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Introduction to IGV
The Integrative Genomics Viewer
(slides adapted from IGV @ Broad Institute)

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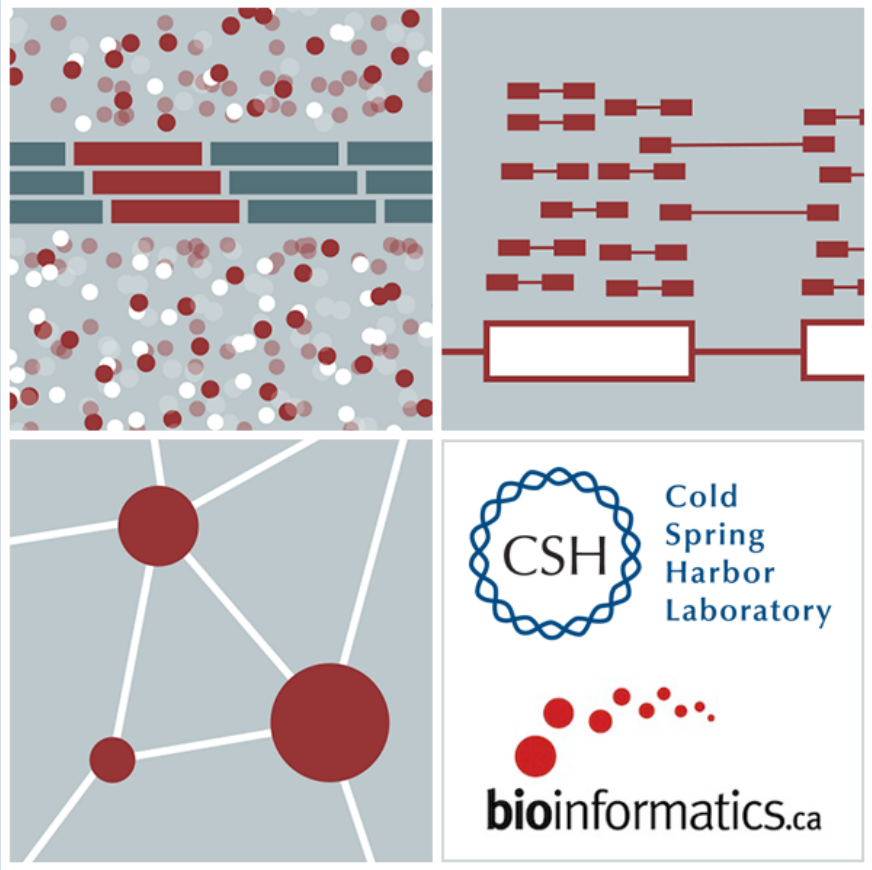


THE GENOME INSTITUTE
at Washington University

Visualization Tools in Genomics

- there are **over 40 different genome browsers**, which to use?

- depends on
  - task at hand
  - kind and size of data
  - data privacy

HT-seq Genome Browsers

Integrative Genome Viewer

UCSC Genome Browser Cancer Genome Browser

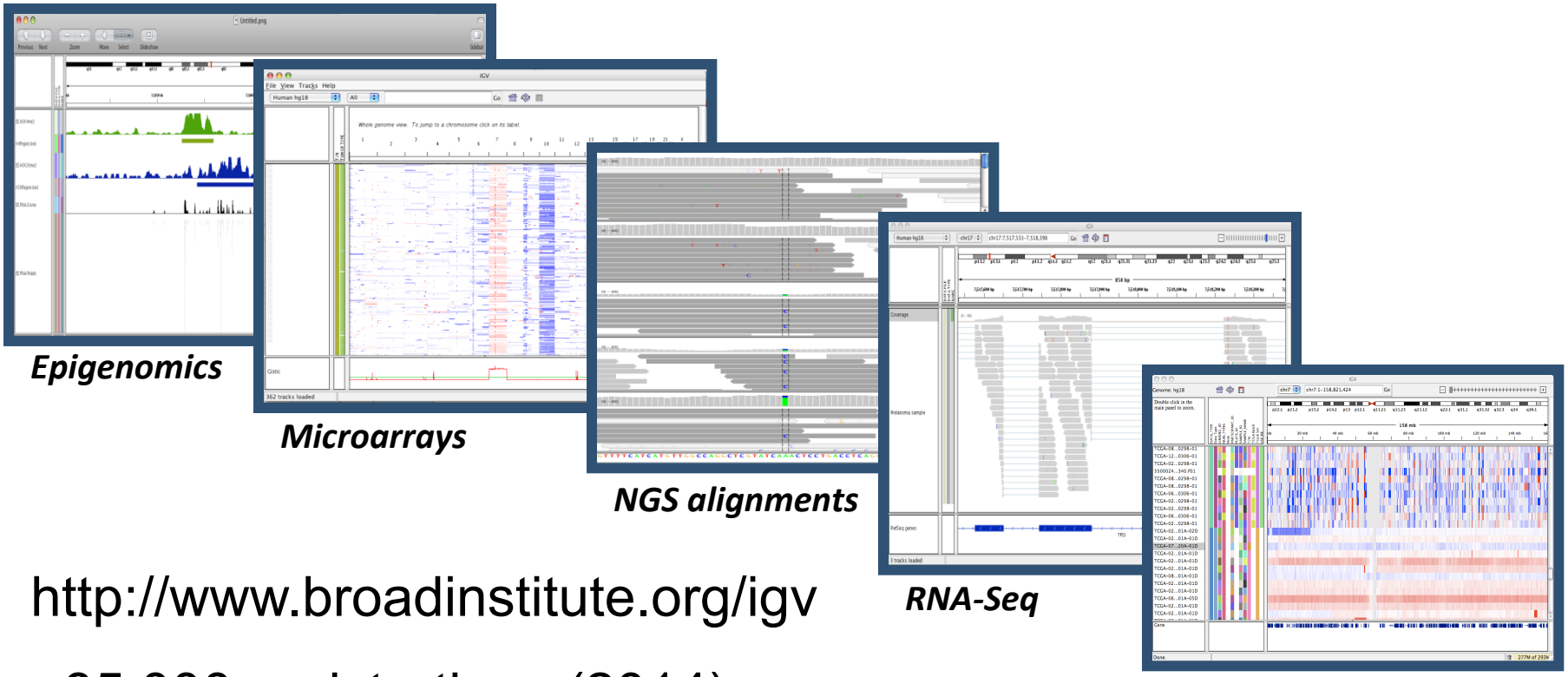
Trackster (part of Galaxy)

Savant Genome Browser

- task at hand : visualizing HT-seq reads, especially good for inspecting variants
- kind and size of data : large BAM files, stored locally or remotely
- data privacy : run on the desktop, can keep all data private
- UCSC Genome Browser has been retro-fitted to display BAM files
- Trackster is a genome browser that can perform visual analytics on small windows of the genome, deploy full analysis with Galaxy

Integrative Genomics Viewer (IGV)

Desktop application for the interactive visual exploration of integrated genomic datasets



Epigenomics

Microarrays

NGS alignments

RNA-Seq

mRNA, CNV, Seq

http://www.broadinstitute.org/igv

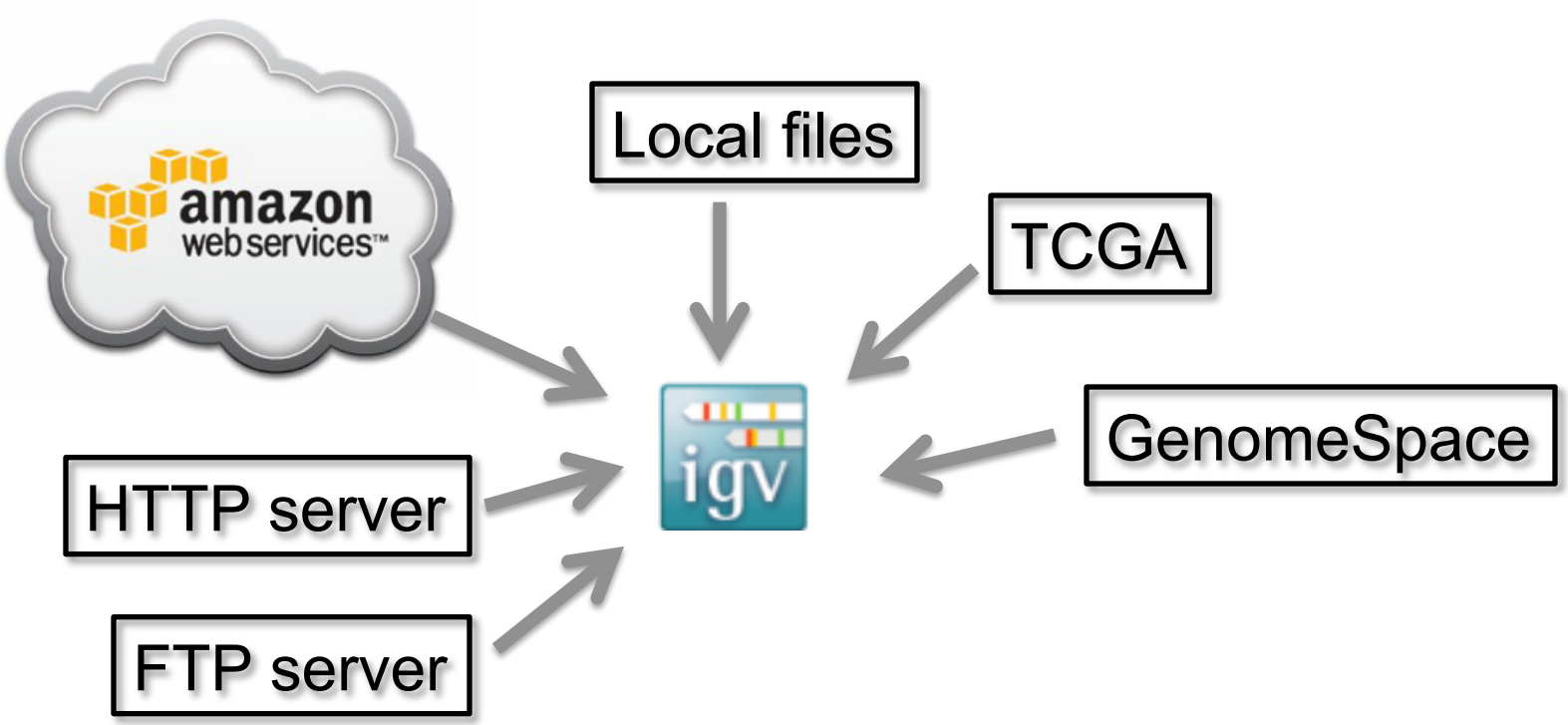
>85,000 registrations (2014)

Features

With IGV you can…

- Explore large genomic datasets with an intuitive, easy-to-use interface.
- Integrate multiple data types with clinical and other sample information.
- View data from multiple sources:
  - local, remote, and “cloud-based”.
- Automation of specific tasks using command-line interface

IGV data sources



- View **local** files without uploading.
- View **remote** files without downloading the whole dataset.

Using IGV: the basics

- Launch IGV
- Select a reference genome
- Load data
- Navigate through the data
  - WGS data
    - SNVs
    - structural variations

Launch IGV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IGV can either be downloaded on to the local machine, or launched via Java Webstart.
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Mac users: Download and unzip the Mac App archive, then double-click the IGV application to run it. The application can be moved to the "Applications" folder, or anywhere else. Note: This requires Java 7. Mac users with Java 6 (JRE 1.6) should use the binary distribution archive or the Webstart buttons below.
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Binary distribution archive for all platforms: Download and unzip the binary distribution archive in a folder of your choosing. IGV is launched from a command prompt -- follow instructions in the "readme" file. To start up IGV use "igv.bat" for Windows, "igv.sh" for Linux, or "igv.command" for MacOS.
Download Binary Distribution
Java Webstart
The buttons below use Java Webstart (JWS) to install and launch IGV directly from our web site.
Mac Users: The Java Webstart option is not recommended for Mac OSX Mountain Lion or higher. Using it requires that you set Gatekeeper security to its lowest level, and it is possible that even this will not be enough.
Chrome: Chrome does not automatically launch the Java Webstart files by default. Instead, the launch buttons below will download a "jnlp" file. This should appear in the lower left corner of the browser. Double-click the downloaded file to run.
Windows users: To run with more than 1.2 GB of memory you must install 64-bit Java. Most Windows installs do not include 64-bit Java by default, even if the operating system is 64-bit. Attempting to use the 2GB or greater launch options with 32-bit Java will result in the error "could not create virtual machine".
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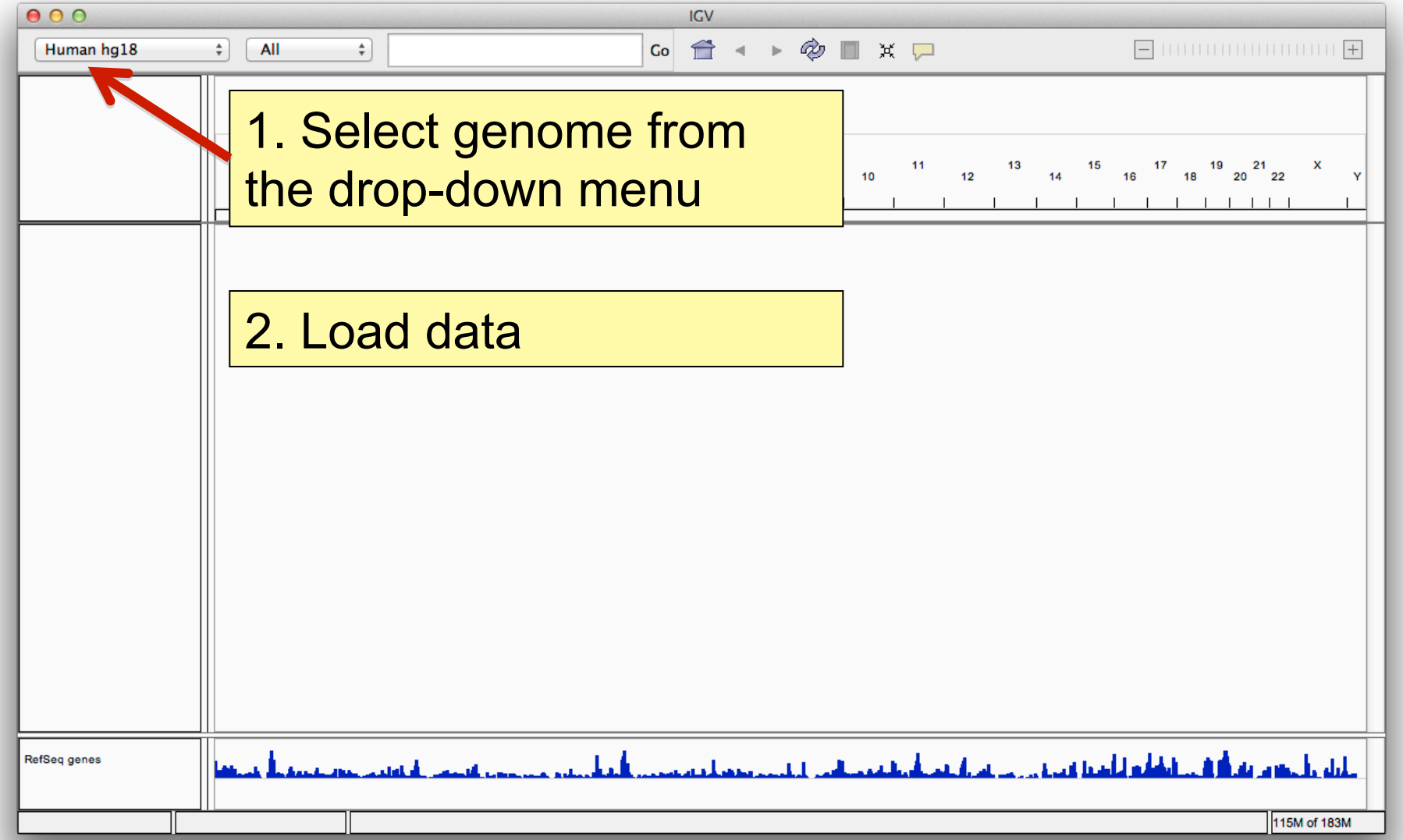
Launch IGV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Load data

