

# Resource Summary Report

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## SAMTOOLS

RRID:SCR\_002105

Type: Tool

### Proper Citation

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### Resource Information

**URL:** <http://htslib.org/>

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**Description:** Original SAMTOOLS package has been split into three separate repositories including Samtools, BCFtools and HTSlib. Samtools for manipulating next generation sequencing data used for reading, writing, editing, indexing, viewing nucleotide alignments in SAM,BAM,CRAM format. BCFtools used for reading, writing BCF2,VCF, gVCF files and calling, filtering, summarising SNP and short indel sequence variants. HTSlib used for reading, writing high throughput sequencing data.

**Abbreviations:** SAMtools

**Synonyms:** samtools, Samtools, Sequence Alignment Map TOOLS, SAMtools, SAM tools

**Resource Type:** sequence analysis software, software application, software toolkit, data analysis software, data processing software, software resource

**Defining Citation:** [PMID:19505943](#), [PMID:21903627](#), [DOI:10.1093/bioinformatics/btp352](#)

**Keywords:** Samtools, BCFtools, HTSlib, next generation sequencing, nucleotide alignments, sequence variant, genomic, c, perl, read, alignment, nucleotide, sequence, data, process, sam, bam, cram, vcf, bcf, bio.tools

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**Availability:** Free, Available for download, Freely available

**Resource Name:** SAMTOOLS

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**Alternate IDs:** SCR\_018682, biotools:samtools, OMICS\_01074, nlx\_154607, OMICS\_00090

**Alternate URLs:** <https://github.com/samtools/samtools>, <https://github.com/samtools/htslib>, <https://bio.tools/samtools>, <https://sources.debian.org/src/samtools/>

**Old URLs:** <http://samtools.sourceforge.net/>

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## Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for SAMTOOLS.

No alerts have been found for SAMTOOLS.

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## Data and Source Information

**Source:** [SciCrunch Registry](#)

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## Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 25495 mentions in open access literature.

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

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