

# Optimal strategies for familial searching

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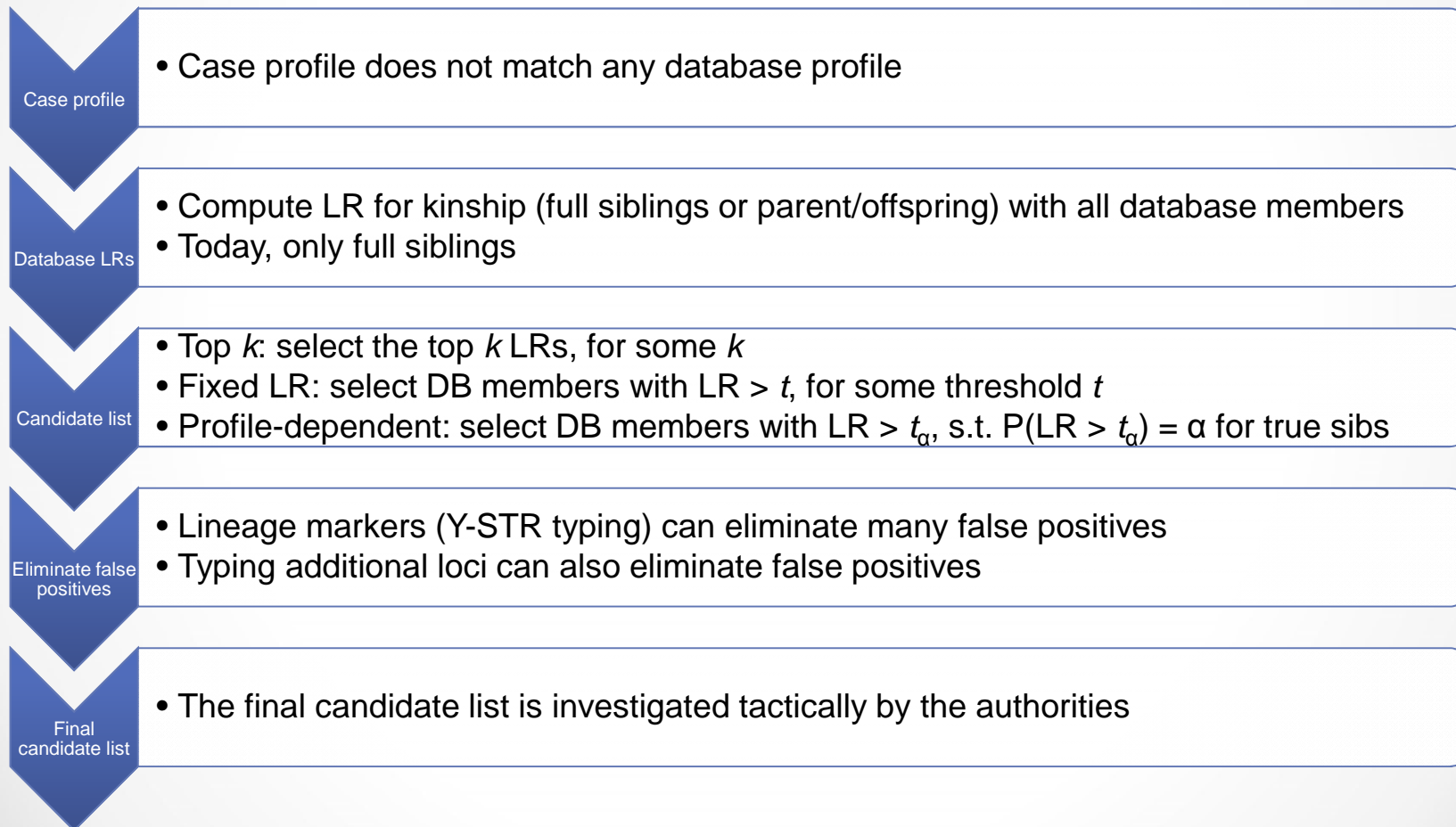
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# Overview

Familial searching is the process of looking for close relatives of an offender in a DNA database

- The familial searching process
- Generating the candidate list
- Simulation studies
- Conclusions
- Questions

# The familial searching process



# Generating the candidate list

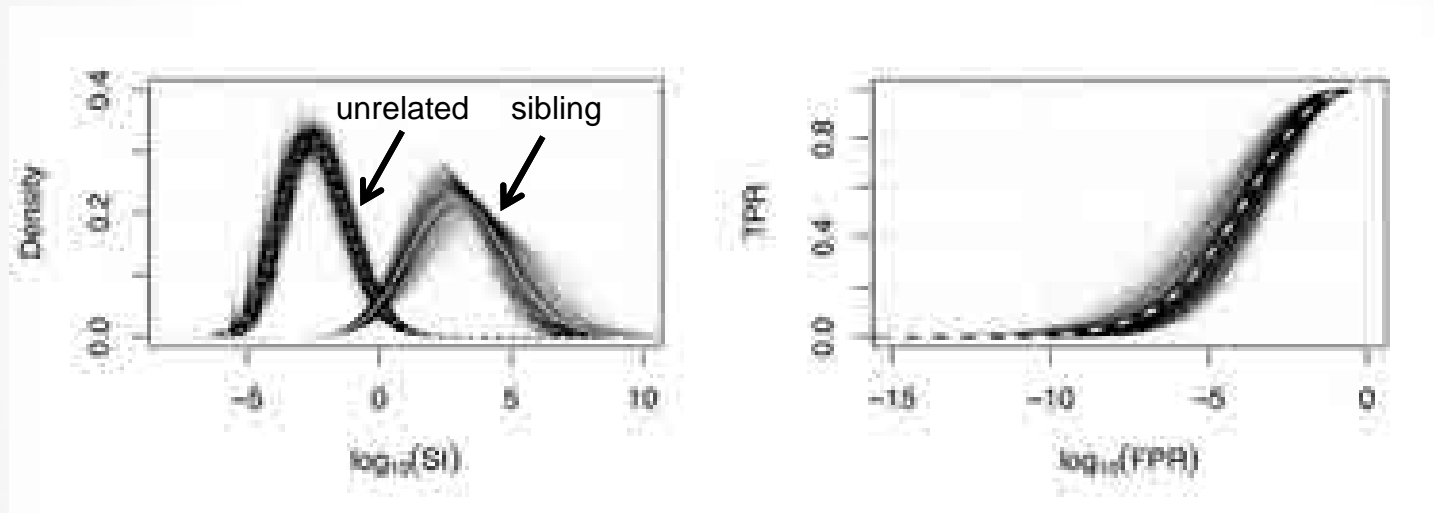
- Trade-off between workload (eliminating false positives) and probability of detection (PoD)

Workload and PoD per case are driven by:

- Case profile (rare alleles or common alleles?);
- Search strategy and tuning parameters ( $k$ ,  $t$ ,  $\alpha$ );
- Database size ( $N$ ).

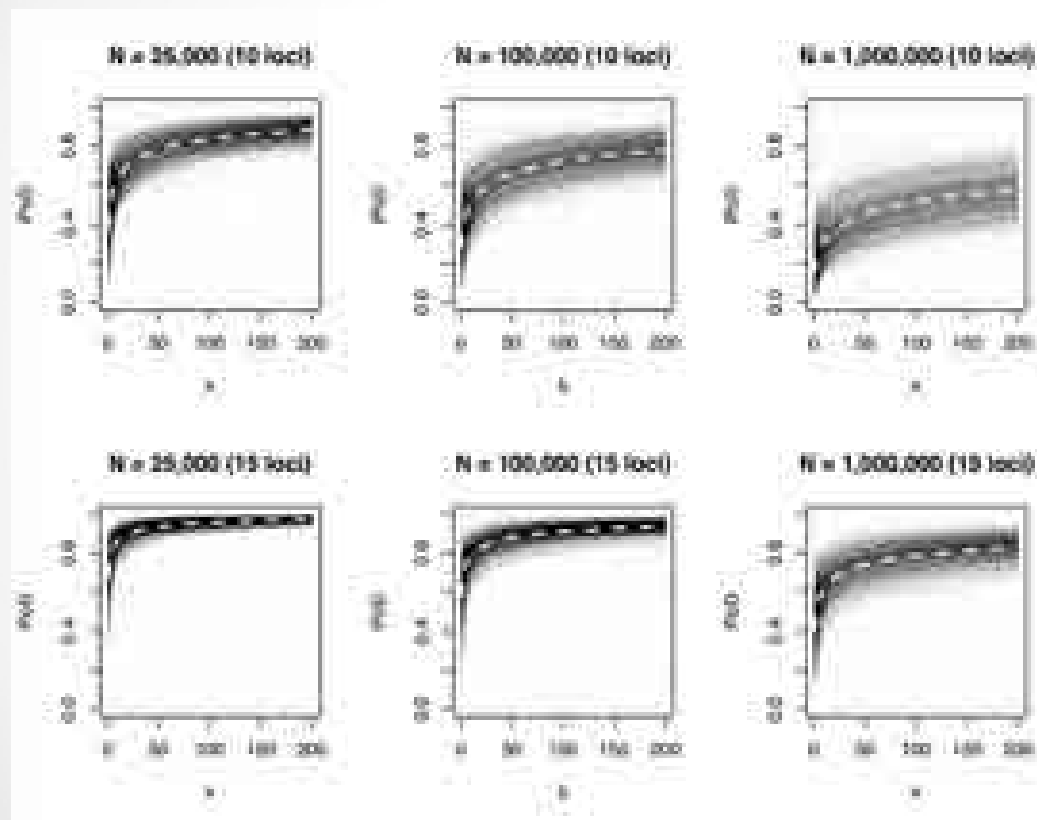
# Case profile

- For 1,000 simulated SGMplus profiles, the SI-distribution is obtained with respect to a true full sibling and an unrelated person



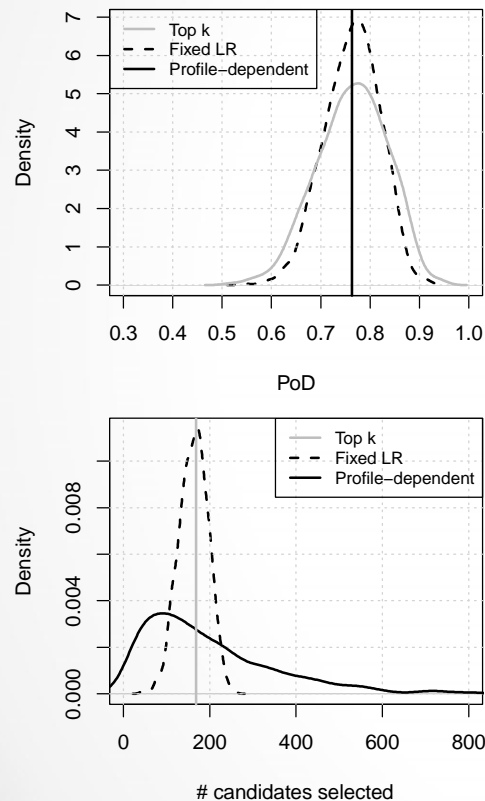
- Distribution differs a lot between case profiles. Large effect on TPR and FPR.
- Variation is caused by rarity of the profile. Profiles with rare alleles are especially amenable to familial searching.
- Effect on search strategies is investigated next

# Simulation: top $k$ strategy (1,000 profiles)



- Large variation in PoD for fixed  $k$
- Increasing  $k$  gives quickly diminishing returns in terms of PoD
- Using 15 instead of 10 loci makes it possible to increase DB size ~10 times, while retaining the PoD

# The fixed-LR strategy is optimal



- Fixed-LR strategy is most efficient in the long-run: lowest FPR for given TPR
- How many more false positives with top k or profile-dependent threshold?
- Take top 168 strategy as point of reference in fixed DB (N=100,000). Tuning parameters ( $t$ ,  $\alpha$ ) such that the average PoD coincides with top 168
- Fixing workload is cheap; fixing PoD is not

# Conclusions

- Workload and PoD per case depend on case profile
- A fixed-LR threshold is optimal in the long run
- Fixing workload is cheap; fixing PoD not
- Results are easily reproduced using the R-package DNAProfiles, freely available from CRAN

Questions?





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# Familial Searching on Complex Mixtures

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## Familial Searching

When we do not find a trace donor in a database, we look for his relatives instead.

For a single source trace, this means that we evaluate the LR for hypotheses

- $H_p$ : database member is related to trace donor
- $H_d$ : database member is unrelated to trace donor

For a given type of relatedness. In practice, only parent-child and sibling relationships are considered. LR's are called PI and SI respectively.



## Legislation

Familial Searching is carried out regularly in the following jurisdictions:

- UK
- California
- New Zealand
- The Netherlands

Dutch database: almost 200,000 profiles.

Oldest half of them typed with SGMPlus (10 loci) and the remainder typed with NGM (=SGMPlus + 5 other loci)



## Feasibility of a FS

Can be expressed in several ways:

1. Probability for a relative to rank in the top-n for various n
2. Probability for a relative to exceed a LR-threshold (True positive rate)
3. Probability for an unrelated individual to exceed a LR-threshold (False Positive Rate)

Ranking is illustrative but depends on the database size.

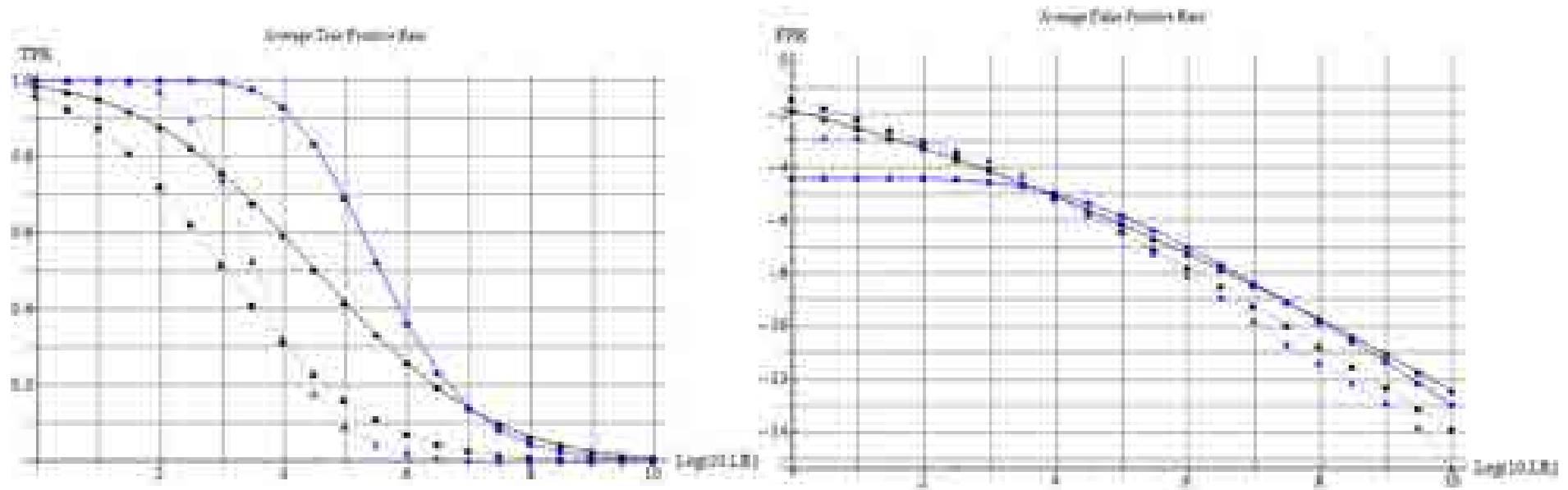
TPR and FPR can be used to choose a strategy, for any database.

Moreover, it is known that selecting candidate relatives is most efficient when this is done with a LR threshold.



## Best scenario: single source full profile

In this case, FPR and TPR for sibs are as follows, on 10 and 15 loci:





## Mixtures?

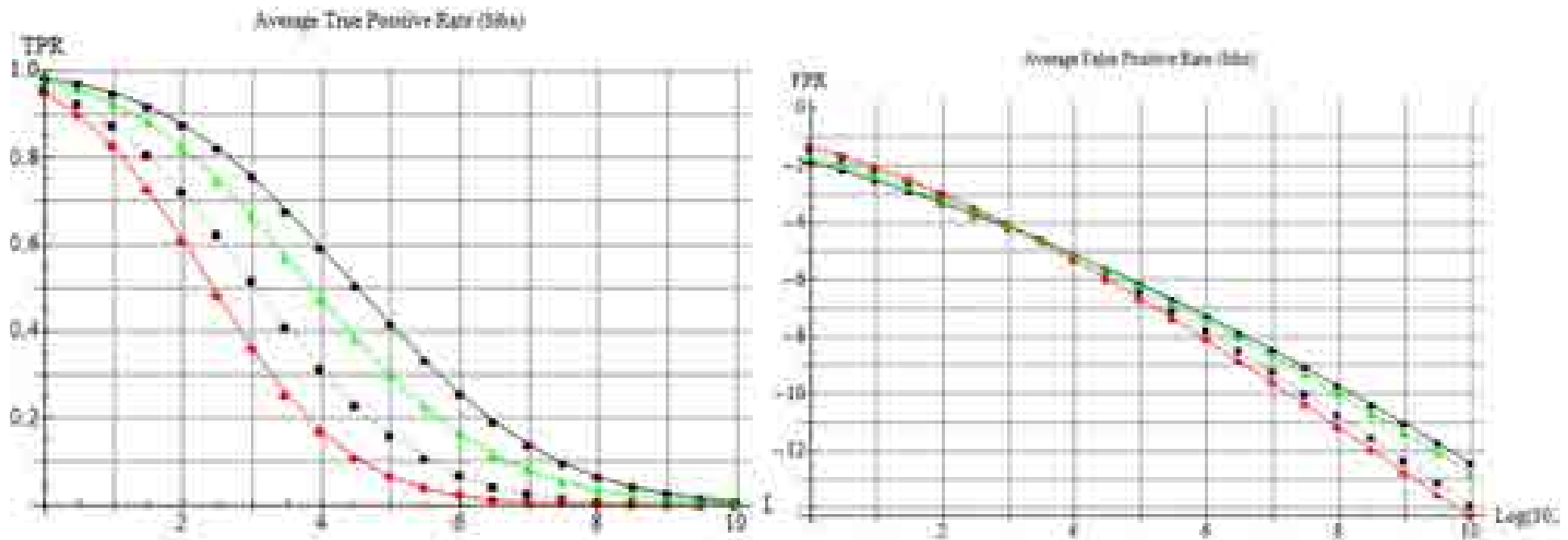
In a mixture, the profile of the PoI is mixed up with others.  
Is it still feasible to find relatives of the donors?

Chung, Fung, Hu (2010) and Chung, Fung (2013) considered FS on 2p-mixtures ("victim"+"offender") in the absence of dropout and with the victim profile known.

In that case, the offender profile can be deduced on some loci, and restricted to a few possibilities on the others, and it turns out that a FS is still quite effective.



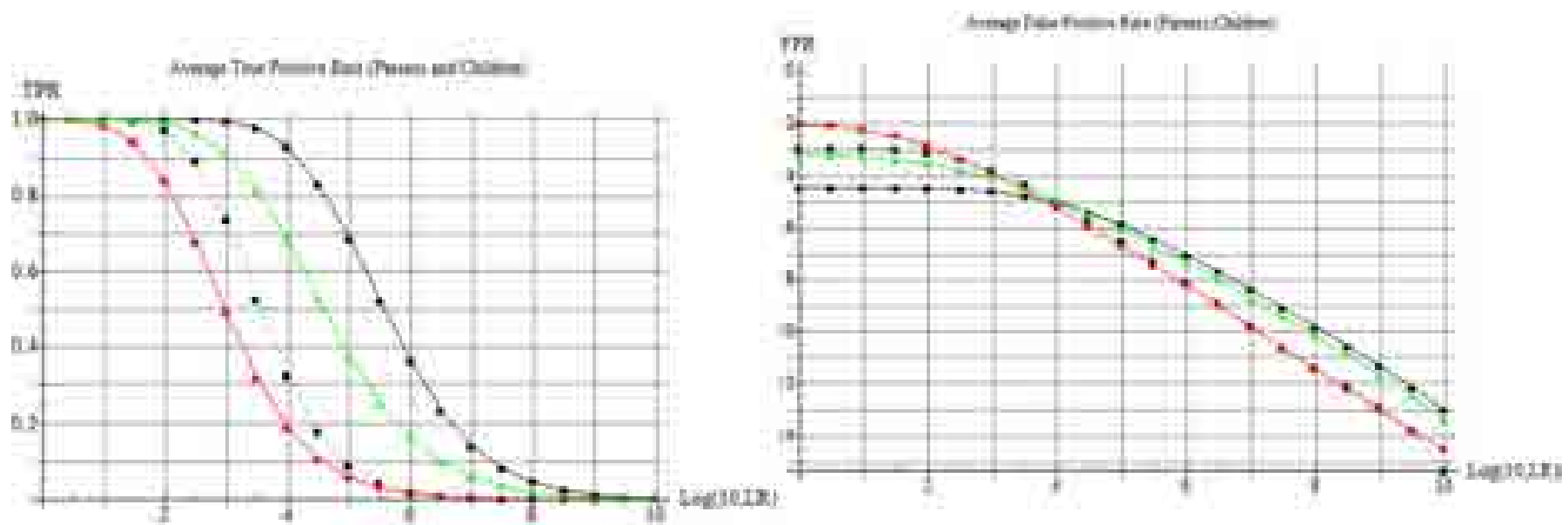
## TPR and FPR, 15 loci, sibs, mixtures no dropout



Black: full: single source NGM, dotted: ss SGMPlus  
Green: Victim Known, Red: No donor known



## TPR and FPR, 15 loci, parents and children



Black: full: single source NGM, dotted: ss SGMPlus  
Green: Victim Known, Red: No donor known





## Results 2p with allelic dropout

We have written a program, called MixKin, for calculations with mixtures and relatedness, taking dropout and drop-in into account.

