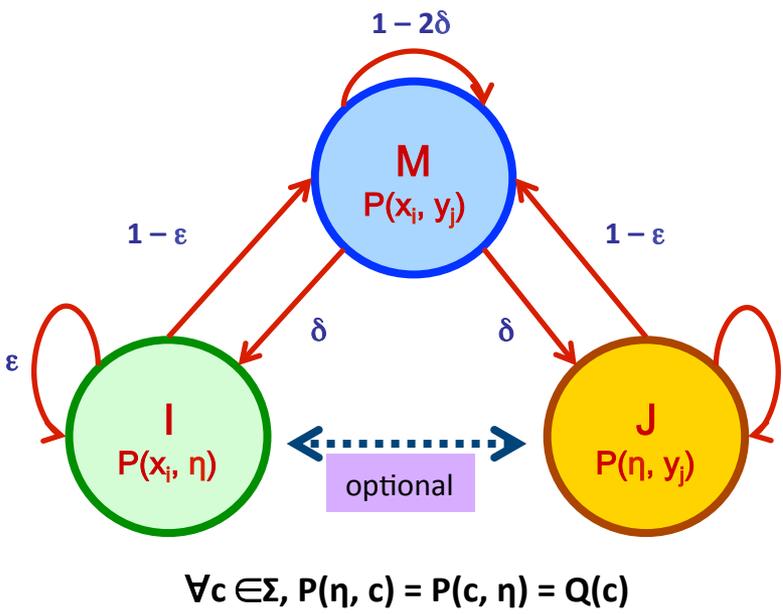




Review: Pair HMMs

- Consider this special case:



$$V_M(i, j) = P(x_i, y_j) \max \begin{cases} (1 - 2\delta) V_M(i - 1, j - 1) \\ (1 - \epsilon) V_I(i - 1, j - 1) \\ (1 - \epsilon) V_J(i - 1, j - 1) \end{cases}$$

$$V_I(i, j) = Q(x_i) \max \begin{cases} \delta V_M(i - 1, j) \\ \epsilon V_I(i - 1, j) \end{cases}$$

$$V_J(i, j) = Q(y_j) \max \begin{cases} \delta V_M(i, j - 1) \\ \epsilon V_J(i, j - 1) \end{cases}$$

- Similar for **forward/backward** algorithms
 - (see Durbin et al for details)

QUESTION: What's the computational complexity of DP?



Connection to NW with affine gaps

$$V_M(i, j) = \frac{P(x_i, y_j)}{Q(x_i) Q(y_j)} \max \begin{cases} (1 - 2\delta) V_M(i - 1, j - 1) \\ (1 - \varepsilon) V_I(i - 1, j - 1) \\ (1 - \varepsilon) V_J(i - 1, j - 1) \end{cases}$$

$$V_I(i, j) = \max \begin{cases} \delta V_M(i - 1, j) \\ \varepsilon V_I(i - 1, j) \end{cases}$$

$$V_J(i, j) = \max \begin{cases} \delta V_M(i, j - 1) \\ \varepsilon V_J(i, j - 1) \end{cases}$$

- Account for the extra terms “along the way.”



Connection to NW with affine gaps

$$\log V_M(i, j) = \log \frac{P(x_i, y_j)}{Q(x_i) Q(y_j)} + \max \begin{cases} \log(1 - 2\delta) + \log V_M(i - 1, j - 1) \\ \log(1 - \varepsilon) + \log V_I(i - 1, j - 1) \\ \log(1 - \varepsilon) + \log V_J(i - 1, j - 1) \end{cases}$$

$$\log V_I(i, j) = \max \begin{cases} \log \delta + \log V_M(i - 1, j) \\ \log \varepsilon + \log V_I(i - 1, j) \end{cases}$$

$$\log V_J(i, j) = \max \begin{cases} \log \delta + \log V_M(i, j - 1) \\ \log \varepsilon + \log V_J(i, j - 1) \end{cases}$$

- Take logs, and ignore a couple terms.



Connection to NW with affine gaps

$$M(i, j) = S(x_i, y_j) + \max \begin{cases} M(i - 1, j - 1) \\ I(i - 1, j - 1) \\ J(i - 1, j - 1) \end{cases}$$

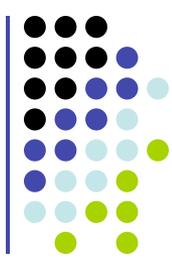
$$I(i, j) = \max \begin{cases} d + M(i - 1, j) \\ e + I(i - 1, j) \end{cases}$$

$$J(i, j) = \max \begin{cases} d + M(i, j - 1) \\ e + J(i, j - 1) \end{cases}$$

- Rename!



Conditional random fields



Recall Likelihood $P(\mathbf{x}, \pi)$

$$P(\mathbf{x}, \pi) = P(x_1, \dots, x_N, \pi_1, \dots, \pi_N) = a_{0\pi_1} a_{\pi_1\pi_2} \dots a_{\pi_{N-1}\pi_N} e_{\pi_1}(x_1) \dots e_{\pi_N}(x_N)$$

- Enumerate all parameters a_{ij} and $e_i(b)$; n params

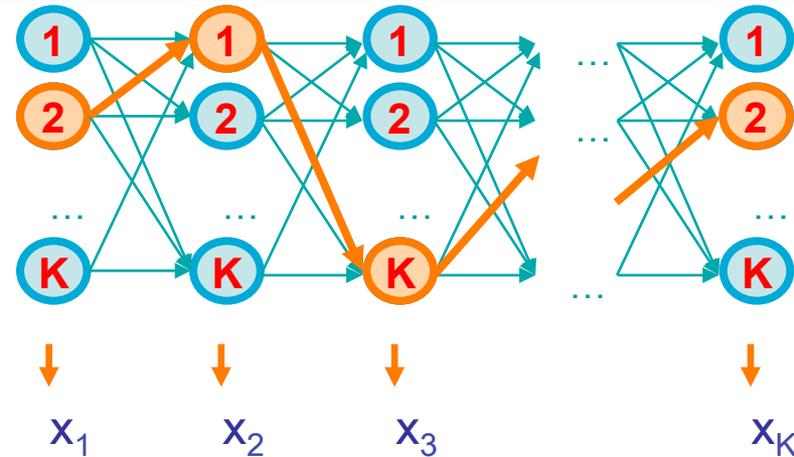
$$a_{0\text{Fair}} : \theta_1; a_{0\text{Loaded}} : \theta_2; \dots e_{\text{Loaded}}(\mathbf{6}) = \theta_{18}$$

- Count the # of times each parameter $j = 1, \dots, n$ occurs

$$F(j, \mathbf{x}, \pi) = \# \text{ parameter } \theta_j \text{ occurs in } (\mathbf{x}, \pi)$$

- (call $F(\dots)$ the **feature counts**) Then,

$$P(\mathbf{x}, \pi) = \prod_{j=1 \dots n} \theta_j^{F(j, \mathbf{x}, \pi)} = \exp\left[\sum_{j=1 \dots n} \log(\theta_j) \times F(j, \mathbf{x}, \pi)\right]$$





Conditional random fields - Recap

- **Definition**

$$P(\pi \mid x) = \frac{\exp(\sum_{i=1 \dots |x|} w^T F(\pi_i, \pi_{i-1}, x, i))}{\sum_{\pi'} \exp(\sum_{i=1 \dots |x|} w^T F(\pi'_i, \pi'_{i-1}, x, i))}$$

partition coefficient

where

$F : (\text{state}, \text{state}, \text{observations}, \text{index}) \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^n$ “local feature mapping”
 $w \in \mathbf{R}^n$ “parameter vector”

- Summation over all possible state sequences $\pi'_1 \dots \pi'_{|x|}$
- $a^T b$ for vectors $a, b \in \mathbf{R}^n$ denotes inner product, $\sum_{i=1 \dots n} a_i b_i$



Relationship with HMMs

- For each component w_j , define F_j to be a 0/1 indicator variable of whether the j^{th} parameter should be included in scoring x, π at position i :

$$w = \begin{bmatrix} \log a_0(1) \\ \dots \\ \log a_0(K) \\ \log a_{11} \\ \dots \\ \log a_{KK} \\ \log e_1(b_1) \\ \dots \\ \log e_K(b_M) \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbf{R}^n \quad F(\pi_i, \pi_{i-1}, x, i) = \begin{bmatrix} 1\{i = 1 \wedge \pi_{i-1} = 1\} \\ \dots \\ 1\{i = 1 \wedge \pi_{i-1} = K\} \\ 1\{\pi_{i-1} = 1 \wedge \pi_i = 1\} \\ \dots \\ 1\{\pi_{i-1} = K \wedge \pi_i = K\} \\ 1\{x_i = b_1 \wedge \pi_i = 1\} \\ \dots \\ 1\{x_i = b_M \wedge \pi_i = K\} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbf{R}^n$$

- Then, $\log P(x, \pi) = \sum_{i=1 \dots |x|} w^T F(\pi_i, \pi_{i-1}, x, i)$



CRFS \geq HMMs (continued)

- In an HMM, our features were of the form

$$F(\pi_i, \pi_{i-1}, x, i) = F(\pi_i, \pi_{i-1}, x_i, i)$$

- i.e., when scoring position i in the sequence, feature only considered the emission x_i at position i .
 - Cannot look at other positions (e.g., x_{i-1} , x_{i+1}) since that would involve “emitting” a character more than once – double-counting of probability
- CRFs don't have this restriction
 - Why? Because CRFs don't attempt to model the observations x !



3 basic questions for CRFs

- **Evaluation:** Given a sequence of observations x and a sequence of states π , compute $P(\pi \mid x)$
- **Decoding:** Given a sequence of observations x , compute the maximum probability sequence of states $\pi_{\text{ML}} = \arg \max_{\pi} P(\pi \mid x)$
- **Learning:** Given a CRF with unspecified parameters w , compute the parameters that maximize the likelihood of π given x , i.e., $w_{\text{ML}} = \arg \max_w P(\pi \mid x, w)$



Viterbi for CRFs

- Note that:

$$\begin{aligned} \operatorname{argmax}_{\pi} P(\pi \mid x) &= \operatorname{argmax}_{\pi} \frac{\exp(\sum_{i=1 \dots |x|} w^T F(\pi_i, \pi_{i-1}, x, i))}{\sum_{\pi'} \exp(\sum_{i=1 \dots |x|} w^T F(\pi'_i, \pi'_{i-1}, x, i))} \\ &= \operatorname{arg max}_{\pi} \exp(\sum_{i=1 \dots |x|} w^T F(\pi_i, \pi_{i-1}, x, i)) \\ &= \operatorname{arg max}_{\pi} \sum_{i=1 \dots |x|} w^T F(\pi_i, \pi_{i-1}, x, i) \end{aligned}$$

- We can derive the following recurrence:

