RQ1 Analysis and Visuals

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#Load in all packages
library(readxl)
## Warning: package 'readxl' was built under R version 4.3.3
library(nlme)
## Warning: package 'nlme' was built under R version 4.3.3
library(lme4)
## Warning: package 'lme4' was built under R version 4.3.3
## Loading required package: Matrix
## Warning: package 'Matrix' was built under R version 4.3.3
## Attaching package: 'lme4'
## The following object is masked from 'package:nlme':
##
       lmList
library(DAAG)
## Warning: package 'DAAG' was built under R version 4.3.3
library(ggplot2)
## Warning: package 'ggplot2' was built under R version 4.3.3
library(dplyr)
## Warning: package 'dplyr' was built under R version 4.3.3
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'
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## The following object is masked from 'package:nlme':
##
       collapse
##
## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
       filter, lag
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##
       intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
library(MuMIn)
## Warning: package 'MuMIn' was built under R version 4.3.3
library(car)
## Warning: package 'car' was built under R version 4.3.3
## Loading required package: carData
## Warning: package 'carData' was built under R version 4.3.3
##
## Attaching package: 'car'
## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
##
##
       recode
## The following object is masked from 'package:DAAG':
##
##
       vif
library(viridis)
## Warning: package 'viridis' was built under R version 4.3.3
## Loading required package: viridisLite
library(DHARMa)
## Warning: package 'DHARMa' was built under R version 4.3.3
## This is DHARMa 0.4.7. For overview type '?DHARMa'. For recent changes, type news(package = 'DHARMa')
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library(FSA)
## Warning: package 'FSA' was built under R version 4.3.3
## Registered S3 methods overwritten by 'FSA':
     method
##
     confint.boot car
     hist.boot
## ## FSA v0.9.6. See citation('FSA') if used in publication.
## ## Run fishR() for related website and fishR('IFAR') for related book.
##
## Attaching package: 'FSA'
## The following object is masked from 'package:car':
##
##
       bootCase
library(emmeans)
## Warning: package 'emmeans' was built under R version 4.3.3
## Welcome to emmeans.
## Caution: You lose important information if you filter this package's results.
## See '? untidy'
library(ggpubr)
## Warning: package 'ggpubr' was built under R version 4.3.3
library(rstatix)
## Warning: package 'rstatix' was built under R version 4.3.3
## Attaching package: 'rstatix'
## The following object is masked from 'package:stats':
##
##
       filter
library(glmmTMB)
## Warning: package 'glmmTMB' was built under R version 4.3.3
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library(boot)
## Warning: package 'boot' was built under R version 4.3.3
##
## Attaching package: 'boot'
## The following object is masked from 'package:car':
##
##
      logit
library(lmPerm)
## Warning: package 'lmPerm' was built under R version 4.3.3
Import the datasets and convert abundance to copies per gram
#Import the dataset
data <- read.csv(file.path(</pre>
 "C:/Users/Joyalea/Documents/UBCO/Thesis",
 "Final_Files",
 "RQ1_AMFAbundance",
 "RQ1_results_cleaned_ddPCR.csv"
))
#Review data import
head(data)
                   species biomass copies uL copies 20uL copies rxn
##
    mesocosm id
## 1
             1
                   Bromus 14.39
                                          0
                                                      0
                                                                 0 0.428
## 2
             1
                   Festuca 31.19
                                          0
                                                      0
                                                                 0 0.189
## 3
             1 Gaillardia 6.69
                                         0
                                                      0
                                                                 0 0.232
## 4
              1 Taraxacum 24.34
                                          0
                                                      0
                                                                 0 0.316
## 5
              2
                    Bromus 26.19
                                          0
                                                      0
                                                                 0 0.412
## 6
              2
                   Festuca 40.62
                                          0
                                                                 0 0.197
    seed_weight date_bio_harvested date_roots_havested number_plants
##
## 1
             NA
                            27-Aug
                                               27-Aug
## 2
             NA
                            27-Aug
                                               27-Aug
                                                                  3
## 3
             NA
                                                                  3
                            27-Aug
                                               27-Aug
                                                                  3
## 4
             NA
                            27-Aug
                                               27-Aug
                                                                  3
## 5
             NA
                            27-Aug
                                               27-Aug
## 6
             NA
                            27-Aug
                                               27-Aug
str(data)
                   112 obs. of 11 variables:
## 'data.frame':
## $ mesocosm_id : int 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 2 3 3 ...
## $ species
                       : chr "Bromus" "Festuca" "Gaillardia" "Taraxacum" ...
                       : num 14.39 31.19 6.69 24.34 26.19 ...
## $ biomass
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## $ copies uL
                     : num 0000000000...
## $ copies 20uL
                       : num 0000000000...
## $ copies_rxn
                       : num 0000000000...
## $ P
                       : num  0.428  0.189  0.232  0.316  0.412  0.197  0.244  0.299  NA  NA ...
## $ seed weight
                        : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ date bio harvested : chr "27-Aug" "27-Aug" "27-Aug" "27-Aug" ...
## $ date roots havested: chr "27-Aug" "27-Aug" "27-Aug" "27-Aug" ...
## $ number plants
                       : int 2 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 2 3 ...
tail(data)
##
       mesocosm_id
                     species biomass copies_uL copies_20uL copies_rxn
                                                                         Ρ
## 107
               27 Gaillardia
                              13.09
                                          0.56
                                                    11.2
                                                              12.32
                                                                        NA
## 108
               27 Taraxacum
                              24.22
                                          0.22
                                                      4.4
                                                               4.84
                                                                        NA
                                          0.00
                                                      0.0
                                                                0.00 0.366
## 109
               28
                      Bromus 23.48
                     Festuca 72.10
                                          0.00
                                                      0.0
                                                               0.00 0.149
## 110
               28
## 111
               28 Gaillardia 12.99
                                          0.50
                                                     10.0
                                                              11.00 0.210
                                          0.00
                                                      0.0
## 112
               28 Taraxacum 18.06
                                                               0.00 0.243
      seed_weight date_bio_harvested date_roots_havested number_plants
        0.002060
## 107
                              28-Aug
                                                 04-Sep
## 108
                              28-Aug
                                                 04-Sep
                                                                    3
               NA
## 109
               NA
                              28-Aug
                                                 05-Sep
                                                                    2
## 110
                                                                    3
               NA
                              28-Aug
                                                 05-Sep
## 111
         0.001730
                              28-Aug
                                                 05-Sep
                                                                    3
## 112
         0.000505
                              28-Aug
                                                 05-Sep
#Add treatment group and growing block
data <- data %>%
 mutate(treatment = ifelse(mesocosm_id %in% c(1:7), "Control",
                           ifelse(mesocosm id %in% c(8:14), "197198",
                                  ifelse(mesocosm id %in% c(15:21), "240448",
                           ifelse(mesocosm_id %in% c(22:28), "240720", NA)))),
        block = ifelse(mesocosm_id %in% c(15, 20, 22, 12, 11, 14, 24, 27,
                                          19, 21, 25, 3, 2, 7), "A",
                       ifelse(mesocosm_id %in% c(4, 17, 9, 28, 6, 1, 5, 18, 8,
                                               26, 16, 23, 13, 10), "B", NA)))
View(data)
data$mesocosm_id<-as.character(data$mesocosm_id)</pre>
#Add dilution factors of the variance mesocosms
#Read in the file
dilution_df <- read_excel(file.path(</pre>
  "C:/Users/Joyalea/Documents/UBCO/Thesis",
 "Final_Files",
 "RQ1_AMFAbundance",
  "Variance DilutionFactors M24 M25.xlsx"
))
## New names:
## * '' -> '...5'
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colnames(dilution_df)
## [1] "Meso"
                         "mesocosm_id"
                                           "species"
                                                             "meso_conc_avg"
## [5] "...5"
                         "DNA"
                                           "H20"
                                                             "dilution_factor"
#Clean and rename columns
dilution_df <- dilution_df %>% mutate(
   mesocosm_id = as.character(mesocosm_id),
   species = as.factor(species)
 ) %>%
  select(species, mesocosm_id, dilution_factor)
#Merge dilution df into main dataset and apply dilution correction
data <- data %>%
 left_join(dilution_df, by = c("species", "mesocosm_id"))
#Check the merge was successful
data %>%
 filter(mesocosm_id %in% c("24", "25")) %>%
 select(species, mesocosm_id, dilution_factor)
##
        species mesocosm_id dilution_factor
## 1
                                   2.512778
        Bromus
                         24
       Festuca
                        24
## 2
                                  3.673333
## 3 Gaillardia
                         24
                                 15.958333
## 4 Taraxacum
                         24
                                  4.474444
## 5
        Bromus
                         25
                                  3.286667
## 6
                        25
                                  4.028889
       Festuca
## 7 Gaillardia
                         25
                                  16.669444
                                  4.661111
## 8 Taraxacum
                         25
#Add elution volume (30uL * 9 = 270uL variance mesocosms; 3000uL main analysis)
data <- data %>%
 mutate(elution_volume = ifelse(mesocosm_id %in% c("24", "25"), 270, 3000))
#Add root mass to the dataset
data <- data %>%
 mutate(root mass = case when(
   mesocosm_id %in% c("24", "25") & species %in% c("Bromus", "Festuca") ~ 0.9,
   mesocosm_id %in% c("24", "25") & species %in% c("Gaillardia", "Taraxacum") ~ 1.8,
   TRUE ~ 1.5
 ))
#Calculate total copies accounting for elution volume and dilution factor
data <- data %>%
 mutate(
   total_copies = case_when(
     mesocosm_id %in% c("24", "25") ~ copies_rxn * dilution_factor * (elution_volume / 3),
     TRUE ~ copies_rxn * (elution_volume / 3)
   )
  )
```

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#Calculate copies_g based on total copies (total copies/root mass extracted from)
data <- data %>%
  mutate(copies_g = total_copies / root_mass)
#Check steps were performed correctly
data %>%
  filter(mesocosm_id %in% c("24", "25")) %>%
  select(species, mesocosm id, copies rxn, dilution factor,
         elution_volume, root_mass, total_copies, copies_g)
##
        species mesocosm_id copies_rxn dilution_factor elution_volume root_mass
## 1
        Bromus
                               2450.80
                                               2.512778
                         24
                                                                   270
                                                                             0.9
        Festuca
                                               3.673333
## 2
                         24
                                  0.00
                                                                   270
                                                                             0.9
                                  7.92
## 3 Gaillardia
                         24
                                              15.958333
                                                                   270
                                                                             1.8
## 4 Taraxacum
                         24
                                 11.22
                                                                   270
                                                                             1.8
                                               4.474444
## 5
                         25
                                                                             0.9
         Bromus
                                  5.50
                                               3.286667
                                                                   270
## 6
                         25
                                                                             0.9
        Festuca
                                 11.66
                                               4.028889
                                                                   270
## 7 Gaillardia
                         25
                                 19.36
                                              16.669444
                                                                   270
                                                                             1.8
## 8 Taraxacum
                         25
                                 16.28
                                               4.661111
                                                                   270
                                                                             1.8
    total_copies copies_g
       554248.420 615831.578
## 1
## 2
            0.000
                       0.000
## 3
       11375.100
                    6319.500
## 4
        4518.294 2510.163
## 5
         1626.900 1807.667
## 6
         4227.916
                   4697.684
## 7
       29044.840 16136.022
## 8
        6829.460 3794.144
#looks good
#Convert treatment to a factor and copies per gram to numeric
data$treatment<-as.factor(data$treatment)</pre>
#Copies/q is numeric
data$copies_g<-as.numeric(data$copies_g)</pre>
#summary of dataset
summary(data$mesocosm_id) #all mesocosms have four observations
##
      Length
                 Class
##
         112 character character
#Create data frames to view species independently
#view species independently
data_gaillardia<-data%>%
  filter(species=="Gaillardia")
data_taraxacum<-data%>%
 filter(species=="Taraxacum")
data_bromus<-data%>%
  filter(species=="Bromus")
data festuca<-data%>%
  filter(species=="Festuca")
```

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#Create data frames to view treatments independently
#197198

data_197198<-data%>%
    filter(treatment == "197198")

#240448

data_240448<-data%>%
    filter(treatment == "240448")

