



cgatools Release Notes

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Related Documents

Customers should consult the *cgatools Methods* document for detailed information on specific tools. This document can be downloaded at: <http://cgatools.sourceforge.net>.

New Features and Enhancements in Version 1.5

The following new features and enhancements are provided in this release by comparison with previous **cgatools** released by Complete Genomics:

1. For CGA Tools outputs with header information, data file format version ('FORMAT_VERSION') has been changed to 2.0 and the metadata header SOFTWARE_VERSION will now always be the version of the Assembly Pipeline.

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2. With cgatools 1.5, support has been added for processing data created with the Complete Genomics Assembly Pipeline version 2.0. This includes support for the new columns of the **var** file and **masterVarBeta** file, such as *varScoreVAF* and *varScoreEAF*. In order to support Assembly Pipeline version 2.0 and previous Assembly Pipeline versions, cgatools translates any older **var** file or **masterVarBeta** file. Specifically, the *varScoreVAF* and *varScoreEAF* columns are populated by the *totalScore* from the older input file. Additionally the *varQuality* field added in Assembly Pipeline 2.0 remains empty. The corresponding translation is also done for previous versions of the **masterVarBeta** file.
3. CGA Tools listvariants has been changed so that indels are reported at the left-shifted canonical form. This is in accordance with the VCF preferred canonicalization, as well as the canonicalization in Complete Genomics Assembly Pipeline 2.0. To avoid re-canonicalization of a large number of variants when running listvariants, we recommend that comparison of **var** or **masterVarBeta** files from Pipeline versions earlier than 2.0 be performed using listvariants in CGA Tools 1.4.
4. Added var file filtering syntax wherever a **var** file or **masterVarBeta** file is taken as input. This syntax allows users to specify a comma-separated list of filters, turning calls that pass a defined set of filters into no-call.
5. Added varfilter command. This allows users to create a filtered list of variations that can be further analyzed.
6. The following changes have been made to the generatemastervar (beta) output:
 - Two new annotation types are available through the -- annotations argument for inclusion into the masterVar output: *cnvDiploid* and *cnvNondiploid*. If *cnvDiploid* is specified, the diploid CNV annotations (calledPloidy and relativeCoverage) are added. If *cnvNondiploid* is specified, the non-diploid CNV annotations (calledLevel and relativeCoverage) are added. If *cnv* is specified, either the *cnvDiploid* annotation is applied, or the *cnvNondiploid* annotation is applied, or both are applied if your genome has both CNV outputs. Note that prior to Assembly Pipeline version 2.0, only one of the two CNV outputs is present.
7. The following changes have been made to map2sam and evidence2sam tools:
 - DNBs where only one arm maps are now assigned as primary alignments.
 - For reads with an unmapped mate, we are now assigning a mate chromosome of "*" and template length of 0. Previously, we were assigning a mate position of 0 on this chromosome.
 - The mate chromosome, position and template length for secondary mappings, are now provided.
 - The --pack-cigar option is no longer available, as --pack-cigar is the default and only supported behavior.
 - Each DNB has at least one primary mapping reported but not more than one per mate.
 - Records generated for unmapped mates get chromosome and position of the mapped mate.
8. The following changes have been made to calldiff (beta) output:
 - SomaticOutput option
 1. Somatic variation scoring has changed in CGA Tools 1.5. For detailed information, please refer to the "calldiff for Scoring Somatic Variations (beta)" Appendix section of the [CGA Tools User Guide](#). Briefly, the somatic score from cgatools 1.4 is comparable to the somaticRank from cgatools 1.5.

The new `somaticScore` is a phred-like score indicating the log likelihood ratio of likelihood of truth over likelihood of error.

2. The `VarCvgA` and `RefCvgB` columns have been added to the Somatic Output file.
3. The `VarScoreARank` and `RefScoreBRank` columns have been replaced by the `SomaticRank` column in the Somatic Output file.

Fixed Issues

1. Gaps in the reference and no-calls are now distinguished in the output file of `generatemastervar` (beta).
2. In CGA Tools 1.4 `junctions2events` output file, `DestinationRegionLength` and `DestinationRegionEnd` columns were swapped. This is now fixed.

