## Introduction

This document describes the command-line tools included with SMRT<sup>®</sup> Link v10.1. These tools are for use by bioinformaticians working with secondary analysis results.

• The command-line tools are located in the \$SMRT\_ROOT/smrtlink/smrtcmds/bin subdirectory.

#### Installation

The command-line tools are installed as an integral component of the SMRT Link software. For installation details, see **SMRT Link Software Installation (v10.1)**.

• To install **only** the command-line tools, use the <code>--smrttools-only</code> option with the installation command, whether for a new installation or an upgrade. Examples:

```
smrtlink-*.run --rootdir smrtlink --smrttools-only
smrtlink-*.run --rootdir smrtlink --smrttools-only --upgrade
```

# **Supported Chemistry**

SMRT Link v10.1 supports all chemistry versions for **Sequel**<sup>®</sup> **II Systems** and chemistry v2.1 and later for **Sequel Systems**.

#### **Pacific Biosciences Command-Line Tools**

Following is information on the Pacific Biosciences-supplied command-line tools included in the installation. Third-party tools installed are described at the end of the document.

Tool	Description	
bam2fasta/ bam2fastq	Converts PacBio <sup>®</sup> BAM files into gzipped FASTA and FASTQ files. See "bam2fasta/bam2fastq" on page 3.	
bamsieve	Generates a subset of a BAM or PacBio Data Set file based on either a whitelist of hole numbers, or a percentage of reads to be randomly selected. See "bamsieve" on page 3.	
ccs	Calculates consensus sequences from multiple "passes" around a circularized single DNA molecule (SMRTbell® template). See "ccs" on page 6.	
dataset	Creates, opens, manipulates and writes Data Set XML files. See "dataset" on page 15.	
Demultiplex Barcodes	Identifies barcode sequences in PacBio single-molecule sequencing data. See "Demultiplex Barcodes" on page 21.	

Tool	Description		
export-datasets	Takes one or more PacBio dataset XML files and packages all contents into a single ZIP archive. See "export-datasets" on page 32.		
export-job	Takes one SMRT Link Analysis job and packages all contents into a single ZIP archive. See"export-job" on page 33.		
gcpp	Variant-calling tool which provides several variant-calling algorithms for PacBio sequencing data. See "gcpp" on page 34.		
Genome Assembly	Generates <i>de novo</i> assemblies using HiFi Reads. See "Genome Assembly" on page 37.		
ipdSummary	Detects DNA base-modifications from kinetic signatures. See "ipdSummary" on page 44.		
isoseq3	Characterizes full-length transcripts and generates full-length transcript isoforms, eliminating the need for computational reconstruction. See "isoseq3" on page 48.		
juliet	A general-purpose minor variant caller that identifies and phases minor single nucleotide substitution variants in complex populations. See "juliet" on page 52.		
laa	Finds phased consensus sequences from a pooled set of amplicons sequenced with Pacific Biosciences' SMRT technology. See "laa" on page 60.		
motifMaker	Identifies motifs associated with DNA modifications in prokaryotic genomes. See "motifMaker" on page 66.		
pbcromwell	Pacific Biosciences' wrapper for the cromwell scientific workflow engine used to power SMRT Link. For details on how to use pbcromwell to run workflows, see "pbcromwell" on page 68.		
pbindex	Creates an index file that enables random access to PacBio-specific data in BAM files. See "pbindex" on page 72.		
pbmarkdup	Marks or removes duplicates reads from CCS Reads. See "pbmarkdup" on page 73.		
pbmm2	Aligns PacBio reads to reference sequences; a SMRT wrapper for minimap2. See "pbmm2" on page 75.		
pbservice	Performs a variety of useful tasks within SMRT Link. See "pbservice" on page 81.		
pbsv	Structural variant caller for PacBio reads. See "pbsv" on page 85.		
pbvalidate	Validates that files produced by PacBio software are compliant with Pacific Biosciences' own internal specifications. See "pbvalidate" on page 89.		
runqc-reports	Generates Run QC reports. See "runqc-reports" on page 91.		
SARS-CoV-2 Analysis	Analyzes multiplexed viral surveillance samples for SARS-CoV-2. See "SARS-CoV-2 Analysis" on page 92.		
summarizeModifica tions	Generates a GFF summary file from the output of base modification analysis combined with the coverage summary GFF generated by resequencing pipelines. See "summarize Modifications" on page 95.		

## bam2fasta/ bam2fastq

The bam2fasta and bam2fastq tools convert PacBio BAM or Data Set files into gzipped FASTA and FASTQ files, including demultiplexing of barcoded data.

#### **Usage**

Both tools have an identical interface and take BAM and/or Data Set files as input.

```
bam2fasta [options] <input>
bam2fastq [options] <input>
```

Options	Description	
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.	
version	Displays program version number and exits.	
-o,output	Specifies the prefix of the output file names. – implies streaming.	
	<b>Note</b> : Streaming is <b>not</b> supported with compression or with the <code>split_barcodes</code> option.	
-с	Specifies the Gzip compression level. Values are [1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9]. (Default = 1)	
-u	Specifies that the output FASTA/FASTQ files are <b>not</b> compressedgz is not added to the output file names, and -c settings are ignored.	
split-barcodes	Splits the output into multiple FASTA/FASTQ files, by barcode pairs.  Note: The bam2fasta/bam2fastq tools inspect the bc tag in the BAM file to determine the 0-based barcode indices from their respective positions in the barcode FASTA file.	
-p,seqid-prefix	Specifies the prefix for the sequence IDs used in the FAST/FASTQ file headers.	

#### **Examples**

```
bam2fasta -o projectName m54008_160330_053509.subreads.bam
bam2fastq -o myEcoliRuns m54008_160330_053509.subreads.bam
m54008_160331_235636.subreads.bam
bam2fasta -o myHumanGenomem54012 160401 000001.subreadset.xml
```

#### Input Files

- One or more \*.bam files
- \*.subreadset.xml file (Data Set file)

## **Output Files**

- \*.fasta.gz
- \*.fastq.qz

#### bamsieve

The bamsieve tool creates a subset of a BAM or PacBio Data Set file based on either a whitelist of hole numbers, or a percentage of reads to be randomly selected, while keeping all subreads within a read together. Although bamsieve is BAM-centric, it has some support for dataset XML and will propagate metadata, as well as scraps BAM files in the special

case of SubreadSets. bamsieve is useful for generating minimal test Data Sets containing a handful of reads.

bamsieve operates in two modes: whitelist/blacklist mode where the ZMWs to keep or discard are explicitly specified, or percentage/count mode, where a fraction of the ZMWs is randomly selected.

ZMWs may be whitelisted or blacklisted in one of several ways:

- · As a comma-separated list on the command line.
- · As a flat text file, one ZMW per line.
- As another PacBio BAM or Data Set of any type.

#### Usage

Required	Description	
input_bam	The name of the input BAM file or Data Set from which reads will be read.	
output_bam	The name of the output BAM file or Data Set where filtered reads will be written to. (Default = None)	

Options	Description	
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.	
version	Displays program version number and exits.	
log-file LOG_FILE	Writes the log to file. (Default = None, writes to stdout.)	
log-level	Specifies the log level; values are [DEBUG, INFO, WARNING, ERROR, CRITICAL]. (Default = WARNING)	
debug	Alias for setting the log level to DEBUG. (Default = False)	
quiet	Alias for setting the log level to CRITICAL to suppress output. (Default = False)	
-v,verbose	Sets the verbosity level. (Default = NONE)	
show-zmws	Prints a list of ZMWs and exits. (Default = False)	
whitelist WHITELIST	Specifies the ZMWs to <b>include</b> in the output. This can be a comma-separated list of ZMWs, or a file containing a list of ZMWs (one hole number per line), or a BAM/ Data Set file. (Default = NONE)	
blacklist BLACKLIST	Specifies the ZMWs to <b>exclude</b> from the output. This can be a comma-separated list of ZMWs, or a file containing a list of ZMWs (one hole number per line), or a BAM/Data Set file that specifies ZMWs. (Default = NONE)	
percentage PERCENTAGE	Specifies a percentage of a SMRT® Cell to recover (Range = 1-100) rather than a specific list of reads. (Default = NONE)	

Options	Description	
-n COUNT,count COUNT	Specifies a specific number of ZMWs picked at random to recover. (Default = NONE)	
-s SEED,seed SEED	Specifies a random seed for selecting a percentage of reads. (Default = NONE)	
ignore-metadata	Discard the input Data Set metadata. (Default = False)	
barcodes	Specifies that the whitelist or blacklist contains barcode indices instead of ZMW numbers. (Default = False)	

## **Examples**

#### Pulling out two ZMWs from a BAM file:

bamsieve --whitelist 111111,222222 full.subreads.bam sample.subreads.bam

#### Pulling out two ZMWs from a Data Set file:

bamsieve --whitelist 111111,222222 full.subreadset.xml sample.subreadset.xml

#### Using a text whitelist:

bamsieve --whitelist zmws.txt full.subreads.bam sample.subreads.bam

#### Using another BAM or Data Set as a whitelist:

bamsieve --whitelist mapped.alignmentset.xml full.subreads.bam mappable.subreads.bam

#### Generating a whitelist from a Data Set:

bamsieve --show-zmws mapped.alignmentset.xml > mapped\_zmws.txt

#### Anonymizing a Data Set:

bamsieve --whitelist zmws.txt --ignore-metadata --anonymize full.subreadset.xml
anonymous sample.subreadset.xml

#### Removing a read:

bamsieve --blacklist 111111 full.subreadset.xml filtered.subreadset.xml

#### Selecting 0.1% of reads:

bamsieve --percentage 0.1 full.subreads.bam random\_sample.subreads.bam

#### Selecting a different 0.1% of reads:

bamsieve --percentage 0.1 --seed 98765 full.subreads.bam random\_sample.subreads.bam

#### Selecting just two ZMWs/reads at random:

bamsieve --count 2 full.subreads.bam two\_reads.subreads.bam

#### Selecting by barcode:

bamsieve --barcodes --whitelist 4,7 full.subreads.bam two barcodes.subreads.bam

#### Generating a tiny BAM file that contains only mappable reads:

bamsieve --whitelist mapped.subreads.bam full.subreads.bam mappable.subreads.bam bamsieve --count 4 mappable.subreads.bam tiny.subreads.bam

#### Splitting a Data Set into two halves:

bamsieve --percentage 50 full.subreadset.xml split.1of2.subreadset.xml bamsieve --blacklist split.1of2.subreadset.xml full.subreadset.xml split.2of2.subreadset.xml

#### **Extracting Unmapped Reads:**

bamsieve --blacklist mapped.alignmentset.xml movie.subreadset.xml
unmapped.subreadset.xml

where READ1 and READ2 are reverse-complementary to each other.

In the following alignments, gaps are placed inconsistently:

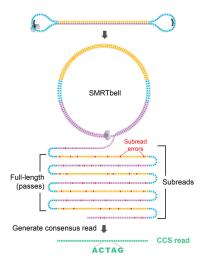
REF : TTTTTTAAACCCC
READ1 : TTTTTTA--CCCC
RevComp(READ2): TTTTTT--ACCCC

In the following alignments, gaps are placed **consistently**, with --placeGapsConsistently **specified**:

REF : TTTTTTAAACCCC
READ1 : TTTTTTA--CCCC
RevComp(READ2): TTTTTTA--CCCC

To produce alignments with gaps placed **consistently** for better variant calling, use the --placeGapConsistently option:

ccs Circular Consensus Sequencing (CCS) Analysis computes consensus sequences from multiple "passes" around a circularized single DNA molecule (SMRTbell® template). CCS Analysis uses the Arrow framework to achieve optimal consensus results given the number of passes available.



#### **CCS Analysis Workflow**

#### 1. Initial Filtering

- Filter ZMWs: Remove ZMWs with signal-to-noise ratio (SNR) below
   --min-snr.
- Filter subreads: Remove subreads with lengths <50% or >200% of the median subread length. Stop if the number of full-length subreads is fewer than --min-passes.

#### 2. Generate Draft

- The polish stage iteratively improves upon a candidate template sequence. Because polishing is very compute-intensive, it is desirable to start with a template that is as close as possible to the true sequence of the molecule to reduce the number of iterations until convergence. The ccs software does not pick a full-length subread as the initial template to be polished, but instead generates an approximate draft consensus sequence using our improved implementation of the Sparc graph consensus algorithm. This algorithm depends on a subread-to-backbone alignment that is generated by the pancake mapper developed by PacBio, using edlib as the core aligner. Typically, subreads have accuracy of around 90% and the draft consensus has a higher accuracy, but is still below 99%.
- Stop if the draft length is shorter than --min-length and longer than --max-length.

#### 3. Alignment:

 Align subreads to the draft consensus using pancake with KSW2 for downstream windowing and filtering.

#### 4. Windowing

 Divide the subread-to-draft alignment into overlapping windows with a target size of 22 bp with ±2 bp overlap. Avoid breaking windows at simple repeats (homopolymers to 4-mer repeats) to reduce edge cases at window borders. Windowing reduces the algorithm run time from quadratic to linear in the insert size.

#### 5. Single-Strand Artifacts

- Identify heteroduplexes, where one strand of the SMRTbell differs significantly from the reverse complement of the other strand. Subread orientation is inferred from the alignment. Small heteroduplexes, such as single base A paired with a matching G, are retained and the ambiguity is reflected in base quality. Molecules with a single difference longer than 20 bp between the strands are removed and recorded as heteroduplexes in the <outputPrefix>.ccs report.txt file.

#### 6. Trim Large Insertions

Insertions in the subreads relative to the draft that are longer than

 -max-insertion-size, default 30 bp, are trimmed since they
typically represented spurious sequencing activity.

#### 7. Filter Candidates

 For each window, a heuristic is used to find those positions that likely need polishing. In addition, homopolymers are always polished.
 Skipping unambiguous positions makes the polishing at least twice as fast.

#### 8. Polishing

 The core polishing uses the arrow algorithm, a left-right Hidden Markov-Model (HMM) that models the enzymatic and photophysical events in SMRT Sequencing. Emission and transition parameters are estimated by a dinucleotide template context. Transition parameters form a homogeneous Markov chain. The transition parameters do **not** depend on the position within the template, only the pulse width of a base call, the dinucleotide context of the template, and the SNR of the ZMW. Arrow computes the loglikelihood that the subread originates from the template, marginalizing over all possible alignments of the subread to the template. For every position in the template that is a candidate for polishing, arrow tests if the log-likelihood is improved by substituting one of the other three nucleotides, inserting one of the four nucleotides after the position, or deleting the position itself. Once arrow does not find any further beneficial mutations to the template in an iteration, it stops.

#### 9. QV Calculation

 The log-likelihood ratio between the most likely template sequence and all of its mutated counterparts is used to calculate a quality for each base in the final consensus. The average of the per-base qualities is the read accuracy, rq.

#### 10. Final Steps

The per-window consensus template sequences and base qualities are concatenated and overhangs (overlaps between adjacent windows) are trimmed. If the predicted read accuracy is at least --min-rq, then the consensus read is written to the output.

#### **Input Files**

One .subreads.bam file containing the subreads for each SMRTbell<sup>®</sup> template sequenced.

## **Output Files**

A BAM file with one entry for each consensus sequence derived from a
productive ZMW. BAM is a general file format for storing sequence
data, which is described fully by the SAM/BAM working group. The
CCS Analysis output format is a version of this general format, where
the consensus sequence is represented by the "Query Sequence".
Several tags were added to provide additional meta information. An
example BAM entry for a consensus as seen by samtools is shown
below.

```
m64009_201008_223950/1/ccs 4 * 0 255 * * 0 0 ATCGCCTACC ~|~t~R~~r~ RG:Z:a773c1f2 fi:B:C,26,60,21,41,33,26,63,45,73,33 fn:i:6 fp:B:C,11,18,21,35,8,18,31,8,23,11 np:i:12 ri:B:C,17,37,24,4,70,21,12,44,21,32 rn:i:6 rp:B:C,16,56,17,9,23,19,10,10,23,12 rq:f:0.999651 sn:B:f,10.999,16.2603,3.964,7.17746 we:i:9816064 ws:i:20 zm:i:1
```

#### Following are some of the common fields contained in the output BAM file:

Field	Description	
Query Name	Movie Name / ZMW # /ccs	
FLAG	Required by the format but meaningless in this context. Always set to 4 to indicate the read is unmapped.	
Reference Name	Required by the format but meaningless in this context. Always set to *.	
Mapping Start	Required by the format but meaningless in this context. Always set to 0.	
Mapping Quality	Required by the format but meaningless in this context. Always set to 255.	
CIGAR	Required by the format but meaningless in this context. Always set to $^\star$ .	
RNEXT	Required by the format but meaningless in this context. Always set to *.	
PNEXT	Required by the format but meaningless in this context. Always set to 0.	
TLEN	Required by the format but meaningless in this context. Always set to 0.	
Consensus Sequence	The consensus sequence generated.	
Quality Values	The per-base parametric quality metric. For details see "Interpreting QUAL Values" on page 11.	
RG Tag	The read group identifier.	
bc Tag	A 2-entry array of upstream-provided barcode calls for this ZMW.	
bq Tag	The quality of the barcode call. (Optional: Depends on barcoded inputs.)	
np Tag	The number of full passes that went into the subread. ( <b>Optional</b> : Depends on barcoded inputs.)	
rq Tag	The predicted read quality.	
zm Tag	The ZMW hole number.	

## **Usage**

ccs [OPTIONS] INPUT OUTPUT

# Example

ccs --all myData.subreads.bam myResult.bam

Required	Description	
Input File Name	The name of a single subreads.bam or a subreadset.xml file to be processed. (Example = myData.subreads.bam)	
Output File Name	The name of the output BAM file; comes after all other options listed. Valid output files are the BAM and the Dataset .xml formats. (Example = myResult.bam)	

Options	Description	
version	Prints the version number.	
report-file	Contains a result tally of the outcomes for all ZMWs that were processed. If <b>no</b> file name is given, the report is output to the file <code>ccs_report.txt</code> . In addition to the count of successfully-produced consensus sequences, this file lists how many ZMWs failed various data quality filters (SNR too low, not enough full passes, and so on) and is useful for diagnosing unexpected drops in yield.	
min-snr	Removes data that is likely to contain deletions. SNR is a measure of the strength of signal for all 4 channels (A, C, G, T) used to detect base pair incorporation. This value sets the threshold for minimum required SNR for any of the four channels. Data with SNR < 2.5 is typically considered lower quality. (Default = 2.5)	
min-length	Specifies the minimum length requirement for the minimum length of the draft consensus to be used for further polishing. If the targeted template is known to be a particular size range, this can filter out alternative DNA templates. (Default = 10)	
max-length	Specifies the maximum length requirement for the maximum length of the draft consensus to be used for further polishing. For robust results while avoiding unnecessary computation on unusual data, set to ~20% above the largest expected insert size. (Default = 50000)	
min-passes	Specifies the minimum number of passes for a ZMW to be emitted. This is the number of full passes. Full passes <b>must</b> have an adapter hit before and after the insert sequence and so do <b>not</b> include any partial passes at the start and end of the sequencing reaction. It is computed as the number of passes mode across all windows. (Default = 3)	
min-rq	Specifies the minimum predicted accuracy of a read. CCS Analysis generates an accuracy prediction for each read, defined as the expected percentage of matches in an alignment of the consensus sequence to the true read. A value of 0.99 indicates that only reads expected to be 99% accurate are emitted. (Default = 0.99)	
num-threads	Specifies how many threads to use while processing. By default, CCS Analysis uses as many threads as there are available cores to minimize processing time, but fewer threads can be specified here.	
log-file	The name of a log file to use. If none is given, the logging information is printed to STDERR. (Example: mylog.txt)	
log-level	Specifies verbosity of log data to produce. By setting <code>logLevel=DEBUG</code> , you can obtain detailed information on what ZMWs were dropped during processing, as well as any errors which may have appeared. (Default = <code>INFO</code> )	
skip-polish	After constructing the draft consensus, do <b>not</b> proceed with the polishing steps. This is significantly faster, but generates less accurate data with no RQ or QUAL values associated with each base.	
by-strand	Separately generates a consensus sequence from the forward and reverse strands. Useful for identifying heteroduplexes formed during sample preparation.	
chunk	Operates on a single chunk. Format i/N, where i in [1,N]. Examples: 3/24 or 9/9.	
max-chunks	Determines the maximum number of chunks, given an input file.	

Options	Description	
model-path	Specifies the path to a model file or directory containing model files.	
model-spec	Specifies the name of the chemistry or model to use, overriding the default selection.	
all	Generates <b>one</b> representative sequence per ZMW, irrespective of quality and passesmin-passes 0min-rq 0max-length 0 are set implicitly and <b>cannot</b> be changed;all also deactivates the maximum draft length filter. Filtering has to be performed downstream.	
	The ccsall option changes the workflow as follows:	
	1. There is special behavior for low-pass ZMWs. If a ZMW has fewer than 2 full-length subreads, use the subread of median length as representative consensus, optionally with its kinetic information as forward orientation using <code>all-kinetics</code> , and do not polish.	
	2. Only polish ZMWs with at least two full-length subreads mapping back to the draft. Otherwise, set predicted accuracy rq tag to -1 to indicate that the predicted accuracy was not calculated, and populate per-base QVs with + (QV 10) the approximate raw accuracy. Kinetic information is <b>not</b> available for unpolished drafts.	
	3. Instead of using an unpolished draft without kinetic information as a representative consensus sequence, ifsubread-fallback is used, fall back to a representative subread with kinetic information.	
	How isall different from explicitly settingmin-passes 0min-rq 0?	
	• Settingmin-passes 0min-rq 0 is a brute-force combination that polishes <b>every</b> ZMW, even those that only have one partial subread, with polishing making no difference. In contrast,all is a bit smarter and only polishes ZMWs with at least one full-length subread and one additional partial subread.	
hifi-kinetics	Generates averaged kinetic information for polished reads, independently for both strands of the insert. Forward is defined with respect to the orientation represented in SEQ and is considered to be the native orientation. As with other PacBio-specific tags, aligners will <b>not</b> re-orient these fields.	
	Base modifications can be inferred from per-base pulse width (PW) and inter-pulse duration (IPD) kinetics.	
	Minor cases exist where a certain orientation may get filtered out entirely from a ZMW, preventing valid values from being passed for that record. In these cases, empty lists are passed for the respective record/orientation, and number of passes are set to zero.	
	To facilitate the use of HiFi Reads with base modifications workflows, we added an executable in pbbam called ccs-kinetics-bystrandify which creates a pseudoby-strand BAM with corresponding pw and ip tags that imitates a normal, unaligned subreads BAM.	
all-kinetics	Adds kinetic information for all ZMWs, except for unpolished draft consensus.	
subread-fallback	When combined withall, uses a subread instead of a draft as representative consensus.	
suppress-reports	Suppresses the generation of default reports and metric files.	

## **Interpreting QUAL Values**

The QUAL value of a read is a measure of the posterior likelihood of an error at a particular position. **Increasing** QUAL values are associated with a **decreasing** probability of error. For indels and homopolymers, there is ambiguity as to which QUAL value is associated with the error probability. Shown below are different types of alignment errors, with an \* indicating which sequence BP should be associated with the alignment error.

#### Mismatch

\*

ccs: ACGTATA
ref: ACATATA

#### **Deletion**

ccs: AC-TATA ref: ACATATA

#### Insertion

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ccs: ACGTATA
ref: AC-TATA

## **Homopolymer Insertion or Deletion**

Indels should always be left-aligned, and the error probability is only given for the first base in a homopolymer.

ccs: ACGGGGTATA ccs: AC-GGGTATA ref: AC-GGGTATA ref: ACGGGGTATA

#### **CCS Analysis Yield Report**

The CCS Analysis Yield Report specifies the number of ZMWs that successfully produced consensus sequences, as well as a count of how many ZMWs did **not** produce a consensus sequence for various reasons. The entries in this report, as well as parameters used to increase or decrease the number of ZMWs that pass various filters, are shown in the table below.

The first part is a summary of inputs and outputs:

ZMW Results	Parameters Affecting Results	Description
ZMWs input	None	The number of input ZMWs.
ZMWs generating CCS Reads	All custom processing settings	The number of CCS Reads successfully produced on the first attempt, using the fast windowed approach.
ZMWs filtered	All custom processing settings	The number of ZMWs reads that failed to produce a CCS Read.

The second part explains in detail the exclusive ZMW count for those ZMWs that were filtered:

ZMW Results	Parameters Affecting Results	Description
No usable subreads	minReadScore, minLength, maxLength	The ZMW had no usable subreads. Either there were no subreads, or all subreads had lengths outside the range <50% or >200% of the median subread length.
Below SNR threshold	min-snr	The ZMW had at least one channel's SNR below the minimum threshold.
Lacking full passes	min-passes	There were not enough subreads that had an adapter at the start and end of the subread (a "full pass").
Heteroduplexes	None	The SMRTbell contains a heteroduplex. In this case, it is not clear what the consensus should be and so the ZMW is dropped.
Min coverage violation	None	The ZMW is damaged on one strand and cannot be polished reliably.
Draft generation error	None	Subreads do not match the generated draft sequence, even after multiple tries.
Draft abovemax-length	max-length	The draft sequence was above the maximum length threshold.
Draft belowmin-length	min-length	The draft sequence was below the minimum length threshold.
Lacking usable subreads	None	Too many subreads were dropped while polishing.
CCS Analysis did not converge	None	The consensus sequence did not converge after the maximum number of allowed rounds of polishing.
CCS Read below minimum predicted accuracy	min-rq	Each CCS Read has a predicted level of accuracy associated with it. Reads that are below the minimum specified threshold are removed.
Unknown error during processing	None	These should not occur.

#### How do I read the ccs\_report.txt file?

By default, each CCS Analysis generates a <code>ccs\_report.txt</code> file. This file summarizes how many ZMWs generated HiFi Reads and how many ZMWs failed CCS Reads generation because of the listed causes. For those failing, each ZMW contributes to exactly one reason of failure; percentages are with respect to number of failed ZMWs.

