CATAM: 9.3 Protein Comparison in Bioinformatics (8)

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Claim 1.1. $\forall i, j > 0$

$$D(i,j) = \min\{D(i-1,j) + 1, \ D(i,j-1) + 1, \ D(i-1,j-1) + s(S_i,T_j)\}$$

$$\tag{1}$$

where
$$s(S_i, T_j) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } S_i \neq T_j \\ 0, & \text{if } S_i = T_j \end{cases}$$

Proof. Assume $i \leq m, j \leq n$.

First, we defined two characters as 'aligned' if the operation done to edit them is either a 'Match' or 'Replace'. So if a character is not aligned with any other character, then it is 'Deleted' if the character is from S, and 'Inserted' if from T, since we are making edits on S.

Consider the last elements S_i and T_j of string S[1,i] and T[1,j] respectively.

if S_i and T_j are both aligned, they must be aligned to each other. Because If S_i is aligned to some letter other than T_j , then T_j will not be aligned to any letter as S_i is the last character of S. Similarly in terms of the alignment of T_j .

Thus we have three cases:

Case1: S_i and T_j are aligned to each other.

If $S_i = T_j$, then D(i, j) = D(i - 1, j - 1). Since S_i and T_j can be matched.

If $S_i \neq T_j$, then D(i,j) = D(i-1,j-1) + 1. Which means replacing S_i with T_j .

So $D(i,j) = D(i-1,j-1) + s(S_i,T_j)$

Case 2: S_i is not aligned.

Then
$$D(i,j) = \underbrace{D(i-1,j)}_{\text{edits between } S[1,i-1] \text{ and } T[1,j]} + \underbrace{1}_{\text{deleting } S_i}$$

Case3: T_j is not aligned.

Then
$$D(i,j) = \underbrace{D(i,j-1)}_{\text{edits between } S[1,i-1] \text{ and } T[1,j]} + \underbrace{1}_{\text{inserting } T_j}$$

If i > m or j > n, then assume the characters after the last letter in strings S and T to be spaces, in which case the same cases apply.

So
$$D(i,j)$$
 has to equal one of these three cases, hence $D(i,j) = min\{D(i-1,j)+1,\ D(i,j-1)+1,\ D(i-1,j-1)+s(S_i,T_j)\}$

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Refer to q2.py in Appendix (A) for the program for this question.

The edit distance is found to be 3.

The order of operations is $\mathcal{O}(mn)$

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Refer to q3.py in Appendix (B) for the program for this question. The edit distance is found to be 83, and the program outputs the first 50 steps of optimal alignment in Figure (1).

Figure 1: first 50 alignment of protein A and B example

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Refer to q4.py in Appendix (C)) for the program for this question. The score v is found to be 290, and the program outputs the first 50 steps of optimal alignment for BLOSSUM scoring system in Figure(2)

Figure 2: first 50 alignment of protein A and B with BLOSSUM example

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This is the SS-2 algorithm found from source [], which finds all optimal paths with non-proportionally weighted gap scores. The specific scores in the algorithm are modified to fit our specifications. The changes include:

- 1. instead of minimizing the cost, we are maximising the score, hence many changes were made throughout to make 'min' into 'max', and in the initial conditions, any inf is set instead to —inf.
- 2. the weight w_l is taken to be a general u + vl in the source algorithm, but for our purposes $w_l = u$ fixed for all l > 1
- 3. in the source, in the first double 'for' loops, the range is from (0 to m) and (0 to n), which I think is an error and I have changed it instead to (1 to m) and (1 to n).

Refer to q5.py in Appendix (D) for the implementation on first 10 characters of protein A and B. In this implementation, u is set to -12. The greatest alignment score is stored in R[m][n], which in this case has returned 2. The number labels for the algorithm is also in q5.py for ease of identification. First we look at a grid representing the two strings (see figure(3) and (4). Travelling diagonally in direction of 'D' means matching or replacing the corresponding letters, travelling horizontally in direction of 'V' means deleting from S, and travelling vertically in direction of 'H' means inserting into S from T.

