



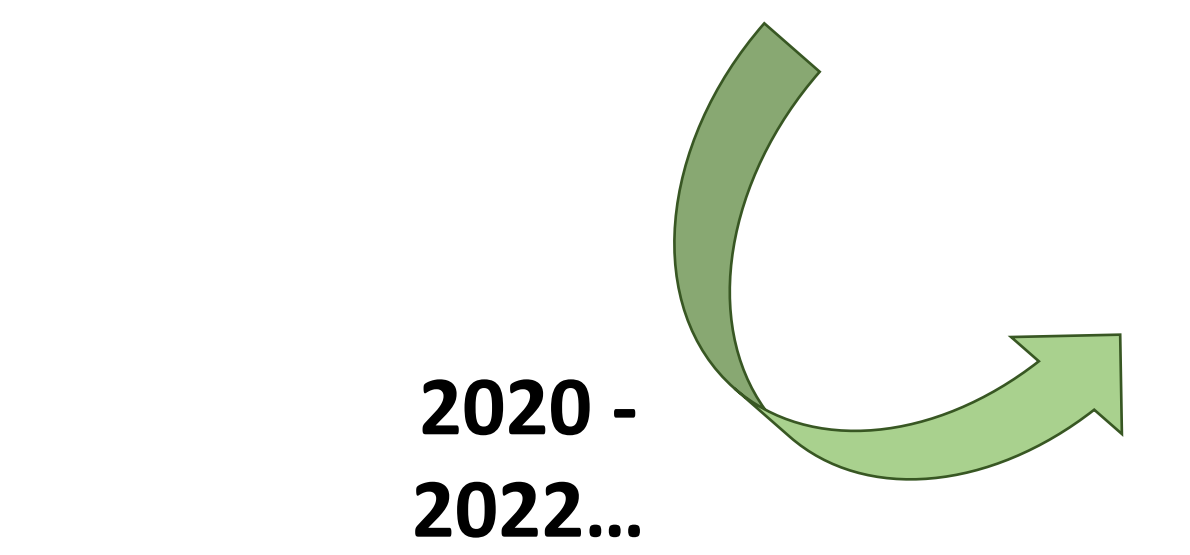
# ABC opening remarks

Travis Parker

2023 KT annual meeting



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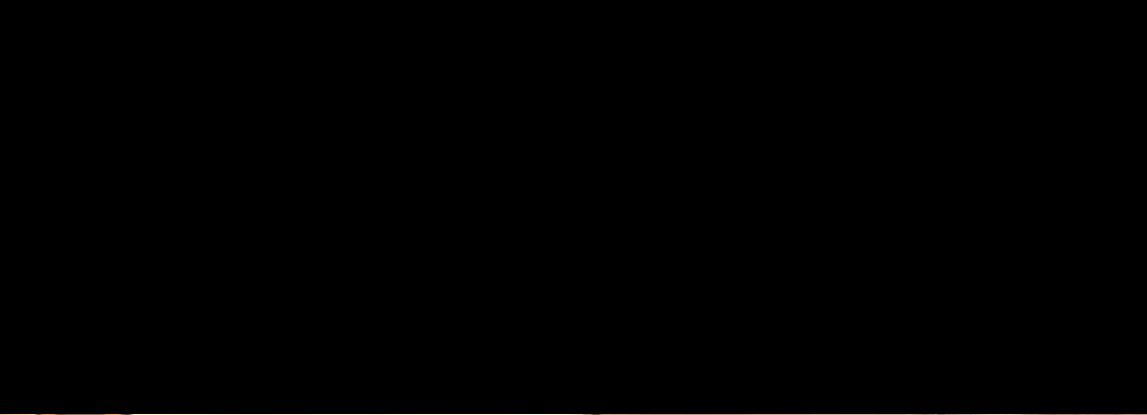


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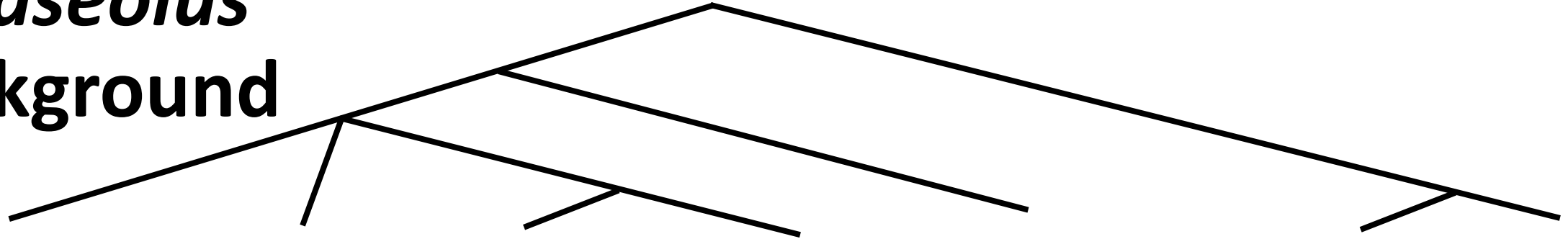
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# *Phaseolus* background



Year bean  
*Phaseolus dumosus*  
Middle American

Runner bean  
*Phaseolus coccineus*  
Middle American

Common bean  
*Phaseolus vulgaris*  
Andean

Common bean  
*Phaseolus vulgaris*  
Middle American

Tepary bean  
*Phaseolus acutifolius*  
Middle American

Lima bean  
*Phaseolus lunatus*  
Andean

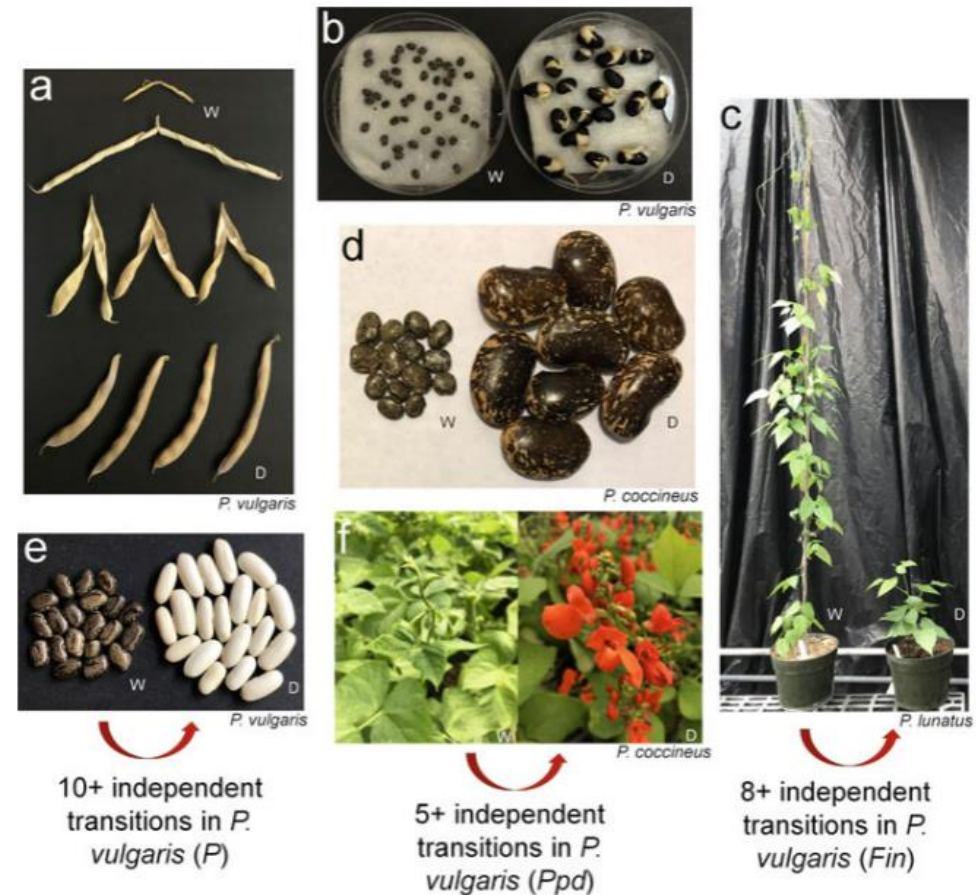
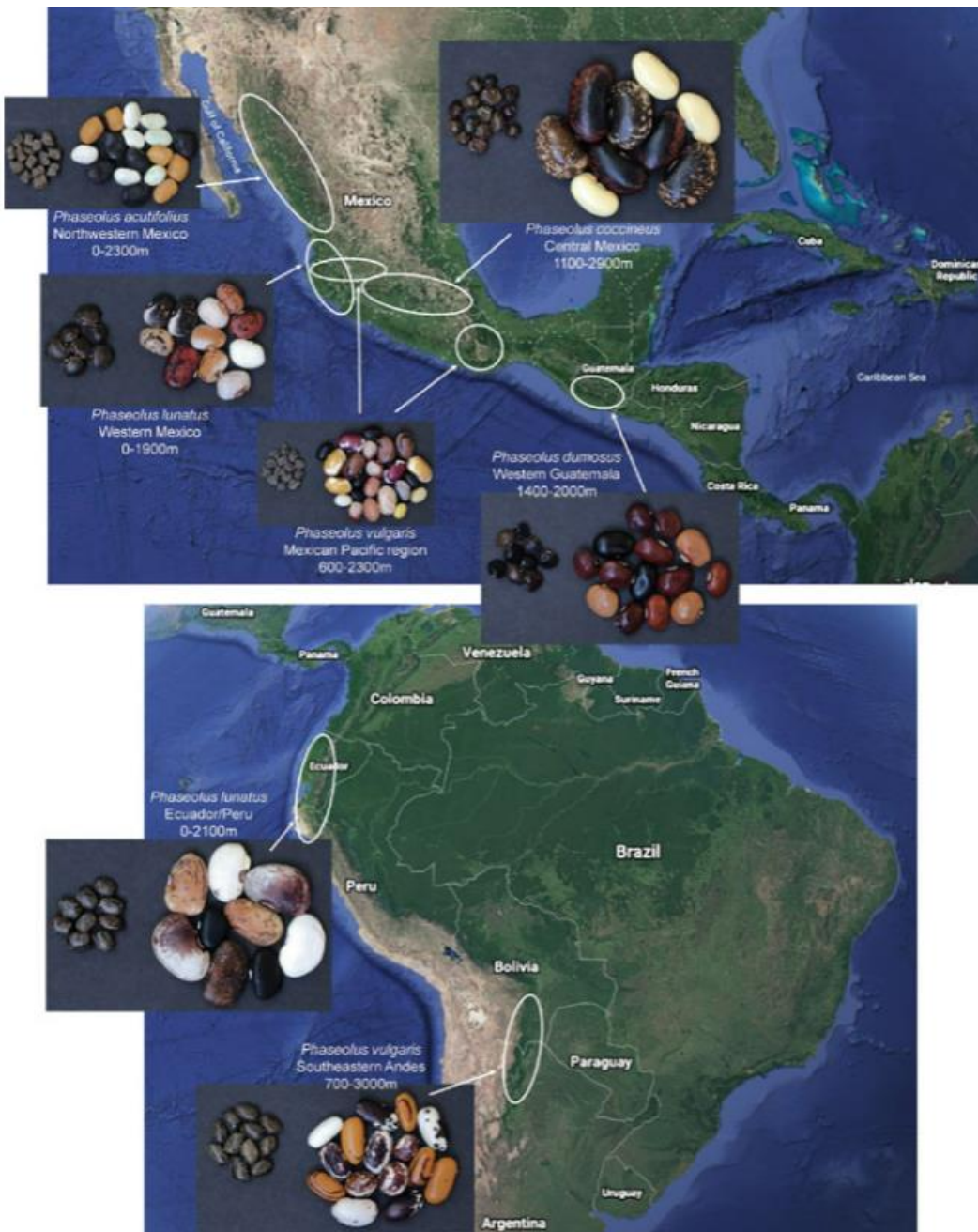
Lima bean  
*Phaseolus lunatus*  
Middle American