#240720

data_240720<-data%>%
    filter(treatment == "240720")
```

Data visualisation

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#Create a new data frame named 'SUBSET' (remove control group)
SUBSET<-data%>%
 filter(treatment != "Control")
#Drop level "control"
SUBSET <- SUBSET %>% mutate(treatment = droplevels(treatment))
#Confirm contorl was removed
str(SUBSET)
## 'data.frame': 84 obs. of 18 variables:
## $ mesocosm_id : chr "8" "8" "8" "8" ...
## $ species
                    : chr "Bromus" "Festuca" "Gaillardia" "Taraxacum" ...
## $ biomass
                    : num 42.2 37.6 10.7 17.6 36 ...
                    : num 0.73 0 0.71 7.3 10.6 0.75 0.74 2 0.57 0 ...
## $ copies_uL
## $ copies_20uL
                    : num 14.6 0 14.2 146 212 15 14.8 40 11.4 0 ...
## $ copies_rxn
                    : num 16.1 0 15.6 160.6 233.2 ...
## $ P
                     : num 0.311 0.194 0.28 0.251 NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ seed_weight : num NA NA NA NA NA NA O.000635 NA NA ...
## $ date_bio_harvested : chr "27-Aug" "27-Aug" "27-Aug" "27-Aug" ...
## $ date_roots_havested: chr "05-Sep" "05-Sep" "05-Sep" "05-Sep" ...
## $ number_plants : int 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 ...
                    : Factor w/ 3 levels "197198","240448",..: 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ treatment
                    : chr "B" "B" "B" "B" ...
## $ block
## $ dilution_factor : num NA ...
## $ root_mass
## $ total_copies
                    : num 16060 0 15620 160600 233200 ...
                    : num 10707 0 10413 107067 155467 ...
## $ copies_g
#Check for outliers
range(SUBSET$copies_g)
```

[1] 0.0 615831.6

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median(SUBSET$copies_g)

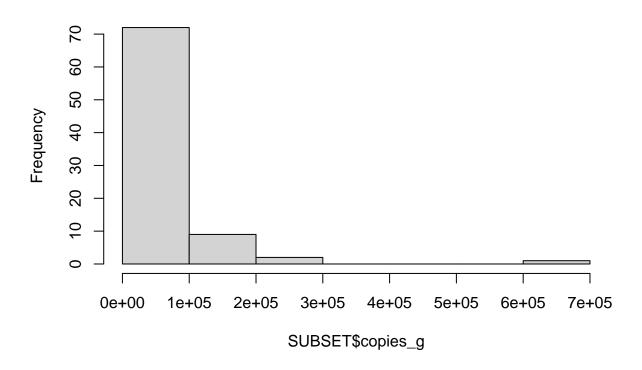
## [1] 14668.01

245080/12100

## [1] 20.25455

#One plant has unusually high abundance (>20X median abundance)
#SUBSET<-SUBSET%>%
  # filter(copies_g<=400) #Remove outlier temporarily
#summary(SUBSET)</pre>
```

Histogram of SUBSET\$copies_g



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#AMF abundance data (ddPCR) is notoriously zero heavy, check zero cout
#Proportion of zeros
print(SUBSET%>%count(copies_g==0)) #20
```

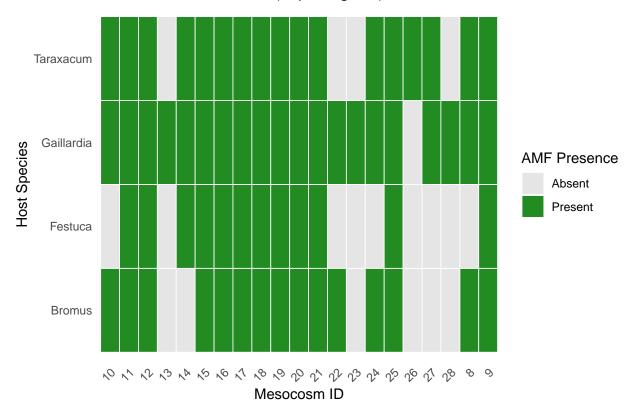
```
## 1 copies_g == 0 n
## 1 FALSE 64
## 2 TRUE 20
```

#Check histogram shape

hist(SUBSET\$copies_g) #Likely zero inflated

```
SUBSET <- SUBSET %>%
  mutate(presence = ifelse(copies_g > 0, 1, 0))
#Plot presence by mescososm
presence_mesocosm<-ggplot(SUBSET, aes(x = mesocosm_id, y = species, fill = factor(presence))) +
  geom_tile(color = "white", linewidth = 0.3) +
  scale_fill_manual(values = c("0" = "grey90", "1" = "forestgreen"),
                    name = "AMF Presence", labels = c("Absent", "Present")) +
  labs(
   title = "AMF Isolate Presence (copies_g > 0)",
   x = "Mesocosm ID",
    y = "Host Species"
  ) +
  theme_minimal() +
  theme(
    axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 45, hjust = 1),
    panel.grid = element_blank()
print(presence_mesocosm)
```

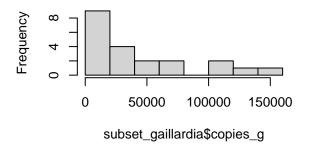
AMF Isolate Presence (copies_g > 0)

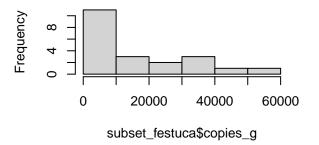


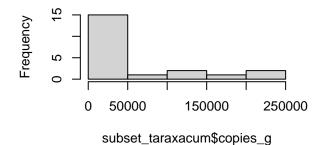
```
#Compare each species independently to see if each group follows the same
#distribution
#view species independently
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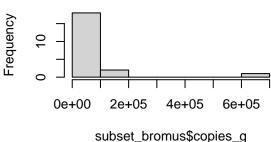
```
subset_gaillardia<-SUBSET%>%
  filter(species=="Gaillardia")
subset_taraxacum<-SUBSET%>%
  filter(species=="Taraxacum")
subset_bromus<-SUBSET%>%
  filter(species=="Bromus")
subset_festuca<-SUBSET%>%
  filter(species=="Festuca")
#Compare to variance mesocosms
subset_festuca %>%
 filter(mesocosm_id %in% c(24)) %>%
  summarise(mean_copies = mean(copies_g, na.rm = TRUE))
##
   mean_copies
## 1
#By treament
#197198
subset_197198<-SUBSET%>%
  filter(treatment == "197198")
#240448
subset_240448<-SUBSET%>%
 filter(treatment == "240448")
#240720
subset_240720<-SUBSET%>%
  filter(treatment == "240720")
par(mfrow = c(2, 2))
#View distirbtuion of gorups
#GAILLARDIA
hist(subset_gaillardia$copies_g)
#FESTUCA
hist(subset_festuca$copies_g) #non linear??
#TARAXACUM
hist(subset_taraxacum$copies_g)
#BROMUS
hist(subset_bromus$copies_g)
```

Histogram of subset_gaillardia\$copies_ Histogram of subset_festuca\$copies_





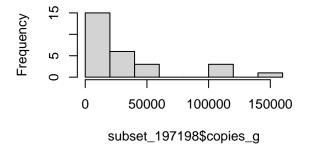


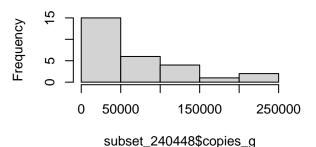


