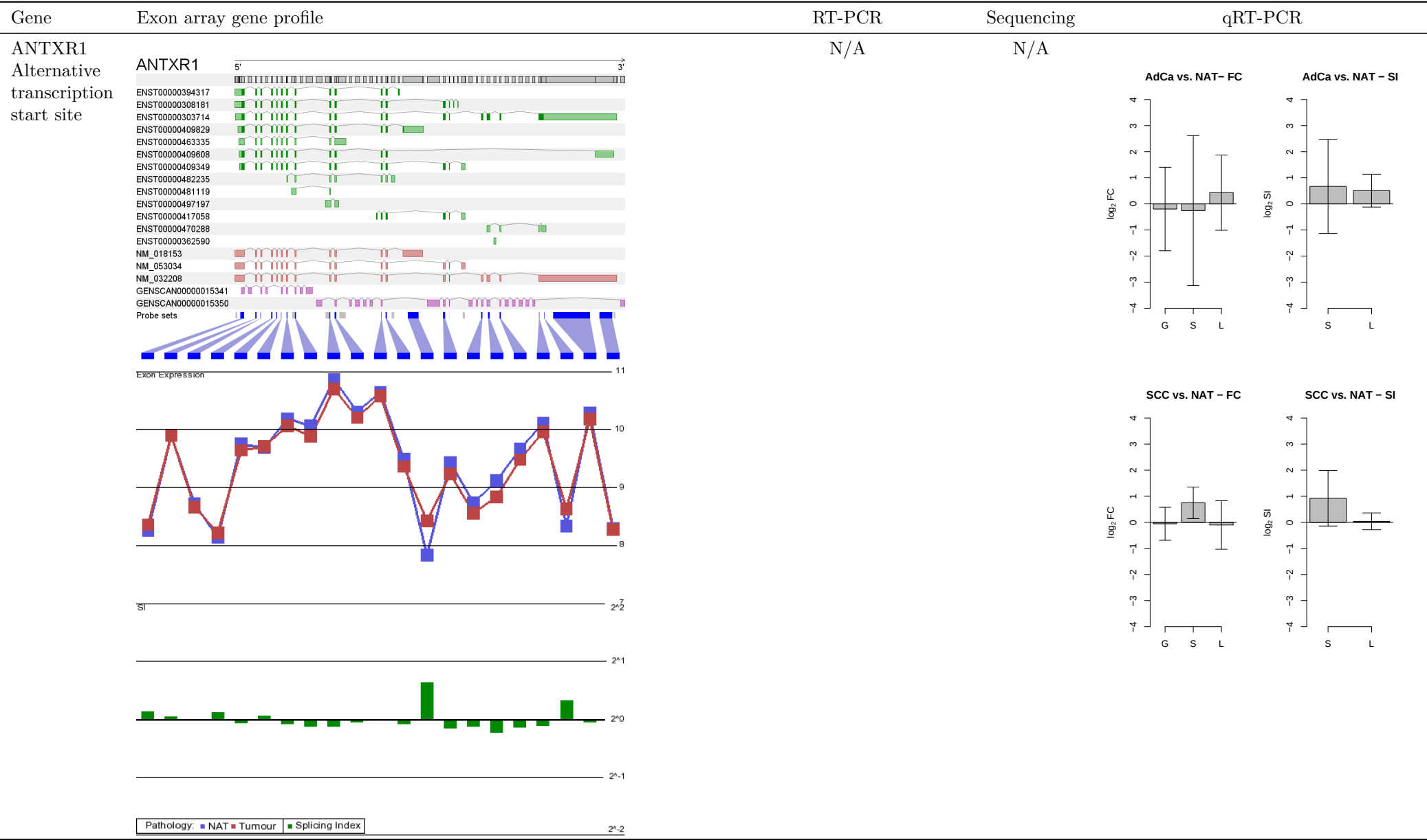
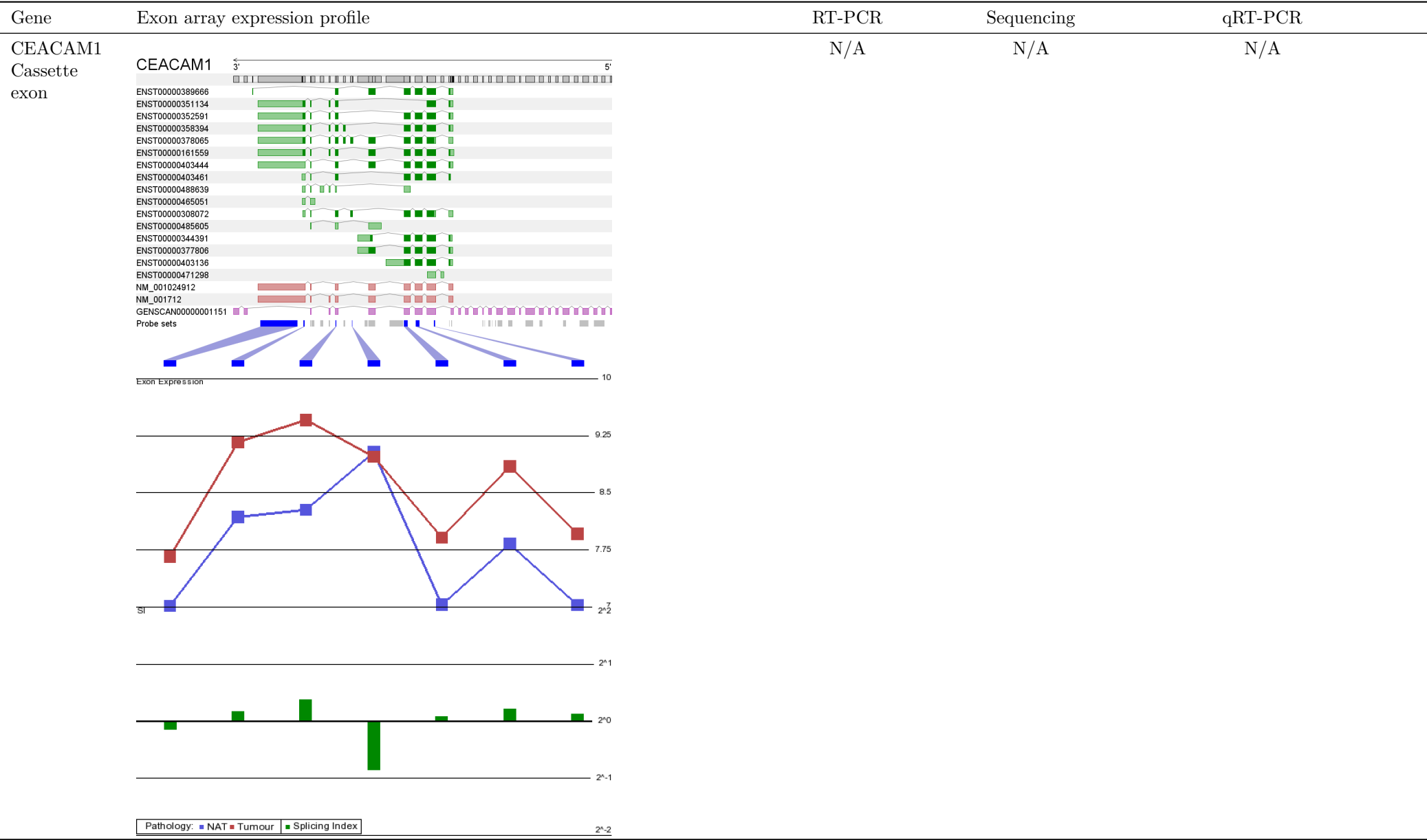


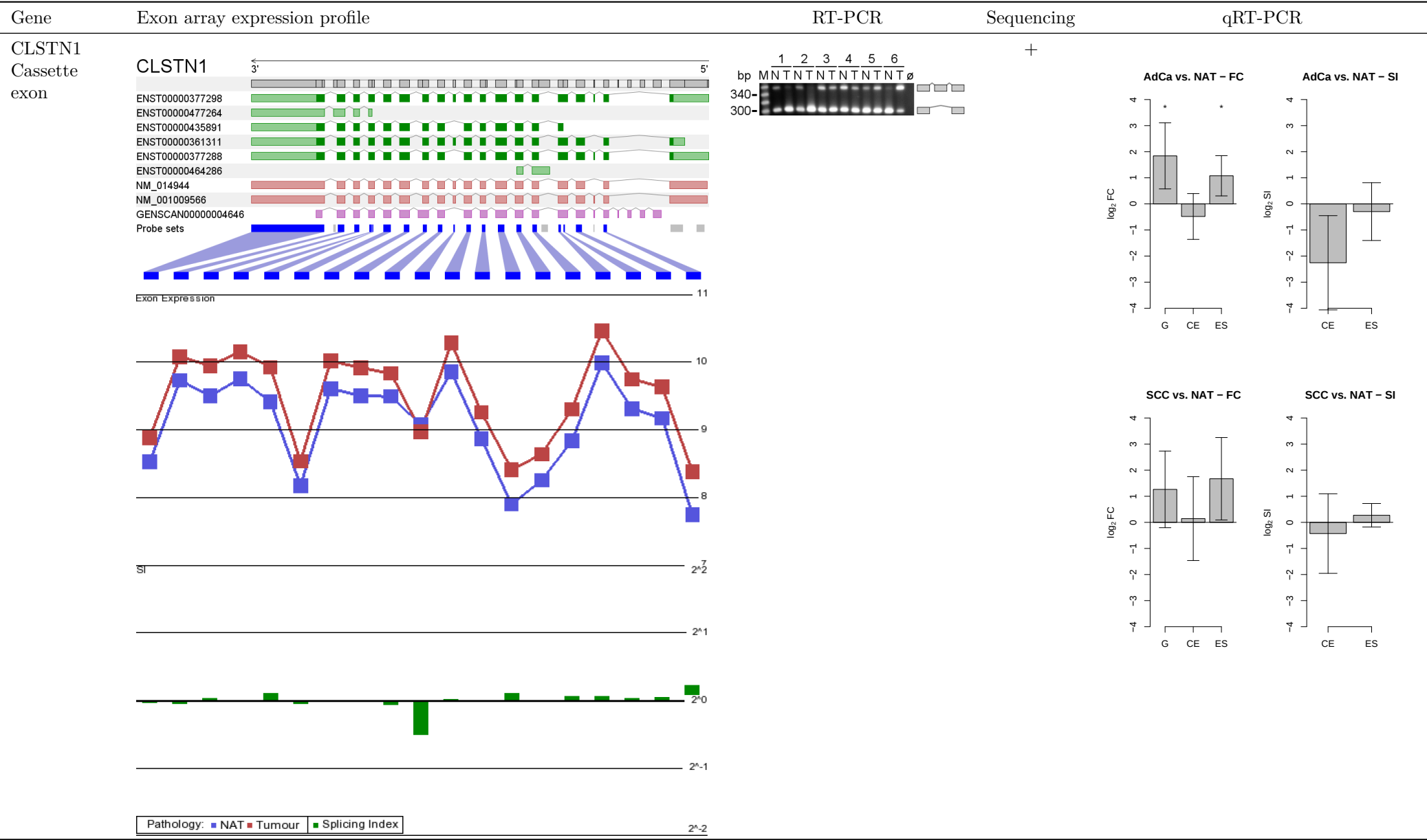
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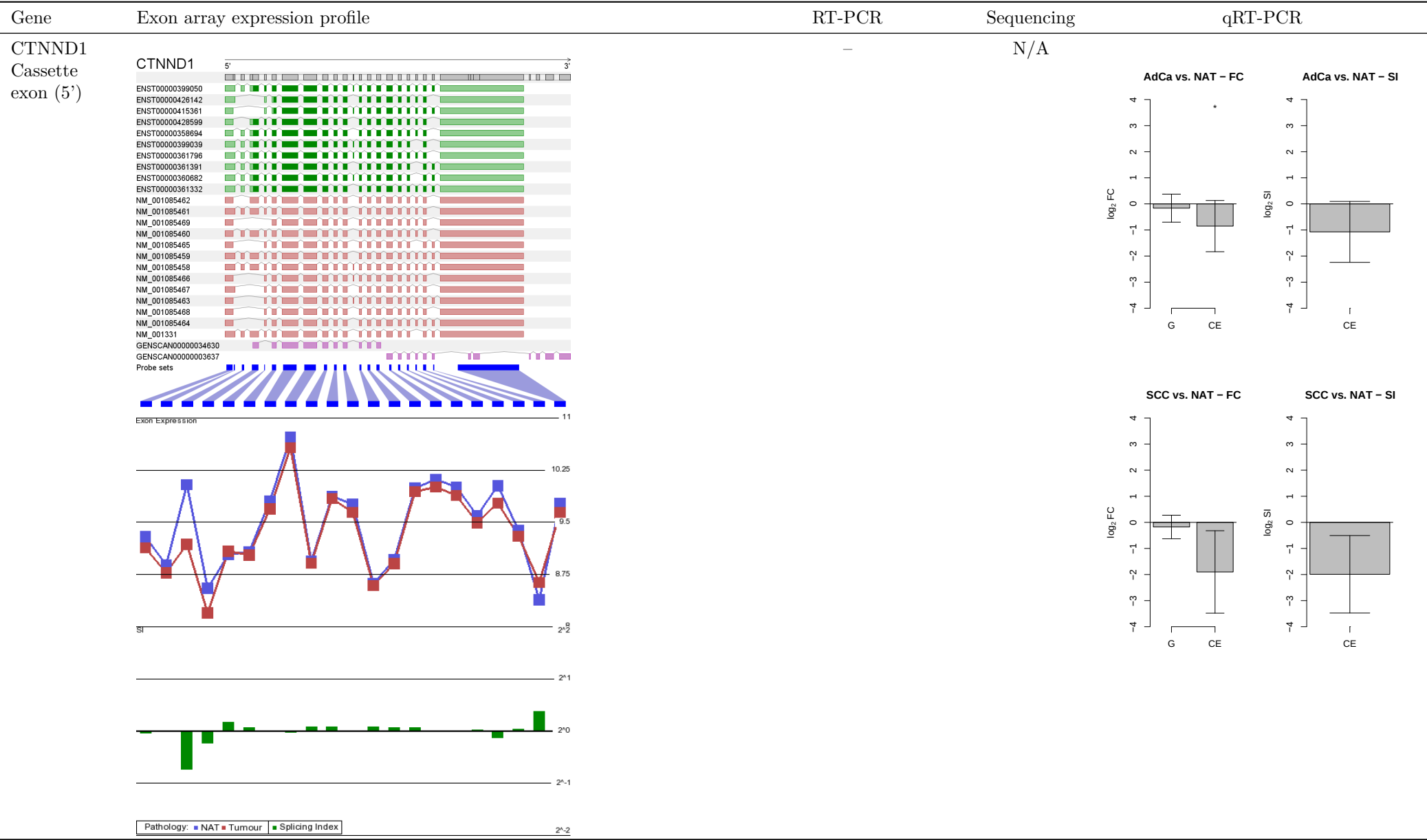
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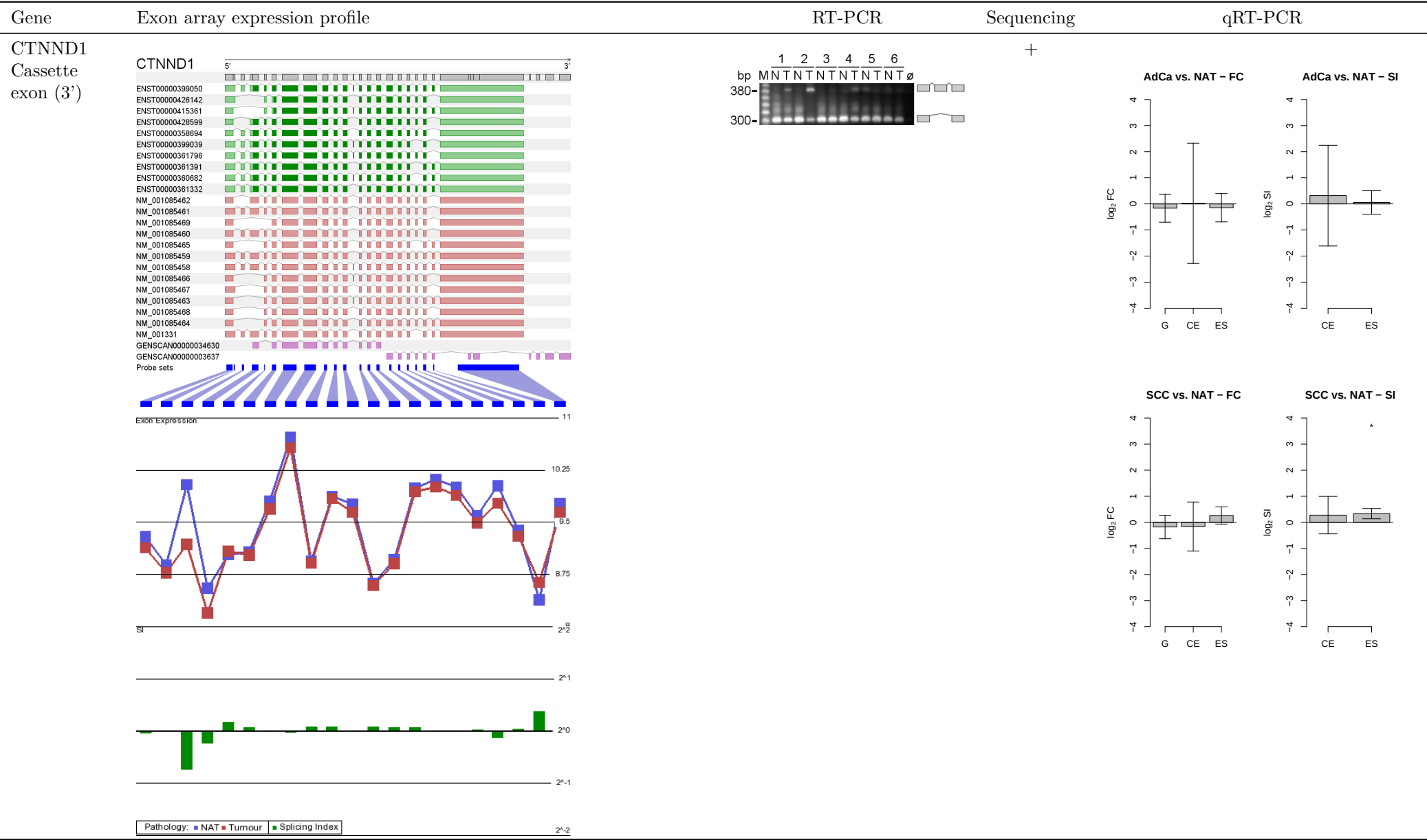
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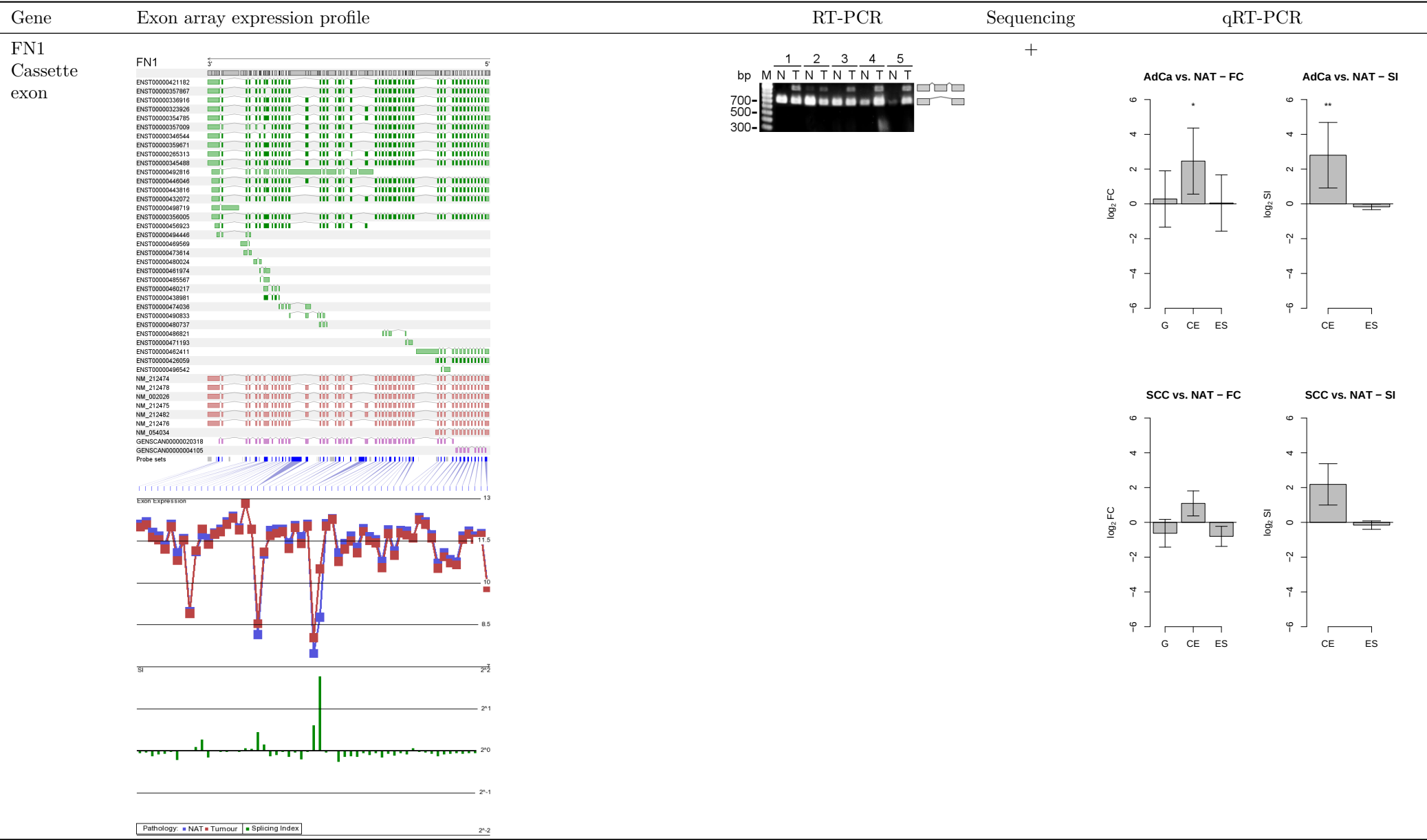
