

OysterDB database



User Access Request Form and agreement

Users must belong to organizations of SUDOE and EU areas devoted or any non-profit organization interested in aquaculture and biotechnology.

Users must read and agree to the Terms and Conditions of Use.

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1. Personal information

Family Name/Surname	<input type="text"/>	
Name	<input type="text"/>	
e-mail	<input type="text"/>	
Tel	<input type="text"/>	FAX <input type="text"/>

2. Organization

Institution	<input type="text"/>
Department	<input type="text"/>
Address	<input type="text"/>
Country	<input type="text"/>
Position	<input type="text"/>

3. Privacy

I authorize to show my data in the OysterDB as a user

Yes No

4. Declaration

I declare that I have read and understood the Terms and Conditions of Use of OysterDB and agree to them.

Signature of User

Date

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF USE

1. Introduction

OysterDB is a database devoted to host genomic information about *Crassostrea angulata* species. This database has been created by AQUAGENET project, a network funded by Interreg IVB SUDOE program that promotes scientific cooperation in biotechnology applied to aquaculture in Southwest Europe. More information about AQUAGENET can be found in www.aquagenet.eu.

Access and use of this database is subject to your acceptance of these terms and conditions.

2. ACCEPTANCE OF TERMS

By using the OysterDB you are fully accepting the terms, conditions and disclaimers contained in this notice. You will not use the OysterDB for any purpose that is unlawful or prohibited by these Terms and Conditions. If you do not accept, you will not be permitted to access or use the Database. We reserve the right to change this information at anytime, without notice and therefore, we recommend that you review this agreement regularly. It is therefore your responsibility to check the Terms and Conditions regularly for any changes.

All information contained has been processed using public software. Most sequence annotations are not based in observational features but in predictive putative identifications. Although most procedures have been done carefully to increase the confidence of genomic analysis, as explained in OysterDB, administrators are not responsible for misannotated or misidentified sequences. Also, administrators are not responsible for sequence or assembly errors or third-parties annotations.

3. USER ACCOUNT, PASSWORD AND TERMINATION

To access data it is necessary to register following the method specified in the web page. Login and password are personal and not transferable. You are responsible for maintaining the confidentiality of the username and password and also for all activities that take place under your account. It is not permitted to use another person's account at any time, without the express permission of the account holder.

Individual logins and downloads will be recorded to monitor the database use. We have the right to terminate your access to OysterDB at any time, without notice, for any reason, and under any abuse or suspect of breach of these Terms and Conditions. We may also at any time, at our sole discretion, modify or even discontinue the OysterDB or any part thereof without prior notice and you agree that we shall not be liable to you or any third party for any termination of your access to the OysterDB.

We can use your registration data for statistical analysis and project reports.

4. ACCEPTABLE USE

4.1.- AQUAGENET Partnership.

a) All information generated will be gathered in OysterDB to promote scientific cooperation in *C. angulata* genomics facilitating the integration and the analysis of data.

b) Database contents, design, requirements and subjected to the terms will be approved by the direction committee.

c) Each partner will provide all information requested by the OysterDB administrator about the genomic information generated. All partner accept they use of this information according with to OysterDB requirements and subjected to the terms and conditions of OysterDB.

d) Each partner will retain the rights of data generated with their own budget for publishing. The source of the data will be clearly identified in the database. Each partner can publish this data separately without any permission from direction committee. The publication of other partner-specific results is forbidden.

e) Joint publications about OysterDB database that include data from different partners will require specific approval of all partners sharing this information. In case of conflict about authorship, the direction committee will take the last decision.

4.2.- AQUAGENET associated partners.

a) Associated partner are considered those institutions/groups interested in the results of this project and that collaborate actively to get the objectives of AQUAGENET network. These partners cannot receive ERDF from SUDOE according to the rules of this program (user guide point 2.3)

b) To get the status of AQUAGENET associated partner, they will cooperate actively to enrich genomic information in the database to get the most of OysterDB. So, they will have to provide relevant genomic information similar to any other AQUAGENET partner to be integrated in the OysterDB.

c) AQUAGENET associated partner will be accepted by AQUAGENET direction committee and incorporated in the AQUAGENET project according to the SUDOE rules. Thereafter, will have the same rights as defined for partners in 4.1.c, 4.1.d and 4.1.e.

4.3.- AQUAGENET invited users.

AQUAGENET invited users can use the OysterDB for the following purposes:

a) Search for particular genes or sequences in *C. angulata* to develop new research complementary to AQUAGENET project to promote sole aquaculture in SUDOE.

b) Identify new genes with productive interest in sole aquaculture.

c) Cite the OysterDB in the publications, conferences or any dissemination activities that

use any genomic information included in the database following the guidelines established in the web page.

d) Collaborate to improve the contents, accessibility and impact of this database in the scientific community

5. NOT ACCEPTABLE USE

In using the OysterDB you agree **NOT** to:

Redistribute any information contained in the database without previous authorization including global or particular assemblies unless you have retained the right on them (in case of AQUAGENET partner and AQUAGENET associated partners).

Download massive data of genomic data for publication or dissemination without previous authorization.

Use or distribution of the pictures without previous authorization

Use the Website in any manner that could damage, disable, overburden or impair the database

Use the information in the database without citing the OysterDB.