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Comparative Analysis of Six Correlation Metrics on Identifying DNA Co-Methylation Patterns

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Supplemental 8x8 tables

Table S1 includes a few 8x8 matrices comparing correlation scores computed for pairs using different sample sizes (10, 30, and 53). Pink cells have counts comprising 20%-40% of the row total. Blue cells have counts comprising 40%-70% of the row total. Green cells have counts comprising 70%-100% of the row totals.

The 8x8 matrices in Table S1 show a much stronger agreement (indicated by stronger diagonals) between the 30N and 53N sample correlations as opposed to the comparisons with the 10 sample correlations. This stronger diagonal is evident when comparing sample sizes for every metric and data type. Specifically, for all 30N x 53N 8x8 tables, at least 80% of the correlations generated with 30 samples fell within the corresponding diagonal cell of the 53N 8x8 table or one cell to the right or left. This indicated that most CG pairs consistently received similar correlation scores using 30 samples as compared to 53 samples. This strong agreement was not present when comparing 10N and 30N correlation scores, or when comparing 10N and 53N correlation scores. In general, there appeared to be a strong tendency for higher sample sizes (30N and 53N) to assign lower scores to many of the pairs that have high correlations scores when only 10 samples are provided. As a result, the 8x8 tables for 30N and 53N samples show a higher concentration of scores in the most crowded intervals for each metric ([-0.25, 0] and [0, 0.25] for Pearson, Spearman, and Kendall correlations; [0, 0.25] for Hoeffding; [0.25, 0.5] for Distance and MIC correlations).

Table S1: 8x8 matrices comparing correlation scores with different sample sizes

A. B. Pearson

B.Pearson.10kx10k.30N[-1,-0.75]*10k.30N[-0.75,-0.5]*10k.30N[-0.5,-0.25]*10k.30N[-0.25,0]*10k.30N[0,0.25]*10k.30N[0.25,0.5]*10k.30N[0.5,0.75]*10k.30N[0.75,1]*Total Count	
B.pearson.10kx10k.10N[-1,-0.75]	6.4% 47761
B.pearson.10kx10k.10N[-0.75,-0.5]	0.946% 36985
B.pearson.10kx10k.10N[-0.5,-0.25]	0.444% 36585
B.pearson.10kx10k.10N[-0.25,0]	0.359% 36313
B.pearson.10kx10k.10N[0,0.25]	0.166% 16543
B.pearson.10kx10k.10N[0.25,0.5]	0.255% 22373
B.pearson.10kx10k.10N[0.5,0.75]	0.172% 7638
B.pearson.10kx10k.10N[0.75,1]	0.064% 611
B.Pearson.10kx10k.53N[-1,-0.75]*10k.53N[-0.75,-0.5]*10k.53N[-0.5,-0.25]*10k.53N[-0.25,0]*10k.53N[0,0.25]*10k.53N[0.25,0.5]*10k.53N[0.5,0.75]*10k.53N[0.75,1]*Total Count	
B.pearson.10kx10k.10N[-1,-0.75]	6.08% 45367
B.pearson.10kx10k.10N[-0.75,-0.5]	0.511% 19985
B.pearson.10kx10k.10N[-0.5,-0.25]	0.152% 12564
B.pearson.10kx10k.10N[-0.25,0]	0.119% 13626
B.pearson.10kx10k.10N[0,0.25]	0.104% 12078
B.pearson.10kx10k.10N[0.25,0.5]	0.083% 7309
B.pearson.10kx10k.10N[0.5,0.75]	0.054% 2419
B.pearson.10kx10k.10N[0.75,1]	0.023% 219
B.Pearson.10kx10k.30N[-1,-0.75]*10k.30N[-0.75,-0.5]*10k.30N[-0.5,-0.25]*10k.30N[-0.25,0]*10k.30N[0,0.25]*10k.30N[0.25,0.5]*10k.30N[0.5,0.75]*10k.30N[0.75,1]*Total Count	
B.pearson.10kx10k.30N[-1,-0.75]	39.45% 90492
B.pearson.10kx10k.30N[-0.75,-0.5]	1.174% 19991
B.pearson.10kx10k.30N[-0.5,-0.25]	0.033% 1746
B.pearson.10kx10k.30N[-0.25,0]	0.009% 920
B.pearson.10kx10k.30N[0,0.25]	0.002% 358
B.pearson.10kx10k.30N[0.25,0.5]	0% 57
B.pearson.10kx10k.30N[0.5,0.75]	0% 3

