

Breed specific reference genomes in cattle

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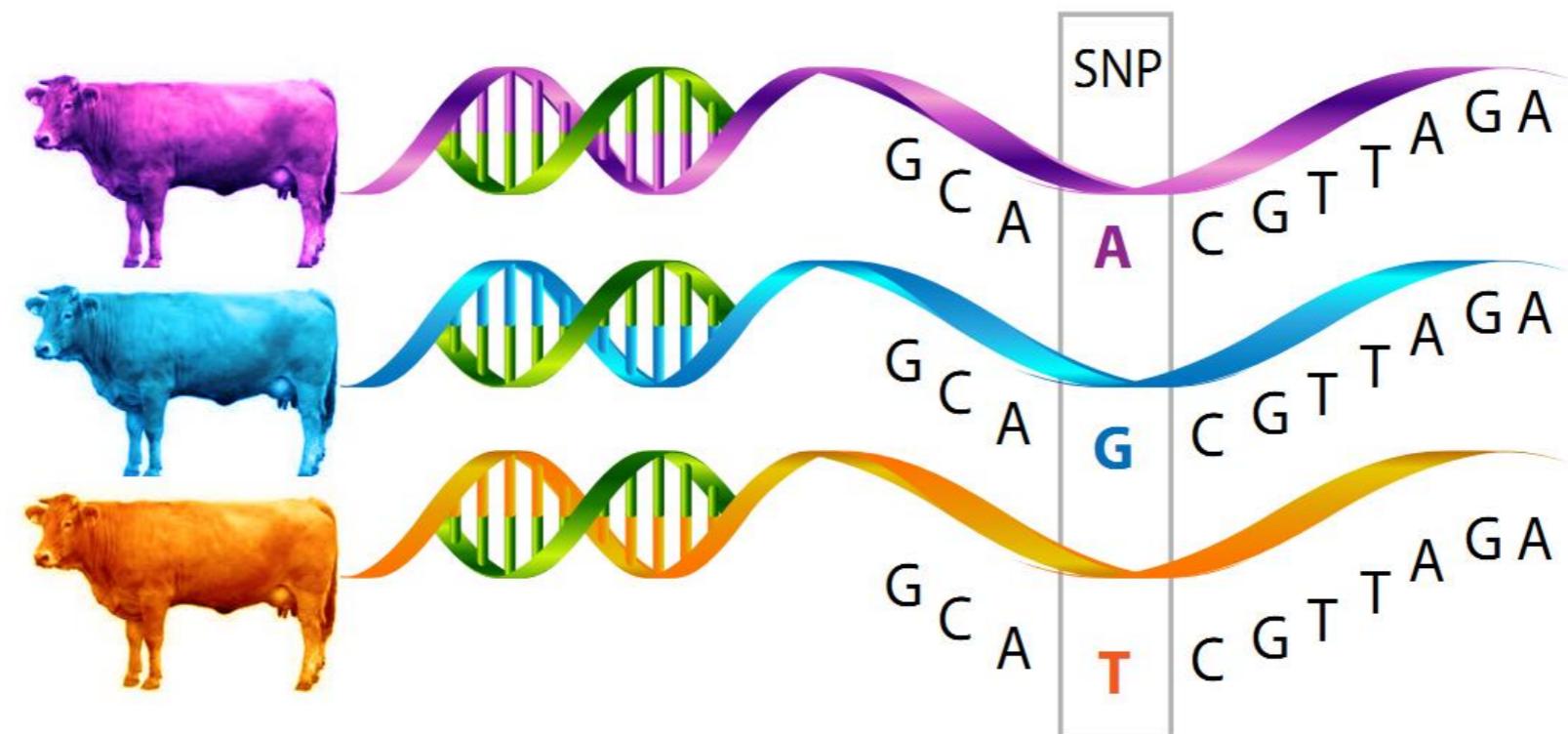
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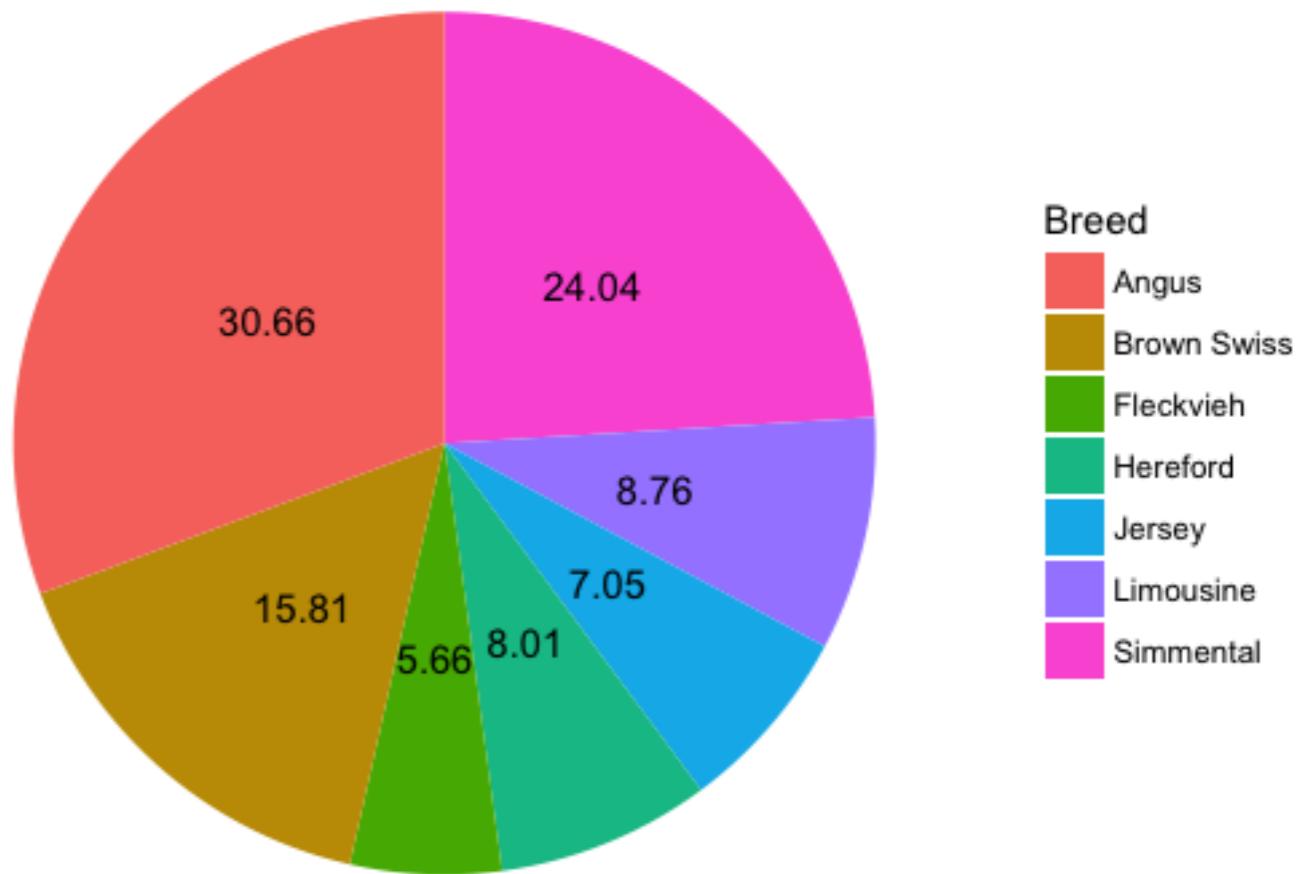
Objectives

