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Resource Information

URL: <http://www2.mrc-lmb.cam.ac.uk/relion>

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Description: Software for determination of cryo-EM structures. It employs an empirical Bayesian approach to refinement of (multiple) 3D reconstructions or 2D class averages in electron cryo-microscopy.

Synonyms: RELION, REGularised Likelihood Optimisation, RELION-3

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

Defining Citation: [PMID:23000701](#)

Keywords: cryo, cryogenic, cryo em, determination, analysis, bayesian, statistic, map, maximum a posteriori, electron, cryomicroscopy

Funding: UK Medical Research Council

Availability: Free, Available for download, Tutorial available

Resource Name: RELION

Resource ID: SCR_016274

Alternate IDs: OMICS_15597

Alternate URLs: <https://sources.debian.org/src/relion-bin+mpi+gui/>

License: GPLv2 License

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for RELION.

No alerts have been found for RELION.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 440 mentions in open access literature.

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

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