1 Natural variation in teosinte at the domestication

locus $teosinte\ branched1\ (tb1)$

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ı Abstract

- 2 The teosinte branched1 (tb1) gene, a repressor of lateral organ growth, is a major
- 3 QTL involved in branching differences between maize and its wild progenitor,
- 4 teosinte. Further studies have shown that the insertion of a transposable element
- 5 (Hopscotch) upstream of tb1 enhances its expression, causing the reduction in
- 6 branching observed in domesticated maize. Observations of the maize tb1 allele in
- 7 teosinte individuals, coupled with estimates of the age of insertion of the Hopscotch
- 8 element, led us to investigate the prevalence and potential role of tb1 in teosinte.
- 9 Results from genotyping across many natural populations suggest that the
- 10 Hopscotch element is segregating at a higher than expected frequency in a number
- 11 of populations of two subspecies of teosinte, Zea mays ssp. parviglumis and Zea
- 12 mays ssp. mexicana. Analysis of linkage disequilibrium between the Hopscotch
- 13 element and variation in surrounding regions does not support a hypothesis of
- 14 recent introgression from maize into teosinte, and we find no evidence of
- 15 environmental correlations that might suggest recent selection. Finally, two
- 16 greenhouse experiments with Zea mays ssp. parviglumis do not suggest an
- 17 important role for tb1 in controlling tillering in natural populations of this
- 18 subspecies. Our findings suggest that the role of the Hopscotch in tillering in
- 19 teosinte is not as straightforward as is in domesticated maize, and that other loci
- 20 may play a role in observed variation in this trait.

1 Introduction

- 2 Domesticated crops and their wild progenitors provide an excellent system in which
- 3 to study adaptation and genomic changes associated with human-mediated
- 4 selection (Ross-Ibarra et al., 2007). Perhaps the central focus of the study of
- 5 domestication has been the identification of genetic variation underlying
- 6 agronomically important traits such as fruit size and plant architecture (Olsen and
- 7 Gross, 2010). Additionally, many domesticates show reduced genetic diversity when
- 8 compared to their wild progenitors, and an understanding of the distribution of
- 9 diversity in the wild and its phenotypic effects has become increasingly useful to
- 10 crop improvement (Kovach and McCouch, 2008). But while some effort has been
- 11 invested into understanding how wild alleles behave in their domesticated relatives
- 12 (Bai and Lindhout, 2007), very little is known about the role that alleles found
- 13 most commonly in domesticates play in natural populations of their wild
- 14 progenitors. (Whitton J, 1997).
- Maize (Zea mays ssp. mays) was domesticated from the teosinte Zea mays ssp.
- 16 parviglumis (hereafter, parviglumis) roughly 9,000 B.P. in southwest Mexico
- 17 (Piperno et al., 2009; Matsuoka et al., 2002). Domesticated maize and the teosintes
- 18 are an attractive system in which to study domestication due to the abundance of
- 19 genetic tools developed for maize and well-characterized domestication loci (Hufford
- 20 et al., 2012a; Doebley, 2004; Hufford et al., 2012b). Additionally, large naturally
- 21 occurring populations of both Zea mays ssp. parviglumis (the wild progenitor of
- 22 maize) and Zea mays ssp. mexicana (highland teosinte; hereafter mexicana) can be
- 23 found throughout Mexico (Wilkes, 1977; Hufford et al., 2013), and genetic diversity
- 24 of these taxa is estimated to be high (Ross-Ibarra et al., 2009).
- 25 Many morphological changes are associated with maize domestication, and

- 1 understanding the genetic basis of these changes has been a focus of maize research
- 2 for a number of years (Doebley, 2004). One of the most dramatic changes is found
- 3 in plant architecture: domesticated maize is characterized by a central stalk with
- 4 few tillers and lateral branches terminating in a female inflorescence, while teosinte
- 5 is highly tillered and bears tassels (male inflorescences) at the end of its lateral
- 6 branches. The teosinte branched1 (tb1) gene, a repressor of organ growth, was
- 7 identified as a major QTL involved in domestication branching differences achieved
- 8 through higher expression of the maize allele than the teosinte allele (Doebley
- 9 et al., 1995, 1997). Further work showed that the insertion of a 4.9 kb
- 10 retrotransposon (Hopscotch) in the upstream control region of tb1 caused the
- 11 increased expression of this gene reduction in branching observed in domesticated
- 12 maize Studer et al. (2011). The effects of this insertion have been observed in tiller
- 13 number in maize, but little is known about its role, if any, in natural populations of
- 14 teosinte (Studer et al., 2011). Dating of this element has suggested that its
- 15 insertion predates the domestication of maize, leading to the hypothesis that it was
- 16 segregating as standing variation in ancient populations of teosinte and increased to
- 17 high frequency in maize due to selection during domestication (Studer et al., 2011).
- 18 Furthermore, Studer and Doebley (2012) investigated the phenotypic effects of nine
- 19 teosinte tb1 alleles in an isogenic maize background and found that the
- 20 introgressions sort into three distinct phenotypic classes, suggesting that variation
- 21 at the tb1 locus may play a functional role in teosinte.
- In high-density species such as teosinte, plants can detect impending
- 23 competition from their neighbors through detection of the ratio of red to far-red
- 24 light. An increase in far-red relative to red light accompanies shading and triggers
- 25 physiological and morphological changes such as reduced tillering, increased plant
- 26 height and early flowering collectively known as the shade avoidance syndrome

- 1 (Kebrom and Brutnell, 2007). The tb1 locus appears to play an important role in
- 2 the shade avoidance pathway in Zea mays and other grasses and may therefore be
- 3 crucial to the ecology of teosinte (Kebrom and Brutnell, 2007; Lukens and Doebley,
- 4 1999). In this study we aim to characterize the distribution of the Hopscotch
- 5 insertion in parviglumis, mexicana, and landrace maize, and to examine the
- 6 phenotypic effects of the insertion in parviglumis. We use a combination of PCR
- 7 genotyping for the *Hopscotch* element in our full panel and sequencing of two small
- 8 regions upstream of tb1 in a subset of teosinte populations to explore patterns of
- 9 genetic variation at this locus. Finally, we test for an association between the
- 10 Hopscotch element and tillering phenotypes in a population of parviglumis.

$_{11}$ Methods

12 Sampling and Genotyping

- 13 We sampled 1,110 individuals from 350 accessions (247 maize landraces, 17
- 14 mexicana populations, and 86 parviglumis populations) and assessed the presence
- 15 or absence of the *Hopscotch* insertion (Table S1, Table S2). DNA was extracted
- 16 from leaf tissue using a modified CTAB approach (Doyle and Doyle, 1990; Maloof
- 17 et al., 1984). We designed primers using PRIMER3 (Rozen and Skaletsky, 2000)
- 18 implemented in Geneious (Kearse et al., 2012) to amplify the entire Hopscotch
- 19 element, as well as an internal primer allowing us to simultaneously check for
- 20 possible PCR bias between presence and absence of the Hopscotch insertion. Two
- 21 PCRs were performed for each individual, one with primers flanking the Hopscotch
- 22 (HopF/HopR) and one with a flanking primer and an internal primer
- 23 (HopF/HopIntR). Primer sequences are HopF,

- 1 5'-TCGTTGATGCTTTGATGGATGG-3'; Hop R,
- 2 5'-AACAGTATGATTTCATGGGACCG-3'; and HopIntR,
- 3 5'-CCTCCACCTCTCATGAGATCC-3' (Figure S1, Figure S2) Primers in Figure S1 should be
- 4 labeled. Homozygotes show a single band for absence of the element (~ 300 bp) and
- 5 two bands for presence of the element (\sim 5kb and XX LV, please add the size of the second
- 6 band), whereas heterozygotes are three-banded (Figure S2). When only one PCR
- 7 resolved well, we scored one allele for the individual. We used Phusion High
- 8 Fidelity Enzyme (Finnzymes, Inc.) and the following conditions for amplifications:
- **9** 98°C for 3 min, 30 cycles of 98°C for 15 s, 65°C for 30 s, and 72°C for 3 min 30 s,
- 10 with a final extension of 72°C for 10 min. PCR products were visualized on a 1%
- 11 agarose gel and scored for presence/absence of the *Hopscotch* based on band size.

12 Sequencing

- 13 In addition to genotyping, we chose a subset of parviglumis individuals for
- 14 sequencing. We chose twelve individuals from each of four populations from Jalisco
- 15 state, Mexico (San Lorenzo, La Mesa, Ejutla A, and Ejutla B). For amplification
- 16 and sequencing, we selected two regions approximately 600bp in size from within
- 17 the 5' UTR of tb1 (sequenced region 1) and from 1,235 bp upstream of the start of
- 18 the Hopscotch and 66,169 bp upstream from the start of the tb1 ORF (sequenced
- 19 region 2). We designed the following primers using PRIMER3 (Rozen and
- 20 Skaletsky, 2000): for the 5' UTR, 5' GGATAATGTGCACCAGGTGT 3' and 5'
- 21 GCGTGCTAGAGACACYTGTTGCT 3'; for the 50 kb upstream region, 5'
- 22 TGTCCTCGCCGCAACTC 3' and 5' TGTACGCCCGCCCCTCATCA 3' (). We
- 23 used Taq Polymerase (New England Biolabs) and the following thermal cycler
- 24 conditions to amplify fragments: 94°C for 3 min, 30 cycles of 92°C for 40 s,

- 1 annealing for 1 min, 72°C for 40 s, and a final 10 min extension at 72°C. Annealing
- 2 temperatures for sequenced region 1 and sequenced region 2 were 59.7°C and
- 3 58.8°C, respectively. To clean excess primer and dNTPs we added two units of
- 4 Exonuclease 1 and 2.5 units of Antarctic Phosphatase to 8.0 μ L of amplification
- 5 product. This mix was placed on a thermal cycler with the following program:
- 6 37°C for 30 min, 80°C for 15 min, and a final cool-down step to 4°C.
- 7 We cloned cleaned fragments into a TOPO-TA vector (Invitrogen, Carlsbad)
- 8 using OneShot TOP10 chemically competent E. coli cells, with an extended
- 9 ligation time of 30 min for a complex target fragment. We plated cells on LB agar
- 10 plates containing kanamycin, and screened colonies using vector primers M13
- 11 Forward and M13 Reverse under the following conditions: 96°C for 5 min; then 35
- 12 cycles at 96°C for 30 s, 53°C for 30 s, 72°C for two min; and a final extension at
- 13 72°C for 4 min. We visualized amplification products for incorporation of our insert
- 14 on a 1% agarose TAE gel.
- Amplification products with successful incorporation of our insert were cleaned
- 16 using Exonuclease 1 and Antarctic Phosphatase following the procedures detailed
- 17 above, and sequenced with vector primers M13 Forward and M13 Reverse using
- 18 Sanger sequencing at the College of Agriculture and Environmental Sciences
- 19 (CAES) sequencing center at UC Davis. We aligned and trimmed primer sequences
- 20 from resulting sequences using the software Geneious (Kearse et al., 2012).
- 21 Following alignment, we verified singleton SNPs by sequencing an additional one to
- 22 four colonies from each clone. If the singleton was not present in these additional
- 23 sequences it was considered an amplification or cloning error, and we replaced the
- 24 base with the base of the additional sequences. If the singleton appeared in at least
- 25 one of the additional sequences we considered it a real variant and kept it for
- **26** further analyses.

1 Genotyping Analysis

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    (Goudet, 2005). These analyses only included populations in which 8 or more
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    individuals were sampled. To test the hypothesis that the Hopscotch insertion may
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    be adaptive under certain environmental conditions, we looked for significant
    associations between the Hopscotch frequency and environmental variables using
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    BayEnv (Coop et al., 2010). BayEnv creates a covariance matrix of relatedness
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    between populations, and then tests a null model that allele frequencies in
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    the alternative model that allele frequencies are determined by a combination of the
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    (Bayes Factor) (Coop et al., 2010). We used genotyping and covariance data from
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    Pyhäjärvi et al. (2013) for BayEnv, with the Hopscotch insertion coded as an
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    additional SNP (). Environmental data were obtained from www.worldclim.org,
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    the Harmonized World Soil Database and www.harvestchoice.org, and
    summarized by principle component analysis (Pyhäjärvi et al., 2013).
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1 Sequence Analysis

- 2 For population genetic analyses of sequenced region 1 and sequenced region 2 we
- 3 used the analysis package of Libsequence (Thornton, 2003) to calculate pairwise
- 4 F_{ST} between populations, and to calculate standard diversity statistics (number of
- **5** haplotypes; haplotype diversity; Watterson's estimator $\hat{\theta}_W$; pairwise nucleotide
- 6 diversity $\hat{\theta}_{\pi}$; and Tajima's D). To produce a visual representation of differentiation
- 7 between sequences and to examine patterns in sequence clustering by Hopscotch
- 8 genotype we used Phylip
- 9 (http://evolution.genetics.washington.edu/phylip.html) to create
- 10 neighbor-joining trees with bootstrapping (100 repetitions) to examine the support
- 11 of nodes in our trees. For creation of trees we also included homologous sequence
- 12 data from teosinte inbred lines (TILs), some of which are known to be homozygous
- 13 for the Hopscotch insertion (TIL03, TIL17, TIL09), as well as 59 lines of
- 14 domesticated maize and landraces (data from Maize HapMapV2, (Chia et al.,
- **15** 2012)).

16 Introgression Analysis

- 17 In order to assess patterns of linkage disequilibrium (LD) around the Hopscotch
- 18 element in the context of chromosomal patterns of LD we used Tassel (Bradbury
- 19 et al., 2007) and calculated LD between SNPs across chromosome 1 using
- 20 previously published data from twelve plants each of the Ejutla A (EjuA), Ejutla B
- 21 (EjuB), San Lorenzo (SLO), and La Mesa (MSA) populations (Pyhäjärvi et al.,
- 22 2013). We chose these populations because we had both genotyping data for the
- 23 Hopscotch as well as chromosome-wide SNP data for chromosome 1. For each
- 24 population we filtered the initial set of 5,897 SNPs on chromosome 1 to accept only

- 1 SNPs with a minor allele frequency of at least 0.1, resulting in 1,671, 3,023, 3,122,
- 2 and 2,167 SNPs for SLO, EjuB, EjuA, and MSA, respectively. We then used Tassel
- 3 (Bradbury et al., 2007) to calculate linkage disequilibrium (r^2) across chromosome
- 4 1 for each population.
- 5 We examined evidence of introgression on chromosome 1 in these same four
- 6 populations (EjuA, EjuB, MSA, SLO) using STRUCTURE (Falush et al., 2003)
- 7 and the same phased 55K SNP data from (Pyhäjärvi et al., 2013) that we used for
- 8 LD analysis, combined with the corresponding SNP data from a diverse panel of
- 9 282 maize lines (Cook et al., 2012). SNPs were anchored in a modified version of
- 10 the IBM genetic map ((Gerke et al., 2013), http://arxiv.org/abs/1307.7313).
- 11 We created haplotype blocks using a custom Perl script that grouped SNPs
- 12 separated by less than 5kb into haplotypes. We ran STRUCTURE at K=2 under
- 13 the linkage model, performing 3 replicates with an MCMC burn-in of 10,000 steps
- 14 and 50,000 steps post burn-in. i'd like this perl script on github, maybe in this repo or as a gist. also
- 15 structure input file too. all the stuff we'd need to redo this. See above note..not all of this or the BayEnv was
- 16 script'ified sure, even command line info should be included where possible. idea is to maximize reproducibility -
- 17 either other people or subsequent students. for example, matt has a student who wants to work on tb1 in natural
- 18 pops, and she might want to try/redo some of these analyses with the same or new data. okay so I should just
- 19 put my command line stuff with good commenting as to what is what in repository?

20 Phenotyping of Zea mays. ssp. parviglumis

- 21 To investigate the phenotypic effects of the *Hopscotch* insertion in teosinte, we
- 22 conducted an initial phenotyping trial (Phenotyping 1). We germinated 250 seeds
- 23 of parviglumis collected in Jalisco state, Mexico (population San Lorenzo) (Hufford,
- 24 2010) where the Hopscotch is segregating at highest frequency (0.44) in our initial

- 1 genotyping sample set. In order to maximize the likelihood of finding the
- 2 Hopscotch in our association population we selected seeds from sites where
- 3 genotyped individuals were homozygous or heterozygous for the insertion. We
- 4 chose between 10-13 seeds from each of 23 sampling sites. We treated seeds with
- 5 fungicide and germinated them in petri dishes with filter paper. Following
- 6 germination, 206 successful germinations were then planted into one gallon size
- 7 pots with potting soil and randomly spaced one foot apart on greenhouse benches.
- 8 Plants were watered three times a day with an automatic drip containing 10-20-10
- 9 fertilizer. it ended up being a combination of drip and hand watering because they dried out so much and did
- 10 better when they had water on the leaves as well as in the soil
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- 17 genotyped individuals were homozygous or heterozygous for the insertion. We
- 18 chose between 10-13 seeds from each of 23 sampling sites. We treated seeds with
- 19 fungicide and germinated them in petri dishes with filter paper. Successful
- 20 germinations (206 individuals) were then planted into one gallon size pots with
- 21 potting soil and randomly spaced one foot apart on greenhouse benches. Plants
- 22 were watered three times a day.
- 23 Starting on day 15, we measured tillering index, the ratio of the sum of tiller
- 24 lengths to the height of the plant (Briggs et al., 2007). Tillering index has been
- 25 shown to be the most effective way to observe the phenotypic effects of the
- 26 Hopscotch insertion on plant architecture in maize (Clark et al., 2006). Following

- 1 initial measurements, we phenotyped plants for tillering index every 5 days through
- 2 day 40, and then on day 50 and day 60. On day 65 we measured culm diameter
- 3 between the third and fourth nodes of each plant. Culm diameter is not believed to
- 4 be correlated with tillering index, or variation at tb1 (e.g. Hopscotch genotype).
- 5 Following phenotyping we extracted DNA from all plants using a modified SDS
- 6 extraction protocol (http://www.ars.usda.gov). We genotyped individuals for the
- 7 Hopscotch insertion following the protocols listed above. Based on these initial
- 8 data, we conducted a post hoc power analysis using data from day 40 of
- 9 phenotyping 1, indicating that a minimum of 71 individuals in each genotype class
- 10 are needed to detect the observed effect of the Hopscotch on tillering index. do you
- 11 still have these posthoc calculations? I believe I do, otherwise they are likely in a lab meeting slide on Dropbox -
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- 13 do things in case, for example, we decide to give the greenhouse experiment a 3rd try (yes, i'm a masochist) I
- 14 would do it a 3rd time, I'm convinced something went wrong....third time with expression analyses:)
- We performed a second phenotyping experiment (phenotyping 2) in which we
- 16 germinated 372 seeds of parviglumis, choosing equally between sites previously
- 17 determined to have or not have the *Hopscotch* insertion. Seeds were germinated
- 18 and planted on day 7 post fruit-case removal into 2 gallon pots. Plants were
- 19 watered twice daily, alternating between fertilized and non-fertilized water. We
- 20 began phenotyping successful germinations (302) for tillering index on day 15 post
- 21 fruit case removal, and phenotyped every five days until day 50. At day 50 we
- 22 measured culm diameter between the third and fourth nodes. We extracted DNA
- 23 and genotyped plants following the same guidelines as in phenotyping 1.
- 24 Resulting tillering index data for each genotype class did not meet the criteria
- 25 for a repeated measures ANOVA, so we transformed the data using a Box-Cox
- **26** transformation ($\alpha = 0$) implemented in the car package in R (Fox and Weisberg,

- 1 2011) to improve the normality and homogeneity of variance among genotype
- 2 classes. We analyzed relationships between genotype and tillering index and tiller
- 3 number using a repeated measures ANOVA through a general linear model
- 4 function implemented in SAS v.9.3 (SAS Institute Inc., Cary, NC, USA).
- 5 Additionally, in order to compare any association between *Hopscotch* genotype and
- 6 tillering and associations at other presumably unrelated traits, we performed an
- 7 ANOVA between culm diameter and genotype using the same general linear model
- 8 in SAS. please add SAS scripts/code to a gist or something.

9 Results

10 Genotyping

- 11 Genotype of the *Hopscotch* insertion was confirmed with two PCRs for 837
- 12 individuals. Among the 247 maize landrace accessions genotyped, all but 8 were
- 13 homozygous for the presence of the insertion (??, ??). please fix table/figure references to say
- 14 table/figure Within our parviglumis and mexicana samples we found the Hopscotch
- 15 insertion segregating in 37 and 4 populations this is confusing as the map shows j37 populations.
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- 17 are using for each result, respectively, and at highest frequency in the states of Jalisco,
- 18 Colima, and Michoacán in central-western Mexico in both subspecies (1) the map only
- 19 shows parviglumis, can we add mexicana? the text makes it seem as if both should be on the map. We
- 20 examined Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium in a total of 14 populations (10 parviglumis
- 21 and 4 mexicana) with more than 8 individuals sampled per population. Three
- 22 populations (RIMPA0073, RIMPA0093, and RIMPA0158) show evidence of
- 23 deviations from expected genotype frequencies under the assumptions of HWE

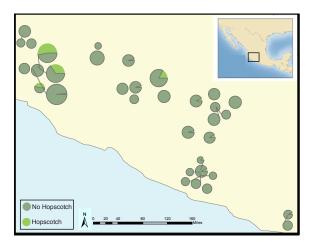


Figure 1: Map showing the frequency of the *Hopscotch* allele in populations of *Zea mays* ssp. *parviglumis* where we sampled more than 6 individuals. Size of circles reflects number of alleles sampled.

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- 5 Using our *Hopscotch* genotyping data, we calculated differentiation between
- 6 populations (F_{ST}) and subspecies (F_{CT}) for populations in which we sampled 8 or
- 7 more alleles. F_{CT} is 0 within our dataset, and we found similar levels of F_{ST} among
- 8 populations within each subspecies (0.22) is this an average? this comes from libsequence? and
- $\mathbf{9}$ among all populations (0.23), to those reported in genome-wide estimates from
- 10 previous studies Pyhäjärvi et al. (2013) (1).
- 11 Although we found large variation in *Hopscotch* allele frequency among our
- 12 populations, BayEnv analysis did not indicate a correlation between the Hopscotch
- 13 insertion and environmental variables (all Bayes Factors < 1;).

Table 1: Pairwise F_{CT} values from sequence and *Hopscotch* genotyping data

Comparison	Seq. Region 2	Seq. Region 1	Hopscotch
EjuA & EJuB	0	0	0
EjuA & MSA	0.328	0.326	0.186
EjuA & SLO	0.258	0.416	0.28
EjuB & MSA	0.365	0.397	0.188
EjuB & SLO	0.29	0.512	0.28
MSA & SLO	0	0.007	0.016

1 Sequencing

- 2 To investigate patterns of sequence diversity and linkage disequilibrium (LD) in the
- 3 tb1 region, we sequenced two small (<1kb) regions upstream of the tb1 ORF in
- 4 four populations. After alignment and singleton checking we recovered 40 and 48
- 5 segregating sites for the 50kb upstream region and the 5' UTR region, respectively.
- 6 For region 1, Ejutla A has the highest values of haplotype diversity, and θ_{π} , while
- 7 Ejutla B and La Mesa have comparable values of these summary statistics, and San
- 8 Lorenzo has much lower values. Additionally, Tajima's D is strongly negative in the
- 9 two Ejutla populations and La Mesa, but is more positive in San Lorenzo (2). can
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- For region 2, haplotype diversity, θ_W , and θ_{π} , are similar for Ejutla A and
- 15 Ejutla B, while La Mesa and San Lorenzo have slightly lower values for these
- 16 statistics (2). Tajima's D is positive in all populations except San Lorenzo,

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Population	# Haplotypes	Hap. Diversity	$\hat{\theta}_W$	$\hat{ heta}_{\pi}$	Tajima's D		
	Seq.	region 2 (50kb u	pstream)				
EJUA	8	0.89394	0.01548	0.01763	0.6231		
EJUB	8	0.89394	0.01493	0.01591	0.29504		
MSA	3	0.68182	0.01111	0.01055	-0.22212		
SLO	4	0.74242	0.01167	0.01413	0.93185		
	S	Teq. region 1(5? l	UTR)				
EJUA	8	0.85897	0.00874	0.00527	-1.64955		
EJUB	5	0.70909	0.00663	0.00378	-1.83123		
MSA	6	0.68182	0.00646	0.00373	-1.75506		
SLO	3	0.31818	0.00176	0.00137	-0.72873		

- 1 indicating an excess of low frequency variants in this population (2). Pairwise
- 2 values of F_{ST} within population pairs Ejutla A/Ejutla B and San Lorenzo/La Mesa
- **3** are 0 for both sequenced regions as well as for the *Hopscotch*, while they are high
- 4 for other population pairs (1). Neighbor joining trees of our sequence data and
- 5 data from the teosinte inbred lines (TILs; data from Maize HapMapV2, (Chia
- 6 et al., 2012)) do not reveal any clear clustering pattern with respect to population
- 7 or Hopscotch genotype (??); individuals within our sample that have the Hopscotch
- 8 insertion do not group with the teosinte inbred lines or the lines of domesticated
- **9** maize that have the *Hopscotch* insertion.

1 Evidence of introgression

- 2 The teosinte populations which? with the highest frequency of the Hopscotch
- 3 insertion in this study were sympatric with cultivated maize. Our initial hypothesis
- 4 was that the high frequency of the *Hopscotch* element in these populations could be
- 5 attributed to introgression from maize into teosinte. To investigate this possibility
- 6 we examined overall patterns of linkage disequilibrium across chromosome one, and
- 7 specifically in the tb1 region. If the Hopscotch is found in these populations due to
- 8 recent introgression we would expect to find large blocks of linked markers near this
- 9 element. We find no evidence of elevated linkage disequilibrium between the
- 10 Hopscotch and SNPs surrounding the tb1 region in our resequenced populations
- 11 (2), and r^2 in the tb1 region does not differ significantly between populations with
- 12 (average r^2 of 0.085) and without the Hopscotch genotype (average $r^2 = 0.082$). In
- 13 fact, average r^2 is lower in the tb1 region ($r^2 = 0.056$) than across the rest of
- 14 chromosome 1 ($r^2 = 0.083$) (3). table is too wide, need to round numbers, and column headers are
- 15 messed up.
- 16 The lack of clustering of *Hopscotch* genotypes in our NJ tree as well as the lack
- 17 of LD around tb1 does not support the hypothesis that the Hopscotch insertion in
- 18 these populations of parviglumis is the result of recent introgression. However, to
- 19 further explore this hypothesis we performed a STRUCTURE analysis using
- 20 Illumina MaizeSNP50 data from four of our parviglumis populations (EjuA, EjuB,
- 21 MSA, and SLO) and the maize 282 diversity panel (Cook et al., 2012; Pyhäjärvi
- 22 et al., 2013). The linkage model implemented in STRUCTURE can be used to
- 23 identify ancestry of blocks of linked variants, which would arise as a result of recent
- 24 admixture between populations. If the *Hopscotch* insertion is present in
- 25 populations of parviglumis as a result of recent admixture with domesticated maize,

Table 3: r^2 values between SNPs in the tb1 region (positions 264,596,664-265,891,456 on chromosome 1 of the maize AGPv2 genome) and the rest of chromosome 1, within the 5' UTR (Sequenced region 1), and within the 66,169 bp upstream region (Sequenced region 2).

Population	Chromosome 1	tb1 region	Seq. region 1	Seq. region 1
Ejutla A	0.095426101	0.050304	0.747295	0.214933
Ejutla B	0.068681837	0.051295	0.660354	0.186395
La Mesa	0.069500533	0.053306	0.914286	0.766234
San Lorenzo	0.100536784	0.067251	0.912281	0.636364

- 1 we would expect the insertion and linked variants in surrounding sites to be
- 2 assigned to the "maize" cluster in our STRUCTURE runs, not the "teosinte"
- 3 cluster. In all runs, assignment to maize in the tb1 region across all four
- 4 parviglumis populations is low (average 0.017) is this really 0.017 or 0.17? Yes really 0.017
- ${f 5}$ assignment to maize in the tb1 region, and avg assignment across chr1 is 0.2 $\,$ I also have a table of assignment
- 6 values for SLO individuals based on genotype. Though we had decided this wasn't super informative because sample
- 7 size was low and much below the chromosome-wide average (0.20; 3).
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10 Phenotyping

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- 12 To assess the contribution of tb1 to phenotypic variation in tillering in a natural
- 13 population, we grew plants from seed sampled from the San Lorenzo population of

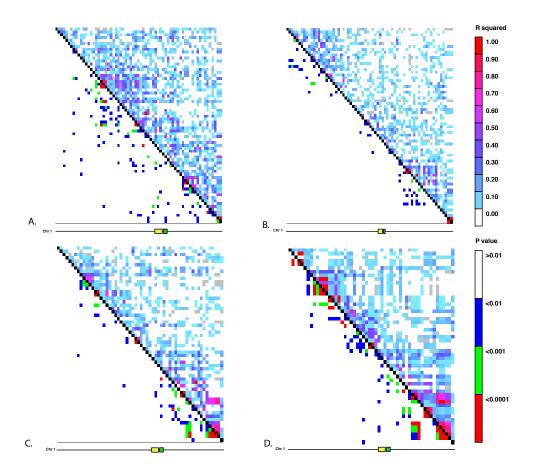


Figure 2: Linkage disequilibrium for SNPs in Mb 261-268 on chromosome 1. The yellow rectangle indicates the location of the *Hopscotch* insertion and the green represents the *tb1* ORF. A) Ejutla A; B) Ejutla B; C) La Mesa; D). San Lorenzo

- 1 parviglumis, which had a high mean frequency (0.44) of the Hopscotch insertion
- 2 from our initial genotyping. We measured tillering index (TI), the ratio of the sum
- 3 of tiller lengths to plant height, for 216 plants from within the San Lorenzo
- 4 population, and genotyped plants for the *Hopscotch* insertion. We found the
- 5 Hopscotch segregating at a frequency of 0.65 with no significant deviations from

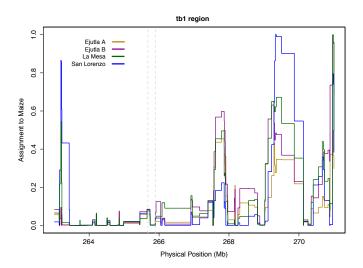


Figure 3: STRUCTURE assignment to maize across a section of chromosome 1. The dotted lines mark the beginning of the sequenced region 50kb upstream (Sequenced region 2) and the end of the *tb1* ORF.

- 1 expected frequencies under Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium. After performing a
- 2 repeated measures ANOVA between our transformed tillering index data and
- 3 Hopscotch genotype we find a weak positive correlation between presence of the
- 4 Hopscotch and tillering index on day 40 (p=0.0848), but no correlation between
- 5 tillering index and genotype on any other day (4). Additionally we find no
- 6 significant correlation between tiller number and Hopscotch genotype, or culm
- 7 diameter and Hopscotch genotype in phenotyping 1. shouldn't we expect a negative correlation
- 8 betweeh Hop and TI on day 40? need to have an A and B in the figure and explain one is for pheno1 and one is
- 9 for pheno2. please explain whiskers and dots on figure too. sure, I mean, presumably we would expect things with
- 10 Hop to have a smaller TI yup, but we should mention that the expectation is negative/
- 11 lots of white space in fig 4 and fig. s1 too. We performed a second grow-out of teosinte to

- 1 assess whether lighting conditions or sample size may have affected our ability to
- 2 detect and effect of tb1. For the second grow-out we measured tillering index every
- 3 five days through day 50 for 302 plants. We found the Hopscotch allele segregating
- 4 at a frequency of 0.69, is it in HWE in this pop? with a 0.6 frequency of Hopscotch
- 5 homozygotes, and a 0.2 frequency of both heterozygotes and homozygotes for the
- 6 teosinte allele. We found similar patterns, with a weak positive correlation between
- 7 tillering index and *Hopscotch* genotype at day 40 (p;0.0611), with no significant
- 8 correlation on any day. Similarly, relationships between *Hopscotch* genotype and
- 9 tiller number, and *Hopscotch* genotype and culm diameter are not significant.

10 Discussion

- 11 Adaptation occurs either due to selection on standing variation or on de novo
- 12 mutations. Adaptation as a result of selection on standing variation has been
- 13 well-described in a number of systems, for example, selection for lactose tolerance
- 14 in humans (Plantinga et al., 2012; Tishkoff et al., 2007); variation at the Eda locus
- 15 in three-spined stickleback (Kitano et al., 2008; Colosimo et al., 2005); and pupal
- 16 diapause in the Apple Maggot fly (Feder et al., 2003). Although the role of
- 17 standing variation with respect to adaptation has been described in many systems,
- 18 its importance to domestication is not as well studied.
- 19 In maize, alleles at important domestication loci (RAMOSA1, (?); barren
- 20 stalk1, (Gallavotti et al., 2004); and grassy tillers1, (Whipple et al., 2011)) have
- 21 been shown to have been selected from standing variation, suggesting that diversity
- 22 already present in teosinte may have played an important role in the domestication
- 23 of maize. The teosinte branched1 gene has long been a central focus of research
- 24 concerning maize domestication, and, while previous studies have suggested that

- 1 differences in plant architecture between domesticated maize and teosinte are a
- 2 result of selection on standing variation, little is known about variation at this locus
- 3 in teosinte (Clark et al., 2006; Studer et al., 2011). Studer et al. (2011) genotyped
- 4 90 accessions of teosinte (inbred and outbred), providing the first evidence that the
- **5** Hopscotch insertion is segregating in teosinte (Studer et al., 2011).
- 6 Given that the *Hopscotch* insertion has been estimated to predate the
- 7 domestication of maize, it is not surprising that it can be found segregating in
- 8 populations of teosinte. However, in sampling numerous individuals from many
- 9 teosinte populations our study provides greater insight into the distribution and
- 10 prevalence of the *Hopscotch* in teosinte. While our findings are consistent with a
- 11 previous study by Studer et al. (2011) in that we identified the *Hopscotch* allele
- 12 segregating in teosinte, we find it at higher frequency than previously suggested
- 13 (Studer et al., 2011). Many of our populations with high frequency of the
- 14 Hopscotch allele fall in the Jalisco cluster identified by Fukunaga (????), possibly
- 15 suggesting a different history of the tb1 locus than in the Balsas region where maize
- 16 was domesticated (Matsuoka et al., 2002). While gene flow from crops into their
- 17 wild relatives is well-known, ((Ellstrand et al., 1999; Zhang et al., 2009; Thurber
- 18 et al., 2010; Baack et al., 2008; Hubner et al., 2012; Wilkes, 1977; van Heerwaarden
- 19 et al., 2011; Barrett, 1983)), our results are more consistent with Hufford et al.
- 20 (2013) who found resistance to introgression from maize into teosinte (Hufford
- 21 et al., 2013). Furthermore, Hufford et al. (2013) showed that domestication loci,
- 22 such as tb1, are particularly resistant to introgression in both directions of gene
- 23 flow (i.e., maize to teosinte and teosinte to maize) (Hufford et al., 2013).
- We find no evidence of recent introgression in our analyses. Clustering patterns
- 25 in our NJ trees do not reflect a pattern expected if maize alleles at the tb1 locus
- 26 had introgressed into populations of teosinte. Moreover, analysis of linkage in the

- 1 tb1 region does not reveal patterns of high LD relative to the rest of chromosome 1,
- 2 and assignment to maize in this region in our STRUCTURE analysis is lower than
- 3 the average across chromosome 1 (3, 4). Together, these data point to an
- 4 explanation other than recent introgression for the high observed frequency of
- 5 Hopscotch in some of our parviglumis populations.

Table 4: Assignments to maize and teosinte in the tb1 and chromosome 1 regions from STRUCTURE

	tb1	region	Chr 1			
Population Maize assignment		Teosinte assignment	Maize assignment	Teosinte assignment		
Ejutla A	0.02158681	0.9784132	0.2026814	0.7973186		
Ejutla B	0.01888194	0.9811181	0.1872131	0.8127869		
La Mesa	0.0118675	0.9881333	0.8068998	0.1931017		
San Lorenzo	0.01551389	0.9844861	0.2048252	0.7951748		

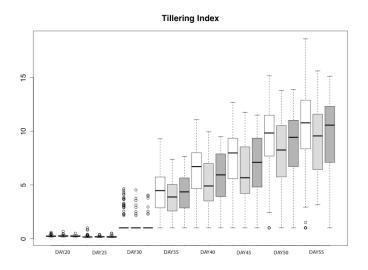
- 6 Although recent introgression seems unlikely, we cannot rule out ancient
- 7 introgression as an explanation for the presence of the *Hopscotch* in these
- 8 populations. If the *Hopscotch* allele was introgressed in the distant past, they could
- 9 have been sufficient recombination to break up any initial LD, leading to
- 10 observations similar to those obtained here. We find this scenario less plausible,
- 11 however, as there is no reason why gene flow should have been high in the past but
- 12 absent in present-day sympatric populations. In fact, early generation
- 13 maize-teosinte hybrids are easy to find in these populations today (MB Hufford,
- 14 pers. observation), and genetic data support ongoing gene flow between
- 15 domesticated maize and both Zea mays ssp. mexicana and Zea mays ssp.
- 16 parviglumis in a number of sympatric populations (Hufford et al., 2013; Ellstrand
- 17 et al., 2007; ?).

- 1 Other explanation for differential frequencies of the *Hopscotch* among teosinte
- 2 populations include both drift and natural selection. Previous studies using both
- 3 SSRs and genome-wide SNP data have found evidence for a population bottleneck
- 4 in the San Lorenzo population (Hufford, 2010; Pyhäjärvi et al., 2013), and the
- 5 lower levels of sequence diversity in the 5' UTR region and the more positive values
- 6 of Tajima's D we present here are consistent with these findings. deviations from HWE
- 7 may be consistent too if we see excess of homozygotes. do we? . This bottleneck, however, does not
- 8 explain differences in *Hopscotch* allele frequency among populations, and the
- 9 available information on diversity and population structure among these
- 10 populations (Hufford, 2010; Pyhäjärvi et al., 2013) is not suggestive of colonization
- 11 or other demographic events that might predict a high frequency of the allele in
- 12 multiple populations. here we need a few sentences on selection. the 5' UTR has much more negative D
- 13 than the upstream. do we know the Hop genotype for sequenced lines? can we separate the sequences into hop/no
- 14 hop and look for differences? it wasn't until we did this that gt1 stuff really popped out. we should know for some
- 15 of them, i will check
- The phenotypic effects of the *Hopscotch* insertion in domesticated maize have
- 17 been well documented (Clark et al., 2006; Studer et al., 2011), and Weber et al.
- 18 (2007) have described its effects in partially inbred lines of teosinte (Weber et al.,
- 19 2007) i don't think these were inbred.please doublecheck. . Our study is the first to explicitly
- 20 examine the phenotypic effects of the *Hopscotch* insertion in individuals sampled
- 21 from a natural population of teosinte. isn't this what weber did?? for 70+ populations!?
- 22 However, we found no significant effect of the *Hopscotch* on tillering index or tiller
- 23 number in our phenotyping experiments, and the effect of the *Hopscotch* insertion
- 24 in teosinte is discordant with that of maize. The lack of correlation between
- 25 Hopscotch genotype and tillering index or tiller number is surprising given its
- 26 effects in maize. It is certainly possible that even though previous data

- 1 demonstrate an effect of the *Hopscotch* on tillering in maize (Studer et al., 2011),
- 2 that the effect of the Hopscotch in teosinte is more complicated and may be more
- **3** difficult to observe. Moreover, tb1 is a single gene in a complex pathway that
- 4 affects branching and tillering traits, and perhaps in combination with alleles at
- 5 other loci the phenotypic effects of the Hopscotch on tillering may not be
- 6 consistent. this section still needs work, i think we have to do more here, weber shows an association between
- 7 SNPs in tb1 and branch length. we need to discuss that!
- 8 MBH todo Variation at tb1 has also been shown to contribute to phenotypes
- 9 other than tillering (Clark et al., 2006), and a recent study by Studer and Doebley
- 10 (2012) examined the possibility of an allelic series at the tb1 locus in teosinte.
- 11 Studer and Doebley (2012) introgressed 9 separate teosinte segments (one from Zea
- 12 diploperennis, and four from both Zea mays ssp. mexicana and Zea mays ssp.
- 13 parviglumis) spanning the tb1 locus into an isogenic maize background and
- 14 investigated their effects on previously associated phenotypes. They found that
- 15 plants with teosinte chromosomal segments had greater tillering than their maize
- 16 isogenic lines, and that different chromosomal segments of tb1 confer different
- 17 amounts of tillering, suggesting that there are multiple genetic factors in this region
- 18 that affect tillering. However, in addition to elucidating variance in tillering among
- 19 tb1 teosinte segments, Studer and Doebley (2012) found significant variance among
- 20 W22 control lines, suggesting that there are other genetic factors aside from alleles
- 21 at the tb1 locus that affect tillering in maize. Doebley and Stec (1991, 1993) first
- 22 attempted to map QTL controlling many of the phenotypic differences between
- 23 domesticated maize and teosinte, and demonstrated the existence of numerous
- 24 QTL that contribute to the differences in branching architecture between the two.
- 25 Many of these loci (grassy tillers, gt1; tassel-replaces-upper-ears1, tru1; terminal
- 26 ear1, ter1) have been shown to interact with tb1 (Whipple et al., 2011; Li, 2012),

- 1 and both tru1 and ter1 have been shown to affect the same phenotypic traits as tb1
- 2 (Doebley et al., 1995). tassel-replaces-upper-ears1 (tru1), for example, has been
- 3 shown to act either epistatically or downstream of tb1, affecting both branching
- 4 architecture (decreased apical dominance) and tassel phenotypes (shortened tassel
- 5 and shank length and reduced tassel number) (Li, 2012). It seems plausible that
- 6 variation in some of these other loci could have affected tillering in our greenhouse
- 7 population, and contributed to the lack of correlation we see between Hopscotch
- 8 genotype and tillering.
- 9 In summary, our findings demonstrate that the *Hopscotch* allele is more
- 10 widespread in populations of parviglumis and mexicana than previously thought.
- 11 Analysis of linkage using SNPs from across chromosome 1 does not suggest that the
- 12 Hopscotch allele is present in these populations due to recent introgression;
- 13 however, it seems unlikely that it would have drifted to high frequency in multiple
- 14 populations and there may be another explanation for the high frequency we
- 15 observe in some of our populations. The *Hopscotch* does not appear to have a
- 16 strong effect reducing tillering in teosinte as it does in maize, and other loci
- 17 involved in branching architecture may play also play roles in the regulation of
- 18 tillering in teosinte. Finally, although we see no clear evidence of recent strong
- 19 selection, the high frequency of the *Hopscotch* insertion in a number of populations
- 20 continues to suggest to us that it plays an ecological role in teosinte. In the future,
- 21 additional experiments will be needed to examine expression levels of tb1 and
- 22 additional loci involved in branching architecture (e.g. qt1, tru1, and ter1) in
- 23 conjunction with a more exhaustive phenotyping and genotyping assay. why not Phyb
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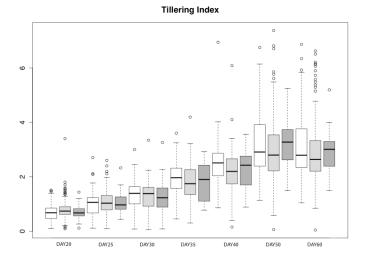


Figure 4: Box-plot showing tillering indexin our greenhouse population from day 20-60. White indicates individuals homozygous for the *Hopscotch*, light grey represents heterozygotes, and dark grey represents homozygotes for the teosinte (No *Hopscotch*) allele. Within boxes, dark black lines represent the median, and the edges of the boxes are the first and third quartiles.

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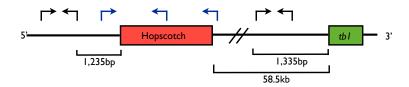
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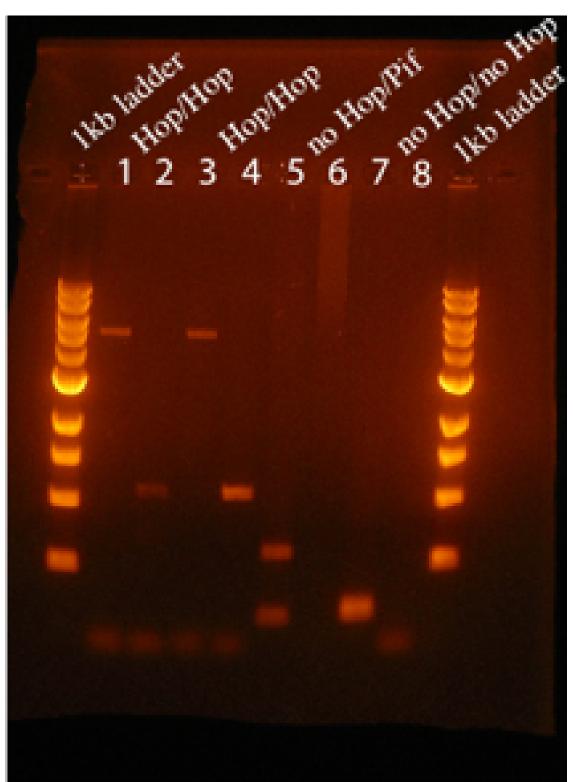
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Ној	Number alleles sampled	Locality	USDA Accession ID	Accession
	2	N/A	N/A	RIHY0009
	2	Durango, Mexico	566673	RIMME0006
	2	Guanajuato, Mexico	566680	RIMME0007
	2	Michoacan, Mexico	566681	RIMME0008
	2	Distrito Federal, Mexico	566682	RIMME0009
	2	Mexico, Mexico	566685	RIMME0011
	6	Breeders line; Puga: 11066	714151	RIMME0014
	8	Ayotlan, Mexico	699874	RIMME0017
	69	El Porvenir, Mexico	N/A	RIMME0021
	42	Opopeo, Mexico	N/A	RIMME0026
	28	Puruandiro, Mexico	N/A	RIMME0028
	35	Ixtlan, Mexico	N/A	RIMME0029
	27	San Pedro, Mexico	N/A	RIMME0030
	25	Tenango del Aire, Mexico	N/A	RIMME0031
	24	Nabogame, Mexico	N/A	RIMME0032
	25	Puerta Encantada, Mexico	N/A	RIMME0033
	23	Santa Clara, Mexico	N/A	RIMME0034
	25	Xochimilco, Mexico	N/A	RIMME0035
	4	El Salado, Mexico	87168	RIMPA0001
	8	Mazatlan, Mexico	87171	RIMPA0003
	4	N/A	87200	RIMPA0017
	2	El Salado, Mexico	87213	RIMPA0019
	2	N/A	87244	RIMPA0029
	2	N/A	87249	RIMPA0031
	4	Jalisco, Mexico	87288	RIMPA0035
	4	40 Mexico, Mexico	288185	RIMPA0040
	4	Guerrero, Mexico	288187	RIMPA0042
	4	Guerrero, Mexico	288188	RIMPA0043
	4	Guerrero, Mexico	288193	RIMPA0045
	2	Breeders line	714152	RIMPA0055
	2	Breeders line	714153	RIMPA0056

Accession	Number of alleles sampled	Hopscotch Frequency
RIMMA0066	2	1
RIMMA0075	2	1
RIMMA0077	2	1
RIMMA0079	2	1
RIMMA0081	2	1
RIMMA0084	2	1
RIMMA0086	2	1
RIMMA0088	2	1
RIMMA0089	2	1
RIMMA0090	2	1
RIMMA0092	4	1
RIMMA0094	4	1
RIMMA0097	2	1
RIMMA0099	2	1
RIMMA0100	2	1
RIMMA0101	2	1
RIMMA0104	2	1
RIMMA0108	2	1
RIMMA0111	6	1
RIMMA0115	2	1
RIMMA0117	2	1
RIMMA0130	2	1
RIMMA0133	2	1
RIMMA0134	2	1
RIMMA0135	2	1
RIMMA0142	2 41	0.5
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RIMMA0146	4	1
RIMMA0149	2	1
RIMMA0152	2	1
RIMMA0153	2	1

PC1		PC2		PC3		PC4		PC5	
Var	Rot	Var	Rot	Var	Rot	Var	Rot	Var	Rot
bio1	0.146	bio4	0.244	prec7	0.287	ts_clay	0.41	bio2	0.38
tmean11	0.146	bio3	0.241	prec8	0.276	v_{mod}	0.359	sq4	0.328
tmean12	0.145	bio7	0.241	prec11	0.262	ts_sand	0.329	ts_loam	0.289
bio11	0.145	prec6	0.237	bio13	0.247	bio15	0.272	ts_sand	0.266
tmax12	0.145	sq7	0.218	prec1	0.246	prec4	0.259	sq7	0.231
tmin5	0.145	prec9	0.217	bio16	0.242	x_mod	0.244	bio18	0.213
tmean1	0.145	sq3	0.207	prec12	0.24	prec3	0.226	bio13	0.207
tmean2	0.145	prec12	0.207	bio19	0.238	sq3	0.21	prec11	0.183
tmin4	0.145	bio12	0.204	bio12	0.231	prec5	0.21	bio7	0.17
tmax1	0.145	bio19	0.196	prec2	0.222	prec7	0.19	bio16	0.163
tmean4	0.145	prec2	0.188	bio18	0.221	sq4	0.186	bio4	0.157
tmin11	0.144	prec1	0.185	sq4	0.2	bio3	0.185	bio12	0.156
tmax11	0.144	prec10	0.184	prec9	0.18	bio18	0.178	bio3	0.155
tmin12	0.144	bio16	0.183	prec10	0.171	sq7	0.132	prec6	0.154
tmin2	0.144	prec8	0.17	prec5	0.161	bio14	0.116	x_mod	0.152
tmean5	0.144	prec5	0.165	prec4	0.154	bio13	0.099	prec9	0.144
tmean10	0.144	bio14	0.158	sq3	0.147	bio16	0.095	prec8	0.143
bio6	0.144	bio13	0.151	bio2	0.143	prec8	0.09	v_{mod}	0.142
tmax2	0.144	bio17	0.149	bio17	0.129	bio7	0.077	bio15	0.136
tmean3	0.144	prec3	0.144	ts_loam	0.127	bio4	0.075	prec7	0.112
tmin1	0.143	ts_clay	0.141	v_{mod}	0.123	bio2	0.074	prec4	0.108
tmin10	0.143	bio2	0.129	prec3	0.113	prec2	0.074	bio14	0.096
Altitude	0.143	prec7	0.108	x_mod	0.111	bio19	0.068	tmax7	0.093
bio9	0.143	tmax6	0.107	bio14	0.099	prec12	0.056	tmax8	0.092
tmin3	0.143	x_mod	0.168	bio4	0.07	ts_loam	0.053	prec1	0.091
bio10	0.142	bio15	0.098	tmax3	0.067	tmax12	0.047	prec2	0.086
tmax10	0.142	ts_loam	0.088	ts_clay	0.065	bio17	0.047	tmin11	0.086
tmax3	0.142	tmean6	0.085	bio15	0.056	bio9	0.043	prec5	0.082
tmax4	0.142	tmin7	0.082	tmax2	0.055	tmax8	0.042	bio17	0.082
tmin6	0.142	bio5	0.082	tmean3	0.052	tmax1	0.041	tmin12	0.08

Ejutla A	4	0.15217	0.11902	0.76191
Ejutla B	5	0.15258	0.14877	0.07412
La Mesa	3	0.12802	0.08926	1.09209
San Lorenzo	3	0.09098	0.08926	0.04845