

The Wright-Fisher Model & Standard Coalescent

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Segregating sites (S)

Definition

A segregating site is a site that is polymorphic in the data—i.e., there are multiple alleles observed.

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Gene diversity (h & H)

Definition

Gene diversity is the probability that two random DNA sequences are different.

Equation

$$h = 1 - \left(p^2 + (1 - p)^2 \right) \quad (1)$$

Where p is the frequency of the derived/alternative allele at a given site.

$$H = \frac{1}{L} \sum_{j=1}^L h_j \quad (2)$$

Where h_j is the gene diversity for site j and L is to the total number of sites.

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$$H = \frac{28}{16} \times \frac{1}{4} = \frac{7}{16}$$

Nucleotide diversity (Π & π)

Definition

Nucleotide diversity is the average number of pairwise differences between genotypes drawn from the same population.

Nucleotide diversity (Π & π)

Equation

$$\Pi = \sum_{i < j} k_{ij} \quad (3)$$

Where k_{ij} is the number of nucleotide differences between the i^{th} and j^{th} sample at a given site.

$$\pi = \frac{1}{\binom{n}{2}} \sum_{j=1}^L \Pi_j \quad (4)$$

Where Π_j is the nucleotide diversity for site j , L is the total number of sites in the genotype matrix, and $\binom{n}{2}$ is number of unique comparisons between n samples in the genotype matrix.

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$$\pi = 14 \div \binom{4}{2} = 14 \div \frac{4(4-1)}{2} = \frac{14}{6}$$

Average nucleotide diversity in the presence of missing data (π_{pixy})

Equation

$$\text{Numerator}_{pixy} = \frac{1}{L_{called}} \sum_{j=1}^{L_{called}} \Pi_j \quad (5)$$

$$\text{Denominator}_{pixy} = \frac{1}{L_{called}} \sum_{j=1}^{L_{called}} \binom{n_{called}}{2}_j \quad (6)$$

$$\pi_{pixy} = \frac{\text{Numerator}_{pixy}}{\text{Denominator}_{pixy}} \quad (7)$$

Where Π_j is the nucleotide diversity among called genotypes for site j , L_{called} is to the total number of sites in the genotype matrix that have at least one called genotype, and $\binom{n_{called}}{2}_j$ is number of unique comparisons between n_{called} samples with genotype information at site j .

π_{pixy}

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & - & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & - & - & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & - & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$Numerator_{pixy} = \frac{13}{5}$$

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Modeling evolution

Q: Why do we need to model evolution?

Modeling evolution

A: To assess departures from neutrality.

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- Discrete time process with non-overlapping generations
- All mutations are neutral

WF population ($N = 5$)

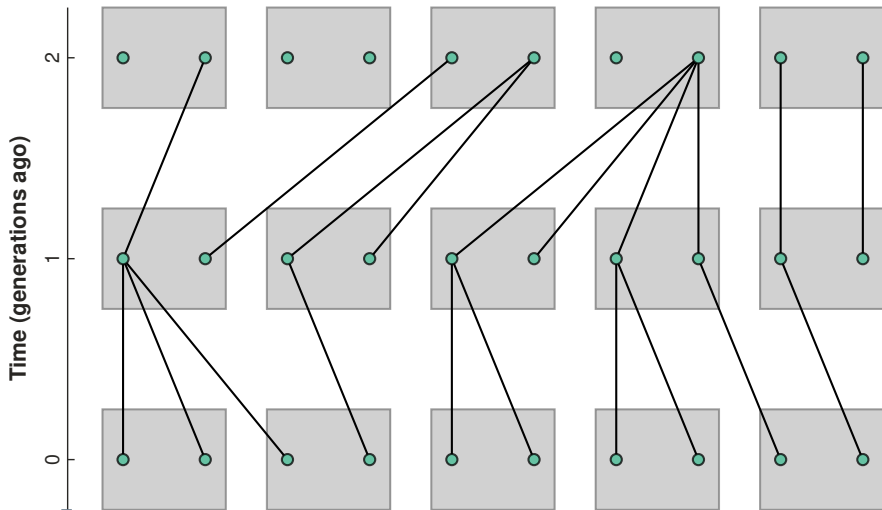


Simulating under the WF model

Simulating Reproduction

Sample with replacement an allelic copy (i) in the current generation (t) with a probability of $\frac{1}{2N}$ to produce an offspring in the next generation ($t + 1$), until there are $2N$ allelic copies in the next generation.

