



## Bester Gen

Bioinformatics and Applied Genomics Unit

A Versatile High-Throughput Sequencing and Single-Cell Genomics Platform

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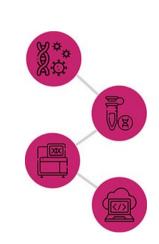


## Bioinformatics and Applied Genomics Unit

BiGen comprises both Wet-lab and Dry-lab Infrastructures

#### Mission

- Development of applications relevant to HT sequencing technologies and single cell genomics
- Development of bioinformatics pipelines for the analysis of large-scale datasets (big-data)
- Provision of services both in the academia and the industry



### **Quality control**







### **High Throughput Sequencing Core Facility**

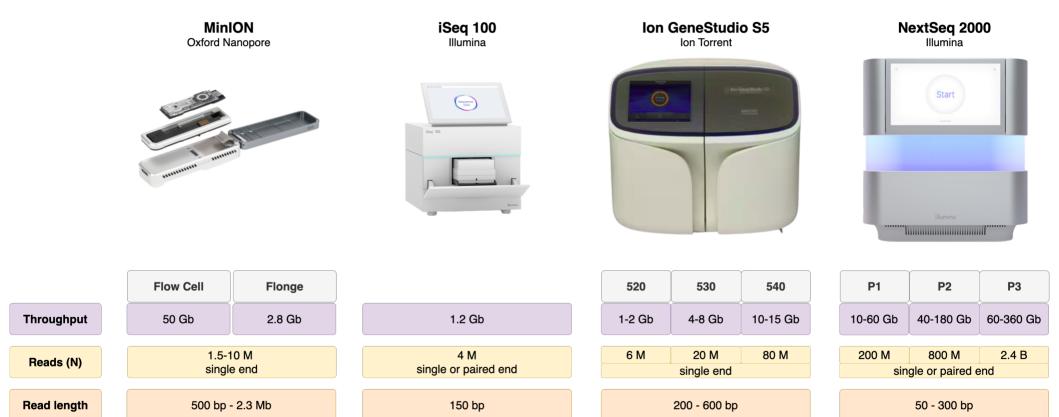


10 - 44 h

### A fully equipped, versatile NGS laboratory

**Run Time** 

up to 48 h



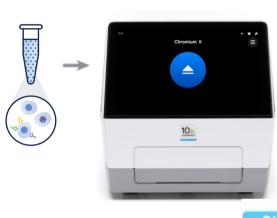
9 - 19 h

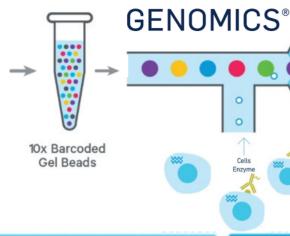
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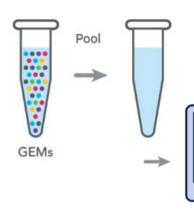


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## **Single Cell Facility**







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## Single Cell 3' Reagent Kits 500-10,000

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Applications	Pilot studies

Highly heterogenous S sample identification

identification

Large scale experiments Highly heterogenous

Common cell type identification

Rare population samples Ultra rare populations

## **Wet-lab protocols**



#### BiGen runs both custom and ready-to-use NGS assays:

#### **Pre-processing**

- -- Total DNA and RNA extraction and purification from any tissue
- -- Ribodepletion / poly-A enrichment / globin removal / DNase treatment

#### **Library preparation**

- -- Whole Genome Sequencing (WGS) for viruses, bacteria, fungi, parasites, animals
- -- Whole Exome Sequencing (WES) library preparation, both target-enrichment- and amplicon-based
- -- Whole transcriptome, 3'quantseq and single cell RNAseq
- -- Custom Target Enrichment by hybridisation for regions of interest, from any WGS library preparation
- -- Targeted gene panels (Comprehensive Cancer, Pharmacogenomics, Inherited disease etc)
- -- Whole genome bisulfite sequencing (WGBS)
- -- Assay for Transposase-Accessible Chromatin (ATAC-seq) and single cell ATAC-seq
- -- Chromatin immunoprecipitation sequencing (ChIP-seq)
- -- (...)



## **Big Data analytics Development of Bioinformatics tools and pipelines**

WGS: Full genome reconstruction, denovo assembly, SNPs and structural variations calling, functional annotation / Genome Wide Association Studies (GWAS)

RNAseq: Differential gene expression analysis, Gene Ontologies enrichment analysis and clustering, network analysis

Metagenomics and Metaviromics, microbiome enrichment analysis, Phylogenetics, phylogenomics, phylogeography

methyl-Seq: patterns recognition and profiles comparison

ATAC-seq peak calling, differential analysis and annotation, motif enrichment, footprinting, and nucleosome position analysis

## Development of an open-access, interactive, NGS Bioinformatics platform with NGS – oriented, "ready to use" toolsets and pipelines

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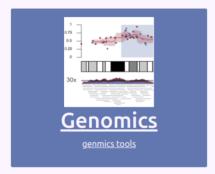
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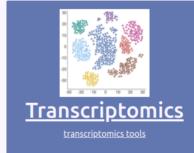
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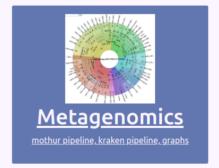
#### Genomic Analyses made easy

ready to use, end-to-end workflows

run one or connect multiple tools into a workflow













### **Introducing a new Centre of Excellence**



#### Hellenic Pasteur Institute - Pathogens Research Centre

The infrastructure based in **two buildings** in total **3,000 m**<sup>2</sup> will be located within the HPI grounds

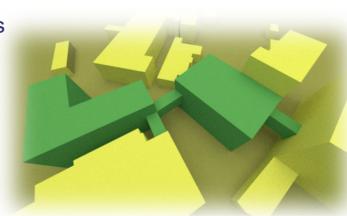
Biosafety Level 3+ (BSL3+) and Animal (A-BSL3) laboratories (~300 m<sup>2</sup>)

State-of-the-art facilities equipped with robotic systems to enable culture isolation of BSL3 pathogens

Maintenance of *in vitro* and *in vivo* experimental models of infectious diseases.









Usability
User-friendly and
customizable GUIs







Time-saving
Fully automated, walk-away
solutions for NGS



#### Reproducibility

Workflow tested for consistency over several run and sample size batches



#### Consistency:

In-house biological library prep testing, sequencing and validation



#### Traceability

For a complete samples and reagents tracking



#### Safety

Automatic carrier and labware loading with bardoce reader

# Taking NGS to the Next Level Automation - Robotics



## **BiGen IT equipment**



PC-linux and Mac workstations in a dedicated Bioinformatics lab

Access to the HPI High Performance Computing (HPC) infrastructure





~1M € Investment in high-end GPU computing infrastructure



## Thank you for your attention-

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