

CSE 494/594 Algorithms in Computational Biology

Project Proposal

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1 Introduction

1.1 Overview

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1.2 Background

Topic background information and what's been done

- Forensic identification based on DNA
- mtDNA (Amorim et al.), HLA, DIP-STR (Kuffel et al.)

2 Motivation

Why is this project important:

- Need for improvements in the field of forensic identification

3 Methods-Approach ?

- Genome Analysis Toolkit Best Practices Pipeline pdf by Van der Auwera et al. (2013)
- Innovation of our approach is combining mtDNA and HLA (DIP-STR method).