

Conditional Poisson Binomial (CPB) test negates the bias that may be due to individual gene's expression or specific intracellular localization. The null probability in CPB test is conditioned on global summary statistic of each of the individual genes. An abundant gene is defined as 5 highest expressed genes across cells.



2(b) shows that ~30% of top correlated gene pairs overlap across Zhuang and Han U2OS data. 2(a) shows high reproducibility across datasets if we perform gene level analysis.



FPR estimated as the fraction of significant gene pairs (by CPB test) that include at least one blank "gene", at varying p-value thresholds. InSTAnT predicts ~400 d-colocalized pairs at d = 4 with low blank fraction (~5%)



Visualization of a few d-colocalized pairs in sample cells.



Example of scale dependent d-colocalized pairs. Variation of $-\log(p)$ from CPB test as d varies between 1 and 6 microns for the two gene pairs is shown.



Intra-nucleus mode adjusts p-value for nucleus enriched gene pairs. Nucleus enriched pairs is defined as having at least one gene that is among the 3 highest expressed genes in nucleus. Cytosol enriched pairs is defined as having at least one gene that is among the 70 lowest (bottom half) expressed genes in nucleus. Biggest adjustment happens for *SRRM2-MALAT1* which is not d-colocalized at the whole cell level but is colocalized in intra-nucleus mode.



Supplementary Figure 7 Example of a category 2 pair specific to excitatory neurons.



Example of a spatially modulated d-colocalized pair *Slc17a6-Syt4* specific to excitatory neurons. Slc17a6 is a vesicular glutamate transporter that is considered a canonical marker of glutamaterigic neurons¹ while Syt4 is a vesicular synaptic protein that regulates Calcium-dependent glutamate release in astrocytes, a gliotransmission pathway that affects synaptic transmission².



GO enrichment analysis of module M2 from Figure 6b.

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