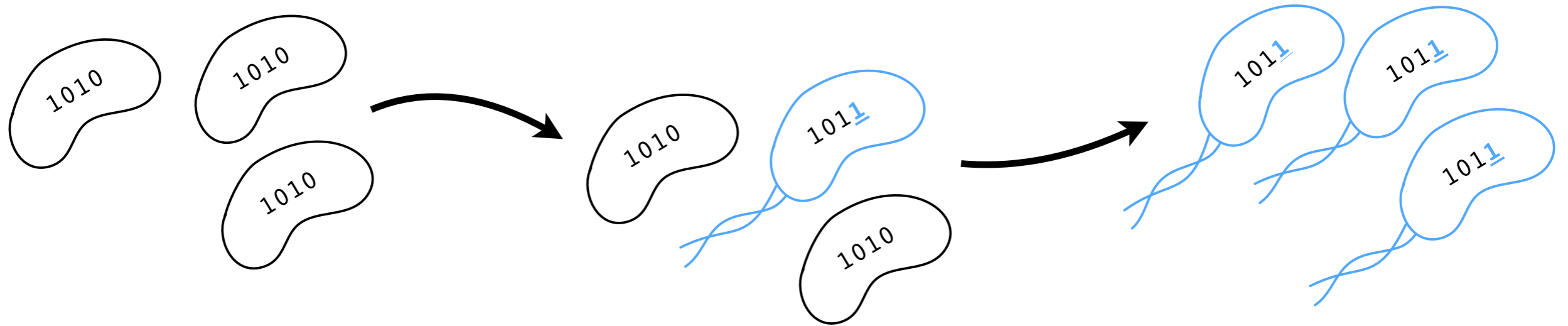


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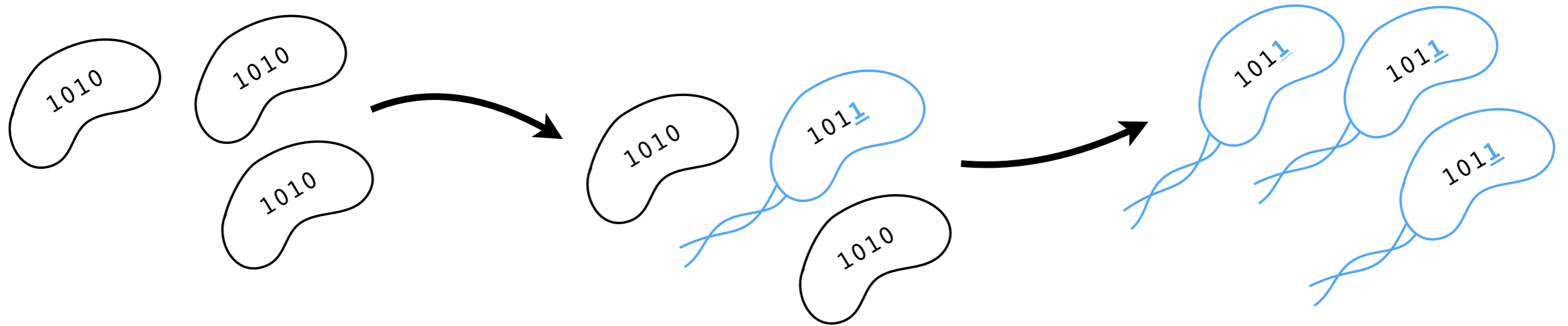
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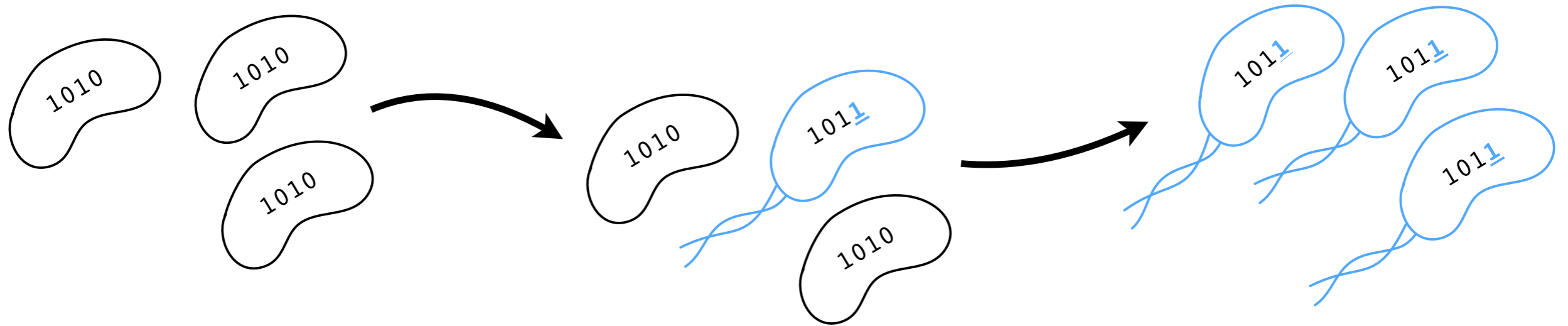


