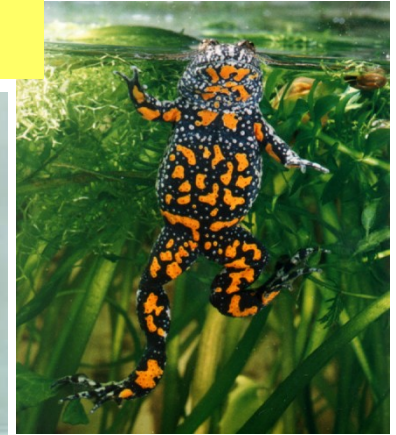


HYBRIDIZATION AND HYBRID ZONES

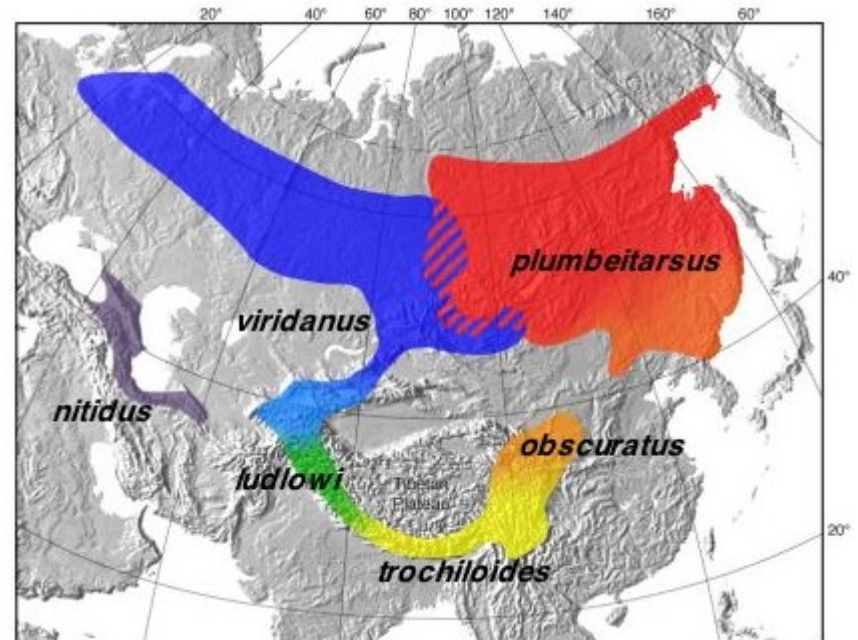
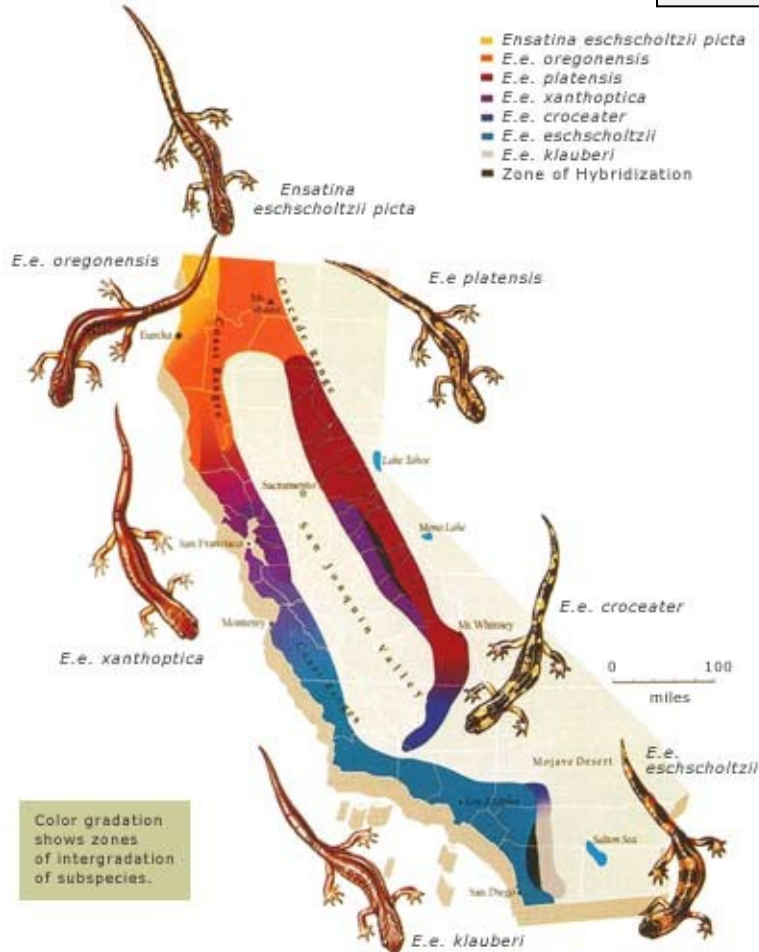
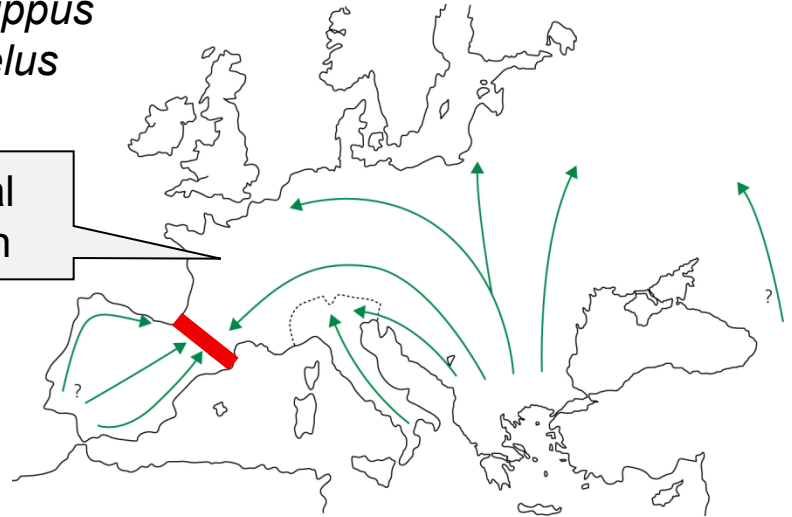


Secondary contact

ring species:

Chorthippus parallelus

postglacial expansion



Ensatina eschscholtzii - *klauberi*

greenish warbler (*Phylloscopus trochiloides*)

Hybridization:

25% species of vascular plants

10% species of animals

probably underestimation (only conspicuous species: ducks, birds of paradise, butterflies)

often result of environmental disturbance:

eg. „Darwin’s finches“ *Geospiza fuliginosa*, *G. fortis* and *G. scandens* after El Niño event



Geospiza fuliginosa

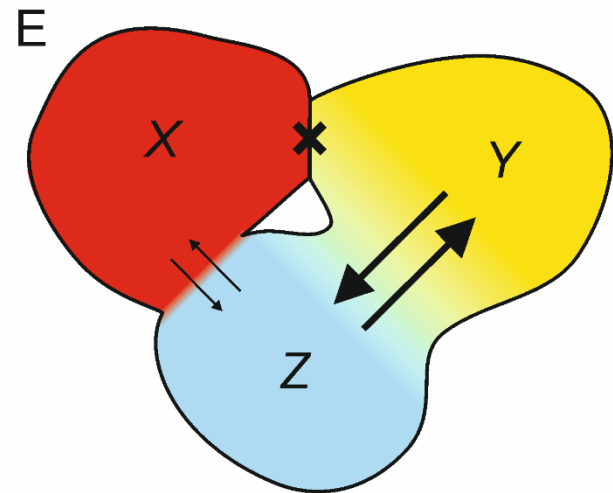
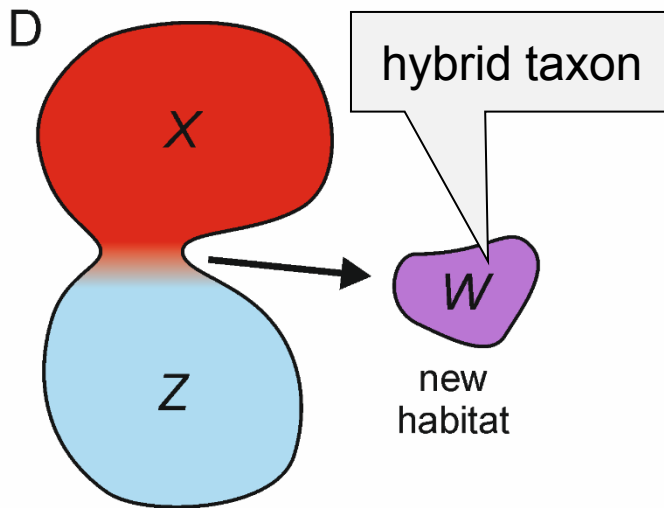
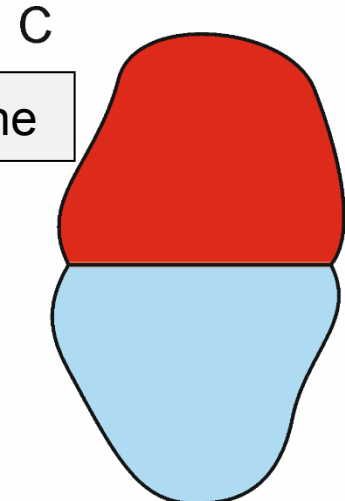
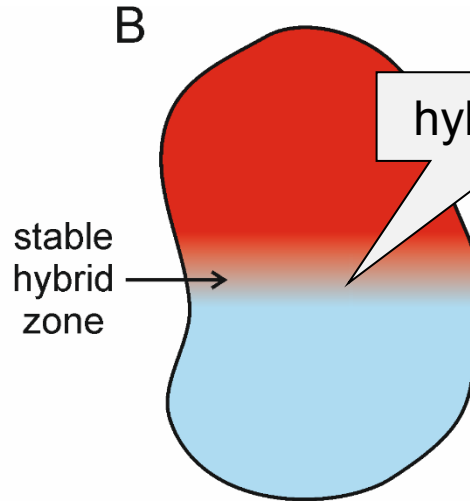
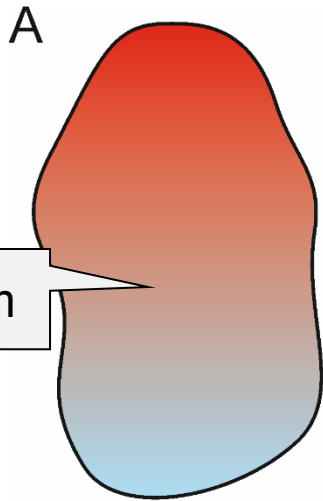


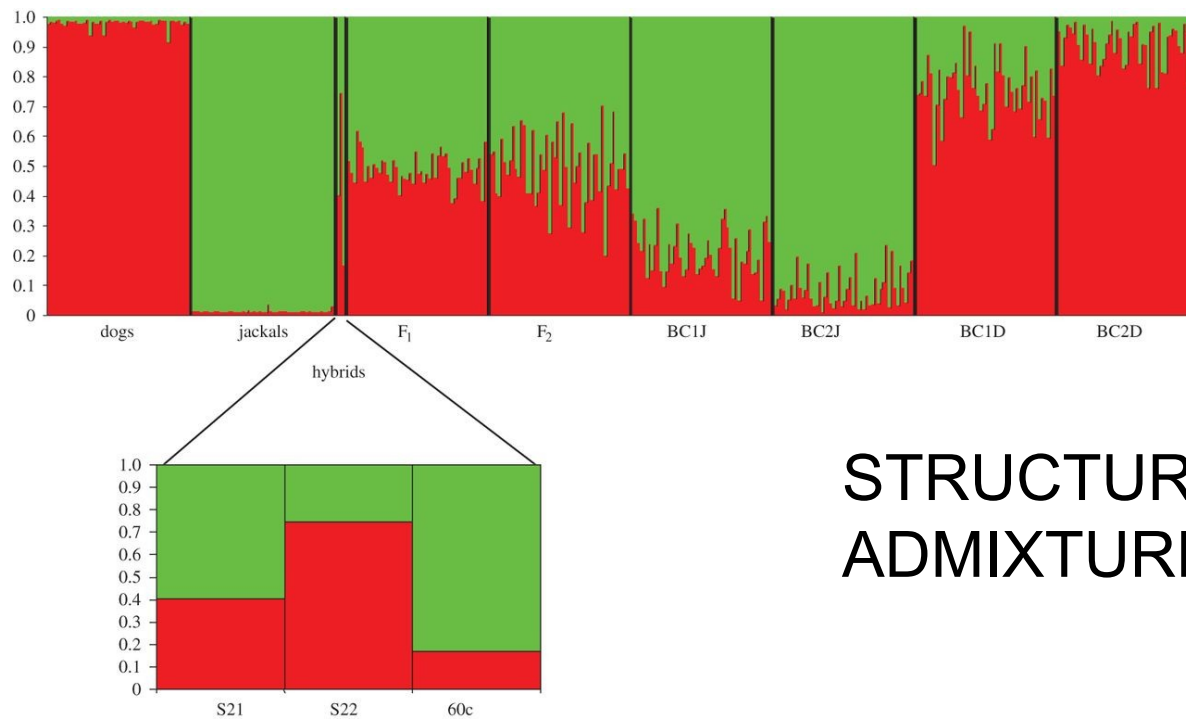
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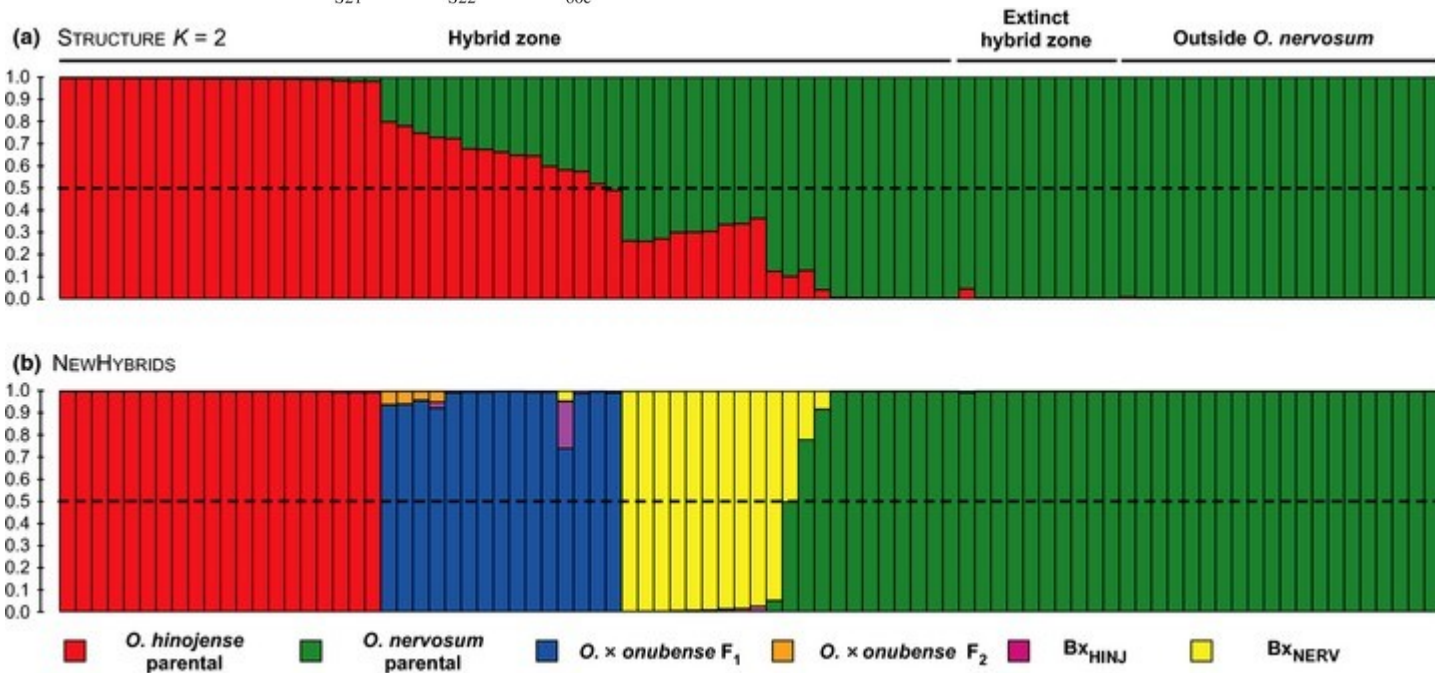
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Possible outcomes of hybridization



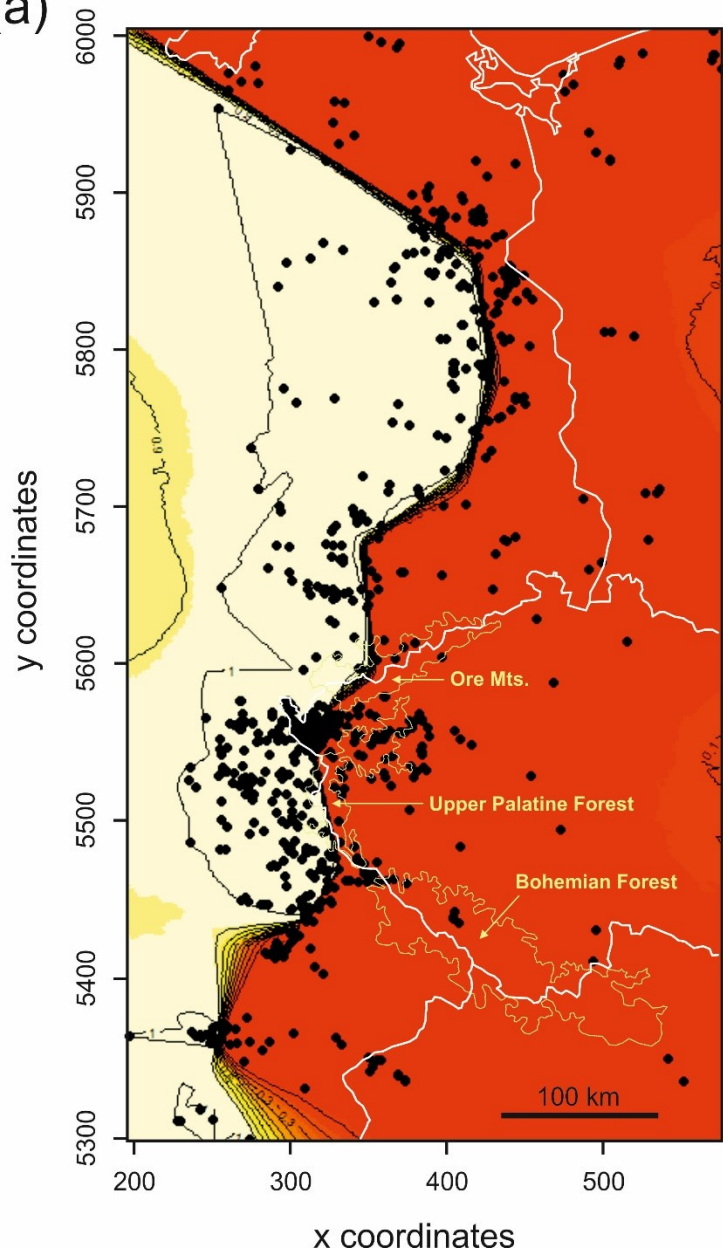


STRUCTURE ADMIXTURE

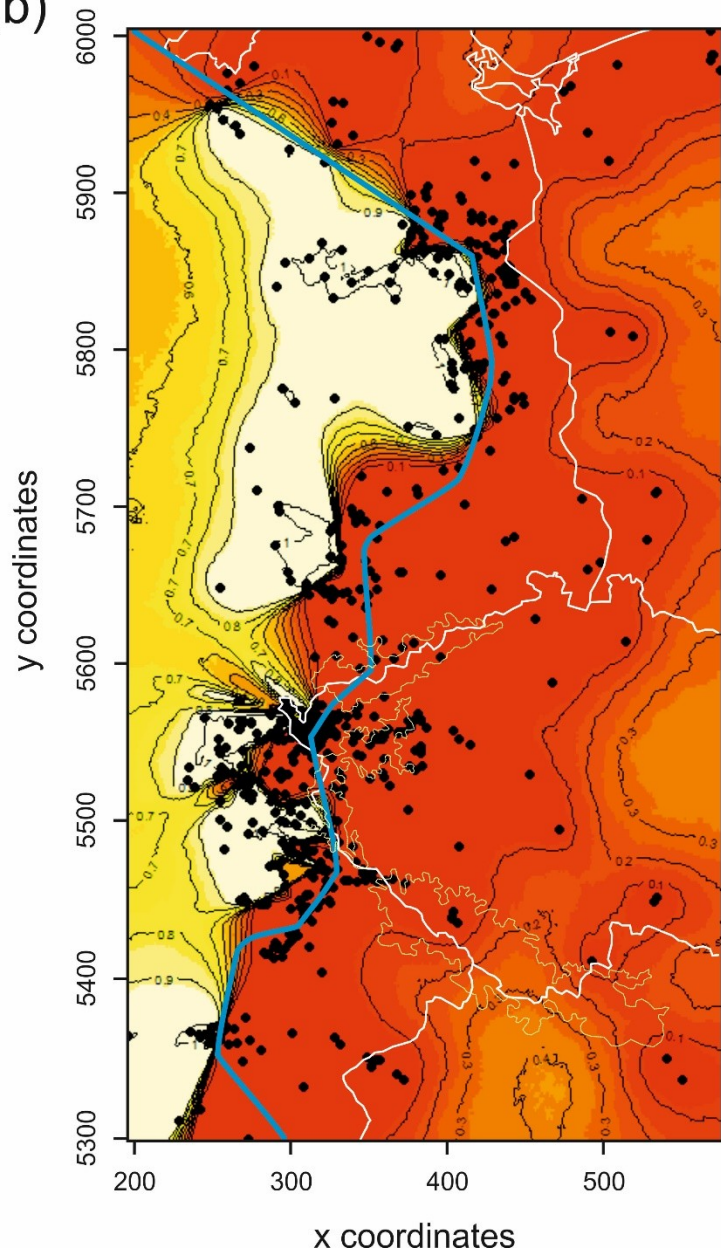


Geneland

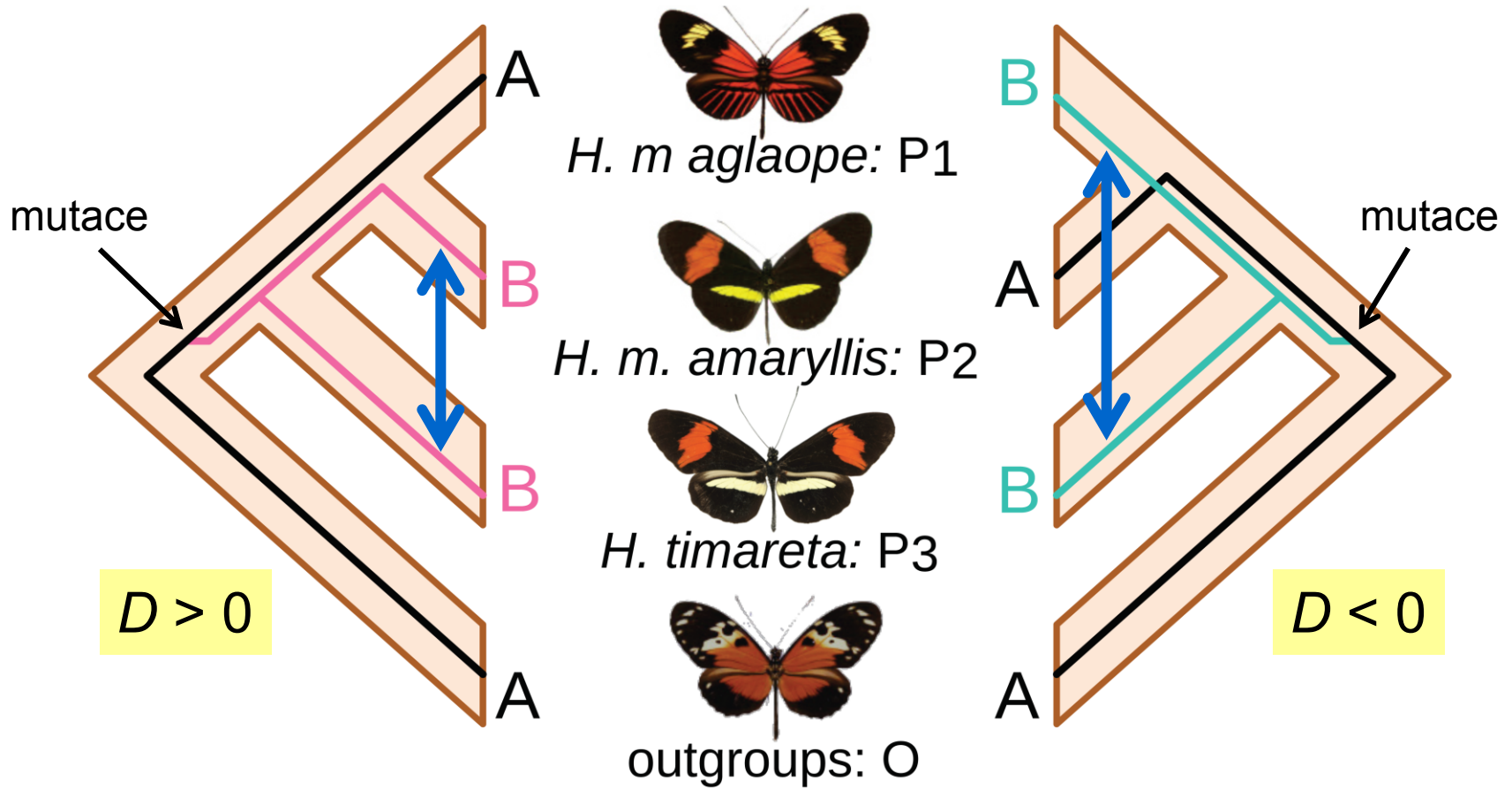
(a)



(b)



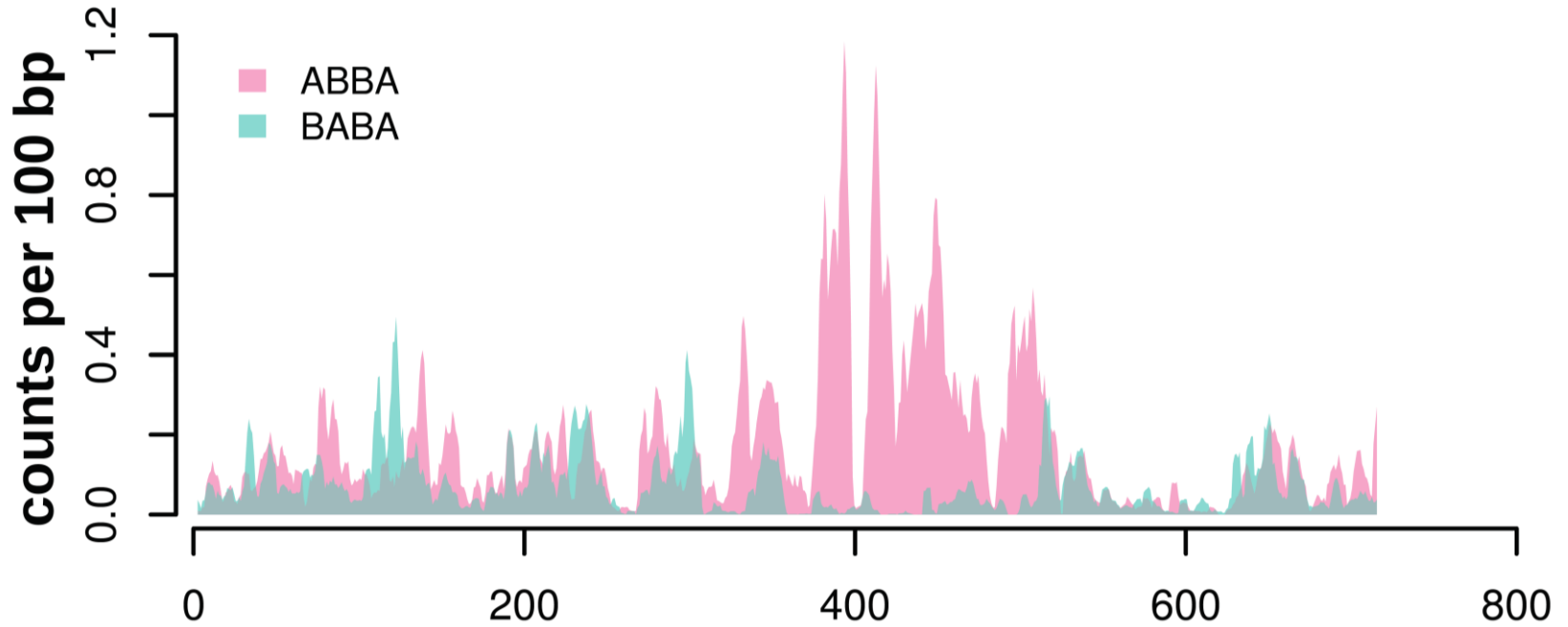
Nick Patterson: D -statistika (ABBA/BABA test):



