Within-population sperm competition intensity does not predict asymmetry in conpopulation sperm precedence: supplementary material

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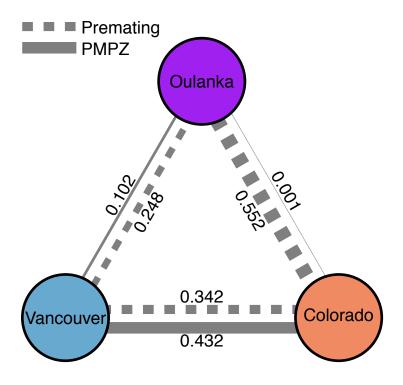


Figure S1: Summary of prezygotic isolation between populations of *Drosophila montana* from Crested Butte, Colorado, USA, Oulanka, Finland, and Vancouver, Canada. Edge weights reflect absolute contributions of premating sexual isolation (dashed) and non-competitive PMPZ isolation (solid) to total reproductive isolation between each pair of populations (from Table 3 in Jennings et al. (2014)).

Demographic modelling

All single nucleotide polymorphisms (SNPs) were filtered using a minimum coverage of 30 and we randomly subsampled SNPs to end with a uniform coverage of 30. To ensure SNPs included in the analysis were unlikely to be linked, we then randomly down-sampled based on how far SNPs were apart by selecting 1 in every 100 SNPs.

We tested seven demographic models for the history of divergence between *D. montana* populations from Crested Butte, Colorado, USA, Oulanka, Finland, and Vancouver, Canada (Fig. S2). (1) a no-migration model where migration was not included; (2) a full-symmetrical migration model where migration was symmetrical and present between all populations; (3) an adjacent-migration model where migration was possible between Oulanka and Vancouver or between Colorado and Vancouver, but not between Colorado and Oulanka. Additionally, we included models incorporating periods of isolation falling under two categories: ancient migration models and secondary contact models. Ancient migration models included (4) a model assuming migration ceased at the time of the Colorado-Vancouver split, and (5) a model assuming migration persisted after the Finnish-North American split and the Colorado-Vancouver split but ceased shortly after. For secondary contact models, we included (6) a model with isolation between populations with a recent secondary contact event between Colorado and Vancouver after divergence, and (7) a model assuming migration during the Colorado-Vancouver divergence, with a period of secondary contact beginning after the appearance of both Colorado and Vancouver populations. Migration is assumed to be symmetric for all models.

We fitted all seven models to the 3D-AFS and performed 3 rounds of model optimizations using the Nelder-Mead method (Nelder and Mead 1965). In the first round, minimum (0.01) and maximum (10) parameters were 3-fold perturbed with 10 replicates and a maximum of 5 iterations. The best fitting parameters from the

first round were used as starting parameters for the second round, in which parameters were 2-fold perturbed with 10 replicates and a maximum of 5 iterations. Finally, the best fit replicate from the second round was used to produce starting parameters for the third round, in which we ran 15 replicates with parameters perturbed 1-fold with a maximum of 5 iterations.

We estimated divergence times by first solving the equation for θ , the population mutation rate, to derive N_{ref} , the reference effective population size:

$$\theta = 4N_{ref}\mu L,\tag{1}$$

where μ is the mutation rate for *D. melanogaster* (2.8x10⁻⁹) (Keightley et al. 2014) and L, the effective length was calculated by multiplying the total number of SNPs aligned to the reference genome and converted to sync format (31,800,188), by the number of SNPs that entered the analysis divided by the number of SNPs remaining before down-sampling (8,000/860,228). We then converted parameter estimates to real biological units of time, τi , using the equation:

$$\tau i = 2\tau 1 N_{ref} G,\tag{2}$$

where G, the generation time, was set as one per year based on observations from Aspi et al. (1993) and Throckmorton (1982).