#### Does CCS Analysis dislike low-complexity regions?

Low-complexity comes in many shapes and forms. A particular challenge for CCS Analysis are highly-enriched tandem repeats, such as hundreds of copies of AGGGGT. Prior to ccs v5.0, inserts with many copies of a small repeat likely did not generate a consensus sequence. Since ccs v5.0, every ZMW is tested if it contains a tandem repeat of length --min-tandem-repeat-length 1000. For this, we use symmetric DUST, specifically this sdust implementation, but slightly modified. If a ZMW is

flagged as a tandem repeat, internally <code>--disable-heuristics</code> is activated for only this ZMW, and various filters that are known to exclude low-complexity sequences are disabled. This recovers most of the low-complexity consensus sequences, without impacting run time performance.

# Can I produce one consensus sequence for each strand of a molecule?

Yes, use --by-strand. Make sure that you have sufficient coverage, as --min-passes are per strand in this case. For each strand, CCS Analysis generates one consensus read that has to pass all filters. Read name suffix indicates strand. Example:

```
m64011_190714_120746/14/ccs/rev
m64011_190714_120746/35/ccs/fwd
```

#### How does --by-strand work? For each ZMW:

- Determine orientation of reads with respect to the one closest to the median length.
- Sort reads into two buckets, forward and reverse strands.
- Treat each strand as an individual entity as we do with ZMWs:
  - Apply all filters per strand individually.
  - Create a draft for each strand.
  - Polish each strand.
  - Write out each polished strand consensus.

### **BAM Tags Generated**

Tag	Туре	Description
ec	f	Effective coverage
fi	В,С	Forward IPD (Codec V1)
fn	i	Forward number of complete passes (zero or more)
fp	В, С	Forward PulseWidth (Codec V1)
np	i	Number of full-length subreads
ri	В, С	Reverse IPD (Codec V1)
rn	i	Reverse number of complete passes (zero or more)
rp	В,С	Reverse PulseWidth (Codec V1)
rq	f	Predicted average read accuracy
sn	B, F	Signal-to-noise ratios for each nucleotide
zm	i	ZMW hole number
RG	Z	Read group

#### dataset

The dataset tool creates, opens, manipulates and writes Data Set XML files. The commands allow you to perform operations on the various types of data held by a Data Set XML: Merge, split, write, and so on.

#### **Usage**

```
dataset [-h] [--version] [--log-file LOG_FILE]
        [--log-level {DEBUG,INFO,WARNING,ERROR,CRITICAL} | --debug | --quiet | -v]
        [--strict] [--skipCounts]
```

{create, filter, merge, split, validate, summarize, consolidate, loadstats, newuuid, loadmetada ta, copyto, absolutize, relativize}

Options	Description
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.
<command/> -h	Displays help for a specific command.
-v,version	Displays program version number and exits.
log-file LOG_FILE	Writes the log to file. (Default = None, writes to stdout.)
log-level	Specifies the log level; values are [DEBUG, INFO, WARNING, ERROR, CRITICAL]. (Default = INFO)
debug	Alias for setting the log level to DEBUG. (Default = False)
quiet	Alias for setting the log level to CRITICAL to suppress output. (Default = False)
-v	Sets the verbosity level. (Default = NONE)
strict	Turns on strict tests and display all errors. (Default = False)
skipCounts	Skips updating NumRecords and TotalLength counts. (Default = False)

create Command: Create an XML file from a fofn (file-of-file names) or BAM file. Possible types: SubreadSet, AlignmentSet, ReferenceSet, HdfSubreadSet, BarcodeSet, ConsensusAlignmentSet, ConsensusReadSet, ContigSet.

#### Example

The following example shows how to use the dataset create command to create a barcode file:

dataset create --generateIndices --name my\_barcodes --type BarcodeSet
my barcodes.barcodeset.xml my barcodes.fasta

Required	Description
outfile	The name of the XML file to create.
infile	The fofn (file-of-file-names) or BAM file(s) to convert into an XML file.

Options	Description
type DSTYPE	Specifies the type of XML file to create. (Default = NONE)
name DSNAME	The name of the new Data Set XML file.
generateIndices	Generates index files (.pbi and .bai for BAM, .fai for FASTA). Requires samtools/pysam and pbindex. (Default = FALSE)
metadata METADATA	A metadata.xml file (or Data Set XML) to supply metadata. (Default = NONE)
novalidate	Specifies <b>not</b> to validate the resulting XML. Leaves the paths as they are.
relative	Makes the included paths relative instead of absolute. This is <b>not</b> compatible withnovalidate.

filter Command: Filter an XML file using filters and threshold values.

- Suggested filters: alignedlength, as, astart, bc, bcf, bcq, bcr, bq, cx, length, mapqv, movie, n\_subreads, pos, qend, qid, qname, qstart, readstart, rname, rq, tend, tstart, zm
- More resource-intensive filter: [qs]

**Note**: Multiple filters with different names are ANDed together. Multiple filters with the **same** name are ORed together, duplicating existing requirements. The filter string should be enclosed in **single quotes**.

dataset filter [-h] infile outfile filters [filters ...]

Required	Description
infile	The name of the XML file to filter.
outfile	The name of the output filtered XML file.
filters	The values to filter on. (Example: rq>0.85)

#### **Examples**

Filter on read quality > 0.99 (Q20):

% dataset filter in.consensusreadset.xml hifi.consensusreadset.xml 'rq >= 0.99'

#### Filter on read quality and length:

 $\$  dataset filter in.consensus readset.xml filtered.consensus readset.xml 'rq >= 0.99 AND length >= 10000'

#### Filter for very long and very short reads:

% dataset filter in.consensusreadset.xml filtered.consensusreadset.xml 'length >= 40000; length <= 400'

#### Filter for specific high-quality barcodes:

% dataset filter mixed.consensusreadset.xml samples1-3.consensusreadset.xml 'bc = [0,1,2] AND bq >= 26'

#### merge Command: Combine XML files.

dataset merge [-h] outfile infiles [infiles ...]

Required	Description
infiles	The names of the XML files to merge.
outfile	The name of the output XML file.

## split Command: Split a Data Set XML file.

Required	Description
infile	The name of the XML file to split.

Options	Description
outfiles	The names of the resulting XML files.
contigs	Splits the XML file based on contigs. (Default = FALSE)
barcodes	Splits the XML file based on barcodes. (Default = FALSE)
zmws	Splits the XML file based on ZMWs. (Default = FALSE)
byRefLength	Splits contigs by contig length. (Default = TRUE)
noCounts	Updates the Data Set counts after the split. (Default = FALSE)
chunks x	Splits contigs into $x$ total windows. (Default = $0$ )
maxChunks x	Splits the contig list into at most $x$ groups. (Default = $0$ )
targetSize x	Specifies the minimum number of records per chunk. (Default = 5000)
breakContigs	Breaks contigs to get closer to maxCounts. (Default = False)
subdatasets	Splits the XML file based on sub-datasets. (Default = False)
outdir OUTDIR	Specifies an output directory for the resulting XML files. (Default = <in-place>, <b>not</b> the current working directory.)</in-place>

validate Command: Validate XML and Resourceld files. (This is an internal testing functionality that may be useful.)

**Note**: This command requires that pyxb (**not** distributed with SMRT Link) be installed. If **not** installed, validate simply checks that the files pointed to in ResourceIds exist.

#### dataset validate [-h] [--skipFiles] infile

Required	Description
infile	The name of the XML file to validate.

Options	Description
skipFiles	Skips validating external resources. (Default = False)

summarize Command: Summarize a Data Set XML file.

dataset summarize [-h] infile

Required	Description
infile	The name of the XML file to summarize.

consolidate Command: Consolidate XML files.

Required	Description
infile	The name of the XML file to consolidate.
datafile	The name of the resulting data file.
xmlfile	The name of the resulting XML file.

Options	Description
numFiles x	Specifies the number of data files to produce. (Default = 1)
noTmp	Do <b>not</b> copy to a temporary location to ensure local disk use. (Default = False)

loadstats Command: Load an  ${\tt sts.xml}$  file containing pipeline statistics into a Data Set XML file.

dataset loadstats [-h] [--outfile OUTFILE] infile statsfile

Required	Description
infile	The name of the Data Set XML file to modify.
statsfile	The name of the .sts.xml file to load.

Options	Description
outfile OUTFILE	The name of the XML file to output. (Default = None)

## newuuid Command: Refresh a Data Set's Unique ID.

dataset newuuid [-h] [--random] infile

Required	Description
infile	The name of the XML file to refresh.

Options	Description
random	Generates a random UUID, instead of a hash. (Default = False)

loadmetadata Command: Load a .metadata.xml file into a Data Set XML file.

dataset loadmetadata [-h] [--outfile OUTFILE] infile metadata

Required	Description
infile	The name of the Data Set XML file to modify.
metadata	The .metadata.xml file to load, or Data Set to borrow from.

Options	Description
outfile OUTFILE	Specifies the XML file to output. (Default = None)

copyto Command: Copy a Data Set and resources to a new location.

dataset copyto [-h] [--relative] infile outdir

Required	Description
infile	The name of the XML file to copy.
outdir	The directory to copy to.

Options	Description
relative	Makes the included paths relative instead of absolute. (Default = False)

absolutize Command: Make the paths in an XML file absolute.

dataset absolutize [-h] [--outdir OUTDIR] infile

Required	Description
infile	The name of the XML file whose paths should be absolute.

Options	Description
outdir OUTDIR	Specifies an optional output directory. (Default = None)

relativize Command: Make the paths in an XML file relative.

dataset relativize [-h] infile

Required	Description
infile	The name of the XML file whose paths should be relative.

## **Examples - Filter Reads**

To filter one or more BAM file's worth of subreads, aligned or otherwise, and then place them into a single BAM file:

```
# usage: dataset filter <in_fn.xml> <out_fn.xml> <filters>
dataset filter in_fn.subreadset.xml filtered_fn.subreadset.xml 'rq>0.85'
# usage: dataset consolidate <in_fn.xml> <out_data_fn.bam> <out_fn.xml>
dataset consolidate filtered_fn.subreadset.xml consolidate.subreads.bam
out fn.subreadset.xml
```

The filtered Data Set and the consolidated Data Set should be read-forread equivalent when used with SMRT® Analysis software.

#### **Example - Resequencing Pipeline**

- Align two movie's worth of subreads in two SubreadSets to a reference.
- · Merge the subreads together.
- Split the subreads into Data Set chunks by contig.
- Process using gcpp on a chunkwise basis (in parallel).
- 1. Align each movie to the reference, producing a Data Set with one BAM file for each execution:

```
pbalign movie1.subreadset.xml referenceset.xml movie1.alignmentset.xml
pbalign movie2.subreadset.xml referenceset.xml movie2.alignmentset.xml
```

2. Merge the files into a FOFN-like Data Set; BAMs are **not** touched:

```
# dataset merge <out_fn> <in_fn> [<in_fn> <in_fn> ...]
dataset merge merged.alignmentset.xml movie1.alignmentset.xml movie2.alignmentset.xml
```

- 3. Split the Data Set into chunks by contig name; BAMs are **not** touched:
  - Note that supplying output files splits the Data Set into that many output files (up to the number of contigs), with multiple contigs per file.
  - Not supplying output files splits the Data Set into one output file per contig, named automatically.
  - Specifying a number of chunks instead will produce that many files, with contig or even subcontig (reference window) splitting.

dataset split --contigs --chunks 8 merged.alignmentset.xml

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#### 4. Process the chunks:

gcpp --reference referenceset.xml --output
chunklconsensus.fasta,chunklconsensus.fastq,chunklconsensus.vcf,chunklconsensus.gff
chunklcontigs.alignmentset.xml

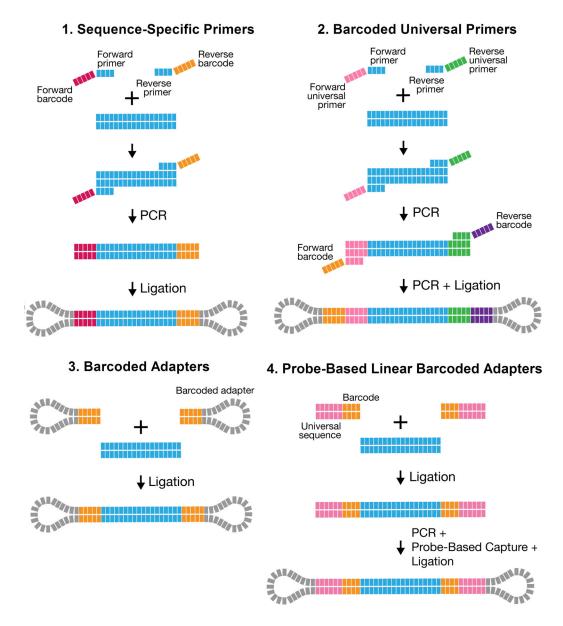
The chunking works by duplicating the original merged Data Set (no BAM duplication) and adding filters to each duplicate such that only reads belonging to the appropriate contigs are emitted. The contigs are distributed among the output files in such a way that the total number of records per chunk is about even.

# Demultiplex Barcodes

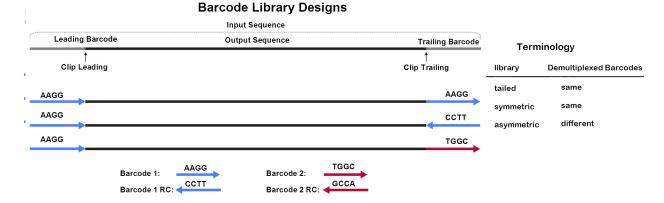
The **Demultiplex Barcodes** application identifies barcode sequences in PacBio single-molecule sequencing data. It **replaced** pbbarcode and bam2bam for demultiplexing, starting with SMRT® Analysis v5.1.0.

**Demultiplex Barcodes** can demultiplex samples that have a unique persample barcode pair and were pooled and sequenced on the same SMRT® Cell. There are four different methods for barcoding samples with PacBio technology:

- 1. Sequence-specific primers
- 2. Barcoded universal primers
- 3. Barcoded adapters
- 4. Linear Barcoded Adapters for Probe-based Captures



In addition, there are three different barcode library designs. As **Demultiplex Barcodes** supports raw subread and CCS Reads demultiplexing, the following terminology is based on the per (sub-) read view.



In the overview above, the input sequence is flanked by adapters on both sides. The bases adjacent to an adapter are **barcode regions**. A read can have up to two barcode regions, leading and trailing. Either or both adapters can be missing and consequently the leading and/or trailing region is not being identified.

For **symmetric** and **tailed** library designs, the **same** barcode is attached to both sides of the insert sequence of interest. The only difference is the orientation of the trailing barcode. For barcode identification, one read with a single barcode region is sufficient.

For the **asymmetric** design, **different** barcodes are attached to the sides of the insert sequence of interest. To identify the different barcodes, a read with leading and trailing barcode regions is required.

Output barcode pairs are generated from the identified barcodes. The barcode names are combined using "--", for example bc1002--bc1054. The sort order is defined by the barcode indices, starting with the lowest.

#### Workflow

By default, **Demultiplex Barcodes** processes input reads grouped by ZMW, **except** if the <code>--per-read</code> option is used. All barcode regions along the read are processed individually. The final per-ZMW result is a summary over all barcode regions. Each ZMW is assigned to a pair of selected barcodes from the provided set of candidate barcodes. Subreads from the same ZMW will have the same barcode and barcode quality. For a particular target barcode region, every barcode sequence gets aligned as given and as reverse-complement, and higher scoring orientation is chosen. This results in a list of scores over all candidate barcodes.

- If only same barcode pairs are of interest (symmetric/tailed), use the
   --same option to filter out different barcode pairs.
- If only different barcode pairs are of interest (asymmetric), use the

   -different option to require at least two barcodes to be read, and remove pairs with the same barcode.

#### **Half Adapters**

For an adapter call with only one barcode region, the high-quality region finder cuts right through the adapter. The preceding or succeeding subread was too short and was removed, or the sequencing reaction started/stopped there. This is called a **half adapter**. Thus, there are also 1.5, 2.5, N+0.5 adapter calls.

ZMWs with half or only one adapter can be used to identify the same barcode pairs; positive-predictive value might be reduced compared to high adapter calls. For asymmetric designs with different barcodes in a pair, at least a single full-pass read is required; this can be two adapters, two half adapters, or a combination.

#### **Usage:**

- Any existing output files are overwritten after execution.
- Always use --peek-guess to remove spurious barcode hits.

#### Analysis of subread data:

```
lima movie.subreads.bam barcodes.fasta prefix.bam
lima movie.subreadset.xml barcodes.barcodeset.xml prefix.subreadset.xml
```

#### **Analysis of CCS Reads:**

```
lima --css movie.ccs.bam barcodes.fasta prefix.bam
lima --ccs movie.consensusreadset.xml barcodes.barcodeset.xml
prefix.consensusreadset.xml
```

If you do not need to import the demultiplexed data into SMRT Link, use the --no-pbi option to minimize memory consumption and run time.

#### Symmetric or Tailed options:

```
Raw: --same
CCS Reads: --same --ccs
```

#### **Asymmetric options:**

```
Raw: --different
CCS Reads: --different --ccs
```

#### **Example Execution:**

```
lima m54317_180718_075644.subreadset.xml \ Sequel_RSII_384_barcodes_v1.barcodeset.xml \ m54317_180718_075644.demux.subreadset.xml \ --different --peek-guess
```

Options	Description
same	Retains only reads with the <b>same</b> barcodes on both ends of the insert sequence, such as symmetric and tailed designs.
different	Retains only reads with <b>different</b> barcodes on both ends of the insert sequence, asymmetric designs. Enforcesmin-passes $\geq$ 1.

Options	Description
min-length n	Omits reads with lengths below n base pairs after demultiplexing. ZMWs with no reads passing are omitted. (Default = $50$ )
max-input-length n	Omits reads with lengths above $\tt n$ base pairs for scoring in the demultiplexing step. (Default = 0, deactivated)
min-score n	Omits ZMWs with average barcode scores below n. A <b>barcode score</b> measures the alignment between a barcode attached to a read and an ideal barcode sequence, and is an indicator how well the chosen barcode pair matches. It is normalized to a range between 0 (no hit) and 100 (a perfect match). (Default = 0, Pacific Biosciences recommends setting it to 26.)
min-end-score n	Specifies the minimum end barcode score threshold applied to the individual leading and trailing ends. (Default = 0)
min-passes n	Omits ZMWs with less than ${\tt n}$ full passes, a read with a leading and trailing adapter. (Default = 0, no full-pass needed) <b>Example</b> :
	0 pass : insert - adapter - insert 1 pass : insert - adapter - INSERT - adapter - insert 2 passes: insert - adapter - INSERT - adapter - INSERT - adapter - insert
score-full-pass	Uses only reads flanked by adapters on both sides (full-pass reads) for barcode identification.
min-ref-span	Specifies the minimum reference span relative to the barcode length. (Default = 0.5)
per-read	Scores and tags per subread, instead of per ZMW.
ccs	Sets defaults to -A 1 -B 4 -D 3 -I 3 -X 1.
peek n	Looks at the first n ZMWs of the input and return the mean. This lets you test multiple test <code>barcode.fasta</code> files and see which set of barcodes was used.
guess n	This performs demultiplexing twice. In the first iteration, <b>all</b> barcodes are tested per ZMW. Afterwards, the barcode occurrences are counted and their mean is tested against the threshold n; only those barcode pairs that pass this threshold are used in the second iteration to produce the final demultiplexed output. A prefix.lima.guess file shows the decision process;same is being respected.
guess-min-count	Specifies the minimum ZMW count to whitelist a barcode. This filter is ANDed with the minimum barcode score specified byguess. (Default = 0)
peek-guess	Sets the following options: peek 50000guess 45guess-min-count 10.  Demultiplex Barcodes will run twice on the input data. For the first 50,000 ZMWs, it will guess the barcodes and store the mask of identified barcodes. In the second run, the barcode mask is used to demultiplex all ZMWs.  If combined withccs then the barcode score threshold is increased byguess 75.
single-side	Identifies barcodes in molecules that only have barcodes adjacent to one adapter.
window-size-multwindow-size-bp	The candidate region size multiplier: barcode_length * multiplier. (Default = 3)  Optionally, you can specify the region size in base pairs usingwindow-size-bp. If set,window-size-mult is ignored.
num-threads n	Spawns n threads; 0 means use all available cores. This option also controls the number of threads used for BAM and PBI compression. (Default = 0)

Options	Description
chunk-size n	Specifies that each thread consumes $n$ ZMWs per chunk for processing. (Default = 10).
no-bam	Does <b>not</b> produce BAM output. Useful if only reports are of interest, as run time is shorter.
no-pbi	Does <b>not</b> produce a .bam.pbi index file. The on-the-fly .bam.pbi file generation buffers the output data. If you do not need a .bam.pbi index file for SMRT Link import, use this option to decrease memory usage to a minimum and shorten the run time.
no-reports	Does <b>not</b> produce any reports. Useful if only demultiplexed BAM files are needed.
dump-clips	Outputs all clipped barcode regions generated to the <pre><pre><pre><pre><pre><pre>fix&gt;.lima.clips file.</pre></pre></pre></pre></pre></pre>
dump-removed	Outputs all records that did <b>not</b> pass the specified thresholds, or are without barcodes, to the <pre><pre>cprefix&gt;.lima.removed.bam file.</pre></pre>
split-bamsplit-bam-named	Specifies that each barcode has its own BAM file called prefix.idxBest-idxCombined.bam, such as prefix.0-0.bam.  Optionally ,split-bam-named names the files by their barcode names instead of their barcode indices.
isoseq	Removes primers as part of the Iso-Seq <sup>®</sup> pipeline. See "Demultiplexing Iso-Seq <sup>®</sup> Data" on page 30 for details.
bad-adapter-ratio n	Specifies the maximum ratio of bad adapters. (Default = 0).

## **Input Files**

Input data in PacBio-enhanced BAM format is either:

- Sequence data Unaligned subreads, directly from Sequel Systems.
- Unaligned CCS Reads, generated by CCS Analysis.

Barcodes are provided as a FASTA file or BarcodeSet file:

- · One entry per barcode sequence.
- No duplicate sequences.
- All bases must be in **upper-case**.
- Orientation-agnostic (forward or reverse-complement, but not reversed.)

#### Example:

>bc1000 CTCTACTTACTTACTG >bc1001 GTCGTATCATCATGTA >bc1002 AATATACCTATCATTA

**Note**: Name barcodes using an alphabetic character prefix to avoid later barcode name/index confusion.

## **Output Files**

**Demultiplex Barcodes** generates multiple output files by default, all starting with the same prefix as the output file, using the suffixes <code>.bam,.subreadset.xml</code>, and <code>.consensusreadset.xml</code>. The report prefix is <code>lima</code>. Example:

```
lima m54007\_170702\_064558.subreads.bam\ barcode.fasta\ /my/path/m54007\ 170702\ 064558\ demux.subreadset.xml
```

#### For all output files, the prefix is

/my/path/m54007 170702 064558 demux.

- cprefix>.bam: Contains clipped records, annotated with barcode tags, that passed filters and respect the --same option.
- prefix>.lima.report: A tab-separated file describing each ZMW,
   unfiltered. This is useful information for investigating the demultiplexing
   process and the underlying data. A single row contains all reads from
   a single ZMW. For --per-read, each row contains one subread, and
   ZMWs might span multiple rows.
- prefix>.lima.summary: Lists how many ZMWs were filtered, how
  many ZMWs are the same or different, and how many reads were
  filtered.

```
(1)
ZMWs input
                              (A): 213120
ZMWs above all thresholds (B): 176356 (83%)
ZMWs below any threshold (C): 36764 (17%)
(2)
ZMW Marginals for (C):
With bad adapter : 10349 (28%) <- Only with --bad-adapter-ratio Undesired hybrids : xxx (xx%) <- Only with --peek-guess
Undesired same barcode pairs : xxx (xx%) <- Only with --different
Undesired diff barcode pairs : xxx (xx%) <- Only with --same
Undesired 5p--5p pairs : xxx (xx%) <- Only with --isoseq
Undesired 3p--3p pairs : xxx (xx%) <- Only with --isoseq Undesired single side : xxx (xx%) <- Only with --isoseq Undesired no hit : xxx (xx%) <- Only with --isoseq
(3)
ZMWs for (B):
With same barcode : 162244 (92 With different barcodes : 14112 (8%)
                                : 162244 (92%)
Coefficient of correlation : 32.79%
(4)
ZMWs for (A):
Allow diff barcode pair : 157264 (74%)
Allow same barcode pair : 188026 (88%)
```

```
Bad adapter yield loss : 10112 (5%) <- Only with --bad-adapter-ratio : 10348 (5%) <- Only without --bad-adapter-ratio (5)

Reads for (B):
Above length : 1278461 (100%)
Below length : 2787 (0%)
```

#### **Explanation of each block:**

- 1. Number of ZMWs that went into lima, how many ZMWs were passed to the output file, and how many did not qualify.
- 2. For those ZMWs that did not qualify: The marginal counts of each filter. (Filter are described in the **Options** table.) When running with --peek-guess or similar manual option combination and different barcode pairs are found during peek, the full SMRT Cell may contain low-abundant different barcode pairs that were identified during peek individually, but **not** as a pair. Those unwanted barcode pairs are called **hybrids**.
- 3. For those ZMWs that passed: How many were flagged as having the same or different barcode pair, as well as the coefficient of variation for the barcode ZMW yield distribution in percent.
- 4. For all input ZMWs: How many allow calling the same or different barcode pair. This is a simplified version of how many ZMW have at least one full pass to allow a different barcode pair call and how many ZMWs have at least half an adapter, allowing the same barcode pair call.
- 5. For those ZMWs that qualified: The number of reads that are above and below the specified --min-length threshold.

column -t prefix.lima.counts

IdxFirst	IdxCombined	IdxFirstNamed	IdxCombinedNamed	Counts	MeanScore
0	0	bc1001	bc1001	1145	68
1	1	bc1002	bc1002	974	69
2	2	bc1003	bc1003	1087	68

• clips: Contains clipped barcode regions generated
using the --dump-clips option. Example:

```
head -n 6 prefix.lima.clips

>m54007 170702 064558/4850602/6488_6512 bq:34 bc:11

CATGTCCCCTCAGTTAAGTTACAA

>m54007 170702 064558/4850602/6582_6605 bq:37 bc:11

TTTTGACTAACTGATACCAATAG

>m54007 170702 064558/4916040/4801 4816 bq:93 bc:10
```

prefix>.lima.removed.bam: Contains records that did not pass the
specified thresholds, or are without barcodes, using the option
 --dump-removed.

lima does **not** generate a .pbi, nor Data Set for this file. This option **cannot** be used with any splitting option.

