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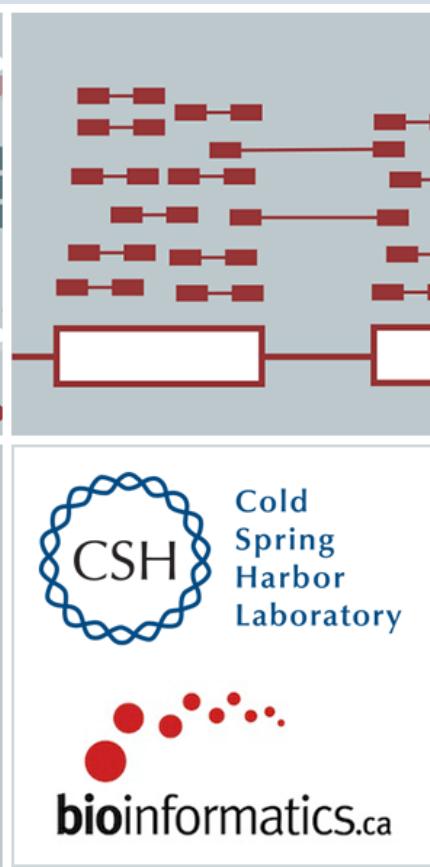
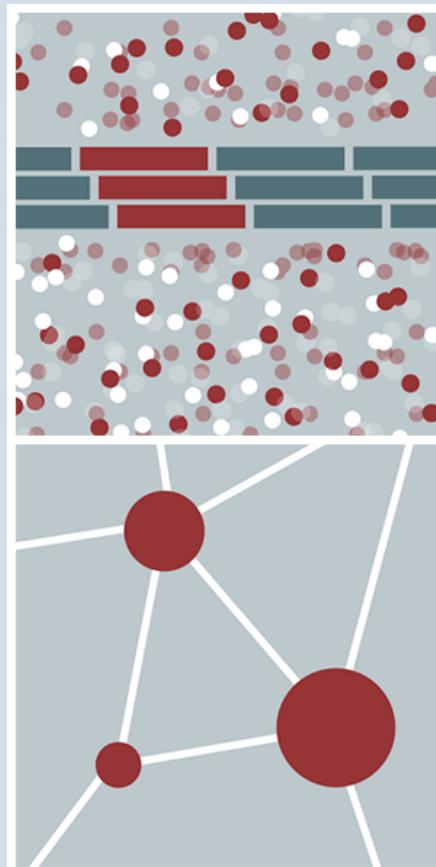
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# Introduction to IGV

## The Integrative Genomics Viewer

Malachi Griffith, Obi Griffith, Fouad Yousif  
Informatics for RNA-seq Analysis  
July 10-12, 2017



# Visualization Tools in Genomics

- there are **over 40 different genome browsers**, which to use?
- depends on
  - task at hand
  - kind and size of data
  - data privacy

# HT-seq Genome Browsers



Integrative  
Genome  
Viewer



UCSC  
Genome Browser  
Cancer Genome Browser



Trackster  
(part of Galaxy)

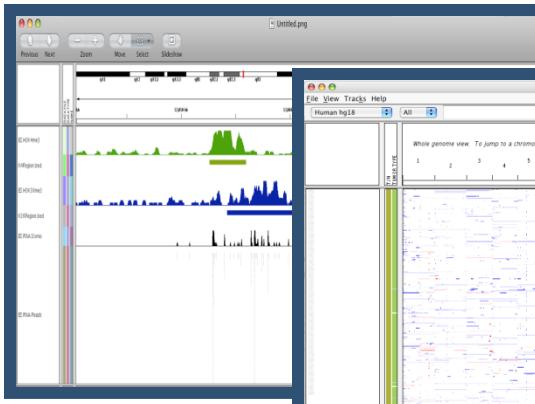


Savant  
Genome  
Browser

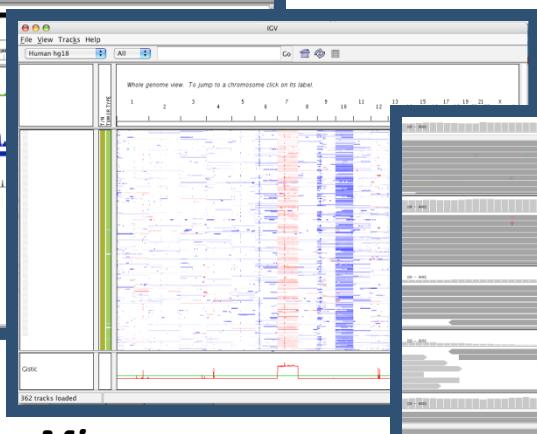
- task at hand : visualizing HT-seq reads, especially good for inspecting variants
- kind and size of data : large BAM files, stored locally or remotely
- data privacy : run on the desktop, can keep all data private
- UCSC Genome Browser has been retro-fitted to display BAM files
- Trackster is a genome browser that can perform visual analytics on small windows of the genome, deploy full analysis with Galaxy

# Integrative Genomics Viewer (IGV)

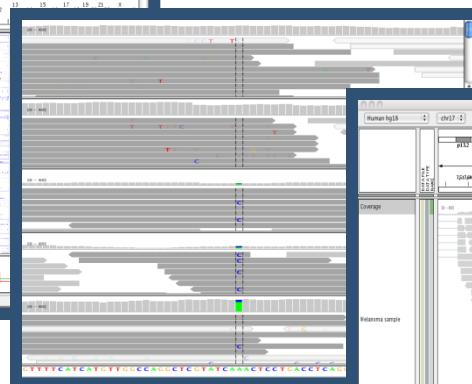
*Desktop application for the interactive visual exploration of integrated genomic datasets*



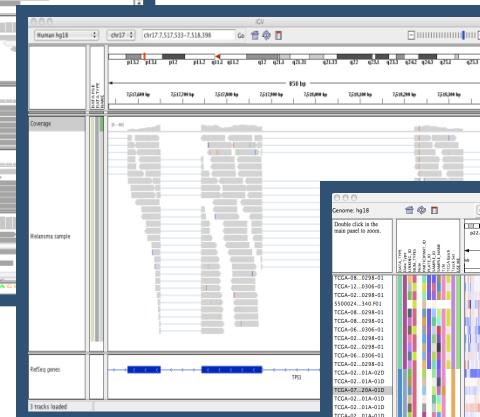
**Epigenomics**



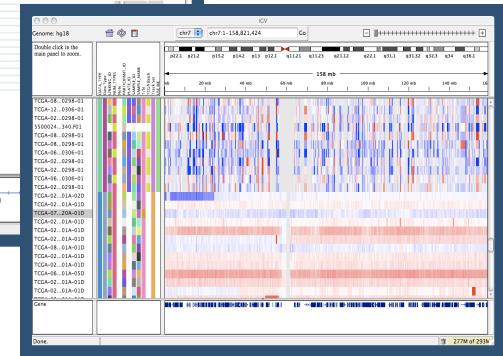
**Microarrays**



**NGS alignments**



**RNA-Seq**



**mRNA, CNV, Seq**

<http://www.broadinstitute.org/igv>

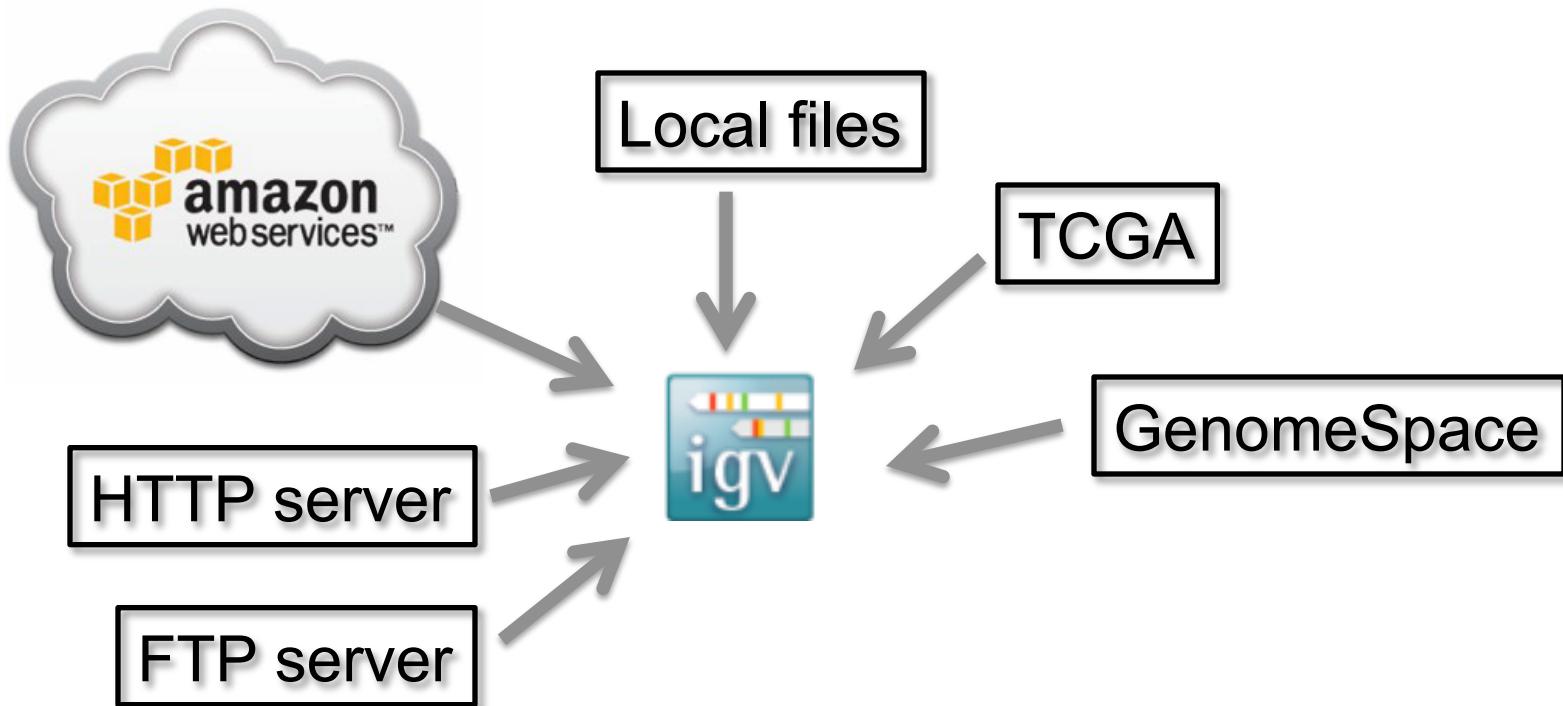
>85,000 registrations (2014)

# Features

With IGV you can...

