

Gotoh-Algorithm

Motivation

- Observation: In nature are a few long gaps much more likelier as lot of short gabs
- Needleman-Wunsch is ignoring this

- New scoring system: gap penalty $g(x)$ have to be subadditive:

$$g(x + y) \leq g(x) + g(y)$$

- “Cheaper to insert an existing gap as to insert a new one”
- $g(x)$ have to be affine:

$$g(x) = \alpha + \beta * x$$

- Algorithm of Smith-Waterman-Beyer is exact but needs a runtime of $O(n^3)$
- Use a better approach instead —> Gotoh's algorithm

Gotoh's algorithm

- Works similar to Needleman-Wunsch
- Uses three matrices:
 - D: The cost for the alignment like in N-W
 - P: The cost if the alignment ends with an gap in b
 - Q: The cost if the alignment ends with an gap in a

Gotoh's algorithm

- Recursion:

- First matrix D:
$$D_{i,j} = \min \begin{cases} D_{i-1,j-1} + w(a_i, b_j) \\ P_{i,j} \\ Q_{i,j} \end{cases}$$

- Second matrix P:
$$P_{i,j} = \min \begin{cases} D_{i-1,j} + g(1) \\ P_{i-1,j} + \beta \end{cases}$$

- Third matrix Q:
$$Q_{i,j} = \min \begin{cases} D_{i,j-1} + g(1) \\ Q_{i,j-1} + \beta \end{cases}$$

Gotoh's algorithm

$D_{0,0} = 0$

for $i = 1$ to n

$D_{0,j} = g(j)$

for $j = 1$ to n

$D_{i,0} = g(i)$

$P_{i,j}$

$P_{i,0} = \text{not used}$

$Q_{i,j}$

$P_{0,j} = \text{infinite}$

$D_{i,j}$

$Q_{i,0} = \text{ininite}$

end

$Q_{0,j} = \text{not used}$

end

Example

D

	€	A	C
€	0	3	4
A	3	0	3
G	4	3	1
C	5	4	3

Q

	€	A	C
€	-	-	-
A	inf	6	3
G	inf	7	6
C	inf	8	7

P

	€	A	C
€	-	inf	inf
A	-	6	7
G	-	3	6
C	-	4	4

$$w(a, b) = \begin{cases} 0, & a = b \\ 1, & a \neq b \end{cases}$$

$$g(k) = 2 + 1k$$

$$D_{i,j} = \min \begin{cases} D_{i-1,j-1} + w(a_i, b_j) \\ P_{i,j} \\ Q_{i,j} \end{cases}$$

$$Q_{i,j} = \min \begin{cases} D_{i,j-1} + g(1) \\ Q_{i,j-1} + \beta \end{cases}$$

$$P_{i,j} = \min \begin{cases} D_{i-1,j} + g(1) \\ P_{i-1,j} + \beta \end{cases}$$

Formulas from [1]

Example - Traceback

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$$D_{i,j} = D_{i-1,j-1} + w(a_i, b_j)$$

$$D_{i,j} = Q_{i,j},$$

$$D_{i,j} = P_{i,j};$$

$$D_{3,2} = 3 == D_{3-1,2-1} + w(C, C) = 3 + 0 = 3$$

$$D_{3,2} = 3 \neq P_{3,2} = 4$$

$$D_{3,2} = 3 \neq Q_{3,2} = 7$$

Example - Traceback

D		€	A	C	P		€	A	C
	€	0	3	4		€	-	inf	inf
	A	3	0	3		A	-	6	7
	G	4	3	1		G	-	3	6
	C	5	4	3		C	-	4	4

Q		€	A	C
	€	-	-	-
	A	inf	6	3
	G	inf	7	6
	C	inf	8	7

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$$D_{i,j} = Q_{i,j},$$

$$D_{i,j} = P_{i,j};$$

$$D_{2,2} = 3 == D_{2-1,2-1} + w(G, A)$$

$$= 3 + 1 = 4$$

$$D_{2,2} = 3 == P_{2,2} = 3$$

$$D_{2,2} = 3 \neq Q_{2,2} = 7$$

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	€	A	C
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A	inf	6	3
G	inf	7	6
C	inf	8	7