Using equations (1) and (2) we estimated divergence from the ancestral population to have occurred 1,743,164 years ago (T1 + T2), and between Colorado and Vancouver shortly after (T2 = 1,710,355 years ago). We advise caution when interpreting these estimates however. Despite studies showing accurate allele-frequency estimation using Pool-seq (Futschik & Schlötterer 2010; Gautier et al. 2013), it is difficult to appreciate how the use of read count data derived from a DNA pool might affect demographic inference and divergence time estimates. Here, for example, we observe some evidence of an excess of rare variants in our data, though it is unclear whether this represents demographic and/or selective processes, or inaccurate allele frequency estimation caused by inherent statistical challenges associated with Pool-seq. To account for this, we stringently filtered and down-sampled our dataset to retain only reliable sites. Nonetheless, an excess of rare variants may have biased the demographic inference performed here. Additionally, the generation time (G), effect sequence length (L) and mutation rate (μ) used, whilst these are reasonable assumptions, may have also contributed to over- or underestimation of divergence times.

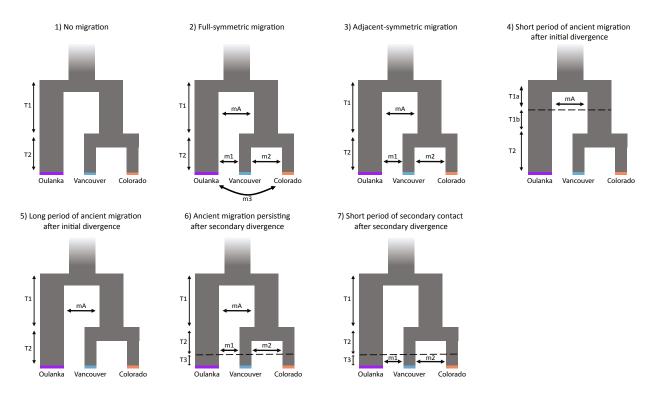


Figure S2: Graphical representation of demographic models tested. mA, ancient migration between Oulanka and precursor North American population; m1, ancient migration between Vancouver and Oulanka; m2, ancient migration between Vancouver and Colorado; m3, ancient migration between Oulanka and Colorado; Initial and secondary divergence are represented by T1(a) and T2, where T1(b) and T3 correspond to the start or end of periods of isolation. Population splits are denoted by T1 (between Oulanka and North America) and T2 (between Vancouver and Colorado). T1(a) and T1(b) denote the start or end of periods of migration following the split between Oulanka and North American populations. T3 denotes start or end of periods of migration following the split between Vancouver and Colorado.

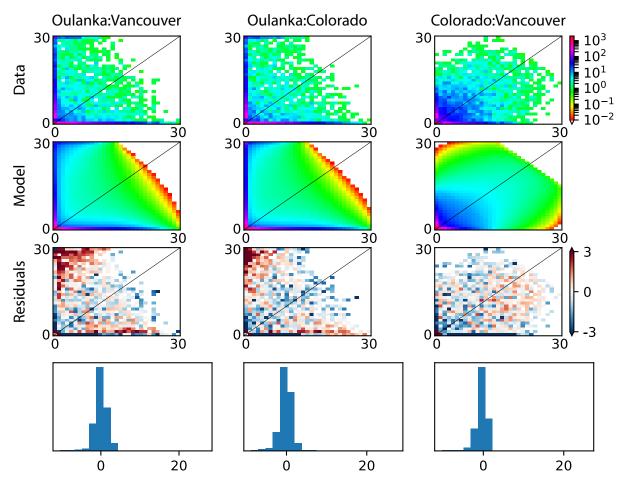


Figure S3: Three-dimensional allele-frequency spectra (3D-AFS) for the best fitting model; (3) Adjacent-migration model. Top: data; middle top: model fits; middle bottom: residuals; bottom: histogram of residuals.

