

Introduction of Delta VOC in Uruguay

Timely vaccination and strengthening of genomic surveillance curbed consecutive waves of SARS-CoV-2 variants of concern despite evidence of cryptic transmission

Procedure:

1. Read the annotated tree (region) and find Uruguay sequence clusters based on pattern changes in the “region” of the sample across the tree. Each region will have a unique cluster number.
2. Extract the patterns in a list format.
3. Convert list to data frame format and extract Uruguay cluster sequences. Each uruguayan sequence will have the cluster number detected in the tree.
4. Based on the uruguayan clusters (and VOC specific clusters), the MRCA of this sequences will be estimated using the MRCA function from phylobase.
5. Once the MRCA is found, the dates from the MRCA (tMRCA) will be retrieved using the node label from the dates.tsv file obtained after time-scaling the ML tree with TreeTime joint inference.
6. Using the information of the ancestral nodes in dates.tsv, find the location (outside Uruguay) of the ancestral node of the cluster using the annotated tree loaded with the read.beast() function.
7. If the location of the ancestral node is in Uruguay, use an iterative function that subtracts by 1 in the parent node column until Uruguay is no longer detected (use with caution).

```
library(ape)
library(treeio)
```

8. After the procedure a data frame containing the tMRCA (date & numeric_date), the parent node outside Uruguay (parent) and the location of the ancestral node of the UY clusters (location) will be obtained.

```
## treeio v1.26.0 For help: https://yulab-smu.top/treedata-book/
##
## If you use the ggtree package suite in published research, please cite
```

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## the appropriate paper(s):
##
## LG Wang, TTY Lam, S Xu, Z Dai, L Zhou, T Feng, P Guo, CW Dunn, BR
## Jones, T Bradley, H Zhu, Y Guan, Y Jiang, G Yu. treeio: an R package
## for phylogenetic tree input and output with richly annotated and
## associated data. Molecular Biology and Evolution. 2020, 37(2):599-603.
## doi: 10.1093/molbev/msz240
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## Current Protocols in Bioinformatics. 2020, 69:e96. doi:10.1002/cpbi.96
##
## Guangchuang Yu. Data Integration, Manipulation and Visualization of
## Phylogenetic Trees (1st edition). Chapman and Hall/CRC. 2022,
## doi:10.1201/9781003279242
```

```
library(ggtree)
```

```
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##
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## the appropriate paper(s):
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## Guangchuang Yu, David Smith, Huachen Zhu, Yi Guan, Tommy Tsan-Yuk Lam.
## ggtree: an R package for visualization and annotation of phylogenetic
## trees with their covariates and other associated data. Methods in
## Ecology and Evolution. 2017, 8(1):28-36. doi:10.1111/2041-210X.12628
##
## S Xu, Z Dai, P Guo, X Fu, S Liu, L Zhou, W Tang, T Feng, M Chen, L
## Zhan, T Wu, E Hu, Y Jiang, X Bo, G Yu. ggtreeExtra: Compact
## visualization of richly annotated phylogenetic data. Molecular Biology
## and Evolution. 2021, 38(9):4039-4042. doi: 10.1093/molbev/msab166
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## for phylogenetic tree input and output with richly annotated and
## associated data. Molecular Biology and Evolution. 2020, 37(2):599-603.
## doi: 10.1093/molbev/msz240
##
##
## Attaching package: 'ggtree'
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:ape':
##
##     rotate
```

```
library(ggplot2)
library(ape)
library(treeio)
library(phyloclust)
library(tidytree)
```

```
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## Current Protocols in Bioinformatics. 2020, 69:e96. doi:10.1002/cpbi.96
##
## Guangchuang Yu. Data Integration, Manipulation and Visualization of
## Phylogenetic Trees (1st edition). Chapman and Hall/CRC. 2022,
## doi:10.1201/9781003279242

##
## Attaching package: 'tidytree'

## The following object is masked from 'package:treeio':
##
##     getNodeNum

## The following objects are masked from 'package:ape':
##
##     drop.tip, keep.tip

## The following object is masked from 'package:stats':
##
##     filter

library(ggnewscale)
library(stringr)
library(dplyr)

##
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'

## The following object is masked from 'package:ape':
##
##     where

## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
##     filter, lag

## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##     intersect, setdiff, setequal, union

library(RColorBrewer)
library(phytools)

## Loading required package: maps

##
## Attaching package: 'phytools'

```

```
## The following object is masked from 'package:treeio':
##
##     read.newick
```

```
library(phylobase)
```

```
##
## Attaching package: 'phylobase'
```

```
## The following object is masked from 'package:phytools':
##
##     readNexus
```

```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:tidytree':
##
##     ancestor, MRCA
```

```
## The following object is masked from 'package:ggtree':
##
##     MRCA
```

```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:treeio':
##
##     ancestor, MRCA
```

```
## The following object is masked from 'package:ape':
##
##     edges
```

```
library(phylostrate)
```

```
tre <- read.nexus("treetime_out_joint/fixed_mugration_region/annotated_tree.nexus")
meta <- read.csv("fx_final_metadata-dataset1.tsv",
  sep = "\t", header = T)
head(meta)
```

Load annotated tree from dataset and metadata

```
##
##                                     strain      date
## 1  UY-CUY29-005480|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|Rocha|AY.20|2021-09-30 2021-09-30
## 2  UY-CUY29-005481|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|Rocha|AY.20|2021-09-30 2021-09-30
## 3  UY-CUY29-005487|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|Colonia|AY.20|2021-09-30 2021-09-30
## 4  UY-CUY29-005488|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|Canelones|AY.43|2021-09-30 2021-09-30
## 5  UY-CUY28-005443|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|NA|AY.39|2021-09-29 2021-09-29
## 6  UY-CUY29-005486|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|Florida|AY.25|2021-09-28 2021-09-28
##   accession location      region country      city subregion pango_lineage
## 1 EPI_ISL_NA  Uruguay South America Uruguay   Rocha    Rocha      AY.20
## 2 EPI_ISL_NA  Uruguay South America Uruguay   Rocha    Rocha      AY.20
```

```
## 3 EPI_ISL_NA Uruguay South America Uruguay Colonia Colonia AY.20
## 4 EPI_ISL_NA Uruguay South America Uruguay Canelones Canelones AY.43
## 5 EPI_ISL_NA Uruguay South America Uruguay <NA> Uruguay AY.39
## 6 EPI_ISL_NA Uruguay South America Uruguay Florida Florida AY.25
```

```
dim(meta)
```

```
## [1] 5173 9
```

```
meta <- meta[order(meta$date, decreasing = T),
]
```

```
c1 <- read.table("nextclade_out.tsv",
  sep = "\t", header = T)
c1 <- c1[, 1:2]
colnames(c1)[1] <- c("label")
head(c1)
```

Read nextclade output

```
## label
## 1 LV-012|EPI_ISL_437091|Europe|NA|B.1.1|2020-03-23
## 2 EC-36230|EPI_ISL_491950|SouthAmerica|NA|B.1.1|2020-05-08
## 3 EE-149467|EPI_ISL_1138530|Europe|NA|B.1.177.60|2021-01-26
## 4 NL-ZH-RIVM-38556|EPI_ISL_2610019|Europe|NA|B.1.1.7|2021-05-27
## 5 PE-CAL-INS-736|EPI_ISL_1138417|SouthAmerica|NA|B.1.1.348|2021-01-12
## 6 EC-52438|EPI_ISL_491951|SouthAmerica|NA|B.1.1|2020-06-01
## clade
## 1 20B
## 2 20B
## 3 20E (EU1)
## 4 20I (Alpha, V1)
## 5 20B
## 6 20B
```

```
dim(c1)
```

```
## [1] 5176 2
```

```
t <- as.data.frame(as_tibble(tre))
tt <- as.data.frame(str_split_fixed(t$label,
  "[|]", 6))
colnames(tt) <- c("id", "accession",
  "region", "subregion", "lineage",
  "date")
t <- as.data.frame(cbind(t, tt))
head(t)
```

Extract data from tree

