How hereditary information is stored, passes on and changes is a fundamental problem in biology.

Three types of maps have been essential:

- Linkage maps of genes
- Banding pattern of chromosome
- DNA sequences

These maps lie on three very different types of data:

- Observed pattern of heredity; gene or lingake group transmission and recombination frequency.
- Identification of physical bands
- Physical sequence of nucleotides

## High resolution maps

Are directly based on DNA sequence. In particular any feature of DNA that vary among individual can serve as marker

# Sequence Tagged Site



# Sequence Tagged Site

# Short tracts of DNA sequence (200 to 500 bp)

\*<u>a single occurrence in the human genome.</u>

STSs are defined by PCR primer pairs, their location and base sequence are known and therefore they can be used as landmarks in genome mapping.

## Sequence Tagged Site Are useful:

 For locating and orienting the mapping and/or sequence data reported from different laboratories;

2. As framework for the physical map of the human genome.



### http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/dbSTS/

### Secondary database: UniSTS

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/sites/entr ez?db=unists

# dbSTS PRIMARY DATABASE

- is an NCBI resource that contains sequence data for short genomic landmark sequences or Sequence Tagged Sites
- STS sequences are incorporated into the STS Division of GenBank.
- STS are directly submitted to GenBank

# GenBank Divisions & NCBI



1. PRI – primate sequences	
2. ROD - rodent sequences	<ul> <li>Organized by taxonomy</li> </ul>
3. MAM – other mammalian sequences	(sort of)
4. VRT – other vertebrate sequences	<ul> <li>Direct submissions</li> </ul>
5. INV – invertebrate sequences	(Sequin/Bankit)
6. PLN – plant, fungal, and algal sequences	<sup>5</sup> · Accurate
7. BCT - bacterial sequences	$(\sim 1 \text{ error per } 10,000 \text{ bp})$
8. VRL – viral sequences	Well characterized
9. PHG – bacteriophage sequences	· Well characterized
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11. UNA – unannotated sequences	
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14. STS - STS sequences (sequence tagged	l sites)
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<u>14. STS - STS sequences (sequence tagged sites)</u>

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17. HTC - HTC sequences (high throughput cDNA sequences)
18. ENV - Environmental sampling sequences
19. CON - Constructed sequences



## UniSTS DERIVATIVE DATABASE

Is a <u>comprehensive non-redundant</u> collection of sequence tagged sites (STSs) derived from STSbased maps and other experiments.

### UniSTS

Records are univocally defined by PCR primer pairs and are associated with additional information (genomic position, genes, and sequences).

integrate marker and mapping data from different organisms and a variety of public resources.

If two or more markers have different names but the same primer pair, a single STS record is presented and all the marker names are shown.

- <u>A primer</u> is a short, single-stranded DNA sequence used in the polymerase chain reaction (PCR) technique. In the PCR method, a pair of primers is used to hybridize with the sample DNA and define the region of the DNA that will be amplified. Primers are also referred to as oligonucleotides.
- Polymerase chain reaction (PCR) is a laboratory technique used to amplify DNA sequences. The method involves using short DNA sequences called primers to select the portion of the genome to be amplified. The temperature of the sample is repeatedly raised and lowered to help a DNA replication enzyme copy the target DNA sequence. The technique can produce a billion copies of the target sequence in just a few hours.

Search for INPP1 (Inositolpolyphosphate 1 phosphatase

### In Entrez

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/gquery/ ?term=inpp1



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Integrating Markers and Maps

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## Link to MapViewer

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## "Expressed Sequence Tags"

# is a type of STS <u>a short sub-sequence of a</u> transcribed cDNA sequence.



ESTs are small DNA sequences (usually 200 to 500 nucleotides long) that are generated by sequencing either one or both ends of an expressed gene.

The identification of ESTs has proceeded rapidly, with approximately 65,9 million ESTs now available in public databases

### EST PROPERTIES

the ESTs represent portions of expressed genes. The sequence contains only exons of the gene, spliced together to form the sequence encoding for the protein.

- ESTs can be mapped to specific chromosome locations using physical mapping techniques (such as radiation hybrid mapping or FISH).
  - Alternatively, if the genome of the organism that originated the EST has been sequenced, the EST sequence can be aligned to that genome.

