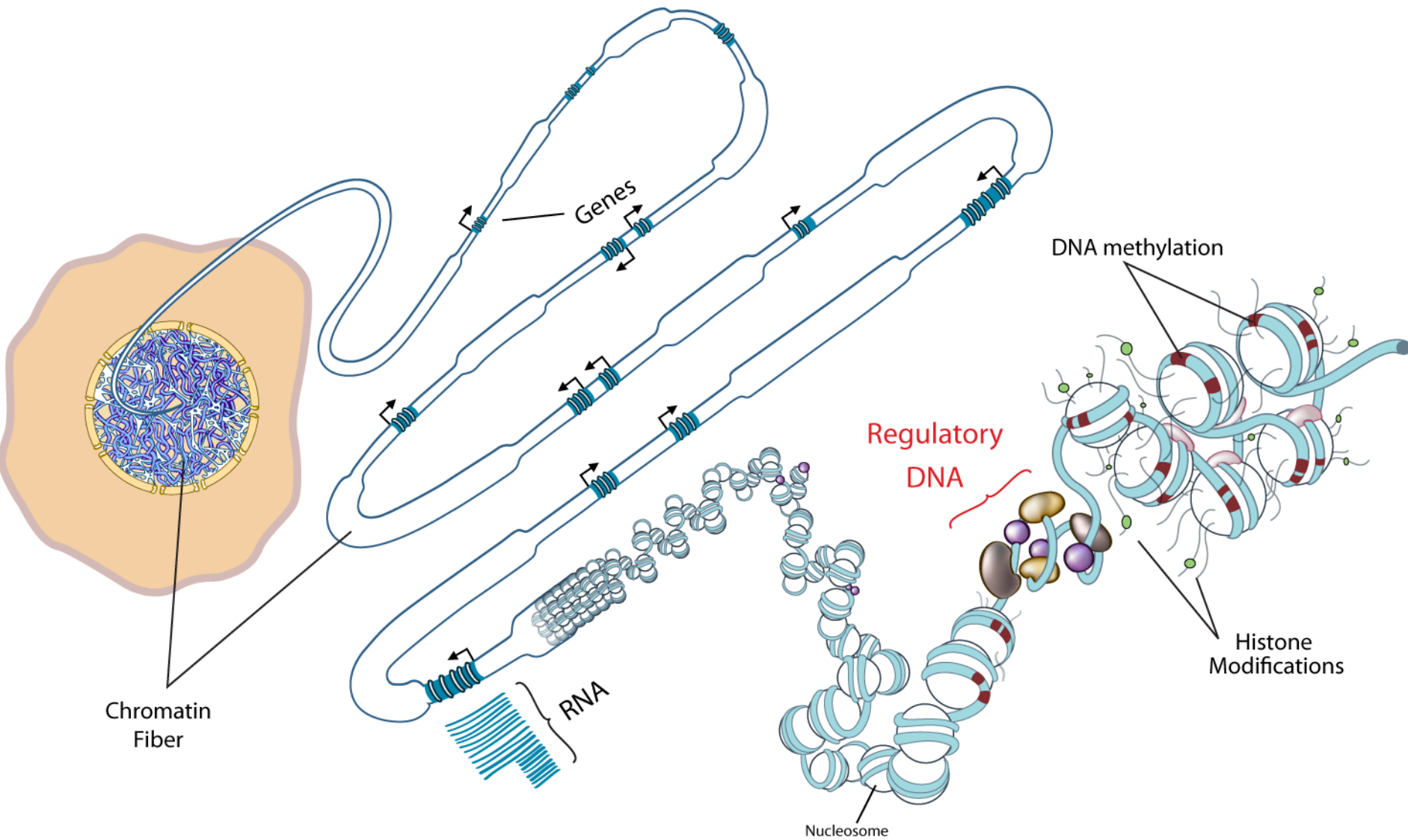


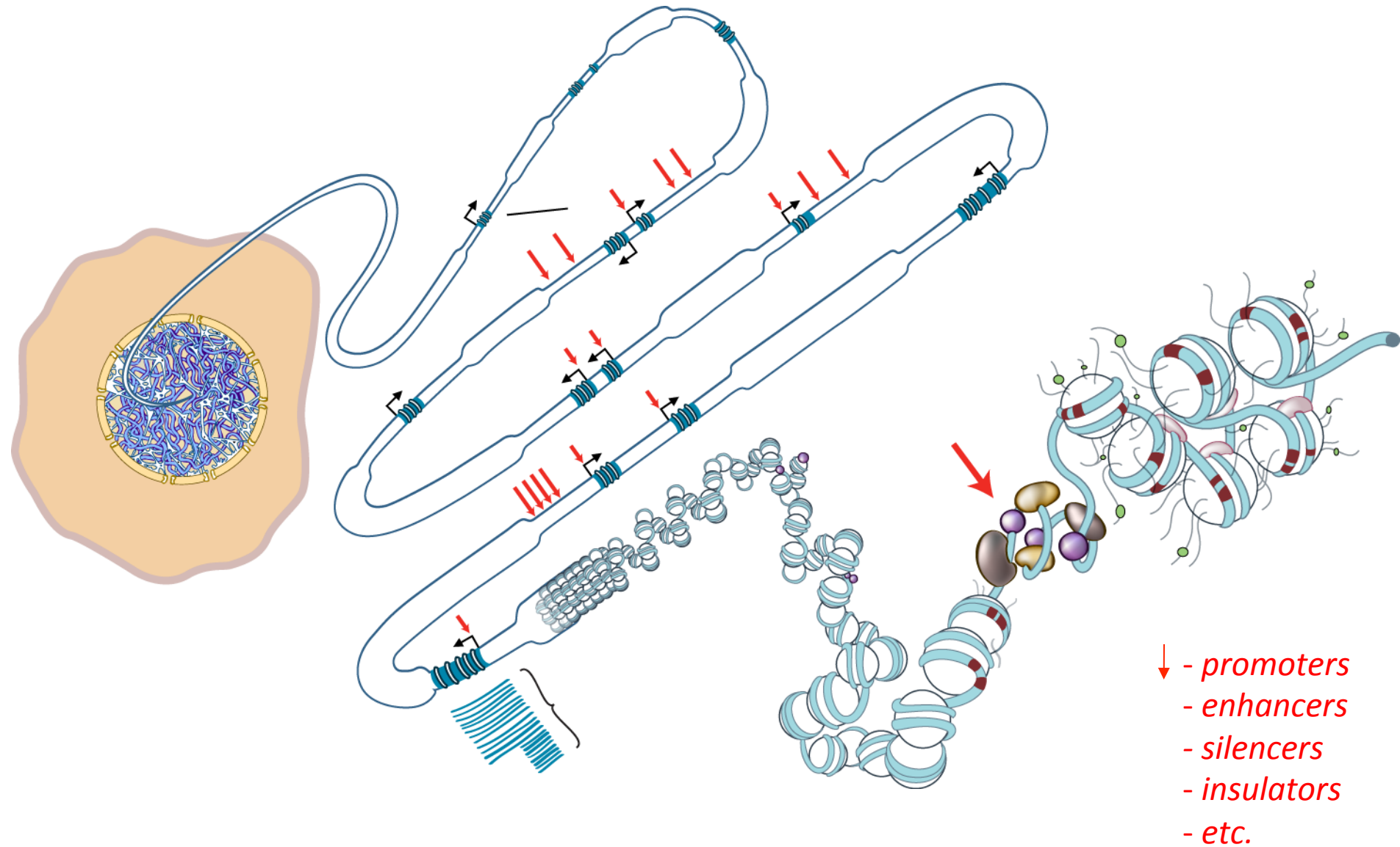
Using ENCODE data to illuminate disease-and trait-associated variation

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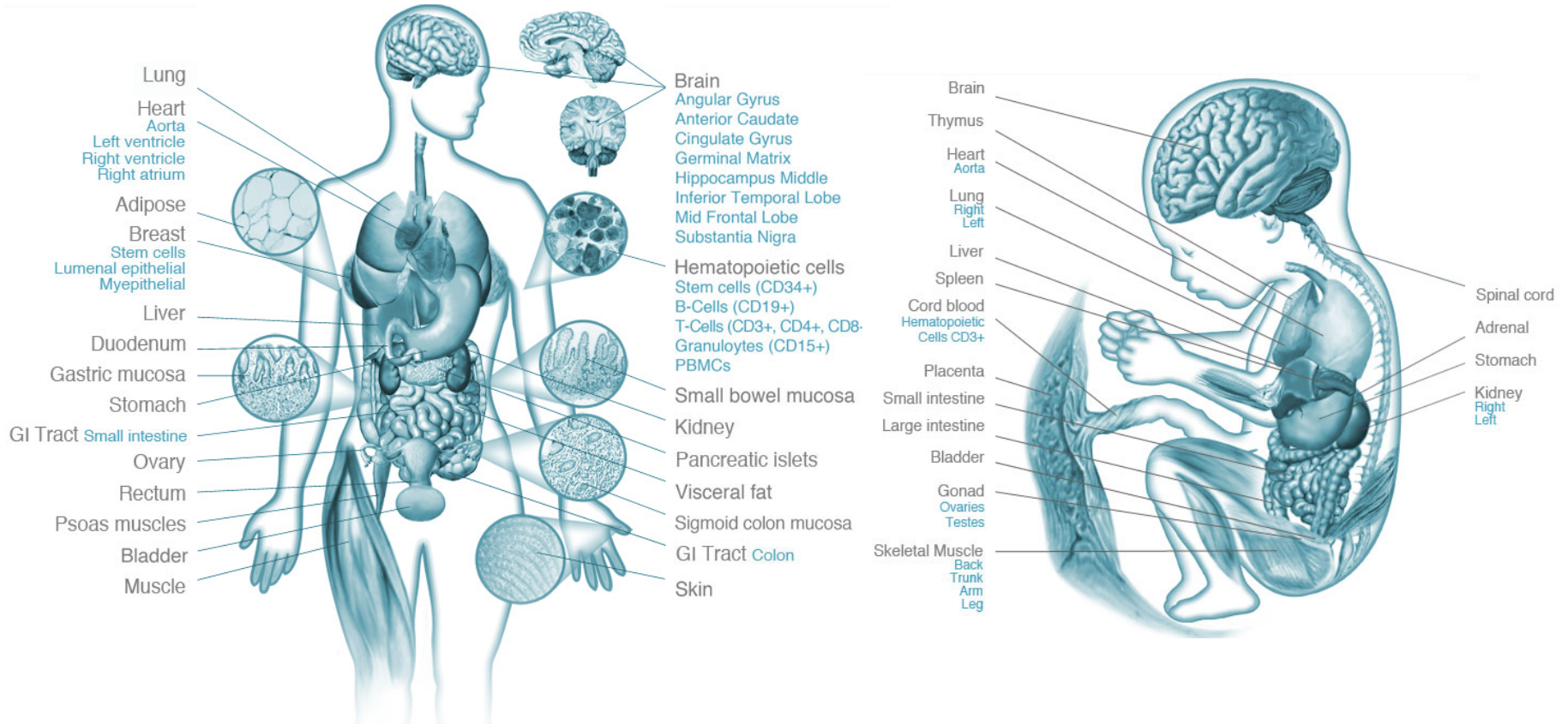
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Creating deep maps of human regulatory DNA

