

Supplementary Materials

Uncovering the Molecular Drivers of NHEJ DNA Repair-Implicated Missense Variants and Their Functional Consequences

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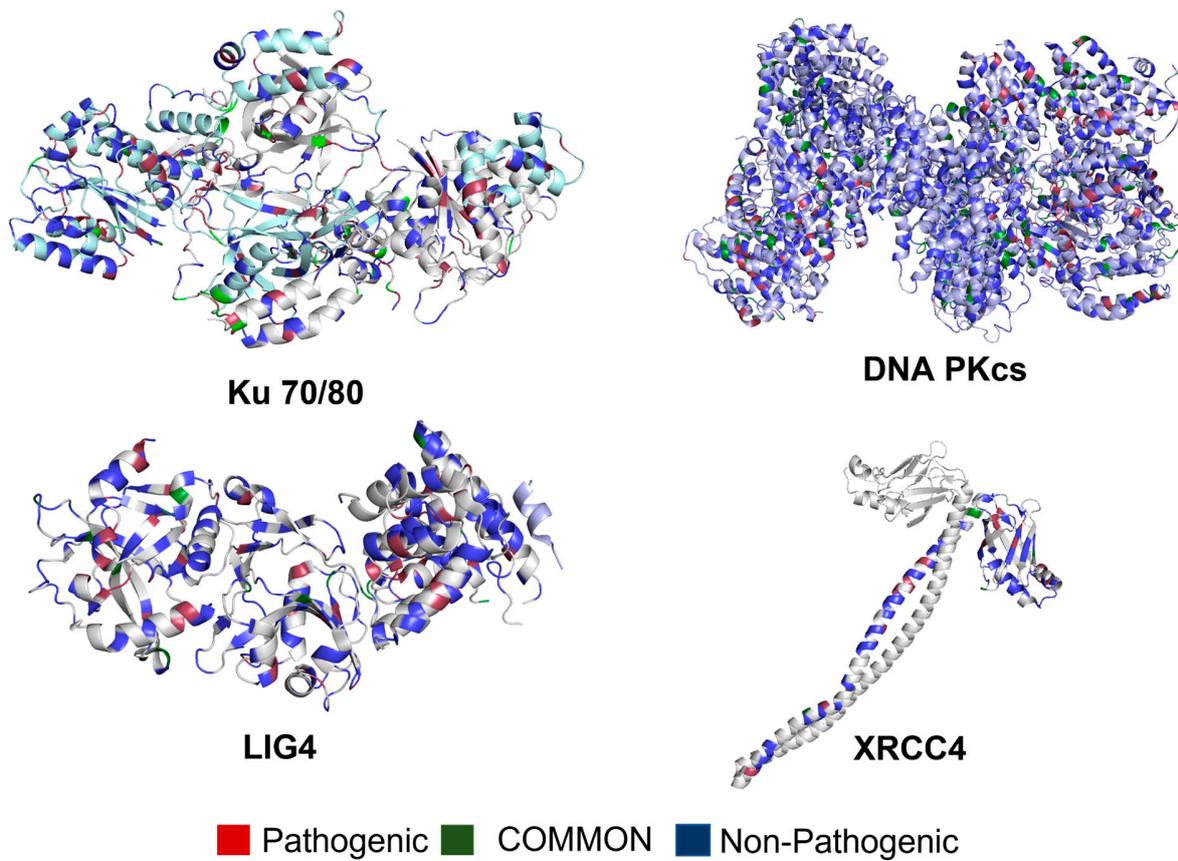
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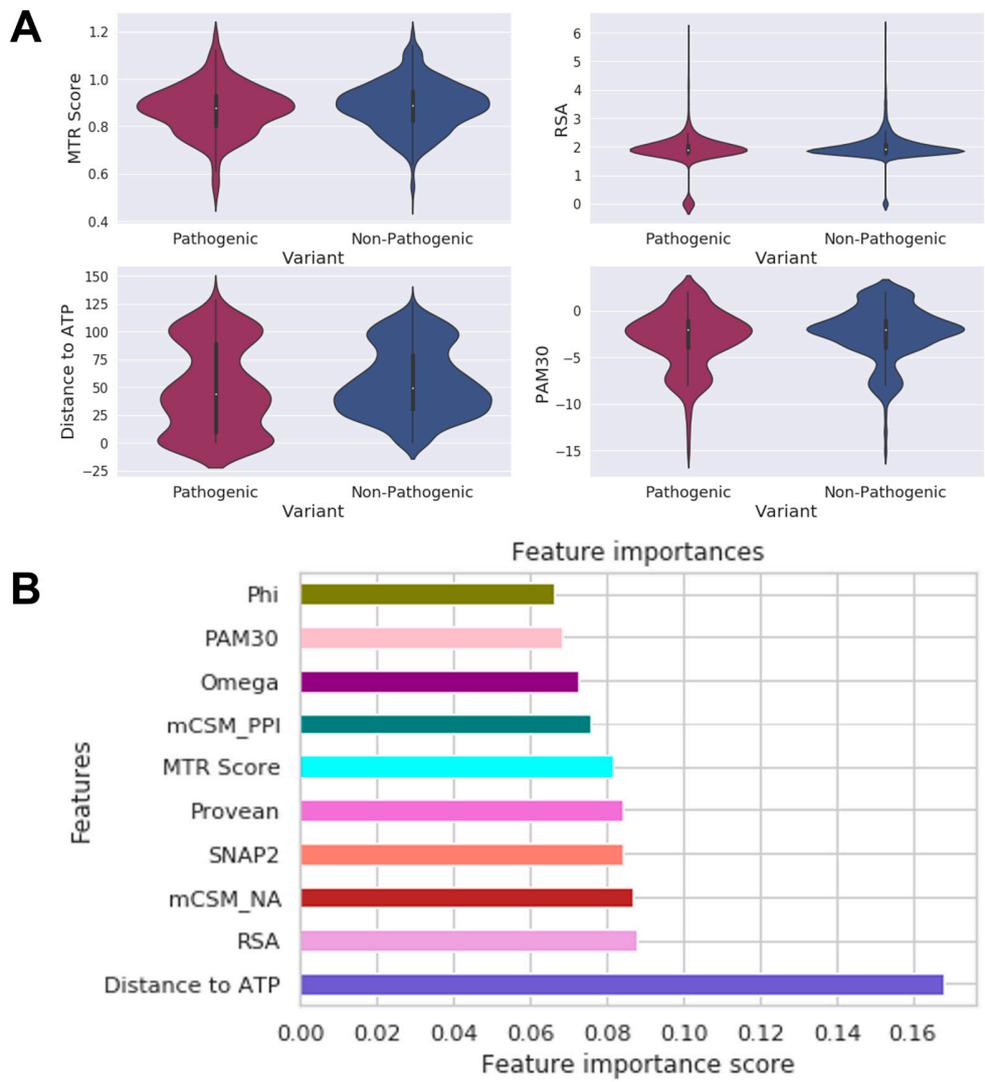
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Supplementary Figure 1. An overview of mutation distributions in NHEJ core components. Different distributions of mutations across phenotypes: Pathogenic (red), and non-pathogenic mutations across the protein structures of NHEJ core components.



