

# CCQM Microbial Identity 16S rRNA Interlaboratory Study

## Supplemental Results

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# 1 Biologically Conserved Positions

None of the variants for the biologically conserved positions were called using both variant callers, indicating that the variants were potential false positives (Manuscript Table 2, Tables S4 and S5). Consensus base quality statistics for biologically conserved positions are summarized below (Table S1).

Table S1: **Biologically Conserved Position Base Qualities** Characteristics of consensus based calls for conserved bases. Normalized quality values were obtained by dividing raw quality score (Raw Qual) assigned by GATK for each biologically conserved base position by the depth of coverage for that position

| Org   | Plat   | Lab  | Rep | Raw Qual  | Normalized | Min    | Max   |
|-------|--------|------|-----|-----------|------------|--------|-------|
| Ecoli | 454    | LGC  | 1   | 140738.23 | 2.85       | 1.25   | 3.00  |
| Ecoli | 454    | LGC  | 2   | 68081.73  | 2.85       | 0.63   | 2.98  |
| Ecoli | 454    | LGC  | 3   | 128788.23 | 2.93       | 1.16   | 2.99  |
| Ecoli | 454    | NMIA | 1   | 11457.23  | 2.51       | 0.31   | 2.97  |
| Ecoli | ION    | NIMC | 1   | 1165.23   | 2.78       | 0.59   | 3.14  |
| Ecoli | ION    | NIST | 1   | 1112.23   | 2.48       | 0.51   | 3.16  |
| Ecoli | Sanger | ATCC | 1   | 34.23     | 17.11      | 9.31   | 31.24 |
| Ecoli | Sanger | ISP  | 1   | 31.24     | 31.23      | -10.00 | 31.24 |
| Ecoli | Sanger | LGC  | 1   | 169.23    | 3.60       | 0.51   | 3.97  |
| Ecoli | Sanger | NIST | 1   | 115.23    | 3.97       | -1.43  | 10.06 |
| Lmono | 454    | LGC  | 1   | 11757.73  | 1.72       | 0.52   | 2.84  |
| Lmono | 454    | LGC  | 2   | 115365.73 | 2.89       | 1.43   | 3.00  |
| Lmono | 454    | LGC  | 3   | 103741.23 | 2.87       | 1.44   | 3.00  |
| Lmono | 454    | NMIA | 1   | 11635.23  | 2.41       | 0.79   | 2.92  |
| Lmono | ION    | NIMC | 1   | 1173.23   | 2.81       | 0.33   | 3.14  |
| Lmono | ION    | NIST | 1   | 1265.23   | 2.56       | 0.23   | 2.90  |
| Lmono | Sanger | ATCC | 1   | 34.23     | 17.11      | -10.00 | 31.24 |
| Lmono | Sanger | ISP  | 1   | 34.23     | 17.11      | -10.00 | 31.24 |
| Lmono | Sanger | LGC  | 1   | 169.23    | 3.45       | 1.26   | 3.71  |
| Lmono | Sanger | NIST | 1   | 242.23    | 3.41       | 2.18   | 3.78  |

All variant calls for the biologically conserved positions were evaluated for being potential false positives (Tables S4 and S5). The potential variants identified by the eight variant calling pipelines were analyzed for potential reasons for a false positive variant call. The Fisher Strand bias statistic was used to classify false positive variants due to strand bias (FS  $\geq 60$ ). Variants present in non-target regions and at the end of the reference sequence were identified based on positions relative to the reference. False positive variants due to homopolymer systemic sequencing errors and a high proportion of bases covering the identified variant position were identified by visually inspecting the mapping file. Visual inspection of the mapping files revealed a small proportion of highly similar reads that were responsible for a number of variant calls, comparison to the Genbank database using BLAST (Supplemental Results Appendix - BLAST Results) indicated the reads were the product of *E. coli* contamination in the *L. monocytogenes* LGC “454” dataset. Note that for the NIST Ion Torrent *L. monocytogenes* dataset at position 792 a variant was called by the UnifiedGenotyper Variant Calling Algorithm when the reads were mapped using both BWA and TMAP, but the FS score was only above 60 when the reads were mapped with tmap. Upon manual inspection of the results we attributed the false positive to a strand bias.