```
#Roughly similiar distributions

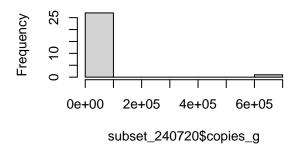
#BY TREATMENT
#197198
hist(subset_197198$copies_g)
#240448
hist(subset_240448$copies_g)
#240720
hist(subset_240720$copies_g)
#all have a right skewed distribution with a spike at small values/zero.
#DAOM240720 spikes at zero and 600,000
par(mfrow = c(1, 1))
```

Histogram of subset_197198\$copies_(Histogram of subset_240448\$copies_(





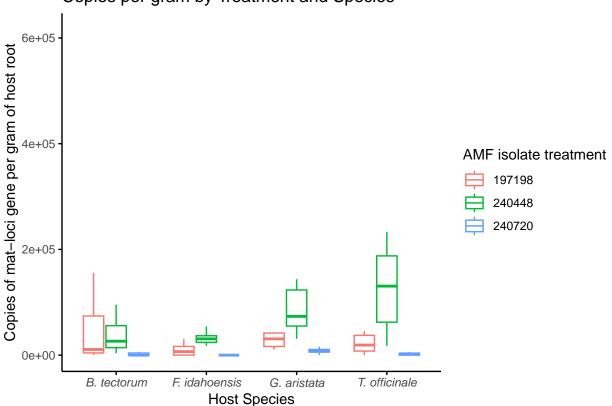
Histogram of subset_240720\$copies_



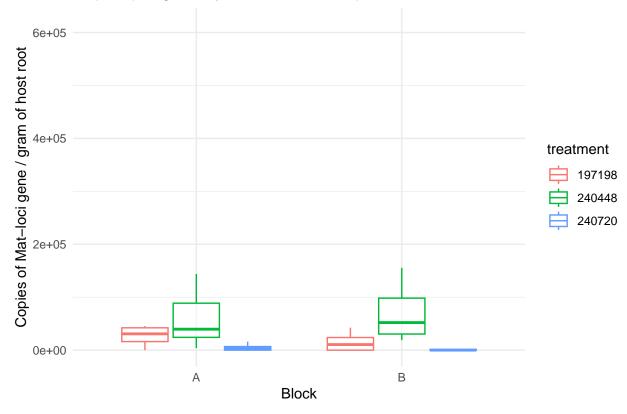
```
#Create species labels for plots
species_labels <- c(</pre>
  "Bromus"
               = expression(italic("B. tectorum")),
  "Taraxacum" = expression(italic("T. officinale")),
              = expression(italic("F. idahoensis")),
 "Festuca"
 "Gaillardia" = expression(italic("G. aristata"))
)
#Plot copies/g as a response to treatment and species, Line represents median,
#Boxes show the interquartile range -- 25 percentile and 75 percentile of the
#data. Line represents the center of the data
print(plot_copies <- ggplot(SUBSET, aes(x = species, y = copies_g,</pre>
                                        color = treatment)) +
        scale_x_discrete(labels = species_labels) +
        geom_boxplot(alpha = 0.5, outlier.shape = NA) +
        labs(
          title = "Copies per gram by Treatment and Species",
          x = "Host Species",
          y = "Copies of mat-loci gene per gram of host root",
          color = "AMF isolate treatment" # custom legend title
        ) +
        theme_minimal() +
        theme(
          panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
          panel.grid.minor = element blank(),
          panel.border = element_blank(),
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```
axis.line = element_line(color = "black"),
axis.ticks = element_line(color = "black")
))
```

Copies per gram by Treatment and Species

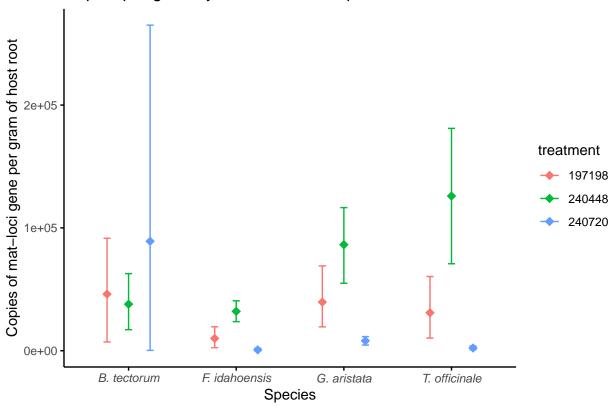


Copies per gram by Treatment and Species

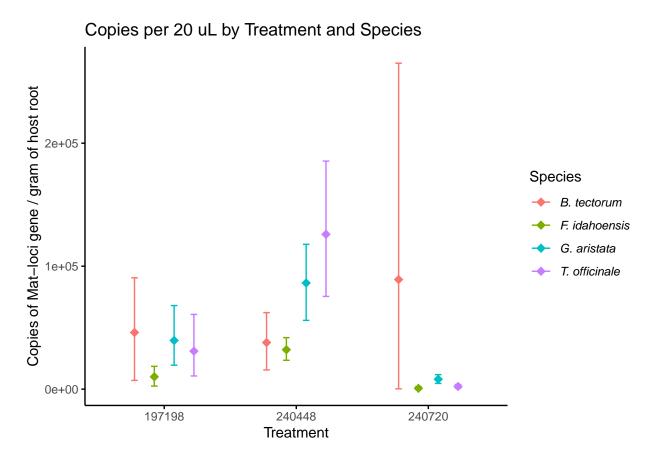


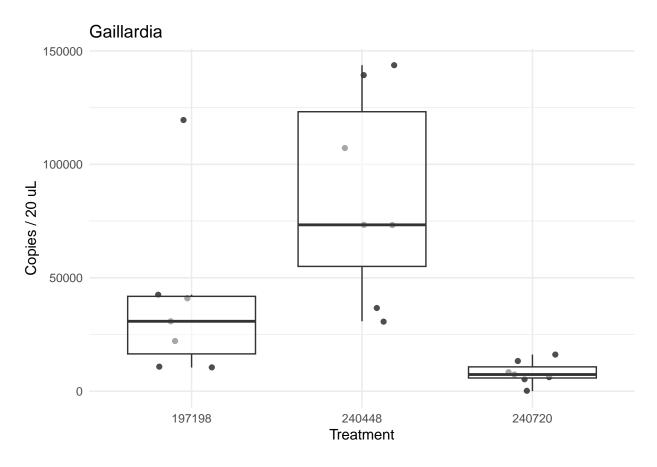
```
#No notable differences
print(plot_copies_mean <- ggplot(SUBSET, aes(x = species, y = copies_g,</pre>
                                             color = treatment)) +
        stat_summary(fun.data = mean_cl_boot, geom = "errorbar",
                     position = position_dodge(width = 0.6), width = 0.2) +
        stat_summary(fun = mean, geom = "point", shape = 18, size = 3,
                     position = position_dodge(width = 0.6)) +
        scale_x_discrete(labels = species_labels) +
        labs(title = "Copies per gram by Treatment and Species",
             x = "Species",
             y = "Copies of mat-loci gene per gram of host root") +
        theme_minimal() +
        theme(
          panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
          panel.grid.minor = element_blank(),
          panel.border = element_blank(),
          axis.line = element_line(color = "black"),
          axis.ticks = element_line(color = "black")
```

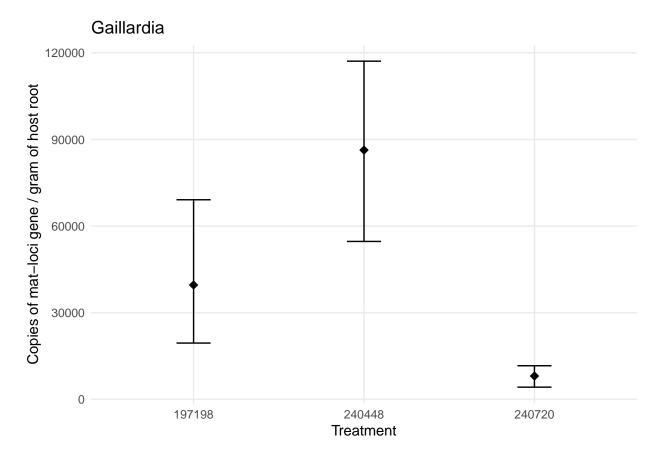


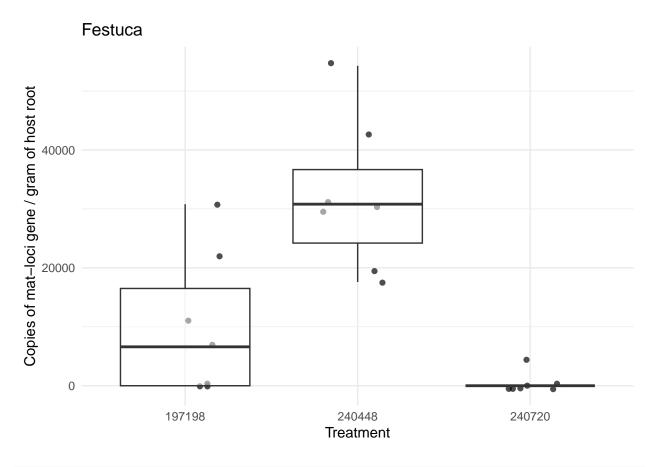


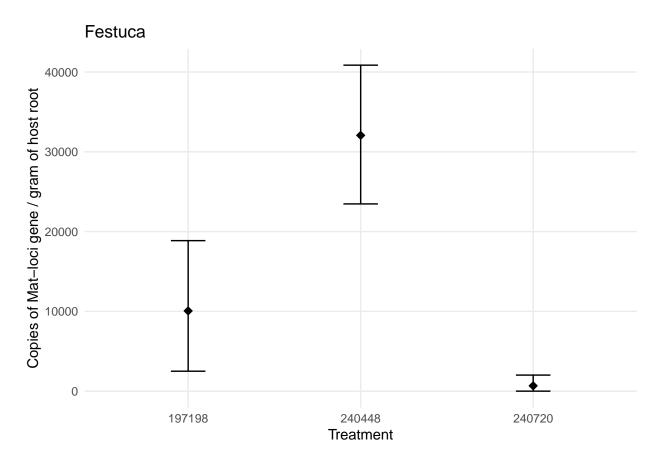
```
#Mean with treatment
print(plot_copies_mean_treatment <- ggplot(SUBSET, aes(x = treatment, y = copies_g,</pre>
                                                        color = species)) +
        stat_summary(fun.data = mean_cl_boot, geom = "errorbar",
                     position = position_dodge(width = 0.6), width = 0.2) +
        stat_summary(fun = mean, geom = "point", shape = 18, size = 3,
                     position = position_dodge(width = 0.6)) +
        scale_color_discrete(labels = c(
          "Gaillardia" = expression(italic("G. aristata")),
          "Taraxacum" = expression(italic("T. officinale")),
          "Bromus"
                       = expression(italic("B. tectorum")),
          "Festuca"
                       = expression(italic("F. idahoensis"))
        )) +
        labs(title = "Copies per 20 uL by Treatment and Species",
             x = "Treatment",
             y = "Copies of Mat-loci gene / gram of host root",
             color = "Species") +
        theme_minimal() +
        theme(
          panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
          panel.grid.minor = element_blank(),
          panel.border = element_blank(),
          axis.line = element_line(color = "black"),
          axis.ticks = element_line(color = "black")
        ))
```



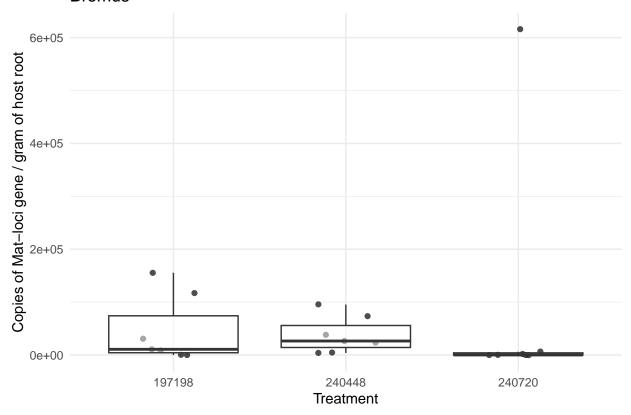


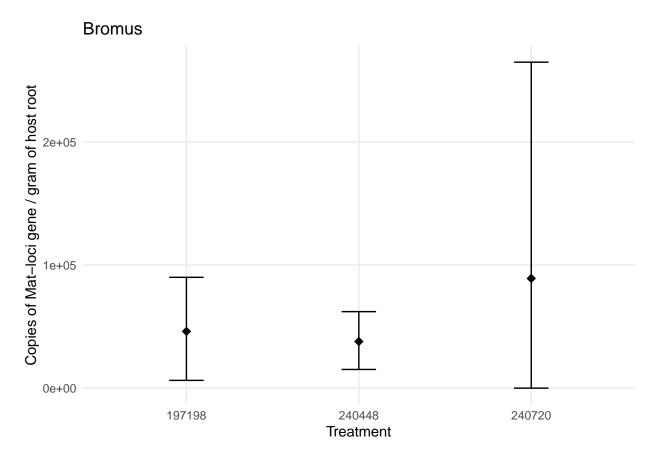




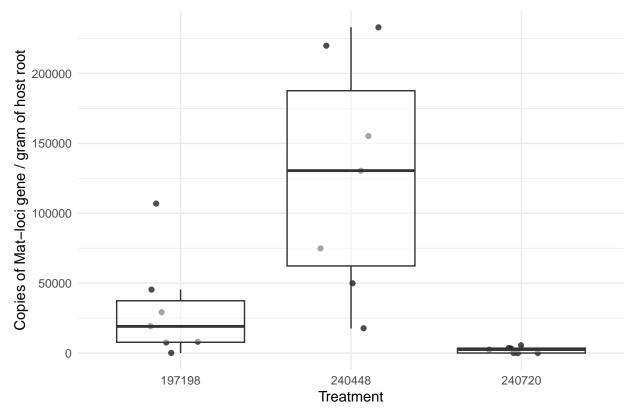


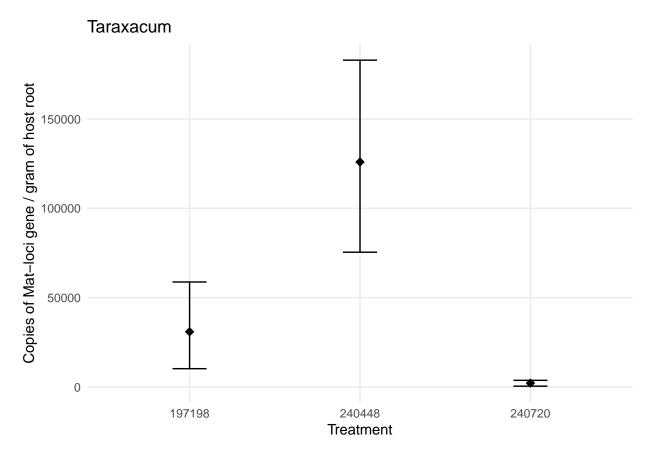
Bromus

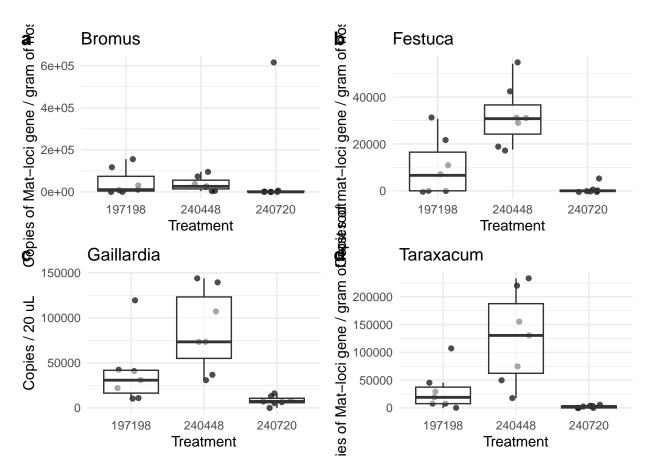


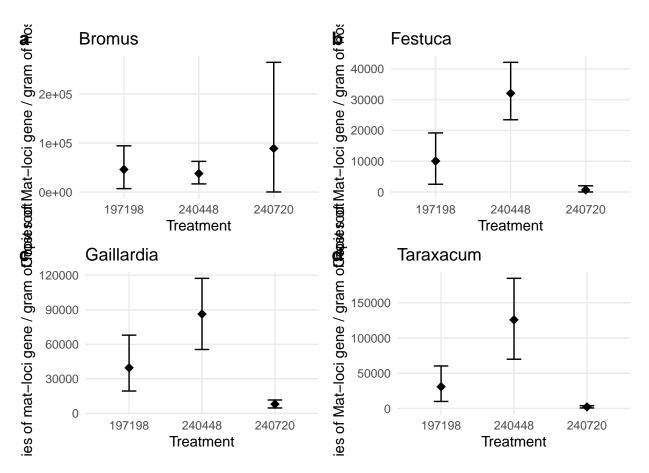


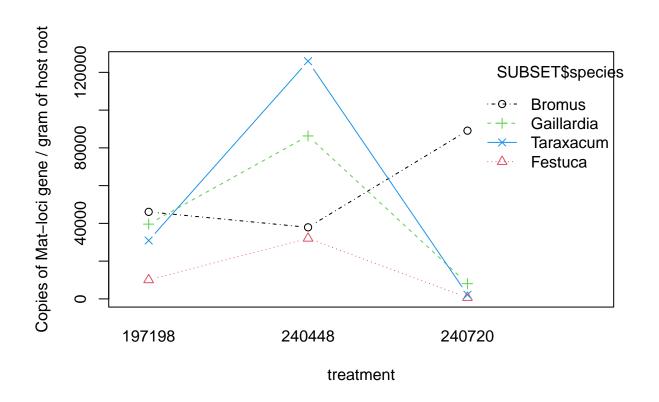


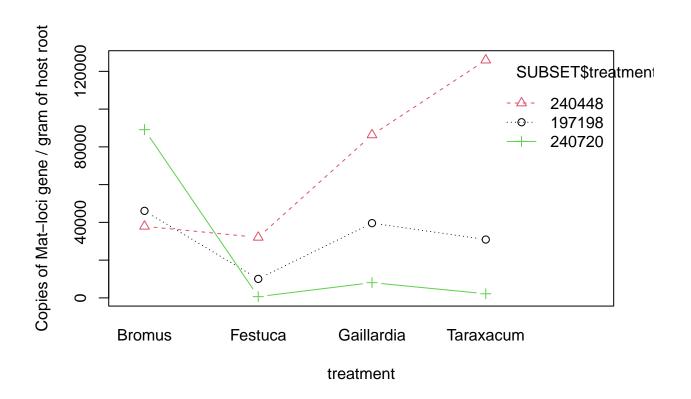












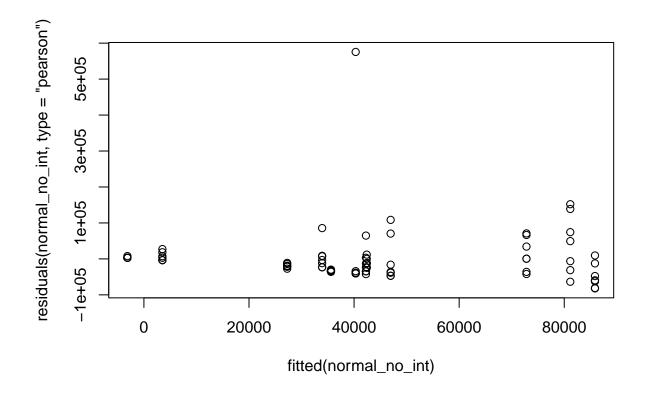
```
#240720 stays consistently low, 240448 spikes in gaillardia and taraxacum.
```

Note that the echo = FALSE parameter was added to the code chunk to prevent printing of the R code that generated the plot.

Model Selection

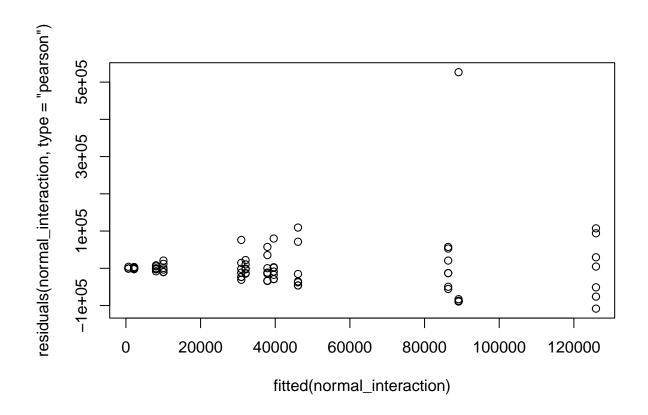
```
#Start with the simplest models
#Normal distribution
#No interaction
normal_no_int<-glm(copies_g~treatment+species,</pre>
                    family=gaussian(link="identity"),
                    data=SUBSET)
summary(normal_no_int) #overdipsersed
##
## Call:
## glm(formula = copies_g ~ treatment + species, family = gaussian(link = "identity"),
##
       data = SUBSET)
##
## Coefficients:
##
                      Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                         46960
                                    21148
                                            2.221
                                                     0.0293 *
```