IdxFirst	IdxCombined	IdxFirstNamed	IdxCombinedNamed	NumZMWs	MeanScore	Picked
0	0	bc1001t	bc1001t	1008	50	1
1	1	bc1002t	bc1002t	1005	60	1
2	2	bc1003t	bc1003t	5	24	0
3	3	bc1004t	bc1004t	555	61	1

- One DataSet,.subreadset.xml, or .consensusreadset.xml file is generated per output BAM file.
- .pbi: One PBI file is generated per output BAM file.

# What is a universal spacer sequence and how does it affect demultiplexing?

For library designs that include an identical sequence between adapter and barcode, such as probe-based linear barcoded adapters samples, Demultiplex Barcodes offers a special mode that is activated if it finds a shared prefix sequence among all provided barcode sequences.

#### Example:

>custombc1
ACATGACTGTGACTATCTCACACATATCAGAGTGCG
>custombc2
ACATGACTGTGACTATCTCAACACACAGACTGTGAG

In this case, Demultiplex Barcodes detects the shared prefix  $\tt ACATGACTGTGACTATCTCA$  and removes it internally from all barcodes. Subsequently, it increases the window size by the length  $\tt L$  of the prefix sequence.

- If --window-size-bp N is used, the actual window size is L + N.
- If --window-size-mult M is used, the actual window size is (L + |bc|) \* M.

Because the alignment is semi-global, a leading reference gap can be added without any penalty to the barcode score.

#### What are bad adapters?

In the subreads.bam file, each subread has a context flag cx. The flag specifies, among other things, whether a subread has flanking adapters, before and/or after. Adapter-finding was improved and can also find molecularly-missing adapters, or those obscured by a local decrease in accuracy. This may lead to missing or obscured bases in the flanking barcode. Such adapters are labelled "bad", as they don't align with the

adapter reference sequence(s). Regions flanking those bad adapters are problematic, because they can fully or partially miss the barcode bases, leading to wrong classification of the molecule. lima can handle those adapters by **ignoring** regions flanking bad adapters. For this, lima computes the ratio of number of bad adapters divided by number of all adapters.

By default, --bad-adapter-ratio is set to 0 and does not perform any filtering. In this mode, bad adapters are handled just like good adapters.

But the \*.lima.summary file contains one row with the number of ZMWs that have at least 25% bad adapters, but otherwise pass all other filters. This metric can be used as a diagnostic to assess library preparation.

If --bad-adapter-ratio is set to non-zero positive (0,1), bad adapter flanking barcode regions are treated as missing. If a ZMW has a higher ratio of bad adapters than provided, the ZMW is filtered and consequently removed from the output. The \*.lima.summary file contains two additional rows.

```
With bad adapter : 10349 (28%)
Bad adapter yield loss : 10112 (5%)
```

The first row counts the number of ZMWs that have bad adapter ratios that are too high; the percentage is with respect to the number of all ZMW not passing. The second row counts the number of ZMWs that are removed solely due to bad adapter ratios that are too high; the percentage is with respect the number of all input ZMWs and consequently is the effective yield loss caused by bad adapters.

If a ZMW has ~50% bad adapters, one side of the molecule is molecularly-missing an adapter. For 100% bad adapter, **both** sides are missing adapters. A lower than ~40% percentage indicates decreased local accuracy during sequencing leading to adapter sequences not being found. If a high percentage of ZMWs is molecularly-missing adapters, you should improve library preparation.

# Demultiplexing Iso-Seq® Data

Demultiplex Barcodes is used to identify and remove Iso-Seq cDNA primers. If the Iso-Seq sample is barcoded, the barcodes should be included as part of the primer. **Note**: To demultiplex Iso-Seq samples in the SMRT Link GUI, **always** choose the Iso-Seq Analysis application, **not** the Demultiplex Barcodes application. Only by using the command line can users use <code>lima</code> with the <code>--isoseq</code> option for demultiplexing Iso-Seq data.

The input Iso-Seq data format for demultiplexing is .ccs.bam. Users must first generate a CCS Reads BAM file for an Iso-Seq Data Set before running lima. The recommended parameters for running CCS Analysis for Iso-Seq are min-pass=1, min accuracy=0.9, and turning Polish to OFF.

- 1. Primer IDs must be specified using the suffix \_5p to indicate 5' cDNA primers and the suffix \_3p to indicate 3' cDNA primers. The 3' cDNA primer should **not** include the Ts and is written in reverse complement.
- 2. Below are two example primer sets. The first is **unbarcoded**, the second has barcodes (shown in lower case) adjacent to the 3' primer.

**Example 1**: The Iso-Seq v2 primer set (included with the SMRT Link installation).

```
>NEB_5p
GCAATGAAGTCGCAGGGTTGGG
>Clontech_5p
AAGCAGTGGTATCAACGCAGAGTACATGGGG
>NEB_Clontech_3p
GTACTCTGCGTTGATACCACTGCTT
```

**Note**: The Clontech kit is **unsupported**, and these primers will **not** be included in future SMRT Link releases. We recommend using the NEBNext<sup>®</sup> Single Cell/Low Input cDNA Synthesis & Amplification Module.

**Example 2**: 4 tissues were multiplexed using barcodes on the 3' end only.

```
>NEB_5p
GCAATGAAGTCGCAGGGTTGGG
>dT_BC1001_3p
AAGCAGTGGTATCAACGCAGAGTACCACATATCAGAGTGCG
>dT_BC1002_3p
AAGCAGTGGTATCAACGCAGAGTACACACACAGACTGTGAG
>dT_BC1003_3p
AAGCAGTGGTATCAACGCAGAGTACACACATCTCGTGAGAG
>dT_BC1004_3p
AAGCAGTGGTATCAACGCAGAGTACCACGCACACACGCGCG
```

**Note**: NEB\_5p is **not** an NEB primer sequence; it is PacBio's Iso-Seq Express cDNA PCR primer sequence listed in the protocol.

- 3. Use the --isoseq mode. Note that this **cannot** be combined with the --guess **option**.
- 4. The output will be only different pairs with a 5p and 3p combination:

```
demux.5p--tissue1_3p.bam
demux.5p--tissue2_3p.bam
```

The --isoseq parameter set is very conservative for removing any spurious and ambiguous calls, and guarantees that only proper asymmetric (barcoded) primer are used in downstream analyses. Good libraries reach >75% CCS Reads passing the Demultiplex Barcodes filters.

#### BAM Tags

In SMRT Link v8.0 and earlier, no LB and SM tags were written the BAM file. In SMRT Link v10.1, LB and SM tags are set by the user in Run Design. The SM tag can also be set in Demultiplex Barcodes in SMRT Analysis.

#### Non-demultiplex case:

- LB: Well Sample Name.
- SM: Bio Sample Name.

Multiplexed case, BAM pre-demultiplexing:

- LB: Well Sample Name.
- SM: Tag removed.

Multiplexed case, BAMs post-demultiplexing:

- LB: Well Sample Name for all child barcode BAMs.
- SM: Each individual Bio Sample Name for the specific barcode.
- BC: Barcode sequence or hyphenated barcode sequences of the pair.
- DS: Appends barcode information used in demultiplexing: BarcodeFile, BarcodeHash, BarcodeCount, BarcodeMode, BarcodeQuality.
- Example read group header after demultiplexing:

```
ID:66d5a6af/3--3
PL:PACBIO
DS:READTYPE=SUBREAD;
   Ipd:CodecV1=ip;
   PulseWidth:CodecV1=pw;
  BINDINGKIT=101-500-400;
   SEQUENCINGKIT=101-427-800;
   BASECALLERVERSION=5.0.0;
   FRAMERATEHZ=100.000000;
   BarcodeFile=Sequel 16 barcodes v3.barcodeset.xml;
   BarcodeHash=f2b1fa0b43eb6ccbb30749883bb550e3;
   BarcodeCount=16;
   BarcodeMode=Symmetric;
   BarcodeQuality=Score
PU:m54010 200212 162236
SM:MySampleName
PM:SEOUEL
BC:ACAGTCGAGCGCTGCGT
```

## export-datasets

The export-datasets tool takes one or more PacBio Data Set XML files and packages all contents (including index files and supplemental Data Sets) into a single ZIP archive. Data Set resources, such as BAM files, are reorganized and renamed to flatten the directory structure, avoid redundant file writes, and convert all resource paths from absolute paths to relative paths. Where multiple Data Sets are provided, the contents of each is nested in a directory named after the <code>UniqueId</code> attribute in the XML.

The resulting archive is primarily intended to be directly imported into SMRT Link using the Data Management interface, but it may also be unpacked manually and used on the command line.

#### **Usage**

export-datasets [options] <dataset>...

Options	Description
-o,output	Name of output ZIP file. (Default = datasets_ <timestamp>.zip)</timestamp>
keep-parent-ref	Keeps the reference to the parent Data Set when archiving a demultiplexed child Data Set.
no-scraps	Excludes the scraps.bam file if present in the XML file.
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.
log-file	Writes the log to a file. (Default = stderr)
log-level	Specifies the log level; values are [ERROR, DEBUG, INFO, WARN]. (Default = WARN)
logback	Override all logger configuration using a specified logback.xml file.
log2stdout	If True, log output is displayed to the console. (Default = False)
debug	Alias for setting the log level to DEBUG. (Default = False)
quiet	Alias for setting the log level to ERROR. (Default = False)
verbose	Alias for setting the log level to INFO. (Default = False)

#### **Input Files**

One or more PacBio Dataset XML files.

## **Output File**

· One output ZIP file.

#### **Examples**

export-datasets m64001 200704 012345.subreadset.xml

export-datasets sample1.consensusreadset.xml sample2.consensusreadset.xml \sample3.consensusreadset.xml -o barcoded ccs.zip

export-datasets /opt/smrtlink/jobs/0000/0000001/0000001234/outputs/mapped.alignmentset.xml  $\,$ 

#### export-job

The export-job tool packages a SMRT Link Analysis job for export to another system, usually for reimportation into another SMRT Link instance. All internal paths in job output files are converted from absolute to relative paths, and many of the internal details of the Cromwell workflows are omitted. The export is **not** a complete record of the job, but rather a collection of job output files and metadata.

Note that <code>export-job</code> will include any external Data Sets referenced in output Data Sets inside the job, for example ReferenceSets associated with mapped Data Sets, or BarcodeSets associated with demultiplexed Data Sets. However, these Data Sets will not be imported along with the job. The exported job does not include the input reads used to run the job; these may be exported separately using the <code>export-datasets</code> tool.

**IMPORTANT**: Only SMRT Link v10.0 or later generates the necessary metadata files for <code>export-job</code> to save a full record of job execution. Jobs created with older versions of SMRT Link will still be archived, but the metadata will be empty and/or incorrect.

#### Usage

```
export-job [options] <job_dir>
```

Options	Description
<job_dir></job_dir>	Path to a SMRT Link job directory.
-o,output	Name of output ZIP file. (Default = job_ <timestamp>.zip)</timestamp>
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.
log-file	Writes the log to a file. (Default = stderr)
log-level	Specifies the log level; values are [ERROR, DEBUG, INFO, WARN]. (Default = WARN)
logback	Override all logger configuration using a specified logback.xml file.
log2stdout	If True, log output is displayed to the console. (Default = False)
debug	Alias for setting the log level to DEBUG. (Default = False)
quiet	Alias for setting the log level to ERROR. (Default = False)
verbose	Alias for setting the log level to INFO. (Default = False)

## Input

· A path to a job directory.

## **Output File**

· One output ZIP file.

#### **Examples**

export-job /path/to/smrtlink/jobs-root/0000/0000000/000000860 -o job860.zip

#### To reimport on another system:

```
pbservice import-job job860.zip
```

gcpp

gcpp is a variant-calling tool provided by the gcpp package which provides several variant-calling algorithms for PacBio sequencing data.

#### Usage

```
gcpp -j8 --algorithm=arrow \
    -r lambdaNEB.fa \
    -o variants.gff \
    aligned_subreads.bam
```

This example requests variant-calling, using 8 worker processes and the Arrow algorithm, taking input from the file aligned\_subreads.bam, using

the FASTA file lambdaNEB.fa as the reference, and writing output to variants.gff.

A particularly useful option is --referenceWindow/-w; which allows the variant-calling to be performed exclusively on a **window** of the reference genome.

#### **Input Files**

- A sorted file of reference-aligned reads in Pacific Biosciences' standard BAM format.
- A FASTA file that follows the Pacific Biosciences FASTA file convention. If specifying an input FASTA file, a FASTA index file (.fai) with the same name and path is **required**. If the .fai file is not supplied, gcpp exits and displays an error message.

**Note**: The --algorithm=arrow option requires that certain metrics be in place in the input BAM file. It requires per-read SNR metrics, and the perbase PulseWidth metric for Sequel data.

The selected algorithm will stop with an error message if any features that it requires are unavailable.

#### **Output Files**

Output files are specified as comma-separated arguments to the  $-\circ$  flag. The file name extension provided to the  $-\circ$  flag is meaningful, as it determines the output file format. For example:

gcpp aligned subreads.bam -r lambda.fa -o myVariants.gff,myConsensus.fasta

will read input from aligned\_subreads.bam, using the reference lambda.fa, and send variant call output to the file myVariants.gff, and consensus output to myConsensus.fasta.

The file formats currently supported (using extensions) are:

- .gff: PacBio GFFv3 variants format; convertible to BED.
- .vcf: VCF 4.2 variants format (that is compatible with v4.3.)
- .fasta: FASTA file recording the consensus sequence calculated for each reference contig.
- .fastq: FASTQ file recording the consensus sequence calculated for each reference contig, as well as per-base confidence scores.

Options	Description
-j	Specifies the number of worker processes to use.
algorithm=	Specifies the variant-calling algorithm to use; values are plurality, arrow and poa. (Default = arrow)

Options	Description
-r	Specifies the FASTA reference file to use.
-0	Specifies the output file format; values are .gff, .vcf, .fasta, and .fastq.
maskRadius	When using the <code>arrow</code> algorithm, setting this option to a value N greater than 0 causes <code>gcpp</code> to pass over the data a second time after masking out regions of reads that have >70% errors in $2*N+1$ bases. This setting has little to no effect at low coverage, but for high-coverage datasets (>50X), setting this parameter to 3 may improve final consensus accuracy. In rare circumstances, such as misassembly or mapping to the wrong reference, enabling this parameter <b>may</b> cause worse performance.
minConfidence MINCONFIDENCE -q MINCONFIDENCE	Specifies the minimum confidence for a variant call to be output to variants.{gff,vcf} (Default = 40)
minCoverage MINCOVERAGE -x MINCOVERAGE	Specifies the minimum site coverage for variant calls and consensus to be calculated for a site. (Default = 5)

## **Available Algorithms**

At this time there are three algorithms available for variant calling: plurality, poa and arrow.

- plurality is a simple and very fast procedure that merely tallies the
  most frequent read base or bases found in alignment with each
  reference base, and reports deviations from the reference as potential
  variants. This is a very insensitive and flawed approach for PacBio
  sequence data, and is prone to insertion and deletion errors.
- poa uses the partial order alignment algorithm to determine the consensus sequence. It is a heuristic algorithm that approximates a multiple sequence alignment by progressively aligning sequences to an existing set of alignments.
- arrow uses the per-read SNR metric and the per-pulse pulsewidth metric as part of its likelihood model.

#### **Confidence Values**

The <code>arrow</code> and <code>plurality</code> algorithms make a confidence metric available for every position of the consensus sequence. The confidence should be interpreted as a phred-transformed posterior probability that the consensus call is incorrect; such as:

$$QV = -10\log_{10}(p_{err})$$

gcpp clips reported QV values at 93; larger values **cannot** be encoded in a standard FASTQ file.

#### **Chemistry Specificity**

The --algorithm=arrow parameter is trained per-chemistry. arrow identifies the sequencing chemistry used for each run by looking at

metadata contained in the input BAM data file. This behavior can be overridden by a command-line option.

When multiple chemistries are represented in the reads in the input file, the Arrow will model reads appropriately using the parameter set for its chemistry, thus yielding optimal results.

# Genome Assembly

The Genome Assembly application generates *de novo* assemblies using HiFi Reads. The application is fast, produces contiguous assemblies, and is suitable for genomes of any size.

The Genome Assembly application is powered by the IPA HiFi genome assembler and includes the following features:

- Separates haplotypes during assembly using a novel phasing stage (Nighthawk).
- Polishes the contigs with phased reads using Racon.
- Improves haplotype separation using the purge dups tool.

## Workflow of the Genome Assembly Application

Analysis steps are highly optimized to produce assemblies of large genomes efficiently.















The workflow consists of seven stages:

- 1. Sequence database construction.
- 2. Fast overlap computation using the Pancake tool.
- 3. A dedicated phasing stage using the Nighthawk tool.
- 4. Filtering chimeras and residual repeats.
- 5. Layout based on the string graph.
- 6. Polishing using the Racon tool.
- 7. Purging haplotype duplicates from the primary assembly using the third-party tool purge\_dups.

The workflow accepts HiFi XML Data Sets as input.

#### **IPA HiFi Genome Assembler**

- Scales well on a cluster.
- The workflow has an embedded downsampling feature:
  - If the genome size and the desired coverage are specified, the initial stage (SeqDB construction) downsamples the input Data Set to the desired coverage.
  - Otherwise, the full coverage is used.

### **Usage**

The Genome Assembly application is run using the pbcromwell run command, with the pb\_assembly\_hifi parameter to specify the application. See "pbcromwell" on page 68 for details.

To view information on the available Genome Assembly options, enter:

```
pbcromwell show-workflow-details pb assembly hifi
```

The **minimum** command needed to run the workflow requires the input and the number of threads. The following example uses 16 threads:

```
pbcromwell run pb_assembly_hifi -e <input.xml> --nproc 16
```

The following example performs an assembly using an input XML Data Set, and uses all default settings, including 1 CPU:

```
pbcromwell run pb assembly hifi -e <input.consensusreadset.xml>
```

**Note:** The default options for this workflow are equivalent to the following command:

```
pbcromwell run pb_assembly_hifi \
-e <input.consensusreadset.xml> \
--task-option reads=None \
--task-option ipa2_genome_size=0 \
--task-option ipa2_downsampled_coverage=0 \
--task-option ipa2_advanced_options="" \
--task-option ipa2_run_polishing=True \
--task-option ipa2_run_phasing=True \
--task-option ipa2_run_purge_dups=True \
--task-option ipa2_ctg_prefix="ctg." \
--task-option ipa2_reads_db_prefix="reads" \
--task-option ipa2_cleanup_intermediate_files=True \
--task-option dataset_filters="" \
--task-option filter_min_qv=20 \
--nproc 8
```

The default options for this workflow should work well for any types of genomes.

If the assembly is run on a single local node with high CPU count, such as 64 cores, we recommend that the job submission for pbcromwell is configured so that it uses 4 concurrent jobs and 16 threads per job.

We found this to be more efficient than using 64 threads and 1 concurrent job, as many steps are very data I/O-dependent.

You can apply a similar principle for compute environments with more or fewer cores. For example, for a machine with 80 cores, one can use 20 threads and 4 concurrent jobs.

# **Genome Assembly Parameters**

Option	Default Value	Description
-e,eid_ccs	NONE	Optional parameter, required iftask-option reads <input/> is not specified. This is a SMRT Link-specific input parameter and supports only PacBio Consensusreadset XML files as input.
task-option reads	NONE	Optional parameter, required if -e <input/> is <b>not</b> specified. Supports multiple input formats: FASTA, FASTQ, BAM, XML, FOFN and gzipped versions of FASTA/FASTQ.
task-option ipa2_genome_size	0	The approximate number of base pairs expected in the genome. This is used only for downsampling; if the value is ≤ 0, downsampling is disabled. <b>Note</b> : It is better to slightly overestimate rather than underestimate the genome length to ensure good coverage across the genome.
task-option ipa2_downsampled_coverage	0	The input Data Set can be downsampled to a desired coverage, provided that both the ipa2_downsampled_coverage and ipa2_genome_size
		options are specified and >0.  Downsampling applies to the <b>entire</b> assembly process, including polishing.
		This parameter selects reads randomly, using a fixed random seed for reproducibility.
task-option ipa2_advanced_options	NONE	A semicolon-separated list of KEY=VALUE pairs. New line characters are not accepted. (These are described later in this document.)
task-option ipa2_run_polishing	TRUE	Enables or disables the polishing stage of the workflow. Polishing can be disabled to perform fast draft assemblies.
task-option ipa2_run_phasing	TRUE	Enables or disables the phasing stage of the workflow. Phasing can be disabled to assemble haploid genomes, or to perform fast draft assemblies.
task-option ipa2_run_purge_dups	TRUE	Enables or disables identification of "duplicate" alternate haplotype contigs which may be assembled in the primary contig file, and moves them to the associate contig (haplotig) file.
task-option ipa2_ctg_prefix	.ctg	The prefix used to label the output generated contigs.
task-option ipa2_reads_db_prefix	reads	The prefix of the sequence and seed databases which will be used internally for assembly.
task-option ipa2_cleanup_intermediate _files	TRUE	Removes intermediate files from the run directory to save space.
task-option dataset_filters	NONE	(General pbcromwell option) A semicolon-separated (not comma-separated) list of other filters to add to the Data Set.
task-option filter_min_qv	20	(General pbcromwell option) Phred-scale integer QV cutoff for filtering HiFi Reads. The default for all applications (except Iso-Seq analysis) is 20 (QV 20), or 99% predicted accuracy.
config	NONE	(General pbcromwell option) Java configuration file for running Cromwell.
nproc	1	(General pbcromwell option) Number of processors per task.

### **Input Files**

- \*.bam file containing PacBio data.
- \*.fasta or \*.fastq file containing PacBio data.
- \*.xml file containing PacBio data.
- \*.fofn files with file names of files containing PacBio data.

#### **Output Files**

- final\_purged\_primary.fasta file containing assembled primary contigs.
- final\_purged\_haplotigs.fasta file containing assembled haplotigs.

#### **Advanced Parameters**

Advanced parameters should be rarely modified. For the special cases when that is required, advanced parameters are documented below.

Advanced parameters specified on the command line:

- Are in the form of key = value pairs.
- Each pair is separated by a semicolon (;) character.
- The full set of advanced parameters is surrounded by one set of double quotes.
- The specified value of a parameter overwrites the default options for that key – all desired options of that parameter must be explicitly listed, not just the ones which should change from the default.
- Setting an empty value **clears** the parameter; it does **not** reset the value back to default.

#### **Example:**

--task-option ipa2\_advanced\_options="config\_seeddb\_opt=-k 30;config\_block\_size=2048"

#### **Complete List of Available Advanced Parameters and Default Values:**

Advanced Parameters	Default Value	Description
config_genome_size	0	The approximate number of base pairs expected in the genome, used to determine the coverage cutoff. This is only used for downsampling; 0 turns downsampling off.
		<b>Note</b> : It is better to slightly overestimate rather than underestimate the genome length to ensure good coverage across the genome.
config_coverage	0	The input Data Set can be downsampled to a desired coverage, provided that both the Downsampled coverage and Genome Length parameters are specified and above 0.
		Downsampling applies to the <b>entire</b> assembly process, including polishing. This feature selects reads randomly, using a fixed random seed for reproducibility.

Advanced Parameters	Default Value	Description
config_polish_run	1	Enables or disables the polishing stage of the workflow. Polishing can be disabled to perform fast draft assemblies. 0 disables this feature; 1 enables it.
config_phase_run	1	Enables or disables the phasing stage of the workflow. Phasing can be disabled to assemble haploid genomes, or to perform fast draft assemblies. 0 disables this feature; 1 enables it.
config_purge_dups_run	1	Enables or disables the purge_dups stage of the workflow. 0 disables this feature; 1 enables it.
config_autocomp_max_cov	1	If enabled, the maximum allowed overlap coverage at either the 5' or the 3' end of every read is automatically determined based on the statistics computed from the overlap piles. This value is appended to the config ovl_filter opt value internally, and supersedes the manually specifiedmax-cov andmax-diff values of that parameter. These options are used to determine potential repeats and filter out those reads before the string graph is constructed. 0 disables this feature; 1 enables it.
config_block_size	4096	The overlapping process is performed on pairs of blocks of input sequences, where each block contains the number of sequences which crop up to this size (in Mbp). <b>Note</b> : The number of pairwise comparisons grows quadratically with the number of blocks (meaning more cluster jobs), but also the larger the block size the more resources are required to execute each pairwise comparison.
config_existing_db_prefix	NONE	Allows injection of an existing SeqDB, so that one doesn't have to be built from scratch. The provided existing DB is symbolically linked and used for assembly. (This option is intended for debugging purposes.)

Advanced Parameters	Default Value	Description
config_ovl_filter_opt	max-diff 80max-cov 100min-cov 2bestn 10min-len 4000gapFiltminDepth 4idt-stage2 98	Overlap filter options. gapFilt - Enables the chimera filter, which analyzes each pread's overlap pile, and determines whether a pread is chimeric based on the local coverage across the pread. minDepth - Option for the chimera filter. The chimera filter is ignored when a local region of a read has coverage lower than this value.  The other parameters are: min-cov - Minimum allowed coverage at either the 5' or the 3' end of a read. If the coverage is <b>below</b> this value, the read is blacklisted and all of the overlaps it is incident with are ignored. This helps remove potentially chimeric reads. max-cov - Maximum allowed coverage at either the 5' or the 3' end of a read. If the coverage is <b>above</b> this value, the read is blacklisted and all of the overlaps it is incident with are ignored. This helps remove repetitive reads which can make tangles in the string graph. Note that this value is a heuristic which works well for ~30x seed length cutoff. If the cutoff is set higher, we advise that this value be also increased. Alternatively, using the autocompute max cov option can automatically estimate the value of this parameter, which can improve contiguity (for example, in cases when the input genome size or the seed coverage were overestimated). max-diff - Maximum allowed difference between the coverage is <b>above</b> this value, the read is blacklisted and all of the overlaps it is incident with are ignored. If the autocompute max cov option is used, then the same computed value is supplied to this parameter as well. bestn - Keep at most this many overlaps on the 5' and the 3' side of any particular read. min-len - Filter overlaps where either A-read or the B-read are shorter than this value. idt-stage2 - Filter overlaps with identity below 98%. high-copy-sample-rate - Controls the downsampling of reads from high copy elements to the expected coverage determined by maxCov*rate, where rate is the value of this parameter. If rate is 0, then these high coverage reads are discarded.
config_ovl_min_idt	98	The final overlap identity threshold. Applied during the final filtering stage, right before the overlaps are passed to the layout stage.
config_ovl_min_len	1000	The minimum length of either A-read or a B-read to keep the overlap. Applied during the final filtering stage, right before the overlaps are passed to the layout stage.
config_ovl_opt	one-hit-per- target min-idt 96	Overlapping options for the pancake overlapping tool. The options set by this parameter here are passed directly to pancake. For details on pancake options, use pancake -h.  The defaults used here are:one-hit-per-target which keeps only the best hit in case there are multiple possible overlaps between a pair of reads (tandem repeats); andmin-idt 96 which will filter out any overlap with identity lower than 96%.

