Phone Microbiome/Biosensor Project

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This analysis document accompanies a manuscript that reports analysis of microbial communities sampled from smartphone touchscreens, as well as the index fingers and thumbs of their owners. This was a project that was conducted as an educational workshop meant to explore innovative ways to monitor health. The manuscript is currently in review. This document was produced with the knitr package in R, and all source code can be found on GitHub: https://github.com/jfmeadow/Meadow_etal_Phones

Getting data into shape

The first step is to set a random seed (so results are locked in with those reported in the manuscript) and load some necessary R packages and functions.

```
set.seed(42)
options(scipen=7)
library(vegan)
Loading required package: permute
Loading required package: lattice
This is vegan 2.0-10
library(labdsv)
Loading required package: mgcv
Loading required package: nlme
This is mgcv 1.7-28. For overview type 'help("mgcv-package")'.
Loading required package: MASS
Attaching package: 'labdsv'
The following object is masked from 'package:stats':
   density
library(miscTools)
library(xtable)
library(boot)
Attaching package: 'boot'
The following object is masked from 'package:lattice':
   melanoma
```

```
# These options just for debugging - knitr is automatically in dir.
# setwd('~/Dropbox/rwjf/Meadow_etal_Phones/')
# load('phones.RData')
source('functions.R')
```

The OTU table is brought in with a custom function QiimeIn that reads a classic OTU table and then splits it into a few useful pieces in a big list. The Bioconductor package phyloseq actually has more efficient ways to do this with the .biom format, but my modest function will work here - the outcome is practically the same in this case.

```
rw.list <- QiimeIn(file='phones_otu_table.txt')
# removed comment character from first line so R takes it.
rw.map <- read.delim('phones_map.txt', head=TRUE, row.names=1)
rw.big <- rw.list$Table
rw.taxo <- rw.list$Taxa
rm(rw.list)</pre>
```

Next, the OTU table needs to be put into shape. R wants to see letters, not numbers, as row names, so a big X is inserted. Remove this. We found a total of 3207836 sequences, consisting of 56 samples and 34400 OTUs, defined at 97% sequence similarity. Then line up with the order of the mapping file.

```
row.names(rw.big) <- gsub('X', '', row.names(rw.big))
rw.big <- rw.big[row.names(rw.map), ]</pre>
```

Configure OTU table

Before anything else, we should remove any OTUs from lab controls that showed up in experiment samples. Cell phone surfaces hold really low biomass, so amplification contamination is inevitable. Best to just remove them all. Save the list of contaminant OTUs to shore up the taxonomy table below.

```
cont <- grep('cont', row.names(rw.map))
cont.table <- rw.big[cont, ]
cont.otus <- which(colSums(cont.table) >0)

rw.table.nocontrol <- rw.big[-cont, -cont.otus]
sort(rowSums(rw.table.nocontrol))</pre>
```

```
20.phone 22.phone 31.phone 29.phone 30.phone 35.index 26.thumb 35.phone
    2719
             4142
                       4612
                                5425
                                          6356
                                                   6863
                                                            7952
                                                                      8286
20.thumb 20.index 28.index 19.phone 18.index 18.phone 25.phone 26.phone
    9362
            10023
                      10417
                               10834
                                        10972
                                                  11022
                                                           11800
                                                                     12105
17.phone 34.phone 29.index 30.index 30.thumb 35.thumb 18.thumb 17.thumb
                      13474
                               13898
   12348
            12730
                                        14052
                                                  14241
                                                           14286
                                                                     14833
34.thumb 29.thumb 34.index 28.phone 32.index 22.index 33.thumb 25.thumb
   15015
            15392
                      16022
                               16946
                                        17051
                                                  17250
                                                            17290
                                                                     17543
33.phone 25.index 26.index 33.index 17.index 23.phone 19.index 32.thumb
                      19741
                               19751
                                                  20379
   18673
            18991
                                        20257
                                                           20920
                                                                     20949
32.phone 31.index 23.thumb 22.thumb 19.thumb 23.index 31.thumb 24.phone
```

```
20976 21406 21747 25087 27009 27196 29835 30507

28.thumb 24.thumb 24.index
31828 32916 34054

rm(rw.big, cont.table, cont)
```

Next:

- Plant sequences are always in 16S datasets, so one way to remove them is to call them by name "Streptophyta." These get removed.
- Do the same for mitochondrial sequences.
- Remove lab contaminants identified above.
- Remove OTUs that are represented by only 1 or 2 sequences these lend little to community analysis and slow down the whole works.
- The last step is to rarefy all samples to an even sampling depth, in this case 2500 sequences per sample.

```
rw.taxo <- rw.taxo[-cont.otus, ]</pre>
streptophyta <- grep('Streptophyta', rw.taxo$taxa.names)</pre>
mitochondria <- grep('mitochondria', rw.taxo$taxa.names)</pre>
rw.table.tmp <- rw.table.nocontrol[, -c(streptophyta, mitochondria)]</pre>
sort(rowSums(rw.table.tmp))
20.phone 22.phone 31.phone 30.phone 29.phone 35.phone 30.thumb 20.thumb
    2660
             4005
                       4471
                                 4731
                                          5306
                                                    5633
                                                             5993
35.index 30.index 26.thumb 28.index 20.index 18.phone 17.phone 18.index
             6705
                       6719
                                 6758
                                          8873
                                                    9711
                                                            10212
                                                                      10669
    6572
19.phone 25.phone 26.phone 34.phone 29.index 18.thumb 35.thumb 17.thumb
   10825
            11591
                      12067
                               12651
                                         13196
                                                   13832
                                                            14059
34.thumb 29.thumb 34.index 28.phone 22.index 32.index 33.thumb 25.thumb
   14940
            15242
                      15963
                               16790
                                         16890
                                                   16977
                                                            17070
                                                                      17434
33.phone 26.index 25.index 33.index 17.index 23.phone 19.index 32.thumb
   18562
            18885
                      18898
                               19642
                                         20076
                                                   20208
                                                            20845
                                                                      20879
32.phone
         31.index 23.thumb 24.phone 28.thumb 22.thumb 19.thumb 23.index
   20960
            20977
                      21706
                                22336
                                         24423
                                                   24887
                                                            26952
                                                                      27103
31.thumb 24.thumb 24.index
   29752
            32669
                      33865
rw.table.tmp <- rw.table.tmp[, -c(which(colSums(rw.table.tmp) < 3))]</pre>
rw.25 <- rrarefy(rw.table.tmp, 2500)
rm(streptophyta, mitochondria, rw.table.tmp, cont.otus, rw.table.nocontrol)
```

Since lots of OTUs were removed from the OTU table, we remove them from the taxonomy table - we will want everything lined up downstream.

```
# taxonomy
rw.taxo.25 <- rw.taxo[colnames(rw.25), ]
rm(rw.taxo)</pre>
```

So we're left with 127500 sequences in 51 samples and 6667 OTUs.

Configure sample metadata

The mapping file (metadata for each sample) was loaded in during the first step. First, we line up samples with the OTU table row names since it is now in shape. Then there is lots of baggage that comes along with mapping files. Factor variables must be retrained, and then we add three colors that will be used in analysis.

```
# mapping file
map <- rw.map[row.names(rw.25), ] # reorder to match
rm(rw.map) # remove old one

# then reorder a few factors for convenience.
map$individ <- factor(map$individ, levels=c(as.character(levels(map$individ)[1:17])))
map$location <- factor(map$location, levels=c('index', 'thumb', 'phone'))
map$type <- factor(map$type, levels=c('c', 'o', 'p'))
map$dominance <- factor(map$dominance, levels=c('r', 'l'))
map$gender <- factor(map$gender, levels=c('f', 'm'))
map$wash <- factor(map$wash, levels=c('y', 'n'))
map <- map[, c(3, 5, 7, 8, 9)]

# create colors for plotting ease
map$bg (- 'gray30' # phones
map$bg[map$location == 'index'] <- 'cornflowerblue'
map$bg[map$location == 'thumb'] <- 'darkorange'</pre>
```

And create a few more variables.

