## **Author's Response To Reviewer Comments**

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## Dear Hans,

Thanks for the positive response. We've now made all the requested changes suggested by reviewer 3. To respond to the question about building assets, we've put together more detailed documentation now here: http://refgenie.databio.org/en/latest/build/

We are considering ways to do the suggestion on cryptography, as suggested. I also found another similar tool ("genomepy") and added it to the tool comparison section. I added the GigaDB link as requested, and also reformatted the availability and requirements section as requested.

-Nathan

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