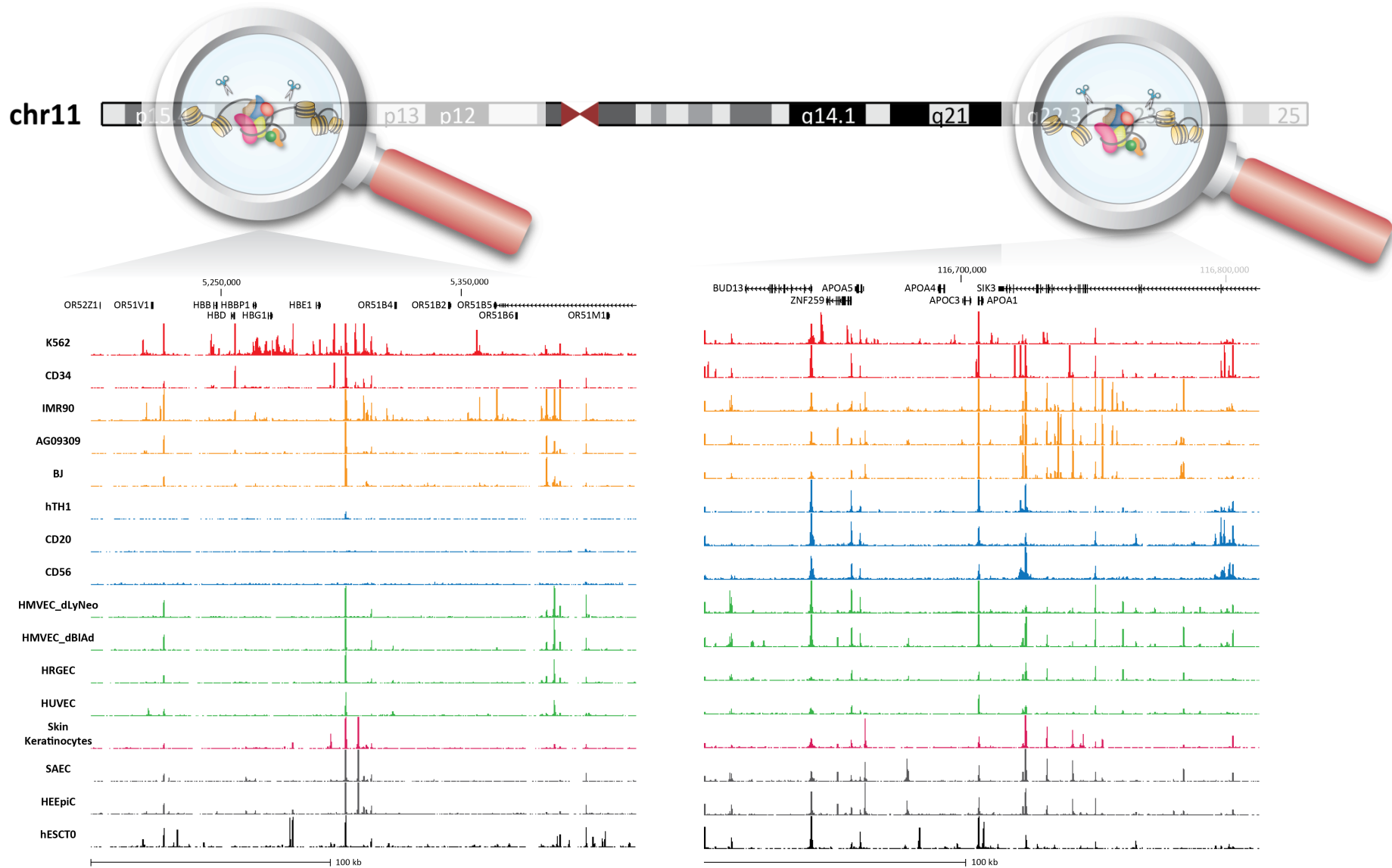


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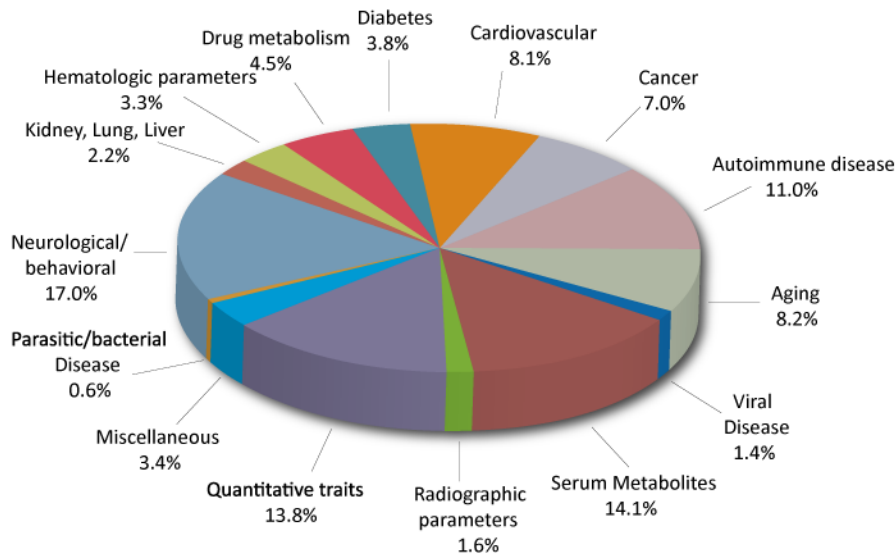
Closing in on a comprehensive atlas of human regulatory DNA



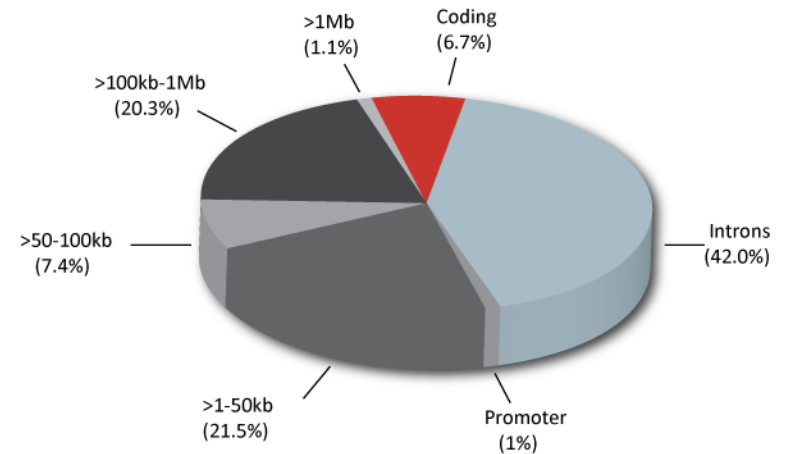
**Regulatory DNA variation
associated with common
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Identification of disease- and trait-associated variation by GWAS

GWAS Studies



Distribution of GWAS SNPs vs. known genes



GWAS disease/trait associated variants

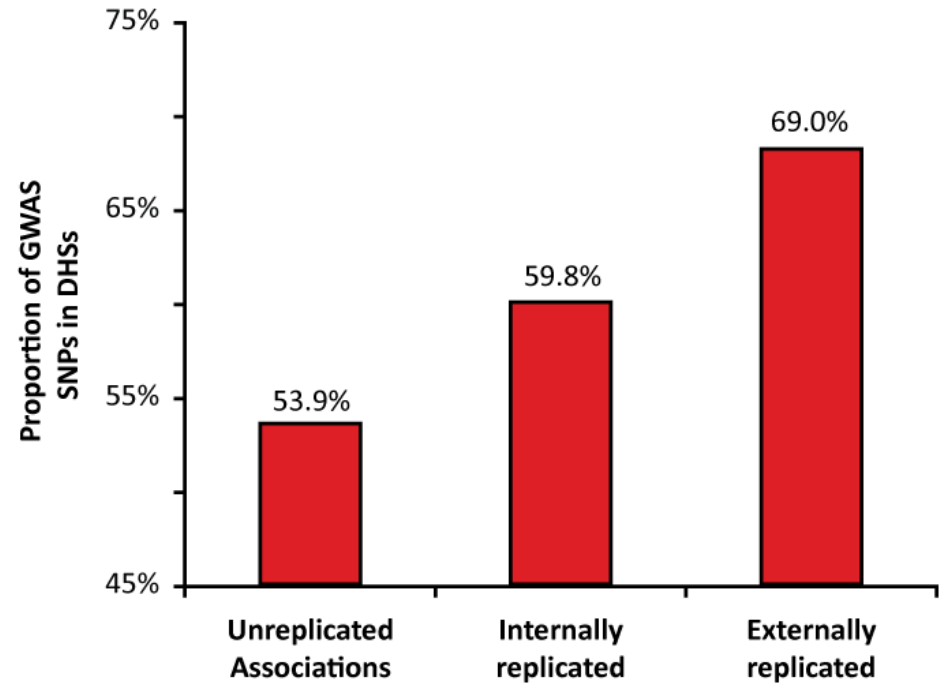
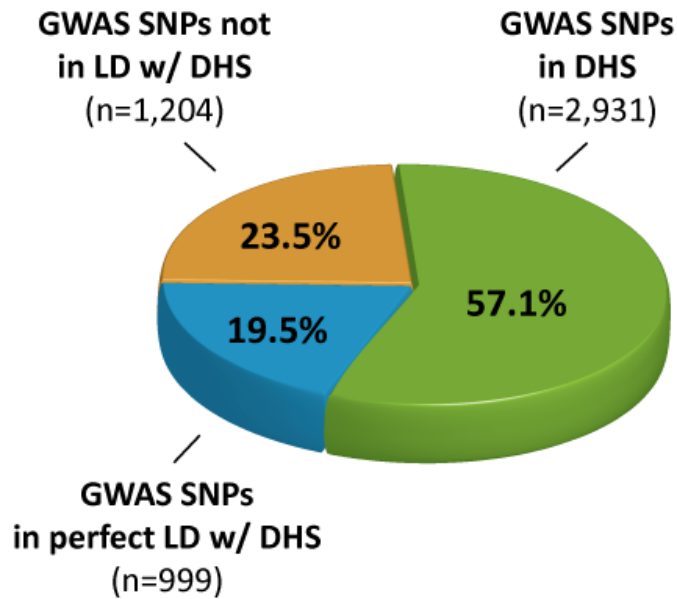
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Maps of regulatory DNA in >300 diverse cell and tissue types

