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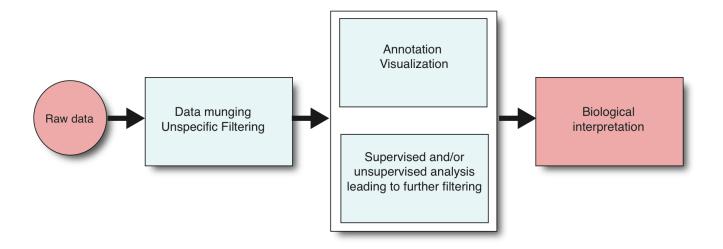
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## Computational Genomics with R

Basis understanding of Genomic Data Analysis using R

#### Goals

- If you are not familiar with R, you will get the basics of R and divide right in to specialized uses of R for computational genomics.
- You will understand genomic intervals and operations on them, such as overlap
- You will be able to retrieve data and explore it



## **Some R Basics**

**Packages and functions** 

#### In [1]:

```
library(stats)
```

ls("package:stats") # functions in the package

ls() # objects in your R environment

'acf' 'acf2AR' 'add.scope' 'add1' 'addmargins' 'aggregate' 'aggregate.data.frame' 'aggregate.ts' 'AIC' 'alias' 'anova' 'ansari.test' 'aov' 'approx' 'approxfun' 'ar' 'ar.burg' 'ar.mle' 'ar.ols' 'ar.yw' 'arima' 'arima.sim' 'arima0' 'arima0.diag' 'ARMAacf' 'ARMAtoMA' 'as.dendrogram' 'as.dist' 'as.formula' 'as.hclust' 'as.stepfun' 'as.ts' 'asOneSidedFormula' 'ave' 'bandwidth.kernel' 'bartlett.test' 'BIC' 'binom.test' 'binomial' 'biplot' 'Box.test' 'bw.bcv' 'bw.nrd' 'bw.nrd0' 'bw.SJ' 'bw.ucv' 'C' 'cancor' 'case.names' 'ccf' 'chisq.test' 'cmdscale' 'coef' 'coefficients' 'complete.cases' 'confint' 'confint.default' 'confint.lm' 'constrOptim' 'contr.helmert' 'contr.poly' 'contr.SAS' 'contr.sum' 'contr.treatment' 'contrasts' 'contrasts<-' 'convolve' 'cooks.distance' 'cophenetic' 'cor' 'cor.test' 'cov' 'cov.wt' 'cov2cor' 'covratio' 'cpgram' 'cutree' 'cycle' 'D' 'dbeta' 'dbinom' 'dcauchy' 'dchisq' 'decompose' 'delete.response' 'deltat' 'dendrapply' 'density' 'density.default' 'deriv' 'deriv3' 'deviance' 'dexp' 'df' 'df.kernel' 'df.residual' 'dfbeta' 'dfbetas' 'dffits' 'dgamma' 'dgeom' 'dhyper' 'diffinv' 'dist' 'dlnorm' 'dlogis' 'dmultinom' 'dnbinom' 'dnorm' 'dpois' 'drop.scope' 'drop.terms' 'drop1' 'dsignrank' 'dt' 'dummy.coef' 'dummy.coef.lm' 'dunif' 'dweibull' 'dwilcox' 'ecdf' 'eff.aovlist' 'effects' 'embed' 'end' 'estVar' 'expand.model.frame' 'extractAIC' 'factanal' 'factor.scope' 'family' 'fft' 'filter' 'fisher.test' 'fitted' 'fitted.values' 'fivenum' 'fligner.test' 'formula' 'frequency' 'friedman.test' 'ftable' 'Gamma' 'gaussian' 'get\_all\_vars' 'getCall' 'getInitial' 'glm' 'glm.control' 'glm.fit' 'hasTsp' 'hat' 'hatvalues' 'hclust' 'heatmap' 'HoltWinters' 'influence' 'influence.measures' 'integrate' 'interaction.plot' 'inverse.gaussian' 'IQR' 'is.empty.model' 'is.leaf'

'is.mts' 'is.stepfun' 'is.ts' 'is.tskernel' 'isoreg' 'KalmanForecast' 'KalmanLike' 'KalmanRun' 'KalmanSmooth' 'kernapply' 'kernel' 'kmeans' 'knots' 'kruskal.test' 'ks.test' 'ksmooth' 'lag' 'lag.plot' 'line' 'lm' 'lm.fit' 'lm.influence' 'lm.wfit' 'loadings' 'loess' 'loess.control' 'loess.smooth' 'logLik' 'loglin' 'lowess' 'ls.diag' 'ls.print' 'lsfit' 'mad' 'mahalanobis' 'make.link' 'makeARIMA' 'makepredictcall' 'manova' 'mantelhaen.test' 'mauchly.test' 'mcnemar.test' 'median' 'median.default' 'medpolish' 'model.extract' 'model.frame' 'model.frame.default' 'model.matrix' 'model.matrix.default' 'model.matrix.lm' 'model.offset' 'model.response' 'model.tables' 'model.weights' 'monthplot' 'mood.test' 'mvfft' 'na.action' 'na.contiquous' 'na.exclude' 'na.fail' 'na.omit' 'na.pass' 'napredict' 'naprint' 'naresid' 'nextn' 'nlm' 'nlminb' 'nls' 'nls.control' 'NLSstAsymptotic' 'NLSstClosestX' 'NLSstLfAsymptote' 'NLSstRtAsymptote' 'nobs' 'numericDeriv' 'offset' 'oneway.test' 'optim' 'optimHess' 'optimise' 'optimize' 'order.dendrogram' 'p.adjust' 'p.adjust.methods' 'pacf' 'pairwise.prop.test' 'pairwise.t.test' 'pairwise.table' 'pairwise.wilcox.test' 'pbeta' 'pbinom' 'pbirthday' 'pcauchy' 'pchisq' 'pexp' 'pf' 'pgamma' 'pgeom' 'phyper' 'plclust' 'plnorm' 'plogis' 'plot.ecdf' 'plot.spec.coherency' 'plot.spec.phase' 'plot.stepfun' 'plot.ts' 'pnbinom' 'pnorm' 'poisson' 'poisson.test' 'poly' 'polym' 'power' 'power.anova.test' 'power.prop.test' 'power.t.test' 'PP.test' 'ppoints' 'ppois' 'ppr' 'prcomp' 'predict' 'predict.glm' 'predict.lm' 'preplot' 'princomp' 'printCoefmat' 'profile' 'proj' 'promax' 'prop.test' 'prop.trend.test' 'psignrank' 'pt' 'ptukey' 'punif' 'pweibull' 'pwilcox' 'qbeta' 'qbinom' 'qbirthday' 'qcauchy' 'qchisq' 'qexp' 'qf' 'qgamma' 'qgeom' 'qhyper' 'qlnorm' 'qlogis'

'anbinom' 'anorm' 'apois' 'aqline' 'aqnorm' 'qqplot' 'qsignrank' 'qt' 'qtukey' 'quade.test' 'quantile' 'quasi' 'quasibinomial' 'quasipoisson' 'qunif' 'qweibull' 'qwilcox' 'r2dtable' 'rbeta' 'rbinom' 'rcauchy' 'rchisq' 'read.ftable' 'rect.hclust' 'reformulate' 'relevel' 'reorder' 'replications' 'reshape' 'resid' 'residuals' 'residuals.glm' 'residuals.lm' 'rexp' 'rf' 'rgamma' 'rgeom' 'rhyper' 'rlnorm' 'rlogis' 'rmultinom' 'rnbinom' 'rnorm' 'rpois' 'rsignrank' 'rstandard' 'rstudent' 'rt' 'runif' 'runmed' 'rweibull' 'rwilcox' 'rWishart' 'scatter.smooth' 'screeplot' 'sd' 'se.contrast' 'selfStart' 'setNames' 'shapiro.test' 'sigma' 'simulate' 'smooth' 'smooth.spline' 'smoothEnds' 'sortedXyData' 'spec.ar' 'spec.pgram' 'spec.taper' 'spectrum' 'spline' 'splinefun' 'splinefunH' 'SSasymp' 'SSasympOff' 'SSasympOrig' 'SSbiexp' 'SSD' 'SSfol' 'SSfpl' 'SSgompertz' 'SSlogis' 'SSmicmen' 'SSweibull' 'start' 'stat.anova' 'step' 'stepfun' 'stl' 'StructTS' 'summary.aov' 'summary.glm' 'summary.lm' 'summary.manova' 'summary.stepfun' 'supsmu' 'symnum' 't.test' 'termplot' 'terms' 'terms.formula' 'time' 'toeplitz' 'ts' 'ts.intersect' 'ts.plot' 'ts.union' 'tsdiag' 'tsp' 'tsp<-' 'tsSmooth' 'TukeyHSD' 'uniroot' 'update' 'update.default' 'update.formula' 'var' 'var.test' 'variable.names' 'varimax' 'vcov' 'weighted.mean' 'weighted.residuals' 'weights' 'wilcox.test' 'window' 'window<-' 'write.ftable' 'xtabs'

```
In [2]:
```

```
# get help on hist() function
?hist
help("hist")
# search the word "hist" in help pages
help.search("hist")
??hist
```

### **Basic Computations in R**

#### In [3]:

```
2 + 3 * 5  # Note the order of operations.

log(10)  # Natural logarithm with base e

5^2  # 5 raised to the second power

3/2  # Division

sqrt(16)  # Square root

abs(3-7)  # Absolute value of 3-7

pi  # The number

exp(2)  # exponential function

# This is a comment line
```

17

2.30258509299405

25

1.5

4

4

3.14159265358979

7.38905609893065

### **Data Structures**

**Vectors** 

#### In [4]:

```
x < -c(1, 3, 2, 10, 5) #create a vector x with 5 components
## [1] 1 3 2 10 5
y <- 1:5 #create a vector of consecutive integers y
y + 2 #scalar addition
## [1] 3 4 5 6 7
2 * y #scalar multiplication
## [1] 2 4 6 8 10
y^2 #raise each component to the second power
## [1] 1 4 9 16 25
2'y #raise 2 to the first through fifth power
## [1] 2 4 8 16 32
y #y itself has not been unchanged
## [1] 1 2 3 4 5
y <- y * 2
y #it is now changed
## [1] 2 4 6 8 10
r1 <- rep(1, 3) # create a vector of 1s, length 3
length(r1) #length of the vector
## [11 3
class(r1) # class of the vector
## [1] "numeric"
a <- 1 # this is actually a vector length one
```

- 1 3 2 10 5
- 3 4 5 6 7
- 2 4 6 8 10
- 1 4 9 16 25
- 2 4 8 16 32
- 1 2 3 4 5
- 2 4 6 8 10

#### Matrix

In [5]:

X	у
1	4
2	5
3	6
4	7

x	1	2	3	4
у	4	5	6	7

4 2

#### **Data Frames**

#### In [6]:

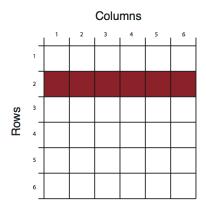
```
chr <- c("chr1", "chr1", "chr2", "chr2")
strand <- c("-","-","+","+")
start<- c(200,4000,100,400)
end<-c(250,410,200,450)
mydata <- data.frame(chr,start,end,strand)
#change column names
names(mydata) <- c("chr","start","end","strand")
mydata # OR this will work too
mydata <- data.frame(chr=chr,start=start,end=end,strand=strand)
mydata</pre>
```

chr	start	end	strand
chr1	200	250	-
chr1	4000	410	-
chr2	100	200	+
chr2	400	450	+

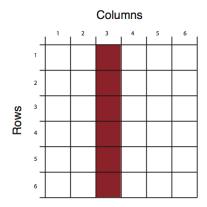
chr	start	end	strand
chr1	200	250	1
chr1	4000	410	1
chr2	100	200	+
chr2	400	450	+

## **Slicing and Dicing**

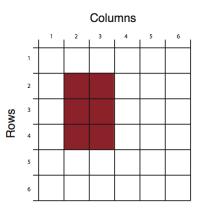
mat[2,]



mat[,3]



mat[2:4,2:3]



#### In [7]:

mydata[,2:4] # columns 2,3,4 of data frame
mydata[,c("chr","start")] # columns chr and start from data fr
ame
mydata\$start # variable start in the data frame
mydata[c(1,3),] # get 1st and 3rd rows
mydata[mydata\$start>400,] # get all rows where start>400

start	end	strand
200	250	-
4000	410	-
100	200	+
400	450	+

chr	start
chr1	200
chr1	4000
chr2	100
chr2	400

200 4000 100 400

	chr	start	end	strand
1	chr1	200	250	-
3	chr2	100	200	+

	chr	start	end	strand
2	chr1	4000	410	-

#### List

```
In [8]:
```

#### \$name

'Fred'

#### \$mynumbers

1 2 3

#### \$mymatrix

1 3

2 | 4

#### \$age

5.3

#### In [9]:

```
w[[3]] # 3rd component of the list
w[["mynumbers"]] # component named mynumbers in list
w$age
```

1 32 4

1 2 3

#### **Factors**

```
In [10]:
```

```
features=c("promoter", "exon", "intron")
f.feat=factor(features)
```

## **Data types**

- numeric
- logical
- character
- integer

```
In [11]:
```

```
#create a numeric vector x with 5 components
x<-c(1,3,2,10,5)
x
#create a logical vector x
x<-c(TRUE,FALSE,TRUE)
x
# create a character vector
x<-c("sds","sd","as")
x
class(x)
# create an integer vector
x<-c(1L,2L,3L)
x
class(x)</pre>
```

```
1 3 2 10 5
TRUE FALSE TRUE
'sds' 'sd' 'as'
'character'
1 2 3
'integer'
```

### **Reading and Writing Data**

Most of the genomics data sets are in the form of genomic intervals associated with a score. That means mostly the data will be in table format with columns denoting chromosome, start positions, end positions, strand and score. One of the popular formats is BED format used primarily by UCSC genome browser but most other genome browsers and tools will support BED format. We have all the annotation data in BED format. In R, you can easily read tabular format data with read.table() function.

#### In [12]:

enh.df <- read.table("dataJune21th/subset.enhancers.hg18.bed",
 header = FALSE) # read enhancer marker BED file
cpgi.df <- read.table("dataJune21th/subset.cpgi.hg18.bed", hea
der = FALSE) # read CpG island BED file
# check first lines to see how the data looks like
head(enh.df)
head(cpgi.df)</pre>

V1	V2	<b>V</b> 3	<b>V</b> 4	<b>V</b> 5	<b>V</b> 6	<b>V</b> 7	<b>V</b> 8	<b>V</b> 9
chr20	266275	267925		1000		9.11	13.1693	-1
chr20	287400	294500		1000		10.53	13.0231	-1
chr20	300500	302500		1000		9.10	13.3935	-1
chr20	330400	331800		1000		6.39	13.5105	-1
chr20	341425	343400		1000		6.20	12.9852	-1
chr20	437975	439900		1000		6.31	13.5184	-1

V1	<b>V</b> 2	<b>V</b> 3	<b>V</b> 4
chr20	195575	195851	CpG:_28
chr20	207789	208148	CpG:_32
chr20	219055	219437	CpG:_33
chr20	225831	227155	CpG:_135
chr20	252826	256323	CpG:_286
chr20	275376	276977	CpG:_116

#### In [13]:

#### In [14]:

```
save(cpgi.df,enh.df,file="mydata.RData")
load("mydata.RData")
# saveRDS() can save one object at a type
saveRDS(cpgi.df,file="cpgi.rds")
x=readRDS("cpgi.rds")
head(x)
```

V1	V2	<b>V</b> 3	V4
chr20	195575	195851	CpG:_28
chr20	207789	208148	CpG:_32
chr20	219055	219437	CpG:_33
chr20	225831	227155	CpG:_135
chr20	252826	256323	CpG:_286
chr20	275376	276977	CpG:_116

One important thing is that with save() you can save many objects at a time and when they are loaded into memory with load() they retain their variable names. For example, in the above code when you use load("mydata.RData") in a fresh R session, an object names "cpg.df" will be created. That means you have to figure out what name you gave it to the objects before saving them. On the contrary to that, when you save an object by saveRDS() and read by readRDS() the name of the object is not retained, you need to assign the output of readRDS() to a new variable ("x" in the above code chunk).

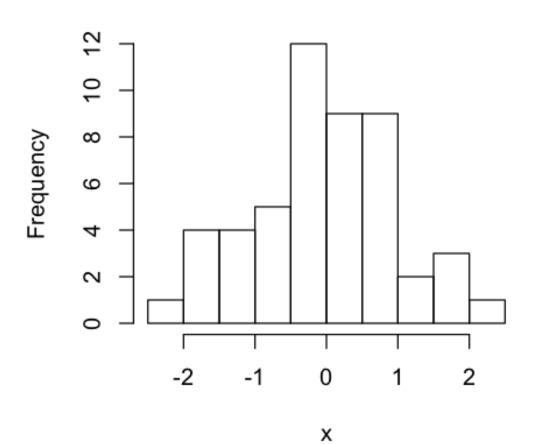
#### **Plotting in R**

Let us sample 50 values from normal distribution and do some plots.

#### In [15]:

```
# setting figure size in notebook
options(repr.plot.width = 4, repr.plot.height = 4)
# sample 50 values from normal distribution
# and store them in vector x
x<-rnorm(50)
hist(x) # plot the histogram of those values</pre>
```

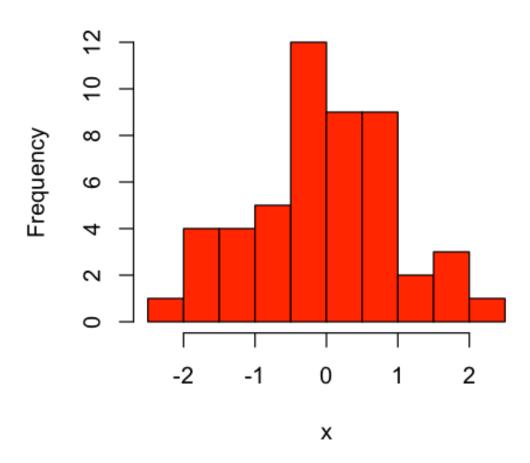
## Histogram of x



#### In [16]:

#let's add a title and change the color
hist(x,main="Hello histogram!!!",col="red")

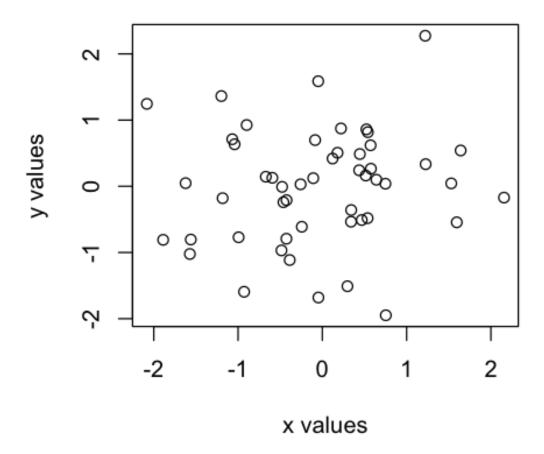
## Hello histogram!!!



### Scatterplot

#### In [17]:

## scatterplot of random samples



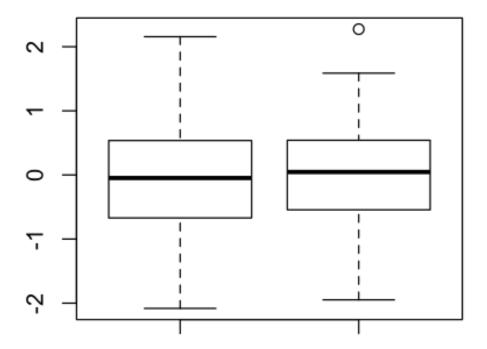
#### **Boxplot**

lowerWhisker=Q1-1.5[IQR] and upperWhisker=Q1+1.5\*[IQR]

In addition, outliers can be depicted as dots. In this case, outliers are the values that remain outside the whiskers.

boxplot(x,y,main="boxplots of random samples")

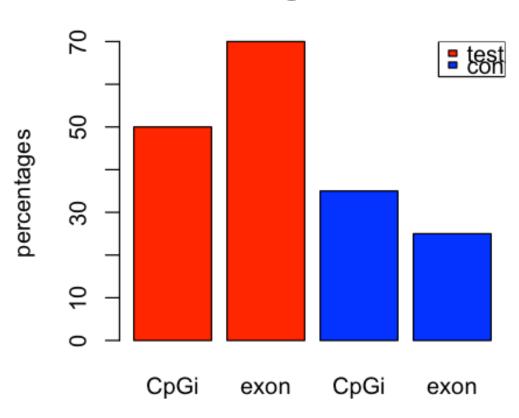
## boxplots of random samples



### Barplot

#### In [19]:

## imagine %s



## **Saving plots**

If you want to save your plots to an image file there are couple of ways of doing that. Normally, you will have to do the following:

- 1. Open a graphics device
- 2. Create the plot
- 3. Close the graphics device

#### In [20]:

```
pdf("myplot.pdf",width=5,height=5)
plot(x,y)
dev.off()

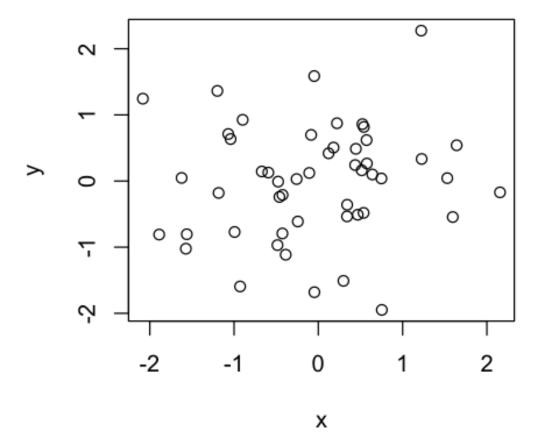
#Alternatively, you can first create the plot then copy the p
lot to a graphic device.

plot(x,y)
dev.copy(pdf,"myplot.pdf",width=7,height=5)
dev.off()
```

**pdf:** 2

**pdf:** 3

**pdf:** 2



# Working with sequences, primarily DNA sequences, and genomic features.

We will be using Bioconductor packages for this.

