

# High Performance Computing in Life Sciences

## Part I

### HPC Introduction Introduction

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## Part II

### BioComputing Software

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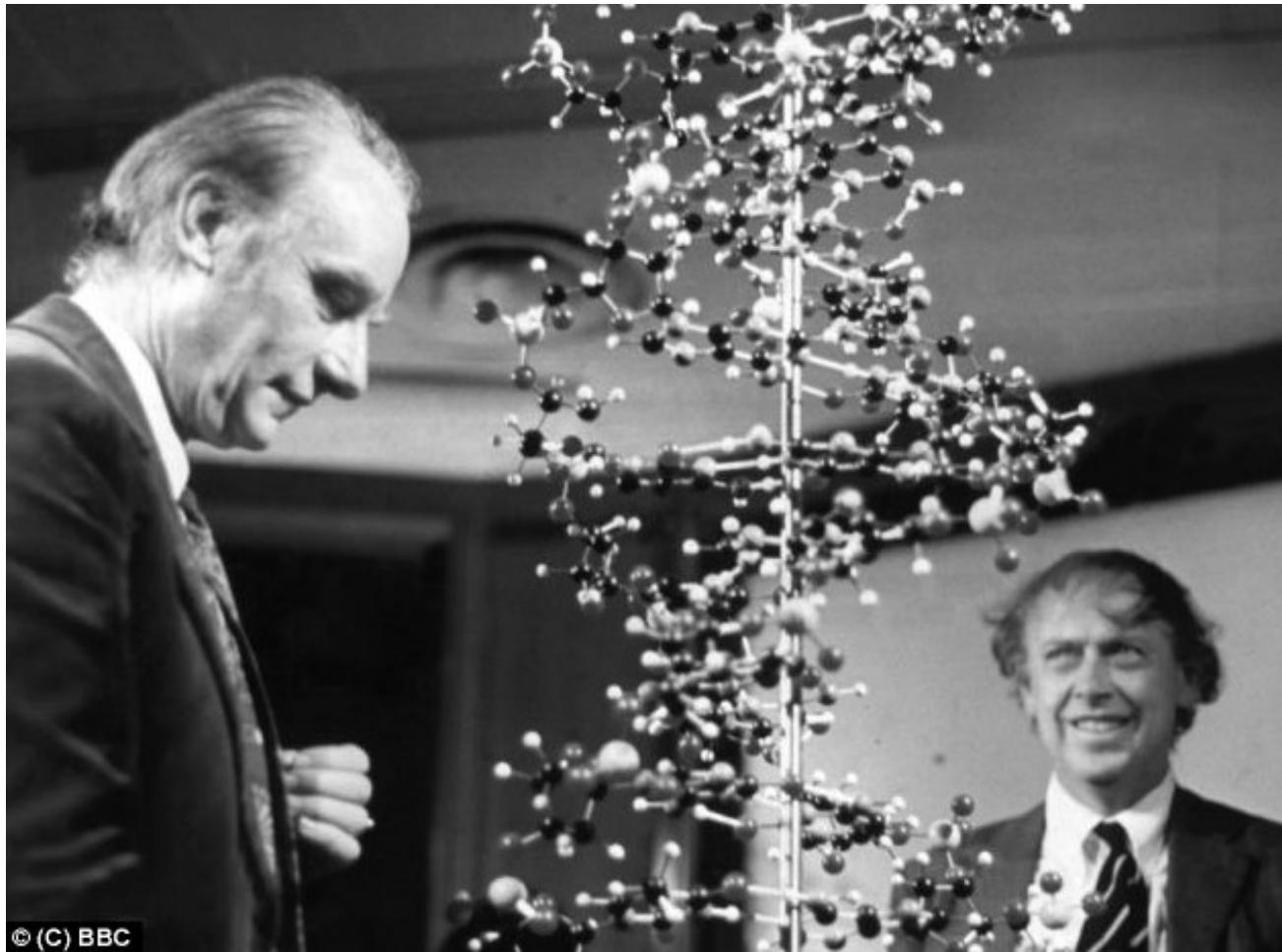
# Summary

- The scale of biocomputing challenges
- The evolution of High-Performance Computing
- Current state of the traditional computing
- Parallelizing analyses
  - Traditional multiprocessing
  - Hadoop
  - Specialized approaches
- The interfaces
  - GUI vs. Web vs. Batch (command-line)
- Biocomputing Software (Part II)

# **Historical Perspective**

**From a molecule to millions of genomes**

# The Beginning

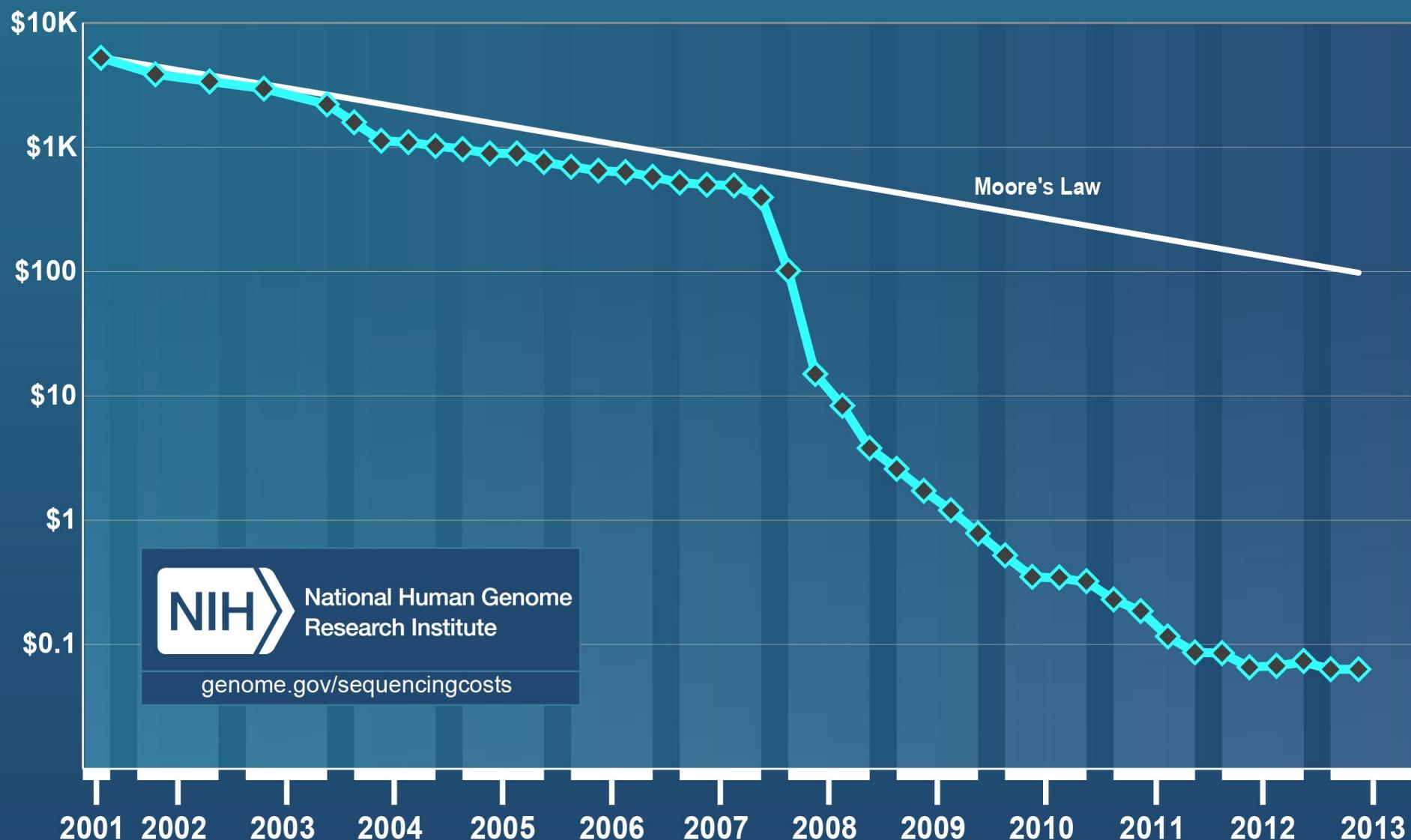


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# Sequencing Data Scaling

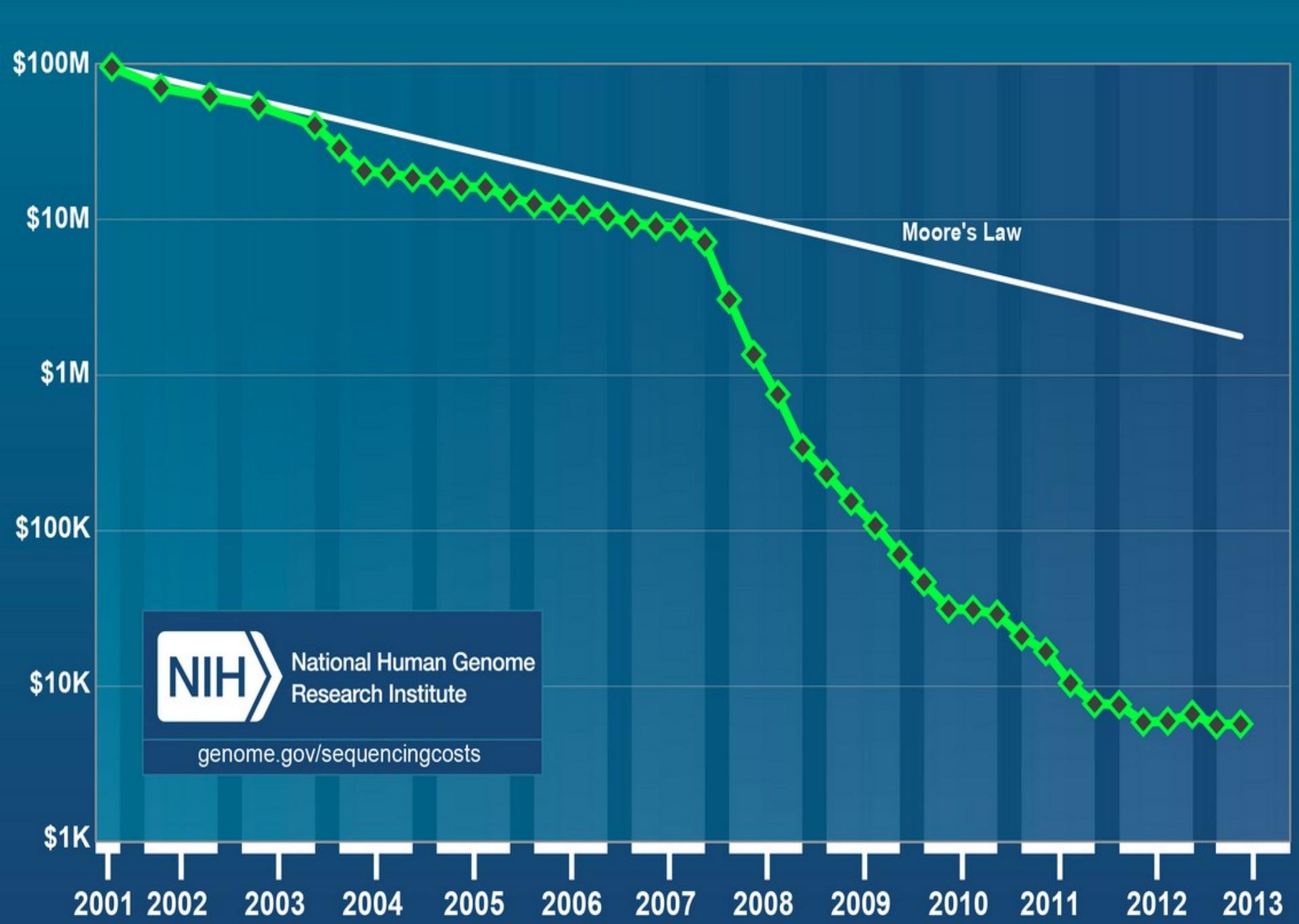
- Genome Size \* Coverage
  - Viral – 1-100kbp
  - Bacteria, Archaea – 1-10Mbp
  - Simple Eukaryotes – 10-100 Mbp
  - Animals, Plants – 100Mbp - > 100Gbp
- Sequencing Coverage
  - ~10x in the Sanger Shotgun WGS times
  - ~30x for an average analysis
  - ~100x for metagenomic studies
  - Up to ~1000x for low-frequency SNP analysis in mixed samples