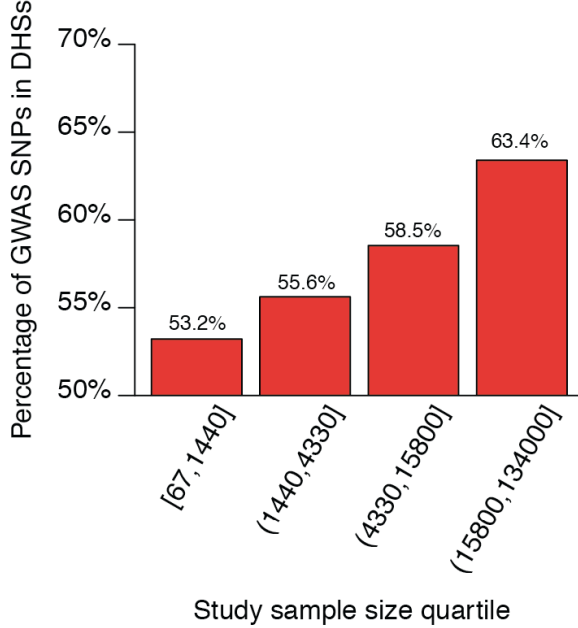
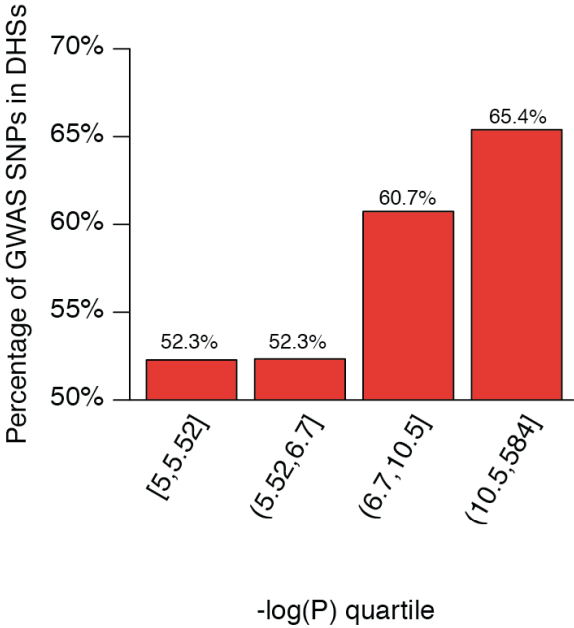
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**Disease-associated variation
is concentrated in
regulatory DNA**

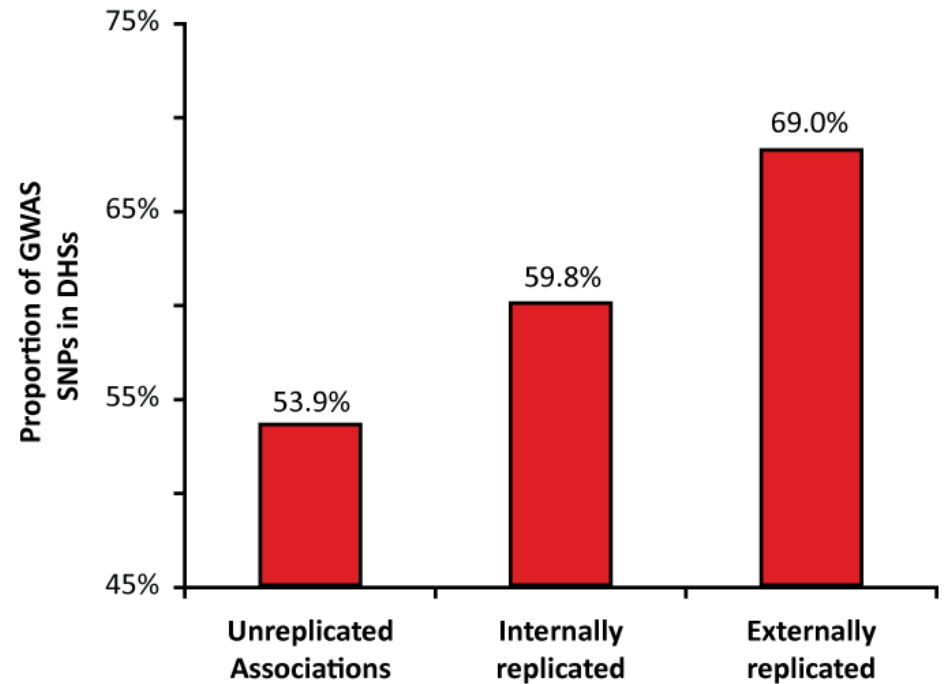
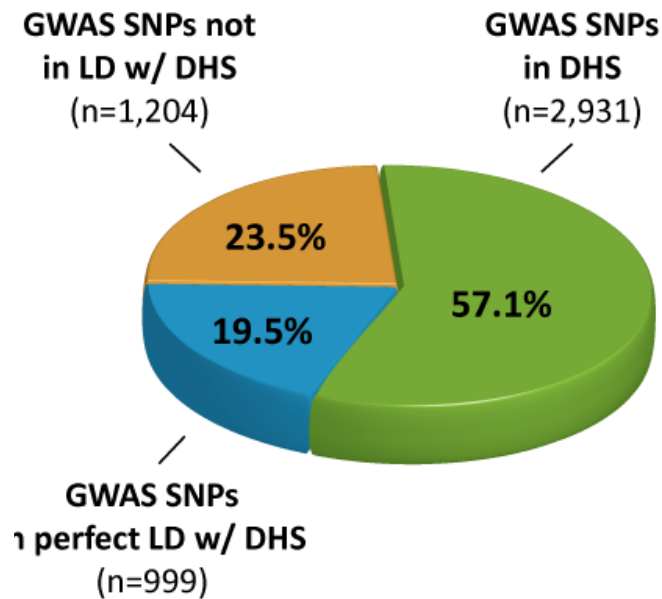
Disease- and trait-associated SNPs are concentrated in regulatory DNA



The effect increases monotonically with other measures of higher quality associations



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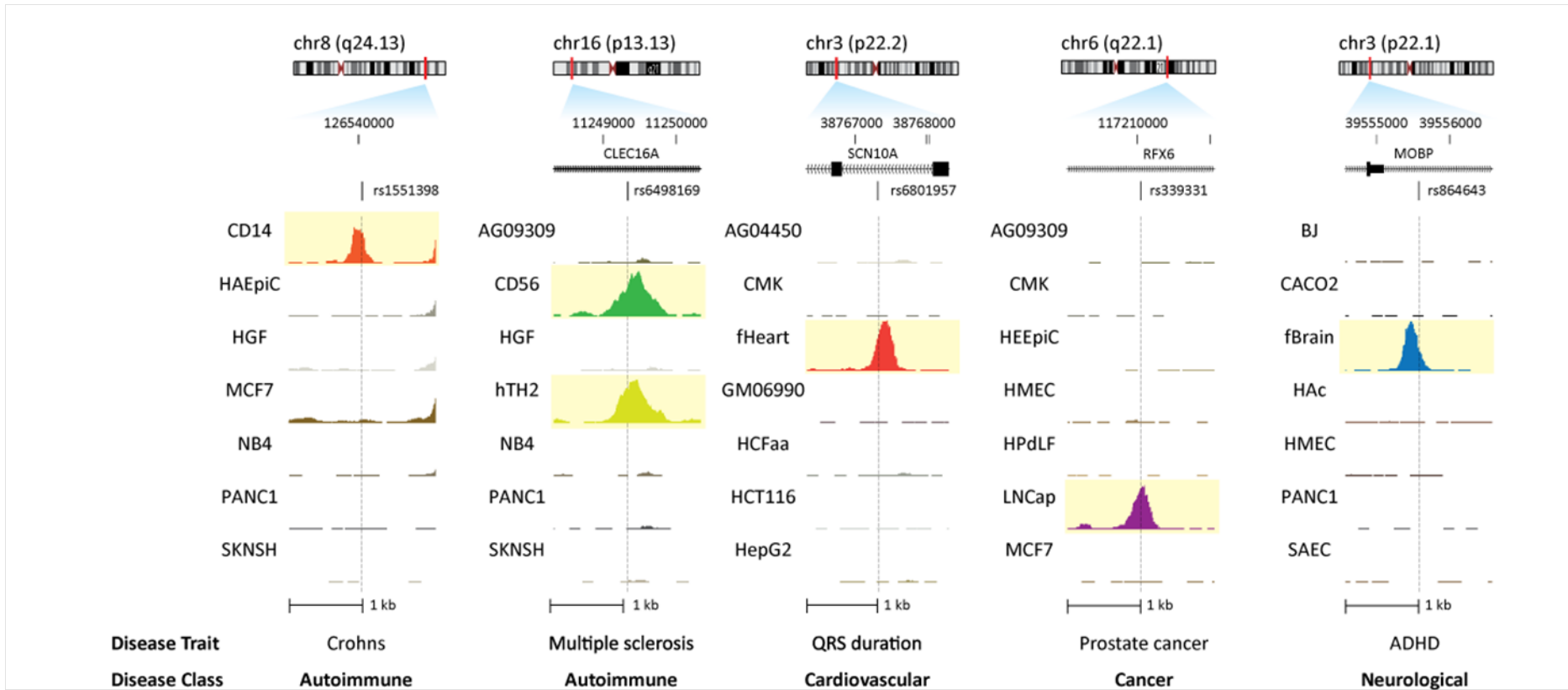
~1.8-fold for all replicated variants in all disorders

>10-fold for specific disease-cell type pairings

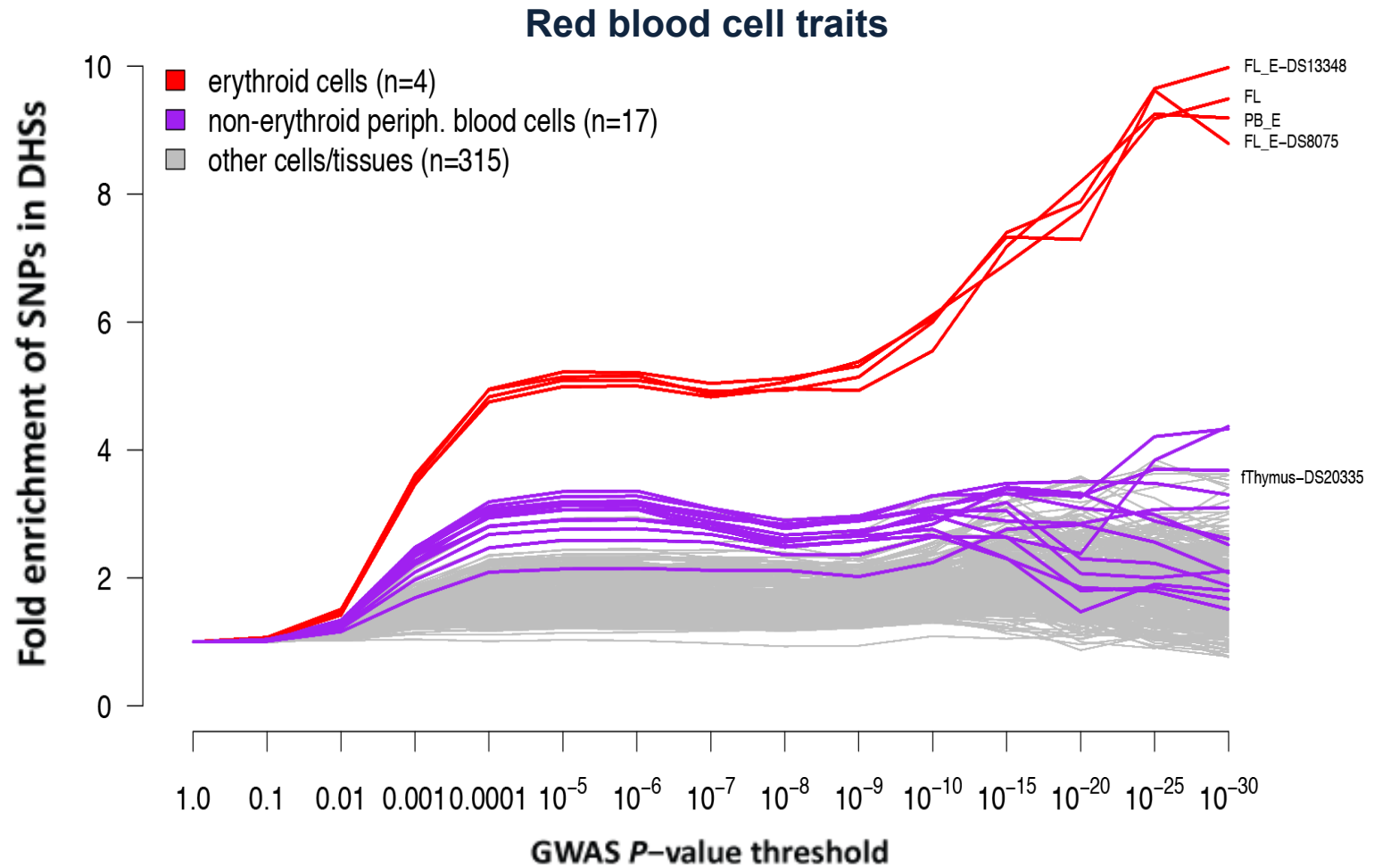
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**GWAS variants selectively
localize in pathologically
relevant cell types**