Bioconductor represents a different strand of current development in R, separate from the Hadley Wickham tidyverse. Where Hadley emphasizes the data frame above all else, Bioconductor uses a great variety of data types. It's the very opposite of tidy!

Nevertheless, Bioconductor is overwhelmingly *comprehensive*, and represents the most complete environment available for working with bioinformatic data currently available.

Bioconductor packages usually have useful documentation in the form of "vignettes". These are readable on the Bioconductor website, or within R:

```
In [21]:
```

```
source("http://bioconductor.org/biocLite.R")
```

Bioconductor version 3.7 (BiocInstaller 1.30.0), ?b iocLite for help

#### In [22]:

```
# Install a basic set of packages
biocLite()

# Install further packages used in this tutorial
biocLite(c(
    "Biostrings",
    "GenomicRanges",
    "rtracklayer",
    "motifRG",
    "AnnotationHub",
    "ggbio"
))
```

```
BioC mirror: https://bioconductor.org
Using Bioconductor 3.7 (BiocInstaller 1.30.0), R 3.
5.0 (2018-04-23).
Old packages: 'BiocParallel', 'biovizBase', 'broo
m', 'caTools', 'dbplyr',
  'DelayedArray', 'devtools', 'dplyr', 'evaluate',
'foreign', 'ggthemes',
  'git2r', 'glue', 'gmodels', 'gtools', 'haven', 'h
ighr', 'httpuv',
  'iterators', 'MASS', 'matrixStats', 'mgcv', 'mode
ltools', 'munsell',
  'nycflights13', 'pillar', 'plotly', 'purrr', 'Rcp
p', 'RCurl',
  'recommenderlab', 'reprex', 'rlang', 'rmarkdown',
'Rsamtools', 'Rttf2pt1',
  'stringi', 'survival', 'tm', 'VariantAnnotation',
'xlsx', 'XML', 'xts',
  'yaml', 'zoo'
BioC mirror: https://bioconductor.org
Using Bioconductor 3.7 (BiocInstaller 1.30.0), R 3.
5.0 (2018-04-23).
Installing package(s) 'Biostrings', 'GenomicRange
s', 'rtracklayer', 'motifRG',
  'AnnotationHub', 'ggbio'
The downloaded binary packages are in
        /var/folders/jw/knt b30n31xgtwmrfn00sctm000
0gn/T//Rtmp9YAg3L/downloaded packages
Old packages: 'BiocParallel', 'biovizBase', 'broo
m', 'caTools', 'dbplyr',
  'DelayedArray', 'devtools', 'dplyr', 'evaluate',
'foreign', 'ggthemes',
  'git2r', 'glue', 'gmodels', 'gtools', 'haven', 'h
ighr', 'httpuv',
  'iterators', 'MASS', 'matrixStats', 'mgcv', 'mode
ltools', 'munsell',
  'nycflights13', 'pillar', 'plotly', 'purrr', 'Rcp
p', 'RCurl',
  'recommenderlab', 'reprex', 'rlang', 'rmarkdown',
'Rsamtools', 'Rttf2pt1',
  'stringi', 'survival', 'tm', 'VariantAnnotation',
'xlsx', 'XML', 'xts',
  'yaml', 'zoo'
```

#### In [23]:

```
library(Biostrings)  # Provides DNAString, DNAStringSet, et
c
library(GenomicRanges)  # Provides GRanges, etc
library(rtracklayer)  # Provides import() and export()
```

Loading required package: BiocGenerics

Loading required package: parallel

Attaching package: 'BiocGenerics'

The following objects are masked from 'package:para llel':

clusterApply, clusterApplyLB, clusterCall, clus terEvalQ,

clusterExport, clusterMap, parApply, parCapply,
parLapply,

parLapplyLB, parRapply, parSapply, parSapplyLB

The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':

IQR, mad, sd, var, xtabs

The following objects are masked from 'package:base':

anyDuplicated, append, as.data.frame, basename, cbind, colMeans,

colnames, colSums, dirname, do.call, duplicate d, eval, evalq,

Filter, Find, get, grep, grepl, intersect, is.u nsorted, lapply,

lengths, Map, mapply, match, mget, order, past
e, pmax, pmax.int,

pmin, pmin.int, Position, rank, rbind, Reduce, rowMeans, rownames,

rowSums, sapply, setdiff, sort, table, tapply, union, unique,

unsplit, which, which.max, which.min

Loading required package: S4Vectors Loading required package: stats4

Attaching package: 'S4Vectors'

The following object is masked from 'package:base':

```
Loading required package: IRanges
Loading required package: XVector

Attaching package: 'Biostrings'

The following object is masked from 'package:base':

strsplit

Warning message:
"package 'GenomicRanges' was built under R version
3.5.1"Loading required package: GenomeInfoDb
```

#### **DNAString**

expand.grid

Package Biostrings offers classes for storing DNA strings, DNAString, amino acid sequences, AAString, or anything else in a BString. These are very like character strings, but a variety of biologically meaningful functions can be applied to them.

```
In [24]:
```

```
myseq <- DNAString("ACCATTGATTAT")
myseq</pre>
```

```
12-letter "DNAString" instance seq: ACCATTGATTAT
```

```
In [25]:
```

```
class(myseq)
```

'DNAString'

```
In [26]:
reverseComplement(myseq)
translate(myseq)
  12-letter "DNAString" instance
seq: ATAATCAATGGT
  4-letter "AAString" instance
seq: TIDY
In [27]:
subseq(myseq, 3,5)
myseq[3:5]
  3-letter "DNAString" instance
seq: CAT
  3-letter "DNAString" instance
seq: CAT
In [28]:
as.character(myseq)
```

'ACCATTGATTAT'

```
In [29]:
```

methods(class="DNAString")

[1]	!=	[
[3]	[<-	%in%
[5]	<	<=
[7]	==	>
[9]	>=	aggregate
[11]	alphabetFrequency	anyNA
[13]	append	as.character
[15]	as.complex	as.data.frame
[17]	as.env	as.integer
[19]	as.list	as.logical
[21]	as.matrix	as.numeric
[23]	as.raw	as.vector
[25]	by	С
[27]	chartr	codons
[29]	coerce	compact
[31]	compareStrings	complement
[33]	concatenateObjects	countOverlaps
[35]	countPattern	countPDict
[37]	countPWM	duplicated
[39] ta<-	elementMetadata	elementMetada
	eval	expand
[43]	expand.grid	extractAt

[45] extractList	extractROWS
[47] findOverlaps es	findPalindrom
[49] hasOnlyBaseLetters	head
[51] intersect	is.na
<pre>[53] isMatchingEndingAt rtingAt</pre>	isMatchingSta
[55] lcprefix	lcsubstr
[57] lcsuffix	length
[59] lengths	letter
<pre>[61] letterFrequency cyInSlidingView</pre>	letterFrequen
[63] maskMotif	masks
[65] masks<-	match
[67] matchLRPatterns	matchPattern
[69] matchPDict	matchProbePai
[71] matchPWM	mcols
[73] mcols<-	merge
[75] metadata	metadata<-
[77] mstack	nchar
[79] neditEndingAt At	neditStarting
[81] needwunsQS	NROW
[83] oligonucleotideFrequency	overlapsAny
[85] PairwiseAlignments	PairwiseAlign
mentsSingleSubject [87] palindromeArmLength	palindromeLef

	palindromeRightArm	parallelSlotN
ames [91]	pcompare	pmatchPattern
[93]	rank	relist
[95]	relistToClass	rename
[97]	rep	rep.int
	replaceAt	replaceLetter
At [101]	replaceROWS	rev
	reverse	reverseComple
	ROWNAMES	seqlevelsInUs
e [107]	seqtype	seqtype<-
[109]	setdiff	setequal
[111]	shiftApply	show
[113]	showAsCell	sort
[115]	split	split<-
[117]	subseq	subseq<-
	subset	subsetByOverl
aps [121]	substr	substring
[123]	table	tail
[125]	tapply	toComplex
[127]	toString	transform
	translate	trimLRPattern
s [131]	twoWayAlphabetFrequency	union

[133] unique	uniqueLetters
[135] unmasked	updateObject
[137] values	values<-
[139] vcountPattern	vcountPDict
[141] Views	vmatchPattern
[143] vmatchPDict	vwhichPDict
[145] which.isMatchingEndingAt	which.isMatch
<pre>ingStartingAt [147] whichPDict</pre>	window
[149] window<-	with
[151] xtabs	xvcopy
see '?methods' for accessing help and	source code
In [30]:	
?"DNAString-class"	

# **DNAStringSet**

Often we want to work with a list of sequences, such as chromosomes.

```
In [31]:
```

seq: ACGTACGT

```
myset <- DNAStringSet( list(chrI=myseq, chrII=DNAString("ACGTA
CGT")) )
myset

# A DNAStringSet is list-like
myset$chrII
# or myset[["chrII"]]
# or myset[[2]]</pre>
```

```
A DNAStringSet instance of length 2
width seq
names
[1] 12 ACCATTGATTAT
chrI
[2] 8 ACGTACGT
chrII
8-letter "DNAString" instance
```

### **Loading files**

### Loading sequences

DNA sequences are generally stored in FASTA format, a simple text format. These can be loaded with readDNAStringSet from Biostrings. Let's load the genome of E. coli strain K-12, obtained from the Ensembl FTP site.

```
### The start of the .fa file looks like this:
# >Chromosome dna:chromosome chromosome:GCA_000800765.1:
Chromosome:1:4558660:1
```

