

# CM122/222

# Bioinformatics Algorithms

Discussion 1A

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# Outline

- Task: Multiple pattern matching problem
- Approaches
  - Brute-force pattern matching
  - Trie matching
  - Suffix trie, suffix tree and suffix array
  - Burrows-Wheeler Transform (BWT)

# Task: Multiple pattern matching problem

- Find all occurrences of a collection of patterns in a text.
- Input:
  - A string *Text*;
  - A collection *Patterns* containing shorter strings.
- Output: All starting positions in *Text* where a string from *Patterns* appears as a substring.
- Example:
  - Input:
    - Text = AATCGGGTTCAATCGGGGT
    - Patterns = {ATCG, GGGT}
  - Output:
    - ATCG: 1, 11; GGGT: 4, 15.

# Brute-force pattern matching

- ♥ Method:

- Slide each *Pattern* along *Text*;
- Check whether substring starting at each position matches *Pattern*.

- Runtime

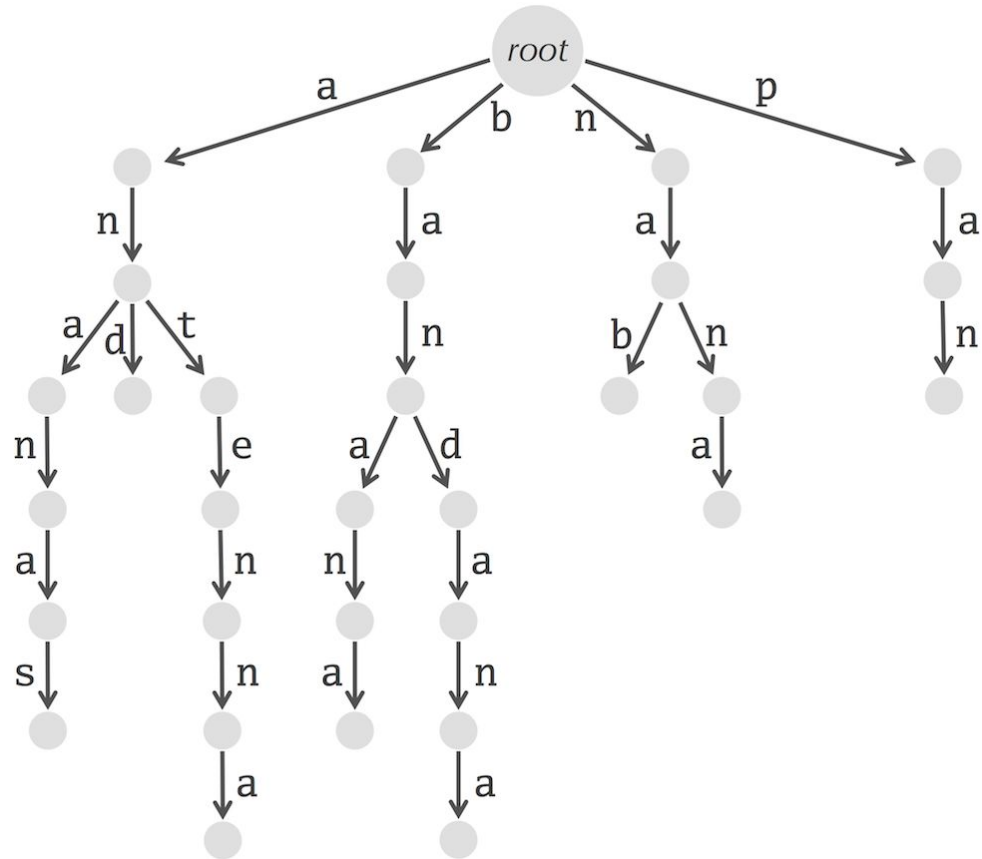
- Suppose there are  $n$  patterns;
- Maximum pattern length is  $m$ ;
- Sum of lengths of all patterns is  $M$ ;
- Length of Text is  $L$ .
- Time complexity:  $O(ML)$ .

# Trie Matching

# Trie

- Components of a **trie**:
  - A trie is a tree;
  - Nodes, including a **root** node and **leaf** nodes.
  - Edges, each labelled by a letter of the alphabet.
- Properties:
  - Different edges coming out of a node have different labels;
  - Each path from the root node to a leaf node represents a pattern.

# Trie



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- Patterns encoded in the trie:

- ananas
- and
- antenna
- banana
- bandana
- nab
- nana
- pan

```
class Node
def TrieConstruct(Patterns):
    root = Node(0)
    for pattern in Patterns:
        current node <- root
        for each character in pattern:
            if character in current node.edges:
                current node <- root.edge2node[character]
            else:
                new node = Node(new id)
                current node.edges.append(charater)
                current node.edge2node[charater] = new node
                current node <- new node
    return root
```