Dropout probabilities can be chosen per contributor to the mixture.

Eg

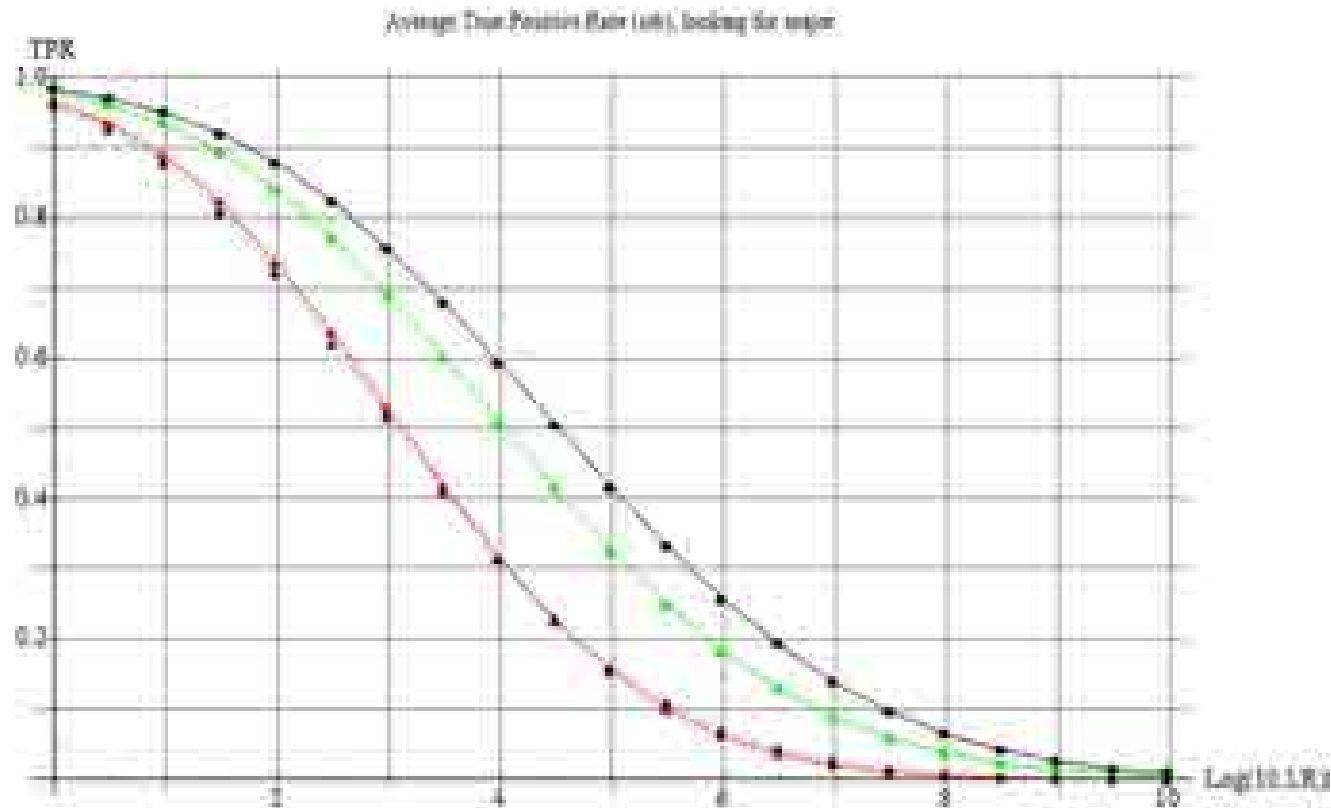
Hp: brother of PoI with dropout  $d_1$  and random person with dropout  $d_2$  are the contributors

Hd: random persons with dropout  $d_1$  and  $d_2$ .

Or conditioned on a "victim". We'll show results for sibs and NGM, 2p and 3p. Assume three replicates for the mixture.



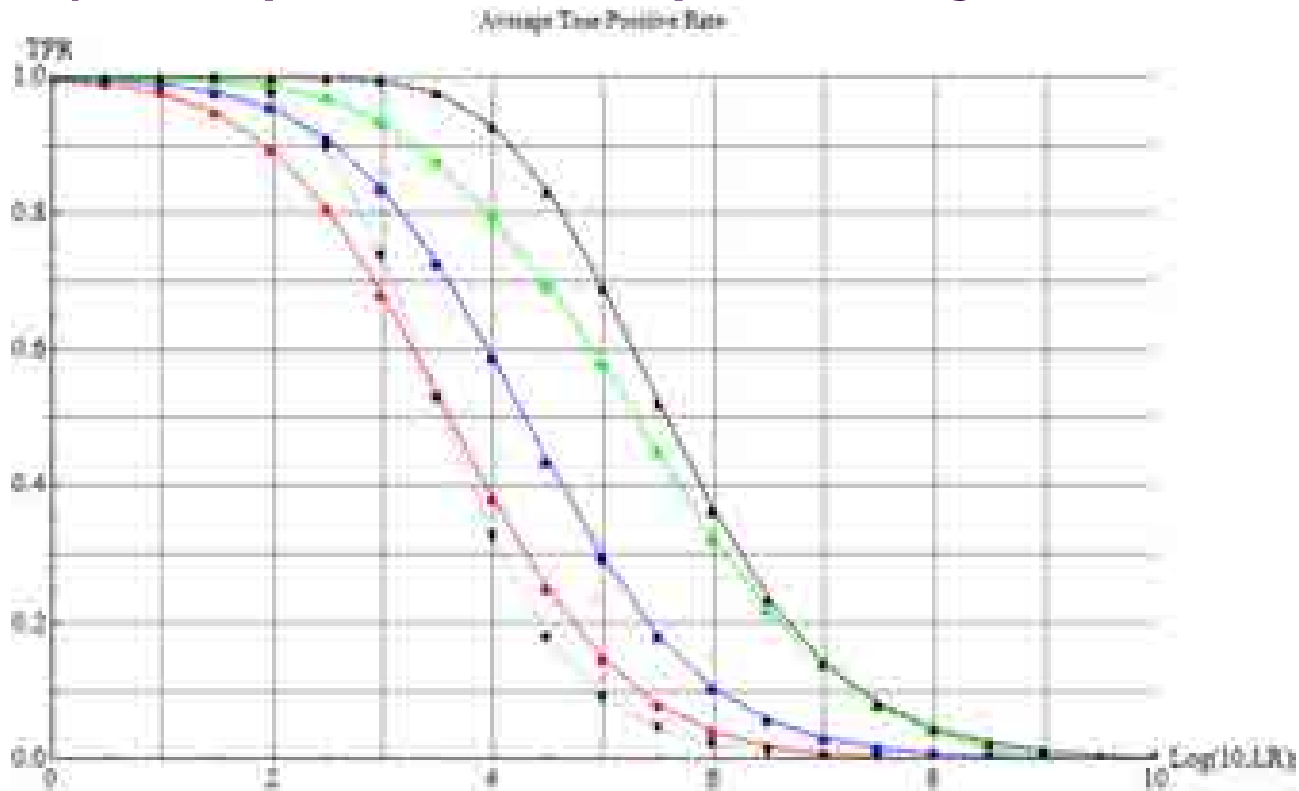
## Different dropout: (0.05, 0.3) look for major



Black: full: single source NGM, dotted: ss SGMPlus; Green: Victim Known, Red: No donor known. (FPR almost same for all)



## 3p dropout (0.1,0.4,0.7),PI, major donor



Black: ss NGM (full) ss SGMPlus (dotted)

Red: three unknowns, blue: 0.4 donor known, green: 0.4 and 0.7 donors known



## Conclusions

- Familial Searching is regularly done on single source traces using 10 loci, but not on mixtures
- However, NGM on mixtures can often outperform SGMplus on single source traces
- So there is no reason not to carry out a Familial Search on mixtures
- Mixtures with dropout can perform better than mixtures without! At least if one uses replicates of the mixture. In that case, a mixture with donors with different dropout can be deconvoluted more easily than one without dropout, or with equal dropout.
- Even 3p mixtures are not hopeless, especially with one or two donors known.
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# **DEVELOPMENT OF AN IN-HOUSE DNA PROFILE DATABASING/MATCHING SOFTWARE SUITE**

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# OVERVIEW

- About ...
- Problem
- Goals and Motivation
- Tools and Advantages
- Proposed Software Architecture
- Current status
- Conclusions

# ABOUT ...

- Cyprus has a missing persons project (MPP)
- Expertise in DNA forensic analysis will continue to be increasingly important in years to come in Cyprus, well beyond the MPP
- Collaboration with Turkish Cypriot DNA Lab (TCDL) in conducting academic research
- Main theme:
  - Local capacity building
  - Contribution to our communities in Cyprus
  - Sharing our experiences

# WHAT IS OUT THERE

- A wide variety of both commercial and public-domain software packages for DNA
  - Profile databasing
  - Searching (paternity, kinship, familial, direct)
  - Workflow management/laboratory information management
  - ... other related tasks



# SOFTWARE PACKAGES

- DNA-View, Qualtype® Abetter LIMS, Qualtype GeneProof®2, GeneMapper® ID/X, Converge™ (DNA Workflow, Direct Match, Familial Match, Kinship and Paternity), Familias, FamLink/X, GenePop, Arlequin, PowerStats
- ... etc ...

# PROBLEM

- For small-scale labs, commercial software could be *cost-prohibitive*
- Different labs/projects have different needs
- Different software packages, different interfaces, different learning curves
- Data format conversion is a big hassle
- Not everyone is a programming expert
- Error-prone manual handling of data

# GOALS

- To develop a web-based, secure, user-friendly all-in-one software suite
- Automate main DNA profile databasing and matching tasks for a small lab
- Minimize human error
- Handle Y-STR, autosomal STR, mtDNA data, and other systems in the future
- **Leverage new technologies**
  - Programming languages, DB systems, etc.

# MOTIVATION

- Response to local needs such as the CMP project and/or TCDL in Cyprus
- Need for databasing, FRS profiles for multiple systems (Y-STR, mtDNA, autosomal), familial search with skeletal/dental data vs FRS data, population statistics, etc.
- Free/open source spirit
- Platform independence

# PYTHON

Wikipedia says:

- Conceived in late 1980s
- Started to be implemented late 1989
- Python 2.0 release: October 2000
- Python 3.0 release: December 2008

# WHAT PYTHON OFFERS

- High-level type-free programming
- High-level built-in data structures
  - Lists, tuples, dictionaries
- Lots and lots of libraries
  - csv, xlwt/xlrd, ConfigParser, email, PyQt, SymPy, PIL, HTTPLib2, Matplotlib, ReportLab, NumPy, SciPy, etc.

# FROM SCHEME TO PYTHON

## WISDOM AND WONDER

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### Why MIT switched from Scheme to Python

Costanza asked Sussman why MIT had switched away from Scheme for their introductory programming course, 6.001. This was a gem. He said that the reason that happened was because engineering in 1980 was not what it was in the mid-90s or in 2000. In 1980, good programmers spent a lot of time thinking, and then produced spare code that they thought should work. Code ran close to the metal, even Scheme — it was understandable all the way down. Like a resistor, where you could read the bands and know the power rating and the tolerance and the resistance and  $V=IR$  and that's all there was to know. 6.001 had been conceived to teach engineers how to take small parts that they understood entirely and use simple techniques to compose them into larger things that do what you want.

But programming now isn't so much like that, said Sussman. Nowadays you muck around with incomprehensible or nonexistent man pages for software you don't know who wrote. You have to do basic science on your libraries to see how they work, trying out different inputs and seeing how the code reacts. This is a fundamentally different job, and it needed a different course.

So the good thing about the new 6.001 was that it was robot-centered — you had to program a little robot to move around. And robots are not like resistors, behaving according to ideal functions. Wheels slip, the environment changes, etc — you have to build in robustness to the system, in a different way than the one SICP discusses.

And why Python, then? Well, said Sussman, it probably just had a library already implemented for the robotics interface, that was all.

(via [wingolog](#))

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# MongoDB

Wikipedia says:

- Development began in 2007
- Became a stand-alone product in 2009
- Production ready since March 2010



# WHAT MongoDB OFFERS

- Open source, *document-oriented* No-SQL DB
- No tables and rows as in SQL — No relations!
- Instead schema-free documents in Binary JavaScript Object Notation (BSON)
- No special DB language to *create, read, update, and delete* (CRUD)
- Instead a programmatic approach (function calls) to CRUD
- Powerful scale-up and replication features

# AUTOBAHN

- Open-source real-time framework
- Provides implementations of the **WebSocket** protocol and Web Application Messaging Protocol (**WAMP**)
- WebSockets allow bidirectional real-time messaging on the Web
- WAMP provides *asynchronous* Remote Procedure Calls and Publish & Subscribe on top of WebSocket protocol

