Master Biomedizin 2019

1) UCSC & UniProt 2) Homology 3) MSA 4) Phylogeny



a. All of the sequences in *"file1.fasta"* (https://cbdm.uni-mainz.de/mb19/) are homologs. How many groups of orthologs would you say there are in this file? Use Trex (http://www.trex.uqam.ca/). Two groups of orthologs: Protein A & protein B.

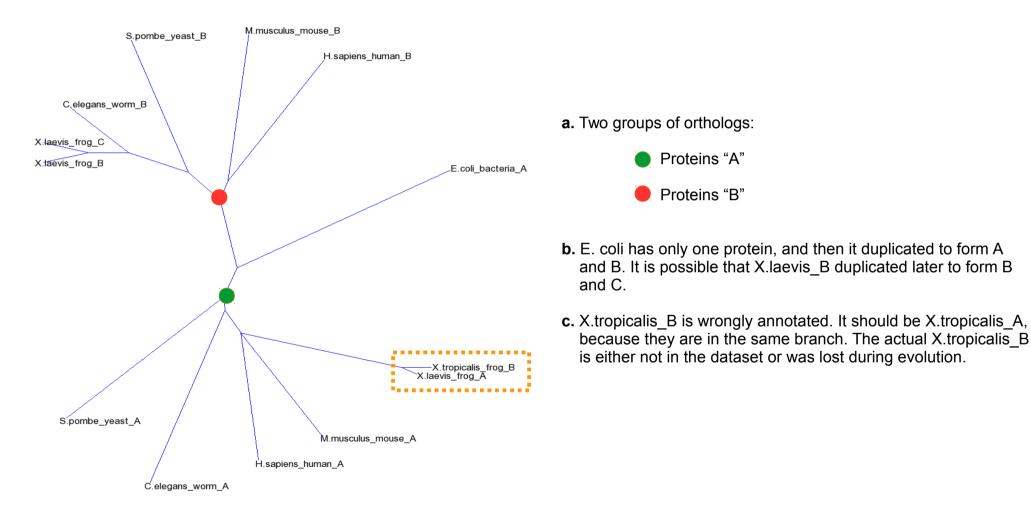
b. What could you say about the history of this protein family?

E. coli has only one protein, and then it duplicated to form A and B. It is possible that X.laevis_B duplicated later to form B and C.

c. Would you say there is any wrongly annotated sequence?

X.tropicalis_B is wrongly annotated. It should be X.tropicalis_A, because they are in the same branch. The actual X.tropicalis_B is either not in the dataset or was lost during evolution.







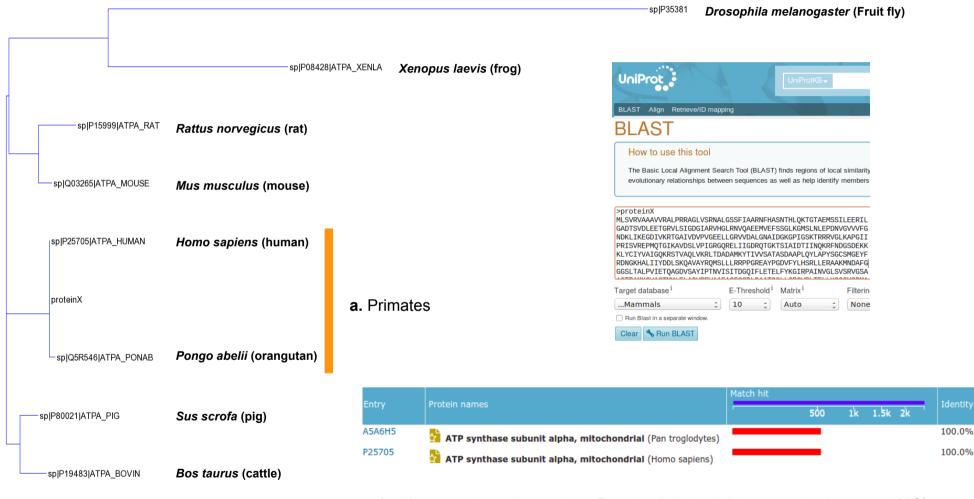
a. Using *"file2.fasta"* (https://cbdm.uni-mainz.de/mb19/) and Trex (http://www.trex.uqam.ca/), can you approximate to which taxonomic division belongs "proteinX"? Primates.

b. From which organism could it be? After guessing, check it. *Homo sapiens* (human) or *Pan troglodytes* (chimpanzee); they are 100% identical.



Phylogeny

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Human hemoglobin consists of four protein subunits: two from the alpha globin gene cluster (located on chromosome 16) and two more from the beta globin gene cluster (located on chromosome 11). But there are at least nine different globin genes in these clusters, which are: zeta, mu, alpha, theta1, epsilon, gamma1, gamma2, delta and beta. Use the proteins in *"file3.fasta"* (https://cbdm.uni-mainz.de/mb19/).

