#### Week 3 Exercise BIOL 7200

1.

To acquire a dataset for a later question, I downloaded all the histidine kinase domains of proteins found in Escherichia coli strain K-12 from the Uniprot database. This dataset is dicsussed in the relevant question below. The sequences came with long headers including lots of extranious information. Fortunately, we can quickly tidy them up using regex so you can use them later.

Using a regex with sed, create a copy of HK\_domains.faa in which you replace fasta headers of HK\_domain.faa file with just the gene name after GN= in the existing headers and the position ranges.

E.g., the first header is currently

>sp|P09835|UHPB\_ECOLI|311-499 Signal transduction histidine-protein kinase/phosphatase UhpB OS=Escherichia coli (strain K12) OX=83333 GN=uhpB PE=1 SV=3

the new header should be >uhpB\_311-499

Provide a screenshot showing the following commands executed in the same terminal window:

- head -1 <original file>
- Your command that converts the headers and outputs to a new file
- head -1 <new file>

2.

While the new headers are better than what we had before, the above headers are not good enough because HK\_domains.faa contains protein sequence. Bacterial protein names start with an uppercase letter, while gene names start with a lowercase letter. Create a new file the fasta

headers with the protein names instead. Protein names are present once on each line and bacterial protein names are of the format AbcD (1 uppercase letter, two lowercase letters, one upppercase letter).

Create a new copy of HK\_domains.faa in which you replace the headers with just the protein name and amino acid position range.

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the new header should be >UhpB\_311-499

Provide a screenshot showing the following executed in the same terminal window:

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head -1 <original file>
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Your command that converts the headers and outputs to a new file

head -1 <new file>

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[(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro data % head -1 num2_HK.faa >UuhpB_311-499
[(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro data % head -1 HK_domain.faa | >sp|P09835|UHPB_ECOLI|311-499 Signal transduction histidine-protein kinase/phos phatase UhpB OS=Escherichia coli (strain K12) OX=83333 GN=uhpB PE=1 SV=3 [(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro data % gsed -E "s/^sp\[[^|]*\[^|]*\[] ([0-9]*-[0-9]*).* GN=([a-zA-Z]+).*$\footnote{\sigma}_\tau\] HK_domain.faa > num2_HK.faa [(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro data % head -1 num2_HK.faa | >UHPB_311-499 [(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro data % gsed -E "s/^sp\[[^|]*\[^|]*\[[0-9]*-[0-9]*).* GN=([a-zA-Z]+).*$\footnote{\sigma}_\tau\] HK_domain.faa > num2_HK.faa | SuhpB_311-499 (base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro data % head -1 num2_HK.faa | SuhpB_311-499 (base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro data % | Sarthdi
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located at end

3.

Make another copy of HK\_domains.faa where you remake the headers as in question 1 (i.e., get the gene name from next to "GN="), but modify the regex replace command so that it converts the first character of the gene name to uppercase. i.e., the output of the command should be identical to that of question 2, but you should do it with a regex that matches the same thing that you matched in question 1.

Provide a screenshot showing the following executed in the same terminal window:

# head -1 <original file>

Your command that converts the headers and outputs to a new file

head -1 <new file>

4.

**Task**: Newick leaf names can contain any characters except "(", ")", ",", ":", and ";". Write a regex that would match **ANY** allowed leaf name in a newick string. Use your regex and grep to extract all leaf names from the Tree\_of\_life.nwk in the data directory.

Note that leaf names can be numbers so consider what about newick format is used to distinguish leaf names from other elements. Your regex should be able to identify the leaf names "0.5" and "0.000123" in the newick string "(0.5:0.4,0.000123:0.123);"

Provide a screenshot showing the following executed in the same terminal window:

Your command to identify all leaves piped to wc -1 to count the results (i.e., <your command> wc -1)

Your command to identify all leaves piped to head to show a snippet of the results (i.e., <your command> | head)

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[(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro data % ggrep -Po "(?<=[,(])[^(),:;]+(?] =:)" Tree_of_life.nwk | wc -l 191

[(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro data % ggrep -Po "(?<=[,(])[^(),:;]+(?] =:)" Tree_of_life.nwk | head

Nanoarchaeum_equitans

Pyrobaculum_aerophilum
Aeropyrum_pernix

Sulfolobus_tokodaii

Thermoplasma_ocidophilum
Archaeoglobus_fulgidus

Halobacterium_sp._NRC-1

Methanosarcina_acetivorans
(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro data %
```

5. Use a regex and grep to extract all branch lengths from the Tree\_of\_life.nwk file and then calculate the sum of all branch lengths using awk. Note again that leaf names can be numbers. Your regex should match only branch lengths and not node support or leaf names. Provide a screenshot showing the command and its result in a terminal window

```
[(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro data % ggrep -oP ':\d+\.\d+' Tree_of_l]
ife.nwk | gawk '{sum += substr($0, 2)} END {print sum}'
45.54
(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro data % 89
```

6. Use **find** with a regular expression and wc -1 to determine how many gene files are in the directory "data/find\_data/". Note use "egrep" regextype as that refers to the GNU ERE covered in class.

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(HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-107-230 data % gfind find_data/ -type f -regextype egrep -regex ".*/[a-z].*[.] [fa][sta]+" | wc -l
4334
(HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-107-230 data % ■
```

7. Use find with a regular expression and wc -1 to determine how many protein files are in the directory "data/find\_data/".