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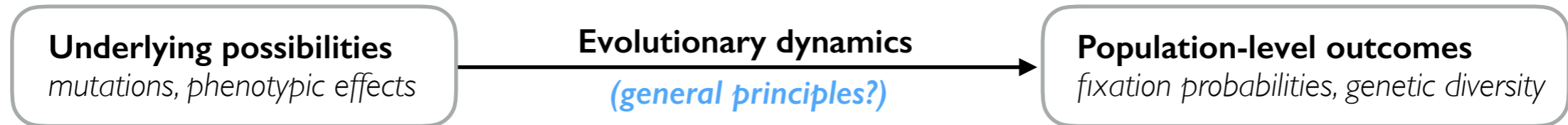
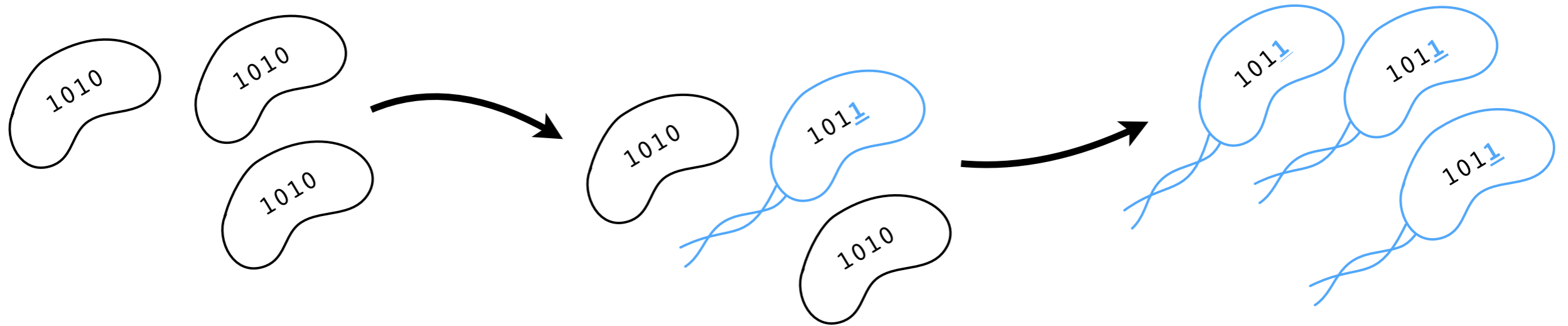


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