## **Swarm Selection Tutorial**

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## Phase I: Select Sites

This phase of analysis requires:

- 1. A protein alignment, provisionally assumed to be in FASTA format.
- A way to recognize how the longitudinal samples are labeled.
   By default, sequence names are assumed to be dot-delimited, with the timepoint label in the first (left-most) field.
- 3. An indication of which sequence is the reference/TF sequence. By default, this is taken to be the first sequence in the alignment.

#### **Choose a Cutoff Setting**

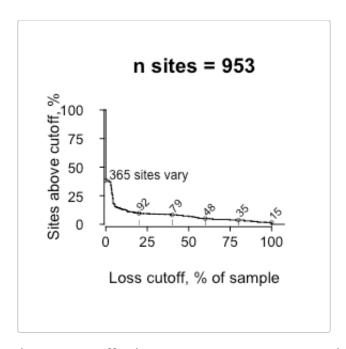
We need to choose a setting for the cutoff parameter value. Let's see how number of sites depends on cutoff threshold. A vector of cutoff values shows how many sites result from multiple settings. Note that the default values work for these data.

In practice, you will not need to use <code>system.file()</code> unless you are referring to an example alignment included with the <code>swarmtools</code> package.

```
library(swarmtools)
alignment_file <- system.file("extdata", "CH505-gp160.fasta", package="swarmtools")
eg.swarmtools <- swarmtools(aas_file=alignment_file, tf_loss_cutoff=0:5*20)
summary(eg.swarmtools)</pre>
```

```
%TF Loss at least selected sites, n selected sites, %
##
                                       953
## 1
                                                        100.00
## 2
                     20
                                                          9.65
## 3
                     40
                                        79
                                                          8.29
                                                          5.04
## 4
                     60
                                        48
## 5
                                                          3.67
                     80
                                        35
## 6
                    100
                                        15
                                                          1.57
```

```
plot(eg.swarmtools)
```



The 80% cutoff value gives 35 sites. Let's go with that.

### **Having Chosen a Cutoff Setting, List the Selected Sites**

```
eg.swarmtools <- swarmtools(aas_file=alignment_file, tf_loss_cutoff=80)</pre>
print(eg.swarmtools)
## Loss cutoff = 80%.
## Selected 35 sites:
##
         aln hxb2.1 hxb2.r hxb2.aa peak_tf_loss when_up
                                                             tf_area
## N279
                                                            3410.644
         357
                 279
                        279
                                   D
                                            95.83
## H417
         499
                417
                        417
                                   Ρ
                                            91.18
                                                         7 10103.671
## V281
                 281
                        281
                                           100.00
                                                            1732.931
         359
                                            88.24
## T413
         495
                413
                                                            6179.279
                        413
                                   Τ
                                                         9
## N332
         412
                332
                        332
                                   Ν
                                           100.00
                                                        20 1734.220
## 0334
         414
                 334
                        334
                                   S
                                           100.00
                                                        20 1734.220
## -144g 214
                        145
                                           100.00
                                                        20 2093.700
                 144
## -144h 215
                144
                        145
                                           100.00
                                                        20 2093.700
## -144f 213
                144
                        145
                                           100.00
                                                        20 3408.520
## V756
         844
                 756
                        756
                                   Ι
                                            92.86
                                                        20 4903.194
## A145
                 145
                                   G
                                            96.77
                                                        20 8750.560
         216
                        145
## D325
         405
                325
                        325
                                   Ν
                                            83.33
                                                        20 10922.040
                                           100.00
## Y330
         410
                 330
                        330
                                  Н
                                                        22 2784,660
## N300
         379
                 300
                        300
                                   Ν
                                           100.00
                                                        30 2868.218
## T234
         312
                 234
                        234
                                   Ν
                                           100.00
                                                        30 2917.280
## K302
         381
                302
                        302
                                   Ν
                                           100.00
                                                        30 2917.280
                465
                                   S
## -465
         552
                        465
                                           100.00
                                                        30 3071.900
## -464
                464
                        464
                                   Ε
                                           100.00
                                                           3145.650
         551
                                                        30
## N462
         544
                 462
                        462
                                   Ν
                                            89.29
                                                        30 11450.590
## -463e 550
                463
                        464
                                           100.00
                                                        53
                                                            5433.226
```