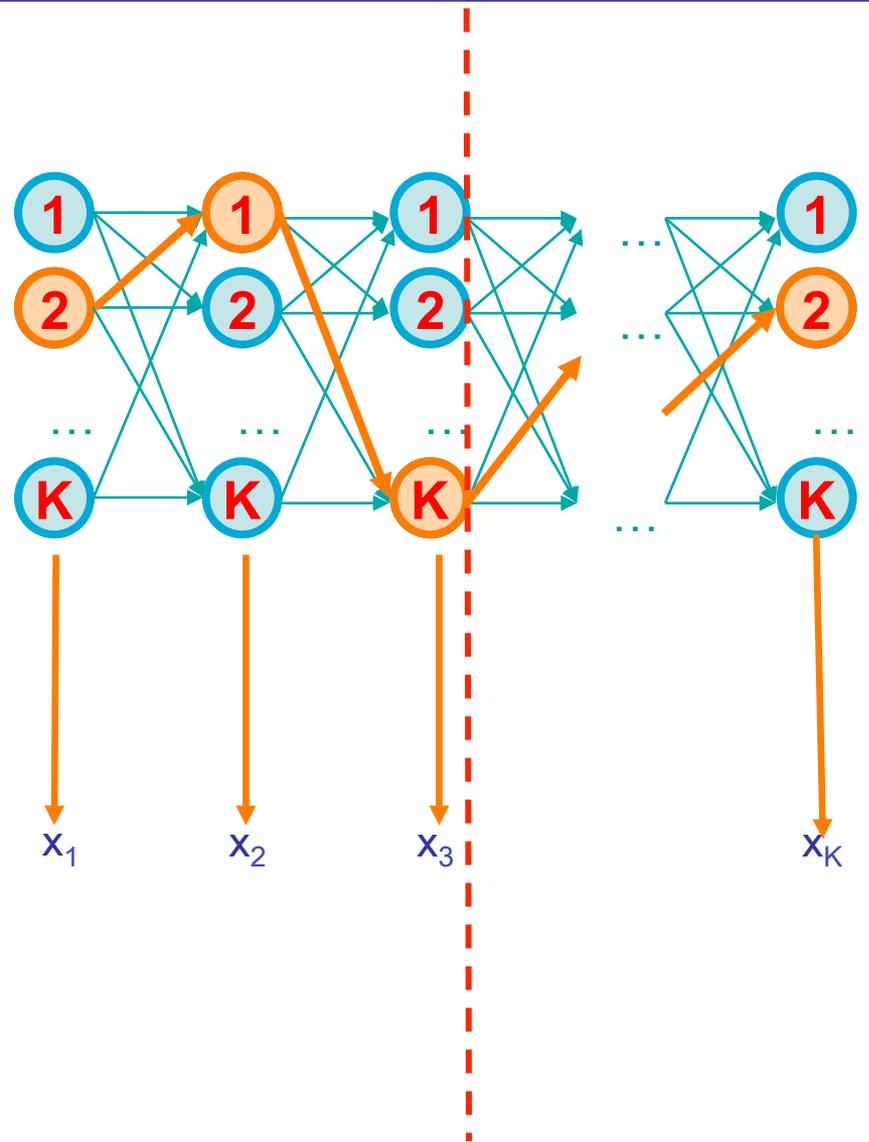
$$V_k(i) = \max_j [w^T F(k, j, x, i) + V_j(i-1)]$$

- **Notes:**

- Even though the features may depend on arbitrary positions in x , x is constant. DP depends only on knowing the previous state
- Computing the partition function (denominator) can be done by a similar adaptation of the forward/backward algorithms



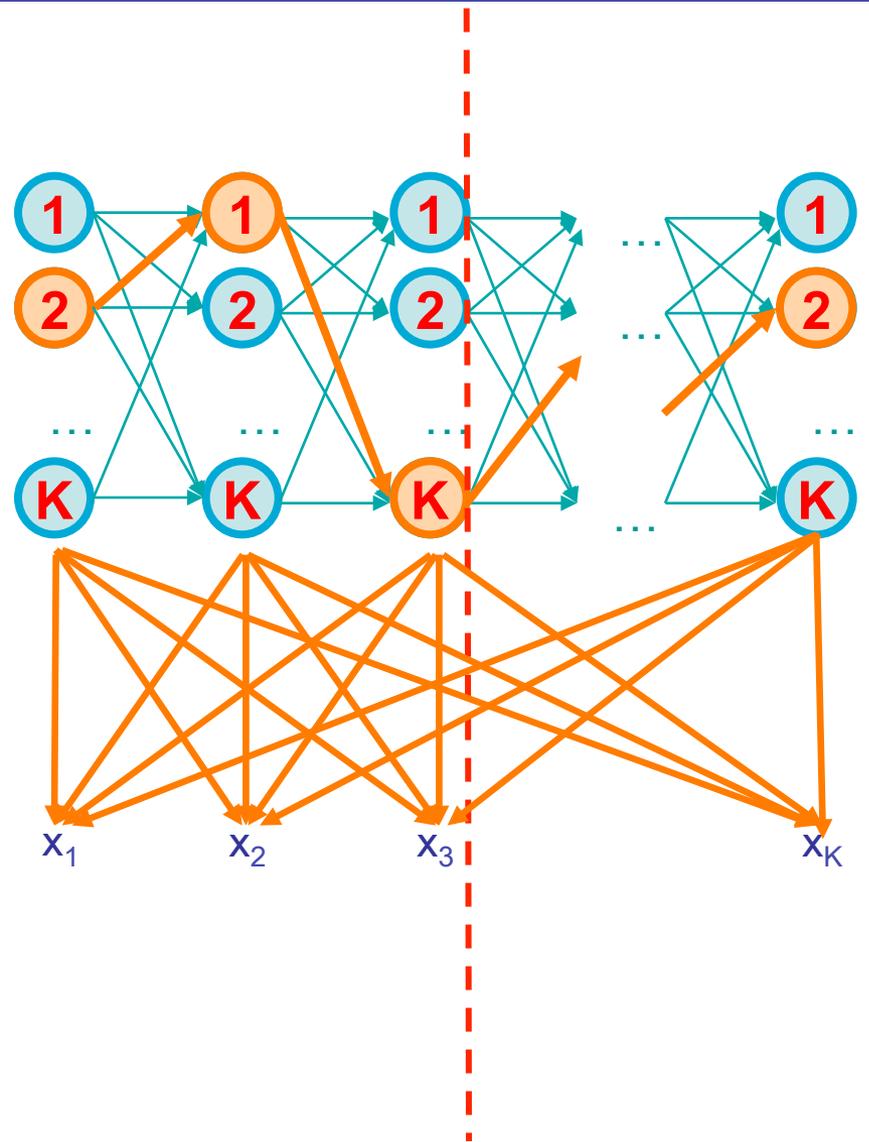
Viterbi for CRFs



Given that we end up in state k at step i, maximize score to the left and right



Viterbi for CRFs



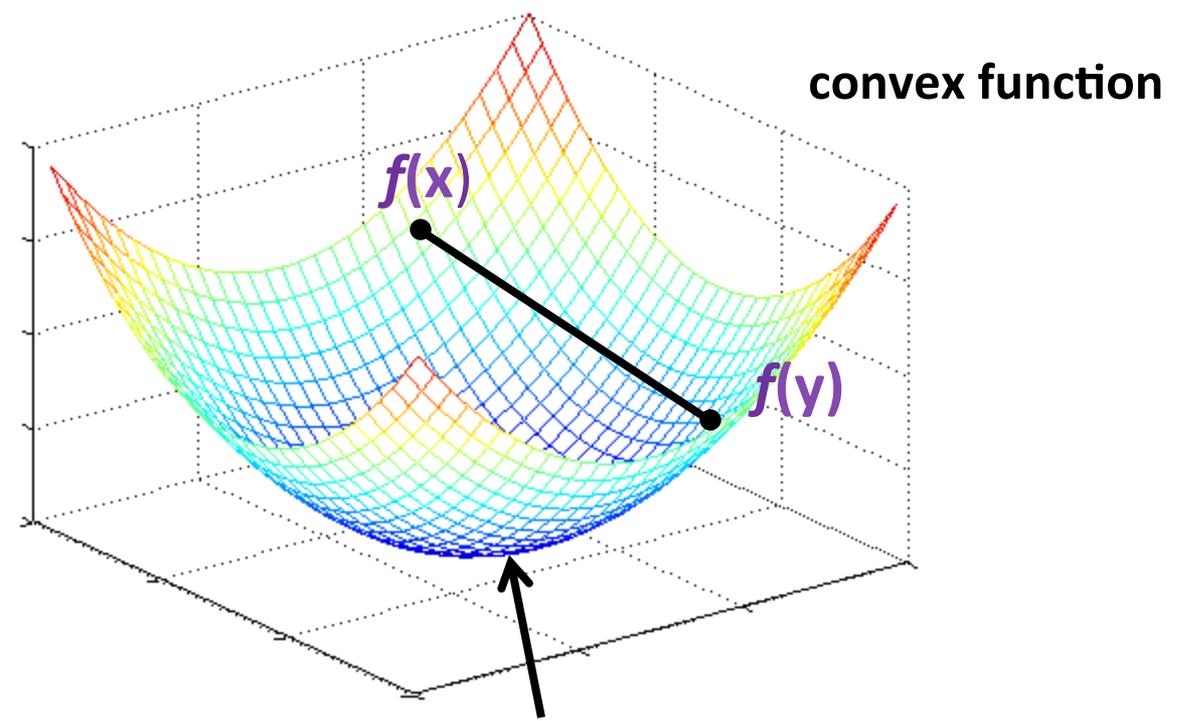
Given that we end up in state k at step i , maximize score to the left and right

X is fixed:
=> parse to the left of step i , given we end in state k , does not affect parse to the right of step i



Learning CRFs

- Key observation: $-\log P(\pi \mid x, w)$ is a differentiable, **convex** function of w



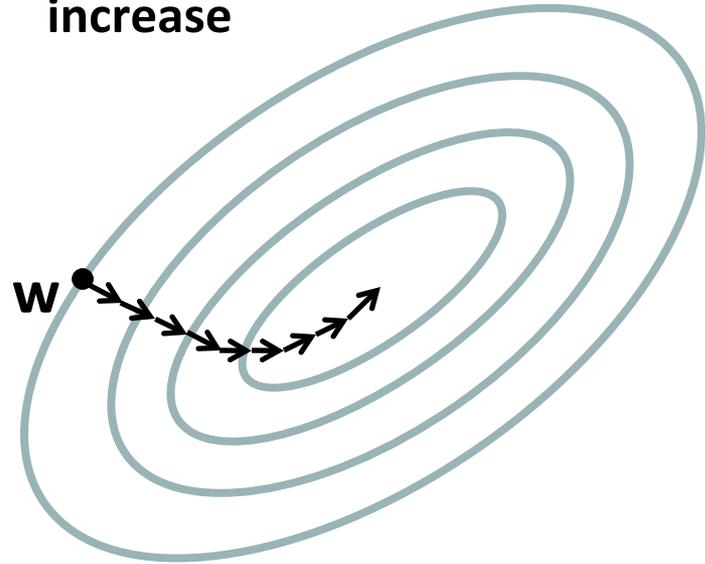
Any local minimum is a global minimum.



