



# Integrating Multi-omics Data for Cancer Subtyping: A Multi-view Clustering Algorithm

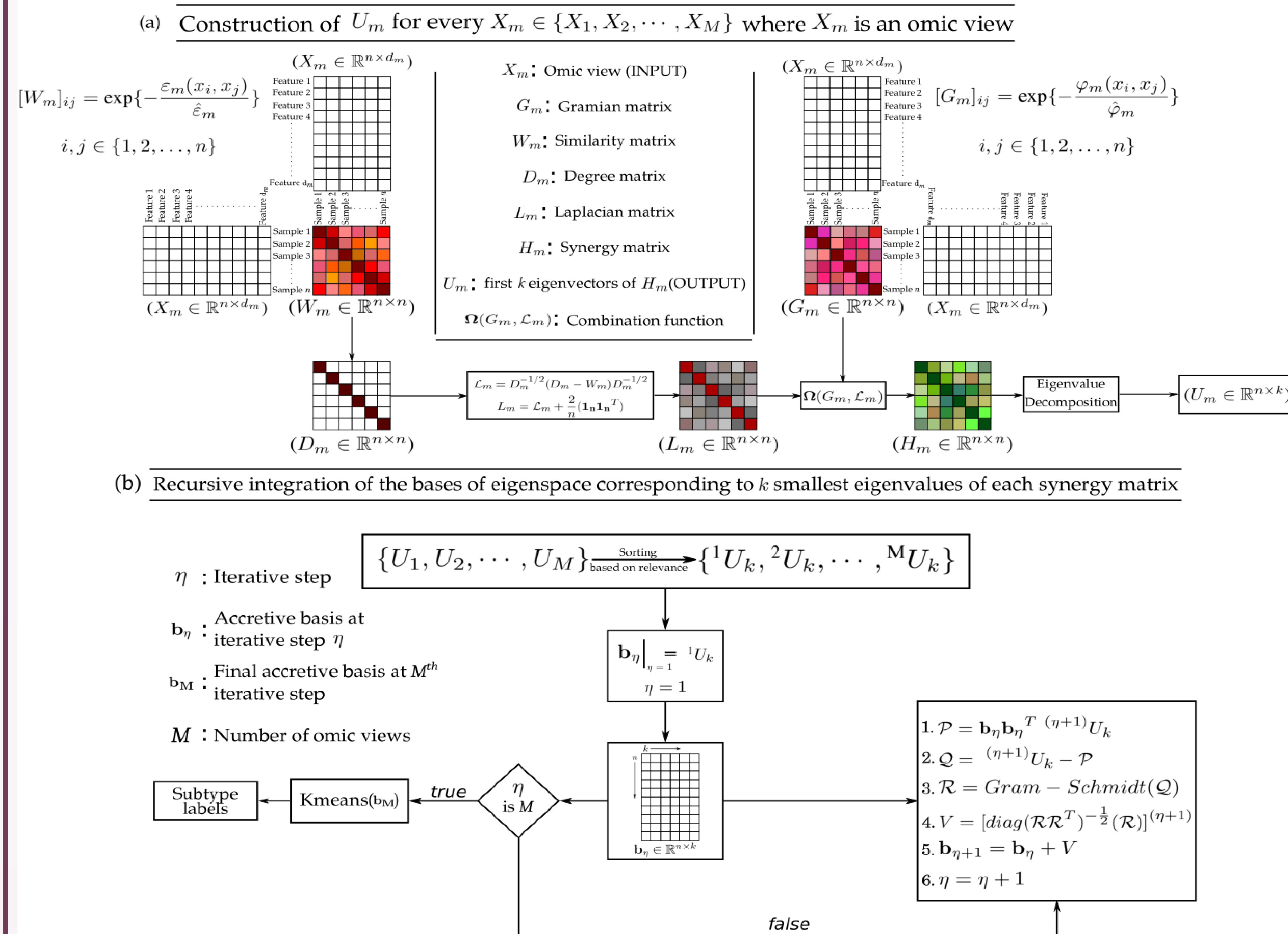
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## ABSTRACT

Cancer subtypes identification is one of the critical steps towards advancing personalized anti-cancerous therapies. It can provide deeper insights into the molecular signatures targeted to understand disease pathogenesis. Accumulation of a considerable amount of multi-platform omics data, like, Transcriptome, Proteome, Epigenome, and others measured on the same set of samples, provides an opportunity to look into this deadly disease from several views simultaneously. A novel multi-view clustering algorithm named RISynG is presented in this study that integrates multi-omics data and performs clustering across the samples for cancer subtypes identification. RISynG is tested on five multi-omics cancer data sets taken from The Cancer Genome Atlas. The experimental results demonstrate that the proposed method outperforms other methods in this domain. The cancer subtypes identified by RISynG overlaps with the well-established and studied subtypes of respective cancer types to a greater extent.