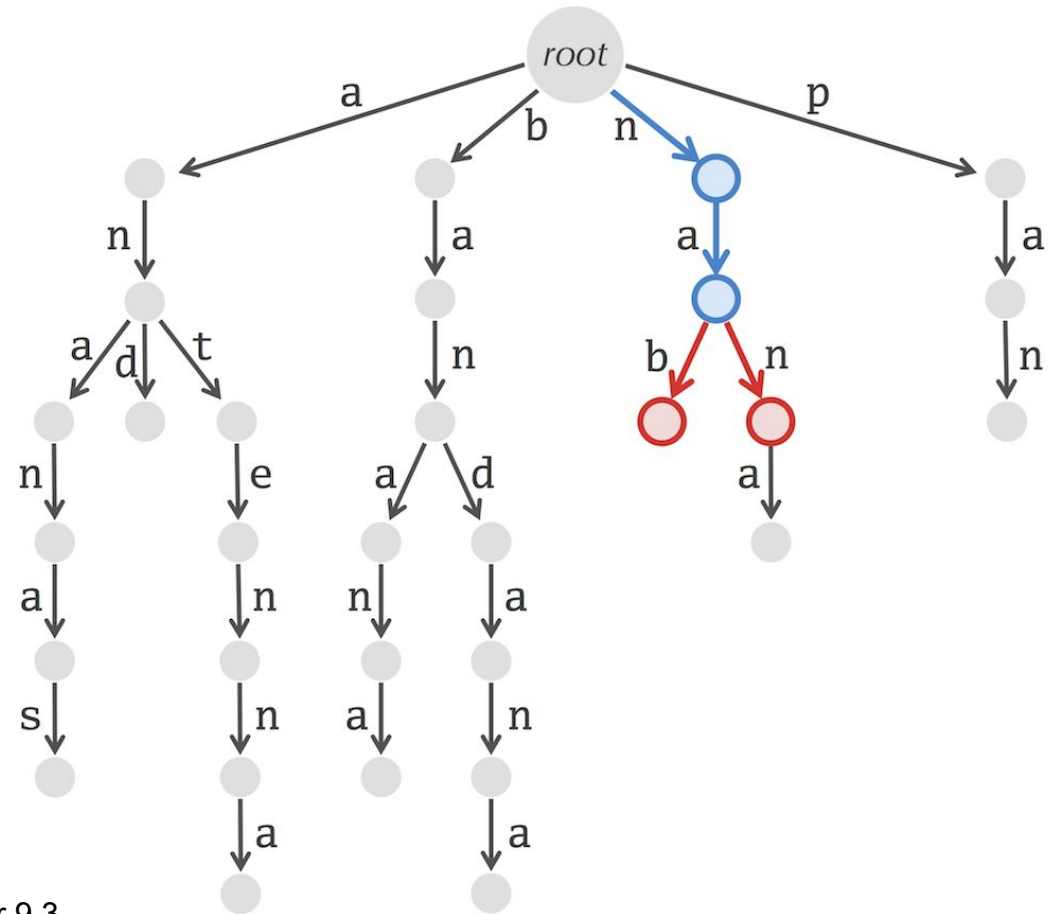
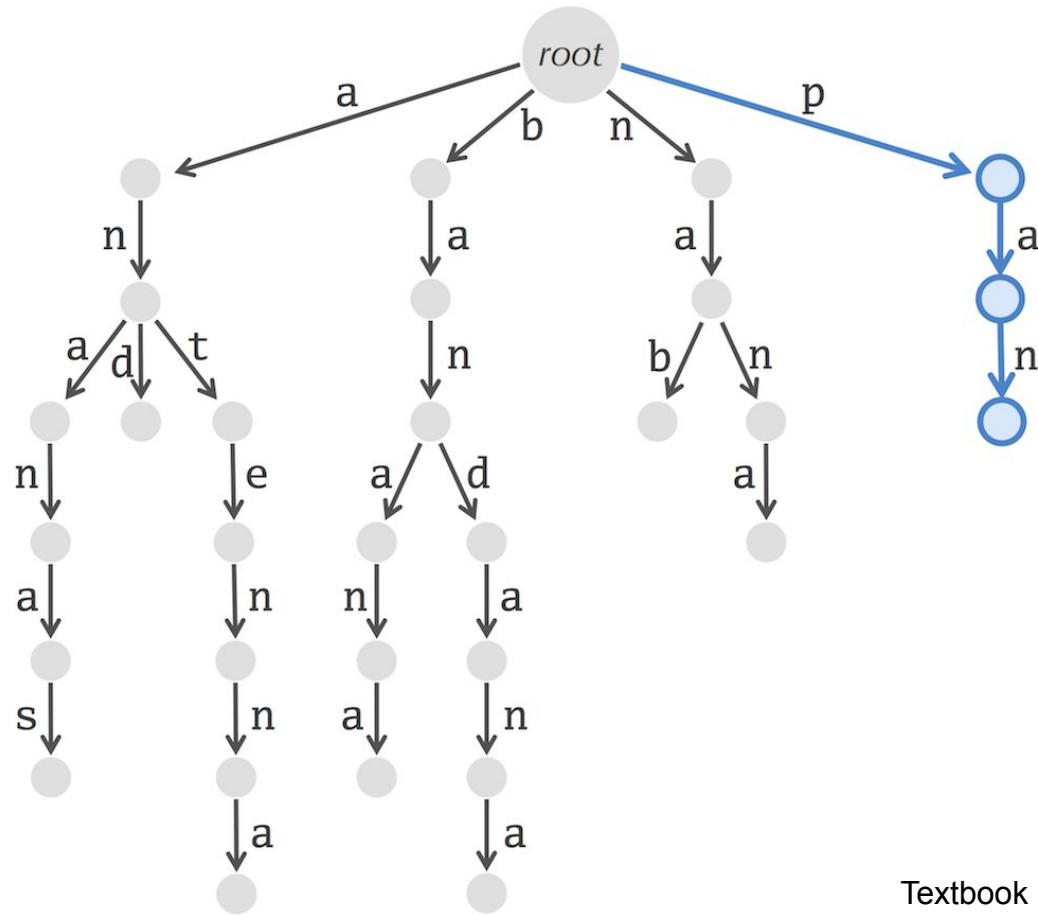


# Trie construction

To add *Pattern* to the trie:

- Start with the root node.
- For each *letter* in *Pattern*:
  - If the current node has an outgoing edge labelled by *letter*, then proceed along this edge to another node;
  - Else, create a new node and an edge from the current node to the new node labelled by *letter*. Proceed to the new node.