B Spearman

B. Spearman		Spearman.10x10.30N [-1..-0.75] x Spearman.10x10.30N [-0.75..-0.5] x Spearman.10x10.30N [-0.5..-0.25] x Spearman.10x10.30N [-0.25..0] x Spearman.10x10.30N [0..0.25] x Spearman.10x10.30N [0.25..0.5] x Spearman.10x10.30N [0.5..0.75] x Spearman.10x10.30N [0.75..1]											Total Count
Spearman.10x10.10N [-1..-0.75]	7.452% 56832	22.348% 170424	26.049% 198647	24.052% 183418	14.734% 112359	4.839% 36902	0.519% 39358	0.003% 28	762568				
Spearman.10x10.10N [-0.75..-0.5]	0.965% 36392	9.806% 369436	22.114% 833128	29.718% 1039536	25.345% 954865	10.661% 401659	1.374% 51801	0.012% 474	3767360				
Spearman.10x10.10N [-0.5..-0.25]	0.192% 14973	4.668% 363417	16.823% 1039536	28.458% 221524	30.65% 2381932	16.545% 1287886	2.676% 208364	0.034% 2690	7784040				
Spearman.10x10.10N [-0.25..0]	0.064% 7712	2.44% 291257	12.308% 1468930	25.081% 2993235	32.481% 3876390	22.723% 2711901	4.81% 5470436	0.089% 10710	11934171				
Spearman.10x10.10N [0..0.25]	0.025% 3077	1.306% 159475	8.563% 1045101	20.821% 2541016	31.774% 3877693	28.646% 3510313	8.507% 1038293	0.235% 28771	12023737				
Spearman.10x10.10N [0.25..0.5]	0.009% 812	0.69% 58488	5.584% 466619	16.12% 2410162	28.82% 4021083	33.422% 2792632	14.617% 1221336	0.725% 60591	8355579				
Spearman.10x10.10N [0.5..0.75]	0.003% 150	0.35% 14965	3.246% 138801	10.97% 469829	23.267% 994761	34.456% 147310	24.497% 1047351	3.201% 136866	4275283				
Spearman.10x10.10N [0.75..1]	0% 9	0.13% 1186	1.35% 12333	5.31% 48505	13.805% 125941	27.044% 246719	35.11% 320328	17.236% 157241	912262				
Spearman.10x10.53N [-1..-0.75]		Spearman.10x10.53N [-1..-0.75] x Spearman.10x10.53N [-0.75..-0.5] x Spearman.10x10.53N [-0.5..-0.25] x Spearman.10x10.53N [-0.25..0] x Spearman.10x10.53N [0..0.25] x Spearman.10x10.53N [0.25..0.5] x Spearman.10x10.53N [0.5..0.75] x Spearman.10x10.53N [0.75..1]										Total Count	
Spearman.10x10.10N [-1..-0.75]	4.464% 34044	23.409% 178510	26.411% 201404	25.107% 191461	15.294% 116634	4.75% 36222	0.552% 4214	0.01% 79	762568				
Spearman.10x10.10N [-0.75..-0.5]	0.389% 14673	7.761% 292421	21.63% 814901	33.083% 1246390	26.707% 1006165	9.287% 349883	1.117% 42089	0.022% 838	3767360				
Spearman.10x10.10N [-0.5..-0.25]	0.071% 5577	3.162% 246164	15.74% 1256534	32.55% 254263	33.175% 2582390	13.533% 105484	1.713% 133375	0.04% 3153	7784040				
Spearman.10x10.10N [-0.25..0]	0.03% 3677	1.693% 202084	11.624% 1387278	29.215% 3486670	36.522% 4385613	18.249% 2177923	2.6% 310290	0.063% 7634	11934171				
Spearman.10x10.10N [0..0.25]	0.018% 2239	0.501% 128308	8.501% 1037561	24.801% 3026688	37.417% 4566378	23.802% 2904789	4.287% 523248	0.119% 14526	12023737				
Spearman.10x10.10N [0.25..0.5]	0.011% 978	0.703% 58795	6.044% 505071	19.788% 1653421	35.693% 2982387	29.62% 2474967	7.801% 615283	0.336% 28137	8355579				
Spearman.10x10.10N [0.5..0.75]	0.007% 333	0.44% 18837	3.922% 167701	14.11% 603245	30.029% 183827	33.827% 1462242	15.914% 680381	1.748% 74735	4275283				
Spearman.10x10.10N [0.75..1]	0.003% 30	0.21% 1923	1.86% 17055	7.243% 66083	18.416% 168009	29.424% 268403	30.329% 276680	12.502% 114052	912262				
Spearman.10x10.53N [-1..-0.75]		Spearman.10x10.53N [-1..-0.75] x Spearman.10x10.53N [-0.75..-0.5] x Spearman.10x10.53N [-0.5..-0.25] x Spearman.10x10.53N [-0.25..0] x Spearman.10x10.53N [0..0.25] x Spearman.10x10.53N [0.25..0.5] x Spearman.10x10.53N [0.5..0.75] x Spearman.10x10.53N [0.75..1]										Total Count	
Spearman.10x10.30N [-1..-0.75]	36.437% 43470	61.09% 73293	2.632% 3158	0.029% 35	0% 1	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	119957				
Spearman.10x10.30N [-0.75..-0.5]	1.243% 17761	48.85% 697897	46.187% 659858	3.695% 52800	0.023% 330	0% 2	0% 0	0% 0	1428648				
Spearman.10x10.30N [-0.5..-0.25]	0.005% 320	6.287% 344110	56.017% 3065906	36.039% 1972449	1.647% 90155	0.002% 155	0% 0	0% 0	5470395				
Spearman.10x10.30N [-0.25..0]	0% 0	0.107% 17076	14.164% 156378	62.063% 675634	23.127% 2549348	0.536% 58598	0% 17	0% 0	10917271				
Spearman.10x10.30N [0..0.25]	0% 0	0% 36	15.048% 80764	25.579% 3768421	61.665% 9084584	12.109% 1783974	0.097% 14293	0% 0	14732072				
Spearman.10x10.30N [0.25..0.5]	0% 0	0% 0	0.004% 541	1.907% 237711	41.243% 5139436	52.102% 6492547	4.738% 590487	0.003% 397	12461111				
Spearman.10x10.30N [0.5..0.75]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0.026% 1171	5.033% 224776	52.823% 2358823	40.612% 1813535	1.504% 67162	4465467				
Spearman.10x10.30N [0.75..1]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0.046% 185	4.485% 17823	51.27% 203768	44.189% 175595	397371				

