

Introduction to GEMINI

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Please refer to the following Github Gist to find each command for this session.
Commands should be copy/pasted from this Gist

<https://gist.github.com/arg5x/9e1928638397ba45da2e#file-gemini-intro-sh>

Genome analysis options

Free:

Write code yourself

VariantTools (complex traits focus)

Exomiser

PLINK/seq

xBrowse

GEMINI

Commercial:

Ingenuity Variant Analysis

GoldenHelix

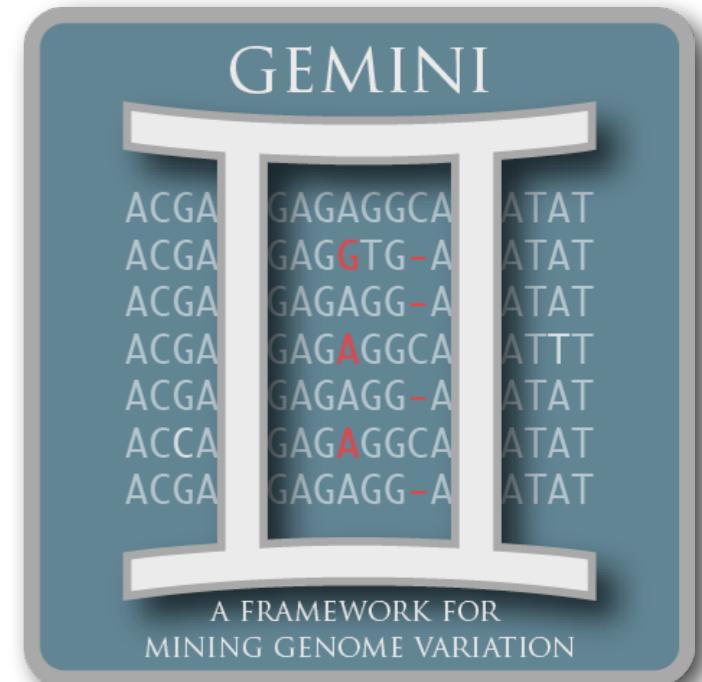
What is GEMINI?

Software package for exploring genetic variation

- Integrates annotations from many different sources (ClinVar, dbSNP, ENCODE, UCSC, 1000 Genomes, ESP, KEGG, etc.)

What can you do with Gemini?

- Load a VCF into an “easy to use” database
- Query (fetch data) from database based on annotations or subject genotypes
- Analyze simple genetic models
- More advanced pathway, protein-protein interaction analyses



github.com/arq5x/gemini



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GEMINI: Integrative Exploration of Genetic Variation and Genome Annotations

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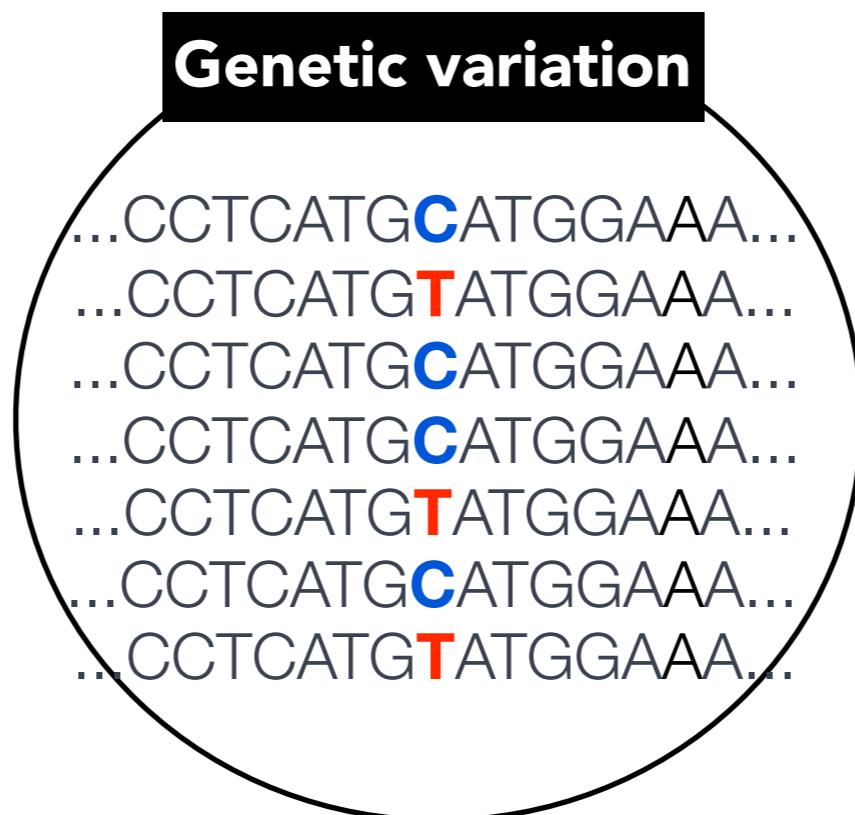