# ADVANTAGES 1/2

- STR & mtDNA data is symbolic
- Mapping: locus → maternal/paternal alleles
- JavaScript objects, Python dictionaries, and JSON/BSON data format are compatible
- An example:

```
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  CSF1P0: ["8", "9"],  
  FGA:    ["20", "22"],  
}
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JavaScript

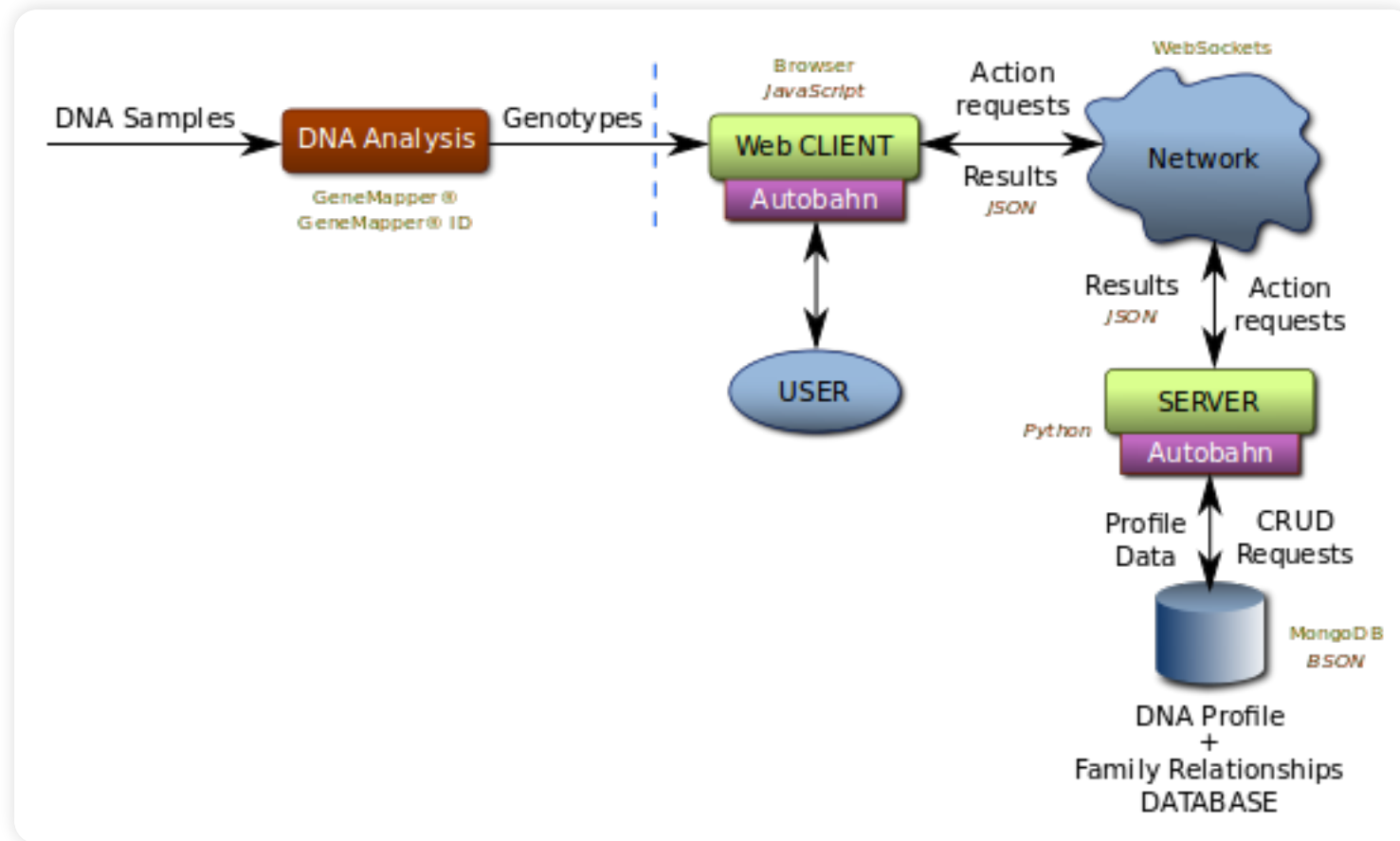
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Python

# ADVANTAGES 2/2

- Can implement symbolic math (SymPy)
- MongoDB server-executed custom JavaScript query capability makes direct partial matches possible
  - 70%, 80%, 100%, etc.

# PROPOSED ARCHITECTURE



# CURRENT STATUS

- A proof of concept for proposed architecture
- Direct percentage match system
- Computation of allele frequencies/key statistical parameters of forensic interest
- Automatic computation of k-values,  $F/\Theta$  ...
- Investigation of a symbolic computation model for DNA search statistics (SymPy)

# CONCLUSIONS

- Critical for small-scaled labs to have an all-in-one solution
- Web offers great potential for visualization
- Working progress ...
- Leveraging of new technologies for current and future needs
- Creation of a cost-effective solution

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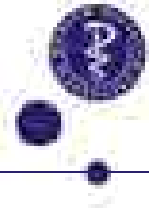
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## STR sequencing on second generation sequencing platforms

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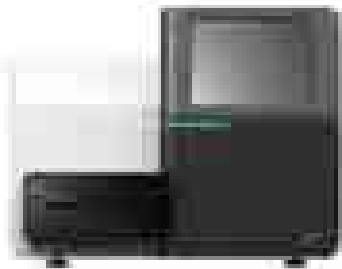


## SGS in Copenhagen



### GS Junior 454 Sequencing system (2009)

- mtDNA sequencing
- STR sequencing



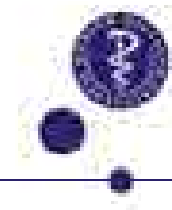
### MiSeq (2013)

- mtDNA sequencing
- miRNA
- X chromosome haplogroups etc ...
- Illumina SGS Forensic kit >200 markers



### Ion PGM™ (2013)

- Ion Torrent™ HID SNP assay (169plex)
- Ion Torrent™ STR 10plex assay





## STR sequencing using SGS

### Strategy on the GS Junior\*

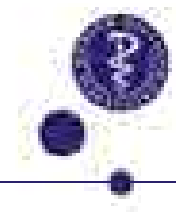
- Amplicon sequencing with Multiplex IDentifiers (MIDs) in the PCR primer sequence
- Quantify and pool amplicons into a library
- emPCR and sequencing

### Data analysis

- Filter by MID
- Filter by STR
- At least one primer binding region must be present
- Both STR ends must be present
- Trim the reads according to flanking sequence
- Alignment in BioEdit (Ibis Biosciences)

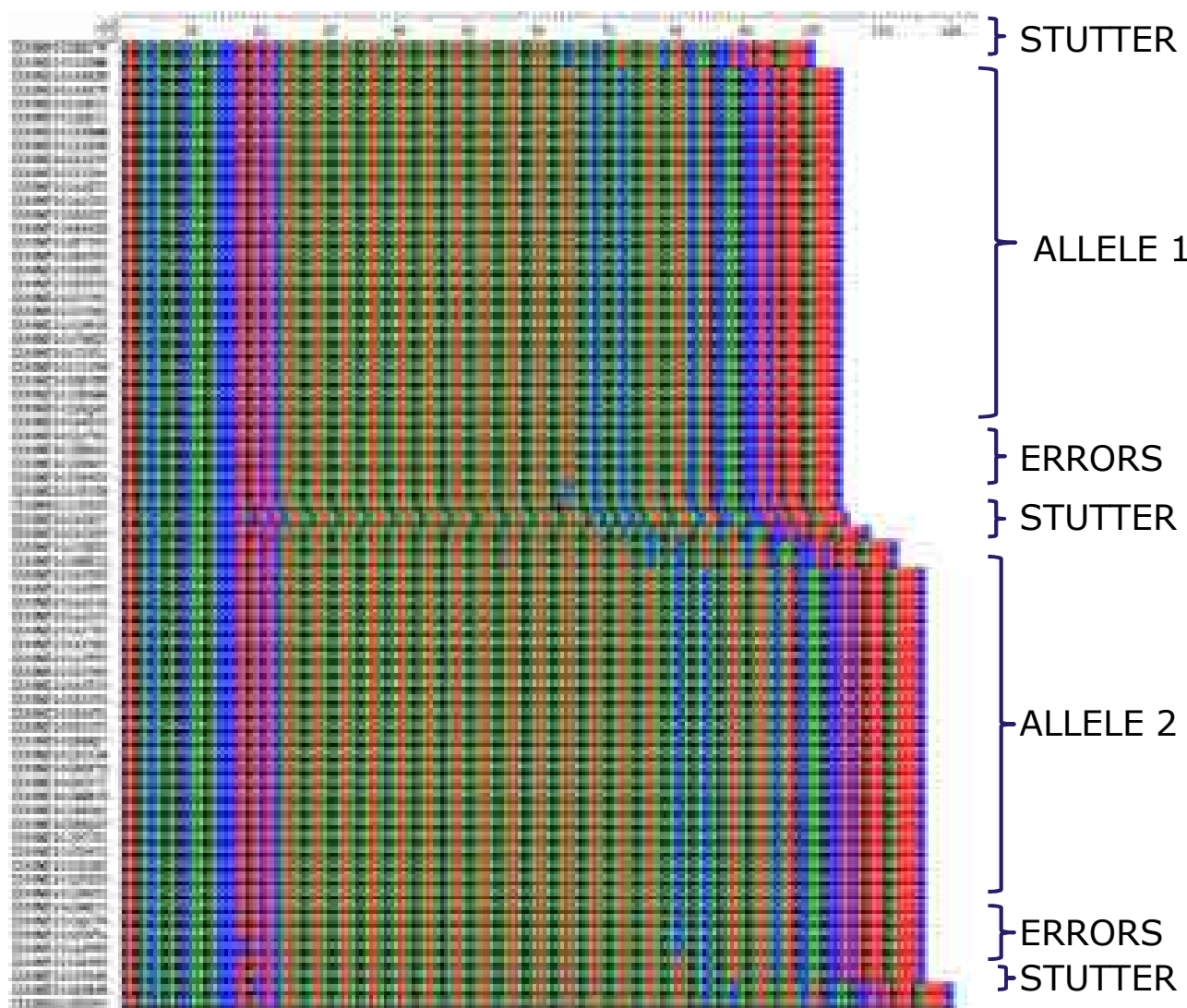


\*Fordyce et al., Biotechniques 51 (2011) 127-133





## STR sequencing using SGS





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### SGS based allele frequency database

- 394 sequenced alleles in unrelated Danes\*
- 256 sequenced alleles in unrelated Somalis
- D3S1358, D12S391, D21S11

No. of alleles in total		
	PCR-CE	SGS
D3S1358	9	20
D12S391	19	69
D21S11	17	49
Total	45	138

No. of alleles only seen in one group		
	Danes	Somalis
D21S11	4	3
D12S391	30	16
D3S1358	15	20
Total	49	39

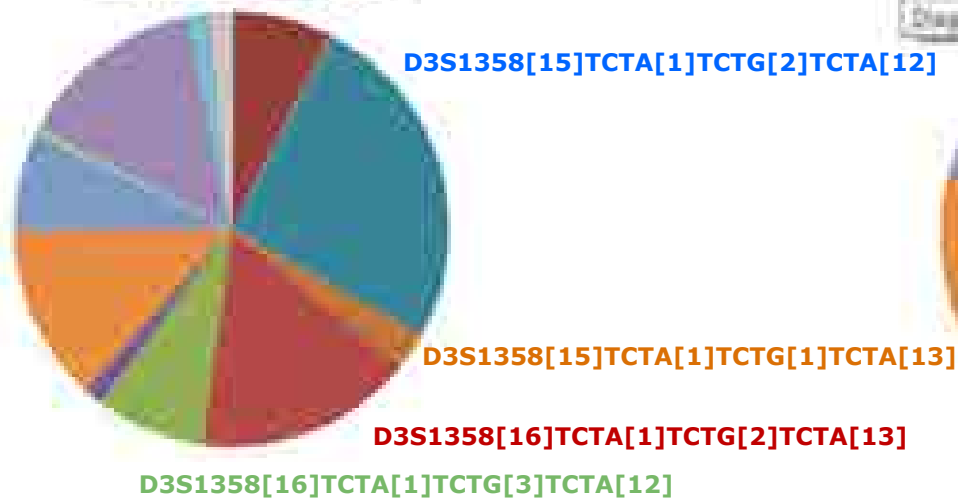
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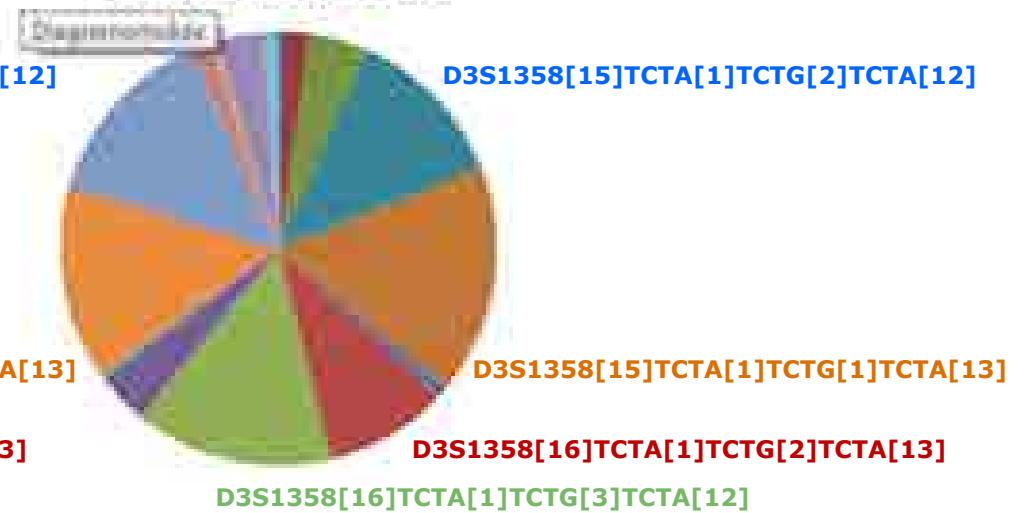


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**Danes D3S1358**



**Somalis D3S1358**





## STR sequencing using SGS

- STR loci: D3S1358, D12S391, D21S11

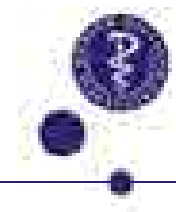
### Forensic statistics – Danes\*

	PCR-CE	SGS
Power of discrimination	0.9999	0.999995
Paternity exclusion power	97.1	99.2
PI (trio)	59.2	415.0
PI (duo)	16.1	82.4

### Forensic statistics - Somalis

	PCR-CE	SGS
Power of discrimination	0.9997	0.999998
Paternity exclusion power	94.0	99.6
PI (trio)	41.1	544.0
PI (duo)	12.4	103.0

\*Gelardi, Rockenbauer et al., in press







## STR sequencing using SGS

### STR nomenclature\*

- New guidelines are needed
- Locus name used in forensic genetics
- Length of repeat/length of repeat unit
- Sequence details
- Polymorphisms in the flanking region (SNPs and indels)

D12S391[21]AGAT[11]AGAC[9]AGAT[1]

D12S391[21]AGAT[11]AGAC[10]

D12S391[21]AGAT[12]AGAC[8]AGAT[1]

D12S391[21]AGAT[12]AGAC[9]

D12S391[21]AGAT[13]AGAC[7]AGAT[1]

D12S391[21]AGAT[13]AGAC[8]

D12S391[21]AGAT[13]GGAC[1]AGAC[7]

D12S391[21]AGAT[14]AGAC[6]AGAT[1]

D12S391[21]AG**G**T[1]AGAT[12]AGAC[9]

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## STR sequencing using the Ion PGM

### Ion Torrent™ STR 10plex assay

- 10plex STR kit with forensic core STRs designed for the Ion PGM
- Based on the CODIS system
  - AMEL
  - CSF1PO
  - D16S539
  - D3S1358
  - D5S818
  - D7S820
  - D8S1179
  - TH01
  - TPOX
  - VWA



### Concordance study (10 Danes)\*

- Complete concordance with AmpFISTR® IDFL Plus PCR Amplification Kit

\*Fordyce et al., in prep.

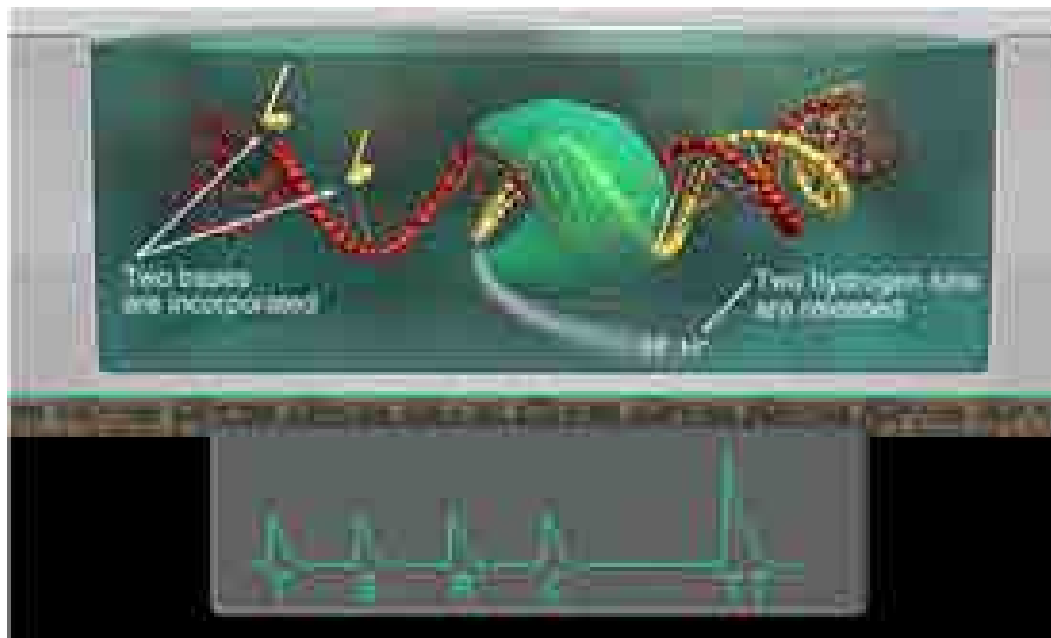




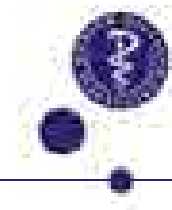
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### The Ion Torrent STR 10plex

- Amplification with multiplex PCR
- Amplicon sizes 70-170 bp
- Ligation of barcoded adaptors
- Quantification, emPCR and sequencing\*



\*Semi-conductor technology (Rothberg et al. 2011)





## STR sequencing using the Ion PGM

Data analysis with the Torrent Suite v4.0.2 software

HID\_STR\_Genotyper plugin:

- Profile summary with allele calls
- Coverage plots
- Locus data (only STR sequence!)

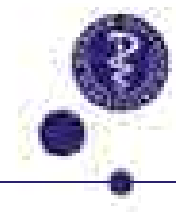
Flanking sequences

- Available from raw data (BAM-files)

Exportable text files with additional data

