

Data Visualization in R

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Session Outline

- Basics of ggplot2
 - scatter plots, bar plots, histograms, boxplots, heatmaps
- Basics of Gviz
 - ideogram, genome axis, sequence, data, annotation, gene region tracks
- Applying ggplot2 and Gviz to VCF data

Basics of ggplot2

ggplot2

- What
 - ***third*** graphics system for R (along with **base** and **lattice**)
 - implementation of the *Grammar of Graphics* by Leland Wilkinson (2005)
- When
 - Written by Hadley Wickham in 2005
- Why
 - Follows a grammar and supports a continuum of expertise
- How...

Other Graphics Systems

base

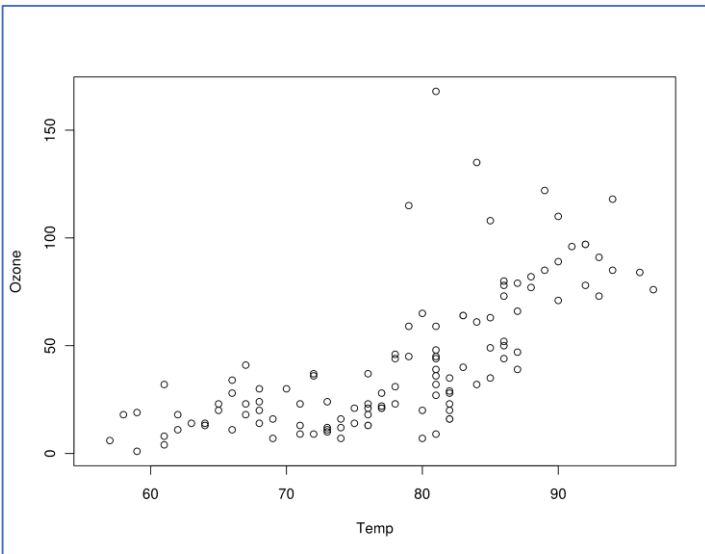
- Start with `plot` function (or similar)
- Use annotation functions to add/modify (`text`, `lines`, `points`, `axis`)
- Convenient, mirrors how we think of building plots and analyzing data
- Cannot go back once plot has started (i.e. to adjust margins); need to plan in advance
- Difficult to “translate” to other plot types once a new plot has been created

lattice

- Plots created with single function call (`xypplot`, `bwplot`, etc.)
- Annotation in plot is not intuitive
- Good for putting many plots on a screen (to see how y changes with x across levels of z)
- Cannot “add” to plot once created; requires intense preparation
- Sometimes awkward to specify entire plot in a single function call

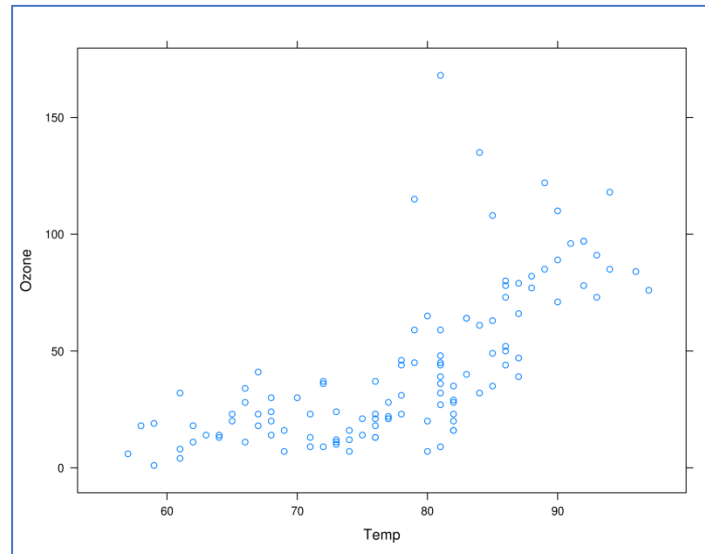
Other Graphics Systems

base



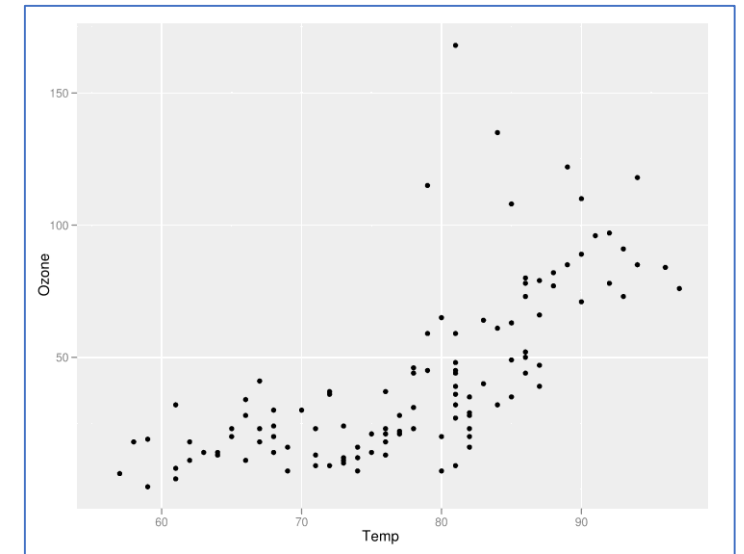
```
with(airquality, plot(Temp, Ozone))
```

lattice



```
xyplot(Ozone ~ Temp, airquality)
```

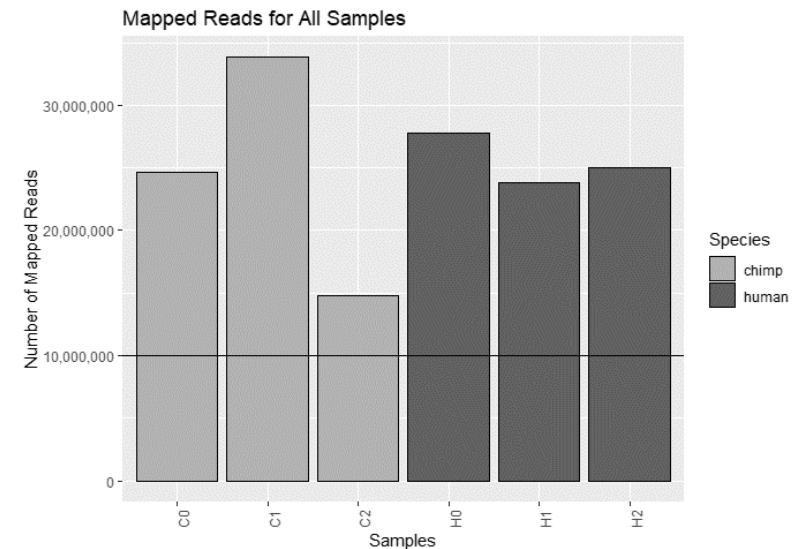
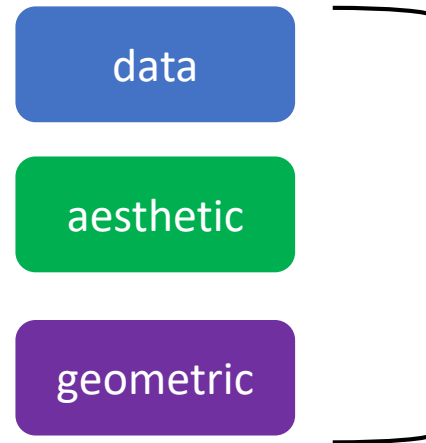
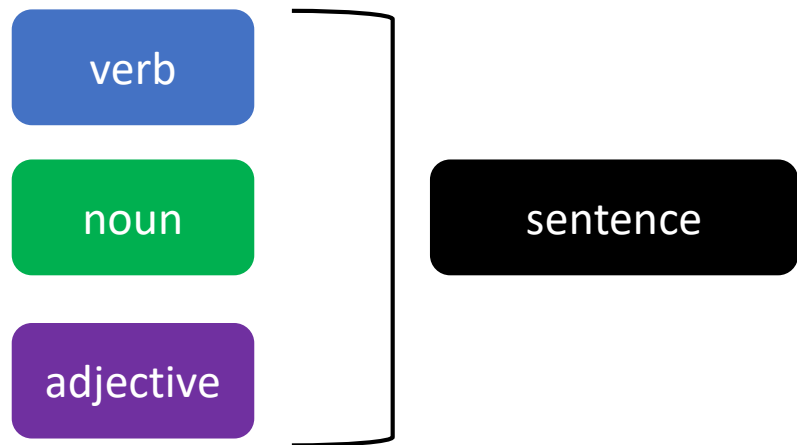
ggplot2:



```
ggplot(airquality, aes(Temp, Ozone)) +  
  geom_point( )
```

ggplot2: Grammar of Graphics

- a coherent system for describing and building graphs
- allows for a theory of graphics on which to build new graphics



ggplot2: Grammar of Graphics

“In brief, the grammar tells us that a statistical graphic is a **mapping** from data to **aesthetic** attributes (colour, shape, size) of **geometric** objects (points, lines, bars). The plot may also contain statistical transformations of the data and is drawn on a specific coordinate system”

from *ggplot2* book

```
ggplot(data = <DATA>) +  
  <GEOM_FUNCTION>(  
    mapping = aes(<MAPPINGS>),  
    stat = <STAT>,  
    position = <POSITION>  
  ) +  
  <COORDINATE_FUNCTION> +  
  <FACET_FUNCTION>
```


ggplot2: Building a Plot

- **ggplot** is the main function
- supply **data** to visualize
- map variables to **aesthetic** attributes
- **geometric** objects define what you see
- **statistical** transformations summarize data
- **positions** adjust placement of data in space
- **coordinate** systems put data on plane of graphic
- **faceting** subsets the data to show multiple plots

Graphing Template

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Let's try building some plots!

ggplot2: Preparing Data

sample.details

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H2	human	2	0.6	0.810	109
C0	chimp	0	0.9	0.930	219
C1	chimp	1	1.0	0.390	160
C2	chimp	2	0.3	0.715	90

prop.reads

Samples	NumTotal	NumMapped	PropMapped	NumUnmapped
H0	34275201	27787986	0.810732	6487215
H1	28978629	23861725	0.823425	5116904
H2	30053417	25009798	0.832178	5043619
C0	30406842	24611163	0.809396	5795679
C1	40051004	33819900	0.844421	6231104
C2	17178516	14776677	0.860184	2401839

gene.counts

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scores

Samples	PC1	PC2	PC3	PC4	PC5	PC6	Species	TimePoint	CellDensity	CellViability	RNAConcentration
C0	-282135.133	-37806.44	38659.90	57289.09	-55611.44	2.451884e-08	chimp	0	0.9	0.930	219
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supplying data

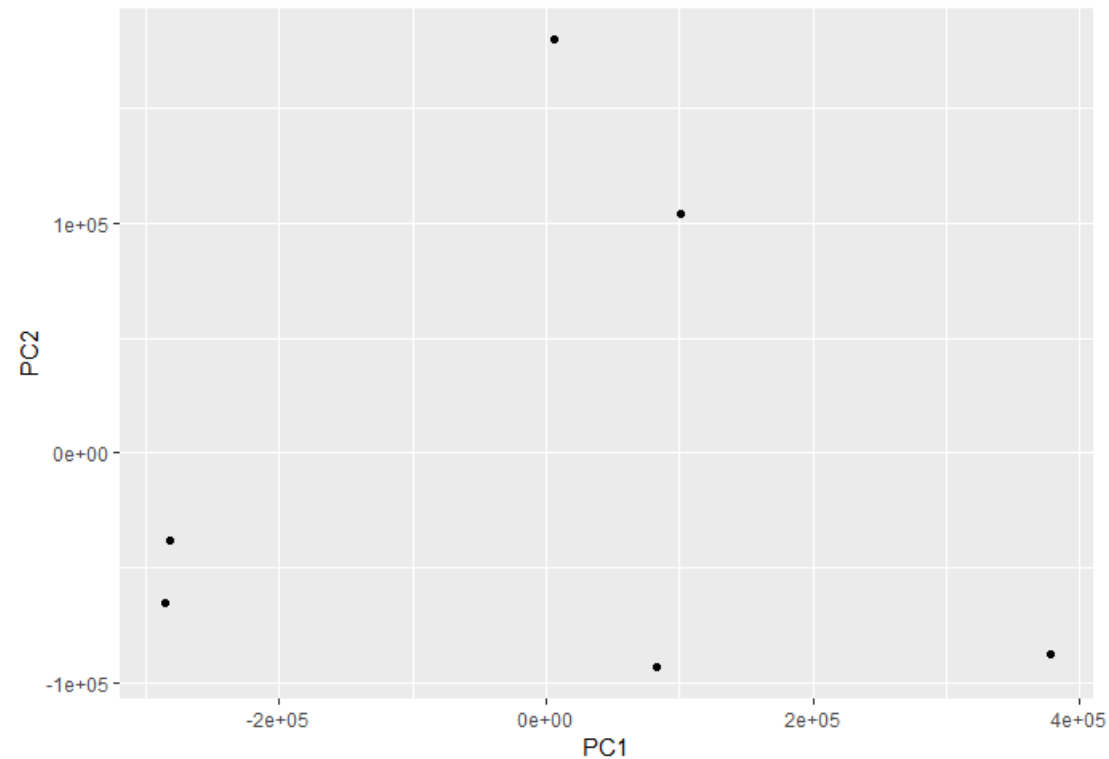
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```

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ggplot2: Building a Plot

supplying data
mapping aesthetics

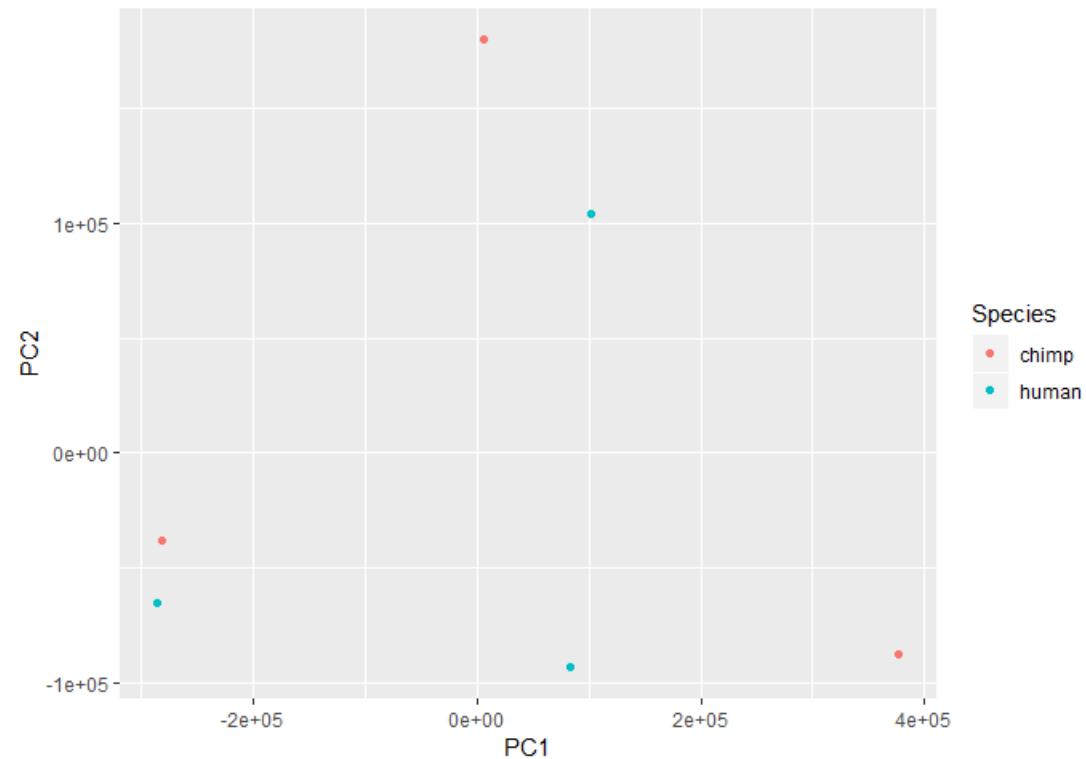
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```



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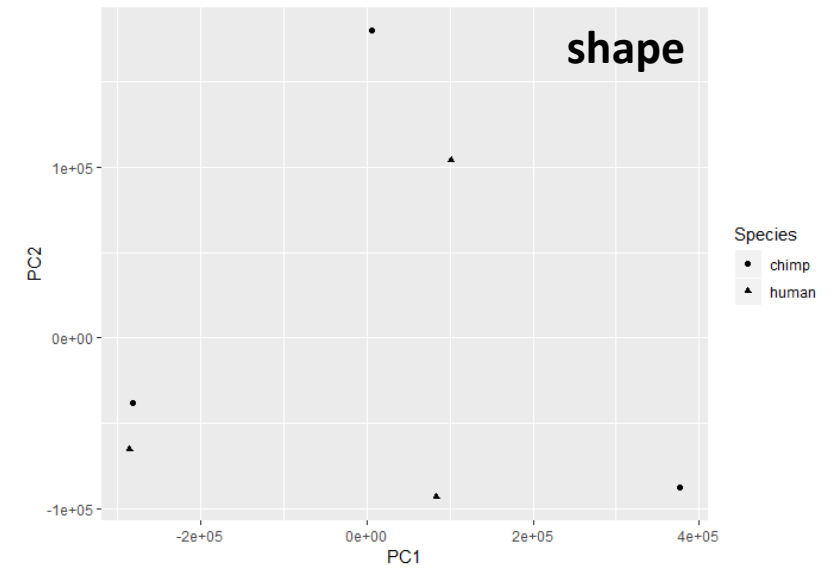
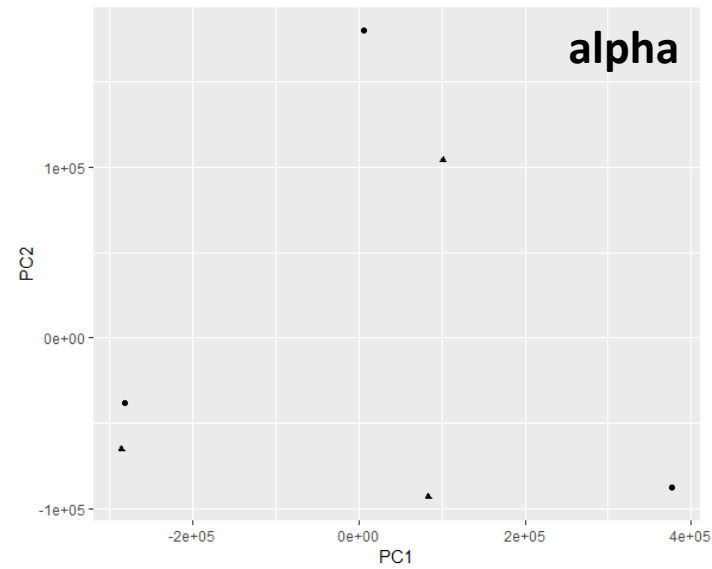
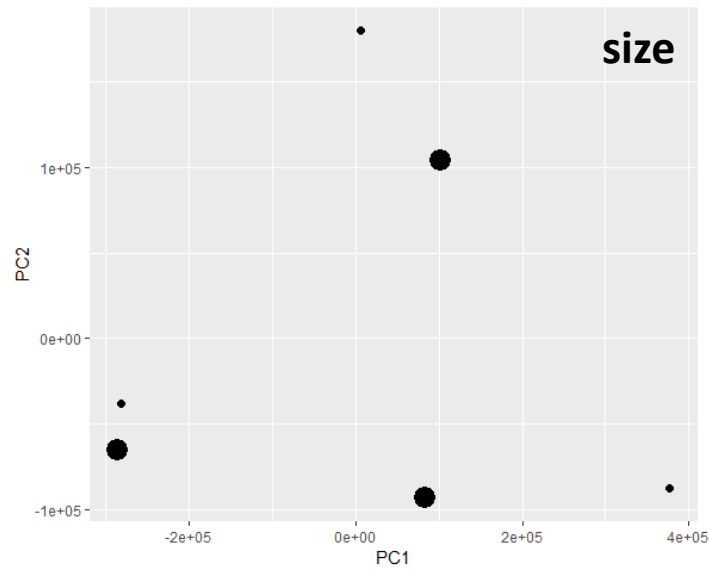
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    mapping = aes(x = PC1, y = PC2, color = Species)  
  )
```



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supplying data
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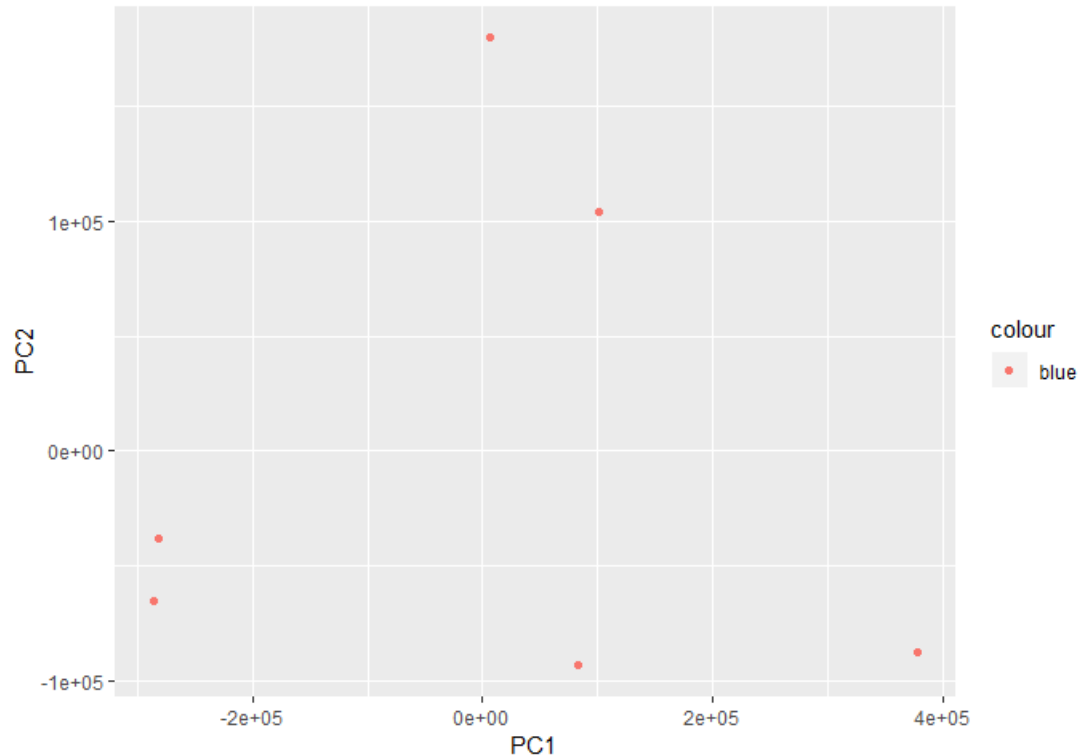
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    mapping = aes(x = PC1, y = PC2, <MAPPINGS>)  
  )
```



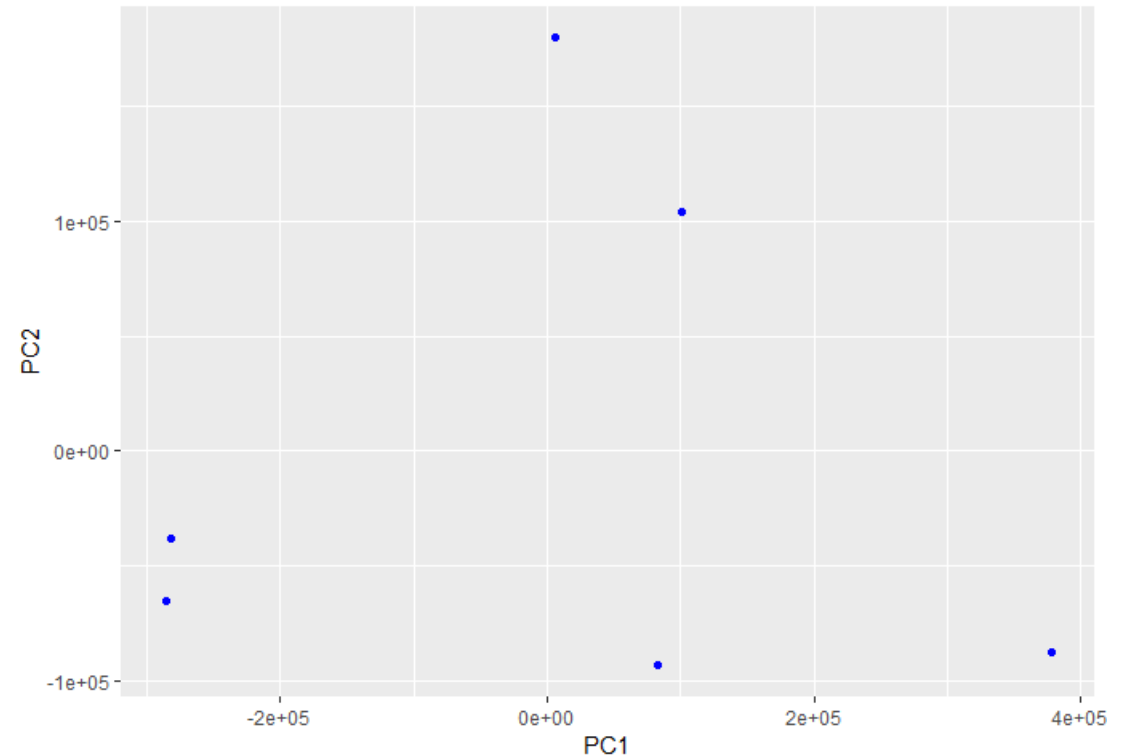
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  )
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```
mapping = aes(x = PC1, y = PC2, color = "blue")
```

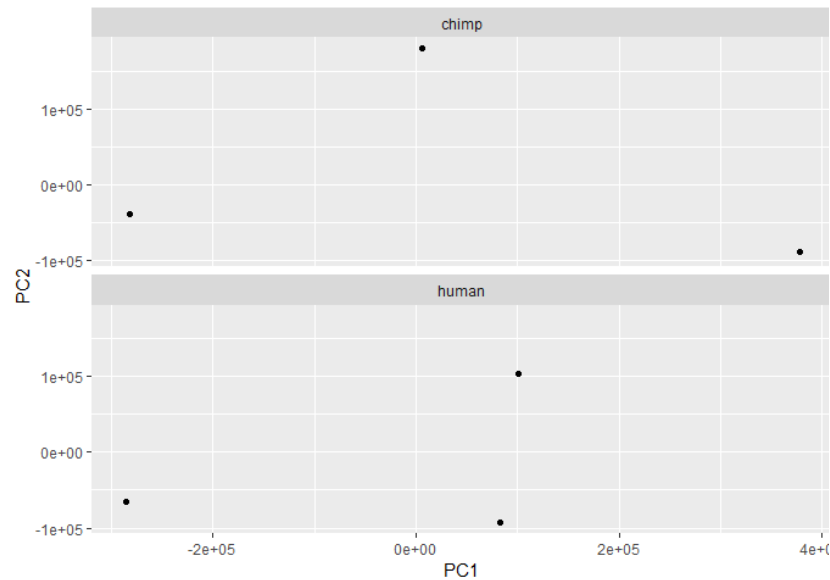


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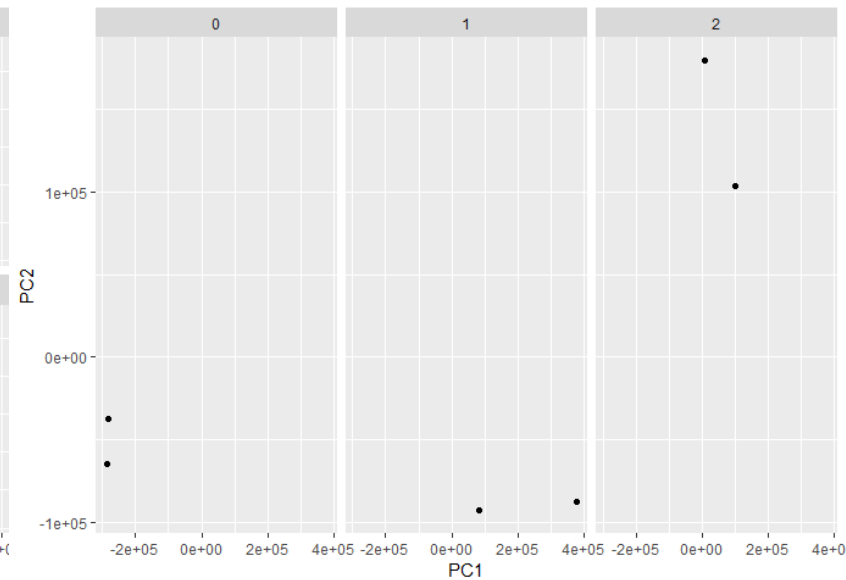
ggplot2: Building a Plot

supplying data
mapping aesthetics
splitting into facets

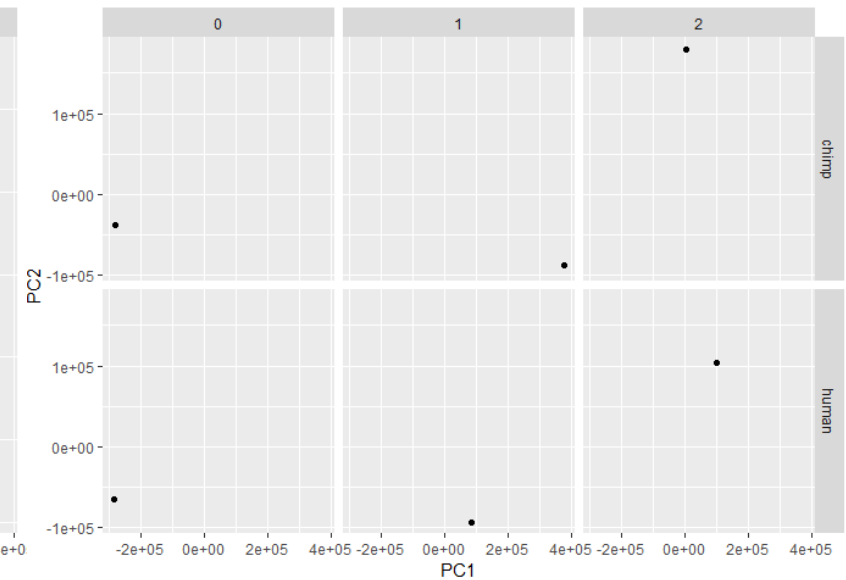
```
ggplot(data = scores) +  
  geom_point(  
    mapping = aes(x = PC1, y = PC2)  
  ) +  
  facet_wrap(<FORMULA>)
```