Learning CRFs (continued)

- Compute partial derivative of $\log P(\pi | x, w)$ with respect to each parameter w_j , and use the gradient ascent learning rule:

Gradient points in the direction of greatest function increase





The CRF gradient

- It turns out that

$$(\partial/\partial w_j) \log P(\pi | x, w) = F_j(x, \pi) - E_{\pi' \sim P(\pi' | x, w)} [F_j(x, \pi')]$$

correct value for jth feature

expected value for jth feature (given the current parameters)

- This has a very nice interpretation:
 - We increase parameters for which the correct feature values are greater than the predicted feature values
 - We decrease parameters for which the correct feature values are less than the predicted feature values
- This moves probability mass from incorrect parses to correct parses



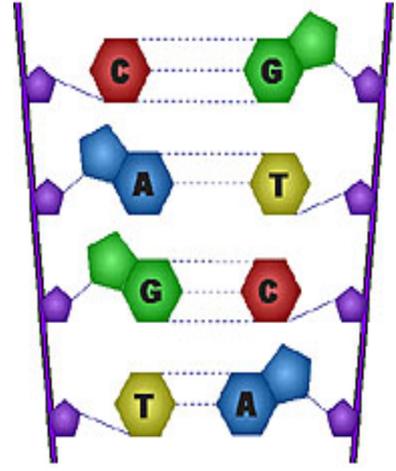
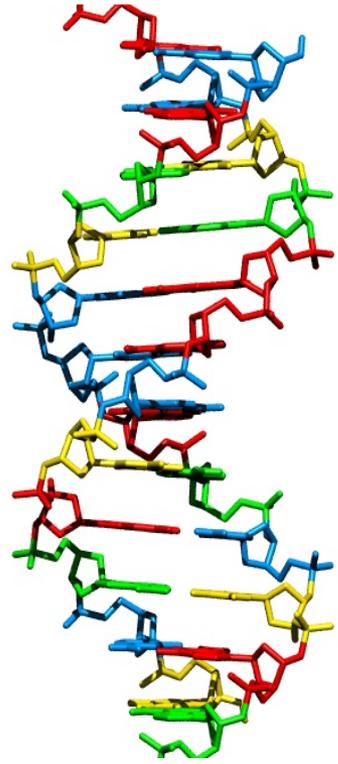
DNA Sequencing





DNA sequencing

How we obtain the sequence of nucleotides of a species



...ACGTGACTGAGGACCGTG
CGACTGAGACTGACTGGGT
CTAGCTAGACTACGTTTTA
TATATATATACGTCGTCGT
ACTGATGACTAGATTACAG
ACTGATTTAGATACCTGAC
TGATTTTAAAAAATATT...

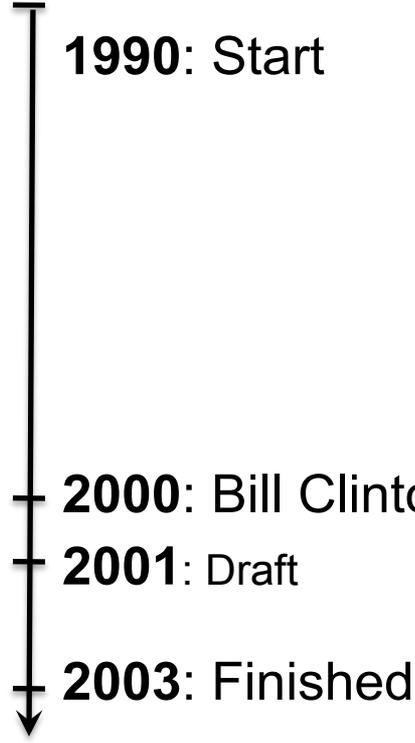


Human Genome Project



3 billion basepairs

\$3 billion



“most important scientific discovery in the 20th century”

now what?



Which representative of the species?

Which human?

Answer one:



Answer two: it doesn't matter

Polymorphism rate: number of letter changes between two different members of a species

Humans: $\sim 1/1,000$

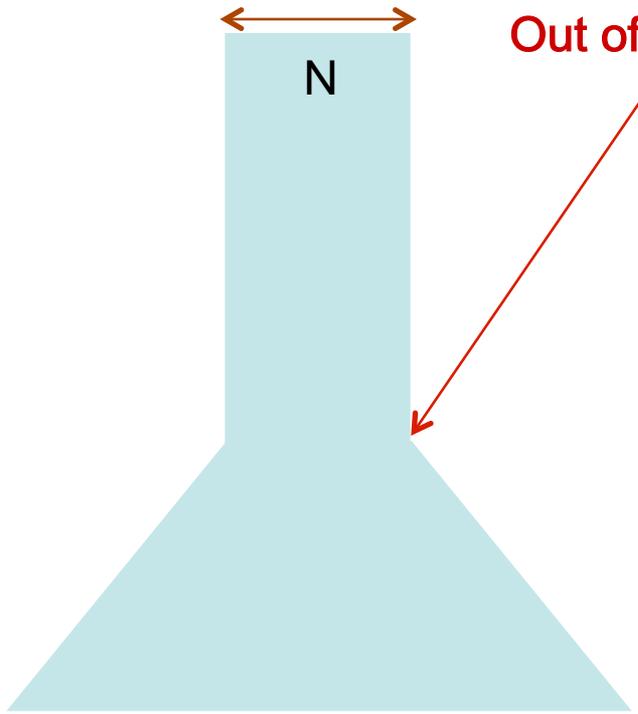


Other organisms have much higher polymorphism rates

- Population size!



Why humans are so similar



Out of Africa



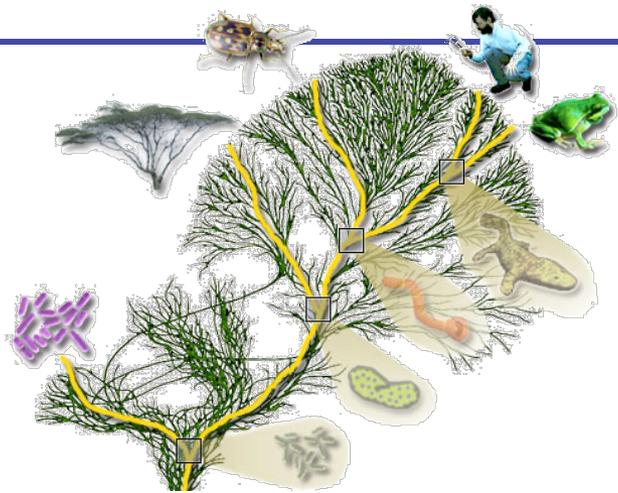
A small population that interbred reduced the genetic variation

Out of Africa ~ 40,000 years ago

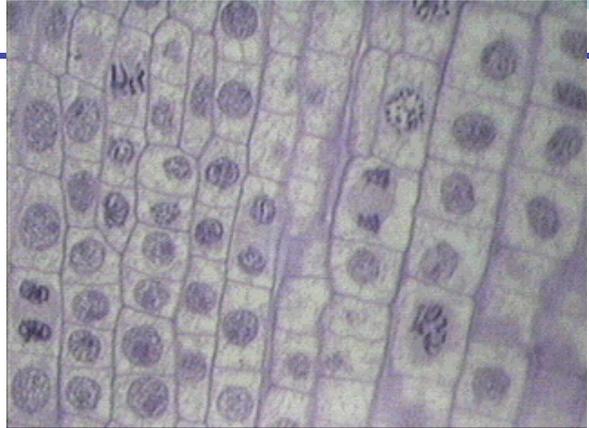
Heterozygosity: H
 $H = 4Nu / (1 + 4Nu)$
 $u \sim 10^{-8}, N \sim 10^4$
 $\Rightarrow H \sim 4 \times 10^{-4}$



There is never “enough” sequencing



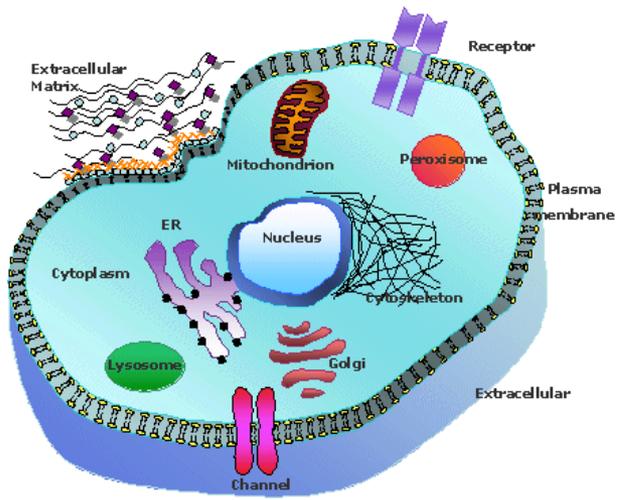
100 million species



Somatic mutations (e.g., HIV, cancer)



7 billion individuals



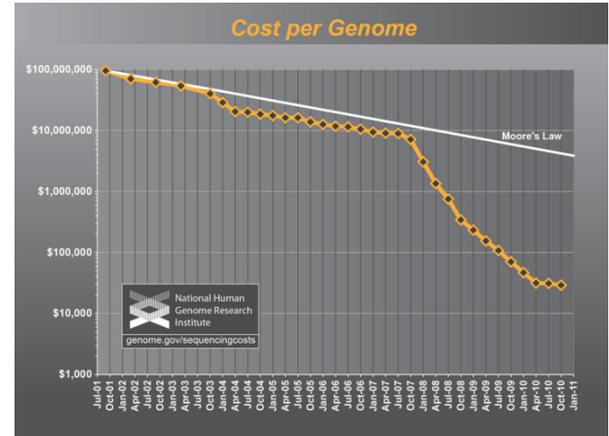
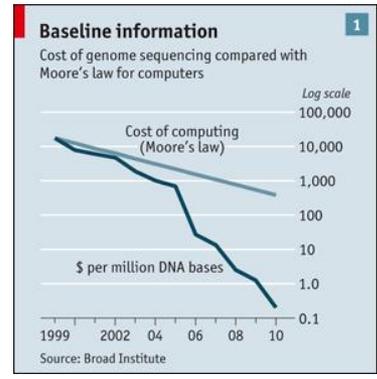
Sequencing is a functional assay



Sequencing Growth

Cost of one human genome

- 2004: \$30,000,000
- 2008: \$100,000
- 2010: \$10,000
- **2015: \$1,000**
- ????: \$300



How much would you pay for a smartphone?

Ancient sequencing technology – Sanger Vectors



DNA



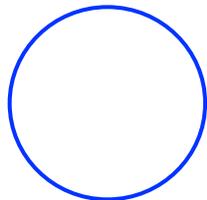
Shake



DNA fragments



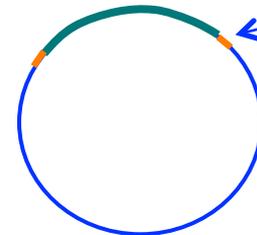
Vector
Circular genome
(bacterium, plasmid)



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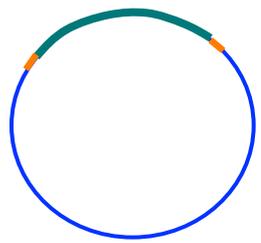
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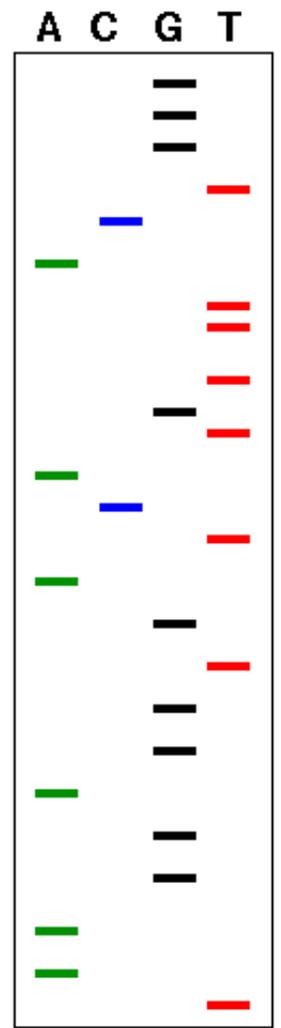
Known location

(restriction site)

