# NHGRI FUNDING FOR DATA RESOURCES

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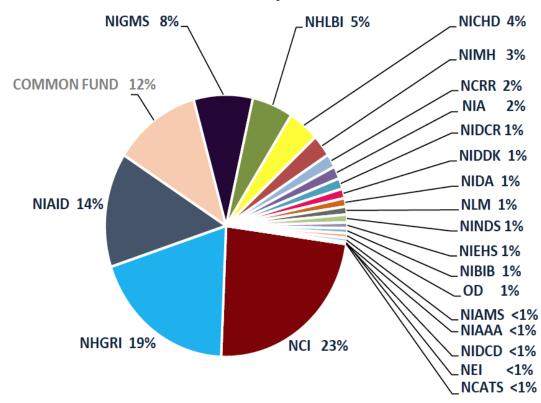
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## **Background Information**

- FY15 funded data resources, knowledgebases and informatics platforms: ~\$55M or 15% of the NHGRI extramural budget.
  - Data resources/ knowledgebases (\$40M): MODs, Reactome, GO Consortium, Uniprot, Pathway Commons, Gencode, Clingen, etc.
  - Informatics platforms (\$15M): Bioconductor,
     GenomeSpace, Galaxy, GenomeBrowser, etc.
  - Not included: Data coordination centers of various funded programs.

## Estimated Extramural Data Repository Spending Across NIH FY2007-FY2014, Gross Totals\*



Number of Extramural Data Repositories Sampled Gross Total Spent (Unadjusted)

**Gross Total Spent (Inflation-Adjusted)** 

\$1.34 Billion

131

\$1.27 Billion (2014 USD)

\*Please note that some repositories are funded in a hybrid scheme involving multiple institutes or funding mechanisms, which confounds subtotals. Sample data last updated 10-2016



## **Alliance of Genome Resources**

- Members of the AGR
  - NHGRI-funded: MGD, FlyBase, SGD, ZFIN, WormBase, GO Consortium
  - NHLBI-funded: RGD
- Supplement request submitted in July 2016 to establish the AGR under the WormBase parent grant with subcontracts to other resources
- Awarded:
  - \$2.6M TC in Y1
  - \$2.5M in Y2 in Y3



# NHGRI's Goals of the MODs Reorganization

- Facilitate access and use of these resources
- Continue to support the value and services provided by the individual resources
- Transition the resources to a more effective and sustainable funding model
- Repurpose NHGRI funds towards other needed genomicsbased data science research.

## **Prioritization and Tradeoffs Needed**

 NHGRI provided \$24.8M to the MODs, the GO Consortium and the AGR. That corresponds to ~50% of HG budget set aside for data and informatics resources.

 Prioritize the long term sustainability of the resources supported by NHGRI

 Tradeoff between resources sustainability and establishing new funding opportunities

## Funding Plan for MODs and AGR

#### NHGRI awarded

- in FY16 \$2.6M in Y1, \$2.5M in Y2 (FY17) and Y3 (FY18)
  - Primarily personnel costs for 10 FTEs
  - Expected savings in software development and maintenance of approximately 12 FTEs at the end of the 3-year period of support
  - FY16: Total # of FTEs in 6 resources: ~120

#### **NHGRI Plans**

- FY18 and beyond: Open competition
- In FY17 budget cuts start and increase gradually over 4 years up to 30% budget reduction in FY20.

### **The NIH Data Commons Framework**

**Software: Services & Tools** 

App store/User Interface

scientific analysis tools/workflows

Services: APIs, Containers, Indexing,

#### **Data**

"Reference" Data Sets

User defined data

**Compute Platform**: Cloud or HPC

- Treats products of research data, software, metadata,
  workflows, papers etc. as
  digital objects
- Digital objects exist in a <u>shared</u> virtual space
  - Deposit, Manage, Find, Share, and Re-Use digital objects
- Conforms to FAIR principles:

**Findable** 

Accessible

Interoperable

Reusable

https://datascience.nih.gov/commons

Digital Object Compliance

## **AGR and BD2K**

AGR as a pilot for the NIH Commons and data resources sustainability

- The AGR will embrace Cloud-based technologies and ensure its data and sharing practices conform to FAIR principles for research resources.
- NIH Commons
  - The AGR aims to support findable, accessible, interoperable, and reusable (FAIR) data on a shared Cloud-based platform
- Sustainability of NIH data resources
  - These resources support biomedical research across NIH
  - They also support international biomedical research
- Received approval by the NIH BD2K Multi Council Working Group for 50% co-funding by BD2K in FY17 and FY18

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