

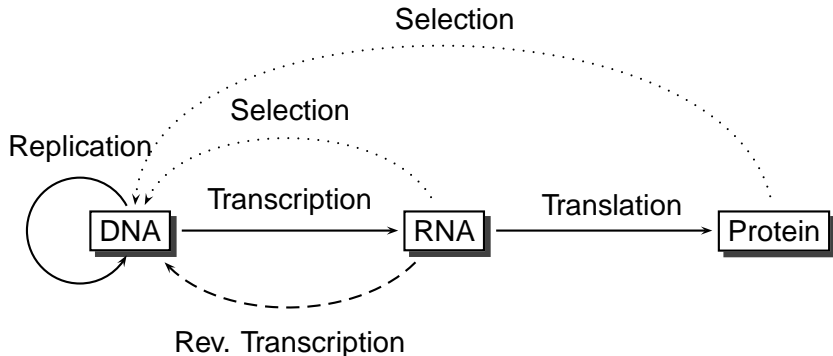
Introduction to Computational Biology; An Evolutionary Approach: Introduction

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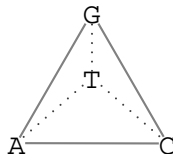
Tree of Life



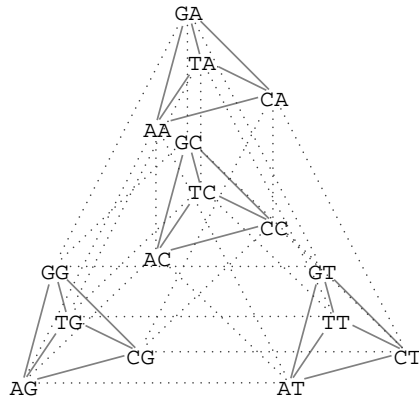
Extended Central Dogma



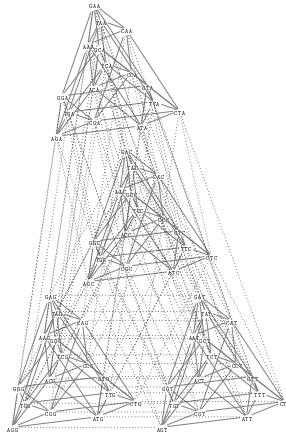
3-Dimensional DNA Sequence Space



6-Dimensional DNA Sequence Space



9-Dimensional DNA Sequence Space



Condition for Evolution by Natural Selection

$$df \geq 1$$

- $d = (|\mathcal{A}| - 1)/l$: dimensionality of sequence space
 - $|\mathcal{A}|$: size of Alphabet (4 for nucleotide, 20 for protein)
 - l : length of sequence
- f : fraction of functional one-mutation neighbors