##	K460	542	460	460	N	100.00	53	6272.314
##	0398	480	398	398	S	91.30	53	7020.274
##	K347	427	347	347	S	83.33	53	8187.620
##	I151	222	151	151	K	83.33	53	8298.458
##	H356	437	356	356	N	100.00	78	6617.376
##	E275	353	275	275	V	91.67	78	8185.790
##	G471	558	471	471	G	87.50	78	8966.026
##	0130	193	130	130	K	87.50	78	9129.296
##	0147	218	147	147	М	91.67	78	9312.777
##	E640	727	640	640	S	83.87	78	9441.390
##	T132	195	132	132	Т	83.33	78	9724.856
##	D185	259	185	185	D	83.33	78	10942.110
##	M4	4	4	4	K	87.50	100	10805.110
##	G620	707	620	620	Е	91.67	136	10612.342
##	R412	494	412	412	D	83.33	160	13949.102

## **Phase II: Select Clones**

This phase of analysis requires a SwarmTools object created in Phase I.

The SwarmTools object must have a list of selected sites, which happens only when it was created using a single tf\_loss\_cutoff value. Let's just go with the defaults.

```
eg.swarmset <- swarmset(eg.swarmtools, is_verbose=F)</pre>
```

# **All Together Now**

Got that? Here's the whole workflow:

```
library(swarmtools)
    alignment_file <- system.file("extdata", "CH505-gp160.fasta", package="swarmtools")</pre>
    eg.swarmtools <- swarmtools(aas_file=alignment_file, tf_loss_cutoff=0:5*20)
    summary(eg.swarmtools)
##
     %TF Loss at least selected sites, n selected sites, %
## 1
                                      953
                                                      100.00
## 2
                     20
                                       92
                                                        9.65
                                       79
                                                        8.29
## 3
                     40
## 4
                                                        5.04
                    60
                                       48
## 5
                    80
                                                        3.67
## 6
                   100
                                       15
                                                        1.57
```

```
eg.swarmtools <- swarmtools(aas_file=alignment_file, tf_loss_cutoff=80)
print(eg.swarmtools)</pre>
```

## Loss cutoff = 80%. ## Selected 35 sites: ## aln hxb2.1 hxb2.r hxb2.aa peak\_tf\_loss when\_up tf\_area ## N279 357 279 279 D 95.83 4 3410.644 ## H417 499 417 417 Ρ 91.18 7 10103.671 ## V281 359 281 281 Α 100.00 9 1732.931 ## T413 495 Τ 9 6179.279 413 413 88.24 ## N332 412 332 20 1734.220 332 Ν 100.00 ## 0334 414 334 334 S 100.00 20 1734.220 ## -144g 214 144 145 100.00 20 2093.700 ## -144h 215 144 145 -100.00 20 2093.700 ## -144f 213 144 145 100.00 20 3408.520 ## V756 844 756 756 Ι 92.86 20 4903.194 ## A145 216 145 145 G 96.77 20 8750.560 ## D325 405 325 83.33 20 10922.040 325 Ν ## Y330 410 330 330 Н 100.00 22 2784.660 ## N300 379 300 300 100.00 30 2868.218 N ## T234 312 234 234 Ν 100.00 30 2917.280 ## K302 381 30 2917.280 302 302 Ν 100.00 ## -465 552 465 465 S 100.00 30 3071.900 ## -464 551 464 464 Ε 100.00 30 3145.650 ## N462 544 462 462 Ν 89.29 30 11450.590 ## -463e 550 463 464 100.00 53 5433.226 ## K460 542 460 460 Ν 100.00 53 6272.314 ## 0398 480 398 398 S 91.30 53 7020.274 ## K347 427 347 S 83.33 53 8187.620 347 ## I151 222 83.33 53 8298.458 151 151 Κ ## H356 437 356 356 Ν 100.00 78 6617.376 ## E275 353 275 275 ٧ 91.67 78 8185.790 ## G471 558 471 471 G 87.50 78 8966.026 ## 0130 193 130 130 Κ 87.50 78 9129.296 ## 0147 218 147 147 Μ 91.67 78 9312.777 ## E640 727 640 640 S 83.87 78 9441.390 ## T132 195 Т 83.33 78 9724.856 132 132 ## D185 259 78 10942.110 185 185 D 83.33 ## M4 87.50 100 10805.110 4 4 4 Κ ## G620 707 620 620 Ε 91.67 136 10612.342 ## R412 494 412 D 83.33 160 13949.102 412