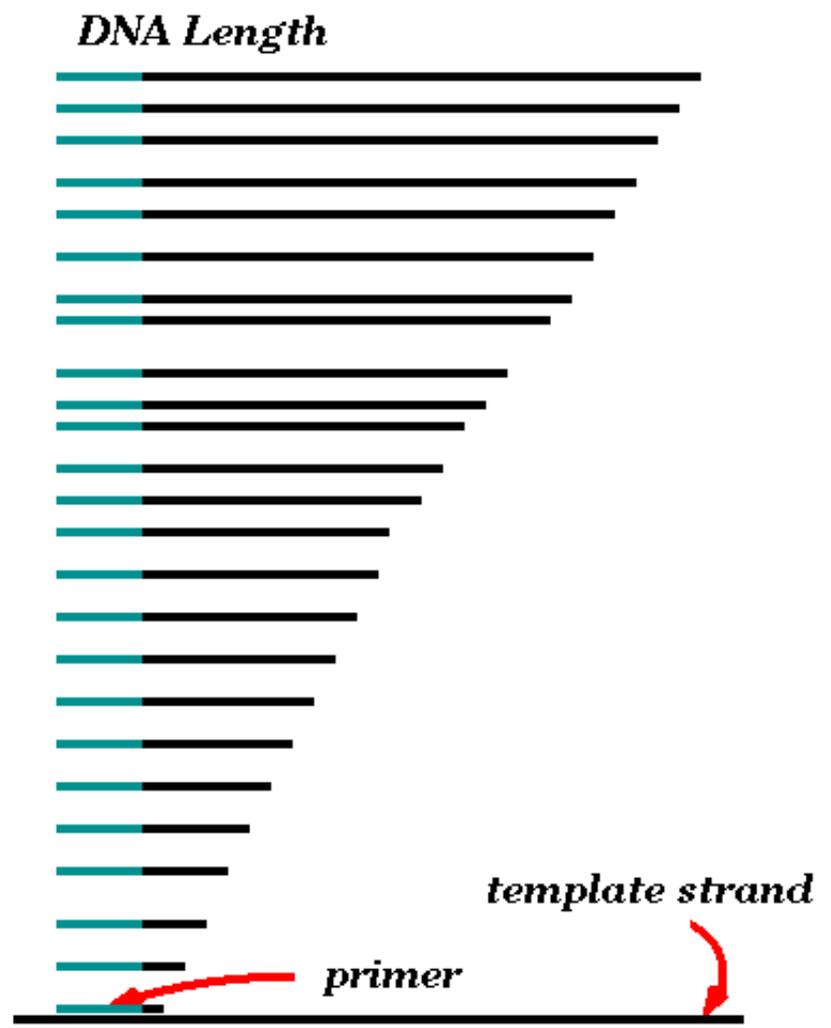
Ancient sequencing technology – Sanger Gel Electrophoresis



1. Start at primer (restriction site)
2. Grow DNA chain
3. Include dideoxynucleoside (modified a, c, g, t)
4. Stops reaction at all possible points
5. Separate products with length, using gel electrophoresis



G
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Fluorescent Sanger sequencing trace

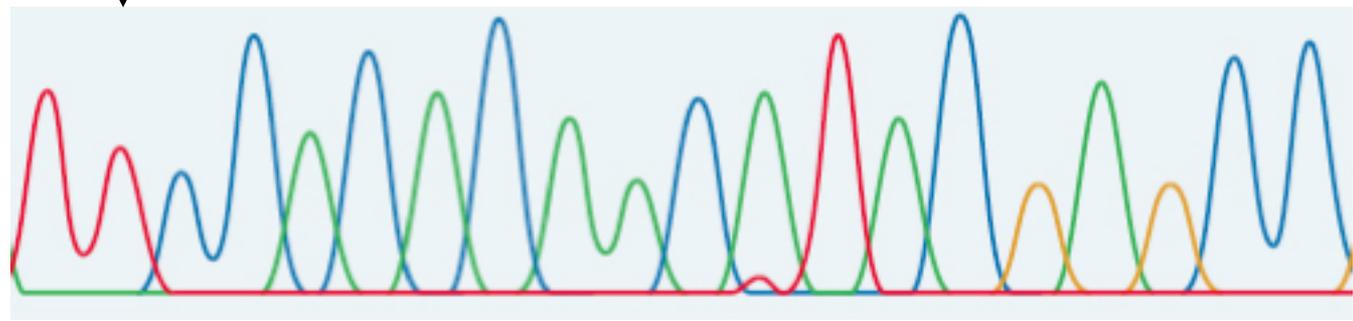
Lane signal



(Real fluorescent signals from a lane/capillary are much uglier than this).

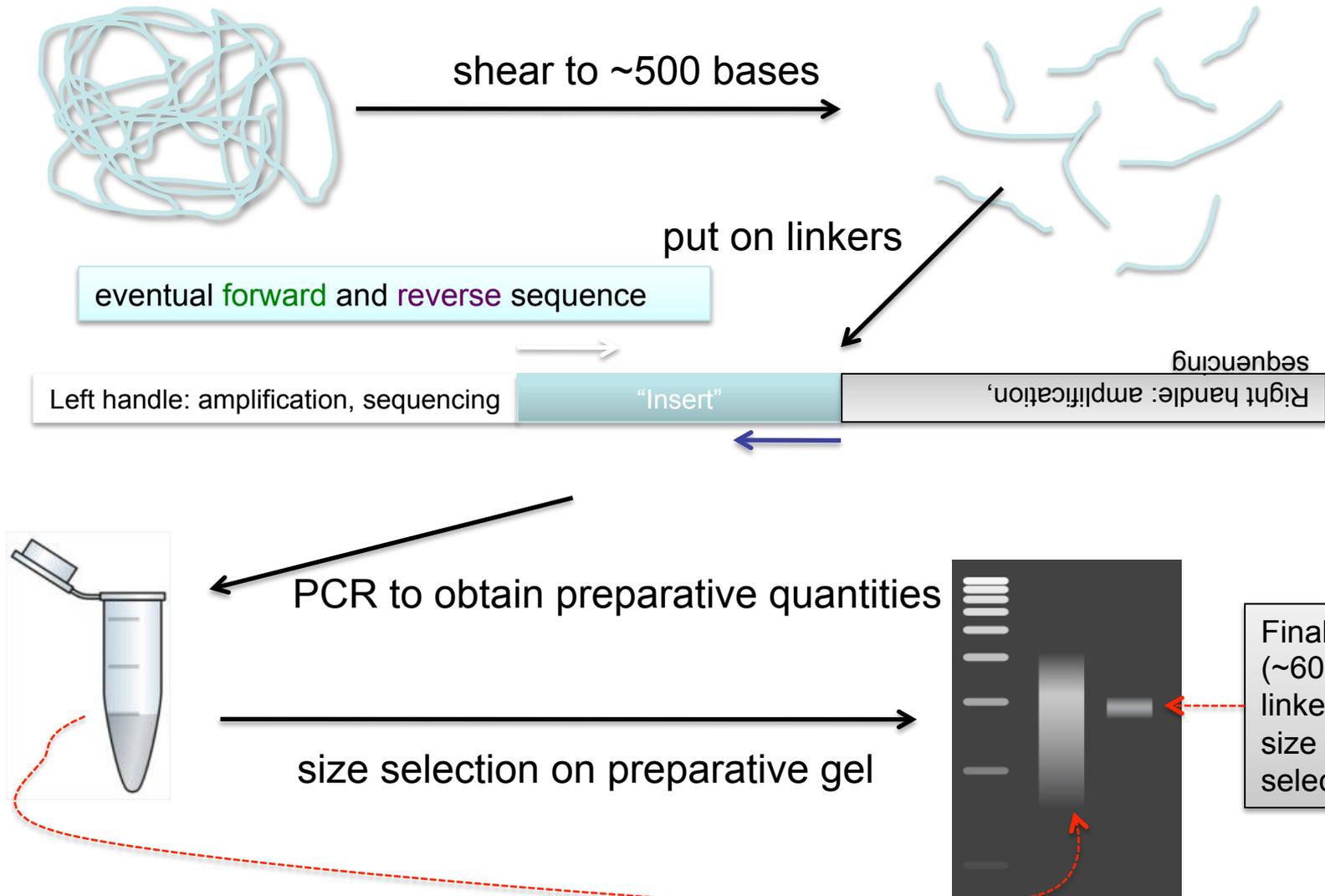
A bunch of magic to boost signal/noise, correct for dye-effects, mobility differences, etc, generates the 'final' trace (for each capillary of the run)

Trace





Making a Library (present)



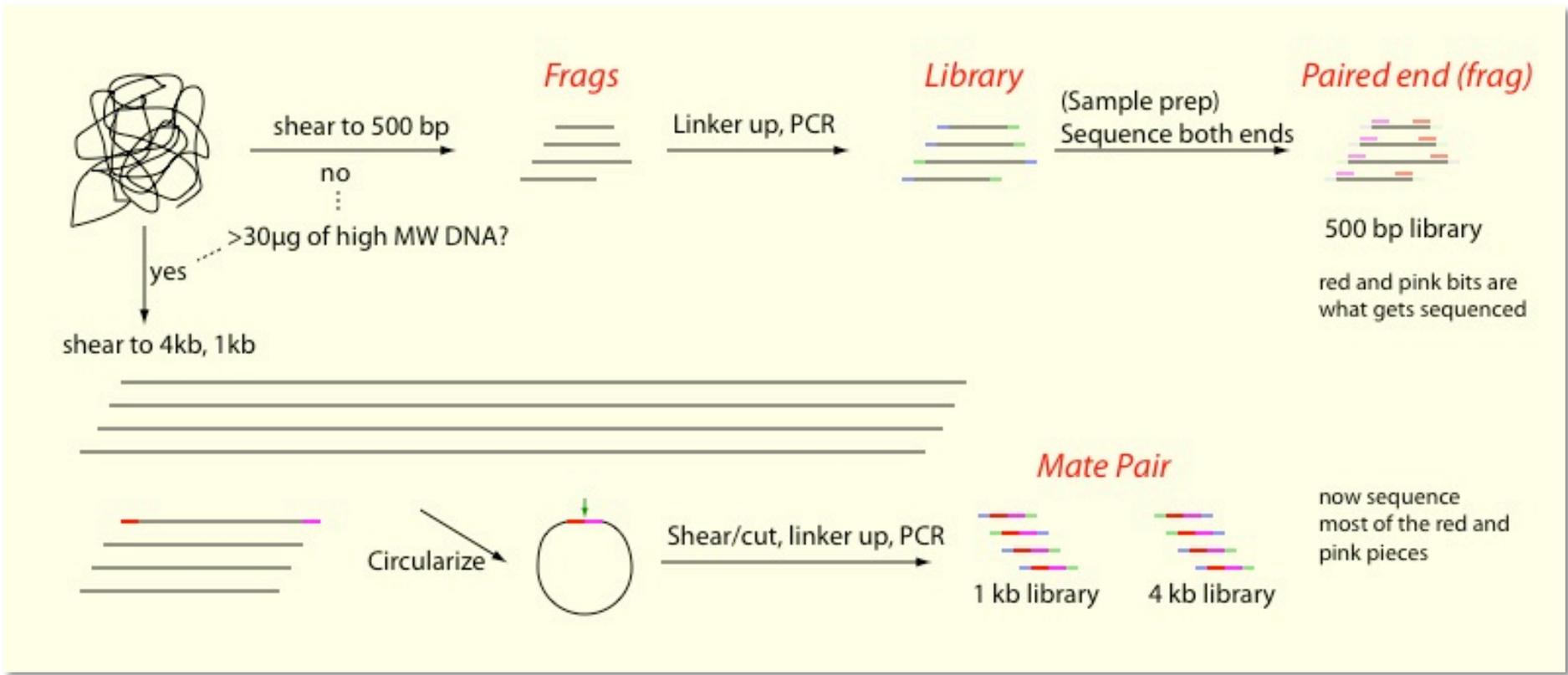
Library



- Library is a massively complex mix of -initially- individual, unique fragments
- Library amplification mildly amplifies each fragment to retain the complexity of the mix while obtaining preparative amounts
 - (how many-fold do 10 cycles of PCR amplify the sample?)