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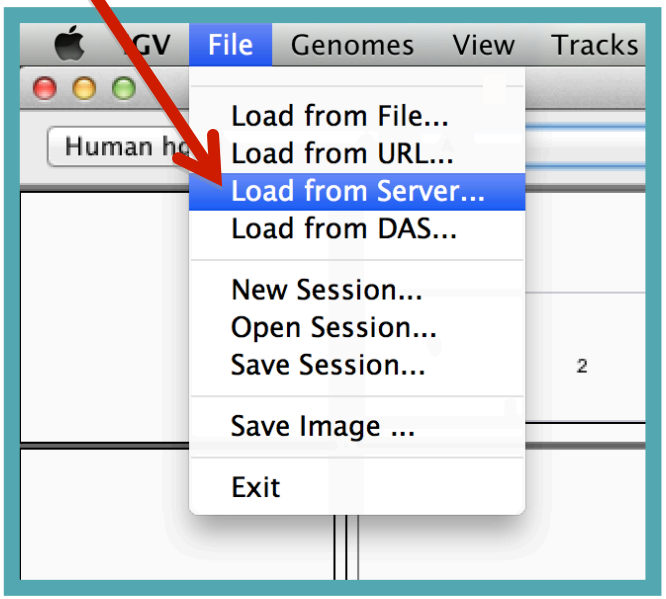

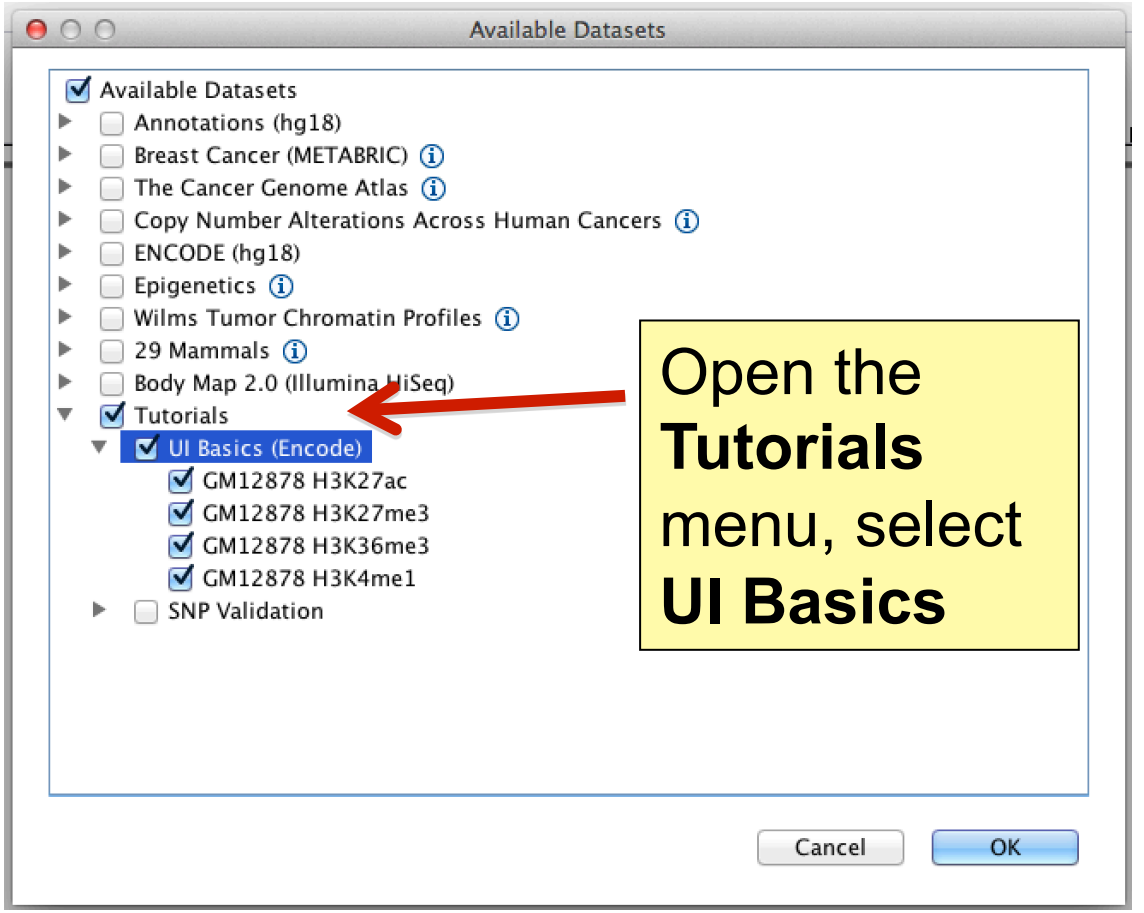

Open the **Tutorials** menu, select **UI Basics**

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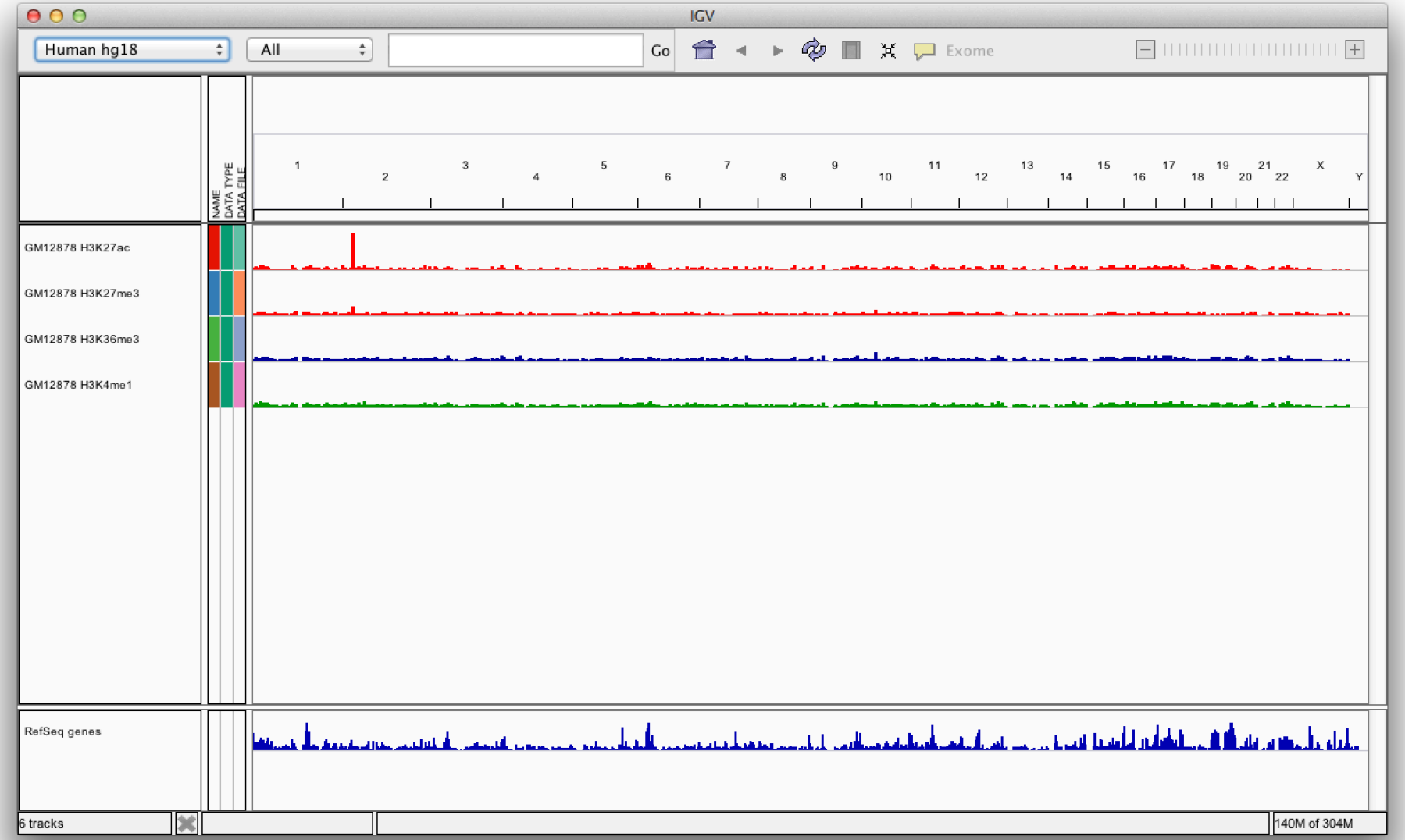

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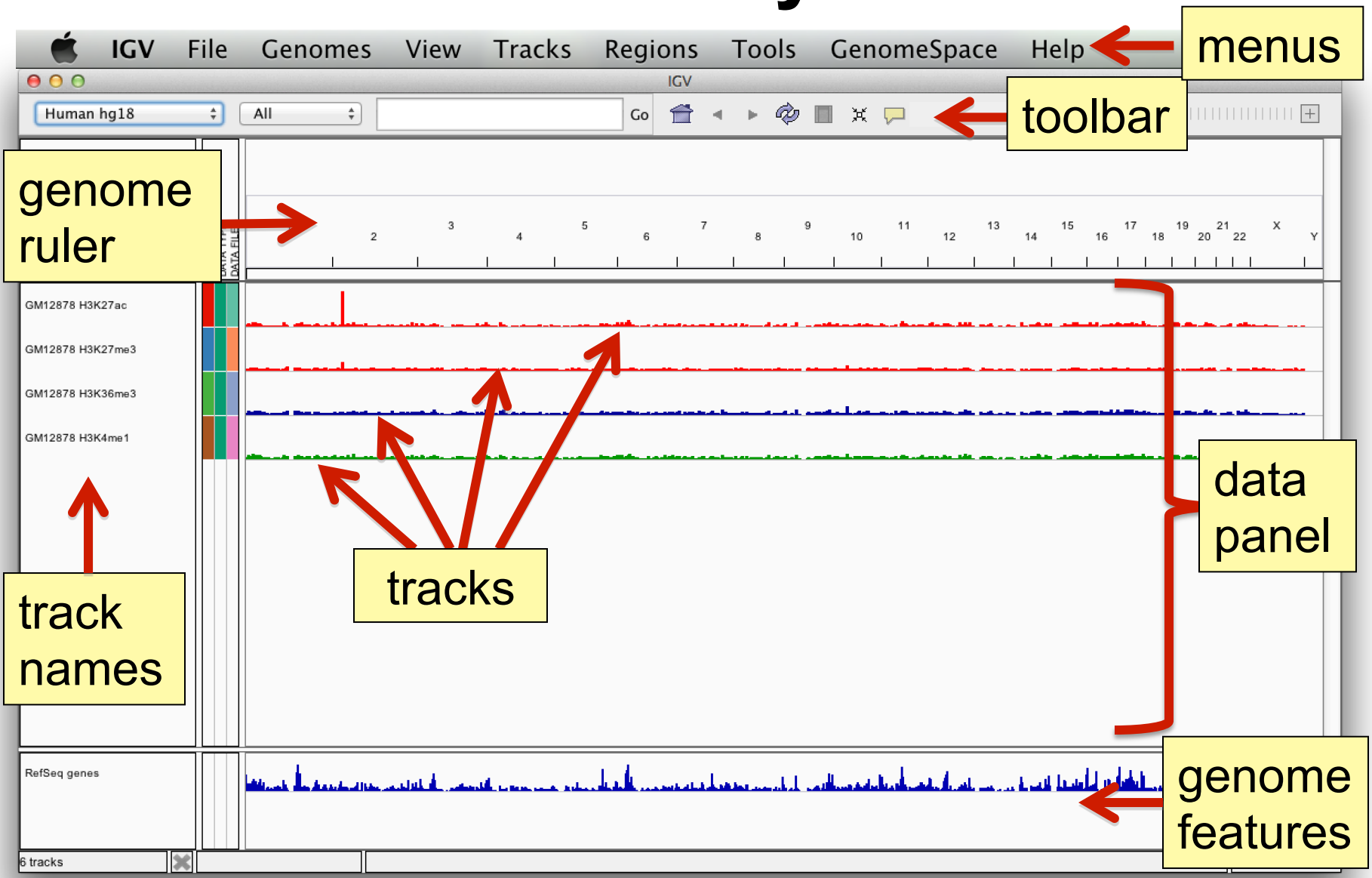


