

While we are waiting:

- Connect to Tufts network (on campus or VPN)
- Chrome browser <https://galaxy.cluster.tufts.edu>
- Login with Tufts credentials
- Let me know if you have trouble logging in

Intro to Next Generation Sequencing Data Analysis with Galaxy

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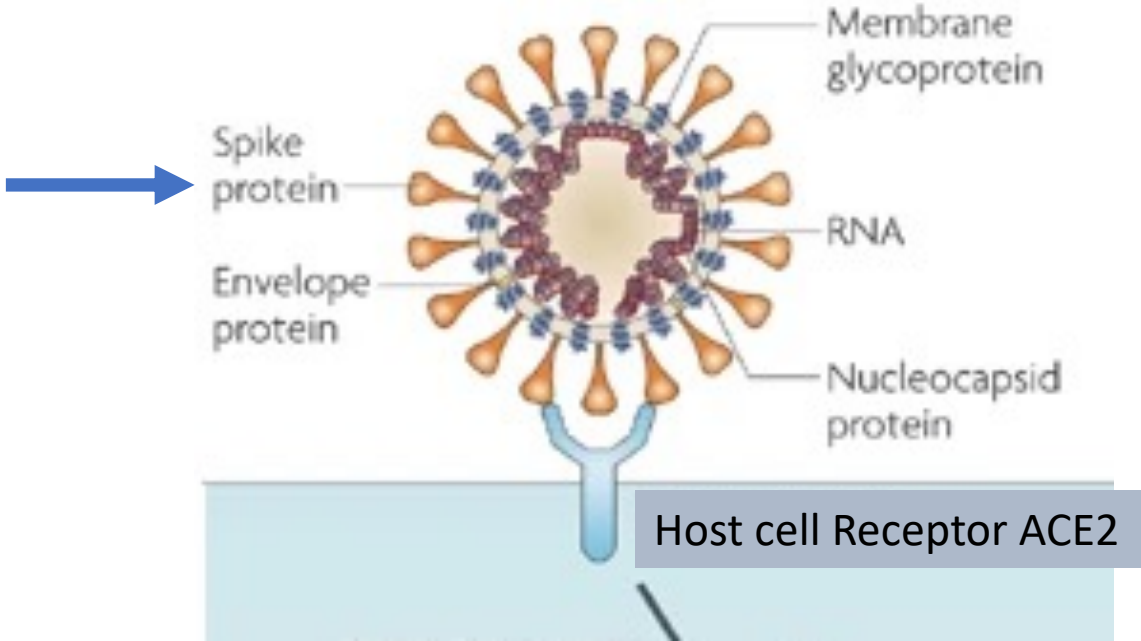


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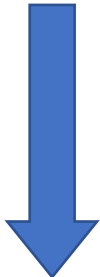
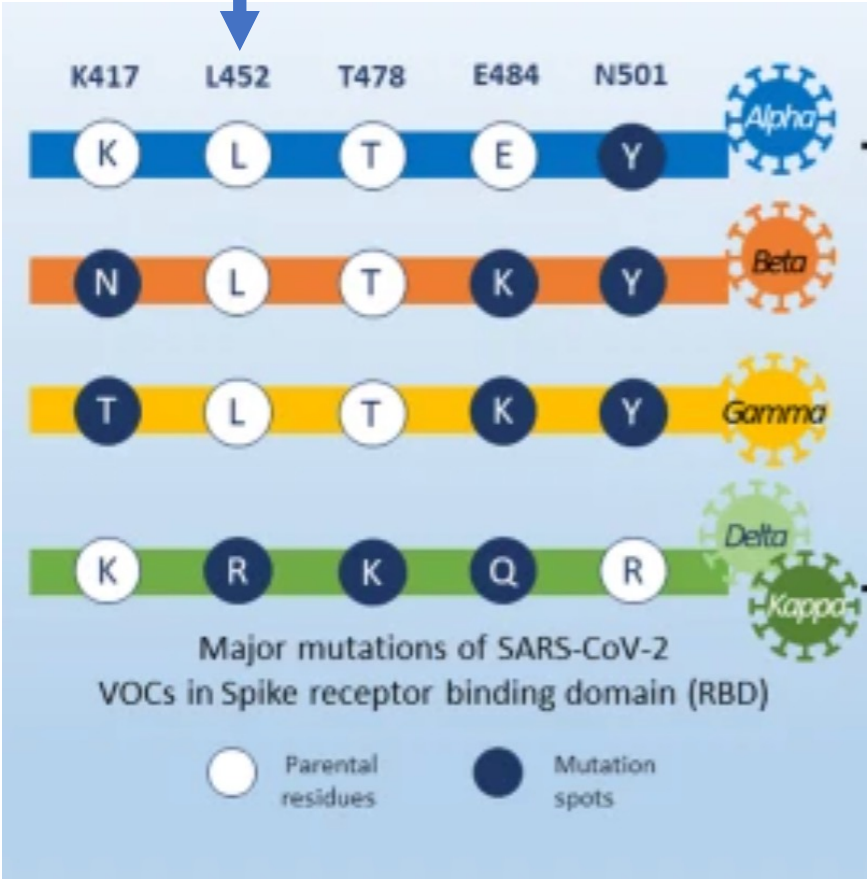
SARS-CoV2 Spike Protein



SARS-CoV2 Spike Protein VOCs



Spike protein



- Increase
- ACE2 affinity
 - Transmissibility

NCBI SARS-CoV-2 Resources

Quick Navigation Guide

[Sequence Submission](#)

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[Sequence-Related Resources](#)

[Clinical Resources](#)

[Other Websites](#)

SARS-CoV-2 Data

1,457,511

[SRA runs](#)

2,276,801

[Nucleotide records](#)

3,215

[ClinicalTrials.gov](#)

198,246

[PubMed](#)

235,648

[PMC](#)

Outline



Obtain data from NCBI

SARS-Cov-2 Alpha variant reference sequence
SARS-Cov-2 Delta variant NGS sample

Process Raw Reads (QC, adapter trimming)

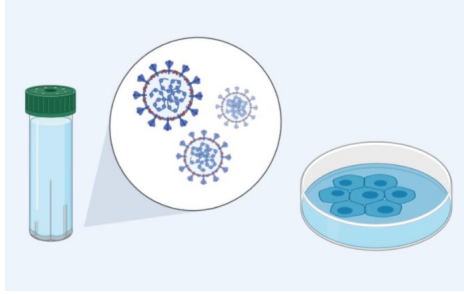
Align Reads

Visualize

Verify delta variant mutations relative to ancestral sequence

Viral Genome Next Generation Sequencing (NGS)