### EST FUNCTIONS

- The human set of discovered genes includes thousands of genes based solely on EST evidence.
- ESTs have become a tool to refine the predicted transcripts for those genes, which leads to the prediction of their protein products and ultimately their function.
- Moreover, the situation in which ESTs are obtained (tissue, organ, disease state) gives information on the conditions in which the gene is expressed.
- ESTs contain enough information to permit the design of precise probes that then can be used to determine the gene expression.

S NCBI dbEST

dbEST is a division of GenBank that contains sequence data and other information on the "Expressed Sequence Tags" from a number of organisms.



### The EST database is a collection of short singleread transcript sequences from GenBank. These sequences provide a resource to evaluate gene expression, find potential variation, and annotate genes.

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Single nucleotide polymorphism (SNPs) A Single Nucleotide Polymorphism (SNP) is a small genetic change that occurs within a DNA sequence.

SNP variation occurs when a change, insertion or deletion affects a single nucleotide. Also short deletions can be included among SNPs SNP variation occurs when a single nucleotide, such as an A, replaces one of the other three nucleotide letters—C, G, or T. v v <u>AAGGTTA to ATGGTTA</u>

Two of every three SNPs involve cytosine (C) \_\_\_\_\_\_ thymine (T).

### ATGGTAAGCCTGAGCTGACTTAGCGT-AT ATGGTAAACCTGAGTTGACTTAGCGTCAT I I I SNP SNP indel

# SNPs result from replication errors and DNA damage

## GENOMIC SNP FREQUENCY

from 1 every 100 to 300 bases along the 3-billion-base human genome. Because only about 3 - 5 % of a person's DNA sequence codes for proteins, <u>most SNPs are found outside</u> of "coding sequences".

## SNP VARIATION AMONG PERSONS

99.9% of one individual DNA sequences is identical to that of another person. Of the 0.1% difference, over 80% is imputable to single nucleotide variation. For a variation to be considered polymorphic (SNP), it must occur in at least 1% of the population.

## SNPS OCCUR FREQUENTLY THROUGHOUT THE GENOME,

# TEND TO BE RELATIVELY STABLE, SERVE AS BIOLOGICAL MARKERS.

# SNP pattern helps in disease association studies

In Mendelian diseases (e.g. cystic fibrosis, Huntington's disease)

Genetic mutations causes the disease
Environmental variation usually irrelevant
Usually rare
Occurs in isolated pedigrees

# SNP pattern helps in disease association studies

Complex diseases (schizophrenia, hypertension, diabetes)

- Genetic variants increases the risk of disease
  Environmental variation usually important
  Often common
- Occurs in general population

Many independent mutations can be associated with increased predisposition to a disease.

SNPs found within a coding sequence Can directly alter the biological function of a protein.

Mutations from a sense codon to a stop codon
Deletion or insertion causing phase shift in translation

 Amino acid substitutions affecting the protein function

do not alter the biological function of a protein.

Mutations to synonymous codons

 Substitutions not affecting the protein function

# SNPs, prevalently outside the coding sequences, have no effect on cell function

But it has been hypothetized that

- can account for differences in the risk of disease or response to drugs.
- can help to identify the multiple genes associated with or conferring predisposition to complex pathologies (cancer, diabetes, vascular disease, and some forms of mental illness).



NCBI plays a major role in facilitating the identification and cataloging of SNPs through creation and maintenance of the public SNP database (dbSNP)



# is a public database of single nucleotide polymorphisms (SNPs).

The data can be from any species, and from any part of a particular genome.

Single Nucleotide Polymorphisms (SNPs) \*Exist at defined positions can be used for gene mapping, defining population structure, and performing functional studies. \* Report the sequence information around the polymorphism, the specific experimental conditions, and frequency information by population or individual genotype.



contains several classes of genetic variation: Single Nucleotide Polymorphism (SNP) Deletion/Insertion Polymorphism (DIP)\* Microsatellite or Short Tandem Repeat (STR)

Multi-Nucleotide Polymorphism (MNP)

# Search for SNPs associated with INPP1 (inositol polyphosphate-1-phosphatase) gene



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<u>Reference SNP cluster</u> are created by NCBI during periodic 'builds' of the database.

Define a non-redundant set of markers that are used for annotation of reference genome sequence and integration with other NCBI resources. Novel SNP submission at new positions in genome sequence

NCBI | SSASSAY ID

refers to an individual submission record and will instantiate a new refSNP cluster.