Generate taxonomy figure

Taxonomy information, as QIIME gives it, is pretty useless raw. So we have to parse this into a workable data frame, and then use that for figures. First, rename and save on typing! Then the separation between taxonomic levels is used to split strings. A couple more steps and then we have a data frame with 7 taxonomic levels and one last column for total abundance across the rarefied dataset.

```
tt <- rw.taxo.25
tt2 <- as.character(gsub('[[:alpha:]]{1,1}\\_\', '', tt$taxa.names))
tt3 <- strsplit(tt2, split='; ')
tt1 <- unlist(lapply(tt3, length))</pre>
```

```
tt4 <- data.frame(
  kingdom=sapply(tt3, function(x){x[1]}),
  phylum=sapply(tt3, function(x){x[2]}),
  class=sapply(tt3, function(x)\{x[3]\}),
  order=sapply(tt3, function(x){x[4]}),
  family=sapply(tt3, function(x){x[5]}),
  genus=sapply(tt3, function(x){x[6]}),
  species=sapply(tt3, function(x){x[7]}))
tt4$kingdom <- as.character(tt4$kingdom)</pre>
tt4$phylum <- as.character(tt4$phylum)</pre>
tt4$class <- as.character(tt4$class)</pre>
tt4$order <- as.character(tt4$order)</pre>
tt4$family <- as.character(tt4$family)</pre>
tt4$genus <- as.character(tt4$genus)
tt4$species <- as.character(tt4$species)</pre>
for (i in 1:ncol(tt4)){
    tt4[which(is.na(tt4[, i])), i] <- ''
    } # warning suppressed
taxo <- tt4
taxo$abundance <- colSums(rw.25)
row.names(taxo) <- rw.taxo.25$qiime.id</pre>
rm(tt, tt2, tt3, tt1, tt4)
head(taxo)
```

```
kingdom
                    phylum
                                          class
                                                            order
3 Bacteria Proteobacteria Gammaproteobacteria
                                                 Pseudomonadales
11 Bacteria Proteobacteria Gammaproteobacteria Enterobacteriales
16 Bacteria
                                    Mollicutes Acholeplasmatales
               Tenericutes
30 Bacteria Planctomycetes
                                Planctomycetia
                                                       Gemmatales
31 Bacteria
                                    Clostridia
                                                    Clostridiales
                Firmicutes
42 Bacteria
               Chloroflexi
                                          C0119
                                       species abundance
               family
                              genus
       Moraxellaceae Enhydrobacter aerosaccus
                                                        2
11 Enterobacteriaceae
                                                        0
                                                        0
16 Acholeplasmataceae
                      Acholeplasma
                                                        3
30
       Isosphaeraceae
31
      Veillonellaceae
                          Dialister
                                                      226
42
                                                        3
```

Looks good. Then we want to know about the most abundant phyla, to be used for a taxonomy figure.

```
ph <- aggregate(taxo$abundance, by=list(taxo$phylum), FUN=sum)
ph[rev(order(ph$x))[1:10], ] # cut off at unidentified.</pre>
```

```
Group.1 x
15 Firmicutes 49690
21 Proteobacteria 28145
4 Actinobacteria 26953
```

```
6
    Bacteroidetes 12869
    Fusobacteria 4124
16
1
                   3942
                    384
11 Cyanobacteria
25
      Tenericutes
                    306
         [Thermi]
                    247
2
    Acidobacteria
3
                    207
```

We can use the top 5 and group all others. So a new data frame is created to hold the mean abundances grouped by phylum and by location type (index, thumb, or phone). This code is not pretty but it works.

```
ph.mean <- data.frame(</pre>
  Firmicutes = aggregate(rowSums(rw.25[, which(taxo$phylum == 'Firmicutes')]),
    by=list(map$location), FUN=mean),
    Proteobacteria = aggregate(rowSums(rw.25[, which(taxo$phylum == 'Proteobacteria')]),
    by=list(map$location), FUN=mean),
    Actinobacteria = aggregate(rowSums(rw.25[, which(taxo$phylum == 'Actinobacteria')]),
    by=list(map$location), FUN=mean),
  Bacteroidetes = aggregate(rowSums(rw.25[, which(taxo$phylum == 'Bacteroidetes')]),
    by=list(map$location), FUN=mean),
    Fusobacteria = aggregate(rowSums(rw.25[, which(taxo$phylum == 'Fusobacteria')]),
    by=list(map$location), FUN=mean),
    Other = aggregate(rowSums(rw.25[, -c(which(taxo$phylum %in%
        c('Firmicutes', 'Proteobacteria', 'Actinobacteria',
      'Fusobacteria', 'Bacteroidetes')))]),
        by=list(map$location), FUN=mean))
ph.mean \leftarrow ph.mean[, c(2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12)]
row.names(ph.mean) <- c('index', 'thumb', 'phone')</pre>
names(ph.mean) <- gsub('.x', '', names(ph.mean))</pre>
ph.mean <- ph.mean/2500
```

Then the same thing is done, but to generate standard errors for bar graph error bars. It is the same big ugly code chunk, but FUN=sd is used as the final arguement. SE must be calculated by hand in r, so there is one extra step, and then they are reversed so the big bars are on top in descending order.

```
se <- function(x) {sd(x)/sqrt(length(x))}</pre>
rw.25.rel <- rw.25/2500
ph.se <- data.frame(</pre>
    Firmicutes = aggregate(rowSums(rw.25.rel[, which(taxo$phylum == 'Firmicutes')]),
    by=list(map$location), FUN=se),
    Proteobacteria = aggregate(rowSums(rw.25.rel[, which(taxo$phylum == 'Proteobacteria')]),
    by=list(map$location), FUN=se),
    Actinobacteria = aggregate(rowSums(rw.25.rel[, which(taxo$phylum == 'Actinobacteria')]),
    by=list(map$location), FUN=se),
   Bacteroidetes = aggregate(rowSums(rw.25.rel[, which(taxo$phylum == 'Bacteroidetes')]),
   by=list(map$location), FUN=se),
  Fusobacteria = aggregate(rowSums(rw.25.rel[, which(taxo$phylum == 'Fusobacteria')]),
    by=list(map$location), FUN=se),
    Other = aggregate(rowSums(rw.25.rel[, -c(which(taxo$phylum %in%
        c('Firmicutes', 'Proteobacteria', 'Actinobacteria',
      'Fusobacteria', 'Bacteroidetes')))]),
```

```
by=list(map$location), FUN=se))
ph.se <- ph.se[, c(2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12)]
row.names(ph.se) <- c('index', 'thumb', 'phone')
names(ph.se) <- gsub('.x', '', names(ph.se))</pre>
```

And then turn them upside down for nicer plotting.

```
ph.mean <- ph.mean[, c(6:1)]
ph.se <- ph.se[, c(6:1)]
```

Now we have data in place to make a barplot by hand:

```
# pdf('phylumBarplot.pdf', height=6, width=6, useDingbats=FALSE)
par(mar=c(5,7,2,2), las=1, font.lab=1)
mids <- barplot(as.matrix(ph.mean), beside=TRUE, horiz=TRUE, las=1, xlim=c(0,.6),
   border='white', xlab='', axisnames=FALSE,
   col=c('cornflowerblue', 'darkorange', 'gray30'), xaxt='n', font.lab=2)
abline(v=c(seq(.1, .6, .1)), col='white', lwd=.5)
arrows(unlist(c(ph.mean-ph.se)), unlist(c(mids)),
        unlist(c(ph.mean+ph.se)), unlist(c(mids)),
        code=3, angle=90, length=.01)
axis(1, at=c(0,.1,.2,.3,.4,.5,.6), labels=c(0,10,20,30,40,50,60))
legend(.40, 7, legend=c('phone', 'thumb', 'index'), pch=15, pt.cex=2,
        col=c('gray30', 'darkorange', 'cornflowerblue'), bty='n', y.intersp=.82)
mtext('Percent of Each Sample', side=1, line=2.4, font=2)
mtext(names(ph.mean), side=2, at=c(mids[2, ]), line=.2, font=3)</pre>
```

```
# dev.off()
```

