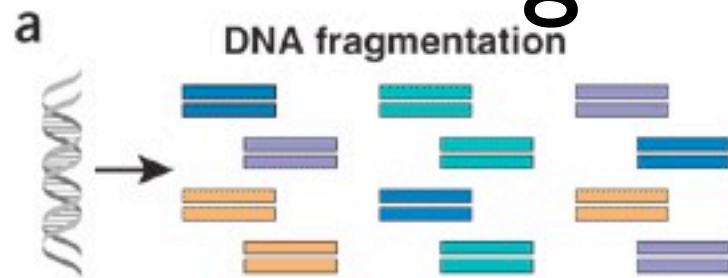
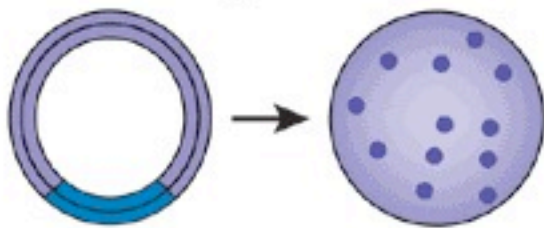


Sequencing technologies: Sanger (capillary sequencing)

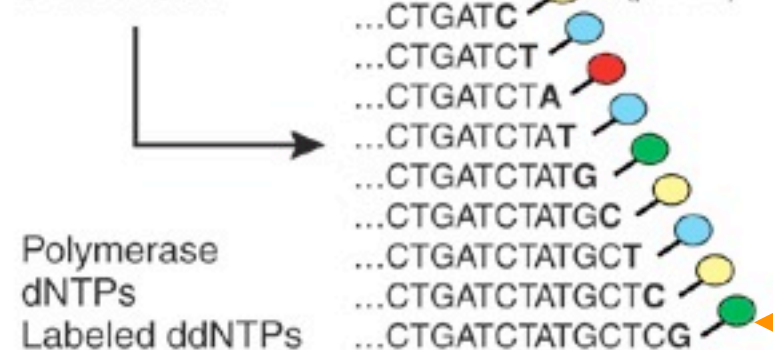


In vivo cloning and amplification



Cycle sequencing

3'-... GACTAGATACGAGCGTGA...-5' (template)
5'-... CTGAT (primer)

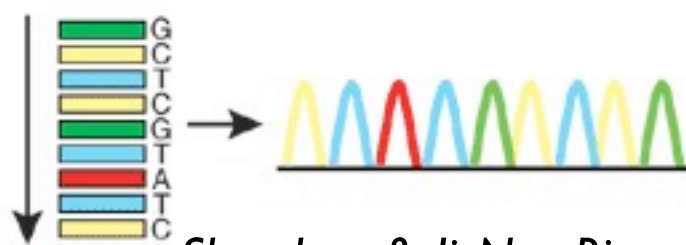


1 read at a time,
~1kb

Synthesize complementary strand

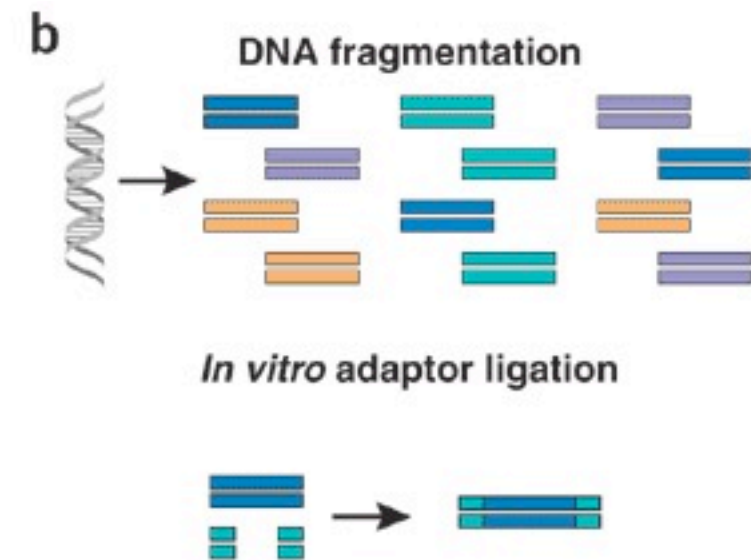
Visualize nucleotide incorporations

Electrophoresis
(1 read/capillary)



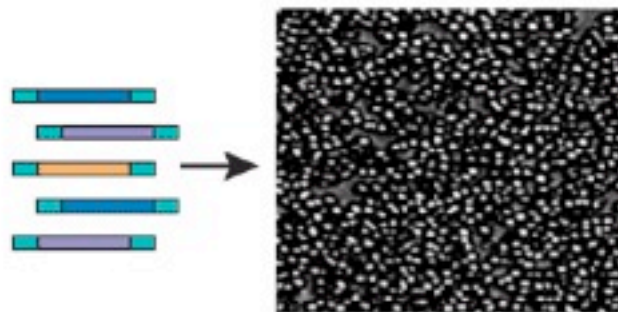
Computer-assisted image analysis

Sequencing technologies: High-Throughput



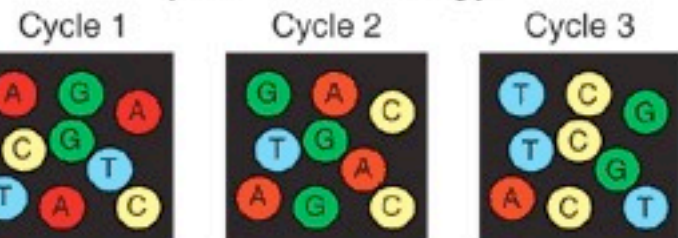
10^7 - 10^8 reads in parallel,
limited to ~100bp

Generation of polony array



On-chip clonal colonies of original fragment

Cyclic array sequencing
($>10^6$ reads/array)

