

Supplementary Material for  
Increased alignment sensitivity improves the usage of genome alignments  
for comparative gene annotation

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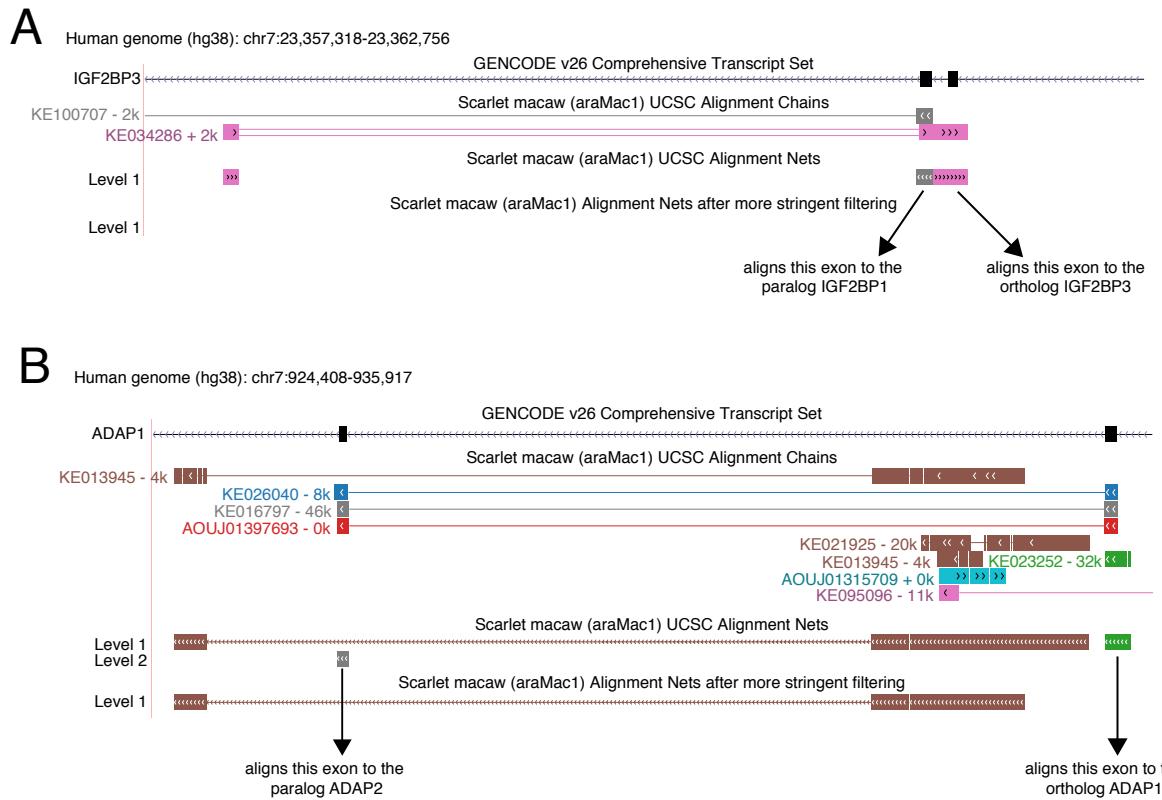
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**Supplementary Figure 1:** Scarlet macaw alignments that are discarded by our more stringent filters contain paralogous exon alignments that would lead to incorrect gene annotations.

The examples in (A) and (B) illustrate why our more stringent filtering approach results in fewer annotated exons and genes for fragmented genome assemblies (Figure 5, main text) that result in short co-linear alignment nets. The panels show UCSC genome browser screenshots of the human genome and the co-linear alignment chains and nets to the scarlet macaw. Each box in an alignment chain or net represents aligning sequence.