Now try to hone in on the Firmicutes since that is the most prominent difference:

Note - One OTU (Paenibacillus) appears to be an outlier with a wacky distribution, so it is left out. Although set.seed is used at the top, it might show up in the top 10 again if it is all run again.

```
#Firmicutes = aggregate(rowSums(rw.25.rel[, which(taxo$phylum == 'Firmicutes')]),
# by=list(map$location), FUN=se),
fir.table <- rw.25.rel[, which(taxo$phylum == 'Firmicutes')]
fir.taxo <- taxo[taxo$phylum == 'Firmicutes', ]
identical(colnames(fir.table), row.names(fir.taxo))</pre>
```

[1] TRUE

```
# leave out outlier
fir.table.10 <- fir.table[, names(rev(sort(colSums(fir.table)))[c(1:3, 5:11)])]
fir.taxo.10 <- fir.taxo[colnames(fir.table.10), ]
dim(fir.table.10)</pre>
```

[1] 51 10

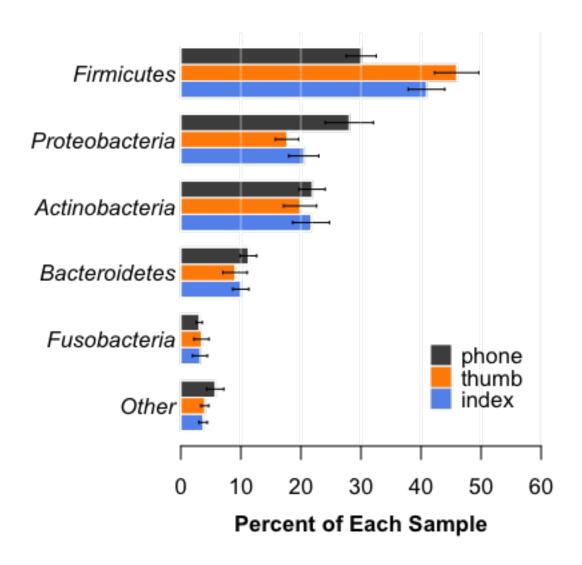


Figure 1: plot of chunk phylumBarplot

```
sum(colMeans(fir.table.10))
```

```
[1] 0.1557
```

What percentage of observations are represented here? 15.5749%

Look at each of the top 10 to see if there is more to investigate.

Note - This is not evaluated for the knitr document. Only during data exploration.

```
for(i in 1:ncol(fir.table.10)) {
  boxplot(fir.table.10[, i] ~ map$loc.gen2)
  mtext(fir.taxo.10$genus[i])
  readline('press enter')
}
```

Yes. Very much so. There are some really interesting gender differences in the most abundant taxa. This will make a nice addition to the barplot.

Note, again, that one of the original top 10 shows an ugly distribution = all driven by one person with A LOT of Paenibacillus on his fingers. So that one was removed in the code above for clarity - now we're looking at c(1:4, 6:11) to make an even 10. For further investigation, that OTU was ID# 29684. Oddly, it was elevated on both fingers, but didn't show up on his phone. It was nearly absent from all other samples.

Now create data frames to hold plotting info.

```
fir.mean <- data.frame(matrix(NA, 4, 10))
row.names(fir.mean) <- levels(map$loc.gen2)
names(fir.mean) <- colnames(fir.table.10)

fir.se <- data.frame(matrix(NA, 4, 10))
row.names(fir.se) <- levels(map$loc.gen2)
names(fir.se) <- colnames(fir.table.10)

test <- aggregate(fir.table.10[, i], by=list(map$loc.gen2), mean)

if(identical(row.names(fir.mean), as.character(test$Group.1))) {
   for (i in 1:10) {
      fir.mean[, i] <- aggregate(fir.table.10[, i], by=list(map$loc.gen2), mean)$x
      fir.se[, i] <- aggregate(fir.table.10[, i], by=list(map$loc.gen2), se)$x
   }
} else {print("Didn't work - rows weren't lined up!")}

fir.mean <- fir.mean[4:1, 10:1] * 100

fir.se <- fir.se[4:1, 10:1] * 100</pre>
```

And do the same for Proteobacteria.

```
pro.table <- rw.25.rel[, which(taxo$phylum == 'Proteobacteria')]
pro.taxo <- taxo[taxo$phylum == 'Proteobacteria', ]
identical(colnames(pro.table), row.names(pro.taxo))</pre>
```

[1] TRUE

```
pro.table.10 <- pro.table[, names(rev(sort(colSums(pro.table)))[c(1:10)])]
pro.taxo.10 <- fir.taxo[colnames(pro.table.10), ]
dim(pro.table.10)</pre>
```

[1] 51 10

```
sum(colMeans(pro.table.10))
```

[1] 0.102

What percentage of observations are represented here? 10.2016%

```
pro.mean <- data.frame(matrix(NA, 4, 10))
row.names(pro.mean) <- levels(map$loc.gen2)
names(pro.mean) <- colnames(pro.table.10)

pro.se <- data.frame(matrix(NA, 4, 10))
row.names(pro.se) <- levels(map$loc.gen2)
names(pro.se) <- colnames(pro.table.10)

test <- aggregate(pro.table.10[, i], by=list(map$loc.gen2), mean)

if(identical(row.names(pro.mean), as.character(test$Group.1))) {
   for (i in 1:10) {
      pro.mean[, i] <- aggregate(pro.table.10[, i], by=list(map$loc.gen2), mean)$x
      pro.se[, i] <- aggregate(pro.table.10[, i], by=list(map$loc.gen2), se)$x
   }
} else {print("Didn't work - rows weren't lined up!")}

pro.mean <- pro.mean[4:1, 10:1] * 100

pro.se <- pro.se[4:1, 10:1] * 100</pre>
```

