

Biopython Installation


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$ python
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And voila! It's installed.

If you want more information on FreeBSD and things, Johann has written a nice primer for his FreeBSD EMBOSS port. This has lots of generally useful information, such as how to keep your ports tree up to date. If you are new to FreeBSD, you should definitely check it out at <ftp://ftp.no.embnet.org/pub/EMBOSS-extras/EMBOSS-FreeBSD-HOWTO.txt>.

Some notes: Obviously this will not compile any of the C extensions in biopython. There are pure python

- The Numeric package will take a little trickery to get it to be able to import. It will install a Numeric directory and Numeric.pth file into your_dir/lib/python. The problem is that the Numeric.pth file only works when located in the main python site-packages directory. The solution, fortunately, is simple – you need to make sure your_dir/lib/python is in the PYTHONPATH