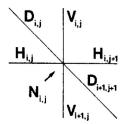


Figure 3: direction of grid

	T_1	T_2	 T_n	
S_1				
S_2				
S_m				

Figure 4: direction of grid

Meaning for each variable:

- 1. (P, Q, R) store costs associated with node at each (i, j). Index i ranges from 0 to m and index j ranges from 0 to n. P, Q corresponds to costs of travelling in directions of V, H respectively. R represents the total alignment cost to that point.
- 2. arrays $(a_{i,j}, b_{i,j}, c_{i,j}, \ldots, g_{i,j})$ store data associated with graph edges V, H and D. Index i ranges from 0 to m+1 and Index j ranges from 0 to n+1. The specific meanings of the arrays before edge assignment starting on step 8 (note all paths start from (0, 0)):

- $a_{i,j}, b_{i,j}, c_{i,j}$ equals 1 iff and optimal path to (i, j) uses $V_{i,j}, H_{i,j}$ or $D_{i,j}$ respectively.
- $d_{i,j}$ and $f_{i,j}$ equals 1 iff among paths to (i+1, j) through $N_{i,j}$, an optimal one uses $V_{i,j}$ and $H_{i,j}$ respectively.
- $e_{i,j}$ and $g_{i,j}$ equals 1 iff among paths to (i+1, j) through $N_{i,j}$, an optimal one does not use $V_{i,j}$ and $H_{i,j}$ respectively.

Meanings of the arrays after the edge assignment is complete:

- $a_{i,j}, b_{i,j}, c_{i,j}$ equals 1 iff and optimal path to (m, n) uses $V_{i,j}, H_{i,j}$ or $D_{i,j}$ respectively;
- $d_{i,j} = 1$ iff every optimal path to (m, n) that uses $V_{i,j}$ also uses $V_{i-1,i}$;
- $e_{i,j} = 1$ iff every optimal path to (m, n) that uses $V_{i,j}$ also uses V_{i+1} , j.
- $f_{i,j} = 1$ iff every optimal path to (m, n) that uses $H_{i,j}$ also uses $H_{i,j-1}$;
- $g_{i,j} = 1$ iff every optimal path to (m, n) that uses $H_{i,j}$ also uses $H_{i,j+1}$

See figure (??) for a more graphical representation:



Figure 5: graphical representation of arrays a, b, c, d, e, f, g

Algorithm SS-2:

Step 1: set boundaries of the number and bit arrays:

- For j from 0 to n: $P_{0,j} = -\infty$ and $R_{0,j} = u$
- For i from 0 to m: $Q_{i,0} = -\infty$ and $R_{i,0} = u$
- $R_{0,0} = 0$
- Set arrays a to g uniformly to 0
- $C_{m+1,n+1} = 1$

Cost Assignment:

For i from 1 to m and j from 1 to n, execute steps 2 to 7:

Step 2: Find the maximum score of path ending at $N_{i,j}$ using edge $V_{i,j}$:

• $P_{i,j} = max(P_{i-1,j}, R_{i-1,j} + u)$

Step 3: Determine if cost $P_{i,j}$ can be achieved using edge $V_{i,j}$ and if it can be achieved without using edge $V_{i-1,j}$:

- if $P_{i,j} = P_{i-1,j}$: set $d_{i-1,j} = 1$
- if $P_{i,j} = R_{i,j} + u$: set $e_{i-1,j} = 1$

Step 4: Find the maximum score of path ending at node $N_{i,j}$ and using edge $H_{i,j}$:

• $Q_{i,j} = max(Q_{i,j-1}, R_{i,j-1} + u)$

Step 5: Determine if cost $Q_{i,j}$ can be achieved using edge $H_{i,j-1}$ and if it can be achieved without using edge $H_{i,j-1}$:

- if $Q_{i,j} = Q_{i,j-1}$: set $f_{i,j-1} = 1$
- if $Q_{i,j} = R_{i,j-1} + u$: set $g_{i,j-1} = 1$

Step 6: Find the maximum score of a path ending at node $N_{i,j}$:

• $R_{i,j} = max(P_{i,j}, Q_{i,j}, R_{i-1,j-1} + s(S_i, T_i))$

The scoring matrix in this case is taken to be BLOSSUM.

Step 7: Determine if score $R_{i,j}$ can be achieved by using edge $V_{i,j}$, $H_{i,j}$ or $D_{i,j}$:

- if $R_{i,j} = P_{i,j}$: set $a_{i,j} = 1$
- if $R_{i,j} = Q_{i,j}$: set $b_{i,j} = 1$
- if $R_{i,j} = R_{i-1,j-1} + s(S_i, T_i)$: set $c_{i,j} = 1$

Edge Assignment: goes back into the arrays a to g and deletes paths which do not reach the end node (m, n).