(A) Our more stringent net filter thresholds remove alignments to two exons of *IGF2BP3*, contributing to the lower number of annotated exons in the scarlet macaw. However, the grey alignment likely aligns an exon of the paralog *IGF2BP1*, as revealed by aligning the respective scarlet macaw sequence to the well annotated chicken genome. Thus, removing this net increases the specificity in the gene annotation by avoiding a mis-annotation. The pink alignment of the second exon likely aligns the orthologous gene, illustrating that these fragmented assemblies result in short chains and nets that make it hard to distinguish orthologous and paralogous alignments.

(B) Another example illustrating short alignment chains and nets in the scarlet macaw. The green net that spans only a single exon is likely an alignment to the ortholog of *ADAP1*. However, the grey alignment aligns the upstream exon to the paralog *ADAP2*.

Assembly	Species	Scientific name	Net type	Alignment computed	% of human (hg38) genome in aligning blocks containing this species	Notes
hg38	Human	<i>Homo sapiens</i>	Reference species	-	-	
panTro4	Chimp	<i>Pan troglodytes</i>	syntenic	no (download from UCSC)	87.053% (2793773646 bp)	not in UCSC 100-way but in the UCSC primate alignment
panPan1	Bonobo	<i>Pan paniscus</i>	syntenic	no (download from UCSC)	86.857% (2787476067 bp)	
gorGor3	Gorilla	<i>Gorilla gorilla gorilla</i>	syntenic	no (download from UCSC)	81.109% (2603032702 bp)	
ponAbe2	Orangutan	<i>Pongo pygmaeus abelii</i>	syntenic	no (download from UCSC)	81.790% (2624886526 bp)	
nomLeu3	Gibbon	<i>Nomascus leucogenys</i>	syntenic	no (download from UCSC)	80.404% (2580390048 bp)	
rheMac3	Rhesus	<i>Macaca mulatta</i>	syntenic	no (download from UCSC)	75.857% (2434452580 bp)	
macFas5	Crab-eating macaque	<i>Macaca fascicularis</i>	syntenic	no (download from UCSC)	80.148% (2572180197 bp)	
papAnu2	Baboon	<i>Papio anubis</i>	syntenic	no (download from UCSC)	78.855% (2530680298 bp)	
chlSab2	Green monkey	<i>Chlorocebus sabaeus</i>	syntenic	no (download from UCSC)	79.547% (2552877571 bp)	
nasLar1	Proboscis monkey	<i>Nasalis larvatus</i>	syntenic	no (download from UCSC)	59.926% (1923212200 bp)	not in UCSC 100-way but in the UCSC primate alignment
rhiRox1	Golden snub-nosed monkey	<i>Rhinopithecus roxellana</i>	syntenic	no (download from UCSC)	79.578% (2553881926 bp)	not in UCSC 100-way but in the UCSC primate alignment
calJac3	Marmoset	<i>Callithrix jacchus</i>	syntenic	no (download from UCSC)	67.510% (2166594286 bp)	not in UCSC 100-way but in the UCSC primate alignment
saiBol1	Squirrel monkey	<i>Saimiri boliviensis</i>	syntenic	no (download from UCSC)	66.644% (2138792419 bp)	not in UCSC 100-way but in the UCSC primate alignment
tarSyr2	Tarsier	<i>Tarsius syrichta</i>	syntenic	no (download from UCSC)	53.523% (1717714322 bp)	
otoGar3	Bushbaby	<i>Otolemur garnettii</i>	syntenic	no (download from UCSC)	51.911% (1665976796 bp)	
micMur2	Mouse lemur	<i>Microcebus murinus</i>	syntenic	yes	54.845% (1760139027 bp)	assembly updated (micMur1 is in UCSC primate alignment)
tupChi1	Chinese tree shrew	<i>Tupaia chinensis</i>	syntenic	no (download from UCSC)	44.085% (1414807345 bp)	
speTri2	Squirrel	<i>Spermophilus tridecemlineatus</i>	syntenic	yes	48.520% (1557148621 bp)	
jacJac1	Lesser Egyptian jerboa	<i>Jaculus jaculus</i>	syntenic	yes	34.884% (1119528205 bp)	