So now try to combine them. One error bar spills of the right margin, but it is not worth throwing off the whole balance of the figure. So instead I wrote a simple break at the margin to report the real value. *Might move around if re-rarefied without setting seed. So it goes.*

```
mtext('Percent of Each Sample', side=1, line=2.4, font=2)
mtext('(a) Most abundant phyla', side=3, line=0, font=2, at=0, adj=0)
mtext(names(ph.mean), side=2, at=c(mids[2, ]), line=.2, font=1)
par(xpd=TRUE)
segments(0, c(mids[1, ]-.45), 0, c(mids[3, ]+.45))
par(xpd=FALSE)
# Firmicutes
par(mar=c(5,8,2,2), las=1, font.lab=1, xpd=FALSE,
    fg='gray20', col.axis='gray20', col.lab='gray20')
mids <- barplot(as.matrix(fir.mean), beside=TRUE, horiz=TRUE, las=1, xlim=c(0,8),
  border='white', axisnames=FALSE,
  col=c('gray30', 'cornflowerblue'), font.lab=2)
abline(v=c(seq(1, 8, 1)), col='white', lwd=.5)
arrows(unlist(c(fir.mean-fir.se)), unlist(c(mids)),
     unlist(c(fir.mean+fir.se)), unlist(c(mids)),
  code=3, angle=90, length=.01)
mtext('Percent of Each Sample', side=1, line=2.4, font=2)
mtext('(b) Firmicutes', side=3, line=0, font=2, at=0, adj=0)
par(xpd=TRUE)
segments(0, c(mids[1, ]-.45), 0, c(mids[4, ]+.45))
for (i in 1:10) {
  segments(-.05, mean(mids[, i]), -.5, mean(mids[, i]), col='gray60')
text(-.25, mean(mids[1:2, i]),
     "\MA", vfont=c("sans serif symbol", "plain"), font=2, col='gray20', cex=1.5)
text(-.25, mean(mids[3:4, i]),
     "\VE", vfont=c("sans serif symbol", "plain"), font=2, col='gray20', cex=1.5)
barname <- taxo[names(fir.mean)[i], 'genus']</pre>
font <-3
if (barname == '') {
  barname <- taxo[names(fir.mean)[i], 'family']</pre>
  font <- 1}
mtext(barname, side=2, at=mean(mids[, i]), line=1.5, font=font)
}
# Proteobacteria
par(mar=c(5,8,2,2.5), las=1, font.lab=1, xpd=FALSE,
    fg='gray20', col.axis='gray20', col.lab='gray20')
mids <- barplot(as.matrix(pro.mean), beside=TRUE, horiz=TRUE, las=1, xlim=c(0,8),
  border='white', axisnames=FALSE,
  col=c('gray30', 'cornflowerblue'), font.lab=2)
abline(v=c(seq(1, 8, 1)), col='white', lwd=.5)
arrows(unlist(c(pro.mean-pro.se)), unlist(c(mids)),
     unlist(c(pro.mean+pro.se)), unlist(c(mids)),
  code=3, angle=90, length=.01)
mtext('Percent of Each Sample', side=1, line=2.4, font=2)
mtext('(c) Proteobacteria', side=3, line=0, font=2, at=0, adj=0)
par(xpd=TRUE)
segments(0, c(mids[1, ]-.45), 0, c(mids[4, ]+.45))
for (i in 1:10) {
  segments(-.05, mean(mids[, i]), -.5, mean(mids[, i]), col='gray60')
```

```
text(-.25, mean(mids[1:2, i]),
     "\MA", vfont=c("sans serif symbol", "plain"), font=2, col='gray20', cex=1.5)
text(-.25, mean(mids[3:4, i]),
     "\VE", vfont=c("sans serif symbol", "plain"), font=2, col='gray20', cex=1.5)
barname <- taxo[names(pro.mean)[i], 'genus']</pre>
font <-3
if (barname == '') {
 barname <- taxo[names(pro.mean)[i], 'family']</pre>
 font <- 1 }
mtext(barname, side=2, at=mean(mids[, i]), line=1.5, font=font)
if (barname == 'Photobacterium') {fixit <- i}</pre>
}
# Fix Photobacterium error bar break
fixx <- 8
fixy <- mids[1, fixit]</pre>
realSE <- round(pro.mean[1, fixit] + pro.se[1, fixit], 1)</pre>
par(xpd=TRUE)
segments(fixx-.1, fixy-.5, fixx+.1, fixy+.5)
segments(fixx+.1, fixy-.5, fixx+.3, fixy+.5)
text(fixx+.1, fixy, realSE, pos=4, cex=.7)
```

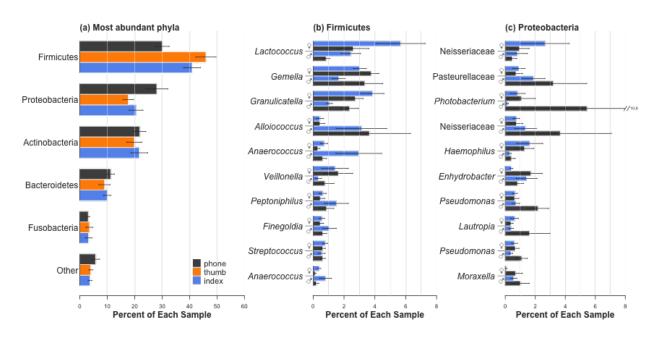


Figure 2: plot of chunk longPhylumBarplots

```
# dev.off()
```

Canberra Distance Barplots - how are phones related to people?

Next, we want to know how communities break out between people and their phones. To do this, we make a distance matrix. In our case, we want to be able to easily explain so we use Jaccard similarity

$$S_{jaccard} = \frac{shared\ richness}{combined\ richness}$$

so that we can interpret in easy language. Later, we'll also want a *similarity* rather than a *distance*, so we'll invert the distance R gives by default

$$S_{jaccard} = 1 - D_{jaccard}$$

. This way things with more in common have higher values, and that is easier to visualize.

Note that this was tried also with the same Canberra distance that will be used later for ordinations. Results were almost identical, but Jaccard is much easier to interpret for this sort of graph, so we use Jaccard.

```
dis <- vegdist(rw.25, 'jaccard')</pre>
```

Since we want to do this several times, I'll package a few tedious routines into functions to cut down on repetative coding. First set up a data frame for the whole dataset.

```
bar.df <- data.frame(matrix(0,17,3))
names(bar.df) <- c('in.th', 'in.ph', 'th.ph')
row.names(bar.df) <- unique(map$individ)</pre>
```

Then create the functions that will be used a few times.

```
makeBarDF <- function() {</pre>
  for(i in 1:nrow(bar.df)) {
  bar.df[i, 1] <- as.matrix(dis)[which(map$individ == row.names(bar.df)[i] &
                                           map$location == 'index'),
                                     which(map$individ == row.names(bar.df)[i] &
                                           map$location == 'thumb')]
    bar.df[i, 2] <- as.matrix(dis)[which(map$individ == row.names(bar.df)[i] &
                                           map$location == 'index'),
                                     which(map$individ == row.names(bar.df)[i] &
                                           map$location == 'phone')]
    bar.df[i, 3] <- as.matrix(dis)[which(map$individ == row.names(bar.df)[i] &</pre>
                                           map$location == 'thumb'),
                                     which(map$individ == row.names(bar.df)[i] &
                                           map$location == 'phone')]
  invisible(bar.df)
}
makeBarSummary <- function(bar.df=bar.df) {</pre>
  bar.summary <- data.frame(cbind(apply(bar.df, 2, mean),</pre>
                                 (apply(bar.df, 2, sd)/sqrt(nrow(bar.df)))))
  bar.summary[, 3] <- bar.summary[, 1]-bar.summary[, 2]</pre>
  bar.summary[, 4] <- bar.summary[, 1]+bar.summary[, 2]</pre>
  names(bar.summary) <- c('mean', 'se', 'se.lo', 'se.hi')</pre>
  invisible(bar.summary)
}
```

And then run the data set through the functions.

```
bar.jac.df <- makeBarDF()
bar.jac <- makeBarSummary(bar.df=bar.jac.df)
bar.jac.df</pre>
```

```
in.th in.ph th.ph
17 0.5714 0.7820 0.7961
18 0.5541 0.8652 0.8010
19 0.6559 0.7030 0.7016
20 0.6226 0.7361 0.8058
22 0.6230 0.8146 0.8015
23 0.5657 0.6880 0.7537
24 0.5057 0.7992 0.7888
25 0.6339 0.7712 0.7596
26 0.7345 0.7843 0.8180
28 0.7975 0.8312 0.9639
29 0.5661 0.7434 0.7335
30 0.5225 0.8690 0.8777
31 0.8115 0.8356 0.8834
32 0.7026 0.6638 0.5900
33 0.6053 0.7137 0.6667
34 0.6180 0.8075 0.7802
35 0.9066 0.8729 0.9291
```

bar.jac

```
mean se se.lo se.hi
in.th 0.6469 0.02677 0.6201 0.6736
in.ph 0.7812 0.01575 0.7655 0.7970
th.ph 0.7912 0.02235 0.7689 0.8136
```

Each additional time, we're only interested in a few samples at a time, so run subsets through the same functions. Each starts out being named generically bar.df, but then each object gets put into a uniquely named data frame.