## 2 Biologically Variable Positions

To determine the variant copy ratios, a novel Bayesian analysis based on binomial sampling theory was developed (Supplemental Computational Methods). According to the binomial distribution, the observed variant ratios, while precise (due to high coverage), differed significantly from all potential variant copy ratios. A Bayesian approach was used to identify the most probable variant copy ratio out of the possible ratios assuming *E. coli* and *L. monocytogenes* have seven and six 16S gene copies respectively (Figs. S1 and S2).

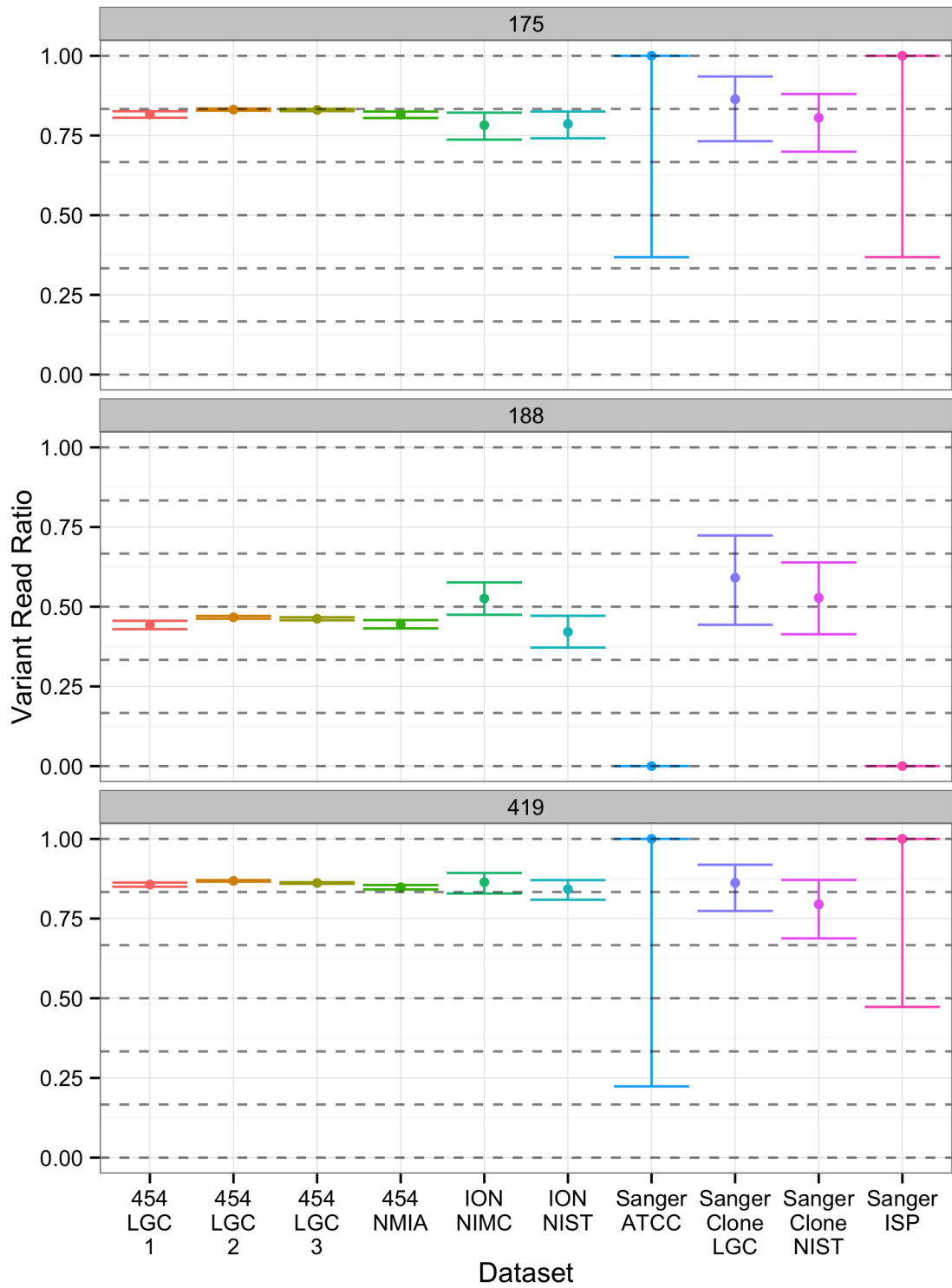


Figure S1: Variant copy ratios at three biologically variable positions (175, 188 and 419) in *L. monocytogenes*. Variable positions shown in grey box above each graph. Error bars represent the 95 % posterior credibility interval estimated from a beta binomial distribution where  $\alpha$  is the major variant count + 1 and  $\beta$  is the minor variant count + 1. One sided credible intervals were calculated for prior probabilities of 0 and 1. Grey dashed lines indicate the potential variant copy ratios assuming six gene copies (i.e. 0:6 corresponds to 0, 2:4 to 0.33, 3:3 to 0.5, 4:2 to 0.66, 5:1 to 0.83 and 6:0 to 1).

