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The EU project GEUVADIS publicly releases the largest transcriptome reference dataset for 1000 genome project samples.

Barcelona, 06 November 2012. The GEUVADIS project is announcing today the public release of their **transcriptome data** generated as part of their study to integrate 1000 genomes sequences with extensive transcriptome information.

The data includes large scale population level decentralized mRNA and small RNA sequencing of 465 samples from the 1000 genomes project (1KGP).

All raw data is now available to download from the project website (www.geuvadis.org). The data is being released pre-publication with the aim to allow the community to make use of it without delay.

Tuuli Lappalainen and Emmanouil Dermitzakis, from the University of Geneva, coordinated the study.

Note for Editors

The GEUVADIS Project (Genetic European Variation in Disease) is a Coordination Action supported by the European Commission under the 7th framework programme, and coordinated by Xavier Estivill at the Centre for Genomic Regulation (CRG) in Barcelona. Launched in October 2010, it comprises of 16 partners from Europe and one from the USA. Funding was also provided by national agencies of partner countries (details provided in www.geuvadis.org)

GEUVADIS participants:
- Centre for Genomic Regulation, Spain
- University of Geneva, Switzerland
- Helmholtz Zentrum München – German Research Center for Environmental Health, Germany
- Wellcome Trust Sanger Institute, United Kingdom
- National Genotyping Center, France
- Max-Planck Institute of Human Genetics, Germany
- National Centre for Genomic Analysis, Spain
- Uppsala University, Sweden
- Christian-Albrechts University of Kiel, Germany
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