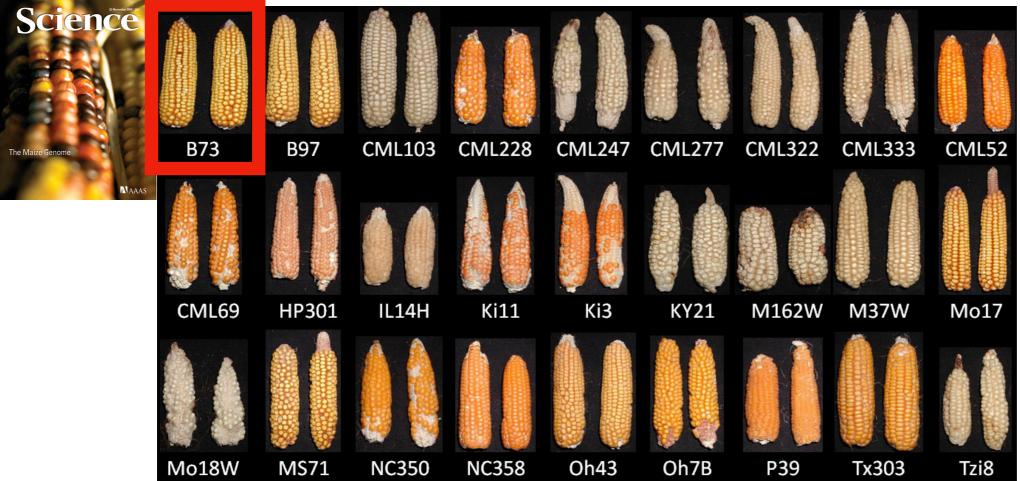
Informatics Interest Group Meeting

2018-05-02 Tom Kono

A Reference Genome

- String of nucleotides from a "representative" individual from a species or population
- Once a reference is assembled, questions become focused on variation



Limitations of A Single Reference

 Variation is widespread and most of it precludes discovery by comparison to a single genome

ARTICLE

OPEN doi:10.1038/nature15394

An integrated map of structural variation in 2,504 human genomes

The Plant Cell, Vol. 26: 121-135, January 2014, www.plantcell.org © 2014 American Society of Plant Biologists. All rights reserved.

LARGE-SCALE BIOLOGY ARTICLE

Insights into the Maize Pan-Genome and Pan-Transcriptome





GigaScience, 7, 2018, 1–12

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Construction of the third-generation Zea mays haplotype map

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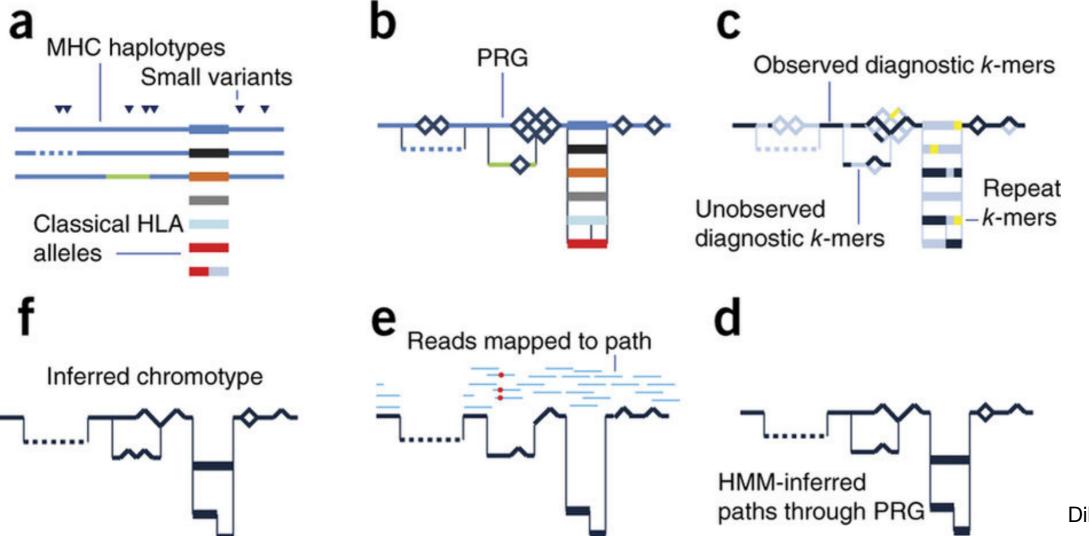
Multiple reference genomes and transcriptomes for *Arabidopsis thaliana*