# Trie matching



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*Text* = panamabananas. Successful match from 1<sup>st</sup> letter of *Text*. No pattern matches from 3<sup>rd</sup> letter of *Text*.

# Problem with Trie Matching

- What if one pattern is the prefix of another?
- Example: *Patterns* = {A, AA}
- What is the corresponding trie?
- Cannot determine the end of a pattern by whether a leaf node is reached!

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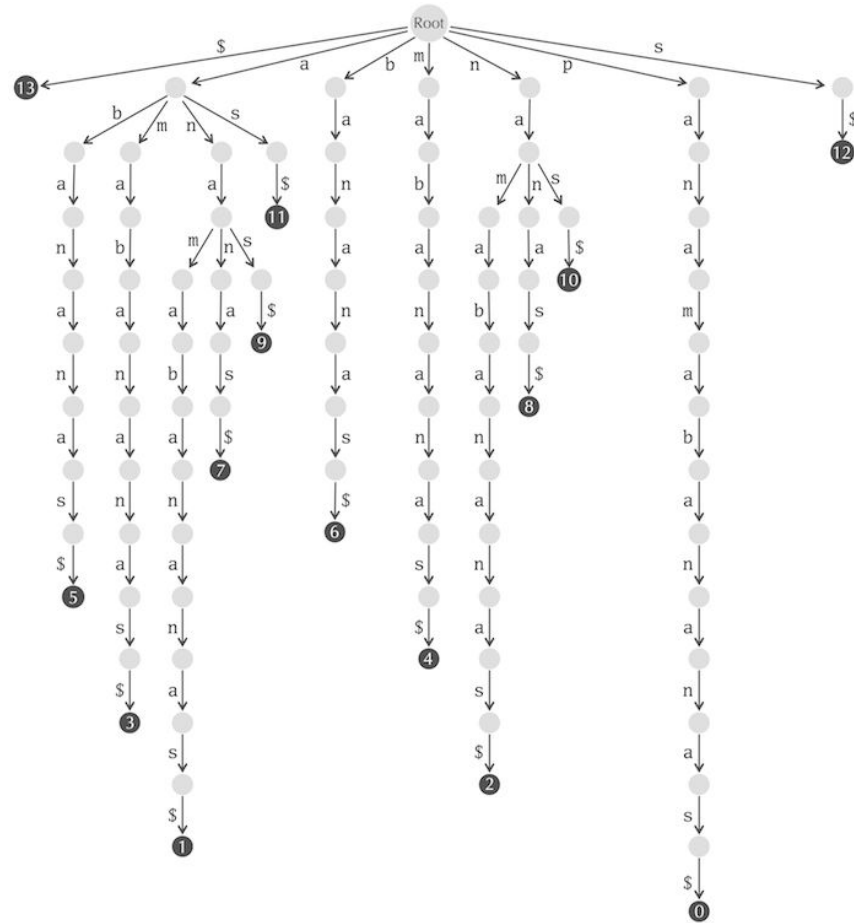
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- Example: *Patterns* = {A, AA}
- What is the corresponding trie?
- Cannot determine the end of a pattern by whether a leaf node is reached!
- Solution:
  - Append "\$" to each pattern.
  - End of a pattern: node with an outgoing edge labelled "\$".

# Trie Matching

- Subroutine: find patterns that match with a prefix of *Text* (prefix matching).
  - Start with the root node.
  - For each *letter* of *Text*.
    - If the current node is a leaf node, then return the word spelled by the path from the root node to the current node.
    - If there is an outgoing edge from the current node labelled by *letter*, then proceed along the edge to another node.
    - Else, no pattern is found.
- Trie matching: Perform prefix matching for each suffix of *Text*.
- Runtime:  $O(M + mL)$
- Memory:  $O(M)$

Suffix Trie,  
Suffix Tree,  
Suffix Array

# Suffix trie



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- A suffix trie is a trie that encodes all suffixes of Text (with “\$” appended).
- Each leaf marks the starting position of the suffix.
- Why \$: papa

