

# Cyni

*The Cytoscape Network Inference  
(Cyni) toolbox for gene regulatory  
network inference*



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Cytoscape

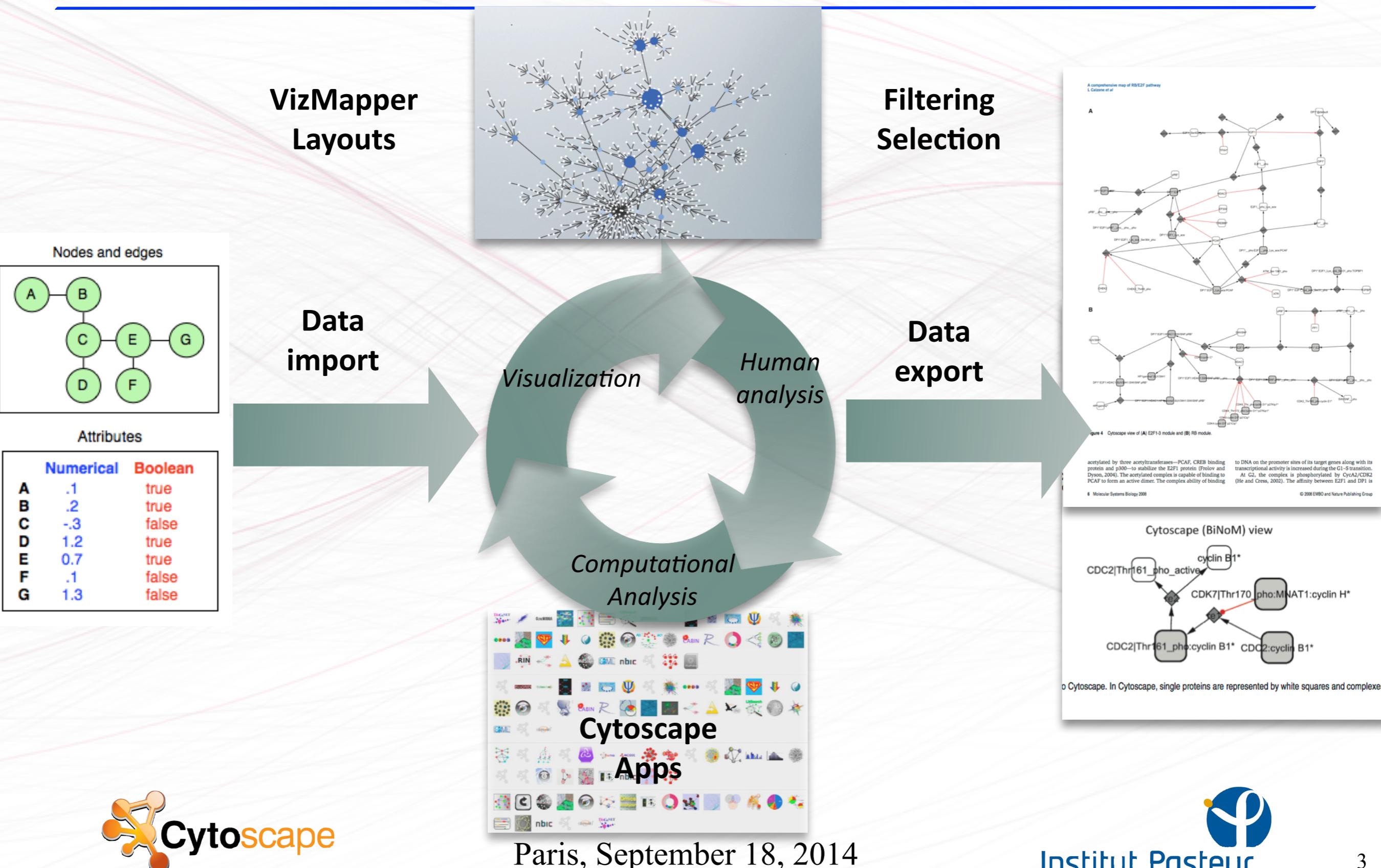
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# Cytoscape

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- Open source platform for biological network data **integration, analysis, and visualization**
  - Free! (Open source, LPGL)
  - Developed and maintained by universities, companies, and research institutions
  - Expandable by Apps/Plugins

# Cytoscape Workflow



# Why Cyni

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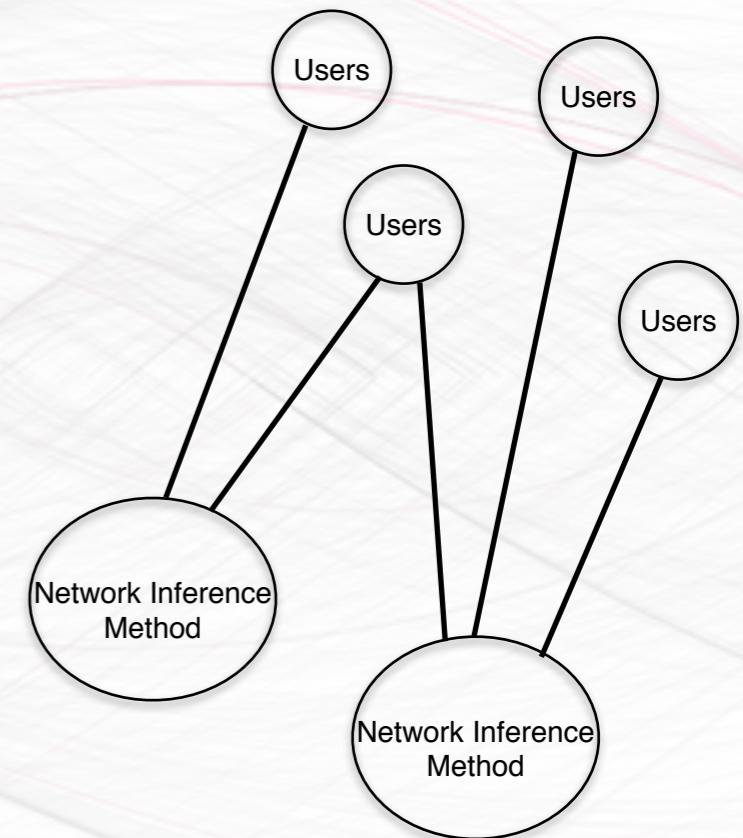


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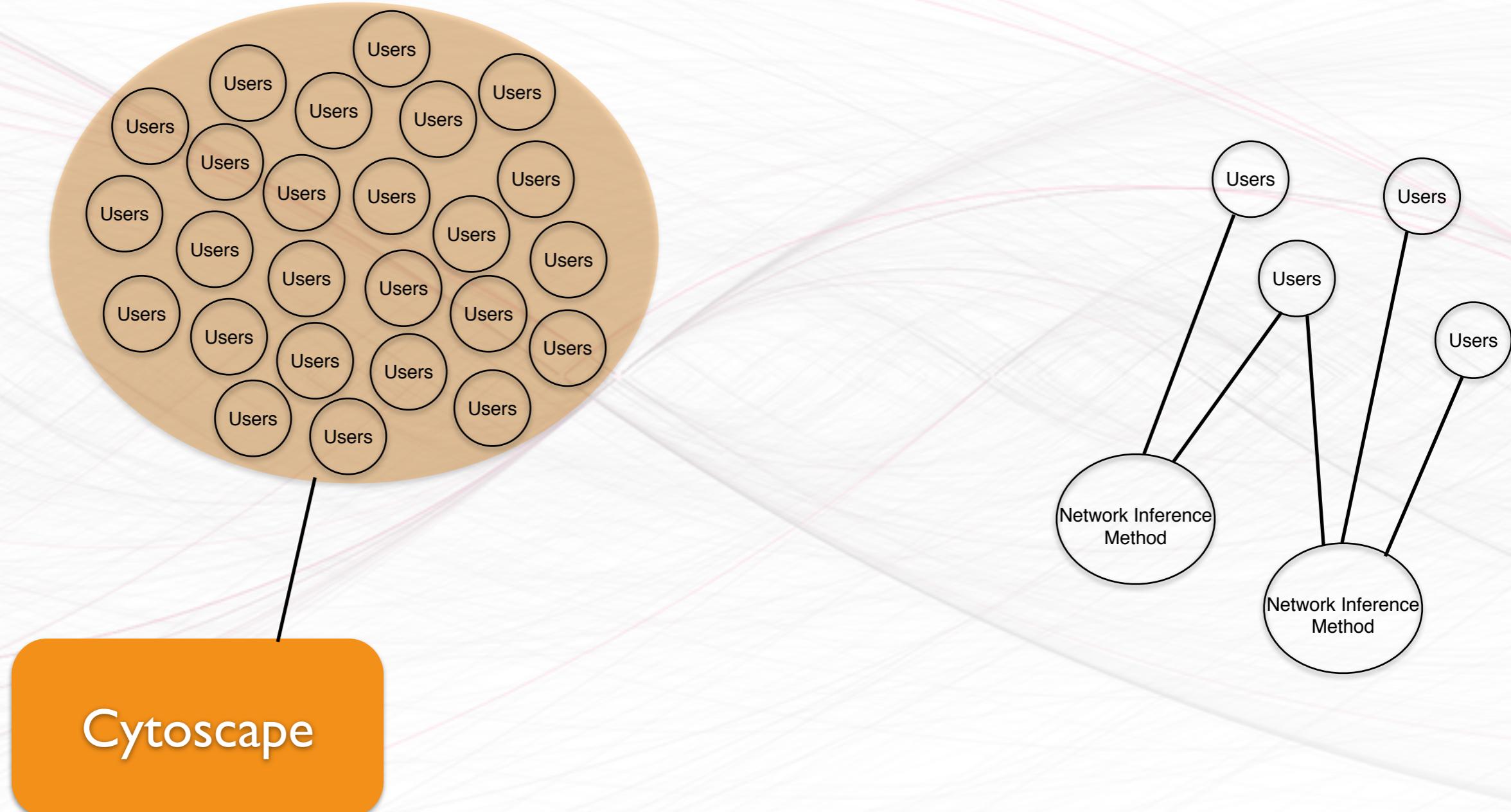


