生物資訊簡介

Introduction to Bioinformatics

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What is *Bioinformatics*?

- 生物與電腦兩種科學之結合
- 利用電腦發展資料庫與分析工具,以協助分子生物學家之研究

The st	taggering volume of	molecular data and its
cryptic and subtle pattern	is have led to an abso	olute requirement for
computerized databases a	nd analysis tools	new
approaches to deal with the volume and complexity of data, and in		
providing researchers wit	h better access to an	alysis and computing
tools	advance unde	erstanding of our genetic
legacy and its role in healt	th and disease	

(abstracted from 'general introduction of NCBI')

Definition by National Human Genome Research Institute

- Bioinformatics, as related to **genetics** and **genomics**, is a scientific subdiscipline that involves using **computer technology** to **collect, store, analyze and disseminate** biological data and information, such as DNA and amino acid sequences or annotations about those sequences.
- Scientists and clinicians use databases that organize and index such biological information to increase our understanding of health and disease and, in certain cases, as part of medical care.

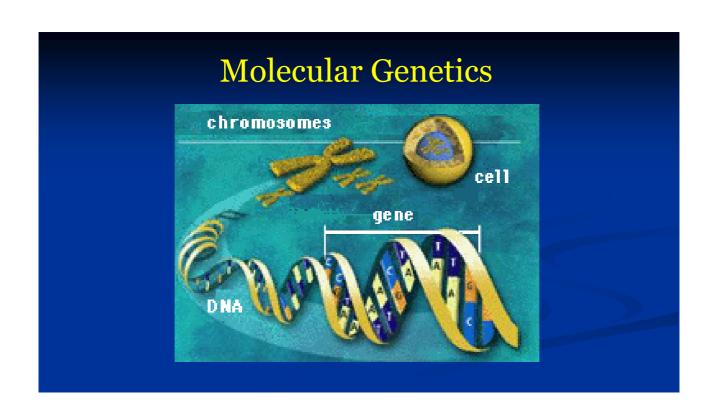
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deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA) in chromosome can be represented as 4 characters: A, T, C, G

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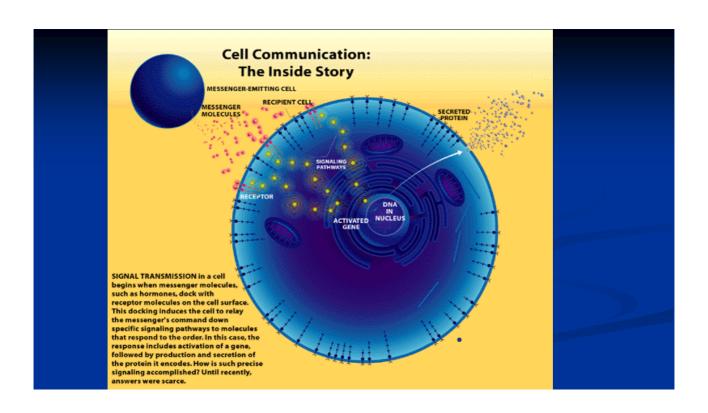
Multi-disciplinary Research Group 跨多重領域研究

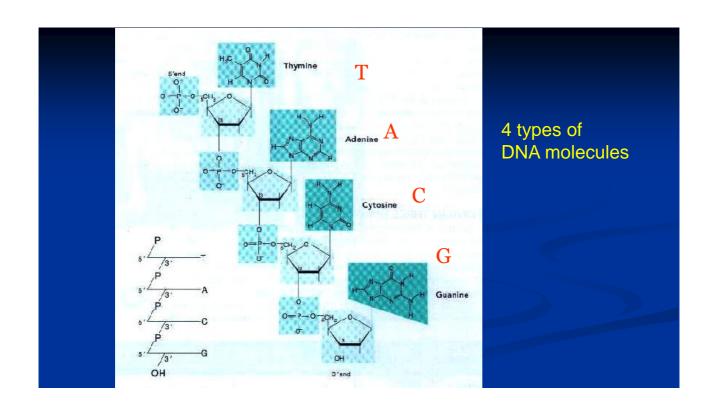
- Computer scientists
- Molecular biologists
- Mathematicians
- Biochemists
- Research physicians

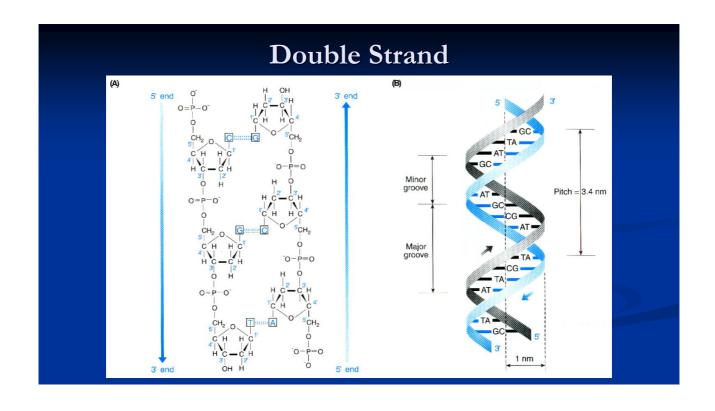


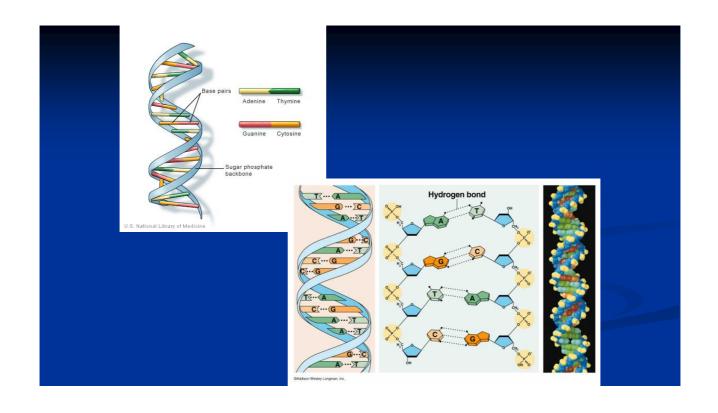
Genes, DNA and Chromosomes explained

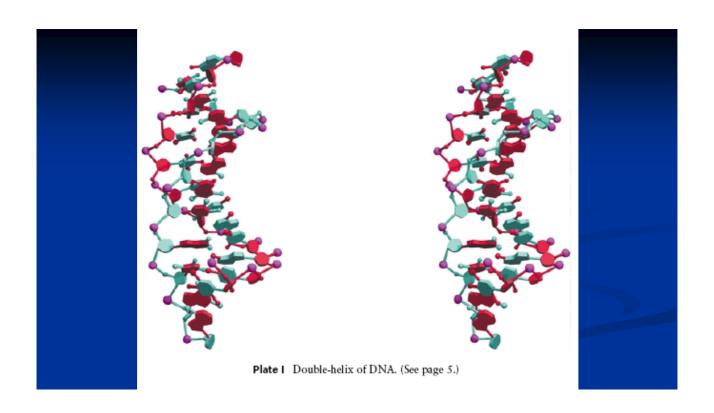
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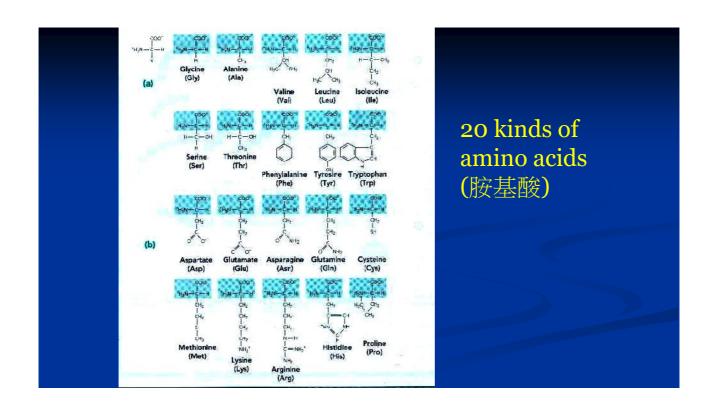


