

Systems Health for Precision Medicine

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Systems health

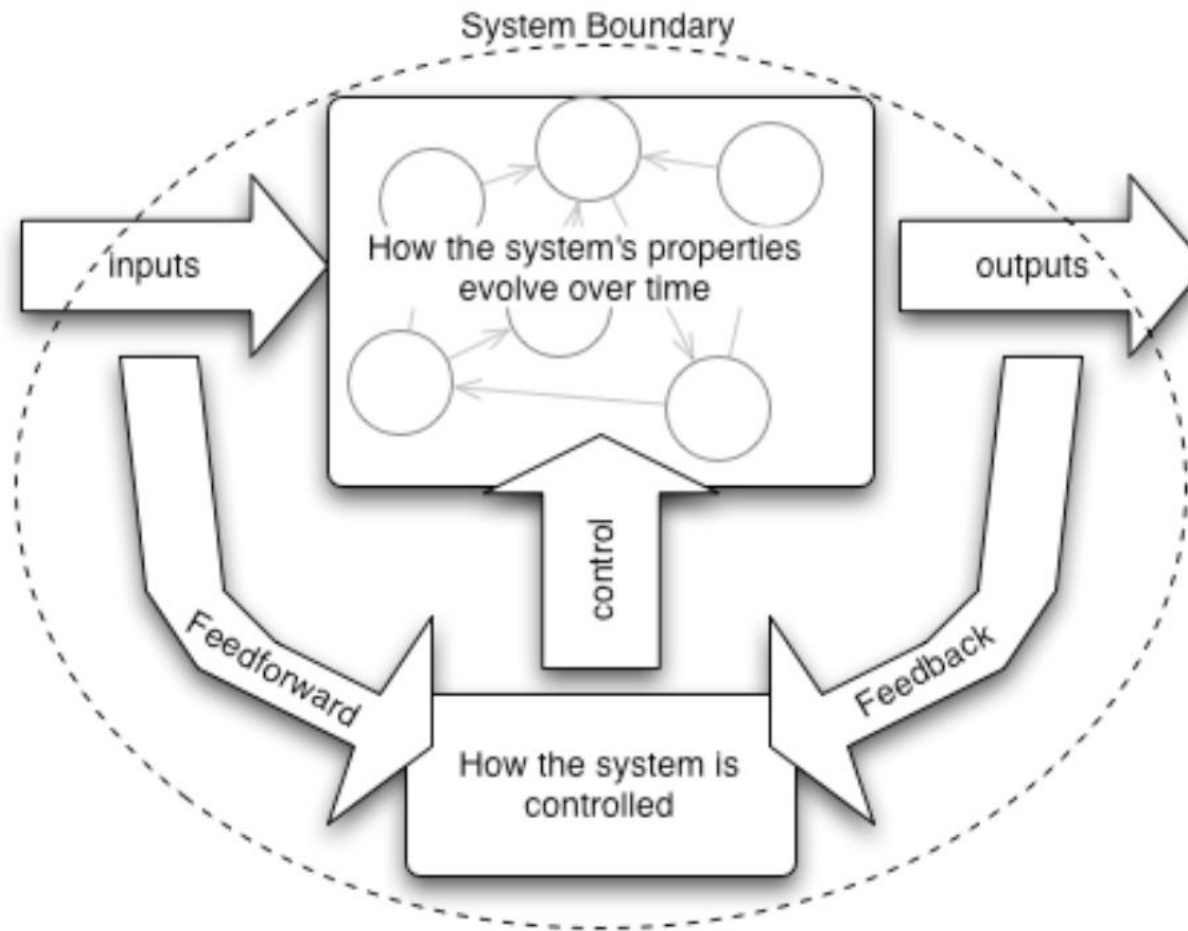
Systems

What is a system?

- A system is a set of two or more elements that satisfies the following conditions:
 - The behavior of each element has an effect on the behavior of the whole
 - The behavior of the elements and their effect on the whole are interdependent
 - Subgroups of elements can be formed, in which case each has an effect on the behavior on the whole and none has an independent effect on it.

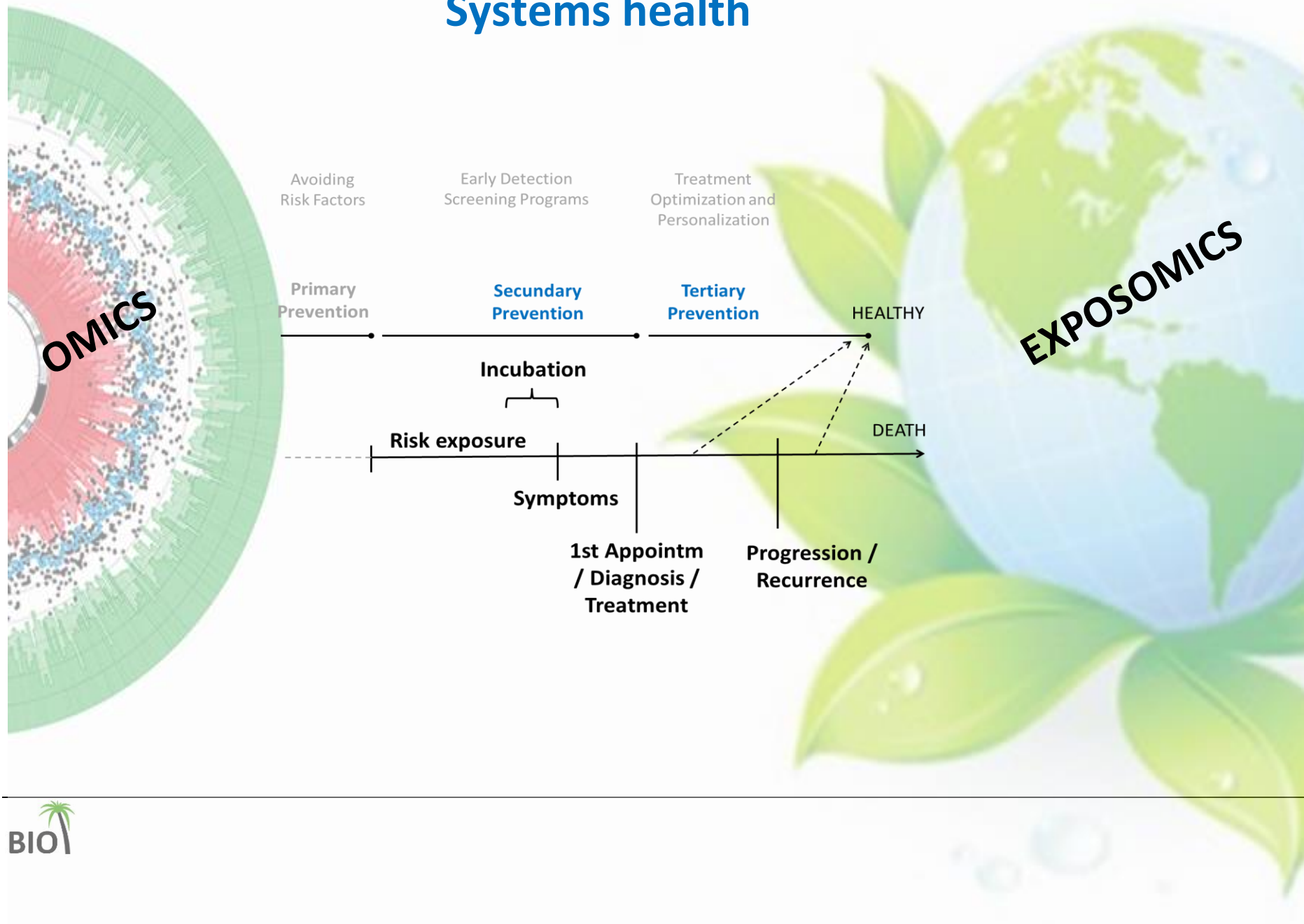
(Ackoff, 1970)

A System's Eco-system



(@2004-5 Steve Easterbrook)

Systems health

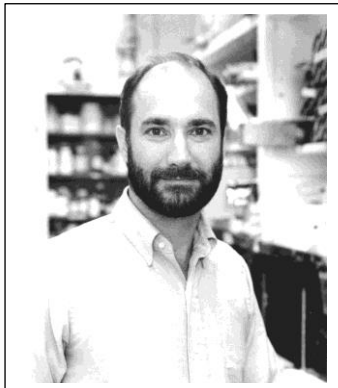


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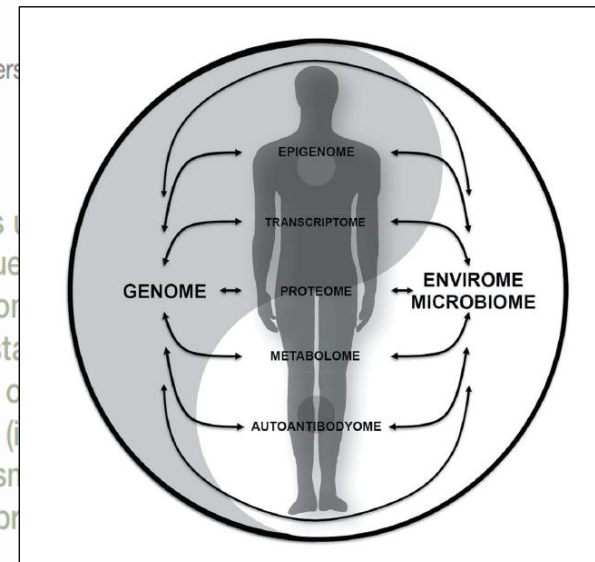
Individual-level characterizations

Chemistry & Biology
Review

iPOP Goes the World: Integrated Personalized Omics Profiling and the Road toward Improved Health Care

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An individual depends upon their DNA as well as their environment. It is expected that although the genome is the blueprint, other factors such as the DNA methylome, the transcriptome, and the proteome are dynamic assessments of the physiology and health status. The current progress of omics analyses and how they can be integrated to believe that integrative personal omics profiling (iPOP) can improve health care and may improve disease risk assessment, diagnosis, and treatments, and understanding the biological processes.



Precision medicine

What is precision medicine?

“a medical model using the characterization of individual’s phenotypes and genotypes (e.g., molecular profiling, medical imaging, lifestyle data) for tailoring the right therapeutic strategy for the right person at the right time, and/or to determine the predisposition to disease and/or to deliver timely and targeted prevention.”

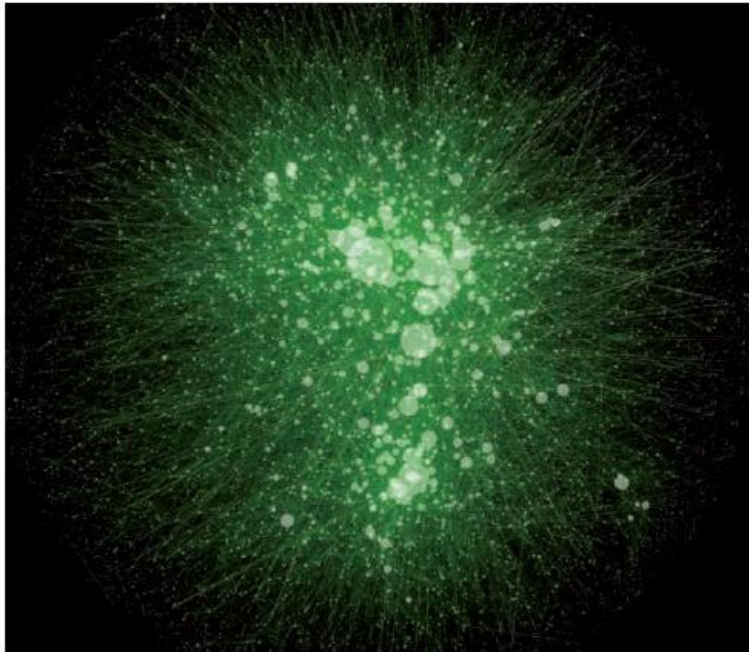
(HORIZON2020 Advisory Group)

Precision medicine: disease heterogeneity

	Observation in subgroups of patients	Disease	Refs
Genetic	Variants in autophagy genes (<i>ATG16L1</i> , <i>IRGM</i>)	CD	[14]
	<i>NOD2</i> polymorphisms	CD	[15,16]
	<i>HLA-DRA</i> polymorphisms	UC	[20]
	<i>IL10</i> polymorphisms	UC>>CD	[20]
	<i>IL2/IL21</i> polymorphisms	UC>>CD	[14]
	Variants in Th1 genes (<i>STAT1</i> , <i>STAT4</i> , <i>IL12B</i> , <i>IFN</i> , <i>IL18RAP</i>)	CD, UC	[13,14]
	Variants in Th17 genes (<i>IL23R</i> , <i>STAT3</i> , <i>RORC</i>)	CD, UC	[14,23]
Immunological	Great inter- and intra-individual variability in mucosal proinflammatory cytokine production	CD, UC	[32,33]
	↑ IFN- γ production by lamina propria T cells	CD>UC	[34]
	↑ IL-5 production by lamina propria T cells	UC>CD	[34]
	↑ mucosal IL-12, STAT4, T-bet	CD>>UC	[35,36]
	↑ IL-13 production by lamina propria NK T cells	UC>CD	[37]
	↑ mucosal IL-17A, Th17 and Th1/Th17 cells compared to controls	CD, UC	[32,40]
	↑ IFN- γ production by lamina propria T cells in early but not late disease	CD	[46]
	↑ mucosal IL-17A, IL-6, IL-23 before endoscopic recurrence but not in established lesions	CD	[47]
	Transcriptional signatures in circulating CD8 ⁺ T cells associated with different prognosis	CD, UC	[57]
Clinical	Inflammatory/penetrating/fibrosenosing phenotype	CD	[48]
	Inter-individual variability in disease extension	CD, UC	[3,50]
	Great inter-individual variability in prognosis	CD, UC	[50]
	Young age at diagnosis, current smoking, presence of perianal and/or extensive disease, initial requirement for steroids: associated with worse prognosis	CD	[50,55]
	Young age at diagnosis, pancolitis, no appendectomy in childhood: associated with worse prognosis	UC	[50]
	Great inter-individual variability in need for surgical intervention	CD, UC	[50]