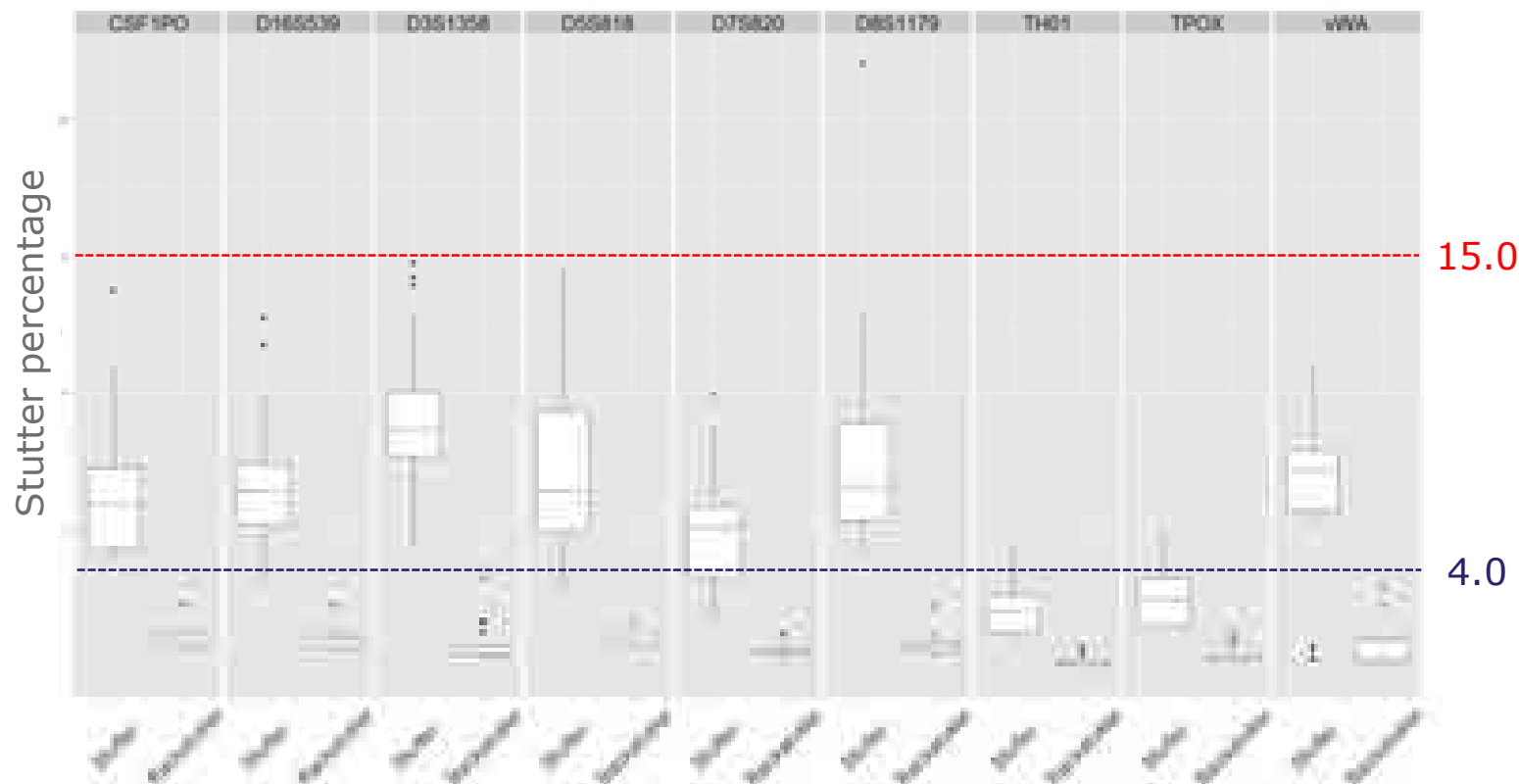
- Genotype file and histograms

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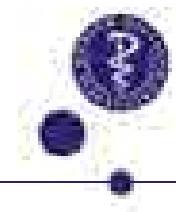
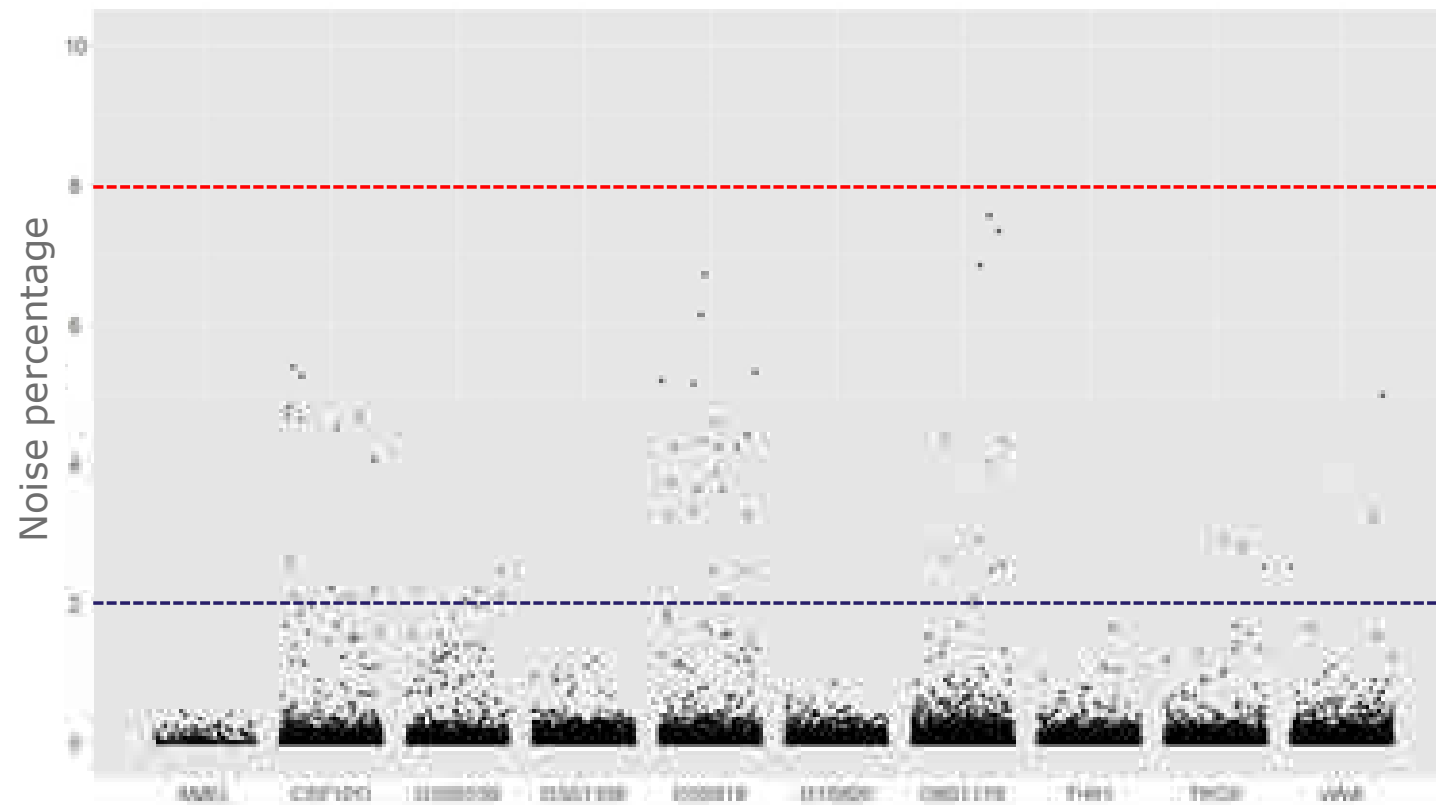


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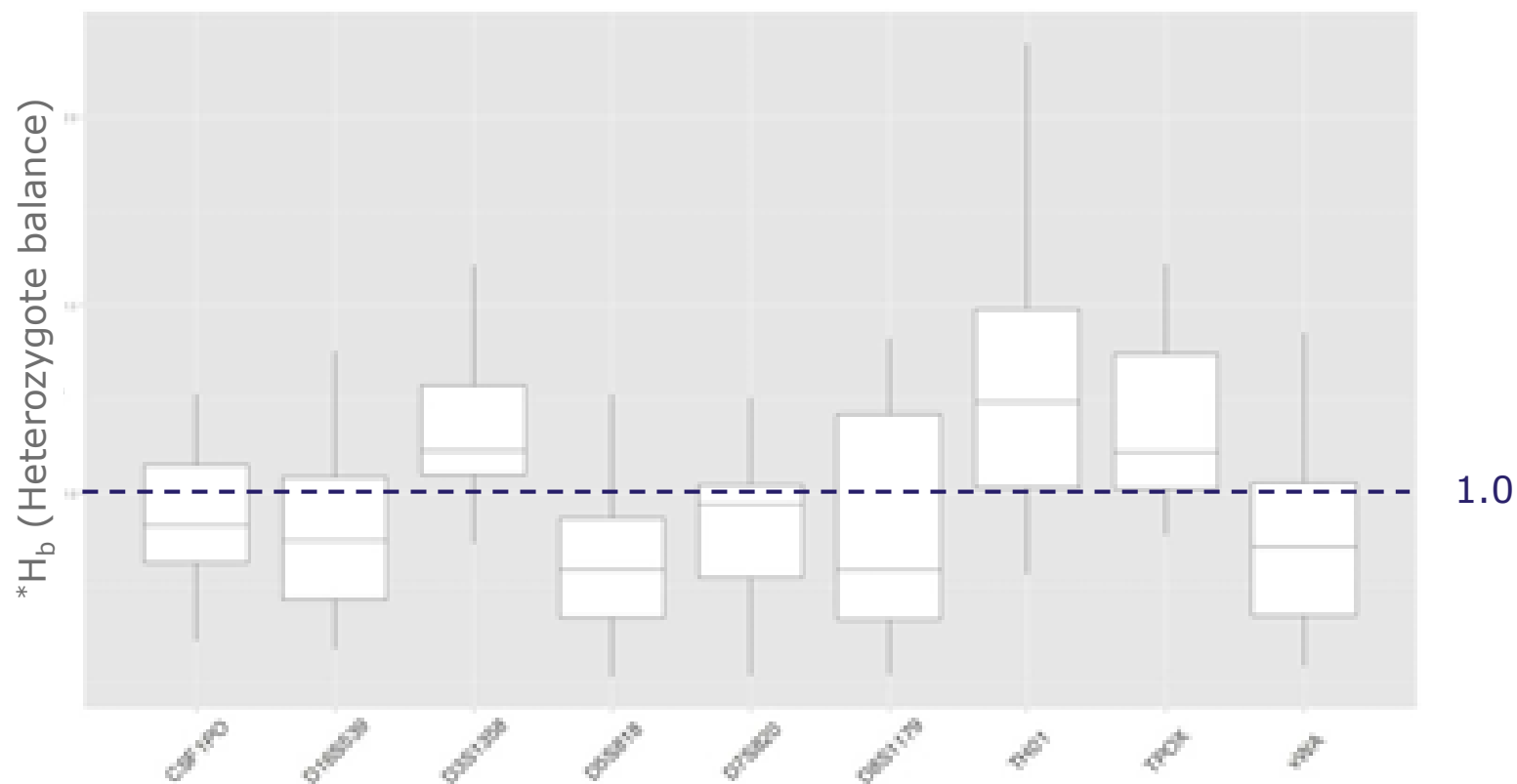


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\*H<sub>b</sub> = HMW/LMW

Allele balance



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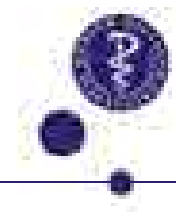
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# Evaluation of genetic testing using NGS of sudden cardiac death genes in sudden unexplained deaths

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# Genetics in Sudden Unexpected Deaths

Using standard forensic autopsy routines it is often difficult to determine the causes of Sudden Cardiac Deaths (excluding coronary artery diseases).

In some cases no structural abnormalities can be detected: “autopsy negative” or “sudden unexplained death” (SUD).

Macroscopically and/or microscopically visible myocardial abnormalities can be seen in some case

Studies have shown that sudden unexplained death to a high extent is caused by genetic cardiac disorders<sup>1,2</sup>

1 Wisten, A., et al., Mutation analysis of cases of sudden unexplained death, 15 years after death: prompt genetic evaluation after resuscitation can save future lives. Resuscitation, 2012. 83(10): p. 1229-34.

2 Skinner, J.R., et al., Prospective, population-based long QT molecular autopsy study of postmortem negative sudden death in 1 to 40 year olds. Heart rhythm : the official journal of the Heart Rhythm Society, 2011. 8(3): p. 412-9.

# Genetics in Sudden Cardiac Deaths – Our approach

## Screening of multiple genes linked to SCD associated diseases.

Large panel for several diseases / syndromes

Limit the bioinformatics to the genes of the specific sample

## Prediction of genetic variants.

How can we help the forensic pathologist?

How do we interpret new variants?

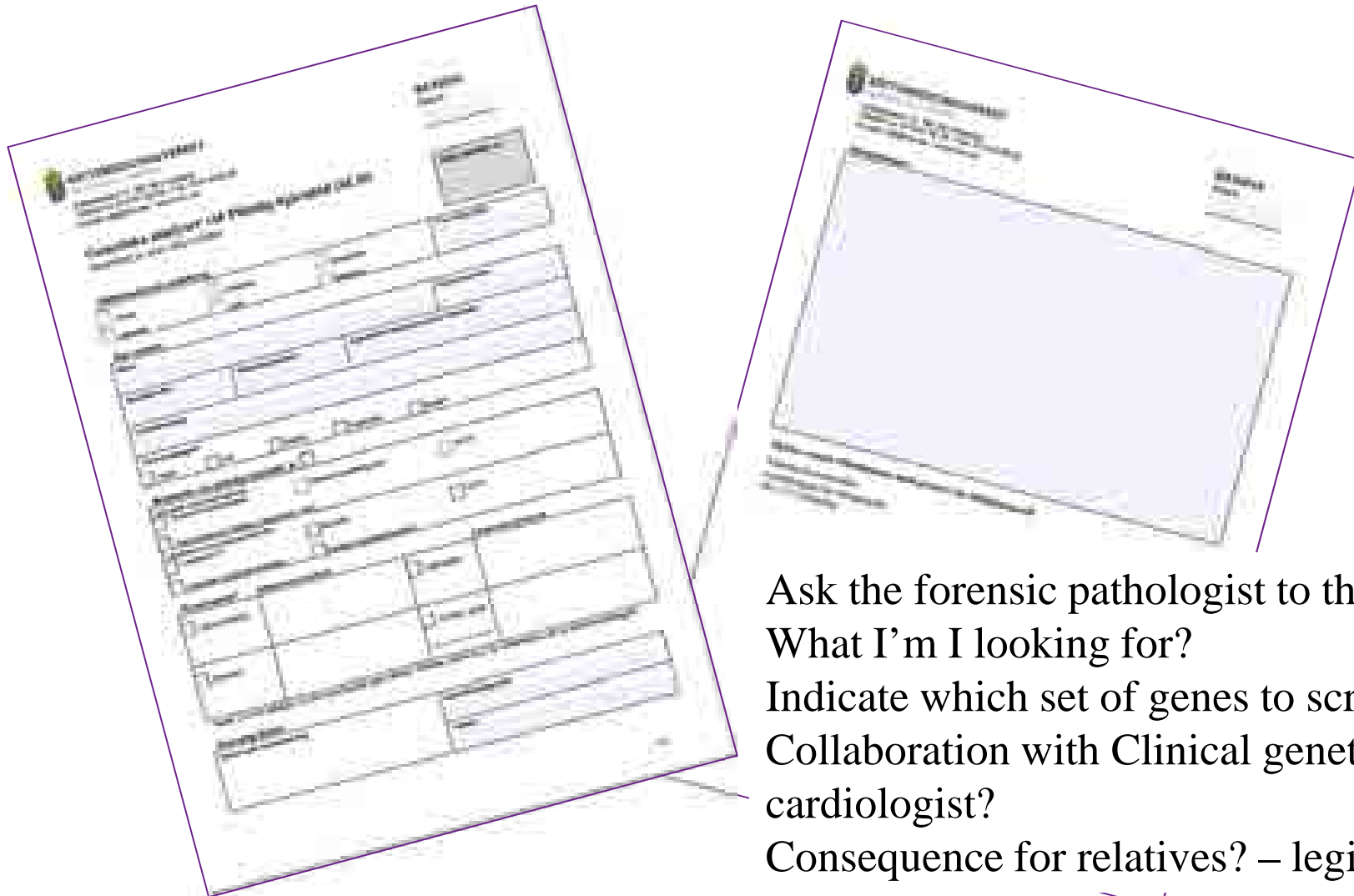
# Large gene panel for forensic use

Analyzed by several certified labs in the world for and literature references for disease associated genes

Genes divided into:  
High and low priority genes

Long QT Syndrome	Short QT syndrome	Brugada syndrome	CPVT	Idiopathic Ventricular Fibrillation	Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy	Dilated Cardiomyopathy	Marfan Syndrome/ Loays-Dietz Syndrome/ Familial Thoracic Aortic Aneurysms and Dissections	ARVC	Familjär hyperkolesterolemi
AKAP9 ANK2 CACNA1C CAV3 KCNE1 KCNE2 KCNH2 KCNJ2 KCNJ5 KCNQ1 SCN4B SCN5A SNTA1	CACNA1C CACNA2D1 CACNB2 KCNH2 KCNJ2 KCNQ1	CACNA1C CACNB2 GPD1L KCNE3 SCN1B SCN3B SCN5A	CASQ2 KCNJ2 RYR2	CACNA1C CACNA2D1 CACNB2 KCNJ8	ACTC1 ACTN2 CAV3 CSRP3 FHL1 GLA LAMP2 MYH6 MYH7 MYL2 MYL3 PLN PRKAG2 TCAP TNNC1 TNNI3 TNNT2 TPM1 TTN TTR	ABCC9 ACTC1 ACTN2 ANKRD1 BAG3 CSRP3 DES DMD DSG2 EMD LDB3 LMNA MYBPC3 MYH6 MYH7 NEXN RBM20 SCN5A TAZ TCAP TMPO TNNC1 TNNI3 TNNT2 TPM1 TTN VCL	ACTA 2 COL3A1 COL5A1 COL5A2 FBN1 TGFBF1 TGFBF2	DES DSC2 DSG2 DSP JUP PKP2 RYR2 TGFB3 TMEM43	APOB LDLR LDLRAP1 PCSK9
		CACNA2D1 KCNJ8	ANK2		ANKRD1 BAG3 LDB3 MYBPC3 MYLK2 MYO22 NEXN RYR2 VCL	CAV3 DSC2 DSP FHL1 FHL2 GLA LAMP2 MYL2 MYL3 NEBL PKP2 PLN PRKAG2 TTR	FBN2 MYH11 MYLK SMAD3	TTN	

# Referral



Ask the forensic pathologist to think of:  
What I'm I looking for?  
Indicate which set of genes to screen for.  
Collaboration with Clinical geneticist/  
cardiologist?  
Consequence for relatives? – legislation?

# Sample material, target enrichment and sequencing

- Blood from the heart, femoral vein (Forensic toxicology) or heart muscle
- QC prior to target enrichment
  - Nanodrop: 260/230 ( $>1.4$ ), 260/280 ( $>1.7$ ) – ratios
  - Tapestation: – “minor smearing” below 2.5 kb
  - Qubit for quantification
- HaloPlex target enrichment and amplification for sequence capture
- MiSeq for massive parallel sequencing using of sudden cardiac genes 10 bp flanking



## MiSeq

4-6 samples multiplexed

MiSeq Reagent Kit v2, 300 cycles or

MiSeq Reagent Kit v3, 300 cycles

Cluster density 1000 000 - 1400 000 clusters/mm<sup>2</sup>.

# Bioinformatic pipeline

## Variant classification

- >99% have a coverage of >20x
- Genetic variants with an allele freq <0.02 in dbSNP is checked for pathogenicity in dbSNP and the public domain of HGMD – Human Gene Mutation Database.
- Genetic variants with an allele freq <0.001 in dbSNP or exome variant server is determined for predicted pathogenicity using conservation, PROVEAN, SIFT, MutationTaster and recently also polyphen.
  - Only high priority genes!
- Splice and stop always reported - if not common or close to 3'-end (50 bp – depending on gene size).
  - Both high and low priority genes.

# Results from the genotyping

We have gotten referrals from all six Dept of Forensic Medicine in Sweden. About 1 referral each week.

In total 41 referrals so far:

- 32 finished and 9 on-going.
- Age range 0-41 years.

Results (of the 32)

- 6 individuals with pathogenic variants
- 8 individuals with probably pathogenic variants (predicted)
- Including genes: LDB3, KCNH2, KCNQ1, TNNC1 and others
- Associated with Long QT, ARVC, HCM, etc



# Conclusions

- NGS works excellently for screening for genetic variants. Even in "not too decomposed" material.
- Genetic information in SUD cases can be useful in getting a basis for considering SCD.