```
## treatment240448
                        38888
                                   21148
                                           1.839
                                                   0.0697 .
## treatment240720
                        -6656
                                   21148 -0.315
                                                   0.7538
## speciesFestuca
                       -43442
                                   24419
                                          -1.779
                                                   0.0791 .
                                          -0.534
                                                   0.5949
## speciesGaillardia
                       -13040
                                   24419
## speciesTaraxacum
                        -4702
                                   24419
                                          -0.193
                                                   0.8478
##
## Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for gaussian family taken to be 6261155537)
##
##
       Null deviance: 5.4627e+11 on 83 degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 4.8837e+11 on 78 degrees of freedom
  AIC: 2141
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 2
plot(fitted(normal_no_int), residuals(normal_no_int, type= "pearson"))
```



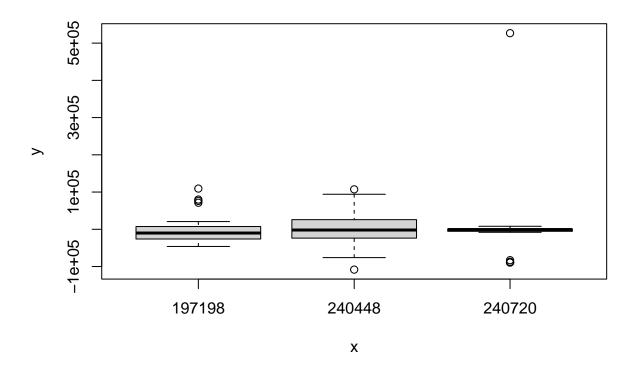
data=SUBSET) summary(normal_interaction) #overdispersed

```
##
## Call:
## glm(formula = copies_g ~ treatment * species, family = gaussian(link = "identity"),
      data = SUBSET)
##
## Coefficients:
                                   Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
## (Intercept)
                                      46095
                                                 29128 1.583 0.1179
                                      -8192
                                                 41193 -0.199 0.8429
## treatment240448
## treatment240720
                                      43019
                                                 41193 1.044 0.2998
## speciesFestuca
                                                 41193 -0.875
                                                                 0.3846
                                     -36038
## speciesGaillardia
                                      -6495
                                                 41193 -0.158
                                                                 0.8752
                                                 41193 -0.369
## speciesTaraxacum
                                     -15190
                                                                 0.7134
## treatment240448:speciesFestuca
                                                 58255 0.518
                                                                 0.6059
                                      30192
## treatment240720:speciesFestuca
                                     -52405
                                                 58255 -0.900
                                                                 0.3713
## treatment240448:speciesGaillardia
                                      54916
                                                 58255 0.943 0.3490
## treatment240720:speciesGaillardia -74550
                                                 58255 -1.280
                                                                 0.2048
                                                 58255
                                                       1.772
                                                                 0.0807 .
## treatment240448:speciesTaraxacum
                                     103211
## treatment240720:speciesTaraxacum
                                     -71745
                                                 58255 -1.232
                                                                 0.2221
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for gaussian family taken to be 5938957379)
##
      Null deviance: 5.4627e+11 on 83 degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 4.2760e+11 on 72 degrees of freedom
## AIC: 2141.8
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 2
plot(fitted(normal_interaction), residuals(normal_interaction, type = "pearson"))
```



```
#Still poor, heteroskedasti fan shape, floor pattern less pronounced

#View residuals with each predictor
plot(SUBSET$treatment, residuals(normal_interaction, type="pearson"))
```

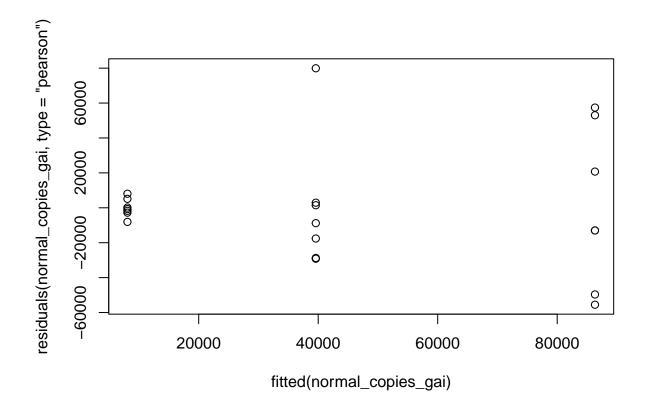


```
## Call:
  glm(formula = copies_g ~ treatment, family = gaussian(link = "identity"),
##
       data = subset_gaillardia)
##
## Coefficients:
##
                   Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                     39600
                                 12927
                                        3.063 0.00669 **
## (Intercept)
## treatment240448
                     46724
                                 18282
                                        2.556 0.01986 *
                    -31531
                                 18282 -1.725 0.10170
## treatment240720
## Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' 1
```

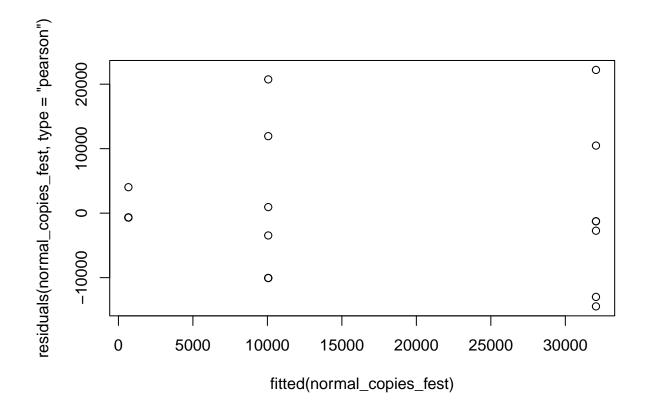
##

```
##
## (Dispersion parameter for gaussian family taken to be 1169766618)
##
    Null deviance: 4.2759e+10 on 20 degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 2.1056e+10 on 18 degrees of freedom
## AIC: 502.84
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 2

plot(fitted(normal_copies_gai), residuals(normal_copies_gai, type = "pearson"))
```

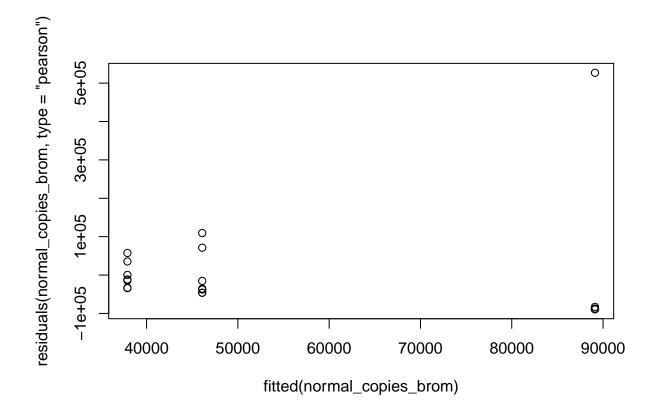


```
##
                   Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                      10057
                                  3883
                                         2.590 0.018473 *
                      22000
                                  5491
                                         4.007 0.000828 ***
## treatment240448
## treatment240720
                      -9386
                                  5491
                                       -1.709 0.104564
                 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' 1
## Signif. codes:
  (Dispersion parameter for gaussian family taken to be 105524872)
##
##
##
       Null deviance: 5532871589
                                  on 20 degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 1899447697
                                  on 18
                                        degrees of freedom
  AIC: 452.32
##
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 2
plot(fitted(normal_copies_fest), residuals(normal_copies_fest, type = "pearson"))
```



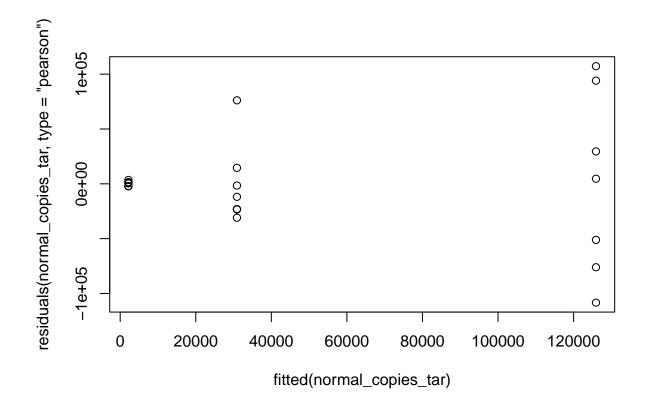
##

