

## Supplementary Information

### Bioanalytical Studies in the Brain of Wistar Rats (*Rattus norvegicus*) Exposed to 2,3-Butanedione

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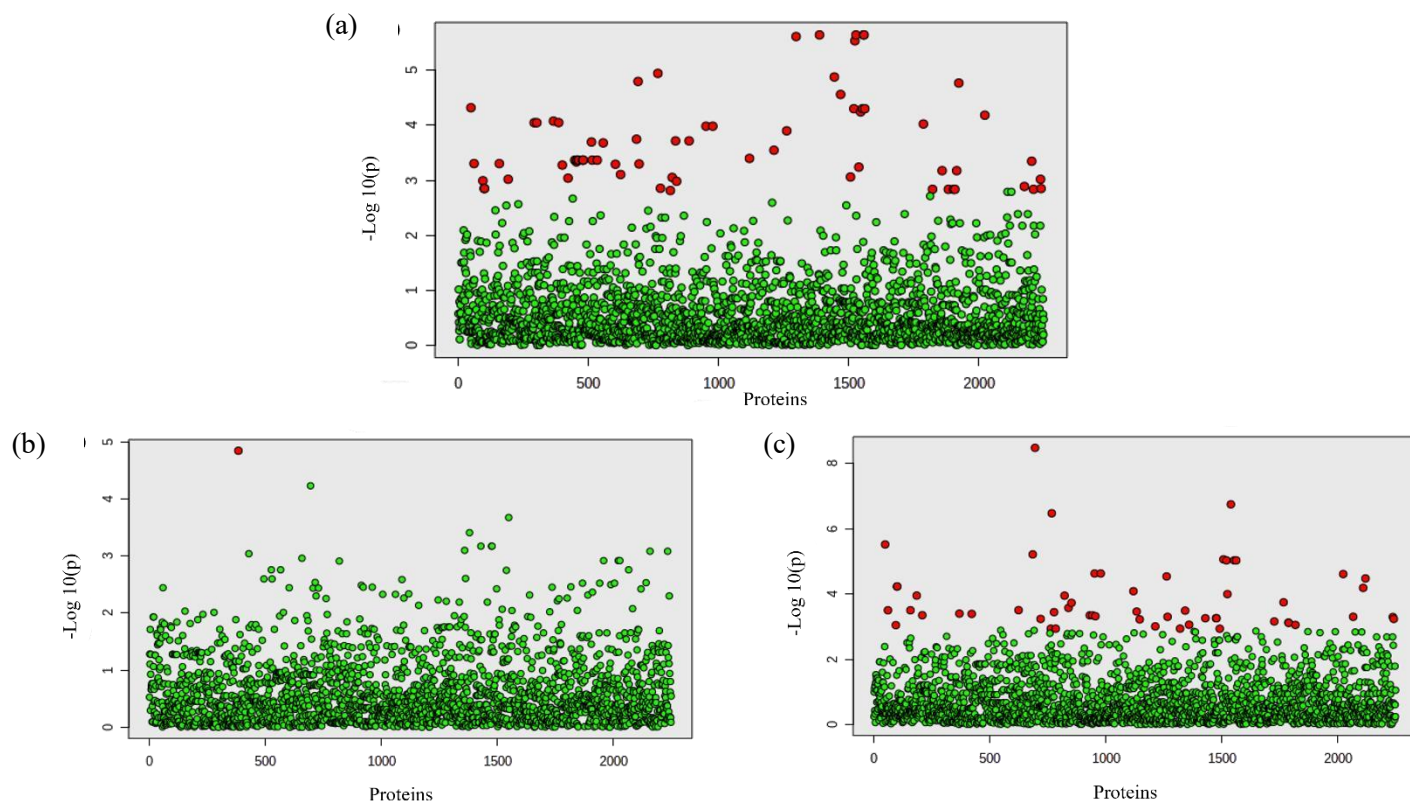