Disease-associated variation clusters in pathogenic or target cell types



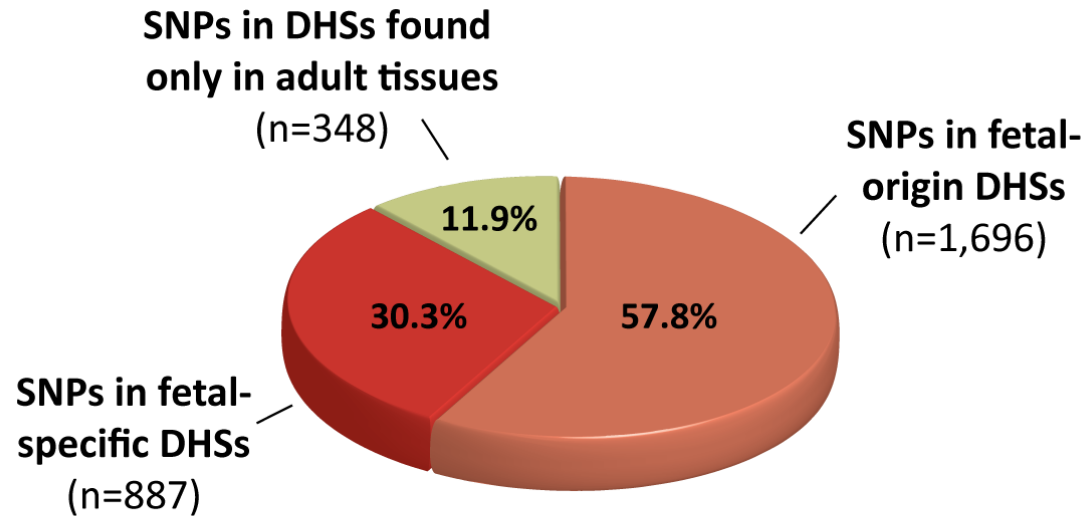
Cell-selective enrichment of trait-associated variants



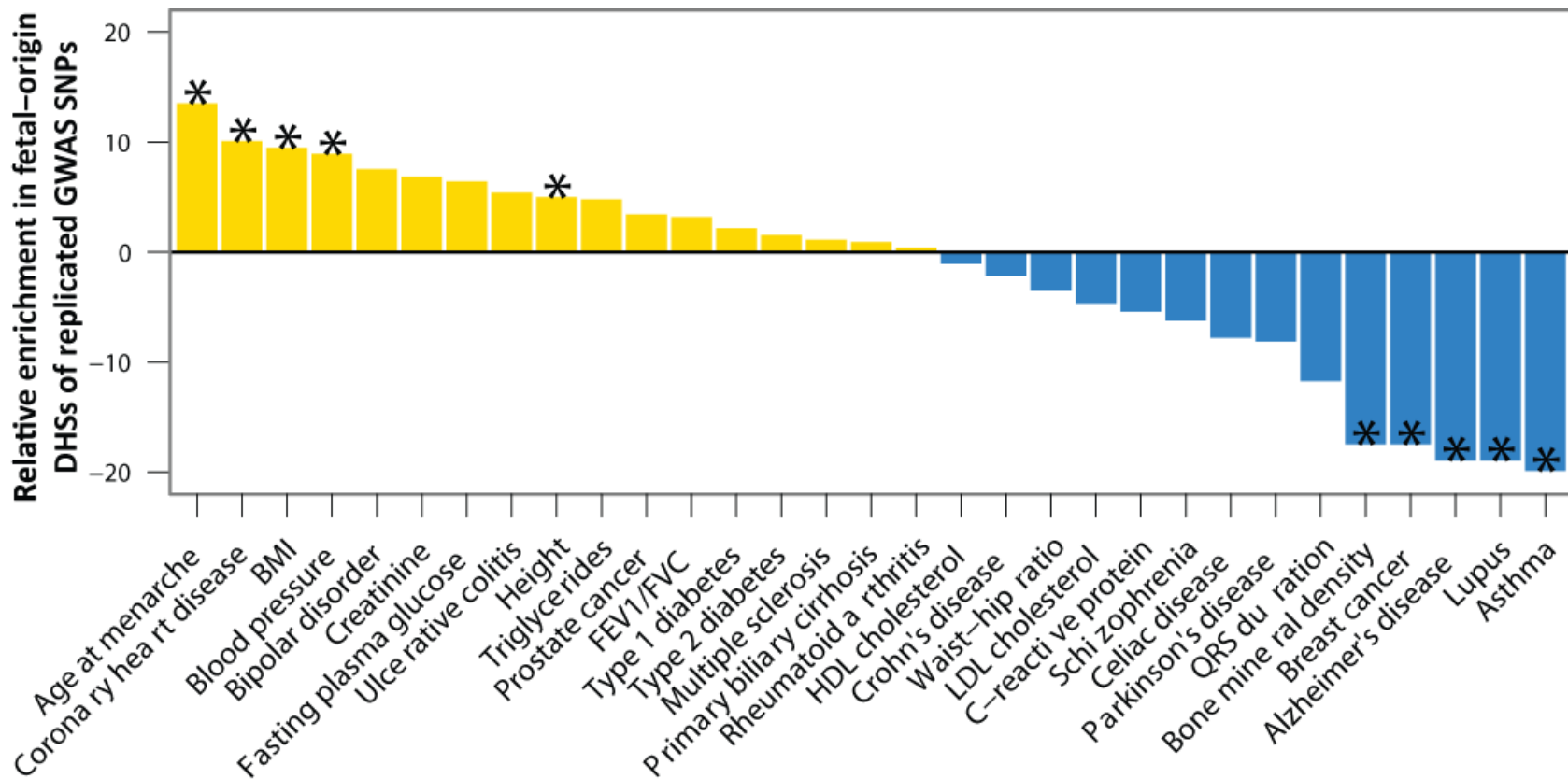
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**Diseases and traits with
developmental contributions
preferentially localize in fetal
regulatory DNA**

Most variants lie in regulatory DNA of fetal origin



Fetal regulatory variants are enriched in traits & diseases with known links to intrauterine exposures



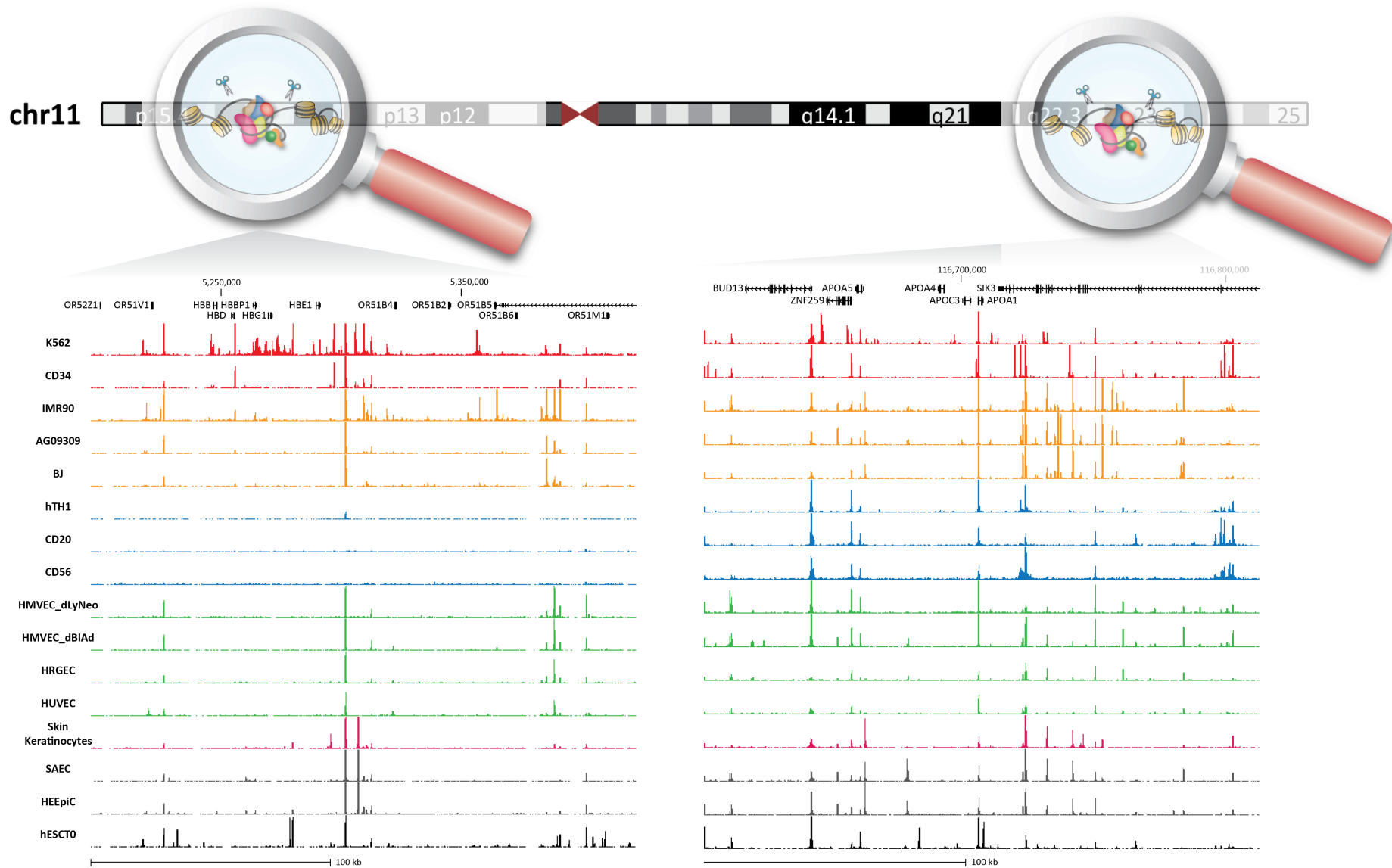
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Don't assume local effects