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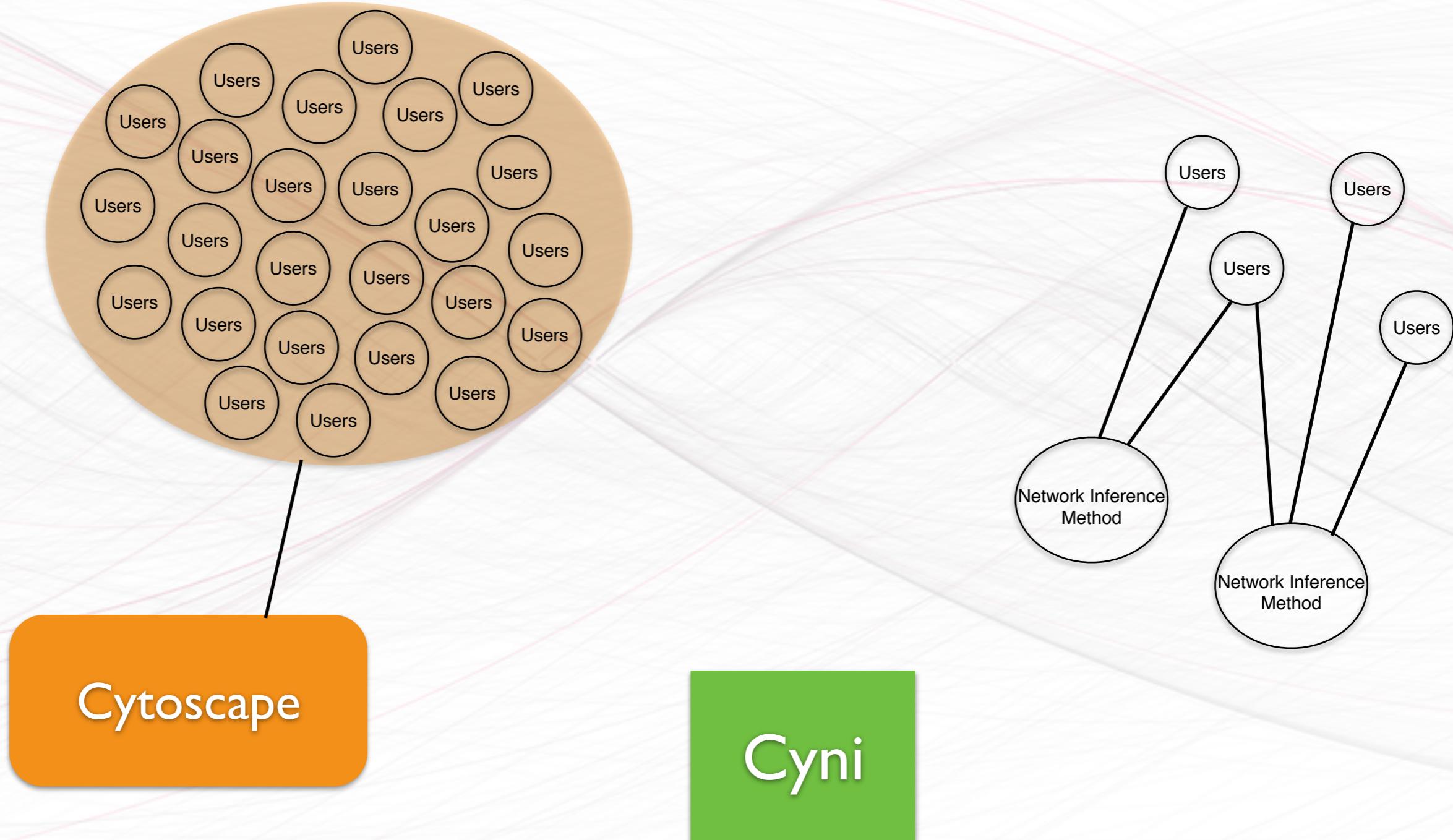
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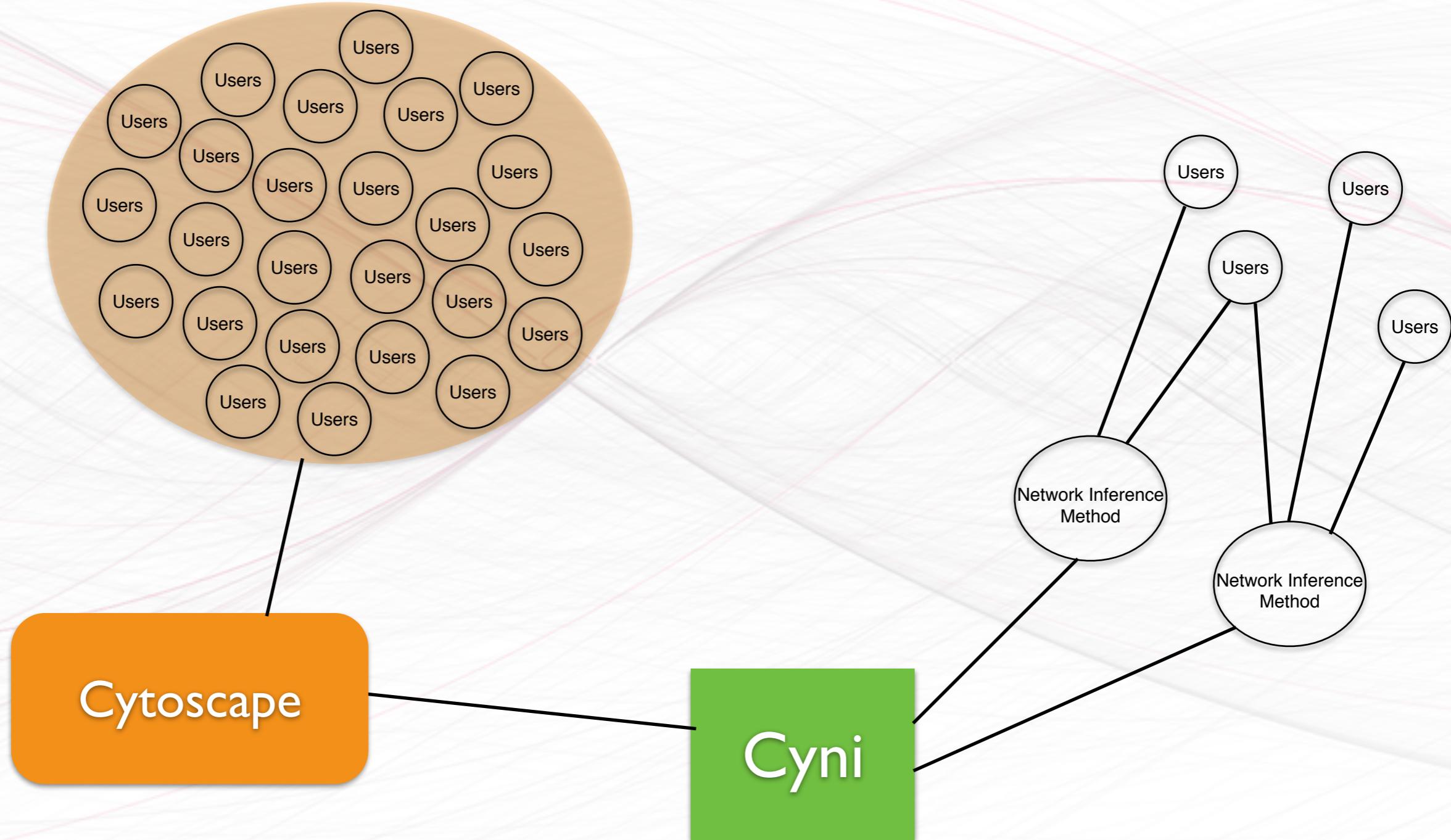
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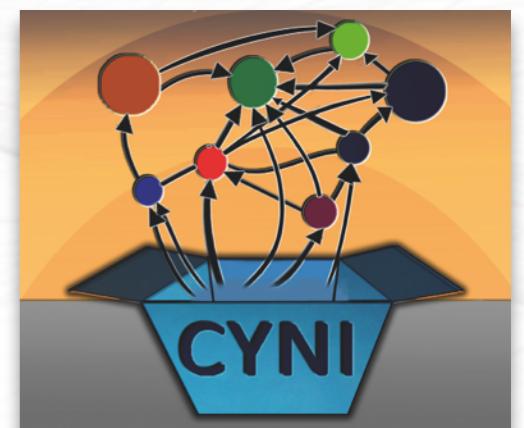


