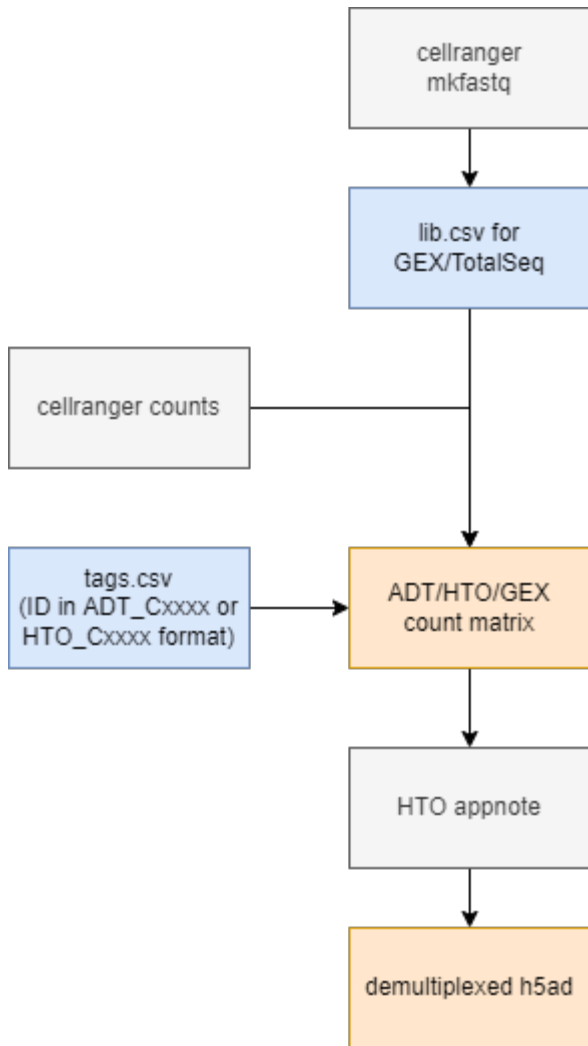


process overview



Generating FASTQs with cellranger mkfastq

The detailed tutorial for generating fastqs with cellranger mkfastq is available at

[Generating FASTQs with cellranger mkfastq](#)

below is an example of mkfastq command:

```
cellranger mkfastq --id=GEX \  
                  --run=/path/to/bcl \  
                  --samplesheet=GEX_samplesheet.csv
```

Generating count matrix for GEX and TS with cellranger count

a library csv file for fastqs generated by the mkfastq and a tags csv for detailed information of stained markers are required. We recommend users specify the 4-digit TotalSeq ID of markers used in the tags.csv with the format of *HTO_Cxxxx* or *ADT_Cxxxx* for hashtags and antibodies, respectively.

Below is an example command of running cellranger counts:

```
cellranger count --id=GEX \  
                --expect-cells=5000 \  
                --feature-ref=tags.csv \  
                --library=lib.csv
```

```
--libraries=libs.csv \  
--transcriptome=GRCh38-2020-A
```

Dataprocessing

Next we will move on to the data processing part
The count matrix and the contig annotations from cellranger runs are required.

basic setup

import packages

```
%matplotlib inline  
import os  
import anndata  
import matplotlib  
import numpy as np  
import scanpy as sc  
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt  
import demultiplexing as demux
```

In [1]:

set up sample name and io path

```
# sample name and cellranger output path  
sample = 'TsA_wRNA'  
matrix_input = f'{sample}/lane_new/outs'
```

In [2]:

read data

We will use scanpy to read, write and process the data.

Scanpy takes both mtx and h5 format.

For faster reading speed, we will read the filtered h5 file into an anndata object in this demo

```
ann = sc.read_10x_h5(os.path.join(matrix_input, 'filtered_feature_bc_matrix.h5'),  
gex_only=False)
```

In [3]:

Variable names are not unique. To make them unique, call ``.var names make unique``.
according to the warning message from scanpy, there are duplicate variable names
we need to correct the variable names with the function mentioned

```
ann.var_names_make_unique()
```

In [4]:

```
# check the variable metadata  
ann.var
```

In [5]:

```
gene_ids    feature_types  genome  
MIR1302-2HG  ENSG00000243485  Gene Expression  GRCh38
```

Out[5]:

FAM138A	ENSG00000237613	Gene Expression	GRCh38
OR4F5	ENSG00000186092	Gene Expression	GRCh38
AL627309.1	ENSG00000238009	Gene Expression	GRCh38
AL627309.3	ENSG00000239945	Gene Expression	GRCh38
...
TsA_A0260	HTO_A0260	Antibody Capture	
TsA_A0262	HTO_A0262	Antibody Capture	
TsA_A0263	HTO_A0263	Antibody Capture	
TsA_A0264	HTO_A0264	Antibody Capture	
TsA_A0265	HTO_A0265	Antibody Capture	

36624 rows × 3 columns

demultiplexing

We will use two ways to demultiplex the dataset:
demuxEM and demultiplexing based on threshold calling

demultiplexing with demuxEM

In [6]:

```
demux.get_demux(ann, method='demuxEM')
```

2021-09-03 15:35:46,562 - demuxEM.tools.demuxEM - INFO - Background probability distribution is estimated.

2021-09-03 15:36:14,108 - demuxEM.tools.demuxEM - INFO - Demultiplexing is done.

The get_demux function will add a column named **assignment** to the obs dataframe

Here we use value_counts() for series to quick check counts of each hashtag assignment:

In [7]:

```
ann.obs['assignment'].value_counts()
```

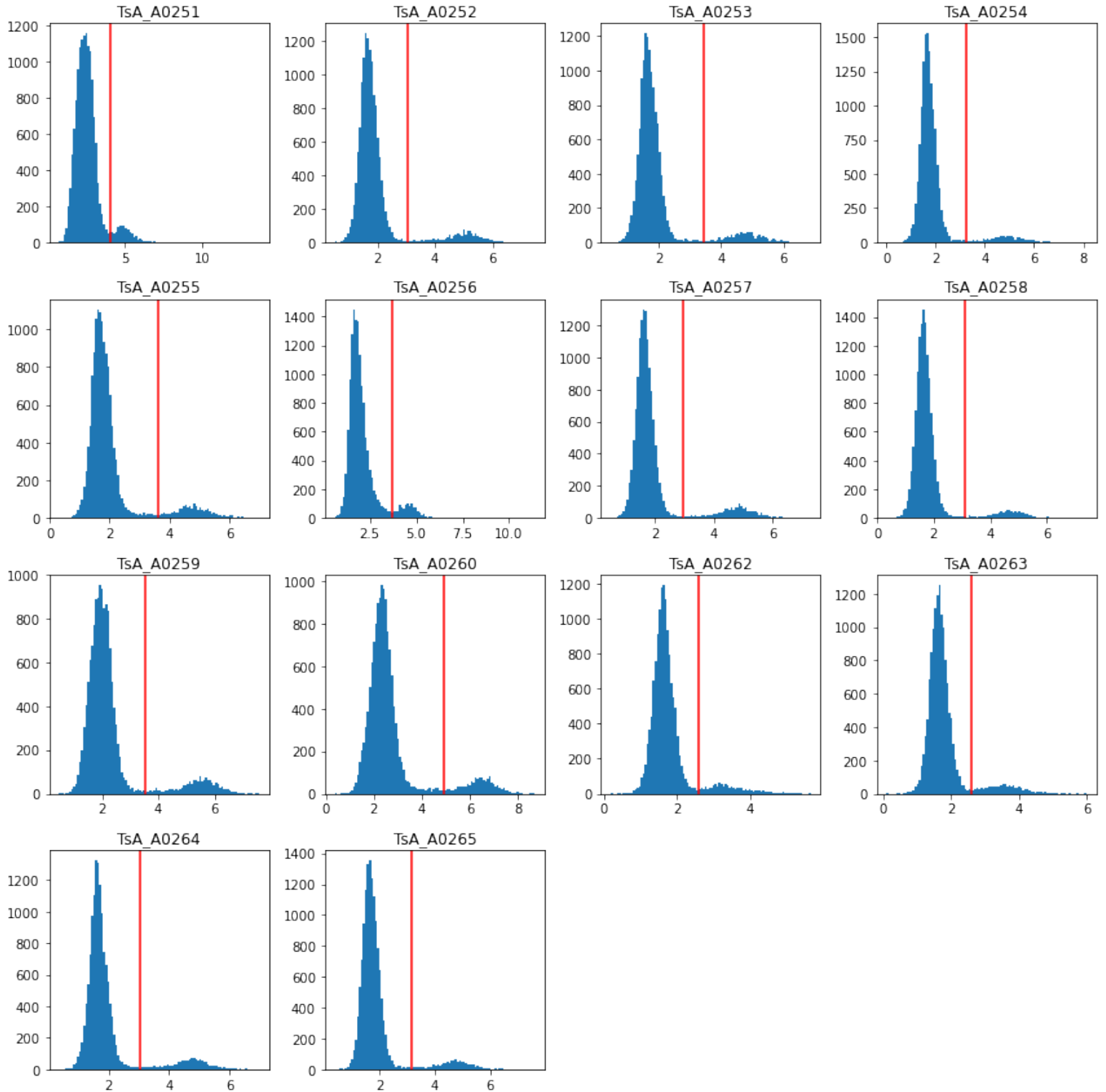
Out[7]:

```
Doublet      4832
TsA_A0260    1057
TsA_A0259     910
TsA_A0257     805
TsA_A0264     729
TsA_A0255     705
TsA_A0252     667
Negative     666
TsA_A0253     654
TsA_A0265     590
TsA_A0251     586
TsA_A0256     551
TsA_A0254     508
TsA_A0258     500
TsA_A0263     228
TsA_A0262     181
Name: assignment, dtype: int64
```

demultiplexing with threshold calling

In [8]:

```
demux.get_demux(ann, method='threshold')
```



In [9]:

```
ann.obs['assignment'].value_counts()
```

Out[9]:

```
Doublets      2711
TsA_A0257     951
TsA_A0264     915
TsA_A0259     908
TsA_A0260     835
TsA_A0255     831
TsA_A0262     785
TsA_A0253     777
TsA_A0263     775
TsA_A0252     773
TsA_A0265     754
TsA_A0256     695
Negative      641
TsA_A0258     628
TsA_A0251     608
TsA_A0254     582
Name: assignment, dtype: int64
```

manually adjust threshold

sometimes threshold calling results might be off.

we need to manually correct those thresholds.

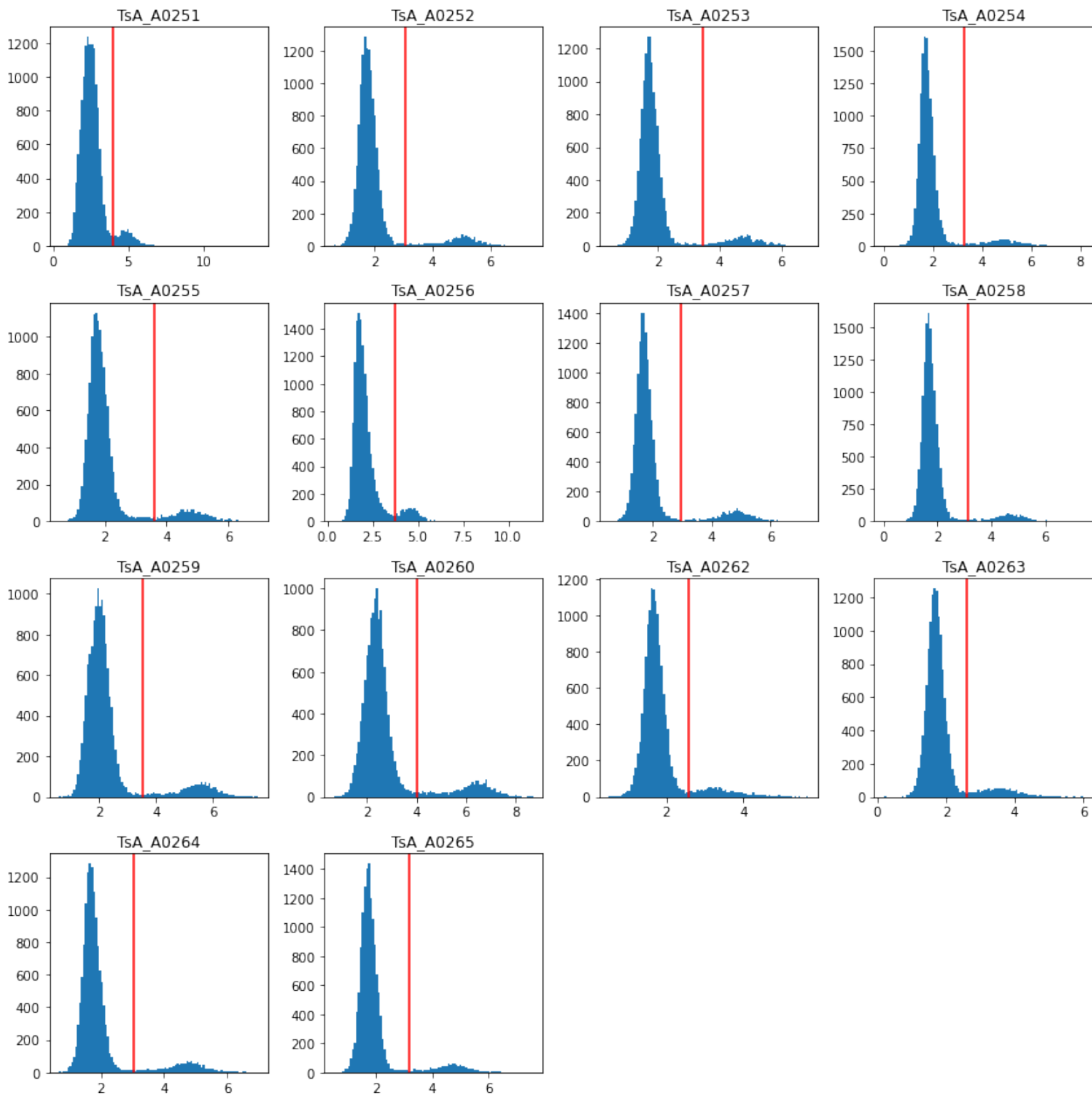
The threshold calling results are sorted in **ann.var['thre']**

In [10]:

```
# setup manually assigned threshold in this section
ann.var.loc['TsA_A0260','thre'] = 4
```

In [11]:

```
demux.get_demux(ann, method='update')
```



In [12]:

```
ann.obs['assignment'].value_counts()
```

Out[12]:

```

Doublets      2877
TsA_A0257     935
TsA_A0264     901
TsA_A0259     893
TsA_A0260     855
TsA_A0255     816
TsA_A0262     779

```

```

TsA_A0253      767
TsA_A0252      757
TsA_A0263      757
TsA_A0265      748
TsA_A0256      687
TsA_A0258      621
Negative       608
TsA_A0251      594
TsA_A0254      574
Name: assignment, dtype: int64