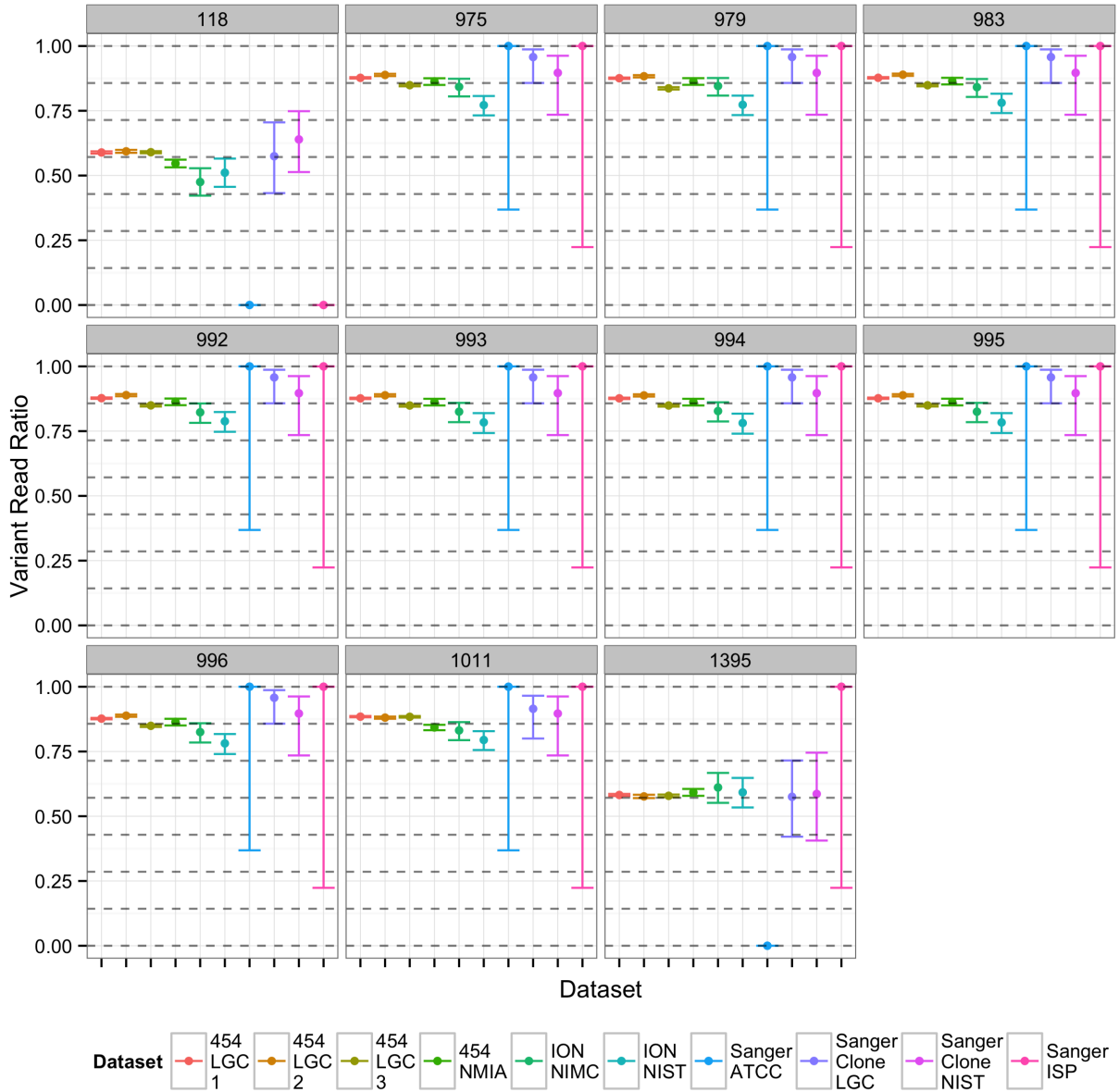


Figure S2: Variant copy ratios at eleven biologically variable positions in *E. coli*. Variable positions shown in grey box above each graph. Error bars represent the 95 % posterior credibility interval estimated from a beta binomial distribution where  $\alpha$  is the major variant count + 1 and  $\beta$  is the minor variant count + 1. One sided credible intervals were calculated for prior probabilities of 0 and 1. Grey dashed lines indicate the potential variant ratios assuming seven gene copies, (i.e. 0:7 to 0; 1:6 to 0.14; 2:5 to 0.26; 3:4 to 0.43, 4:3 to 0.57; 5:2 to 0.71; 6:1 to 0.86; and 7:0 to 1 ).



### 3 Likely sets of variant combinations

Most likely combination of variant strings for “454” and Sanger Clone library datasets (Table S2 and Table S3).

Table S2: **Estimated most likely set of variant combinations for *E. coli*.** See supplemental computation methods for how chimera and likelihood were calculated.

| dataset                      | likelihood | chimera | ACCGATTGTA | ACCGATTGTG | GGTAGAATCA |
|------------------------------|------------|---------|------------|------------|------------|
| Ecoli-454-LGC-1              | 0.04       | 275.55  | 3          | 3          | 1          |
| Ecoli-454-LGC-2              | 0.03       | 275.27  | 3          | 3          | 1          |