- # AGCTTTTCATTCTGACTGCAACGGGCAATATGTCTCTGTGTGGATTAAAAAAAG
  AGTGTC
- # TGATAGCAGCTTCTGAACTGGTTACCTGCCGTGAGTAAATTTAAAATTTTATTGA CTTAGG
- # ACAACATCCATGAAACGCATTAGCACCACCATTACCACCATCACCATTACC ACAGGT
- # AACGGTGCGGGCTGACGGAAAAAAAAGCCCGCACCTGACAG
  TGCGGG
- # CTTTTTTTTCGACCAAAGGTAACGAGGTAACAACCATGCGAGTGTTGAAGTTC GGCGGT

# ...

```
In [32]:
```

```
seqs <- readDNAStringSet("dataJune21th/gendata/Escherichia_col
i_k_12.GCA_000800765.1.29.dna.genome.fa")
seqs</pre>
```

```
A DNAStringSet instance of length 1
width seq
names
[1] 4558660 AGCTTTTCATTCTGACTGCAAC...AACGCCTTAGTAAG
TATTTTTC Chromosome dna:ch...
```

### In [33]:

```
# Our chromosome name is too verbose.
# Remove everything from the name after the first space.
names(seqs)
names(seqs) <- sub(" .*","",names(seqs))
names(seqs)</pre>
```

'Chromosome dna:chromosome chromosome:GCA\_000800765.1:Chromosome:1:4558660:1'

'Chromosome'

#### **Genomic Intervals**

<u>Bioconductor (http://bioconductor.org)</u> project has a dedicated package called **GenomicRanges** to deal with genomic intervals. In this section, we will provide use cases involving operations on genomic intervals. The main reason we will stick to this package is that it provides tools to do overlap operations. However package requires that users operate on specific data types that are conceptually similar to a tabular data structure implemented in a way that makes overlapping and related operations easier. The main object we will be using is called GRanges object and we will also see some other related objects from the GenomicRanges package.

### How to create and manipulate a GRanges object

```
In [34]:
gr=GRanges(seqnames=c("chr1","chr2","chr2"),
           ranges=IRanges(start=c(50,150,200),end=c(100,200,30
0)),
           strand=c("+","-","-")
)
gr
GRanges object with 3 ranges and 0 metadata column
s:
      segnames
                  ranges strand
         <Rle> <IRanges>
                          <Rle>
                  50-100
  [1]
          chr1
          chr2
  [2]
                 150-200
          chr2 200-300
  [3]
 seqinfo: 2 sequences from an unspecified genome;
no seglengths
In [35]:
# subset like a data frame
gr[1:2,]
GRanges object with 2 ranges and 0 metadata column
s:
      segnames
                  ranges strand
         <Rle> <IRanges>
                          <Rle>
  [1]
          chr1
                  50-100
                              +
          chr2
                 150-200
  [2]
  seqinfo: 2 sequences from an unspecified genome;
```

no seqlengths

50

zic4

```
gr=GRanges(seqnames=c("chr1","chr2","chr2"),
           ranges=IRanges(start=c(50,150,200),end=c(100,200,30
0)),
           names=c("id1","id3","id2"),
           scores=c(100,90,50)
)
# or add it later (replaces the existing meta data)
mcols(gr)=DataFrame(name2=c("pax6", "meis1", "zic4"),
                     score2=c(1,2,3))
gr=GRanges(seqnames=c("chr1","chr2","chr2"),
           ranges=IRanges(start=c(50,150,200),end=c(100,200,30
0)),
           names=c("id1","id3","id2"),
           scores=c(100,90,50)
)
# or appends to existing meta data
mcols(gr)=cbind(mcols(gr),
                           DataFrame(name2=c("pax6", "meis1", "zi
c4"))))
gr
GRanges object with 3 ranges and 3 metadata column
s:
                  ranges strand
      segnames
                                         names
                                                   SC
           name2
ores
         <Rle> <IRanges> <Rle> | <character> <nume</pre>
ric> <character>
          chr1
                  50-100
                                            id1
  [1]
100
           pax6
                 150-200
                               *
                                            id3
  [2]
          chr2
  90
           meis1
          chr2
                               * |
                                           id2
                 200-300
  [3]
```

seqinfo: 2 sequences from an unspecified genome;
no seqlengths

### In [37]:

```
# elementMetadata() and values() do the same things
elementMetadata(gr)
```

```
DataFrame with 3 rows and 3 columns
        names
                  scores
                                name2
  <character> <numeric> <character>
1
          id1
                     100
                                 pax6
2
          id3
                      90
                                meis1
3
          id2
                                 zic4
                      50
```

### In [38]:

```
values(gr)
```

nd 3 columns	rows ar	ith 3	ataFrame	Da
name2	scores	es	na	
<character></character>	umeric>	r> <nı< td=""><td><charact< td=""><td></td></charact<></td></nı<>	<charact< td=""><td></td></charact<>	
pax6	100	d1		1
meis1	90	13		2
zic4	50	12		3

### Getting genomic regions into R as GRanges objects

There are multiple ways you can read in your genomic features into R and create a GRanges object. Most genomic interval data comes as a tabular format that has the basic information about the location of the interval and some other information. We already showed how to read BED files as data frame. Now we will show how to convert it to GRanges object.

```
In [39]:
```

GRanges object with 205 ranges and 0 metadata colum ns:

	seqnames	ranges	strand
	<rle></rle>	<iranges></iranges>	<rle></rle>
[1]	chr21	9825442-9826296	*
[2]	chr21	9909011-9909218	*
[3]	chr21	9968264-9968620	*
[4]	chr21	10989913-10991413	*
[5]	chr21	14409412-14410501	*
• • •	• • •	• • •	• • •
[201]	chr21	47918497-47918728	*
[202]	chr21	48018542-48018791	*
[203]	chr21	48055199-48056060	*
[204]	chr21	48068517-48068808	*
[205]	chr21	48081241-48081849	*

seqinfo: 1 sequence from an unspecified genome; n o seqlengths

Sometimes pre-processing is necessary

```
In [40]:
```

```
# read refseq file
ref.df = read.table("dataJune21th/refseq.hg19.chr21.bed", head
er = FALSE,
                     stringsAsFactors=FALSE)
ref.gr=GRanges(segnames=ref.df[,1],
               ranges=IRanges(start=ref.df[,2],
                              end=ref.df[,3]),
               strand=ref.df[,6],name=ref.df[,4])
# get TSS
tss.gr=ref.gr
# end of the + strand genes must be equalized to start pos
end(tss.gr[strand(tss.gr)=="+",]) =start(tss.gr[strand(tss.gr
)=="+",])
# startof the - strand genes must be equalized to end pos
start(tss.gr[strand(tss.gr)=="-",])=end(tss.gr[strand(tss.gr)=
="-",])
# remove duplicated TSSes ie alternative transcripts
# this keeps the first instance and removes duplicates
tss.gr=tss.gr[!duplicated(tss.gr),]
```

Reading the genomic features as text files and converting to GRanges is not the only way to create GRanges object. With the help of rtracklayer package we can directly import.

```
In [41]:
```

import.bed("dataJune21th/refseq.hg19.chr21.bed")

GRanges object with 571 ranges and 5 metadata colum ns:

115 •					
	seqnames		ranges	strand	
name	score	itemRgk	)		
	<rle></rle>	<	Ranges	<rle></rle>	<chara< td=""></chara<>
cter> <	numeric> <	<characte< td=""><td><u>c</u>&gt;</td><td></td><td></td></characte<>	<u>c</u> >		
[1]	chr21	41384343-	-42219039	_	NR_0
73202	0	<na< td=""><td><i>A&gt;</i></td><td></td><td>_</td></na<>	<i>A&gt;</i>		_
[2]	chr21	41384343-	-42219039	_	NM_0
01389	0	<na< td=""><td><i>A&gt;</i></td><td></td><td>_</td></na<>	<i>A&gt;</i>		_
[3]	chr21	41384343-	-42219039	_	NM_0012
71534	0	<na< td=""><td><i>A</i>&gt;</td><td></td><td>. –</td></na<>	<i>A</i> >		. –
[4]	chr21	17442842-	-17982094	+	NR 0
27790	0	<na< td=""><td><i>A&gt;</i></td><td></td><td></td></na<>	<i>A&gt;</i>		
[5]	chr21	17566699-	-17982094	+	NR 0
27791		<na< td=""><td></td><td></td><td></td></na<>			
			• • •		•
• • •	• • •	•			
r 5671	chr21	48055507-	-48075276	+	NM_0012
42865		<n2< td=""><td></td><td></td><td></td></n2<>			
	chr21			+	NM_0012
42864	0	<n2< td=""><td></td><td></td><td>' –</td></n2<>			' –
[569]	chr21	48018531-	-48025035	_	NM 0
06272	0	<n2< td=""><td></td><td></td><td></td></n2<>			
	chr21			+	NM 0
01535		<n2< td=""><td></td><td></td><td>1 2.23_3</td></n2<>			1 2.23_3
	chr21			+	NM 2
06962	0	< NA			
00302		thick			
blo		0112011			
320		Ranges			<ir< td=""></ir<>
angesLi					
_	42219040-	-42219039	1-971.3	29956-30	258,31663
-31860,		12213003			230,01000
	41384961-	_42218587	1_971 3	29956_30	258,31663
-31860,		42210307	1 3/1/		230,31003
•	41384961	_42218587	1_917 3	29956_30	258,31663
-31860,		-42210507	1-317,2	27730-30	230,31003
•	17982095-	_17982094	1_2	7 593_87	7,111070-
111166,		-1702074	1-2	1,333-01	7,111070-
•		_17922001	1_255 364	578_3673	7,197236-
197307,		-11702094	1-233,300	570-5075	1,191230-
17/30/,	• • •				

••

```
[567] 48056864-48071918
                                 1-169,1302-1396,794
1-8045,...
  [568] 48056864-48084239
                                 1-169,1302-1396,794
1-8045,...
  [569] 48019276-48022328
                                     1-886,3661-379
9,6396-6505
  [570] 48056864-48084239
                                 1-169,1302-1396,794
1-8045,...
  [571] 48056864-48084239
                                   1-169,845-953,130
2-1396,...
  seginfo: 1 sequence from an unspecified genome; n
o seglengths
```

Now we will show how to use other packages to automatically obtain the data in GRanges format. But you will not be able to use these methods for every data set so it is good to now how to read data from flat files as well. First, we will use rtracklayer package to download data from UCSC browser. We will download CpG islands as GRanges objects.

