CSCI 6470: Algorithms

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The main objective of RNA structure prediction is to maximize the score.

There are four possible cases, the optimal score S(i, j) is the maximum of the four possibilities. The defined function S(i, j) recursively as a function only of optimal score of smaller subproblems. Then, the recursive function would be as below:

Pseudocode:

The pseudocode for Objective function StructPred and Traceback are as below:

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Traceback(F, sgm, sequence, initi, initj):
i = initi
j = initj
Struct = Structure()
While(j != i-1)
        If(F[I,j] == F[i,j-1])
        Struct.unpair.append(j)
        J = j - 1
 Elif(F[i, j] == F[i+1, j])
        Struct.unpair.append(i)
        i = i + 1
 Elif (F[i, j] == F[i+1, j-1]) + alphabet(seq(i), seq(j))
        Struct.pair.append((i, j))
 Else:
        For h = i to j
                Cr = F[i, h] + F[h+1, j]
                S1 = Traceback(F, sgm, sequence, bi, bh)
                S2 = Traceback(F, sgm, sequence, bh+1, bj)
                Struct.merge(s1)
                Struct.merge(s2)
                Brace[min(tup)] = "{"
                Brace[max(tup)] = "}"
                Join(brace)
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Return struct