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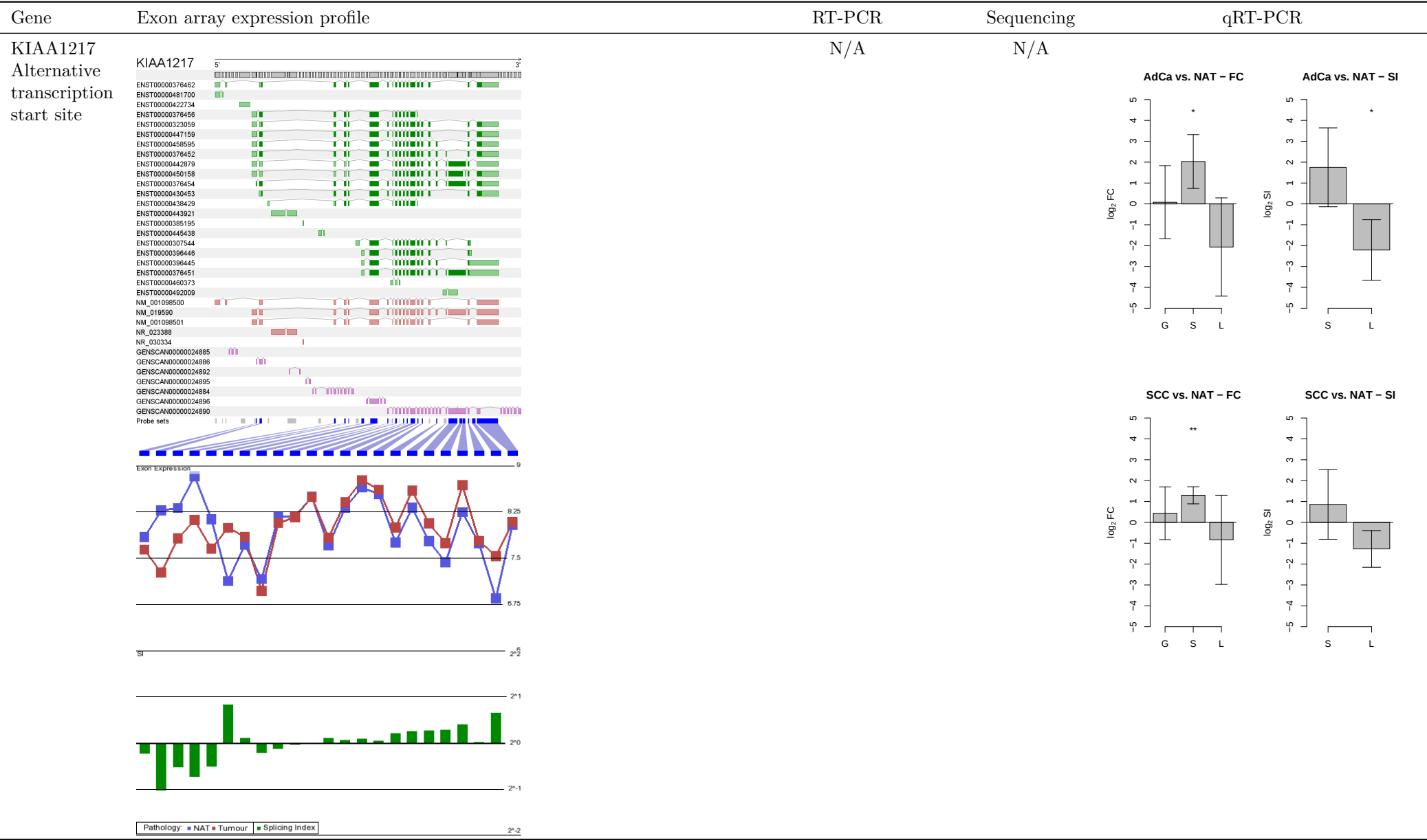
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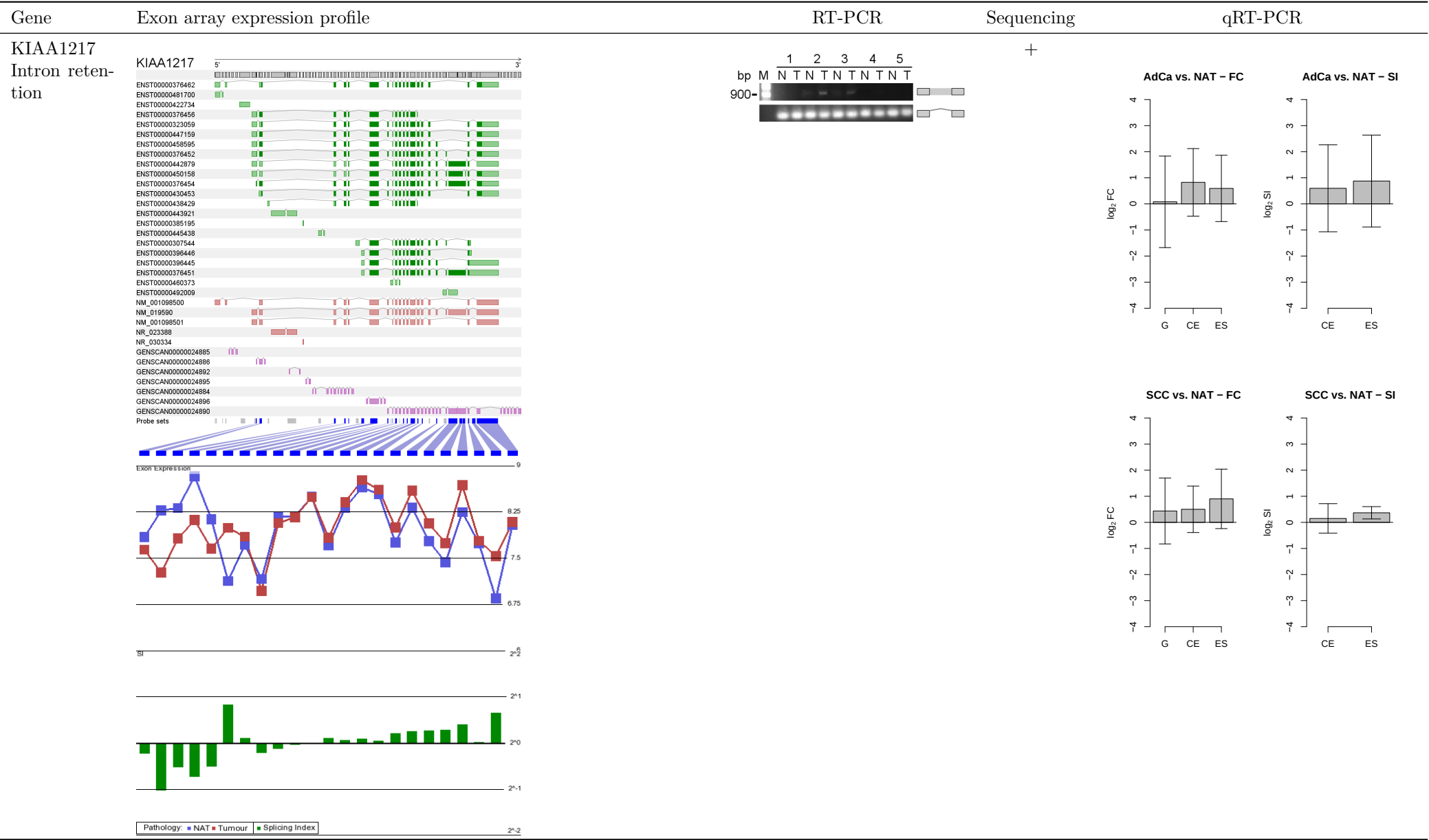
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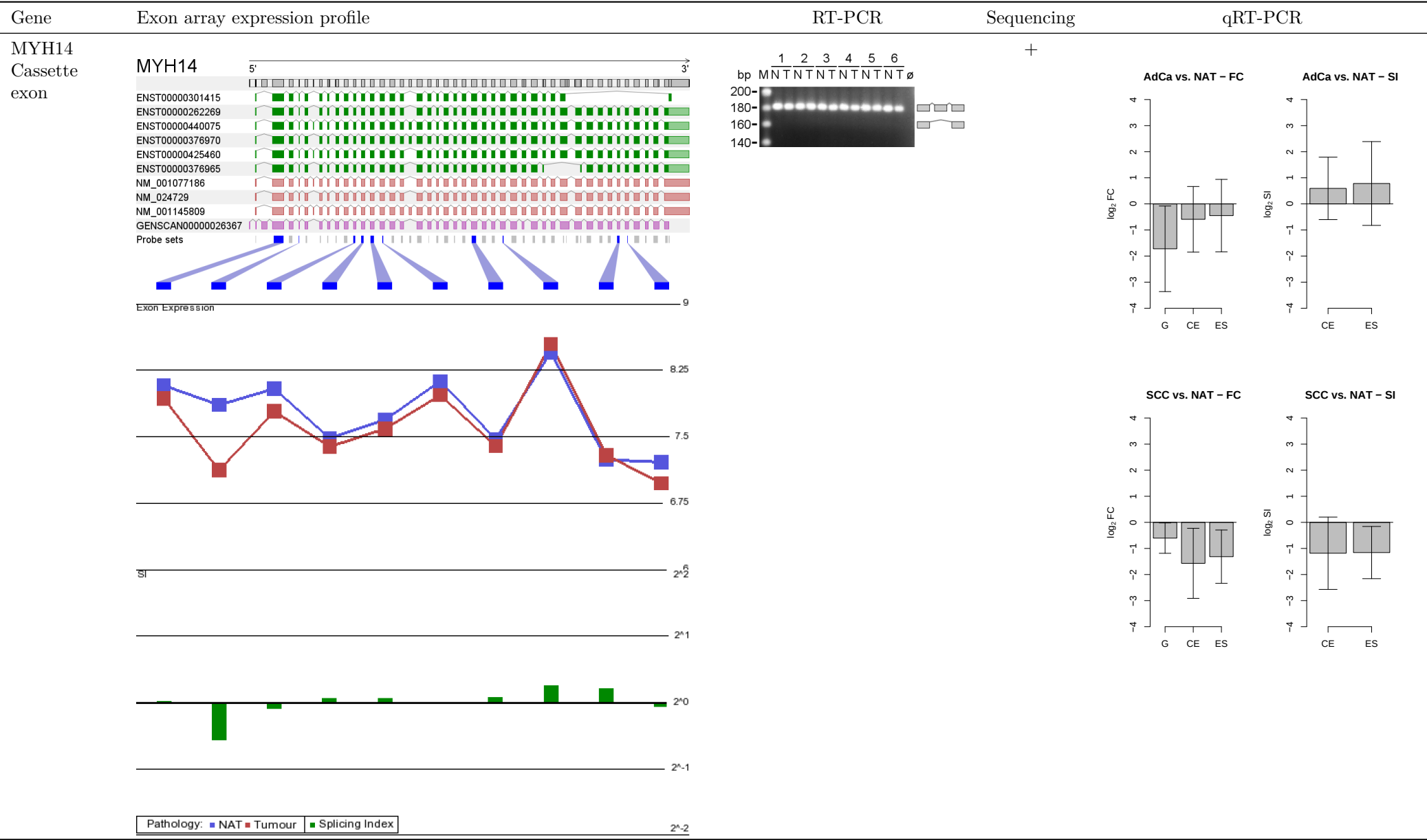
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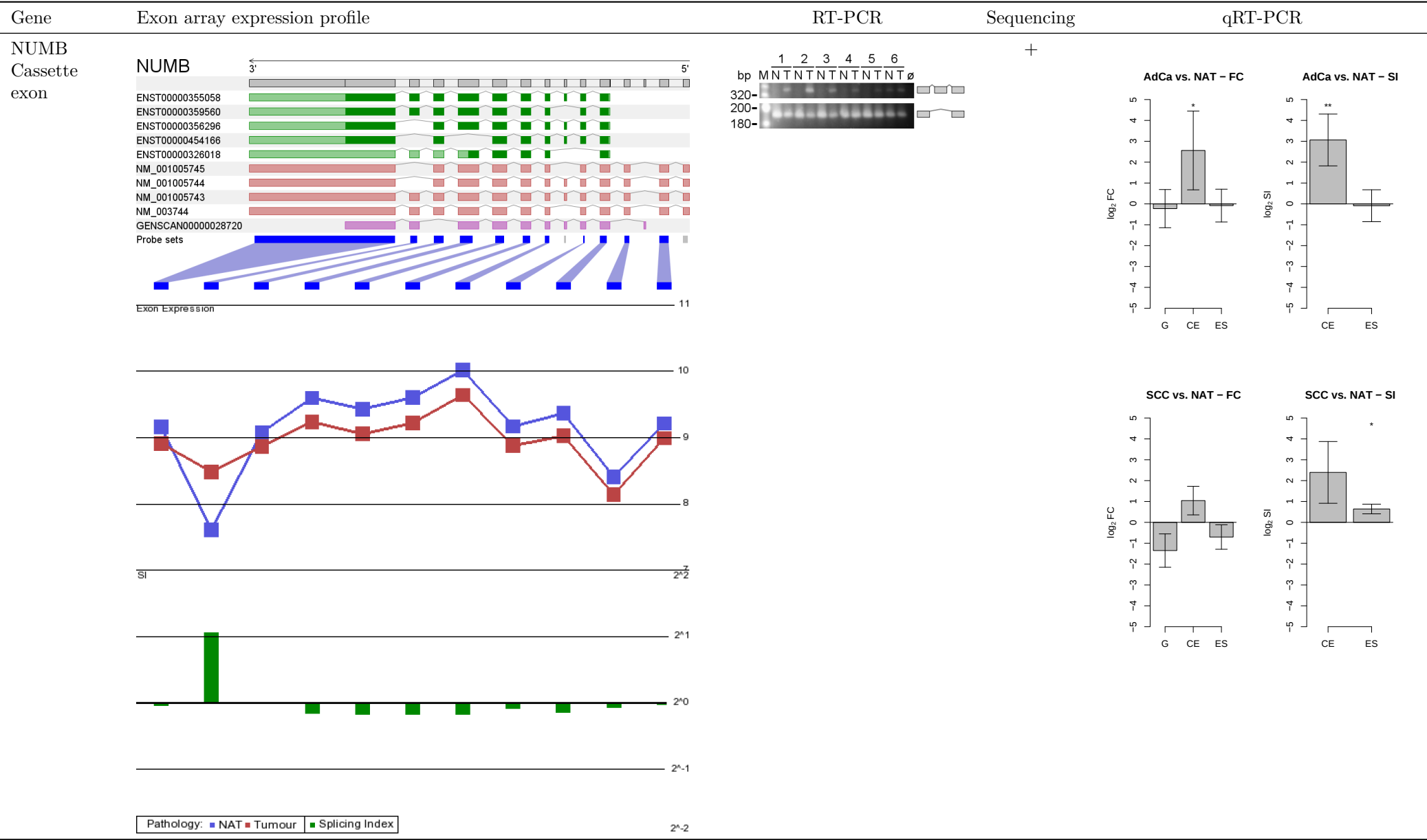
