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Description

Human SNP locations and alleles extracted from dbSNP Build 155 and placed on the GRCh37/hg19 assembly

Details

The 929,496,192 SNPs in this package were extracted from the RefSNP JSON files for chromosomes 1-22, X, Y, and MT, located at <https://ftp.ncbi.nih.gov/snp/archive/b155/JSON/> (these files were created by NCBI in May 2021).

These SNPs are compatible with package **BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg19**, that is, they can be "injected" in the BSgenome object contained in this package.

SNP positions and alleles are reported with respect to the *plus* strand.

Only SNPs of type *snv* (*single-nucleotide* variant a.k.a. *single-base substitution*) were kept. Other variant types supported by dbSNP are: *delins* (indel), *ins* (insertion), *del* (deletion), and *mnv* (multiple nucleotide variation). These other variants are NOT included in **SNPlocs.Hsapiens.dbSNP155.GRCh37** but are available in the **XtraSNPlocs.Hsapiens.dbSNP155.GRCh37** package.

Note

The SNPs in this package can be "injected" in BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg19 and will land at the correct positions.

See ?injectSNPs in the **BSgenome** software package for more information about the SNP injection mechanism.

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References

SNP Home at NCBI: https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/snp

dbSNP Human Build 155 Release announcement (June 22, 2021): https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/mailman/pipermail/dbsnp-announce/2021q2/000229.html

The GRCh37.p13 assembly: https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/assembly/GCF_000001405.25/

The hg19 genome at UCSC (based on GRCh37.p13): http://genome.ucsc.edu/cgi-bin/hgGateway?db=hg19

See Also

- The **XtraSNPlocs.Hsapiens.dbSNP155.GRCh37** package for SNPs of type other than *snv*.
- snpcount in the **BSgenome** software package for how to access the data stored in this package.
- IUPAC_CODE_MAP in the **Biostrings** package.
- The GPos class in the **GenomicRanges** package.
- injectSNPs in the **BSgenome** software package for SNP injection.
- The **VariantAnnotation** software package to annotate variants with respect to location and amino acid coding.

Examples

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## -----------------------------------------------------------------------
## A. BASIC USAGE
## -----------------------------------------------------------------------

snps <- SNPlocs.Hsapiens.dbSNP155.GRCh37
snpcount(snps)
seqinfo(snps)

## Get the positions and alleles of all SNPs on chromosomes 22 and MT:
snpsBySeqname(snps, seqnames=c("22", "MT"))

## Get the positions and alleles of all SNPs within some regions:
snpsByOverlaps(snps, GRanges(c("Y:230001-232000", "19:88501-89000")))

## -----------------------------------------------------------------------
## B. EXTRACT SNP INFORMATION FOR A SET OF RS IDS
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my_rsids <- c("rs2639606",  "rs75264089", "rs73396229", "rs55871206",
              "rs10932221", "rs56219727", "rs73709730", "rs55838886",
              "rs3734153",  "rs79381275", "rs1516535",  "rs74342513")

## Note that the first call to snpsById() takes a long time but
## subsequent calls are faster.
my_snps <- snpsById(snps, my_rsids)
my_snps

## Translate the IUPAC ambiguity codes used to represent the alleles
## into nucleotides:
IUPAC_CODE_MAP[mcols(my_snps)$alleles_as_ambig]

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## C. INJECTION IN THE REFERENCE GENOME
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library(BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg19)
ref_genome <- BSgenome.Hsapiens.UCSC.hg19
ref_genome

alt_genome <- injectSNPs(ref_genome, "SNPlocs.Hsapiens.dbSNP155.GRCh37")
alt_genome  # note the additional line "with SNPs injected from..."

alphabetFrequency(ref_genome$chr22)
alphabetFrequency(alt_genome$chr22)

## Get the number of nucleotides that were modified by this injection:
neditAt(ref_genome$chr22, alt_genome$chr22)  # 11798497
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