Section 1 - Genomic Variant Analysis

Exercise 1.1:

Identify the number of variants and samples in provided VCF file (http://www.1000genomes.org/wiki/Analysis/Variant%20Call%20Format/vcf-variant-call-format-version-40)

#CHROM POS ID REF ALT QUAL FILTER INFO FORMAT NA00001
NA00002 NA00003

20 14370 rs6054257 G A 29 PASS NS=3;DP=14;AF=0.5;DB;H2 GT:GQ:DP:HQ 0|0:48:1:51,51 1|0:48:8:51,51 1/1:43:5:.,.

20 17330 . T A 3 q10 NS=3;DP=11;AF=0.017 GT:GQ:DP:HQ 0|0:49:3:58,50 0|1:3:5:65,3 0/0:41:3

20 1110696 rs6040355 A G,T 67 PASS NS=2;DP=10;AF=0.333,0.667;AA=T;DB GT:GQ:DP:HQ 1|2:21:6:23,27 2|1:2:0:18,2 2/2:35:4

Exercise 1.2:

Find the genotype of each sample for rs6054257 variant (from above provided VCF data).

Exercise 1.3:

Analyze the following variants using Variant Effect Predictor (VEP) (http://www.ensembl.org/common/Tools/VEP?db=core):

1 182712 . A C . . . 3 319780 . GA G . . . 19 110747 . G GT . . .

List high impact variants and affected genes.

Exercise 1.4:

Extract 3 CNVs for 16p13.11 locus from Pinto et al 2010 or 2014 studies using SFARI CNV web page (https://gene.sfari.org/autdb/CNVHome.do)

Exercise 1.5:

Are those CNVs present in controls? Check in DGV database http://dgv.tcag.ca/dgv/app/home?ref=NCBI36/hg18
Check this CNV as well X:147729896-147754425.

Section 2-Gene Ontology and Pathway Analysis

Exercise 2.1:

Prepare a gene list from SFARI gene database (Only genes with Category S, 1, 2,1S and 2S) https://gene.sfari.org/autdb/submitsearch?selfld_0=GENES_GENE_SYMBOL&selfldv_0=&num_OfFields=1&userAction=viewall&tableName=AUT_HG&submit2=View+All How many genes are in your gene list?

Exercise 2.2:

Draw a Protein Protein Interaction (PPI) network using String (http://string-db.org/) with experimentally supported protein-protein interactions.

Exercise 2.3:

Which type of evidence supports the interaction between assigned genes?

Exercise 2.4:

For the same gene list find the most significant top 3 GO terms (Biological Processes and Molecular Function) using Enrichr.

Exercise 2.5:

Compare the Enrichr pathway enrichment results from different databases (KEGG, WikiPathways, Reactome), Top 2 results only from each database.

Exercise 2.6:

Which pathways are linked with ASD and why?

Exercise 2.7:

Which of your genes are involved in the most significantly enriched pathway (KEGG).

Exercise 2.8:

Which Human Phenotype Ontologies are significantly enriched for your gene list (top 5)?

Exercise 2.9:

In your opinion, which tool is better (Enrichr or String)?

Exercise 2.10:

Prepare a Tree map for all GO Biological processes terms from Enrichr using the ReviGO tool (http://revigo.irb.hr/).

Exercise 2.11:

List allelic variants and phenotype(s) for the NRXN1 gene using Ensembl (https://ensembl.org) and OMIM (https://ensembl.org)