```
facet_wrap(~ Species, nrow = 2)
```



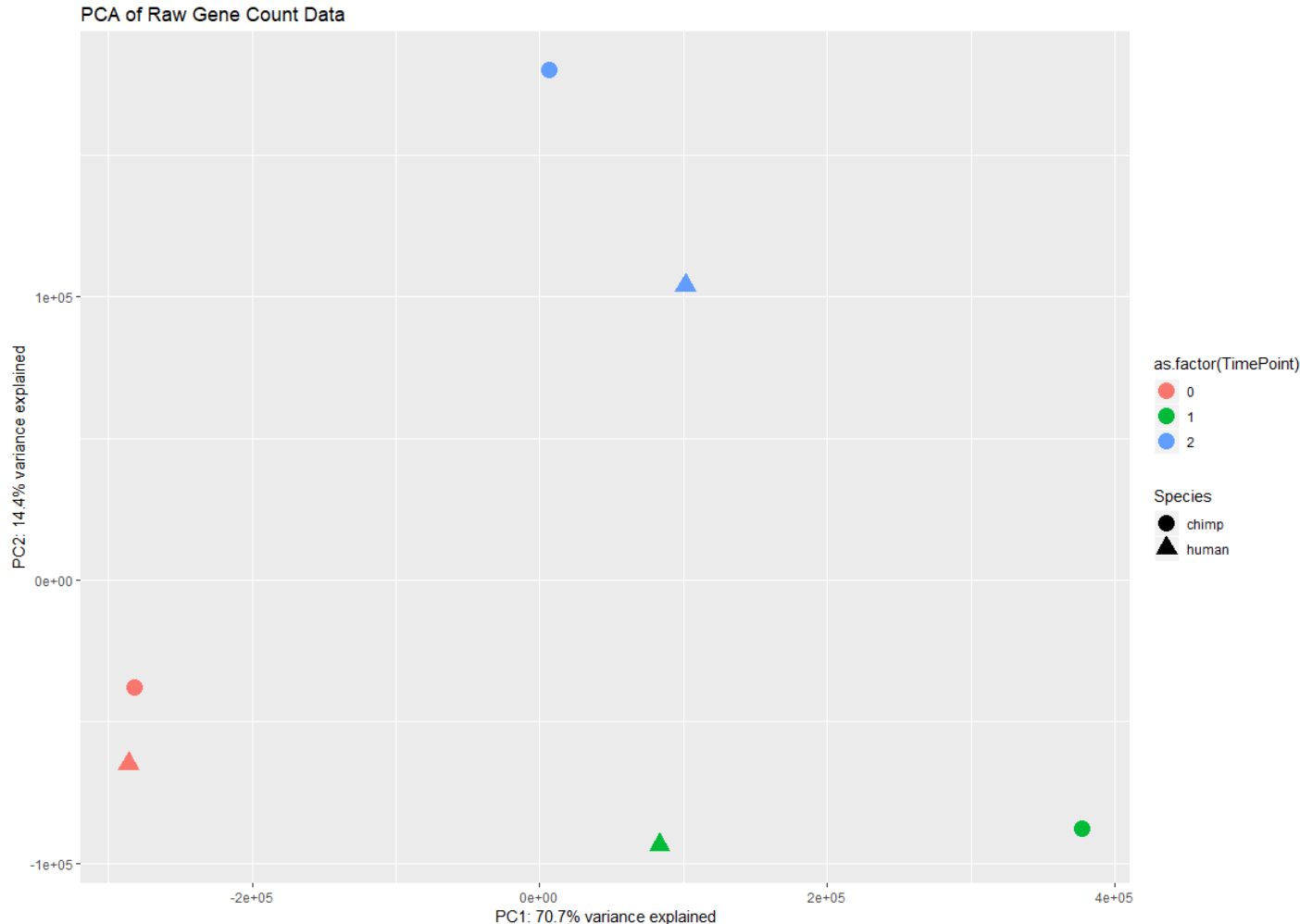
```
facet_wrap(~ TimePoint)
```



```
facet_grid(Species ~ TimePoint)
```

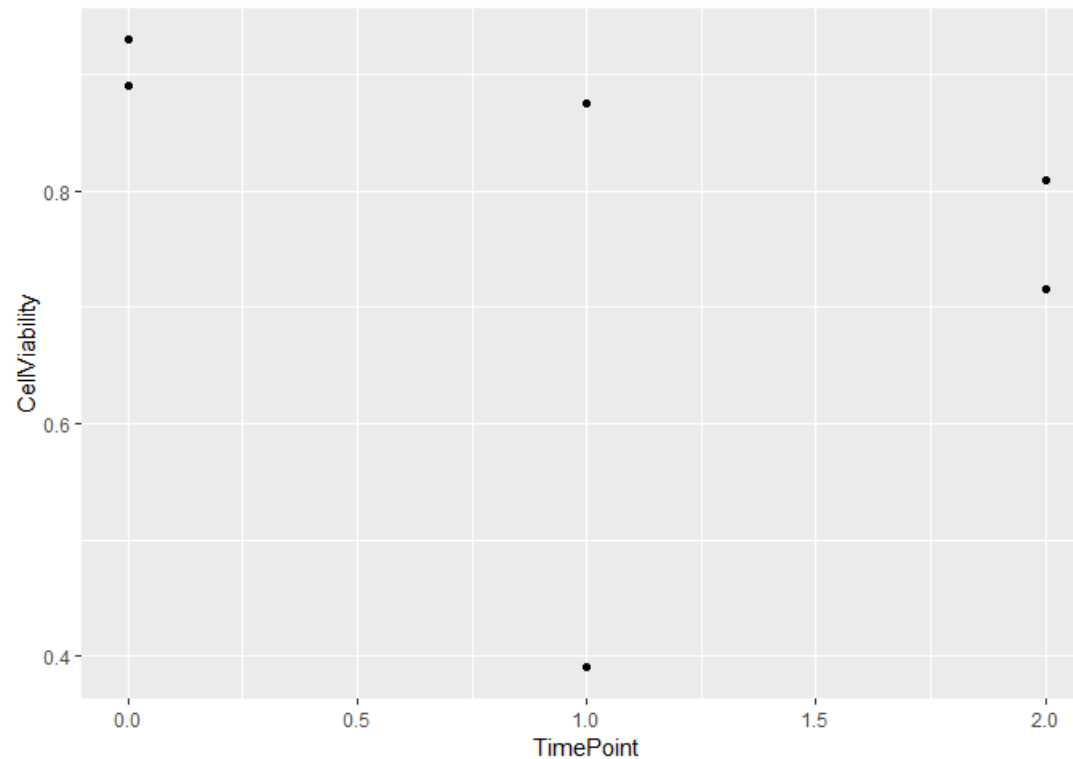
ggplot2: Building a Plot

```
ggplot(data = scores) +  
  geom_point(mapping = aes(x = PC1, y = PC2, color = as.factor(TimePoint), shape = Species), size = 5) +  
  ggtitle("PCA of Raw Gene Count Data") +  
  xlab(paste("PC1: ", round(summary(pca_genes)$importance[2,1],3)*100, "% variance explained", sep="")) +  
  ylab(paste("PC2: ", round(summary(pca_genes)$importance[2,2],3)*100, "% variance explained", sep=""))
```




































ggplot2: Building a Plot - point

```
ggplot(data = scores) +  
  geom_point(  
    mapping = aes(x = TimePoint, y = CellViability)  
  )
```



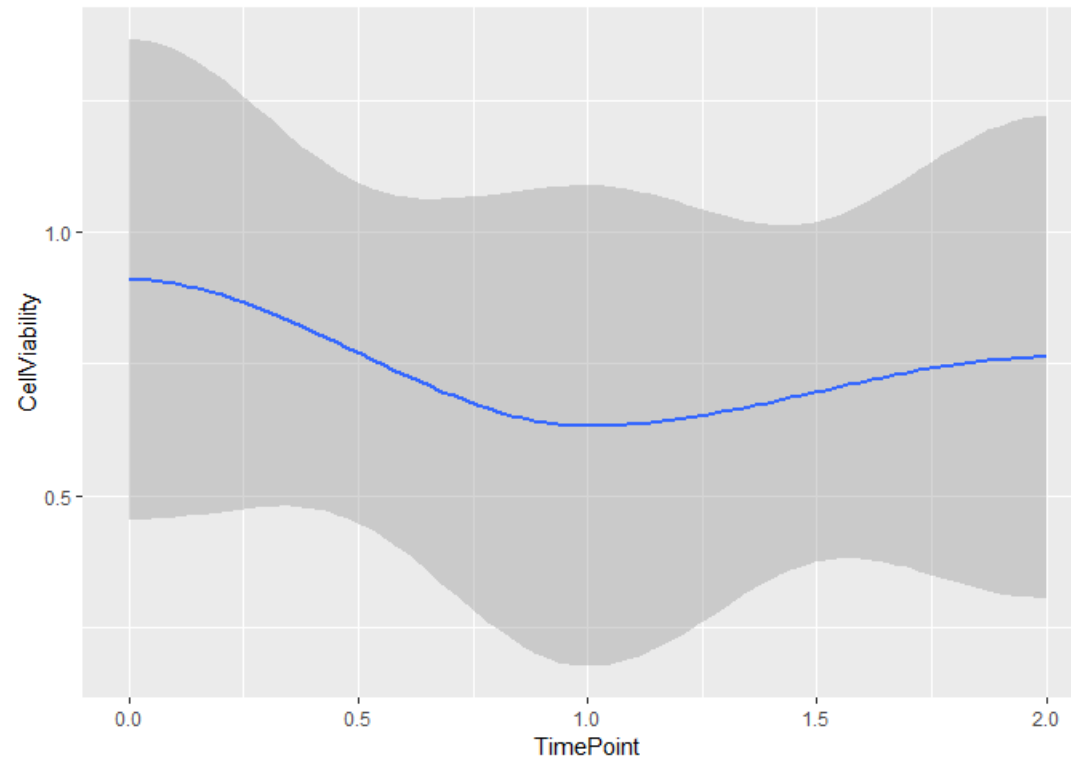
supplying data
mapping aesthetics
defining geometric

	geom_abline Line, specified by slope and intercept		geom_area Area plots
	geom_bar Bars, rectangles with bases on y-axis		geom_bin2d Add heatmap of 2d bin counts
	geom_blank Blank, draws nothing		geom_boxplot Box and whiskers plot
	geom_contour Display contours of a 3d surface in 2d		geom_crossbar Hollow bar with middle indicated by horizontal line
	geom_density Display a smooth density estimate		geom_density2d Contours from a 2d density estimate
	geom_errorbar Error bars		geom_errorbarh Horizontal error bars
	geom_freqpoly Frequency polygon		geom_hex Tile the plane with hexagons
	geom_histogram Histogram		geom_hline Line, horizontal
	geom_jitter Points, jittered to reduce overplotting		geom_line Connect observations, in ordered by x value
	geom_linerange An interval represented by a vertical line		geom_path Connect observations, in original order
	geom_point Points, as for a scatterplot		geom_pointrange An interval represented by a vertical line, with a point in the middle
	geom_polygon Polygon, a filled path		geom_quantile Add quantile lines from a quantile regression
	geom_rect 2d rectangles		geom_ribbon Ribbons, y range with continuous x values
	geom_rug Marginal rug plots		geom_segment Single line segments
	geom_smooth Add a smoothed condition mean.		geom_step Connect observations by stairs
	geom_text Textual annotations		geom_tile Tile plot as densely as possible, assuming that every tile is the same size.
	geom_vline Line, vertical		

ggplot2: Building a Plot - smooth

supplying data
mapping aesthetics
defining geometric

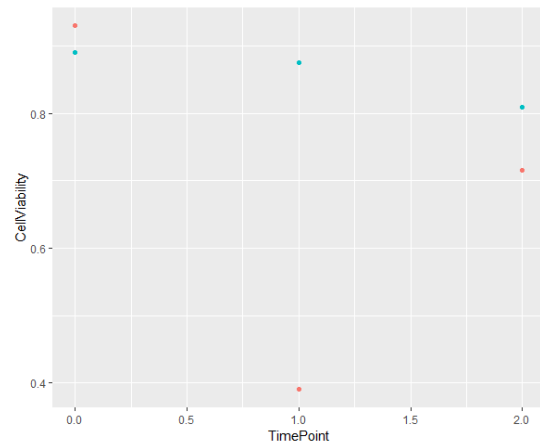
```
ggplot(data = scores) +  
  geom_smooth(  
    mapping = aes(x = TimePoint, y = CellViability)  
  )
```



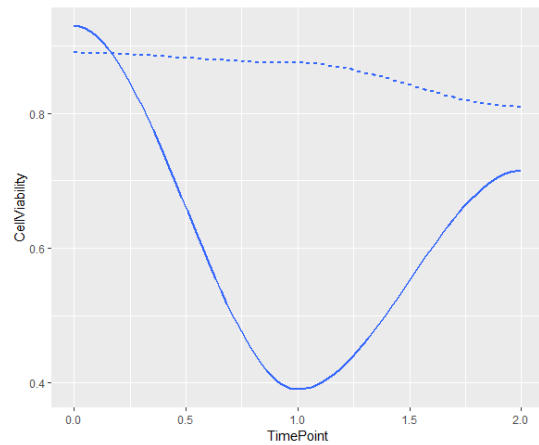
ggplot2: Building a Plot

supplying data
mapping aesthetics
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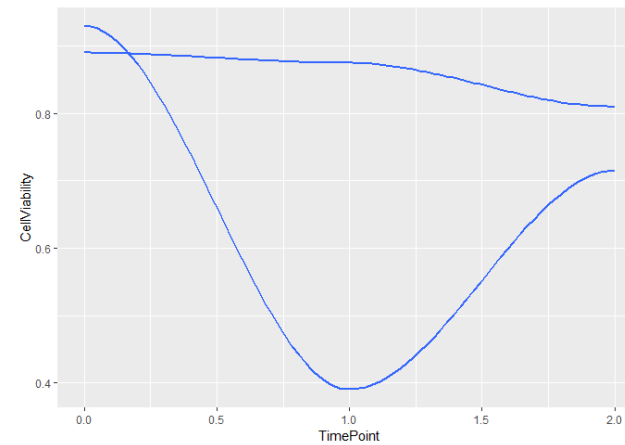
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ggplot(data = scores) +  
  <GEOM_FUNCTION> (  
    mapping = aes(x = TimePoint, y = CellViability, <MAPPINGS>)  
  )
```



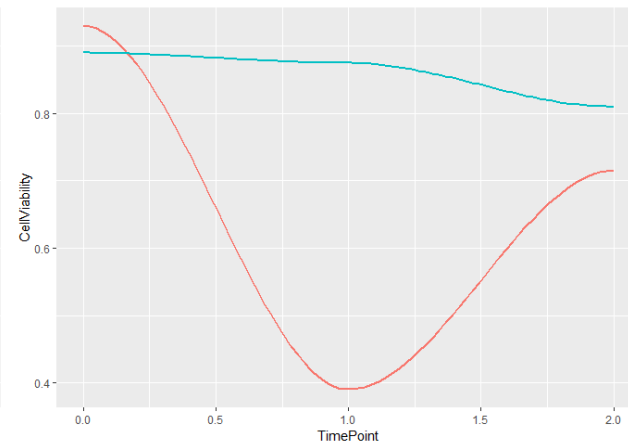
`geom_point()`
`color = Species`



`geom_smooth()`
`linetype = Species`



`geom_smooth()`
`group = Species`

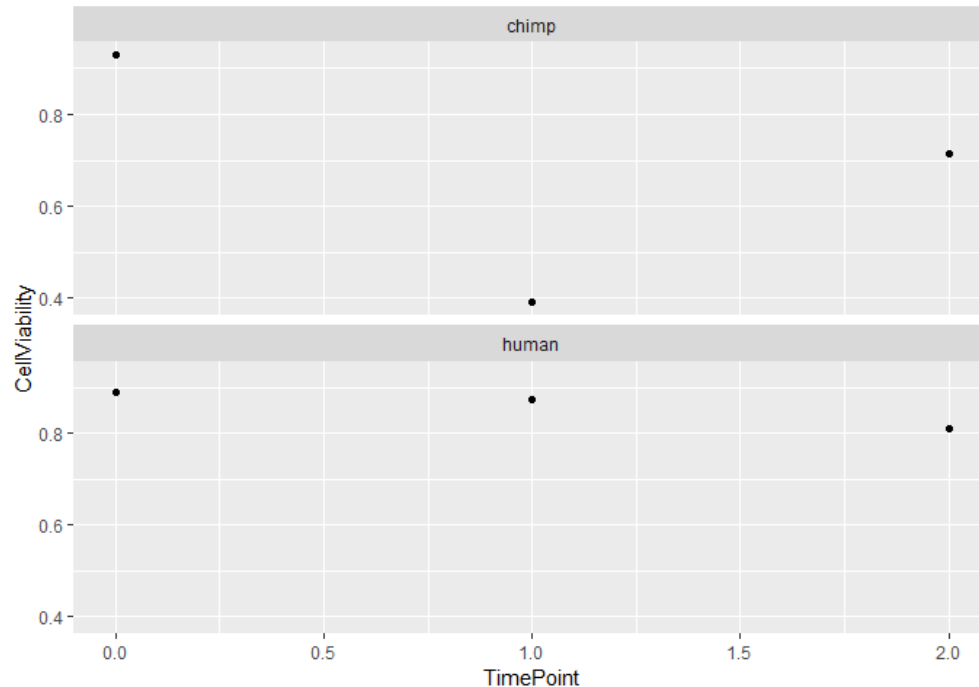


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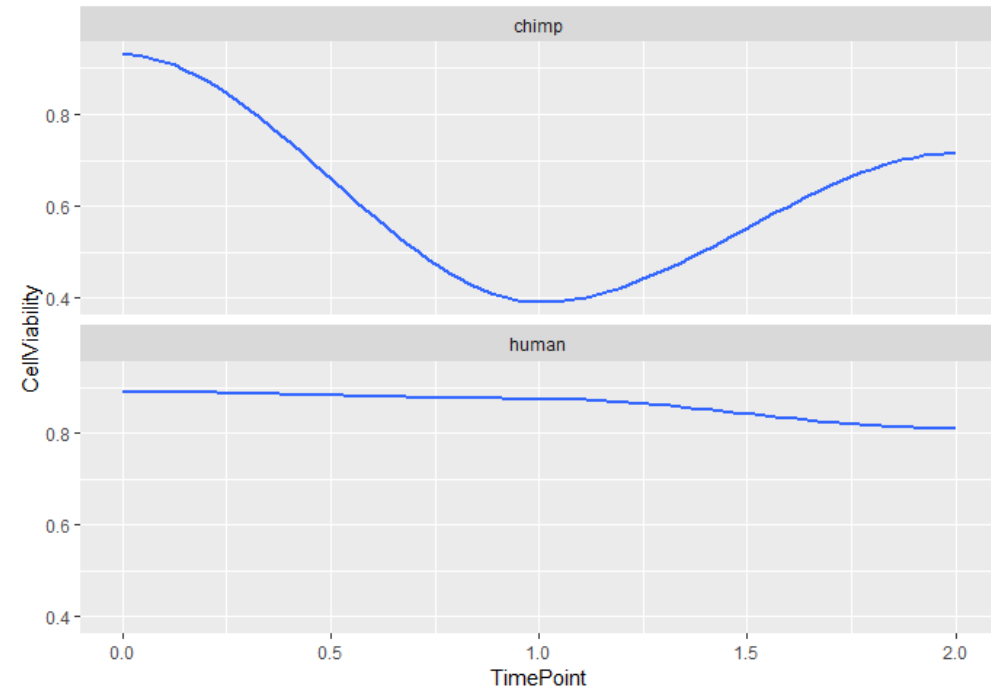
ggplot2: Building a Plot

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ggplot(data = scores) +  
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  ) +  
  facet_wrap(<FORMULA>)
```



```
geom_point()  
facet_wrap(~ Species, nrow = 2)
```



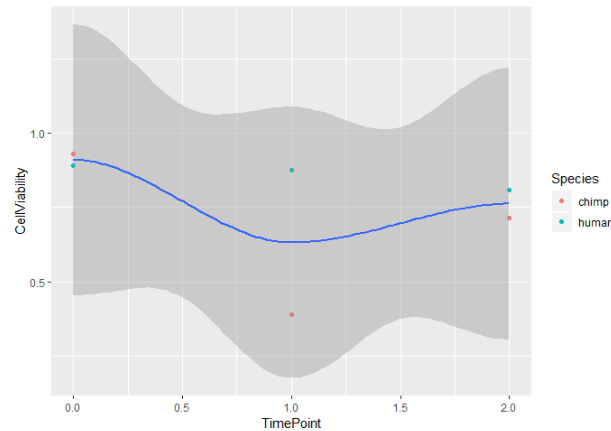
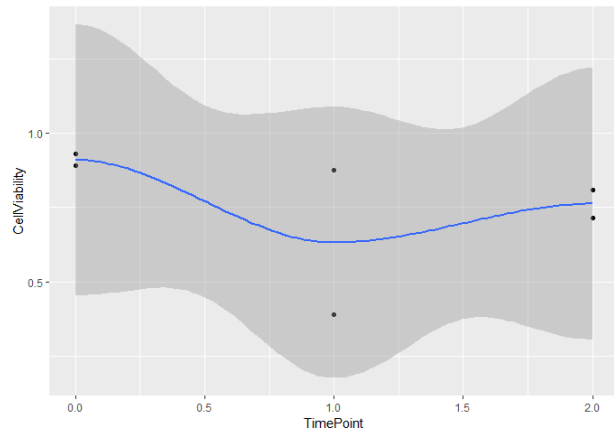
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ggplot2: Building a Plot - multiple

supplying data
mapping aesthetics
defining geometric

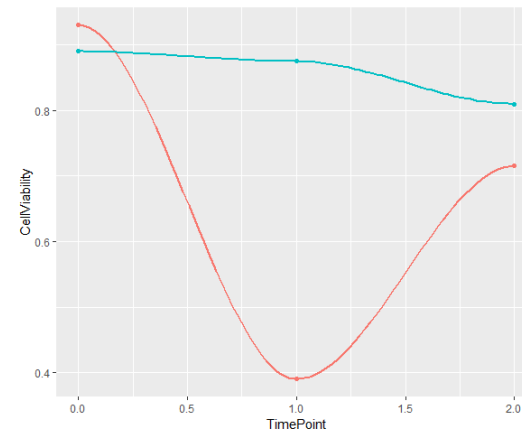
```
ggplot(data = scores) +  
  <GEOM_FUNCTION_1> (<MAPPINGS>) +  
  <GEOM_FUNCTION_2> (<MAPPINGS>) +
```

```
ggplot(data = scores, <MAPPINGS>) +  
  <GEOM_FUNCTION_1> () +  
  <GEOM_FUNCTION_2> () +
```

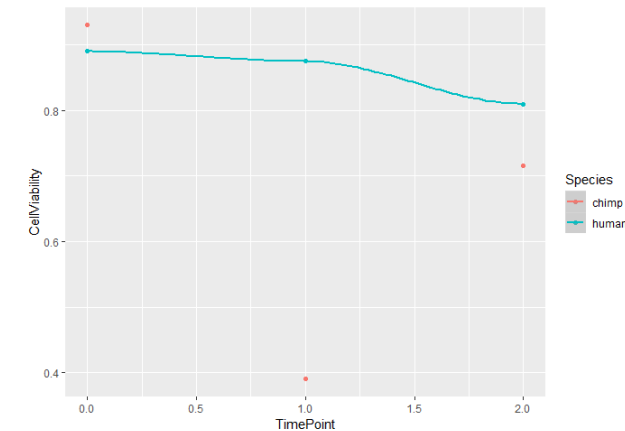


```
geom_point()  
geom_smooth()
```

```
geom_point(color = Species)  
geom_smooth()
```



```
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geom_smooth(color = Species)
```

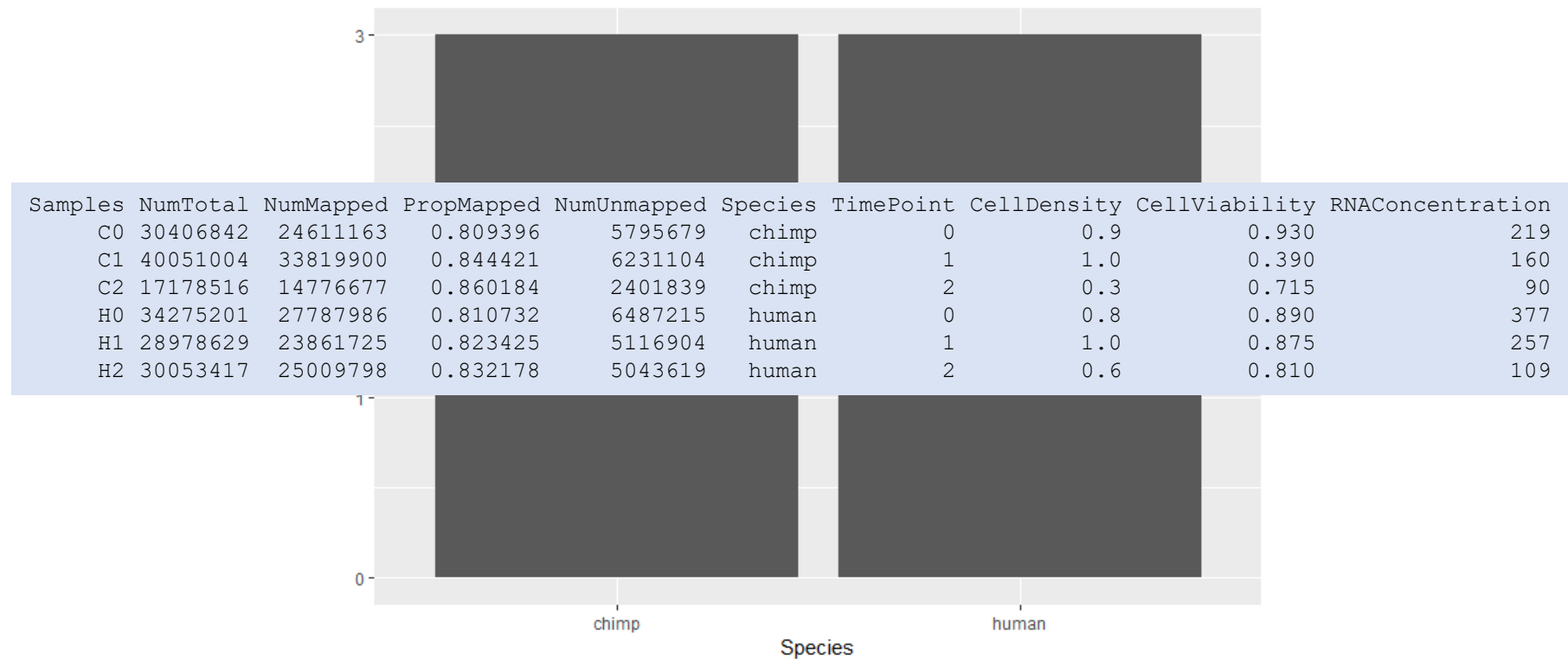


