

Volume 2: Evolution and Selection of Quantitative Traits

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Volume 2 is now of sufficient length that it will be published as two separate works. pdf of draft for [Chapter 2](#).

- [Evolution and Selection of Quantitative Traits: I. Foundations](#). This is 95 percent done (roughly 1300 typeset pages), with a target publication date of late fall 2015.
- [Evolution and Selection of Quantitative Traits: II. Advanced Topics in Breeding and Evolution](#).

Draft versions for essentially all of the chapters in Foundations, and many of the chapters in Advanced Topics are given below. The page numbers between chapters are rather random at the moment, and some are still a bit unpolished in terms of linking material across chapters together. *Preliminary* drafts are also posted for a few chapters. These are much rougher but give an idea of the basic topics to be covered.

With these caveats in mind, please feel free to use these for courses, etc. We simply request your feedback. Please let us know of any errors, omissions, interesting/important papers we missed, etc. Contact us at jbwalsh@u.arizona.edu. Don't be bashful about your own work! Once the book does indeed appear, these drafts will be removed from the website.

Note that the chapter numbers listed here reflect the current status of the book, and the actual chapter numbers used in the drafts may differ from these as they may predate some of these changes.

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Updates

- Currently updated to 30 December 2014
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Evolution and Selection of Quantitative Traits: I. Foundations

Total length is around 1300 pages. NOTE: Chapters have been reordered several times, so the posted pdf version may have a different chapter number than that listed here.

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