

Managed gene flow reduces adaptation to captivity in supportive breeding programs: A multi- generational analysis of a Chinook salmon hatchery



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Risk: Domestication

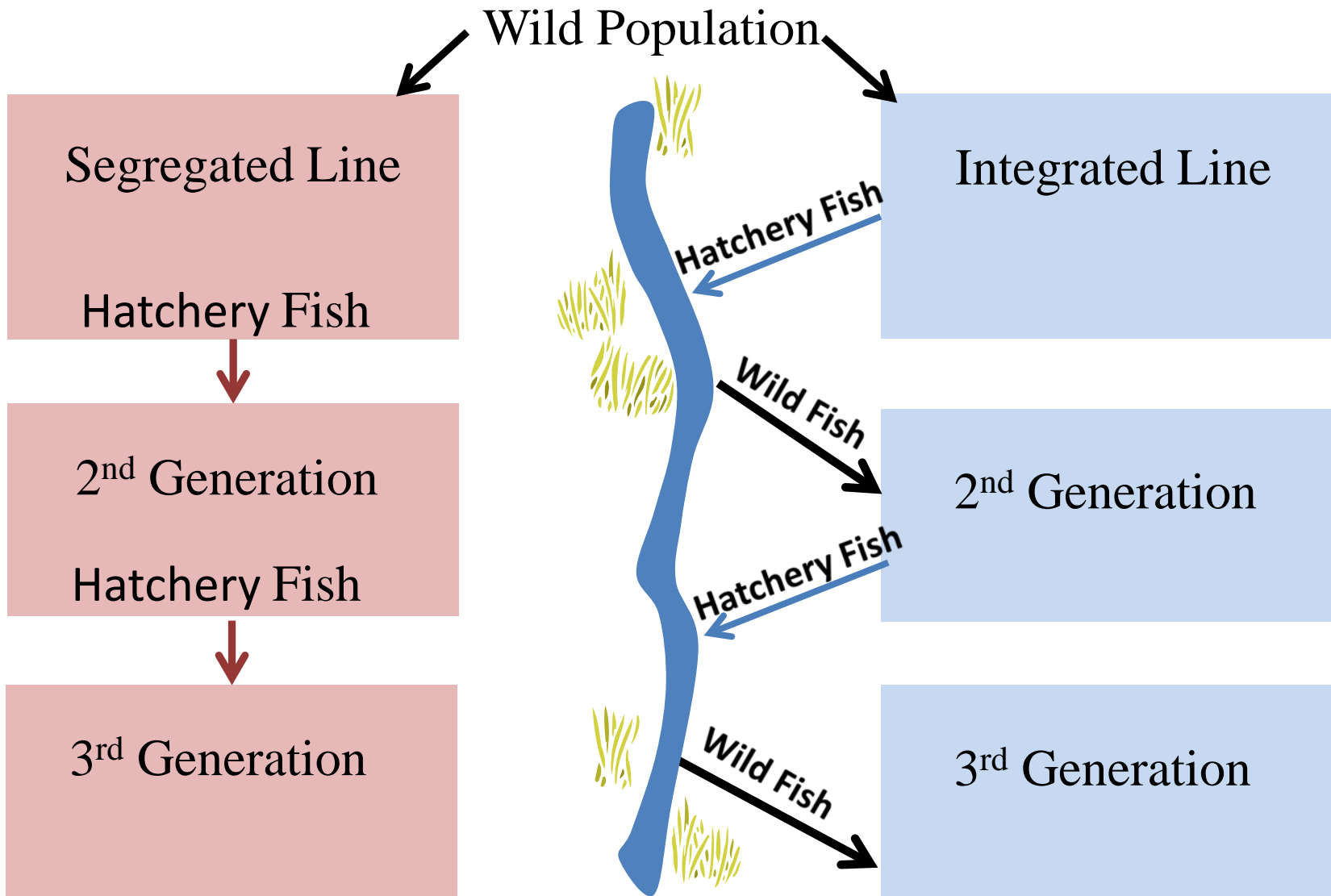
- Captive conditions are different from the natural environment
- Selection imposed by captive environment
- Relaxation of natural selective pressures
- Reduce fitness in wild and thus entire population through interbreeding



Segregated

vs.

Integrated



Has managed gene flow reduced divergence from founder population?

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- Model system – Started Chinook salmon hatchery line in 1997; segregated and integrated hatchery lines diverged in 2002
- Collect DNA and phenotypic data from every fish
- Ideal for tracking genetic changes over time

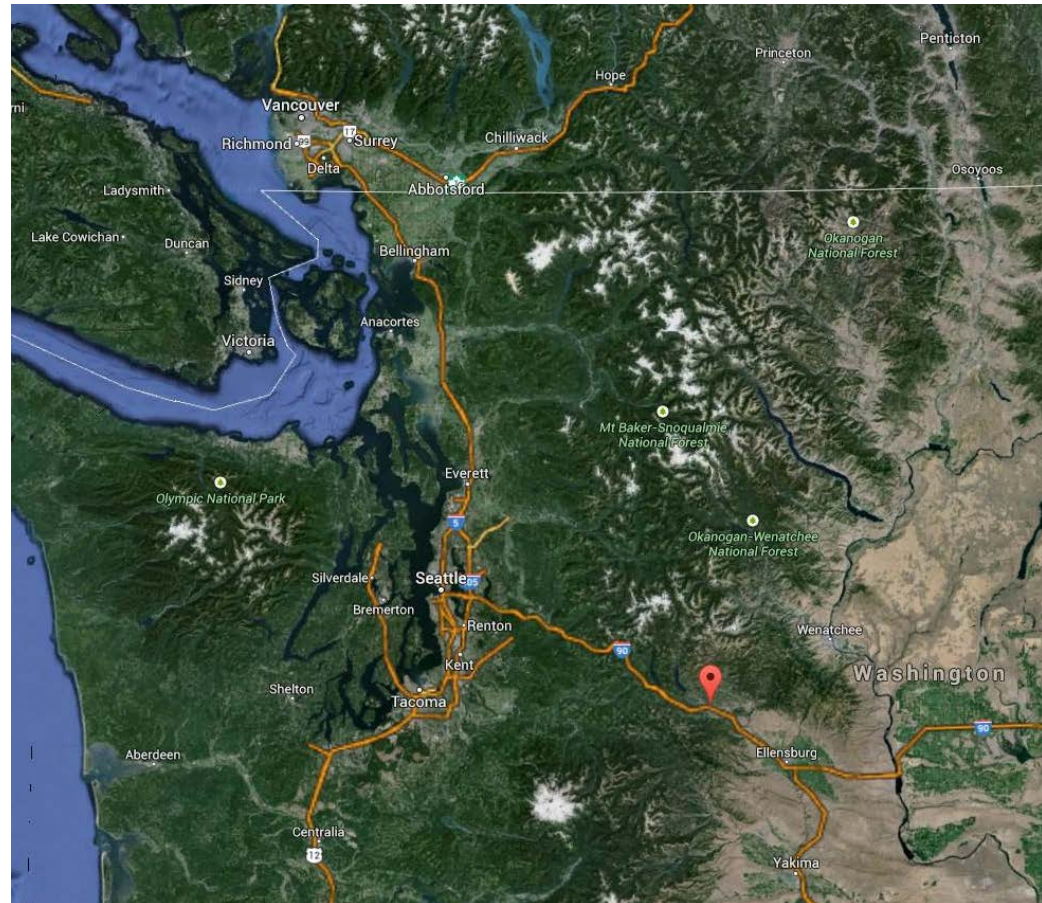


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Aim and Objectives

Aim: To evaluate the degree of genetic change in integrated and segregated hatchery lines when compared to the wild population

Objectives:

1. Compare multiple generations of both hatchery lines to wild founders at thousands of molecular markers
2. Identify differences between the lines, including signatures of domestication selection, using multiple methods
3. Determine if integration is an effective management practice

Experimental Approach

- Collected tissue samples (N=642)

Segregated Line

1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
P ₁ -wild founders N=116				F ₀ adults-1 st gen hatchery N=87				F ₁ adults-2 nd gen hatchery N=68				F ₂ adults-3 rd gen hatchery N=76

Integrated Line

2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
F ₀ adults-wild founders (no hatchery influence) N=113				F ₁ adults-natural origin (possible hatchery influence) N=89				F ₂ adults-natural origin (possible hatchery influence) N=93