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**Thank you for listening!**

# **Population Genetics of 17 Y-STR Markers in Turkish Cypriots from Cyprus**

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***ISFG ESWG Meeting in Athens, May 30, 2014***





# Outline

1. Cyprus & Turkish Cypriots
2. Committee on Missing Persons in Cyprus
2. Turkish Cypriot DNA Laboratory
3. Y-STR Genetics of Turkish Cypriots
5. Acknowledgements



# Cyprus

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- Third largest island in the Mediterranean Sea
  - Situated at the crossroads of civilizations
  - Earliest human activity dates back to 12,000 years ago
  - Rich cultural heritage and ethnic composition:  
*Greek Cypriots, Turkish Cypriots, Maronites, Armenians & Latins*
    - \* Independent since 1960
    - \* Divided since 1974
    - \* Member of E.U. since 2004
- 





# Turkish Cypriots

- First historical appearance upon Ottoman conquest of Cyprus (1571)
- Individuals trace their origins to:
  - (a) Ottoman officers & soldiers stationed in Cyprus*
  - (b) Settlers from around the Ottoman Empire*
  - (c) Forced exiles from the Karaman region in Anatolia*
  - (d) Converts from Greek Cypriots & Latins*
  - A combination of all with unknown actual proportions*
- Today, the second largest ethnic community on the island
- Traditionally lived all over the island
- Largely moved to/concentrated in North Cyprus since 1974
- 2006 census by the Turkish Cypriot authorities suggest:
  - (a) de jure population: 256,644*
  - (b) born in Cyprus: 148,542*
  - (c) both parents born in Cyprus: 120,007*

# Committee on Missing Persons (CMP) in Cyprus



- Established in 1981 as a bi-communal body
- 1 TC Member, 1 GC Member & 3<sup>rd</sup> member selected by ICRC & appointed by UN SG
- Recovery, identification & return to families the remains of Cypriots that went missing during the inter-communal fighting of 1963/1964 and the events of 1974

*493 Turkish Cypriots & 1508 Greek Cypriots*

*<http://www.cmp-cyprus.org/>*



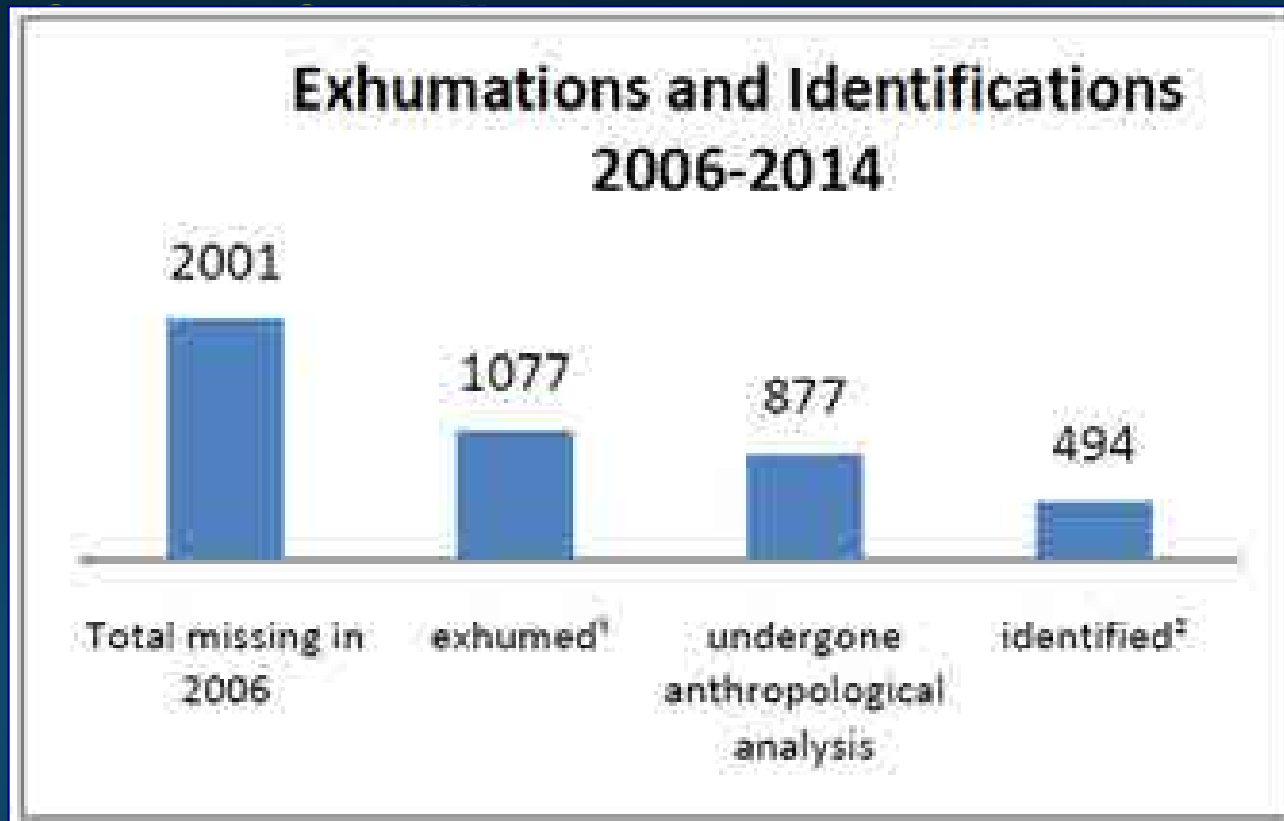


# The CMP Project & Current Contributors

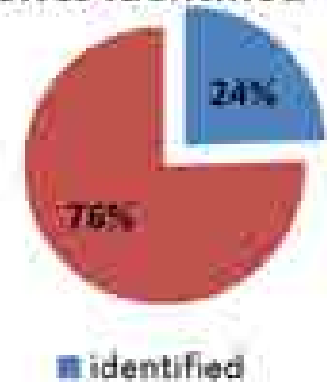
## Current Contributors:

- > **CMP Bi-communal Forensic Team**  
*(local archaeologists, anthropologists & geneticists)*
- > **Turkish Cypriot DNA Laboratory (TCDL)**  
*(TC FRS DNA typing & TC pop studies)*
- > **Greek Cypriot DNA Laboratory (CING LabFoG)**  
*(GC FRS DNA typing & GC pop studies)*
- > **International Commission on Missing Persons (ICMP)**  
*(skeletal/dental DNA typing & matching w/ FRS data)*

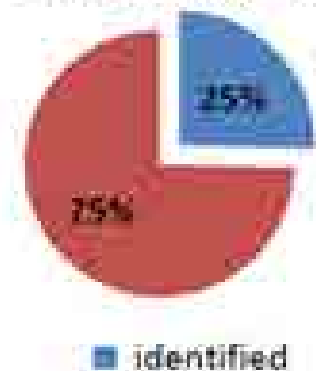
# The CMP Project & Current Contributors



**Percentage of GKC's identified**



**Percentage of TKCs identified**



*Figures taken from the CMP website (30 April 2014)*



# Turkish Cypriot DNA Laboratory (TCDL)

- Set up in late 2005 to contribute to the CMP Project
- Operates under the CMP Turkish Cypriot Member Office
- TC FRS Sample Bank of 1,100+ relatives
- All nSTR/ySTR profiling at TCDL since the summer of 2012  
*(Initial nSTR/ySTR/mtDNA analyses were @ CING LabFoG)*
- Also responsible for conducting TC population studies
- TC Population Sample Bank of 600+ volunteers  
*~ 600/120,000 (~0.5% coverage of all TC's w/ Cypriot parents)*



# Turkish Cypriot Y-STR Population Study

1. Sample collection from 253 healthy, unrelated volunteers along with informed consent
2. Volunteers aged 18 & above, with at least their father also born in Cyprus  
*(i.e., all are descendants from the pre-1974 TC population)*
3. Each Y-STR haplotype is assigned to a traditional geographic location in Cyprus



# Turkish Cypriot Y-STR Population Study

*Findings recently published in  
Forensic Science International: Genetics 10 (2014) e1-e3.*



*First ever Y-STR dataset from Cyprus in the literature*



# Turkish Cypriot Y-STR Population Study

## Major Findings - I: *TC haplotype / gene diversity*

1. Among 253 haplotypes (Ht's),  
*229 different Ht's (Discrimination Capacity, DC: 90.51%)*  
*206 unique (81.42%), 22 in duplicate & 1 in triplicate*
2. 7 out of the 22 Ht pairs in duplicate, 1 pair in the triplicate also shared the same traditional geographic origin  
*(i.e. apparently not closely related, but shared paternal lineage)*
3. Most common Ht (1.19%) never been reported before  
*(@YHRD, ~56,000 Ht's as of 22 August 2013)*
4. Calculated haplotype diversity (HD) is 0.9992 (exc. Dys385a/b)
5. Calculated av. gene diversity (GD) is 0.6429 (exc. Dys385a/b)



# Turkish Cypriot Y-STR Population Study

## Major Findings - II: *Allelic variants observed*

1. No locus duplications/null alleles were observed
2. 43 allelic variants based on observed fragment sizes
  - (a) 25x Dys458\*.2 variants (*in ~10% of all Ht's*)
    - > *associated with the Y-haplogroup J1 (Middle East)*
    - > 8.2% in N. Greece, 16.8% in Cukurova, TR, 4.5% in Italy
  - (b) various other allelic variants @ 8 different loci
    - > 1 novel never reported before: Dys438\*9.4
    - > 1 variant reported once before in Brasil: Dys458\*14.3
    - > Both fully characterized by sequencing @ NIST

*Allelic variants are powerful tools for pop genetics/forensics*

# Turkish Cypriot Y-STR Population Study

## Major Findings - III: AMOVA using YHRD online tool

Table S3. Pairwise genetic distance matrix based on the  $\Phi_{st}$  values between the Turkish Cypriot population and neighboring/distant populations

