

Supplementary Figures and Tables

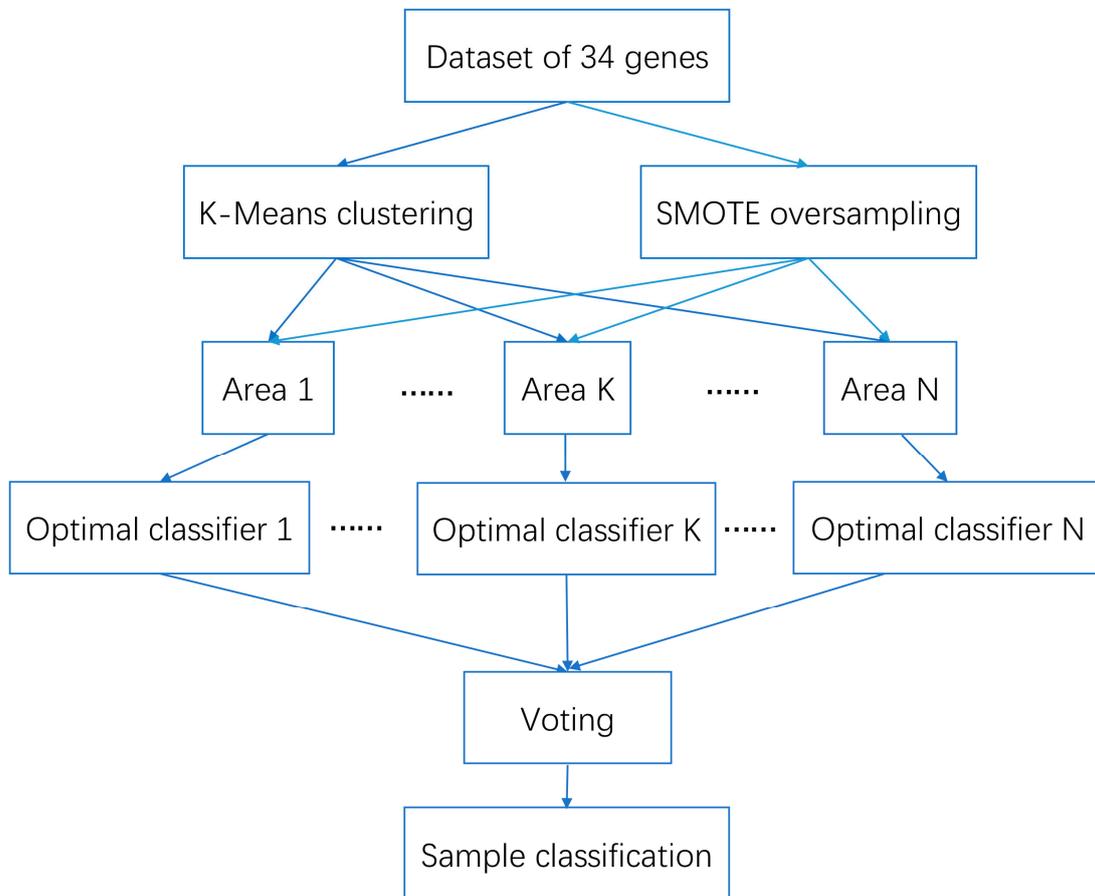


Figure S1. The flowchart regarding the classification of the samples. The detailed operating procedures and information about classification of samples.