Experimental Approach

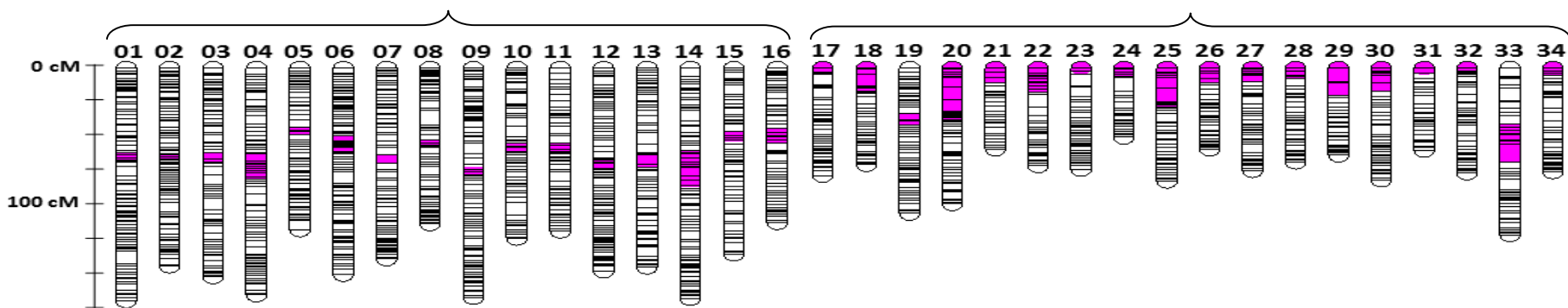
Chinook Map (Brieuc et al. 2014), 7146 markers



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Acrocentric

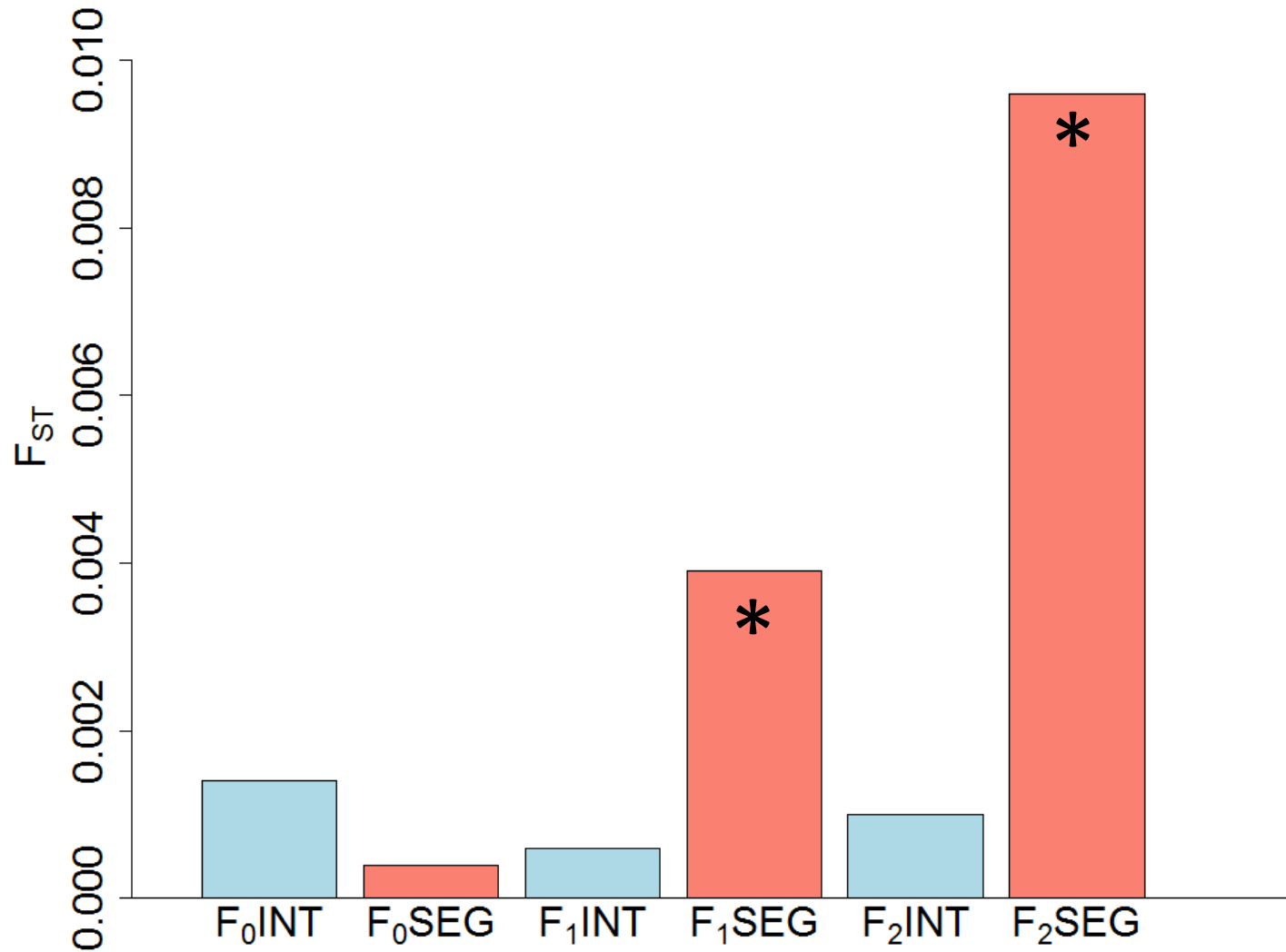
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Number of loci = 9,479 RAD loci (4,405 are mapped)

Population	N	Avg. Proportion of Loci Scored per Individual
1998 founders (P_1)	60	0.85
2002 wild adults (F_0 INT)	60	0.82
2002 marked adults (F_0 SEG)	55	0.81
2006 natural adults (F_1 INT)	57	0.84
2006 marked adults (F_1 SEG)	53	0.80
2010 natural adults (F_2 INT)	69	0.86
2010 marked adults (F_2 SEG)	59	0.85

