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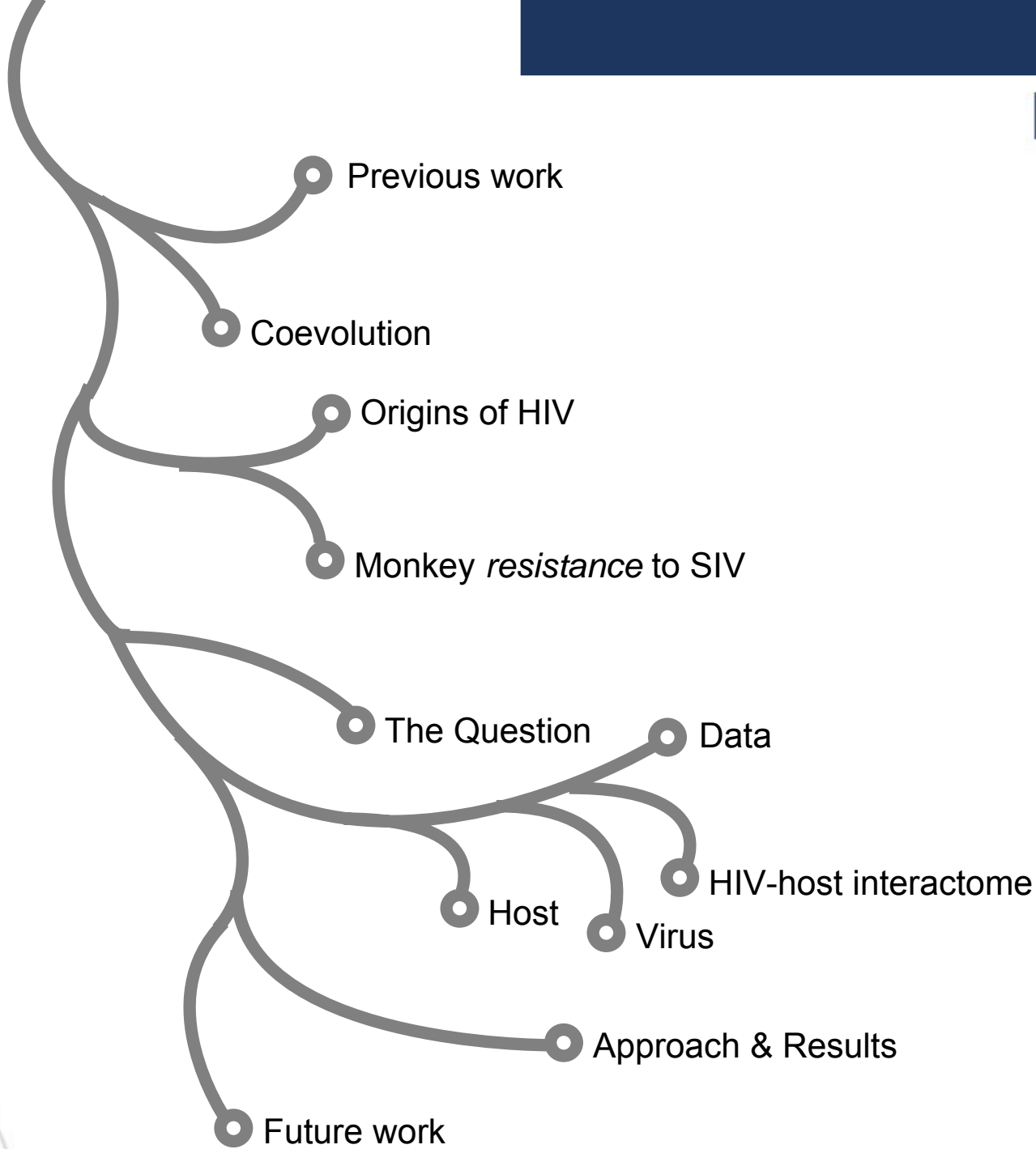
**HIV-host coevolution**

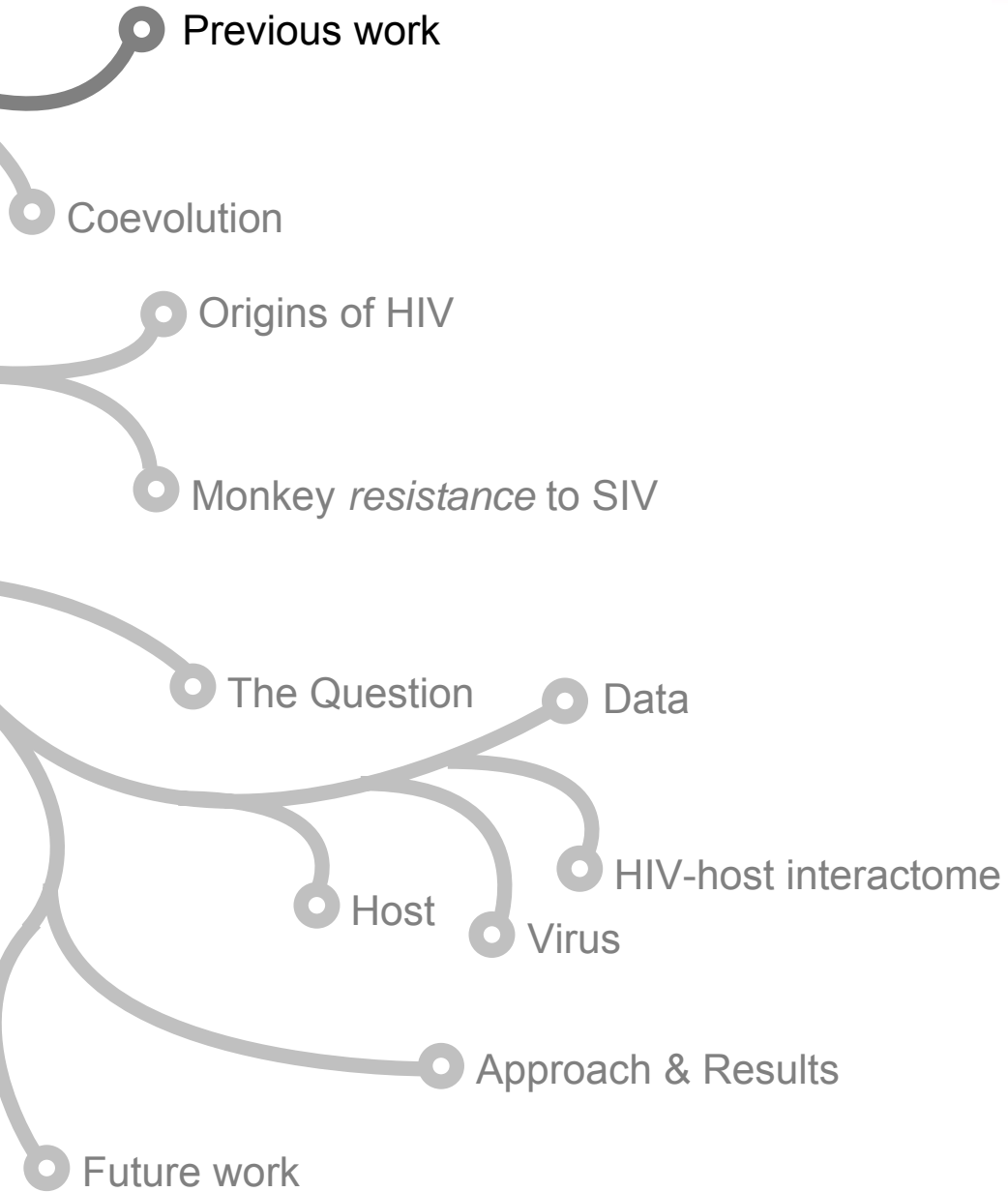
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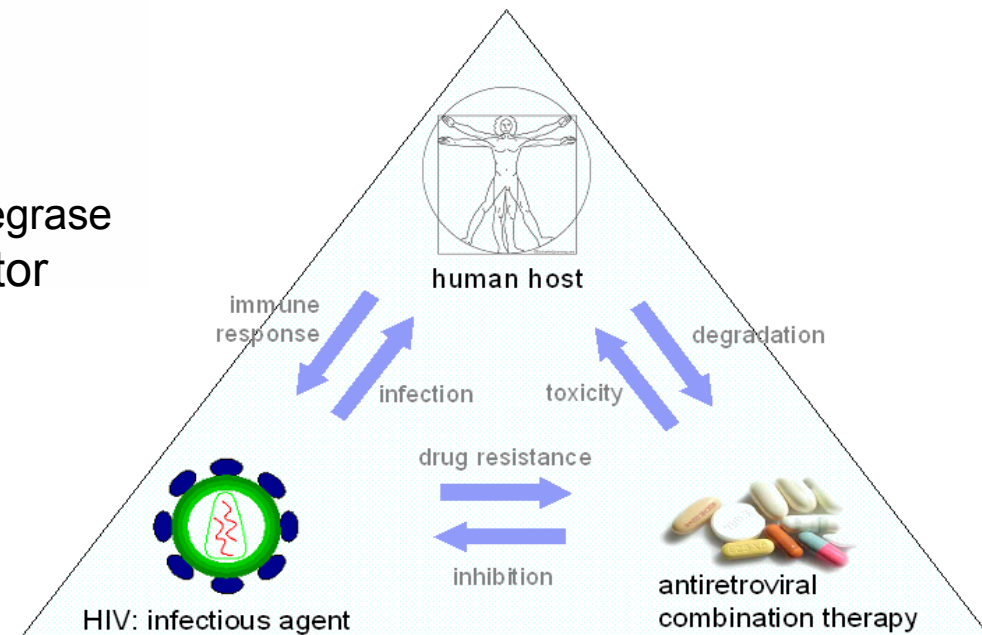
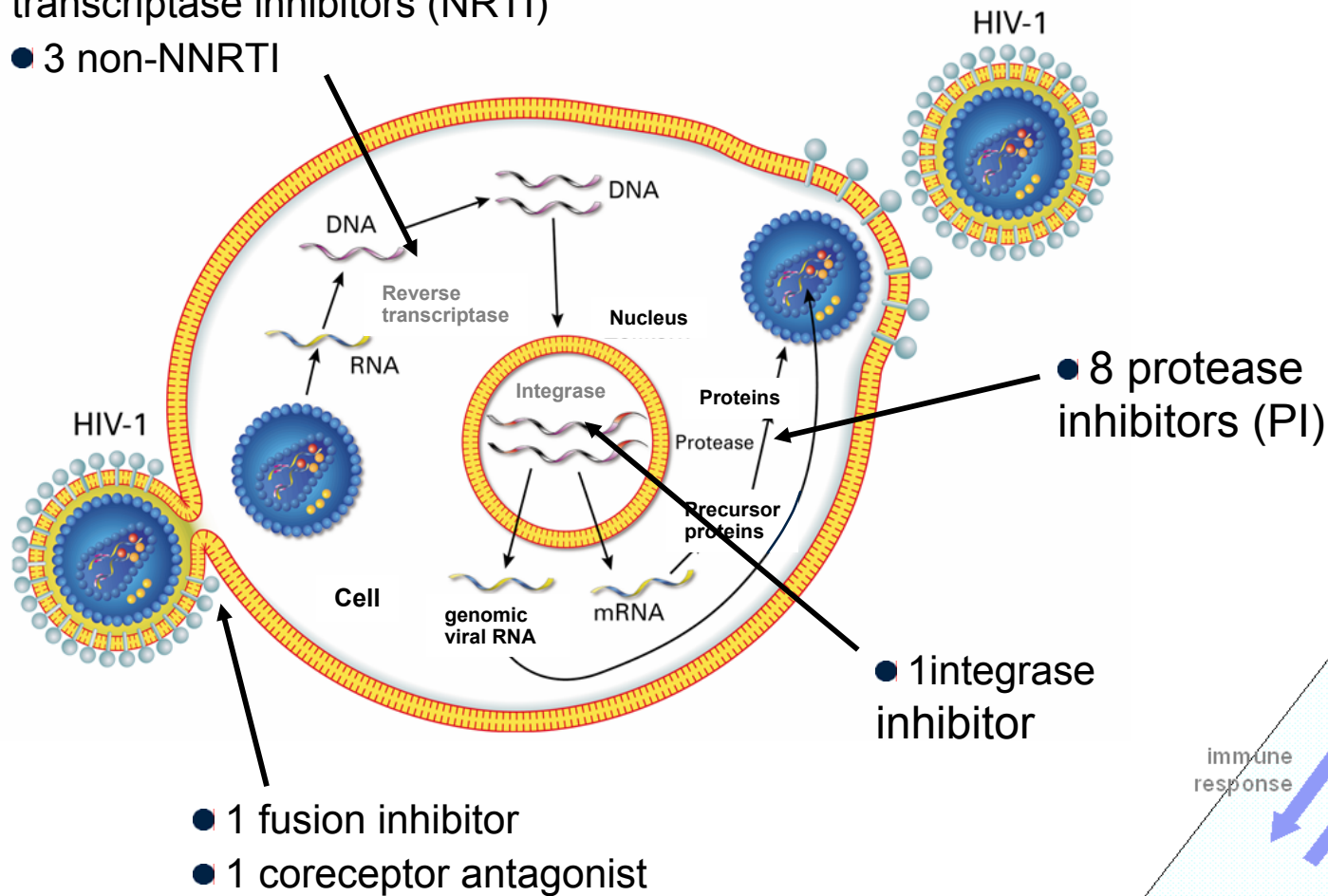
*KITP, 25.11.2008*



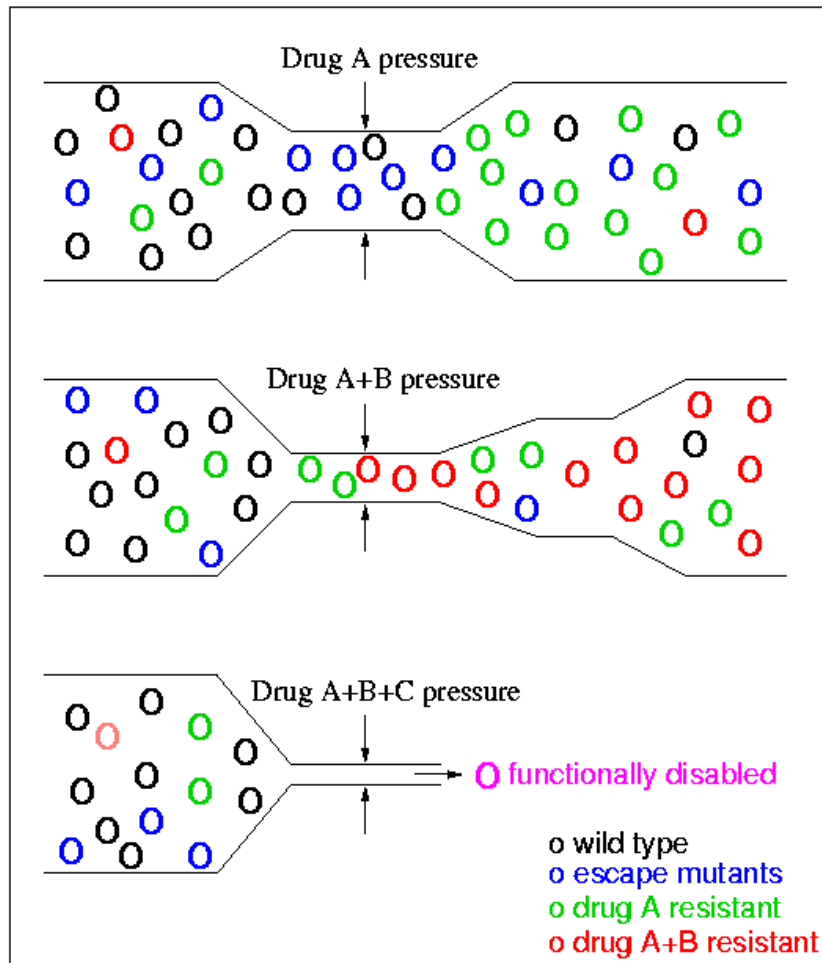


## HIV drug therapy

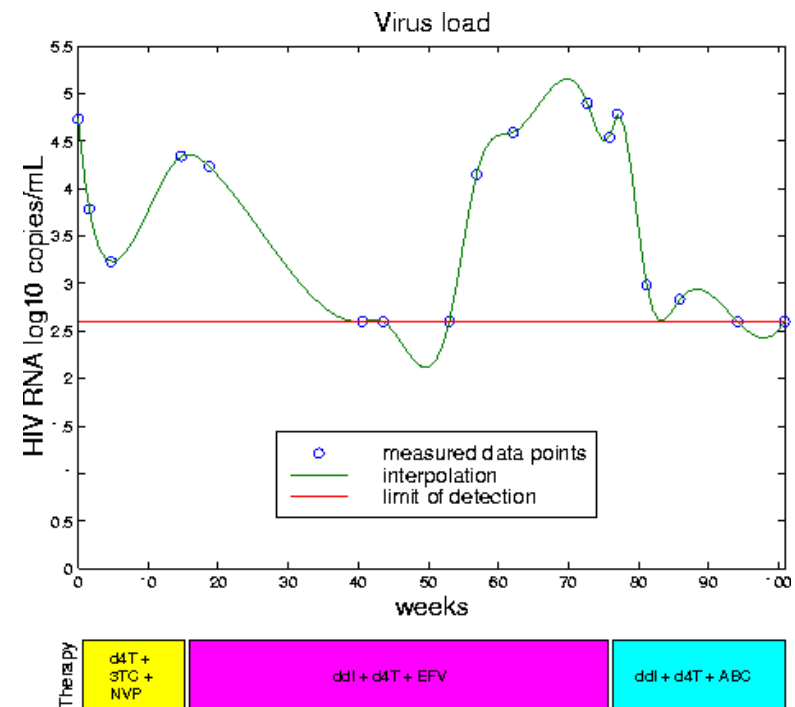
- 8 nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitors (NRTI)
- 3 non-NNRTI