micOch1	Prairie vole	<i>Microtus ochrogaster</i>	syntenic	yes	32.532% (1044048968 bp)	
perManBai1	Prairie deer mouse	<i>Peromyscus maniculatus bairdii</i>	syntenic	yes	36.198% (1161713393 bp)	species added
criGri1	Chinese hamster	<i>Cricetus griseus</i>	syntenic	yes	34.265% (1099649614 bp)	
mesAur1	Golden hamster	<i>Mesocricetus auratus</i>	syntenic	yes	31.228% (1002208949 bp)	
mm10	Mouse	<i>Mus musculus</i>	syntenic	yes	32.896% (1055730834 bp)	
rn6	Rat	<i>Rattus norvegicus</i>	syntenic	yes	32.261% (1035338911 bp)	
nanGal1	Blind mole rat	<i>Nannospalax galili</i>	syntenic	yes	39.773% (1276420898 bp)	species added
hetGla2	Naked mole-rat	<i>Heterocephalus glaber</i>	syntenic	yes	46.886% (1504708927 bp)	
cavPor3	Guinea pig	<i>Cavia porcellus</i>	syntenic	yes	43.503% (1396146209 bp)	
chiLan1	Chinchilla	<i>Chinchilla lanigera</i>	syntenic	yes	46.489% (1491948983 bp)	
octDeg1	Brush-tailed rat	<i>Octodon degus</i>	syntenic	yes	41.127% (1319878019 bp)	
oryCun2	Rabbit	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	syntenic	yes	43.445% (1394260530 bp)	
ochPri3	Pika	<i>Ochotona princeps</i>	syntenic	yes	34.458% (1105866449 bp)	
susScr3	Pig	<i>Sus scrofa</i>	syntenic	yes	43.977% (1411351436 bp)	
vicPac2	Alpaca	<i>Vicugna pacos</i>	syntenic	yes	47.915% (1537730338 bp)	
camFer1	Bactrian camel	<i>Camelus ferus</i>	syntenic	yes	48.351% (1551735184 bp)	
turTru2	Dolphin	<i>Tursiops truncatus</i>	min score 100k	yes	48.411% (1553639543 bp)	
orcOrc1	Killer whale	<i>Orcinus orca</i>	syntenic	yes	49.937% (1602606513 bp)	
phyCat1	Sperm whale	<i>Physeter catodon</i>	min score 100k	yes	50.800% (1630320179 bp)	species added
balAcu1	Minke whale	<i>Balaenoptera acutorostrata</i>	syntenic	yes	50.799% (1630272577 bp)	species added
panHod1	Tibetan antelope	<i>Pantholops hodgsonii</i>	syntenic	yes	45.582% (1462842254 bp)	
bosTau8	Cow	<i>Bos taurus</i>	syntenic	yes	45.834% (1470932026 bp)	
bisBis1	Bison	<i>Bison bison bison</i>	syntenic	yes	44.359% (1423605716 bp)	species added
oviAri3	Sheep	<i>Ovis aries</i>	syntenic	yes	45.517% (1460762110 bp)	
capHir1	Domestic goat	<i>Capra hircus</i>	syntenic	yes	45.000% (1444182511 bp)	
equCab2	Horse	<i>Equus caballus</i>	syntenic	yes	54.276% (1741862725 bp)	
cerSim1	Rhinoceros	<i>Ceratotherium simum</i>	syntenic	yes	55.225% (1772316407 bp)	
felCat8	Cat	<i>Felis catus</i>	syntenic	yes	51.061% (1638680977 bp)	
canFam3	Dog	<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	syntenic	yes	50.326% (1615105515 bp)	
musFur1	Ferret	<i>Mustela putorius furo</i>	syntenic	yes	49.359% (1584081766 bp)	
ailMe1	Panda	<i>Ailuropoda melanoleuca</i>	syntenic	yes	51.345% (1647822381 bp)	
ursMar1	Polar bear	<i>Ursus maritimus</i>	syntenic	yes	51.593% (1655756012 bp)	species added
odoRosDiv1	Pacific walrus	<i>Odobenus rosmarus divergens</i>	syntenic	yes	51.621% (1656658543 bp)	
lepWed1	Weddell seal	<i>Leptonychotes weddellii</i>	min score 100k	yes	50.883% (1632970808 bp)	
manPen1	Chinese pangolin	<i>Manis pentadactyla</i>	min score 100k	yes	44.856% (1439551201 bp)	species added
pteAle1	Black flying-fox	<i>Pteropus alecto</i>	syntenic	yes	47.629% (1528548624 bp)	
pteVam1	Megabat	<i>Pteropus vampyrus</i>	min score 100k	yes	42.944% (1378203172 bp)	
eptFus1	Big brown bat	<i>Eptesicus fuscus</i>	syntenic	yes	38.604% (1238910861 bp)	