- Specimen Collected

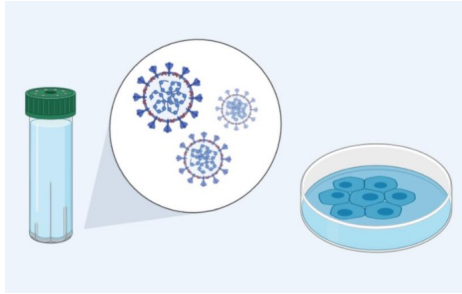


- NGS reads

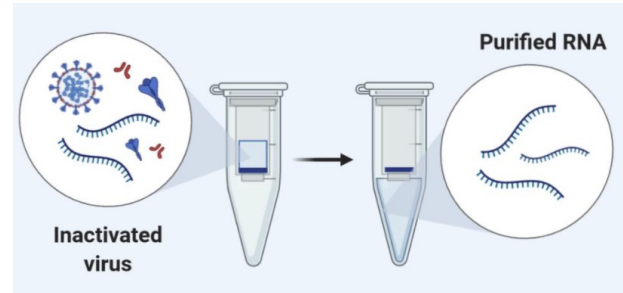


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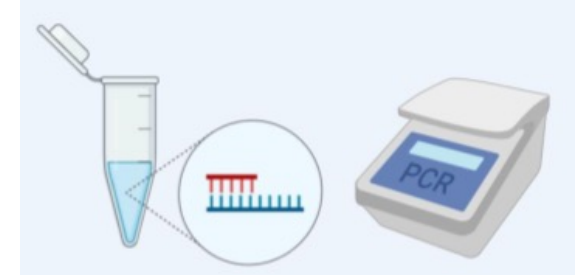
- Specimen Collected



- RNA extraction



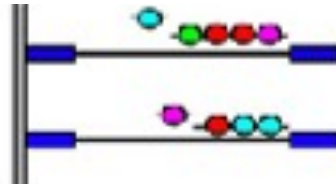
- cDNA synthesis (using virus-specific primers)
- Amplification