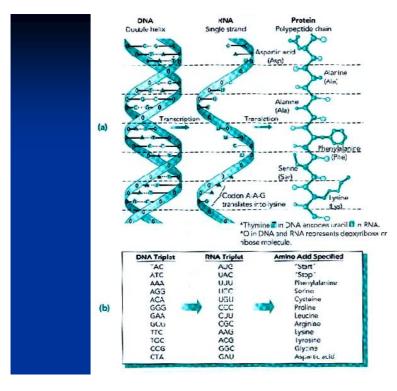


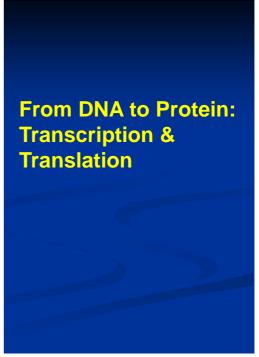


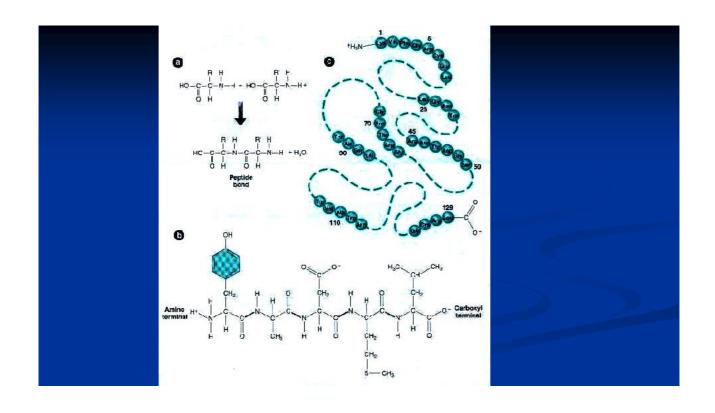


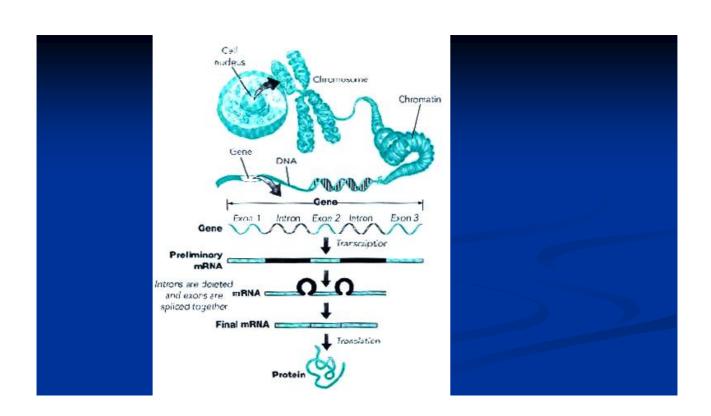


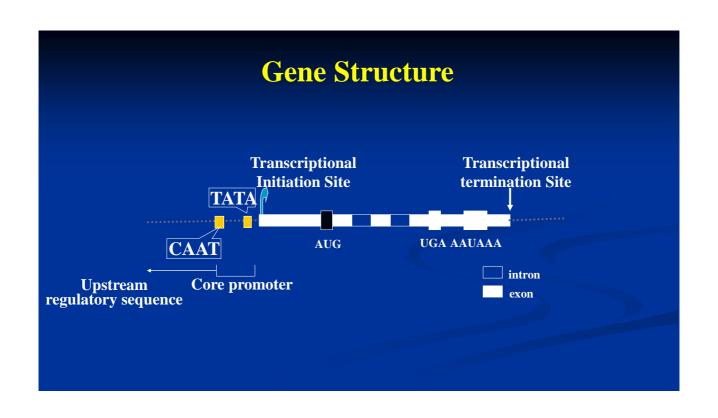


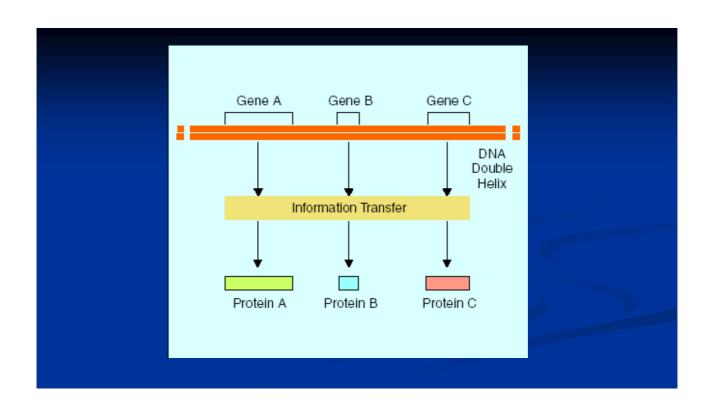


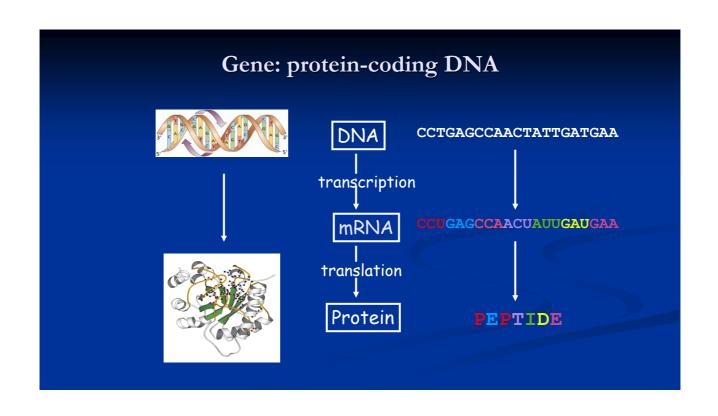


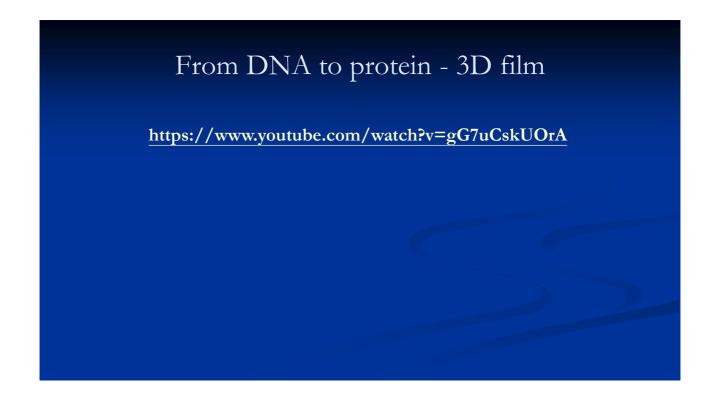












人類基因體計畫 Human Genome Project

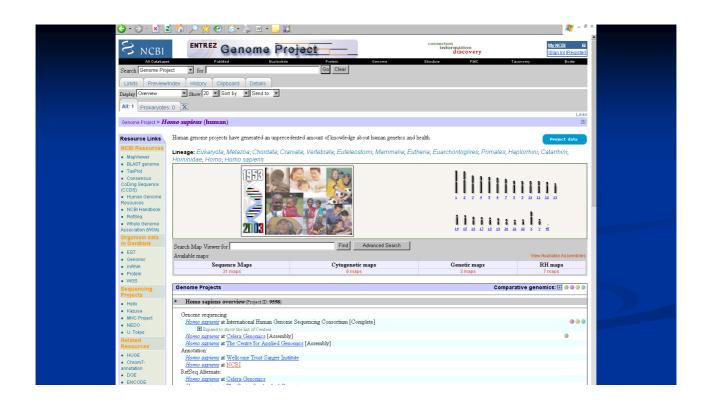
- 15-year-project; began in 1990, end in 2005
- Sponsored by the US Dept. of Energy and National Institute of Health; \$3 billion budget
- 18 countries worldwide participated, with significant contributions from the Sanger Center in the United Kingdom and research centers in Germany, France, and Japan. China recently joined the effort.

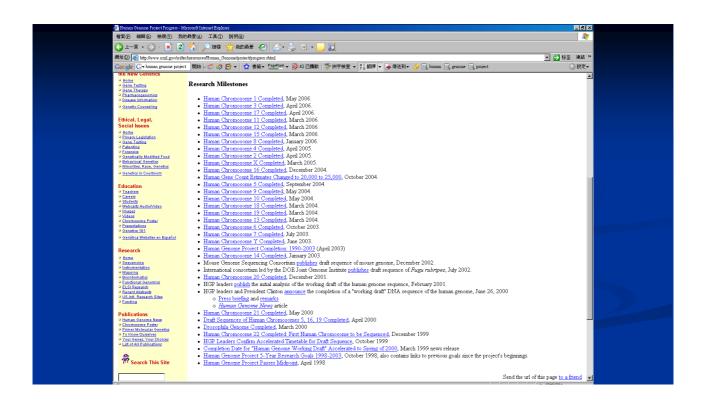


Project Goals

- *Identify* all the approximate 20,500 genes in human DNA
- *Determine* the sequences of the 3 billion chemical base pairs that make up human DNA
- *Store* this information in databases
- Develop tools for data analysis
- Transfer related technologies to the private sector
- *Address* the ethical, legal, and social issues







Highlights of the New 5-Year Plan for the U.S. Human Genome Project

■ Human DNA Sequencing

- Generate a working draft of 90% of the genome (2001).
- Obtain a complete, high-quality genomic sequence (2003).
- Make all data publicly available.

