

# Gametic Selection, Meiotic Drive, Sex Ratio Bias, and Transitions Between Sex Determination Systems

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## Abstract

2        Sex determination systems are remarkably dynamic; many studied taxa  
display transitions of sex-determining genes between chromosomes or the  
4        evolution of entirely new sex-determining systems. Predominant theories in  
which new sex-determining systems are favoured by selection involve sex ra-  
6        tio selection or sex-specific selection (e.g., sexually antagonistic selection).  
Here, we utilize population genetic models to study the spread of novel sex-  
8        determiners when there is a period of sex-specific haploid selection. Many  
loci experience sex-specific selection on their haploid genotypes during ga-  
10        metic competition (e.g., pollen/sperm competition) or meiosis (i.e., meiotic  
drive); selective processes that typically occur in one sex or the other. In  
12        addition, haploid selection can cause the zygotic sex ratio to become biased  
because sex ratios are determined by the production and fertilization success  
14        of X- versus Y-bearing pollen/sperm. Notably, we find that the spread of new  
genetic sex determination systems is not affected by sex ratio biases that are  
16        caused by haploid selection. In addition, we find that, with haploid selection,  
transitions between male and female heterogamety (XY to ZW or ZW to XY)  
18        can occur despite breaking up favourable associations the between ancestral  
sex-determining locus and selected loci. These transitions occur because an  
20        unlinked neo-Y (neo-W) can have higher fitness in males (females), even if  
the population mean fitness is reduced. Such transitions are not possible  
22        with diploid selection alone, in which case tighter linkage increases the fit-  
ness of both males and females. Furthermore, a period of selection among  
24        haploids can favour the stable maintenance of polymorphic sex determina-  
tion systems. Thus, our models offer several new insights to be explored as  
26        information about sex determination in non-model taxa accumulates.

## Introduction

28 Animals and angiosperms exhibit extremely diverse sex determination systems (re-  
viewed in Bull 1983, Charlesworth and Mank 2010, Beukeboom and Perrin 2014,  
30 Bachtrog et al. 2014). Among species with genetic sex determination of diploid  
sexes, some taxa have heterogametic males (XY) and homogametic females (XX),  
32 including mammals and most dioecious plants (Ming et al. 2011); whereas other  
taxa have homogametic males (ZZ) and heterogametic females (ZW), including  
34 Lepidoptera and birds. Within several taxa, the chromosome that harbours the  
master sex-determining region changes. For example, transitions of the master  
36 sex-determining gene between chromosomes or the evolution of new master sex-  
determining genes have occurred in Salmonids (Li et al. 2011, Yano et al. 2012),  
38 Diptera (Vicoso and Bachtrog 2015), and *Oryzias* (Myosho et al. 2012). In ad-  
dition, many gonochoric/dioecious clades with genetic sex determination exhibit  
40 transitions between male (XY) and female (ZW) heterogamety, including lizards  
(Ezaz et al. 2009), eight of 26 teleost fish families (Mank et al. 2006), true fruit  
42 flies (Tephritids, Vicoso and Bachtrog 2015), amphibians (Hillis and Green 1990),  
the angiosperm genus *Silene* (Slancarova et al. 2013), Coleoptera and Hemiptera  
44 (Beukeboom and Perrin 2014, plate 2). Indeed, in some cases, both male and fe-  
male heterogametic sex determination systems can be found in the same species,  
46 as exhibited by some cichlid species (Ser et al. 2010) and *Rana rugosa* (Ogata  
et al. 2007). In addition, multiple transitions have occurred between genetic and  
48 environmental sex determination systems, e.g., in reptiles and fishes (Conover and  
Heins 1987, Mank et al. 2006, Pokorná and Kratochvíl 2009, Ezaz et al. 2009, Pen  
50 et al. 2010, Holleley et al. 2015).

Predominant theories in which new sex determination systems are favoured by  
52 selection involve fitness differences between sexes (e.g., sexually antagonistic se-  
lection) or sex ratio selection. van Doorn and Kirkpatrick (2007; 2010) show that  
54 new sex determination loci can be favoured if they arise in close linkage with a  
locus that experiences sexual antagonism. For example, linkage allows favourable  
56 associations to build up between a male-beneficial allele and a neo-Y chromo-

some. Such associations can favour a new master sex-determining gene on a new  
58 chromosome (van Doorn and Kirkpatrick 2007) and can also favour a transition  
between male and female heterogamety (e.g., a ZW to XY transition, van Doorn  
60 and Kirkpatrick 2010). However, any sexually-antagonistic loci that are linked to  
the ancestral sex-determination locus will develop similar, favourable associations  
62 and select against the spread of a new sex-determination system.

It has been suggested that sex ratio selection could be a particularly important  
64 force driving transitions between sex-determining systems (Beukeboom and Per-  
rin 2014, Chapter 7). The default mode of sex ratio selection is ‘Fisherian’ sex  
66 ratio selection, which favours equal investment in male and female offspring (i.e.,  
a 1:1 zygotic sex ratio when assuming that males and females are equally costly  
68 to produce, Fisher 1930, Charnov 1982). Given that the sex determination system  
can directly affect the sex ratio, we might expect Fisherian sex ratio selection to  
70 influence the spread of new sex determination systems. For example, Kozielska  
et al. (2010) consider systems in which the ancestral sex chromosomes experience  
72 meiotic drive (e.g., where driving X or Y chromosomes are inherited dispropor-  
tionately often), which causes sex ratios to become biased (Hamilton 1967). They  
74 find that new, unlinked sex-determining loci (masculinizing or feminizing muta-  
tions, i.e., neo-Y or neo-W loci) can then spread, which restore an even sex ratio.

76 We note two other ways in which sex determination has been shown to relate  
to zygotic sex ratios. Firstly, female-biased sex ratios can be favoured when there  
78 is local mate competition, where all matings are between siblings and assuming  
one male can inseminate many females (Hamilton 1967). Therefore, with local  
80 mate competition, feminizing mutations can spread because they bias the sex ratio  
towards females (Wilson and Colwell 1981, Vuilleumier et al. 2007). Secondly,  
82 environmental conditions (e.g., maternal condition, mate quality, age, or host size)  
can differentially affect the fitness of males versus females such that the optimal al-  
84 location to males/females depends on the environment (Trivers and Willard 1973,  
Charnov and Bull 1977, Charnov 1982). In such cases, flexible sex determination  
86 systems may evolve in order to allow the zygotic sex ratio to be determined in a

way that depends on the environment (Charnov and Bull 1977, Werren and Taylor  
88 1984, Pen et al. 2010). In this study, we do not consider environmental condi-  
tion dependence or local mate competition (reviewed in Charnov 1982, Bull 1983,  
90 West 2009).

Here, we use mathematical models to find the conditions under which new sex  
92 determination systems are favoured when loci experience haploid selection. Hap-  
loid genotypes at many loci experience selection during gamete competition and/or  
94 meiotic drive (Mulcahy et al. 1996, Joseph and Kirkpatrick 2004). We use the term  
'meiotic drive' to refer to the biased (non-Mendelian) segregation of genotypes  
96 during gamete production and the term 'gametic competition' to refer to selection  
upon haploid genotypes within a gamete/gametophyte pool; the term 'haploid se-  
98 lection' encompasses both processes. Meiotic drive generally occurs either during  
the production of male or female gametes only (Úbeda and Haig 2005, Lindholm  
100 et al. 2016). Because there are typically many more pollen/sperm than required  
for fertilization, gametic competition is also typically sex specific, occurring pri-  
102 marily among male gametes. Gametic competition may be particularly common  
in plants, in which 60-70% of all genes are expressed in the male gametophyte and  
104 these genes exhibit stronger signatures of selection than random genes (Borg et al.  
2009, Arunkumar et al. 2013, Gossmann et al. 2014). In addition, artificial selec-  
106 tion pressures applied to male gametophytes cause the frequency of resistant alleles  
to increase (e.g., Hormaza and Herrero 1996, Ravikumar et al. 2003, Hedhly et al.  
108 2004, Clarke et al. 2004). A much smaller proportion of genes are thought to be  
expressed and selected during competition in animal sperm, although precise esti-  
110 mates are uncertain (Zheng et al. 2001, Joseph and Kirkpatrick 2004, Vibrationovski  
et al. 2010).

112 There are various ways in which a period of haploid selection could influence  
transitions between sex determination systems. Firstly, if we assume that haploid  
114 selection at any particular locus predominantly occurs in one sex (e.g., meiotic  
drive during spermatogenesis), then such loci experience a form of sex-specific  
116 selection. In this respect, we might expect that haploid selection would affect

transitions between sex determination systems in a similar manner to sex-specific  
118 diploid selection (as explored by van Doorn and Kirkpatrick 2007; 2010). That  
is, new masculinizing mutations (neo-Y chromosomes) could be favoured via asso-  
120 ciations with alleles that are beneficial in the male haploid stage. However, sex  
ratios can also become biased by linkage between the sex-determining region and  
122 a locus that harbours genetic variation in haploid fitness. For example, there are  
several known cases of sex ratio bias caused by sex-linked meiotic drive alleles  
124 (Burt and Trivers 2006, , Chapter 3) or selection among X- and Y-bearing pollen  
(Lloyd 1974, Conn and Blum 1981, Stehlik and Barrett 2005; 2006, Field et al.  
126 2012; 2013). It is not immediately clear how the spread of new sex determination  
systems would be influenced by the combination of sex ratio biases and associa-  
128 tions between haploid selected loci and sex-determining regions.

Surprisingly, our models show that haploid selection influences the evolution  
130 of new sex determination systems in a way that is distinct from both diploid sex-  
specific selection and Fisherian sex ratio selection. We find that the spread of  
132 new sex determination systems are independent of there being a zygotic sex ratio  
bias caused by associations between sex-determining regions and haploid selected  
134 loci. In addition, we find that associations that build up between an ancestral sex-  
determining locus and a haploid-selected locus can favour sex chromosome tran-  
136 sitions between male and female heterogamety (e.g., a neo-W allele arising at a  
previously autosomal locus spreads in an ancestrally XY system), despite the fact  
138 that these ancestral associations were built up by selection. This does not occur in  
models that do not include haploid selection.

## 140 **Model**

We consider the transition between an ancestral and novel sex determination sys-  
142 tems using a three locus model. Locus **X** is the ancestral sex-determining region,  
with alleles *X* and *Y* (or *Z* and *W*). Locus **A** is a locus under selection, with al-  
144 leles *A* and *a*. Locus **M** is a novel sex-determining region, at which the null allele

( $M$ ) is initially fixed in the population such that sex of zygotes is determined by the genotype at the ancestral sex-determining region,  $\mathbf{X}$ ;  $XX$  genotypes become females and  $XY$  become males (or  $ZW$  become females and  $ZZ$  become males). To evaluate the evolution of new sex-determination systems, we consider the invasion, fixation, maintenance, and/or loss of novel sex-determining alleles ( $m$ ) at the  $\mathbf{M}$  locus. We assume that the  $\mathbf{M}$  locus is epistatically dominant over the  $\mathbf{X}$  locus such that zygotes with at least one  $m$  allele develop as females with probability  $k$  and as males with probability  $1 - k$ , regardless of the  $\mathbf{X}$  locus genotype. With  $k = 0$ , the  $m$  allele is a masculinizer (i.e., a neo-Y) and with  $k = 1$  the  $m$  allele is a feminizer (i.e., a neo-W). With intermediate  $k$ , the  $m$  allele confers environmental sex determination (ESD) such that zygotes develop as females in a proportion ( $k$ ) of the environments they experience. Finally, we also analyze a model of maternally-controlled environmental sex-determination, where mothers with at least one  $m$  allele produce daughters with probability  $k$ .

In each generation, we census the genotype frequencies in male and female gametes/gametophytes (hereafter gametes) before gametic competition. A full description of our model, including recursion equations, is given in the Appendix. First, competition occurs among male gametes (sperm/pollen competition) and among female gametes (egg/ovule competition) separately. Selection during gametic competition depends on the  $\mathbf{A}$  locus genotype, relative fitnesses are given by  $w_A^{\delta}$  and  $w_a^{\delta}$  ( $\delta \in \{\varnothing, \delta\}$ ; see table 1). We assume that all gametes compete for fertilization during gametic competition, which is not the case for monogamous mating systems where gametes from only one mating partner are present. Gametic competition in monogamous mating systems is equivalent to meiotic drive in our model, which only alters the frequency of gametes produced by heterozygotes. After gametic competition, random mating occurs between male and female gametes. The resulting zygotes develop as males or females, depending on their genotypes at the  $\mathbf{X}$  and  $\mathbf{M}$  loci (and the  $\mathbf{M}$  genotype of their mother in the case of maternal control) as described above. Diploid males and females then experience selection, relative fitnesses are given by  $w_g^{\delta}$  in males and  $w_g^{\varnothing}$  in females,

where  $g$  is the diploid genotype at the **A** locus ( $g \in \{AA, Aa, aa\}$ ). The next  
176 generation of gametes are then produced by meiosis, during which recombination  
and sex-specific meiotic drive can occur. Recombination (i.e., an odd number of  
178 cross-overs) occurs between loci **X** and **A** with probability  $r$ , between loci **A** and  
**M** with probability  $R$ , and between loci **X** and **M** with probability  $\chi$ . Therefore,  
180 any order of the loci can be modelled with appropriate choices of  $r$ ,  $R$ , and  $\chi$  (see  
Table S.1). Males/females that are heterozygous at the **A** locus experience meiotic  
182 drive;  $Aa$  heterozgotes of sex  $\varphi$  produce gametes bearing allele  $A$  with probability  
 $\alpha^\varphi$ . Thus, the **A** locus can experience sex-specific gametic competition, diploid  
184 selection and/or meiotic drive.

Table 1: Relative fitness of different genotypes in sex  $\varphi \in \{\varphi, \delta\}$

Genotype	Relative fitness during gametic competition
A	$w_A^\varphi = 1 + t^\varphi$
a	$w_a^\varphi = 1$
Genotype	Relative fitness during diploid selection
AA	$w_{AA}^\varphi = 1 + s^\varphi$
Aa	$w_{Aa}^\varphi = 1 + h^\varphi s^\varphi$
aa	$w_{aa}^\varphi = 1$
Genotype	Tranmission during meiosis in $Aa$ heterozygotes
A	$\alpha^\varphi = 1/2 + \alpha_\Delta^\varphi/2$
a	$(1 - \alpha^\varphi) = 1/2 - \alpha_\Delta^\varphi/2$

## Results

186 The only asymmetry between males and females in our model is that, under the  
ancestral sex determination system, males develop with genotype  $XY$  (or  $ZZ$ ) and  
188 females with genotype  $XX$  (or  $ZW$ ). Therefore, without loss of generality, we  
primarily present results for ancestral  $XY$  sex determination. Ancestral  $ZW$  sex



190 determination can be considered by changing the notation such that  $X$  becomes  $Z$ ,  
191  $Y$  becomes  $W$  and the labelling of male and female selection terms are reversed.

## 192 **Turnover between sex-determination systems**

The evolution of a new sex determination system requires that a rare mutant allele,  
194  $m$ , at the novel sex-determining locus increases in frequency when rare. The spread  
of a rare mutant  $m$  at the  $\mathbf{M}$  locus is determined by the leading eigenvalue,  $\lambda$ , of  
196 the system described by the next generation frequency of eggs and sperm carry-  
ing the mutation, (S.1c), (S.1d), (S.1g), (S.1h), which is an eight equation system.  
198 Dominant neo-Y (when  $k = 0$ ) or neo-W alleles (when  $k = 1$ ) are only found in  
male diploids (neo-Y) or female diploids (neo-W) such that their growth rate ulti-  
200 mately depends only on the change in frequency of  $m$ -bearing gametes produced  
by males (for a neo-Y) or by females (for a neo-W). Furthermore, if the  $m$  allele  
202 is fully dominant over the ancestral sex-determining system, phenotypes are not  
affected by the genotype at the ancestral sex-determining region ( $\mathbf{X}$  locus). Thus,  
204 the invasion of rare dominant neo-Y or neo-W alleles is determined by the largest  
eigenvalue that solves the quadratic characteristic polynomial  $\lambda^2 + b\lambda + c = 0$ . In  
206 this case  $b = -(\lambda_{mA} + \lambda_{ma})$  and  $c = \lambda_{mA}\lambda_{ma} - \rho_{mA}\rho_{ma}$ , where  $\lambda_{mi}$  is the (discrete  
time) growth rate of mutant haplotypes on background  $i \in \{A, a\}$ , accounting for  
208 loss due to recombination, and  $\rho_{mi}$  is the rate of addition of mutant haplotypes onto  
background  $i \in \{A, a\}$  due to recombination (see table 2). **check these interpre-**  
210 **tations (note the 2s in the lambdas of table 2). the  $\lambda$ s are certainly related to true**  
**growth rates because we get them by looking at the case where  $R = 0$  so that you**  
212 **only have the haplotypes growing/declining.**

Table 2: Parameters determining invasion of mutant neo-Y and neo-W alleles into an ancestrally XY system

neo-Y ( $k = 0$ )
$\lambda_{mA} = \{p_X^\varnothing w_A^\varnothing w_A^\delta w_{AA}^\delta + 2(1 - p_X^\varnothing)w_a^\varnothing w_A^\delta w_{Aa}^\delta \alpha^\delta (1 - R)\} / \{2\bar{w}_H^\varnothing \bar{w}_H^\delta \bar{w}^\delta\}$ $\lambda_{ma} = \{(1 - p_X^\varnothing)w_a^\varnothing w_a^\delta w_{aa}^\delta + 2p_X^\varnothing w_A^\varnothing w_a^\delta w_{Aa}^\delta (1 - \alpha^\delta)(1 - R)\} / \{2\bar{w}_H^\varnothing \bar{w}_H^\delta \bar{w}^\delta\}$ $\rho_{mA} = R(1 - p_X^\varnothing)w_a^\varnothing w_A^\delta w_{Aa}^\delta \alpha^\delta / \{\bar{w}_H^\varnothing \bar{w}_H^\delta \bar{w}^\delta\}$ $\rho_{ma} = R p_X^\varnothing w_A^\varnothing w_a^\delta w_{Aa}^\delta (1 - \alpha^\delta) / \{\bar{w}_H^\varnothing \bar{w}_H^\delta \bar{w}^\delta\}$
neo-W ( $k = 1$ )
$\lambda_{mA} = \{\bar{p}^\delta w_A^\delta w_A^\varnothing w_{AA}^\varnothing + 2(1 - \bar{p}^\delta)w_a^\delta w_A^\varnothing w_{Aa}^\varnothing \alpha^\varnothing (1 - R)\} / \{2\bar{w}_H^\varnothing \bar{w}_H^\delta \bar{w}^\varnothing\}$ $\lambda_{ma} = \{(1 - \bar{p}^\delta)w_a^\delta w_a^\varnothing w_{aa}^\varnothing + 2\bar{p}^\delta w_A^\delta w_a^\varnothing w_{Aa}^\varnothing (1 - \alpha^\varnothing)(1 - R)\} / \{2\bar{w}_H^\varnothing \bar{w}_H^\delta \bar{w}^\varnothing\}$ $\rho_{mA} = R(1 - \bar{p}^\delta)w_a^\delta w_A^\varnothing w_{Aa}^\varnothing \alpha^\varnothing / \{\bar{w}_H^\varnothing \bar{w}_H^\delta \bar{w}^\varnothing\}$ $\rho_{ma} = R \bar{p}^\delta w_A^\delta w_a^\varnothing w_{Aa}^\varnothing (1 - \alpha^\varnothing) / \{\bar{w}_H^\varnothing \bar{w}_H^\delta \bar{w}^\varnothing\}$

$\bar{p}^\delta = p_Y^\delta q + p_X^\delta (1 - q)$  is the average frequency of the  $A$  allele among X- and Y-bearing male gametes.

$R$  is the probability of recombination between loci  $\mathbf{A}$  and  $\mathbf{M}$ .

See Table S.2 for expressions of mean fitnesses.

Table 2 illustrates a number of key points about the invasion of neo-Y and neo-W mutations. For a neo-Y, invasion depends on the relative lifetime fitness of  $A$ -bearing and  $a$ -bearing male gametes (i.e., sperm only). The lifetime fitness of male gametes partly depends on the allele carried by the female gamete that they mate with (e.g.,  $A$  with probability  $p_X^\varnothing w_A^\varnothing / \bar{w}_H^\varnothing$ ). Similarly, invasion of a neo-W depends on the relative lifetime fitness of  $A$ -bearing and  $a$ -bearing female gametes (i.e., eggs only). However, in the case of a neo-W, the allele carried by the male gamete that they mate with can come from either an X-bearing or a Y-bearing sperm (e.g.,  $A$  with probability  $\bar{p}^\delta w_A^\delta / \bar{w}_H^\delta$ , where  $\bar{p}^\delta = p_Y^\delta q + p_X^\delta (1 - q)$ ). In either case, the zygote will then develop as a female due to the presence of a neo-W. By contrast, females that do not carry the neo-W only result from matings with X-bearing sperm (e.g., matings with  $A$ -bearing sperm that result in females occur

with probability  $(1-q)\bar{p}_X^\delta w_A^\delta / \bar{w}_H^\delta$ ). If the **A** locus is initially linked to the ancestral sex-determining locus, **X**, the frequency of the *A* allele among X- and Y-bearing sperm can differ (equation S.4). Thus, eggs with and without a neo-W differ in the frequency of *A* alleles they obtain from mating with male gametes.

We are particularly concerned with whether or not a rare neo-sex-determining allele increases in frequency, which occurs when the largest eigenvalue,  $\lambda$ , is greater than one. In the Appendix, we derive these conditions without assuming that selection is weak relative to recombination. Here, we explicitly determine the conditions under which invasion occurs by assuming that the *A* allele reaches an equilibrium frequency under the ancestral sex-determination system before the neo-sex-determination system (*m*) arises. The equilibrium frequency of *A* on different ancestral backgrounds ( $\hat{p}_Y^\delta$ ,  $\hat{p}_X^\delta$ , and  $\hat{p}_X^\varphi$ ) is given by equations (S.3) and (S.4) where we assume selection and meiotic drive are weak relative to recombination ( $s^\delta$ ,  $t^\delta$ ,  $\alpha_\Delta^\delta$  of order  $\epsilon$ ). Under weak selection, we denote the leading eigenvalue describing the invasion of a neo-Y ( $k = 0$ ) and a neo-W ( $k = 1$ ) into an ancestrally XY system by  $\lambda_{Y',XY}$  and  $\lambda_{W',XY}$ , respectively, which are given by

$$\lambda_{Y',XY} = 1 + V_A S_A^2 \frac{(r - R)}{rR} + O(\epsilon^3) \quad (1)$$

and

$$\lambda_{W',XY} = \lambda_{Y',XY} + (2\alpha_\Delta^\delta - 2\alpha_\Delta^\varphi + t^\delta - t^\varphi) (\hat{p}_Y^\delta - \hat{p}_X^\delta) / 2 + O(\epsilon^3) \quad (2)$$

where  $V_A = \bar{p}(1-\bar{p})$  is the variance in the frequency of *A* and  $S_A = (D^\delta + \alpha_\Delta^\delta + t^\delta) - (D^\varphi + \alpha_\Delta^\varphi + t^\varphi)$  is the difference in fitness in males versus females for the *A* allele against the *a* allele across diploid selection, gametic competition, and meiosis.

The neo-sex-determining allele *m* will spread if  $\lambda_{m,XY} > 1$ . Equation (1) demonstrates that a neo-Y will invade if and only if it is more closely linked to the selected locus than the ancestral sex-determining region (i.e., if  $R < r$ , note that  $V_A$  and  $S_A^2$  are strictly positive). This result echoes that of van Doorn and Kirkpatrick

(2007), who considered diploid selection only and also found that homogametic  
 252 transitions (XY to XY or ZW to ZW) can occur when the neo-sex-determining  
 locus is more closely linked to a locus under sexually-antagonistic selection.

254 Equation (2) shows that if there is no selection upon haploid genotypes ( $t^\phi =$   
 $\alpha_\Delta^\phi = 0$ ), as considered by van Doorn and Kirkpatrick (2010), the spread of a  
 256 neo-W is equivalent to the spread of a neo-Y ( $\lambda_{W',XY} = \lambda_{Y',XY}$ ) such that het-  
 erogametic transitions (XY to ZW or ZW to XY) can also occur only if the neo-  
 258 sex-determining region is more closely linked to a locus under selection ( $R < r$ ).  
 However, if there is any haploid selection, the additional term in equation (2) can  
 260 be positive, which can allow, for example, neo-W invasion ( $\lambda_{W',XY} > 1$ ) even when  
 the neo-sex-determining region is less closely linked to the selected locus ( $R > r$ ).  
 262 These transitions are unusual because, when  $R > r$ , associations that build up  
 by selection between sex and selected alleles will be weakened. Therefore, mean  
 264 fitness can decrease, see Figure 2B,D.

We find that neo-W alleles can invade an XY system for a large number of  
 266 selective regimes. To clarify the parameter space under which  $\lambda_{W',XY} > 1$ , we  
 consider several special cases. Firstly, if the **A** locus is unlinked to the ancestral  
 268 sex-determining region ( $r = 1/2$ ), a more closely linked neo-W ( $R < 1/2$ ) can  
 always invade because  $(\hat{p}_Y^\phi - \hat{p}_X^\phi) = 0$  such that the second term in equation (2)  
 270 disappears and invasion depends only on the sign of  $(r - R)$ . Indeed, invasion  
 typically occurs when the neo-W is more closely linked to the selected locus than  
 272 the ancestral sex-determining region (Figure 3). Secondly, we can simplify cases  
 where invasion occurs despite  $R > r$  using the special case where  $R = 1/2$  and  
 274  $r < 1/2$ . In table 3 we give the conditions where invasion occurs where we further  
 assume that haploid selection only occurs during one phase in one sex (e.g., during  
 276 male meiosis only) and dominance coefficients are equal in the two sexes,  $h^\phi =$   
 $h^\phi$ . Where there is no gametic competition and meiotic drive in one sex only,  
 278 an unlinked neo-W can invade as long as the same allele is favoured in male and  
 female diploid selection ( $s^\phi s^\phi > 0$ , see Figure 3B), which is 50% of the parameter  
 280 space. Where there is no meiotic drive and gametic competition occurs in one sex

only, an unlinked neo-W can invade as long as the same allele is favoured in male  
 282 and female diploid selection and there are sex differences in selection of one type  
 (e.g.,  $s^{\varphi}(s^{\sigma} - s^{\varphi}) > 0$ , see Figure 3C,D), which is 25% of the parameter space.  
 284 These special cases indicate that neo-W invasion can occur for a relatively large  
 fraction of parameter space, even if the neo-W is less tightly linked to the selected  
 286 locus,  $R > r$ .

Table 3: Invasion conditions for unlinked neo-W ( $R = 1/2$ ,  $r < 1/2$ ) into ancestral XY with one form of haploid selection

Scenario	Assumptions	neo-W spreads ( $\lambda_{W',XY} > 1$ ) if
male drive only	$h^{\sigma} = h^{\varphi}, t^{\varphi} = t^{\sigma} = \alpha_{\Delta}^{\varphi} = 0$	$s^{\varphi}s^{\sigma} > 0$
female drive only	$h^{\sigma} = h^{\varphi}, t^{\varphi} = t^{\sigma} = \alpha_{\Delta}^{\sigma} = 0$	$s^{\varphi}s^{\sigma} > 0$
sperm competition only	$h^{\sigma} = h^{\varphi}, t^{\varphi} = \alpha_{\Delta}^{\varphi} = \alpha_{\Delta}^{\sigma} = 0$	$s^{\varphi}(s^{\sigma} - s^{\varphi}) > 0$
egg competition only	$h^{\sigma} = h^{\varphi}, t^{\sigma} = \alpha_{\Delta}^{\varphi} = \alpha_{\Delta}^{\sigma} = 0$	$s^{\sigma}(s^{\varphi} - s^{\sigma}) > 0$

Previous research suggests, when the ancestral sex-determining locus is linked  
 288 to a locus that experiences haploid selection (e.g., meiotic drive), a new, unlinked  
 sex-determining locus invades in order to restore equal sex ratios (Kozielska et al.  
 290 2010). Our model provides a good opportunity to determine whether Fisherian  
 sex ratio selection provides a useful explanation for the evolution of new sex-  
 292 determining loci in other contexts. Consider, for example, the case where the **A**  
 locus is linked to the ancestral-SDR ( $r < 1/2$ ) and experiences meiotic drive in  
 294 males only (e.g., during spermatogenesis but not during oogenesis,  $\alpha^{\sigma} \neq 1/2$ ,  
 $\alpha^{\varphi} = 1/2$ ). We will also disregard gametic competition ( $t^{\varphi} = t^{\sigma} = 0$ ) such that  
 296 zygotic sex ratios can only be biased by meiotic drive in males. In this case, the  
 zygotic sex ratio can be initially biased only if the ancestral sex-determining sys-  
 298 tem is XY (Figure 1B). If the ancestral sex-determining system is ZW, the zygotic  
 sex ratio will be 1:1 because diploid sex is determined by the proportion of Z-  
 300 bearing versus W-bearing eggs (and meiosis in females is fair, Figure 1D). Thus,  
 if the zygotic sex ratio is crucial to the evolution of new genetic sex-determining  
 302 systems, invasion into ZW and XY systems will be distinct. However, we find  
 that invasion by a homogametic neo-sex-determining allele (XY to XY, or ZW to

304 ZW) or by a heterogametic neo-sex-determining allele (XY to ZW or ZW to XY)  
 occur under the same conditions. That is, we can show that  $\lambda_{Y',XY} = \lambda_{W',ZW}$  and  
 306  $\lambda_{Y',ZW} = \lambda_{W',XY}$  (at least up to order  $\epsilon^3$ ; for a numerical example, compare Figure  
 1A,B to Figure 1C,D).

308 We next consider the case where the new sex-determining mutation,  $m$ , causes  
 sex to be determined by environmental conditions (environmental sex determiner,  
 310 ESD). We assume that individuals carrying the  $m$  allele develop as females in a  
 fraction,  $k$ , of the environments they experience. The spread of these mutations is  
 312 given by

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda_{ESD',XY} = & 1 + (1 - 2k)^2 V_A S_A^2 \frac{r - R}{rR} \\ & + \frac{k(\hat{p}_Y^\delta - \hat{p}_X^\delta)}{2} (k(2\alpha_\Delta^\delta - 2\alpha_\Delta^\varnothing + t^\delta - t^\varnothing) - 4(1 - k)S_A) + O(\epsilon^3), \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

which reduces to  $\lambda_{Y',XY}$  when  $k = 0$  and  $\lambda_{W',XY}$  when  $k = 1$ .

314 Under Fisherian sex ratio selection, autosomal modifiers favour equal invest-  
 ment in male and female offspring, i.e., a 1:1 sex ratio (Fisher 1930, Charnov 1982,  
 316 West 2009). Therefore, a novel environmental sex-determiner that causes half of  
 its carriers to become female and half to become male ( $k = 1/2$ ) will be in males  
 318 half of the time and in females half of the time (like an autosome), and so should  
 be favoured by sex ratio selection. However, we find that the growth rate of a rare,  
 320 dominant offspring-controlled neo-ESD allele that produces males or females with  
 equal probability ( $k = 1/2$ ) is

$$\lambda_{ESD',XY} = 1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{(\lambda_{Y',XY} - 1) + (\lambda_{W',XY} - 1)}{2} \Big|_{R=1/2} + O(\epsilon^3), \quad (4)$$

322 We note that recombination between the selected locus and the novel sex-determining  
 locus,  $R$ , doesn't enter into the  $k = 1/2$  results because sex is essentially random-  
 324 ized each generation, preventing associations from building up between allele  $A$

and sex.

326 Equation (4) shows that invasion by a novel ‘perfect’ ESD (equal sex ratio,  
328  $k = 1/2$ ) mutation is the same for an ancestrally XY or ZW system (since  $\lambda_{Y',XY} =$   
330  $\lambda_{W',ZW}$ ,  $\lambda_{W',XY} = \lambda_{Y',ZW}$ ). Thus, by the same argument as above (if drive occurs  
332 in males only then the sex ratio is only biased when the ancestral sex-determination  
334 system is XY), Fisherian sex ratio selection does not explain invasion by an offspring-  
336 controlled neo-ESD locus. Rather, the neo-ESD gets half of the fitness of a femi-  
338 nizing mutation (neo- $W$ ) and half of the fitness of a masculinizing mutation (neo- $Y$ ),  
but only has an effect one half of the time (the other half of the time it produces  
the same sex as the ancestral system would have, to leading order). The net re-  
sult can be that perfect ESD will not invade, even if sex ratios are biased. For  
example, if there is haploid selection in males (either drive or pollen/sperm com-  
petition) but the conditions in table 3 are not met, perfect ESD will not invade,  
even though it would equalize the zygotic sex ratio from an initially biased case  
(assuming  $r < 1/2$ ).

340 Fisherian sex ratio selection is sometimes considered in terms of balancing  
parental investment in male versus female offspring (Charnov 1982). In addition,  
342 under environmental sex-determination, the proportion of males/females is some-  
times controlled by the mother, e.g., the proportion of eggs laid in warm versus  
344 cold environments could determine the sex ratio of offspring. We therefore also  
considered the invasion of a neo-sex-determining allele ( $m$ ) in a model in which  
346 mothers that have at least one  $m$  allele produce daughters with probability  $k$ . As  
with offspring-controlled ESD, for all  $k \in \{0, 1/2, 1\}$ , we find that invasion into  
348 an ancestrally XY system is the same as invasion into an ancestrally ZW system (at  
least up to order  $\epsilon^3$ ), implying transitions between genetic sex determination and  
350 maternally controlled environmental sex determination are not driven by Fisherian  
sex ratio selection on biased zygotic sex ratios.

## 352 Discussion

One might expect Fisherian sex ratio selection to influence the spread of new sex-  
354 determining systems in our models because linkage between haploid selected loci  
and sex-determining regions causes biased zygotic sex ratios (Hamilton 1967, Burt  
356 and Trivers 2006, Field et al. 2012; 2013). Fisherian sex ratio selection follows  
from the fact that, for an autosomal locus, half of the genetic material is inherited  
358 from a male, and half from a female (Fisher 1930, West 2009). Thus, if the popu-  
lation sex ratio is biased towards females, the average per-individual contribution  
360 of genetic material to the next generation from males is greater than the contribu-  
tion from females (and vice versa for male-biased sex ratios). Therefore, a mutant  
362 that increases investment in males will spread via the higher per-individual con-  
tributions made by males. An implicit assumption of Fisherian sex ratio selection  
364 is that the mutant allele is autosomal and has the same inheritance pattern as the  
non-mutant allele. The mutations we consider here, neo-sex-determining alleles,  
366 break this assumption. For example, the success of neo-Y/neo-W mutations de-  
pends only on the number of alleles contributed by males/females (Table 2). In  
368 this respect, a neo-W is similar to a cytoplasmic element, which also do not expe-  
rience selection to balance sex ratios (Frank 1989, Werren and Beukeboom 1998,  
370 Chase 2007). Even mutants that are equally likely to be found in males or fe-  
males, such as an environmental sex determination mutation (equation 4), are not  
372 strictly autosomal if they determine sex. Thus, despite the fact that sex ratio biases  
caused by gametic competition or meiotic drive have been shown to exert Fishe-  
374 rian sex ratio selection on various autosomal modifiers (Stalker 1961, Smith 1975,  
Frank 1989, Hough et al. 2013, Úbeda et al. 2015, Otto et al. 2015), we do not  
376 find evidence of Fisherian sex ratio selection acting during invasion by neo-sex-  
determination systems (e.g., see Figure 1 and Úbeda et al. 2015, in which a neo-Y  
378 invades despite biasing sex ratios).

It has previously been demonstrated that new sex-determining systems can  
380 evolve if there is genetic variation maintained by sexually-antagonistic selection  
(van Doorn and Kirkpatrick 2007; 2010). In particular, transitions to new sex-



determining systems can occur when new sex-determining regions are more closely linked to a sexually-antagonistic locus. Our results show that genetic variation at loci that experience haploid selection can also generate selection in favour of new sex-determining systems. New sex-determining alleles are again favoured if they are more closely linked with a locus under haploid selection. However, with haploid selection, heterogametic transitions (XY to ZW or ZW to XY) can also occur when the new sex-determining region is less closely linked to the locus under selection.

Neo-W (neo-Y) alleles invade when their fitness in females (males) is greater than the mean fitness of females (males) under the ancestral sex determination system. With sexually antagonistic selection (between diploid sexes) only, linkage between a selected locus and the sex-determining region strengthens associations between male beneficial alleles and the male-determining allele (Y or Z) and between female beneficial alleles and the female-determining allele (X or W). Thus, the mean fitness of both males and females increases with closer linkage to the sex-determining region. Therefore, new sex-determining alleles only invade if they are more closely linked than the ancestral sex-determining region. However, if there is haploid selection on loci linked to an XY (ZW) sex-determining region, selection can maintain polymorphisms at which the mean fitness of females (males) or males is lower than it would be without sex-linkage. In these cases, unlinked neo-W (neo-Y) alleles can invade, see figure 2.

We assume that sex-determining alleles do not experience direct selection except via their associations with sex and alleles at a selected locus. However, in some cases, there may be significant degeneration around the sex-limited allele (Y or W) in the ancestral sex determining region because recessive deleterious mutations and/or deletions may fix around the Y or W allele (Rice 1996, Charlesworth and Charlesworth 2000, Bachtrog 2006, Marais et al. 2008). During heterogametic transitions (XY to ZW or ZW to XY), the formally sex-limited allele fixes such that all individuals have YY or WW genotypes (Figure 1). Any recessive deleterious alleles linked to the Y or W will therefore be revealed to selection during a

412 heterogametic transition. This phenomenon was studied by van Doorn and Kirk-  
patrick (2010), who found that degeneration can prevent fixation of a neo-W or  
414 a neo-Y allele, leading to a mixed sex determination system where the ancestral-  
and neo- sex-determining loci are both polymorphic. However, they noted that  
416 very rare recombination events around the ancestral sex-determining region can  
allow these heterogametic transitions to complete.

418 In addition, our model of meiotic drive is simple, involving a single locus with  
two alleles. However, many meiotic drive systems involve an interaction with an-  
420 other locus at which alleles may ‘suppress’ the action of meiotic drive (Burt and  
Trivers 2006, Lindholm et al. 2016). Thus, the dynamics of meiotic drive alleles  
422 can be heavily dependent on the interaction between two loci and the recombina-  
tion rate between them, which in turn can be affected by sex-linkage if there is re-  
424 duced recombination between sex chromosomes (Hurst and Pomiankowski 1991).  
Furthermore, in some cases, a driving allele may act by killing any gametes that  
426 carry a ‘target’ allele at another locus, in which case there is a two-locus drive sys-  
tem and the total number of gametes produced can be reduced by meiotic drive.  
428 Where gamete number is reduced by meiotic drive, the number of mates com-  
peting for fertilization (mating system) can affect the equilibrium frequency of a  
430 meiotic drive allele (Holman et al. 2015). In polygamous mating systems, the in-  
tensity of pollen/sperm competition can depend on the density of males available to  
432 donate pollen/sperm, which can itself depend on the sex ratio (Taylor and Jaenike  
2002). Since the sex ratio is partly determined by the sex determination system, the  
434 evolution of new sex determination system could be influenced by these dynam-  
ics. How the evolution of new sex-determining mechanisms could be influenced  
436 by two-locus meiotic drive and/or by ecological feedbacks under different mating  
systems remains to be studied.

438 The hypotheses presented here can be investigated in a similar manner to the  
idea that transitions between sex-determining systems are favoured by linkage to  
440 sexually antagonistic variation. In the case of sexually antagonistic variation, one  
supporting observation is that genes that appear to experience sexually-antagonistic

442 selection have been found on recently derived sex chromosomes (Lindholm and  
Breden 2002, Tripathi et al. 2009, Ser et al. 2010). However, it is possible that  
444 sexually antagonistic variation accumulated after sex chromosome transitions be-  
cause linkage with the sex-determining regions allows sexually antagonistic selec-  
446 tion to maintain polymorphisms under a larger parameter space (Rice 1987, Jor-  
dan and Charlesworth 2011). We note that linkage with sex chromosomes is not,  
448 a priori, more permissive to the maintenance of ploidy antagonistic variation  
(Immler et al. 2012). However, as with sexually-antagonistic variation, a com-  
450 parison between closely related clades could indicate whether a polymorphism  
pre-dates a transition in sex-determination or arose afterwards. Secondly, we have  
452 shown that new sex-determination systems can be favoured if either the ances-  
tral sex-determining region or the new sex-determining region are linked to loci  
454 under haploid selection. Therefore, the presence of haploid selected loci around  
ancestral- or new- sex-determining regions could support their role in sex chromo-  
456 some turnover.

Taken at face value, our results indicate that transitions in heterogamete (XY  
458 to ZW or vice versa) are more likely to be favoured by selection if there is selec-  
tion upon both haploid and diploid genotypes rather than diploid selection alone.  
460 This prediction could be examined using a suitable proxy for haploid selection,  
for example, Lenormand and Dutheil (2005) use the outcrossing rate as a proxy  
462 for the strength of pollen competition. In animals, one might expect gametic com-  
petition to be stronger in species where sperm is required to live for a long time  
464 after spermatogenesis because transcripts shared during spermatogenesis may be-  
come depleted, revealing the haploid phenotype of the sperm (Immler et al. 2014).  
466 Given the caveats mentioned above about the form of meiotic drive modelled, we  
would also expect that heterogametic transitions in sex determination would be  
468 more common in clades where there is meiotic drive.

We have shown that haploid selection can drive transitions between sex deter-  
470 mination systems, such that haploid selection should be incorporated into the  
factors that influence the evolution of sex determination. However, the particular

472 way in which transitions are affected by haploid selection is not intuitively obvious.  
Firstly, sex-specific haploid selection affects turnovers between sex determination  
474 systems in a manner that is qualitatively different from diploid sex-specific selection.  
In particular, closer linkage between a sex-determining locus and a selected  
476 locus is not always favoured during heterogametic transitions when there is haploid  
selection. Secondly, even though haploid selection is a source of zygotic sex  
478 ratio biases, Fisherian sex ratio selection does not have good explanatory power  
in our models in determining whether various sex-determination systems evolve;  
480 this result is surprising given that sex ratios are ultimately determined via the sex-  
determination system.

482 Numerical results suggest that polygenic sex determination can be stable with  
gametic competition. i.e., feminizers/masculinizers sometimes invade but don't  
484 fix. We have not discussed this. Might be interesting because it appears that poly-  
genic sex determination exists (possibly stably, rather than transitionally) but pre-  
486 vious models don't show any advantage to polygenic sex determination. There are  
two other ways that polygenic sex determination could be observed. (1) Direct  
488 selection against WW or YY genotypes during heterogametic transitions, men-  
tioned above. (2) Loss of variation at the selected locus: The conditions under  
490 which polymorphism is maintained can depend on linkage to the SDR, and when  
a neo-SDR evolves you can move into a region where  $A$  or  $a$  fixes, at which point  
492 there is no longer any selection.

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## Figures

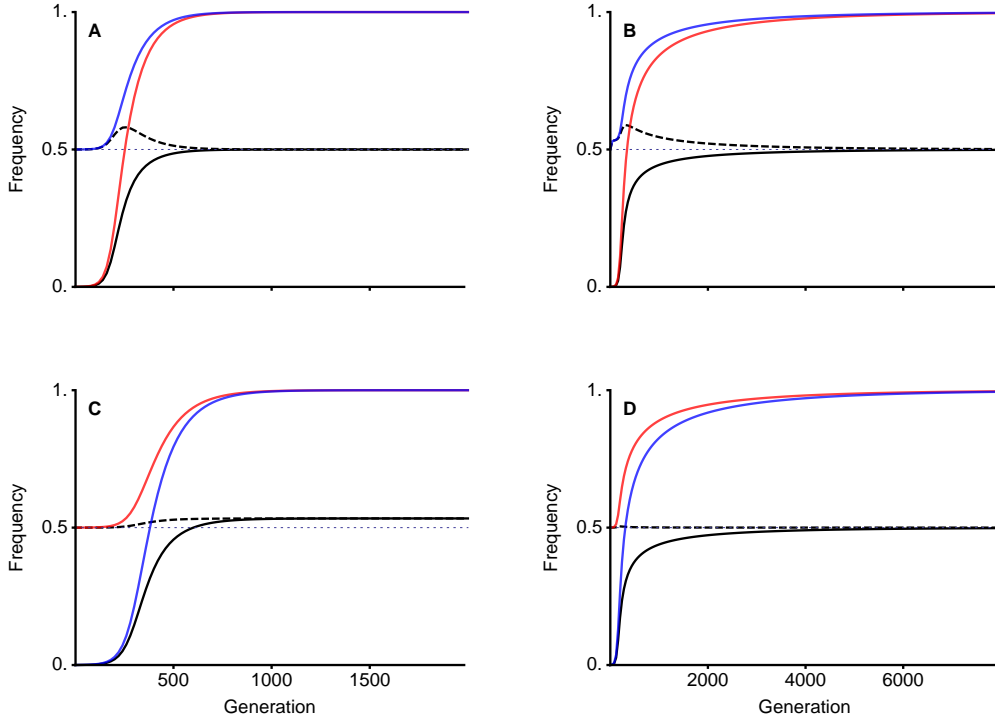


Figure 1: Heterogametic transitions from XY to ZW sex determination (neo-W frequency shown by black lines, panels A and B) or from ZW to XY (neo-Y frequency shown by black lines, panels C and D) occur similarly regardless of sex ratio biases present before (B versus D) or after (C versus A, dashed lines show male frequency). During invasion by a neo-ZW sex determination system (A and B), the ancestral Y fixes in both males and females (blue and red lines). Similarly, the ancestral W allele fixes in males and females (blue and red lines) during a ZW to XY transition. In this plot, there is no gametic competition ( $r^{\varnothing} = r^{\sigma} = 0$ ) and meiotic drive occurs during male meiosis only ( $\alpha_{\Delta}^{\varnothing} = 0$ ,  $\alpha_{\Delta}^{\sigma} = -1/5$ ). Therefore, sex ratio biases can only arise when the **A** locus is linked to an XY sex-determining locus. In panels A and C, the neo-sex-determining locus is more closely linked to the **A** locus than the ancestral sex-determining region ( $r = 1/2$ ,  $R = 1/20$ ) such that a neo-Y can cause biased sex ratios (panel C). In panels B and D, the ancestral sex-determining locus is more closely linked to the **A** locus than the neo-sex-determining locus ( $r = 1/20$ ,  $R = 1/2$ ). Therefore, an ancestral XY sex determination can have a biased zygotic sex ratio that becomes unbiased after an unlinked neo-W invades (B). However, in panel D, an unlinked neo-Y invades an ancestral ZW sex determination system in a similar manner but no biases to the zygotic sex ratio occur. With diploid selection alone, neo-sex-determining loci do not spread if they are less closely linked to the **A** locus than the ancestral sex-determining locus (see equation (2) and Figure 3A). In this plot there are no sex differences in selection and an equilibrium is maintained because selection in diploids opposes meiotic drive,  $s^{\varnothing} = s^{\sigma} = 1/5$ ,  $h^{\varnothing} = h^{\sigma} = 7/10$ .  
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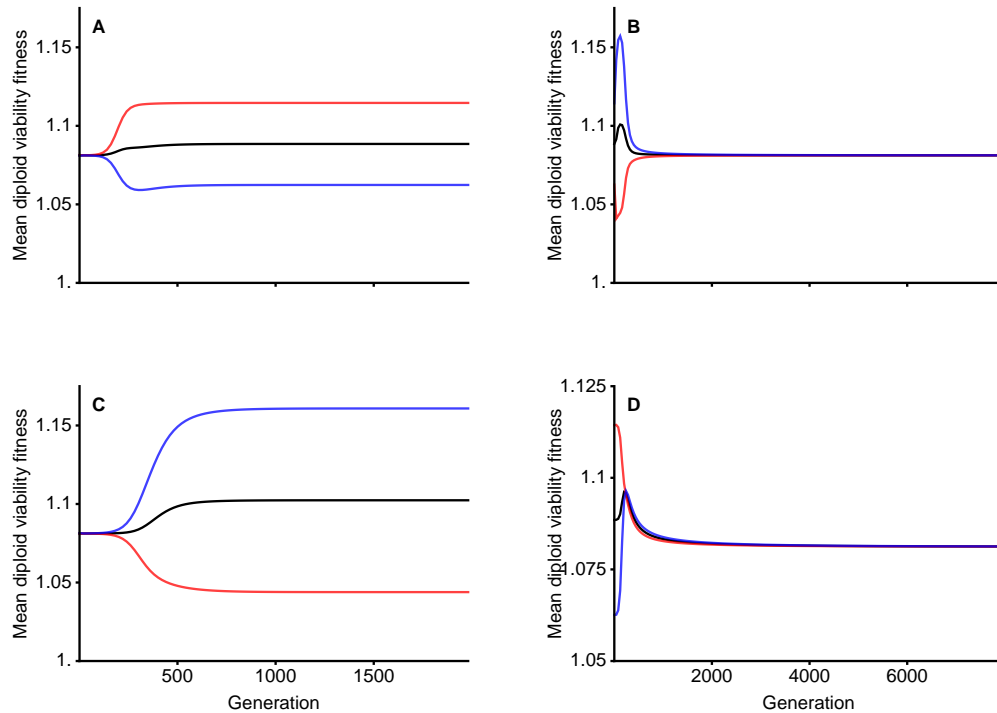


Figure 2: Here, we plot how male mean fitness (blue lines), female mean fitness (red lines), and population mean fitness (male mean fitness plus female mean fitness, black lines) changes during the transitions between sex-determination systems shown in Figure 1. Here we multiply male mean fitness and female mean fitness by two so that we can show it on the same scale as population mean fitness. The mean fitness of females increases during the spread of neo-W alleles (A and B) and the mean fitness of males increases during the spread of neo-Y alleles (C and D). However, when a neo-sex determining system evolves that is less closely linked to a locus under selection (B and D), population mean fitness decreases. **Could add titles to the columns/rows: neo-W for row 1, neo-Y for row 3,  $r = 0.5$ ,  $R = 0.05$  for column 1 and  $r = 0.05$ ,  $R = 0.5$  for column 2. & possibly adjust padding (too much whitespace?). Matt - could you uncomment the line legends in the Mathematica file (function not included in my Mathematica version).**

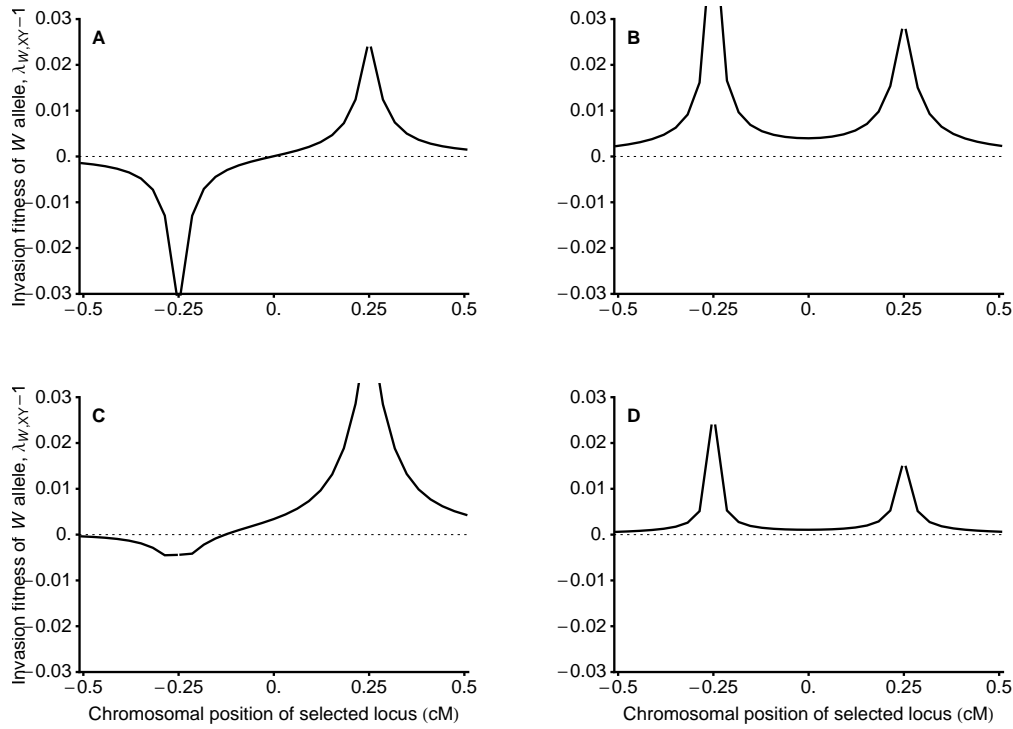


Figure 3: The invasion fitness of a neo-W allele plotted against the relative location of a locus under direct selection, **A**, for various selective regimes. We assume that the ancestral sex-determining locus is located at -0.25, the novel sex-determining locus is located at 0.25 and that there is a polymorphism at the **A** locus maintained by selection. We used Haldane's map function (Equation 3 in Haldane 1919) to convert from map distance (centiMorgans) to the probability of a cross-over event. In **A**, there is no haploid selection ( $r^{\delta} = \alpha_{\Delta}^{\delta} = 0$ ) and selection in diploids is sexually antagonistic (following van Doorn and Kirkpatrick 2010), in which case a neo-W can only invade if it is more closely linked to the selected locus ( $s^{\delta} = 1/10$ ,  $h^{\delta} = 7/10$ ,  $s^{\delta} = -1/10$ ,  $h^{\delta} = 3/10$ ). In **B-D** we include haploid selection and assume that selection in diploids is not sexually-antagonistic ( $s^{\delta}s^{\delta} > 0$ ). A polymorphism can then be maintained by opposing selection between the haploid and diploid phases. In **B**, there is drive in favour of the *a* allele in males ( $\alpha_{\Delta}^{\delta} = -1/10$ ), no female meiotic drive or gametic competition,  $r^{\delta} = \alpha_{\Delta}^{\delta} = 0$ , and equal selection in diploid sexes ( $s^{\delta} = s^{\delta} = 1/10$ ,  $h^{\delta} = h^{\delta} = 7/10$ ). In this case, a neo-W can invade even when the selected locus is more closely linked to the ancestral sex determining locus (see Table 3 and Figure 1). In **C** and **D**, there is gametic competition among male gametes only (favouring *a*,  $r^{\delta} = -1/10$ ) and no meiotic drive or gametic competition in females ( $r^{\delta} = \alpha_{\Delta}^{\delta} = 0$ ). In this case, if the selected locus is closely linked to the ancestral sex-determining locus, the neo-W only invades when the allele favoured in pollen/sperm competition selected against more in males than females (**D** versus **C**, see Table 3). In **C**,  $s^{\delta} = 3/20$ , and  $s^{\delta} = 1/20$ , whereas in **D**,  $s^{\delta} = 1/20$ , and  $s^{\delta} = 3/20$ . In both **C** and **D**,  $h^{\delta} = h^{\delta} = 7/10$ . I suspect that panel **C** has a region where no equilibrium is maintained (CHECK! Maybe include different parameters here or remove the part when no equilibrium). Currently use different parameters for **B** than using in figure 1 (selection/drive twice as strong in turnover figure). This plot would also benefit from titles giving, e.g., “sexually-antagonistic selection,  $s^{\delta}s^{\delta} < 0$ ” for **A**, “male meiotic drive,  $s^{\delta}s^{\delta} > 0$ ” for **B**



## 684 Appendix

### Recursion Equations

686 In each generation we census the genotype frequencies in male and female gametes/gametophytes (hereafter, gametes) before gametic competition. Before gametic competition, the frequencies of X-bearing male and female gametes are given by  $X_i^\delta$  and  $X_i^\varphi$  and the frequencies of Y-bearing gametes are given by  $Y_i^\delta$  and  $Y_i^\varphi$  where the index  $i$  specifies genotypes  $MA = 1$ ,  $Ma = 2$ ,  $mA = 3$ , and  $ma = 4$ . Competition then occurs among gametes of the same sex (e.g., among 692 eggs and among sperm separately) according to the **A** locus allele,  $g$  ( $g \in A, a$ , see Table 1), carried by individuals with genotype  $i$ . The genotype frequencies after gametic competition are  $X_i^{\varphi,s} = w_g X_i^\varphi / \bar{w}_H^\varphi$  and  $Y_i^{\varphi,s} = w_g Y_i^\varphi / \bar{w}_H^\varphi$ , where  $\bar{w}_H^\varphi = \sum_{i=1}^4 w_g X_i^\varphi + w_g Y_i^\varphi$  is the mean fitness of male ( $\varphi = \delta$ ) or female ( $\varphi = \varphi$ ) 694 gametes. Random mating then occurs between gametes to produce diploid zygotes with genotype  $ij$  at the **A** and **M** loci, such that  $XX$  zygotes are denoted  $xx_{ij}$ ,  $XY$  698 zygotes are  $xy_{ij}$ , and  $YY$  zygotes are  $yy_{ij}$ . In  $XX$  and  $YY$  zygotes, individuals with genotype  $ij$  are equivalent to those with genotype  $ji$ . For simplicity, we denote the frequency of genotype  $ij$  in  $XX$  and  $YY$  zygotes to the average of these frequencies,  $xx_{ij} = (X_i^{\varphi,s} X_j^{\delta,s} + X_j^{\varphi,s} X_i^{\delta,s})/2$  and  $yy_{ij} = (Y_i^{\varphi,s} Y_j^{\delta,s} + Y_j^{\varphi,s} Y_i^{\delta,s})/2$ .

696 Denoting the **M** locus genotype by  $b$  ( $b \in MM, Mm, mm$ ) and the **X** locus genotype by  $c$  ( $c \in XX, XY, YY$ ), zygotes develop as females with probability  $k_{bc}$ . Therefore, the frequencies of  $XX$  females are given by  $xx_{ij}^\varphi = k_{bc} xx_{ij}$ ,  $XY$  704 females are given by  $xy_{ij}^\varphi = k_{bc} xy_{ij}$ , and  $YY$  females are given by  $yy_{ij}^\varphi = k_{bc} yy_{ij}$ . Similarly,  $XX$  male frequencies are  $xx_{ij}^\delta = (1 - k_{bc})xx_{ij}$ ,  $XY$  male frequencies are  $xy_{ij}^\delta = (1 - k_{bc})xy_{ij}$ , and  $YY$  males frequencies are  $yy_{ij}^\delta = (1 - k_{bc})yy_{ij}$ . 706 This notation allows both the ancestral and novel sex-determining regions to determine zygotic sex according to an  $XY$  system, a  $ZW$  system, or an environmental sex-determining system. In addition, we can consider any epistatic dominance relationship between the two sex-determining loci. Typically, we assume 710 that the ancestral sex-determining system (**X** locus) is  $XY$  ( $k_{MMXX} = 1$  and 712

714  $k_{MMXY} = k_{MYY} = 0$ ) and epistatically recessive to a dominant novel sex-determining locus,  $\mathbf{M}$  ( $k_{Mmc} = k_{mmc} = k$ ).

Selection among diploids then occurs according to the diploid genotype at the  
716  $\mathbf{A}$  locus,  $h$ , for an individual of type  $ij$  ( $h \in AA, Aa, aa$ , see Table 1). The diploid frequencies after selection in sex  $d$  are given by  $xx_{ij}^{\phi,s} = w_h^{\phi} xx_{ij} / \bar{w}^{\phi}$ ,  $xy_{ij}^{\phi,s} = w_h^{\phi} xy_{ij} / \bar{w}^{\phi}$ , and  $yy_{ij}^{\phi,s} = w_h^{\phi} yy_{ij} / \bar{w}^{\phi}$ , where  $\bar{w}^{\phi} = \sum_{i=1}^4 \sum_{j=1}^4 w_h^{\phi} xx_{ij} + w_h^{\phi} xy_{ij} + w_h^{\phi} yy_{ij}$  is the mean fitness of individuals of sex  $\phi$ .

720 Finally, these diploids undergo meiosis to produce the next generation of gametes. Recombination and sex-specific meiotic drive occur during meiosis. Here,  
722 we allow the relative locations of the SDR,  $\mathbf{A}$ , and  $\mathbf{M}$  loci to be generic by using three parameters to describe the recombination rates between them.  $R$  is the recombination rate between the  $\mathbf{A}$  locus and the  $\mathbf{M}$  locus,  $\chi$  is the recombination rate between the  $\mathbf{M}$  locus and the  $\mathbf{X}$  locus, and  $r$  is the recombination rate between the  
724  $\mathbf{A}$  locus and the  $\mathbf{X}$  locus. Table S.1 gives substitutions for  $\chi$  for defined relative locations of these loci. During meiosis in sex  $d$ , meiotic drive occurs such that, in  
726  $Aa$  heterozygotes, a fraction  $\alpha_d$  of gametes produced carry the  $A$  allele and  $(1 - \alpha^{\phi})$   
728 carry the  $a$  allele.

Table S.1:  $\chi$  substitutions for different loci orders (assuming no interference)

Order of loci	
SDR-A-M	$\chi = R(1 - r) + r(1 - R)$
SDR-M-A	$\chi = (r - R)/(1 - 2R)$
A-SDR-M	$\chi = (R - r)/(1 - 2r)$

730 Among gametes from sex  $\phi$  (sperm/pollen when  $\phi = \sigma$ , eggs/ovules when  $\phi = \varphi$ ), the frequency of haplotypes (before gametic competition) in the next  
732 generation are given by

$$\begin{aligned}
X_{MA}^{\tilde{\varphi}'} = & xx_{11}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + xx_{13}^{\tilde{\varphi},s}/2 + (xx_{12}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + xx_{14}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})\alpha^{\tilde{\varphi}} \\
& - R(xx_{14}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} - xx_{23}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})\alpha^{\tilde{\varphi}} \\
& + (xy_{11}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + xy_{13}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})/2 + (xy_{12}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + xy_{14}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})\alpha^{\tilde{\varphi}} \\
& - r(xy_{12}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} - xy_{21}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})\alpha^{\tilde{\varphi}} - \chi(xy_{13}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} - xy_{31}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})/2 \\
& + \{ -(R+r+\chi)xy_{14}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + (r+\chi-R)xy_{41}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} \\
& + (R+r-\chi)xy_{23}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + (R+\chi-r)xy_{32}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} \}\alpha^{\tilde{\varphi}}/2
\end{aligned} \tag{S.1a}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
X_{Ma}^{\tilde{\varphi}'} = & xx_{22}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + xx_{24}^{\tilde{\varphi},s}/2 + (xx_{12}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + xx_{23}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})\alpha^{\tilde{\varphi}} \\
& - R(xx_{23}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} - xx_{14}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})\alpha^{\tilde{\varphi}} \\
& (xy_{22}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + xy_{24}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})/2 + (xy_{21}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + xy_{23}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})(1-\alpha^{\tilde{\varphi}}) \\
& - r(xy_{21}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} - xy_{12}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})(1-\alpha^{\tilde{\varphi}}) - \chi(xy_{24}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} - xy_{42}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})/2 \\
& + \{ -(R+r+\chi)xy_{23}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + (r+\chi-R)xy_{32}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} \\
& + (R+r-\chi)xy_{14}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + (R+\chi-r)xy_{41}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} \}(1-\alpha^{\tilde{\varphi}})/2
\end{aligned} \tag{S.1b}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
X_{mA}^{\tilde{\varphi}'} = & xx_{33}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + xx_{13}^{\tilde{\varphi},s}/2 + (xx_{23}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + xx_{34}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})\alpha^{\tilde{\varphi}} \\
& - R(xx_{23}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} - xx_{14}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})\alpha^{\tilde{\varphi}} \\
& (xy_{33}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + xy_{31}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})/2 + (xy_{32}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + xy_{34}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})\alpha^{\tilde{\varphi}} \\
& - r(xy_{34}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} - xy_{43}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})\alpha^{\tilde{\varphi}} - \chi(xy_{31}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} - xy_{13}^{\tilde{\varphi},s})/2 \\
& + \{ -(R+r+\chi)xy_{32}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + (r+\chi-R)xy_{23}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} \\
& + (R+r-\chi)xy_{41}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} + (R+\chi-r)xy_{14}^{\tilde{\varphi},s} \}\alpha^{\tilde{\varphi}}/2
\end{aligned} \tag{S.1c}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
X_{ma}^{\phi'} = & xx_{44}^{\phi,s} + xx_{34}^{\phi,s}/2 + (xx_{14}^{\phi,s} + xx_{24}^{\phi,s})\alpha^{\phi} \\
& - R(xx_{14}^{\phi,s} - xx_{23}^{\phi,s})\alpha^{\phi} \\
& (xy_{44}^{\phi,s} + xy_{42}^{\phi,s})/2 + (xy_{41}^{\phi,s} + xy_{43}^{\phi,s})(1 - \alpha^{\phi}) \\
& - r(xy_{43}^{\phi,s} - xy_{34}^{\phi,s})(1 - \alpha^{\phi}) - \chi(xy_{42}^{\phi,s} - xy_{24}^{\phi,s})/2 \\
& + \{ -(R + r + \chi)xy_{41}^{\phi,s} + (r + \chi - R)xy_{14}^{\phi,s} \\
& + (R + r - \chi)xy_{32}^{\phi,s} + (R + \chi - r)xy_{23}^{\phi,s} \}(1 - \alpha^{\phi})/2
\end{aligned} \tag{S.1d}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
Y_{MA}^{\phi'} = & yy_{11}^{\phi,s} + yy_{13}^{\phi,s}/2 + (yy_{12}^{\phi,s} + yy_{14}^{\phi,s})\alpha^{\phi} \\
& - R(yy_{14}^{\phi,s} - yy_{23}^{\phi,s})\alpha^{\phi} \\
& (xy_{11}^{\phi,s} + xy_{31}^{\phi,s})/2 + (xy_{21}^{\phi,s} + xy_{41}^{\phi,s})\alpha^{\phi} \\
& - r(xy_{21}^{\phi,s} - xy_{12}^{\phi,s})\alpha^{\phi} - \chi(xy_{31}^{\phi,s} - xy_{13}^{\phi,s})/2 \\
& + \{ -(R + r + \chi)xy_{41}^{\phi,s} + (r + \chi - R)xy_{14}^{\phi,s} \\
& + (R + r - \chi)xy_{32}^{\phi,s} + (R + \chi - r)xy_{23}^{\phi,s} \}\alpha^{\phi}/2
\end{aligned} \tag{S.1e}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
Y_{Ma}^{\phi'} = & yy_{22}^{\phi,s} + yy_{24}^{\phi,s}/2 + (yy_{12}^{\phi,s} + yy_{23}^{\phi,s})\alpha^{\phi} \\
& - R(yy_{23}^{\phi,s} - yy_{14}^{\phi,s})\alpha^{\phi} \\
& (xy_{22}^{\phi,s} + xy_{42}^{\phi,s})/2 + (xy_{12}^{\phi,s} + xy_{32}^{\phi,s})(1 - \alpha^{\phi}) \\
& - r(xy_{12}^{\phi,s} - xy_{21}^{\phi,s})(1 - \alpha^{\phi}) - \chi(xy_{42}^{\phi,s} - xy_{24}^{\phi,s})/2 \\
& + \{ -(R + r + \chi)xy_{32}^{\phi,s} + (r + \chi - R)xy_{23}^{\phi,s} \\
& + (R + r - \chi)xy_{41}^{\phi,s} + (R + \chi - r)xy_{14}^{\phi,s} \}(1 - \alpha^{\phi})/2
\end{aligned} \tag{S.1f}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
Y_{mA}^{\phi'} = & yy_{33}^{\phi,s} + yy_{13}^{\phi,s}/2 + (yy_{23}^{\phi,s} + yy_{34}^{\phi,s})\alpha^{\phi} \\
& - R(yy_{23}^{\phi,s} - yy_{14}^{\phi,s})\alpha^{\phi} \\
& (xy_{33}^{\phi,s} + xy_{13}^{\phi,s})/2 + (xy_{23}^{\phi,s} + xy_{43}^{\phi,s})\alpha^{\phi} \\
& - r(xy_{43}^{\phi,s} - xy_{34}^{\phi,s})\alpha^{\phi} - \chi(xy_{13}^{\phi,s} - xy_{31}^{\phi,s})/2 \\
& + \{ -(R+r+\chi)xy_{23}^{\phi,s} + (r+\chi-R)xy_{32}^{\phi,s} \\
& + (R+r-\chi)xy_{14}^{\phi,s} + (R+\chi-r)xy_{41}^{\phi,s} \}\alpha^{\phi}/2
\end{aligned} \tag{S.1g}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
Y_{ma}^{\phi'} = & yy_{44}^{\phi,s} + yy_{34}^{\phi,s}/2 + (yy_{14}^{\phi,s} + yy_{24}^{\phi,s})\alpha^{\phi} \\
& - R(yy_{14}^{\phi,s} - yy_{23}^{\phi,s})\alpha^{\phi} \\
& (xy_{44}^{\phi,s} + xy_{24}^{\phi,s})/2 + (xy_{14}^{\phi,s} + xy_{34}^{\phi,s})(1-\alpha^{\phi}) \\
& - r(xy_{34}^{\phi,s} - xy_{43}^{\phi,s})(1-\alpha^{\phi}) - \chi(xy_{24}^{\phi,s} - xy_{42}^{\phi,s})/2 \\
& + \{ -(R+r+\chi)xy_{14}^{\phi,s} + (r+\chi-R)xy_{41}^{\phi,s} \\
& + (R+r-\chi)xy_{23}^{\phi,s} + (R+\chi-r)xy_{32}^{\phi,s} \}(1-\alpha^{\phi})/2
\end{aligned} \tag{S.1h}$$

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The full system is therefore described by 16 recurrence equations (three loci, each  
 with two alleles, and two gamete sexes yields 16 combinations). However, some  
 diploid types are not produced under a given sex determination system. For exam-  
 ple, with the  $M$  allele fixed and ancestral  $XY$  sex determination, there are no  $XX$   
 males,  $XY$  females, or  $YY$  females ( $xx_{11}^{\phi}, xx_{12}^{\phi}, xx_{22}^{\phi}, xy_{11}^{\phi}, xy_{12}^{\phi}, xy_{22}^{\phi}, yy_{11}^{\phi}, yy_{12}^{\phi}$ ,  
 and  $yy_{22}^{\phi}$  are all 0). In this case, the system only involves six recursion equations be-  
 cause there is only one  $M$  locus allele and no Y-bearing female gametes. This six-  
 equation system yields equilibrium (S.3). Within this resident population (when  $m$   
 is absent) we describe frequencies among different gamete types, which are given  
 by  $X_{MA}^{\phi} = p_{Xf}$ ,  $X_{Ma}^{\phi} = (1 - p_{Xf})$ ,  $X_{MA}^{\delta} = (1 - q)p_{Xm}$ ,  $X_{Ma}^{\delta} = (1 - q)(1 - p_{Xm})$ ,  
 $Y_{MA}^{\phi} = qp_{Ym}$ , and  $Y_{Ma}^{\phi} = q(1 - p_{Ym})$ . In this resident population, the mean fitnesses  
 are given in table S.2.

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Table S.2: mean fitnesses in resident ( $M$  fixed, XY sex determination)

Sex & Life Cycle Stage	Mean Fitness
female gametes ( $\bar{w}_H^\varnothing$ )	$p_X^\varnothing w_A^\varnothing + (1 - p_X^\varnothing) w_a^\varnothing$
male gametes ( $\bar{w}_H^\delta$ )	$\bar{p}^\delta w_A^\delta + (1 - \bar{p}^\delta) w_a^\delta$
females ( $\bar{w}^\varnothing$ )	$\frac{\{p_X^\varnothing w_A^\varnothing (1 - q) p_X^\delta w_A^\delta w_{AA}^\varnothing + (1 - p_X^\varnothing) w_a^\varnothing (1 - q) p_X^\delta w_A^\delta w_{Aa}^\varnothing + p_X^\varnothing w_A^\varnothing (1 - q) (1 - p_X^\delta) w_a^\delta w_{Aa}^\varnothing + (1 - p_X^\varnothing) w_a^\varnothing (1 - q) (1 - p_X^\delta) w_a^\delta w_{aa}^\varnothing\}}{\{\bar{w}_H^\varnothing \bar{w}_H^\delta\}}$
males ( $\bar{w}^\delta$ )	$\frac{\{p_X^\varnothing w_A^\varnothing q p_Y^\delta w_A^\delta w_{AA}^\delta + (1 - p_X^\varnothing) w_a^\varnothing q p_Y^\delta w_A^\delta w_{Aa}^\delta + p_X^\varnothing w_A^\varnothing q (1 - p_Y^\delta) w_a^\delta w_{Aa}^\delta + (1 - p_X^\varnothing) w_a^\varnothing q (1 - p_Y^\delta) w_a^\delta w_{aa}^\delta\}}{\{\bar{w}_H^\delta \bar{w}_H^\delta\}}$

## Resident equilibrium and stability

754 In the resident population (allele  $M$  fixed), we follow the frequency of  $A$  in female  
gametes (eggs) from an XX female,  $p_X^\varnothing$ , and in X-bearing,  $p_X^\delta$ , and Y-bearing,  
756  $p_Y^\delta$ , male gametes (sperm). We also track the total frequency of Y-bearing male  
gametes,  $q$ , which may deviate from  $1/2$  due to meiotic drive in males.

758 Various forms of selection can maintain a polymorphism at the  $\mathbf{A}$  locus, includ-  
ing sexually antagonistic selection, overdominance and conflicts between diploid  
760 selection and selection upon haploid genotypes (ploiddally antagonistic selection,  
Immler et al. 2012) or a combination of these selective regimes. Here, we assume  
762 that selection and meiotic drive are weak relative to recombination ( $s^\varnothing, t^\varnothing, \alpha_\Delta^\varnothing$  of  
order  $\epsilon$ ). The maintenance of a polymorphism at the  $\mathbf{A}$  locus then requires that

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &< -((1 - h^\varnothing) s^\varnothing + (1 - h^\delta) s^\delta + t^\varnothing + t^\delta + \alpha_\Delta^\varnothing + \alpha_\Delta^\delta) \\ 0 &< (h^\varnothing s^\varnothing + h^\delta s^\delta + t^\varnothing + t^\delta + \alpha_\Delta^\varnothing + \alpha_\Delta^\delta). \end{aligned} \quad (\text{S.2})$$

764 which indicates that a polymorphism is maintained under various selective regimes.

In particular special cases, e.g., no sex-differences in selection or meiotic drive  
 766 ( $s^\delta = s^\varphi$ ,  $h^\delta = h^\varphi$ , and  $\alpha^\delta = \alpha^\varphi = 1/2$ ), the equilibrium allele frequency and  
 stability can be calculated analytically without assuming weak selection. How-  
 768 ever, here, we focus on weak selection in order to make fewer assumptions about  
 fitnesses.

770 Given that a polymorphism is maintained at the **A** locus by selection, with  
 weak selection and drive, to leading order, the frequencies of *A* in each type of  
 772 gamete are the same ( $\hat{p}_X^\varphi = \hat{p}_X^\delta = \hat{p}_Y^\delta = \bar{p}$ ) and given by

$$\bar{p} = \frac{h^\varphi s^\varphi + h^\delta s^\delta + t^\varphi + t^\delta + \alpha_\Delta^\varphi + \alpha_\Delta^\delta}{(2h^\varphi - 1)s^\varphi + (2h^\delta - 1)s^\delta} + O(\epsilon). \quad (\text{S.3})$$

Differences in frequency between gamete types are of order  $\epsilon$  to leading order and  
 774 given by

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{p}_X^\delta - \hat{p}_X^\varphi &= V_A(D^\delta - D^\varphi + \alpha_\Delta^\delta - \alpha_\Delta^\varphi) + O(\epsilon^2) \\ \hat{p}_Y^\delta - \hat{p}_X^\varphi &= V_A(D^\delta - D^\varphi + \alpha_\Delta^\delta - \alpha_\Delta^\varphi + (1 - 2r)(t^\delta - t^\varphi))/2r + O(\epsilon^2) \\ \hat{p}_Y^\delta - \hat{p}_X^\delta &= V_A(D^\delta - D^\varphi + \alpha_\Delta^\delta - \alpha_\Delta^\varphi + t^\delta - t^\varphi)(1 - 2r)/2r + O(\epsilon^2) \end{aligned} \quad (\text{S.4})$$

where  $V_A = \bar{p}(1 - \bar{p})$  is the variance in the frequency of *A* and  $D^\varphi = (\bar{p}s^\varphi +$   
 776  $(1 - \bar{p})h^\varphi s^\varphi) - (\bar{p}h^\varphi s^\varphi + (1 - \bar{p}))$  corresponds to the difference in fitness between  
*A* and *a* alleles in diploids of sex  $\varphi \in \{\varphi, \delta\}$  ( $\bar{p}$  is the leading-order probability  
 778 of mating with an *A*-bearing gamete from the opposite sex). The frequency of *Y*  
 among male gametes depends upon the difference in *A* allele frequency on X- and  
 780 Y-bearing male gametes and the strength of meiotic drive in favour of the *A* allele  
 in males,  $q = 1/2 + \alpha_\Delta^\delta(\hat{p}_Y^\delta - \hat{p}_X^\delta)/2 + O(\epsilon^3)$ . Without gametic competition or drive  
 782 ( $\alpha_\Delta^\varphi = t^\varphi = 0$ ), these results reduce to those of van Doorn and Kirkpatrick (2007).

## Invasion without assuming weak selection

Here, we determine whether a rare neo-Y or neo-W allele spreads when rare, which occurs when  $\lambda > 1$ . If the average change in frequency of the two haplotypes that carry the  $m$  allele ( $Am$  and  $am$ ) is positive, invasion will always occur (i.e., if  $\{(\lambda_{mA} - 1) + (\lambda_{ma} - 1)\} / 2 > 0$  then  $\lambda > 1$ , see table 2 for  $\lambda_{mi}$ ). If neither haplotype increases in frequency ( $\lambda_{mA}, \lambda_{ma} < 1$ ), the  $m$  allele will not invade. Otherwise, the new sex-determining allele increases in frequency on one **A** background and declines on the other, and invasion requires

$$r_{AM} \left[ \frac{p_X^\varnothing w_A^\varnothing w_a^\delta (1 - \alpha^\delta)}{\bar{w}_H^\varnothing \bar{w}_H^\delta (\lambda_{mA} - 1)} + \frac{(1 - p_X^\varnothing) w_a^\varnothing w_A^\delta \alpha^\delta}{\bar{w}_H^\varnothing \bar{w}_H^\delta (\lambda_{ma} - 1)} \right] \frac{w_{Aa}^\delta}{\bar{w}^\delta} < 1, \quad (\text{S.5})$$

for the neo-Y, and

$$R \left[ \frac{\bar{p}^\delta w_A^\delta w_a^\varnothing (1 - \alpha^\varnothing)}{\bar{w}_H^\delta \bar{w}_H^\varnothing (\lambda_{mA} - 1)} + \frac{(1 - \bar{p}^\delta) w_a^\delta w_A^\varnothing \alpha^\varnothing}{\bar{w}_H^\delta \bar{w}_H^\varnothing (\lambda_{ma} - 1)} \right] \frac{w_{Aa}^\delta}{\bar{w}^\delta} < 1, \quad (\text{S.6})$$

for the neo-W. Equations (S.5) and (S.6) show that the new sex-determining allele,  $m$ , is expected to invade for any probability of recombination between loci **A** and **M**,  $r_{AM}$ , when the net flow of recombinants is from the less fit (smaller  $\lambda_{mi}$ ) to the more fit **A** background (making the terms inside the square brackets in Equations S.5 and S.6 negative). When the net flow of recombinants is from the more fit to the less fit haplotype, the new sex-determining allele can still invade when the rate of recombination between it and the selected locus is small enough.