File formats and track types

- The **file format** defines the track type.
- The **track type** determines the display options

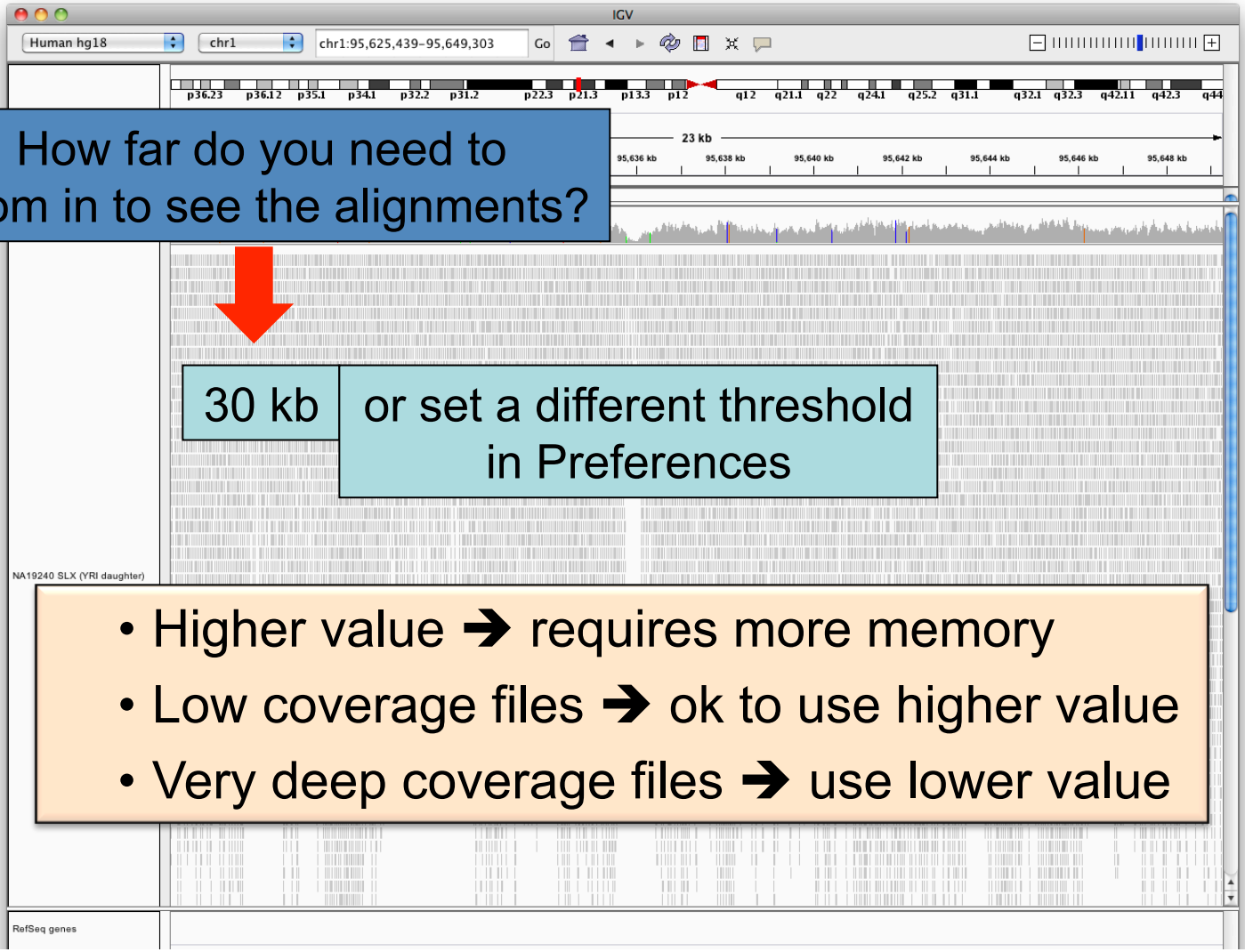
- BAM
- BED
- BedGraph
- bigBed
- bigWig
- Birdsuite Files
- CBS
- CN
- Cufflinks Files
- Custom File Formats
- Cytoband
- FASTA
- GCT
- genePred
- GFF
- GISTIC
- Goby
- GWAS
- IGV
- LOH
- MAF
- Merged BAM File (.bam.list)
- MUT
- PSL
- RES
- SAM
- Sample Information
- SEG
- SNP
- TAB
- TDF
- Track Line
- Type Line
- VCF
- WIG

- For current list see: www.broadinstitute.org/igv/FileFormats

Viewing alignments

Whole chromosome view

Viewing alignments – Zoom in



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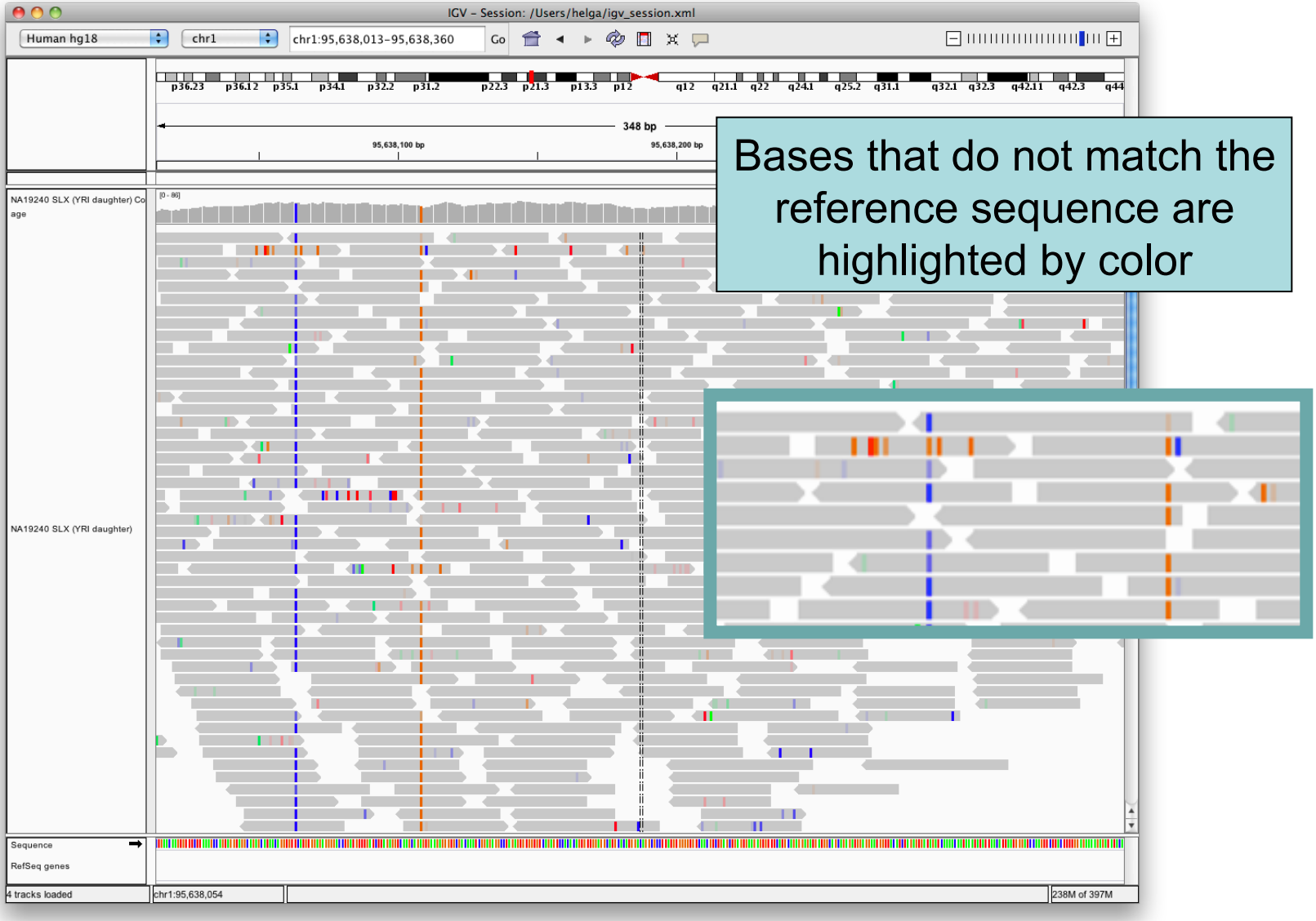
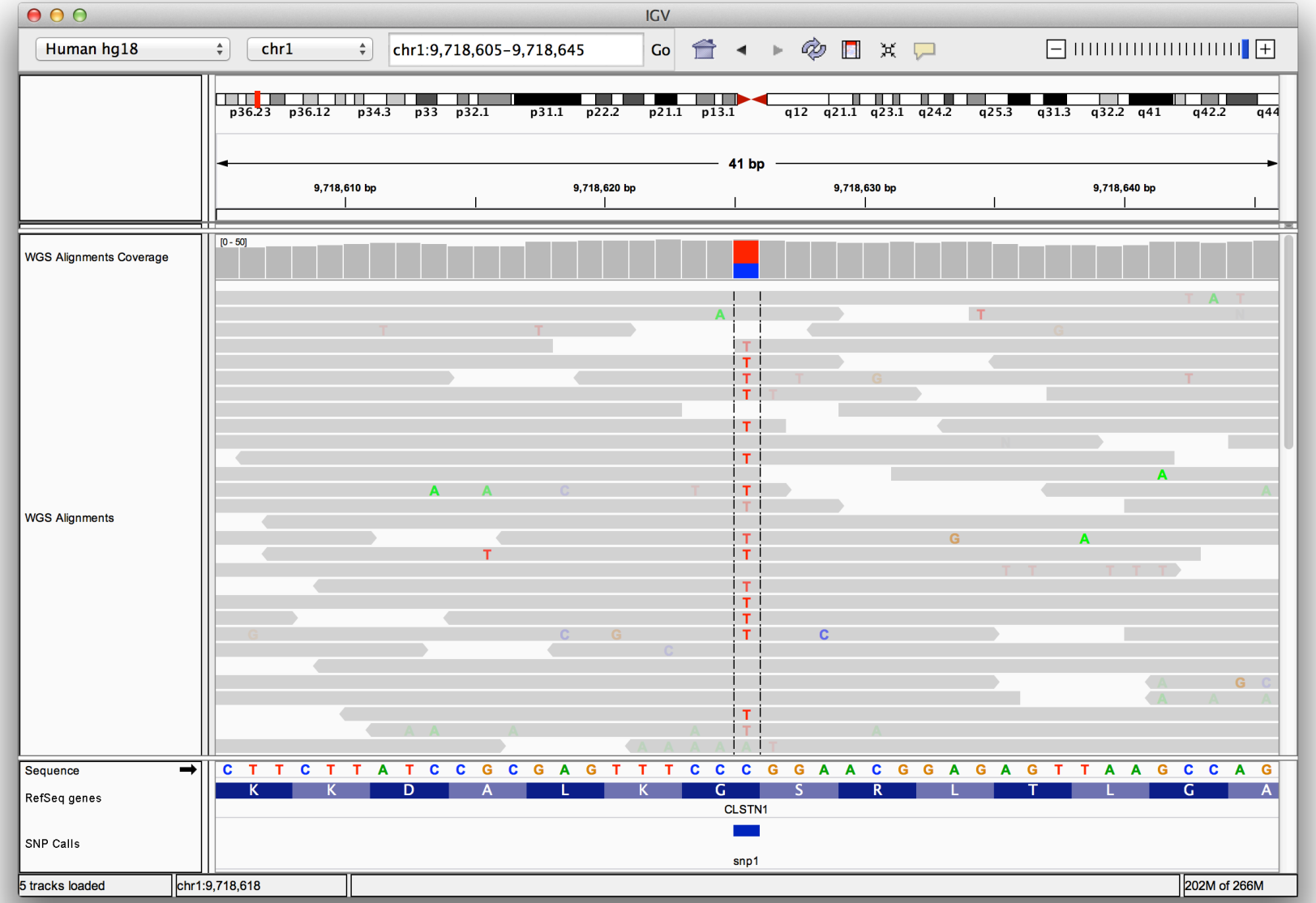


SNVs and Structural variations

- Important metrics for evaluating the validity of SNVs:
  - Coverage
  - Amount of support
  - Strand bias / PCR artifacts
  - Mapping qualities
  - Base qualities
- Important metrics for evaluating SVs:
  - Coverage
  - Insert size
  - Read pair orientation

