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# Local Alignment and Linear Space Alignment

# Myoglobin Genes of Mouse and Human

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>NM\_013593.3 *Mus musculus* myoglobin (Mb), transcript variant 2, mRNA

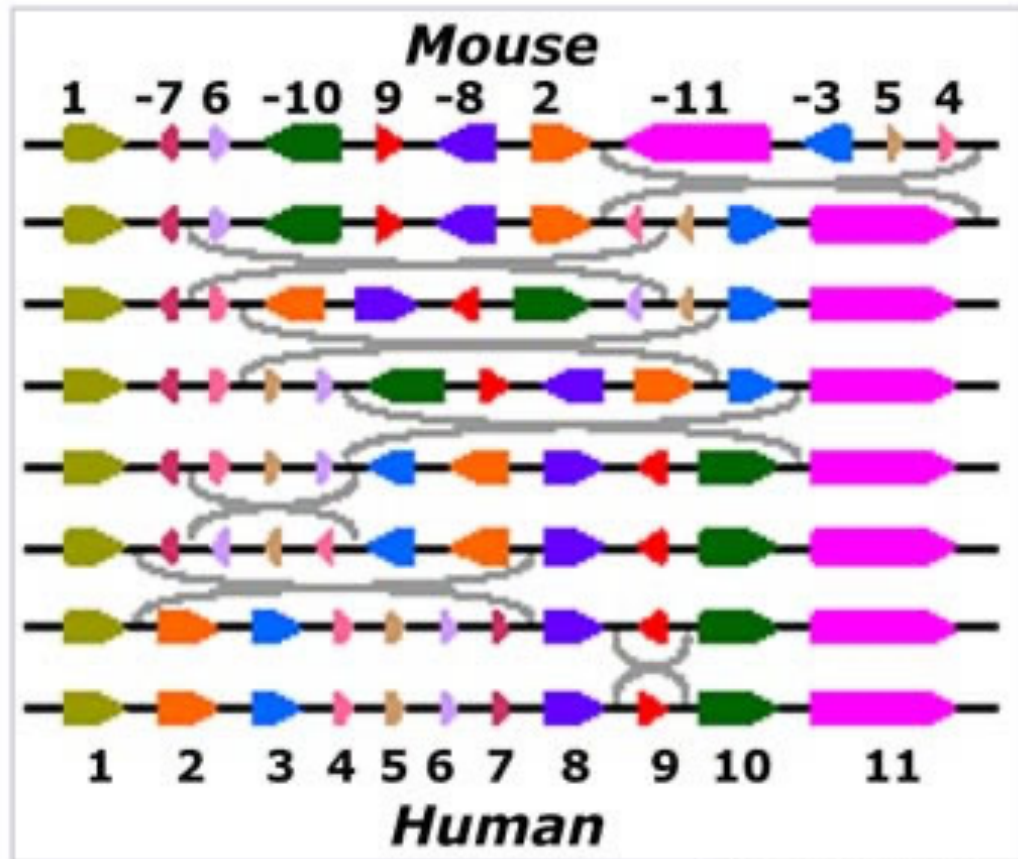
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>NM\_005368.3 *Homo sapiens* myoglobin (MB), transcript variant 1, mRNA

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Try align them at  
EMBL-EBI