Measures of postmating prezygotic reproductive isolation

Postmating prezygotic isolation of virgin females: non-competitive gametic isolation (NCGI)

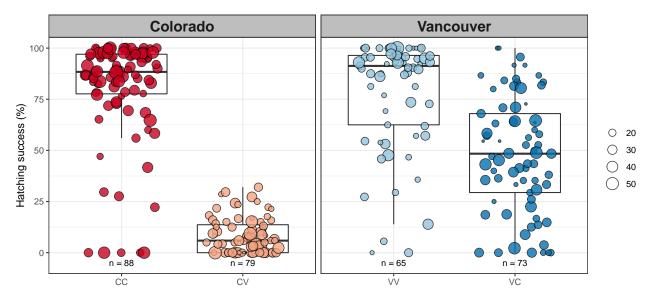


Figure S4: Hatching success (% eggs laid that hatched) after the first mating for females that mated with nonirradiated males. Points are observations and size show the number of eggs laid (i.e. weights). Cross-type denotes female population followed by first and second male. C, Colorado; V, Vancouver.

Postmating prezygotic isolation of non-virgin females

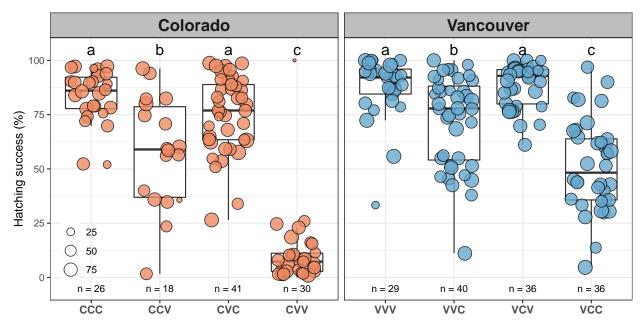


Figure S5: Hatching success (% eggs laid that hatched) after the second mating for females that mated with nonirradiated males. Points are observations and size show the number of eggs laid (i.e. weights). Cross-type denotes female population followed by first and second male. C, Colorado; V, Vancouver.

Con-population sperm precedence (CpSP)

We assessed male offensive paternity share (P_2) using the irradiated male technique (Boorman and Parker 1976). Virgin males were irradiated with a 100Gy dose of gamma radiation (dose rate 189.2 rads min⁻¹, ¹³⁷Cs source), rendering males 100% sterile, less than 24 hours before mating and housed individually overnight in food vials. To assess the level of fertility after a double mating, 'control' treatments consisted of mating females with two nonirradiated males in all possible crossing combinations with males from Colorado and/or Vancouver. We also included additional data for these control crosses collected in a pilot study (n = 30 per cross-type). To assess the efficacy of the irradiation technique females were mated with two irradiated males, both from Colorado or Vancouver. Experimental treatments consisted of all possible crossing combinations between females and males from Colorado and Vancouver, with either the first or second male irradiated. The proportion of eggs fertilised by the irradiated male after the second mating, P_R , was calculated using equation (1) from Boorman and Parker (1976):

$$P_R = \left(1 - \frac{x}{p}\right) + \left(\frac{x}{p} * \frac{1 - (x/p)}{1 - (z/p)}\right),$$
 (3)

where x is the observed proportion of developing eggs after a double mating from the second oviposition plate, p is the level of fertility observed in a double mating for a given 'control' cross-type, and z is the level of fertility observed in the double irradiated cross-type. For our calculation of P_R we chose the maximum value of p observed (rather than the mean) to capture the full potential fertility of between-population crosses. As z=0 in this case, the equation can be simplified to $P_R=1-x/p$. Therefore, if the irradiated male mates first, then the proportion of eggs fertilised by the second male, $P_2=x/p$. If the irradiated male mates second then $P_2=P_R$ (Boorman and Parker 1976). The total number of eggs laid by each female after the second mating was multiplied by the calculated P_2 value and rounded to a whole number to give the estimated number of offspring sired by the second male. The remaining number of eggs expected to hatch were assigned to the first male.

As few eggs laid hatch when Colorado females mate with Vancouver males (CV hatching success = 0.084 ± 0.01 [mean \pm standard error], n = 79, Fig. S4; CVV hatching success = 0.115 ± 0.033 , n = 30, Fig. S5), we could not estimate differences in P_2 for the CVV cross-type which was subsequently excluded from P_2 analyses (Fig. S6).

Table 1: Mean P_2 with standard errors. Value calculated for CVV cross is included for completeness. C, Colorado; V, Vancouver. N = sample size.