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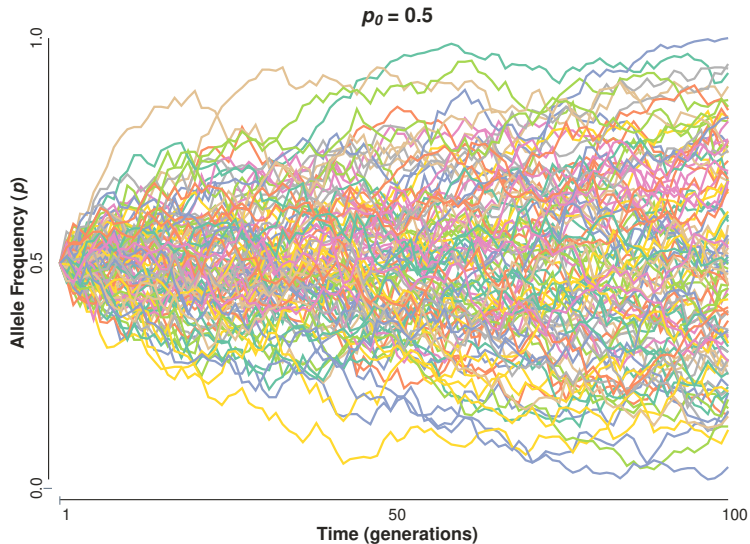
WF model & genetic drift

Definition

$$Pr(j) = \binom{2N}{j} \left(\frac{j}{2N}\right)^j \left(\frac{2N-j}{2N}\right)^{2N-j} \quad (8)$$

Where j represents the number of allelic copies of a particular allele.

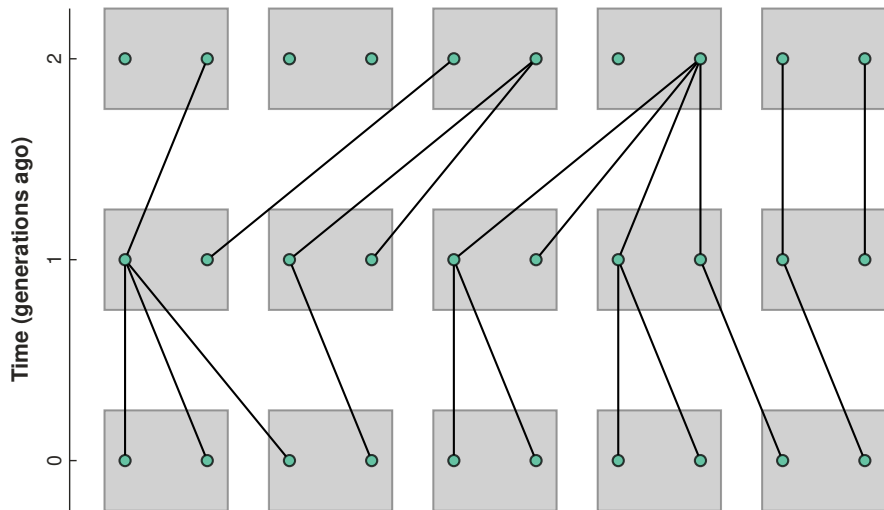
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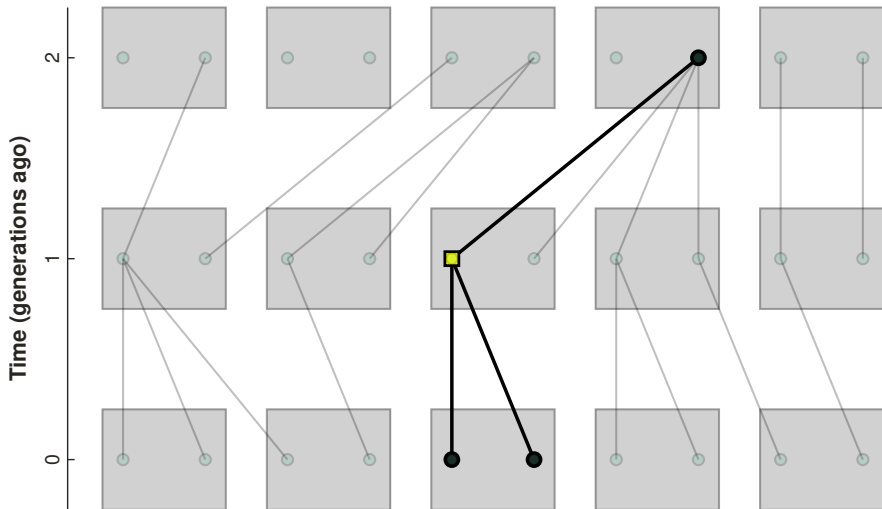
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The standard coalescent