## Proposed Multi-omics Clustering Algorithm: RISynG (Recursive Integration of Synergized Graph-representations)



## CONCLUSION

- The main contributions of this study are:
1) Development of an integrative clustering method for multi-view Omics data.
2) Demonstration of the effectiveness of proposed method over other methods.
3) Establishing biological relevance for the obtained results.

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## DATA SETS

Table with 7 columns: Data-sets, Number of samples, mRNA, miRNA, metDNA, RPPA, Number of clusters. Rows include CESC, BRCA, OV, LGG, and STAD.

## RESULTS

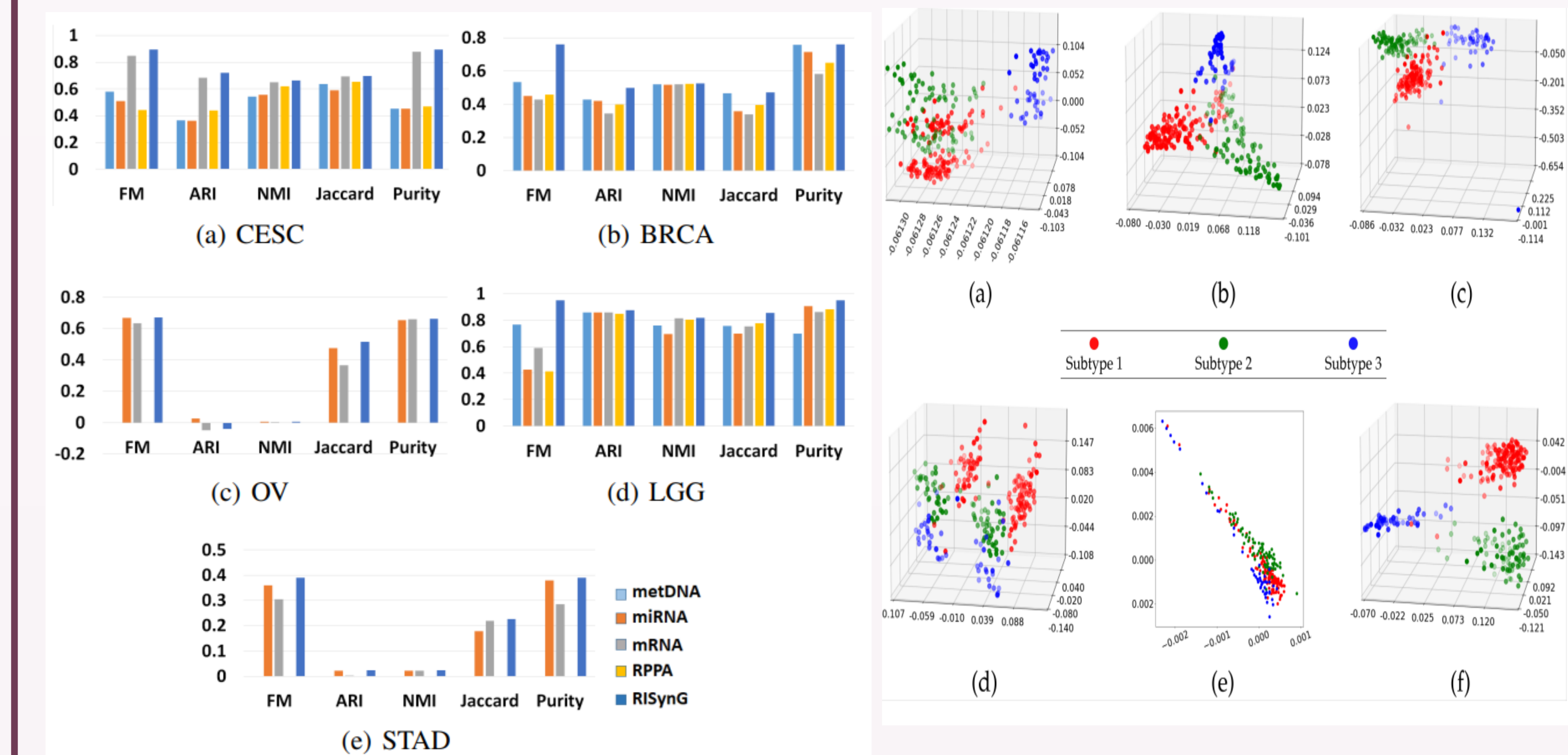


Fig 2: Comparative analysis of different integrative sub-spaces on LGG data set. (a) Best-omic view (metDNA) (b) SNF (c) SURE (d) CoLa (e) iCluster (f) RISynG

