

Galaxy Project Introduction

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web-based platform for
accessible, reproducible, and transparent
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Accessible: Users without programming experience can easily specify parameters and run tools and workflows.

Reproducible: Galaxy captures information so that any user can repeat and understand a complete computational analysis.

Transparent: Users share and publish analyses via the web and create Pages, interactive, web-based documents that describe a complete analysis.

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**These options result in several
ways to use Galaxy**

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a centralized solution cannot support the different analysis needs of the entire world.

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**...and it is installed in
locations around the world**

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deploy Galaxy



install Galaxy locally

use Galaxy on the Cloud

get the SlipStream Galaxy appliance (BioTeam)

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using Galaxy



Galaxy's public web site

The screenshot shows the Galaxy public web site interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the Galaxy logo and a search bar. Below the navigation bar, the main content area displays a welcome message: "Galaxy is an open source, web-based platform for data intensive biomedical research. If you are new to Galaxy [start here](#) or consult our [help resources](#)." Below this message, there are several featured images and logos, including "Galaxy in Europe Fall 2014", "e-Biogenouest", and "STRASBOURG - FRANCE". To the right of the main content area, there is a "Tweets" section showing two tweets from GigaScience and Galaxy Project. On the far right, there is a "History" panel showing a list of recent operations, including "Select on data 2", "Select on data 1", "BED-to-GFF on data 1", and "UCSC Main on Human: knownGene".

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Tools

- Get Data
- Lift-Over
- Text Manipulation
- Convert Formats
- FASTA manipulation
- Filter and Sort
- Join, Subtract and Group
- Extract Features
- Fetch Sequences
- Fetch Alignments
- Get Genomic Scores
- Operate on Genomic Intervals
- Statistics
- Graph/Display Data
- Regional Variation
- Multiple regression
- Multivariate Analysis
- Evolution
- Motif Tools
- Multiple Alignments
- Metagenomic analyses
- Genome Diversity
- NGS TOOLBOX BETA
- Phenotype Association
- NGS: QC and manipulation
- NGS: Mapping
- NGS: SAM Tools

Tweets

GigaScience @GigaScience 3h
#openscience folks in Melbourne, sign up for our free workshop next month
eventbrite.com.au/e/the-great-gi...
For more see:
blogs.biomedcentral.com/bmcblog/20...
Retweeted by Galaxy Project
Expand

Galaxy Project @galaxyproject 1h
September 2014 Newsletter: Lots of new releases, Galaxy-UK, upcoming events, plus new jobs, papers, tools
bit.ly/1pphMf1 #usegalaxy
Expand

History

Unnamed history
5.7 MB

- 4: Select on data 2
- 3: Select on data 1
- 2: BED-to-GFF on data 1
- 1: UCSC Main on Human: knownGene (chr1:1-249250621)

Logos: PENNSTATE, JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY, TACC, iPlant Collaborative

<http://usegalaxy.org>

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<http://wiki.galaxyproject.org/Learn>

