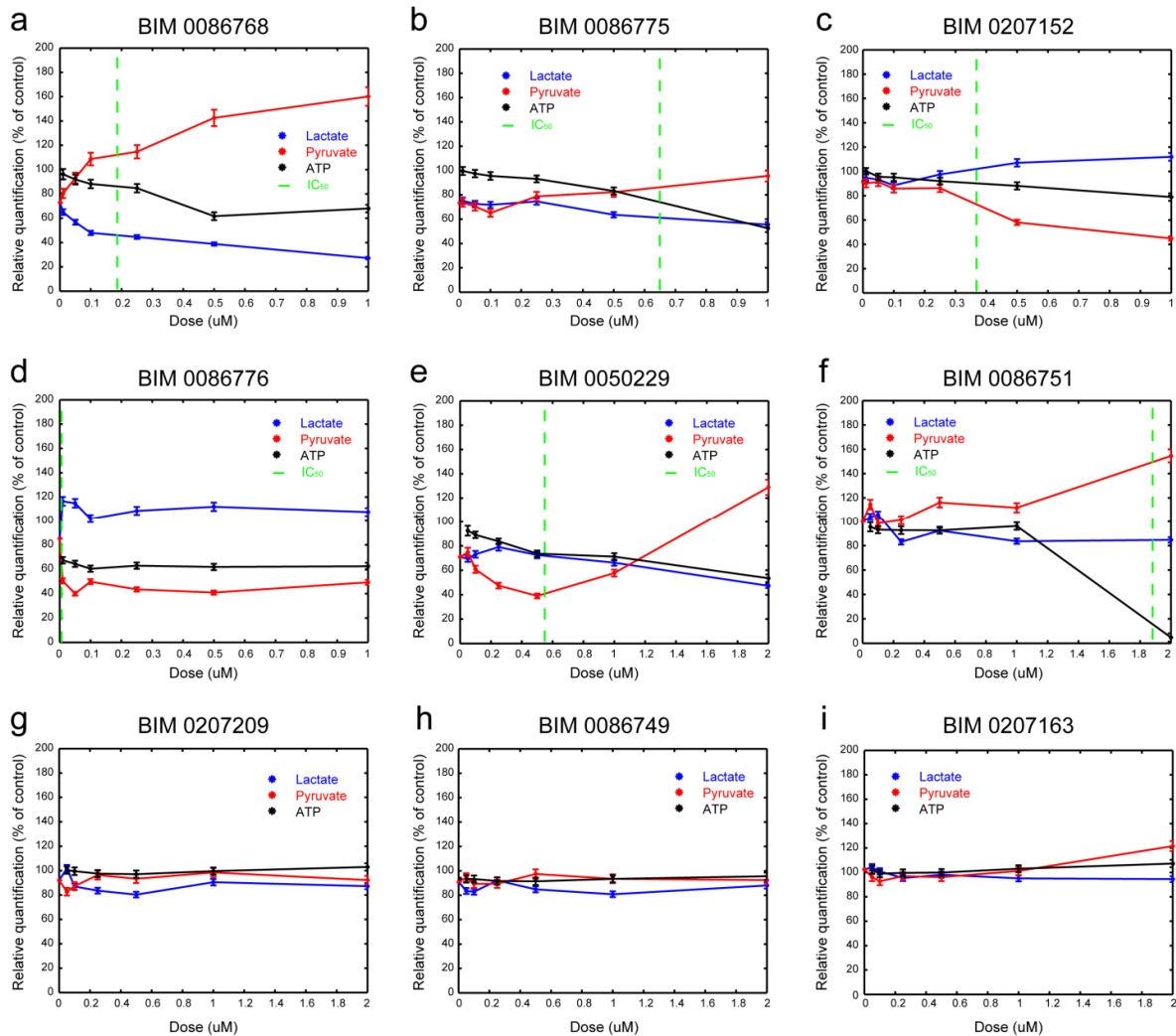
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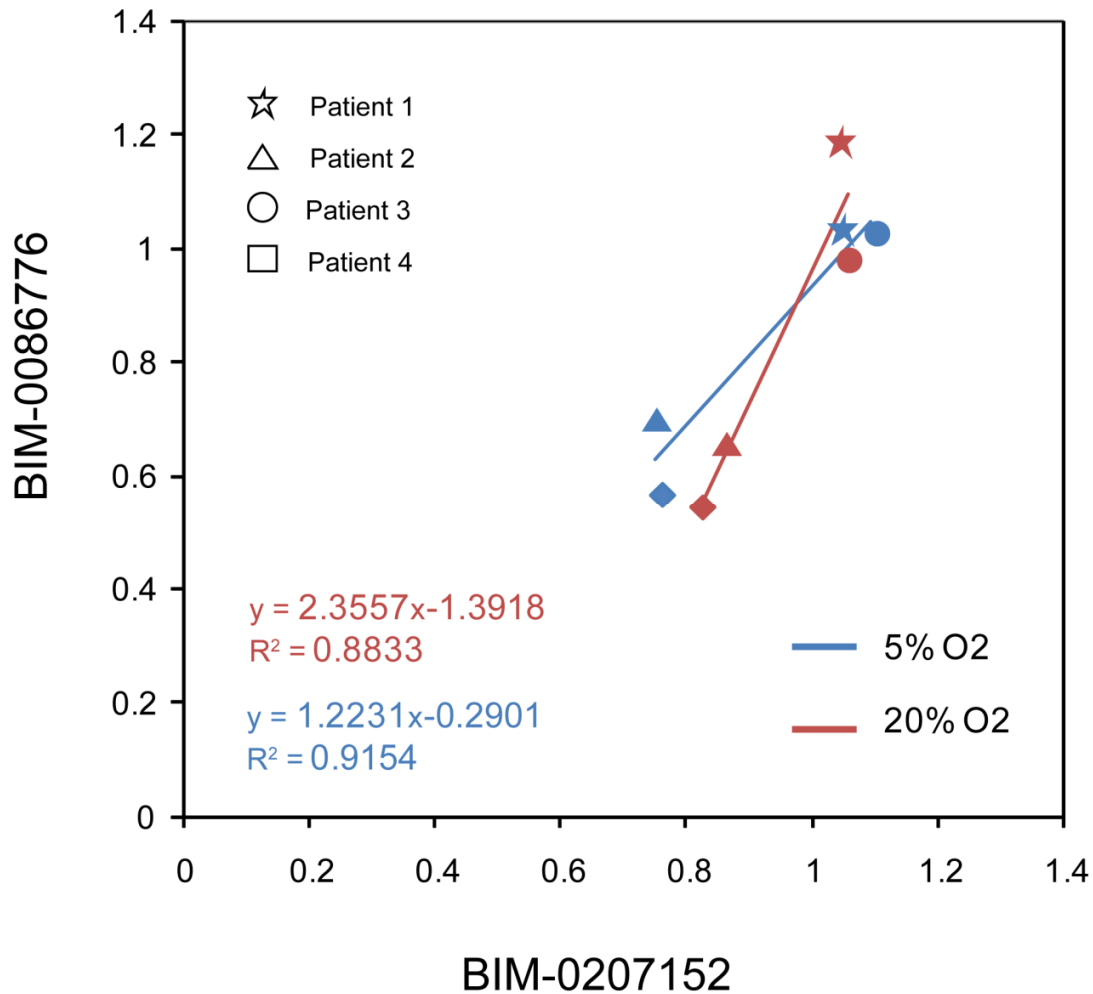
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Supplementary Figure S8 | High-content NMR-based metabolomic screening of nine selected KIs at 0.1 μM as final concentration (low dose). (a) ATP assay was used to measure the cell viability of CCRF-CEM cells following 24 hours of treatment with 9 selected KIs. The drugs were eEF-2 kinase inhibitor (BIM-0207152), 5-Iodo-indirubin-3'-monoxime (BIM-0207163), MK2a inhibitor (BIM-0086775), ERK Inhibitor II, FR180204 (BIM-0086749), PKC inhibitor (BIM-0050229), K-252a, Nocardiosis sp. (BIM-0086768), *Fascaplysin*, Synthetic (BIM-0086751), Wee1 Inhibitor II (BIM-0207209), and NF-KB activation inhibitor (BIM-0086776) all administered at 0.1 μM (low dose). (b) Principal component analysis was performed on the ^1H NMR spectra acquired in triplicates and a multivariate Z-factor value was calculated for each KI. For a subset of all the observed metabolites we determined the Z_{bin} values (c) and their relative concentration (d, as percent of control).