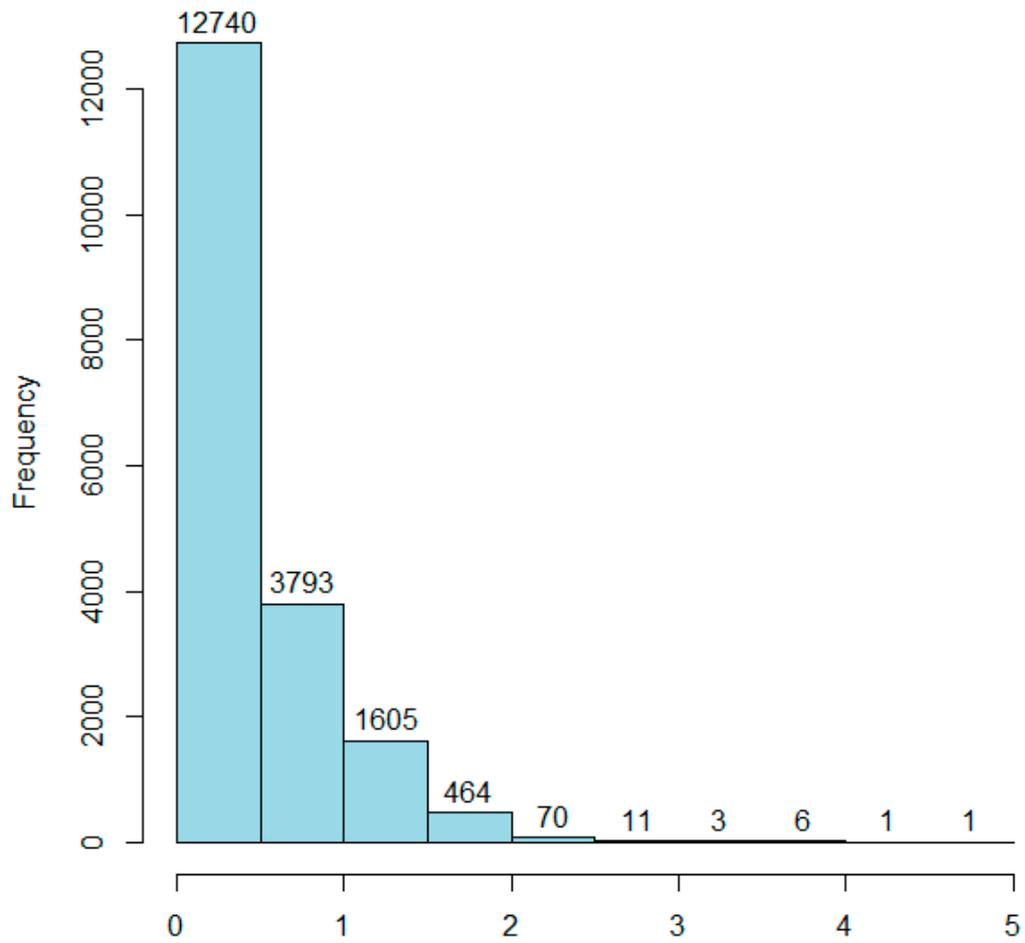


Figure S2. The results of the Fisher Ratio. Bar plot presented the interval of genes' fisher ratio and the number of genes in each interval.

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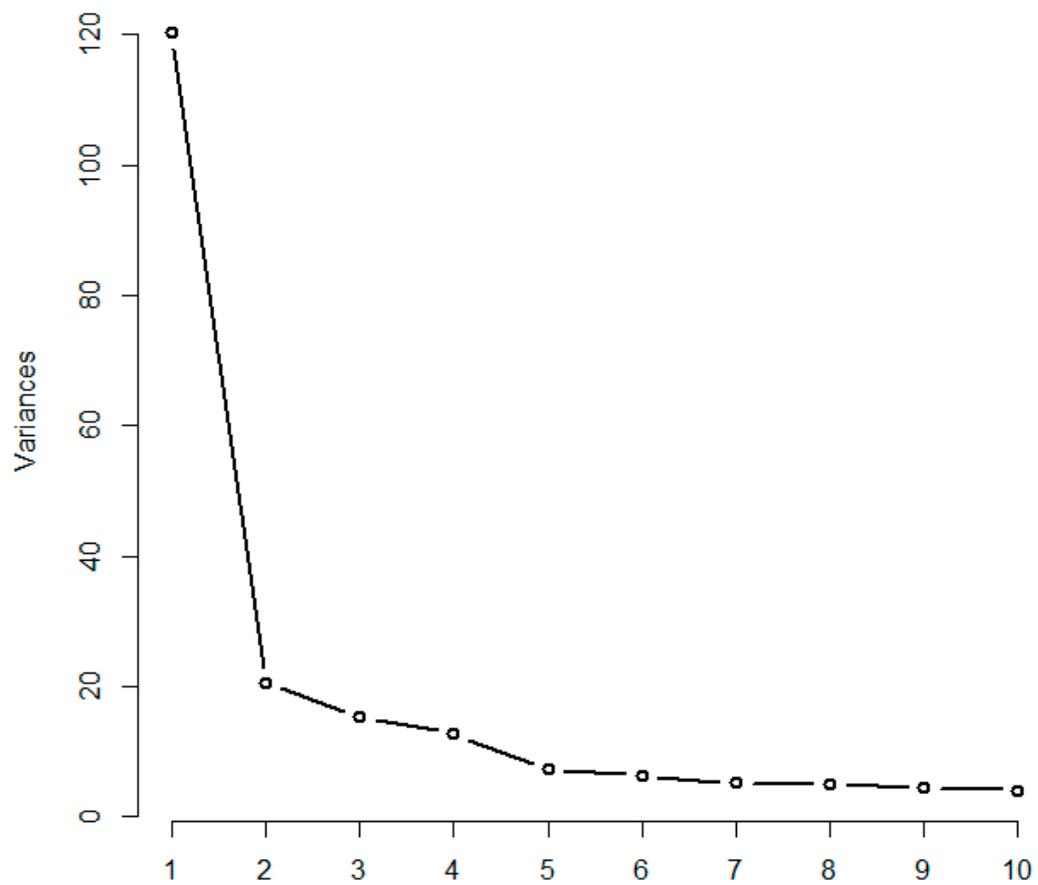