myoDav1	Davids myotis bat	<i>Myotis davidii</i>	syntenic	yes	37.842% (1214472498 bp)	
myoLuc2	Microbat	<i>Myotis lucifugus</i>	syntenic	yes	37.922% (1217018404 bp)	
eriEur2	Hedgehog	<i>Erinaceus europaeus</i>	syntenic	yes	25.506% (818548418 bp)	
sorAra2	Shrew	<i>Sorex araneus</i>	syntenic	yes	27.284% (875607470 bp)	
conCri1	Star-nosed mole	<i>Condylura cristata</i>	syntenic	yes	36.794% (1180817074 bp)	
loxAfr3	Elephant	<i>Loxodonta africana</i>	syntenic	yes	44.849% (1439316697 bp)	
eleEdw1	Cape elephant shrew	<i>Elephantulus edwardii</i>	syntenic	yes	27.037% (867708181 bp)	
triMan1	Manatee	<i>Trichechus manatus latirostris</i>	syntenic	yes	44.578% (1430630850 bp)	
chrAsi1	Cape golden mole	<i>Chrysocloris asiatica</i>	syntenic	yes	33.343% (1070066279 bp)	
echTel2	Tenrec	<i>Echinops telfairi</i>	syntenic	yes	29.651% (951570829 bp)	
oryAfe1	Aardvark	<i>Orycteropus afer afer</i>	syntenic	yes	40.029% (1284635867 bp)	
dasNov3	Armadillo	<i>Dasypus novemcinctus</i>	syntenic	yes	45.058% (1446055144 bp)	
monDom5	Opossum	<i>Monodelphis domestica</i>	min score 10k	yes	16.439% (527575746 bp)	
sarHar1	Tasmanian devil	<i>Sarcophilus harrisii</i>	min score 10k	yes	13.527% (434129438 bp)	
macEug2	Wallaby	<i>Macropus eugenii</i>	min score 10k	yes	9.786% (314070130 bp)	
ornAna2	Platypus	<i>Ornithorhynchus anatinus</i>	min score 10k	yes	7.610% (244238785 bp)	assembly updated

**Supplementary Table 1 (part 1): All mammals included in the 144-vertebrate alignment.**

Assembly	Species	Scientific name	Net type	Alignment computed	% of human (hg38) genome in aligning blocks containing this species		Notes
					species	Notes	
zonAlb1	White-throated sparrow	<i>Zonotrichia albicollis</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.886% (156805456 bp)		
geoFor1	Medium ground finch	<i>Geospiza fortis</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.862% (156033541 bp)		
serCan1	Canary	<i>Serinus canaria</i>	min score 10k	yes	5.188% (166499082 bp)	species added	
taeGut2	Zebra finch	<i>Taeniopygia guttata</i>	min score 10k	yes	6.621% (212475807 bp)		
ficAlb2	Collared flycatcher	<i>Ficedula albicollis</i>	min score 10k	yes	5.350% (171700154 bp)		
pseHum1	Tibetan ground jay	<i>Pseudopodoces humilis</i>	min score 10k	yes	5.494% (176307062 bp)		
corCor1	Hooded crow	<i>Corvus cornix cornix</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.878% (156535011 bp)	species added	
corBra1	American crow	<i>Corvus brachyrhynchos</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.936% (158418176 bp)	species added	
manVit1	Golden-collared manakin	<i>Manacus vitellinus</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.835% (1515178743 bp)	species added	
melUnd1	Budgerigar	<i>Melopsittacus undulatus</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.955% (159020493 bp)		
amaVit1	Parrot	<i>Amazona vittata</i>	min score 10k	yes	3.852% (123631020 bp)		
araMac1	Scarlet macaw	<i>Ara macao</i>	min score 10k	yes	3.409% (109406414 bp)		
falPer1	Peregrine falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>	min score 10k	yes	5.165% (16575879 bp)		
falChe1	Saker falcon	<i>Falco cherrug</i>	min score 10k	yes	5.121% (164335455 bp)		
picPub1	Downy woodpecker	<i>Picoides pubescens</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.380% (140552870 bp)	species added	
halLeu1	Bald eagle	<i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i>	min score 10k	yes	5.548% (178055539 bp)	species added	