| Ecoli-454-LGC-3              | 0.04       | 242.13  | 3          | 3          | 1          |
| Ecoli-454-NMIA-1             | 0.06       | 30.74   | 3          | 3          | 1          |
| Ecoli-LGC-Sanger-Clones.csv  | 0.05       | 3.55    | 3          | 4          | 0          |
| Ecoli-NIST-Sanger-Clones.csv | 0.12       | 4.54    | 3          | 4          | 0          |
| Consensus                    | 0.04       | 717.62  | 3          | 3          | 1          |

Table S3: **Estimated most likely set of variant combinations for *L. monocytogenes*.** See supplemental computation methods for how chimera and likelihood were calculated.

| dataset                      | likelihood | chimera | GCG | GTA | GTG | TCG |
|------------------------------|------------|---------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Lmono-454-LGC-1              | 0.00       | 47.31   | 2   | 1   | 2   | 1   |
| Lmono-454-LGC-2              | 0.01       | 572.64  | 2   | 1   | 2   | 1   |
| Lmono-454-LGC-3              | 0.01       | 319.50  | 2   | 1   | 2   | 1   |
| Lmono-454-NMIA-1             | 0.00       | 55.95   | 2   | 1   | 2   | 1   |
| Lmono-LGC-Sanger-Clones.csv  | 0.00       | 5.13    | 2   | 1   | 2   | 1   |
| Lmono-NIST-Sanger-Clones.csv | 0.01       | 8.38    | 2   | 1   | 2   | 1   |
| Consensus                    | 0.01       | 850.46  | 2   | 1   | 2   | 1   |