Cross-type	N	P_2	Std. Err.
CCC	28	0.70	0.05
CCV	25	0.21	0.06
CVC	33	0.84	0.04
CVV	25	0.49	0.09
VVV	35	0.63	0.05
VVC	31	0.48	0.05
VCV	27	0.71	0.05
VCC	28	0.60	0.04

Irradiation order effects on P_2

In Colorado there was a significant effect of irradiation treatment ($F_{1,82} = 20.41$, p < 0.001), and the cross-type x irradiation interaction on P_2 ($F_{2,80} = 14.12$, p < 0.001). Irradiated males mating in the second position had a greater P_2 than irradiated males mating in the first position in the CCV and CVC cross-types, but not the CCC cross-type (Fig. S6). In Vancouver the irradiation main effect was not significant ($F_{1,116} = 1.24$, p = 0.267) but there was a significant cross-type x irradiation interaction ($F_{3,113} = 7.37$, p < 0.001). In the VVV cross-type irradiated males in the second position had lower P_2 , whereas in the other Vancouver female cross-types irradiated males in the second position had greater P_2 (Fig. S6).

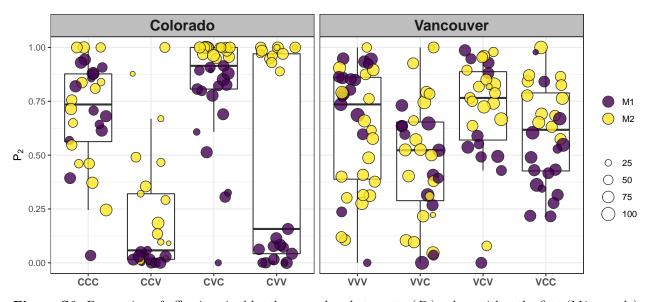


Figure S6: Proportion of offspring sired by the second male to mate (P_2) , where either the first (M1, purple) or second (M2, yellow) male to mate was irradiated. Cross-type denotes female population followed by first and second male mate. C, Colorado; V, Vancouver. Points are observations and size show the number of eggs laid (i.e. weights).

Interaction between coevolved and foreign male ejaculates in the female reproductive tract

We tested whether observed hatching success rates after a double mating in the nonirradiated 'control' crosses differed from the expected additive effect of two single matings, H_{total} , using the following equation:

$$H_{total} = (P_2 * H_2) + (1 - P_2 * H_1), \tag{4}$$

where P_2 is the mean proportion of offspring sired by the second male in a given cross-type and H_1 and H_2 are the mean hatching success rates after a single mating for a female mated with a male from the first, and second, population denoted in a cross-type, respectively (Table 2).

Table 2: Values used to calculate H_{total} , the expected additive effect of two single matings using equation (4). Cross-type denotes female population followed by first and second male mate. C, Colorado; V, Vancouver.

Cross-type	P_2	H_{obs}	H_1	H_2	RHS	LHS	H_{total}	Δ
CCC	0.70	0.83	0.80	0.80	0.24	0.56	0.80	0.03
CCV	0.21	0.58	0.80	0.08	0.63	0.02	0.65	-0.07
CVC	0.84	0.75	0.08	0.80	0.01	0.67	0.68	0.07
CVV	0.49	0.12	0.08	0.08	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.03
VVV	0.63	0.88	0.78	0.78	0.29	0.49	0.78	0.09
VVC	0.48	0.72	0.78	0.48	0.41	0.23	0.64	0.09
VCV	0.71	0.88	0.48	0.78	0.14	0.55	0.69	0.19
VCC	0.60	0.51	0.48	0.48	0.19	0.29	0.48	0.03

 P_2 , mean second male paternity share; H_{obs} , mean observed hatching success for females that mated with two nonirradiated males; H_1 , mean hatching success from a single mating expected for females mating with first male; H_2 , mean hatching success from a single mating expected for females mating with second male; RHS, $1-P_2*H_1$; LHS, P_2*H_2 ; H_{total} , LHS + RHS; $\Delta = H_{obs} - H_{total}$