# *Cost per Raw Megabase of DNA Sequence*

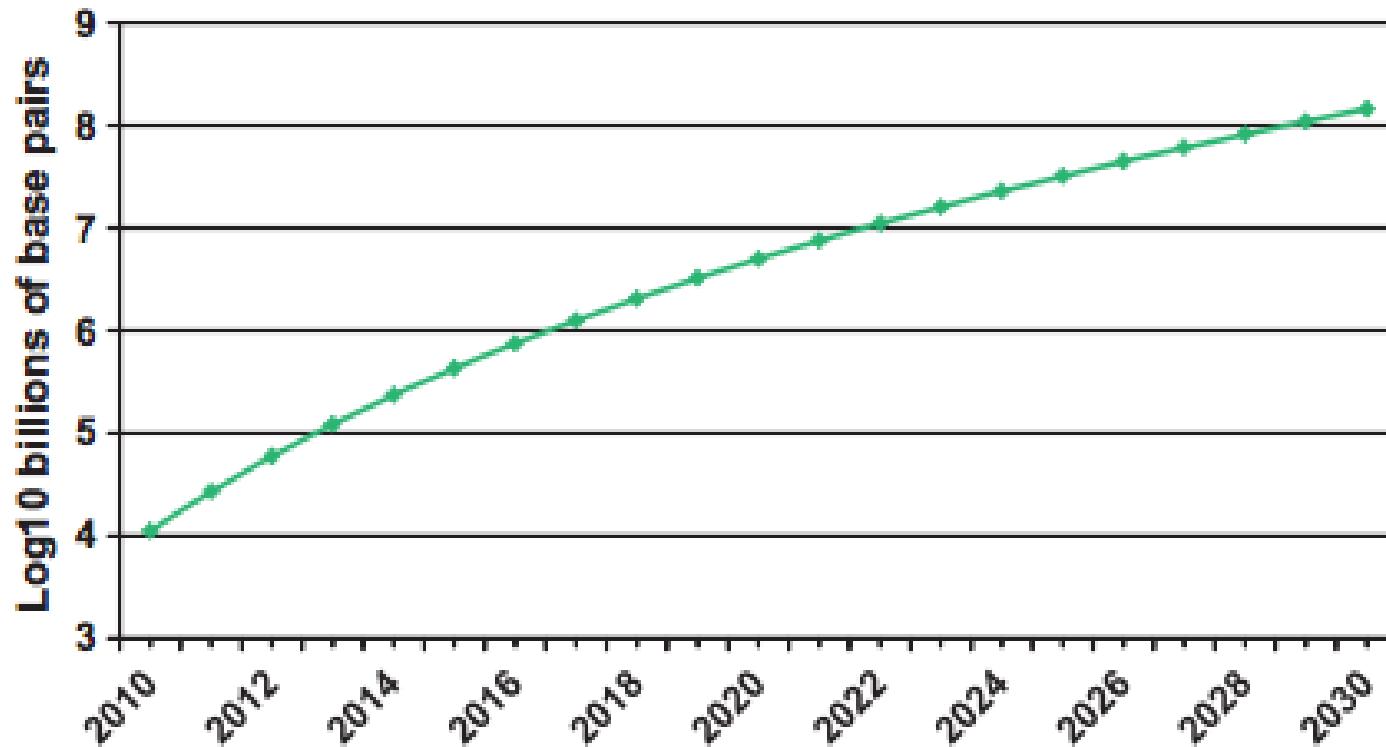


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[genome.gov/sequencingcosts](http://genome.gov/sequencingcosts)



# Growth of Sequencing Data



10<sup>6</sup> (Mb) -> 10<sup>9</sup> (Gb) -> 10<sup>12</sup> (Tb) -> 10<sup>15</sup> (Pb) -> 10<sup>18</sup> (Eb) ->  
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Grossman et al. (2011)

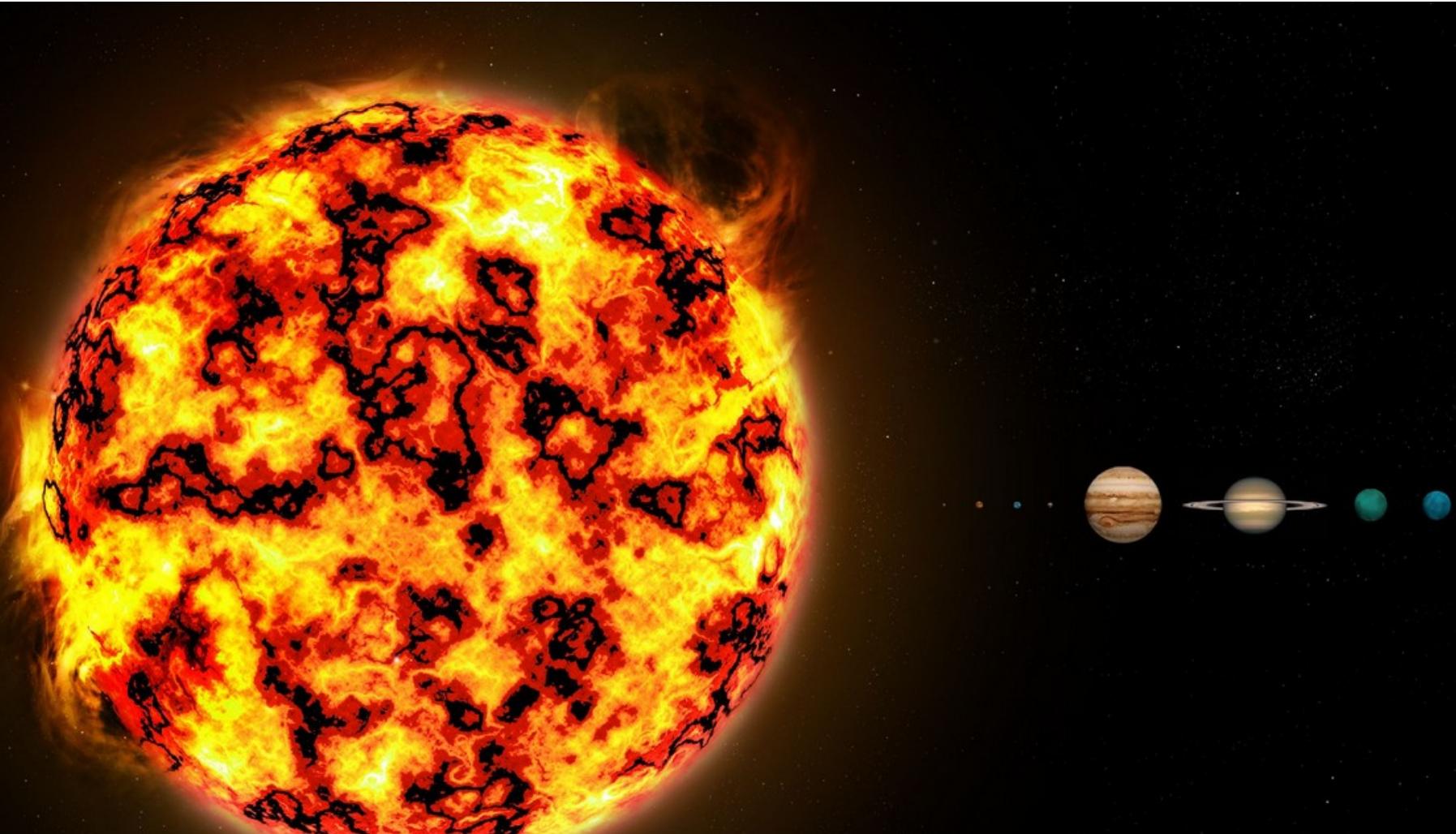
# Growth of Sequencing Data

- 1 Gigabyte: A pickup truck filled with paper OR A symphony in high-fidelity sound OR A movie at TV quality
- 10 Terabytes: The printed collection of the US Library of Congress
- 2 Petabytes: All US academic research libraries
- 5 Exabytes: All words ever spoken by human beings.
- 2.7 Zettabytes: the total amount of global data in 2012 (IDC).

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-> 10<sup>21</sup> (Zb)

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# BioComputing Growth - NGS



# **Evolution of HPC**

**From Local to Global**

# “Local” BioComputing



# Early Grid BioComputing





# HiPerGator

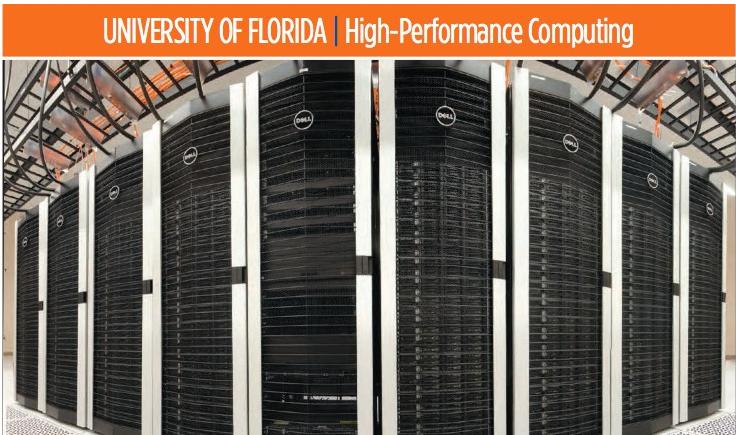
*The University of Florida Supercomputer for Research*

# Contemporary Cluster Specs

- ▶ Storage and Networking:
  - 2Pb - Lustre parallel file system
  - 100Gbit networking, Infiniband Fabric
- ▶ Computing nodes:
  - 64 x 2.4GHz AMD Abu Dhabi cores
  - 254gb of usable memory
  - 1TB of local storage
- ▶ Big memory nodes:
  - 512Gb and 1TB memory with 48-80 cores
- ▶ GPU nodes:
  - Tesla, Fermi, Kepler GPU classes

# HPC Considerations

- ▶ Scale



**HiPerGator**

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# HPC Considerations

- ▶ Computational capacity vs. power and cooling



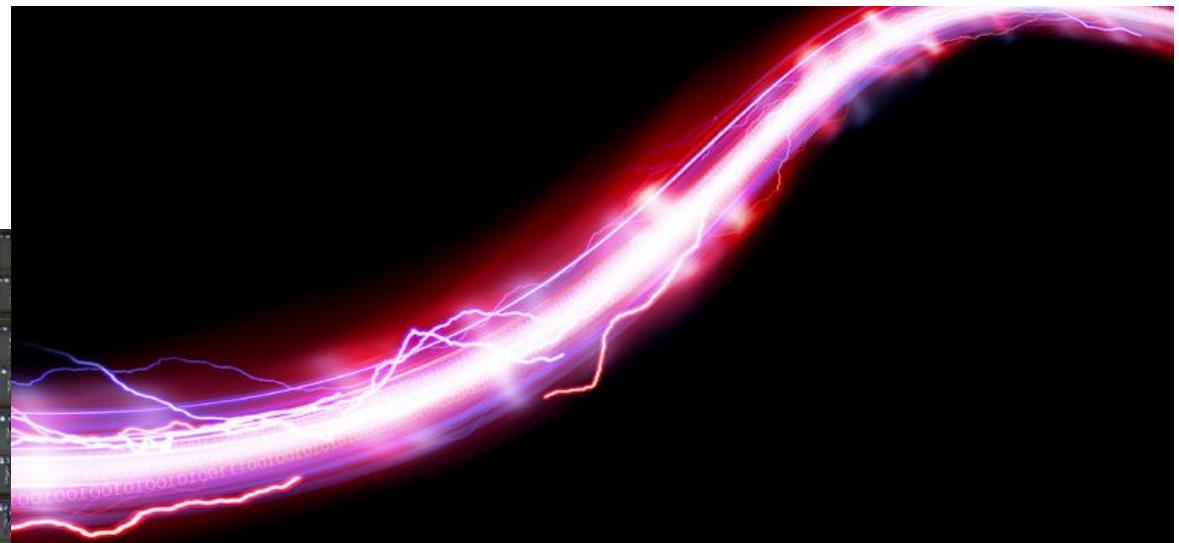
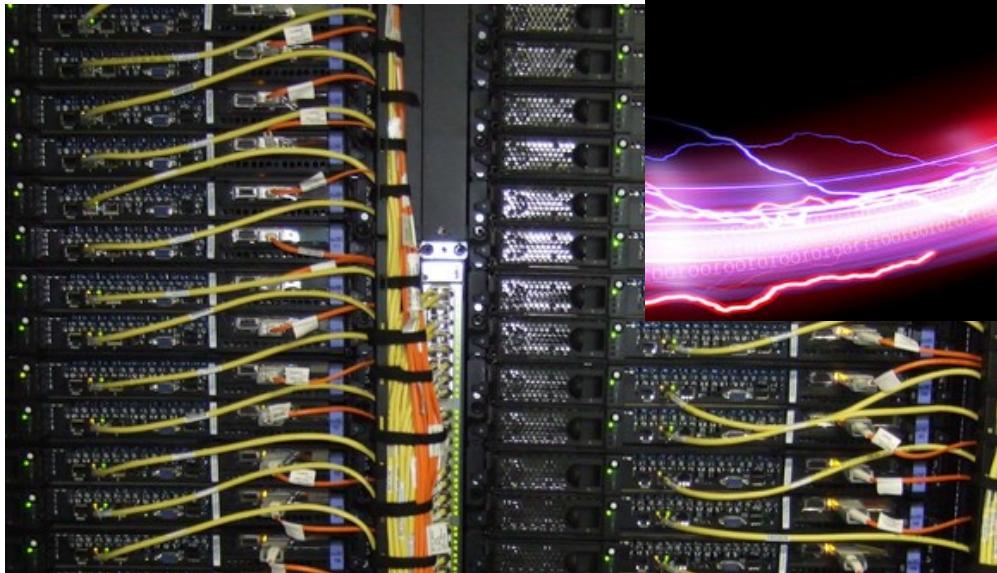
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- ▶ UF Data Center on Eastside Campus
  - 10,000 sq.ft and 1.75 MW total
  - 5,000 sq. ft. space for Research Computing