For i from m to 0 and j from n to 0, execute steps 8 to 11:

Step 8: if there is no optimal path passing through node $N_{i,j}$ which has cost $R_{i,j}$ at node $N_{i,j}$, remove edges $V_{i,j}$, $H_{i,j}$ and $D_{i,j}$:

• if $(a_{i+1,j} = 0 \text{ or } e_{i,j} = 0)$ and $(b_{i,j+1} = 0 \text{ or } g_{i,j} = 0)$ and $(c_{i+1,j+1} = 0)$: set $a_{i,j}$, $b_{i,j}$ and $c_{i,j}$ to 0

Step 9: if no optimal path passes through $N_{i,j}$, proceed to next node:

• if $a_{i+1,j} = b_{i,j+1} = c_{i+1,j+1} = 0$: skip steps 10 to 11.

Step 10: if edge $V_{i+1,j}$ is in an optimal path and requires edge $V_{i,j}$ to be in an optimal path, determine if an optimal path that uses edge $V_{i+1,j}$ must use edge $V_{i,j}$ and the converse:

• if $a_{i+1,j} = 1$ and $d_{i,j} = 1$: set $d_{i+1,j} = 1 - e_{i,j}$, set $e_{i,j} = 1 - a_{i,j}$ and set $a_{i,j} = 1$. Otherwise: set $d_{i+1,j}$ and $e_{i,j}$ to 0

Step 11: if edge $H_{i,j+1}$ is an optimal path and requires edge $H_{i,j}$ to be in an optimal path, determine if an optimal path that uses edge $H_{i,j+1}$ must use edge $H_{i,j}$ and the converse:

• If $b_{i,j+1} = 1$ and $f_{i,j} = 1$: set $f_{i,j+1} = 1 - g_{i,j}$, set $g_{i,j} = 1 - b_{i,j}$ and set $b_{i,j} = 1$. Otherwise: set $f_{i,j+1}$ and $g_{i,j}$ to 0

Arrays a to g represents all possible optimal paths from (0,0) to (m, n) with score 2. a, b and c represent all edges in possible optimal paths, but within contains possible non-optimal paths, which we can disern from d. e. f. g.

This algorithm has complexity $\mathcal{O}(mn)$ since there are a fied number of steps for each node $N_{i,j}$ and there are mn nodes.

The boundary conditions are indicated in Step 1, where entries in first row of P and first column of Q are set to negative infinity so it has a lower score than any other number. First row and column of R is set to u because travelling just horizontally or just vertically would indicate just leaving a gap, which will always have score of u. $C_{m+1,n+1}$ is initially set to 1 so steps 8 and 9 are false for node $N_{m,n}$, since if it was true then all elements of a, b, c will be reassigned as 0.

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Refer to q6.py in Appendix (E) for the program for this question.

u is set to -12, protein C and D are compared. q6.py Implements the algorithm specified in question 5, and adds a few more functions to choose one specific optimal path to print out one possible optimal alignment in figure (6). The program also outputs the final score v_{gap} which was stored in $R_{m,n}$ as 1236.

Figure 6: first 50 alignment of protein C and D example from SS-2

Refer to q8.py and GGP.py in Appendix () and () for the program for this question.

This program takes u = -3, $p = -\frac{1}{2}$ and returns an estimated $n^{-1}\mathbb{E}(v_{gap}(U^n, V^n))$, which we will just call E. Intuitively, the larger the sample size, the more accurately the result will tend to the true result. Through experimentation, I have also found the result is more accurate the longer the possible protein: see results from a few different lengths for sample size 100 in figure ()

So since by length 100, the accuracy at sample size 100 is () d.p., I assume at least this accuracy for longer proteins.

Finding the result of proteins for length increasing by 20 each time, we can plot a graph of length against E, and from this graph we can asymptotically interpolate the limit.

n	Е	n	E	n	E	n	E
10	0	410	0.42	810	0.429259	1210	0.431157
30	0.253333	430	0.417442	830	0.428072	1230	0.434472
50	0.316	450	0.412667	850	0.431412	1250	0.43232
70	0.345714	470	0.420851	870	0.425172	1270	0.436693
90	0.366667	490	0.415102	890	0.424944	1290	0.429457
110	0.383636	510	0.418235	910	0.426374	1310	0.432595
130	0.368462	530	0.420189	930	0.427527	1330	0.43188
150	0.397333	550	0.421273	950	0.429053	1350	0.430074
170	0.400588	570	0.422632	970	0.429175	1370	0.431898
190	0.396842	590	0.420169	990	0.428687	1390	0.430432
210	0.391905	610	0.417705	1010	0.426634	1410	0.433972
230	0.393478	630	0.426349	1030	0.424078		
250	0.4036	650	0.423846	1050	0.427333		
270	0.398889	670	0.422537	1070	0.43243		
290	0.414138	690	0.416957	1090	0.430275		
310	0.41129	710	0.421972	1110	0.42973		
330	0.40697	730	0.428904	1130	0.42708		
350	0.416286	750	0.428667	1150	0.429913		
370	0.408919	770	0.424675	1170	0.431197		
390	0.413077	790	0.425696	1190	0.429748		

Figure 7: E calculated with q8.py with corresponding length of string n

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For any string X, let X' be any suffix of X (i.e. X' = X[1,x] for some integer x less than the length of X). Let X'' be any prefix of X (i.e. X'' = X[y, n] for any $y \le n$, where n is the length of X).