```
##   parent node branch.length
## 1   5167    1         0.06411
## 2   5168    2         0.15978
## 3   5168    3         0.06411
## 4   5170    4         0.00546
## 5   5170    5         0.00000
## 6   5171    6         0.04331
##                                     label                      id
## 1                CN-Hu-1|EPI_ISL_402125|Asia|NA|B|2019-12-26      CN-Hu-1
## 2            AU-VPRL014|EPI_ISL_455603|Oceania|NA|B.1|2020-01-30      AU-VPRL014
## 3                CN-WH01|EPI_ISL_406798|Asia|NA|B|2019-12-26      CN-WH01
## 4 AE-skmc-2200543130|EPI_ISL_582623|Asia|NA|B.53|2020-02-23 AE-skmc-2200543130
## 5 AE-skmc-2200522146|EPI_ISL_582611|Asia|NA|B.53|2020-02-21 AE-skmc-2200522146
## 6                SG-1|EPI_ISL_406973|Asia|NA|B|2020-01-23      SG-1
##   accession  region subregion lineage      date
## 1 EPI_ISL_402125   Asia      NA      B 2019-12-26
## 2 EPI_ISL_455603 Oceania      NA    B.1 2020-01-30
## 3 EPI_ISL_406798   Asia      NA      B 2019-12-26
## 4 EPI_ISL_582623   Asia      NA    B.53 2020-02-23
## 5 EPI_ISL_582611   Asia      NA    B.53 2020-02-21
## 6 EPI_ISL_406973   Asia      NA      B 2020-01-23
```

```
dim(t)
```

```
## [1] 9225   10
```

```
t <- left_join(t, cl, by = "label")
```

Include clade data

```
pattern <- rle(t$region)
```

Detect pattern continuity in the tree based on the region

```
tracks <- split(t$label, rep(seq_along(pattern$lengths),
  pattern$lengths))
```

Extract tracks of continuity based on pattern

```
dl <- data.frame(ID = rep(names(tracks),
  apply(tracks, length)), Obs = unlist(tracks))

head(dl)
```

Transform list of vector into dataframe

```
##      ID                                     Obs
## 1  1      CN-Hu-1|EPI_ISL_402125|Asia|NA|B|2019-12-26
## 2  2      AU-VPRL014|EPI_ISL_455603|Oceania|NA|B.1|2020-01-30
## 3  3      CN-WHO1|EPI_ISL_406798|Asia|NA|B|2019-12-26
## 4  3 AE-skmc-2200543130|EPI_ISL_582623|Asia|NA|B.53|2020-02-23
## 5  3 AE-skmc-2200522146|EPI_ISL_582611|Asia|NA|B.53|2020-02-21
## 6  3      SG-1|EPI_ISL_406973|Asia|NA|B|2020-01-23
```

```
uy <- dl[grepl("Uruguay", dl$Obs),
]
dim(uy)
```

Extract from the dataframe the Uruguayan sequences

```
## [1] 1792      2
```

```
head(uy)
```

```
##      ID                                     Obs
## 23 11      UY-UY-10|EPI_ISL_429257|Uruguay|Montevideo|B.31|2020-03-19
## 28 16      UY-UY-NYUMC863|EPI_ISL_457959|Uruguay|Montevideo|B|2020-03-26
## 29 16      UY-UY-NYUMC865|EPI_ISL_457961|Uruguay|Montevideo|B|2020-03-28
## 35 21      UY-UY-7|EPI_ISL_426482|Uruguay|Montevideo|A.1|2020-03-17
## 36 21      UY-UY-8|EPI_ISL_426583|Uruguay|Montevideo|A.1|2020-03-17
## 39 24      UY-UY-NYUMC849|EPI_ISL_457945|Uruguay|Montevideo|A.2|2020-03-17
```

Delta introduction to Uruguay

```
d1l <- as.data.frame(str_split_fixed(dl$Obs, "[|]", 6))
colnames(d1l) <- c("id", "accession", "region", "subregion", "lineage", "date")
dl <- as.data.frame(cbind(dl, d1l))
head(dl)
```

Include clade information to the dataframe containing the clusters

```
## ID Obs
## 1 1 CN-Hu-1|EPI_ISL_402125|Asia|NA|B|2019-12-26
## 2 2 AU-VPRL014|EPI_ISL_455603|Oceania|NA|B.1|2020-01-30
## 3 3 CN-WHO1|EPI_ISL_406798|Asia|NA|B|2019-12-26
## 4 3 AE-skmc-2200543130|EPI_ISL_582623|Asia|NA|B.53|2020-02-23
## 5 3 AE-skmc-2200522146|EPI_ISL_582611|Asia|NA|B.53|2020-02-21
## 6 3 SG-1|EPI_ISL_406973|Asia|NA|B|2020-01-23
## id accession region subregion lineage date
## 1 CN-Hu-1 EPI_ISL_402125 Asia NA B 2019-12-26
## 2 AU-VPRL014 EPI_ISL_455603 Oceania NA B.1 2020-01-30
## 3 CN-WHO1 EPI_ISL_406798 Asia NA B 2019-12-26
## 4 AE-skmc-2200543130 EPI_ISL_582623 Asia NA B.53 2020-02-23
## 5 AE-skmc-2200522146 EPI_ISL_582611 Asia NA B.53 2020-02-21
## 6 SG-1 EPI_ISL_406973 Asia NA B 2020-01-23
```

```
colnames(cl)[1] <- c("Obs")
head(cl)
```

```
## Obs
## 1 LV-012|EPI_ISL_437091|Europe|NA|B.1.1|2020-03-23
## 2 EC-36230|EPI_ISL_491950|SouthAmerica|NA|B.1.1|2020-05-08
## 3 EE-149467|EPI_ISL_1138530|Europe|NA|B.1.177.60|2021-01-26
## 4 NL-ZH-RIVM-38556|EPI_ISL_2610019|Europe|NA|B.1.1.7|2021-05-27
## 5 PE-CAL-INS-736|EPI_ISL_1138417|SouthAmerica|NA|B.1.1.348|2021-01-12
## 6 EC-52438|EPI_ISL_491951|SouthAmerica|NA|B.1.1|2020-06-01
## clade
## 1 20B
## 2 20B
## 3 20E (EU1)
## 4 20I (Alpha, V1)
## 5 20B
## 6 20B
```

```
dl <- merge(dl, cl, by = "Obs")
head(dl)
```

```
## Obs
## 1 AD-AND-242_212581387701_COV-GC|EPI_ISL_5684463|Europe|NA|AY.9|2021-09-11
## 2 AD-AND-245_212871383801_COV-GC|EPI_ISL_6125409|Europe|NA|AY.124|2021-10-09
## 3 AD-AND-245_213501452101_COV-GC|EPI_ISL_8185538|Europe|NA|AY.125|2021-12-12
## 4 AD-AND-245_213501452301_COV-GC|EPI_ISL_8185535|Europe|NA|AY.122|2021-12-10
## 5 AD-AND-247_212871382801_COV-GC|EPI_ISL_6125408|Europe|NA|AY.42|2021-09-29
## 6 AD-AND-247_213001322901_COV-GC|EPI_ISL_7589517|Europe|NA|AY.124|2021-10-16
## ID id accession region subregion lineage
## 1 114 AD-AND-242_212581387701_COV-GC EPI_ISL_5684463 Europe NA AY.9
## 2 240 AD-AND-245_212871383801_COV-GC EPI_ISL_6125409 Europe NA AY.124
## 3 299 AD-AND-245_213501452101_COV-GC EPI_ISL_8185538 Europe NA AY.125
## 4 569 AD-AND-245_213501452301_COV-GC EPI_ISL_8185535 Europe NA AY.122
## 5 256 AD-AND-247_212871382801_COV-GC EPI_ISL_6125408 Europe NA AY.42
## 6 240 AD-AND-247_213001322901_COV-GC EPI_ISL_7589517 Europe NA AY.124
## date clade
## 1 2021-09-11 21I (Delta)
## 2 2021-10-09 21J (Delta)
```



```
## 3 2021-12-12 21J (Delta)
## 4 2021-12-10 21J (Delta)
## 5 2021-09-29 21J (Delta)
## 6 2021-10-16 21J (Delta)
```