- NGS library prep



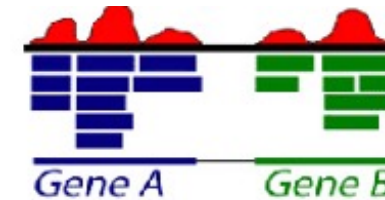
- NGS sequencing



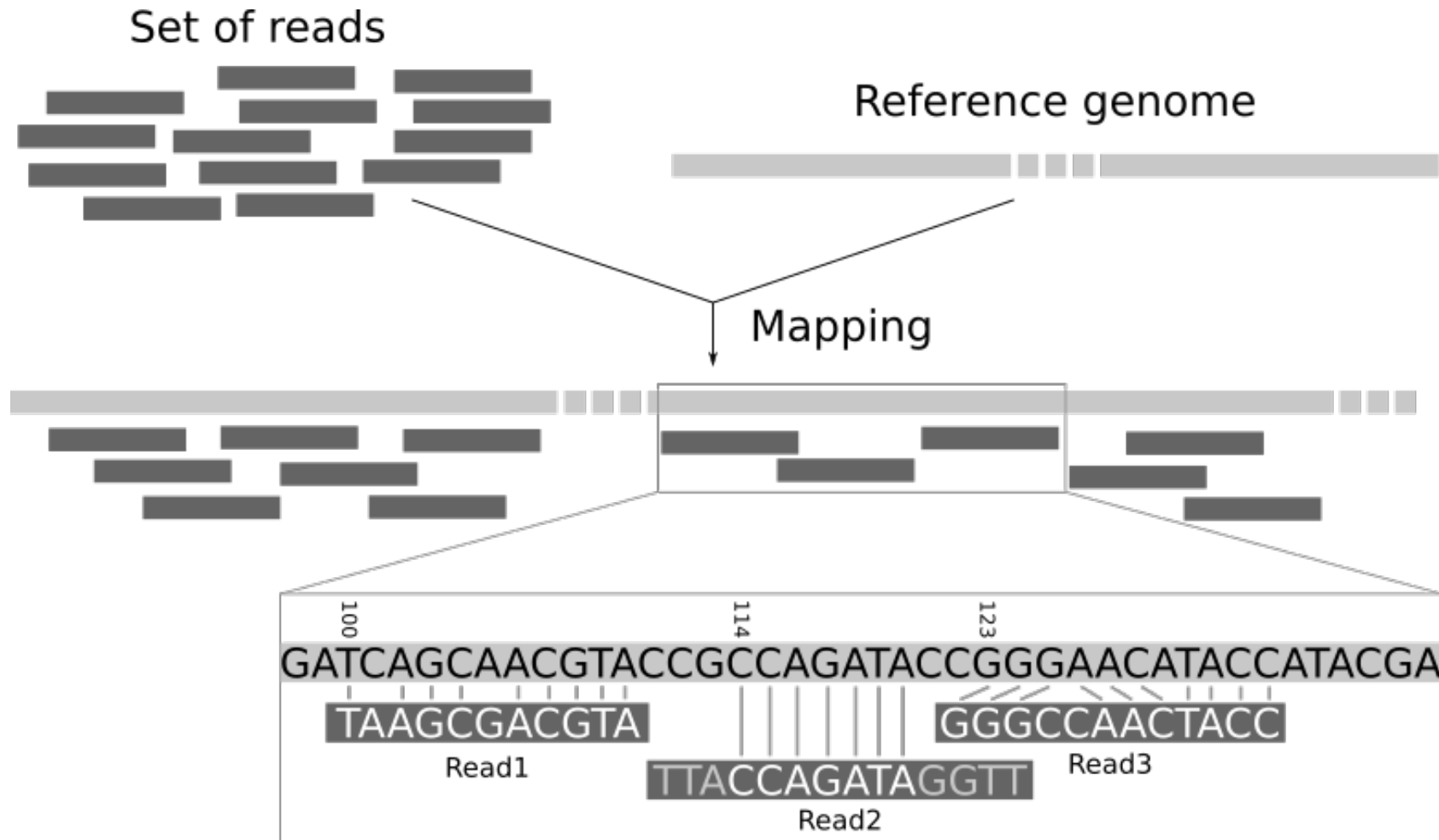
flowcell



- Alignment



Short Read Alignment

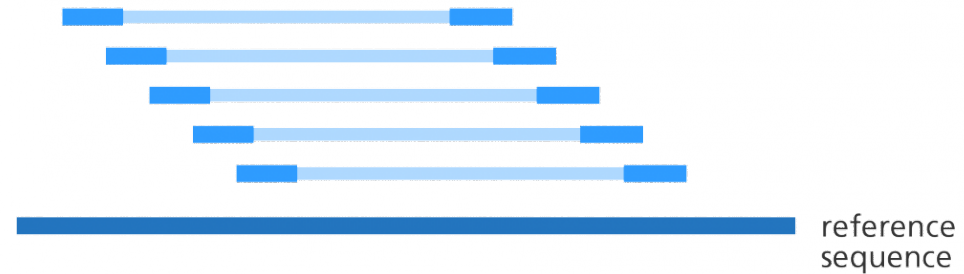


Paired end vs Single end reads

Single-end reads



Paired-end reads



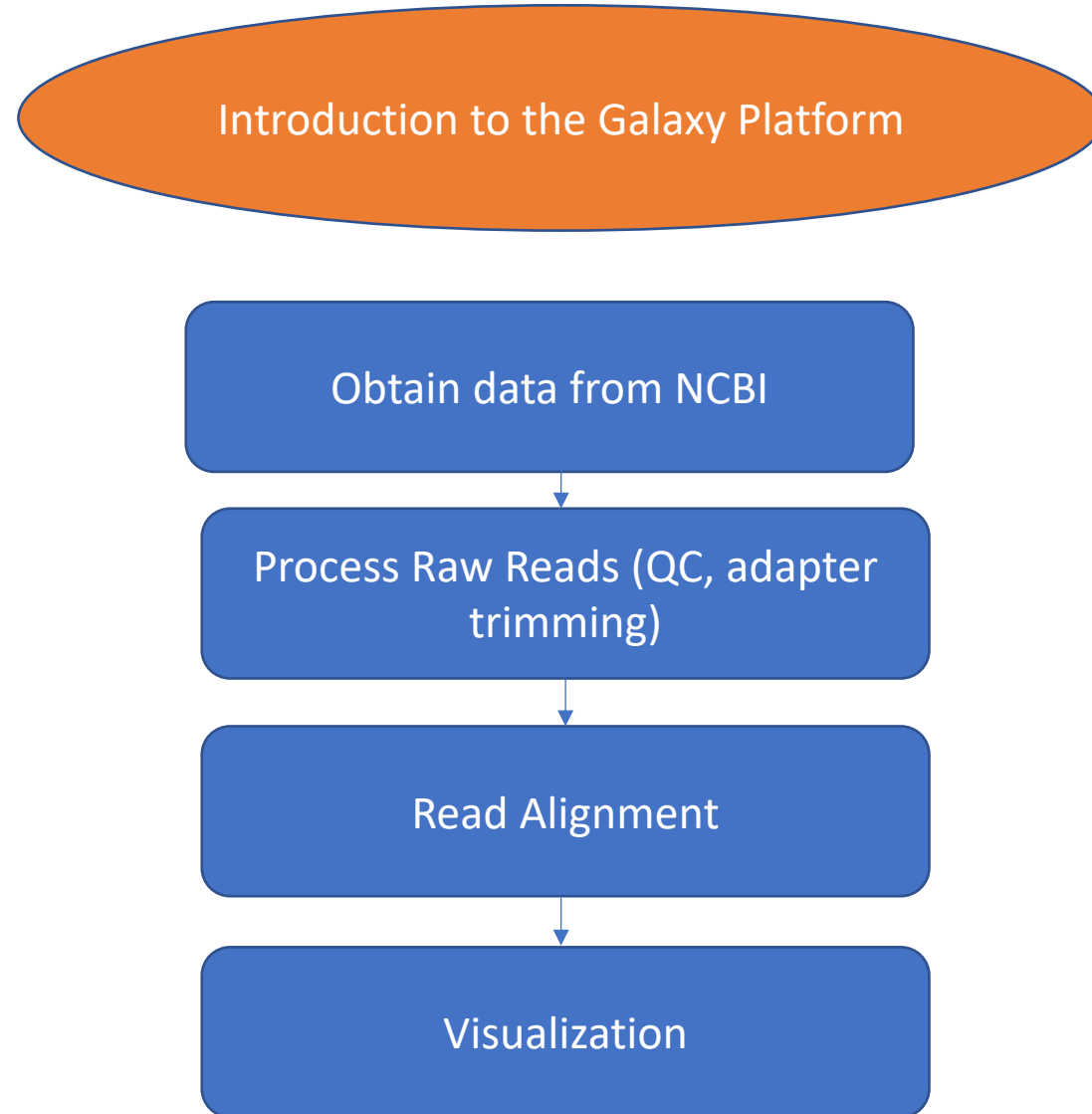
sequenced fragment unknown sequence sequenced fragment