# Population Genomics of *Phaseolus* spp.: A Domestication Hotspot

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# I. Migration of PhaseolusGenes to the Legume Information System (LIS, legumeinfo.org)




Andrew Farmer



Steven Cannon




Sam Hokin



# LIS - Legume Information System

Information about legume traits for crop improvement



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## Marker Search

Search for markers in *Phaseolus vulgaris* using the form below.

Species	Marker name (can be partial)	Publication
- Any -	<input type="text"/>	
<input type="button" value="Search"/> <a href="#">Example</a>		

Organism	Marker	Alt names used on maps	Synonyms
<a href="#">Phaseolus vulgaris</a>	(ACTG)4_850		
<a href="#">Phaseolus vulgaris</a>	0205G		
<a href="#">Phaseolus vulgaris</a>	1-Gm		
<a href="#">Phaseolus vulgaris</a>	118M3		
<a href="#">Phaseolus vulgaris</a>	11M-Gm		
<a href="#">Phaseolus vulgaris</a>	11M1		
<a href="#">Phaseolus vulgaris</a>	129M2		
<a href="#">Phaseolus vulgaris</a>	12M-Gm		
<a href="#">Phaseolus vulgaris</a>	12M1		
<a href="#">Phaseolus vulgaris</a>	13-Gm		



## Data Collections

Arachis  
Cajanus  
Cicer  
Glycine  
Lotus  
Lupinus  
Medicago  
Phaseolus  
Pisum  
Trifolium  
Vigna

## Phaseolus data collections

### Phaseolus lunatus

#### Genomes

##### **G27455.gnm1.7NXX**

Phaseolus lunatus accession G27455 genome assembly V1

#### Annotations

##### **G27455.gnm1.ann1.JD7C**

Phaseolus lunatus accession G27455 annotation files from genome assembly V1

### Phaseolus vulgaris

#### Genomes

##### **5-593.gnm1.1P7P**

Phaseolus vulgaris accession 5-593 (Middle American race), genome assembly v1.

##### **G19833.gnm1.zBnF**

Phaseolus vulgaris accession G19833 genome assembly v1.0

### A PROPOSAL FOR COMMUNITY-LED DEPOSITION AND CURATION OF PHASEOLUS DATA AT THE LEGUME INFORMATION SYSTEM

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**ABSTRACT:** The number of genomic resources for *Phaseolus* and the legume family have undergone unprecedented growth in recent years. Many of these resources, including marker-trait associations, have been assigned to a range of genome assemblies and genetic maps that may not be readily comparable among experiments. This obstructs the accessibility of many promising results, particularly for those working with different genetic data types or distinct species. The Legume Information System (LIS) offers a continuously updated, highly integrated platform for comparing genetic and phenotypic data among distinct genomes assemblies and species. Recent updates in the data deposition system (available at

[https://legumeinfo.org/submit\\_data](https://legumeinfo.org/submit_data)) now facilitate the process of adding QTL mapping or GWAS data to the repository. These data can then be quickly and easily compared using a variety of LIS tools. We propose here a community-led curation of genotypic and phenotypic data that will greatly increase the impact of deposited data among *Phaseolus* research labs and across the legume community.

**BACKGROUND AND RATIONALE:** The increasing number of genetic and genomic resources available in *Phaseolus* offers widespread opportunities, but also creates a complex and decentralized body of work distributed among a variety of sources that are difficult to compare and assemble as illustrated by several useful reviews and compilations (e.g., Pérez de la Vega et al. 2017). Nevertheless, these resources are intrinsically limited in their capacity to remain up-to-date as new results are published. Platforms such as the Legume Information System (LIS) integrate numerous forms of data and offer tools to easily extract relevant data. Online tools such as LIS can be continuously updated to reflect the state of the art in the field. A community-led agreement to submit marker-trait associations and other data to LIS would create a single comprehensive repository for finding these data. The benefits of this would include increasing the accessibility and impact of the submitted data.



### Search

Search this mine. Enter **names**, **identifiers** or **keywords**. Examples:  
Phvul.002G040500,  
Phvul.002G040500.1, Seed weight 3-2.

### Analyze

Enter a **list** of identifiers.

Gene

Welcome back to PhaseolusMine!

This mine integrates genomic and genetic data for Phaseolus species. It is being developed by the Legume Information System, and is built from the LIS datastore. Contact Sam Hokin shokin at

#### Description

[Click here to enter a description for your list](#)

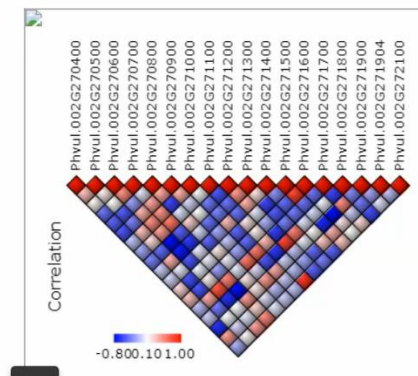
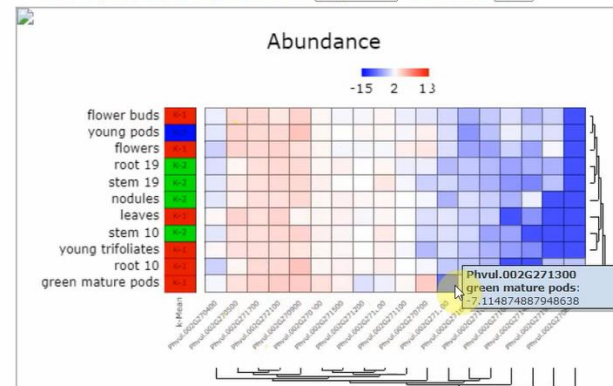
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#### Cufflinks Gene Expression

The plotted values are  $\log_2$  of the recorded FPKM. FPKM values exactly 0 are thresholded to -10 in this plot. Heatmap visualization powered by canvasXpress, learn more about the display options.

Click to see/hide the expression maps

FPKM Expression Clustering - Hierarchical:  and K-means:



### 5.1.0.2 (January, 2022)

PhaseolusMine is sourced from files found on the LIS datastore (<https://data.legumeinfo.org/>).

GENOMICS

COMPARISON

FUNCTION

EXPRESSION

Genomic queries, leading to genes and other chromosome features. [Read more](#)

Query for genomics:

- Gene → Transcripts and Sequences
- Region → Genes
- Region → Genetic Markers
- Gene → Protein sequences

» [More queries](#)

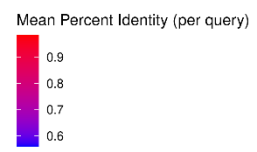
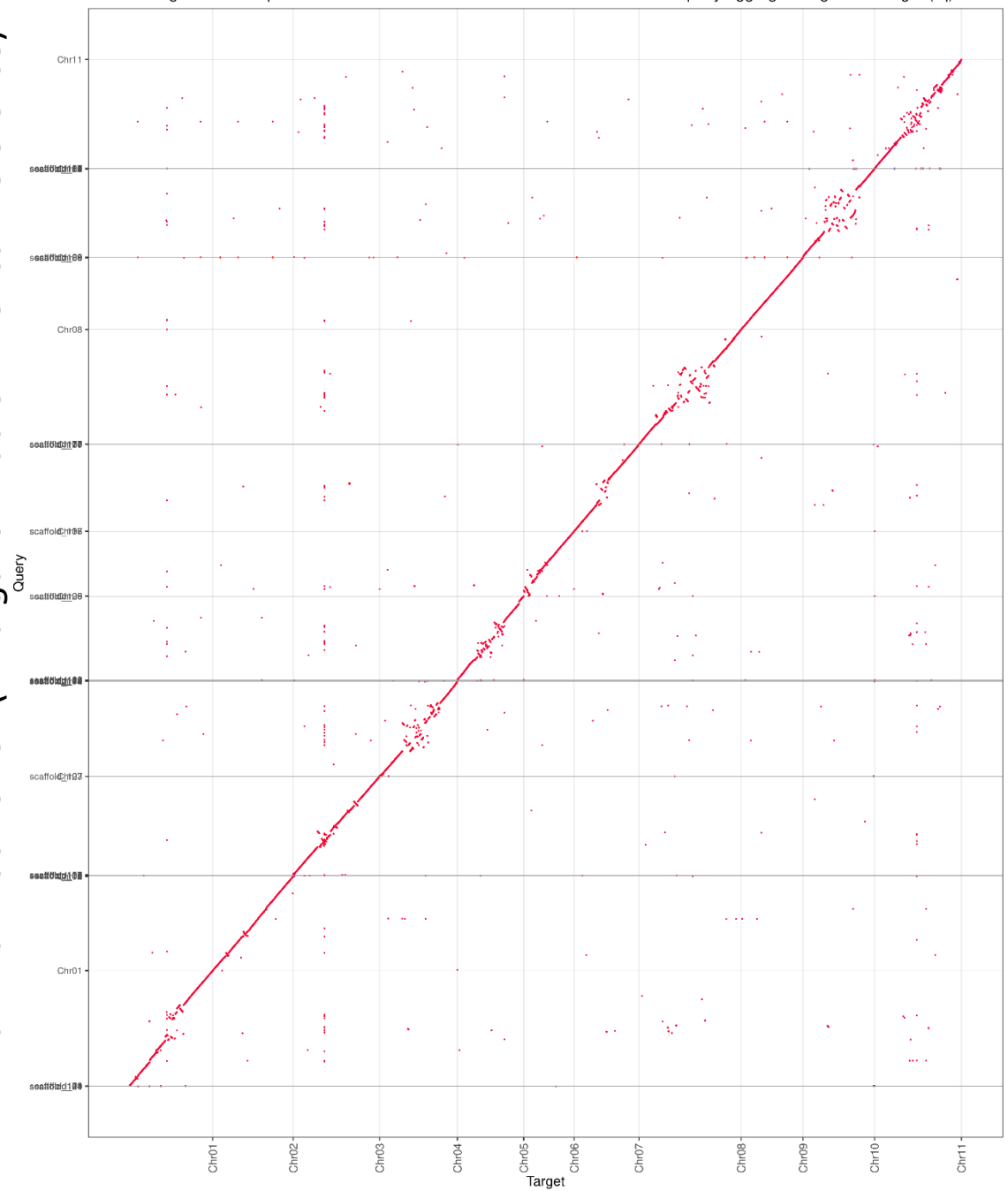
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## **II. Developing improved genome assemblies and associated resources**