#### In [42]:

UCSC track 'cpgIslandExt'
UCSCData object with 627 ranges and 1 metadata colu
mn:

	seqnames	ranges	strand		
name					
	<rle></rle>	<iranges></iranges>	<rle></rle>		<char< td=""></char<>
acter>					
[1]	chr12	3235441-3235920	*		С
pG:_55			_		_
	chr12	3309325-3310176	*		Ср
G:_112	1 10	2265112 2265422			
[3]	chr12	3365112-3365428	*		С
pG:_33	ahr12	3426606-3427706	*	ı	Cn
G: 112	chr12	3420000-3427700	^	ı	Ср
_	chr12	3572056-3572883	*	ı	С
pG: 87	CIII I Z	3372030-3372003		ı	C
[623]	chr12	120074998-120075659	*		С
pG:_64				•	
[624]	chr12	120081568-120081824	*		С
pG:_22					
[625]	chr12	120085202-120085696	*		C
pG:_45					
[626]	chr12	120086987-120088377	*		Ср
G:_147					
	chr12	120476260-120476575	*		С
pG:_23					

seqinfo: 35 sequences from mm9 genome

# Finding regions that (does/does not) overlap with another set of regions

This is one of the most common tasks in genomics. Usually, you have a set of regions that you are interested in and you want to see if they overlap with another set of regions or see how many of them overlap. A good example is transcription factor binding sites determined by ChIP-seq experiments. In these types of experiments and followed analysis, one usually ends up with genomic regions that are bound by transcription factors. One of the standard next questions would be to annotate binding sites with genomic annotations such as promoter, exon, intron and/or CpG islands. Below is a demonstration of how transcription factor binding sites can be annotated using CpG islands. First, we will get the subset of binding sites that overlap with the CpG islands. In this case, binding sites are ChIP-seq peaks.

We can find the subset of peaks that overlap with the CpG islands using subsetByoverlaps() function. You will also see another way of converting data frames to GRanges.

### In [43]:

pk1=read.table("dataJune21th/wgEncodeHaibTfbsGm12878Sp1Pcr1xPk
Rep1.broadPeak.gz")
head(pk1)

V1	V2	<b>V</b> 3	<b>V</b> 4	<b>V</b> 5	<b>V</b> 6	<b>V</b> 7	<b>V</b> 8	<b>V</b> 9
chr1	9990	10480	peak1	143		464.20	-1	-1
chr1	11020	12230	peak2	347		1123.56	-1	-1
chr1	13882	14300	peak3	68		221.82	-1	-1
chr1	22720	23011	peak4	33		109.62	-1	-1
chr1	23479	23786	peak5	40		129.51	-1	-1
chr1	25950	26457	peak6	69		225.58	-1	-1

#### In [44]:

GRanges object with 44 ranges and 0 metadata column s:

	seqnames	ranges	strand
	<rle></rle>	<iranges></iranges>	<rle></rle>
[1]	chr21	9825359-9826582	*
[2]	chr21	9968468-9968984	*
[3]	chr21	15755367-15755956	*
[4]	chr21	19191578-19192525	*
[5]	chr21	26979618-26980048	*
	• • •	• • •	• • •
[40]	chr21	46237463-46237809	*
[41]	chr21	46707701-46708084	*
[42]	chr21	46961551-46961875	*
[43]	chr21	47743586-47744125	*
[44]	chr21	47878411-47878891	*

seqinfo: 23 sequences from an unspecified genome;
no seqlengths

For each CpG island, we can count the number of peaks that overlap with a given CpG island with countOverlaps().

### In [45]:

```
#count the peaks that
# overlap with CpG islands
counts=countOverlaps(pk1.gr,cpgi.gr)
head(counts)
```

0 0 0 0 0

findOverlaps() function can be used to see one-to-one overlaps between peaks and CpG islands. It returns a matrix showing which peak overlaps with which CpGi island.

In [46]:

```
findOverlaps(pkl.gr,cpgi.gr)
```

[1]	123	1
[2]	154	3
[3]	389	8
[4]	401	13
[5]	415	16
• • •	• • •	• • •
[41]	595	155
[42]	598	166
[43]	600	176
[44]	611	192
[45]	613	200

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queryLength: 620 / subjectLength: 205

Another interesting thing would be to look at the distances to nearest CpG islands for each peak. In addition, just finding the nearest CpG island could also be interesting. Often times, you will need to find nearest TSS or gene to your regions of interest, and the code below is handy for doing that.

```
In [47]:
```

```
# find nearest CpGi to each TSS
n.ind=nearest(pk1.gr,cpgi.gr)
# get distance to nearest
dists=distanceToNearest(pk1.gr,cpgi.gr,select="arbitrary")
dists
```

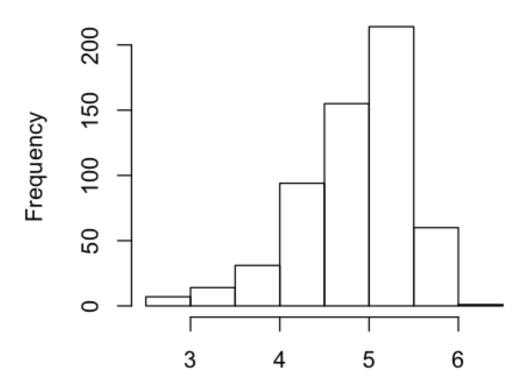
Hits ob	ject with 6	20 hits and	1	metadata column:
	queryHits	subjectHits		distance
	<integer></integer>	<integer></integer>		<integer></integer>
[1]	1	1		384188
[2]	2	1		382968
[3]	3	1		381052
[4]	4	1		379311
[5]	5	1		376978
• • •	• • •	• • •	•	• • •
[616]	616	205		26211
[617]	617	205		27401
[618]	618	205		30467
[619]	619	205		31610
[620]	620	205		34089

queryLength: 620 / subjectLength: 205

# **Some Visualizations:**

### In [48]:

# **Distances**



log10(dist to nearest TSS)

Tracks - aligning plots along chromosomes

### In [49]:

```
library(ggbio)

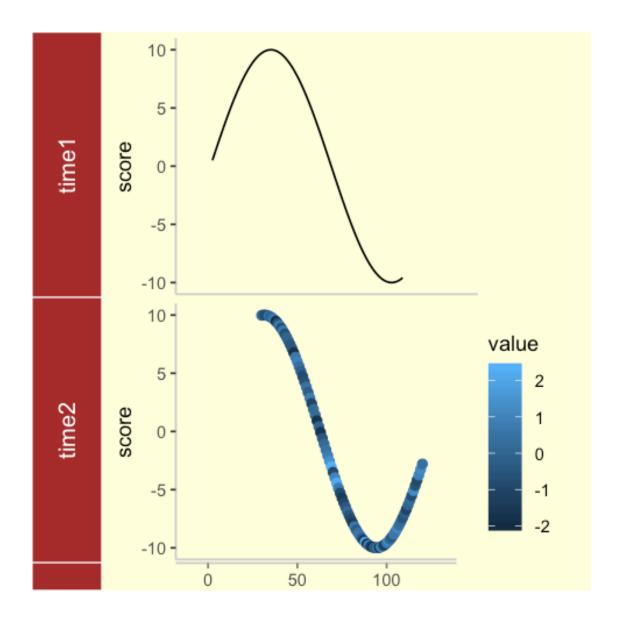
df1 <- data.frame(time = 1:100, score = sin((1:100)/20)*10)
p1 <- qplot(data = df1, x = time, y = score, geom = "line")
df2 <- data.frame(time = 30:120, score = sin((30:120)/20)*10,
    value = rnorm(120-30 +1))
p2 <- ggplot(data = df2, aes(x = time, y = score)) + geom_line
() + geom_point(size = 2, aes(color = value))
tracks(time1 = p1, time2 = p2) + xlim(1, 40) + theme_tracks_su
nset()</pre>
```

Need specific help about ggbio? try mailing
 the maintainer or visit http://tengfei.github.com/
ggbio/

Attaching package: 'ggbio'

The following objects are masked from 'package:ggpl ot2':

Coordinate system already present. Adding new coord inate system, which will replace the existing one. Coordinate system already present. Adding new coord inate system, which will replace the existing one. Coordinate system already present. Adding new coord inate system, which will replace the existing one.

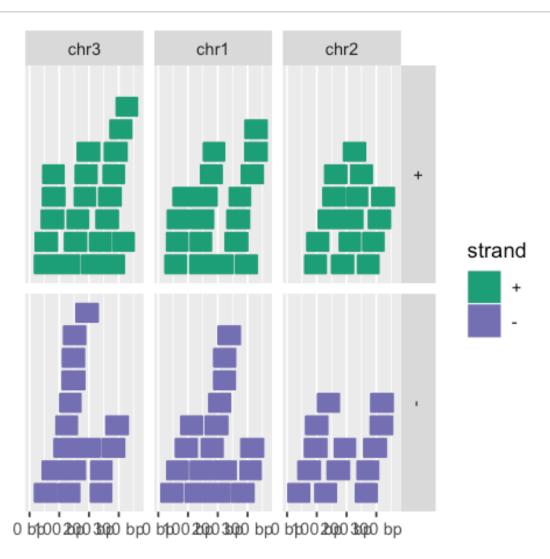


# Plotting genomic ranges

GRanges objects are essential for storing alignment or annotation ranges in R/Bioconductor. The following creates a sample GRanges object and plots its content.

#### In [50]:

set.seed(1); N <- 100; gr <- GRanges(seqnames = sample(c("chr
1", "chr2", "chr3"), size = N, replace = TRUE), IRanges(start
= sample(1:300, size = N, replace = TRUE), width = sample(70:7
5, size = N,replace = TRUE)), strand = sample(c("+", "-"), siz
e = N, replace = TRUE), value = rnorm(N, 10, 3), score = rnorm
(N, 100, 30), sample = sample(c("Normal", "Tumor"), size = N,
 replace = TRUE), pair = sample(letters, size = N, replace = TRUE))
autoplot(gr, aes(color = strand, fill = strand), facets = strand
nd ~ seqnames)</pre>



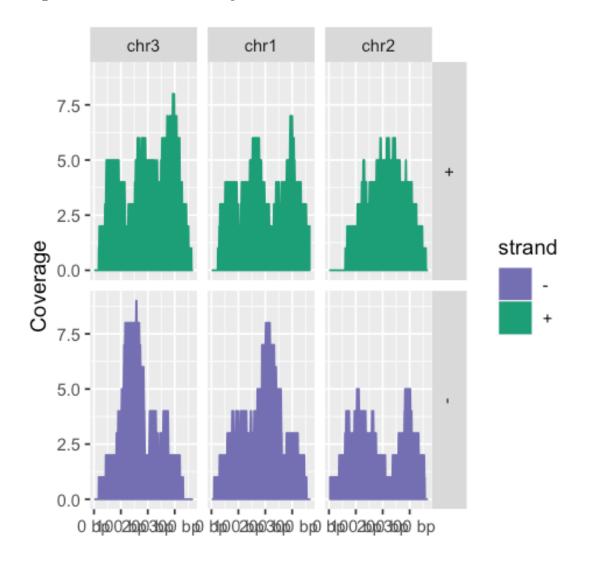
### **Plotting coverage**

### Mirrored coverage

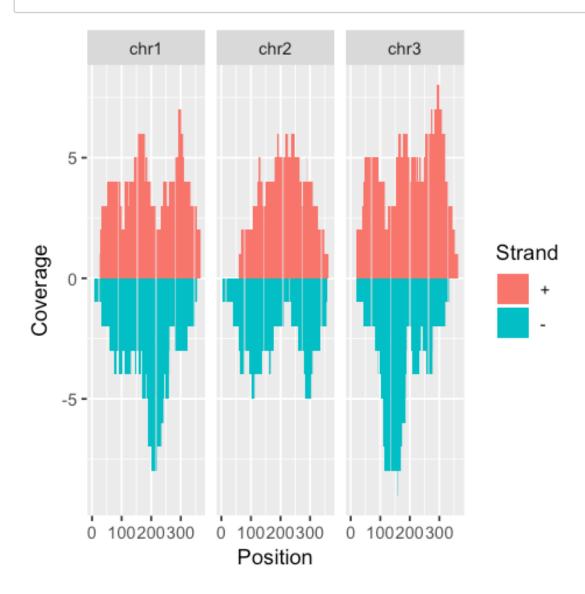
In [51]:

```
autoplot(gr, aes(color = strand, fill = strand), facets = stra
nd ~ seqnames, stat = "coverage")
```

Scale for 'x' is already present. Adding another sc ale for 'x', which will replace the existing scale.



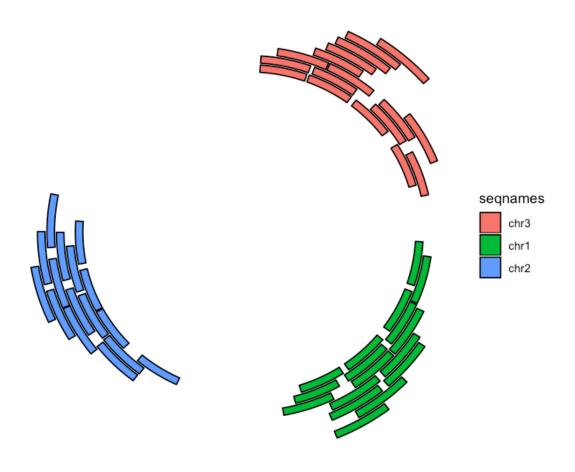
#### In [52]:



# Circular genome plots

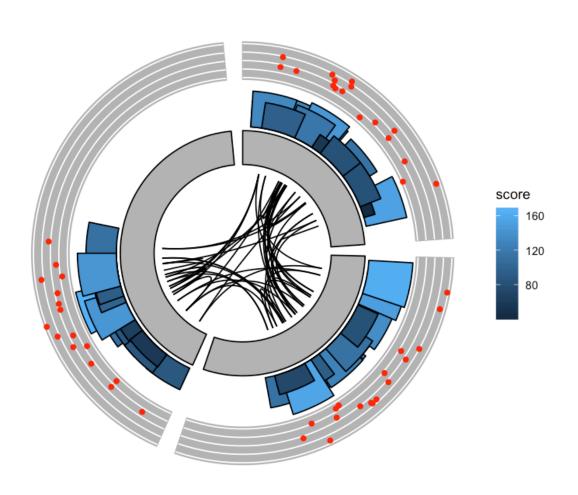
```
In [57]:
```

```
ggplot(gr) + layout_circle(aes(fill = seqnames), geom = "rect"
)
```



More complex circular example

### In [58]:

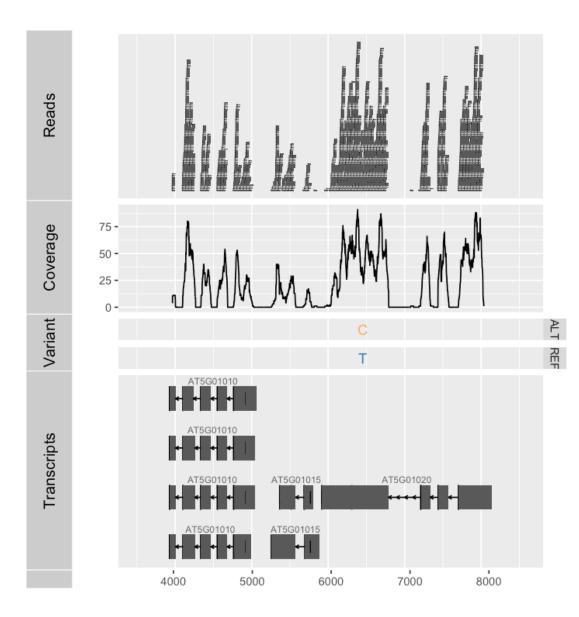


Alignments and variants plot

```
library(rtracklayer); library(GenomicFeatures); library(Rsamto
ols); library(GenomicAlignments); library(VariantAnnotation)
options(repr.plot.width = 6, repr.plot.height = 6)
ga <- readGAlignments("dataJune21th/plotdata/SRR064167.fastq.b</pre>
am", use.names=TRUE, param=ScanBamParam(which=GRanges("Chr5",
IRanges(4000, 8000))))
p1 <- autoplot(ga, geom = "rect")</pre>
p2 <- autoplot(ga, geom = "line", stat = "coverage")</pre>
vcf <- readVcf(file="dataJune21th/plotdata/varianttools gnsap.</pre>
vcf", genome="ATH1")
p3 <- autoplot(vcf[seqnames(vcf)=="Chr5"], type = "fixed") + x
lim(4000, 8000) + theme(legend.position = "none", axis.text.y
= element blank(), axis.ticks.y=element blank())
txdb <- makeTxDbFromGFF(file="dataJune21th/plotdata/TAIR10 GFF</pre>
3 trunc.gff", format="gff3")
p4 <- autoplot(txdb, which=GRanges("Chr5", IRanges(4000, 8000
)), names.expr = "gene id")
tracks(Reads=p1, Coverage=p2, Variant=p3, Transcripts=p4, heig
hts = c(0.3, 0.2, 0.1, 0.35)) + ylab("")
```

```
extracting information...
extracting information...
Scale for 'x' is already present. Adding another sc
ale for 'x', which will
replace the existing scale.
Import genomic features from the file as a GRanges
object ... Warning message in .local(con, format, t
ext, ...):
"gff-version directive indicates version is 1, not
3"OK
Prepare the 'metadata' data frame ... OK
Make the TxDb object ... Warning message in .extrac
t exons from GRanges(exon IDX, gr, ID, Name, Paren
t, feature = "exon", :
"The following orphan exon were dropped (showing on
ly the 6 first):
 segid start end strand ID Parent Name
1 Chr2 10478 12861 - <NA> AT2G01022.1 <NA>
2 Chr2 14395 16377 - <NA> AT2G01024.1 <NA>
3 Chr2 17624 22540
                      - <NA> AT2G01026.1 <NA>
4 Chr2 23971 26923 - <NA> AT2G01028.1 <NA>
5 Chr2 28465 38652
                       + <NA> AT2G01029.1 <NA>
6 Chr2 39867 40358 - <NA> AT2G01031.1 <NA>"Wa
rning message in .extract exons from GRanges(cds ID
X, gr, ID, Name, Parent, feature = "cds", :
"The following orphan CDS were dropped (showing onl
y the 6 first):
  segid start end strand
                          ID
                                          Parent
Name
1 Chr1 3760 3913 + <NA> AT1G01010.1-Protein
<NA>
2 Chr1 3996 4276 + <NA> AT1G01010.1-Protein
<NA>
3 Chr1 4486 4605
                      + <NA> AT1G01010.1-Protein
<NA>
4 Chr1 4706 5095
                      + <NA> AT1G01010.1-Protein
<NA>
5 Chr1 5174 5326 + <NA> AT1G01010.1-Protein
<NA>
6 Chr1 5439 5630 + <NA> AT1G01010.1-Protein
<NA>"OK
Parsing transcripts...
Parsing exons...
```

```
Parsing cds...
Parsing utrs...
----exons...
----cdss...
----introns...
----utr...
aggregating...
Done
Constructing graphics...
Parsing transcripts...
Parsing exons...
Parsing cds...
Parsing utrs...
----exons...
----cdss...
----introns...
----utr...
aggregating...
Done
Constructing graphics...
Coordinate system already present. Adding new coord
inate system, which will replace the existing one.
```



# **Loading features**

Genome annotations are available in a variety of text formats such as GFF3 and GTF. They can be loaded with the import function from rtracklayer. This GTF file is also from Ensembl, and gives the locations of the genes in the genome, and features within them.

### In [61]:

```
features <- import("dataJune21th/gendata/Escherichia_coli_k_1
2.GCA_000800765.1.29.gtf")

# Optional: just retain the columns of metadata we need
mcols(features) <- mcols(features)[,c("type","gene_name","gene
_id")]
features</pre>
```

GRanges object with 24926 ranges and 3 metadata columns:

	trand	ranges		seqnames	
				gene_name	type (
<f< td=""><td><rle></rle></td><td>Ranges&gt;</td><td>&lt;1</td><td><rle></rle></td><td></td></f<>	<rle></rle>	Ranges>	<1	<rle></rle>	
				naracter>	actor> <c< td=""></c<>
	+	190-255		Chromosome	[1]
				thrL	gene
tran	+	190-255		Chromosome	[2]
				thrL	script
	+	190-255		Chromosome	[3]
				thrL	exon
	+	190-252		Chromosome	[4]
				thrL	CDS
start	+	190-192		Chromosome	[5]
				thrL	_codon
	• • • •	• • •		• • •	• • •
				• • •	• • •
tran	+	4558636	4557950-	Chromosome	[24922]
				yjtD	script
	+	4558636	4557950-	Chromosome	[24923]
				yjtD	exon
	+	4558633	4557950-	Chromosome	[24924]
	•			yjtD	CDS
start	+	4557952	4557950-	Chromosome	[24925]
	•			yjtD	codon
stop	+	4558636	4558634-	Chromosome	[24926]
_	·			yjtD	
			i	gene i	_
			>	<character< td=""><td></td></character<>	
			)	ER3413 4519	[1]
				ER3413 4519	
				ER3413 4519	
				ER3413 4519	
				ER3413 4519	
			•		
			1	ER3413 4514	
				ER3413 4514	
				ER3413_4514	
				ER3413_4514	
				ER3413_4514	
			I	TV2412 <sup>-42</sup> 1.	[24920]

```
seqinfo: 1 sequence from an unspecified genome; n
o seqlengths
```

We can use these annotations to grab sequences from the genome.

```
In [62]:
```

```
feat <- features[4,]
feat</pre>
```

The metadata columns let us query the GRanges, for example for a particular gene.

```
In [63]:
```

```
subset(features, gene_name == "lacA")
# Equivalently:
# features[features$gene_name == "lacA" & !is.na(features$gene_name),]
```

GRanges object with 6 ranges and 3 metadata column s:

```
ranges strand
       segnames
                                              type
   gene name
                gene id
                               <Rle> | <factor>
                    <IRanges>
<character> <character>
  [1] Chromosome 363147-363758
                                              gene
        lacA ER3413 350
                                   - transcript
  [2] Chromosome 363147-363758
       lacA ER3413 350
  [3] Chromosome 363147-363758
                                              exon
       lacA ER3413 350
  [4] Chromosome 363150-363758
                                               CDS
       lacA ER3413 350
                                   - | start codon
  [5] Chromosome 363756-363758
        lacA ER3413 350
  [6] Chromosome 363147-363149
                                   - stop codon
       lacA
             ER3413 350
```

seqinfo: 1 sequence from an unspecified genome; n
o seqlengths

Note: subset is a generic R function. It is also similar to dplyr's filter. The second argument is special, in it you can refer to columns of the GRanges directly.

We could also get all features of a particular type.

```
In [64]:
```

```
cds <- subset(features, type == "CDS")
cds
# Equivalently:
# features[features$type == "CDS",]</pre>
```

GRanges object with 4052 ranges and 3 metadata columns:

	seqnames	ranges	strand		ty
pe	gene_name gene_id				
	<rle> &lt;</rle>	IRanges>	<rle></rle>		<facto< td=""></facto<>
r>	<pre><character> <character></character></character></pre>				
	[1] Chromosome	190-252	+		С
DS	<del>-</del>				
	[2] Chromosome		+		C
DS	<del></del>				
	[3] Chromosome 23	801–3730	+		C
DS	<del></del>				
	[4] Chromosome 3		+		С
DS	<del></del>				
	[5] Chromosome 52	234-5527	+		С
DS	_				
	•••	• • •	• • •	•	
• • •	•••				_
_	[4048] Chromosome 4553704	-4555125	+		С
	creC ER3413_4511				_
	[4049] Chromosome 4555186	-4556535	+		С
	creD ER3413_4512				_
_	[4050] Chromosome 4556601	-4557314	_		С
	arcA ER3413_4513	4555545			_
	[4051] Chromosome 4557410	-4557547	+		С
	yjjY ER3413_4541	4550600			_
_	4052] Chromosome 4557950	-4558633	+		С
DS	yjtD ER3413_4514				
-					

seqinfo: 1 sequence from an unspecified genome;  ${\bf n}$  o seqlengths

## Further data types to explore

**GRangesList, etc**: Many Bioconductor types have a List version -- GRangesList, DNAStringSetList, etc. For example the exons of a collection of genes could be naturally stored in a GRangesList. Most functions that work with GRanges will also worked with GRangesList, and operate on each list element separately.

**TxDb**: TxDb objects represent the hierarchy of genes which contain transcripts which contain exons and CDS (CoDing Sequence) ranges. TxDb objects are provided by the GenomicFeatures package.

**Seqinfo**: GRanges (and various other types) may have associated sequence information accessed with seqinfo(). This contains the names and lengths of the sequences the ranges may refer to, and whether they are circular. It allows for some error checking if present.

# Finding a known motif

AGGAGGU is the Shine-Dalgarno sequence, which assists binding of the ribosome to a transcript.

### In [65]:

## vmatchPattern("AGGAGGT", seqs)

MIndex object of length 1 \$Chromosome IRanges object with 63 ranges and 0 metadata column s:

start	end	width
<integer></integer>	<integer></integer>	<integer></integer>
56593	56599	7
67347	67353	7
226876	226882	7
229408	229414	7
241665	241671	7
• • •	• • •	• • •
4312631	4312637	7
4371930	4371936	7
4410503	4410509	7
4420666	4420672	7
4484025	4484031	7
	<pre><integer>     56593     67347     226876     229408     241665      4312631     4371930     4410503     4420666</integer></pre>	<pre><integer> <integer>     56593     56599     67347     67353     226876     226882     229408     229414     241665     241671      4312631    4312637     4371930     4371936     4410503     4410509     4420666     4420672</integer></integer></pre>

vmatchPattern is strand specific. If we want matches on the reverse strand we
need to also:

### In [66]:

vmatchPattern(reverseComplement(DNAString("AGGAGGT")), seqs)

MIndex object of length 1 \$Chromosome IRanges object with 76 ranges and 0 metadata column s:

	start	end	width
	<integer></integer>	<integer></integer>	<integer></integer>
[1]	59133	59139	7
[2]	125294	125300	7
[3]	136473	136479	7
[4]	226640	226646	7
[5]	266770	266776	7
• • •	• • •	• • •	• • •
[72]	4139844	4139850	7
[73]	4181244	4181250	7
[74]	4241083	4241089	7
[75]	4397026	4397032	7
[76]	4473495	4473501	7

Demanding an exact match here is overly strict. vmatchPattern has arguments allowing inexact matches. Alternatively, there is a similar function for searching for a Position Weight Matrix pattern, matchPWM.

The following will search both strands, allowing one mismatch, and produce the result in convenient GRanges form:

#### In [67]:

```
query <- DNAString("AGGAGGT")
max.mismatch <- 1

fwd <- vmatchPattern(query, seqs, max.mismatch=max.mismatch)
fwd <- as(fwd, "GRanges")
strand(fwd) <- "+"
rev <- vmatchPattern(reverseComplement(query), seqs, max.mismatch=max.mismatch)
rev <- as(rev, "GRanges")
strand(rev) <- "-"

complete <- c(fwd, rev)
complete

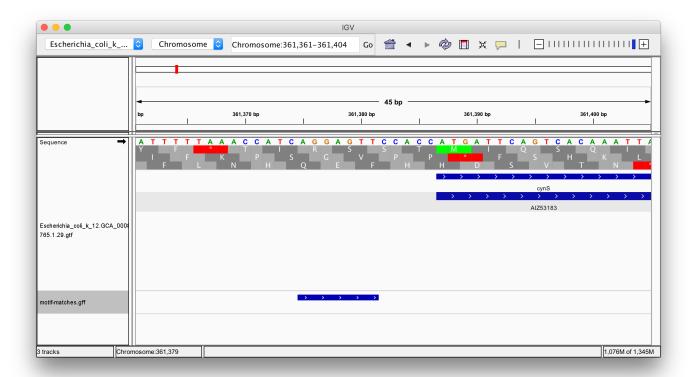
# Write to GFF file
export(complete, "motif-matches.gff")</pre>
```

GRanges object with 7534 ranges and 0 metadata columns:

	seqnames	ranges	strand
	<rle></rle>	Ranges	<rle></rle>
[1]	Chromosome	323-329	+
[2]	${\tt Chromosome}$	3540-3546	+
[3]	Chromosome	3765-3771	+
[4]	Chromosome	5374-5380	+
[5]	${\tt Chromosome}$	7641-7647	+
• • •	• • •	• • •	
[7530]	Chromosome	4550281-4550287	-
[7531]	Chromosome	4551603-4551609	_
[7532]	Chromosome	4551732-4551738	_
[7533]	Chromosome	4552223-4552229	_
[7534]	${\tt Chromosome}$	4552751-4552757	_

seqinfo: 1 sequence from an unspecified genome; n
o seqlengths

We might then view this in the IGV genome browser:



[http://software.broadinstitute.org/software/igv/home (http://software.broadinstitute.org/software/igv/home)]

# De novo motif finding

Let's try to "discover" the Shine-Dalgarno sequence for ourselves.

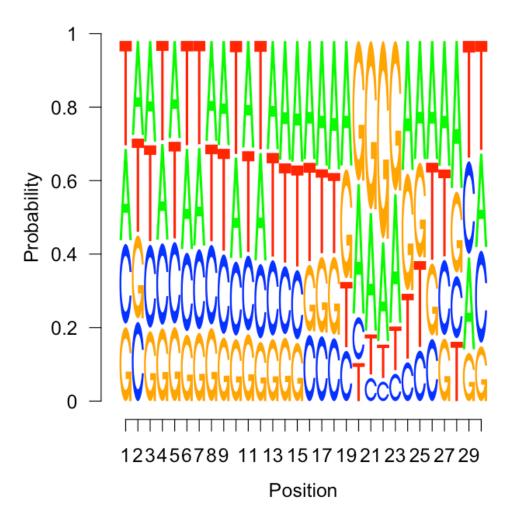
### In [68]:

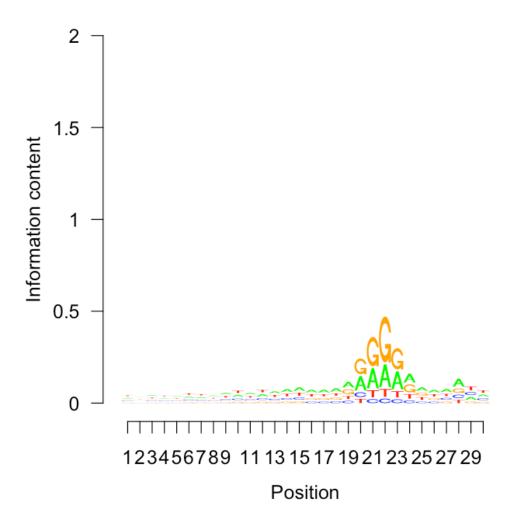
```
# Note: bacteria do not have introns
# In a eukaryote, you would need to merge CDS by transcript
size <- 30
initiation_regions <- flank(cds, size, start=TRUE)
initiation_seqs <- getSeq(seqs, initiation_regions)
names(initiation_seqs) <- initiation_regions$gene_id</pre>
```

### In [69]:

```
# Look for any composition bias
library(seqLogo)
letter_counts <- consensusMatrix(initiation_seqs)
probs <- prop.table(letter_counts[1:4,], 2)
seqLogo(probs, ic.scale=FALSE)
seqLogo(probs)</pre>
```

Loading required package: grid





# **Next steps**

We've seen just the smallest part of what <u>Bioconductor (http://bioconductor.org/)</u> has to offer in this space.

- Most downloaded Bioconctor packages
   (http://bioconductor.org/packages/stats/)
- <u>Bioconductor cheat sheet (https://github.com/mikelove/biocrefcard/blob/master/README.Rmd)</u>
- COMBINE Bioconductor course from May 2017 (https://combine-australia.github.io/2017-05-19-bioconductor-melbourne/)
- Bioconductor's Stack Overflow-style support site (https://support.bioconductor.org/)

Besides software, Bioconductor includes packages with data for model organisms, for example. The data is generally from these central repositories:

- NCBI's Entrez Gene gene database and Refseq reference sequences
- The EBI's Ensembl genome browser
- The UCSC genome browser

These organizations will generally obtain genome assemblies from the same ultimate sources. For example, all of the above use the Genome Reference Consortium's GRCh38 DNA sequence for homo sapiens. UCSC likes to call this "hg38" but it is the same DNA sequence. These DNA sequences serve as a common frame of reference. However the three organizations above will differ on their exact set of gene and transcript annotations, and all use a different gene and transcript ID system. These annotations are also revised more often than the underlying DNA sequences.