- Identification of breed-specific SNPs
- Creating breed-specific reference genomes
- Annotation of breed-specific SNPs



Material

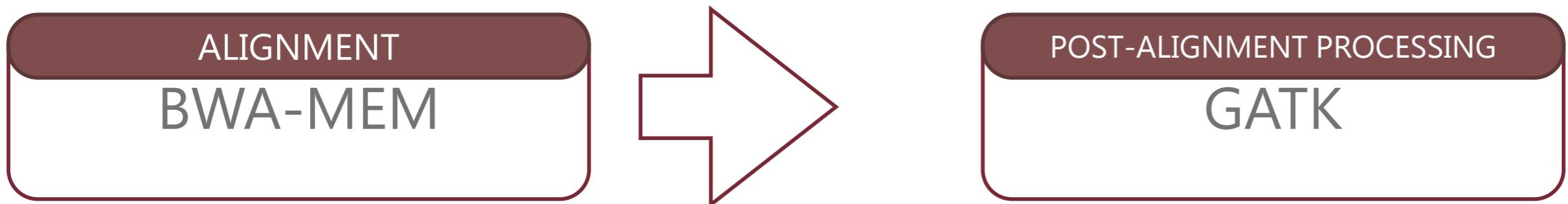
- Whole genome DNA-seq – 936 individuals
- Reference genome UMD 3.1



