

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Smoking as an independent risk factor for hepatocellular carcinoma due to the $\alpha 7$ -nAChR modulating the JAK2/STAT3 signaling axis

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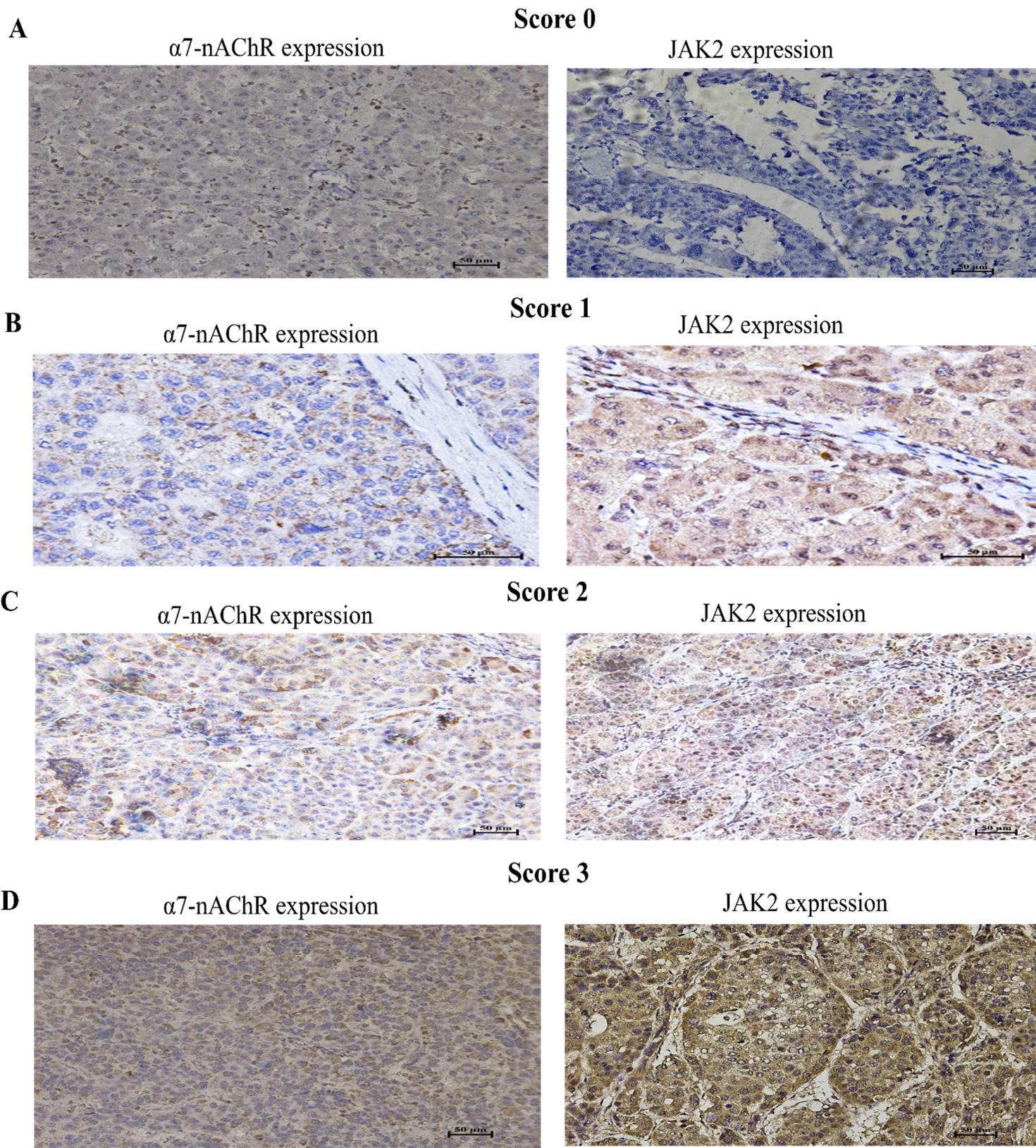
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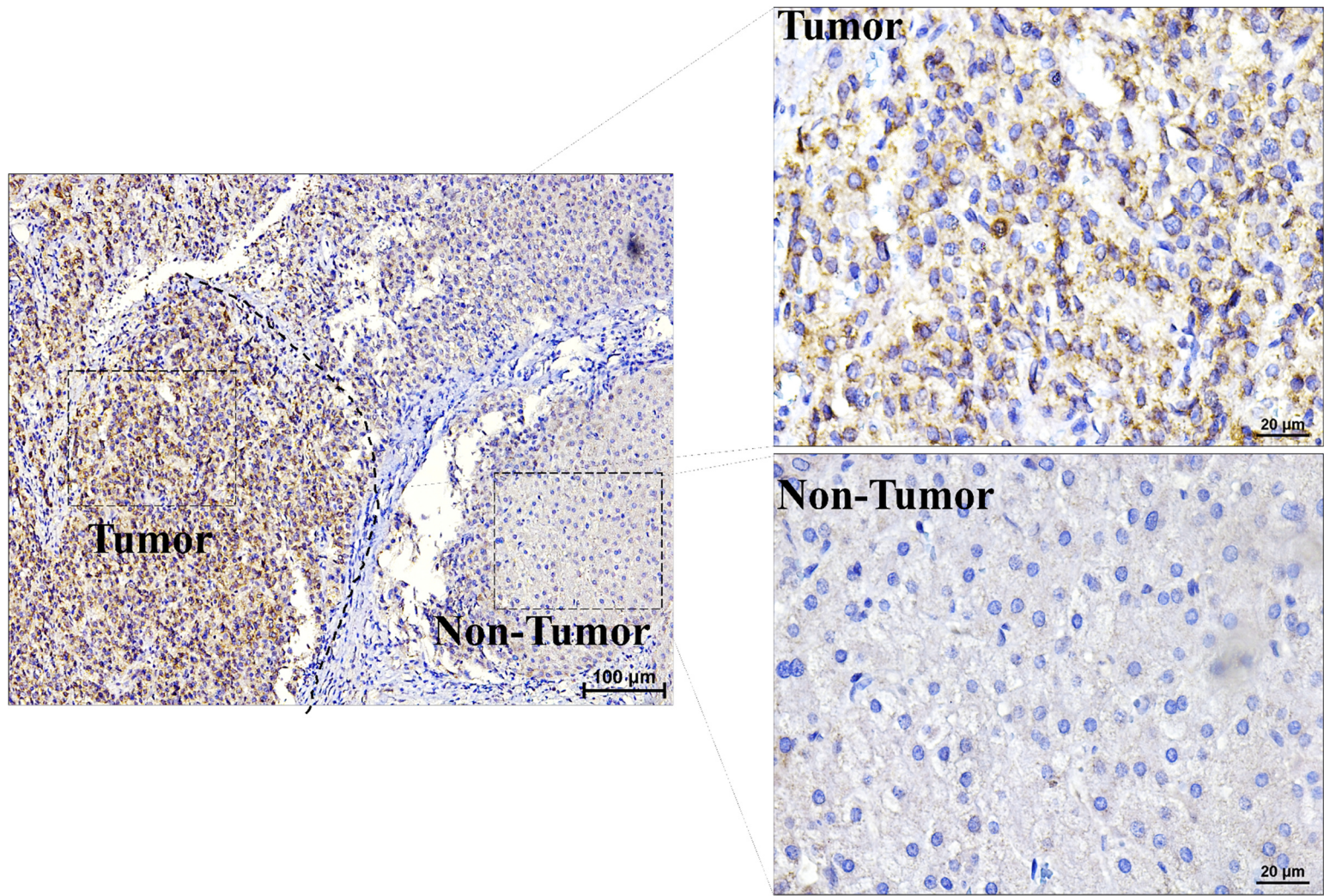
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Supplementary Figure S1



Supplementary Figure S2