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llumina +PacBio RSII (*P. vulgaris* Middle American reference)

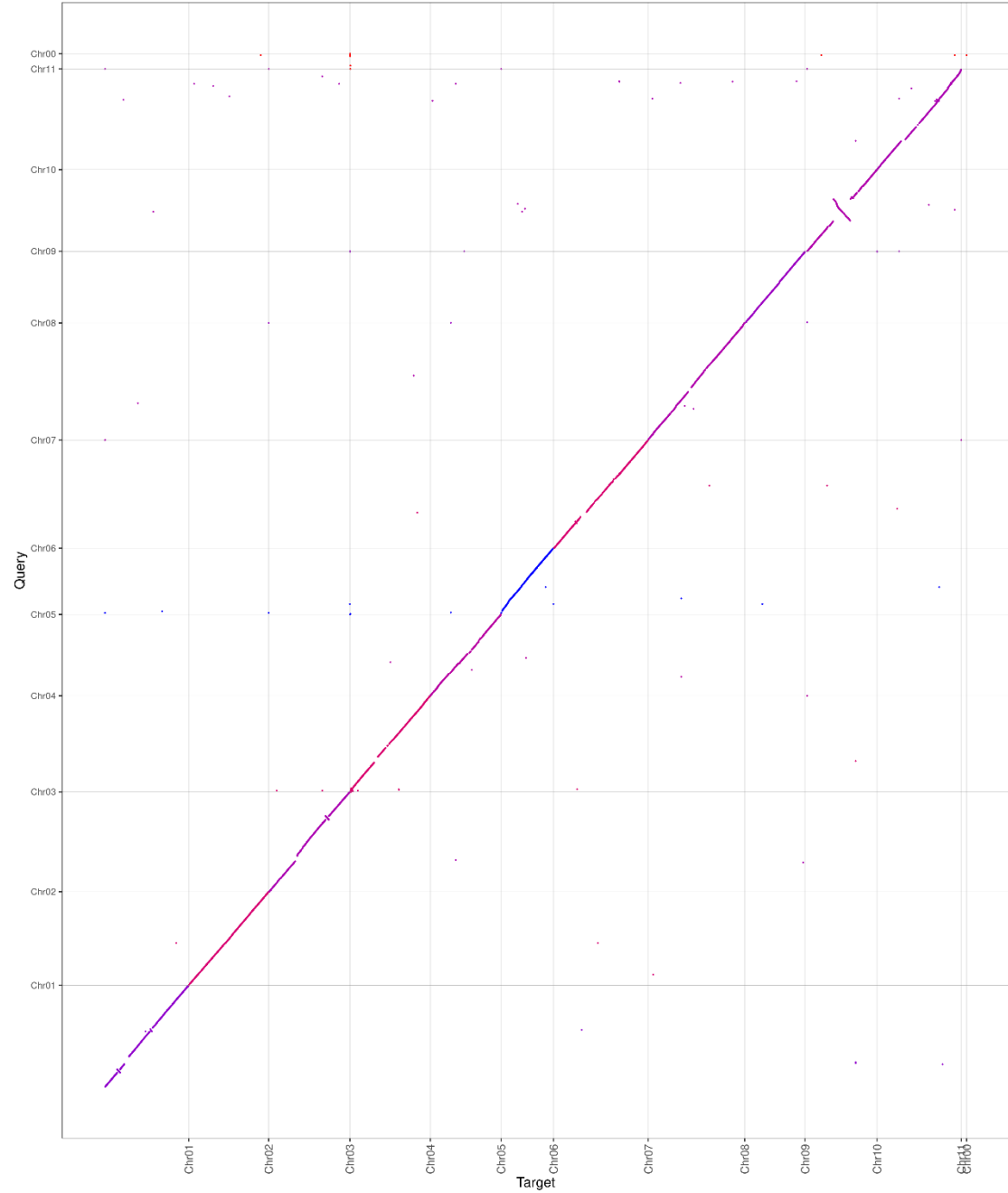


llumina +PacBio RSII (*P. vulgaris* Andean reference)

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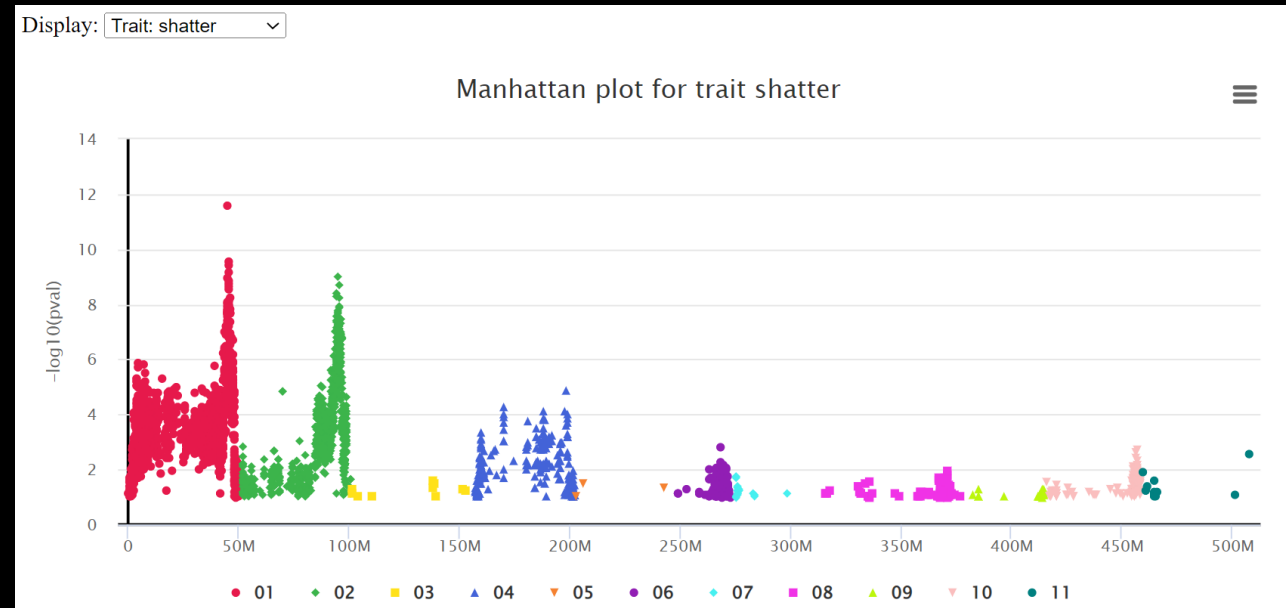
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Hifi + Bionano (*P. vulgaris* Middle American)



Hifi + Bionano (*P. vulgaris* Andean)

# Value for mapping



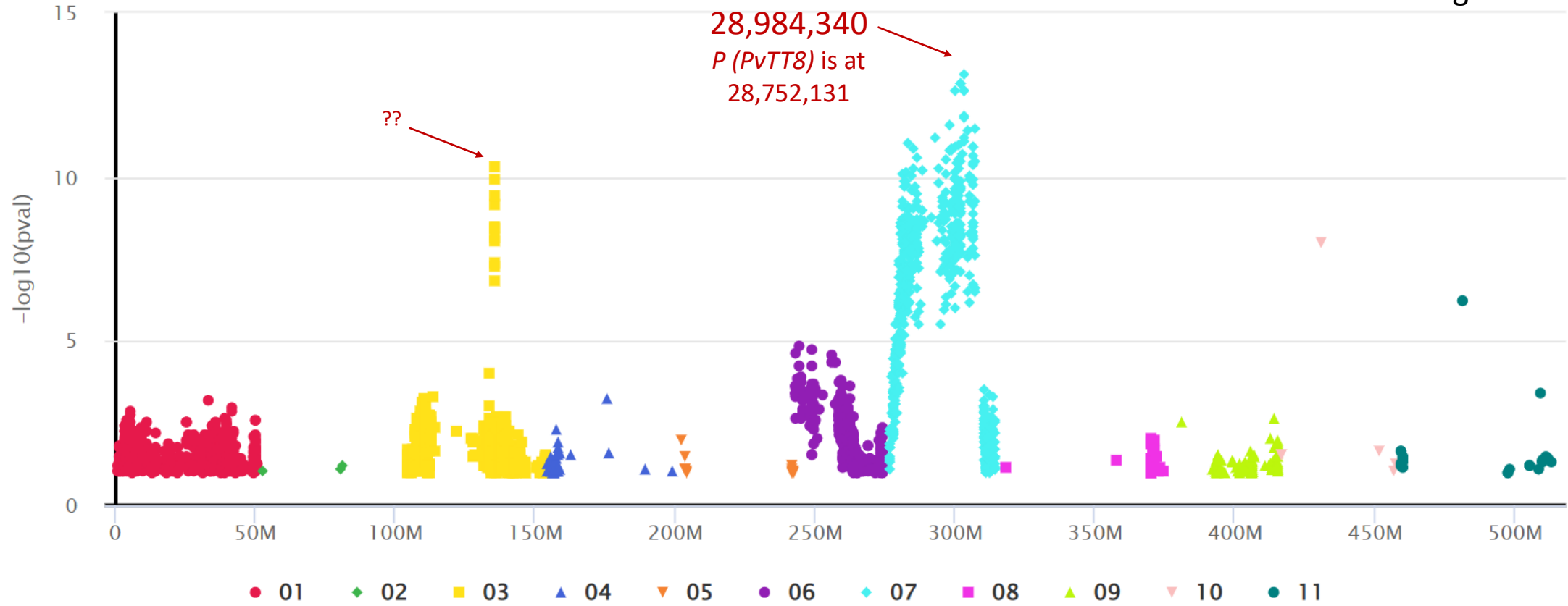


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### Manhattan plot for trait fl\_col