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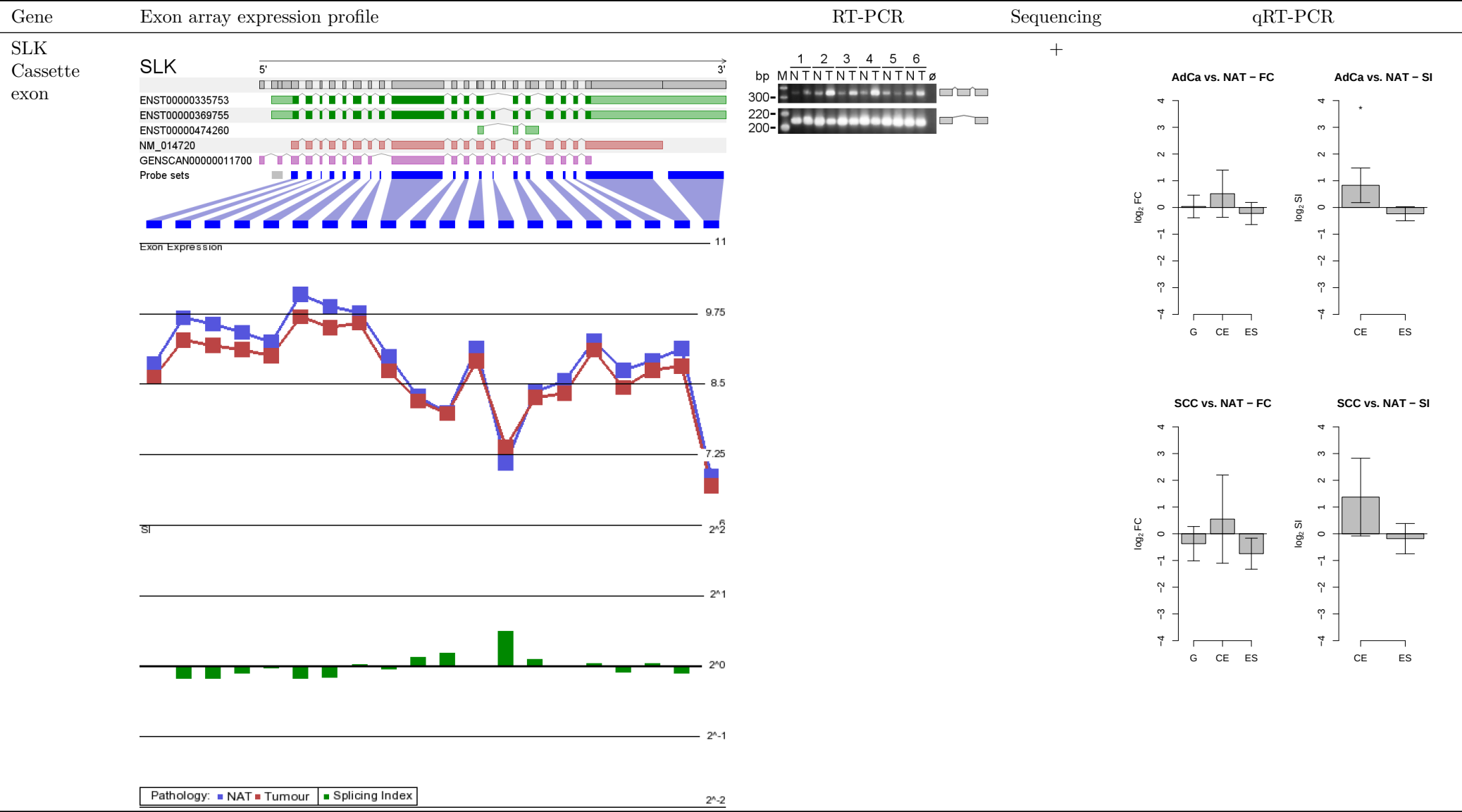
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Gene	Exon array expression profile	RT-PCR	Sequencing	qRT-PCR
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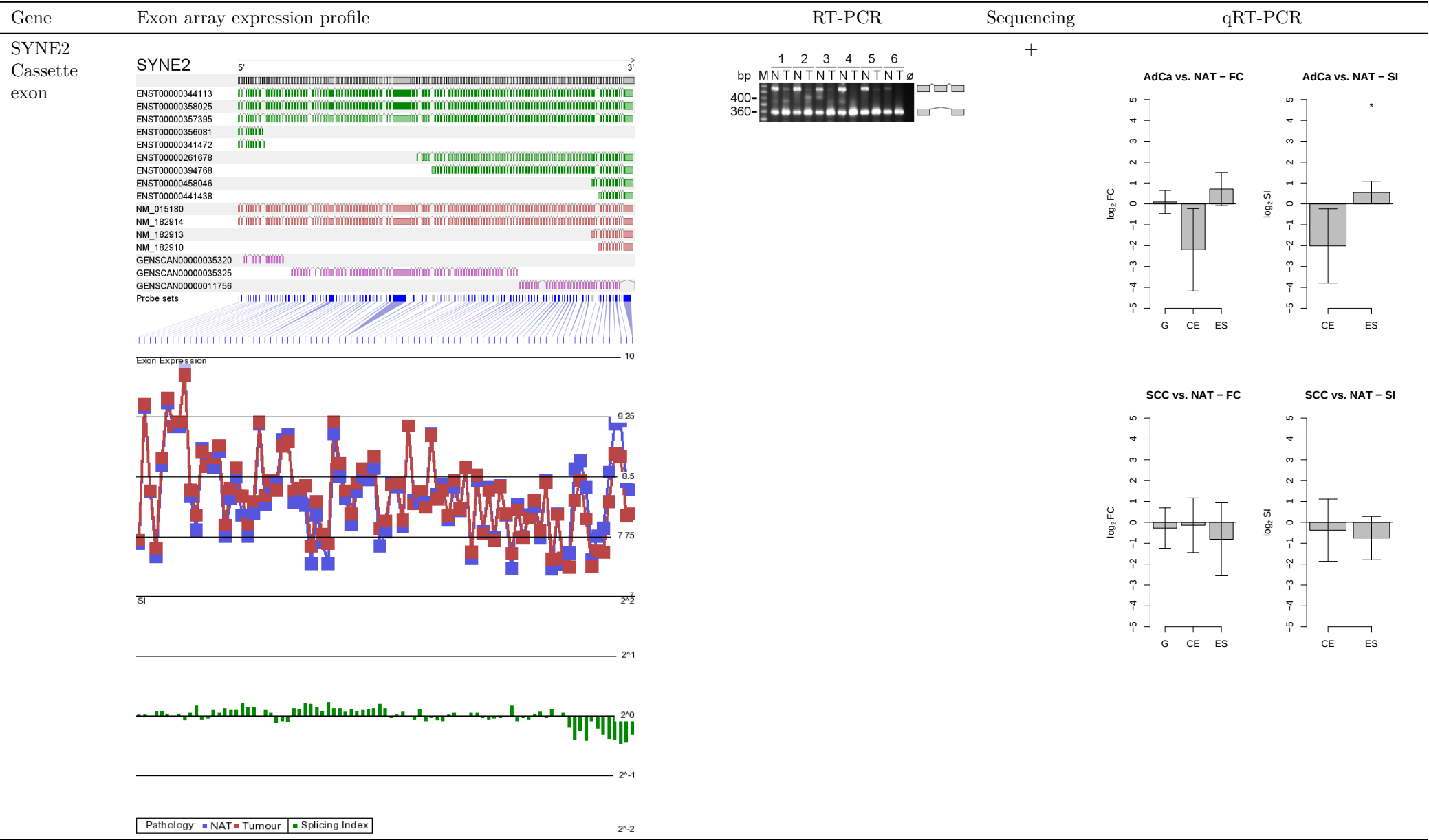
