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Sniffles

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Resource Information

URL: <https://github.com/fritzsedlazeck/Sniffles>

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Description: Software tool as structural variation caller using third generation sequencing (PacBio or Oxford Nanopore). It detects all types of SVs (10bp+) using evidence from split-read alignments, high-mismatch regions, and coverage analysis. Used to avoid single molecule long read sequencing high error rates.

Resource Type: software resource, software application, data processing software

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Alternate URLs: <https://bio.tools/sniffles>

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for Sniffles.

No alerts have been found for Sniffles.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 59 mentions in open access literature.

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

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