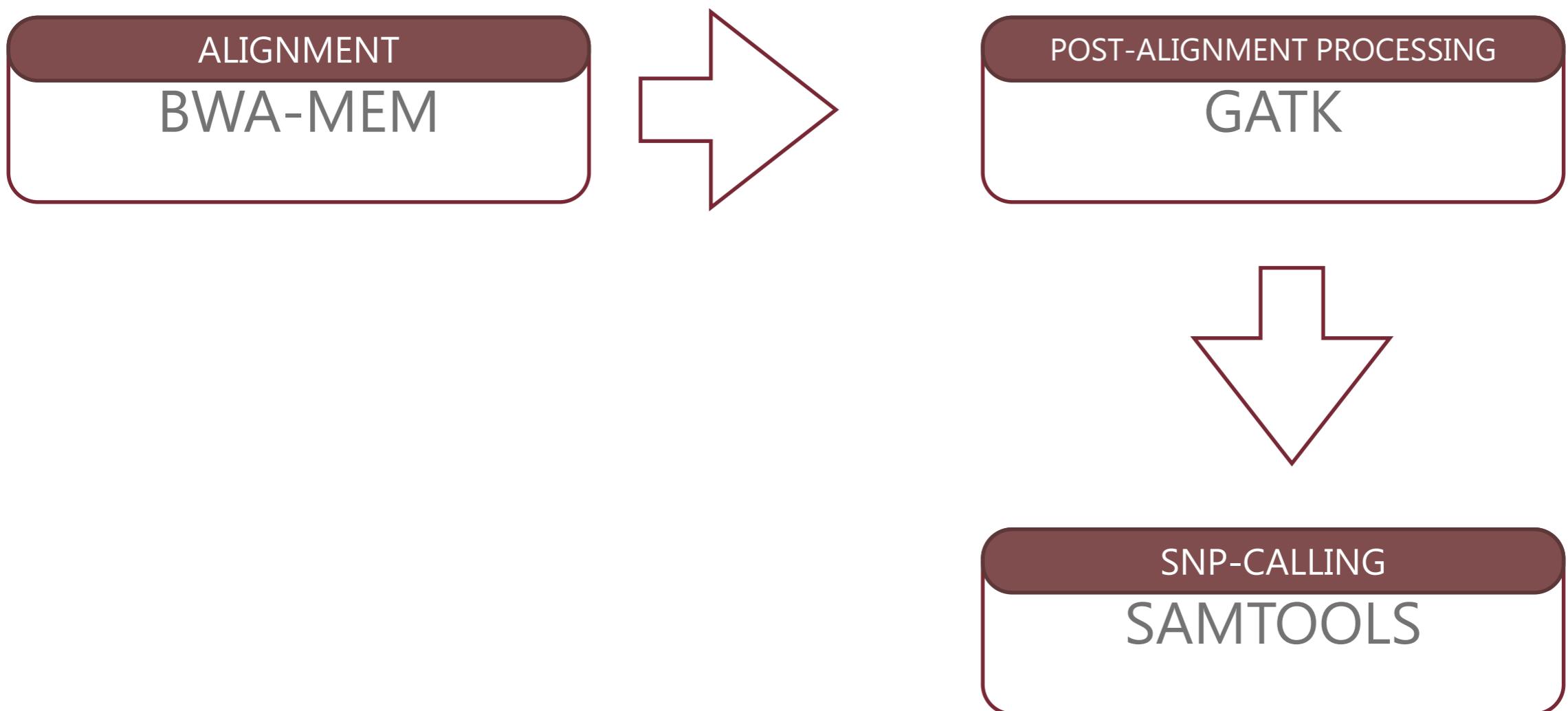
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ALIGNMENT
BWA-MEM