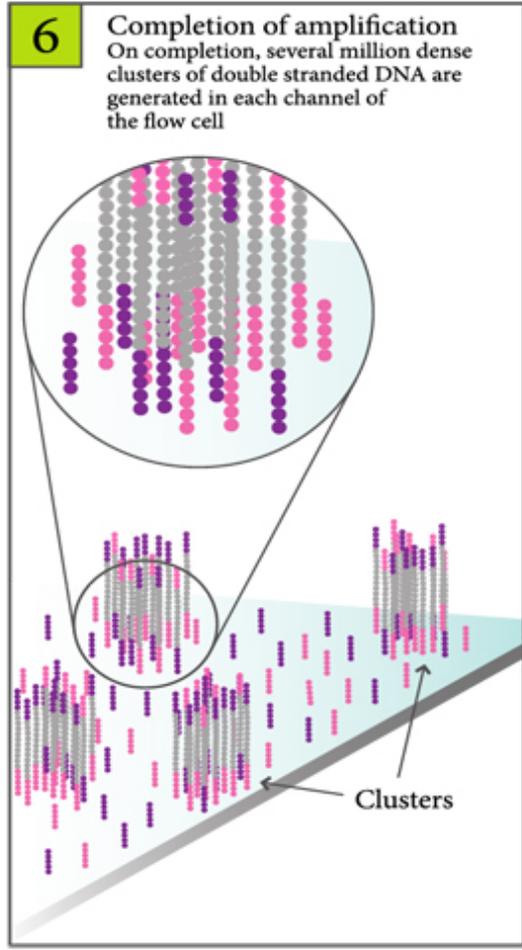
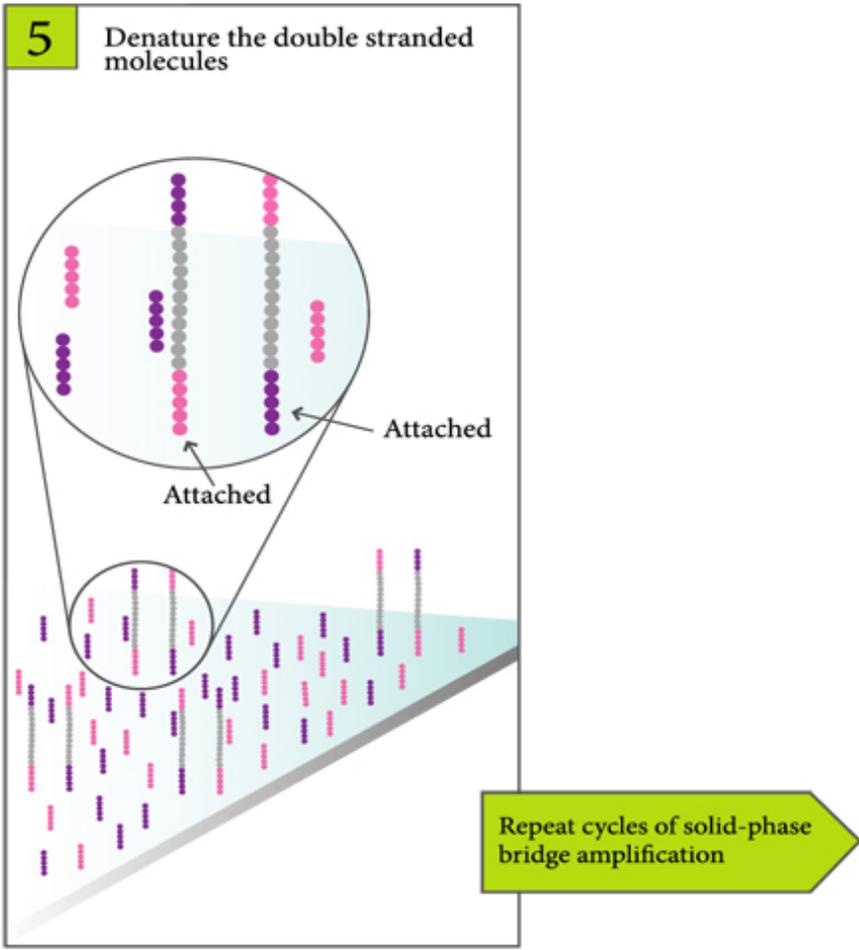
Fragment vs Mate pair ('jumping')



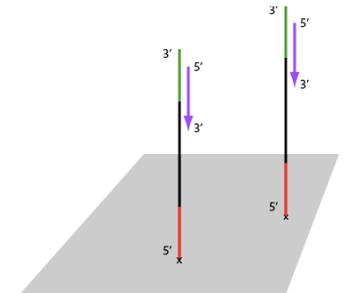
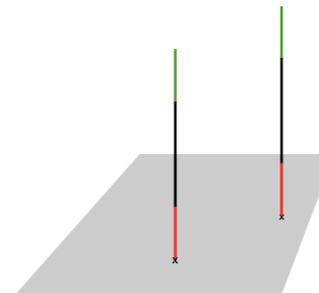
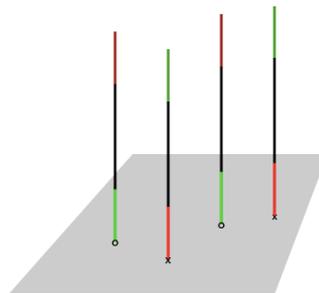
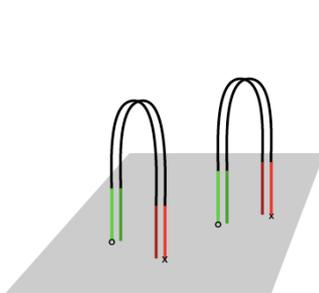
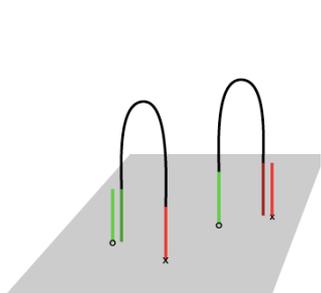
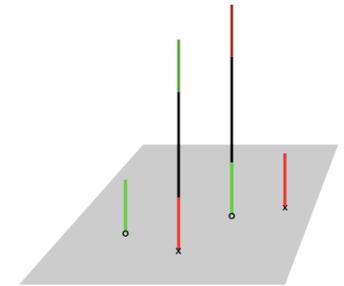
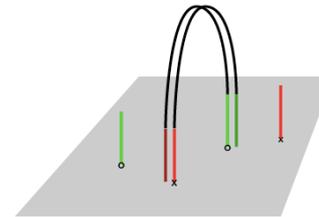
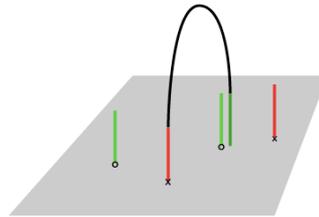
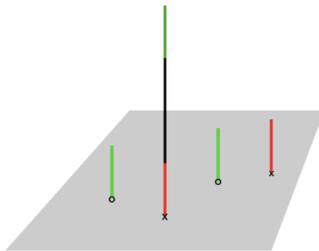
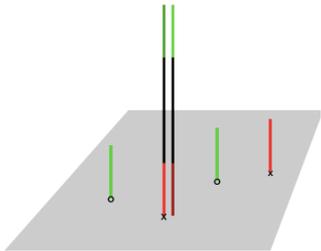
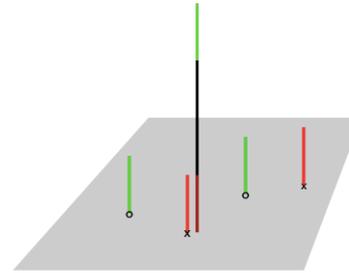
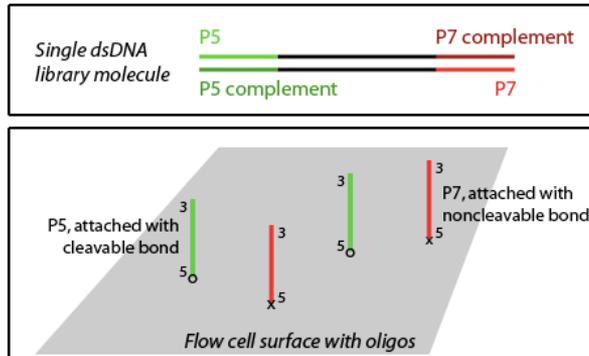
(Illumina has new kits/methods with which mate pair libraries can be built with less material)



