

1. Formatting:

all margins 2.5cm

informative title

12 pt size

name on all pages**no raw R code or output**

all pages numbered

max **10** pagesno blurry plots (NOT png)

2. Introduction/Background:

brief background and statement of scientific question

all variables defined

Meanings of

3. EDA / PCA:

Tables 1 & 2 unclear
- vague explanations - 'problems' with samples
relevant histograms / exploratory plots (NO BOXPLOTS)**EXPLAIN RELATION** between PCs and population stratification+ Do you do PC on Cov or corr matrix?
plot pc2 (y-axis) vs pc1 (x-axis)4. Pre-processing / QC steps: **CLEARLY EXPLAIN**SNP QC: **criteria and reasons**sample QC: **criteria and reasons**Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium: **DEFINE** and say **how it relates to quality**measure of LD and **how it is used**5. Association / post-association analysis: + give **PRIMARY references**write out model **mathematically** (for a given SNP): **CLEARLY** define all variables and **domains** - **Model MUST RELATE TO SNP**

+ age + sex-adjusted

describe association analysis in words and mathematically

Manhattan plot and **explanation**

horizontal lines?

lambda analysis (**including** mathematical definition of lambda and **SQUARE** QQ plots)

(caption: not 'squared')

+ explain thresholds

make a table

0.5%

6. Identify significant SNPs (include all relevant information)

0.75

7. Plots:

label size (not too small)

placement

put PC + screen
side by side

Figure 7 is PC 2 vs PC 1
informative captions

explanations

0.5

8. Conclusions

1. recap analysis

2. state and interpret main findings

seems over-interpreted
in parts

0.75

9. Overall presentation (clarity of explanations, appropriate citations / references):

poor

satisfactory

good

excellent

10. Other comments:

A – no / incomplete / insufficient references

B – cite PRIMARY refs (not course notes, not wikipedia, etc.)

C – interpretation (cannot conclude causation, only association)

D – use your OWN WORDS / no apparently unattributed quotations

E – Intro: 1. Give context; 2. Clearly state scientific question; 3. Describe data

F – univariate graphical: histograms not boxplots

G – (mathematical) model misspecified / unclear

H – clearly EXPLAIN / INTERPRET PLOTS (don't just state conclusions)

I – plot size / aspect ratio (make 'pretty')

Other: - Definition of r^2 : what is 'genotype' - it's NOT numeric

log
GWAS: Name

LB

7/12 - 3, 5, 6

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2. Introduction/Background:

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all variables defined

3. EDA / PCA:

*Meanings of
Tables 1 + 2 not clear*

relevant histograms / exploratory plots (**NO BOXPLOTS**)

~~- other relevant plots?~~ **EXPLAIN RELATION** between PCs and population stratification

+ Do you do PC on cov or cov matrix?
plot pc2 (y-axis) vs pc1 (x-axis) (square)

4. Pre-processing / QC steps: **CLEARLY EXPLAIN**

SNP QC: **criteria and reasons**

sample QC: **criteria and reasons**

Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium: **DEFINE** and say **how it relates to quality**

measure of LD and how it is used

5. Association / post-association analysis: + give **PRIMARY** references

write out model **mathematically** (for a given SNP): **CLEARLY** define all variables and domains - **Model MUST RELATE TO SNP**

describe association analysis in words and mathematically

Manhattan plot and **explanation**

lambda analysis (**including mathematical definition** of lambda and **SQUARE** QQ plots)

+ explain thresholds

incomplete? SE

0.5/1

6. Identify significant SNPs (include all relevant information)

7. Plots:

6.75/1 label size (not too small)

informative captions

placement

explanations

0.25/1 8. Conclusions

1. recap analysis

*stat sig not 'relevant'
vague*

9. Overall presentation (clarity of explanations, appropriate citations / references) :

poor

satisfactory

good

excellent

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Other: *(a few apparently unattributed quotes)*

Log

GWAS: Name _____

CD

5.75/12 → 2.875/6

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max **10** pages

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2. Introduction/Background:

brief background and statement of scientific question

all variables defined

Don't need plain files details

3. EDA / PCA:

+ Explain clearly reasons for plots.
relevant histograms / exploratory plots (NO BOXPLOTS)

EXPLAIN RELATION between PCs and population stratification

plot pc2 (y-axis) vs pc1 (x-axis)