Supplementary Figure 2. Main drivers of DNA-PKcs pathogenicity. Based on statistically significant features identified by a Welch sample t-test (A), it was revealed that DNA-PKcs-mediated tumorigenesis is caused by changes in catalytic activities of DNA-PKcs, which are mediated by ATP, which was confirmed by supervised machine learning (B), where the distance to ATP, had the highest prediction capacity.

Supplementary Table 1. NHEJ mutation curated database. (available as .xlsx file)

Supplementary Table 2. Mutation effects on DNA affinity in DNA-PKcs. Mutations within DNA-PKcs regions 1503-1538, as generated in structure 5Y3R, were found to have three pathogenic and 10 non-pathogenic variants. Several of these mutations, including pathogenic mutations G1513E, L1510V and L1524P, increased the affinity for DNA. There was no apparent disparity between the two phenotypes, indicating that DNA affinity might not play an essential role in disease development.

Mutation	Change in DNA Affinity (mCSM-NA)	Class
G1523R	1.274	Non-Pathogenic
G1513R	1.18	Non-Pathogenic
G1513E	0.792	Pathogenic
C1525R	0.594	Non-Pathogenic
S1506R	0.634	Non-Pathogenic
E1526K	0.38	Non-Pathogenic
L1510V	0.042	Pathogenic
A1518G	0.068	Non-Pathogenic
S1506T	0.036	Non-Pathogenic
L1505V	0.1	Non-Pathogenic
L1524P	0.16	Pathogenic
Q1509H	0.088	Non-Pathogenic
C1525G	0.74	Non-Pathogenic