Advanced Parameters	Default Value	Description
config_phasing_opt	NONE	Options for the phasing tool nighthawk. The options set by this parameter are passed directly to nighthawk. For details on nighthawk options, use nighthawk -h.
config_phasing_split_opt	split-type noverlaps limit 3000000	Options that control the chunking of the phasing jobs, and through that regulate the time and memory consumption of each individual chunk.
		The defaults are:split-type noverlaps which splits the chunks by the number of overlaps; andlimit 3000000 which allow at most approximately 3 million overlaps per chunk.
		Empirically, the current defaults keep the maximum memory consumption (RSS) of the phasing jobs under 4 GB per chunk.
config_polish_min_len	50000	Primary contigs shorter than this size (in bp) will <b>not</b> be polished and appear in the final output.
config_seeddb_opt	-k 30 -w 80 space 1	Options to control the seed computation. These options are passed directly to the pancake seeddb command.  Defaults: -k 30 is the k-mer size of 30bp; -w 80 is the minimizer window size of 80bp; andspace 1 specifies the spacing for spaced seed construction, with 1 gap in between every two bases of the seed.  For more details on these and other options, use pancake seeddb -h.
config_seqdb_opt	compression 1	Options to control the construction of the sequence database. These options are passed directly to the pancake seqdb command.  Current default iscompression 1 which turns on the 2-bit encoding compression of the sequences.  For more details on these and other options, use pancake seqdb -h.
config_use_hpc	0	This parameter enables (1) or disables (0) an experimental Homopolymer Compression feature.  If this feature is enabled, the overlaps are computed from homopolymer-compressed sequences. The layout stage is somewhat slower because the sequences have to be aligned to determine the correct homopolymer-expanded coordinates.
config_use_seq_ids	1	This feature is mostly useful for debugging purposes. If 0 is specified, then the overlaps contain original sequence names instead of their numerical IDs.  The default of 1 uses the numerical IDs to represent reads, which uses memory much more efficiently.
config_purge_map_opt	min-map-len 1000 min-idt 98.0 bestn 5	This option is used to control the mapping of the reads to contigs for the <code>purge_dups</code> tool. The mapper used is <code>pancake</code> , and the options set by this parameter are used directly by <code>pancake</code> . For details on <code>pancake</code> options, use <code>pancake -h</code> .
		Optionmin-map-len 1000 removes any alignment which did not span more than 1000 bp during the mapping process;min-idt 98.0 removes any alignment with identity below 98.0%, andbestn 5 keeps at most 5 top scoring alignments for each query read (one primary alignment and at most 4 secondary alignments).

Advanced Parameters	Default Value	Description
config_purge_dups_calcuts	NONE	The third-party tool <code>purge_dups</code> can accept user-defined cutoffs for purging. On some genomes, the automated computation of the cutoffs in <code>purge_dups</code> can result in suboptimal values, and in this case a user can specify them manually.
		This option is passed directly to the purge_dups_calcuts tool. For details on the possible values that can be passed to this tool, use ipa_purge_dups_calcuts without parameters.
		Relevant parameters include:
		-1 INT Lower bound for read depth.
		-m INT Transition between haploid and diploid.
		-u INT Upper bound for read depth.
<pre>config_m4filt_high_copy_s ample_rate</pre>	1.0	This option is passed to the <code>high-copy-sample-rate</code> parameter of the overlap filter, which controls the downsampling of reads from high copy elements to the expected coverage determined by <code>maxCov*rate</code> , where <code>rate</code> is the value of this parameter. If <code>0</code> , then these high coverage reads are discarded.
		<b>Note</b> : This parameter supersedes the config_ovl_filter_opt options.
config_max_polish_block_m b	100	During the polishing stage, contigs are grouped into chunks of approximate size specified by this parameter (in megabases). Each chunk is processed separately and in parallel (depending on the system configuration).

# **ipdSummary**

The ipdSummary tool detects DNA base-modifications from kinetic signatures. It is part of the kineticsTool package.

kineticsTool loads IPDs observed at each position in the genome, compares those IPDs to value expected for unmodified DNA, and outputs the result of this statistical test. The expected IPD value for unmodified DNA can come from either an in-silico control or an amplified control. The in-silico control is trained by Pacific Biosciences and shipped with the package. It predicts the IPD using the local sequence context around the current position. An amplified control Data Set is generated by sequencing unmodified DNA with the same sequence as the test sample. An amplified control sample is usually generated by whole-genome amplification of the original sample.

#### **Modification Detection**

The basic mode of kineticsTool does an independent comparison of IPDs at each position on the genome, for each strand, and outputs various statistics to CSV and GFF files (after applying a significance filter).

## **Modifications Identification**

kineticsTool also has a Modification Identification mode that can decode multi-site IPD "fingerprints" into a reduced set of calls of specific modifications. This feature has the following benefits:

- Different modifications occurring on the same base can be distinguished; for example, 6mA and 4mC.
- The signal from one modification is combined into one statistic, improving sensitivity, removing extra peaks, and correctly centering the call.

# **Algorithm: Synthetic Control**

Studies of the relationship between IPD and sequence context reveal that most of the variation in mean IPD across a genome can be predicted from a 12-base sequence context surrounding the active site of the DNA polymerase. The bounds of the relevant context window correspond to the window of DNA in contact with the polymerase, as seen in DNA/ polymerase crystal structures. To simplify the process of finding DNA modifications with PacBio data, the tool includes a pre-trained lookup table mapping 12-mer DNA sequences to mean IPDs observed in C2 chemistry.

# **Algorithm: Filtering and Trimming**

kineticsTool uses the Mapping QV generated by pbmm2 and stored in the cmp.h5 or BAM file (or AlignmentSet) to **ignore** reads that are not confidently mapped. The default minimum Mapping QV required is 10, implying that pbmm2 has 90% confidence that the read is correctly mapped. Because of the range of read lengths inherent in PacBio data, this can be changed using the --mapQvThreshold option.

There are a few features of PacBio data that require special attention to achieve good modification detection performance. kineticsTool inspects the alignment between the observed bases and the reference sequence for an IPD measurement to be included in the analysis. The PacBio read sequence **must** match the reference sequence for k around the cognate base. In the current module, k=1. The IPD distribution at some locus can be thought of as a mixture between the "normal" incorporation process IPD, which is sensitive to the local sequence context and DNA modifications, and a contaminating "pause" process IPD, which has a much longer duration (mean > 10 times longer than normal), but happen rarely (~1% of IPDs).

**Note**: Our current understanding is that pauses do **not** carry useful information about the methylation state of the DNA; however a more careful analysis may be warranted. Also note that modifications that drastically increase the roughly 1% of observed IPDs are generated by pause events. Capping observed IPDs at the global 99<sup>th</sup> percentile is motivated by theory from robust hypothesis testing. Some sequence contexts may have naturally longer IPDs; to avoid capping too much data at those contexts, the cap threshold is adjusted per context as follows:

```
capThreshold = max(global99, 5*modelPrediction,
percentile(ipdObservations, 75))
```

## **Algorithm: Statistical Testing**

We test the hypothesis that IPDs observed at a particular locus in the sample have longer means than IPDs observed at the same locus in unmodified DNA. If we have generated a Whole Genome Amplified Data Set, which removes DNA modifications, we use a case-control, two-sample t-test. This tool also provides a pre-calibrated "synthetic control" model which predicts the unmodified IPD, given a 12-base sequence context. In the synthetic control case we use a one-sample t-test, with an adjustment to account for error in the synthetic control model.

#### Usage

To run using a BAM input, and output GFF and HDF5 files:

```
ipdSummary aligned.bam --reference ref.fasta m6A,m4C --gff basemods.gff \backslash --csv h5 kinetics.h5
```

To run using <code>cmp.h5</code> input, perform methyl fraction calculation, and output GFF and CSV files:

ipdSummary aligned.cmp.h5 --reference ref.fasta m6A,m4C --methylFraction \ --qff basemods.qff --csv kinetics.csv

Output Options	Description
gff FILENAME	GFF format.
csv FILENAME	Comma-separated value format.
csv_h5 FILENAME	Compact binary-equivalent of .csv, in HDF5 format.
bigwig FILENAME	BigWig file format.

#### Input Files

- A standard PacBio alignment file either AlignmentSet XML, BAM, or cmp. h5 - containing alignments and IPD information.
- Reference sequence used to perform alignments. This can be either a FASTA file or a ReferenceSet XML.

#### **Output Files**

The tool provides results in a variety of formats suitable for in-depth statistical analysis, quick reference, and consumption by visualization tools. Results are generally indexed by reference position and reference strand. In all cases the strand value refers to the strand carrying the modification in the DNA sample. Remember that the kinetic effect of the modification is observed in read sequences aligning to the opposite strand. So reads aligning to the positive strand carry information about modification on the negative strand and vice versa, but the strand containing the putative modification is always reported.

 modifications.gff: Compliant with the GFF Version 3 specification. Each template position/strand pair whose probability value exceeds the probability value threshold appears as a row. The template position is 1-based, per the GFF specifications. The strand column refers to the strand carrying the detected modification, which is the opposite strand from those used to detect the modification. The GFF confidence column is a Phred-transformed probability value of detection.

The auxiliary data column of the GFF file contains other statistics which may be useful for downstream analysis or filtering. These include the coverage level of the reads used to make the call, and +/-20 bp sequence context surrounding the site.

modifications.csv: Contains one row for each (reference position, strand) pair that appeared in the Data Set with coverage at least x. x defaults to 3, but is configurable with the --minCoverage option. The reference position index is 1-based for compatibility with the GFF file in the R environment. Note that this output type scales poorly and is not recommended for large genomes; the HDF5 output should perform much better in these cases.

## **Output Columns: In-Silico Control Mode**

Column	Description
refId	Reference sequence ID of this observation.
tpl	1-based template position.
strand	Native sample strand where kinetics were generated. 0 is the strand of the original FASTA, 1 is opposite strand from FASTA.
base	The cognate base at this position in the reference.
score	Phred-transformed probability value that a kinetic deviation exists at this position.
tMean	Capped mean of normalized IPDs observed at this position.
tErr	Capped standard error of normalized IPDs observed at this position (standard deviation/sqrt(coverage)).
modelPrediction	Normalized mean IPD predicted by the synthetic control model for this sequence context.
ipdRatio	tMean/modelPrediction.
coverage	Count of valid IPDs at this position.
frac	Estimate of the fraction of molecules that carry the modification.
fracLow	2.5% confidence bound of the frac estimate.
fracUpp	97.5% confidence bound of the frac estimate.

# **Output Columns: Case Control Mode**

Column	Description
refId	Reference sequence ID of this observation.
tpl	1-based template position.
strand	Native sample strand where kinetics were generated. 0 is the strand of the original FASTA, 1 is opposite strand from FASTA.

Column	Description
base	The cognate base at this position in the reference.
score	Phred-transformed probability value that a kinetic deviation exists at this position.
caseMean	Mean of normalized case IPDs observed at this position.
controlMean	Mean of normalized control IPDs observed at this position.
caseStd	Standard deviation of case IPDs observed at this position.
controlStd	Standard deviation of control IPDs observed at this position.
ipdRatio	tMean/modelPrediction.
testStatistic	T-test statistic.
coverage	Mean of case and control coverage.
controlCoverage	Count of valid control IPDs at this position.
caseCoverage	Count of valid case IPDs at this position.

# isoseq3

The <code>isoseq3</code> tool enables analysis and functional characterization of transcript isoforms for sequencing data generated on PacBio instruments. The analysis is performed *de novo*, without a reference genome.

## Usage

isoseq3 <tool>

Options	Description
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.
version	Displays program version number and exits

# Typical workflow

1. If you don't already have CCS Reads, generate them from a subreads BAM file. By default, CCS Analysis will run with Polish=ON (contains QVs).

ccs movie.subreads.bam movie.ccs.bam --min-rq 0.9

2. Visualize primers, then remove primers and demultiplex:

cat primers.fasta
>5p
GCAATGAAGTCGCAGGGTTGGGG
>3p
GTACTCTGCGTTGATACCACTGCTT

lima movie.ccs.bam primers.fasta demux.bam --isoseq

See "Demultiplex Barcodes" on page 21 for details on the lima tool.

3. Remove noise from FL reads:

isoseq3 refine demux.5p--3p.bam primers.fasta flnc.bam --require-polya

4. Cluster consensus sequences to generate transcripts. This will generate unpolished.hq.bam and unpolished.hq.fasta.gz files, which are the high-quality (HQ) transcripts that should be analyzed further.

Note: HQ transcripts generated from this step do not contain Quality Values.

isoseq3 cluster flnc.bam unpolished.bam --use-qvs

5. (**Optional**) If QVs are desired, run isoseq3 polish, which takes significantly longer to complete:

isoseq3 polish unpolished.bam movie.subreads.bam polished.bam

6. **(Optional)** Map transcripts to the genome and collapse HQ transcripts based on genomic mapping:

```
pbmm2 align unpolished.bam reference.fasta aligned.sorted.bam --preset ISOSEQ --sort
isoseq3 collapse aligned.sorted.bam out.gff Or
isoseq3 collapse aligned.sorted.bam movie.ccs.bam out.gff
```

See "pbmm2" on page 75 for details.

refine Tool: Remove polyA and concatemers from full-length (FL) reads and generate full-length non-concatemer (FLNC) transcripts (FL to FLNC).

## Usage

isoseq refine [options] <ccs.demux.bam|xml> <primer.fasta|xml>
<flnc.bam|xml>

Inputs/Outputs	Description
ccs.demux.bam xml	Input demultiplexed CCS Reads BAM or ConsensusReadSet XML file.
primer.fasta xml	Input primer FASTA or BarcodeSet XML file.
flnc.bam xml	Output finc BAM or ConsensusReadSet XML file.

Preprocessing	Description
min-polya-length	Specifies the minimum poly(A) tail length. (Default = 20)
require-polya	Requires FL reads to have a poly(A) tail and remove it.

Options	Description
help, -h	Displays help information and exits.
version	Displays program version number and exits.
verbose, -v	Sets the verbosity level.
-j,num-threads	Specifies the number of threads to use; 0 means autodetection. (Default = 0)
log-file	Writes the log to a file. (Default = stderr)

Options	Description
log-level	Specifies the log level; values are [DEBUG, INFO, WARN, TRACE, FATAL]. (Default = WARN)

cluster Tool: Cluster FLNC reads and generate transcripts.

## **Usage**

isoseq3 cluster [options] input output

## **Example**

isoseq3 cluster movie.consensusreadset.xml unpolished.bam

# **Custom BAM Tags**

isoseq3 cluster adds the following custom PacBio tags to the output BAM file:

- ib: Barcode summary: triplets delimited by semicolons, each triplet contains two barcode indices and the ZMW counts, delimited by commas. Example: 0,1,20;0,3,5
- im: ZMW names associated with this isoform.
- is: Number of ZMWs associated with this isoform.

Inputs/Outputs	Description
input	flnc.bam file or movie.consensusreadset.xml file.
output	unpolished.bam file or unpolished.transcriptset.xml file.

Options	Description
s1	Specifies the number of seeds for minimer-only clustering. (Default = 1000)
s2	Specifies the number of seeds for DP clustering. (Default = 1000)
poa-cov	Specifies the maximum number of CCS Reads used for POA consensus. (Default = 10)
use-qvs	Use CCS Analysis Quality Values; setspoa-cov to 100.
split-bam	Splits BAM output files into a maximum of N files; 0 means no splitting. (Default = 0)
min-subreads-split	Subread threshold for High-Quality/Low-Quality split; only works withuse-qvs. (Default = 7)
log-level	Specifies the log level; values are [DEBUG, INFO, WARN, ERROR, CRITICAL]. (Default = WARN)
-v,verbose	Uses verbose output.
-j,num-threads	Specifies the number of threads to use; 0 means autodetection. (Default = 0)
log-file	Writes the log to a file. (Default = stdout)

polish Tool: Polish transcripts using Continuous Long Reads subreads.

# **Usage**

isoseq3 polish [options] input\_1 input\_2 output

## **Custom BAM Tags**

isoseq3 polish adds the following custom PacBio tags to the output BAM file:

- iz: Maximum number of subreads used for polishing.
- rq: Predicted accuracy for polished isoform.

## Example

isoseq3 polish unpolished.bam movie.subreadset.xml polished.bam

Inputs/Outputs	Description
input_1	unpolished.bam file or unpolished.transcriptset.xml file.
input_2	movie.subreads.bam file or movie.subreadset.xml file.
output	polished.bam file or polished.transcriptset.xml file.

Options	Description
-r,rq-cutoff	Specifies the RQ cutoff for fastx output. (Default = 0.99)
-c,coverage	Specifies the maximum number of subreads used for polishing. (Default = 60)
log-level	Specifies the log level; values are [DEBUG, INFO, WARN, ERROR, CRITICAL]. (Default = WARN)
-v,verbose	Uses verbose output.
-j,num-threads	Specifies the number of threads to use; 0 means autodetection. (Default = 0)
log-file	Writes the log to a file. (Default = stdout)

summarize Tool: Create a .csv-format barcode overview from transcripts.

## **Usage**

isoseq3 summarize [options] input output

#### Example

isoseq3 summarize polished.bam summary.csv

Inputs/Outputs	Description
input	unpolished.bam file or polished.bam file.
output	summary.csv file.

Options	Description
log-level	Specifies the log level; values are [DEBUG, INFO, WARN, ERROR, CRITICAL]. (Default = WARN)
-v,verbose	Uses verbose output.
log-file	Writes the log to file. (Default = stdout)

collapse Tool: Collapse transcripts based on genomic mapping.

## **Usage**

isoseq3 collapse [options] <alignments.bam|xml> <ccs.bam|xml>
<out.fastq>

# **Examples:**

isoseq3 collapse aligned.sorted.bam out.gff
or
isoseq3 collapse aligned.sorted.bam ccs.bam out.gff

Inputs/Outputs	Description
alignments	Alignments mapping polished or unpolished transcripts to the reference genome. (BAM or XML file).
ccs.bam	Optional input BAM file containing CCS Reads.
out.fastq	Collapsed transcripts in FASTQ format.

Options	Description
min-aln-coverage	Ignores alignments with less than the Minimum Query Coverage. (Default = 0 . 95)
min-aln-identity	Ignores alignments with less than the Minimum Alignment Identity. (Default = 0.50)
max-fuzzy-junction	Ignores mismatches or indels shorter than or equal to N. (Default = 5)
version	Displays program version number and exits.
log-file	Writes the log to file. (Default = stderr)
log-level	Specifies the log level; values are [DEBUG, INFO, WARN, ERROR, CRITICAL]. (Default = WARN)
-j,num-threads	Specifies the number of threads to use; 0 means autodetection. (Default = 0)

#### juliet

juliet is a general-purpose minor variant caller that identifies and phases minor single nucleotide substitution variants in complex populations. It identifies codon-wise variants in coding regions, performs a reference-guided *de novo* variant discovery, and annotates known drug-resistance mutations. Insertion and deletion variants are currently ignored; support will be added in a future version. There is no technical limitation with respect to the target organism or gene.

The underlying model is a statistical test, the Bonferroni-corrected Fisher's Exact test. It compares the number of observed mutated codons to the number of expected mutations at a given position.

<code>juliet</code> uses JSON target configuration files to define different genes in longer reference sequences, such as overlapping open reading frames in HIV. These predefined configurations ease batch applications and allow immediate reproducibility. A target configuration may contain multiple coding regions within one reference sequence and optional drug resistance mutation positions.

#### Notes:

- The preinstalled target configurations are meant for a quick start. It is the user's responsibility to ensure that the target configurations used are correct and up-to-date.
- If the target configuration none was specified, the provided reference is assumed to be in-frame.

#### **Performance**

At a coverage of 6,000 CCS Reads with a predicted accuracy (RQ) of  $\geq 0.99$ , the false positive and false negative rates are below 1% and 0.001% ( $10^{-5}$ ), respectively.

# **Usage**

juliet --config "HIV" data.align.bam patientZero.html

Required	Description
input_file.bam	Input aligned BAM file containing CCS Reads, which must be PacBiocompliant, that is, cigar M is forbidden.
output_file.html	Output report HTML file.

Configuration	Description
config,-c	Path to the target configuration JSON file, predefined target configuration tag, or the JSON string.
mode-phasing,-p	Phase variants and cluster haplotypes.

Restrictions	Description
region,-r	Specifies the genomic region of interest; reads are clipped to that region. Empty means <b>all</b> reads.
drm-only,-k	Only reports DRM positions specified in the target configuration. Can be used to filter for drug-resistance mutations - only known variants from the target configuration are called.
min-perc,-m	Specifies the minimum variant percentage to report.  Example:min-perc 1 will only show variant calls with an observed abundance of more than 1%. (Default = 0)

Restrictions	Description
max-perc,-n	Specifies the maximum variant percentage to report.  Example:max-perc 95 will only show variant calls with an observed abundance of less than 95%. (Default = 100)

Chemistry Override (Specify both)	Description
sub,-s	Specifies the substitution rate. Use to override the learned rate. (Default = 0)
del,-d	Specifies the deletion rate. Use to override the learned rate. (Default = 0)

Options	Description
help, -h	Displays help information and exits.
verbose, -v	Sets the verbosity level.
version	Displays program version number and exits.
debug	Returns all amino acids, irrespective of their relevance.
mode-phasing,-p	Phases variants and cluster haplotypes.

# **Input Files**

- BAM-format files containing CCS Reads. These must be PacBiocompliant, that is, cigar M is forbidden.
- Input CCS Reads should have a minimal predicted accuracy of 0.99.
- Reads should be created with CCS Analysis using the --richQVs option. Without the --richQVs information, the number of false positive calls might be higher, as juliet is missing information to filter actual heteroduplexes in the sample provided.
- juliet currently does **not** demultiplex barcoded data; you must provide one BAM file per barcode.

# **Output Files**

A JSON and/or HTML file:

```
juliet data.align.bam patientZero.html
juliet data.align.bam patientZero.json
juliet data.align.bam patientZero.html patientZero.json
```

The HTML file includes the same content as the JSON file, but in more human-readable format. The HTML file contains four sections:

#### 1. Input Data

Summarizes the data provided, the exact call for <code>juliet</code>, and <code>juliet</code> version for traceability purposes.

### 2. Target Config

Summarizes details of the provided target configuration for traceability. This includes the configuration version, reference name and length, and annotated genes. Each gene name (in bold) is followed by the reference start, end positions, and possibly known drug resistance mutations.

#### **▼** Target config

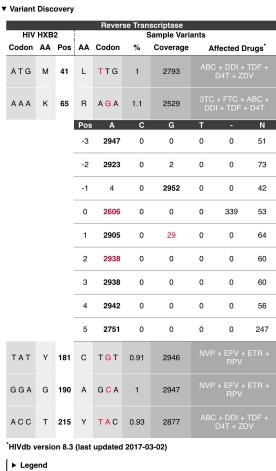
```
Config Version:
               Predefined v1.1, PacBio internal
Reference Name: HIV HXB2
Reference Length: 9719
Genes:
  • 5'LTR (1-634)
  • p17 (790-1186)
  • p24 (1186-1879)
  • p2 (1879-1921)
  • p7 (1921-2086)
  • p1 (2086-2134)
  • p6 (2134-2292)
  • Protease (2253-2550)
       o atv/r: v32I L33F M46I M46L I47V G48V G48M I50L I54V I54T I54A I54L I54M V82A V82T V82F V82S I84V N88S L90M
       o DRV/r: V32I L33F I47V I47A I50V I54L I54M L76V V8F I84V
       • FPV/r: V321 L33F M461 M46L 147V 147A 150V 154V 154T 154A 154L 154M L76V V82A V82T V82F V82S 184V L90M
       o IDV/r: V32I M46I M46L I47V I54V I54T I54A I54L I54M L76V V82A V82T V82F V82S I84V N88S L90M
       O NFV: D30N L33F M46I M46L 147V G48V G48M 154V 154T 154A 154L 154M V82A V82T V82F V82S 184V N88D N88S L90M
       o SQV/r: G48V G48M I54V I54T I54A I54L I54M V82A V82T I84V N88S L90M
       o TPV/r: V32I L33F M46I M46L I47V I47A I54V I54A I54M V82T V82L I84V
```

#### 3. Variant Discovery

For each gene/open reading frame, there is one overview table.

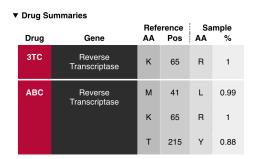
Each row represents a variant position.

- Each variant position consists of the reference codon, reference amino acid, relative amino acid position in the gene, mutated codon, percentage, mutated amino acid, coverage, and possible affected drugs.
- Clicking the row displays counts of the multiple-sequence alignment counts of the -3 to +3 context positions.



## 4. Drug Summaries

Summarizes the variants grouped by annotated drug mutations:



# **Predefined Target Configuration**

juliet ships with one predefined target configuration, for HIV. Following is the command syntax for running that predefined target configuration:

juliet --config "HIV" data.align.bam patientZero.html



• **Note**: For the predefined configuration HIV, please use the HIV HXB2 complete genome for alignment.

# **Customized Target Configuration**

To define your own target configuration, create a JSON file. The root child genes contains a list of coding regions, with begin and end, the name of the gene, and a list of drug resistant mutations. Each DRM consists of its name and the positions it targets. The drms field is optional. If provided, the referenceSequence is used to call mutations, otherwise it will be tested against the major codon. All indices are with respect to the provided alignment space, 1-based, begin-inclusive and end-exclusive [).