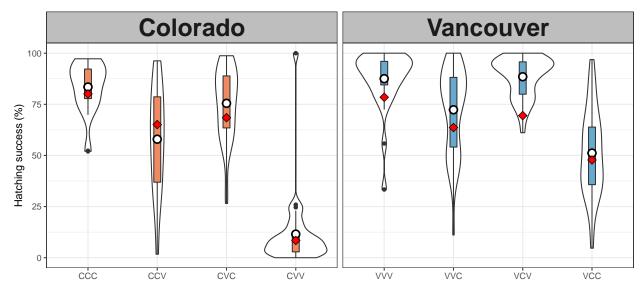


Figure S7: Effects of overlapping foreign and coevolved ejaculates on fertilisation success. White points show H_{obs} , mean hatching success (% eggs laid that hatched) for females that mated with two nonirradiated males (data same as Fig. S5), red diamonds show H_{total} , the expected additive hatching success of two single matings for a female mated with a male from the first and second population denoted in a cross-type, calculated given the estimated paternity share of each male (Table 2). Cross-type denotes female population followed by first and second male mate. C, Colorado; V, Vancouver.

Proxies for the intensity of sperm competition faced by males

Male relative reproductive investment

We tested for differences between populations in male reproductive mass investment using analysis of covariance (ANCOVA) (Tomkins and Simmons 2002). Log transformed dry reproductive tract mass was regressed against log transformed dry soma mass (body mass – reproductive tract mass) and the soma mass x population interaction. Colorado males weighed significantly less than Vancouver males on average (Welch Two Sample t-test, t = -9.84, df = 96.45, p < 0.001; Colorado = 0.58 \pm 0.01 mg [mean \pm standard error], n = 60, Vancouver = 0.77 \pm 0.02 mg, n = 60; Fig. S8a). Colorado males reproductive tracts weighed significantly less than Vancouver males on average (Welch Two Sample t-test, t = -6.47, df = 114.14, p < 0.001; Colorado = 0.09 \pm 0.002 mg, n = 60, Vancouver = 0.11 \pm 0.002 mg, n = 60; Fig. S8c). The results of the ANCOVA revealed the population x log soma mass interaction was not significant (ANCOVA: $F_{1,116}$ = 0.995, p = 0.321) and so was dropped from the model. The reduced model showed a significant effect of population (ANCOVA: $F_{1,117}$ = 7.74, p = 0.006) and log soma mass (ANCOVA: $F_{1,117}$ = 8.63, p = 0.004) on reproductive mass. Log reproductive tract mass increased with log soma mass and Vancouver males had a higher intercept (Fig. S8b). However, visual inspection of model diagnostic plots revealed four consistent outliers (Fig. S9). One Vancouver male had an unusually small body mass which resulted in high leverage (Fig. S8a). Three males (2 Colorado, 1 Vancouver) had relatively small reproductive tract masses (Fig. S8c).

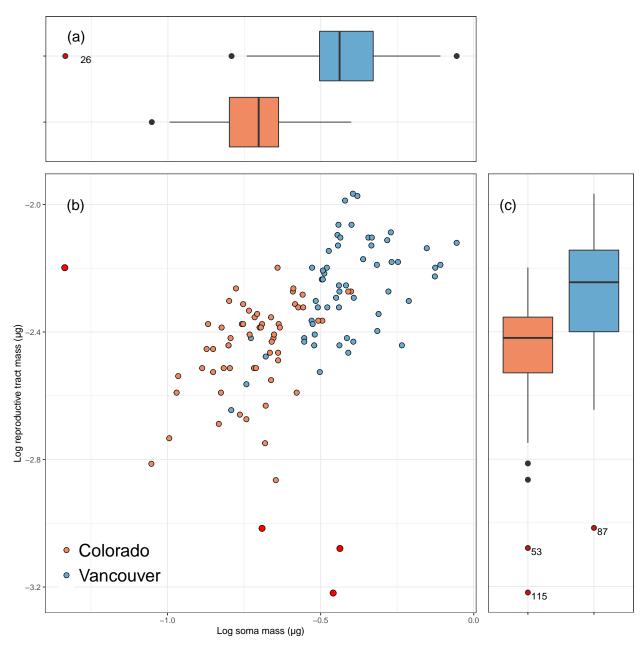


Figure S8: Log reproductive tract mass increased with log soma mass (ANCOVA: common slope, $\beta=0.520\pm0.086$, t = 6.023, p < 0.001). Red, Colorado; Blue, Vancouver. Outliers removed for analysis (2 Colorado, 2 Vancouver) are numbered and shown in red.