aquChr2	Golden eagle	<i>Aquila chrysaetos canadensis</i>	min score 10k	yes	5.646% (181199086 bp)	species added	
egrGar1	Little egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.892% (157004660 bp)	species added	
nipNip1	Crested ibis	<i>Nipponia nippon</i>	min score 10k	yes	5.320% (170743201 bp)	species added	
pygAde1	Adelie penguin	<i>Pygoscelis adeliae</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.881% (156644132 bp)	species added	
aptFor1	Emperor penguin	<i>Aptenodytes forsteri</i>	min score 10k	yes	5.251% (168523562 bp)	species added	
chaVoc1	Killdeer	<i>Charadrius vociferus</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.954% (158985295 bp)	species added	
opiHo1	Hoatzin	<i>Opisthocomus hoazin</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.589% (147272093 bp)	species added	
calAnn1	Anna's hummingbird	<i>Calypte anna</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.794% (153857566 bp)	species added	
cucCan1	Common cuckoo	<i>Cuculus canorus</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.934% (158337416 bp)	species added	
colLiv1	Rock pigeon	<i>Columba livia</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.956% (159057555 bp)		
galGal4	Chicken	<i>Gallus gallus</i>	min score 10k	yes	5.308% (170335631 bp)		
melGal1	Turkey	<i>Meleagris gallopavo</i>	min score 10k	yes	5.675% (182131850 bp)		
anaPla1	Mallard duck	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.551% (146045350 bp)		
tinGut2	White throated tinamou	<i>Tinamus guttatus</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.413% (141615668 bp)	species added	
strCam1	Ostrich	<i>Struthio camelus australis</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.929% (158185647 bp)	species added	
allMis1	American alligator	<i>Alligator mississippiensis</i>	min score 10k	yes	6.788% (217838578 bp)		
gavGan0	Gharial	<i>Gavialis gangeticus</i>	min score 10k	yes	6.814% (218675397 bp)	species added	
cheMyd1	Green sea turtle	<i>Chelonia mydas</i>	min score 10k	yes	6.978% (233955076 bp)		
chrPic2	Painted turtle	<i>Chrysemys picta bellii</i>	min score 10k	yes	7.363% (236301642 bp)		
pelSin1	Chinese softshell turtle	<i>Pelodiscus sinensis</i>	min score 10k	yes	5.867% (188280315 bp)		
apaSpi1	Spiny softshell turtle	<i>Apalone spinifera</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.275% (137184865 bp)		
anoCar2	Lizard	<i>Anolis carolinensis</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.015% (128844558 bp)		
ptyBiv1	Burmese python	<i>Python bivittatus</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.079% (130897768 bp)	species added	
HltupMer3	Tupinambis	<i>Tupinambis merianae</i>	min score 10k	yes	4.365% (140100325 bp)	species added	
xenTro7	X. tropicalis	<i>Xenopus tropicalis</i>	min score 10k	yes	3.586% (115088552 bp)		
nanPar1	Tibetan frog	<i>Nanorana parkeri</i>	min score 10k	yes	2.542% (81588078 bp)	species added	
latCha1	Coelacanth	<i>Latimeria chalumnae</i>	min score 10k	yes	2.746% (88116320 bp)		
oreNii2	Nile tilapia	<i>Oreochromis niloticus</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.686% (54123951 bp)		
neoBru1	Princess of Burundi	<i>Neolamprologus brichardi</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.581% (50742798 bp)		
