Autism Spectrum Disorder Sequencing data

The ASD case-control dataset has been sequenced as part of the ARRA Autism Sequencing Collaboration (AASC), and is publicly available through dbGaP (dbGaP Study Accession: phs000298.v1.p1). The dataset consists of 488 ASD cases and 372 controls of European ancestry, and whole-exome sequencing was performed at the Broad Institute using an Illumina HiSeq2000 platform. Data was processed with Picard[1] and BWA[2] to map reads to hg19. Variants were called using the Genome Analysis Toolkit[3] and only those variants that passed standard quality control filters were analyzed.

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