Figure S3. Screen plot of 300 representative genes. Scree plot was drawn to show the correlation between variance and the number of main components.

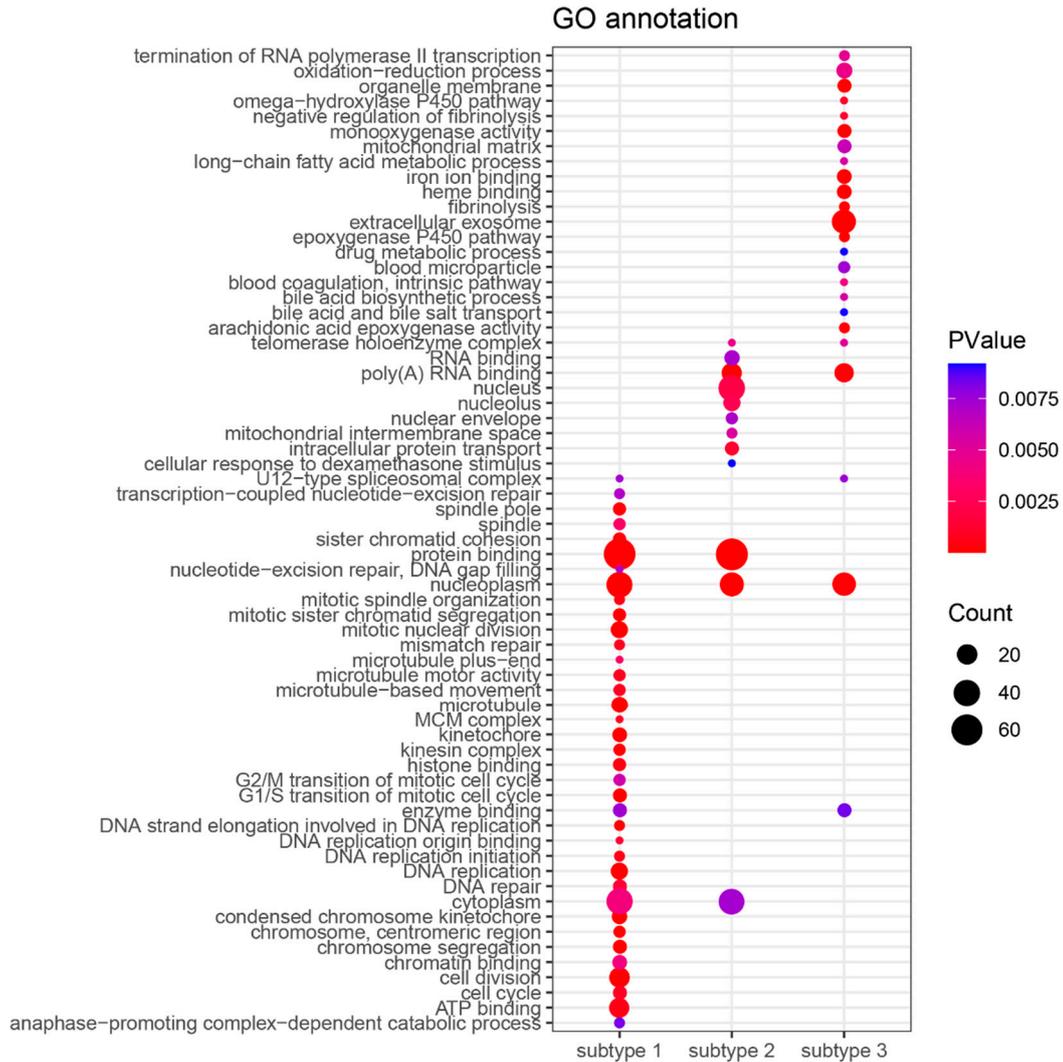


Figure S4. The bubble diagram of functional enrichment. The enriched Gene Ontology for subtype 1, subtype 2 and subtype 3. Count means the number of genes enriched in a certain annotation.

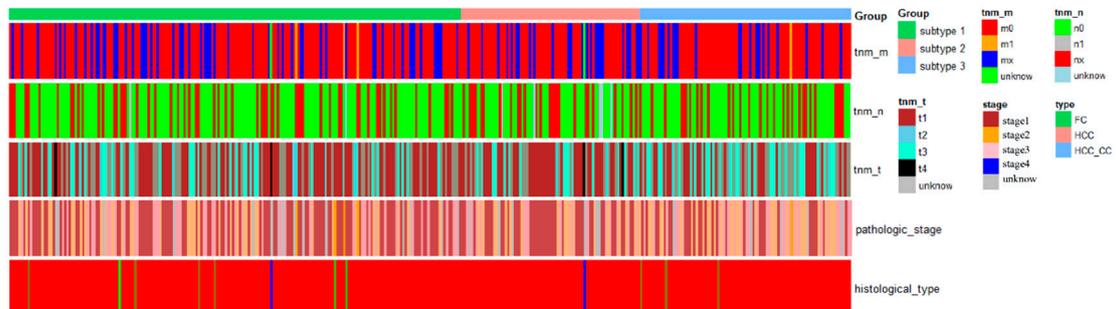


Figure S5. The heatmap for the molecular subtypes, pathologic stage and TNM staging. Tnm_m, tnm_n and tnm_t were the TNM staging.

Table S1. The detailed information for the 34 DEGs.

Gene Symbol	Description	Reference	p-Value	Fold Change
<i>GABRD</i>	stage-specific differentially expressed in hepatocellular carcinoma	[38]	3.368509×10^{-62}	34.8256
<i>ANGPTL6</i>	highly expressed in liver cancer	[43]	1.338193×10^{-23}	0.1879
<i>MSTO1</i>	Required for mitochondrial fusion and mitochondrial network formation	GeneCards	2.034419×10^{-94}	5.1055
<i>EBF2</i>	A potential therapeutic target of HCC	[40]	3.463284×10^{-49}	56.8254
<i>GBA</i>	inhibit liver cancer	[45]	9.070282×10^{-83}	4.0856
<i>CLEC4M</i>	a valuable biomarker for the prognosis of the patients with HCC	[30]	2.854162×10^{-14}	0.0273
<i>MIR3658</i>	involved in tumor progression of bladder cancer	[52]	4.156083×10^{-68}	5.0915