Population	AuAbo	TrCAr	PsArb	Lithu	GrNrt	TrSEA	TwPwn	TrCkr	Egypt	Italy	TrCyp
AuAbo	-	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
TrCAr	0.2101	-	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
PsArb	0.1527	0.1721	-	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Lithu	0.1025	0.2860	0.2212	-	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
GrNrt	0.1272	0.1033	0.1268	0.1399	-	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
TrSEA	0.0996	0.0427	0.0562	0.1180	0.0324	-	0.0000	<b>0.1127</b>	0.0004	0.0000	<b>0.0776</b>
TwPwn	0.3663	0.4990	0.4691	0.4621	0.4273	0.4382	-	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
TrCkr	0.0702	0.0326	0.0897	0.0945	0.0255	0.0086	0.3735	-	0.0000	0.0000	<b>0.0002</b>
Egypt	0.1352	0.1438	0.0491	0.1566	0.0458	0.0246	0.4200	0.0441	-	0.0000	0.0000
Italy	0.0444	0.1686	0.1193	0.1186	0.0712	0.0514	0.3708	0.0277	0.0673	-	0.0000
TrCyp	0.1203	0.0492	0.0645	0.1507	<b>0.0189</b>	<b>0.0064</b>	0.4118	<b>0.0150</b>	<b>0.0229</b>	0.0644	-

*P* values are shown above and the  $\Phi_{st}$  values below the diagonal.

*P* values in bold and italics represent statistically insignificant differences before and after applying the Bonferroni correction, respectively.

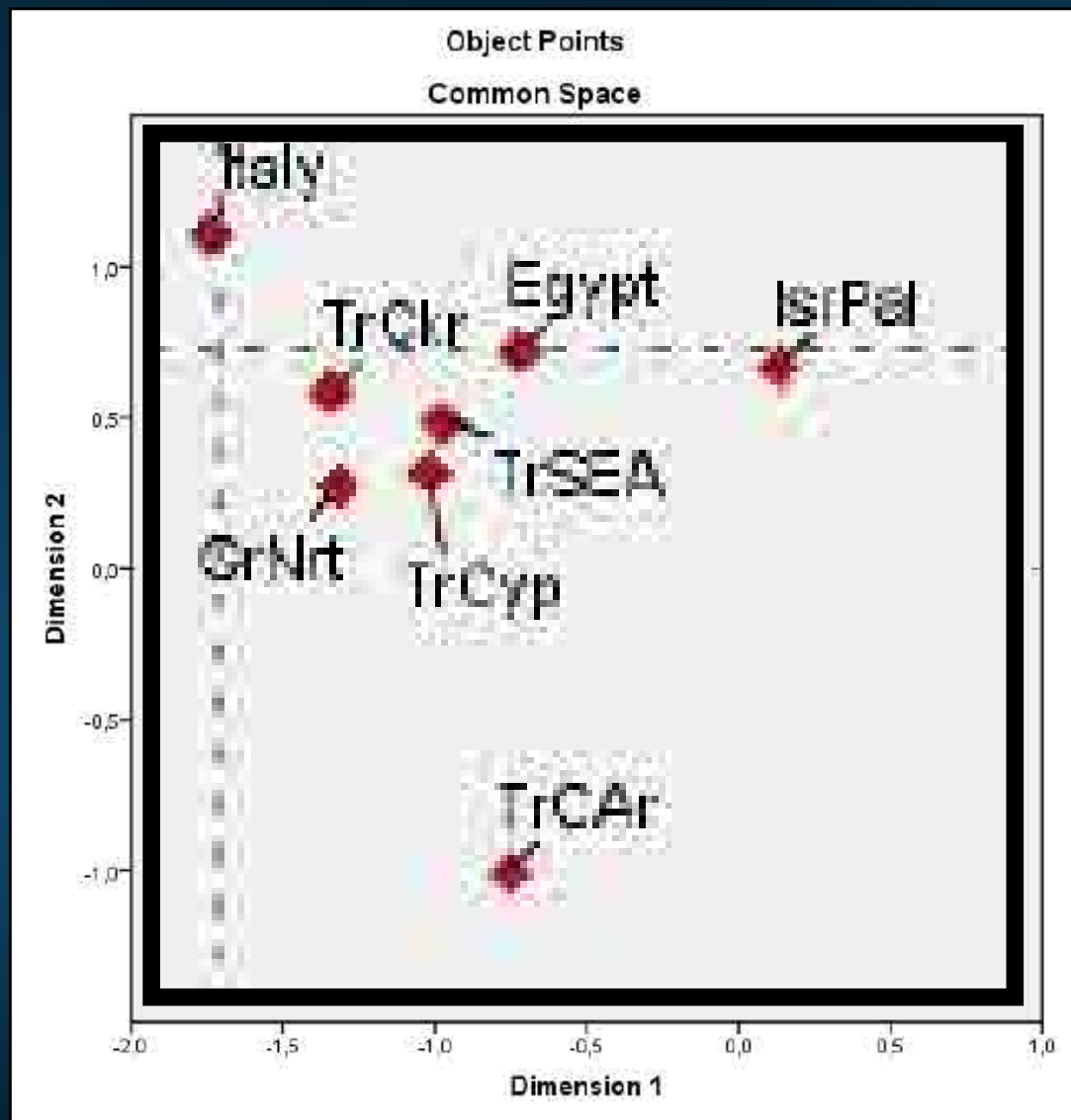
The level of significance is  $p < 0.01$  and  $p < 0.00018$  before and after the Bonferroni correction, respectively.

**Populations for comparisons largely selected based on the availability of similar datasets from nearby populations**

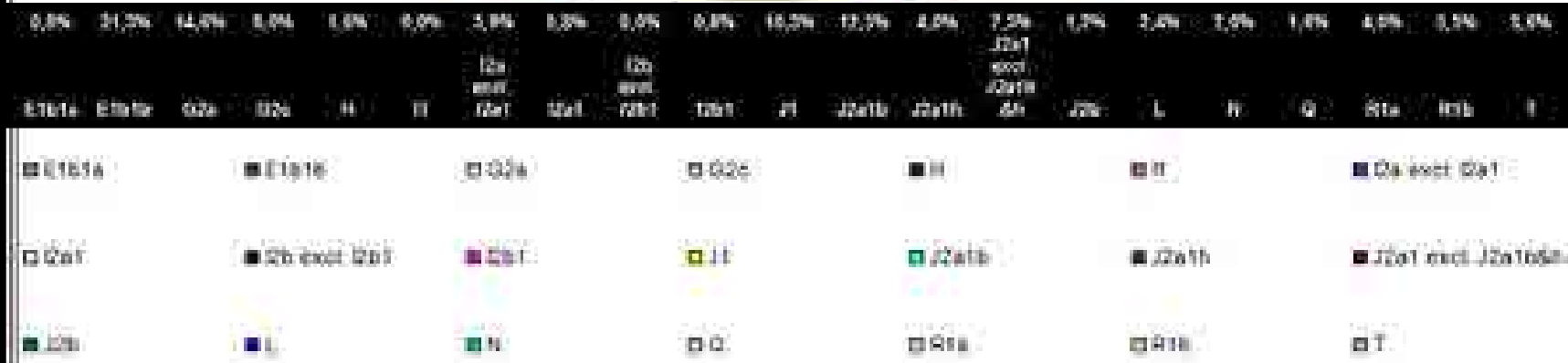


# Turkish Cypriot Y-STR Population Study

## Major Findings - IV: *2-D MDS plot of AMOVA results*



## Y-haplogroup predictions based on the Y-STR data ( $n = 253$ )



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# “Sonoda-Tajima” collection

RIKEN BIOSOURCE CENTER CELL BANK	
Sonoda-Tajima Collection: EBV-Transformed B cell lines derived from Mestizo/Latino Minority Groups in South America (RBC)	
<a href="#">Home</a> <a href="#">About</a> <a href="#">Home-PR cell lines (PDF)</a> <a href="#">Silver PR cell lines (PDF)</a> <a href="#">Animal ES cell lines including various transformed ES cell lines and primary stem cell lines (PDF)</a> <a href="#">Cell lines derived from human and other animals (PDF)</a> <a href="#">EBV-transformed B cell lines derived from Japanese (PDF)</a> <a href="#">Sonoda-Tajima Collection: EBV-transformed B cell lines derived from various Latino species (RBC)</a> <a href="#">Otsu Collection: EBV-transformed B cell lines and primary fibroblasts derived from B-type syndrome patients (PDF)</a> <a href="#">Cord Blood Stem Cells (PDF)</a> <a href="#">Microbial Stem Cells (PDF)</a>	<p>We provide with B cell lines derived from various individuals around the world. In particular, this collection contains many cell lines derived from mestizo/Latino minority living at South America. Those B cell lines have been transformed by Epstein-Barr Virus. In addition to cell material itself, we provide with information relating to age, sex and living area of the individual who donated source cells.</p> <p><b>Migration of Prehistoric Human History</b></p>  <p>Dr. Tajima Tetsuo (Riken Cell Bank Center)</p> <p><b>Important information:</b></p> <p>The RECIPIENT must obtain an approval of the Institutional Review Board or Institutional Ethical Committee prior to entering the AGREEMENT with the RIKEN BSC, since this collection contains the cells derived from very minor populations. When the RECIPIENT orders the cells in this collection, the RIKEN BSC urges the RECIPIENT to send the copy of the approval document by the Institutional Review Board or the Institutional Ethical Committee.</p>

# “Sonoda-Tajima” collection



Totally more than 3,500 of blood samples from a variety of ethnic minorities across the world, especially about 2,500 samples from South America,

To study on phylogenetical classification of HTLV-I, and -II

They concluded that ancestors of the Amerind populations carried HTLV-I and -II into the South American continent from the Eurasian continent over 10,000 years ago, and that the indigenous South American populations could be divided into two major ethnic groups.

# **“Sonoda-Tajima” collection**

**Donation of the all of these blood samples to RBC in RIKEN, Japan**

**Unliked Anonymization of all of these blood samples**

**Except the information about**

**Age, Sex, Ethnicity, Collection site**

**Establishment of the cell lines transformed by B-lymphoid cells using the Epstein–Barr (EB) virus (B-LCLs)**

**About 500 B-LCLs originated from South America**

**DNA extracted from first cultivated B-LCLs**



# DNA samples

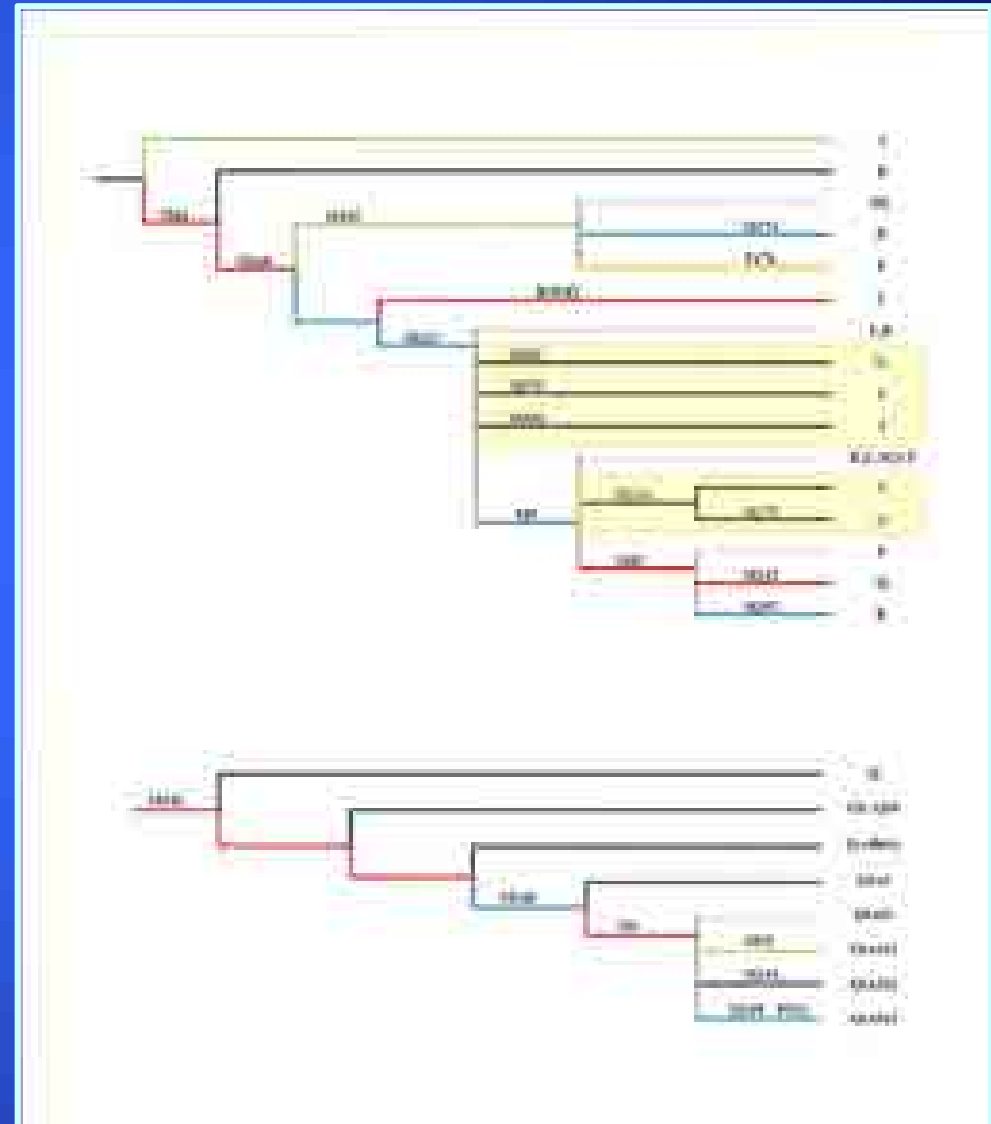
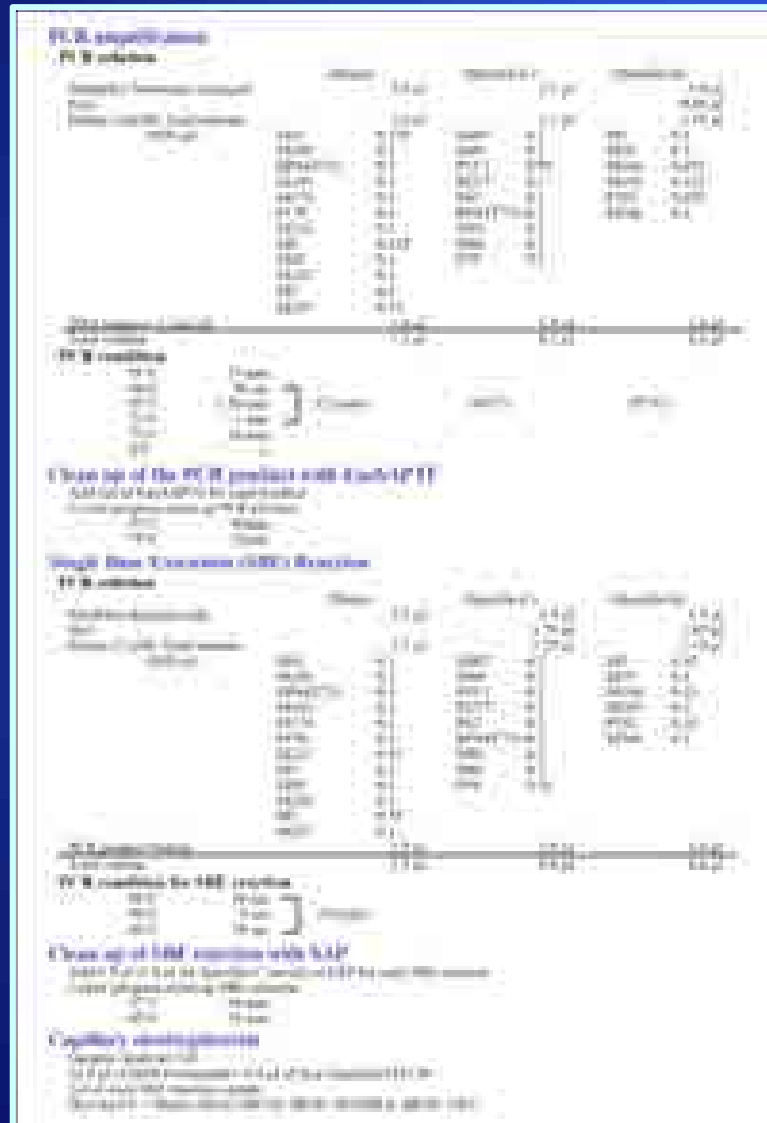


Tribe	Nation	Tribe	Sample
No.		Name	(n)
1	Columbia	Wayuu	3
2		Guahibo	9
3		Ticuna	6
4		Matapi	1
5		Cumbal	4
6		Inga	4
7		Kamsa	3
8	Venezuela	Sanuma	14
9		Ye'Kuana	6
10		Piaroa	12
11	Ecuador	Canar	7
12		Saraguro	7
13	Peru	Aymara	8
14	Bolivia	Aymara	15
15		Chipaya	5
16		Quechua	15
17	Argentina	Puna	7
18	Paraguay	Chaco-Lengua	19
19		Chaco-Nivacle	8
20		Chaco-Sanapanana	1
21	Chile	Huilliche	5
22		Mapuche	26
23		Atacama	14
	Missing etc.		5
	Total		204



# Y-haplogrouping

- Experimental procedure & Flow chart of haplogrouping -