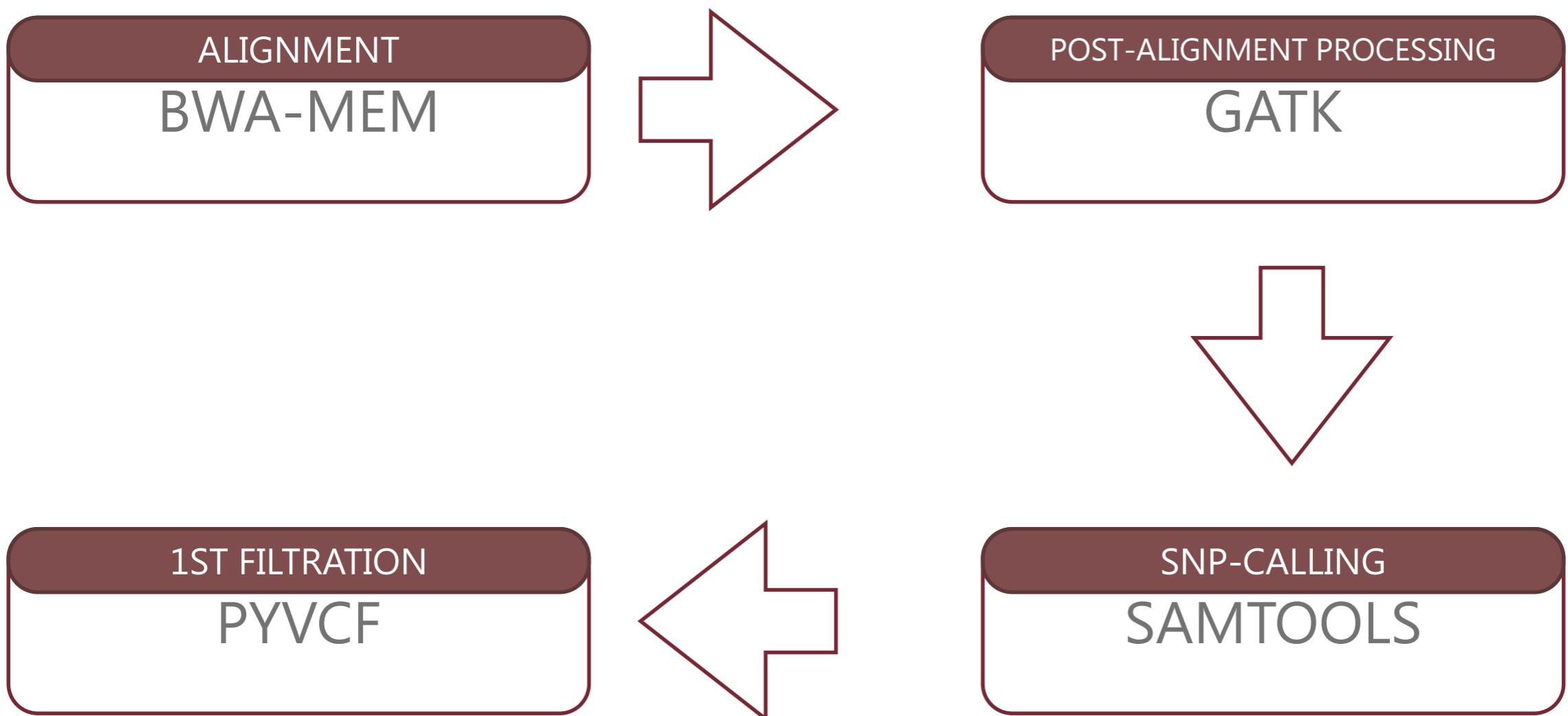
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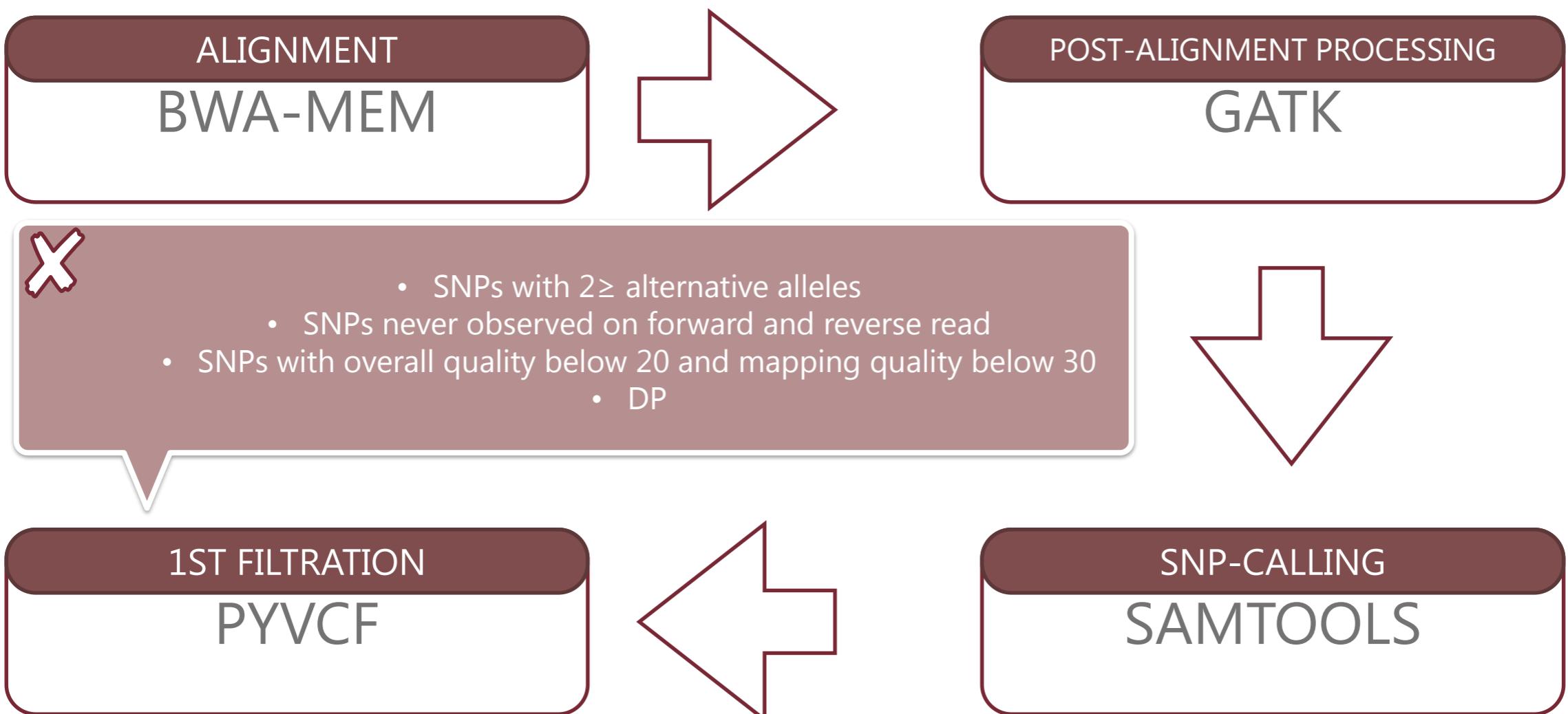
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