Claim 9.1.

$$v_{sub} = max\{v_{sfx}(S'', T'')\}$$

$$\tag{2}$$

where $v_{sub} = max\{v(\hat{S}, \hat{T})|\hat{S}, \hat{T} \text{ substrings of } S \text{ and } T \text{ resp.}\}$ and $v_{sfx} = max\{v(S', T')\}$.

Proof.

$$RHS = \max\{v_{sfx}(S'', T'')\}$$

$$= \max\{\max\{v((S'')', (T'')')\}\}$$
(3)

$$= \max\{\max\{v((S'')', (T'')')\}\}$$
(4)

Max of the max of sets of elements is equal to the max of all elements in the sets, so we need to show $\{ maxv((s'')', (T'')') \} = max\{v(\hat{S}, \hat{T})\}$

which is equivalent to showing $\{((S'')', (T'')')\}$ contains all substring pairs of S and T.

S" includes all substrings S[1, a] for any a < m and T" includes all substrings T[1, b] for any b < n, so (S")' can be any substring S[c, a] for any c < a < m and (T") can be any substring T[d, b] for any d < b < n. Therefore for any a, b, c, d > 0 such that c < a < m and d < b < n, $(S[c, a], T[d, b]) \in \{((S'')', (T'')')\}$

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We know that $V_{sfx}(i,j) = v_{sfx}(S[1,i],T[1,j]) = \max\{v(S[1,i]',T[i,j]')\} = \max\{v(S[a,i],T[b,j])|a \le i, b \le j\}.$ If either a or b are equal to i or j respectively, then one of the strings will be empty. In this case $V_{sfx}(i,j) =$ $max\{v(S[a,i],T[b,j])\}=0$, because since $s(a,-)=s(-,a)\leq 0$, if one substring is empty, if the other substring is non-empty then the score will always be negative, so both substrings must be empty, then the maximum score is 0. If we then assume a < i and b < j, there are 3 cases similar to question 1 (since S_i and T_j must either be aligned to each other, or one of them is not aligned):

Case 1: S_i and T_j are aligned to each other.

The
$$V_{sfx}(i,j) = \underbrace{V_{sfx}(i-1,j-1)}_{\text{max score aligning substrings excluding } S_i \text{ and } T_j \text{ score aligning } S_i \text{ and } T_j$$

Case 2:
$$S_i$$
 is not aligned.
Then $V_{sfx}(i,j) = \underbrace{V_{sfx}(i-1,j)}_{\text{max score aligning substrings excluding } S_i \text{ from S}}_{\text{deleting } S_i} + \underbrace{s(S_i,-)}_{\text{deleting } S_i}$
Case 3: T_j is not aligned.
Then $D(i,j) = D(i,j-1) + S(-,T_j)$

Then
$$D(i,j) = \underbrace{D(i,j-1)}_{\text{max score aligning substrings excluding } T_j \text{ from T}}_{\text{inserting } T_j} + \underbrace{S(-,T_j)}_{\text{inserting } T_j}$$

Since these contain all possible cases and V_{sfx} is by definition the maximum possible score,

$$V_{sfx}(i,j) = \begin{cases} 0, \\ V_{sfx}(i-1,j-1) + s(S_i, T_j), \\ V_{sfx}(i-1,j) + s(S_i, -), \\ V_{sfx}(i,j-1) + s(-, T_j), \end{cases}$$

If i or j are 0, the V_{sfx} is also 0, since one of the string will definitely be empty, so the maximum score is achieved when the other is also empty, by same reasoning as when a = i or b = j at the beginning of this question.

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Refer to q11.py in Appendix (F) for the program for this question. BLOSUM from question 4 is used, and cost of deleting and inserting is set to -2. For proteins C and D, v_{sub} returns as 275, which is outputted in q11.py.