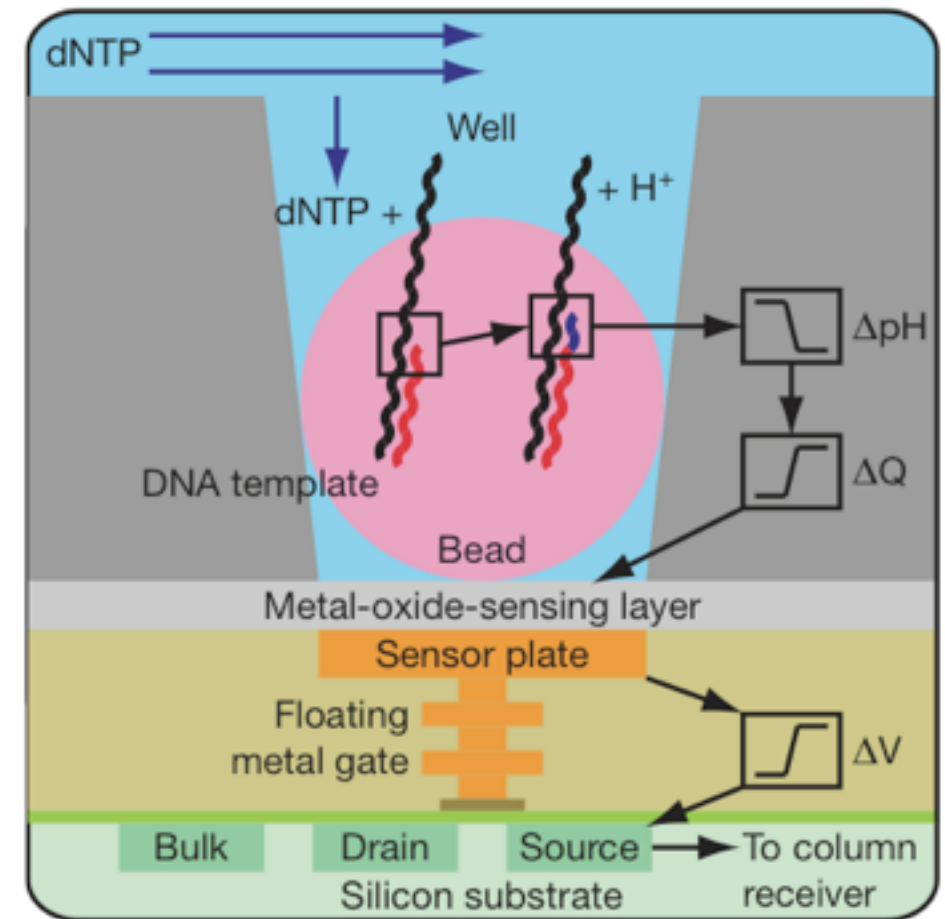
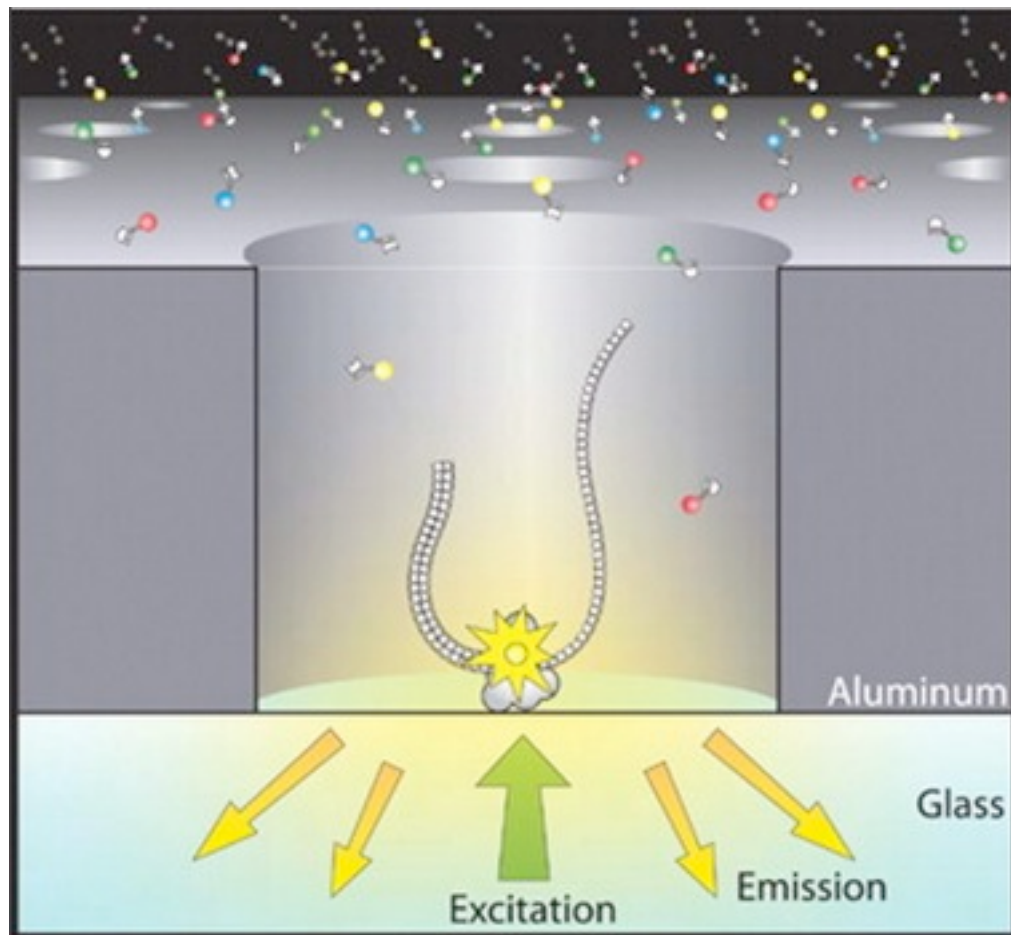


