Conda And Bioconda Cheat Sheet

Channels and their order

conda config --add channels foo Make "foo" the top priority channel

conda config --show channels List channels and their order

conda config --remove channels foo Remove "foo" from the channels

\$ conda config --show channels
channels:

- conda-forge
- bioconda
- defaults

This is the proper order!

Conda basics

You can always use `-c` to add additional channels!

conda search "foo"	Search for "foo" in your channels
conda install foo	Install "foo" from your channels
conda remove	Remove "foo" from your current environment
conda update foo	Update the version of foo
conda info	Print the conda version

Conda environments

Avoid installing packages in your base environment!

conda env list	List environments
conda create -n foo package1\ package2	Create a new environment named "foo" with the given packages
conda env remove -n foo	Remove the "foo" environment
conda activate foo	Activate the "foo" environment
conda deactivate	Deactivate the current environment
conda env export > foo.yaml	Export the environment to a YAML file
conda env create -f foo.yaml \ -n bar	Create an environment named "bar" from a YAML file

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Recipe skeletons

For CRAN packages, use:

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https://github.com/bgruening/conda_r_skeleton_helper

conda skeleton pypi foo For the "foo" packge on PyPI

conda skeleton cpan foo For the "foo" package on CPAN.

bioconda-utils \
    bioconductor skeleton For Bioconductor packages. This is handled by Bioconductor skeleton
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Anatomy of meta.yaml

```
{% set name = "foo" %}
                                           Jinja2 can be used to
{% set version = "1.2.3" %}
                                           decrease duplication
package:
  name: {{ name }}
  version: {{ version }}
source:
  url: https://lab.com/{{name}}-{{version}}.tgz
  sha256: a9a6d2aff919f45e869acfb4
build:
                                      New versions should
  number: 0
                                      reset the build number to 0.
  skip: True # [osx]
requirements:
  build:
    - {{ compiler('c') }}
                               Compilers belong under "build",
  host:
                               libraries under "host" and ALL
   - zlib
  run:
                               run-time dependencies under "run".
    - zlib
test:
  commands:
   - foo --version
about:
  home: https://github.com/...
  license: MIT
  license_file: LICENSE
```

summary: My useful short description