hapBur1	Burton's mouthbreeder	<i>Haplochromis burtoni</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.598% (51290353 bp)		
mayZeb1	Zebra mbuna	<i>Maylandia zebra</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.625% (52156056 bp)		
punNye1	Pundamilia nyererai	<i>Pundamilia nyererai</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.605% (51494905 bp)		
stePar1	Bicolor damselfish	<i>Stegastes partitus</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.586% (50913521 bp)	species added	
oryLat2	Medaka	<i>Oryzias latipes</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.727% (55412849 bp)		
xipMac1	Southern platyfish	<i>Xiphophorus maculatus</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.692% (54285951 bp)		
poeFor1	Amazon molly	<i>Poecilia formosa</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.696% (54436979 bp)	species added	
poeRet1	Guppy	<i>Poecilia reticulata</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.670% (53610154 bp)	species added	
cypVar1	Sheepshead minnow	<i>Cyprinodon variegatus</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.750% (56170064 bp)	species added	
HlnotFur1	Turquoise killifish	<i>Nothonotus furzeri</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.788% (57377141 bp)	species added	
gasAcu1	Stickleback	<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.750% (56160799 bp)		
notCor1	Black rockcod	<i>Notothenia coriiceps</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.481% (47531241 bp)	species added	
dicLab1	European sea bass	<i>Dicentrarchus labrax</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.681% (53952519 bp)	species added	
tetNig2	Tetraodon	<i>Tetraodon nigroviridis</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.526% (48980179 bp)		
fr3	Fugu	<i>Takifugu rubripes</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.545% (49590257 bp)		
takFla1	Yellowbelly pufferfish	<i>Takifugu flavidus</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.332% (42753135 bp)		
cynSem1	Tongue sole	<i>Cynoglossus semilaevis</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.564% (50179432 bp)	species added	
gadMor1	Atlantic cod	<i>Gadus morhua</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.297% (41631253 bp)		
esoLuc1	Northern pike	<i>Esox lucius</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.793% (57537814 bp)	species added	
danRer10	Zebrafish	<i>Danio rerio</i>	min score 10k	yes	3.312% (106303948 bp)		
astMex1	Astyanax mexicanus	<i>Mexican tetra</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.882% (60394303 bp)		
lepOcu1	Spotted gar	<i>Lepisosteus oculatus</i>	min score 10k	yes	2.505% (80391398 bp)		
calMil1	Elephant shark	<i>Callorhinus milii</i>	min score 10k	yes	2.619% (84038668 bp)	species added	
petMar2	Lamprey	<i>Petromyzon marinus</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.032% (33115344 bp)		
letCam1	Arctic lamprey	<i>Lethenteron camtschaticum</i>	min score 10k	yes	1.198% (38460097 bp)	species added	

**Supplementary Table 1 (part 2):** All non-mammalian genomes included in our 144-vertebrate alignment.

The table lists all species, alignment net filtering thresholds, for which species we computed alignments, percentage and absolute number of bases in the human genome in aligning blocks that include this species, and which species we added compared to the UCSC hg38 100-way alignment.