```
dim(dl)
```

```
## [1] 5166    9
```

```
target <- c("21J (Delta)", "21A (Delta)", "21I (Delta)")
```

```
d <- filter(dl, clade %in% target)
```

```
dim(d)
```

Based on Nexstrain clade, extract all Delta sequences from Uruguay

```
## [1] 2083    9
```

```
unique(d$region)
```

```
## [1] "Europe"      "NorthAmerica" "Africa"      "Argentina"   "Oceania"
## [6] "SouthAmerica" "Asia"         "Brazil"     "Uruguay"
```

```
d <- d[which(d$region == "Uruguay"),]
head(d)
```

```
##                                     Obs  ID
## 1773 UY-CUY16-003792|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|Montevideo|B.1.617.2|2021-07-05  55
## 1774 UY-CUY17-003842|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|Lavalleja|B.1.617.2|2021-07-05 446
## 1775 UY-CUY17-003872|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|Montevideo|B.1.617.2|2021-07-14 553
## 1776      UY-CUY17-003887|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|NA|B.1.617.2|2021-07-14 593
## 1777      UY-CUY17-003888|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|NA|B.1.617.2|2021-07-14 593
## 1778      UY-CUY17-003889|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|NA|B.1.617.2|2021-07-14 595
##          id accession  region  subregion  lineage    date
## 1773 UY-CUY16-003792 EPI_ISL_NA Uruguay  Montevideo B.1.617.2 2021-07-05
## 1774 UY-CUY17-003842 EPI_ISL_NA Uruguay  Lavalleja  B.1.617.2 2021-07-05
## 1775 UY-CUY17-003872 EPI_ISL_NA Uruguay  Montevideo B.1.617.2 2021-07-14
## 1776 UY-CUY17-003887 EPI_ISL_NA Uruguay      NA B.1.617.2 2021-07-14
## 1777 UY-CUY17-003888 EPI_ISL_NA Uruguay      NA B.1.617.2 2021-07-14
## 1778 UY-CUY17-003889 EPI_ISL_NA Uruguay      NA B.1.617.2 2021-07-14
##          clade
## 1773 21A (Delta)
## 1774 21J (Delta)
## 1775 21J (Delta)
## 1776 21J (Delta)
## 1777 21J (Delta)
## 1778 21J (Delta)
```

```

dim(d)

## [1] 280 9

unique(d$clade)

## [1] "21A (Delta)" "21J (Delta)" "21I (Delta)"

uy <- select(d, ID, Obs)
colnames(uy) <- c("cluster", "label")
head(uy)

##      cluster                                     label
## 1773      55 UY-CUY16-003792|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|Montevideo|B.1.617.2|2021-07-05
## 1774     446 UY-CUY17-003842|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|Lavalleja|B.1.617.2|2021-07-05
## 1775     553 UY-CUY17-003872|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|Montevideo|B.1.617.2|2021-07-14
## 1776     593      UY-CUY17-003887|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|NA|B.1.617.2|2021-07-14
## 1777     593      UY-CUY17-003888|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|NA|B.1.617.2|2021-07-14
## 1778     595      UY-CUY17-003889|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|NA|B.1.617.2|2021-07-14

unique(uy$cluster)

## [1] "55" "446" "553" "593" "595" "95" "40" "381" "43" "548" "502" "244"
## [13] "48" "579" "490" "601" "265" "283" "210" "228" "296" "76" "159" "157"
## [25] "71" "689" "285" "97" "115" "561" "521" "492" "469" "649" "703" "292"
## [37] "667" "707" "90" "651" "655" "507" "709" "423" "589" "150" "572" "177"
## [49] "597" "117" "298" "101" "694" "86" "498" "418" "591" "483" "203" "412"
## [61] "92" "148" "294" "676" "583" "152" "711" "480" "154" "65" "653" "555"
## [73] "716" "700" "684" "334" "438" "277" "372" "349" "713" "692" "208" "182"

tre <- read.nexus("treetime_out_joint/fixed_mugration_region/annotated_tree.nexus")
n <- uy %>% group_by(cluster) %>%
  summarise(count = n())
n <- n %>% filter(count > 1)
uy2 <- merge(n, uy, by = "cluster")

mrca <- uy2 %>% group_by(cluster) %>%
  summarise(count = n(), MRCA = MRCA(tre, label))
mrca <- as.data.frame(mrca)
mrca <- mrca[order(mrca$MRCA),]
head(mrca)

##      cluster count MRCA
## 14         40      9 5235
## 17         43      8 5247
## 19         48      2 5259
## 36         65      5 5293
## 44         76      4 5308
## 45         86      2 5330

```

```
sum(mrca$count)
```

```
## [1] 245
```

```
target <- mrca$MRCA
nodes <- filter(t, node %in% target)
nodes <- select(nodes, parent, node, branch.length, label)

colnames(nodes)[2] <- c("MRCA")
mrca <- merge(mrca, nodes, by = "MRCA")
```

```
dat <- read.table("treetime_out_joint/dates.tsv", sep = "\t", header = F)
head(dat)
```

```
##                               V1          V2          V3
## 1                               NODE_0000001 2019-12-03 2019.920824
## 2          CN-Hu-1|EPI_ISL_402125|Asia|NA|B|2019-12-26 2019-12-26 2019.984932
## 3                               NODE_0002994 2019-12-03 2019.920824
## 4 AU-VPRL014|EPI_ISL_455603|Oceania|NA|B.1|2020-01-30 2020-01-30 2020.080601
## 5          CN-WHO1|EPI_ISL_406798|Asia|NA|B|2019-12-26 2019-12-26 2019.984932
## 6                               NODE_0000002 2019-12-22 2019.974710
```

```
tar <- mrca$label
n2 <- filter(dat, V1 %in% tar)
colnames(n2) <- c("label", "date", "numeric_date")
head(n2)
```

```
##          label      date numeric_date
## 1 NODE_0003085 2021-06-17  2021.459229
## 2 NODE_0000081 2021-07-11  2021.524908
## 3 NODE_0003120 2021-07-15  2021.535616
## 4 NODE_0003157 2021-06-27  2021.486376
## 5 NODE_0003174 2021-05-24  2021.394269
## 6 NODE_0003244 2021-08-03  2021.588492
```

```
mrca <- merge(mrca, n2, by = "label")
mrca <- mrca[order(mrca$date, decreasing = F),]
head(mrca)
```

```
##          label MRCA cluster count parent branch.length      date numeric_date
## 15 NODE_0003292 5337      90      2   5332      0.05234 2021-05-01 2021.331449
## 36 NODE_0004568 6466     572      5   6465      0.02861 2021-05-14 2021.366488
## 16 NODE_0003294 5338      92      2   5337      0.03650 2021-05-15 2021.367948
## 17 NODE_0003297 5340      95      6   5338      0.02167 2021-05-23 2021.389620
## 12 NODE_0003174 5308      76      4   5297      0.17550 2021-05-24 2021.394269
## 37 NODE_0004601 6495     579      5   6465      0.09553 2021-06-08 2021.433405
```

```
tre <- read.beast("treetime_out_joint/fixed_mugration_region/annotated_tree.nexus")
t <- as.data.frame(as_tibble(tre))
anc <- mrca$parent
```