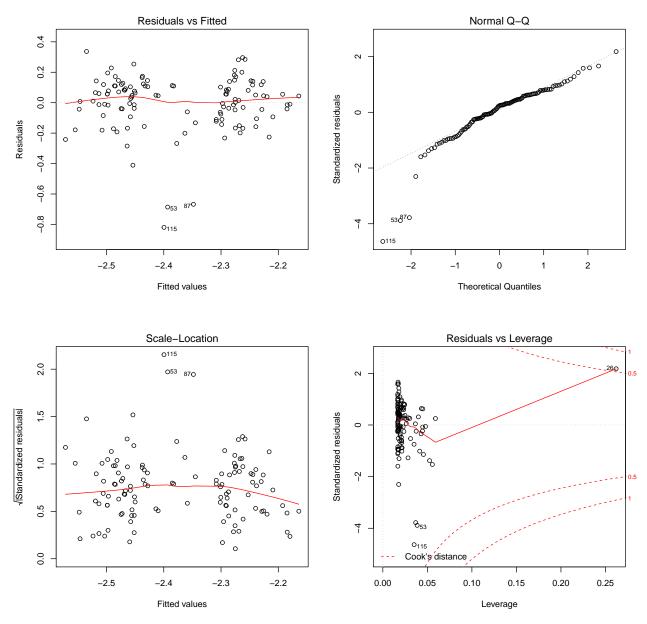


Figure S9: Model diagnostic plots for ANCOVA after dropping the population x soma mass interaction including all data. Outliers are numbered as in Fig. S8.

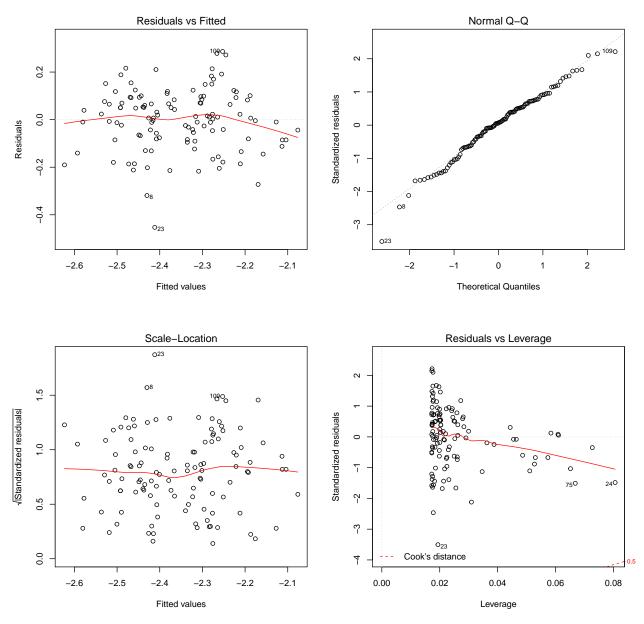


Figure S10: Model diagnostic plots for ANCOVA after dropping the population x soma mass interaction model after excluding outliers.

After removing the four outliers, Colorado males still weighed significantly less than Vancouver males on average (Welch Two Sample t-test, t=-11.36, df=98.8, p<0.001) and Colorado reproductive tracts weighed significantly less than Vancouver males on average (Welch Two Sample t-test, t=-6.91, df=106.27, p<0.001). Results of the updated ANCOVA model again revealed that the population x log soma mass interaction was not significant (ANCOVA: $F_{1,112}=0.02$, p=0.884), and was subsequently dropped from the model. Visual inspection of model diagnostic plots showed no significant outliers (Fig. S10).

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