# Y-haplogrouping

## - Primers for multiplex PCR (Major & Specific-Q & -C) -

SNP	Branch	Forward Primer (5'-3')	bp	Reverse Primer (5'-3')	bp	Template (bp)	SNP	conc (μM)
<b>Major</b>								
M42	B-T	GAGGGAGATAACTTGTGTCAG	21	GCAAGTTAAGTCACCAGCTC	20	92	A/T	0.35
M168	C-T	TGTTTTGCAGAGAGCTTGA	20	TGACTGTTCAGTTTTATTCCACAAA	25	150	C/T	0.28
M213	F-T	GGCCATATAAAAAACGACGCA	20	TGAATGGCAAATTGATTCCA	20	208	T/C	0.28
RPS4Y711	C	GATTTTGTGGGTGGTGGTC	20	TGGCCAGCCTCTTATCTCTC	20	217	C/T	0.28
M145	DE*	GCATACTTGCTCCACGACT	20	CCAGGAGCTCACAGTCACAA	20	173	G/A	0.28
M174	D	TTCTCCGTCACAGCAAAAATG	21	ATGCAAAAGGAGAAGGACAAGA	22	186	T/C	0.28
P170	E	CCTCTGTGCCTCTTTCAGA	20	ACAGCAGCAAGCAGGTCCTT	20	243	G/A	0.28
M9	K-T	GCAGCATATAAACTTTCAGG	21	AAAACCTAACTTTGCTCAAGC	21	340	C/G	0.35
M45	P*	GAGAGAGGATATCAAAAATTGG	22	TAGCTTACAACACAAGGATTC	21	229	G/A	0.28
M242	Q	TACGGCATAGAAAGTTTGTG	20	GAACAACCTCTGAAGCGGTGG	20	133	C/T	0.28
M3	Q	AGGGCATCTTTCATTTAGG	20	GTGGATTGCTTTGTAGTAGG	21	156	G/A	0.28
M207	R	CTATGGGGCAAATGTAAGTC	20	TGAAGGAAAAGTGGAGTCTG	20	129	A/G	0.42
<b>Specific-C</b>								
M407	C3d	TACTGAAAGTTGGGACAGTC	21	GTGATAATCGCTTGTCCTTG	21	113	A/G	0.28
M48	C3c	TCCCTTCCACTCTTAGCTTGA	21	CAATGTAAATGTTAGTATAAGGATG	25	123	A/G	0.56
P53.1	C3e	AGATGTCACCTTCCGTCTATG	21	TTACACTATGAACCAATCCAC	22	155	T/C	0.14
M217	C3*	CTCCAAAATCCTCTCGTACAG	21	TGCTGTGGCTTTTCATCAAAATA	22	168	A/C	0.28
P62	C3f	TTGCCCTTCTTCGAACTCC	20	TAACAGTCCCCACCAGGAAG	20	194	-(T)/G	0.28
RPS4Y711	C	GATTTTGTGGGTGGTGGTC	20	TGGCCAGCCTCTTATCTCTC	20	217	C/T	0.56
M93	C3a	GAGGCAGGAGAATCACTTCAA	21	CTGGCTGAAAAAGATAATGGTG	22	244	C/T	0.28
M86	C3c	ATTTGCTACATACATCTAAGGTC	23	GCCACATTCCACGGGGTTC	19	250	T/G	0.28
P39	C3b	AAACCTGTCTCTATGAAATAC	22	TTCTGTGAATTACAACCAAGGCT	22	263	G/A	0.28
<b>Specific-Q</b>								
M3	Q	AGGGCATCTTTCATTTAGG	20	GTGGATTGCTTTGTAGTAGG	21	156	G/A	0.29
M19	Q1a3a1	GTTGCTGGTTGTTACGGGGT	20	CCACAACTGATGTAGAGAC	20	115	T/A	0.29
P292	Q1a3a3	ATTCCAGTCATGATGAGGTGG	21	ATGCCGTTTGCCTAGGTTAG	20	134	-(T)/G	0.22
M194	Q1a3a2	GCCTGGATGAGGAAGTGAG	19	ATACAGTCGTTGCCTTCTCG	20	128	T/C	0.22
M199	Q1a3a3	CCTGGTTGGATTCTGGTCTT	20	TGATTTCAGGATTGTTAGTCTT	24	196	-(C)/G	0.37
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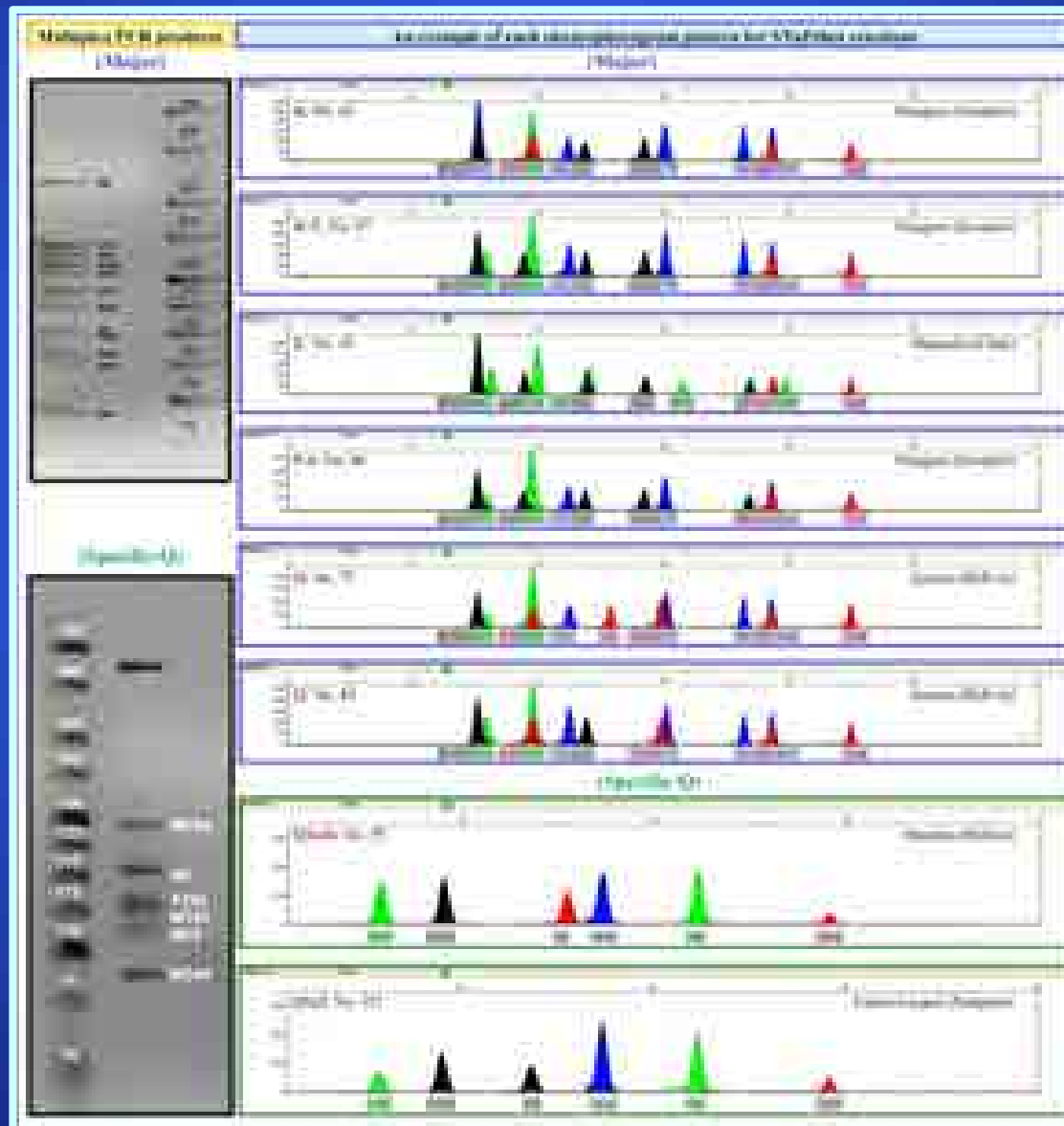
# Y-haplogrouping

## - Primers for multiplex SNaP shot reaction (Major & Specific-Q & -C) -

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<b>Major</b>						
RPS4Y711	GGCAATAAACCTTGGATTTC	20	Forward	✓	0.28	black/red
M207	ATGTAAAGTCAAGCAAGAAATTTA	23	Forward	✓	0.09	blue/green
M45	TCTGACAA CAGAAAGGAGCTTTTGC	25	Reverse	✓	0.28	black/red
M174	CTGACAA GCACCCCTCACTTCTGCACT	27	Reverse	✓	0.09	green/blue
M3	GTGAAAGTCTGACAA CACCTCTGGGACTGA	30	Reverse	✓	0.33	black/red
M213	AAGTCTGACAA GAACCTTAAACATCTCGTTAC	32	Reverse	✓	0.14	green/blue
M242	ACGTCGTGAAAGTCTGACAA GGTGACCAAGGTGCT	35	Forward	✓	0.09	black/red
P170	CGTCGTGAAAGTCTGACAA TTTCTTTGGCAAACTGA	37	Forward	✓	0.28	blue/green
M9	GGTGCCACGTCGTGAAAGTCTGACAA GCCTAAGATGGTTGAAT	43	Forward	✓	0.28	black/blue
M42	TGCCACGTCGTGAAAGTCTGACAA TCAGATTAGGACACAAAAGC	45	Forward	✓	0.09	green/red
M145	CTAGGTGCCACGTCGTGAAAGTCTGACAA GACACCAGAAAAGGAGGC	47	Forward	✓	0.09	blue/green
M168	AACTAGGTGCCACGTCGTGAAAGTCTGACAA GTATGTGTGGAAGTGAGT	50	Forward	✓	0.09	black/red
<b>Specific-C</b>						
RPS4Y711	GGCAATAAACCTTGGATTTC	20	Forward	✓	0.27	black/red
M48	CAATTAGGATTAGAATATGAT	22	Forward	✓	0.27	green/blue
P53.1	ACAA GCAGAA TCTGAACATA TCTCC	25	Forward	✓	0.09	red/black
M93	CTGACAA AAAAGCTTGGTGTGACTTGG	27	Reverse	✓	0.18	blue/green
M217	AGTCTGACAA GTATTTTCTTCTGAAAGGTT	32	Reverse	✓	0.18	red/blue
M407	CGTGAAAGTCTGACAA CTAATCAACTTCTCCTTTGG	37	Reverse	✓	0.18	red/black
P39	GCCACGTCGTGAAAGTCTGACAA CGGAGGTGGAGGTTAT	40	Forward	✓	0.14	blue/green
M86	GTGCCACGTCGTGAAAGTCTGACAA CAAAGTGGTTAACACACAAAGC	45	Forward	✓	0.18	red/blue
P62	TAGGTGCCACGTCGTGAAAGTCTGACAA TACAGCACTTCTCATGGAAGT	50	Forward	✓	0.18	red/blue
<b>Specific-Q</b>						
P292	ATGAGAAATTGCTGTACTTA	20	Reverse	✓	0.14	green/black
M199	GAAATGTTAAATGGCTTACACTTG	25	Forward	✓	0.18	black/blue
M3	GTGAAAGTCTGACAA CACCTCTGGGACTGA	30	Reverse	✓	0.32	black/red
M346	CGTGAAAGTCTGACAA AGCCAAGAGGACAGTAAGA	35	Forward	✓		blue/black
M19	GCCACGTCGTGAAAGTCTGACAA AGACATCTGAAACCCAC	40	Reverse	✓	0.09	green/red
M194	GCCACGTCGTGAAAGTCTGACAA AACATACAGGGAGTGTTTTT	45	Forward	✓	0.14	red/black

# Y-haplogrouping

- Electropherogram patterns observed in this study (Major and Specific Q) -



# Y-haplogrouping

- Allele-specific PCR -

Y-HG	marker	SNP ID	variation	PCR amplification			
				amplicon length (bps)	Anneling temp.	Primer	
						allele-specific	common
C	M130	rs35284970	C→T	108	63	GGCAATAAACCTTGGATTT <b>C</b> GGCAATAAACCTTGGATTT <b>CT</b>	TGCAATTTAGCCACTGCTC
D	M174	rs2032602	T→C	124	66	AATACCTTCTGGAGTGCC <b>C</b> AATACCTTCTGGAGTGCC <b>T</b>	GAAGGTCCTGGAGATGCAAA
<b>F to J</b> G	M201	rs2032636	G→T	154	50	AATCCAGTATCAACTGAG <b>G</b> AATCCAGTATCAACTGAG <b>T</b>	CACTAAACATCATGGTGTGA
I	M170	rs2032597	A→C	74	52	CAACCCACACTGAAAA <b>AAG</b> CAACCCACACTGAAAA <b>AAT</b>	CATATTCTGTGCATTATACAAAT
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<b>K to T</b> O	M175	rs2032678	5-bp in/del	127 122	60	CACATGCCTTCTCACTT <b>CTC</b> CACATGCCTTCTCACTT <b>CTC</b>	TGTCCAATGCTGAAAGTAAG
N	M214	rs2032674	T→C	130	61	GACACTGTCTGAAAA <b>CAACG</b> GACACTGTCTGAAAA <b>CAACA</b>	AATATATGCCTGTAAAGCATC
Q	M242	rs8179021	C→T	216	66	ACGTTAAGACCAATGCC <b>AAG</b> ACGTTAAGACCAATGCC <b>AA</b>	GTAATTGGCATCCCTTTAACT
R	M207	rs2032658	A→G	159	56	AAGTCAAGCAAGAA <b>TTTA</b> AAGTCAAGCAAGAA <b>TTAG</b>	TTTTTATTTCTAGGCTGTTC