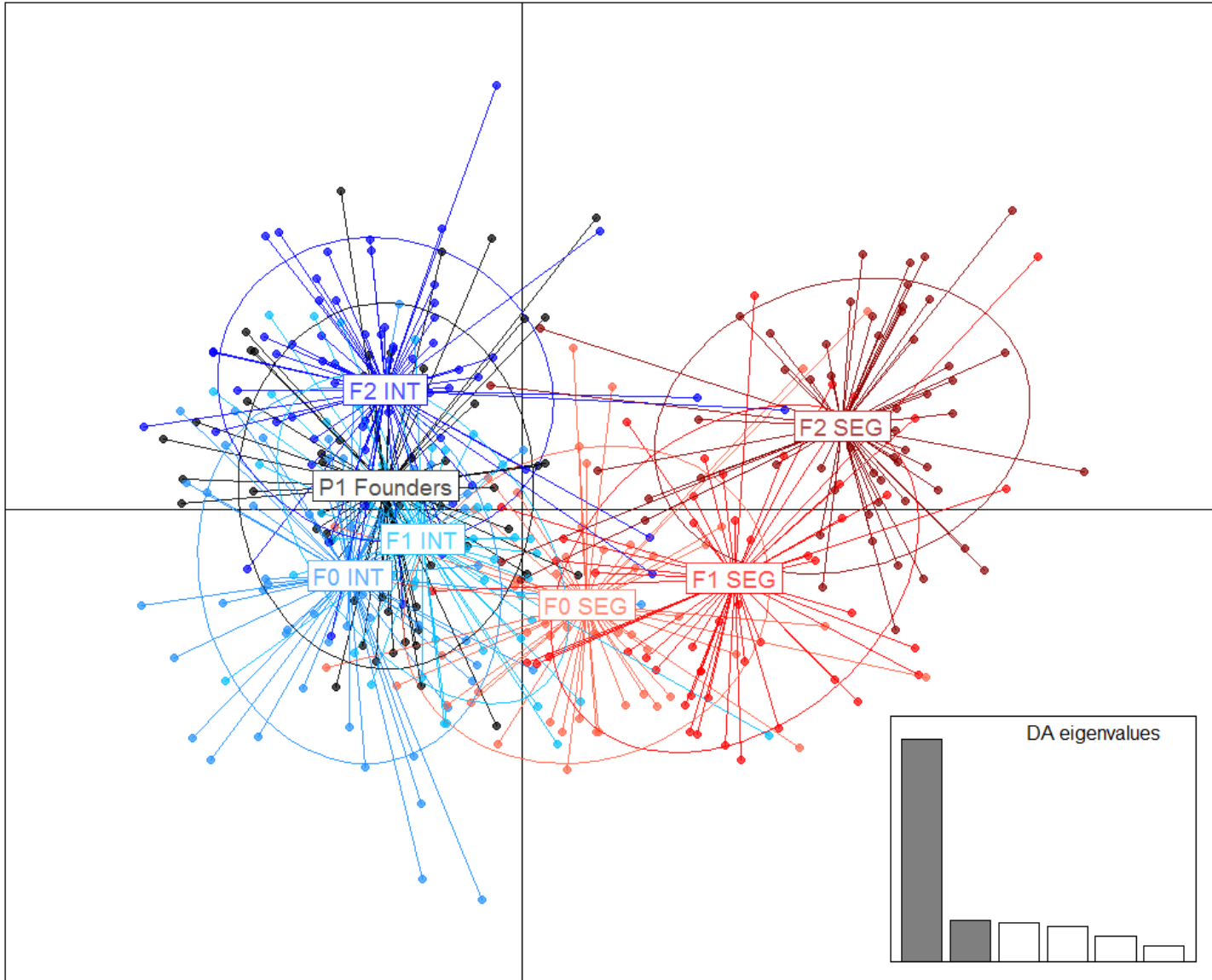
Pairwise F_{ST} Compared to Founders



*Highly significant, test for genotypic differentiation

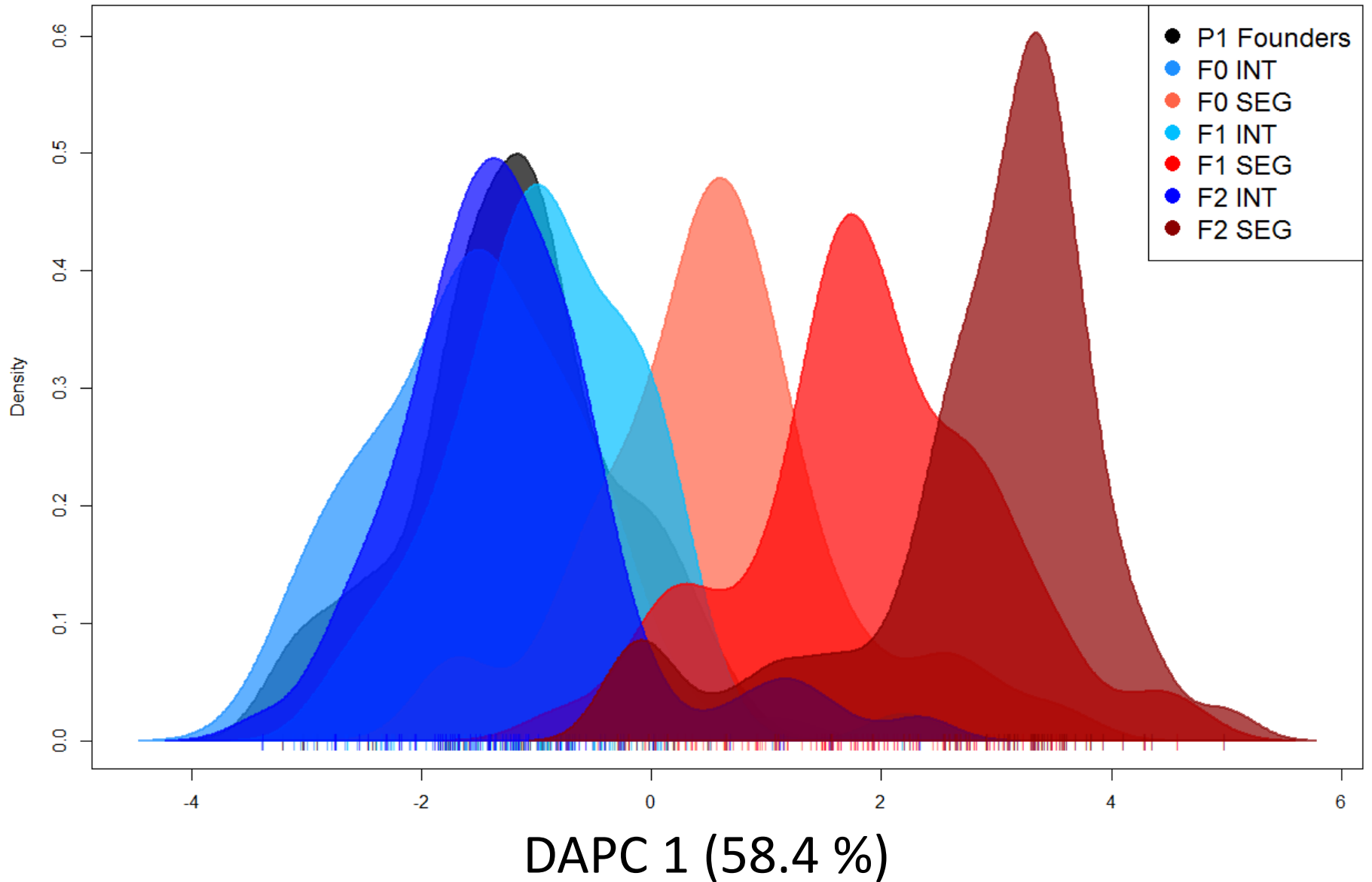
Discriminant Analysis of Principal Components

DAPC 2 (10.9 %)



DAPC 1 (58.4 %)