## Highly active antiretroviral therapy (HAART)



●  $\geq 3$  drugs,  $\geq 2$  classes



- resistance tables of International AIDS Society
- based on clinical experience
- biased, cannot express mutation interdependence

### Nucleoside and Nucleotide Analogue Reverse Transcriptase Inhibitors (nRTIs)<sup>1</sup>

M	A	▼ K	L	T	K
41	62	69 70	210 215	219	
L	V	Insert R	W	Y	Q

Multi-nRTI Resistance: 151 Complex<sup>3</sup> (affects all nRTIs currently approved by the US FDA except tenofovir)

RTIs currently approved

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W	Y	Q
	F	E

Maraviroc <sup>25</sup>	See User Note
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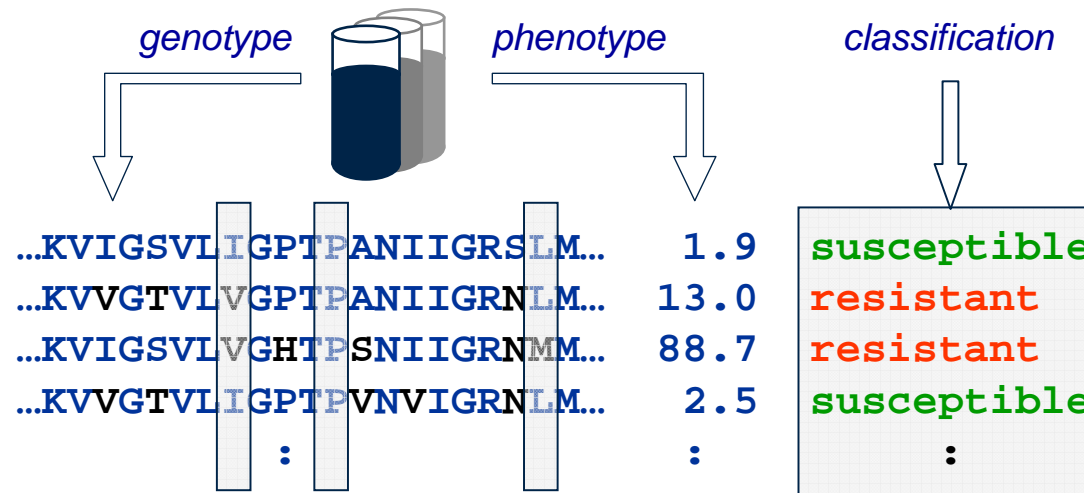
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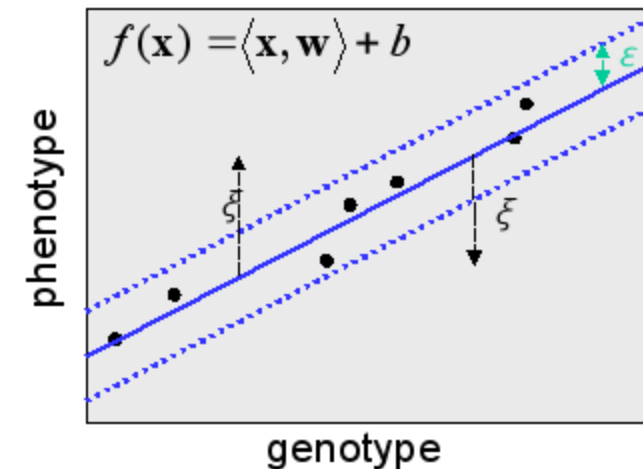
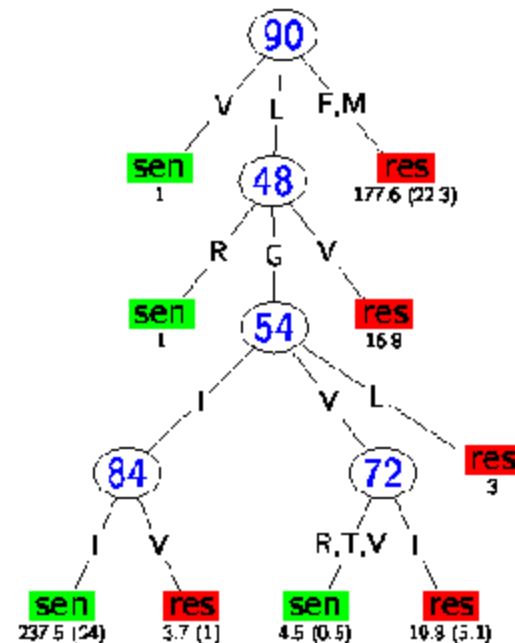
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Etravirine <sup>13</sup>			V	A	L	K	V		V	Y	G	
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Nevirapine			L	K	V	V			Y	Y	G	
			100	103	106	108			181	188	190	
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					M				I	C		

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- based on phenotypic data of about 1000 viral variants



- uses different measures of information content
  - mutual information
  - distance from the decision boundary of Support Vector Machine (SVM) (Beerenwinkel, 2002)



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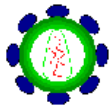
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HXB2, a list of mutations and

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**NEW** Features:

1. Identifier (optional):

2. Cutoffs:

3. Pol-gene (PR and RT)  
nucleotide sequence:

4. Sequence ambiguities:

5. Output:

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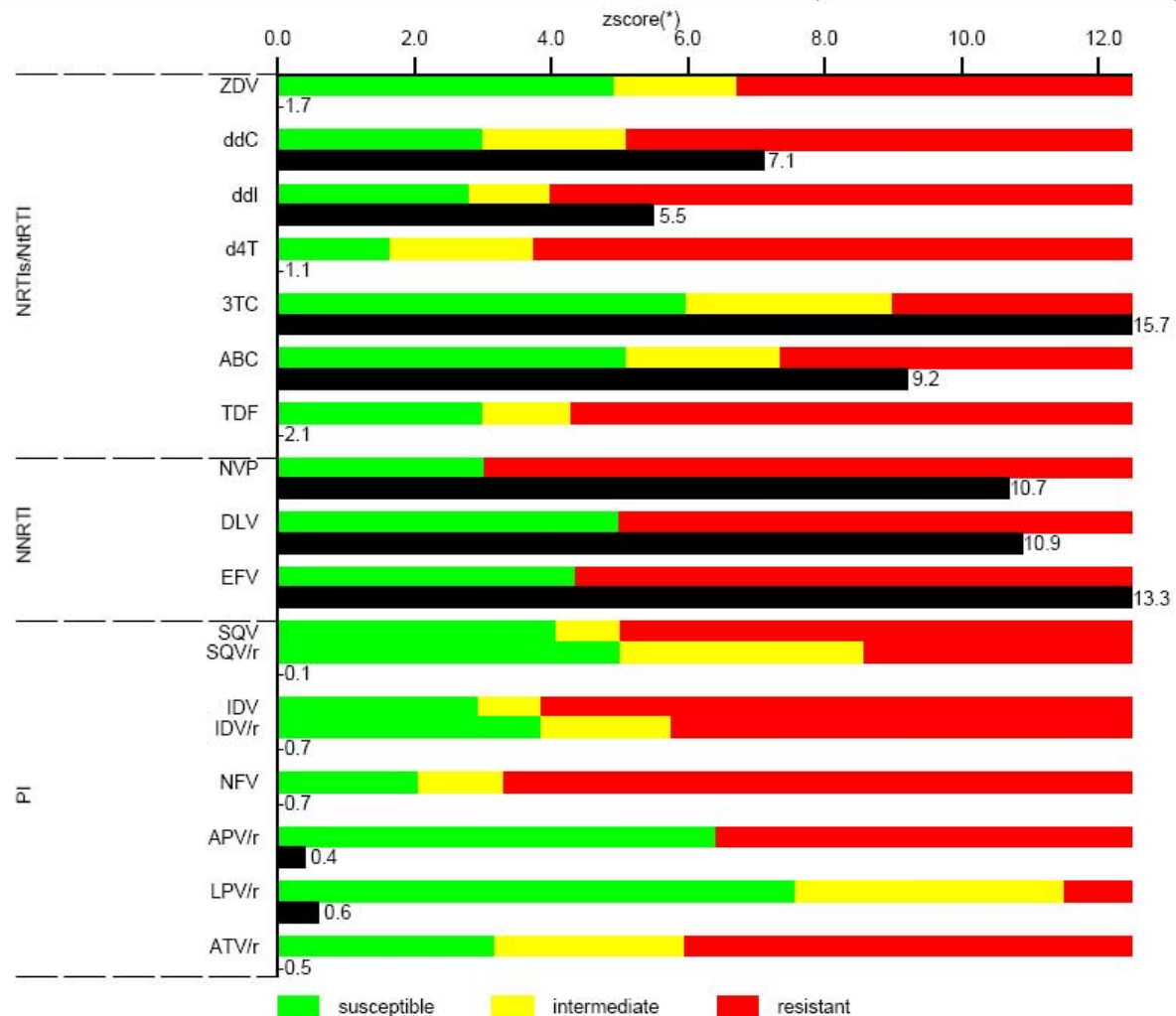
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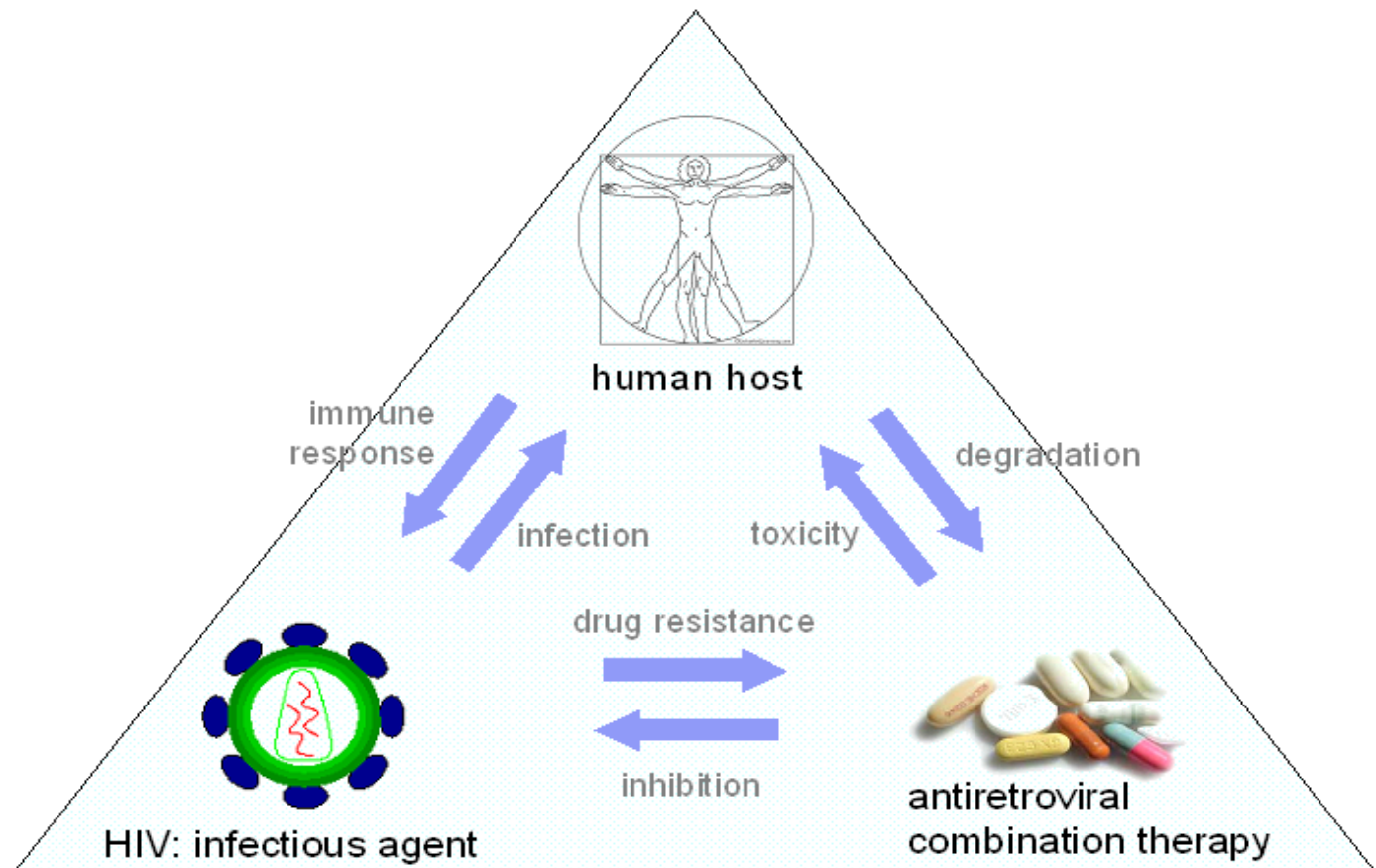
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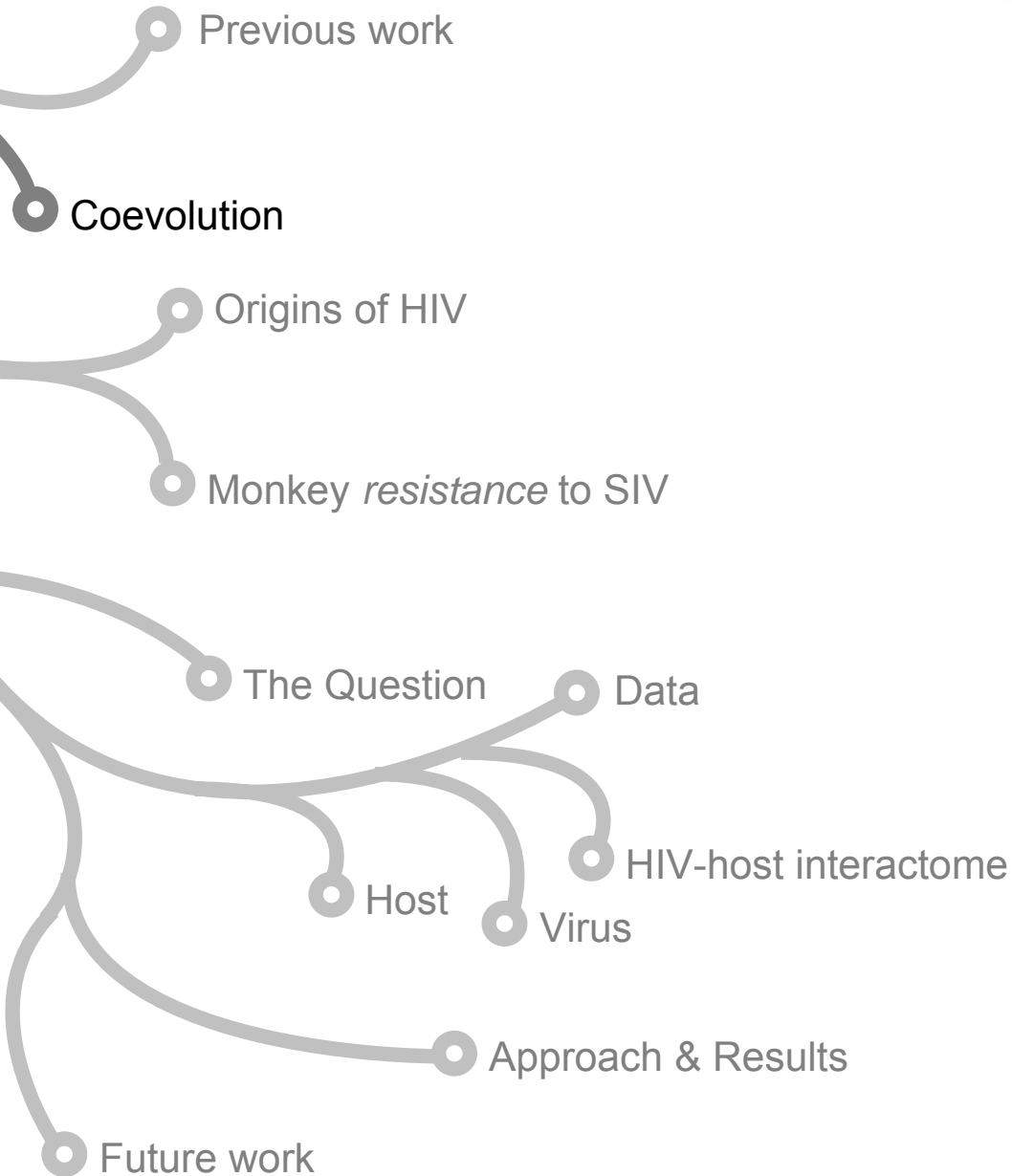


(\*)number of standard deviations above mean of drug naive patients. Negative z-scores may indicate hypersusceptibility.