Martin et al., bioRxiv

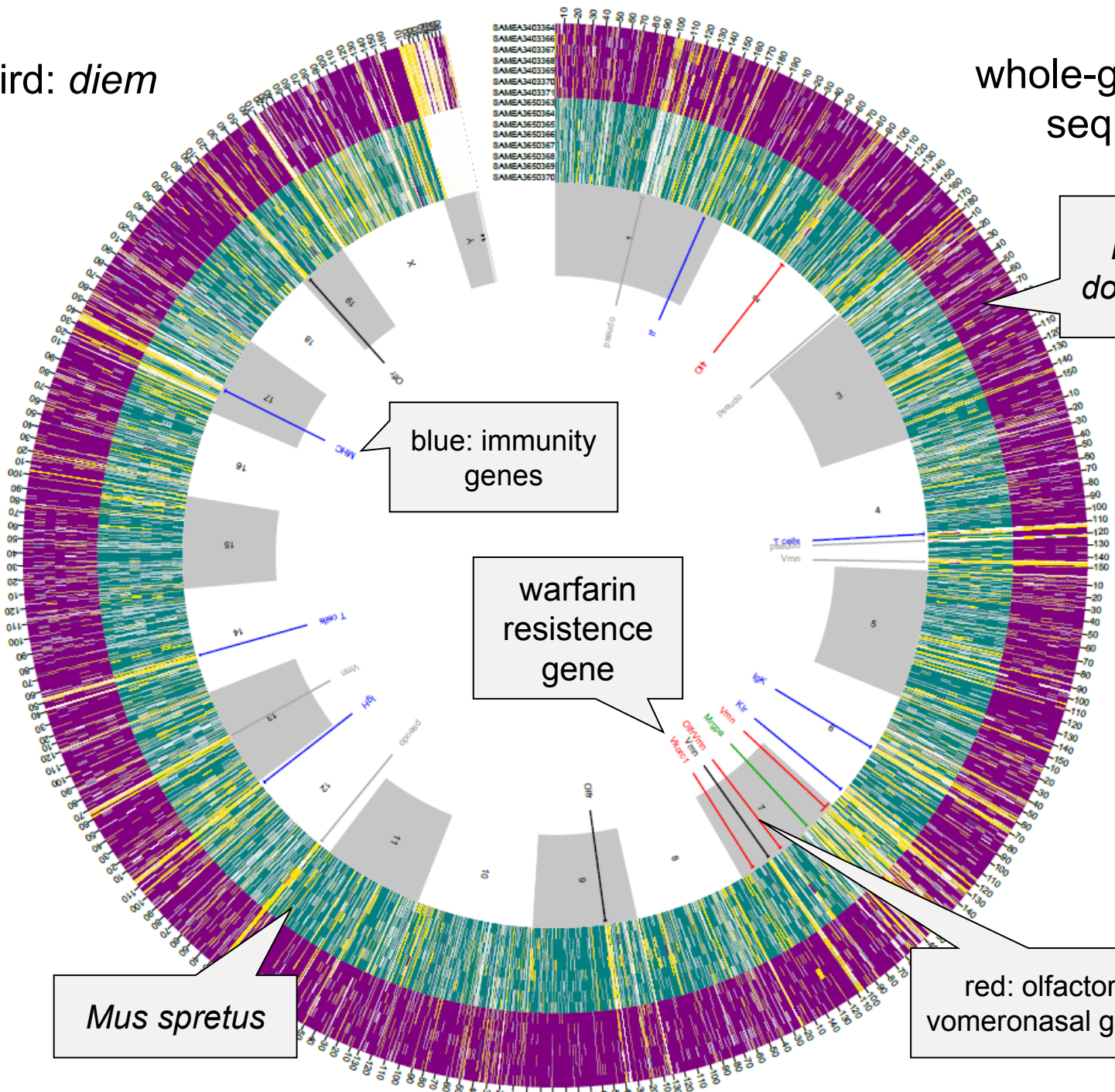
$$D(P_1, P_2, P_3, O) = \frac{\sum C_{ABBA}(i) - \sum C_{BABA}(i)}{\sum C_{ABBA}(i) + \sum C_{BABA}(i)}$$

lokus *HmB*



SJE Baird: *diem*

whole-genome
sequences



*Mus m.
domesticus*

blue: immunity
genes

warfarin
resistance
gene

Mus spretus

red: olfactory/
vomerol nasal genes

Hybrid zone (Barton a Hewitt 1985)

= area, where genetically different populations meet, mate and give rise at least some hybrid offspring

Hybrid zones may be classified as:

primary

secondary

tension, mosaic, staggered, „mottled“ ...

extrinsic selection (external environment)

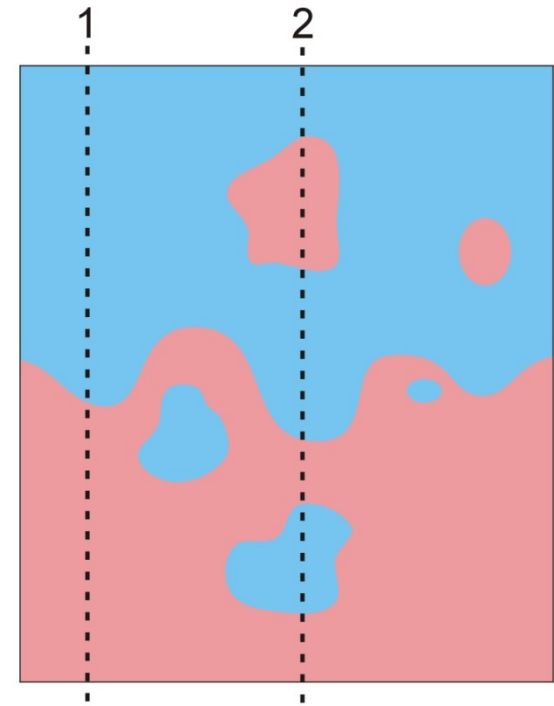
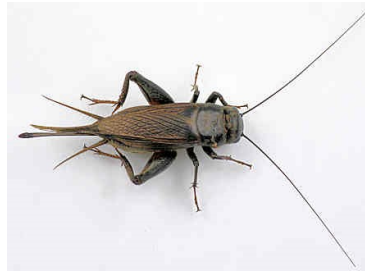
intrinsic selection (prezygotic or postzygotic barriers)

Mosaic hybrid zone:

influence of environment

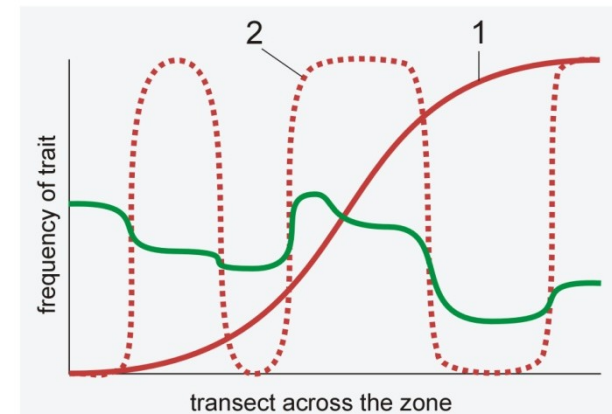
in fact a set of several hybrid zones

eg.: *Gryllus firmus* x *G. pennsylvanicus* (NE USA)
sandy x clayish soils



Iris fulva x *I. brevicaulis*:

I. fulva is limited to more forested sites



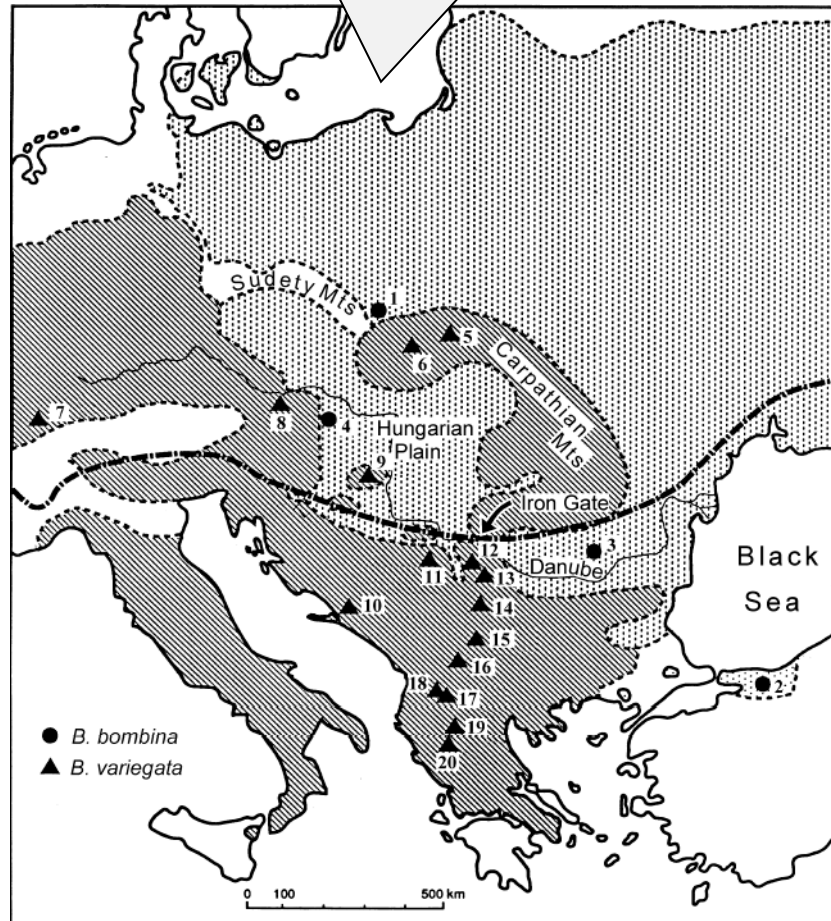
Bombina:



fire-bellied toad
B. bombina:

lowlands
mostly in water
larger water surfaces
thinner skin
territorial
530 Hz
longer development

mosaic HZ in Croatia,
not in Poland



yellow-bellied toad
B. variegata:

hills, highlands
terrestrial
mating in puddles
thick skin
nonterritorial
580 Hz
shorter development

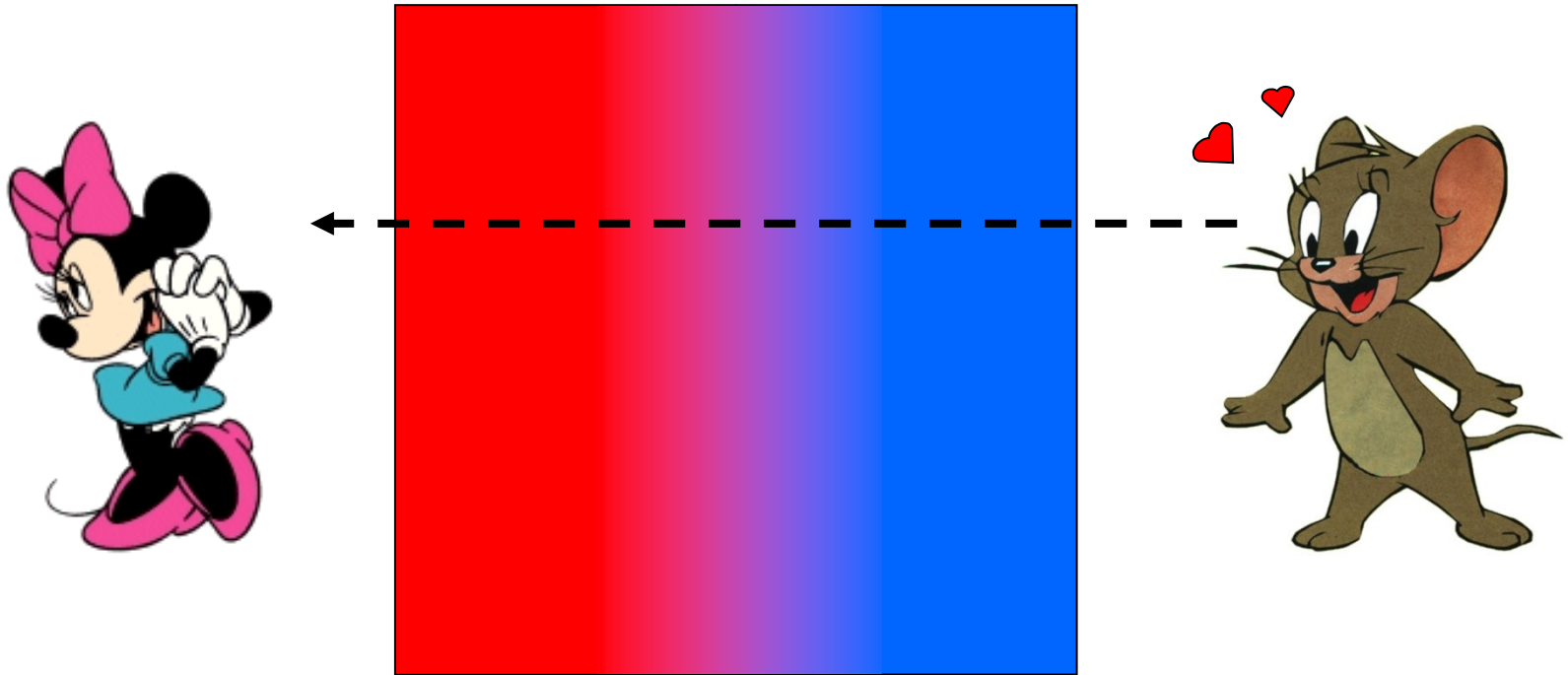


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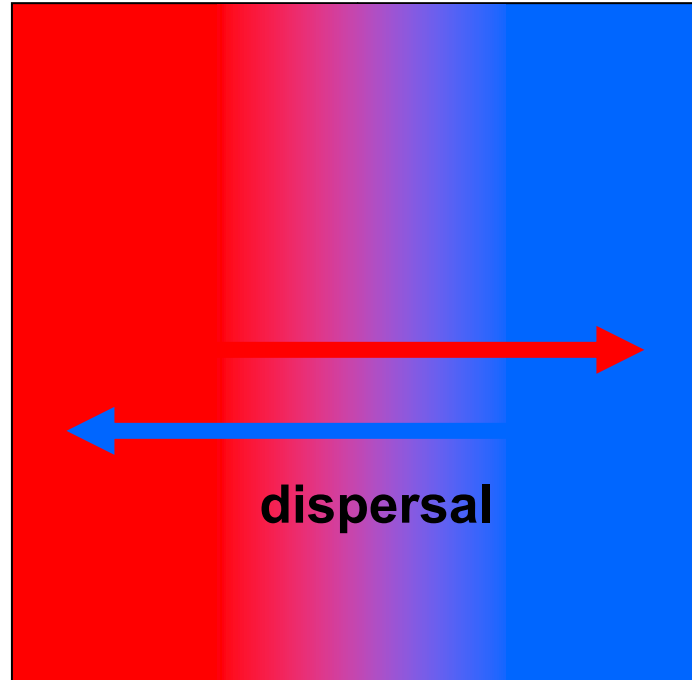
Most hybrid zones are
tension zones.

... i.e., they are maintained by balance between dispersal and selection (Barton & Hewitt, 1985)

Tension zone is when...

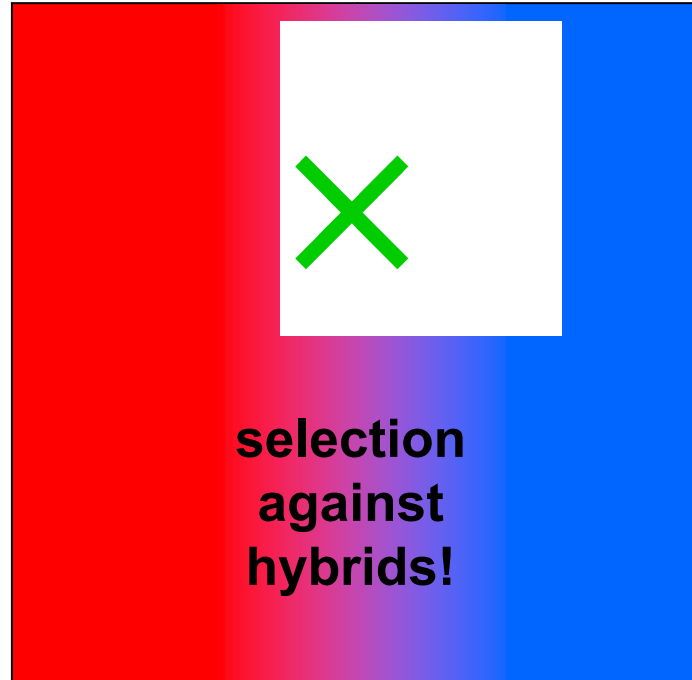


Tension zone is when...



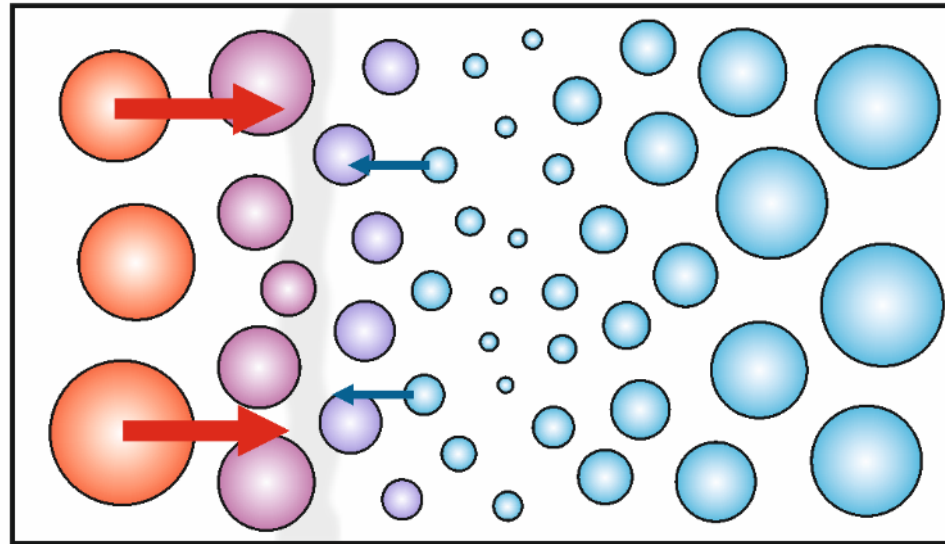
⇒ zone widening

Tension zone is when...



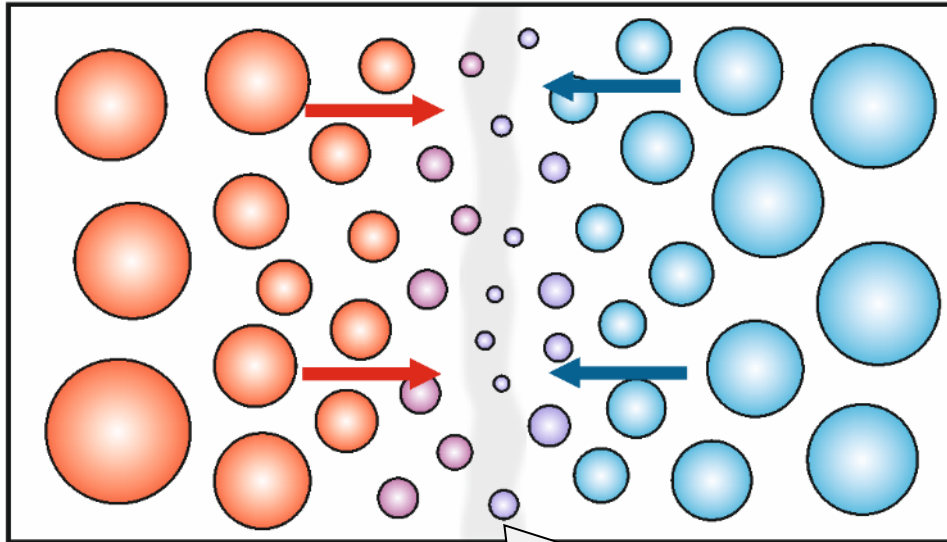
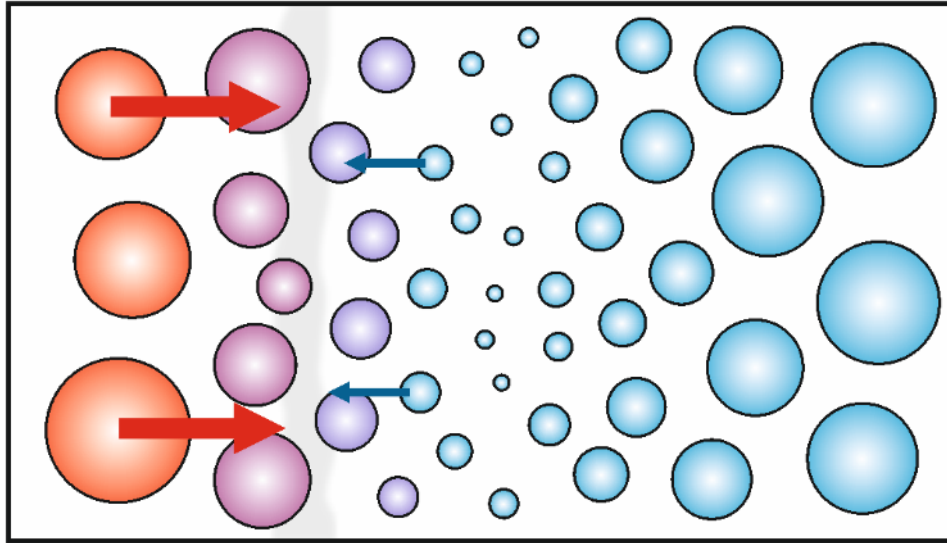
⇒ zone narrowing

Tension zone is maintained by dynamic equilibrium
between *dispersal* and *selection*

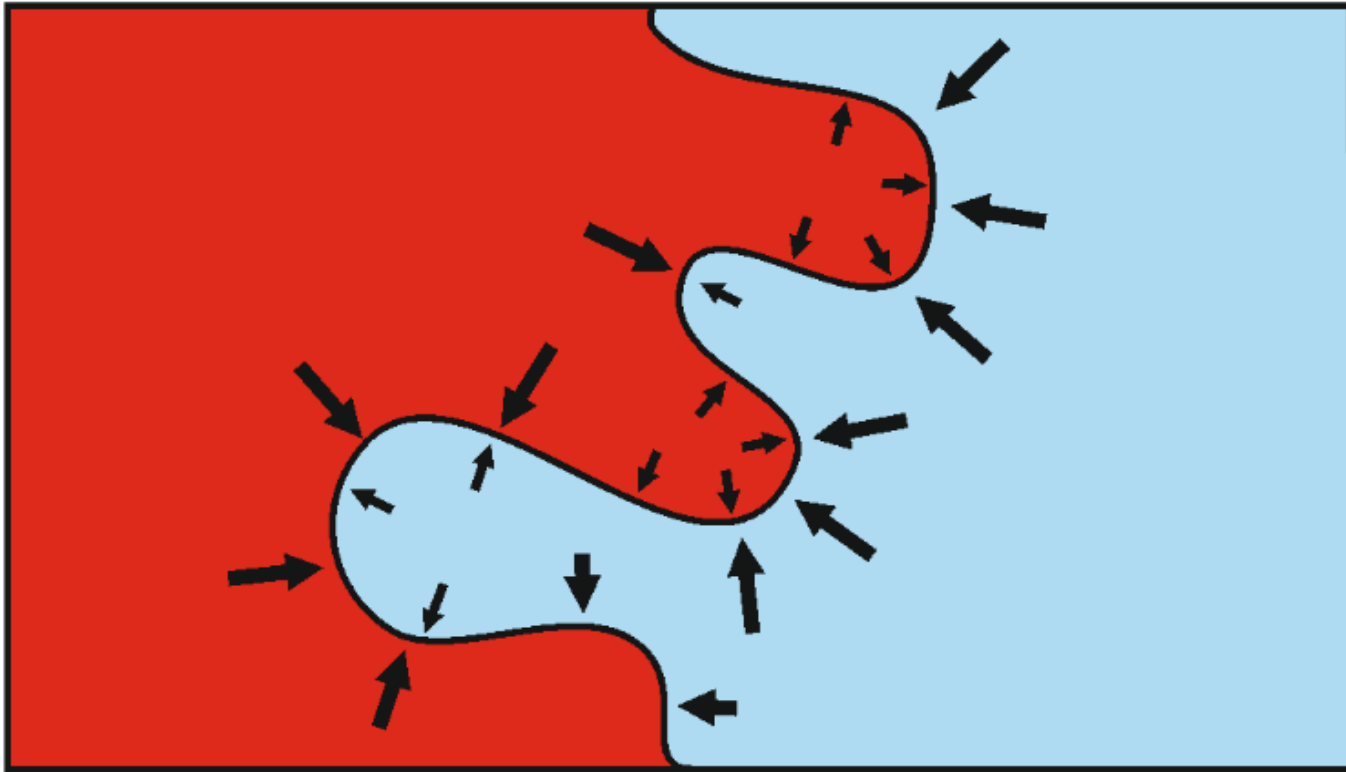


tension zone moves
along the gradient of
population density

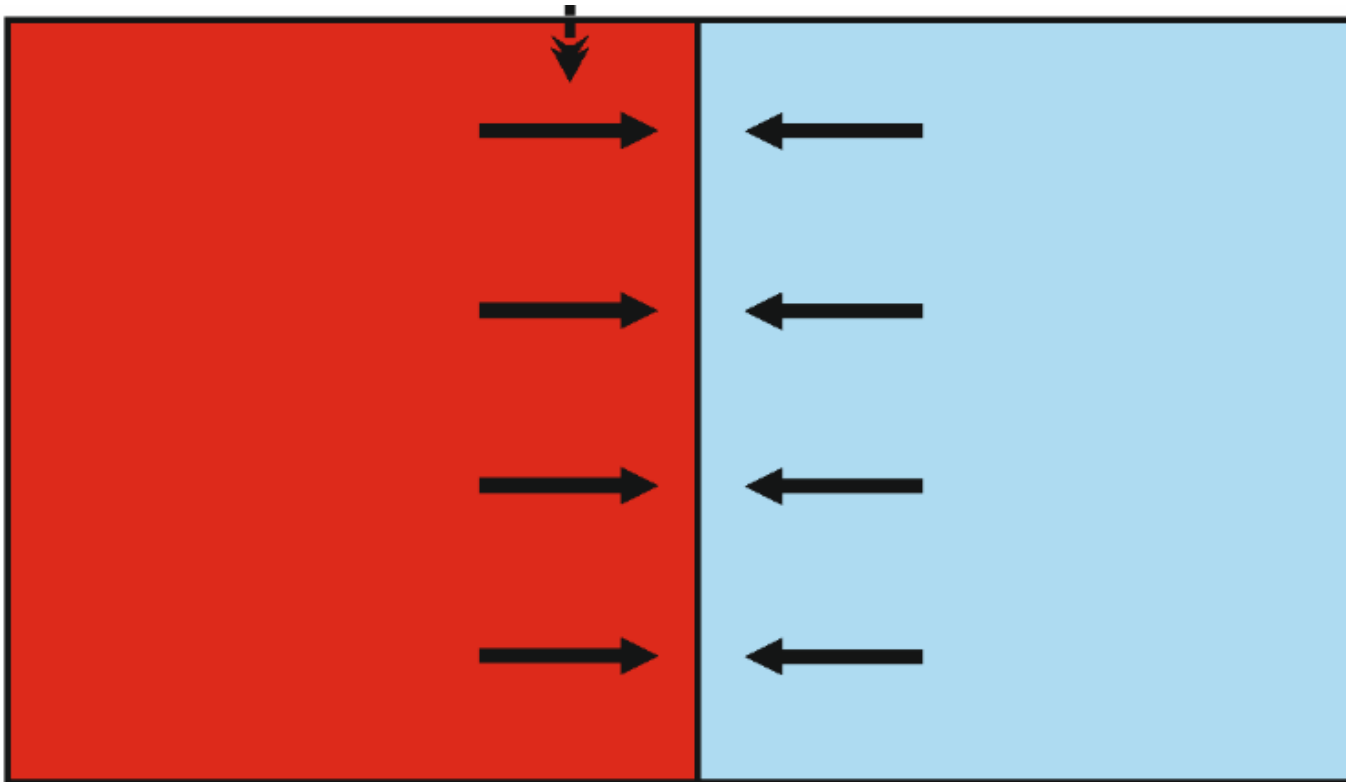
Tension zone is independent of external conditions (*intrinsic selection*)
⇒ its movement ends at a geographical barrier or in the area
of the lowest population density („*population/density trough*“)



„population trough“



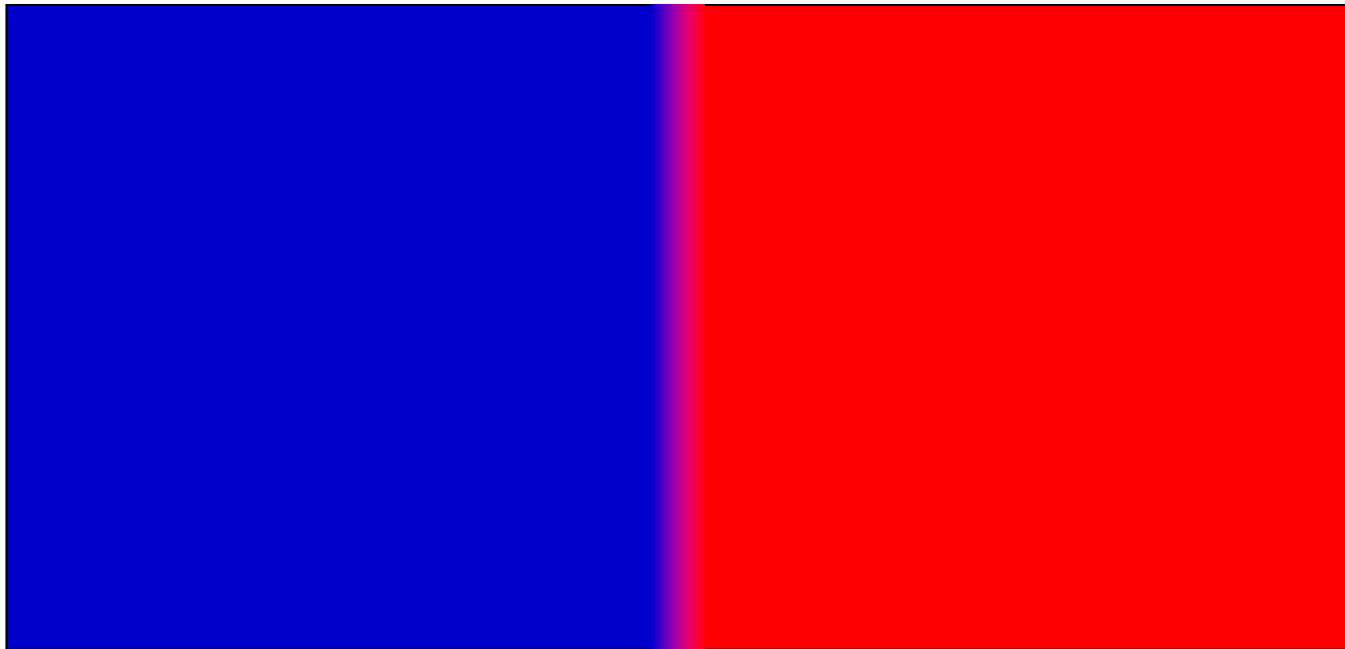
Tension zone moves along a population gradient ...