```
## Call:
## glm(formula = copies_g ~ treatment, family = gaussian(link = "identity"),
       data = subset_bromus)
##
##
  Coefficients:
##
                   Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                      46095
                                 53083
                                         0.868
## treatment240448
                                        -0.109
                                                  0.914
                      -8192
                                 75071
## treatment240720
                      43019
                                 75071
                                         0.573
                                                  0.574
##
  (Dispersion parameter for gaussian family taken to be 19724819364)
##
       Null deviance: 3.6564e+11 on 20 degrees of freedom
##
## Residual deviance: 3.5505e+11 on 18 degrees of freedom
## AIC: 562.17
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 2
plot(fitted(normal_copies_brom), residuals(normal_copies_brom, type = "pearson"))
```



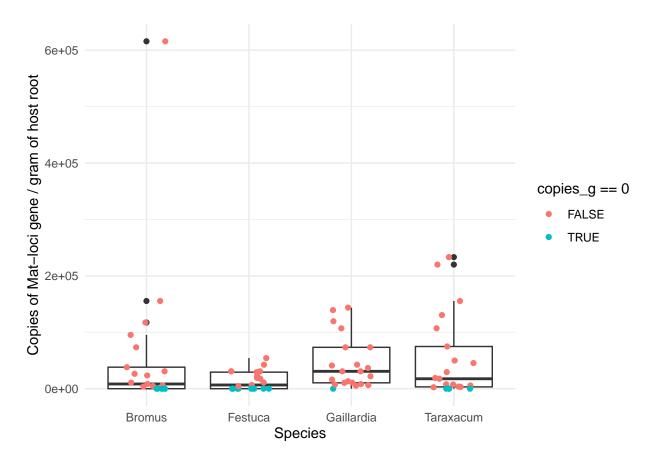
```
data=subset_taraxacum)
summary(normal_copies_tar)
```

```
##
## Call:
  glm(formula = copies_g ~ treatment, family = gaussian(link = "identity"),
       data = subset_taraxacum)
##
## Coefficients:
##
                  Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                     30905
                                 19841
                                         1.558 0.13674
                     95019
                                        3.386 0.00329 **
## treatment240448
                                 28060
## treatment240720
                     -28726
                                 28060
                                       -1.024
                                               0.31952
##
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for gaussian family taken to be 2755718660)
##
##
      Null deviance: 1.0833e+11 on 20 degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 4.9603e+10 on 18 degrees of freedom
  AIC: 520.83
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 2
plot(fitted(normal_copies_tar), residuals(normal_copies_tar, type = "pearson"))
```



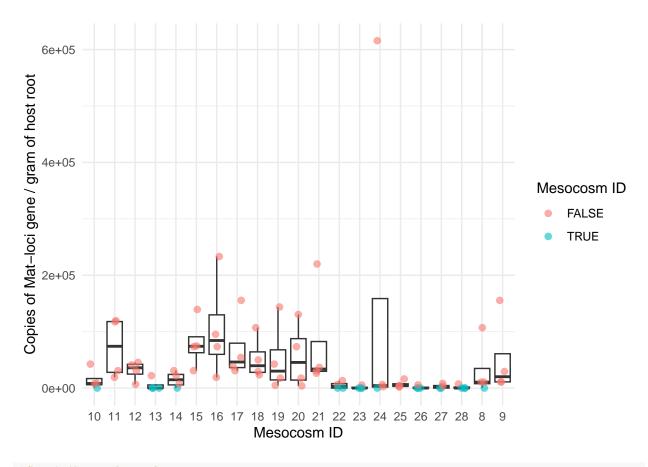
```
#Heteroskedastic and overdispersed, no fitted values between 50 and 170

## Review zero counts between groups
#Variation in zeroes between groups may be driving floor like pattern and
#heteroskedasticity. Visually assess zero counts in species groups and
#treatment groups.
#Visualise zero counts between species
ggplot(SUBSET, aes(x = species, y = copies_g)) +
    geom_boxplot() +
    geom_jitter(width = 0.2, aes(color = copies_g == 0)) +
    theme_minimal() +
    labs(x = "Species", y = "Copies of Mat-loci gene / gram of host root")
```



```
## # A tibble: 4 x 2
## species zero_count
## <chr> ## 1 Bromus 6
## 2 Festuca 9
```

```
## 3 Gaillardia
## 4 Taraxacum
#The number of zeroes varies between groups: Gaillardia (n=1), Bromus (n=3),
#Taraxacum (n=4) and Festuca (n=9).
#Count the number of zeroes between treatments
print(zero_count_treatment <- SUBSET %>%
       group_by(treatment) %>%
       summarise(zero_count = sum(copies_g == 0)) %>%
       ungroup())
## # A tibble: 3 x 2
   treatment zero_count
   <fct>
##
                  <int>
## 1 197198
## 2 240448
                       0
## 3 240720
                      14
\#Zeroes\ present\ in\ 197198\ (n=6)\ and\ 240720\ (n=14),\ but\ not\ in\ 240448\ (n=0).
#Visually check for possible correlation between mesocosm_id and zero count
ggplot(SUBSET, aes(x = mesocosm_id, y = copies_g)) +
 geom_boxplot(outlier.shape = NA) +
 geom_jitter(width = 0.2, aes(color = factor(copies_g == 0)), size = 2,
              alpha = 0.6) +
 labs(x = "Mesocosm ID", y = "Copies of Mat-loci gene / gram of host root",
      color = "Mesocosm ID") +
 theme_minimal()
```



```
#Count the number of zeros per mesocosm
zero_count_mesocosm <- SUBSET %>%
   group_by(mesocosm_id) %>%
   summarise(zero_count = sum(copies_g == 0)) %>%
   ungroup()
print(zero_count_mesocosm, n=Inf)
```

```
## # A tibble: 21 x 2
##
      mesocosm_id zero_count
##
      <chr>>
                         <int>
    1 10
##
                             1
##
    2 11
                             0
    3 12
                             0
##
##
    4 13
                             3
    5 14
##
                             1
##
    6 15
                             0
##
    7 16
                             0
                             0
##
    8 17
##
    9 18
                             0
## 10 19
                             0
## 11 20
                             0
## 12 21
                             0
## 13 22
                             2
## 14 23
                             3
## 15 24
                             1
## 16 25
                             0
```

```
## 17 26 3
## 18 27 2
## 19 28 3
## 20 8 1
## 21 9 0
```

```
#All mesocosms have at least 1 non-zero observation (isolate established in meso)
```

Summary of zero inflation and heterogeneity of variance

Zero inflation present within the Festuca species group (9/21 observations) and within the treatment group $240720 \ (14/21 \text{ observations})$. However other subgroups have few or no zeroes present (gaillardia = 1 zero; 240448 = no zeroes). As zero inflated models require some zeroes present to estimate maximum likelihood, low zero counts in both species and treatment subgroups suggests a zero inflated model is not an appropriate fit.

Summary of heterogeneity of variance:

240448 had larger variance spread than 240720 and 197198. 197198 and 240448 possess a outliers that may be challenge model fit, however, the outliers are well within biological range and were retained.

Continue model construction

Done.

Try a tweedie model to test if a tweedie dsitibution (power parameter between 1 and 2) reflects the variation in dsitibrution shapes. Tweedie models incorporate zeroes by assuming that zeroes eoccur within the distribrution (i.e. they do not arise as a seperate process).

```
## Warning in model.matrix.default(mt, mf, contrasts): non-list contrasts argument
## ignored

## 1.1 1.2 1.3 1.4 1.5 1.6 1.7 1.8 1.9

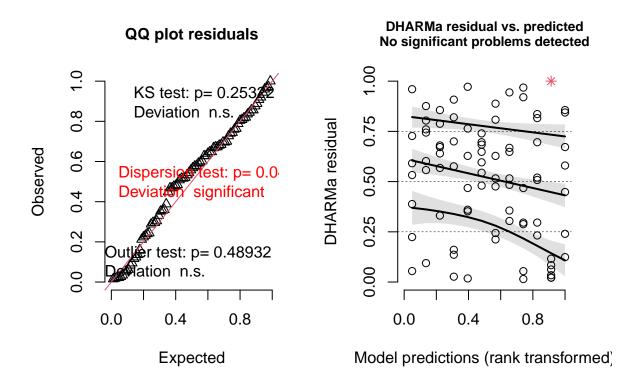
## .......

## Warning in tweedie::tweedie.profile(copies_g ~ treatment * species, p.vec = seq(1.1, : Problem near
## Error in glm.fit(x = model.x, y = ydata, weights = weights, offset = offset, :
## NA/NaN/Inf in 'x'
## Examine the data and function inputs carefully.
```

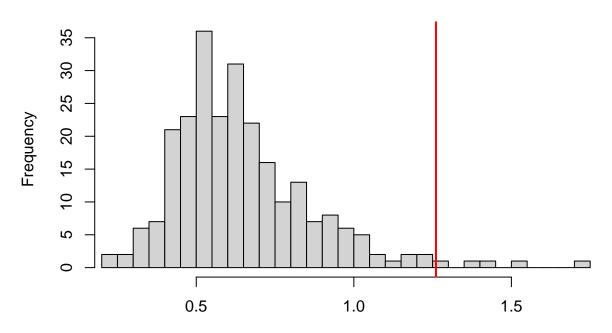
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```
#Extract the estimated power parameter
p_est_interaction$p.max #1.5, in tweedie range
## [1] 1.542857
#Tweedie model with interaction
{\tt glmm\_interaction <- glmmTMB} ({\tt copies\_g \sim} {\tt species *} {\tt treatment},
                          family=tweedie,
                          data=SUBSET)
summary(glmm_interaction)
## Family: tweedie ( log )
## Formula:
                     copies_g ~ species * treatment
## Data: SUBSET
##
                 BIC
##
        AIC
                       logLik deviance df.resid
##
     1592.3
              1626.3 -782.1
                              1564.3
                                             70
##
## Dispersion parameter for tweedie family (): 155
## Conditional model:
##
                                     Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
                                                  0.3930 27.323 < 2e-16 ***
## (Intercept)
                                      10.7385
## speciesFestuca
                                      -1.5224
                                                  0.6832 -2.228 0.02586 *
                                                  0.5658 -0.268 0.78838
## speciesGaillardia
                                      -0.1519
## speciesTaraxacum
                                      -0.3998
                                                  0.5834 -0.685 0.49313
## treatment240448
                                      -0.1957
                                                  0.5688 -0.344 0.73084
## treatment240720
                                       0.6592
                                                  0.5180
                                                          1.273 0.20318
                                                  0.9048 1.498 0.13426
## speciesFestuca:treatment240448
                                       1.3549
## speciesGaillardia:treatment240448    0.9750
                                                  0.7777
                                                           1.254 0.20999
## speciesTaraxacum:treatment240448
                                       1.6004
                                                  0.7788
                                                          2.055 0.03987 *
## speciesFestuca:treatment240720
                                      -3.3663
                                                  1.2934 -2.603 0.00925 **
                                                  0.8831 -2.548 0.01084 *
## speciesGaillardia:treatment240720 -2.2500
                                                  1.0429 -3.175 0.00150 **
## speciesTaraxacum:treatment240720 -3.3114
## Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
sim_inter<-simulateResiduals(glmm_interaction)</pre>
```

plot(sim_inter) #Dispersion is significant



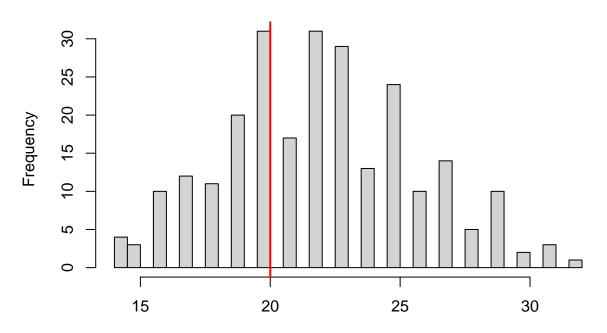
testDispersion(sim_inter) #Most of the data is below the expected median



Simulated values, red line = fitted model. p-value (two.sided) = 0.04

```
##
## DHARMa nonparametric dispersion test via sd of residuals fitted vs.
## simulated
##
## data: simulationOutput
## dispersion = 1.952, p-value = 0.04
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
```

#Slightly over dispsersed
testZeroInflation(sim_inter)

