kWIP: The k-mer Weighted Inner Product

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Or as Norman says, ${\tt kWIP}$ is Kevin's Work In Progress



Collaboration

- ▶ This work is a collaborative effort
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 - ► Cheng Soon Ong
 - ▶ Chris Webers

Overview

- ► Motivation
- ► Technological overview
- ► Early results and plans
- ▶ Demonstration



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- ▶ Efficient algorithms to analyse large-scale genomic data
 - ▶ Reference & alignment free: less bias, de novo
 - ▶ Platform/protocol agnostic: future proof
 - ▶ Computationally efficient: not the bottleneck
 - ▶ Cross scale: one tool to rule them all

Fraction of genome



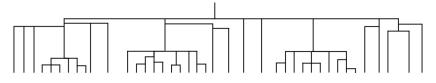
after Peterson et al. [1]



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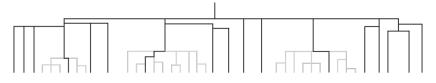


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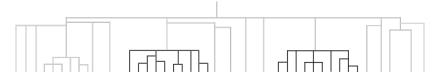


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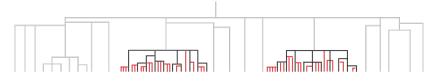


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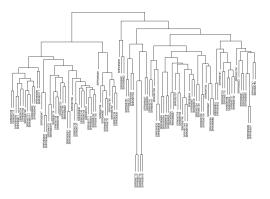
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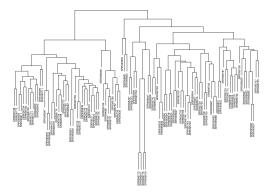
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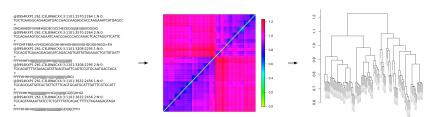
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Presenting kWIP

- \triangleright k-mer based de novo genetic clustering
- Weighted Inner Product between hashes to determine similarity
- ▶ Produces a distance matrix from raw NGS reads





Technological Overview

- \triangleright k-mer analysis
- ▶ Hashing and Probablistic Data Structures
- ▶ Population and Frequency Hashes
- ▶ (Weighted) Inner Products



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 Computationally and biologically appropriate

▶ Alignment Free

Constant-memory (using khmer)

▶ Fast: Scalable and parallelisable

► Cross-scale

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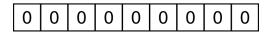


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- ▶ "Hash": a probablistic data structure
 - ▶ Efficent way of counting k-mers
 - Constant memory
 - ▶ Easy set operations and inner product
 - ▶ Implicit de Bruijn graph
 - ▶ Implemented in C Titus Brown's khmer

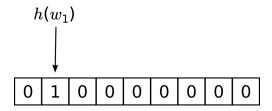


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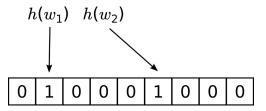


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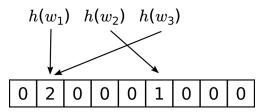


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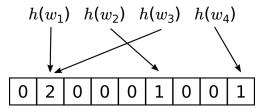


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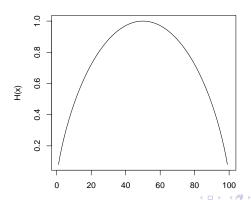
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	2 2 1 1
	2 1 7 1
	1 1 1 6
	1 2 3
Population Sum	2 5 1 9 0 5 9 1 0
Frequency	2 3 1 2 0 4 2 1 0 / 4



Shannon Entropy

- ► Measure of Information
- $-\sum_{i} p_{i}log(p_{i})$
- \blacktriangleright kWIP weights by H(frequency)





k-mer based clustering

- ▶ Alignment-free sequence clustering is a whole field
- \triangleright D2 and friends
- ▶ Most require assembled gene/genome sequence
- ▶ Many use inner product as similarity measure

Characterizing the D2 Statistic: Word Matches in Biological Sequences

Sylvain Forêt, Susan R. Wilson, and Conrad J. Burden

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 - ► For each analysis set, i.e "population":
 - ightharpoonup Calculate the entropy of population frequency (H)
 - For each pair of samples A and B, calculate $\sum_{i=1}^{n} A_{i} \cdot B_{i} \cdot H_{i}$

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kWIF

- ► The software:
 - \triangleright C++, >2000 lines of code
 - ▶ Uses khmer for k-mer counting & hashing
 - ▶ Parallelised, fast
 - ▶ GNU GPL licensed, source code on GitHub





kWIP Experiments

- ▶ 3000 rice genomes:
 - ▶ 3000 rice lines from known families
 - ▶ Analysing in sets of ≈ 100 , from all major groups
 - ► Recover known grouping w/kWIP, not w/ unweighted IP
 - ▶ Sensitive to read depth
- ► Simulation
 - ▶ Fake population genome sequencing studies



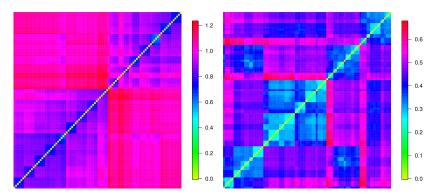
96 Rice Runs

- ► Set of 96 rice runs from 16 samples (6 tech reps ea)
- ▶ About half/half from 2 major groups (Indica, Japonica)
- ► Expectations:
 - ▶ All runs cluster into groups of 6 reps (16 samples)
 - ▶ Big split between two groups: (7 and 9 respectively here)
- ▶ We see this with kWIP, not with Unweighted IP
- ► Took 10 hours on 16-core Raijin node, 60-80GB RAM



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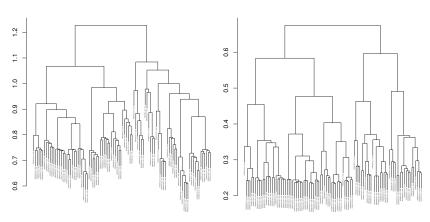
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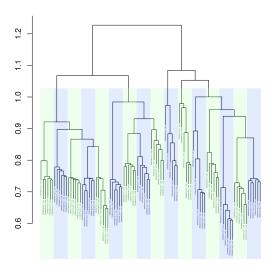
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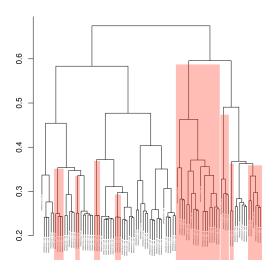


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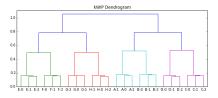
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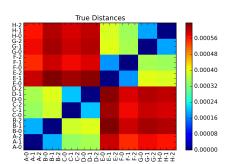


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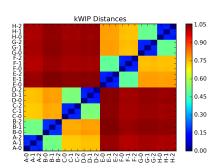
- ▶ Aims to re-create a biforcating tree
- ▶ kWIP does so
- ▶ Neighbor joining trees have Robinson-Foulds distance of 0



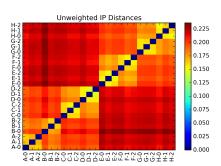














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▶ Now for an Jupyter notebook



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- ► Mandates development of economic, accurate large scale population genomics