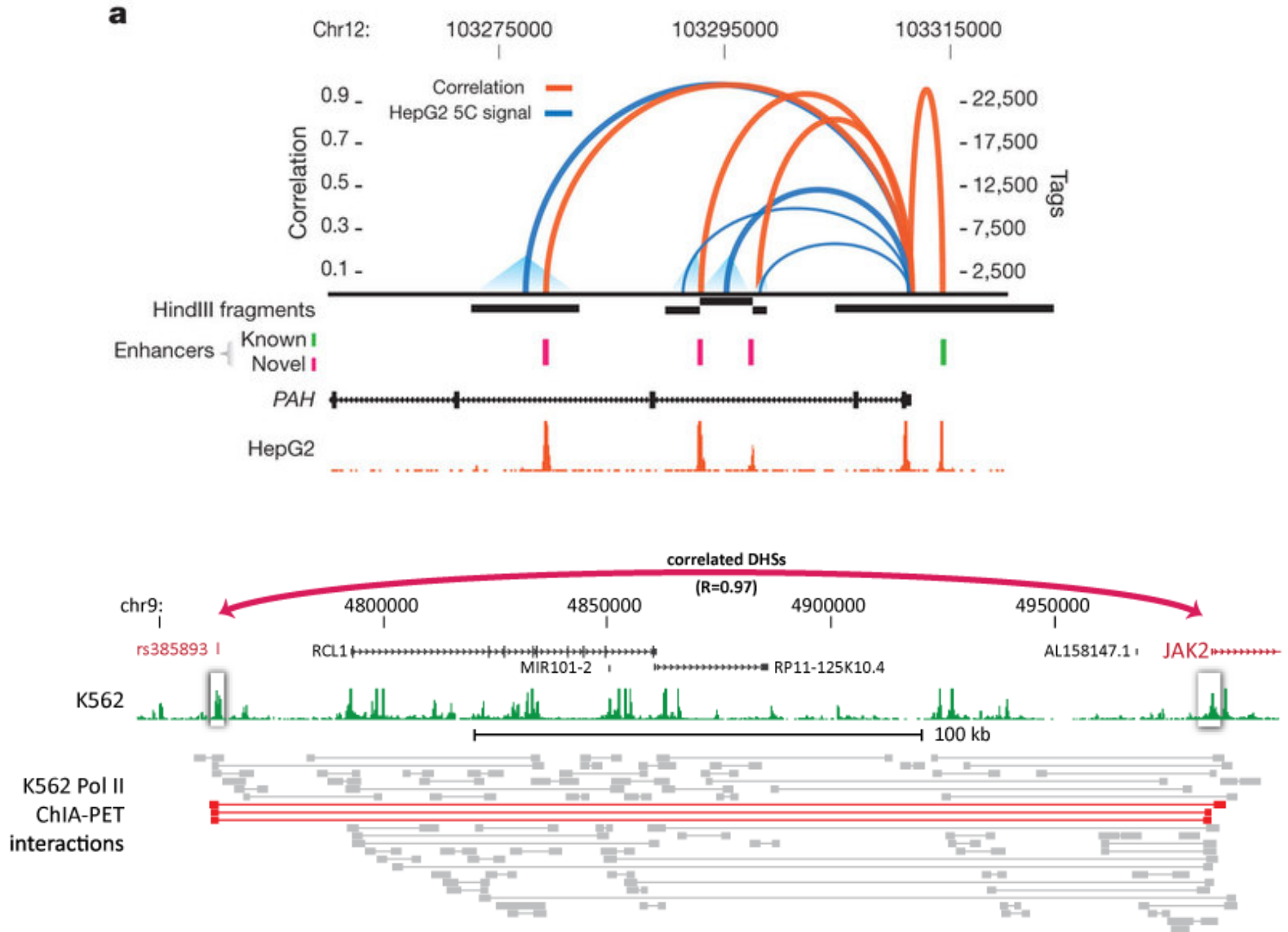
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**Regulatory DNA harboring
GWAS variants mainly controls
distant genes**

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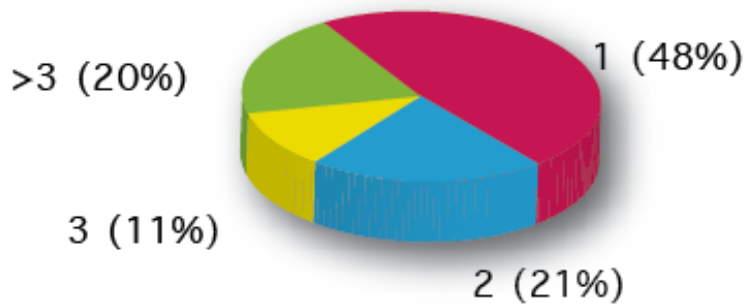


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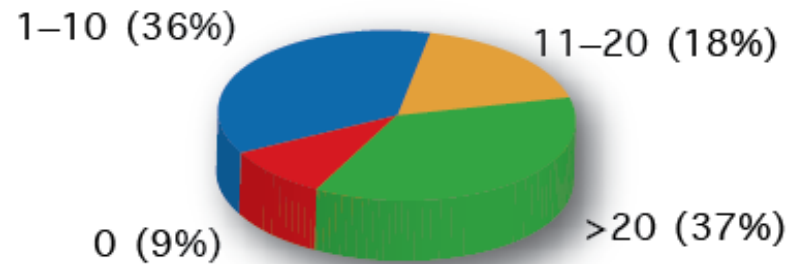


How is regulatory DNA 'wired' *in cis*?

Promoter DHSs connected
per distal DHS
(n = 578,905)

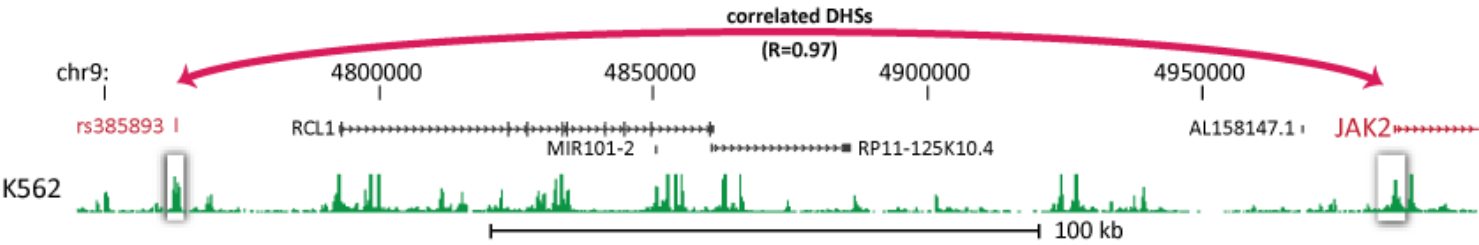


Distal DHSs connected
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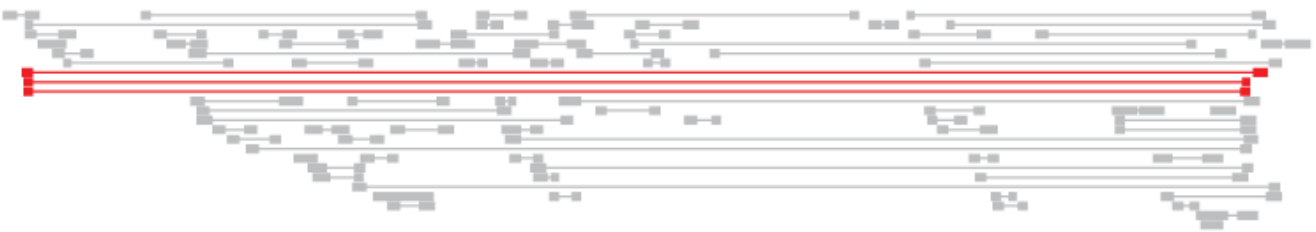


Regulatory GWAS variants linked to distant genes with causative potential

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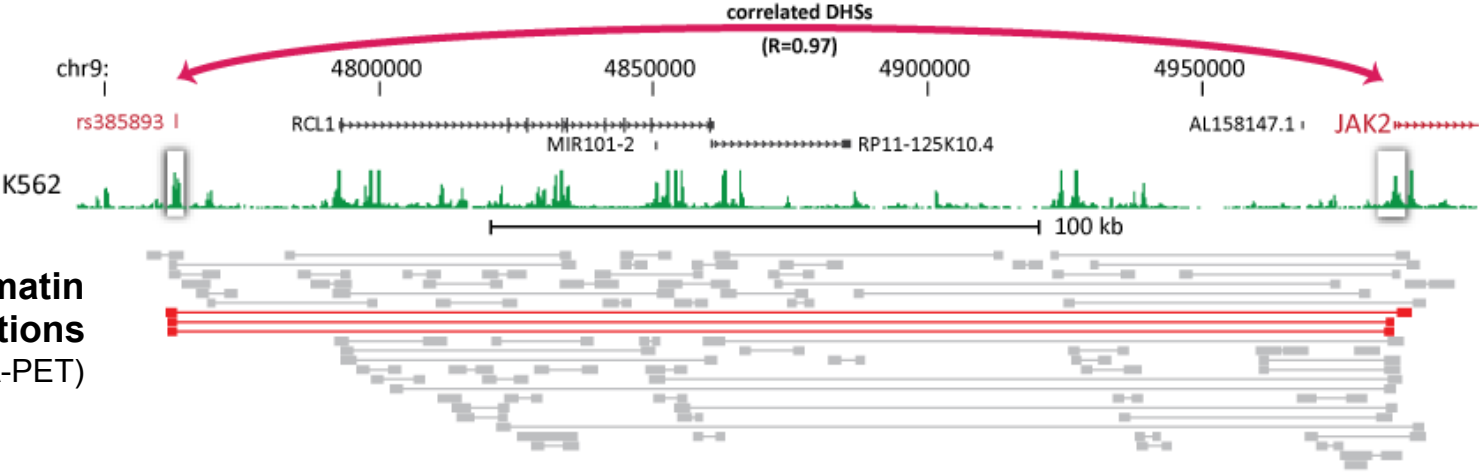


Chromatin interactions (ChIA-PET)

