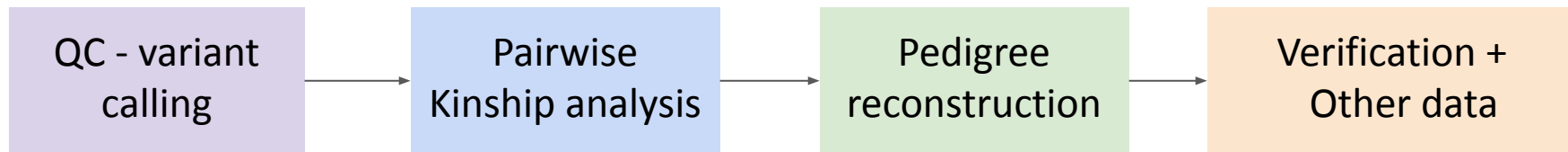


# **Relatedness inference using RNA-seq data from *Glossophaga soricina* bats**

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# Relatedness inference in bats



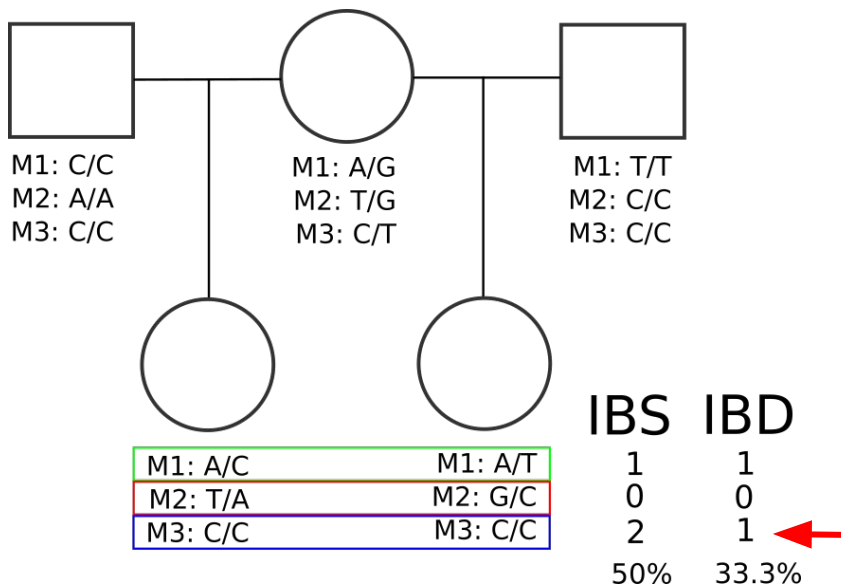
- IBD (PRIMUS)
- Kinship coefficient (REAP or King)
- Pairwise consistency checking PRIMUS
- Sex, Chr X, mtDNA, age

# IBS is not kinship: the risk of overestimation

**Identical by state (IBS)** = proportion of alleles with the same state

**Identical by descent (IBD)** = proportion of alleles inherited by a common ancestor

**Kinship** = probability that two alleles sampled at random from two individuals are identical by descent (overall genetic relatedness expected from a pedigree)