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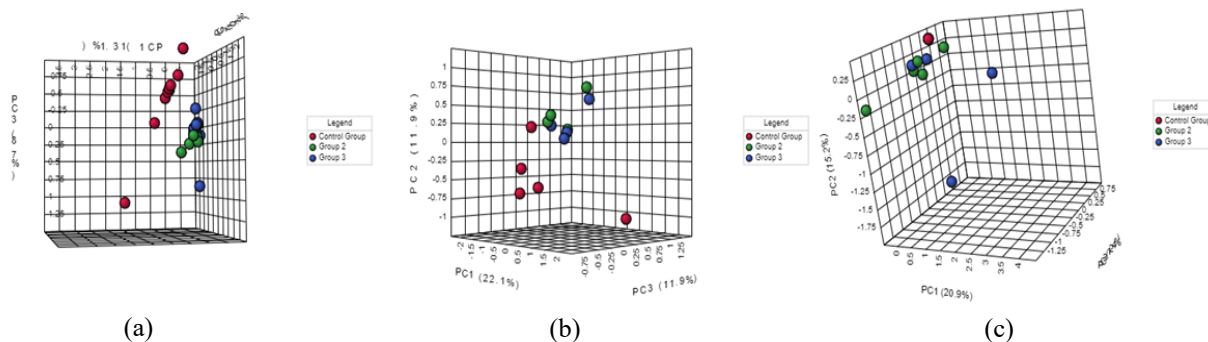
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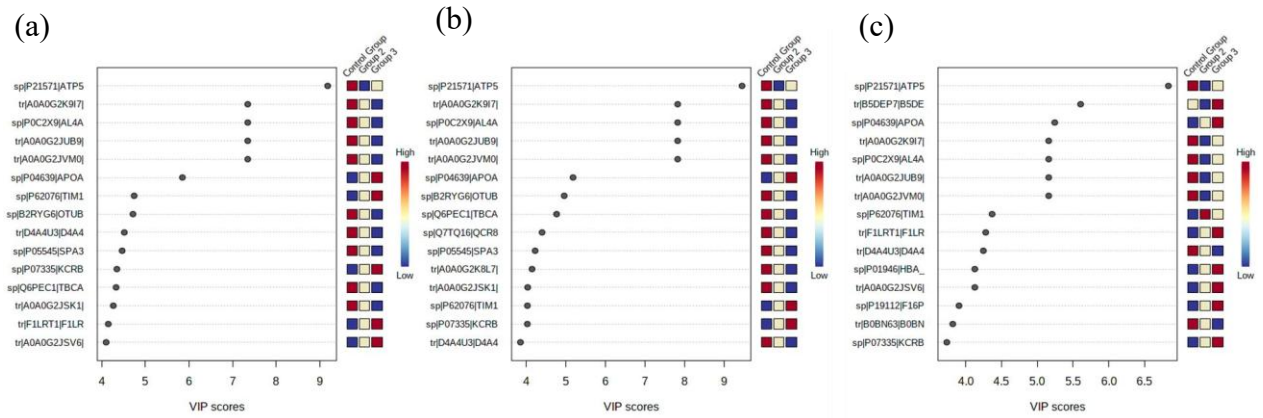
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- Non-significant value
- Significant value