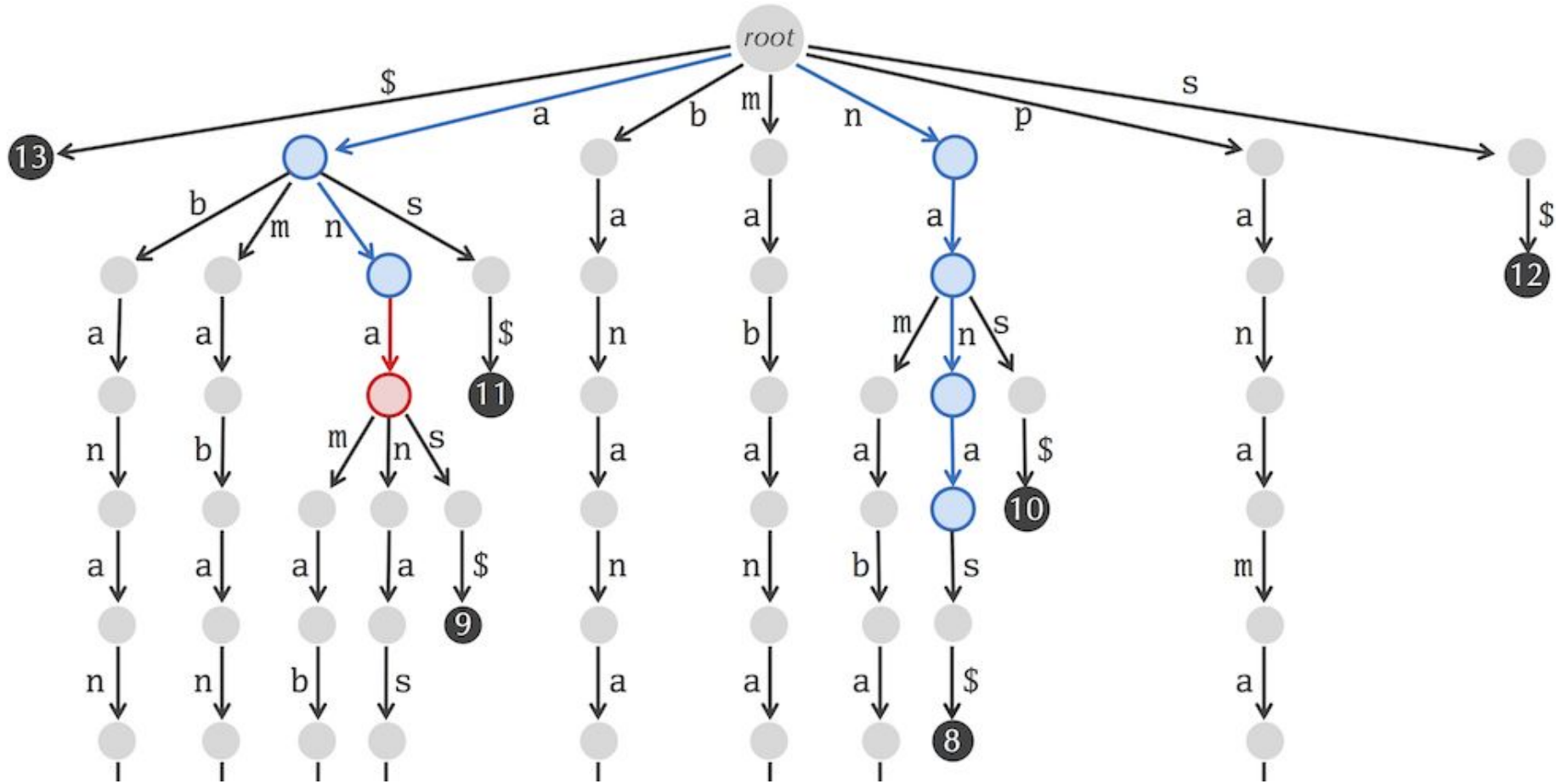
```
class Node
    self.label
def SuffixTrieConstruct(Text):
    root = Node(0)
    for i from 0 to len(Text)-1:
        pattern = Text[i:]
        current node <- root
        for each character in pattern:
            if character in current node.edges:
                current node <- root.edge2node[character]
            else:
                new node = Node(new id)
                current node.edges.append(charater)
                current node.edge2node[charater] = new node
                current node <- new node
        if character == '$':
            current node.label = i
    return root
```



# Suffix Trie Construct

```
for each suffix in Text:
    for each symbol in suffix:
        currentnode <- root node
        if symbol in node.edges:
            currentnode <- node.edge2node
        else:
            add new node
            currentnode <- new node
    if symbol == '$':
        currentnode.label = suffix position
```

