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PICRUSt

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Resource Information

URL: <https://picrust.github.io/picrust/>

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Description: Software package to predict metagenome functional content from marker gene (e.g., 16S rRNA) surveys and full genomes. Used to predict which gene families are present and then combines gene families to estimate the composite metagenome.

Abbreviations: PICRUSt

Synonyms: Phylogenetic Investigation of Communities by Reconstruction of Unobserved States, PICRUSt

Resource Type: simulation software, software application, software resource

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Availability: Free, Available for download, Freely available

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for PICRUS_t.

No alerts have been found for PICRUS_t.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 45 mentions in open access literature.

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

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