# HPC Considerations

- ▶ Interconnects
- ▶ Networking

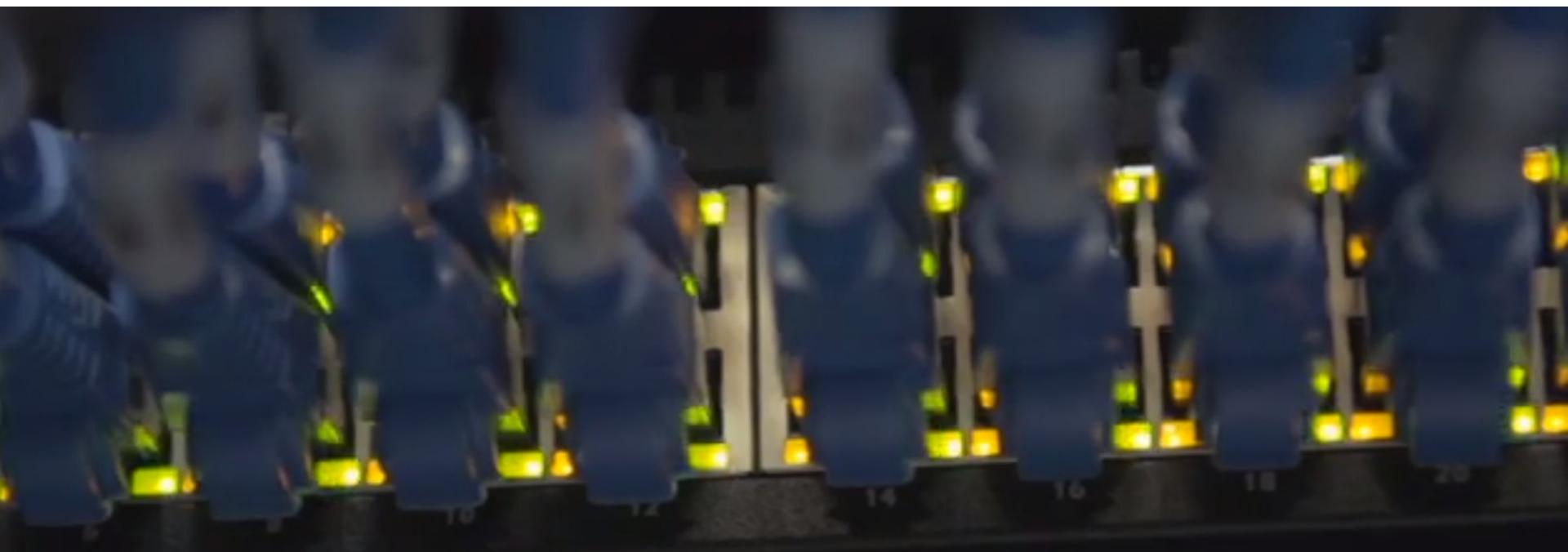




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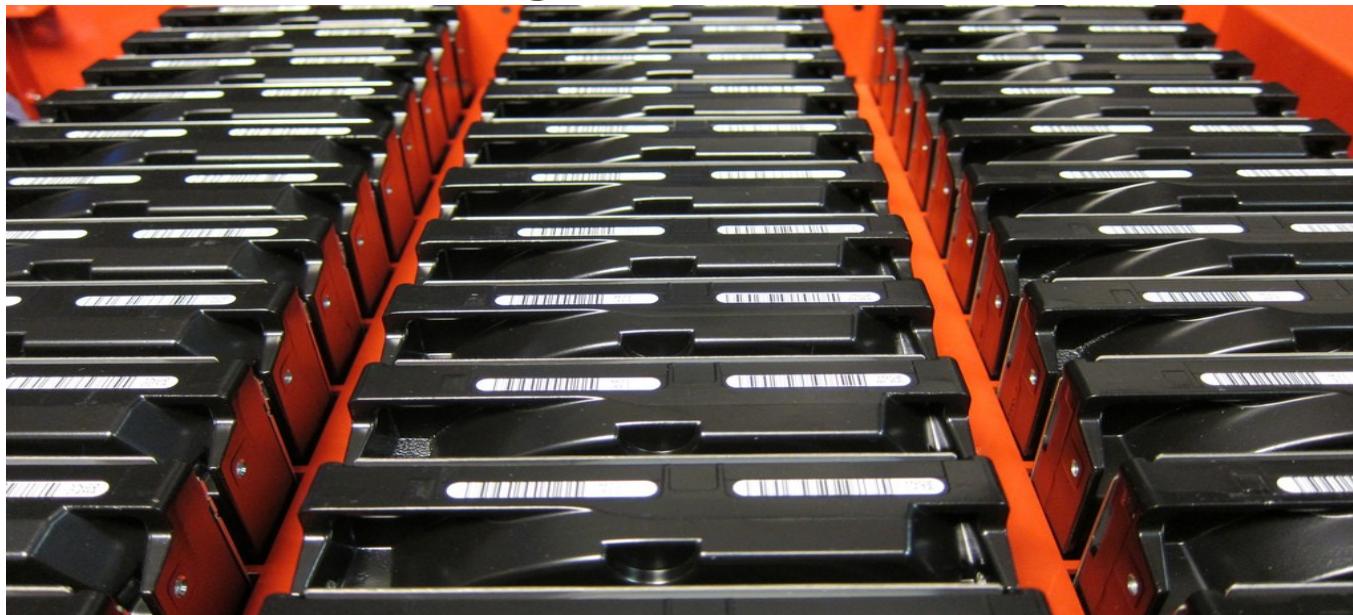
- ▶ Internet2 Innovation Platform

- 100 Gpbs connectivity
- Campus Research Network now 200 Gbps



# HPC Considerations

- ▶ Storage
- ▶ Parallel file systems
- ▶ High I/O storage
- ▶ Distributed storage



# **Scaling the HPC**

**The power of many**

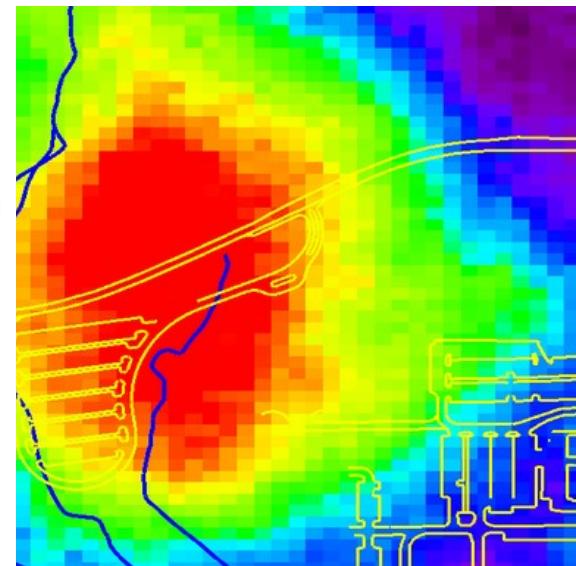
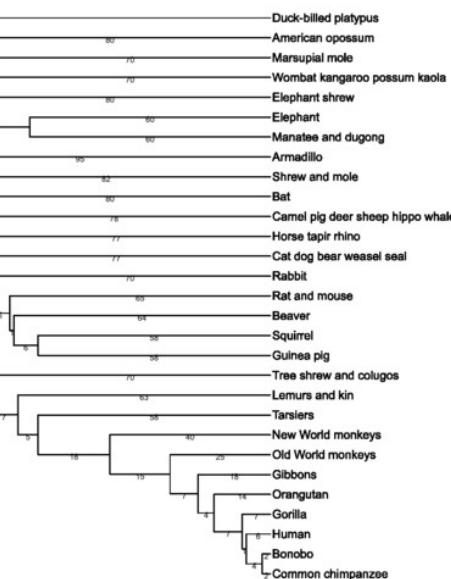
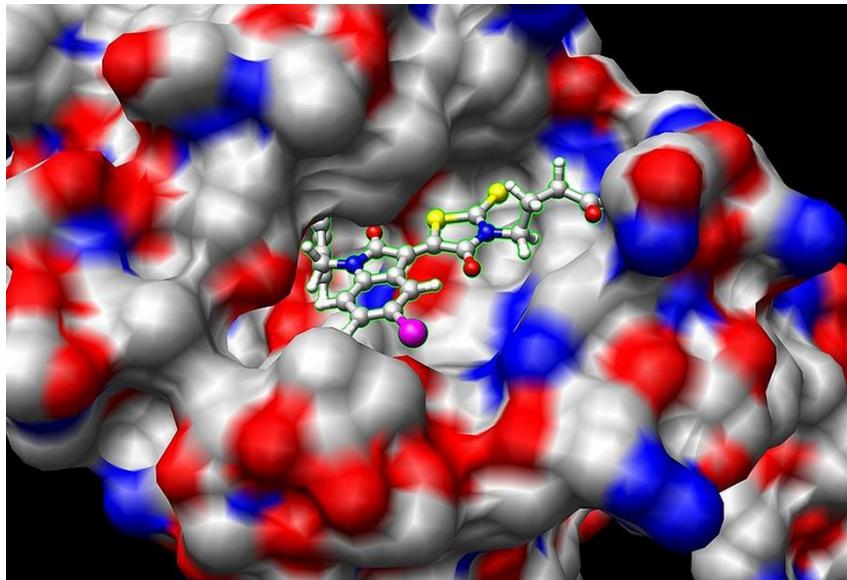


# HiPerGator

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# Computational Power

- Modeling, phylogenetics, simulations



# Traditional Computation

- *De-novo* genome assembly
- Short-read mapping
- RNA-Seq
- BS-Seq
- CHIP-Seq
- SNP calling
- Pathway analysis
- ...
- Why? Poor parallelization