The half-siblings example

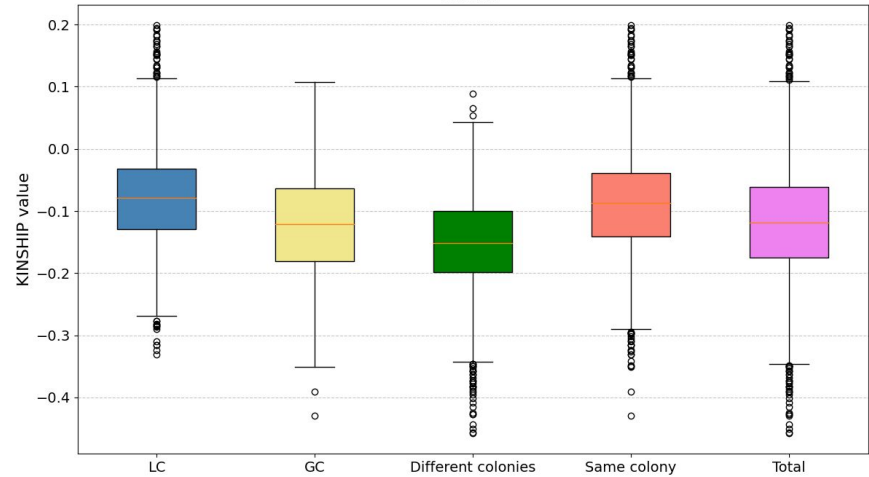
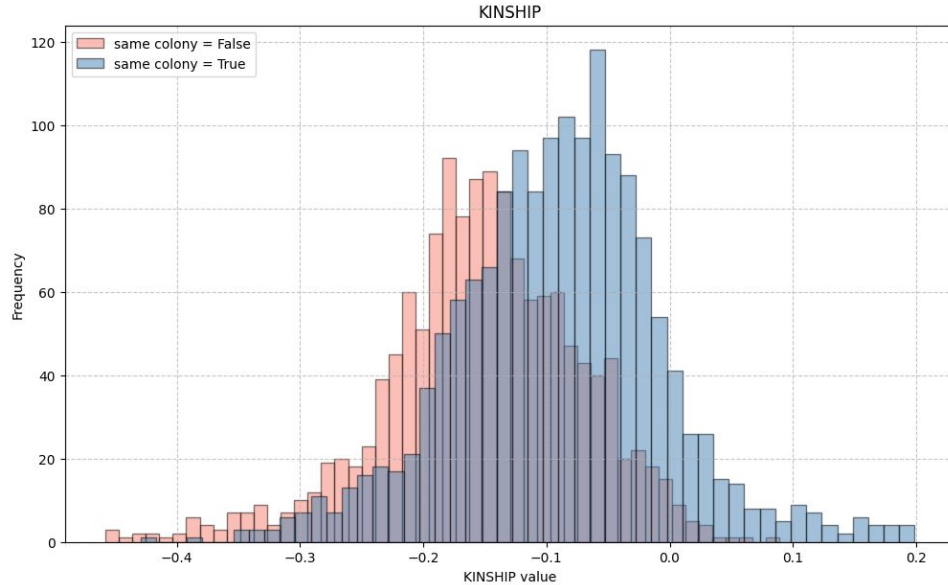
1. IBD implies IBS.
2. IBS do not imply IBD necessarily.
3. Considering IBS as IBD leads to

**relatedness overestimation.**

# Kinship coefficient analysis: individuals of the same colony are more related

55k high-quality markers (prepared to GN)

