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4 **Supplemental File 2**

5 **Activation of Nrf2 in the Liver is Associated with Stress Resistance Mediated by**
6 **Suppression of the Growth Hormone-Regulated STAT5b Transcription Factor**

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23 **Classification analysis of Nrf2 activation using machine learning algorithms.**

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25 Nrf2 activation was predicted using 7 classification models as detailed in the Methods
26 section. To determine the pcontribution of comparisons between chemically-treated wild-type
27 and Nrf2-null samples, two training sets were used in the prediction models including the
28 samples from livers of wild-type and Nrf2-null mice treated with CDDO-Im (Yates et al., 2009)
29 and the same dataset excluding the control and treated Nrf2-null samples. The derived classifiers
30 of 175 and 92 probe sets, respectively were then used to predict Nrf2 activation of test samples.
31 An independent manually curated test set came from mice with known Nrf2 activation status.
32 The models using the wild-type and Nrf2-null samples in the training set had excellent sensitivity
33 (mean, 100%) but low specificity (specificity range, 30-94%; mean, 62%) (data not shown). The
34 models using only the wild-type samples as the training set had lower sensitivity compared to
35 using all samples (mean, 57%) but somewhat greater specificity (range, 71-84%; mean, 78%),
36 indicating that the wild-type vs. null comparison of CDDO-Im treatment contributed to improved
37 sensitivity in classification predictions. Because of the low specificity or sensitivity of the
38 models, none were thought to be adequate for predicting Nrf2 activation of additional samples.

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