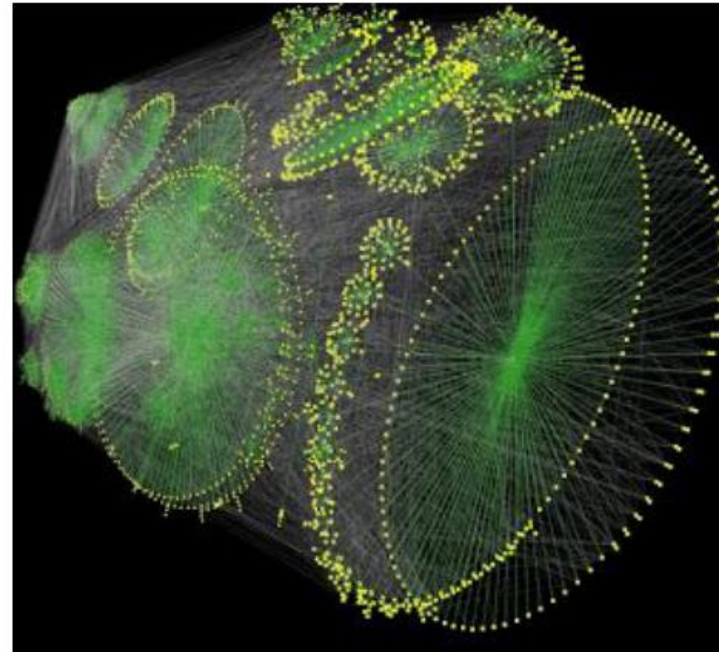
(Biancheri et al. 2013)

Systems health: interactions; Interactions and differentiation



Human interactome (PPI)

(Bonetta 2010)



Fruit fly interactome

(www.molgen.mpg.de)

Reminder: “the” interactome

The **interactome** refers to the entire complement of interactions between DNA, RNA, proteins and metabolites within a cell.

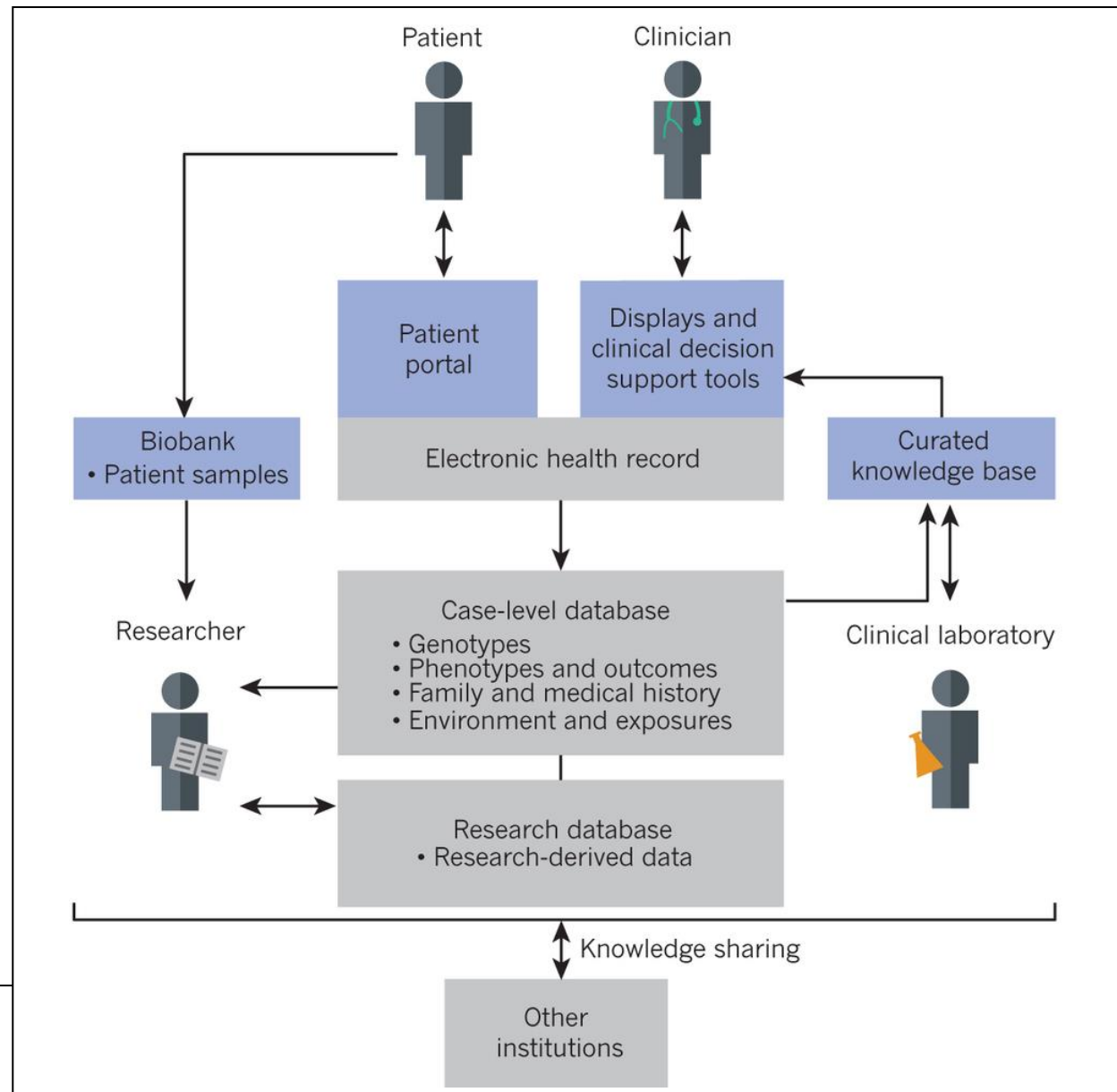
These interactions are influenced
by genetic alterations
and environmental stimuli.

As a consequence,
the interactome should be examined or
considered in ***particular contexts***.

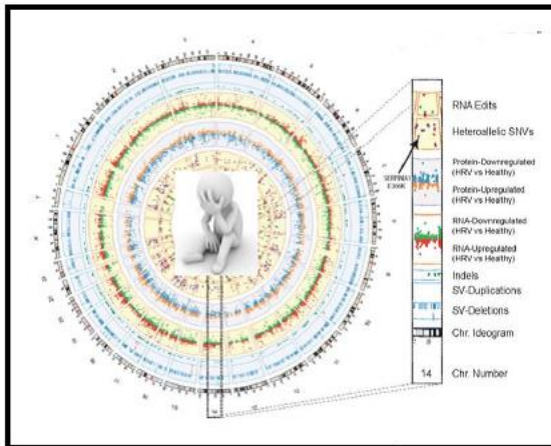
Precision medicine: practical implementation

A Patient's Eco-System

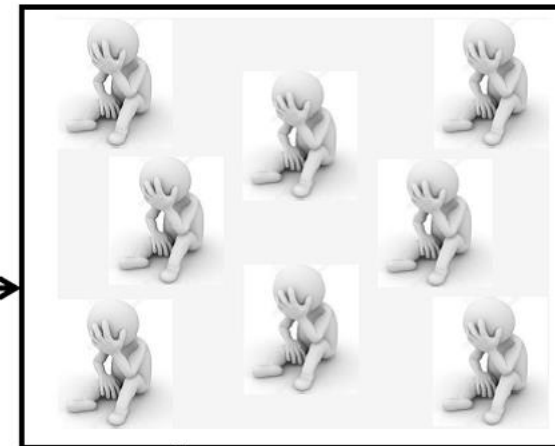
(Aronson and Rehm 2015)



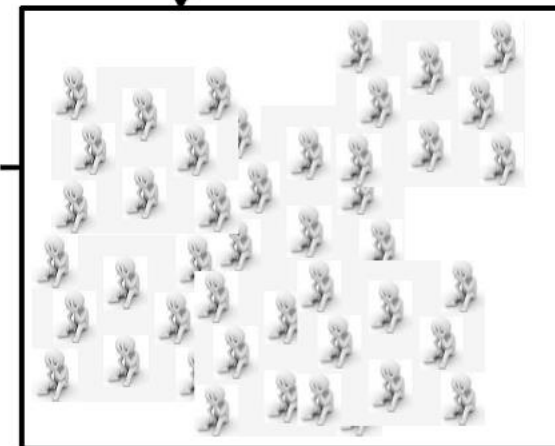
Personalized Medicine



Learn by recognizing
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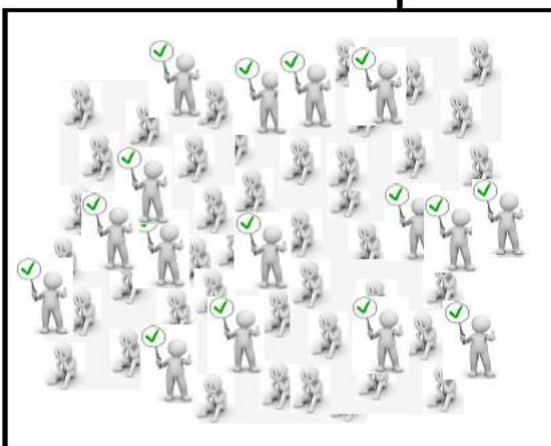


Bioinformatics-driven
disease management

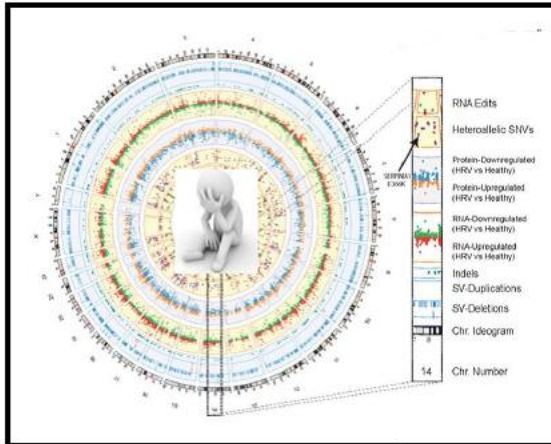


Redefine
patient state

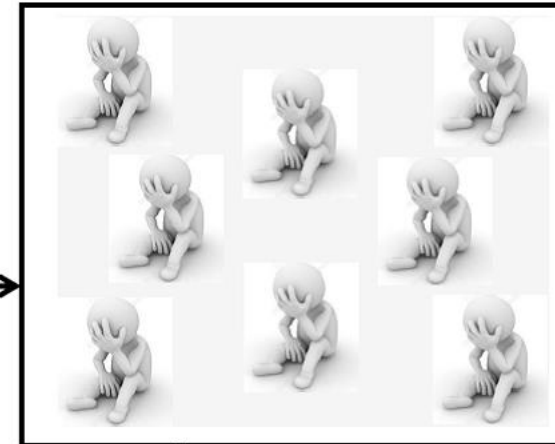
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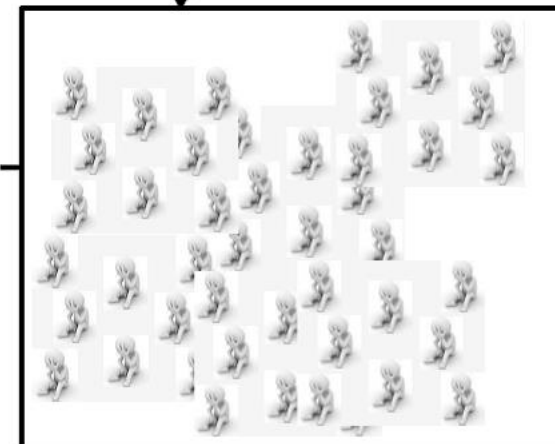
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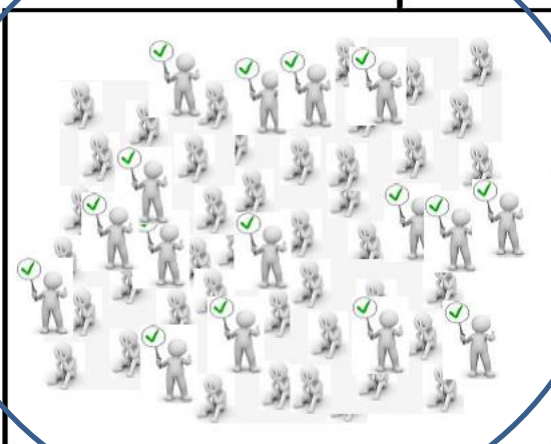