- modeling viral evolution (Beerenwinkel, 2003)
- mutagenetic trees (Beerenwinkel, 2005)
- therapy optimization (Altmann, 2007)
- debiasing clinical databases (Altmann, 2007)
- prediction of coreceptor usage (Sander, 2007)





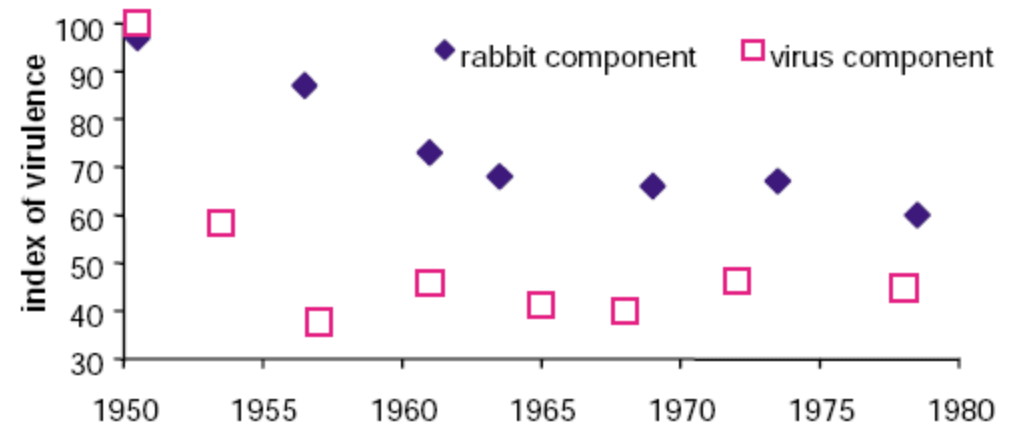
Coevolution is  
process of reciprocal adaptive genetic change in two or more species.

Coevolution requires

- genetic variation
- reciprocal effects on the fitness of the 2 populations
- dependence of the outcome interaction on the genotypes involved

Coevolution can be studied in terms of

- paired phenotypic traits (resistance – infectivity)
- interacting host and pathogen molecules
- genes, nucleotide sequences



*Woolhouse et al. 2002*

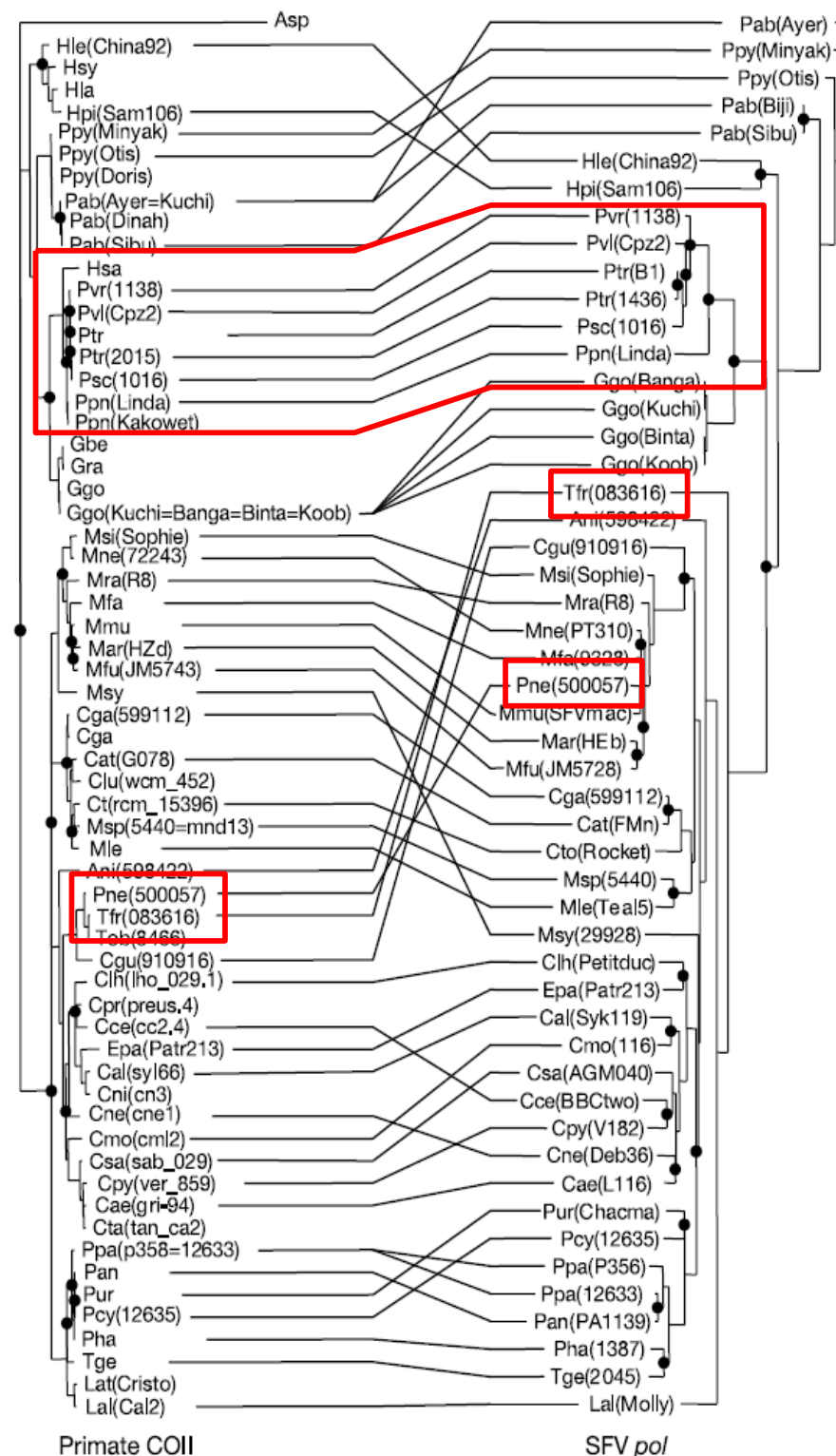


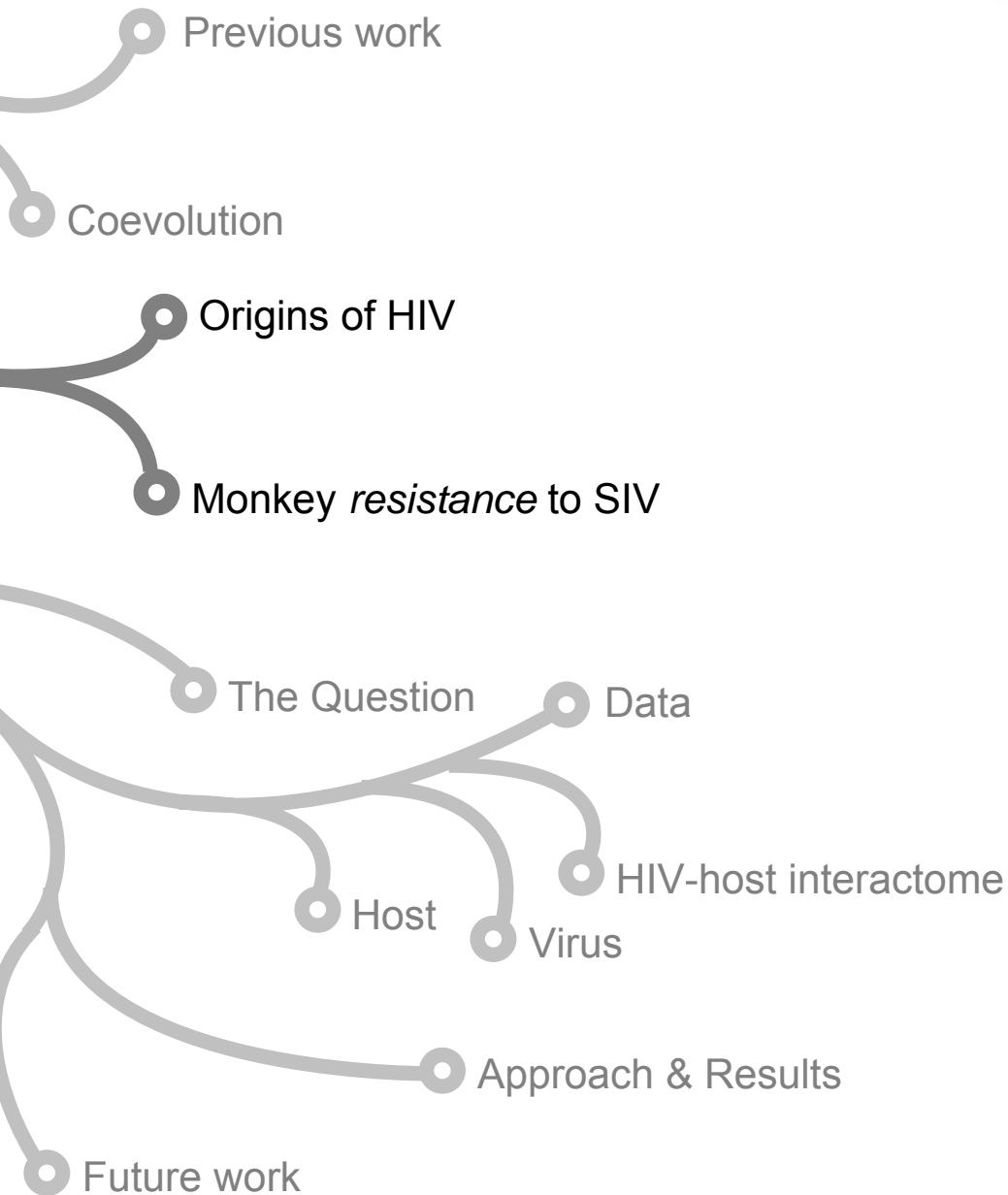
## Simian foamy viruses (SFV)

ubiquitous, non-pathogenic retroviruses that infect all primates.

Phylogenetical comparison of *SFV polymerase* and *mitochondrial cytochrome oxidase subunit II* from African and Asian monkeys and apes.

- congruent trees
- extremely low rate of SFV evolution:  $10^{-8}$  substitutions per site per year ( $10^{-3}$  for HIV)
- cospeciation during 30 million years





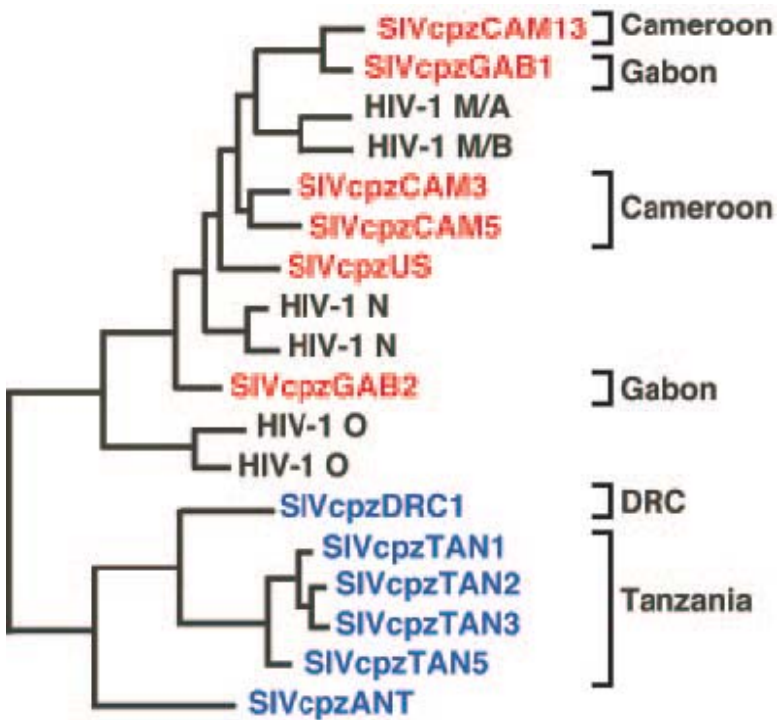
### **Simian Immunodeficiency Viruses (SIVs)**

primate lentiviruses infecting more than 36 different nonhuman primate species in Africa.

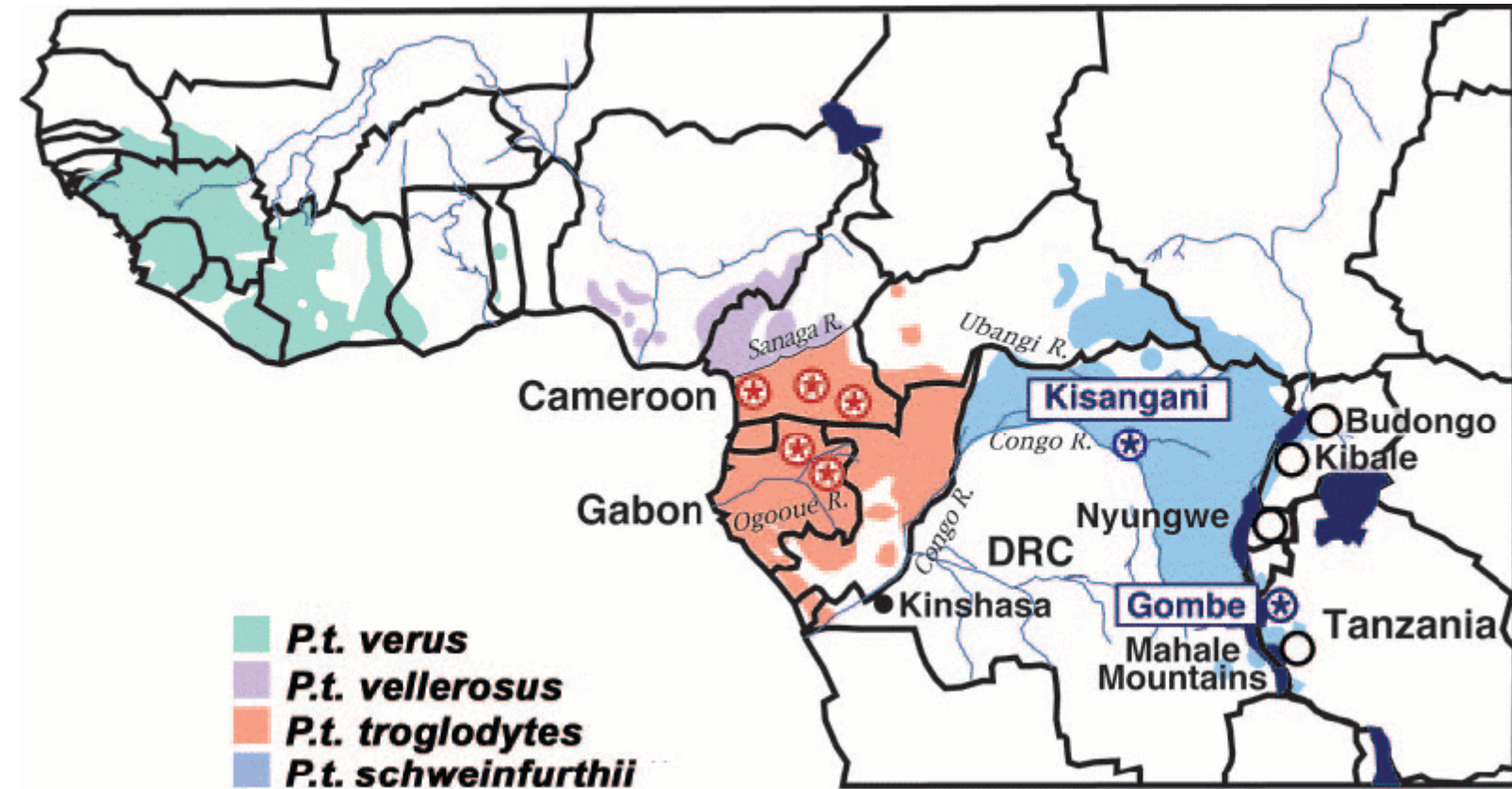
Cross-species transmission of *chimpanzee SIVcpz* and *sooty mangabey SIVsmm* generated HIV type 1 and 2 in human population.