Viewing SNPs and SNVs



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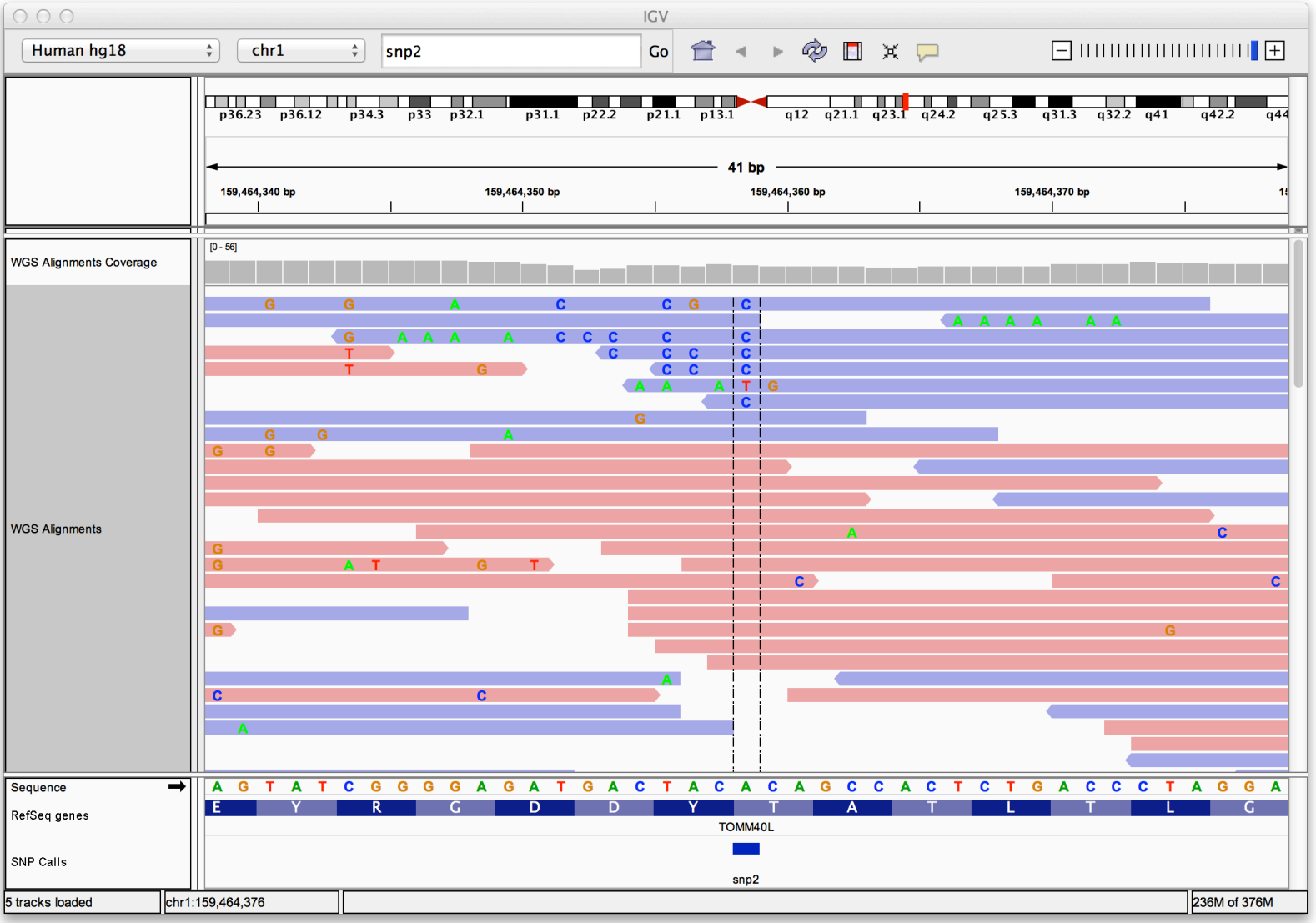


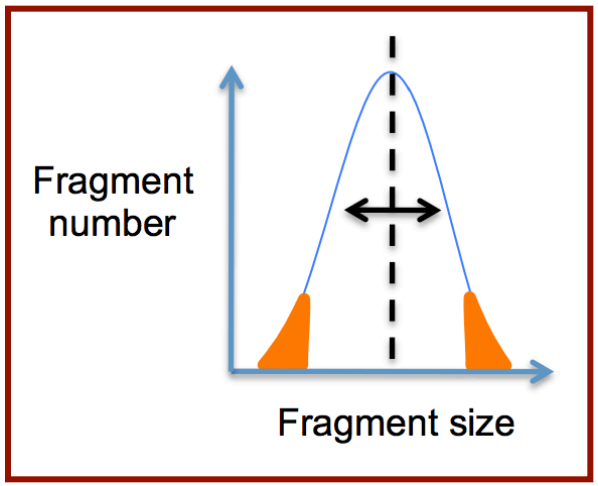
Viewing Structural Events

- Paired reads can yield evidence for genomic “structural events”, such as deletions, translocations, and inversions.
- Alignment coloring options help highlight these events based on:
  - Inferred insert size (template length)
  - Pair orientation (relative strand of pair)

Paired-end sequencing

DNA or cDNA

Fragment and size select



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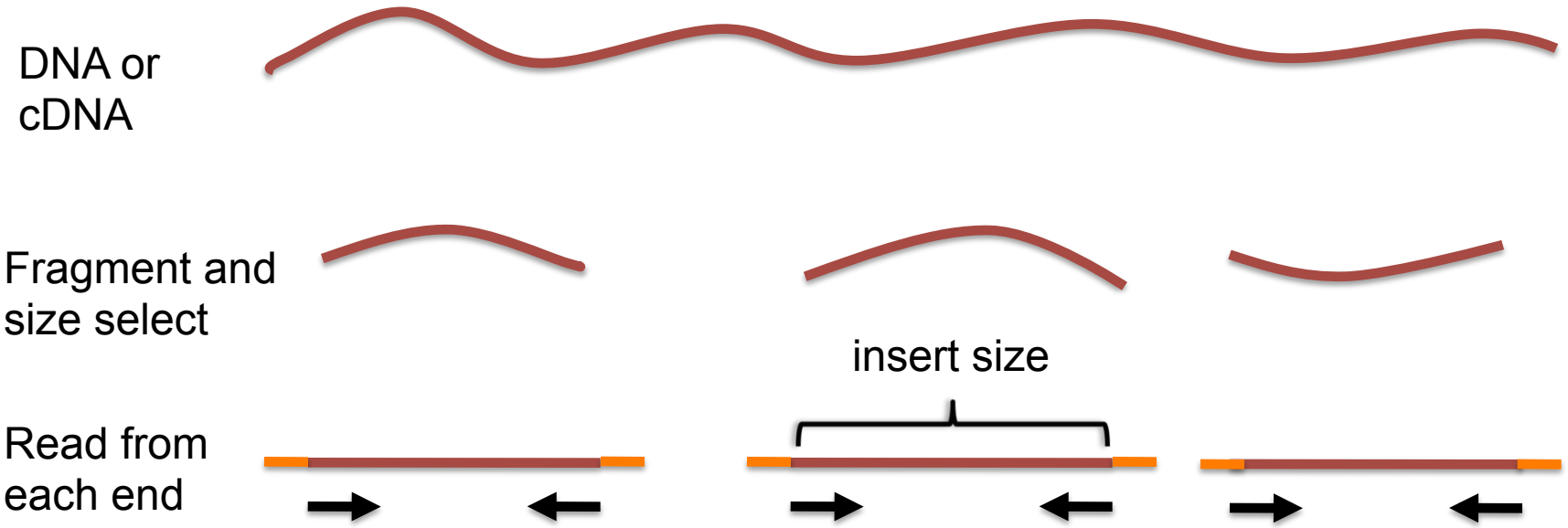

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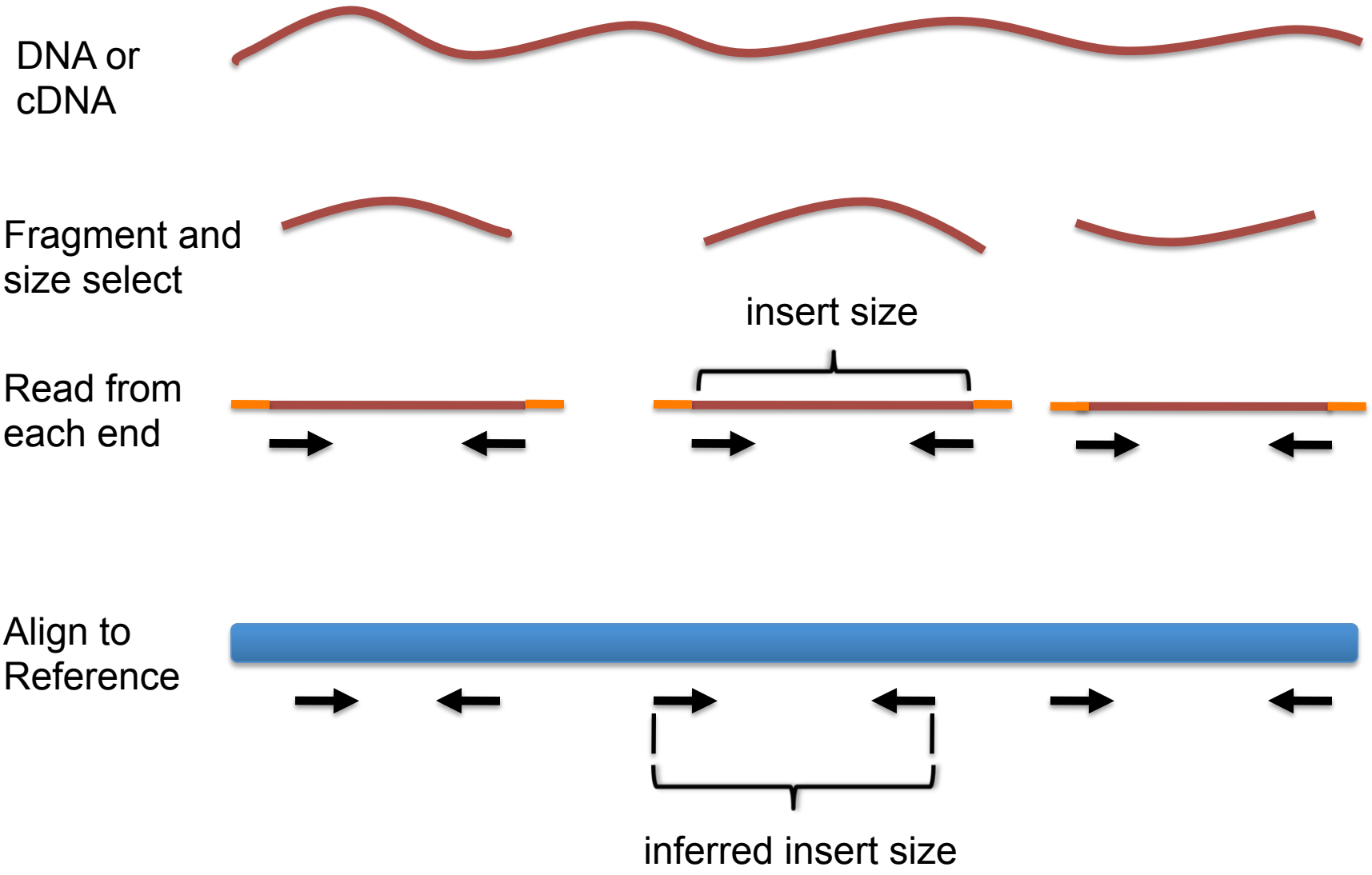


Interpreting inferred insert size

The “inferred insert size” can be used to detect structural variants including

- Deletions
- Insertions
- Inter-chromosomal rearrangements: (Undefined insert size)

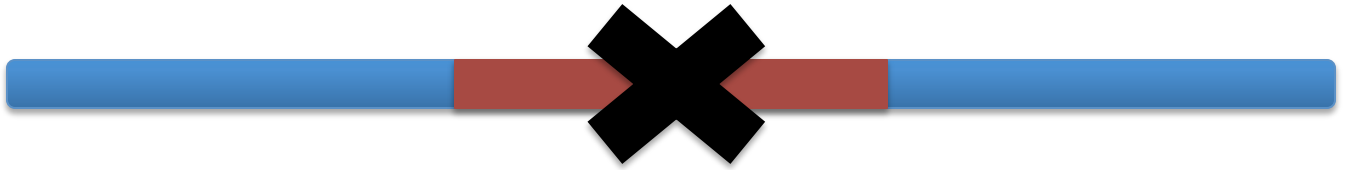
Deletion

What is the effect of a deletion on inferred insert size?