runtime in CPU hours									
highly sensitive				highly sensitive					
Assembly	Species name	lastz	chaining alignments	Assembly	Species name	lastz	chaining alignments		
micMur2	Mouse_lemur	134.3	8	-	corBra1	American_crow	477.8	1.8	20.5
speTri2	Squirrel	998.7	14.9	-	manVit1	Golden_collared_manakin	494.2	2	21.4
jaclac1	Lesser_Egyptian_jerboa	1038.1	25.4	-	melUnd1	Budgerigar	450.7	2.3	41.4
micOch1	Prairie_vole	1134.4	70.8	-	amaVit1	Parrot	465.6	2.1	7
perManBai1	Prairie_deer_mouse	1183.5	65.3	-	araMac1	Scarlet_macaw	436.8	1.7	5.6
criGr1	Chinese_hamster	1269.7	123.3	-	falPer1	Peregrine_falcon	446.4	2	21
mesAur1	Golden_hamster	1049.1	51.1	-	falChe1	Saker_falcon	545.2	2	20.2
mm10	Mouse	1001.2	8.9	-	picPub1	Downy_woodpecker	427.7	1.8	16.4
rn6	Rat	1180.5	127.5	-	halLeu1	Bald_eagle	470.7	2.5	48.4
nanGal1	Blind_mole_rat	896.8	12.6	-	aquChr2	Golden_eagle	472.9	2.1	25.4
hetGla2	Naked_mole_rat	1068.8	15.9	-	egrGar1	Little_egret	445.2	2.3	19.3
cavPor3	Guinea_pig	1412.2	29.8	-	nipNip1	Crested_ibis	467	1.8	21.8
chiLan1	Chinchilla	1033	15.1	-	pygAde1	Adelie_penguin	571.8	1.8	18.7
octDeg1	Brush_tailed_rat	1256.1	19.4	-	aptFor1	Emperor_penguin	453.4	2	22
oryCun2	Rabbit	927	15.2	-	chaVoc2	Killdeer	475.3	2.6	20.4
ochPri3	Pika	860.4	17.7	-	opiHoa1	Hoatzin	439.9	2.3	20.5
susScr3	Pig	952.8	13.9	-	calAnn1	Annas_hummingbird	450.2	2.2	45.6
vicPac2	Alpaca	849.7	13.8	-	cucCan1	Common_cuckoo	532.5	2.6	21.5
camFer1	Bactrian_camel	870.5	22.7	-	colliv1	Rock_pigeon	459.5	2.1	20.3
turTru2	Dolphin	843.9	7.8	-	galGal4	Chicken	414.4	5.1	74.8
orcOrc1	Killer_whale	1011.7	99.2	-	melGal1	Turkey	620.8	2.5	28.9
phyCat1	Sperm_whale	908.1	20.1	-	anaPla1	Mallard_duck	424.5	1.8	15.9
balAcu1	Minke_whale	926.1	30.8	-	tinGut2	White_throated_tinamou	431.7	2	13.1
panHod1	Tibetan_antelope	1075.4	32	-	strCam1	Ostrich	474.7	2.4	18.7
bosTau8	Cow	1028.7	41	-	allMis1	American_alligator	838.5	5.9	49.9
bisBis1	Bison	1003	30.6	-	gavGan0	Gharial	1550.7	337.2	435.2
oviAri3	Sheep	1042.4	45.6	-	cheMyd1	Green_seaturtle	789.4	12.1	45.6
capHir1	Domestic_goat	1049	49.6	-	chrPic2	Painted_turtle	1151.3	8.4	64.3
equCab2	Horse	1052.7	29.1	-	pelSin1	Chinese_softshell_turtle	660.5	5.1	39.6
cerSim1	White_rhinoceros	1025.5	10.2	-	apaSpi1	Spiny_softshell_turtle	637.6	3.9	24.6
felCat8	Cat	980.4	55.5	-	anoCar2	Lizard	545.2	19	72
canFam3	Dog	966.6	17.6	-	ptyBiv1	Burmese_python	638.4	13.3	31.8
musFur1	Ferret	947.1	26.7	-	HltupMer3	Tupinambis	856.3	7.8	78.1