Multiple simian-human transmissions are estimated for the beginning of the 20<sup>th</sup> century.





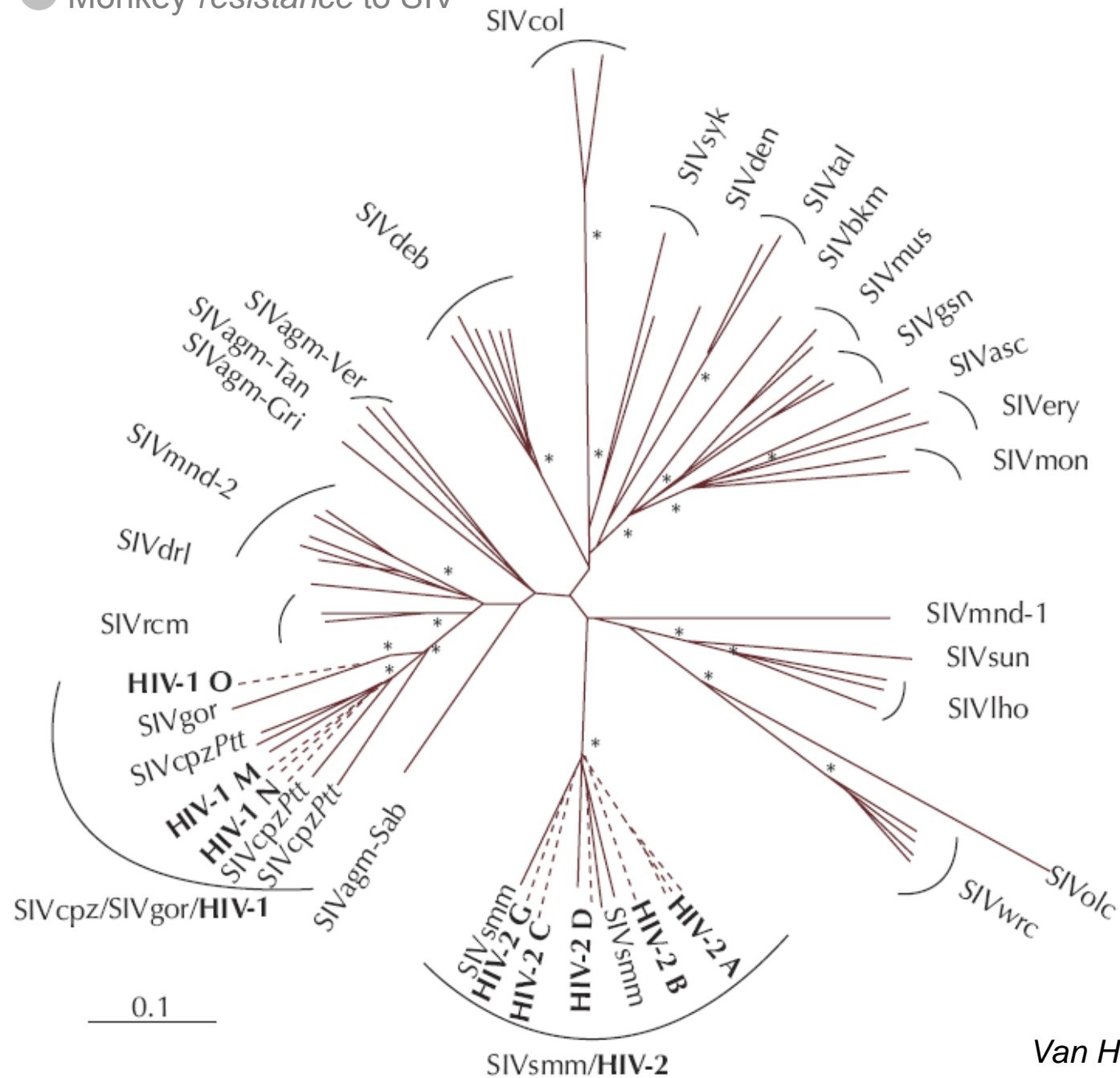
Sharp et al. 2005





# Origins of HIV

Monkey *resistance* to SIV





## SIV-host coevolution?

- geographical distribution of infections
  - closely related monkey species harbor closely related SIVs
- phylogenetical evidence for cross-species simian-simian transmission events
  - all naturally infected monkey species do not develop AIDS

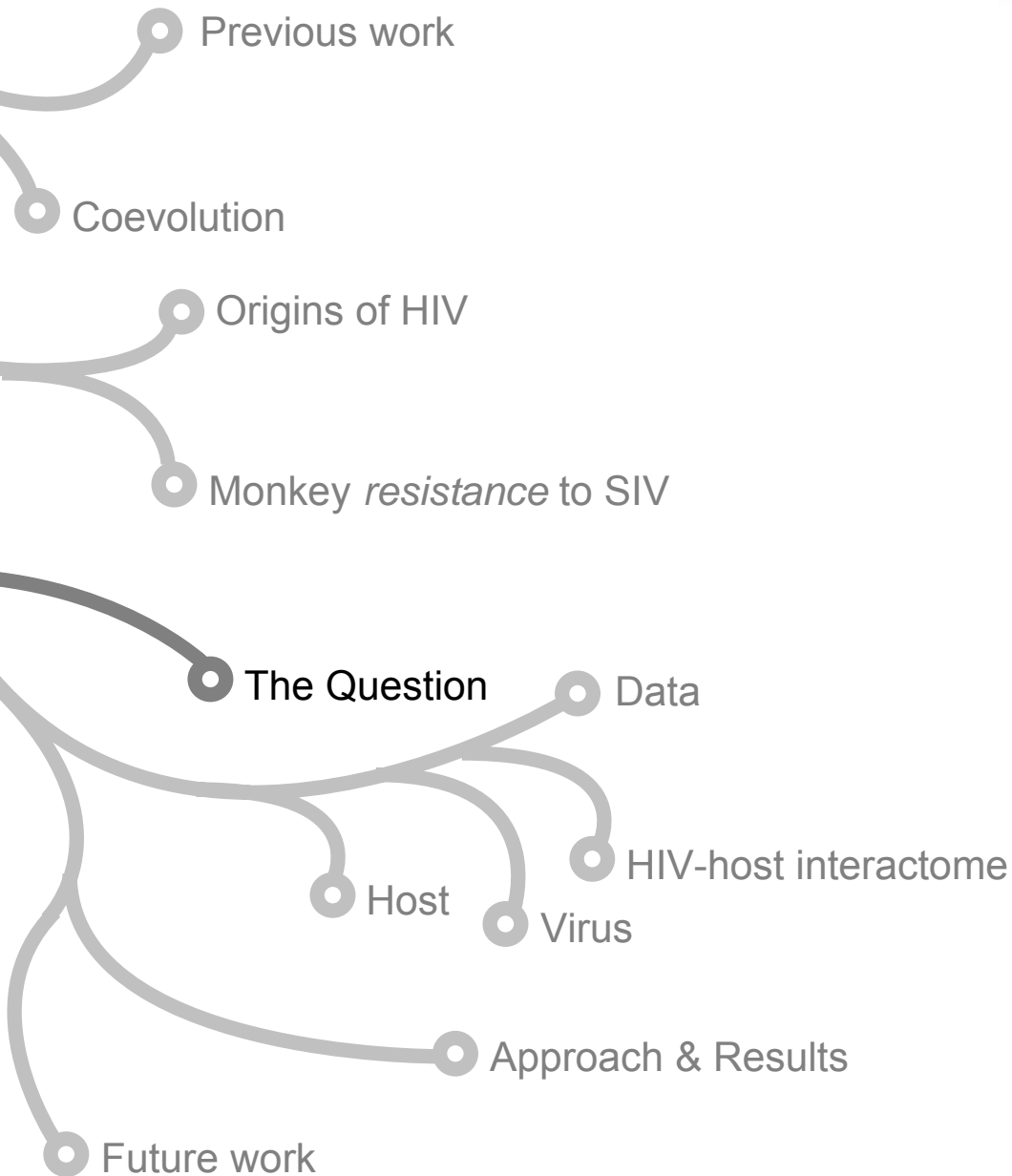


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Differences in immune response:

- progressive loss of CD4+ T lymphocytes, chronic immune activation, gradual destruction of immune function in humans
- SIVs do not cause immunodeficiency in their natural hosts
- not associated with CD4 cell decline or function loss, no degenerative changes in lymph node architecture
- SIV establishes a persistent infection and high replication rate
- Long Term Non-Progressors – low replication;  
monkeys – high viremia but no immune activation





## SIV/HIV – host coevolution

compare virus-host interacting proteins in SIV-primate and HIV-human infection in the search for:

- immune system footprints on the viral genome, adaptive changes that followed the interspecies transmission
- host interacting factors evolution
- potential reasons of HIV pathogenicity in humans

basing on:

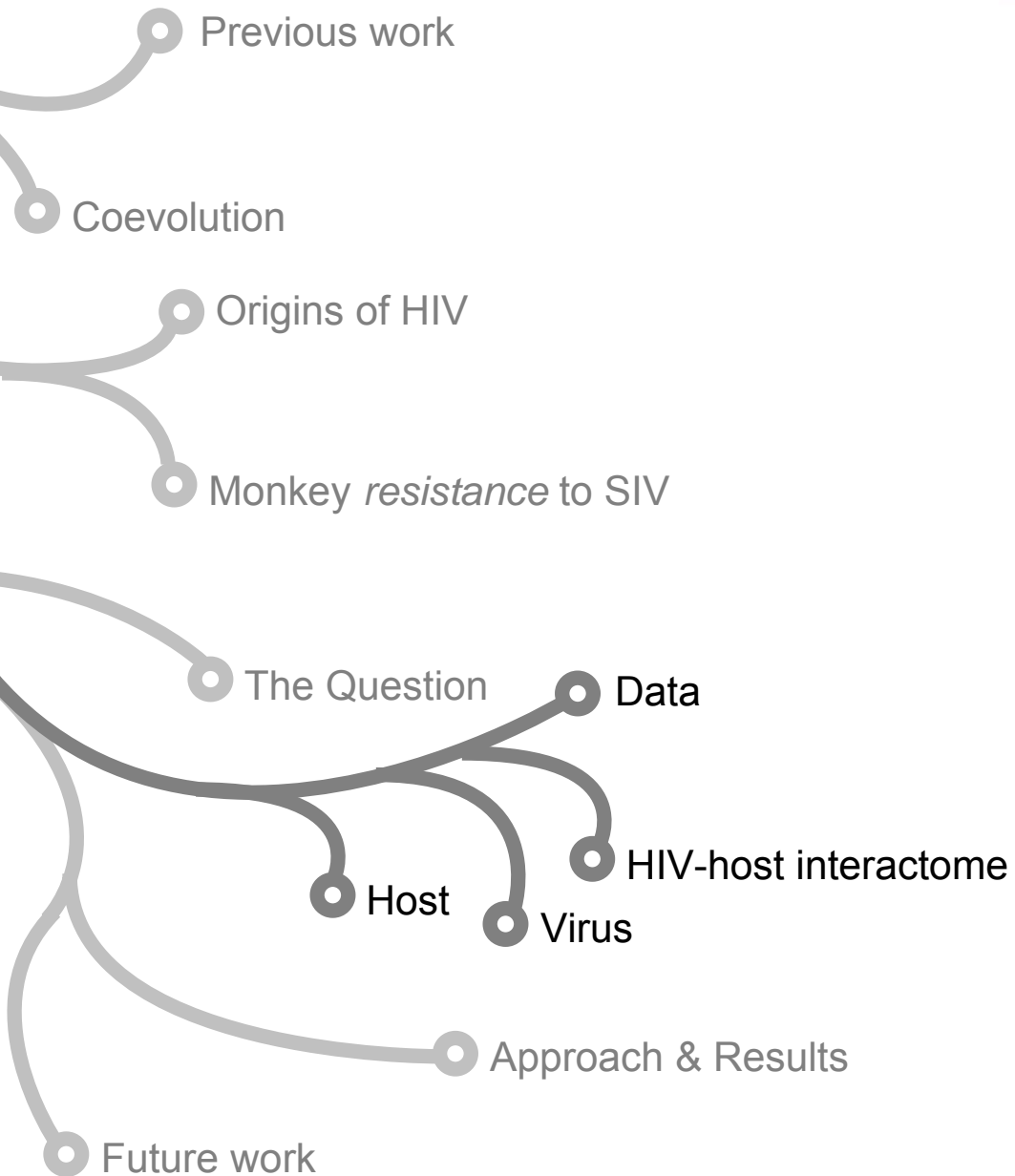
- big similarity of the primate genomes (98% for chimp-human)