Deletion

Reference Genome

Subject



Deletion

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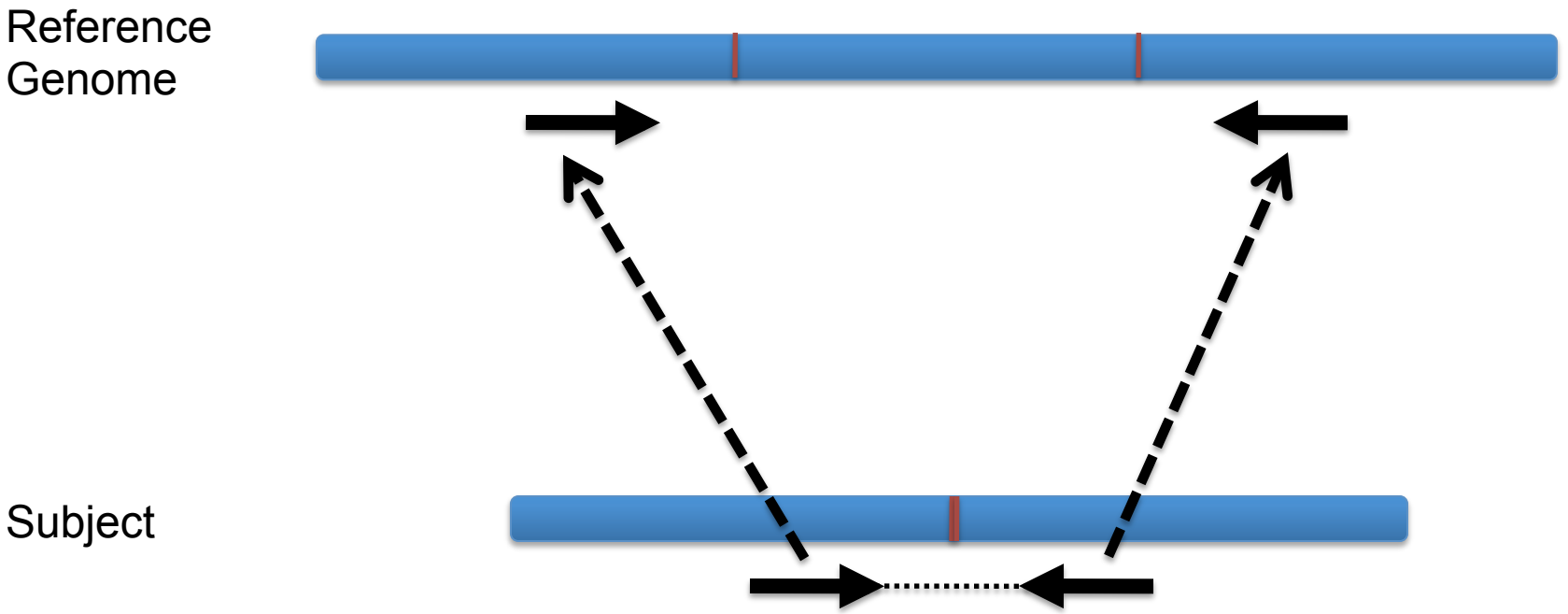
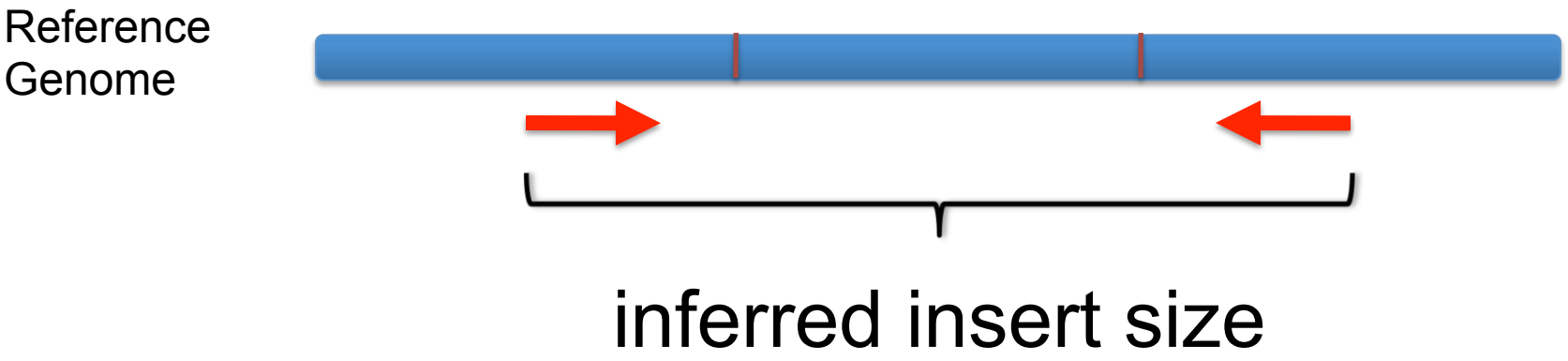
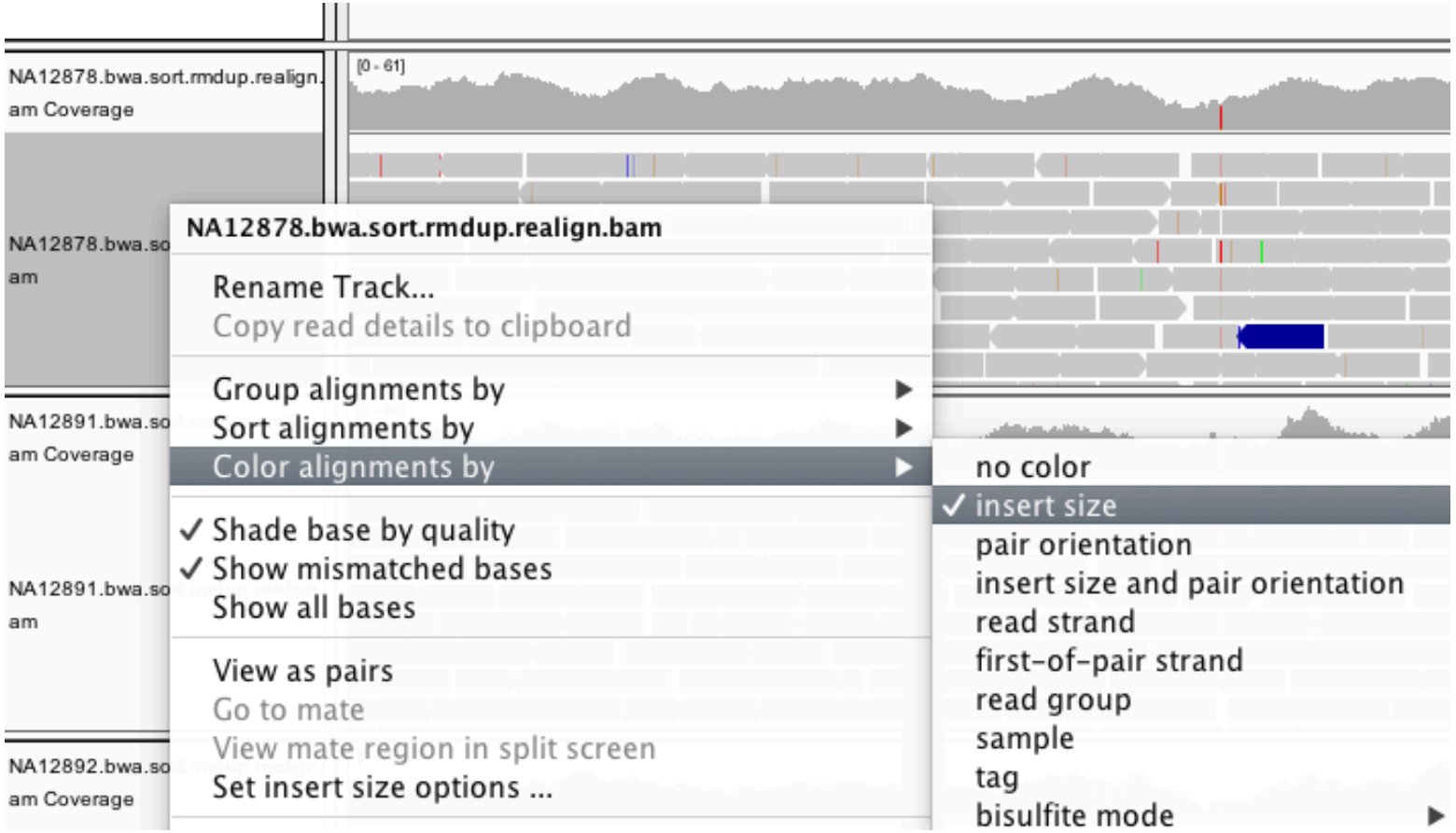


Deletion

Inferred insert size is > expected value



Color by insert size



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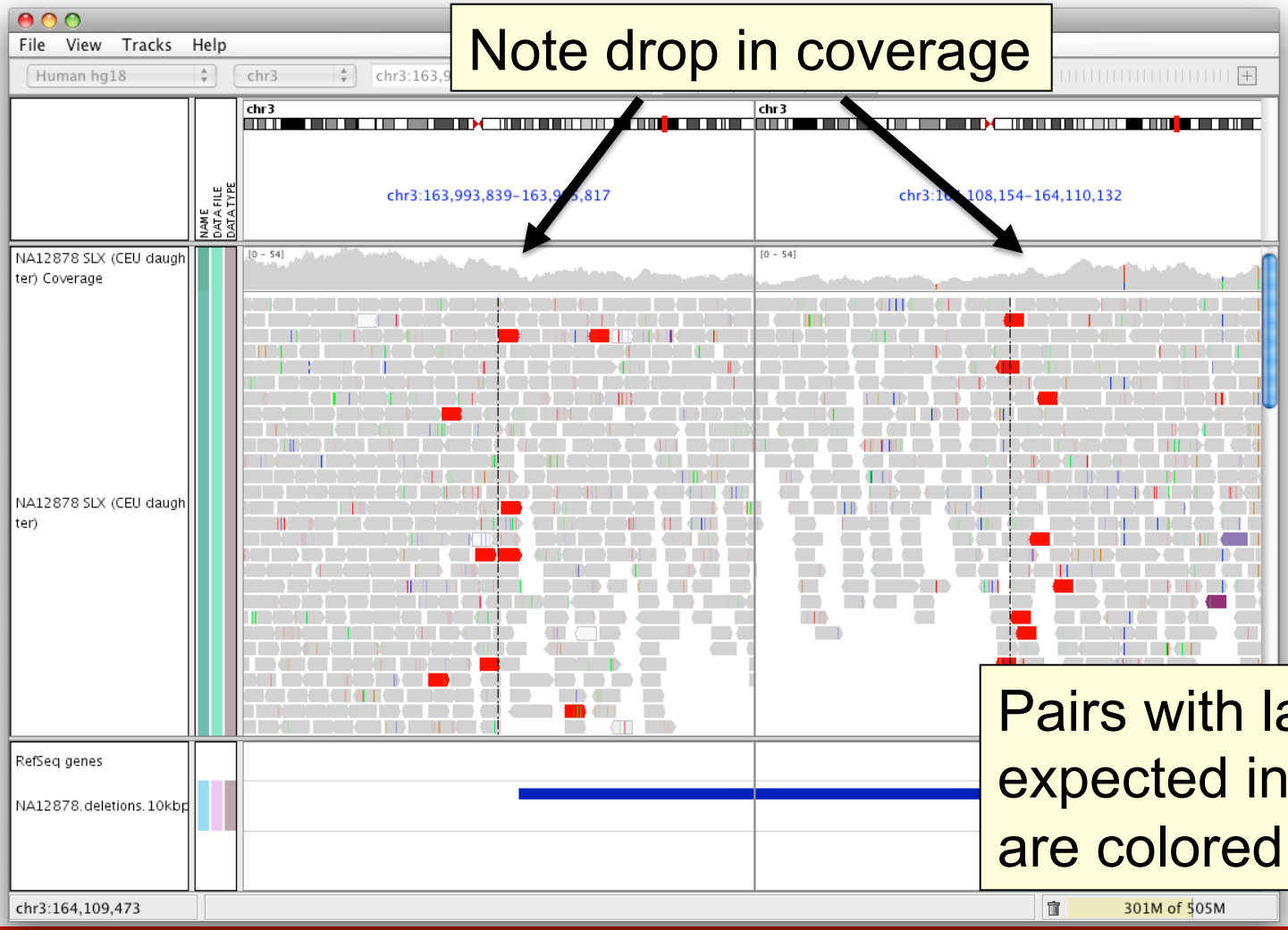
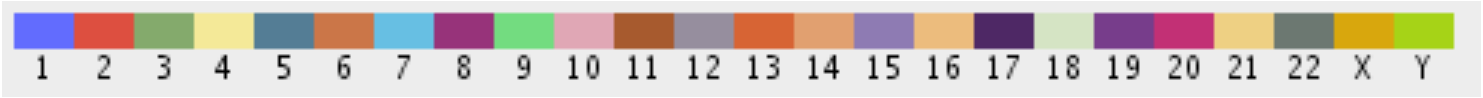


Pairs with larger than expected insert size are colored red.

Insert size color scheme

- Smaller than expected insert size: 
- Larger than expected insert size: 
- Pairs on different chromosomes

Each end colored by chromosome of its mate



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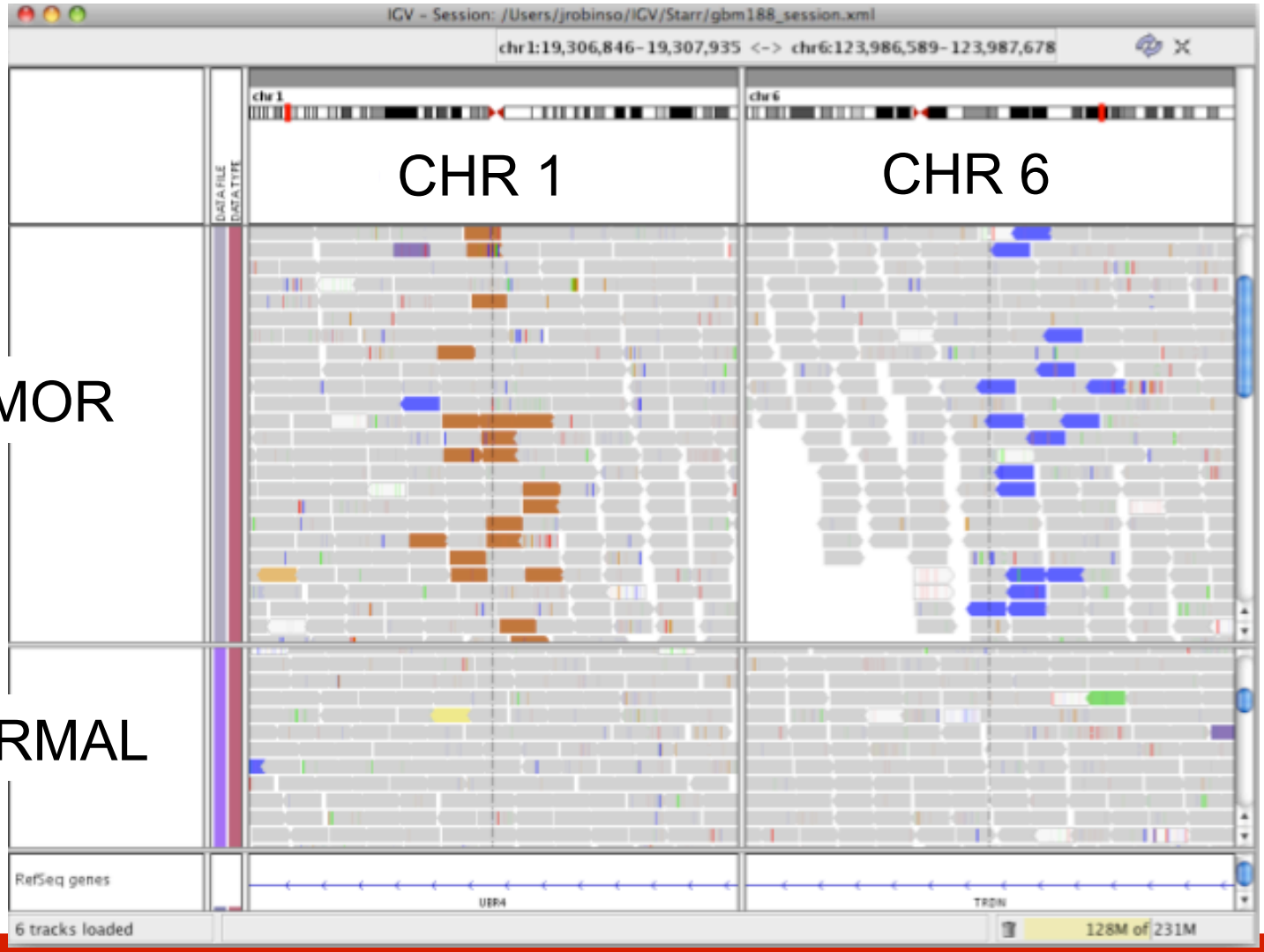