```
loc <- filter(t, node %in% anc)
loc <- select(loc, node, location)
colnames(loc)[1] <- c("parent")

df <- left_join(mrca, loc, by = "parent")
```

```
df
```

Delta introduction tMRCA of UY clusters and number of introductions based on unique parent node

##	label	MRCA	cluster	count	parent	branch.length	date	numeric_date
## 1	NODE_0003292	5337	90	2	5332	0.05234	2021-05-01	2021.331449
## 2	NODE_0004568	6466	572	5	6465	0.02861	2021-05-14	2021.366488
## 3	NODE_0003294	5338	92	2	5337	0.03650	2021-05-15	2021.367948
## 4	NODE_0003297	5340	95	6	5338	0.02167	2021-05-23	2021.389620
## 5	NODE_0003174	5308	76	4	5297	0.17550	2021-05-24	2021.394269
## 6	NODE_0004601	6495	579	5	6465	0.09553	2021-06-08	2021.433405
## 7	NODE_0003085	5235	40	9	5234	0.10765	2021-06-17	2021.459229
## 8	NODE_0003684	5760	265	5	5759	0.02676	2021-06-23	2021.474940
## 9	NODE_0003157	5293	65	5	5290	0.04103	2021-06-27	2021.486376
## 10	NODE_0003955	5454	159	18	5453	0.12267	2021-06-27	2021.486315
## 11	NODE_0003313	5351	101	2	5347	0.06543	2021-06-28	2021.490373
## 12	NODE_0004602	6539	593	6	6505	0.03939	2021-07-02	2021.499107
## 13	NODE_0004041	5632	210	3	5631	0.10060	2021-07-03	2021.503097
## 14	NODE_0004967	6429	553	2	6428	0.12285	2021-07-06	2021.511948
## 15	NODE_0003949	5448	157	6	5447	0.43855	2021-07-07	2021.513508
## 16	NODE_0005085	6571	601	2	6570	0.19990	2021-07-08	2021.516438
## 17	NODE_0003476	5780	283	5	5779	0.06914	2021-07-09	2021.519971
## 18	NODE_0004943	6419	548	3	6418	0.13712	2021-07-09	2021.519178
## 19	NODE_0000081	5247	43	8	5243	0.00236	2021-07-11	2021.524908
## 20	NODE_0001607	6550	595	2	6549	0.00235	2021-07-13	2021.530137
## 21	NODE_0003394	5969	381	4	5968	0.01505	2021-07-13	2021.530137
## 22	NODE_0003894	5424	150	4	5414	0.04240	2021-07-14	2021.533856
## 23	NODE_0003120	5259	48	2	5257	0.35181	2021-07-15	2021.535616
## 24	NODE_0004504	6356	521	3	6355	0.04150	2021-07-15	2021.535616
## 25	NODE_0005142	6281	469	4	6280	0.25109	2021-07-15	2021.535616
## 26	NODE_0005000	6437	561	3	6433	0.11709	2021-07-18	2021.545204
## 27	NODE_0003222	5380	115	2	5379	0.06480	2021-07-19	2021.546575
## 28	NODE_0003627	5827	296	2	5826	0.10458	2021-07-19	2021.546575
## 29	NODE_0003307	5348	97	2	5347	0.12711	2021-07-21	2021.552055
## 30	NODE_0003495	5794	292	2	5793	0.06171	2021-07-21	2021.552055
## 31	NODE_0004527	6333	507	5	6330	0.06827	2021-07-21	2021.552073
## 32	NODE_0003484	5787	285	4	5785	0.03175	2021-07-23	2021.557534
## 33	NODE_0004163	6085	418	4	6082	0.03805	2021-07-23	2021.558013
## 34	NODE_0001884	6775	711	13	6772	0.00243	2021-07-25	2021.563791
## 35	NODE_0001308	6294	480	5	6293	0.09123	2021-07-26	2021.565565
## 36	NODE_0001888	6777	707	2	6776	0.00784	2021-07-29	2021.573973
## 37	NODE_0004660	6519	589	5	6518	0.04286	2021-07-29	2021.573932

## 38	NODE_0004282	6121	423	2	6120	0.21243	2021-07-30	2021.576712
## 39	NODE_0001616	6555	597	2	6553	0.00245	2021-07-31	2021.579452
## 40	NODE_0001891	6779	709	4	6778	0.01096	2021-07-31	2021.579452
## 41	NODE_0004544	6317	498	9	6309	0.13377	2021-08-01	2021.582784
## 42	NODE_0003501	5797	294	30	5791	0.13816	2021-08-02	2021.585769
## 43	NODE_0003244	5330	86	2	5329	0.16947	2021-08-03	2021.588492
## 44	NODE_0001577	6525	591	2	6524	0.00249	2021-08-07	2021.598630
## 45	NODE_0004873	6738	694	7	6737	0.08791	2021-08-07	2021.598630
## 46	NODE_0005018	6299	483	2	6298	0.08400	2021-08-08	2021.601370
## 47	NODE_0004869	6764	700	4	6763	0.07476	2021-08-09	2021.602747
## 48	NODE_0004893	6798	716	13	6795	0.03275	2021-08-21	2021.636149
## 49	NODE_0004740	6687	684	2	6686	0.03823	2021-09-07	2021.682646
##	location							
## 1	Africa							
## 2	SouthAmerica							
## 3	Uruguay							
## 4	Uruguay							
## 5	Africa							
## 6	SouthAmerica							
## 7	Africa							
## 8	Europe							
## 9	Asia							
## 10	Asia							
## 11	Uruguay							
## 12	SouthAmerica							
## 13	SouthAmerica							
## 14	Europe							
## 15	Asia							
## 16	Europe							
## 17	SouthAmerica							
## 18	Europe							
## 19	Uruguay							
## 20	SouthAmerica							
## 21	Europe							
## 22	Europe							
## 23	Africa							
## 24	SouthAmerica							
## 25	Africa							
## 26	Europe							
## 27	Europe							
## 28	Europe							
## 29	Uruguay							
## 30	SouthAmerica							
## 31	Uruguay							
## 32	SouthAmerica							
## 33	Brazil							
## 34	Uruguay							
## 35	NorthAmerica							
## 36	Uruguay							
## 37	SouthAmerica							
## 38	Africa							
## 39	Uruguay							
## 40	Uruguay							
## 41	Europe							

```
## 42 NorthAmerica
## 43 SouthAmerica
## 44 Uruguay
## 45 Europe
## 46 NorthAmerica
## 47 Europe
## 48 Uruguay
## 49 Europe
```

```
dim(as.data.frame(unique(df$parent)))
```

```
## [1] 47 1
```

```
table(df$location)
```

```
##
##      Africa      Asia      Brazil      Europe NorthAmerica SouthAmerica
##          6         3         1         13          3          11
##      Uruguay
##          12
```

```
min(df$count)
```

```
## [1] 2
```

```
max(df$count)
```

```
## [1] 30
```

```
# Function to subtract 1 from parent column if pattern "Uruguay" is found in location column
subtract_if_pattern_found <- function(df, pattern) {
  indices <- which(df$location == pattern)
  if (length(indices) > 0) {
    df$parent[indices] <- df$parent[indices] - 1
  }
  return(df)
}

# Load tree data
tre <- read.beast("treetime_out_joint/fixed_mugration_region/annotated_tree.nexus")
t <- as.data.frame(as_tibble(tre))

# Initialize counter
iterations <- 0

# Iterate until Uruguay pattern is no longer detected
repeat {
  # Apply function to modify data
```

```

pattern <- "Uruguay"
modified_data <- subtract_if_pattern_found(df, pattern)

# Extract relevant data from tree
anc <- modified_data$parent
loc <- filter(t, node %in% anc)
loc <- select(loc, node, location)
colnames(loc)[1] <- c("parent")

# Join modified data with location data
modified_data$location <- NULL
df <- left_join(modified_data, loc, by = "parent")

# Increment iteration counter
iterations <- iterations + 1

# Check if Uruguay pattern is no longer detected
if (!any(df$location == pattern)) {
  break
}
}

# Print final iteration count and modified data frame
print(paste("Number of iterations:", iterations))

```

Find the location of the ancestor outside Uruguay