Appendix

A q2.py

```
def edit_distance(s, t):
       I = len(s) + 1
       J = len(t) + 1
       D = [[0 for i in range(J)] for j in range(I)]
for i in range (I):
       D[i][0] = i
for j in range(J):
       D[0][j] = j
for i in range(1, I):
for j in range(1, J):
       m1 = D[i-1][j] + 1
       m2 = D[i][j-1] + 1
       m3 = D[i-1][j-1] + compare(s[i-1], t[j-1])
       D[i][j] = min([m1, m2, m3])
       return D[len(s)][len(t)]
def compare(a, b):
       if a == b:
       return 0
       else:
       return 1
def main():
       ed = edit_distance('shesells', 'seashells')
       print(ed)
if __name__ == '__main__':
main()
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B q3.py

```
import numpy as np

def edit_distance(s, t):
    I = len(s) + 1
    J = len(t) + 1
    D = [[0 for i in range(J)] for j in range(I)]
    path = [[[0, 0] for i in range(J)] for j in range(I)]

for i in range (I):
    D[i][0] = i

for j in range(J):
    D[0][j] = j

for i in range(1, I):
    for j in range(1, J):
        m1 = D[i-1][j] + 1
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m2 = D[i][j-1] + 1
           m3 = D[i-1][j-1] + compare(s[i-1], t[j-1])
           D[i][j] = min([m1, m2, m3])
           index = np.argmin([m1, m2, m3])
           if index == 0:
              path[i][j] = [i-1, j]
           elif index == 1:
              path[i][j] = [i, j-1]
              path[i][j] = [i-1, j-1]
   align_path(path, s, t)
   return D[len(s)][len(t)], D, path
def align_path(P, s, t):
  edit_seq = ''
   salign = ''
   talign = ''
   current = [len(s), len(t)]
   count = 0
   while current != [0, 0] and count < 50:
       count += 1
       if P[current[0]][current[1]] == [current[0]-1, current[1]-1]:
           if s[current[0]-1] == t[current[1]-1]:
              edit_seq = 'M' + edit_seq
           else:
               edit_seq = 'R' + edit_seq
           salign = s[current[0]-1] + salign
           talign = t[current[1]-1] + talign
           current = list(np.subtract(np.array(current), np.array([1, 1])))
       elif P[current[0]][current[1]] == [current[0]-1, current[1]]:
           edit_seq = 'D' + edit_seq
           salign = s[current[0]-1] + salign
           talign = ' \sqcup' + talign
           current = list(np.subtract(np.array(current), np.array([1, 0])))
       else:
           edit_seq = 'I' + edit_seq
           salign = '□' + salign
           talign = t[current[1]-1] + talign
           current = list(np.subtract(np.array(current), np.array([0, 1])))
   print(edit_seq)
   print(salign)
   print(talign)
def compare(a, b):
   if a == b:
       return 0
   else:
       return 1
def main():
   file = open('proteins.txt', "r")
   content = file.readlines()
   content = [line.rstrip() for line in content]
   #print(content)
   proteinA = content[1]
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proteinB = content[3]

ed, D, P = edit_distance(proteinA, proteinB)

if __name__ == '__main__':
    main()
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C q4.py

```
import numpy as np
with open('blosum.txt', 'r') as f:
   blosum = [[num for num in line.split()] for line in f]
def edit_distance(s, t):
   I = len(s) + 1
   J = len(t) + 1
   D = [[0 for i in range(J)] for j in range(I)]
   path = [[[0, 0] for i in range(J)] for j in range(I)]
   for i in range (I):
       D[i][0] = i*(-8)
   for j in range(J):
       D[0][j] = j*(-8)
   for i in range(1, I):
       for j in range(1, J):
          m1 = D[i-1][j] -8
          m2 = D[i][j-1] -8
          m3 = D[i-1][j-1] + score(s[i-1], t[j-1])
          D[i][j] = max([m1, m2, m3])
           index = np.argmax([m1, m2, m3])
           if index == 0:
              path[i][j] = [i-1, j]
           elif index == 1:
              path[i][j] = [i, j-1]
           else:
              path[i][j] = [i-1, j-1]
   align_path(path, s, t)
   return D[len(s)][len(t)], D, path
def align_path(P, s, t):
   edit_seq = ''
   salign = ''
   talign = ''
   current = [len(s), len(t)]
   count = 0
   while current != [0, 0] and count < 50:
       count += 1
       if P[current[0]][current[1]] == [current[0]-1, current[1]-1]:
           if s[current[0]-1] == t[current[1]-1]:
              edit_seq = 'M' + edit_seq
           else:
              edit_seq = 'R' + edit_seq
           salign = s[current[0]-1] + salign
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talign = t[current[1]-1] + talign
           current = list(np.subtract(np.array(current), np.array([1, 1])))
       elif P[current[0]][current[1]] == [current[0]-1, current[1]]:
           edit_seq = 'D' + edit_seq
           salign = s[current[0]-1] + salign
           talign = ' \sqcup' + talign
           current = list(np.subtract(np.array(current), np.array([1, 0])))
       else:
           edit_seq = 'I' + edit_seq
           salign = '□' + salign
           talign = t[current[1]-1] + talign
           current = list(np.subtract(np.array(current), np.array([0, 1])))
   print(edit_seq)
   print(salign)
   print(talign)
def score(a, b):
   indexa = blosum[0].index(str(a))
   indexb = blosum[0].index(str(b))
   return int(blosum[indexa][indexb])
def main():
   # some changes were made to protein and blossum files to make reading them easier
   # contrary to before, now the higher the score, the better the alignment.
   file = open('proteins.txt', "r")
   content = file.readlines()
   content = [line.rstrip() for line in content]
   file.close()
   #print(content)
   proteinA = content[1]
   proteinB = content[3]
   v, D, P = edit_distance(proteinA, proteinB)
   print()
if __name__ == '__main__':
   main()
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D q5.py