eg.swarmset <- swarmset(eg.swarmtools)</pre>

```
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 91
##
    column 3: V359[SGDA]
    column 22: 0480[T-]
##
##
      B1 w004.31
                     ## Number of mutations to be represented is now 90
  t=w007, n=16 viable clones
    column 1: N357[D]
##
##
    column 2: H499[SRN]
##
      B1 w007.8
                     KR.....
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 89
    column 4: T495[OI]
##
##
                     ...I.......
      A0 w007.34
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 88
    column 29: 0218[SNKD]
##
      A0 w007.25
                     ## Number of mutations to be represented is now 87
##
    column 35: R494[Q-]
##
      A0 w007.21
                     ## Number of mutations to be represented is now 86
## t=w008, n=12 viable clones
    column 1: N357[D]
##
##
    column 2: H499[SN]
##
    column 3: V359[SGDA]
      A0 w008.20
                     ..A.....
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 85
##
    column 29: 0218[SKD]
##
    column 35: R494[-]
## t=w009, n=14 viable clones
    column 1: N357[D]
##
##
    column 2: H499[SN]
##
    column 3: V359[SGD]
     A1 w009.19
##
                     ..G.......
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 84
##
    column 4: T495[0]
##
    column 35: R494[-]
## t=w010, n=13 viable clones
##
    column 1: N357[D]
##
    column 2: H499[SN]
      A1 w010.7
##
                     .N.....
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 83
##
    column 3: V359[SD]
    column 4: T495[0]
##
## t=w014, n=6 viable clones
   column 2: H499[S]
##
##
   column 3: V359[SD]
   column 4: T495[0]
##
## t=w020, n=23 viable clones
##
    column 2: H499[S]
```

```
##
    column 3: V359[SD]
##
    column 4: T495[0]
    column 5: N412[0]
##
##
      B0 w020.15
                      ....OS.....T..................
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 80
    column 7: -214[TOIA]
##
                      .R....ATO.....
      B1 w020.25
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 77
    column 8: -215[VSKEA]
##
##
    column 9: -213[IA]
    column 10: V844[A]
##
                      .RA.....AT.....
##
      B0 w020,24
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 76
    column 11: A216[VSGD-]
##
    column 12: D405[N]
##
                      C1 w020.11
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 75
    column 29: 0218[SKD]
## t=w022, n=15 viable clones
##
    column 2: H499[S]
    column 3: V359[SD]
##
##
    column 4: T495[0]
                      ...0.......
##
      A0 w022.22
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 74
    column 7: -214[TOI]
##
    column 8: -215[VSKEA]
##
    column 9: -213[IA]
##
    column 13: Y410[H]
##
                      ..AIOSATO...H............
      B1 w022.6
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 73
##
    column 14: N379[SG]
      A0 w022.5
                      .RA.OSATO....S.......
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 72
    column 24: I222[VL-]
##
##
      A0 w022.9
                      ..GIOS....-
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 71
## t=w030, n=24 viable clones
##
    column 1: N357[D]
      A0 w030.17
                      D.GOOSATO......TD.........
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 68
    column 2: H499[S]
##
    column 3: V359[SD]
##
      A1 w030.13
                      ..DPOS.....
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 67
    column 7: -214[TOI]
##
##
    column 8: -215[VSKEA]
##
    column 9: -213[IA]
##
    column 11: A216[VSGD-]
```

```
##
      A0 w030.26
                        .RG.OS....-...NTD.......
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 65
    column 14: N379[G]
##
##
    column 15: T312[0]
      A1 w030.36
                        ....OSATO.....O.TD......
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 64
    column 17: -552[PF]
##
##
    column 18: -551[TNGE]
      A0 w030.20
                        ..AIOSATOA.....TNTO.....
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 61
    column 19: N544[SOD-]
##
##
      A1 w030.32
                        .RG.OSATO......TD-.....
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 60
##
    column 20: -550[TKE]
##
    column 21: K542[ONE-]
##
      B0 w030.21
                        .RA.OSATO.....E....E....
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 59
  t=w053, n=21 viable clones
    column 2: H499[S]
##
    column 3: V359[S]
##
##
    column 7: -214[TOI]
      B1 w053.22
##
                        DRGIOSIEIAG.HSONFT.E.TE.....
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 50
    column 8: -215[VSKA]
##
##
    column 9: -213[A]
##
    column 11: A216[VSD]
##
    column 14: N379[G]
    column 17: -552[P]
##
##
    column 18: -551[GE]
##
    column 20: -550[TK]
##
    column 21: K542[ON-]
      A1 w053.31
                        DRGIOSAT....HSON....N-.....
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 49
##
    column 24: I222[VL]
      B1 w053.15
##
                        D.G.OSATOA..HSONFT.E.-.L.....
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 48
##
    column 25: H437[QONGD]
      A0 w053.8
                        DRGIOSATOA..HSONFT.E.T..Q......