**Target Configuration Example 1-** A customized json target configuration file named my customized hiv.json:

```
"version": "Free text to version your config files"
  "databaseVersion": "DrugDB version x.y.z (last updated YYYY-MM-DD)"
}
```

Run with a customized target configuration using the --config option:

juliet --config my customized hiv.json data.align.bam patientZero.html

#### **Valid Formats for DRMs/positions**

```
Only the reference position.

M130 Reference amino acid and reference position.

M103L Reference aa, reference position, mutated aa.

M103LKA Reference aa, reference position, list of possible mutated aas.

Reference position and mutated aa.

Reference position and list mutated aas.
```

Missing amino acids are processed as wildcard (\*).

#### Example:

```
{ "name": "ATV/r", "positions": [ "V32I", "L33", "46IL", "I54VTALM", "V82ATFS", "84" ] }
```

#### Target Configuration Example 2 - BCR-ABL:

For BCR-ABL, using the ABL1 gene with the following reference NM 005157.5, a typical target configuration looks like this:

```
"genes": [
          "name": "ABL1",
          "begin": 193,
          "end": 3585,
          "drms": [
              {
                  "name": "imatinib",
                  "positions": [
                    "T315AI", "Y253H", "E255KV", "V299L", "F317AICLV", "F359CIV" ]
              },
                  "name": "dasatinib",
                  "positions": [ "T315AI", "V299L", "F317AICLV" ]
              },
                  "name": "nilotinib",
                  "positions": [ "T315AI", "Y253H", "E255KV", "F359CIV" ]
              },
                  "name": "bosutinib",
                  "positions": [ "T315AI" ]
         ]
     }
 ],
"referenceName": "NM 005157.5",
 "referenceSequence": "TTAACAGGCGCGTCCC..."
```

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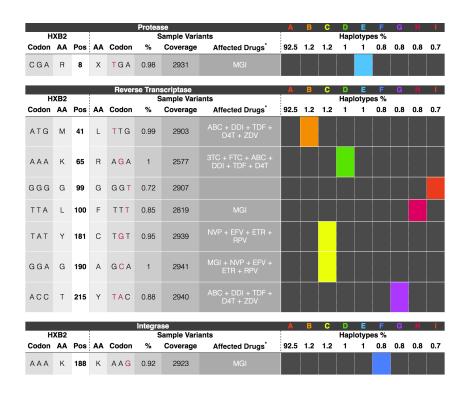
# **No Target Configuration**

If **no** target configuration is specified, either make sure that the sequence is in-frame, or specify the region of interest to mark the correct reading frame, so that amino acids are correctly translated. The output is labeled with <code>unknown</code> as the gene name:

juliet data.align.bam patientZero.html

## **Phasing**

The default mode is to call amino-acid/codon variants independently. Using the <code>--mode-phasing</code> option, variant calls from distinct haplotypes are clustered and visualized in the HTML output.



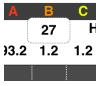
- The row-wise variant calls are "transposed" onto per-column haplotypes. Each haplotype has an ID: [A-Z] {1} [a-z]?.
- For each variant, colored boxes in this row mark haplotypes that contain this variant.
- Colored boxes per haplotype/column indicate variants that co-occur.
   Wild type (no variant) is represented by plain dark gray. A color palette helps to distinguish between columns.
- The JSON variant positions has an additional haplotype\_hit boolean array with the length equal to the number of haplotypes. Each entry indicates if that variant is present in the haplotype. A haplotype block under the root of the JSON file contains counts and read names. The order of those haplotypes matches the order of all haplotype\_hit arrays.

There are two types of tooltips in the haplotype section of the table.

The first tooltip is for the **Haplotypes** % and shows the number of reads that count towards (A) Actually reported haplotypes, (B) Haplotypes that have less than 10 reads and are not being reported, and (C) Haplotypes that are not suitable for phasing. Those first three categories are mutually exclusive and their sum is the total number of reads going into <code>juliet</code>. For (C), the three different marginals provide insights into the sample quality; as they are marginals, they are not exclusive and can overlap. The following image shows a sample with bad PCR conditions:

1	Haplotype Category						#Re	ads		
		orted		·90.,				173		
			t Cove	erage	(unre	eporte	d)	66		
	Ove	rall Da	amage	ed (ur	repor	ted)	,	389	4	
	- Marginal Gaps				786					
	- Marginal Heteroduplexes				370	9				
1	- N	<b>1</b> argin	al Par	tial				76		
				Нар	lotyp	es %				
;	2.8	2.2	1.3	1	1	1	1	0.9	0.7	0

The second type of tooltip is for each haplotype percentage and shows the number of reads contributing to this haplotype:



Long Amplicon Analysis (LAA) finds phased consensus sequences from a pooled set of (possibly polyploid) amplicons sequenced with Pacific Biosciences' SMRT technology. Sometimes referred to as LAA2, the executable laa is a complete rewrite of the AmpliconAnalysis module from the ConsensusTools package included with earlier versions of SMRT Analysis, which performed a similar function in the Quiver framework. laa is a computational and memory-intensive software tool that builds upon the Arrow framework for generating high-quality consensus sequences. It is generally preferable to run laa using the SMRT Link interface for efficient distribution across a compute cluster. However, it is occasionally useful to run laa from the command-line to identify optimal parameter settings or to diagnose a problem.

#### **Run Modes**

AmpliconAnalysis is a general solution for the analysis of PCR products generated with SMRT sequencing, and it can be run in multiple configurations depending on the design of the experiment.

- 1. **Pooled Polyploid Amplicons**: The default mode assumes that the data contains a single complex mixture of amplicons, which may come from different genes and may have multiple alleles.
- 2. **Barcoded Polyploid Amplicons:** If passed a file of barcoding results, AmpliconAnalysis will instead separate the data by barcode and run the above process on each subset.
- Barcoded Simple Amplicons: Another common use case is to generate consensus sequences for a large number of simple amplicons, such as for synthetic construct validation or high-throughput screening.

## Input Files

laa **only** accepts PacBio-compatible BAM files or Data Set XML files as input.

In addition, the underlying files themselves now contain barcode information. This document assumes that you already have a barcoded PacBio BAM file containing the data to be analyzed.

## **Output Files**

laa produces two sets of FASTQ files containing a sequence for each phased template sequence in each coarse cluster, and for each barcode.

- amplicon\_analysis.fastq: Contains all of the high-quality non-artifactual sequences found.
- amplicon\_analysis\_chimeras\_noise.fastq: Contains sequences thought to be some form of PCR or sequencing artifact.

**Note**: A sequence is defined as an artifact if, in the summary CSV file, the value of either the <code>IsDuplicate</code>, <code>NoiseSequence</code> or <code>IsChimera column</code> is <code>True</code>.

- amplicon\_analysis\_summary.csv: Contains summary information about each read. Empty fields and values of -1 represent inapplicable columns, while fields with 1 represent True and 0 represents False. Contains the following fields:
  - BarcodeName: Name of the barcode the reads came from. This is set to 0 for non-barcode runs.
  - FastaName: Sequence ID or header string.
  - CoarseCluster: Number of the coarse cluster the sequence came from.
  - Phase: Number of the phase of the sequence in the coarse cluster.
  - TotalCoverage: Total number of subreads mapped to this sequence. This may be capped using the numPhasingReads option.
  - SequenceLength: Length of this consensus sequence.
  - ConsensusConverged: 1 if a final consensus was reached within the allotted iterations; 0 if otherwise. 0 may indicate problems with the underlying sample or data.

- PredictedAccuracy: Predicted accuracy of the consensus sequence, calculated by multiplying together the QVs generated by Arrow.
- NoiseSequence: 1 if the sequence has a low-quality consensus, corresponding to a predicted accuracy less than 95% indicating a probable PCR artifact; 0 if otherwise.
- IsDuplicate: 1 if the sequence is a duplicate of another with more coverage; 0 if otherwise.
- DuplicateOf: If IsDuplicate is 1, contains the name of the other sequence; otherwise empty.
- IsChimera: 1 if the sequence is tagged as a chimeric by the UCHIME-like chimera labeler; 0 if otherwise.
- ChimeraScore: UCHIME-like score for sequences tested as possible chimeras.
- ParentSequenceA: If chimeric, the name of the consensus thought to be the source of the left half.
- ParentSequenceB: If chimeric, the name of the consensus thought to be the source of the right half.
- CrossoverPosition: Position in the chimeric sequence where the junction between the parent sequences is thought to have occurred.
- amplicon\_analysis\_subreads.X.csv: Contains mapping probabilities for each subread used to call the consensus sequences generated. A **separate** file is written for **each** barcode pair, where x is replaced with the name of that pair. Contains the following fields:
  - SubreadId: The name of a particular subread used in the current run.
  - <A Consensus Sequence Name>: The mapping probability for the subread listed in SubreadId to the particular consensus sequence named.

#### Usage

laa [options] INPUT

Options	Description
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.
verbose, -v	Sets the verbosity level.
version	Displays program version number and exits.
log level	Sets the logging level. (Default = INFO)
rngSeed	RNG seed, modulates reservoir filtering of reads. (Default = 42)
generateBamIndex	Generates PacBio indicies (*.pbi) for BAM files that don't have them.
ignoreBamIndex	Ignores PacBio indicies (*.pbi) for BAM files if they exist.
-M,modelPath	Specifies the path to a model file or directory containing model files.
-m,modelSpec	Specifies the name of chemistry or model to use, overriding the default selection.
numThreads,-n	Specifies the number of threads to use; 0 means autodetection. (Default = 0)

Options	Description
takeN	Reports only the top ${\tt N}$ consensus sequences for each barcode. To <b>disable</b> , use a number less than 1. (Default = 0)
-t,trimEnds	Trims $\mathtt{N}$ bases from each end of each consensus. (Default = 0)
minPredictedAccuracy	Specifies the minimum predicted consensus accuracy below which a consensus is treated as noise. (Default = 0.949999988079071)
chimeraScoreThreshold	Specifies the minimum score to consider a sequence chimeric. (Default = 1)
ChimeraFilter	Activates the chimera filter and separate chimeric consensus outputs.
noChimeraFilter	Deactivates the chimera filter and outputs all consensus.
logFile	Output file to write logging information to.
resultFile	Output file name for high-quality results. (Default = amplicon_analysis.fastq)
junkFile	Output file name for low-quality or chimeric results. (Default = amplicon_analysis_chimeras_noise.fastq)
reportFile	Output file name for the summary report. (Default = amplicon_analysis_summary.csv)
inputReportFile	Output file name for the output estimates of input PCR quality, based on subread mappings. (Default = amplicon_analysis_input.csv)
subreadsReportPrefix	Prefix for the output subreads report. (Default = amplicon_analysis_subreads)
-b,barcodes	Specifies the FASTA file name of the barcode sequences used, which <b>overwrites</b> any barcode names in the Data Set. <b>Note</b> : This is used <b>only</b> to find barcode names.
minBarcodeScore	Specifies the minimum average barcode score required for subreads. (Default = 0)
fullLength	Filters input reads by presence of both flanking barcodes.
doBc	Specifies a comma-separated list of barcode pairs to analyse. This can be by name ("lbc1lbc1") or by Index ("00").
ignoreBc	Disables barcode filtering so that all data be treated as one sample.
-1,minLength	Specifies the minimum length of input reads to use. (Default = 3000)
-L,maxLength	Specifies the maximum length of input reads to use. To <b>disable</b> , set to $0$ . (Default = $0$ )
-s,minReadScore	Specifies the minimum read score of input reads to use. (Default = 0.75)
minSnr	Specifies the minimum SNR of input reads to use. (Default = 3.75)
whitelist	Specifies a file of ReadIds, in either Text or FASTA format, to allow from the input file. (Default = NONE)
-r,maxReads	Specifies the maximum number of input reads, per barcode, to use in analysis. (Default = 2000)
-c,maxClusteringReads	Specifies the maximum number of input reads to use in the initial clustering step. (Default = 500)
fullLengthPreference	Prefers full-length subreads when clustering.
fullLengthClustering	Uses only full-length subreads when clustering.
clusterInflation	Markov clustering inflation parameter. (Default = 2)

Options	Description
clusterLoopWeight	Markov clustering loop weight parameter. (Default = 0.0010000004749745)
skipRate	Skips some high-scoring alignments to disperse the cluster more. (Default = 0 . 0)
minClusterSize	Specifies the minimum number of reads supporting a cluster before it is reported. (Default = 20)
doCluster	Only analyzes one specified cluster. (Default = -1)
Clustering	Enables coarse clustering.
noClustering	Disables coarse clustering.
-i,ignoreEnds	When splitting, ignores ${\tt N}$ bases at the end. This prevents excessive splitting caused by degenerate primers. (Default = 0)
maxPhasingReads	Specifies the maximum number of reads to use for phasing/consensus. (Default = 500)
minQScore	Specifies the minimum score to require of mutations used for phasing. (Default = 20)
minPrevalence	Specifies the minimum prevalence to require of mutations used for phasing. (Default = 0.0900000035762787)
minSplitReads	Specifies the minimum number of reads favoring the minor phase required to split a haplotype. (Default = 20)
minSplitFraction	Specifies the minimum fraction of reads favoring the minor phase required to split a haplotype. (Default = 0.10000001490116)
minSplitScore	Specifies the global likelyhood improvement required to split a haplotype. (Default = 500)
minZScore	Specifies the minimum Z Score to allow before adding a read to a haplotype. (Default = -10)
Phasing	Enables the fine phasing step.
noPhasing	Disables the fine phasing step.

# **Algorithm Description**

laa proceeds in six main phases: Data filtering, coarse clustering, waterfall clustering, fine phasing, consensus polishing, and post-processing.

- **Data filtering** is used to separate out sequences by their barcode calls, if present, so that only reads long enough to meaningfully contribute to phasing are used.
- The **Coarse and Waterfall Clustering** steps are used to find and separate reads coming from different amplicons.
- The reads from each cluster are then put through the phasing step, which recursively separates full-length haplotypes using a variant of the Arrow model. Those haplotypes are then polished within the Arrow framework to achieve a high-quality consensus sequence.
- Finally, a post-processing step attempts to identify and remove spurious consensus sequences and sequences representing PCR artifacts.

### **Data Filtering**

In this first step, we separate sequences by barcode and then apply a series of user-selected quality filters to speed up down-stream processing and improve result quality. Filters are used primarily to remove short subreads (which may not be long enough to phase variants of interest) and subreads with low barcode scores (representing reads for whom the barcode call is uncertain and may be incorrect). A "Whitelist" option is also available so that users can specify the exact list of subreads or ZMWs to use.

# **Coarse Clustering and Waterfall Clustering**

The coarse clustering step groups the number of subreads (set by the <code>maxClusteringReads</code> option) that originate from different amplicons into different clusters. It works by detecting subread-to-subread similarities, building a graph of the results, and then clustering nodes (subreads) using the Markov Clustering algorithm (<a href="http://micans.org/mcl/">http://micans.org/mcl/</a>). The Markov clustering step is needed to remove spurious similarities caused by chimeric reads that can arise from PCR errors or doubly-loaded ZMWs, or just by chance due to sequencing error.

Next, if the number of subreads specified with the maxReads option is greater than the number used in coarse clustering, any remaining subreads are aligned to a rough consensus of each cluster and added to the cluster with the greatest similarity. This "waterfall" step allows for a larger number of reads to be used much more quickly than if all subreads had to be clustered using the normal coarse clustering process.

At the end of clustering, subreads in each cluster are then sorted for downstream analysis using the PageRank algorithm (Page, Lawrence, et al. "The PageRank citation ranking: Bringing order to the web." (1999)). This ensures that the most representative reads of the cluster are used first in the generation of consensus sequences.

#### Phasing/Consensus

The reads assigned to each cluster are loaded into the Arrow framework, and an initial consensus of all reads is found. SNP differences between subreads and the initial consensus are scored with the Arrow model, and combinations of high-scoring SNPs are tested for their ability to segregate the reads into multiple haplotypes. If sufficient evidence of a second haplotype is found, the template sequence is "split" into two copies, one with the SNPs applied to the template and one without. This process is repeated recursively so long as new haplotypes with sufficient scores can be found with at least some minimum level of coverage.

# **Post-Processing Filters**

laa implements a post-processing step to flag likely PCR artifacts in the set of phased output sequences. First, consensus sequences that are identical duplicates of other consensus sequences in the results are

removed. Next, those with unusually low predicted accuracy are flagged as being probable sequencing artifacts and removed. PacBio implemented a filter for consensus sequences from PCR crossover events, which on average make up ~5 to 20% of products generated by PCR amplifications >3 kb in length.

For artifacts of PCR crossover events, or "chimeras", PacBio implemented a variant of the UCHIME algorithm (Edgar, Robert C., et al. "UCHIME improves sensitivity and speed of chimera detection." Bioinformatics 27.16(2011): 2194-2200). The consensus sequences are sorted in order of decreasing read coverage, and the first two sequences are accepted as non-chimeric since they have no possible parent sequences with greater coverage. The remaining sequences are evaluated in descending order, with **each** test sequence aligned to all non-chimeric sequences so far processed. Crossovers between pairs of non-chimeric sequences are checked to see if they would yield a sequence very similar to the test sequence. If one is found with a sufficient score, the test sequence is marked as chimeric. If not, the test sequence is added to the list of non-chimeric sequences.

#### motifMaker

The motifMaker tool identifies motifs associated with DNA modifications in prokaryotic genomes. Modified DNA in prokaryotes commonly arises from restriction-modification systems that methylate a specific base in a specific sequence motif. The canonical example is the m6A methylation of adenine in GATC contexts in *E. coli*. Prokaryotes may have a very large number of active restriction-modification systems present, leading to a complicated mixture of sequence motifs.

PacBio SMRT sequencing is sensitive to the presence of methylated DNA at single base resolution, via shifts in the polymerase kinetics observed in the real-time sequencing traces. For more background on modification detection, see here.

# **Algorithm**

Existing motif-finding algorithms such as MEME-chip and YMF are suboptimal for this case for the following reasons:

- They search for a **single** motif, rather than attempting to identify a complicated mixture of motifs.
- They generally don't accept the notion of aligned motifs the input to
  the tools is a window into the reference sequence which can contain
  the motif at any offset, rather than a single center position that is
  available with kinetic modification detection.
- Implementations generally either use a Markov model of the reference (MEME-chip), or do exact counting on the reference, but place restrictions on the size and complexity of the motifs that can be discovered.

Following is a rough overview of the algorithm used by motifMaker: Define a motif as a set of tuples: (position relative to methylation, required base). Positions not listed in the motif are implicitly degenerate. Given a list of modification detections and a genome sequence, define the following objective function on motifs:

Motif score(motif) = (# of detections matching motif) / (# of genome sites matching motif) \* (Sum of log-pvalue of detections matching motif) = (fraction methylated) \* (sum of log-pvalues of matches)

Then, search (close to exhaustively) through the space of all possible motifs, progressively testing longer motifs using a branch-and-bound search. The "fraction methylated" term must be less than 1, so the maximum achievable score of a child node is the sum of scores of modification hits in the current node, allowing pruning of all search paths whose maximum achievable score is less than the best score discovered so far.

#### Usage

Run the find command, and pass the reference FASTA and the modifications.gff (.gz) file output by the PacBio modification detection workflow.

The reprocess subcommand annotates the GFF file with motif information for better genome browsing.

MotifMaker [options] [command] [command options]

find Command: Run motif-finding.

find [options]

Options	Description
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.
* -f,fasta	Reference FASTA file.
* -g,gff	Modifications.gff or .gff.gz file.
-m,minScore	Specifies the minimum Qmod score to use in motif finding. (Default = 40.0)
* -o,output	Outputs motifs.csv file.
-x,xml	Outputs motifs XML file.

reprocess Command: Update a modifications.gff file with motifinformation based on new Modification QV thresholds.

reprocess [options]

Options	Description
-c,csv	Raw modifications.csv file.
* -f,fasta	Reference FASTA file.
* -g,gff	Modifications.gff or .gff.gz file.
-m,minFraction	Specifies that only motifs above this methylated fraction are used. (Default = 0.75)
-m,motifs	Motifs.csv file.
* -o,output	Reprocessed modifications.gff file.

# **Output Files**

Using the find command:

 Output CSV file: This file has the same format as the standard "Fields included in motif\_summary.csv" described in the Methylome Analysis White Paper.

Using the reprocess command:

 Output GFF file: The format of the output file is the same as the input file, and is described in the Methylome Analysis White Paper under "Fields included in the modifications.gff file".

## pbcromwell

The pbcromwell tool is Pacific Biosciences' wrapper for the cromwell scientific workflow engine used to power SMRT Link. pbcromwell includes advanced utilities for interacting directly with a Cromwell server.

pbcromwell is designed primarily for running workflows distributed and supported by PacBio, but it is written to handle any valid WDL source (version 1.0), and is very flexible in how it takes input. PacBio workflows are expected to be found in the directory defined by the SMRT\_PIPELINE\_BUNDLE\_DIR environment variable, which is automatically defined by the SMRT Link distribution.

Note that pbcromwell does **not** interact with SMRT Link services; to run a Cromwell workflow as a SMRT Link job, please use pbservice. (For details, see "pbservice" on page 81.)

**Note**: Interaction with the Cromwell server is primarily intended for developers and power users.

### **Usage:**

```
pbcromwell run [-h] [--output-dir OUTPUT_DIR] [--overwrite] [-i INPUTS]

[-e ENTRY_POINTS] [-n NPROC] [-c MAX_NCHUNKS]

[--target-size TARGET_SIZE] [--queue QUEUE] [-o OPTIONS]

[-t TASK_OPTIONS] [-b BACKEND] [-r MAX_RETRIES]

[--tmp-dir TMP DIR] [--config CONFIG] [--dry-run]
```

[run, show-workflows, show-workflow-details, configure, submit, get-job, abort, metadata, show-running, wait]

Options	Description
output-dir OUTPUT_DIR	Specifies the output directory for cromwell output. (Default = cromwell_out)
overwrite	Overwrites the output directory, if it exists. (Default = False)
-i INPUTS,inputs INPUTS	Specifies cromwell inputs and settings as JSON files. (Default = None)
-e ENTRY POINTS,entry ENTRY POINTS	Specifies the entry point Data Set; may be repeated for workflows that take more than one input Data Set. Note that <b>all</b> PacBio workflows require at least <b>one</b> such entry point.
-n NPROC,nproc NPROC	Specifies the number of processors per task. (Default = 1)
-c MAX_NCHUNKS,max-nchunks MAX_NCHUNKS	Specifies the maximum number of chunks per task. (Default = None)
target-size TARGET_SIZE	Specifies the target chunk size. (Default = None)
queue QUEUE	Specifies the cluster queue to use. (Default = None)
-o OPTIONS,options OPTIONS	Specifies additional cromwell engine options, as a JSON file. (Default = None)
-t TASK_OPTIONS,task-option TASK_OPTIONS	Specifies workflow- or task-level option as $key=value$ strings, specific to the application. May be specified multiple times for multiple options. (Default = [])
-b BACKEND,backend BACKEND	Specifies the backend to use for running tasks. (Default = None)
-r MAX RETRIES,maxRetries MAX_RETRIES	Specifies the maximum number of times to retry a failing task. (Default = 1)
tmp-dir TMP_DIR	Specifies an optional temporary directory for cromwell tasks, which must exist on all compute hosts. (Default = None)
config CONFIG	Specifies a Java configuration file for running cromwell. (Default = None)
dry-run	Specifies that cromwell is <b>not</b> executed, but instead writes out final inputs and then exits. (Default = True)
workflow	Specifies the workflow ID (such as pb_ccs or cromwell.workflows.pb_ccs for PacBio workflows only) or a path to a Workflow Description Language (WDL) source file.

Enter pbcromwell {command} -h for a command's options.

## Examples:

Show available PacBio-developed workflows:

pbcromwell show-workflows

Show details for a PacBio workflow:

pbcromwell show-workflow-details pb\_ccs

Generate cromwell.conf with HPC settings:

pbcromwell configure --default-backend SGE --output-file cromwell.conf

#### Launch a PacBio workflow:

pbcromwell run pb\_ccs -e /path/to/movie.subreadset.xml --nproc 8 --config /full/ path/ to/cromwell.conf

Options	Description
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.
version	Displays program version number and exits.
log-file LOG_FILE	Writes the log to file. (Default = None, writes to stdout.)
log-level=INFO	Specifies the log level; values are [DEBUG, INFO, WARNING, ERROR, CRITICAL.] (Default = INFO)
debug	Alias for setting the log level to DEBUG. (Default = False)
verbose, -v	Sets the verbosity level. (Default = None)

pbcromwell run Command: Run a Cromwell workflow. Multiple input modes are supported, including a pbsmrtpipe-like set of arguments (for PacBio workflows **only**), and JSON files already in the native Cromwell format.

**All** PacBio workflows have similar requirements to the pbsmrtpipe pipelines in previous SMRT Link versions:

- 1. One or more PacBio dataset XML entry points, usually a SubreadSet or ConsensusReadSet (--entry-point <FILE>.)
- 2. Any number of workflow-specific task options (--task-option <OPTION>.)
- 3. Engine options independent of the workflow, such as number of processors per task (--nproc), or compute backend (--backend).

Output is directed to a new directory: --output-dir, which defaults to cromwell\_out. This includes final inputs for the Cromwell CLI, and subdirectories for logs (workflow and task outputs), links to output files, and the Cromwell execution itself, which has a complex nested directory structure. Detailed information about the workflow execution can be found in the file metadata.json, in the native Cromwell format.

Note that output file links do **not** include the individual resource files of datasets and reports (BAM files, index files, plot PNGs, and so on.) Follow the symbolic links to their real path (for example using readlink -f) to find report plots.

For further information about Cromwell, consult the official documentation here.

### **Workflow Examples:**

Run the CCS Analysis:

pbcromwell run pb ccs -e <SUBREADS> --nproc 8 --config /full/path/to/cromwell.conf

Run the Iso-Seq workflow, including mapping to a reference, and execute on SGE:

pbcromwell run pb\_isoseq3 -e <SUBREADS> -e <PRIMERS> -e <REFERENCE> --nproc 8 -- config
/full/path/to/cromwell.conf

#### Run a user-defined workflow:

pbcromwell run my\_workflow.wdl -i inputs.json -o options.json --config /full/path/to/ cromwell.conf

#### Set up input files but exit before starting Cromwell:

pbcromwell run pb\_ccs -e <SUBREADS> --nproc 8 --dry-run

Print details about the named PacBio workflow, including input files and task options. **Note**: The prefix cromwell.workflows. is optional.

```
pbcromwell show-workflow-details pb_ccs
pbcromwell show-workflow-details cromwell.workflows.pb_ccs
```

pbcromwell show-workflow-details Command: Display details about a specified PacBio workflow, including input files and task options.