```

visualize demultiplexing results

normalization

we use asinh transformed normalization result for further analysis including umap calculation
 This method add jittering noise to the expression before asinh transform to get flow like peak distributions
 HTO markers are annotated with ids starting with 'HTO'

In [13]:

```

ann_hto = ann[:, ['HTO' in t for t in ann.var['gene_ids']]].copy()
demux.asinh_trans(ann_hto)

```

generate HTO ridge plots and umaps

with the normalized data, we can now calculate umap based on HTO expression level

In [14]:

```

# calculate HTO umap and attach it to raw data matrix as metadata
sc.pp.neighbors(ann_hto, n_neighbors=40, use_rep='X')
sc.tl.umap(ann_hto, min_dist=0.1)

```

plot demultiplexed result on HTO umaps

In [15]:

```

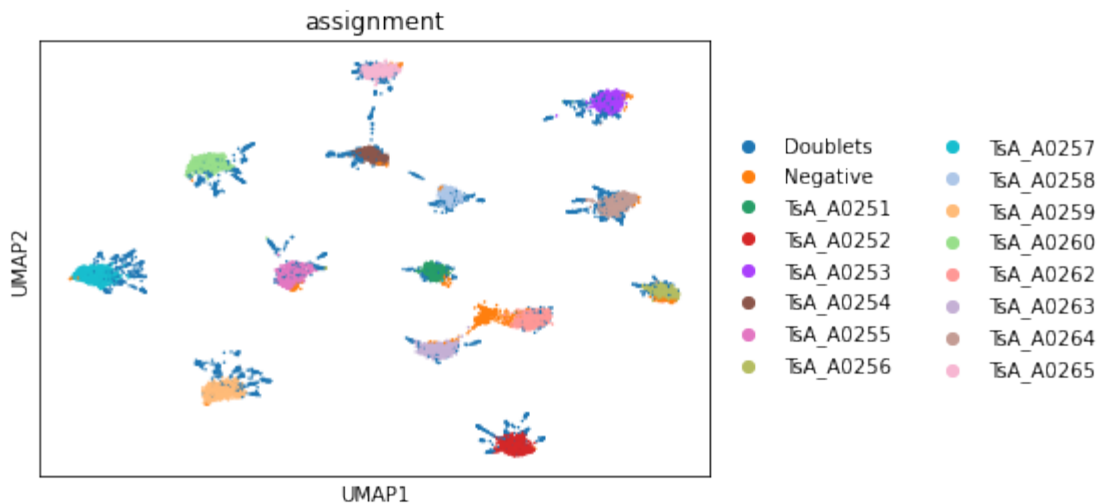
sc.pl.umap(ann_hto, color='assignment')

```

```

... storing 'assignment' as categorical
... storing 'feature_types' as categorical
... storing 'genome' as categorical

```

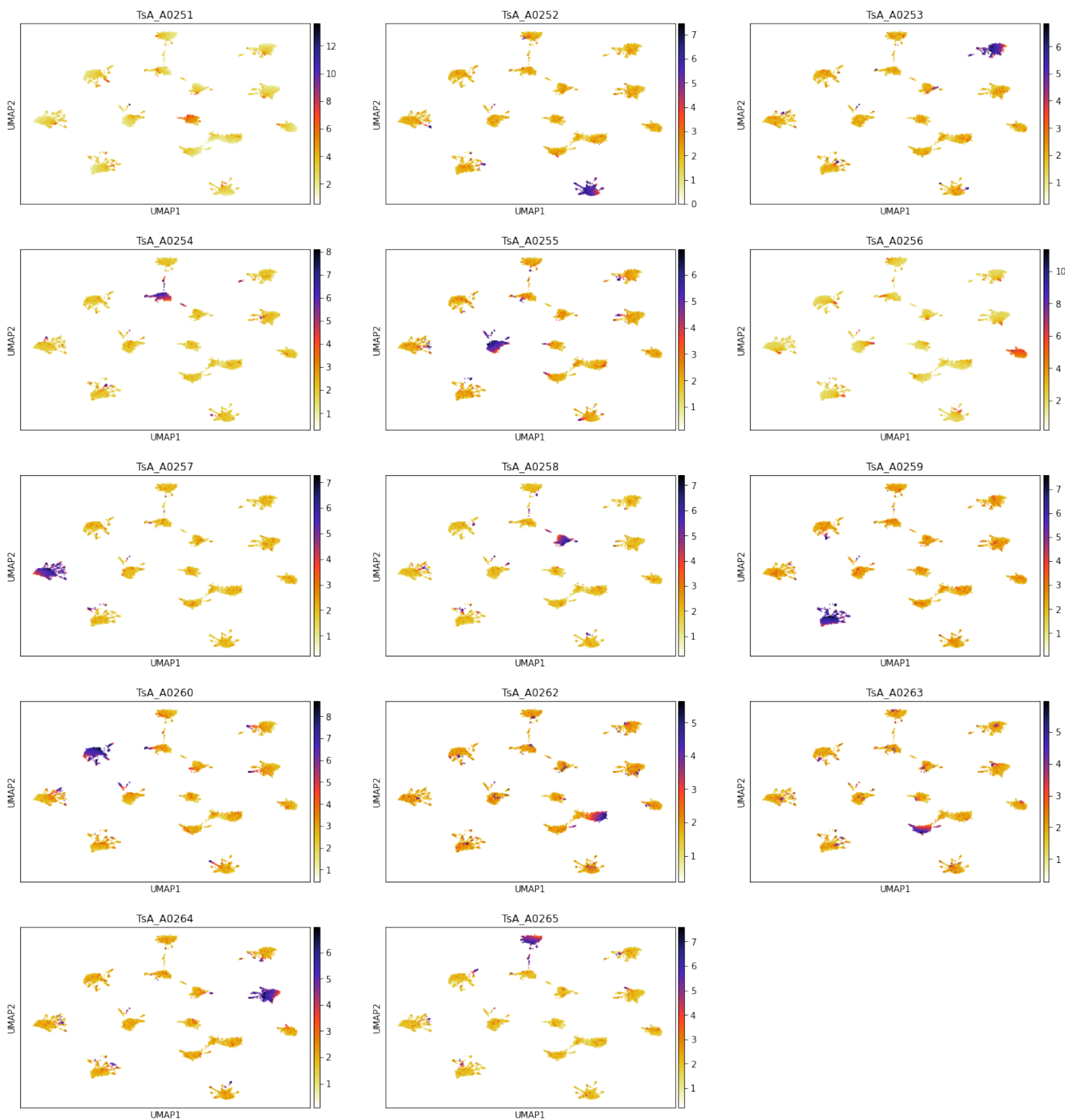


The umap shows that clusers of each hashtags are well separated, which indicates good distribution shape of hashtags

expression level of each hashtag is also plotted below

In [16]:

```
sc.pl.umap(ann_hto,color=ann_hto.var_names, color_map='CMRmap_r', ncols=3)
```