# **Circumventing the Moore's Law**

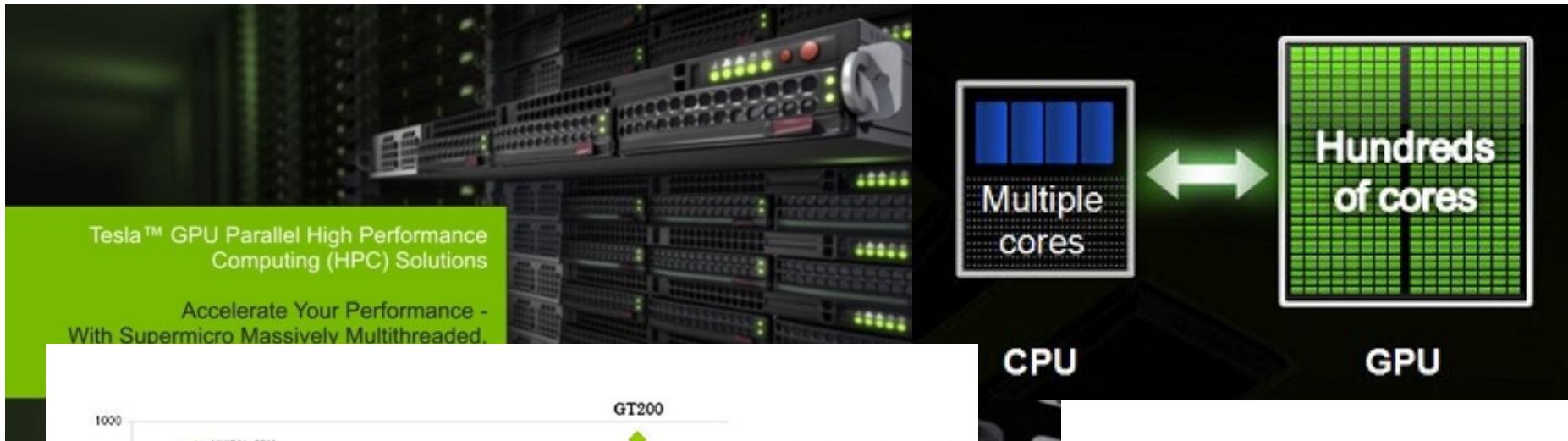
**Divide and conquer**

# Traditional Parallel Computing

- Split analyses manually, run separately
- Multi-core (SMP) analyses with enabled software
- Multi-node (MPI) analyses with specially constructed software

# GPU Computing

- Highly Parallelizable

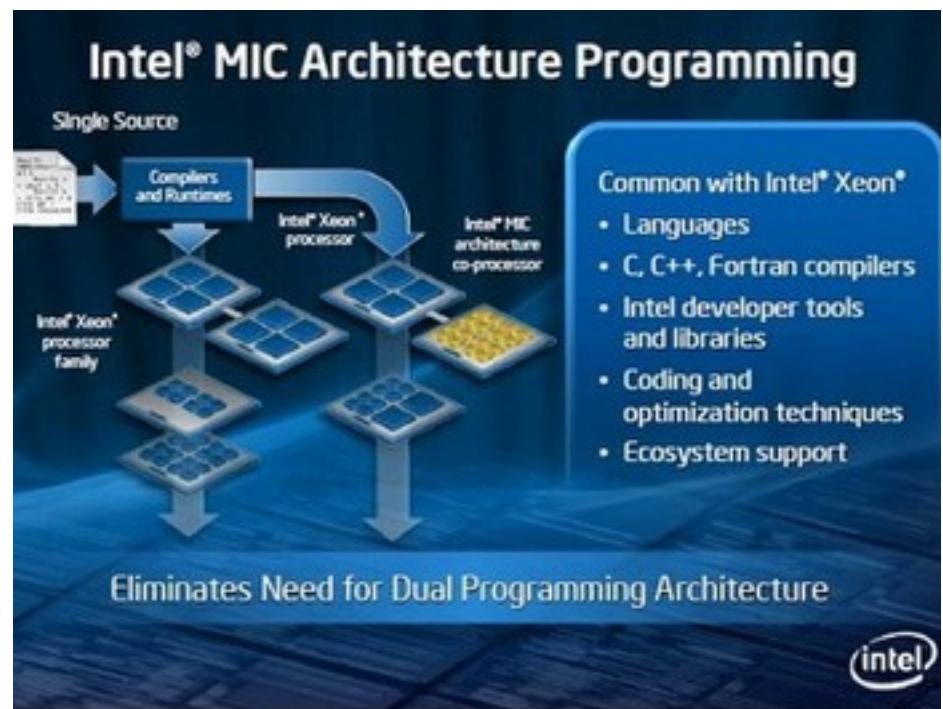


Need the code!

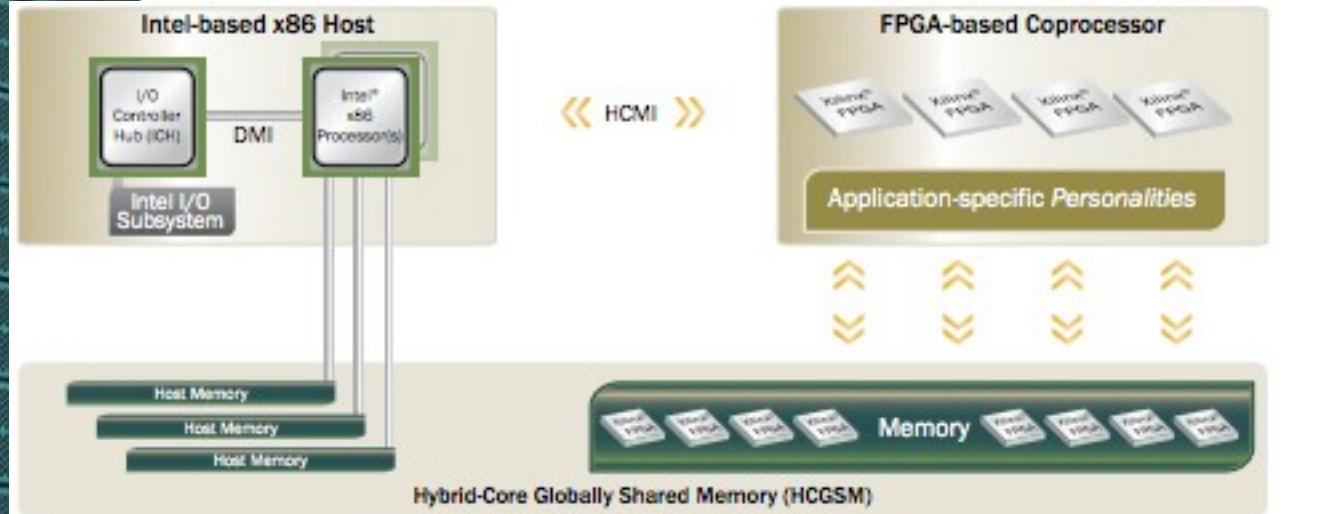
CUDA

# MIC Computing

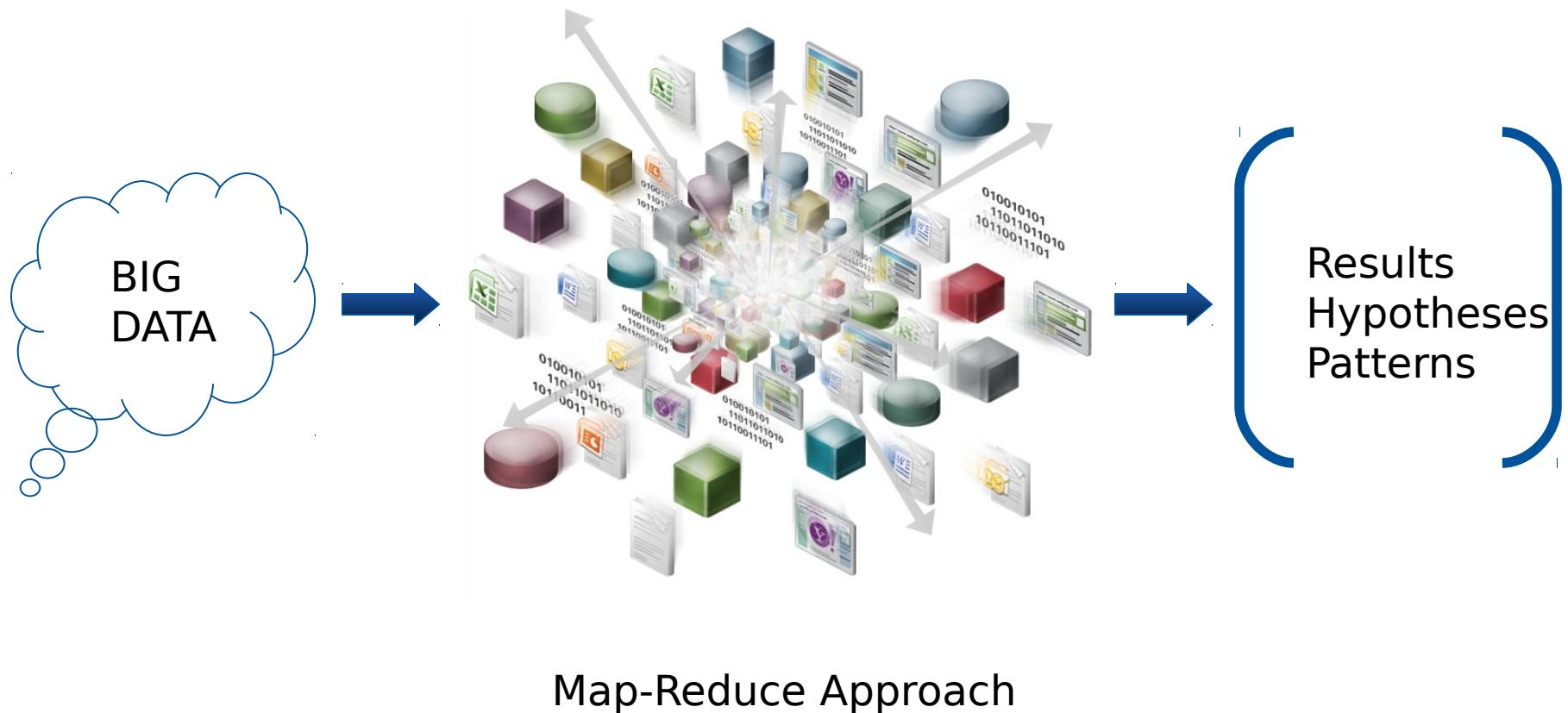
- Highly Parallelizable
- Standard x86 cores
- No need for learning a different programming paradigm ???