Supplementary Figure S9 | Dose response experiments at different concentrations of selected KIs. ATP assay and high-content NMR-based metabolomic screening were used to measure the cell viability and the metabolomic response of CCRF-CEM cells following 24 hours of treatment using six different concentrations of KI in the range of 0.05-2 μM . These doses are within the clinical relevant dose range for other KIs. ATP levels and relative concentrations of lactate and pyruvate calculated (as % of control) are reported as mean values \pm SEM. IC_{50} values were calculated based on a 50% reduction of ATP levels induced by treatment (**Supplementary Table S4**). The drugs were **a**) K-252a, Nocardiosis sp. (BIM-0086768), **b**) MK2a inhibitor (BIM-0086775), **c**) EF-2 kinase inhibitor (BIM-0207152), **d**) NF-KB activation inhibitor (BIM-0086776), **e**) PKC inhibitor (BIM-0050229), **f**) *Fascaplysin*, Synthetic (BIM-0086751), **g**) Wee1 Inhibitor II (BIM-0207209), **h**) ERK Inhibitor II, FR180204 (BIM-0086749), and **i**) *5-Iodo-indirubin-3'-monoxime* (BIM-0207163). For BIM-0086749, BIM-0207163, BIM-0207209 the IC_{50} values were not determined as these KIs failed to cause changes not only in ATP levels but also in lactate and pyruvate at the considered treatment doses in CCRF-CEM cells.