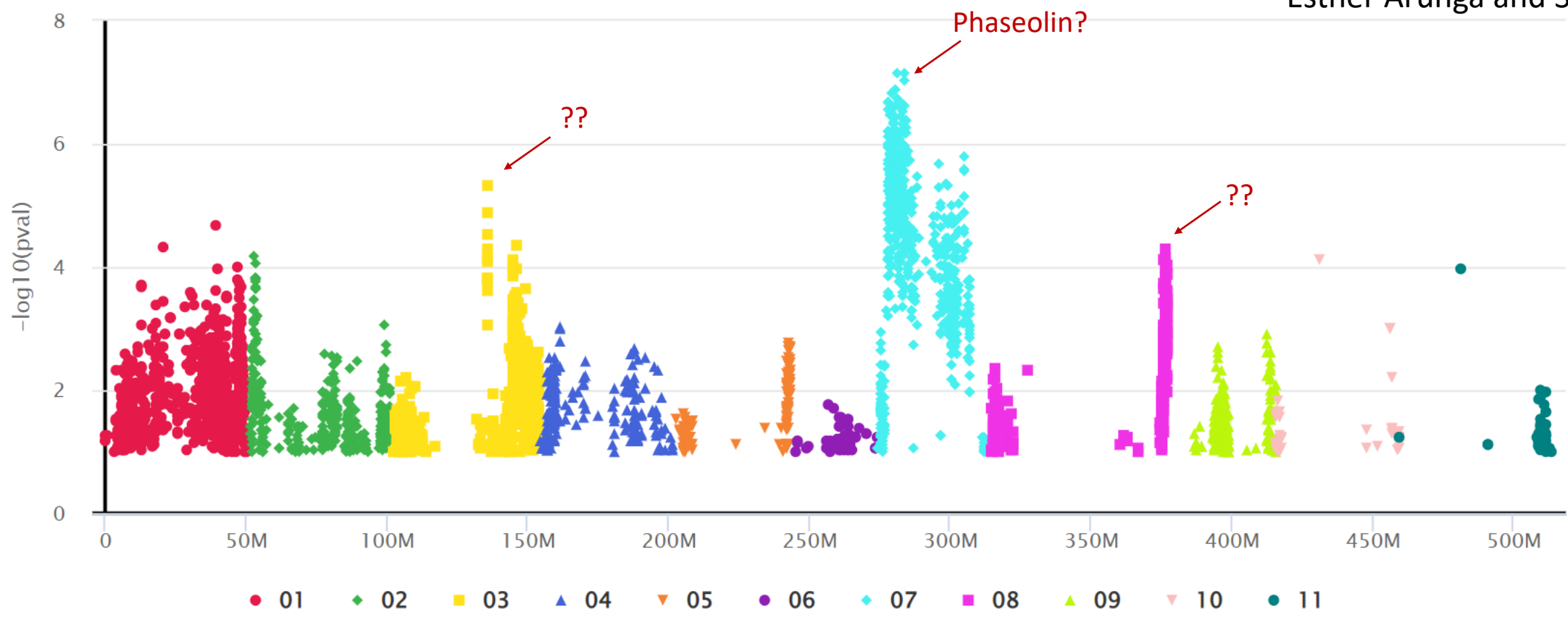


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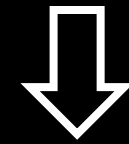
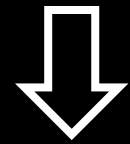


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Manhattan plot for trait pod\_leng



# Complex structural variation



Wall fiber  
absent (0)

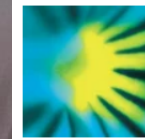
Wall fiber  
present (10)

Strings  
absent (0)

Strings  
present (10)



**Both traits  
spontaneously and  
heritably revert!**



New Phytologist

FULL PAPER

Loss of pod strings in common bean is associated with gene duplication, retrotransposon insertion, and overexpression of *PvIND*

Travis A. Parker, Jose Cetz, Lorena Lopes de Sousa, Saarah Kuzay, Sassoum Lo, Talissa de Oliveira Floriani, Serah Njau, Esther Arunga, Jorge Duitama, Judy Jernstedt, James R. Myers, Victor Llaca, Alfonso Herrera-Estrella, Paul Gepts ... See fewer authors <

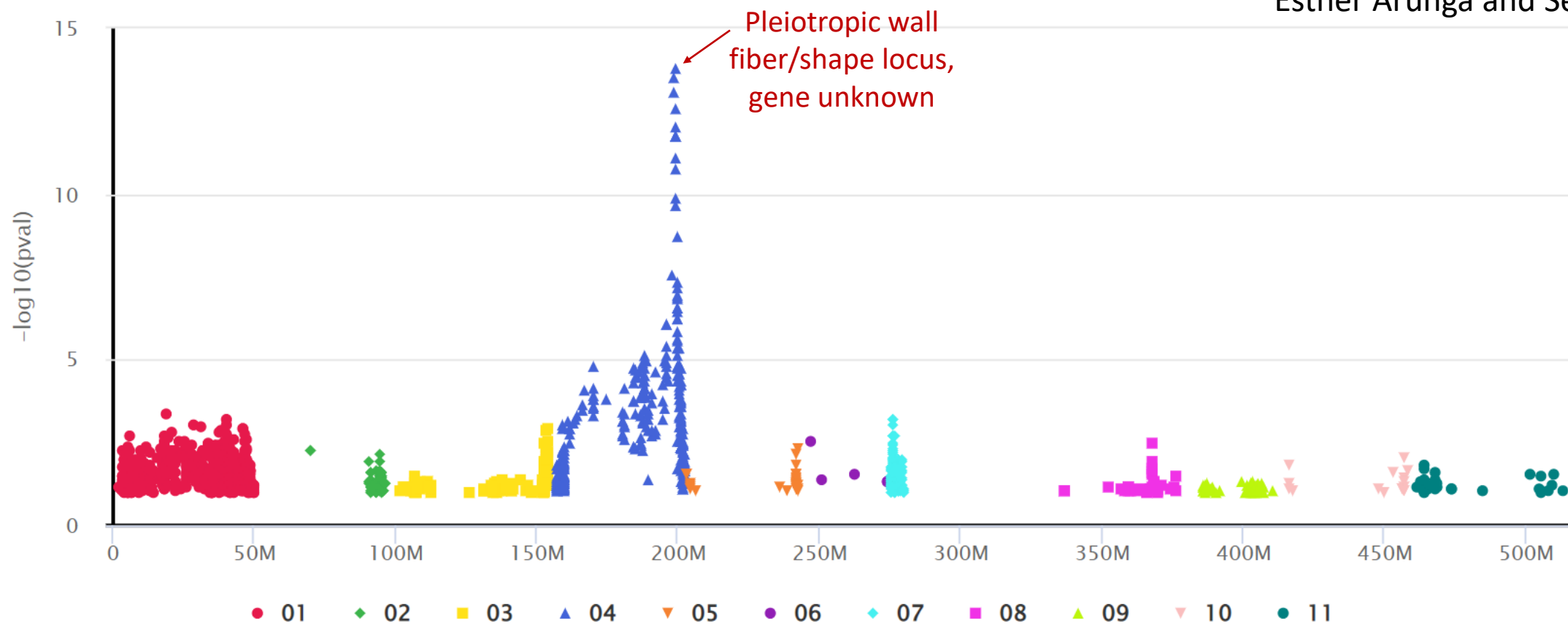
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Manhattan plot for trait shape



Other reports

[MSA viewer](#) ?

Spontaneous excision →  
reversion to wall fiber?

