MSA AND PHYLOGENETIC TREES

Align any 10 sequences of your choice by using Clustal Omega and explain their relation using a phylogenetic tree.

INTRODUCTION:

MULTIPLE SEQUENCE ALIGNMENT: It is generally the alignment of three or more sequences of similar length. From the output, homology can be inferred and the evolutionary relationships between the sequences are studied.

There are two techniques involved:

1.PROGRESSIVE ALIGNMENT METHOD: This method builds the final MSA by combining pairwise sequence alignments based on a guide tree, starting from the closed pair and progressing to more distantly related sequences.

Eg: Cluster Omega, ClusterW, T-Coffee.

2.ITERATIVE ALIGNMENT METHOD: This works similar to the progressive method, however repeatedly realigns the initial sequences as new sequences are added to it.

Eg: PRR, MUSCLE, SAGA.

A phylogenetic tree (also phylogeny or evolutionary tree) is a branching diagram or a tree showing the evolutionary relationships among various biological species or other entities based upon similarities and differences in their physical or genetic characteristics.

There are Two types of phylogenetic trees:

- 1. Rooted Tree: A rooted phylogenetic tree (see two graphics at top) is a directed tree with a unique node —the root corresponding to the (usually imputed) most recent common ancestor of all the entities at the leaves of the tree.
- 2. Unrooted Tree: Unrooted trees illustrate the relatedness of the leaf nodes without making assumptions about ancestry.

METHODOLOGY:

Clustal Omega implements progressive alignment techniques for MSA and phylogenetic tree construction.

Progressive alignment also known as hierarchical or tree method, this method was developed by Hogewag and Hesper in 1984. Initially a guide tree is constructed from the pairwise sequence alignments using a clustering method such as neighbour joining or UPGMA. The MSA construction begins with the closest pair (or seed pair). More distantly related sequences are gradually added to the alignment based on the guide tree.

Neighbour joining methods apply general data clustering techniques to sequence analysis using genetic distance as a clustering metric. The simple neighbour-joining method produces unrooted trees, but it does not assume a constant rate of evolution (i.e., a molecular clock) across lineages. It begins with an unresolved star-like tree. Each pair is evaluated for being joined and the sum of all branch length is calculated of the resultant tree. The pair that yields

the smallest sum is considered the closest neighbours and is thus joined . A new branch is inserted between them and the rest of the tree and the branch length is Recalculated. This process is repeated until only one terminal is present.

The collagen protein sequence is obtained from 10 different species:

Accession Number	Organism
NP_723046.1	Drosophila melanogaster
KRT86529.1	Oryctes borbonicus
NP_001255859.1	Caenorhabditis elegans
BAA04809.1	Homo sapiens
BAA04483.1	partial [Mus musculus]
CAL69616.1	Aphrocallistes vastus
EJW81814.1	Wuchereria bancrofti
AZZ86130.1	Bemisia tabaci
YP_008436674.1	Pandoravirus salinus
XP_003150425.1	Loa loa

RESULT:

CLUSTAL 0(1.2.4) multiple sequence alignment

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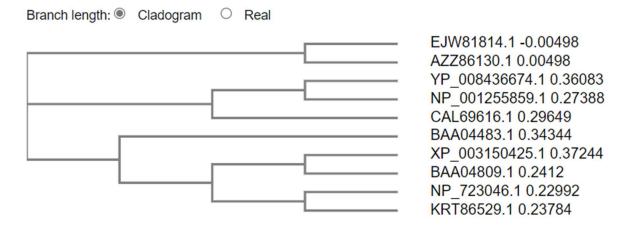
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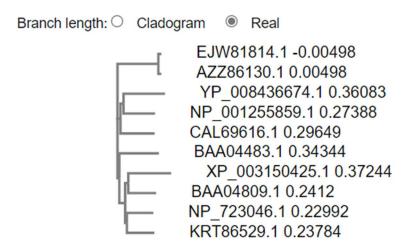
PHYLOGENETIC TREE:

In a cladogram, the branch length is not proportional to the number of evolutionary changes/mutations.

Hence, it doesn't indicate the evolutionary distance between taxa.



A phylogram is an estimate of phylogeny. The branch lengths are proportional to the amount of evolutionary change.



CONCLUSION: Wuchereria bancrofti and Bemisia tabaci, Pandoravirus salinus

And Caenorhabditis elegans,Loa loa and Mus musculus ,Drosophila melanogaster and Oryctes borbonicus are genetically closest pairs.

Pandoravirus salinus, Caenorhabiditids elegans and Aphrocallisters are evolved from same ancestor.

Mus musculus,Loa loa ,Homosapiens,Drosophila melaogas,Oryctes borbonicus are evoloved from same ancestor.