#### Usage:

Options	Description
workflow_id	Specifies the workflow ID, such as pb ccs or cromwell.workflows.pb_ccs for PacBio workflows only.
inputs-json INPUTS_JSON	Writes a JSON template containing workflow inputs to the specified file. (Default = None)

pbcromwell configure Command: Generate the Java configuration file used by cromwell to define backends and other important engine options that **cannot** be set at runtime. You can pass this to pbcromwell run using the --config argument.

# **Usage:**

Options	Description
port PORT	Specifies the port that cromwell should listen to. (Default = 8000)
local-job-limit LOCAL_JOB_LIMIT	Specifies the maximum number of local jobs/tasks that can be run at once. (Default = 10)
jms-job-limit JMS_JOB_LIMIT	Specifies the maximum number of jobs/tasks that can be submitted to the queueing system at one time. (Default = 500)
db-port DB_PORT	Specifies the database port for cromwell to use; if undefined, database configuration is omitted. (Default = None)
db-user DB_USER	Specifies the user name tused to connect to Postgres. (Default = smrtlink_user)
db-password DB_PASSWORD	Specifies the password used to connect to Postgres.
default-backend DEFAULT_BACKEND	Specifies the default job execution backend. Choices are: Local, SGE, Slurm, PBS, or LSF. (Default = Local)
max-workflows MAX_WORKFLOWS	Specifies the maximum number of workflows that cromwell can run at once. (Default = 100)
output-file OUTPUT_FILE	Specifies the name of the output configuration file. (Default = cromwell.conf)
timeout TIMEOUT	Specifies the time to wait for task completion before checking the cluster job status. (Default = 600)
cache	Enables call caching. (Default = True)
no-cache	Disables call caching. (Default = True)

## pbindex

The pbindex tool creates an index file that enables random access to PacBio-specific data in BAM files.

# **Usage**

pbindex <input>

Options	Description
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.
version	Displays program version number and exits.

# **Input File**

• \*.bam file containing PacBio data.

## **Output File**

• \*.pbi index file, with the same prefix as the input file name.

## pbmarkdup

The pbmarkdup tool marks PCR duplicates in CCS Reads Data Sets from amplified libraries. PCR duplicates are different reads that arose from amplifying a single-source molecule. pbmarkdup can also optionally remove the duplicate reads.

**Note**: pbmarkdup only works with CCS Reads, **not** with Continuous Long Reads.

pbmarkdup uses a reference-free comparison method. Duplicates are identified as pairs of reads that:

- 1. Have the same length within 10 bp, and
- 2. Have high percent identity alignments at the molecule ends at >98% identity of the first and last 250 bp.

Clusters are formed from sets of two or more duplicate reads, and a single read is selected as the representative of each cluster. Other reads in the cluster are considered duplicates.

## How are duplicates marked?

In FASTA and FASTQ formats, reads from duplicate clusters have annotated names. The following is a FASTA example:

This shows a marked duplicate read  $m64013\_191117\_050515/67104/ccs$  that is a duplicate of  $m64013\_191117\_050515/3802014/ccs$  in a cluster with 2 reads (DS value). Accordingly, the following is the read selected as the representative of the molecule:

 $>m64013_191117_050515/3802014/ccs$  DS=2

In BAM format, duplicate reads are flagged with  $0 \times 400$ . The read-level tag ds provides the number of reads in a cluster (like the DS attribute described above for FASTA/FASTQ), and the du tag provides the name of the representative read (like the DUPLICATE attribute described above for FASTA/FASTQ).

#### Usage

pbmarkdup [options] <INFILE.bam|xml|fa|fq|fofn> <OUTFILE.bam|xml|fa.gz|fq.gz>

Options	Description
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.
version	Displays program version number and exits.

Options		Description
log-file	Logs to a file, instead of sto	derr.
log-level	Specifies the log level; values are [TRACE, DEBUG, INFO, WARN FATAL] (Default = WARN)	
	log-level INFO <b>produ</b>	ces a summary report such as:
	LIBRARY READS UNIQ	UE MOLECULES DUPLICATE READS
	 <unnamed> 25000</unnamed>	24948 (99.8%)
	SS-lib 496	493 (99.4%) 3 (0.6%)
	TOTAL 25496	25441 (99.8%)
-j,num-threads	Specifies the number of thre (Default = 0)	eads to use, 0 means autodetection.

Duplicate Marking Options	Description
cross-library, -x	Identifies duplicate reads across sequencing libraries. Libraries are specified in the BAM read group ${\tt LB}$ tag.

Output Options	Description
-rmdup, -r	Excludes duplicates from OUTFILE. (This is redundant whendup-file is specified.)
dup-file FILE	Stores duplicate reads in an extra file other than OUTFILE. The format of this file can be different from the output file.
clobber, -f	Overwrites OUTFILE if it exists.

# **Input Files**

CCS Reads from one or multiple movies in any of the following formats:

- PacBio BAM (.ccs.bam)
- PacBio dataset (.dataset.xml)
- File of File Names (.fofn)
- FASTA (.fasta,.fasta.gz)
- FASTQ (.fastq,.fastq.gz)

# **Output Files**

CCS Reads with duplicates marked in a format inferred from the file extension:

- PacBio BAM (.ccs.bam)
- PacBio dataset (.dataset.xml), which also generates a corresponding BAM file.
- FASTA (.fasta.gz)
- FASTQ (.fastq.gz)

# **Allowed Input/Output Combinations**

Input File	Output BAM	Output Dataset	Output FASTQ	Output FASTA
Input BAM	Allowed	Allowed	Allowed	Allowed
Input Dataset	Allowed	Allowed	Allowed	Allowed
Input FASTQ	Not Allowed	Not Allowed	Allowed	Allowed
Input FASTA	Not Allowed	Not Allowed	Not Allowed	Allowed

# **Examples**

Run on a single movie:

pbmarkdup movie.ccs.bam output.bam

Run on multiple movies:

pbmarkdup moviel.fasta movie2.fasta output.fasta

Run on multiple movies and output duplicates in separate file:

pbmarkdup moviel.ccs.bam movie2.fastq uniq.fastq --dup-file dups.fasta

#### pbmm2

The pbmm2 tool aligns native PacBio data, outputs PacBio BAM files, and is a SMRT minimap2 wrapper for PacBio data.

pbmm2 supports native PacBio input and output, provides sets of recommended parameters, generates sorted output on-the-fly, and post-processes alignments. Sorted output can be used directly for polishing using <code>GenomicConsensus</code>, if BAM has been used as input to <code>pbmm2</code>.

pbmm2 adds the following SAM tag to each aligned record:

• mg, stores gap-compressed alignment identity, defined as nM/(nM + nMM + nInsEvents + nDelEvents).

## Usage

pbmm2 <tool>

Options	Description
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.
version	Displays program version number and exits.

index Command: Indexes references and stores them as .mmi files. Indexing is optional, but recommended if you use the same reference with the same --preset multiple times.

## **Usage:**

pbmm2 index [options] <ref.fa|xml> <out.mmi>

## Input File

• \*.fasta, \*.fa file containing reference contigs or \*.referenceset.xml.

## **Output File**

• out.mmi (minimap2 index file.)

#### Notes:

- You can use existing minimap2 .mmi files with pbmm2 align.
- If you use an index file, you cannot override parameters -k, -w, nor -u
  in pbmm2 align.
- The minimap2 parameter -H (homopolymer-compressed k-mer) is always on for SUBREAD and UNROLLED presets, and can be disabled using -u.

Options	Description
preset	Specifies the alignment mode:  • "SUBREAD" -k 19 -w 10  • "CCS" -k 19 -w 10 -u  • "ISOSEQ" -k 15 -w 5 -u  • "UNROLLED" -k 15 -w 15  The option is <b>not</b> case-sensitive. (Default = SUBREAD)
-k	Specifies the k-mer size, which cannot be larger than 28. (Default = -1)
-w	Specifies the Minimizer window size. (Default = -1)
-u,no-kmer-compression	Disables homopolymer-compressed k-mer. (Compression is on by default for the SUBREAD and UNROLLED presets.)

align Command: Aligns PacBio reads to reference sequences. The output argument is optional; if not provided, the BAM output is streamed to stdout.

#### **Usage:**

pbmm2 align [options] <ref.fa|xml|mmi> <in.bam|xml|fa|fq> [out.aligned.bam|xml]

#### Input Files

- \*.fasta file containing reference contigs, or \*.referenceset.xml, or
   \*.mmi index file.
- \*.bam, \*.subreadset.xml, \*.consensusreadset.xml,
   \*.transcriptset.xml, \*.fasta, \*.fa, \*.fastq, or \*.fastq file containing PacBio data.

# **Output Files**

- \*.bam aligned reads in BAM format.
- \*.alignmentset, \*.consensusalignmentset.xml, Or
  - \*.transcriptalignmentset.xml if XML output was chosen.

The following Data Set Input/output combinations are allowed:

#### SubreadSet > AlignmentSet

pbmm2 align hg38.referenceset.xml movie.subreadset.xml hg38.movie.alignmentset.xml

#### ConsensusReadSet > ConsensusAlignmentSet

pbmm2 align hg38.referenceset.xml movie.consensusreadset.xml
hg38.movie.consensusalignmentset.xml --preset CCS

#### **TranscriptSet > TranscriptAlignmentSet**

pbmm2 align hg38.referenceset.xml movie.transcriptset.xml
hg38.movie.transcriptalignmentset.xml --preset ISOSEQ

## FASTA/Q input

In addition to native PacBio BAM input, reads can also be provided in FASTA and FASTQ formats.

**Attention**: The resulting output BAM file **cannot** be used as input into GenomicConsensus!

With FASTA/Q input, the --rg option sets the read group. Example:

pbmm2 align hg38.fasta movie.Q20.fastq hg38.movie.bam --preset CCS --rg
'@RG\tID:myid\tSM:mysample'

All three reference file formats .fasta, .referenceset.xml, and .mmi can be combined with FASTA/Q input.

Options	Description
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.
chunk-size	Processes N records per chunk. (Default = 100)
sort	Generates a sorted BAM file.
-m,sort-memory	Specifies the memory per thread for sorting. (Default = 768M)
-j,alignment-threads	Specifies the number of threads used for alignment. 0 means autodetection. (Default = 0)
-J,sort-threads	Specifies the number of threads used for sorting. 0 means 25% of $-j$ , with a maximum of 8. (Default = 0)
sample	Specifies the sample name for all read groups. Defaults, in order of precedence: A) SM field in the input read group B) Biosample name C) Well sample name D) "UnnamedSample".

Options	Description
rg	Specifies the read group header line such as '@RG\tID: $xyz$ \tSM:abc'. Only for FASTA/Q inputs.
-y,min-gap-comp-id-perc	Specifies the minimum gap-compressed sequence identity, in percent. (Default = 70)
-1,min-length	Specifies the minimum mapped read length, in base pairs. (Default = 50)
-N,best-n	Specifies the output at maximum ${\tt N}$ alignments for each read. 0 means no maximum. (Default = 0)
strip	Removes all kinetic and extra QV tags. The output cannot be polished.
split-by-sample	Specifies one output BAM file per sample.
no-bai	Omits BAI index file generation for sorted output.
unmapped	Specifies that unmapped records be included in the output.
median-filter	Picks one read per ZMW of median length.
zmw	Processes ZMW Reads; subreadset.xml input is required. This activates the UNROLLED preset.
hqregion	Processes the HQ region of each ZMW; subreadset.xml input is required. This activates the UNROLLED preset.

Parameter Set Options and Overrides	Description
preset	Specifies the alignment mode:  • "SUBREAD" -k 19 -w 10 -o 5 -O 56 -e 4 -E 1 -A 2 -B 5 -z 400 -Z 50 -r 2000 -L 0.5  • "CCS" -k 19 -w 10 -u -o 5 -O 56 -e 4 -E 1 -A 2 -B 5 -z 400 -Z 50 -r 2000 -L 0.5  • "ISOSEQ" -k 15 -w 5 -u -o 2 -O 32 -e 1 -E 0 -A 1 -B 2 -z 200 -Z 100 -C 5 -r 200000 -G 200000 -L 0.5  • "UNROLLED" -k 15 -w 15 -o 2 -O 32 -e 1 -E 0 -A 1 -B 2 -z 200 -Z 100 -r 2000 -L 0.5  (Default = SUBREAD)
-k	Specifies the k-mer size, which cannot be no larger than 28. (Default = -1)
-w	Specifies the Minimizer window size. (Default = -1)
-u,no-kmer-compression	Disables homopolymer-compressed k-mer. (Compression is on by default for the SUBREAD and UNROLLED presets.)
-A	Specifies the matching score. (Default = -1)
-В	Specifies the mismatch penalty. (Default = -1)
-z	Specifies the Z-drop score. (Default = -1)
-Z	Specifies the Z-drop inversion score. (Default = -1)
-r	Specifies the bandwidth used in chaining and DP-based alignment. (Default = $-1$ )
-o,gap-open-1	Specifies the gap open penalty 1. (Default = −1)
-0,gap-open-2	Specifies the gap open penalty 2. (Default = −1)
-e,gap-extend-1	Specifies the gap extension penalty 1. (Default = -1)
-E,gap-extend-2	Specifies the gap extension penalty 2. (Default = -1)

Parameter Set Options and Overrides	Description
-L,lj-min-ratio	Specifies the long join flank ratio. (Default = −1)
-G	Specifies the maximum intron length; this changes -r. (Default = -1)
-C	Specifies the cost for a non-canonical GT-AG splicing. (Default = −1)
no-splice-flank	Specifies that you do <b>not</b> prefer splicing flanks GT-AG.

## **Examples:**

Generate an index file for reference and reuse it to align reads:

```
pbmm2 index ref.fasta ref.mmi
pbmm2 align ref.mmi movie.subreads.bam ref.movie.bam
```

Align reads and sort on-the-fly, with 4 alignment and 2 sort threads:

pbmm2 align ref.fasta movie.subreads.bam ref.movie.bam --sort -j 4 -J 2

Align reads, sort on-the-fly, and create a PBI:

pbmm2 align ref.fasta movie.subreadset.xml ref.movie.alignmentset.xml --sort

Omit the output file and stream the BAM output to stdout:

pbmm2 align hg38.mmi moviel.subreadset.xml | samtools sort > hg38.moviel.sorted.bam

Align the CCS Reads fastq input and sort the output:

pbmm2 align ref.fasta movie.Q20.fastq ref.movie.bam --preset CCS --sort --rg
'@RG\tID:myid\tSM:mysample'

# **Alignment Parallelization**

The number of alignment threads can be specified using the <code>-j</code>, <code>--alignment-threads</code> option. If **not** specified, the maximum number of threads are used, minus one thread for BAM I/O and minus the number of threads specified for sorting.

#### Sorting

Sorted output can be generated using the --sort option.

- By default, 25% of threads specified with the -j option (Maximum = 8) are used for sorting.
- To override the default percentage, the -J, --sort-threads option
  defines the explicit number of threads used for on-the-fly sorting. The
  memory allocated per sort thread is defined using the -m, --sortmemory option, accepting suffixes M,G.

Benchmarks on human data show that 4 sort threads are recommended, but that no more than 8 threads can be effectively leveraged, even with 70

cores used for alignment. We recommend that you provide more memory to **each** of a **few** sort threads to avoid disk I/O pressure, rather than providing less memory to each of many sort threads.

## What are parameter sets and how can I override them?

Per default, pbmm2 uses recommended parameter sets to simplify the multitudes of possible combinations. Please see the available parameter sets in the option table shown earlier.

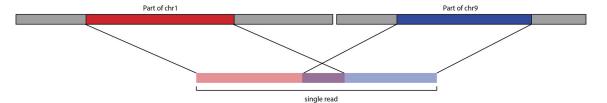
## What other special parameters are used implicitly?

We implicitly use the following minimap2 parameters:

- Soft clipping with -Y.
- Long cigars for tag CG with -L.
- X/= cigars instead of M with --eqx.
- No overlapping query intervals with repeated matches trimming.
- No secondary alignments are produced using the --secondary=no option.

## What is repeated matches trimming?

A repeated match occurs when the same query interval is shared between a primary and supplementary alignment. This can happen for translocations, where breakends share the same flanking sequence:



And sometimes, when a LINE gets inserted, the flanks are duplicated, leading to complicated alignments, where we see a split read sharing a duplication. The inserted region itself, mapping to a random other LINE in the reference genome, may also share sequence similarity to the flanks:



To get the best alignments, <code>minimap2</code> decides that two alignments may use up to 50% (default) of the same query bases. This does **not** work for PacBio, as <code>pbmm2</code> requires that a single base may never be aligned twice. <code>Minimap2</code> offers a feature to enforce a query interval overlap to 0%. If a query interval gets used in two alignments, one or both get flagged as secondary and get filtered. This leads to yield loss, and more importantly, missing SVs in the alignment.

Papers (such as this) present dynamic programming approaches to find the optimal split to uniquely map query intervals, while maximizing alignment scores. We don't have per base alignment scores available, thus our approach is much simpler. We align the read, find overlapping query intervals, determine one alignment to be maximal reference-spanning, then trim all others. By trimming, pbmm2 rewrites the cigar and the reference coordinates on-the-fly. This allows us to increase the number of mapped bases, which slightly reduces mapped concordance, but boosts SV recall rate.

## How can I set the sample name?

You can override the sample name (SM field in the RG tag) for **all** read groups using the <code>--sample</code> option. If not provided, sample names derive from the Data Set input using the following order of precedence: A) SM field in the input read group B) Biosample name C) Well sample name D) <code>UnnamedSample</code>. If the input is a BAM file and the <code>--sample</code> option was **not** used, the <code>SM</code> field is populated with <code>UnnamedSample</code>.

## Can I split output by sample name?

Yes, the --split-by-sample option generates one output BAM file per sample name, with the sample name as the file name prefix, if there is more than one aligned sample name.

## Can I remove all those extra per-base and per-pulse tags?

Yes, the --strip option removes the following extraneous tags if the input is BAM: dq, dt, ip, iq, mq, pa, pc, pd, pe, pg, pm, pq, pt, pv, pw, px, sf, sq, st. Note that the resulting output BAM file cannot be used as input into GenomicConsensus.

#### Where are the unmapped reads?

Per default, unmapped reads are omitted. You can add them to the output BAM file using the --unmapped option.

## Can I output at maximum the N best alignments per read?

Use the option -N, --best-n. If set to 0, (the default), maximum filtering is disabled.

#### Is there a way to only align one subread per ZMW?

Using the --median-filter option, only the subread closest to the median subread length per ZMW is aligned. Preferably, full-length subreads flanked by adapters are chosen.

#### pbservice

The pbservice tool performs a variety of useful tasks within SMRT Link.

- To get help for pbservice, use pbservice -h.
- To get help for a specific pbservice command, use pbservice <command> -h.

**Note**: Starting in SMRT Link v6.0.0, pbservice now requires authentication when run from a remote host, using the same credentials used to log in to the SMRT Link GUI. (This also routes all requests through HTTPS port 8243, so the services port is **not** required if authentication is used.) Access to services running on localhost will continue to work without authentication.

All pbservice commands include the following optional parameters:

Options	Description
host=http://localhost	Specifies the server host. Override the default with the environmental variable PB_SERVICE_HOST.
port=8070	Specifies the server port. Override the default with the environmental variable PB_SERVICE_PORT.
log-file LOG_FILE	Writes the log to file. (Default = None, writes to stdout.)
log-level=INFO	Specifies the log level; values are [DEBUG, INFO, WARNING, ERROR, CRITICAL.] (Default = INFO)
debug=False	Alias for setting the log level to DEBUG. (Default = False)
quiet=False	Alias for setting the log level to CRITICAL to suppress output. (Default = False)
user USERNAME	Specifies the user to authenticate as; this is <b>required</b> if the target host is anything other than localhost.
ask-pass	Prompts the user to enter a password.
password PASSWORD	Supplies the password directly. This exposes the password in the shell history (or log files), so this option is <b>not</b> recommended unless you are using a limited account without Unix login access.

#### status Command: Use to get system status.

import-dataset Command: Import Local Data Set XML. The file location **must** be accessible from the host where the services are running; often on a shared file system.

Required	Description
xml_or_dir	Specifies a directory or XML file for the Data Set.

import-fasta Command: Import a FASTA file and convert to a ReferenceSet file. The file location **must** be accessible from the host where the services are running; often on a shared file system.

Required	Description
fasta_path	Path to the FASTA file to import.

Options	Description
name	Specifies the name of the ReferenceSet to convert the FASTA file to.
organism	Specifies the name of the organism.
ploidy	Ploidy.
block=False	Blocks during importing process.

run-analysis Command: Run a secondary analysis pipeline using an analysis.json file.

Required	Description
json_path	Path to the analysis.json file.

Options	Description
block=False	Blocks during importing process.

emit-analysis-template Command: Output an analysis.json
template to stdout that can be run using the run-analysis command.

get-job Command: Get a job summary by Job Id.

job\_id

Required	Description
job_id	Job id or UUID.

# get-jobs Command: Get job summaries by Job Id.

Options	Description
-m=25,max-items=25	Specifies the maximum number of jobs to get.

# get-dataset Command: Get a Data Set summary by Data Set Id or UUID.

Required	Description
id_or_uuid	Data Set Id or UUID.

#### get-datasets Command: Get a Data Set list summary by Data Set type.

Required	Description
-t=subreads,dataset- type=subreads	Specifies the type of Data Set to retrieve: subreads, alignments, references, barcodes.

#### delete-dataset Command: Delete a specified Data Set.

**Note**: This is a "soft" delete - the database record is tagged as inactive so it won't display in any lists, but the files will **not** be removed.

Required	Description
ID	A valid Data Set ID, either UUID or integer ID, for the Data Set to delete.

#### **Examples**

To obtain system status, the Data Set summary, and the job summary:

```
pbservice status --host smrtlink-release --port 9091
```

To import a Data Set XML:

```
pbservice import-dataset --host smrtlink-release --port 9091 \
path/to/subreadset.xml
```

To obtain a job summary using the Job Id:

```
pbservice get-job --host smrtlink-release --port 9091 \ --log-level CRITICAL 1
```

To obtain Data Sets by using the Data Set Type subreads:

```
pbservice get-datasets --host smrtlink-alpha --port 8081 \backslash --quiet --max-items 1 -t subreads
```

To obtain Data Sets by using the Data Set Type alignments:

```
pbservice get-datasets --host smrtlink-alpha --port 8081 \backslash --quiet --max-items 1 -t alignments
```

To obtain Data Sets by using the Data Set Type references:

```
pbservice get-datasets --host smrtlink-alpha --port 8081 \backslash --quiet --max-items 1 -t references
```

To obtain Data Sets by using the Data Set Type barcodes:

```
pbservice get-datasets --host smrtlink-alpha --port 8081 \backslash --quiet --max-items 1 -t barcodes
```

To obtain Data Sets by using the Data Set UUID:

```
pbservice get-dataset --host smrtlink-alpha --port 8081 \
--quiet 43156b3a-3974-4ddb-2548-bb0ec95270ee
```

pbsv

pbsv is a structural variant caller for PacBio reads. It identifies structural variants and large indels (Default: ≥20 bp) in a sample or set of samples relative to a reference. pbsv identifies the following types of variants: Insertions, deletions, duplications, copy number variants, inversions, and translocations.

pbsv takes as input read alignments (BAM) and a reference genome (FASTA); it outputs structural variant calls (VCF).

#### **Usage:**

```
pbsv [-h] [--version] [--quiet] [--verbose]
```

{discover,call}...

Options	Description
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.
version	Displays program version number and exits.
log-file	Logs to a file, instead of stdout.
log-level	Specifies the log level; values are [TRACE, DEBUG, INFO, WARN, FATAL.] (Default = WARN)
discover	Finds structural variant signatures in read alignments (BAM to SVSIG).
call	Calls structural variants from SV signatures and assign genotypes (SVSIG to VCF).

# pbsv discover

This command finds structural variant (SV) signatures in read alignments. The input read alignments must be sorted by chromosome position. Alignments are typically generated with pbmm2. The output SVSIG file contains SV signatures.

# **Usage:**

pbsv discover [options] <ref.in.bam|xml> <ref.out.svsig.gz>

Required	Description
ref.in.bam xml	Coordinate-sorted aligned reads in which to identify SV signatures.
ref.out.svsig.gz	Structural variant signatures output.

Options	Description
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.
-s,sample	Overrides sample name tag from BAM read group.
-q,min-mapq	Ignores alignments with mapping quality < N. (Default = 20)
-m,min-ref-span	Ignores alignments with reference length $<$ N bp. (Default = 100)
-w,downsample-window-length	Specifies a window in which to limit coverage, in base pairs. (Default = 10K)
-a,downsample-max- alignments	Considers up to N alignments in a window; 0 means disabled. (Default = 100)
-r,region	Limits discovery to this reference region: CHR   CHR : START-END.
-1,min-svsig-length	Ignores SV signatures with length < N bp. (Default = 7)
-b,tandem-repeats	Specifies tandem repeat intervals for indel clustering, as an input BED file.
-k,max-skip-split	Ignores alignment pairs separated by > ${\tt N}$ bp of a read or reference. (Default = 100)
-y,min-gap-comp-id-perc	Ignores alignments with gap-compressed sequence identity < N%. (Default = 70)

# pbsv call

This command calls structural variants from SV signatures and assigns genotypes.

The input SVSIG file is generated using <code>pbsv discover</code>. The output is structural variants in VCF format.

# Usage:

pbsv call [options] <ref.fa|xml> <ref.in.svsig.gz|fofn>
<ref.out.vcf>

Required	Description
ref.fa xml	Reference FASTA file or ReferenceSet XML file against which to call variants.
ref.in.svsig.gz fofn	SV signatures from one or more samples. This can be either an SV signature SVSIG file generated by pbsv discover, or a FOFN of SVSIG files.
ref.out.vcf	Variant call format (VCF) output file.

