Orthologous Gene and Phylogenetic analysis

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Abstract

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Protocol

Single-copy gene families and multi-gene families were identified by orthMCL (version 2.0.9) among Ph. edulis and other 7 plant species, including Amborella trichopoda (version 1.0) from Amborella Genome Database (amborella.huck.psu.edu), Elaeis guineensis (GCF_000442705.1) from NCBI database, Arabidopsis thaliana (TAIR10), Brachypodium distachyon (version 3.1), Oryza sativa (version 7.0), Spirodela polyrhiza (version 2) and Sorghum bicolor (version 3.1) from ENSEMBL database.

Step 1.

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orthMCL, 2.0.9

Protein alignment was conducted by MUSCLE (version 3.8.31), and CDS alignment was constructed based on the result of protein alignment. Then, all aligned CDS sequences were concatenated to generate a super gene for each specie using an in-house Perl script.

Step 2.

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MUSCLE, 3.8.31

All single-copy genes were used to construct the phylogenetic tree by PhyML (version 3.0) specifying a HKY85 substitution model with a gamma distribution across sites

Step 3.

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PhyML, 3.0 2

http://www.atgc-montpellier.fr/phyml/

We used the MCMCTree program of PAML (version 4.5) to estimate the divergence time with the following parameters: "-nsample 200000 -burnin 40000".

Step 4.

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PAML, 4.5