Supplementary Figure S10 | Cell viability of acute lymphoblastic leukemia primary cells from four patients following 24 hours of NF- κ B activation and eEF-2 kinase inhibitor treatments. ATP measurements were performed on acute lymphoblastic leukemia primary cells from four patients. The cells were seeded for 24 hours in a 384-well plate at two different oxygen levels (20% and 5%) following individual treatment using a library of 246 kinase inhibitors (final concentration 1 μ M). Relative luminescence values were calculated by dividing the luminescence value of each sample by that of primary cells within the same plate receiving solvent control. The two kinase inhibitors BIM-0086776 (NF- κ B activation inhibitor) and BIM-0207152 (eEF-2 kinase inhibitor) depicted similar response in the cellular survival regardless of the oxygen level in the environment. The Pearson correlation coefficient of the drug responses was 0.93983 and 0.95677 at 20% and 5% oxygen culture, respectively.

Supplementary Table S1. List of metabolites detected in CCRF-CEM cells using the NMR-based high content screening method. Metabolites are divided based on whether they are detectable either only in the extracellular or in both extra- and intracellular metabolome of CCRF-CEM cells contained in one well of a 96-well plate.

Extracellular	Intracellular	Extracellular + intracellular
2-Oxoisocaproate	-	2-Oxoisocaproate
3-Methyl-2-oxovalerate	-	3-Methyl-2-oxovalerate
-	AMP	-
-	ATP	-
Acetate	Acetate	Acetate
Acetone	Acetone	Acetone
Alanine	Alanine	Alanine
Arginine	-	
Asparagine	Asparagine	Asparagine
Aspartate	Aspartate	Aspartate
Choline	Choline	Choline
Creatine	-	Creatine
Cystine	-	Cystine
Ethanol	Ethanol	Ethanol
Formate	Formate	Formate
Fructose	-	Fructose
Fumarate	-	Fumarate
Glucose	Glucose	Glucose
Glutamate	Glutamate	Glutamate
Glutamine	Glutamine	Glutamine
-	Glycero-3-phosphocholine	Glycero-3-phosphocholine
Glycine	Glycine	Glycine
Histidine	-	Histidine
Isoleucine	-	Isoleucine
Lactate	Lactate	Lactate
Leucine	-	Leucine
Lysine	-	Lysine
Myo-Inositol	Myo-Inositol	Myo-Inositol
Methanol	Methanol	Methanol
Methionine	-	Methionine
Niacinamide	-	Niacinamide
Ornithine	-	Ornithine
Panhotenate	-	Panhotenate
Phenylalanine	-	Phenylalanine
-	Phosphocholine	Phosphocholine
Proline	-	Proline
Propionate	-	Propionate
Pyridoxine	-	Pyridoxine
Pyruvate	-	Pyruvate
Serine	-	Serine
Succinate	Succinate	Succinate
-	Taurine	_*
Threonine	-	Threonine
Tryptophan	-	Tryptophan
Tyrosine	-	Tyrosine
Valine	-	Valine
trans-4-Hydroxy-L-proline	-	trans-4-Hydroxy-L-proline
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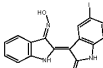
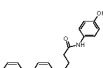
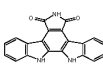
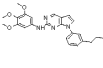
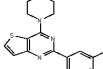
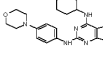
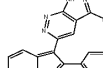
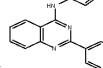
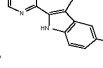
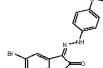
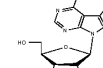
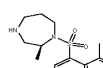
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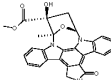
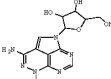
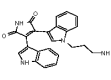
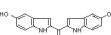
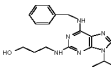
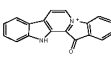
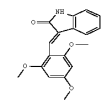
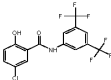
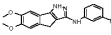
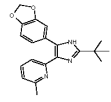
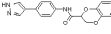
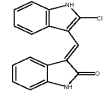
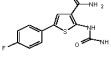
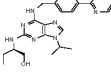
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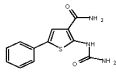
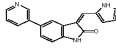
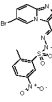
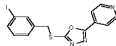
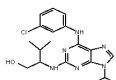
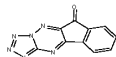
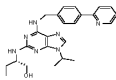
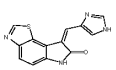
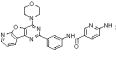
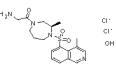
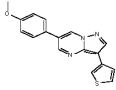
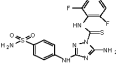
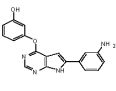
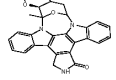
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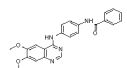
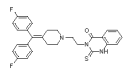
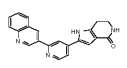
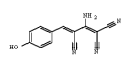
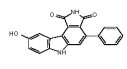
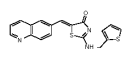
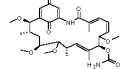
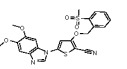
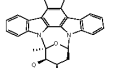
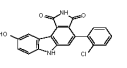
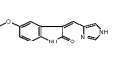
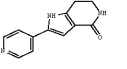
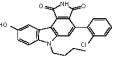
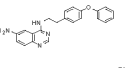
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DCA	90.57	6.42	0.86	94.60	3.16	0.91	93.14	2.13	0.90
Rap	70.00	19.49	0.60	79.63	10.87	0.74	79.91	5.88	0.72
Vin	58.40	30.92	-2.62	59.73	16.17	-1.97	55.81	12.38	0.47
A1	87.77	3.97	0.90	89.67	5.32	0.91	91.27	2.28	0.90
A01	88.12	7.30	0.75	92.04	3.69	0.86	90.86	2.96	0.88
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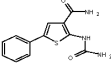
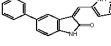

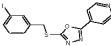
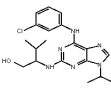
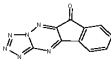
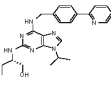
Supplementary Table S4. List of 56 kinase inhibitors screened.