- Explore large genomic datasets with an intuitive, easy-to-use interface.
- Integrate multiple data types with clinical and other sample information.
- View data from multiple sources:
  - local, remote, and “cloud-based”.
- Automation of specific tasks using command-line interface

# IGV data sources

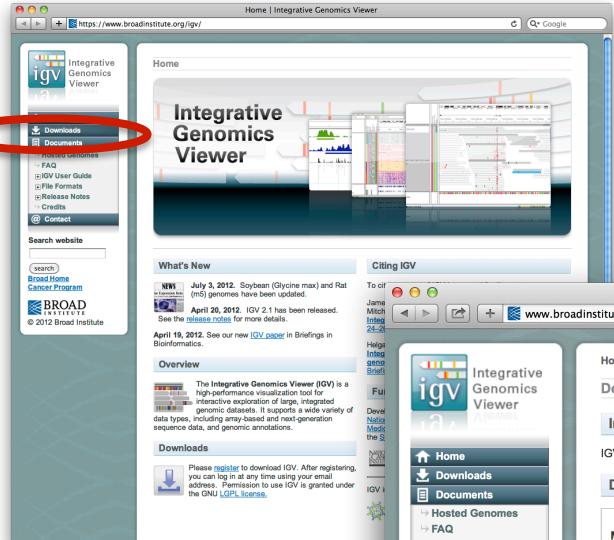
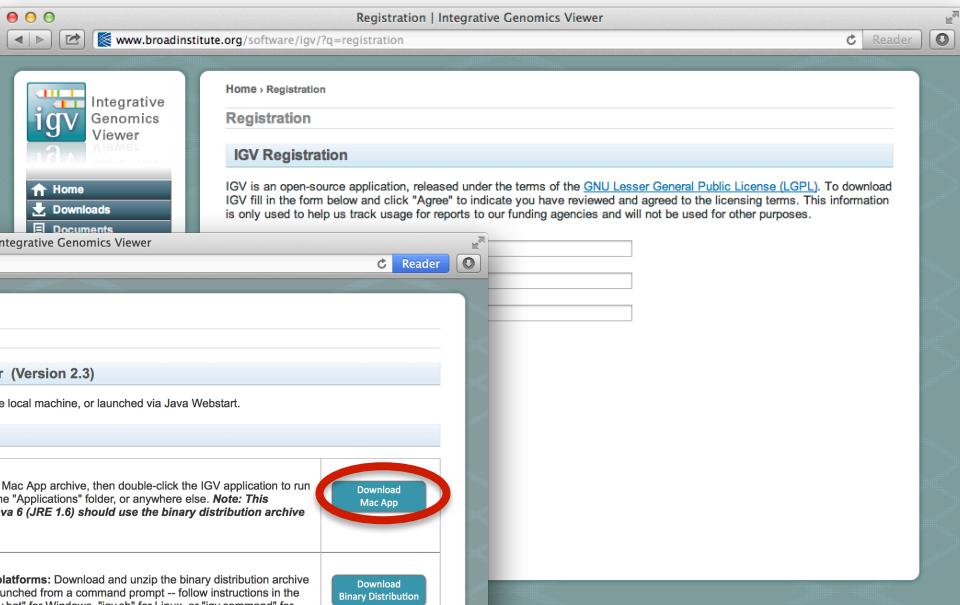
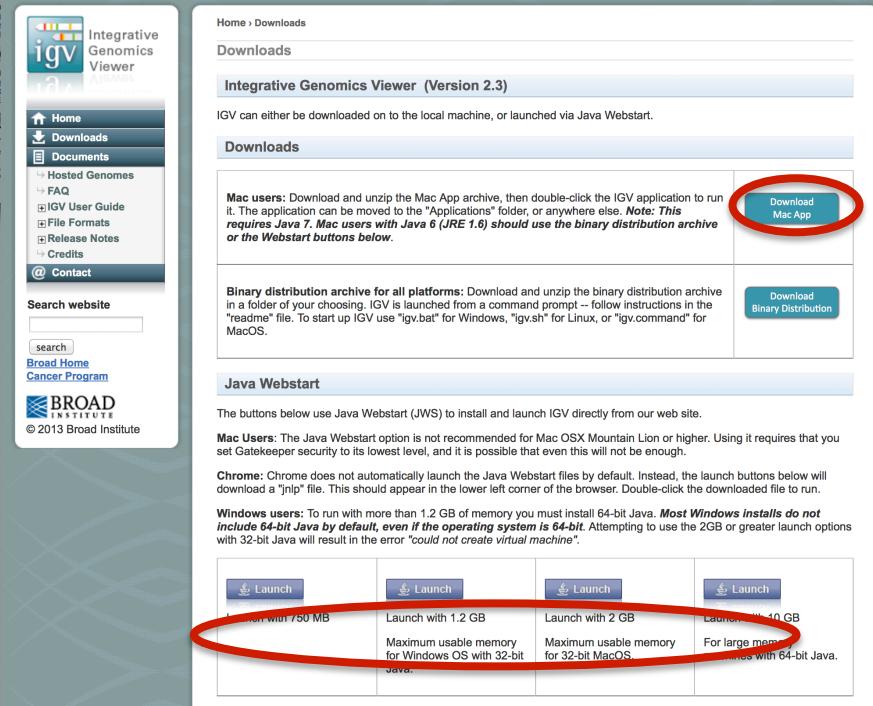


- View **local** files without uploading.
- View **remote** files without downloading the whole dataset.

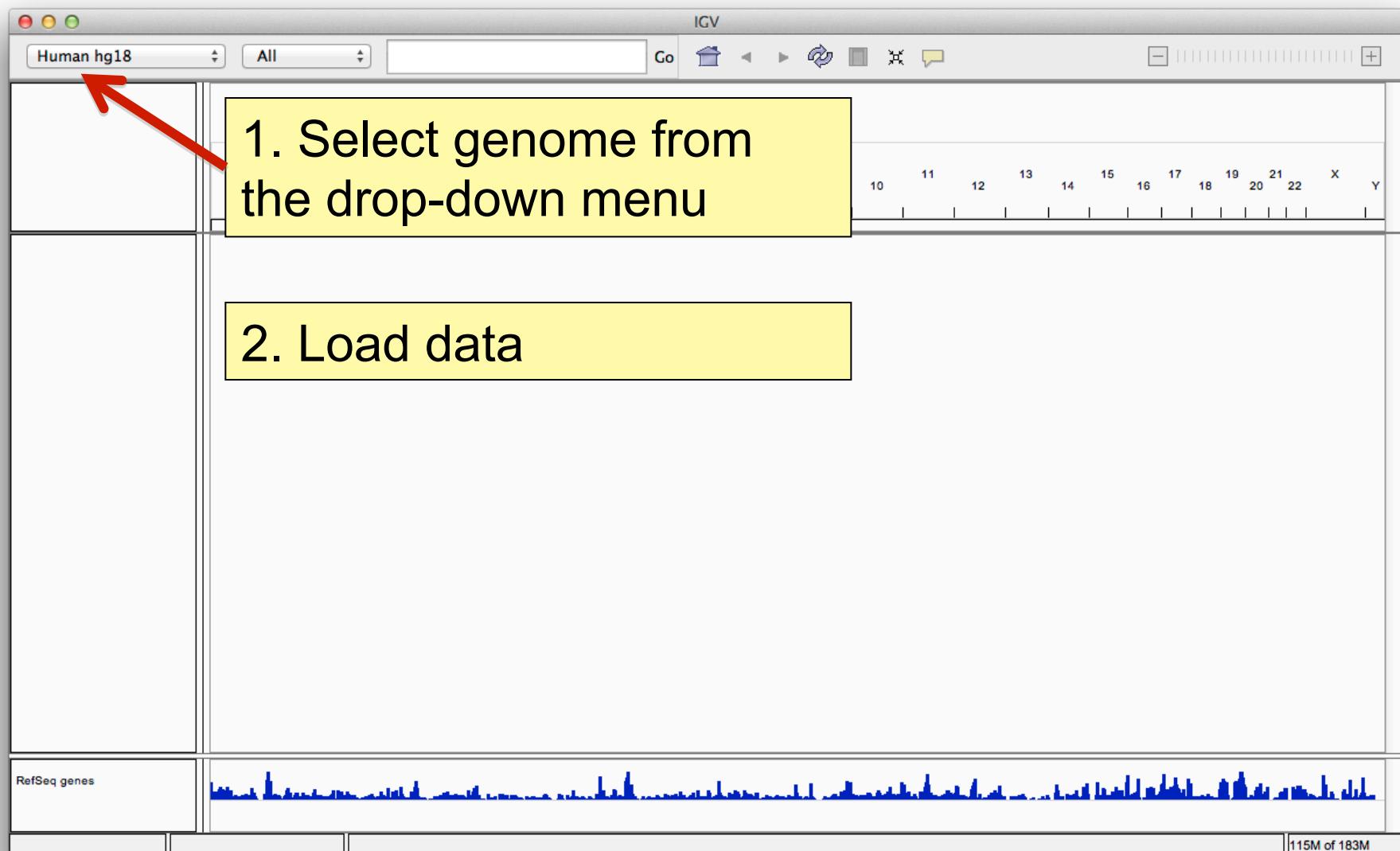
# Using IGV: the basics

- Launch IGV
- Select a reference genome
- Load data
- Navigate through the data
  - WGS data
    - SNVs
    - structural variations

# Launch IGV

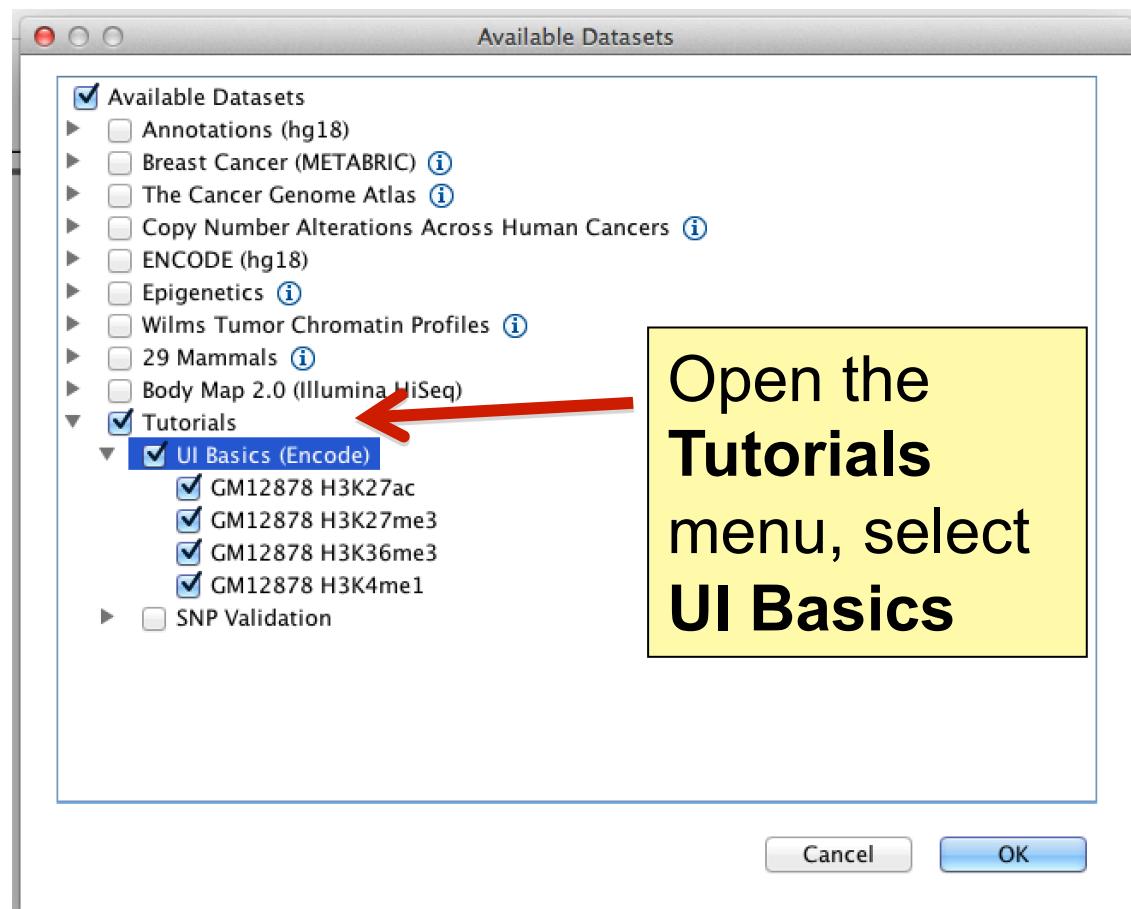
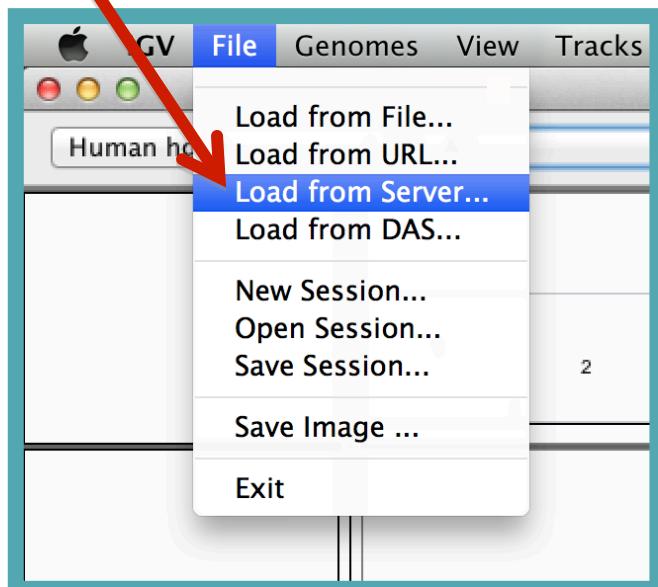