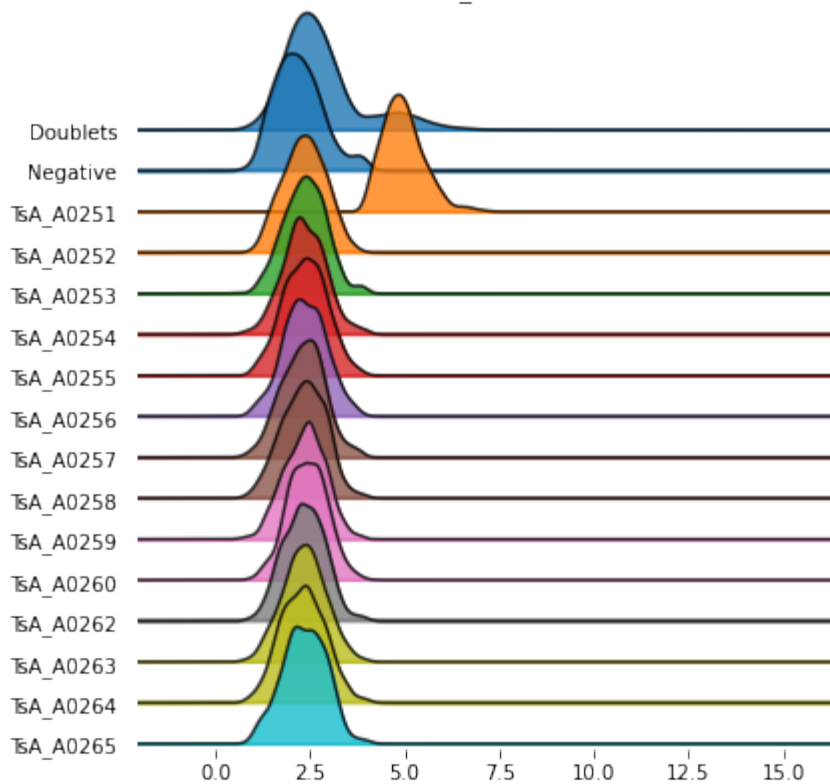


ridge plot will also show the expression level difference between different cell assignment
doublets will have positive counts for multiple hashtags, while negative cells will remain negative for all hashtags

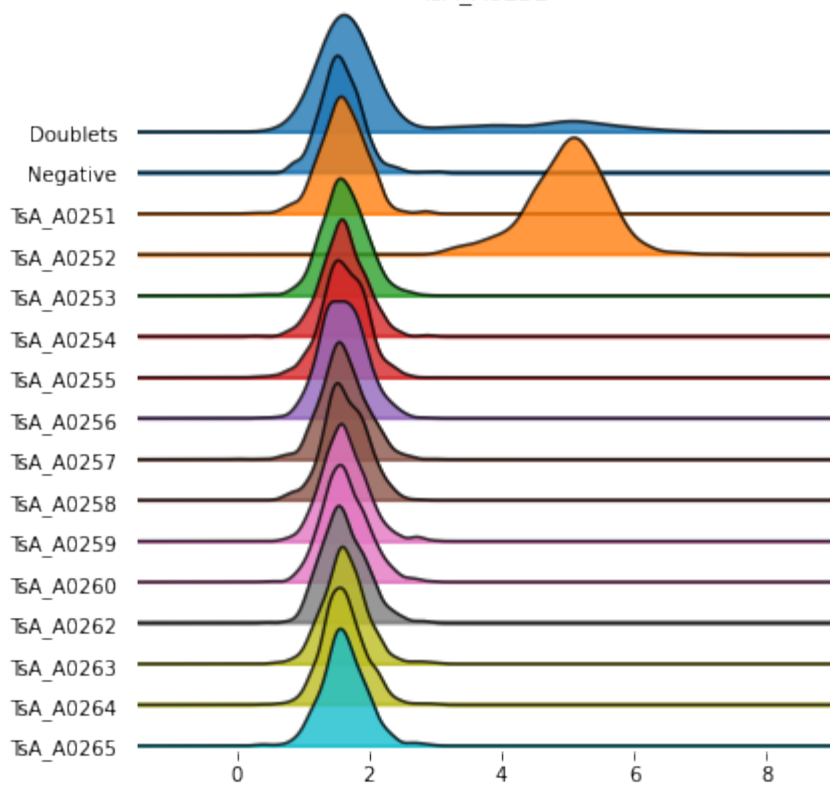
In [23]:

demux.get_ridge(ann_hto)