## 4 Appendix

### Full List of False Positive Variants

All variants called by the pipelines used during the pipeline validation along with the suspected cause of the variant determined by manual investigation (see Biologically Conserved Positions Section above). The following abbreviations were used in Tables S4 and S5: Org - Organism, Plat - sequencing platform, Rep - replicate, Map - read mapping algorithm, Var - variant calling algorithm, POS - base position relative to the reference, DP - coverage, QUAL - confidence in variant call assigned by variant calling algorithm, MQ - mapping quality score assigned by mapping algorithm, FS - fisher strain bias test statistic, Cause - hypothesized cause of false positive variant call. See supplemental manuscript methods section for mapping algorithm and variant calling algorithm descriptions.

Table S4: ***E. coli* Pipeline Comparison** Characteristics of variant calls for different bioinformatic pipelines.

| Org   | Plat | Lab  | Rep | Map  | Var      | POS  | DP   | QUAL    | MQ    | FS     | Cause             |
|-------|------|------|-----|------|----------|------|------|---------|-------|--------|-------------------|
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 324  | 250  | 443.77  | 60.00 | 47.88  | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 324  | 250  | 432.77  | 88.54 | 60.26  | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 325  | 250  | 308.77  | 60.00 | 53.48  | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 325  | 250  | 309.77  | 88.54 | 50.67  | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 396  | 2551 | 81.00   | 60.00 |        | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 1   | TMAP | SAMtools | 396  | 3013 | 37.00   | 56.00 |        | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 940  | 19   | 215.77  | 60.00 | 28.54  | Non-target region |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 940  | 21   | 179.77  | 80.15 | 28.54  | Non-target region |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 959  | 250  | 1222.77 | 60.00 | 9.12   | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 2   | BWA  | GATK     | 106  | 250  | 235.77  | 60.00 | 0.00   | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 2   | TMAP | GATK     | 106  | 250  | 34.77   | 68.90 | 0.00   | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 2   | BWA  | GATK     | 959  | 250  | 795.77  | 59.98 | 28.04  | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 3   | BWA  | GATK     | 324  | 250  | 231.77  | 59.83 | 40.63  | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 3   | TMAP | GATK     | 324  | 250  | 739.77  | 88.54 | 63.25  | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 3   | BWA  | GATK     | 325  | 250  | 556.77  | 59.83 | 60.23  | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 3   | TMAP | GATK     | 325  | 250  | 498.77  | 88.54 | 36.85  | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 3   | BWA  | GATK     | 348  | 250  | 741.77  | 59.92 | 11.62  | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 3   | BWA  | SAMtools | 417  | 1032 | 22.00   | 60.00 |        | Homopolymer       |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 3   | TMAP | SAMtools | 417  | 1020 | 32.00   | 58.00 |        | Homopolymer       |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 3   | BWA  | GATK     | 940  | 9    | 91.05   | 60.00 | 0.00   | Non-target region |
| Ecoli | 454  | LGC  | 3   | TMAP | GATK     | 940  | 14   | 194.29  | 82.41 | 0.00   | Non-target region |
| Ecoli | 454  | NMIA | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 313  | 250  | 5630.77 | 80.26 | 453.68 | Strand bias       |
| Ecoli | 454  | NMIA | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 508  | 250  | 1160.77 | 83.71 | 0.00   | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | NMIA | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 509  | 250  | 1208.77 | 83.71 | 0.00   | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | NMIA | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 510  | 250  | 1275.77 | 83.71 | 0.00   | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | NMIA | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 514  | 250  | 1185.77 | 83.71 | 0.00   | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | NMIA | 1   | TMAP | SAMtools | 514  | 6337 | 5.46    | 59.00 |        | End of read       |
| Ecoli | 454  | NMIA | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 901  | 208  | 8061.77 | 84.22 | 0.00   | Non-target region |
| Ecoli | 454  | NMIA | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 904  | 208  | 8023.77 | 84.22 | 0.00   | Non-target region |
| Ecoli | 454  | NMIA | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 934  | 250  | 8711.77 | 71.76 | 0.00   | Non-target region |
| Ecoli | 454  | NMIA | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 935  | 250  | 8708.77 | 71.76 | 0.00   | Non-target region |
| Ecoli | 454  | NMIA | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 938  | 250  | 8620.77 | 71.71 | 0.00   | Non-target region |
| Ecoli | 454  | NMIA | 1   | TMAP | SAMtools | 938  | 2747 | 9.54    | 56.00 |        | Non-target region |
| Ecoli | 454  | NMIA | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 939  | 250  | 8619.77 | 71.71 | 0.00   | Non-target region |
| Ecoli | 454  | NMIA | 1   | TMAP | SAMtools | 939  | 2747 | 15.20   | 60.00 |        | Non-target region |
| Ecoli | 454  | NMIA | 1   | TMAP | SAMtools | 941  | 2747 | 9.52    | 55.00 |        | Non-target region |
| Ecoli | ION  | NIMC | 1   | TMAP | SAMtools | 1463 | 169  | 22.50   | 60.00 |        | End of reference  |