Sequencing Technology

■ Create a long-term, sustainable sequencing capacity by improving current technology and developing highly efficient novel technologies.

■ Sequence Variation

■ Develop technologies for rapid identification of DNA sequence variants.

■ Functional Genomics

■ Expand support for current approaches and innovative technologies.

■ Comparative Genomics

■ Obtain complete genomic sequences for *C. elegans* (1998), *Drosophila* (2002), and mouse (2008).

■ Ethical, Legal, and Social Implications (ELSI)

- Analyze and address implications of identifying DNA sequence information for individuals, families, and communities.
- Facilitate safe and effective integration of genetic technologies.
- Facilitate education about genomics in nonclinical and research settings.

■ Bioinformatics and Computational Biology

■ Improve current databases and develop new databases and better tools for data generation and capture and comprehensive functional studies.

Training

- Nurture the training of genomic scientists and establish career paths.
- Increase the number of scholars knowledgeable in genomics and ethics, law, or the social sciences.

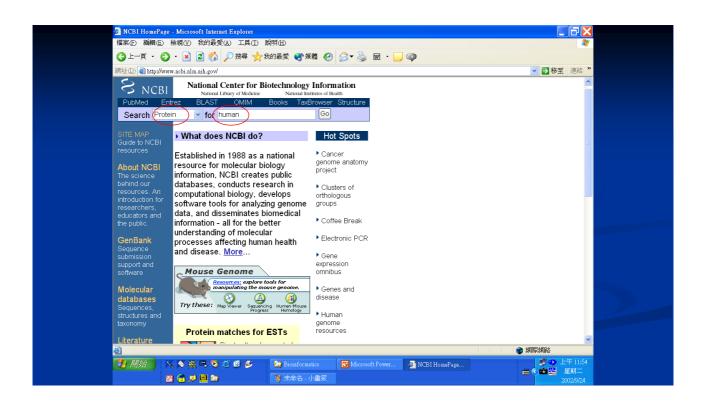
Genome Scientists' To-Do List

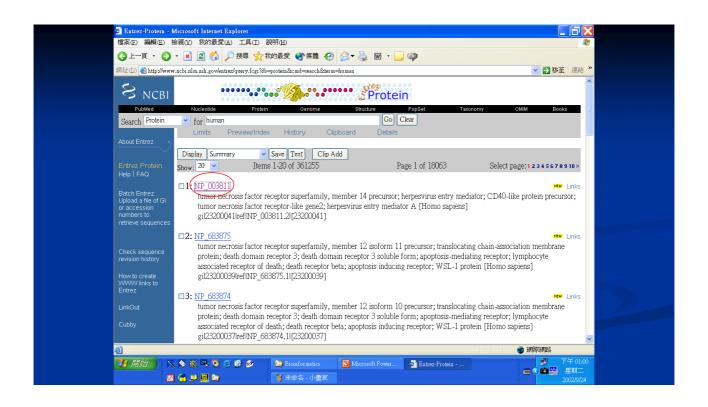
- Correct errors and proofread
- Fill tens of thousands of gaps
- Sequence the 7 percent
- Finish finding all the genes that make proteins
- Find the non-protein-making genes
- Discover the regulatory sequences
- Untangle the genes' intricate interactions with other molecules
- Identify gene functions

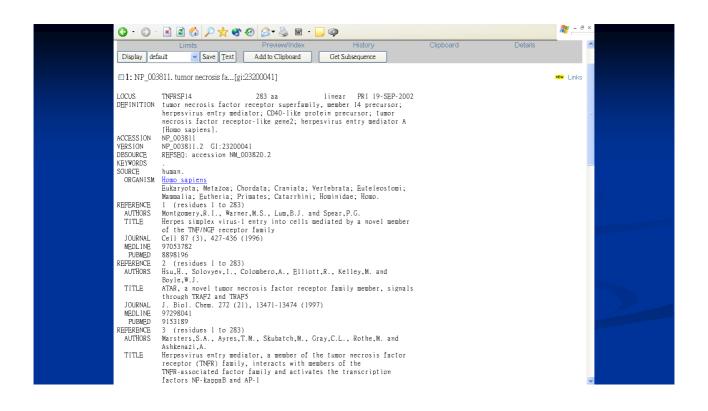
Databases & information retrieval

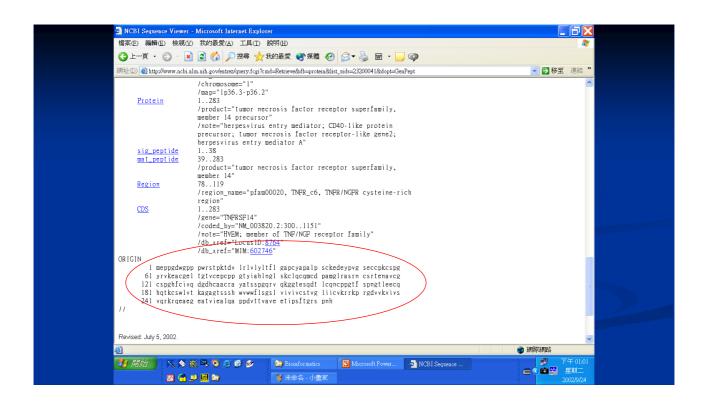
- GeneBank Maintained by National Center for Biotechnology Information (NCBI), USA.
 - It is divided into several sections with sequences grouped according to species.
 - Searches can be made by keywords or by sequence.
 - http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/