# Interesting Fact

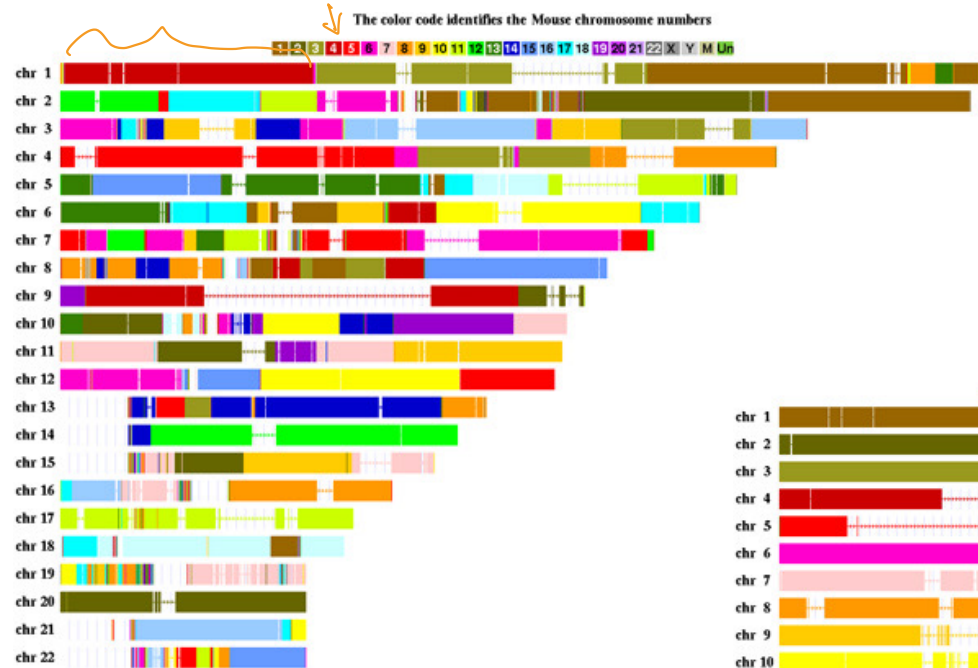


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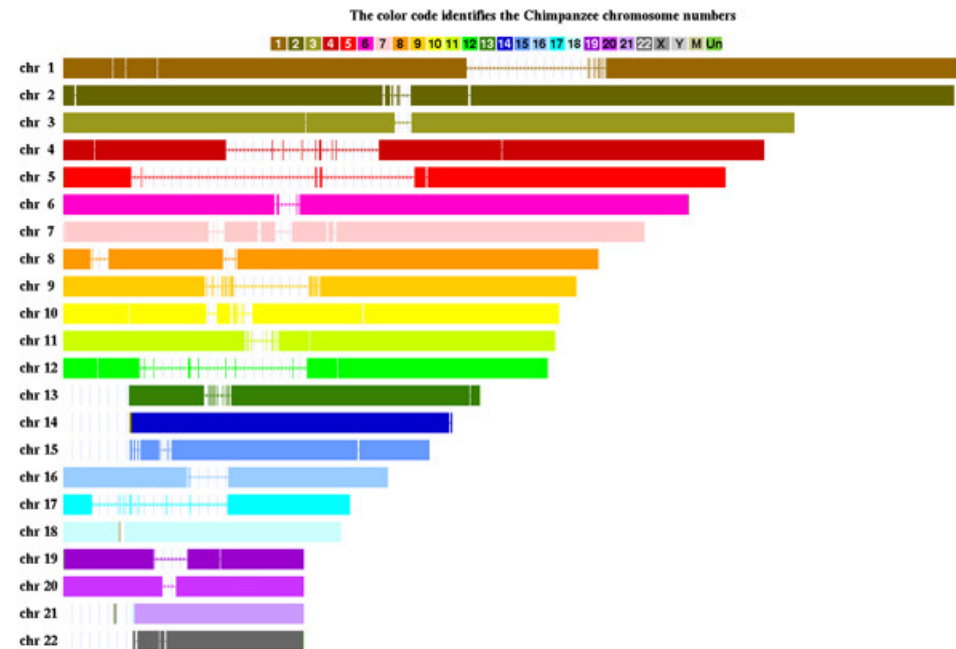
- Human and mouse share big blocks on their genomes.
- Figure shows relation between chromosome X of mouse and human.
- Each colored block is relatively conserved, but different in orders and orientations.
- Seven inversions are required to put them in the correct order and orientation. This is called “sorting by reversals”.