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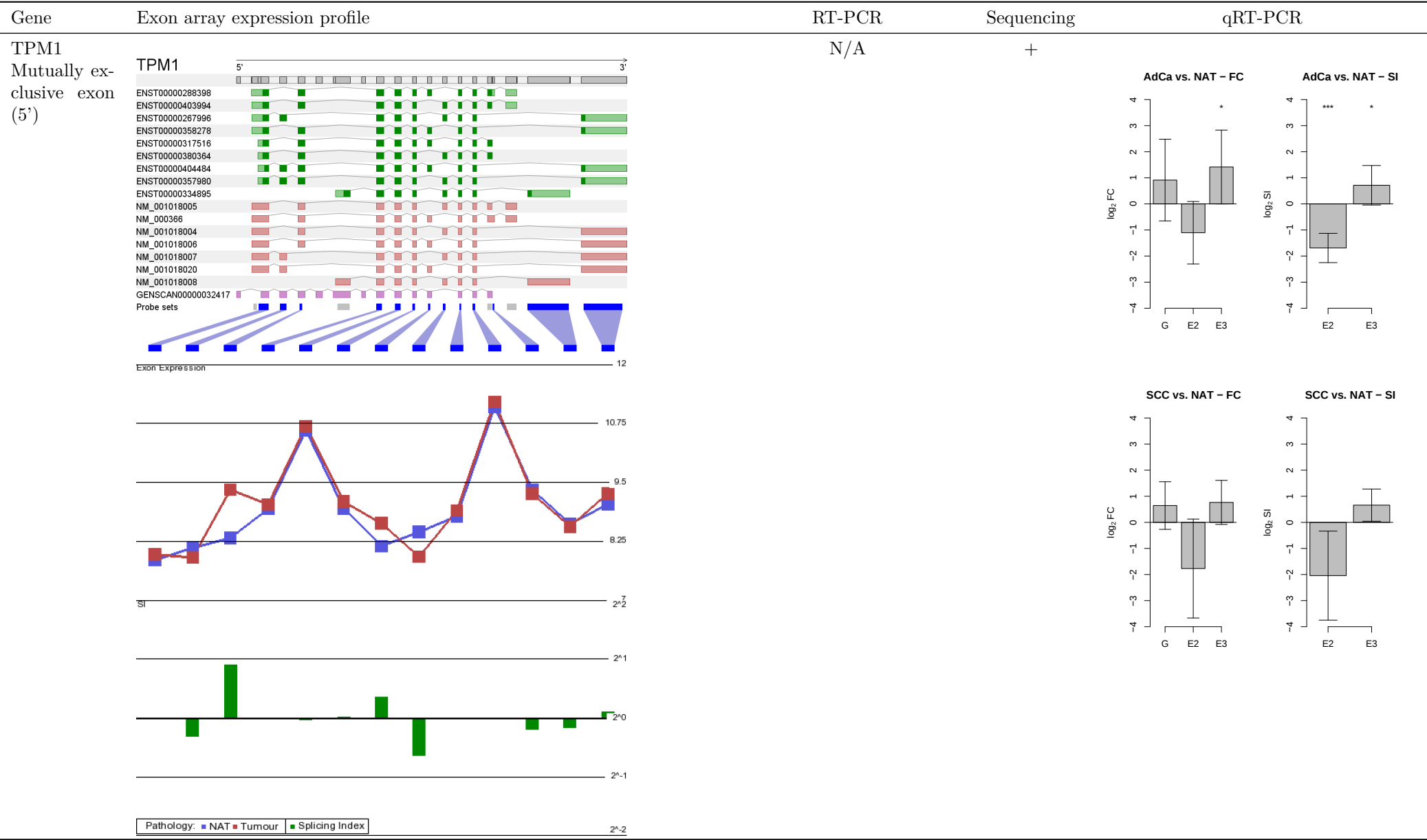
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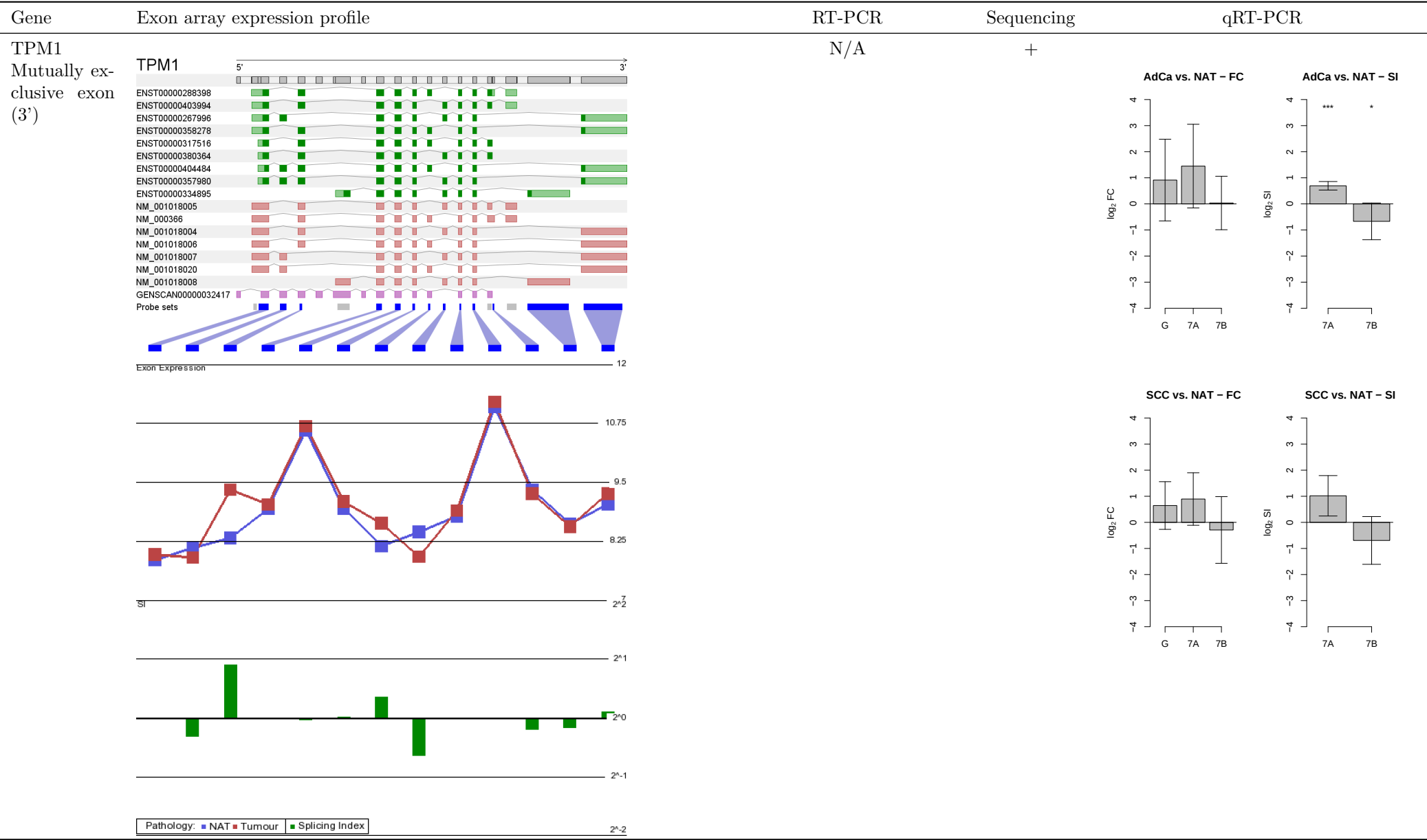
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The exon array gene profile is shown together with the exon structure of the gene (introns not to scale), known transcript annotations (green: Ensembl transcripts; red: RefSeq transcripts; purple: Genscan predictions), and exon array probe sets from the new chip definition (grey: absent probe sets; blue: present probe sets). The exon expression in the NSCLC data set (red graph: exon expression in NSCLC; blue graph: exon expression in normal adjacent tissue) as well as splicing indexes for exons in the NSCLC data set (green bars; logarithmic scale) are shown. A hypothesis of the mode of alternative splicing was formulated based on the exon array expression profile and available transcript annotations. RT-PCR was conducted using paired samples of adenocarcinoma of NSCLC and normal adjacent tissue of six patients ($\emptyset$: no template control). Assays were designed such that primer pairs are flanking a cassette exon, thus alternative splicing generates two RT-PCR products. Exon-exon junctions in RT-PCR products were confirmed by sequencing (data not shown). qRT-PCR was performed using six sample pairs of adenocarcinoma of NSCLC and four sample pairs of squamous cell carcinoma of NSCLC. Assays were designed to measure gene level expression (G) or to measure a specific transcript variant (CE: cassette exon; ES: exon skipping; S: short isoform; L: long isoform; IR: intron retention; IS: intron skipping). Error bars indicate one standard deviation, significance was determined using a paired t-test. FC: Fold-change of over-expression in NSCLC versus normal adjacent tissue. SI: Splicing index. N/A indicates that the experiment was not performed.