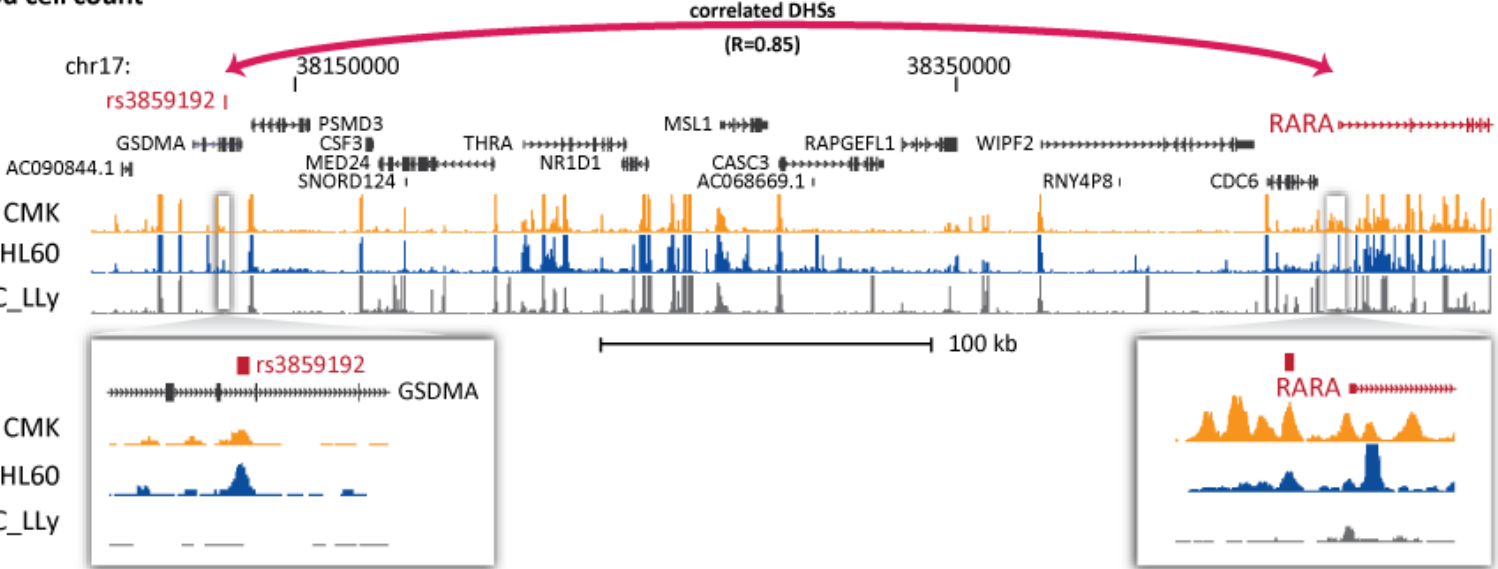


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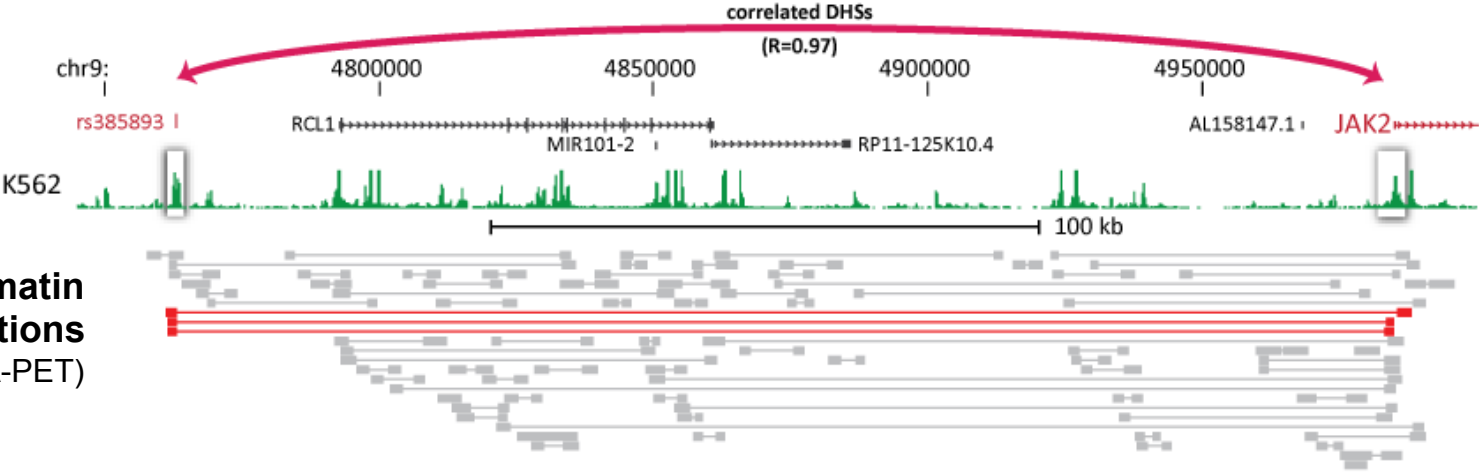


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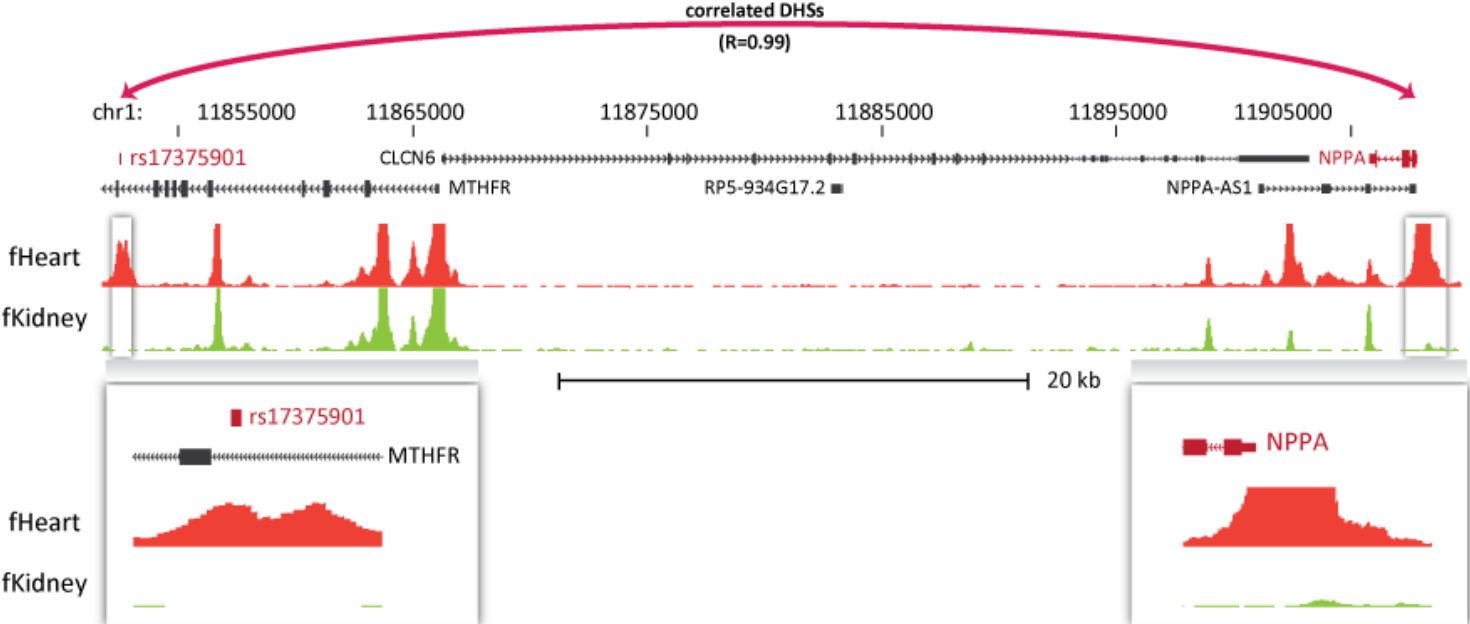


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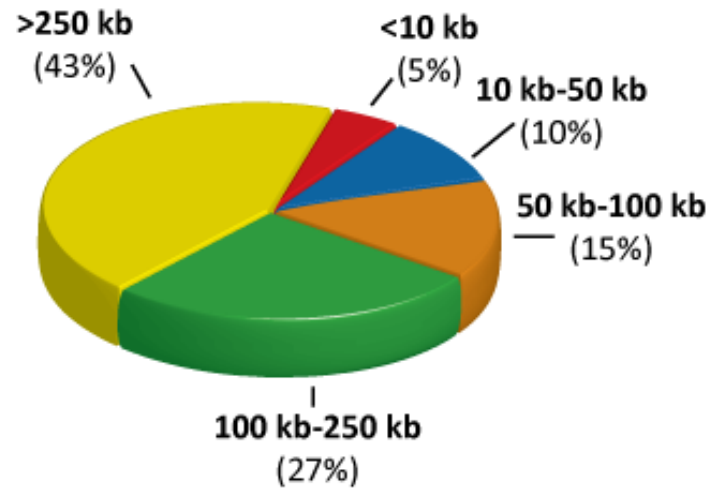
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Atrial fibrillation



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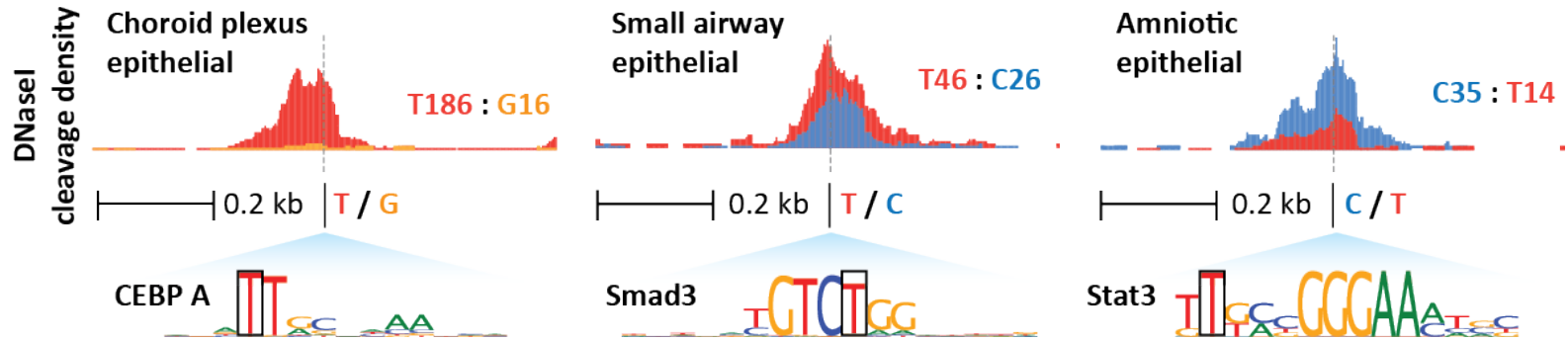


Disease or trait	<i>r</i>	Target gene	Function	Distance (kb)
Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis	1	SYNGAP1*	Axon formation; component of NMDA complex	411
Crohn's disease	1	TRIB1*	NF- κ B regulation	95
Time to first primary tooth	0.99	PRDM1*	Craniofacial development	452
C-reactive protein	0.99	NLRP3	Response to bacterial pathogens	20
Multiple sclerosis	0.98	AHI1*	White matter abnormalities	149
QRS duration	0.96	SCN10A*	Sodium channel involved in cardiac conduction	181
Breast cancer	0.96	TACC2*	Tumor suppressor	411
Schizophrenia/brain imaging	0.95	KIF1A*	Neuron-specific kinesin involved in axonal transport	428
Brain structure	0.94	CXCR6*	Chemokine receptor involved in glial migration	357
Rheumatoid arthritis	0.94	CTSB*	Cysteine proteinase linked to articular erosion	359
Ovarian cancer	0.93	HSPG2*	Ovarian tumor suppressor	268
Multiple sclerosis	0.93	ZP1*	Known autoantigen	153
ADHD	0.93	PDLIM5*	Neuronal calcium signaling	328
Breast cancer	0.88	MAP3K1*	Response to growth factors	158
Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis	0.88	CNTN4	Neuronal cell adhesion	306
Schizophrenia	0.81	FXR1*	Cognitive function	120
Type 1 diabetes	0.75	ACAD10*	Mitochondrial oxidation of fatty acids	343
Lupus	0.74	STAT4	Mediates IL-12 immune response and T _H 1 differentiation	113