4. Pre-processing / QC steps:

SNP QC: criteria and reasons

sample QC: criteria and reasons

measure of LD and how it is used

Validation

5. Association / post-association analysis:

write out model **mathematically** (for a given SNP): **CLEARLY** define all variables and domains - **Model MUST RELATE TO SNP**

describe association analysis **in words and mathematically**

Manhattan plot and **explanation**

lambda analysis (**including mathematical definition** of lambda and **SQUARE** QQ plots)

+ Scree plot and next plot redundant

3.5/8

Effect sizes and SES

0.5/ 6. Identify significant SNPs (include all relevant information)

0.75/ 7. Plots:
label size (not too small)
placement
Manhattan (+ number all figures
informative captions
explanations)

0.5/ 8. Conclusions
1. recap analysis
2. state and interpret main findings

0.5/ 9. Overall presentation (clarity of explanations, appropriate citations / references):
very incomplete
poor satisfactory good excellent

10. Other comments:

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E – Intro: 1. Give context; 2. Clearly state scientific question; 3. Describe data

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Other:

log

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FD

5.75 / 12 → 2.875 / 6

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2. Introduction/Background:

(*this report, not 'tutorial'*)

brief background and statement of scientific question

all variables defined

3. EDA / PCA:

- **clearly explain reasons for plots** ('something wrong?')
(*relevant histograms / exploratory plots (NO BOXPLOTS)*)

EXPLAIN RELATION between PCs and population stratification

+ **Do you do PC on corr or Cov matrix?**
plot pc2 (**y-axis**) vs pc1 (**x-axis**)

4. Pre-processing / QC steps: **CLEARLY EXPLAIN**

SNP QC: **criteria and reasons**

sample QC: **criteria and reasons**

Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium: **DEFINE** and say **how it relates to quality**

measure of LD and **how it is used**

5. Association / post-association analysis: + give **PRIMARY references**

Put model as displayed formula
write out model **mathematically** (for a given SNP): **CLEARLY** define all
variables and domains - **Model MUST RELATE TO SNP**

describe association analysis in words and **mathematically**

Manhattan plot and **explanation** **explain thresholds**

lambda analysis (**including** **mathematical definition** of lambda and
SQUARE QQ plots)

Incomplete
(what is denom)

NO SNP?

What
hypos
tested?

4 / 8

- in table
- 0.5/ 6. Identify significant SNPs (include all relevant information)
- 0.5/ 7. Plots:
- label size (not too small) informative captions
- placement *QQ in body of report + explanations*
- 0.25/ 8. Conclusions
1. recap analysis 2. state and interpret main findings
- 0.5/ 9. Overall presentation (clarity of explanations, appropriate citations / references): *spell check*
- poor satisfactory good excellent
10. Other comments:
- A – no / incomplete / insufficient references
- B – cite PRIMARY refs (not course notes, not wikipedia, etc.)
- C – interpretation (cannot conclude causation, only association)
- D – use your OWN WORDS / no apparently unattributed quotations
- E – Intro: 1. Give context; 2. Clearly state scientific question; 3. Describe data
- F – univariate graphical: histograms not boxplots
- G – (mathematical) model misspecified / unclear
- H – clearly EXPLAIN / INTERPRET PLOTS (don't just state conclusions)
- I – plot size / aspect ratio (make 'pretty')
- Other:
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log

GWAS: Name

EF

6.75/12 → 3.875/6

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all pages numbered

max **10** pages

no blurry plots (**NOT** png)

2. Introduction/Background:

PennCAH is the study (PennCAH cohort is the cohort not the study)
brief background and statement of scientific question

all variables defined

specifically

3. EDA / PCA:

+ explanations - why do you make these plots?
clearly explain reasons for plots

relevant histograms / exploratory plots (**NO** BOXPLOTS)

clearly

EXPLAIN RELATION between PCs and population stratification

+ Do you do PC on corr or cov matrix?
plot pc2 (y-axis) vs pc1 (x-axis) - square

4. Pre-processing / QC steps: **CLEARLY EXPLAIN**

SNP QC: criteria and reasons

be explicit in explanations
not ensure

sample QC: criteria and reasons

+ vague statement

Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium: **DEFINE** and say how it relates to quality

not just random mating + all genotypes + explain

measure of LD and how it is used

+ Devlin + Roeder

5. Association / post-association analysis: + give **PRIMARY** references

write out model **mathematically** (for a given SNP): **CLEARLY** define all variables and domains - **Model MUST RELATE TO SNP**

describe association analysis in words and mathematically

Manhattan plot and **explanation**

incomplete - horizontal lines + explain thresholds

lambda analysis (**including** mathematical definition of lambda and **SQUARE** QQ plots)

incomplete - what is denom?