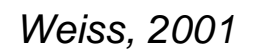
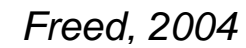
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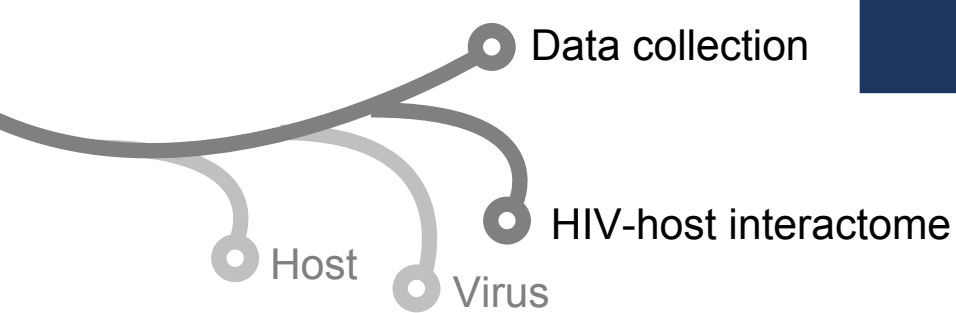
- molecular coadaptation
- evolution of genes implicated in host-pathogen interaction

using coevolution as a *null hypothesis*





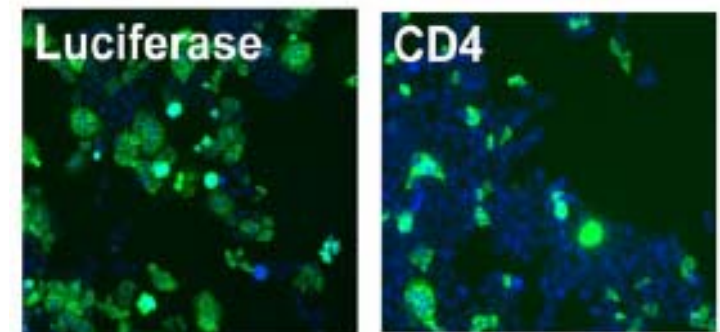




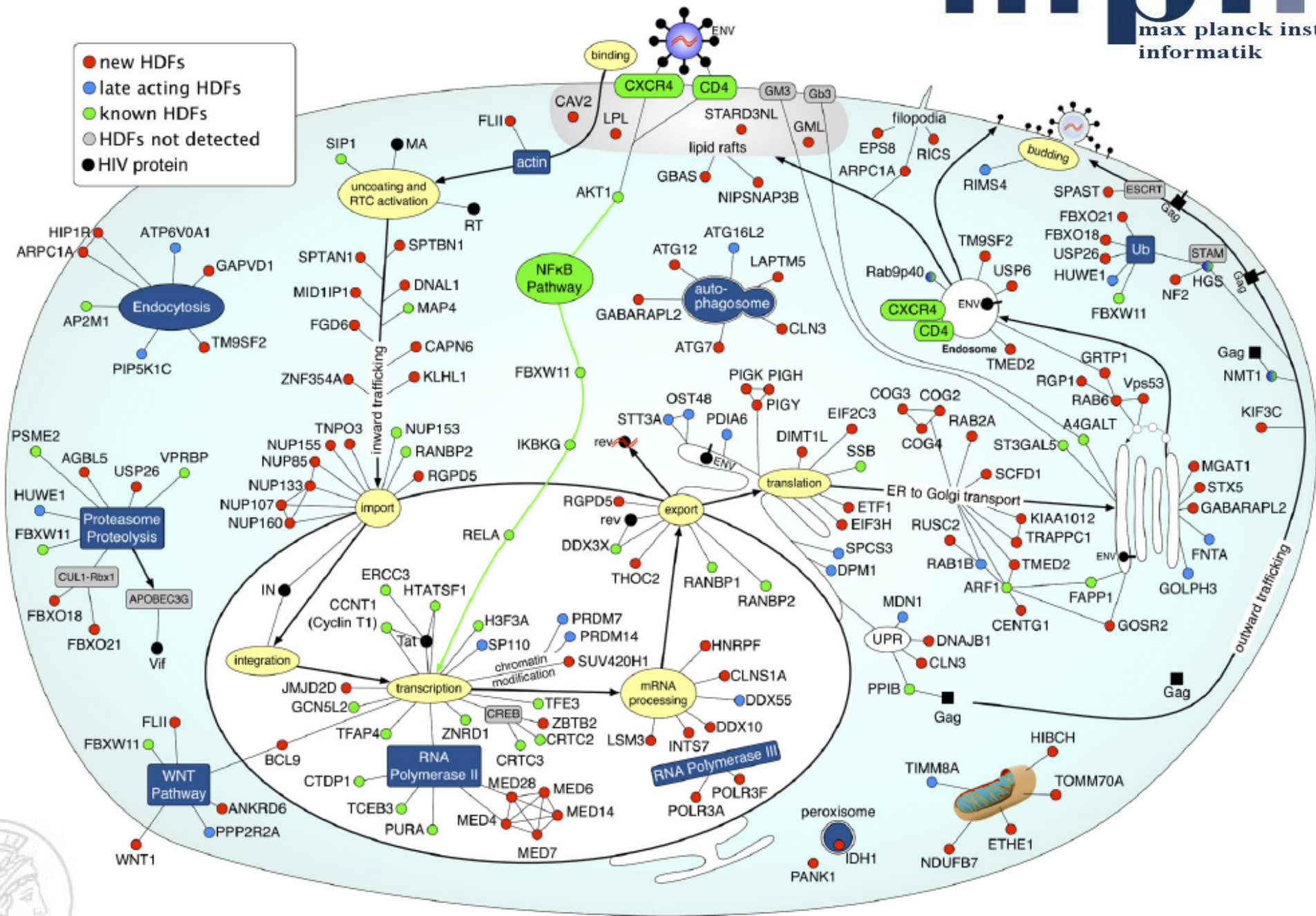
*“Identification of Host Proteins Required for HIV Infection Through a Functional Genomic Screening” Brass AL et al. Science 2008*

- large scale siRNA screen (over 21 000 siRNA pools)
- over 250 HIV-dependency factors (HDFs) identified (13% previously known)
- subcellular localization, biological process and function
- extensive exploitation of host cell functions by HIV
- potential therapeutic targets

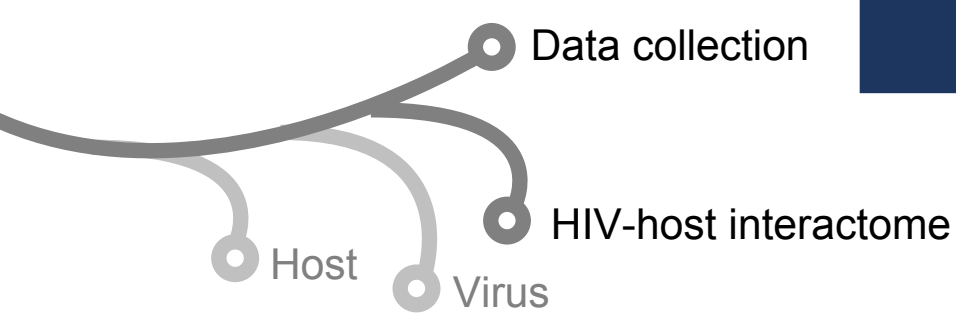
HIV interactome – dependencies between detected HDFs and HIV proteins established using NCBI HIV interaction database, protein-protein interaction and homology information.









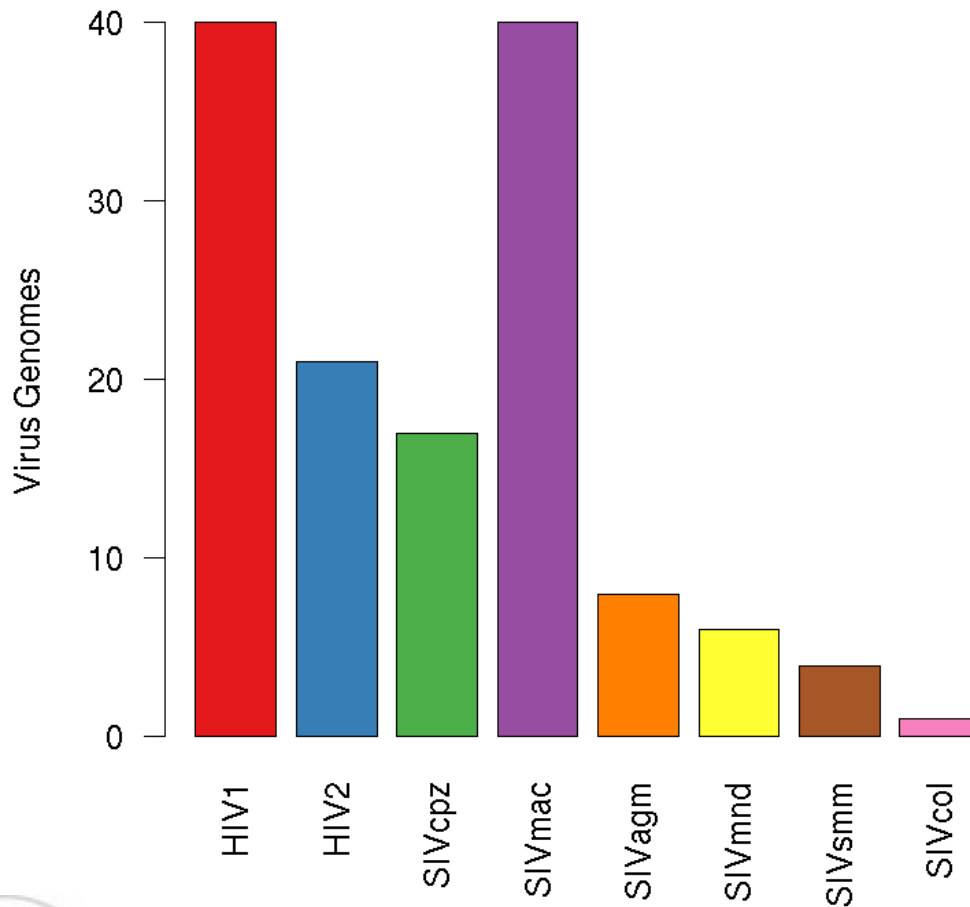
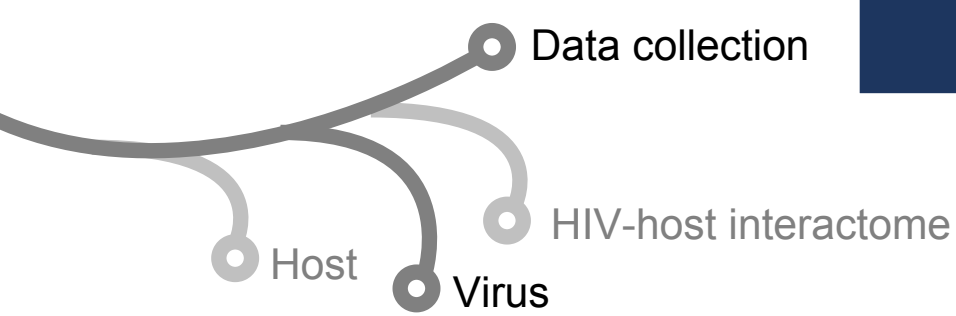


## *HIV-1, Human Protein Interaction Database*

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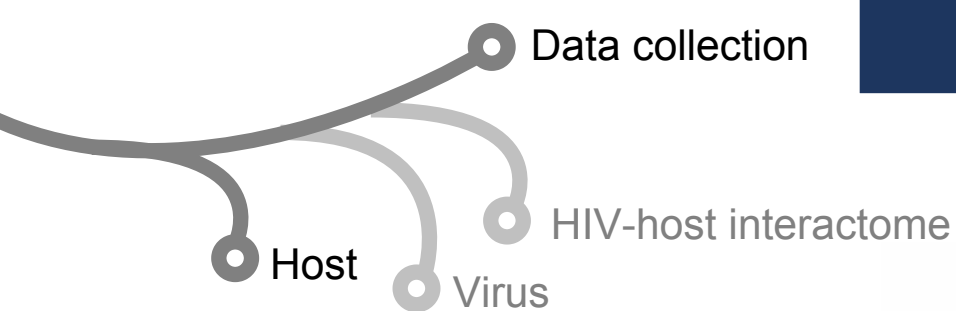
- comprehensive database of the described interactions between HIV-1 and cellular proteins
- interactions reported in the scientific literature
- concise but detailed summary of all known interactions containing RefSeq, NCBI accession numbers, description of the protein-protein interaction, pubmed reference





- 109 complete SIV genomes in GenBank
- 22 HIV-2 genomes
- 1232 HIV-1 genomes
- filter:
  - species of interest
  - therapy-naive HIV strains
  - time and geography representative sample