Illumina cluster concept

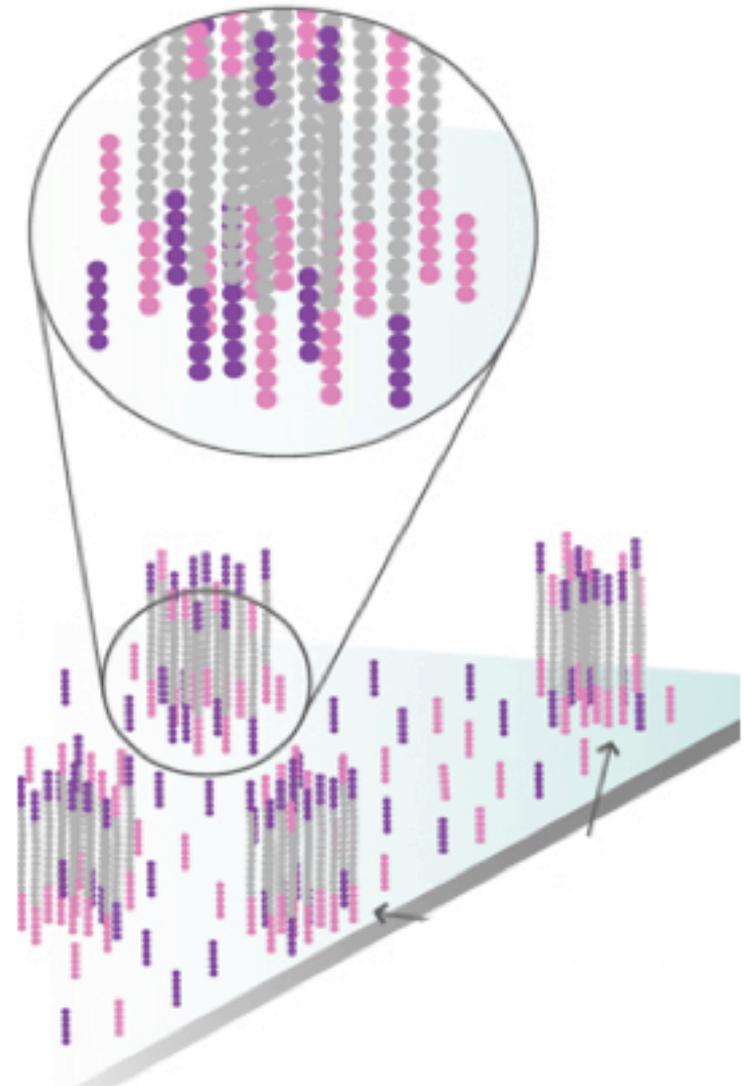
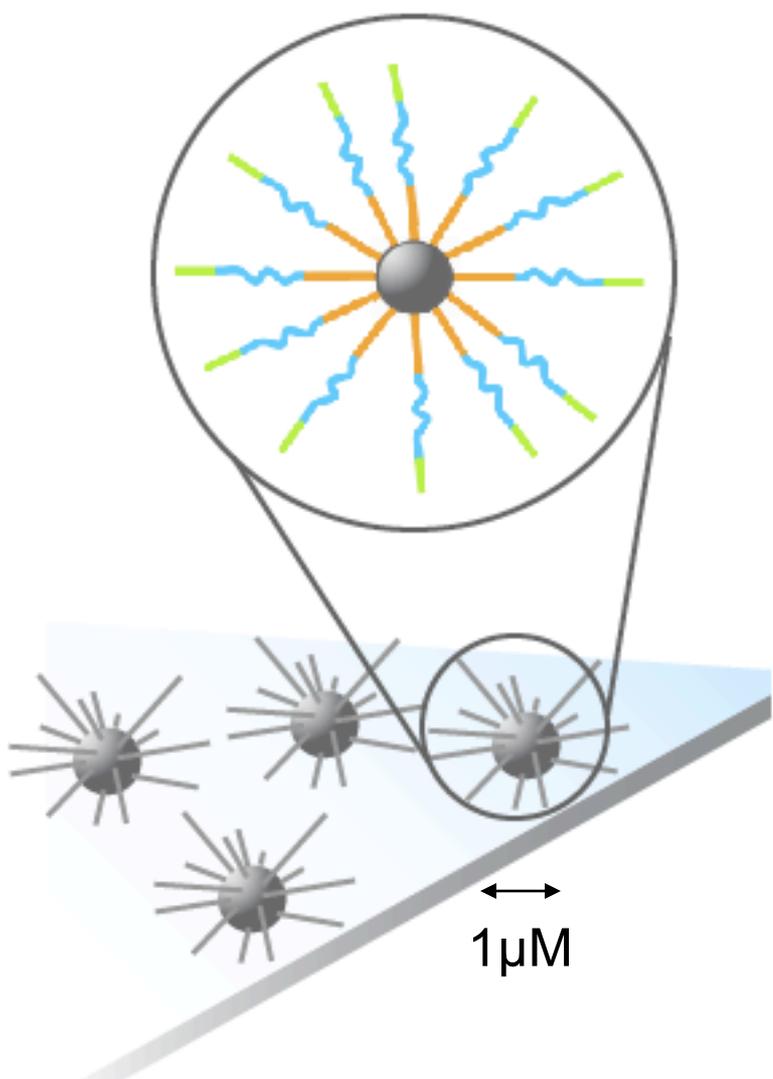


Cluster generation ('bridge amplification')



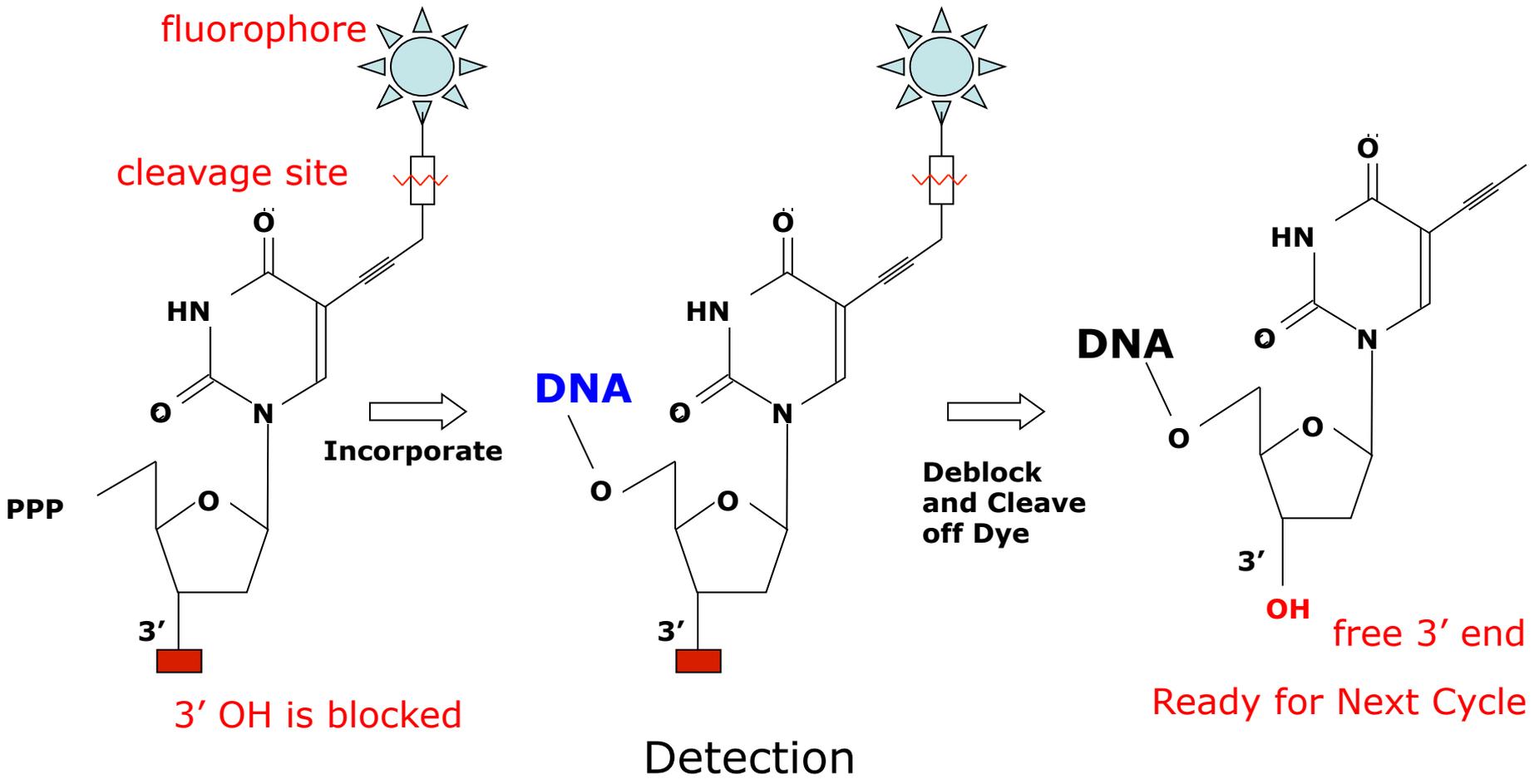


Clonally Amplified Molecules on Flow Cell



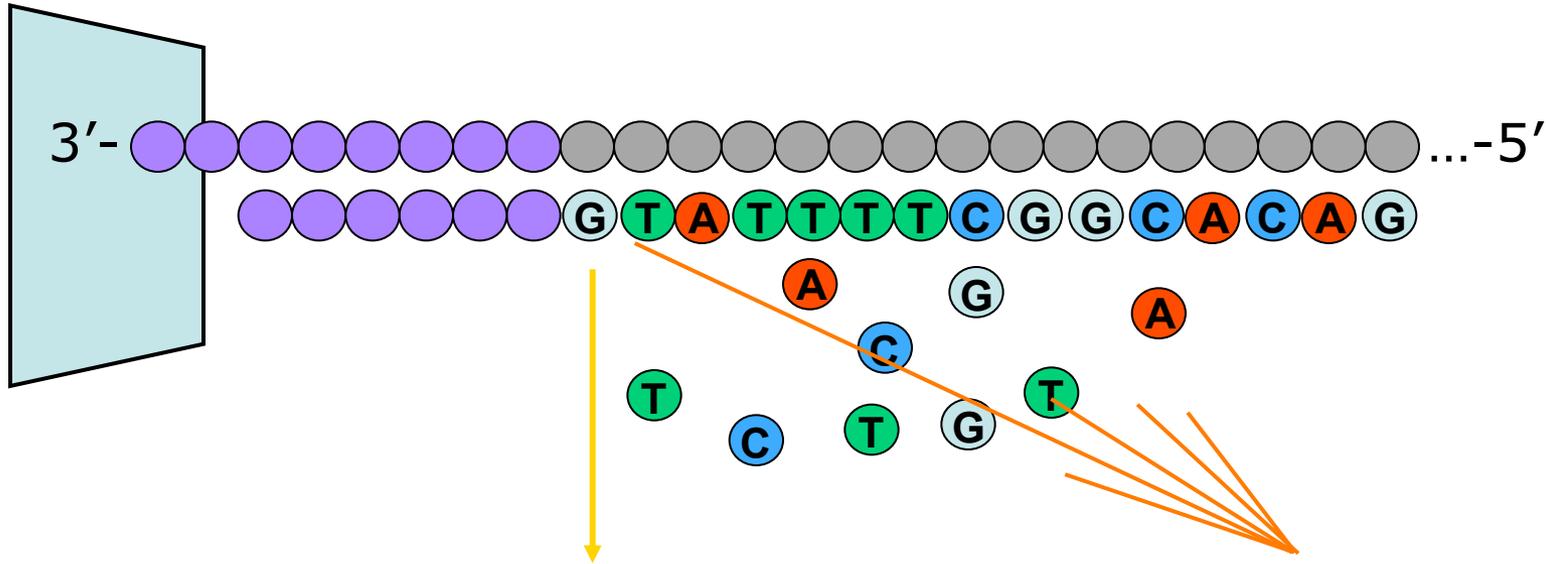


Reversible Terminators





Sequencing by Synthesis, One Base at a Time



- Cycle 1: Add sequencing reagents
First base incorporated
Remove unincorporated bases
Detect signal

Cycle 2-n: Add sequencing reagents and repeat



Sequencing power for every scale.

Find the sequencing system that's right for your lab.

Compare key specifications across the whole portfolio of Illumina sequencing systems. Understand the differences between the MiniSeq, MiSeq, NextSeq, HiSeq, and HiSeq X Series.