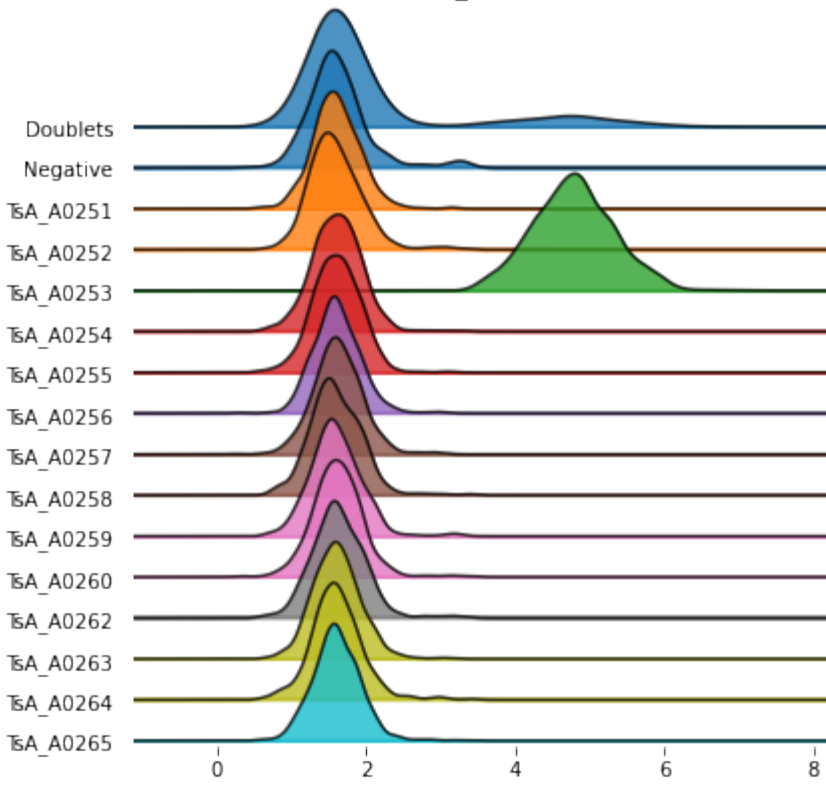
TsA_A0251



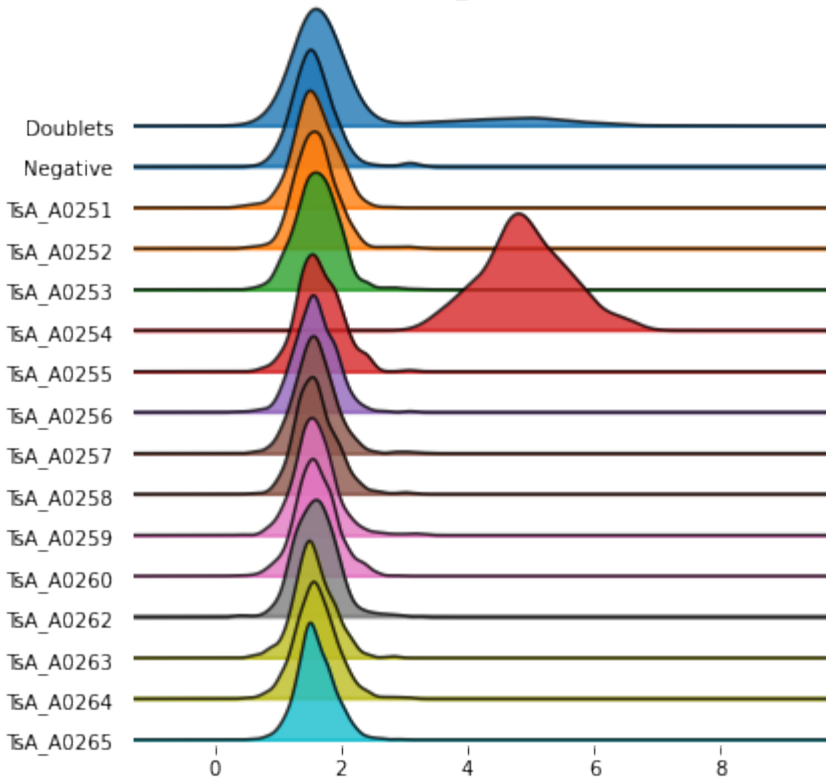
TsA_A0252



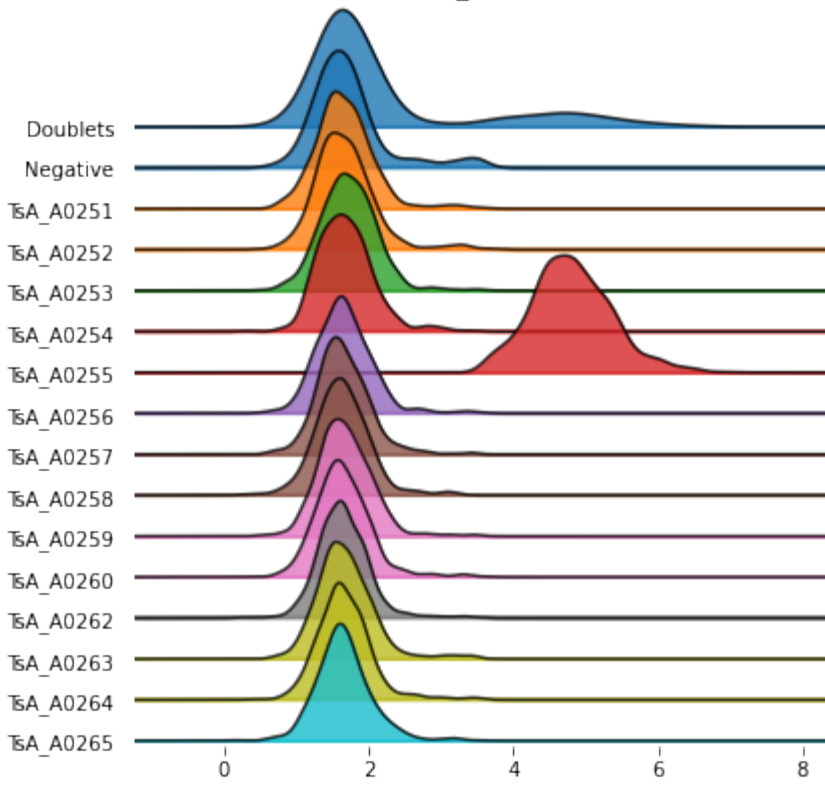
TsA_A0253



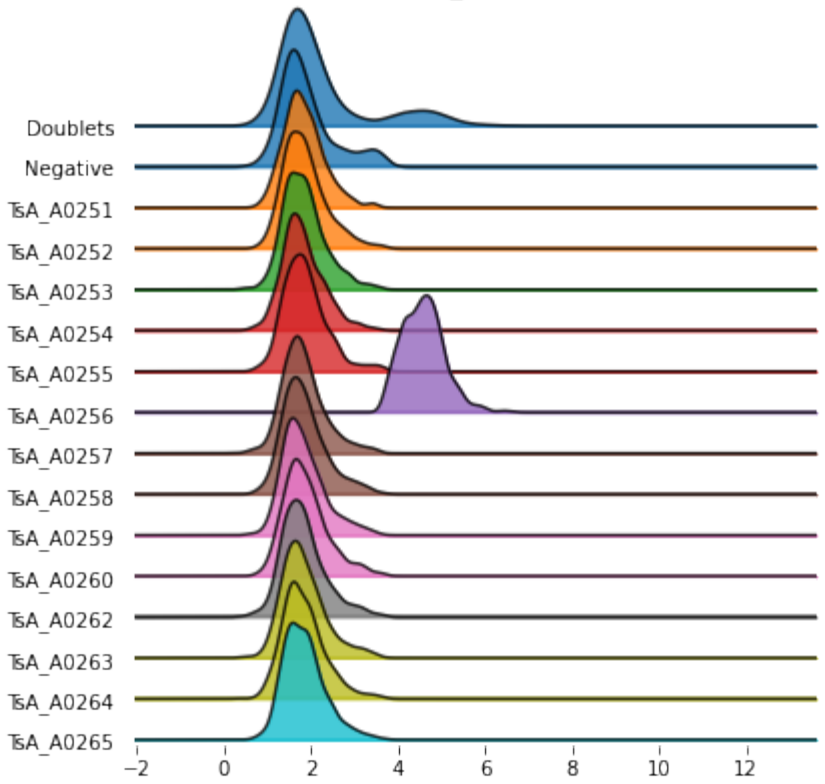