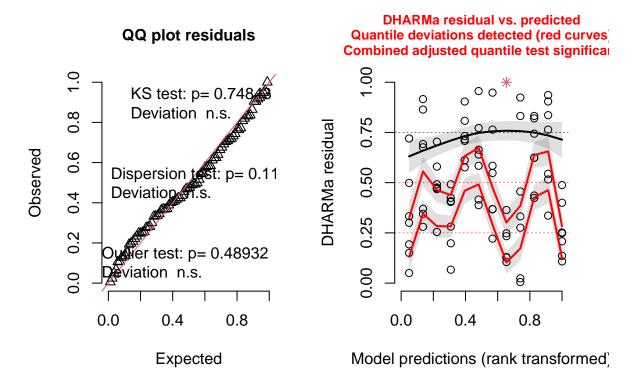


Simulated values, red line = fitted model. p-value (two.sided) = 0.728

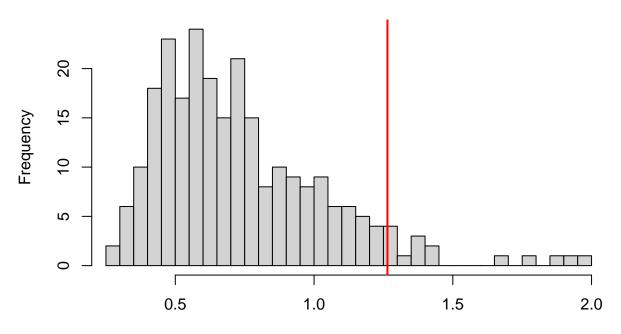
```
##
    DHARMa zero-inflation test via comparison to expected zeros with
##
##
    simulation under HO = fitted model
##
## data: simulationOutput
## ratioObsSim = 0.90351, p-value = 0.728
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
#Tweedie model, additive
glmm_additive<-glmmTMB(copies_g~species+treatment,</pre>
                        family=tweedie,
                        data=SUBSET)
summary(glmm_additive)
    Family: tweedie ( log )
## Formula:
                      copies_g ~ species + treatment
  Data: SUBSET
##
##
##
        AIC
                 BIC
                        logLik deviance df.resid
                        -797.8
##
     1611.5
              1631.0
                                 1595.5
                                              76
##
##
## Dispersion parameter for tweedie family (): 122
```

Conditional model:

```
Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
##
## (Intercept)
                                   0.3440
                      10.9673
                                            31.88 < 2e-16 ***
## speciesFestuca
                      -1.8452
                                   0.4551
                                            -4.05 5.03e-05 ***
## speciesGaillardia
                      -0.6225
                                   0.3888
                                            -1.60 0.10935
  speciesTaraxacum
                      -0.5590
                                   0.3956
                                            -1.41 0.15766
  treatment240448
                       0.8993
                                   0.3315
                                             2.71 0.00667 **
## treatment240720
                      -0.5097
                                   0.3962
                                            -1.29
                                                  0.19835
## ---
## Signif. codes:
                   0 '***, 0.001 '**, 0.01 '*, 0.05 '.', 0.1 ', 1
sim_inter<-simulateResiduals(glmm_additive)</pre>
plot(sim_inter) #Quantil test significant
```



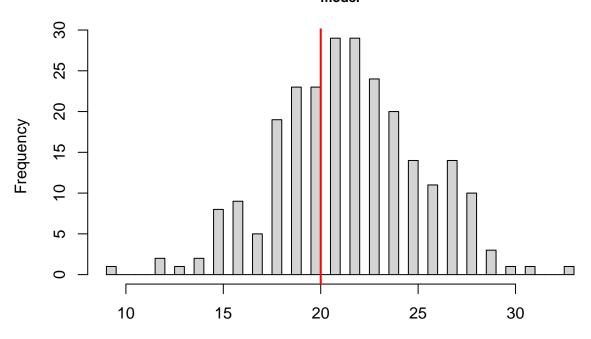
testDispersion(sim_inter) #Most of the data is under expected median



Simulated values, red line = fitted model. p-value (two.sided) = 0.112

```
##
## DHARMa nonparametric dispersion test via sd of residuals fitted vs.
## simulated
##
## data: simulationOutput
## dispersion = 1.7252, p-value = 0.112
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
```

testZeroInflation(sim_inter) #Handles zeroes well

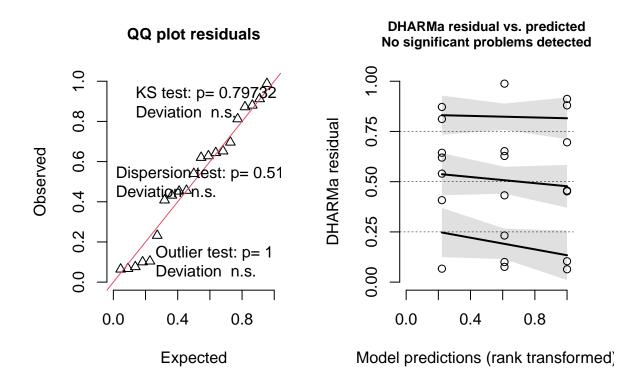


Simulated values, red line = fitted model. p-value (two.sided) = 0.744

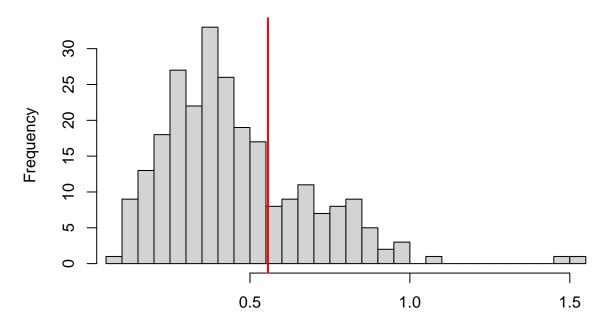
```
##
##
   DHARMa zero-inflation test via comparison to expected zeros with
    simulation under HO = fitted model
##
## data: simulationOutput
## ratioObsSim = 0.92319, p-value = 0.744
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
#Tweedie model did not fit well for interaction or additive models
#Test tweedie models on individual species
#Estimate power parameter for gaillardia
p_est_gai <- tweedie::tweedie.profile(copies_g ~ treatment,</pre>
  p.vec = seq(1.1, 1.9, by = 0.1),
  method = "optim",
  data=subset_gaillardia)
## Warning in model.matrix.default(mt, mf, contrasts): non-list contrasts argument
## ignored
## 1.1 1.2 1.3 1.4 1.5 1.6 1.7 1.8 1.9
## .....Done.
## Warning in tweedie::tweedie.profile(copies_g ~ treatment, p.vec = seq(1.1, : Confidence interval can
```

```
#Extract the estimated power parameter
p_est_gai$p.max #1.4, good

## [1] 1.442857
```



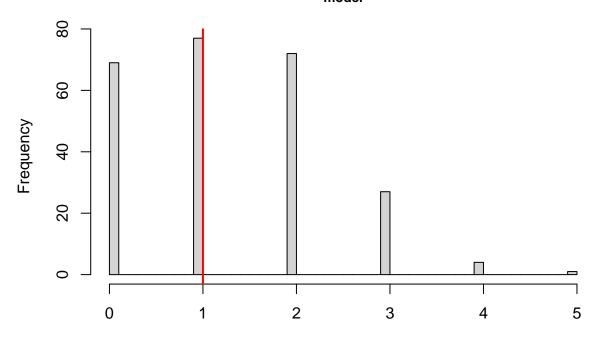
testDispersion(sim_gai) #many of the simulated residuals are below the



Simulated values, red line = fitted model. p-value (two.sided) = 0.512

```
##
## DHARMa nonparametric dispersion test via sd of residuals fitted vs.
## simulated
##
## data: simulationOutput
## dispersion = 1.2251, p-value = 0.512
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
```

#predicted range, however, dispersion is in the expected range (~1)
testZeroInflation(sim_gai)



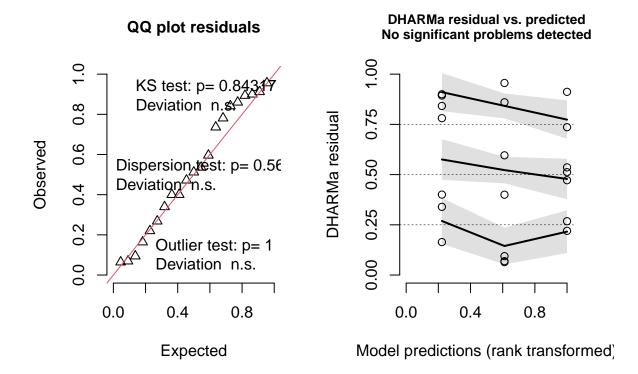
Simulated values, red line = fitted model. p-value (two.sided) = 1

```
##
## DHARMa zero-inflation test via comparison to expected zeros with
## simulation under HO = fitted model
## data: simulationOutput
## ratioObsSim = 0.77399, p-value = 1
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
#FESTUCA
#Estimate power parameter
p_est_fest <- tweedie::tweedie.profile(copies_g ~ treatment,</pre>
                                       p.vec = seq(1.1, 1.9, by = 0.01),
                                       method = "optim",
                                       data=subset_festuca)
## Warning in model.matrix.default(mt, mf, contrasts): non-list contrasts argument
## ignored
## 1.1 1.11 1.12 1.13 1.14 1.15 1.16 1.17 1.18 1.19 1.2 1.21 1.22 1.23 1.24 1.25 1.26 1.27 1.28 1.29 1.
## Warning: glm.fit: algorithm did not converge
## .
```

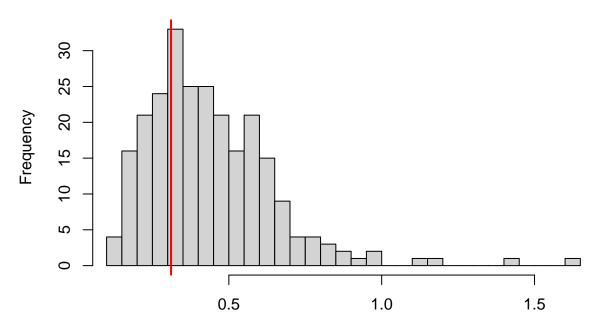
```
## Warning: glm.fit: algorithm did not converge
## .
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## Warning: glm.fit: algorithm did not converge
## .
## Warning: glm.fit: algorithm did not converge
## .
## Warning: glm.fit: algorithm did not converge
## .
## Warning: glm.fit: algorithm did not converge
## .
## Warning: glm.fit: algorithm did not converge
## .
## Warning: glm.fit: algorithm did not converge
## .
## Warning in tweedie::tweedie.profile(copies_g ~ treatment, p.vec = seq(1.1, : Problem near p = 1
         Error in glm.fit(x = model.x, y = ydata, weights = weights, offset = offset, :
    NA/NaN/Inf in 'x'
##
    Examine the data and function inputs carefully.
##
## Done.
## Warning in tweedie::tweedie.profile(copies_g ~ treatment, p.vec = seq(1.1, :
## True maximum possibly not detected.
## Warning in tweedie::tweedie.profile(copies_g ~ treatment, p.vec = seq(1.1, : Confidence interval can
\#Extract the estimated power parameter
p_est_fest$p.max #COuld not find left CI, tweedie likely not a good fit for
```

[1] 1.1

```
#festuca
#Tweedie model with qlmmTMB
glmmTMB_fest <- glmmTMB(copies_g~treatment,</pre>
                       family = tweedie,
                       data = subset_festuca)
summary(glmmTMB_fest)
## Family: tweedie ( log )
## Formula: copies_g ~ treatment
## Data: subset_festuca
##
              BIC logLik deviance df.resid
##
      AIC
##
     280.2
              285.4 -135.1
                                270.2
##
##
## Dispersion parameter for tweedie family (): 3.68e+03
## Conditional model:
##
                  Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## (Intercept)
                   9.2160
                             0.3547 25.981 < 2e-16 ***
## treatment240448 1.1592
                               0.4122 2.812 0.00492 **
## treatment240720 -2.7071
                             1.2580 -2.152 0.03141 *
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
\#interpret\ results\ knowing\ the\ estiamted\ power\ paraemet\ was\ 1.1
plot(sim_fest<-simulateResiduals(glmmTMB_fest))</pre>
```



testDispersion(sim_fest) #Looks okay, slightl underdispersed, but not significant

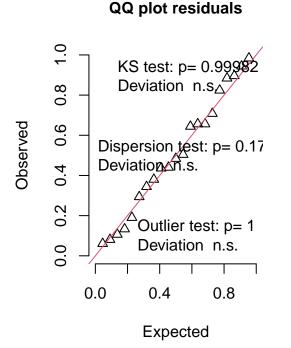


Simulated values, red line = fitted model. p-value (two.sided) = 0.568

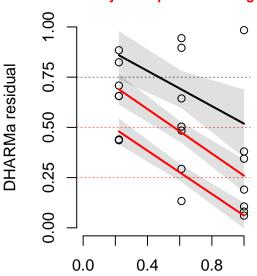
```
##
   DHARMa nonparametric dispersion test via sd of residuals fitted vs.
##
##
   simulated
##
## data: simulationOutput
## dispersion = 0.70902, p-value = 0.568
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
#Check predictions
summary(predict(glmmTMB_fest, type = "response"))
##
      Min. 1st Qu. Median
                              Mean 3rd Qu.
##
     671.1
             671.1 10057.1 14261.8 32057.2 32057.2
mean(subset_festuca$copies_g) #Mean is nearly identical, overfit
## [1] 14261.79
#BROMUS
#Estimate power parameter
p_est_brom <- tweedie::tweedie.profile(copies_g ~ treatment,</pre>
                                       p.vec = seq(1.1, 1.9, by = 0.1),
                                       method = "optim",
                                        data=subset bromus)
```