Optical reading

Sequencing technologies: High-Throughput

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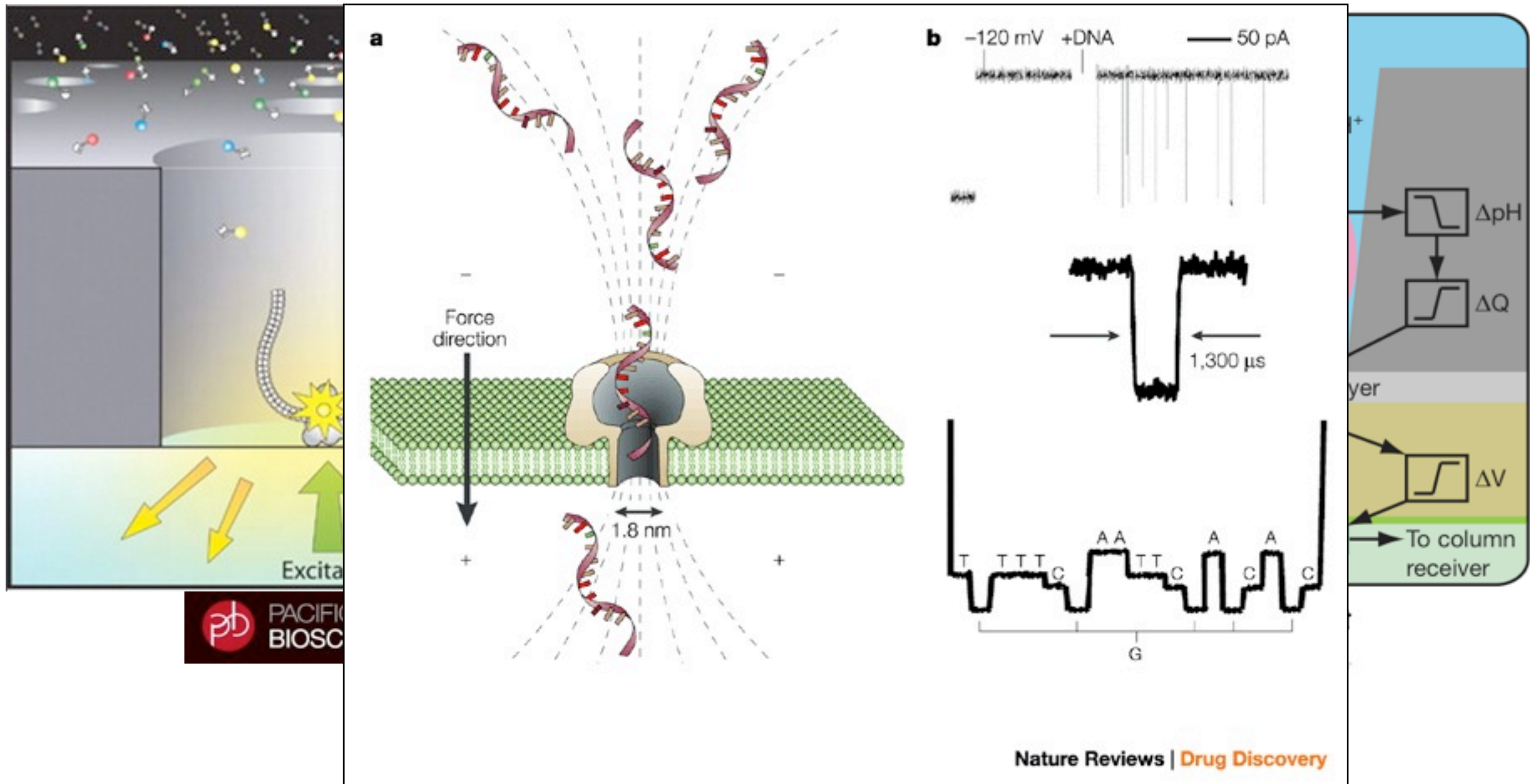
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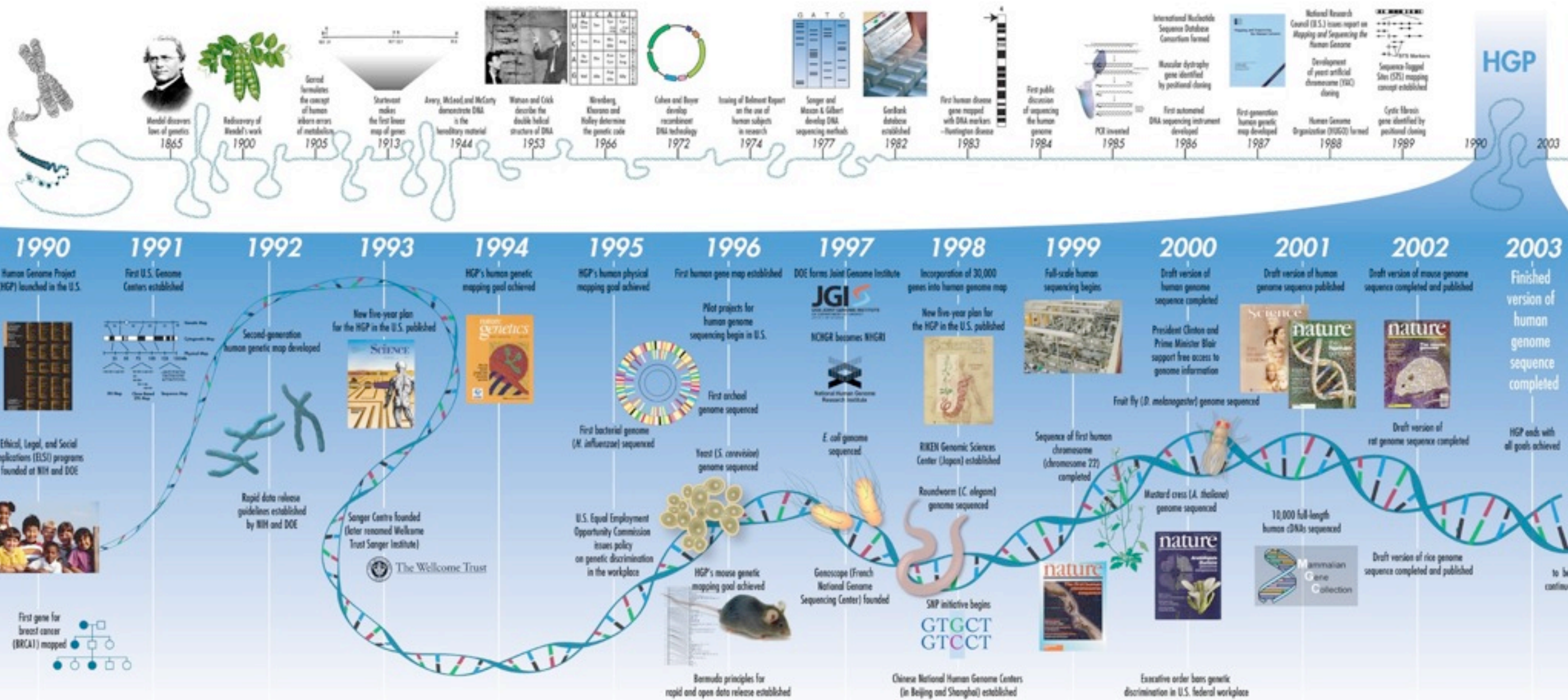
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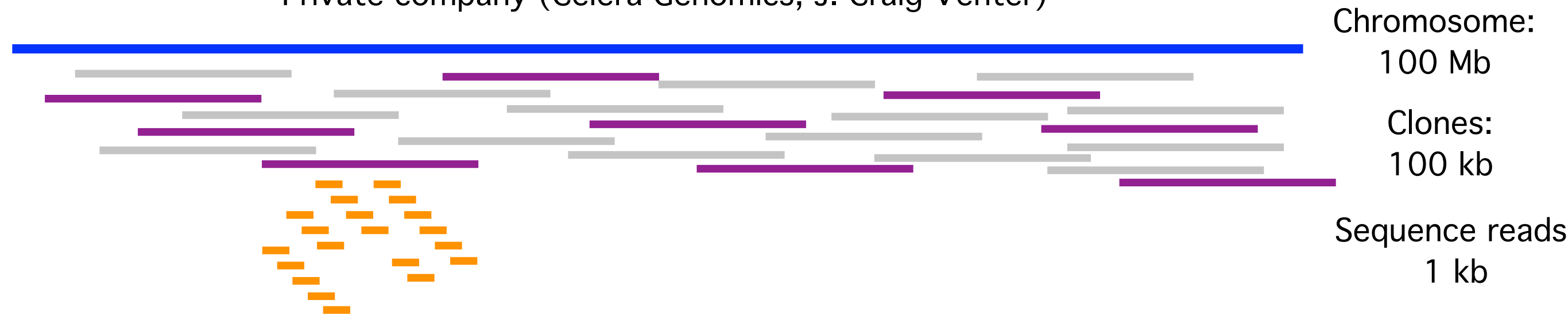
History of genome sequencing projects



<http://www.genome.gov/>

Human Genome Project: 1990-2000

- Two competing initiatives with different strategies:
 - Public consortium
 - Private company (Celera Genomics, J. Craig Venter)



- Hierarchical sequencing:
 - Create library of ordered clones
 - Fragment and sequence them
 - Assemble fragments
- Whole genome shotgun sequencing:
 - Directly fragment the whole genome
 - Use paired-end sequencing to resolve repeats

