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Abstract

'nf-vcf-cataloguer' is a tool, implemented in Nextflow, that generates a general table description in TSV format of the description of each category and subgroup of a VCF with the extended annotation made by VEP. Furthermore, it plots each subset of the consequences of variants.

Guidelines

Installation

Download nf-vcf-cataloguer from Github repository:

```
git clone https://github.com/Iaguilaror/nf-vcf-cataloguer.git
```

Compatible OS*:

- Ubuntu 18.04.03 LTS

* nf-vcf-cataloguer may run in other UNIX based OS and versions, but testing is required.

Software Requirements:

Software

bcftools

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Software

htslib

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Software

filter_vep

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Software

Nextflow

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Software

Plan9

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<https://github.com/9fans/plan9port>

SOURCE LINK

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Materials

Pipeline Inputs

- A compressed VCF file with extension '.vcf.gz', which must have a TABIX index with .tbi extension, located in the same directory as the VCF file.

The header names the eight mandatory columns: CHROM, POS, ID, REF, ALT, QUAL, FILTER, INFO. INFO must contain "AN", which is the target for filtering of this module.

For more information about the VCF format, please go to the next link: [Variant Call Format](#)

Example line(s):

```
##fileformat=VCFv4.2 #CHROM POS ID REF ALT QUAL FILTER INFO
chr21 5101724 . G A . PASS
AC=1;AF_mx=0.00641;AN=152;DP=903;nhomalt_mx=0;ANN=A|intron_variant|MODIFIER|GATD3B|ENS
G00000280071|Transcript|ENST00000624810.3|protein_coding||4/5|ENST00000624810.3:c.357+
19987C>T||||||-1|cds_start_NF&cds_end_NF|SNV|HGNC|HGNC:53816||5|||ENSP00000485439||
A0A096LP73|UPI0004F23660|||||chr21:g.5101724G>A|||||||||||||||||||||||2.079|0.0
34663|||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||
chr21 5102165 rs1373489291 G T . PASS
AC=1;AF_mx=0.00641;AN=140;DP=853;nhomalt_mx=0;ANN=T|intron_variant|MODIFIER|GATD3B|ENS
G00000280071|Transcript|ENST00000624810.3|protein_coding||4/5|ENST00000624810.3:c.357+
19546C>A||||||rs1373489291||-1|cds_start_NF&cds_end_NF|SNV|HGNC|HGNC:53816||5|||ENSP0
0000485439||A0A096LP73|UPI0004F23660|||||chr21:g.5102165G>T|||||||||||||||||||||
||5.009|0.275409|||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||||
|||||||||
```

- A '.txt' selection signals file which lists rsIDs.
- A reference file to extract certain fields of vcf and transform it to tsv format.

Dataset

fields_to extract.txt

NAME



Before start

Test

To test nf-vcf-cataloguer's execution using test data, run:

```
./runtest.sh
```

Your console should print the Nextflow log for the run, once every process has been submitted, the following message will appear:

```
=====  
nf-vcf-cataloguer: Basic pipeline TEST SUCCESSFUL  
=====
```

nf-vcf-cataloguer results for test data should be in the following file:

```
nf-vcf-cataloguer/test/results/catgorizeVCF-results
```

Usage

To run nf-vcf-cataloguer go to the pipeline directory and execute:

```
nextflow run categorize-vcf.nf --vcf <path to input 1> [--output_dir path to results]  
[-resume]
```

For information about options and parameters, run:

```
nextflow run categorize-vcf.nf --help
```



Pre-processing

1 Custom filter

Remove the variants that have the AN (total number of alleles in called genotypes) value assigned.

Note

a) Includes sites where the compressed VCF file '.vcf.gz' comply with the AN value.

Dependencies:

Software

bcftools

NAME

2 Separate SNVs and indels

Keep only certain types of variants.

Note

- a) Includes SNPs of a compressed VCF file '.vcf.gz'.
- b) Includes indels of a compressed VCF file '.vcf.gz'.

Dependencies:

Software

bcftools

NAME

3 Separate rare, low and common frequencies

Keep only certain types of variants, set by its allele frequency.

**Note**

- a) Separate variants by its allele frequency category.
- b) Separate variants in common frequency.
- c) Separate variants in low frequency.
- d) Separate variants in rare frequency.

Dependencies:**Software**

bcftools

NAME

4 Separate selection signals*Keep only variants with selection signals.***Note**

- a) Separate variants on selection, with a reference ID list of selection signals.
- b) Sort output file.

Dependencies:**Software**

bcftools

NAME

5 Separate low EAS and low EUR variants**Note**

- a) Filter variants with more than 5% of allele frequency in the local population.
- b) Filter variants with less than 5% of allele frequency in EAS and NFE gnomAD population.

**Dependencies:**

Software

filter_vep

NAME

6 Separate common AMR and low EUR variants

Separate variants by its allele frequency comparing other populations of the gnomAD database.