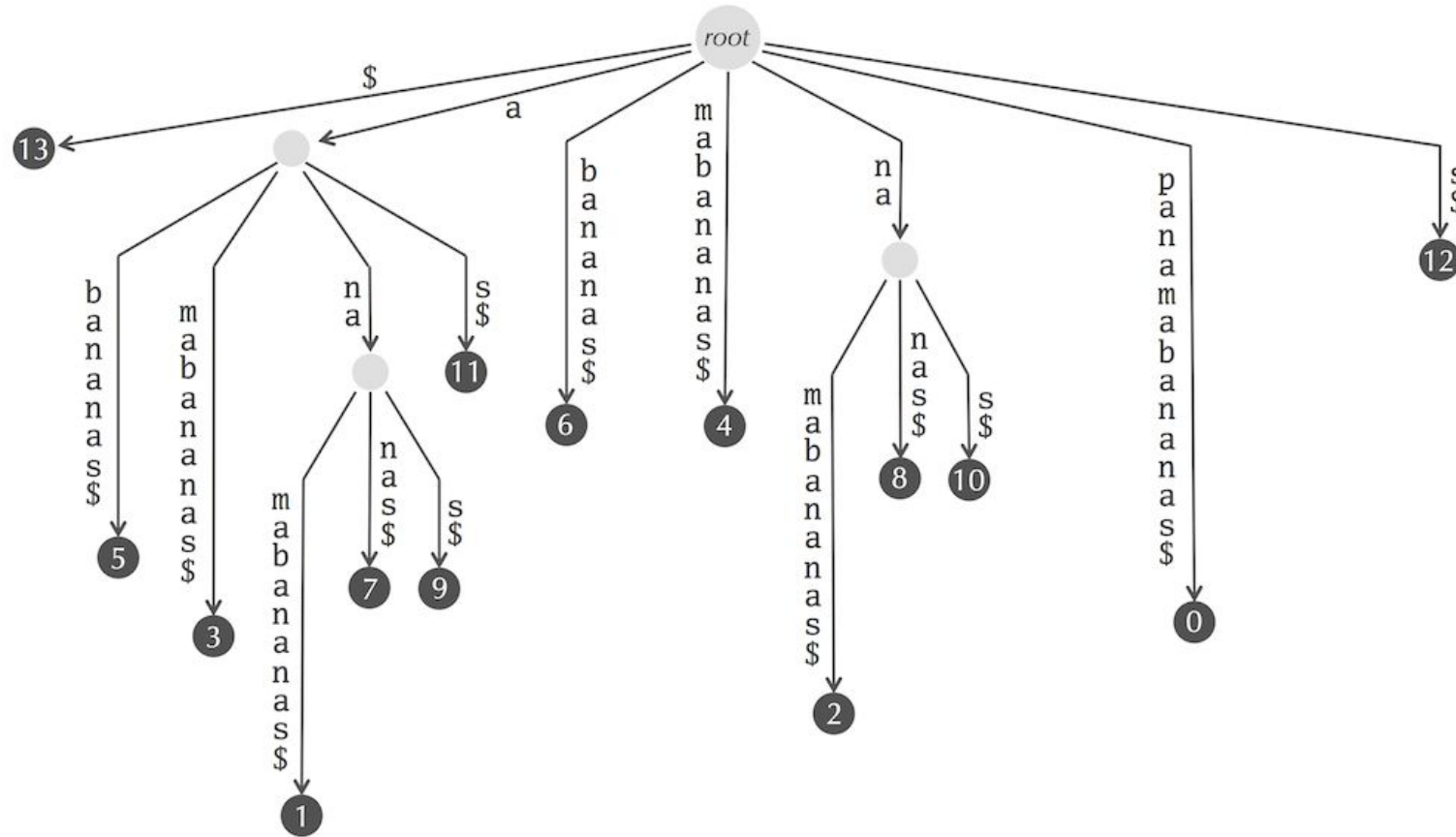
# Suffix trie matching



# Suffix trie matching

- Method:
  - Start from root node.
  - For each *letter* in *Pattern*:
    - If the current node has an outgoing edge labelled by *letter*, then proceed along the edge to another node;
    - Else, *Pattern* is not matched by any subsequence of *Text*.
  - Return **labels of all leaf nodes** under the current node.
- Runtime and memory when constructing suffix trie:  $O(L^2)$ .

# Suffix tree



- Designed to save memory of suffix trie.
- From suffix **trie** to suffix **tree**: combine non-branching paths.
- For each edge, store only the **starting position** of the subsequence in *Text* and its **length**.
- Memory:  $O(L)$ .

```
def TraverseTrie(root):  
    node_list = [root]  
    while len(node_list) > 0:  
        current node = pop up first element of node list  
        for edge in current node.edges:  
            node_list.append(current node.edge2node[edge])
```

# Suffix tree construction

Trie  $\rightarrow$  Tree:

```
for each node in Trie:
    if number of edges > 1:
        for edge in edges:
            new_edge = []
            next_node = node.edge2node
            while number of edges of next node == 1:
                new_edge.append(edge)
                next_node = next_node.edge2node
            node.edge = new_edge
            node.edge2node = next_node
```

# Suffix array

Starting Positions	Sorted Suffixes
13	\$
5	abananas\$
3	amabananas\$
1	anamabananas\$
7	ananas\$
9	anas\$
11	as\$
6	bananas\$
4	mabananas\$
2	namabananas\$
8	nanas\$
10	nas\$
0	panamabananas\$
12	s\$

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## Construction:

- Sort suffixes of *Text* lexicographically (“\$” comes first);
- List starting positions.

## Suffix array matching:

- Use **binary search** among all suffixes to find first occurrence of *Pattern* in suffix array;
- Use **binary search** after the first occurrence of *Pattern* to find its last occurrence of in suffix array.

# Burrows-Wheeler Transform (BWT)



# BWT construction

Cyclic Rotations	$M(\text{"panamabananas\$"})$
panamabananas\$	\$ p a n a m a b a n a n a <b>s</b>
\$panamabananas	a b a n a n a s \$ p a n a <b>m</b>
s\$panamabanana	a m a b a n a n a s \$ p a <b>n</b>
as\$panamabanan	a n a m a b a n a n a s \$ <b>p</b>
nas\$panamabana	a n a n a s \$ p a n a m a <b>b</b>
anas\$panamaban	a n a s \$ p a n a m a b a <b>n</b>
nanas\$panamaba	a s \$ p a n a m a b a n a <b>n</b>
ananas\$panamab	b a n a n a s \$ p a n a m <b>a</b>
bananas\$panama	m a b a n a n a s \$ p a n <b>a</b>
abananas\$panam	n a m a b a n a n a s \$ p <b>a</b>
mabananas\$pana	n a n a s \$ p a n a m a b <b>a</b>
amabananas\$pan	n a s \$ p a n a m a b a n <b>a</b>
namabananas\$pa	p a n a m a b a n a n a s <b>\$</b>
anamabananas\$p	s \$ p a n a m a b a n a n <b>a</b>

- List all cyclic rotations;
- Sort cyclic rotations to get Burrows-Wheeler matrix (BWM).
- BWT = last column of BWM.