|       |        |      |   |      |          |      |    |        |       |  |                  |
|-------|--------|------|---|------|----------|------|----|--------|-------|--|------------------|
| Ecoli | Sanger | NIST | 1 | TMAP | SAMtools | 1463 | 29 | 139.00 | 60.00 |  | End of reference |
| Ecoli | Sanger | NIST | 1 | TMAP | SAMtools | 1464 | 29 | 214.00 | 60.00 |  | End of reference |

Table S5: *L. monocytogenes* Positions Pipeline Comparison  
Characteristics of variant calls for different bioinformatic pipelines.

| Org   | Plat | Lab | Rep | Map  | Var      | POS | DP   | QUAL    | MQ    | FS     | Cause        |
|-------|------|-----|-----|------|----------|-----|------|---------|-------|--------|--------------|
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 315 | 250  | 4752.77 | 45.92 | 101.16 | Strand bias  |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 328 | 250  | 4865.77 | 45.96 | 107.67 | Strand bias  |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 334 | 250  | 4700.77 | 68.98 | 300.59 | Strand bias  |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 354 | 250  | 62.77   | 57.95 | 38.10  | End of read  |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 366 | 248  | 47.77   | 57.94 | 40.36  | End of read  |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 508 | 250  | 1386.77 | 51.13 | 7.03   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 508 | 7744 | 10.40   | 55.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 533 | 166  | 1407.77 | 46.04 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 533 | 1763 | 156.00  | 38.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 533 | 250  | 1768.77 | 48.73 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 536 | 250  | 1779.77 | 48.73 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 537 | 166  | 1394.77 | 46.04 | 1.78   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 537 | 1763 | 88.00   | 38.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 538 | 166  | 1634.77 | 46.04 | 0.83   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 538 | 1623 | 128.00  | 38.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | TMAP | GATK     | 539 | 250  | 1798.77 | 48.73 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 548 | 166  | 2211.77 | 46.04 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 548 | 1762 | 201.00  | 37.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 549 | 166  | 2217.77 | 46.04 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 549 | 1763 | 186.00  | 37.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 550 | 166  | 2247.77 | 46.04 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 550 | 1763 | 175.00  | 37.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 555 | 167  | 2077.77 | 46.14 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 555 | 1764 | 222.00  | 37.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 559 | 167  | 2201.77 | 46.14 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 559 | 1763 | 222.00  | 37.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 574 | 168  | 2288.77 | 46.03 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 574 | 1765 | 189.00  | 37.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 585 | 168  | 1737.77 | 46.03 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 585 | 1736 | 213.00  | 37.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 587 | 168  | 1980.77 | 46.03 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 587 | 1741 | 212.00  | 37.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 595 | 168  | 2352.77 | 46.03 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 595 | 1741 | 188.00  | 38.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 677 | 250  | 5127.77 | 58.81 | 4.08   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 677 | 4525 | 222.00  | 58.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 700 | 249  | 5372.77 | 56.79 | 14.63  | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 700 | 4604 | 222.00  | 58.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 703 | 249  | 4820.77 | 56.79 | 4.37   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 703 | 4604 | 222.00  | 58.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 712 | 249  | 4896.77 | 56.79 | 13.22  | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 712 | 4602 | 222.00  | 58.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 716 | 249  | 4009.77 | 56.79 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | SAMtools | 716 | 4602 | 222.00  | 59.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454  | LGC | 1   | BWA  | GATK     | 729 | 226  | 3856.77 | 58.93 | 0.72   | Contaminants |