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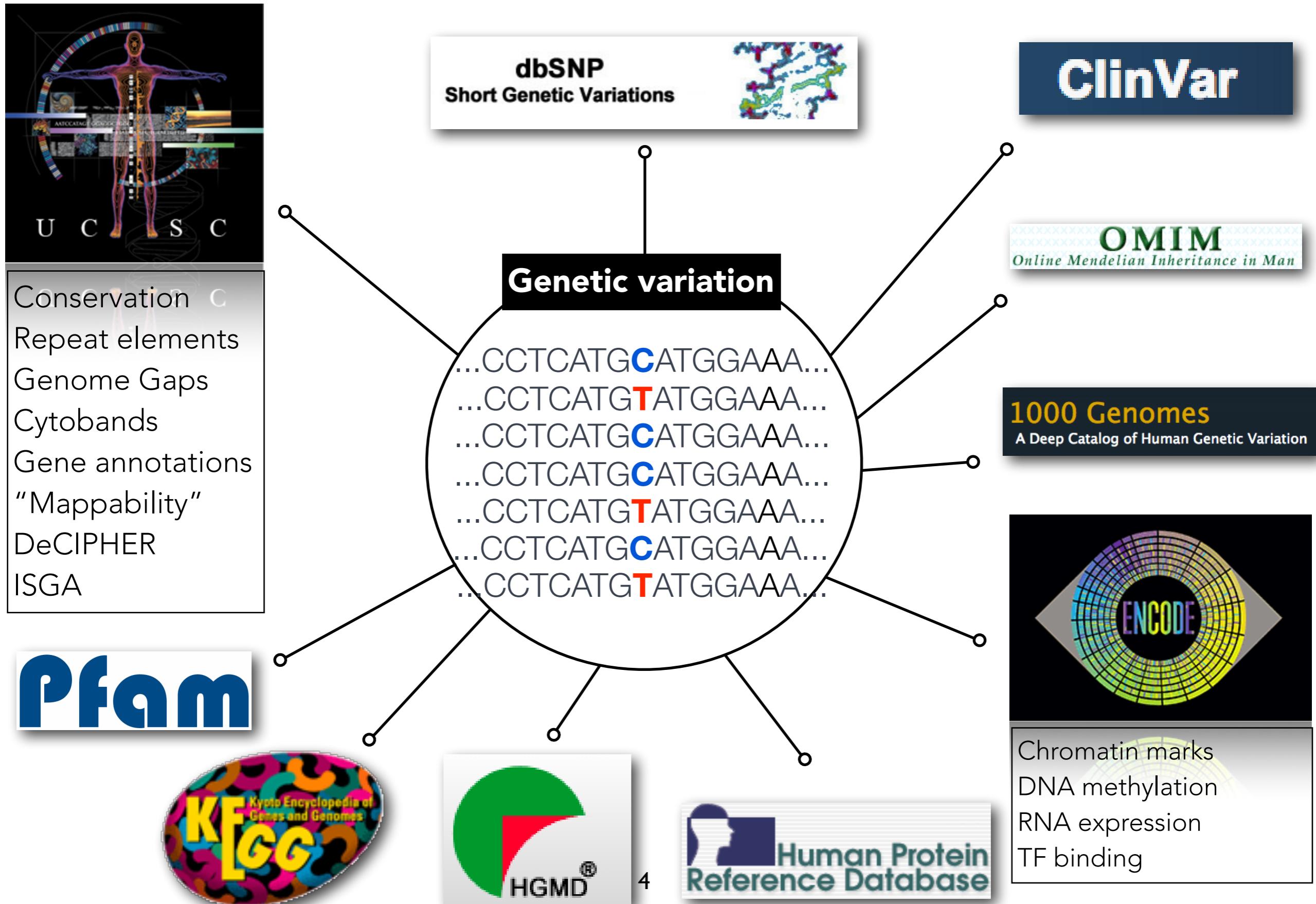


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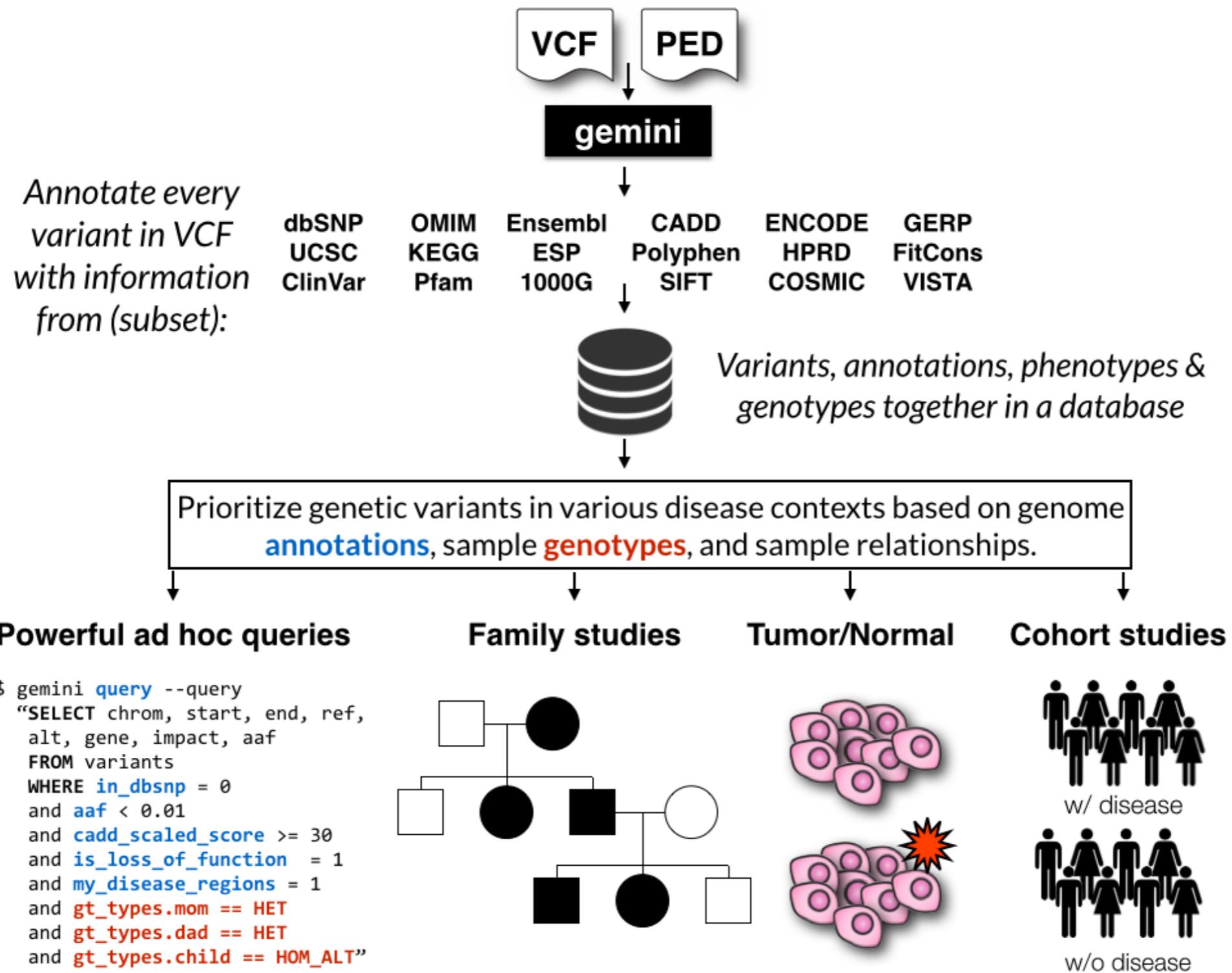
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GEMINI Framework



The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the GEMINI documentation at <http://gemini.readthedocs.org/en/latest/#>. The page title is "gemini v0.10.0a". The main content area features a large image of the GEMINI logo, which is a stylized DNA helix composed of letters, with the text "GEMINI A FRAMEWORK FOR MINING GENOME VARIATION". Below the logo, a section titled "GEMINI is a flexible framework for exploring genome variation" is present. To the left of the main content, there is a sidebar with links to "GEMINI links" (Issue Tracker, Source @ GitHub, Mailing list @ Google Groups, Quinlan lab @ UVa) and "Sources" (Browse source @ GitHub). A yellow callout box titled "This Page" provides instructions for editing the document on GitHub. The main content area includes sections for "Overview", "GEMINI: a flexible framework for exploring genome variation", and "Citation". A note box contains three points about GEMINI's requirements. A "Table of contents" is located at the bottom of the page.

GEMINI: a flexible framework for exploring genome variation

Overview

GEMINI (GEnome MINIng) is designed to be a flexible framework for exploring genetic variation in the context of the wealth of genome annotations available for the human genome. By placing genetic variants, sample genotypes, and useful genome annotations into an integrated database framework, GEMINI provides a simple, flexible, yet very powerful system for exploring genetic variation for disease and population genetics.

Using the GEMINI framework begins by loading a VCF file into a database. Each variant is automatically annotated by comparing it to several genome annotations from sources such as ENCODE tracks, UCSC tracks, OMIM, dbSNP, KEGG, and HPRD. All of this information is stored in portable SQLite databases that allow one to explore and interpret both coding and non-coding variation using “off-the-shelf” tools or an enhanced SQL engine.

Please also see the original [manuscript](#).

This [video](#) provides more details about GEMINI’s aims and utility.

Note

1. GEMINI solely supports human genetic variation mapped to build 37 (aka hg19) of the human genome.
2. GEMINI is very strict about adherence to VCF format 4.1.
3. For best performance, load and query GEMINI databases on the fastest hard drive to which you have access.

Citation

If you use GEMINI in your research, please cite the following manuscript:

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GEMINI: Integrative Exploration of Genetic Variation and Genome Annotations
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Data setup: download tutorial files.

```
$ curl https://s3.amazonaws.com/gemini-tutorials/  
learnSQL.db > learnSQL.db  
  
$ curl https://s3.amazonaws.com/gemini-tutorials/  
learnSQL2.db > learnSQL2.db  
  
$ curl https://s3.amazonaws.com/gemini-tutorials/  
chr22.VEP.vcf > chr22.VEP.vcf  
  
$ curl https://s3.amazonaws.com/gemini-tutorials/  
trio.ped > trio.ped
```

Note: copy and paste the full commands from the Github Gist to avoid errors injected by PDF conversion

GEMINI uses a database. Uses SQL to “talk” to it.

- SQL databases to organize genotypes and annotations
- SQL = Structured Query Language
- Data stored in tables

samples							
sample_id	name	family_id	paternal_id	maternal_id	sex	phenotype	ethnicity
1	John	1	Bob	Sue	1	2	CEU
2	Bob	1	0	0	1	1	CEU
3	Mary	1	0	0	2	1	CEU
4	Sue	2	0	0	2	2	YRI

- Query (ask the database) to report data matching your requirements
- Can combine queries, act on results from previous query

GEMINI **query** allows one to use SQL to query

samples								
sample_id	name	family_id	paternal_id	maternal_id	sex	phenotype	ethnicity	
1	John	1	Bob	Sue	1	2	CEU	
2	Bob	1	0	0	1	1	CEU	
3	Mary	1	0	0	2	1	CEU	
4	Sue	2	0	0	2	2	YRI	



```
gemini query -q "SELECT name FROM samples" learnSQL.db
```



John
Bob
Mary
Sue

Filtering rows with the WHERE (==) clause

samples								
sample_id	name	family_id	paternal_id	maternal_id	sex	phenotype	ethnicity	
1	John	1	Bob	Sue	1	2	CEU	→
2	Bob	1	0	0	1	1	CEU	
3	Mary	1	0	0	2	1	CEU	
4	Sue	2	0	0	2	2	YRI	→

|

```
gemini query -q "SELECT name FROM samples WHERE phenotype == 2"  
learnSQL.db
```



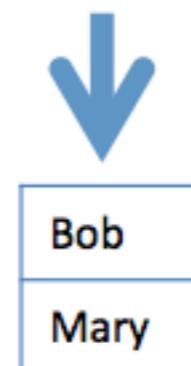
- `phenotype == 2` gets rows where the phenotype value is equal to 2

Filtering rows with the WHERE (<>) clause

samples								
sample_id	name	family_id	paternal_id	maternal_id	sex	phenotype	ethnicity	
1	John	1	Bob	Sue	1	2	CEU	
2	Bob	1	0	0	1	1	CEU	
3	Mary	1	0	0	2	1	CEU	
4	Sue	2	0	0	2	2	YRI	

↓

```
gemini query -q "SELECT name FROM samples WHERE phenotype <> 2"  
learnSQL.db
```



- `phenotype <> 2` gets rows where the phenotype value is NOT equal to 2

Filtering rows with the WHERE (<) clause

samples								
sample_id	name	family_id	paternal_id	maternal_id	sex	phenotype	ethnicity	
1	John	1	Bob	Sue	1	2	CEU	→
2	Bob	1	0	0	1	1	CEU	→
3	Mary	1	0	0	2	1	CEU	
4	Sue	2	0	0	2	2	YRI	

gemini query -q "SELECT name FROM samples WHERE sample_id < 3"
learnSQL.db



- Many numeric comparisons possible: \leq , \geq , $>$, $<$

Filtering rows with the WHERE (NULL) clause

samples								
sample_id	name	family_id	paternal_id	maternal_id	sex	phenotype	ethnicity	
1	John	1	Bob	Sue	1	2	CEU	
2	Bob	1	0	0	1	1	CEU	
3	Mary	1	0	0	2	1	CEU	
4	Sue	2	0	0	2	2	YRI	
5	Greg	3	0	0	1	2		

```
gemini query -q "SELECT name FROM samples WHERE ethnicity IS  
NULL" learnSQL2.db
```

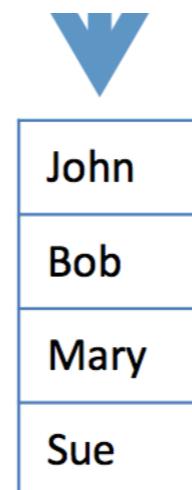


- When value is missing (empty), it is "NULL"

Filtering rows with the WHERE (NOT NULL) clause

samples								
sample_id	name	family_id	paternal_id	maternal_id	sex	phenotype	ethnicity	
1	John	1	Bob	Sue	1	2	CEU	
2	Bob	1	0	0	1	1	CEU	
3	Mary	1	0	0	2	1	CEU	
4	Sue	2	0	0	2	2	YRI	
5	Greg	3	0	0	1	2		

```
gemini query -q "SELECT name FROM samples WHERE ethnicity IS NOT NULL" learnSQL2.db
```



The * wildcard

fakevariants				
chrom	start	end	rsid	in_dbsnp
chr1	1	2	rs123	1
chr1	3	4		0
chr2	1	2	rs456	1
chr2	3	4		0



```
gemini query -q "SELECT * FROM fakevariants" learnSQL2.db
```



chr1	1	2	rs123	1
chr1	3	4		0
chr2	1	2	rs456	1
chr2	3	4		0

Booleans

- Boolean values are TRUE or FALSE
 - TRUE is equivalent to a value of 1
 - FALSE is equivalent to value of 0

fakevariants				
chrom	start	end	rsid	in_dbsnp
chr1	1	2	rs123	1
chr1	3	4		0
chr2	1	2	rs456	1
chr2	3	4		0

Booleans (True)



fakevariants				
chrom	start	end	rsid	in_dbsnp
chr1	1	2	rs123	1
chr1	3	4		0
chr2	1	2	rs456	1
chr2	3	4		0

```
gemini query -q "SELECT chrom,start,end FROM fakevariants  
WHERE in_dbsnp == 1" learnSQL2.db
```

OR

```
gemini query -q "SELECT chrom,start,end FROM fakevariants  
WHERE in_dbsnp" learnSQL2.db
```



chr1	1	2
chr2	1	2

The COUNT() operation

fakevariants				
chrom	start	end	rsid	in_dbsnp
chr1	1	2	rs123	1
chr1	3	4		0
chr2	1	2	rs456	1
chr2	3	4		0

```
gemini query -q "SELECT COUNT(*) FROM fakevariants  
WHERE chrom == 'chr1' " learnSQL2.db
```



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Multiple WHERE clauses

fakevariants				
chrom	start	end	rsid	in_dbsnp
chr1	1	2	rs123	1
chr1	3	4		0
chr2	1	2	rs456	1
chr2	3	4		0

```
gemini query -q "SELECT COUNT(*) FROM fakevariants  
WHERE chrom == 'chr1'  
AND in_dbsnp == 0" learnSQL2.db
```



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Using GEMINI

Annotating genetic variants in the VCF file.

- For gene-based annotations, Gemini supports SnpEff and Variant Effect Predictor (VEP)
- Can add custom annotations as well (e.g. SeattleSeq)
- We will use VEP in this session

VEP webpage: http://uswest.ensembl.org/info/docs/variation/vep/vep_script.html

SeattleSeq: <http://snp.gs.washington.edu>

SNPEff: <http://snpeff.sourceforge.net/>

Annotation with VEP (done for you; see GEMINI docs)

```
#perl ~/software/variant_effect_predictor/variant_effect_predictor/
variant_effect_predictor.pl -i chr22.vcf -o chr22.VEP.vcf --vcf \
--cache --dir ~/software/variant_effect_predictor/references \
--sift b --polyphen b --symbol --numbers --biotype --total_length \
--fields
Consequence,Codons,Amino_acids,Gene,SYMBOL,Feature,EXON,PolyPhen,SIFT,Protein_position,BIOTYPE
```

-i chr22.vcf -o chr22.VEP.vcf	Provide names of input and output vcfs
--vcf	Create output in vcf format
--cache --dir data/variant_effect_predictor/references	Use a copy of the VEP database stored locally (faster)
--compress "gunzip -c"	Tells VEP how to uncompress vcf file
--terms so	Style for reporting functional consequence of variants
--sift b --polyphen b	Include <u>both</u> score and prediction by SIFT and Polyphen
--hgnc	Include HGNC gene name if available
--numbers	Include number of affected exon/intron
--fields	Fields to include in output
Consequence,Codons,Amino_acids,Gene,HGNC,Feature, EXON,PolyPhen,SIFT	



Annotation with VEP

Before...

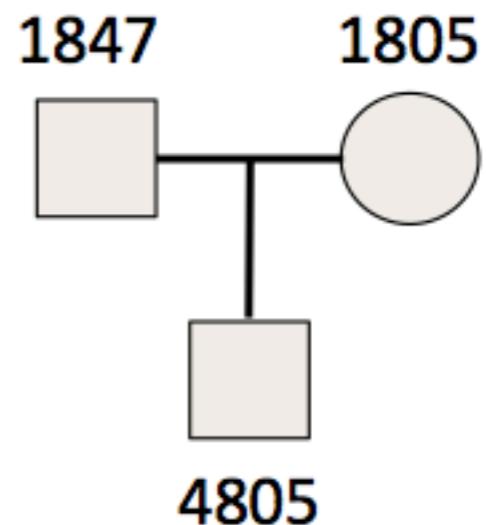
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22	16255645	.	T	C	235.22	ABFilter;QDFilter	.	GT:AD:DP:GQ:PL	0/1:30,6:36:20.52:155,0,21	0/1:27,7:34:99:119,0,182	0/0:246,1:250:99:0,183,2040

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Creating PED files.

- VCF contains genotypes and annotations
- PED file provides family/pedigree, sex, phenotype information
- missing values = 0 or -9



Family ID	Subject ID	Father ID	Mother ID	Sex 1 = male 2 = female	Phenotype 1 = unaffected 2 = affected	Ancestry
1	4805	1847	1805	2	0	CEU
1	1847	0	0	1	0	CEU
1	1805	0	0	2	0	CEU

Loading a VCF file into a GEMINI database

```
gemini load -v chr22.VEP.vcf \
             -p trio.ped \
             -t VEP \
             --cores 4 \
             --skip-gene-tables \
             chr22.db
```

- Use Gemini to load annotated VCF and associated PED file into chr22.db
- Also load per-position GERP scores
- Use 4 cores
 - optional
 - faster, but most laptops have only 2 cores

What is in the database?

```
gemini db_info chr22.db
```

- `table_name` column shows whether information stored applies to:
 - `variants`
 - `variant_impacts`
 - `samples`
- `types` column shows the type of information
 - `text` - just plain text (e.g. "indel" or "SNP")
 - `integer` - a whole number (e.g. "start" position)
 - `float` - a number with decimal places (e.g. "call_rate")
 - `blob` - special data type interpreted by Gemini (genotype data)
 - `bool` - can be true or false (e.g. "in_dbsnp")

Full database details

http://gemini.readthedocs.org/en/latest/content/database_schema.html

Queries of the samples in the database

Which samples/subjects are in your database?

```
gemini query -q "SELECT name FROM samples" --header chr22.db
```

Does the rest of the info match your PED file?

```
gemini query -q "SELECT * FROM samples" --header chr22.db
```

Querying variants. *Basics.*

How many novel (i.e., not in dbSNP) are observed in these samples?

```
gemini query -q "SELECT COUNT(*) \
    FROM variants \
    WHERE in_dbsnp == 0" --header chr22.db
```

How many variants passed GATK filters?

```
gemini query -q "SELECT COUNT(*) \
    FROM variants \
    WHERE filter is NULL" --header chr22.db
```

Querying variants. *Basics.*

Let's examine variants with GATK filter PASS in the MLC1 gene

```
gemini query -q "SELECT * FROM variants WHERE  
filter is NULL and gene = 'MLC1' " --header chr22.db
```

Let's instead focus the analysis to a specific set of columns

```
gemini query -q "SELECT rs_ids, aaf_esp_ea, impact,  
clinvar_disease_name, clinvar_sig  
FROM variants  
WHERE filter is NULL and gene = 'MLC1' " --header chr22.db
```

Querying variants. *Basics.*

How many variants are rare and in a disease-associated gene?

```
gemini query -q "SELECT COUNT(*) from variants WHERE  
clinvar_disease_name is not NULL and aaf_esp_ea <= 0.01" \  
chr22.db
```

List the genes

```
gemini query -q "SELECT gene from variants \  
WHERE clinvar_disease_name is not NULL and aaf_esp_ea <= 0.01" \  
chr22.db
```

Querying variants. *Sample genotypes.*

For each individual, Gemini gives access to genotype, depth, genotype quality and genotype likelihoods at each variant

gt_types.subjectID

HOM_REF

HET

HOM_ALT

gt_quals.subjectID

genotype quality

gt_depths.subjectID

total number of reads in this subject at position

gt_ref_depths.subjectID

number of **reference allele** reads in this subject at position

gt_alt_depths.subjectID

number of **alternate allele** reads in this subject at position

Querying variants. *Sample genotypes queries.*

At how many sites does subject 1805 have a non-reference allele?

```
gemini query -q "SELECT * from variants" \
  --gt-filter "gt_types.1805 <> HOM_REF" \
  --header \
  chr22.db \
| wc -l
```

At how many sites do subject 1805 **and** subject 4805 both have a non-reference allele?

```
gemini query -q "SELECT * from variants" \
  --gt-filter "(gt_types.1805 <> HOM_REF AND \
  gt_types.4805 <> HOM_REF)" \
  chr22.db \
| wc -l
```

List the genotypes for sample 1805 and 4805

```
gemini query -q "SELECT gts.1805, gts.4805 from variants" \
  --gt-filter "(gt_types.1805 <> HOM_REF and \
  gt_types.4805 <> HOM_REF)" \
  chr22.db
```

Querying variants. *Sample genotypes wildcards.*

At which variants are every sample heterozygous?

```
gemini query -q "SELECT chrom, start, end, ref, alt, \
                  gene, impact, (gts).(*) \
                  FROM variants" \
--gt-filter "(gt_types).(*).==(HET).all" \
--header \
chr22.db
```

At which variants are all of the female samples reference homozygotes?

```
gemini query -q "SELECT chrom, start, end, ref, alt, \
                  gene, impact, (gts).(*) \
                  FROM variants" \
--gt-filter "(gt_types).(sex==2).==(HOM_REF).all" \
--header \
chr22.db
```

Note

The syntax of the wildcard --gt-filters is (COLUMN).
(SAMPLE_WILDCARD).(SAMPLE_WILDCARD_RULE).
(RULE_ENFORCEMENT).

Querying variants. *The “any” wildcard*

At which variants is **any female** sample homozygous for the alternate allele?

```
gemini query -q "SELECT chrom, start, end, ref, alt, \
                  gene, impact, (gts).(*) \
                  FROM variants" \
--gt-filter "(gt_types).sex==2 . (!=HOM_REF) . (any)" \
--header \
chr22.db
```

Querying variants. *The “none” wildcard*

At which variants are ***none of the female*** samples homozygous for the reference allele?

```
gemini query -q "SELECT chrom, start, end, ref, alt, \
                  gene, impact, (gts).(*) \
                  FROM variants" \
--gt-filter "(gt_types). (sex==2) . (==HOM_REF) . (none)" \
--header \
chr22.db
```

Querying variants. *The “count” wildcard*

Identify suspicious variants. Cases where at least 2 of the samples have UNKNOWN genotypes

```
gemini query -q "SELECT chrom, start, end, ref, alt, \
                  gene, impact, (gts).(*) \
                  FROM variants" \
--gt-filter "(gt_types).(*) . (==UNKNOWN) . (count >= 2)" \
--header \
chr22.db
```

Wildcards work on all of the “genotype” columns in GEMINI

Genotype information

gts	BLOB	A compressed binary vector of sample genotypes (e.g., “A/A”, “A G”, “G/G”) - Extracted from the VCF <code>GT</code> genotype tag.
gt_types	BLOB	A compressed binary vector of numeric genotype “types” (e.g., 0, 1, 2) - Inferred from the VCF <code>GT</code> genotype tag.
gt_phases	BLOB	A compressed binary vector of sample genotype phases (e.g., False, True, False) - Extracted from the VCF <code>GT</code> genotype tag’s allele delimiter e.g., A/G means an unphased genotype. Value is FALSE . e.g., A G means a phased genotype. Value is TRUE .
gt_depths	BLOB	A compressed binary vector of the depth of aligned sequence observed for each sample - Extracted from the VCF <code>DP</code> genotype tag.
gt_ref_depths	BLOB	A compressed binary vector of the depth of reference alleles observed for each sample - Extracted from the VCF <code>AD</code> genotype tag.
gt_alt_depths	BLOB	A compressed binary vector of the depth of alternate alleles observed for each sample - Extracted from the VCF <code>AD</code> genotype tag.
gt_quals	BLOB	A compressed binary vector of the genotype quality (PHRED scale) estimates for each sample - Extracted from the VCF <code>GQ</code> genotype tag.

Wildcards can be applied to other genotype columns

Identify variants that are likely to have high quality genotypes
(i.e., aligned depth ≥ 50 for all samples)

```
gemini query -q "SELECT chrom, start, end, ref, alt, \
                  gene, impact, (gts).(*), (gt_depths).(*) \
                  FROM variants" \
--gt-filter "(gt_depths).(*) . (>=50) . (all)" \
--header \
chr22.db
```

Variant statistics

Get some basic statistics on variants in samples

```
gemini stats --gts-by-sample chr22.db | column -t
```

sample	num_hom_ref	num_het	num_hom_alt	num_unknown	total
1805	860	1031	496	58	2445
1847	676	1297	418	54	2445
4805	662	1242	478	63	2445

Calculate transition/transversion ratio

```
gemini stats --tstv chr22.db | column -t
```

ts	tv	ts/tv
1594	698	2.2837

Variant statistics --summarize

Add "**--summarize**" to summarize genotypes by sample for any custom query

```
gemini stats --summarize \
"SELECT * from variants WHERE in_dbsnp = 0" \
chr22.db | column -t
```

sample	total	num_het	num_hom_alt
1805	85	73	12
1847	94	75	19
4805	168	148	20

```
gemini stats --summarize \
"SELECT * from variants WHERE in_dbsnp = 1" \
chr22.db | column -t
```

sample	total	num_het	num_hom_alt
1805	1442	958	484
1847	1621	1222	399
4805	1552	1094	458

References

Resources mentioned in these slides:

VEP webpage:

http://uswest.ensembl.org/info/docs/variation/vep/vep_script.html

SeattleSeq:

<http://snp.gs.washington.edu>

SNPEff:

<http://snpeff.sourceforge.net/>

Gemini Documentation:

<https://gemini.readthedocs.org>

Annotations and information available for Gemini:

https://gemini.readthedocs.org/en/latest/content/database_schema.html

To learn more about SQL on your own:

http://software-carpentry.org/4_0/databases/