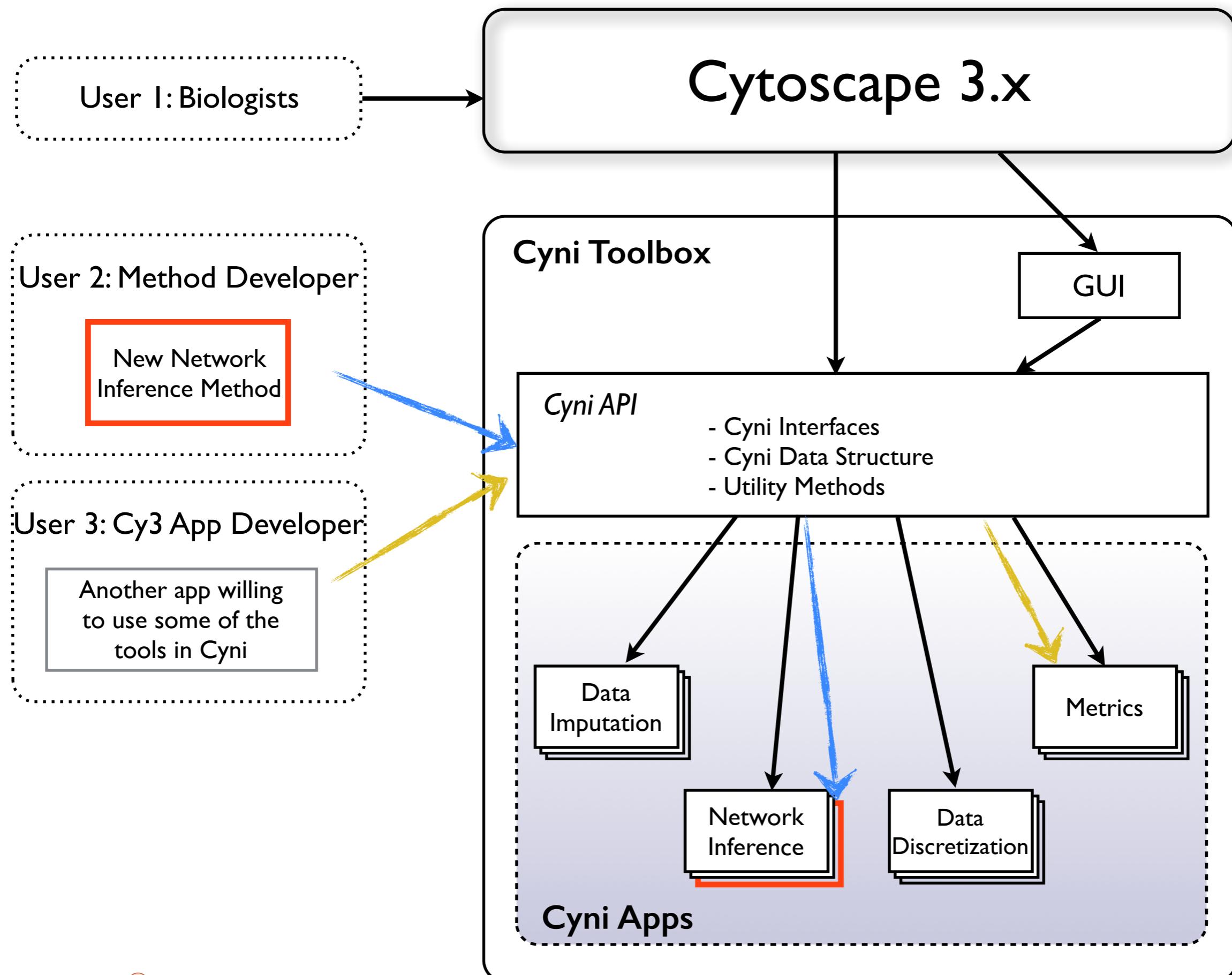
# Why Cyni



# Cyni Toolbox App

- To biologists:
  - Cyni is a collection of tools for network inference
- To bioinformaticians and inference researchers:
  - Cyni is a framework that supports and simplifies implementation of new network inference algorithms
- First 3.x app that exports functionality
- Cyni provides
  - Several commonly used network inference techniques
  - Data imputation and discretization techniques
  - Several known metrics (correlation, bayesian,...)
  - Documented API
  - Tutorials and sample code





# How to get Cyni

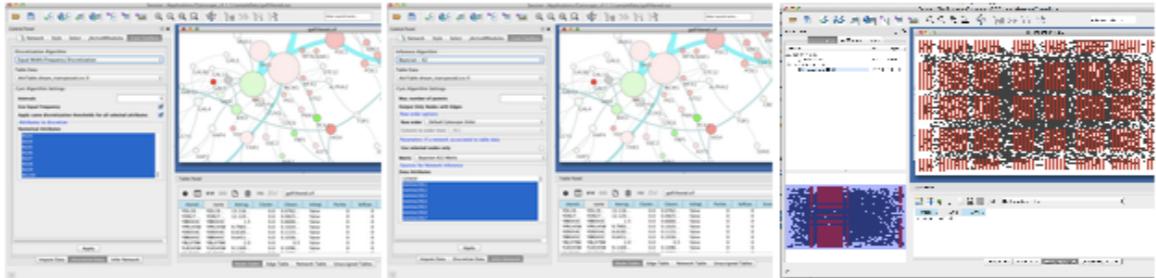
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Cyni provides:

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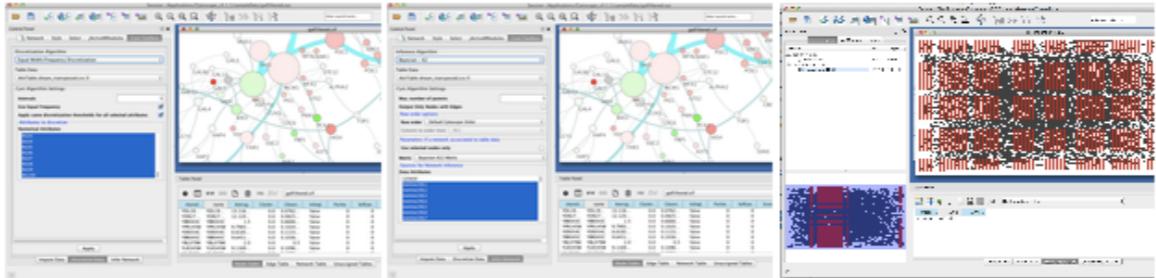
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- Control Panel (left):**
  - Inference Algorithm:** Bayesian - K2
  - Table Data:** galFiltered.sif default node
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    - Max. number of parents:** (input field)
    - Output Only Nodes with Edges**
    - Row order options:**
      - Row order:** Default Cytoscape Order
      - Column to order rows:** SelfLoops
    - Parameters if a network associated to table data:**
      - Use selected nodes only**
      - Metric:** Bayesian (K2) Metric
    - Sources for Network Inference**
    - Data Attributes:** A list including shared name, name, COMMON, nominal.gal4RGexp, nominal.gal80Rsig, and nominal.gal80Rexp.
  - Network Graph (center):** A circular network diagram titled "galFiltered.sif" showing various nodes (e.g., MCM1, CLB1, SPA2, STE11, PCK1, SWI5, etc.) and their connections.
  - Table Panel (bottom right):** A table titled "galFiltered.sif" showing network statistics for nodes. The columns include shared..., name, Average, Cluster..., Closeness, IsSingle..., Partner..., SelfLoop..., Eccent..., Stress, and Degree.