|       |     |     |   |      |          |      |      |         |       |        |              |
|-------|-----|-----|---|------|----------|------|------|---------|-------|--------|--------------|
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 729  | 4510 | 222.00  | 59.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | GATK     | 731  | 226  | 2873.77 | 58.93 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 731  | 4487 | 201.00  | 59.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | GATK     | 733  | 226  | 3028.77 | 58.93 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 733  | 4511 | 182.00  | 60.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | GATK     | 738  | 226  | 4461.77 | 58.93 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 738  | 4493 | 222.00  | 59.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | GATK     | 740  | 226  | 4588.77 | 58.93 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 740  | 4499 | 222.00  | 59.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | GATK     | 741  | 227  | 4498.77 | 58.91 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 741  | 4503 | 222.00  | 59.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | GATK     | 742  | 227  | 4566.77 | 58.91 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 742  | 4509 | 222.00  | 59.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | GATK     | 743  | 227  | 4633.77 | 58.91 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 743  | 4509 | 222.00  | 59.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | GATK     | 753  | 250  | 3750.77 | 58.29 | 0.78   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 753  | 4617 | 222.00  | 59.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | GATK     | 757  | 250  | 4258.77 | 58.29 | 34.57  | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 757  | 4617 | 222.00  | 59.00 |        | Contaminants |
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| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | TMAP | GATK     | 955  | 250  | 4334.77 | 55.87 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | TMAP | GATK     | 957  | 250  | 4172.77 | 55.91 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | TMAP | GATK     | 958  | 250  | 4210.77 | 55.91 | 0.00   | Contaminants |
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| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 1047 | 8006 | 225.00  | 60.00 |        | Contaminants |
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| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 1055 | 8011 | 225.00  | 60.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | GATK     | 1072 | 250  | 3129.77 | 58.75 | 1.51   | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 1072 | 8022 | 225.00  | 60.00 |        | Contaminants |
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| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | GATK     | 1192 | 250  | 5493.77 | 58.56 | 55.04  | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 1192 | 8008 | 225.00  | 60.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | GATK     | 1201 | 250  | 4530.77 | 58.56 | 63.08  | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 1201 | 8006 | 225.00  | 60.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | GATK     | 1208 | 250  | 3580.77 | 58.56 | 23.54  | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 1208 | 8009 | 162.00  | 60.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | GATK     | 1213 | 250  | 4330.77 | 58.56 | 64.05  | Contaminants |
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| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 1304 | 7998 | 225.00  | 60.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | GATK     | 1307 | 250  | 5334.77 | 59.84 | 74.39  | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 1307 | 7999 | 225.00  | 60.00 |        | Contaminants |
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| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 1318 | 8002 | 225.00  | 60.00 |        | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | GATK     | 1321 | 250  | 4735.77 | 59.78 | 81.66  | Contaminants |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 1321 | 8002 | 225.00  | 60.00 |        | Contaminants |