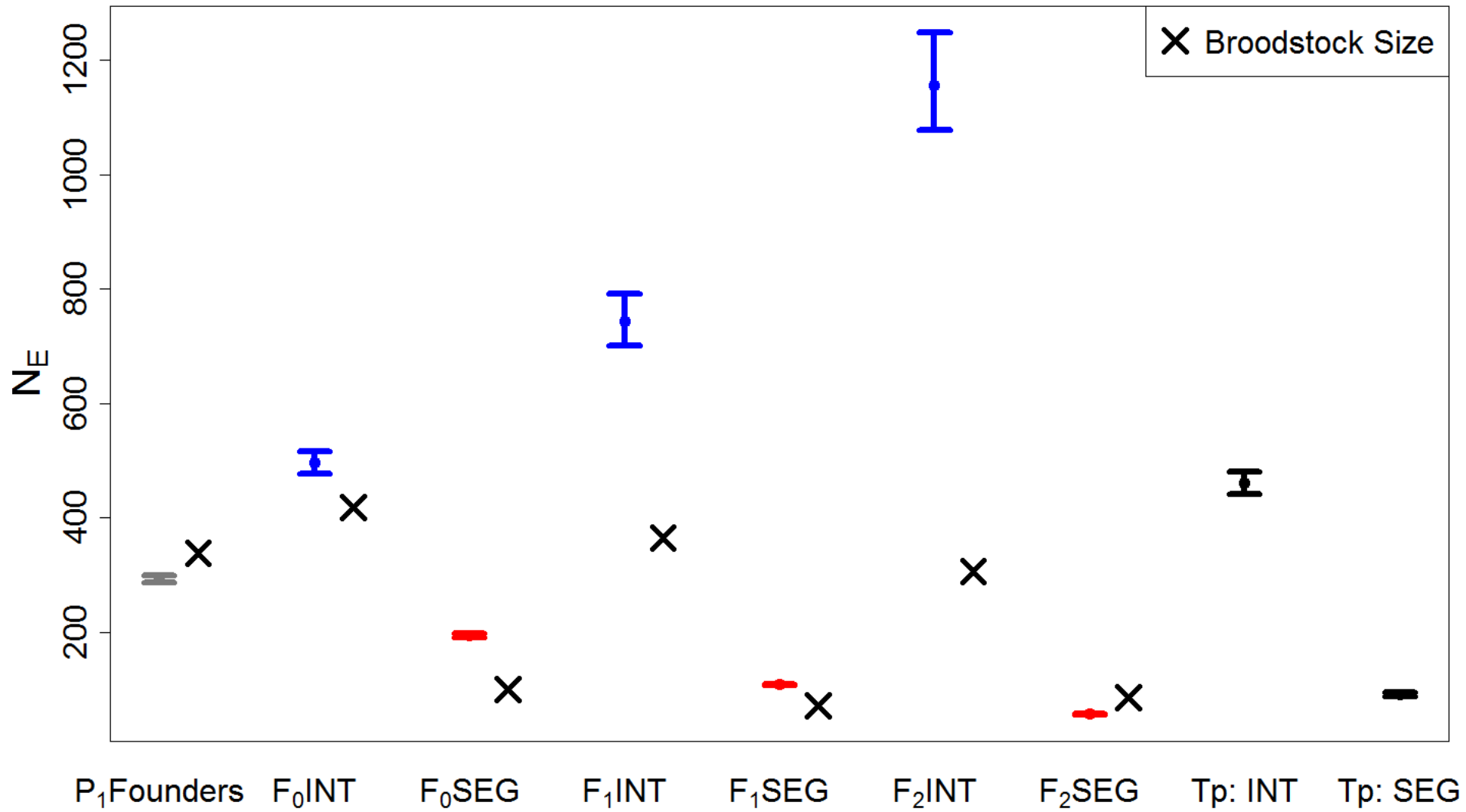
DAPC of All Individuals



Effective Population Size

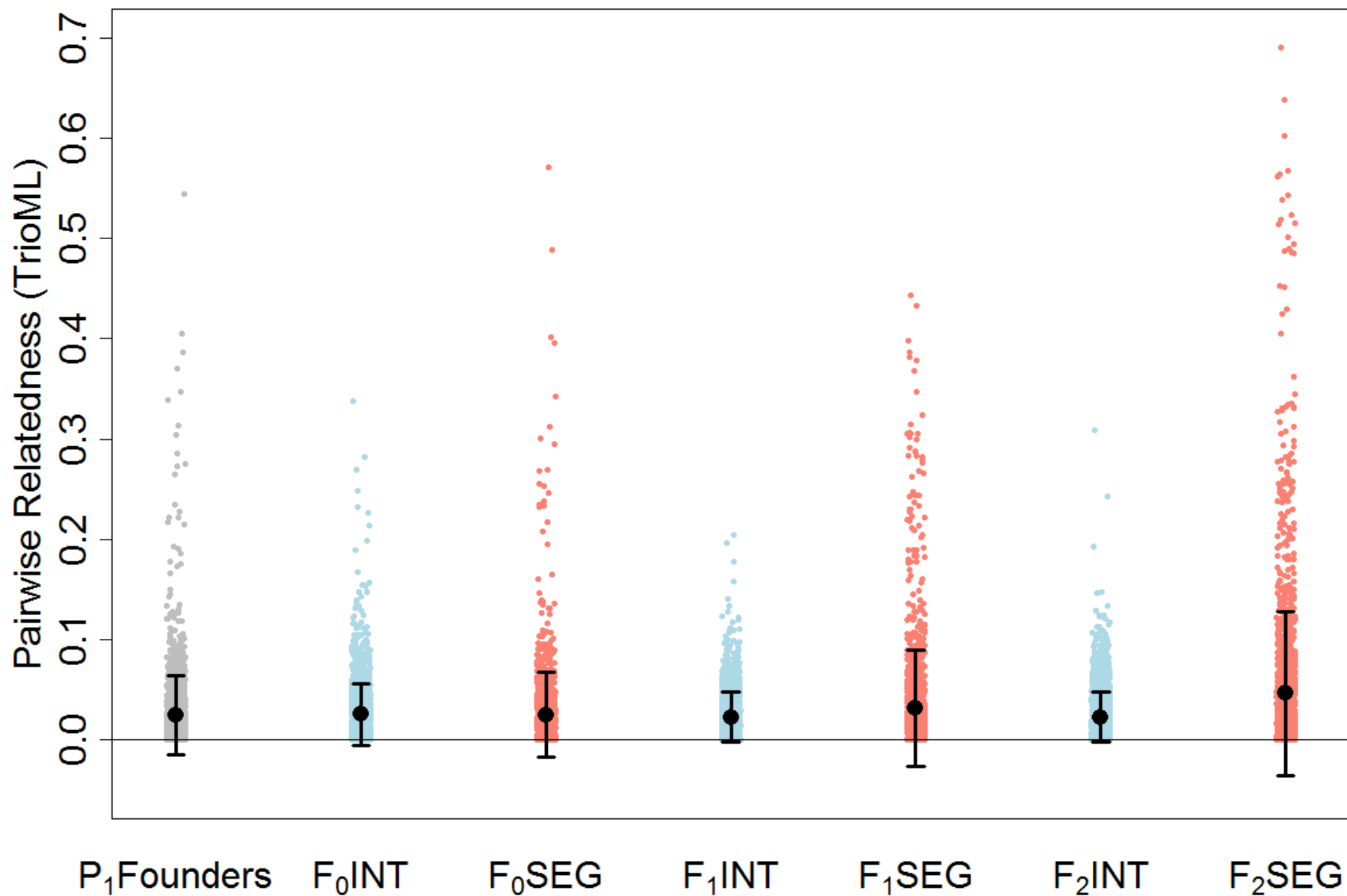
- Influences the long-term viability and adaptive potential of populations
 - Genetic drift is the dominant evolutionary process in small populations (loss of genetic variation; inbreeding)
 - Selection has a greater effect in larger populations
- Estimated effective population size using the linkage disequilibrium and temporal methods