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# Mouse, Human, Chimpanzee



Mouse to Human

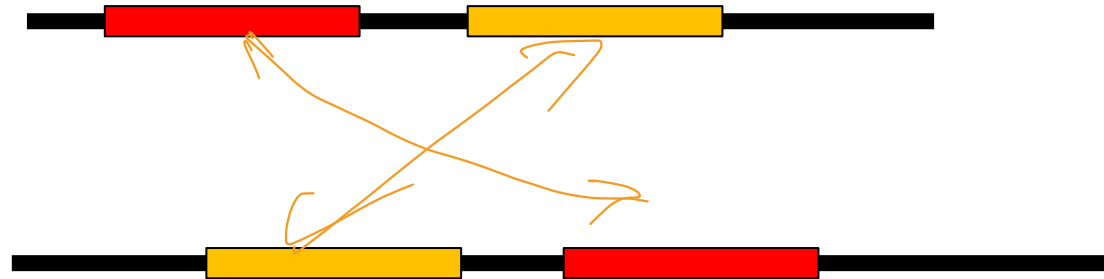


Chimpanzee to Human

# Local Alignment

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- Conserved regions are “local” to the genome/chromosome. But previous alignment is “global”.
- We need a model to define “local” similarity.



# Local Alignment

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- Given: two sequences S and T
- Find: substrings of S and T that maximizes the alignment score.

- AATTAG-CCGATGAC
- | | | |
- TGGAGGCTGATATA

- I.e., The indels at the beginning and end of the two strings are free.

# Local Alignment

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- Local alignment score is at least 0.
- The model only makes sense for alignment but not edit distance nor LCS.
- Question: Is the optimal local alignment a local part of an optimal “global” alignment?

match = 1    mismatch = -1,    indel = -5

A T  
T A

global

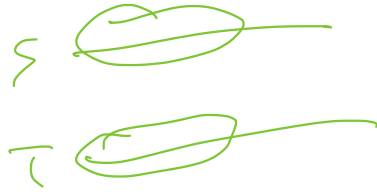
A

A

local

# Warm-up: Prefix alignment

What if we want to find the highest-scoring alignment between two prefixes of the two sequences.



- CATTC
- ATTGA

Match=1

Mismatch=-1

Indel=-1

$i, j$  to maximize

align score( $s[1..i]$ ,  $\tau[1..j]$ )  
 $D[i, j]$

		C	A	T	T	C
A	0	-1	-2	-3	-4	-5
T	-1	-1	0	-1	-2	-3
T	-2	-2	-1	1	0	-1
G	-3	-3	-2	0	2	1
A	-4	-4	-3	-1	1	1
A	-5	-5	-3	-2	0	0

$\max_{i, j} D[i, j]$

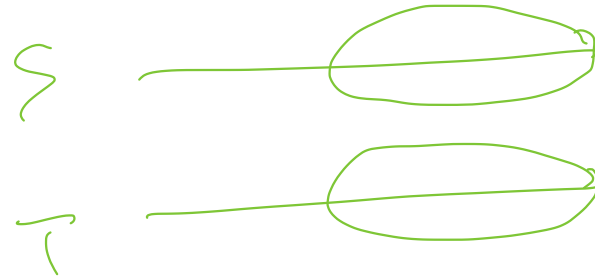


# Warm-up: “suffix alignment”

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- Suppose we only get the “free” deletions at the prefixes of the alignment.

- AATTAG-CCGAT
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- TGGAGGCTGAT



- That is, we choose two suffixes, and align them together optimally.