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BIM-0207163	C ₁₆ H ₁₀ N ₂	403.17		Calbiochem	402086		403.2	Indirubin-3'-monoxime, 5-Iodo-
BIM-0086775	C ₂₁ H ₂₀ N ₂	349.4		EMD Biosciences	475863		475.863	MK2a Inhibitor
BIM-0207133	C ₂₀ H ₁₁ N ₃	325.32		Calbiochem	181305		181.305	525.3 Ancryflavin A, Synthetic
BIM-0207143	C ₂₄ H ₂₃ N ₅	429.47		Calbiochem	218713		429.47	Keratinocyte Differentiation Inducer
BIM-0207183	C ₁₆ H ₁₅ N ₃	313.37		Calbiochem	528111	Chloride SALT	349.8	PI 3-K ⁺ Inhibitor IV
BIM-0207192	C ₂₁ H ₂₇ N ₇	393.49		Calbiochem	554717		393.49	Reversine
BIM-0086749	C ₁₈ H ₁₃ N ₇	327.34		EMD Biosciences	328007		327.34	ERK Inhibitor II, FR180204
BIM-0086759	C ₁₈ H ₁₅ N ₅	301.35		EMD Biosciences	361555		361.555	GSK-3 Inhibitor XIII
BIM-0207134	C ₁₅ H ₁₀ Br ⁺	328.16		Calbiochem	191500		191.500	328.2 1-Azakempaurone
BIM-0050229	C ₂₁ H ₁₃ BrNO	348.37		LOPAC	C 2932	CHLORIDE SALT	348.37	PKC inhibitor; affects translocation of PKC from cytosol to plasma membrane
BIM-0207144	C ₁₄ H ₁₁ Br ⁺	395.23		Calbiochem	219445		219.445	395.2 Cdk2 Inhibitor II
BIM-0207165	C ₁₁ H ₁₃ N ⁺	392.15		Calbiochem	407900		392.15	392.1 5-Iodo-tubercidin
BIM-0207153	C ₁₆ H ₂₁ N ₃	319.42		Calbiochem	555550	Chloride SALT	355.9	Rho Kinase Inhibitor

BIM-0086768	C27H21N3	467.47		EMD Biosciences	420298	K-252a, Nocardipops sp.
BIM-0053458	C13H16N6	320.3			154020	
BIM-0207135	C23H20N4	384.43		Calbiochem	203294 Chloride SALT	420.9 Bisdoly/maleimide III, Hydrochloride
BIM-0086675	C17H12N2	292.29		EMD Biosciences	343021	Rt-3 Inhibitor II
BIM-0086735	C18H24N6	340.42		EMD Biosciences	203600	Bohemine
BIM-0086751	C18H11N2	271.29		EMD Biosciences	341251 Chloride SALT	Fascaplysin, synthetic
BIM-0050990	C18H17NO	311.33		LOPAC	I 0658	Casein kinase-1 (CK-1 delta/epsilon) inhibitor.
BIM-0207156	C15H8ClF6	383.67		Calbiochem	401482	383.7 IKK-2 Inhibitor V
BIM-0086693	C18H16FN	325.34		EMD Biosciences	521233	PDGF Receptor Tyrosine Kinase Inhibitor IV
BIM-0086716	C20H21N3	335.4		EMD Biosciences	616453 Chloride SALT	TGF-b RI Inhibitor III
BIM-0207195	C18H15N3	321.33		Calbiochem	555555	321.3 Rho Kinase Inhibitor V
BIM-0086736	C17H11ClN	294.74		EMD Biosciences	217695	Cdk1 inhibitor
BIM-0086762	C12H10FN	279.29		EMD Biosciences	401481	IKK-2 Inhibitor IV
BIM-0207137	C24H29N7	431.53		Calbiochem	203881	431.5 CR8, (R)-isomer