First we need to know how many are in each group.

```
f m
10 7

table(map$wash)/3
```

y n 98

```
# females=10
bar.df <- data.frame(matrix(0,10,3))</pre>
names(bar.df) <- c('in.th', 'in.ph', 'th.ph')</pre>
row.names(bar.df) <- unique(map$individ[which(map$gender == 'f')])</pre>
bar.df.female.j <- makeBarDF()</pre>
bar.female.j <- makeBarSummary(bar.df=bar.df.female.j)</pre>
# males=7
bar.df <- data.frame(matrix(0,7,3))</pre>
names(bar.df) <- c('in.th', 'in.ph', 'th.ph')</pre>
row.names(bar.df) <- unique(map$individ[which(map$gender == 'm')])</pre>
bar.df.male.j <- makeBarDF()</pre>
bar.male.j <- makeBarSummary(bar.df=bar.df.male.j)</pre>
# yes wash=9
bar.df <- data.frame(matrix(0,9,3))</pre>
names(bar.df) <- c('in.th', 'in.ph', 'th.ph')</pre>
row.names(bar.df) <- unique(map$individ[which(map$wash == 'y')])</pre>
bar.df.wash.j <- makeBarDF()</pre>
bar.wash.j <- makeBarSummary(bar.df=bar.df.wash.j)</pre>
# no wash=8
bar.df <- data.frame(matrix(0,8,3))</pre>
names(bar.df) <- c('in.th', 'in.ph', 'th.ph')</pre>
row.names(bar.df) <- unique(map$individ[which(map$wash == 'n')])</pre>
bar.df.nowash.j <- makeBarDF()</pre>
bar.nowash.j <- makeBarSummary(bar.df=bar.df.nowash.j)</pre>
```

To make it easeier to combine side by side barplots, we'll combine them into joined data frames based on their variables (males and females, and wash and no-wash). Then one last step to invert the numbers from a distance to a similarity.

All data are in place, so there is lots of futzy code to get barplots to look nice. These were modeled after Edward Tufte's *The Visual Display of Quantitative Information*.

```
# pdf('longBarplotFigure.pdf', width=8, height=4)
ylim <- c(0,.5)
layout(matrix(c(1,2,3), 1,3), widths=c(1, 1.6, 1.6))
par(mar=c(4, 4.5, 2, 1), las=1, fg='gray20', lheight=1, col.axis='gray20', col.lab='gray20')
mids <- barplot(bar.jac$mean, las=1,
   border='transparent', axes=FALSE, ylim=ylim, yaxs='i',</pre>
```

```
# ylab='Percent of species in common')
 ylab='')
mtext('Jaccard Similarity\n(as % of shared OTUs)', side=2, line=2, las=0, cex=.8)
abline(h=c(.1,.2,.3,.4,.5), col='white', lwd=1)
mtext(c('index\n\nthumb', 'index\n\nphone', 'thumb\n\nphone'),
    side=1, line=2.1, at=c(mids), cex=.7, col='gray20')
axis(2, col='gray20', col.ticks='gray20',
    at=c(0,.1,.2,.3,.4,.5), labels=c(0,10,20,30,40,'50%'))
arrows (mids, bar.jac$se.lo, mids, bar.jac$se.hi, code=3,
    angle=90, length=.05, col='gray40')
mtext('(a) All samples', font=2, col='gray20', line=.5)
par(mar=c(4, 2, 2, 1))
mids <- barplot(bar.mf$mean, las=1, col=c('gray80', 'gray50'),
    border='transparent', axes=FALSE, ylim=ylim, yaxs='i')
abline(h=c(.1,.2,.3,.4,.5), col='white', lwd=1)
mtext(c('index\n&\nthumb', 'index\n&\nphone', 'thumb\n&\nphone'),
    side=1, line=2.1, cex=.7, col='gray20',
    at=c(mean(mids[1:2,1]), mean(mids[3:4,1]), mean(mids[5:6,1])))
arrows(mids, bar.mf$se.lo, mids, bar.mf$se.hi, code=3,
    angle=90, length=.05, col='gray20')
mtext('(b) Male or Female?', font=2, col='gray20', line=.5)
legend(5, .5, legend=c('m', 'f'), pch=15, col=c('gray80', 'gray50'),
   pt.cex=2, bty='n')
par(xpd=TRUE)
segments(c(mids[c(1,3,5), 1])-.48, rep(-.00, 3),
         c(mids[c(2,4,6), 1])+.48, rep(-.00, 3),
         col='gray30')
par(xpd=FALSE)
par(mar=c(4, 2, 2, 1))
mids <- barplot(bar.wnw$mean, las=1, col=c('gray80', 'gray50'),
    border='transparent', axes=FALSE, ylim=ylim, yaxs='i')
abline(h=c(.1,.2,.3,.4,.5), col='white', lwd=1)
mtext(c('index\n\nthumb', 'index\n\nphone', 'thumb\n\nphone'),
    side=1, line=2.1, cex=.7, col='gray20',
    at=c(mean(mids[1:2,1]), mean(mids[3:4,1]), mean(mids[5:6,1])))
arrows(mids, bar.wnw$se.lo, mids, bar.wnw$se.hi, code=3,
    angle=90, length=.05, col='gray20')
mtext('(c) Did you wash your hands?', font=2, col='gray20', line=.5)
legend(5, .5, legend=c('yes', 'no'), pch=15, col=c('gray80', 'gray50'),
   pt.cex=2, bty='n')
par(xpd=TRUE)
segments(c(mids[c(1,3,5), 1])-.48, rep(-.00, 3),
         c(mids[c(2,4,6), 1])+.48, rep(-.00, 3),
         col='gray30')
```

```
par(xpd=FALSE)
# dev.off()
```

Isn't that nice? So this figure tells us a couple of really interesting things about the world that we didn't know before! For instance, about 35% of the bacterial taxa we find on our own index finger are also found

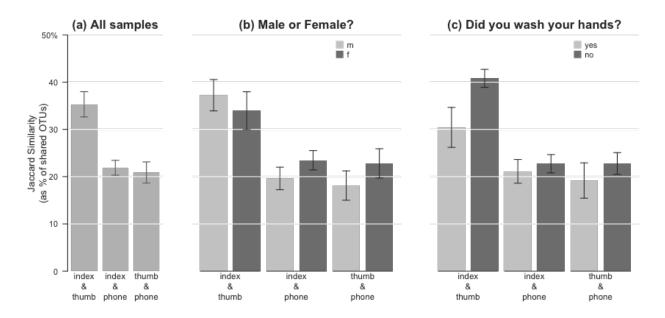


Figure 3: plot of chunk longBarplotFigure

on the opposing thumb. And (even though fewer) about 20% are also found on our phones! That general pattern is repeated regardless of whether we are looking at men or women, but interestingly, women seem to have more taxa in common with their phones. And your two fingers have more in common if you did not wash your hands.

We can use simple paired t-tests to check some of the patterns in the plots. For instance: Is the first difference significant (are fingers closer to one another than either finger compared to phones)? First, we again need to invert distances to similarities for easier interpretation (already did this in summary tables, but now for raw distance data frames).

```
bar.jac.df <- 1-bar.jac.df
bar.df.male.j <- 1-bar.df.male.j
bar.df.female.j <- 1-bar.df.female.j
bar.df.wash.j <- 1-bar.df.wash.j
bar.df.nowash.j <- 1-bar.df.nowash.j</pre>
```

```
t.test(bar.jac.df$in.th, bar.jac.df$in.ph, paired=TRUE)
```

Paired t-test

```
t.test(bar.jac.df$in.th, bar.jac.df$th.ph, paired=TRUE)
    Paired t-test
data: bar.jac.df$in.th and bar.jac.df$th.ph
t = 5.412, df = 16, p-value = 0.00005753
alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
95 percent confidence interval:
0.0878 0.2009
sample estimates:
mean of the differences
                 0.1443
Yes. Very much so. It looks like our fingers have about 35% of their taxa in common, while fingers and
phones only share about 20% of taxa.
And how about males and females differentially related to their phones?
t.test(bar.df.male.j$in.ph, bar.df.female.j$in.ph)
    Welch Two Sample t-test
data: bar.df.male.j$in.ph and bar.df.female.j$in.ph
t = -1.225, df = 13.34, p-value = 0.2418
alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
95 percent confidence interval:
-0.10595 0.02915
sample estimates:
mean of x mean of y
  0.1962
             0.2346
t.test(bar.df.male.j$th.ph, bar.df.female.j$th.ph)
    Welch Two Sample t-test
data: bar.df.male.j$th.ph and bar.df.female.j$th.ph
t = -1.07, df = 14.38, p-value = 0.3022
alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
95 percent confidence interval:
-0.1408 0.0469
sample estimates:
mean of x mean of y
   0.1812
             0.2281
```

