Discrete Biochronological Scales and Unitary Associations: Description of the BioGraph Computer Program.

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The goal of the present paper is treefold. In the first part we summarize the algorithm used to construct Unitary Associations (UA's) originally described by Guex 1988, 1991 and Savary and Guex 1991.

This summary is followed by a short user's guide of the BioGraph program (Savary and Guex 1991). The listing of the program is provided in Section 5.

For several years, the users of the main program have been provided with unpublished tools designed to help the interpretation of the outputs of BioGraph: these tools will also be described in the present Memoire.

That material can be obtained for free from the authors.