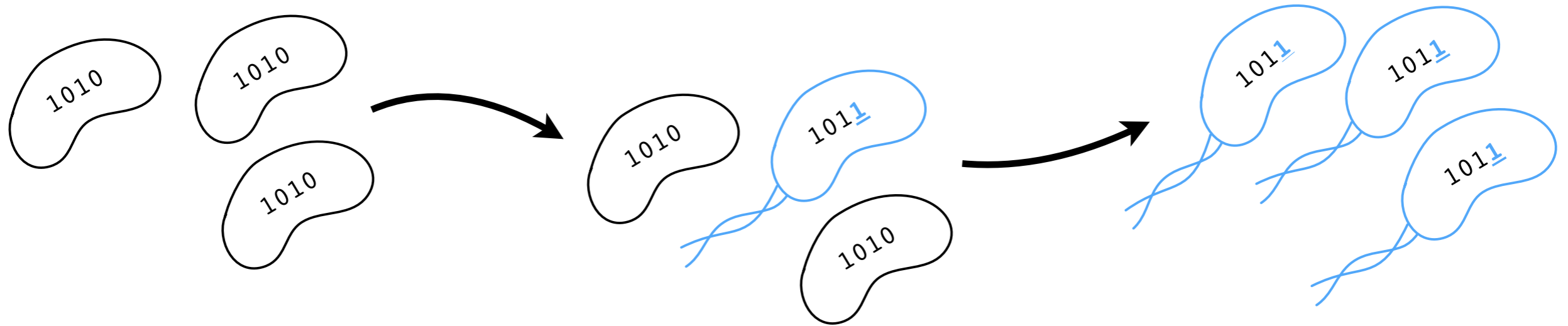
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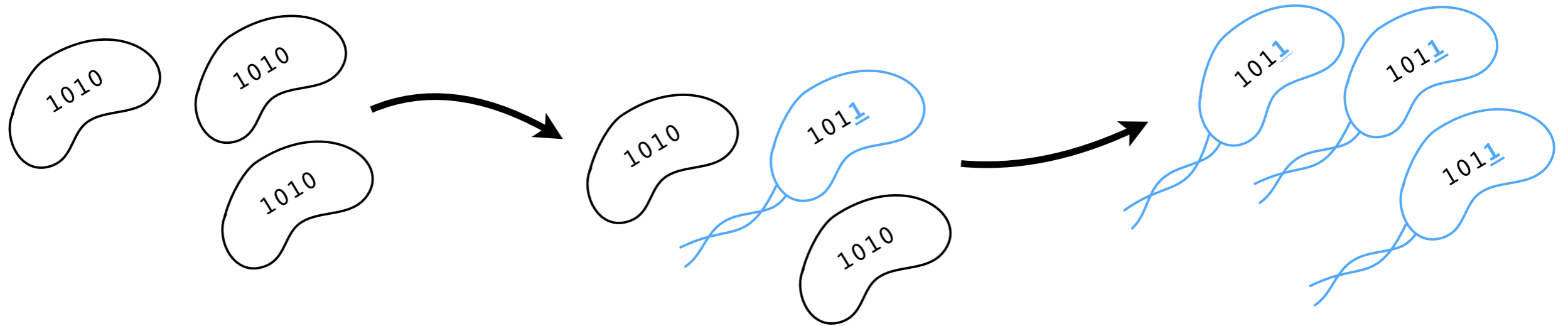
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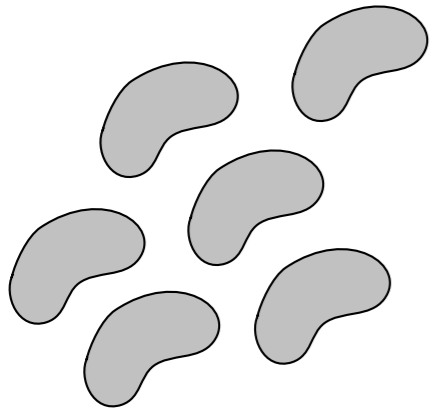