shared...	name	Average	Cluster...	Closeness	IsSingle...	Partner...	SelfLoop...	Eccent...	Stress	Degree
YDL19...	YDL19...	13.116...	0.0	0.0762...	false	0	0	26	0	1
YDR27...	YDR27...	12.120...	0.0	0.0825...	false	0	0	25	2722	2
YBR043C	YBR043C	1.5	0.0	0.6666...	false	0	0	2	0	1
YPR145W	YPR145W	9.7983...	0.0	0.1020...	false	0	0	18	0	1
YER054C	YER054C	8.8185...	0.0	0.1133...	false	0	0	19	11544	2
YBR045C	YBR045C	9.6451...	0.0	0.1036...	false	0	0	20	21474	3
YBL079W	YBL079W	2.0	0.0	0.5	false	0	0	3	0	1
YLR345W	YLR345W	9.1169...	0.0	0.1096...	false	0	0	19	0	1
YIL052C	YIL052C	0.1101	0.0	0.1002	?	0	0	10	0	1



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**Control Panel**

- Network | Style | Select | **Cyni Toolbox** (highlighted)

**Inference Algorithm**: Bayesian - K2

**Table Data**: galFiltered.sif default node

**Cyni Algorithm Settings**

- Max. number of parents: [input field]
- Output Only Nodes with Edges
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  - Row order: Default Cytoscape Order
  - Column to order rows: SelfLoops
- Parameters if a network associated to table data:
  - Use selected nodes only
- Metric: Bayesian (K2) Metric
- Sources for Network Inference
- Data Attributes:
  - shared name
  - name
  - COMMON
  - nominal.gal4RGexp
  - nominal.gal80Rsig
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**Apply**

Impute Data | Discretize Data | Infer Network

**Table Panel**

galFiltered.sif

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YDL19...	YDL19...	13.116...	0.0	0.0762...	false	0	0	26	0	1
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Node Table | Edge Table | Network Table | Unassigned Tables

Memory: OK



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# How to use Cyni

Session: /Applications/Cytoscape\_v3.1.1/sampleData/galFiltered.cys

Control Panel

Cyni Toolbox

Inference Algorithm: Bayesian - K2

Table Data: galFiltered.sif default node

Cyni Algorithm Settings

Max. number of parents: [input field]

Output Only Nodes with Edges

Row order options: Row order (Default Cytoscape Order)

Column to order rows: SelfLoops

Parameters if a network associated to table data

Use selected nodes only

Metric: Bayesian (K2) Metric

Sources for Network Inference

Data Attributes

- shared name
- name
- COMMON
- nominal.gal4RGexp
- nominal.gal80Rsig
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Impute Data | Discretize Data | Infer Network

galFiltered.sif

Table Panel

galFiltered.sif

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YDL19...	YDL19...	13.116...	0.0	0.0762...	false	0	0	26	0	1
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- Control Panel (left):**
  - Inference Algorithm:** Bayesian - K2 (highlighted with a red box).
  - Table Data:** galFiltered.sif default node.
  - Cyni Algorithm Settings:**
    - Max. number of parents: [input field]
    - Output Only Nodes with Edges
    - Row order options: Row order (Default Cytoscape Order)
    - Column to order rows: SelfLoops
  - Parameters if a network associated to table data:**
    - Use selected nodes only
    - Metric: Bayesian (K2) Metric
  - Sources for Network Inference:**
  - Data Attributes:** shared name, name, COMMON, nominal.gal4RGexp, nominal.gal80Rsig, nominal.gal80Rexp.
  - Buttons:** Apply, Impute Data, Discretize Data, Infer Network.
- Network Graph (center):** A graph titled "galFiltered.sif" showing various nodes (e.g., MCM1, CLB1, SPA2, STE11, PCK1, SWI5, etc.) connected by edges of different colors (grey, light blue, cyan).
- Table Panel (bottom right):**
  - Table title: galFiltered.sif
  - Table columns: shared..., name, Average, Cluster..., Closeness, IsSingle..., Partner..., SelfLoop..., Eccent..., Stress, Degree.
  - Table data (partial):

shared...	name	Average	Cluster...	Closeness	IsSingle...	Partner...	SelfLoop...	Eccent...	Stress	Degree
YDL19...	YDL19...	13.116...	0.0	0.0762...	false	0	0	26	0	1
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  - Table buttons: Node Table, Edge Table, Network Table, Unassigned Tables.



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Control Panel

Inference Algorithm: Bayesian - K2

Table Data: galFiltered.sif default node (highlighted)

Cyni Algorithm Settings

- Max. number of parents: [input field]
- Output Only Nodes with Edges
- Row order options:
  - Row order: Default Cytoscape Order
  - Column to order rows: SelfLoops
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- Sources for Network Inference

Data Attributes

- shared name
- name
- COMMON
- nominal.gal4RGexp
- nominal.gal80Rsig
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Apply

Impute Data | Discretize Data | Infer Network

galFiltered.sif

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- Control Panel:** Contains tabs for Network, Style, Select, and Cyni Toolbox. The Cyni Toolbox tab is selected.
- Inference Algorithm:** Set to Bayesian - K2.
- Table Data:** Set to galFiltered.sif default node.
- Cyni Algorithm Settings:** A red box highlights this section. It includes:
  - Max. number of parents:** Input field.
  - Output Only Nodes with Edges:** Option selected.
  - Row order options:**
    - Row order:** Default Cytoscape Order (radio button selected).
    - Column to order rows:** SelfLoops (radio button selected).
  - Parameters if a network associated to table data:**
    - Use selected nodes only:** Option selected.
    - Metric:** Bayesian (K2) Metric (radio button selected).
  - Sources for Network Inference:**
  - Data Attributes:** A list of shared attributes: name, COMMON, nominal.gal4RGexp, nominal.gal80Rsig, nominal.gal80Rexp.
- Apply:** Button at the bottom of the Cyni settings panel.
- Impute Data | Discretize Data | Infer Network:** Buttons at the bottom of the Control Panel.
- Network Graph:** A circular network diagram titled "galFiltered.sif". Nodes include MCM1, STE11, PCK1, GPA1, SWI5, STE5, SST2, YDR032C, SPC24, RPA135, CKS1, CLB1, SPA2, PIS1, SWI4, SLT2, and several green nodes (HSP82, CNS1, HSC82, YER124C, BUD6). Edges are colored grey or cyan.
- Table Panel:** Shows a table titled "galFiltered.sif" with columns: shared..., name, Average, Cluster..., Closeness, IsSingle..., Partner..., SelfLoop..., Eccent..., Stress, and Degree. The table contains data for various nodes.
- Table Headers:** Node Table, Edge Table, Network Table, Unassigned Tables.
- Memory:** OK (green status bar).