N_E Per Population

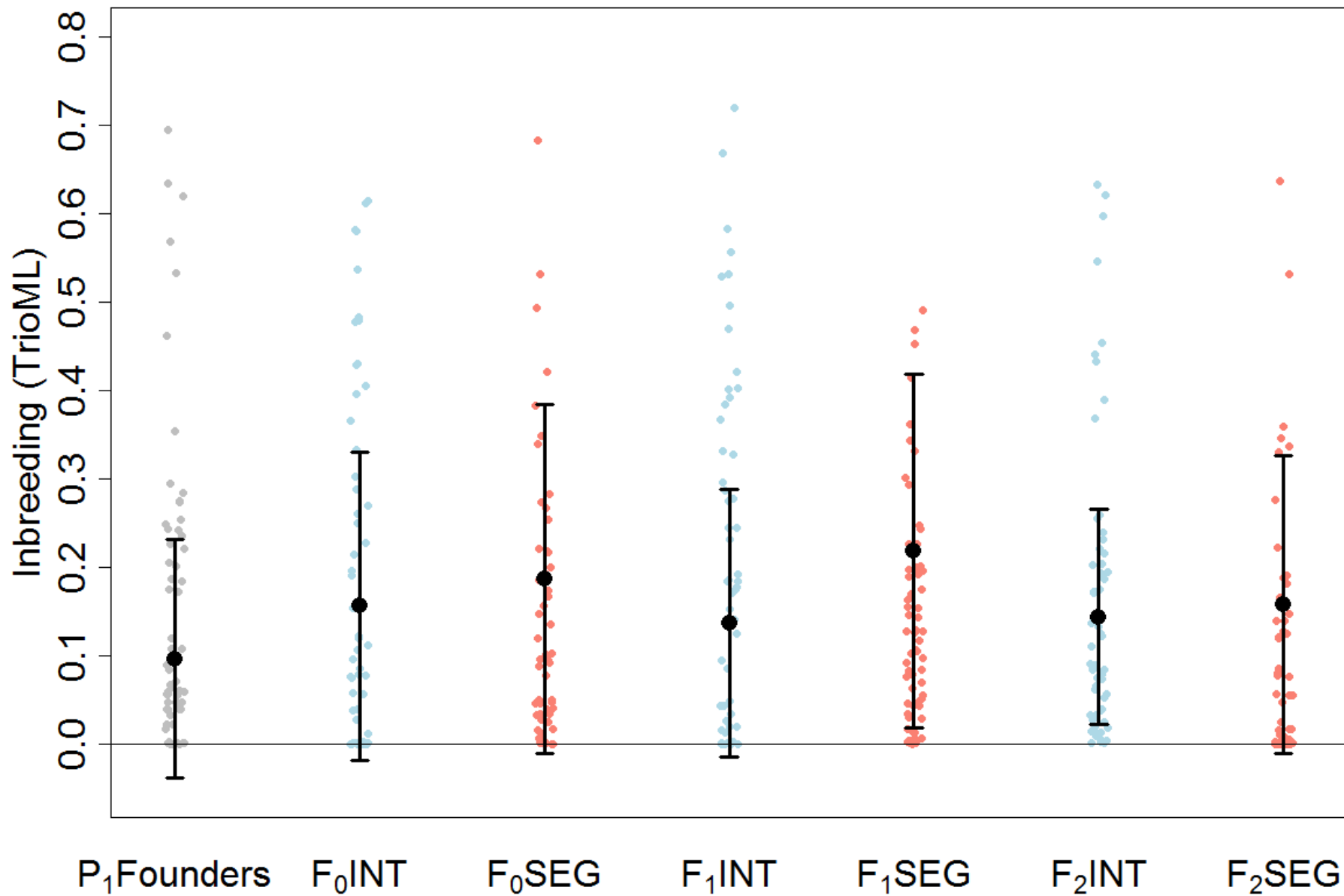


Good agreement between LD and temporal methods

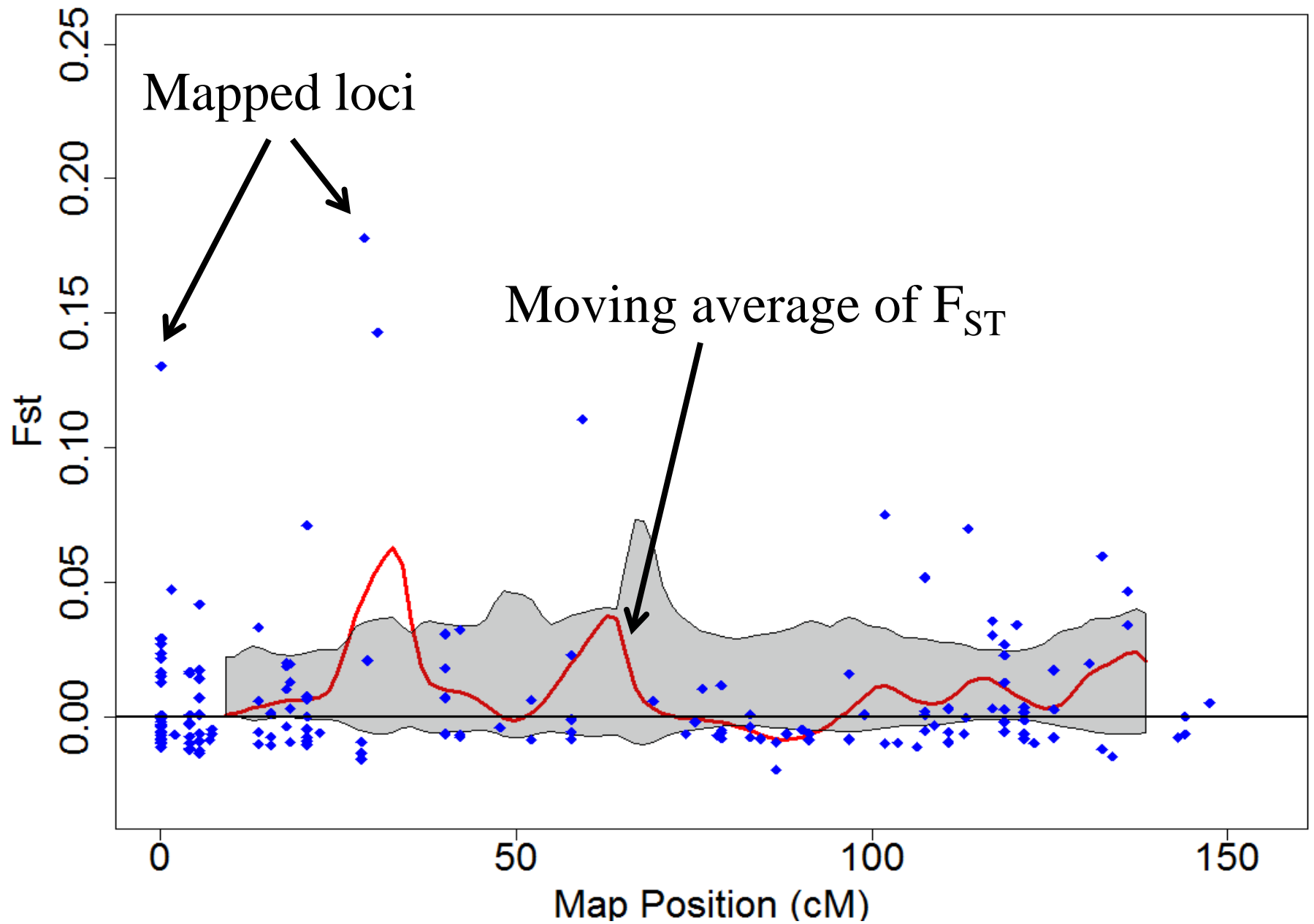
Pairwise Relatedness Within Groups



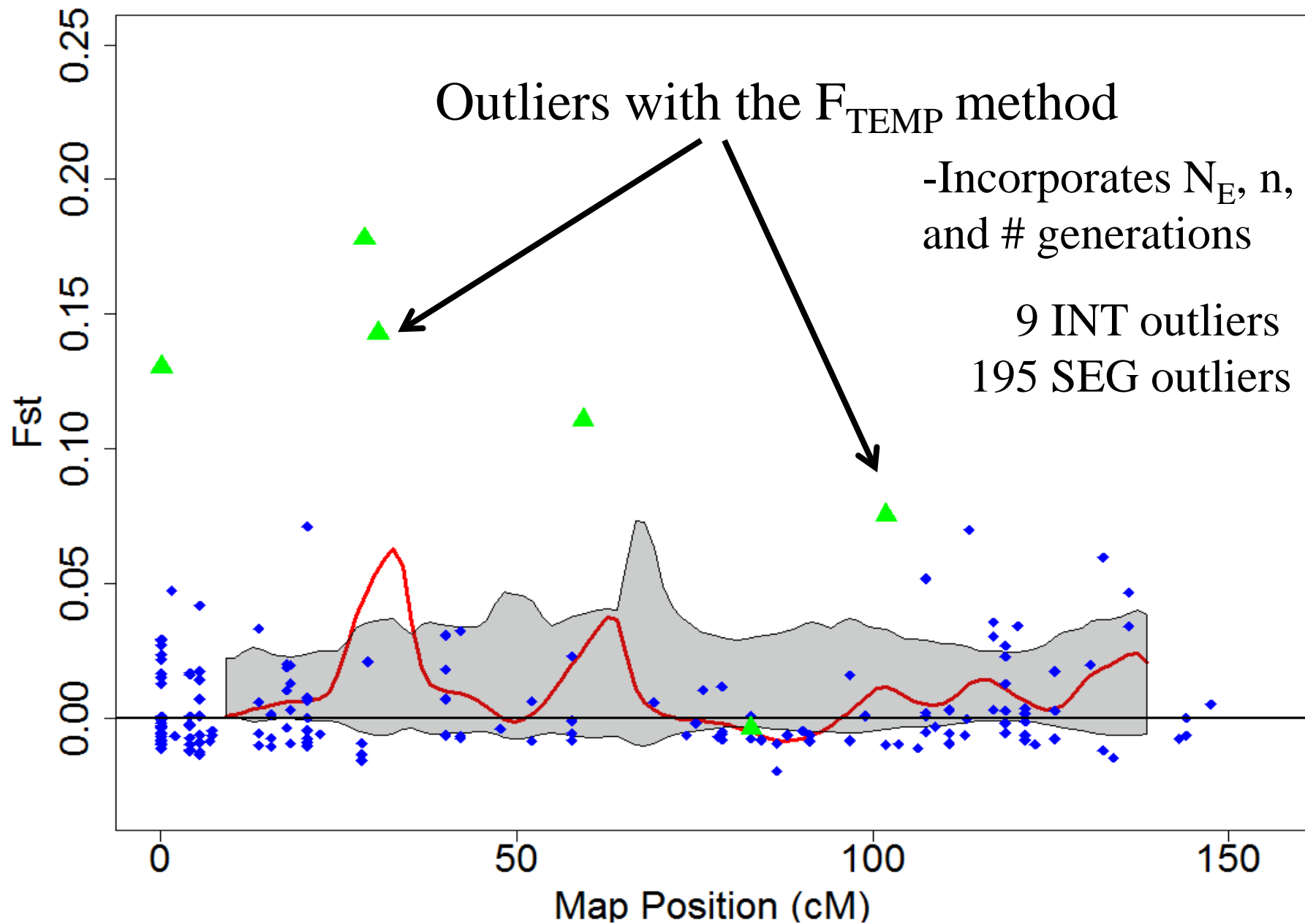
Levels of Inbreeding Within Groups



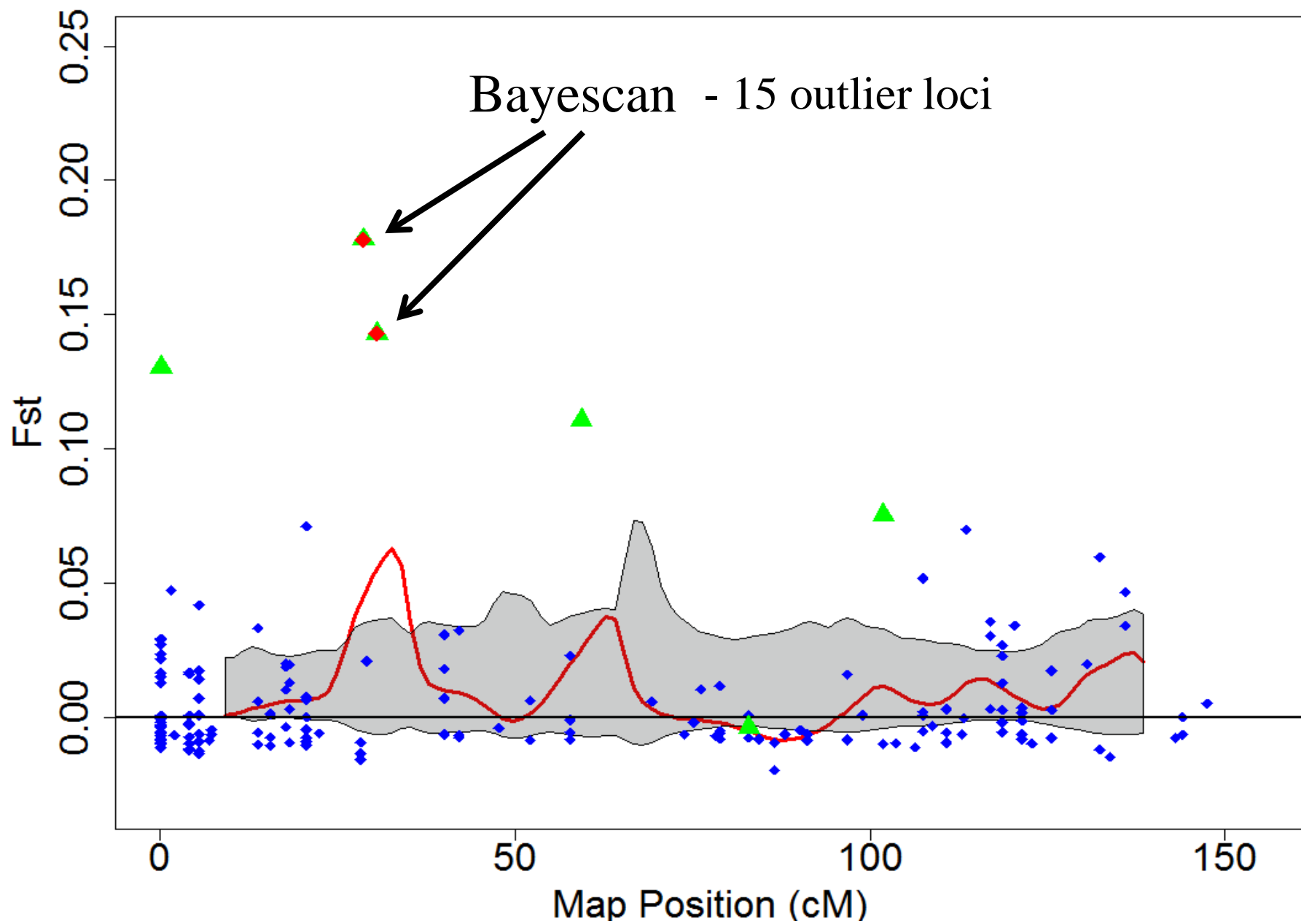