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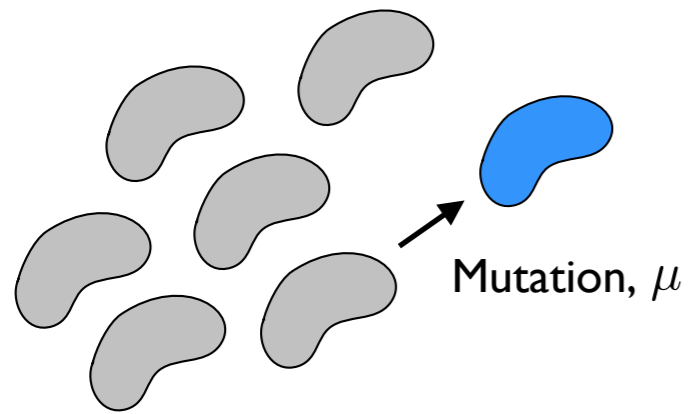
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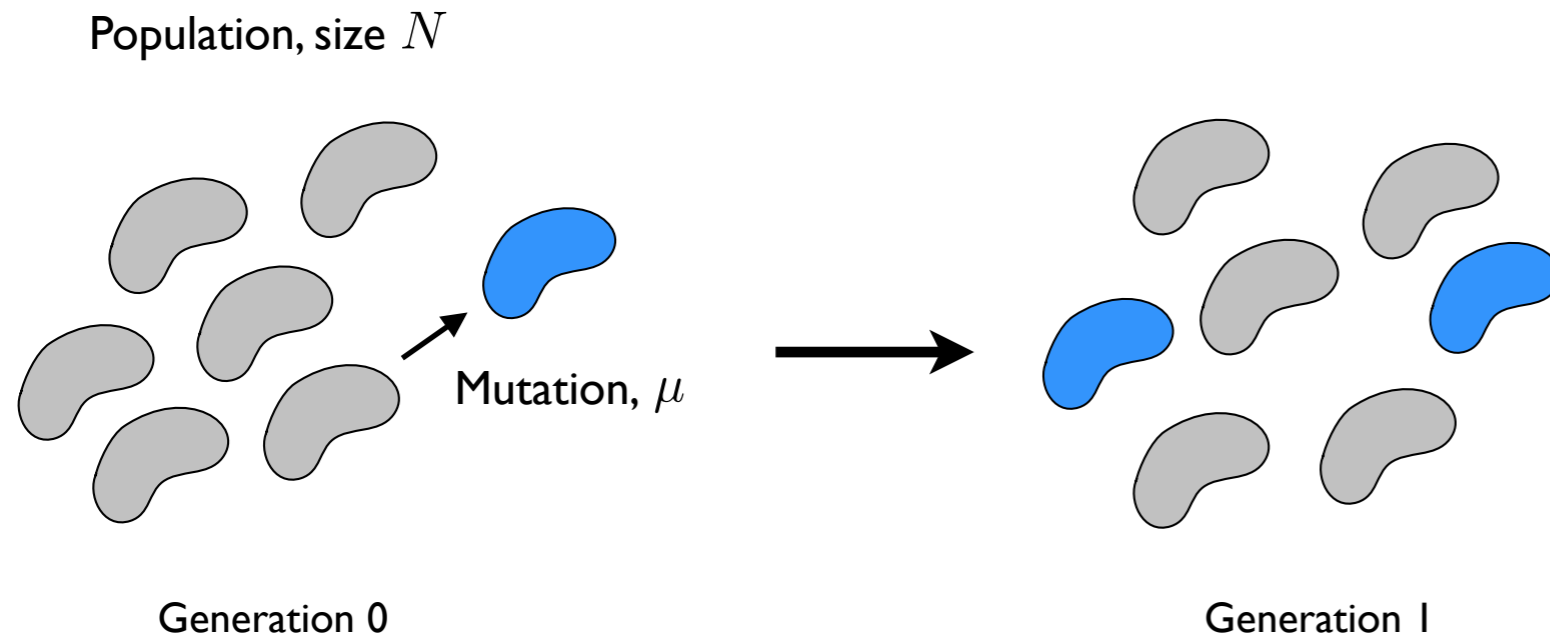