Note

- a) Filter variants with more than 5% of allele frequency in local population.
- b) Filter variants with more than 5% of allele frequency in AMR gnomAD population.
- c) Filter variants with less than 5% of allele frequency in NFE gnomAD population.

Dependencies:

Software

filter_vep

NAME

Core-processing**7 Get CLINVAR and OMIM variants**

Separate variants annotated by the ClinVar database.

Note

- a) Separate variants annotated by ClinVar.
- b) Extract OMIM variants.

**Dependencies:**

Software

filter_vep

NAME

8 Get GenHancer variants*Separate variants with a GeneHancer ID.***Note**

a) Filter variants that match with annotations in the "GeneHancer type and genes" field.

Dependencies:

Software

filter_vep

NAME

9 Get GWASCatalog variants*Separate variants with a GeneHancer ID.***Note**

a) Filter variants that match with annotations in "gwascatalog" field.

Dependencies:

Software

filter_vep

NAME



10 Get miRNAs variants

Separate variants with miRNA data.

Note

- a) Filter variants that match with annotations in "miRBase" field.

Dependencies:

Software

filter_vep

NAME

11 Get novel and known variants

Separate known and unknown variants.

Note

- a) Filters variants that have a rsID and are reported by dbSNP.
- b) Separate unknown variants (without rsID in dbSNP).

Dependencies:

Software

filter_vep

NAME

12 Get coding variants

Separate variants in coding regions.

**Note**

- a) Separate exonic variants.
- b) Filter intronic variants.

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13 Get PGKB variants*Separate variants found in PGKB database.***Note**

- a) Filter variants that match with annotations in "PGKB" field.

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14 Get UTR variants*Separate variants found in 5' or 3' UTR regions.***Note**

- a) Filter variants that are in 5' UTR.
- b) Filter variants that are in 3' UTR.

Dependencies:



Software

filter_vep

NAME

Pos-processing

15 **VCF to TSV**

Convert vcf files to tsv format.

Note

- a) Search ANN header and separates it by tabs.
- b) Separate columns by tabs.
- c) Add a "." to blank spaces.

Dependencies:

Software

bcftools

NAME

Final Output:

Expected result

A '.tsv.gz' file with columns of the VEP annotations, by each vcf converted.