Options	Description
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.
-j,num-threads	Specifies the number of threads to use, 0 means autodetection. (Default = 0)
-z,chunk-length	Processes in chunks of N reference bp. (Default = " $1M$ ")
-t,types	Calls these SV types: "DEL", "INS", "INV", "DUP", "BND", "CNV".  (Default = "DEL, INS, INV, DUP, BND, CNV")
-m,min-sv-length	Ignores variants with length $< N$ bp. (Default = 20)
min-cnv-length	Ignore CNVs with length < N bp. (Default = 1K)
max-inversion-gap	Does not link inverted alignments with > $\tt N$ bp gap or overlap with flanking alignments. (Default = $\tt 1K)$
cluster-max-length-perc- diff	Does not cluster signatures with difference in length > P%. (Default = 25)
cluster-max-ref-pos-diff	Does not cluster signatures $> N$ bp apart in the reference. (Default = 200)
cluster-min-basepair-perc-id	Does not cluster signatures with base pair identity < P%. (Default = 10)
-x,max-consensus-coverage	Limits to $\mathbb N$ reads for variant consensus. (Default = 20)
-s,poa-scores	Scores POA alignment with triplet match, mismatch, gap. (Default = "1,-2,-2")
min-realign-length	Considers segments with $> N$ length for realignment. (Default = 100)
-A,call-min-reads-all-samples	Ignores calls supported by $< N$ reads total across samples. (Default = 2)
-O,call-min-reads-one-sample	Ignores calls supported by $< N$ reads in every sample. (Default = 2)
-S,call-min-reads-per- strand-all-samples	Ignore calls supported by < ${\tt N}$ reads per strand total across samples. (Default = 1)

Options	Description
-P,call-min-read-perc-one-sample	Ignores calls supported by < P% of reads in every sample. (Default = 20)
ccs	CCS Analysis optimized parameters: -A 1 -O 1 -S 0 -P 10.
gt-min-reads	Specifies the minimum supporting reads to assign a sample a non-reference genotype. (Default = 1)
annotations	Annotates variants by comparing with sequences in FASTA. (Default annotations are ALU, L1, and SVA.)
annotation-min-perc-sim	Annotates variant if sequence similarity > P%. (Default = 60)
min-N-in-gap	Considers ≥ N consecutive "N" bp as a reference gap. (Default = 50)
filter-near-reference-gap	Flags variants < N bp from a gap as "NearReferenceGap". (Default = 1000)
filter-near-contig-end	Flags variants < N bp from a contig end as "NearContigEnd". (Default = 1K)
preserve-non-acgt	Preserves non-ACGT in reference allele instead of replacing with ${\tt N}.$

Following is a typical SV analysis workflow starting from subreads:

1. Align PacBio reads to a reference genome, per movie:

#### **Subreads BAM Input:**

pbmm2 align ref.fa movie1.subreads.bam ref.movie1.bam --sort --median-filter --sample sample1

#### **CCS Reads BAM Input:**

pbmm2 align ref.fa movie1.ccs.bam ref.movie1.bam --sort --preset CCS --sample sample1

#### **CCS Reads FASTQ Input:**

pbmm2 align ref.fa movie1.Q20.fastq ref.movie1.bam --sort --preset CCS --sample sample1
--rg '@RG\tID:movie1'

2. Discover the signatures of structural variation, per movie or per sample:

```
pbsv discover ref.movie1.bam ref.sample1.svsig.gz
pbsv discover ref.movie2.bam ref.sample2.svsig.gz
```

3. Call structural variants and assign genotypes (all samples); for CCS Analysis input append --ccs:

```
pbsv call ref.fa ref.sample1.svsig.gz ref.sample2.svsig.gz
ref.var.vcf
```

#### Launching a Multi-Sample pbsv Analysis - Requirements

- 1. Merge multiple Bio Sample SMRT Cells to one Data Set with the Bio Samples specified.
  - Each SMRT Cell must have exactly one Bio Sample name multiple Bio Sample names cannot be assigned to one SMRT Cell.
  - Multiple SMRT Cells can have the same Bio Sample name.

- All of the inputs need to already have the appropriate Bio Sample records in their CollectionMetadata. If they don't, they are treated as a single sample.
- Create a ReferenceSet from a FASTA file.
  - The ReferenceSet is often already generated and registered in SMRT Link.
  - If the ReferenceSet doesn't exist, use the dataset create command to create one:

dataset create --type ReferenceSet --name reference name reference.fasta

## Launching a Multi-Sample Analysis

```
# Set subreads and ref FASTA
sample1=sample1.subreadset.xml sample2=sample2.subreadset.xml
ref=reference.fasta

pbmm2 align ${ref} ${sample1} sample1.bam --sort --median-filter --sample Sample1
pbmm2 align ${ref} ${sample2} sample2.bam --sort --median-filter --sample Sample2
samtools index sample1.bam
samtools index sample2.bam
pbindex sample1.bam
pbindex sample2.bam
pbindex sample2.bam
pbsv discover sample1.bam sample1.svsig.gz
pbsv discover sample2.bam sample2.svsig.gz
pbsv call ${ref} sample1.svsig.gz sample2.svsig.gz out.vcf
```

**out.vcf**: A pbsv VCF output file, where columns starting from column 10 represent structural variants of Sample 1 and Sample 2:

#### pbvalidate

The phyalidate tool validates that files produced by PacBio software are compliant with Pacific Biosciences' own internal specifications.

## Input Files

pbvalidate supports the following input formats:

- BAM
- FASTA
- Data Set XML

See here for further information about each format's requirements.

#### Usage

Required	Description
file	Input BAM, FASTA, or Data Set XML file to validate.

Options	Description
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.
version	Displays program version number and exits.
log-file LOG_FILE	Writes the log to file. Default (None) will write to stdout.
log-level	Specifies the log level; values are [DEBUG, INFO, WARNING, ERROR, CRITICAL.] (Default = CRITICAL)
debug=False	Alias for setting the log level to DEBUG. (Default = False)
quiet	Alias for setting the log level to CRITICAL to suppress output. (Default = False)
verbose, -v	Sets the verbosity level. (Default = None)
quick	Limits validation to the first 100 records (plus file header); equivalent tomax-records=100. (Default = False)
max MAX_ERRORS	Exits after MAX_ERRORS were recorded. (Default = None; checks the entire file.)
max-records MAX_RECORDS	Exits after MAX_RECORDS were inspected. (Default = None; checks the entire file.)
type	Uses the specified file type instead of guessing. [BAM, Fasta, AlignmentSet, ConsensusSet, ConsensusAlignmentSet, SubreadSet, BarcodeSet, ContigSet, ReferenceSet, HdfSubreadSet] (Default = None)
index	Requires index files:.fai or .pbi. (Default = False)
strict	Turns on additional validation, primarily for Data Set XML. (Default = False)

BAM Options	Description
unaligned	Specifies that the file should contain <b>only</b> unmapped alignments. (Default = None, no requirement.)
unmapped	Alias forunaligned. (Default = None)
aligned	Specifies that the file should contain <b>only</b> mapped alignments. (Default = None, no requirement.)
mapped	Alias foraligned. (Default = None)
contents	Enforces the read type: [SUBREAD, CCS] (Default = None)
reference REFERENCE	Specifies the path to an optional reference FASTA file, used for additional validation of mapped BAM records. (Default = None)

#### **Examples**

To validate a BAM file:

```
pbvalidate in.subreads.bam
```

To validate a FASTA file:

```
pbvalidate in.fasta
```

To validate a Data Set XML file:

```
pbvalidate in.subreadset.xml
```

To validate a BAM file and its index file (.pbi):

```
pbvalidate --index in.subreads.bam
```

To validate a BAM file and exit after 10 errors are detected:

```
pbvalidate --max 10 in.subreads.bam
```

To validate up to 100 records in a BAM file:

```
phvalidate --max-records 100 in.subreads.bam
```

To validate up to 100 records in a BAM file (equivalent to --max-records=100):

```
pbvalidate --quick in.subreads.bam
```

To validate a BAM file, using a specified log level:

```
pbvalidate --log-level=INFO in.subreads.bam
```

To validate a BAM file and write log messages to a file rather than to stdout:

```
pbvalidate --log-file validation_results.log in.subreads.bam
```

#### runqc-reports

The runqc-reports tool generates up to five different Run QC reports, depending on Data Set type: Raw Data, Adapters, Loading, Control, and CCS Reads. Generating a complete set of reports requires the presence of an sts.xml resource in the Data Set, but either the CCS Analysis report (or a fallback Subreads report) will **always** be generated. All report JSON and plot PNG files are written to the current working directory, unless otherwise specified.

#### Usage

Required	Description
dataset_xml	Input SubreadSet or ConsensusReadSet XML, which <b>must</b> contain an sts.xml resource for the full Run QC report set to be generated.
-o OUTPUT_DIR	Output report directory. (Default = Current working directory)

Options	Description
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.
version	Displays program version number and exits.
log-file LOG_FILE	Writes the log to file. Default (None) will write to stdout.
log-level	Specifies the log level; values are [DEBUG, INFO, WARNING, ERROR, CRITICAL.] (Default = WARNING)
debug	Alias for setting the log level to DEBUG. (Default = False)
quiet	Alias for setting the log level to CRITICAL to suppress output. (Default = False)
verbose, -v	Sets the verbosity level. (Default = None)

## **Examples**

runqc-reports moviename.subreadset.xml
runqc-reports moviename.consensusreadset.xml

# SARS-CoV-2 Analysis

This application analyzes multiplexed viral surveillance samples for SARS-CoV-2. For **each** sample, this analysis provides:

- Amplicon coverage (CSV)
- Variant calls (VCF)
- Consensus sequence (FASTA)
- Aligned reads (BAM)

#### Notes:

- The application supports the HiFiViral for SARS-CoV-2 Workflow –
   Multiplexing 1.2 kb Amplicons for Full-Viral Genome Sequencing
   protocol. For other amplicon-based SARS-CoV-2 protocols, changes
   to default parameters are required, and validity of the application
   results should be reviewed, even if the analysis was successful.
- The application is intended to identify variants and call a single consensus sequence per sample. The output consensus sequence is produced based on the dominant alternative variant observed. Minor variant information that pass through a default threshold may be encoded in the output VCF, but does **not** get propagated into the consensus sequence FASTA.

• The application is intended for use with multiplexed samples. In addition, multiplexed samples **must** already be demultiplexed at the sample level **only** using the **Demultiplex Barcodes** <code>cromwell</code> workflow in SMRT Tools - **not** just with the <code>lima</code> tool from Bioconda. Samples should have assigned **unique** Bio Sample Names (not just barcode names) in the BAM headers (SM tag in the @RG header) to work correctly with multi-sample Data Sets.

Note there are two relevant demultiplexing calls for analyzing a multiplexed SARS-CoV-2 Data Set. The first demultiplexing call, using the **Demultiplex Barcodes** cromwell workflow, identifies, removes, and splits up samples. The second demultiplexing call (included as part of the SARS-CoV-2 Analysis application) identifies and trims amplicon-specific primers.

## **General Application Workflow**

- 1. Split up demultiplexed samples, assumed to be in separate BAM files. Each BAM file represents the HiFi reads from **one** sample.
- 2. Trim the amplicon primers and get amplicon coverage by calling lima.
- 3. Call variants using pbaa, which produces a sequence **only**; additional included scripts convert the sequence to a variant in VCF format.
- 4. Filter low-frequency variants and generate consensus VCF-based consensus sequence. using VCFCons- a VCF-based consensus sequence generator for small genomes. At each position, a variant is called only if both the base coverage exceeds the Minimum Base Coverage threshold and the fraction of reads that support this variant is above the Minimum Variant Frequency threshold. (See here for details on VCFCons.)

## **Preparing Input Data for the SARS-CoV-2 Analysis Application**

Run the **Demultiplex Barcodes** cromwell workflow, where the input to that application are HiFi reads, and the primers are multiplexed barcode primers. See "Demultiplex Barcodes" on page 21 for details.

- If HiFi reads have **not** been generated on the instrument, run CCS Analysis first. See "ccs" on page 6 for details.
- Provide the proper barcode sequences. For the HiFiViral for SARS-CoV-2 Workflow Multiplexing 1.2 kb Amplicons for Full-Viral Genome Sequencing protocol, the barcode sequence contains both the M13 sequences and the 16bp barcodes.
- Use the task option lima\_symmetric\_barcodes=false. (For the HiFi-Viral for SARs-CoV-2 Workflow – Multiplexing 1.2 kb Amplicons for Full-Viral Genome Sequencing protocol, the barcode pairs are asymmetric.)
- 3. Set the lima min score task option to 80.
- 4. Provide the correctly formatted barcode pair-to-Bio Sample CSV file for the biosamples csv task option.

#### Input Files

- movie.consensusreadset.xml: Previously-demultiplexed HiFi Reads, packaged as separate BAM files wrapped in an XML Data Set. (See "Preparing Input Data for the SARS-CoV-2 Analysis Application" on page 93 for details.)
- sarscov2\_guide\_for\_pbaa.referenceset.xml: Guide references to be used by the pbaa software. (The default guide reference is designed for the HiFiViral for SARS-CoV-2 Workflow – Multiplexing 1.2 kb Amplicons for Full-Viral Genome Sequencing protocol.)
- sars cov2.referenceset.xml: The Wuhan reference genome.
- sarscov2\_primers.barcodeset.xml: Amplicon primer sequence file in FASTA format. (The default sequence file is designed for the HiFiViral for SARS-CoV-2 Workflow – Multiplexing 1.2 kb Amplicons for Full-Viral Genome Sequencing protocol.)

When creating the amplicon primer sequence FASTA file, place the F/R primers adjacent (as shown below) so that the lima tool recognizes them as pairs. In this way, **only** valid amplicons (such as 3F--3R) are output. We have noticed that non-valid amplicons (such as 3F--10R) tend to be artifacts. To use this feature, your primer FASTA file **must** list F/R in adjacent manner as shown below:

```
>SARSCOV_1200_1_LEFT
ACCAACCAACTTTCGATCTCTTGT
>SARSCOV_1200_1_RIGHT
GGTTGCATTCATTTGGTGACGC
>SARSCOV_1200_10_LEFT
TTTACCAGGAGTTTTCTGTGGTGT
>SARSCOV_1200_10_RIGHT
TGGGCCTCATAGCACATTGGTA
```

• **Note**: Changes to amplicon primer design require a change to **both** the guide reference and to the amplicon primers.

## **Output Files**

- pb\_sars\_cov2.aligned\_frag\_zip: BAM file containing the output from mapping to the reference genome, by sample.
- pb\_sars\_cov2.vcf\_zip: VCF file containing the final variant calls per patient sample.
- <code>pb\_sars\_cov2.fasta\_zip</code>: Final consensus sequences, by sample, in FASTA format. This is a single consensus sequence with  ${\tt N}$  for each sample. This file can be used for submitting to viral databases such as GISAID or NCBI that requires a single FASTA sequence per sample.
- pb\_sars\_cov2.counts\_tsv: Tab-delimited CSV count file containing per-sample, per-amplicon counts. This file can be used to identify samples that are poorly sequenced or amplicons with consistent high or low coverages.
- <code>pb\_sars\_cov2.frag\_fasta\_zip</code>: Final consensus sequences, by sample, broken up into non- $\mathbb N$  fragments, in FASTA format. For each sample, the file contains one or more sequences based on how many  $\mathbb N$  stretches there are. This file is useful for mapping to reference genomes for visualization.

- pb\_sars\_cov2.aligned\_reads\_zip: BAM file containing the sample sequence, aligned to the genome, per sample.
- pb\_sars\_cov2.errors\_zip: As samples with poor coverage may fail analysis, log files for these samples (if any) are included for troubleshooting.
- pb\_sars\_cov2.sample\_failures\_csv: Bio Sample Name and path of any samples that failed analysis.

## Running the SARS-CoV-2 Analysis Application

```
pbcromwell run pb_sars_cov2 \
-e <movie.consensusreadset.xml> \
-e $$SMRT_ROOT/current/bundles/smrtinub/current/private/pacbio/barcodes/$ARS-CoV-2_Primers/sarscov2_primers.barcodeset.xml \
-e $$SMRT_ROOT/current/bundles/smrtinub/current/private/pacbio/canneddata/referenceset/$ARS-CoV-2_Guide/sarscov2_guide_for_pbaa.referenceset.xml \
-e eid_ref_dataset_2:$$MRT_ROOT/current/bundles/smrtinub/current/private/pacbio/canneddata/referenceset/$ARS-CoV-2/sars_cov2.referenceset.xml
```

**Note**: The prefix eid\_ref\_dataset\_2: is **required** in the last argument as there are two different references with very distinct purposes. (This is different from other invocations of pbcromwell.)

## summarize Modifications

The summarizeModifications tool generates a GFF summary file (alignment\_summary.gff) from the output of base modification analysis (for example, ipdSummary) combined with the coverage summary GFF generated by resequencing pipelines. This is useful for power users running custom workflows.

#### Usage

#### Input Files

- modifications: Base Modification GFF file.
- alignmentSummary: Alignment Summary GFF file.

#### **Output Files**

• gff\_out: Coverage summary for regions (bins) spanning the reference with Base Modification results for each region.

Options	Description
-h,help	Displays help information and exits.
version	Displays program version number and exits.

Options	Description
log-file LOG_FILE	Writes the log to file. Default (None) will write to stdout.
log-level	Specifies the log level; values are [DEBUG, INFO, WARNING, ERROR, CRITICAL] (Default = INFO)
debug	Alias for setting the log level to DEBUG. (Default = False)
quiet	Alias for setting the log level to CRITICAL to suppress output. (Default = False)
verbose, -v	Sets the verbosity level. (Default = None)

# **Appendix A - Application Entry Points and Output Files**

**Note**: To print information about a specific PacBio workflow, including input files and task options, use the pbcromwell show-workflow-details command, which is available for **all** applications. **Example**:

```
pbcromwell show-workflow-details pb_hgap4
pbcromwell show-workflow-details cromwell.workflows.pb_hgap4
```

(The prefix cromwell.workflows is optional.)

# Assembly (HGAP 4)

Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb\_hgap4

## **Entry Point**

:id: eid\_subread
:name: Entry eid\_subread
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.SubreadSet

#### **Key Output Files**

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Coverage Summary	pb_hgap4.coverage_gff
Alignments	pb_hgap4.mapped
Polished Assembly	pb_hgap4.consensus_fasta
Polished Assembly	pb_hgap4.consensus_fastq
Draft Assembly	pb_hgap4.ofile_a_ctg_fasta, pb_hgap4.ofile_p_ctg_fasta

# Base Modification Detection

Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb basemods

#### **Entry Points**

:id: eid\_subread
:name: Entry eid\_subread
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.SubreadSet
:id: eid\_ref\_dataset
:name: Entry eid\_ref\_dataset
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ReferenceSet

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Motifs and Modifications	pb_basemods.motifs_gff
Motifs Summary	pb_basemods.motifs_csv
Full Kinetics Summary	pb_basemods.basemods_gff
IPD Ratios	pb_basemods.basemods_csv

# Circular Consensus Sequencing (CCS)

Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb ccs

## **Entry Point**

:id: eid\_subread

:name: Entry eid\_subread
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.SubreadSet

#### **Key Output Files**

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
FASTQ file	ccs_fastq_out
FASTA file	ccs_fasta_out
BAM file	ccs_bam_out
Consensus Sequences	pb_ccs.ccsxml
CCS Analysis Statistics	pb_ccs.report_ccs

# **CCS** with **Demultiplexing**

Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb ccs demux

## **Entry Points**

:id: eid subread

:name: Entry eid\_subread

:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.SubreadSet

:id: eid\_barcode

:name: Entry eid\_barcode
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.BarcodeSet

#### **Key Output Files**

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
FASTQ file	ccs_fastq_out
FASTA file	ccs_fasta_out
BAM file	ccs_bam_out
Consensus Sequences	pb_ccs.ccsxml
CCS Analysis Statistics	pb_ccs.report_ccs
Barcode Report Details	pb_demux_ccs.summary_csv
Demultiplexed Data Sets	pb_demux_ccs.demuxed_files_datastore
Unbarcoded Reads	pb_demux_ccs.unbarcoded

# **CCS** with **Mapping**

Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb ccs mapping

#### **Entry Points**

:id: eid\_subread

:name: Entry eid\_subread

:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.SubreadSet

:id: eid\_ref\_dataset
:name: Entry eid\_ref\_dataset
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ReferenceSet

## **Key Output Files**

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Coverage Summary	pb_ccs_mapping.coverage_gff
Alignments	pb_ccs_mapping.mapped
FASTQ file	ccs_fastq_out
FASTA file	ccs_fasta_out
BAM file	ccs_bam_out
Consensus Sequences	pb_ccs_mapping.ccsxml
CCS Analysis Statistics	pb_ccs_mapping.report_ccs
Aligned BAM	pb_ccs_mapping.mapped_bam
BAM Index	pb_ccs_mapping.mapped_bam_bai

## **Convert BAM to FASTX**

Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb bam2fastx

# **Entry Point**

:id: eid\_subread

:name: Entry eid\_subread
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.SubreadSet

#### **Key Output Files**

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
FASTQ file(s)	pb_bam2fastx.fastq_zip
FASTA file(s)	pb_bam2fastx.fasta_zip

## **Demultiplex** Barcodes

**Analysis Application Name**: cromwell.workflows.pb\_demux\_subreads

#### **Entry Points**

:id: eid\_subread
:name: Entry eid\_subread
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.SubreadSet

:id: eid barcode

:name: Entry eid barcode :fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.BarcodeSet

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Barcode Report Details	pb_demux_subreads.summary_csv
Demultiplexed Datasets	pb_demux_subreads.barcoded_reads
Unbarcoded Reads	pb_demux_subreads.unbarcoded

# Demultiplex Barcodes (CCS Reads-Only)

# Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb\_demux\_ccs

#### **Entry Points**

:id: eid\_ccs
:name: Entry eid\_ccs
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ConsensusReadSet
:id: eid\_barcode
:name: Entry eid\_barcode
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.BarcodeSet

#### **Key Output Files**

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Barcode Report Details	pb_demux_ccs.summary_csv
Demultiplexed Datasets	pb_demux_ccs.demuxed_files_datastore
Unbarcoded Reads	pb_demux_ccs.unbarcoded

## **Export Reads**

Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb\_export\_ccs

## **Entry Points**

:id: eid\_ccs
:name: Entry eid\_ccs
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ConsensusReadSet

#### **Key Output Files**

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
<pre><moviename>.hifi_reads.fastq.gz</moviename></pre>	ccs_fastq_out
<pre><moviename>.hifi_reads.fasta.gz</moviename></pre>	ccs_fasta_out
<moviename>.hifi_reads.bam.gz</moviename>	ccs_bam_out

**Note**: If users select a lower cutoff Phred QV value, the string hifi is replaced by the QV value in the file names.

**Example**: <moviename>.q10.fastq.gz.

## Genome Assembly

 $\textbf{Analysis Application Name}: \verb|cromwell.workflows.pb_assembly_hifi| \\$ 

#### **Entry Points**

:id: eid\_ccs
:name: Entry eid\_ccs
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ConsensusReadSet

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Final Polished Assembly, Primary Contigs	pb_assembly_hifi.final_primary_contigs_fasta
Final Polished Assembly, Haplotigs	pb_assembly_hifi.final_haplotigs_fasta
List of Circular Contigs	pb_assembly_hifi.circular_contigs

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Summary Report	pb_assembly_hifi.report_polished_assembly

# Iso-Seq Analysis

Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb isoseq3

## **Entry Points**

:id: eid subread

:name: Subreads
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.SubreadSet

:id: eid\_barcode :name: Primers

:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.BarcodeSet

:id: eid\_ref\_dataset
:name: Reference (Optional)
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ReferenceSet

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Collapsed Filtered Isoforms FASTQ	pb_isoseq3.collapse_fastq
Collapsed Filtered Isoforms GFF	pb_isoseq3.collapse_gff
Group TXT	pb_isoseq3.collapse_group
Abundance TXT	pb_isoseq3.collapse_abundance
Collapsed Isoforms Abundance TXT (Files are numbered consecutively, 1 for each barcoded sample.)	pb_isoseq3.collapse_abundance Separate clusters, one per barcoded sample.
Collapsed Isoforms Abundance TXT (Files are numbered consecutively, 1 for each barcoded sample.)	pb_isoseq3.collapse_abundance Pooled clusters, one per barcoded sample.
Read Stat TXT	pb_isoseq3.collapse_readstat
High-Quality Transcripts	pb_isoseq3.hq_fastq
Low-Quality Transcripts	pb_isoseq3.lq_fastq
High-Quality Transcripts Counts (Files are numbered consecutively, 1 for each barcoded sample.)	pb_isoseq3.barcode_overview_report Separate clusters, one per barcoded sample.
High-Quality Transcripts Counts	pb_isoseq3.barcode_overview_report
(Files are numbered consecutively, 1 for each barcoded sample.)	Pooled clusters, one per barcoded sample.
CCS Analysis FASTQ	pb_isoseq3.ccs_fastq_zip
Full-length CCS	pb_isoseq3.flnc_bam
Polished Report	pb_isoseq3.polish_report_csv
Cluster Report	pb_isoseq3.report_isoseq

# Iso-Seq Analysis (CCS Reads-Only)

# Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb\_isoseq3\_ccsonly

# **Entry Points**

:id: eid\_ccs :name: Reads :fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ConsensusReadSet :id: eid\_barcode
:name: Primers :fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.BarcodeSet :id: eid ref dataset :name: Reference (Optional) :fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ReferenceSet

#### **Key Output Files**

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Collapsed Filtered Isoforms FASTQ	pb_isoseq3_ccsonly.collapse_fastq
Collapsed Filtered Isoforms GFF	pb_isoseq3_ccsonly.collapse_gff
Group TXT	pb_isoseq3_ccsonly.collapse_group
Abundance TXT	pb_isoseq3_ccsonly.collapse_abundance
Read Stat TXT	pb_isoseq3_ccsonly.collapse_readstat
Collapsed Isoforms Abundance TXT (Files are numbered consecutively, 1 for each barcoded sample.)	pb_isoseq3_ccsonly.collapse_abundance Separate clusters, one per barcoded sample.
Collapsed Isoforms Abundance TXT (Files are numbered consecutively, 1 for each barcoded sample.)	pb_isoseq3_ccsonly.collapse_abundance Pooled clusters, one per barcoded sample.
High-Quality Transcripts	pb_isoseq3_ccsonly.hq_fastq
Low-Quality Transcripts	pb_isoseq3_ccsonly.lq_fastq
High-Quality Transcripts Counts (Files are numbered consecutively, 1 for each barcoded sample.)	pb_isoseq3_ccsonly.barcode_overview_report Separate clusters, one per barcoded sample.
High-Quality Transcripts Counts (Files are numbered consecutively.	pb_isoseq3_ccsonly.barcode_overview_report Pooled clusters, one per barcoded sample.
1 for each barcoded sample.)	
CCS Reads FASTQ	pb_isoseq3_ccsonly.ccs_fastq_zip
Full-length CCS Reads	pb_isoseq3ccsonly.flnc_bam
Polished Report	pb_isoseq3ccsonly.polish_report_csv
Cluster Report	pb_isoseq3ccsonly.report_isoseq