9.25/8

10/25/8

+ put in table

0.5/

6. Identify significant SNPs (include all relevant information)

7. Plots:

0.75/

label size (not too small)

informative captions

placement

explanations

0.75/

8. Conclusions

highly sig genetic signal

1. recap analysis

2. state and interpret main findings

9. Overall presentation (clarity of explanations, appropriate citations / references):

0.5/

poor

satisfactory

good

excellent

10. Other comments:

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C – interpretation (cannot conclude causation, only association)

D – use your OWN WORDS / no apparently unattributed quotations

E – Intro: 1. Give context; 2. Clearly state scientific question; 3. Describe data

F – univariate graphical: histograms not boxplots

G – (mathematical) model misspecified / unclear

H – clearly EXPLAIN / INTERPRET PLOTS (don't just state conclusions)

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Other:

2.5/4

Log

GWAS: Name LF

6/12 → 3/6

1. Formatting:

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12 pt size

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+ don't need R fns
max **10** pages

(Strange section numbering)
informative title

name on all pages

all pages numbered

no blurry plots (**NOT** png)

2. Introduction/Background:

brief background and statement of scientific question

all variables defined

3. EDA / PCA:

relevant histograms / exploratory plots (**NO BOXPLOTS**)

+ explain PC methodology

EXPLAIN RELATION between PCs and population stratification

+ Do you do PC on Corr or Corr on Cov matrix?

plot pc2 (**y-axis**) vs pc1 (**x-axis**)

4. Pre-processing / QC steps: **CLEARLY EXPLAIN**

SNP QC: **criteria and reasons**

sample QC: **criteria and reasons**

Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium: **DEFINE** and say **how it relates to quality**

measure of LD and how it is used

+ explain Devlin + Roeder

5. Association / post-association analysis: + give **PRIMARY** references

write out model **mathematically** (for a given SNP): **CLEARLY** define all variables and domains - **Model MUST RELATE TO SNP**

describe association analysis **in words and mathematically**

Manhattan plot and **explanation**

lambda analysis (**including** **mathematical definition** of lambda and **SQUARE** QQ plots)

3.25/8

put in table

6.5%

6. Identify significant SNPs (include all relevant information)

7. Plots:

0.75%

label size (not too small)

placement

+ number

all figures

informative captions

explanations

8. Conclusions

✓ 1 1 1
1. recap analysis

2. state and interpret main findings

0.5%

9. Overall presentation (clarity of explanations, appropriate citations / references):

poor

satisfactory

good

excellent

10. Other comments:

A – no / incomplete / insufficient references

B – cite PRIMARY refs (not course notes, not wikipedia, etc.)

C – interpretation (cannot conclude causation, only association)

D – use your OWN WORDS / no apparently unattributed quotations

E – Intro: 1. Give context; 2. Clearly state scientific question; 3. Describe data

F – univariate graphical: histograms not boxplots

G – (mathematical) model misspecified / unclear

H – clearly EXPLAIN / INTERPRET PLOTS (don't just state conclusions)

I – plot size / aspect ratio (make 'pretty')

Other: – number all figures and tables

* very superficial report - you need to explain reasons, not just say 'we did this' and conclude

2-25/4

Reed

GWAS: Name

JL

6.5/12 → 3.25/6

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(no R Commands)

max 10 pages

informative title

name on all pages

all pages numbered

no blurry plots (NOT png)

-Too many digits

0.5/1 2. Introduction/Background:

brief background and statement of scientific question

all variables defined

3. EDA / PCA:

(Don't need tables) 1/2/3

relevant histograms / exploratory plots (NO BOXPLOTS)

EXPLAIN RELATION between PCs and population stratification

+ do you do PC with corr or cov matrix?

plot pc2 (y-axis) vs pc1 (x-axis)

other relevant plots?

