

Genome Quality Assessment — Completeness & Contamination — Hands-on

Learn how to move from raw MAG bins to quality controlled, standards compliant genomes ready for downstream taxonomic and functional analysis. You will apply completeness and contamination metrics, interpret strain heterogeneity, assign quality tiers and generate clear QA reports aligned with community guidelines.

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Session 1

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Concepts, Metrics & Community Standards

Why MAG quality assessment matters

[link to downstream analyses](#) [comparative genomics readiness](#) [reusability and public archives](#)

Key MAG QC metrics and interpretations

[completeness and contamination](#) [strain heterogeneity thinking](#) [N50 and genome size context](#)

Community standards and reporting guidelines

MIMAG style tiers **minimum information for MAGs**
expectations for public submissions

Session 2

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Marker Sets, Tools & QA Workflows

Marker gene sets and lineage aware assessments

single copy marker concepts **lineage specific marker**
panels **limits of marker based QC**

Toolchain for MAG quality assessment

concepts behind tools like CheckM **BUSCO style**
thinking **running at scale over bin sets**

Designing reproducible QA workflows

workflow managers and scripting **tracking versions**
and databases **aggregating run outputs for review**

Session 3

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MAG Tiering, Dereplication & Reporting

Assigning quality tiers to MAGs

high, medium and low quality rules **near complete**
and draft genomes **filters for downstream analyses**

Dereplication and redundancy handling

ANI style similarity concepts **cluster representatives**
building non redundant MAG sets

Summarizing QC in tables and dashboards

per MAG QC tables **project level QC overviews** **flags**

for manual review

Session 4

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Mini Capstone: MAG QA Pack & Methods Text

End to end QA on a MAG set

Theory plus guided practical

From raw tool outputs to curated QC reports

cleaned QC tables and plots **tier assignments and justifications** **project specific QC thresholds**

Deliverables: MAG QC pack and reusable methods block

summary spreadsheets and figures **methods and parameter appendix** **templates for future projects**