Not so much. And are our fingers more similar if we don't wash our hands?

```
t.test(bar.df.wash.j$in.th, bar.df.nowash.j$in.th)
```

```
Welch Two Sample t-test

data: bar.df.wash.j$in.th and bar.df.nowash.j$in.th

t = -2.238, df = 11.06, p-value = 0.04678
alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0

95 percent confidence interval:
    -0.205888   -0.001764

sample estimates:
mean of x mean of y
    0.3043    0.4081

t.test(bar.df.wash.j$in.ph, bar.df.nowash.j$in.ph)
```

```
Welch Two Sample t-test

data: bar.df.wash.j$in.ph and bar.df.nowash.j$in.ph

t = -0.5067, df = 14.48, p-value = 0.62

alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0

95 percent confidence interval:

-0.08386  0.05172

sample estimates:

mean of x mean of y
  0.2112  0.2273
```

The first (two fingers) is suggestive, but not totally convincing - there might be a difference of about 10% of OTUs. The second (relationship to phones) is not different at all.

One last barplot to show whether or not our phones are more indicative of our own microbiome. The workflow will be pretty much the same, but we are picking out:

- the similarities of each person's index finger compared to their own phone, and
- each person's finger compared to the average distance to everyone else's phone

And make the plot.

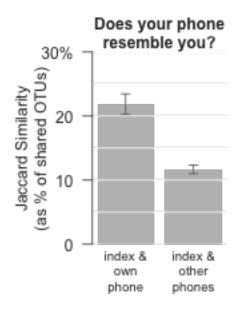


Figure 4: plot of chunk makePersonToPhoneBarplot

```
# dev.off()
```

And is that significant?

```
apply(bar.others.df, 2, mean)

same.in.ph others.in.ph
    0.2188     0.1169

t.test(bar.others.df$same.in.ph, bar.others.df$others.in.ph, paired=TRUE)

Paired t-test
```

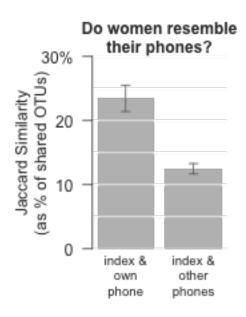
So yes, your phone might be able to identify you. Or in other words, we see some evidence that the microbial assemblages on our phones are perhaps extensions of our own, and that they are to some degree personalized to us!

But this distance might just be driven by women, so quick check to see if this result varies by gender. It is lower power, so can't really be compared directly to the test above, but gives us an idea.

And make the plots.

```
# pdf('resemblePhone.pdf', width=2.5, height=3)
par(mar=c(3, 4.5, 2, 1), las=1, col.axis='gray20', col.lab='gray20', fg='gray20')
mids <- barplot(bar.summary.f$mean, las=1,</pre>
```

```
border='transparent', axes=FALSE, ylim=c(0,.3), yaxs='i',
ylab='')
mtext('Jaccard Similarity\n(as % of shared OTUs)', side=2, line=2.2, las=0)
abline(h=seq(0, .3, .05), col='white', lwd=1)
mtext(c('index &\nown\nphone', 'index &\nother\nphones'),
    side=1, line=1.6, at=c(mids), cex=.8, col='gray20')
axis(2, col='gray20', col.ticks='gray20',
    at=c(0,.1,.2,.3), labels=c(0,10,20,'30%'))
arrows(mids, bar.summary.f$se.lo, mids, bar.summary.f$se.hi, code=3,
    angle=90, length=.05, col='gray40')
mtext("Do women resemble\ntheir phones?", font=2, col='gray20')
```



 ${\bf Figure~5:~plot~of~chunk~makeGenderToPhoneBarplot}$

```
par(mar=c(3, 4.5, 2, 1), las=1, col.axis='gray20', col.lab='gray20', fg='gray20')
mids <- barplot(bar.summary.m$mean, las=1,
   border='transparent', axes=FALSE, ylim=c(0,.3), yaxs='i',
   ylab='')
mtext('Jaccard Similarity\n(as % of shared OTUs)', side=2, line=2.2, las=0)
abline(h=seq(0, .3, .05), col='white', lwd=1)
mtext(c('index &\nown\nphone', 'index &\nother\nphones'),
   side=1, line=1.6, at=c(mids), cex=.8, col='gray20')
axis(2, col='gray20', col.ticks='gray20',
   at=c(0,.1,.2,.3), labels=c(0,10,20,'30%'))
arrows(mids, bar.summary.m$se.lo, mids, bar.summary.m$se.hi, code=3,
   angle=90, length=.05, col='gray40')
mtext("Do men resemble\ntheir phones?", font=2, col='gray20')</pre>
```

And is that significant for both groups?

```
diff.f <- round(diff(c(apply(bar.others.f.df, 2, mean))) * (-100), digits=2)
t.test(bar.others.f.df$same.in.ph, bar.others.f.df$others.in.ph, paired=TRUE)</pre>
```

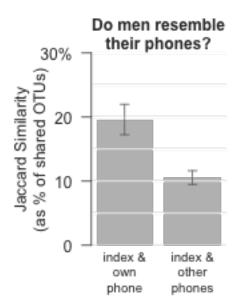


Figure 6: plot of chunk makeGenderToPhoneBarplot

Paired t-test

```
diff.m <- round(diff(c(apply(bar.others.m.df, 2, mean))) * (-100), digits=2)
t.test(bar.others.m.df$same.in.ph, bar.others.m.df$others.in.ph, paired=TRUE)</pre>
```

Paired t-test

Yes - both sexes share, on average, more with their own phones than with everyone else's. Men share about 9.06% percent of taxa while women share 10.97%.

Community differences - Ordination and Discriminant Analysis

Do the fingers of men and women harbor different types of bacteria? Previous research says yes. In the current study, some people washed hands and some didn't. So we should find out if we have a balanced study (i.e., relatively even numbers in all four categories?). The answer is, of course, somewhat funny, though not significantly funny.

```
gender.wash <- table(map$gender, map$wash)
cst <- chisq.test(gender.wash)
cst</pre>
```

Pearson's Chi-squared test with Yates' continuity correction

```
data: gender.wash
X-squared = 0.8503, df = 1, p-value = 0.3565
```

cst\$observed

```
y n
f 18 12
m 9 12
```

cst\$expected

```
y n
f 15.88 14.118
m 11.12 9.882
```

```
rm(cst, gender.wash)
```

Anyway, the sample is reasonably well balanced. PERMANOVA tests like adonis are not necessarily robust to big inbalances, but probably not a problem for us.

We'll use the Canberra distance, since we expect most of the abundant taxa to overlap - we are interested in differences among the relatively rare OTUs. Compared to the easily interpretable Jaccard index used above, these sophisticated dissimilarities tend to be more mathematically satisfying for ordination. If we look at an NMDS of all samples, it looks like there is a separation between fingers and phones, but not between finger types. Not too surprising given what we saw in the bar plots above. Notice that the ordination gets put into a generic object $\bf n$ to save on typing but also to make it easier to switch distance matrices or nmds objects later.

```
rw.25.can <- vegdist(rw.25, 'canberra')
rw.25.nmds.can <- bestnmds(rw.25.can, k=2)</pre>
```

If we emphasize gender, it seems that men and women fall in different parts of the plot, and their communities, when considering all samples, are very significantly different.

```
rw.25.nmds.can$stress
```

[1] 21.58

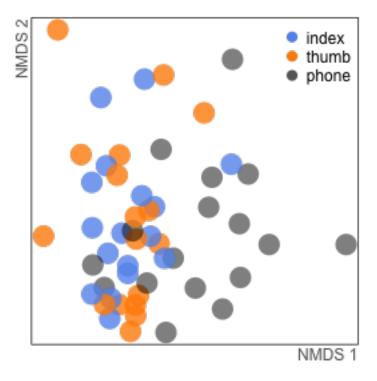


Figure 7: plot of chunk plotNMDS

Earlier, we created sets of variables that combine sample location with gender - this now allows the use of ellipses to visualize confidence intervals in the ordination.