Warning in model.matrix.default(mt, mf, contrasts): non-list contrasts argument

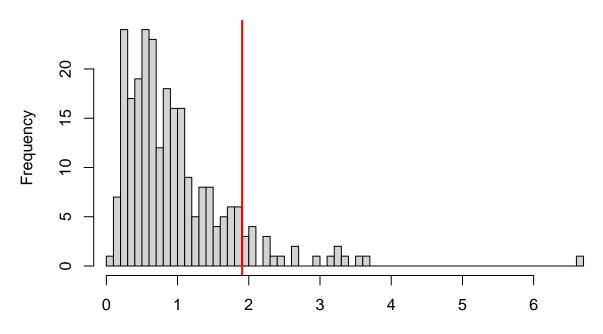
DHARMa residual



DHARMa residual vs. predicted Quantile deviations detected (red curves) Combined adjusted quantile test significal



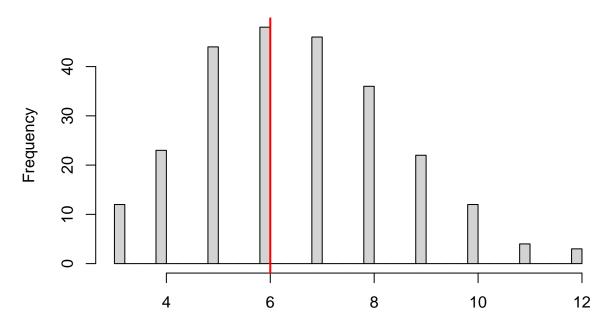
Model predictions (rank transformed)



Simulated values, red line = fitted model. p-value (two.sided) = 0.176

```
##
## DHARMa nonparametric dispersion test via sd of residuals fitted vs.
## simulated
##
## data: simulationOutput
## dispersion = 1.9768, p-value = 0.176
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
```

testZeroInflation(sim_brom) #0kay



Simulated values, red line = fitted model. p-value (two.sided) = 1

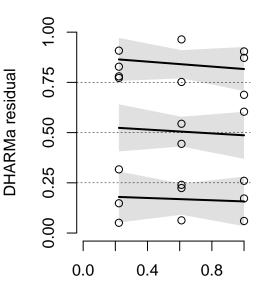
```
##
   DHARMa zero-inflation test via comparison to expected zeros with
    simulation under HO = fitted model
##
## data: simulationOutput
## ratioObsSim = 0.91241, p-value = 1
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
#TARAXACUM
#Estimate power parameter
p_est_tar <- tweedie::tweedie.profile(copies_g ~ treatment,</pre>
                                       p.vec = seq(1.1, 1.9, by = 0.1),
                                       method = "optim",
                                       data=subset_taraxacum)
## Warning in model.matrix.default(mt, mf, contrasts): non-list contrasts argument
## ignored
## 1.1 1.2 1.3 1.4 1.5 1.6 1.7 1.8 1.9
## ..........Done.
#Extract the estimated power parameter
p_est_tar$p.max #1.5, good
```

```
#Tweedie model with glmmTMB
glmmTMB_tar <- glmmTMB(copies_g~treatment,</pre>
                       family = tweedie,
                       data = subset_taraxacum)
summary(glmmTMB_tar)
    Family: tweedie ( log )
## Formula:
                     copies_g ~ treatment
  Data: subset_taraxacum
##
##
        AIC
                 BIC
                       logLik deviance df.resid
##
      414.9
               420.1
                       -202.4
                                  404.9
                                              16
##
##
## Dispersion parameter for tweedie family (): 170
##
## Conditional model:
##
                   Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## (Intercept)
                    10.3387
                                 0.3425 30.183 < 2e-16 ***
## treatment240448
                     1.4048
                                 0.4173
                                          3.366 0.000762 ***
## treatment240720
                    -2.6522
                                 0.7605
                                         -3.487 0.000488 ***
##
## Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' 1
plot(sim_tar<-simulateResiduals(glmmTMB_tar)) #Okay</pre>
```

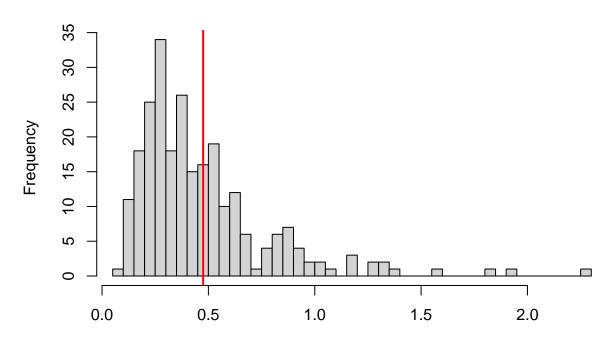
1.0 KS test: p = 0.8Deviation n.s ∞ Ö Δ 9.0 Observed Dispersion test: p= 0.7 Deviation n.s. 0.4 0.2 Outlier test: p= 1 Deviation n.s. 0 0.0 0.48.0 **Expected**

QQ plot residuals

DHARMa residual vs. predicted No significant problems detected



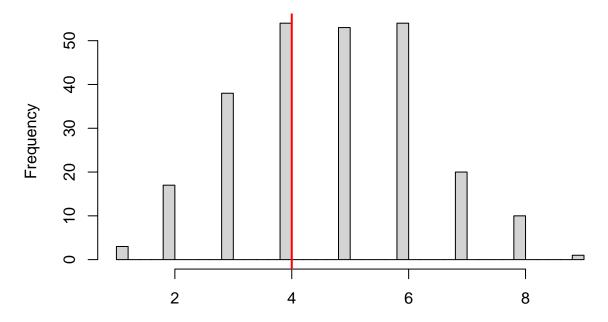
Model predictions (rank transformed)



Simulated values, red line = fitted model. p-value (two.sided) = 0.76

```
##
## DHARMa nonparametric dispersion test via sd of residuals fitted vs.
## simulated
##
## data: simulationOutput
## dispersion = 1.0088, p-value = 0.76
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
```

testZeroInflation(sim_tar) #0kay



Simulated values, red line = fitted model. p-value (two.sided) = 0.896

```
##
## DHARMa zero-inflation test via comparison to expected zeros with
## simulation under H0 = fitted model
##
## data: simulationOutput
## ratioObsSim = 0.84388, p-value = 0.896
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
```

Fit of the tweeide models varied substantially between species groups. Not enough data for Gaillardia and Festuca to robustly estimate power parameter. Tweedie did not fit well for the additive model, interaction model, or Bromus.

Non-parametric approach

Use Kruskal-Wallis to check for treatment effects within each species group. Kruskal-Wallis was selected due to data distributions that do to uneven zero inflation between groups and a distribution shape that does not support a gamma model (due to presence of zeroes), a hurdle model (due to uneven distiribution of zeroes) nor a tweedie model (due to insufficient data and poor model fit). Because Kruskal-Wallis is non-parametric it ranks the data and does not assume a specific distibrution. This makes it ideal for non-normal data with a smaller sample size. However, because it is rank based, Kruskal-Wallis can only tell us whether two groups differ and not the specific magnitude. #absolute abundance

```
#Start with testing main effects
#TREATMENT
kruskal.test(copies_g~treatment, data=SUBSET)
```

```
##
## Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
##
## data: copies_g by treatment
## Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 37.718, df = 2, p-value = 6.452e-09
#HOST SPECIES
kruskal.test(copies_g~species, data=SUBSET)
##
## Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
##
## data: copies_g by species
## Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 7.2288, df = 3, p-value = 0.06495
#By species
#GAILLARDIA
kruskal.test(copies_g~treatment, data=subset_gaillardia) #Significant
## Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
## data: copies_g by treatment
## Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 13.433, df = 2, p-value = 0.001211
#FESTUCA
kruskal.test(copies_g~treatment, data=subset_festuca) #Significant
##
## Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
## data: copies_g by treatment
## Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 13.132, df = 2, p-value = 0.001408
kruskal.test(copies_g~treatment, data=subset_bromus) #Not significant
##
## Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
##
## data: copies_g by treatment
## Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 3.7893, df = 2, p-value = 0.1504
#TARAXACUM
kruskal.test(copies_g~treatment, data=subset_taraxacum) #Significant
##
## Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
##
## data: copies_g by treatment
## Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 13.974, df = 2, p-value = 0.0009239
```

```
#Kruskal-Wallis does not tell use which groups are different,
#a Dunn test can be used for post-hoc comparisons
#Used benjamin hochbberg adjustment to control for false discovery with
#multiple comparisons. Less conservative than holm or tukey.
#TREATMENT
dunnTest(copies_g ~ treatment, data = SUBSET, method = "holm")
## Dunn (1964) Kruskal-Wallis multiple comparison
    p-values adjusted with the Holm method.
##
          Comparison
                                    P.unadj
                                                   P.adj
## 1 197198 - 240448 -2.819128 4.815428e-03 4.815428e-03
## 2 197198 - 240720 3.315648 9.143096e-04 1.828619e-03
## 3 240448 - 240720 6.134776 8.527922e-10 2.558377e-09
#SPECIES
dunnTest(copies_g ~ species, data = SUBSET, method = "holm")
## Warning: species was coerced to a factor.
## Dunn (1964) Kruskal-Wallis multiple comparison
    p-values adjusted with the Holm method.
##
                 Comparison
                                           P.unadj
                                                       P.adj
           Bromus - Festuca 0.9905894 0.321886100 0.9656583
## 1
       Bromus - Gaillardia -1.6053282 0.108421594 0.4336864
## 2
      Festuca - Gaillardia -2.5959176 0.009433867 0.0566032
## 4
        Bromus - Taraxacum -0.6975533 0.485456576 0.4854566
        Festuca - Taraxacum -1.6881428 0.091383827 0.4569191
## 6 Gaillardia - Taraxacum 0.9077749 0.363997172 0.7279943
#GAILLARDIA
dunnTest(copies_g ~ treatment, data = subset_gaillardia, method = "bh")
## Dunn (1964) Kruskal-Wallis multiple comparison
     p-values adjusted with the Benjamini-Hochberg method.
##
          Comparison
                                    P.unadj
                                                   P.adj
## 1 197198 - 240448 -1.465436 0.1428021203 0.1428021203
## 2 197198 - 240720 2.176603 0.0295102143 0.0442653215
## 3 240448 - 240720 3.642038 0.0002704877 0.0008114632
#FESTUCA
dunnTest(copies_g ~ treatment, data = subset_festuca, method = "bh")
## Dunn (1964) Kruskal-Wallis multiple comparison
```

p-values adjusted with the Benjamini-Hochberg method.