# First-last property

\$	p	a	n	a	m	a	b	a	n	a	n	a	s
<b>a<sub>1</sub></b>	b	a	n	a	n	a	s	\$	p	a	n	a	m
<b>a<sub>2</sub></b>	m	a	b	a	n	a	n	a	s	\$	p	a	n
<b>a<sub>3</sub></b>	n	a	m	a	b	a	n	a	n	a	s	\$	p
<b>a<sub>4</sub></b>	n	a	n	a	s	\$	p	a	n	a	m	a	b
<b>a<sub>5</sub></b>	n	a	s	\$	p	a	n	a	m	a	b	a	n
<b>a<sub>6</sub></b>	s	\$	p	a	n	a	m	a	b	a	n	a	n
b	a	n	a	n	a	s	\$	p	a	n	a	m	<b>a<sub>1</sub></b>
m	a	b	a	n	a	n	a	s	\$	p	a	n	<b>a<sub>2</sub></b>
n	a	m	a	b	a	n	a	n	a	s	\$	p	<b>a<sub>3</sub></b>
n	a	n	a	s	\$	p	a	n	a	m	a	b	<b>a<sub>4</sub></b>
n	a	s	\$	p	a	n	a	m	a	b	a	n	<b>a<sub>5</sub></b>
p	a	n	a	m	a	b	a	n	a	n	a	s	\$
s	\$	p	a	n	a	m	a	b	a	n	a	n	<b>a<sub>6</sub></b>

- The **k-th occurrence of a symbol in the first column and the k-th occurrence in the last column correspond to the same position in *Text*.**

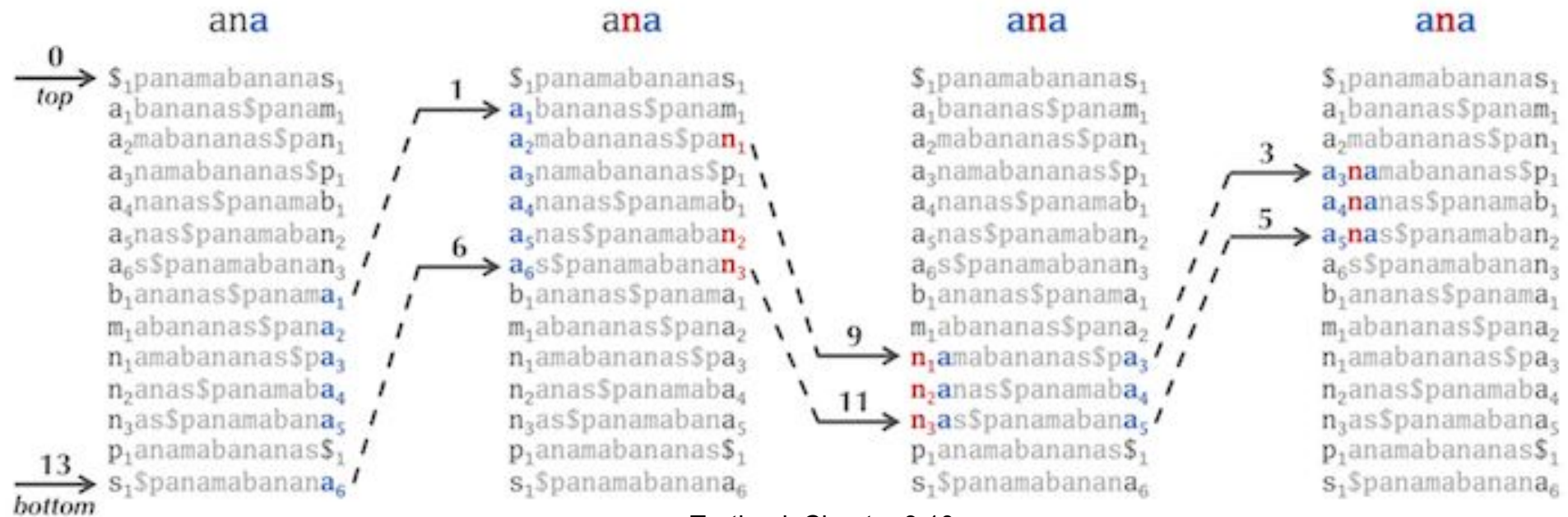
Why?

- Consider all occurrences of a symbol in the first column.
- After moving the symbol to the end of each of these rows, they will still be sorted.
- Moreover, they become the rows with the symbol in the last column.

# Inverse BWT

- Example:
- `enwvpeoseu$llt`

# BW matching



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- Observation: Consecutive occurrences of any symbol in the last column correspond to consecutive occurrences in the first column.
- Finding all occurrences reduced to finding first and last occurrences.
- Maintain two pointers *top* and *bottom*.

# BW matching

```
top = 0
bottom = len(Text)
for s in Pattern:
    if s in BWText[top:bottom]:
        topindex = first position
        bottomindex = last position
        top = last2first(topindex)
        bottom = last2first(bottomindex)
    else:
        return 0
return bottom-top+1
```

# BW matching: speedup

<i>i</i>	<i>FirstColumn</i>	<i>LastColumn</i>	LASTTOFIRST( <i>i</i> )	COUNT						
				\$	a	b	m	n	p	s
0	\$ <sub>1</sub>	s <sub>1</sub>	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	a <sub>1</sub>	m <sub>1</sub>	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
2	a <sub>2</sub>	n <sub>1</sub>	9	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
3	a <sub>3</sub>	p <sub>1</sub>	12	0	0	0	1	1	0	1
4	a <sub>4</sub>	b <sub>1</sub>	7	0	0	0	1	1	1	1
5	a <sub>5</sub>	n <sub>2</sub>	10	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
6	a <sub>6</sub>	n <sub>3</sub>	11	0	0	1	1	2	1	1
7	b <sub>1</sub>	a <sub>1</sub>	1	0	0	1	1	3	1	1
8	m <sub>1</sub>	a <sub>2</sub>	2	0	1	1	1	3	1	1
9	n <sub>1</sub>	a <sub>3</sub>	3	0	2	1	1	3	1	1
10	n <sub>2</sub>	a <sub>4</sub>	4	0	3	1	1	3	1	1
11	n <sub>3</sub>	a <sub>5</sub>	5	0	4	1	1	3	1	1
12	p <sub>1</sub>	\$ <sub>1</sub>	0	0	5	1	1	3	1	1
13	s <sub>1</sub>	a <sub>6</sub>	6	1	5	1	1	3	1	1
				1	6	1	1	3	1	1