TsA_A0254



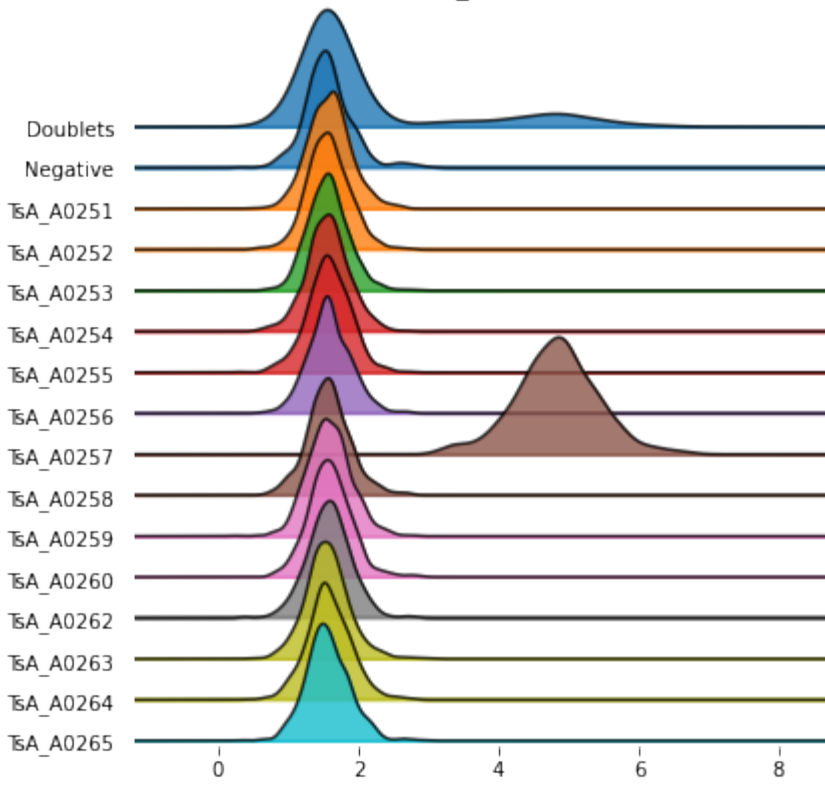
TsA_A0255



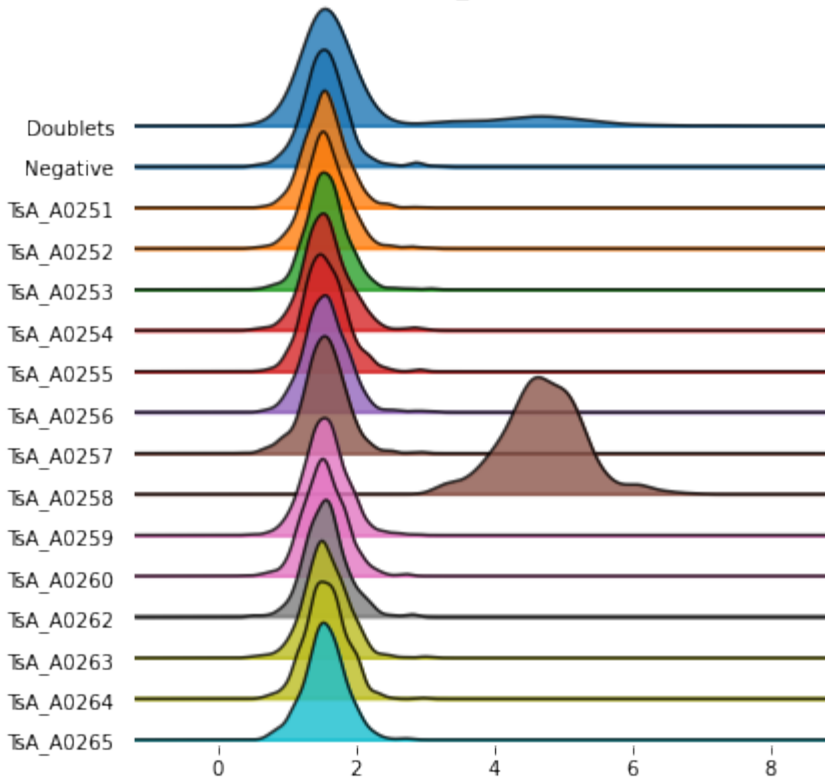
TsA_A0256



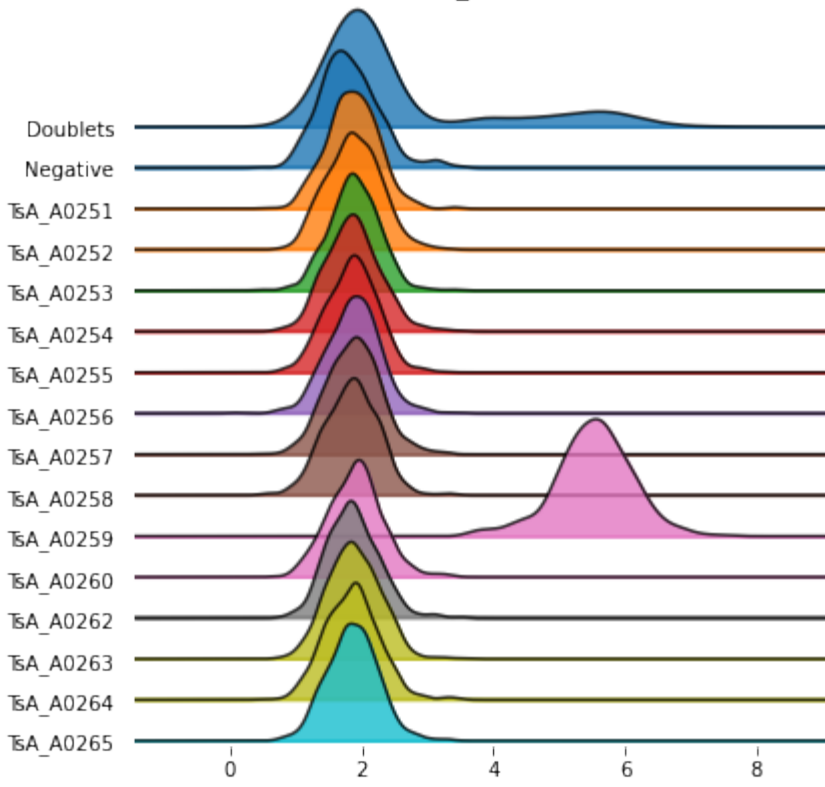
TsA_A0257



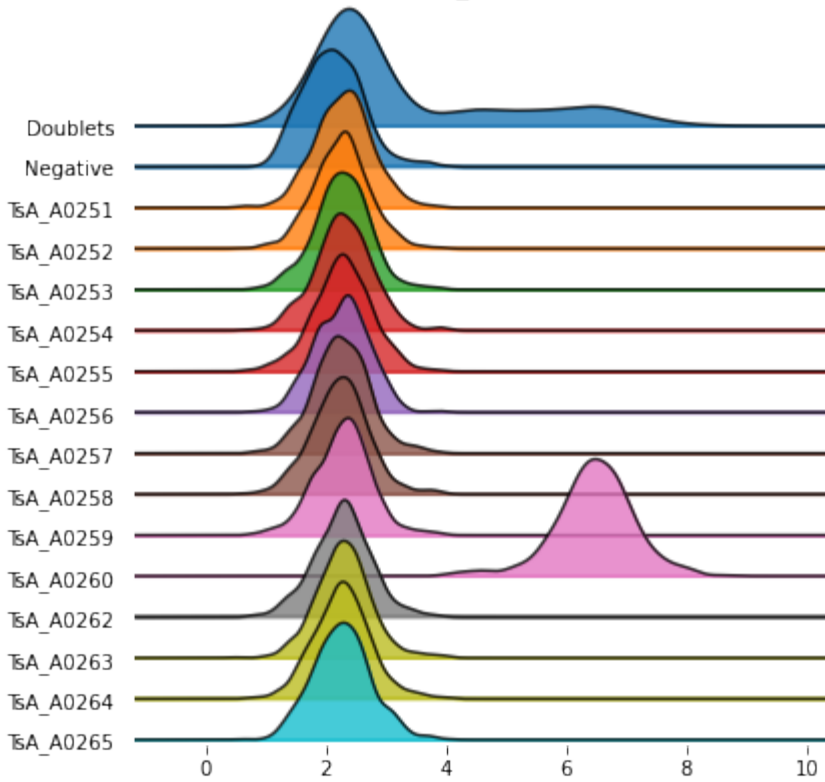
