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**BHARATHIAR UNIVERSITY, COIMBATORE-641 046**  
**PG DIPLOMA IN BIOINFORMATICS**  
**(Affiliated Colleges and University Dept.)**

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<b>Semester</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Subject and Paper</b>	<b>Exam Duration</b>	<b>Total marks *</b>
<b>I</b>	07BIPGDT1	Paper-I : Fundamentals of Biological Systems	3	75
	07BIPGDT2	Paper-II : Computational methods for Sequence analysis.	3	75
	07BIPGDT3	Paper-III : Molecular interactions	3	75
	07BIPGDT4	Paper –IV : Systems biology	3	75
	07BIPGDP1	Practical-I : Biological Databanks and Sequence analysis *	3	100
<b>II</b>	07BIPGDT5	Paper-V : Programming for Bioinformatics	3	75
	07BIPGDT6	Paper-VI : Genomics	3	75
	07BIPGDT7	Paper- VII : Proteomics	3	75
	07BIPGDT8	Paper-VIII : Molecular modeling & Computer aided drug design	3	75
	07BIPGDP2	Practical-II : Computer aided Drug design*	3	100

\* Includes 25% continuous internal assessment marks.  
 Practical examinations to be conducted at the end of the academic year.

**07BIPGDT1**

**SEM I**

## **FUNDEMENTALS OF BIOLOGICAL SYSTEMS**

**Subject description** : Some basic aspects of Molecular Biology and Genetics that are relevant to the course are included in this paper.

**Goals:** To understand the basic structure of cell, mechanism and regulation of biological processes fundamental to genome structure and biochemistry.

**Objectives:** Students completing this paper should be able to understand molecular biology concept that are basic to bioinformatics.

### **Unit I :**

Biology of cells: Cells as a unit of life, structure of prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells. An overview of organelles (Mitochondria, chloroplasts, ER, Golgi, ribosomes, lysosomes and peroxysomes, nucleus and nucleolus). Differences and similarities in plant and animal cells. Cellular membrane: structure, transport, channels, carriers, receptors, endocytosis, membrane potentials.

### **Unit II:**

DNA replication; Transcription and Translation.

Cell-cell interactions and signal transductions: Intercellular junctions, signaling by hormones and neurotransmitters; receptors, G-proteins, protein kinases and second messengers. Protein traffic in cells.

### **Unit III:**

Cell Cycle and regulation – Mitosis, Meiosis.

Mutation – Types of mutations, types of mutagenic agents and their molecular mechanism; DNA repair; Chromosomal types and structure; Mechanism by which genome undergoes changes, recombination, mutation, inversion, duplication, and transposition.

### **UNIT-IV**

Molecules of Life: Introduction to carbohydrates-Monosacharides and their derivatives, Disacharides, Polysacharides.

Proteins –Structure of aminoacids, Different levels of organization-Primary, secondary tertiary and Quarternary structures.

Nucleic acids – Purines, pyrimidines, Nucleosides and Nucleotides, Different structural form of DNA, denaturation and renaturation of DNA

Lipids-Structure and function of Fatty acids, Triacylglycerols, sphingolipids, steroids and glycerophospholipids.

Water, small molecules-Alkaloids, glycosides, phenols, oligopeptides, Flavonoids, and terpenoids

**UNIT-V**

Enzymes: Units of Activity, coenzymes and metal cofactors, temperature and pH effects, Michaelis – Menten kinetics, inhibitors and activators, active site and mechanism of enzyme action, Isoenzymes, allosteric enzymes.

Metabolism of glucose: glycolysis, TCA cycle, glycogenesis, glycogenolysis and gluconeogenesis, pentophosphate shunt, ETC. Digestion of protein and protein metabolism, nitrogen balance: transamination, oxidative deamination and urea cycle. Lipid metabolism: beta oxidation. Interconnection of pathways, metabolic regulations.

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**07BIPGDT2****SEM I****COMPUTATIONAL METHODS FOR SEQUENCE ANALYSIS**

**Subject description** : This paper describes how to acquire information from biological databases, use of computational approaches to analyze this information, and interpret the results as a guide to experiments in biology.

**Goals:** The goal of this course is to introduce the main principles of bioinformatics. The coverage will include concepts like sequence alignments, phylogenetic trees, and structure prediction.

**Objectives:** Understand Genomic data acquisition and analysis, comparative and predictive analysis of DNA and protein sequence, Phylogenetic inference etc

**UNIT-I**

Introduction to bioinformatics, Classification of biological databases, Biological data formats, Application of bioinformatics in various fields. Introduction to single letter code of aminoacids, symbols used in nucleotides, data retrieval- Entrez and SRS.

