

Genomics

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1. Name two applications of the Burrows-Wheeler transform. What is the actual benefit of the Burrows-Wheeler transform in these applications (in comparison to other methods)?
2. Given the Burrows-Wheeler transform $L = \text{ammnnb\$aaaa}$. (without dot)
 1. Decode the original text.
 2. Formulate an algorithm that efficiently counts the number of occurrences of a pattern in the original text (without decoding the original text). Describe all of the used data structures.
 3. Illustrate how your algorithm works by searching the pattern $P = \text{ana}$.
3. For the text `tacaacaatacaagag` construct the BWT and the arrays C and OCC. Use them to search for the pattern `aca`.