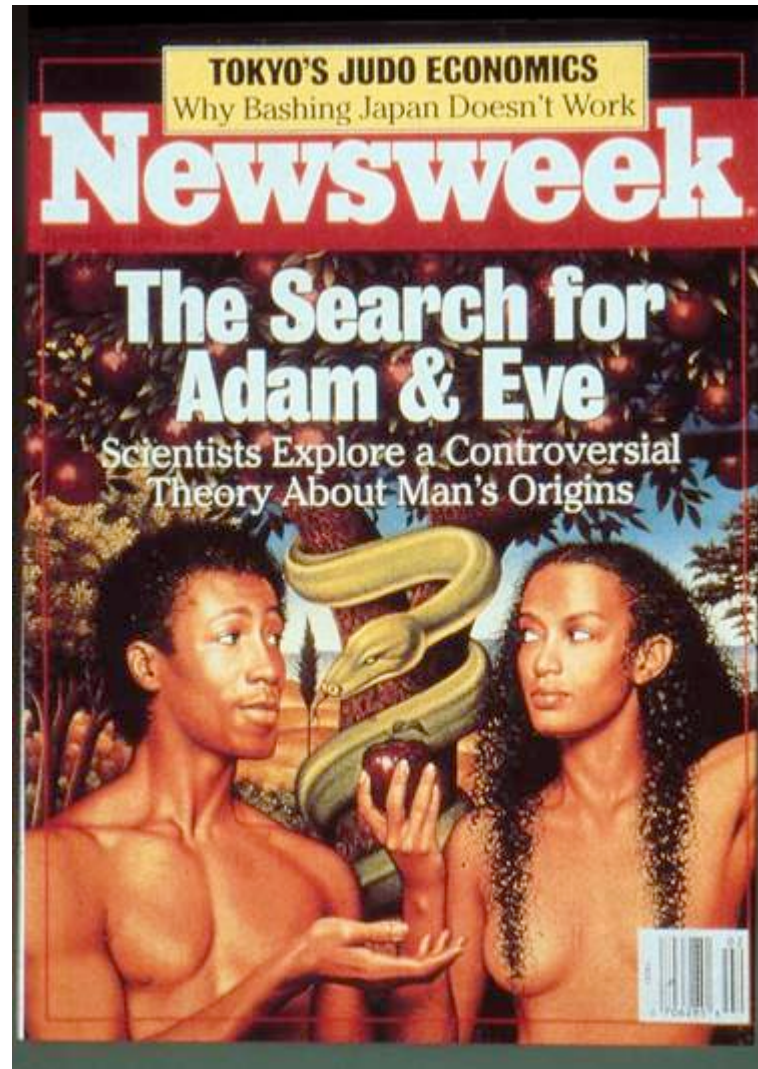


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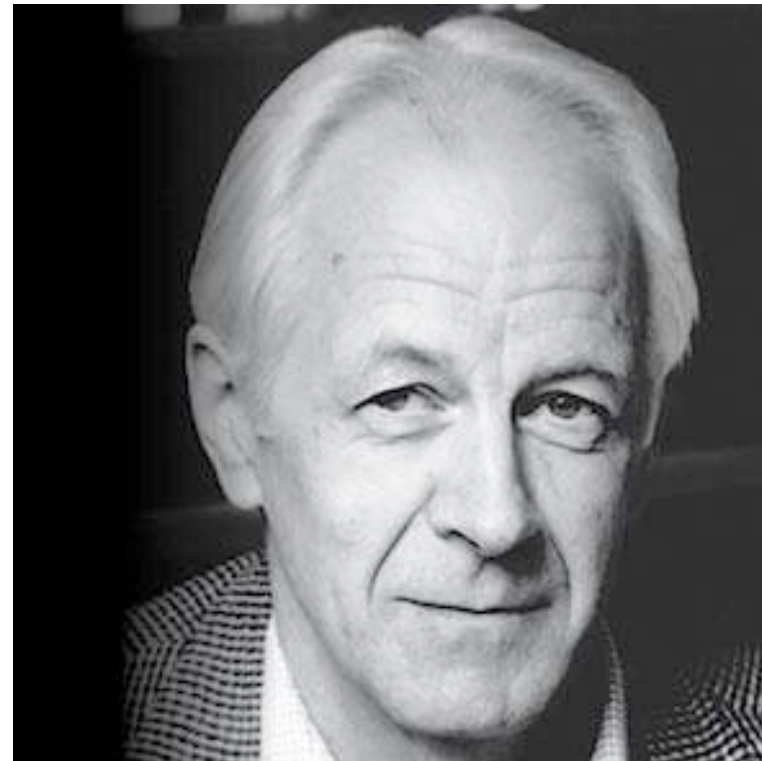


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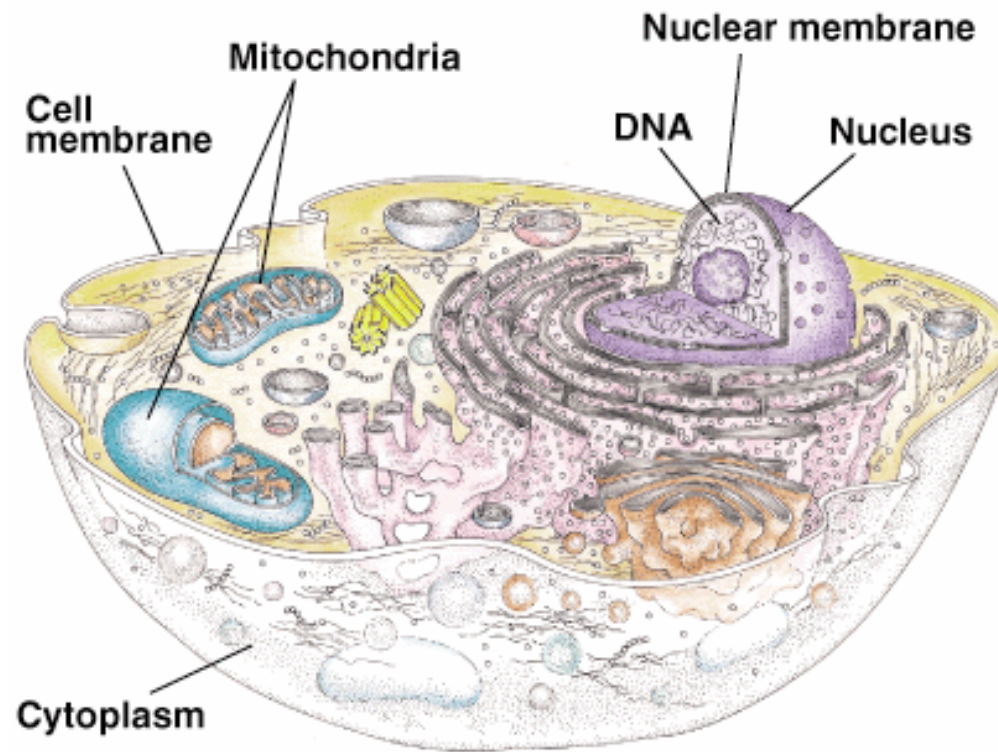


Allan Wilson (1934 - 1991)

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- PhD UC Berkeley
- The Wilson Lab
 - molecular evolution
 - molecular clock
 - mtDNA
 - ancient DNA