**Figure S1.** Amount of significant proteins found in brains after 2,3-butanedione exposure by analysis of variance (ANOVA,  $p \leq 0.05$ ). (a) Without distinction of gender, (b) females, and (c) males.



**Figure S2.** Principal component analysis (PCA) obtained 3D graph. (a) Without distinction of gender, (b) females, and (c) males.



**Figure S3.** Fifteen highest variable importance in projection (VIP) scores obtained in the chemometric method used where (a) without gender distinction, (b) females and (c) males.

**Table S1.** Pathways and number of components identified in the model regardless of gender

| Pathway names                                                                     | Components |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| Gamma-aminobutyric acid synthesis                                                 | 3          |
| Nicotine pharmacodynamics pathway                                                 | 27         |
| CCKR signaling map                                                                | 290        |
| Heterotrimeric G-protein signaling pathway-Gq alpha and Go alpha mediated pathway | 21         |
| Insulin/IGF pathway-mitogen activated protein kinase kinase/MAP kinase cascade    | 12         |
| T cell activation                                                                 | 45         |
| Methylcitrate cycle                                                               | 5          |
| Cysteine biosynthesis                                                             | 2          |
| Methylmalonyl pathway                                                             | 3          |
| Formyltetrahydrofolate biosynthesis                                               | 7          |
| Serine glycine biosynthesis                                                       | 4          |
| <i>N</i> -Acetylglucosamine metabolism                                            | 9          |
| Metabotropic glutamate receptor group I pathway                                   | 10         |
| Alzheimer disease-amyloid secretase pathway                                       | 30         |
| ATP synthesis                                                                     | 12         |
| Beta1 adrenergic receptor signaling pathway                                       | 7          |
| Folate biosynthesis                                                               | 11         |
| 5HT1 type receptor mediated signaling pathway                                     | 8          |
| FAS signaling pathway                                                             | 31         |
| Leucine biosynthesis                                                              | 4          |
| Adrenaline and noradrenaline biosynthesis                                         | 12         |
| 5HT2 type receptor mediated signaling pathway                                     | 9          |
| Blood coagulation                                                                 | 59         |
| Inflammation mediated by chemokine and cytokine signaling pathway                 | 58         |
| Endothelin signaling pathway                                                      | 27         |
| De novo purine biosynthesis                                                       | 23         |
| Thiamine metabolism                                                               | 12         |
| TGF-beta signaling pathway                                                        | 20         |
| Dopamine receptor mediated signaling pathway                                      | 27         |
| Plasminogen activating cascade                                                    | 22         |
| Wnt signaling pathway                                                             | 49         |
| Apoptosis signaling pathway                                                       | 72         |

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| Muscarinic acetylcholine receptors 1 and 3 signaling pathway | 12  |
| Opioid proopiomelanocortin pathway                           | 9   |
| B cell activation                                            | 37  |
| VEGF signaling pathway                                       | 25  |
| Oxytocin receptor mediated signaling pathway                 | 6   |
| Metabotropic glutamate receptor group II pathway             | 7   |
| Methionine biosynthesis                                      | 4   |
| Corticotropin releasing factor receptor signaling pathway    | 9   |
| Alpha adrenergic receptor signaling pathway                  | 6   |
| Interleukin signaling pathway                                | 36  |
| Pyruvate metabolism                                          | 10  |
| Ionotropic glutamate receptor pathway                        | 29  |
| Insulin/IGF pathway-protein kinase B signaling cascade       | 18  |
| Opioid prodynorphin pathway                                  | 12  |
| Succinate to propionate conversion                           | 3   |
| Pyrimidine metabolism                                        | 8   |
| Gonadotropin releasing hormone receptor pathway              | 216 |
| FGF signaling pathway                                        | 26  |
| Xanthine and guanine salvage pathway                         | 7   |
| Ras pathway                                                  | 39  |
| 5HT4 type receptor mediated signaling pathway                | 7   |
| 5HT3 type receptor mediated signaling pathway                | 5   |
| Nicotinic acetylcholine receptor signaling pathway           | 13  |
| Glycolysis                                                   | 10  |
| Huntington disease                                           | 60  |
| Thyrotropin-releasing hormone receptor signaling pathway     | 9   |
| Cytoskeletal regulation by Rho GTPase                        | 20  |
| Interferon-gamma signaling pathway                           | 10  |
| Fructose galactose metabolism                                | 8   |
| Purine metabolism                                            | 5   |
| Cadherin signaling pathway                                   | 16  |
| Metabotropic glutamate receptor group III pathway            | 12  |
| Integrin signaling pathway                                   | 46  |
| Ubiquitin proteasome pathway                                 | 6   |
| PDGF signaling pathway                                       | 36  |
| Aminobutyrate degradation                                    | 2   |