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# Cyni Use case

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Infer a network from gene expression data

# Cyni Use case

Load Data

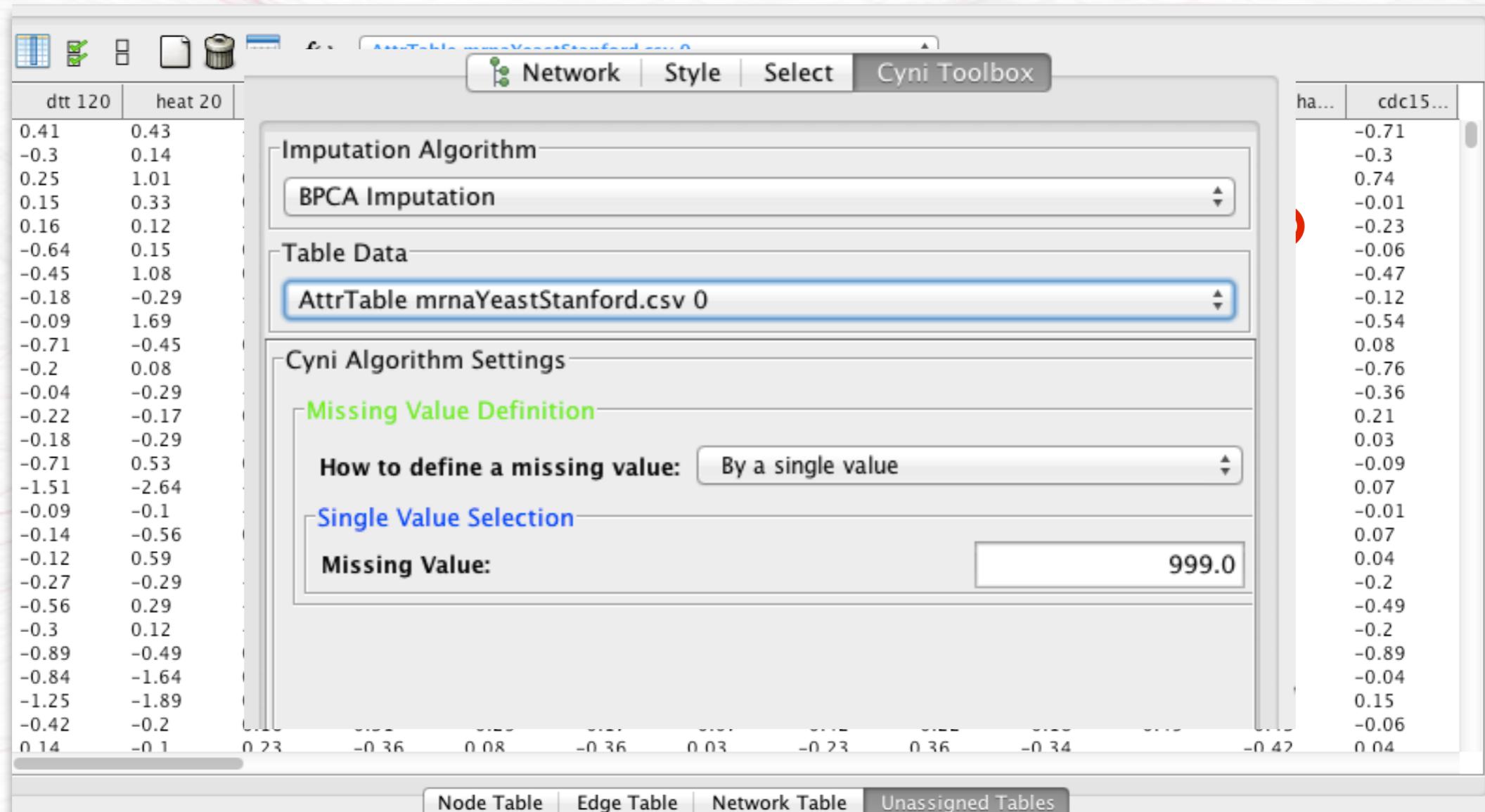
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dtt 120	heat 20	cdc15...	alpha...	alpha...	Elu 390	Elu 360	Elu 180	cdc15...	Elu 150	spo5 2	alpha...	cdc15...
0.41	0.43	-0.51	-0.4	-0.34	-0.14	-0.27	-0.09	0.11	-0.17	0.59	-0.22	-0.71
-0.3	0.14	-0.42	-0.07	-0.14	-0.49	-0.15	-0.62	-0.15	-0.17	-0.22	-0.3	-0.3
0.25	1.01	0.97	-0.18	-0.22	0.62	0.53	0.33	-0.71	-0.04	0.07	0.04	0.74
0.15	0.33	0.15	0.44	0.31	0.4	0.5	-0.43	-0.01	-0.47	0.3	0.25	-0.01
0.16	0.12	-0.15	0.29	-0.29	0.31	-0.09	0.16	-0.01	-0.4	0.1	0.18	-0.23
-0.64	0.15	0.36	0.29	-0.01	-0.17	0.26	-0.07	0.18	0.07	-0.36	-0.18	-0.06
-0.45	1.08	0.03	-0.03	-0.23	0.9	0.85	-0.84	-0.09	-0.67	0.78	0.52	-0.47
-0.18	-0.29	-0.64	-0.3	-0.14	-0.06	-0.03	-0.23	-0.64	-0.22	0.77	-0.22	-0.12
-0.09	1.69	-2.94	0.36	-0.1	1.07	1.02	0.16	-2.94	-0.42	0.01	0.81	-0.54
-0.71	-0.45	0.4	-0.22	0.25	-0.62	-0.1	-0.45	-0.03	-0.74	-0.1	0.14	0.08
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-0.04	-0.29	-0.07	-0.34	0.25	-0.15	-0.36	0.25	-0.36	0.2	-0.12	-0.34	-0.36
-0.22	-0.17	0.24	0.08	0.07	0.06	-0.32	-0.6	0.33	-0.15	-0.32	-0.47	0.21
-0.18	-0.29	-0.36	0.63	-0.03	-0.38	-0.6	0.03	-0.4	-0.12	0.32	0.03	
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-0.89	-0.49	0.1	-0.43	-0.15	-0.62	-0.58	-0.06	0.74	0.1	-0.89	-0.14	-0.89
-0.84	-1.64	0.08	-0.15	-0.14	-0.12	-0.74	0.01	0.4	0.74	-1.06	-0.29	-0.04
-1.25	-1.89	0.21	0.76	0.18	0.07	0.2	0.34	0.28	0.54	0.01	0.2	0.15
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Load Data



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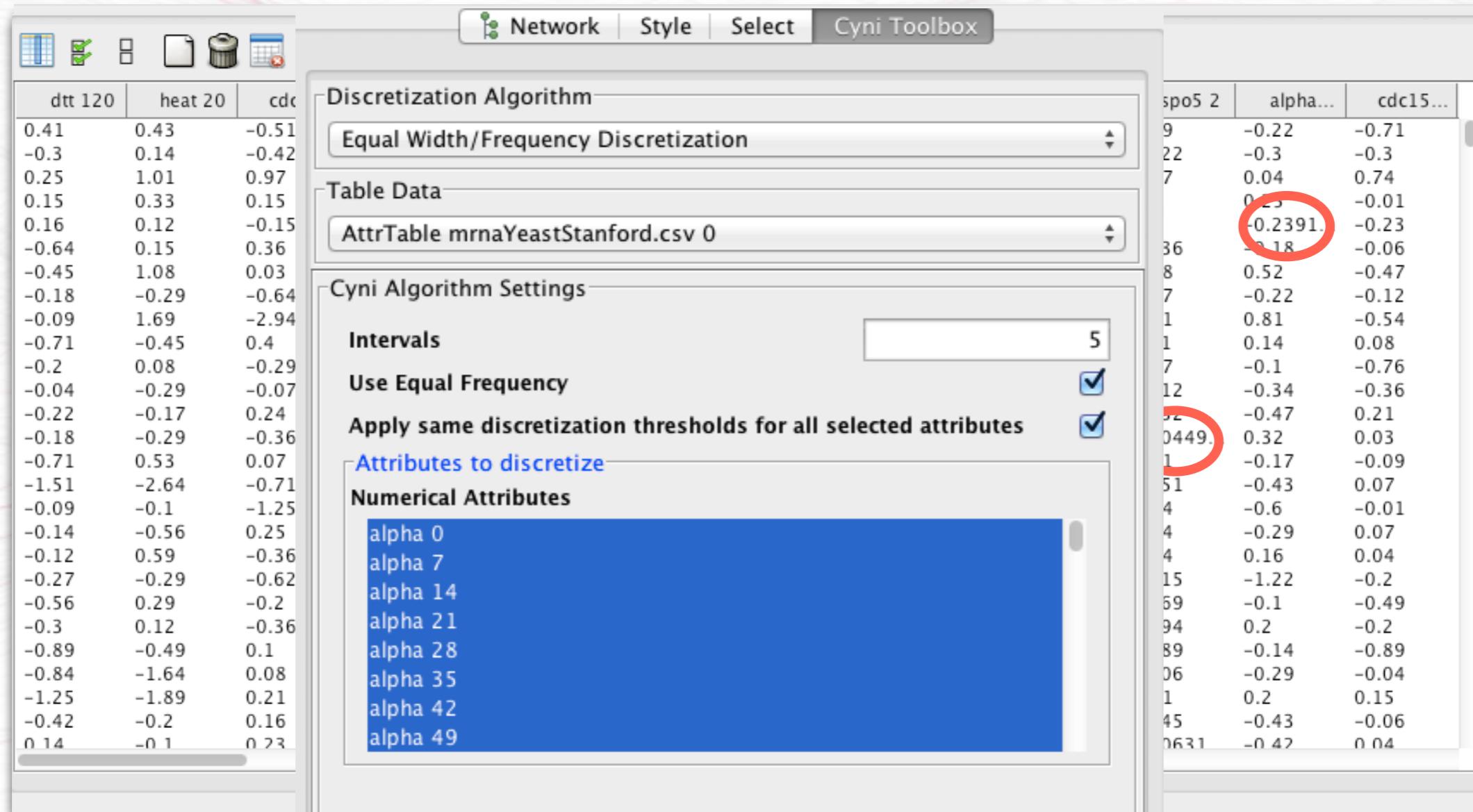