Structure of a Cell

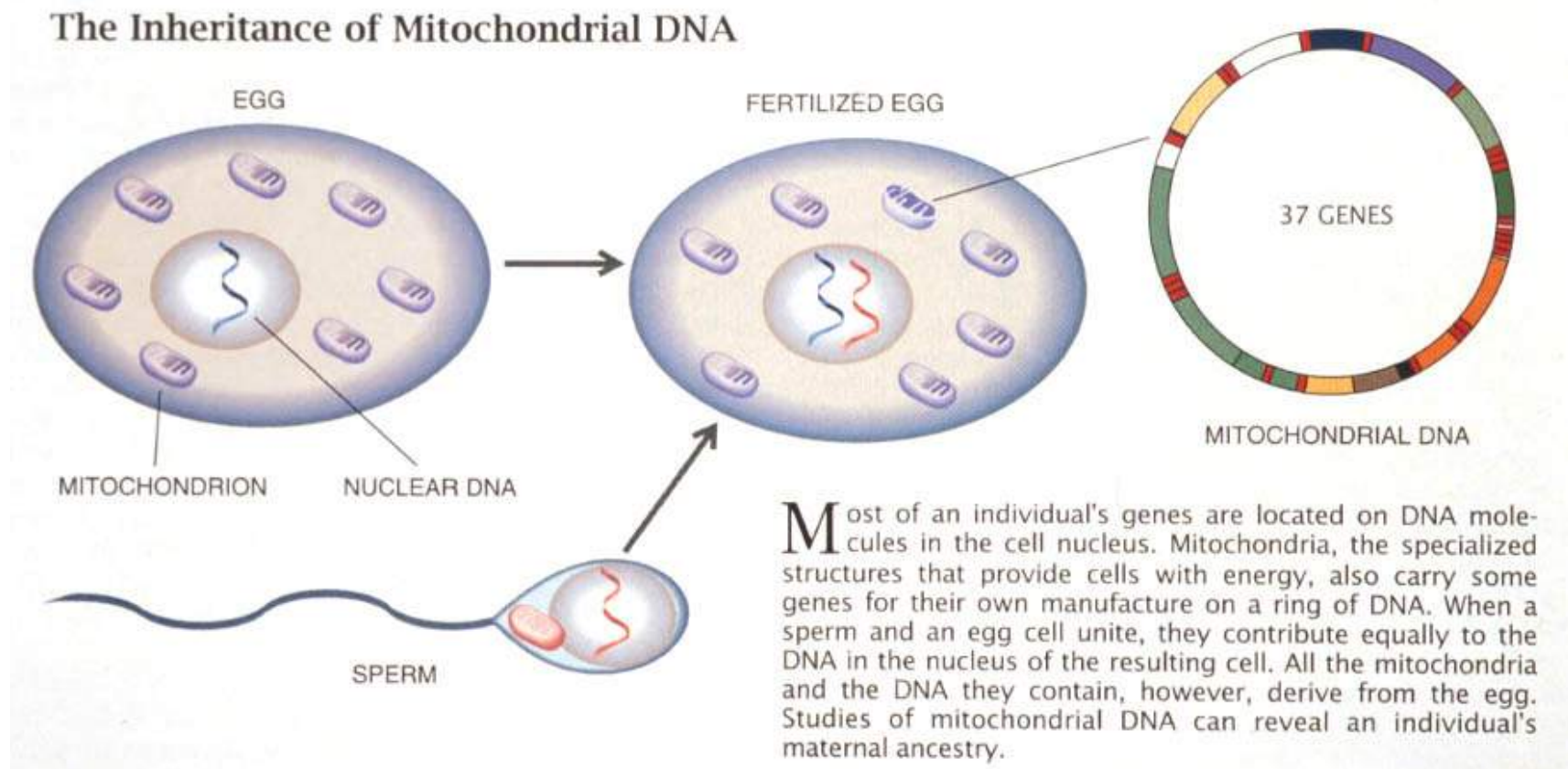


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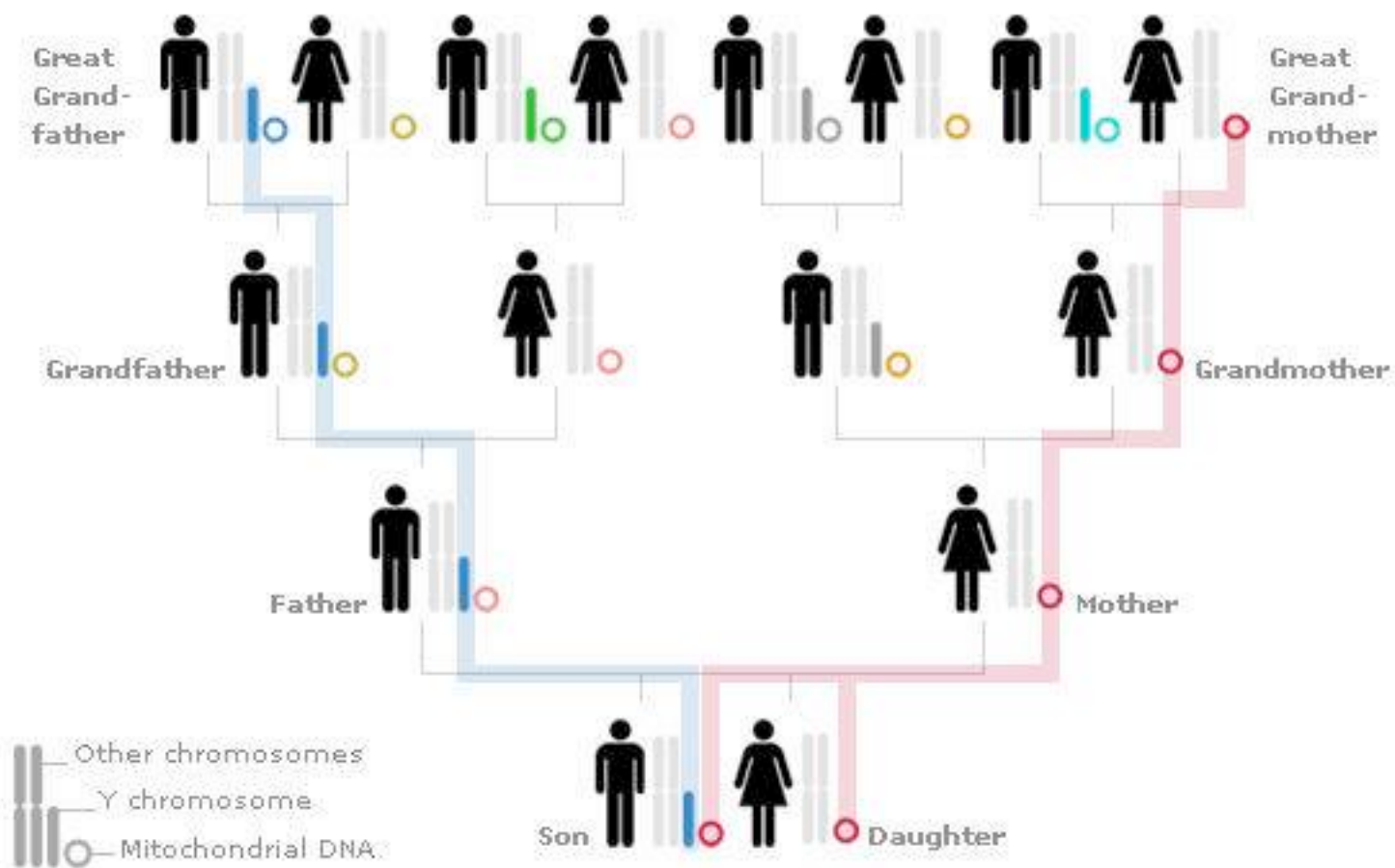
You inherit your nuclear DNA from both of your parents – on average 50% from each

Inheritance of mtDNA



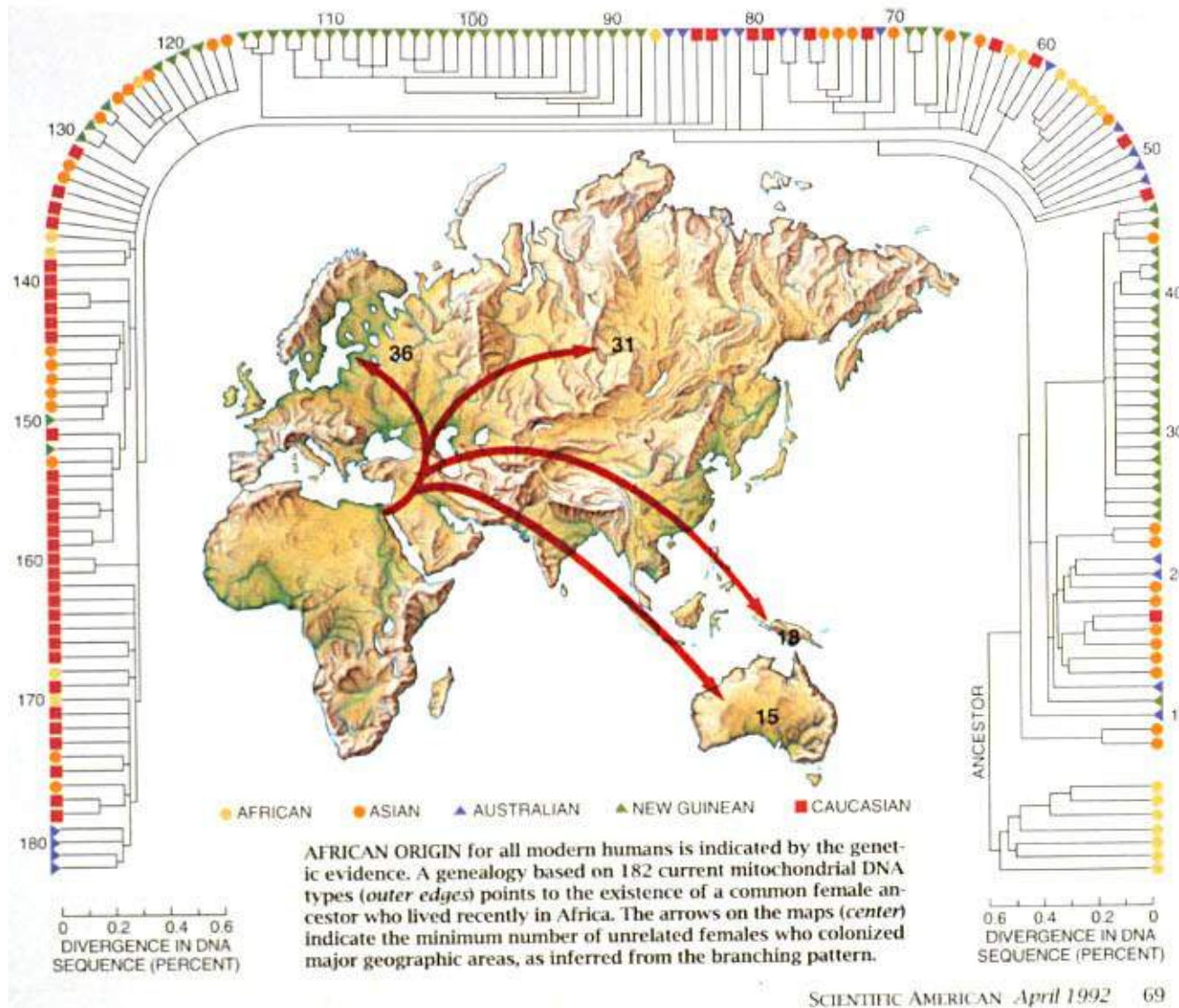
MtDNA is inherited only from your mother.

MtDNA does not recombine (or mix) with paternal DNA.



Mitochondrial “Eve”