```
geom_point(color = Species)  
geom_smooth(newdata, color = Species)
```


ggplot2: Building a Plot - bar

supplying data
mapping aesthetics
defining geometric
describing statistic

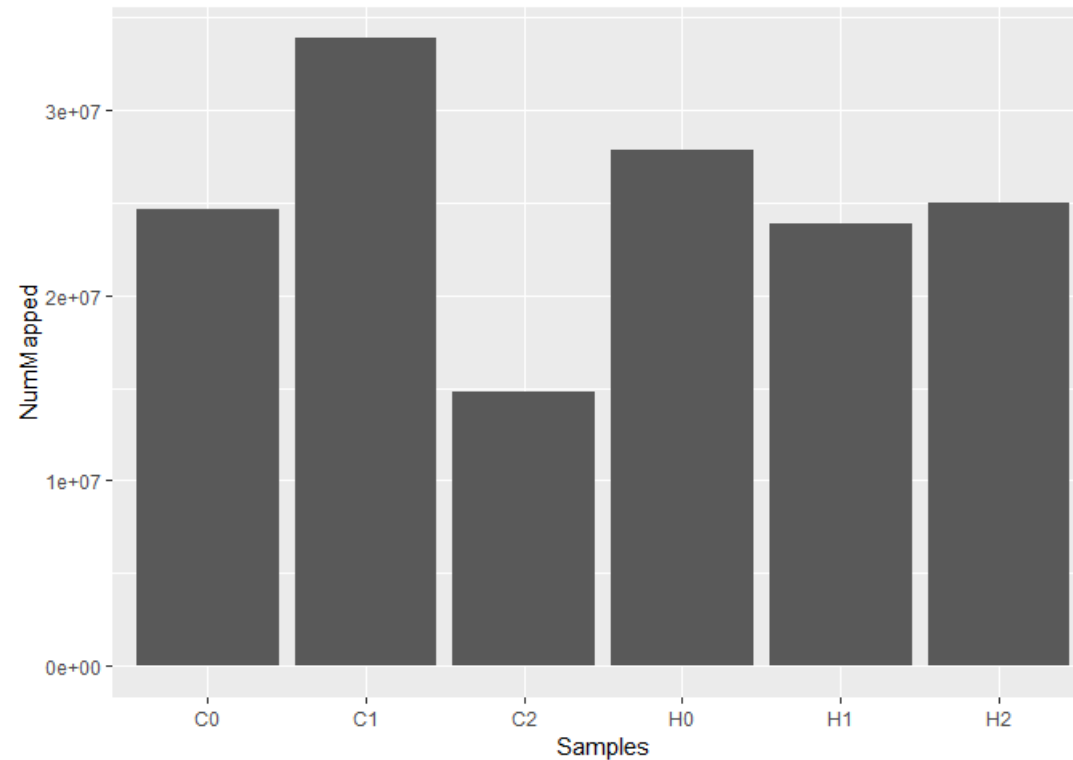
```
ggplot(data = prop.reads) +  
  stat_count(  
    mapping = aes(x = Species),  
  )
```



ggplot2: Building a Plot - bar

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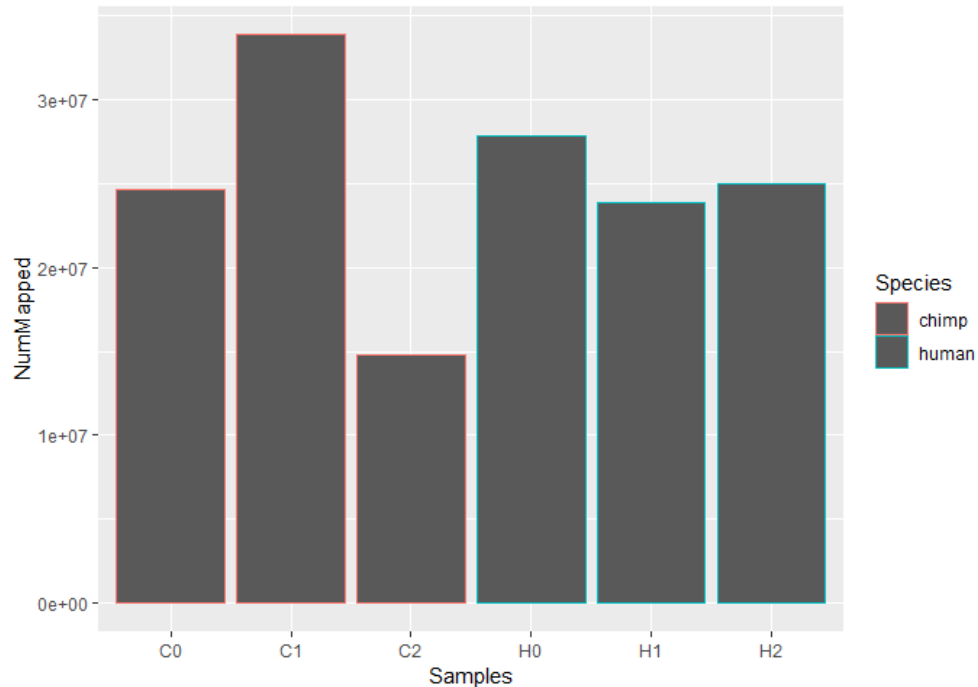
```
ggplot(data = prop.reads) +  
  geom_bar(  
    mapping = aes(x = Species, y = NumMapped),  
    stat = "identity"  
  )
```



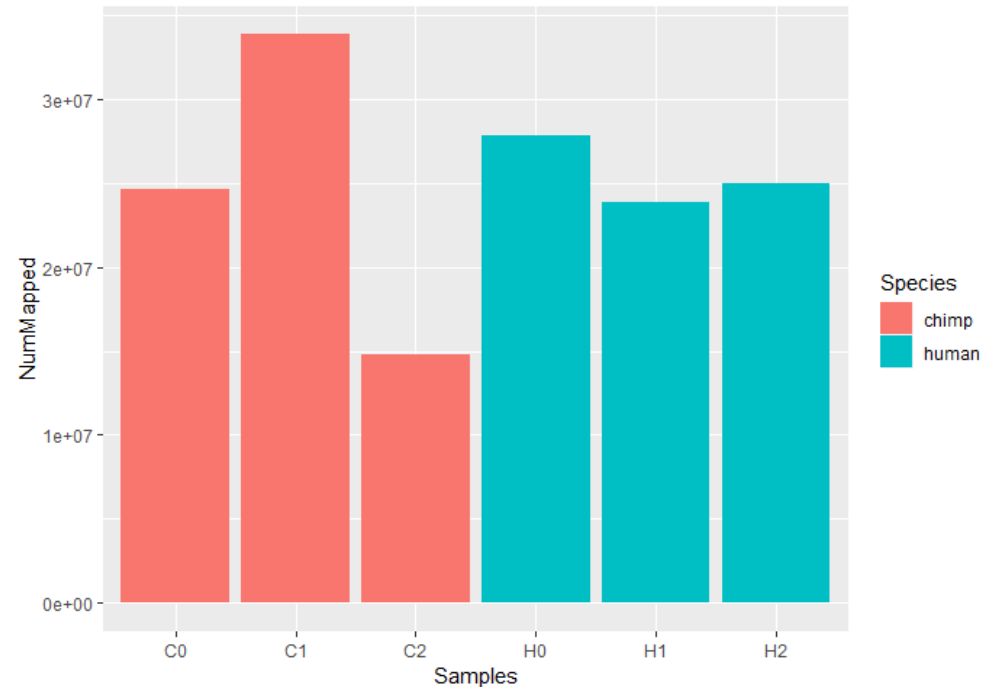
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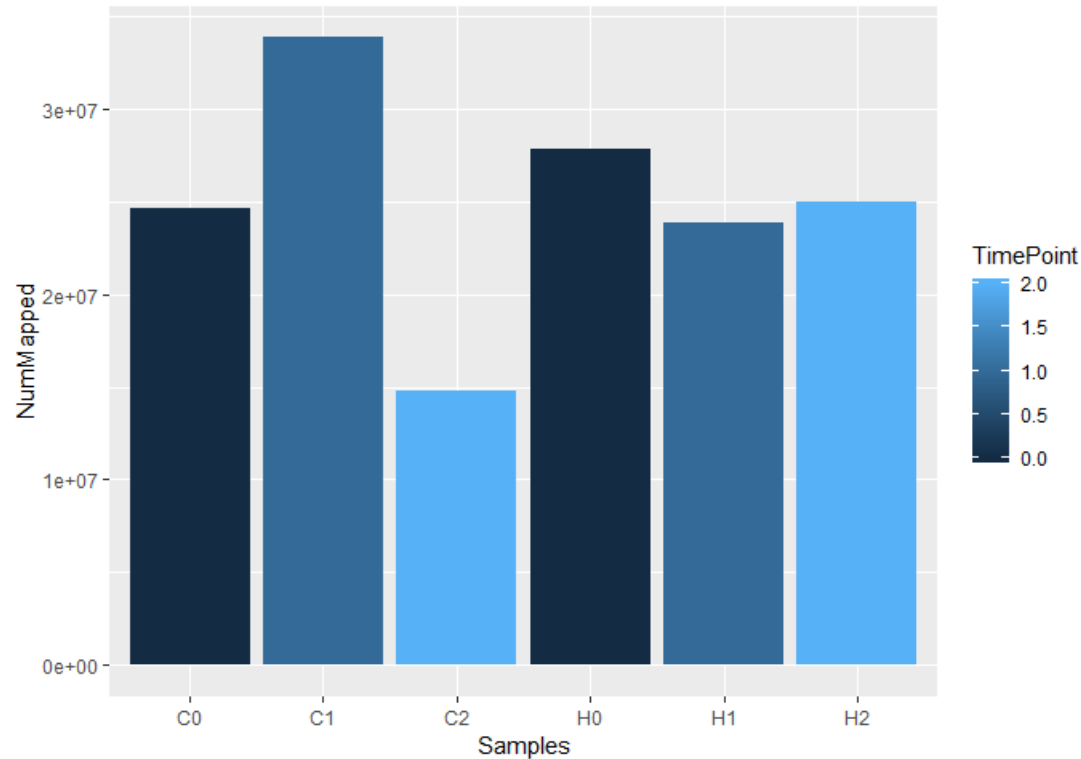
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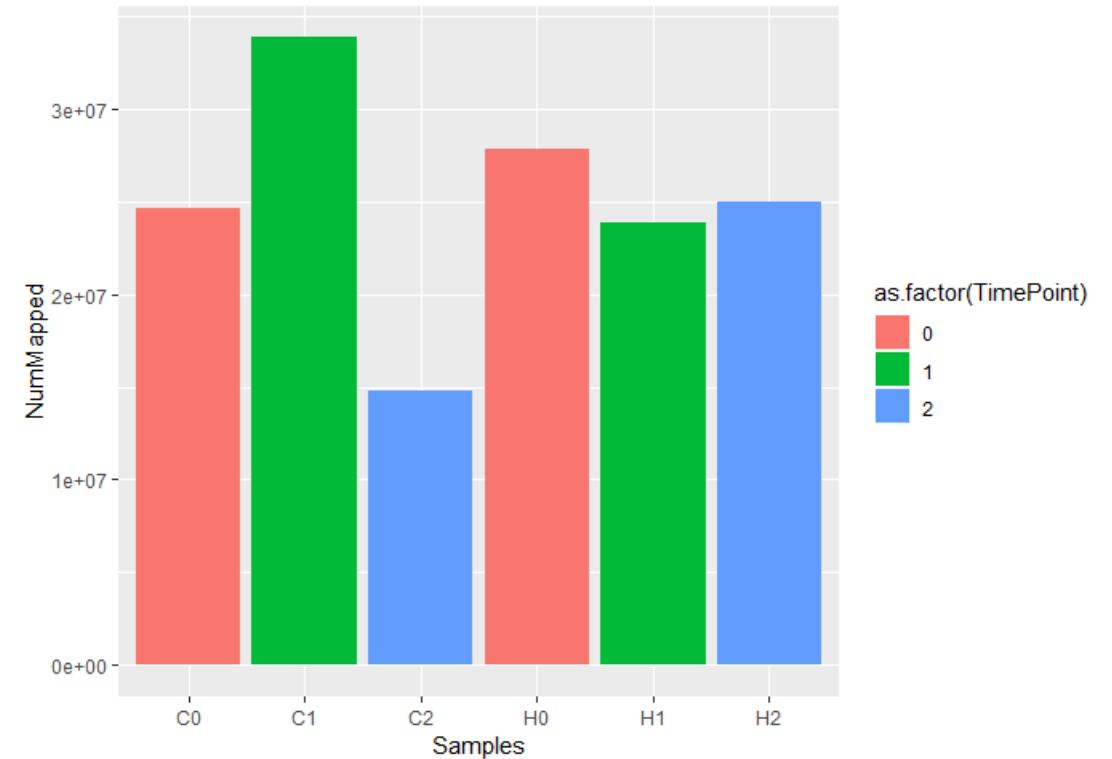
`fill = Species`

ggplot2: Building a Plot - bar

Try changing the fill to different variables. Instead of Species, try TimePoint.



```
ggplot(data = prop.reads) +  
  geom_bar(mapping = aes(x = Samples, y = NumMapped, fill = TimePoint), stat = "identity")
```

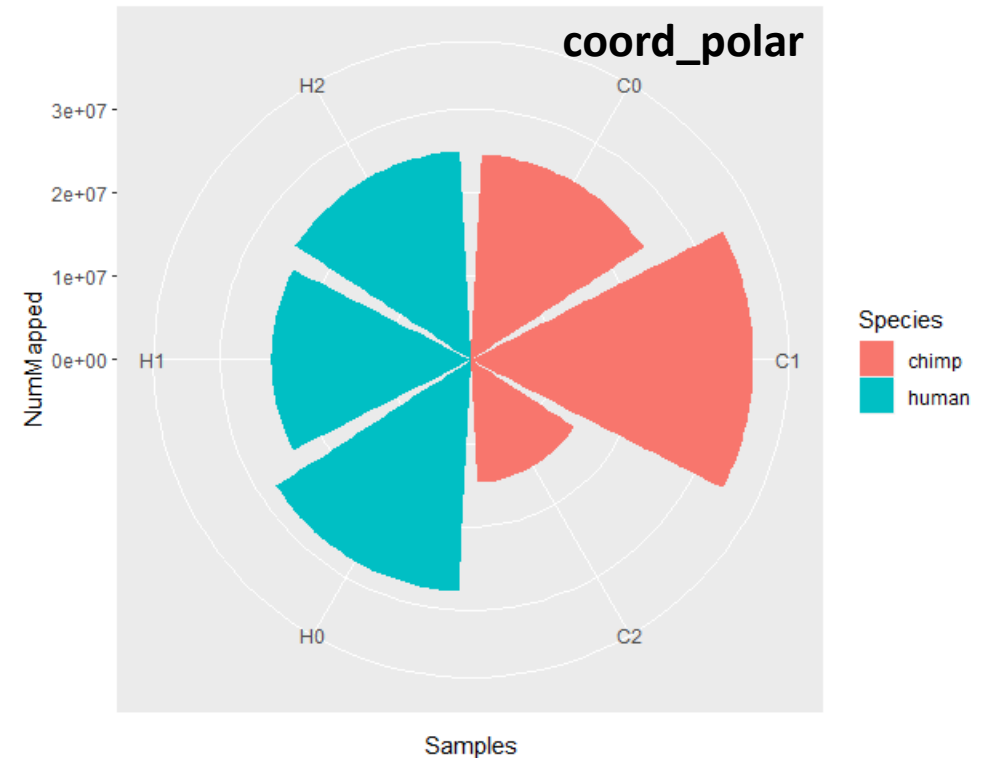
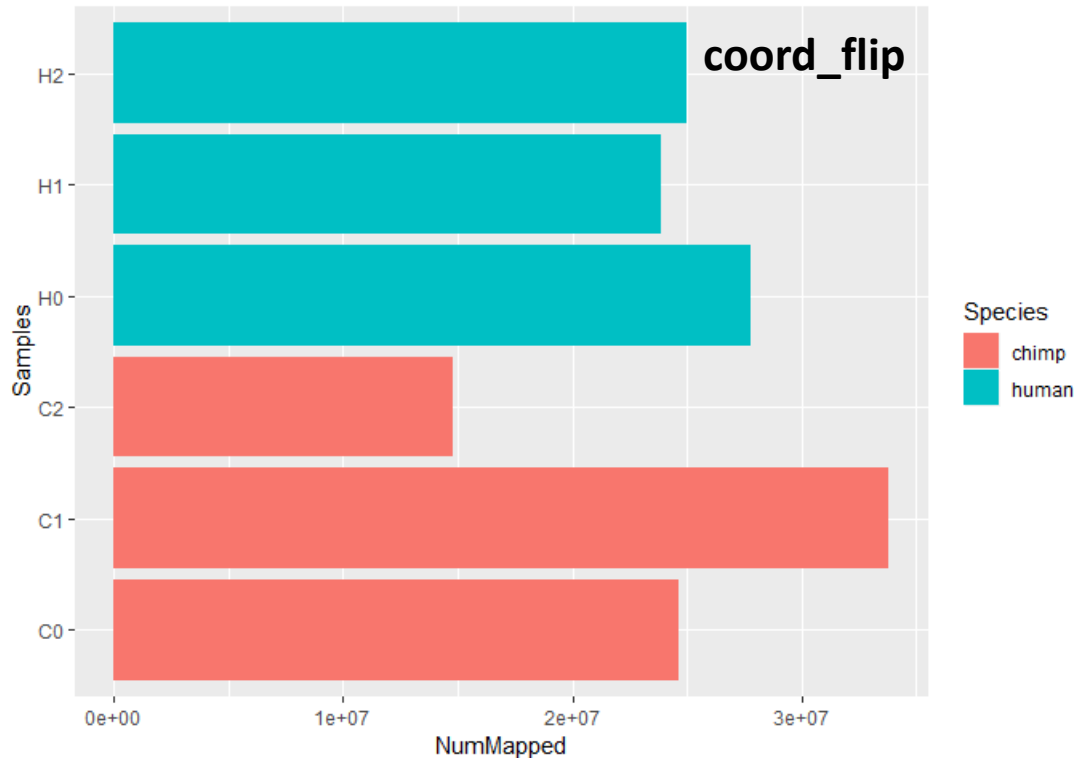


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ggplot2: Building a Plot - bar

supplying data
mapping aesthetics
defining geometric
describing statistic
adjusting coordinate

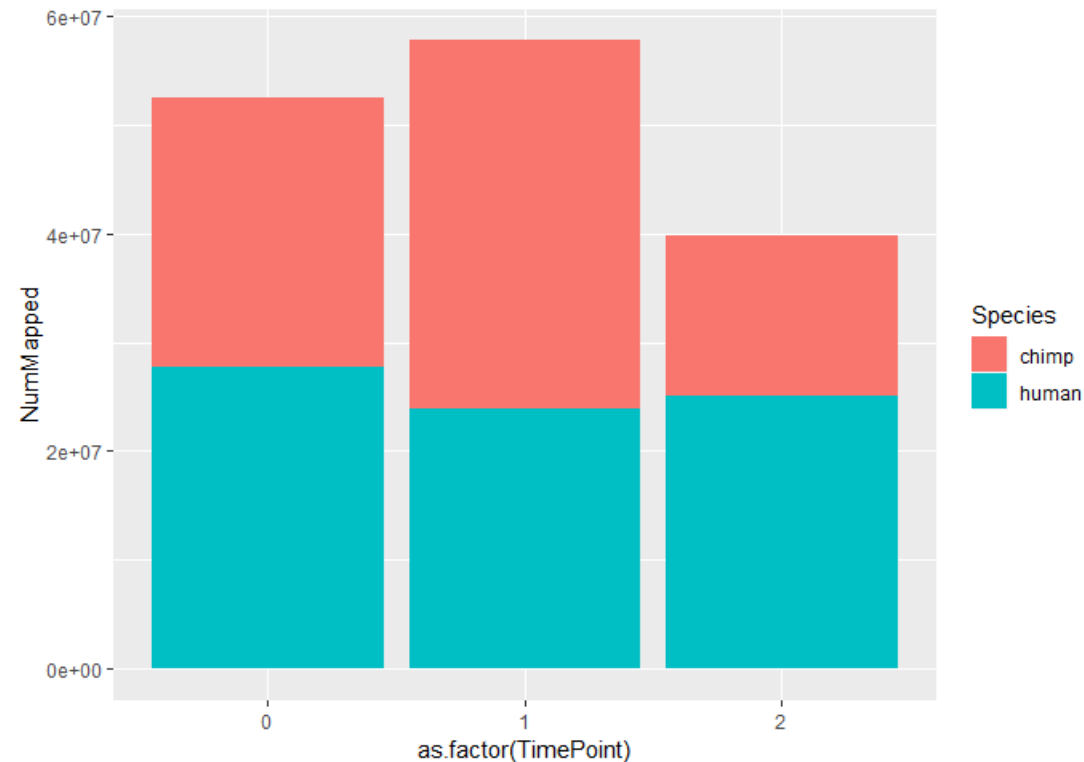
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defining geometric
describing statistic

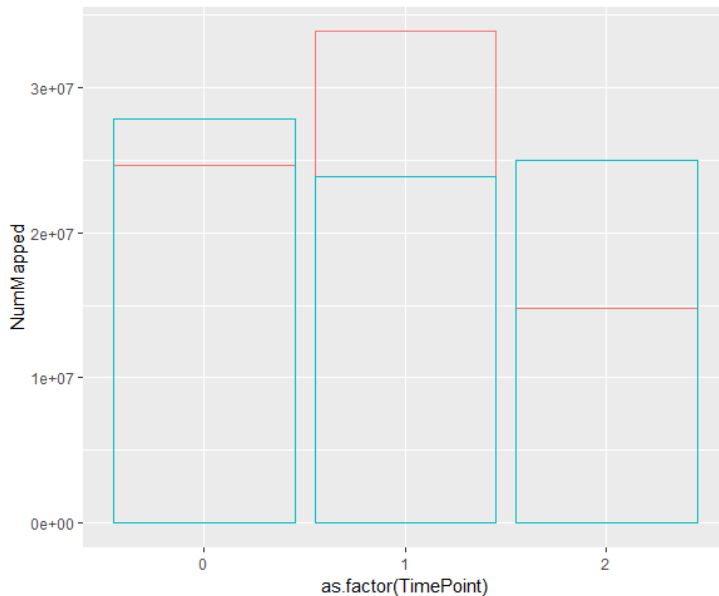
```
ggplot(data = prop.reads) +  
  geom_bar(  
    mapping = aes(x = as.factor(TimePoint), y = NumMapped,  
                  fill = Species),  
    stat = "identity"  
  )
```



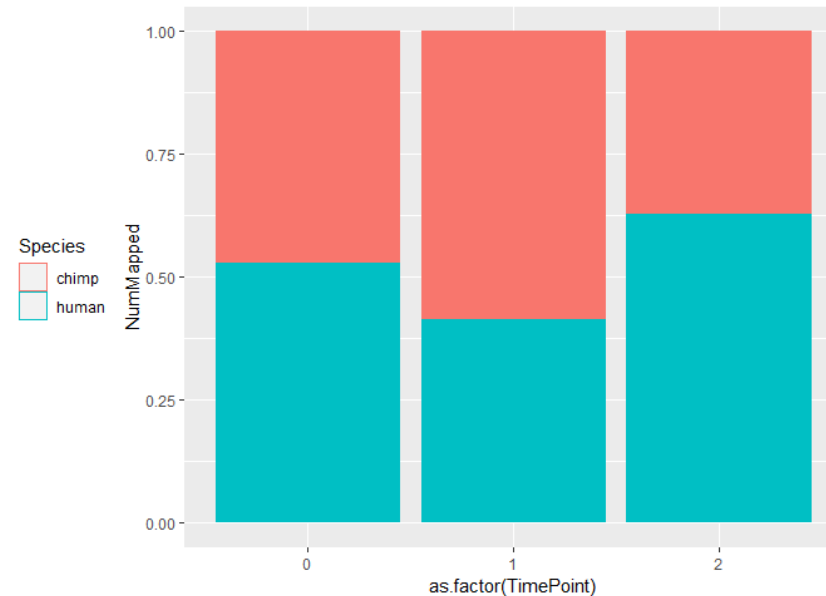
ggplot2: Building a Plot - bar

supplying data
mapping aesthetics
defining geometric
describing statistic
changing position

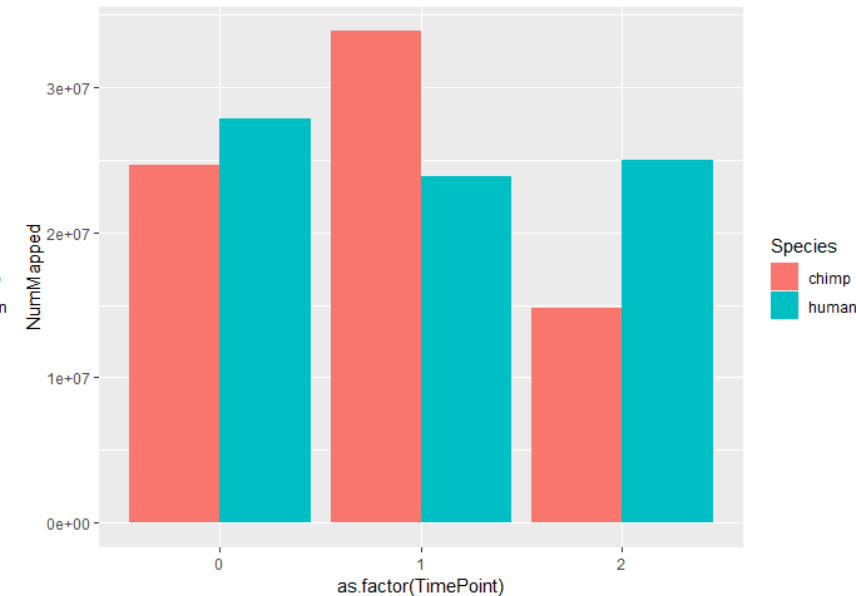
```
ggplot(data = prop.reads) +  
  geom_bar(  
    mapping = aes(x = as.factor(TimePoint), y = NumMapped,  
                  fill = Species),  
    stat = "identity",  
    position = <POSITION>  
  )
```



position = "identity"



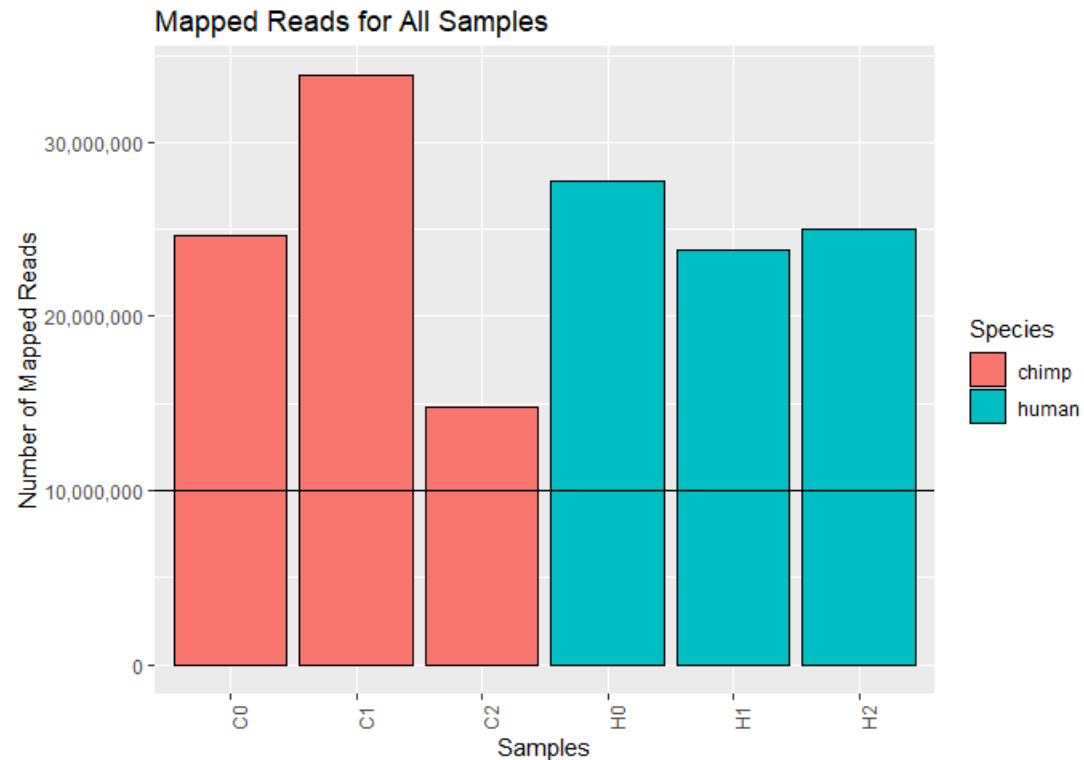
position = "fill"



position = "dodge"

ggplot2: Building a Plot - bar

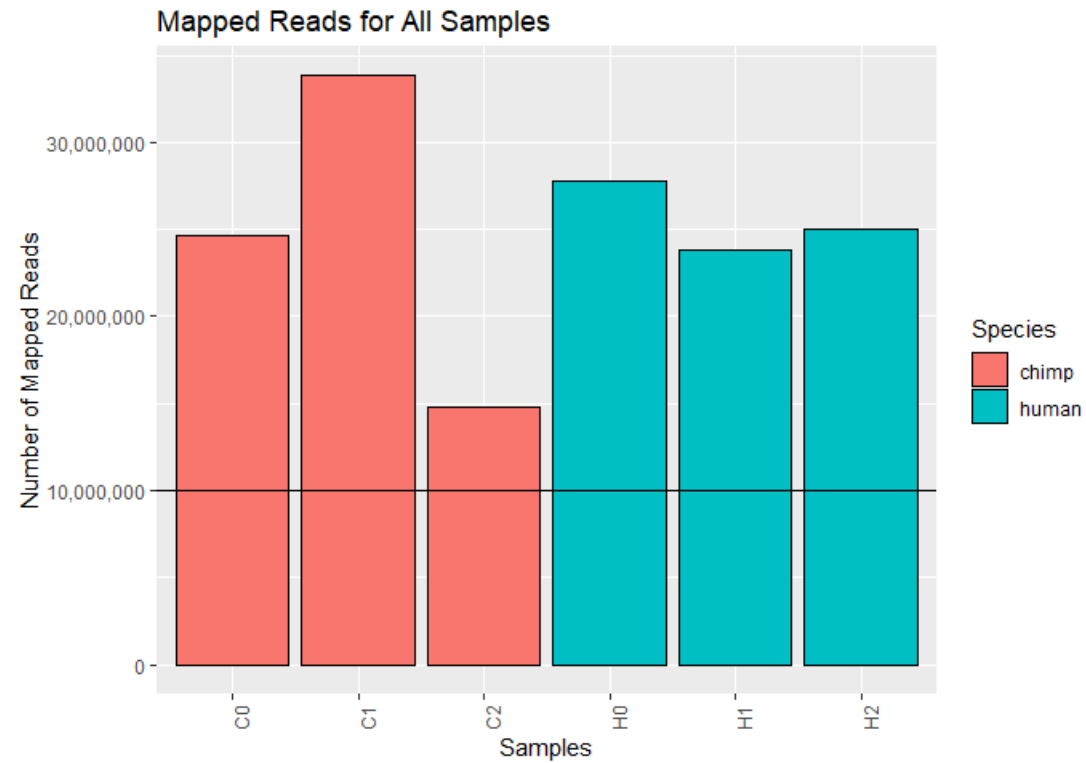
```
ggplot(data = prop.reads) +  
  geom_bar(mapping = aes(x = Samples, y = NumMapped, fill = Species), stat = "identity", color = "black") +  
  ggtitle("Mapped Reads for All Samples") +  
  ylab("Number of Mapped Reads") +  
  xlab("Samples") +  
  geom_hline(yintercept=10000000) +  
  theme(axis.text.x=element_text(angle=90, hjust=1)) +  
  scale_y_continuous(labels=comma)
```



ggplot2: Building a Plot - bar

```
ggplot(data = prop.reads) +  
  geom_bar(mapping = aes(x = Samples, y = sumMapped, fill = Species, stat = "identity", color = "black")) +  
  ggtitle("Mapped Reads for All Samples") +  
  ylab("Number of Mapped Reads") +  
  xlab("Samples") +  
  geom_hline(yintercept=10000000) +  
  theme(axis.text.x=element_text(angle=90, hjust=1)) +  
  scale_y_continuous(labels=comma)
```

Try other formatting changes to this figure.



ggplot2: Building a Plot - bar

Try plotting the number of total reads and unmapped reads per sample.



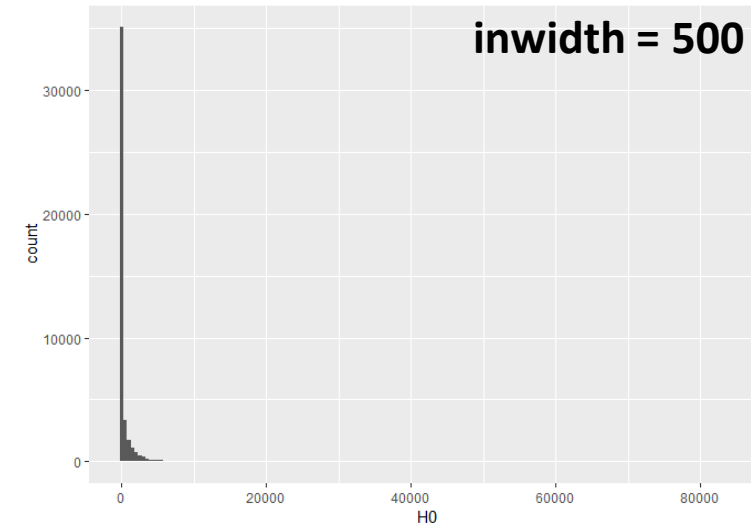
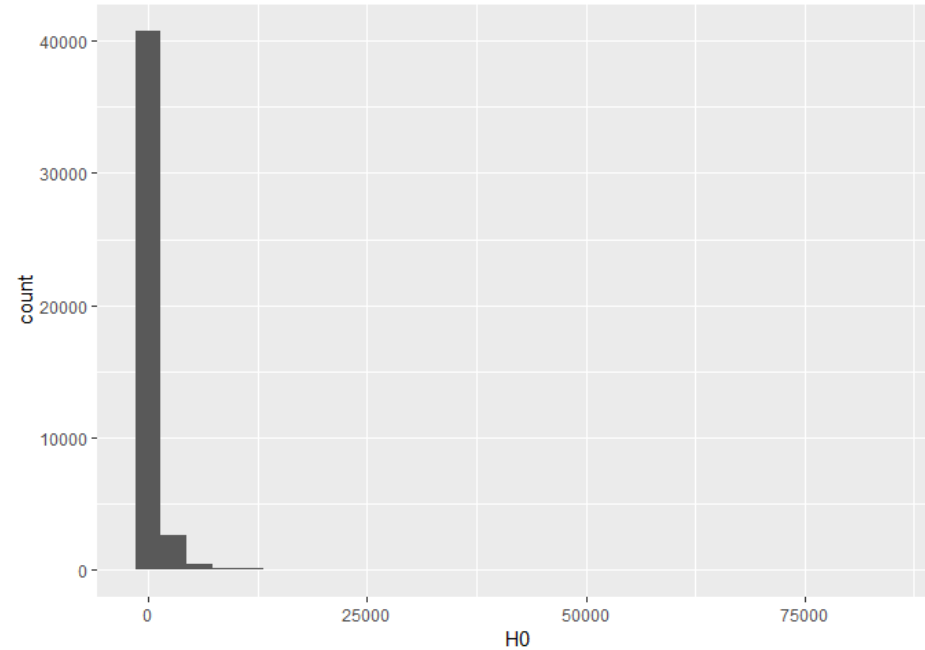
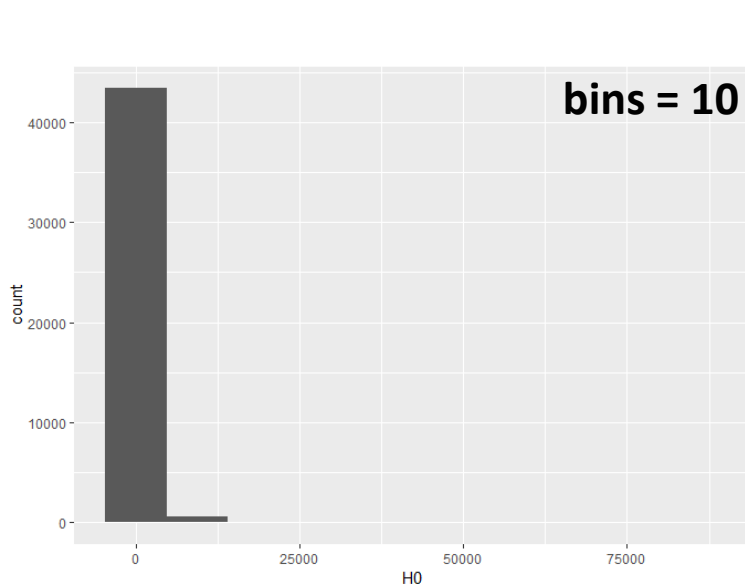
```
ggplot(data = prop.reads) +  
  geom_bar(mapping = aes(x = Samples, y = NumTotal, fill = Species), stat = "identity", color = "black") +  
  ggtitle("Total Reads for All Samples") +  
  ylab("Number of Total Reads") +  
  xlab("Samples") +  
  geom_hline(yintercept=10000000) +  
  theme(axis.text.x=element_text(angle=90, hjust=1)) +  
  scale_y_continuous(labels=comma)
```