200 - 1000bp

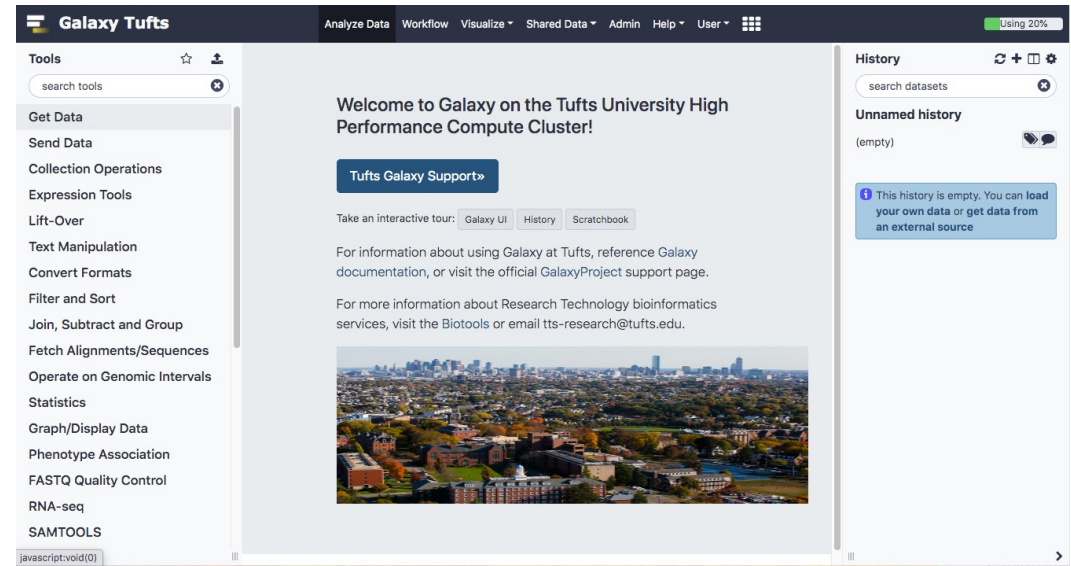
cDNA fragment

Outline



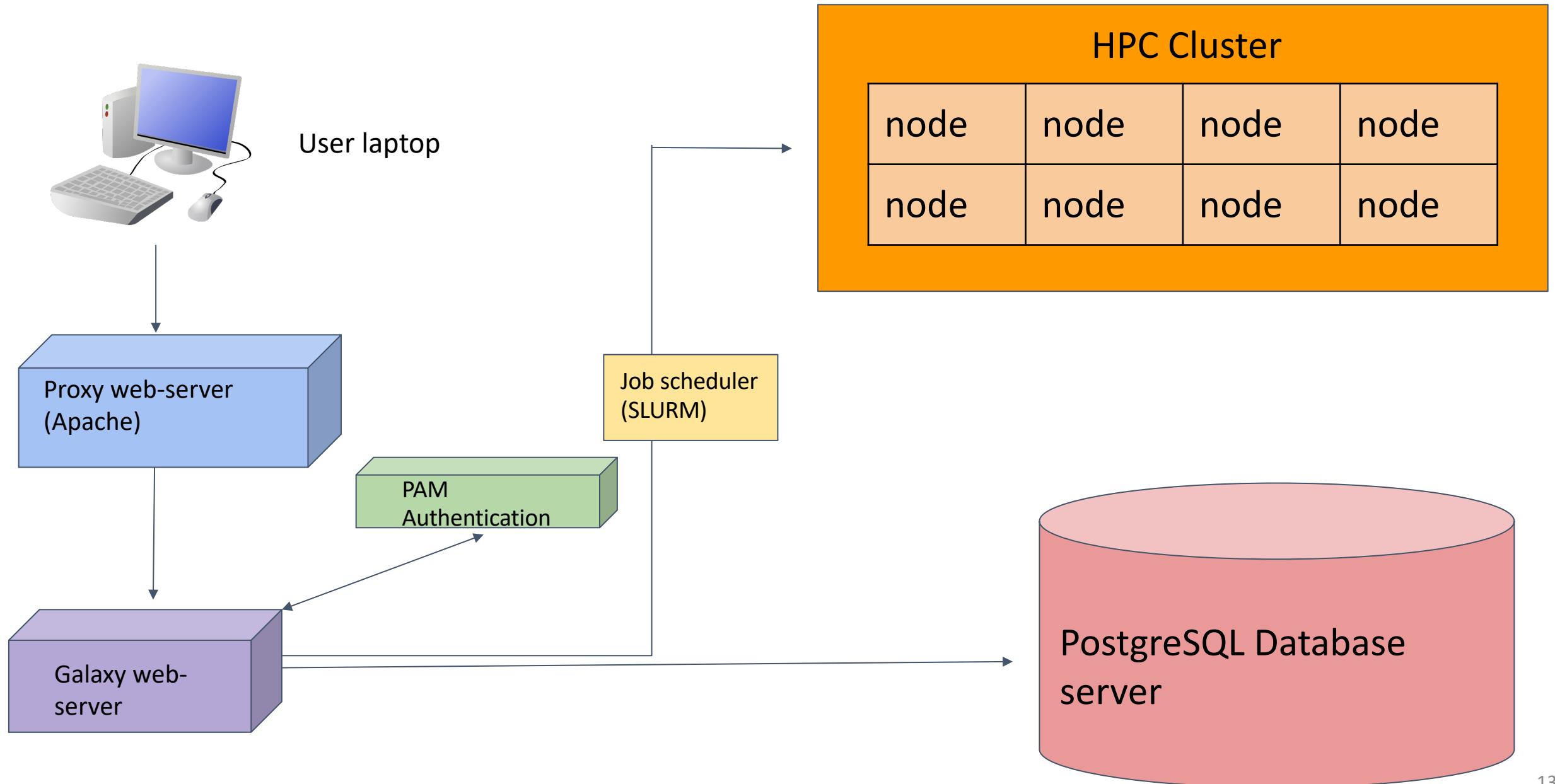
Log into Galaxy

- Connect to Tufts Network, either on campus or via VPN
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The screenshot displays the Galaxy Tufts web interface. The top navigation bar includes "Galaxy Tufts" and menu items: "Analyze Data", "Workflow", "Visualize", "Shared Data", "Admin", "Help", "User", and a "Using 20%" indicator. A left sidebar lists tool categories: "Tools" (with a search bar), "Get Data", "Send Data", "Collection Operations", "Expression Tools", "Lift-Over", "Text Manipulation", "Convert Formats", "Filter and Sort", "Join, Subtract and Group", "Fetch Alignments/Sequences", "Operate on Genomic Intervals", "Statistics", "Graph/Display Data", "Phenotype Association", "FASTQ Quality Control", "RNA-seq", and "SAMTOOLS". The main content area features a "Welcome to Galaxy on the Tufts University High Performance Compute Cluster!" message, a "Tufts Galaxy Support" button, and links for an interactive tour: "Galaxy UI", "History", and "Scratchbook". Below this, there are informational paragraphs and a cityscape image. The right sidebar shows a "History" section with a search bar, "Unnamed history" (empty), and a message: "This history is empty. You can load your own data or get data from an external source".

Galaxy on the Tufts High Performance Compute (HPC) Cluster



User Interface

The screenshot displays the Galaxy Tufts user interface. At the top, a dark navigation bar contains the 'Galaxy Tufts' logo, a search bar, and menu items: 'Analyze Data', 'Workflow', 'Visualize', 'Shared Data', 'Admin', 'Help', 'User', and a grid icon. A 'Using 20%' indicator is visible in the top right corner.