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| Angiotensin II-stimulated signaling through G proteins and beta-arrestin | 21 |
| Muscarinic acetylcholine receptor 2 and 4 signaling pathway              | 18 |
| Toll receptor signaling pathway                                          | 46 |
| Angiogenesis                                                             | 77 |
| Axon guidance mediated by semaphorins                                    | 14 |
| Parkinson disease                                                        | 37 |
| Beta3 adrenergic receptor signaling pathway                              | 4  |
| Opioid proenkephalin pathway                                             | 11 |
| 5-Hydroxytryptamine degradation                                          | 2  |
| EGF receptor signaling pathway                                           | 28 |

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CCKR: cholecystokinin receptor; G-protein: guanine nucleotide-binding protein; Gq: G protein alpha q subunit; Go: G protein alpha o subunit; IGF: insulin-like growth factor; MAP: microtubule-associated protein; T: testosterone; ATP: adenosine triphosphate; Beta1: beta-1 adrenergic receptor; 5HT1: 5-hydroxytryptamine receptor 1 (serotonin receptor 1); FAS: Fas cell surface death receptor; 5HT2: 5-hydroxytryptamine receptor 2 (serotonin receptor 2); TGF-beta: transforming growth factor beta; Wnt: Wingless/Integrated signaling protein; B: B lymphocyte; VEGF: vascular endothelial growth factor; FGF: fibroblast growth factor; Ras: Rat sarcoma small GTPase; 5HT4: 5-hydroxytryptamine receptor 4 (serotonin receptor 4); 5HT3: 5-hydroxytryptamine receptor 3 (serotonin receptor 3); Rho: Ras homolog family GTPase; GTPase: guanosine triphosphatase; PDGF: Platelet-derived growth factor; II: Angiotensin II; EGF: Epidermal growth factor.

**Table S2.** Paths and number of components annotated in the model using only females

| Pathway names                                                                     | Components |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| Isoleucine biosynthesis                                                           | 5          |
| Gamma-aminobutyric acid synthesis                                                 | 3          |
| Muscarinic acetylcholine receptor 2 and 4 signaling pathway                       | 11         |
| Nicotine pharmacodynamics pathway                                                 | 27         |
| Toll receptor signaling pathway                                                   | 46         |
| CCKR signaling map                                                                | 290        |
| Angiogenesis                                                                      | 77         |
| Axon guidance mediated by semaphorins                                             | 14         |
| Heterotrimeric G-protein signaling pathway-Gq alpha and Go alpha mediated pathway | 21         |
| Insulin/IGF pathway-mitogen activated protein kinase kinase/MAP kinase cascade    | 12         |
| T cell activation                                                                 | 45         |
| Parkinson disease                                                                 | 37         |
| Cysteine biosynthesis                                                             | 2          |
| Methylmalonyl pathway                                                             | 3          |
| Cell cycle                                                                        | 12         |
| 5-Hydroxytryptamine degradation                                                   | 2          |
| EGF receptor signaling pathway                                                    | 28         |
| Heme biosynthesis                                                                 | 15         |
| p53 pathway                                                                       | 70         |
| Valine biosynthesis                                                               | 4          |
| Serine glycine biosynthesis                                                       | 4          |
| <i>N</i> -Acetylglucosamine metabolism                                            | 9          |
| Metabotropic glutamate receptor group I pathway                                   | 10         |
| Vitamin D metabolism and pathway                                                  | 11         |
| ATP synthesis                                                                     | 12         |
| FAS signaling pathway                                                             | 31         |
| Inflammation mediated by chemokine and cytokine signaling pathway                 | 58         |
| De novo purine biosynthesis                                                       | 23         |
| Integrin signalling pathway                                                       | 46         |
| TGF-beta signaling pathway                                                        | 20         |
| Ubiquitin proteasome pathway                                                      | 6          |
| Dopamine receptor mediated signaling pathway                                      | 27         |
| Aminobutyrate degradation                                                         | 2          |
| Angiotensin II-stimulated signaling through G proteins and beta-arrestin          | 21         |
| De novo pyrimidine ribonucleotides biosynthesis                                   | 10         |