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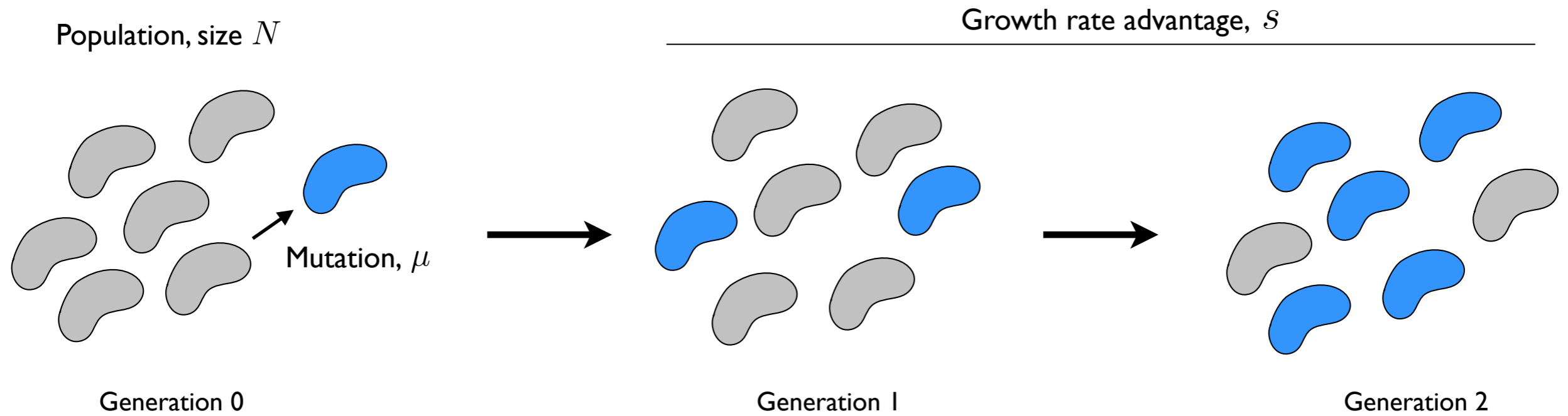
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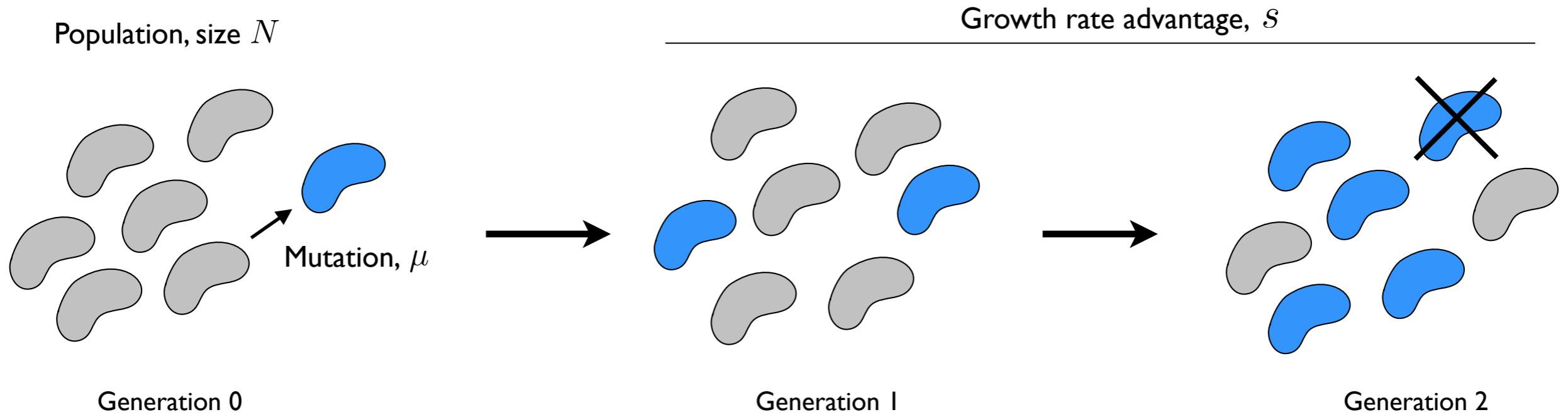




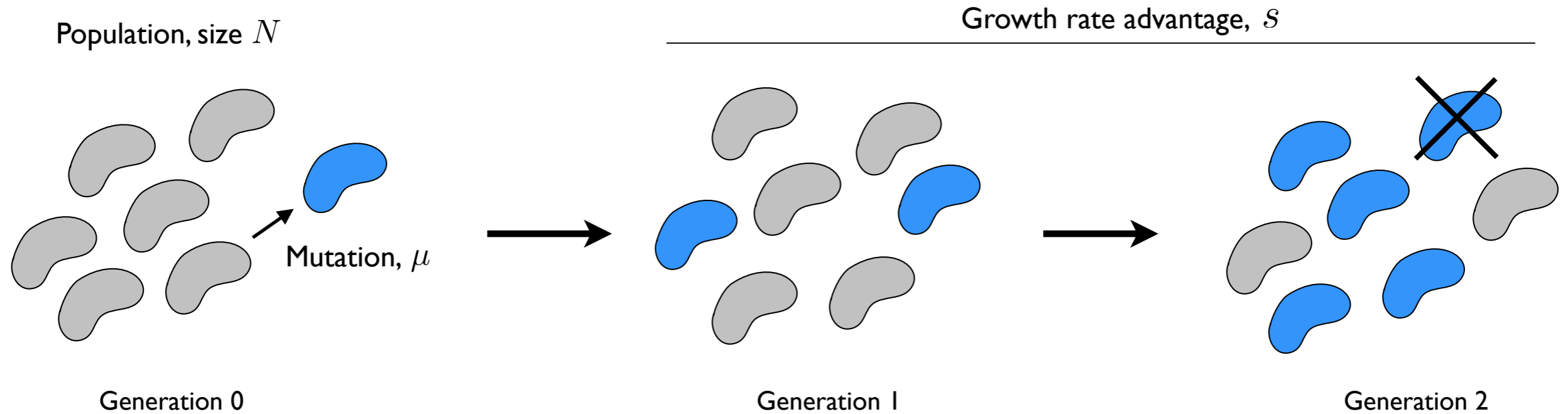