The left sidebar features a 'Tools' section with a search bar and a list of tool categories: 'Get Data', 'Send Data', 'Collection Operations', 'Expression Tools', 'Lift-Over', 'Text Manipulation', 'Convert Formats', 'Filter and Sort', 'Join, Subtract and Group', 'Fetch Alignments/Sequences', 'Operate on Genomic Intervals', 'Statistics', 'Graph/Display Data', 'Phenotype Association', 'FASTQ Quality Control', 'RNA-seq', and 'SAMTOOLS'. A 'javascript:void(0)' tooltip is present at the bottom left of the sidebar.

The main content area displays a welcome message: 'Welcome to Galaxy on the Tufts University High Performance Compute Cluster!'. Below this is a 'Tufts Galaxy Support»' button and a section for an interactive tour with buttons for 'Galaxy UI', 'History', and 'Scratchbook'. The text provides information about using Galaxy at Tufts and references to documentation and support pages. A large image of the Tufts University campus is shown at the bottom of the main area.

The right sidebar contains a 'History' section with a search bar and a status of '(empty)'. A blue information box states: 'This history is empty. You can load your own data or get data from an external source'.

User Interface

TOP MENU BAR

The screenshot displays the Galaxy web interface. The top navigation bar includes 'Analyze Data', 'Workflow', 'Visualize', 'Shared Data', 'Admin', 'Help', and 'User'. On the left, a 'TOOLS' sidebar lists various functions, with 'RNA-seq' and 'SAMTOOLS' highlighted in green. The central 'MAIN' area, outlined in purple, features a welcome message for Tufts University, a 'Tufts Galaxy Support' button, and links for an interactive tour. On the right, the 'HISTORY' panel, outlined in red, shows an empty history list with a message to load data from an external source.

Galaxy User Interface

To return to home screen

The screenshot shows the Galaxy Tufts user interface. At the top, a dark navigation bar contains the text "Galaxy Tufts" (circled in red), followed by menu items: "Analyze Data", "Workflow", "Visualize", "Shared Data", "Admin", "Help", "User", and a grid icon. On the right of the navigation bar, a green status indicator shows "Using 30%".

On the left side, a "Tools" sidebar is visible, featuring a search bar and a list of tool categories: "Get Data", "Send Data", "Collection Operations", "Expression Tools", "Lift-Over", "Text Manipulation", "Convert Formats", "Filter and Sort", "Join, Subtract and Group", "Fetch Alignments/Sequences", "Operate on Genomic Intervals", "Statistics", "Graph/Display Data", "Phenotype Association", "FASTQ Quality Control", "RNA-seq", "SAMTOOLS", "Mapping", "Mothur", and "PICRUST".

The main content area displays a "Welcome to Galaxy on the Tufts University High Performance Compute Cluster!" message. Below this is a "Tufts Galaxy Support»" button and a section for an interactive tour with buttons for "Galaxy UI", "History", and "Scratchbook". Further down, there are links to "Galaxy documentation" and "Biotoools" services.

On the right side, a "History" panel shows "Unnamed history (empty)" and a blue information box stating: "This history is empty. You can load your own data or get data from an external source".

At the bottom of the interface, four red circles highlight navigation controls: a left arrow, a square icon, a square icon, and a right arrow.

Minimize/Adjust toolbars

History

Create New History

View all Histories

History

search datasets

Unnamed history

(empty)

i This history is empty. You can **load your own data** or **get data from an external source**

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The screenshot shows the top of the Galaxy interface with a 'History' panel. At the top right of the panel are icons for refresh, add, view all, and settings. A red arrow points from the 'Create New History' text to the '+' icon. Another red arrow points from the 'View all Histories' text to the 'view all' icon (a square with a grid). Below the icons is a search bar for datasets. The main area shows 'Unnamed history' which is currently empty. A blue information box at the bottom provides instructions on how to load data.

Galaxy

Analyze Data Workflow Visualize Shared Data Admin Help User Using 30.9 GB

search histories search all datasets Create new

Current History RNA-seq 72 shown, 1 deleted, 49 hidden 6.8 GB

Unnamed history 3 shown, 5 deleted 7.56 GB

Unnamed history 169 shown, 9 deleted, 19 hidden 14.01 GB

Unnamed history 3 shown 9.04 KB

Unnamed history 1 shown (empty)

The screenshot shows the full Galaxy interface with multiple history panels. The 'Current History' panel contains a list of workflows such as 'WT_3_collection', 'SNF2_2_collection', and 'Concatenate datasets on data 66, data 67, and others'. The other 'Unnamed history' panels show various other workflows, including 'RNA STAR on data 86: mapped.bam', 'MultiQC on data 86, data 85, and others: Log', and 'featureCounts on data 163 and data 158: Summary'. Each panel has a search bar and icons for refresh, add, and view all.

Tools

The screenshot shows the Galaxy web interface. The top navigation bar includes 'Galaxy', 'Analyze Data', 'Workflow', 'Visualize', 'Shared Data', 'Admin', 'Help', 'User', and 'Using 14.7 GB'. The left sidebar contains a 'Tools' section with a search bar and a list of tool categories. The 'RNA-seq' category is highlighted with a red circle and a green arrow. The main content area displays 'Welcome to Galaxy on the Tufts cluster' with a 'Bioinformatics @ Tufts' button and links for 'Galaxy UI', 'History', and 'Scratchbook'. The right sidebar shows 'History' and 'Unnamed history' sections.

Tools (circled in red)

- search tools
- Send Data
- Collection Operations
- Lift-Over
- Text Manipulation
- Convert Formats
- Filter and Sort
- Join, Subtract and Group
- Fetch Alignments/Sequences
- Operate on Genomic Intervals
- Statistics
- Graph/Display Data
- Phenotype Association
- FASTQ Quality Control
- RNA-seq** (circled in red, with green arrow)
- DESeq2 Determines differentially expressed features from count tables
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SAMTOOLS

- Mapping
- Workflows
- All workflows

Welcome to Galaxy on the Tufts cluster

[Bioinformatics @ Tufts](#)

Take an interactive tour: [Galaxy UI](#) [History](#) [Scratchbook](#)

Galaxy is an open platform for supporting data intensive research. Galaxy is developed by The Galaxy Team with the support of many contributors.

The Galaxy Project is supported in part by NHGRI, NSF, The Huck Institutes of the Life Sciences, The Institute for CyberScience at Penn State, and Johns Hopkins University.

History

search datasets

Unnamed history

(empty)

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Tools

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Tools search tools

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featureCounts Measure gene expression in RNA-Seq experiments from SAM or BAM files. (Galaxy Version 1.6.4) Favorite Options

Alignment file
No bam or sam dataset available.

