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### What is GDV?

GDV is a centralized database for genomics, genetics, and breeding data and analysis tools for *Vaccinium* sp. Genome sequences are available to view and search and there is also information about genetic maps, molecular markers, and QTL. If you are a breeder who needs to manage a private breeding program data, access to the Breeding Information Management System (BIMS) can be requested through GDV. Visit us at <u>www.vaccinium.org</u> to see everything that is available. Each issue of the newsletter will focus on a different type of data and what features are available.

#### Vaccinium Pangenome Data

Thanks to the VacCAP project and Patrick Edger and collaborators, <u>22 new blueberry and 10 new</u> <u>cranberry genomes</u> have been added to GDV. The genomes are available to view in <u>JBrowse</u>, available in the <u>BLAST Tool</u>, and the gene and mRNA annotations can be searched with <u>MegaSearch</u>. Three of the blueberry (Duke, Earlie Blue, Elliot) and three of the cranberry (Budd's Blues, Garwood Bell, Native Budd's Blues) genomes will been added to <u>PathwayTools</u> and <u>Synteny Viewer</u> over the next couple weeks.

And the most exciting news is that the pangenome graph provided by the authors will be available on GDV soon. The needed visualization files are being created and watch the News and Events section of the homepage and the Vaccinium Pangenome Project page for the link!

# More GDV training and tools

Thanks to a new award from the USDA-SCRI, GDV and the other MainLab specialty crop databases will continue to grow to provide the tools, data, and training that breeders and researchers need. You can read more about the award here: Enabling Genomics-Assisted Specialty Crop Breeding and Research Through Advanced Database Resources.

The continued funding will provide new tools and resources for big data, data management, and staff for in-person training with GDV users. We will be announcing all the new developments via the GDV mailing list, so please <u>subscribe</u> if you have not done so already.



Scaffold of V. corymbosum cv. Duke compared to V. caesariense W85-20 P1 genome in Synteny Viewer.

## Ortholog/Paralog MegaSearch

We have made a new MegaSearch for the data that is stored during the <u>Synteny Viewer</u> analysis. Now you can search that data without going through the Synteny Viewer.

The new Ortholog/Paralog Search interface is simple to use. First select the primary genome and chromosome/scaffold of interest. Or provide a single gene/transcript ID or a file of them.

Tripal MegaSearch is a tool for downloading biological data. (Current limit per download: 1,000,000 records. 200,000 FASTA sequences.)

Once parameters are set, you can preview the number of results by clicking "Refresh Count". And then you can configure what data will be returned and available for download.

When viewing the results on the website, there are green hyperlinks that open details about the associated transcripts including the annotated terms, homology to SwissProt, InterPro results, and mRNA and protein sequences.

#### Tripal MegaSearch

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