It would be ideal if we could get most information only from sampling a single finger in future cell phone monitoring studies, instead of looking at both index fingers and thumbs. This ordination displays both fingers and phones.

```
# pdf('ordinationGenderBothFingers.pdf', height=4, width=8)
par(mfrow=c(1,2))
par(mar=c(2,2,2,1), las=0)
plot(n$points, type='n', ann=FALSE, xaxt='n', yaxt='n')
mtext('NMDS 1', side=1, line=.3, col='gray40', adj=1)
mtext('NMDS 2', side=2, line=.0, col='gray40', adj=1)
points(n$points[intersect(m,finger), ], pch=21, cex=2, col='gray', bg='white')
points(n$points[intersect(m,p), ], pch=21, cex=2, col='gray', bg='white')
ordiellipse(n, groups=map$loc.gen, show.groups='phone.f',
            draw='polygon', col='gray80')
ordiellipse(n, groups=map$loc.gen, show.groups='phone.f',
            draw='lines', lwd=1.2, col='gray80')
ordiellipse(n, groups=map$loc.gen2, show.groups='finger.f',
            draw='polygon', col='cornflowerblue')
ordiellipse(n, groups=map$loc.gen2, show.groups='finger.f',
            draw='lines', lwd=1.2, col='gray80')
points(n$points[intersect(f,finger), ], pch=21, cex=2.5, col='gray30',
      bg=rgb(100/255, 149/255, 237/255, .8)) # cornflowerblue
points(n$points[intersect(f,p), ], pch=21, cex=2.5, col='gray30',
      bg = rgb(0,0,0,.5)
mtext('(a) Females', line=.2, font=2, cex=1.5, adj=0)
par(mar=c(2,1,2,2), las=0)
plot(n$points, type='n', ann=FALSE, xaxt='n', yaxt='n')
mtext('NMDS 1', side=1, line=.3, col='gray40', adj=1)
#mtext('NMDS 2', side=2, line=.0, col='gray40', adj=1)
points(n$points[intersect(f,finger), ], pch=21, cex=2, col='gray', bg='white')
points(n$points[intersect(f,p), ], pch=21, cex=2, col='gray', bg='white')
ordiellipse(n, groups=map$loc.gen, show.groups='phone.m',
            draw='polygon', col='gray80')
ordiellipse(n, groups=map$loc.gen, show.groups='phone.m',
            draw='lines', lwd=1.2, col='gray80')
ordiellipse(n, groups=map$loc.gen2, show.groups='finger.m',
            draw='polygon', col='cornflowerblue')
ordiellipse(n, groups=map$loc.gen2, show.groups='finger.m',
            draw='lines', lwd=1.2, col='gray80')
points(n$points[intersect(m,finger), ], pch=21, cex=2.5, col='gray30',
      bg=rgb(100/255, 149/255, 237/255, .8)) # cornflowerblue
points(n$points[intersect(m,p), ], pch=21, cex=2.5, col='gray30',
      bg = rgb(0,0,0,.5)
# text(5,5,'Males', font=2, cex=2, col='gray40')
legend('bottomright', legend=c('phone', 'finger'), pch=21, bty='n', y.intersp=.9,
       pt.bg=c('gray40', 'cornflowerblue'), col='gray30', cex=1, pt.cex=1.5)
mtext('(b) Males', line=.2, font=2, cex=1.5, adj=0)
```

```
# dev.off()
```

This version uses only index fingers compared to phones.

```
# pdf('ordinationGenderIndex.pdf', height=4, width=8)
par(mfrow=c(1,2))
```

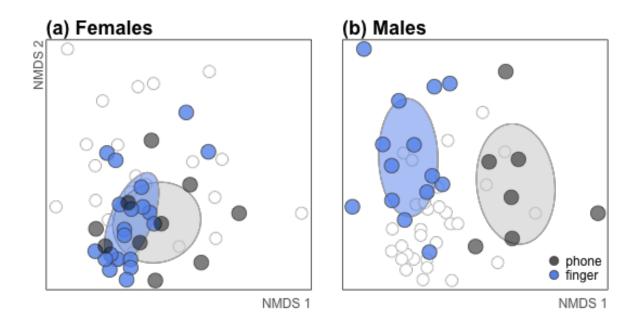


Figure 8: plot of chunk genderFingerNMDS

```
par(mar=c(2,2,2,1), las=0)
plot(n$points, type='n', ann=FALSE, xaxt='n', yaxt='n')
mtext('NMDS 1', side=1, line=.3, col='gray40', adj=1)
mtext('NMDS 2', side=2, line=.0, col='gray40', adj=1)
points(n$points[intersect(m,index), ], pch=21, cex=2, col='gray', bg='white')
points(n$points[intersect(m,p), ], pch=21, cex=2, col='gray', bg='white')
ordiellipse(n, groups=map$loc.gen, show.groups='phone.f',
            draw='polygon', col='gray80')
ordiellipse(n, groups=map$loc.gen, show.groups='phone.f',
            draw='lines', lwd=1.2, col='gray80')
ordiellipse(n, groups=map$loc.gen, show.groups='index.f',
            draw='polygon', col='cornflowerblue')
ordiellipse(n, groups=map$loc.gen, show.groups='index.f',
            draw='lines', lwd=1.2, col='gray80')
points(n$points[intersect(f,index), ], pch=21, cex=2.5, col='gray30',
      bg=rgb(100/255, 149/255, 237/255, .8)) # cornflowerblue
points(n$points[intersect(f,p), ], pch=21, cex=2.5, col='gray30',
      bg = rgb(0,0,0,.5)
mtext('(a) Females', line=.2, font=2, cex=1.5, adj=0)
par(mar=c(2,1,2,2), las=0)
plot(n$points, type='n', ann=FALSE, xaxt='n', yaxt='n')
mtext('NMDS 1', side=1, line=.3, col='gray40', adj=1)
points(n$points[intersect(f,index), ], pch=21, cex=2, col='gray', bg='white')
points(n$points[intersect(f,p), ], pch=21, cex=2, col='gray', bg='white')
ordiellipse(n, groups=map$loc.gen, show.groups='phone.m',
            draw='polygon', col='gray80')
ordiellipse(n, groups=map$loc.gen, show.groups='phone.m',
            draw='lines', lwd=1.2, col='gray80')
ordiellipse(n, groups=map$loc.gen, show.groups='index.m',
```

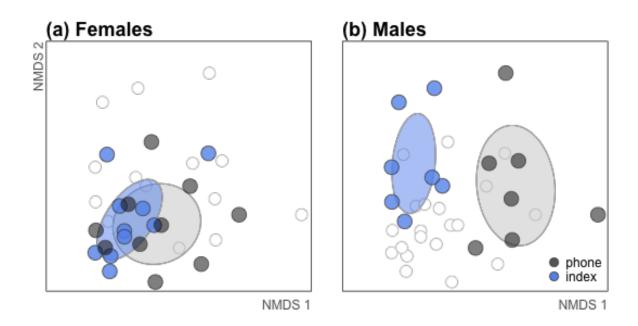


Figure 9: plot of chunk genderIndexNMDS

dev.off()

It seems clear that women and men are falling out in different parts of the ordination. And in fact the difference is highly significant for both phones and fingers - gender makes a difference.