C. Kendall

D. Hoeffding

E. B.Distance

B.Distance.10kx10k.30N [-1,-0.75]*10k.30N [-0.75,-0.5]*10k.30N [-0.5,-0.25]*10k.30N [-0.25,0]*10k.30N [0,0.25]*10k.30N [0.25,0.5]*10k.30N [0.5,0.75]*10k.30N [0.75,1]	Total Count														
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [-1,-0.75]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [-0.75,-0.5]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [-0.5,-0.25]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [-0.25,0]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [0,0.25]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	32.67%	2545	52.86%	4118	11.74%	915	2.70%	211	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [0.25,0.5]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	8.507%	2152737	67.162%	16994078	20.384%	5157898	3.945%	998227	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [0.5,0.75]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	5.454%	1205477	65.184%	14405303	24.863%	5494511	4.497%	993841	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [0.75,1]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	2.069%	53492	46.884%	1212032	37.58%	971580	13.462%	348035	
B.Distance.10kx10k.53N [-1,-0.75]*10k.53N [-0.75,-0.5]*10k.53N [-0.5,-0.25]*10k.53N [-0.25,0]*10k.53N [0,0.25]*10k.53N [0.25,0.5]*10k.53N [0.5,0.75]*10k.53N [0.75,1]	Total Count														
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [-1,-0.75]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [-0.75,-0.5]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [-0.5,-0.25]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [-0.25,0]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [0,0.25]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	49.248%	3836	43.11%	3358	6.663%	519	0.975%	76	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [0.25,0.5]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	28.122%	7115933	69.862%	15146890	10.784%	2728784	1.23%	311333	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [0.5,0.75]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	23.016%	5086502	60.796%	13435420	14.634%	3234186	1.552%	343024	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [0.75,1]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	11.949%	308917	47.378%	1224795	30.939%	799840	9.732%	251587	
B.Distance.10kx10k.53N [-1,-0.75]*10k.53N [-0.75,-0.5]*10k.53N [-0.5,-0.25]*10k.53N [-0.25,0]*10k.53N [0,0.25]*10k.53N [0.25,0.5]*10k.53N [0.5,0.75]*10k.53N [0.75,1]	Total Count														
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [-1,-0.75]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [-0.75,-0.5]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [-0.5,-0.25]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [-0.25,0]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [0,0.25]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0%	80.602%	2151958	19.287%	658536	0.107%	3676	0.002%	81
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [0.25,0.5]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	29.819%	9725782	68.297%	22275545	1.88%	613249	0.002%	955	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [0.5,0.75]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0.322%	37444	58.75%	6829671	40.36%	4691902	0.566%	65887	
B.distance.10kx10k.10N [0.75,1]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0%	1.995%	46711	62.149%	1454502	35.854%	839097	2340314	