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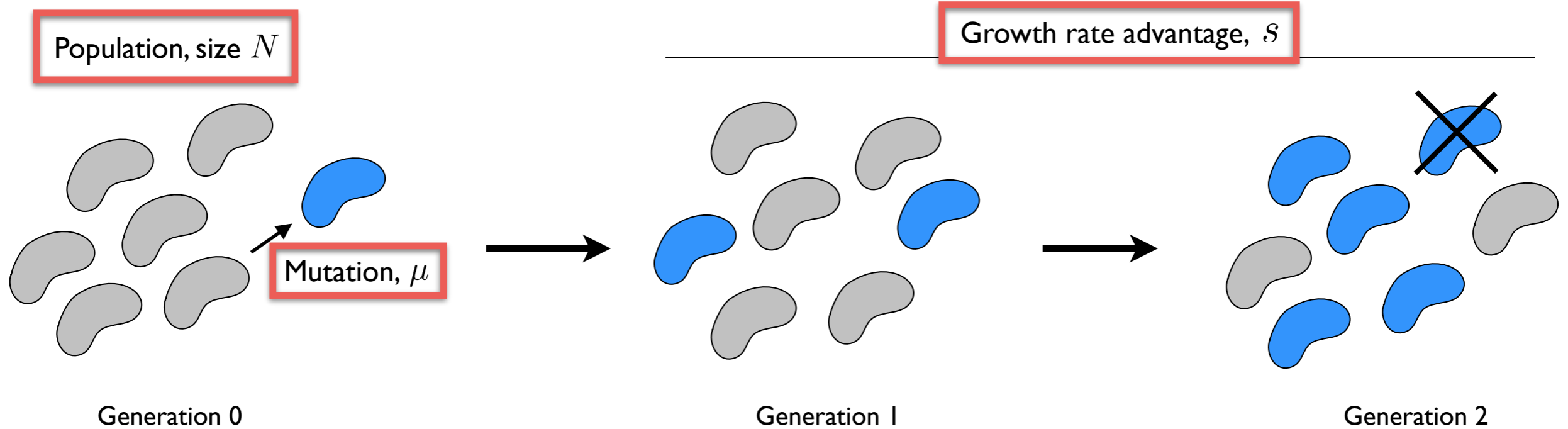
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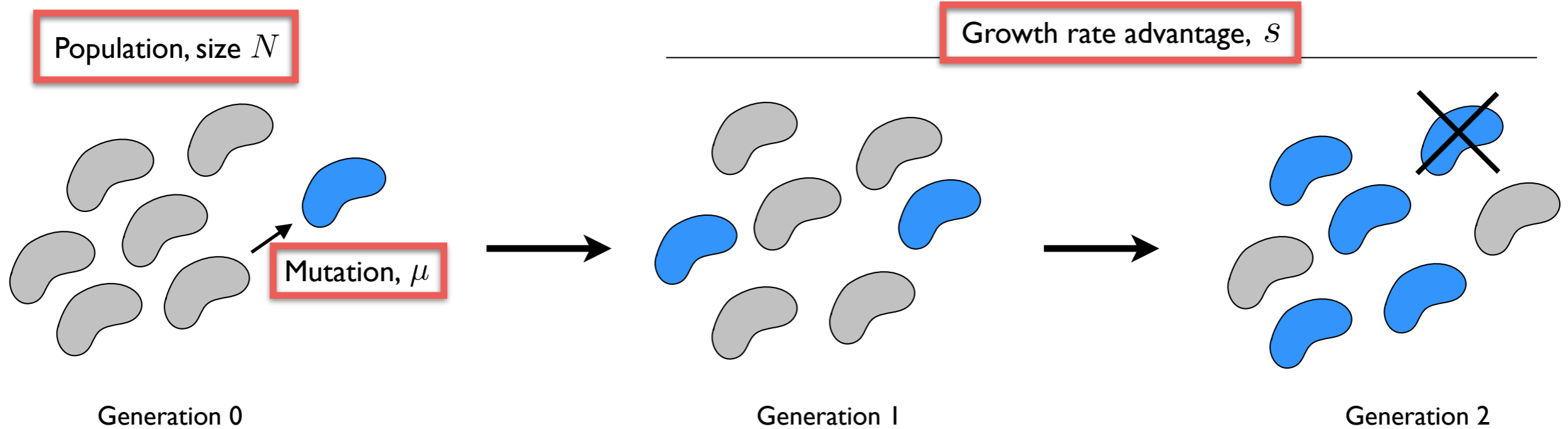