```
with open('blosum.txt', 'r') as f:
   blosum = [[num for num in line.split()] for line in f]
file = open('proteins.txt', "r")
content = file.readlines()
content = [line.rstrip() for line in content]
file.close()
proteinA = content[1][0:9]
proteinB = content[3][0:9]
u = -12 #constant gap penalty
s = proteinA
t = proteinB
J = len(t) + 1
I = len(s)+1
#[1]
P = [[0 for j in range(J)]for i in range(I)]
R = [[0 for j in range(J)]for i in range(I)]
Q = [[0 for j in range(J)]for i in range(I)]
a = [[0 for j in range(J+1)]for i in range(I+1)]
b = [[0 for j in range(J+1)]for i in range(I+1)]
c = [[0 for j in range(J+1)]for i in range(I+1)]
d = [[0 for j in range(J+1)]for i in range(I+1)]
e = [[0 \text{ for } j \text{ in } range(J+1)]for i \text{ in } range(I+1)]
f = [[0 for j in range(J+1)]for i in range(I+1)]
g = [[0 for j in range(J+1)]for i in range(I+1)] #setting all bit arrays to 0
for j in range(J):
   P[0][j] = -inf
   R[0][j] = u
for i in range(I):
   Q[i][0] = -inf
   R[i][0] = u
R[0][0] = 0
c[I][J] = 1
for i in range(1, I):
   for j in range(1, J):
       \#[2]: find max cost of path ending at N[i][j] using edge V[i][j]
       P[i][j] = max([P[i-1][j], R[i-1][j] + u])
       #[3]:
       if P[i][j] == P[i-1][j]:
           d[i-1][j] = 1
       if P[i][j] == R[i-1][j] + u:
           e[i-1][j] = 1
       #[4]: find max cost of path ending at N[i][j] using edge H[i][j]
       Q[i][j] = max(Q[i][j-1], R[i][j-1] + u)
       #[5]:
       if Q[i][j] == Q[i][j-1]:
           f[i][j-1] = 1
       if Q[i][j] == R[i][j-1] + u:
           g[i][j-1] = 1
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#[6]:
               R[i][j] = max([P[i][j], Q[i][j], R[i-1][j-1] + score(s[i-1], t[j-1])])
                if R[i][j] == P[i][j]:
                       a[i][j] = 1
                if R[i][j] == Q[i][j]:
                       b[i][j] = 1
                if R[i][j] == R[i-1][j-1] + score(s[i-1], t[j-1]):
                        c[i][i] = 1
\#	ext{-----}edge \ assignment ------
for i in reversed(range(I-1)):
        for j in reversed(range(J-1)):
                \#[8]: if there is no optimal path passing through node N[i][j] which has cost R[i][j]
                #at node N[i][j], remove edges V[i][j], H[i][j] and D[i][j]
                if (a[i+1][j] == 0 \text{ or } e[i][j] == 0) and (b[i][j+1] == 0 \text{ or } g[i][j] == 0) and (c[i][i] == 0)
                        \hookrightarrow +1][j+1] == 0):
                        a[i][j] = 0
                       b[i][j] = 0
                        c[i][j] = 0
                \#[9]: if there exists optimal path passing through node N[i][j]
                if not (a[i+1][j] == 0 and b[i][j+1] == 0 and c[i+1][j+1] == 0):
                        \#[10]: if V[i+1][j] is an optimal path and requires edge V[i][j] to be in an
                                → optimal path, determine if an optimal path that uses edge V[i+1][j] must
                                \hookrightarrow use edge V[i][j] and the converse:
                        if a[i+1][j] == 1 and d[i][j] == 1:
                                d[i+1][j] = 1-e[i][j]
                                e[i][j] = 1-a[i][j]
                                a[i][j] = 1
                        else:
                                d[i+1][j] = 0
                                e[i][j] = 0
                        \#[11]: if edge H[i][j+1] is in an optimal path and requires edge H[i][j] to be in
                                \hookrightarrow an optimal path, determine if an optimal path that uses edge H[i][j+1]
                                \hookrightarrow must use edge H[i][j] and the converse:
                        if b[i][j+1] == 1 and f[i][j] == 1:
                               f[i][j+1] = 1-g[i][j]
                                g[i][j] = 1-b[i][j]
                               b[i][j] = 1
                                f[i][j+1] = 0
                                g[i][j] = 0
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E q6.py