AttrTable mRNAYeastStanford.csv 0

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-0.71	-0.45	0.4	-0.22	0.25	-0.62	-0.1	-0.45	-0.03	-0.74	-0.1	0.14	0.08
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# Cyni Use case



The figure illustrates the Cyni Use case workflow, showing the flow from data loading to network inference and finally to data discretization.

**Left Panel: Data View**

A screenshot of the Cytoscape interface showing a table of data. The columns are labeled "nominal..." and "nominal.". The data consists of pairs of values, such as (-0.220..., -0.450...), representing nominal attributes.

**Middle Panel: Cyni Toolbox**

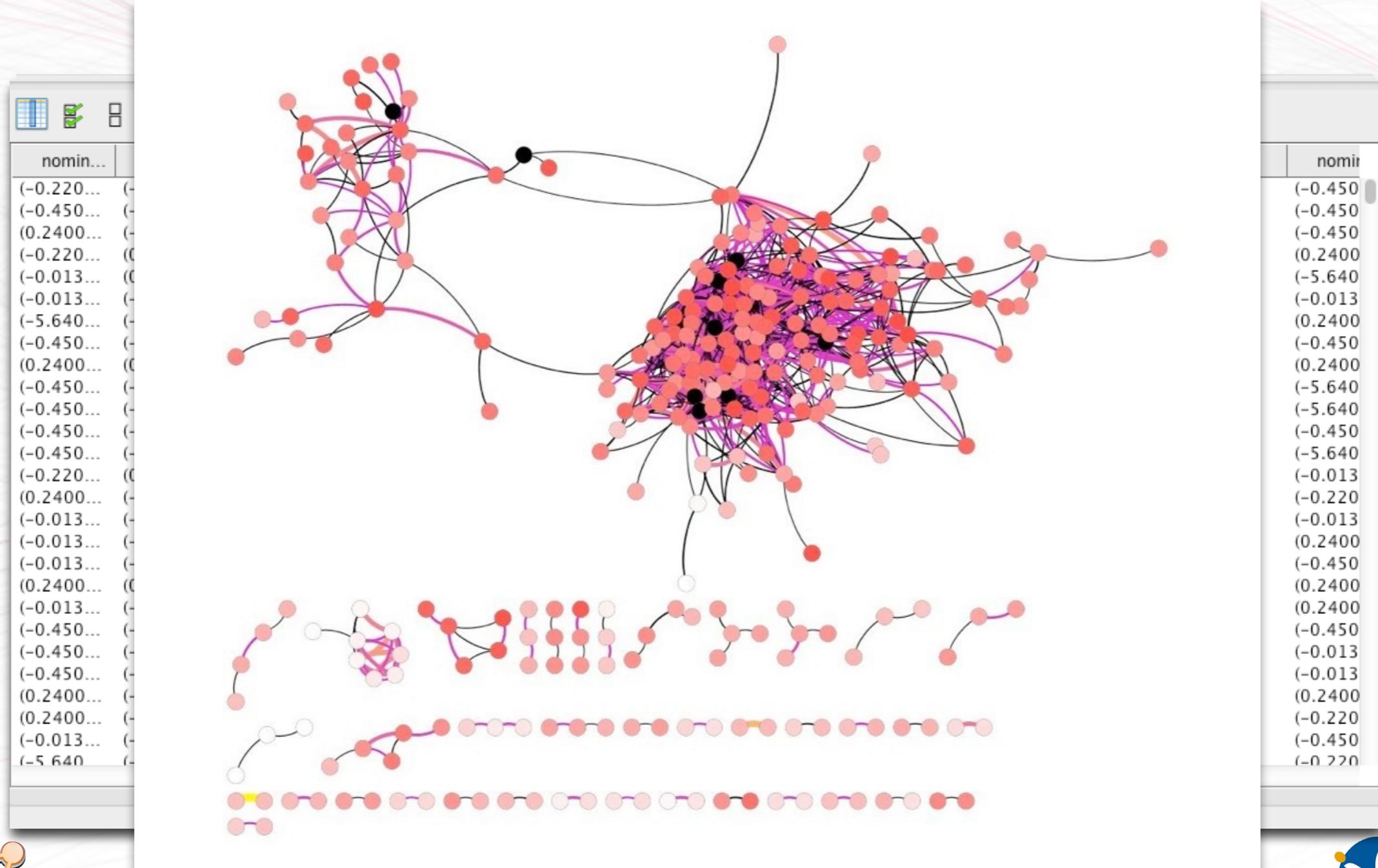
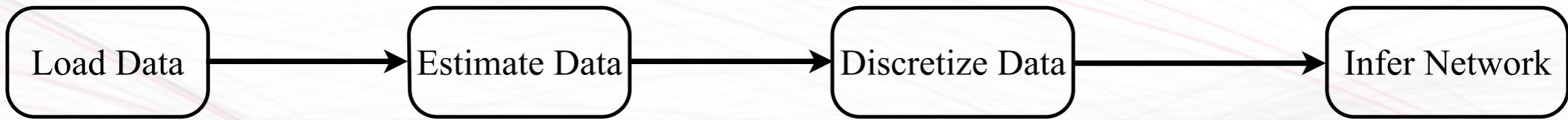
The Cyni Toolbox dialog box is open, showing the following settings:

- Inference Algorithm:** Mutual Information Inference
- Table Data:** AttrTable mRNA YeastStanford.csv 0
- Cyni Algorithm Settings:**
  - Threshold to add new edge: 0.6
  - Parameters if a network associated to table data
  - Use selected nodes only
- Sources for Network Inference:** Data Attributes
- Data Attributes (List):** ORF, NAME, nominal.alpha 0, nominal.alpha 7, nominal.alpha 14, nominal.alpha 21, nominal.alpha 28, nominal.alpha 35

**Right Panel: Discretized Data**

A screenshot of a spreadsheet application showing the discretized data. The columns are labeled "nominal.Elu 60" and "nominal". The data consists of pairs of values, such as (-0.22000, -0.013171), representing the discretized nominal attributes.

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# First “Cyni Apps”