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C3	M217	rs2032668	A→C	114	60	ATAACTTGGACTGGGT <b>TCAG</b> ATAACTTGGACTGGGT <b>TCAT</b>	TGAATGTACCTTAGACCATCC

PCR condition

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95 °C

45 sec

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45 sec

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60 sec

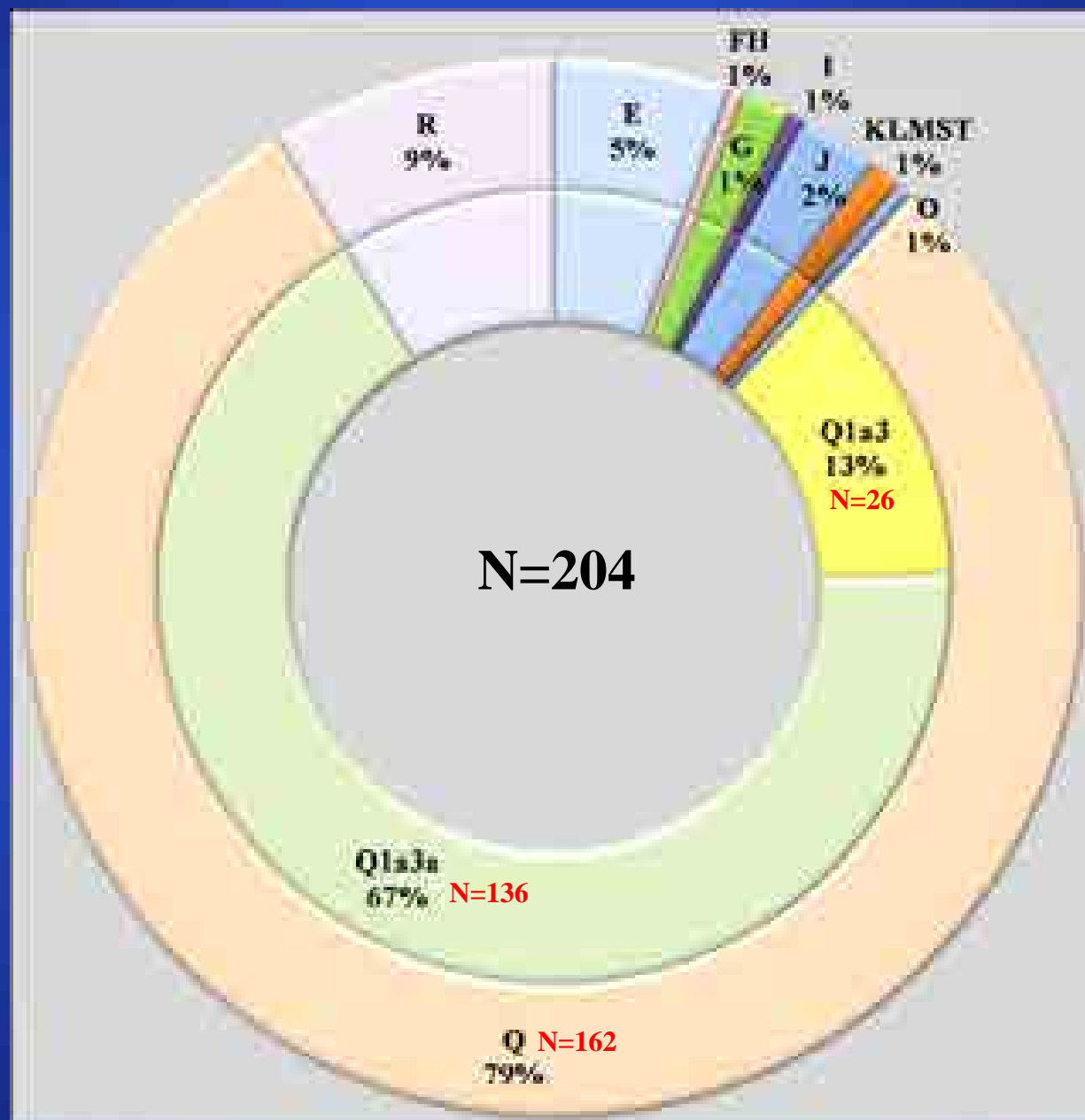
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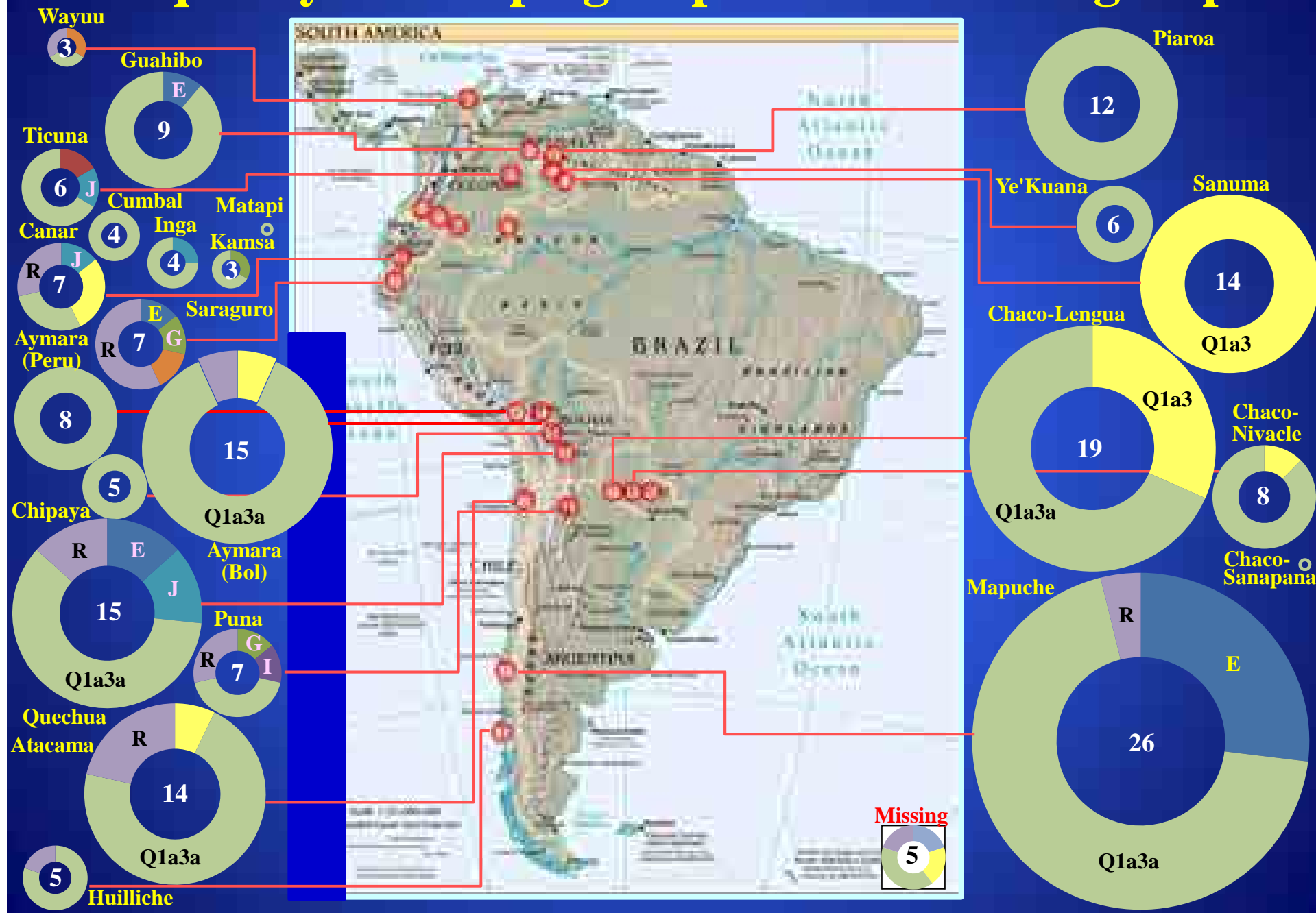


35 cycles

# Frequency of Y-haplogroups in all DNA samples



# Frequency of Y-haplogroups in each ethnic groups



# Loci included in anAmpFlSTR Yfiler kit

Locus Designation	Chromosome Location	Common Sequence Motif	Allele Range	Dye Label
DYS456	Yp11.2	(AGAT) <sub>n</sub>	13-18	6-FAM
DYS389 I	Yq11.1	(TCTG) <sub>3</sub> (TCTA) <sub>n</sub>	10-15	6-FAM
DYS390	Yq11.221	(TCTG) <sub>8</sub> (TCTA) <sub>n</sub> TCTG(TCTA) <sub>4</sub>	18-27	6-FAM
DYS389 II	Yq11.1	(TCTG) <sub>4-5</sub> (TCTA) <sub>m</sub> ... (TCTG) <sub>3</sub> (TCTA) <sub>n</sub>	24-34	6-FAM
DYS458	Yp11.2	(GAAA) <sub>n</sub>	14-20	VIC
DYS19	Yp11.2	(TAGA) <sub>3</sub> TAGG(TAGA) <sub>n</sub>	10-19	VIC
DYS385	Yq11.222	(GAAA) <sub>n</sub>	7-25	VIC
DYS393	Yp11.31	(AGAT) <sub>n</sub>	8-16	NED
DYS391	Yq11.1	(TCTA) <sub>n</sub>	7-13	NED
DYS439	Yq11.1	(GATA) <sub>n</sub> or (AGAT) <sub>n</sub>	8-15	NED
DYS635	Yq11.1	(TCTA) <sub>4</sub> (TGTA) <sub>2</sub> (TCTA) <sub>2</sub> (TGTA) <sub>2</sub> (TCTA) <sub>2</sub> (TGTA) <sub>2</sub> (TCTA) <sub>n</sub>	20-26	NED
DYS392	Yq11.222	(TAT) <sub>n</sub>	7-18	NED
H4	Yq11.221	(TAGA) <sub>n</sub>	8-13	PET
DYS437	Yq11.1	(TCTA) <sub>n</sub> (TCTG) <sub>2</sub> (TCTA) <sub>4</sub>	13-17	PET
DYS438	Yq11.21	(TTTTC) <sub>n</sub>	8-13	PET
DYS448	Yq11.223	(AGAGAT) <sub>n</sub> ATAGAGATAG(AGAGAT) <sub>3</sub> AGATAGATAGAGAA(AGAGAT) <sub>8-9</sub>	17-24	PET



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The screenshot shows the homepage of the Y Chromosome Haplotype Reference Database (YHRD). The header includes the YHRD logo and navigation links. The main content area features a large heading "WELCOME TO THE Y CHROMOSOME HAPLOTYPE REFERENCE DATABASE (YHRD)" followed by a detailed introductory paragraph. A central graphic displays the letters "XY" in a stylized font. To the right, there is a "SEARCH HERE" section with a search bar and a list of "FEATURES". The footer contains logos for the European Union, the Max Planck Society, and the Max Planck Institute of Molecular Anthropology.



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Mutation rates for DYS19 from 25 references.



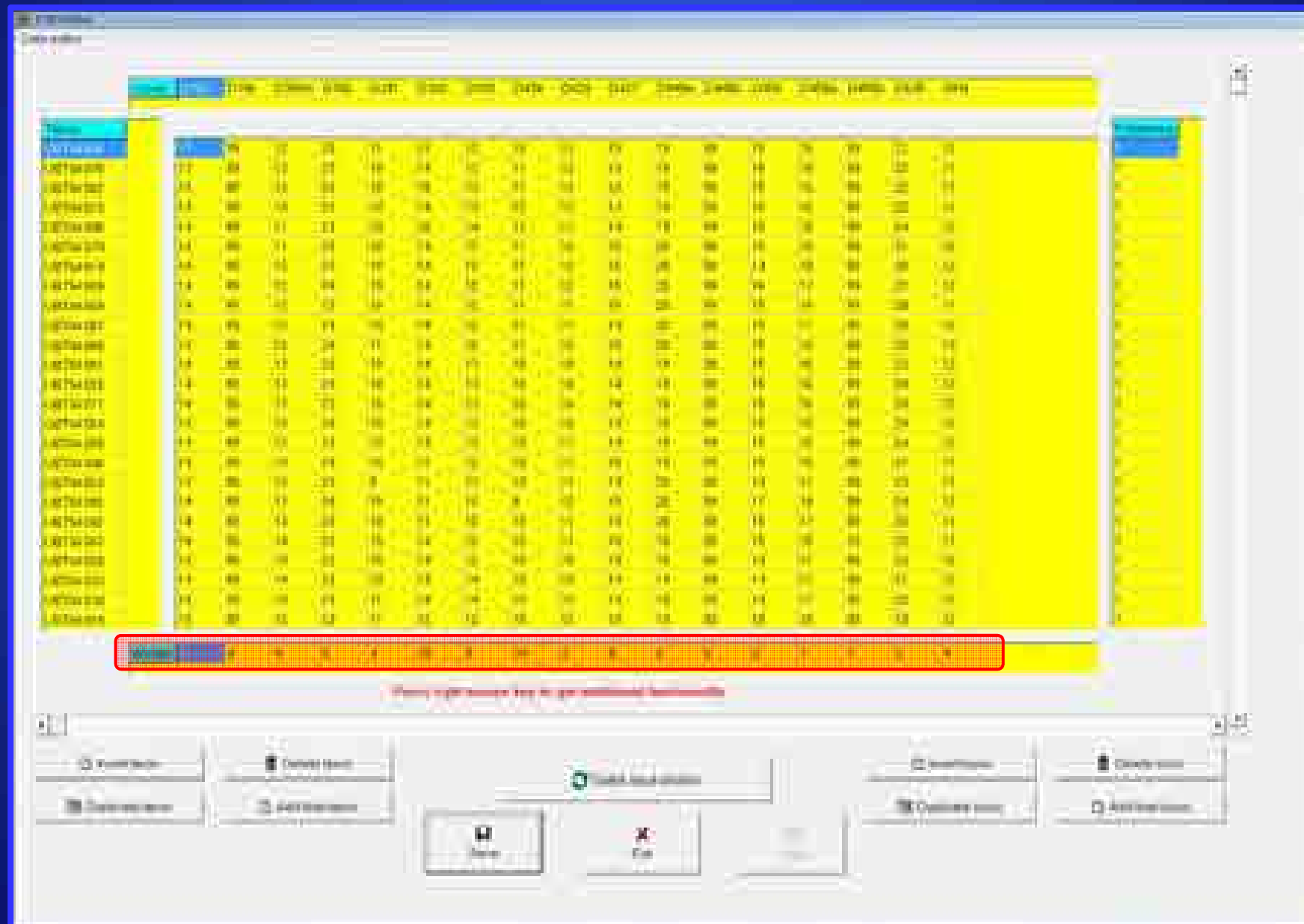
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[102] Tomic et al. 2000	10	80	$0.00008 \pm 0.00002$
[103] Berger et al. 2000	10	75	$0.000075 \pm 0.000019$
[104] Lee et al. 2002	10	100	$0.0001 \pm 0.000025$
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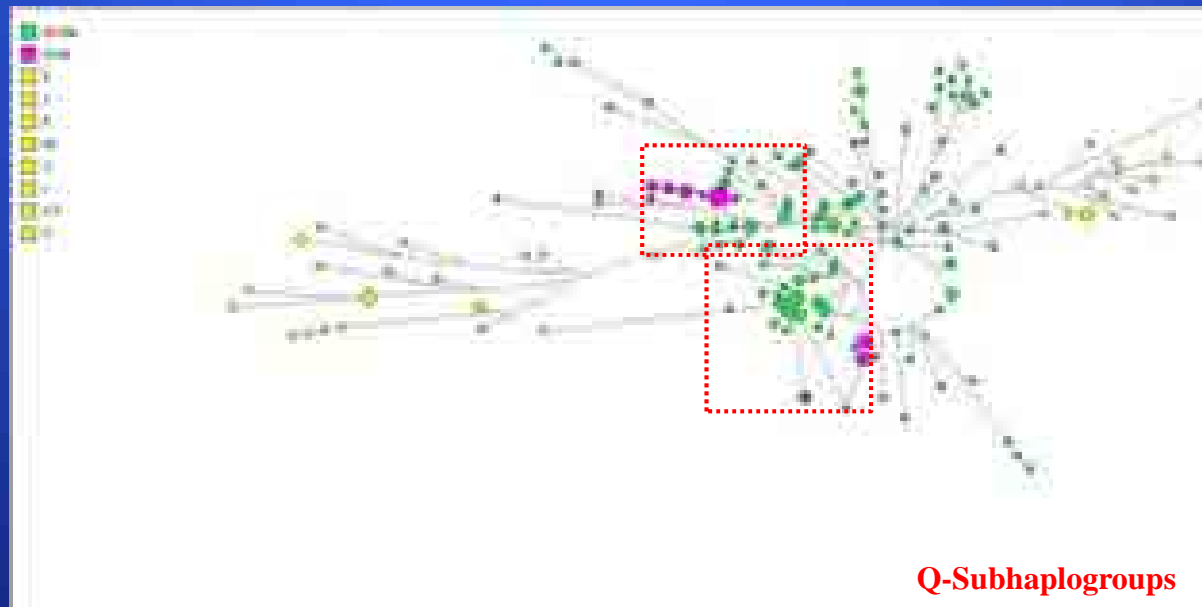
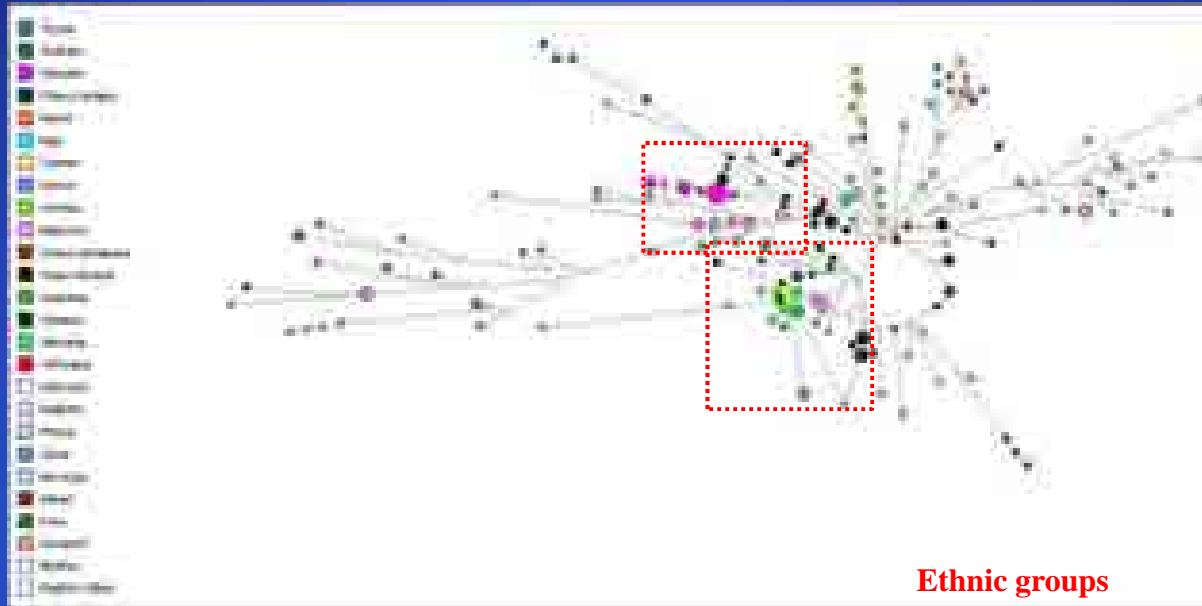
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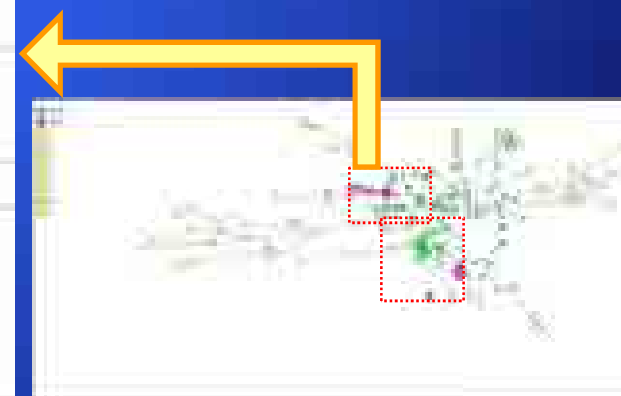
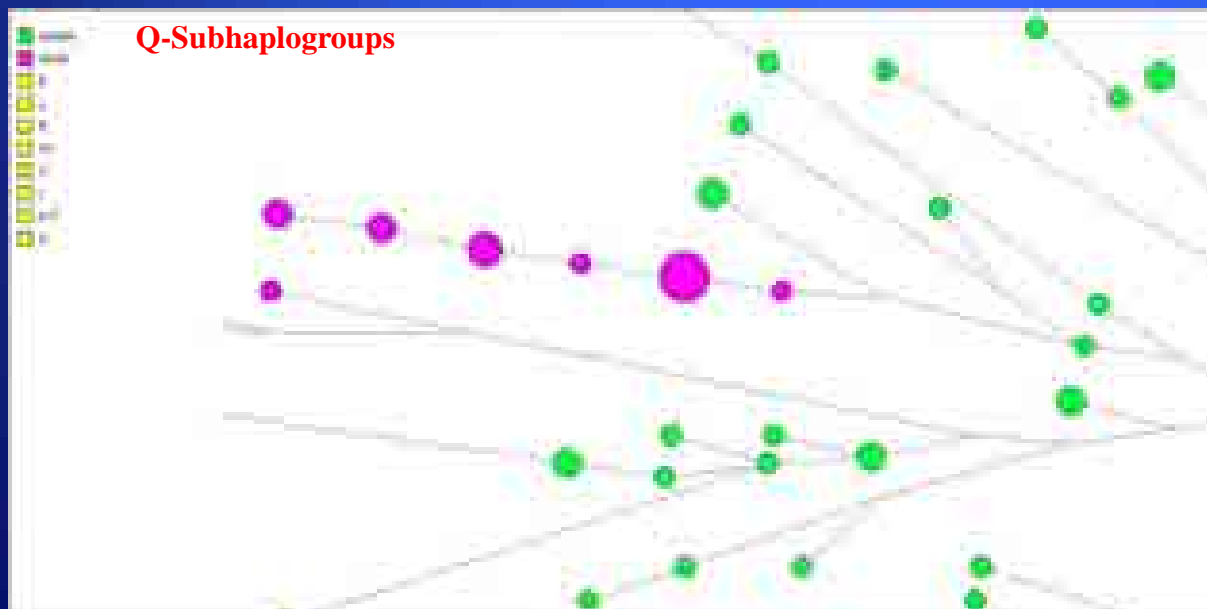
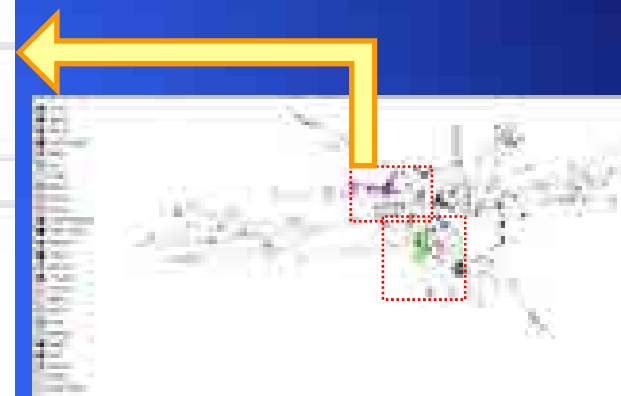
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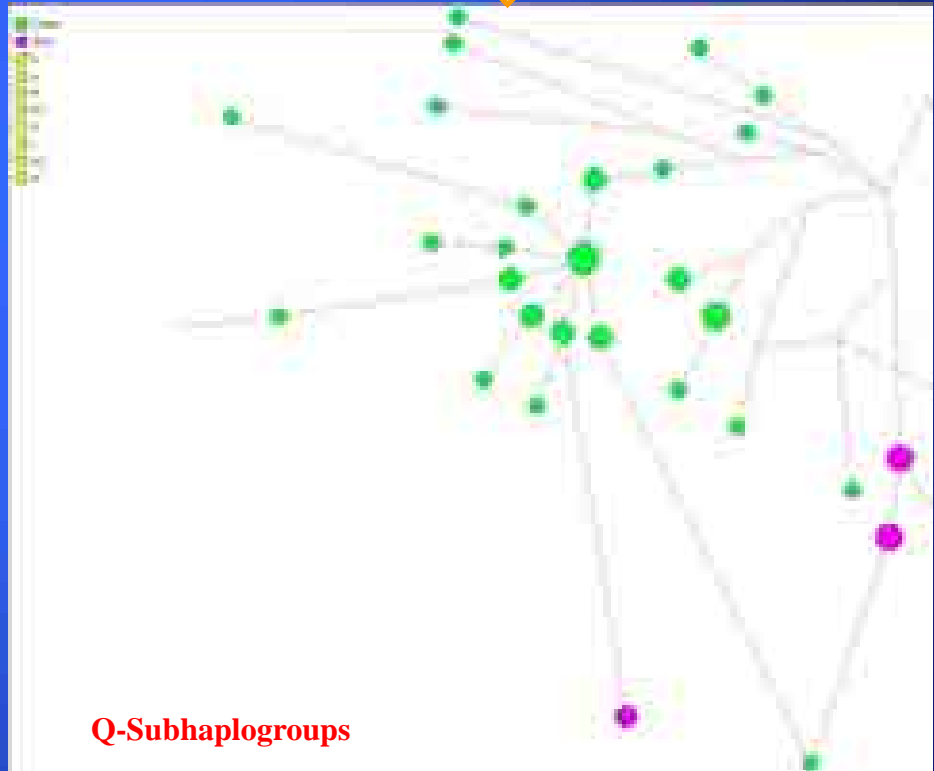
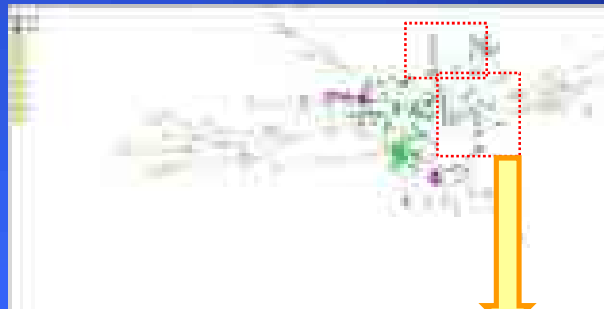
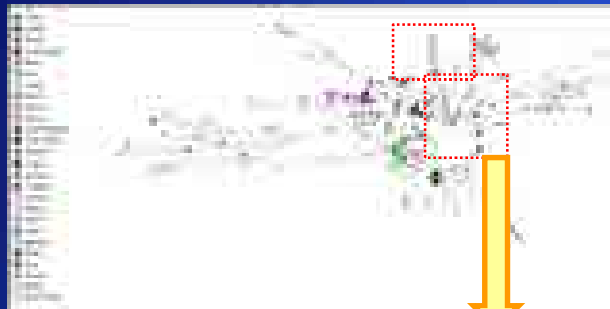
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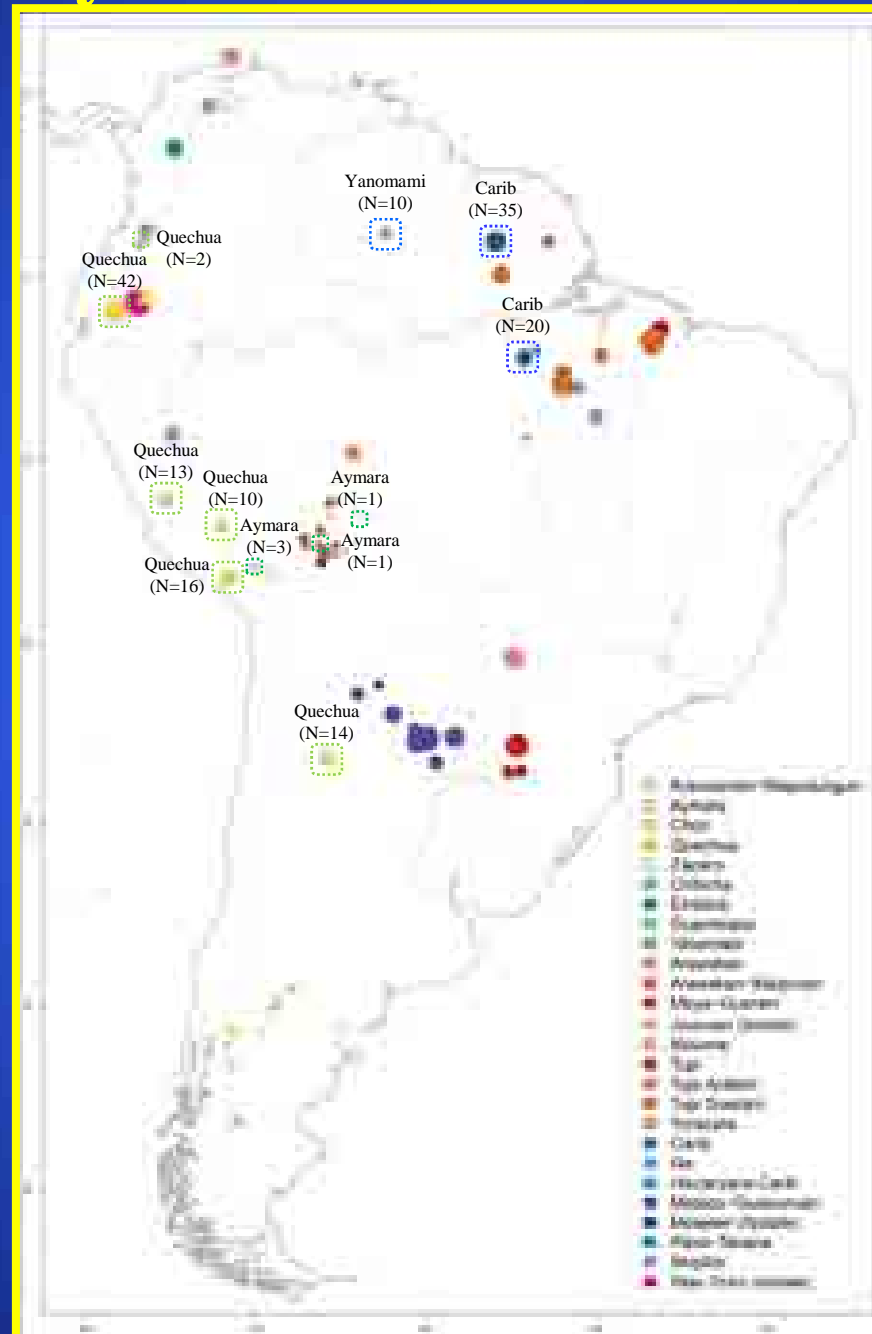
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**Gyographically close to  
Sanuma**

**Yanomami : N=10**

**Carib : N=55**

**Same language cluster as  
Andean**

**Quechua : N=97**

**Aymara : N=5**

**Total: 167**

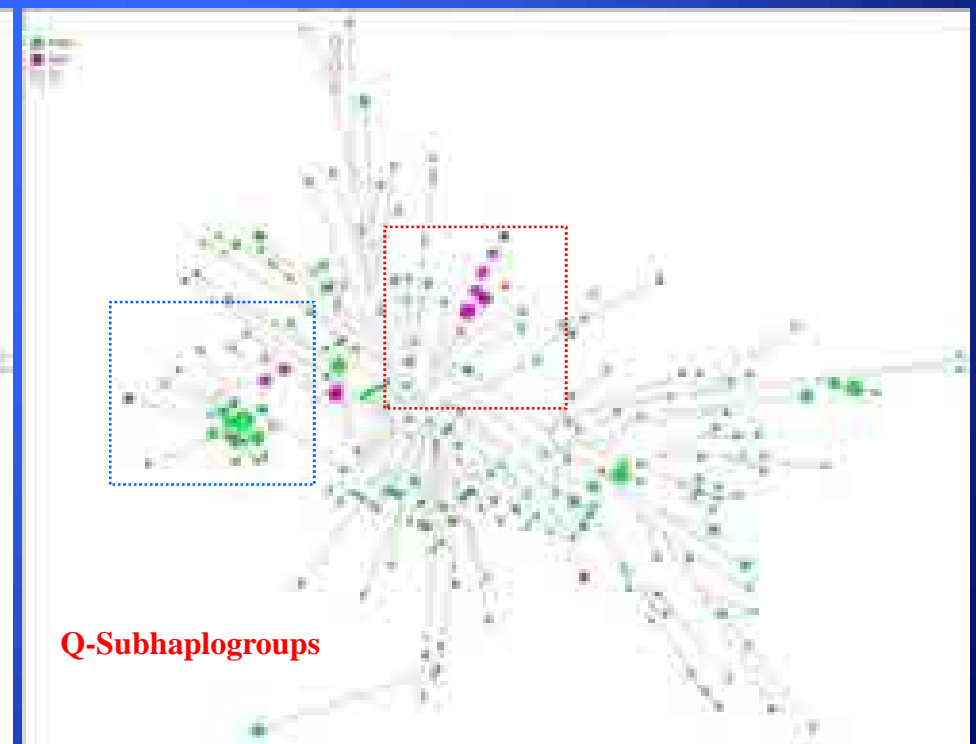
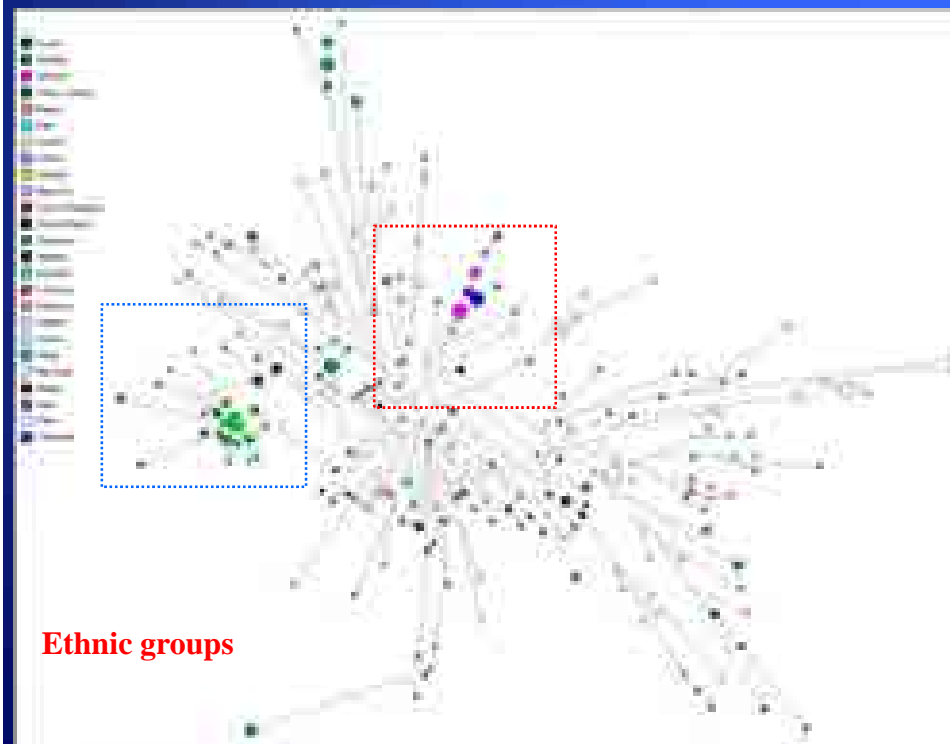
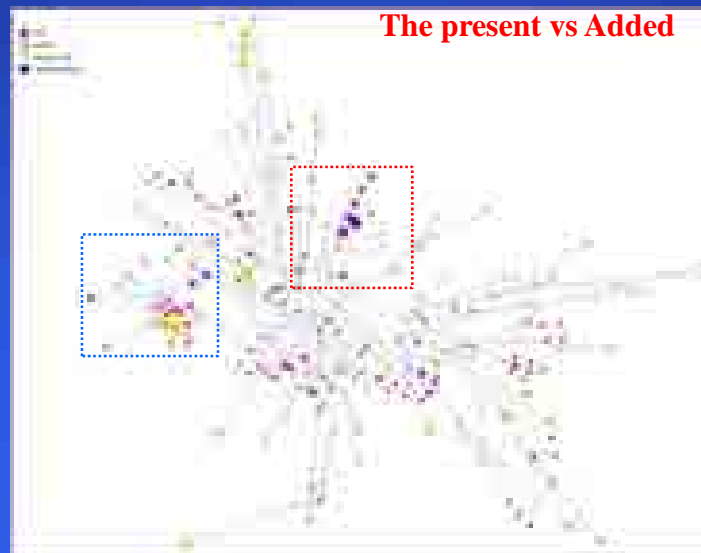
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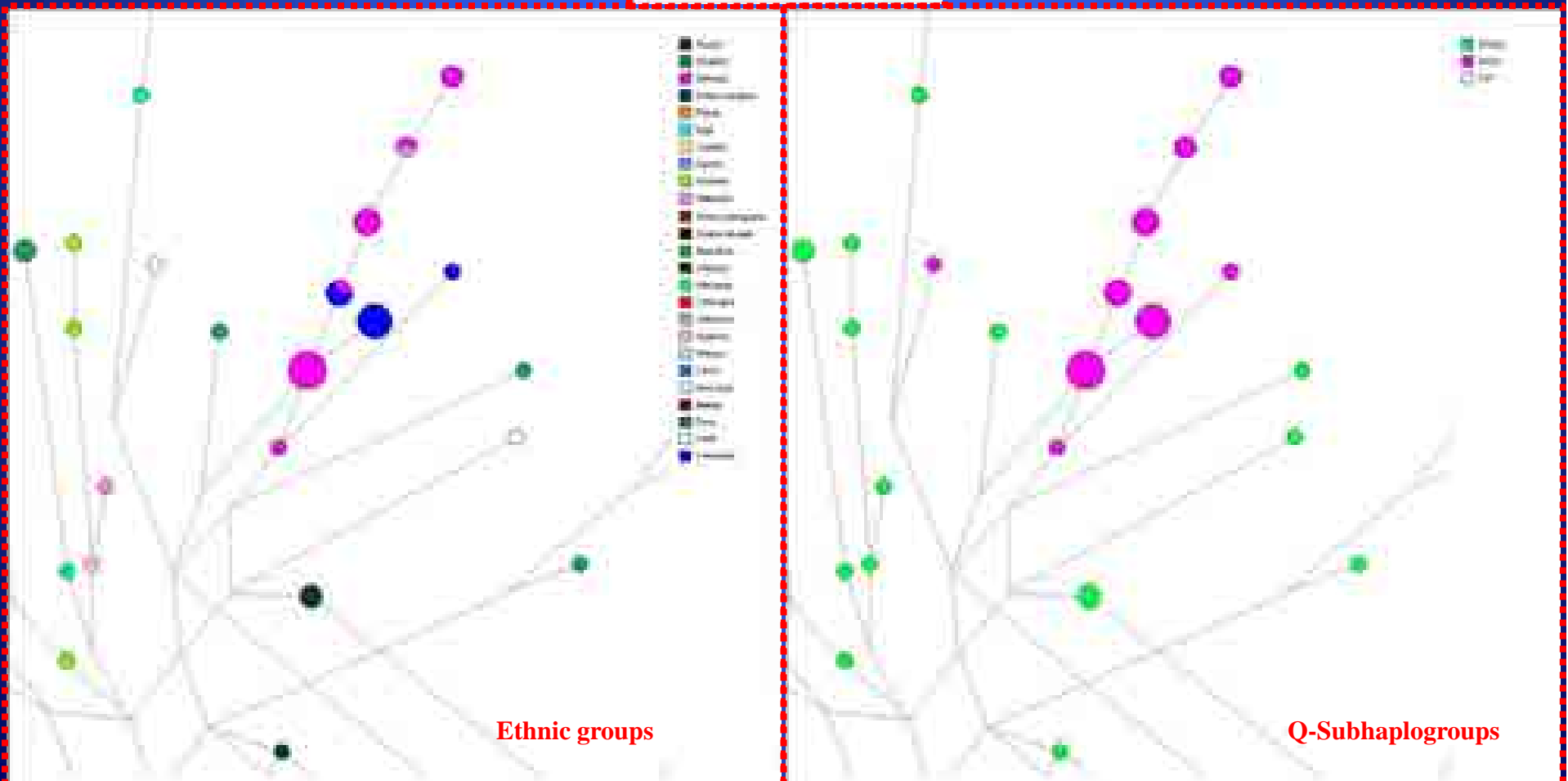
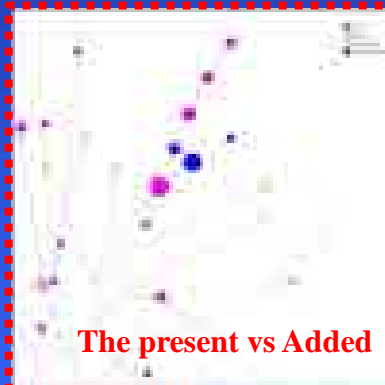
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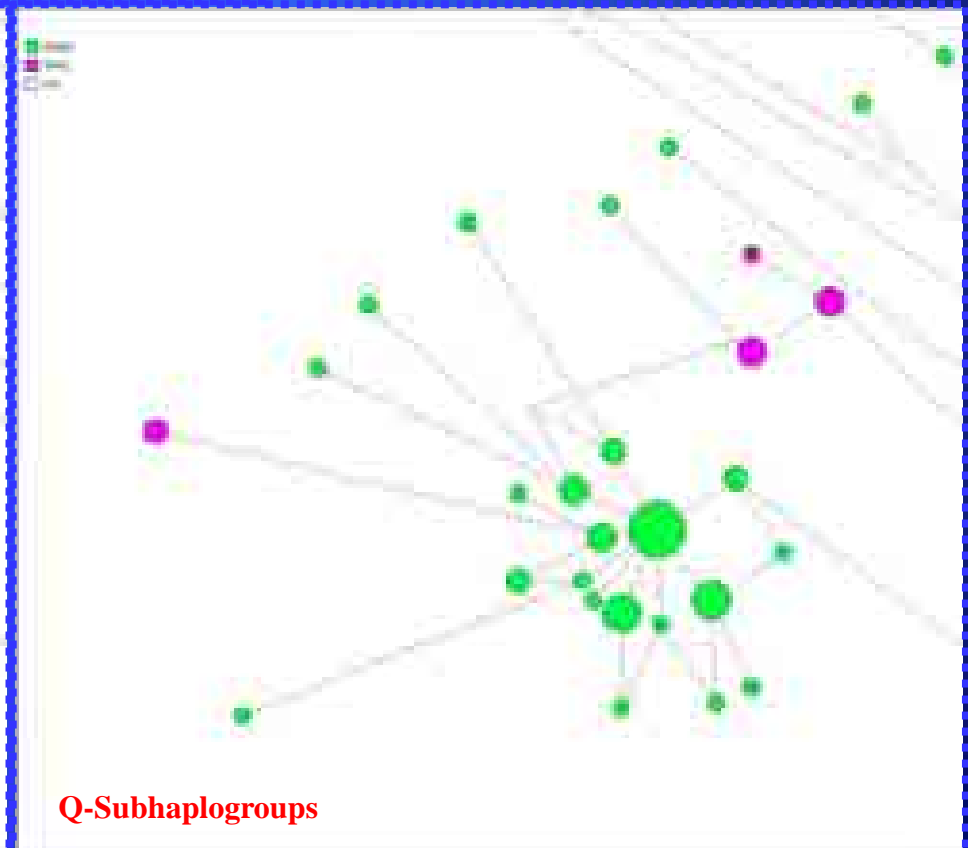
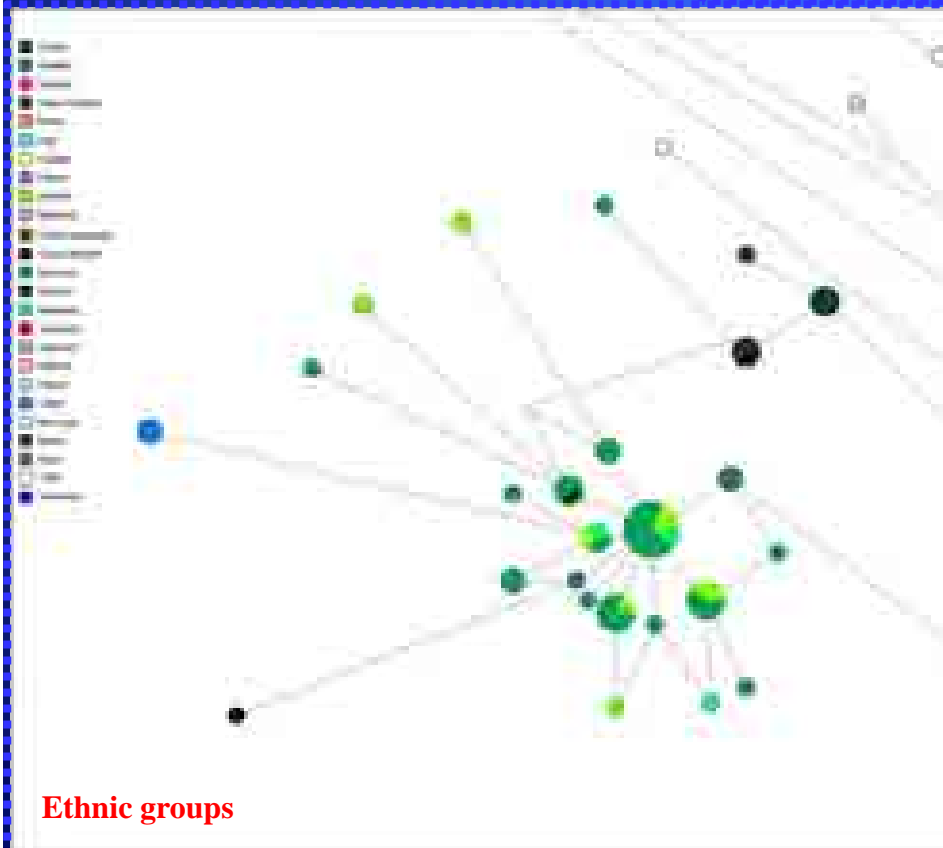
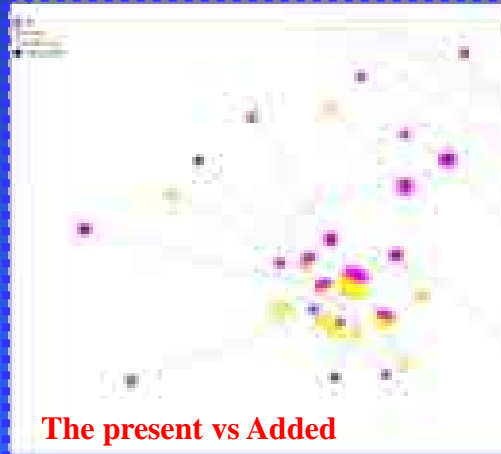
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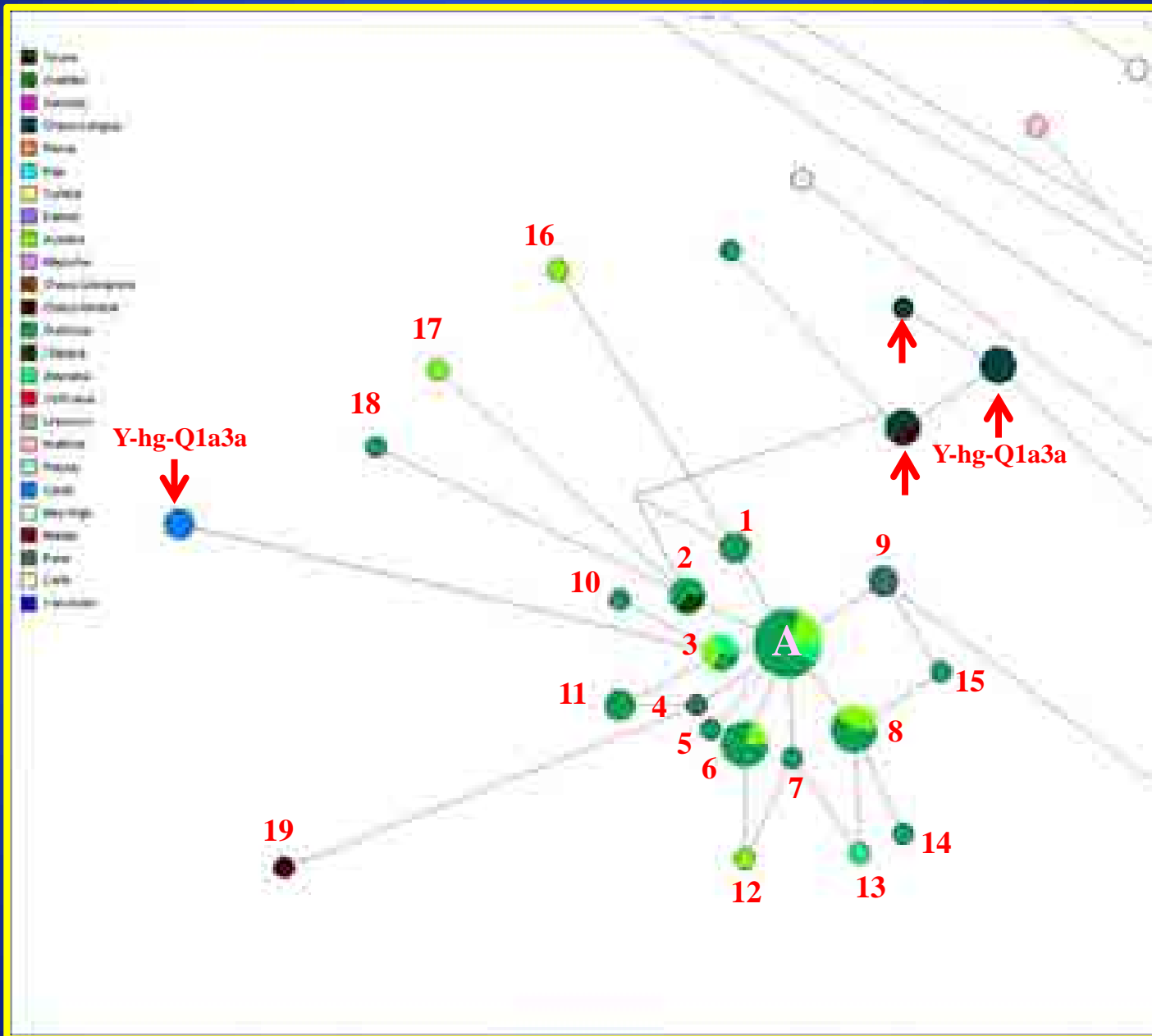
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# Calculation for average mutation for years

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			25	9537
			yrs/generat	

# Time estimation



# Time estimation

The time when a male-lineage strongly influenced these tribes was estimated as 735 and 918 years ago, at 20 and 25 years per a generation, respectively.

Considering with the history of South America, this period (about 800 years ago) is almost corresponded to the period establishing the Cuzco Kingdom.

# Summary

1. It is suggested that Sanuma tribe is very isolated, and very closed to Yanomami in male-lineage on a Y-STR network analysis.
2. A “ Star-like ” cluster which consists of mainly Andean speaking such as Quechua and Aymara tribes was observed in this study.
3. As a result from the time estimation when a male-lineage strongly influenced these tribes, it was suggested that rapid population growth started or a strong male (relatives) influenced these tribes about 800 years ago when are almost concordant with the period of the establishment of the Cuzco Kingdom before Inca Empire.

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