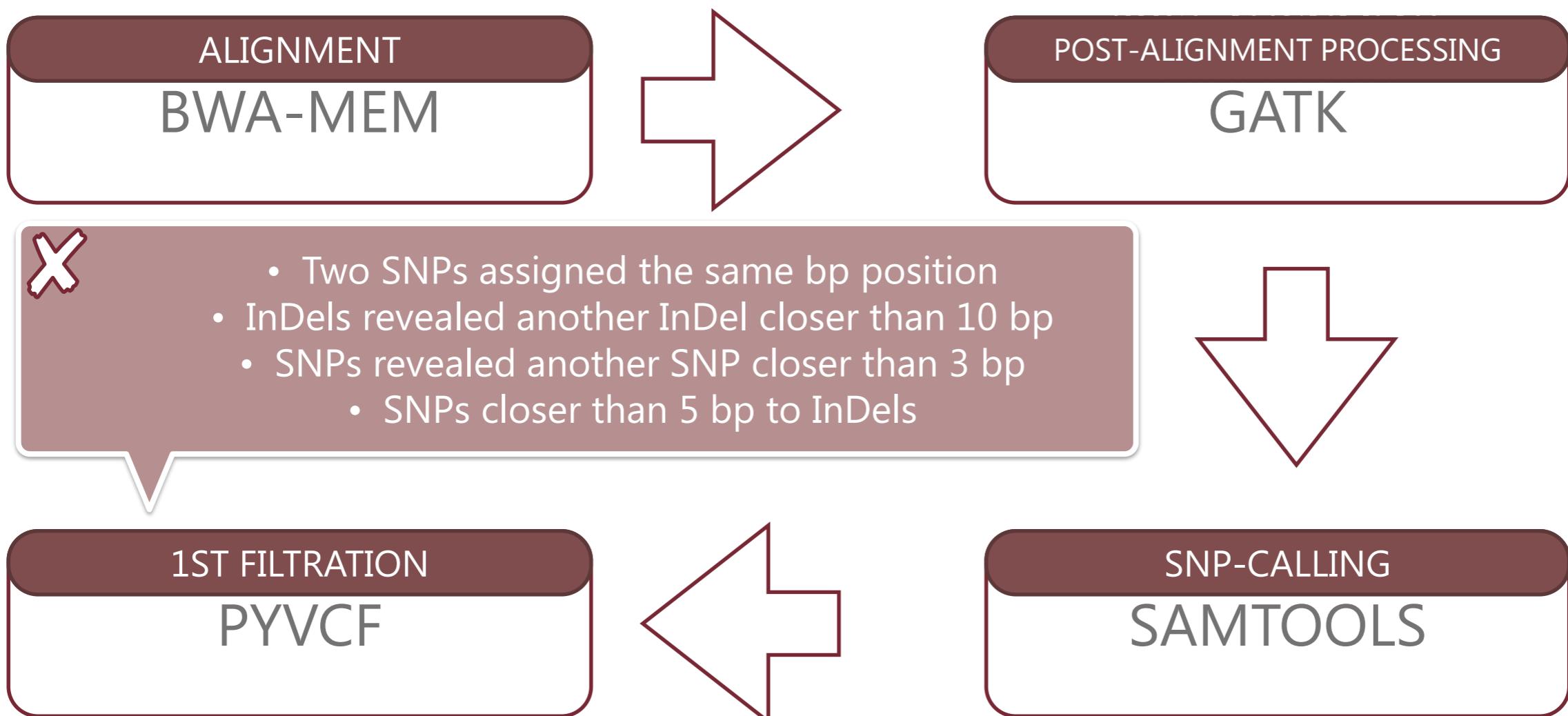
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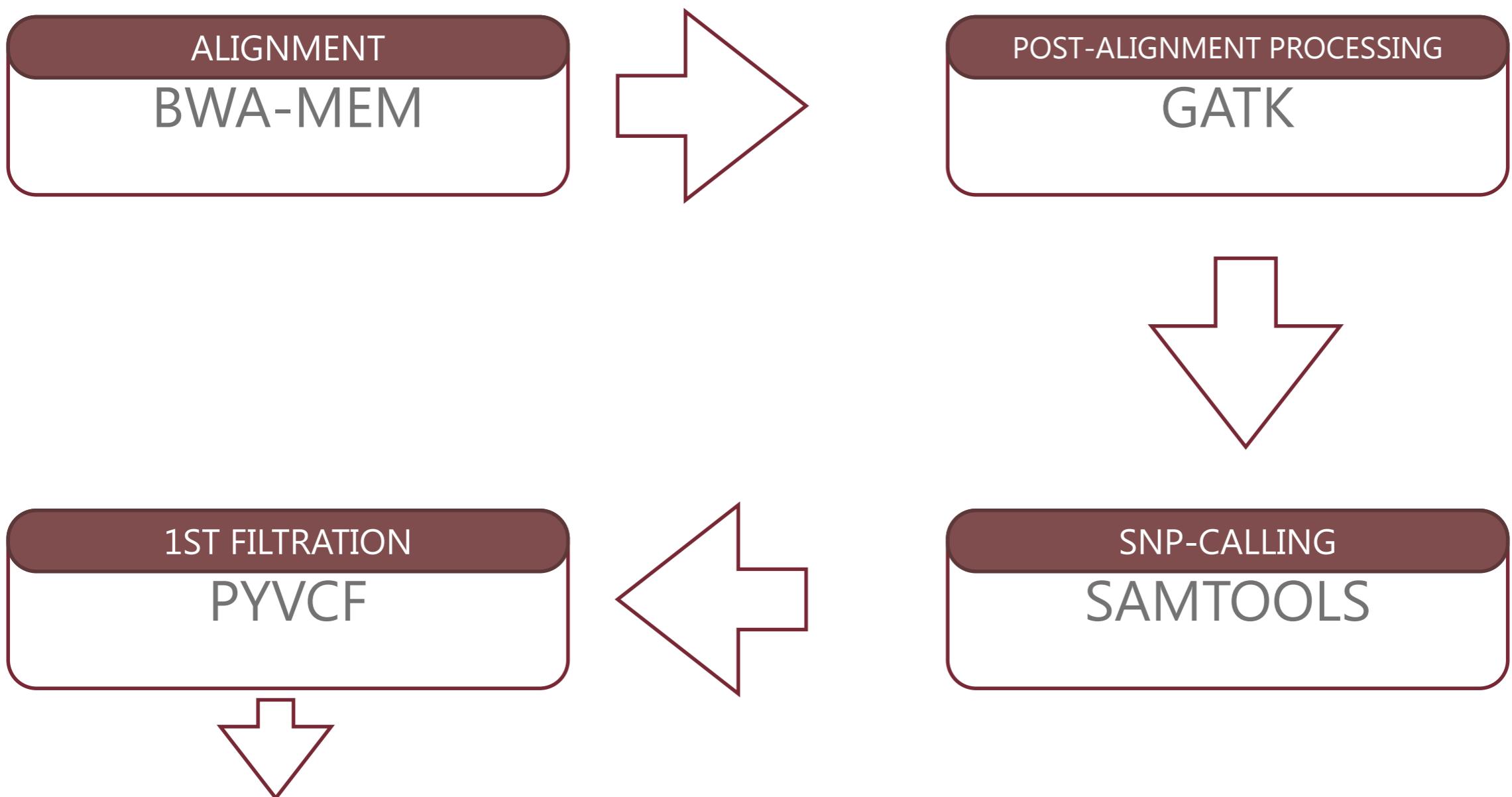
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