Study design for integrative genomics and metabolomics studies



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Abstract

Integration of omics has been proven to explain complex human phenotypes, disease progression and their heritability. Through the analyses of impact of genome on metabolome we have learned new interlaced control pathways and further discovered unexpected plasticity of environmentally driven signal transduction pathways. These integrative studies have their own requirements for study design, sample randomisation and normalisation of data. Not all study design strategies performing well in genomics can be directly applied to metabolomics or other functional studies like transcriptomics and metabolomics. Examples of design-flawed approaches will be shown to illustrate the impact of study design on the outcome and statistical analyses of data. Quality control procedures might be implemented to prevent flawed design.

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