Count array:

- $Count_{symbol}(i, LastColumn)$ :  
number of occurrences of  
*symbol* in the last column  
before the *i*-th row.

# BW matching: speedup

- Consider update:
  - $top \leftarrow LastToFirst(\text{First occurrence of } symbol \text{ after } top \text{ in } LastColumn)$
- Righthand side is equal to:
  - First occurrence of *symbol* in *FirstColumn* +  $Count_{symbol}(top, LastColumn)$
- Use  $FirstOccurrence(symbol)$  to represent the first occurrence of a symbol in the first column.
- Update of *top*:
  - $top \leftarrow FirstOccurrence(symbol) + Count_{symbol}(top, LastColumn)$
- Update of *bottom*:
  - $bottom \leftarrow FirstOccurrence(symbol) + Count_{symbol}(bottom + 1, LastColumn) - 1$

# BW matching: further improvement

<i>i</i>	<i>LastColumn</i>	COUNT						
		\$	a	b	m	n	p	s
0	s <sub>1</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	m <sub>1</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
2	n <sub>1</sub>	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
3	p <sub>1</sub>	0	0	0	1	1	0	1
4	b <sub>1</sub>	0	0	0	1	1	1	1
5	n <sub>2</sub>	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
6	n <sub>3</sub>	0	0	1	1	2	1	1
7	a <sub>1</sub>	0	0	1	1	3	1	1
8	a <sub>2</sub>	0	1	1	1	3	1	1
9	a <sub>3</sub>	0	2	1	1	3	1	1
10	a <sub>4</sub>	0	3	1	1	3	1	1
11	a <sub>5</sub>	0	4	1	1	3	1	1
12	\$ <sub>1</sub>	0	5	1	1	3	1	1
13	a <sub>6</sub>	1	5	1	1	3	1	1
		1	6	1	1	3	1	1

- Storing the entire count array is expensive!
- Solution:
  - Set up **checkpoints** at rows with indices being a multiple of  $C$ .
  - To obtain count array of any row, start with the closest checkpoint and count all occurrences of *symbol* until the desired row.



# Where are the matched patterns?

- Use suffix array.

<i>M(Text)</i>	<i>SUFFIXARRAY(Text)</i>
\$ p a n a m a b a n a n a s	13
a b a n a n a s \$ p a n a m	5
a m a b a n a n a s \$ p a n	3
<b>a n a</b> m a b a n a n a s \$ p	<b>1</b>
<b>a n a</b> n a s \$ p a n a m a b	<b>7</b>
<b>a n a</b> s \$ p a n a m a b a n	<b>9</b>
a s \$ p a n a m a b a n a n	11
b a n a n a s \$ p a n a m a	6
m a b a n a n a s \$ p a n a	4
n a m a b a n a n a s \$ p a	2
n a n a s \$ p a n a m a b a	8
n a s \$ p a n a m a b a n a	10
p a n a m a b a n a n a s \$	0
s \$ p a n a m a b a n a n a	12

# Where are the matched patterns?

- Also use checkpoints to save memory.