... \Rightarrow it tends to shorten its length.

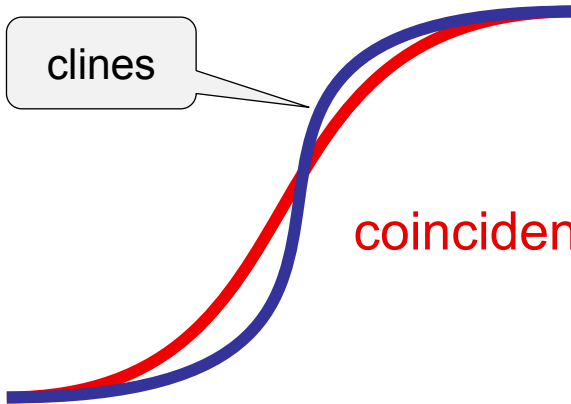
Theory of cline:

secondary contact:  coincident and concordant clines

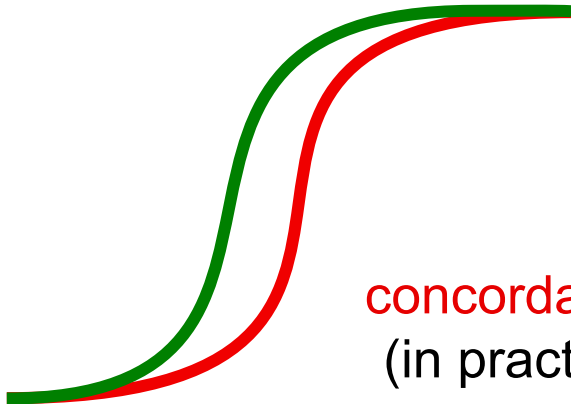


Cline = gradient of trait(s) (eg. allele frequency or mean of quantitative trait) across spatially continuous habitat

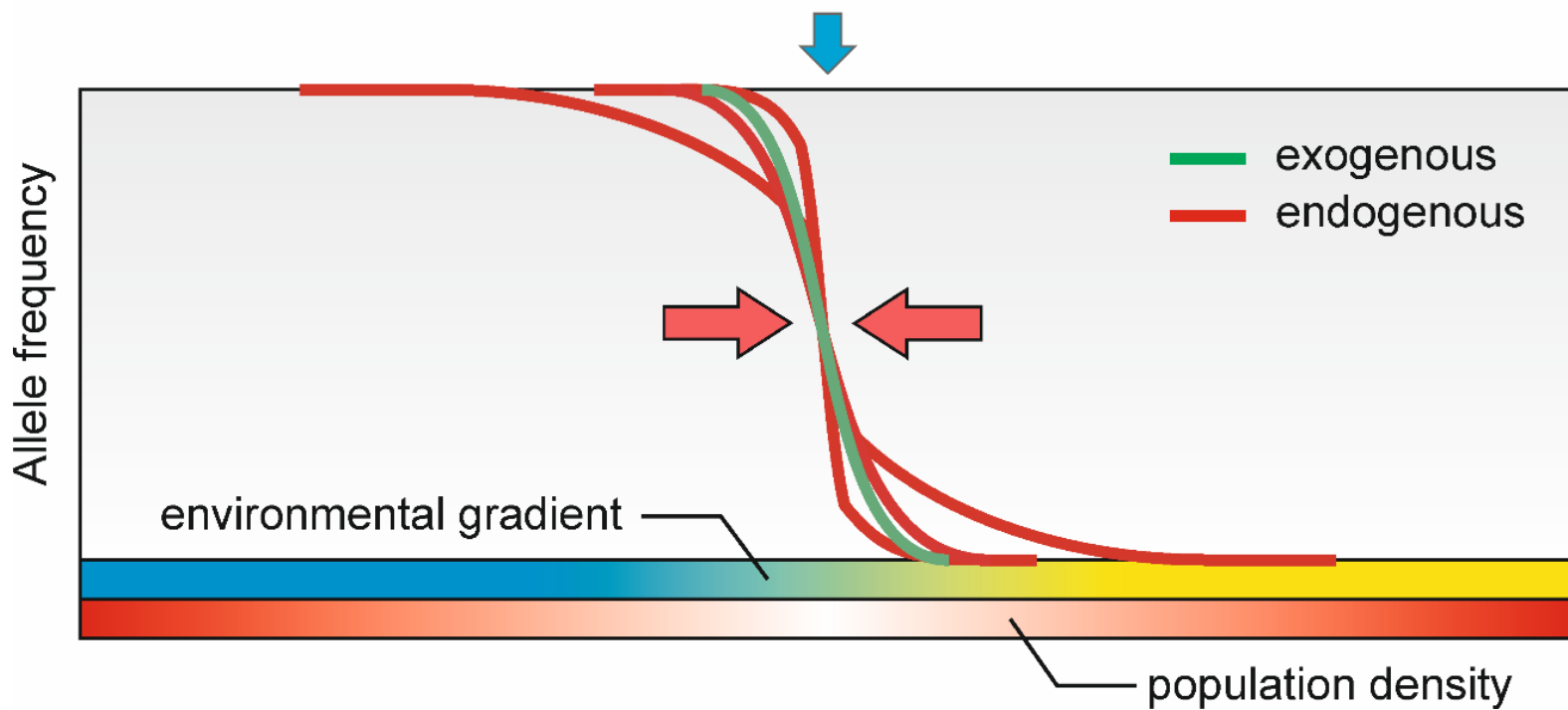
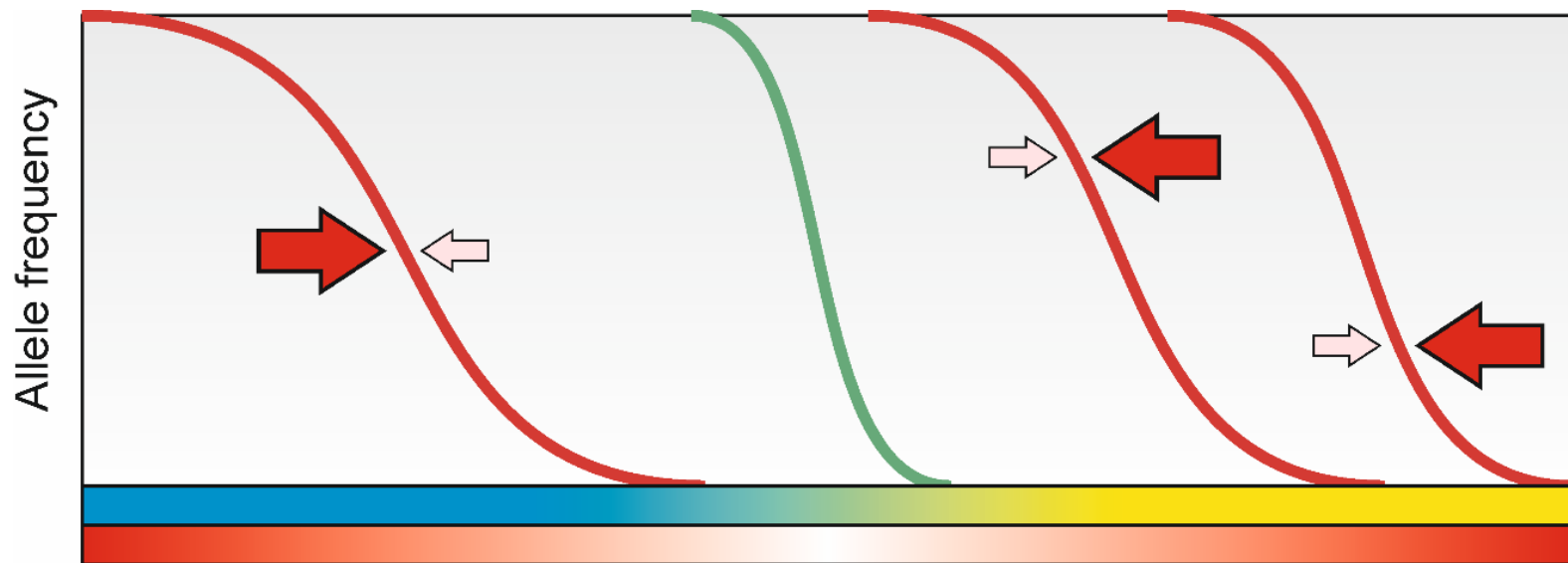
clines



coincidence = same positions of zone centres

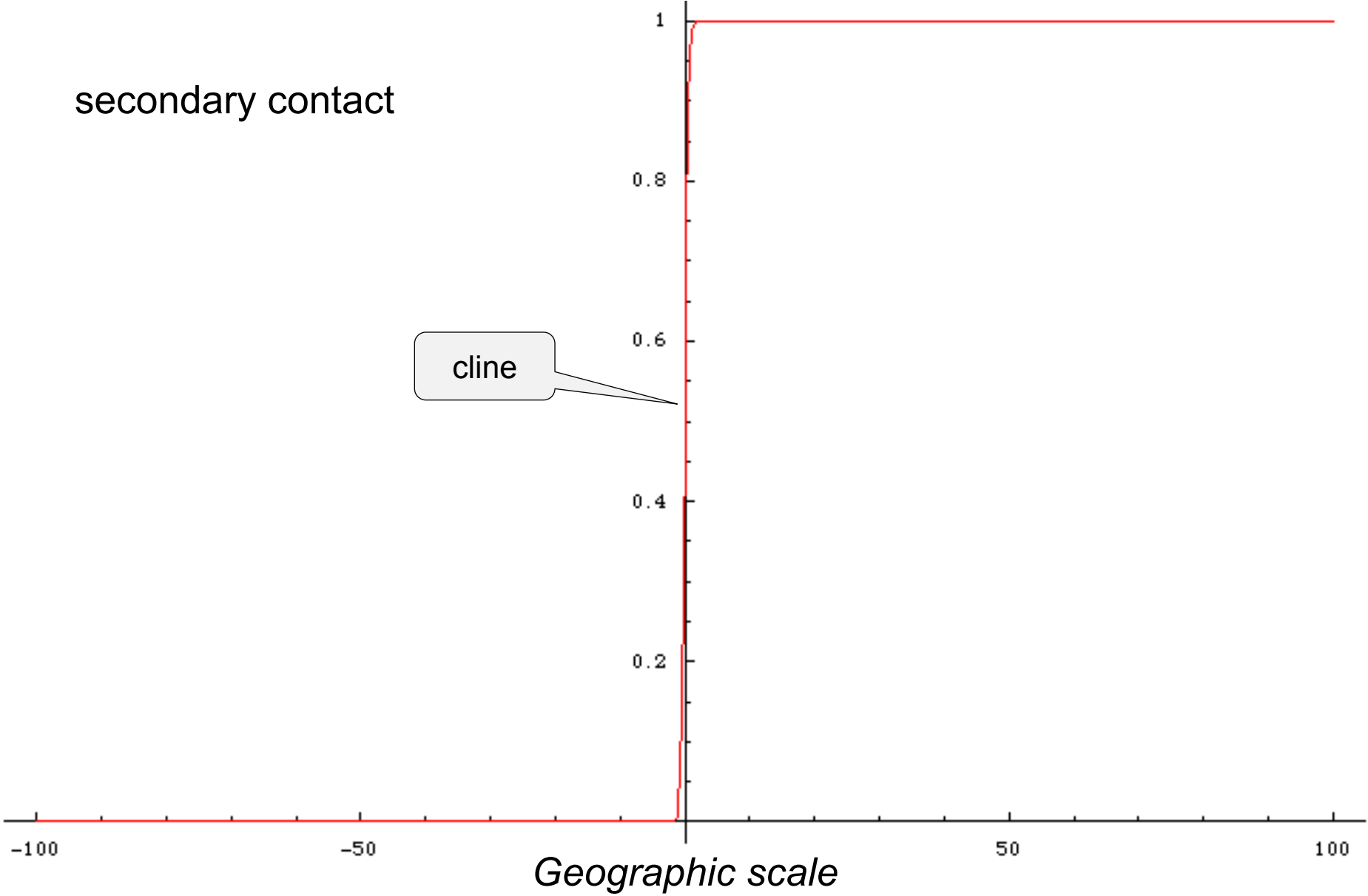


concordance = same cline shapes
(in practice usually same widths)



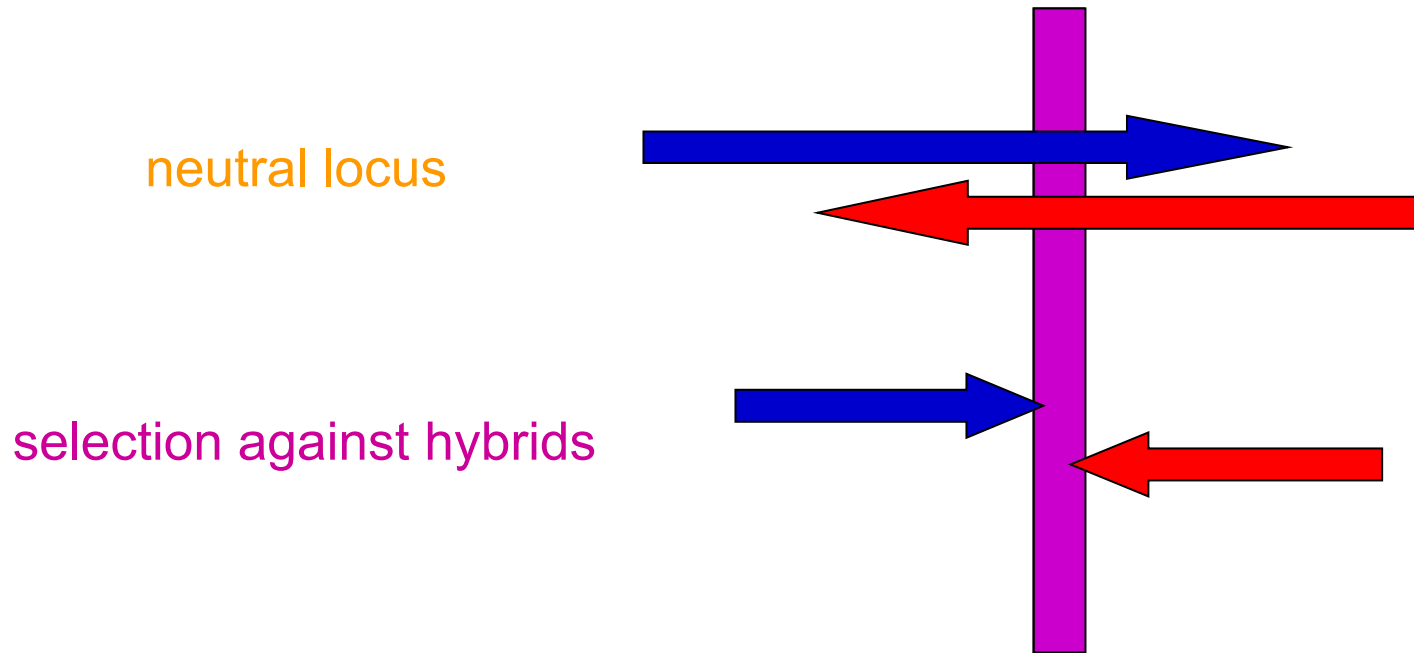
secondary contact

cline

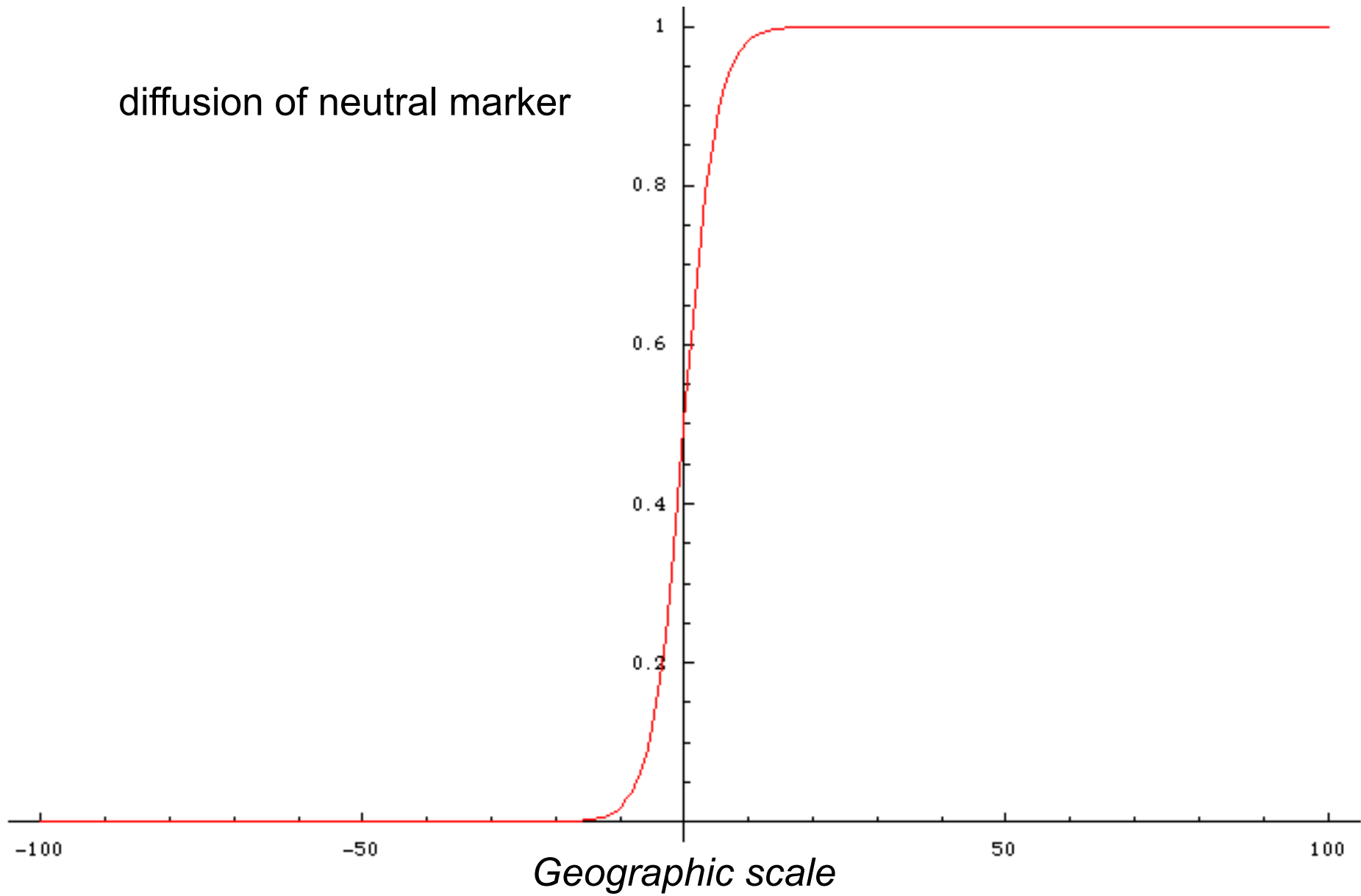


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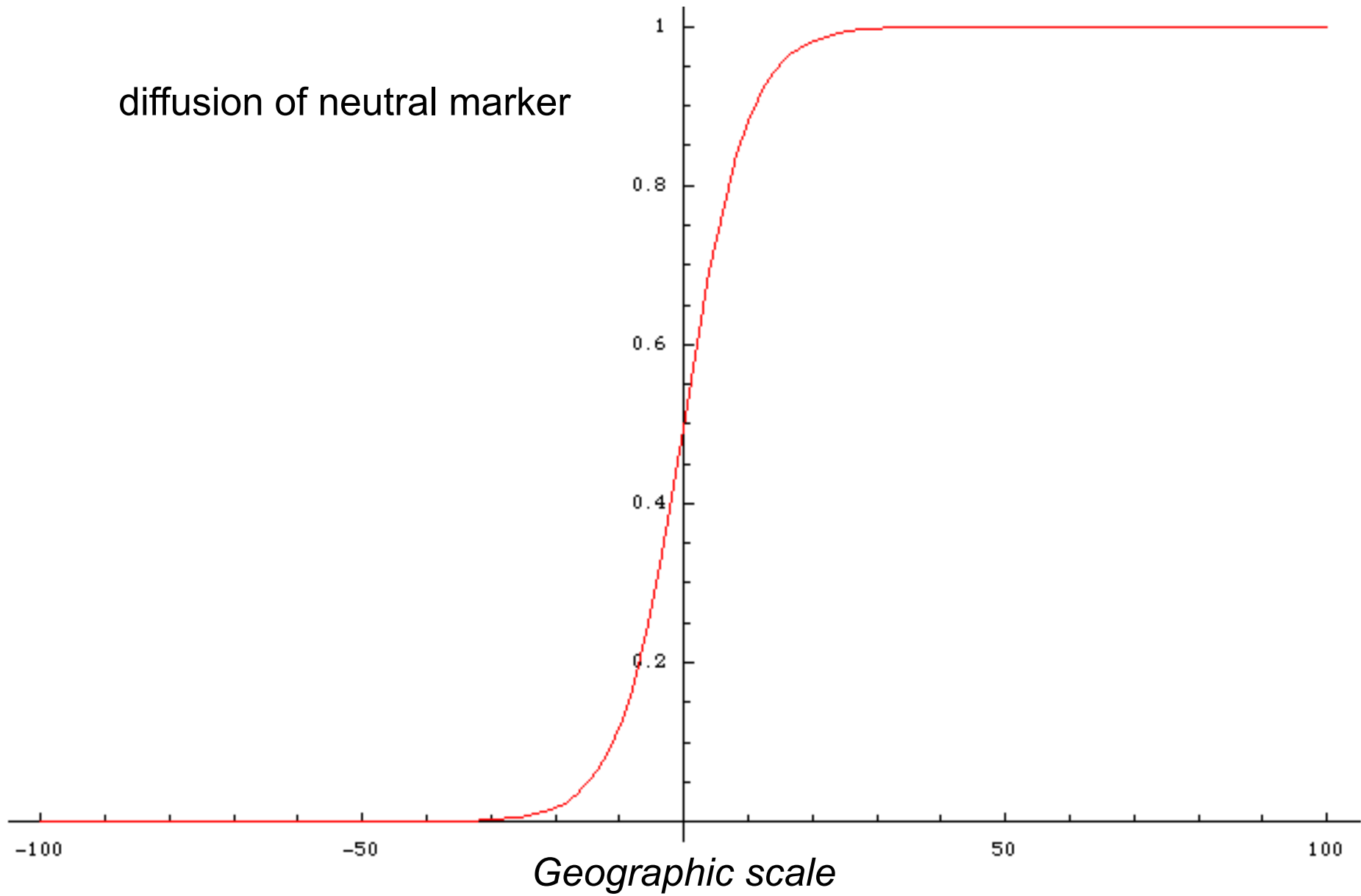
neutral vs. selected loci



