Paleo superstatistics notebook

Getting the data

PBDB API

To obtain the PBDB data we make use of the API in script data/pbdb_data_get.R, which accesses the API and cleans the data by:

- removing poorly lithified specimens
- removing collections at the basin scale
- including only fine-scale stratigraphy (below the "group" level)
- resolving taxonomy to the genus or subgenus level where available (storing genus or subgenus as otu)
- combining multiple records of the same OTU per collection
- importing standardized timebins from fossilworks.org (timebins are scraped with script data/fossilworks_tbins_intervals.R)

```
setwd('~/Dropbox/Research/paleo_supStat/data')
# call to the API
show <- paste0(c('ident', 'phylo', 'lith', 'loc', 'time', 'geo', 'stratext',</pre>
                  'ecospace'),
                collapse = ',')
version <- '1.2'
base_name <- 'Animalia^Craniata'</pre>
min_ma <- 0
max ma <- 560
timerule <- 'contain'
envtype <- 'marine'</pre>
# break-up backbone URI just so it can be nicely displayed
bbURI <- paste0('https://paleobiodb.org/data%s/occs/list.csv?',
                 'base name=%s&show=%s&limit=all&min ma=%s&max ma=%s&',
                 'timerule=%s&envtype=%s')
uri <- sprintf(bbURI,</pre>
                version,
               base name,
               show,
               min_ma,
               max_ma,
               timerule,
               envtype)
# get pbdb occurences
x <- read.csv(uri, as.is = TRUE)
# write out raw data
write.csv(x, 'pbdb_data_raw.csv', row.names = FALSE)
# clean up
# remove unnecceary columns
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c2rm <- c('record_type', 'reid_no', 'flags', 'identified_name',</pre>
           'identified_rank', 'identified_no', 'difference', 'species_name',
           'species_reso', 'lithdescript', 'lithology1', 'minor_lithology1',
           'lithology2', 'lithification2', 'minor_lithology2', 'cc', 'state',
           'county', 'latlng_basis', 'geogcomments', 'geology_comments',
           'zone', 'localsection', 'localbed', 'localorder',
           'regionalsection', 'regionalbed', 'regionalorder',
           'stratcomments')
x \leftarrow x[, !(names(x) \%in\% c2rm)]
# only well lithified specimens
x <- x[x$lithification1 %in% c('', 'lithified'), ]</pre>
# no basin-scale collections
x <- x[x$geogscale != 'basin', ]</pre>
# fine scale stratigraphy only
x <- x[!(x$stratscale %in% c('group', 'supergroup')), ]
# resolve taxonomy to genus or subgenus where available
otu <- x$genus
otu[x$subgenus_name != ''] <- ifelse(x$subgenus_reso[x$subgenus_name != ''] == '',
                                       x$subgenus_name[x$subgenus_name != ''],
                                       otu[x$subgenus name != ''])
otu[x$primary reso != ''] <- ''</pre>
x$otu <- otu
x <- x[x$otu != '', ]
# combine multiple records of same otu per collection
x <- x[!duplicated(x[, c('collection_no', 'otu')]), ]</pre>
# standard time bins
stages <- read.csv('tbins_stages.csv', as.is = TRUE)</pre>
earlyTbin <- stages$tbin[match(x$early_interval, stages$name)]</pre>
lateTbin <- stages$tbin[match(x$late_interval, stages$name)]</pre>
lateTbin[is.na(lateTbin)] <- earlyTbin[is.na(lateTbin)]</pre>
earlyTbin[earlyTbin != lateTbin] <- NA</pre>
x$tbin <- earlyTbin
x \leftarrow x[!is.na(x\$tbin),]
# write out fully processed data
write.csv(x, 'pbdb_data.csv', row.names = FALSE)
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Scraping fossilworks

The script to pull Alory's time bins (data/fossilworks_tbins_intervals.R) is below:

```
options(stringsAsFactors = FALSE)
setwd('~/Dropbox/Research/paleo_supStat/data')
coreURI <- 'http://fossilworks.org/bridge.pl?a=displayInterval&interval_no='</pre>
tbinInfo <- lapply(1:1108, function(i) {</pre>
    print(i)
    linfo <- try(readLines(paste0(coreURI, i), n = 150))</pre>
    if('try-error' %in% class(linfo))
        linfo <- try(readLines(paste0(coreURI, i), n = 150))</pre>
    if('try-error' %in% class(linfo)) {
        thisTbin <- thisMax <- thisMin <- thisName <- NA
    } else {
        thisTbin <- gsub('^.*10 million year bin: |<br>.*$', '',
                          linfo[grep('10 million year bin', linfo)])
        thisMax <- as.numeric(gsub('^.*Lower boundary: equal to | Ma.*$|[^0-9\\.]', '',
                                    linfo[grep('Lower boundary: equal to', linfo)]))
        thisMin <- as.numeric(gsub('^.*Upper boundary: equal to | Ma.*$|[^0-9\\.]', '',
                                    linfo[grep('Upper boundary: equal to', linfo)]))
        thisName <- gsub('^.*<p class="pageTitle">|.*$', '',
                          linfo[grep('class="pageTitle"', linfo)])
    }
    return(data.frame(name = ifelse(length(thisName) == 0, NA, thisName),
                       tbin = ifelse(length(thisTbin) == 0, NA, thisTbin),
                      ma_min = ifelse(length(thisMin) == 0, NA, thisMin),
                      ma_max = ifelse(length(thisMax) == 0, NA, thisMax)))
})
tbinInfo <- do.call(rbind, tbinInfo)</pre>
## clean up
tbinInfo <- tbinInfo[!is.na(tbinInfo$name), ]</pre>
## remove 'stage' and equivilant from name
tbinInfo$name <- gsub(' [[:lower:]].*', '', tbinInfo$name)</pre>
## split up stages with a '/' into both names
temp <- tbinInfo[grep('/', tbinInfo$name), ]</pre>
tbinInfo$name <- gsub('.*/', '', tbinInfo$name)</pre>
temp$name <- gsub('/.*', '', temp$name)</pre>
tbinInfo <- rbind(tbinInfo, temp)</pre>
## fix random typo
tbinInfo$name[tbinInfo$name == 'Cazenovia'] <- 'Cazenovian'
## remove time periods that do not fall completely within a 10my bin
# tbinInfo <- tbinInfo[!is.na(tbinInfo$tbin), ]</pre>
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## write out
write.csv(tbinInfo, 'tbins_stages.csv', row.names = FALSE)
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Three timer and publication bias correction