BIM-0207157	C12H11N3	251.3		Calbiochem	401483	251.3 IKK-2 Inhibitor VI
BIM-0086686	C18H13N3	287.32		EMD Biosciences	420126	METHANESULFONATE (MESYLATE) SA JAK3 Inhibitor VI
BIM-0207186	C16H14BrN	452.28		Calbiochem	528116	H2O 470.3 PI 3-K? Inhibitor VIII
BIM-0086753	C14H10IN2	395.22		EMD Biosciences	361541	GSK-3b Inhibitor II
BIM-0086780	C19H25ON	388.89		EMD Biosciences	540500	Purvalanol A
BIM-0086695	C10H4N6O	224.18		EMD Biosciences	521275	FOXO/Akt/Fit Dual Pathway Inhibitor
BIM-0207138	C24H29N7	431.53		Calbiochem	203882	431.5 CR8, (S)-Isomer
BIM-0086696	C13H8N4O	268.29		EMD Biosciences	527450	PKR inhibitor
BIM-0207178	C25H21N7	467.48		Calbiochem	524611	467.5 PIKfyve Inhibitor
BIM-0086708	C18H26Cl2	465.39		EMD Biosciences	555554	Rho Kinase Inhibitor IV
BIM-0086723	C17H13N3	307.37		EMD Biosciences	676489	VEGF Receptor 2 Kinase Inhibitor IV
BIM-0086737	C15H13F2	425.44		EMD Biosciences	217714	Cdk1/2 Inhibitor III
BIM-0086758	C18H14N4	318.33		EMD Biosciences	361554	GSK-3b Inhibitor XII, TWS119
BIM-0086710	C28H26N4	466.53		EMD Biosciences	569397	Staurosporine, Streptomycetes sp.

BIM-0086658	C23H20N4	400.43		EMD Biosciences	189404	Aurora Kinase Inhibitor II
BIM-0086668	C28H25F21	489.58		EMD Biosciences	266788	Diacylglycerol Kinase Inhibitor II
BIM-0207170	C21H16N4	340.38		Calbiochem	475864 H2O	358.4 MK-2 Inhibitor III
BIM-0051107	C13H8N4O	236.23		LOPAC	T 6943	Protein tyrosine kinase inhibitor
BIM-0207207	C20H12N2	328.32		Calbiochem	681637 H2O	346.3 Wee1/Chk1 Inhibitor
BIM-0207140	C18H13N3	351.45		Calbiochem	217699	351.4 Cdk1 Inhibitor IV, RO-3306
BIM-0086681	C30H42N2	574.66		EMD Biosciences	375670	Herbimycin A, Streptomyces sp.
BIM-0207160	C22H19N3	469.53		Calbiochem	401488	469.5 IKK-3 Inhibitor IX
BIM-0207199	C28H26N4	482.53		Calbiochem	539644	482.5 UCN-01
BIM-0207208	C20H11ClN	362.77		Calbiochem	681640	362.8 Wee1 Inhibitor
BIM-0086789	C13H11N3	241.25		EMD Biosciences	572650	509516
BIM-0206950	C12H11N3	213.24		Calbiochem	217707	213.2
BIM-0207209	C24H19ClN	418.87		Calbiochem	681641	418.9 Wee1 Inhibitor II
BIM-0086776	C22H20N4	356.42		EMD Biosciences	481406	NF-KB Activation Inhibitor

BIM-0207157	C12H11N3	261.3		Calbiochem	401483	261.3 IKK-2 Inhibitor VI
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BIM-0086695	C10H4N6O	224.18		EMD Biosciences	521275	PKC1/Akt/Fc Dual Pathway Inhibitor
BIM-0207138	C24H29N7	431.53		Calbiochem	203882	431.5 CREB (S)-Isomer

Supplementary Table S5. IC₅₀ values obtained from the dose response experiments performed using 6 different concentrations of 9 KIs in a clinically relevant range (0.05-2 μM). IC₅₀ values were determined as the treatment dose that induced a 50% reduction of ATP levels. No ATP level-dependent inhibition was observed following treatment of CCRF-CEM cells with BIM-0086749, BIM-0207163, BIM-0207209 in the range of doses used in this study.