Compare with the *Bar* gene of  
*Drosophila*

Descriptions

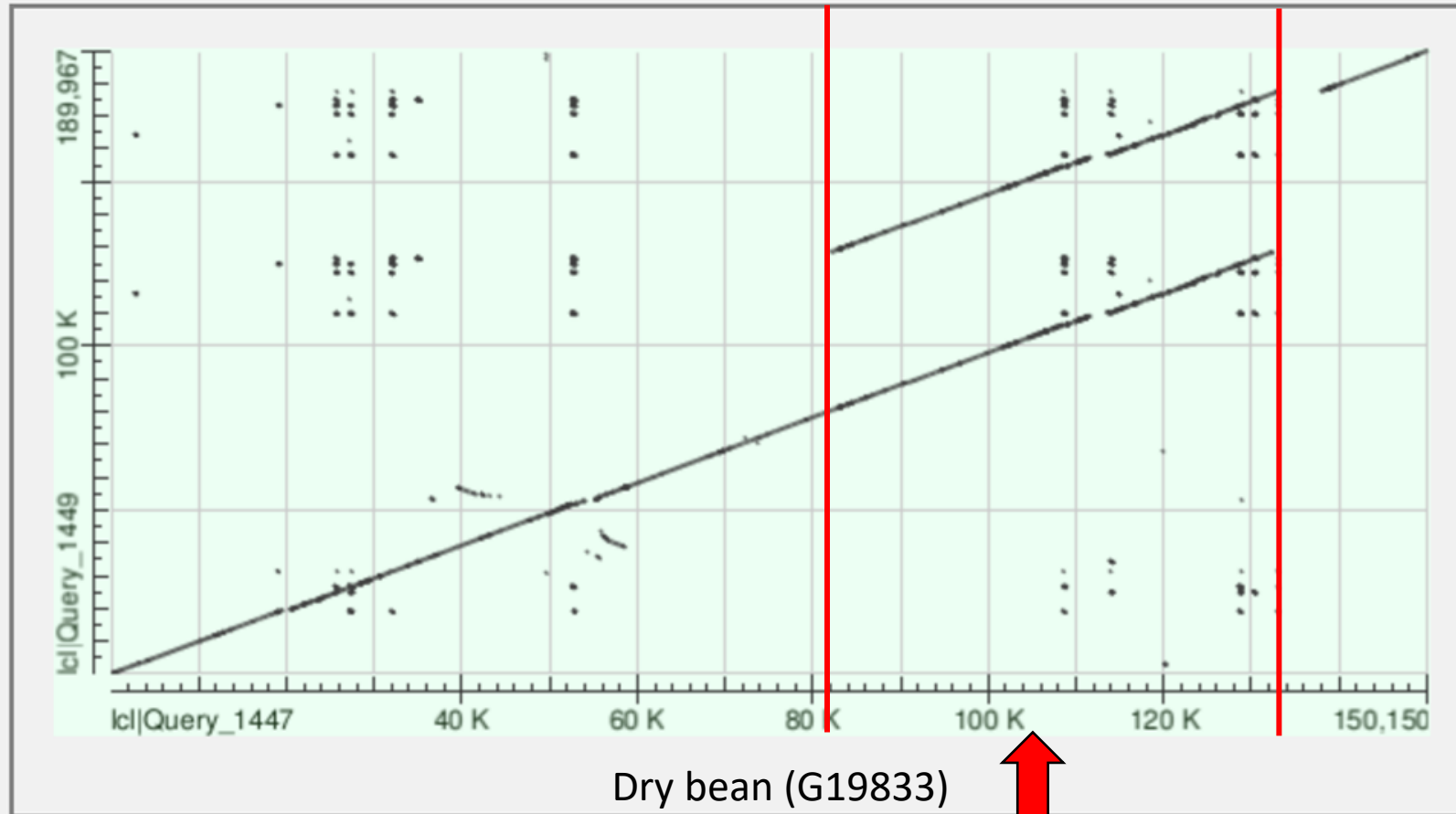
Graphic Summary

Alignments

**Dot Plot**

Plot of lcl|Query\_1447 vs lcl|Query\_1449 ?

Snap/French bean (Hystyle)



Only one gene in duplicated region

Feedback

Poster

# The 'I Gene' for Resistance to Bean Common Mosaic Virus in Phaseolus vulgaris was Identified within a Cluster of NLR Genes

January 2023

Conference: Plant & Animal Genome Conference: PAG 30 · At: San Diego, CA, USA

Labs: [Valérie Geffroy's Lab](#) · [Phillip N. Miklas's Lab](#)

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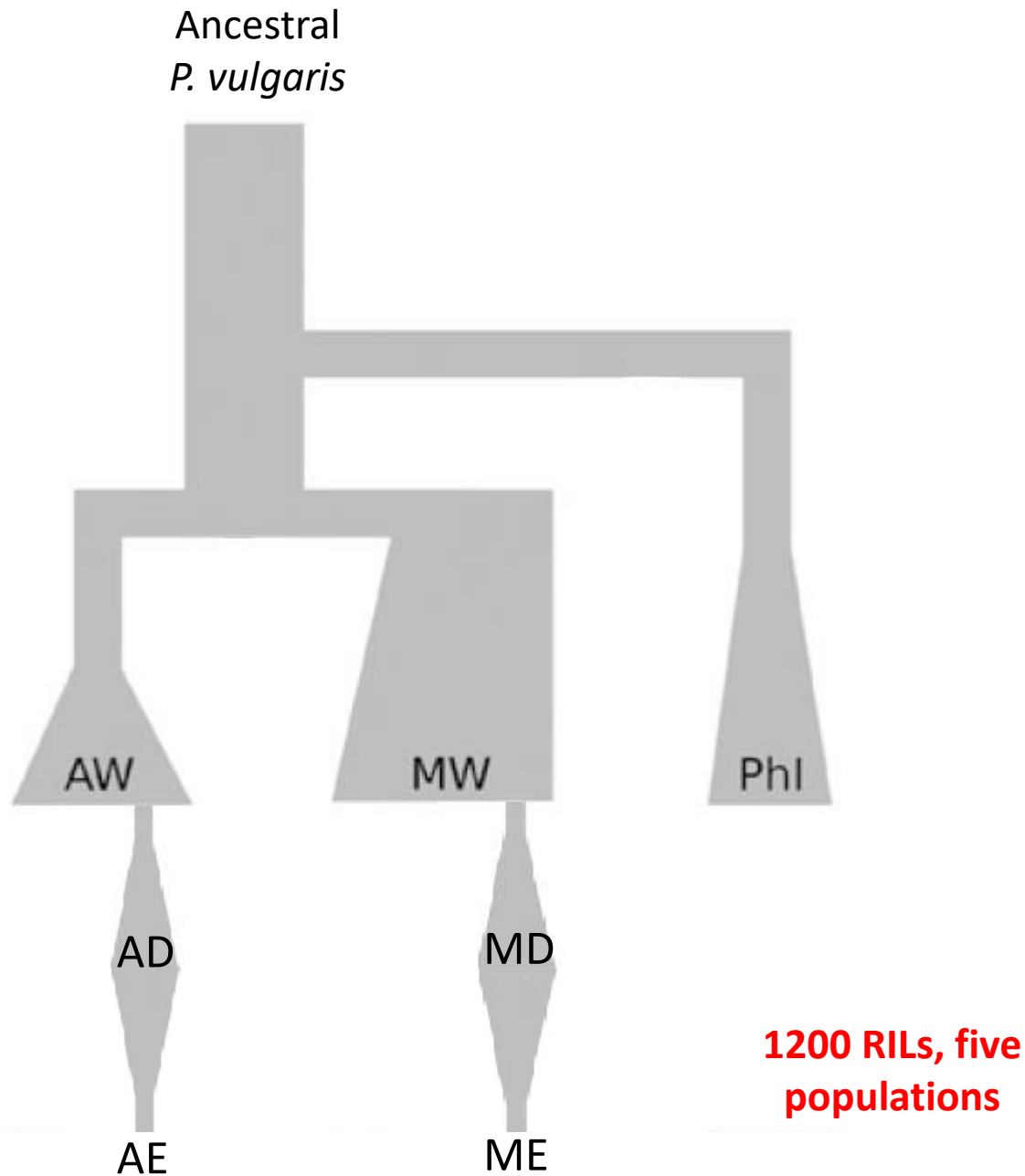
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## Description

Bean common mosaic virus (BCMV) and related Bean common mosaic necrosis virus (BCMNV) limit common bean (Phaseolus vulgaris L.) production worldwide.

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**Table 3** Genetic diversity and divergence statistics for *Phaseolus vulgaris*

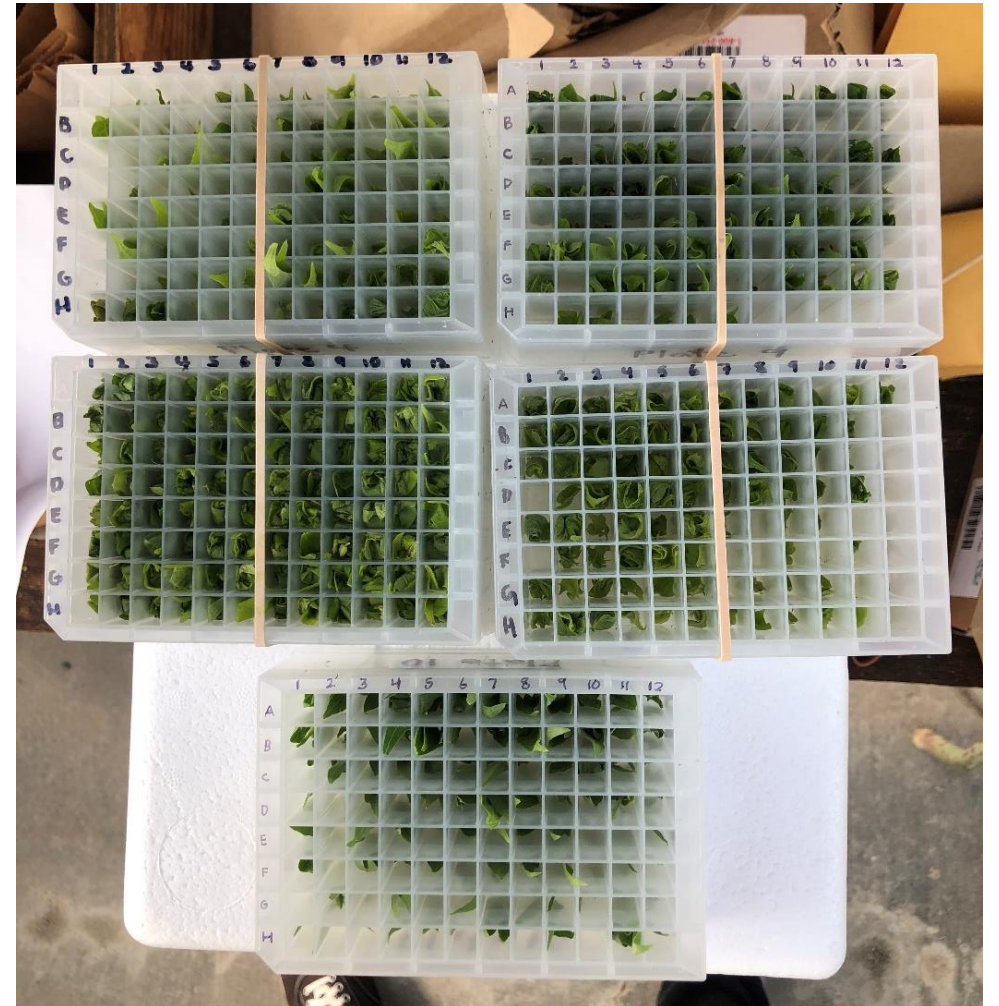
Comparison	Marker	Metric	Value	Reference
<i>Genetic diversity, Andean vs. Middle American wild</i>				
Diversity AW/MW	SSR	$H_e$	0.34	Kwak and Gepts (2009)
Diversity AW/MW	AFLP	$H_e$	0.55	Rossi et al. (2009)
Diversity AW/MW	Nucleotide	$P_i$	0.094	Bitocchi et al. (2012)
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Diversity AW/MW	Nucleotide	$H_d$	0.685	Mamidi et al. (2013)
Diversity AW/MW	Nucleotide	$P_i$	0.23	Schmutz et al. (2014)
Diversity AW/MW	Nucleotide	$H_e$	0.46	Rodriguez et al. (2016)
Diversity AW/MW	Nucleotide	$P_i$	0.45	Ariani et al. (2018)
<i>Genetic diversity, Phl vs. Middle American wild</i>				
Diversity Phl/MW	SSR	$H_e$	0.55	Kwak and Gepts (2009)
Diversity Phl/MW	AFLP	$H_e$	0.59	Rossi et al. (2009)
Diversity Phl/MW	Nucleotide	$P_i$	0.25	Bitocchi et al. (2012)
Diversity Phl/MW	Nucleotide	$P_i$	0.95	Schmutz et al. (2014)
Diversity Phl/MW	Nucleotide	$H_e$	0.28	Rodriguez et al. (2016)
Diversity Phl/MW	Nucleotide	$P_i$	0.73	Ariani et al. (2018)
<i>Divergence time, Andean vs. Middle American wild</i>				
Divergence time AW/MW	Nucleotide	Age (years)	110,706	Mamidi et al. (2013)
Divergence time AW/MW	Nucleotide	Age (years)	165,000	Schmutz et al. (2014)
Divergence time AW/MW	Nucleotide	Age (years)	87,410	Ariani et al. (2018)
<i>Divergence time, Phl vs. Middle American wild</i>				
Divergence time Phl vs. AW+MW	Nucleotide	Age (years)	260,000	Rendón-Anaya (2017a)
Divergence time Phl vs. AW+MW	Nucleotide	Age (years)	373,060	Ariani et al. (2018)
<i>Genetic diversity, Middle American domesticate vs. wild</i>				
Diversity MD/MW	AFLP	$H_e$	0.68	Rossi et al. (2009)
Diversity MD/MW	Nucleotide	$P_i$	0.28	Bitocchi et al. (2013)
Diversity MD/MW	Nucleotide	$P_i$	0.83	Schmutz et al. (2014)
<i>Genetic diversity, Andean domesticate vs. wild</i>				
Diversity AD/AW	AFLP	$H_e$	1.00	Rossi et al. (2009)
Diversity AD/AW	Nucleotide	$P_i$	0.73	Bitocchi et al. (2013)
Diversity AD/AW	Nucleotide	$P_i$	1.21	Schmutz et al. (2014)
Diversity AD/AW	Nucleotide	$H_e$	0.74	Rodriguez et al. (2016)
<b>Table 3</b> (continued)				
Comparison	Marker	Metric	Value	Reference
<i>Genetic diversity, Andean vs. Middle American domesticate</i>				
Diversity AD/MD	AFLP	$H_e$	0.81	Rossi et al. (2009)
Diversity AD/MD	Nucleotide	$P_i$	0.25	Bitocchi et al. (2013)
Diversity AD/MD	Nucleotide	$P_i$	0.34	Schmutz et al. (2014)
Diversity AD/MD	Nucleotide	$H_e$	0.56	Rodriguez et al. (2016)