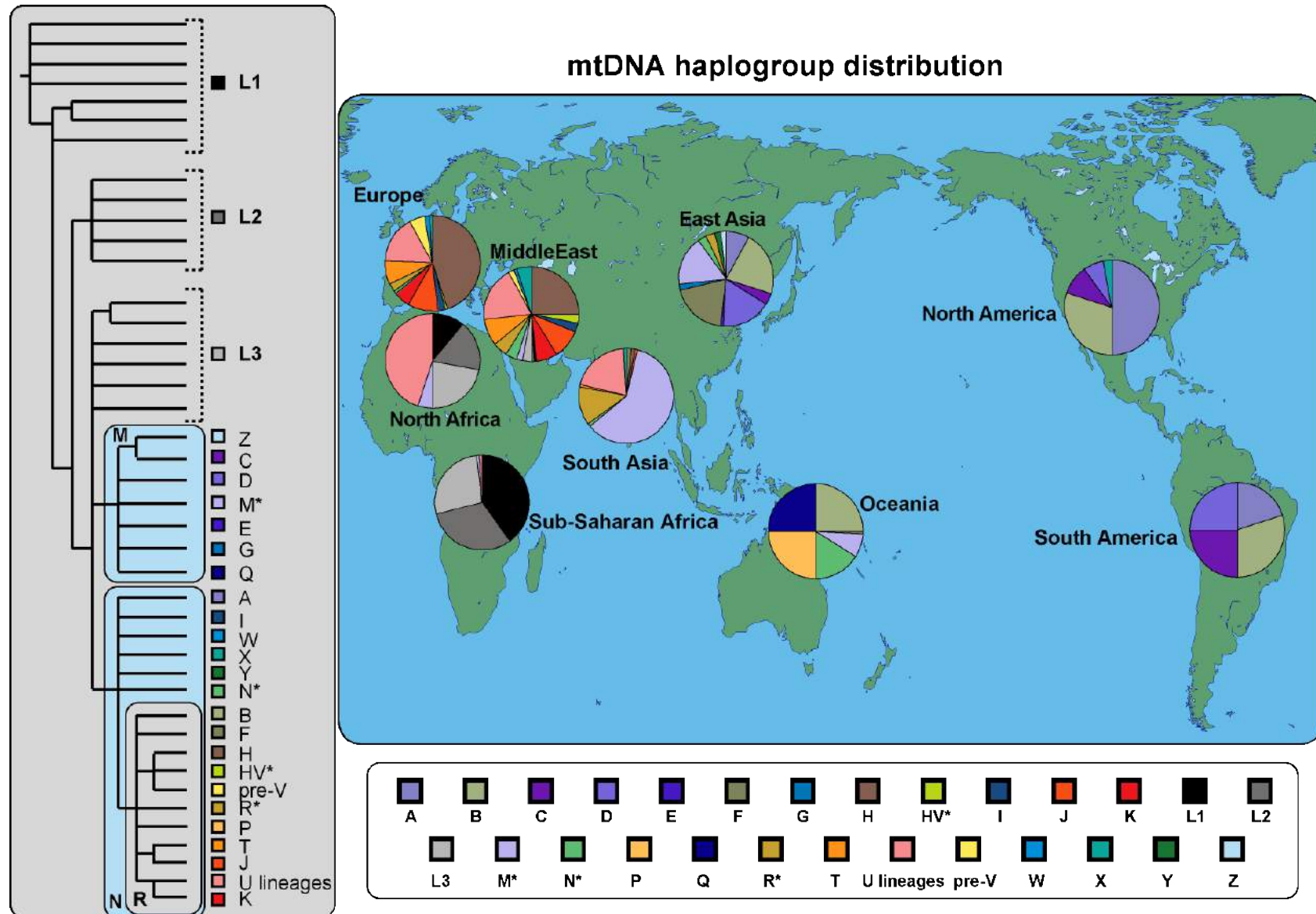
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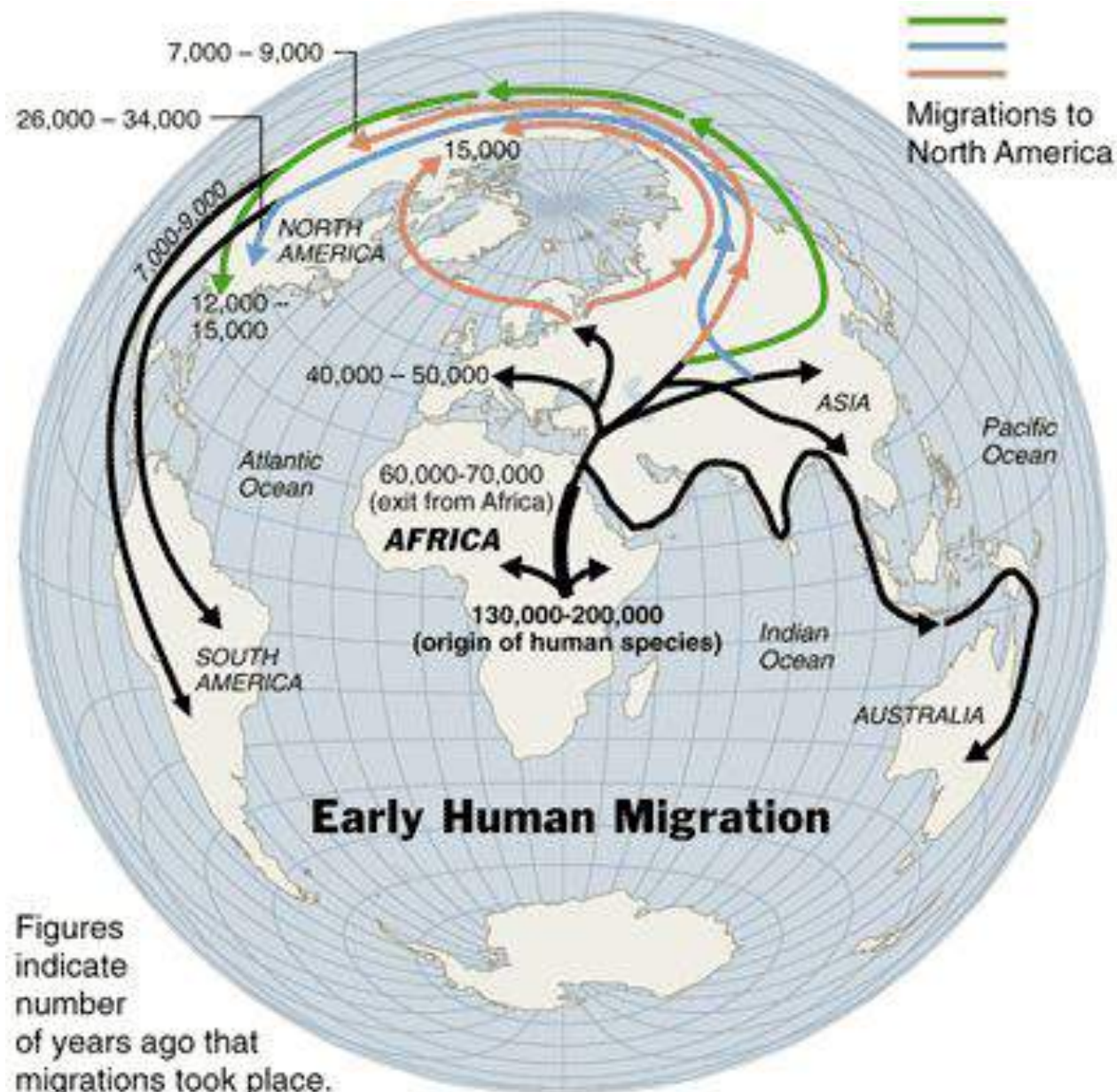
An evolutionary tree from populations around the world based on mtDNA differences.

Traced all lineages to a single maternal line that existed in Africa over 150,000 years ago