```
ggplot(data = prop.reads) +  
  geom_bar(mapping = aes(x = Samples, y = NumUnmapped, fill = Species), stat = "identity", color = "black") +  
  ggtitle("Unmapped Reads for All Samples") +  
  ylab("Number of Unmapped Reads") +  
  xlab("Samples") +  
  geom_hline(yintercept=10000000) +  
  theme(axis.text.x=element_text(angle=90, hjust=1)) +  
  scale_y_continuous(labels=comma)
```

ggplot2: Building a Plot - histogram

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mapping aesthetics
defining geometric

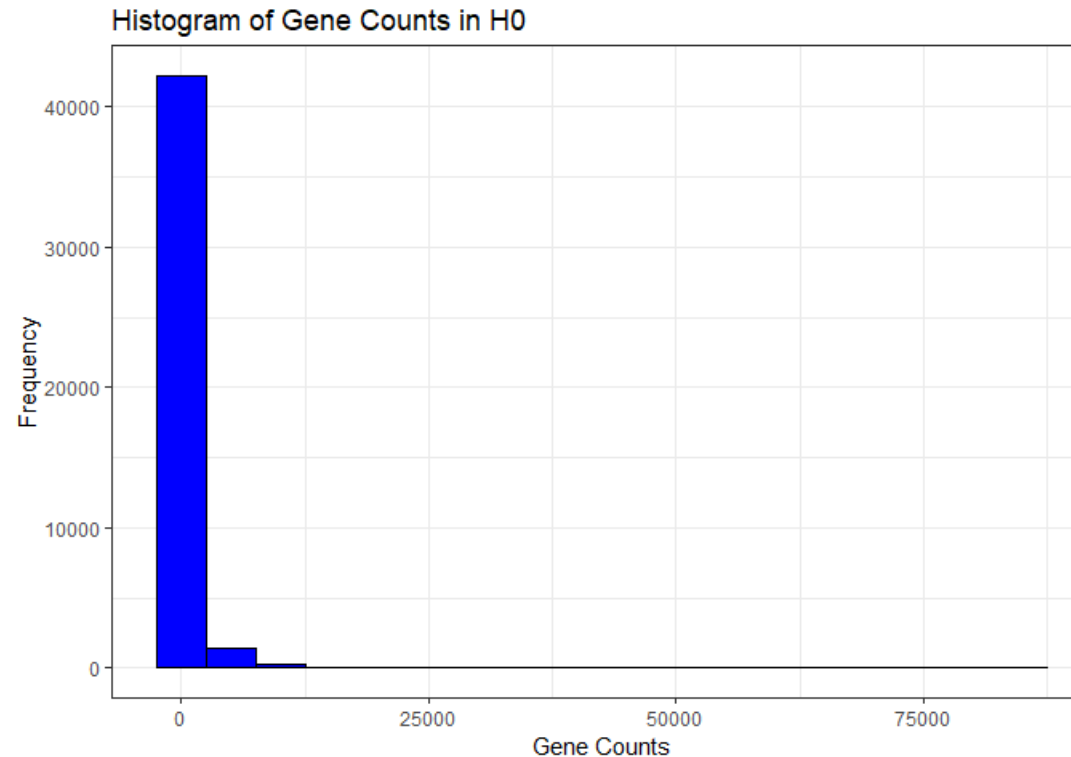
```
ggplot(data = gene.counts, mapping = aes(x = H0)) +  
  geom_histogram()
```



ggplot2: Building a Plot - histogram

EXERCISE

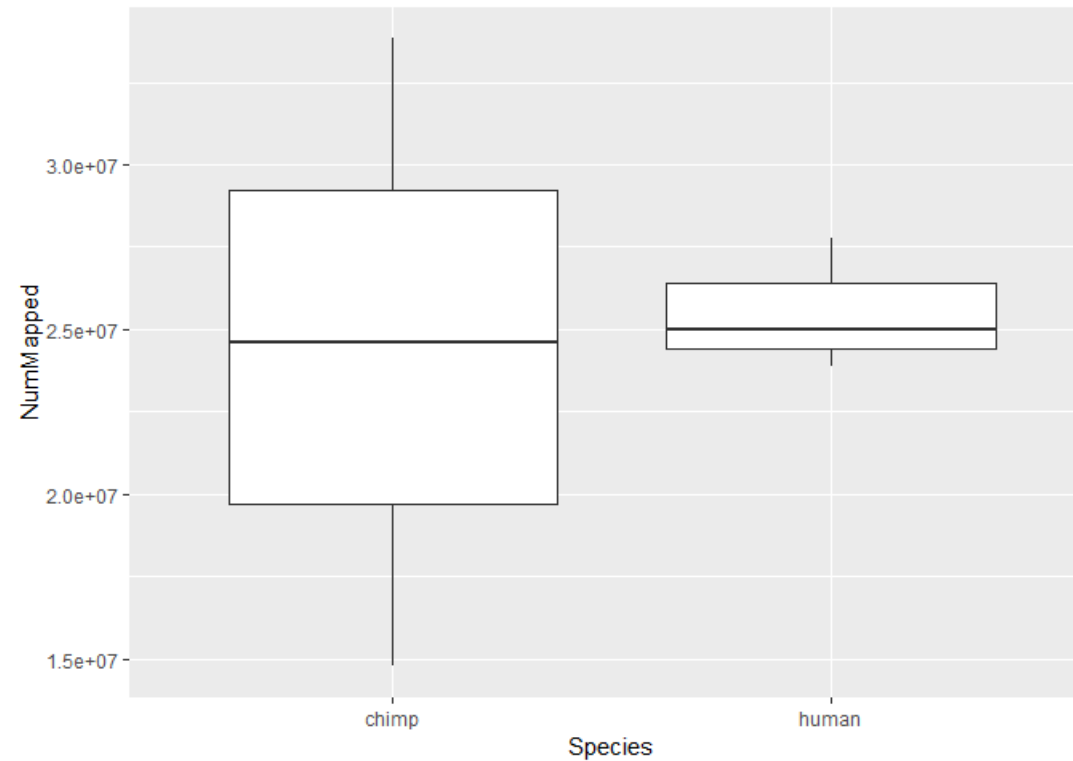
```
ggplot(data = gene.counts, mapping = aes(x = H0)) +  
  geom_histogram(binwidth = 5000, fill = "blue", color = "black") +  
  labs(title = "Histogram of Gene Counts in H0", y = "Frequency", x = "Gene Counts") +  
  theme_bw()
```



ggplot2: Building a Plot - boxplot

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mapping aesthetics
defining geometric

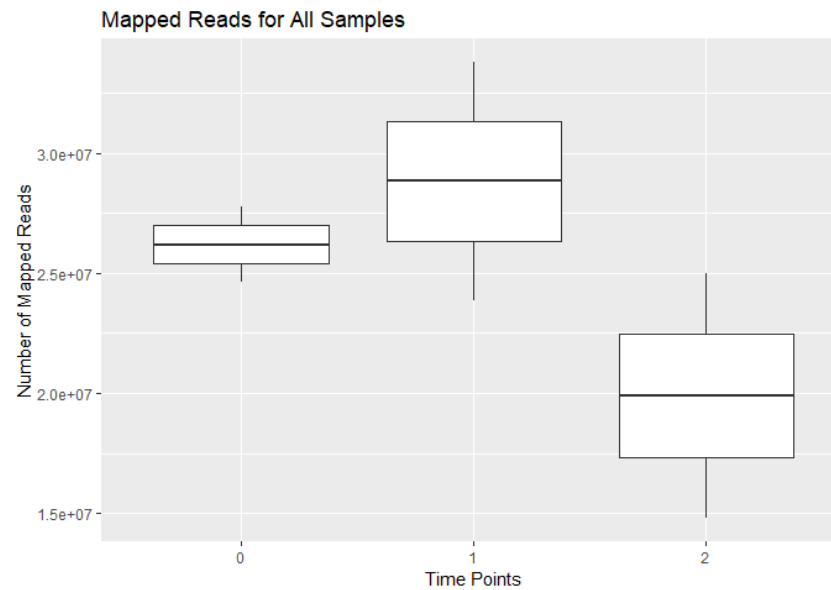
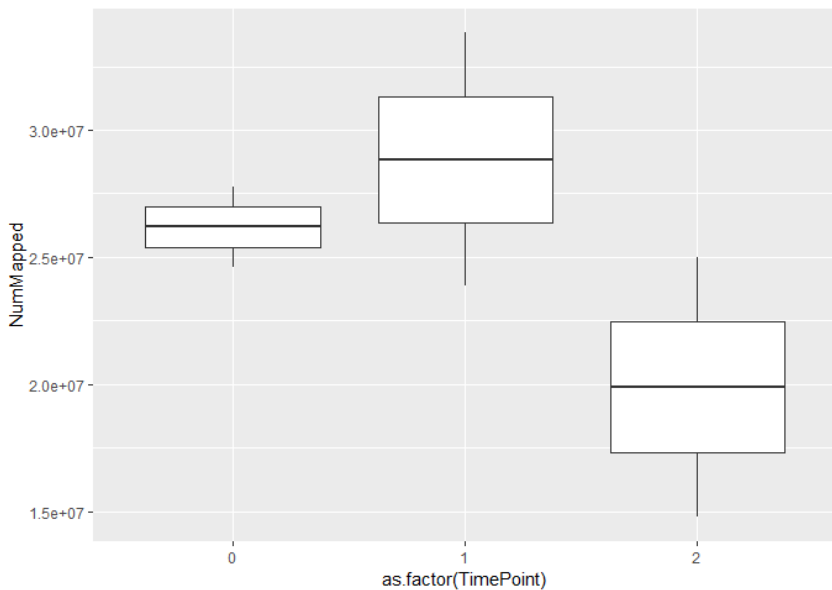
```
ggplot(data = prop.reads) +  
  geom_boxplot(  
    mapping = aes(x = Species, y = NumMapped)  
  )
```



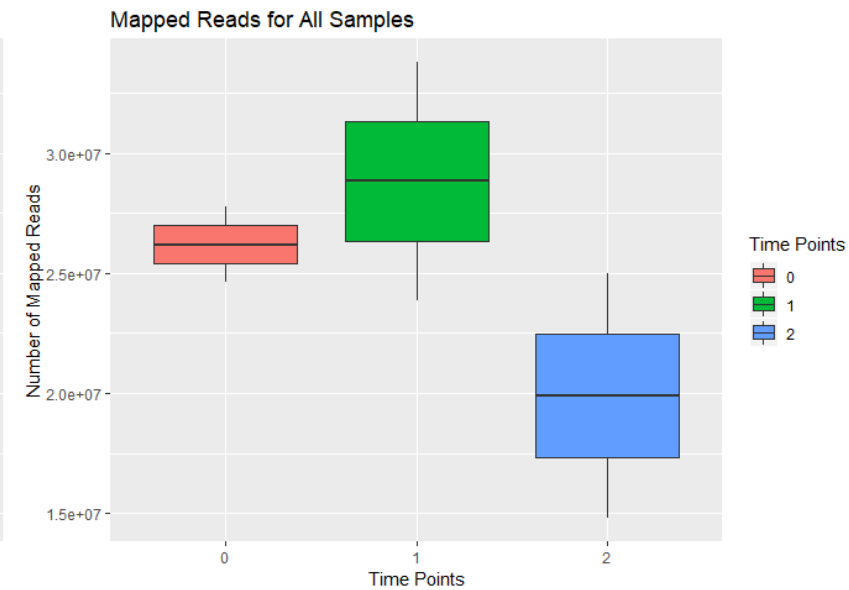
ggplot2: Building a Plot - boxplot

supplying data
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defining geometric

```
ggplot(data = prop.reads) +  
  geom_boxplot(  
    mapping = aes(x = as.factor(TimePoint), y = NumMapped)  
  )
```



+ labs()

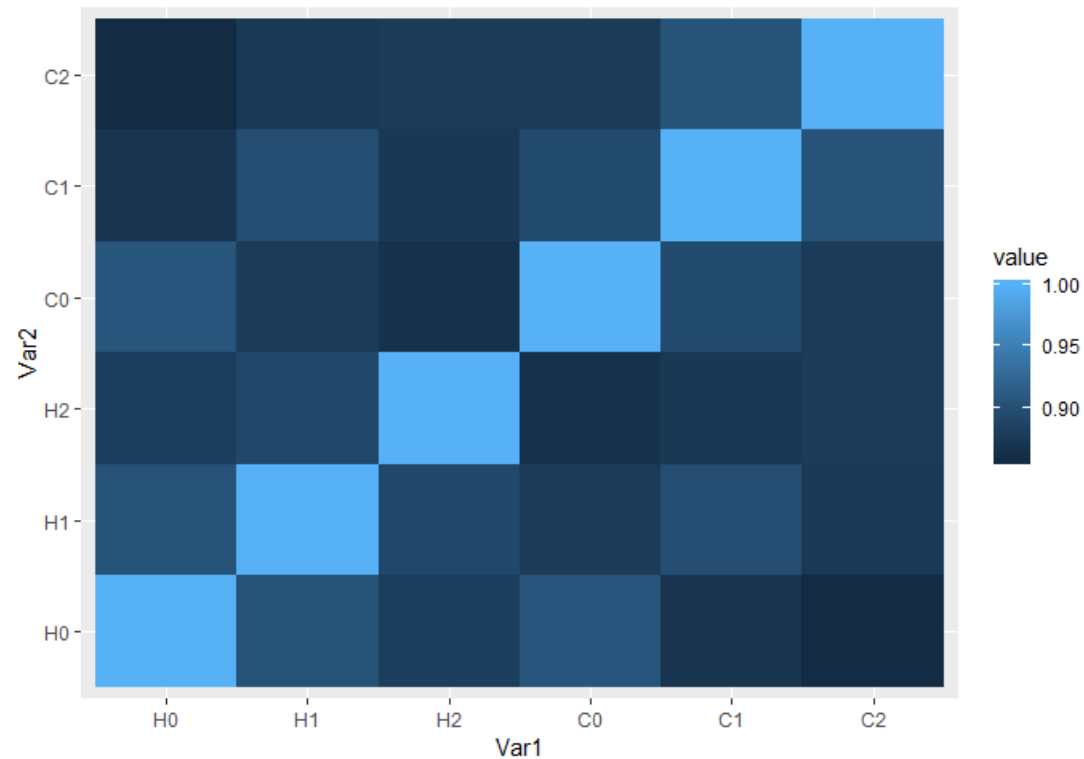


+ labs() + guides()

ggplot2: Building a Plot - heatmap

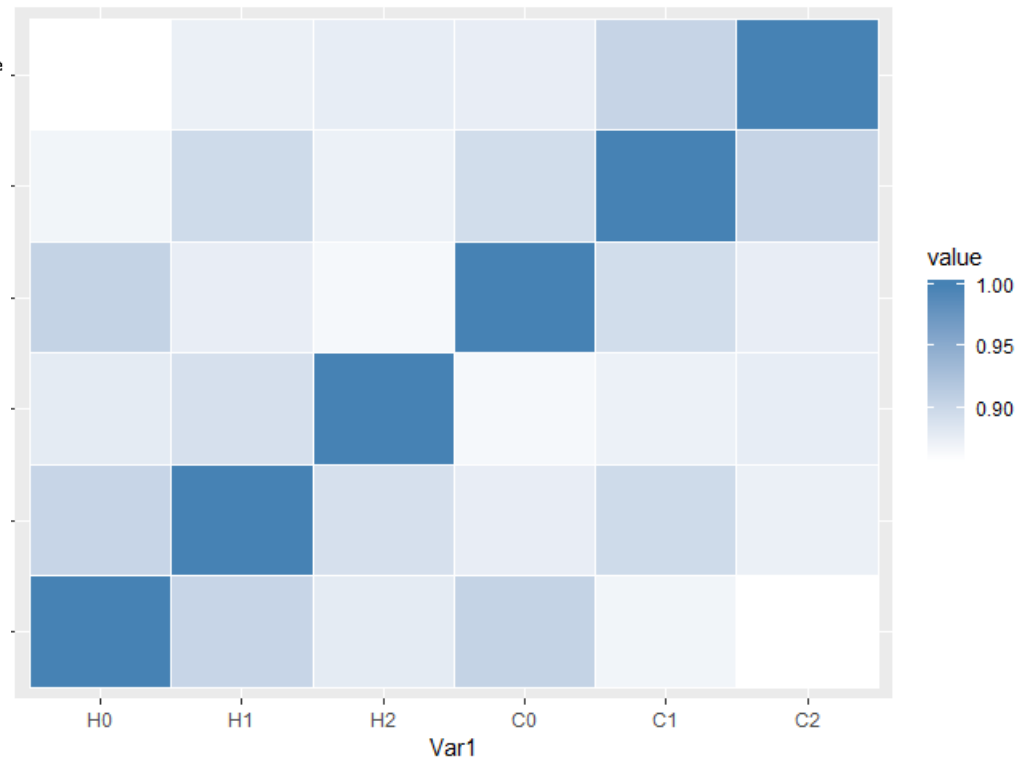
supplying data
mapping aesthetics
defining geometric

```
ggplot(data = cors.melt) +  
  geom_tile(mapping = aes(x=Var1, y=Var2, fill=value))
```



ggplot2: Building a Plot - heatmap

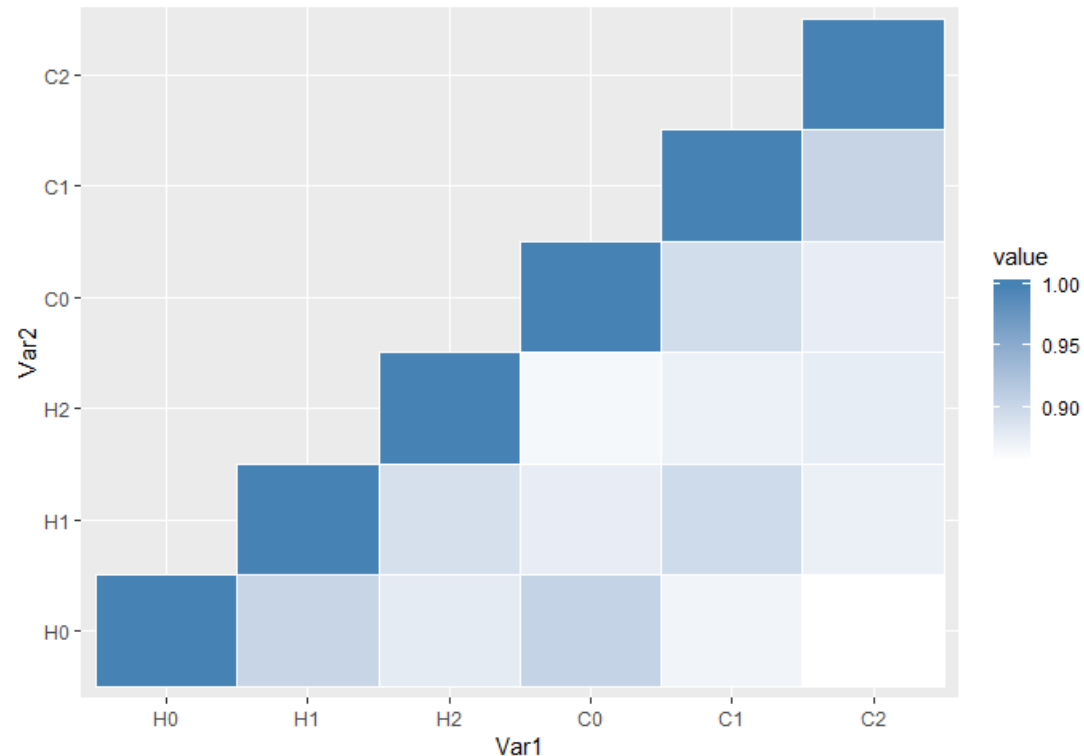
```
ggplot(data = cors.melt) +  
  geom_tile(mapping = aes(x=Var1, y=Var2, fill=value), color =  
  scale_fill_gradient(low = "white", high = "steelblue")
```



ggplot2: Building a Plot - heatmap

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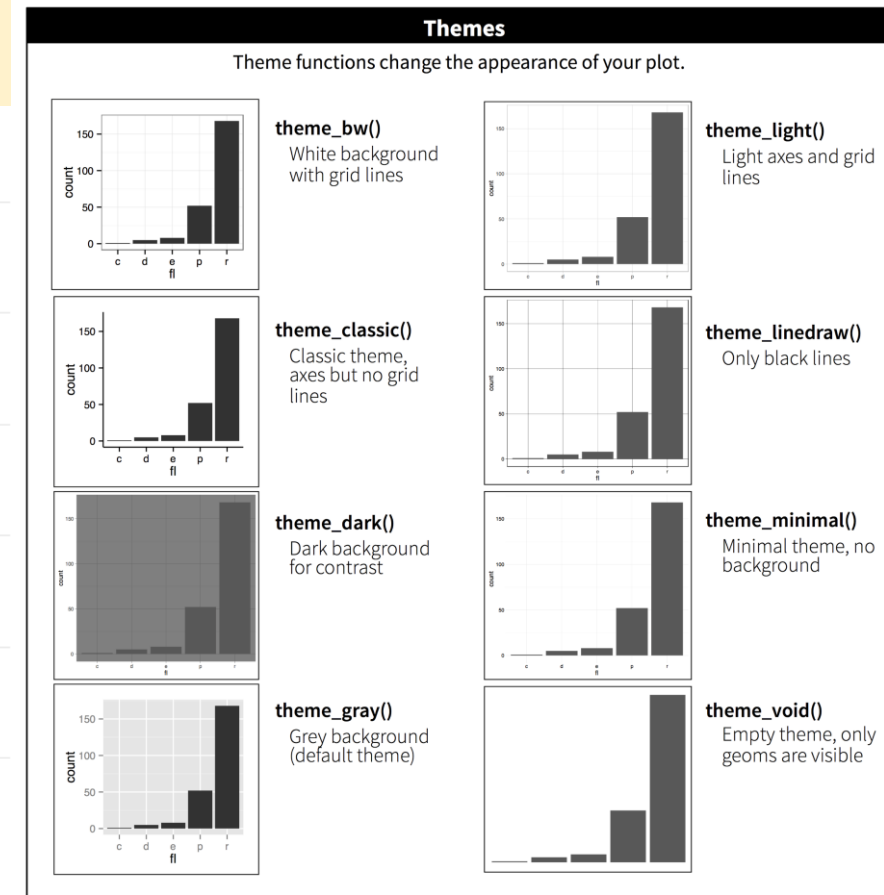
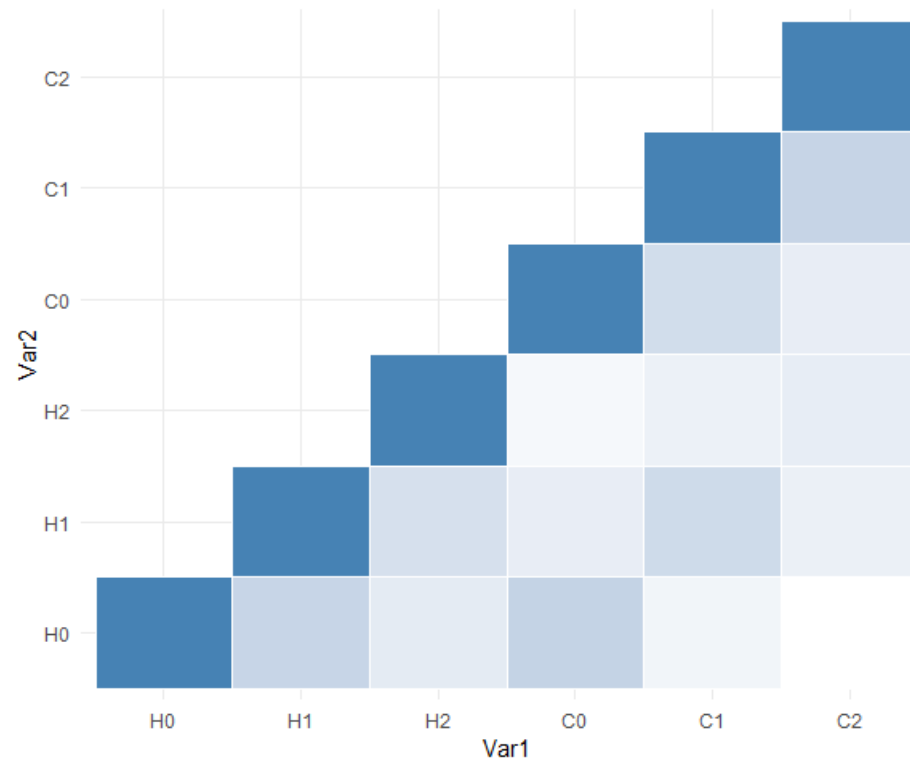
```
ggplot(data = half.cors.melt) +  
  geom_tile(mapping = aes(x=Var1, y=Var2, fill=value), colour = "white") +  
  scale_fill_gradient(low = "white", high = "steelblue")
```



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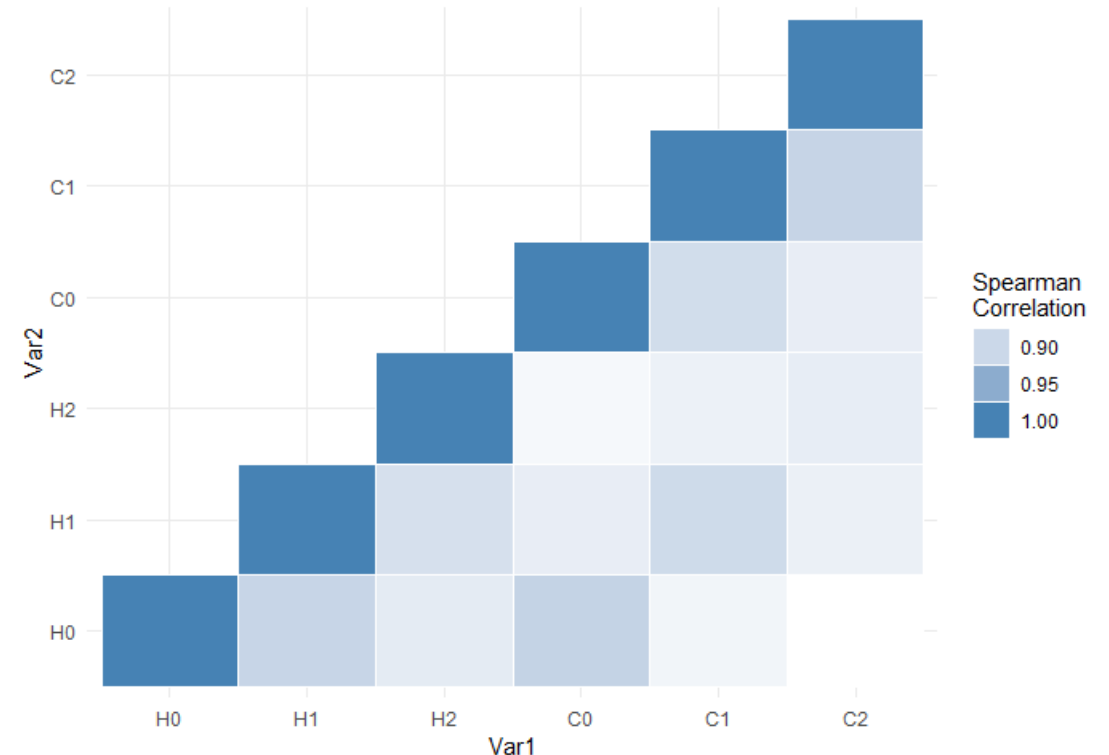
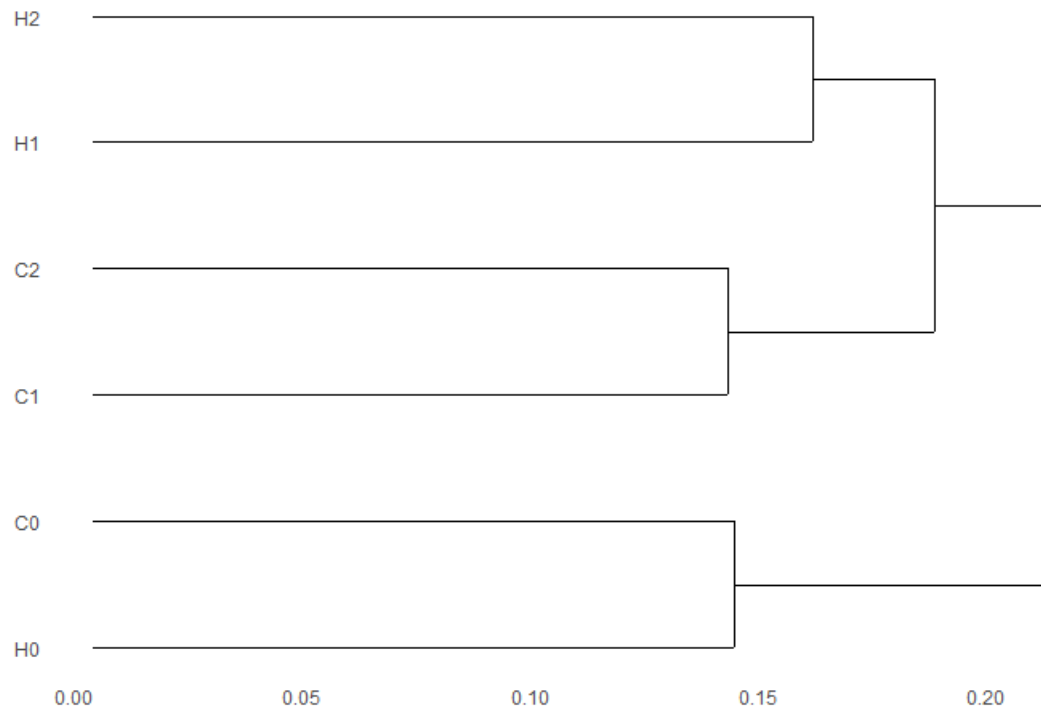
```
ggplot(data = half.cors.melt) +  
  geom_tile(mapping = aes(x=Var1, y=Var2, fill=value), colour = "white") +  
  scale_fill_gradient(low = "white", high = "steelblue", name =  
    "Spearman\nCorrelation", guide = guide_legend()) +  
  guides(fill = guide_legend(title.vjust = 0.1)) +  
  theme_minimal()
```



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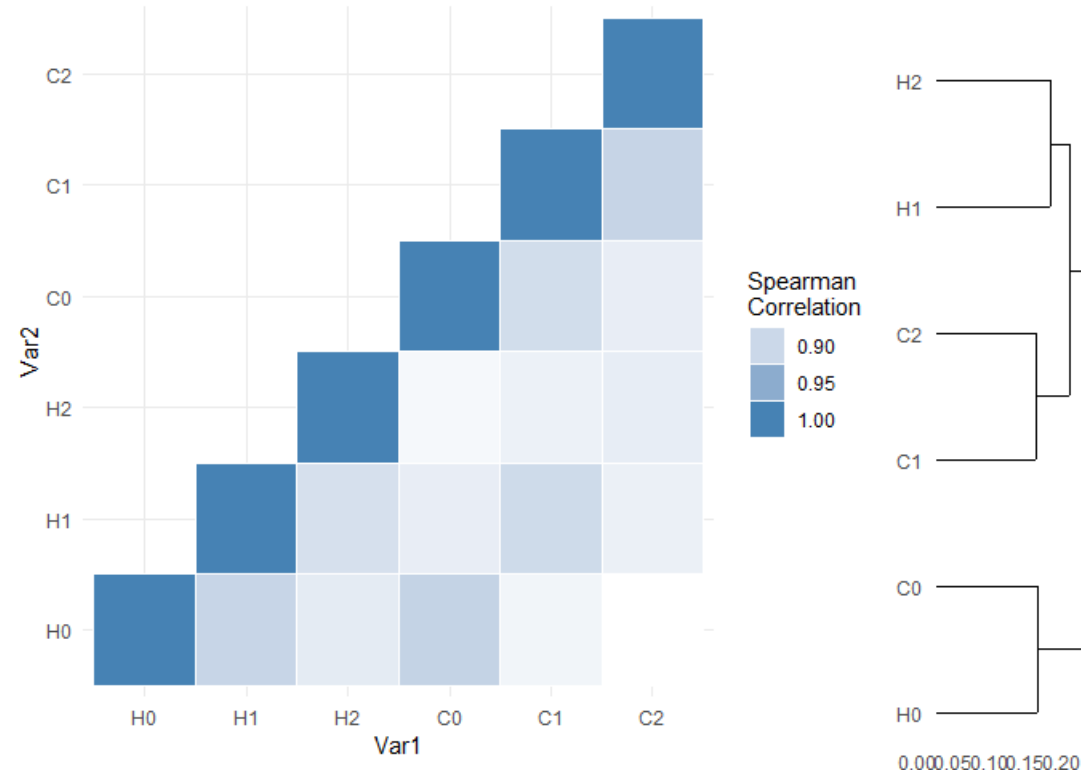
```
dendro.plot <- ggdendrogram(data = cors.dendro, rotate = TRUE)
heatmap.plot <- ggplot(data = half.cors.melt) +
  geom_tile(mapping = aes(x=Var1, y=Var2, fill=value), color = "white") +
  scale_fill_gradient(low = "white", high = "steelblue", name =
    "Spearman\nCorrelation", guide = guide_legend()) +
  guides(fill = guide_legend(title.vjust = 0.1)) +
  theme_minimal()
```



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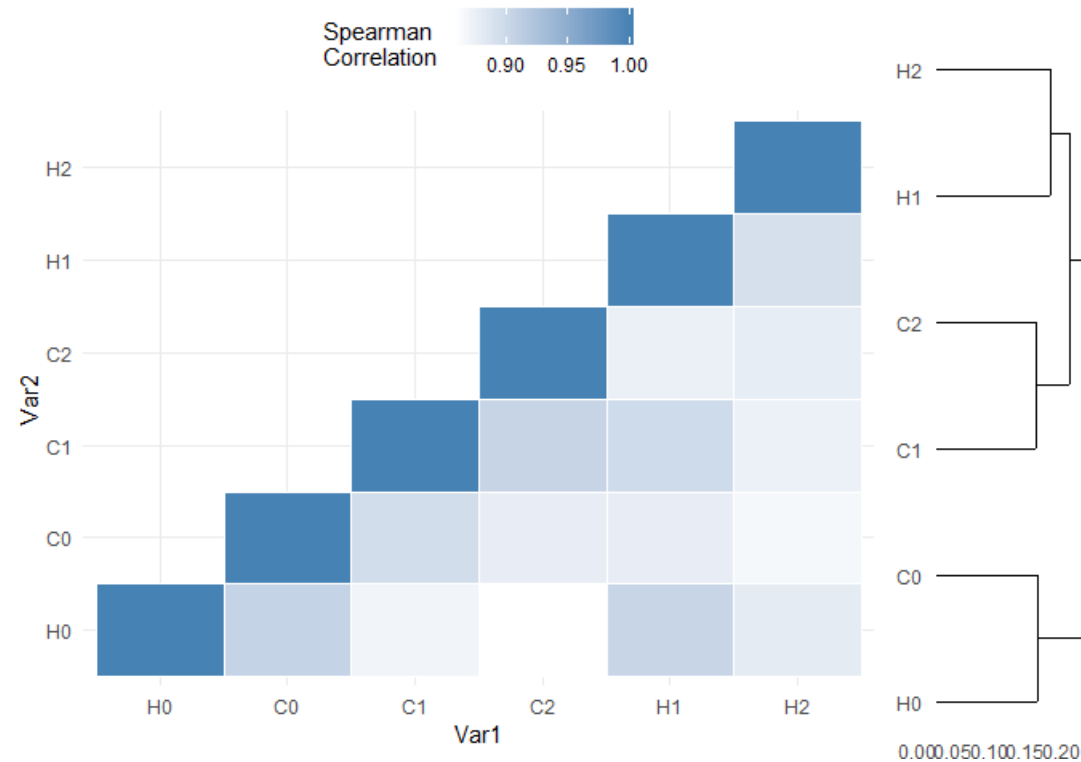
```
grid.newpage()  
print(heatmap.plot, vp = viewport(x = 0.4, y = 0.5, width = 0.8, height = 1.0))  
print(dendro.plot, vp = viewport(x = 0.90, y = 0.445, width = 0.2, height = 1.0))
```



ggplot2: Building a Plot - heatmap

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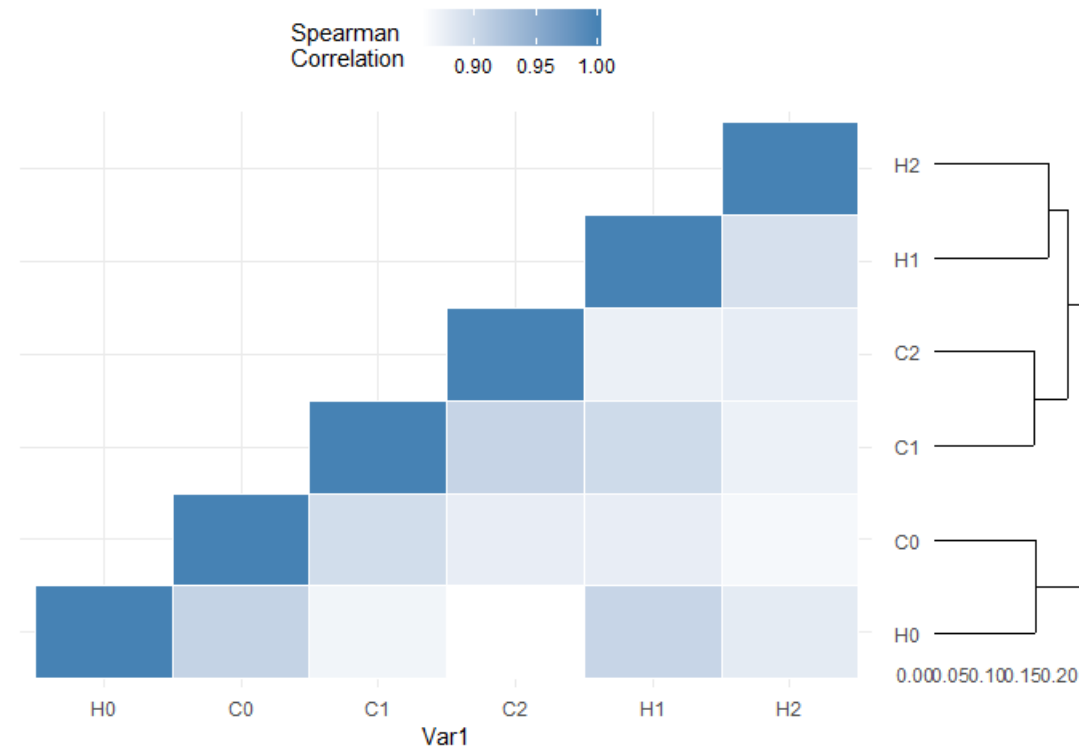
```
grid.newpage()  
print(heatmap.plot, vp = viewport(x = 0.4, y = 0.5, width = 0.8, height = 1.0))  
print(dendro.plot, vp = viewport(x = 0.90, y = 0.445, width = 0.2, height = 1.0))
```



ggplot2: Building a Plot - heatmap

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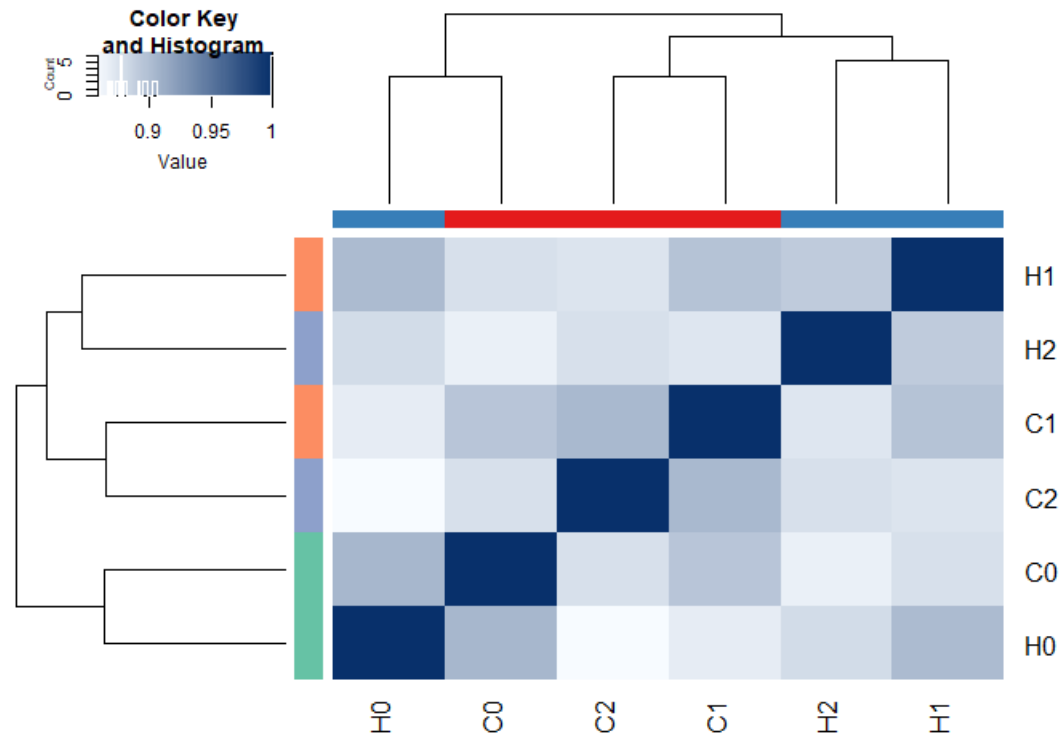
```
grid.newpage()  
print(heatmap.plot, vp = viewport(x = 0.4, y = 0.5, width = 0.8, height = 1.0))  
print(dendro.plot, vp = viewport(x = 0.90, y = 0.43, width = 0.2, height = 0.77))
```



ggplot2: Building a Plot - heatmap

EXERCISE