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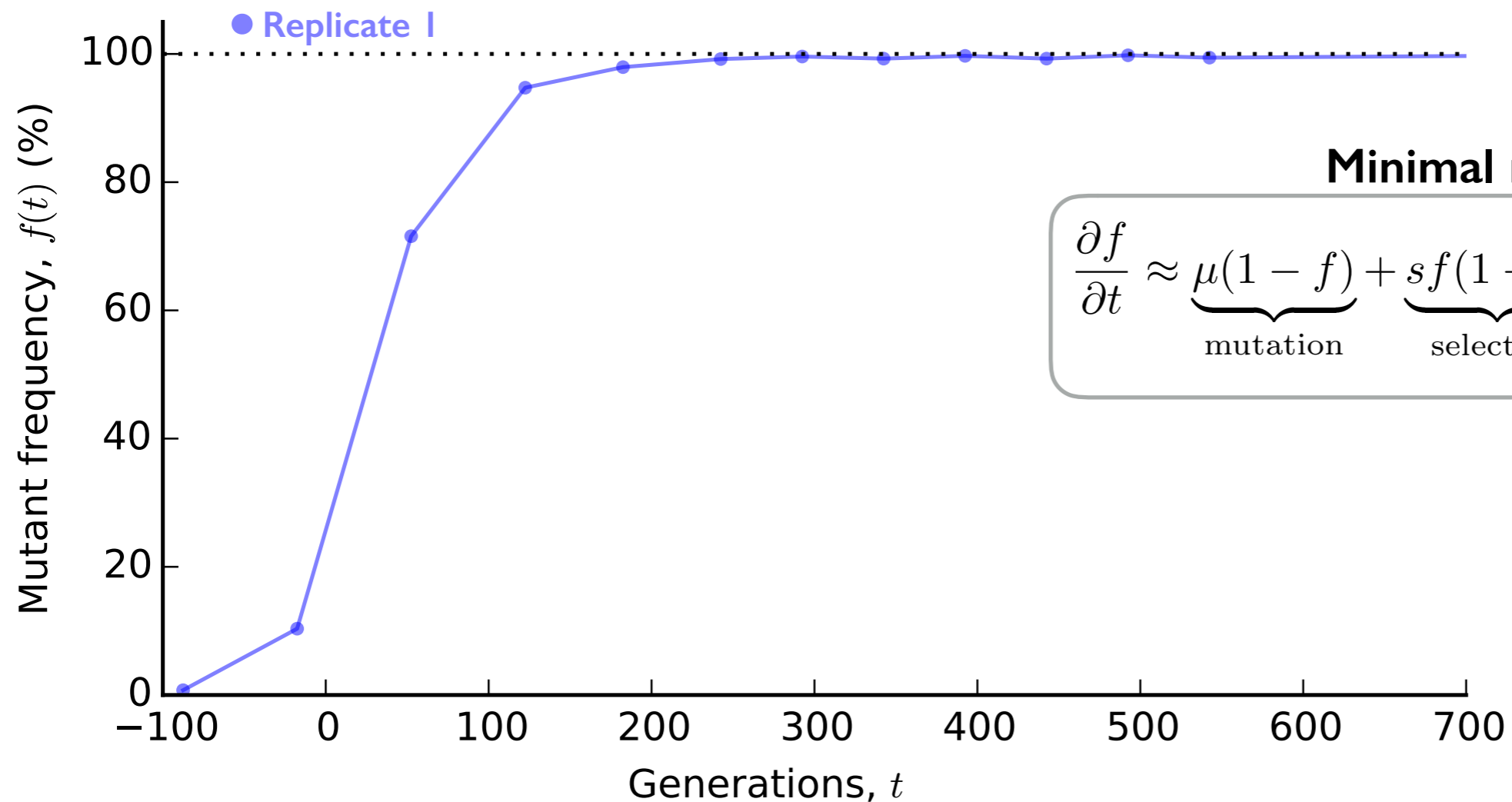


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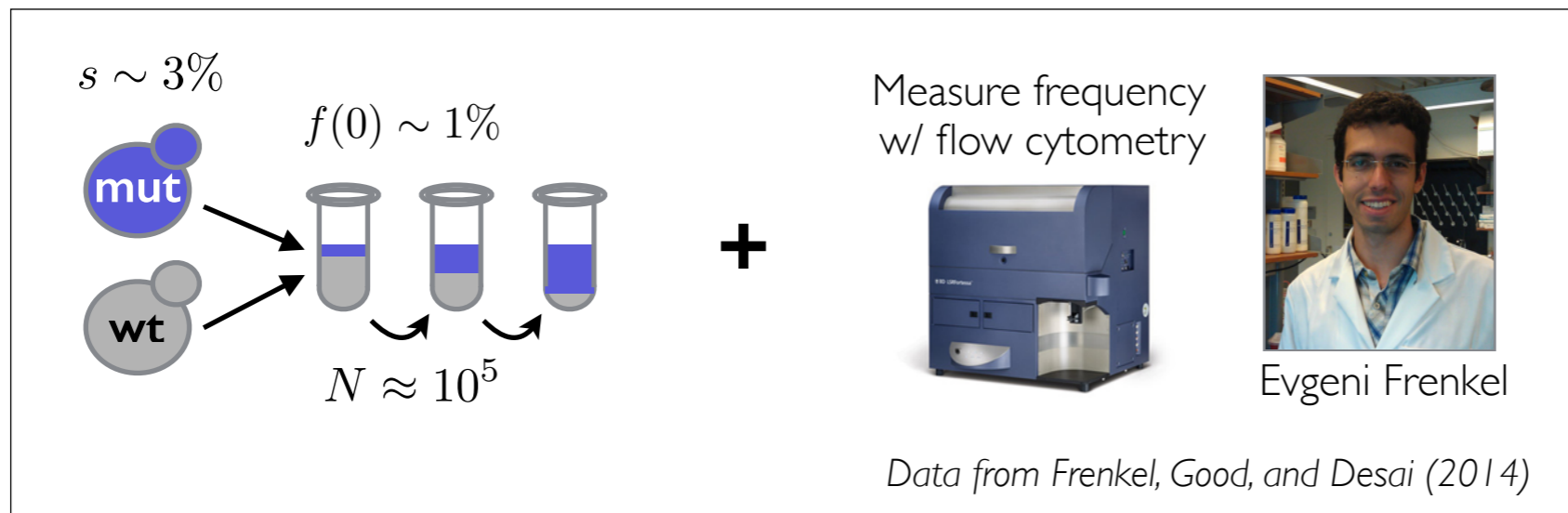
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