Self-regulating Exploration for Orthologous in Homologous Hematologic Gene Sequence Data Using UPGMA Method

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Abstract—There are several distinct tools to identify orthologous gene sequence from homologous gene sequence. Identification of orthologous gene is a major issue, and it is found that orthologous genes are responsible for any genetic disorders. In this paper we are focusing on hematologic disorders and found that orthologous genes are primary actor of hematological disorders. Here we present a novel approach to explore orthologous genes in homologous hematologic gene sequence data and discover the relationship between hematologic genetic disorders through phylogenetic tree reconstruction using UPGMA (Unweighted Pair Group Method with Arithmetic Mean) method.

Keywords - Paralogous gene, Orthologous gene, Phylogenetic tree, UPGMA method

I. INTRODUCTION

Genes are elements of heredity that is transferred from parents to offspring. Homologous genes are genes that share common ancestor; these homologous genes are classified into two orthology and paralogy [1]. Orthologs are homologous gene which is emerged during speciation event. Paralogs genes are homologous genes which are emerged during gene duplication. Orthologs is used to understand gene function computationally while paralogs are mostly used to study function innovation. There are different methods used to study function innovation. There are different methods used to infer orthology and paralogy. Identification of orthologs inference methods can be classified into two main types’ graph-based methods and tree based methods. Tree based phylogenetic approach aims to differentiate speciation from gene duplication by comparing gene trees, and our proposed system is based on tree based method [2].

Blood is critical factor for life. It is one which carries oxygen and nutrients to each part of the body. Blood also fights infections and heals injuries in our body. Therefore, disorders of the blood can have consequence on one health. This is also known as hematologic disorder [3]. Blood is made up of different kinds of cells and proteins. Blood disorder can affect one among four components that is Red blood cells, White blood cells, Platelets and Plasma [4]. Many blood disorders are inherited. Since we are focusing on orthologous genes, we could find that orthologous genes are the main cause for hematologic genetic disorders [5]. These disorder genes are distributed unevenly among human chromosomes and are highly represented among human-rodent orthologous sets. Here we present a novel method to find the association between those disorders through phylogenetic tree reconstruction. This phylogenetic tree reconstruction is used for the understanding of evolutionary record of species and species traits. Tree reconstruction faces many challenges due to gene replications and harms.

Various works have done in the orthologous genes [6], but till date no one has attempted to find the evolutionary relationship of hematologic genetic disorders. We hope that our research work helps in getting better understanding about it. We propose a method to efficiently calculate the phylogenetic tree and give a better visualization and classification of hematologic blood proteins.

II. OVERVIEW

UPGMA Algorithm is a bioinformatics algorithm which is used to generate phylogenetic tree. In our work we are using this algorithm for the comparative study of hematologic genetic disorders. Here we tend to specialize two areas of bioinformatics that is, Orthologous genes and Hematologic genetic disorders. Orthologous genes are the primary actor of Hematologic genetic disorders. Here we tend to propose a new technique to seek out the relationship between those disorders through phylogenetic tree reconstruction. The main intention of this work is to find the evolutionary relationship between hematologic genetic disorders.
III. PROBLEM STATEMENT

Disorders that affect blood are called as hematologic disorders. There are certain disorders affecting genetically which transfers from one generation to next. Blood protein sequence changes lead one disorder to another disorder. There are works under haematological disorders, but till date no work was attempted to find the evolutionary relationship between different hematologic disorder and find how one blood protein sequence differ from other.

IV. PROPOSED WORK

The proposed work is focused on finding the evolutionary relationship between different haematological genetic disorders through phylogenetic tree construction. Tree construction is based on UPGMA method. The proposed work performs

1. Gathering of different haematological blood protein sequences.
2. Finding the orthologous gene from the haematological blood protein.
3. Classify each disorder
4. Perform UPGMA method
5. Construct phylogenetic tree
6. Visualization of the Phylogenetic tree

V. UPGMA MATRIX CALCULATION

Each element in UPGMA is called as TAXA. In our work Hematologic blood protein is taxa.

UPGMA Pseudo Code,
Step 1: Identify the minimum distance between any two taxa
Step 2: Combine these two taxa as a single pair
Step 3: Re-calculate the average distance between this pair and all other taxa to form a new matrix
Step 4: Find the closest pair in the new matrix
Step 5: Continue the methods, until the last two clusters are joined

VI. PHYLOGENETIC TREE CONSTRUCTION

A phylogenetic tree is a graphical depiction of the evolutionary relationship among entities that share a common ancestor. So here the construction is based on the sequence distance between each blood disorders. After the final step of UPGMA algorithm we will get sequence distance between each blood disorders. So based on the distance we can analyse the sequence distance between those blood disorders.

VII. DATASET

Initially the dataset is Hematologic blood protein sequence. So through UPGMA method we will get the sequence distance among the blood proteins. Through that we can construct the phylogenetic tree. The protein sequence will change according to the disorder. Below Fig 1 shows some sample dataset for hematologic blood protein sequence.

Fig 1. A sample dataset of hematologic blood protein sequence
VIII. EXPERIMENTAL RESULT

Fig 2. Initial matrix

Here we have initial matrix with sequence distance between various hematologic blood proteins. By applying UPGMA algorithm, the minimum distance is 20 then combines those two blood proteins and re-calculate the average distance between those two pairs and all other taxa to form a new matrix.

Fig 3. UPGMA Step 1

Here we can see the grouping of blood proteins based on minimum distance between hematologic blood proteins. Identify the closest pair in the new matrix then combine those blood proteins and re-calculate the average distance and construct the new matrix.
**Fig 4. UPGMA Step 2**

Identify the closest pair in the new matrix. Combine those pairs as a single pair and re-calculate the matrix.

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The minimum distance is 20 → Grouping 1 and 2


New Tree → (((1,2),2),2) → distance=20

**Matrix snapshot:**

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1000 50 50 1000 1000 1000 1000
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**Fig 5. UPGMA Step 3**

Here also identify the minimum distance between the blood proteins and combine those pairs as a single pair and re-calculate the matrix and continue the methods, until the last two clusters are joined.

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Fig 6. Final matrix

This is the final matrix; this indicates the sequence distance between each blood proteins. Based on this final result the phylogenetic tree will be generated.

Fig 7. Phylogenetic tree
Here we are showing the evolutionary relationship between various hematologic genetic disorders. Initially we have the sequence similarity distance values between hematologic genetic disorders like Myeloid, Haemophilia, Lymphoma, Anaemia and Leukaemia. Moving towards upper through the tree the sequence distance is increasing. Here Myeloid has the minimum distance 1.39 units. So this tree depicting the evolutionary relationship between these disorders.

IX. CONCLUSION

Phylogenetic tree depicts the evolutionary relationship among entities. Here through UPGMA Algorithm we are constructing the matrix to show the sequence similarity distance among hematologic blood protein sequence. Based on the sequence distance value it automatically generates the phylogenetic tree. Through that phylogenetic tree we can analyse the evolutionary relationship among the Hematologic genetic disorder such as Myeloid, Haemophilia, Lymphoma, Anaemia and Leukaemia.

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