$$P_{i,j} = P_{i-1,j} + \beta,$$

$$P_{i,j} = D_{i-1,j} + g(1)$$

$$P_{2,2} = 3 \neq P_{2-1,2} + 1 = 6 + 1 = 7$$

$$P_{2,2} = 3 == D_{2-1,2} + g(1) = 0 + 3$$

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$$D_{i,j} = P_{i,j};$$

$$D_{1,1} = 0 == D_{1-1,1-1} + w(A, A)$$
$$0+0 = 0$$

$$D_{i,j} = D_{i-1,j-1} + w(a_i, b_j)$$

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$$D_{i,j} = P_{i,j};$$

$$D_{1,1} = 0 == D_{1-1,1-1} + w(A, A) = 0+0 = 0$$

$$D_{1,1} = 0 \neq P_{1,1} = 6$$

$$D_{1,1} = 0 \neq Q_{1,1} = 6$$

Example - Traceback

D		ϵ	A	C
	ϵ	0	3	4
	A	3	0	3
	G	4	3	1
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P

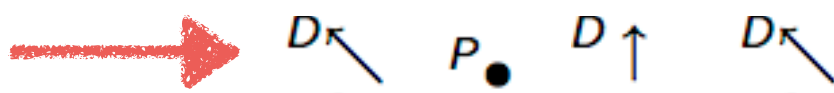
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$$\begin{aligned}
 D_{\swarrow} \in \text{tr}_{i,j}^D &\Leftrightarrow D_{i,j} = D_{i-1,j-1} + w(a_i, b_j), \\
 Q_{\bullet} \in \text{tr}_{i,j}^D &\Leftrightarrow D_{i,j} = Q_{i,j}, \\
 P_{\bullet} \in \text{tr}_{i,j}^D &\Leftrightarrow D_{i,j} = P_{i,j};
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_{\uparrow} \in \text{tr}_{i,j}^P &\Leftrightarrow P_{i,j} = P_{i-1,j} + \beta, \\
 D_{\uparrow} \in \text{tr}_{i,j}^P &\Leftrightarrow P_{i,j} = D_{i-1,j} + g(1);
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 Q_{\leftarrow} \in \text{tr}_{i,j}^Q &\Leftrightarrow Q_{i,j} = Q_{i,j-1} + \beta, \\
 D_{\leftarrow} \in \text{tr}_{i,j}^Q &\Leftrightarrow Q_{i,j} = D_{i,j-1} + g(1)
 \end{aligned}$$



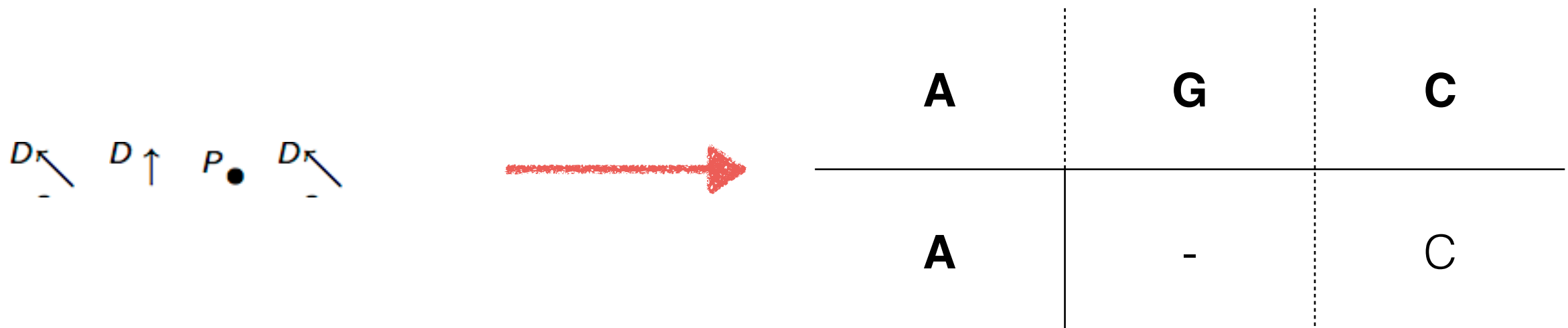
Example - Alignment

If you want insert gaps in:

- a: Arrow to the left: gap
- b: Arrow to the up: gap

Else: use character from a respectively b

- Point: Just change the matrix.
- Iterate over the list in reverse order



List of references

- [1] Lecture “Sequence Alignment - Gap Penalties, Gotoh’s Algorithm and Smith/Waterman’s Local Alignment” Bioinformatics I, Prof. Backofen

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