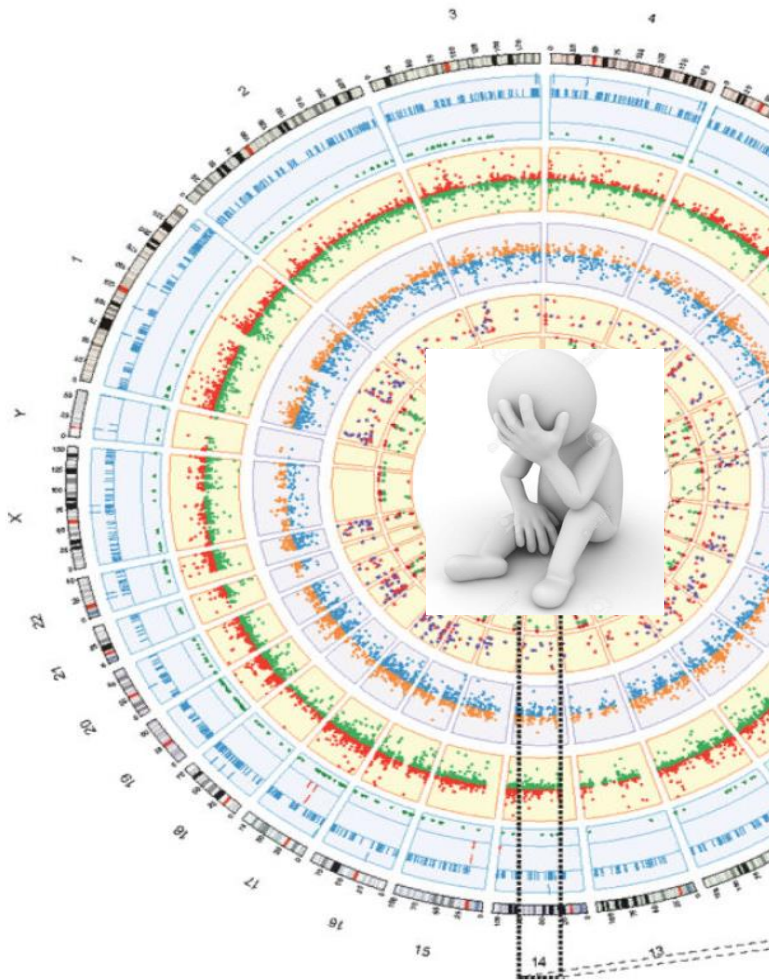
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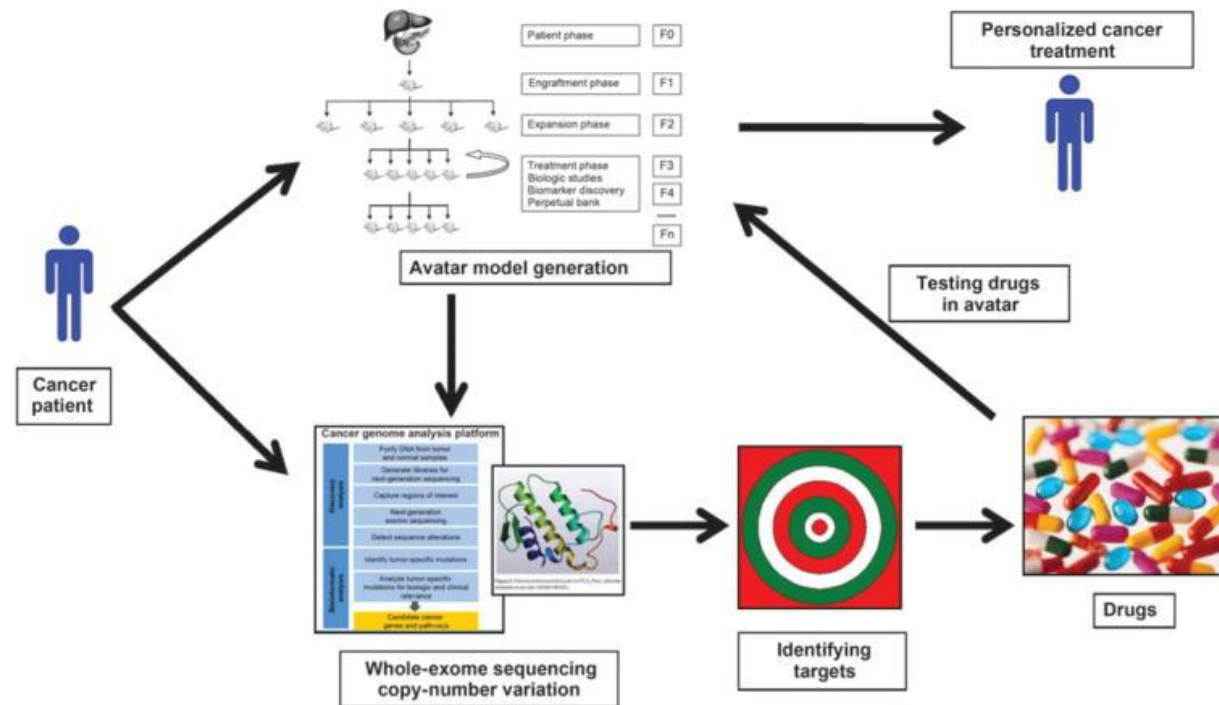
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(Snyder 2014)

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Integrating sequencing and avatar mouse models

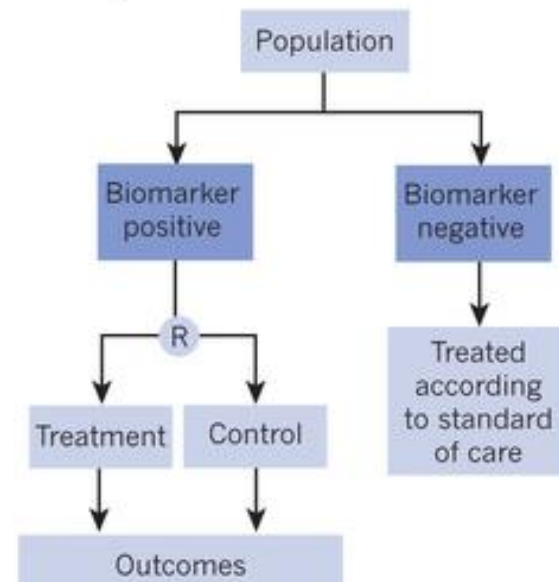


Missingness

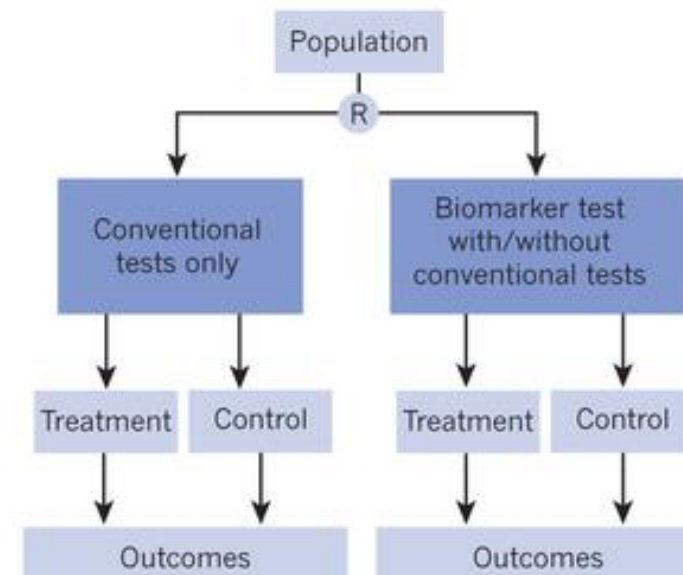
(Garralda et al. 2014)

Testing precision-medicine strategies

c Targeted RCT



d Classical RCT



Replication and validation

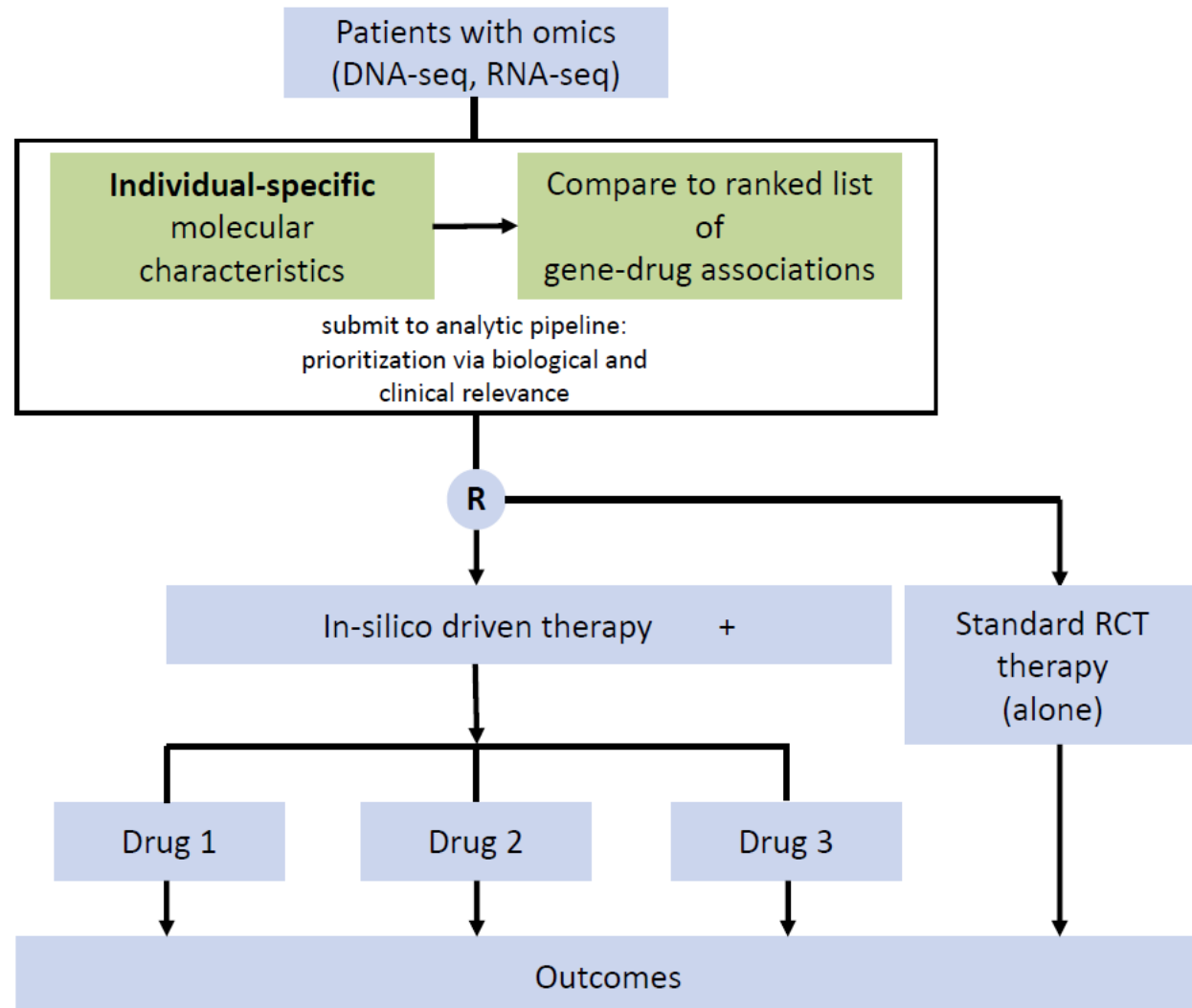
(Biankin et al. 2015)

Testing precision-medicine strategies

- Umbrella CTs: 1 disease, different genetic mutations which define subcohorts, each receiving randomized treatment regimen
- Basket CTs: multiple diseases with the same genetic mutation, randomized treatment allocation (multi-dimensional mutational profile: assign treatment based on the mutation detected in the higher pct of cancer cells ...)

(Sumitrhra Mandrekar,
INSERM atelier 248, Bordeaux, 2017)

Testing precision-medicine strategies





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Molecular Reclassification of Crohn's Disease by Cluster Analysis of Genetic Variants

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(Cleynen et al. 2012)

Heterogeneity as a target



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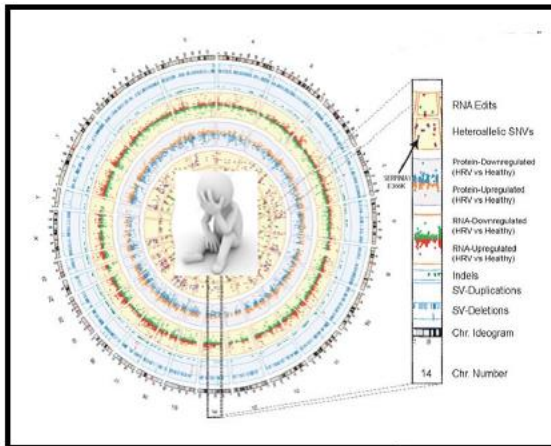
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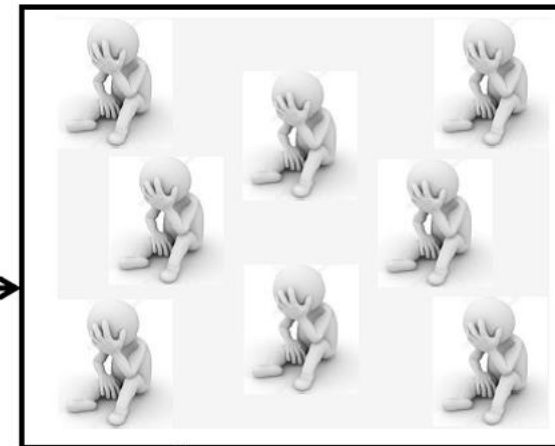
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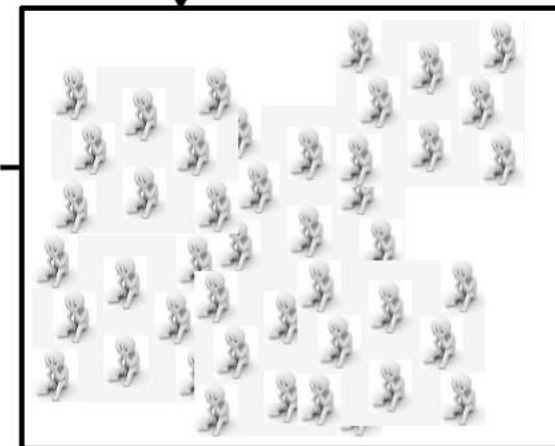
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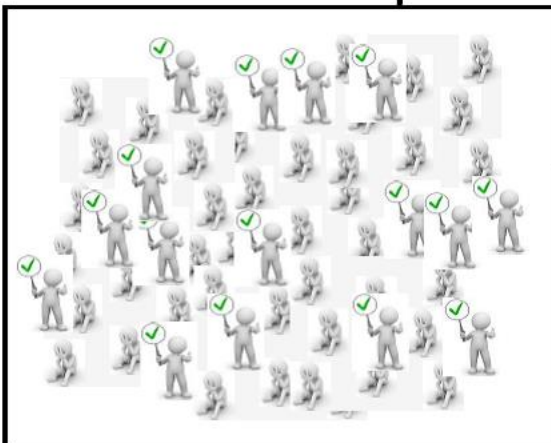