# Launch IGV



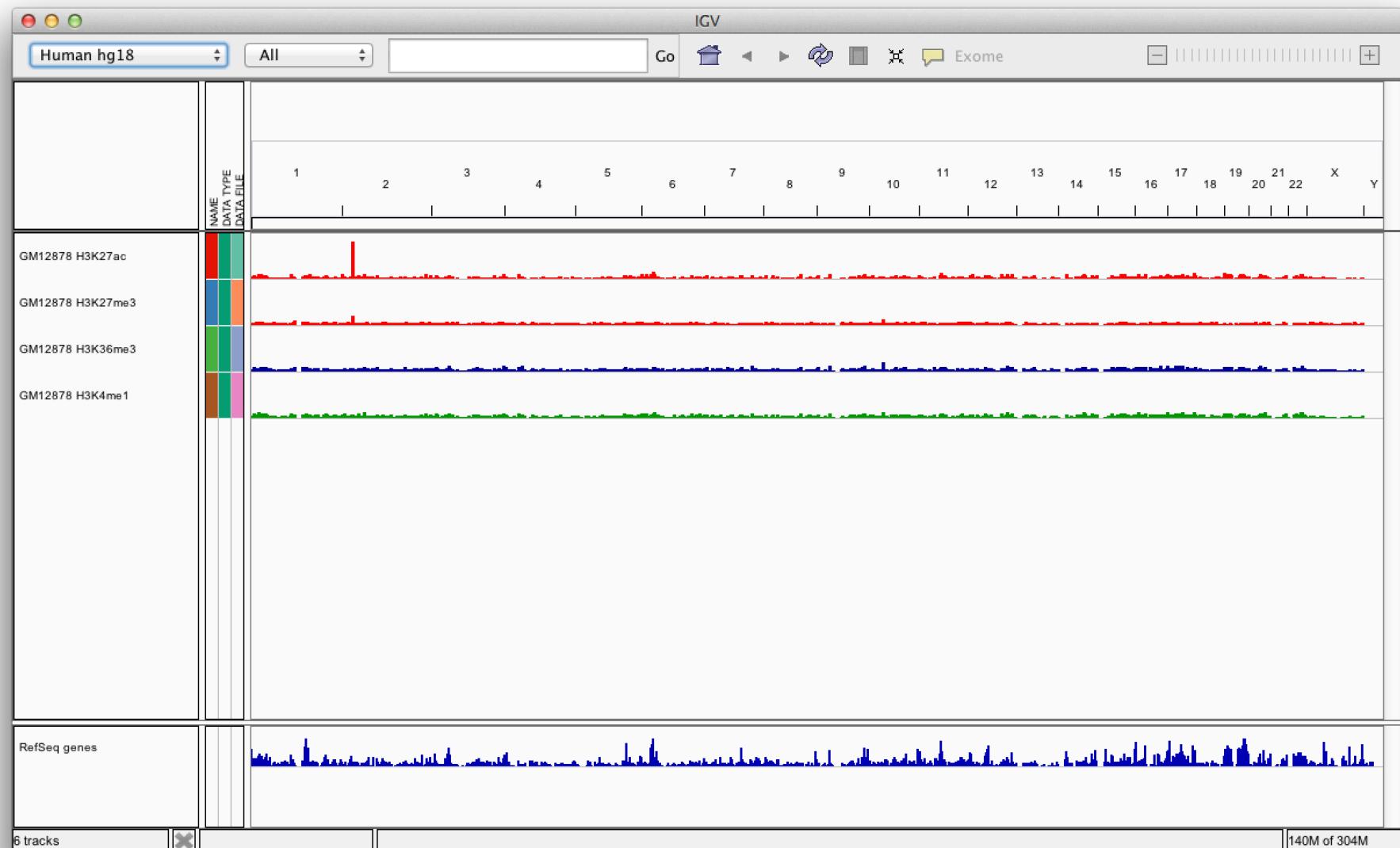
# Load data

Select File > Load from Server...

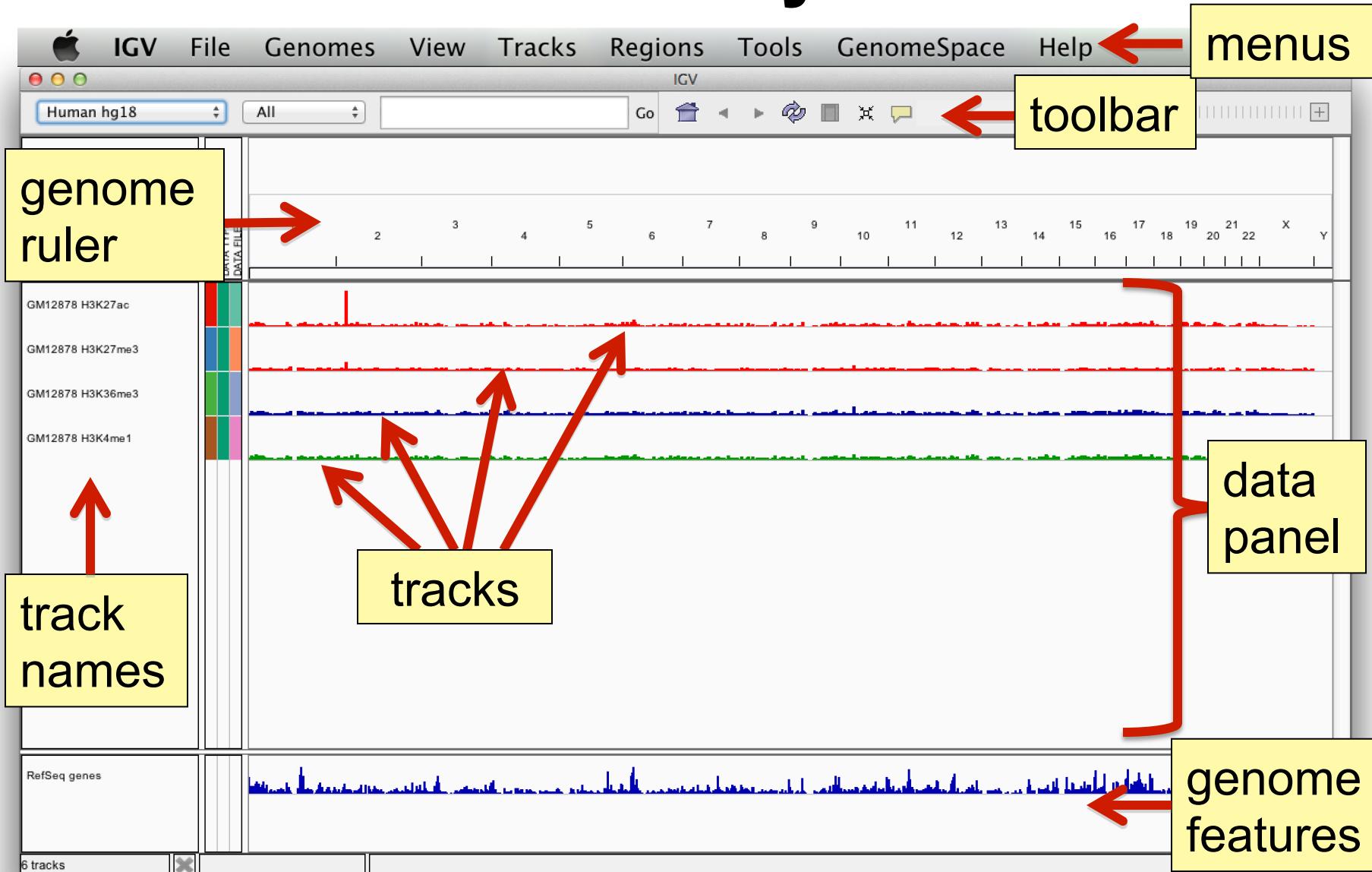


Open the Tutorials menu, select UI Basics

# Screen layout



# Screen layout



# File formats and track types

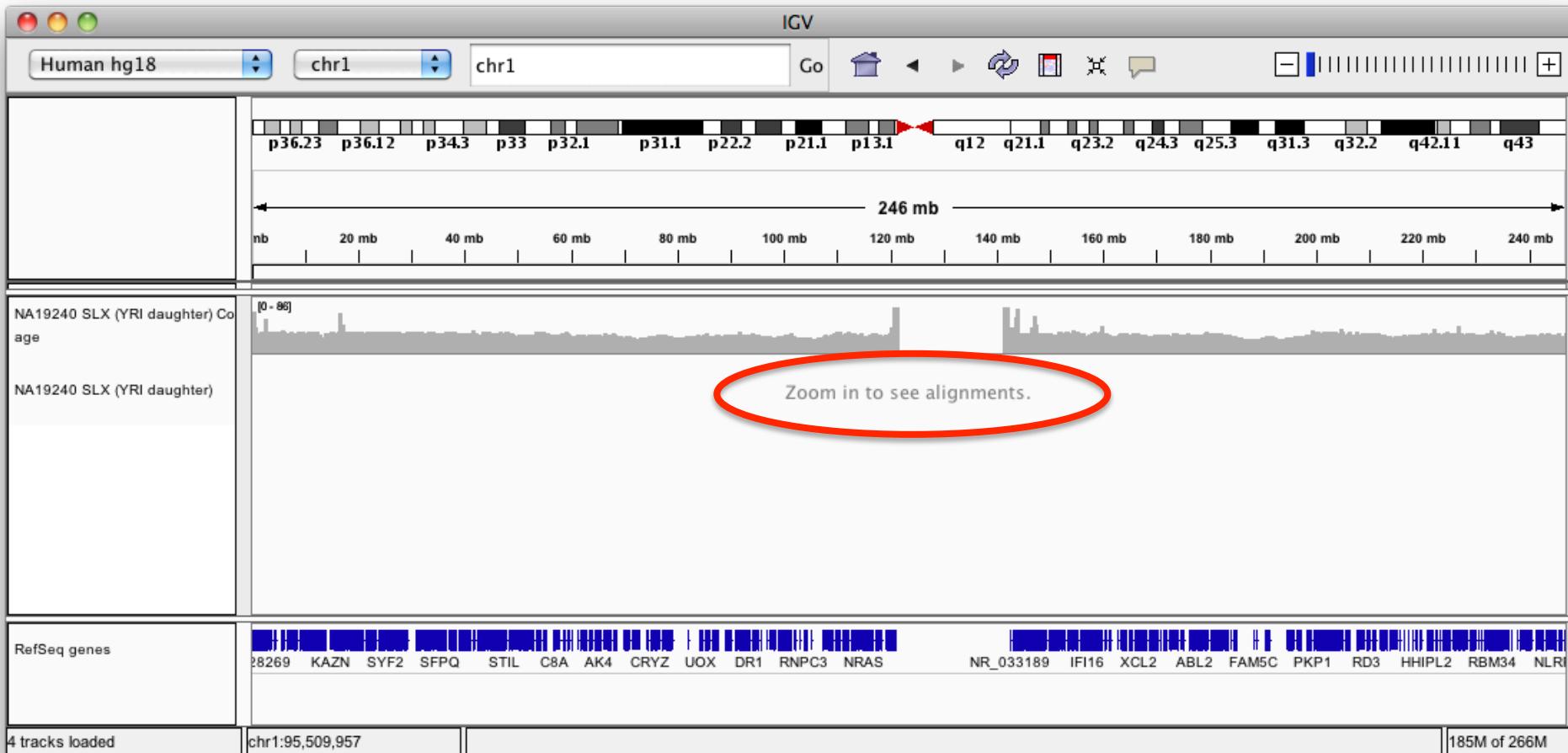
- The **file format** defines the track type.
- The **track type** determines the display options

