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## Bioinformatics tools facilitate the analysis of microbiome sequencing data

The software pipeline QIIME, which stands for 'quantitative insights into microbial ecology', enables the analysis and interpretation of the increasingly large datasets generated by microbiome sequencing.

**ORIGINAL ARTICLE** Caporaso, J. G. et al. QIIME allows analysis of high-throughput community sequencing data. *Nat. Methods* **7**, 335–336 (2010).

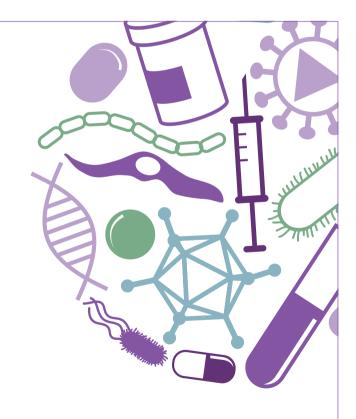
**FURTHER READING** Knight, R. et al. Best practices for analysing microbiomes. *Nat. Rev. Microbiol.* **16**, 410–422 (2018).

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