Known Issues

1. Performing multi-genome comparison with `listvariants` or `testvariants` may result in a few cases where variants are included in the multi-genome report but none of the samples are reported as containing that variant. This is caused by the fact that `listvariants` generates the right-most canonical representation of the variant. This representation of the variant is then subsequently used to compare between genomes. As a result, one of the following two situations may arise which causes `testvariants` to not report the variant call for a given sample:
 - a. If the right-most canonical representation of an indel overlaps with another variant or a no-call then `testvariants` does not consider that indel as equivalent to the original call and, therefore, does not report the presence of that variant for a given sample.
 - b. Currently there is a maximum limit of 50 bp that a superlocus can be extended by prefix and suffix matching. As a result, it is possible that in the right-most canonical representation of the variant generated by `listvariants`, the call itself will now be outside of the maximum superlocus size and, therefore, will not be detected and reported by `testvariants`.
2. In rare cases, a no-call next to a position of interest results in `testvariants` reporting a no-call instead of discordance for the position of interest, when discordance exists.

Changes to Version 1.4

The following new features and enhancements are provided in this release by comparison with previous `cgatools` released by Complete Genomics:

1. Added `junctions2events` (beta) tool that identifies structural variation events from lists of junctions. Structural variation events are represented by a single junction (such as for deletions and tandem duplications) or multiple junctions (such as for inversions and translocation). `junctions2events` considers possible relationships among junctions in the input file and determines which event a junction or multiple junctions is consistent with.

The tool produces two files:

- **Events** file: Reports structural variation events deduced from input junctions file, along with annotations of genomic location, number of discordant mate pairs supporting the event, genes overlapping event breakpoints or wholly contained within event, and putative gene fusion.

- **AnnotatedJunctions** file: Contains the original junctions of interest, annotated with the event type, list of related junctions, and the unique ID of the event.
2. Updated `generatemastervar` (beta) as follows:
 - Changed `neitherAlleleReadCount` to `referenceAlleleReadCount`.
 - Included additional documentation about read count calculation.
 - Allowed `calledCNVType` to be "N" when genome is no-called.
 - Added two new values for `varType`: "no-ref" and "PAR-called-in-X".
 - Created a new column called `pfam` which reports Pfam domain information. The `allele1Gene` and `allele2Gene` columns no longer report Pfam domain information.
 3. Changed the `haplotype` column header in `calldiff` to `allele`.
 4. Fixed the `junctiondiff` tool such that, when using the `--minlength` parameter, the `report.txt` file now accurately summarizes the number of length-filtered unique junctions (column: `filteredIncompatible`).
 5. The following changes have been made to the `evidence2sam` output:
 - `CIGAR`: 'N' sections of 0 length were removed; neighbor commands of the same type were merged; overlapping part of neighbor combinations `xIxD` were replaced with 'M', in the case of `xPxD` with 'N'.
 - `TAG`: Added a read group tag 'RG'.
 6. The following changes have been made to the `map2sam` output:
 - `CIGAR`: 'N' sections of 0 length were removed; neighbor commands of the same type were merged; overlapping part of neighbor combinations `xIxD` were replaced with 'M', in the case of `xPxD` with 'N'.
 - `TAG`: Added a read group tag 'RG'.
 - For unmapped reads, reference name and position are reported based on the mate information.
 - For unmapped alignments, mate reference name, position and strand are reported.
 - `FLAG`: The value for `FLAG` (0x2 each fragment properly aligned according to the aligner) is set only if the mate and the alignment are both mapped
 7. Modified the help page for all tools (where relevant) as follows:
 - `--export-root` is now `--genome-root`
 - "export package" is now "genome directory"
 - `--export-region` is now `--extract-genomic-region`

Fixed Issues

8. In `cgatools` version 1.3, incorrect values were reported in the `readCounts` field for het-ref insertion calls in the master variation file created by `generatemasterVar` (beta). This has been fixed.

Known Issues

9. Performing multi-genome comparison with `listvariants` or `testvariants` may result in a few cases where variants are included in the multi-genome report but none of the samples are reported as containing that variant. This is caused by the fact that `listvariants` generates the right-most canonical representation of the variant. This representation of the variant is then subsequently used to compare between genomes. As a result, one of the following two

situations may arise which causes testvariants to not report the variant call for a given sample:

- c. If the right-most canonical representation of an indel overlaps with another variant or a no-call then testvariants does not consider that indel as equivalent to the original call and, therefore, does not report the presence of that variant for a given sample.
 - d. Currently there is a maximum limit of 50 bp that a superlocus can be extended by prefix and suffix matching. As a result, it is possible that in the right-most canonical representation of the variant generated by listvariants, the call itself will now be outside of the maximum superlocus size and, therefore, will not be detected and reported by testvariants.
10. On rare occasions, Pfam annotation is duplicated for a given locus in the *masterVar* file output from the `generatemastervar(beta)` tool.
 11. In this version of **cgatools**, `map2sam` is no longer compatible to the export of Assembly Pipeline versions 1.5 and 1.6. A workaround is available for customers with Assembly Pipeline versions 1.5 and 1.6 data who want to run `map2sam`. The following modifications to the datasets are required:
 - `mkdir <SAMPLEDIR>/LIB`
 - For each library, create `mkdir <SAMPLEDIR>/LIB/<LIBNAME>` and copy a `dnbstructure` file from a `<SAMPLEDIR>/MAP/<LANE>` into the corresponding `<SAMPLEDIR>/LIB/<LIBNAME>`. The `<LIBNAME>` is a part of the `dnb` structure file name: `lib_DNB_<LIBNAME>.tsv`

Changes to Version 1.3

The following new features and enhancements are provided in this release by comparison with previous **cgatools** released by Complete Genomics:

1. Added `generatemasterVar (beta)` tool to create a simple, integrated master variation (*masterVar*) file that contains one line per locus and combines variation, annotation, and coverage information. The *masterVar* file serves as an aggregated source of information that is formatted to be easily expanded to include custom annotations and processed with simple command-line tools, including searching and filtering. The *masterVar* file provides a structured content that can more easily be converted into other standard variation file formats.
2. Modified the calculation of the *SomaticScore* column in the `calldiff somatic` output file to use two newly added score ranking columns, *VarScoreARank* and *RefScoreBRank*. The new *SomaticScore* better handles somatic categories which only have a few variations. It is also able to capture potential somatic variations where the normal sample is no-called. Finally, with this new score, a selected cutoff will represent the same sensitivity when applied to different samples.
3. Changed the behavior of listvariants such that for longer 'subs', the range of the loci is trimmed when edge sequence matches the reference. This, potentially, results in the assignment of a different *varType* for variations that can be more explicitly defined.

Addendum

1. After the release, it was discovered that incorrect values were reported in the *readCounts* field for het-ref insertion calls in the master variation file created by `generatemasterVar (beta)`.

Changes to Version 1.2

The following new features and enhancements are provided in this release by comparison with previous **cgatools** released by Complete Genomics:

1. Added junctiondiff (beta) tool.
2. Changed LocusDiffClassification for calldiff LocusOutput from alt-consistent to ref-consistent and from alt-identical to ref-identical, wherever the allele is consistent with the reference. In previous versions, the alt- classification was used whenever reference-consistent calls were aligned to calls of the other genome that were reference-inconsistent.

Changes to Version 1.1.1

1. Fixed crash in join tool when reading *geneVarSummary* file.
2. Added Mac OS X binary tarball.

Changes to Version 1.1.0

1. Enhanced the calldiff tool to allow users to identify somatic variants from a tumor/normal pair (beta). This tool takes two variant files—genome A (tumor) and genome B (normal)—as inputs and produces:
 - a report ("SomaticOutput") that lists variants found only in genome A
 - a score that indicates the likelihood that each variant is truly somatic
2. Added listvariants (beta) and testvariants (beta) tools for comparing variants across multiple genomes, allowing users to determine whether a variant was found in a given genome and the frequency of the variant across the set of tested genomes. listvariants generates a list of all fully called variants found in at least one genome within the tested set. testvariants uses this list as input and reports for each variant whether the allele called in each genome is 1) inconsistent with the variant, 2) is fully called and is consistent with the variant, or 3) has no-calls and allele is consistent with the variant.
3. Added the join (beta) tool, allowing users to combine information from two tab-delimited files by specifying column(s) within the files to be used for determining overlap and column(s) from each file to be included in the merged file.
4. Changed parameters for snpdiff and calldiff tools. In previous releases of **cgatools**, separate parameters were required to output each report (such as Stats, Output, and SuperlocusOutput) to a specific location. These parameters were replaced with two new ones: a parameter that allows you to specify multiple reports to be output and a parameter that allows you to specify a path to the directory to which all output reports will be saved.

Changes to Version 1.0.0.15

1. Fixed snpdiff and calldiff failure processing male build 37 genomes.

Changes to Version 1.0.0.14

1. Fixed evidence2sam to be able to support genomes from assembly format version 1.0.

Changes to Version 1.0.0.13

1. Changed to dynamic linkage on Mac OS X.

Changes to Version 1.0.0

1. Renamed cgi2sam to map2sam.
2. Added evidence2sam (beta).

Changes to Version 0.5.0 (Initial Version)

1. The initial version of **cgatools** included:
 - Reference tools
 - snpdiff
 - calldiff
 - cgi2sam