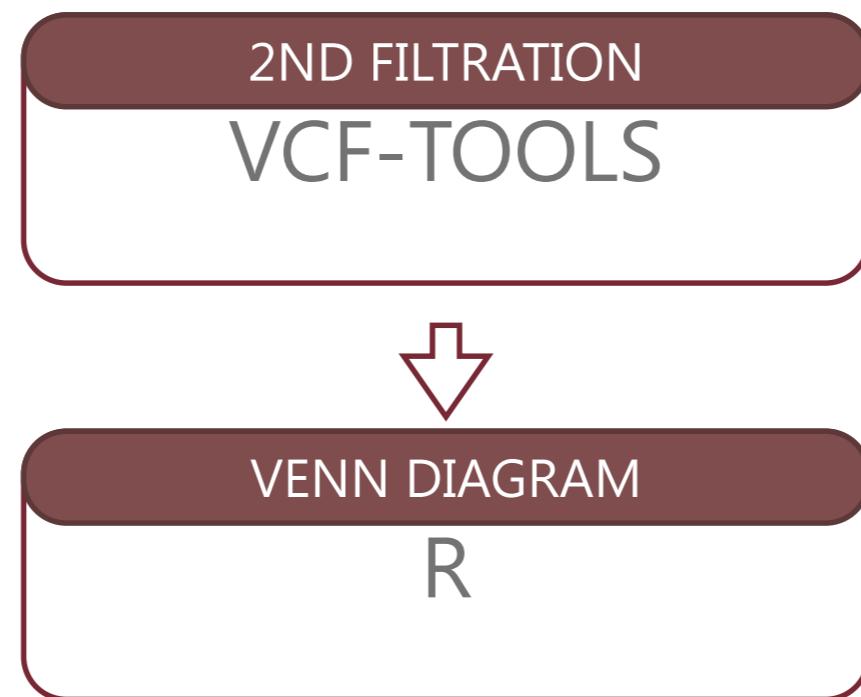
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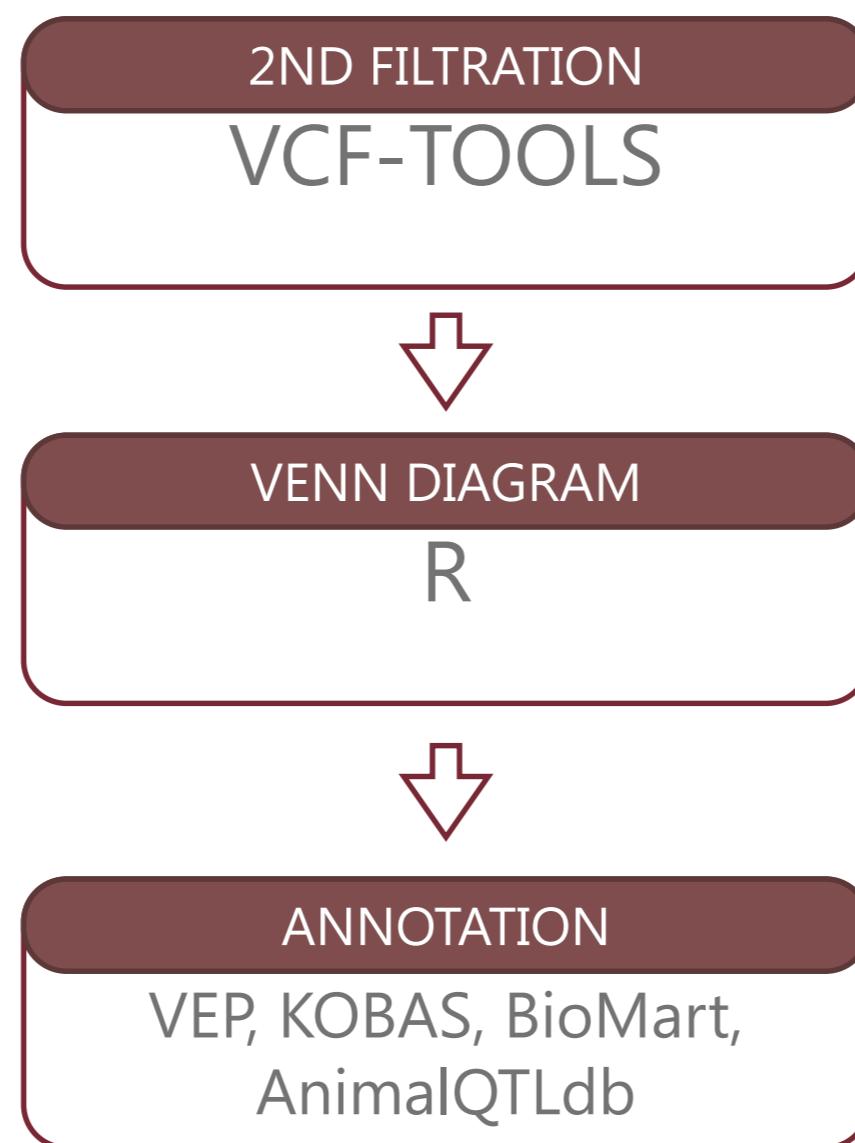
- AF ≠ 1
- Missing genotypes
>7%