**UNIT-II**

Introduction to Sequence alignment. Substitution matrices, Scoring matrices – PAM and BLOSUM. Local and Global alignment concepts, Dot plot. Dynamic programming methodology: Needleman and Wunsch algorithm. Smith–Waterman algorithm. Statistics

of alignment score. Multiple sequence alignment. Progressive alignment. Database search for similar sequences using FASTA and BLAST Programs.

### **UNIT-III**

Evolutionary analysis: distances, Cladistic and Phenetic methods. Clustering Methods. Rooted and unrooted tree representation. Bootstrapping strategies, Use of Clustal and PHYLIP.

### **UNIT-IV**

Gene finding methods. Gene prediction: Analysis and prediction of regulatory regions. Fragment assembly. Genome sequence assembly, Restriction Mapping, Repeat Sequence finder.

### **UNIT-V**

Concepts of secondary structure prediction of RNA and Protein. Probabilistic models: Markov chain, Hidden Markov Models-other applications.

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4. **Computer Methods for Macromolecular Sequence Analysis.** Doolittle R.F. (Ed.) (Methods in Enzymology, Vol. 266).
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SEM I

## **MOLECULAR INTERACTIONS**

**Subject description** :This paper deals with some of the basic features in molecular interactions.

**Goals:** To make the students familiar with chemical bonding and interaction between the molecules.

**Objectives:** Students should be able to interpret the interaction between molecules.

**UNIT-I**

Fundamentals of atomic and molecular orbitals:

Theory of atomic and molecular orbitals; Linear combination of atomic orbitals; Quantitative treatment of valency bond theory and molecular orbital theory; Resonance structures;  $\sigma$ -bonds and  $\pi$ -bonds.

**UNIT-II**

**Fundamentals of chemical bonding and non-bonding interactions:**

Electrovalent bond, stability of electrovalent bond. Co- valent bond – partial ionic character of co-valent bonds. Shape of orbitals and hybridization. Co-ordination bond, Vander Waals forces; Metallic bond. Molecular geometry- VSEPR Theory.

**UNIT-III**

Folding pathways: **Principles of protein folding, hydrophobic interactions, electrostatic interactions, non-bonded interactions. Beta turns, gamma turns, types of helices, disulphide bridge.**

**UNIT –IV**

Molecular interactions: **protein-protein, protein-DNA, DNA-Drug, Protein-Lipid, Protein-Ligand, Protein-Carbohydrate interaction, Metalloproteins, Pi ... Pi interactions, C-H...Pi interactions.**

**UNIT-V**

Spectroscopy: **Principles, Theory, Instrumentation and Application of UV, IR, NMR and Circular dichroism (CD) to macro molecules.**

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2. Spice, J. E. 1964. **Chemical Bonding and Structure**. Pergamon Press Ltd., Headington Hill Hall, Oxford. 395 pp.
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**07BIPGDT4****SEM I****SYSTEMS BIOLOGY**

**Subject description** : Includes the basics of analysing metabolic pathways using bioinformatics tools and also the simulation of cellular environment.

**Goals:** To understand the gradual maturation of genomics and proteomics into biology insilico. Convergence of genomics, proteomics, transcriptomics and metabolomics in to phenomics.

**Objectives:** Students should be able to understand the interaction within biological networks and simulation of cells.

### UNIT – I

**Introduction to Systems biology** What is Systems Biology? Integrating Networks. Methods of study: Micro array – definition, types of array, Micro array analysis: Hierarchical clustering, Self-organizing maps. Applications of Micro Arrays in systems biology.

### UNIT – II

#### **Metabolomics & Metabolic Pathways**

Digestion of proteins and protein metabolism, Transport metabolism, Carbohydrate metabolism – metabolism of glucose – glycolysis, TCA cycle, glycogenesis, Pentose phosphate shunt, Electron transport, Interconnection of pathways, metabolic regulation. Translating biochemical networks into linear algebra.

### UNIT – III

**Whole cell simulation:** Principle and levels of simulation - Virtual Erythrocytes, Pathological analysis. Flux Balance Analysis

### UNIT IV

Relationship analysis: Predicting ligand-binding function, Use of gene cluster, detecting protein – protein interaction.

### UNIT – V

**Creative Bioinformatics:** Novel use for database. Use of EST database – Unigene, gene discovery, Primer design, Restriction mapping, Position specific cloning, SNP database, Target identification, Epitope identification.

