

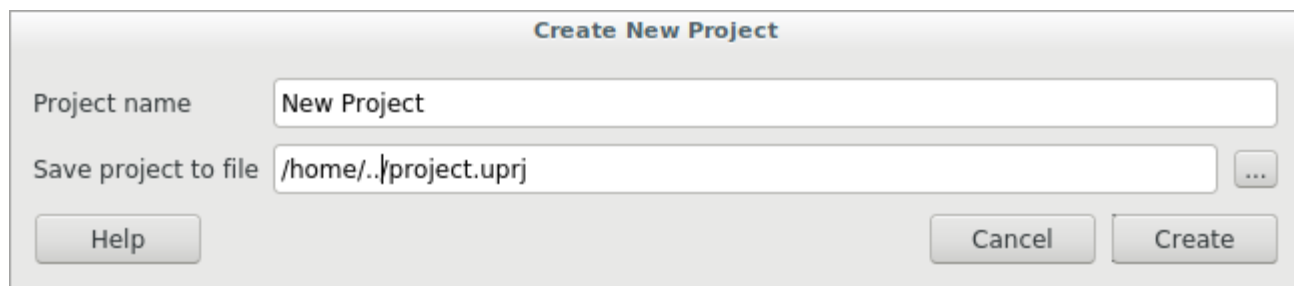
# Creating New Project

A *project* stores links to the data files, cross-file data associations, and visualization settings.

Below is a description of how to create a new project manually. Note that if you have no project created when opening a file with a sequence, an alignment or any other biological data, a new anonymous project is created automatically.

To create a new project select the *File* *New project* menu or click the *New project* button on the main toolbar.

The dialog will appear:



The image shows a 'Create New Project' dialog box with a light gray background. At the top, the title 'Create New Project' is displayed in a blue font. Below the title, there are two text input fields. The first field is labeled 'Project name' and contains the text 'New Project'. The second field is labeled 'Save project to file' and contains the text '/home/..|project.uprj'. To the right of the second field is a small button with three dots. At the bottom of the dialog, there are three buttons: 'Help' on the left, 'Cancel' in the middle, and 'Create' on the right.

Here you need to specify the visual name for the project and the directory and file to store it.

After you click the *Create* button the [Project View](#) window is opened.