|       |     |      |   |      |          |      |      |         |       |        |                   |
|-------|-----|------|---|------|----------|------|------|---------|-------|--------|-------------------|
| Lmono | 454 | LGC  | 1 | BWA  | GATK     | 1329 | 250  | 4976.77 | 59.81 | 85.25  | Contaminants      |
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| Lmono | 454 | LGC  | 1 | BWA  | SAMtools | 1356 | 8010 | 191.00  | 60.00 |        | Contaminants      |
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| Lmono | 454 | LGC  | 2 | BWA  | GATK     | 328  | 250  | 3396.77 | 51.77 | 1.33   | Contaminants      |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC  | 2 | BWA  | GATK     | 346  | 250  | 149.77  | 59.51 | 37.09  | End of read       |
| Lmono | 454 | LGC  | 2 | BWA  | GATK     | 347  | 250  | 413.77  | 59.51 | 51.04  | End of read       |
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| Lmono | 454 | LGC  | 2 | BWA  | GATK     | 677  | 145  | 122.77  | 59.80 | 2.17   | Contaminants      |
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| Lmono | 454 | LGC  | 2 | BWA  | GATK     | 712  | 145  | 105.77  | 59.80 | 2.17   | Contaminants      |
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| Lmono | 454 | LGC  | 2 | BWA  | GATK     | 729  | 145  | 118.77  | 59.80 | 2.17   | Contaminants      |
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| Lmono | 454 | LGC  | 2 | BWA  | GATK     | 742  | 145  | 119.77  | 59.80 | 2.17   | Contaminants      |
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| Lmono | 454 | LGC  | 2 | BWA  | GATK     | 1055 | 250  | 3571.77 | 59.89 | 7.83   | Contaminants      |
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| Lmono | 454 | LGC  | 2 | BWA  | GATK     | 1201 | 250  | 4741.77 | 59.65 | 5.67   | Contaminants      |
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|-------|--------|------|---|------|----------|------|-----|---------|-------|-------|-------------------|
| Lmono | 454    | NMIA | 1 | TMAP | GATK     | 957  | 250 | 8402.77 | 77.83 | 0.00  | Non-target region |
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| Lmono | ION    | NIST | 1 | TMAP | GATK     | 792  | 275 | 323.77  | 85.79 | 69.53 | Strand bias       |
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| Lmono | Sanger | LGC  | 1 | TMAP | SAMtools | 1505 | 41  | 71.20   | 60.00 |       | End of reference  |
| Lmono | Sanger | LGC  | 1 | TMAP | SAMtools | 1506 | 41  | 71.20   | 60.00 |       | End of reference  |
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## Contaminants - BLAST results

BLAST reports for representative sequences of reads responsible for false positive variant calls in the LGC *L. monocytogenes* "454" rep 1 dataset.

BLASTN 2.2.29+

Reference: Zheng Zhang, Scott Schwartz, Lukas Wagner, and Webb Miller (2000), "A greedy algorithm for aligning DNA sequences", J Comput Biol 2000; 7(1-2):203-14.

RID: KH9SY3U8014

Database: Representative Chromosomes

2,857 sequences; 5,609,140,793 total letters

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Length=558

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| ref NC_017634.1                             | Escherichia coli O83:H1 str. NRG 857C chromo... | 979    | 0.0   |
| ref NC_011751.1                             | Escherichia coli UMN026 chromosome, complete... | 979    | 0.0   |
| ref NC_011750.1                             | Escherichia coli IAI39 chromosome, complete ... | 979    | 0.0   |
| ref NC_011740.1                             | Escherichia fergusonii ATCC 35469 chromosome... | 979    | 0.0   |
| ref NC_007384.1                             | Shigella sonnei Ss046 chromosome, complete g... | 979    | 0.0   |
| ref NC_002695.1                             | Escherichia coli O157:H7 str. Sakai chromoso... | 979    | 0.0   |
| ref NC_004337.2                             | Shigella flexneri 2a str. 301 chromosome, co... | 974    | 0.0   |
| ref NC_007613.1                             | Shigella boydii Sb227 chromosome, complete g... | 974    | 0.0   |

ALIGNMENTS

>ref|NC\_000913.3| Escherichia coli str. K-12 substr. MG1655, complete genome  
Length=4641652

Features in this part of subject sequence:

rRNA-16S ribosomal RNA of rrnH operon

Score = 979 bits (530), Expect = 0.0  
Identities = 539/543 (99%), Gaps = 2/543 (0%)  
Strand=Plus/Plus

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Database: Representative Chromosomes

Posted date: Mar 21, 2014 12:17 AM

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Number of sequences in database: 2,857

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Gapped

| Lambda | K     | H     |
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