```
heatmap.2(cors, distfun=dist, hclustfun=hclust, dendrogram="both",
          scale="none", trace='none', col=colors, denscol="white",
          ColSideColors=pal[as.integer(as.factor(sample.details$Species))],
          RowSideColors=pal[as.integer(as.factor(sample.details$TimePoint))+9])
```



ggplot2: Saving Plots

Option #1: ggsave()

```
ggplot(data = scores) +  
  geom_point(mapping = aes(x = PC1, y = PC2, color = Species))  
ggsave(filename = "PCA-plot1.png", path = "./", width = 10, height = 7)
```

Option #2: png(), pdf(), jpg()

```
png(filename = "./PCA-plot2.png", width = 10, height = 7, units = "in", res = 300)  
ggplot(data = scores) +  
  geom_point(mapping = aes(x = PC1, y = PC2, color = Species))  
dev.off()
```


ggplot2: Everything Else!

Information about additional functions can be found at:

<https://ggplot2.tidyverse.org/reference/>

[illegible]

Basics of Gviz

(can use ggbio as an alternative)

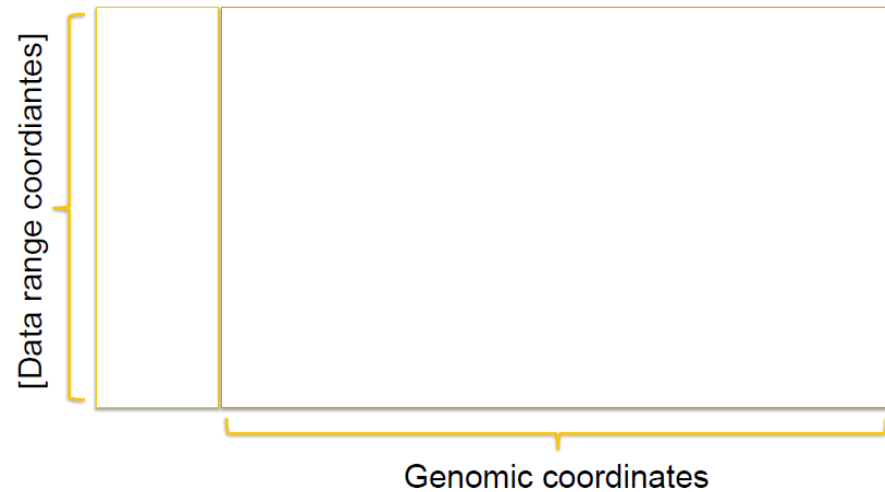
Gviz

- What
 - structured visualization framework to plot any type of data alongof large genomic coordinates
- When
 - integrated into Bioconductor 6.5 years ago
- Why
 - flexible and allows integration of publicly available genomic annotations (UCSC, ENSEMBL, biomaRt)
- How...

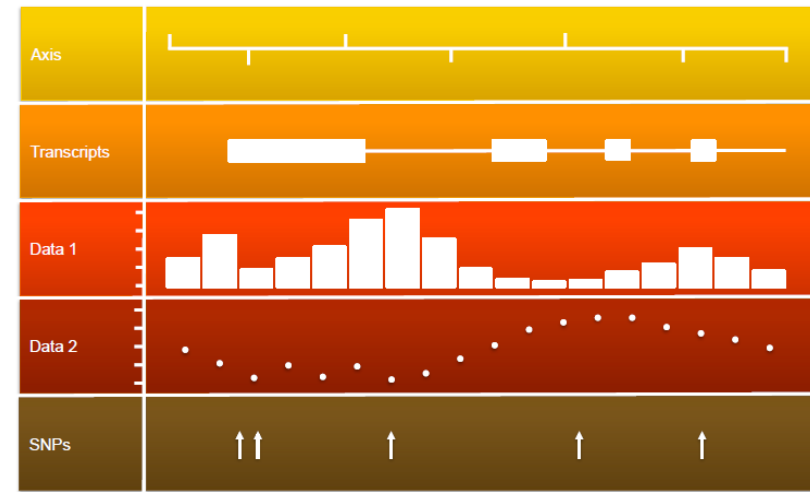
Gviz

- Layout similar to UCSC browser – different data types represented by different track classes

Track Layout



Track Panel Layout



Gviz: A Typical Session

```
GRanges object with 40977 ranges and 10 metadata columns:
```

	seqnames	ranges	strand	source	type	score	phase	H0	H1	H2	C0	C1	C2
	<Rle>	<IRanges>	<Rle>	<factor>	<factor>	<numeric>	<integer>	<character>	<character>	<character>	<character>	<character>	<character>
[1]	chr1	887132-887142	*	rtracklayer	sequence_feature	<NA>	<NA>	65	30	212	1	1	0
[2]	chr1	973495-973505	*	rtracklayer	sequence_feature	<NA>	<NA>	78	201	177	43	121	70
[3]	chr1	999920-999930	*	rtracklayer	sequence_feature	<NA>	<NA>	2	1	2	2	96	24
[4]	chr1	998123-998133	*	rtracklayer	sequence_feature	<NA>	<NA>	4	1	1	2	63	15
[5]	chr1	1008012-1008022	*	rtracklayer	sequence_feature	<NA>	<NA>	0	2	2	2	6	0
...
[40973]	chrY	22972174-22972184	*	rtracklayer	sequence_feature	<NA>	<NA>	0	0	0	0	0	0
[40974]	chrY	23023718-23023728	*	rtracklayer	sequence_feature	<NA>	<NA>	0	0	0	0	0	0
[40975]	chrY	23383479-23383489	*	rtracklayer	sequence_feature	<NA>	<NA>	0	0	0	0	0	0
[40976]	chrY	23476963-23476973	*	rtracklayer	sequence_feature	<NA>	<NA>	0	0	0	0	0	0
[40977]	chr6_mann_hap4	1821010-1821020	*	rtracklayer	sequence_feature	<NA>	<NA>	0	1	0	3	0	2

seqinfo: 93 sequences (1 circular) from hg19 genome

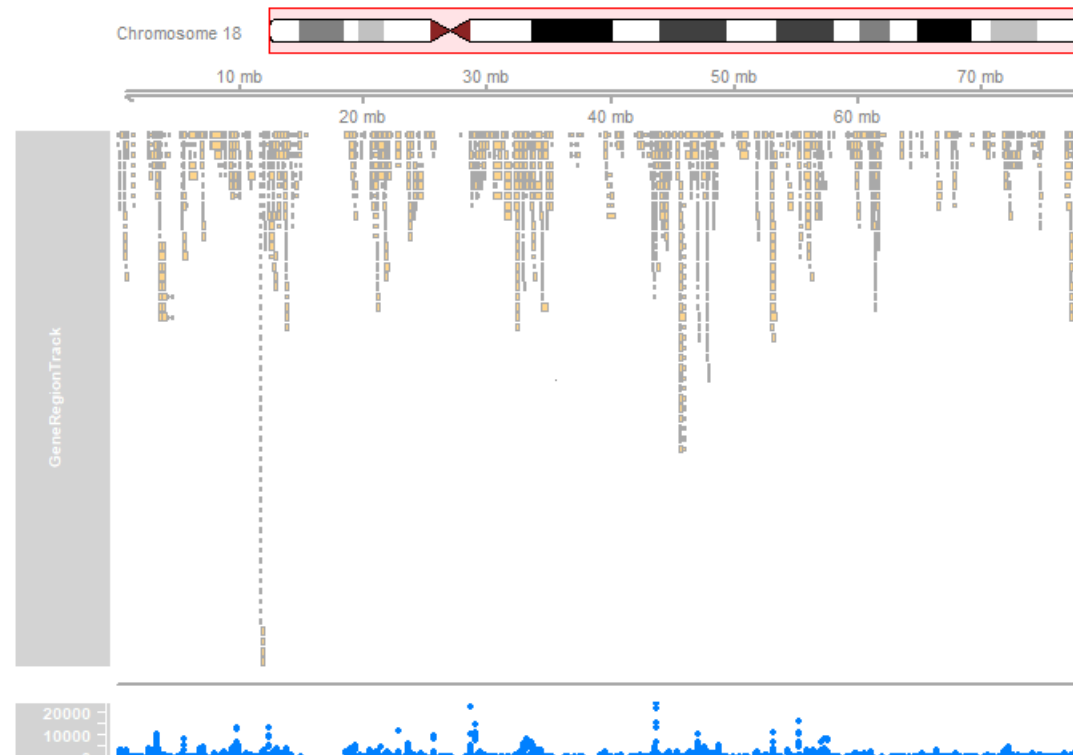
```
GRanges object with 40977 ranges and 6 metadata columns:
```

	seqnames	ranges	strand	H0	H1	H2	C0	C1	C2
	<Rle>	<IRanges>	<Rle>	<character>	<character>	<character>	<character>	<character>	<character>
[1]	chr1	887132-887142	*	65	30	212	1	1	0
[2]	chr1	973495-973505	*	78	201	177	43	121	70
[3]	chr1	999920-999930	*	2	1	2	2	96	24
[4]	chr1	998123-998133	*	4	1	1	2	63	15
[5]	chr1	1008012-1008022	*	0	2	2	2	6	0
...
[40973]	chrY	22972174-22972184	*	0	0	0	0	0	0
[40974]	chrY	23023718-23023728	*	0	0	0	0	0	0
[40975]	chrY	23383479-23383489	*	0	0	0	0	0	0
[40976]	chrY	23476963-23476973	*	0	0	0	0	0	0
[40977]	chr6_mann_hap4	1821010-1821020	*	0	1	0	3	0	2

seqinfo: 93 sequences (1 circular) from hg19 genome

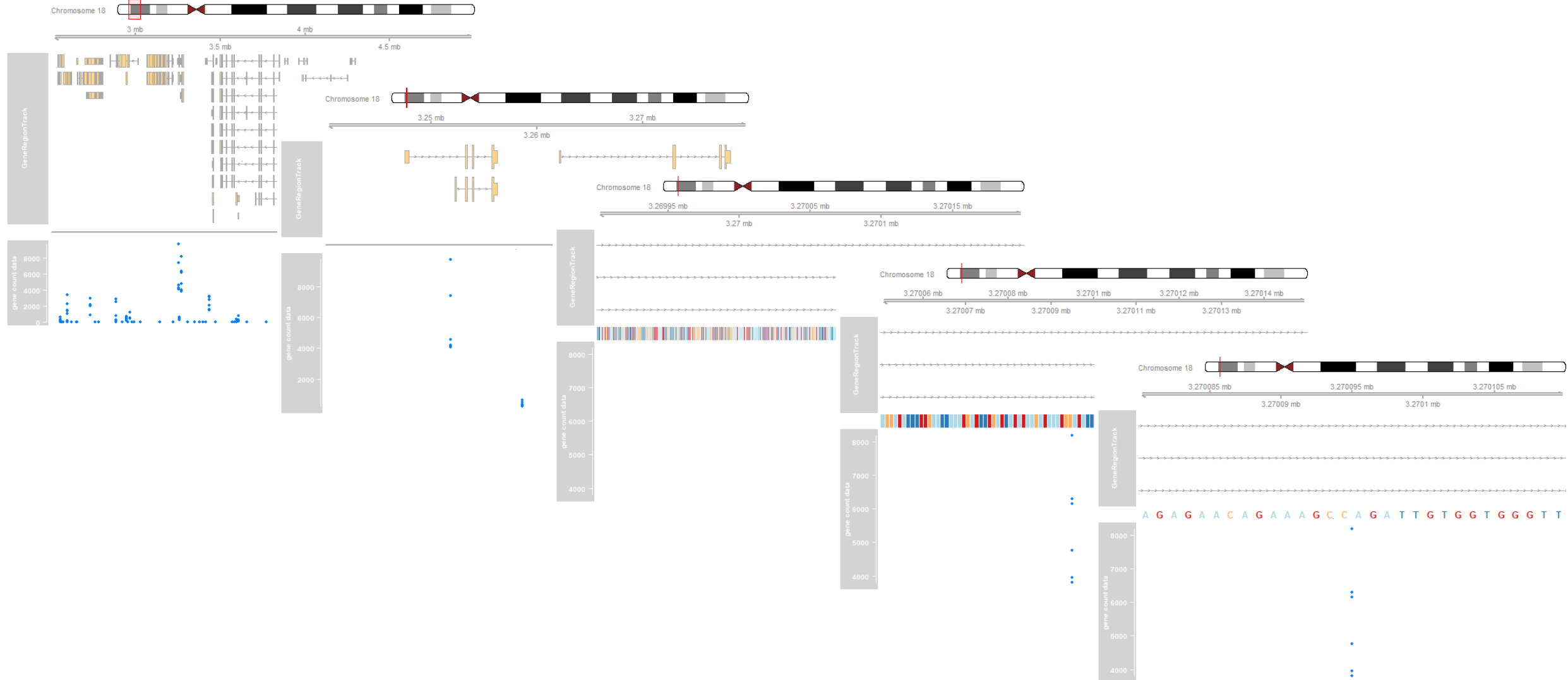
Gviz: A Typical Session

```
iTrack <- IdeogramTrack(genome = "hg19", chromosome = "chr18")
xTrack <- GenomeAxisTrack()
gTrack <- GeneRegionTrack(txdb, chromosome = "chr18")
sTrack <- SequenceTrack(Hsapiens, chromosome = "chr18")
dTrack <- DataTrack(gtf[seqnames(gtf) == "chr18"], name = "gene count data")
plotTracks(list(iTrack, xTrack, gTrack, sTrack, dTrack))
```



Gviz: A Typical Session - adjust view

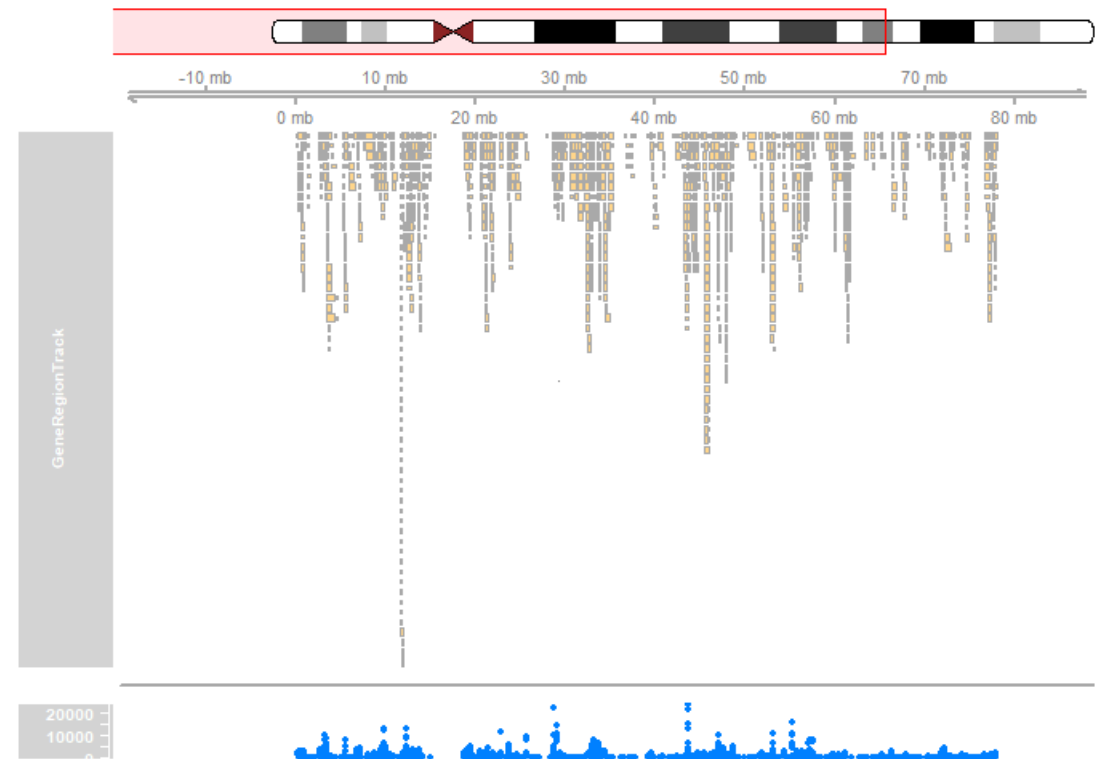
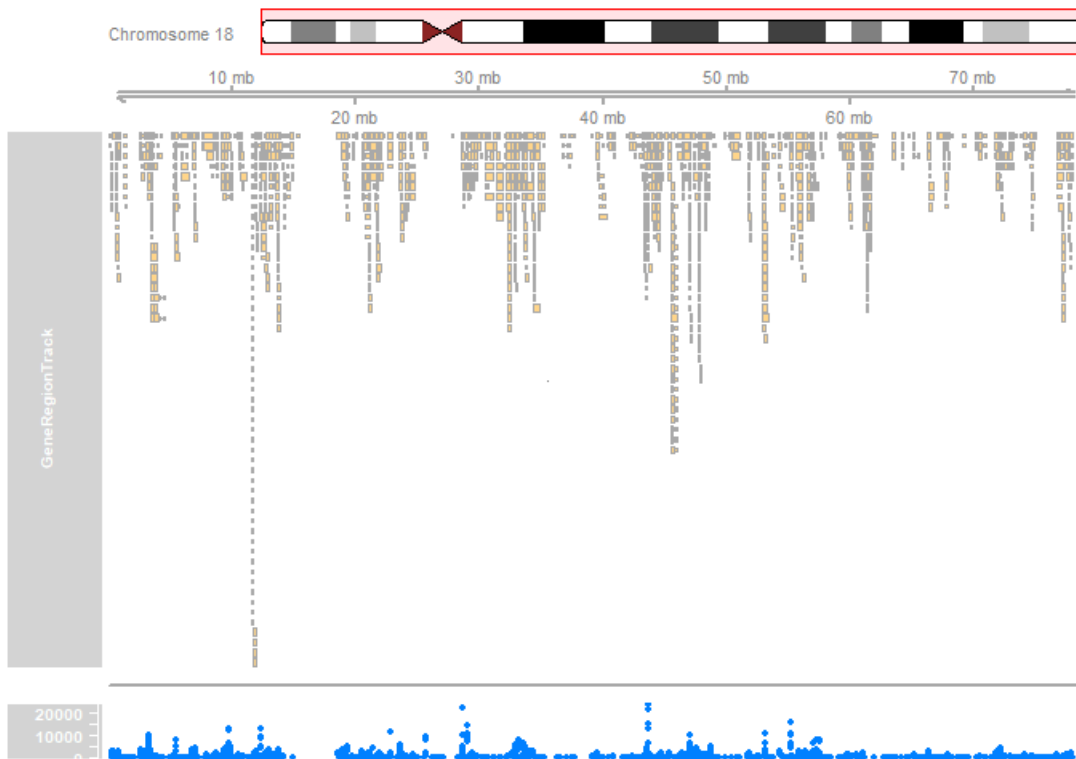
```
plotTracks(list(iTrack, xTrack, gTrack, sTrack, dTrack), from = 3270080, to = 3270110)
```



Gviz: A Typical Session - adjust view

```
plotTracks(list(iTrack, xTrack, gTrack, sTrack, dTrack))
```

```
plotTracks(list(iTrack, xTrack, gTrack,  
sTrack, dTrack), extend.left = 0.25,  
extend.right = 1e+07)
```

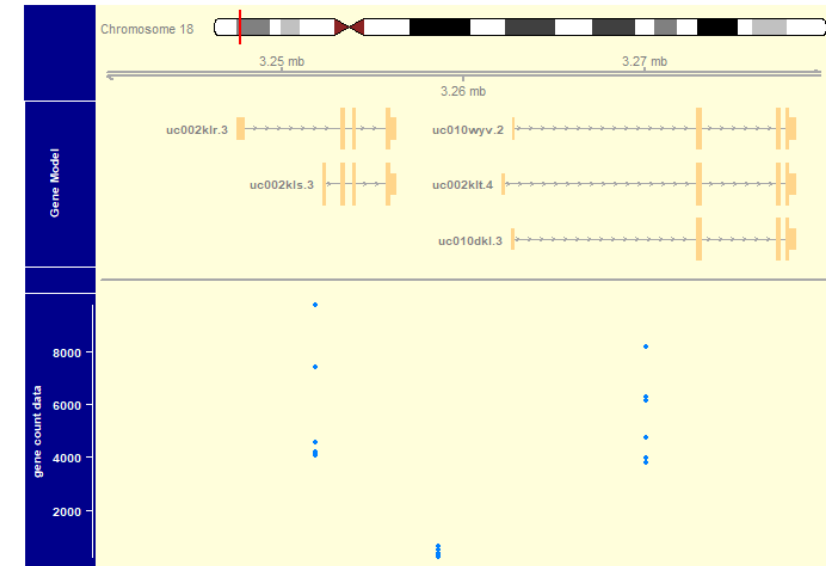
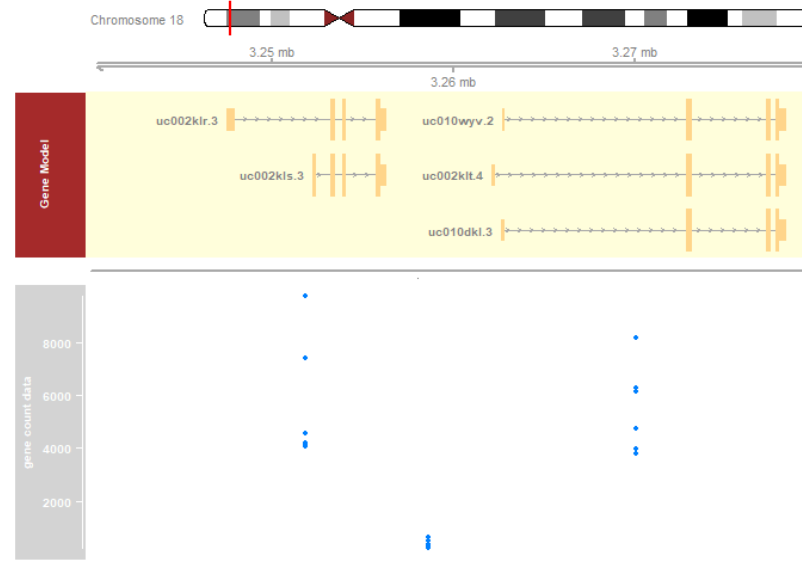
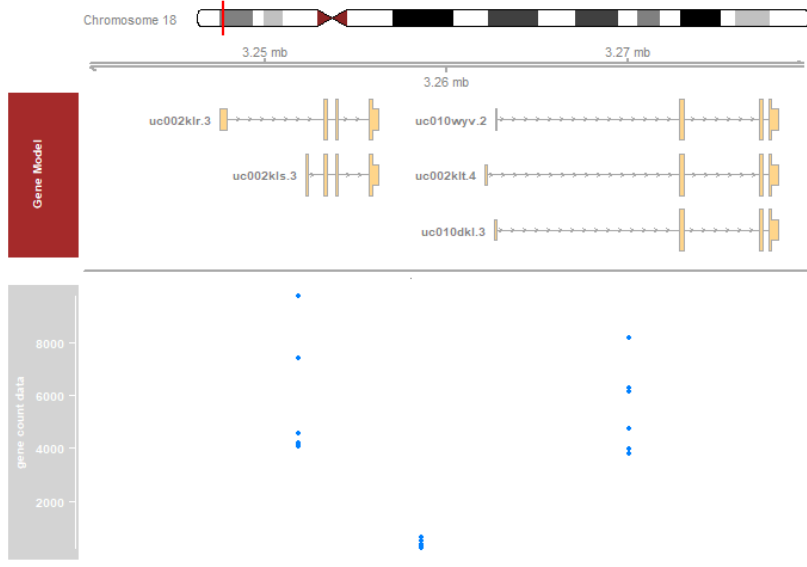


Gviz: A Typical Session – setting parameters

