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Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (696 pages)
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Soggetti	Statistics Quantitative research Biometry Genetics Statistical Theory and Methods Data Analysis and Big Data Biostatistics Genètica Estadística matemàtica R (Llenguatge de programació) Llibres electrònics
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Sommario/riassunto	This book provides an introduction to computer-based methods for the analysis of genomic data. Breakthroughs in molecular and computational biology have contributed to the emergence of vast data sets, where millions of genetic markers for each individual are coupled with medical records, generating an unparalleled resource for linking human genetic variation to human biology and disease. Similar developments have taken place in animal and plant breeding, where genetic marker information is combined with production traits. An important task for the statistical geneticist is to adapt, construct and

implement models that can extract information from these large-scale data. An initial step is to understand the methodology that underlies the probability models and to learn the modern computer-intensive methods required for fitting these models. The objective of this book, suitable for readers who wish to develop analytic skills to perform genomic research, is to provide guidance to take this first step. This book is addressed to numerate biologists who typically lack the formal mathematical background of the professional statistician. For this reason, considerably more detail in explanations and derivations is offered. It is written in a concise style and examples are used profusely. A large proportion of the examples involve programming with the open-source package R. The R code needed to solve the exercises is provided. The MarkDown interface allows the students to implement the code on their own computer, contributing to a better understanding of the underlying theory. Part I presents methods of inference based on likelihood and Bayesian methods, including computational techniques for fitting likelihood and Bayesian models. Part II discusses prediction for continuous and binary data using both frequentist and Bayesian approaches. Some of the models used for prediction are also used for gene discovery. The challenge is to find promising genes without incurring a large proportion of false positive results. Therefore, Part II includes a detour on False Discovery Rate assuming frequentist and Bayesian perspectives. The last chapter of Part II provides an overview of a selected number of non-parametric methods. Part III consists of exercises and their solutions. Daniel Sorensen holds PhD and DSc degrees from the University of Edinburgh and is an elected Fellow of the American Statistical Association. He was professor of Statistical Genetics at Aarhus University where, at present, he is professor emeritus.

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Altri autori (Persone)	ResnickMartin I Thompsonlan M <1954-> (Ian Murchie)
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Treatment ""; ""Chapter 21: T1b-T2NxM0: the Case for Observation ""; ""Chapter 22: Radical Retropubic Prostatectomy for Clinical Stage T1b""; ""Chapter 23: Radical Perineal Prostatectomy ""; ""Chapter 24: Continence-Enhancing Modifications for Radical Prostatectomy""; ""Chapter 25: T1-T2NxM0: the Case for External Radiotherapy""; ""Chapter 26: Permanent Low-Dose-Rate Interstitial Brachytherapy""; ""Chapter 27: T1b-T2NxM0: a Case for Hormonal Therapy?""""Chapter 28: Role of Cryosurgery in the Treatment of Prostate Cancer""; ""Chapter 29: Should T1c Disease Be Treated Differently from T2 Disease?""; ""Chapter 30: T3-T4NxM0: the Case for Observation""; ""Chapter 31: T3-T4NxM0: the Case for Radiotherapy""; ""Chapter 32: Clinical-Pathologic T3NxM0 Prostate Cancer: the Case""; ""Chapter 33: Node-Positive Prostate Cancer: the Case for Observation""; ""Chapter 34: TxN+M0: the Case for Radiotherapy""; ""Chapter 35: TxN+M0 Disease: the Case for Early Hormonal Therapy""; ""Chapter 36: TxNxM1: the Case for Monotherapy""""Chapter 37: TxNxM1: the Case for Total Androgen Deprivation""; ""Chapter 38: Is Early Hormonal Therapy Preferable?""; ""Chapter 39: Staging Failures of Initial Therapy""; ""Chapter 40: Management of Prostate-Specific Antigen Failure after""; ""Chapter 41: Management of Local Failure following Treatment of Localized Disease""; ""Chapter 42: Secondary Hormonal Therapy""; ""Chapter 43: Management of Hormone-Refractory Prostate Cancer""; ""Chapter 44: The Artificial Genitourinary Sphincter""; ""Chapter 45: Collagen Therapy for Postprostatectomy Incontinence""

Sommario/riassunto

From the initial to post-surgical psychological concerns, this book is a complete guide to every step of prostate disease treatment. First, it describes the physical exam in detail, as well as laboratory and imaging techniques that can confirm a diagnosis. Then, the pros and cons of treatment methods for every type and variation of prostate cancer and benign conditions are discussed. Post-surgical treatment (including behavioral issues) is also outlined.