```
## [1] "Number of iterations: 21"
```

```
print("Final Modified data:")
```

```
## [1] "Final Modified data:"
```

```
print(df)
```

```
##           label MRCA cluster count parent branch.length      date numeric_date
## 1  NODE_0003292 5337      90      2   5332      0.05234 2021-05-01  2021.331449
## 2  NODE_0004568 6466     572      5   6465      0.02861 2021-05-14  2021.366488
## 3  NODE_0003294 5338      92      2   5336      0.03650 2021-05-15  2021.367948
## 4  NODE_0003297 5340      95      6   5336      0.02167 2021-05-23  2021.389620
## 5  NODE_0003174 5308      76      4   5297      0.17550 2021-05-24  2021.394269
## 6  NODE_0004601 6495     579      5   6465      0.09553 2021-06-08  2021.433405
## 7  NODE_0003085 5235      40      9   5234      0.10765 2021-06-17  2021.459229
## 8  NODE_0003684 5760     265      5   5759      0.02676 2021-06-23  2021.474940
## 9  NODE_0003157 5293      65      5   5290      0.04103 2021-06-27  2021.486376
## 10 NODE_0003955 5454     159     18   5453      0.12267 2021-06-27  2021.486315
## 11 NODE_0003313 5351     101      2   5336      0.06543 2021-06-28  2021.490373
## 12 NODE_0004602 6539     593      6   6505      0.03939 2021-07-02  2021.499107
## 13 NODE_0004041 5632     210      3   5631      0.10060 2021-07-03  2021.503097
## 14 NODE_0004967 6429     553      2   6428      0.12285 2021-07-06  2021.511948
## 15 NODE_0003949 5448     157      6   5447      0.43855 2021-07-07  2021.513508
## 16 NODE_0005085 6571     601      2   6570      0.19990 2021-07-08  2021.516438
```

## 17	NODE_0003476	5780	283	5	5779	0.06914	2021-07-09	2021.519971
## 18	NODE_0004943	6419	548	3	6418	0.13712	2021-07-09	2021.519178
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## 25	NODE_0005142	6281	469	4	6280	0.25109	2021-07-15	2021.535616
## 26	NODE_0005000	6437	561	3	6433	0.11709	2021-07-18	2021.545204
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## 29	NODE_0003307	5348	97	2	5336	0.12711	2021-07-21	2021.552055
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## 33	NODE_0004163	6085	418	4	6082	0.03805	2021-07-23	2021.558013
## 34	NODE_0001884	6775	711	13	6770	0.00243	2021-07-25	2021.563791
## 35	NODE_0001308	6294	480	5	6293	0.09123	2021-07-26	2021.565565
## 36	NODE_0001888	6777	707	2	6774	0.00784	2021-07-29	2021.573973
## 37	NODE_0004660	6519	589	5	6518	0.04286	2021-07-29	2021.573932
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## 40	NODE_0001891	6779	709	4	6774	0.01096	2021-07-31	2021.579452
## 41	NODE_0004544	6317	498	9	6309	0.13377	2021-08-01	2021.582784
## 42	NODE_0003501	5797	294	30	5791	0.13816	2021-08-02	2021.585769
## 43	NODE_0003244	5330	86	2	5329	0.16947	2021-08-03	2021.588492
## 44	NODE_0001577	6525	591	2	6518	0.00249	2021-08-07	2021.598630
## 45	NODE_0004873	6738	694	7	6737	0.08791	2021-08-07	2021.598630
## 46	NODE_0005018	6299	483	2	6298	0.08400	2021-08-08	2021.601370
## 47	NODE_0004869	6764	700	4	6763	0.07476	2021-08-09	2021.602747
## 48	NODE_0004893	6798	716	13	6774	0.03275	2021-08-21	2021.636149
## 49	NODE_0004740	6687	684	2	6686	0.03823	2021-09-07	2021.682646
##	location							
## 1	Africa							
## 2	SouthAmerica							
## 3	Africa							
## 4	Africa							
## 5	Africa							
## 6	SouthAmerica							
## 7	Africa							
## 8	Europe							
## 9	Asia							
## 10	Asia							
## 11	Africa							
## 12	SouthAmerica							
## 13	SouthAmerica							
## 14	Europe							
## 15	Asia							
## 16	Europe							
## 17	SouthAmerica							
## 18	Europe							
## 19	Africa							
## 20	SouthAmerica							


```
## 21      Europe
## 22      Europe
## 23      Africa
## 24 SouthAmerica
## 25      Africa
## 26      Europe
## 27      Europe
## 28      Europe
## 29      Africa
## 30 SouthAmerica
## 31 NorthAmerica
## 32 SouthAmerica
## 33      Brazil
## 34      Europe
## 35 NorthAmerica
## 36 SouthAmerica
## 37 SouthAmerica
## 38      Africa
## 39 SouthAmerica
## 40 SouthAmerica
## 41      Europe
## 42 NorthAmerica
## 43 SouthAmerica
## 44 SouthAmerica
## 45      Europe
## 46 NorthAmerica
## 47      Europe
## 48 SouthAmerica
## 49      Europe
```

```
dim(as.data.frame(unique(df$parent))) # unique parent nodes outside Uruguay
```

```
## [1] 40  1
```

```
t <- as.data.frame(table(df$location)) # number of introductions from each location
t <- t[order(t$Freq, decreasing = F),]
t
```

```
##      Var1 Freq
## 3      Brazil    1
## 2      Asia     3
## 5 NorthAmerica    4
## 1      Africa   11
## 4      Europe   14
## 6 SouthAmerica   16
```

```
min(df$count) # minimum number of UY sequences in the a clusters
```

```
## [1] 2
```

```
max(df$count) # maximum number of UY sequences in the a clusters
```

```
## [1] 30
```

```
p <- as.data.frame(table(df$location))
p <- p[order(p$Freq, decreasing = F),]
p
```

```
##          Var1 Freq
## 3      Brazil    1
## 2         Asia    3
## 5 NorthAmerica    4
## 1         Africa  11
## 4         Europe  14
## 6 SouthAmerica  16
```

```
colnames(uy)[2] <- c("label")
meta <- read.csv("fx_final_metadata-dataset1.tsv",
  sep = "\t", header = T)
colnames(meta)[1] <- c("label")
k <- left_join(uy, meta, by = "label")
head(k)
```

```
##      cluster                                     label
## 1         55 UY-CUY16-003792|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|Montevideo|B.1.617.2|2021-07-05
## 2        446 UY-CUY17-003842|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|Lavalleya|B.1.617.2|2021-07-05
## 3        553 UY-CUY17-003872|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|Montevideo|B.1.617.2|2021-07-14
## 4        593          UY-CUY17-003887|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|NA|B.1.617.2|2021-07-14
## 5        593          UY-CUY17-003888|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|NA|B.1.617.2|2021-07-14
## 6        595          UY-CUY17-003889|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|NA|B.1.617.2|2021-07-14
##      date  accession location      region country      city subregion
## 1 2021-07-05 EPI_ISL_NA  Uruguay South America Uruguay Montevideo Montevideo
## 2 2021-07-05 EPI_ISL_NA  Uruguay South America Uruguay Lavalleya Lavalleya
## 3 2021-07-14 EPI_ISL_NA  Uruguay South America Uruguay Montevideo Montevideo
## 4 2021-07-14 EPI_ISL_NA  Uruguay South America Uruguay      <NA> Uruguay
## 5 2021-07-14 EPI_ISL_NA  Uruguay South America Uruguay      <NA> Uruguay
## 6 2021-07-14 EPI_ISL_NA  Uruguay South America Uruguay      <NA> Uruguay
##      pango_lineage
## 1      B.1.617.2
## 2      B.1.617.2
## 3      B.1.617.2
## 4      B.1.617.2
## 5      B.1.617.2
## 6      B.1.617.2
```