AW Andean Wild, MW Middle American Wild, Phl Inca Phaseolin (*P. debouckii*), MD Middle American Domesticated, AD Andean Domesticated,  $H_e$  Expected heterozygosity,  $H_d$  Haplotype diversity,  $P_i$  Nucleotide diversity



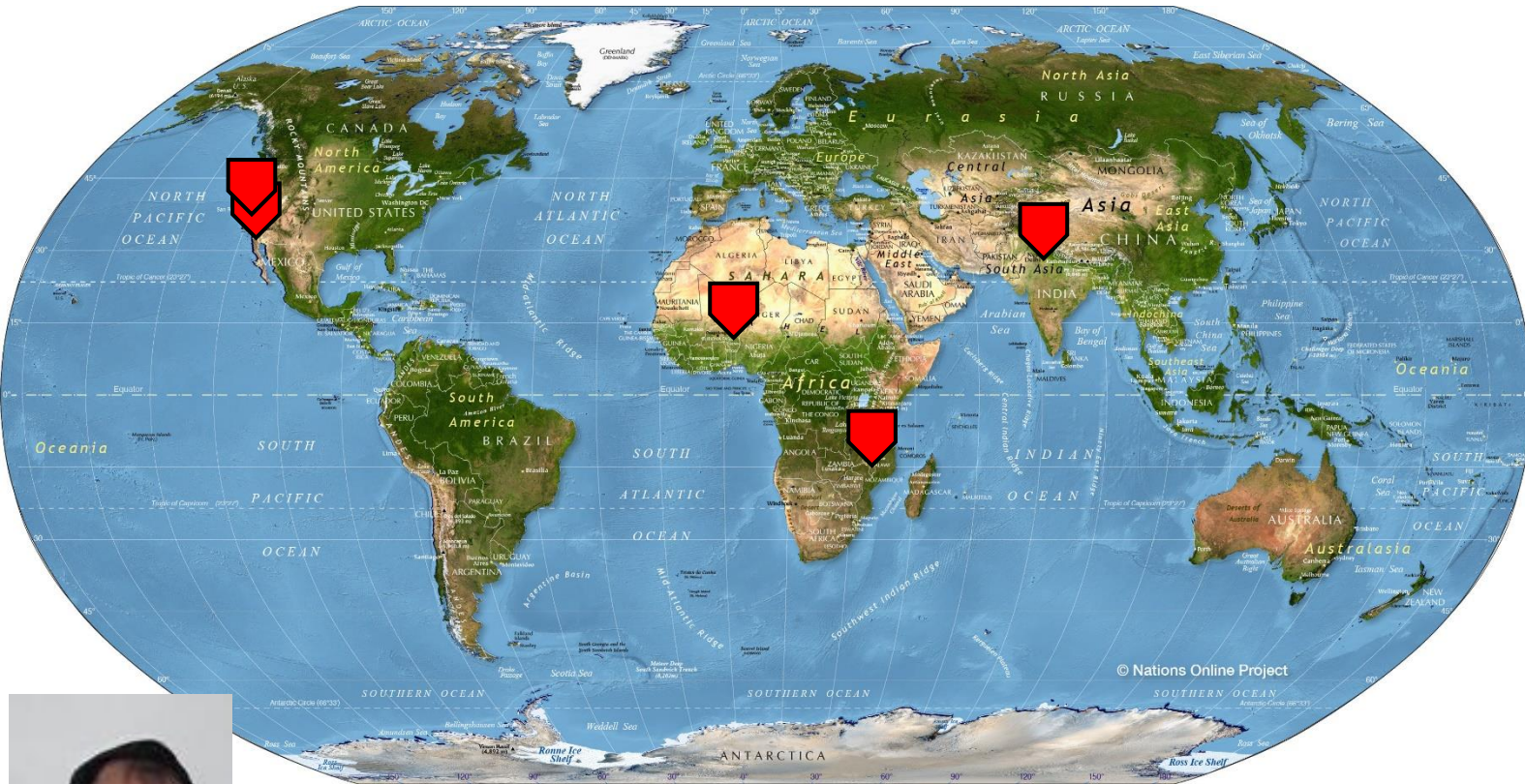
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Interested in adding KT lines of interest to WGS study? Let's talk!



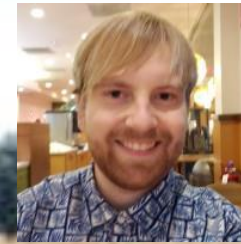
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PI 310801	UC Davis	400 grams
G40068	UC Davis	400 grams
G40006A	UC Davis	400 grams
G40119	UC Davis	400 grams
G40200	UC Davis	400 grams
G40173A	UC Davis	400 grams
TARS-Tep 22	USDA-ARS PR	400 grams
TARS-Tep 93	USDA-ARS PR	400 grams
TARS-Tep 51	USDA-ARS PR	100 grams
TARS-Tep 58A	USDA-ARS PR	100 grams
TARS-Tep 97	USDA-ARS PR	100 grams
TARS-Tep 100	USDA-ARS PR	100 grams
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TARS-Tep 112	USDA-ARS PR	100 grams
TARS-Tep 32	UC Davis	<5 grams