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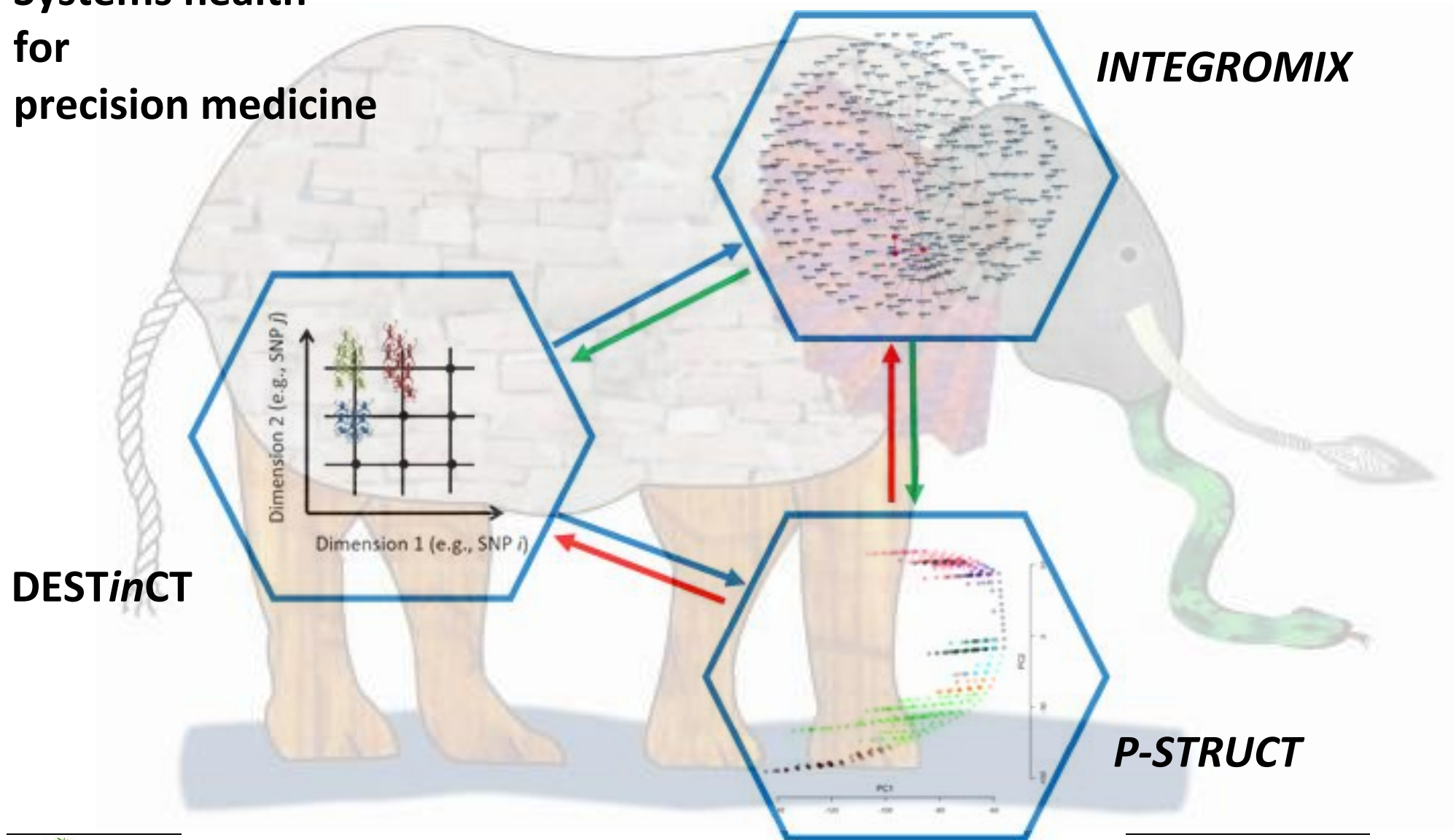
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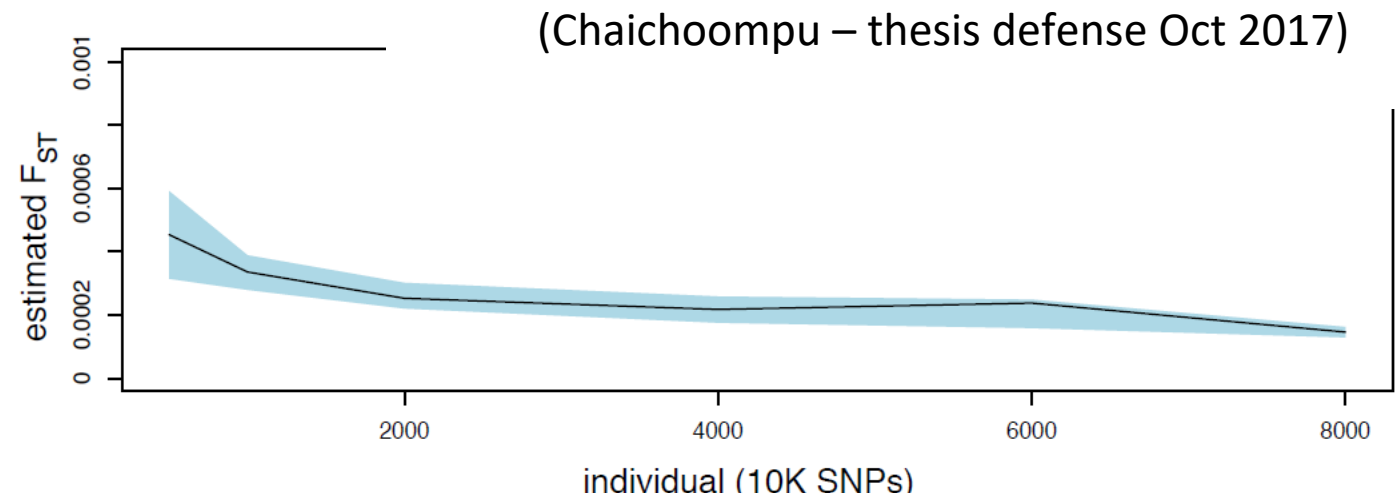
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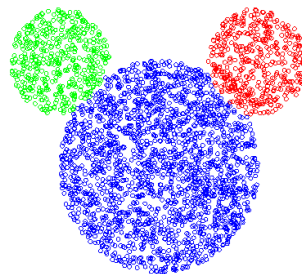
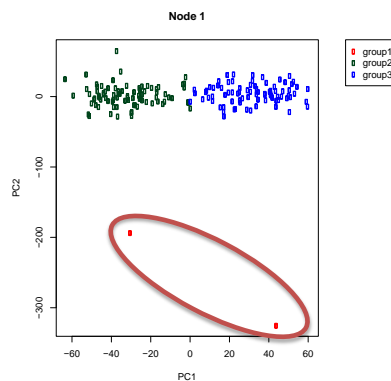
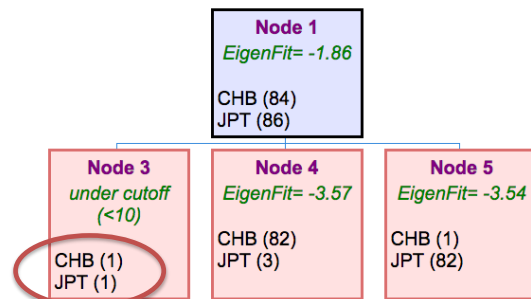
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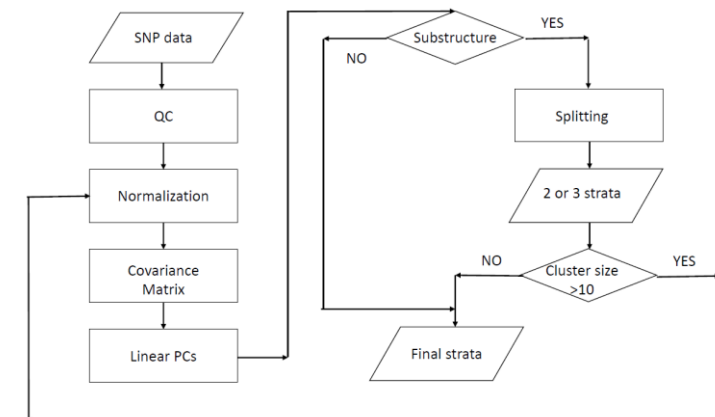
Fine-scale structure detection