A Roadmap for Functional Structural Variants in the Soybean Genome

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Potential Solution: de Bruijn Graphs

Borrow from sequence assembly techniques to represent diversity



Dilthey et al. 2014, Nat Genet doi:10.1038/ng.3257

Enter: Variation Graphs

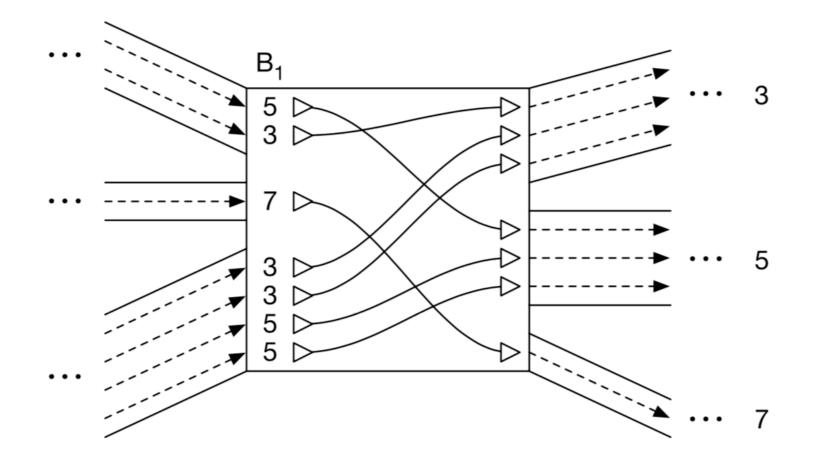
- Represent genomes as a graph, rather than a string or series of strings
 - Invariant sites are single connections through graph
 - Variants are "bubbles" alternate paths through graph
 - Individuals (or chromosomes) are then represented as a path through the graph

Natural Limits to the Problem

- Potential problem: the number of possible haplotypes
- But! The number of observed haplotypes is far fewer than the number that are possible. Linkage disequilibrium*.
- Haplotypes in a genome graph: restricted paths through multiple variants

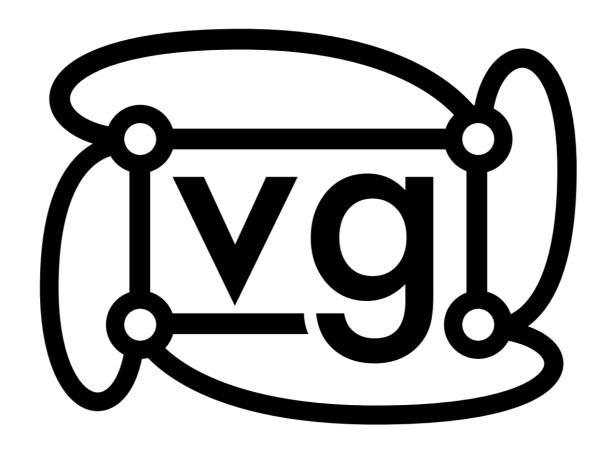
BWT Variant: gPBWT

- Generalization of the Burrows-Wheeler Transform to contain positional information
 - Embeds the "threads" (linkages among variant sites) into the graph