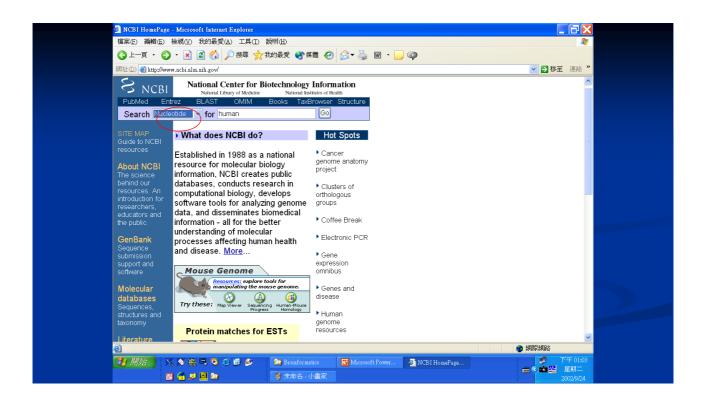


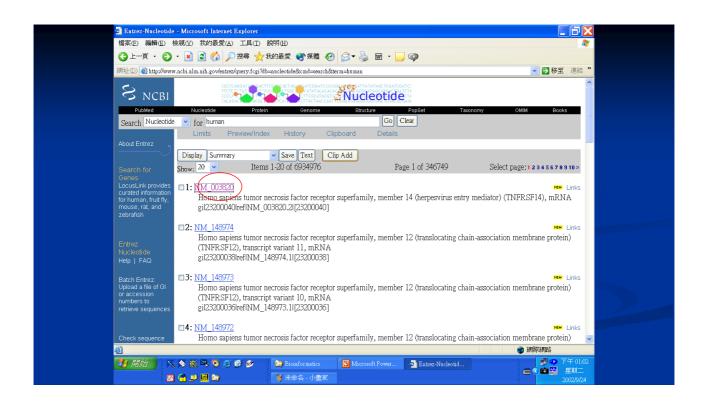


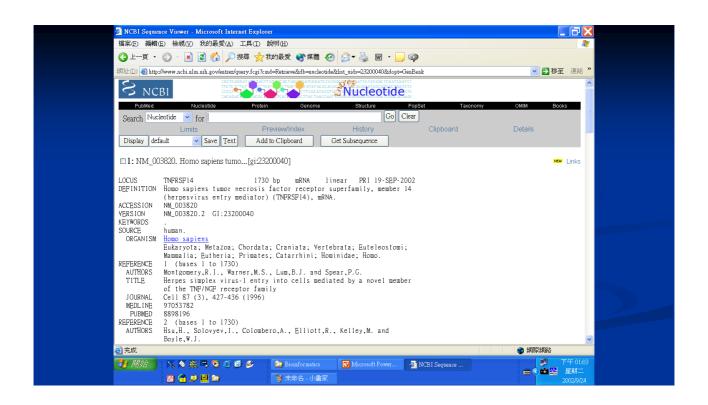


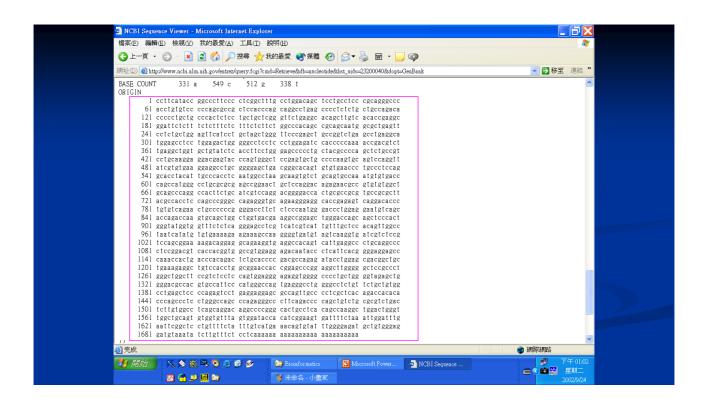


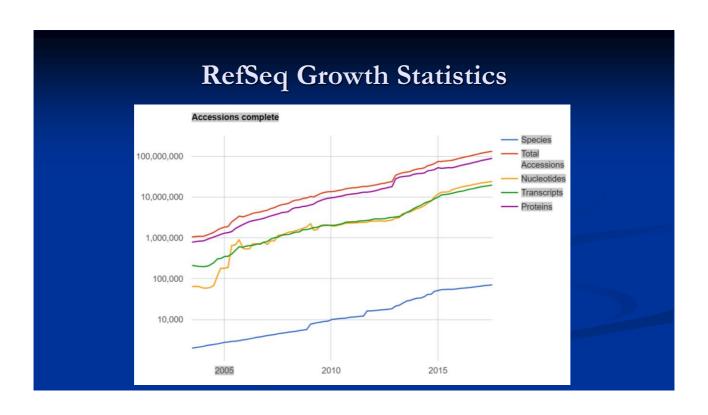












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Laboratory.

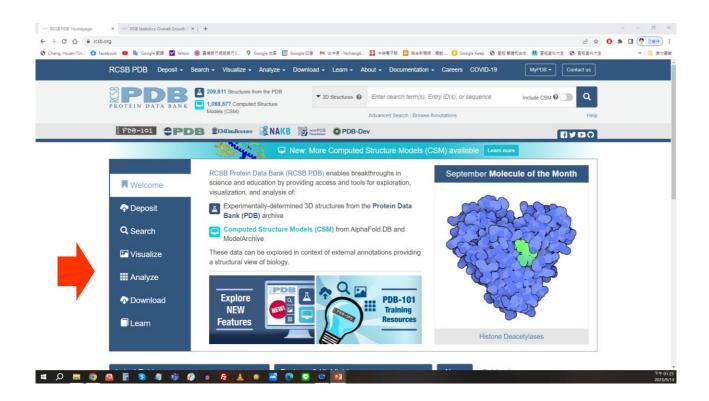
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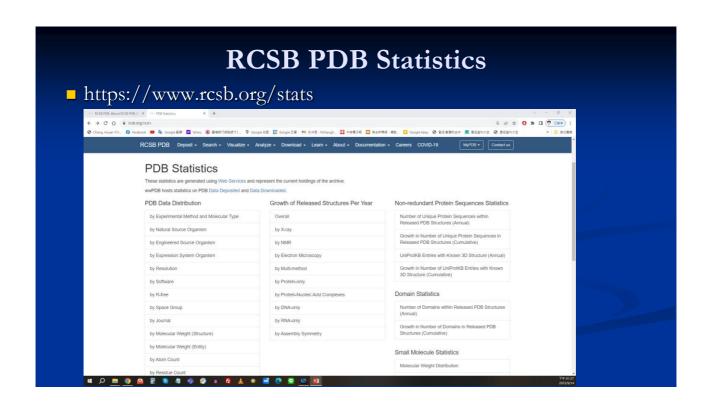
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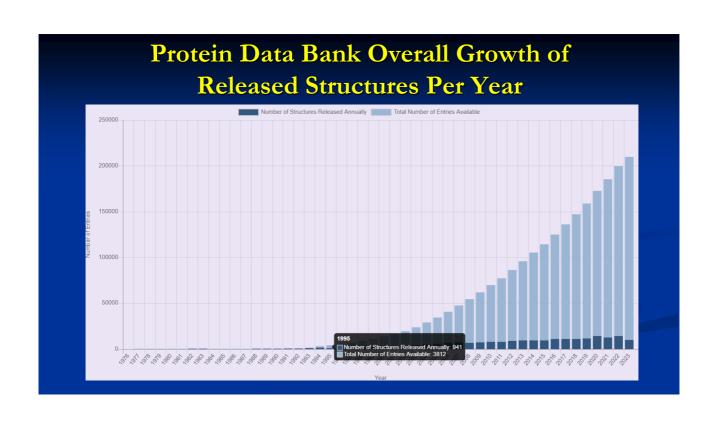
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PDB: The Protein Data Bank, a repository of 3-D structure of proteins.

https://www.wwpdb.org/







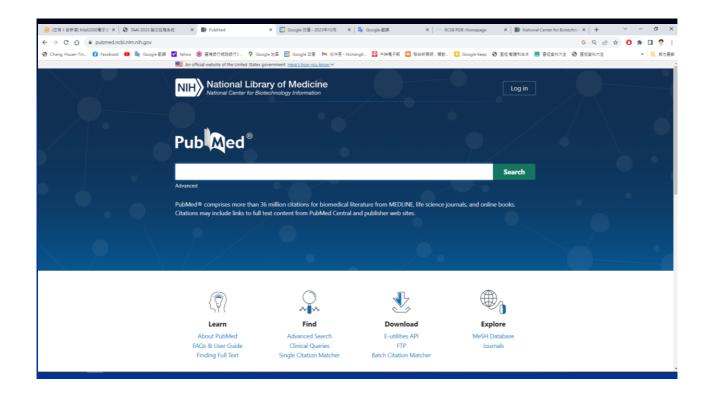


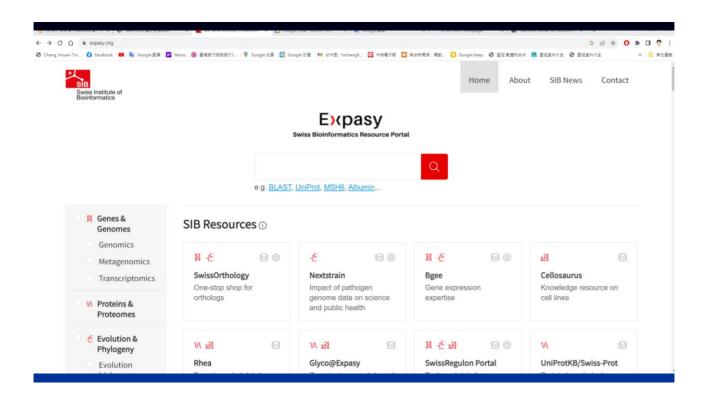
RCSB PDB (RCSB.org) is the US data center for the global Protein Data Bank (PDB) archive of 3D structure data for large biological molecules (proteins, DNA, and RNA) essential for research and education in fundamental biology, health, energy, and biotechnology.

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ExPASy

- The ExPASy (the *Expert Protein Analysis System*) World Wide Web server (http://www.expasy.org), is provided as a service to the life science community by a multidisciplinary team at the Swiss Institute of Bioinformatics (SIB).
- It provides access to a variety of databases and analytical tools dedicated to proteins and proteomics.
- ExPASy databases include SWISS-PROT and TrEMBL, SWISS-2DPAGE, PROSITE, ENZYME and the SWISS-MODEL repository.