4. Pre-processing / QC steps: CLEARLY EXPLAIN

0.5/2 superficial explanations

SNP QC: criteria and reasons

sample QC: criteria and reasons

Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium: DEFINE and say how it relates to quality

measure of LD and how it is used

not ensure

how are the measures related to reliability/quality
all gts

1/2 5. Association / post-association analysis: + give PRIMARY references

what is Sex (numerically)?
write out model mathematically (for a given SNP): CLEARLY define all variables and domains - Model MUST RELATE TO SNP

Bonferroni?

describe association analysis in words and mathematically

Manhattan plot and explanation? QC?

lambda analysis (including mathematical definition of lambda and SQUARE QQ plots)

incomplete - where do the thresholds come from?

(clearly) -
where do the p-values come from?

3.75/8

6. Identify significant SNPs (include all relevant information)

7. Plots:

0.75

label size (not too small)

informative captions

placement

explanations

0.5

8. Conclusions

use paragraphing, not 'confirm'

1. recap analysis

2. state and interpret main findings

robustness?

0.5

9. Overall presentation (clarity of explanations, appropriate citations / references):

poor

satisfactory

good

excellent

10. Other comments:

A – no / incomplete / insufficient references

B – cite PRIMARY refs (not course notes, not wikipedia, etc.)

not 'Emily' Rees

C – interpretation (cannot conclude causation, only association)

D – use your OWN WORDS / no apparently unattributed quotations

E – Intro: 1. Give context; 2. Clearly state scientific question; 3. Describe data

F – univariate graphical: histograms not boxplots

G – (mathematical) model misspecified / unclear

H – clearly EXPLAIN / INTERPRET PLOTS (don't just state conclusions)

I – plot size / aspect ratio (make 'pretty')

Other:

2.75tu

log

GWAS: Name

JL-F

3.25/12 → 1.625/6

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no raw R code or output

all pages numbered

max **10** pages

no blurry plots (NOT png)

0.5/
1

2. Introduction/Background:

(the diseases you mention are considered complex)
brief background and statement of scientific question
imprecise + incomplete

all variables defined

0.75/
2

3. EDA / PCA:

Don't need R details or plink file details
Don't need Figure 4

relevant histograms / exploratory plots (NO BOXPLOTS)

EXPLAIN RELATION between PCs and population stratification

don't just state
plot pc2 (y-axis) vs pc1 (x-axis)

0.5/
2

4. Pre-processing / QC steps:

CLEARLY EXPLAIN - superficially

SNP QC: criteria and reasons

explain explicitly

sample QC: criteria and reasons

explain

Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium: **DEFINE** and say how it relates to quality

measure of LD and how it is used

incomplete + all gts

0.75/
2

5. Association / post-association analysis: + give PRIMARY references

write out model **mathematically** (for a given SNP): **CLEARLY** define all variables and domains - **Model MUST RELATE TO SNP**

you don't correct for age + sex

describe association analysis in words and mathematically

Manhattan plot and explanation

- no solid line, plot a dotted

lambda analysis (including mathematical definition of lambda and

SQUARE QQ plots)

- explain thresholds

- incomplete

what hyp test / where do p-values come from?

2.5/8

Put results in a table

6. Identify significant SNPs (include all relevant information)

7. Plots: Some plots too big

PC + Screen

label size (not too small)

informative captions

placement

explanations

8. Conclusions

not done?

1. recap analysis

2. state and interpret main findings

9. Overall presentation (clarity of explanations, appropriate citations / references) :

poor

satisfactory

good

excellent

+ rather incomplete + NO AI

10. Other comments:

A – no / incomplete / insufficient references

B – cite PRIMARY refs (not course notes, not wikipedia, etc.)