```
gTrack <- GeneRegionTrack(txdb,  
  chromosome = "chr18",  
  name = "Gene Model",  
  transcriptAnnotation =  
    "transcript",  
  background.title = "brown")  
  
plotTracks(list(iTrack, xTrack, gTrack,  
  sTrack, dTrack), from =  
  3240000, to = 3280000)
```

```
displayPars(gTrack) <-  
  list(background.panel =  
    "#FFEDB", col = NULL)  
  
plotTracks(list(iTrack, xTrack,  
  gTrack, sTrack, dTrack), from =  
  3240000, to = 3280000)
```

```
plotTracks(list(iTrack, xTrack, gTrack,  
  sTrack, dTrack), from = 3240000, to =  
  3280000, background.panel = "#FFEDB",  
  background.title = "darkblue")
```



Gviz: A Typical Session - plot reverse strand

```
plotTracks(list(iTrack, xTrack, gTrack, sTrack, dTrack), from = 3240000,  
to = 3280000, reverseStrand = TRUE)
```



Gviz: Track Types

IdeogramTrack

- view of the displayed region on a schematic model of a chromosome with chromosome band information from UCSC

GenomeAxisTrack

- genomic axis or scale indicator with optional highlighted regions

SequenceTrack

- genomic sequence in letter or false color representation depending on the zoom level

DataTrack

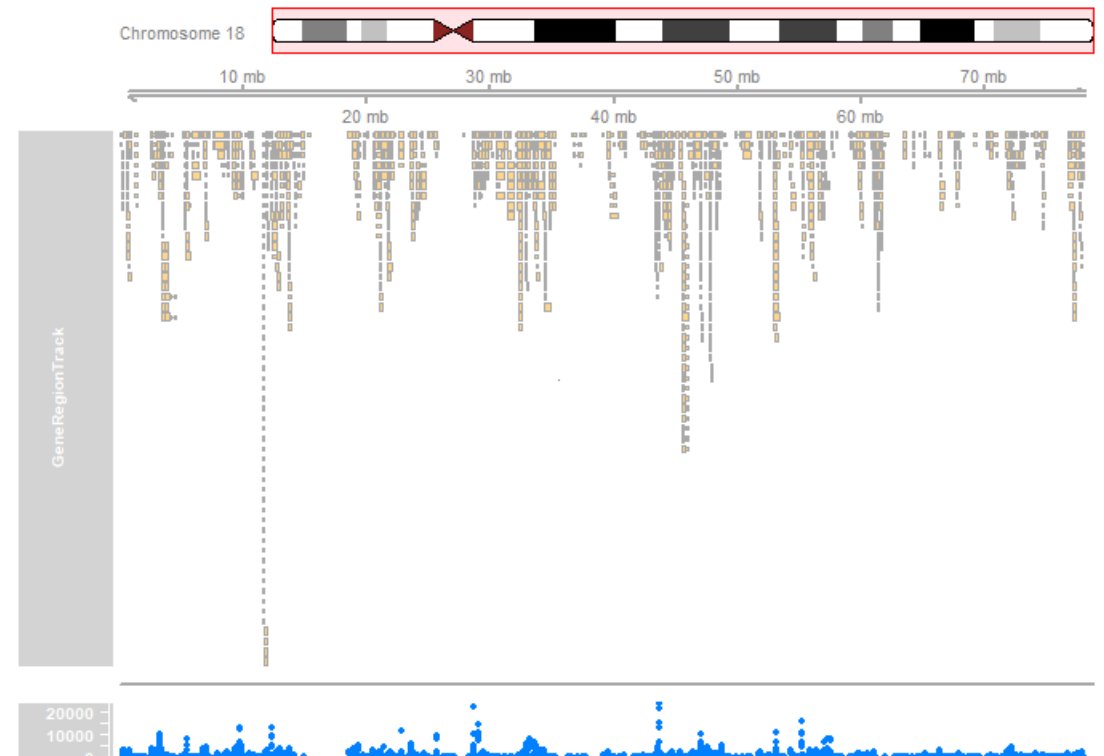
- numeric values (single or grouped) along with genomic coordinates, can be plotted in several ways

AnnotationTrack

- generic annotation features (with at least start, stop, strand, and chromosome information), optional grouping

GeneRegionTrack

- gene or transcript models with grouping on the level of exons and transcripts, can be fetched dynamically from Ensembl as the `BiomartGeneRegionTrack` child class



Gviz: Ideogram Track

Purpose

- indicate the currently displayed genomic range in the context of the current chromosome

Inputs

- fetch chromosome band information from UCSC
- data.frame

Details

- after first connection to UCSC, fetched results are cached for duration of R session

Gviz: Ideogram Track

```
iTrack <- IdeogramTrack(genome = "hg19", chromosome = "chr1")  
plotTracks(iTrack, from = 1.5e+08, to = 2.17e+08, showId = FALSE,  
showBandId = TRUE, cex.bands = 0.5)
```



Gviz: Genome Axis Track

Purpose

- indicate the currently displayed genomic range either as an x-axis with evenly spaced tick marks or as a scaled reference

Inputs

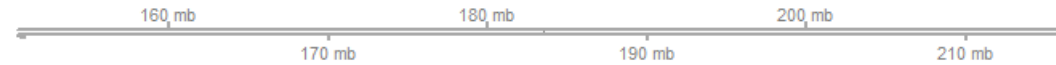
- NA

Details

- ranges on the axis can be highlighted (e.g., to indicate stretches of N nucleotides)

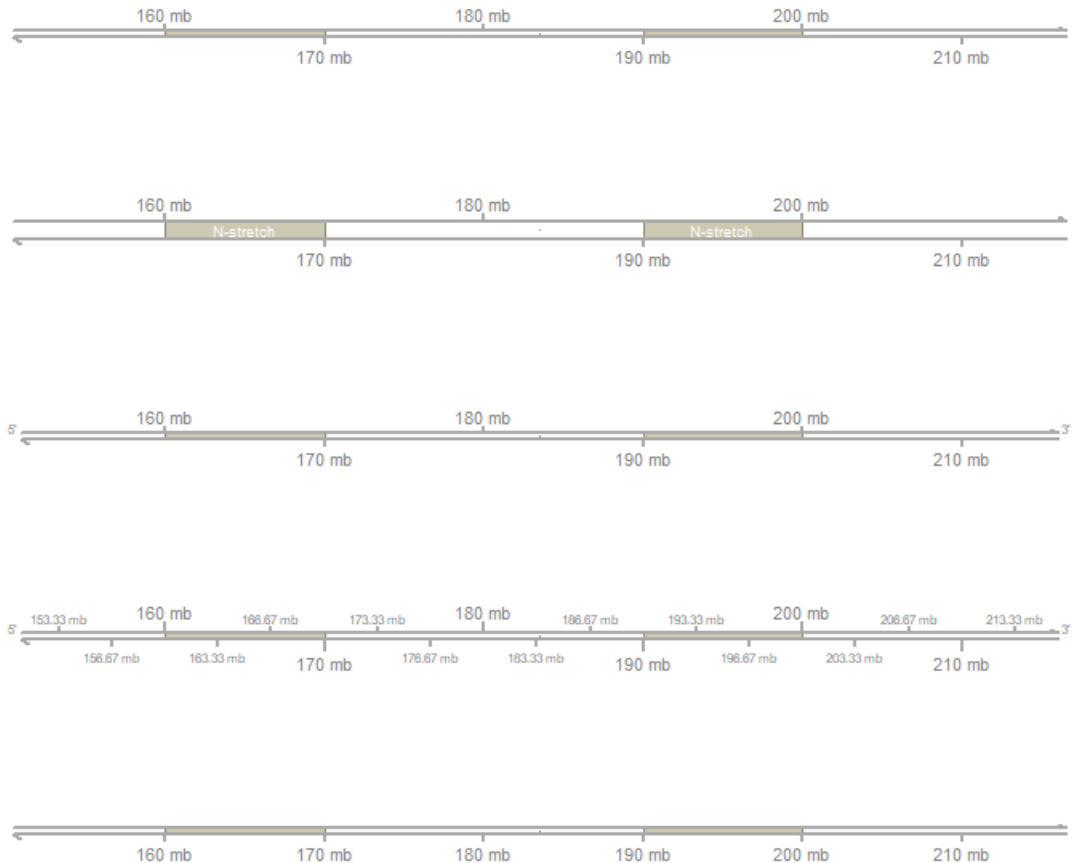
Gviz: Genome Axis Track

```
xTrack <- GenomeAxisTrack()  
plotTracks(xTrack, from = 1.5e+08, to = 2.17e+08)
```



Gviz: Genome Axis Track

```
xTrack <- GenomeAxisTrack(range = IRanges(start = c(1.6e+08, 1.9e+08),  
      end = c(1.7e+08, 2.0e+08), names = rep("N-stretch", + 2)))  
plotTracks(xTrack, from = 1.5e+08, to = 2.17e+08, labelPos = "above")
```



Gviz: Sequence Track

Purpose

- show genomic sequence of the currently displayed region

Inputs

- DNASTringSet
- Bsgenome
- FASTA file (indexed or not indexed)
- 2bit file

Details

- depending on the zoom level, sequences will be shown as individual letters, as color-coded boxes, or as a horizontal line

Gviz: Sequence Track

```
sTrack <- SequenceTrack(Hsapiens, chromosome = "chr1")  
plotTracks(sTrack, from = 1.5e08, to = 150000050)
```



TAAC TTTT TAGATAGGTGGTATTC AATAACTTATGTTTCTAG

Gviz: Sequence Track

```
sTrack <- SequenceTrack(Hsapiens, chromosome = "chr1")  
plotTracks(sTrack, from = 1.5e08, to = 150000050, add53 = TRUE,  
complement = TRUE)
```

TAAC TTTT TAGATAGTAGGTGGTATTCAATAATACTTATGTTTTCACTAG

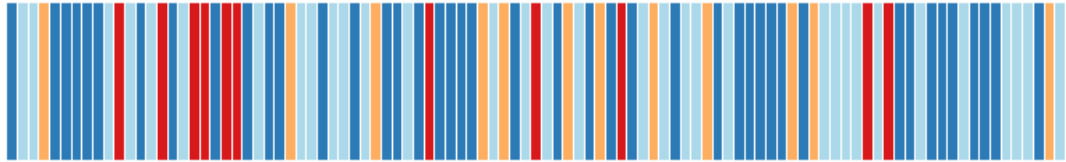
5' AAC TTTT TAGATAGTAGGTGGTATTCAATAATACTTATGTTTTCACTA 3'

3' TTGAAAAATCTATCATCCACCATAAGTTATTATGAATACAAAAGTGAT 5'

Gviz: Sequence Track

```
sTrack <- SequenceTrack(Hsapiens, chromosome = "chr1")  
plotTracks(sTrack, from = 1.5e08, to = 2.17e+08)
```

TAACTTTTAA GATAGTAGG TGGTATTCAATAATACTTATGTTTTCACTAG



TAACTTTTAA GATAGTAGG TGGTATTCAATAATACTTATGTTTTCACTAGTTCATCTGTACATAACTATTTTTCTCAAAAGAGTTATTTATTTAAATCAA

Gviz: Data Track

Purpose

- numeric data along genomic coordinates

Inputs

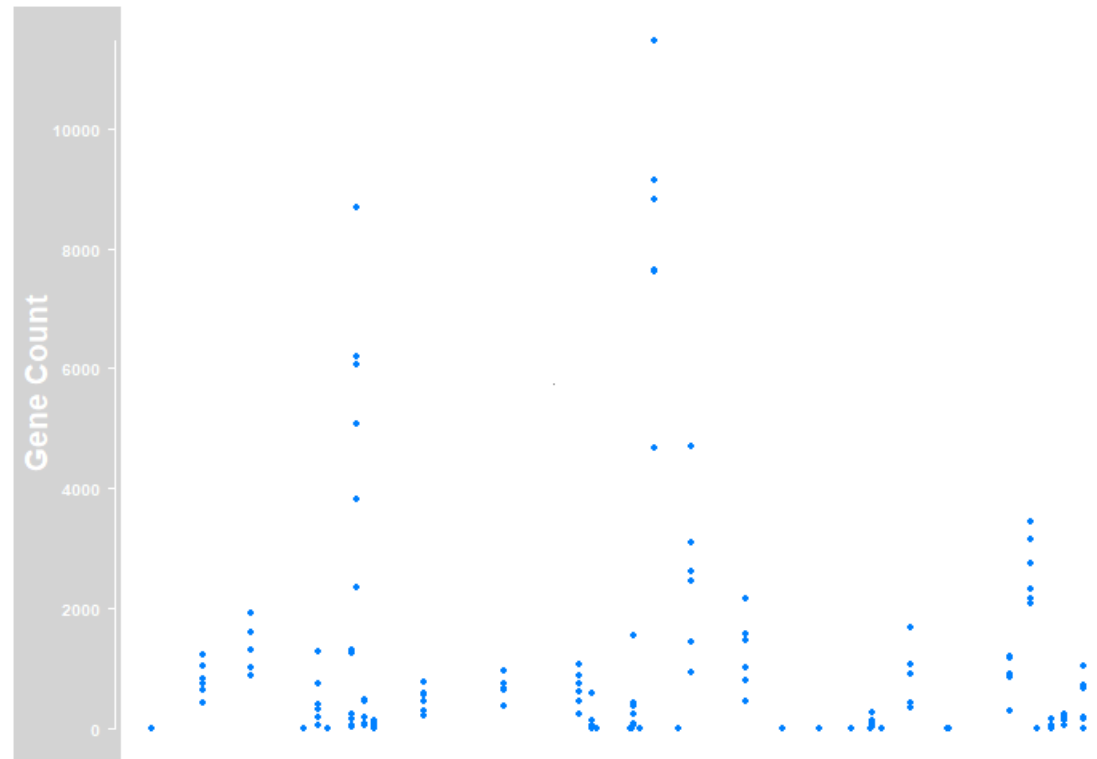
- IRanges (+ chromosome, strand, and data matrix)
- Granges
- various file types (WIG, BedGraph, BigWig, BAM)

Details

- flexible visualization options (e.g., line charts, scatter plots, box plots, bar charts), sample grouping, and data transformations

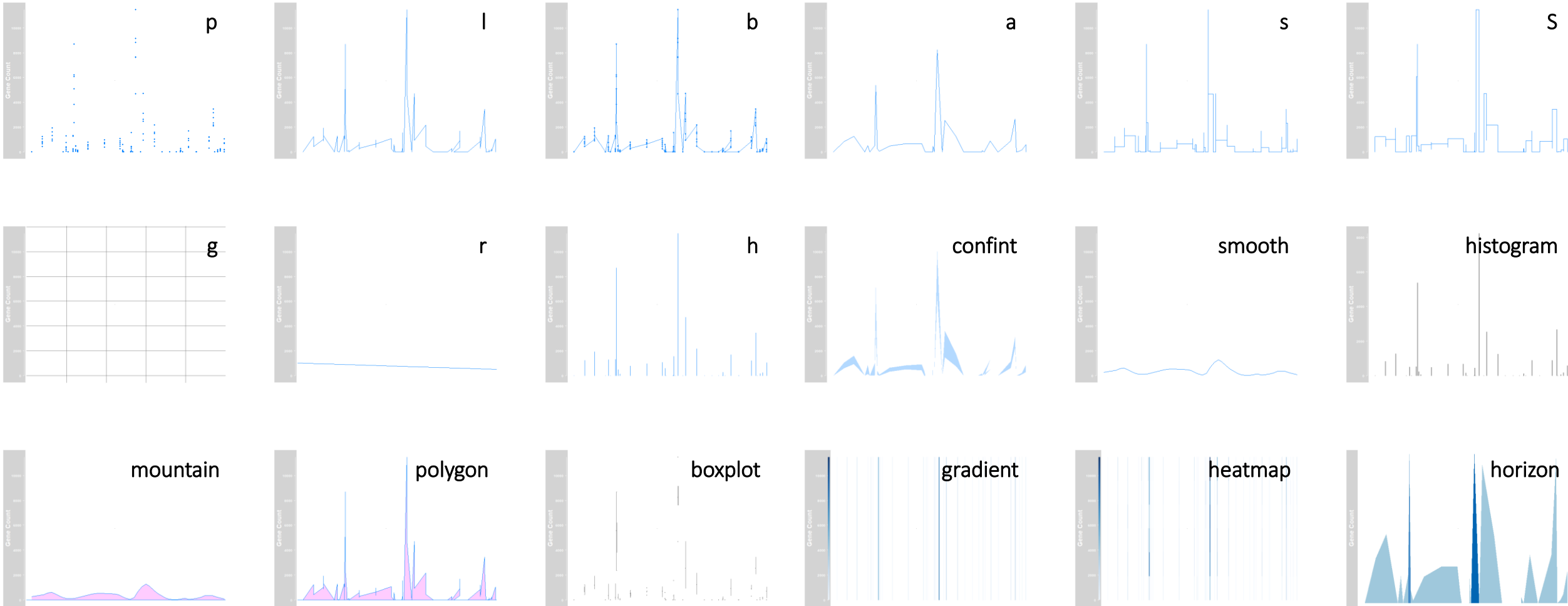
Gviz: Data Track

```
dTrack <- DataTrack(gtf, name = "Gene Count")  
plotTracks(dTrack, chromosome = "chr1", from = 1.5e08, to = 1.51e+08)
```



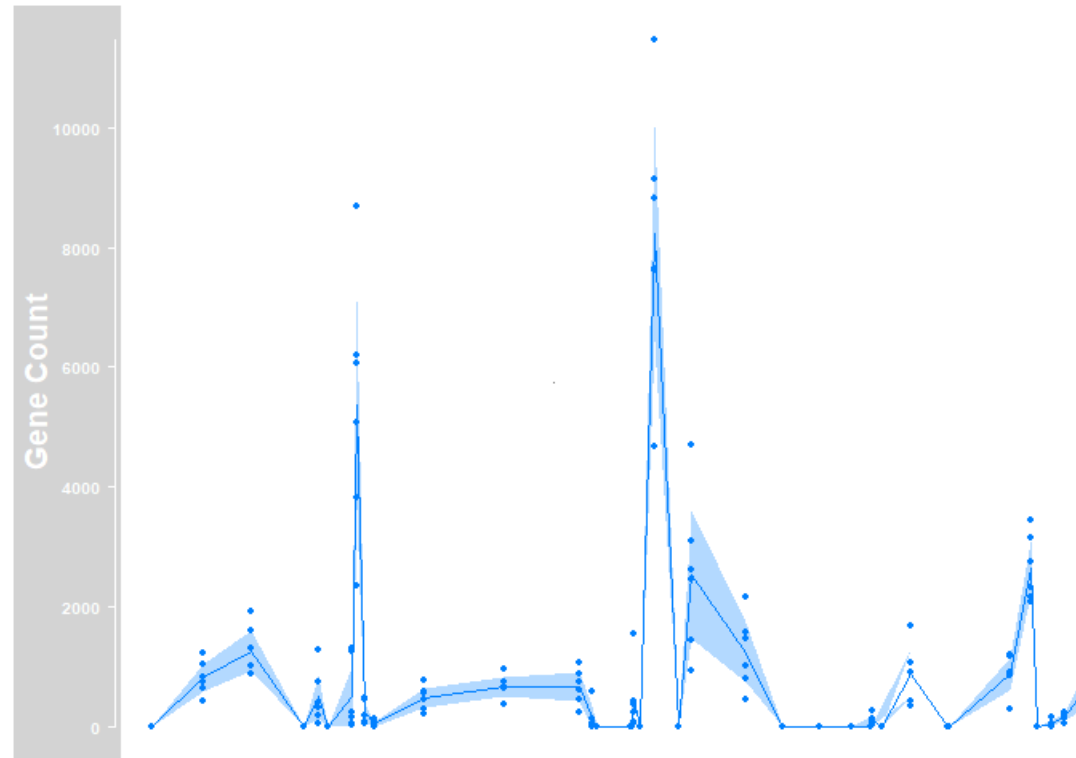
Gviz: Data Track

```
dTrack <- DataTrack(gtf)
plotTracks(dTrack, chromosome = "chr1", from = 1.5e08, to = 1.51e+08, type = <type>)
```



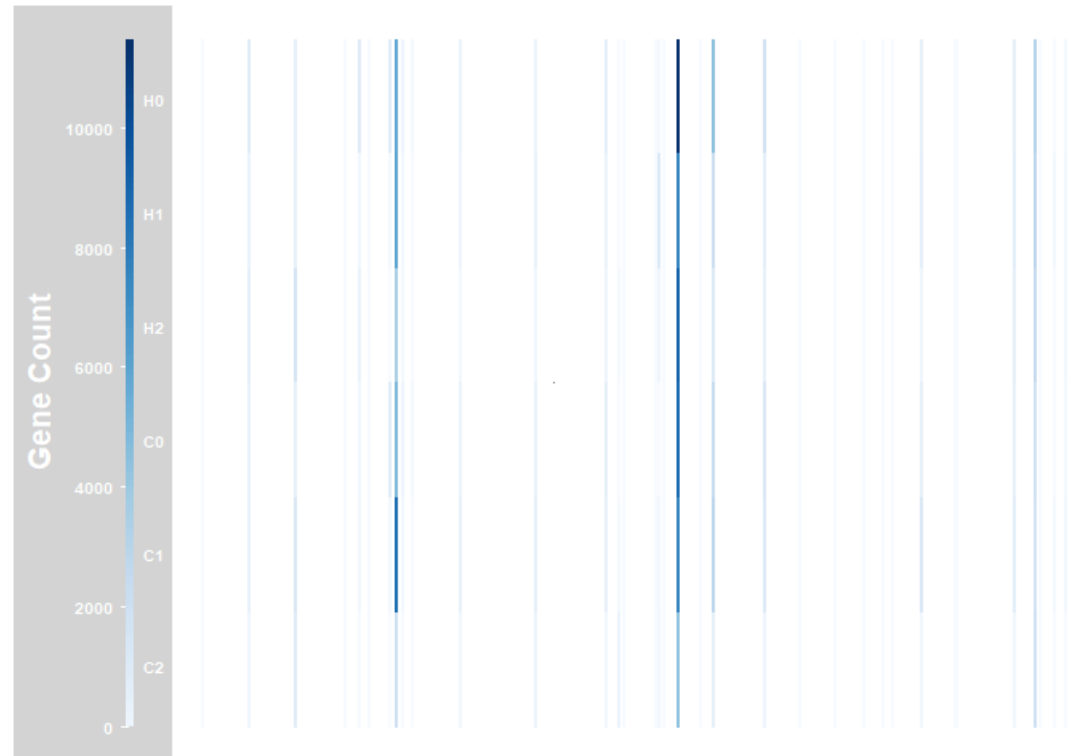
Gviz: Data Track

```
dTrack <- DataTrack(gtf)
plotTracks(dTrack, chromosome = "chr1", from = 1.5e08, to = 1.51e+08,
type = c("a", "p", "confint"))
```



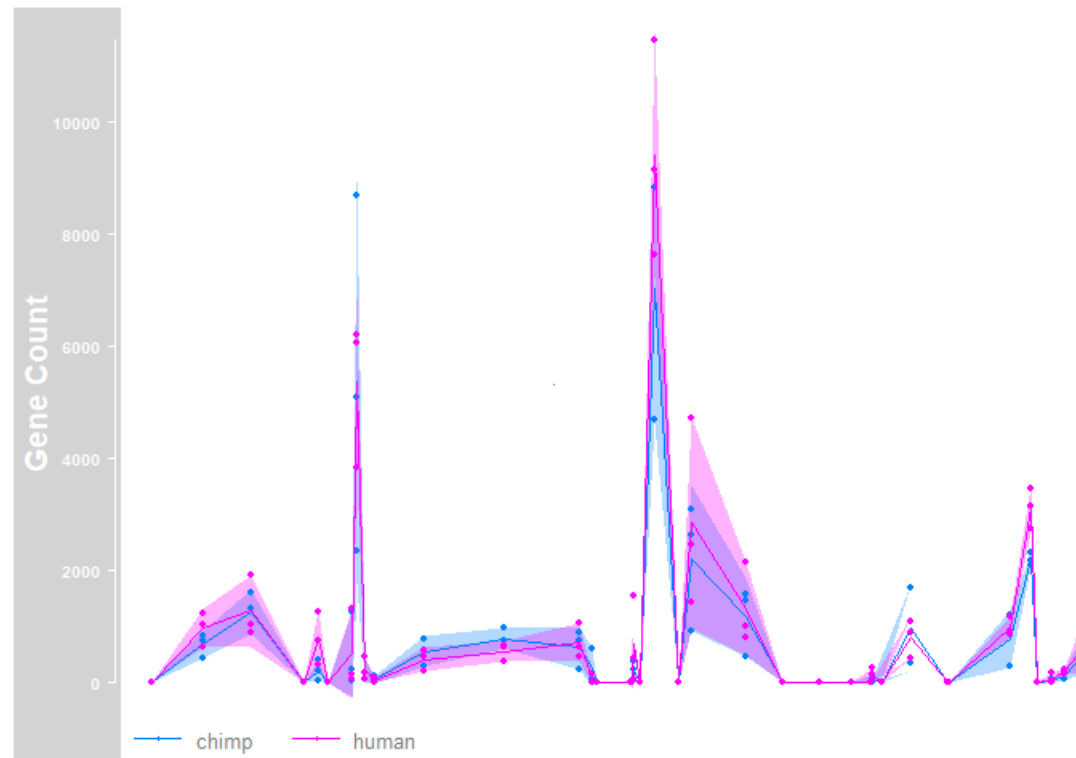
Gviz: Data Track

```
dTrack <- DataTrack(gtf)
colnames(mcols(gtf))
plotTracks(dTrack, chromosome = "chr1", from = 1.5e08, to = 1.51e+08,
type = c("heatmap"), showSampleNames = TRUE, cex.sampleNames = 0.6)
```



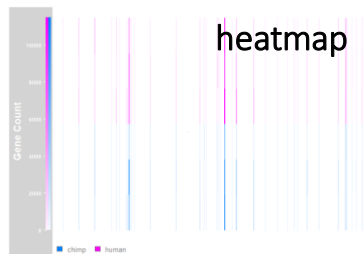
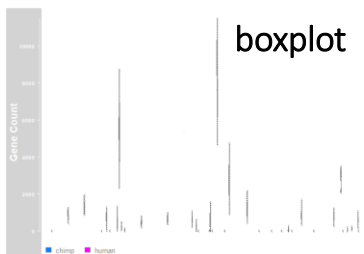
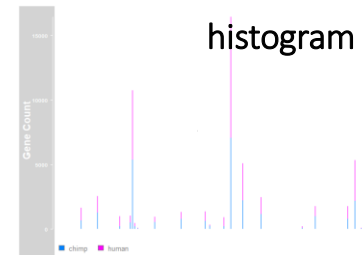
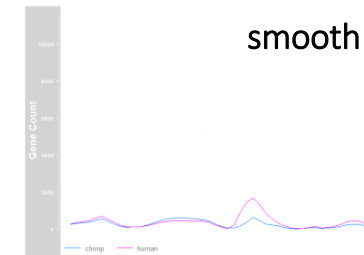
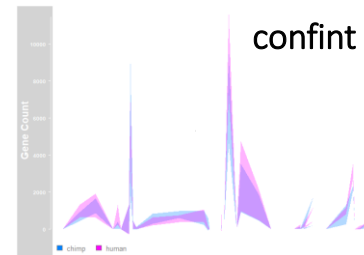
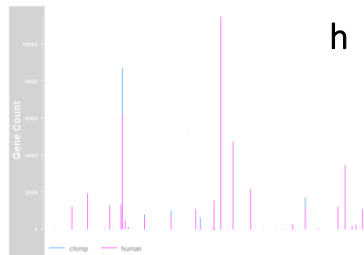
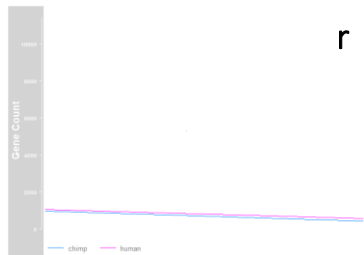
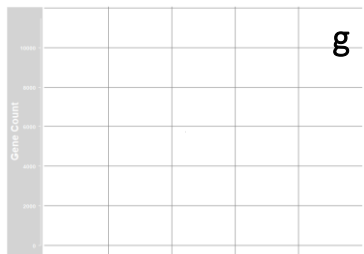
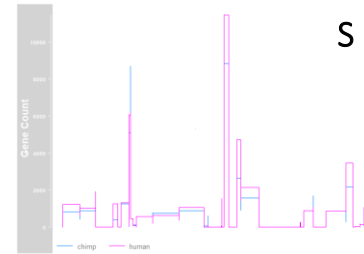
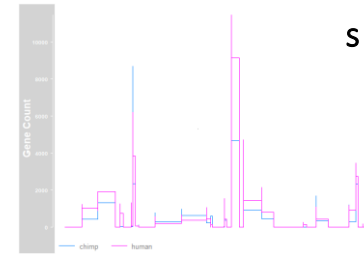
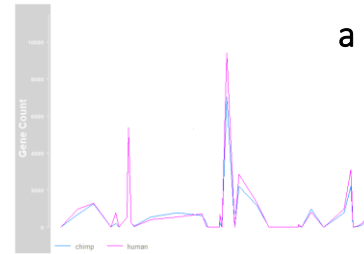
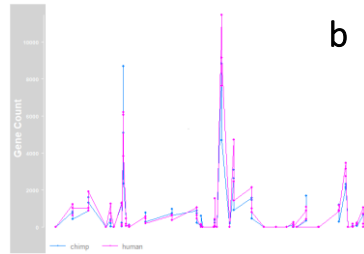
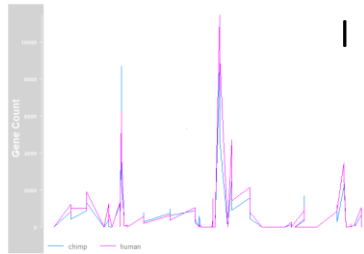
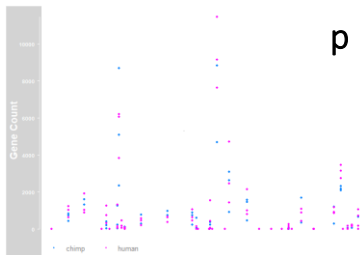
Gviz: Data Track

```
dTrack <- DataTrack(gtf, name = "Gene Count",  
                    groups = rep(c("human", "chimp"), each = 3))  
plotTracks(dTrack, chromosome = "chr1", from = 1.5e08, to = 1.51e+08,  
type = c("a", "p", "confint"))
```

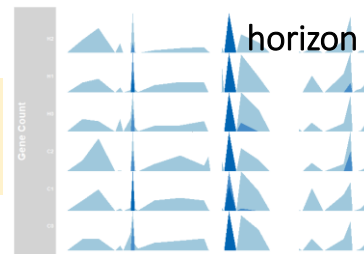


Gviz: Data Track