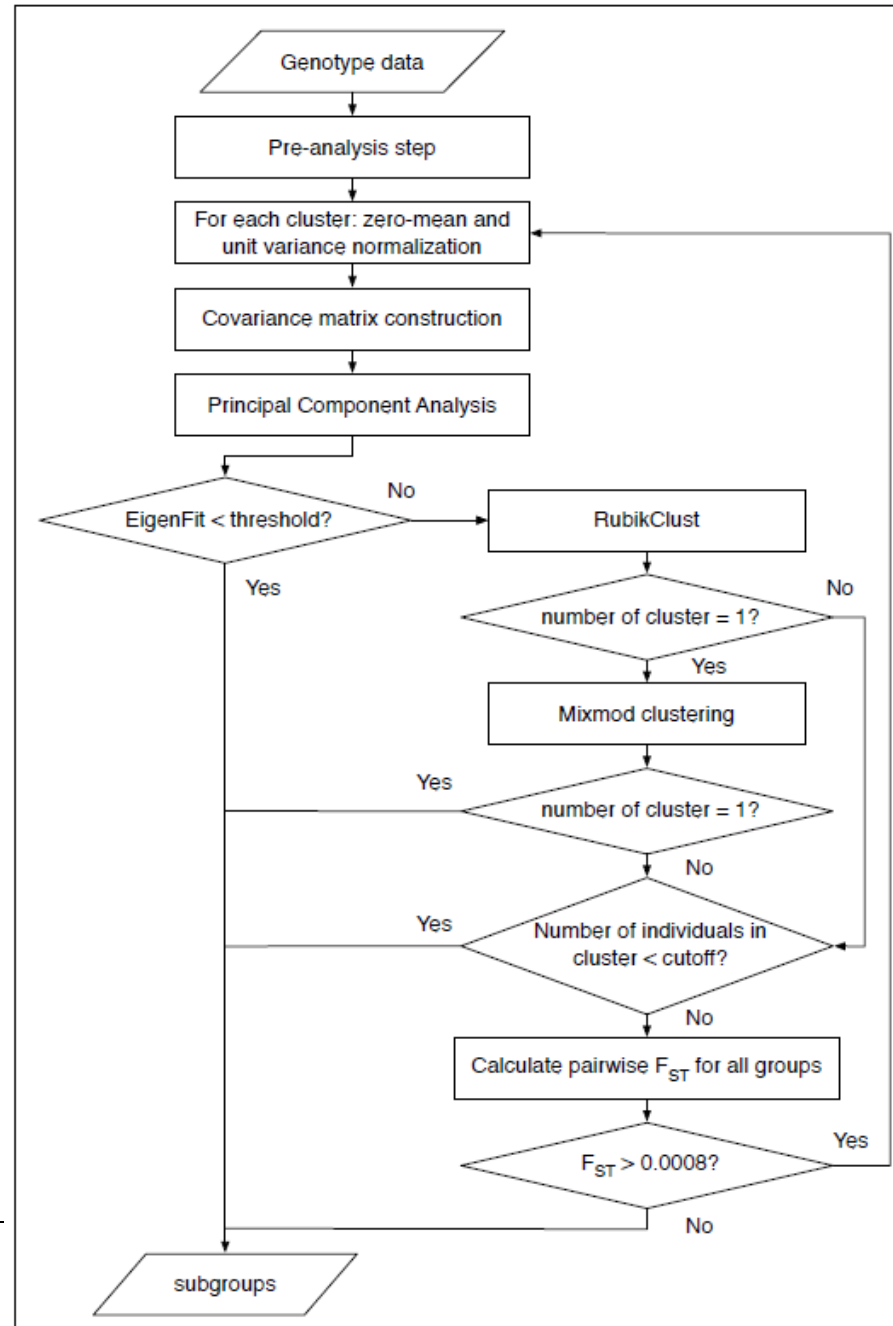
Combine with EM clustering



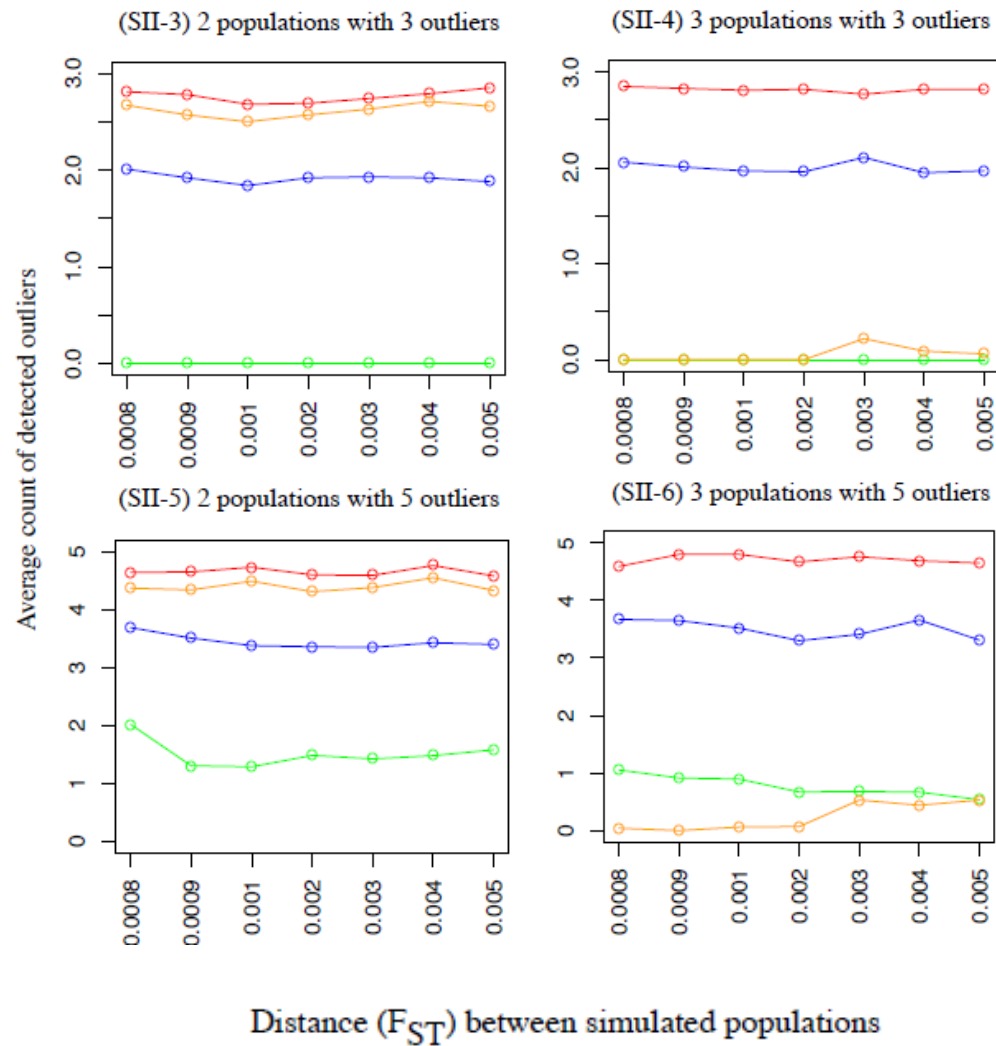
IPCAPS



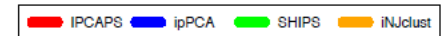
IPCAPS workflow



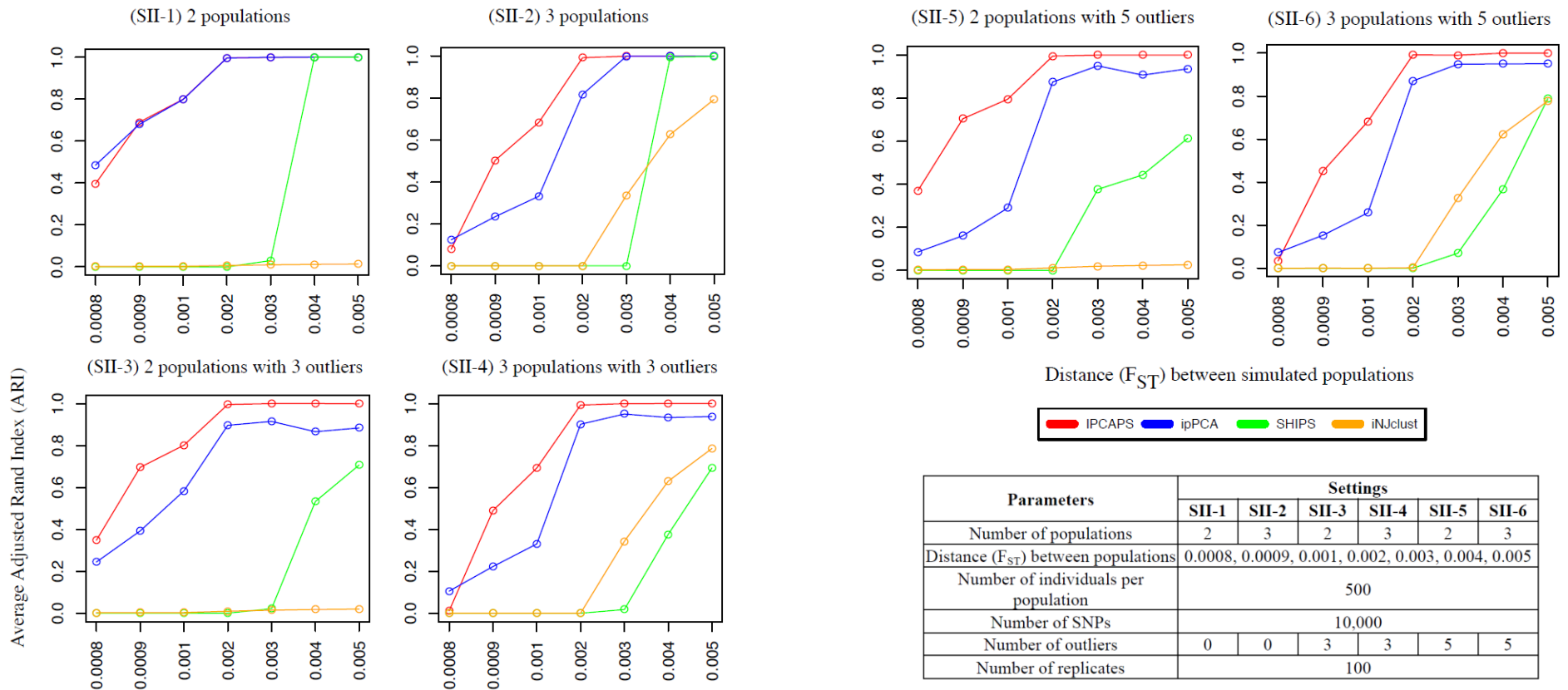
Performance of IPCAPS as outlier detection tool



Parameters	Settings					
	SII-1	SII-2	SII-3	SII-4	SII-5	SII-6
Number of populations	2	3	2	3	2	3
Distance (F_{ST}) between populations	0.0008, 0.0009, 0.001, 0.002, 0.003, 0.004, 0.005					
Number of individuals per population	500					
Number of SNPs	10,000					
Number of outliers	0	0	3	3	5	5
Number of replicates	100					



Accuracy of IPCAPS as a clustering technique



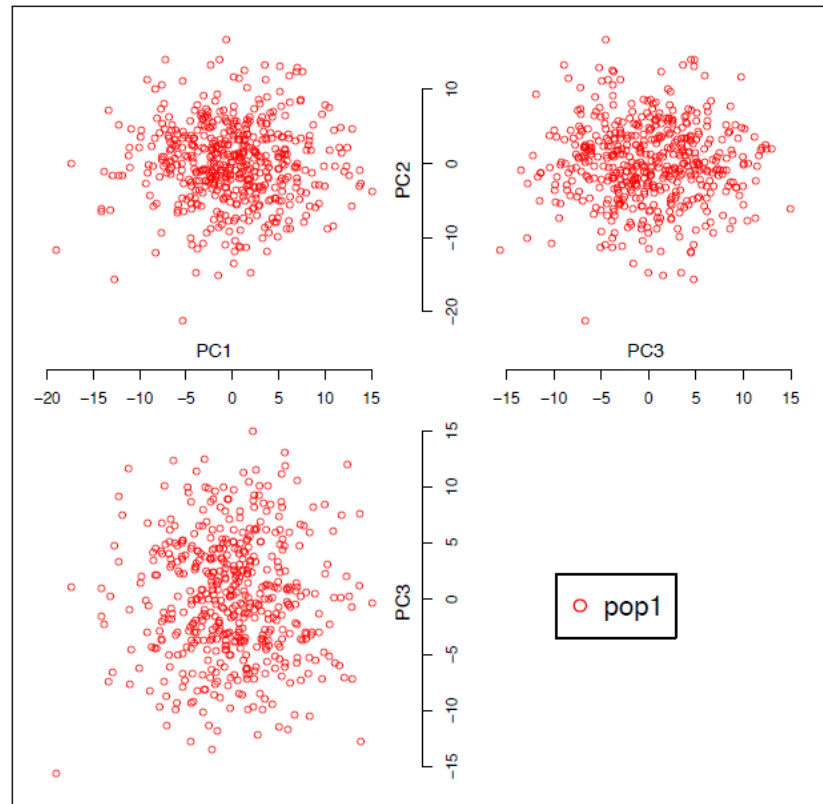
(Chaichoompu – thesis defense Oct 2017)

F_{ST} among populations – examples

	Sp	Fr	Be	UK	Sw	No	Ge	Ro	Cz	Sl	Hu	Po	Ru	CEU	CHB	JPT
Fr	0.0008															
Be	0.0015	0.0002														
UK	0.0024	0.0006	0.0005													
Sw	0.0047	0.0023	0.0018	0.0013												
No	0.0047	0.0024	0.0019	0.0014	0.0010											
Ge	0.0025	0.0008	0.0005	0.0006	0.0011	0.0016										
Ro	0.0023	0.0017	0.0018	0.0028	0.0041	0.0044	0.0016									
Cz	0.0033	0.0016	0.0013	0.0014	0.0016	0.0024	0.0003	0.0016								
Sl	0.0034	0.0017	0.0015	0.0017	0.0019	0.0026	0.0005	0.0014	0.0001							
Hu	0.0030	0.0015	0.0013	0.0016	0.0020	0.0026	0.0004	0.0011	0.0001	0.0001						
Po	0.0053	0.0032	0.0028	0.0027	0.0023	0.0034	0.0012	0.0028	0.0004	0.0004	0.0006					
Ru	0.0059	0.0037	0.0034	0.0032	0.0025	0.0036	0.0016	0.0030	0.0008	0.0007	0.0009	0.0003				
CEU	0.0026	0.0008	0.0005	0.0002	0.0011	0.0012	0.0006	0.0028	0.0014	0.0016	0.0016	0.0026	0.0031			
CHB	0.1096	0.1094	0.1093	0.1096	0.1073	0.1081	0.1085	0.1047	0.1080	0.1069	0.1058	0.1086	0.1036	0.1095		
JPT	0.1118	0.1116	0.1114	0.1117	0.1095	0.1103	0.1107	0.1068	0.1102	0.1091	0.1079	0.1108	0.1057	0.1117	0.0069	
YRI	0.1460	0.1493	0.1496	0.1513	0.1524	0.1531	0.1502	0.1463	0.1503	0.1498	0.1490	0.1520	0.1504	0.1510	0.1901	0.1918

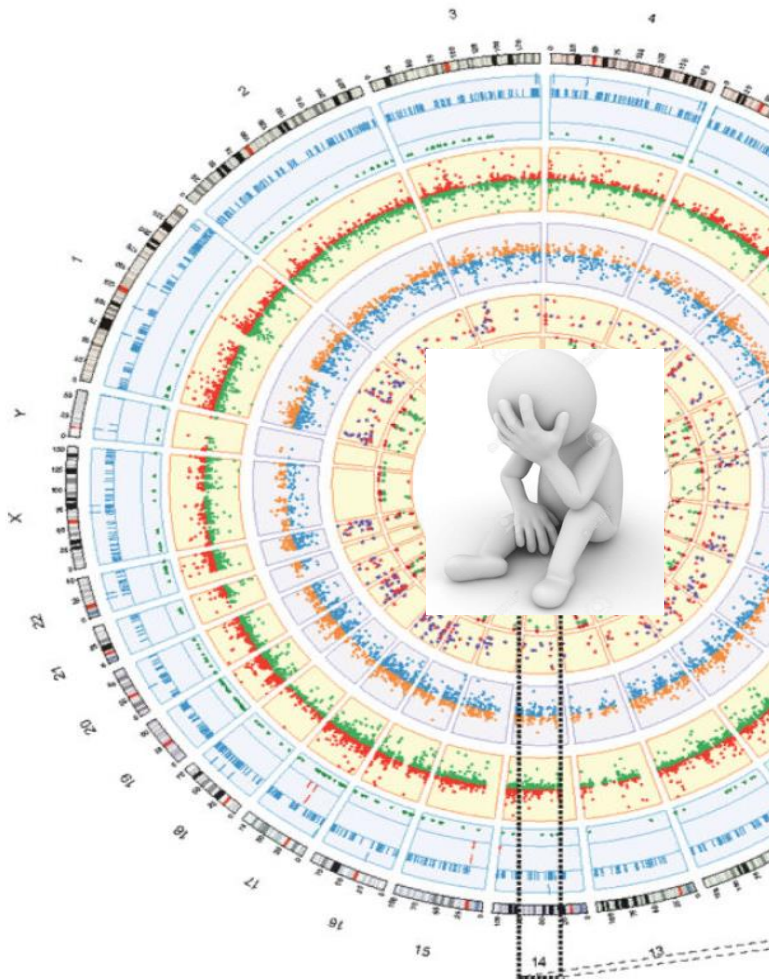
(Heath et al. 2008)

Type I error of IPCAPS



Method	Av. # clusters
IPCAPS	1
ipPCA	2
SHIPS	1
iNJclust	>150

(Kridsakorn Chaichoompu 2017,
PhD thesis – Chapter 2)