Research Issues

- Sequence comparison & database search
- Fragment assembly of DNA
- Physical mapping of DNA
- Phylogenetic trees
- Genome rearrangement
- Molecular structure prediction

Global Research on Bioinformatics

Major Cartels in the World

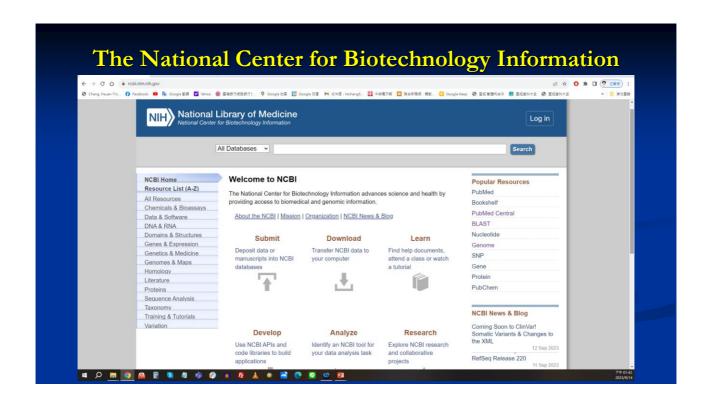
- In Europe
 - EMBL @ https://www.embl.org/
 - EBI @ https://www.ebi.ac.uk/
- In North America
 - NCBI @ https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/
- In Asia
 - GenomeNet @ https://www.genome.ad.jp/about_genomenet/about.html

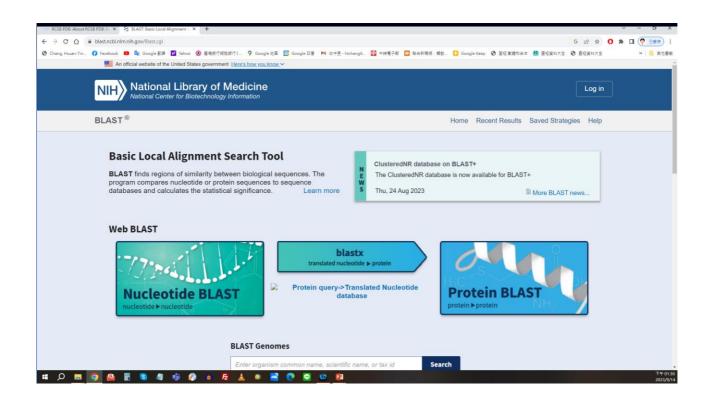
Global Research Projects on Bioinformatics

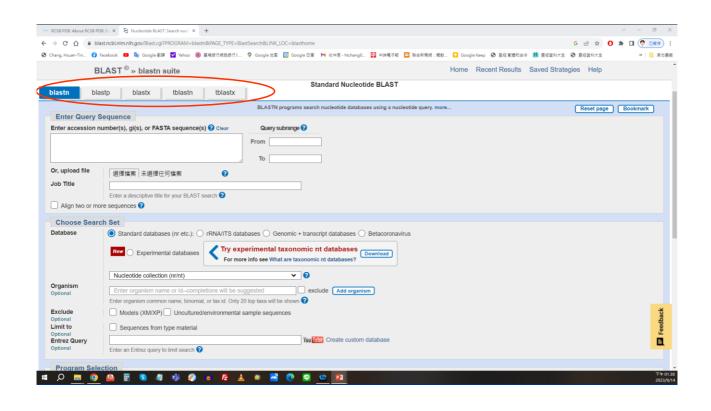
- Detection and analysis of gene organization
- Repeating sequence patterns
- Protein domains and structural elements
- Creation of a gene map of the human genome
- Analysis of effects of sequencing errors for database searching

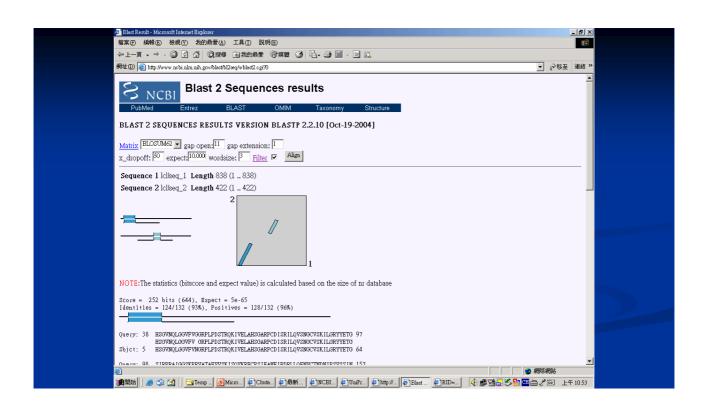
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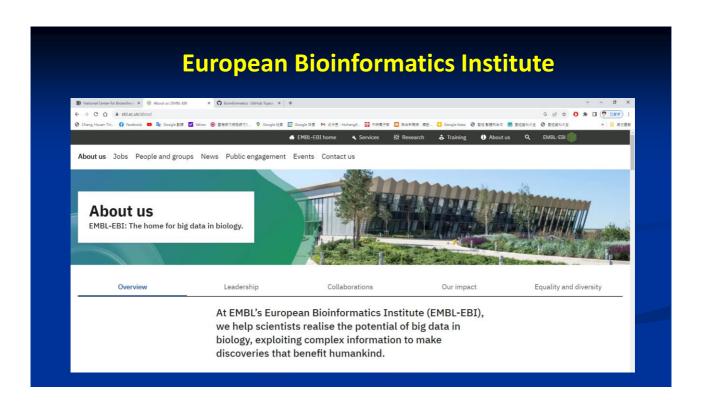
- Development of new algorithms for database searching and multiple sequence alignment
- Construction of non-redundant sequence databases
- Mathematical models for estimation of statistical significance of sequence similarity
- Establishment of microarray systems for screening disease genes

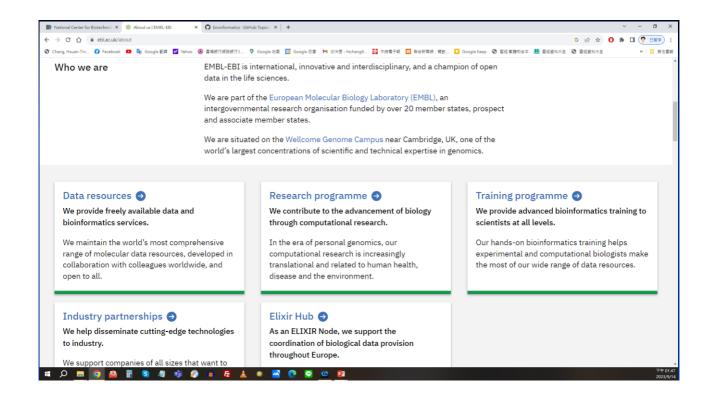


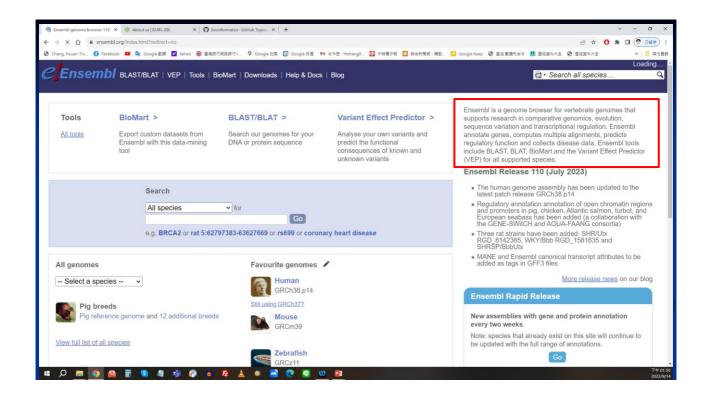










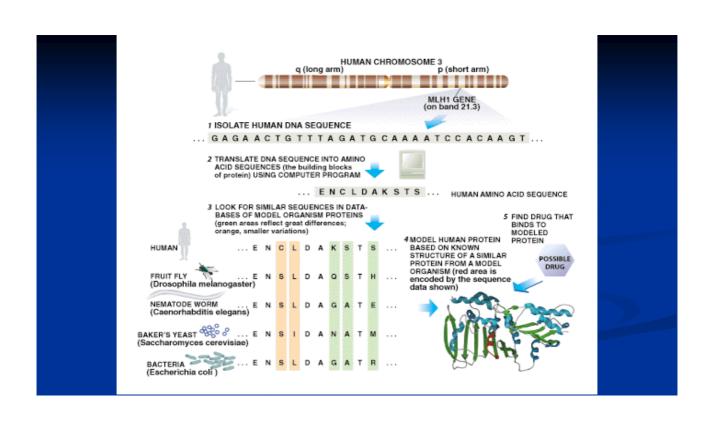


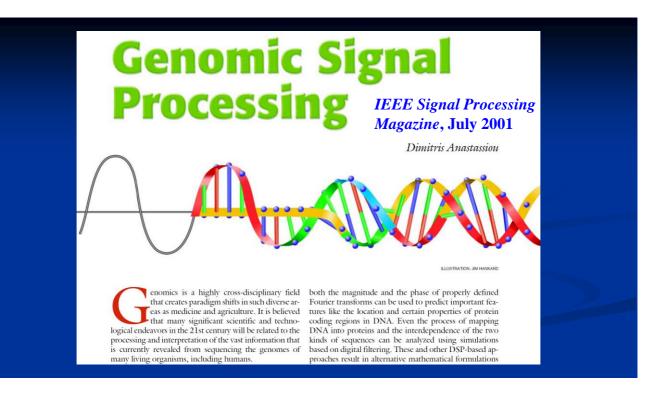
Ensembl is a genome browser for vertebrate genomes that supports research in comparative genomics, evolution, sequence variation and transcriptional regulation. Ensembl annotate genes, computes multiple alignments, predicts regulatory function and collects disease data. Ensembl tools include BLAST, BLAT, BioMart and the Variant Effect Predictor (VEP) for all supported species.