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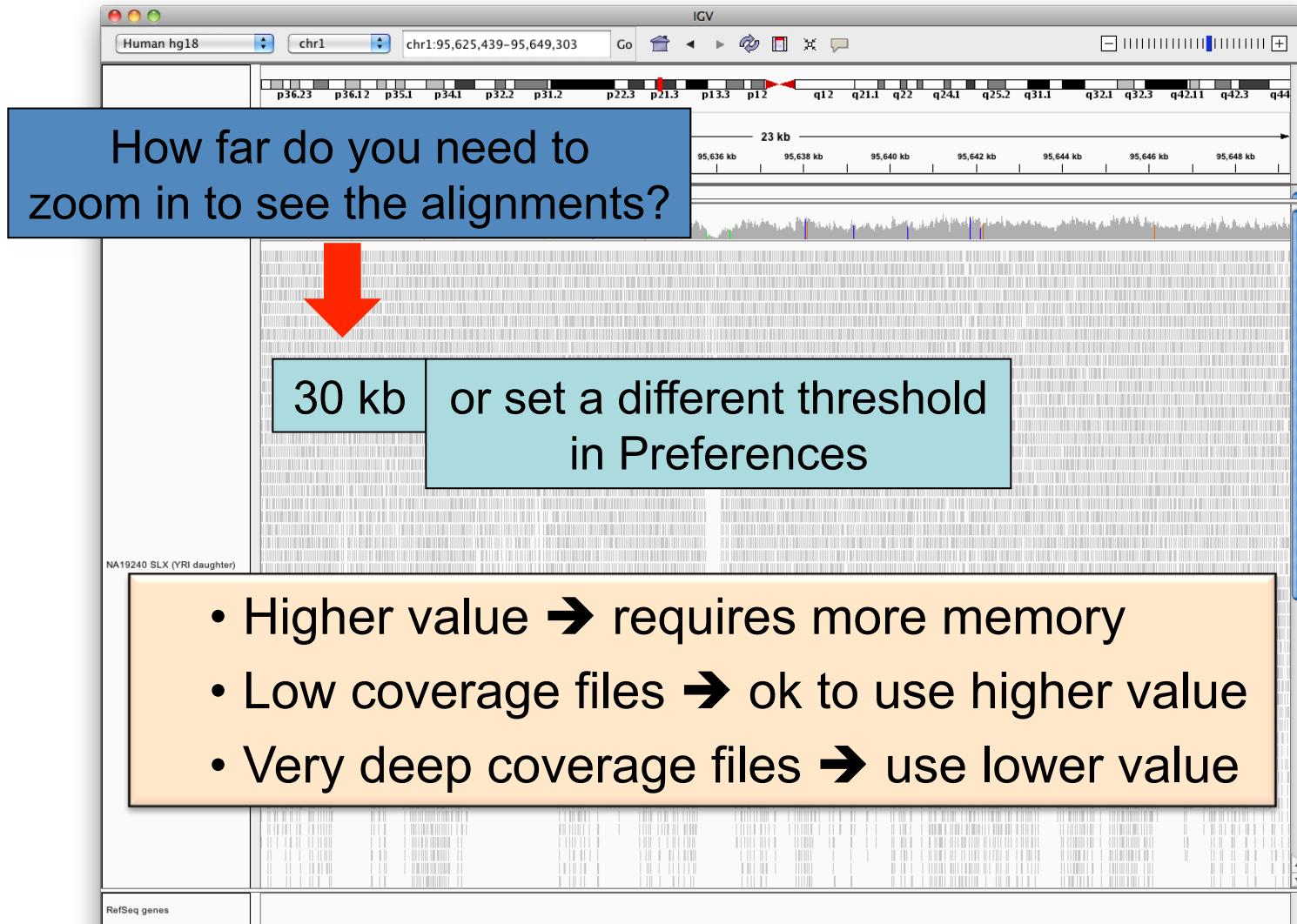
- For current list see: [www.broadinstitute.org/igv/FileFormats](http://www.broadinstitute.org/igv/FileFormats)

# Viewing alignments

## Whole chromosome view



# Viewing alignments – Zoom in



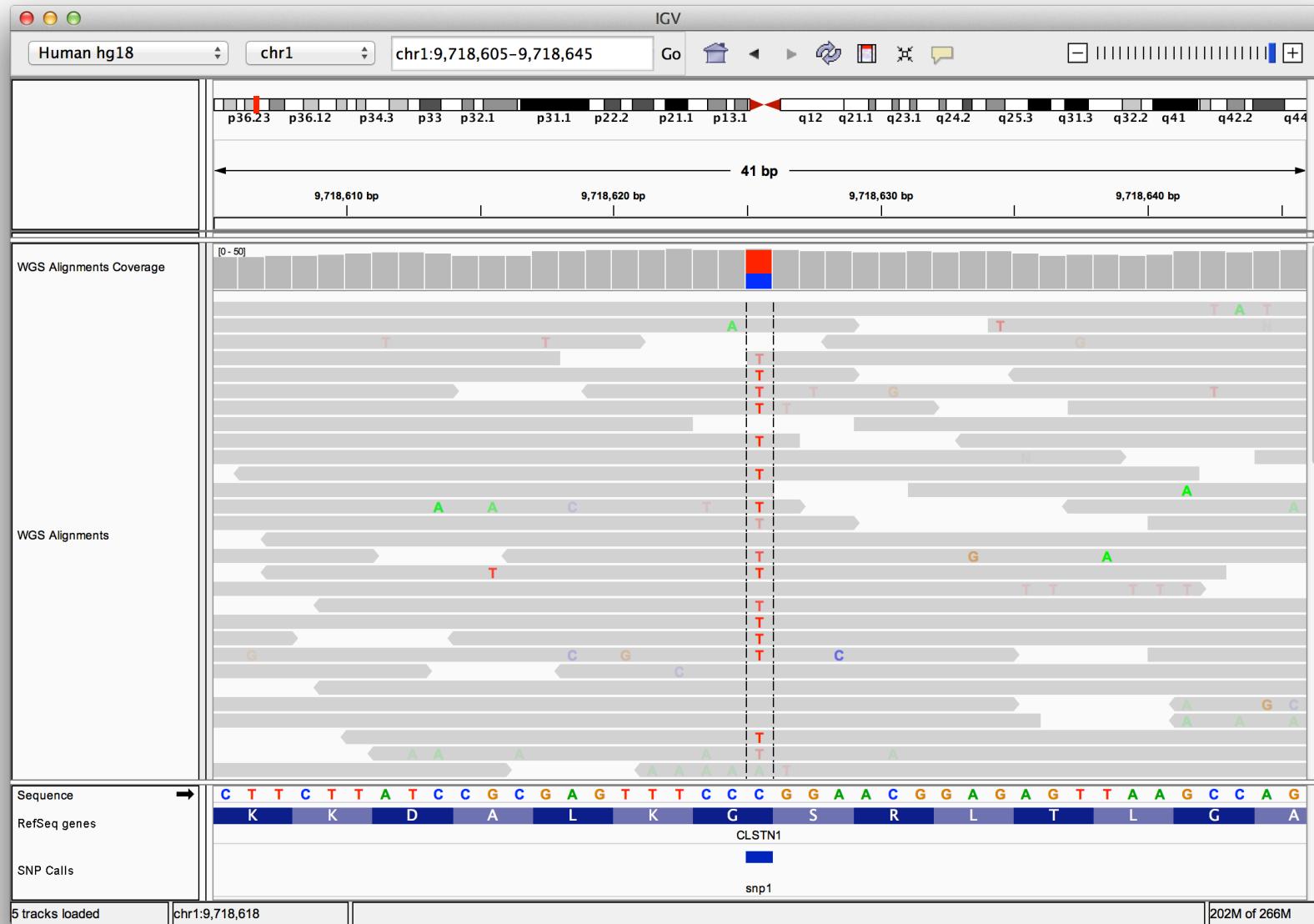
# Viewing alignments – Zoom in



# SNVs and Structural variations

- Important metrics for evaluating the validity of SNVs:
  - Coverage
  - Amount of support
  - Strand bias / PCR artifacts
  - Mapping qualities
  - Base qualities
- Important metrics for evaluating SVs:
  - Coverage
  - Insert size
  - Read pair orientation

# Viewing SNPs and SNVs



# Viewing SNPs and SNVs



# Viewing Structural Events

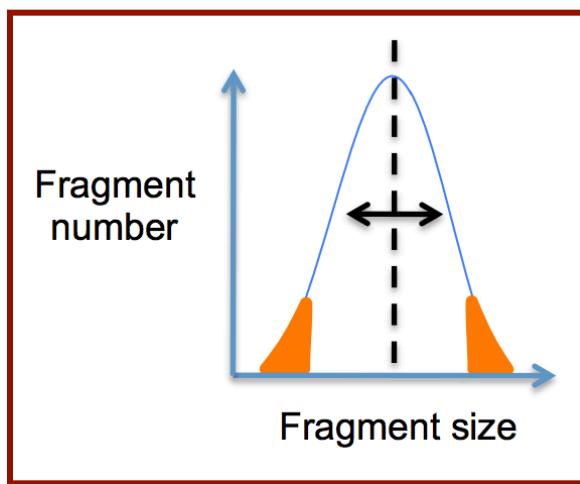
- Paired reads can yield evidence for genomic “structural events”, such as deletions, translocations, and inversions.
- Alignment coloring options help highlight these events based on:
  - Inferred insert size (template length)
  - Pair orientation (relative strand of pair)