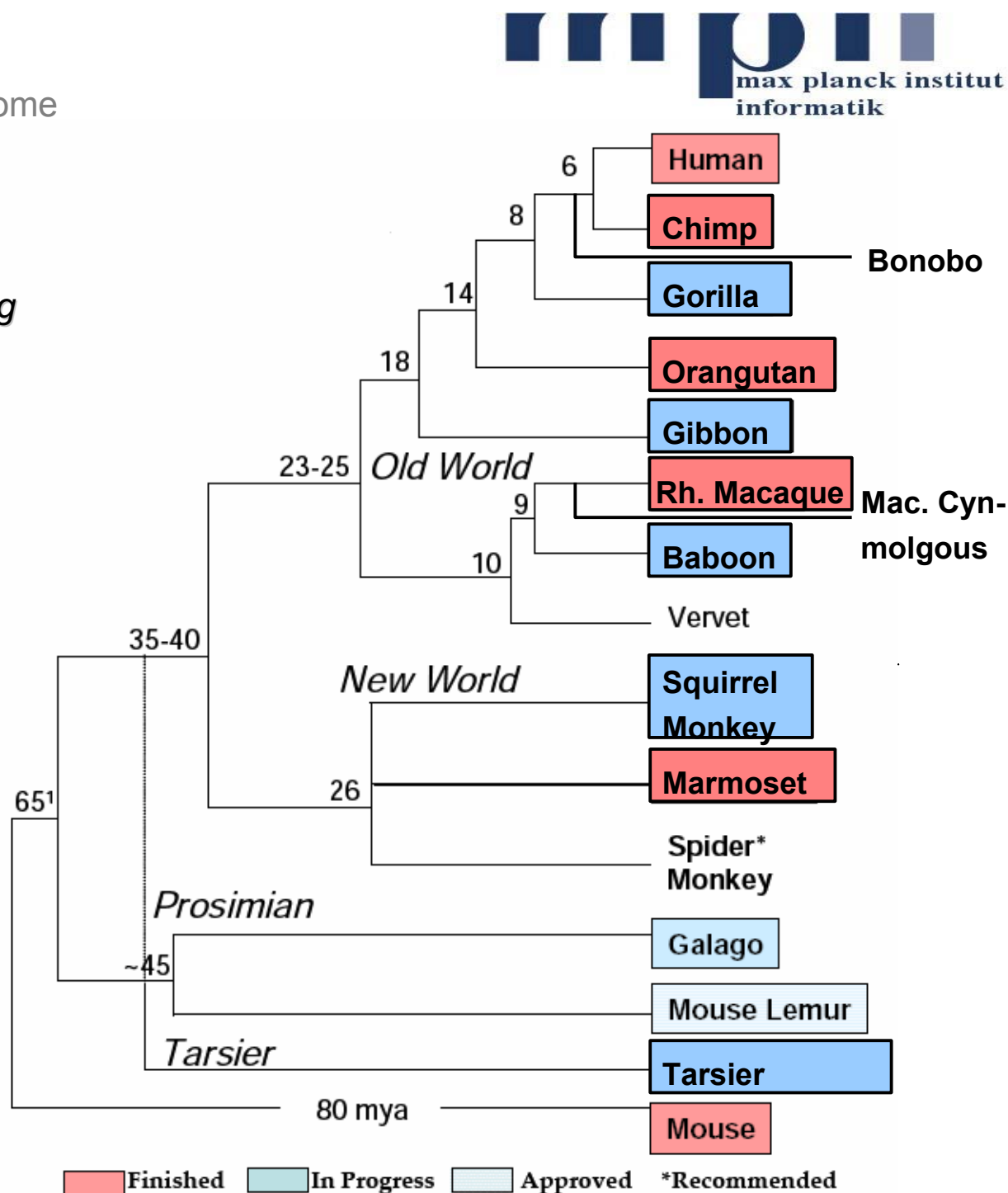


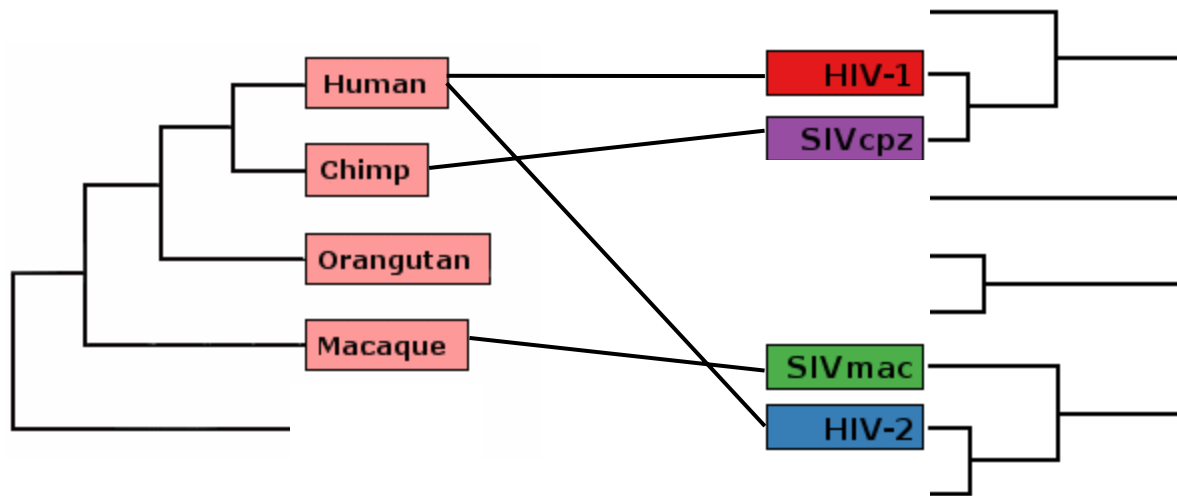


*Non-human primate genome sequencing project launched in 2006*

- chimp 2003
- macaque 2006
- marmoset 2007
- orangutan 2008

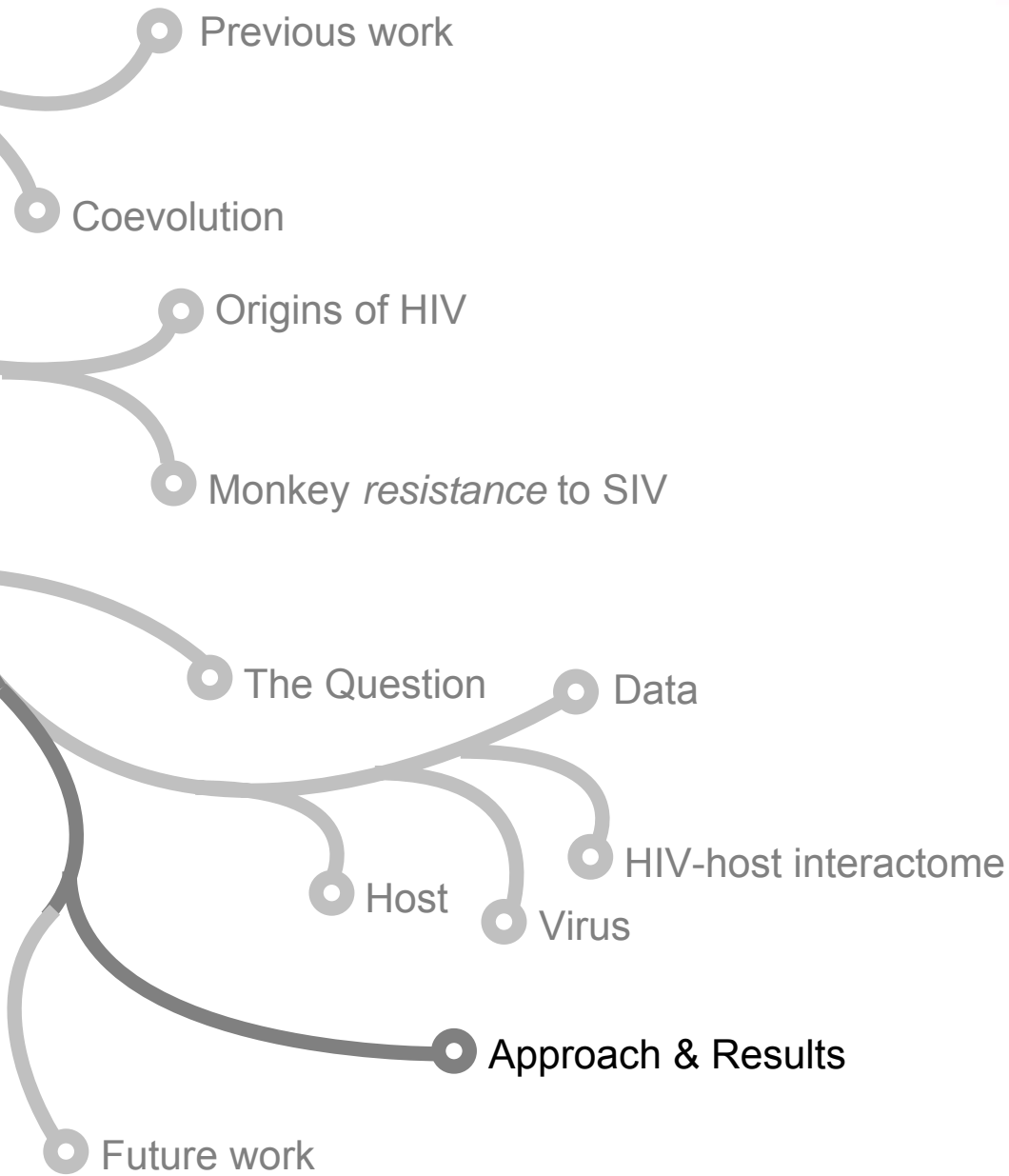
9 other primate sequencing projects mentioned by ISC





- 3 sequenced species known to be infected by the virus
- 1439 host genes (NIAID)
- corresponding virus sequences (118 genomes of 4 species)
- protein-protein interactions





Comparison of evolution of interacting host and viral proteins:

- conservation of primate genomes
- variability among and within viral genomes

*“The degree of genomic diversity that HIV generates in a single infected individual can be greater than the worldwide diversity of influenza A virus during an epidemic.” (Korber et al. 2001)*

- 2 different measures of divergence

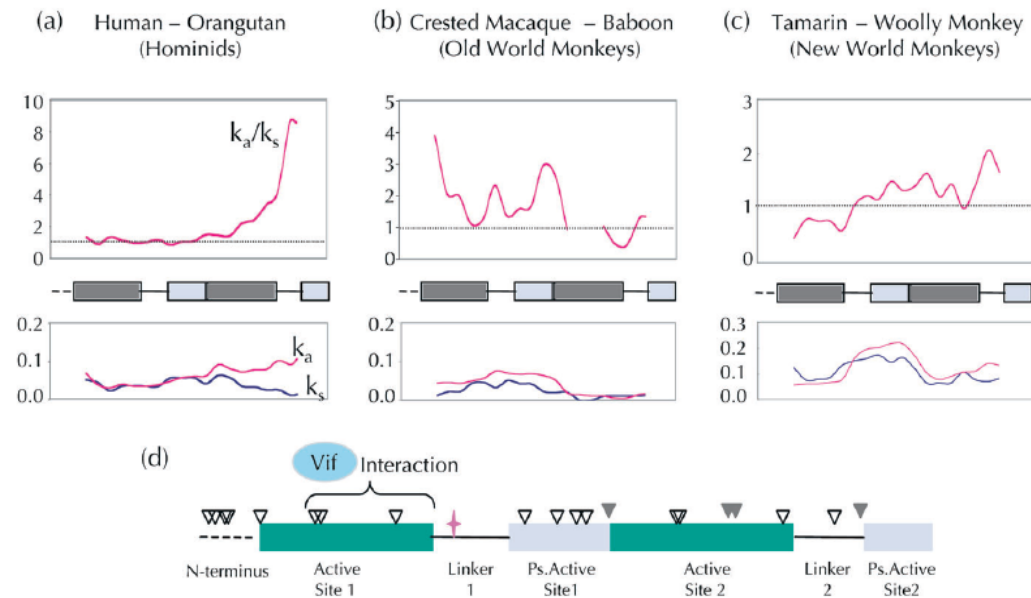
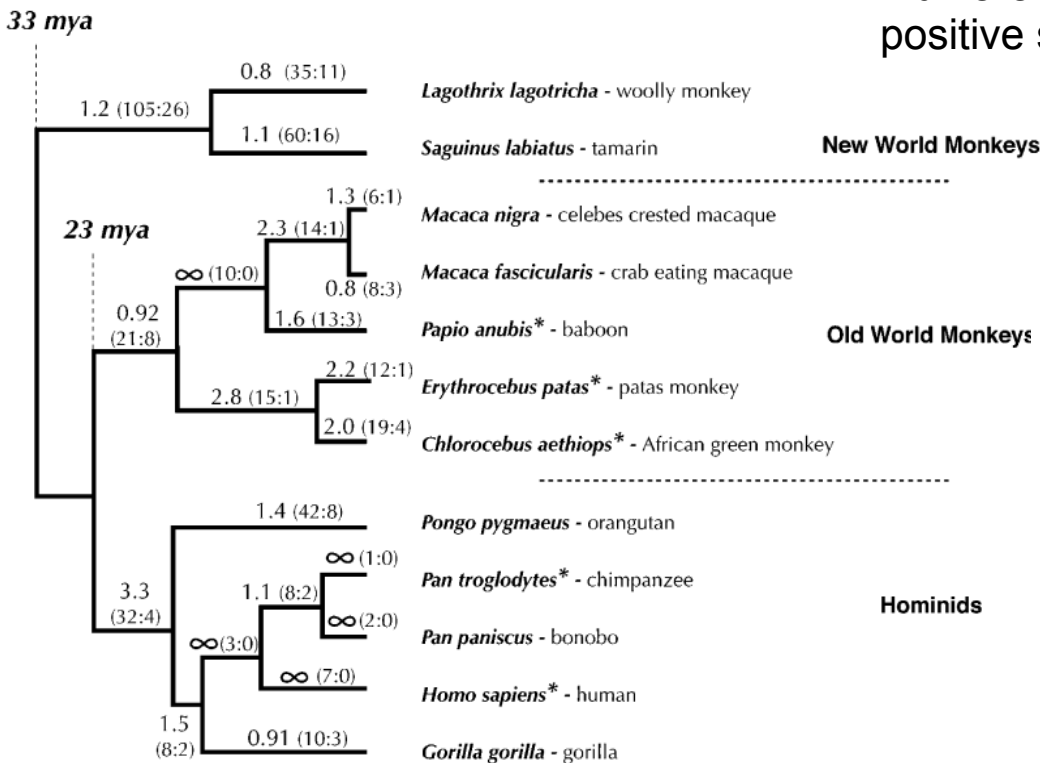


# Ancient Adaptive Evolution of the Primate Antiviral DNA-Editing Enzyme APOBEC3G

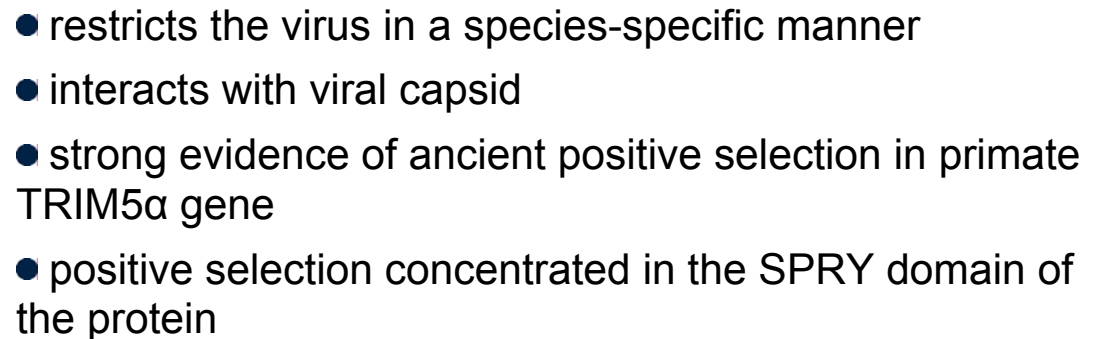
Sara L. Sawyer<sup>1</sup>, Michael Emerman<sup>1,2</sup>, Harmit S. Malik<sup>1\*</sup>

## Host – APOBEC protein

- single-stranded DNA-editing enzyme causes hypermutation of HIV
- HIV-encoded virion infectivity factor (Vif) protein targets APOBEC3G for destruction
- species-specific interaction
- different members of APOBEC protein family subject to positive selection throughout history of primate evolution



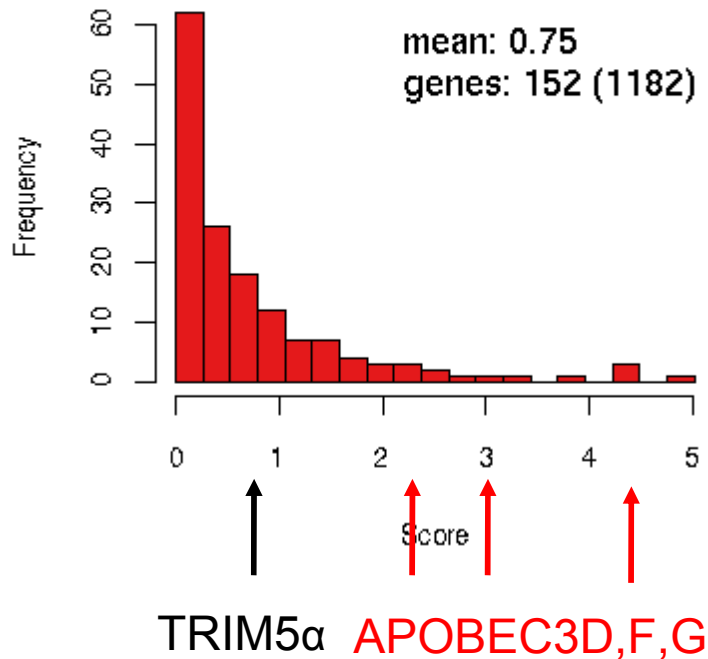
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## Host – search for sites under positive selection

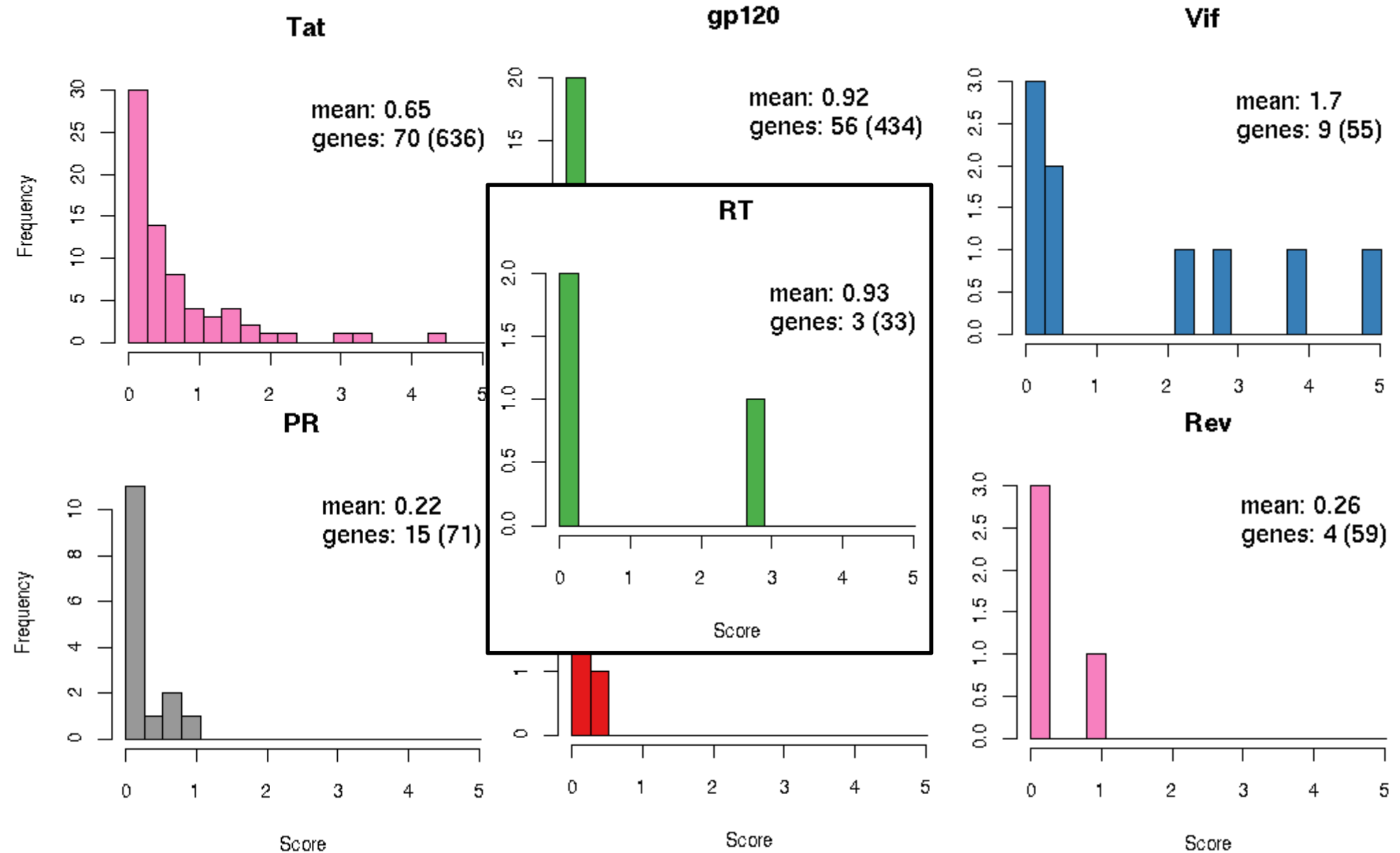
### All Genes



- big genome conservation and long coding sequences
- inference of sites under positive selection (*PAML, Zhang et al. 2005*)
  - statistical measure of dN/dS ( $\omega$ ) variation among sites allowing a subset of sites to have  $\omega > 1$
  - maximum likelihood parameter fit
  - likelihood ratio test (LRT) to compare a null model that does not allow  $\omega > 1$  with an alternative model that does
- 2 LRTs
  - M1a (Nearly-Neutral) – M2a (Positive Selection)
  - M7 (beta) – M8 (beta& $\omega$ )
- score based on the number of positively selected sites
- 152 out of 1182 genes under positive selection