2ND FILTRATION
VCF-TOOLS

Methods



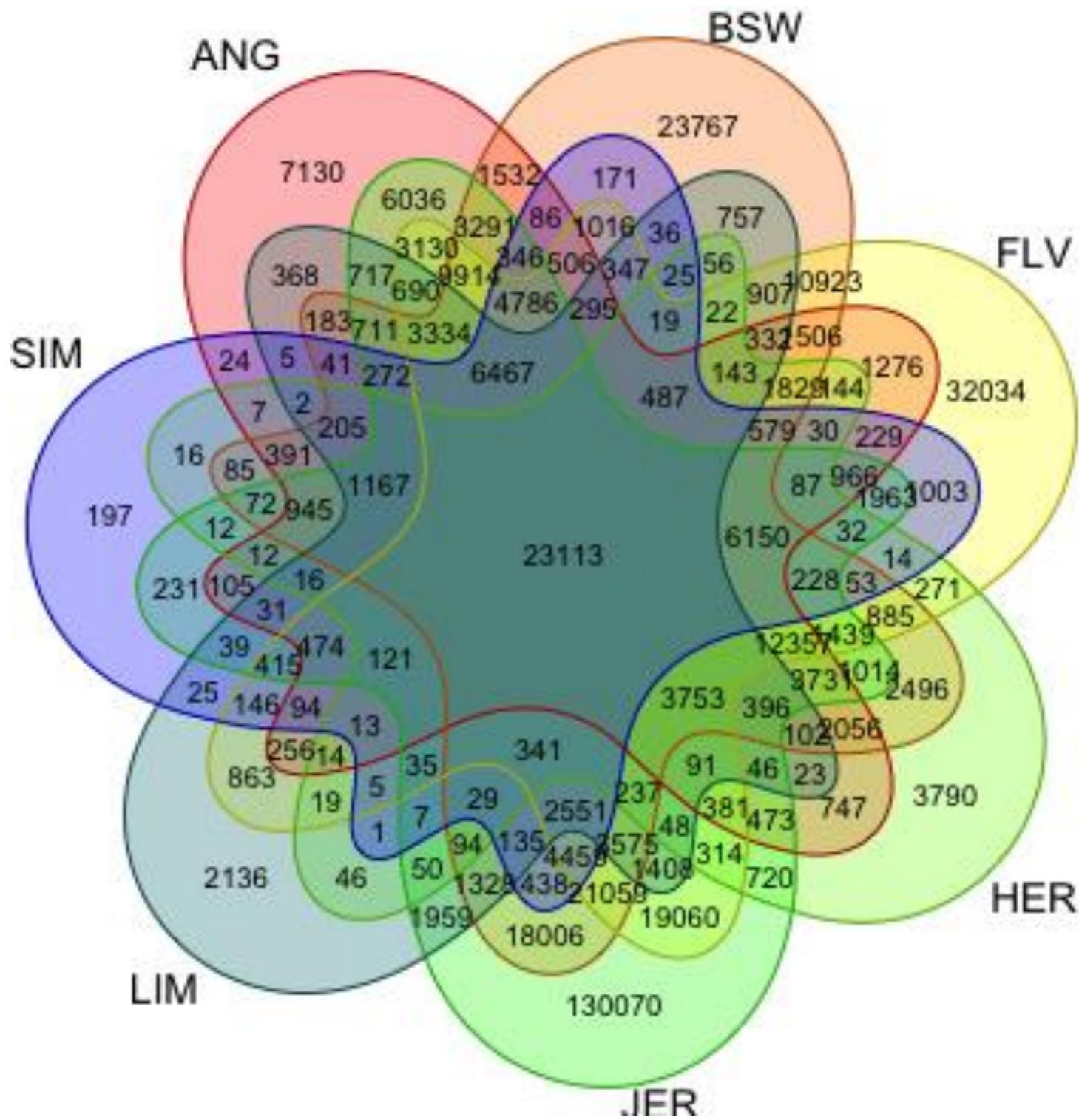
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Results

