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CD-HIT

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Resource Information

URL: <http://weizhong-lab.ucsd.edu/cd-hit/>

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Description: THIS RESOURCE IS NO LONGER IN SERVICE. Documented on February 28,2023. Software program for clustering biological sequences with many applications in various fields such as making non-redundant databases, finding duplicates, identifying protein families, filtering sequence errors and improving sequence assembly etc. It is very fast and can handle extremely large databases. CD-HIT helps to significantly reduce the computational and manual efforts in many sequence analysis tasks and aids in understanding the data structure and correct the bias within a dataset. The CD-HIT package has CD-HIT, CD-HIT-2D, CD-HIT-EST, CD-HIT-EST-2D, CD-HIT-454, CD-HIT-PARA, PSI-CD-HIT, CD-HIT-OTU and over a dozen scripts. * CD-HIT (CD-HIT-EST) clusters similar proteins (DNAs) into clusters that meet a user-defined similarity threshold. * CD-HIT-2D (CD-HIT-EST-2D) compares 2 datasets and identifies the sequences in db2 that are similar to db1 above a threshold. * CD-HIT-454 identifies natural and artificial duplicates from pyrosequencing reads. * CD-HIT-OTU cluster rRNA tags into OTUs The usage of other programs and scripts can be found in CD-HIT user's guide. CD-HIT was originally developed by Dr. Weizhong Li at Dr. Adam Godzik's Lab at the Burnham Institute (now Sanford-Burnham Medical Research Institute)., THIS RESOURCE IS NO LONGER IN SERVICE. Documented on September 16,2025.

Abbreviations: CD-HIT

Synonyms: CD-HIT Program

Resource Type: source code, data processing software, software resource, software application

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Alternate URLs: <http://cd-hit.org>, <https://code.google.com/p/cdhit/>, <https://bio.tools/cd-hit>, <https://sources.debian.org/src/cd-hit/>

Old URLs: <http://bioinformatics.ljcrf.edu/cd-hi/>

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for CD-HIT.

No alerts have been found for CD-HIT.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 3223 mentions in open access literature.

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

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