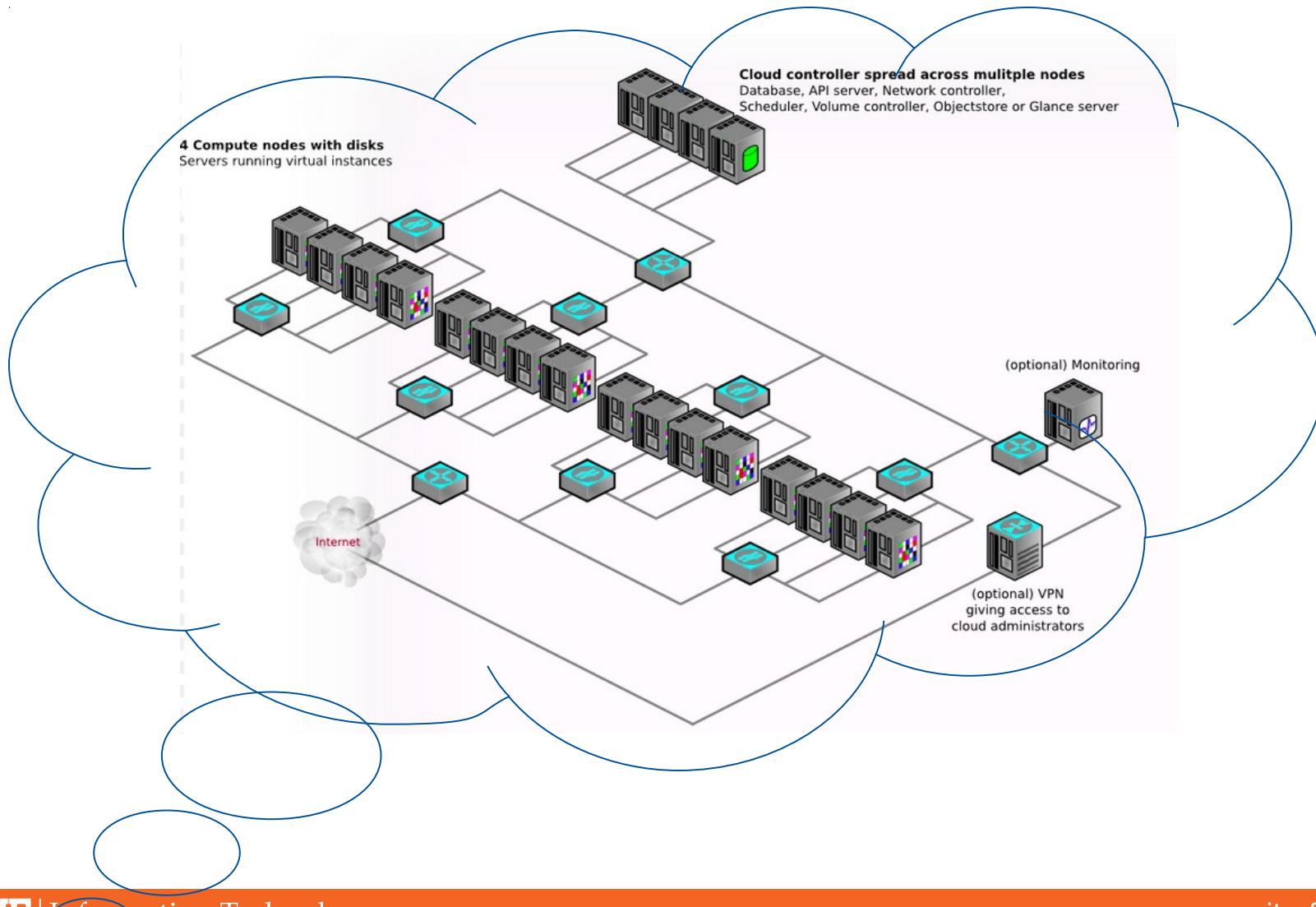
# Specialized Processing



# Distributed Computation (Hadoop)



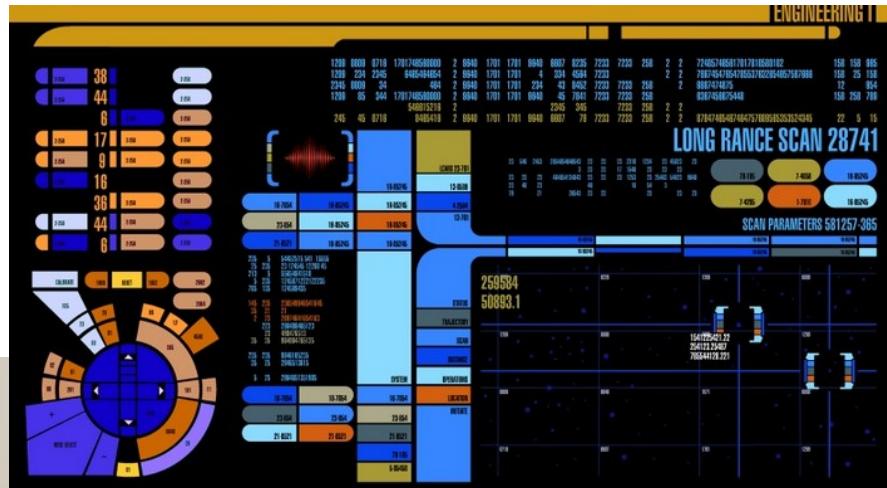
# Biocomputing Cloud 9 ???



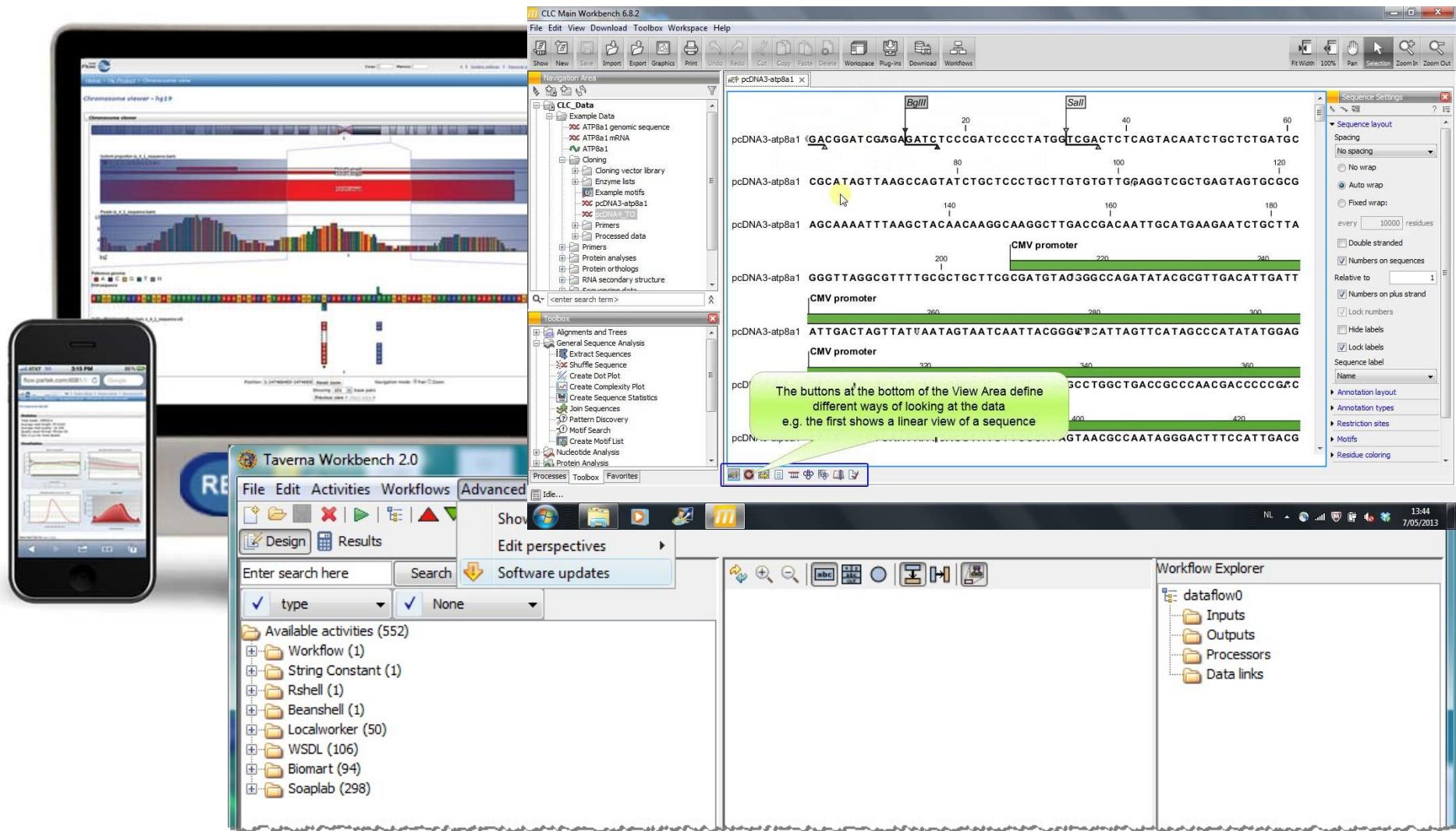
# Interfaces

**Interfaces, Interfaces, Interfaces!!!**

# What the Future May Bring



# Graphical User Interfaces



# Graphical User Interfaces

- ▶ Proprietary applications
  - Graphical User Interface
  - Integrate multiple tools, pipelines
  - User friendly-wizards for analyses
  - Many can tie into servers or clusters
  - Often highly optimized
  - Expensive
  - Limited flexibility
  - Limited scalability
  - Proprietary algorithms



# Web Interfaces

► Click to edit Master text styles

The screenshot shows a web-based application interface with a navigation bar at the top. The main content area displays a hierarchical tree structure. The first level consists of several items, one of which is highlighted with a yellow background. The second level contains sub-items under the highlighted item. The third level further divides the second-level items. The fourth level provides more detail for the third-level items. The fifth level is shown as a single item under the fourth-level item. The interface includes various input fields and dropdown menus, such as 'Treatment file:', 'Input file:', 'Format:', 'Effective Genome Size:', 'Tag size (Optional):', and 'P-Value:'.

- Second level
- Third level
- Fourth level
- Fifth level

The screenshot shows the GENOME SPACE BETA platform. At the top, there is a logo for 'GENOME SPACE' with the word 'BETA' in blue. Below the logo, there is a horizontal menu bar with icons for 'File', 'Launch', 'View', 'Manage', and 'Help'. The main content area features a grid of five tool icons: Galaxy, IGV, Cistrome, Cytoscape, and geWorkbench. Each icon has a downward arrow next to it, suggesting they are dropdown menus or links to more detailed pages.

# Web Interfaces

## ► Galaxy

- Free, Open Source
- Public or private instance, physical or cloud-based
- Web interface
- Most applications can be integrated
- User made pipelines
- Moderately scalable
- Integrating applications time consuming
- User made pipelines—where to start? reliability?



# Batch Processing

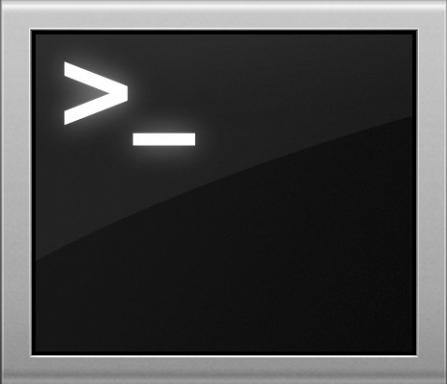
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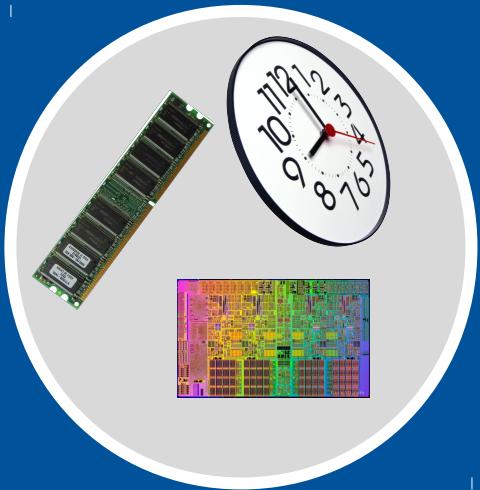
# Batch Processing

User interaction



Login node  
(Head node)

Scheduler

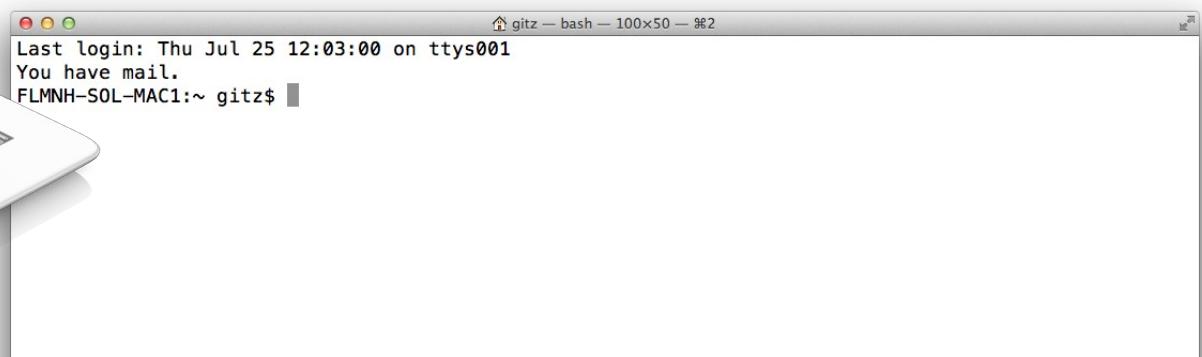
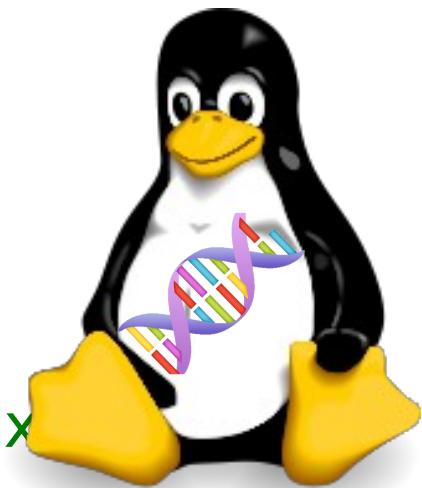


Tell the scheduler what you want to do



# Batch Processing

- ▶ The Linux Command Line
  - Maximum flexibility
  - Most informatics tools run under Linux
  - Write your own tool, or script
  - Maximum scalability
  - Learning barrier of entry