	 MiniSeq System	 MiSeq Series	 NextSeq Series	 HiSeq Series	 HiSeq X Series*
Key Methods	Amplicon, targeted RNA, small RNA, and targeted gene panel sequencing.	Small genome, amplicon, and targeted gene panel sequencing.	Everyday exome, transcriptome, and targeted resequencing.	Production-scale genome, exome, transcriptome sequencing, and more.	Population- and production-scale whole-genome sequencing.
Maximum Output	7.5 Gb	15 Gb	120 Gb	1500 Gb	1800 Gb
Maximum Reads per Run	25 million	25 million [†]	400 million	5 billion	6 billion
Maximum Read Length	2 × 150 bp	2 × 300 bp	2 × 150 bp	2 × 150 bp	2 × 150 bp
Run Time	4–24 hours	4–55 hours	12–30 hours	<1–3.5 days (HiSeq 3000/HiSeq 4000) 7 hours–6 days (HiSeq 2500)	<3 days
Benchtop Sequencer	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No
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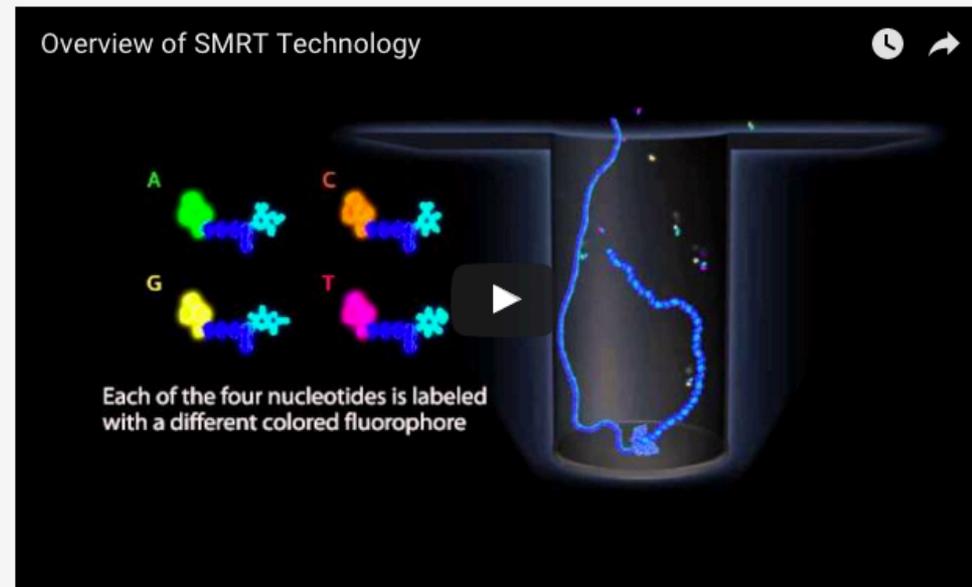
Pacific Biosciences SMRT technology

The SMRT Sequencing advantage

SMRT Sequencing is ideal for a variety of research applications and offers many benefits, including:

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An overview of SMRT Sequencing



Oxford Nanopore



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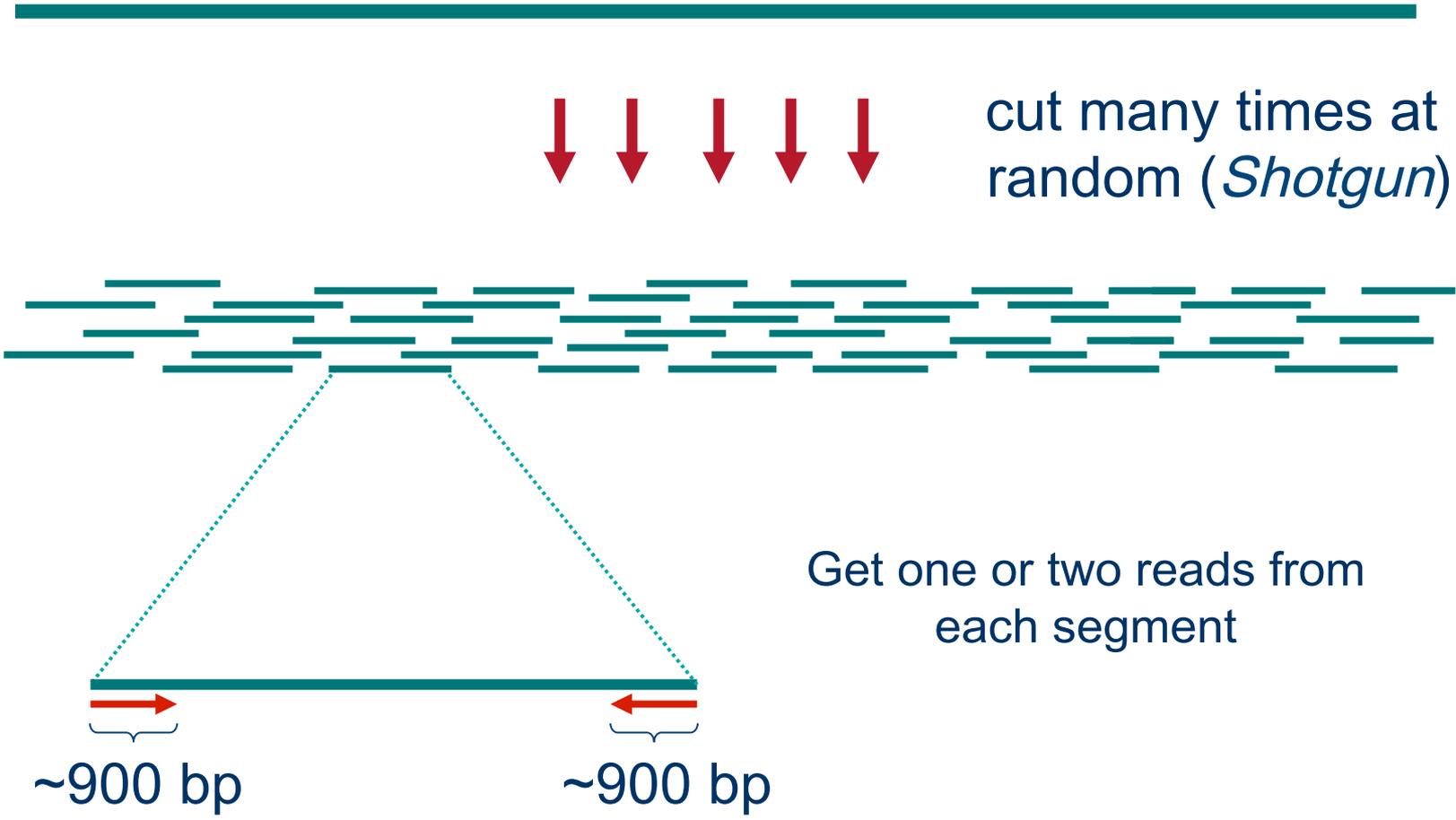
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Method to sequence longer regions

genomic segment





Two main assembly problems

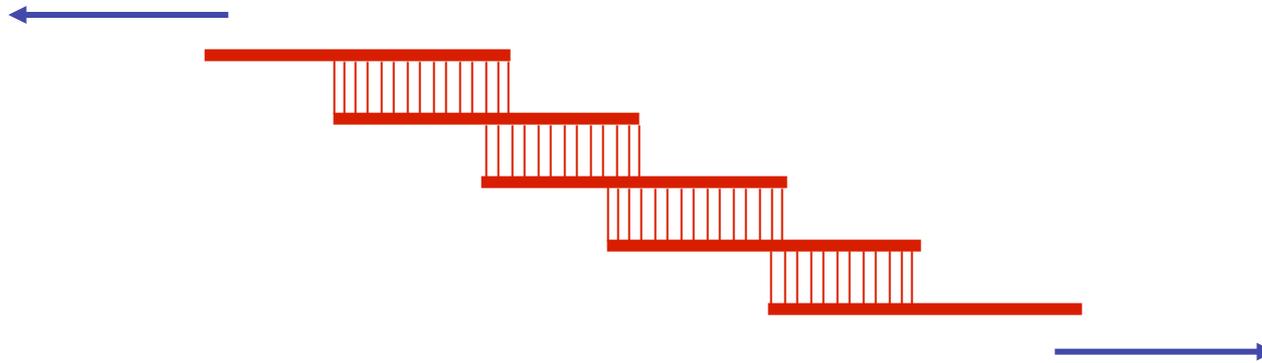
- De Novo Assembly



- Resequencing



Reconstructing the Sequence (De Novo Assembly)



Cover region with high redundancy

Overlap & extend reads to reconstruct the original genomic region



Definition of Coverage



Length of genomic segment: **G**
Number of reads: **N**
Length of each read: **L**

Definition: Coverage **$C = N L / G$**

How much coverage is enough?

Lander-Waterman model: **Prob[not covered bp] = e^{-C}**
Assuming uniform distribution of reads, **C=10** results in 1 gapped region /1,000,000 nucleotides



Repeats

Bacterial genomes: 5%
Mammals: 50%

Repeat types:

- **Low-Complexity DNA** (e.g. ATATATATACATA...)
- **Microsatellite repeats** $(a_1 \dots a_k)^N$ where $k \sim 3-6$
(e.g. CAGCAGTAGCAGCACCAG)
- **Transposons**
 - **SINE** (Short Interspersed Nuclear Elements)
e.g., ALU: ~300-long, 10^6 copies
 - **LINE** (Long Interspersed Nuclear Elements)
~4000-long, 200,000 copies
 - **LTR retroposons** (Long Terminal Repeats (~700 bp) at each end)
cousins of HIV
- **Gene Families** genes duplicate & then diverge (paralogs)
- **Recent duplications** ~100,000-long, very similar copies



Sequencing and Fragment Assembly



3×10^9 nucleotides



50% of human DNA is composed



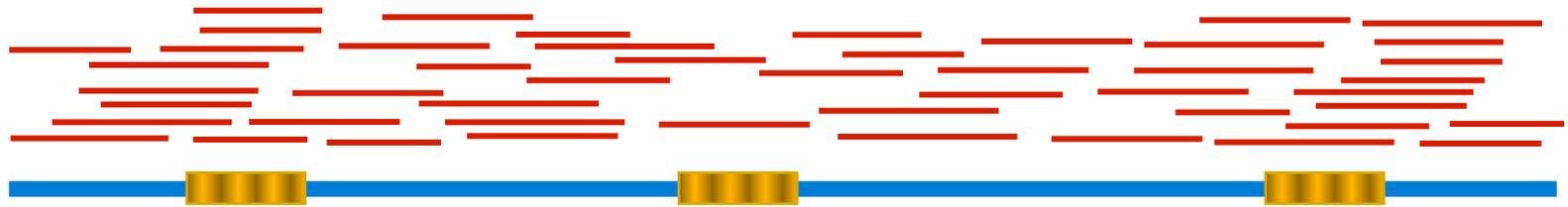
Error!
Glued together two distant regions



What can we do about repeats?

Two main approaches:

- Cluster the reads



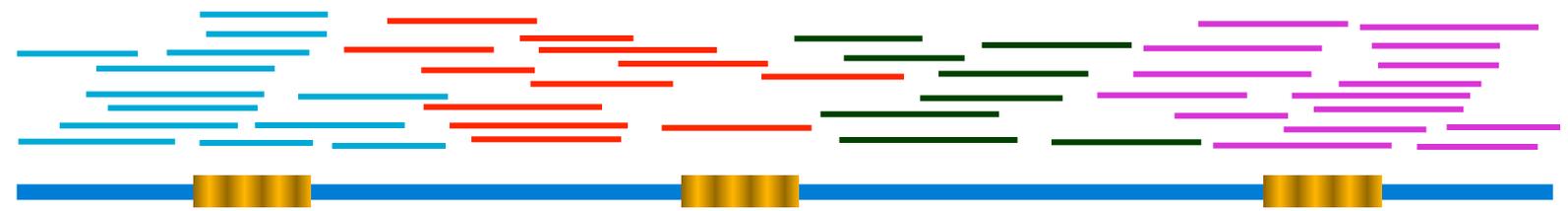
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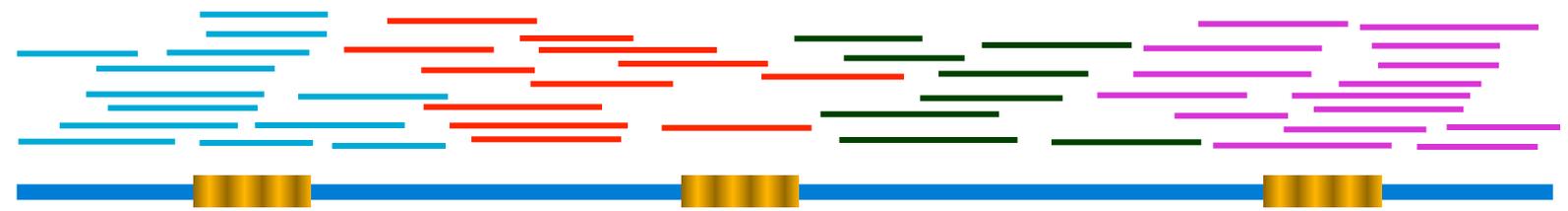
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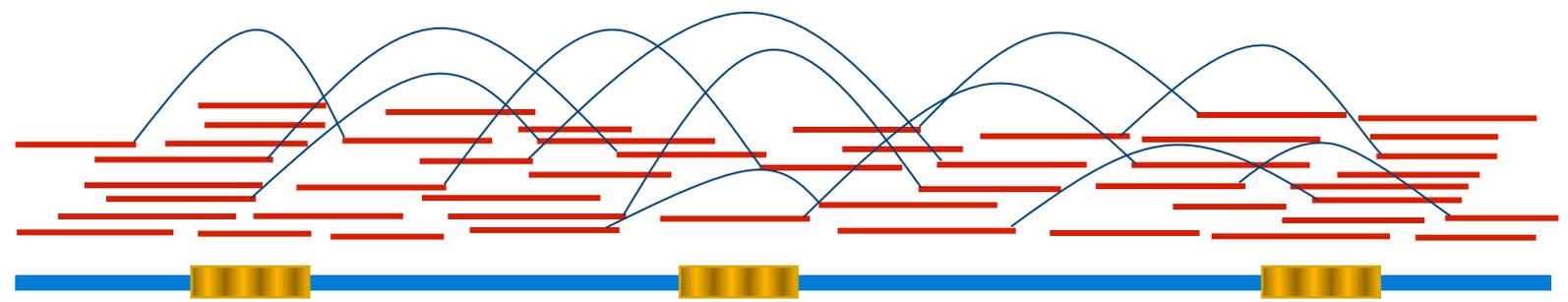
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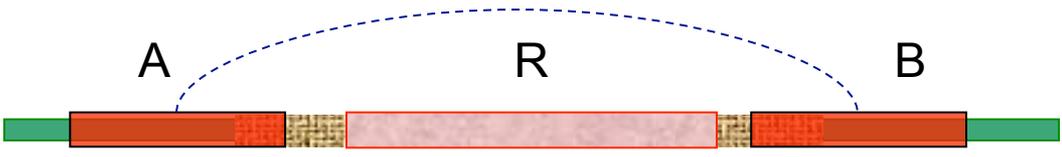




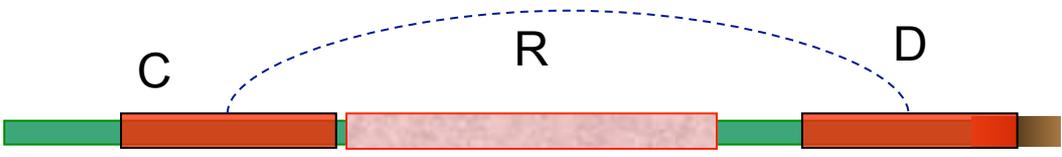
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ARB, CRD



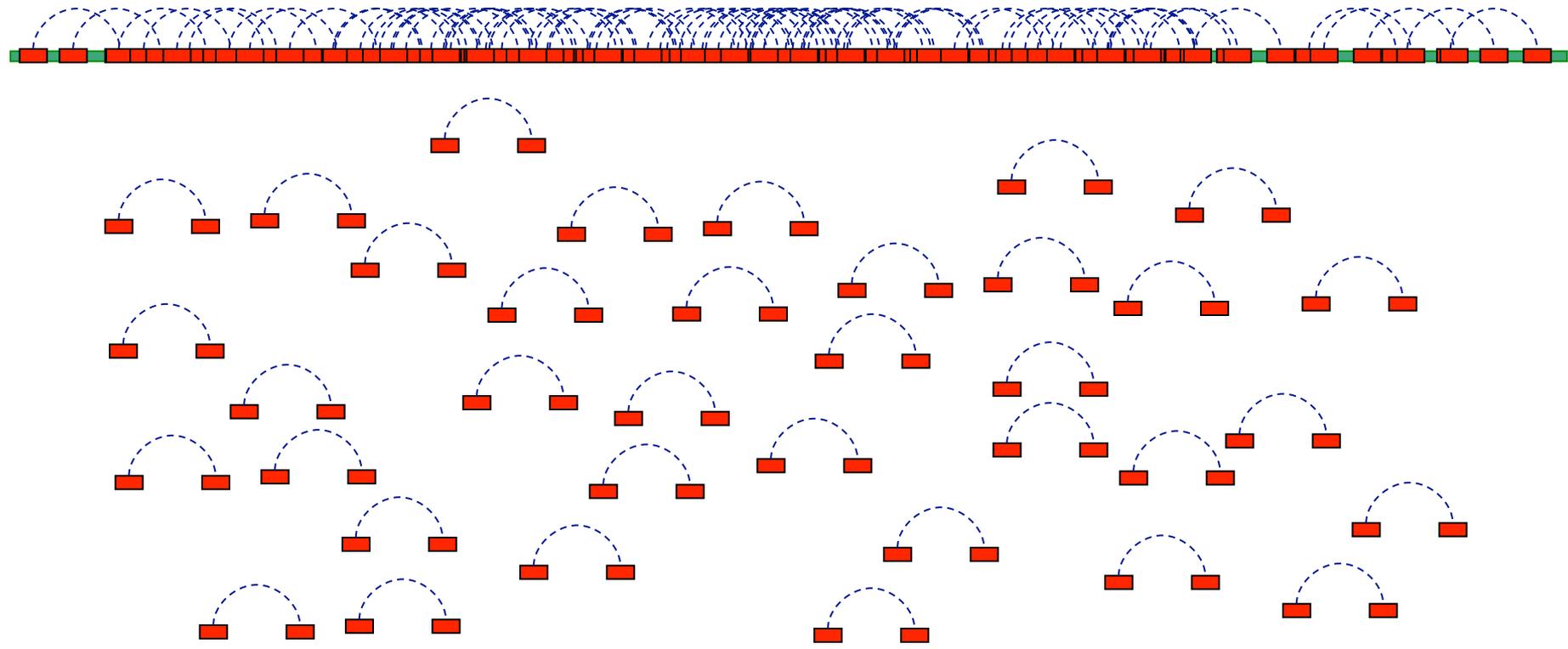
or
~~ARD, CRB ?~~



Sequencing and Fragment Assembly



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Fragment Assembly (in whole-genome shotgun sequencing)





Fragment Assembly



**Given N reads...
Where N ~ 30 million...
We need to use a linear-time algorithm**

Steps to Assemble a Genome



Some Terminology

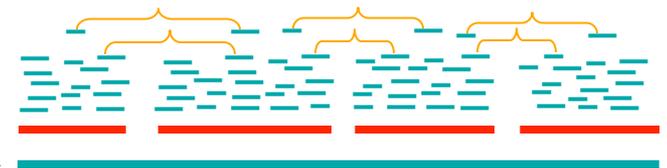
read a 500-900 long word that comes out of sequencer

mate pair a pair of reads from two ends of the same insert fragment

contig a contiguous sequence formed by several overlapping reads with no gaps

supercontig (scaffold) an ordered and oriented set of contigs, usually by mate pairs

consensus sequence sequence derived from the multiple alignment of reads in a contig



..ACGATTACAATAGGTT..



1. Find Overlapping Reads

aaactgcagtacggatct
aaactgcag
 aactgcagt
...
 gtacggatct
 tacggatct
gggcccaaactgcagtac
gggcccaa
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 tactacaca

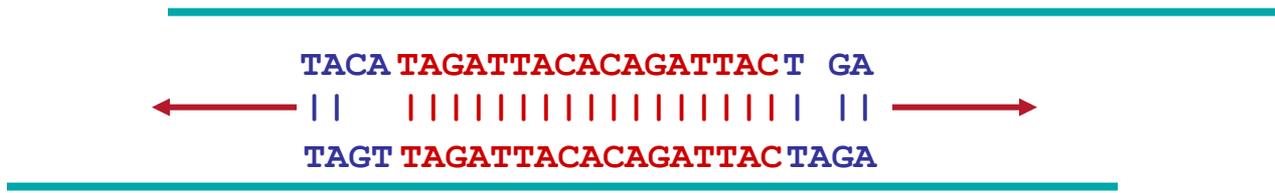
(read, pos., word, orient.)
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aactgcagt
actgcagta
...
gtacggatc
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...
actgcagta
ctgcagtac
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acggatcta
...
ctactacac
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(word, read, orient., pos.)
aaactgcag
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ctgcagtac
gcccaaact
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gtacggatc
gtacggatc
tacggatct
tacggatct
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1. Find Overlapping Reads

- Find pairs of reads sharing a k-mer, $k \sim 24$
- Extend to full alignment – throw away if not $>98\%$ similar

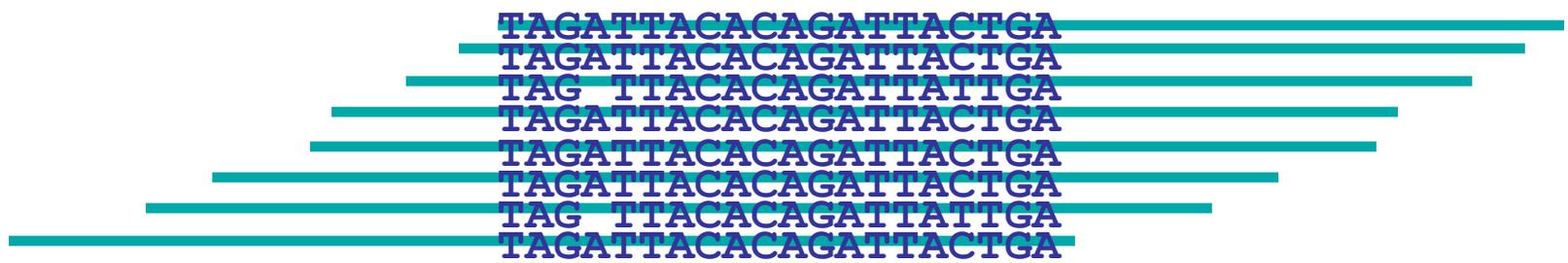


- Caveat: repeats
 - A k-mer that occurs N times, causes $O(N^2)$ read/read comparisons
 - ALU k-mers could cause up to $1,000,000^2$ comparisons
- Solution:
 - Discard all k-mers that occur “too often”
 - Set cutoff to balance sensitivity/speed tradeoff, according to genome at hand and computing resources available



1. Find Overlapping Reads

Create local multiple alignments from the overlapping reads





1. Find Overlapping Reads

- Correct errors using multiple alignment

```
TAGATTACACAGATTACTGA
TAGATTACACAGATTACTGA
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TAGATTACACAGATTACTGA
TAGATTACACAGATTACTGA
```

insert A

replace T with C

```
TAGATTACACAGATTACTGA
TAGATTACACAGATTACTGA
TAGATTACACAGATTACTGA
TAGATTACACAGATTACTGA
TAGATTACACAGATTACTGA
```

correlated errors—
probably caused by repeats
⇒ disentangle overlaps

```
TAGATTACACAGATTACTGA
TAGATTACACAGATTACTGA
TAGATTACACAGATTACTGA
```

In practice, error correction removes up to 98% of the errors

```
TAG-TTACACAGATTACTGA
TAG-TTACACAGATTACTGA
```