BSgenome.Ggallus.UCSC.galGal4

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Full genome sequences for Gallus gallus (UCSC version galGal4)

Description

Full genome sequences for Gallus gallus (Chicken) as provided by UCSC (galGal4, Nov. 2011) and stored in Biostrings objects.

Note

This BSgenome data package was made from the following source data files:

`galGal4.fa.gz from http://hgdownload.cse.ucsc.edu/goldenPath/galGal4/bigZips/`

See `?BSgenomeForge` and the BSgenomeForge vignette (`vignette("BSgenomeForge")`) in the **BSgenome** software package for how to make a BSgenome data package.

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See Also

- BSgenome objects and the `available.genomes` function in the **BSgenome** software package.
- DNAString objects in the **Biostrings** package.
- The BSgenomeForge vignette (`vignette("BSgenomeForge")`) in the **BSgenome** software package for how to make a BSgenome data package.

Examples

```
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genome <- BSgenome.Ggallus.UCSC.galGal4
seqlengths(genome)
genome$chr1  # same as genome[["chr1"]]

## ---------------------------------------------------------------------
## Upstream sequences
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## Starting with BioC 3.0, the upstream1000, upstream2000, and
## upstream5000 sequences for galGal4 are not included in the BSgenome
## data package anymore. However they can easily be extracted from the
## full genome sequences with something like:

library(GenomicFeatures)
txdb <- makeTranscriptDbFromUCSC("galGal4", "refGene")
gn <- sort(genes(txdb))
up1000 <- flank(gn, width=1000)
up1000seqs <- getSeq(genome, up1000)

## IMPORTANT: Make sure you use a TxDb package (or TranscriptDb object),
## that contains a gene model based on the exact same reference genome
## as the BSgenome object you pass to getSeq(). Note that you can make
## your own custom TranscriptDb object from various annotation resources.
## See the makeTranscriptDbFromUCSC(), makeTranscriptDbFromBiomart(),
## and makeTranscriptDbFromGFF() functions in the GenomicFeatures
## package.

## ---------------------------------------------------------------------
## Genome-wide motif searching
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## See the GenomeSearching vignette in the BSgenome software
## package for some examples of genome-wide motif searching using
## Biostrings and the BSgenome data packages:
if (interactive())
    vignette("GenomeSearching", package="BSgenome")
```

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