Finding the same parent = coalescence



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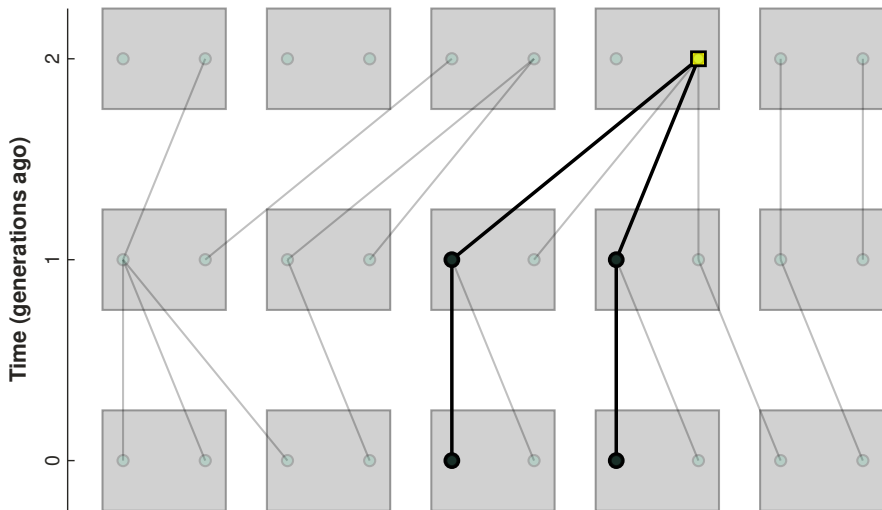
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$$\text{Pr}(\text{COAL in the previous generation}) = 10 \times \frac{1}{10} \times \frac{1}{10} = \frac{1}{2N} \quad (10)$$

Parent \neq Most Recent Common Ancestor (MRCA)



Pr(two lineages coalesce two generations ago)

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$$\mathbb{E}(T_i) = \frac{2N}{\binom{i}{2}} \quad (16)$$

Time until the first coalescent event (T_i)