<i>GPAA1</i>	a therapeutic target for gastric cancer	[51]	1.874503×10^{-70}	4.0789
<i>CACYBP</i>	highly expressed and associated with poor prognosis in HCC	[33]	6.909608×10^{-69}	3.3634
<i>SFTA1P</i>	significant association with overall survival in HCC patients	[32]	3.449638×10^{-48}	123.5817
<i>CXCL14</i>	linked with impaired liver function	[49]	5.819188×10^{-20}	0.1507
<i>CKS1B</i>	represented a potential research target for therapeutics of retinoblastoma	[46]	9.562192×10^{-68}	3.7726
<i>APLN</i>	played an oncogenic role in HCC	[35]	1.226416×10^{-42}	24.4214
<i>KRTCAP2</i>	The gene is overexpressed in Liver	GeneCards	8.404593×10^{-88}	3.4930
<i>ESM1</i>	serve as a biomarker for diagnosing and monitoring renal cell carcinoma	[50]	1.897959×10^{-37}	29.5066
<i>TBCE</i>	Low tissue specificity	The Human Protein Atlas	2.562632×10^{-92}	3.3832
<i>CLEC1B</i>	a signature gene highly associated with tumor progression	[47]	9.306855×10^{-17}	0.0368
<i>PPOX</i>	played a crucial role in the development of HCC	[41]	8.340677×10^{-97}	3.5038
<i>CDH13</i>	a potential noninvasive biomarker of HCC	[36]	7.580294×10^{-71}	7.8091
<i>NTF3</i>	controls survival and differentiation of mammalian neurons	GeneCards	1.135516×10^{-22}	0.1380