# Paired-end sequencing

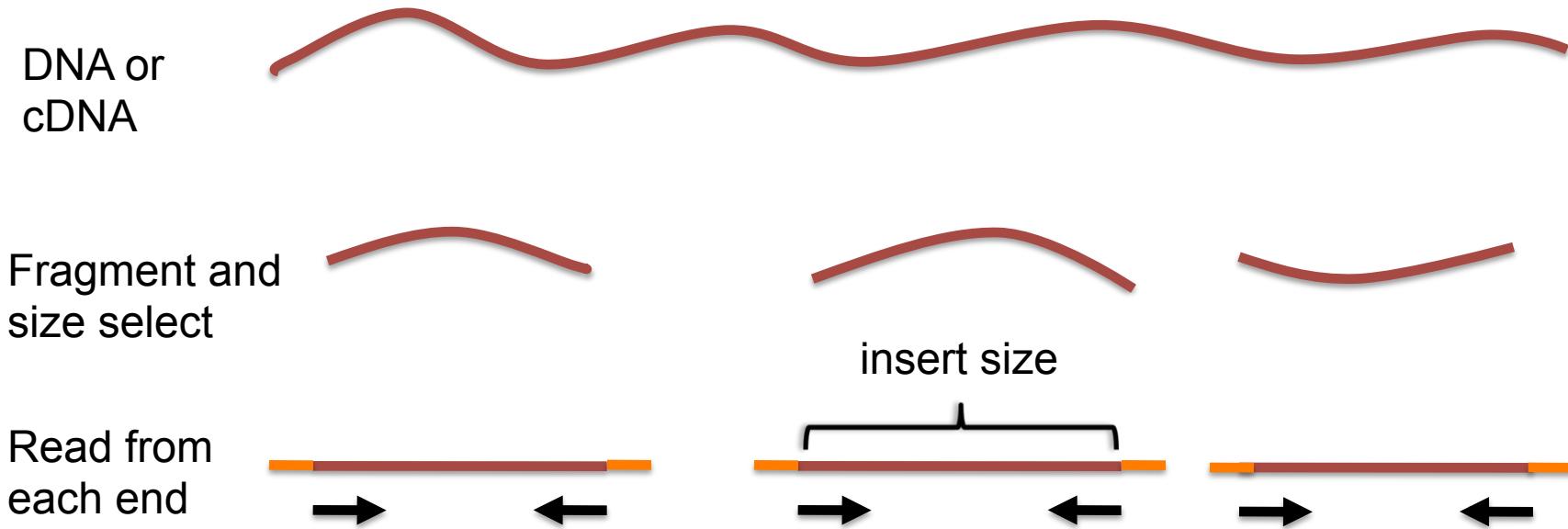
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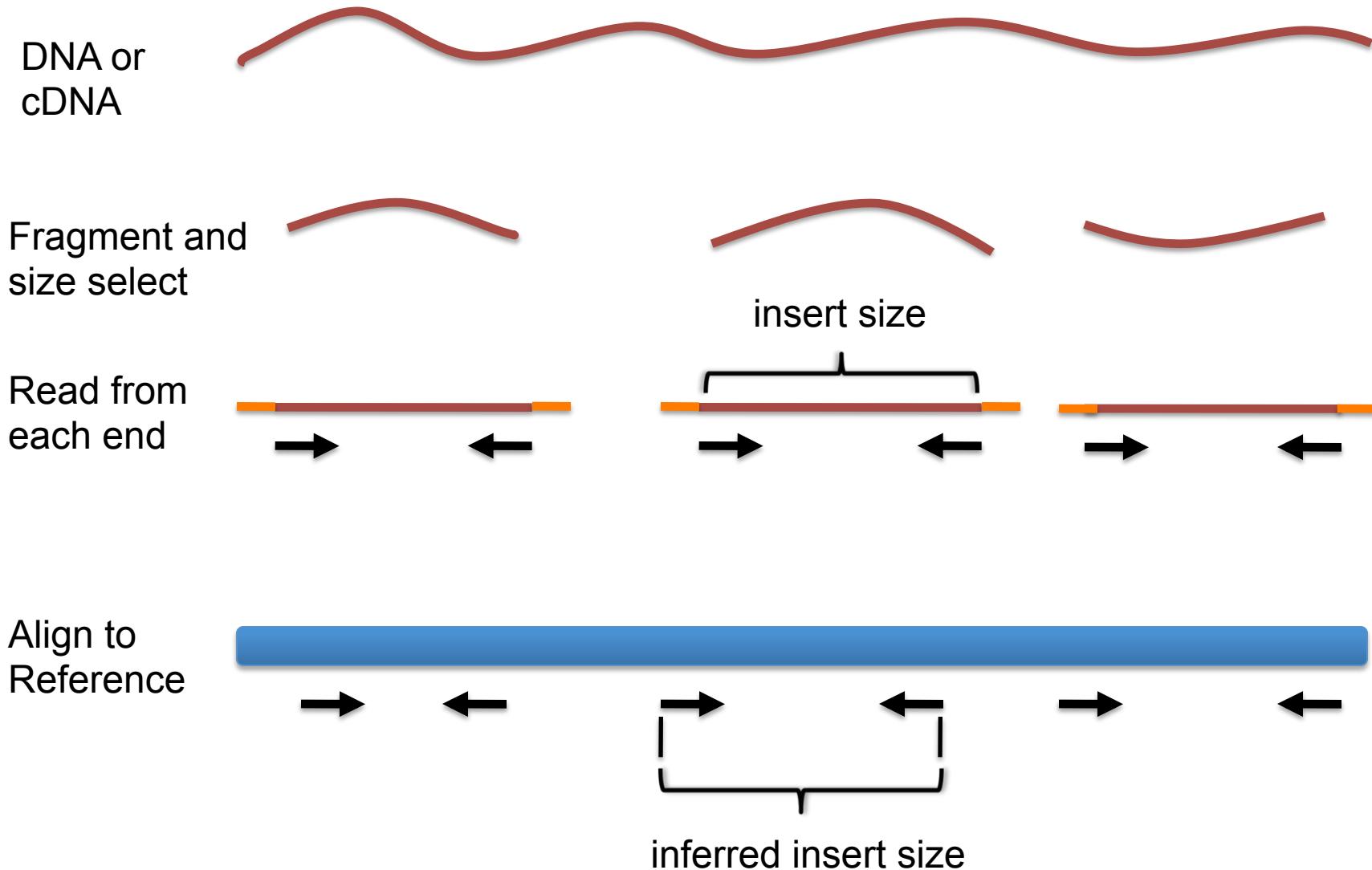
Fragment and  
size select



# Paired-end sequencing



# Paired-end sequencing



# Interpreting inferred insert size

The “inferred insert size” can be used to detect structural variants including

- Deletions
- Insertions
- Inter-chromosomal rearrangements: (Undefined insert size)

# Deletion

What is the effect of a deletion on inferred insert size?

# Deletion

Reference  
Genome



Subject



# Deletion

Reference  
Genome



Subject



# Deletion

Reference  
Genome



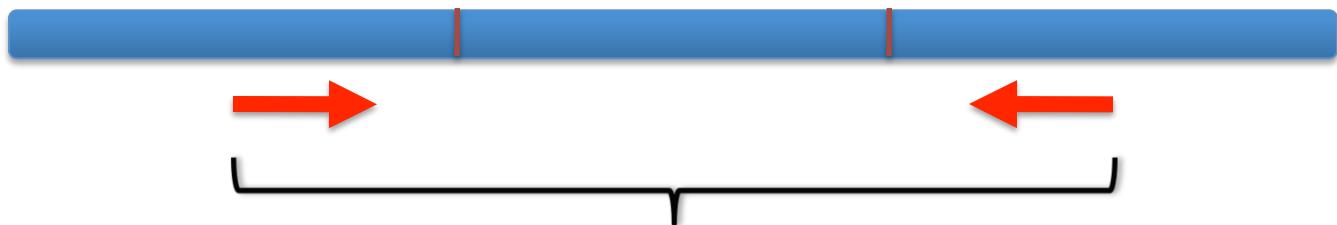
Subject



# Deletion

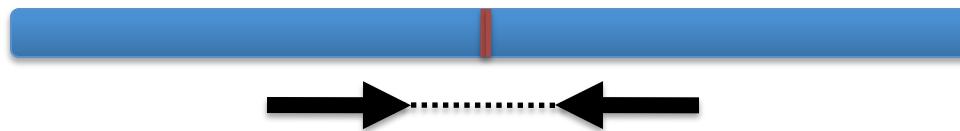
Inferred insert size is > expected value