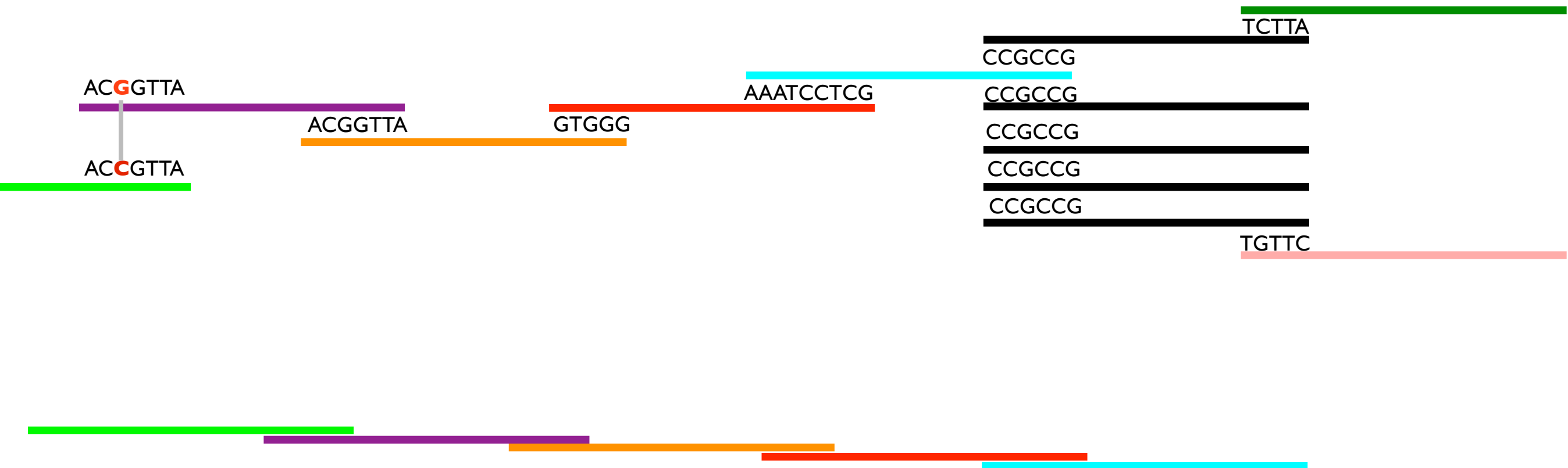
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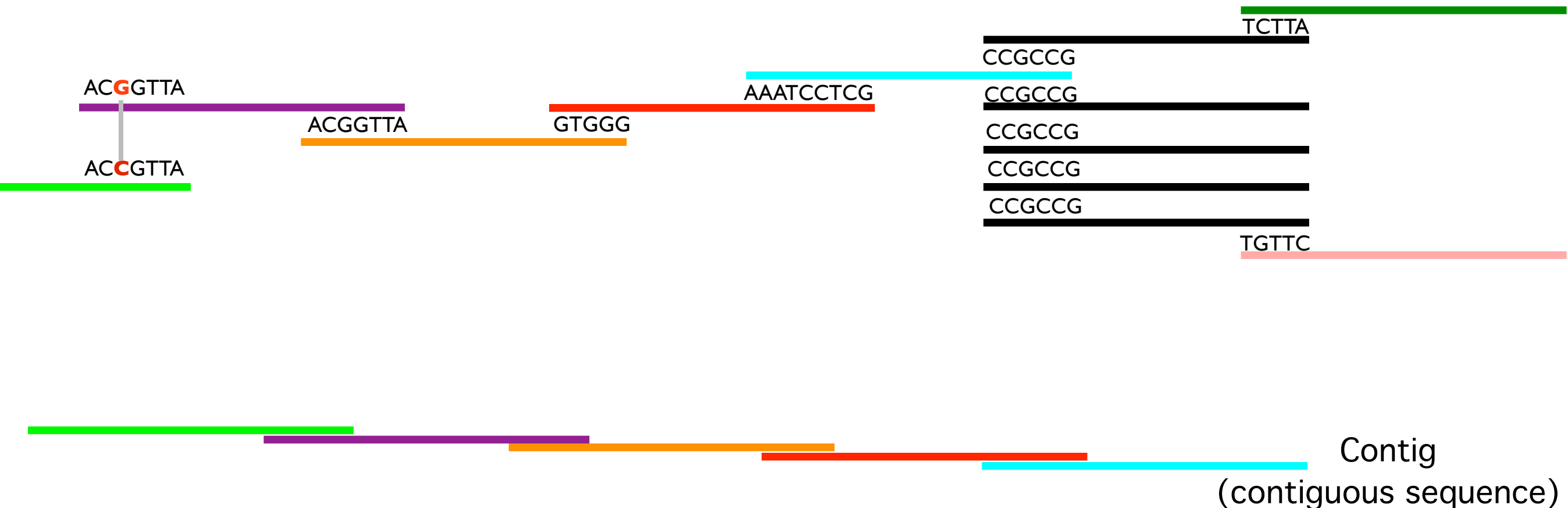
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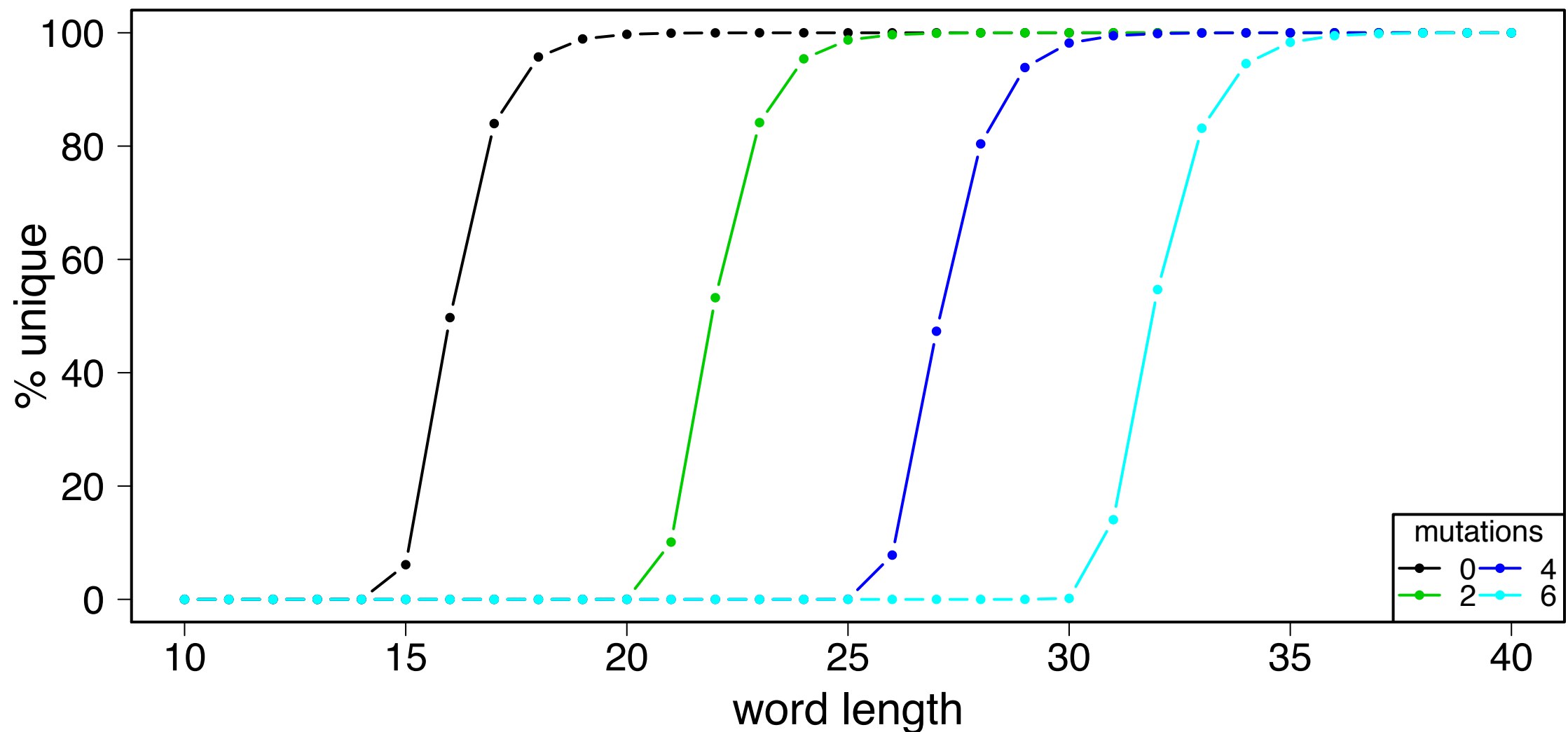
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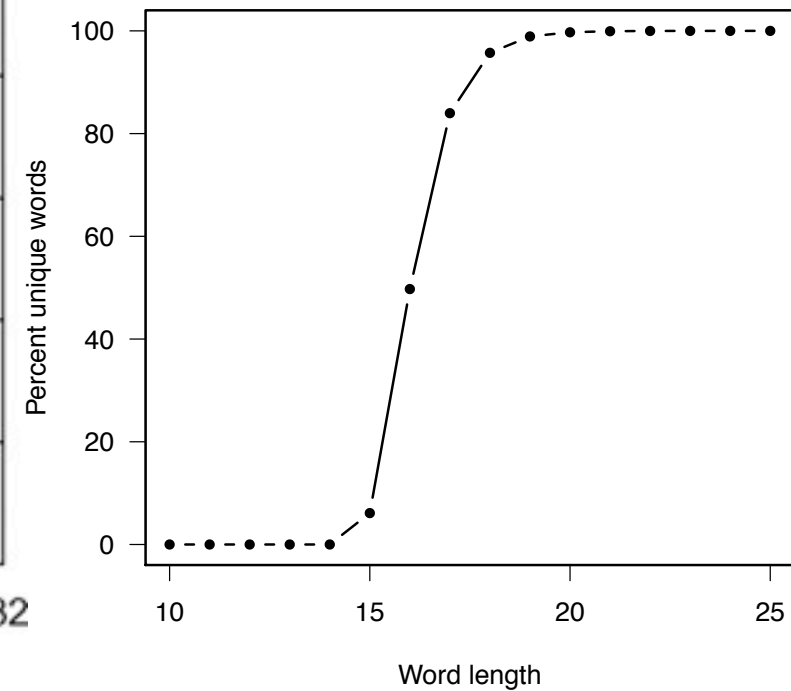
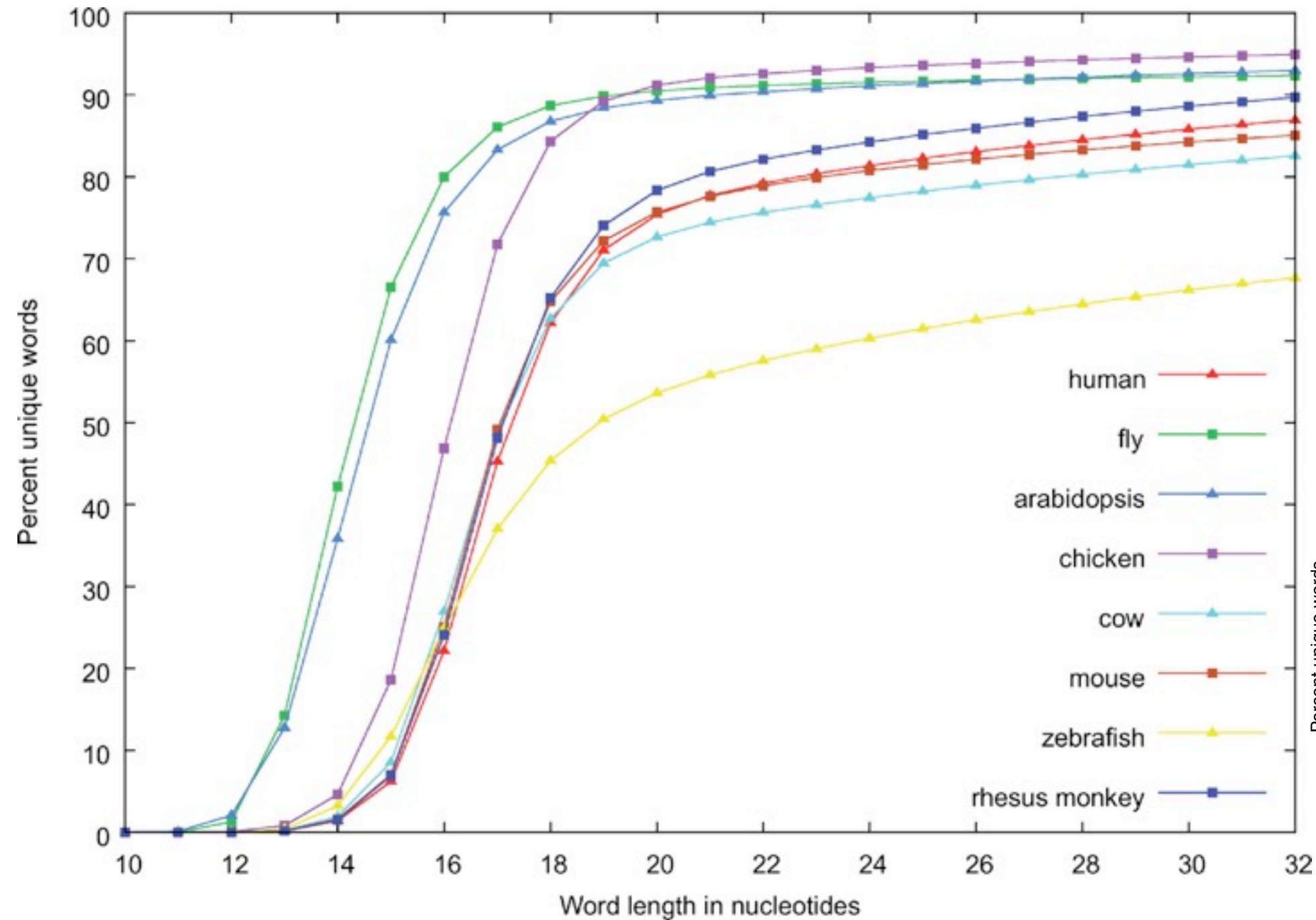