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| Wnt signaling pathway                                  | 49  |
| Apoptosis signaling pathway                            | 72  |
| B cell activation                                      | 37  |
| VEGF signaling pathway                                 | 25  |
| Methionine biosynthesis                                | 4   |
| Pyruvate metabolism                                    | 10  |
| Ionotropic glutamate receptor pathway                  | 29  |
| De novo pyrimidine deoxyribonucleotide biosynthesis    | 10  |
| Insulin/IGF pathway-protein kinase B signaling cascade | 18  |
| Pyrimidine metabolism                                  | 8   |
| Succinate to propionate conversion                     | 3   |
| Gonadotropin releasing hormone receptor pathway        | 216 |
| FGF signaling pathway                                  | 26  |
| Xanthine and guanine salvage pathway                   | 7   |
| Ras pathway                                            | 39  |
| Salvage pyrimidine ribonucleotides                     | 8   |
| Glycolysis                                             | 10  |
| Huntington disease                                     | 60  |
| Nicotinic acetylcholine receptor signaling pathway     | 13  |
| Alzheimer disease-presenilin pathway                   | 70  |
| Cytoskeletal regulation by Rho GTPase                  | 20  |
| Fructose galactose metabolism                          | 8   |
| Purine metabolism                                      | 5   |
| Cadherin signaling pathway                             | 16  |
| Metabotropic glutamate receptor group III pathway      | 12  |

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**Table S3.** List of components annotated to Alzheimer's only in female model

| Alzheimer's components found         |
|--------------------------------------|
| Ire-1 N-terminal fragment            |
| C99                                  |
| LRP C-terminal fragment Erb-B4       |
| Transmembrane fragment actin         |
| Nicastrin                            |
| Unfolded protein                     |
| E-cadherin C-terminal fragment       |
| E-cadherin                           |
| Frizzled                             |
| Notch C-terminal fragment            |
| CD44 intracellular fragment NICD     |
| CD44 C-terminal fragment             |
| Capacitative calcium channels        |
| Ire-1 C-terminal fragment            |
| Fe65                                 |
| APP                                  |
| Erb-B4                               |
| Presenilin                           |
| Matrix metalloprotease               |
| HAC1                                 |
| Dsh alpha-catenin                    |
| Nectin 1alpha transmembrane fragment |
| Notch transmembrane fragment         |
| Abeta                                |
| Tip60                                |
| Erb-B4 intracellular fragment        |
| E-cadherin transmembrane fragment    |
| Presenilin N-terminal fragment       |
| Membrane metalloprotease             |
| Wnt                                  |
| TCF/LEF                              |
| Ire-1                                |
| CD44                                 |
| Afadin                               |
| TACE                                 |
| Erb-B4 N-terminal fragment           |
| Pen-2                                |
| LRP                                  |
| APPbeta                              |

LRP transmembrane fragment gammacatenin  
 Notch fragment Presenilin C-terminal fragment  
 beta-catenin Furin  
 CSL  
 Nectin 1alpha intracellular fragment  
 Nectin 1alpha  
 Proteasome  
 Pro-BACE-1  
 Erb-B4 C-terminal fragment  
 Nectin 1alpha N-terminal fragment  
 E-cadherin N-terminal fragment  
 AICD  
 CD44 transmembrane fragment  
 E-cadherin intracellular fragment  
 LRP N-terminal fragment  
 Aph-1  
 Notch N-terminal fragment  
 BACE-1  
 LRP intracellular fragment  
 CD44 N-terminal fragment  
 GSK-3beta  
 Notch  
 Nectin 1alpha C-terminal fragment  
 BACE-1 pro-domain  
 Notch extracellular fragment