```
dTrack <- DataTrack(gtf, name = "Gene Count",
                    groups = rep(c("human", "chimp"), each = 3))
plotTracks(dTrack, chromosome = "chr1", from = 1.5e08, to = 1.51e+08, type = <type>)
```

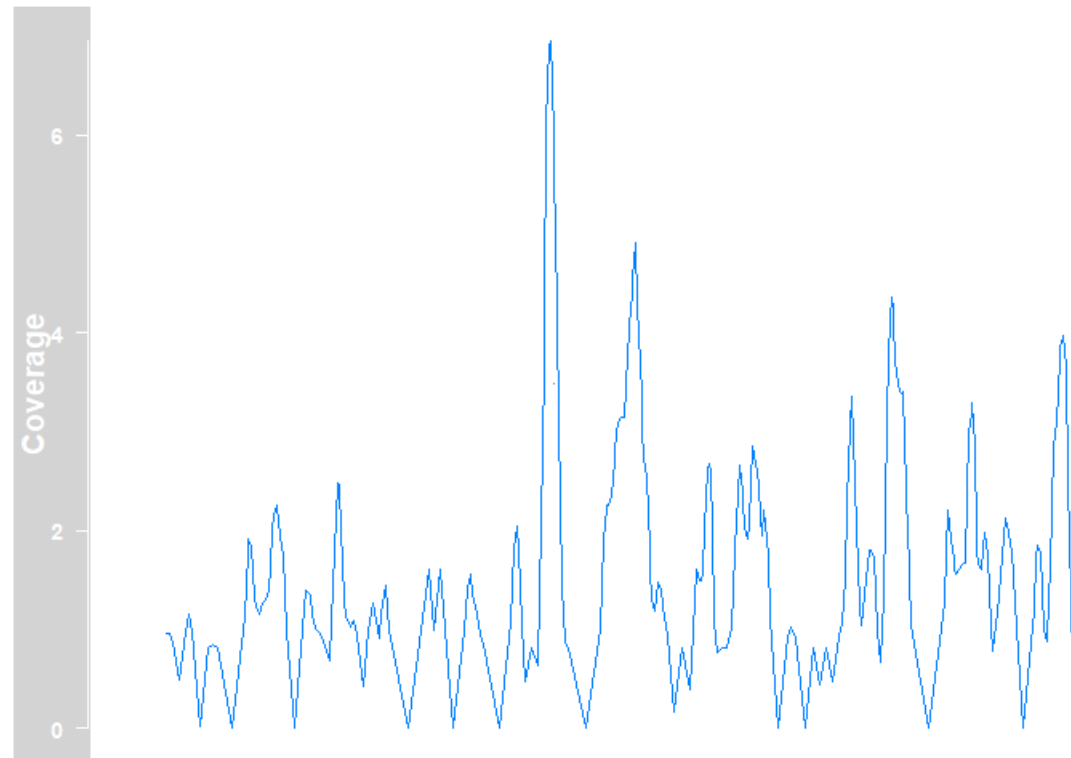


```
dTrack <- DataTrack(gtf, name = "Gene Count", groups = colnames(mcols(gtf)))
plotTracks(dTrack, chromosome = "chr1", from = 1.5e08, to = 1.51e+08, type =
"horizon", showSampleNames = TRUE, cex.sampleNames = 0.6)
```



Gviz: Data Track

```
bamFile <- system.file("extdata/test.bam", package = "Gviz")  
bamTrack <- DataTrack(range = bamFile, genome = "hg19", type = "1",  
                      name = "Coverage", window = -1, chromosome = "chr1")  
plotTracks(bamTrack, from = 189990000, to = 1.9e+08)
```



Gviz: Annotation Track

Purpose

- simple annotation features with at least start, stop, strand, and chromosome information
- items can be grouped and colored according to type

Inputs

- IRanges (+ chromosome and strand as separate arguments)
- GRanges
- GRangesList
- various file types (WIG, BedGraph, BigWig, BAM)

Details

- overlapping items are stacked for optimal utilization of available plotting space
- depending on the available space and resolution some items may be merged
- additional information for each annotation item can be added by means of the DetailsAnnotationTrack child class

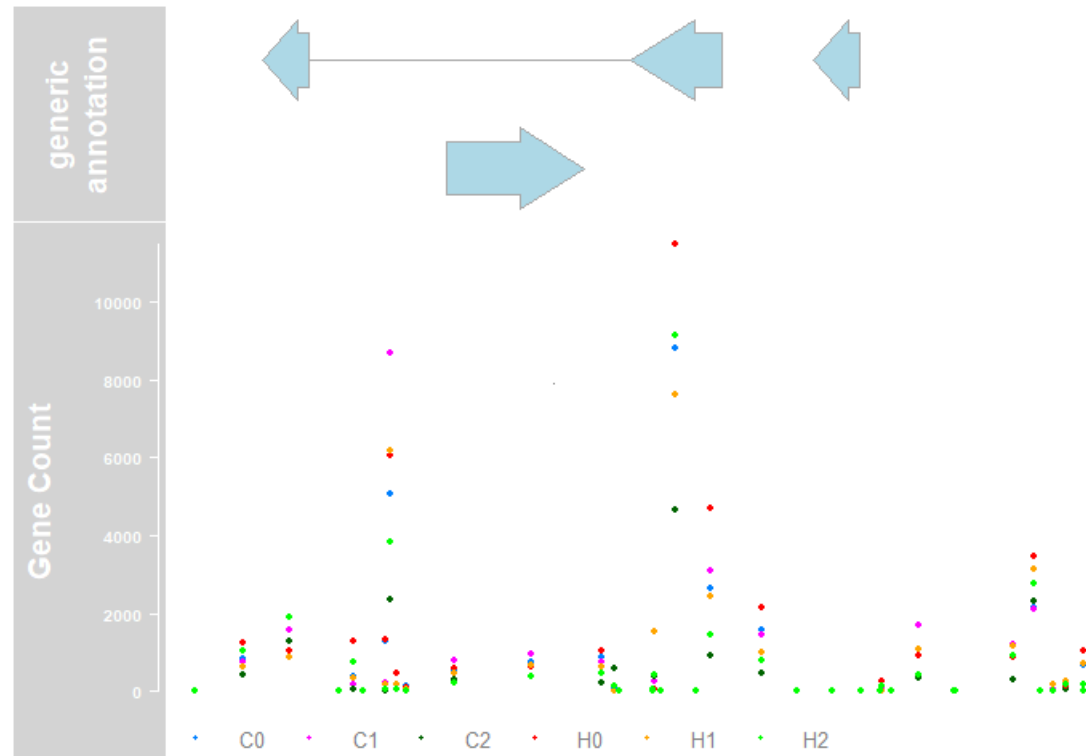
Gviz: Annotation Track

```
annoTrack <- AnnotationTrack()  
plotTracks(list(annoTrack, dTrack), from = 1.5e08, to = 1.51e+08)
```

```
annoTrack <- AnnotationTrack(start = st, end =  
ed, strand = str, genome = "hg19", chromosome =  
"chr1", feature = "test", group = gr, id =  
paste("annTrack item", 1:4), name = "generic  
annotation", stacking = "squish")
```

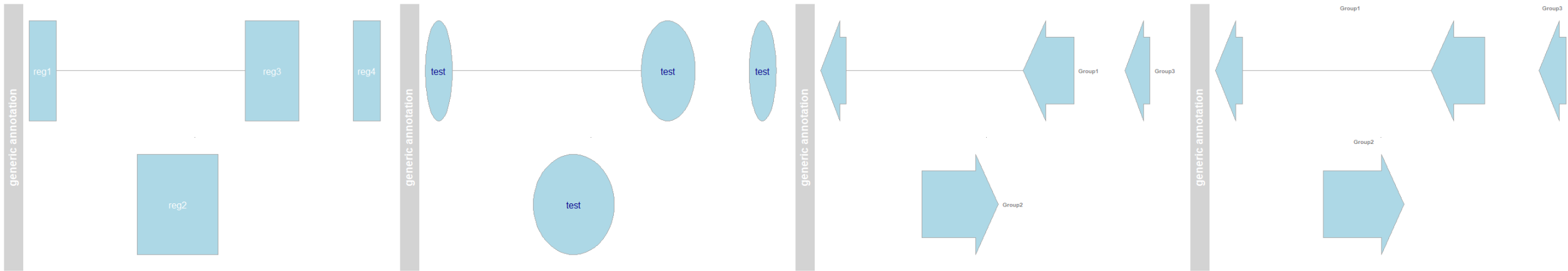
```
annoTrack <- AnnotationTrack(range =  
df, genome = "hg19", chromosome =  
"chr1", name = "generic annotation",  
stacking = "squish")
```

```
annoTrack <- AnnotationTrack(range  
= gr, name = "generic annotation",  
stacking = "squish")
```



Gviz: Annotation Track

```
plotTracks(annoTrack, shape = <shape>, featureAnnotation = <id>,  
           fontcolor.feature = <color>, just.group = <position>)
```



```
shape = "box"  
featureAnnotation = "id"
```

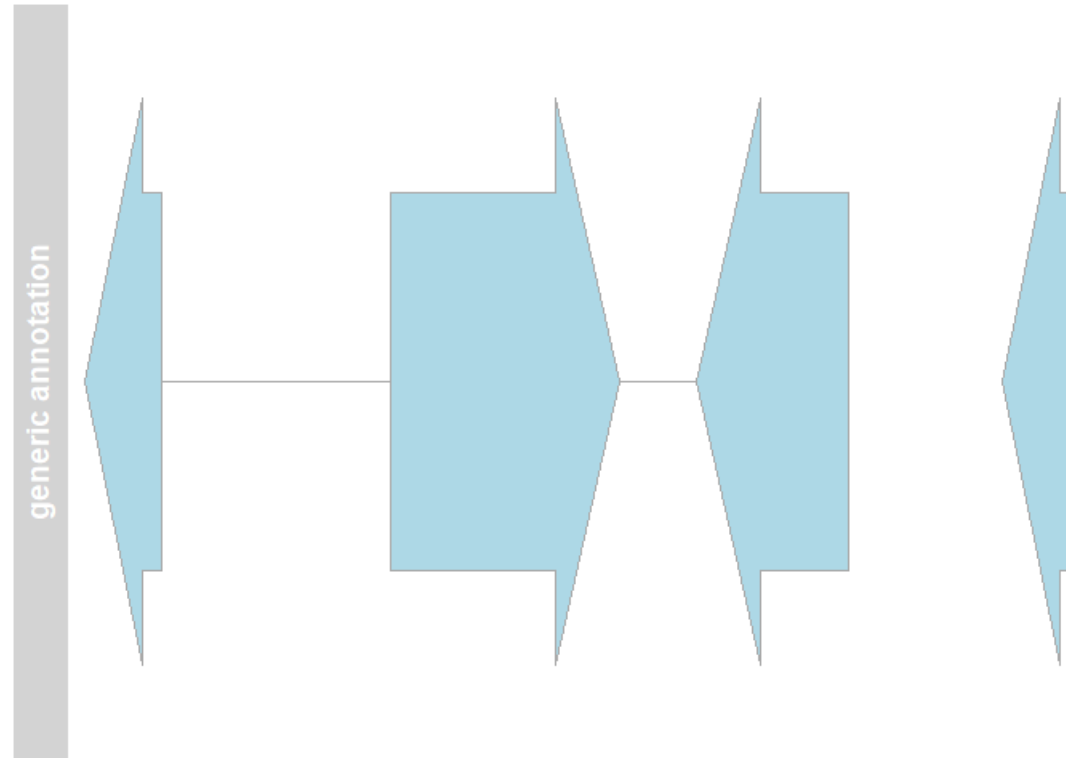
```
shape = "ellipse"  
featureAnnotation = "feature"  
fontcolor.feature = "darkblue"
```

```
groupAnnotation = "group"  
just.group = "right"
```

```
groupAnnotation = "group"  
just.group = "above"
```

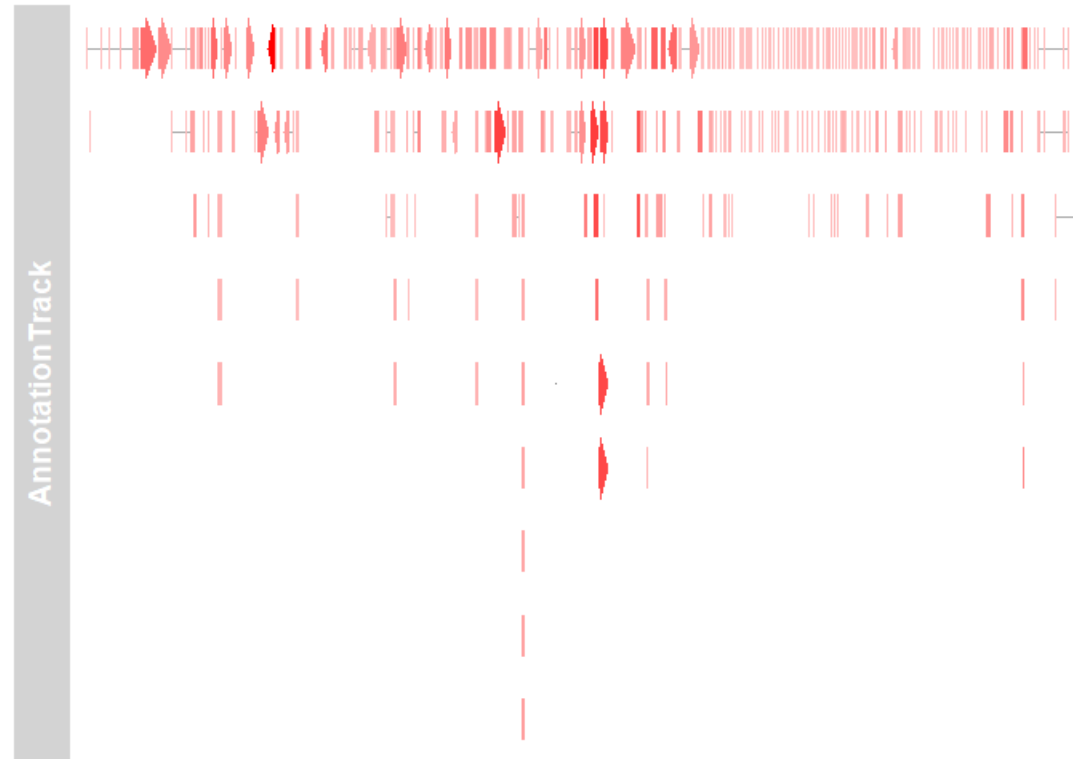
Gviz: Annotation Track

```
plotTracks(annoTrack, stacking = "dense")
```



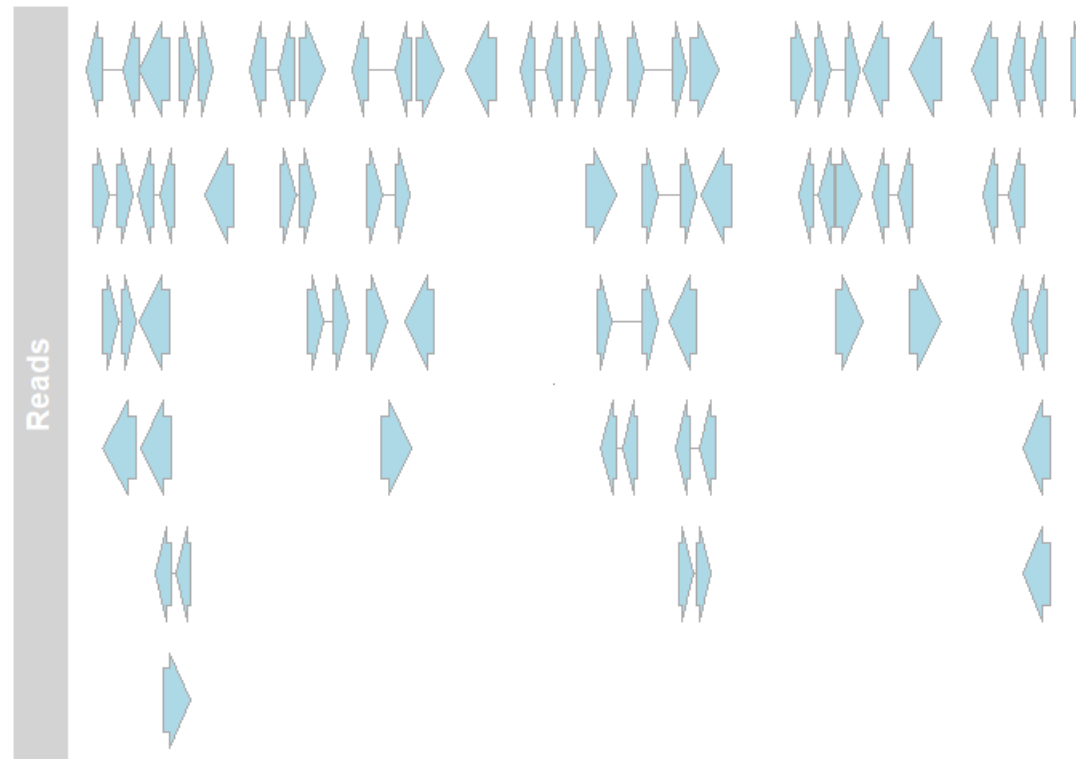
Gviz: Annotation Track

```
plotTracks(denseAnnTrack, showOverplotting = TRUE)
```



Gviz: Annotation Track

```
bamFile <- system.file("extdata/test.bam", package = "Gviz")  
bamTrack <- AnnotationTrack(range = bamFile, genome = "hg19", name = "Reads",  
                           chromosome = "chr1")  
plotTracks(bamTrack, from = 189995000, to = 1.9e+08)
```



Gviz: Gene Region Track

Purpose

- gene model annotations

Inputs

- IRanges (+ chromosome and strand as separate arguments)
- GRanges
- GRangesList
- TranscriptDb
- various file types (WIG, BedGraph, BigWig, BAM)
- direct import from Ensembl via biomaRt interface

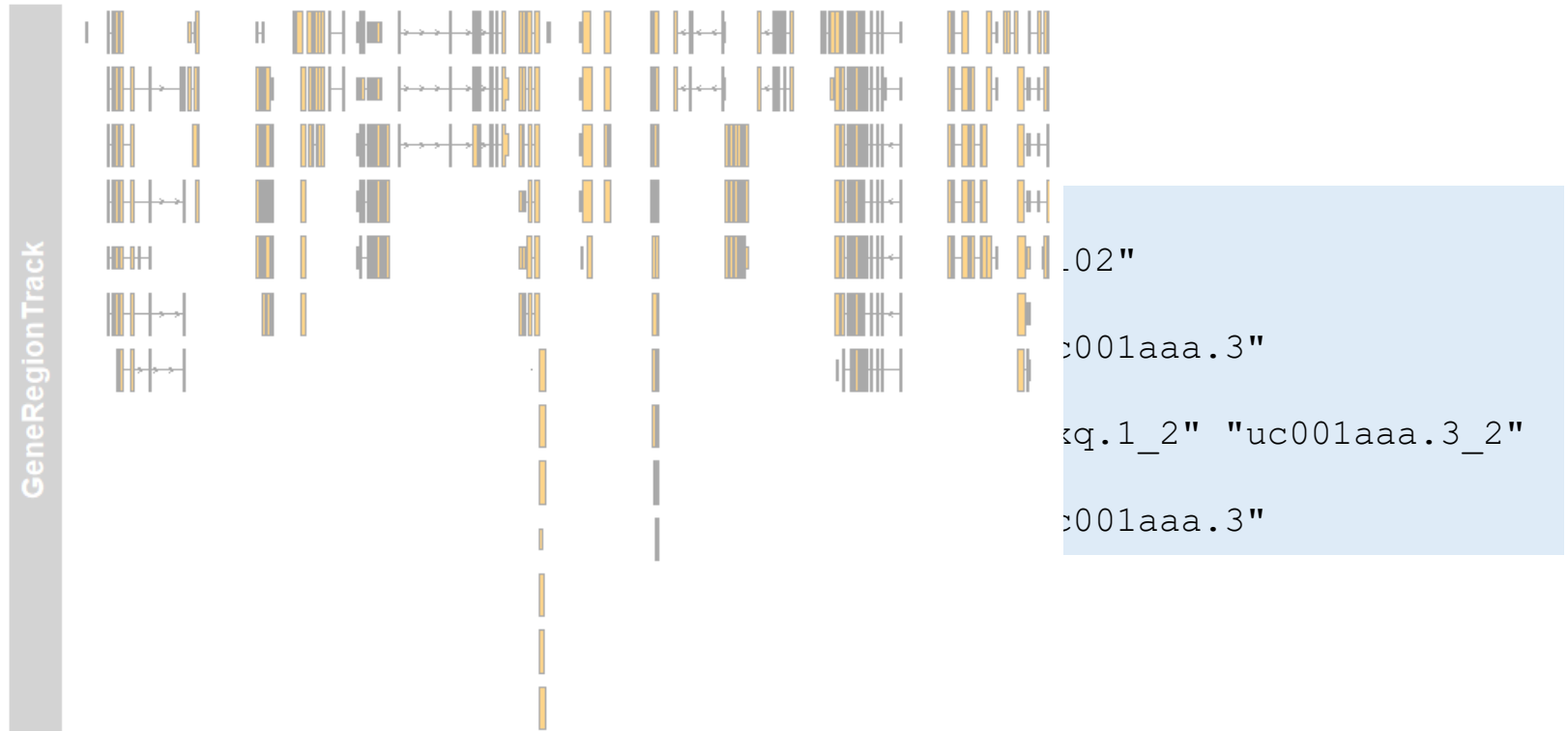
Details

- modeling of exon, transcript, and gene relationships; support for human-readable gene symbols and for coding and non-coding elements

Gviz: Gene Region Track

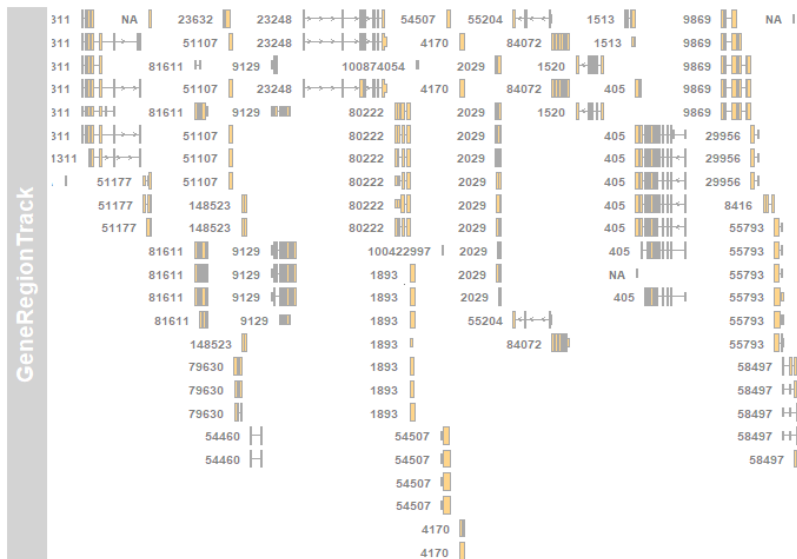
```
txdb <- TxDb.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg19.knownGene
gTrack <- GeneRegionTrack(txdb, chromosome = "chr1")
plotTracks(gTrack, from = 1.5e08, to = 1.51e+08)
```

```
head(gene(gTrack))
[1] "100287102" "100287102"
> head(transcript(gTrack))
[1] "uc010nxq.1" "uc001aaa.3"
> head(exon(gTrack))
[1] "uc010nxq.1_1" "uc001aaa.3_1"
> head(symbol(gTrack))
[1] "uc010nxq.1" "uc001aaa.3"
```



Gviz: Gene Region Track

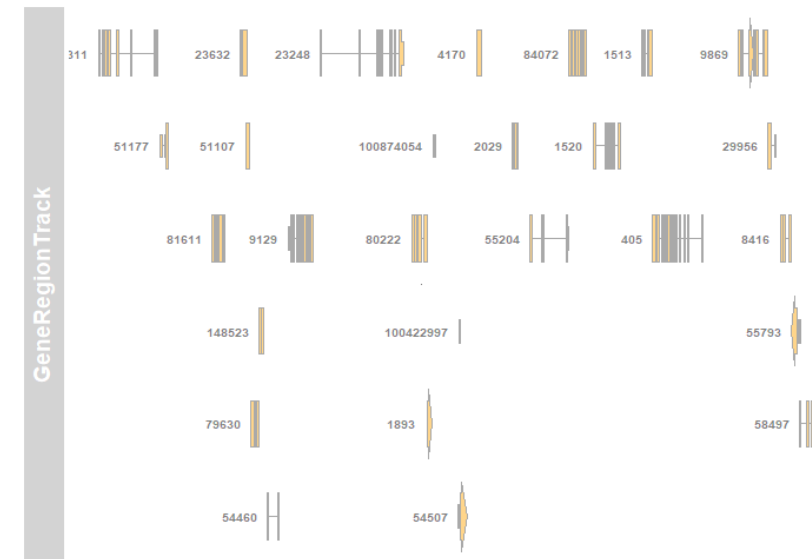
```
txdb <- TxDb.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg19.knownGene
gTrack <- GeneRegionTrack(txdb, chromosome = "chr1")
plotTracks(gTrack, from = 1.5e08, to = 1.51e+08,
           transcriptAnnotation = <type>,
           collapseTranscripts = <length>, shape = <shape>)
```



```
transcriptAnnotation = "gene"
```



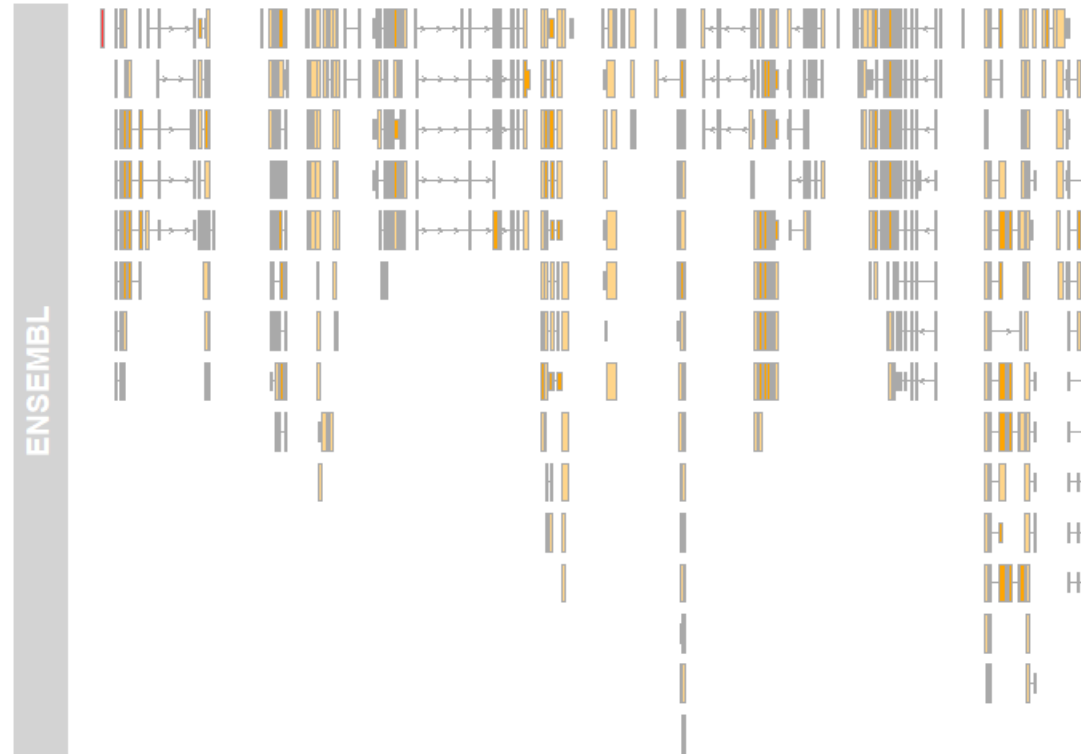
```
transcriptAnnotation = "transcript"
```



```
transcriptAnnotation = "gene"
collapseTranscripts = "longest"
shape = "arrow"
```

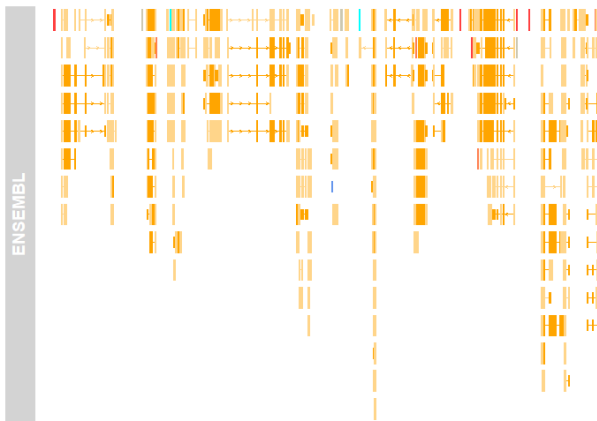
Gviz: Biomart Gene Region Track

```
biomTrack <- BiomartGeneRegionTrack(genome = "hg19",  
                                     chromosome = "chr1", start = 1.5e08, end =  
                                     1.51e+08, name = "ENSEMBL")  
plotTracks(biomTrack, from = 1.5e08, to = 1.51e+08)
```

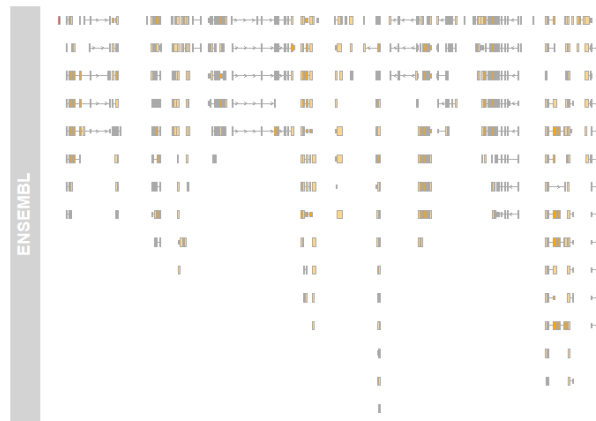


Gviz: Biomart Gene Region Track

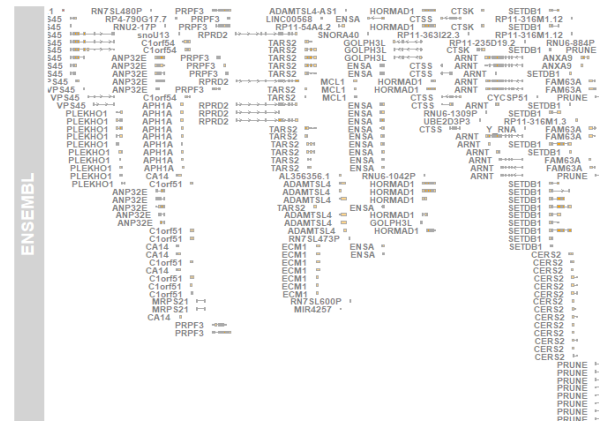
```
plotTracks(biomTrack, from = 1.5e08, to = 1.51e+08,  
  col.line = <color>, col = <color>,  
  stackHeight = <value>,  
  transcriptAnnotation = <type>,  
  collapseTranscripts = <T/F>, shape = <shape>)
```



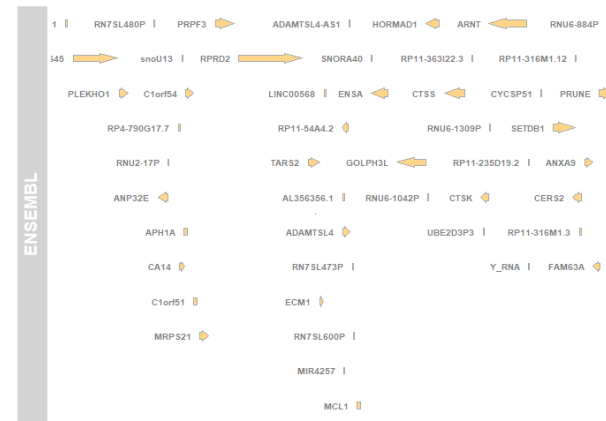
```
col.line = NULL  
col = NULL
```