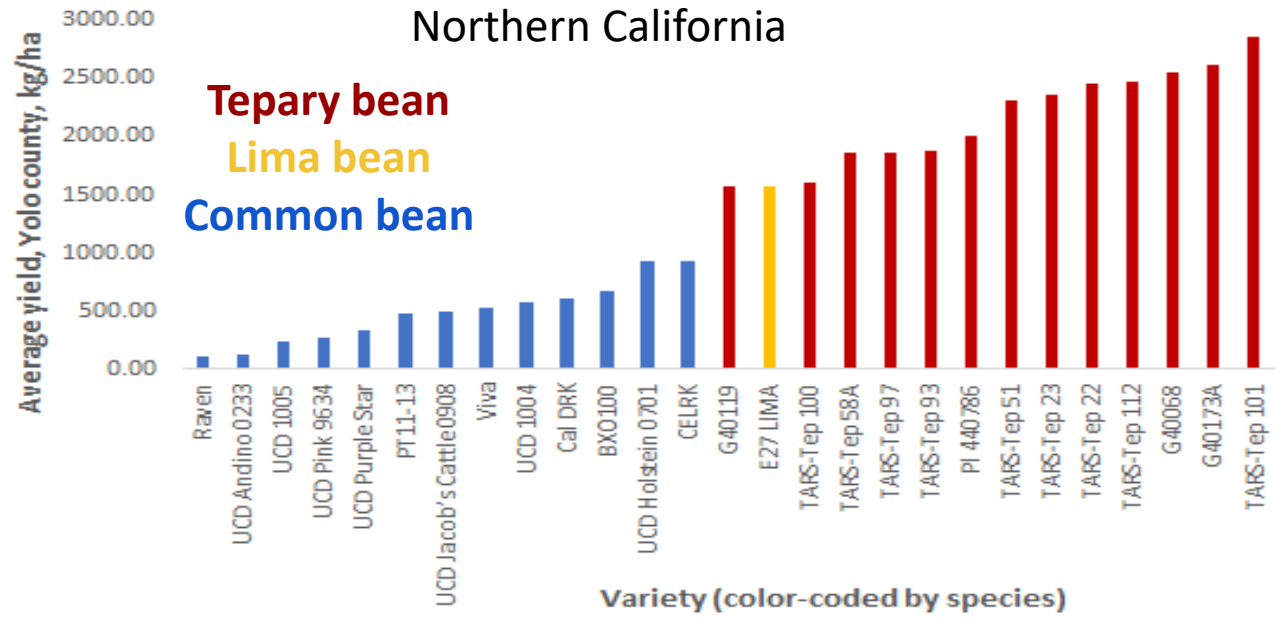
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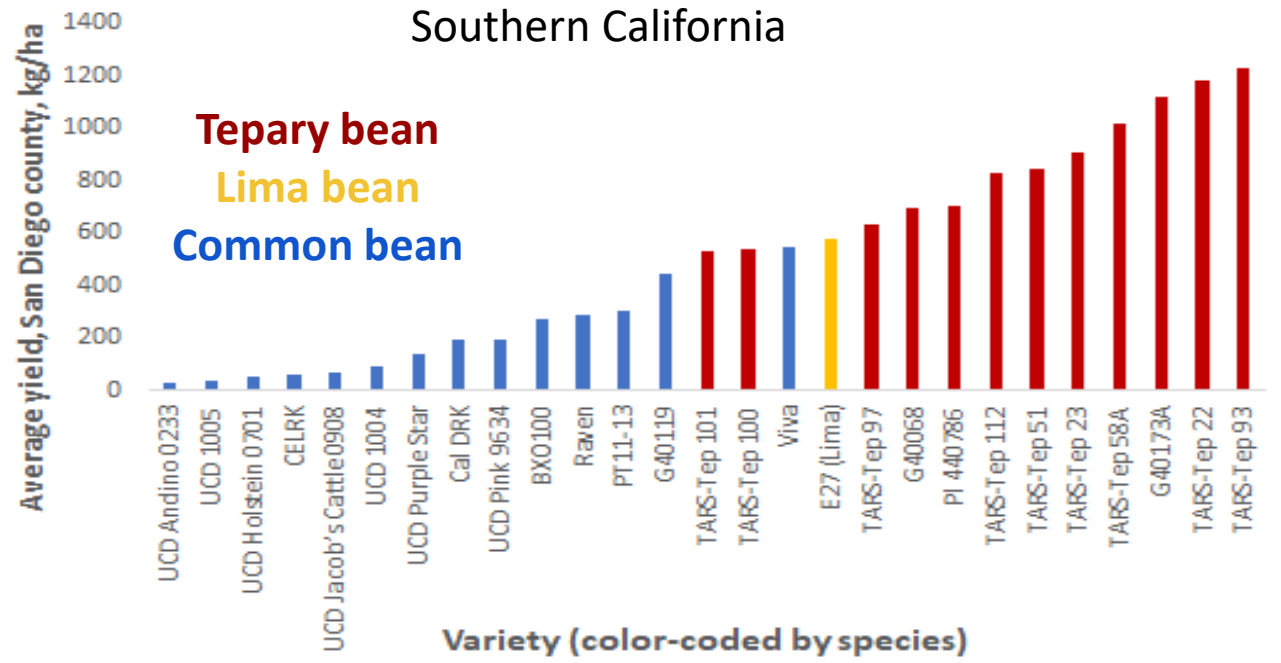


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### Northern California



### Southern California



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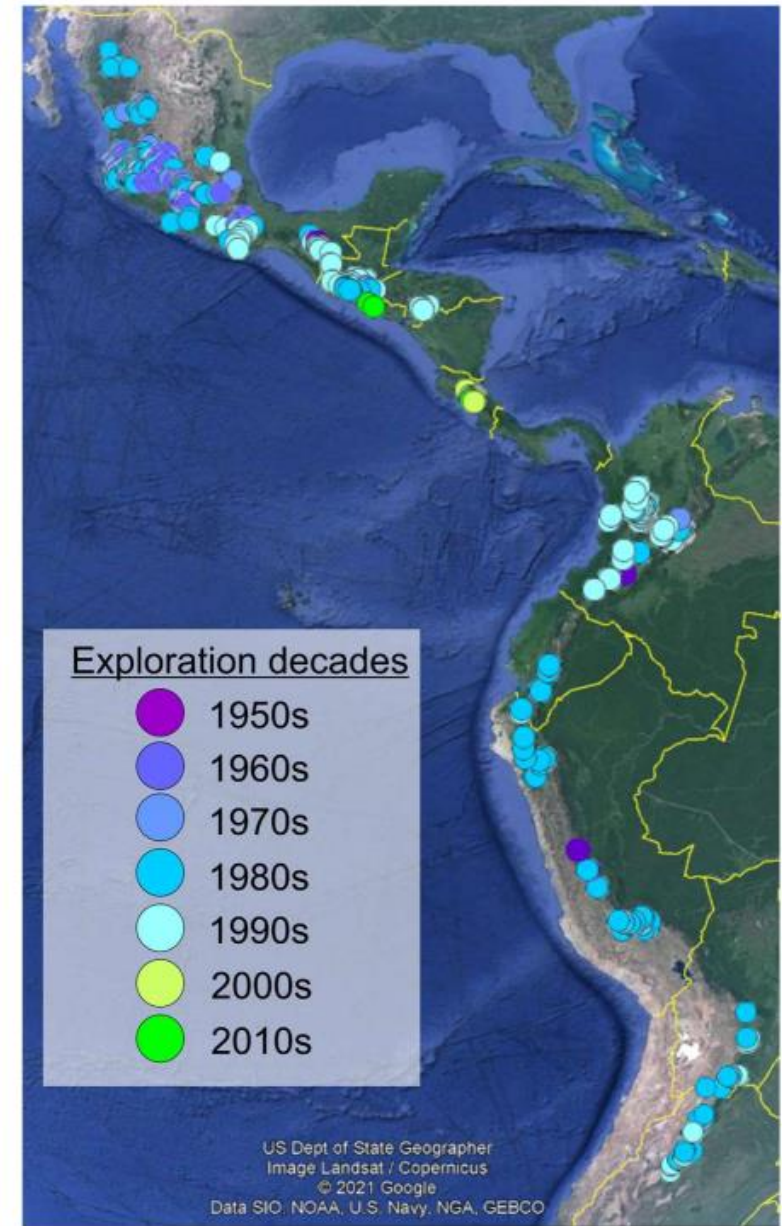
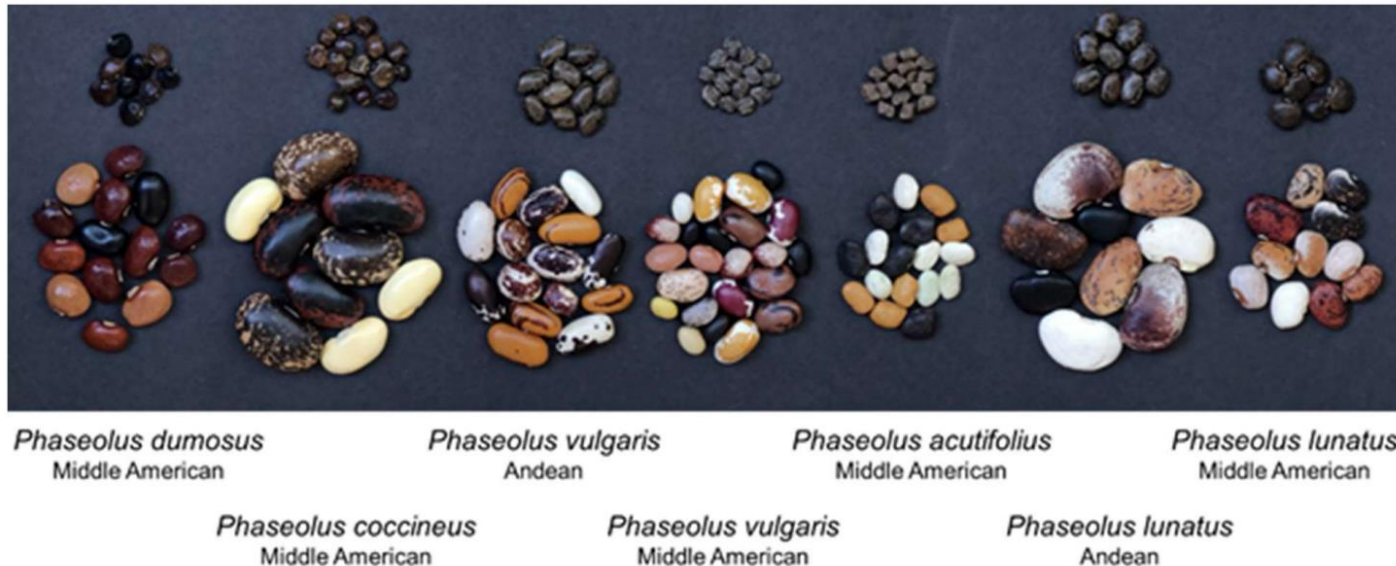




# Genetic Resources and Breeding Priorities in *Phaseolus* Beans: Vulnerability, Resilience, and Future Challenges

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# Visiting researchers 2023!

