Mutual Information Analyzer version 1.0.0

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1. How to install?

There are two ways to install:

- clone the project via github;
- download the project

2. How to clone?

Here are the commands to clone MIA project:

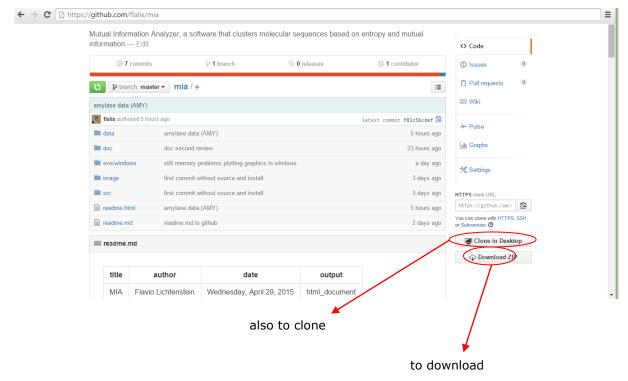
- Install GitHub application
 - for windows: https://windows.github.com/
 - for linux give the following command: sudo apt-get install git
- Run GitHub and write the following commands:

git init

git clone https://github.com/flalix/mia

3. How to download?

Go to MIA URL (https://github.com/flalix/mia) and click in download



Create a directory:

• if windows: c:\user\your_name\mia

if linux: ~/mia

and decompress the zip file here

4. Running MIA

Once cloned or dowloaded (and unziped) MIA archives, you will find the executable file (binary) at:

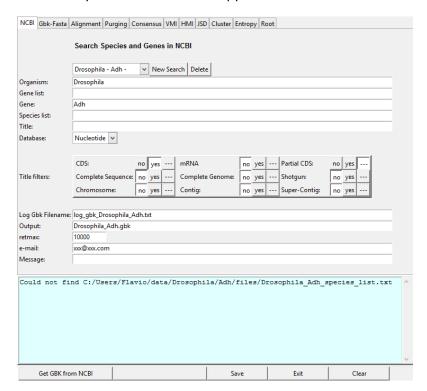
if windows: c:\user\your_name\mia\exe\windows

if linux: ~/mia/exe/linux

Give a double click in MIA and start it.

5. First time at front end and what to do?

If you stared MIA correctly this front end will appear:



Now you have four alternatives to start your analysis:

- 1. Click in <Get GBK from NCBI> and you will download all gbk from the organism "Drosophila" and gene "Adh".
- 2. Change "Adh" to "AMY" and in Gene List write "AMY, AMYREL", and click in <Get GBK from NCBI> and you will analyze a short and interesting sample data.
- 3. You also may define your own Organism and Gene. If necessary you may define words in Title to find any desired gene-experiment.
- 4. Another possible way is to see a previous analysis that we did. In mia/data you will find 2 set of samples. One for "Adh" and the other for "AMY".
 - click in "save" and exit the MIA program
 - look for:
 - in windows: c:\user\your_name\ Drosophila \data
 - in linux: ~/Drosophila/data
 - you will find /data/Adh
 - create also /data/AMY
 - go to your clone/download directory and find data/adh and data/AMY
 - copy each fasta.rar and files.rar to its respective directory
 - decompress and you will find:
 - ../ Drosophila/ data /Adh/fasta
 - ../ Drosophila/ data/Adh/files
 - both directories have files inside
 - in mia/data you will find "default.ini", overwrite it in ../ Drosophila/ data

- find again MIA executable (binary) and restart it
- in the first combo box you will find "Drosophila Adh" and "Drosophila AMY".
- choose one of these options
- jump (click) in VMI, or HMI, or JSD or Cluster tab and see the results
- any other information search in the MIA manual, please