

Manage Link

Files are automatically private when uploaded to your account.

IGB needs the file to be public in order for it to be accessible. Setting a file to be public allows the file's location to be accessible beyond your BioViz Connect account.



You can change the access of your file between public and private at any time.

To Make Public

To create a public link, right click your file and select 'Manage Link'. A panel will open on the right displaying the current status of the file. If your file is private, click the 'Create Public Link' button to make it public. A link showing the file's location on CyVerse cloud servers will now be visible in the panel.

The screenshot shows a file explorer interface with a sidebar on the left containing navigation options: Home, Shared with me, Community, and Analysis History. The main area displays a table of files under the path / my_quickload / C_sativa_DH55_Apr_2014. The table has columns for Visualization Tools, Name, Size, and Last Modified. The file SRR1171888.bam is highlighted, and a yellow 'View in IGB' button is visible next to it. A 'Manage Link' modal is open on the right, showing the file name SRR1171888.bam and its current status as 'private'. A blue 'Create Public Link' button is present. A note explains that creating a public link allows anyone to download or view the file in IGB. Below the note, a 'Public Link:' field is shown, which is currently empty. A green box highlights the modal, and a line points to the 'Create Public Link' button with the text 'Click to make public and viewable.'

Visualization Tools	Name	Size	Last Modified
	annots.xml	204 Bytes	Mar 2, 2021
	genome.txt	661 KB	Mar 2, 2021
View in IGB	SRR1171888.bam	4.55 GB	Mar 2, 2021
	SRR1171888.bam.bai	2.02 MB	Mar 2, 2021

Clicking the link will open or download the file. Public links are more like locations in a file explorer, rather than a link to a website.

To Make Private

To make a link private again, click the 'Remove Link' button. Your file and data will not be affected. The public link will be removed and deactivated.

The screenshot shows the 'Manage Link' modal for the file SRR1171888.bam. The modal indicates that the file is currently 'public'. A red 'Remove Link' button is visible. A note explains that removing the link prevents anyone from using it to download or view the file in IGB. Below the note, a 'Public Link:' field is shown with the following URL: https://data.cyverse.org/dav-anon/iplant/home/rweidenh/my_quickload/C_sativa_DH55_Apr_2014/SRR1171888.bam. A copy icon is next to the URL.