Kinase Inhibitors	IC ₅₀ (μM) ± SEM
BIM 0086768	0.190 ± 0.0078 μM
BIM 0086775	0.646 ± 0.0180 μM
BIM 0207152	0.374 ± 0.0281 μM
BIM 0086776	0.006 ± 1.275 e ⁻⁰⁴ μM
BIM 0050229	0.545 ± 0.0087 μM
BIM 0086751	1.879 ± 0.055 μM
BIM 0207209	No Effect
BIM 0086749	No Effect
BIM 0207163	No Effect

Supplementary Methods

miRNA transfections

For transfection of HeLa cells, miR16 and miR122 precursors and pre-miR (as negative control; Applied Biosystems, TX) were used. The cells were transfected with TransIT-TKO (Mirus Bio Corp., WI) according to the manufacturer's instruction. Fifty μL of transfection mixture containing 50 nM of miRNAs and TransIT-TKO transfection reagent in Opti-mem (Invitrogen, CA) was incubated for 20-25 minutes at room temperature and added into each well. The cells were cultured with the transfection mixture for 24 hours before proceeding to the metabolomic assays. All the experiments were performed in 6 replicates per condition.

ATPlite luminescence measurements

ATP Detection Assay (Perkin Elmer, MA) was used according to manufacturer's instruction to quantify the viability of cells in each well. Briefly, 50 μL of the reagent were added to each well, and thoroughly mixed for 2 minutes at 600 rpm using a plate shaker. Luminescence was measured using Biosystems Analyst HT microplate reader (LJL Biosystems, Inc., Sunnyvale, CA). Relative luminescence values were calculated by dividing the luminescence value of each treated sample by that of cells within the same plate receiving solvent control (negative controls).

Multivariate Z factor and Z_{bin} factor

The projected value $P_i^{C/T}$ for the i -th sample was calculated as a weighted sum of the solvent control (C) or drug treatment (T) spectral data values $x_{ij}^{C/T}$ for all the j data points (np) of the

NMR spectra. The weights are obtained from the loadings values of the first principal component of a principal component analysis (PCA).

$$P_i^{C/T} = \sum_{j=1}^{np} L_j^1 \cdot x_{ij}^{C/T} \quad (\text{S1})$$

The multivariate Z factor is then calculated as:

$$Z = 1 - 3 \cdot \frac{\sigma^C + \sigma^T}{|\mu^C - \mu^T|} \quad (\text{S2})$$

Where μ^C and μ^T , and σ^C and σ^T are the means and standard deviations of P^C (solvent control) and P^T (drug treatment), respectively. The Z-factor can have values within the range of $-\infty \leq Z \leq 1$; Z-factor values between 0.5 and 1 indicate an excellent separation of groups; $0 \leq Z \leq 0.5$ indicates moderate separation while $Z = 0$ points to poor separation. For $Z < 0$, the method is not suitable for screening.

Alternatively, a calculation of Z_{bin} factor values for every point/bin (i) of the spectrum can be calculated as follows:

$$Z_{\text{bin}} = 1 - 3 \cdot \frac{\sigma_i^C + \sigma_i^T}{|\mu_i^C - \mu_i^T|} \quad (\text{S3})$$

where μ_i^C and μ_i^T , and σ_i^C and σ_i^T are the means and standard deviations at each point/bin (i) of the NMR spectra for solvent control (C) and drug treated (T) samples, respectively.