<i>C1orf35</i>	related to pathway Innate Immune System	GeneCards	9.410057×10^{-86}	3.9379
<i>C8orf33</i>	correlated with overall survival in HCC patients	[37]	5.074940×10^{-74}	3.7787
<i>MIR4793</i>	involved in post-transcriptional regulation of gene expression in multicellular organisms	GeneCards	2.573851×10^{-44}	17.7375
<i>HIGD1B</i>	links to tumorigenesis and the progression of pituitary adenomas	GeneCards	1.753135×10^{-79}	13.1410
<i>BLOC1S3</i>	induce hepatocyte apoptosis	[44]	1.733118×10^{-74}	3.1598
<i>LOC105369632</i>	an RNA Gene, affiliated with the lncRNA class	GeneCards	1.855580×10^{-69}	4.5705
<i>COL15A1</i>	Prognostic marker in liver cancer (favourable)	The Human Protein Atlas	9.020337×10^{-41}	21.5720
<i>CRIP3</i>	Cancer enhanced (liver cancer)	The Human Protein Atlas	2.201642×10^{-35}	7.0812
<i>SMYD3</i>	promoted the tumor igenicity and intrahepatic metastasis of HCC cell	[39]	3.849815×10^{-46}	4.5849
<i>DDX11-AS1</i>	played important role during HCC oncogenesis	[34]	7.968983×10^{-52}	12.1320
<i>CYP2C8</i>	downregulated in HCC and could be a potential prognostic biomarker	[31]	2.130738×10^{-20}	0.2245
<i>CEP72</i>	the major microtubule-organizing center in animal cells	GeneCards	6.352548×10^{-48}	4.2004
<i>HCG25</i>	an RNA Gene, and is affiliated with the lncRNA class	GeneCards	5.731509×10^{-59}	5.1442
<i>FAM83H</i>	expressed higher in HCC cells compared to normal liver	[48]	1.191638×10^{-63}	4.2419

Table S2. Function enrichment analysis of the 34 DEGs.

Function	<i>p</i>-Value	Genes
Receptor regulator activity	1.592×10^{-3}	<i>NTF3, CXCL14</i>
Cell development	1.927×10^{-3}	<i>NTF3, TBCE, SMYD3</i>
Positive regulation of response to external stimulus	2.429×10^{-3}	<i>NTF3, CDH13</i>
Multicellular organismal process	2.607×10^{-3}	<i>NTF3, GBA, ANGPTL6, TBCE, CDH13</i>
Muscle structure development	3.298×10^{-3}	<i>CXCL14, SMYD3</i>
Viral genome replication	5.250×10^{-3}	<i>CLEC4M</i>
Membrane lipid catabolic process	5.250×10^{-3}	<i>GBA</i>
Cellular response to glucocorticoid stimulus	5.250×10^{-3}	<i>SMYD3</i>
Modulation by virus of host morphology or physiology	5.250×10^{-3}	<i>CLEC4M</i>
Protein localization to microtubule organizing center	5.250×10^{-3}	<i>CEP72</i>