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e-1: Enhancer-1; C99: C-terminal fragment 99 of amyloid precursor protein; LRP: low-density lipoprotein receptor-related protein; Erb-B4: Erb-B2 receptor tyrosine kinase 4 (HER4); Fe65: brain protein Fe65 (APP intracellular domain-binding protein); APP: amyloid precursor protein; HAC1: homologous to ATF/CREB1 transcription factor 1; Dsh: Dishevelled protein; Abeta: amyloid beta peptide; Tip60: Tat-interactive protein 60 kDa (histone acetyltransferase KAT5); Wnt: Wiggless-type MMTV integration site family protein; TCF/LEF: T-cell factor / Lymphoid enhancer-binding factor; CD44: Cluster of differentiation 44; Afadin: actin filament-binding protein Afadin (AFDN); TACE: TNF-alpha converting enzyme (ADAM17); Pen-2: Presenilin enhancer 2; APPbeta: beta-secretase-cleaved amyloid precursor protein fragment; CSL: CBF1/Su(H)/Lag-1 transcription factor complex; Pro-BACE-1: Pro-beta-site amyloid precursor protein cleaving enzyme 1; AICD: amyloid precursor protein intracellular domain; Aph-1: anterior pharynx defective 1; BACE-1: Beta-site amyloid precursor protein cleaving enzyme 1; GSK-3beta: glycogen synthase kinase-3 beta.

**Table S4.** Paths and number of components identified in the model using only males

| Pathway names                                                                     | Components |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| Axon guidance mediated by Slit/Robo                                               | 14         |
| CCKR signaling map                                                                | 290        |
| Heterotrimeric G-protein signaling pathway-Gq alpha and Go alpha mediated pathway | 21         |
| T cell activation                                                                 | 45         |
| Insulin/IGF pathway-mitogen activated protein kinase kinase/MAP kinase cascade    | 12         |
| Methylcitrate cycle                                                               | 5          |
| Cysteine biosynthesis                                                             | 2          |
| Methylmalonyl pathway                                                             | 3          |
| P38 MAPK pathway                                                                  | 36         |
| Histamine H1 receptor mediated signaling pathway                                  | 5          |
| Beta1 adrenergic receptor signaling pathway                                       | 7          |
| 5HT1 type receptor mediated signaling pathway                                     | 8          |
| Adenine and hypoxanthine salvage pathway                                          | 10         |
| Adrenaline and noradrenaline biosynthesis                                         | 12         |
| Leucine biosynthesis                                                              | 4          |
| 5HT2 type receptor mediated signaling pathway                                     | 9          |
| Blood coagulation                                                                 | 59         |
| Inflammation mediated by chemokine and cytokine signaling pathway                 | 58         |
| Endothelin signaling pathway                                                      | 27         |
| De novo purine biosynthesis                                                       | 23         |
| Thiamine metabolism                                                               | 12         |
| TGF-beta signaling pathway                                                        | 20         |
| Dopamine receptor mediated signaling pathway                                      | 27         |
| Plasminogen activating cascade                                                    | 22         |
| Axon guidance mediated by netrin                                                  | 11         |
| PI3 kinase pathway                                                                | 35         |
| P53 pathway feedback loops 2                                                      | 32         |
| Apoptosis signaling pathway                                                       | 72         |
| Wnt signaling pathway                                                             | 49         |
| Heterotrimeric G-protein signaling pathway-rod outer segment phototransduction    | 15         |
| Muscarinic acetylcholine receptor 1 and 3 signaling pathway                       | 12         |
| Opioid proopiomelanocortin pathway                                                | 9          |
| B cell activation                                                                 | 37         |
| VEGF signaling pathway                                                            | 25         |

