

BNFO 301 – Introduction to Bioinformatics
Problem Set 4 - Loops

1. Write a loop that says hello 10 times.
2. Write a loop that prints the name of every organism, each on a separate line.
3. Write a loop that prints the genome size of every organism, next to the name of the organism.
4. Write a loop that calculates the total number of nucleotides known by BioBIKE.
5. Write a loop that calculates the probability of encountering a nucleotide sequence in a genome with $[A] = [C] = [G] = [T]$.
6. Write a loop that calculates the probability of encountering a nucleotide sequence in a genome with $[A] = 0.3$. The following template may be helpful:

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(FOR-EACH letter IN "fill-in-sequence"
  WITH fill-in
  AS A% = 0.3
  AS C% = fill-in
  AS G% = fill-in
  AS T% = fill-in
  (IF-TRUE (EQUAL letter "A")
    THEN fill-in)
  (IF-TRUE (EQUAL letter "C")
    THEN fill-in)
  . . .
  FINALLY (RETURN fill-in))
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7. Write a loop that calculates the average length of a protein in SS120.
8. Write a loop that calculates and displays the name of each organism followed by the average length of a protein in that organism (this might take some 10's of seconds to execute)