tutorials

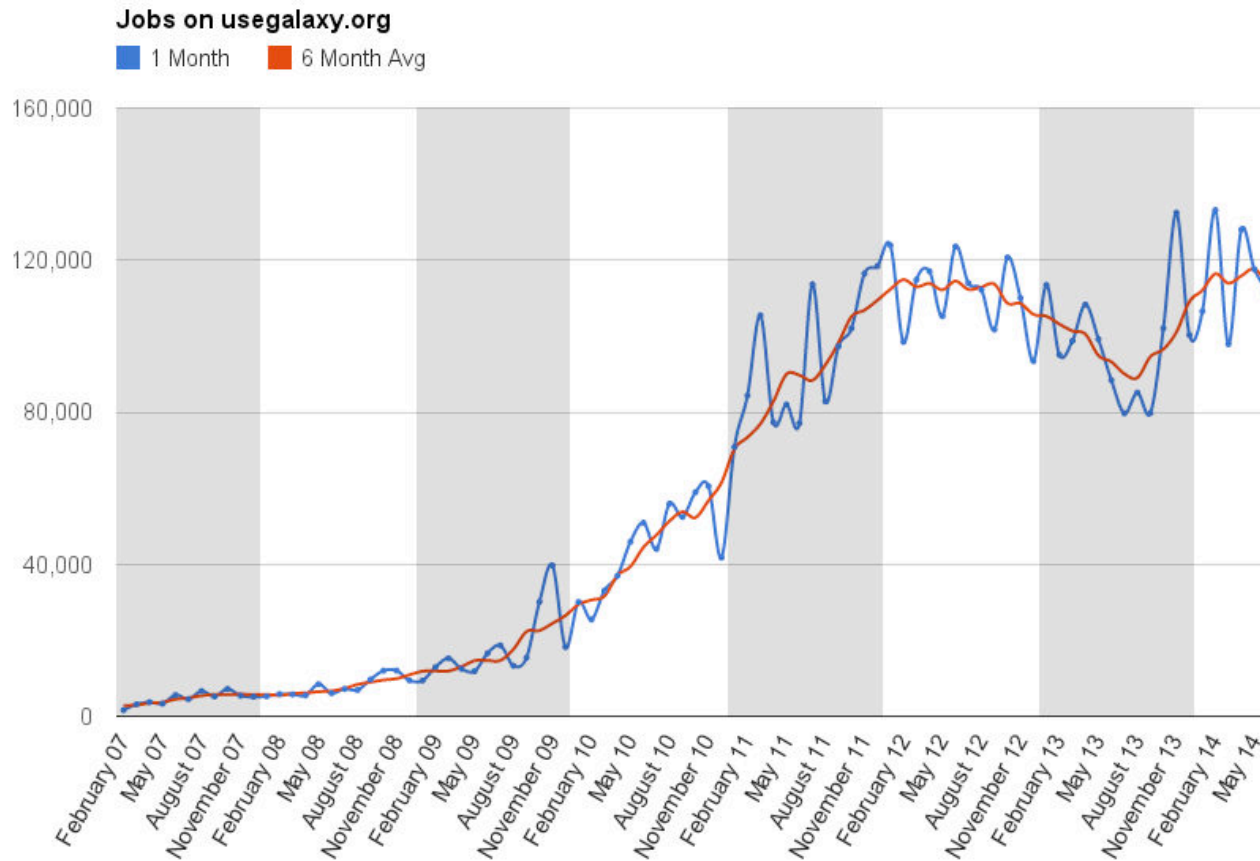
screencats

shared histories & workflows

<http://wiki.galaxyproject.org/CitingGalaxy>

<http://wiki.galaxyproject.org/MailingLists>

and Galaxy is used



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~4000 code commits from over 50 people per year

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The screenshot displays a Trello board titled "Galaxy: Development" with a "Public" setting. The board is organized into several columns, each representing a different stage or type of development task:

- Inbox:** Contains cards for adding cards, adding metrics, reference genomes, and merging patches.
- Tool Requests:** Lists requests for tools like SAMtools, SAM-to-BAM, and random intervals.
- Bug Reports:** Documents issues such as authentication problems, dependency errors, and tool installation failures.
- Ideas:** Captures suggestions for new features like JavaScript build processes, workflow editors, and Google Drive integration.
- Pull Requests / Patches:** Tracks ongoing code changes, including FASTQ paired-end issues and Bowtie wrapper updates.
- Project in Planning:** Outlines future goals like demystifying login, adding build accessibility, and role selection.

On the right side of the board, there is a "Menu" section with "Members" (a grid of user avatars) and "Activity" (a feed of recent updates and comments from community members).

<http://bit.ly/gxytrello>

2570 'tools' published from ~220 developers

| Name | Description | Repositories |
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| Assembly | Tools for working with assemblies | 33 |
| ChIP-seq | Tools for analyzing and manipulating ChIP-seq data. | 7 |
| Computational chemistry | Tools for use in computational chemistry | 23 |
| Convert Formats | Tools for converting data formats | 30 |
| Data Managers | Utilities for Managing Galaxy's built-in data cache | 6 |
| Data Source | Tools for retrieving data from external data sources | 17 |
| Fasta Manipulation | Tools for manipulating fasta data | 41 |
| Fastq Manipulation | Tools for manipulating fastq data | 17 |
| Genome-Wide Association Study | Utilities to support Genome-wide association studies | 1 |
| Genomic Interval Operations | Tools for operating on genomic intervals | 37 |
| Graphics | Tools producing images | 22 |
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Galaxy wrappers for existing command line tools

Tools especially developed for Galaxy

The Galaxy Team



Penn State

Johns Hopkins

<https://wiki.galaxyproject.org/GalaxyTeam>



GCC 2015

Galaxy Community Conference

6-8th July 2015

The Sainsbury Laboratory
Norwich, UK

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let's do some work now



<http://cloud1.galaxyproject.org>

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