Haplogroups

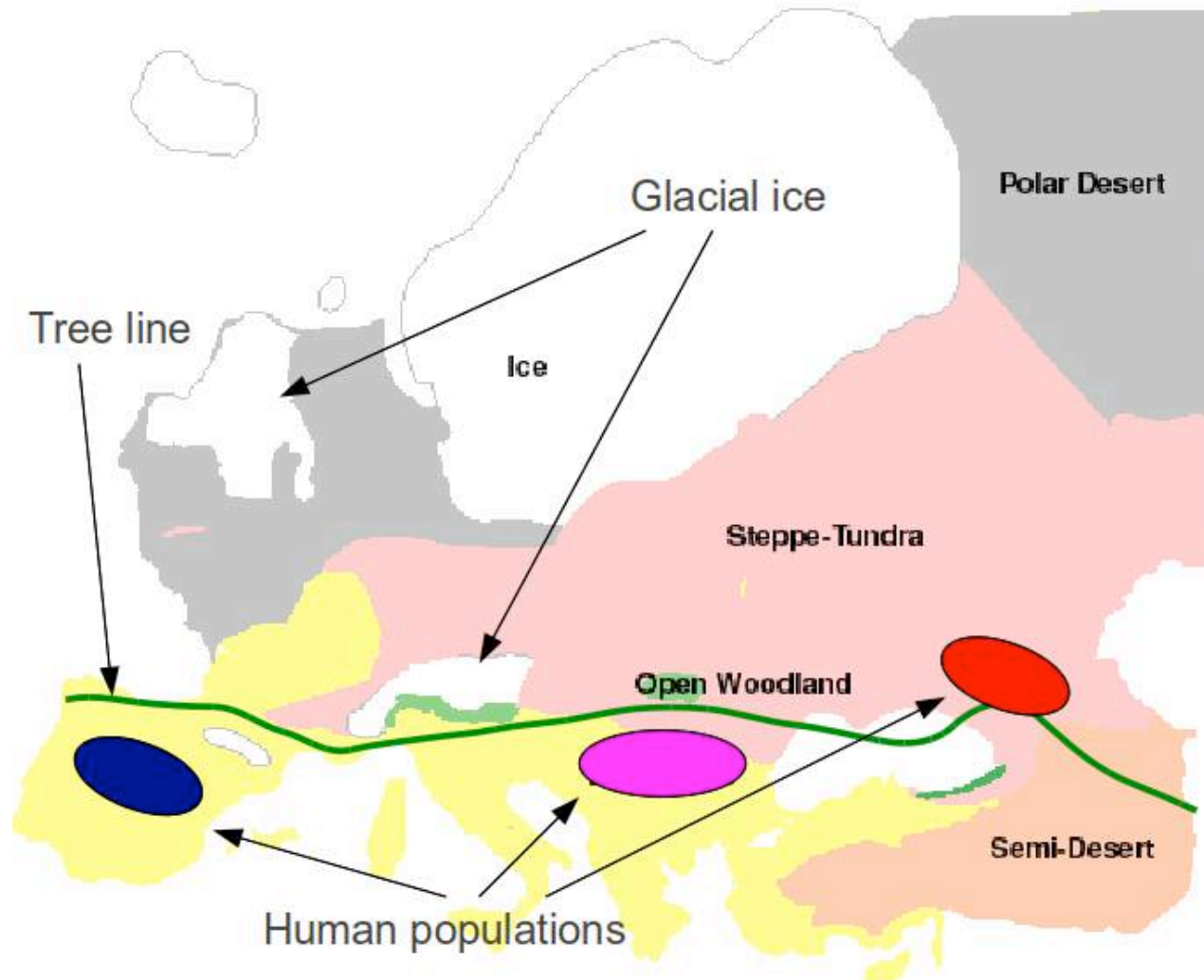


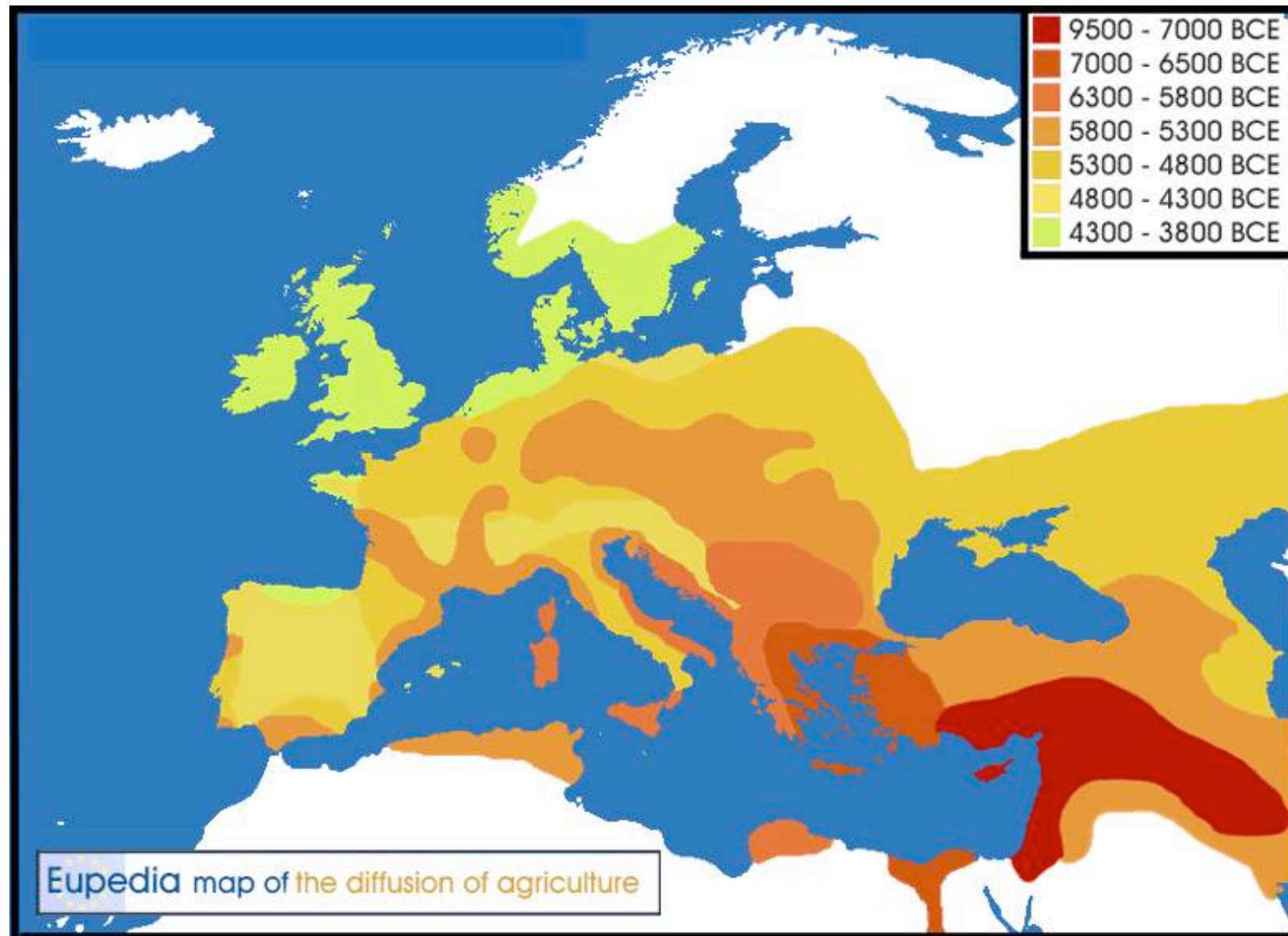
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Last Glacial Maximum (Ice Age)

22,000 – 14,000 ^{14}C years ago

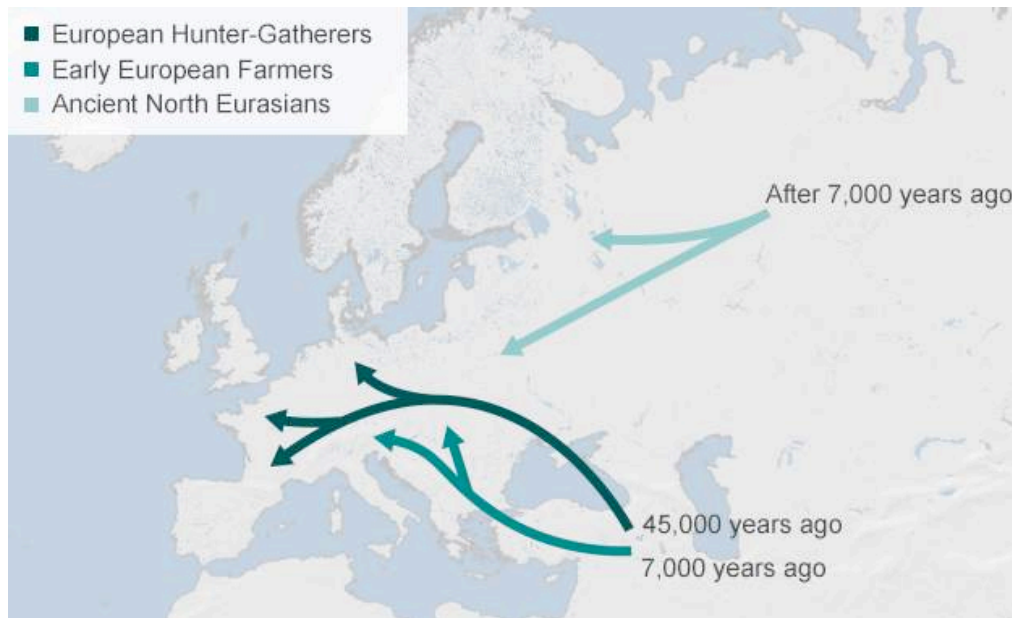




Ancient DNA Analyses



Neolithic Expansions & Replacements



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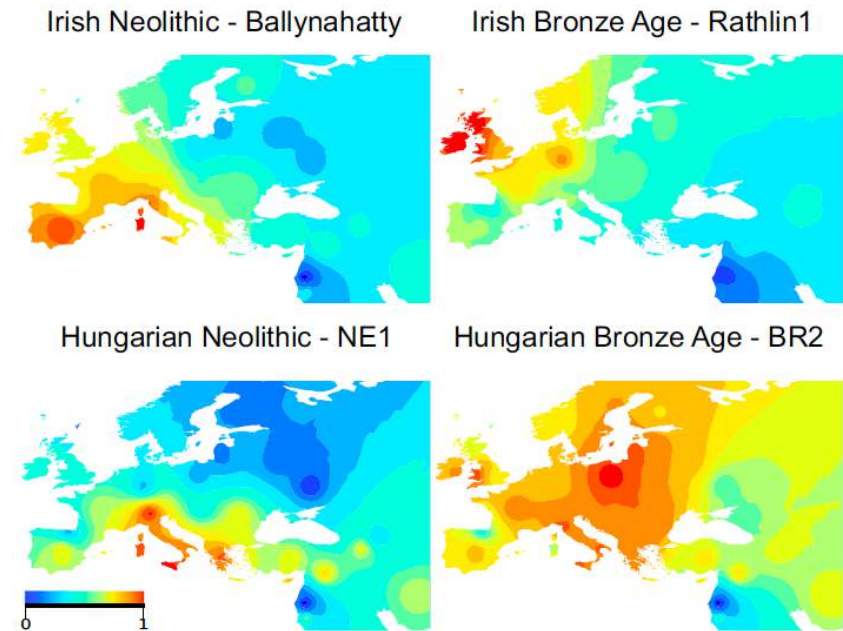
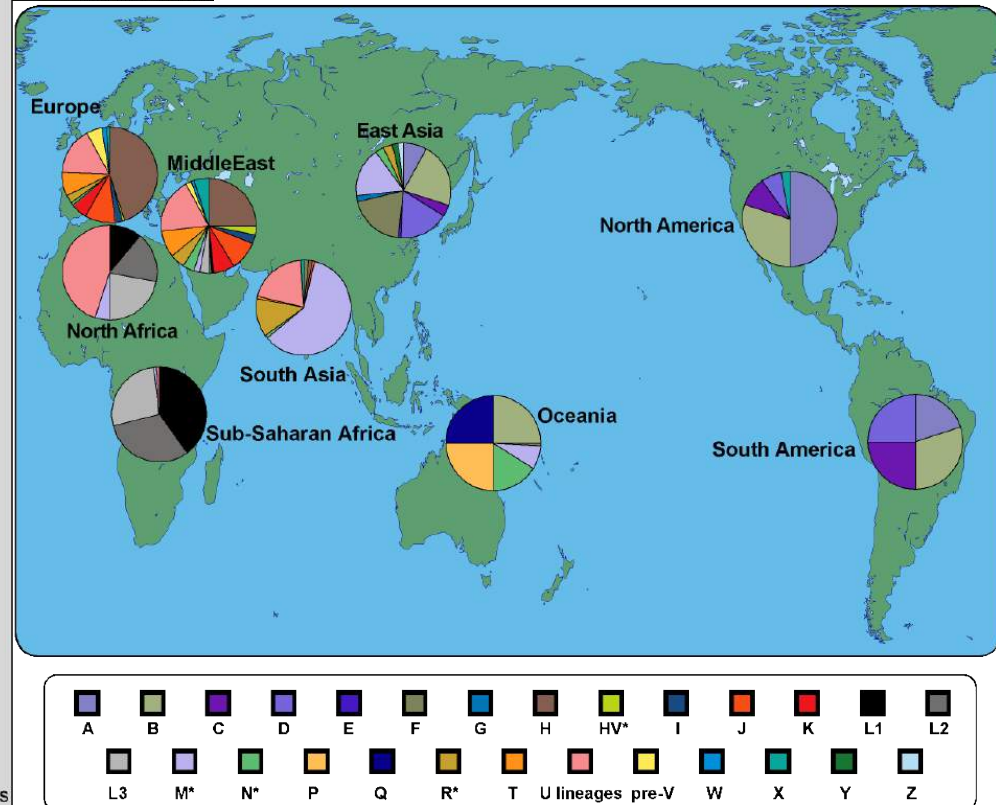


Fig. 3. Comparison of Irish and Central European ancient genomes for haplotype-based affinity to modern populations. Interpolated heatmaps comparing relative haplotype donations by two Irish (Ballynahatty, Rathlin1) and two Hungarian (NE1, BR2) ancient genomes.