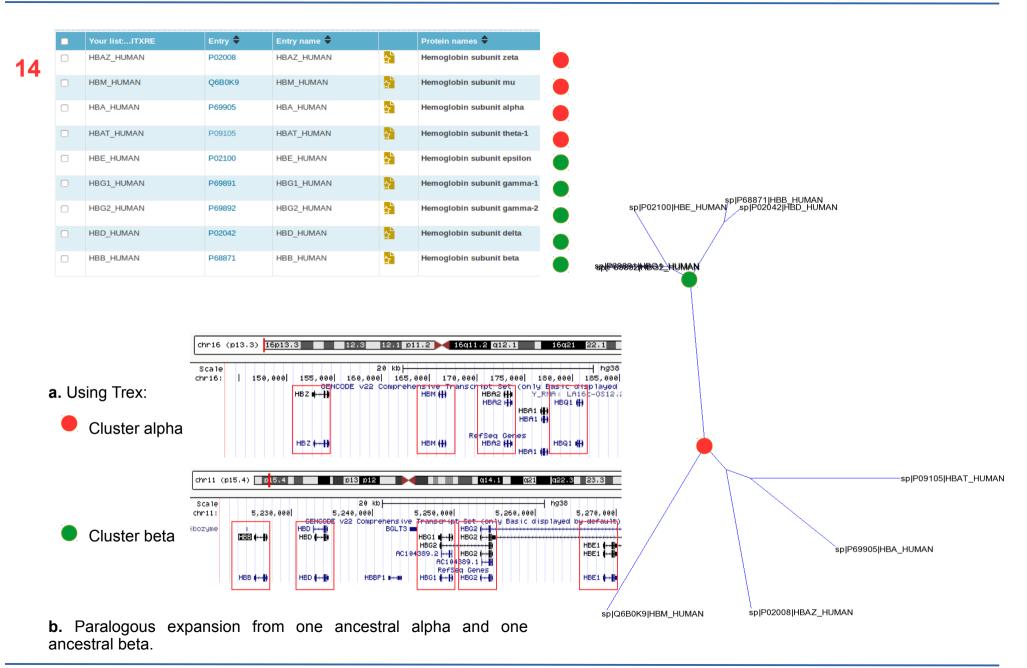
a. Sort them either in cluster alpha or cluster beta.

Alpha: zeta, mu, alpha, theta1. Beta: epsilon, gamma1, gamma2, delta and beta.

b. Why do you think they are clustered in either cluster alpha or cluster beta? Paralogous expansion from one ancestral alpha and one ancestral beta.

Your list:ITXRE	Entry 🖨	Entry name 🖨		Protein names 븆
HBAZ_HUMAN	P02008	HBAZ_HUMAN	☆	Hemoglobin subunit zeta
HBM_HUMAN	Q6B0K9	HBM_HUMAN	☆	Hemoglobin subunit mu
HBA_HUMAN	P69905	HBA_HUMAN		Hemoglobin subunit alpha
HBAT_HUMAN	P09105	HBAT_HUMAN	☆	Hemoglobin subunit theta-1
HBE_HUMAN	P02100	HBE_HUMAN	☆	Hemoglobin subunit epsilon
HBG1_HUMAN	P69891	HBG1_HUMAN		Hemoglobin subunit gamma-1
HBG2_HUMAN	P69892	HBG2_HUMAN		Hemoglobin subunit gamma-2
HBD_HUMAN	P02042	HBD_HUMAN		Hemoglobin subunit delta
HBB_HUMAN	P68871	HBB_HUMAN	☆	Hemoglobin subunit beta





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Consider the following sequences: Q9T4B2 (CYB DELDE, dolphin), P00156 (CYB HUMAN, human), P00157 (CYB_BOVIN, cattle), Q9MIX8 (CYB_DANRE, zebra fish), P18946 (CYB_CHICK, chicken), Q36461 (CYB_ORNAN, platypus) and P00160 (CYB_XENLA, frog).

Do you think that a phylogenetic tree built using these sequences would be coherent with evolution? Build the tree with Trex and check with the taxonomy provided by UniProt (http://www.uniprot.org/taxonomy/).