■ Ensembl 是一款脊椎動物基因 組瀏覽器,支持比較基因組學、 進化、序列變異和轉錄調控方 面的研究。 Ensembl 註釋基因、 計算多重比對、預測調控功能 並收集疾病數據。 Ensembl 工 具包括適用於所有受支持物種 的 BLAST、BLAT、BioMart 和 變異效應預測器 (VEP)。

Applications

- 遺傳學(動植物品種改良) Genetics (animal and plant breed improvement)
- 分子生物學(研究生命現象)Molecular biology (study of life phenomena)
- 臨床醫學(疾病治療)Clinical Medicine (Disease Treatment)
- 生物技術(環境保護與物種複製)Biotechnology (environmental protection and species replication)
- 食品藥物科學(食物改良與藥品設計) Food and Drug Science (Food Improvement and Drug Design)
- 法醫鑑識科學 (DNA比對) Food and Drug Science (Food Improvement and Drug Design)
- 考古學(物種演化)Archeology (Evolution of Species)



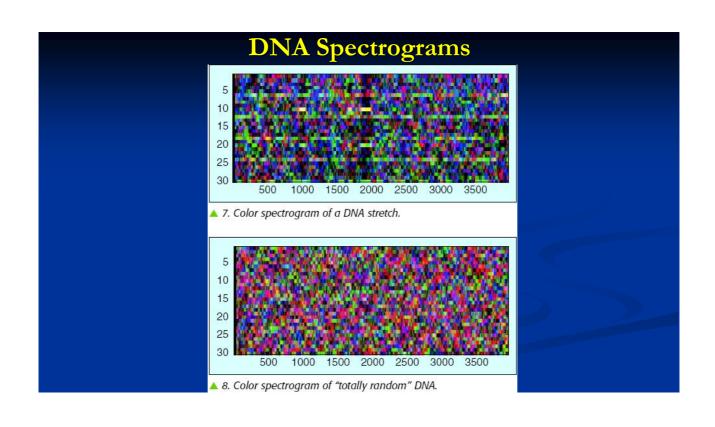


The Problem

- Genomic information is digital letters A, T, C and G
- Signal processing deals with numerical sequences, character strings have to be mapped into one or more numerical sequences
- Identification of protein coding regions
- Prediction of whether or not a given DNA segment is a part of a protein coding region
- Prediction of the proper reading frame
- Comparing to traditional methods, signal processing methods are much quicker, and can be even more accurate in some cases.

Genomic Signal Processing

- Digital Signal Processing Techniques
 - Fourier transform spectrogram
 - Wavelet transform
- Visualization & Feature Selection
 - Genomic & protein sequences
 - Sequence representation
 - Database retrieval



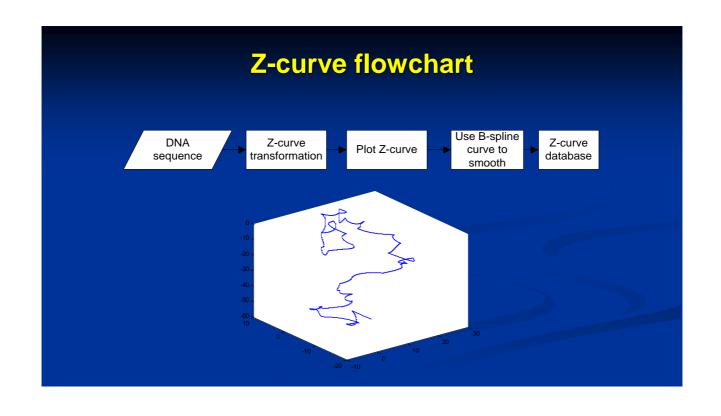
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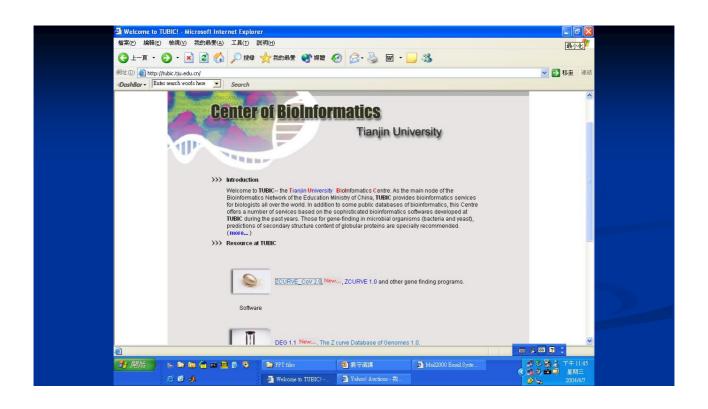
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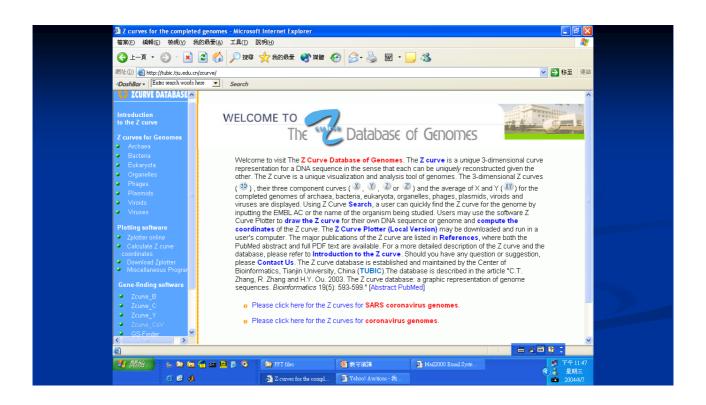
The Z curve database: a graphic representation of genome sequences Chun-Ting Zhang 1,*, Ren Zhang 2 and Hong-Yu Ou 1

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 - 2 Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, Tianjin Cancer Institute and Hospital, Tianjin 300060, People's Republic of China

$$\begin{cases} x_n = (A_n + G_n) - (C_n + T_n), \\ y_n = (A_n + C_n) - (G_n + T_n), & x_n, & y_n, & z_n \in [-N, N], & n = 0, 1, 2, ..., N, \\ z_n = (A_n + T_n) - (C_n + G_n), \end{cases}$$







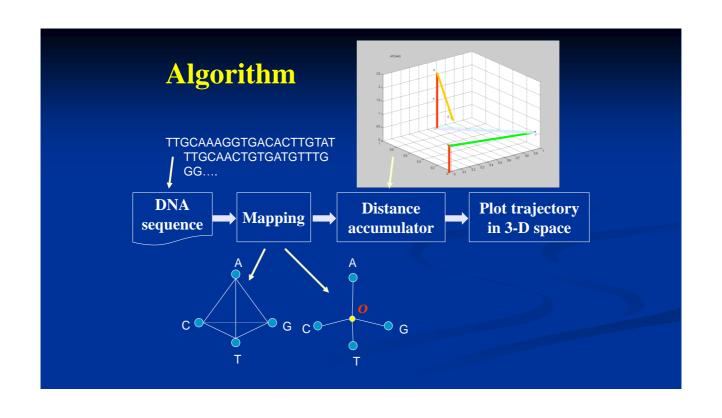
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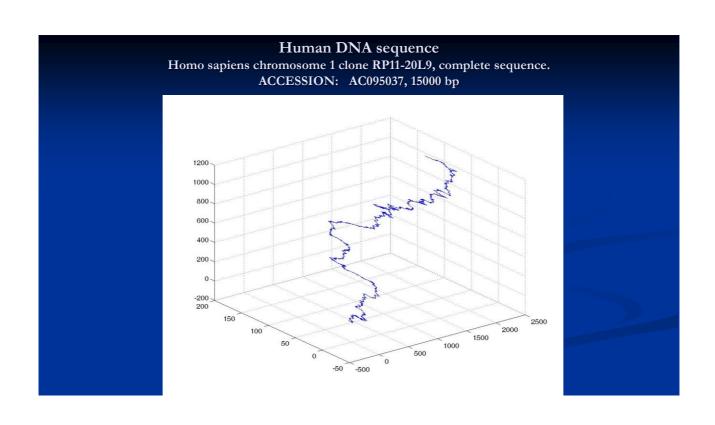
Visualization and Comparison of DNA Sequences by Use of Three-Dimensional Trajectories