F. M.Distance

M.Distance.10kx10k.30N [-1,-0.75]*10k.30N [-0.75,-0.5]*10k.30N [-0.5,-0.25]*10k.30N [-0.25,0]*10k.30N [0,0.25]*10k.30N [0.25,0.5]*10k.30N [0.5,0.75]*10k.30N [0.75,1]	Total Count														
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [-1,-0.75]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [-0.75,-0.5]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [-0.5,-0.25]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [-0.25,0]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [0,0.25]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	11.526%	481	65.588%	2737	19.865%	829	3.019%	126	
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [0.25,0.5]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	6.674%	1642488	67.289%	16559006	23.336%	5742765	2.699%	664239	
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [0.5,0.75]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	4.276%	9760476	64.909%	141815728	27.316%	6235070	3.497%	798359	
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [0.75,1]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	1.489%	38086	46.316%	1184366	38.887%	994414	13.306%	342059	
M.Distance.10kx10k.53N [-1,-0.75]*10k.53N [-0.75,-0.5]*10k.53N [-0.5,-0.25]*10k.53N [-0.25,0]*10k.53N [0,0.25]*10k.53N [0.25,0.5]*10k.53N [0.5,0.75]*10k.53N [0.75,1]	Total Count														
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [-1,-0.75]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [-0.75,-0.5]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [-0.5,-0.25]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [-0.25,0]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [0,0.25]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	29.283%	1222	60.148%	2510	10.256%	428	0.311%	13	
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [0.25,0.5]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	25.414%	6254020	63.145%	15593131	11.155%	2745188	0.285%	70159	
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [0.5,0.75]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	21.057%	4806508	63.343%	1432482	15.047%	3434519	0.664%	151695	
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [0.75,1]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0%	10.68%	273266	48.618%	1243228	31.484%	805099	9.21%	235532
M.Distance.10kx10k.53N [-1,-0.75]*10k.53N [-0.75,-0.5]*10k.53N [-0.5,-0.25]*10k.53N [-0.25,0]*10k.53N [0,0.25]*10k.53N [0.25,0.5]*10k.53N [0.5,0.75]*10k.53N [0.75,1]	Total Count														
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [-1,-0.75]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
M.distance.10kx10k.10N [-0.75,-0.5]	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	NaN% 0	0	
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M.distance.10kx10k.10N [0.5,0.75]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0%	0.234%	30380	60.486%	7846939	38.801%	5033741	0.478%	62018
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MIC.distance.10kx10k.10N [0.5,0.75]	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0% 0	0%	21.943%	1561916	65.062%	4631052	11.432%	813756	1.561%	111110
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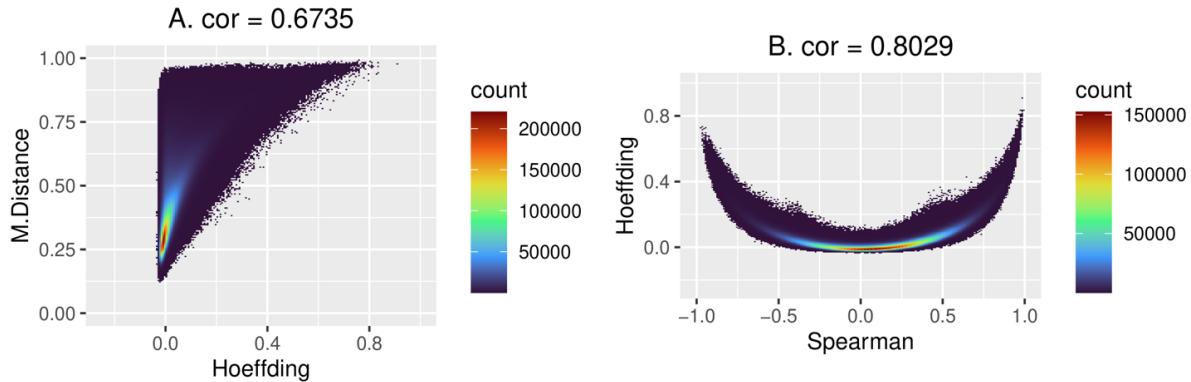


