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MCScan

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Resource Information

URL: <https://github.com/tanghaibao/mcscan>

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Description: Software package to simultaneously scan multiple genomes to identify homologous chromosomal regions and subsequently align these regions using genes as anchors. Used to identify conserved gene arrays both within same genome and across different genomes. Command line program to wrap dagchainer and combine pairwise results into multi alignments in column format.

Synonyms: Multiple Collinearity Scan

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

Keywords: Simultaneously, scan, multiple, genome, identify, homologous, chromosomal, region, align, gene, anchor, bio.tools

Availability: Free, Available for download, Freely available

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Alternate IDs: biotools:MCScan

Alternate URLs: <http://chibba.agtec.uga.edu/duplication/mcscan/>,
<https://bio.tools/MCScan>

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for MCSan.

No alerts have been found for MCSan.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 37 mentions in open access literature.

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

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