C – interpretation (cannot conclude causation, only association)

D – use your OWN WORDS / no apparently unattributed quotations

E – Intro: 1. Give context; 2. Clearly state scientific question; 3. Describe data

F – univariate graphical: histograms not boxplots

G – (mathematical) model misspecified / unclear

H – clearly EXPLAIN / INTERPRET PLOTS (don't just state conclusions)

I – plot size / aspect ratio (make 'pretty')

Other: * Substantial Copying from Breitney tutorial

0.75/4

Red

GWAS: Name

WL

7.25/12 → 3.625/6

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no blurry plots (**NOT png**)

2. Introduction/Background:

Define GWAS before using abbreviation

brief background and statement of scientific question

all variables defined

(M M) M F
F F not M F

3. EDA / PCA:

+ other relevant plots?
relevant histograms / exploratory plots (**NO BOXPLOTS**)

EXPLAIN RELATION between PCs and population stratification

+ do you do PC with cov or for matrix?

plot pc2 (y-axis) vs pc1 (x-axis)

(Square)
LD and r^2 not explained

4. Pre-processing / QC steps: **CLEARLY EXPLAIN**

SNP QC: criteria and reasons

sample QC: criteria and reasons

all gts

Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium: **DEFINE** and say **how it relates to quality**

measure of LD and **how it is used**

measure not defined

5. Association / post-association analysis: **give PRIMARY references**

* what is rank-normalized TG? why z-trans age?
write out model **mathematically** (for a given SNP): **CLEARLY** define all variables and domains - **Model MUST RELATE TO SNP**

describe association analysis in words and mathematically - What hypothesis test?

Manhattan plot and **explanation** in complete

lambda analysis (**including** mathematical definition of lambda and **SQUARE** QQ plots) in complete - what is denom?

* clearly define what GT means

4.75/8

Make a table

6.5/1

6. Identify significant SNPs (include all relevant information)

7. Plots:

label size (not too small)

placement

informative captions

explanations

what are the horizontal
lines in the
Manhattan plots?

8. Conclusions

1. recap analysis

2. state and interpret main findings

9. Overall presentation (clarity of explanations, appropriate citations / references):

0.5/1

poor

satisfactory

good

excellent

10. Other comments:

A – no / incomplete / insufficient references

Read et al.

B – cite PRIMARY refs (not course notes, not wikipedia, etc.)

C – interpretation (cannot conclude causation, only association)

D – use your OWN WORDS / no apparently unattributed quotations

E – Intro: 1. Give context; 2. Clearly state scientific question; 3. Describe data

F – univariate graphical: histograms not boxplots

G – (mathematical) model misspecified / unclear

H – clearly EXPLAIN / INTERPRET PLOTS (don't just state conclusions)

I – plot size / aspect ratio (make 'pretty')

Other:

2.5/4

log

GWAS: Name _____

JN

7.75/12 → 3.275/6

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all pages numbered

max **10** pages

no blurry plots (NOT png)

2. Introduction/Background:

brief background and statement of scientific question

not clear *not Pen-nCTT*
clearly

all variables defined

3. EDA / PCA:

- explain reasons for these plots
relevant histograms / exploratory plots (NO BOXPLOTS)

clearly

EXPLAIN RELATION between PCs and population stratification

+ Do you do PC on corr or cov matrix?
plot pc2 (y-axis) vs pc1 (x-axis)

4. Pre-processing / QC steps:

Somewhat superficial
SNP QC: criteria and reasons

sample QC: criteria and reasons

Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium: define and say how it relates to quality

measure of LD and how it is used

5. Association / post-association analysis:

+ give PRIMARY references
write out model **mathematically** (for a given SNP): CLEARLY define all variables and domains - **Model MUST RELATE TO SNP**

describe association analysis in words and mathematically (+ alt hyp)

Manhattan plot and explanation - explain thresholds

lambda analysis (including mathematical definition of lambda and SQUARE QQ plots)
incomplete - what is denom?

est β's + SES + P

0.5/

6. Identify significant SNPs (include all relevant information)

7. Plots:

0.75

label size (not too small)

informative captions

placement

PC + Scree
side

explanations

0.5/

8. Conclusions

1. recap analysis

2. state and interpret main findings

by side
not 'confirmed'

explain

1/1/1

9. Overall presentation (clarity of explanations, appropriate citations / references):

poor

satisfactory

good

excellent

10. Other comments:

Brekeny

A – no / incomplete / insufficient references

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C – interpretation (cannot conclude causation, only association)

D – use your OWN WORDS / no apparently unattributed quotations

E – Intro: 1. Give context; 2. Clearly state scientific question; 3. Describe data

F – univariate graphical: histograms not boxplots

G – (mathematical) model misspecified / unclear

H – clearly EXPLAIN / INTERPRET PLOTS (don't just state conclusions)

I – plot size / aspect ratio (make 'pretty')

Other:

2.75/4

Jog

GWAS: Name _____

NN

6.25/12 → 3.125/6

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max **10** pages

no blurry plots (**NOT** png)

2. Introduction/Background:

brief background and statement of scientific question

primarily?

all variables defined

3. EDA / PCA:

clearly explain reasons for plots
relevant histograms / exploratory plots (**NO BOXPLOTS**)

EXPLAIN RELATION between PCs and population stratification

+ Do you do PC on corr or cov matrix?
plot pc2 (y-axis) vs pc1 (x-axis)

Scree (side by side)

4. Pre-processing / QC steps: **CLEARLY EXPLAIN**

SNP QC: **criteria and reasons**

sample QC: **criteria and reasons**

not only random mating - explain - don't just
Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium: **DEFINE** and say **how it relates to quality**
measure of LD and how it is used - explain - conclude define numerically
 $r^2 = ?$ + Devlin + Rader

5. Association / post-association analysis: + give **PRIMARY** references

write out model **mathematically** (for a given SNP): **CLEARLY** define all variables and domains - **Model MUST RELATE TO SNP**

describe association analysis **in words and mathematically**

Manhattan plot and **explanation**

lambda analysis (**including** mathematical definition of lambda and **SQUARE** QQ plots)

incomplete horizontal lines? + explain thresholds

4/8

P's not EXACTLY = 0 + don't need nits, score, log 10p

0.5%

6. Identify significant SNPs (include all relevant information)

all

0.75%

7. Plots:

label size (not too small)

placement

labels

informative captions

explanations

0.5%

8. Conclusions

use paragraphing

1. recap analysis

2. state and interpret main findings

0.5%

9. Overall presentation (clarity of explanations, appropriate citations / references):

poor

satisfactory

good

excellent

incomplete

sometimes vague

10. Other comments:

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C – interpretation (cannot conclude causation, only association)

D – use your OWN WORDS / no apparently unattributed quotations

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F – univariate graphical: histograms not boxplots

G – (mathematical) model misspecified / unclear

H – clearly EXPLAIN / INTERPRET PLOTS (don't just state conclusions)

I – plot size / aspect ratio (make 'pretty')

Other:

log

GWAS: Name _____

RR

7/12 → 3.5/6

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max **10** pages

no blurry plots (NOT png)

(‘Associated’ not
‘Relevant’)

V/V

2. Introduction/Background:

- EIGENSTRAT is an implementation
of a method, not a method

brief background and statement of scientific question

unclear and imprecise

all variables defined

3. EDA / PCA:

Don't really need tables 1/2/3/4
explain reasons for these plots

relevant histograms / exploratory plots (NO BOXPLOTS)

clearly EXPLAIN relation between PCs and population stratification

+ Do you do PC on corr or cor matrix?
plot pc2 (y-axis) vs pc1 (x-axis)

4. Pre-processing / QC steps:

CLEARLY EXPLAIN

SNP QC: criteria and reasons

- EXPLAIN

sample QC: criteria and reasons

Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium: DEFINE and say how it relates to quality

measure of LD and how it is used

+ Devlin + Roeder numerical

5. Association / post-association analysis:

+ give PRIMARY references

write out model **mathematically** (for a given SNP): CLEARLY define all variables and domains - Model MUST RELATE TO SNP

describe association analysis in words and mathematically

Manhattan plot and explanation

incomplete - explain horizontal lines + thresholds

lambda analysis (including mathematical definition) of lambda and SQUARE QQ plots

denom?

shape, Not part of the

4.75/8

0.5/
all
 $\hat{\beta}, SE$

6. Identify significant SNPs (include all relevant information)

7. Plots:

label size (not too small)

informative captions

placement

explanations

8. Conclusions

1. recap analysis

estimated odds
2. state and interpret main findings

9. Overall presentation (clarity of explanations, appropriate citations / references):

poor

satisfactory

good

excellent

spellcheck

10. Other comments:

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E – Intro: 1. Give context; 2. Clearly state scientific question; 3. Describe data

F – univariate graphical: histograms not boxplots

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H – clearly EXPLAIN / INTERPRET PLOTS (don't just state conclusions)

I – plot size / aspect ratio (make 'pretty')

Other:

log

GWAS: Name

KS

7.75/12 → 3.875/6

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all pages numbered

max **10** pages

no blurry plots (NOT png)