```
co2 <- k %>%
  mutate(status = ifelse(stringr::str_detect(accession,
    "EPI_ISL_NA"), "not_published",
    "published"))
```

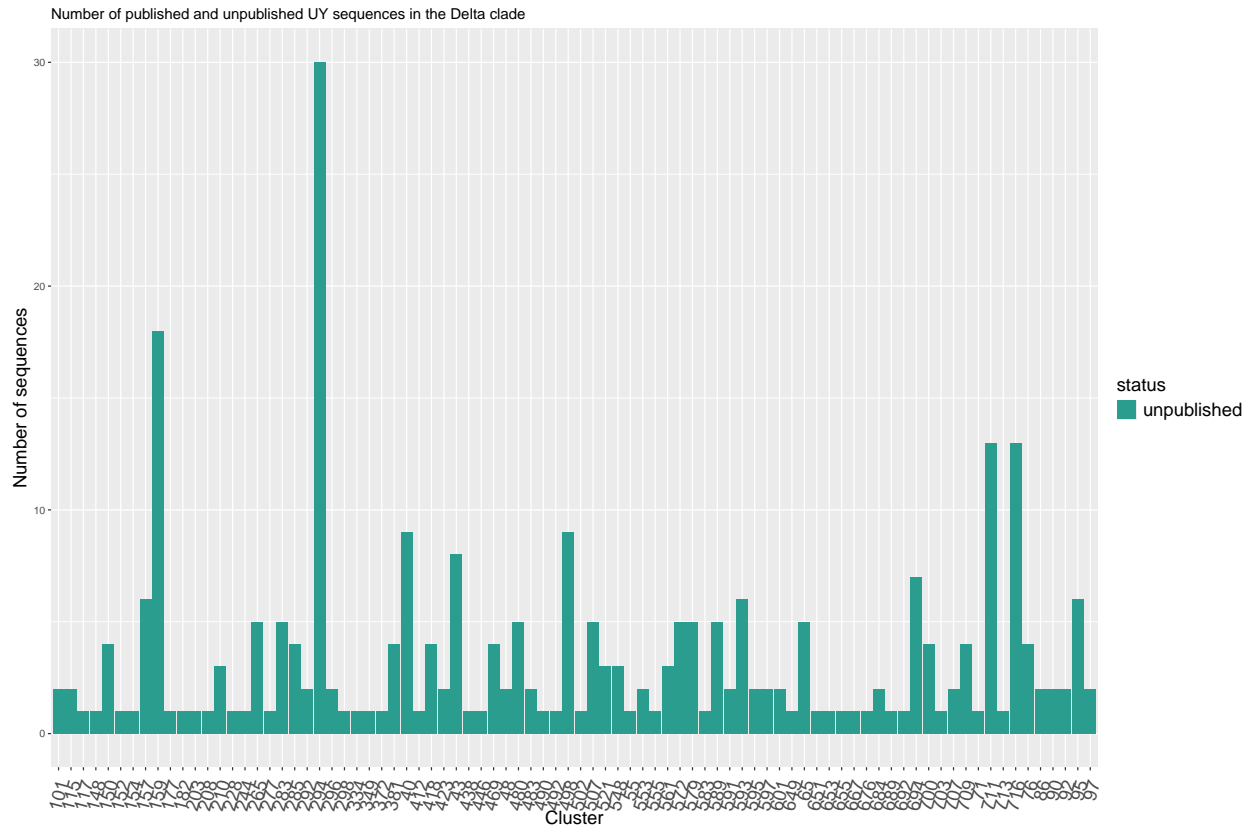
```
st <- co2 %>%
  group_by(cluster, status) %>%
  summarise(count = n())
```

'summarise()' has grouped output by 'cluster'. You can override using the
'.groups' argument.

```
st
```

```
## # A tibble: 84 x 3
## # Groups:   cluster [84]
##   cluster status      count
##   <chr>   <chr>      <int>
## 1 101     not_published    2
## 2 115     not_published    2
## 3 117     not_published    1
## 4 148     not_published    1
## 5 150     not_published    4
## 6 152     not_published    1
## 7 154     not_published    1
## 8 157     not_published    6
## 9 159     not_published   18
## 10 177    not_published    1
## # i 74 more rows
```

```
fig <- ggplot(st, aes(x = as.character(cluster),
  y = count, group = status,
  fill = status)) + geom_bar(stat = "identity") +
  scale_fill_manual(values = c(not_published = "#2a9d8f",
    published = "#e76f51"),
    labels = c("unpublished",
      "published")) + ylab("Number of sequences") +
  xlab("Cluster") + theme(axis.text.x = element_text(size = 16,
    angle = 75, vjust = 0.8, hjust = 1),
    legend.title = element_text(size = 16),
    legend.text = element_text(size = 16),
    axis.title = element_text(size = 16)) +
  ggtitle("Number of published and unpublished UY sequences in the Delta clade")
fig
```



```
tre <- read.beast("delta_subtree/joint_mugration_region_delta/annotated_tree.nexus")

cl <- read.table("nextclade_out.tsv", sep = "\t",
  header = T)
cl <- cl[, 1:2]
colnames(cl)[1] <- c("label")
head(cl)
```

```
##                                label
## 1          LV-012|EPI_ISL_437091|Europe|NA|B.1.1|2020-03-23
## 2          EC-36230|EPI_ISL_491950|SouthAmerica|NA|B.1.1|2020-05-08
## 3          EE-149467|EPI_ISL_1138530|Europe|NA|B.1.177.60|2021-01-26
## 4          NL-ZH-RIVM-38556|EPI_ISL_2610019|Europe|NA|B.1.1.7|2021-05-27
## 5 PE-CAL-INS-736|EPI_ISL_1138417|SouthAmerica|NA|B.1.1.348|2021-01-12
## 6          EC-52438|EPI_ISL_491951|SouthAmerica|NA|B.1.1|2020-06-01
##          clade
## 1           20B
## 2           20B
## 3          20E (EU1)
## 4 20I (Alpha, V1)
## 5           20B
## 6           20B
```

```
dim(cl)
```

```
## [1] 5176    2
```

```
t <- as.data.frame(as_tibble(tre))
tt <- as.data.frame(str_split_fixed(t$label,
  "[|]", 6))
colnames(tt) <- c("id", "accession", "region",
  "subregion", "lineage", "date")
t <- as.data.frame(cbind(t, tt))
head(t)
```

```
##   parent node branch.length
## 1   2084    1      1.31582
## 2   2086    2      0.04431
## 3   2087    3      0.11200
## 4   2088    4      0.00000
## 5   2088    5      0.01370
## 6   2090    6      0.00000
##                                     label location
## 1                      BR-RS-LMM65724|EPI_ISL_6193430|Brazil|NA|None|2021-10-11  Brazil
## 2 ET-KRISP-CERI-K024753|EPI_ISL_4629090|Africa|NA|B.1.617.2|2021-05-25  Africa
## 3                      UY-CUY19-004243|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|NA|B.1.617.2|2021-07-28  Uruguay
## 4                      UY-CUY19-004166|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|NA|B.1.617.2|2021-07-22  Uruguay
## 5                      UY-CUY19-004184|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|NA|B.1.617.2|2021-07-27  Uruguay
## 6                      UY-CUY17-003963|EPI_ISL_NA|Uruguay|NA|B.1.617.2|2021-07-13  Uruguay
##               id      accession  region subregion  lineage    date
## 1          BR-RS-LMM65724 EPI_ISL_6193430  Brazil      NA      None 2021-10-11
## 2 ET-KRISP-CERI-K024753 EPI_ISL_4629090  Africa      NA B.1.617.2 2021-05-25
## 3          UY-CUY19-004243      EPI_ISL_NA  Uruguay      NA B.1.617.2 2021-07-28
## 4          UY-CUY19-004166      EPI_ISL_NA  Uruguay      NA B.1.617.2 2021-07-22
## 5          UY-CUY19-004184      EPI_ISL_NA  Uruguay      NA B.1.617.2 2021-07-27
## 6          UY-CUY17-003963      EPI_ISL_NA  Uruguay      NA B.1.617.2 2021-07-13
```