- ARACNE

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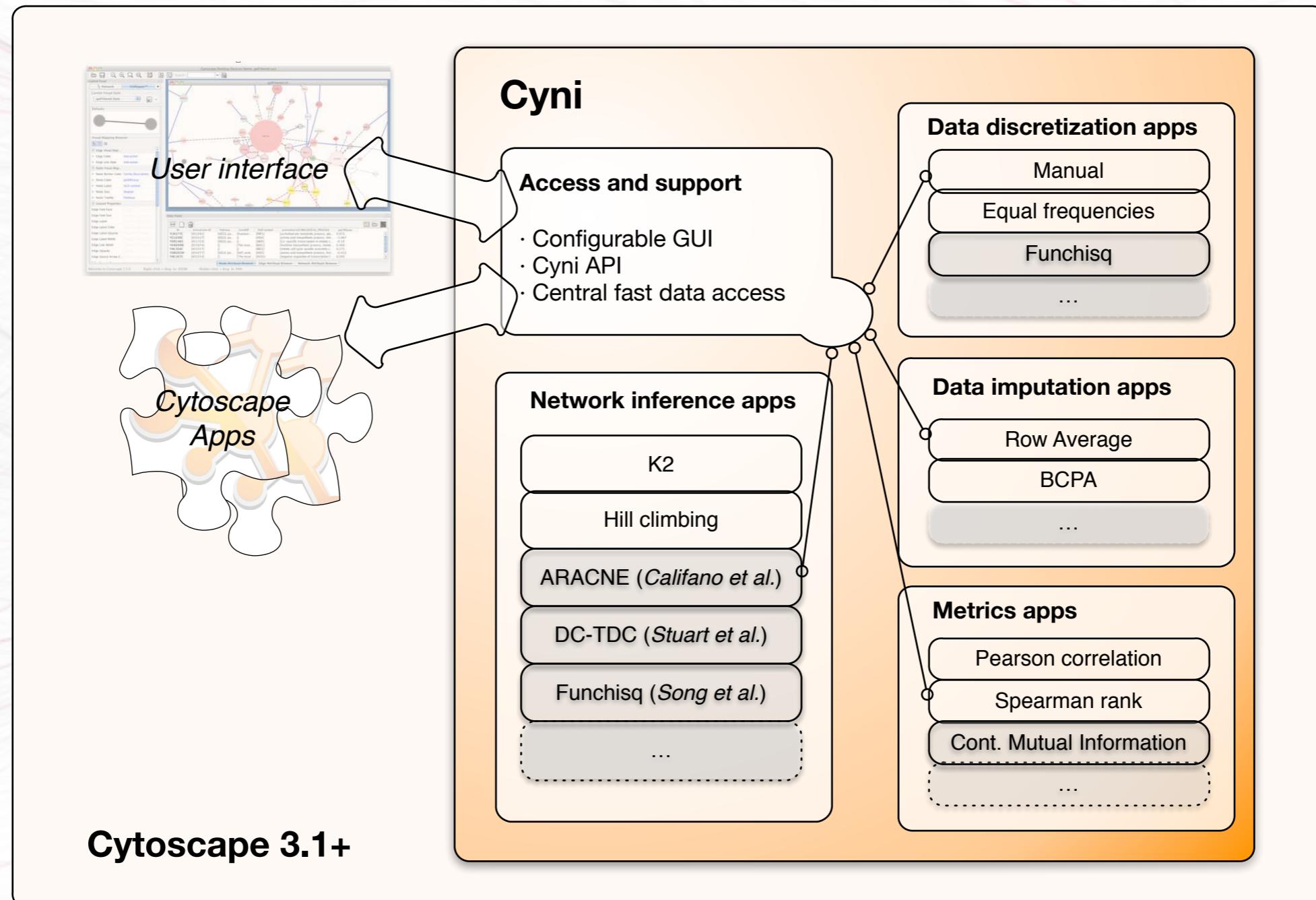
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## **ARACNE: An Algorithm for the Reconstruction of Gene Regulatory Networks in a Mammalian Cellular Context**

Adam A Margolin<sup>1,2</sup>, Ilya Nemenman<sup>2</sup>, Katia Basso<sup>3</sup>, Chris Wiggins<sup>2,4</sup>, Gustavo Stolovitzky<sup>5</sup>, Riccardo Dalla Favera<sup>3</sup> and Andrea Califano \*<sup>1,2</sup>

- DREAM 8 Breast Cancer SubChallenge 1 winners
  - Stuart's Lab (UCSC): LASSO regression along with the use of prior biological knowledge by using a heat diffusion technique
  - Song's Lab (NMSU): Discretization Gaussian mixture model along with a new non-constant functional chi-square metrics

# Cyni Framework



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MI threshold determined for p=2.0E-11: 0.2292354044814858
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[PARA] Output file: dream_transposed_aracneTest_k0.174_t0.23_e0.0.adj
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60%, time: 281133
70%, time: 306534
80%, time: 323610
90%, time: 334551
100%, time: 337939
Gene: 1000 Time: 337940
[NETWORK] Applying DPI ...
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The screenshot shows the Cyni software interface. On the left is the 'Control Panel' window, which contains settings for an 'Inference Algorithm' (set to 'ARACNE Algorithm'), a 'Table Data' source ('galFiltered.sif default node'), and various 'Cyni Algorithm Settings' like 'Aracne Mode' (Discovery), 'Mutual Information Algorithm Type' (Naive Bayes), and 'Mutual Information Steps' (6). It also includes sections for 'Hub/Transcription Factor Definition' and 'Threshold Definition' (set to 'MI Threshold' with a value of 0.5). At the bottom are buttons for 'Impute Data', 'Discretize Data', and 'Infer Network'. On the right is the 'Table Panel' showing a list of genes and their attributes, such as YDL19..., YDR27..., YBR043C, YPR145W, YER054C, YBR045C, YBL079W, YLR345W, and YIL029C.

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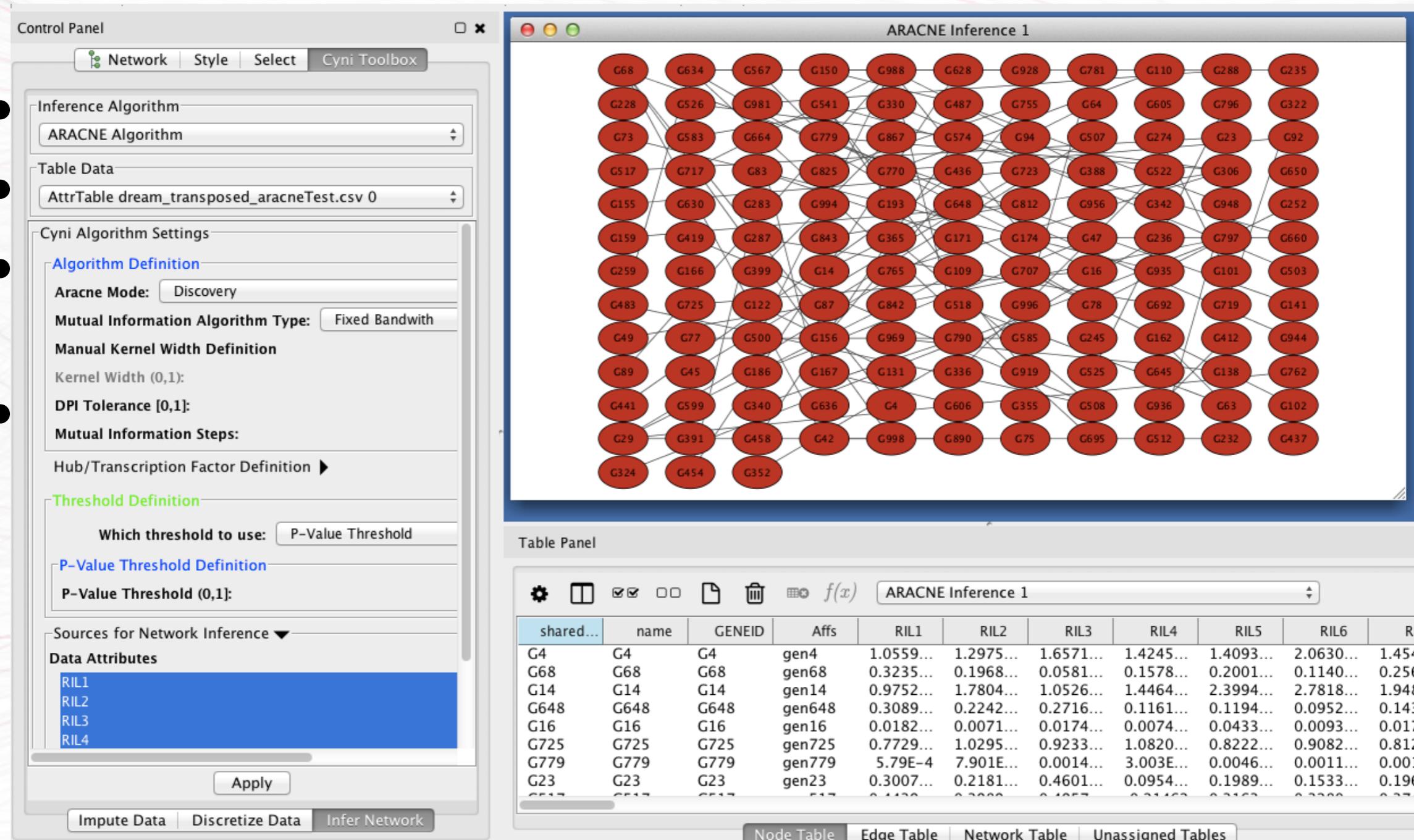
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10 > Correction      0.0
11 > Subnetwork file
12 > Hub probe
13 > Control probe
14 > Condition
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16 > TF annotation
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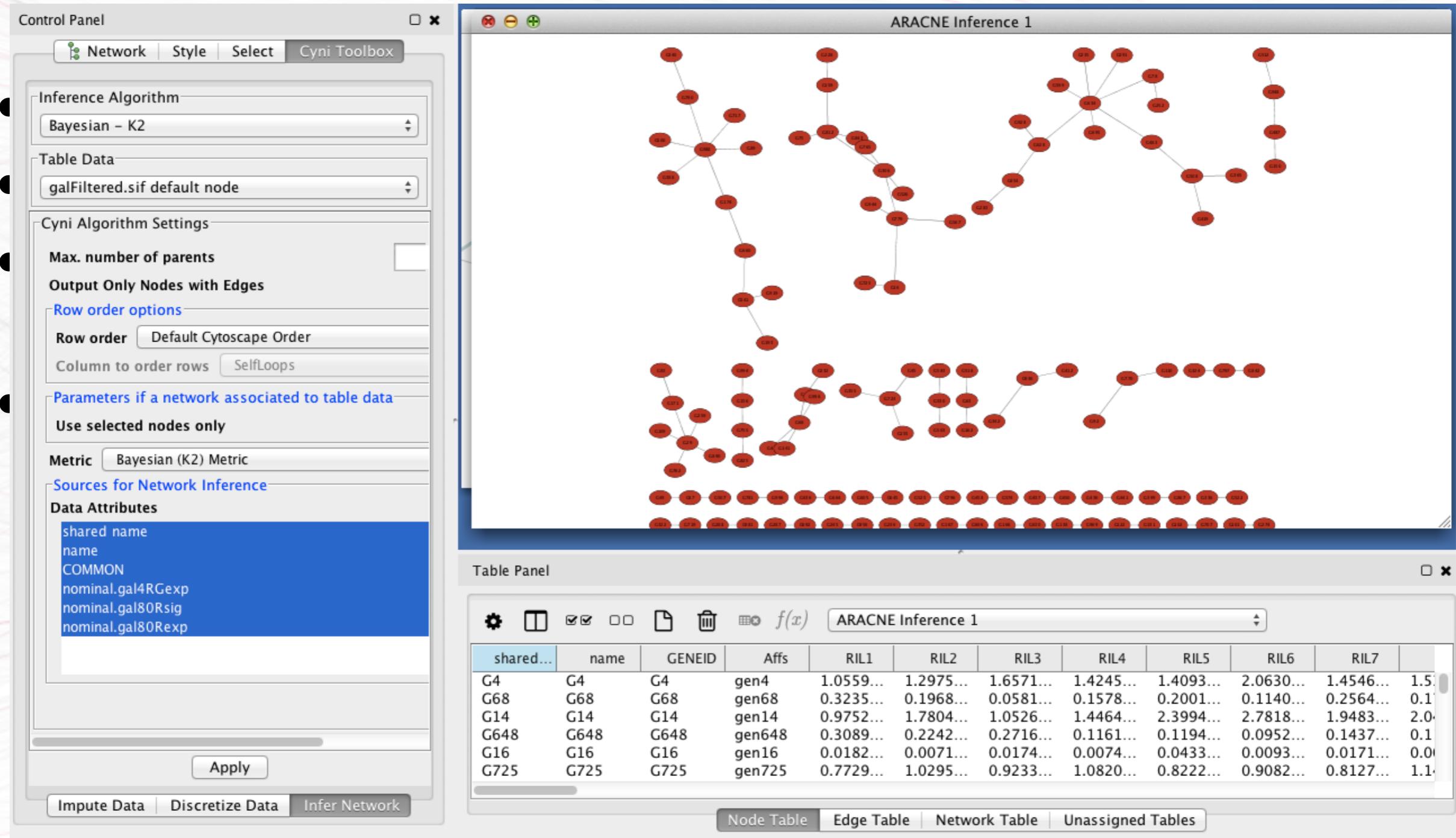