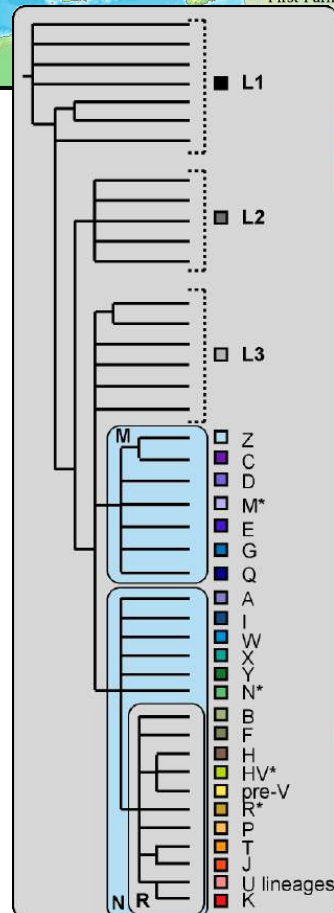
Mesolithic Western Europe
U5b is common

mtDNA haplogroup distribution



Modern populations

Result of
replacement during
Neolithic and later
Bronze Age
populations

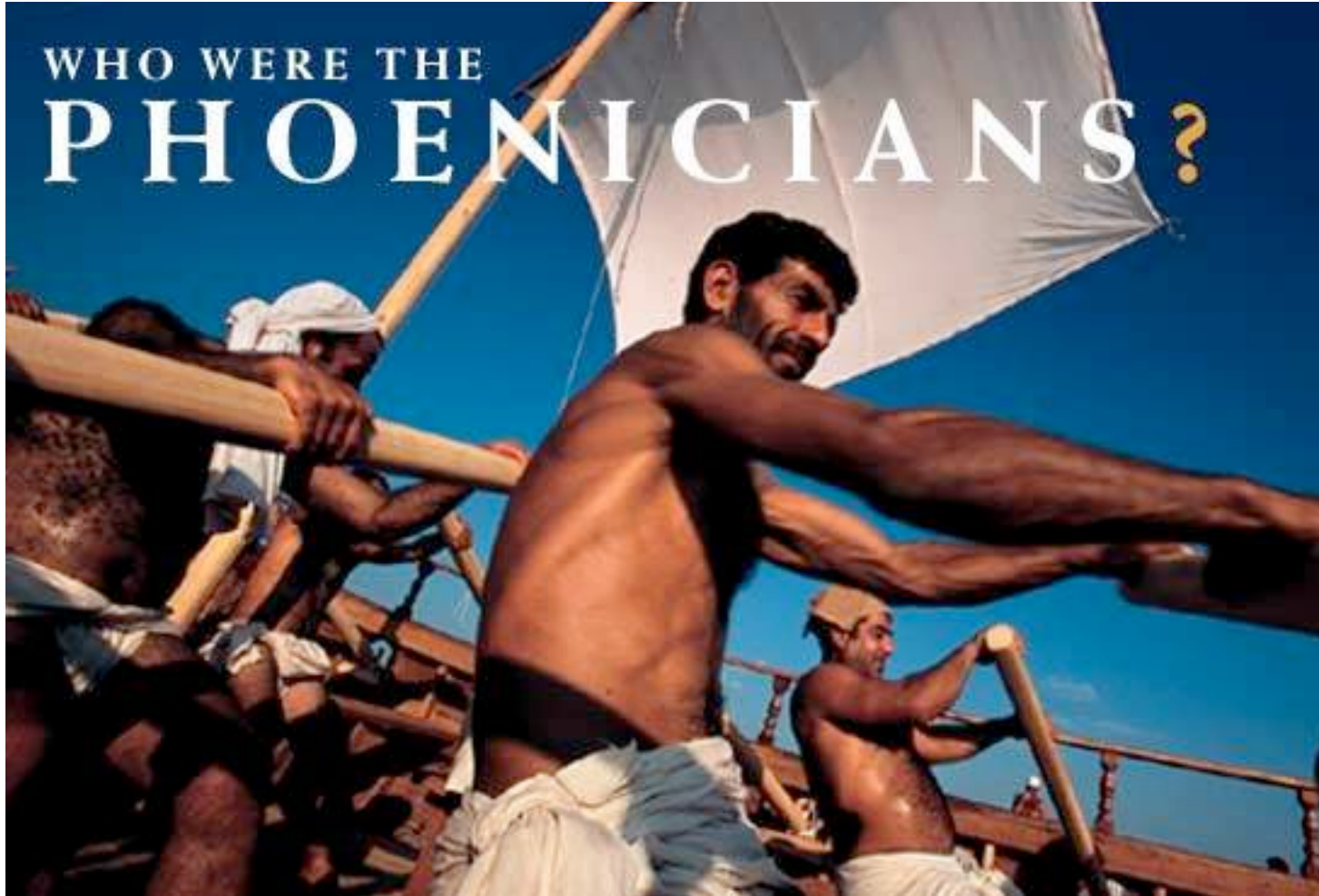


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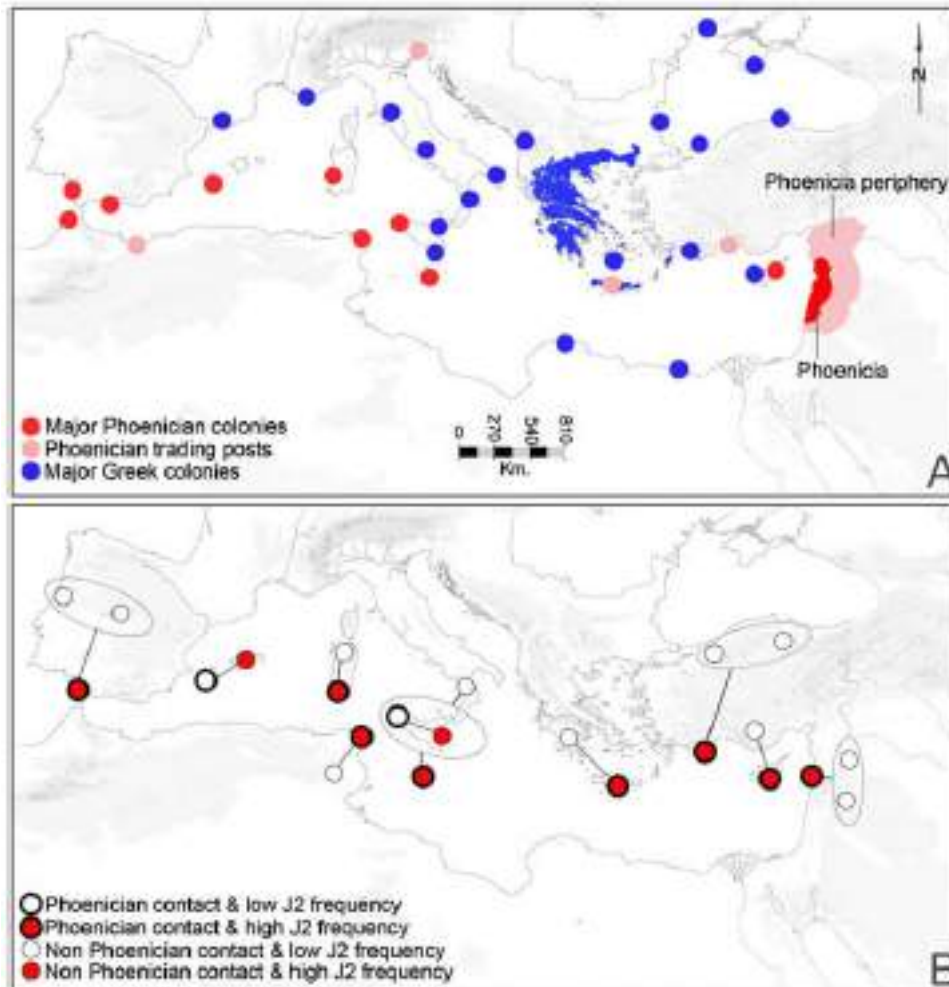


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Y chromosome analyses (paternally inherited)

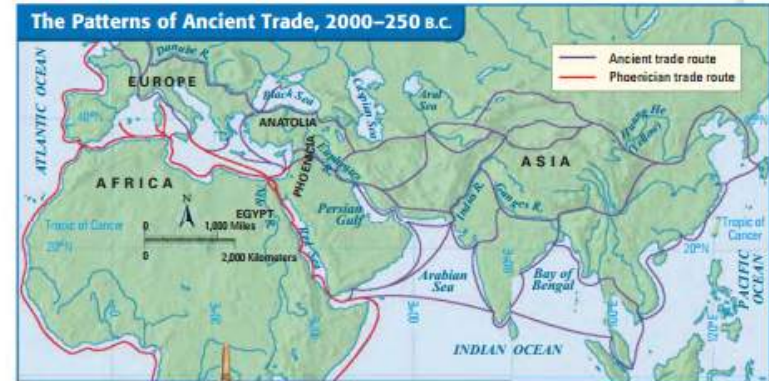
Modern populations

J2 haplogroup markers associated with Phoenician contact



Phoenician Trade

Phoenicia was located in a great spot for trade because it lay along well-traveled routes between Egypt and Asia. However, the Phoenicians did more than just trade with merchants who happened to pass through their region. The Phoenicians became expert sailors and went looking for opportunities to make money.



Merchant Ships

Phoenician sailors developed the round boat, a ship that was very wide and had a rounded bottom. This shape created a large space for cargo.

Phoenician ships often were decorated with horse heads.














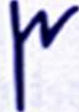

This wicker fence runs around the outer edge of the upper deck.

Foreigners wanted cedar, an aromatic wood that grew in Phoenicia.

These pottery jars with pointed bottoms are called amphorae. They held oil or wine.

The most desired Phoenician trade item was dyed red-purple cloth.

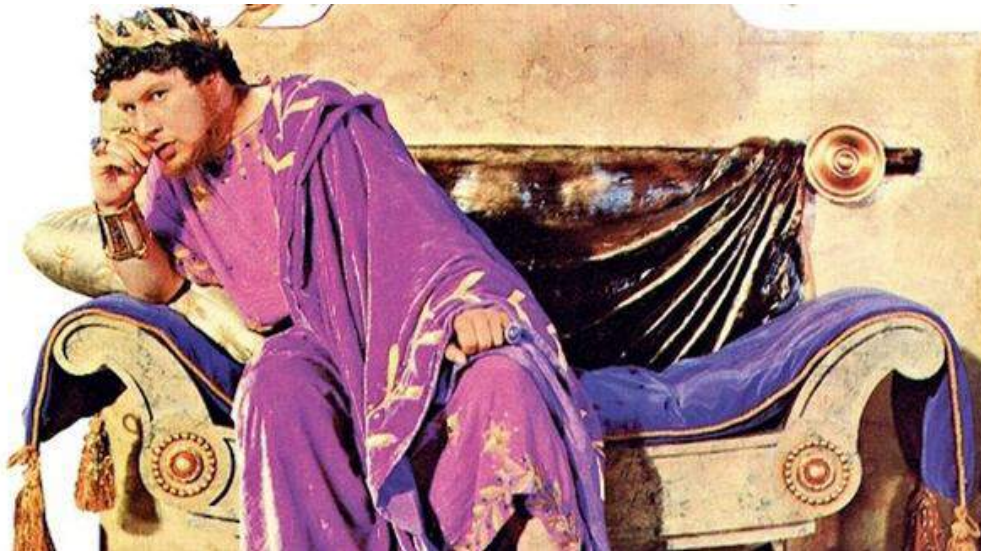


							
Z Zayin Weapon	W Waw Hook	H He Window	D Daleth Door	G Gimel Camel	B Beth House	' Aleph Ox	
							