Provide a screenshot of a terminal window showing your command and the output

Total files are 8326

```
(HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-107-230 data % gfind find_data/ -type f -regextype egrep -regex ".*/[a-z].*[.]
[fa][sta]+" | wc -1

4334
[(HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-107-230 data % gfind find_data -type f -regextype egrep -regex ".*/[A-Z].*[.][]
fa][sta]+" | wc -1

3992
(HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-107-230 data % ■
```

8. Use find with a regular expression and -exec to copy all genes to a new directory called "genes/" and another find command to copy all proteins to a new directory called "proteins/"

Provide a screenshot showing the following executed in the same terminal window:

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Your command to copy all gene files to "genes/"
Your command to copy all protein files to "proteins/"
The output of the command ls genes/ | wc -l; ls proteins/ | wc -l
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HK_domain.faa
Pseudomonas_aeruginosa_UCBPP-PA14.fna
Tree_of_life.nwk
Vibrio_cholerae_N16961.fna
Wolbachia.fna
copy_HK_domain.faa
final_HK.faa
final_HK.faa
genes
(HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-187-230 data % gfind find_data/ -type f -regextype egrep -regex ".*/[a-z].*[.][fa][sta]+" -exec cp {} genes/ \;

([HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-187-230 data % gfind find_data/ -type f -regextype egrep -regex ".*/[a-z].*[.][fa][sta]+" -exec cp {} genes/ \;

([HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-187-230 data % gfind find_data/ -type f -regextype egrep -regex ".*/[a-z].*[.][fa][sta]+" -exec cp {} genes/ \;

([HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-187-230 data % gfind find_data/ -type f -regextype egrep -regex ".*/[a-z].*[.][fa][sta]+" -exec cp {} proteins/ \;

([HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-187-230 data % ls genes/ | wc -1; ls proteins/ | wc -1
4334
3992
([HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-187-230 data % |
```

9. Setting up and forking a git repo (30 points)

### Tasks for number 9

1. (6 points)

Make a git repo on your github account called "perfect\_hits". OPTIONAL: You may wish to create a README.md when prompted in which you can document the usage of the script in this repo, but your README will not be assessed.

Clone the repo to a location on your computer (perhaps ~/git\_repos/perfect\_hits/).

Provide a screenshot of your terminal in which you execute the clone command.

```
h-diskalkar"
(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro ~ % git config --global user.name "sart h"
[(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro ~ % git config --global credential.help]
er store
[(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro ~ % git config --global user.name "sart h-diskalkar"
[(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro ~ % git config --global credential.helper store
[(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro ~ % git config --global credential.helper store
[(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro ~ % git -v git version 2.42.0
[(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro ~ % cd ~/git_repos/
[(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro git_repos % ls
[(base) sarthdiskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro git_repos % git clone https://github.com/sarth-diskalkar@Sarths-MacBook-Pro git_repos % git clone https://github.com/sarth-diskalkar@
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Copy your find\_perfect\_matches.sh script from last week (Question 4.3) into the new repo. Add and commit your script so it is tracked by git. Provide a screenshot of your terminal in which you executed the copy, add, and commit commands successfully.

3.

Make and activate a conda/mamba environment with blast installed. Activate an existing one if you already have one.

Make a hardlink of your find\_perfect\_matches.sh script in the mamba env bin folder for the activated environment.

Provide a screenshot in which you show you can now call your script with which <script>

while in the mamba env

Same image right below

4. Replace the contents of the find\_perfect\_matches.sh script in your repo with echo "oops!". Save the file.

Run the find\_perfect\_matches.sh that is on your path (not the file that is in your git repo). Provide a screenshot of the output of running find\_perfect\_matches.sh from your PATH. Is the hardlinked file that you put in the mamba env bin directory also modified? Explain?

(HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-107-230 perfect\_hits % echo \$PATH /Users/sarthdiskalkar/anaconda3/envs/HW2/bin:/Users/sarthdiskalkar/anaconda3/condabin:/opt/homebrew/bin:/opt/hom ebrew/sbin:/Library/Frameworks/Python.framework/Versions/3.11/bin:/usr/local/bin:/usr/bin:/bin:/usr/sbin:/sbin

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ers/sarthdiskalkar/anaconda3/envs/HW2/bin/find_perfect_matches.sh
ln: /Users/sarthdiskalkar/anaconda3/envs/HW2/bin/find_perfect_matches.sh: File exists
((HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-107-230 perfect_hits % conda list
# packages in environment at /Users/sarthdiskalkar/anaconda3/envs/HW2:
# Name
                            Version
                                                       Build
                                                              Channel
blast
                                                 boost1.64_2
                            2.6.0
                                                                 bioconda
                                                  h9d38fda_4
grep
libcxx
                            3.4
                                                                 bioconda
                                                  h9765a3e_0
                            14.0.6
pcre
                            8.45
                                                  h23ab428_0
(HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-107-230 perfect_hits % which find_perfect_matches.sh
/Users/sarthdiskalkar/anaconda3/envs/HW2/bin/find_perfect_matches.sh
(HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-107-230 perfect_hits % nano find_perfect_matches.sh
(HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-107-230 perfect_hits % ./find_perfect_matches.sh
oops!
(HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-107-230 perfect_hits % which find_perfect_matches.sh
/Users/sarthdiskalkar/anaconda 3/envs/HW2/bin/find\_perfect\_matches.sh
[(HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-107-230 perfect_hits % cd
(HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-107-230 ~ % cd /Users/sarthdiskalkar/anaconda3/envs/HW2/bin
(HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-107-230 bin % ./find_perfect_matches.sh
oops!
(HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-107-230 bin % which find perfect matches.sh
/Users/sarthdiskalkar/anaconda3/envs/HW2/bin/find_perfect_matches.sh
(HW2) sarthdiskalkar@lawn-143-215-107-230 bin %
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Yes, the hardlinked file in the conda environment's envs/HW2/bin directory will be modified when you modify the original script in your Git repository. This is because a hardlink was created which means that both the original file and the hardlink file were pointing to the same inode number/data blocks.

5. Revert the changes to the script in your git repo by running git checkout ...

The above command changed every file in the repo to the version at the HEAD of your git history. What does HEAD refer to in this context? HEAD refers to the latest, most recent commit in your repo. HEAD is updated whenever a new commit is created.

If you wanted to revert to a different point in your git history (e.g., a specific commit) how would you do that? You would have to type in "git log" then look at the specific commit hash/number. To revert to a different point, use the command "git checkout" and then type in or copy the <commit number> right afterwards with a space in between. You will then revert back to the state of your repo when that commit was made.

# 10. find\_homologs.sh (40 points)

## **Tasks**

- 1. Create a copy on github of your perfect\_hits repo created in question 9.1. To do this you can click the "+" at the top right of the page, choose import repository, and then paste the URL of your perfect\_hits repo in the "old repository clone URL" box. Name your copy something like "find\_homologs"
- 2. Clone your new repo to a location on your computer
- 3. rename the "find\_perfect\_matches.sh" script to be "find\_homologs.sh" using git mv and commit the change
- 4. Using git to track changes to your script (by adding and committing them), modify the script so that it performs the following function:

Given a protein sequence query, perform a blast search against a nucleotide subject (This website should help determine which BLAST program to use)

Filter hits to keep only hits with >30% sequence identity and >90% match length (90% of the guery sequence length)

Output matches to a specified file

Print the number of matches identified
Usage of your script should be ./find\_homologs.sh <query file> <subject file> <output

### file>

In your submission sheet include the following:

- The content of your find\_homologs.sh script
  - A screenshot of your terminal showing the last 10 commits with one commit per line (i.e., not the default output) using the command git log -n 10 --oneline. Note if you made fewer than 10 commits that is acceptable. You need only show that you made commits.
  - A screenshot of your terminal showing the output of your script when used to identify homologs of the "HK\_domains.faa" sequences in each of the four bacterial assemblies provided in the "data/" dir of the "week3\_data.tar.gz" archive ("Escherichia\_coli\_K12.fna", "Pseudomonas\_aeruginosa\_UCBPP-PA14.fna", "Vibrio\_cholerae\_N16961.fna", and "Wolbachia.fna")

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#!/bin/bash
queryFile="$1"
subjectFile="$2"
outputFile="$3"
tblastn -query "$queryFile" -subject "$subjectFile" -outfmt "6 qseqid sseqid pident length" | awk
'$3 > 30 && $4 >= 0.9 * length($1)' > "$outputFile"
numMatches=$(wc -l < "$outputFile")
echo "Number of the matches identified: $numMatches"</pre>
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queryFile="$1"

subjectFile="$2"

outputFile="$3"

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echo "Number of the matches identified: $numMatches"
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