Also, a quick function to print simple LATEX tables over and over.

```
pxtable <- function(tab, capt='') {
   print(xtable(tab, caption=capt), comment=FALSE, timestamp=FALSE)#, type='html')
}

can.phones <- as.dist(as.matrix(rw.25.can)[p, p])
can.fingers <- as.dist(as.matrix(rw.25.can)[finger, finger])
can.index <- as.dist(as.matrix(rw.25.can)[index, thumb])
can.thumb <- as.dist(as.matrix(rw.25.can)[thumb, thumb])

map.phones <- map[p, ]</pre>
```

```
map.fingers <- map[finger, ]
map.index <- map[index, ]
map.thumb <- map[thumb, ]

adonisAllGender <- adonis(rw.25.can ~ map$gender)$aov.tab
adonisPhoneGender <- adonis(can.phones ~ map.phones$gender)$aov.tab
adonisFingerGender <- adonis(can.fingers ~ map.fingers$gender)$aov.tab
adonisIndexGender <- adonis(can.index ~ map.index$gender)$aov.tab
adonisThumbGender <- adonis(can.thumb ~ map.thumb$gender)$aov.tab
#print(xtable(adonisAllGender))#, type='html')
pxtable(adonisAllGender, capt='Gender difference for all samples together?')</pre>
```

	Df	SumsOfSqs	MeanSqs	F.Model	R2	Pr(>F)
map\$gender	1	0.65	0.65	1.52	0.03	0.0010
Residuals	49	20.79	0.42		0.97	
Total	50	21.44			1.00	

Table 1: Gender difference for all samples together?

pxtable(adonisFingerGender, capt='Gender difference for both fingers together?')

	Df	SumsOfSqs	MeanSqs	F.Model	R2	Pr(>F)
map.fingers\$gender	1	0.63	0.63	1.51	0.04	0.0010
Residuals	32	13.28	0.42		0.96	
Total	33	13.91			1.00	

Table 2: Gender difference for both fingers together?

pxtable(adonisPhoneGender, capt='Gender difference for just phones?')

	Df	SumsOfSqs	MeanSqs	F.Model	R2	Pr(>F)
map.phones\$gender	1	0.48	0.48	1.11	0.07	0.0110
Residuals	15	6.49	0.43		0.93	
Total	16	6.97			1.00	

Table 3: Gender difference for just phones?

```
pxtable(adonisIndexGender, capt='Gender difference for just index fingers?')
```

```
pxtable(adonisThumbGender, capt='Gender difference for just thumbs?')
```

	Df	SumsOfSqs	MeanSqs	F.Model	R2	Pr(>F)
map.index\$gender	1	0.50	0.50	1.18	0.07	0.0160
Residuals	15	6.31	0.42		0.93	
Total	16	6.81			1.00	

Table 4: Gender difference for just index fingers?

	Df	SumsOfSqs	MeanSqs	F.Model	R2	Pr(>F)
map.thumb\$gender	1	0.48	0.48	1.14	0.07	0.0280
Residuals	15	6.35	0.42		0.93	
Total	16	6.83			1.00	

Table 5: Gender difference for just thumbs?

Phones, maybe - but also underpowered. Fingers, definitely, but this includes all fingers together which is pseudoreplication. Best to rely on just one finger.

Do index fingers tell the whole story? Or are both fingers together more powerful? It is a tough question because it is an unbalanced comparison, but the nmds above makes it clear that the significant separation from phones is evident even when only using an index and not grouping both fingers.

```
can.index.phone.f <- as.dist(as.matrix(rw.25.can)[intersect(c(index,p),f),</pre>
                                                     intersect(c(index,p),f)])
map.index.phone.f <- map[intersect(c(index,p),f), ]</pre>
can.index.phone.m <- as.dist(as.matrix(rw.25.can)[intersect(c(index,p),m),</pre>
                                                     intersect(c(index,p),m)])
map.index.phone.m <- map[intersect(c(index,p),m), ]</pre>
can.thumb.phone.f <- as.dist(as.matrix(rw.25.can)[intersect(c(thumb,p),f),</pre>
                                                     intersect(c(thumb,p),f)])
map.thumb.phone.f <- map[intersect(c(index,p),f), ]</pre>
can.thumb.phone.m <- as.dist(as.matrix(rw.25.can)[intersect(c(thumb,p),m),</pre>
                                                     intersect(c(thumb,p),m)])
map.thumb.phone.m <- map[intersect(c(thumb,p),m), ]</pre>
can.finger.phone.f <- as.dist(as.matrix(rw.25.can)[f, f])</pre>
map.finger.phone.f <- map[f, ]</pre>
can.finger.phone.m <- as.dist(as.matrix(rw.25.can)[m, m])</pre>
map.finger.phone.m <- map[m, ]</pre>
adonisIndexPhoneF <- adonis(can.index.phone.f ~ map.index.phone.f$location)$aov.tab
adonisIndexPhoneM <- adonis(can.index.phone.m ~ map.index.phone.m$location)$aov.tab
adonisThumbPhoneF <- adonis(can.thumb.phone.f ~ map.thumb.phone.f$location)$aov.tab
adonisThumbPhoneM <- adonis(can.thumb.phone.m ~ map.thumb.phone.m$location)$aov.tab
adonisFingerPhoneF <- adonis(can.finger.phone.f ~ map.finger.phone.f$location2)$aov.tab
adonisFingerPhoneM <- adonis(can.finger.phone.m ~ map.finger.phone.m$location2)$aov.tab
pxtable(adonisIndexPhoneF, capt="Women's phones different from index fingers?")
```

	Df	SumsOfSqs	MeanSqs	F.Model	R2	Pr(>F)
map.index.phone.f\$location	1	0.42	0.42	1.01	0.05	0.3900
Residuals	18	7.57	0.42		0.95	
Total	19	8.00			1.00	

Table 6: Women's phones different from index fingers?

pxtable(adonisIndexPhoneM, capt="Men's phones different from index fingers?")

	Df	SumsOfSqs	MeanSqs	F.Model	R2	Pr(>F)
map.index.phone.m\$location	1	0.51	0.51	1.18	0.09	0.0030
Residuals	12	5.16	0.43		0.91	
Total	13	5.67			1.00	

Table 7: Men's phones different from index fingers?

pxtable(adonisThumbPhoneF, capt="Women's phones different from thumbs?")

	Df	SumsOfSqs	MeanSqs	F.Model	R2	Pr(>F)
map.thumb.phone.f\$location	1	0.42	0.42	1.01	0.05	0.4140
Residuals	18	7.58	0.42		0.95	
Total	19	8.00			1.00	

Table 8: Women's phones different from thumbs?

pxtable(adonisThumbPhoneM, capt="Men's phones different from thumbs?")

	Df	SumsOfSqs	MeanSqs	F.Model	R2	Pr(>F)
map.thumb.phone.m\$location	1	0.52	0.52	1.20	0.09	0.0010
Residuals	12	5.26	0.44		0.91	
Total	13	5.78			1.00	

Table 9: Men's phones different from thumbs?

pxtable(adonisFingerPhoneF, capt="Women's phones different from both fingers together?")

	Df	SumsOfSqs	MeanSqs	F.Model	R2	Pr(>F)
map.finger.phone.f\$location2	1	0.45	0.45	1.08	0.04	0.0970
Residuals	28	11.65	0.42		0.96	
Total	29	12.10			1.00	

Table 10: Women's phones different from both fingers together?

pxtable(adonisFingerPhoneM, capt="Men's phones different from both fingers together?")

	Df	SumsOfSqs	MeanSqs	F.Model	R2	Pr(>F)
map.finger.phone.m\$location2	1	0.57	0.57	1.34	0.07	0.0010
Residuals	19	8.12	0.43		0.93	
Total	20	8.70			1.00	

Table 11: Men's phones different from both fingers together?

Index fingers alone seem to explain the most variation. R^2 is higher, though the F values are slightly lower due to less statistical power. This indicates that index alone is a good finger to use in further studies. Additionally, women never show a significant difference from the communities on their phones, while men do! Perhaps women will be easier to track by their phones?

ls()

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save.image('phones_knitr.RData')

This cluttered workspace *should* have everything necessary to reproduce any analysis or figure separately without running the entire script.