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Resource Information

URL: <http://www.sph.umich.edu/csg/abecasis/Merlin>

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Description: Software application that carries out single-point and multipoint analyses of pedigree data, including IBD and kinship calculations, nonparametric and variance component linkage analyses, error detection and information content mapping. For multipoint analyses in dense maps, Merlin allows the user to impose constraints on the number of recombinants between consecutive markers. Merlin estimates haplotypes by finding the most likely path of gene flow or by sampling paths of gene flow at all markers jointly. It can also list all possible nonrecombinant haplotypes within short regions. Finally, Merlin provides swap-file support for handling very large numbers of markers as well as gene-dropping simulations for estimating empirical significance levels. (entry from Genetic Analysis Software)

Abbreviations: MERLIN

Synonyms: Multipoint Engine for Rapid Likelihood INference

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for MERLIN.

No alerts have been found for MERLIN.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 931 mentions in open access literature.

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

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