# Long Amplicon Analysis (LAA)

Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb laa

#### **Entry Point**

:id: eid\_subread

:name: Entry eid\_subread
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.SubreadSet

# **Key Output Files**

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Consensus Sequence Statistics CSV	pb_laa.summary_csv
Chimeric/Noise Consensus Sequences	pb_laa.chimeras_fastq
Consensus Sequences	pb_laa.consensus_fastq
Consensus Sequences by Barcode	pb_laa.consensus_fastq_split
Chimeric/Noise Consensus Sequences by Barcode	pb_laa.chimeras_fastq_split

## Mapping Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb align ccs

# **Entry Points**

:id: eid\_ccs
:name: Entry eid\_ccs
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ConsensusReadSet
:id: eid\_ref\_dataset
:name: Entry eid\_ref\_dataset
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ReferenceSet

#### **Key Output Files**

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Mapped reads	pb_align_ccs.mapped
Coverage summary	pb_align_ccs.coverage_gff

# Mapping (CCS Reads-Only)

# Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb\_ccs\_subreads

#### **Entry Points**

:id: eid\_subread
:name: Entry eid\_subread
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.SubreadSet
:id: eid\_ref\_dataset
:name: Entry eid\_ref\_dataset
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ReferenceSet

# **Key Output Files**

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Mapped reads	pb_align_ccs.mapped
Coverage summary	pb_align_ccs.coverage_gff

# Mark PCR Duplicates

## **Analysis Application Name:**

cromwell.workflows.pb\_mark\_duplicates

#### **Entry Points**

:id: eid\_ccs
:name: Entry eid\_ccs
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ConsensusReadSet

# **Key Output Files**

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
PCR Duplicates	pb_mark_duplicates.duplicates
Deduplicated reads	<pre>pb_mark_duplicates.deduplicated In the SMRT Link UI, this displays as <original_dataset_name> (deduplicated).</original_dataset_name></pre>

# **Microbial Assembly**

## **Analysis Application Name:**

cromwell.workflows.pb\_assembly\_microbial

#### **Entry Point**

:id: eid\_subread

:name: Entry eid\_subread
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.SubreadSet

#### **Key Output Files**

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Polished Assembly	pb_assembly_microbial.consensus_fasta/fastq
Polished Contigs After oriC Rotation	pb_assembly_microbial.assembled_fasta/fastq
Draft Assembly	pb_assembly_microbial.draft_assembly
Draft Assembly Index	pb_assembly_microbial.draft_assembly_fai
Final Assembly	pb_assembly_microbial.ncbi_fasta
Mapped BAM	pb_assembly_microbial.mapped
List of Circular Contigs	pb_assembly_microbial.circular_list
Coverage Summary	pb_assembly_microbial.coverage_gff
Coverage Report	pb_assembly_microbial.report_coverage
Mapping Statistics Report	pb_assembly_microbial.report_mapping_stats
Preassembly Report	pb_assembly_microbial.report_preassembly
Polished Assembly Report	pb_assembly_microbial.report_polished_assembly

# **Minor Variants Analysis**

Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb mv ccs

## **Entry Points**

:id: eid ccs

:name: Entry eid\_ccs
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ConsensusReadSet

:id: eid\_ref\_dataset
:name: Entry eid\_ref\_dataset
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ReferenceSet

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Minor Variants HTML Reports	pb_mv_ccs.juliet_html
Per-Variant Table	pb_mv_ccs.report_csv

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Alignments	pb_mv_ccs.mapped

#### Resequencing

Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb resequencing

#### **Entry Points**

:id: eid subread

:name: Entry eid\_subread
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.SubreadSet

:id: eid\_ref\_dataset

:name: Entry eid\_ref\_dataset
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ReferenceSet

#### **Key Output Files**

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Coverage and Variant Call Summary	pb_resequencing.consensus_gff
Variant Calls	pb_resequencing.variants_gff
Consensus Contigs	pb_resequencing.consensus_fastq
Variant Calls	pb_resequencing.variants_vcf
Alignments	pb_resequencing.mapped
Coverage Summary	pb_resequencing.coverage_gff
Consensus Sequences	pb_resequencing.consensus_fasta
Aligned BAM	pb_resequencing.mapped_bam
BAM Index	pb_resequencing.mapped_bam_bai

# SARS-CoV-2 **Analysis**

Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb\_sars\_cov2

#### **Entry Point**

```
:id: eid_ccs (HiFi Reads, demultiplexed as separate BAM files)
:name: Entry eid ccs
:fileTypeId: Pac\overline{\text{B}}io.DataSet.ConsensusReadSet
:id: eid barcode (Amplicon Primers)
:name: Entry eid barcode
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.BarcodeSet
:id: eid_ref_dataset (Reference Guide for pbaa)
:name: Entry eid_ref_dataset
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ReferenceSet
:id: eid_ref_dataset_2 (Reference Genome)
:name: Entry eid_ref_dataset
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ReferenceSet
```

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
All Samples, Amplicon Counts TSV	pb_sars_cov2.counts_tsv

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
All Samples, Variant Calls	pb_sars_cov2.variants_csv
All Samples, Variant Call VCF	pb_sars_cov2.vcf_zip
All Samples, Consensus Sequence FASTA	pb_sars_cov2.fasta_zip
All Samples, Consensus Sequence By Fragments FASTA	pb_sars_cov2.frag_fasta_zip
All Samples, Aligned Reads BAM	pb_sars_cov2.aligned_reads_zip
All Samples, Consensus Sequence Aligned BAM	pb_sars_cov2.aligned_frag_zip
All Samples, Trimmed Amplicons BAM	pb_sars_cov2.trimmed_amplicons_zip
Failed Sample Info	pb_sars_cov2.sample_failures_csv
Failed Sample Analysis Logs	pb_sars_cov2.errors_zip

# Site **Acceptance** Test (SAT)

Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb sat

# **Entry Points**

:id: eid subread

:name: Entry eid\_subread
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.SubreadSet

:id: eid\_ref\_dataset

:name: Entry eid\_ref\_dataset
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ReferenceSet

#### **Key Output Files**

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Coverage and Variant Call Summary	pb_sat.consensus_gff
Variant Calls	pb_sat.variants_gff
Consensus Contigs	pb_sat.consensus_fastq
Variant Calls	pb_sat.variants_vcf
Alignments	pb_sat.mapped
Coverage Summary	pb_sat.coverage_gff
Consensus Sequences	pb_sat.consensus_fasta

# Structural **Variant Calling**

Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb sv clr

#### **Entry Points**

:id: eid\_subread

:name: Entry eid\_subread
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.SubreadSet

:id: eid ref dataset

:name: Entry eid ref dataset
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ReferenceSet

## **Key Output Files**

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Structural Variants	pb_sv_clr.variants
Aligned reads (BioSampleName)	pb_sv_clr.alignments_by_sample_datastore

# Structural **Variant Calling** (CCS Reads-Only)

Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb sv ccs

# **Entry Points**

:id: eid ccs

:name: Entry eid\_ccs
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ConsensusReadSet

:id: eid\_ref\_dataset
:name: Entry eid\_ref\_dataset
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ReferenceSet

#### **Key Output Files**

File Name	Datastore Sourceld	
Structural Variants	pb_sv_ccs.variants	
Aligned reads (Bio Sample Name)	pb_sv_ccs.alignments_by_sample_datastore	

# **Trim gDNA Amplification Adapters**

Analysis Application Name: cromwell.workflows.pb trim adapters

## **Entry Points**

:id: eid ccs

:name: Entry eid ccs

:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.ConsensusReadSet

:id: eid barcode

:name: Entry eid\_barcode
:fileTypeId: PacBio.DataSet.BarcodeSet

**Note**: The barcodes need to be a single primer sequence.

File Name	Datastore Sourceld
Reads Missing Adapters	pb_trim_adapters.unbarcoded
PCR Adapter Data CSV	pb_trim_adapters.summary_csv
Trimmed reads	<pre>pb_trim_adapters.trimmed In the SMRT Link UI, this displays as <original_dataset_name>   (trimmed).</original_dataset_name></pre>

# **Appendix B - Third Party Command-Line Tools**

Following is information on the third-party command-line tools included in the smrtcmds/bin subdirectory.

## bamtools

- A C++ API and toolkit for reading, writing, and manipulating BAM files.
- See https://sourceforge.net/projects/bamtools/ for details.

#### cromwell

- Scientific workflow engine used to power SMRT Link.
- See https://cromwell.readthedocs.io/en/stable/ for details.

# daligner, LAsort, LAmerge, HPC.daligner

- Finds all significant local alignments between reads.
- See https://dazzlerblog.wordpress.com/command-guides/daligner-command-reference-guide/ for details.

#### datander

- Finds all local self-alignment between long, noisy DNA reads.
- See https://github.com/thegenemyers/DAMASKER for details.

# DB2fasta, DBdump, DBdust, DBrm, DBshow, DBsplit, DBstats, Fasta2DB

Utilities that work with Dazzler databases:

- DB2fasta: Converts database files to FASTA format.
- DBdust: Runs the DUST algorithm over the reads in the untrimmed database, producing a track that marks all intervals of low complexity sequence.
- DBdump/DBshow: Displays a subset of the reads in the database; selects the information to show about the reads, including any mask tracks.
- DBrm: Deletes all the files in a given database.
- DBsplit: Divides a database conceptually into a series of blocks.
- DBstats: Shows overview statistics for all the reads in the trimmed database.
- Fasta2DB: Builds an initial database, or adds to an existing database, using a list of .fasta files.
- See https://dazzlerblog.wordpress.com/command-guides/dazz\_db-command-guide/ for details.

## ipython

- An interactive shell for using the Pacific Biosciences API.
- See <a href="https://ipython.org/">https://ipython.org/</a> for details.

#### purge dups

- Removes haplotigs and contig overlaps in a *de novo* assembly based on read depth.
- See https://github.com/dfguan/purge\_dups for details.

#### python

- An object-oriented programming language.
- See <a href="https://www.python.org/">https://www.python.org/</a> for details.

# REPmask, TANmask, HPC.REPmask, HPC.TANmask

- A set of programs to soft-mask all tandem and interspersed repeats in Dazzler databases when computing overlaps.
- See https://github.com/thegenemyers/DAMASKER for details.

#### samtools

- A set of programs for interacting with high-throughput sequencing data in SAM/BAM/VCF formats.
- See http://www.htslib.org/ for details.

# **Appendix C - Microbial Assembly Advanced Options**

Use this application to generate  $de\ novo$  assemblies of small prokaryotic genomes between 1.9-10 Mb and companion plasmids between 2 - 220 kb.

The Microbial Assembly application:

- Includes chromosomal- and plasmid-level de novo genome assembly, circularization, polishing, and rotation of the origin of replication for each circular contig.
- · Facilitates assembly of larger genomes (yeast) as well.
- · Accepts Sequel data (BAM format) as input.



#### The workflow shown above consists of two assembly stages:

**Stage 1**: Intended for contig assembly of large sequences. This stage uses the seed length cutoff which might miss small sequences in the input sample (smaller than the input cutoff, such as the plasmids).

**Stage 2**: Intended for a fine-grained assembly. This stage assembles only the unmapped and poorly mapped reads, does **not** use a seed length cutoff, and relaxes the overlapping parameters.

Both stages use an automated random subsampling process to reduce the input Data Set for assembly (by default to 100x). Note that the subsampling is **only** applied to the contig construction process, while the polishing stage of the workflow still uses the **full** input Data Set.

Available options for these two stages are identical. The only differences are:

- 1. Stage 1 parameters are prefixed with stage1 and Stage 2 parameters with stage2.
- 2. Default values.

#### Complete list of all available options and their default values

```
genome_size = 5000000
coverage = 30
plasmid contig len max = 300000
plasmid min aln frac = 0.95
plasmid_dedup_min_frac = 0.90
remove temp data = 1
stage1.length cutoff = -1
stage1.block size = 1024
stage1.subsample coverage = 100
stage1.subsample random seed = 12345
stage1.use median filter = 1
stage1.autocomp max cov = 1
stage1.ovl opt raw =
stage1.ovl opt erc =
stage1.ovl flank grace = 20
stage1.ovl min idt = 96
stage1.ovl min len = 1000
stage1.ovl filter opt = --max-diff 80 --max-cov 100 --min-cov 1 --bestn 20 --min-len
4000 -- gapFilt -- minDepth 4
stage2.length cutoff = 0
stage2.block size = 400
stage2.subsample coverage = 100
stage2.subsample\_random seed = 12345
stage2.use median filter = 1
stage2.autocomp max cov = 0
stage2.ovl opt raw = --min-map-len 499
stage2.ovl opt erc = --min-map-len 499
stage2.ovl flank grace = 20
stage2.ovl min idt = 94
```

 $stage2.ovl\_min\_len = 500 \\ stage2.ovl\_filter\_opt = --max-diff 10000 --max-cov 10000 --min-cov 1 --bestn 20 --min-len 498 --gapFilt --minDepth 4$ 

Advanced Parameters	Default Value	Description
stage1.length_cutoff	-1	Only reads as long as this value are used as seeds in the draft assembly, and subsequently error-corrected.  -1 means this is calculated automatically so that the total number of seed bases equals (Genome Length x Coverage).  0 means <b>all</b> reads in the input Data Set are used for error-correction.
stage1.block_size	1024	The overlapping process is performed on pairs of blocks of input sequences, where each block contains the number of sequences which crop up to this size (in Mbp). <b>Note</b> : The number of pairwise comparisons grows quadratically with the number of blocks (meaning more cluster jobs), but also the larger the block size the more resources are required to execute each pairwise comparison.
stage1.subsample_coverage	100	If the input Data Set is large, it will automatically be randomly subsampled to the desired coverage specified by this parameter. The subsampling here is applied <b>only</b> to the assembly process, while the polishing stage will still use the full input Data Set. The specified <code>subsample_coverage</code> value should be larger than the <code>coverage</code> parameter used for seed selection. The difference between these two parameters is that <code>subsample_coverage</code> selects reads randomly, while <code>coverage</code> picks the longest reads. If <code>subsample_coverage</code> is set to <code>&lt;=0</code> , subsampling is deactivated.
stage1.subsample_random_s eed	12345	The value used to seed the random number generator for the subsampling process. Value greater than 0 specifies a fixed seed which allows reproducibility, while a value <= 0 should produce a different ordering on every run.
stage1.use_median_filter	1	The median filter selects one subread per ZMW – the median length subread. 1 enables the filter; 0 deactivates it. It is highly recommended to use the median filter.
stage1.autocomp_max_cov	1	If enabled, the maximum allowed overlap coverage at either the 5' or the 3' end of every read is automatically determined based on the statistics computed from the overlap piles. This value is appended to the $\mathtt{ovl\_filter\_opt}$ value internally, and supersedes the manually specified values of the $-\mathtt{max-cov}$ and $-\mathtt{max-diff}$ parameters. These parameters are used to determine potential repeats and filter out those reads before the string graph is constructed. $1$ enables this option, and $0$ turns it off.
stage1.ovl_opt_raw	NONE	Overlapping options for the Raptor overlapping tool, applied at the <b>raw read overlapping stage</b> (pre-assembly). The defaults are set to work well with PacBio subreads. The options set by this parameter here are passed directly to Raptor. For details on Raptor options, use raptor -h.
stage1.ovl_opt_erc	NONE	Overlapping options for the Raptor overlapping tool, applied at the <b>pread overlapping stage</b> . The defaults are set to work well with error-corrected reads and HiFi Reads. The options set by this parameter here are passed directly to Raptor. For details on Raptor options, use raptor -h.

Advanced Parameters	Default Value	Description
stage1.ovl_flank_grace	20	Heuristic to salvage some potential dovetail overlaps. Only dovetail overlaps are used for assembly, and all other overlaps (partial overlaps, which are actually local alignments by definition) are not used to construct the string graph. Dovetail overlaps are overlaps where the full suffix of one read and a full prefix of the other read are used to form the overlap. More details can be found here.
		Overlaps are formed in the process of alignment, and alignment extension near the ends of the sequences can be stopped in case there are errors present near the edges of one or both of the sequences.
		For any overlap which is missing only a few bases to become a dovetail overlap (the number of bases defined by this parameter), the coordinates are augmented to convert it into a dovetail overlap.
		The impact of this parameter is very low, and this value is set to work in almost all cases. This value should also be set relatively low, to avoid chimeric overlaps.
stage1.ovl_min_idt	96	Overlap identity threshold (in percentage) for filtering overlaps used for contig construction.
stage1.ovl_min_len	1000	Minimum span of an overlap to keep it for contig construction, in bp.
stage1.ovl_filter_opt	max-diff 80 max-cov 100 min-cov 1 - -bestn 20	Overlap filter options. These are identical to FALCON overlap filtering options except for the addition of the two options listed in the defaults:
	min-len 4000 gapFilt minDepth 4	gapFilt - Enables the chimera filter, which analyzes each pread's overlap pile, and determines whether a pread is chimeric based on the local coverage across the pread.
	minbepen 4	minDepth - Option for the chimera filter. The chimera filter is ignored when a local region of a read has coverage lower than this value.
		The other parameters are:
		min-cov - Minimum allowed coverage at either the 5' or the 3' end of a read. If the coverage is below this value, the read is blacklisted and all of the overlaps it is incident with are ignored. This helps remove potentially chimeric reads.
		max-cov - Maximum allowed coverage at either the 5' or the 3' end of a read. If the coverage is above this value, the read is blacklisted and all of the overlaps it is incident with are ignored. This helps remove repetitive reads which can make tangles in the string graph. Note that this value is a heuristic which works well for ~30x seed length cutoff. If the cutoff is set higher, it is advised that this value is also increased. Alternatively, using the autocompute max cov option can automatically estimate the value of this parameter, which can improve contiguity (for example, in cases when the input genome size or the seed coverage were overestimated).
		max-diff - Maximum allowed difference between the coverages at the 5' and 3' ends of any particular read. If the coverage is above this value, the read is blacklisted and all of the overlaps it is incident with are ignored. If the autocompute max_cov option is used, then the same computed value is supplied to this parameter as well.
		bestn - Keep at most this many overlaps on the 5' and the 3' side of any particular read.
		min-len - Filter overlaps where either A-read or the B-read are shorter than this value.

Advanced Parameters	Default Value	Description
stage2.length_cutoff	0	Only reads as long as this value are used as seeds in the draft assembly, and subsequently error-corrected. –1 means this is calculated automatically so that the total number of seed bases equals (Genome Length x Coverage).  0 means <b>all</b> reads in the input Data Set are used for error-correction.
stage2.block_size	400	The overlapping process is performed on pairs of blocks of input sequences, where each block contains the amount of sequences which crop up to this size (in Mbp). <b>Note</b> : The number of pairwise comparisons grows quadratically with the number of blocks (meaning: more cluster jobs), but also the larger the block size the more resources are required to execute each pairwise comparison.
stage2.subsample_coverage	100	If the input Data Set is large, it will automatically be randomly subsampled to the desired coverage specified by this parameter. The subsampling here is applied <b>only</b> to the assembly process, while the polishing stage will still use the full input Data Set. The specified <code>subsample_coverage</code> value should be larger than the <code>coverage</code> parameter used for seed selection. The difference between these two parameters is that <code>subsample_coverage</code> selects reads randomly, while <code>coverage</code> picks the longest reads. If <code>subsample_coverage</code> is set to <code>&lt;=0</code> , subsampling is deactivated.
stage2.subsample_random_s eed	12345	The value used to seed the random number generator for the subsampling process. Value greater than 0 specifies a fixed seed which allows reproducibility, while a value <= 0 should produce a different ordering on every run.
stage2.use_median_filter	1	The median filter selects one subread per ZMW – the median length subread. 1 enables the filter; 0 deactivates it. It is highly recommended to use the median filter.
stage2.autocomp_max_cov	0	If enabled, the maximum allowed overlap coverage at either the 5' or the 3' end of every read is automatically determined based on the statistics computed from the overlap piles. This value is appended to the <code>ovl_filter_opt</code> value internally, and supersedes the manually specified values of the <code>max-cov</code> and <code>max-diff</code> parameters. These parameters are used to determine potential repeats and filter out those reads before the string graph is constructed. <code>1</code> enables this option, and <code>0</code> turns it off.
stage2.ovl_opt_raw	min-map- len 499	Overlapping options for the Raptor overlapping tool, applied at the raw read overlapping stage (pre-assembly). The defaults are set to work well with PacBio subreads. The options set by this parameter here are passed directly to Raptor. For details on Raptor options, use raptor -h. The optionmin-map-len reduces the minimum span of the overlap to 499 bp (instead of the default 1000 bp). This allows shorter overlaps to be reported.
stage2.ovl_opt_erc	min-map- len 499	Overlapping options for the Raptor overlapping tool, applied at the <b>pread overlapping stage</b> . The defaults are set to work well with error-corrected reads and HiFi Reads. The options set by this parameter here are passed directly to Raptor. For details on Raptor options, use raptor -h.  The optionmin-map-len reduces the minimum span of the overlap to 499 bp (instead of the default 1000 bp). This allows shorter overlaps to be reported.

Advanced Parameters	Default Value	Description
stage2.ovl_flank_grace	20	Heuristic to salvage some potential dovetail overlaps. Only dovetail overlaps are used for assembly, and all other overlaps (partial overlaps, which are actually <b>local alignments</b> by definition) are not used to construct the string graph. Dovetail overlaps are overlaps where the full suffix of one read and a full prefix of the other read are used to form the overlap. More details can be found here.
		Overlaps are formed in the process of alignments, and alignment extension near the ends of the sequences can be stopped in case there are errors present near the edges of one or both of the sequences.
		For any overlap which is missing only a few bases to become a dovetail overlap (the number of bases defined by this parameter), the coordinates are augmented to convert it into a dovetail overlap.
		The impact of this parameter is very low, and this value is set to work in almost all cases. This value should also be set relatively low, to avoid chimeric overlaps.
stage2.ovl_min_idt	94	Overlap identity threshold (in percentage) for filtering overlaps used for contig construction.
stage2.ovl_min_len	500	Minimum span of an overlap to keep it for contig construction, in bp.
stage2.ovl_filter_opt	max-diff 10000 max-cov 10000	Overlap filter options. These are identical to FALCON overlap filtering options except for the addition of the two options listed in the defaults:
	min-cov 1 bestn 20 min-len 498 gapFilt minDepth 4	gapFilt - Enables the chimera filter, which analyzes each pread's overlap pile, and determines whether a pread is chimeric based on the local coverage across the pread.
		minDepth - Option for the chimera filter. The chimera filter is ignored when a local region of a read has coverage lower than this value.
		The other parameters are:
		min-cov - Minimum allowed coverage at either the 5' or the 3' end of a read. If the coverage is <b>below</b> this value, the read is blacklisted and all of the overlaps it is incident with are ignored. This helps remove potentially chimeric reads.
		max-cov - Maximum allowed coverage at either the 5' or the 3' end of a read. If the coverage is <b>above</b> this value, the read is blacklisted and all of the overlaps it is incident with are ignored. This helps remove repetitive reads which can make tangles in the string graph. Note that this value is a heuristic which works well for ~30x seed length cutoff. If the cutoff is set higher, it is advised that this value is also increased. Alternatively, using the autocompute max cov option can automatically estimate the value of this parameter, which can improve contiguity (for example, in cases when the input genome size or the seed coverage were overestimated).
		max-diff - Maximum allowed difference between the coverages at the 5' and 3' ends of any particular read. If the coverage is above this value, the read is blacklisted and all of the overlaps it is incident with are ignored. If the autocompute max_cov option is used, then the same computed value is supplied to this parameter as well.
		bestn - Keep at most this many overlaps on the 5' and the 3' side of any particular read.
		min-len - Filter overlaps where either A-read or the B-read are shorter than this value.

Advanced Parameters	Default Value	Description
genome_size	5,000,000	The approximate number of base pairs expected in the genome, used to determine the coverage cutoff.
		<b>Note</b> : It is better to slightly overestimate rather than underestimate the genome length to ensure good coverage across the genome.
coverage	30	A target value for the total amount of subread coverage used for assembly. This parameter is used, together with the genome size, to calculate the seed length cutoff.
plasmid_contig_len_max	300,000	The maximum expected plasmid size in the input subreadset. The default value covers a large range of possible plasmids. This value is used to select subreads for the secondary assembly stage which is specialized for assembly of smaller sequences (such as plasmids) that might have been lost due to the seed length cutoff threshold.
		Any contig assembled in the first assembly stage larger than this value is filtered out and reassembled in the secondary assembly stage. This is performed to avoid partially assembled plasmid sequences
plasmid_min_aln_frac	0.95	Applied in the "Mapping and filtering" stage, where raw subreads are aligned to the filtered contigs of the first assembly stage.  Any subread which doesn't have at least this large of aligned span (in query coordinates) is kept for the secondary assembly stage, in addition to all reads which didn't align.
		The value is a fraction of the subread's length (0.95 means 95% of the subread's size).
plasmid_dedup_min_frac	0.90	Applied in the "Deduplicate plasmid contigs" stage, where contigs from the secondary assembly stage are aligned to the contigs of the first assembly stage. This is done because reusing unmapped and poorly mapped reads can still cause duplicate contigs to form in the secondary assembly stage.
		After contigs from the secondary stage are aligned, any contig whose alignment doesn't cover at least this fraction of it's length is kept. All other contigs are marked as duplicates and removed.
remove_temp_data	1	Removes intermediate data once they are no longer needed. This includes the mapped BAM files from the "Mapping and filtering" stage of the workflow. Enabled if set to 1, otherwise this option is disabled.

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