# Batch processing

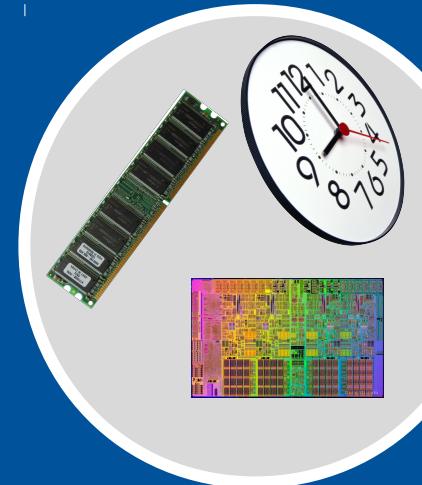
## ► Submission Script

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#!/bin/bash
#PBS -N My_Job_Name
#PBS -M Joe_Shmoe@ufl.edu
#PBS -m abe
#PBS -o My_Job.log
#PBS -e My_Job.err
#PBS -l nodes=1:ppn=1
#PBS -l walltime=00:05:00
#PBS -l pmem=900mb

cd $PBS_O_WORKDIR
date
module load test_app
test_app -i file.txt
```



## Scheduler



Tell the scheduler what you want to do

# Accessing software via environment modules

- ▶ module load trinity
- ▶ Automatically:
  - Sets, \$HPC\_TRINITY\_DIR
    - To run Inchworm, simply type  
inchworm --reads reads.fa --run\_inchworm [opts]
  - Loads Bowtie and Allpaths, two Trinity dependencies
    - You don't need to hunt those down, or worry if they are in your path or not

# It's all in the software!

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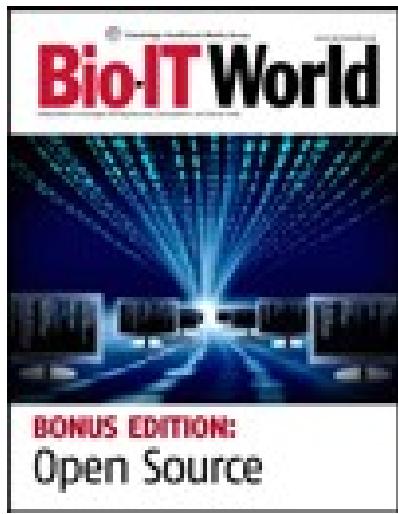
- Fifth level



# Galaxy: Data intensive biology for everyone

- ▶ Accessible, reproducible, transparent computational biology
- ▶ [galaxy.hpc.ufl.edu](http://galaxy.hpc.ufl.edu)
  - Local instance of Galaxy
    - Faster access to storage, easier upload
    - Local compute resources
    - Local control

# What is Galaxy?



## Galaxy Provides Life Support for NGS Exploration

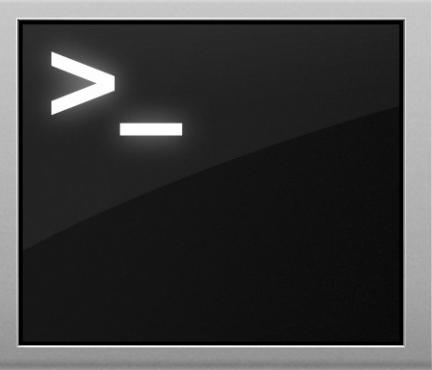
A screenshot of the Galaxy web interface. The title bar says "Galaxy / UF HPC". The main area shows a BLASTN search results page. The query is "gi|344217682|dbj|AB665999.1| Dendropanax trifidus rbcL gene for ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial cds". The database is "All GenBank+RMBL+DBJ+PDB sequences (but no EST, STS, GSS, environmental samples or phase 0, 1 or 2 SSTS sequences) 14,487,257 sequences; 37,277,922,113 total letters". The results list several hits, including entries from UFGC Grad Demo, megablast on db, and various blastn and RBL blastn runs. The bottom of the interface shows a "History" panel with multiple items listed.



powered by  
 Galaxy

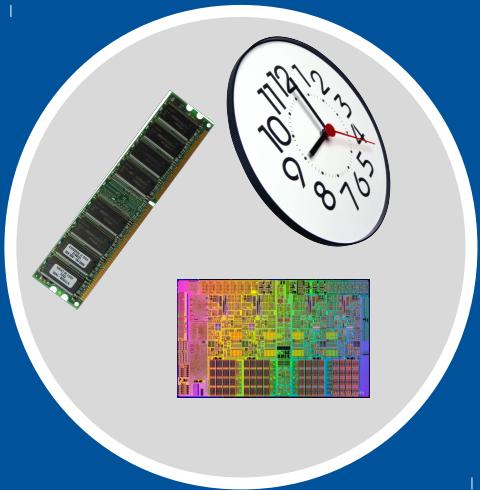
# Cluster basics

User interaction



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Scheduler



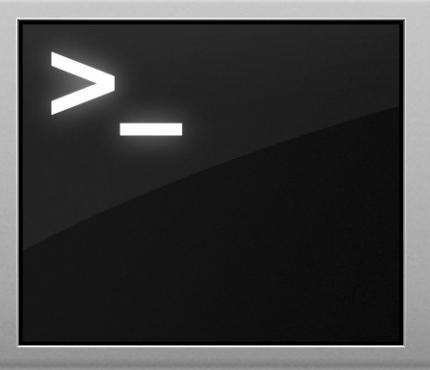
Tell the scheduler what you want to do





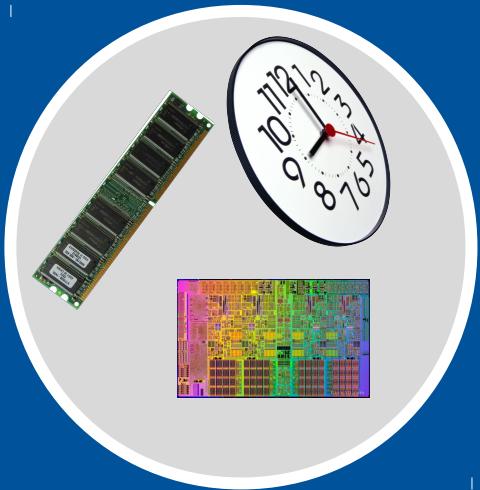
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# Pond et al. 2009, *Genome Research*

Resource

## Windshield splatter analysis with the Galaxy metagenomic pipeline

Sergei Kosakovsky Pond,<sup>1,2,6,9</sup> Samir Wadhawan,<sup>3,6,7</sup> Francesca Chiaromonte,<sup>4</sup> Guruprasad Ananda,<sup>1,3</sup> Wen-Yu Chung,<sup>1,3,8</sup> James Taylor,<sup>1,5,9</sup> Anton Nekrutenko,<sup>1,3,9</sup> and The Galaxy Team<sup>1</sup>

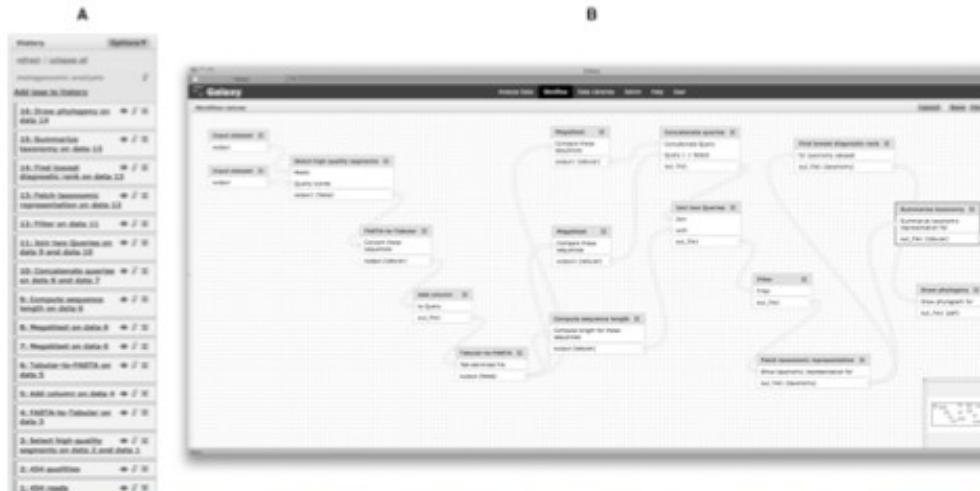


Figure 3. (A) Galaxy history pane showing all steps of a metagenomic analysis described in the study. (B) Workflow representation of analysis. Using workflow functionality, the user can re-run analyses in their entirety.

# Galaxy demo

**http://galaxy.hpc.ufl.e  
du**

HPC Center Login

User Name: magitz

Password: .....

[Request an account](#)

[Forgot my password](#)

## Tools

 (x)[Get Data](#)[Send Data](#)[ENCODE Tools](#)[Lift-Over](#)[Text Manipulation](#)[Filter and Sort](#)[CisGenome](#)[Join, Subtract and Group](#)[Convert Formats](#)[Extract Features](#)[Fetch Sequences](#)[Fetch Alignments](#)[Get Genomic Scores](#)[Operate on Genomic Intervals](#)[Statistics](#)[Wavelet Analysis](#)[Graph/Display Data](#)[Regional Variation](#)[Multiple regression](#)[Multivariate Analysis](#)[Evolution](#)[Phylogenetics](#)[Motif Tools](#)[Multiple Alignments](#)[Metagenomic analyses](#)[NCBI BLAST+](#)[FASTA manipulation](#)[NGS: QC and manipulation](#)[NGS: Assembly](#)[NGS: Picard \(beta\)](#)[NGS: Mapping](#)**Galaxy Documentation:**

- [UF HPC Galaxy documentation in the HPC Wiki.](#)
- [Large dataset import procedure.](#)
- [Tool PBS resource request reference table.](#)
- [Log of UF Galaxy changes, fixes and upgrades.](#)
- [Known Galaxy problems.](#)

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## History



## Unnamed history

0 bytes



**i** Your history is empty. Click 'Get Data' on the left pane to start

## Data Library “Training datasets”

Name	Message	Data type
dna.phy ▾	None	txt
filtered.100K.fastq ▾	None	fastq
Trip_B.qual ▾		qual454
Trip_B.fasta ▾		fasta
wine_yeast.100K.fq ▾		fastq

For selected datasets: [Import to current history](#) [Go](#)

## Tools

search tools



This dataset is large and only the first megabyte is shown below.

[Show all](#) | [Save](#)

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## History

## Unnamed history

3.4 MB



2: Trip\_B.fasta



1: Trip\_B.qual



## Tools

reads

- [FASTQ Summary Statistics by column](#)

ROCHE-454 DATA

- [Build base quality distribution](#)
- [Select high quality segments](#)
- [Combine FASTA and QUAL into FASTQ](#)

AB-SOLID DATA

- [Convert SOLiD output to fastq](#)
- [Compute quality statistics for SOLiD data](#)
- [Draw quality score boxplot for SOLiD data](#)

GENERIC FASTQ MANIPULATION

- [Filter FASTQ reads by quality score and length](#)
- [FASTQ Trimmer by column](#)
- [FASTQ Quality Trimmer by sliding window](#)
- [FASTQ Masker by quality score](#)

## Select high quality segments (version 1.0.0)

## Reads:

2: Trip\_B.fasta

## Quality scores:

1: Trip\_B.qual

## Minimal quality score:

20

bases scoring below this value will trigger splitting

## Minimal length of contiguous segment:

50

report all high quality segments above this length. Setting this option to '0' will cause the program to return a single longest run of high quality bases per read

## Select technology:

Roche (454) or ABI SOLiD

## Low quality bases in homopolymers:

DO NOT trigger splitting

if set to 'DO NOT trigger splitting' the program will not count low quality bases that are within or adjacent to homonucleotide runs. This will significantly reduce fragmentation of 454 data

Execute

 To use this tool, your dataset needs to be in the *Quality Score* format. Click the pencil icon next to your dataset

## History



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## 2: Trip\_B.fasta



## 1: Trip\_B.qual



## Tools

- [Tabular to FASTQ converter](#)
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## Rename sequences (version 0.0.11)

FASTQ/A Library to rename:

3: Select high qual.. and data 2

Rename sequence identifiers to:

Numeric Counter

**Execute****What it does**

This tool renames the sequence identifiers in a FASTQ/A file.

**i** Use this tool at the beginning of your workflow, as a way to keep the original sequence (before trimming, clipping, barcode-removal, etc).

**Example**

The following Solexa-FASTQ file:

```
@CSHL_4_FC042GAMMIIT_2_1_517_596
GGTCAATGATGAGTTGGCACTGTAGGCACCATCAAT
+CSHL_4_FC042GAMMIIT_2_1_517_596
40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 38 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 36 40 13 14 24 24 9 24 9 40 10
```

Renamed to nucleotides sequence:

```
@GGTCAATGATGAGTTGGCACTGTAGGCACCATCAAT
GGTCAATGATGAGTTGGCACTGTAGGCACCATCAAT
+GGTCAATGATGAGTTGGCACTGTAGGCACCATCAAT
40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 38 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 36 40 13 14 24 24 9 24 9 40 10
```

Renamed to numeric counter:

```
@1
```

## History

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**3: Select high quality segments on data 1 and data 2**

**2: Trip\_B.fasta**

**1: Trip\_B.qual**

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- [BLAST XML to tabular](#) Convert BLAST XML output to tabular

## NCBI BLAST+ blastn (version 0.0.12)

Nucleotide query sequence(s):

4: Rename sequences on data 3

Subject database/sequences:

BLAST Database

Nucleotide BLAST database:

NCBI NT (Dec 2012)

Type of BLAST:

 megablast blastn blastn-short dc-megablast

Set expectation value cutoff:

0.001

Output format:

Tabular (standard 12 columns)

Advanced Options:

Hide Advanced Options

**Execute**

**⚠ Note.** Database searches may take a substantial amount of time. For large input datasets it is advisable to allow overnight processing.

**What it does**

Search a *nucleotide database* using a *nucleotide query*, using the NCBI BLAST+ blastn command line tool. Algorithms include blastn, megablast, and discontiguous megablast.

**Output format**

Because Galaxy focuses on processing tabular data, the default output of this tool is tabular. The standard BLAST+ tabular output contains 12 columns:

Column	NCBI name	Description
1	lseqid	Query Seq-id (ID of your sequence)

## History

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3: Select high quality segments on data 1 and data 2



2: Trip B.fasta



1: Trip B.qual



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## Compute sequence length (version 1.0.0)

## Compute length for these sequences:

4: Rename sequences on data 3 ▾

## How many title characters to keep?:

'0' = keep the whole thing

**Execute**

## What it does

This tool counts the length of each fasta sequence in the file. The output file has two columns per line (separated by tab): fasta titles and lengths of the sequences. The option *How many characters to keep?* allows to select a specified number of letters from the beginning of each FASTA entry.

## Example

Suppose you have the following FASTA formatted sequences from a Roche (454) FLX sequencing run:

```
>EYKX4VC02EQL05 length=108 xy=1826_0455 region=2 run=R_2007_11_07_16_15_57_
TCCGGCGCGAGCATGCCATCTTGATTCCGGCGCGATGACCATGCCCGCTCCACCACG
TTCGGCGGGCCCTCTCGTCGAGGAATGACACCAGCGCTTCGGCCACG
>EYKX4VC02D4GS2 length=60 xy=1573_3972 region=2 run=R_2007_11_07_16_15_57_
ATAAAAACTAAATCAGCAAAGACTGGCAAATACTCACAGGCTTATAACAATAACAAATGTAAfa
```

Running this tool while setting *How many characters to keep?* to 14 will produce this:

```
EYKX4VC02EQL05 108
EYKX4VC02D4GS2 60
```

## History



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## 5: megablast on db



## 4: Rename sequences on data 3



## 3: Select high quality segments on data 1 and data 2



## 2: Trip\_B.fasta



## 1: Trip\_B.qual



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## Join two Datasets (version 2.0.2)

## Join:

6: Compute sequence ..h on data 4

## using column:

c1

## with:

5: megablast on db

## and column:

c1

## Keep lines of first input that do not join with second input:

No

## Keep lines of first input that are incomplete:

No

## Fill empty columns:

No

**Execute**

**⚠** This tool will attempt to reuse the metadata from your first input. To change metadata assignments click on the "edit attributes" link of the history item generated by this tool.

**ℹ** TIP: If your data is not TAB delimited, use *Text Manipulation->Convert*

## Syntax

This tool joins lines of two datasets on a common field. An empty string ("") is not a valid identifier. You may choose to include lines of your first input that do not join with your second input.

Columns are referenced with a **number**. For example, 3 refers to the 3rd column of a tab-delimited file.

## History



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[6: Compute sequence length](#)

5,654 lines

format: tabular, database: ?

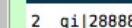


1	2
1	84
2	78
3	55
4	85
5	117
6	57

[5: megablast on db](#)

18,638 lines

format: tabular, database: ?



1	2	3
2	gi 288887617 gb CP001891.1	96.25
2	gi 206564770 gb CP000964.1	96.25
10	gi 220939440 emb FP017181.6	100.00
10	gi 74136715 gb AC132854.8	100.00
10	gi 66841675 gb AC140489.2	100.00
10	gi 48374116 emb BX629345.5	100.00

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data 3

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## Filter (version 1.1.0)

## Filter:

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Dataset missing? See TIP below.

## With following condition:

c6/c2&gt;0.5

Double equal signs, ==, must be used as shown above. To filter for an arbitrary string, use the Select tool.

## Number of header lines to skip:

0

Execute

**⚠** Double equal signs, ==, must be used as "equal to" (e.g., c1 == 'chr22')

**ℹ** TIP: Attempting to apply a filtering condition may throw exceptions if the data type (e.g., string, integer) in every line of the columns being filtered is not appropriate for the condition (e.g., attempting certain numerical calculations on strings). If an exception is thrown when applying the condition to a line, that line is skipped as invalid for the filter condition. The number of invalid skipped lines is documented in the resulting history item as a "Condition/data issue".

**ℹ** TIP: If your data is not TAB delimited, use *Text Manipulation->Convert*

## Syntax

The filter tool allows you to restrict the dataset using simple conditional statements.

Columns are referenced with **c** and a **number**. For example, **c1** refers to the first column of a tab-delimited file. Make sure that multi-character operators contain no white space ( e.g., <= is valid while < = is not valid )

When using 'equal-to' operator **double equal sign '==' must be used** ( e.g., **c1=='chr1'** )

Non-numerical values must be included in single or double quotes ( e.g., **c6=='+'** )

Filtering condition can include logical operators, but make sure operators are all lower case ( e.g., **(c1!='chrX' and c1!= 'chrY') or not c6=='+'** )

## Example

**c1=='chr1'** selects lines in which the first column is chr1

**c3-c2<100\*c4** selects lines where subtracting column 3 from column 2 is less than the value of column 4 times 100

**len(c2.split(',')) < 4** will select lines where the second column has less than four comma separated elements

**c2>=1** selects lines in which the value of column 2 is greater than or equal to 1

Numbers should not contain commas - **c2<=44,554,350** will not work, but **c2<=44554350** will

Some words in the data can be used, but must be single or double quoted ( e.g., **c3=='exon'** )

## History

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7: Join two Datasets on data 5 and data 6

18,638 lines  
format: tabular, database: ?

1 2 3 4

2 78 2 gi|288887617|gb|CP001891.1|  
2 78 2 gi|206564770|gb|CP000964.1|  
10 167 10 gi|220939440|emb|FP017181.6|  
10 167 10 gi|74136715|gb|AC132854.8|  
10 167 10 gi|66841675|gb|AC140489.2|  
10 167 10 gi|48374116|emb|BX629345.5|

6: Compute sequence length on data 4

5: megablast on db

4: Rename sequences on data 3

3: Select high quality segments on data 1 and data 2

2: Trip B.fasta

1: Trip B.qual

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**Convert (version 1.0.0)**

**Convert all:** Pipes

**in Dataset:** 8: Filter on data 7

**Execute**

**What it does**

Converts all delimiters of a specified type into TABs. Consecutive characters are condensed. For example, if columns are separated by 5 spaces they will converted into 1 tab.

**Example**

**Input file:**

```
chrX|151283558|151283724|NM_000808_exon_8_0_chrX_151283559_r|0|-  
chrX|151370273|151370486|NM_000808_exon_9_0_chrX_151370274_r|0|-  
chrX|151559494|151559583|NM_018558_exon_1_0_chrX_151559495_f|0|+  
chrX|151564643|151564711|NM_018558_exon_2_0_chrX_151564644_f|||||0|+
```

Converting all pipe delimiters of the above file to TABs will get:

```
chrX 151283558 151283724 NM_000808_exon_8_0_chrX_151283559_r 0 -  
chrX 151370273 151370486 NM_000808_exon_9_0_chrX_151370274_r 0 -  
chrX 151559494 151559583 NM_018558_exon_1_0_chrX_151559495_f 0 +  
chrX 151564643 151564711 NM_018558_exon_2_0_chrX_151564644_f 0 +
```

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16,877 lines  
format: tabular, database: ?  
Filtering with c6/c2>0.5, kept 90.55% of 18638 valid lines (18638 total lines).

1 2 3 4

```
2 78 2 gi|288887617|gb|CP001891.1| 9  
2 78 2 gi|206564770|gb|CP000964.1| 8  
14 68 14 gi|386794017|gb|CP001925.1| 8  
14 68 14 gi|383101383|gb|CP002291.1| 8  
14 68 14 gi|374356928|gb|CP003109.1| 8  
14 68 14 gi|349736152|gb|CP003034.1| 8
```

7: Join two Datasets on data 5 and data 6  
18,638 lines  
format: tabular, database: ?

1 2 3 4

```
2 78 2 gi|288887617|gb|CP001891.1|  
2 78 2 gi|206564770|gb|CP000964.1|  
10 167 10 gi|220939440|emb|FP017181.6|  
10 167 10 gi|174136715|emb|FP013705.6|
```

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## Fetch taxonomic representation (version 1.1.0)

Show taxonomic representation for:

9: Convert on data 8

GIs column:

5

select column containing GI numbers

Name column:

1

select column containing identifiers you want to include into output

**Execute**

**i** Use *Filter and Sort->Filter* to restrict output of this tool to desired taxonomic ranks. You can also use *Text Manipulation->Cut* to remove unwanted columns from the output.

**What it does**

Fetches taxonomic information for a list of GI numbers (sequences identifiers used by the National Center for Biotechnology Information <http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov>).

**Example**

Suppose you have BLAST output that looks like this:

queryId	targetGI	identity	alignmentLength	mismatches	gaps	score
IL_EYKX4VC01BXWX1_265	1430919	90.09	212	15	6	252.00

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## 9: Convert on data 8

16,877 lines

format: tabular, database: ?



1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

2 78 2 gi|288887617|gb|CP001891.1|

2 78 2 gi|206564770|gb|CP000964.1|

14 68 14 gi|386794017|gb|CP001925.1|

14 68 14 gi|383101383|gb|CP002291.1|

14 68 14 gi|374356928|gb|CP003109.1|

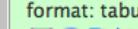
14 68 14 gi|349736152|gb|CP003034.1|

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## 5: Join two Datasets on data 5 and data 6

18,638 lines

format: tabular, database: ?



1 2 3 4

2 78 2 gi|288887617|gb|CP001891.1|

2 78 2 gi|206564770|gb|CP000964.1|

10 167 10 oii|220939440|emb|FP017181.61|

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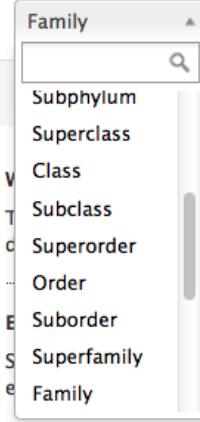
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## Find lowest diagnostic rank (version 1.0.1)

for taxonomy dataset:

10: Fetch taxonomic r..n on data 9 ▾

require the lowest rank to be at least:



The lowest taxonomic rank for which a metagenomic sequencing read is diagnostic. It takes *Fetch Taxonomic Ranks* tool (aka Taxonomy format) as the input.

For reads, **read\_1** and **read\_2**, with the following taxonomic profiles (scroll sideways to see the

```
read_1 1 root superkingdom1 kingdom1 subkingdom1 superphylum1 phylum1 subphylum1 superclass1 class1 order1 family1
read_1 2 root superkingdom1 kingdom1 subkingdom1 superphylum1 phylum1 subphylum1 superclass1 class1 order1 family1
read_2 3 root superkingdom1 kingdom1 subkingdom1 superphylum1 phylum3 subphylum3 superclass3 class3 order3 family3
read_2 4 root superkingdom1 kingdom1 subkingdom1 superphylum1 phylum4 subphylum4 superclass4 class4 order4 family4
```

For **read\_1** taxonomic labels are consistent until the genus level, where the taxonomy splits into two branches, one ending with *subspecies1* and the other with *subspecies2*. This implies that the lowest taxonomic rank **read\_1** can identify is SUBTRIBE. Similarly, **read\_2** is diagnostic up until the superphylum level. As a result the output of this tool will be:

```
read_1 2 root superkingdom1 kingdom1 subkingdom1 superphylum1 phylum1 subphylum1 superclass1 class1 order1 family1
read_2 3 root superkingdom1 kingdom1 subkingdom1 superphylum1 n n n n
```

where, **n** means *EMPTY*.

## What's up with the drop down?

Why do we need the *require the lowest rank to be at least* dropdown? Let's look at the above example again. Suppose you need to find only those reads that are diagnostic on at least phylum level. To do this you need to set the *require the lowest rank to be at least* to **phylum**. As a result your output will look like this:

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10: Fetch taxonomic representation on data 9  
16,877 lines  
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1 2 3 4 5 6 7  
2 78 2 gi|288887617|gb|CP001891.1  
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14 68 14 gi|386794017|gb|CP001925.1  
14 68 14 gi|383101383|gb|CP002291.1  
14 68 14 gi|374356928|gb|CP003109.1  
14 68 14 gi|349736152|gb|CP003034.1

8: Filter on data 7  
18,638 lines  
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## Draw phylogeny (version 1.0.0)

## Draw phylogram for:

11: Find lowest diagn.. on data 10

## show ranks from root to:

Family

Choosing to show entire tree may produce very large PDF file disabling your viewer

## select font size:

Normal

## maximum number of leaves:

0

set to 0 to show all

Execute

## What it does

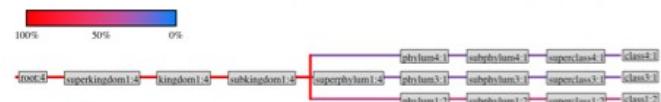
Given taxonomy representation (produced by *Taxonomy manipulation->Fetch Taxonomic Ranks* tool) this utility produces a graphical representations of phylogenetic tree in PDF format.

## Example 1: Fake data

Suppose you have the following dataset:

```
Species_1 1 root superkingdom1 kingdom1 subkingdom1 superphylum1 phylum1 subphylum1 superclass1
Species_2 2 root superkingdom1 kingdom1 subkingdom1 superphylum1 phylum1 subphylum1 superclass1
Species_3 3 root superkingdom1 kingdom1 subkingdom1 superphylum1 phylum3 subphylum3 superclass3
Species_4 4 root superkingdom1 kingdom1 subkingdom1 superphylum1 phylum4 subphylum4 superclass4
```

Drawing the tree with default parameters (without changing anything in the interface) will produce this tree:



(for explanation of colors and numbers on the tree scroll to the bottom of this help section)

Here *Class* rank represent terminal nodes (leaves) of the tree because it is the default setting of the "show ranks from root to" drop-down. Changing the drop-down to "Subspecies" will produce this:



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# Reference-based mapping

- ▶ Map NGS reads onto a reference genome
  - Identify SNPs
  - RNA-seq
  - ChIP-seq
  - Etc.



# Bowtie (*Langmead et al. 2009*)

- ▶ Pre-built reference genome index
  - Burrows-Wheeler transform
  - Index needs to be computed prior to mapping
    - Either build your own: bowtie-build
    - Or ask for index to be installed for you
- ▶ Important parameters
  - -v vs. -n
    - Two mapping modes

# Bowtie (Langmead et al. 2009)

- ▶ Mapping mode
  - -v: map reads that have less than  $v$  mismatches
    - Ignores quality scores
    - -v can be 0-3

Number of mismatches for SOAP-like alignment policy (-v):  
-1  
-1 for default MAQ-like alignment policy

Reference    ATGCGTAGTACGTCAACGTGTCACGTGACAGACAGT  
Read           CGAAGTACGACAACGGGTCAC

If number of mismatches  
 $\leq v$ , read maps

# Bowtie (Langmead et al. 2009)

- ▶ Mapping mode
  - -n: map using quality scores
    - -n: Mismatches in seed (0-3), ignores quality
    - -l: seed length (default 28bp)
    - -e: max quality score of mismatches across read (default 70)
      - Quality scores range from 0-40

Reference    ATGCGTAGTACGTCAACGTGTCACGTGACAGACAGT  
Read           CGAAGTACGACAACGGGTAC

Seed: -l 7  
      -n 1

If sum of quality scores on  
the mismatches is <=e,  
read maps here,  
otherwise not

# Bowtie (Langmead et al. 2009)

- ▶ Mapping mode
  - -n: map using quality scores
    - -n: Mismatches in seed (0-3), ignores quality
    - -l: seed length (default 28bp)
    - -e: max quality score of mismatches across read (default 70)

**Maximum number of mismatches permitted in the seed (-n):**

May be 0, 1, 2, or 3

**Maximum permitted total of quality values at mismatched read positions (-e):**

**Seed length (-l):**

Minimum value is 5

# Bowtie (Langmead et al. 2009)

- ▶ Dealing with multiple mappings
  - -k: report up to  $k$  good alignments per read (1)
  - -a: report all alignments for a read (slow!)
  - -m: don't report if more than  $m$  alignments exist
  - -M: like -m, but report 1 random alignment
  - --best: guarantees alignment is in best stratum
  - --strata: don't report suboptimal strata

# Bowtie (Langmead et al. 2009)

- ▶ Keeping unmapped/mapped reads
  - --un <filename> unmapped reads
  - --al <filename> mapped reads
  - Can be helpful for downstream analyses
- ▶ Use -S for SAM output
  - Most likely will process output using SAM anyway
- ▶ -p: Bowtie is threaded, can run using multiple cores on **one** node
  - E.g.: nodes=1:ppn=8

# Bowtie2 (Langmead & Salzberg 2012)

- ▶ Adds gapped read alignment (indels)
- ▶ Faster than Bowtie for reads longer than 50bp
- ▶ Supports local alignment
  - Can trim ends that don't map
- ▶ Can map reads over Ns in reference
- ▶ No colorspace option

# Bowtie2 (Langmead & Salzberg 2012)

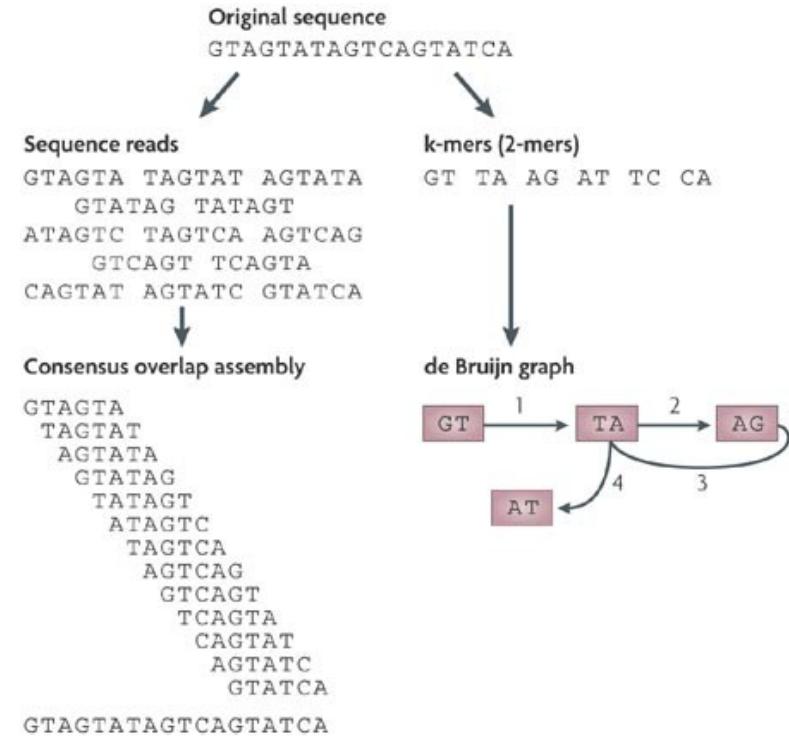
- ▶ Presets for both global and local
  - --very-fast(-local)
  - --fast(-local)
  - **--sensitive(-local) Defaults**
  - --very-sensitive(-local)

# Other mapping applications

- ▶ BWA
- ▶ Lastz
- ▶ Maq
  - Bowtie is generally faster
- ▶ Mosaik
  - Handles gapped alignments relative to reference
- ▶ PerM
- ▶ SRMA

# de Novo Assembly

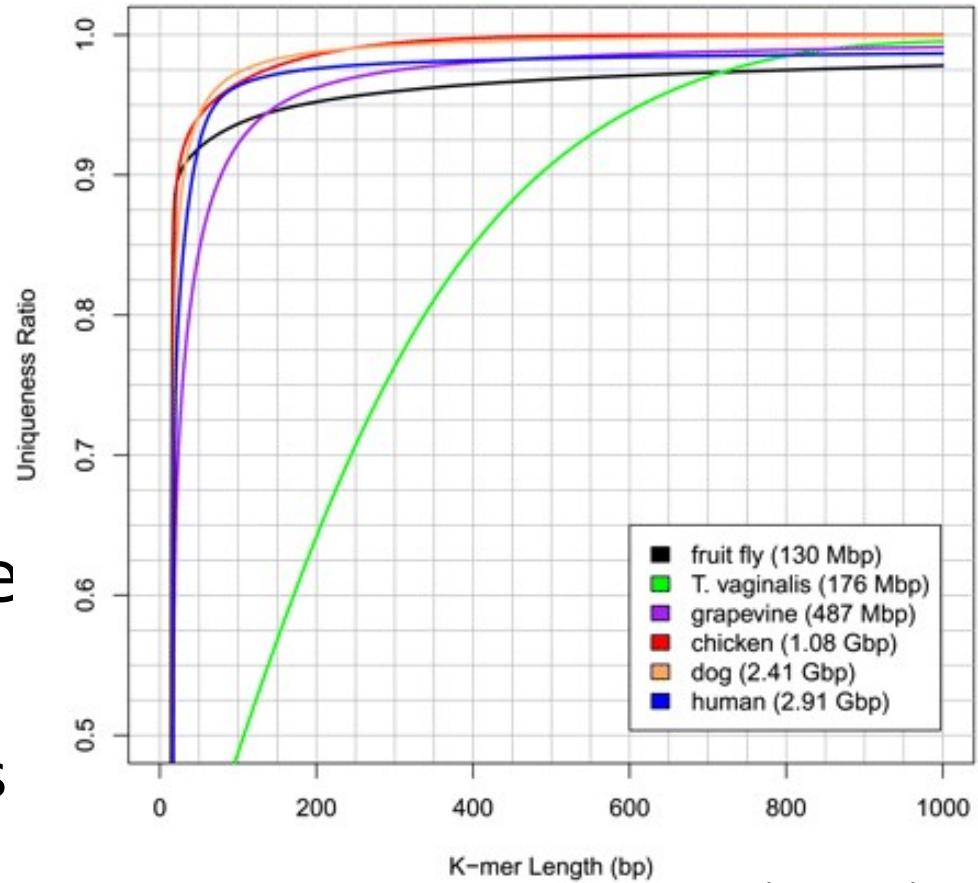
- ▶ No reference genome
- ▶ Assemble contigs from reads
  - Assemble scaffolds using paired-end data
- ▶ Most short-read assemblers are de Bruijn graph-based



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# kmers

- ▶ A kmer is a sequence of length  $k$ 
  - Longer kmer
    - More unique
    - Fewer reads/kmer
  - Shorter kmer
    - Less unique
    - More reads/kmer
- ▶ The kmer you use does matter!
  - Try different kmers



Schatz et al, 2010

# Velvet (Zerbino & Birney 2008)

- ▶ Two stages
  - `velveth`
    - Creates the hash table of kmers
  - `velvetg`
    - Uses the de Bruijn graph to create contigs & scaffolds
- ▶ kmer is critical
  - Default maximum value is 31
  - If you need longer kmer, let us know

# Velvet (Zerbino & Birney 2008)

- ▶ Can use multiple types of sequencing inputs
  - Short, long
  - Paired, single
  - Different insert sizes
  - Reference
- ▶ A mix of library types is typically needed for de novo genome assembly
- ▶ Many helpful scripts distributed with Velvet
  - VelvetOptimiser—helps pick best kmer

# Other de novo assembly applications

- ▶ Abyss
- ▶ ALLPATHS-LG
  - Has very specific requirements for library types and coverage
- ▶ Metavelvet
  - Modified version of Velvet for metagenomics
- ▶ Newbler
  - Provided by Roche (454), but can use Illumina data
- ▶ SOAPdenovo
- ▶ For RNA-seq
  - Oases (builds on after Velvet)
  - SOAPdenovo-TRANS
  - Trinity

# Galaxy demo

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# Questions?

Thank you!