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9. **The *Escherichia coli* MG. 1655 *in silico* metabolic genotype: its definition, characteristics and capabilities.** Jeremy S. Edwards *et. al.* 2000. *PNAS*. **97**:5528-33.
10. **Whole cell simulation: a grand challenge of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century.** Masaru Tomita, 2001. *Trends in Biotechnology*. **19**: 205-210
11. **Cluster Analysis and Display of Genome – wide expression patterns.** Michael B.Eisen *et. al.* 1998, *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA*. **95**: 14863 – 14868.
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14. **A gene expression database for the molecular pharmacology of cancer.** Uwe Scherf *et. al.* 2000. *Nature genetics*, **24**: 236-244
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SEM I

## PRACTICAL – I - BIOLOGICAL DATABANKS AND SEQUENCE ANALYSIS

- Biological Databanks Sequence Databases, Structure Databases, Specialized Databases
- Data retrieval tools and methods
- Database file formats
- Molecular visualization
- Gene structure and function prediction (using GenScan, GeneMark)
- Sequence similarity searching (NCBI BLAST)
- Protein sequence analysis (ExPASy proteomics tools)
- Multiple sequence alignment (Clustal)
- Molecular phylogeny (PHYLIP)
- Analysis of protein and nucleic acids sequences,
- Sequence analysis using EMBOSS or GCG Wisconsin Package

### REFERENCE:

Bioinformatics a Practical Approach by K. Mani and N. Vijayaraj, Aparna Publications, Coimbatore.

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SEM II

## PROGRAMMING FOR BIOINFORMATICS

**Subject description** : This subject presents the fundamentals of programming techniques, namely sequence of execution, Selection of blocks to be executed, repetition of execution etc with the help of C programming language.

**Goals:** To make the students to learn problem solving, execution of programs, thinking the problems in procedure manner and apply the concepts

**Objectives:** On successful completion of the course the students should have:  
Understood basic of approaching a problem to be computerized  
Learnt the various techniques of writing codes to be executed.

### UNIT-I:

#### Programming in C

Introduction, Data types, Operators, Expressions, Control Flow, Structures, Input and Output, Functions, Pointers and References, String Processing, File Handling

### UNIT-II

#### Programming in C++

Basic concepts of OOPS-Introduction to C++, C vs C++-data types, variables, constants, operators and statements in c++- Functions in c++- function prototype-definition-inline functions-overloaded functions.

### UNIT- III

#### Programming in PERL

Introduction, Basic Operators and Control Structures, Scalars, Lists, Hashes, File Manipulation, Pattern Matching and Regular Expressions, Subroutines, Text and String Processing

### UNIT-IV

#### Python Programming

Overview, Data structures, Control Flow, Modules, Basic I/O, Exception Handling, Regular Expressions, File Manipulation, Classes, Standard library

### UNIT-V

#### BioPERL Programming

General Bioperl classes, Sequences (Bio::Seq Class, Sequence Manipulation), Features and Location Classes (Extracting CDS), Alignments (AlignIO), Analysis (Blast, Genscan), Databases (Database Classes, Accessing a local Database)

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4. E. Balagurusamy - “Programming in C++ ” - Tata Mc. Graw Hill Edition
5. Byron Gottfried, - “Programming with C” (Schaum's Outline Series ) - Tata
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SEM II

## GENOMICS

**Subject description** : This paper deals with genome map, comparative genomics, structural genomics, functional genomics and regulation.

**Goals:** To make the students to familiar with genome map, comparative genomics, structural and functional genomics.

**Objectives:** Understand the genome architecture and to extract information like gene function, gene regulation, protein evolution and targets for drug designing

### UNIT – I

Definition of Genome, Genome sequencing, Genome map: Types of Genome maps and their uses, High and low-resolution map, Map elements, Polymorphic markers, Types of maps: Cytogenetic, Linkage map, Transcript map, Physical map, Comparative map, Integrated map, STS content maps, Map repositories: NCBI – Entrez Human genome map viewer, OMIM – Online Mendelian Inheritance in Man, Linkage map resources: CEPH reference pedigree, CHLC – Cooperative human linkage center, Radiation hybrid map resources. Practical uses of genome maps: Locating genomic regions, Target identification, Arrangement of genes, SNP diagnosis, Positional specific cloning,

### UNIT – II

**Genome Anatomies** The anatomy of the Eukaryotic Genome –The special features of metaphase chromosomes, where are the genes in the genome? Families of genes, pseudogenes – Eukaryotic organelle genomes, Repetitive DNA content of the human genome.

#### **Transcriptomes and Proteomes**

Genome Expression in outline; The RNA content of the Cell– the Transcriptome – yeast and human; The Protein content of the cell - the link between the Transcriptome and the Proteome.

### UNIT – III

**Annotation of the Genome:** Structural annotation (Locating coding regions and other structural elements of the gene). Various approaches in gene prediction: ORF prediction, Gene prediction in prokaryotes and eukaryotes, Hidden Markov Model, Pattern discrimination, Evaluation of gene prediction methods, Prediction of promoter sequences, Functional annotation: (Prediction of gene function), Employing the similarity

in the sequence, gene family and metabolic pathway. Employing the conserved domain, Profile and motif comparison, EST Comparison. Analysis of Human Genome.