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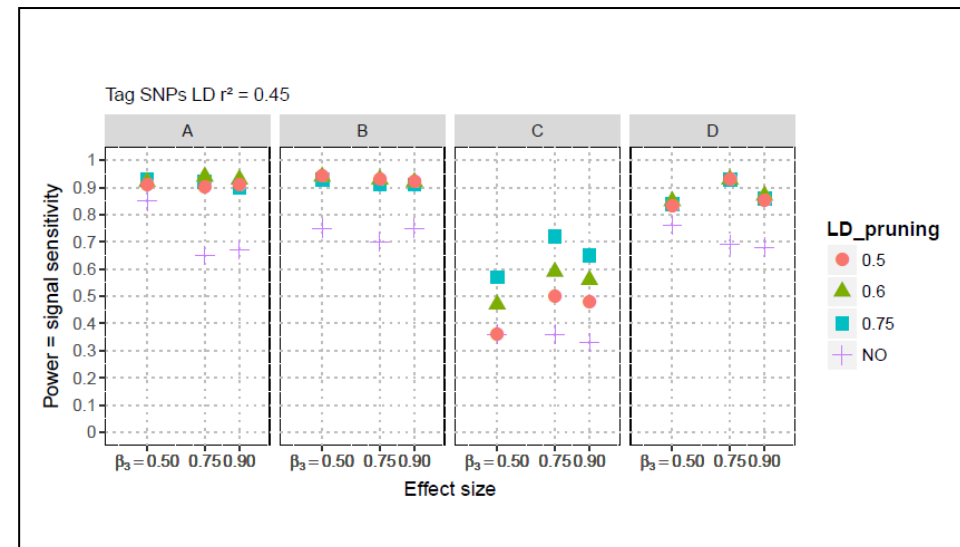
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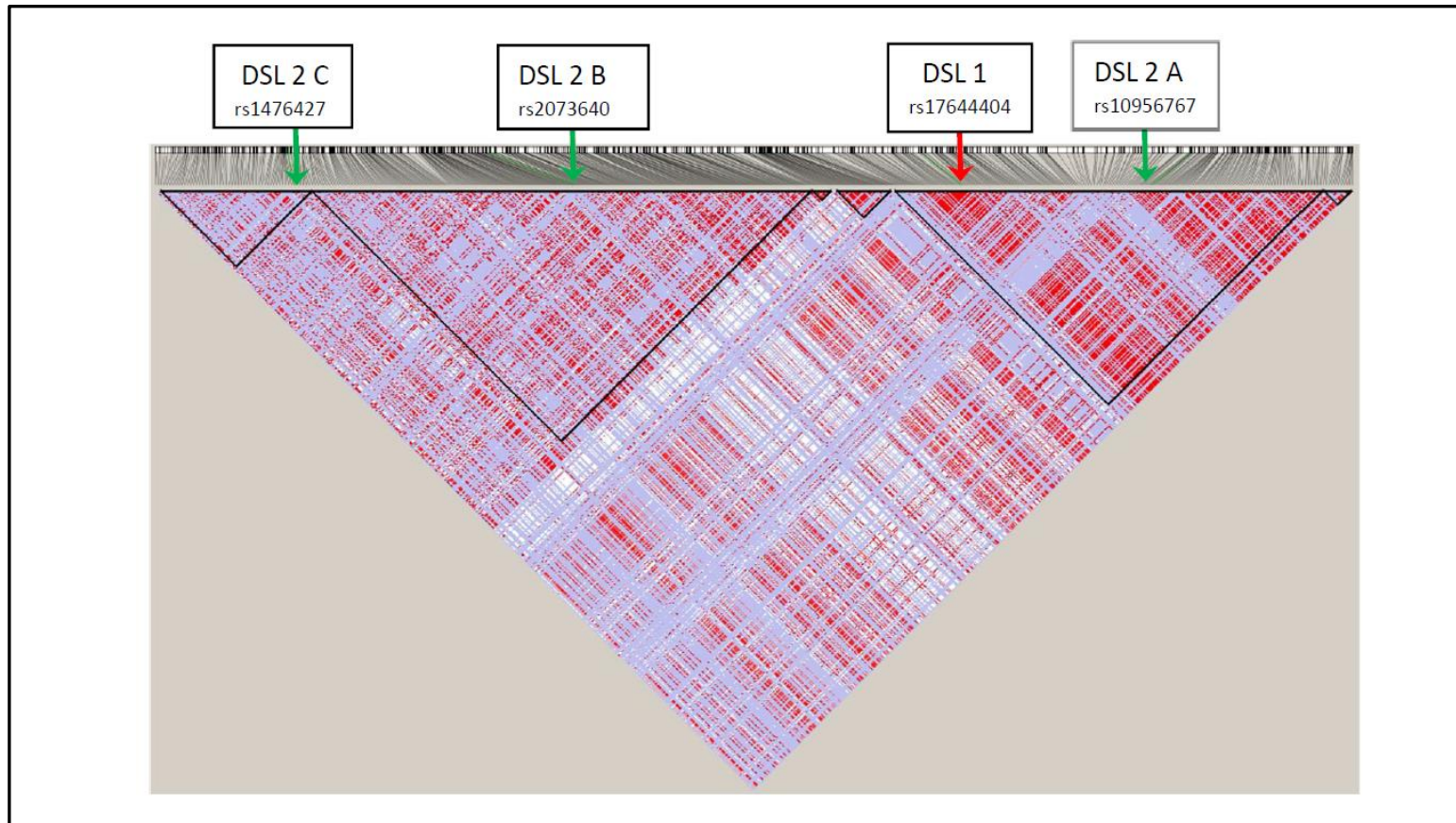
Redundancy - Informativity

Highly correlated features

- Statistics and Linkage Disequilibrium (LD) pruning
- Results (Marc Joiret – 2017 intern BIO3):
 - Exact signal sensitivity may be low when actual actors were pruned out
 - No pruning gives the lowest signal sensitivity
 - Sufficient pruning gives acceptable signal sensitivity
 - Lowest power when DSLs reside at the boundaries of LD regions (scenario C)



Highly correlated features



(Marc Joiret – 2017 BIO3 intern)



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(Maus et al. 2013)

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What does it mean to be „Diseased“?

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Highlighting nonlinear patterns in population genetics datasets

SUBJECT AREAS:
MACHINE LEARNING
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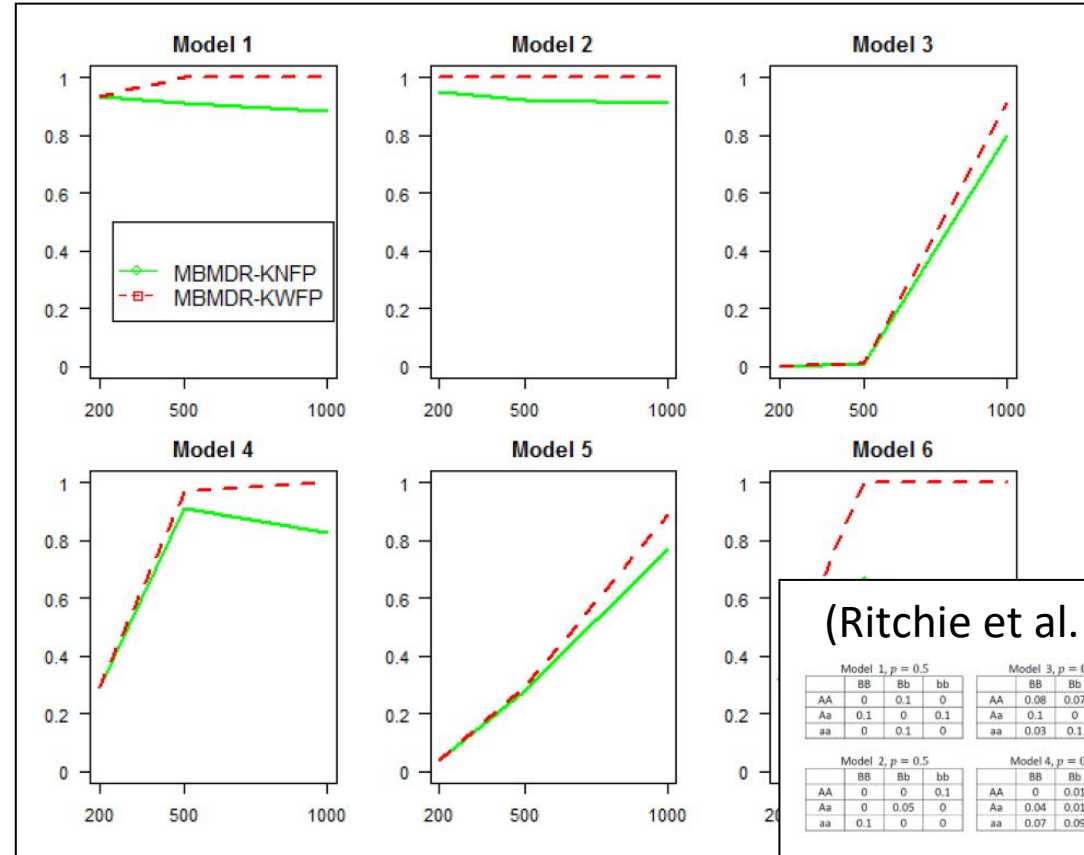
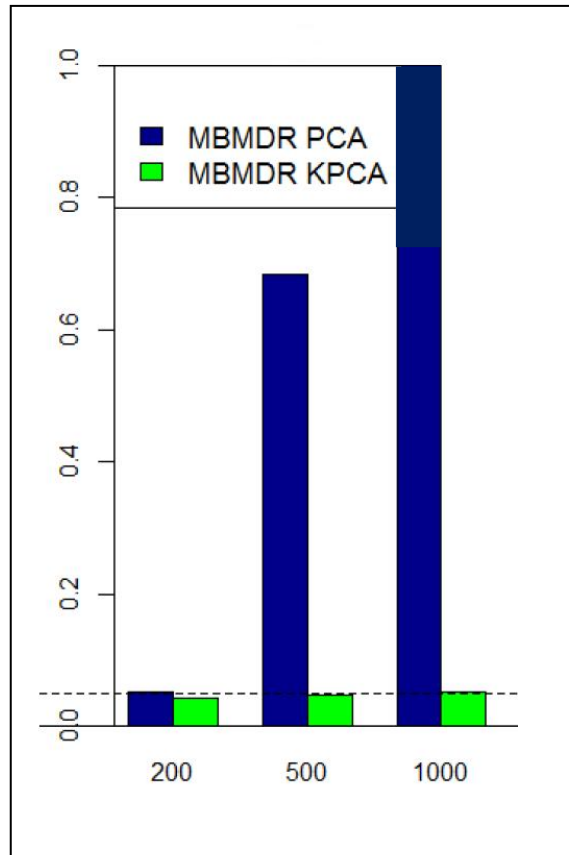
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Non-linearity

(Alanis-Lobato et al. 2015)

(Non-linear) confounders

(Fouladi et al. 2016+ ; Abegaz et al. 2016+)



(Ritchie et al. 2003)

Model 1, $p = 0.5$				Model 3, $p = 0.25$				Model 5, $p = 0.1$			
AA	Bb	Bb	bb	AA	Bb	Bb	bb	AA	Bb	Bb	bb
0	0.1	0	0	0.08	0.07	0.05	0	0.07	0.05	0.02	0
0.1	0	0.1	0	0.1	0	0.1	0	0.05	0.09	0.01	0.01
0	0.1	0	0	0.03	0.1	0.04	0	0.02	0.01	0.03	0

Model 2, $p = 0.5$				Model 4, $p = 0.25$				Model 6, $p = 0.1$			
AA	Bb	Bb	bb	AA	Bb	Bb	bb	AA	Bb	Bb	bb
0	0	0	0.1	0	0.01	0.09	0	0.09	0.001	0.02	0
0	0.05	0	0	0.04	0.01	0.08	0	0.08	0.07	0.005	0
0.1	0	0	0	0.07	0.09	0.03	0	0.003	0.007	0.02	0

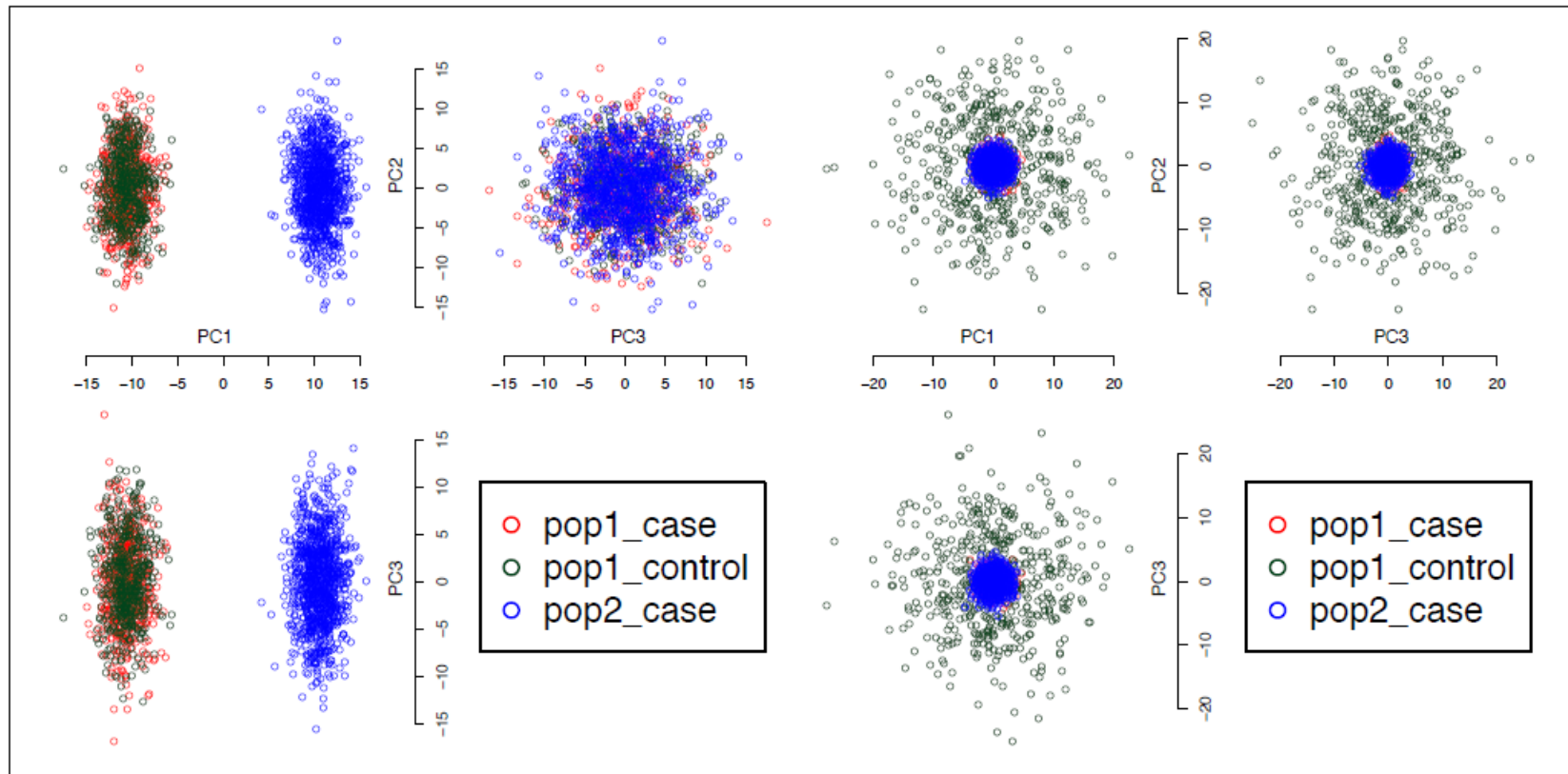
Above : 60/40 CC ratio, structural epistasis according to corresponding full penetrance Ritchie epistasis model ; Below : 50/50 (200+200)

	Model 1		Model 2		Model 3		Model 4		Model 5		Model 6	
Noise	MB	MDR	MB	MDR	MB	MDR	MB	MDR	MB	MDR	MB	MDR
None	100	99	100	100	100	95	100	93	93	62	97	73

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(Cattaert et al. 2011)

Linear population structure correction (Chaichoompu 2017+)



Pooled case/control PCs (left) vs Case-Projected PCs (right)

Pooled PCs but on which SNPs? (Chaichoompu 2017+)

Dataset	Uncorrected SNPs (I)		Corrected with PCs from our curated SNPs (II)				Corrected with PCs from the IIBDGC SNPs (III)				Corrected with clusters obtained by IPCAPS (IV)	
	Dis.	Rep.	5PCs		10PCs		5PCs		10PCs		Dis.	Rep.
			Dis.	Rep.	Dis.	Rep.	Dis.	Rep.	Dis.	Rep.		
CON	5	4	3	7	1	1	3	9	3	7	4	8
CD	8	4	5	8	3	8	6	3	8	3		
UC	6	7	7	7	3	3	1	5	1	5		
IBD	5	6	1	4	1	1	1	7	1	1		

Pooled PCs but on which SNPs? (Chaichoompu 2017+)

Set	Uncorrected CON		CON		CD		UC	
	Dis.	Rep.	Dis.	Rep.	Dis.	Rep.	Dis.	Rep.
1	5	4	1	1	3	8	3	3
2	3	5	1	1	3	5	3	3
3	5	5	1	1	3	3	3	5
4	5	5	1	1	3	3	3	3
5	5	5	1	1	3	5	3	3
6	5	4	1	1	3	3	3	3
7	6	5	1	1	3	3	3	3
8	6	4	1	1	6	3	3	3
9	4	4	1	1	3	8	3	5
10	4	5	1	1	6	5	3	3
Average	4.8	4.6	1.0	1.0	3.6	4.6	3.0	3.4

(cluster sizes less than 20 are considered to be outlying and are removed)

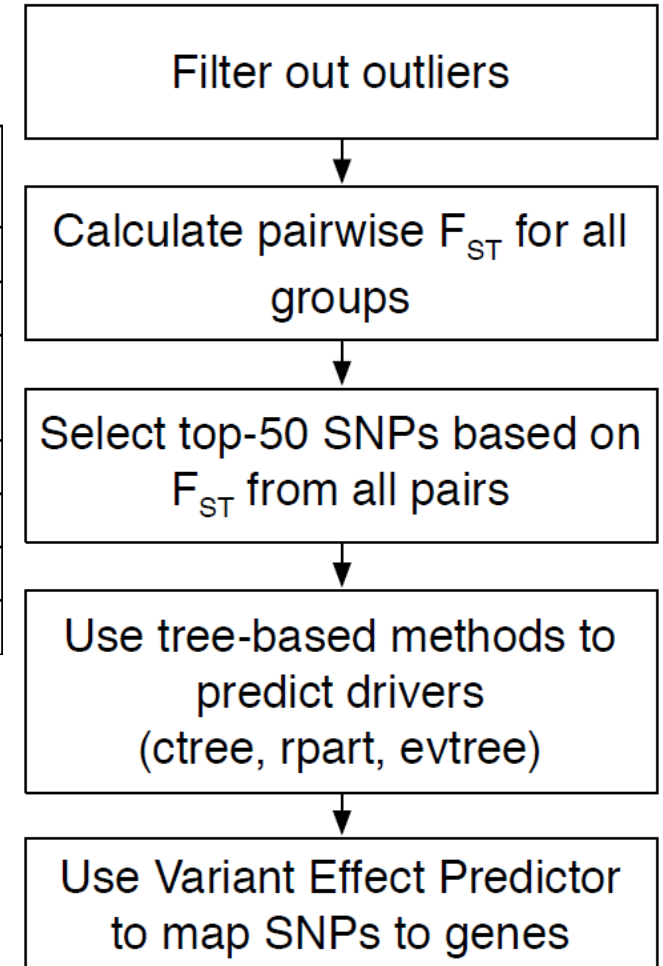
Interpretation - cluster discriminators

SNPs	Chr	Positions	Associated genes	Additional information
rs80261410	2	136049426	-	intergenic
rs11681014	2	134377531	MGAT5	intron
rs200930008	11	18246053	SAA2	splice region, intron
rs3749946	6	31481085	-	intergenic
rs4833103	4	38813881	-	intergenic
rs10280281	7	16365684	ISPD	intron
rs6922431	6	31497253	MICB [19]	upstream gene

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Interpretation - cluster determinants

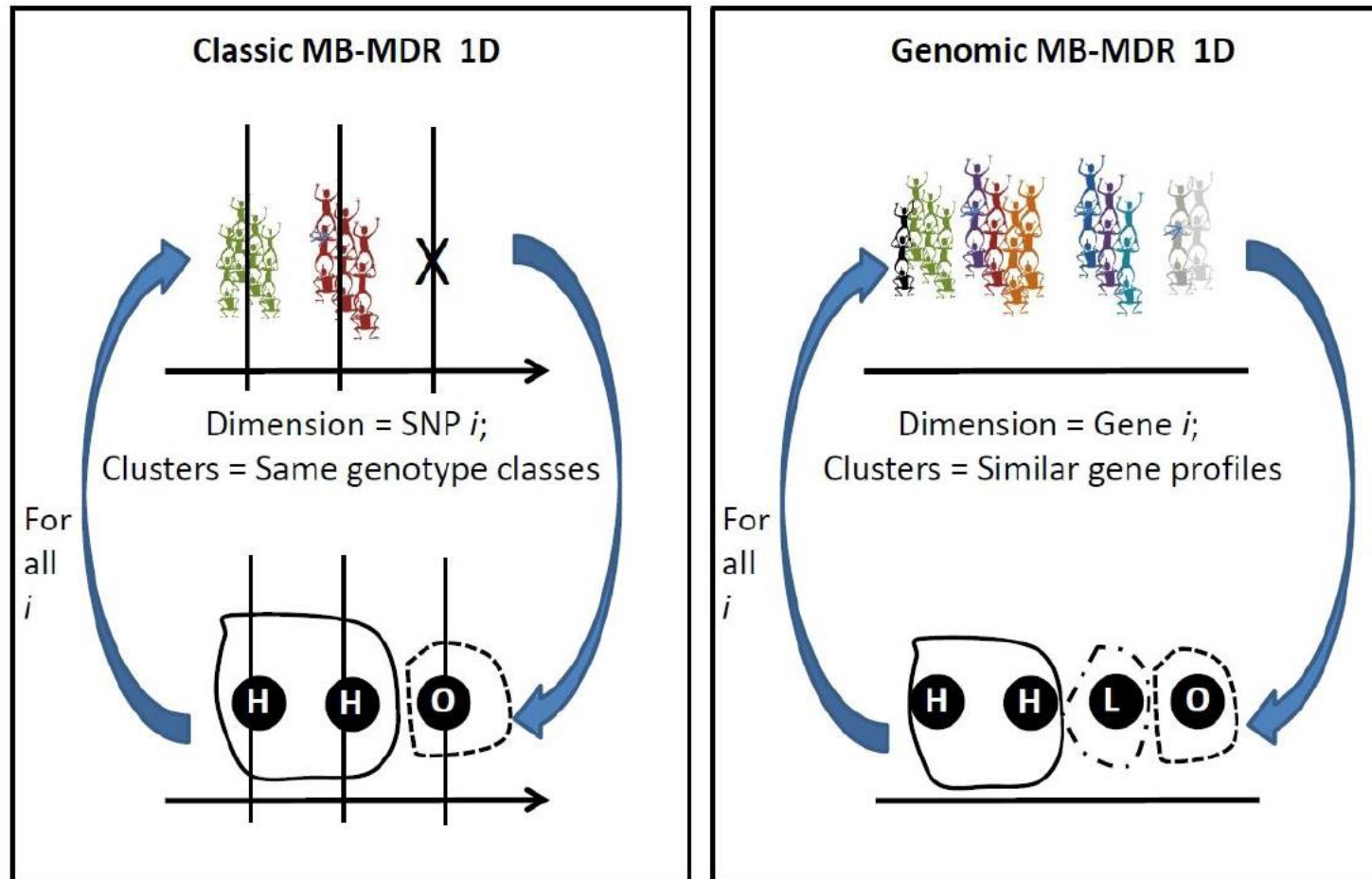


Go gene-centric - GWAS

Gene representative statistics	Related method
$T = -2 \sum_{i=1}^m \ln P_i$	COMBASSOC (Curtis et al., 2008)
$T = -2 \sum_{i=1}^m \ln(1 - P_i)$	Pearson's method (Pearson, 1938)
$T = \sum_{i=1}^m X_i$; where $X_i = Q_{\chi^2_1}(P_i)$ is the upper quintile of the χ^2_1 distribution evaluated at P_i	VEGAS (Liu et al., 2010), VEGAS2 (Mishra et al., 2015), PASCAL (Lamparter et al., 2016), fastBAT (Bakshi et al., 2016), MAGMA (Leeuw et al., 2015)
$T = \max_{i \leq m} X_i$, or equivalently, $T = \min_{i \leq m} P_i$	VEGAS, VEGAS2, PASCAL, MAGMA
$T = \max_{i \leq m} Z_i$; where $Z_i = Q_{N(0,1)}(P_i)$ is the upper quintile of the standard normal distribution evaluated at P_i	MAGENTA
$T = -2 \times Q_1(\ln P_1, \ln P_2, \dots, \ln P_m)$; Q_1 : the first quartile	TopQ (Lehne et al., 2011)
$T(k) = \prod_{i=1}^k P_{(i)}$; $1 \leq k \leq N$ is a truncation point chosen a priori by user	Rank Truncated Product (Dudbridge et al., 2003)
$T = \prod_{i=1}^N P_i^{I(P_i \leq \tau)}$; τ is a truncating parameter, typically set as $\tau=0.05$	Truncated Product (Zaykin et al., 2002)

(Yuanlong Liu 2017, PhD thesis – chapter 1)