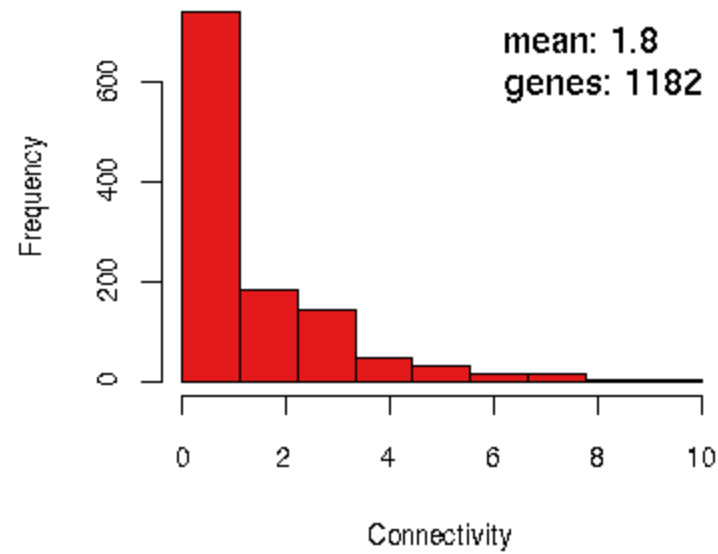


## Host – positive selection vs. interaction grouping



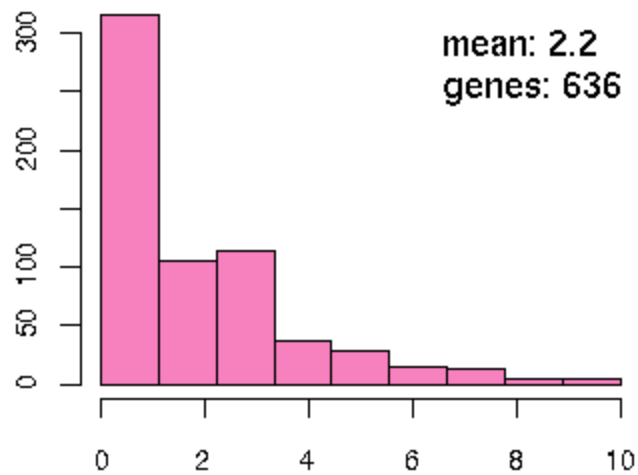
## Host – number of interactions

### All Genes

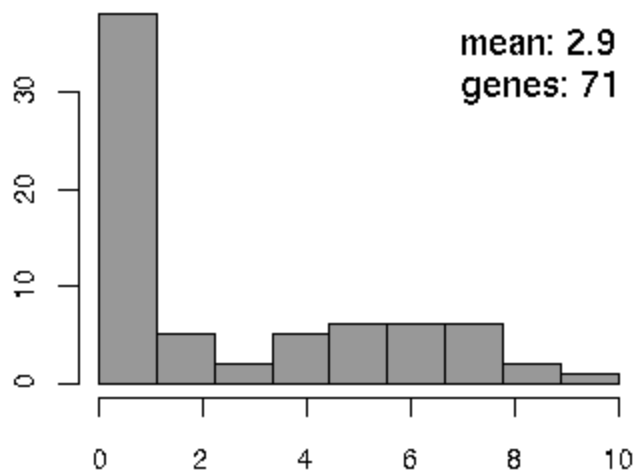


# Host – number of interactions gp120

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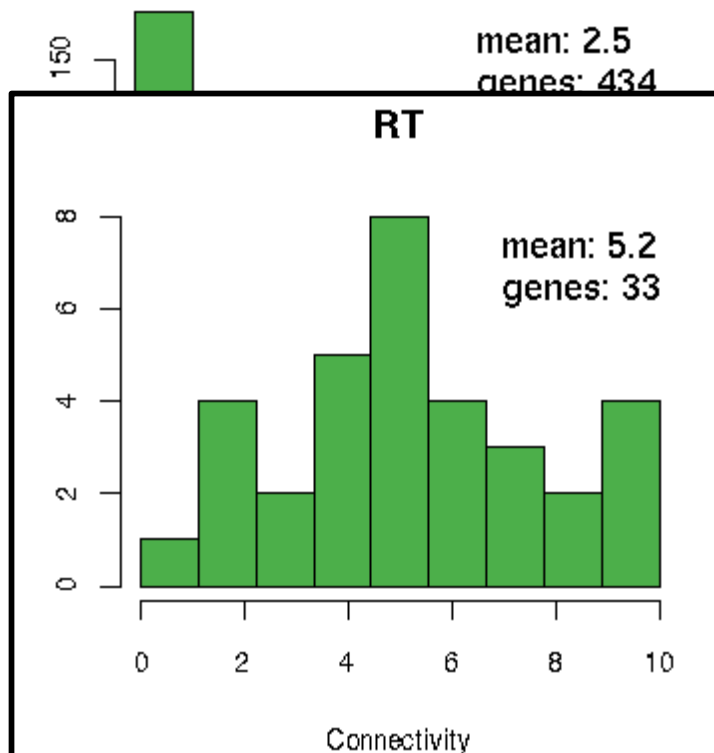


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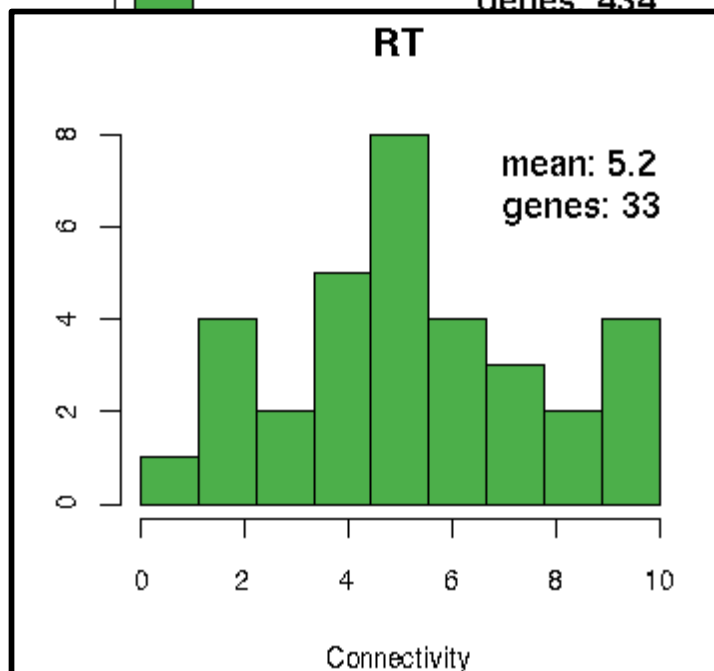


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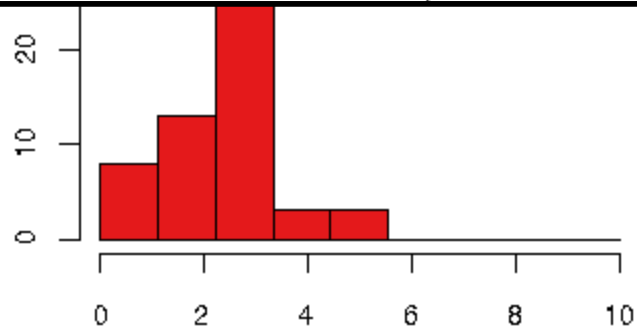
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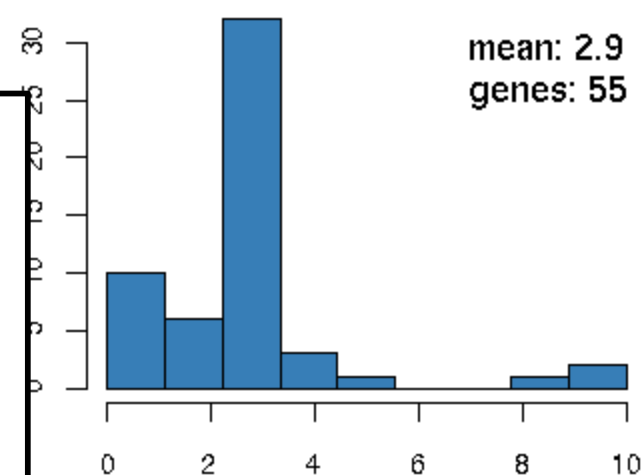


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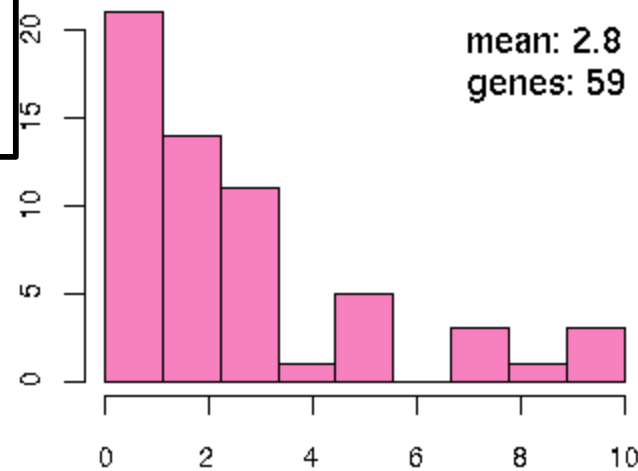


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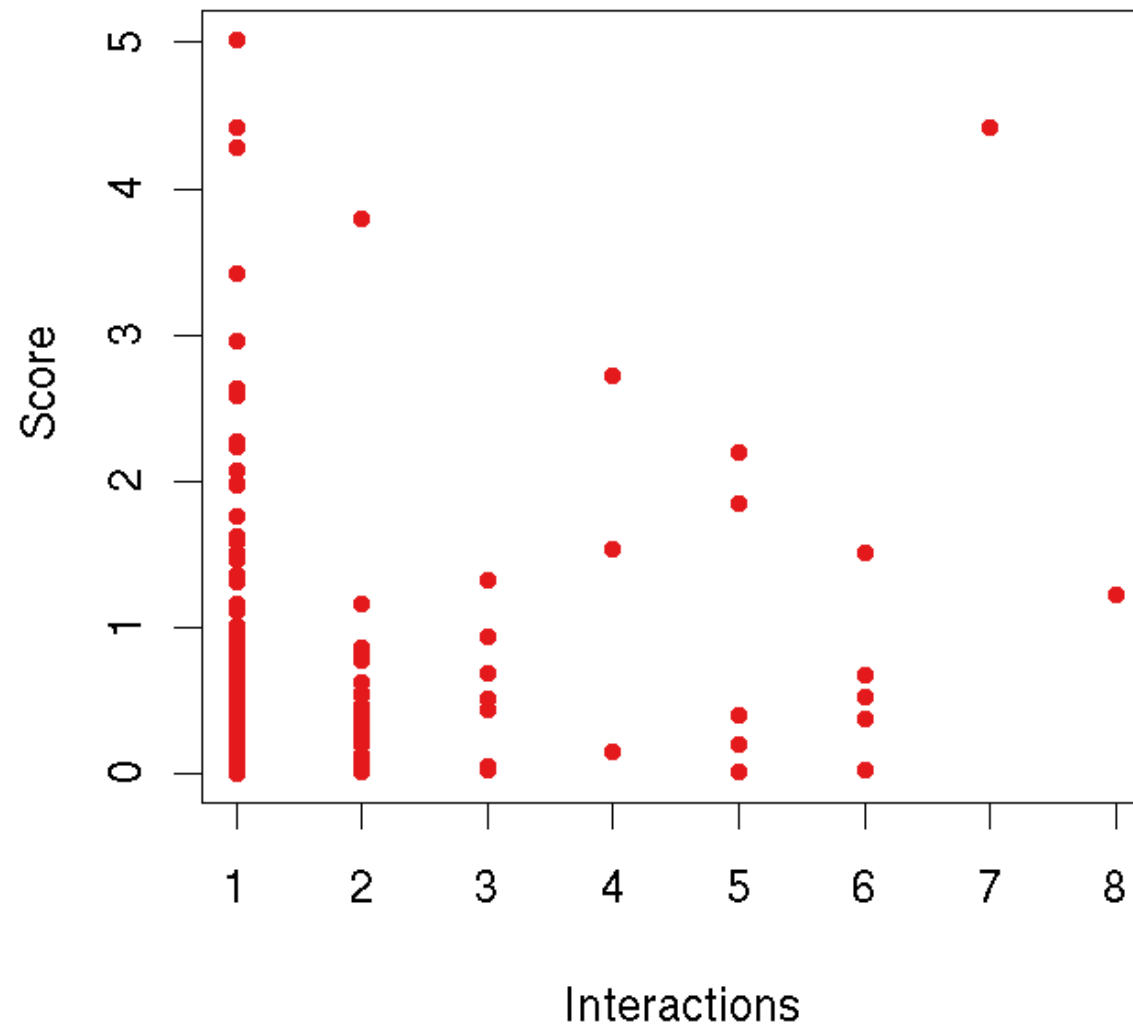


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Connectivity

### Host – positive selection vs. number of interactions



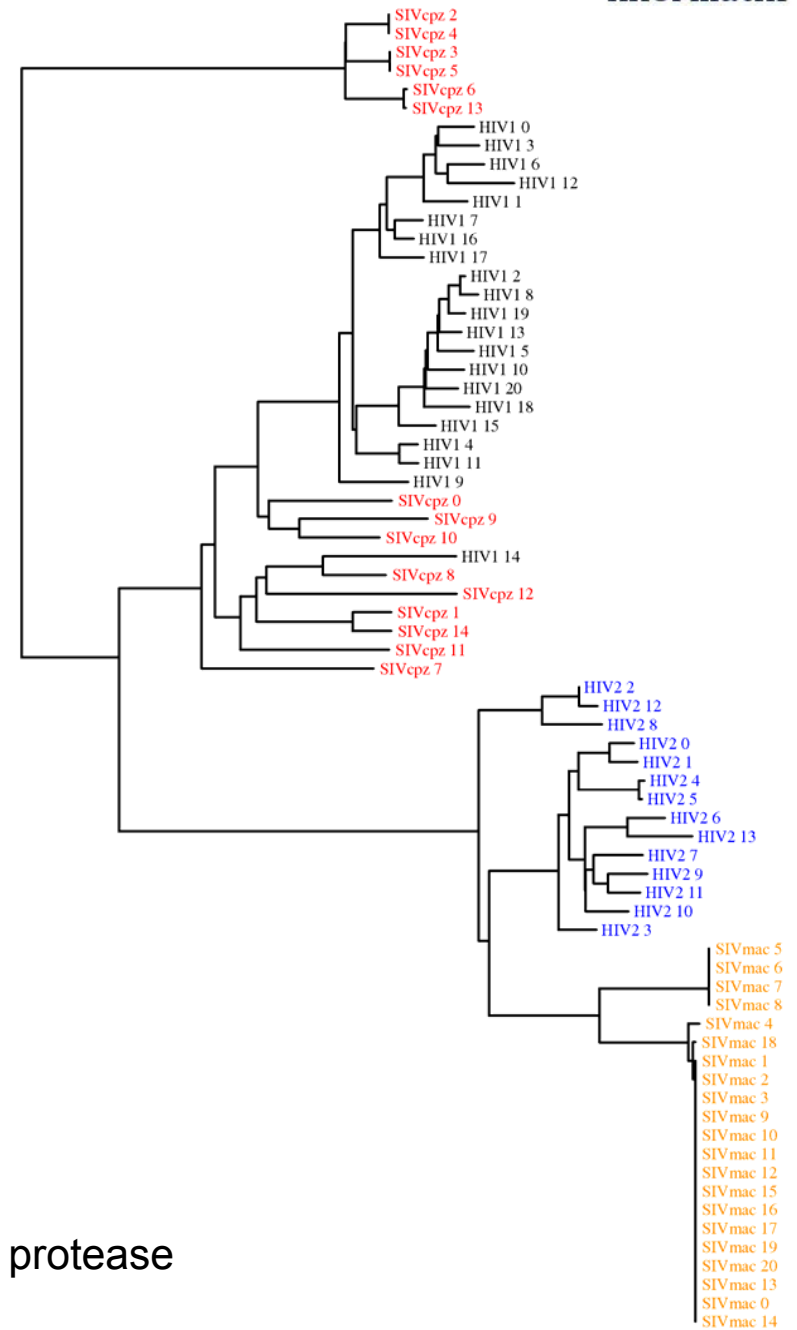
## Host – positive selection in entire CDS