CHROM	POS	ID	REF	ALT	AC	AN	DP
AF_mx	nhomalt_mx		Allele	Consequence		IMPACT	SYMBOL
Gene	Feature_type		Feature	BIOTYPE	EXON	INTRON	HGVSc
HGVSp	cdNA_position		CDS_position		Protein_position		
Amino_acids		Codons	Existing_variation			DISTANCE	
STRAND	FLAGS	VARIANT_CLASS		SYMBOL_SOURCE		HGNC_ID	CANONICAL
TSL	APPRIS	CCDS	ENSP	SWISSPROT		TREMBL	UNIPARC
SOURCE	GENE_PHENO		SIFT	PolyPhen		DOMAINS	
HGVS_OFFSET		HGVSg	AF	AFR_AF	AMR_AF	EAS_AF	EUR_AF
SAS_AF	AA_AF	EA_AF	gnomAD_AF		gnomAD_AFR_AF		
gnomAD_AMR_AF		gnomAD_ASJ_AF		gnomAD_EAS_AF		gnomAD_FIN_AF	
gnomAD_NFE_AF		gnomAD_OTH_AF		gnomAD_SAS_AF		MAX_AF	
MAX_AF_POPS		CLIN_SIG		SOMATIC	PHENO	PUBMED	MOTIF_NAME
MOTIF_POS		HIGH_INF_POS		MOTIF_SCORE_CHANGE			CADD_PHRED
CADD_RAW		GeneHancer_type_and_Genes				gnomADg	gnomADg_AC
gnomADg_AN		gnomADg_AF		gnomADg_DP		gnomADg_AC_nfe_seu	
gnomADg_AN_nfe_seu			gnomADg_AF_nfe_seu				
gnomADg_nhomalt_nfe_seu		gnomADg_AC_raw		gnomADg_AN_raw			
gnomADg_AF_raw		gnomADg_nhomalt_raw		gnomADg_AC_afr			
gnomADg_AN_afr		gnomADg_AF_afr		gnomADg_nhomalt_afr			
gnomADg_AC_nfe_onf		gnomADg_AN_nfe_onf		gnomADg_AF_nfe_onf			
gnomADg_nhomalt_nfe_onf		gnomADg_AC_amr		gnomADg_AN_amr			
gnomADg_AF_amr		gnomADg_nhomalt_amr		gnomADg_AC_eas			
gnomADg_AN_eas		gnomADg_AF_eas		gnomADg_nhomalt_eas			
gnomADg_nhomalt		gnomADg_AC_nfe_nwe		gnomADg_AN_nfe_nwe			
gnomADg_AF_nfe_nwe		gnomADg_nhomalt_nfe_nwe		gnomADg_AC_nfe_est			
gnomADg_AN_nfe_est		gnomADg_AF_nfe_est					
gnomADg_nhomalt_nfe_est		gnomADg_AC_nfe		gnomADg_AN_nfe			
gnomADg_AF_nfe		gnomADg_nhomalt_nfe		gnomADg_AC_fin			
gnomADg_AN_fin		gnomADg_AF_fin		gnomADg_nhomalt_fin			
gnomADg_AC_asj		gnomADg_AN_asj		gnomADg_AF_asj			
gnomADg_nhomalt_asj		gnomADg_AC_oth		gnomADg_AN_oth			
gnomADg_AF_oth		gnomADg_nhomalt_oth		gnomADg_popmax			
gnomADg_AC_popmax		gnomADg_AN_popmax		gnomADg_AF_popmax			
gnomADg_nhomalt_popmax		gnomADg_cov		gwascatalog			
gwascatalog_GWAScat_DISEASE_or_TRAIT							
gwascatalog_GWAScat_INITIAL_SAMPLE_SIZE							
gwascatalog_GWAScat_REPLICATION_SAMPLE_SIZE							
gwascatalog_GWAScat_STRONGEST_SNP_and_RISK_ALLELE							
gwascatalog_GWAScat_PVALUE							
gwascatalog_GWAScat_STUDY_ACCESSION				clinvar	clinvar_CLNDN		
clinvar_CLNSIG	clinvar_CLNDISDB			miRBase	pharmgkb_drug		
pharmgkb_drug_PGKB_Annotation_ID				pharmgkb_drug_PGKB_Gene			
pharmgkb_drug_PGKB_Chemical				pharmgkb_drug_PGKB_PMID			



```

pharmgkb_drug_PGKB_Phenotype_Category
pharmgkb_drug_PGKB_Sentence chr21      33241945      rs2229207
T      C      27      152      2003      0.179      2      C
missense_variant      MODERATE      IFNAR2      ENSG000000159110
Transcript      ENST000000342136.8      protein_coding      2/9      .
ENST000000342136.8:c.23T>C      ENSP000000343957.4:p.Phe8Ser
349/2899      23/1548      8/515      F/S      tTc/tCc      rs2229207&CM066573
.      1      .      SNV      HGNC      HGNC:5433      YES      1
P4      CCDS13621.1      ENSP000000343957      P48551      .
UPI000012D69B      .      1      tolerated      benign
hmmpanther:PTHR20859&hmmpanther:PTHR20859:SF53&Transmembrane_helic
es:TMhelix      .      chr21:g.33241945T>C      0.1186      0.0809
0.147      0.1706      0.0736      0.1421      0.07558      0.07791      0.1033      0.07742
0.154      0.07741      0.1757      0.08546      0.08082      0.09088      0.1247      0.1757
gnomAD_EAS      risk_factor      .      1&1
16757563&19434718&23009887&28497593&18588853&27186094      .      .
.      .      2.171      0.043682      .      rs2229207
3026      31374      0.0964493      657463      14      106      0.132075
0      3039      31416      0.0967341      168      736      8706
0.0845394      27      198      2136      0.0926966      10
122      848      0.143868      13      317      1552      0.204253
29      164      637      8592      0.0741387      31      607
4584      0.132417      35      1456      15418      0.0944351      76
277      3474      0.0797352      12      23      290      0.0793103
1      95      1086      0.087477      6      eas      317
1552      0.204253      29      32.63      .      .      .      .
.      .      .      chr21:33241945-33241945      _susceptibility_to
risk_factor      OMIM:610424      .      .      .      .      .
.      .      .

```

16 Count variants

Count variants by using "summary_cleaner.R" tool.

Note

Summary_cleaner.R is a tool for counting variants from different types and subgroups.

Dependencies:

- summary_cleaner.R

Final Output:

Expected result

A '.tsv' the description of the counted variants by each subgroup of variants.

Example line(s):

```

row_nam common_freq      commonAMR_lowEUR      low_freq
lowEAS_lowEUR  No_filter      rare_freq      selection_signals
miRNA  0      0      0      0      0      0      0 PGKB  0
0      0      0      0      0      0 GWAScatalog  3      0
0      0      3      0      0 OMIM  6      2      1      0
9      2      0 coding_region 7      0      1      1      19
11     0 clinvar      16      2      2      0      21      3
0 utr  90      5      26      7      161      45      0
dbSNPnovel      35      2      114      3      977      828      0
GeneHancer      599      44      187      47      1033      247      0
dbSNPknown      8995      746      2706      567      14586      2885      0
general (all indels) 9030      748      2820      570      15563
3713      0

```

17 QC VEP consequence plot

Plot consequences of each category of variants.

Dependencies:

- plotter.R