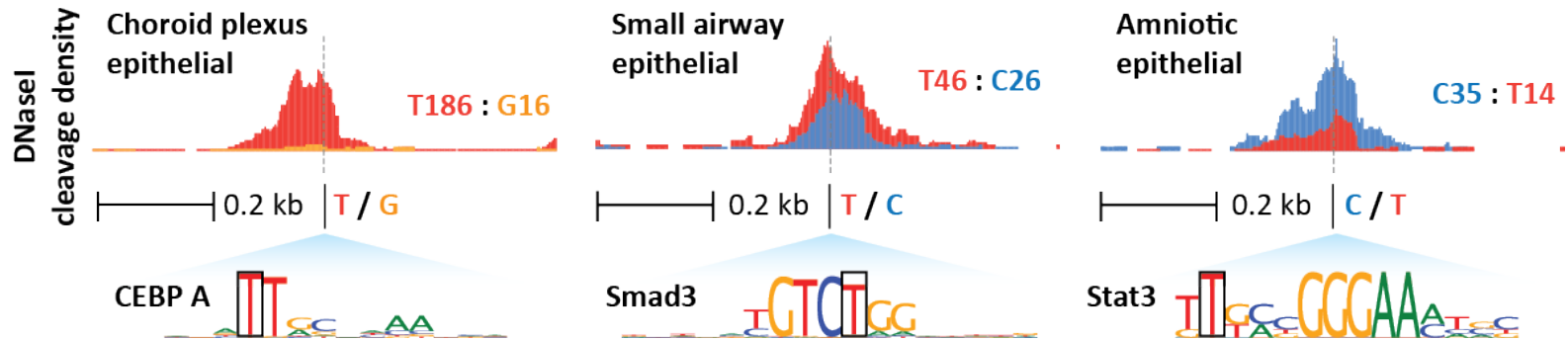
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**GWAS variants in regulatory
DNA selectively localize to
relevant TF recognition sites
and many directly affect TF
occupancy**

Disease/trait variants specify allelic chromatin states



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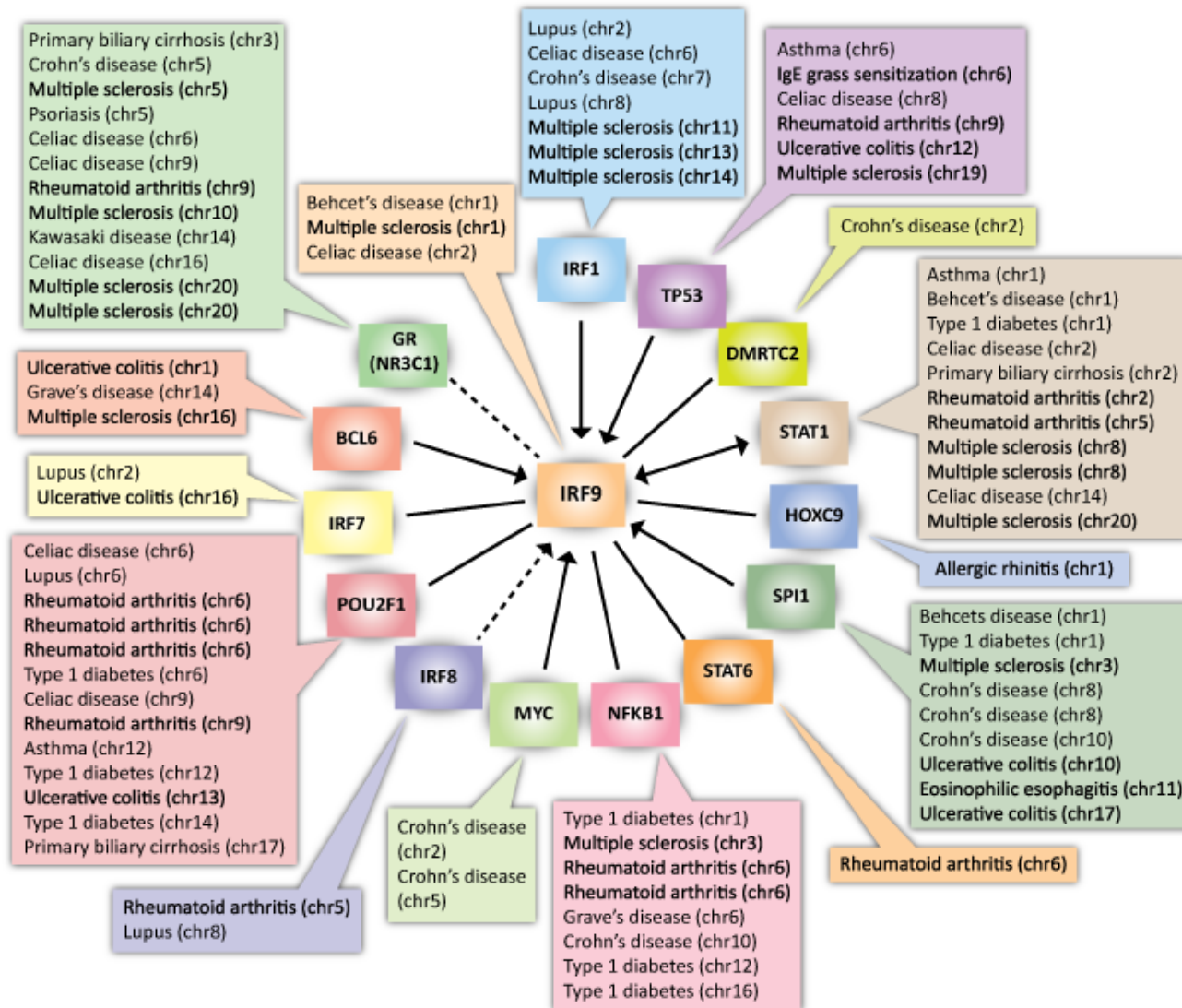
Overall, 20.5% of GWAS SNPs exhibit significant allelic imbalance

For those with high sequencing depth (>200x), **38.7%**

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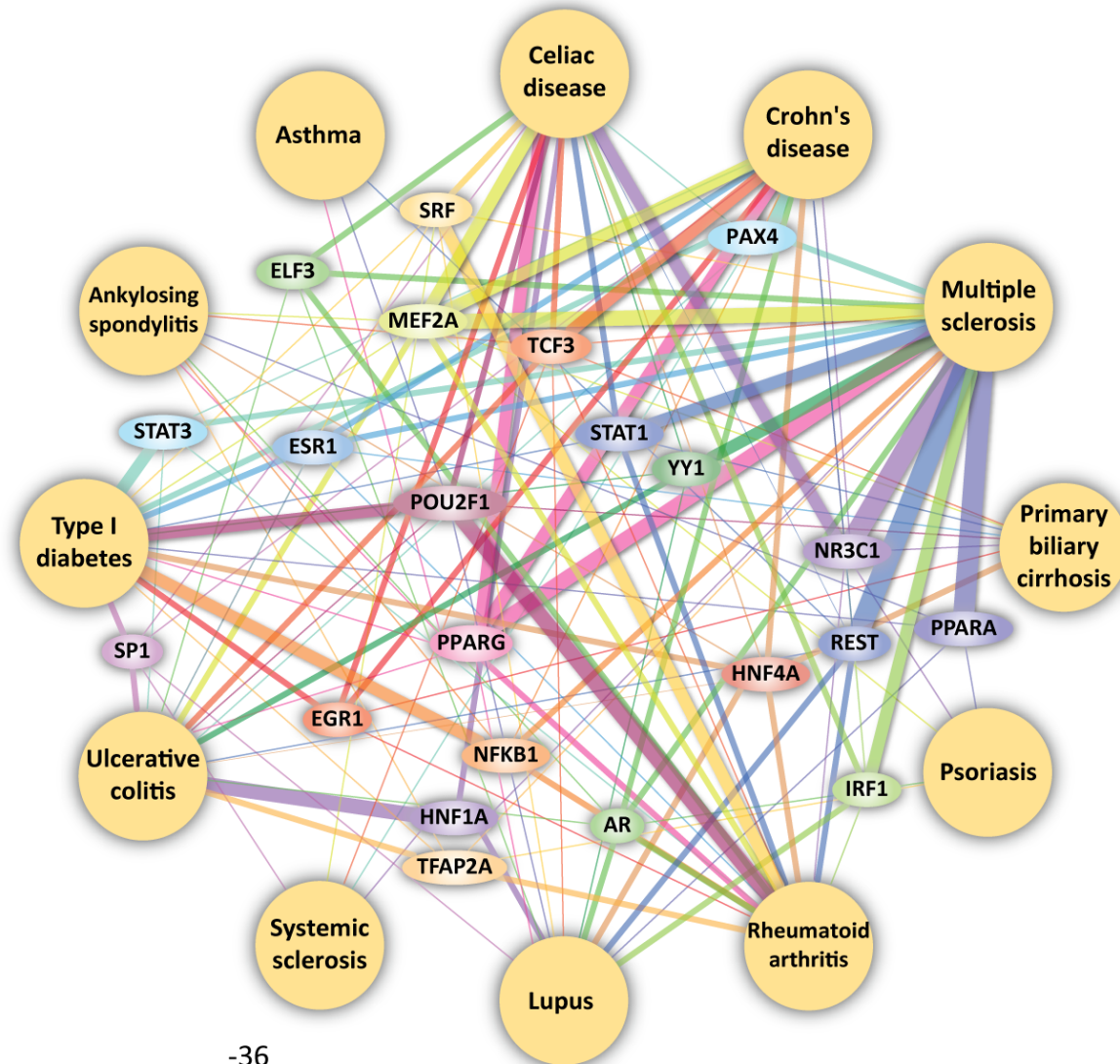
**GWAS variants cluster in
regulatory pathways and form
regulatory networks**