The input alignment file(s) where the gene expression has to be counted. The file can have a SAM or BAM format; but ALL files must be in the same format. Unless you are using a Gene annotation file from the History, these files must have the database/genome attribute already specified e.g. hg38, not the default: ?

Specify strand information
Unstranded

Indicate if the data is stranded and if strand-specific read counting should be performed. Strand setting must be the same as the strand settings used to produce the mapped BAM input(s) (-s)

Gene annotation file
locally cached

Using locally cached annotation
No options available

If the annotation file you require is not listed here, please contact the Galaxy administrator

Output format
Gene-ID "\t" read-count (MultiQC/DESeq2/edgeR/limma-voom compatible)

The output format will be tabular, select the preferred columns here

Create gene-length file
Yes No

Creates a tabular file that contains the effective (nucleotides used for counting reads) length of the feature; might be useful for estimating FPKM/RPKM

Options for paired-end reads

Advanced options

Execute

History search datasets

Unnamed history (empty)

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Click on the name of the tool to open it in the main panel

Importing data

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Importing data

Download from web or upload from disk

Regular Composite Collection Rule-based

Drop files here

Cluster directory
/cluster/tufts/galaxy/xfer/username

From Computer Internet

Type (set all): Auto-detect Q Genome (set all): ----- Additional ...

Choose local file Choose FTP file Paste/Fetch data Pause Reset Start Close

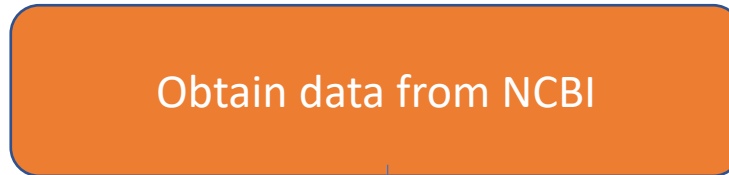
Log into Galaxy and open course website

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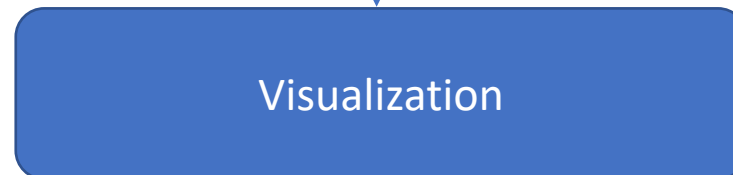
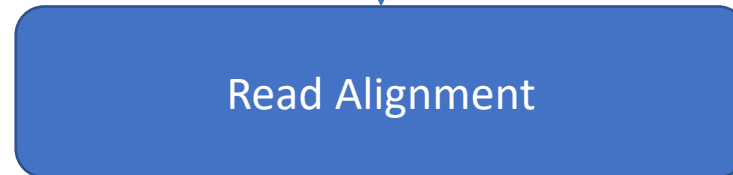
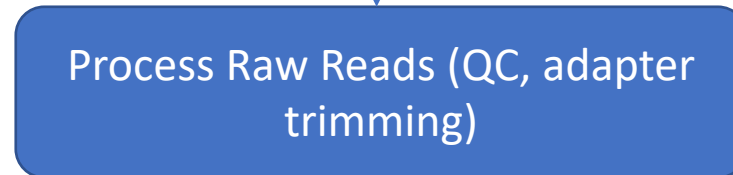
The image displays two browser windows side-by-side. The left window shows the Galaxy Tufts website, which includes a navigation menu on the left, a central welcome message, and a 'Tools' sidebar. The right window shows the course website 'intro-to-galaxy-ngs-sarscov2', which features a 'Description' section and a 'Table of Contents' section. An arrow points from the 'Obtain Data' section in the Table of Contents to the text 'Navigate to Obtain_Data section'.

