

TCSS 592: Group Project

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Description:

What is Orange?

- **Orange** is an open-source data visualization, machine learning and data mining tool
- Add-ons for bioinformatics and text mining

What is widget?

- Orange components are called widgets
 - Orange widget provide GUI to orange data mining
 - It includes widgets for data entry and processing
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Bowtie2

- Bowtie 2 is an **ultrafast** and **memory-efficient** tool for **aligning** sequencing reads to long reference sequences.
- Instruction: **bowtie2** [**options**]* **-x** <bt2-idx> **{-1** <m1> **-2** <m2> **| -U** <r> **-S** [<hit>]
- ❖ *i.e. bowtie2 -x chr1 -U SRR494099.fq -S result_test.sam*
- Input:
 - ❖ The basename of the bowtie2 index for the reference genome. *i.e. chr1*
 - ❖ Comma-separated list of files containing unpaired reads to be aligned *i.e. SRR494099.fq*
- Output: File to write SAM alignments to. *i.e. result_test.sam*

Implementation:

Data preparation: Builds a Bowtie index from a set of DNA sequences.

- Instruction: `bowtie2-build [options]* <reference_in> <bt2_base>`
 - ❖ *i.e. bowtie2-build chr.fa chr1*
- Input: A comma-separated list of FASTA files containing the reference sequences to be aligned to. *i.e. chr.fa*
- Output: A set of 6 files with suffixes `.1.bt2`, `.2.bt2`, `.3.bt2`, `.4.bt2`, `.rev.1.bt2`, and `.rev.2.bt2`. *i.e. chr1.1.bt2, chr1.2.bt2, ..., chr1.rev.1.bt2, chr1.rev.2.bt2*

Implementation Details:

- Automatically filter several Bowtie Index files as a whole:
 - ❖ *i.e. chr1.1.bt2, chr1.2.bt2, ..., chr1.rev.1.bt2, chr1.rev.2.bt2 → chr1*
- Command of Bowtie2 using on Docker needs “bash -c” prefix.
 - ❖ *i.e. Commands = "bash -c \"'\" + '.join((str(w) for w in parameters)) + "\""*
- The names of volumes can't be the same, because the DS of volumes is a dictionary.
 - ❖ *i.e. volumes = {self.host_fastq_dir: self.container_fastq_dir,*
 - ❖ *self.host_index_dir: self.container_index_dir}*

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Demo



Conclusion:

Learning Part:

How to add a widget in Orange using biocontainers on Docker in details.

- Pull the useful image from the Docker
- Pass the host file path to Docker
- GUI designe using PyQt5

Challenging Part:

Setting up the environment was the challenging part. We got it on MAC but was pretty tedious on windows



Work Distribution

Yu Zhuang - setting up the environment, Implementation of bowtie2 widget and run in orange

Ashwini - setting up the environment, Implementation of bowtie2 widget and run in orange

Iswarya - setting up the environment, Implementation of bowtie2 widget and run in orange



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References:

<https://sourceforge.net/projects/bowtie-bio/files/bowtie/>

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<https://github.com/BioDepot/BioDepot-workflow-builder>





Thank you.

