



Borrowworks

# Hamming Distance

G A G C C T A C T A A C G G G A T  
C A T C G T A A T G A C G G C C T

The Hamming distance can be defined as the number of positional differences between two strings. It is expressed as  $dh(s1, s2)$ . For example given

**s1 = GAC**

**s2 = GAG**

**$dh(s1, s2)=1$**

## Objectives

- Write a program to compute the Hamming distance.
- Model the solution with 1 or more classes.
- Computing the Hamming distance should require instantiating a class.
- Write code that represents your style and preferred best practices.
- 1 hour time limit. We are not looking for robust code that captures all conditions. An incomplete solution that clearly showcases clean design is preferred over a working 2 line solution.

**Input:** GAGCCTACTAACGGGAT

**Output:** 3

GAGCCTGCTAACAGGATT