

# Pair-wise Alignment

# Dynamic Programming

- Dynamic Programming allow Optimal Alignment between two sequences
- Allow Insertion and Deletion or Alignment with gaps
- Needlman and Wunsh Algorithm (1970) for global alignment
- Smith & Waterman Algorithm (1981) for local alignment
- Important Steps
  - Create DOTPLOT between two sequences
  - Compute SUM matrix
  - Trace Optimal Path

## Step 1 -- Make a Dot Plot (Similarity Matrix)

Put 1's where characters are identical.

# Steps for Dynamic Programming

## Start Computing the Sum Matrix

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new_value_cell(R,C) <=
    cell(R,C)                                ( Old value, either 1 or 0      )
    + Max[
        cell (R+1, C+1),                      ( Diagonally Down, no gaps      )
        cells(R+1, C+2 to C_max), { Down a row, making col. gap }
        cells(R+2 to R_max, C+2) { Down a col., making row gap }
    ]

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	A	B	C	N	Y	R	Q	C	L	C	R	P	M
A	1												
Y					1								
C			1					1		1			
Y					1								
N				1									
R						1					1		
C			1				1		1				
K													
C			1				1		1				
R					1					1			
B	1												
P								1					

	A	B	C	N	Y	R	Q	C	L	C	R	P	M
A	1												
Y						1							
C			1							1		1	
Y					1								
N				1									
R						1						1	
C			1				1		1				
K													
C			1				1		1				
R					1					1			
B	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0
P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0



# Steps for Dynamic Programming

## Keep Going

# Steps for Dynamic Programming

Find Best Score (8) and Trace Back

A B C N Y - R O C L C R - P M

A Y C - Y N R - C K C R B P

# Steps for Dynamic Programming

## Alternate Tracebacks

A B C - N Y R Q C L C R - P M  
A Y C Y N - R - C K C R B P

	A	B	C	N	Y	R	Q	C	L	C	R	P	M
A	8	7	6	6	5	4	4	3	3	2	1	0	0
Y	7	7	6	6	6	4	4	3	3	2	1	0	0
C	6	6	7	6	5	4	4	4	3	3	1	0	0
Y	6	6	6	5	6	4	4	3	3	2	1	0	0
N	5	5	5	6	5	4	4	3	3	2	1	0	0
R	4	4	4	4	4	5	4	3	3	2	2	0	0
C	3	3	4	3	3	3	3	4	3	3	1	0	0
K	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	1	0	0
C	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	3	2	3	1	0	0
R	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	0	0
B	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0
P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0

# Important Terms in Pairwise Sequence Alignment

## Global Alignment

- Suite for similar sequences
- Nearly equal length
- Overall similarity is detected

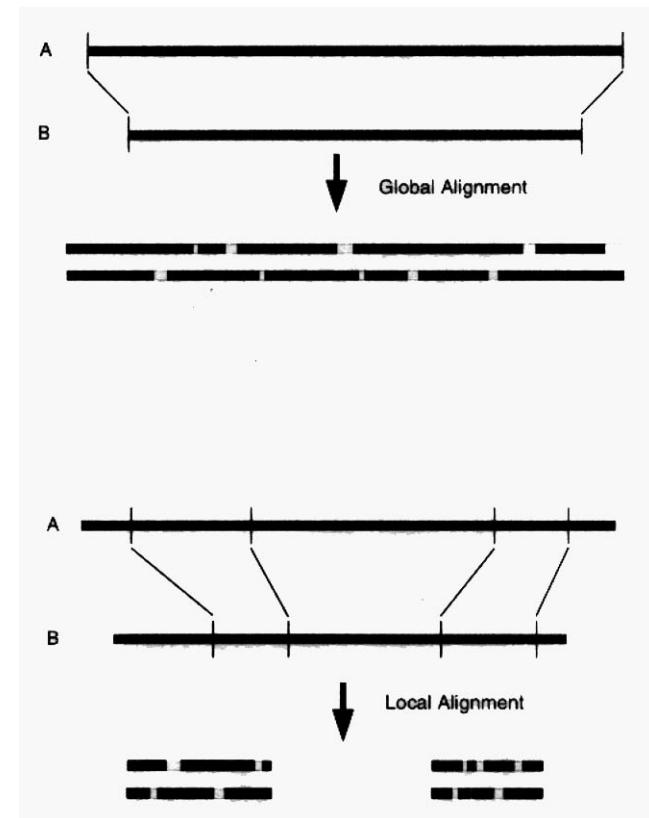
## Local Alignment

- Isolate regions in sequences
- Suitable for database searching
- Easy to detect repeats

## • Gap Penalty (Opening + Extended)

ALTGTRTG... CALGR ...

AL.GTRTGTGPCALGR ...



# Global alignment



Two sequences sharing several local regions of local similarity

## Algorithm: GAP

(Needleman & Wunsch)

Produces an **end-to-end** alignment

# Local alignment

1 AGGATTGGAATGCTCAGAACGAGCTAAAGCGTGTATGCAGGATTGGAATTAAAGAGGGAGGTAGACCG... 67  
1 AGGATTGGAATGCTAGGCTTGATTGCCCTACCTGTAGCCACATCAGAACGACTAAAGCGTCAGCGAGACCG 70

14 TCAGAACGAGCTAAAGCGT  
42 TCAGAACGCA.CTAAAGCGT

14 TCAGAACGAGCTAAAGCGT  
42 TCAGAACGCA.CTAAAGCGT

1 AGGATTGGAATGCT  
1 AGGATTGGAATGCT

39 AGGATTGGAAT  
1 AGGATTGGAAT

62 AGACCG  
66 AGACCG

**Algorithm: Bestfit**  
(Smith & Waterman)  
Identifies the region with the **best** local similarity

**Algorithm: Similarity**  
(X. Huang)  
Identifies **all** regions with local similarity