Fig 1: Comparative performance analysis of proposed approach and spectral clustering performed on individual omic-views

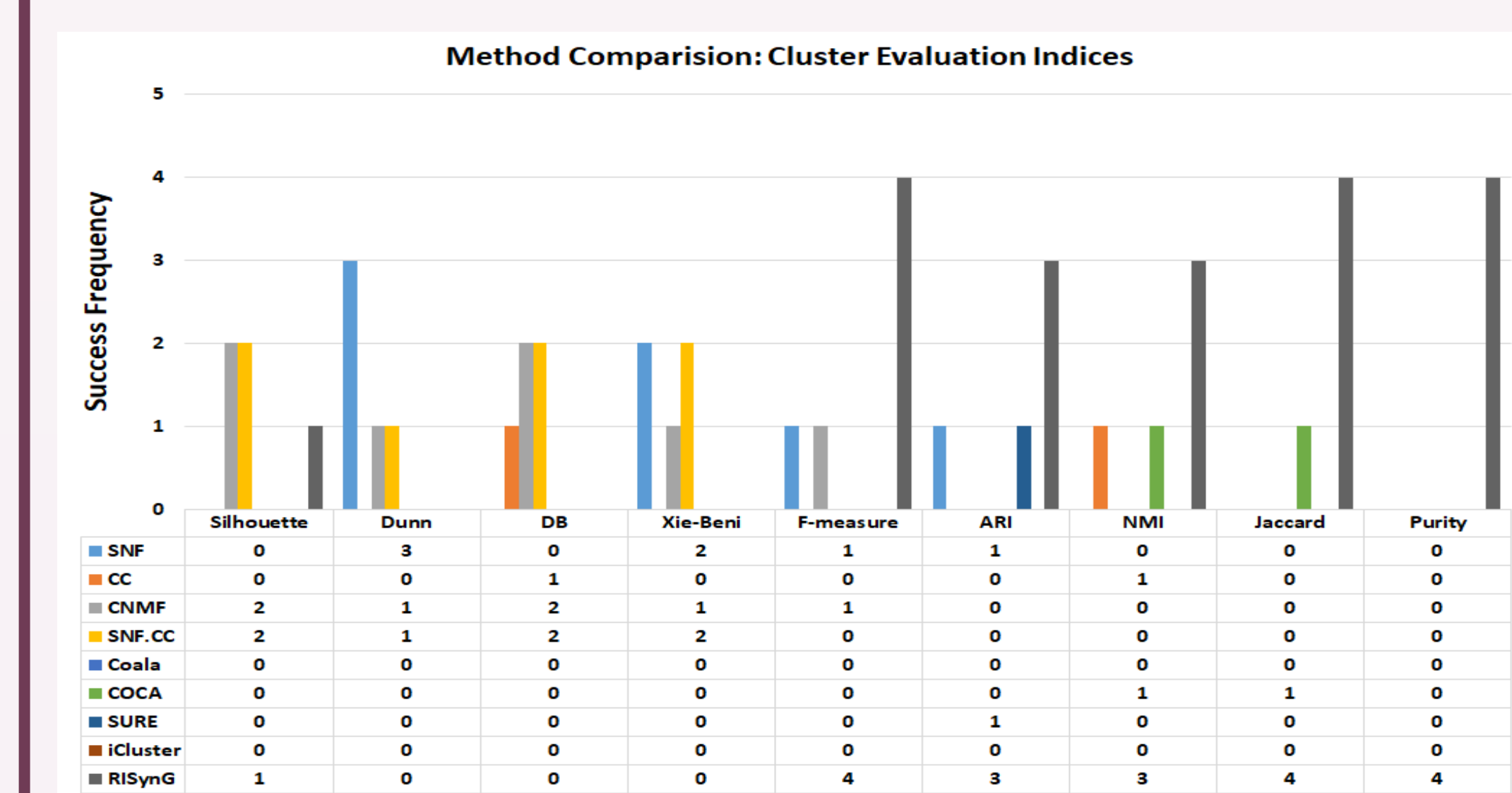


Fig 3 & 4: Comparative Analyses: Success frequency indicates number of times a method scored the maximum value for each of the evaluation indices.