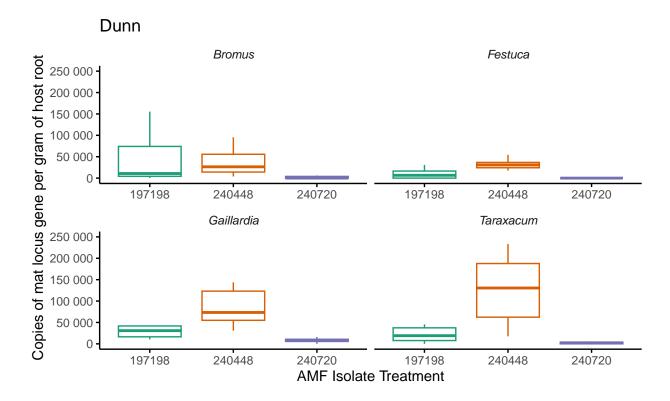
```
Comparison
                             Z
                                    P.unadj
                                                  P.adi
## 1 197198 - 240448 -2.201053 0.0277322968 0.041598445
## 2 197198 - 240720 1.392503 0.1637702255 0.163770226
## 3 240448 - 240720 3.593555 0.0003261963 0.000978589
#BROMUS
dunnTest(copies_g ~ treatment, data = subset_bromus, method = "bh") #Npt signficiant
## Dunn (1964) Kruskal-Wallis multiple comparison
    p-values adjusted with the Benjamini-Hochberg method.
          Comparison
                                   P.unadj
                                               P.adj
## 1 197198 - 240448 -0.4792812 0.63173858 0.6317386
## 2 197198 - 240720 1.3942726 0.16323529 0.2448529
## 3 240448 - 240720 1.8735539 0.06099194 0.1829758
#TARAXACUM
dunnTest(copies_g ~ treatment, data = subset_taraxacum, method = "bh")
## Dunn (1964) Kruskal-Wallis multiple comparison
     p-values adjusted with the Benjamini-Hochberg method.
##
                                                   P.adj
##
          Comparison
                             Z
                                    P.unadj
## 1 197198 - 240448 -1.836577 0.0662723333 0.0662723333
## 2 197198 - 240720 1.901398 0.0572499551 0.0858749326
## 3 240448 - 240720 3.737975 0.0001855085 0.0005565256
#Test for whether species identity effects abundance
#197198
kruskal.test(copies_g~species, data=subset_197198) #Not significant
##
## Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
##
## data: copies_g by species
## Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 4.4538, df = 3, p-value = 0.2165
#240448
kruskal.test(copies_g~species, data=subset_240448) #Significant
##
   Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
##
##
## data: copies_g by species
## Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 10.126, df = 3, p-value = 0.01753
#240720
kruskal.test(copies_g~species, data=subset_240720) #Marginally significant
```

```
##
## Kruskal-Wallis rank sum test
##
## data: copies_g by species
## Kruskal-Wallis chi-squared = 9.8834, df = 3, p-value = 0.01958
#Follow up with Dunn test on 240448 and 240720
#Dunn 240448
dunnTest(copies_g ~ species, data = subset_240448, method = "bh")
## Warning: species was coerced to a factor.
## Dunn (1964) Kruskal-Wallis multiple comparison
     p-values adjusted with the Benjamini-Hochberg method.
##
##
                 Comparison
                                    Z
                                         P.unadj
                                                      P.adj
## 1
           Bromus - Festuca 0.048795 0.96108266 0.96108266
        Bromus - Gaillardia -1.984330 0.04721905 0.07082857
## 2
## 3
      Festuca - Gaillardia -2.033125 0.04203988 0.08407976
## 4
         Bromus - Taraxacum -2.423485 0.01537238 0.04611714
## 5
        Festuca - Taraxacum -2.472280 0.01342542 0.08055255
## 6 Gaillardia - Taraxacum -0.439155 0.66054921 0.79265905
#Marginally significant difference between Bromus and Taraxacum
#Dun 240720
dunnTest(copies_g ~ species, data = subset_240720, method = "bh")
## Warning: species was coerced to a factor.
## Dunn (1964) Kruskal-Wallis multiple comparison
    p-values adjusted with the Benjamini-Hochberg method.
##
##
                 Comparison
                                            P.unadj
                                                         P.adi
## 1
           Bromus - Festuca 1.07643407 0.281733171 0.42259976
        Bromus - Gaillardia -1.99661159 0.045867393 0.09173479
## 2
## 3
      Festuca - Gaillardia -3.07304566 0.002118861 0.01271316
## 4
         Bromus - Taraxacum 0.01736184 0.986147952 0.98614795
## 5
        Festuca - Taraxacum -1.05907223 0.289566885 0.34748026
## 6 Gaillardia - Taraxacum 2.01397342 0.044012324 0.13203697
#No differences after pairwise comparisons
```

Create visuals with significance stars

```
#Create visual with significance stars,
#Start by creating species and treatment labels
#Species labels (italicized for strip titles and x-axis)
```

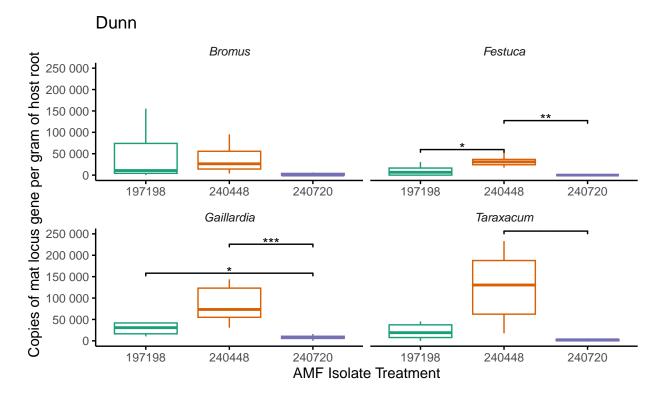
```
species_labels <- c(</pre>
  "Bromus" = expression(italic("B. tectorum")),
  "Gaillardia" = expression(italic("G. aristata")),
 "Festuca" = expression(italic("F. idahoensis")),
  "Taraxacum" = expression(italic("T. officinale"))
#Treatment labels for facet strip and legend
treatment labels <- c(</pre>
 "197198" = "DAOM 197198",
 "240448" = "DAOM 240448",
 "240720" = "DAOM 240720"
)
#Create a base plot for treatment within species
plot_copies_sig <- ggplot(SUBSET, aes(x = treatment, y = copies_g, color = treatment)) +</pre>
  geom_boxplot(alpha = 0.5, outlier.shape = NA) +
  facet_wrap(~species, scales = "free_x", labeller = labeller(species = species_labels)) +
 labs(
   title = "Dunn",
   x = "AMF Isolate Treatment",
   y = "Copies of mat locus gene per gram of host root",
   color = "AMF isolate treatment"
  ) +
  scale_y_continuous(limits = c(0, 1.1 * max(SUBSET$copies_g, na.rm = FALSE)),
                       labels = scales::label_number()) +# disables scientific notation
  coord_cartesian(ylim = c(0, 250000)) +
  scale_colour_brewer(palette = "Dark2") +
  theme minimal() +
  theme(
   panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
   panel.grid.minor = element_blank(),
   panel.border = element_blank(),
   axis.line = element_line(color = "black"),
   axis.ticks = element_line(color = "black"),
   strip.text = element_text(face = "italic"),
   legend.position = "bottom"
print(plot_copies_sig)
```



AMF isolate treatment $\stackrel{.}{\boxminus}$ 197198 $\stackrel{.}{\boxminus}$ 240448 $\stackrel{.}{\boxminus}$ 240720

```
#Calculate y for each facet
y_max <- SUBSET %>%
  group_by(species) %>%
  summarise(y_max = max(copies_g, na.rm = TRUE) * 1.1)
global_max_y <- max(y_max$y_max, na.rm = TRUE)</pre>
#Create significance annotation table for treatment within species
sig_annotations <- data.frame(</pre>
  species = c(
    "Gaillardia", "Gaillardia", "Gaillardia",
    "Festuca", "Festuca", "Festuca",
    "Bromus", "Bromus", "Bromus",
    "Taraxacum", "Taraxacum", "Taraxacum"
  ),
  group1 = c(
    "197198", "197198", "240448",
    "197198", "197198", "240448",
    "197198", "197198", "240448",
    "197198", "197198", "240448"
  ),
  group2 = c(
    "240448", "240720", "240720",
    "240448", "240720", "240720",
    "240448", "240720", "240720",
    "240448", "240720", "240720"
```

```
),
  p.adj = c(
    0.1678, 0.0282, 0.0006, # Gaillardia: 197198-240448, 197198-240720, 240448-240720
    0.0416, 0.1638, 0.0010, # Festuca: same order
    0.6317, 0.2449, 0.1830, # Bromus:
                                         all non-significant
    0.0663, 0.0859, 0.0006  # Taraxacum: marginal + one significant
  )
)
#Add significance labels to plot
sig_annotations <- sig_annotations %>%
  mutate(
    p.label = case when(
     p.adj < 0.001 ~ "***",
     p.adj < 0.01 ~ "**",
     p.adj < 0.05 ~ "*"
  ) %>%
  filter(!is.na(p.label)) %>%
  left_join(y_max, by = "species") %>%
  group_by(species) %>%
  mutate(offset = row_number() - 1,
        y.position = y_max + offset * (global_max_y * 0.1)) %>%
  ungroup()
plot_copies_sig <- plot_copies_sig +</pre>
  stat_pvalue_manual(
    data = sig_annotations,
   label = "p.label",
   xmin = "group1",
   xmax = "group2",
    y.position = "y.position",
   tip.length = 0.01,
    bracket.size = 0.5
  )
print(plot_copies_sig)
```



```
AMF isolate treatment | 197198 | 240448 | 240720
```

```
#HOST SPECIES WITHIN TREATMENT
treatment_labels <- c(</pre>
  `197198` = "DAOM 197198",
  ^240448 = "DAOM ^240448",
  `240720` = "DAOM 240720"
facet_wrap(~treatment, scales = "free_x",
           labeller = labeller(treatment = treatment_labels))
   <ggproto object: Class FacetWrap, Facet, gg>
       compute_layout: function
##
##
       draw_back: function
##
       draw_front: function
       draw_labels: function
##
##
       draw_panels: function
##
       finish_data: function
##
       init_scales: function
##
       map_data: function
##
       params: list
##
       setup_data: function
##
       setup_params: function
##
       shrink: TRUE
##
       train_scales: function
##
       vars: function
##
       super: <ggproto object: Class FacetWrap, Facet, gg>
```

```
#CReate visual with significance stars,
#Create significance annotation table for species comparisons
sig annotations treat <- data.frame(</pre>
 treatment = c(
   rep("240448", 6),
   rep("240720", 6)
  ),
  group1 = c(
    "Bromus", "Bromus", "Festuca", "Bromus", "Festuca", "Gaillardia",
    "Bromus", "Bromus", "Festuca", "Bromus", "Festuca", "Gaillardia"
  ),
 group2 = c(
    "Festuca", "Gaillardia", "Taraxacum", "Taraxacum", "Taraxacum",
   "Festuca", "Gaillardia", "Gaillardia", "Taraxacum", "Taraxacum"
  ),
  p.adj = c(
   0.9611, 0.0708, 0.0841, 0.0461, 0.0806, 0.7927, # from dunnTest on 240448
   0.3022, 0.3928, 0.0674, 0.9033, 0.3075, 0.3297 # from dunnTest on 240720
 )
)
#Add significance labels
sig_annotations_treat <- sig_annotations_treat %>%
 mutate(
   p.label = case_when(
     p.adj < 0.001 ~ "***",
     p.adj < 0.01 ~ "**",
     p.adj < 0.05 ~ "*"
  ) %>%
 filter(!is.na(p.label))
#Get max y-value per treatment for y.position calculation
y_max <- SUBSET %>%
  group_by(treatment) %>%
  summarise(y_max = max(copies_g, na.rm = TRUE) * 1.1)
global_max_y <- max(y_max$y_max, na.rm = TRUE)</pre>
\#Add staggered y positions
sig_annotations_treat <- sig_annotations_treat %>%
 left_join(y_max, by = "treatment") %>%
  group_by(treatment) %>%
 mutate(offset = row_number() - 1) %>%
 mutate(
   y.position = y_max + offset * (global_max_y * 0.1)
  ) %>%
 ungroup()
#Create base plot
plot_copies_sig_treat <- ggplot(SUBSET, aes(x = species, y = copies_g, color = treatment)) +</pre>
  geom_boxplot(alpha = 0.5, outlier.shape = NA, outlier.alpha = 1) +
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facet_wrap(~treatment, scales = "free_x", labeller = labeller(treatment = treatment_labels)) +
 labs(
   title = "Dunn",
   x = "Host Species",
   y = "Copies of mat-locus gene per gram of host root",
   color = "AMF isolate"
  ) +
  scale x discrete(labels = species labels) +
  scale_y_continuous(labels = scales::label_number()) +
  coord_cartesian(ylim = c(0, 250000)) +
  scale_color_manual(
   values = RColorBrewer::brewer.pal(4, "Dark2"),
   labels = species_labels,
   guide = guide_legend(override.aes = list(alpha = 1)),
   aesthetics = "color"
  ) +
  stat_pvalue_manual(
   data = sig_annotations_treat,
   label = "p.label",
   xmin = "group1",
   xmax = "group2",
   y.position = "y.position",
   tip.length = 0.01,
   bracket.size = 0.5
 theme minimal() +
  theme(
   legend.position = "bottom",
   panel.grid = element_blank(),
   axis.line = element_line(color = "black"),
   axis.ticks = element_line(color = "black")
  )
print(plot_copies_sig_treat)
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