- Celestina Jochua
- Mwiinga Molube





**An exciting time for bean breeding...**

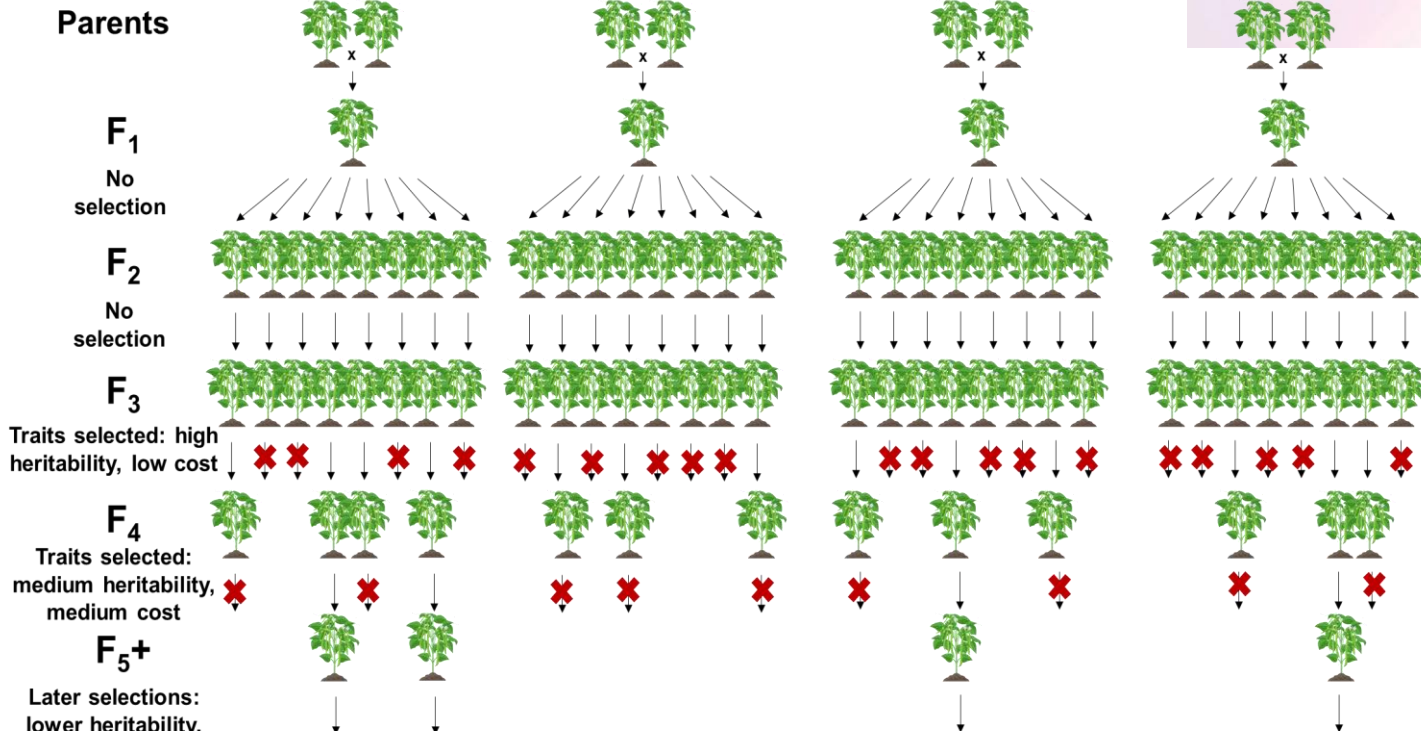


# Future directions?



Other new tech

## Pedigree method selection



## KASP Analysis

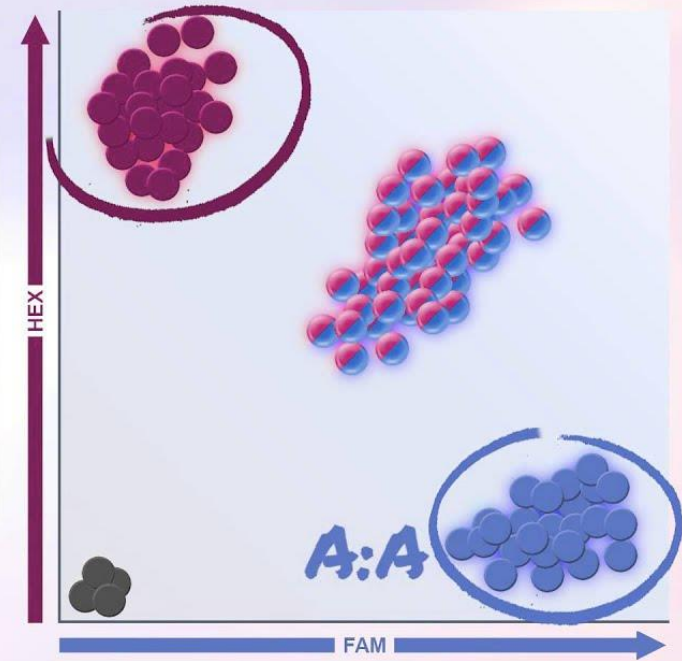
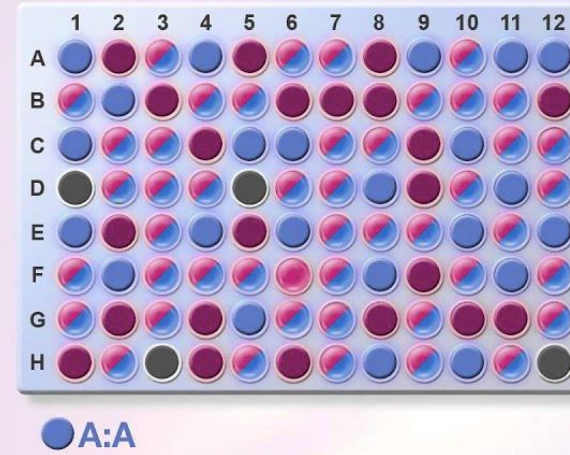
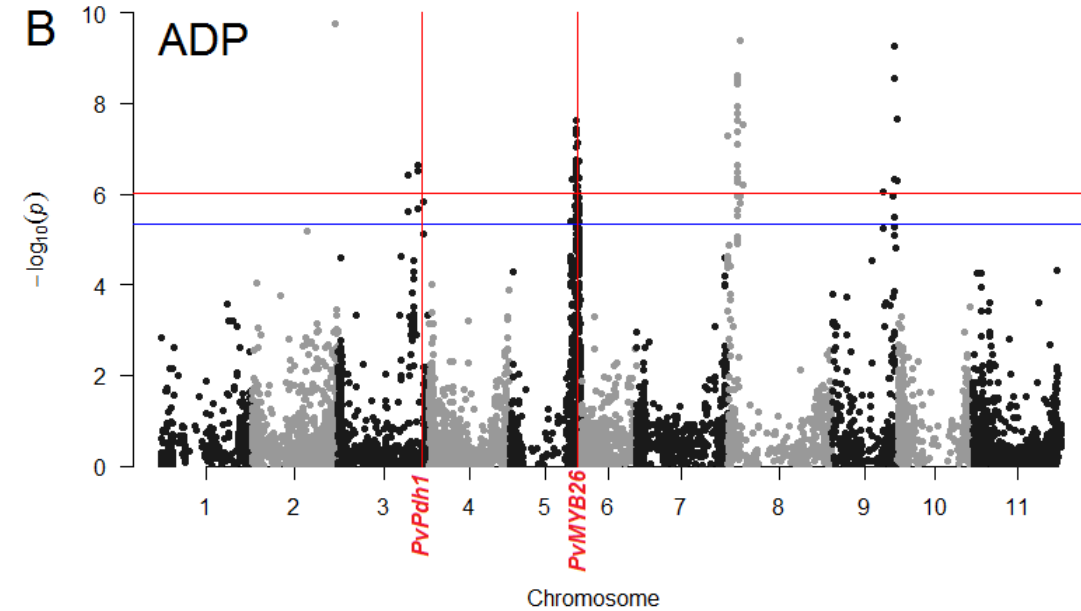


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DAY 2 Monday, 27 <sup>th</sup> February 2023: African Bean Consortium (ABC)						
ITEM	Start Time	Duration	Presentation Title	Presenter	Institute/Organisation	Country
<b>Chair - Dr Travis Parker</b>						
<b>Session I</b>						
	08:00	10 mins	<b>Meeting Opening by Vice Chancellor</b>	Professor Anne Sikwibele	UNZA	Zambia
	08:10	25 mins	<b>ABC Opening Remarks Title to be confirmed</b>	Dr Travis Parker (KT Consultant)	UC Davis	USA
	08:35	25 mins	<b>Genetic improvement of common bean in Zambia for multiple diseases resistance using marker-assisted and conventional breeding</b>	Dr Kelvin Kamfwa (KT PI)	UNZA	Zambia
	09:00	25 mins	<b>Genetic dissection of common bacterial blight resistance in the Andean gene pool of common bean</b>	Mr Mwiinga Mulube (KT PhD Scholar/Agricultural Officer (ZARI))	UNZA	Zambia
	09:25	25 mins	<b>Introgression and pyramiding into market class French beans of genes conferring resistance to multiple diseases</b>	Dr Esther Arunga (KT PI)	UoEm	Kenya
	09:50	25 mins	<b>Biofortification and Improvement of the Iron-to-Phytate Molar Ratio in two Yellow Common Bean (<i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i> L.) Varieties in Tanzania</b>	Dr Mashamba Philipo (KT PI)	NM-AIST	Tanzania
<b>COFFEE</b>	10:15	15 mins				
<b>Session II</b>						
	10:30	25 mins	<b>Leveraging system change in agricultural systems</b>	Dr. Barry Pittendrigh/Dr. John Medendorp	USAID-IL	USA
	10:55	25 mins	<b>Legume research in Cambridge and its implications for sustainable production</b>	Dr Sigrid Heuer / Professor Giles Olderoyd	NIAB/Cambridge CSC	UK
	11:20	25 mins	<b>Leveraging bean crop genetics and diversity for climate adaptation</b>	Dr Caspar Chater	Kew	UK
	11:45	25 mins	<b>Marker assisted pyramiding resistance genes against major disease into common bean (<i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i> L) varieties with food and market values for Ethiopia (Phase-III)</b>	Dr Yayis Rezene (KT PI)	SARI	Ethiopia
<b>LUNCH</b>	12:10	90 mins				
<b>Session III</b>						
	13:40	25 mins	<b>Genetic improvement of biofortified common bean varieties in Uganda for multiple disease resistances using marker assisted backcrossing</b>	Dr Stanley Nkalubo (KT PI)	NaCRRRI	Uganda
<b>END</b>	14:05					
<b>KT ONLY</b>	14:20	60 mins	<b>NaCRRRI Project Meeting</b>	Dr Stanley Nkalubo		
<b>COFFEE</b>	15:20	15 mins				
<b>Session IV</b>						
<b>KT ONLY</b>	15:35	60 mins	<b>UoEm Project Meeting</b>	Dr Esther Arunga		
<b>KT ONLY</b>	16:35	60 mins	<b>SARI Project Meeting</b>	Dr Yayis Rezene		
<b>KT ONLY</b>	17:35	60 mins	<b>NM-AIST Project Meeting</b>	Dr Mashamba Philipo		
<b>END</b>	18:35					