

Science

# Using STRUCTURE to estimate Population Genetic Structure

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#### **Outline**

- The problems of reproducibility
- STRUCTURE concept
- Bayesian inference
- The inner workings of STRUCTURE
- The Dirichlet distribution
- Preparing an input file
- Choosing parameter values going beyond default values
- Collating data, interpreting results



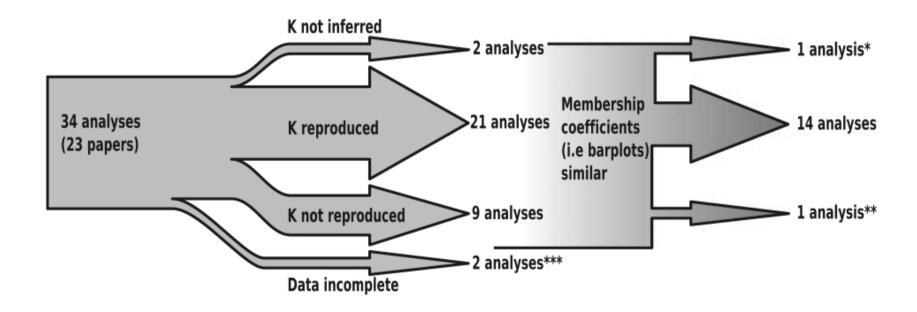
#### **Question?**

What is a prior?

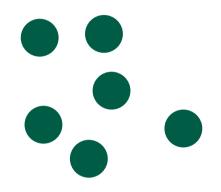
• What is your prior?



### Gilbert et al. (2012) Mol. Ecol. 21: 4925



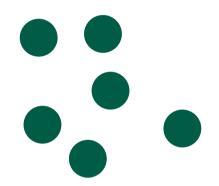










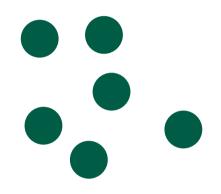


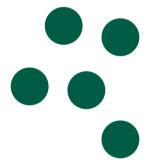








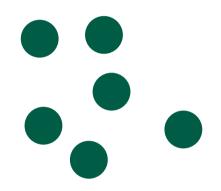




P(K=2|Data)





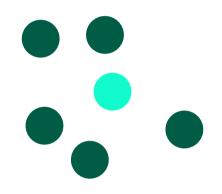






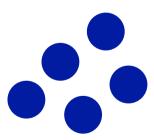




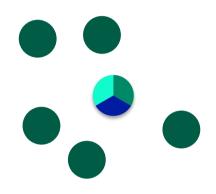














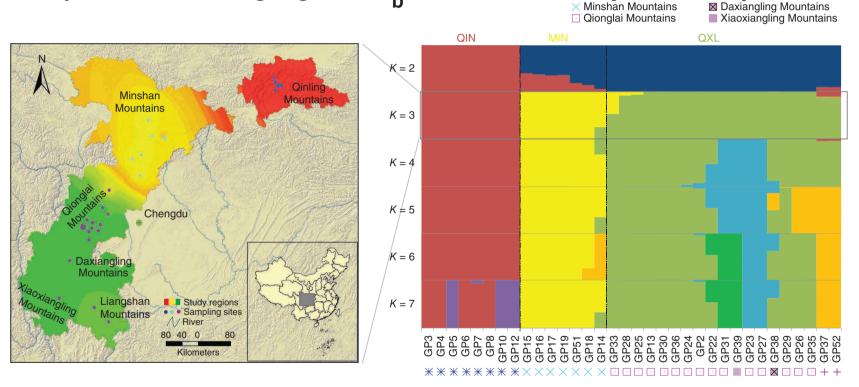






#### STRUCTURE is...

- A Bayesian Clustering algorithm.ը.



Zhao et al. (2013) Nature Genetics 45: 67



★ Qinling Mountains

+ Liangshan Mountains

## ANATOMY OF BAYESIAN INFERENCE



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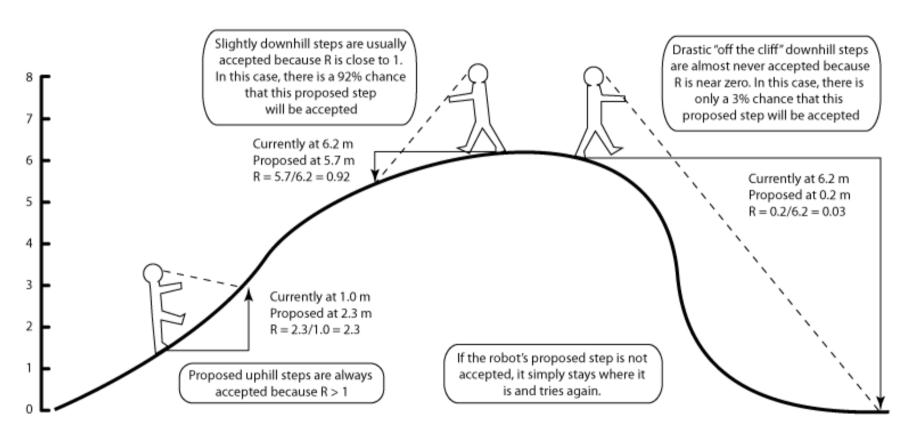
$$P(\theta|Data) = \begin{array}{c} \text{Likelihood} & \text{Prior} \\ P(Data|\theta) P(\theta) \\ \hline Posterior \\ \text{Probability} & \text{Model Evidence} \end{array}$$