TsA_A0258



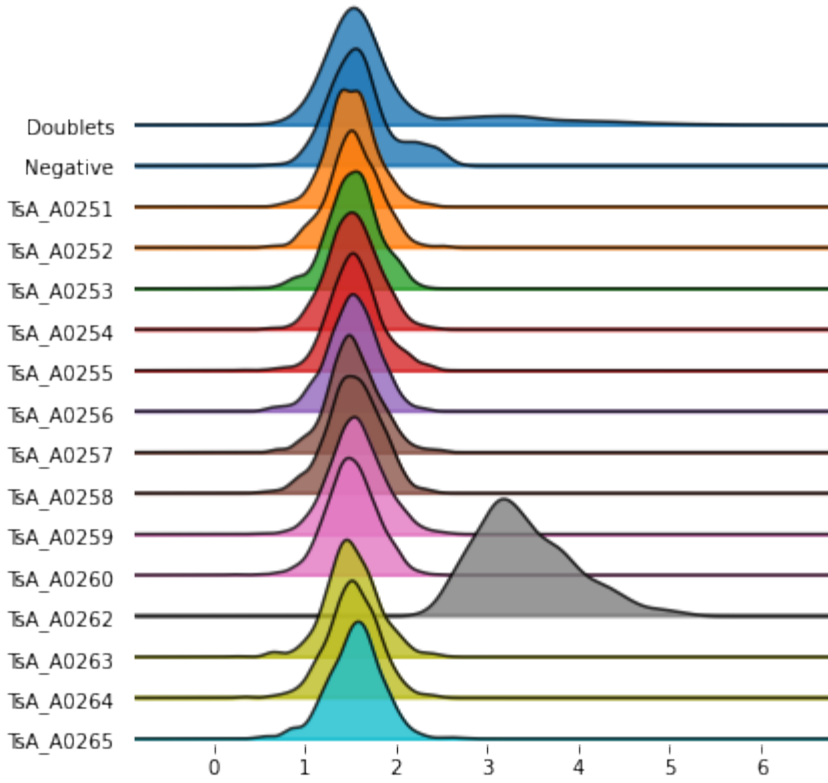
TsA_A0259



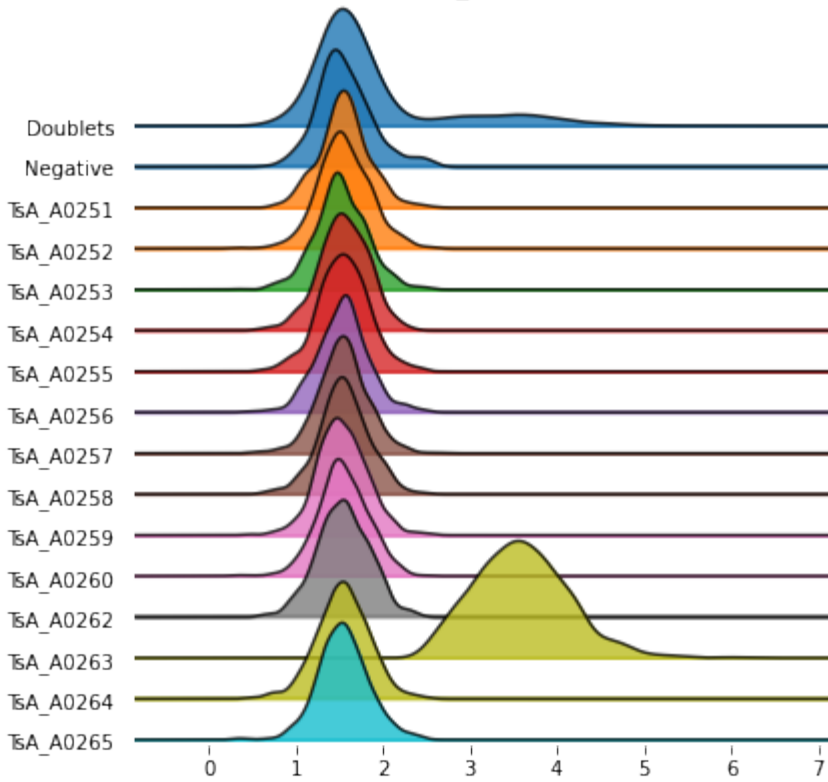
TsA_A0260

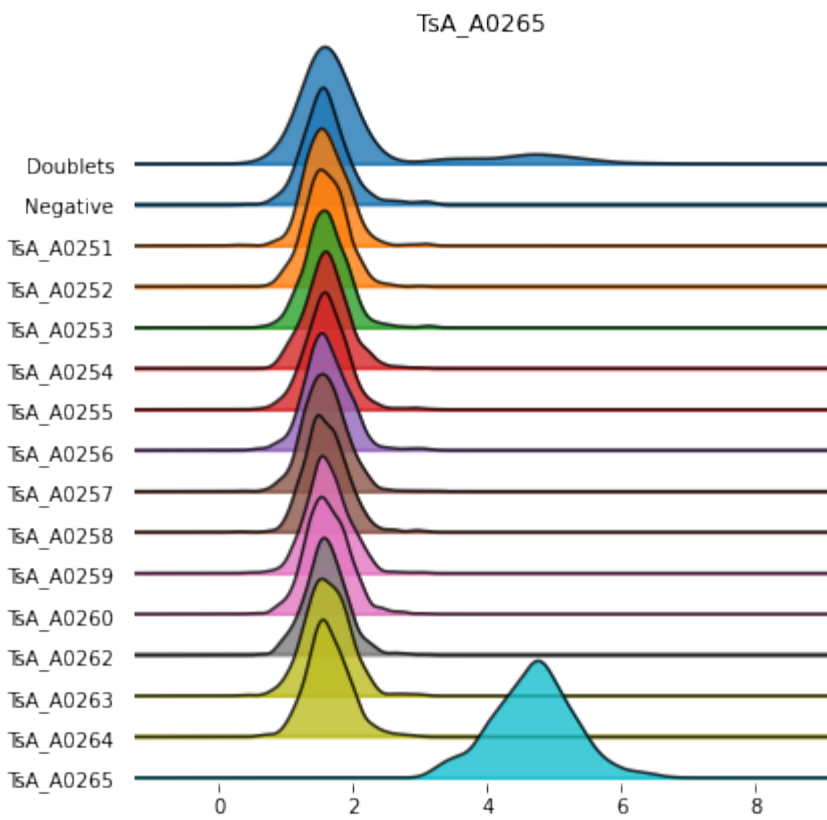
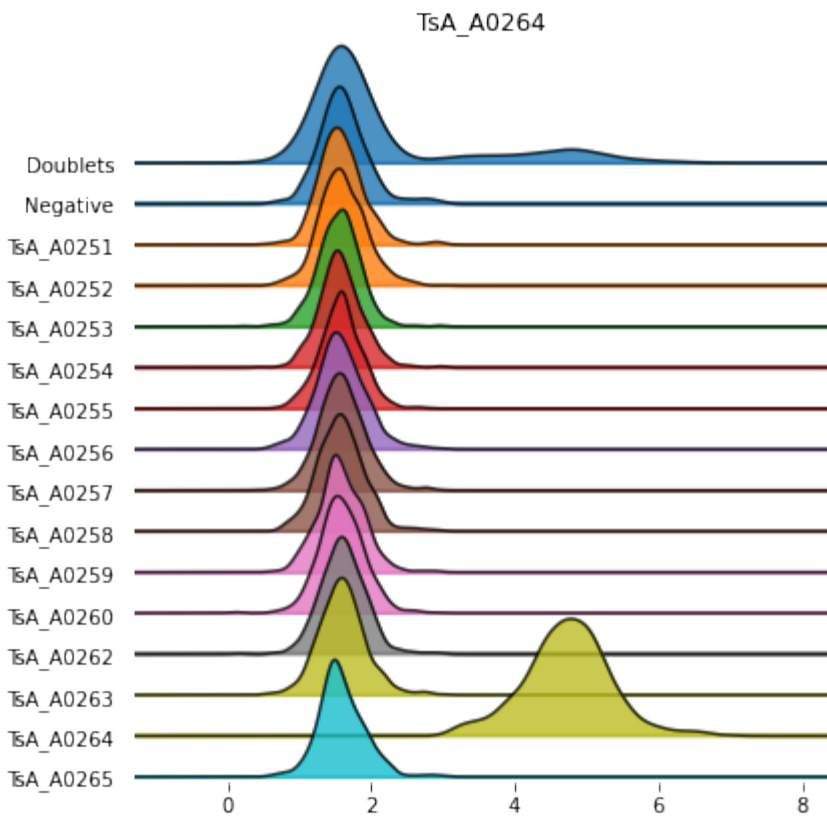