Navigate to **Obtain_Data** section

Outline

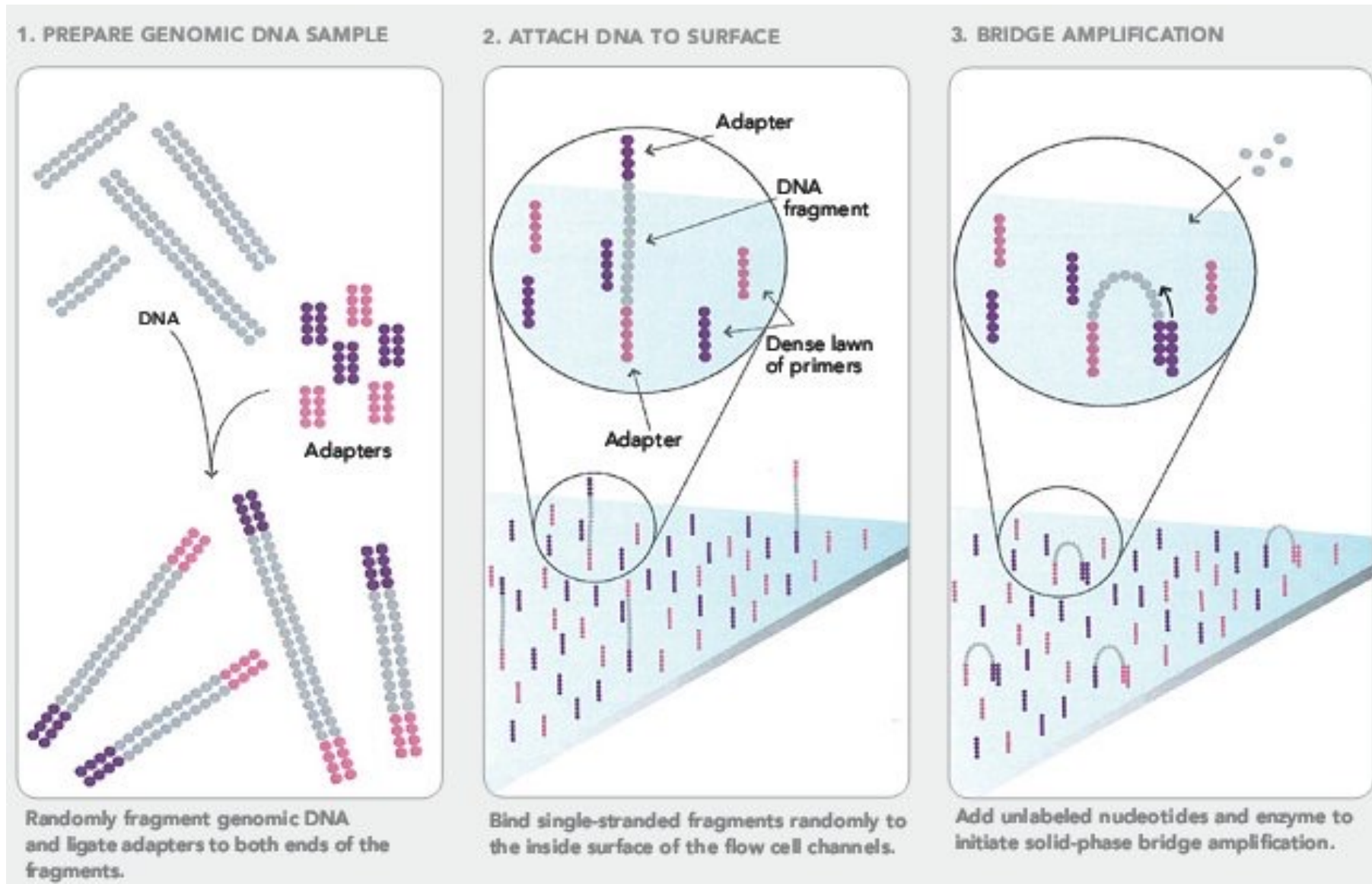


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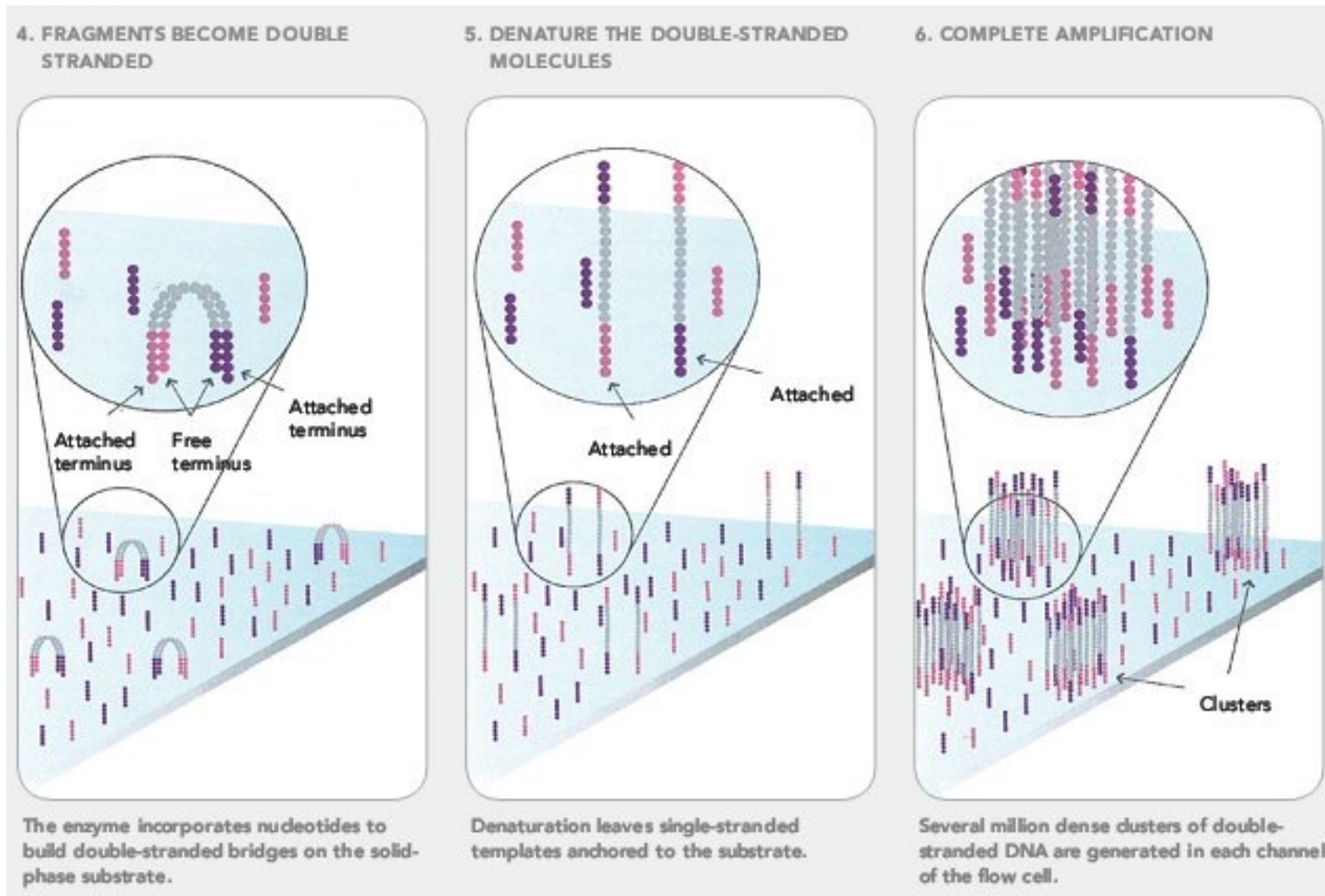