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 47
    column 27: G558[VE]
##
      A0 w053.29
                        .RAIOSATOA..HSONFT.E.-...E.....
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 46
    column 28: 0193[YSN]
##
                        DRGIOSIEIAG.HSONFT.E.TE....N..I....
      A0 w053.9
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 44
    column 31: T195[A]
##
## t=w078, n=33 viable clones
    column 2: H499[S]
##
```

```
column 3: V359[S]
##
##
     column 7: -214[T0]
       A1 w078.9
                         DRG.OSTAA.S.HSONFT.E....QK..S.....
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 38
       B0 w078.6
                         DRGIOSOS.AS.HSONTN.OE-....
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 36
     column 8: -215[VK]
##
     column 11: A216[VD]
##
     column 14: N379[G]
##
##
     column 17: -552[P]
    column 18: -551[GE]
##
     column 19: N544[SOD]
##
##
       B0 w078.26
                         DRGIOSTAAAS.HSON..S.O.E.NK..S.....
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 33
##
       A0 w078.33
                         ..A.OSATOA..HSONT.O.N-....N..I.T..
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 31
                         DRGIOSATOA..HSON..D..TEL.KES.....
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 29
     column 20: -550[TK]
##
     column 21: K542[-]
##
       A1 w078.29
                         DRGIOSTAAAS.HSONTN..-..-L..NS.A....
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 27
##
     column 24: I222[V]
     column 25: H437[OGD]
##
##
       B0 w078.17
                         DRG.OSATOA..HSONFT.EE..LDK.D..IG...
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 25
##
     column 27: G558[V]
     column 28: 0193[Y]
##
##
     column 29: 0218[KD]
##
       A0 w078.30
                         ..A.OSATOA..HSON....N-.....D.....
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 24
     column 30: E727[ND]
##
       A1 w078.36
                         DRGIOSTAAAS.HSON..S.O-.-...SD.....
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 23
##
     column 33:
                  M4[R]
       A0 w078.27
                         DRGIOSATOA..HSONTDD..TEL.KES....R..
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 22
  t=w100, n=26 viable clones
     column 2: H499[S]
##
       A1 w100.B10
                         DSG.OSATOA..HSONTDD....LDKEN..I....
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 21
     column 3: V359[S]
##
       B0 w100.A11
                         D.S.OSATOA..HSONTNTOE-..D.E.KD.....
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 19
##
     column 8: -215[VK]
       A1 w100.B2
                         .RAIOSIK.AG.HSON....N...D.V......
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 17
##
     column 11: A216[VD]
```

```
##
       B0 w100.A13
                          ..A.OSATOAV.HSONTNTOE-.....D.....
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 16
     column 14: N379[G]
##
##
     column 17: -552[P]
     column 18: -551[GE]
##
     column 20: -550[TK]
##
     column 24: I222[V]
##
     column 25: H437[OG]
##
     column 28: 0193[Y]
##
##
     column 30: E727[N]
     column 34: G707[SD]
##
##
       A0 w100.T3
                         DRGIOSATO..NHSONTDD.ETEL.KEN..I.RS.
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 15
       A0 w100.B4
                         DRGIOSATO...HSON..S.O...DKE.K....D.
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 14
## t=w136, n=28 viable clones
##
     column 8: -215[V]
##
       A1 w136.B2
                         D.G.OSTVAA-.HGONIDOT--E.O.....RD.
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 10
     column 11: A216[D]
##
       A1 w136.B10
                         D.GIOSATOADNHSONTD.E-TELDKES.DIY.S.
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 9
##
     column 17: -552[P]
     column 18: -551[GE]
##
       B0 w136.B5
##
                         ..A.OSATOAV.HSONTESK-.E.O..Y.DI....
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 6
##
     column 24: I222[V]
       B1 w136.B23
                         D.A.OSIK..G.HSONTEST-..VD....N...D.
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 4
     column 25: H437[G]
##
  t=w160, n=20 viable clones
     column 17: -552[P]
##
       A1 w160.T4
##
                         D.A.OSTVA.S.HSONPD..-...G...DN.....
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 2
##
     column 18: -551[G]
       A1 w160.C1
                         ..A.OSVTOAV.HSONTGST-...D..Y.D..TV.
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 1
     column 35: R494[-]
##
       C0 w160.T3
                         D.SIOSATOA.NHSONTD.E-TELDKVND.IGRD-
##
## Number of mutations to be represented is now 0
    summary(eg.swarmset)
## Selected n=54 sequences:
## w000.TF
## w004.31, w004.54
## w007.8, w007.21, w007.25, w007.34
```

```
## w008.20
## w009.19
## w010.7
## w020.15, w020.11, w020.24, w020.25
## w030.26, w030.17, w030.21, w030.36, w030.26, w030.13, w030.32
## w053.15, w053.29, w053.22, w053.8, w053.31, w053.9
## w078.6, w078.36, w078.9, w078.26, w078.29, w078.30, w078.33, w078.17, w078.15, w078.27
## w100.T3, w100.B10, w100.B2, w100.B4, w100.A11, w100.A13
## w136.B10, w136.B5, w136.B2, w136.B23
## w160.C1, w160.T3, w160.T4
```