Example

$$\mathbb{E}(T_2)$$

$$\mathbb{E}(T_3)$$

$$\mathbb{E}(T_4)$$

$$\mathbb{E}(T_5)$$

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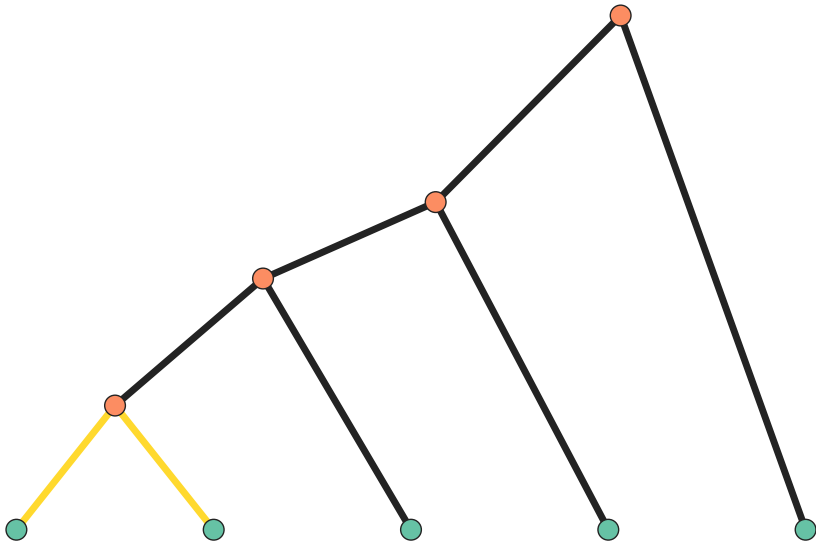
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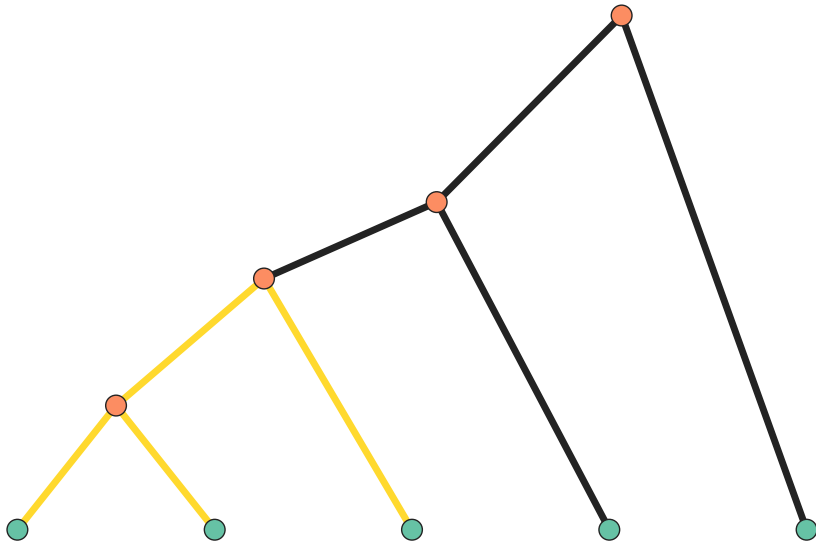
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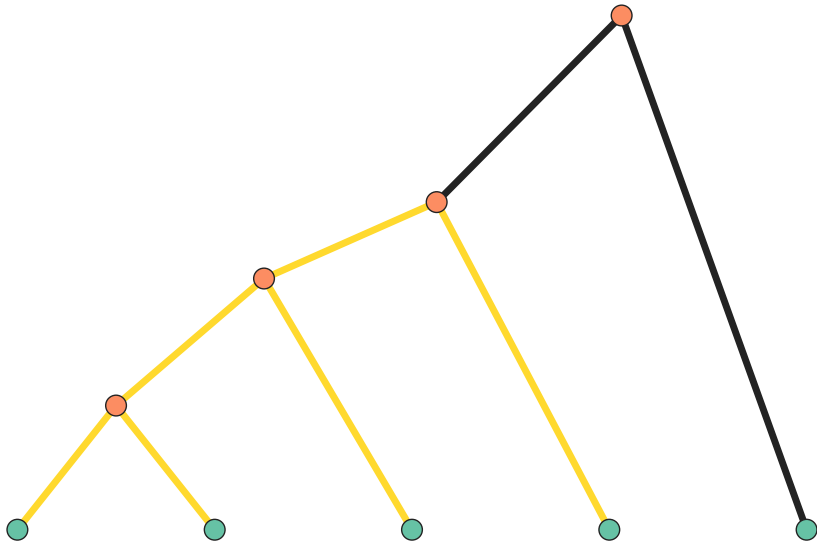
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$$T_5$$