Overlap size

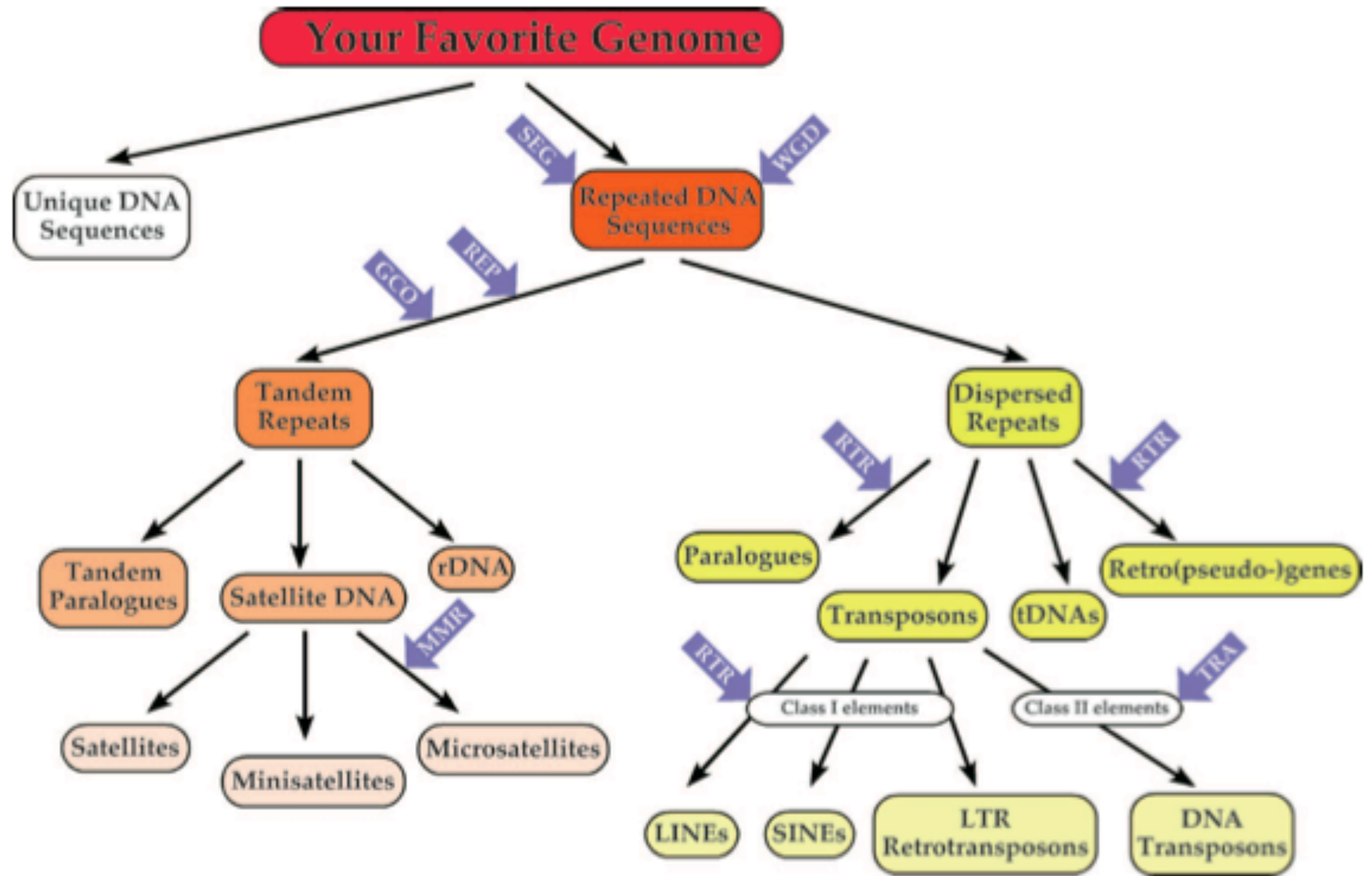
- Human genome is 3Gb, $\log_4(3 \times 10^9) = 15$
- We are assuming up to 3% errors, so two words with a few differences can be considered the same
- If we use 35mers with up to 6 “mistakes”, this is still “unique” in the genome
- PHRED score: $-10 \times \log_{10}(\text{Prob of wrong base call})$



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	WGD	tDNA	LINEs/ SINEs	LTRs	DNA
Yeast	1	274	-	52 elem.	-
Drosophila	0	292	0.7%	1.5%	0.7%
Mouse	2	335	27%	10%	1%
Human	2	345	34%	8%	3%