~25% of rGWAS inflammatory disease variants lie in IRF9 pathway



$P < 1.6 \times 10^{-13}$

A common regulatory network for autoimmune disease

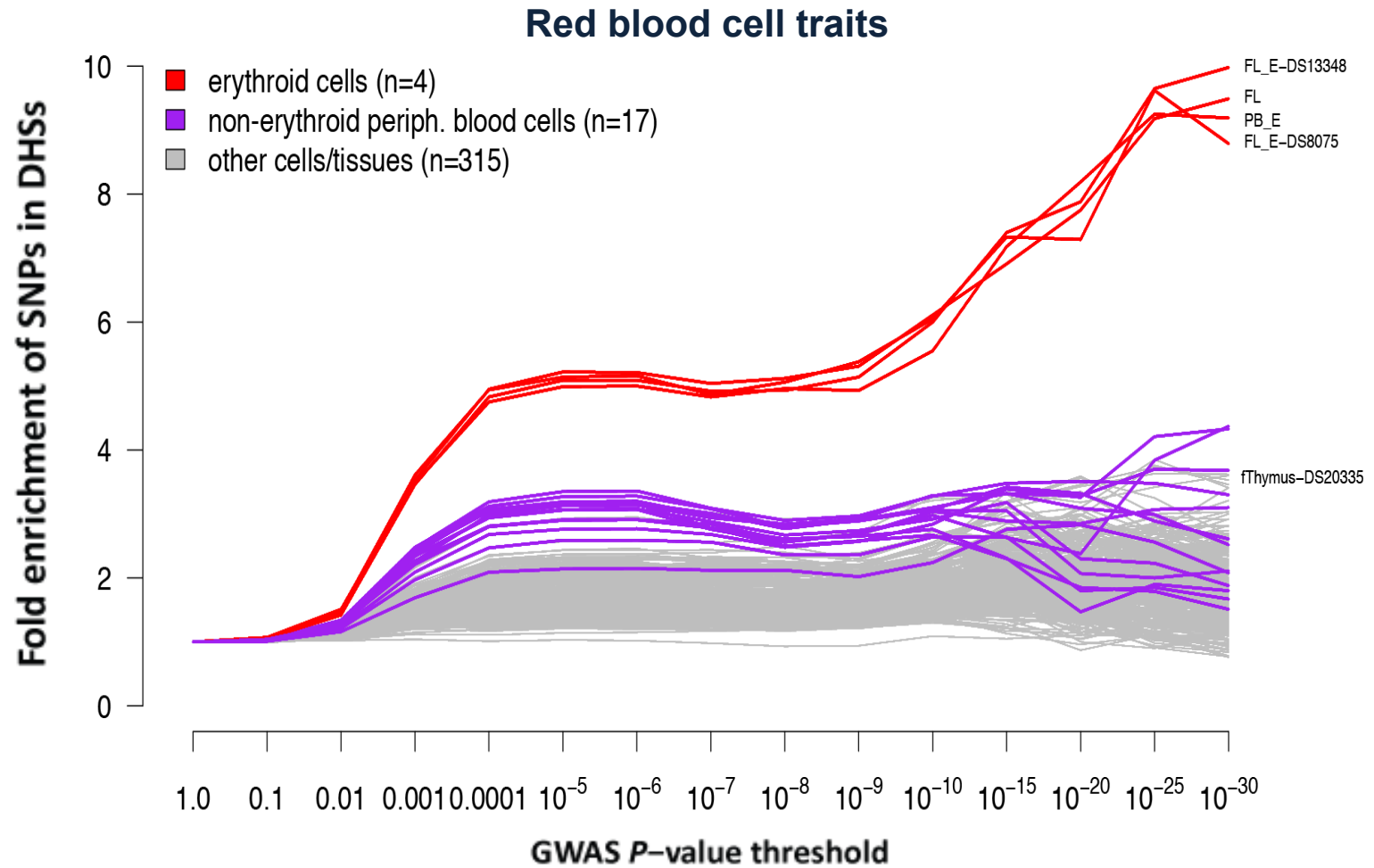


$P < 1.3 \times 10^{-36}$

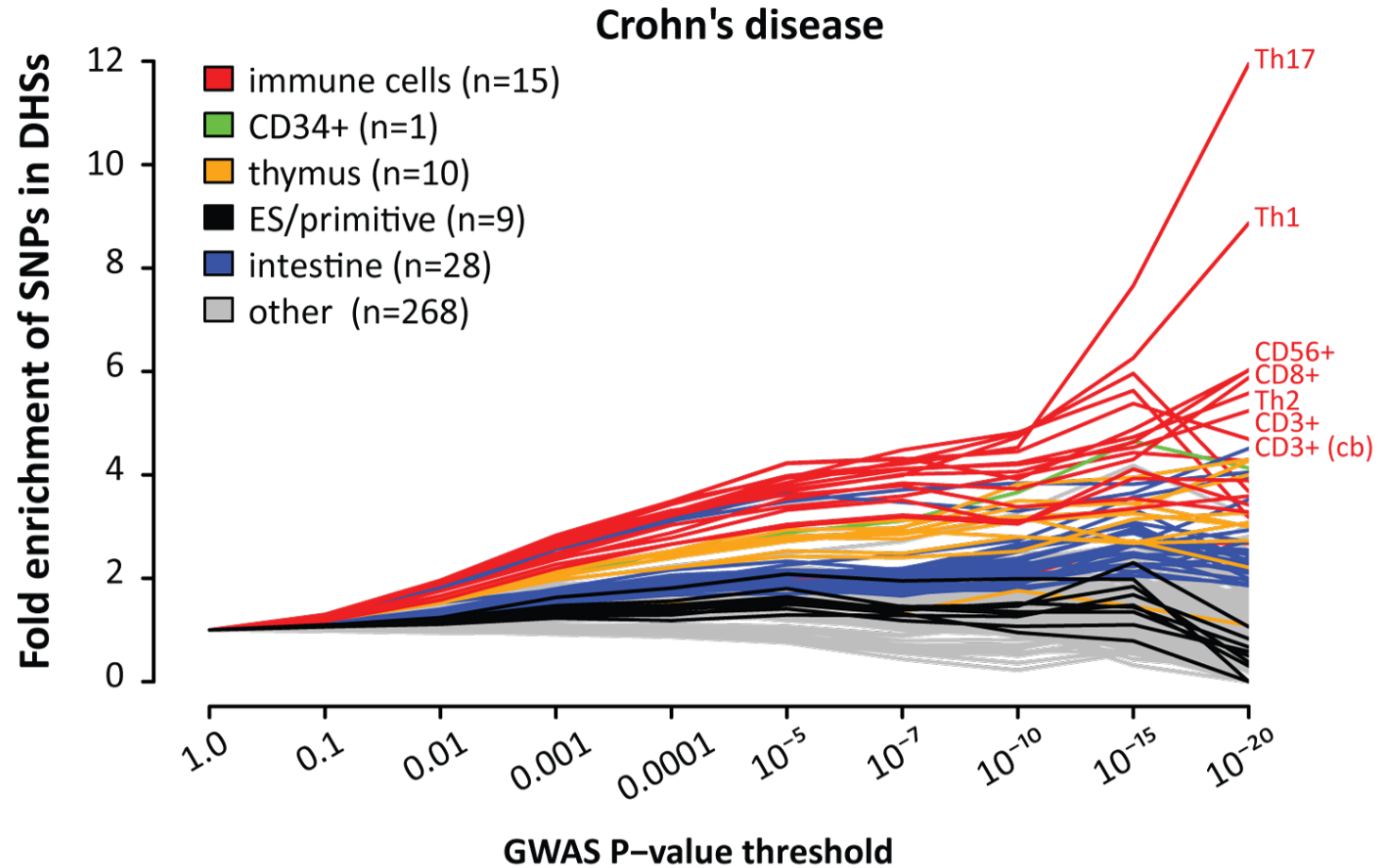
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**ENCODE and GWAS data can
be combined to pinpoint
disease/trait-relevant
cell types**

Cell-selective enrichment of trait-associated variants



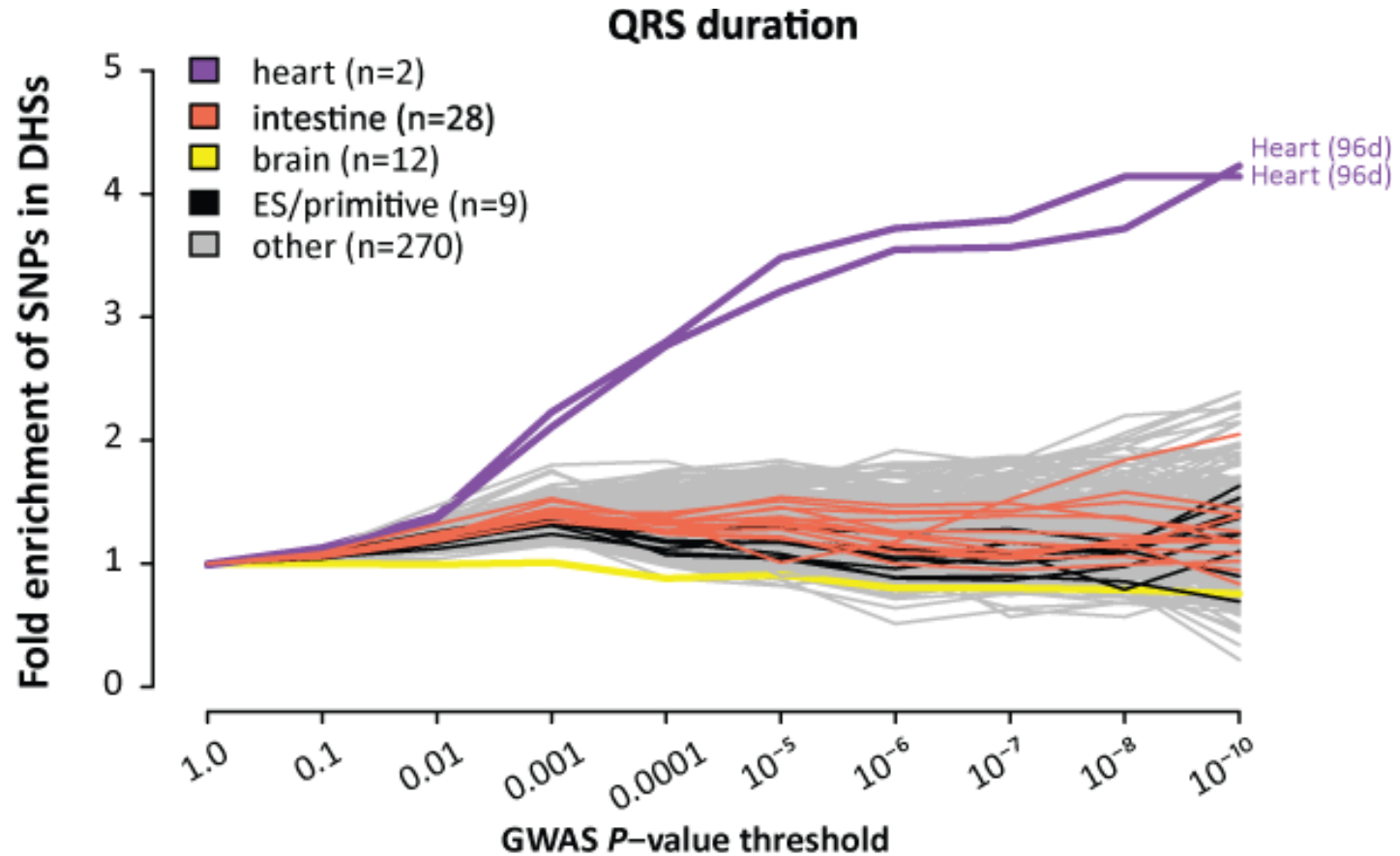
Selective enrichment of GWAS variants in pathogenic cell types



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Many, many more variants
show these effects than
conventional 'genome-wide
significant' SNPs

Selective enrichment of GWAS variants in pathogenic cell types



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