Cellular response to dexamethasone stimulus	5.250×10^{-3}	<i>SMYD3</i>
Skin morphogenesis	5.250×10^{-3}	<i>GBA</i>
Maintenance of protein localization in endoplasmic reticulum	5.250×10^{-3}	<i>GPAA1</i>
Negative regulation of peptidyl-tyrosine phosphorylation	5.250×10^{-3}	<i>NTF3</i>
Regulation of locomotion	5.405×10^{-3}	<i>NTF3, CDH13</i>
regulation of the force of heart contraction	6.122×10^{-3}	<i>APLN</i>
Adhesion of symbiont to host	6.122×10^{-3}	<i>CLEC4M</i>
Muscle atrophy	6.122×10^{-3}	<i>TBCE</i>
Intracellular signal transduction	6.400×10^{-3}	<i>CLEC4M, NTF3, GBA</i>
Anatomical structure development	6.891×10^{-3}	<i>NTF3, COL15A1, CLEC1B, CXCL14</i>
Pigment cell differentiation	6.993×10^{-3}	<i>BLOC1S3</i>
Aromatase activity	6.993×10^{-3}	<i>CYP2C8</i>
Oxygen binding	6.993×10^{-3}	<i>CYP2C8</i>
GABA receptor activity	6.993×10^{-3}	<i>GABRD</i>
Response to testosterone	6.993×10^{-3}	<i>GBA</i>
Cell activation	7.107×10^{-3}	<i>CLEC1B, BLOC1S3</i>
Cadherin binding	7.864×10^{-3}	<i>CDH13</i>
Axo-dendritic transport	7.864×10^{-3}	<i>BLOC1S3</i>
Phosphate-containing compound metabolic process	8.058×10^{-3}	<i>NTF3, GBA, GPAA1</i>
Regulation of cyclin-dependent protein serine/threonine kinase activity	8.734×10^{-3}	<i>CKS1B</i>
Positive regulation of receptor-mediated endocytosis	8.734×10^{-3}	<i>NTF3</i>
Extracellular matrix structural constituent	8.734×10^{-3}	<i>COL15A1</i>
Endocrine hormone secretion	8.734×10^{-3}	<i>APLN</i>
Developmental process	8.799×10^{-3}	<i>FAM83H, CLEC1B, EBF2, BLOC1S3</i>
Catalytic activity, acting on a protein	9.024×10^{-3}	<i>SMYD3, GPAA1, CKS1B</i>
Positive regulation of transport	9.557×10^{-3}	<i>NTF3, APLN</i>
Chemokine receptor binding	9.604×10^{-3}	<i>CXCL14</i>
Porphyrin-containing compound metabolic process	9.604×10^{-3}	<i>PPOX</i>

Table S3. Pathway enrichment analysis of the 34 DEGs.

Pathway	P-Value	Genes
C-type lectin receptor signaling pathway	3.9220×10^{-3}	<i>CLEC4M, CLEC1B</i>
Other glycan degradation	1.6532×10^{-2}	<i>GBA</i>
Glycosylphosphatidylinositol (GPI)-anchor biosynthesis	2.2556×10^{-2}	<i>GPAA1</i>
Linoleic acid metabolism	2.5981×10^{-2}	<i>CYP2C8</i>
Nicotine addiction	3.5343×10^{-2}	<i>GABRD</i>
Neuroactive ligand-receptor interaction	3.5760×10^{-2}	<i>GABRD, APLN</i>
Metabolic pathways	3.6029×10^{-2}	<i>CYP2C8, GBA, PPOX, GPAA1</i>
Porphyrin and chlorophyll metabolism	3.7036×10^{-2}	<i>PPOX</i>

Sphingolipid metabolism	4.1255×10^{-2}	<i>GBA</i>
Arachidonic acid metabolism	5.4635×10^{-2}	<i>CYP2C8</i>
Retinol metabolism	5.7952×10^{-2}	<i>CYP2C8</i>
Drug metabolism - cytochrome P450	6.2082×10^{-2}	<i>CYP2C8</i>
Chemical carcinogenesis	7.0290×10^{-2}	<i>CYP2C8</i>
GABAergic synapse	7.5993×10^{-2}	<i>GABRD</i>
Protein digestion and absorption	7.6805×10^{-2}	<i>COL15A1</i>
Morphine addiction	7.7617×10^{-2}	<i>GABRD</i>
Small cell lung cancer	7.9237×10^{-2}	<i>CKS1B</i>
Viral protein interaction with cytokine and cytokine receptor	8.4888×10^{-2}	<i>CXCL14</i>
Serotonergic synapse	9.6883×10^{-2}	<i>CYP2C8</i>