## Building an Epigenetic Database Reproducibility and orthogonal targets

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#### Abstract

Odds ratios quantify how strongly the presence or absence of a property correlates with the presence or absence of another roperty in a given population. In the biomedical .he presence or absence of another property in a given population. In the biomedical lowards desired outcomes and the strength with which certain factors influence the risk of aparticular disease. Our goal is to collatet the significant amount of data that has been pubbished regarding interventions and risk factors using odds ratios into a single database abbished regarding interventions and risk factors using odds ratios into a single database desired outcomes in medicine.

\section*{Introduction}


Jous amount of data on the effectiveness of medical interventions and the nfluence of isk facators on patient outcomenes has beens publisened. comparing and space for the creation of a database that allows healtc care providers and researchers to more easily compare the changes these factors have on patient outcomes.
eriion then having property A raises the probability of having property B. Likewise, if the odds ratio is less than 1 , then having property A lowers the probability of having property $B$. It
is calculated by assessing the odds of having $A$ for an individual who has $B$, the odds of having A for an andivividual who dooss on not have B, then dividing the latter by the former. It is siminar to tie isk ratio, which is computed using probabiity rather hhan odds. Compared
to the risk ratio, the odds ratio is more often able to be calculated from the avaiabole data. Because it is relatively easy to compute and analyze binary properies, odds ratios provide a useful metric by which the influence of many different medical interventions and

The goal of our current research is to begin collection of data for the database while also investigating methods by which published research can be reliably and reproducibly
collected and interpreted to be put into the database. Our system involves the use of multiple contributors working independently to collect and interpret research results and using online electronic resources such as Google Sheets to verify and compare the data Sathered by different researchers. To ensure consistency of terminology, we used MeS
(Meedical Subject Headings) terms, a hierarchy of terminology used by the National Library of Meedicine to organize scientific litierature. This also facilitates datatabase search due to the nested hierarchy of terms.

Figure 1 : Criteria for Comparison and Duplication


Figure 2 : MeSH term tree structure



## Abbreviations

$=$ Odds Ratio
$\mathrm{DB}=$ Database


Figure 5: Perfect Replication Data