#### print(eg.swarmset)

```
## w000.TF
        NHVTNO---VADYNTK--N-KOKIHEGOOETDMGR
## w004.31
        . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . <del>-</del> . . . . . . . . . . . . . .
## w004.54 K.....
        KR......
## w007.8
## w007.21
        ## w007.25
        ...I.......
## w007.34
        ..A.......
## w008.20
## w009.19
        ..G.......
## w010.7
        ....OS.....T......
## w020.15
        .....TN...........
## w020.11
## w020.24
        .RA.....AT.............
        .R....ATO......
## w020.25
        ..AIOSATO...H......
## w022.6
        .RA.OSATO....S......
## w022.5
## w022.9
        ..GIOS....--..-
## w022.22
       ...0.......
        ..AIOSATOA.....TNTO.....
## w030,20
        D.GOOSATO......TD.......
## w030.17
        .RA.OSATO.....E.....
## w030.21
## w030.36
        ....OSATO.....O.TD......
        .RG.OS....-...NTD.....
## w030.26
        ..DPOS.....
## w030.13
        .RG.OSATO......TD-....
## w030.32
## w053.15
        D.G.OSATOA..HSONFT.E.-.L.....
## w053.29
        .RAIOSATOA..HSONFT.E.-...E.....
## w053.22
        DRGIOSIEIAG.HSONFT.E.TE.....
## w053.8
        DRGIOSATOA..HSONFT.E.T..Q......
## w053.31
        DRGIOSAT....HSON....N-.....
        DRGIOSIEIAG.HSONFT.E.TE....N..I....
## w053.9
        DRGIOSOS.AS.HSONTN.OE-....
## w078.6
## w078.36 DRGIOSTAAAS.HSON..S.O-.-...SD.....
```

```
## w078.9
           DRG.OSTAA.S.HSONFT.E....QK..S.....
## w078.26
           DRGIOSTAAAS.HSON..S.O.E.NK..S.....
           DRGIOSTAAAS.HSONTN..-..-L..NS.A....
## w078.29
## w078.30
           ..A.OSATOA..HSON....N-.....D.....
## w078.33 ..A.OSATOA..HSONT.O.N-....N..I.T..
## w078.17 DRG.OSATOA..HSONFT.EE..LDK.D..IG...
## w078.15 DRGIOSATOA..HSON..D..TEL.KES......
## w078.27
           DRGIOSATOA..HSONTDD..TEL.KES....R..
## w100.T3 DRGIOSATO..NHSONTDD.ETEL.KEN..I.RS.
## w100.B10 DSG.OSATOA..HSONTDD....LDKEN..I....
## w100.B2 .RAIOSIK.AG.HSON....N...D.V......
## w100.B4 DRGIOSATO...HSON..S.O...DKE.K....D.
## w100.A11 D.S.OSATOA..HSONTNTOE-..D.E.KD.....
## w100.A13 ..A.OSATOAV.HSONTNTOE-.....D.....
## w136.B10 D.GIOSATOADNHSONTD.E-TELDKES.DIY.S.
## w136.B5 ..A.OSATOAV.HSONTESK-.E.O..Y.DI....
## w136.B2 D.G.OSTVAA-.HGONIDOT--E.O......RD.
## w136.B23 D.A.OSIK..G.HSONTEST-..VD....N...D.
## w160.C1 ..A.OSVTOAV.HSONTGST-...D..Y.D..TV.
## w160.T3 D.SIOSATOA.NHSONTD.E-TELDKVND.IGRD-
## w160.T4 D.A.OSTVA.S.HSONPD..-...G...DN.....
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plot(eg.swarmset)