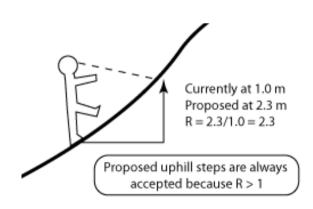
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$$P(\theta|Data) \boxed{\propto} P(Data|\theta) P(\theta)$$
 Proportional to

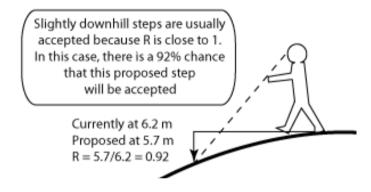




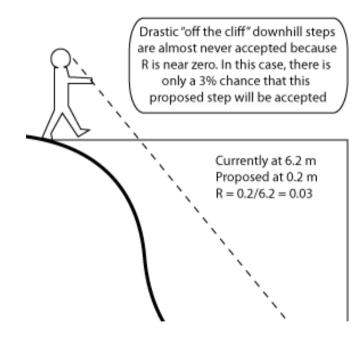




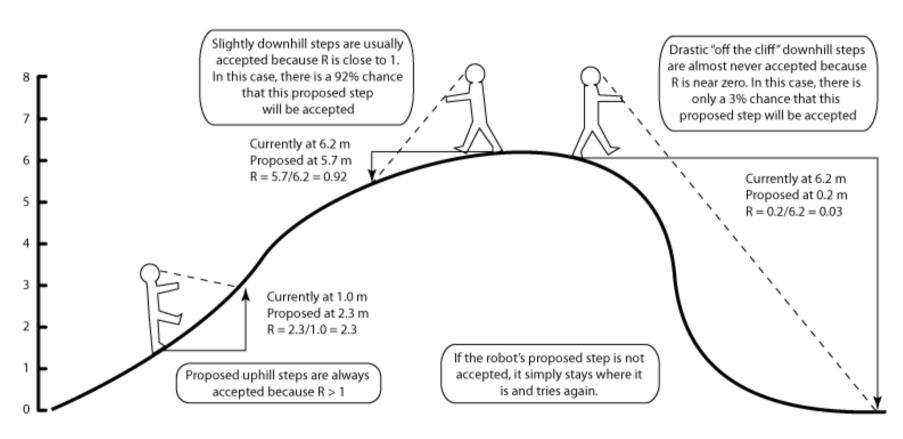














### Trouble getting to the posterior

http://www.r-bloggers.com/animating-the-metropolis-algorithm/



## GIVING BAYESIAN INFERENCE A GO!



#### **Exercise**

- Is a coin a fair coin?
- DATA:
  - Counts of 'heads' and 'tails' from n coin flips
- MODEL:
  - $C_{HEADS} \sim Binomial(size=n, probability=\theta)$
  - $-\theta \sim Beta(\alpha,\beta)$
- OUTPUT:
  - $P(\theta \mid C_{HEADS})$

## STRUCTURE is a Bayesian model

- No admixture model:
  - Probability of Z and P given the data is proportional to the
     Probability of the Data given Z and P times the Probability of Z
     times the Probability of P
- With admixture model:
  - Probability of Q, Z, and P given the data is proportional to the probability of the Data given Q, Z, and P times the Probability of Q times the Probability of Z and the Probability of P



## **RUNNING STRUCTURE...**

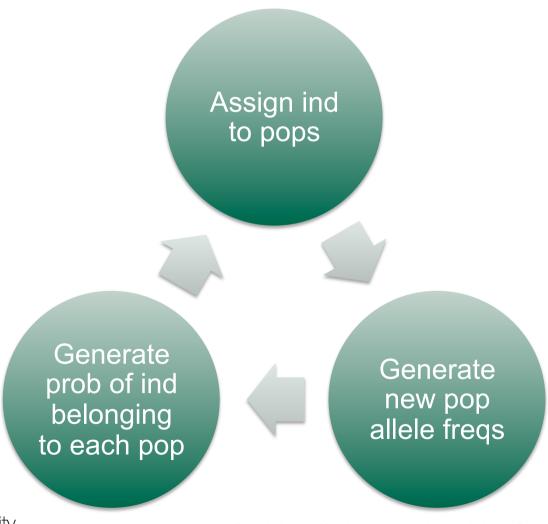


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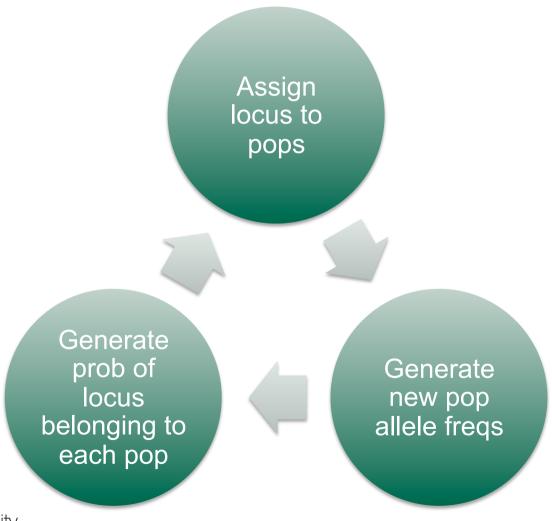


#### No-admixture model





#### **Admixture model**





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