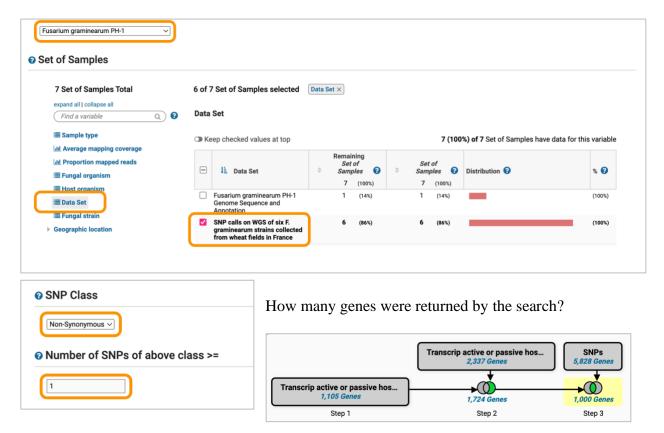
DAY 2 Complex Search Strategies

Learning objectives:

Create a complex search strategy using different types of data

Navigate to your account and open the RNA-Seq strategy created previously - https://fungidb.org/fungidb/app/workspace/strategies/import/3574a8adf546ee33 In this strategy, we have looked for genes that are upregulated in Fusarium during saprotrophic growth conditions. Next, we will:

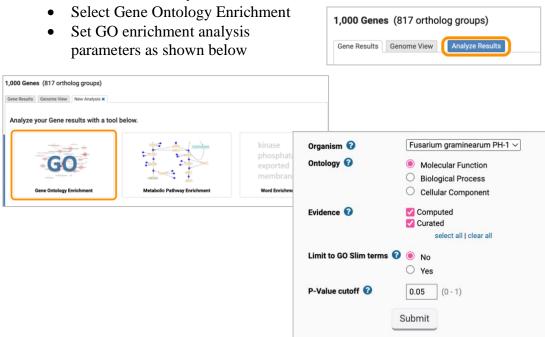
- a) Identify genes from Step 2 that have non-synonymous mutations based on field isolates data for *Fusarium*
 - Modify the existing strategy to look for **4-fold upregulated** genes
 - Click on Add Step button
 - Locate the **SNP Characteristics** search
 - Set parameters as shown below
 - Click on the Run Step button



How would you identify which gene products are enriched in the Step 3?

b) Perform GO term enrichment (Molecular function)

• Click on the **Analyze Results** tab, which is located above the results table



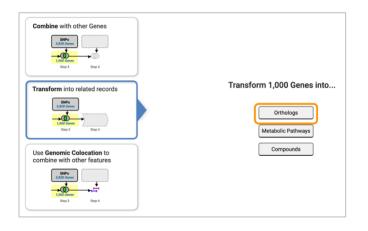
Do the results make sense? It looks like hydrolases or secondary metabolism pathways are enriched within gene results which is consistent with saprophytic growth.

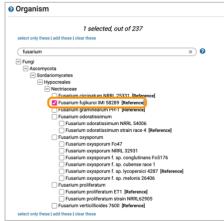


How would you go about finding orthologs of FgPH-1 genes in Fusarium fujikuroi?

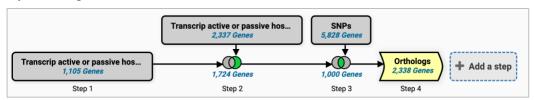
c) Find orthologs of Fg genes from the Step3 in Fusarium fujikuroi

- Click on the Add Step button
- Select the "Transform into Related Records" search
- Choose the "Orthologs" option
- Identify the correct genome and deploy the search



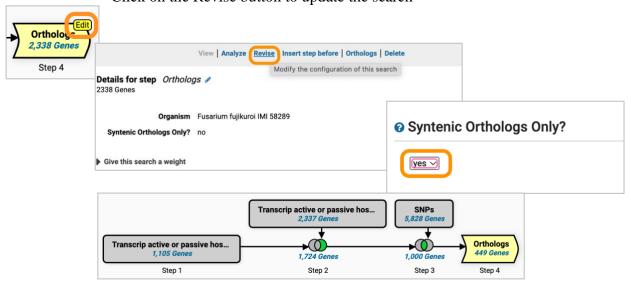


How many orthologs were identified?



Modify the strategy to look for syntenic orthologs only.

- Hover over the last step
- Click on the **Edit** button
- Select Revise
- Change the "Syntenic Orthologs Only?" parameter to "Yes"
- Click on the Revise button to update the search



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