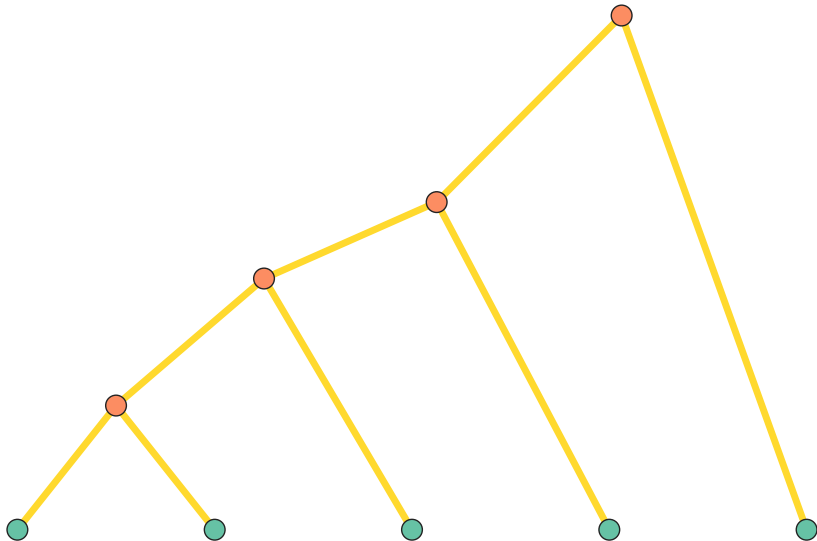
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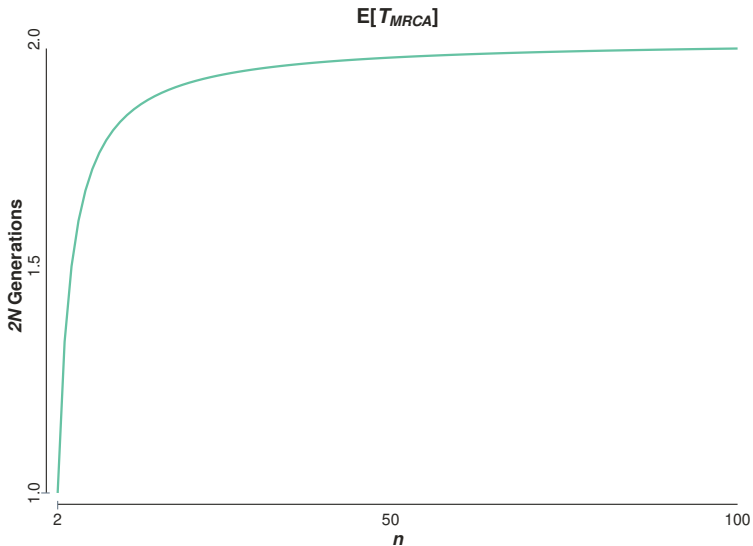
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Behavior of $\mathbb{E}[T_{MRCA}]$



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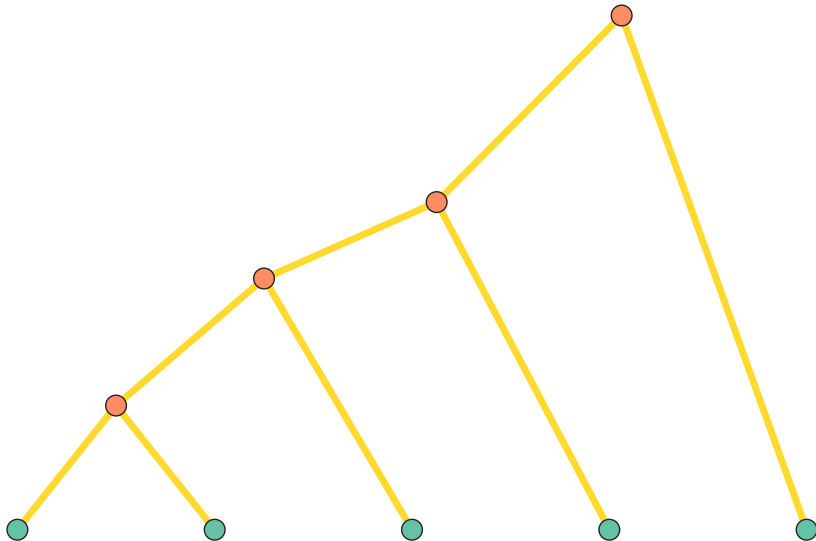
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