Reference  
Genome



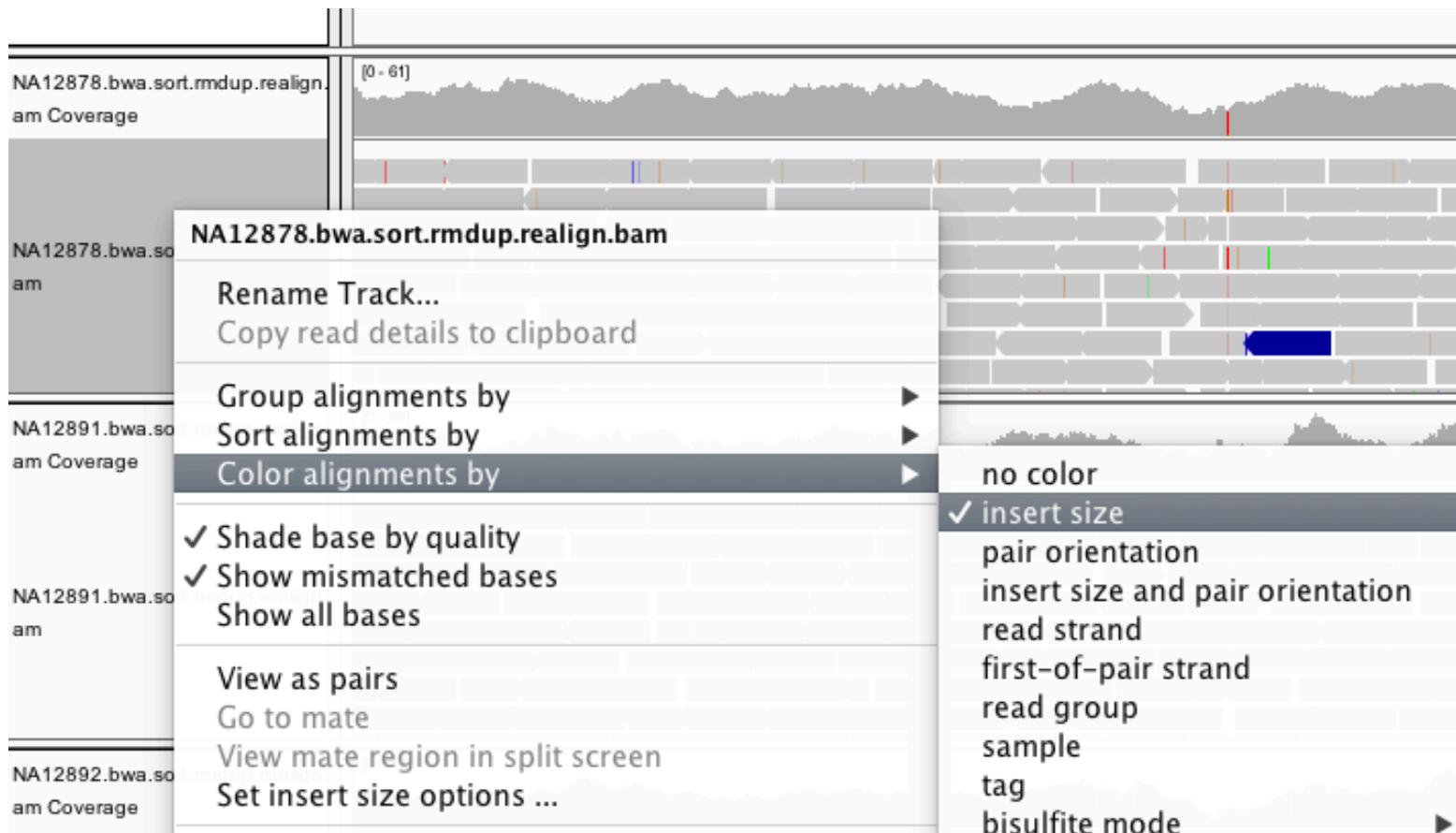
inferred insert size

Subject

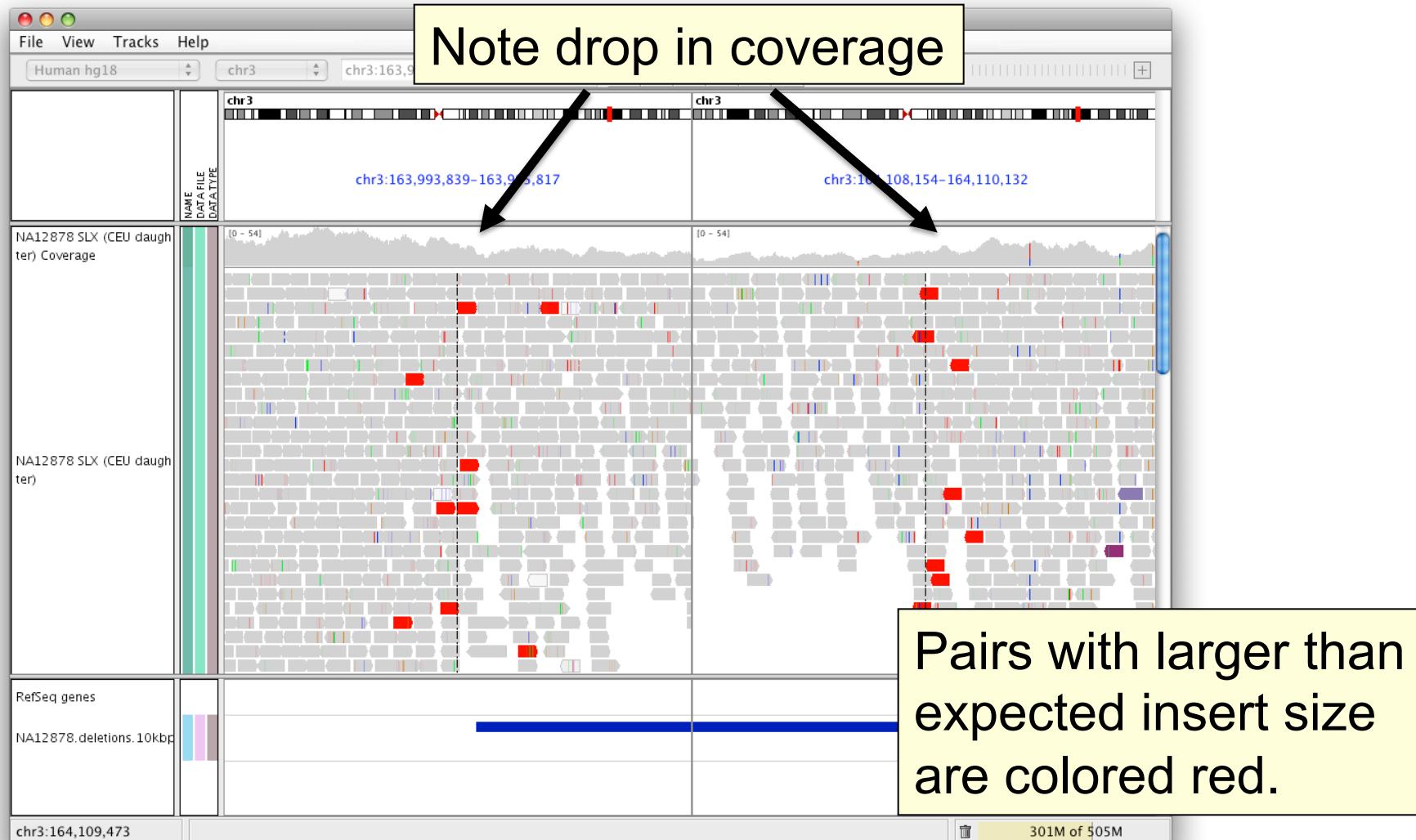


expected insert size

# Color by insert size



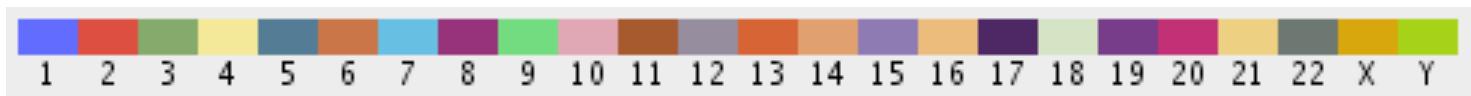
# Deletion



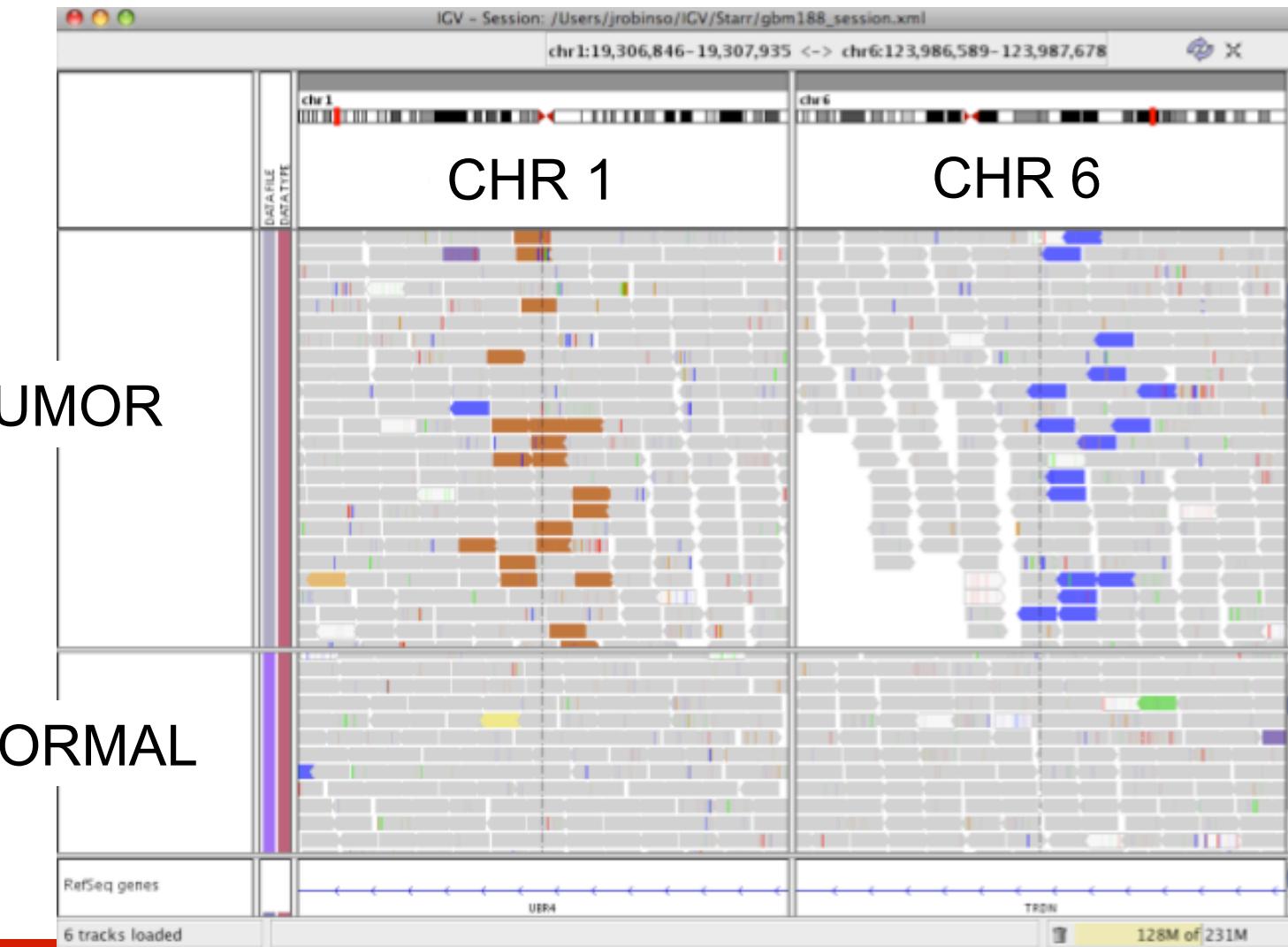
# Insert size color scheme

- Smaller than expected insert size: 
- Larger than expected insert size: 
- Pairs on different chromosomes

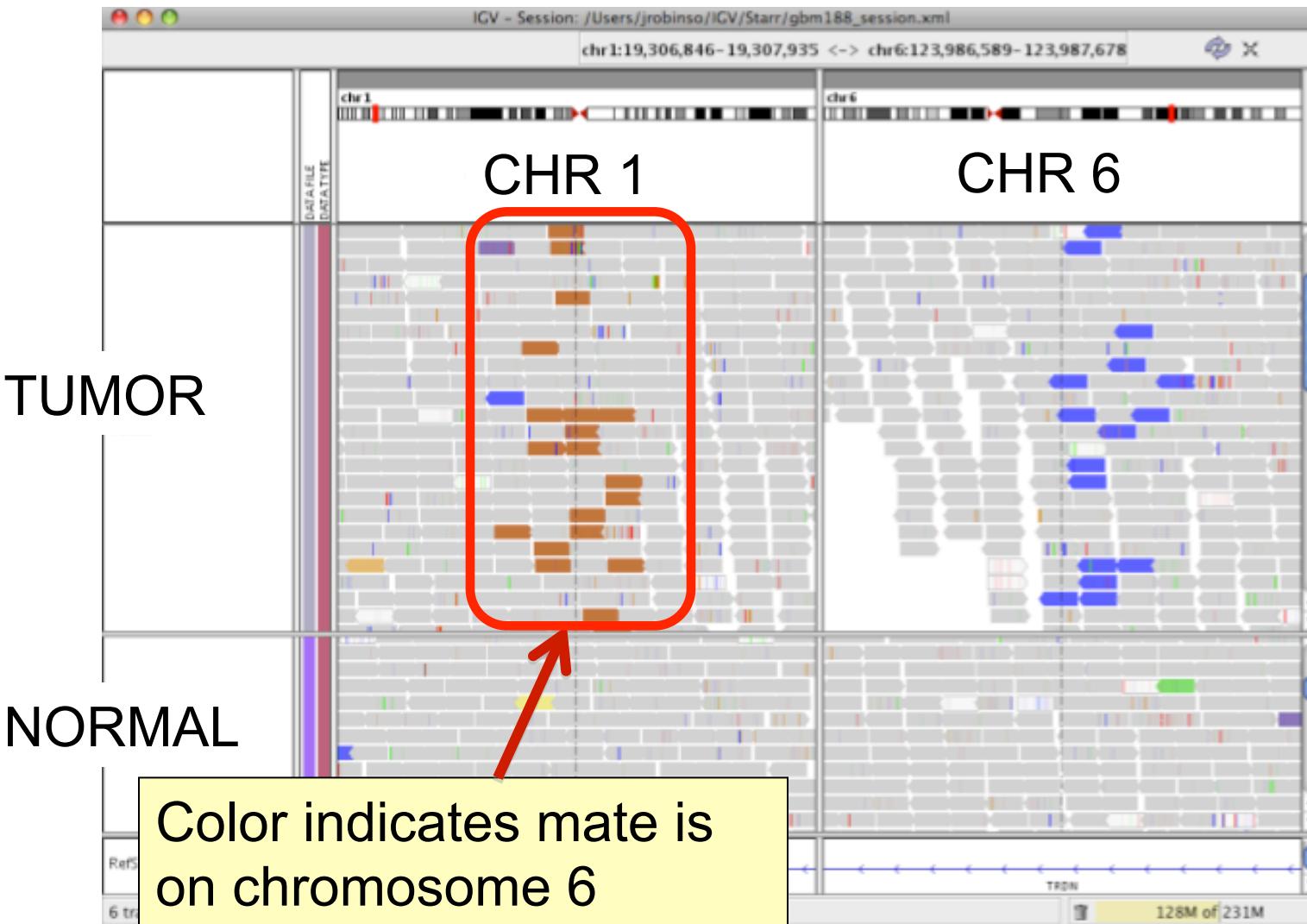
*Each end colored by chromosome of its mate*



# Rearrangement



# Rearrangement



# Interpreting Read-Pair Orientations

Orientation of paired reads can reveal structural events:

- Inversions
- Duplications
- Translocations
- Complex rearrangements

Orientation is defined in terms of

- read strand, left *vs* right, *and*
- read order, first *vs* second

# Inversion

Reference  
genome



# Inversion

Reference  
genome



# Inversion

Reference  
Genome



A

B

Subject



B

A

# Inversion

Reference  
Genome



Subject



# Inversion

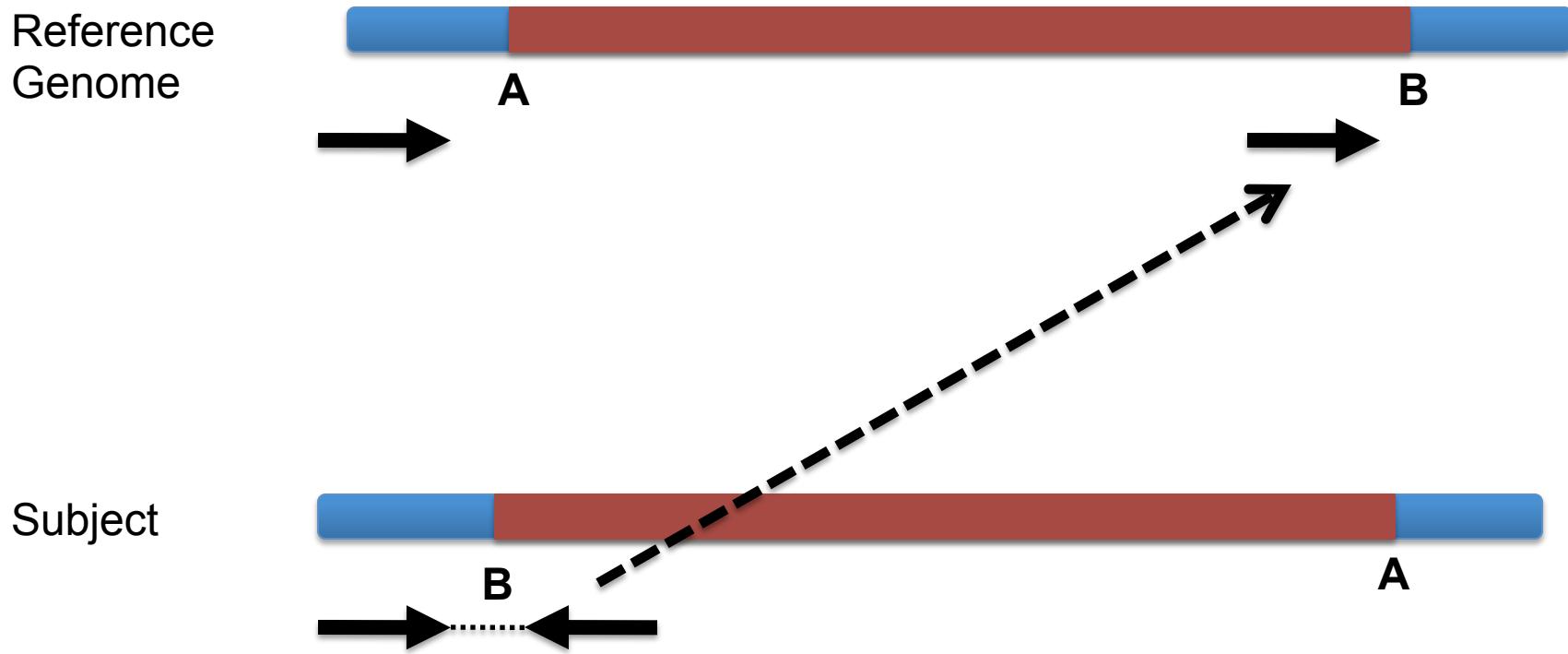
Reference  
Genome



Subject

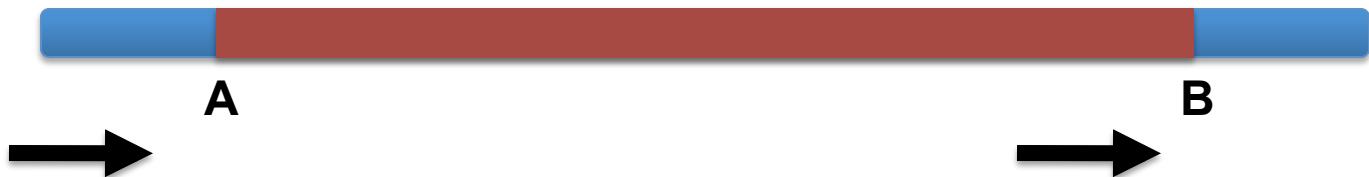


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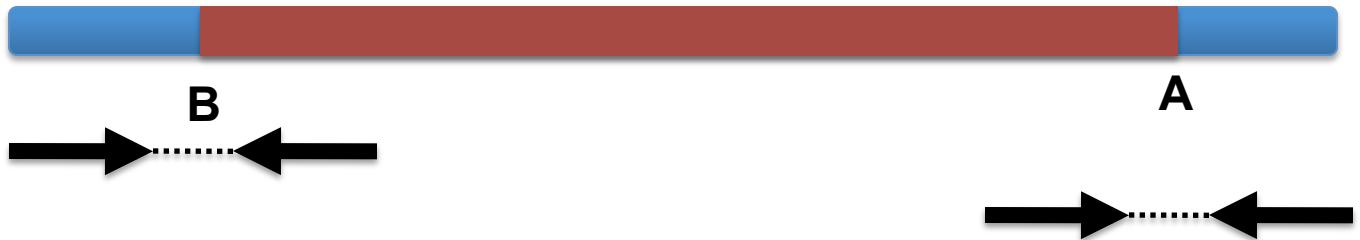


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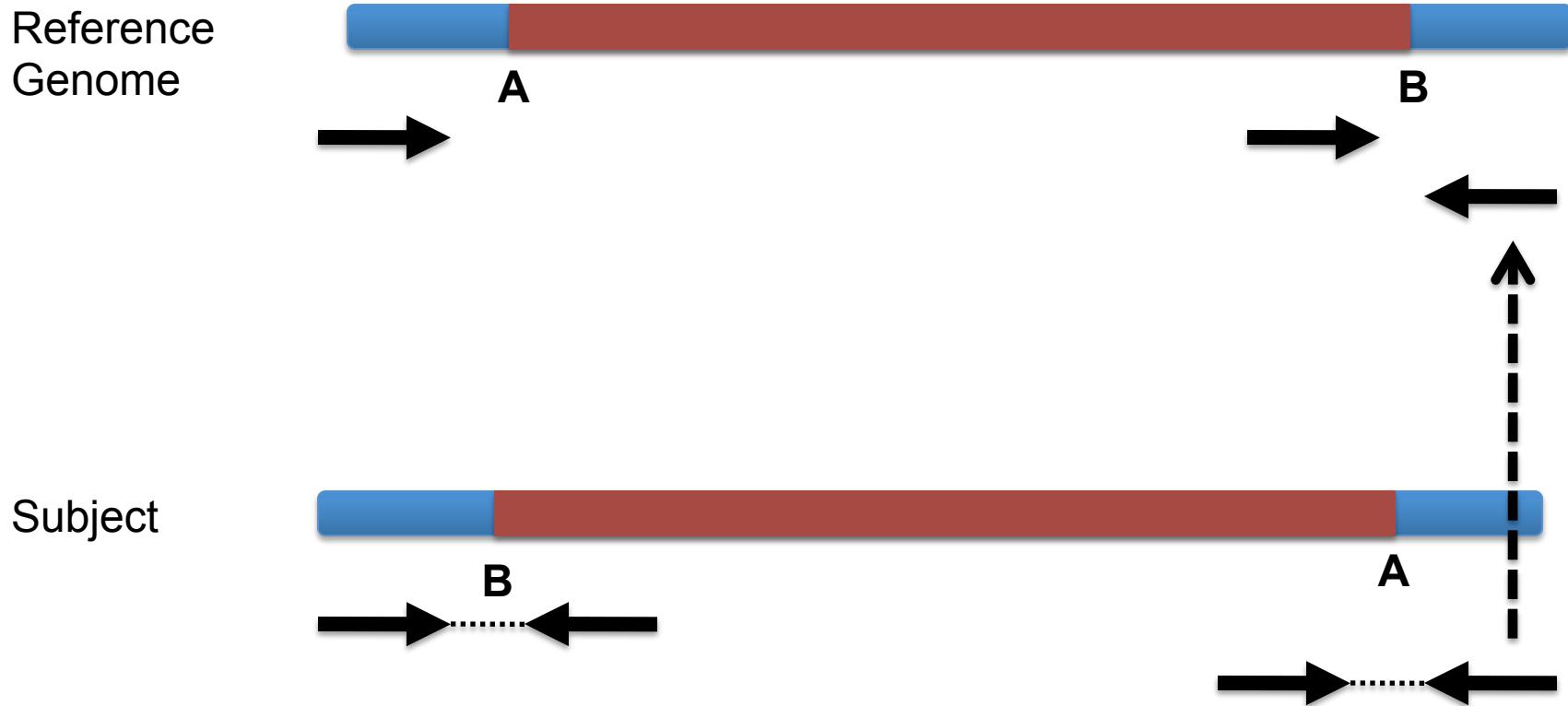
Reference  
Genome



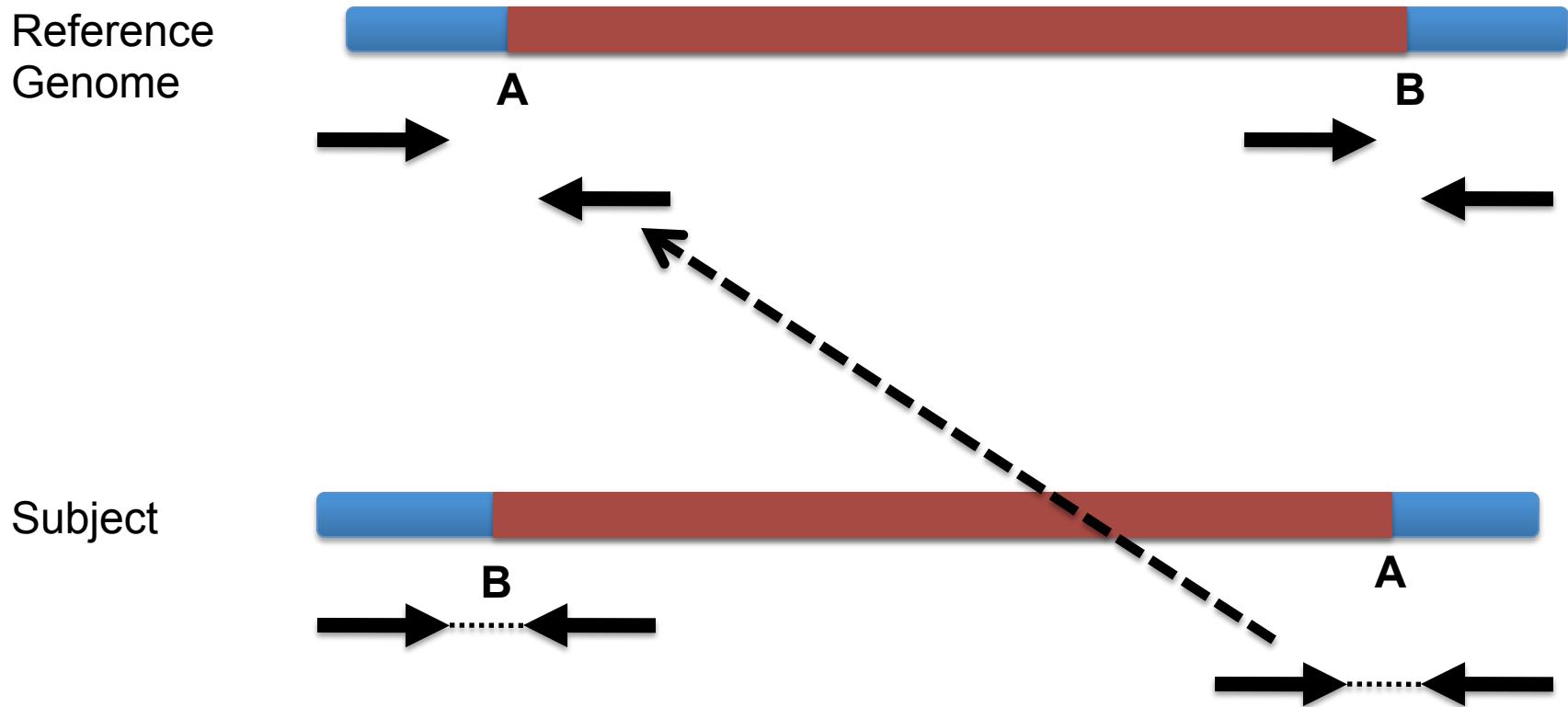
Subject



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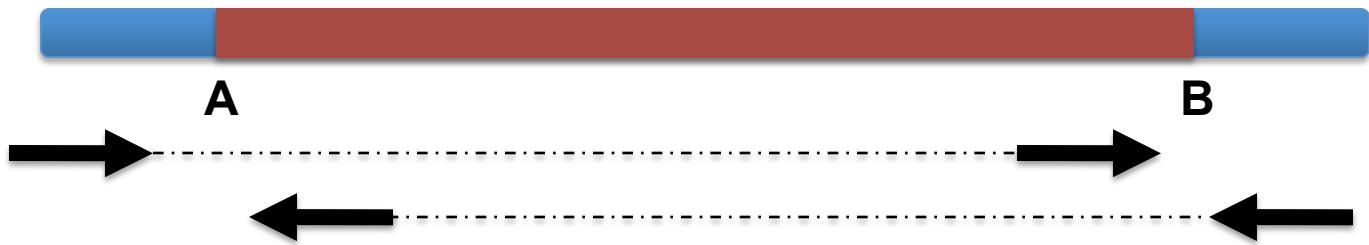