#### UNIT – IV

##### **Comparative Genomics:**

Purpose and Methods of comparison, Tools for genomic comparison: Applications of Comparative Genomics, Reconstruction of metabolic pathway, Predicting regulatory elements, Identifying targets, examination of domain function, analysis of conserved strings.

Genome projects and Model Organism research -Yeast; Drosophila; C. elegans; and Mouse – a comparative analysis. Comparative genomics as an aid to gene mapping and in the study of human diseases.

#### UNIT – V

##### **Functional Genomics:**

Gene expression analysis by cDNA micro arrays, SAGE, Strategies for generating ESTs and full length inserts; EST clustering and assembly; EST databases (DBEST, UNIGENE); Expression and regulation of entire set of genes, Sporulation Vs Vegetative condition in yeast and *Bacillus*.

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SEM II

## PROTEOMICS

**Subject description :** This paper deals with protein structure prediction and function and various tools for analysis of proteins.

**Goals:** Proteomics is extensively used in drug discovery, and to learn various tools for analysis of proteins.

**Objectives:** Taxonomy, structure-function relationship and functional aspects of the entire set cell.

### UNIT – I

**Protein classification:** Structural elements and terminology, Helix, Sheet, Strand, Loop and coil, Active site, Architecture, Blocks, Class and Domains, Fold, Motif, PSSM, Profile. Principles of classification: Based on structural features, Phylogenetic relationship, CATH – Classification by Class, Architecture, Topology, Homology, SCOP - Structural Classification of Protein, FSSP – Fold classification based on structure – structure alignment, MMDB – Molecular Modeling Database, SARF – Spatial arrangement of backbone fragments

### UNIT – II

**Protein structure prediction:** Use of sequence pattern, leucine zipper, coiled coil, transmembrane, signal peptide, cleavage site. Secondary structure prediction: Chou – Fasman / GOR method, Neural network, nearest neighbor method, tertiary structure prediction, threading profile, contact potential, modeling.

### UNIT – III

Analytical protein and peptide separations - Complex protein and peptide mixtures, Extracting proteins from biological samples, Protein separation before digestion: 1D and 2 D Electrophoresis, Immobilized pH gradient, Sample preparation, First dimension criteria, second dimension criteria, Stabilization, Detecting protein on gel: Electro blot, Image analysis, Digital imaging, Spot detection and quantification, Gel matching. Data Analysis – Database for 2D gel.

### UNIT – IV

#### Tools of Proteomics-

Mass Spectrometry for protein and peptide analysis:

- MALDI-TOF Analyzers
- ESI Tandem MS instrument
- Tandem Mass Analyzers
- The Triple Quadrupole Mass Analyzer
- The Ion Trap Mass Analyzer
- Q-TOF & Fourier Transform–Ion Cyclotron Resonance MS Instrument

**UNIT – V**

Functional Proteome Analysis: Integrated Proteome Analysis - Phage antibody as tool, Protein expression analysis, High throughput analysis for proteomics. Automation of proteomic analysis. Proteomics in plant breeding: Objectives, principles and methods, Genetic diversity analysis, Distribution of varieties, lines and cultivars, Mutant characteristics, Variability between organ and developmental stage, Identification of abiotic stress, Genetic mapping of protein markers.

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SEM II

**MOLECULAR MODELING & COMPUTER AIDED DRUG DESIGN**

**Subject description** : This paper deals with molecular modeling, quantum mechanics, molecular mechanics pertaining to drug discovery.

**Goals:** Provide a broad and thorough background in modeling tools and docking program

**Objectives:** understand the theories used to build tools and their relationship and basic concepts involved in drug design.

**UNIT-I**

Introduction to the concepts of molecular modeling. Molecular structure and internal energy. Application of molecular graphics. Energy minimization of small molecules: Empirical representation of molecular energies. Use of force fields and the molecular mechanics method. Discussion of local and global energy minima.

**UNIT-II**

The techniques of molecular dynamics and Monte Carlo. Simulation for conformational analysis. *Ab initio*, dft and semi empirical methods.

**UNIT-III**

Macromolecular modeling. Design of ligands for known macromolecular target sites. Principles of Docking studies, Drug – receptor interactions. Classical SAR. / QSAR studies and their implications to the 3-D modeler. 2-D and 3-D database searching. Pharmacophore identification and novel drug design.

**UNIT-IV**

Docking-Rigid and Flexible. Finding new drug targets to treat disease, new targets for anti-cancer drugs, Drugs that rescue mutant p53's.

**UNIT-V**

Structure-based drug design for all classes of targets. Enzyme Inhibition strategies.

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SEM II

**PRACTICAL II- COMPUTER AIDED DRUG DESIGN**

- Small molecule building, using ISIS DRAW and CHEM SKETCH
- Homology Modeling using SPDBV
- Model structure refinement using SPDBV
- Model validation using What Check and Pro Check
- Docking using DOCK or AUTODOCK or AMBER