- estimation of synonymous and nonsynonymous substitution rates (*Yang and Nielsen, 2000*)
- conservative test genes positively selected among all 4 species
- out of 1152 genes:
  - 22 genes with  $\omega > 1$
  - 769 genes with  $\omega > 0$
  - TRIM5 $\alpha$   $\omega > 1$
  - APOBEC genes  $0.83 < \omega < 0.93$



## Virus

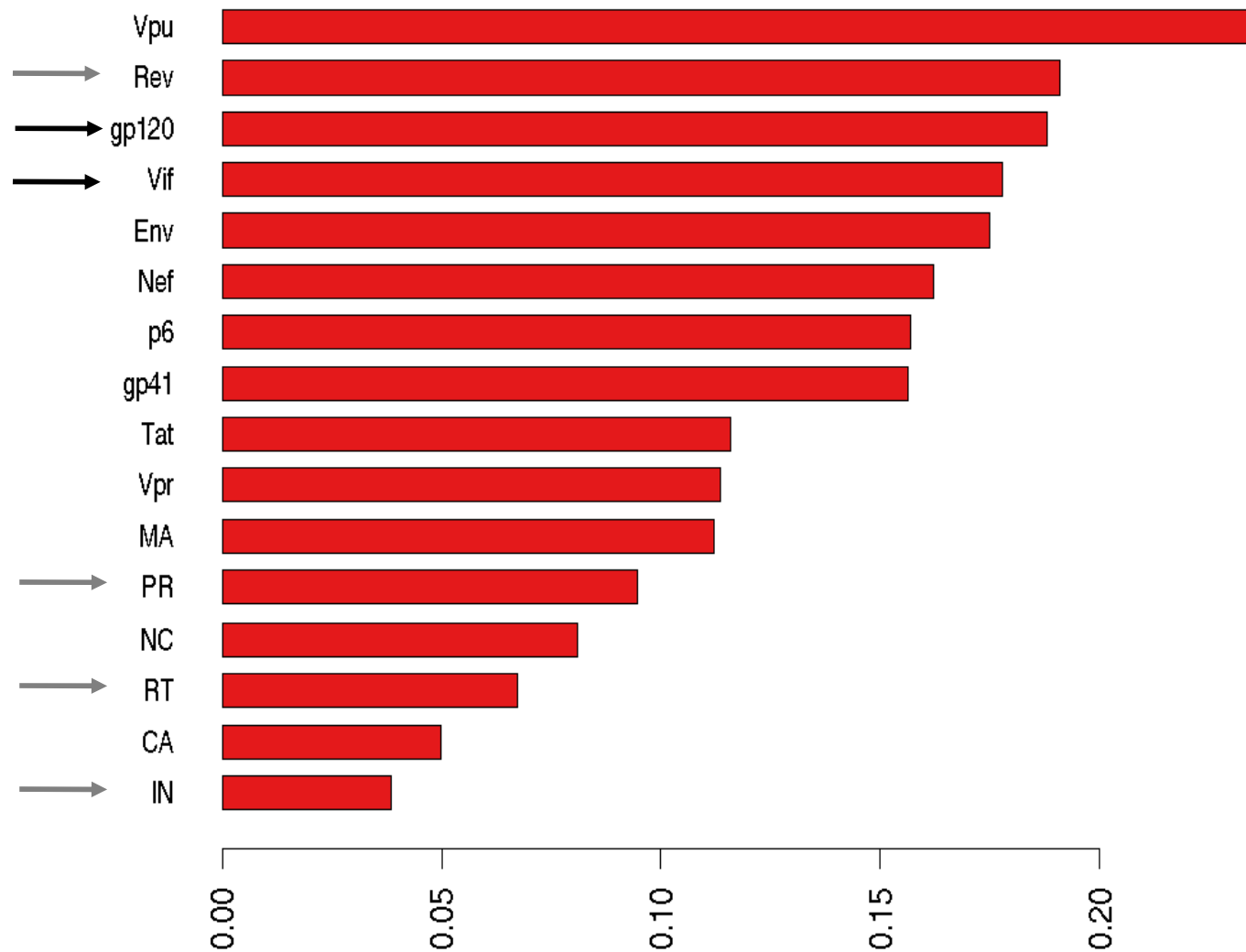
- more genomes
- large divergence within and among species
- short coding sequences



protease

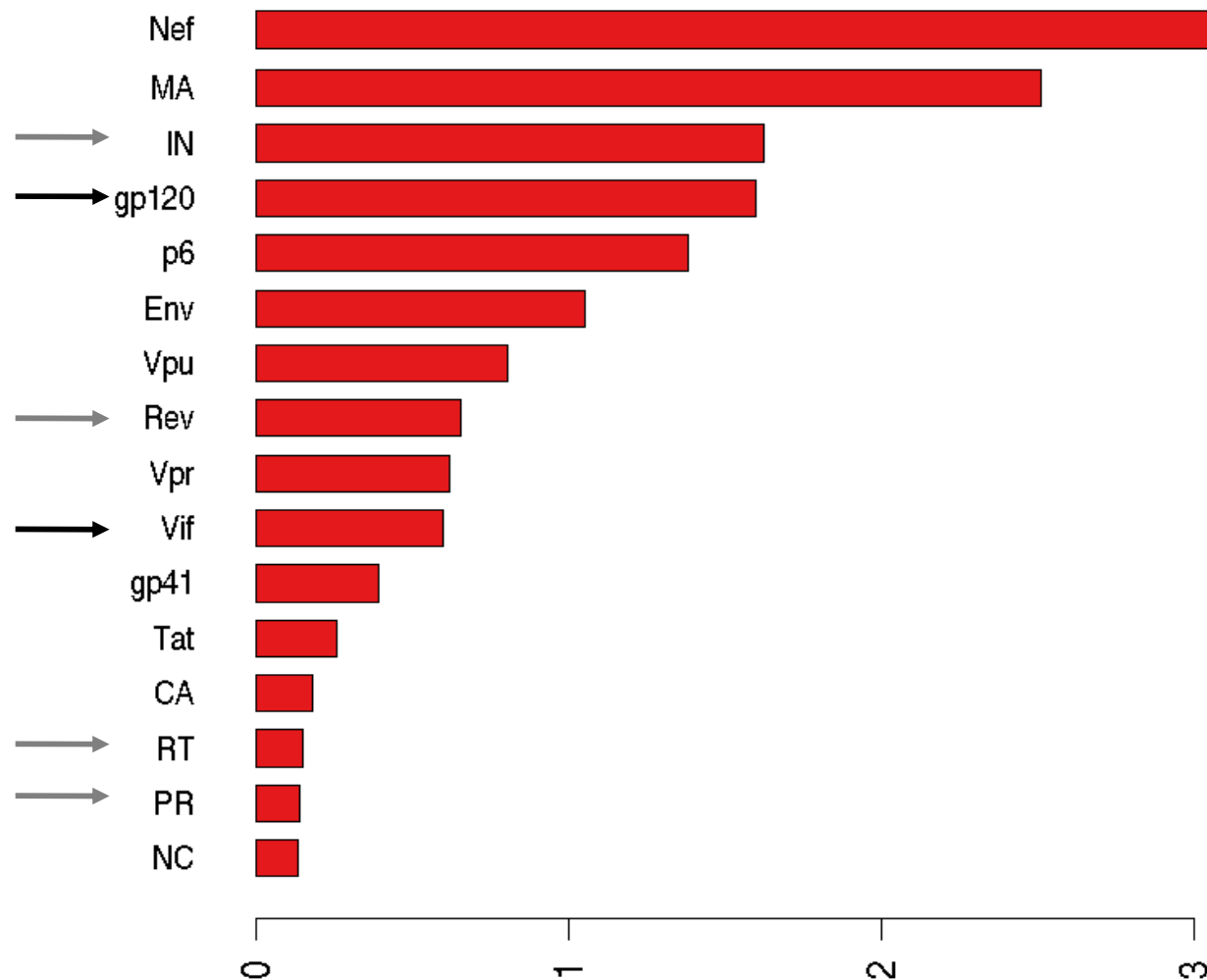


## Virus – interspecies divergence

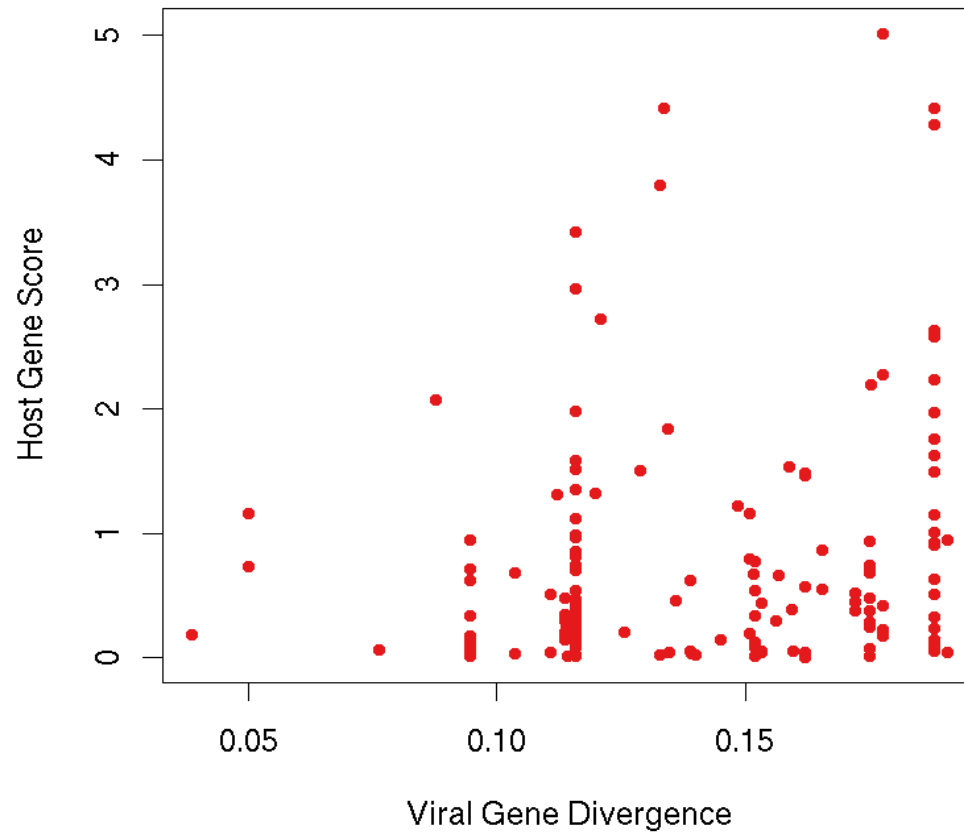


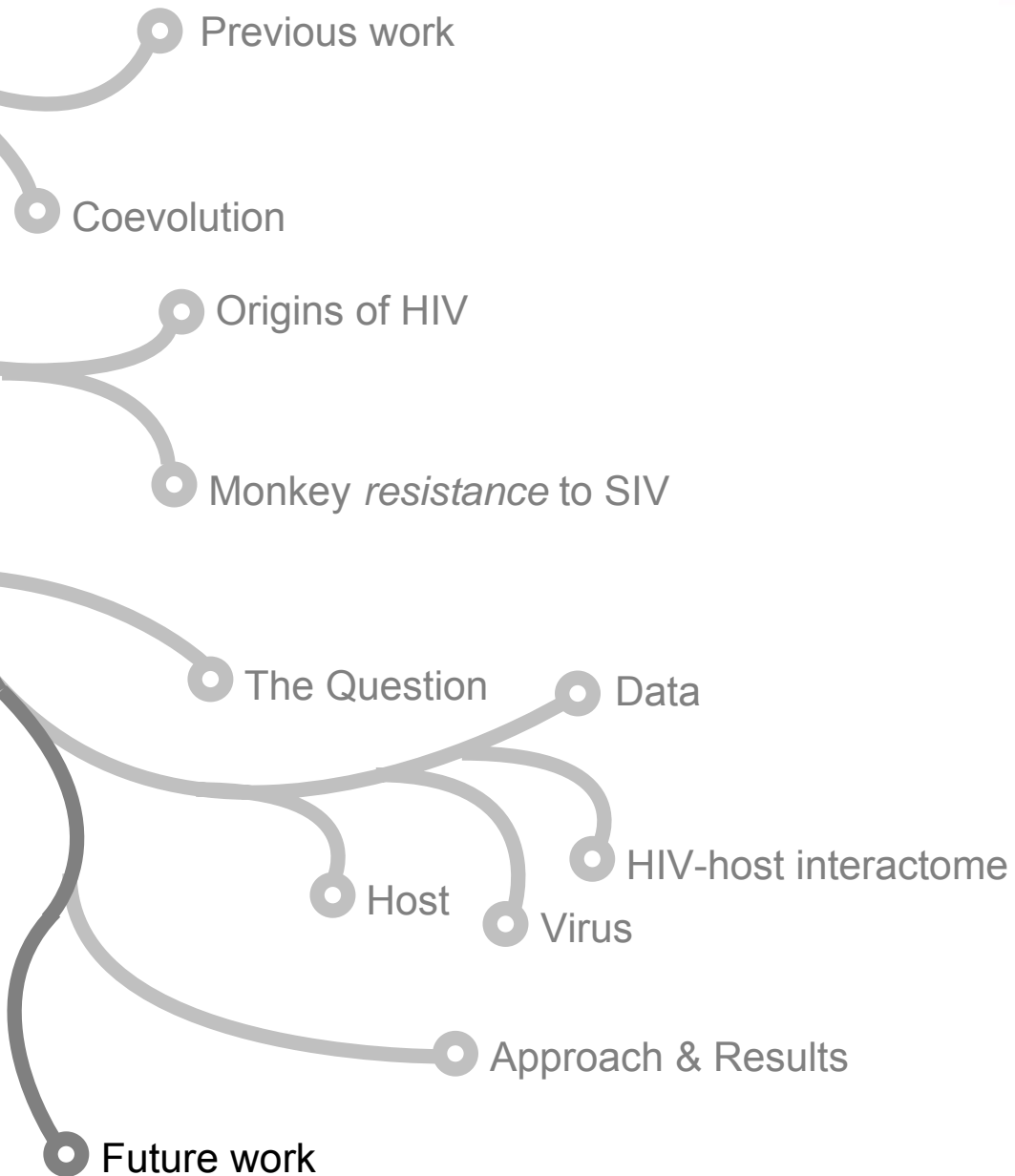


## Virus – positive selection among species



## Host and Virus combined





- coherent model of host-virus coevolution based on evolution measures and interaction data

- quantification of the extent of HIV/SIV-host coevolution
- characterization of know examples of lack of adaptation (TRIM5α – CA)
- new potential “unadapted” interactions
- quantification of the lack of adaptation

- How much time do the HIV and humans need to coadapt?

- To what extent can the HIV drive human evolution?

- Can we estimate viral pathogenicity from sequence-interaction-virulence data?

- ...



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