Once the data have been downloaded and cleaned, we correct for incomplete and biased sampling with the script re-do.R

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makePlot <- TRUE
oldwd <- setwd('~/Dropbox/Research/paleo_supStat')</pre>
# convenience function to produce a matrix of time by ord with cells
# of corrected diversity
source('code/pbdb_3t_pub.R')
# load other needed funcitons
paleoPlot <- function(...) {</pre>
    plot(..., xaxt = 'n')
    socorro::paleoAxis(1)
# source('~/R_functions/paleoPlot.R')
samp2site.spp <- socorro::tidy2mat</pre>
# source('~/R_functions/samp2site_spp.R')
logPlot <- function(..., log) {</pre>
    plot(..., log = log,
         xaxt = ifelse(grepl('x', log), 'n', 's'),
         yaxt = ifelse(grepl('y', log), 'n', 's'))
    s <- (1:2)[c(grepl('x', log), grepl('y', log))]
    socorro::logAxis(s)
}
# source('~/R_functions/logPlot.R')
my.ecdf <- socorro::simpECDF</pre>
# source('~/R_functions/my_ecdf.R')
source('code/sstat_comp.R')
source('code/sstat_methods.R')
######## load data ########
setwd('data/old/pbdb_2013-05-28')
# raw occurence data
# pbdb.dat <- read.csv('marInv-occs.csv', as.is = TRUE)</pre>
pbdbNew <- read.csv('../../pbdb_data.csv', as.is = TRUE)</pre>
## convert column names
names(pbdbNew) [names(pbdbNew) == 'tbin'] <- 'collections.10_my_bin'</pre>
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names(pbdbNew) [names(pbdbNew) == 'family'] <- 'occurrences.order_name'</pre>
names(pbdbNew) [names(pbdbNew) == 'genus'] <- 'occurrences.genus_name'</pre>
names(pbdbNew)[names(pbdbNew) == 'reference_no'] <- 'collections.reference_no'</pre>
pbdbNew$ma_mid <- (pbdbNew$max_ma + pbdbNew$min_ma) / 2</pre>
## use new instead of old
pbdb.dat <- pbdbNew
## get rid of poor temporal resolution
pbdb.dat <- pbdb.dat[pbdb.dat$collections.10_my_bin != '', ]</pre>
# get rid of bad taxonomy
pbdb.dat <- pbdb.dat[pbdb.dat$occurrences.order_name != '', ]</pre>
pbdb.dat <- pbdb.dat[pbdb.dat$occurrences.order_name != 'Ammonitida', ]</pre>
pbdb.dat <- pbdb.dat[pbdb.dat$occurrences.genus_name != '', ]</pre>
# get bin times
pbdb.time <- sort(tapply(pbdb.dat$ma_mid, pbdb.dat$collections.10_my_bin, mean))</pre>
pbdb.dat$collections.10_my_bin <- factor(pbdb.dat$collections.10_my_bin,
                                          levels = names(pbdb.time))
# data.frame of publication, diversity and 3T stat
ord.tbin.bias <- aggregate(list(div=pbdb.dat$occurrences.genus_name),
                            list(ord=pbdb.dat$occurrences.order_name,
                                 tbin=pbdb.dat$collections.10_my_bin),
                            function(x) length(unique(x)))
## three timer stat
## matrix to determine three timers and part timers (sensu alroy 2008)
mt <- matrix(0, nrow = nlevels(pbdb.dat$collections.10_my_bin), ncol = nlevels(pbdb.dat$collections.10_
diag(mt) <- -10
mt[abs(row(mt) - col(mt)) == 1] <- 1
## loop through and compute three timers and part timers
timers <- lapply(split(pbdb.dat$collections.10_my_bin, pbdb.dat$occurrences.genus_name),
                 function(x) {
                      # browser()
                      tbins <- integer(nlevels(x))</pre>
                      tbins[as.integer(unique(x))] <- 1</pre>
                      t3 <- as.integer(mt %*% tbins == 2)
                      tp <- as.integer(mt ** tbins == -8)
                      return(cbind(t3, tp))
                 })
timers <- array(unlist(timers), dim = c(nrow(timers[[1]]), 2, length(timers)))
t3stat <- 1 - rowSums(timers[, 1, ]) / (rowSums(timers[, 1, ]) + rowSums(timers[, 2, ]))
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