```
dim(t)
```

```
## [1] 3660  11
```

```
t <- merge(t, cl, by = "label")

uy <- t[which(t$region == "Uruguay"), ]
dim(uy)
```

```
## [1] 280  12
```

```
new <- uy[which(uy$accession == "EPI_ISL_NA"),
  ]
dim(new)
```

```
## [1] 280  12
```

```
meta <- t

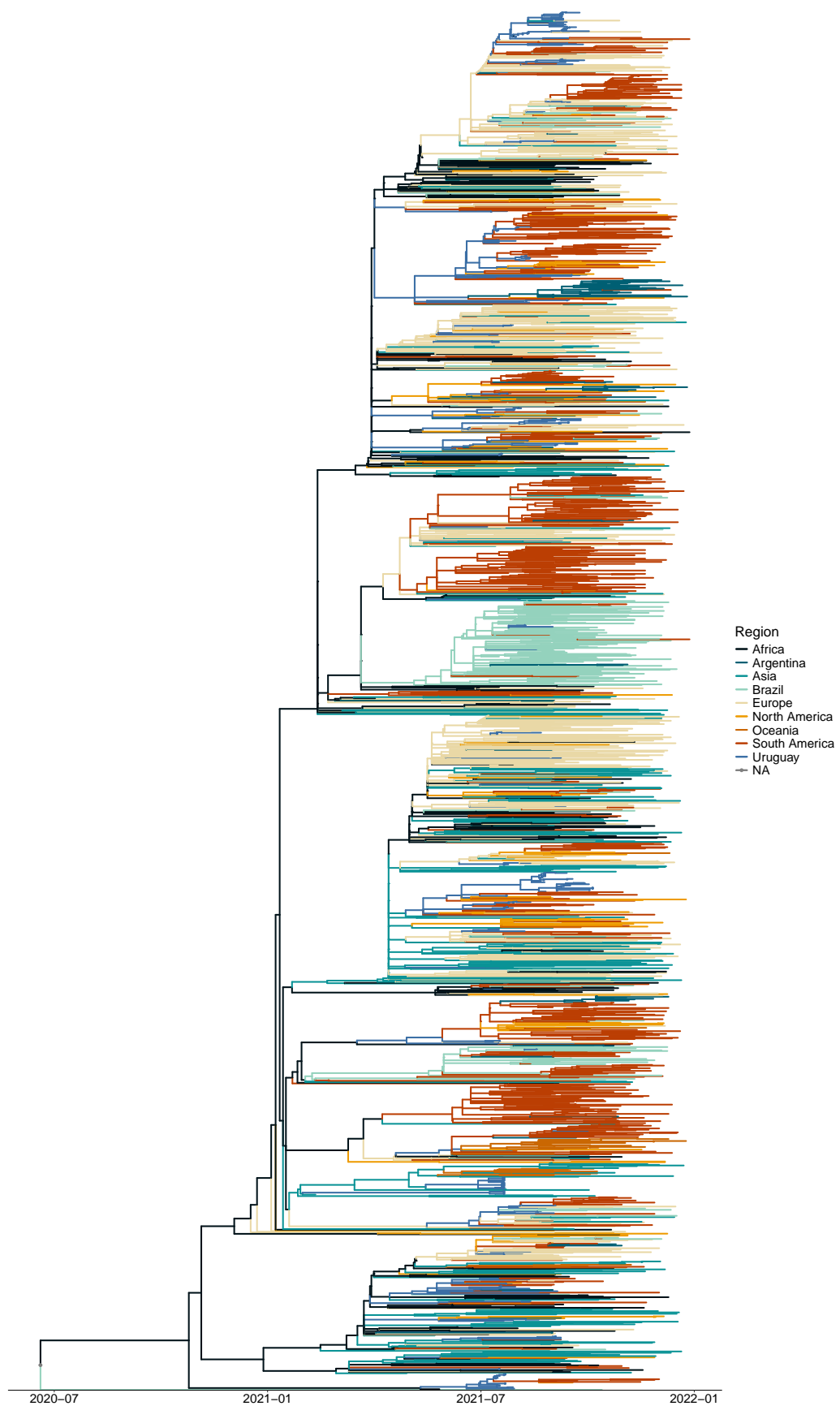
cls <- c("#001219", "#005f73", "#0a9396",
  "#94d2bd", "#e9d8a6", "#ee9b00", "#ca6702",
```

```

"#bb3e03", "#3a6ea5")

d <- ggtree(tre, aes(color = location), layout = "rectangular",
  size = 1, mrsd = "2021-12-28") + scale_color_manual(values = cls,
  labels = c("Africa", "Argentina", "Asia",
    "Brazil", "Europe", "North America",
    "Oceania", "South America", "Uruguay")) +
  theme_tree2() + theme(axis.text = element_blank(),
  axis.line.y = element_blank()) + geom_rootpoint(position = "identity") +
  guides(color = guide_legend(title = "Region")) +
  scale_x_ggtree(labels = c("2020-01",
    "2020-07", "2021-01", "2021-07",
    "2022-01"), breaks = c(2020, 2020.5,
    2021, 2021.5, 2022)) + theme(axis.text = element_text(size = 16),
  legend.text = element_text(size = 16),
  legend.title = element_text(size = 18))
d

```



Conclusions

The tMRCA of the Delta sequences clusters from Uruguay dates from early May 2021. Based on unique parent nodes of the UY cluster, at least 47 introductions and re-introductions were detected. The main source of introductions are located in non-bordering countries from South America and Europe.

Create phylogeny

```
tre <- read.beast("treetime_out_joint/fixed_mugration_region/annotated_tree.nexus")

cl <- read.table("nextclade_out.tsv", sep = "\t",
  header = T)
cl <- cl[, 1:2]
colnames(cl)[1] <- c("label")
head(cl)
```

```
##                                label
## 1          LV-012|EPI_ISL_437091|Europe|NA|B.1.1|2020-03-23
## 2          EC-36230|EPI_ISL_491950|SouthAmerica|NA|B.1.1|2020-05-08
## 3          EE-149467|EPI_ISL_1138530|Europe|NA|B.1.177.60|2021-01-26
## 4          NL-ZH-RIVM-38556|EPI_ISL_2610019|Europe|NA|B.1.1.7|2021-05-27
## 5 PE-CAL-INS-736|EPI_ISL_1138417|SouthAmerica|NA|B.1.1.348|2021-01-12
## 6          EC-52438|EPI_ISL_491951|SouthAmerica|NA|B.1.1|2020-06-01
##          clade
## 1          20B
## 2          20B
## 3          20E (EU1)
## 4 20I (Alpha, V1)
## 5          20B
## 6          20B
```

```
dim(cl)
```

```
## [1] 5176    2
```

```
t <- as.data.frame(as_tibble(tre))
tt <- as.data.frame(str_split_fixed(t$label,
  "[|]", 6))
colnames(tt) <- c("id", "accession", "region",
  "subregion", "lineage", "date")
t <- as.data.frame(cbind(t, tt))
head(t)
```

```
##   parent node branch.length
## 1   5167    1      0.06411
## 2   5168    2      0.15978
## 3   5168    3      0.06411
## 4   5170    4      0.00546
## 5   5170    5      0.00000
## 6   5171    6      0.04331
```



```
##                                     label location
## 1          CN-Hu-1|EPI_ISL_402125|Asia|NA|B|2019-12-26      Asia
## 2      AU-VPRL014|EPI_ISL_455603|Oceania|NA|B.1|2020-01-30  Oceania
## 3          CN-WHO1|EPI_ISL_406798|Asia|NA|B|2019-12-26      Asia
## 4 AE-skmc-2200543130|EPI_ISL_582623|Asia|NA|B.53|2020-02-23      Asia
## 5 AE-skmc-2200522146|EPI_ISL_582611|Asia|NA|B.53|2020-02-21      Asia
## 6          SG-1|EPI_ISL_406973|Asia|NA|B|2020-01-23      Asia
##          id      accession  region subregion lineage      date
## 1          CN-Hu-1 EPI_ISL_402125      Asia      NA      B 2019-12-26
## 2          AU-VPRL014 EPI_ISL_455603 Oceania      NA      B.1 2020-01-30
## 3          CN-WHO1 EPI_ISL_406798      Asia      NA      B 2019-12-26
## 4 AE-skmc-2200543130 EPI_ISL_582623      Asia      NA      B.53 2020-02-23
## 5 AE-skmc-2200522146 EPI_ISL_582611      Asia      NA      B.53 2020-02-21
## 6          SG-1 EPI_ISL_406973      Asia      NA      B 2020-01-23
```

```
dim(t)
```

```
## [1] 9225    11
```

```
t <- merge(t, cl, by = "label")
t <- t[order(t$date, decreasing = T), ]
head(t)
```

