

Resource Summary Report

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Resource Information

URL: <https://github.com/broadinstitute/ichorCNA>

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Description: Software tool that quantifies tumor content in cfDNA from 0.1× coverage whole-genome sequencing data without prior knowledge of tumor mutations. Used to simultaneously segment genome, predict large scale copy number alterations, and estimate tumor fraction of ultra low pass whole genome sequencing sample.

Resource Type: simulation software, software application, software resource

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License: GNU GPL v3.0

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for ichorCNA.

No alerts have been found for ichorCNA.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 32 mentions in open access literature.

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

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