N Nun Fish	M Mem Water	L Lamedh Ox-Goad	K Kaph Palm of Hand	Y Yodh Hand	T Teth Unknown	H Heth Fence	
							
T Taw Mark	SH Shin Tooth	R Resh Head	Q Qoph Monkey	S Sadhe Fishhook	P Peh Mouth	' Ayin Eye	S Samekh Support

The Phoenician Alphabet ~ 1250 BC



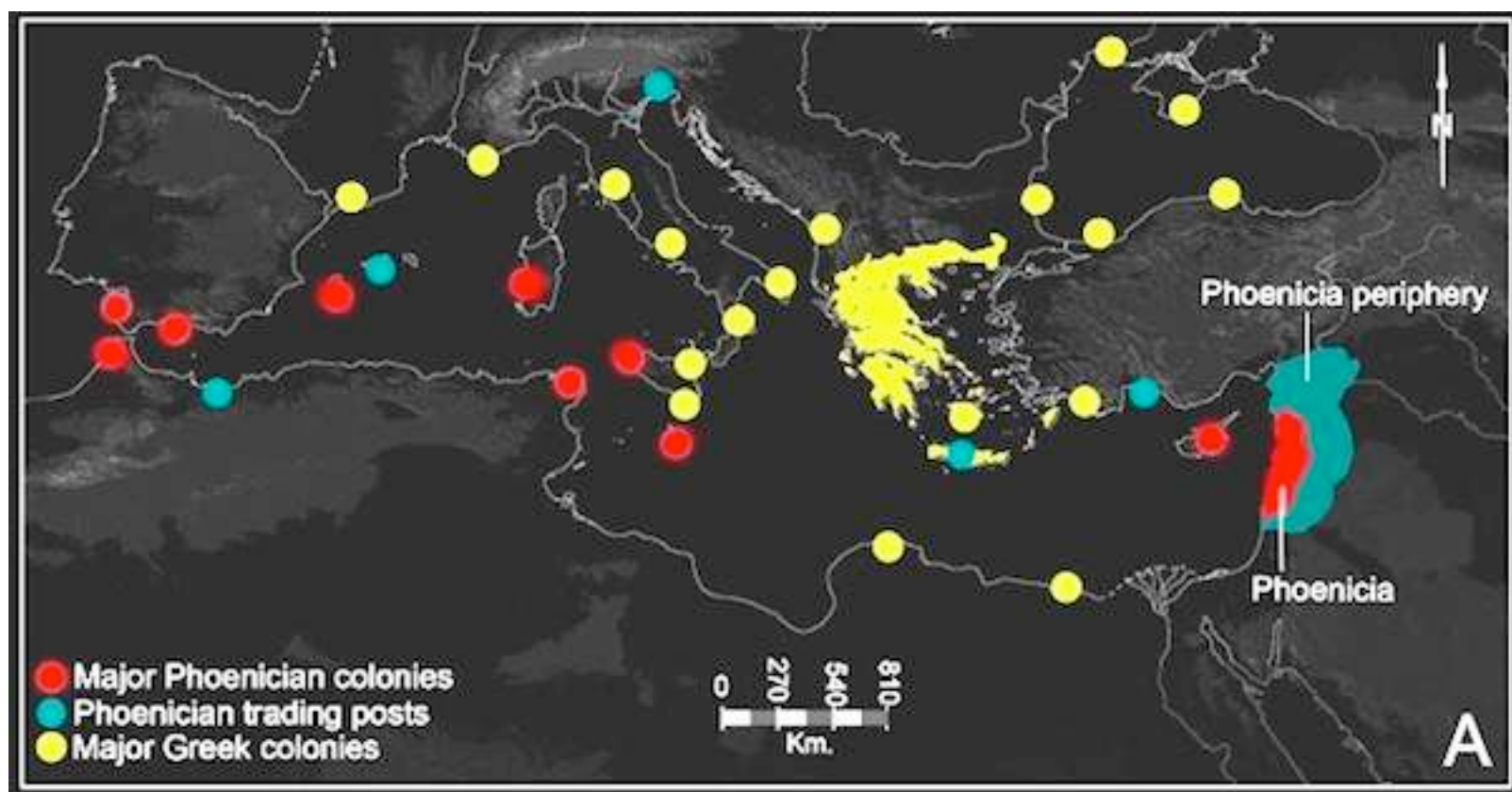
Tyrian purple



Cedar - Lebanon









National Museum of Carthage
Byrsa Hill – site of Phoenician acropolis
Tunis
1994

Carthage
Established 813 BCE by Queen
Elissa from Tyre (Lebanon)
Destroyed by the Romans during
3rd Punic war, (149-146 BCE)



Two carved sandstone sarcophagi





Amphorae



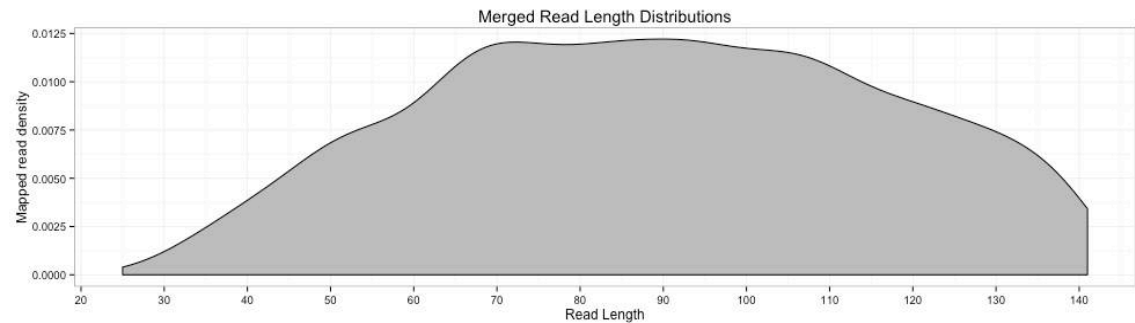
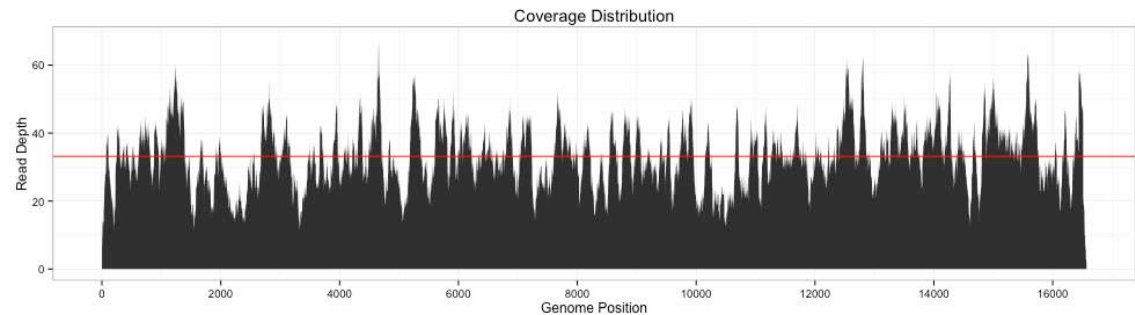
Punic lamp

Ariche
1.7 m tall
Aged 19-24

6th c BCE



A European mitochondrial haplotype identified in ancient Phoenician remains from Carthage, North Africa mtDNA haplotype U5b2c1