TsA_A0262



TsA_A0263



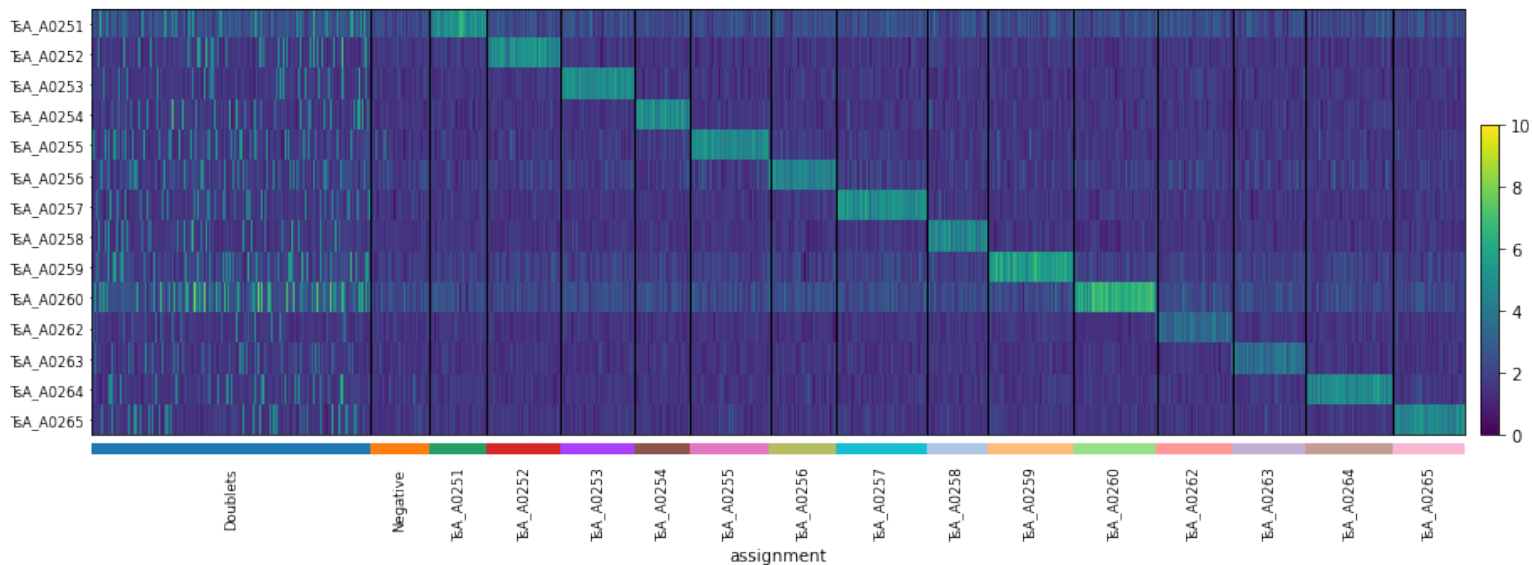


heatmap of expression level:

A0260, A0259, and A0251 have relatively higher background according to the heatmap

In [24]:

```
sc.pl.heatmap(ann_hto,groupby='assignment',
              var_names=sorted(ann_hto.var_names),
              swap_axes=True, vmax=10,figsize=(15,5))
```



filtering out doublets and negatives

the doublets and negatives are filtered out for further analysis, including umap based on ADT expression level like HTO markers, ADT markers are annotated with ids starting with 'ADT'

In [25]:

```
# filter out doublets and negatives
ann_single = ann[ann.obs['assignment'] != 'Negative', :]
ann_single = ann_single[ann_single.obs['assignment'] != 'Doublet', :].copy()
```

In [26]:

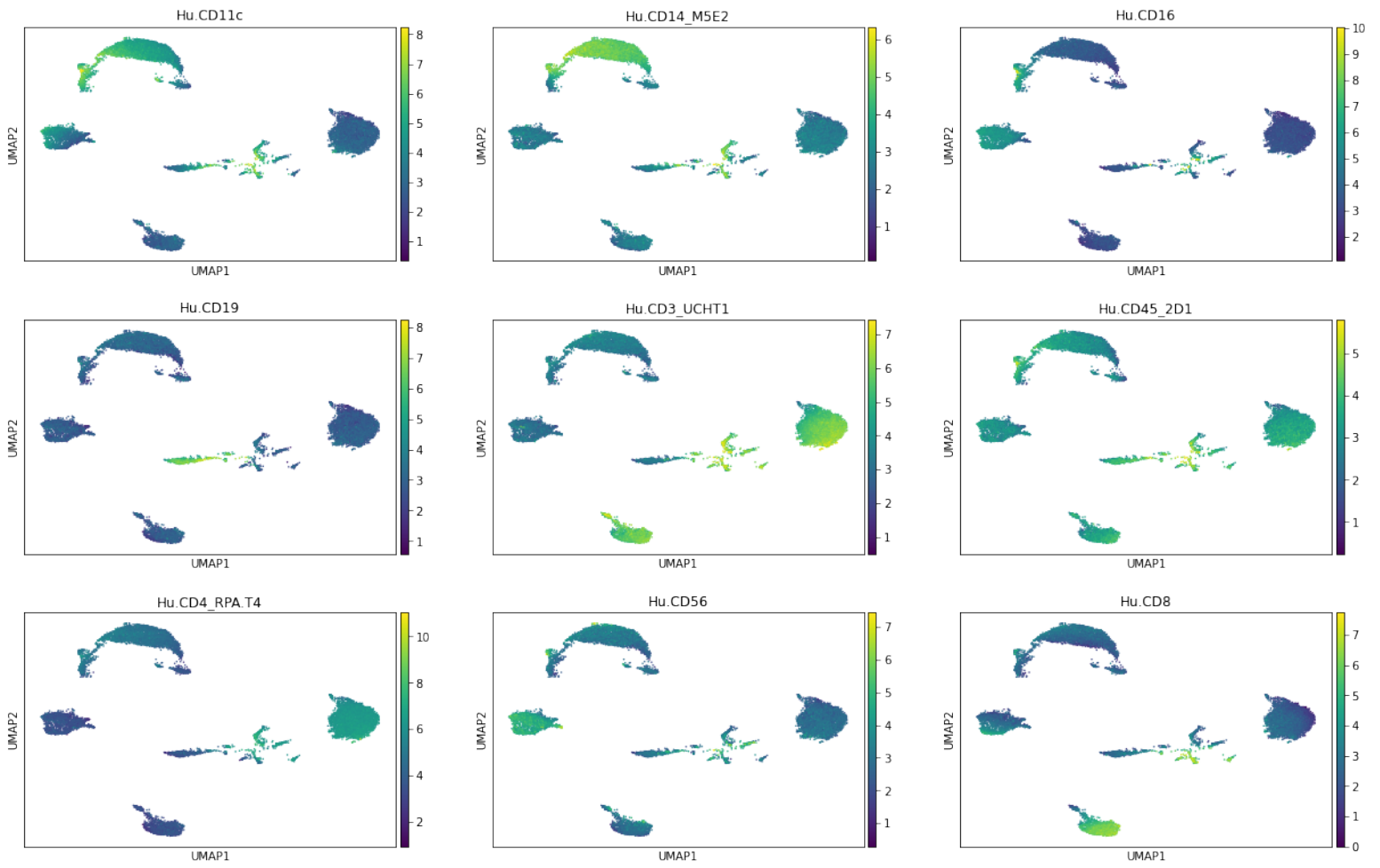
```
# calculate umaps
ann_adt = ann_single[:, ['ADT' in t for t in ann_single.var['gene_ids']]].copy()
demux.asinh_trans(ann_adt)
sc.pp.neighbors(ann_adt, n_neighbors=40, use_rep='X')
sc.tl.umap(ann_adt, min_dist=0.1)
```

ADT expression level plotted on ADT umaps are shown below, different cell type clusters are well separated

In [27]:

```
sc.pl.umap(ann_adt, color=ann_adt.var_names, ncols=3)

... storing 'assignment' as categorical
... storing 'feature_types' as categorical
... storing 'genome' as categorical
```

In []: