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QMSIM

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Resource Information

URL: <http://www.aps.uoguelph.ca/~msargol/qmsim/>

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Description: Software application designed to simulate a wide range of genetic architectures and population structures in livestock. Large scale genotyping data and complex pedigrees can be efficiently simulated. QMSim is a family based simulator, which can also take into account predefined evolutionary features, such as LD, mutation, bottlenecks and expansions. The simulation is basically carried out in two steps: In the first step, a historical population is simulated to establish mutation-drift equilibrium and, in the second step, recent population structures are generated, which can be complex. QMSim allows for a wide range of parameters to be incorporated in the simulation models in order to produce appropriate simulated data. (entry from Genetic Analysis Software)

Synonyms: Qtl and Marker SIMulator

Resource Type: software resource, software application

Keywords: gene, genetic, genomic, c++, ms-windows, linux, bio.tools

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Alternate URLs: <https://bio.tools/qmsim>

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for QMSIM.

No alerts have been found for QMSIM.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 57 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [kravitz2](#) .

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