Genetic diversity and Intersexual Fst in Syngnathus floridae

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Generating BAM files

Bowtie2 was used to map the processed reads back to the reference transcriptome, generating SAM files that will be converted to BAM files and coordinate sorted with SAMtools and then used by ANGSD to calculate measurements of Tajima's D and intersexual F_{st} .

Bowtie2 was installed inside of a conda environment on the RCC named trinity. Bowtie2 v2.5.0 was used. SAMtools was installed in the same conda environment, v1.18 was used. The following script was then used to generate the index, map the reads back to it to create the SAM files, then convert those SAM files to BAM files, and finally coordinate sort the BAM files.

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#!/bin/bash
#Create the arguments
ref_trans=$1 #Transcriptome .fasta file
index dir=$2 #dir/basename the bt2 files will be written to
read_dir=$3 #location of the processed reads that will be aligned to index
sam_dir=$4 #Where you want the output SAM files to be stored
bam_dir=$5 #Where you want the output BAM files to be stored
#Build an index based on the transcriptome
echo "Indexing the refrence transcriptome"
time bowtie2-build --threads 16 $ref_trans $index_dir
#Map the reads back to the index
echo "Now beginning alignments ..."
for fq in $read_dir*_R1.fq.gz
    #Extract sample name from the file
    sample=$(basename $fq _R1.fq.gz)
    #Echo the name of the sample that is currently running
    echo "Aligning reads for $sample"
    #Align this pair of reads
   time bowtie2 -x $index dir \
       -1 $read_dir${sample}_R1.fq.gz \
        -2 $read dir${sample} R2.fq.gz \
        -S $sam_dir${sample}.sam --threads 16
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#Convert the SAM files to BAM files and coordinate sort
echo "Converting sam file to bam file for ${sample}"
time samtools view -T $ref_trans -b $sam_dir${sample}.sam > $bam_dir${sample}.bam
echo "Sorting bam file for ${sample}"
time samtools sort -@ 16 -o $bam_dir${sample}_sorted.bam $bam_dir${sample}.bam
done
```

The script was run as nohup bash bash_scripts/bowtie2_alignment.sh trinity_supertran_floridae.fasta bowtie2_index/floridae floridae_kmer_corrected/ floridae_SAM/ floridae_BAM/ > bt2.log 2>&1 &.

Running ANGSD

ANGSD will be used for the calculation of both Tajima's D and also Intersexual F_{st} . It was installed in the shared/ folder on the RCC following the instructions given on their website as:

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wget http://popgen.dk/software/download/angsd/angsd0.940.tar.gz
tar xf angsd0.940.tar.gz

cd htslib;make;cd ..

cd angsd
make HTSSRC=../htslib
cd ..
```

ANGSD version 0.940-dirty was used for the analysis.

The following script was then used to filter the BAM files, estimate site frequency spectrum (SFS), calculate the thetas and the calculate Tajima's D when \$ALLSFS=true and \$THETAS=true. It was then also used to filter BAM files and estimate SFS separately for males and females to all for a calculate of intersexual F_{st} when \$INDSFS=true and \$MFFST=true.

```
#Choose what to run
ALLSFS=false
THETAS=false
INDSFS=true
MFFST=true

#Creating arguments
bam_dir=$1 #Folder where all of the desired BAM files are stored
angsd_dir=$2 #Path to the angsd executable
ref_trans=$3 #Reference transcriptome file (.fasta)
sfs_all_out=$4 #Desired name for the output SFS across all samples
stat_out=$5 #Desired name for the output of the Theta and/or Fst calculation

#Create the list of all SORTED bam files, just the female bam files and just the male bam files
ls ${bam_dir}*_sorted* > all_bams.txt
ls ${bam_dir}*M*_sorted* > male_bams.txt
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ls ${bam_dir}FL*F*_sorted* > fem_bams.txt
if [ $ALLSFS = true ]; then
    #Estimate the allele frequencies from the BAM files
    echo "Estimating the site frequency spectrum across ALL samples"
    ${angsd_dir}angsd -b all_bams.txt \
            -doSaf 1 \
            -anc ${ref trans} \
            -minMapQ 20 -remove_bads 1 -uniqueOnly 1 -only_proper_pairs 1 \
            -minQ 13 -minInd 4 \
            -GL 1 -P 16 -out ${sfs_all_out}
    ${angsd_dir}misc/realSFS ${sfs_all_out}.saf.idx -fold 1 -maxIter 100 -P 16 > ${sfs_all_out}.sfs
fi
if [ $THETAS = true ]; then
    #Calculating Thetas
    echo "Calculating thetas ..."
    $\{\angsd_\dir\}\misc/\realSFS \saf2\theta $\{\sfs_\all_\out\}.\saf.idx \
            -sfs ${sfs_all_out}.sfs \
            -outname ${theta_out}
    #Calculating Tajima's D
    echo "Calculating Tajima's D..."
    ${angsd_dir}misc/thetaStat do_stat ${stat_out}.thetas.idx
fi
if [ $INDSFS = true ]; then
    #Calculate the site frequency spectrum for males and females seperately
    echo "Estimating seperate SFS..."
    #First calculate per pop saf for each population (in our cases the different sexes)
    ${angsd_dir}angsd -b fem_bams.txt -doSaf 1 -anc ${ref_trans} \
            -minMapQ 20 -remove_bads 1 -uniqueOnly 1 -only_proper_pairs 1 \
            -minQ 13 -minInd 7 \
            -GL 1 -P 12 -out ${sfs_all_out}_fem
    ${angsd_dir}angsd -b male_bams.txt -doSaf 1 -anc ${ref_trans} \
            -minMapQ 20 -remove_bads 1 -uniqueOnly 1 -only_proper_pairs 1 \
            -minQ 13 -minInd 7 \
            -GL 1 -P 12 -out ${sfs_all_out}_mal
    #Calculate the 2dsfs prior
    ${angsd_dir}misc/realSFS ${sfs_all_out}_fem.saf.idx ${sfs_all_out}_mal.saf.idx -fold 1 > fem.mal.ml
fi
if [ $MFFST = true ]; then
    #Calculate M-F Fsts
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echo "Calculating male-female Fsts..."

#Prepare the Fst for easy window analysis etc.
${angsd_dir}misc/realSFS fst index ${sfs_all_out}_fem.saf.idx ${sfs_all_out}_mal.saf.idx -sfs fem.m

#Get the global estimate
${angsd_dir}misc/realSFS fst stats ${stat_out}_fm_fst.fst.idx
fi
```

