

More with Genomics and Transcriptomics

Discovering the functional consequences of genetic variation using the power of multiomics



The power of **genomics** + **transcriptomics**

Studying multiple “omes” in one experiment can help researchers gain valuable insight into the movement of information from gene to protein to better understand life’s complexity.¹ Many multiomic combinations are possible, each with a unique benefit. Specifically, the combination of genomics and transcriptomics can reveal a more complete picture of genetic variation and its consequences. While the genome stays the same from cell-to-cell, the transcriptome can vary, expanding the researcher’s view when the two are combined.²



By associating transcriptomics data with genomics data, we may be able to identify which mutation will be the driving mutation for a particular cancer.

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Genomics-focused researchers



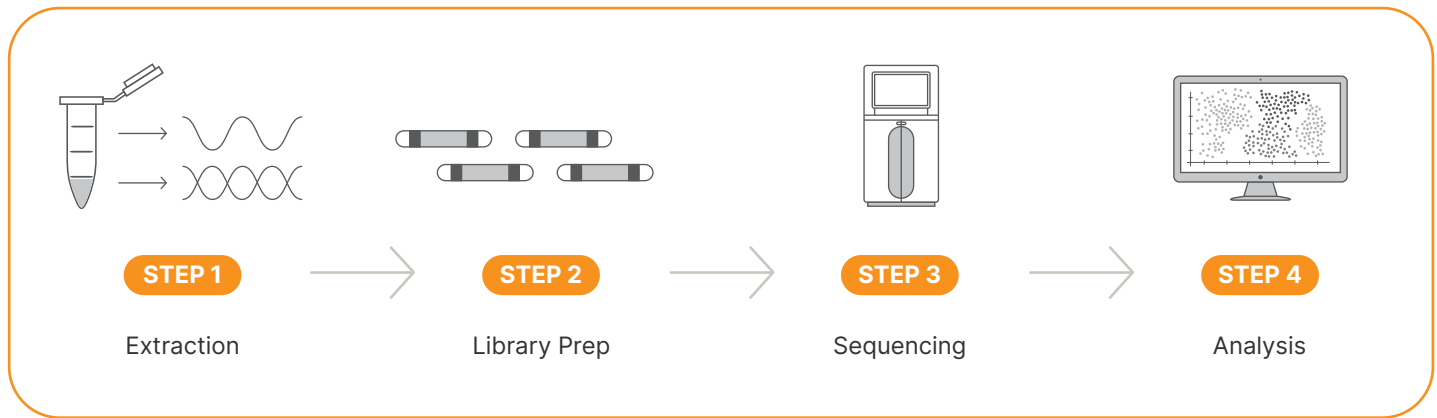
Gaining insights into pediatric cancer

In a recent study, researchers harnessed multiomics to gain insights into tumor and germline genomes from an unbiased cohort of pediatric cancer patients. Using a three-platform sequencing pipeline that included **whole-genome sequencing (WGS), whole-exome sequencing, and RNA sequencing** of paired normal and tumor tissues, researchers acquired a more detailed genetic picture. This included **identifying and confirming novel gene fusions and variants with clinical utility in 86% of patients.**⁴

[Read more](#) about the potential of multiomics in cancer research.

Genomics + transcriptomics with a single workflow

There are many ways to combine genomics and transcriptomics, but regardless of which method combination a researcher wants to use, each multiomics experiment follows a similar well-established workflow, supported by Illumina solutions. Even if a researcher has never performed a multiomic workflow before, hundreds of Core Labs offering Illumina Sequencing are available to provide assistance and guidance along the way.



Multiomics with the NovaSeq™ X

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40 more WGS + WTS samples at a **62%** lower cost*

2x faster with **3x** higher accuracy*

*Compared to the S4 flow cell on the NovaSeq™ 6000

Learn how to combine DNA and RNA sequencing

Explore the Genomics and Transcriptomics Workflow eBook
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