- WGD: Whole Genome Duplications
- tDNA: genes encoding for tRNA
- LINE: 6-8 Kb, contains 2 ORFs
- SINE: 100-300 bp (Human Alu, Mouse B1/B2)
- LTR: up to 80% of plant genomes

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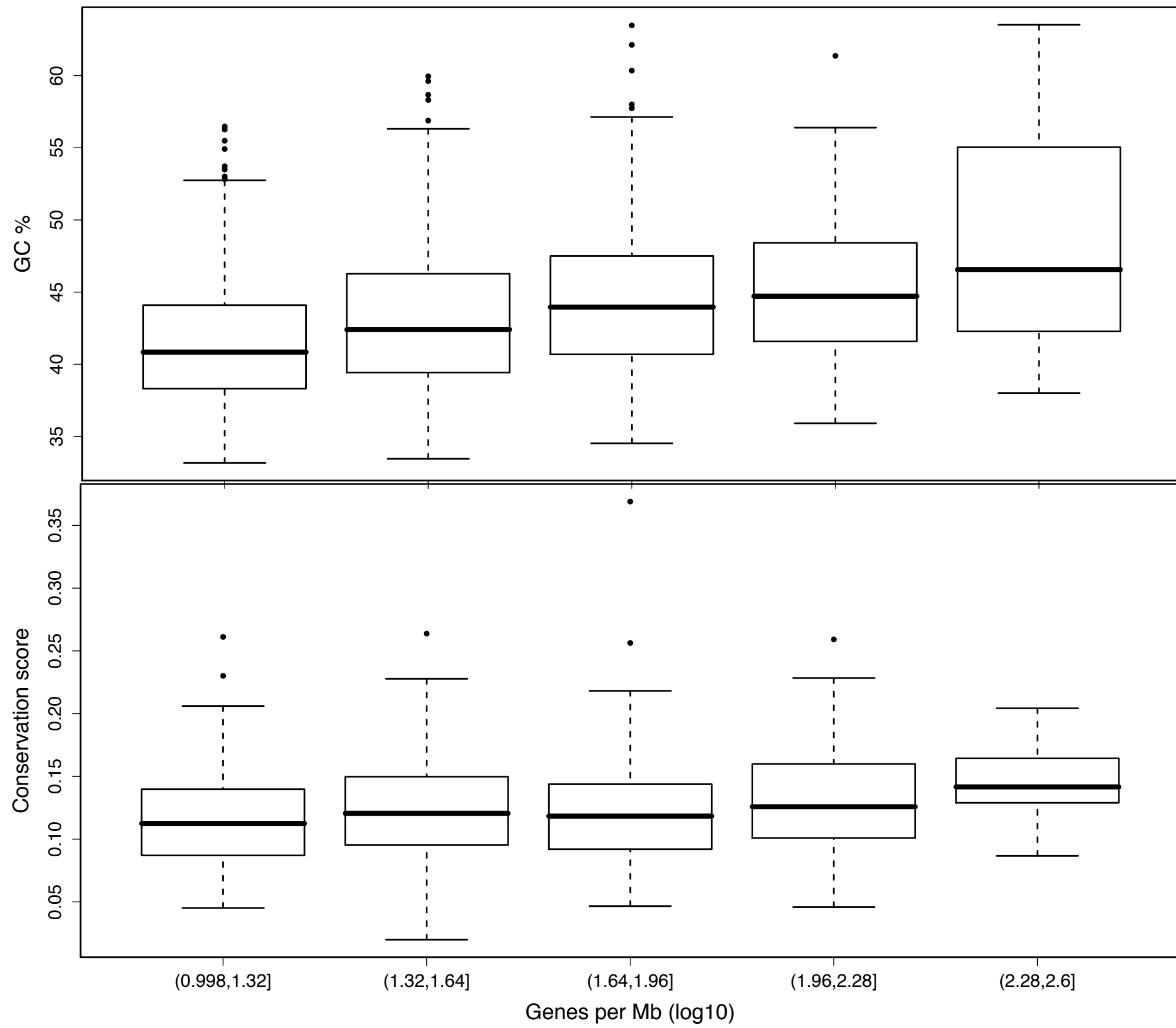
- RepBase: a database of consensus transposable elements
- RepeatMasker: a tool to identify sequences similar to these elements in other sequences (genomes)
- Common strategy in genome assembly is to mask repeats before computing read overlaps

Outcome: Human genome

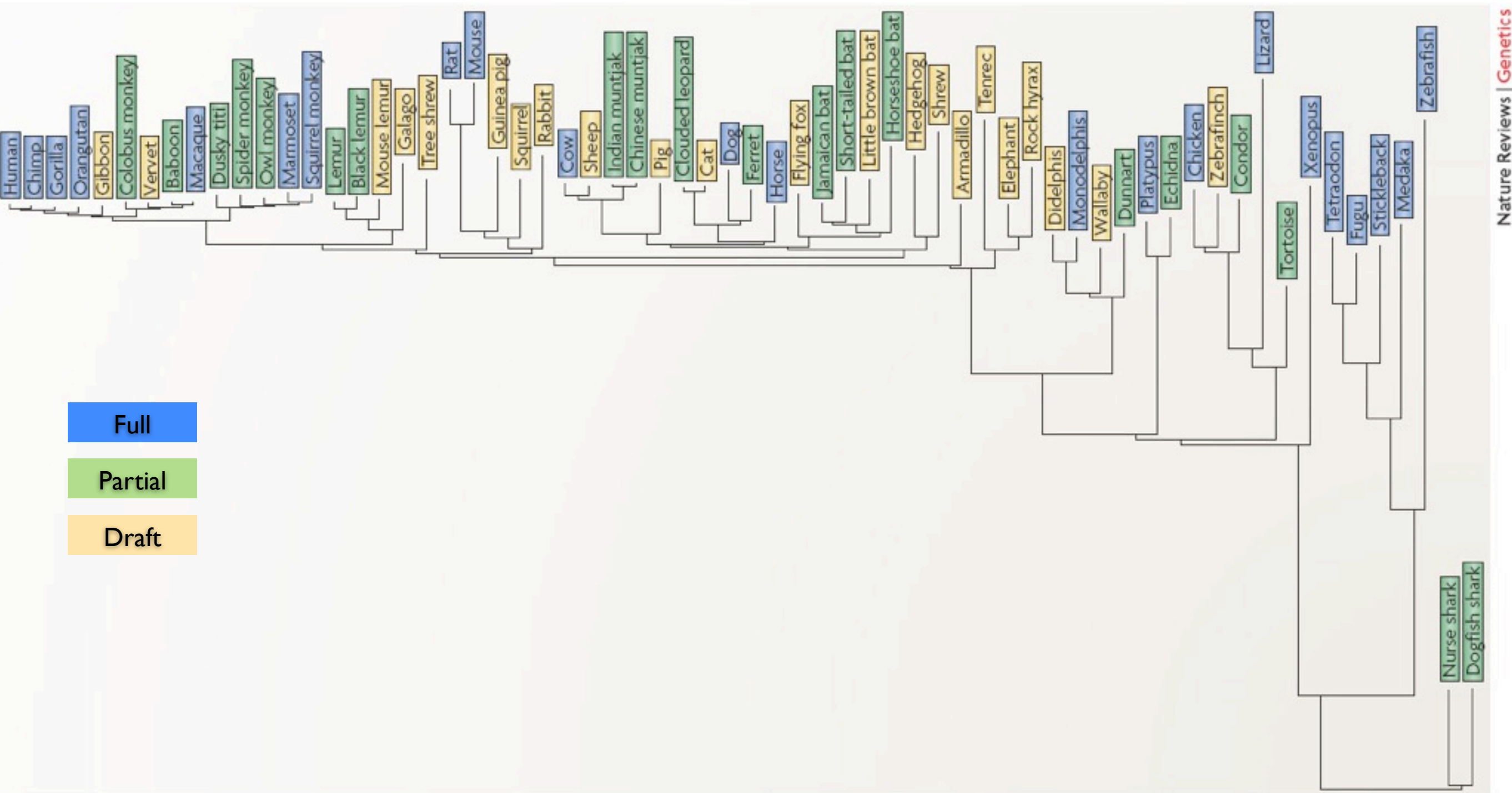
	Size (Mb)	GC content	Nb genes	N50
Yeast	12	38%	6,696	
Drosophila	169	42%	13,781	
Mouse	2,717	42%	21,879	39Mb
Human	3,102	40%	20,469	46Mb