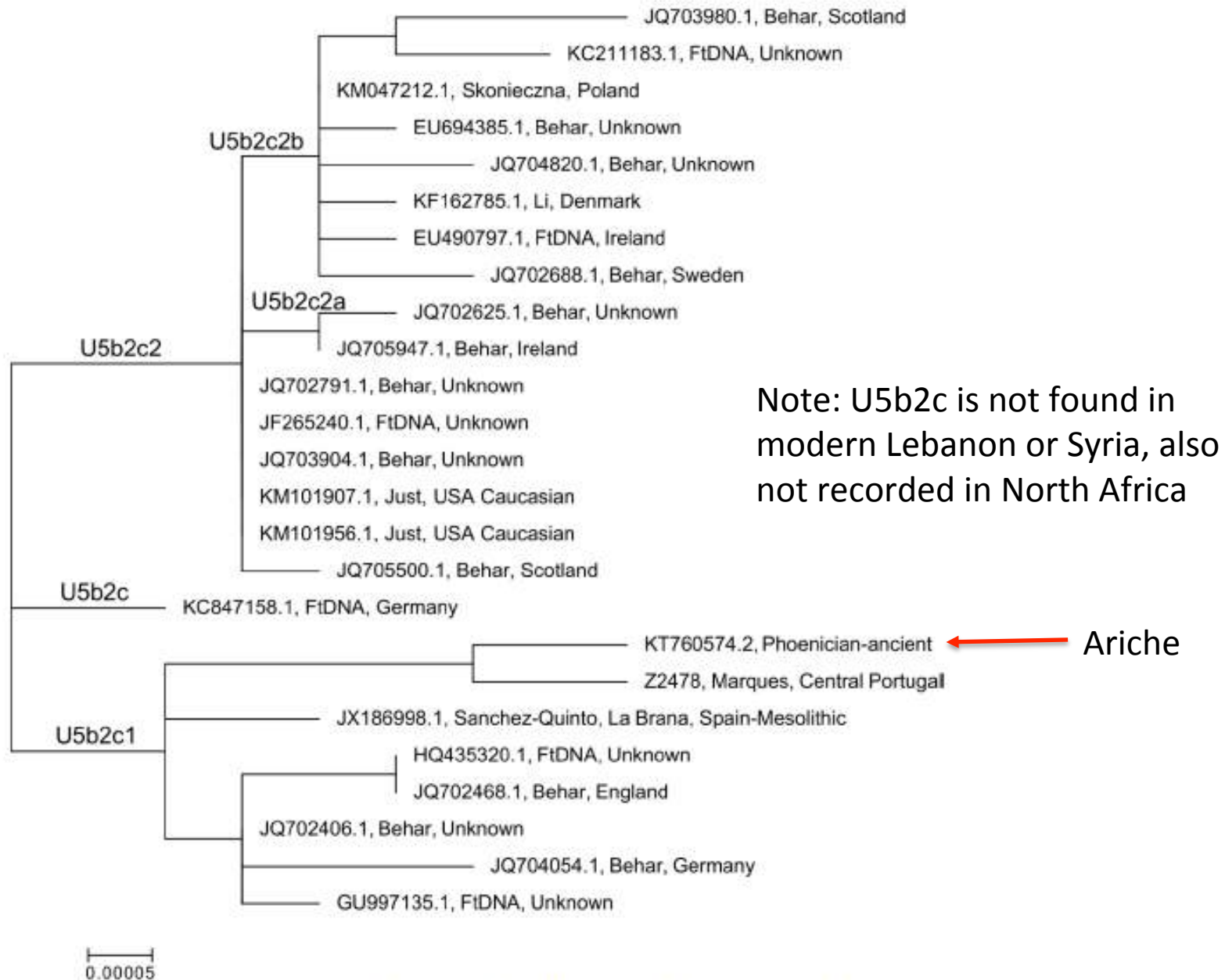
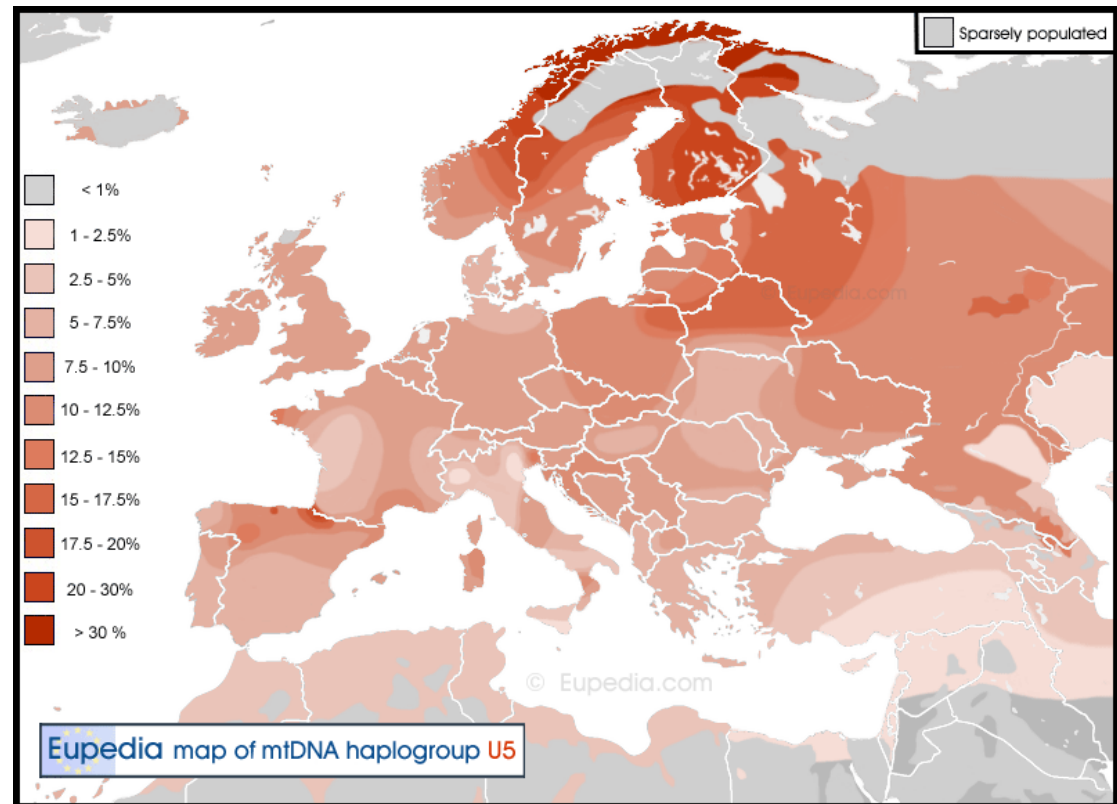
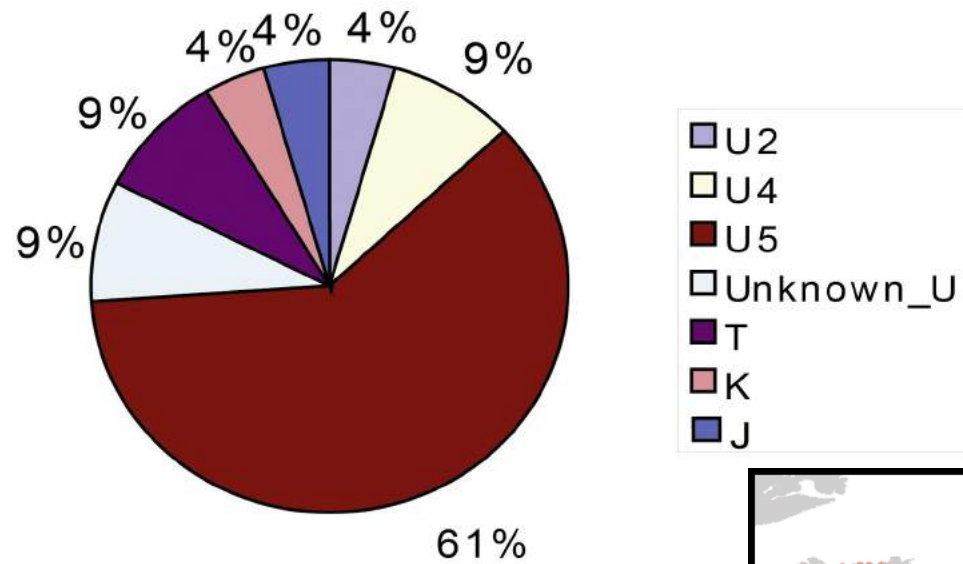
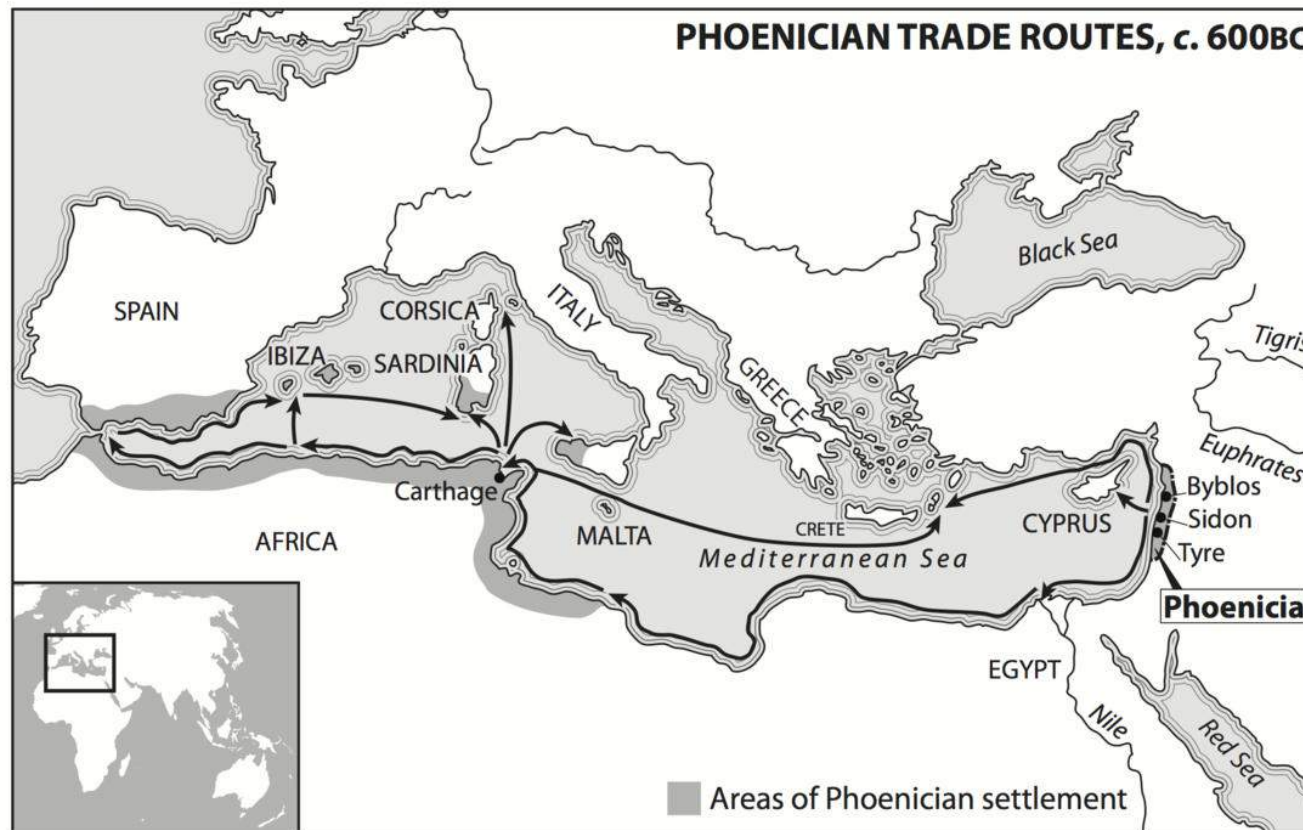


Fig 5. A maximum likelihood (ML) tree for the ancient Phoenician (KT760574) and other publicly available U5b2c sequences. All samples other than our Phoenician and the La Brana sample are from modern populations. Each node is annotated with the GenBank accession number or sample identification (e.g. Z2478 from [33]), source or author if published, and the origin of the sample if recorded [33, 38–42].