105 individuals -> 5460 pairwise analyses



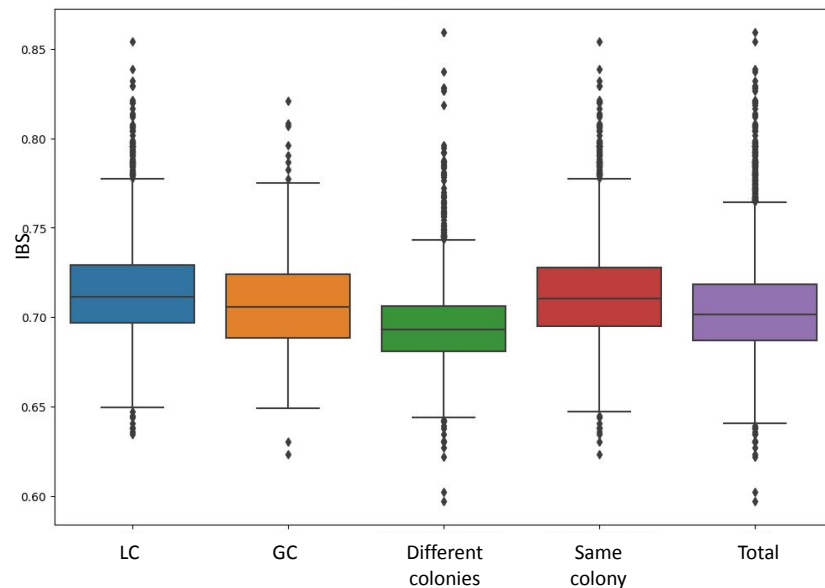
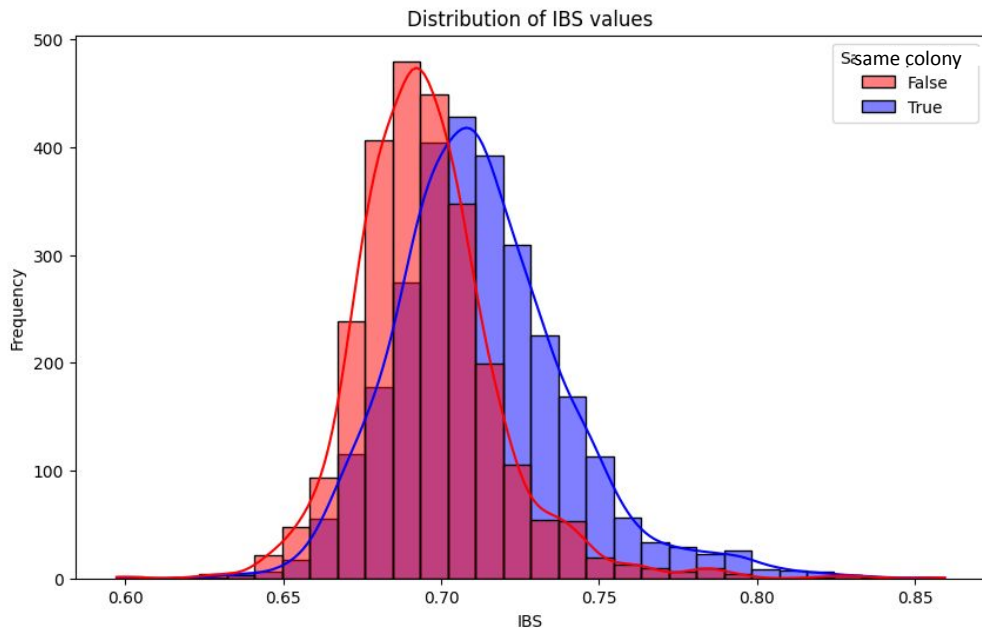
- Kinship  $\leq 0$  (unrelatedness)
- Kinship coefficient estimated using the method developed by Manichaikul et al. 2010

(<https://doi.org/10.1093/bioinformatics/btq559>)