When \$ALLSFS=true and \$THETAS=true Following the ANGSD website we can see the first step for calculate Tajima's D is to filter and estimate SFS:

- To get the estimates of SFS you first generate a .saf file (site allele frequency likelihood) followed by an optimization of the .saf file which will then estimate the site frequency spectrum.
 - doSaf 1 was used to calculate saf based on individual genotype likelihoods assuming HWE.
 - GL 1 was used since SAMtools was used to generate the BAM files.
 - Because we don't have the ancestral state, we estimated the folded SFS by giving -anc the reference transcriptome and applying -fold 1 to realSFS.
- For filtering, many options were used:
 - minMapQ: set the minimum mapping quality (20 was used here)
 - remove bads: removes reads with a flag above 255 (set to 1 for remove)
 - uniqueOnly: when set to 1, removes reads that have multiple best hits
 - only_proper_pairs: when set to 1, includes only pairs of reads where both mates mapped correctly
 - minQ: Minimum base quality score (set to 13 here)
 - minInd: Remove if there was data in less than X individuals (4 here).

The second step is to then calculate the thetas for each site:

• This is done using the .sfa.idx and the .sfs files from the step before

Lastly, with the output from the thetas calculation (.thetas.idx) we can estimate Tajima's D.

When INDSFS=true and IFST=true Following the ANGSD website we can see the first step for calculating F_{st} is similar to Tajima's D, we have to filter and estimate IFS. The difference here is that we calculate the IFS function. Because we want to look at differences between males and females our different "populations" are the two sexes.

- -fold 1 was given to realSFS again because we do not have the ancestral state.
- The same filtering that was used for Tajima's D was applied here, however this time the RNA-seq data was filtered to only included bases where we had data in more than half of the individuals for male and females separately.
 - This was done by setting minInd to 7

After getting the male-female SFSs and combining them, intersexual F_{st} can be calculated with realSFS fst.

Tajima's D

After running ANGSD we can start to look through some of the results.

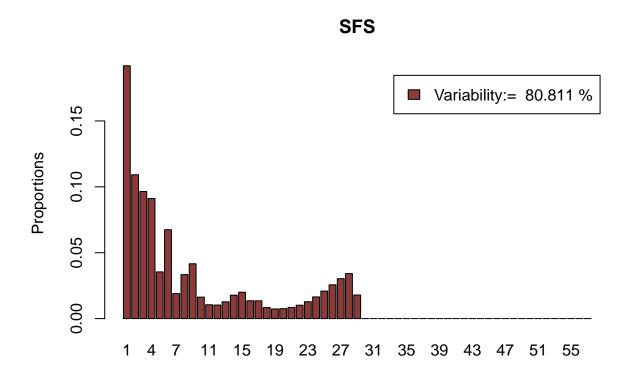


Figure 1: Site frequency spectrum calculated by ANGSD.