Go gene-centric - GWAIS



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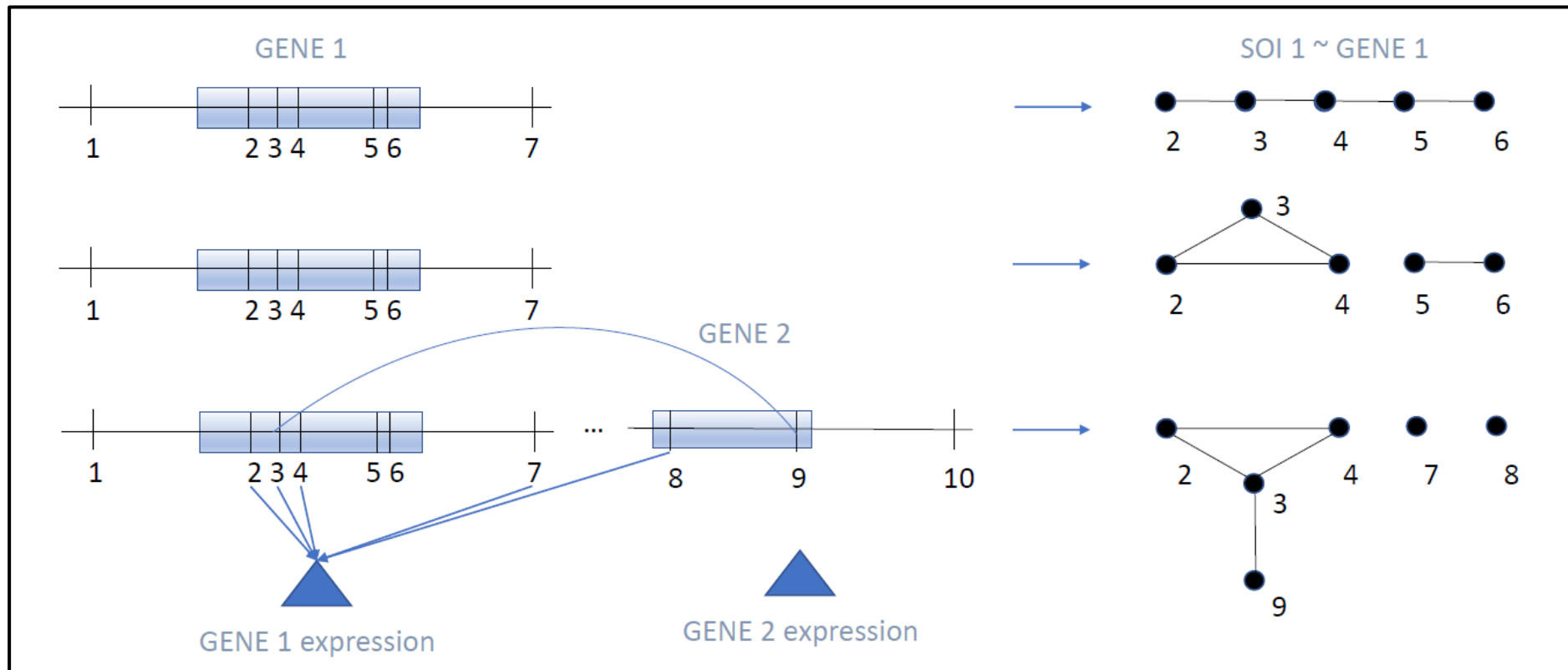
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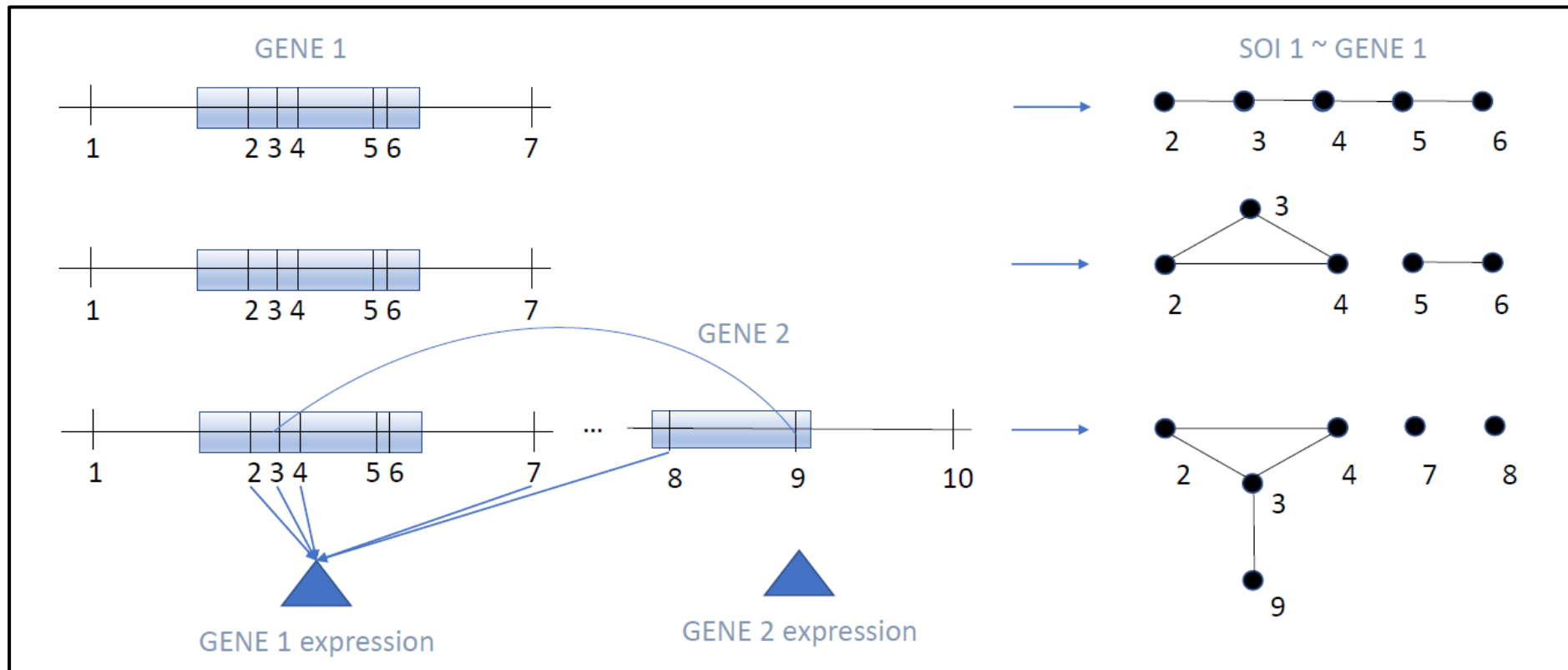
Error control - conservativeness

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Alternative gene representations – precision medicine



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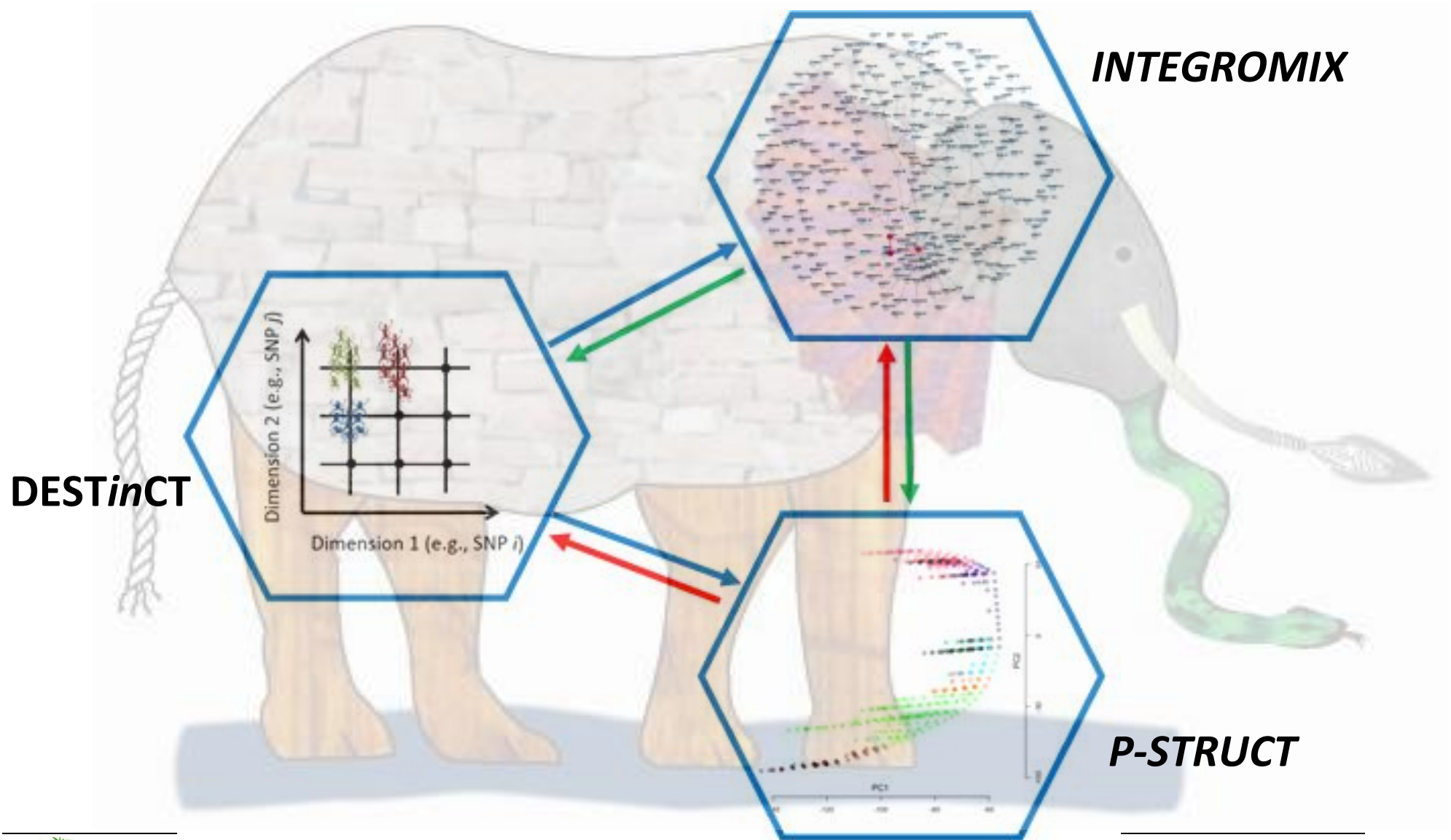


or having it trained from the data?

Take-home messages

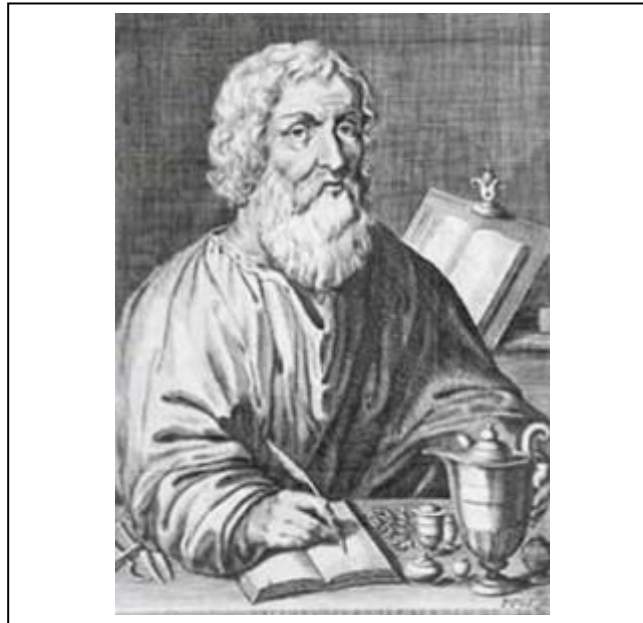
Challenges and opportunities

- Continuum – range of disease presentations (dozens of IBD? what are outliers?)
- Informativity versus redundancy – not all data are relevant for a particular data problem (definition of relevance)
- Multiple data sources in a system – not available to all patients (missing data)
- Heterogeneity – a target and a nuisance (corrections for confounding)
- Replication and validation – translation to the clinic (finding “similar” independent data)



Hippocrates (460-370 BC):

“It’s far more important to know what person the disease has than what disease the person has.”



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Supplements

Integration of inferred haplotypes in ipPCA

Information	SNPs ($r^2 < 1$) (I)	SNPs ($r^2 < 0.8$) (II)	SNPs ($r^2 < 0.2$) (III)	SNPs & LD blocks (IV)	Only LD blocks (V)
Number of SNPs (base pairs)	552K	359K	125K	97K	-
Number of LD- based haplotype blocks (blocks)	-	-	-	87K	87K
Number of clusters	4	4	4	4	4
Cluster overlap [total = 992] (individuals)	870	926	827	943	949

Reference clustering via ipPCA on Thai population
as reported by Wangkumhang et al. 2013

Performance in synthetic and real-life data

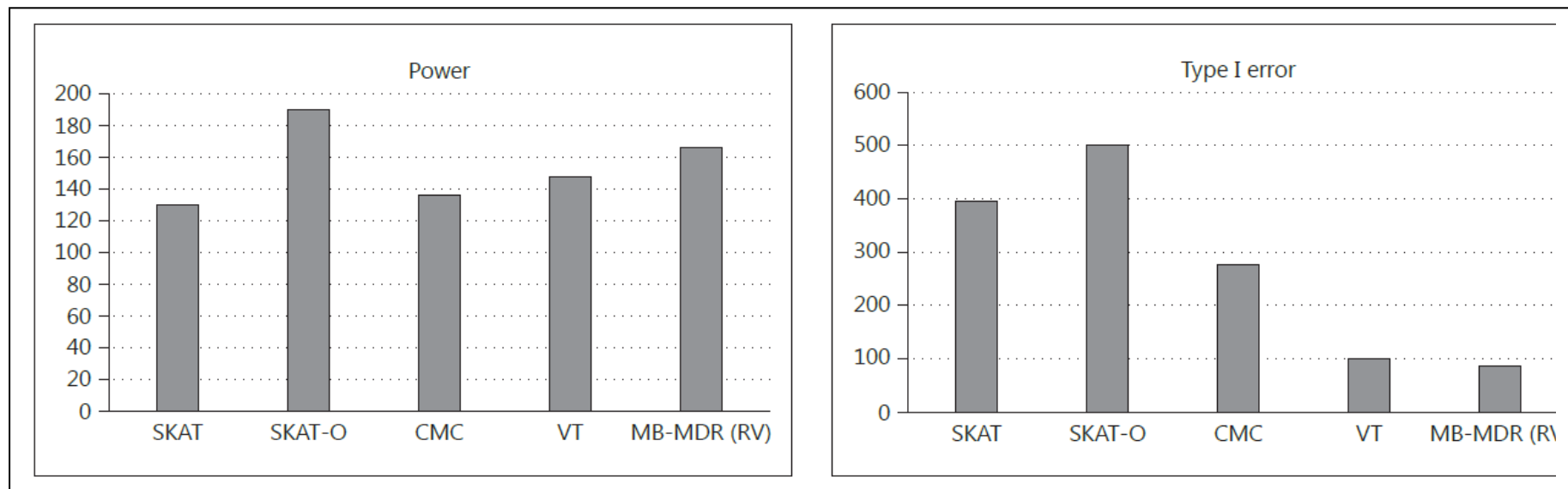
- Several methods applied to synthetic data are hampered by inflated type I error rates, including SKAT, SKAT-O and CMC (Derkach et al. 2014)
- VT seems to exhibit consistently controllable type I error rates in several scenarios (Dering et al. 2014)

(Dering et al. 2014)

	Type I	Av Power
aSum	0.12	(0.15)
C- α	0.06	0.10
CAST	0.06	0.09
CMAT	0.12	(0.16)
CMC	0.11	(0.20)
FPCA	0.05	0.07
KBAC	0.04	0.06
PWST	0.65	(0.85)
RC	0.08	(0.13)
RVT1	0.06	0.10
RVT2	0.05	0.11
SKAT	0.08	(0.11)
SKAT-O	0.10	(0.14)
VT	0.06	0.04
WSS	0.12	(0.17)

Performance in synthetic and real-life data

- Our results show similar trends, yet type I errors are smaller (restricting attention to a single chromosome -4- only)



Power : count/200 ; Type I error : count/(80*200)