Cattle









Human (Homo sapiens)

Dolphin (Delphinus delphis) (Bos taurus) Chicken (rooster) (Gallus gallus)

Zebra fish (Danio rerio)

Platypus (Ornithorhynchus anatinus)

Frog (Xenopus laevis)



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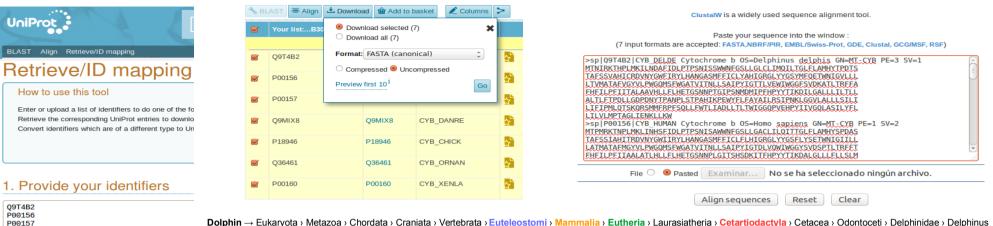
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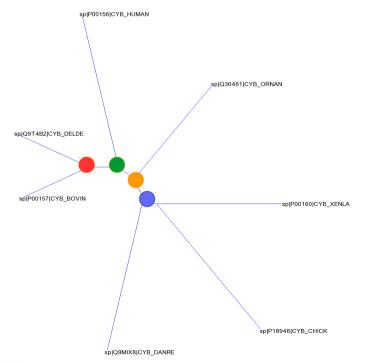
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P00160

*Images from: UniProt, Trex



Dolphin -> Eukaryota > Metazoa > Chordata > Craniata > Vertebrata > Euteleostomi > Mammalia > Eutheria > Laurasiatheria > Cetartiodactyla > Cetacea > Odontoceti > Delphinidae > Delphinus Cattle -> Eukaryota > Metazoa > Chordata > Craniata > Vertebrata > Euteleostomi > Mammalia > Eutheria > Laurasiatheria > Cetartiodactyla > Ruminantia > Pecora > Bovidae > Bovinae > Bos Human -> Eukaryota > Metazoa > Chordata > Craniata > Vertebrata > Euteleostomi > Mammalia > Eutheria > Laurasiatheria > Cetartiodactyla > Ruminantia > Pecora > Bovidae > Bovinae > Bos Human -> Eukaryota > Metazoa > Chordata > Craniata > Vertebrata > Euteleostomi > Mammalia > Eutheria > Laurasiatheria > Cetartiodactyla > Ruminantia > Pecora > Bovidae > Bovinae > Bos Platypus -> Eukaryota > Metazoa > Chordata > Craniata > Vertebrata > Euteleostomi > Mammalia > Monotremata > Ornithorhynchidae > Ornithorhynchus Frog -> Eukaryota > Metazoa > Chordata > Craniata > Vertebrata > Euteleostomi > Amphibia > Batrachia > Anura > Pipoidea > Pipidae > Xenopous > Xenopus Chicken -> Eukaryota > Metazoa > Chordata > Craniata > Vertebrata > Euteleostomi > Archosauria > Dinosauria > Saurischia > Theropoda > Coelurosauria > Ares > ... > Gallus Zebrafish -> Eukaryota > Metazoa > Chordata > Craniata > Vertebrata > Euteleostomi > Actinopterygii > Neopterygii > Teleostei > Ostariophysi > Cypriniformes > Cyprinidae > Danio





Consider the following sequences: P50225, P50226, P0DMM9, P0DMN0, O43704, O00338, Q6IMI6, O75897. All of them are part of a human paralog family (sulfotransferases).

a. Look for the coordinates of the substrate binding region in the UniProt entry "P50225". Do you expect all the paralogs to share this substrate binding region? Why? Check it. Yes, because they share the motif "K[ST]H"; the "H" is annotated as active site.

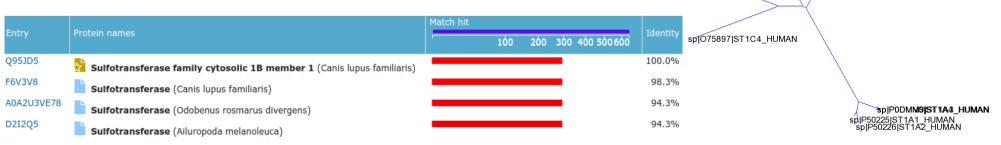
b. Using the previous sequences, could you determine which human paralog is the ortholog of the sequence in *"file4.fasta"* (https://cbdm.uni-mainz.de/mb19/)? Do not use BLAST. The ortholog of "protein_of_interest" is ST1B1_HUMAN.

c. Which protein is the one found in "*file4.fasta*"? ST1B1_CANLF, from *Canis lupus familiaris* (dog).



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- a. Yes, because they share the motif "K[ST]H"; the "H" is annotated as active site.
- **b.** The ortholog of "protein of interest" is ST1B1 HUMAN.
- c. ST1B1 CANLF, from Canis lupus familiaris (dog).



sp|Q6IMI6|ST1C3_HUMAN protein_of_interest

splQ00338|ST1C2_HUMAN

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Featu Region



sp|O43704|ST1B1_HUMAN