

Resource Summary Report

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ErmineJ

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Resource Information

URL: <http://bioinformatics.ubc.ca/ermineJ/>

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Description: Data analysis software for gene sets in expression microarray data or other genome-wide data that results in rankings of genes. A typical goal is to determine whether particular biological pathways are doing something interesting in the data. The software is designed to be used by biologists with little or no informatics background. A command-line interface is available for users who wish to script the use of ermineJ. Major features include: * Implementation of multiple methods for gene set analysis: ** Over-representation analysis ** A resampling-based method that uses gene scores ** A rank-based method that uses gene scores ** A resampling-based method that uses correlation between gene expression profiles (a type of cluster-enrichment analysis). * Gene sets receive statistical scores (p-values), and multiple test correction is supported. * Support of the Gene Ontology terminology; users can choose which aspects to analyze. * User files use simple text formats. * Users can modify gene sets or create new ones. * The results can be visualized within the software. * It is simple to compare multiple analyses of the same data set with different settings. * User-definable hyperlinks are provided to external sites to allow more efficient browsing of the results. * For programmers, there is a command line interface as well as a simple application programming interface that can be used to plug ermineJ functionality into your own code Platform: Online tool, Windows compatible, Mac OS X compatible, Linux compatible, Unix compatible

Abbreviations: ermineJ

Synonyms: ermineJ: Gene Ontology analysis for high-throughput data

Resource Type: data analysis software, data processing software, software application, software resource

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Keywords: microarray, gene ontology, analysis, high-throughput, gene, gene expression, statistical analysis, term enrichment, genome

Availability: Free for academic use

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for ErmineJ.

No alerts have been found for ErmineJ.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 51 mentions in open access literature.

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

Lieu CV, et al. (2026) The plant hormone, 6-benzylaminopurine, ameliorates obesity in male and female mice while on a high-fat diet. *Molecular metabolism*, 108, 102366.

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