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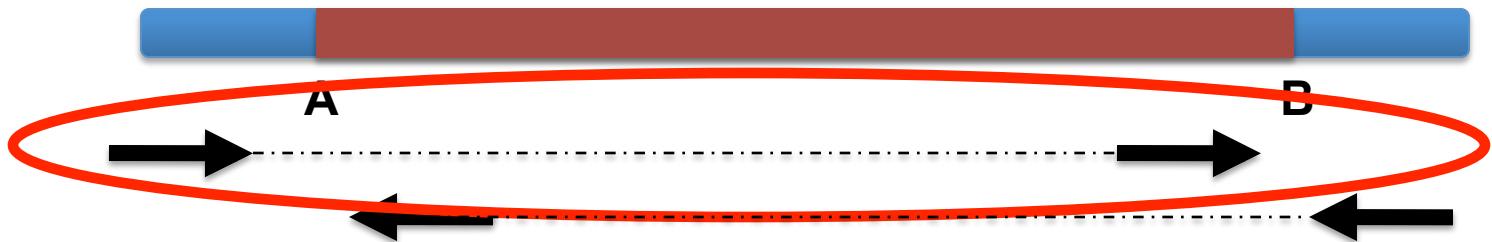
# Inversion

Reference  
Genome



# Inversion

Reference  
Genome



Anomaly: expected orientation of pair is  
inward facing ( → ← )

# Inversion

Reference  
Genome



“Left” side pair

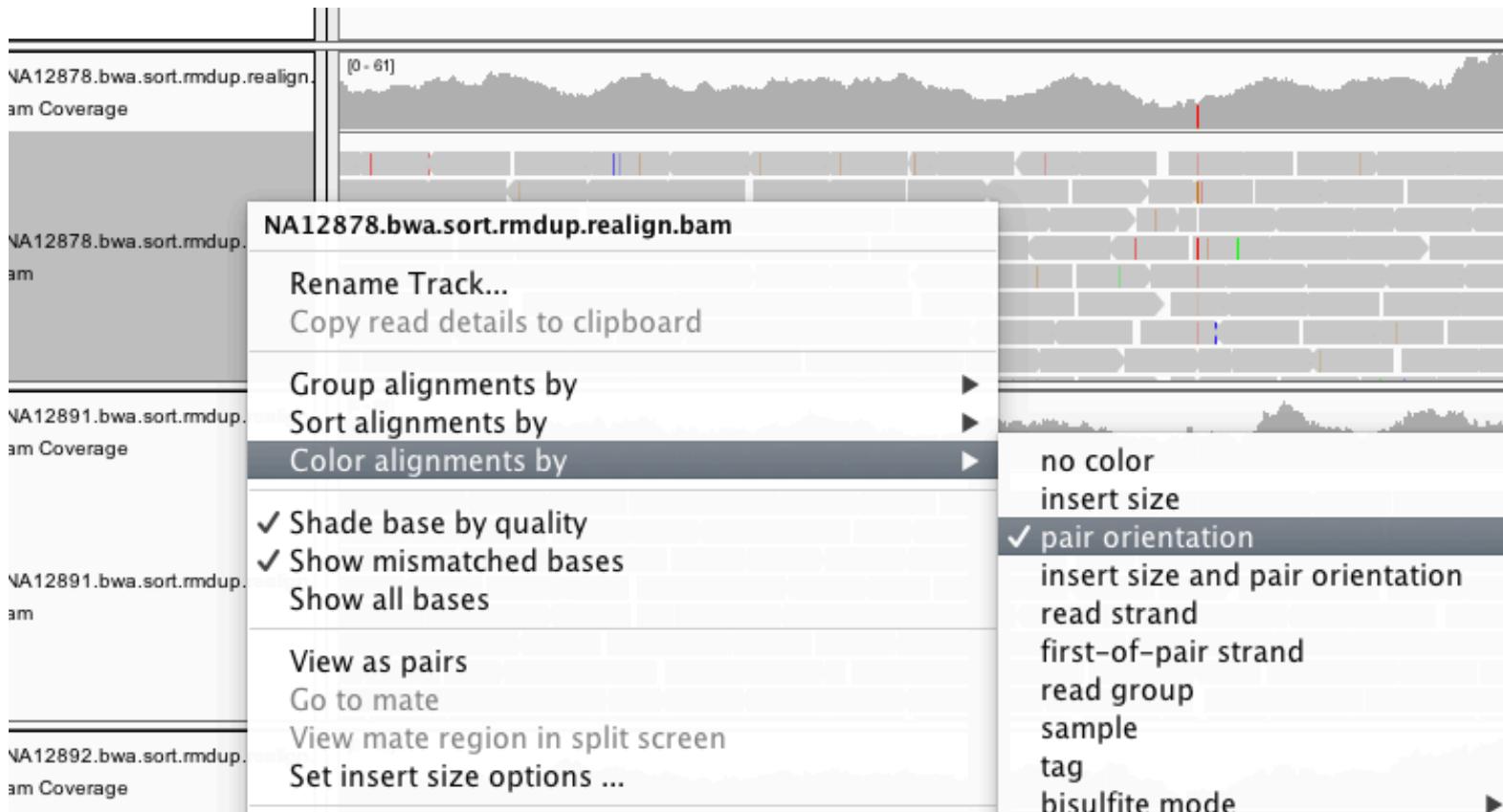
# Inversion

Reference  
Genome

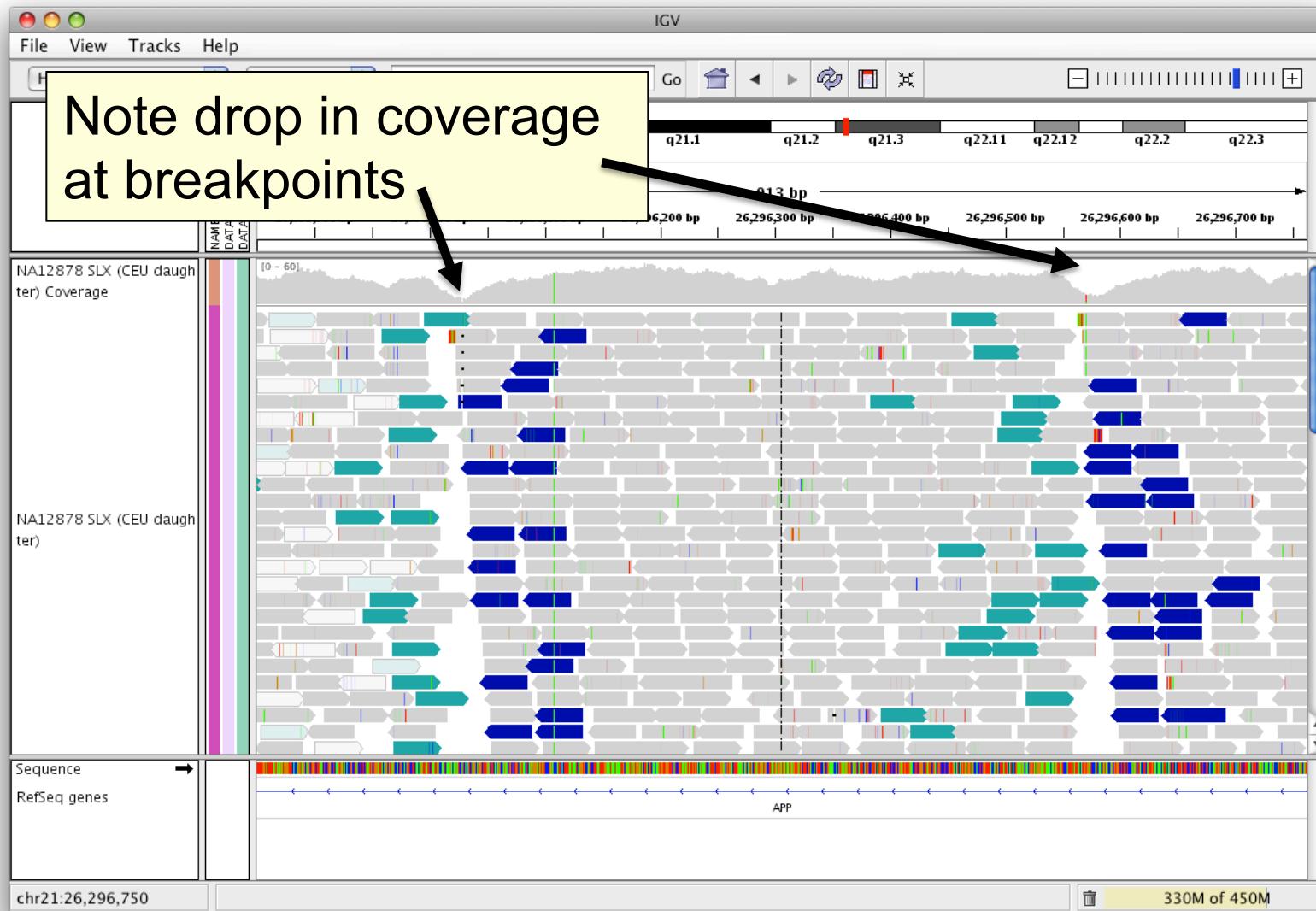


“Right” side pair

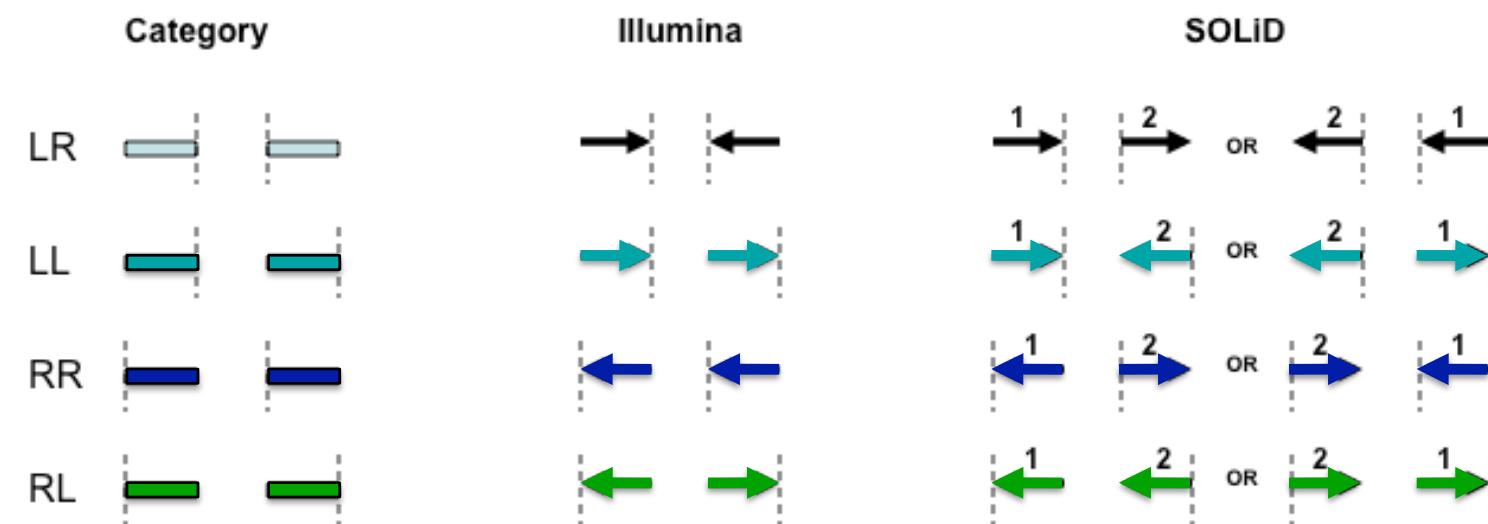
# Color by pair orientation



# Inversion



## Interpretation of read pair orientations



LR      Normal reads.  
The reads are left and right (respectively) of the unsequenced part of the sequenced DNA fragment when aligned back to the reference genome.

LL,RR    Implies inversion in sequenced DNA with respect to reference.

RL       Implies duplication or translocation with respect to reference.

These categories only apply to reads where both mates map to the same chromosome.

*Figure courtesy of Bob Handsaker*

# IGV hands-on tutorial

[https://github.com/griffithlab/  
rnaseq tutorial/wiki/IGV-Tutorial](https://github.com/griffithlab/rnaseq_tutorial/wiki/IGV-Tutorial)

We are on a Coffee Break &  
Networking Session