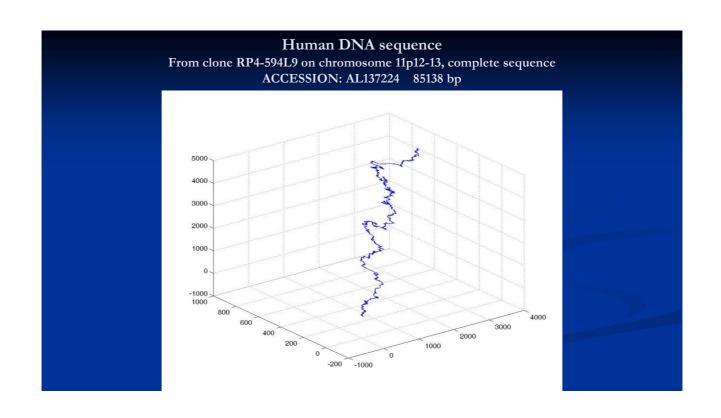
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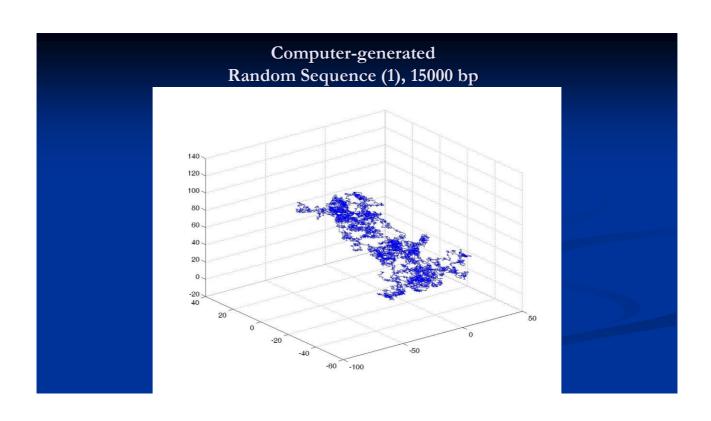
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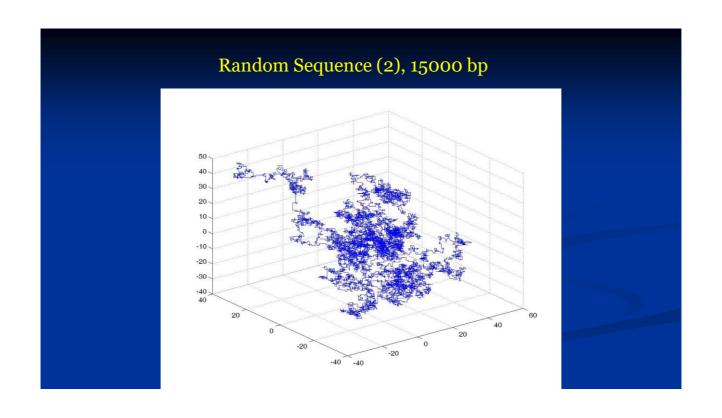
- A global view visualization tool
- Presentation of *pseudo shape* of DNA sequences
- Low computational overhead
- Easy to find major similarity/difference among DNA sequences
- Use DSP algorithms for further processing