Figure S1. Additional scatterplot comparisons with Hoeffding's D Statistic

(A) Hoeffding vs. M.Distance, (B) Spearman vs. Hoeffding

Figure S2, together with Figure 2 F, shows all four comparisons of M.Pearson and B.Pearson plotted against Spearman and Kendall coefficients. The shape exhibited by the following graphs matches that of Figure 2 F. All four of these bin plots have a clear diagonal, with the slope of the diagonal being smaller when comparing to Kendall rather than Spearman. When comparing M.Pearson and B.Pearson to both Kendall and Spearman, strong Pearson correlations are assigned a wide range of scores by the opposing metric. In all four graphs, the size of the range of Kendall or Spearman values assigned to a fixed Pearson value remains relatively constant. In contrast, different values of Kendall or Spearman coefficients on the y-axis may obtain drastically different ranges of corresponding Pearson scores. Strong Kendall and Spearman scores correspond to a limited range of Pearson scores, while Kendall and Spearman scores near 0 are matched by Pearson scores ranging from strongly negative to strongly positive in all three bin plots in Figure S2, as well as in Figure 2 F.

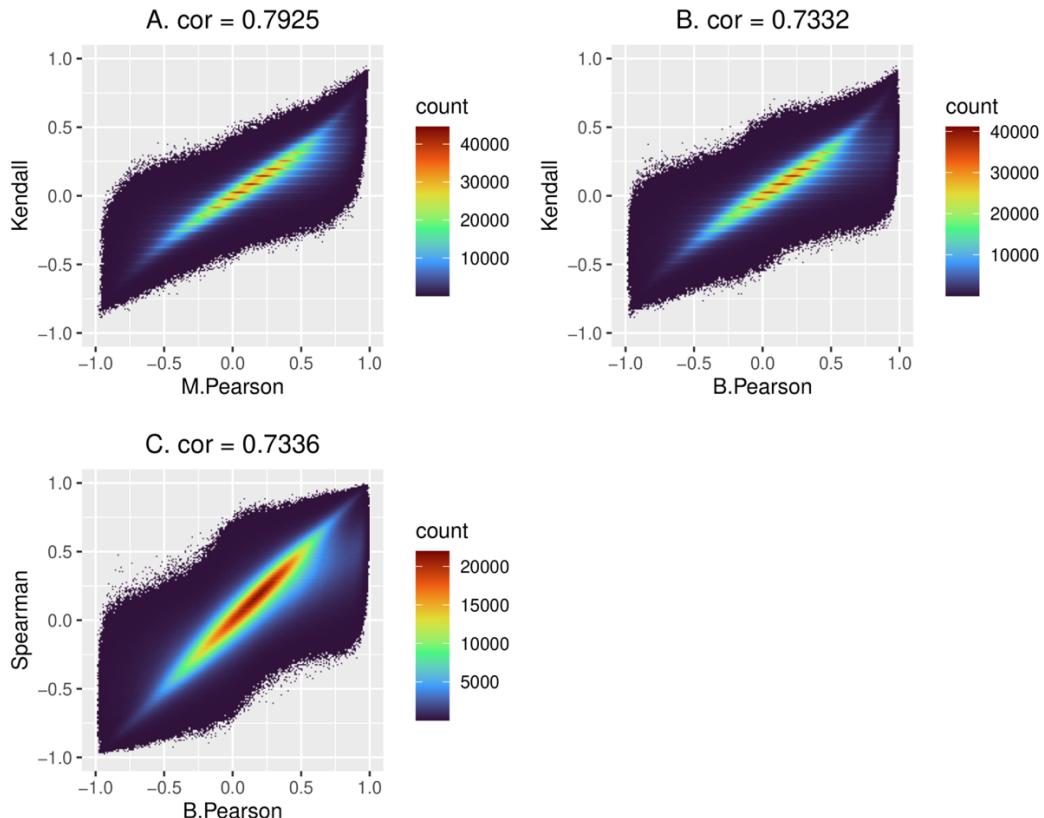


Figure S2. Scatterplots comparing Pearson correlations to Kendall/Spearman correlations