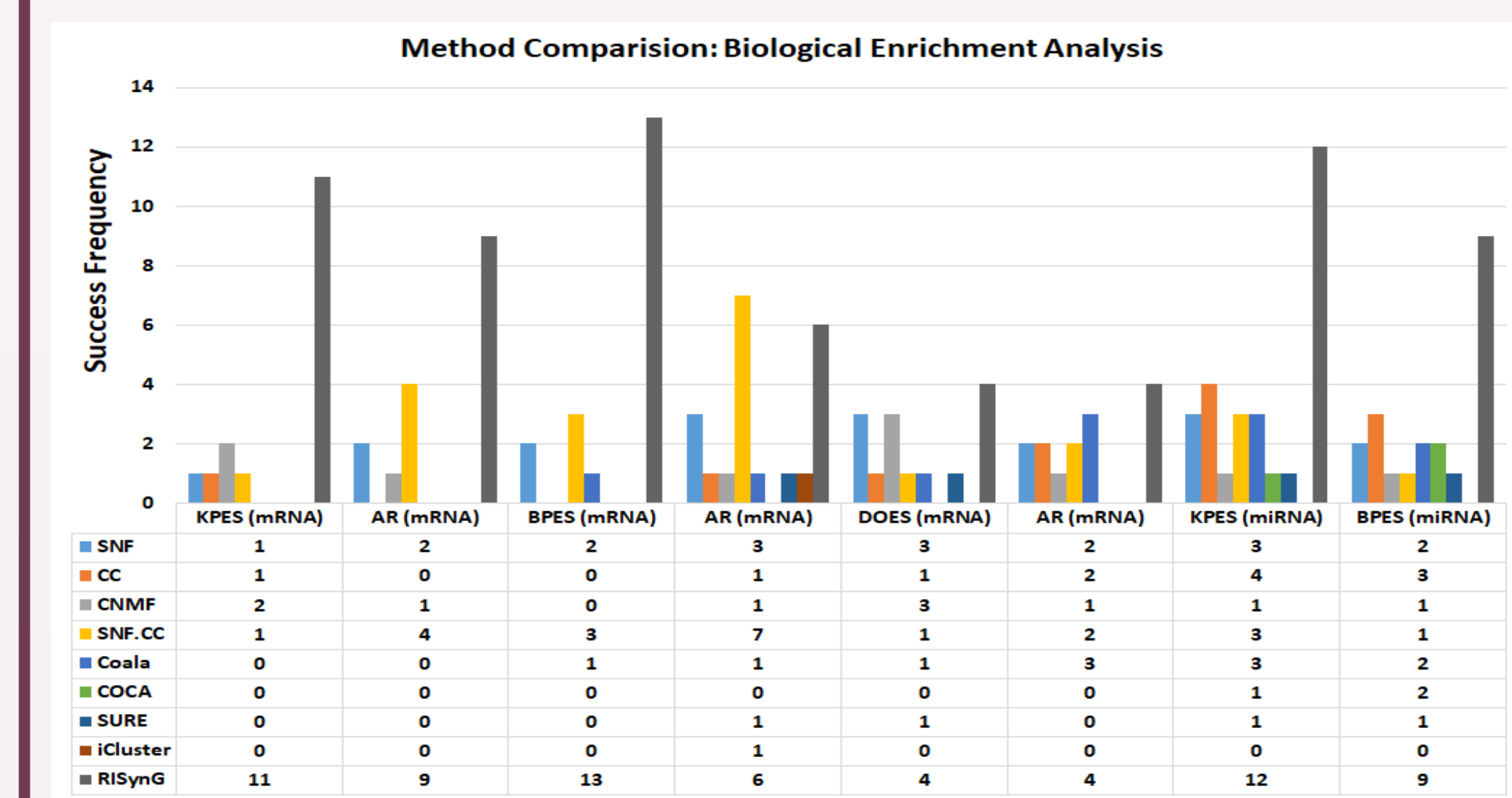


Table with 5 columns: Methods, yes, no, Total, p-value. Rows include SNF, CC, CNMF, SNF.CC, CoLa, COCA, SURE, iCluster, and RISynG.

Fig 5: Overlap Analysis for Cervical cancer: Overlap between experimentally validated genes and differentially expressed genes obtained between identified subtypes using Fisher's exact test.