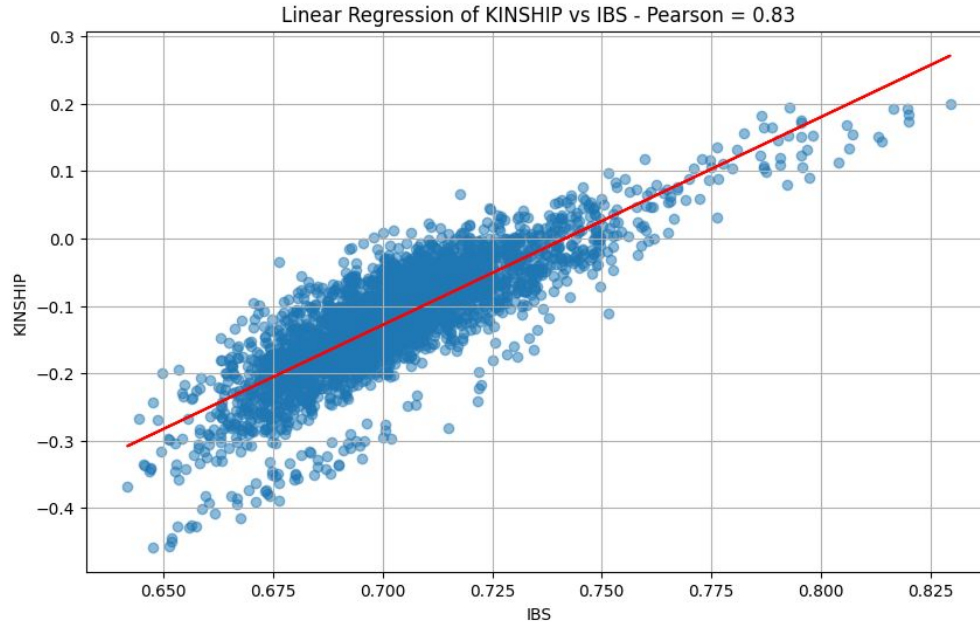
# IBS: same conclusion of Kinship

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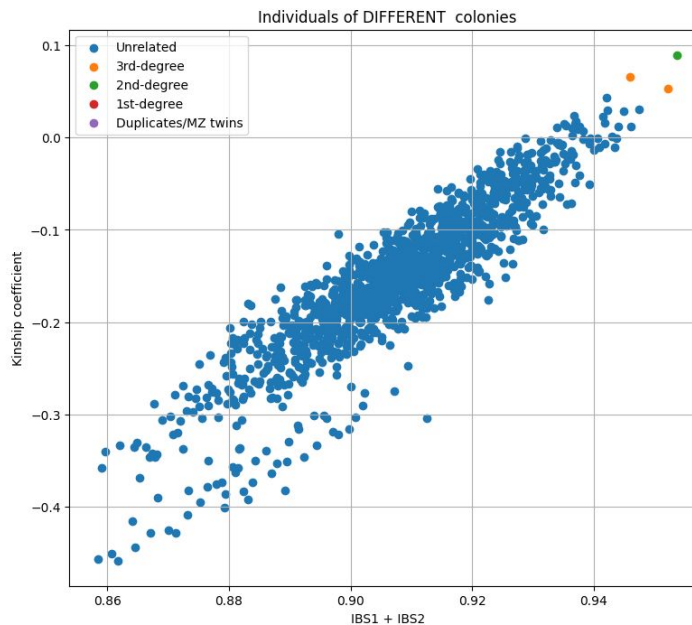
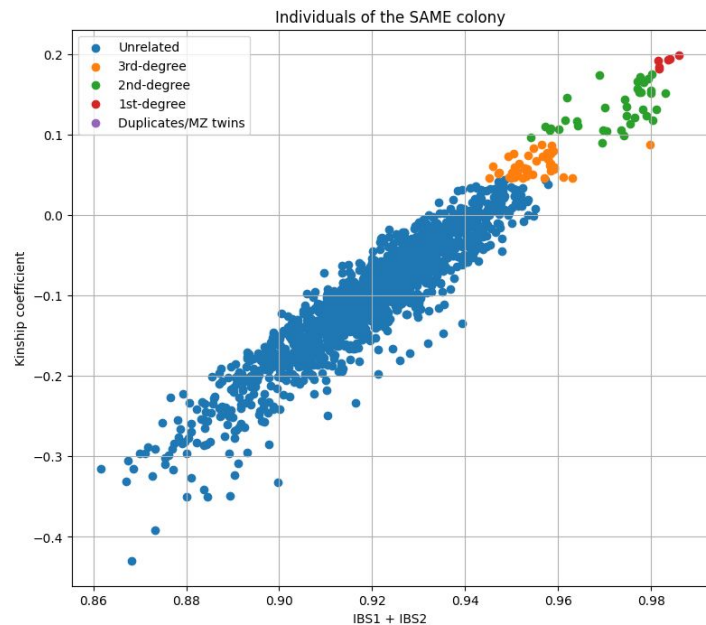
# Kinship vs IBS: strongly correlates



Kinship positively correlates with IBS (R pearson = 0.83)

**NOTE:** IBS is the proportion of shared alleles. Those markers with two shared alleles (IBS2) will sum 2, and those with one shared allele (IBS1) will sum 1.

# Kinskip vs IBS stratified by relatedness



**NOTE:** Here IBS1 and IBS2 are directly summed (so it differs from just IBS). Here:

$$1 - (\text{IBS1} + \text{IBS2}) = \text{IBS0}$$

IBS0 could be interpreted as the proportion of markers where the pair of bats do not share alleles.