2. Introduction/Background:

brief background and statement of scientific question

all variables defined

3. EDA / PCA:

+ explain reasons for these plots
relevant histograms / exploratory plots (NO BOXPLOTS)

EXPLAIN RELATION between PCs and population stratification

plot pc2 (y-axis) vs pc1 (x-axis)

4. Pre-processing / QC steps: **CLEARLY EXPLAIN**

vague/imprecise/incorrect
SNP QC: criteria and reasons

2 conclusion

sample QC: criteria and reasons

Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium: **DEFINE** and say **how it relates to quality**

measure of LD and how it is used

5. Association / post-association analysis: + give PRIMARY references

write out model **mathematically** (for a given SNP): **CLEARLY** define all variables and domains - **Model MUST RELATE TO SNP**

describe association analysis in words and mathematically (+ alt hyp)

Manhattan plot and explanation

- explain thresholds

lambda analysis (**including** mathematical definition of lambda and **SQUARE** QQ plots)

4.5/8

0.5/1

6. Identify significant SNPs (include all relevant information)

7. Plots:

0.75/1
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placement

informative captions

explanations

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8. Conclusions

1. recap analysis

2. state and interpret main findings

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Other: - Don't need cover page + Contents + Appendix

3.25/4

Joy

GWAS: Name

JT

7.5/12 → 3.75/6

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0.75/12 2. Introduction/Background:

brief background and statement of scientific question

all variables defined

clear

3. EDA / PCA: interpretation: what is a 'reasonable number'?

+ Explain purpose of these plots (clearly)

relevant histograms / exploratory plots (NO BOXPLOTS)

clearly

EXPLAIN RELATION between PCs and population stratification

+ Do you do PC on Cor or Cov matrix?

plot pc2 (y-axis) vs pc1 (x-axis)

1/2 4. Pre-processing / QC steps: **CLEARLY EXPLAIN**

SNP QC: criteria and reasons

sample QC: criteria and reasons

Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium: **DEFINE** and say **how it relates to quality**

measure of LD and how it is used

not 'exposure'; also
robustness and
reliability not defined

clearly and precisely

explain how, don't
just conclude

+ Devlin + Rader

1.5/2 5. Association / post-association analysis: + give **PRIMARY** references

write out model **mathematically** (for a given SNP): **CLEARLY** define all variables and domains - **Model MUST RELATE TO SNP** what is SNP 'genotype'

describe association analysis in words and mathematically

Manhattan plot and explanation - explain what you mean by 'adapted'
Below 5% (not 5) threshold

lambda analysis (including mathematical definition of lambda and
SQUARE QQ plots)

* principle (not 'principle') incomplete - what is denom?

5/8

put in a table

0.5/

6. Identify significant SNPs (include all relevant information)

7. Plots:

label size (not too small)
placement

informative captions
explanations

0.75/

8. Conclusions

1. recap analysis

2. state and interpret main findings

0.5/

9. Overall presentation (clarity of explanations, appropriate citations / references):

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(Somewhat vague and unclear)
many run-on sentences (throughout)

10. Other comments:

Boehmey

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2. Introduction/Background:

brief background and statement of scientific question

- why CTD (since you don't analyze it)

all variables defined

3. EDA / PCA:

relevant histograms / exploratory plots (**NO BOXPLOTS**)

EXPLAIN RELATION between PCs and population stratification

+ do you do pc with corr or cov matrix? consider that the scale of deviation is small so no real clusters

4. Pre-processing / QC steps: **CLEARLY EXPLAIN**

SNP QC: criteria and reasons

sample QC: criteria and reasons

Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium: **DEFINE** and say **how it relates to quality**

measure of LD and how it is used

all gts

explain

5. Association / post-association analysis: + give **PRIMARY** references

write out model **mathematically** (for a given SNP); **CLEARLY** define all variables and domains - **Model MUST RELATE TO SNP**

describe association analysis in words and mathematically

Manhattan plot and explanation

lambda analysis (**including** mathematical definition of lambda and **SQUARE** QQ plots) + EXPLANATION

Put results in a table

0.5/

6. Identify significant SNPs (include all relevant information)

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7. Plots:

label size (not too small)

placement

informative captions

explanations

0.5/

8. Conclusions

Clearly
1. recap analysis

2. state and interpret main findings

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