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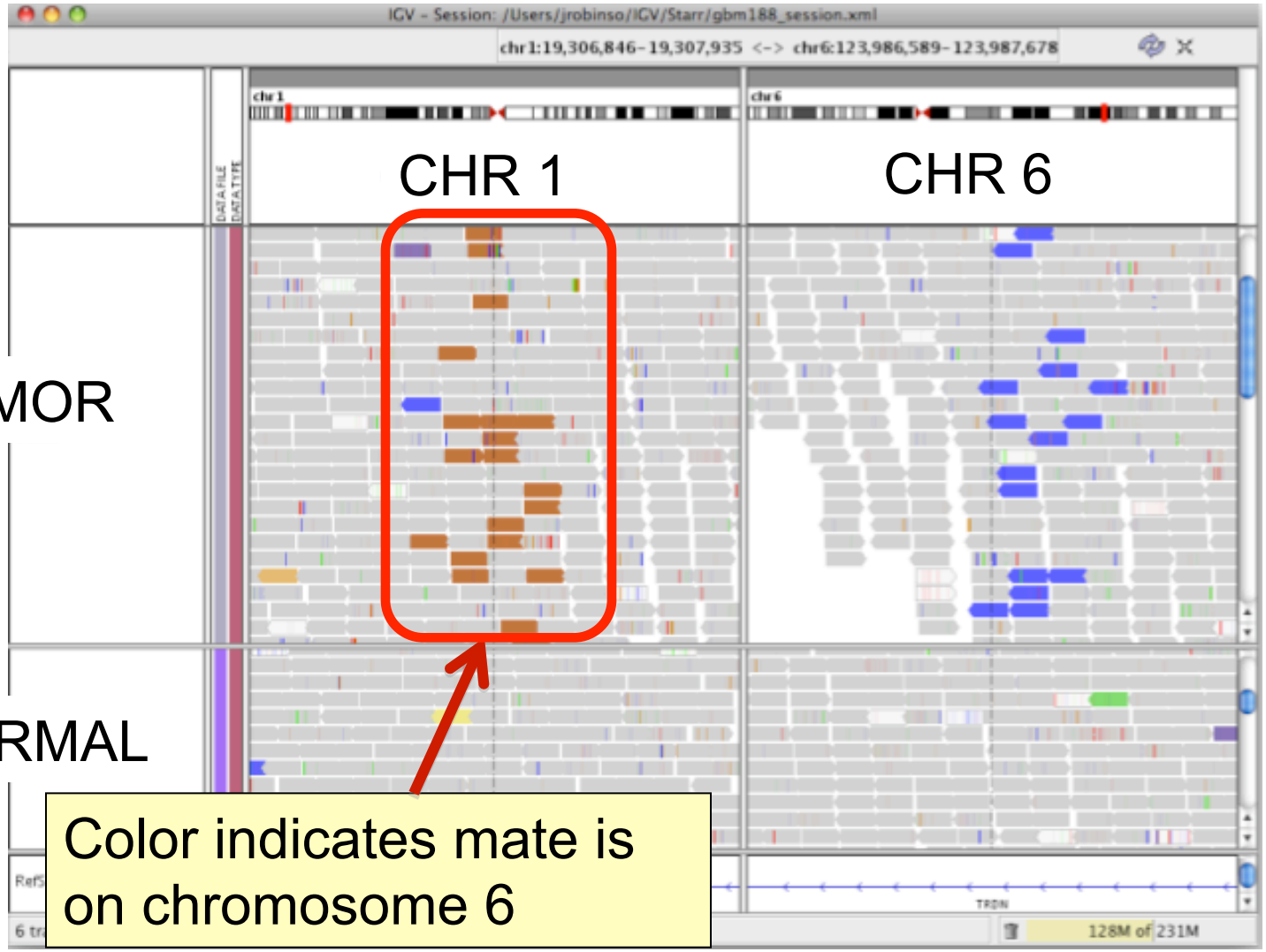


Interpreting Read-Pair Orientations

Orientation of paired reads can reveal structural events:

- Inversions
- Duplications
- Translocations
- Complex rearrangements

Orientation is defined in terms of

- read strand, left *vs* right, *and*
- read order, first *vs* second

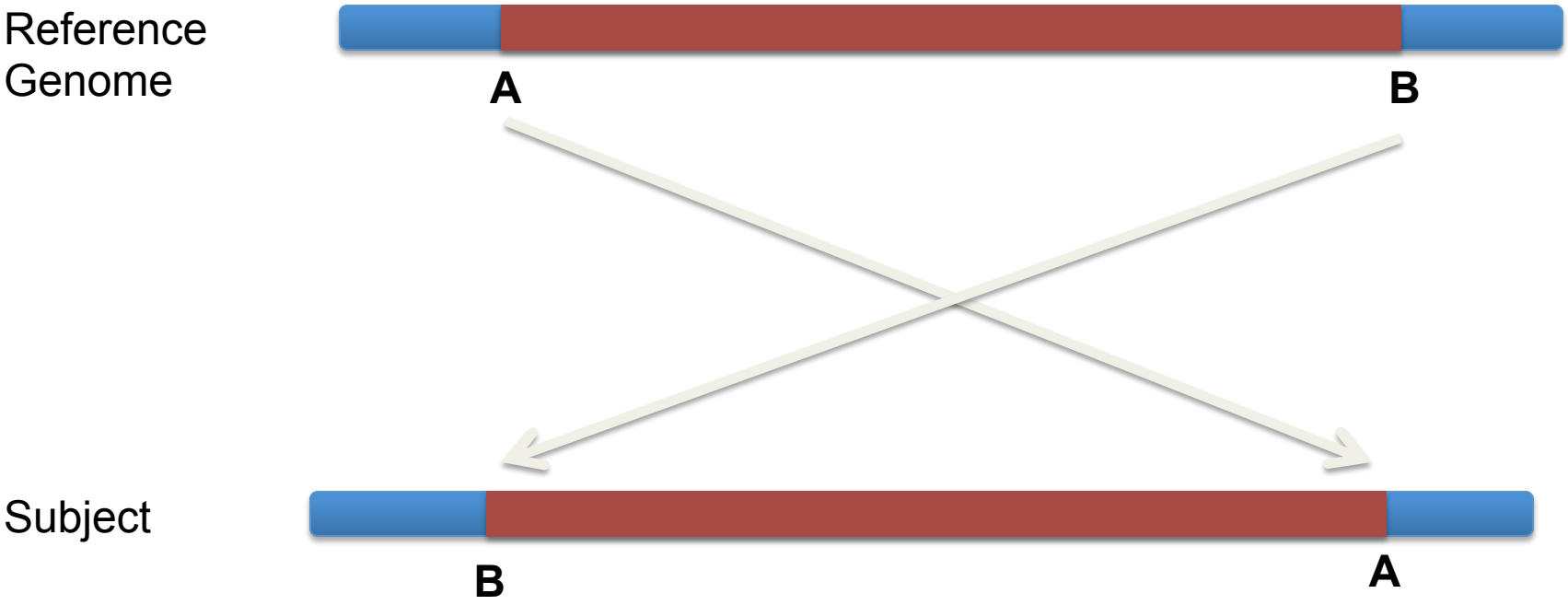
Inversion

Reference genome

Inversion

Reference genome

Inversion



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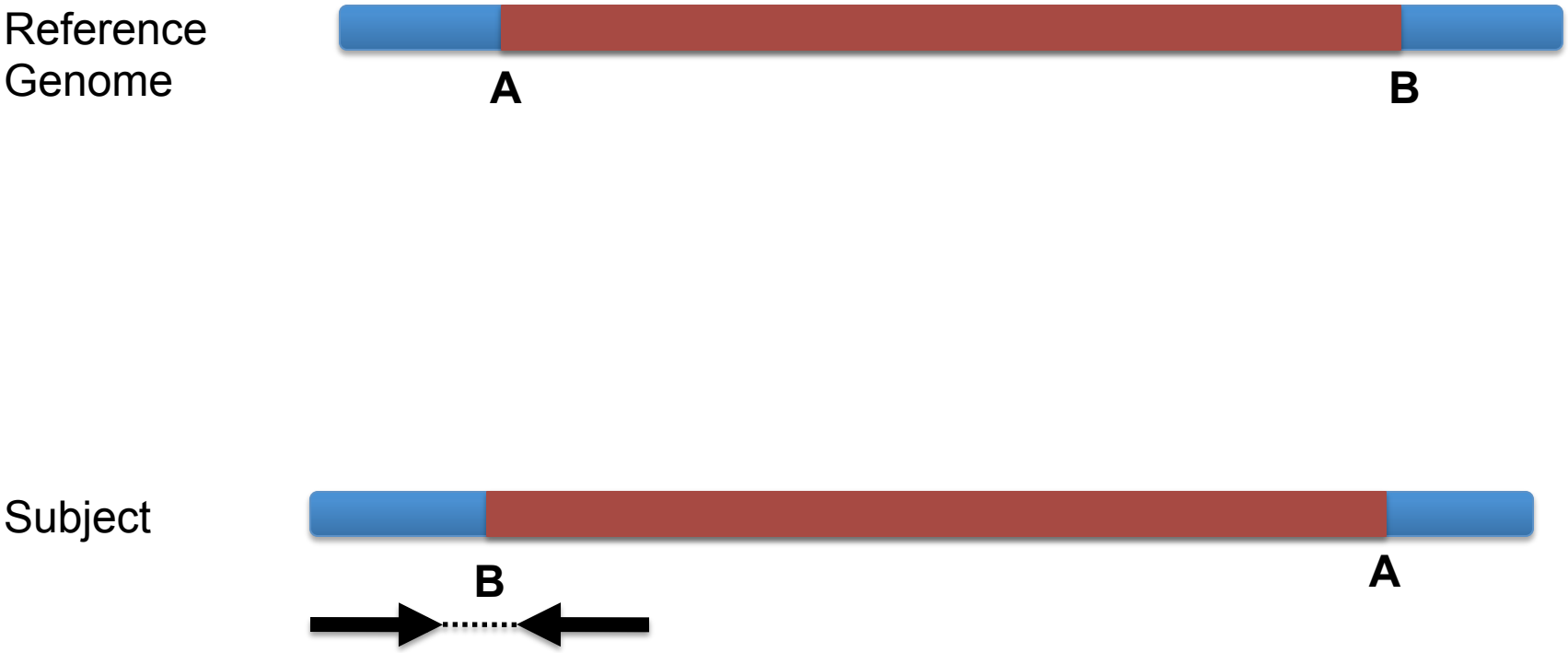

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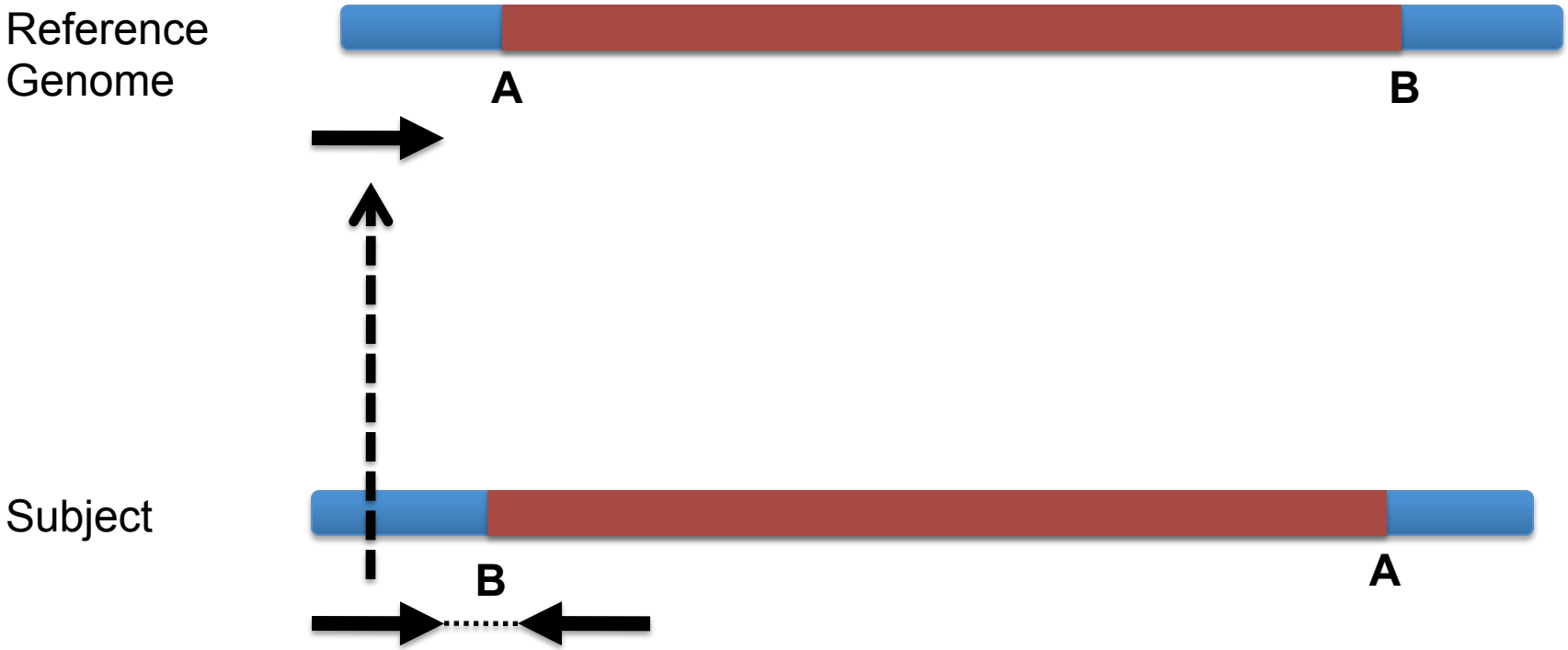