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## Introduction

ARACNE (Algorithm for the Reconstruction of Accurate Cellular Networks), a novel algorithm, using microarray expression profiles, specifically designed to scale up to the complexity of regular mammalian cells, yet general enough to address a wider range of network deconvolution problems. This method uses an information theoretic approach to eliminate the vast majority of indirect interactions typically inferred by pairwise analysis.

On synthetic datasets ARACNE achieves extremely low error rates and significantly outperforms established methods, such as Relevance Networks and Bayesian Networks. Application to the reconstruction of genetic networks in human B cells demonstrates ARACNE's ability to infer validated transcriptional targets of the c-MYC proto-oncogene.

## Application Download

### ARACNE2

[Usage.txt](#): This file is used by the native aracne2 binaries compiled from C++ source to provide ARACNE2 usage summary. Please copy this file to the same directory as the binary (This can be done after the entire source distribution is downloaded)

[aracne2.exe](#): PE32 executable for MS Windows (console) Intel 80386 32-bit

[aracne2](#): ELF 64-bit LSB executable, AMD x86-64, version 1 (SYSV), for GNU/Linux 2.6.9, dynamically linked (uses shared libs), for GNU/Linux 2.6.9, not stripped

[aracne2.macosx](#): Mach-O 64-bit executable x86\_64

[aracne2.jar](#): Java executable jarfile

[ARACNE.src.tar.gz](#): C++ source only with Makefiles

[ARACNE-java.src.tar.gz](#): Java source only with ANT build file

[aracne.zip](#): Java Graphic User Interface (GUI) for loading adjacency matrices and drawing network diagrams using a built-in Cytoscape plugin. Please set a 'JAVA\_HOME' environment variable to point to your JDK and use the launch\_aracne scripts in the distribution to start the application

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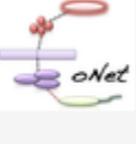
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The screenshot shows the Cytoscape application window with the following components:

- Top Bar:** Session: /Applications/Cytoscape\_v3.1.1/sampleData/galFiltered.cys
- Toolbars:** Standard Mac OS X toolbar and Cytoscape-specific toolbars.
- Left Panel (Cyni Algorithm Settings):** A red box highlights the "Select algorithm to view settings" dropdown which contains:
  - Dream8 DC\_TDC Algorithm
  - Bayesian – Hill Climbing
  - Basic Correlation Inference
  - ARACNE Algorithm
  - Mutual Information Inference
  - Bayesian – K2**
- Table Data:** Shows "galFiltered.sif default node".
- Cyni Algorithm Settings (continued):**
  - Max. number of parents
  - Output Only Nodes with Edges
  - Row order options
    - Row order: Default Cytoscape Order
    - Column to order rows: SelfLoops
  - Parameters if a network associated to table data
    - Use selected nodes only
  - Metric: Bayesian (K2) Metric
  - Sources for Network Inference
  - Data Attributes (highlighted in blue):
    - shared name
    - name
    - COMMON
    - nominal.gal4RGexp
    - nominal.gal80Rsig
    - nominal.gal80Rexp
- Apply** button.
- Bottom Buttons:** Impute Data, Discretize Data, Infer Network.
- Network Graph:** A graph titled "galFiltered" showing nodes like CKS1, SLT2, SWI4, PIS1, CLB1, SPA2, RPA135, SPC24, STE50, YDR032C, SST2, GPA1, and YDL19W.
- Table Panel:** Shows a table of data for "galFiltered.sif".

shared...	name	Average...	Cluster...	Closeness...	IsSingle...
YDL19...	YDL19...	13.116...	0.0	0.0762...	false
YDR27...	YDR27...	12.120...	0.0	0.0825...	false
YBR043C	YBR043C	1.5	0.0	0.6666...	false
YPR145W	YPR145W	9.7983...	0.0	0.1020...	false
YER054C	YER054C	8.8185...	0.0	0.1133...	false
YBR045C	YBR045C	9.6451...	0.0	0.1036...	false
YBL079W	YBL079W	2.0	0.0	0.5	false
YLR345W	YLR345W	9.1169...	0.0	0.1096...	false
YIL052C	YIL052C	0.1161...	0.0	0.1022...	false

- Bottom Buttons:** Node Table, Edge Table, Network.

# Cyni Current Status

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- Robust release available with first non beta API
- More than 2000 downloads
- ARACNE app already available in the App store and two more apps on the way
- Cyni paper submitted
- Cyni Apps need to be implemented in Java
  - Currently exploring options to support algorithms implemented in other programming languages like R or Python

# Thank you!

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- If it does not work for you, do not give up. Tell us why
- Please cite Cyni Algorithms and/or Cyni itself
- Questions: Welcome!