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## **UPFPSR: a ubiquitylation predictor for plant through combining sequence information and random forest**

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## **Supplementary**

**Table S1.** Selection of optimal RF parameter according to results of the ten-fold cross-validation.

NumTrees	Accuracy	Precision	Recall	F1-score
50	0.787	0.786	0.788	0.786
100	0.795	0.797	0.794	0.795
150	0.803	0.804	0.801	0.802
200	0.811	0.810	0.812	0.811
250	0.804	0.805	0.803	0.803
300	0.804	0.806	0.803	0.804

**Table S2.** Selection of optimal SVM parameter according to results of the ten-fold cross-validation.

C	$\gamma$	Accuracy	Precision	Recall	F1-score
$2^2$	0.01	0.721	0.720	0.723	0.721
$2^2$	0.1	0.747	0.748	0.745	0.746
$2^2$	1	0.702	0.818	0.523	0.636
$2^3$	0.01	0.721	0.720	0.723	0.721
$2^3$	0.1	0.747	0.748	0.745	0.746
$2^3$	1	0.702	0.818	0.523	0.636
$2^4$	0.01	0.720	0.721	0.721	0.720
$2^4$	0.1	0.743	0.744	0.740	0.742
$2^4$	1	0.700	0.817	0.520	0.634
$2^5$	0.01	0.722	0.721	0.725	0.722
$2^5$	0.1	0.745	0.746	0.744	0.744
$2^5$	1	0.701	0.815	0.526	0.637

**Table S3.** Selection of optimal KNN parameter according to results of the ten-fold cross-validation.

k	Accuracy	Precision	Recall	F1-score
3	0.663	0.638	0.751	0.690
5	0.663	0.638	0.751	0.690
7	0.666	0.641	0.757	0.694
9	0.673	0.646	0.769	0.702
11	0.676	0.645	0.781	0.707
13	0.675	0.646	0.776	0.705
15	0.674	0.643	0.781	0.705

**Table S4.** Performance comparison between CNN+word2vec and UPFPSR for identifying plant ubiquitylation sites on the independent test set.

Method	Accuracy	Precision	Recall	F1-score	AUC
CNN+word2vec	0.756	0.733	0.767	0.749	0.81
UPFPSR	0.773	0.750	0.817	0.782	0.84