New submissions that match existing data will be merged into an existing refSNP cluster <u>rs[NCBI SNP ID]</u>.

where 'rs' and ss are always lower case.

### <u>Reference SNP reports (rs) and</u> <u>submitter reports (ss)</u> <u>have different identifiers in dbSNP</u>

When two submitted SNP records refer to the same location in the genome, Reference SNP records will provide a summary list of submitter records in dbSNP and a list of external resource and database links.



# SNPs are indexed by two different accession numbers in dbSNP

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In dbSNP record the sequence data consists of three elements: \* The sequence 5' to the site of mutation \* The mutation itself The sequence 3' to the site of mutation For the 5' and 3' sides are reported 25 bases. The standard IUPAC ambiguity characters are permitted to identify regions of known variation. a slash ('/'), to denote the alternative alleles



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The International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry (IUPAC) serves to advance the worldwide aspects of the chemical sciences and to contribute to the application of chemistry in the service of Human kind. As a scientific, international, non-governmental and objective body, IUPAC can address many global issues involving the chemical sciences.

IUPAC nucleotide code	Base
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С	Cytosine
G	Guanine
T (or U)	Thymine (or Uracil)
R	A or G
Y	C or T
S	GorC
W	A or T
К	GorT
М	A or C
В	CorGorT
D	A or G or T
Н	A or C or T
V	A or C or G
Ν	any base
. or -	gap

Search for SNP: rs61734584. http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/sites/entrez?db=snp Name the alleles for this SNP. What contig does this SNP map to? What gene does this SNP map to? In which mRNA and Protein refseq records is this SNP?

Are there population diversity data?

More than 2.8 million of SNPs are already known and described in NCBI dbSNP.

The major source of this public SNP catalog was done by <u>The SNP Consortium (TSC)</u>

a collaborative genomics effort of major pharmaceutical companies, the Wellcome Trust and academic centers.

### The SNP Consortium (TSC)

was established in 1999 and the initial goal was to discover 300 000 SNPs in two years, but at the end of 2001, 1.4 million SNPs had been released into the public domain. The human genome is thought to contain at least 10 million SNPs, about one in every 300 bases.

Theoretically, researchers could hunt for genes using a map listing all 10 million SNPs, but there are major practical drawbacks to that approach. Often SNPs are 'conserved' across the genome, in patterns called 'haplotype blocks'

 Sets of SNPs that are close together and tend to be inherited together.

\* A set of associated SNP alleles in a region of a chromosome is called a "haplotype".

 Most chromosome regions have only a few common haplotypes (each with a frequency of at least 5%), which account for most of the variation from person to person in a population.

## SNPs and Haplotypes

\*<u>SNP</u>: Single Nucleotide Polymorphism

\*<u>Haplotype</u>: A set of closely linked genetic markers present on one chromosome which tend to be inherited together (not easily separable by recombination).



Set of SNP polymorphisms: a SNP haplotype

### The International HapMap Project

is a collaboration among scientists from various countries to identify and catalog genetic similarities and differences in humans.

The goal is to develop a haplotype map of the human genome, which will describe the common patterns of human DNA sequence variation.

The Project officially started with a meeting on October 27-29, 2002



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The goal of the International HapMap Project is to compare the genetic sequences of different individuals to identify chromosomal regions where genetic variants are shared. [See What is the HapMap?] By making this information freely available, the Project will help biomedical researchers find genes involved in disease and responses to therapeutic drugs. [See How Will the HapMap Benefit Human Health?] In the initial phase of the Project, genetic data are being gathered from four populations with African, Asian, and European ancestry. Ongoing interactions with members of these populations are addressing potential ethical issues and providing valuable experience in conducting research with identified populations.

Public and private organizations in six countries are participating in the International HapMap Project. Data generated by the Project can be **downloaded** with minimal constraints. [See Data Release Policies.] The Project officially started with a meeting in October 2002 (http://genome.gov/10005336) and is expected to take about three years.



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The HapMap is a catalog of common genetic variants that occur in human beings. It describes what these variants are, where they occur in our DNA, and how they are distributed among people within populations and among populations in different parts of the world. The Project is designed to provide information that researchers can use to link genetic variants to the risk for specific illnesses, which will lead to new methods of preventing, diagnosing, and treating disease.