Pre-Neolithic period (N=23)





RESEARCH ARTICLE

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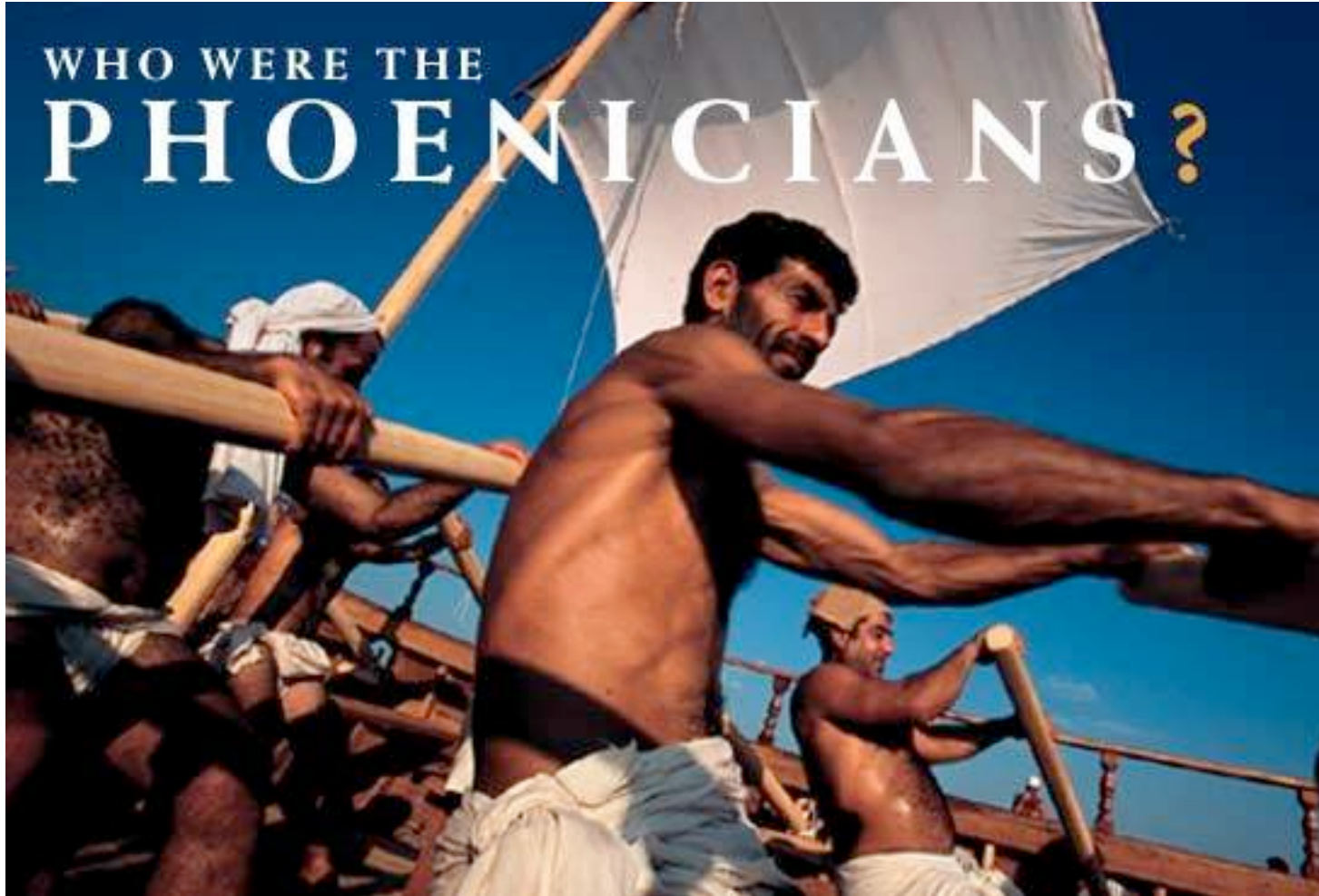
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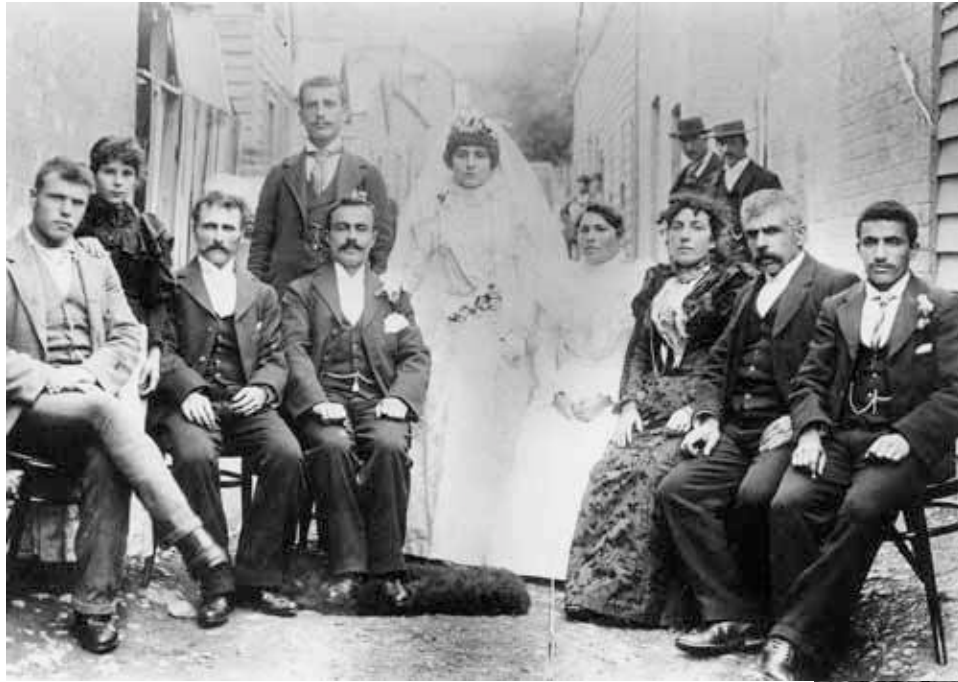
Most recent results:
Phoenician & Punic aDNA samples from
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n=22

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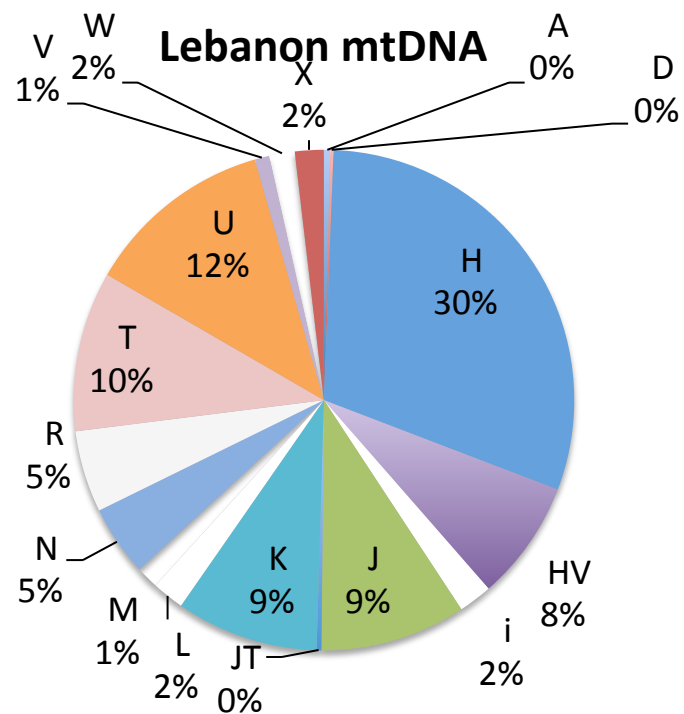
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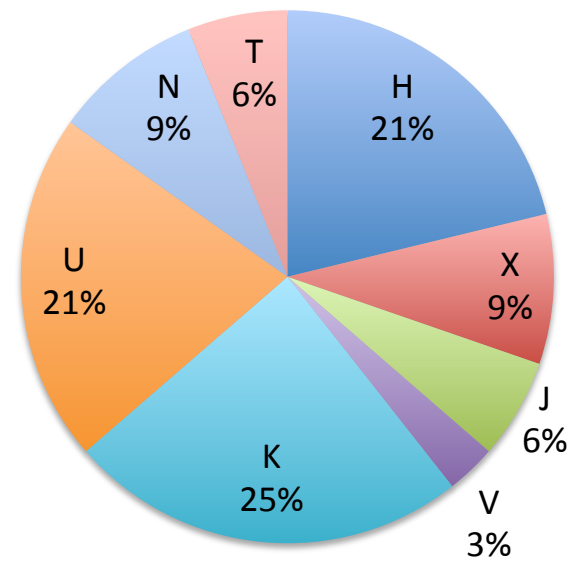
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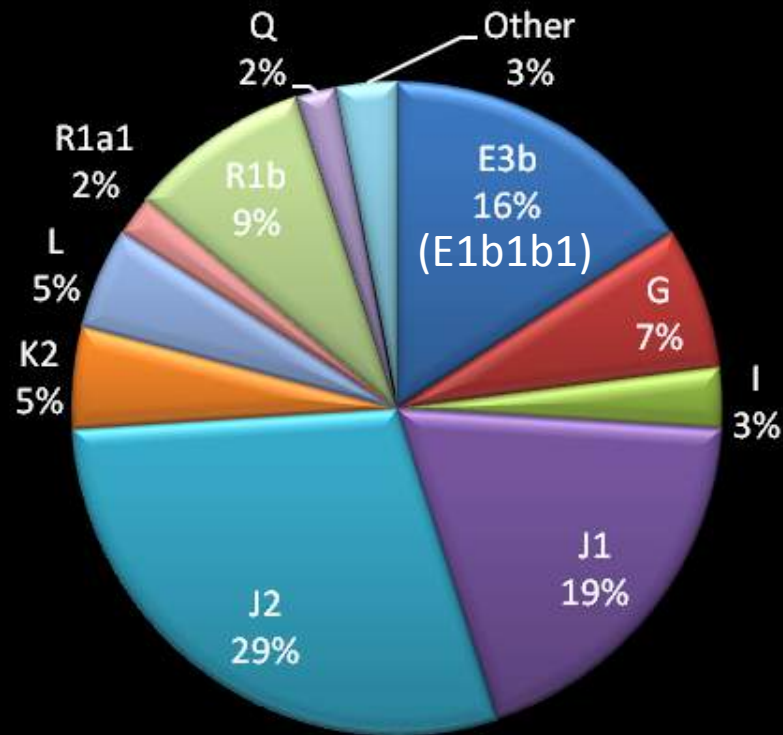
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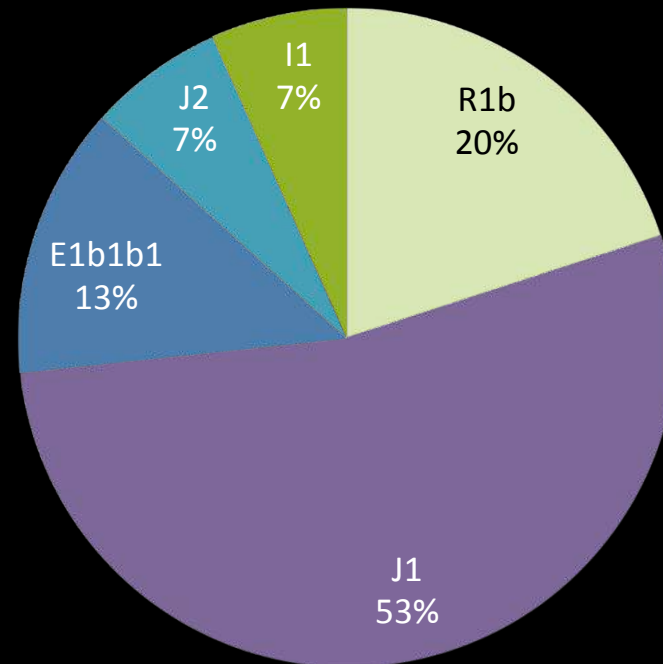
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