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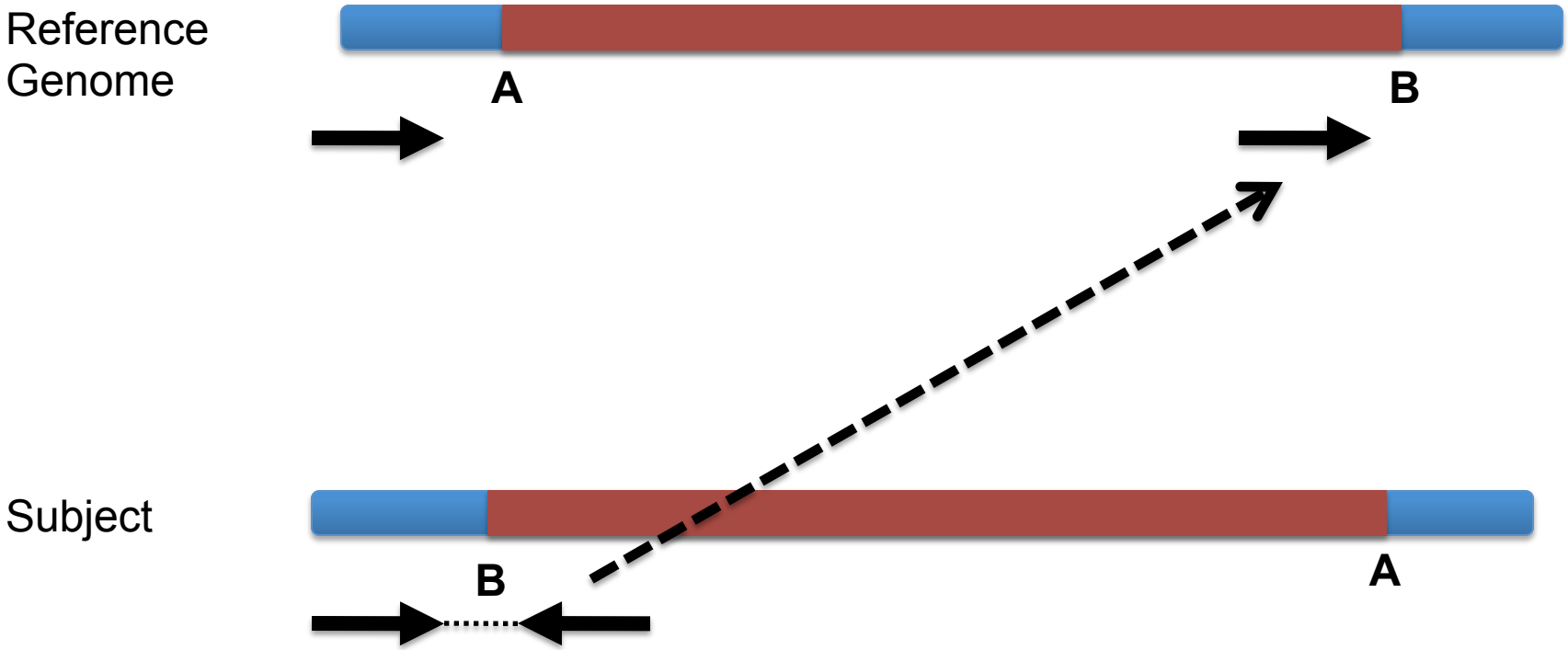

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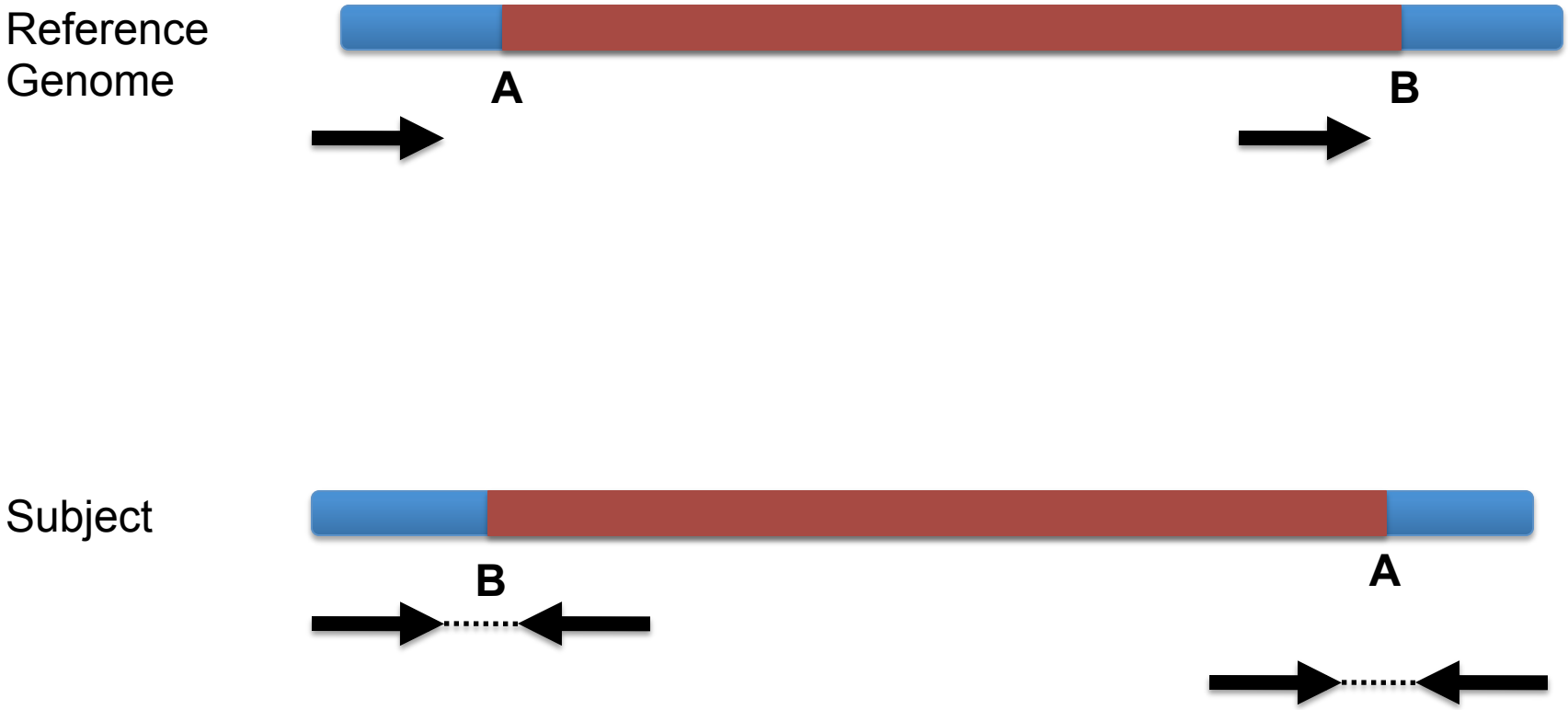

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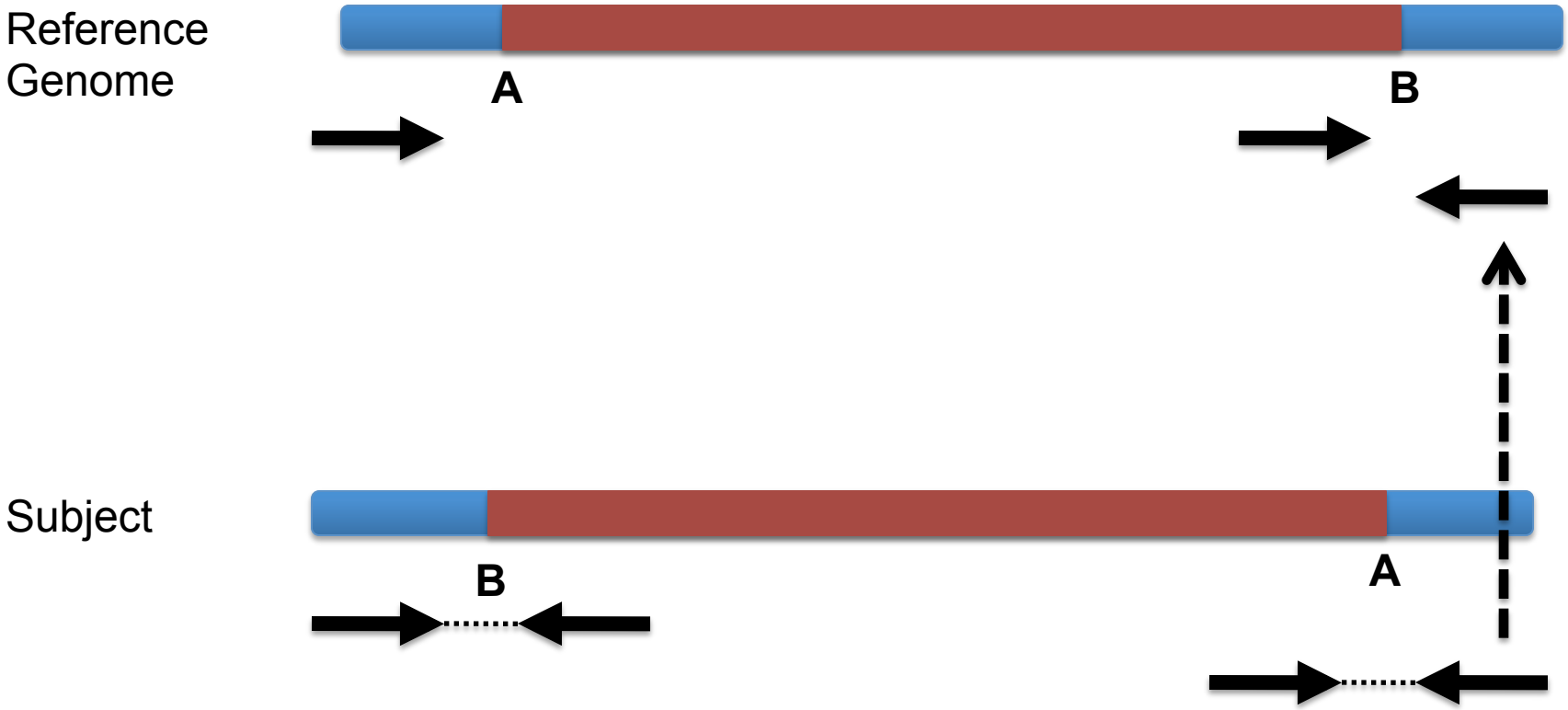

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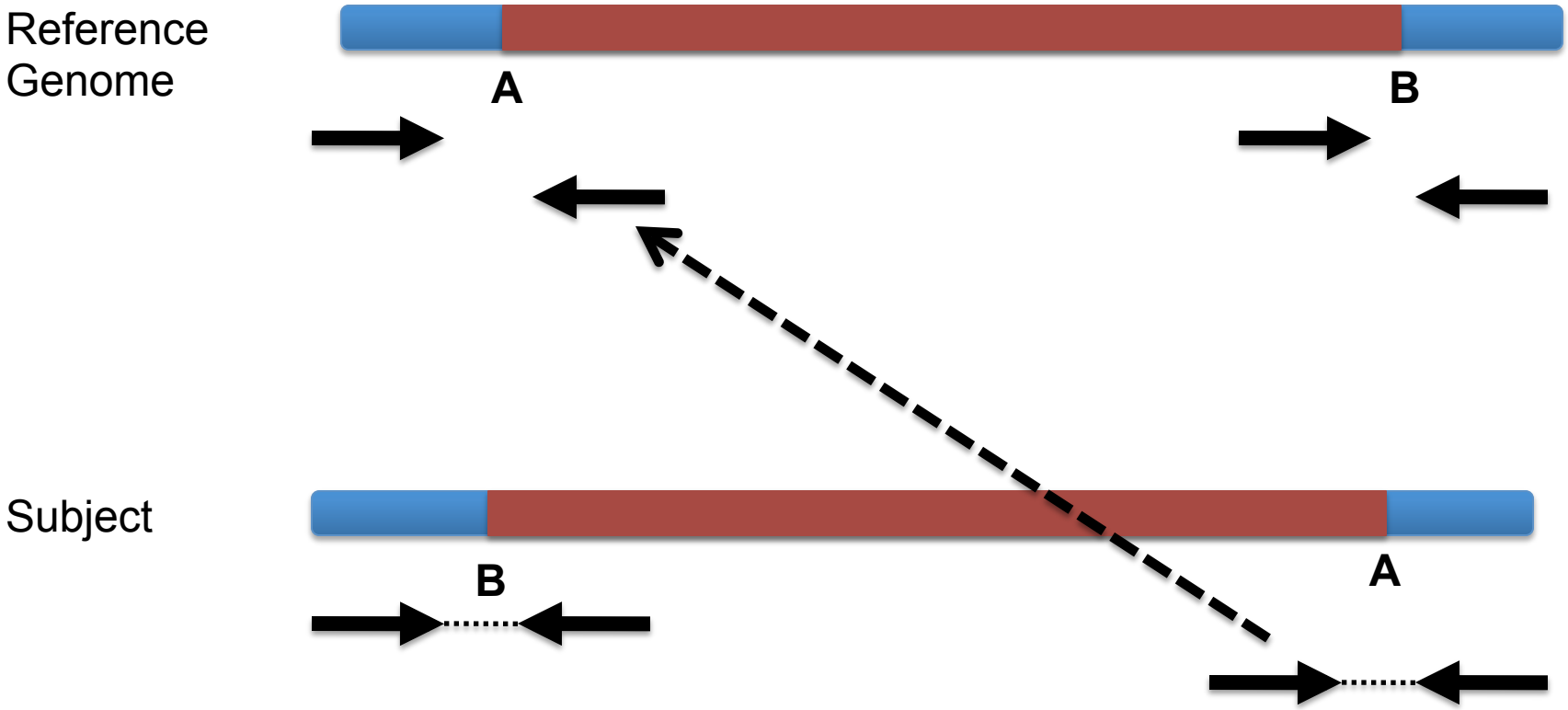

