# ScisorWiz - Standard Workflow

#### library(ScisorWiz)

The *ScisorWiz* package creates a plot utilizing single-cell long-read RNA sequencing data in order to display isoform expression differentiation across multiple cell types for a single gene.

### Software required

- samtools (for MismatchFinder function see Section 2 Optional Preprocessing)
- python version >= 3.7 with the following libraries:
  - pandas
- R version >= 3.5 with the following packages:
  - hash

#### Section 1 - Main workflow - Organize data and create the plot

There are two options for running the pipeline to plot the data depending on the files available to the user:

- ScisorWiz AllInfo
  - Used if the user has output from the scisorseqr package called the AllInfo file.
    - \* This method is recommended to provide more customizability and specificity to the output plots.
- ScisorWiz 2File
  - Used if the user has gff.gz file and genes.gz file filtered for detected cage and polyA peaks.
    - $\ast$  genes.gz file is a tab-separated file containing readID to geneID mappings and is formatted as follows:

readID	geneID
RGL:GCAGCCAGTAAATGTG:m64013_190223_004143/73663463/ccs.path1 OPCs:TCAGGATAGTTCGCAT:m64013_190221_020520/30540150/ccs.path1	

**NOTE** The cell type from which the read came must be appended to the readID in the same format as above. This helps to sort each read into the appropriate cell type cluster.

#### Pipeline Option 1 - ScisorWiz\_AllInfo

This option uses the AllInfo file output from the scisorseqr package. Entering the command for the Scisor-Wiz\_AllInfo pipeline option gives the user the ability to choose the clustering method to utilize for the data on the final plot. For that the user must specify:

- GENCODE annotation file for user data
- AllInfo file derived from scisorsegr
- Cell type file listing user-specified cell types of interest and the display color of each (example of document format below)\*
- Gene of interest
- Clustering method\*\*
- Optional: Confidence interval (CI) for alternative exon consideration. Default value for exon inclusion rate is .05 (5% < altExon inclusion < 95%)
- Optional: Mismatch Cutoff to eliminate sequencing errors. Default value is .05~(5% < mismatch inclusion < 95%)
- Output directory in which the user wants output files stored
- Optional: Mismatches file containing output from the MismatchFinder function (see Section 2). Default value is NULL
- Optional: Interactive plot (for exploratory purposes, see Section 3)

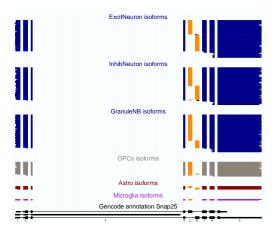
\*Celltype file is **tab separated** with each cell type and display color on a new line, and cell type names must be written exactly as they appear in the GENCODE file. The file looks like the following:

ExcitNeuron	darkblue
Inhib Neuron	darkblue
${\bf Granule NB}$	darkblue
OPCs	antiquewhite4
Astro	$\operatorname{darkred}$
Microglia	purple

\*\*The user can choose from one of the clustering methods by inputting the number that is next to the method as shown below:

- 1. Intron chain
- 2. TSS site
- 3. PolvA site
- 4. Intron chain, TSS site, and PolyA site

The output after running the data through the ScisorWiz AllInfo function without mismatches is as follows:



**NOTE** The example data included in this package does not yield the plot above. This is just an example plot generated from the full dataset.

#### Pipeline Option 2 - ScisorWiz\_2File

Without the AllInfo file from the scisorseqr pipeline, the user will not be able to choose a clustering method for the data, so using this option will cluster the data automatically by the intron chain. However, the user can still run the ScisorWiz\_2File function on their gff.gz and genes.gz files which are filtered for detected cage and PolyA peaks. For that the user must specify:

- GENCODE annotation file for user data
- gff.gz file containing read-specific information
- genes.gz file
- Cell type file listing user-specified cell types of interest and the display color of each
- Gene of interest
- Optional: Confidence interval (CI) for alternative exon consideration. Default value for exon inclusion rate is .05 (5% < altExon inclusion < 95%)

- Optional: Mismatch Cutoff to eliminate sequencing errors. Default value is .05 (5% < mismatch inclusion < 95%)
- Output directory in which the user wants output files stored
- Optional: Mismatches file containing output from the MismatchFinder function (see Section 2). Default value is NULL
- Optional: Interactive plot (for exploratory purposes, see Section 3)

**NOTE** The data included in the package is not for this function due to raw file size, to test ScisorWiz using included data, please refer to Pipeline Option 1 - ScisorWiz\_AllInfo section example.

## Section 2 - Optional Pre-processing

Prior to using ScisorWiz main pipeline, the user has the option to run the MismatchFinder function. MismatchFinder will specify any SNVs, insertions, or deletions in the data as compared to the reference genome. For that the user must specify:

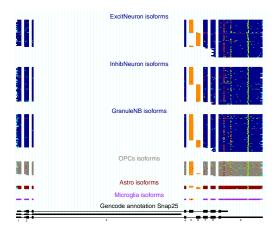
- Sorted .bam file
- Reference .fasta file
- GENCODE annotation for the data
- Gene of interest
- Output directory in which the user wants the mismatch file stored

User will see the output directory with a subdirectory specifically named for the gene of interest:

- outputDir
  - Snap25
    - \* Snap25.info.tab (Provides chromosome, start, and end for MismatchFinder script)
    - \* Snap25.mismatches.txt.gz (One line per readID with following structure:)

chrom	$\operatorname{readID}$	$\operatorname{SNV}$
chr2	$m64013\_190219\_195127/88146585/ccs$	136713563_G A;136764203_C A
	insertion	deletion
136781	282_136781283_A;136781282_136781283	_C 136781219_C;136781421_C

The output after running the data through the MismatchFinder function and then the ScisorWiz\_AllInfo function is as follows:



**NOTE** The example data included in this package does not yield the plot above. This is just an example plot generated from the full dataset.

#### Section 3 - Option to Create Interactive Plot

When calling the ScisorWiz\_AllInfo or ScisorWiz\_2File functions, users have an option to create an interactive plot in which dynamic, windowed zooming and panning functionality will allow the user to explore the plot printout closely. For this option, the user must specify:

When this option is chosen, the output plots will be contained in two files. The first is a .jpg file which will be visually different than the default pdf plot. The second output file is an interactive html file which is automatically made using the .jpg file. Opening the html file will allow the user to interact with the plot, zooming and panning throughout it for a deeper look at any data of interest.

Done!