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| Oxytocin receptor mediated signaling pathway                                      | 6   |
| Metabotropic glutamate receptor group II pathway                                  | 7   |
| Anandamide degradation                                                            | 1   |
| Methionine biosynthesis                                                           | 4   |
| Corticotropin releasing factor receptor signaling pathway                         | 9   |
| Alpha adrenergic receptor signaling pathway                                       | 6   |
| Interleukin signaling pathway                                                     | 36  |
| Pyruvate metabolism                                                               | 10  |
| Ionotropic glutamate receptor pathway                                             | 29  |
| De novo pyrimidine deoxyribonucleotide biosynthesis                               | 10  |
| Vitamin B6 metabolism                                                             | 19  |
| Succinate to propionate conversion                                                | 3   |
| Opioid prodynorphin pathway                                                       | 12  |
| Gonadotropin releasing hormone receptor pathway                                   | 216 |
| FGF signaling pathway                                                             | 26  |
| Ras pathway                                                                       | 39  |
| 5HT4 type receptor mediated signaling pathway                                     | 7   |
| 5HT3 type receptor mediated signaling pathway                                     | 5   |
| Salvage pyrimidine ribonucleotides                                                | 8   |
| Nicotinic acetylcholine receptor signaling pathway                                | 13  |
| Glycolysis                                                                        | 10  |
| Huntington disease                                                                | 60  |
| Thyrotropin-releasing hormone receptor signaling pathway                          | 9   |
| Cytoskeletal regulation by Rho gtpase                                             | 20  |
| Interferon-gamma signaling pathway                                                | 10  |
| Fructose galactose metabolism                                                     | 8   |
| Cadherin signaling pathway                                                        | 16  |
| Metabotropic glutamate receptor group III pathway                                 | 12  |
| Integrin signalling pathway                                                       | 46  |
| PLP biosynthesis                                                                  | 7   |
| Ubiquitin proteasome pathway                                                      | 6   |
| PDGF signaling pathway                                                            | 36  |
| Angiotensin II-stimulated signaling through G proteins and beta-arrestin          | 21  |
| De novo pyrimidine ribonucleotides biosynthesis                                   | 10  |
| Heterotrimeric G-protein signaling pathway-Gi alpha and Gs alpha mediated pathway | 27  |
| Beta2 adrenergic receptor signaling pathway                                       | 7   |
| Muscarinic acetylcholine receptor 2 and 4 signaling pathway                       | 11  |

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| Toll receptor signaling pathway                 | 46 |
| Angiogenesis                                    | 77 |
| Axon guidance mediated by semaphorins           | 14 |
| Parkinson disease                               | 37 |
| Beta3 adrenergic receptor signaling pathway     | 4  |
| Opioid proenkephalin pathway                    | 11 |
| 5-Hydroxytryptamine degradation                 | 2  |
| Cell cycle                                      | 12 |
| EGF receptor signaling pathway                  | 28 |
| Formyltetrahydrofolate biosynthesis             | 7  |
| Metabotropic glutamate receptor group I pathway | 10 |
| Serine glycine biosynthesis                     | 4  |
| N-acetylglucosamine metabolism                  | 9  |
| Alzheimer disease-amyloid secretase pathway     | 31 |
| ATP synthesis                                   | 12 |
| Folate biosynthesis                             | 11 |
| FAS signaling pathway                           | 31 |

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Slit/Robo: Slit ligand / Roundabout receptor signaling pathway; CCKR: cholecystokinin receptor; G-protein: guanine nucleotide-binding protein; Gq: Gq alpha subunit of heterotrimeric G protein; Go: Go alpha subunit of heterotrimeric G protein; T: testosterone; IGF: insulin-like growth factor; MAP: Mitogen-activated protein; P38 MAPK: p38 mitogen-activated protein kinase; H1: histamine receptor H1; Beta1: Beta-1 adrenergic receptor; 5HT1: 5-hydroxytryptamine receptor 1 (serotonin receptor 1); 5HT2: 5-hydroxytryptamine receptor 2 (serotonin receptor 2); TGF-beta: transforming growth factor beta; PI3: phosphoinositide 3-kinase; P53: tumor protein p53; Wnt: Wingless-type MMTV integration site family protein; B: vitamin B; VEGF: vascular endothelial growth factor; II: Angiotensin II; B6: vitamin B6 (pyridoxine); FGF: fibroblast growth factor; Ras: Rat sarcoma small GTPase; 5HT4: 5-hydroxytryptamine receptor 4 (serotonin receptor 4); 5HT3: 5-hydroxytryptamine receptor 3 (serotonin receptor 3); Rho: Ras homolog family small GTPase; PDGF: platelet-derived growth factor; Gi: Gi alpha subunit of heterotrimeric G protein; Gs: Gs alpha subunit of heterotrimeric G protein; Beta2: Beta-2 adrenergic receptor; Beta3: Beta-3 adrenergic receptor; EGF: epidermal growth factor; PLP: pyridoxal 5'-phosphate; ATP: adenosine triphosphate; FAS: Fas cell surface death receptor.