```
stackHeight = 0.3
```



```
stackHeight = 0.3  
transcriptAnnotation="symbol"
```

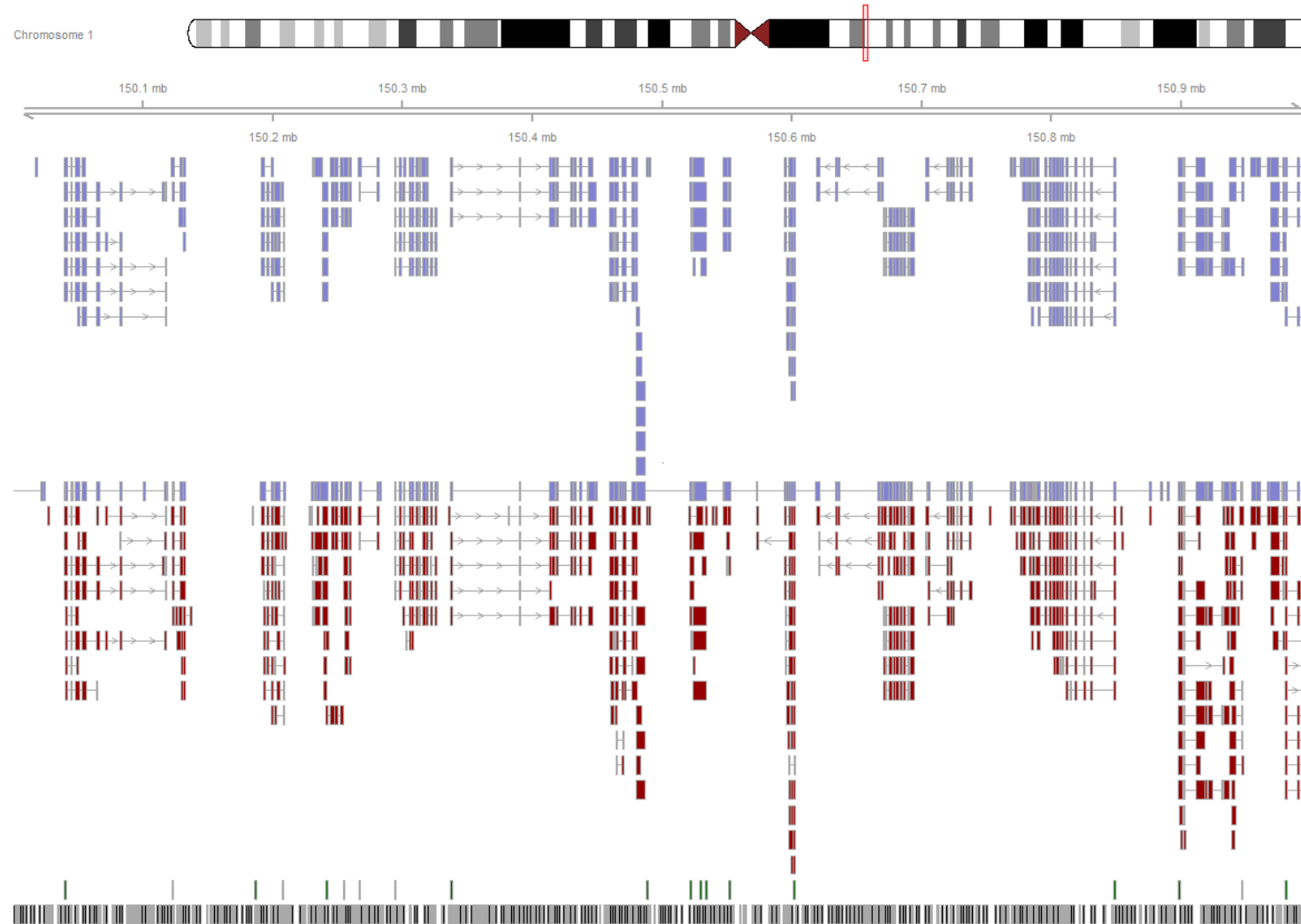


```
stackHeight = 0.3  
transcriptAnnotation="symbol"  
collapseTranscripts = TRUE  
shape = "arrow"
```

Gviz: UCSC Track

```
plotTracks(list(iTrack, xTrack, knownGenes, refGenes, ensGenes, cpGISlands, snpLocations),  
from = 1.5e08, to = 1.51e+08, showTitle = FALSE)
```

```
knownGenes <- UcscTrack()  
refGenes <- UcscTrack()  
ensGenes <- UcscTrack()  
cpGISlands <- UcscTrack()  
snpLocations <- UcscTrack()  
xTrack <- GenomeAxisTrack()  
iTrack <- IdeogramTrack()
```



Gviz: Highlighting Regions of Interests

```
ht <- HighlightTrack(trackList = list(xTrack,  
  gTrack, dTrack), chromosome = "chr1",  
  start = c(150500000, 150700000), width =  
    c(7000,150000))  
plotTracks(list(iTrack, ht), from = 1.5e08, to =  
  1.51e08)
```

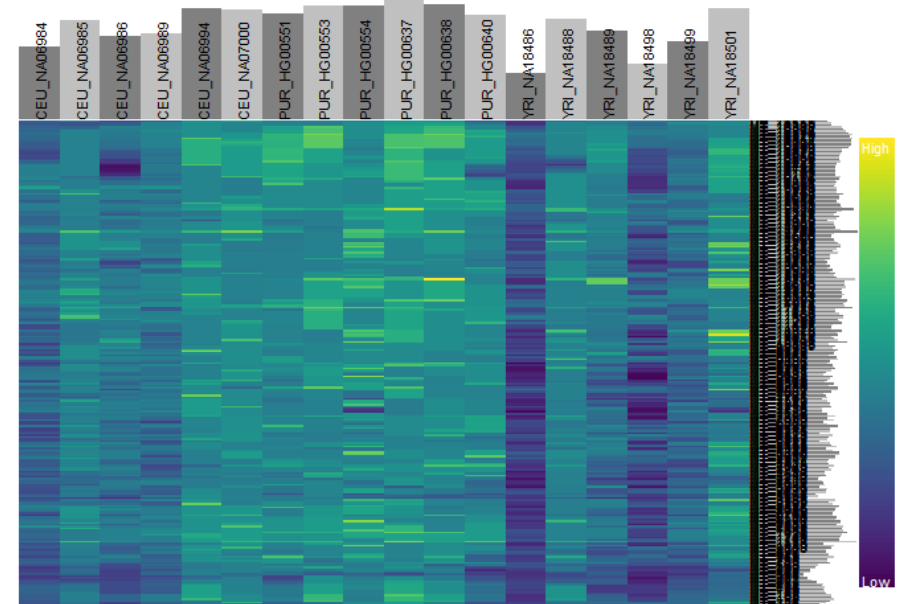
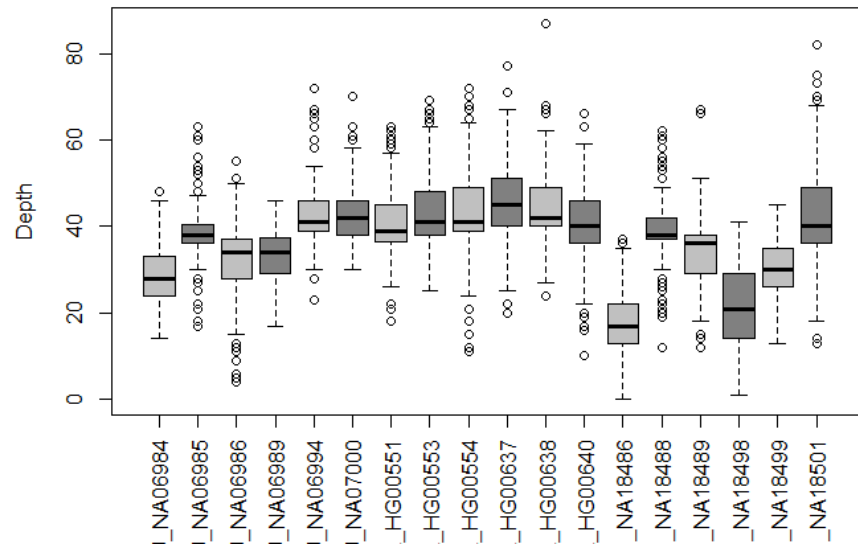
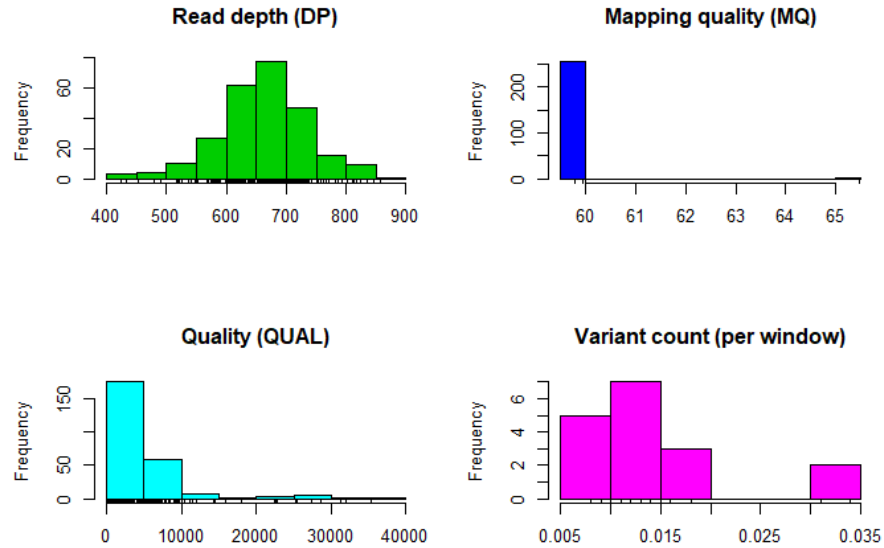


```
ht1 <- HighlightTrack(trackList = list(iTrack, xTrack,  
  gTrack), chromosome = "chr1", start =  
    c(150500000, 150700000), width = c(7000,150000))  
ht2 <- HighlightTrack(trackList = dTrack, chromosome =  
  "chr1", start = c(150510000, 150710000), width =  
    c(7000,150000))  
plotTracks(list(ht1, ht2), from = 1.5e08, to = 1.51e08)
```

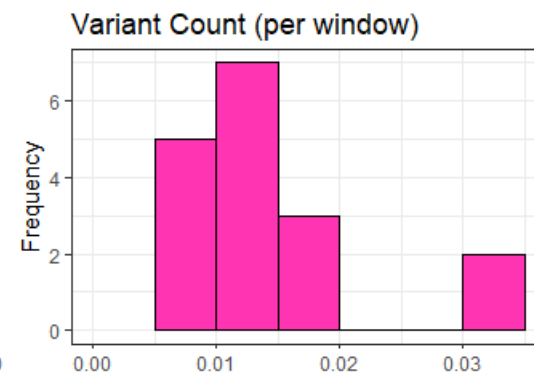
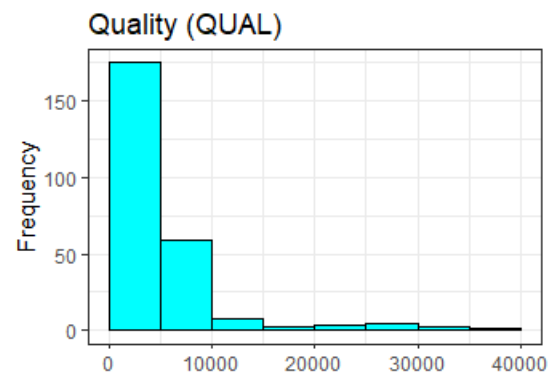
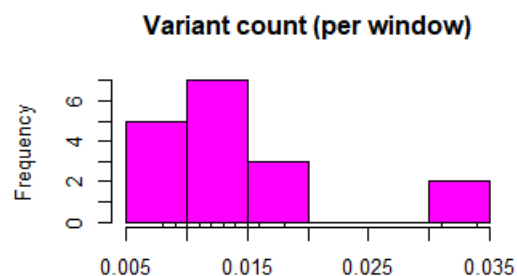
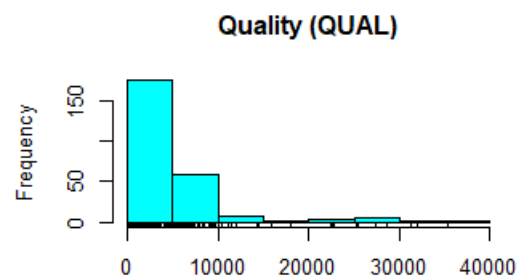
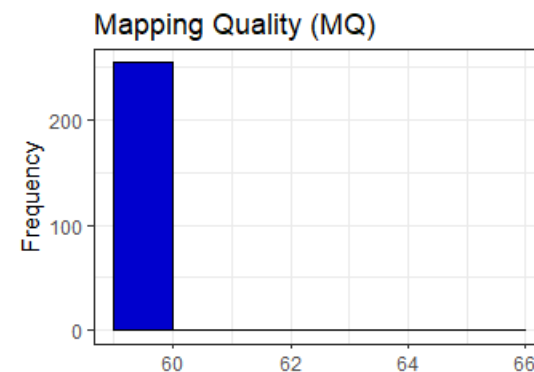
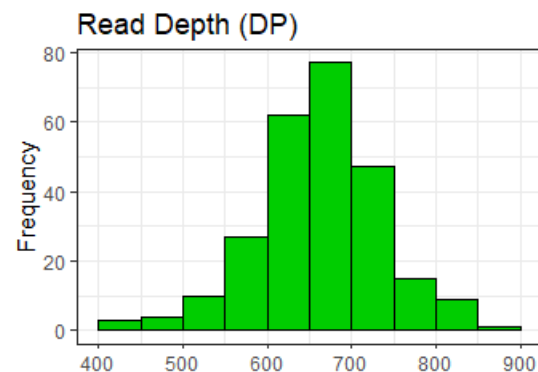
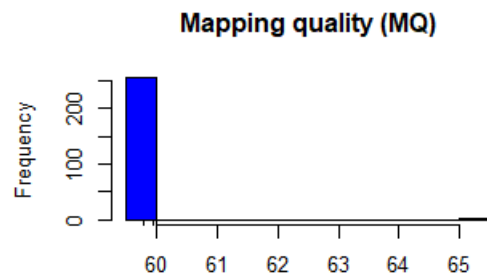
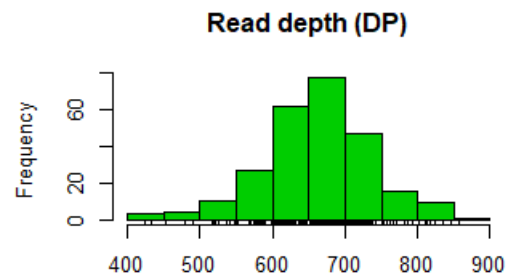


Applying ggplot2 and Gviz to VCF Data

VCF Data: Basic Plots



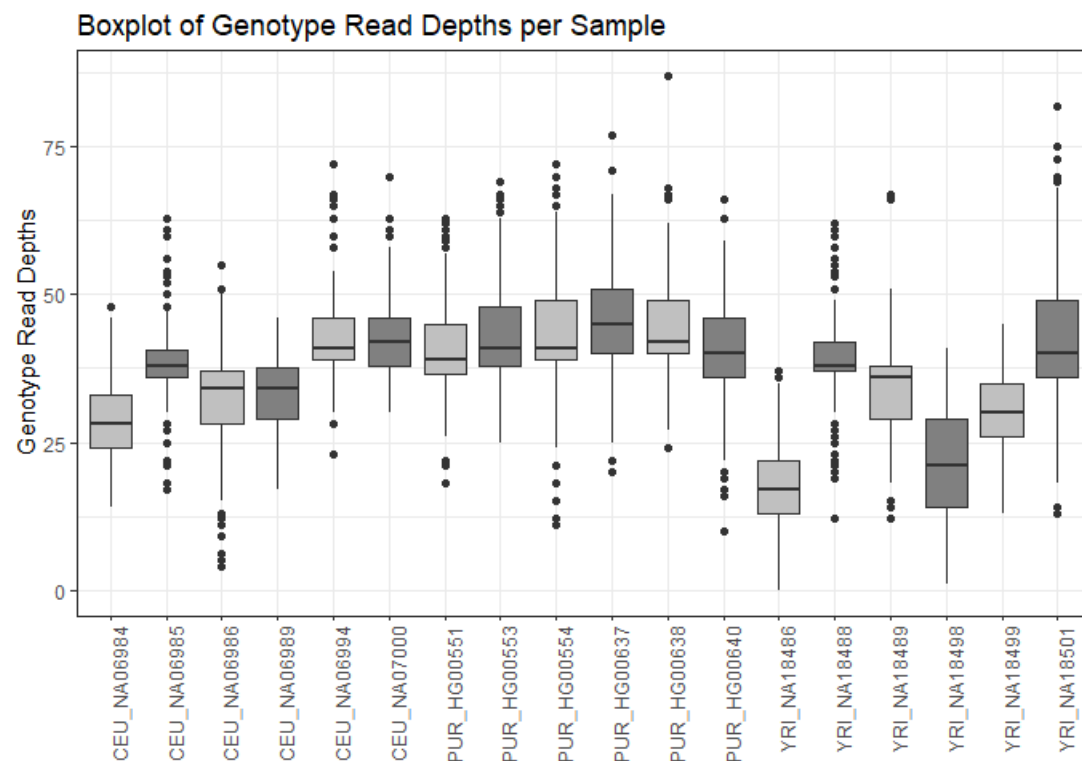
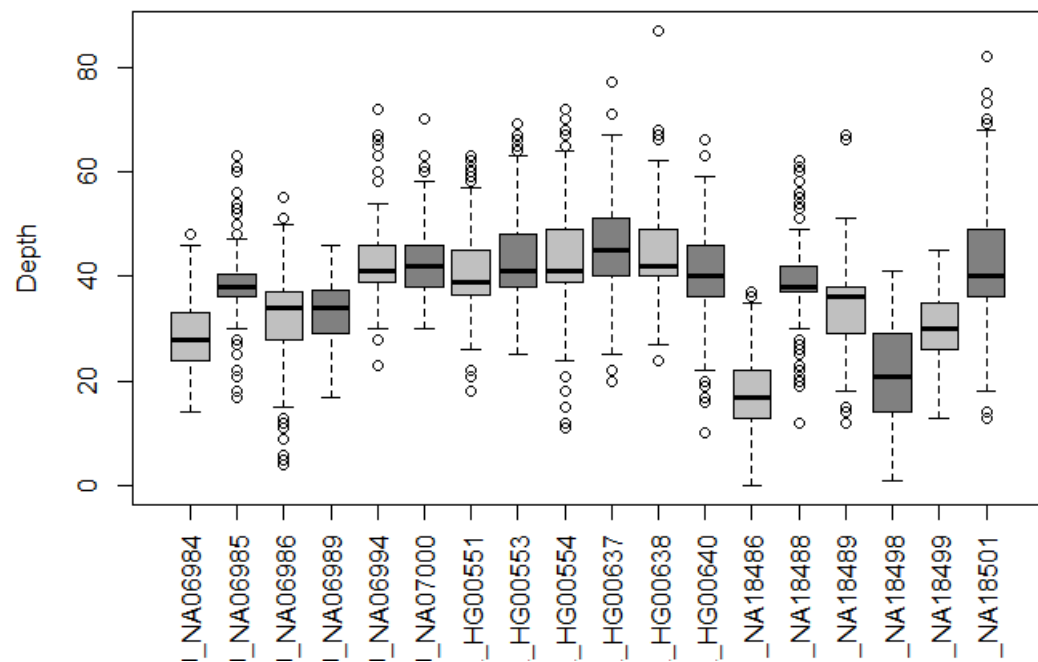
VCF Data: Basic Plots vs. ggplot2



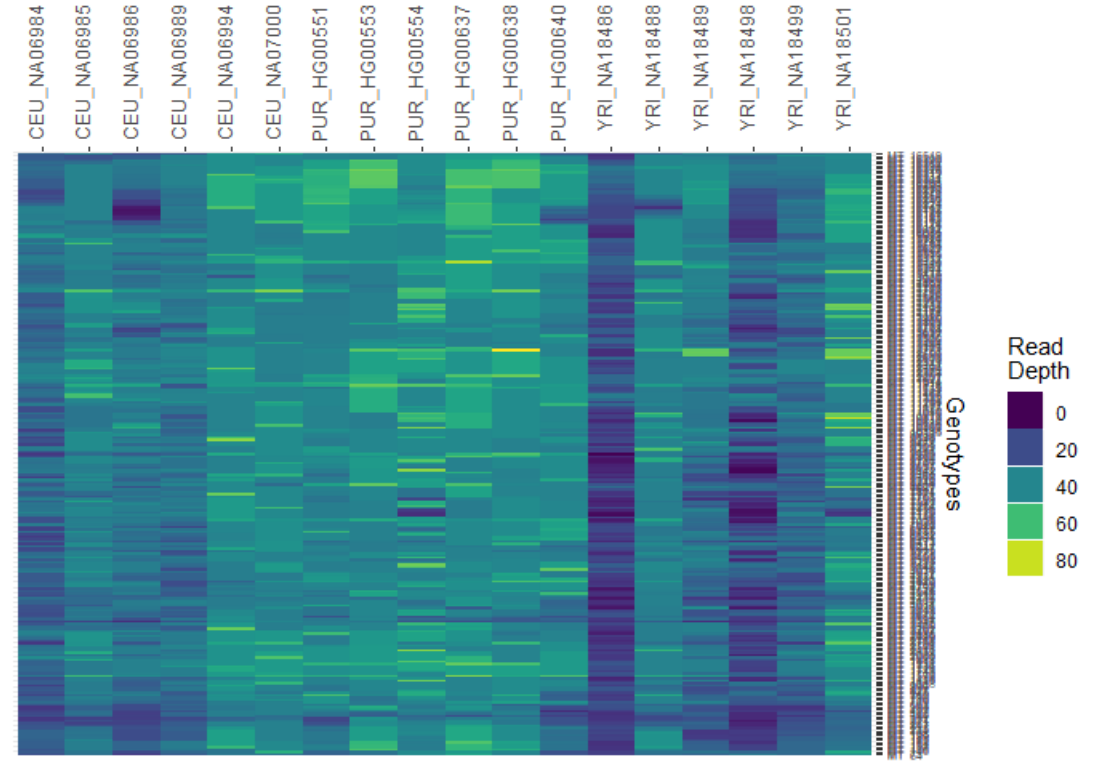
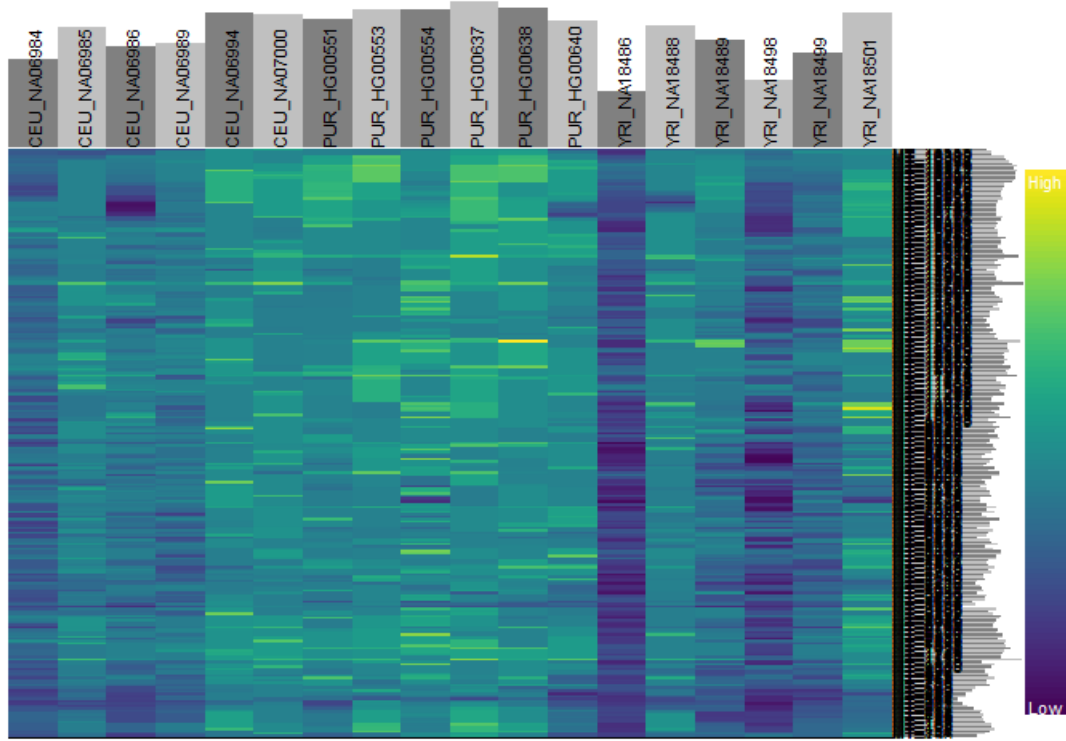
VCF Data: Basic Plots vs. ggplot2



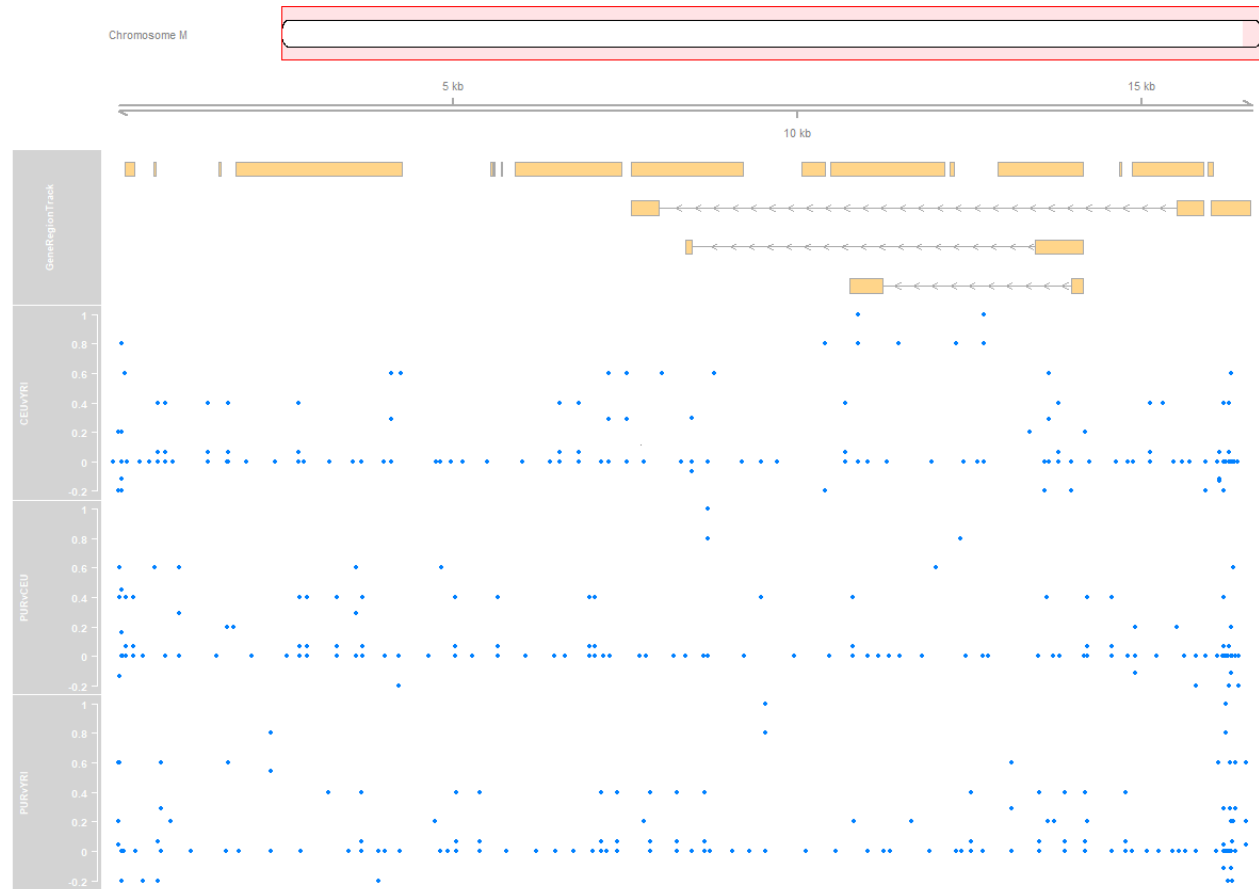
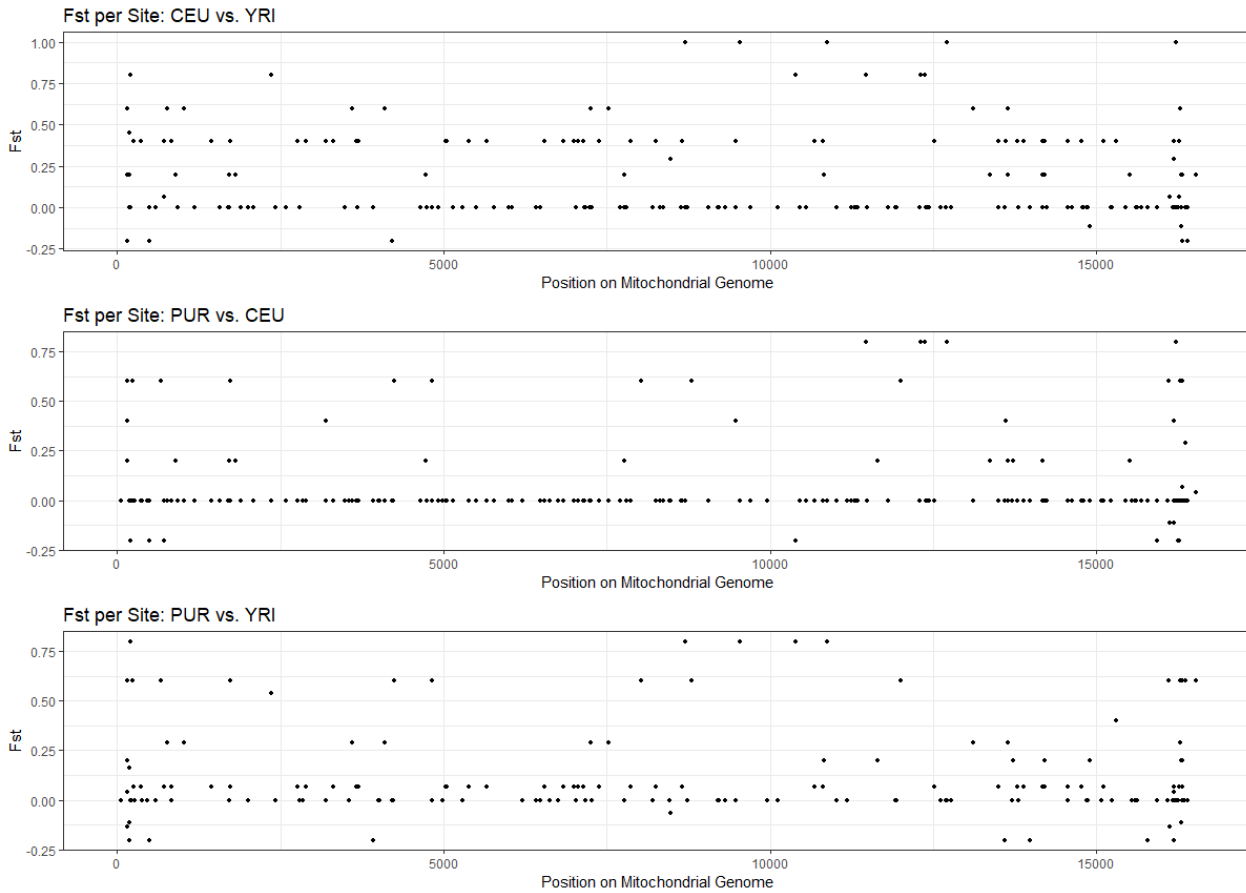
VCF Data: Basic Plots vs. ggplot2



VCF Data: Basic Plots vs. ggplot2



Fst Data: Basic Plots vs. ggplot2



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