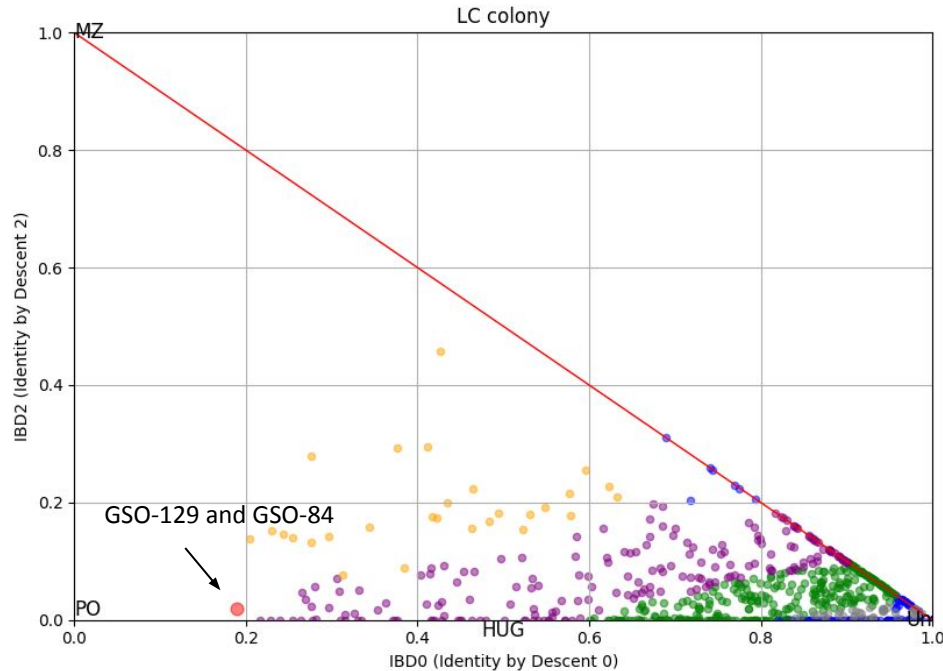
Kinship  $\leq 0$  (unrelatedness)

Each point is a pairwise comparison of two bats

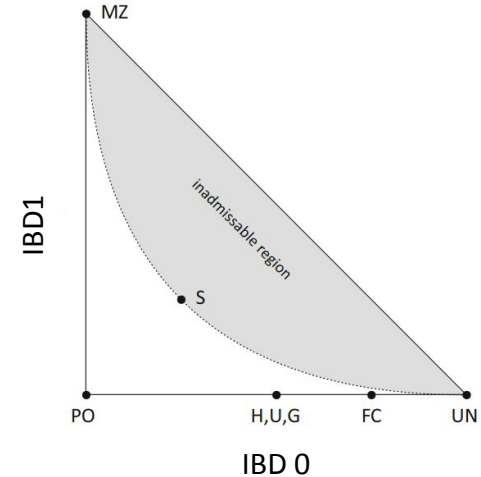
IBS1 + IBS2 is the proportion of markers sharing one or two alleles between compared bats.

# Identical by descent analysis

$$IBD0 + IBD1 + IBD2 = 1$$



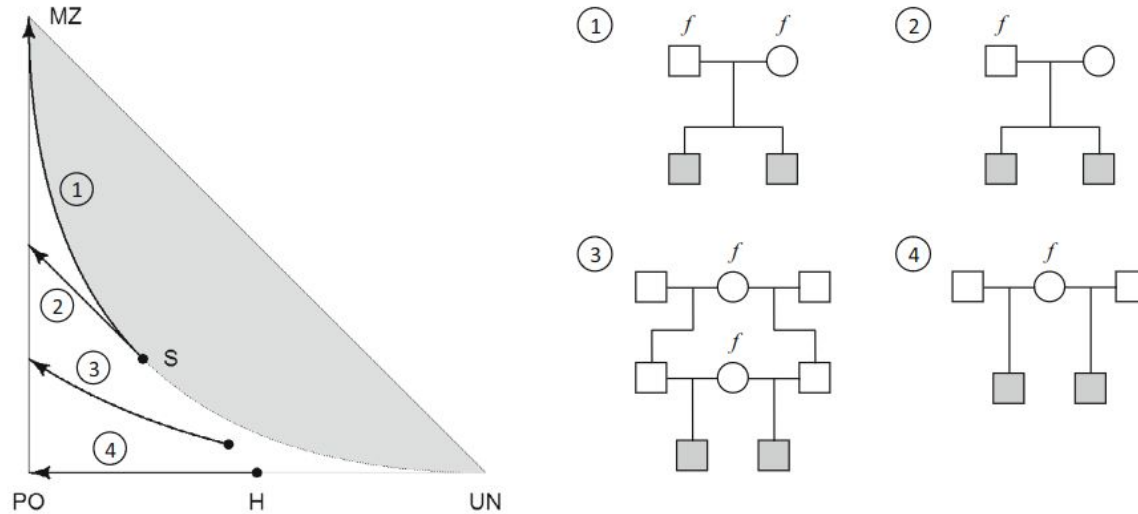
**IBD0** = probability of sharing 0 alleles by descent  
**IBD2** = probability of sharing two alleles by descent



Vigeland, M. D. (2020). Relatedness coefficients in pedigrees with inbred founders. *Journal of mathematical biology*, 81(1), 185-207.