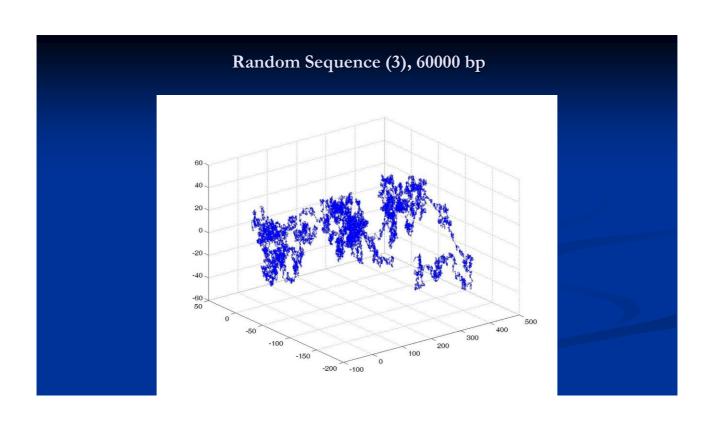


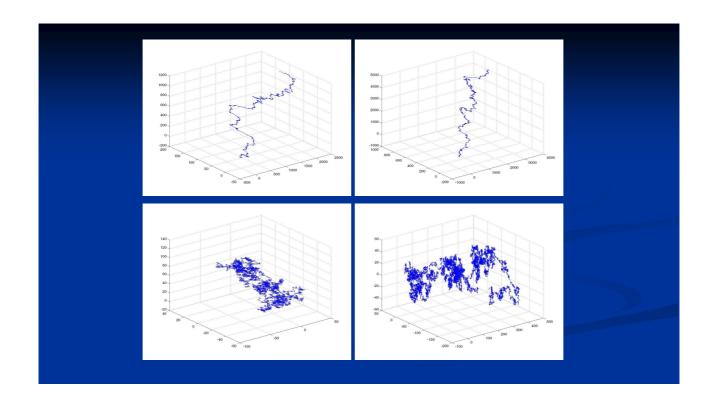


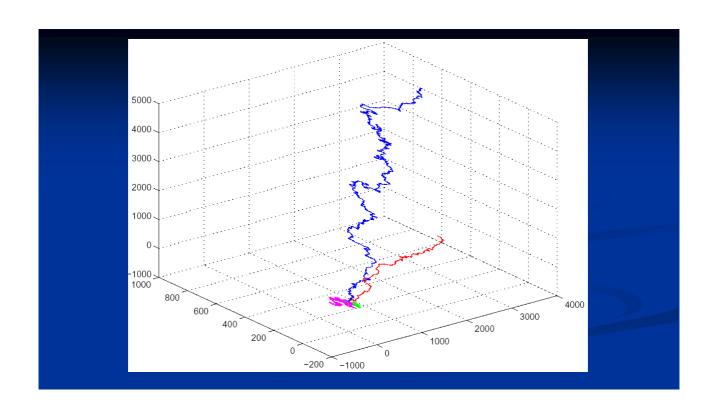


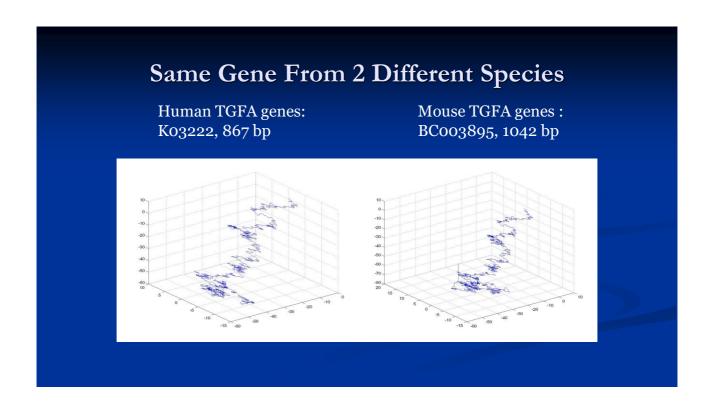


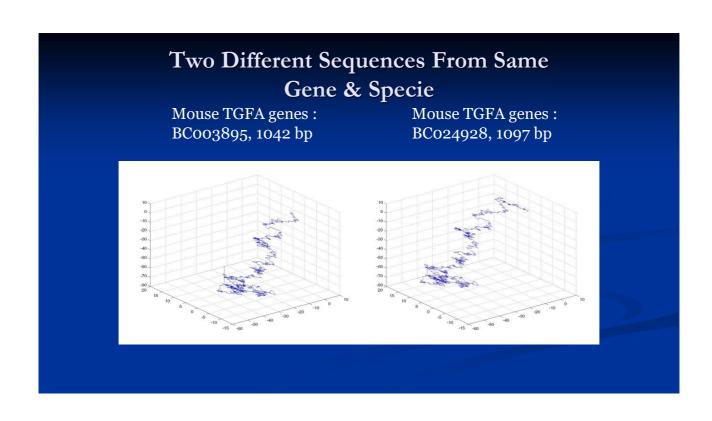


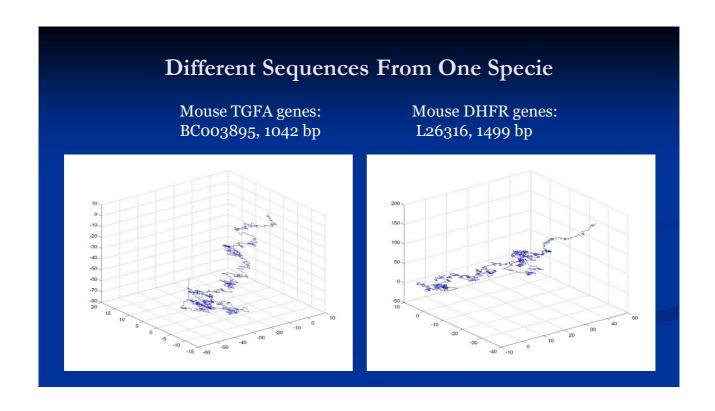


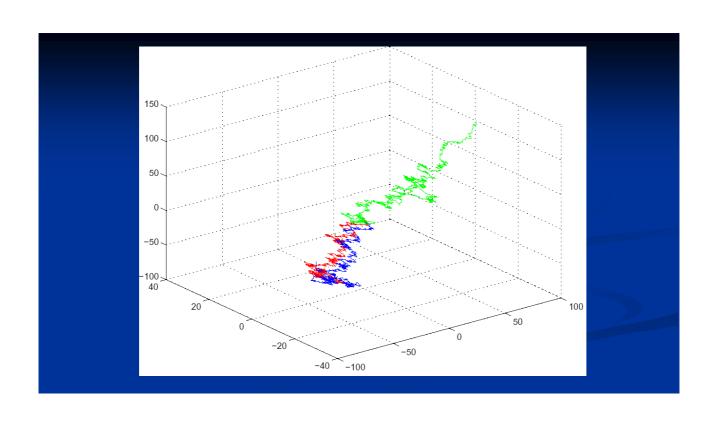


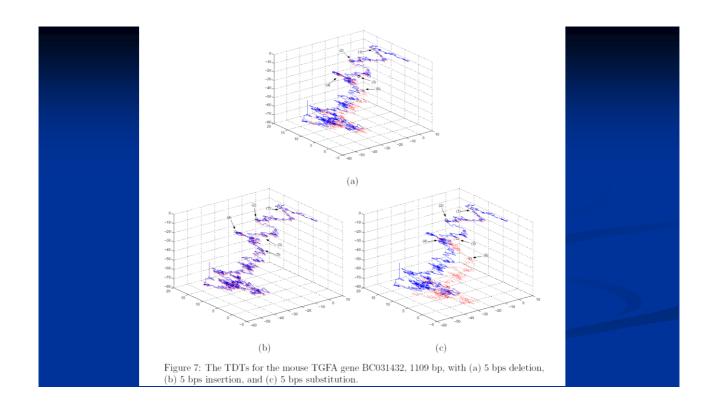


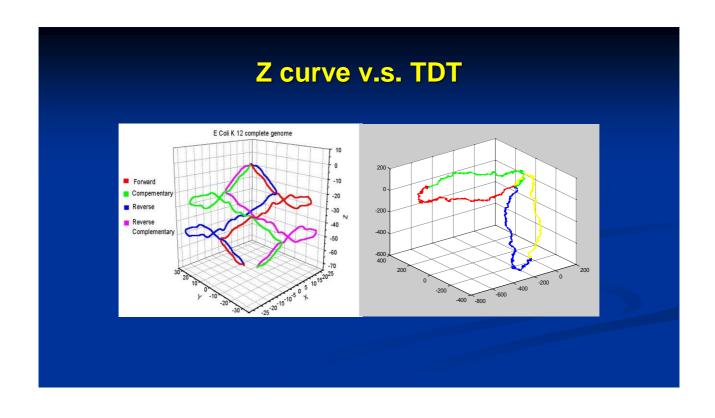


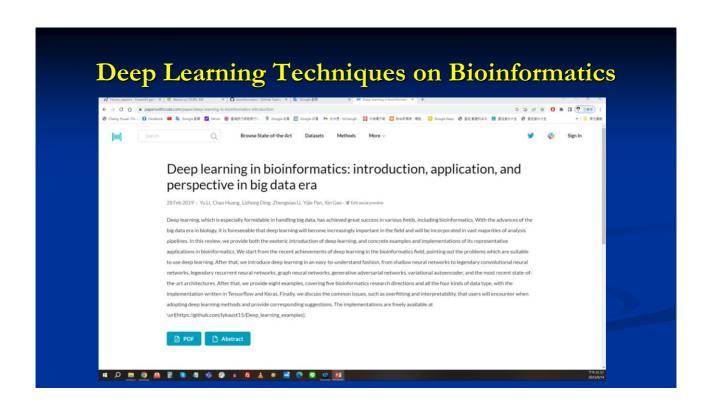


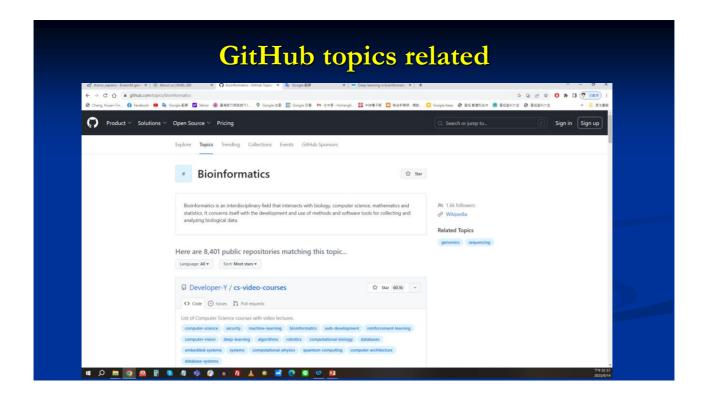












Challenges & Future Work

- Genomic signal processing opens a new signal processing frontier
- Sequence analysis: symbolic or categorical signal, classical signal processing methods are not directly applicable
- Increasingly high dimensionality of genetic data sets and the complexity involved call for fast and high throughput implementations of genomic signal processing algorithms
- Future work: spectral analysis of DNA sequence and data clustering of microarray data. Modify classical signal processing methods, and develop new ones.

What are the major Challenges & Future Work of bioinformatics research?

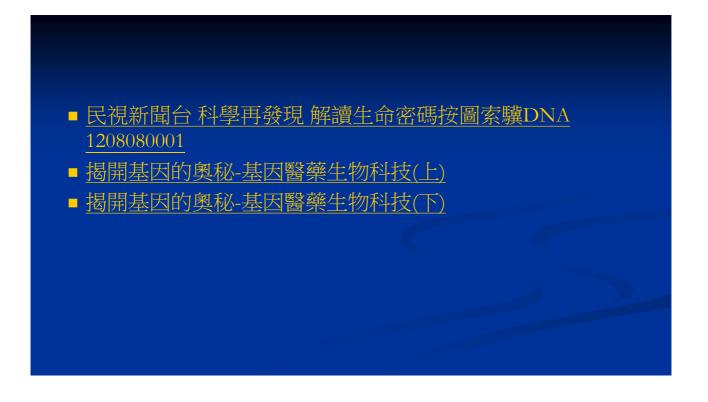
Bioinformatics research faces several challenges and opportunities for future work, including:

- 1. Data management: As the amount of biological data continues to grow exponentially, managing and storing this data is becoming increasingly challenging. Future work in bioinformatics will focus on developing new tools and techniques for data management.
- 2. Integration of data: Integrating data from multiple sources is another major challenge in bioinformatics. Future work will focus on developing new methods for integrating and analyzing data from different sources.

- 3. Algorithm development: Developing new algorithms for analyzing biological data is a major focus of bioinformatics research. Future work in this area will focus on developing new algorithms that can handle increasingly complex datasets.
- 4. Interdisciplinary collaboration: Bioinformatics research requires collaboration between researchers from different disciplines, including biology, computer science, and statistics. Future work will focus on fostering interdisciplinary collaboration to advance the field.

- 5. Ethical considerations: As bioinformatics research becomes more advanced, ethical considerations are becoming increasingly important. Future work will focus on developing ethical guidelines for bioinformatics research.
- Overall, the future of bioinformatics research looks promising, with opportunities for new discoveries and advancements in the field.





TED Talks about bioinformatics

- 台灣的生物科技夢: 林政和 (Jimmy Lin) at TEDxTaipei 2013
- The Human Genome: Collaboration is the New Competition | Dr. David Haussler | TEDxSantaCruz
- How to interpret the human genome | Alisha Holloway | TEDxClaremontColleges
- Bioinformatics: A way to deciphere DNA and cure life's deadliest diseases | Spencer Hall | TEDxUGA

相關延伸演講

- ■當深度學習與生物資訊在個人全基因體註解相遇
- 主講人:陳倩瑜 臺大生物產業機電工程學系教授
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JwTYvtUTiRM

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