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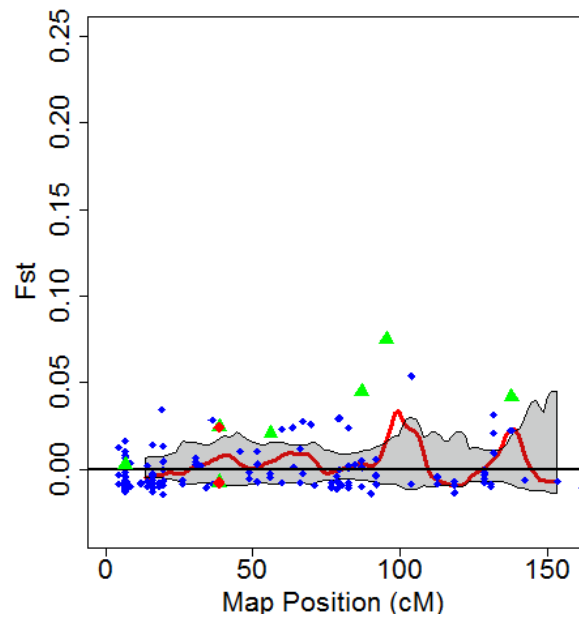
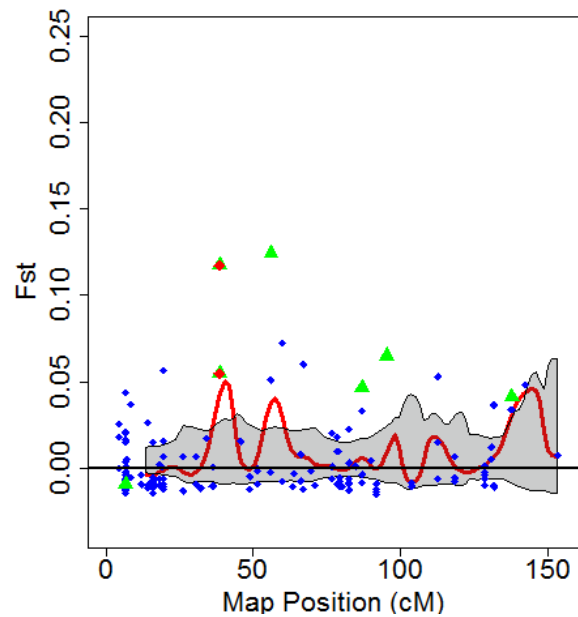
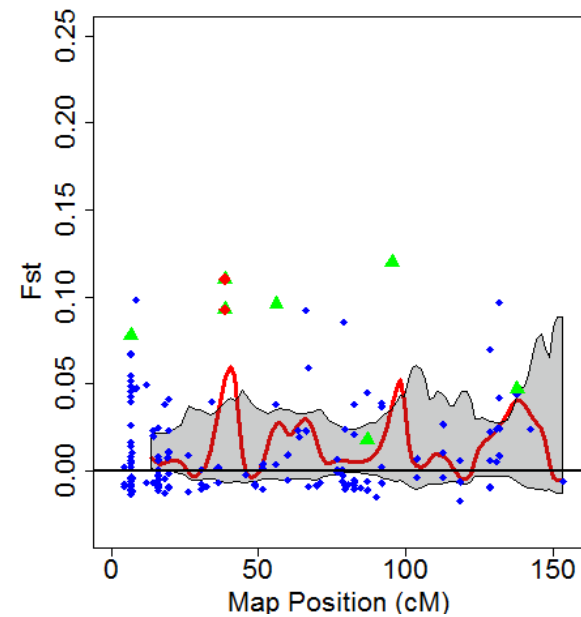
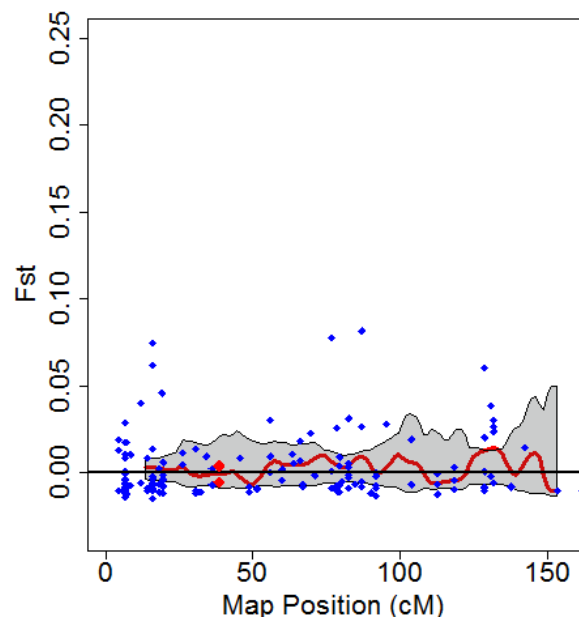
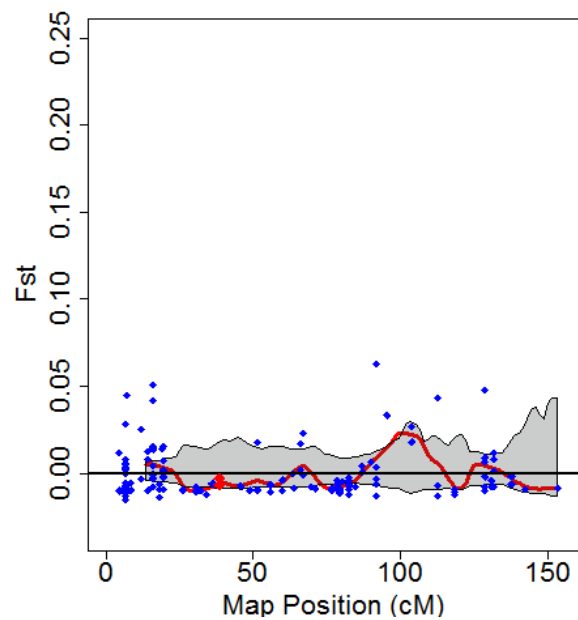
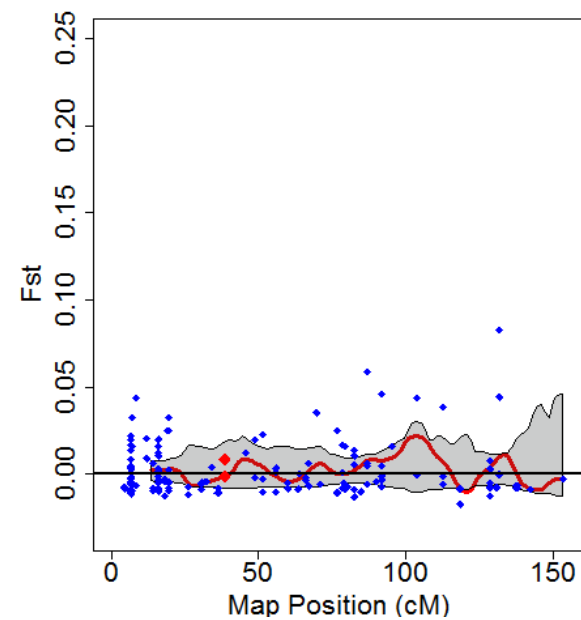