# Last column

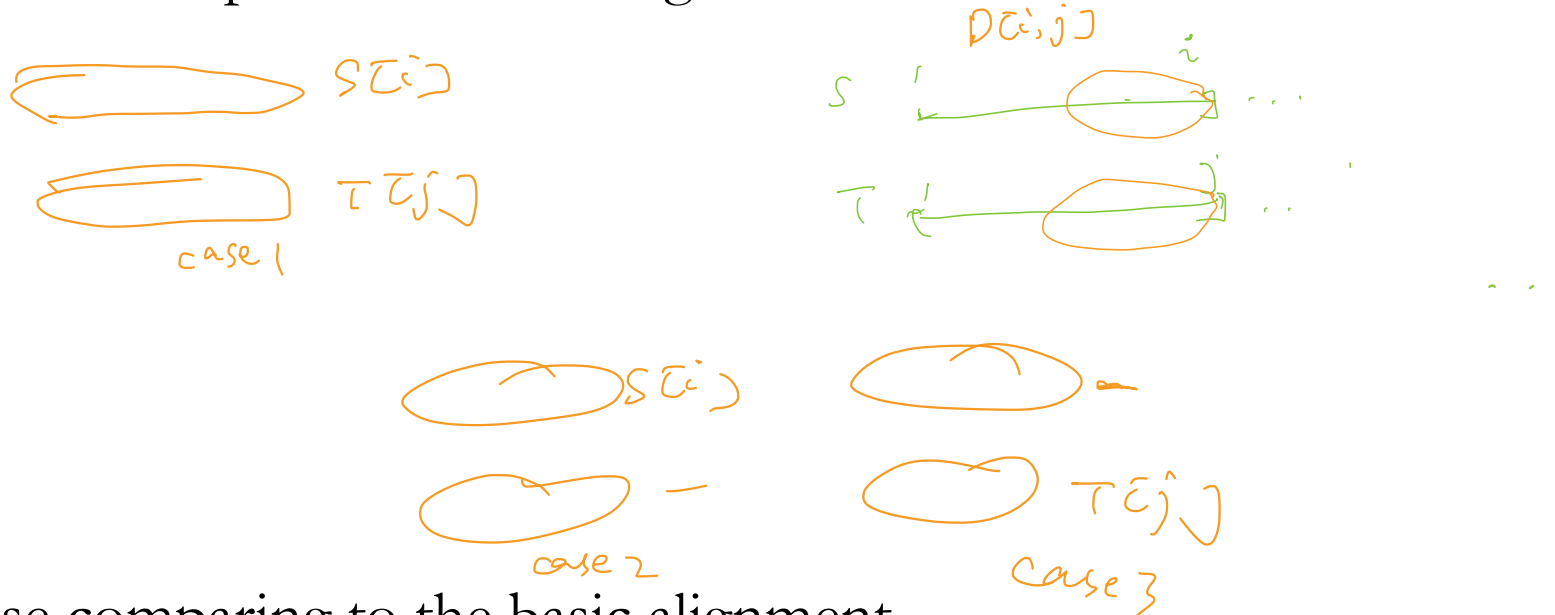
- Let  $D[i,j]$  denote the optimal “suffix alignment” alignment score of  $s[1..i]$ ,  $t[1..j]$ .
- That is,  $D[i,j]$  is the maximum alignment score for  $s[i'..i]$  and  $t[j'..j]$  for all  $i'$  and  $j'$ .
- Consider the last column of this optimal “suffix” alignment. Four cases arise:

Case 1:  $s[i]$  v.s.  $t[j]$

Case 2:  $s[i]$  v.s. —

Case 3:  $t[j]$  v.s. —

Case 4: an empty alignment



- Case 4 is the only new case comparing to the basic alignment.

# DP algorithm for “suffix alignment”

$$D[i,j] = \max \begin{cases} D[i-1, j-1] + f(s[i], t[j]); \checkmark \\ D[i-1, j] + f(s[i], -); \checkmark \\ D[i, j-1] + f(-, s[j]); \checkmark \\ 0 \checkmark \end{cases}$$

0	0	0	0	0	0
0	.	.	.	.	.
0					
0					
0					
0					

$D[m, n]$  = optimal suffix alignment of  $S$  v.s  $T$

Answer will be here

How to backtrack?