ailMel1	Panda	854	3.6	-	xenTro7	X_tropicalis	704.2	80.4	148.9
ursMar1	Polar_bear	935.8	39.3	-	nanPar1	Tibetan_frog	600.3	6.4	33
odoRosDiv1	Pacific_walrus	1000.1	43.4	-	latCha1	Coelacanth	586	4.8	17.8
lepWed1	Weddell_seal	887.5	28.3	-	oreNil2	Nile_tilapia	275.3	2.3	11.2
manPen1	Chinese_pangolin	919.8	20.1	-	neoBri1	Princess_of_Burundi	227.7	1.6	8.2
pteAle1	Black_flying_fox	972.5	47.3	-	hapBur1	Burtons_mouthbreeder	270.6	1.8	26.4
pteVam1	Megabat	808.3	9.3	-	mayZeb1	Zebra_mbuna	256	1.7	8.6
eptFus1	Big_brown_bat	894.9	26.9	-	punNye1	Pundamilia_nyererei	232.1	1.6	8.4
myoDav1	Davids_myotis_bat	948.7	46.7	-	stePar1	Bicolor_damsel	255.9	1.3	7
myoLuc2	Microbat	834.6	9.2	-	oryLat2	Medaka	203.4	3	12.2
eriEur2	Hedgehog	908.3	36.5	-	xipMac1	Southern_platypfish	209	1.8	8.6
sorAra2	Shrew	1138.2	101	-	poeFor1	Amazon_molly	271.3	2.6	23.4
conCri1	Star_nosed_mole	947.9	15.2	-	poeRet1	Guppy	234.4	4.9	15.4
loxAfr3	Elephant	1141.8	18.8	-	cypVar1	Sheepshead_minnow	279.9	1.9	10.9
eleEdw1	Cape_elephant_shrew	834.8	10.1	-	HlnotFur1	Turquoise_killifish	373.6	11	21.3
triMan1	Manatee	1098.3	17.2	-	gasAcu1	Stickleback	229.9	2.3	10.5
chrAsi1	Cape_golden_mole	1655.5	30.1	-	notCor1	Black_rockcod	204.8	1.3	5.7
echTel2	Tenrec	1152.4	36.3	-	dicLab1	European_sea_bass	245.4	4.1	50.8
oryAfe1	Aardvark	1564.1	39	-	tetNig2	Tetraodon	97.9	1.3	7.8
dasNov3	Armadillo	1130.8	19.6	-	fr3	Fugu	132	1.1	19.3
monDom5	Opossum	1800.8	150.3	362.1	takFla1	Yellowbelly_pufferfish	113.9	1.1	4.8
sarHar1	Tasmanian_devil	913.5	10.8	59.3	cynSem1	Tongue_sole	164.3	1.3	8.4
macEug2	Wallaby	870.8	20.8	51.7	gadMor1	Atlantic_cod	182.2	1	6.3
ornAna2	Platypus	583.4	16.4	47.9	esolLuc1	Northern_pike	257.3	2.9	12.5
zonAlb1	White_throated_sparrow	428.7	2	19.8	danRer10	Zebrafish	952.5	42.2	95.4
geoFor1	Medium_ground Finch	444.4	2.3	22	astMex1	Mexican_tetra_cavefish	285.6	3.8	35.6
serCan1	Canary	478.4	3.2	26.2	lepOcu1	Spotted_gar	318.5	3.9	31.7
taeGut2	Zebra Finch	801.8	10.7	62.3	calMil1	Elephant_shark	492	63.8	104.7
ficAlb2	Collared_flycatcher	476.7	10.1	52.9	petMar2	Lamprey	136.8	2.4	3.6
pseHum1	Tibetan_ground_jay	467	2.4	25.3	letCam1	Arctic_lamprey	206.8	1.9	5.8
corCor1	Hooded_crow	420.4	1.6	22.2	<b>SUM</b>		89308	2724	2946
					<b>TOTAL</b>		94977		

**Supplementary Table 2:** Runtimes in CPU hours for all pairwise alignments.

The runtimes of chainCleaner (typically not more than 10 minutes) and the netting step sum to less than 50 CPU hours in total and are not listed here.