This mess is partly due to American/European rivalry, and partly due to differing goals. The UCSC genome browser has always been about practicality and showing many lines of evidence. The others are more concerned with careful curation and standardization.

Some example packages:

# BSgenome. Hsapiens. UCSC.hg38

Biostrings genome, Homo sapiens, from the UCSC browser, version hg38.

DNA for chromosomes, usable in the same way as the DNAStringSet used above.

# TxDb.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg38.knownGene

Transcript database, Homo sapiens, from UCSC browser, genome verison hg38, "knownGene" gene annotations.

GRanges information for genes and transcripts, much as we loaded from a GTF file above.

# org.Hs.eg.db

Organism Homo sapiens, primary key is Entrez Gene, database.

Translation of gene ids from various databases, assignment to GO terms, KEGG pathways, etc. Entrez Gene ids are used as the primary key.

# biomaRt

Access to BioMart data, on the internet -- translation of gene ids, gene sets, gene information, etc.

### **AnnotationHub**

AnnotationHub is a way to retrieve data from a more comprehensive set of organisms and data providers than the above styles of package. The retrieved data is returned in an appropriate Bioconductor type. If data is being updated over time (eg improved annotation of a genome), each version receives a unique ID in AnnotationHub, making it much easier to write reproducable analyses.

AnnotationHub also provides access to experimental data which maps to locations on a genome, similar to the sorts of tracks you would load in the UCSC browser.

Files are cached, so they will only be downloaded once.

```
In [70]:
```

```
library(AnnotationHub)
ah <- AnnotationHub()</pre>
```

Attaching package: 'AnnotationHub'

The following object is masked from 'package:Biobas e':

cache

updating metadata: retrieving 1 resource snapshotDate(): 2018-04-30

```
In [71]:
```

```
# ah contains a large collection of records that can be retrie
ved
ah
length(ah)
colnames( mcols(ah) )
table( ah$rdataclass )
```

```
AnnotationHub with 44923 records
# snapshotDate(): 2018-04-30
# $dataprovider: BroadInstitute, Ensembl, UCSC, ft
p://ftp.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/g...
# $species: Homo sapiens, Mus musculus, Drosophila
melanogaster, Bos taurus,...
# $rdataclass: GRanges, BigWigFile, FaFile, TwoBitF
ile, Rle, OrgDb, ChainFil...
# additional mcols(): taxonomyid, genome, descripti
on,
    coordinate 1 based, maintainer, rdatadateadded,
#
preparerclass, tags,
    rdatapath, sourceurl, sourcetype
# retrieve records with, e.g., 'object[["AH2"]]'
            title
          Ailuropoda melanoleuca.ailMel1.69.dna.t
 AH2
oplevel.fa
          Ailuropoda melanoleuca.ailMel1.69.dna r
 AH3
m.toplevel.fa
  AH4
          Ailuropoda melanoleuca.ailMel1.69.dna s
m.toplevel.fa
 AH5
            Ailuropoda melanoleuca.ailMel1.69.ncrn
a.fa
          | Ailuropoda melanoleuca.ailMel1.69.pep.a
 AH6
ll.fa
  . . .
            . . .
  AH63653 | phastCons46wayPrimates.UCSC.hg19.chrUn
gl000248.rds
 AH63654 | phastCons46wayPrimates.UCSC.hg19.chrUn
q1000249.rds
 AH63655 | phastCons46wayPrimates.UCSC.hg19.chrX.r
ds
 AH63656 | phastCons46wayPrimates.UCSC.hg19.chrY.r
ds
  AH63657 | Alternative Splicing Annotation for Hom
o sapiens (Human)
```

'title' 'dataprovider' 'species' 'taxonomyid'
'genome' 'description' 'coordinate\_1\_based'
'maintainer' 'rdatadateadded' 'preparerclass' 'tags'
'rdataclass' 'rdatapath' 'sourceurl' 'sourcetype'

AAStringSet ChainFile	BigWigFile	biopax
1 1113	10247	9
data.frame GRanges	EnsDb	FaFile
40 19550	460	5122
igraph MSnSet	Inparanoid8Db	list
1 1	268	18
mzRident Rle	mzRpwiz	OrgDb
1 1852	1	1691
SQLiteConnection VcfFile	TwoBitFile	TxDb
1 8	4480	59

```
In [72]:
```

2bit

```
# query() searches for terms in an unstructured way
records <- query(ah, c("Ensembl", "85", "Saccharomyces cerevis
iae"))
records</pre>
```

```
AnnotationHub with 7 records
# snapshotDate(): 2018-04-30
# $dataprovider: Ensembl
# $species: Saccharomyces cerevisiae
# $rdataclass: TwoBitFile, GRanges
# additional mcols(): taxonomyid, genome, descripti
on,
    coordinate 1 based, maintainer, rdatadateadded,
#
preparerclass, tags,
    rdatapath, sourceurl, sourcetype
# retrieve records with, e.g., 'object[["AH5108
7"]]'
            title
 AH51087 | Saccharomyces cerevisiae.R64-1-1.85.abi
nitio.gtf
  AH51088 | Saccharomyces cerevisiae.R64-1-1.85.gtf
 AH51396 | Saccharomyces cerevisiae.R64-1-1.cdna.a
11.2bit
 AH51397 | Saccharomyces cerevisiae.R64-1-1.dna r
m.toplevel.2bit
 AH51398 | Saccharomyces cerevisiae.R64-1-1.dna s
m.toplevel.2bit
 AH51399 | Saccharomyces cerevisiae.R64-1-1.dna.to
plevel.2bit
  AH51400 | Saccharomyces cerevisiae.R64-1-1.ncrna.
```

```
In [73]:
```

```
mcols(records)
mcols(records)[,c("title","rdataclass")]
```

## title dataprovider

AH51399

tlt	tie dataprovid	er	
			<
characte			
AH51087		- <b>-</b>	lsiae.R64-1-1.85.ab
initio.g	gtf Enseml		
AH51088	_	<del>-</del>	ces_cerevisiae.R64-
1-1.85.g			
AH51396		- <b>-</b>	evisiae.R64-1-1.cdn
a.all.2b			
			R64-1-1.dna_rm.top
level.2b			
	-		R64-1-1.dna_sm.top
level.2b	oit Enseml	bl	
AH51399	<del>-</del>		lae.R64-1-1.dna.top
level.2b	oit Enseml	bl	
AH51400	Sac	charomyces_c	cerevisiae.R64-1-1.
ncrna.2b	oit Enseml	bl	
		species	taxonomyid
	•	<character></character>	<integer></integer>
AH51087	Saccharomyces	cerevisiae	4932
AH51088	Saccharomyces	cerevisiae	4932
AH51396	Saccharomyces	cerevisiae	4932
AH51397	Saccharomyces	cerevisiae	4932
AH51398	Saccharomyces	cerevisiae	4932
AH51399	Saccharomyces	cerevisiae	4932
AH51400	Saccharomyces	cerevisiae	4932
genc	ome		
			<
characte	er>		
AH51087	Saccharo	myces_cerevi	siae.R64-1-1.85.ab
initio.g	jtf	_	
AH51088		Saccharomy	ces cerevisiae.R64-
1-1.85.9	jtf	_	_
AH51396	Saccha	romyces cere	evisiae.R64-1-1.cdn
a.all.2b	oit		
AH51397	Saccharomyces	cerevisiae.	R64-1-1.dna_rm.top
level.2b		_	
AH51398	Saccharomyces	cerevisiae.	R64-1-1.dna_sm.top
level.2b	-	_	

Saccharomyces\_cerevisiae.R64-1-1.dna.top

```
level.2bit
AH51400
                  Saccharomyces cerevisiae.R64-1-1.
ncrna.2bit
                                               desc
ription coordinate 1 based
                                               <cha
racter>
                 <integer>
AH51087
              Gene Annotation for Saccharomyces cer
evisiae
AH51088
              Gene Annotation for Saccharomyces cer
evisiae
AH51396
         TwoBit cDNA sequence for Saccharomyces cer
evisiae
          TwoBit DNA sequence for Saccharomyces cer
AH51397
evisiae
AH51398
          TwoBit DNA sequence for Saccharomyces cer
evisiae
                         1
AH51399
          TwoBit DNA sequence for Saccharomyces cer
evisiae
AH51400 TwoBit ncRNA sequence for Saccharomyces cer
evisiae
                         1
maintainer rdatadateadded
                                                  <
character> <character>
AH51087 Bioconductor Maintainer <maintainer@biocond
uctor.org>
              2016-07-20
AH51088 Bioconductor Maintainer <maintainer@biocond
               2016-07-20
uctor.org>
AH51396 Bioconductor Maintainer <maintainer@biocond
            2016-08-15
uctor.org>
AH51397 Bioconductor Maintainer <maintainer@biocond
uctor.org> 2016-08-15
AH51398 Bioconductor Maintainer <maintainer@biocond
uctor.org>
              2016-08-15
AH51399 Bioconductor Maintainer <maintainer@biocond
uctor.org>
              2016-08-15
AH51400 Bioconductor Maintainer <maintainer@biocond
uctor.org>
               2016-08-15
                   preparerclass
                     <character>
AH51087 EnsemblGtfImportPreparer
AH51088 EnsemblGtfImportPreparer
AH51396
           EnsemblTwoBitPreparer
```

```
AH51397 EnsemblTwoBitPreparer
AH51398 EnsemblTwoBitPreparer
AH51399 EnsemblTwoBitPreparer
AH51400 EnsemblTwoBitPreparer
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#### tags rdataclass

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In [ ]:
# Having located records of interest,
# your R script can refer to the specific AH... record,
# so it always uses the same version of the data.
ah[["AH51399"]]
sc genome <- import( ah[["AH51399"]] )</pre>
sc granges <- ah[["AH51088"]]</pre>
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In [ ]:
# More recent versions of Bioconductor also allow you to
# retrieve TxDb (and similar EnsDb) objects.
query(ah, c("OrgDb", "Saccharomyces cerevisiae"))
sc orgdb <- ah[["AH49589"]]
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Tutorial based on input from:

https://al2na.github.io/compgenr/ (https://al2na.github.io/compgenr/)

https://monashbioinformaticsplatform.github.io/r-more/topics/sequences and features.html (https://monashbioinformaticsplatform.github.io/r-more/topics/sequences and features.html)