```
##                                     label parent
## 1208          CN-4044|EPI_ISL_8187354|Asia|NA|BA.1|2021-12-28  7713
## 1939 GF-IPG202101560|EPI_ISL_8207166|SouthAmerica|NA|AY.99.2|2021-12-25  6075
## 1940 GF-IPG202101562|EPI_ISL_8207168|SouthAmerica|NA|AY.43|2021-12-25  6773
## 2025          HK-VM21048074|EPI_ISL_8189300|Asia|NA|BA.1|2021-12-25  7685
## 2320          MA-165|EPI_ISL_8144256|Africa|NA|AY.98|2021-12-25  6307
## 567 BR-CE-FIOCRUZ-45034CE|EPI_ISL_8184739|Brazil|NA|BA.1|2021-12-24  7686
##      node branch.length      location      id      accession
## 1208 3309      0.09819      Asia      CN-4044 EPI_ISL_8187354
## 1939 1225      0.26301 SouthAmerica GF-IPG202101560 EPI_ISL_8207166
## 1940 2132      0.34359 SouthAmerica GF-IPG202101562 EPI_ISL_8207168
## 2025 3274      0.08493      Asia      HK-VM21048074 EPI_ISL_8189300
## 2320 1538      0.65490      Africa      MA-165 EPI_ISL_8144256
## 567  3279      0.04932      Brazil BR-CE-FIOCRUZ-45034CE EPI_ISL_8184739
##      region subregion lineage      date      clade
## 1208      Asia      NA      BA.1 2021-12-28 21K (Omicron)
## 1939 SouthAmerica      NA AY.99.2 2021-12-25 21J (Delta)
## 1940 SouthAmerica      NA AY.43 2021-12-25 21J (Delta)
## 2025      Asia      NA      BA.1 2021-12-25 21K (Omicron)
## 2320      Africa      NA      AY.98 2021-12-25 21J (Delta)
## 567      Brazil      NA      BA.1 2021-12-24 21K (Omicron)
```

```
unique(t$clade)
```

```
## [1] "21K (Omicron)" "21J (Delta)" "21A (Delta)" "21I (Delta)"
## [5] "21H (Mu)" "20J (Gamma, V3)" "21G (Lambda)" "20A"
## [9] "20I (Alpha, V1)" "20C" "20B" "21D (Eta)"
## [13] "21F (Iota)" "19B" "20H (Beta, V2)" "20D"
## [17] "recombinant" "21C (Epsilon)" "20G" "20E (EU1)"
## [21] "19A" "20F"
```

```
uy <- t[which(t$region == "Uruguay"), ]
dim(uy)
```

```
## [1] 1792 12
```

```
meta <- t

cls <- c("#f94144", "#f3722c", "#f8961e",
        "#f9844a", "#f9c74f", "#90be6d", "#43aa8b",
        "#4d908e", "#577590", "#277da1")

g <- ggtree(tre, aes(color = location), layout = "rectangular",
  size = 1, mrsd = "2021-12-28") + scale_color_manual(values = cls) +
  theme_tree2() + theme(axis.text = element_blank(),
    axis.line.y = element_blank()) + geom_rootpoint(position = "identity") +
  guides(color = guide_legend(title = "Region")) +
  scale_x_ggtree(labels = c("2020-01",
    "2020-03", "2020-07", "2020-10",
    "2021-01", "2021-03", "2021-07",
    "2021-10", "2022-01"), breaks = c(2020,
    2020.25, 2020.5, 2020.75, 2021, 2021.25,
    2021.5, 2021.75, 2022)) + theme(axis.text = element_text(size = 16),
    legend.text = element_text(size = 16),
    legend.title = element_text(size = 18))
```

```
delta <- c("21J (Delta)", "21A (Delta)",
  "21I (Delta)")
delta <- filter(t, clade %in% delta)
delta_l <- delta$label
```

```
phy <- tre@phylo
delta_c <- findMRCA(phy, delta_l)
delta_f <- c("Clade")
dt <- as.data.frame(delta_c, delta_f)
```

```
g1 <- g + new_scale_fill()
```

```
cls <- c("#ae4d51")
```

```
fig <- g1 + geom_highlight(data = dt,
  aes(node = delta_c), gradient = T,
  alpha = 0.3, fill = cls) +
  ggtitle("Delta VOC")
```

```
fig
```

Delta VOC



sessionInfo()

```
## R version 4.3.3 (2024-02-29)
## Platform: x86_64-redhat-linux-gnu (64-bit)
## Running under: Fedora Linux 39 (Workstation Edition)
##
## Matrix products: default
## BLAS/LAPACK: FlexiBLAS OPENBLAS-OPENMP; LAPACK version 3.11.0
##
## locale:
##  [1] LC_CTYPE=es_UY.UTF-8      LC_NUMERIC=C
##  [3] LC_TIME=es_UY.UTF-8      LC_COLLATE=es_UY.UTF-8
##  [5] LC_MONETARY=es_UY.UTF-8  LC_MESSAGES=es_UY.UTF-8
##  [7] LC_PAPER=es_UY.UTF-8     LC_NAME=C
##  [9] LC_ADDRESS=C             LC_TELEPHONE=C
## [11] LC_MEASUREMENT=es_UY.UTF-8 LC_IDENTIFICATION=C
##
## time zone: America/Montevideo
## tzcode source: system (glibc)
##
## attached base packages:
## [1] stats      graphics  grDevices  utils      datasets  methods    base
##
## other attached packages:
##  [1] phylobase_0.8.12  phytools_2.2-1    maps_3.4.2      RColorBrewer_1.1-3
##  [5] dplyr_1.1.4       stringr_1.5.1     ggnewscale_0.4.10 tidytree_0.4.6
##  [9] phylotate_1.3     ggplot2_3.5.0     ggtree_3.10.1   treeio_1.26.0
## [13] ape_5.7-1
##
## loaded via a namespace (and not attached):
##  [1] ade4_1.7-22        tidyselect_1.2.1    farver_2.1.1
##  [4] optimParallel_1.0-2 fastmap_1.1.1        lazyeval_0.2.2
##  [7] combinat_0.0-8     XML_3.99-0.16.1     digest_0.6.35
## [10] lifecycle_1.0.4    magrittr_2.0.3      compiler_4.3.3
## [13] progress_1.2.3     rlang_1.1.3         tools_4.3.3
## [16] igraph_2.0.3       utf8_1.2.4          yaml_2.3.8
## [19] knitr_1.45         phangorn_2.11.1     clusterGeneration_1.3.8
## [22] labeling_0.4.3     prettyunits_1.2.0   mnormt_2.1.1
## [25] scatterplot3d_0.3-44 xml2_1.3.6          plyr_1.8.9
## [28] RNeXML_2.4.11      aplot_0.2.2         expm_0.999-9
## [31] withr_3.0.0        purrr_1.0.2         numDeriv_2016.8-1.1
## [34] grid_4.3.3         fansi_1.0.6         colorspace_2.1-0
## [37] scales_1.3.0       iterators_1.0.14    MASS_7.3-60.0.1
## [40] cli_3.6.2          crayon_1.5.2        rmarkdown_2.26
## [43] generics_0.1.3     rstudioapi_0.15.0   httr_1.4.7
## [46] reshape2_1.4.4     cachem_1.0.8        parallel_4.3.3
## [49] ggplotify_0.1.2    formatR_1.14        yulab.utils_0.1.4
## [52] vctr_0.6.5         Matrix_1.6-5        jsonlite_1.8.8
## [55] hms_1.1.3          gridGraphics_0.5-1  patchwork_1.2.0
## [58] foreach_1.5.2      tidyr_1.3.1         glue_1.7.0
## [61] codetools_0.2-19   DEoptim_2.2-8       stringi_1.8.3
## [64] gtable_0.3.4       quadprog_1.5-8      munsell_0.5.0
## [67] tibble_3.2.1       pillar_1.9.0        htmltools_0.5.7
```

## [70]	R6_2.5.1	doParallel_1.0.17	evaluate_0.23
## [73]	lattice_0.22-5	highr_0.10	memoise_2.0.1
## [76]	ggfun_0.1.4	rncl_0.8.7	Rcpp_1.0.12
## [79]	uuid_1.2-0	fastmatch_1.1-4	coda_0.19-4.1
## [82]	nlme_3.1-164	xfun_0.42	fs_1.6.3
## [85]	pkgconfig_2.0.3		