NGS details

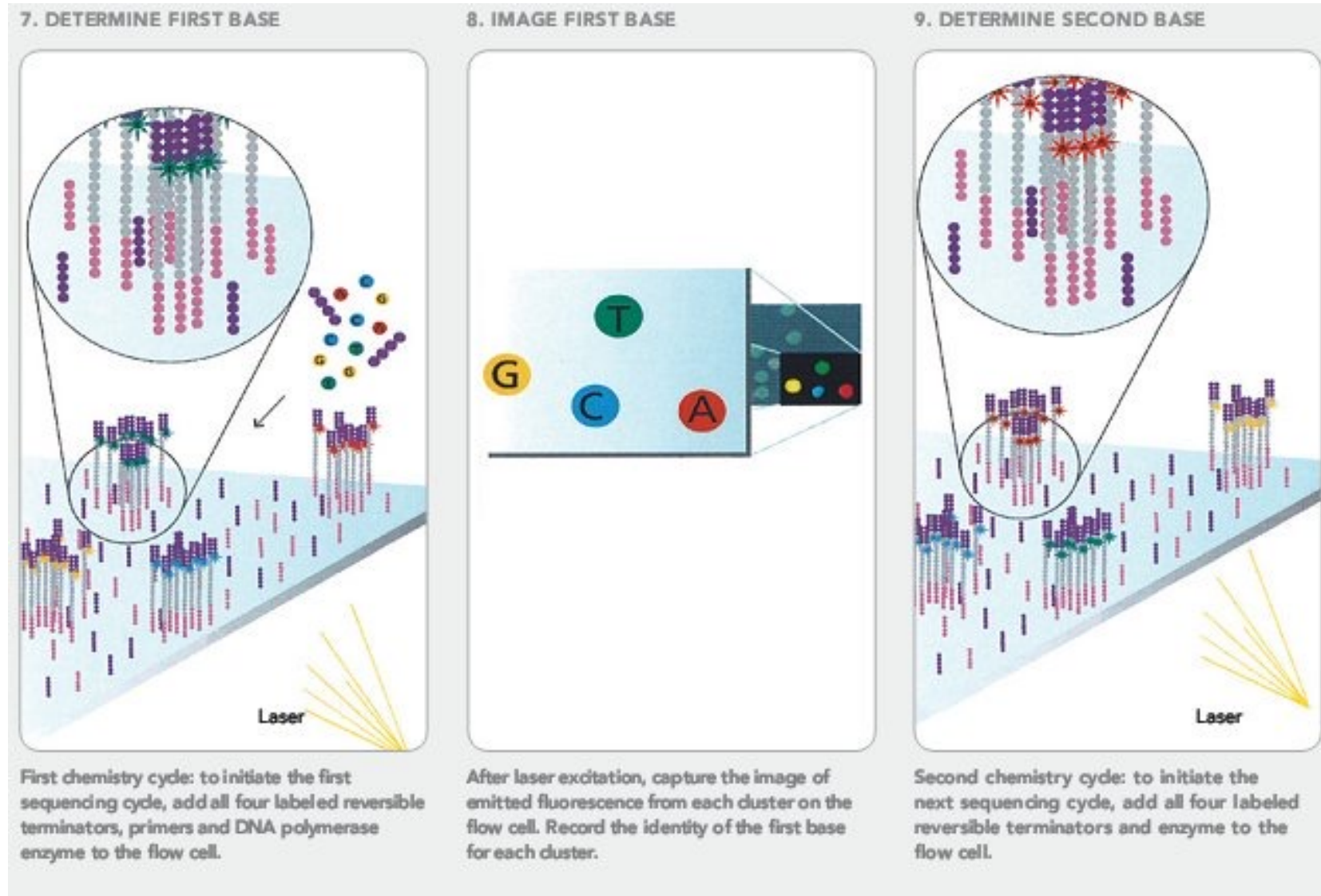
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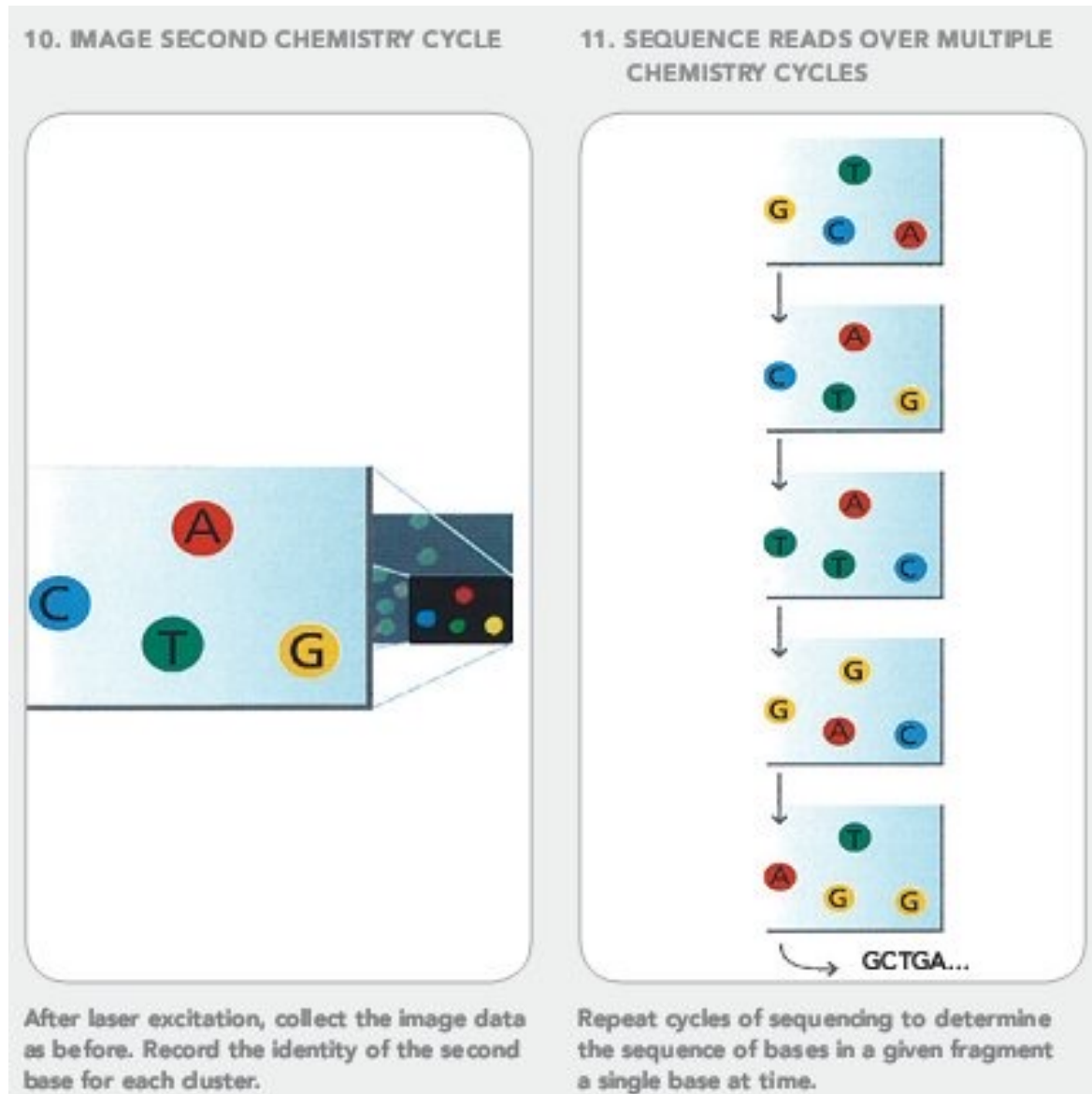
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[This Illumina video](#) is great for visualization!