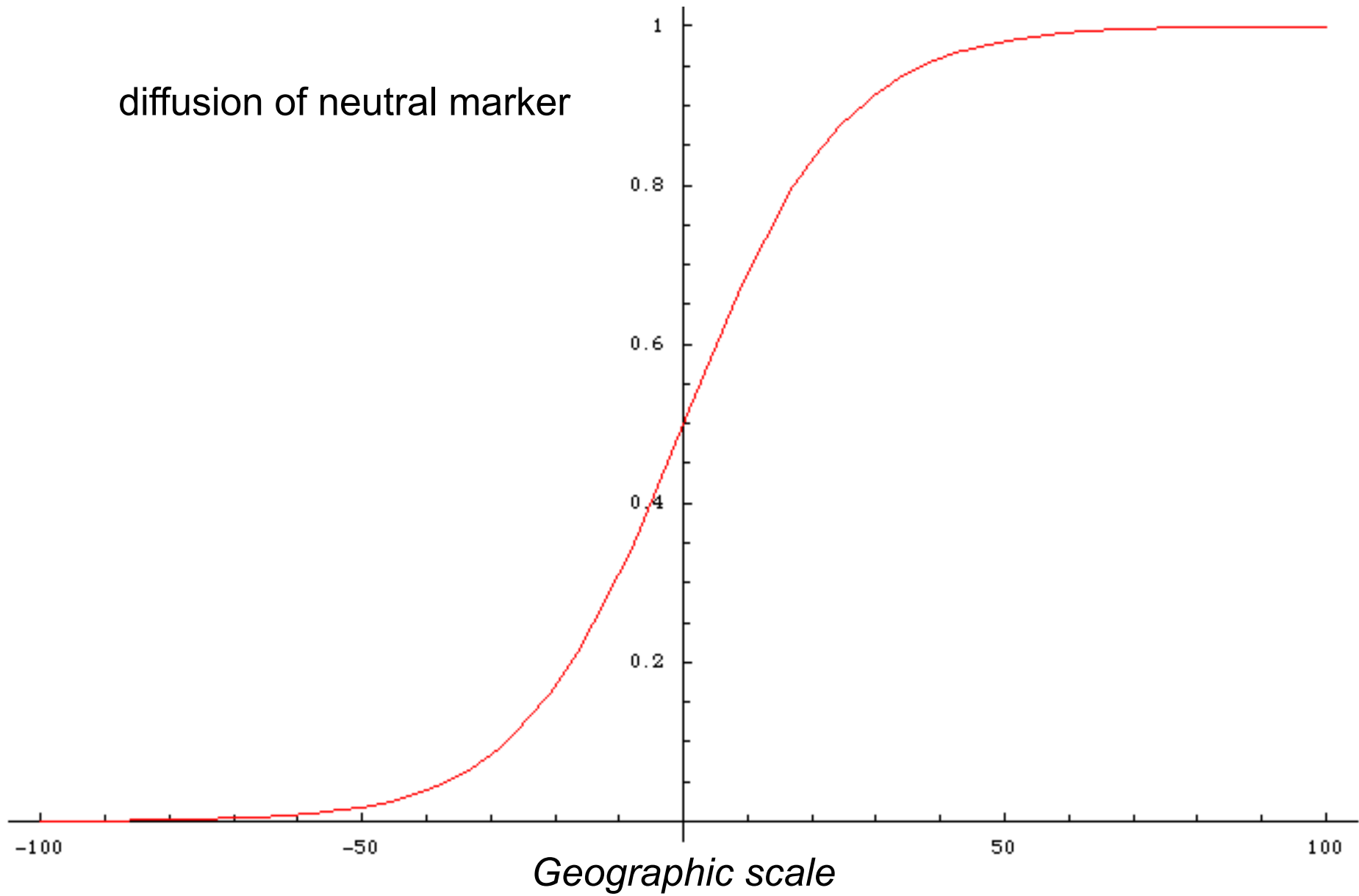
diffusion of neutral marker



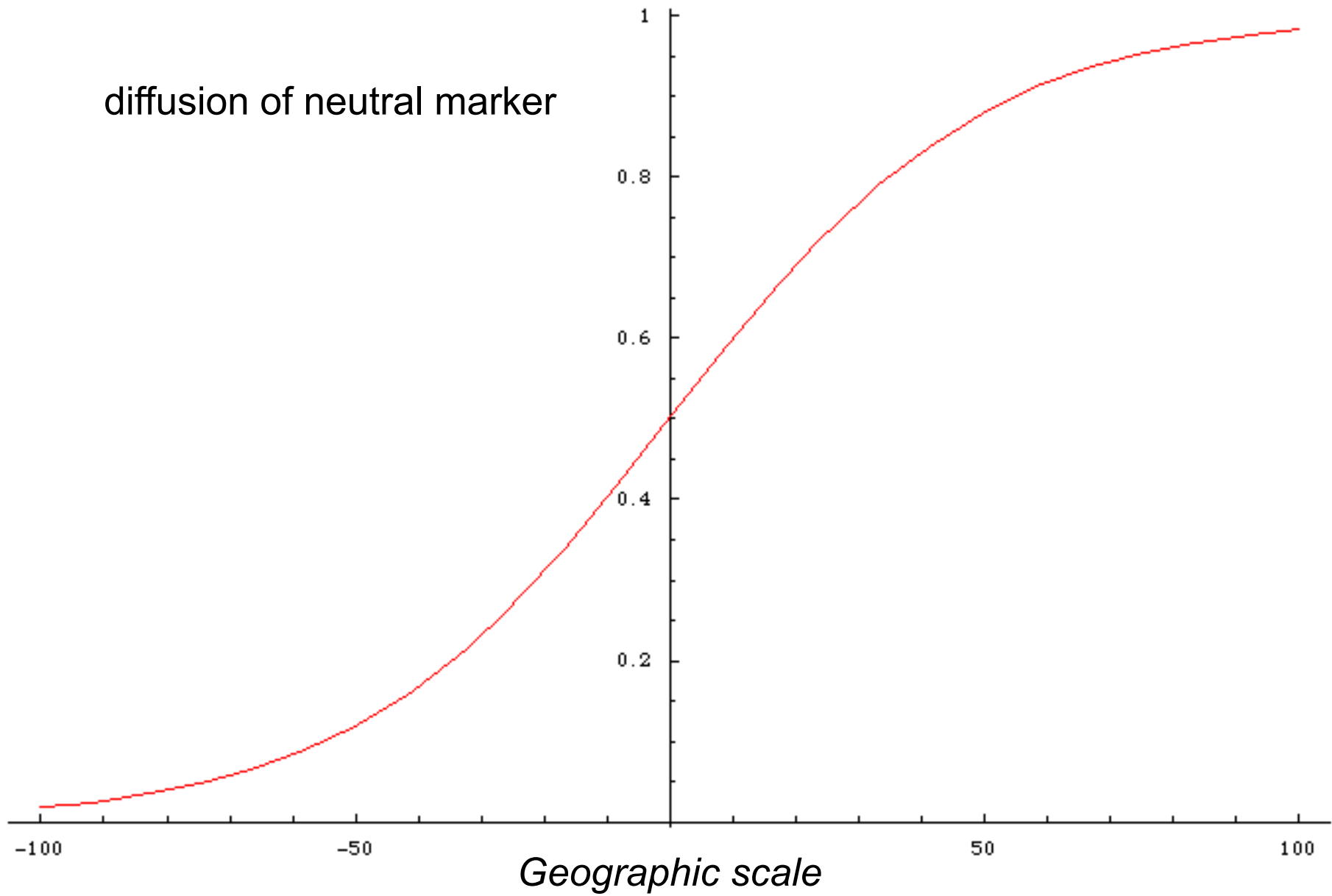
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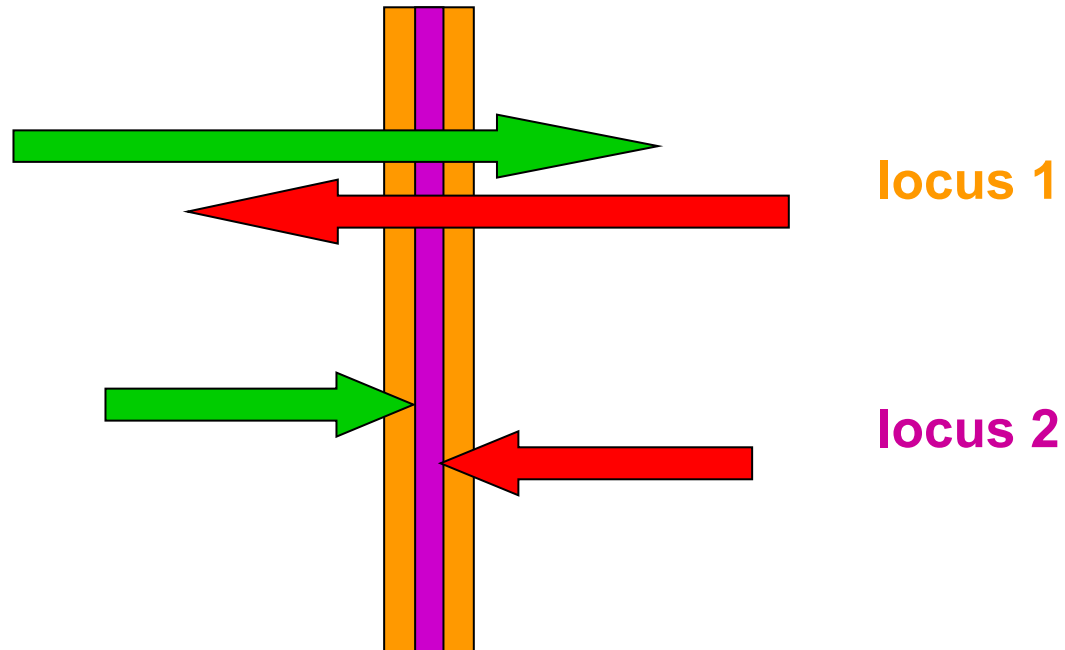


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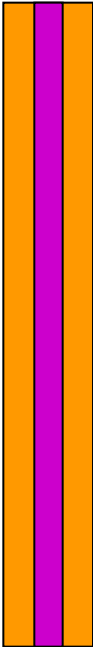
neutral vs. selected loci

with time, concordance is disappearing ...



... but (in tension zone) selection pushes clines for individual loci to each other
⇒ maintains coincidence

sometimes ...

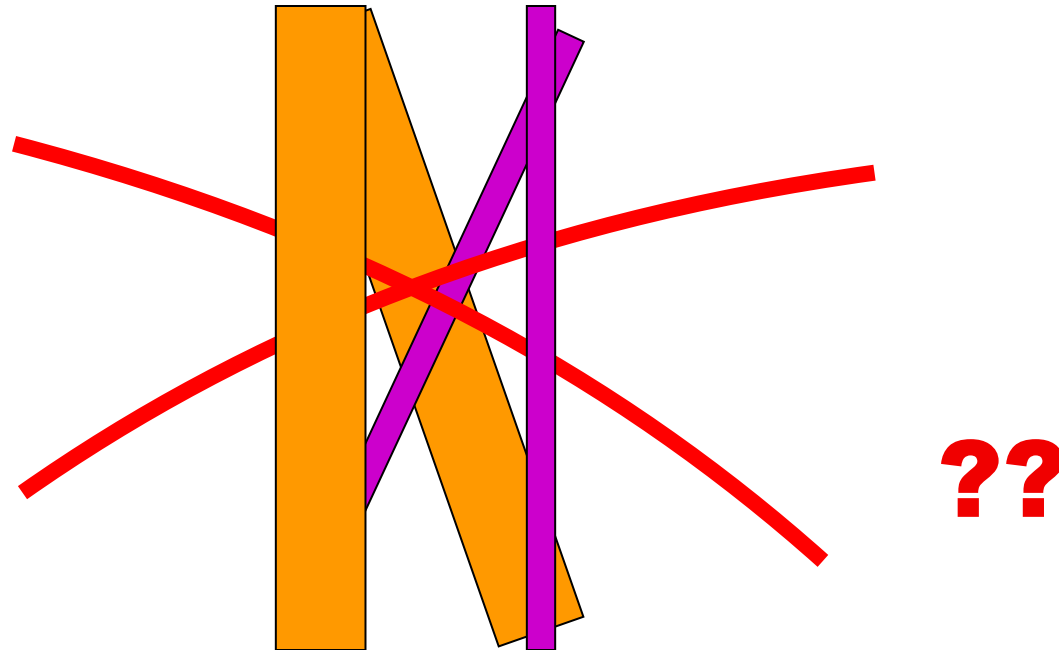


locus 1

locus 2

... but clines still parallel

cline models (diffusion approximation etc.), linkage disequilibrium, evolutionary parameters

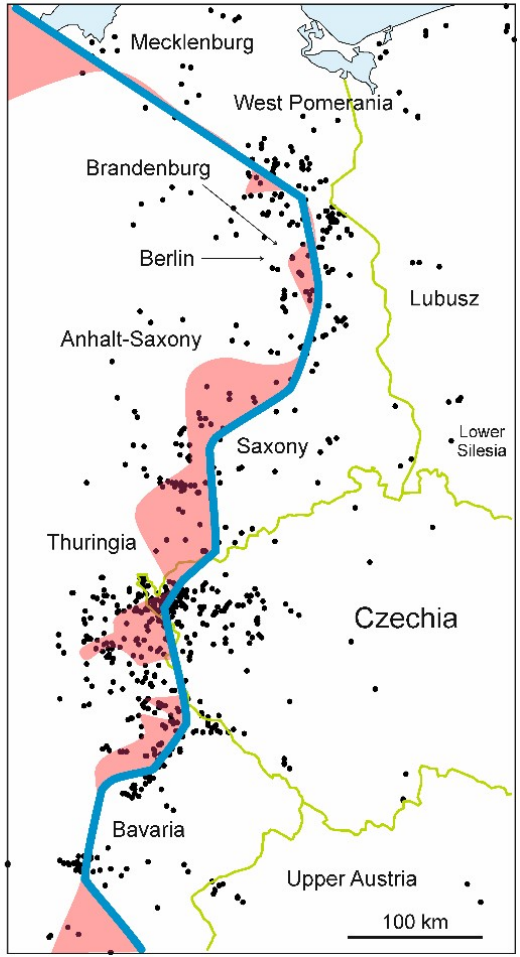
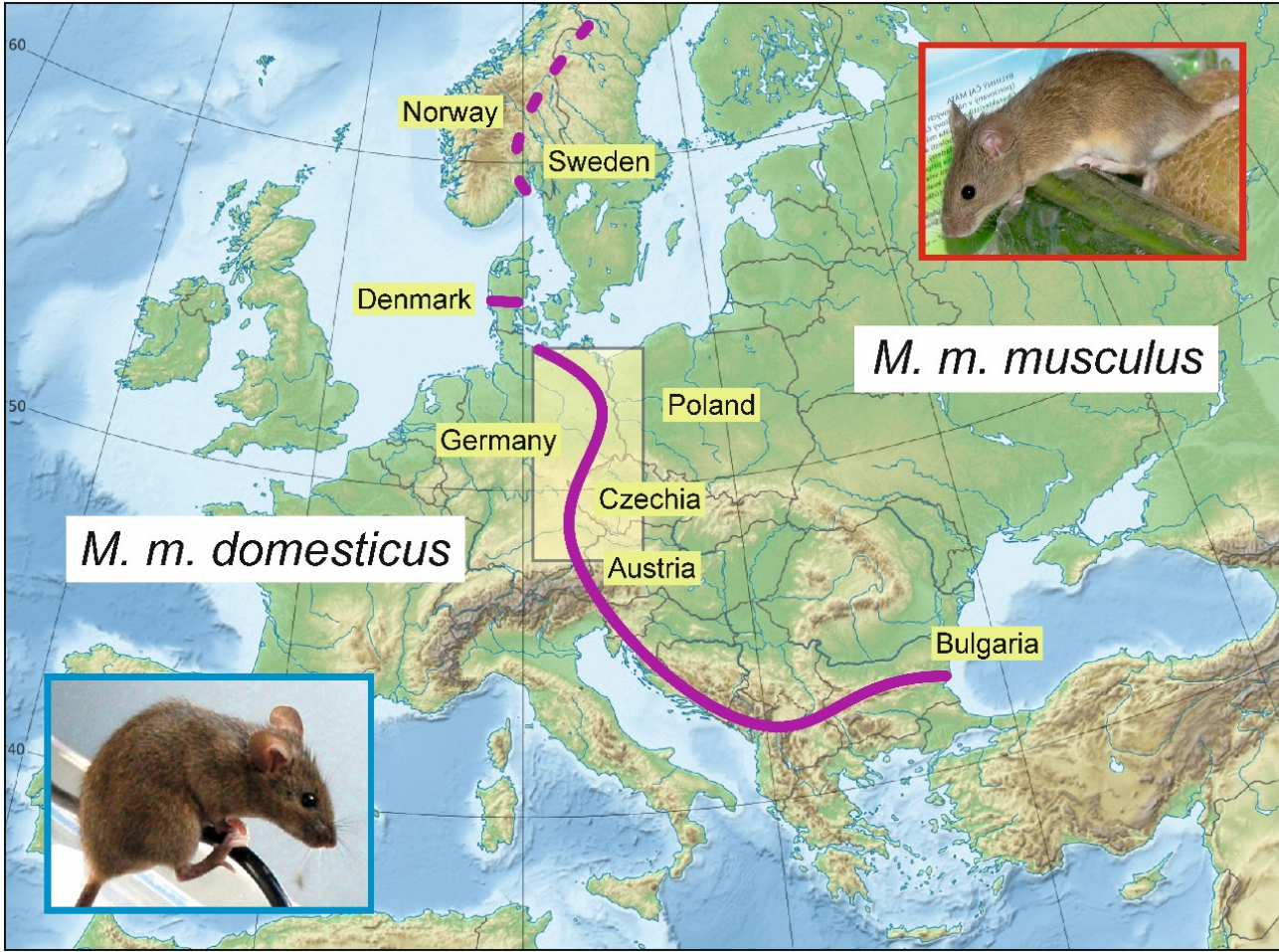


problem, how to analyse

Hybrid zone study

1. Sampling along linear or 2D transect, geographic coordinates of localities
2. Genetic (morphological, behavioural etc.) analysis
... problem of sample independence (F_{ST} , F_{IS} ... effective No. alleles)
3. Geographic clines
4. Estimation of dispersal, selection, and other parameters
5. Alternative approaches:
monotonic clines
2D analysis
genomic clines
concordance analysis

Case study: house mouse hybrid zone



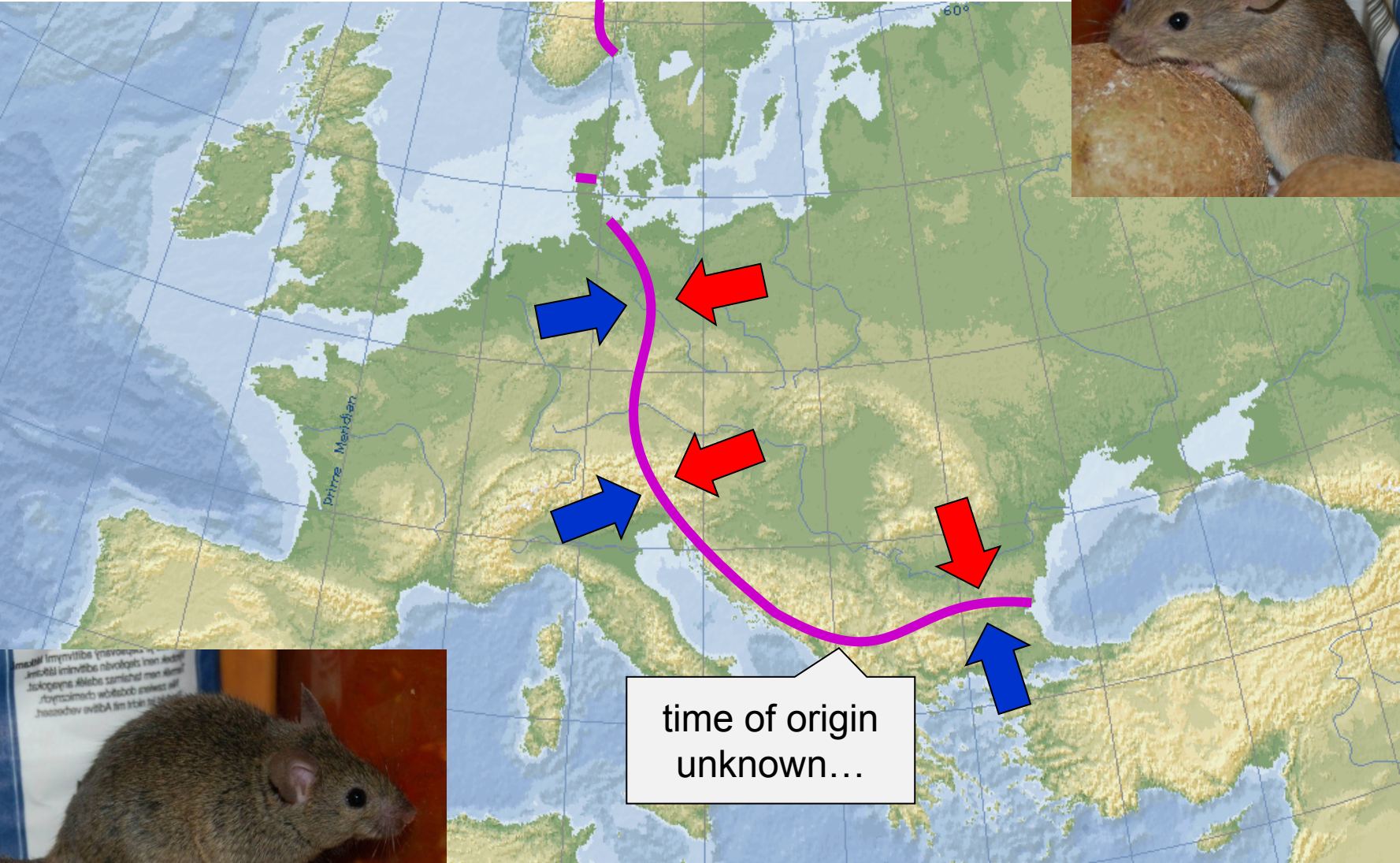
domesticus

musculus



Hybrid zone in Europe

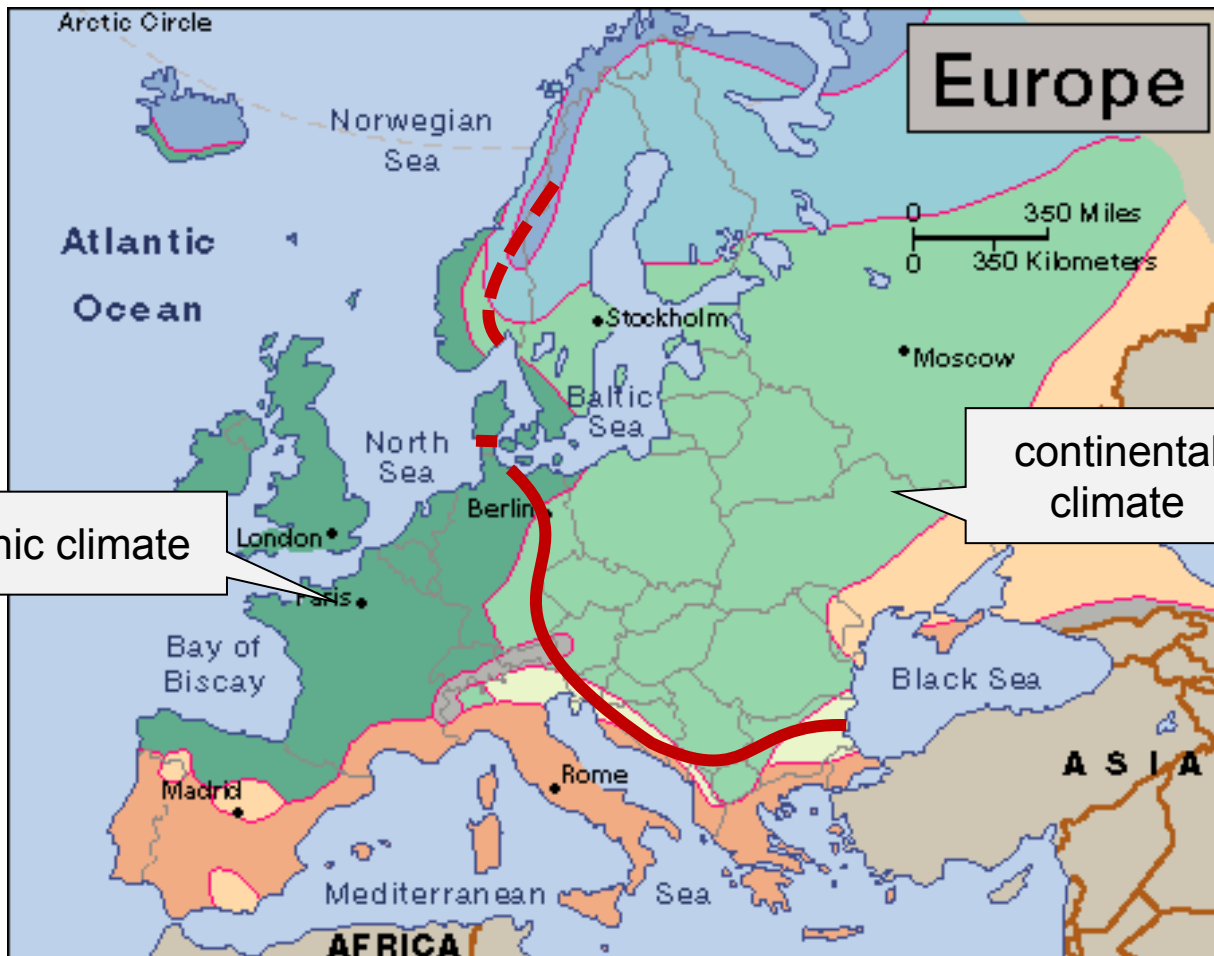
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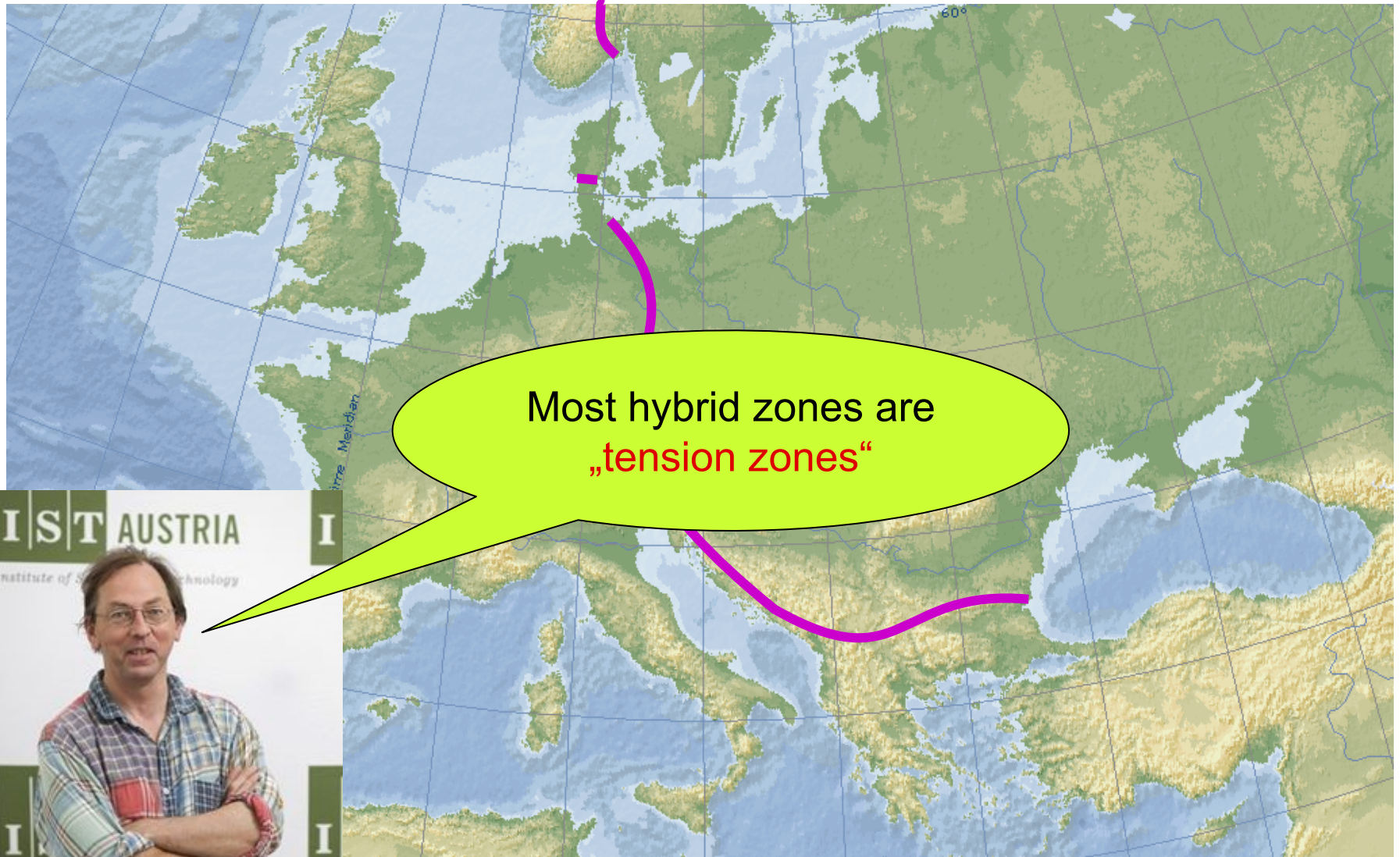


oceanic climate

continental climate

- | | |
|--|--|
|  Semi-arid |  Humid continental |
|  Subtropical dry summer |  Subarctic |
|  Humid subtropical |  Tundra |
|  Humid oceanic |  Highland |

Hybrid zone in Europe

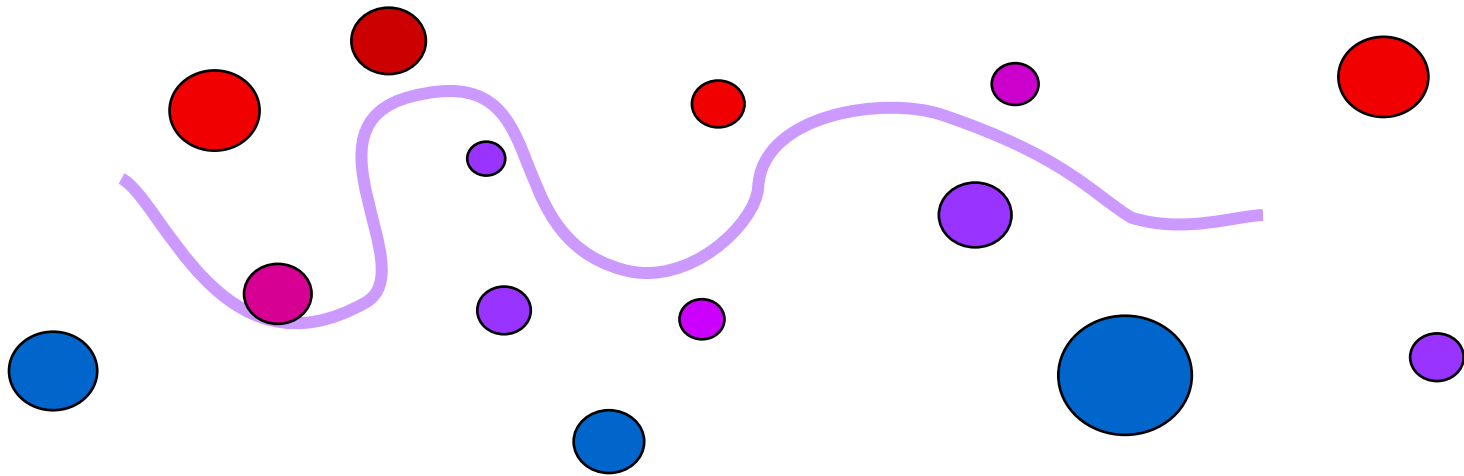


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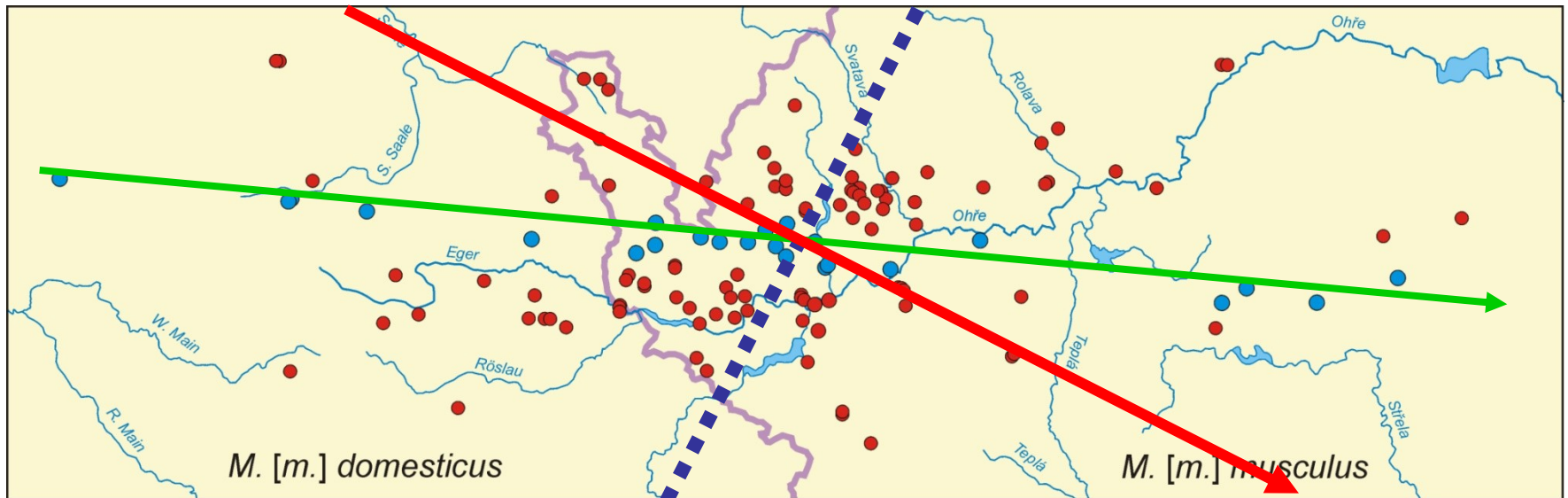
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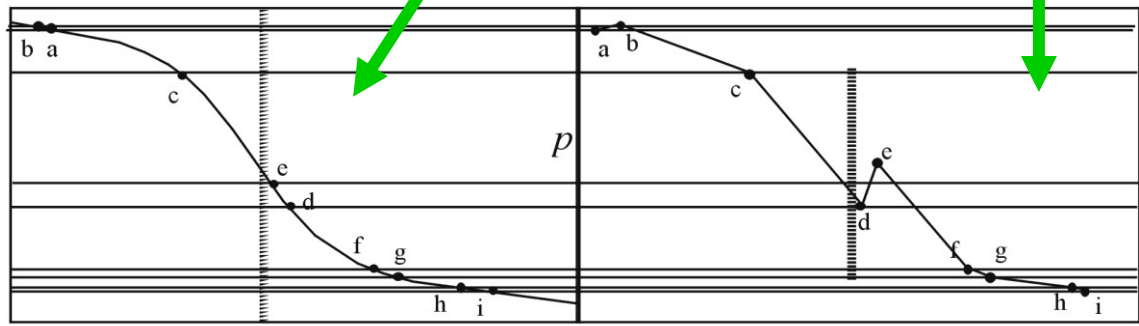
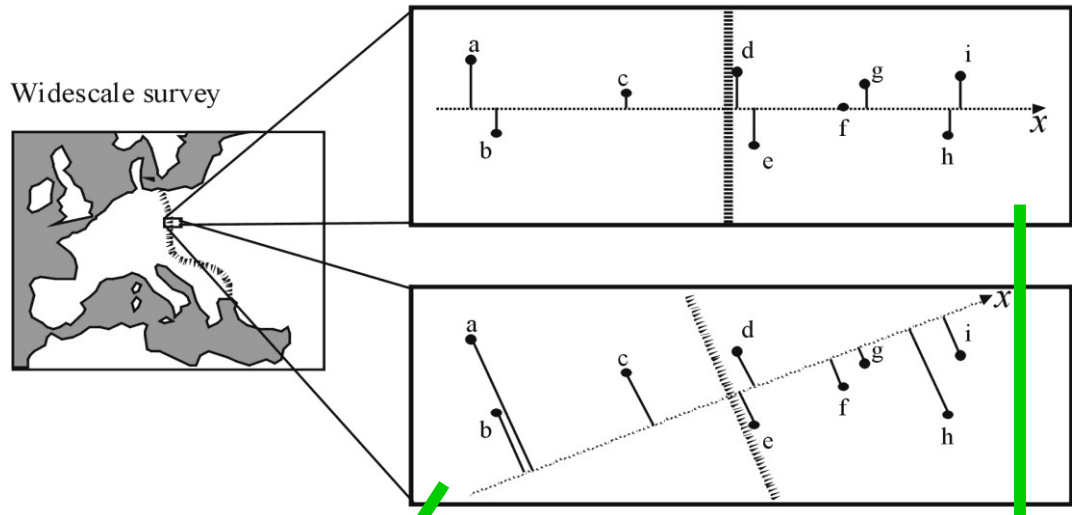
also the mouse hybrid zone?



hybrid zone course may be complex....

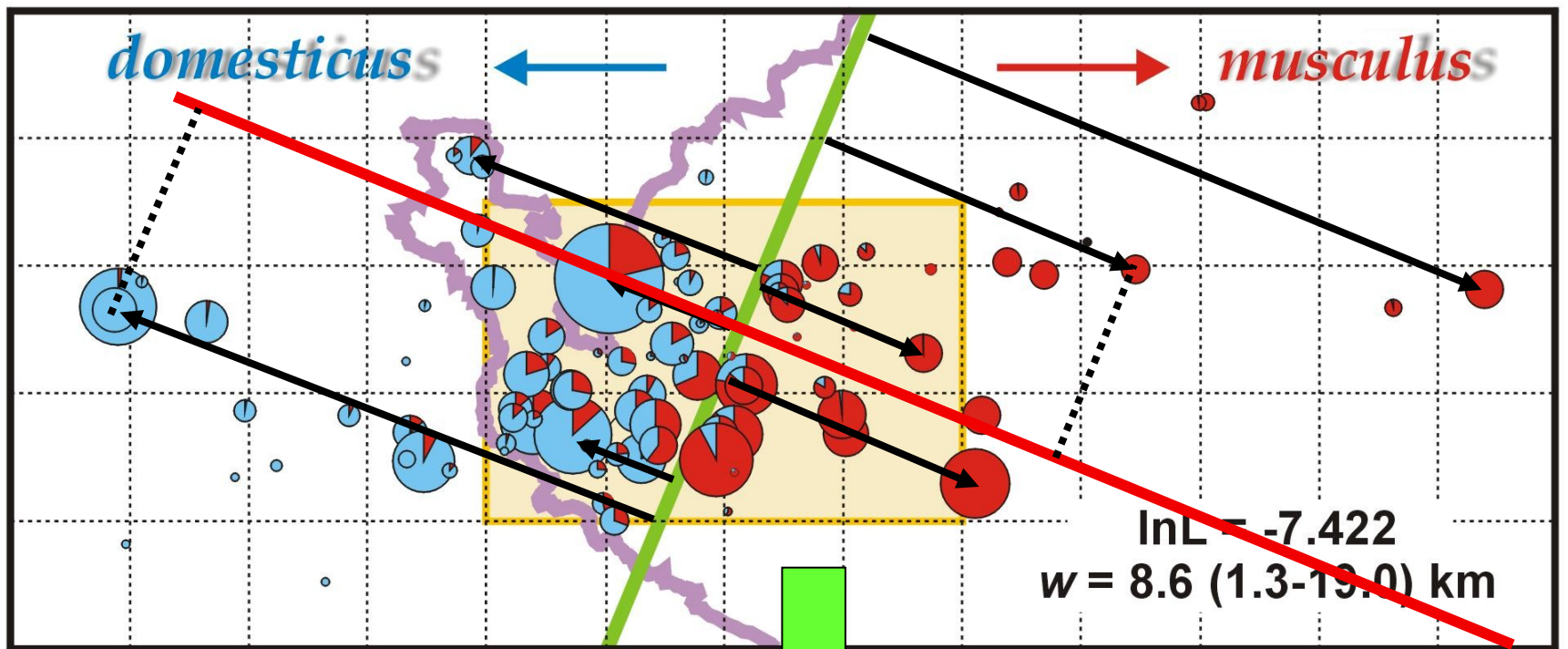
... moreover, usually we don't know a priori, or we extrapolate from global direction



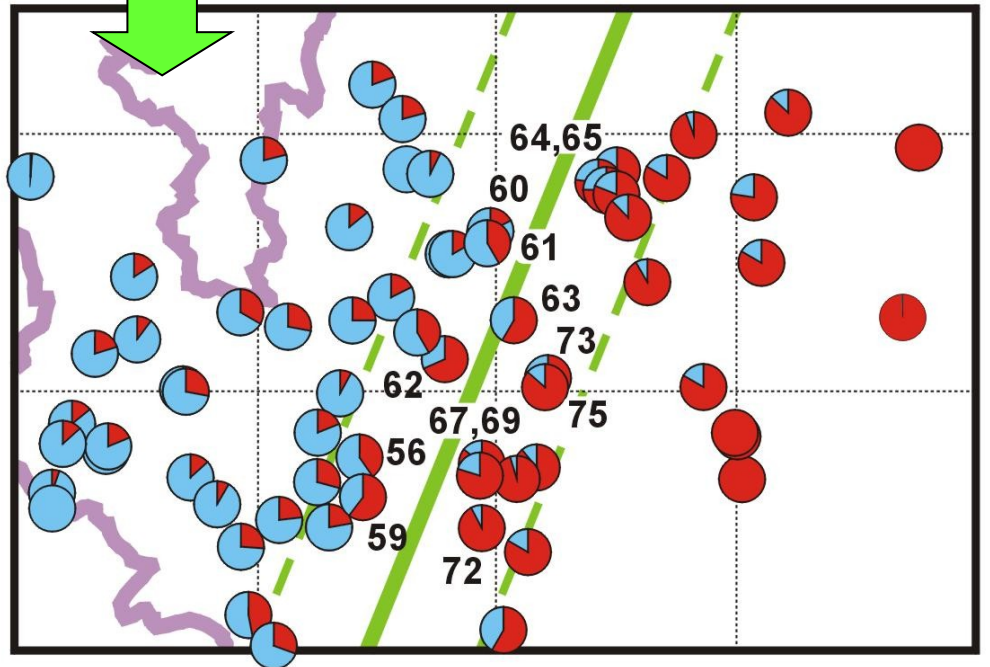


Real local cline

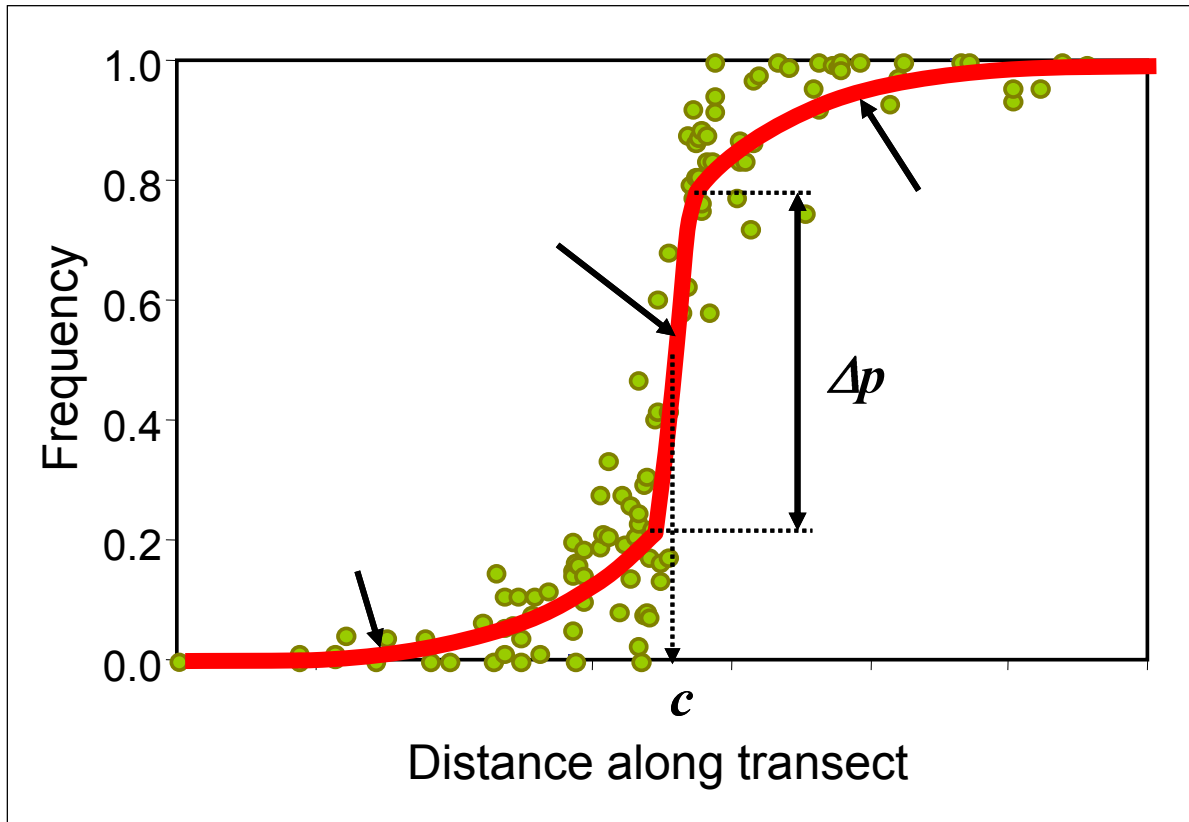
**Cline interpolated
from widescale survey**



2D → 1D clines



Multiple genes:



„stepped“ model (symmetrical, asymmetrical)

linkage disequilibrium resulting from influx of parental allele combinations \Rightarrow
synergistic effect: strengthening of selection in zone centre \Rightarrow central step
 \times introgression tails reflect selection at individual loci

We can estimate some other key evolutionary parameters
from LD and cline parameters:

dispersal:

effective selection:

selection on marker loci:

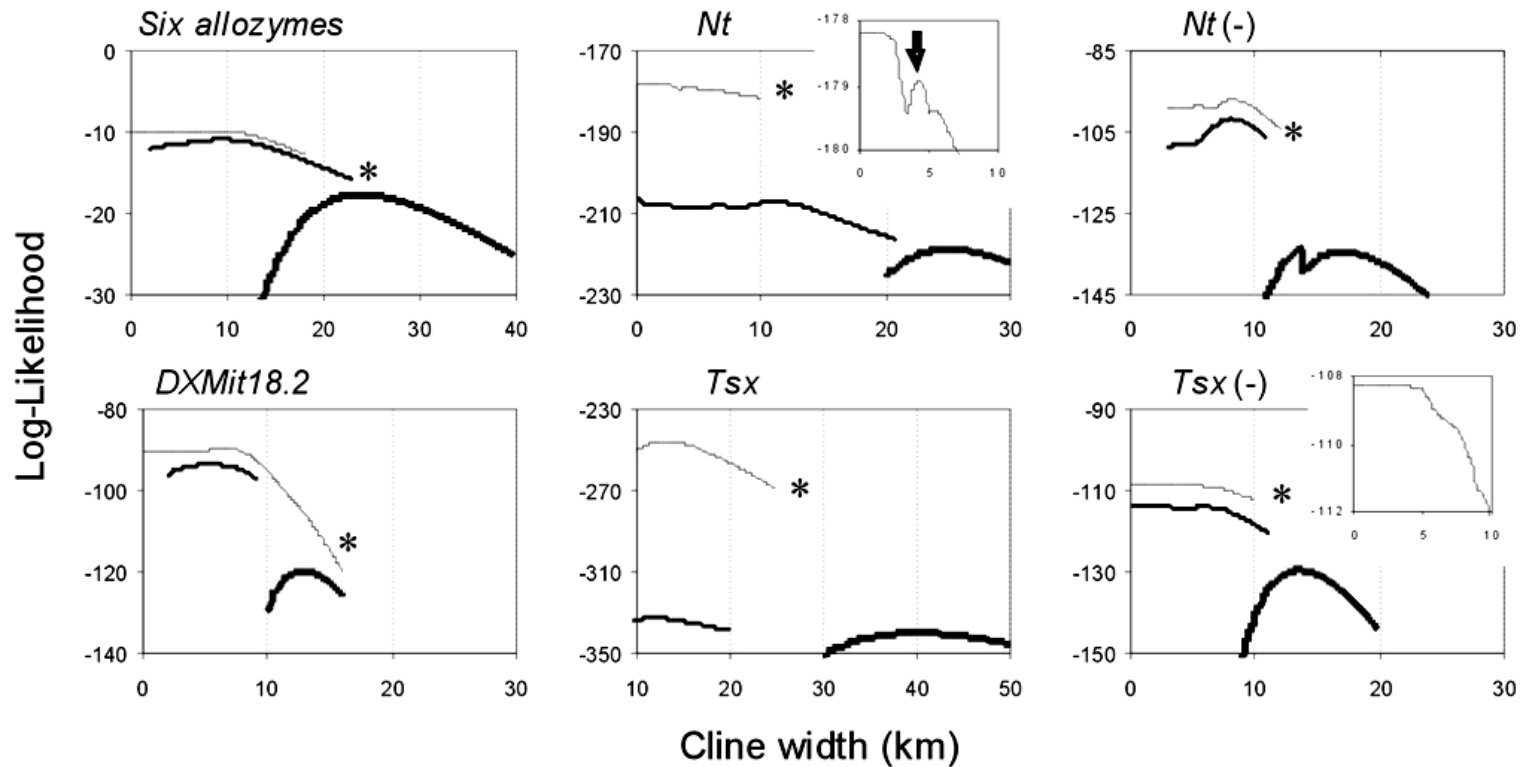
selection on selected loci:

fitness of hybrids:

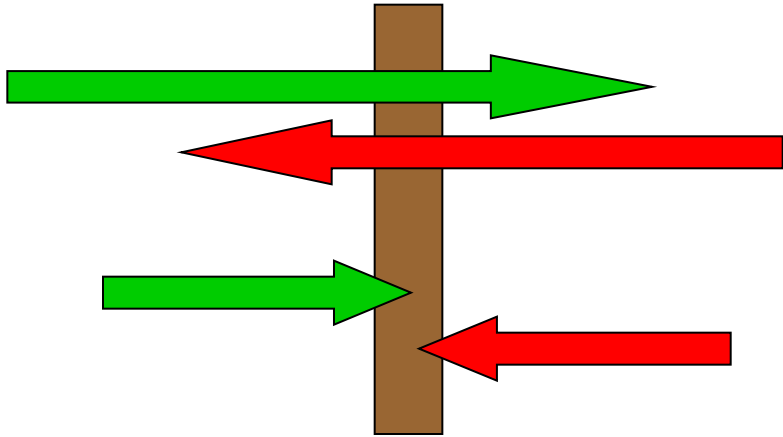
number of loci under selection:

model comparison: LRT (they are nested); d.f. = difference in number of parameters

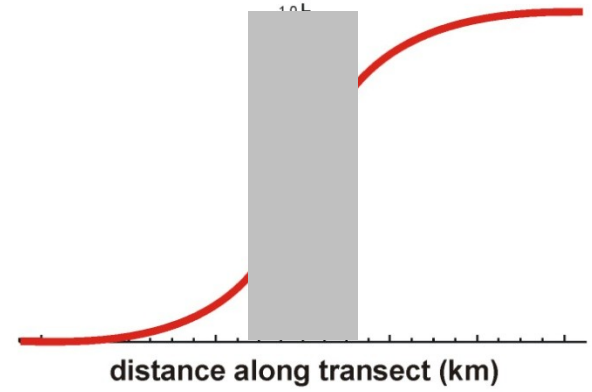
likelihood profiles:



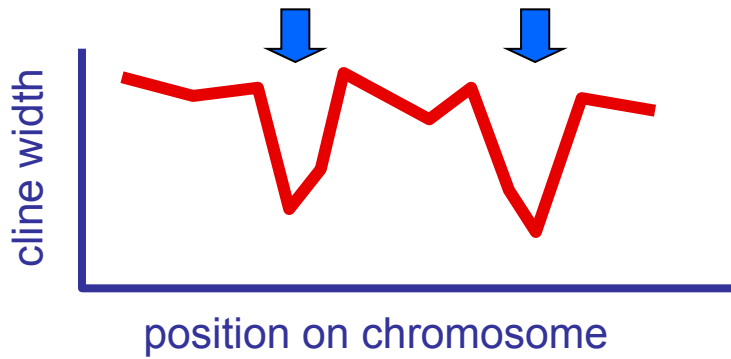
hybrid zone



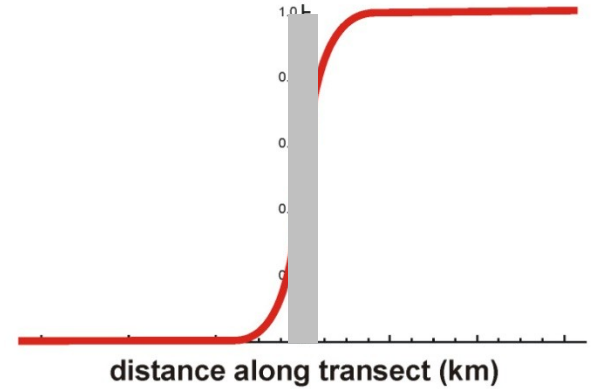
hybrid index



selected areas



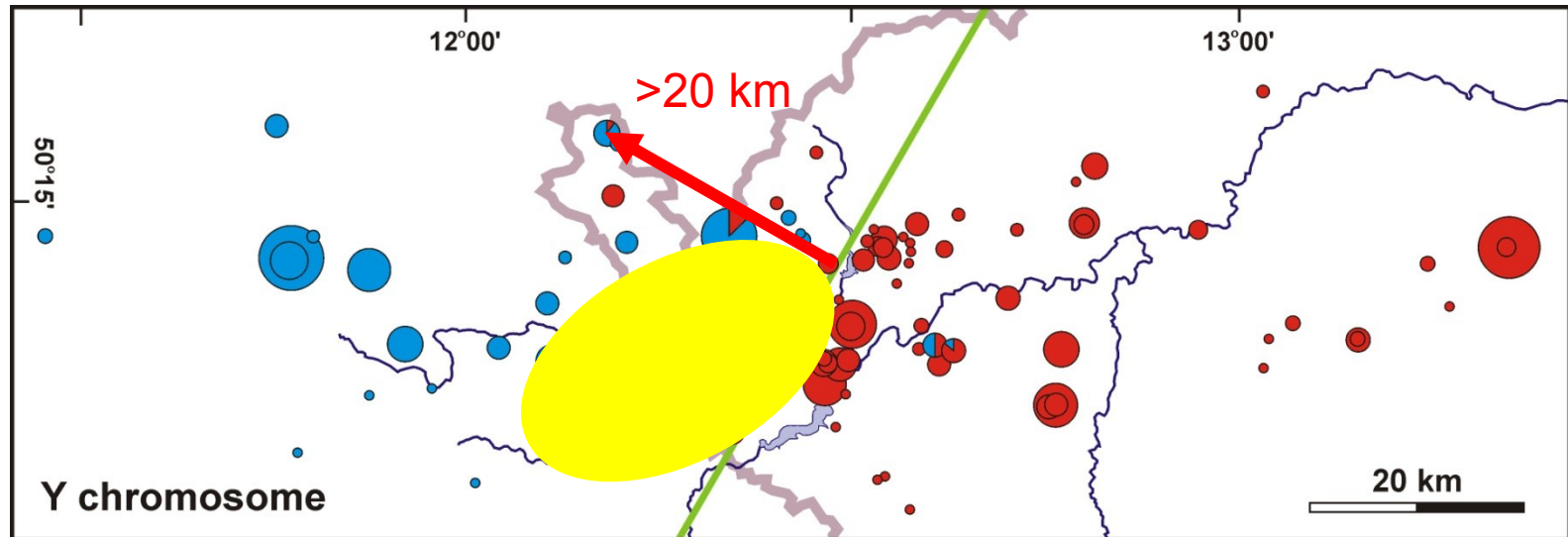
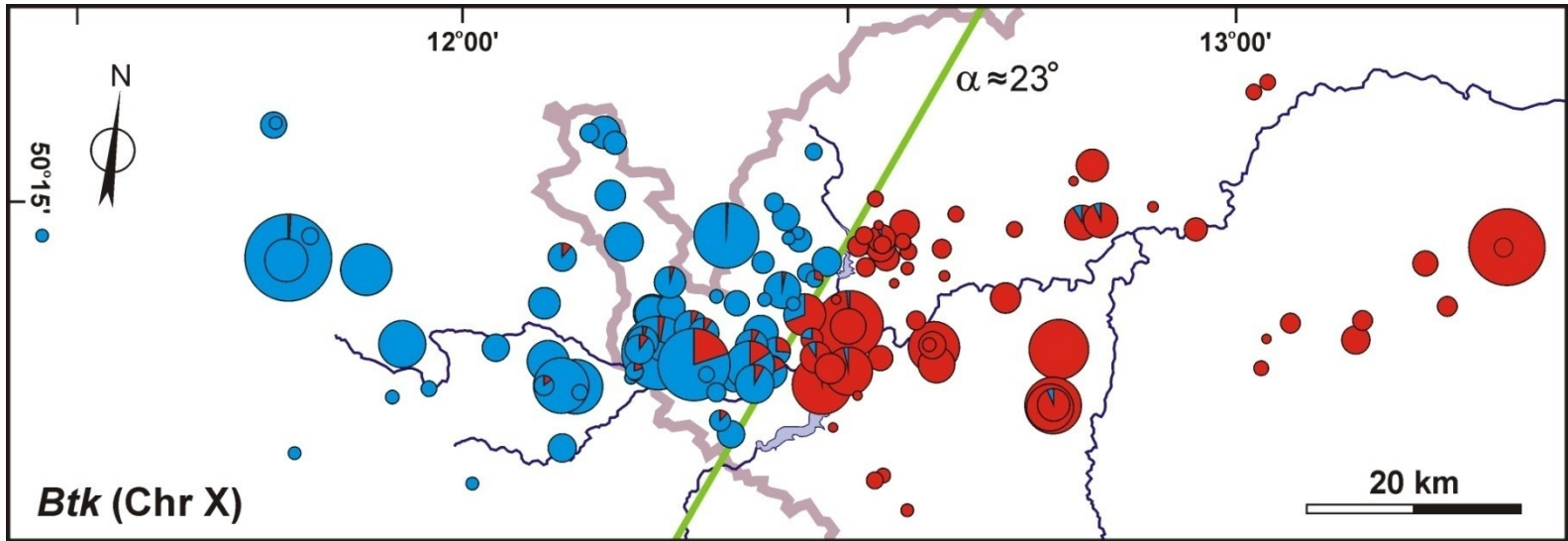
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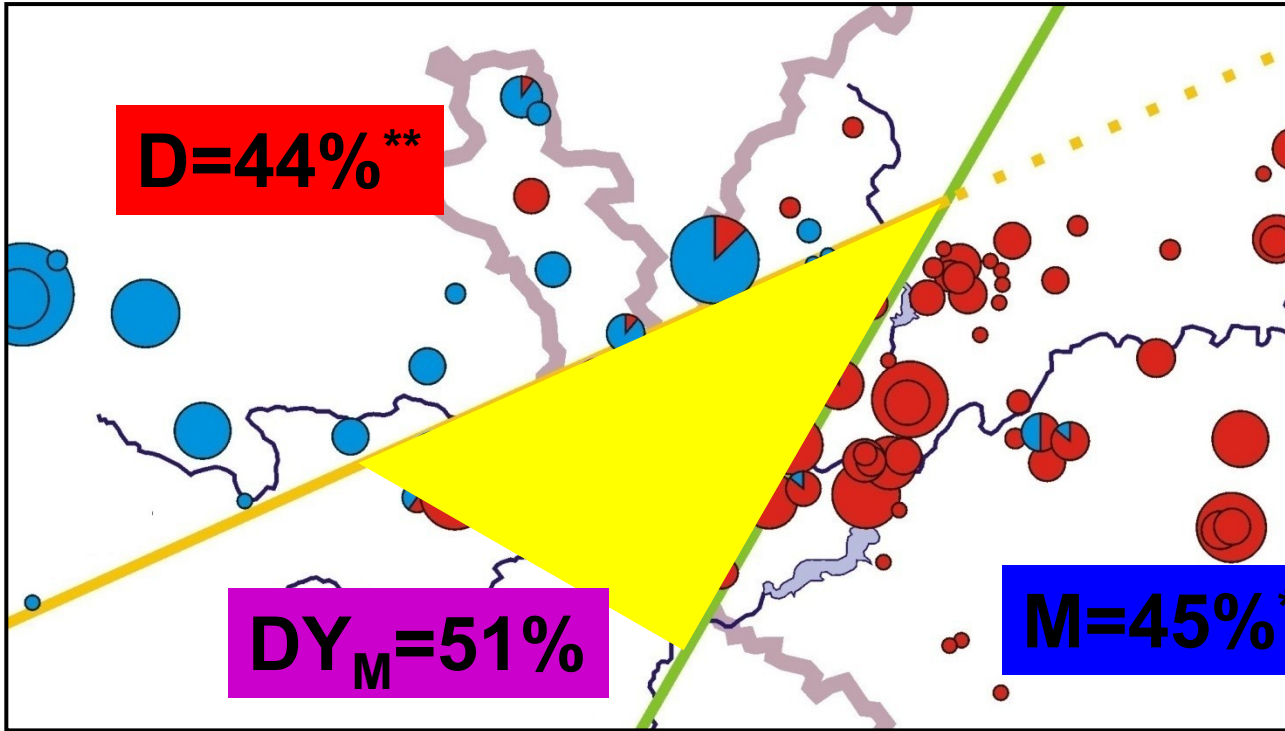


centromere

molecular markers

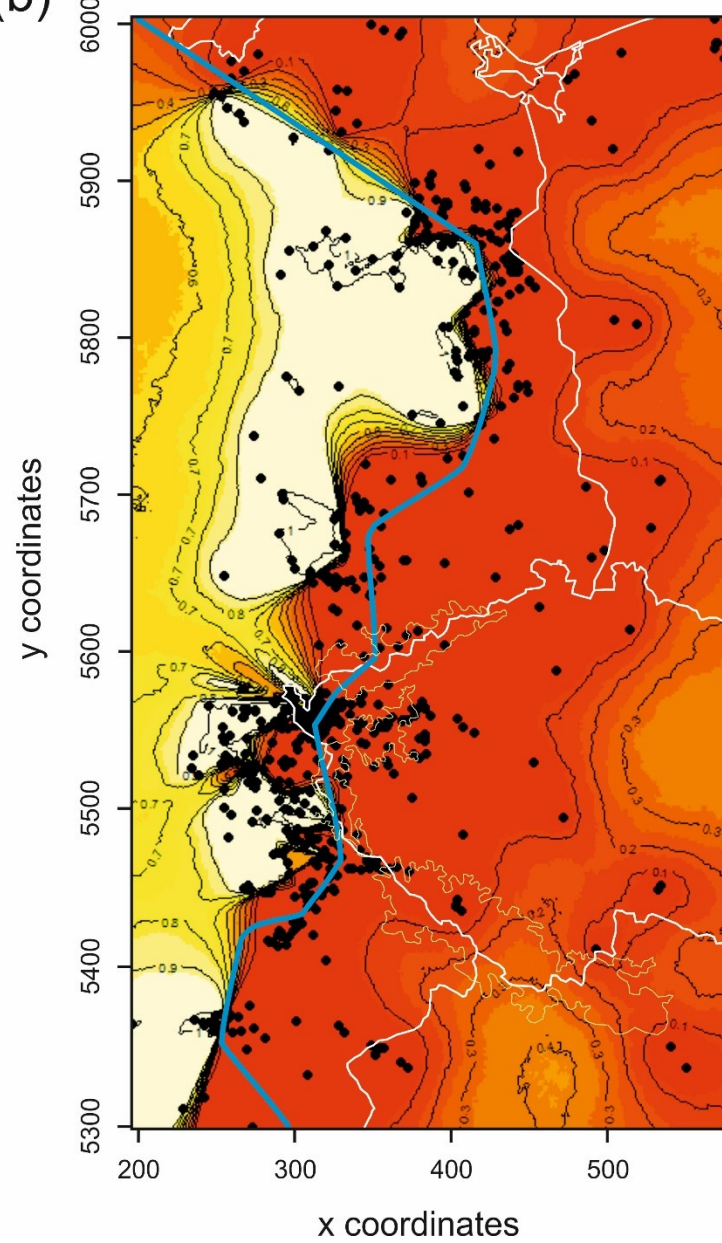
Problems – Y chromosome





salient/invagination $\approx 330 \text{ km}^2$

(b)

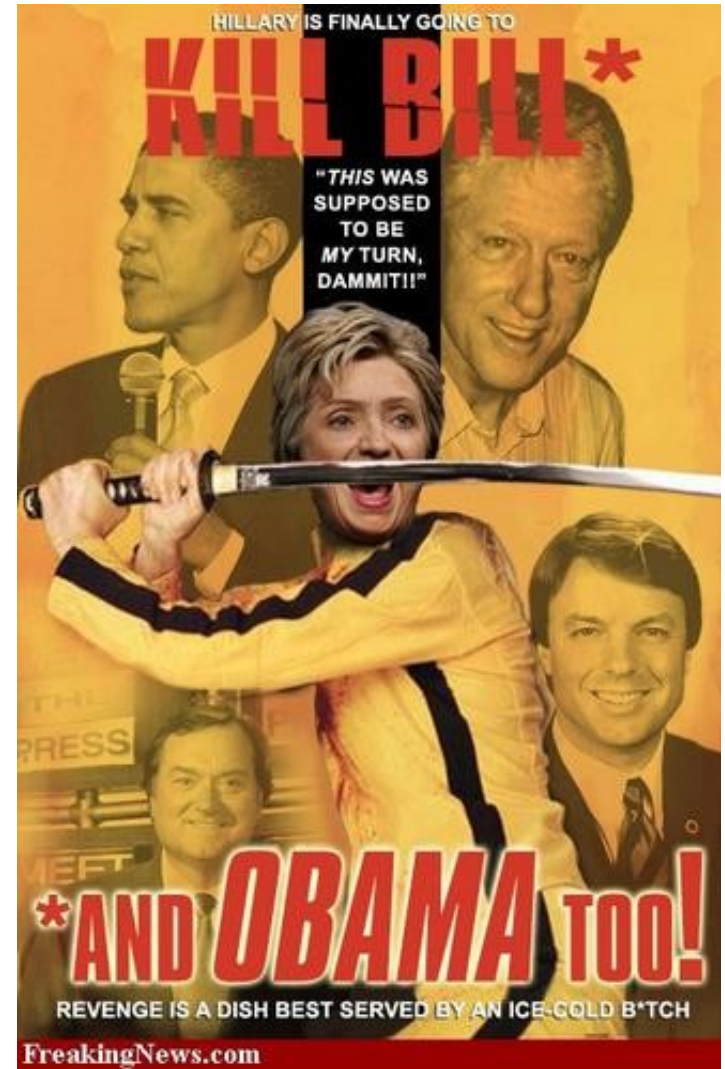


Weird behaviour of the Y in the hybrid zone – summary:

1. *musculus* Y more successful than *domesticus* Y on its own genetic background
2. higer proportion of males relative to other areas

Either coincidence, or ...

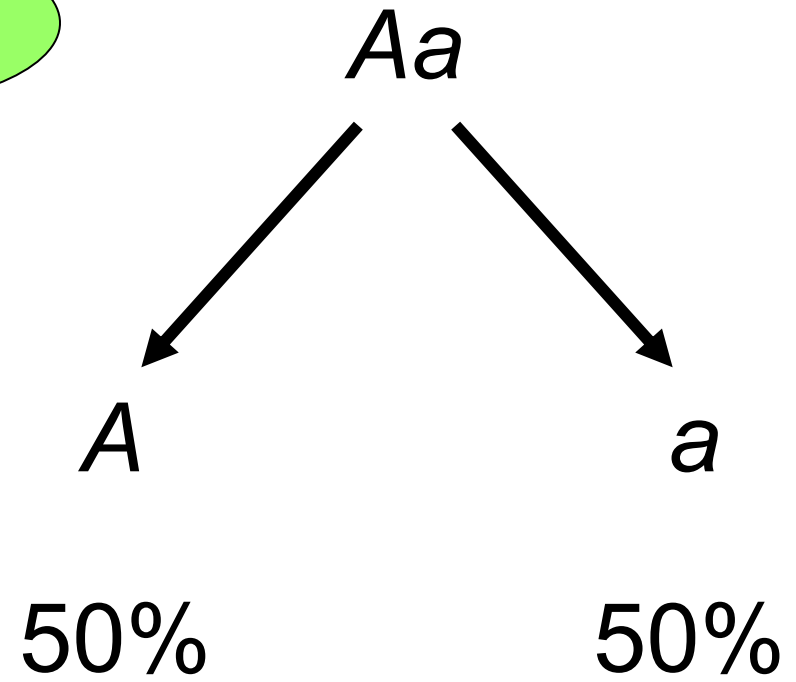
... or genetic conflict between X and Y
and probably some autosomal genes as well





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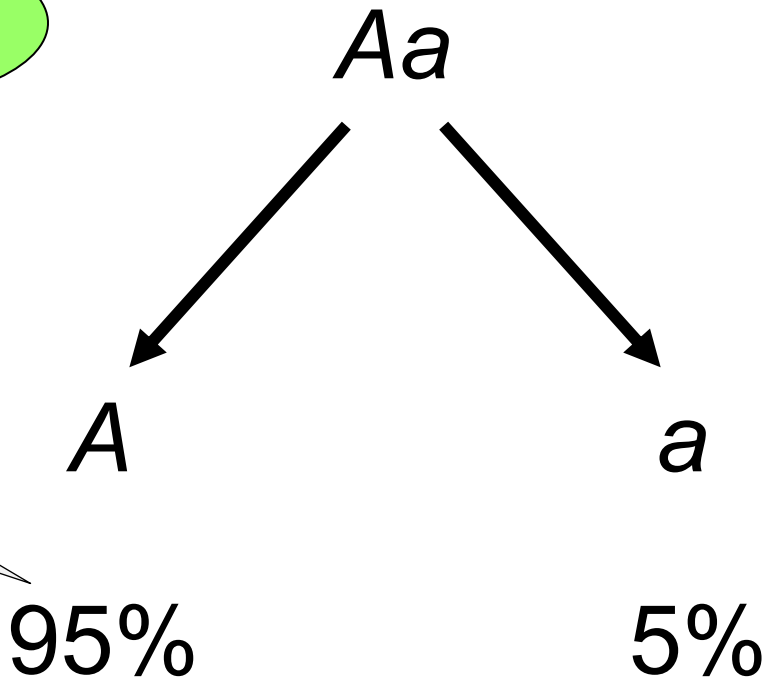
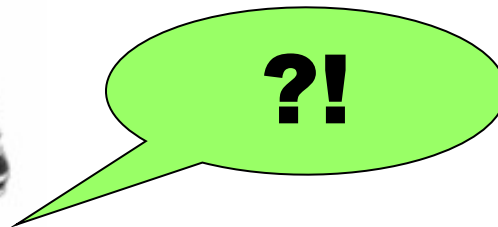
segregation
law



Intragenomic conflict results in higher proportion of a genomic element in the next generation



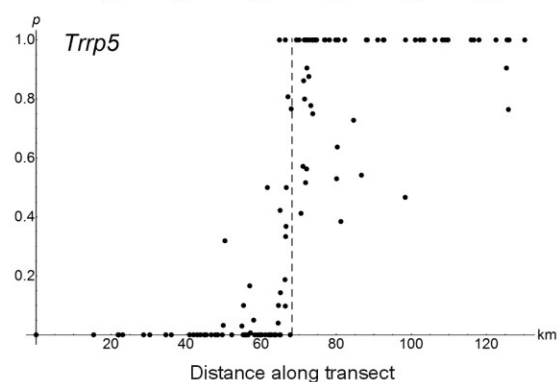
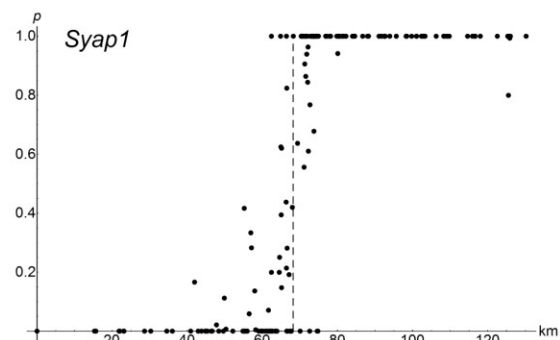
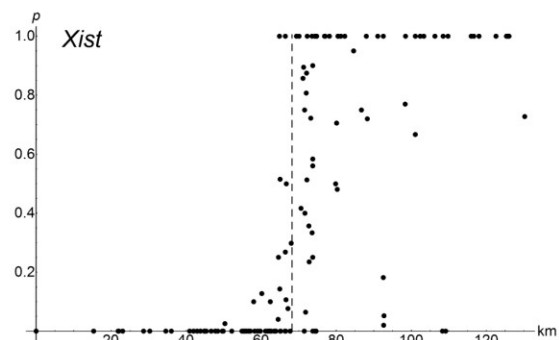
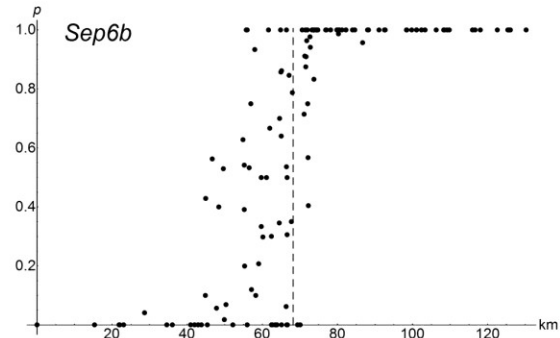
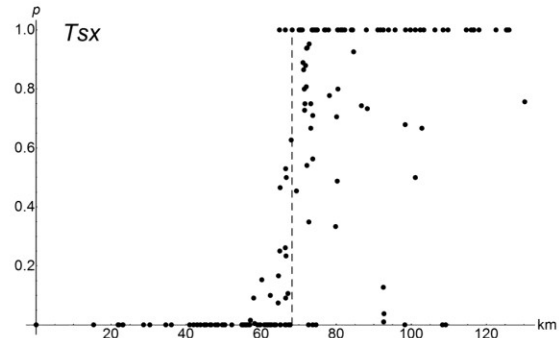
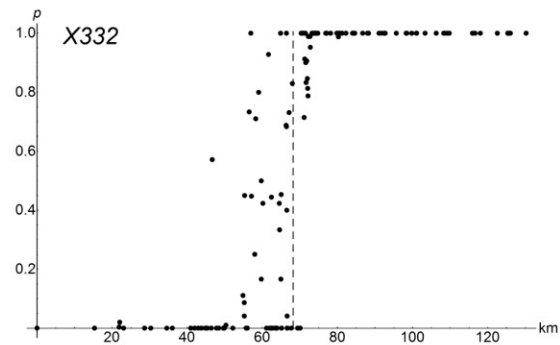
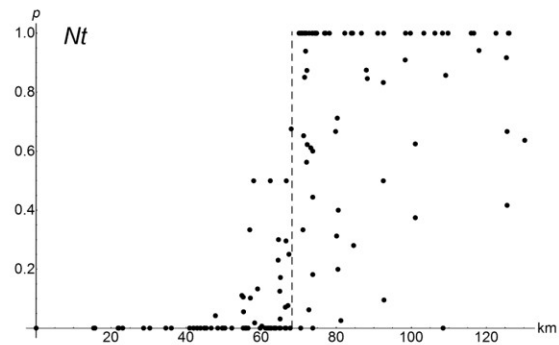
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vychýlení segregacího (transmisního) poměru

= segregation distortion (SD)

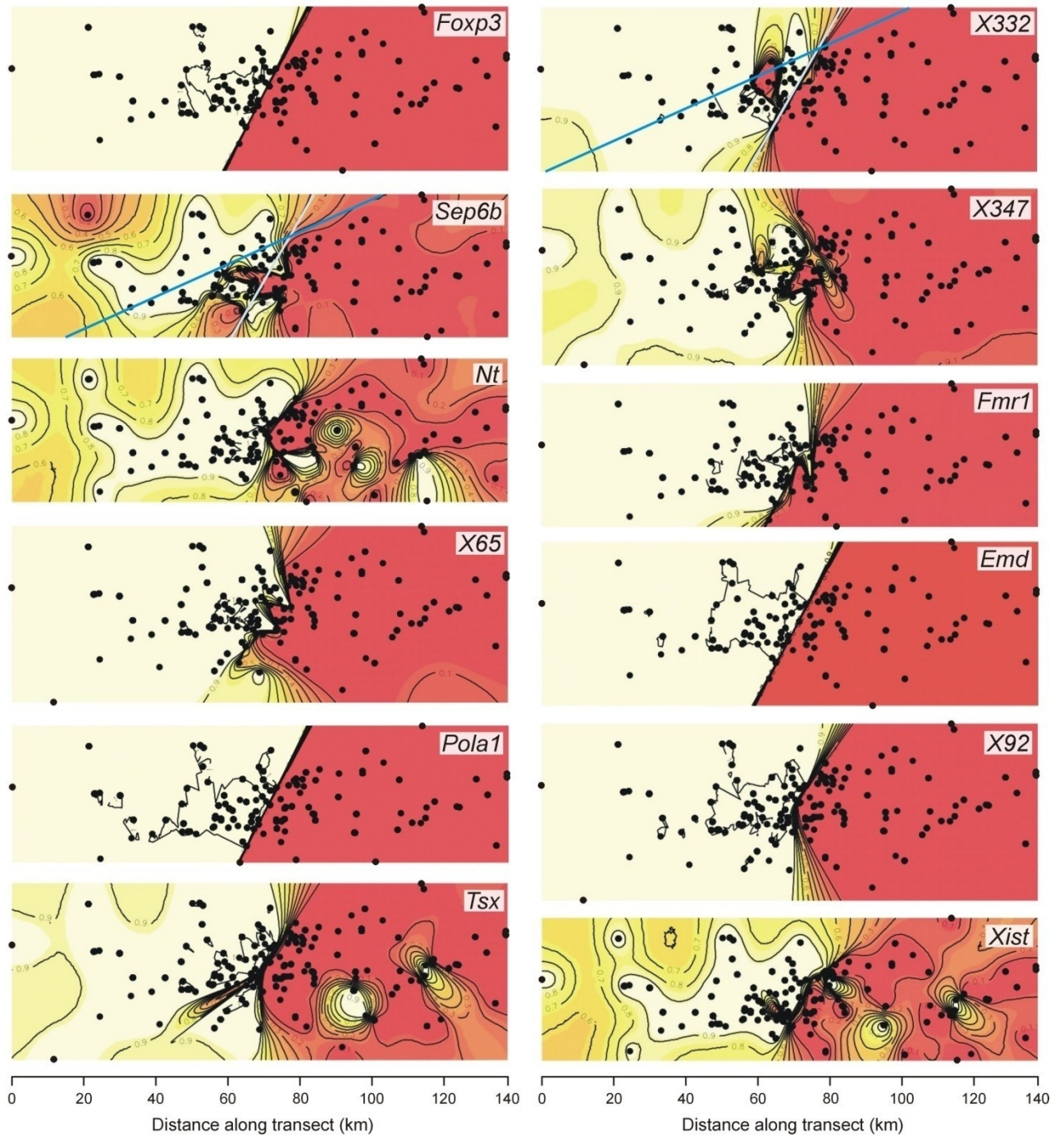
= transmission ratio distortion (TRD)



Distance along transect

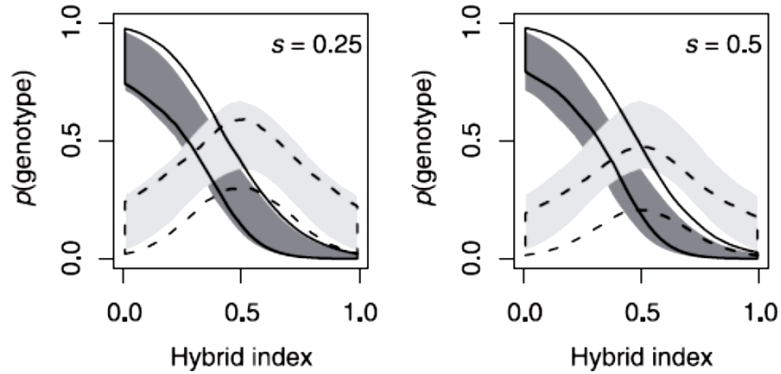
X chromosome

Chr. X - 2D analysis Geneland

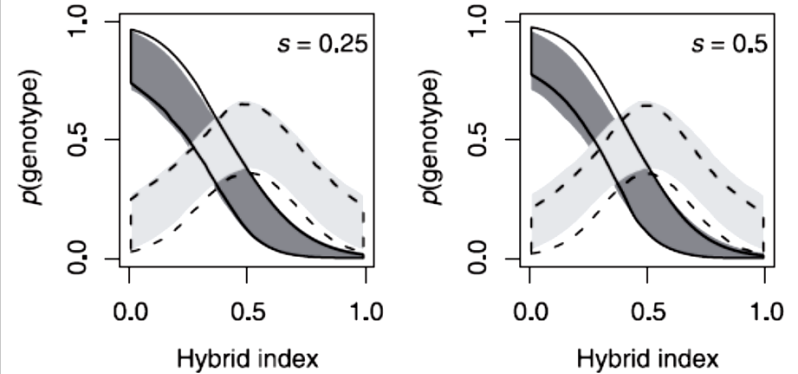


'Genomic clines'

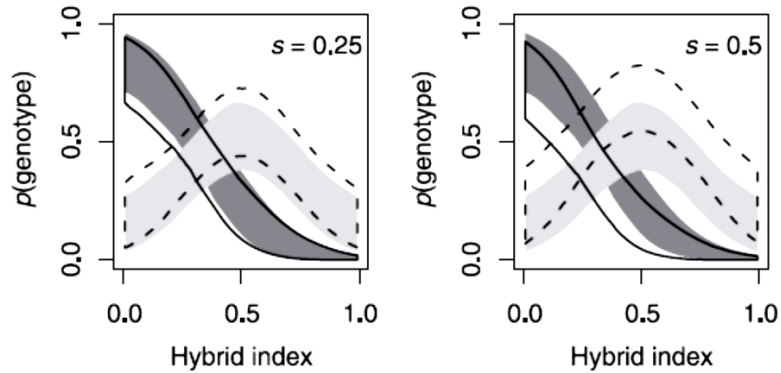
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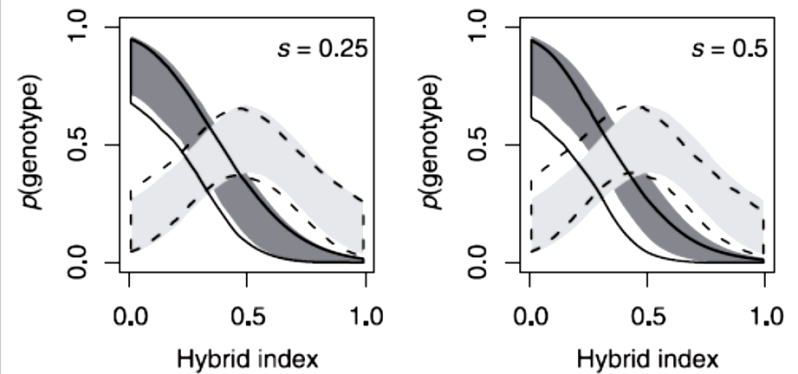
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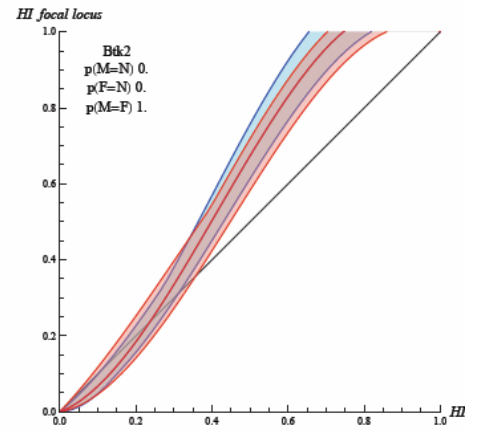
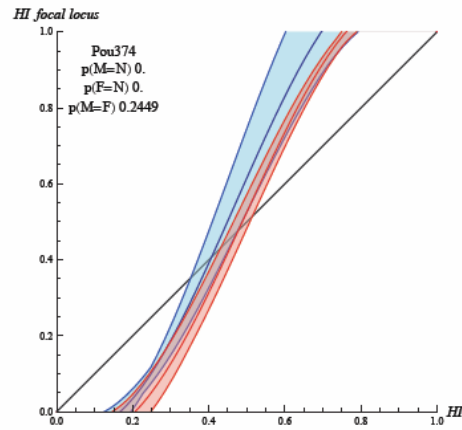
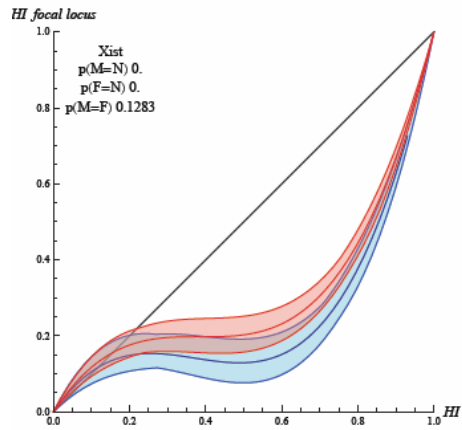
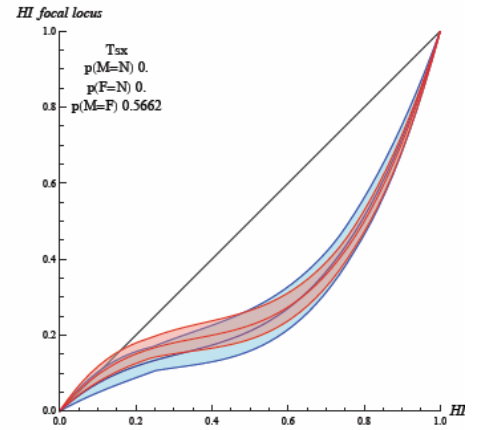
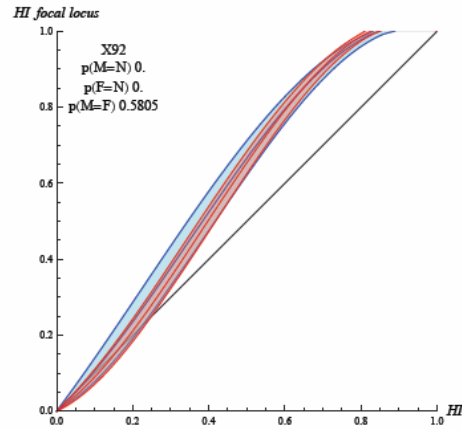
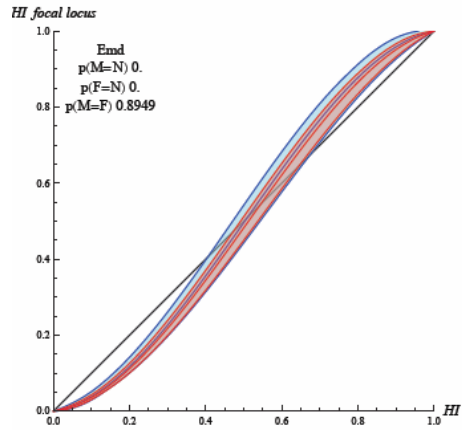
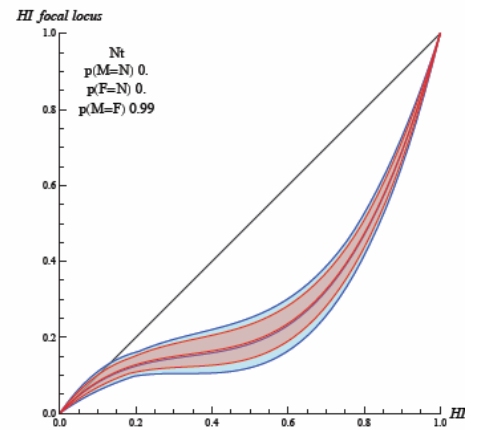
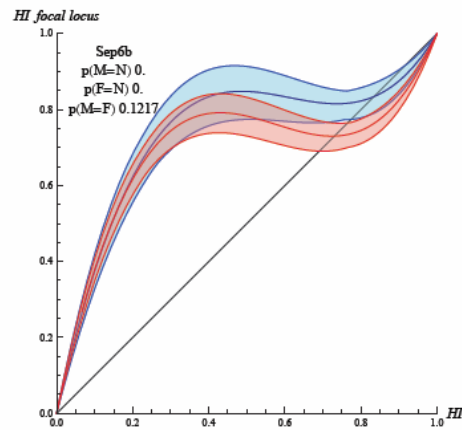
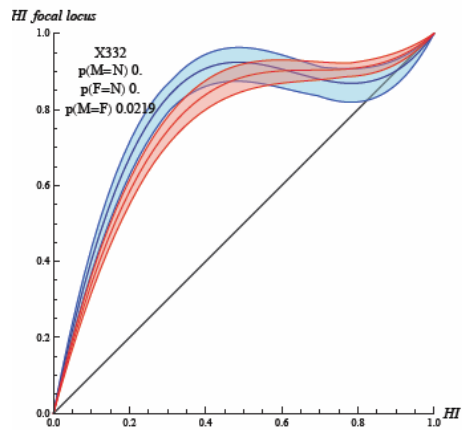
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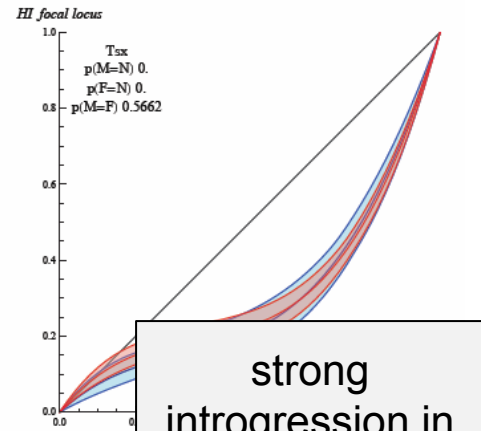
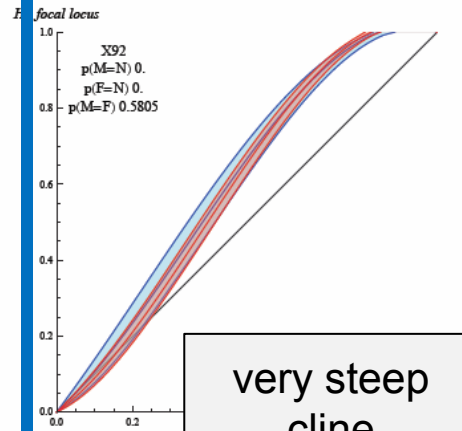
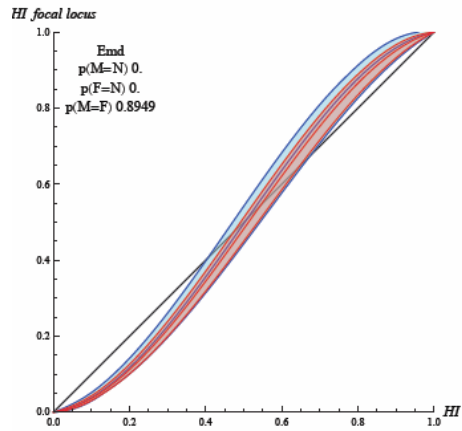
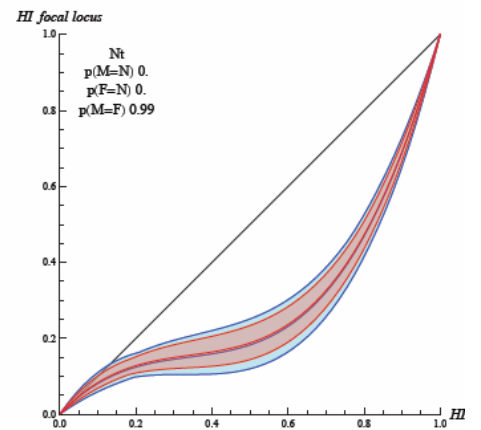
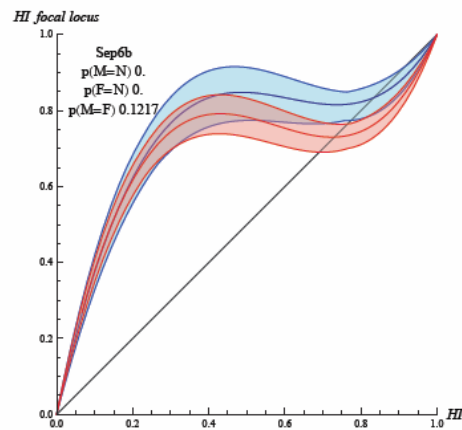
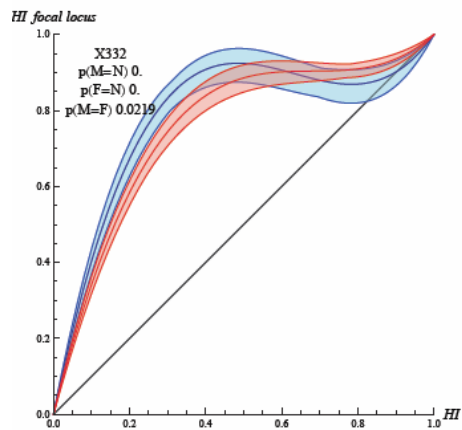
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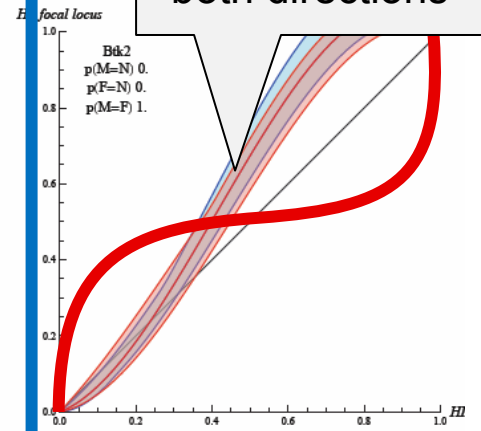
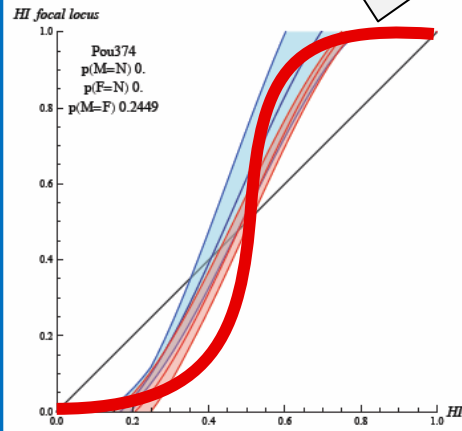
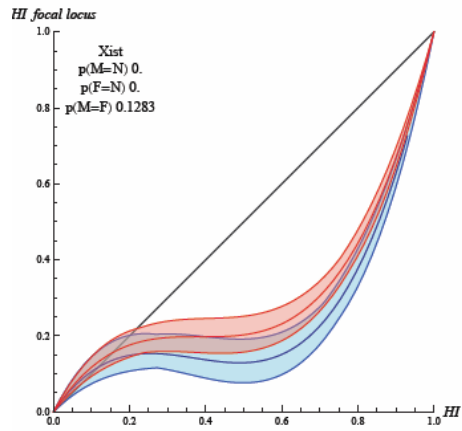


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very steep cline

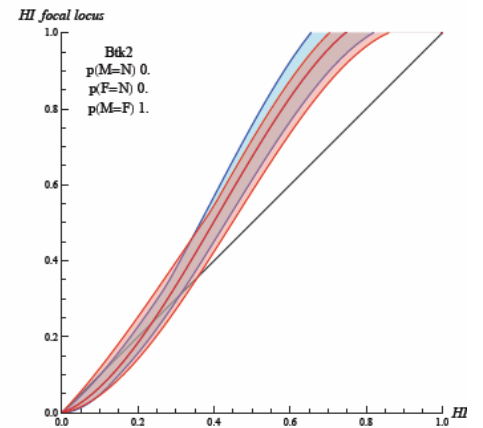
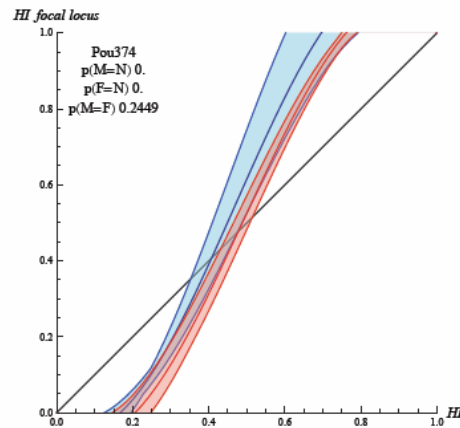
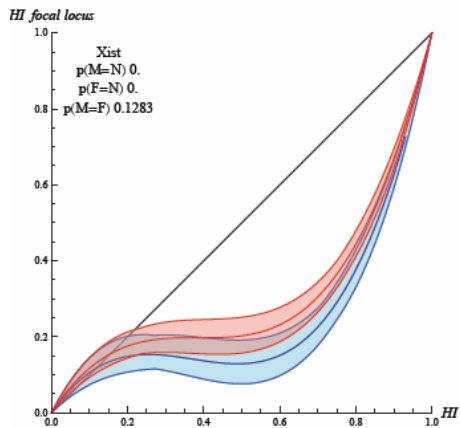
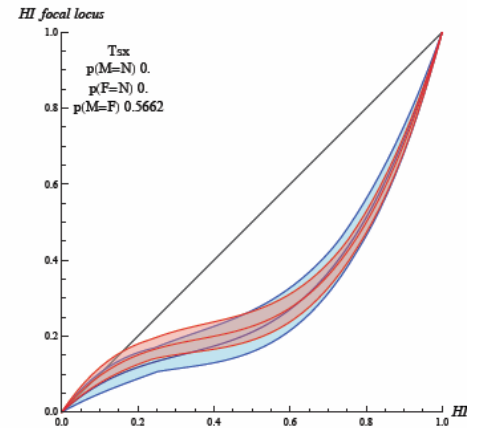
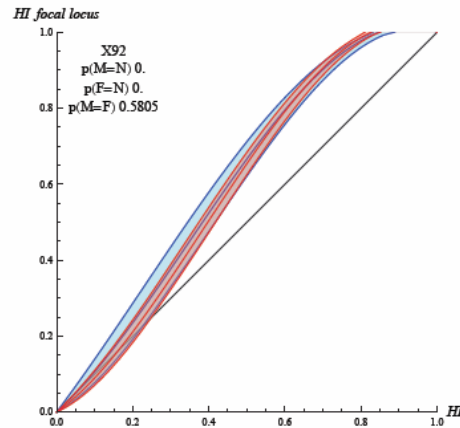
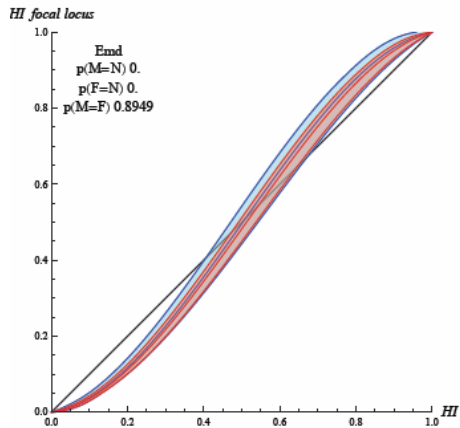
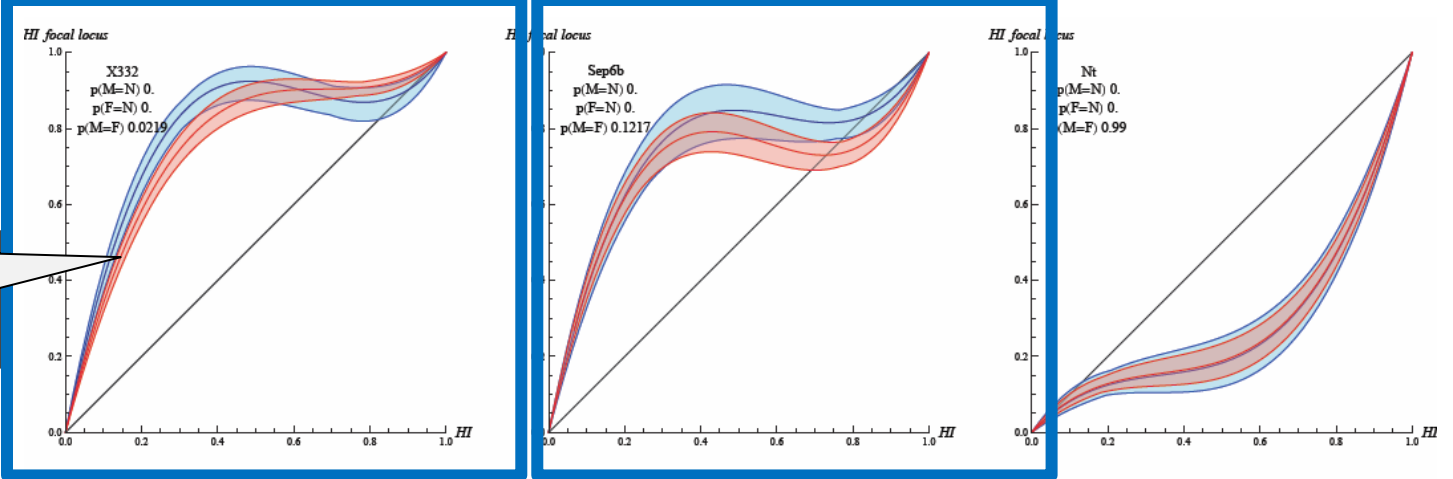
strong introgression in both directions



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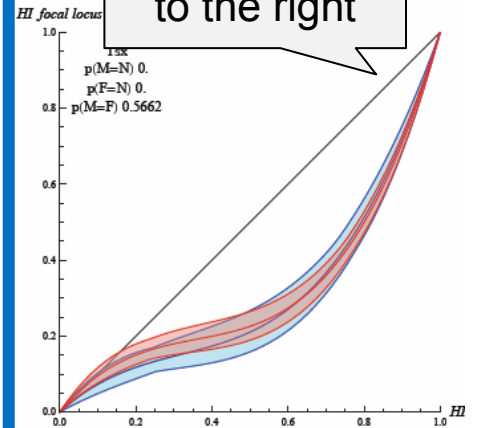
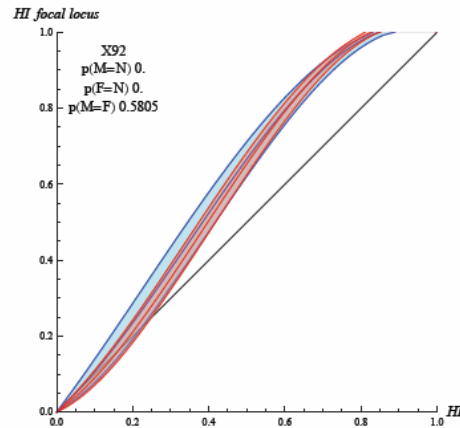
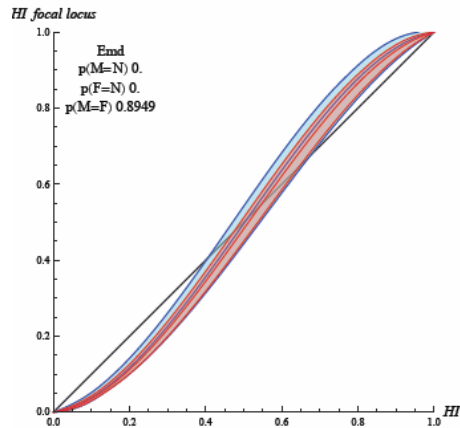
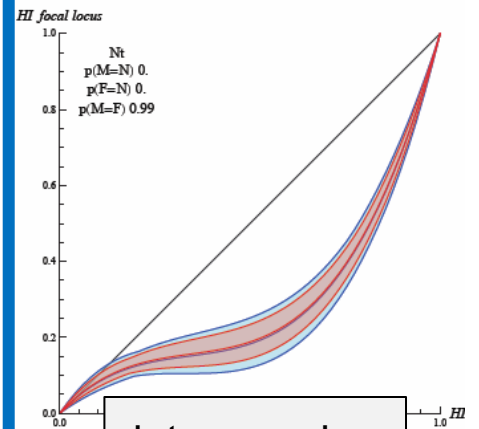
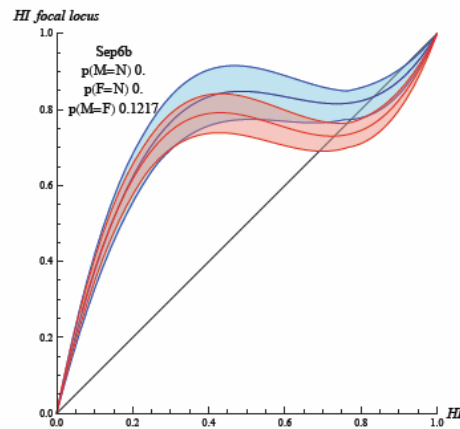
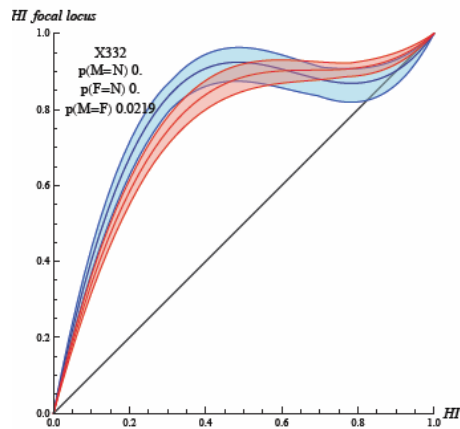
Concordance analysis:

introgression to the left

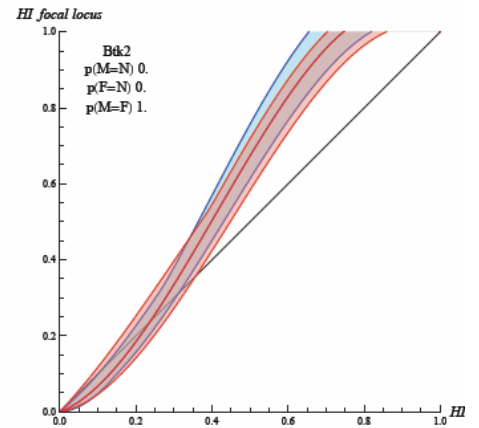
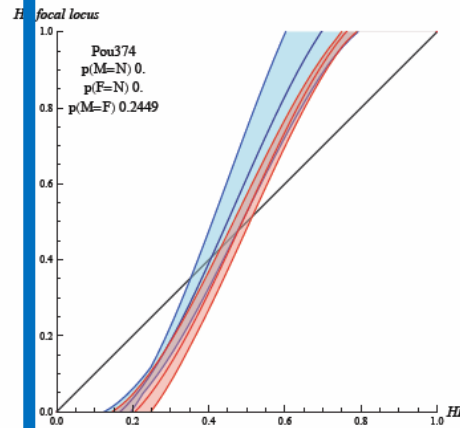
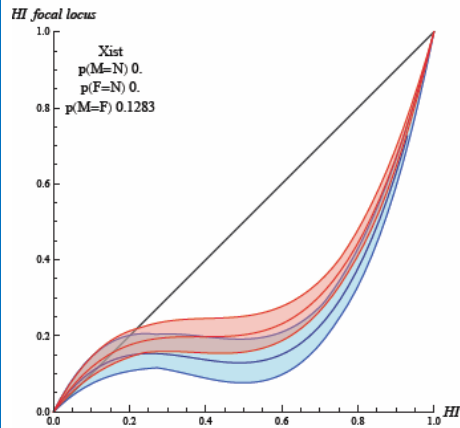


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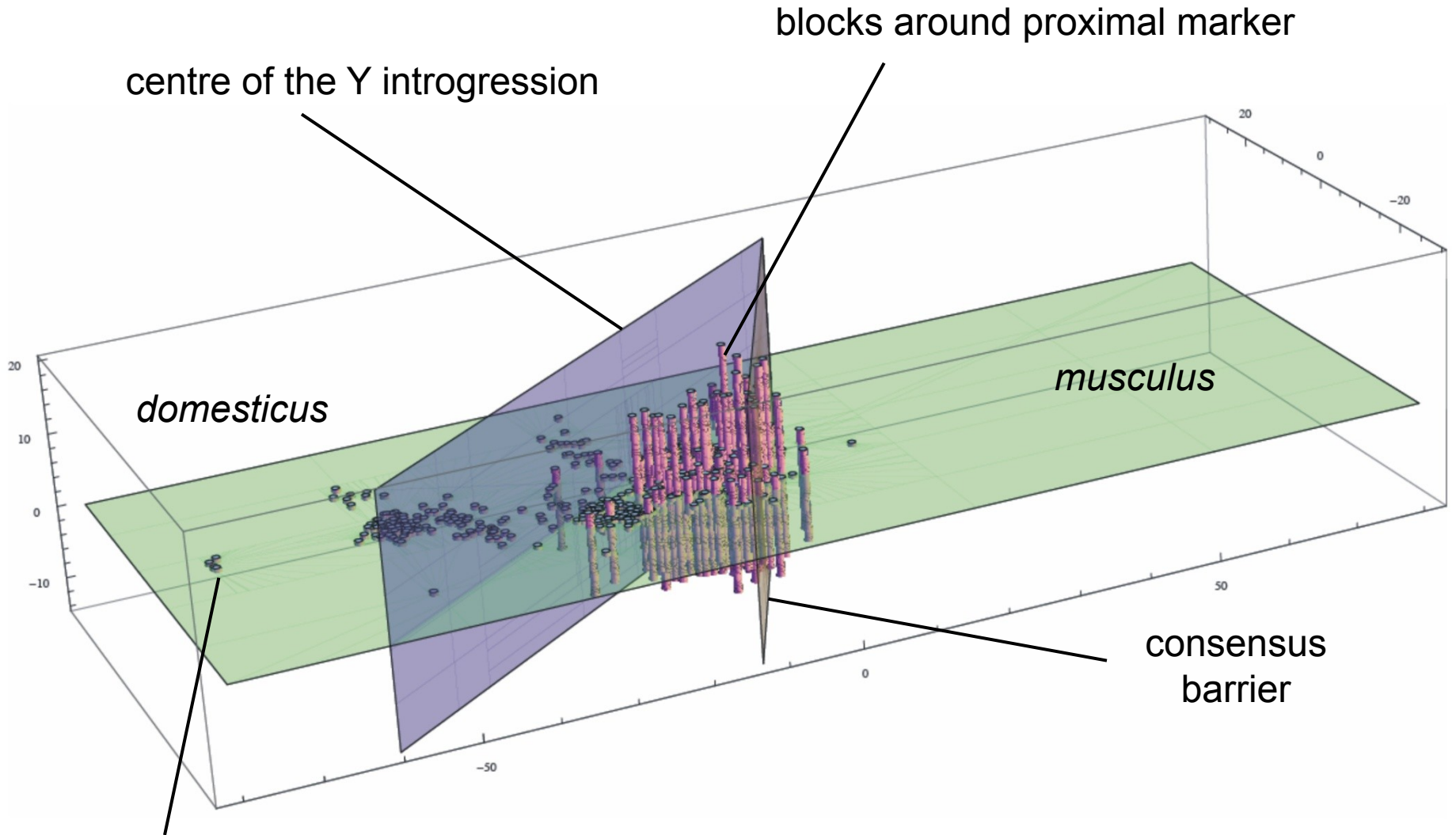


introgression to the right



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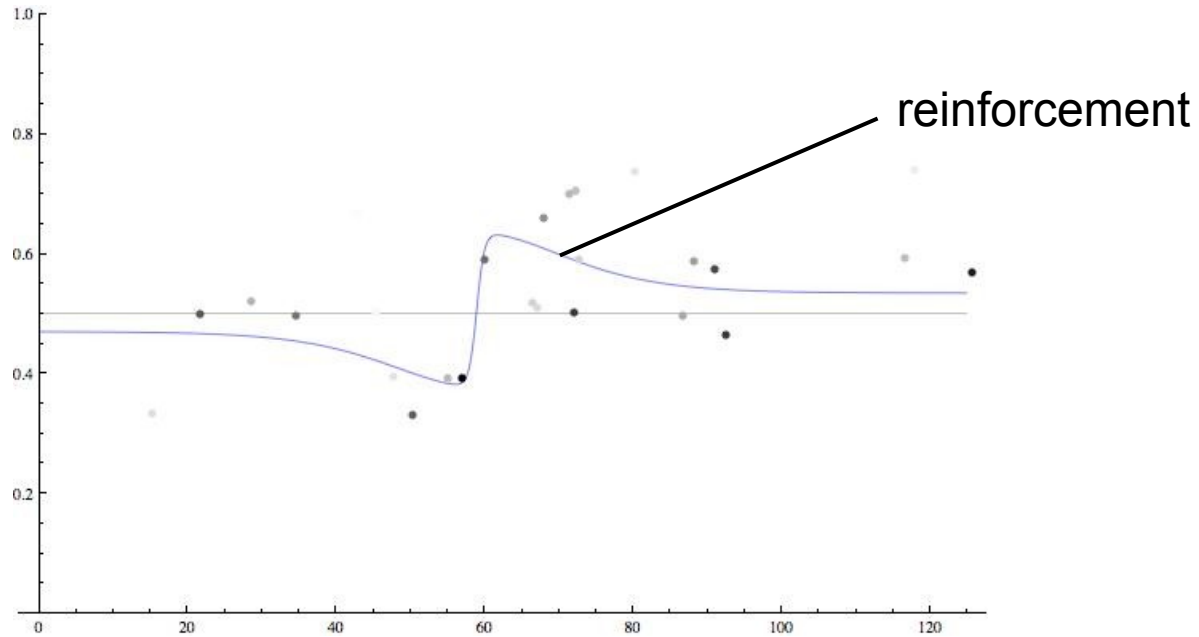
Proximal marker on the X



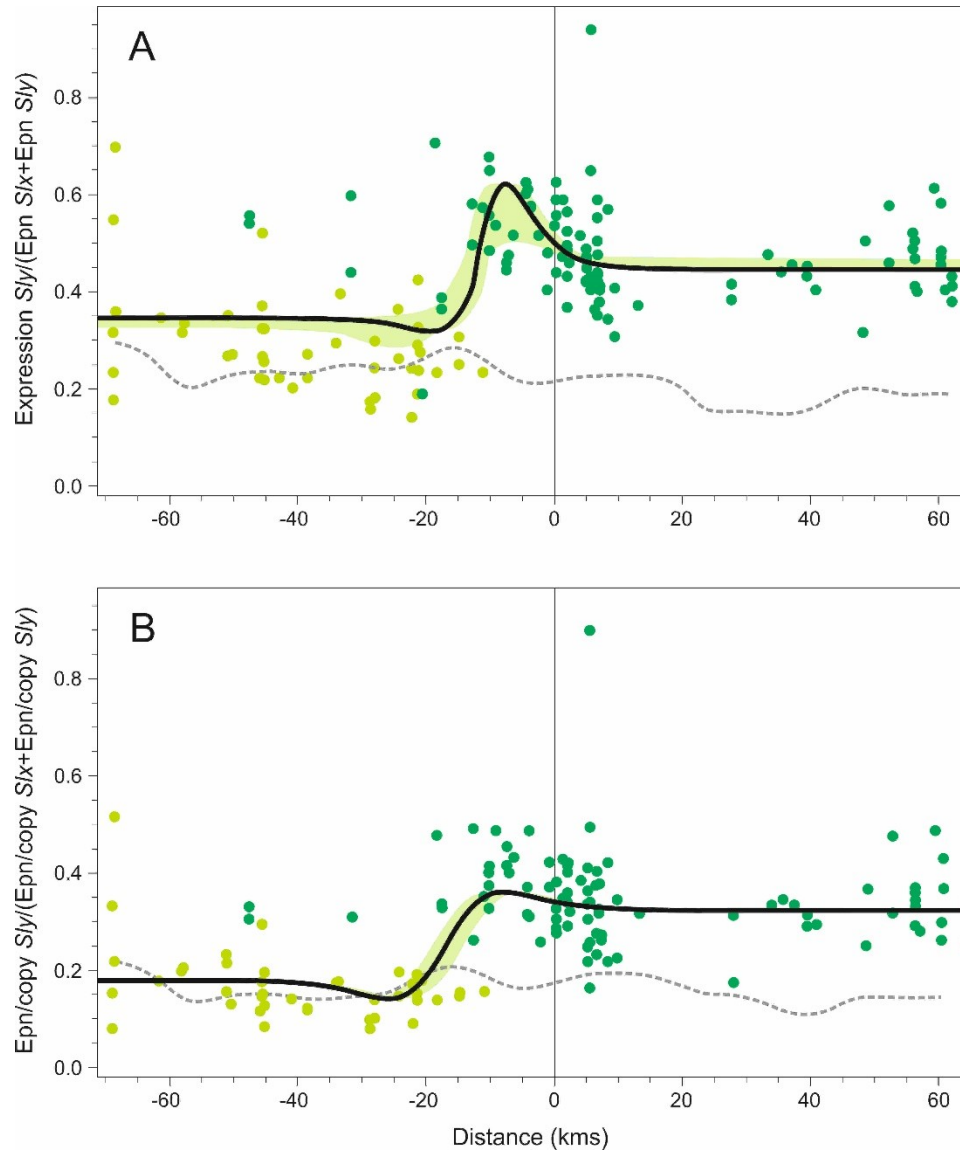
non-introgressed localities

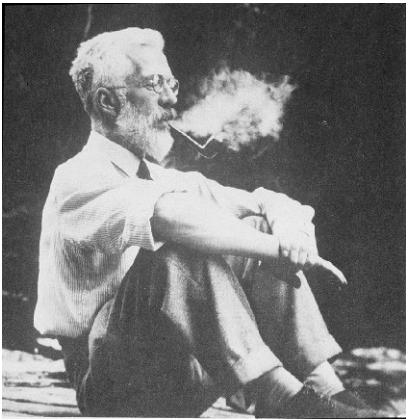
Recombination reduces size of introgressed block far of the zone centre

Using cline model for analysis of reinforcement – odour preference in the mouse hybrid zone



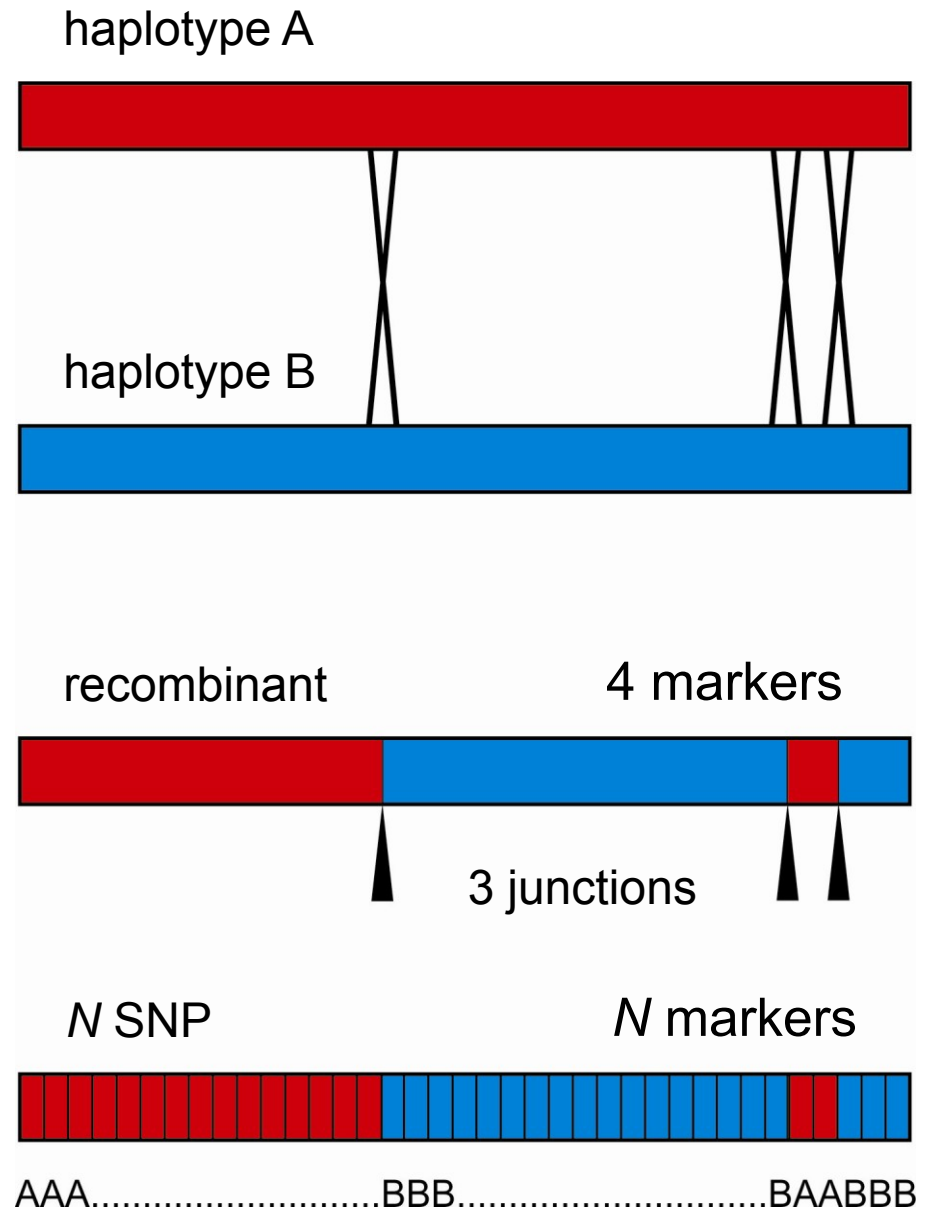
Using cline model for analysis of gene expression in the mouse hybrid zone – asymmetric model





R. A. Fisher

Recombination brings together DNA of different origin and makes *junctions* (breakpoints) they divide genome into *blocks* (chunks, tracts, segments)





Neanderthal DNA specialist Svante Pääbo examines the femur, found near Ust'-Ishim in western Siberia. Photograph by [unreadable]

Blocks of Neanderthal DNA found in modern humans can act like a biological clock, because they are fragmented more and more with each generation since interbreeding happened. The **blocks** of Neanderthal DNA in the Siberian man were on average three times longer than those seen in people alive today. Working backwards, the scientists calculate that Neanderthals contributed to the man's genetic ancestry somewhere between 7,000 and 13,000 years before he lived.

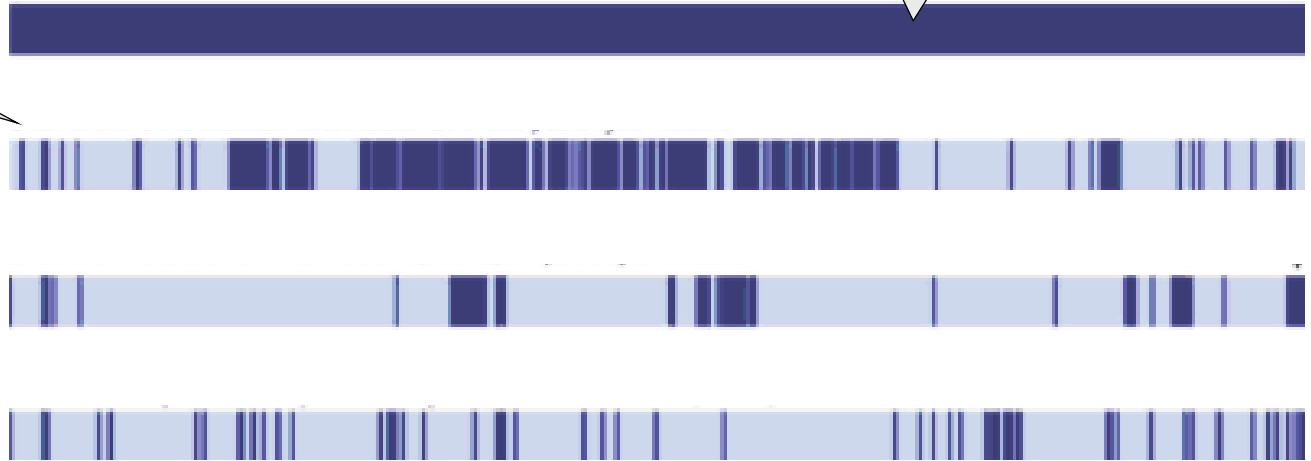
The findings, published in the journal *Nature*, suggest that humans and Neanderthals had reproductive sex around 50,000 to 60,000 years ago...

Romania, ~40 kya,
mating before
200–100 years

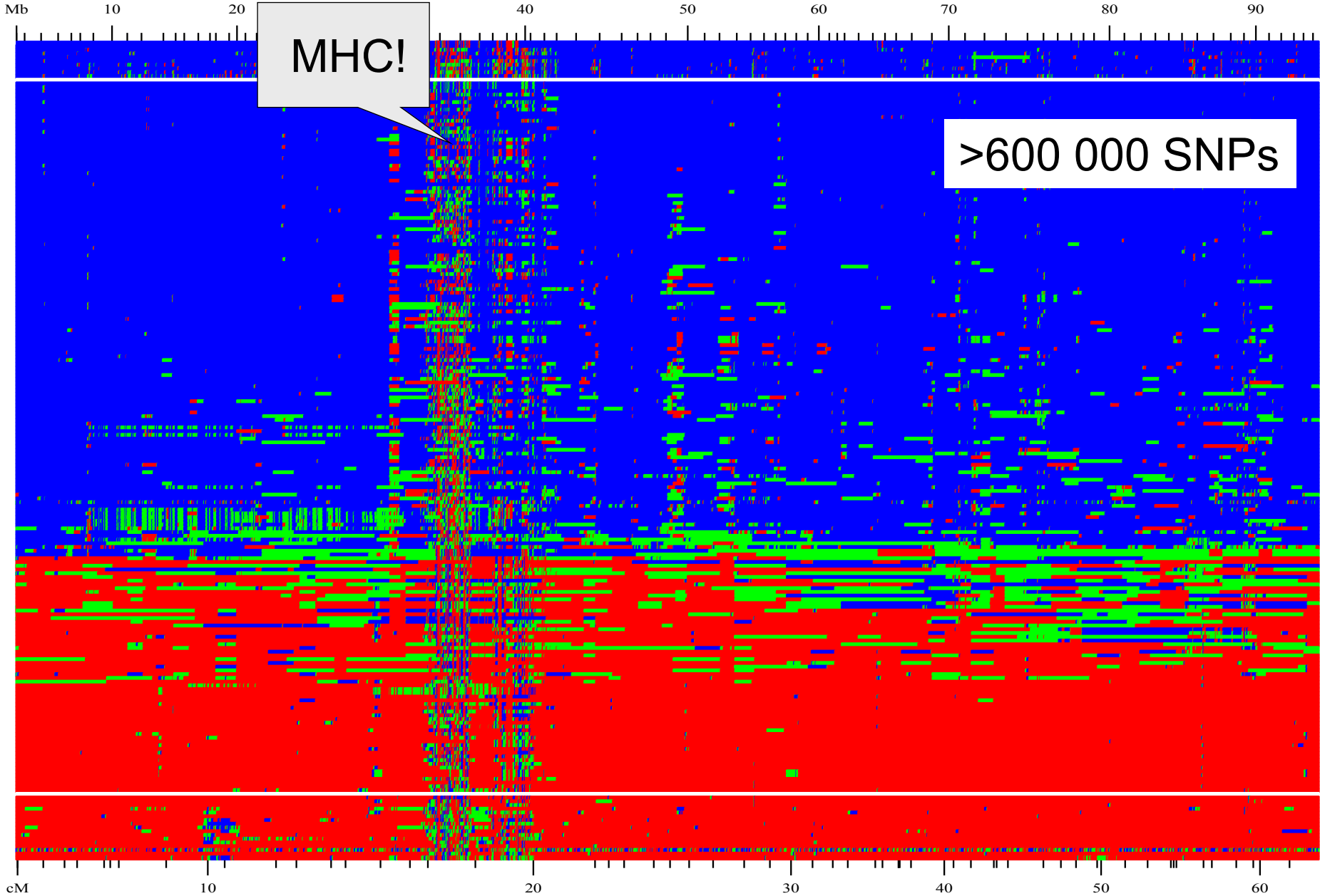
chromosome 12
of Neanderthal

Siberia, ~45 kya,
mating before
8000–5000

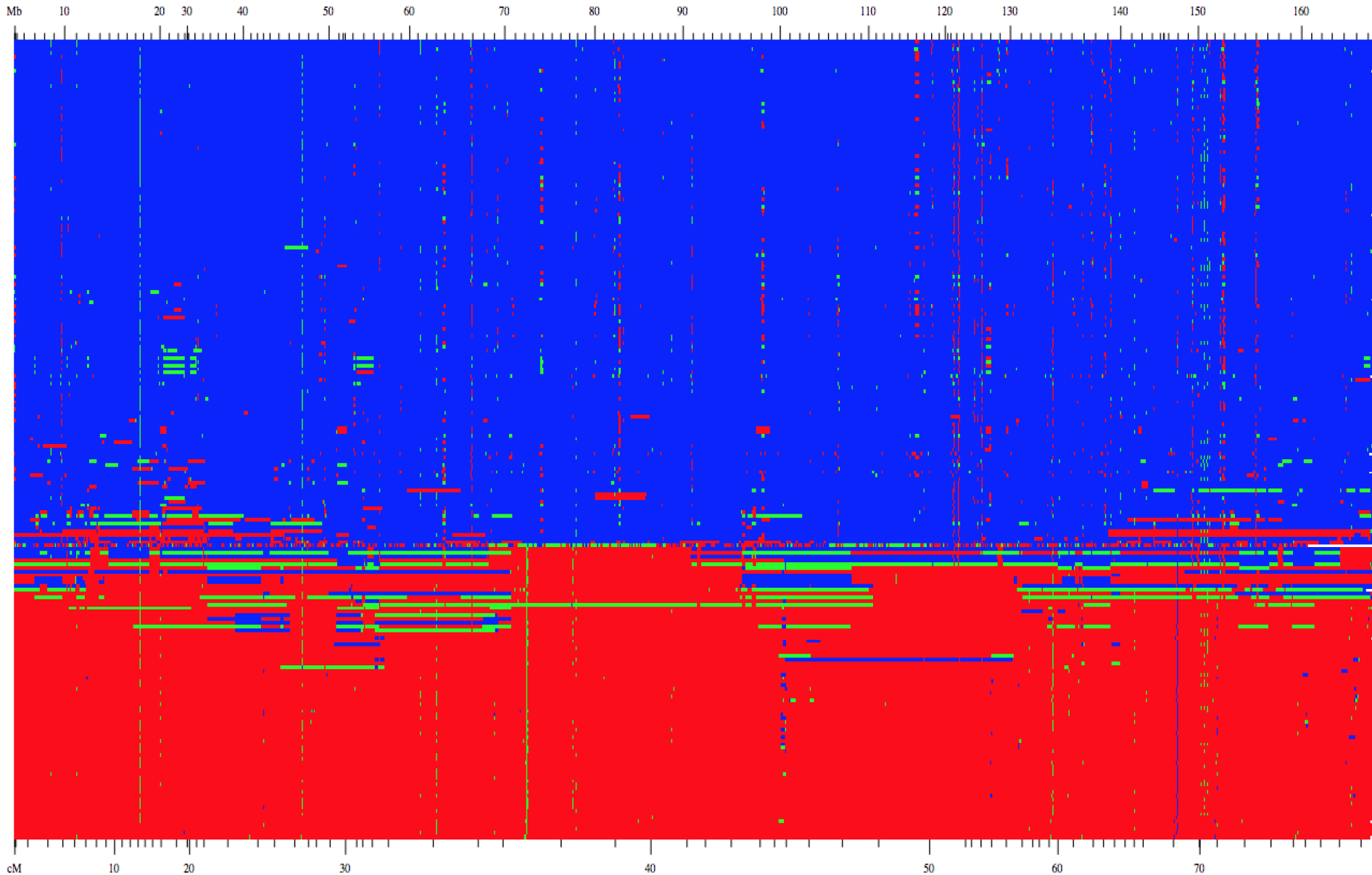
contemporary China,
54–49 kya



Chromosome 17



Chromozom X



0 10 20 30 40 50 60 70

Why hybrid zones? Reproductive barriers and speciation!

Dobzhansky-Muller model



W. Bateson

T. Dobzhansky

H. Muller

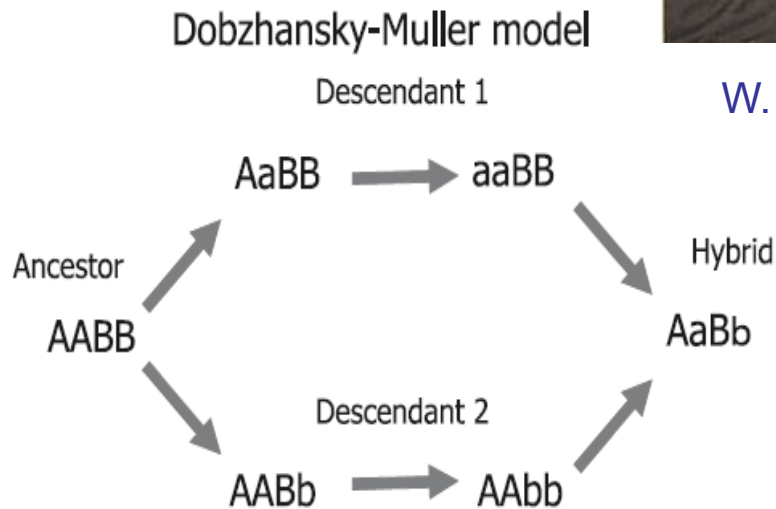
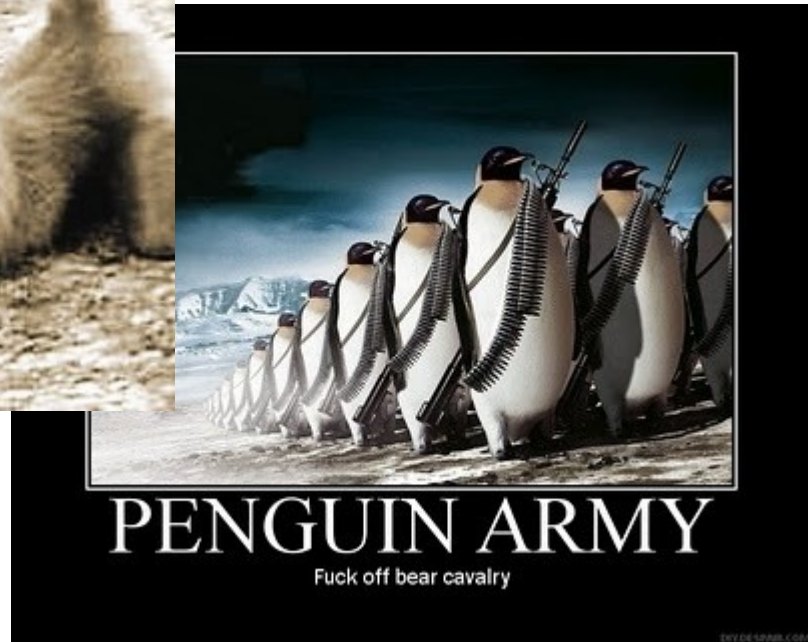


Fig. 1 The Dobzhansky–Muller model for postzygotic isolation

„Arms races“ and secondary contact



genetic conflict: “classical” scenario



arms race
in ancestral
population



subpop. 1

continuing
arms race

subpop. 2



incompatible!

secondary contact

MAD = *mutually assured destruction*

“speciation genes”

genetic conflict: alternative scenario



arms race
in ancestral
population

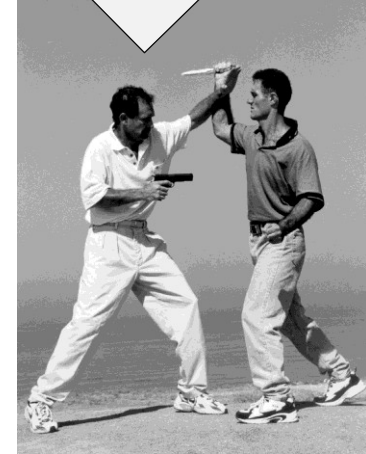


subpop. 1

continuing
arms race

subpop. 2

*Never bring a knife
to a gunfight!*



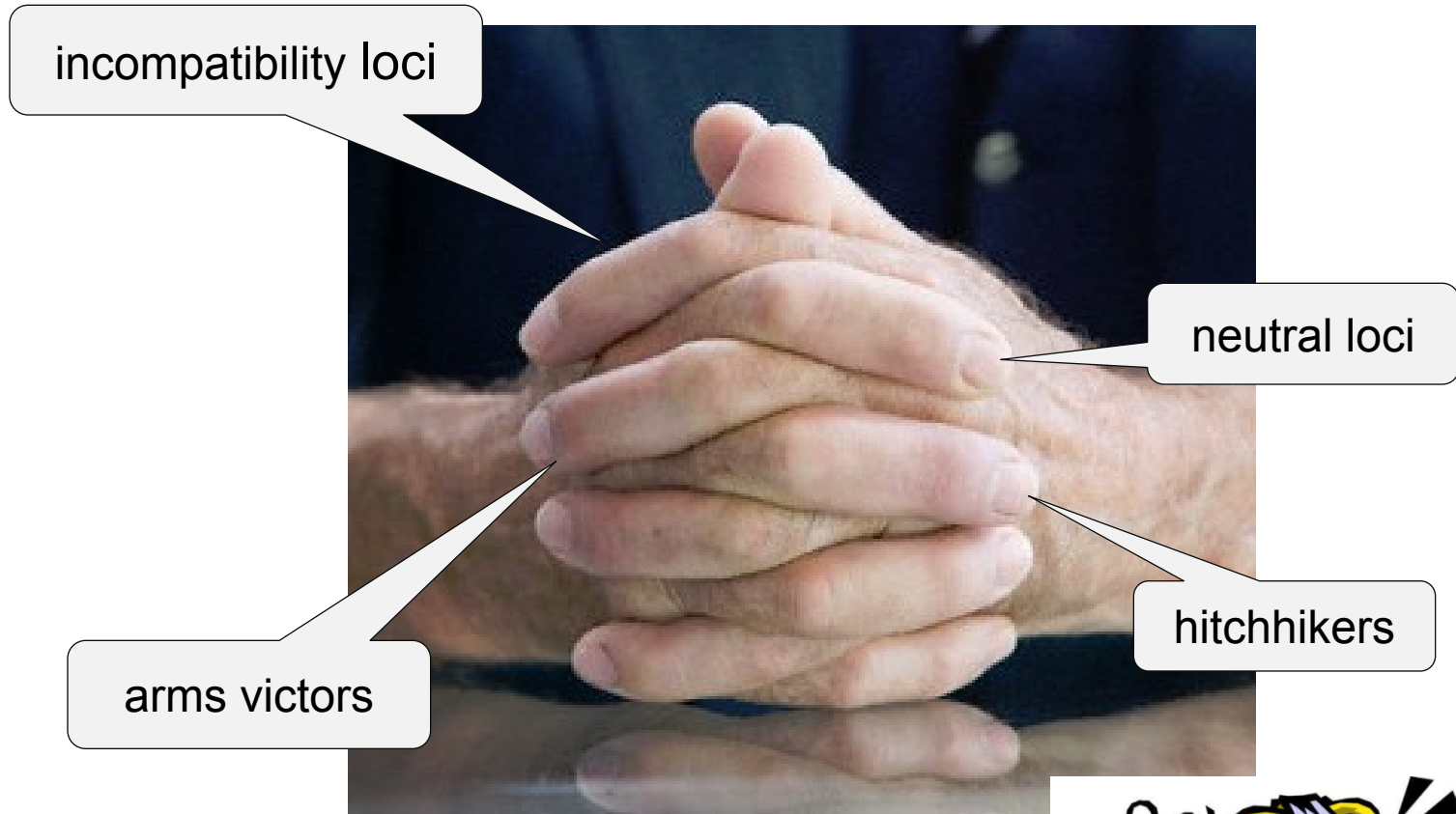
secondary contact

the winner thrives on
“naive” genetic
background



“antispeciation
genes”

Why we don't see this more often?



Ticking time-bomb...



Cytonuclear disequilibria

- = non/random associations of nuclear and cytoplasmic (mitochondrial) alleles
- 3×2 table

	nuclear genotype:			
mtDNA:	<i>AA</i>	<i>Aa</i>	<i>aa</i>	total
<i>M</i>	u_1	v_1	w_1	x
<i>m</i>	u_2	v_2	w_2	y
total	u	v	w	1

No hybridization

	nuclear genotype:		
mtDNA:	AA	Aa	aa
<i>M</i>	+++	0	0
<i>m</i>	0	0	+++

Random mating, hybrid swarm

	nuclear genotype:		
mtDNA:	AA	Aa	aa
<i>M</i>	obs=exp	obs=exp	obs=exp
<i>m</i>	obs=exp	obs=exp	obs=exp

Hybridization without apparent introgression, crossing independent of sex

	nuclear genotype:		
mtDNA:	AA	Aa	aa
<i>M</i>	++	obs=exp	0
<i>m</i>	0	obs=exp	++

Hybridization without apparent introgression, crossing depends on sex

	nuclear genotype:		
mtDNA:	AA	Aa	aa
<i>M</i>	++	++	0
<i>m</i>	0	--	++

Hybrids mate more often with less discriminating species

	nuclear genotype:		
mtDNA:	AA	Aa	aa
<i>M</i>	obs=exp	++	--
<i>m</i>	obs=exp	--	++

Symmetrical introgression

	nuclear genotype:		
mtDNA:	AA	Aa	aa
<i>M</i>	++	obs=exp	--
<i>m</i>	--	obs=exp	++

Potential introgression, crossing dependent on sex

	nuclear genotype:		
mtDNA:	AA	Aa	aa
<i>M</i>	++	++	--
<i>m</i>	0	0	++