			Partial Suffix Array
panamab <span style="color: green;">a</span> nanas\$	panama <span style="color: red;">b</span> <span style="color: green;">a</span> nanas\$	panama <span style="color: blue;">b</span> <span style="color: green;">a</span> nanas\$	
\$ <sub>1</sub> panamabananas <sub>1</sub>	\$ <sub>1</sub> panamabananas <sub>1</sub>	\$ <sub>1</sub> panamabananas <sub>1</sub>	13
a <sub>1</sub> bananas\$panam <sub>1</sub>	a <sub>1</sub> bananas\$panam <sub>1</sub>	<span style="color: blue;">a</span> <sub>1</sub> <span style="color: red;">b</span> <span style="color: green;">a</span> nanas\$panam <sub>1</sub> →	5
a <sub>2</sub> mabananas\$pan <sub>1</sub>	a <sub>2</sub> mabananas\$pan <sub>1</sub>	a <sub>2</sub> mabananas\$pan <sub>1</sub>	3
a <sub>3</sub> namabananas\$p <sub>1</sub>	a <sub>3</sub> namabananas\$p <sub>1</sub>	a <sub>3</sub> namabananas\$p <sub>1</sub>	1
<span style="color: green;">a</span> <sub>4</sub> <span style="color: green;">n</span> anas\$panama <span style="color: red;">b</span> <sub>1</sub>	a <sub>4</sub> nanas\$panamab <sub>1</sub>	a <sub>4</sub> nanas\$panamab <sub>1</sub>	7
a <sub>5</sub> nas\$panamaban <sub>2</sub>	a <sub>5</sub> nas\$panamaban <sub>2</sub>	a <sub>5</sub> nas\$panamaban <sub>2</sub>	9
a <sub>6</sub> s\$panamabanan <sub>3</sub>	a <sub>6</sub> s\$panamabanan <sub>3</sub>	a <sub>6</sub> s\$panamabanan <sub>3</sub>	11
b <sub>1</sub> ananas\$panama <span style="color: blue;">a</span> <sub>1</sub>	<span style="color: red;">b</span> <sub>1</sub> <span style="color: green;">a</span> nanas\$panama <span style="color: blue;">a</span> <sub>1</sub>	b <sub>1</sub> ananas\$panama <sub>1</sub>	6
m <sub>1</sub> abananas\$pana <span style="color: blue;">a</span> <sub>2</sub>	m <sub>1</sub> abananas\$pana <sub>2</sub>	m <sub>1</sub> abananas\$pana <sub>2</sub>	4
n <sub>1</sub> amabananas\$pa <span style="color: blue;">a</span> <sub>3</sub>	n <sub>1</sub> amabananas\$pa <sub>3</sub>	n <sub>1</sub> amabananas\$pa <sub>3</sub>	2
n <sub>2</sub> anas\$panamaba <span style="color: blue;">a</span> <sub>4</sub>	n <sub>2</sub> anas\$panamaba <sub>4</sub>	n <sub>2</sub> anas\$panamaba <sub>4</sub>	8
n <sub>3</sub> as\$panamabana <span style="color: blue;">a</span> <sub>5</sub>	n <sub>3</sub> as\$panamabana <sub>5</sub>	n <sub>3</sub> as\$panamabana <sub>5</sub>	10
p <sub>1</sub> anamabananas\$ <sub>1</sub>	p <sub>1</sub> anamabananas\$ <sub>1</sub>	p <sub>1</sub> anamabananas\$ <sub>1</sub>	0
s <sub>1</sub> \$panamabanan <span style="color: blue;">a</span> <sub>6</sub>	s <sub>1</sub> \$panamabanan <span style="color: blue;">a</span> <sub>6</sub>	s <sub>1</sub> \$panamabanan <span style="color: blue;">a</span> <sub>6</sub>	12

# Project 1

(created by Luke Li)

# Types of genetic mutations used for grading

[https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Deletion\\_Insertion\\_Substitution-en.svg](https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Deletion_Insertion_Substitution-en.svg)

... AGCGTCGATGGAGATT ...



... AGCGT - - - - AGATT ...  
... AGCGTAGATT ...

Deletion

... AGCGTCGATGGAGATT ...  
... AGCGTCGACCATGGAGATT ...

Insertion

... AGCGTCGATGGAGATT ...  
... AGCGTCGCTGGAGATT ...

Substitution

# What data structure should you use to represent the genome?

## Lecture 3

### Index for L/3 (is BIG!)

- Intuition: Create an index (or phone book) for the genome.
- We can look up an entry quickly.

If  $L=30$ , each entry will have a key of length 10. Each entry will contain on average  $N/4^{10}$  positions. (Approximately 3,000).

Sequence	Positions
AAAAAAAAAA	32453, 64543, 76335
AAAAAAAAAC	64534, 84323, 96536
AAAAAAAAAG	12352, 32534, 56346
AAAAAAAAAT	23245, 54333, 75464
AAAAAAAAACA	
AAAAAAAAACC	43523, 67543
...	
CAAAAAAAAA	32345, 65442
CAAAAAAAAAAC	34653, 67323, 76354
...	
TCGACATGAG	54234, 67344, 75423
TCGACATGAT	11213, 22323
...	
TTTTTTTTTTG	64252
TTTTTTTTTTT	64246, 77355, 78453

If  $L=45$ , each entry will have a key of length 15. Each entry will contain on average 3 positions.

You can create a hash table containing positions of all unique k-mers in the genome.

You can also use tries or BWT.

# How do you map a read to the genome?

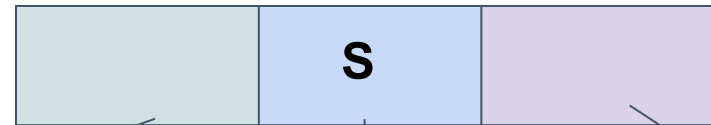
Assume you have a read of length  $L$  and a hash table  $k$ -mer positions.

You can cut the read into  $L/k$  fragments and try to find the position of each fragment.

Genome



Read (with 1 substitution in the middle)



Mapped to a position  $A$

Mapped to a position  $A + 2k$

Not found in hash or  
mapped to somewhere else

# How would indels look like on your read?

Genome

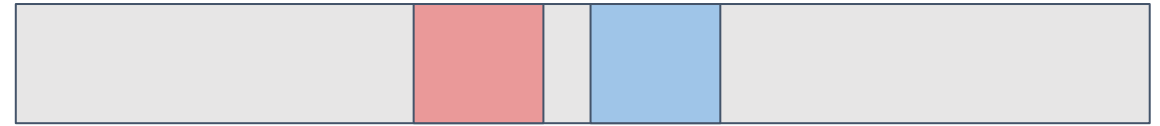


Read

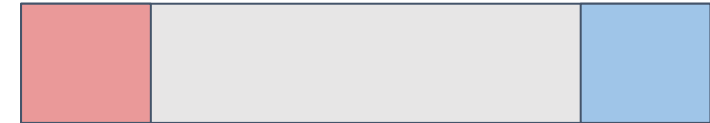


Deletion: some fragments of your read will map to positions that are more far apart on the genome

Genome



Read



Insertion: some fragments of your read will map to positions that are closer on the genome