Genome Graph Tools

- Erik Garrison (of vcflib and FreeBayes fame) is involved with the 'vg' project (variation graphs)
 - https://github.com/vgteam/vg



vg Capabilities

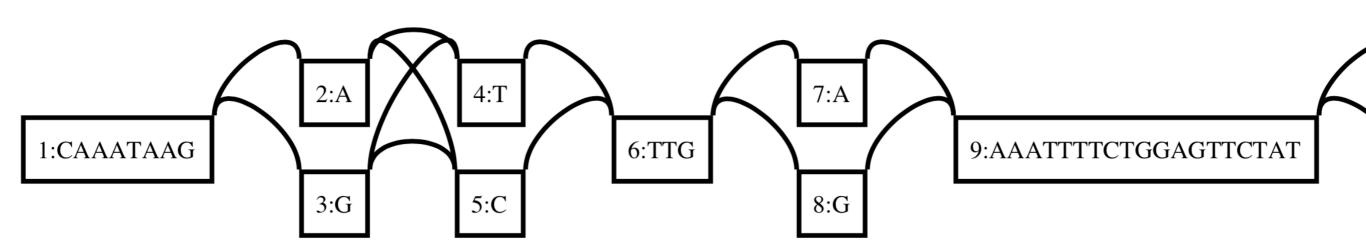
- vg is pretty complete now:
 - Build graph (from FASTA and VCF)
 - View/visualize graph (via graphviz)
 - Align reads to a graph (or map lots of reads)
 - Call variants

- Building takes ~2.7 Gb on MacOS, including dependencies
- Build graphs with vg construct

```
vg construct \
   -r test/small/x.fa \
   -v test/small/x.vcf.gz \
   > x.vg
```

 Convert between formats with vg view. The .dot file is suitable for input into graphviz visualization software

```
vg view x.vg > x.gfa #default fmt is GFA1
vg view -d x.vg > x.dot
dot -Tpdf x.dot -o x.pdf
```



 Can align and map reads to a graph: GAM (Graph Alignment/Map), looks like compressed JSON

```
vg index -x x.xg -g x.gcsa -k 16 x.vg
vg sim -n 1000 -l 150 -x x.xg > reads
vg map -x x.xg -g x.gcsa -T reads > aln.gam
vg view -a aln.gam | less
```

Put it back into the linear world using vg surject

```
vg surject -x x.xg -b aln.gam | less -S
```

Augment the source graph with variation identified in the mapped reads

```
vg filter aln.gam \
    -r 0.9 -fu -s 2 -o 0 -D 999 -x x.xg \
    > flt.gam
vg augment x.vg flt.gam \
    -q 10 -S aug_graph.support \
    -Z aug_graph.trans -A aug_alignment.gam \
    > aug_graph.vg
```

 Call variants based on support for various paths through the graph

```
vg paths -v aug_graph.vg -L # Gives path names
vg call \
   -b x.vg -s aug_graph.support \
   -x aug_graph.trans -r x > calls.vcf
```

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Or, call them with FreeBayes-like algorithm

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##INFO=ZID=Number=1, Type=Integer, Description="Ultrabubble Bases">
##INFO=ZID=XSBB, Number=1, Type=Integer, Description="Ultrabubble Nodes">
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##FORMAT=ZID=DP, Number=1, Type=Float, Description="Genotype Quality">
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Additional vg Links

- gPBWT: <u>https://github.com/vgteam/vg/wiki/Building-a-Graph-Positional-Burrows-Wheeler-Transform-(gPBWT)</u>
- vg on CentOS6 and 7: <u>https://github.com/vgteam/vg/wiki/Building-VG-on-Cent-OS-6.6-or-7--and-using-it</u>
- vg with long reads: <u>https://github.com/vgteam/vg/wiki/Long-read-assemblies-using-vg-msga</u>
- file format ref: https://github.com/vgteam/vg/wiki/File-Formats

Graphtyper

- Tool to call variants from reads mapped to a variation graph
- Not compatible with vg, but looks like it does similar things

TECHNICAL REPORTS



Graphtyper enables population-scale genotyping using pangenome graphs

Seven Bridges Genomics

- Proprietary data formats and variant caller (\$\$\$)
- Human specific?
- https://www.sevenbridges.com/graph/





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