- N50: size of smallest contig such that 50% genome is covered
- Mycobacterium Tuberculosis GC: 66%

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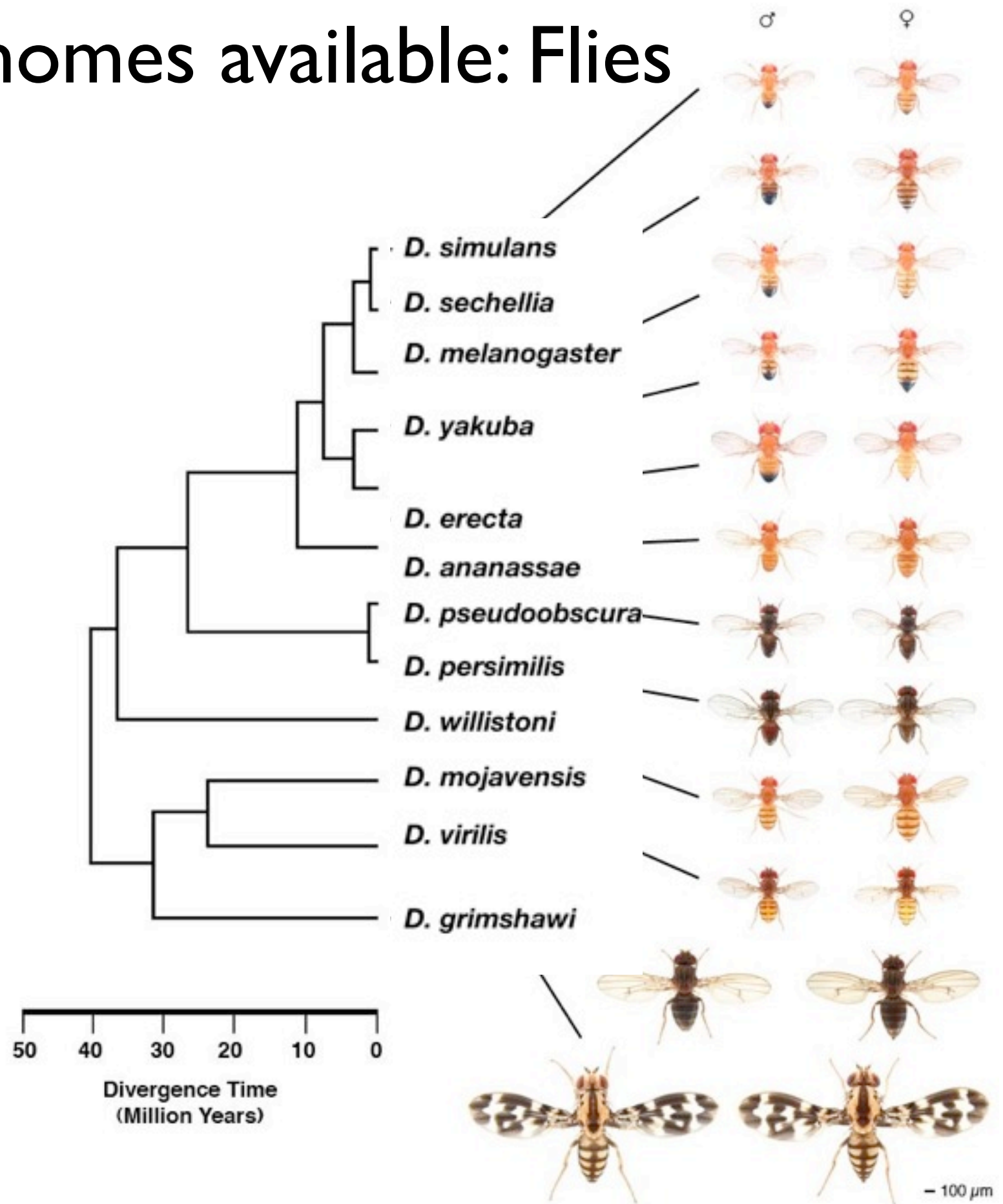


Other genomes available: Vertebrates



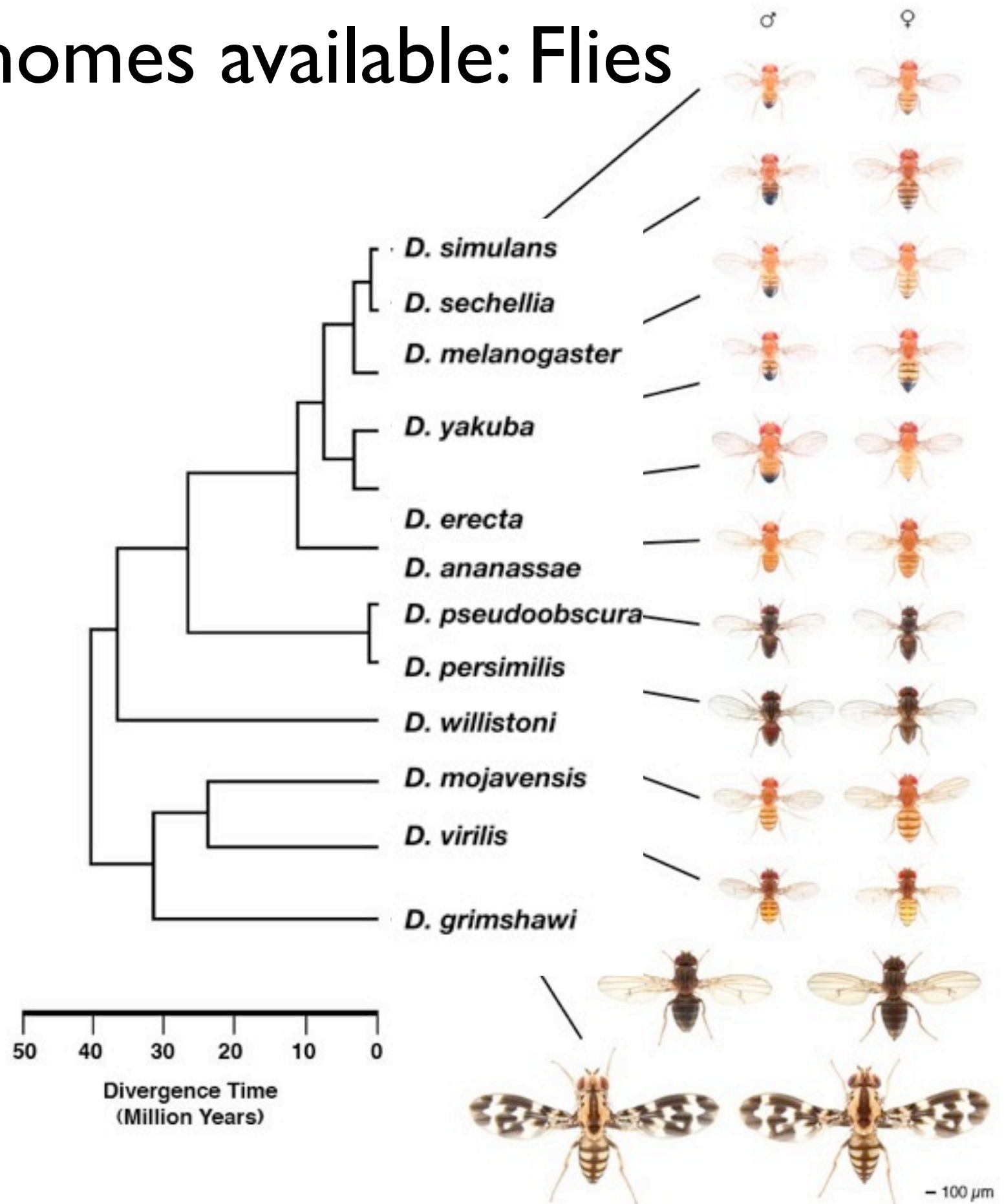
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Other genomes available: Flies