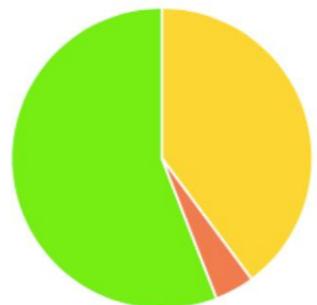
Breed	Total number of SNPs	Number of breed-specific SNPs	% of breed-specific SNPs
Angus	61 823 312	117 744	0.186
Brown Swiss	61 814 873	187 576	0.303
Fleckvieh	61 780 912	189 238	0.306
Hereford	61 813 028	73 772	0.119
Jersey	61 797 641	305 477	0.494
Limousin	61 820 287	61 623	0.100
Simmental	61 824 209	60 582	0.098

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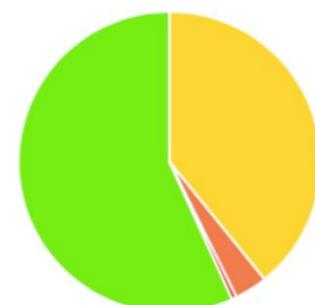


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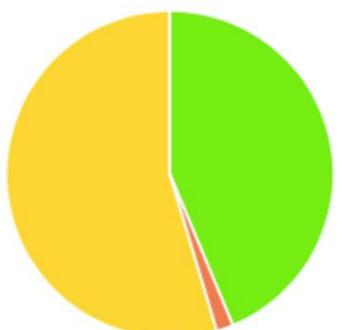
ANGUS



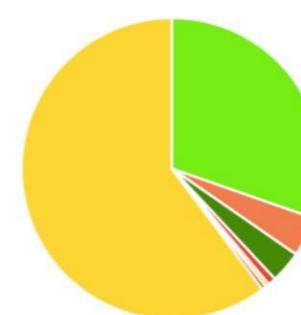
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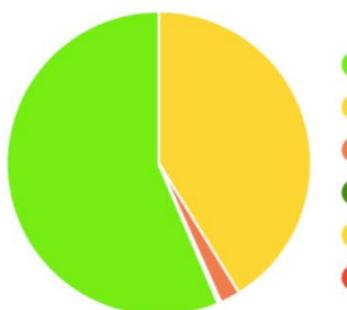
FLECKVIEH



HEREFORD



LIMOUSINE



SIMMENTAL



Results



ANGUS

- *SLC39A4* (BTA14) –
*Acrodermatitis
enteropathica*

BROWN SWISS

- *SLC4A2* (BTA4) –
Osteopetrosis
- *LAMA3* (BTA24) –
Epidermolysis bullosa

JERSEY

- *GON4L* (BTA3) – dwarfism
- *APOB* (BTA11) – cholesterol deficiency
- *TG* (BTA14) – familial goitre
 - *COL7A1* (BTA22) –
Epidermolysis bullosa

LIMOUSINE

- *PFAS* (BTA19) – abortion

Results



ANGUS

- iron content in mussels

BROWN SWISS

- milk characteristics: milk solids, overall proteins, alpha-casein, alpha-lactalbumin, kappa-casein, beta-casein percentages, milk lactose content and yield
 - somatic cell score
- growth traits: body weight, longissimus muscle area and gastrointestinal nematode burden

Conclusions

- Differences observed between breeds express the dynamics of changes in the *Bos taurus* genome
- Breed specific reference genomes increase the accuracy of GWAS and SNP genotypes imputation

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