Results for ChIPSeq Pipeline (v0.7.x)

Output folders:

metrics:

PICARD metrics from mapping phase

alignments:

RAW unprocessed BAM files. Note before using the BAM's we post process them according to the ENCODE recipies which does the following:

- remove unmapped, mate unmapped, non-proper paired reads
- remove reads with MAPQ < 10
- remove duplicates
- · remove Failed QC reads

chipSeq/macs: output of running macs2 callpeaks on the post processed bams. For IP's with focal transcription factors we use the following macs arguments:

-q 0.01

for those with non-focal/broad binding we use:

--broad --broad-cutoff 0.1

See the MACS2 website [https://github.com/taoliu/MACS] for more information on the output.

There is also an aggregate peak file there which combines the peaks from all samples

- macs/macsPeaksMerged.saf

and a file that counts the coverage for each sample within these combined peaks

macs/peaks_raw_fcCounts.txt

chipSeq/qc: QC report/plots for ChIP related QC.

- qcChIPSeq_PROJECT-NUM_.xlsx is a report for the total number of peaks found and the number of significant peaks. Low number of peaks could indicate an issue with the ChIP.
- qcChIPSeq_PROJECT-NUM_.pdf plots of the number/percentage of mapped reads that fall in MACS peaks and a PCA plot of the aggregate peak counts for the samples.

chipSeq/bw:

Normalized (to 10million reads) bigwig files for loading IP profiles into IGV [http://software.broadinstitute.org/software/igv/].

chipSeq/annote:

Annotation of MACS2 peak file using HOMER annotatePeaks.pl . See the HOMER website [http://homer.ucsd.edu/homer/ngs/annotation.html] for more details on the output.