Inversion

Inversion

Anomaly: expected orientation of pair is inward facing (→ ←)

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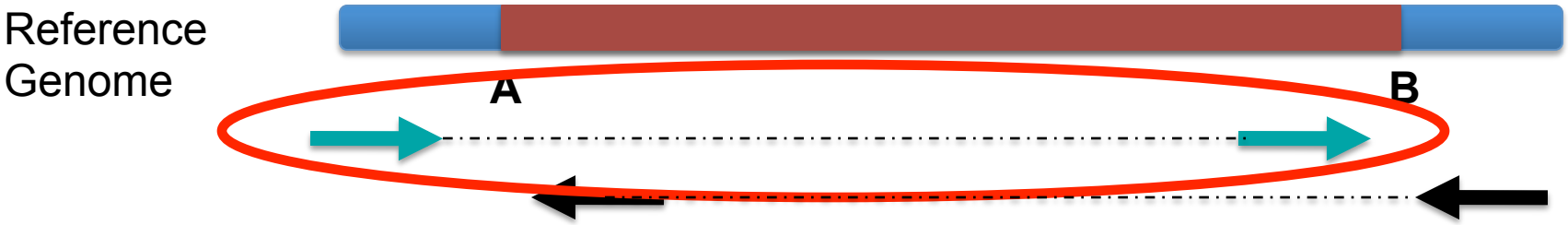

"Left" side pair

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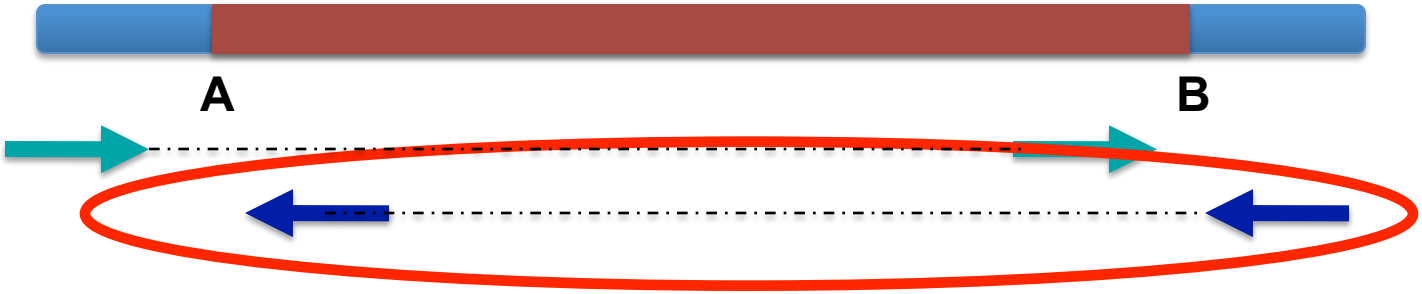
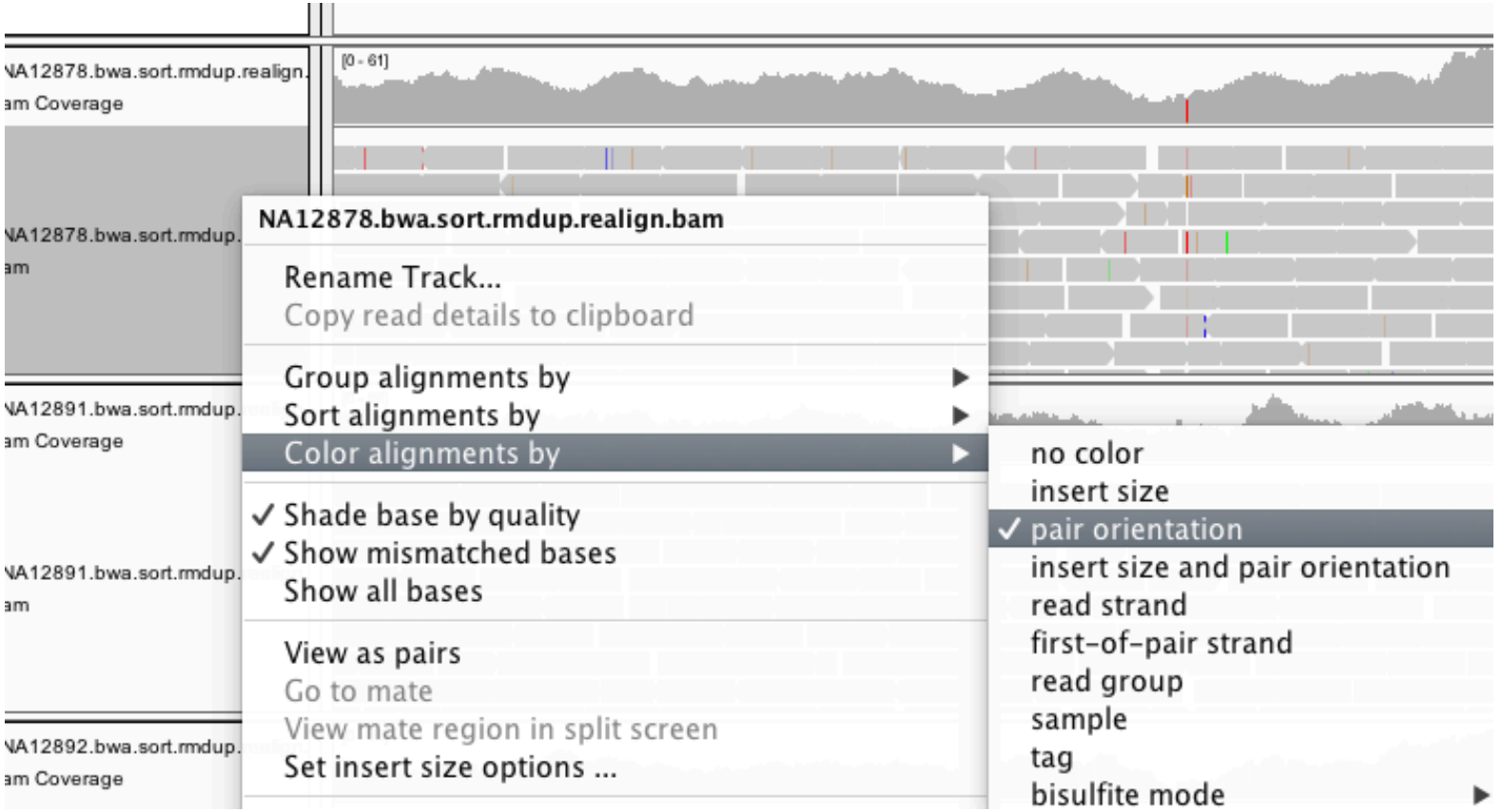


“Right” side pair

Color by pair orientation



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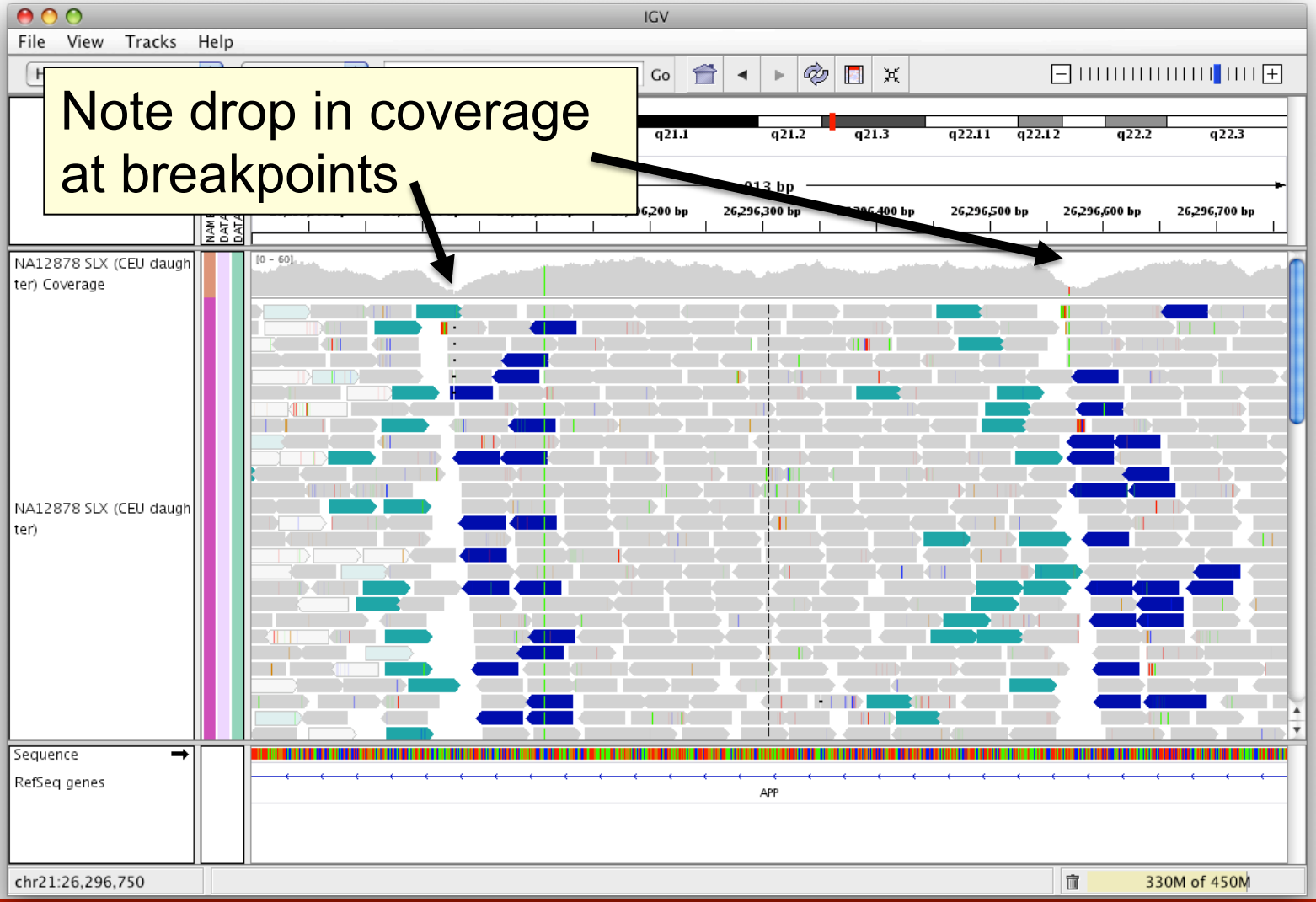
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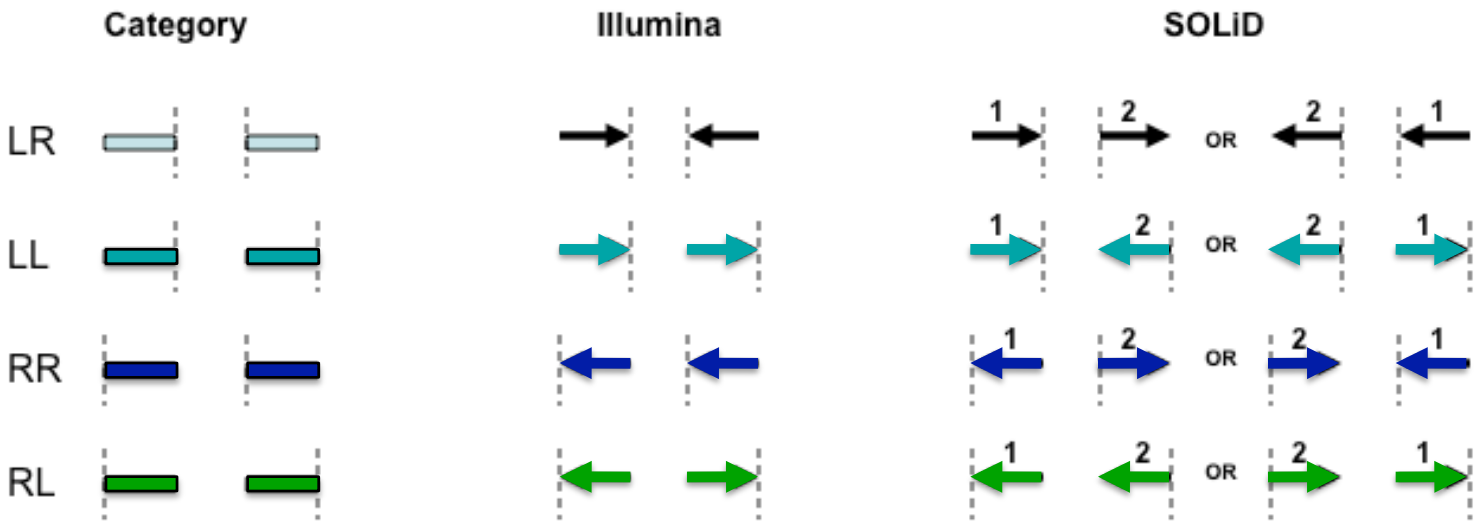
Interpretation of read pair orientations



LR — Normal reads.
The reads are left and right (respectively) of the unsequenced part of the sequenced DNA fragment when aligned back to the reference genome.

LL,RR — Implies inversion in sequenced DNA with respect to reference.

RL — Implies duplication or translocation with respect to reference.

These categories only apply to reads where both mates map to the same chromosome.

Figure courtesy of Bob Handsaker

IGV hands-on tutorial

https://github.com/griffithlab/rnaseq_tutorial/wiki/IGV-Tutorial

We are on a Coffee Break & Networking Session