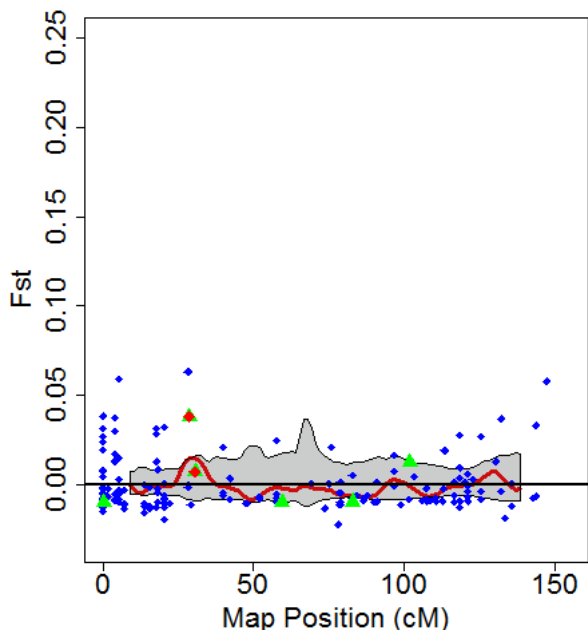
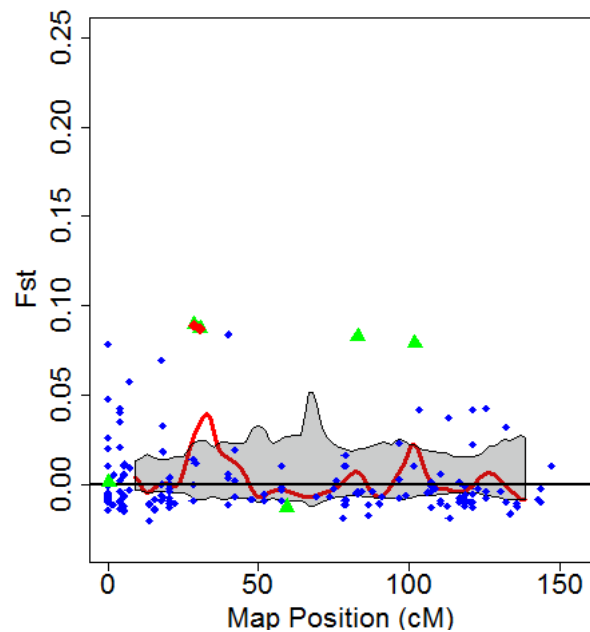
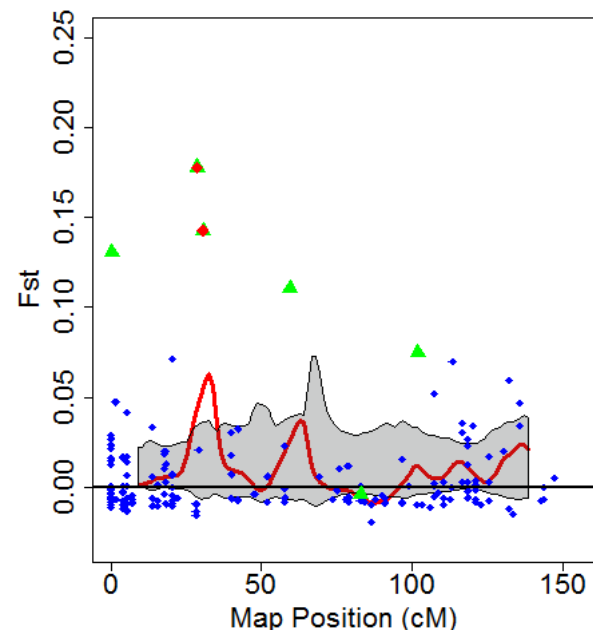
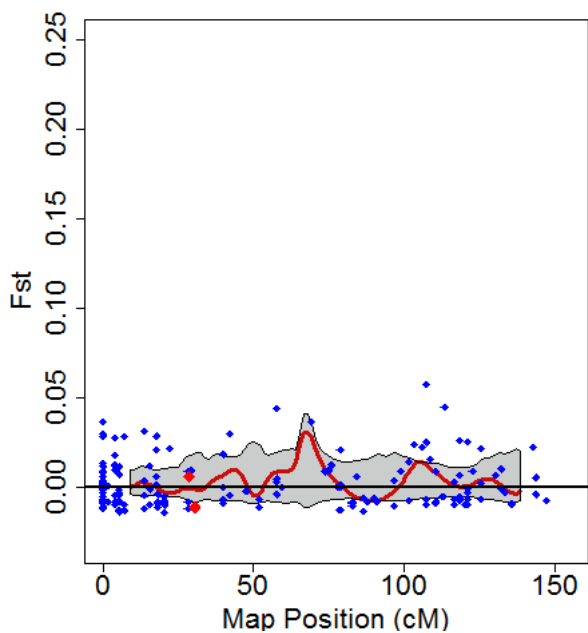
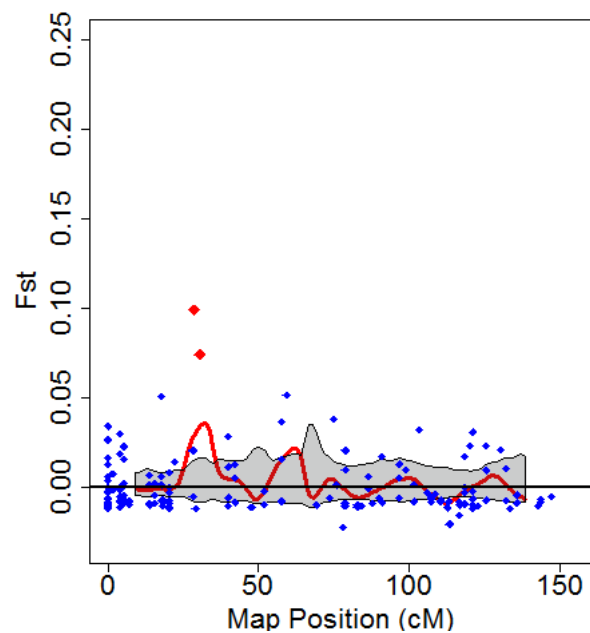
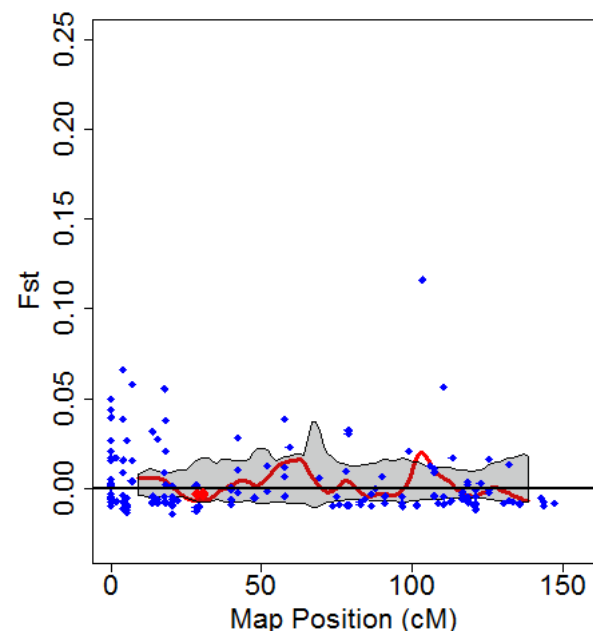
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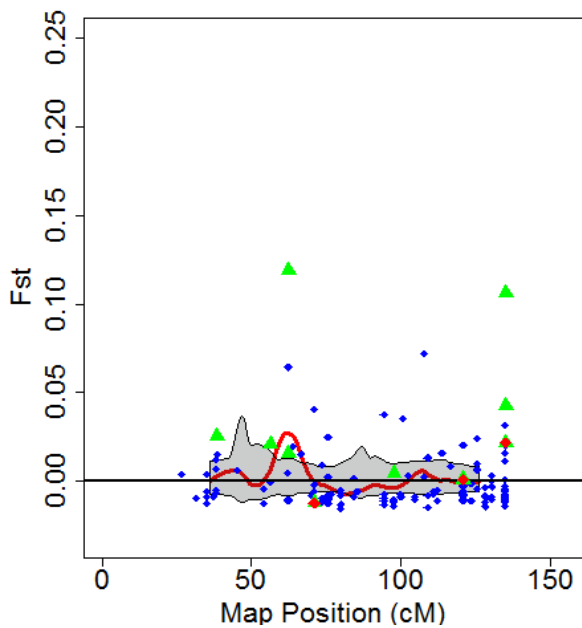
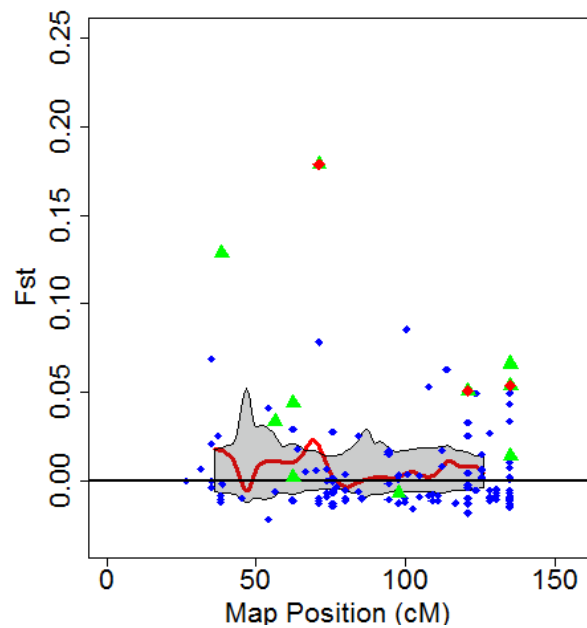
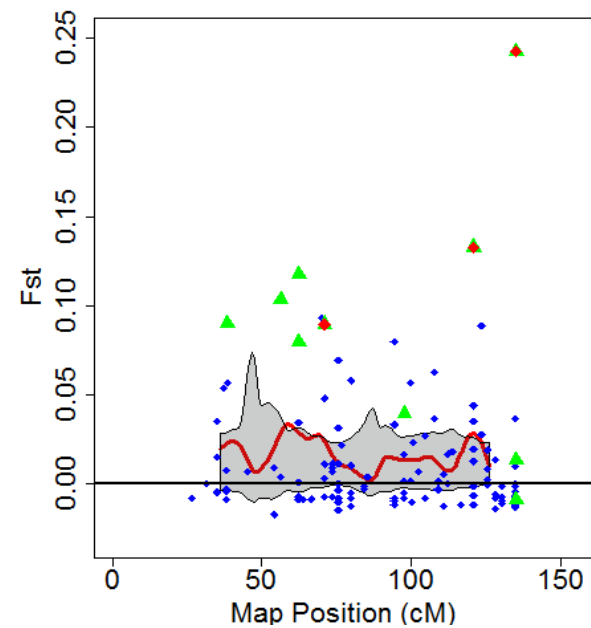
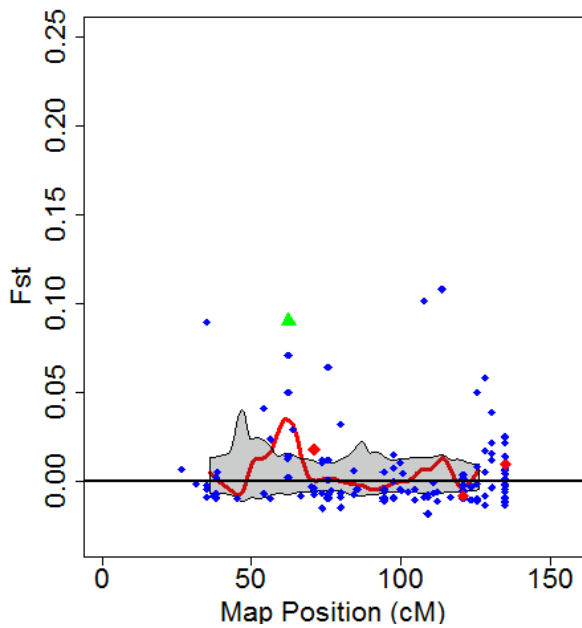
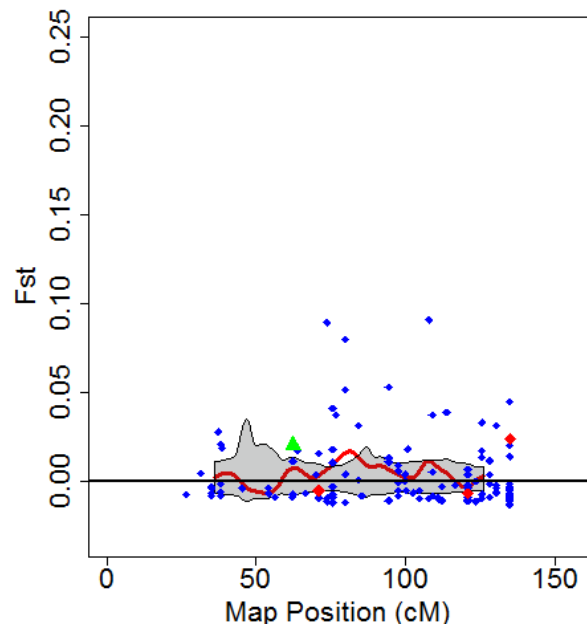
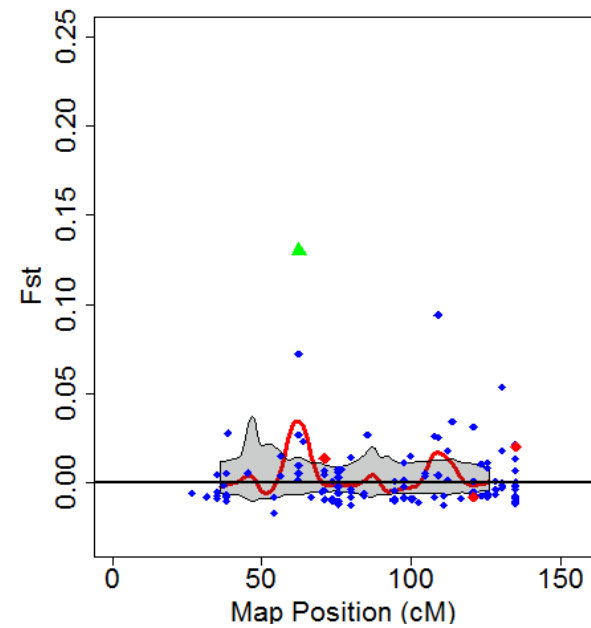


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Summary of Results

- F_{ST} is low in all pairwise population comparisons
- Segregated line is slowly diverging over time
- Genetic drift could be a driving force in divergence of SEG line
- Signatures of selection were identified using 3 methods with good agreement; more abundant and consistent in segregated line
- Integrated management is effective at reducing adaptation to captivity

Next Steps

- 1) Estimate levels of inbreeding and relatedness
- 2) Add the 5th generation of fish to the study
- 3) GWAS and QTL analyses to link fitness related traits to genomic regions

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