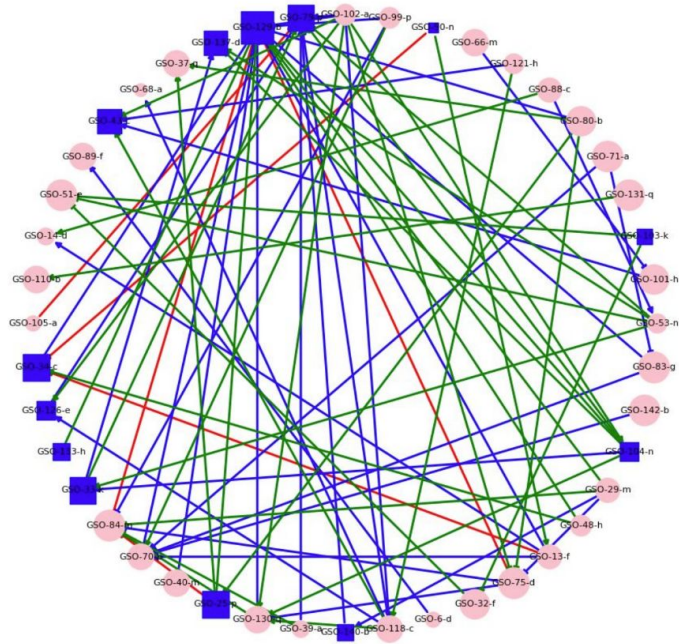


# Note: The problem of inbreeding



**Fig. 4** The effect of founder inbreeding in full sib and a selection of full-and half-sib relationships. Each arrow traces the IBD coefficients as the level of founder inbreeding increases from 0 to 1

# Panmixia (random mating) and relatedness in the LC colony



**1st, 2nd, and 3rd degree relationships in the LC colony**

**reconstructed from the kinship analysis**

**edges (red)** -> first degree relationship (e.g., parent, full siblings)

**edges (blue)** -> second degree relationships (e.g., grandparent, uncle, half siblings)

**edges (green)** -> third degree relationships (e.g., cousins)

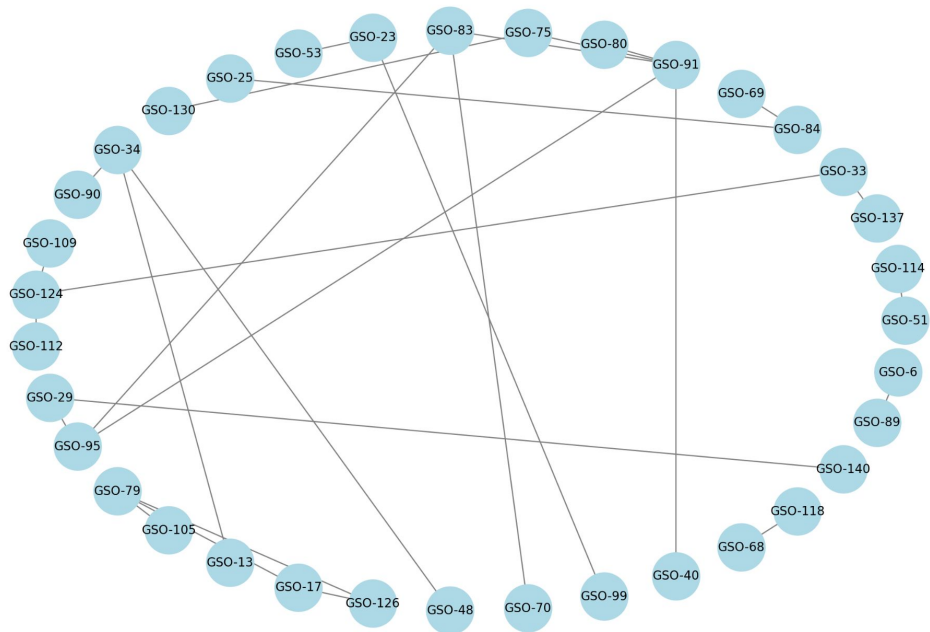
Females -> circles

Males -> squares

Age -> size

# Consistency

## First degree relationships



## Consistent siblings