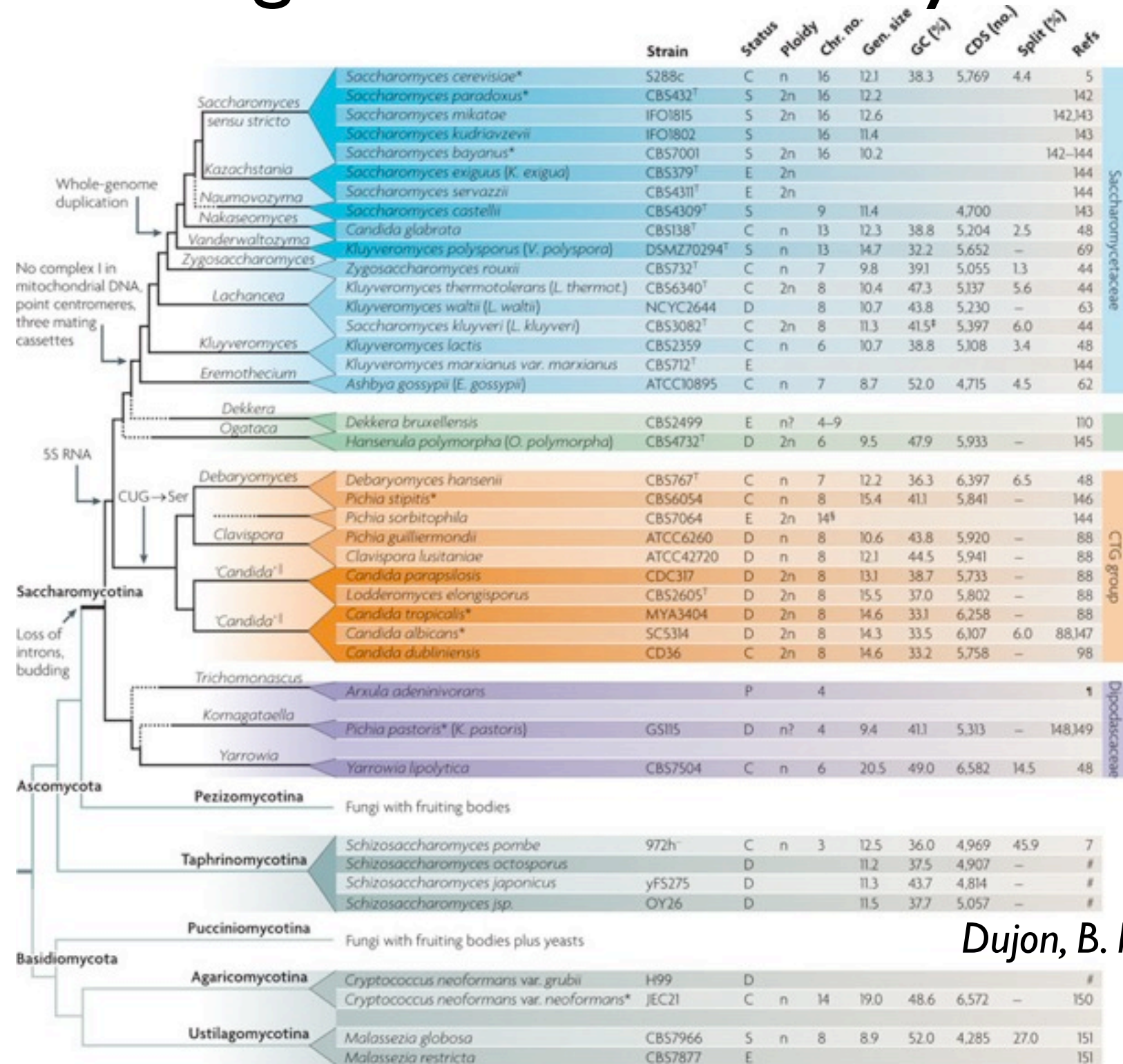


Other genomes available: Flies

12 *Drosophila* genomes

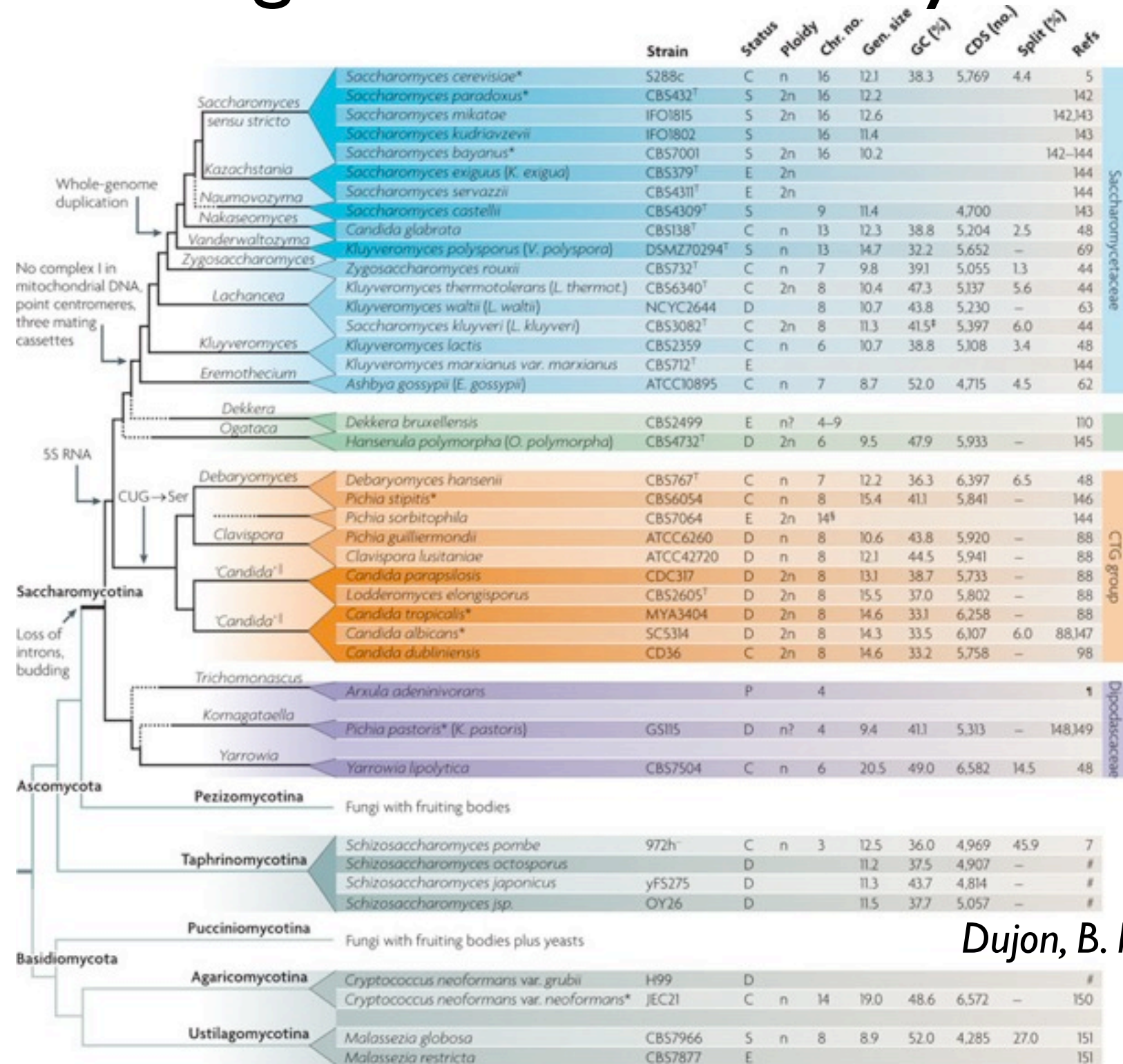


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40 yeast genomes,
1744 bacterial genomes,
2695 virus genomes.