(A) M.Pearson vs. Kendall, (B) B.Pearson vs. Kendall, (C) B.Pearson vs. Spearman

Figure S3 provides additional comparisons between MIC and other correlation methods. As in Figure 3 B, Figure S3 A and B exhibit a loose chevron shape with significant noise, which indicated a large amount of disagreement between MIC and the opposing metrics as to whether the data were highly correlated or not. In Figure S3 C, the chevron is not apparent because Distance correlation only produces positive scores; however, the lower boundary of the plot is similar to that of Figure 3 B, with a large concentration of points having strong Distance coefficients and low MIC coefficients. Out of all the bin plot comparisons made with MIC, Figure S3 A and B most closely match the plot produced by Reshef et al. comparing Pearson and MIC.

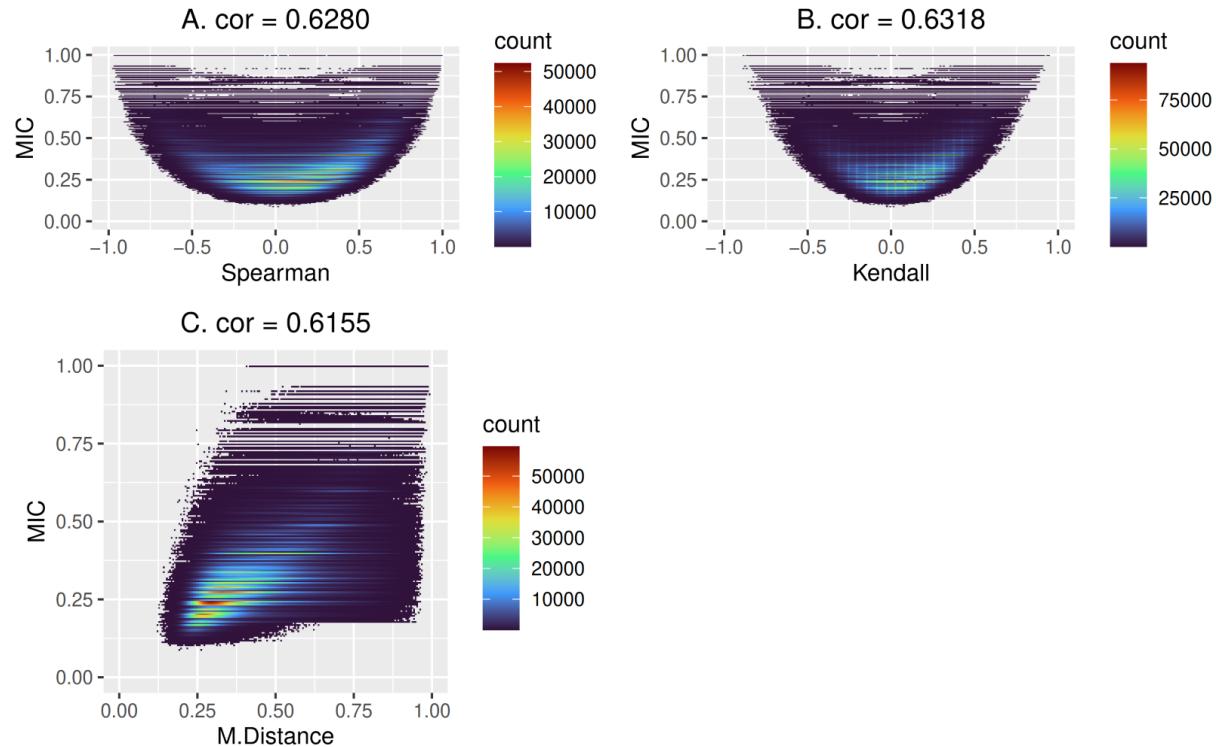


Figure S3. Additional scatterplot comparisons with MIC
(A) M.Distance vs. MIC, (B) Kendall vs. MIC, (C) Spearman vs. MIC