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from cmath import inf
import numpy as np

from q4 import edit_distance

with open('blosum.txt', 'r') as f:
   blosum = [[num for num in line.split()] for line in f]
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file = open('proteins.txt', "r")
content = file.readlines()
content = [line.rstrip() for line in content]
file.close()
#currently set to first 5 letters, needs to be changed to protein C and D
proteinC = content[5]
proteinD = content[7]
u = -12 #constant gap penalty
s = proteinC
t = proteinD
J = len(t) + 1
I = len(s)+1
P = [[0 for j in range(J)]for i in range(I)]
R = [[0 for j in range(J)]for i in range(I)]
Q = [[0 for j in range(J)]for i in range(I)]
a = [[0 for j in range(J+1)]for i in range(I+1)]
b = [[0 for j in range(J+1)]for i in range(I+1)]
c = [[0 for j in range(J+1)]for i in range(I+1)]
d = [[0 for j in range(J+1)]for i in range(I+1)]
e = [[0 for j in range(J+1)]for i in range(I+1)]
f = [[0 for j in range(J+1)]for i in range(I+1)]
g = [[0 for j in range(J+1)]for i in range(I+1)] #setting all bit arrays to 0
for j in range(J):
   P[0][j] = -inf
   R[0][j] = u
for i in range(I):
   Q[i][0] = -inf
   R[i][0] = u
R[0][0] = 0
c[I][J] = 1
def score(x, y):
   if x != '<sub>□</sub>':
       indexa = blosum[0].index(str(x))
       indexb = blosum[0].index(str(y))
       return int(blosum[indexa][indexb])
   else:
       return 0
#---one possible alignment-----
def create_path(a, b, c, d, e, f, g):
   current = [0, 0]
   count = 0
   path = [[[0, 0] for i in range(J)] for j in range(I)]
   while current != [len(s), len(t)] and count < 50:
       count += 1
       if c[current[0]+1][current[1]+1] == 1:
          path[current[0]][current[1]] = [current[0]+1, current[1]+1]
           current = [current[0]+1, current[1]+1]
       elif (a[current[0]+1][current[1]] == 1 ):
          path[current[0]][current[1]] = [current[0]+1, current[1]]
           current = [current[0]+1, current[1]]
           if e[current[0]][current[1]] == 1:
              path[current[0]][current[1]] = [current[0]+ 1, current[1]]
              current = [current[0]+1, current[1]]
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elif b[current[0]][current[1]+1] == 1:
           path[current[0]][current[1]] = [current[0], current[1]+1]
           current = [current[0], current[1]+1]
           if f[current[0]][current[1]+1] == 1:
               path[current[0]][current[1]] = [current[0], current[1]+1]
               current = [current[0], current[1]+1]
   align_path(path)
def align_path(path):
   edit_seq = ''
   salign = ''
   talign = ''
   current = [0, 0]
   count = 0
   while current != [len(s), len(t)] and count < 50:
       count += 1
       if path[current[0]][current[1]] == [current[0]+1, current[1]+1]:
           if s[current[0]] == t[current[1]]:
               edit_seq += 'M'
           else:
               edit_seq += 'R'
           salign += s[current[0]]
           talign += t[current[1]]
           current = list(np.add(np.array(current), np.array([1, 1])))
       elif path[current[0]][current[1]] == [current[0]+1, current[1]]:
           edit_seq += 'D'
           salign +=s[current[0]]
           talign += '<sub>□</sub>'
           current = list(np.add(np.array(current), np.array([1, 0])))
       elif path[current[0]][current[1]] == [current[0], current[1]+1]:
           edit_seq += 'I'
           salign += '⊔'
           talign += t[current[1]]
           current = list(np.add(np.array(current), np.array([0, 1])))
   print(edit_seq)
   print(salign)
   print(talign)
def main():
   for i in range(1, I):
       for j in range(1, J):
           \textit{\#find min cost of path ending at N[i][j] using edge V[i][j]}
           P[i][j] = max([P[i-1][j], R[i-1][j] + u])
           if P[i][j] == P[i-1][j]:
               d[i-1][j] = 1
           if P[i][j] == R[i-1][j] + u:
               e[i-1][j] = 1
           #find min cost of path ending at N[i][j] using edge H[i][j]
           Q[i][j] = max(Q[i][j-1], R[i][j-1] + u)
           if Q[i][j] == Q[i][j-1]:
               f[i][j-1] = 1
           if Q[i][j] == R[i][j-1] + u:
               g[i][j-1] = 1
           R[i][j] = max([P[i][j], Q[i][j], R[i-1][j-1] + score(s[i-1], t[j-1])])
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if R[i][j] == P[i][j]:
                                a[i][j] = 1
                        if R[i][j] == Q[i][j]:
                                b[i][j] = 1
                        if R[i][j] == R[i-1][j-1] + score(s[i-1], t[j-1]):
                                c[i][j] = 1
        #----edge assignment-----
        for i in reversed(range(I-1)):
               for j in reversed(range(J-1)):
                        #if there is no optimal path passing through node N[i][j] which has cost R[i][j]
                        #at node N[i][j], remove edges V[i][j], H[i][j] and D[i][j]
                        if (a[i+1][j] == 0 \text{ or } e[i][j] == 0) and (b[i][j+1] == 0 \text{ or } g[i][j] == 0) and (c[i][i] == 0)
                                 \hookrightarrow +1][j+1] == 0):
                                a[i][j] = 0
                                b[i][j] = 0
                                c[i][j] = 0
                        \# if there exists optimal path passing through node N[i][j]
                        if not (a[i+1][j] == 0 and b[i][j+1] == 0 and c[i+1][j+1] == 0):
                                # if V[i+1][j] is an optimal path and requires edge V[i][j] to be in an
                                         \hookrightarrow optimal path, determine if an optimal path that uses edge V[i+1][j]
                                        \hookrightarrow must use edge V[i][j] and the converse:
                                if a[i+1][j] == 1 and d[i][j] == 1:
                                        d[i+1][j] = 1-e[i][j]
                                        e[i][j] = 1-a[i][j]
                                        a[i][j] = 1
                                else:
                                        d[i+1][j] = 0
                                        e[i][j] = 0
                                #if edge H[i][j+1] is in an optimal path and requires edge H[i][j] to be in
                                         \hookrightarrow an optimal path, determine if an optimal path that uses edge H[i][j+1]
                                        \hookrightarrow must use edge H[i][j] and the converse:
                                if b[i][j+1] == 1 and f[i][j] == 1:
                                        f[i][j+1] = 1-g[i][j]
                                        g[i][j] = 1-b[i][j]
                                        b[i][j] = 1
                                else:
                                        f[i][j+1] = 0
                                        g[i][j] = 0
        create_path(a, b, c, d, e, f, g)
        print(R[I-1][J-1])
if __name__ == '__main__':
       main()
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F q11.py

```
import numpy as np
with open('blosum.txt', 'r') as f:
  blosum = [[num for num in line.split()] for line in f]
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```
def score(a, b):
   indexa = blosum[0].index(str(a))
   indexb = blosum[0].index(str(b))
   return int(blosum[indexa][indexb])
def V_sub(s, t):
   V_sfx = [[0 \text{ for } j \text{ in } range(len(t)+1)]for i \text{ in } range(len(s)+1)]
   for i in range(1, len(s) + 1):
       for j in range(1, len(t) + 1):
           V_sfx[i][j] = max(0, V_sfx[i-1][j-1] + score(s[i-1], t[j-1]), V_sfx[i-1][j] -2,
               → V_sfx[i][j-1]-3)
   return max(max(V_sfx))
def main():
   # some changes were made to protein and blossum files to make reading them easier
    # contrary to before, now the higher the score, the better the alignment.
   file = open('proteins.txt', "r")
   content = file.readlines()
   content = [line.rstrip() for line in content]
   file.close()
    #print(content)
   proteinC = content[5]
   proteinD = content[7]
   Vsub = V_sub(proteinC, proteinD)
   print(Vsub)
   print()
if __name__ == '__main__':
   main()
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