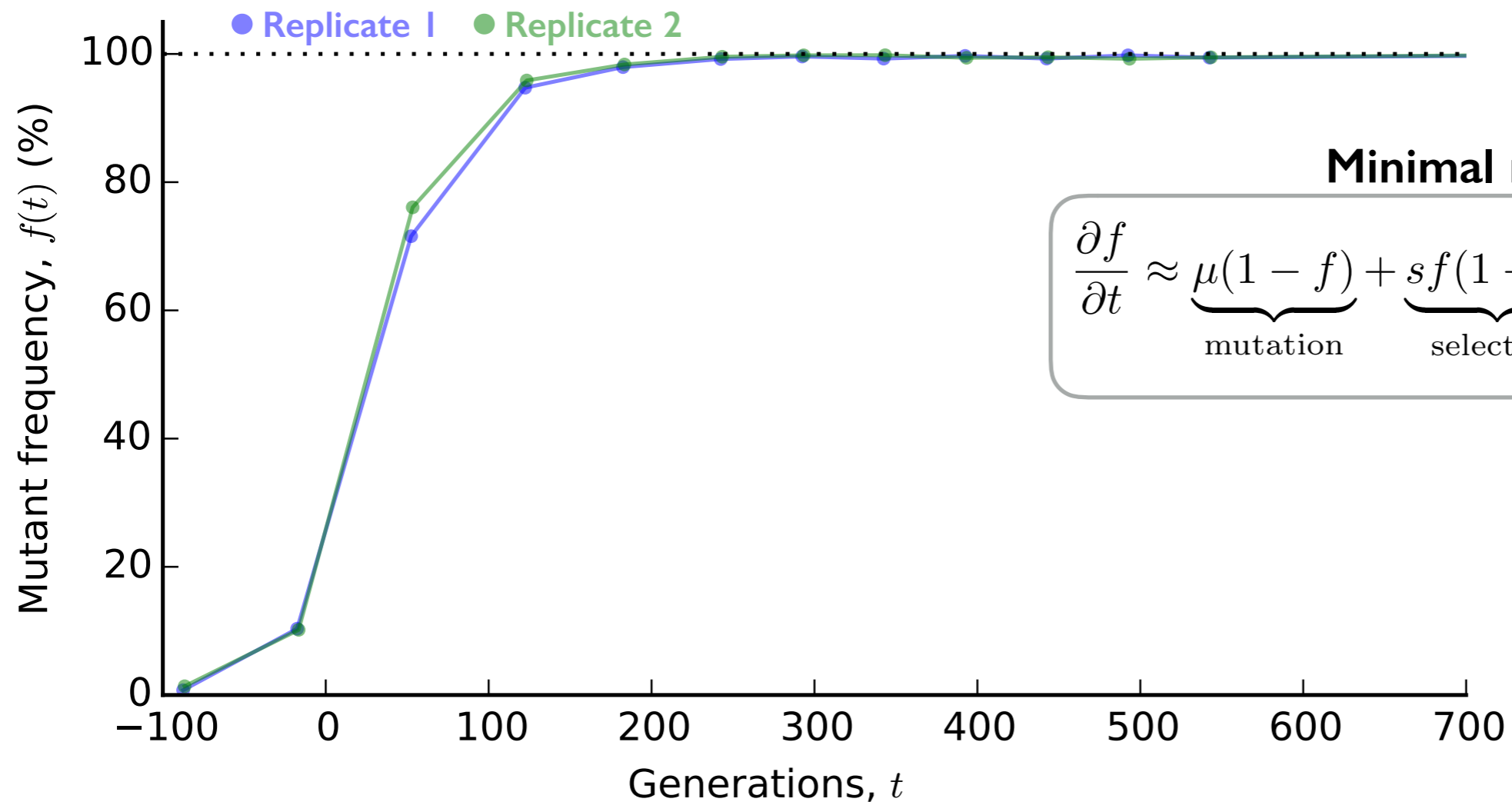


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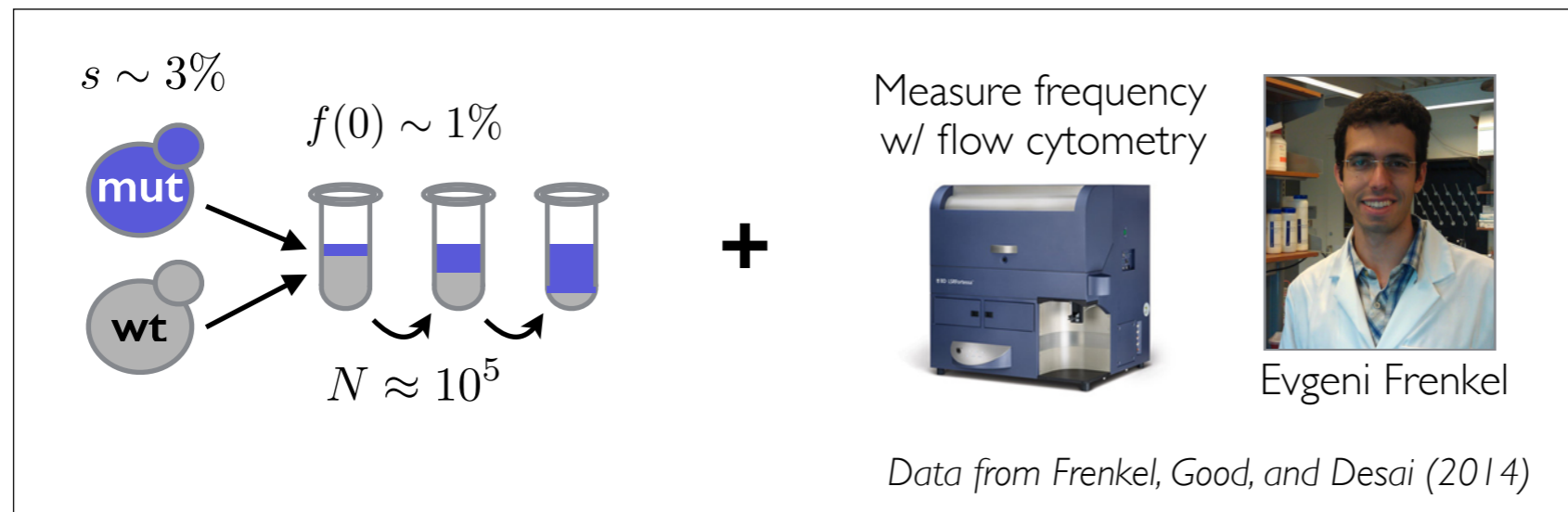


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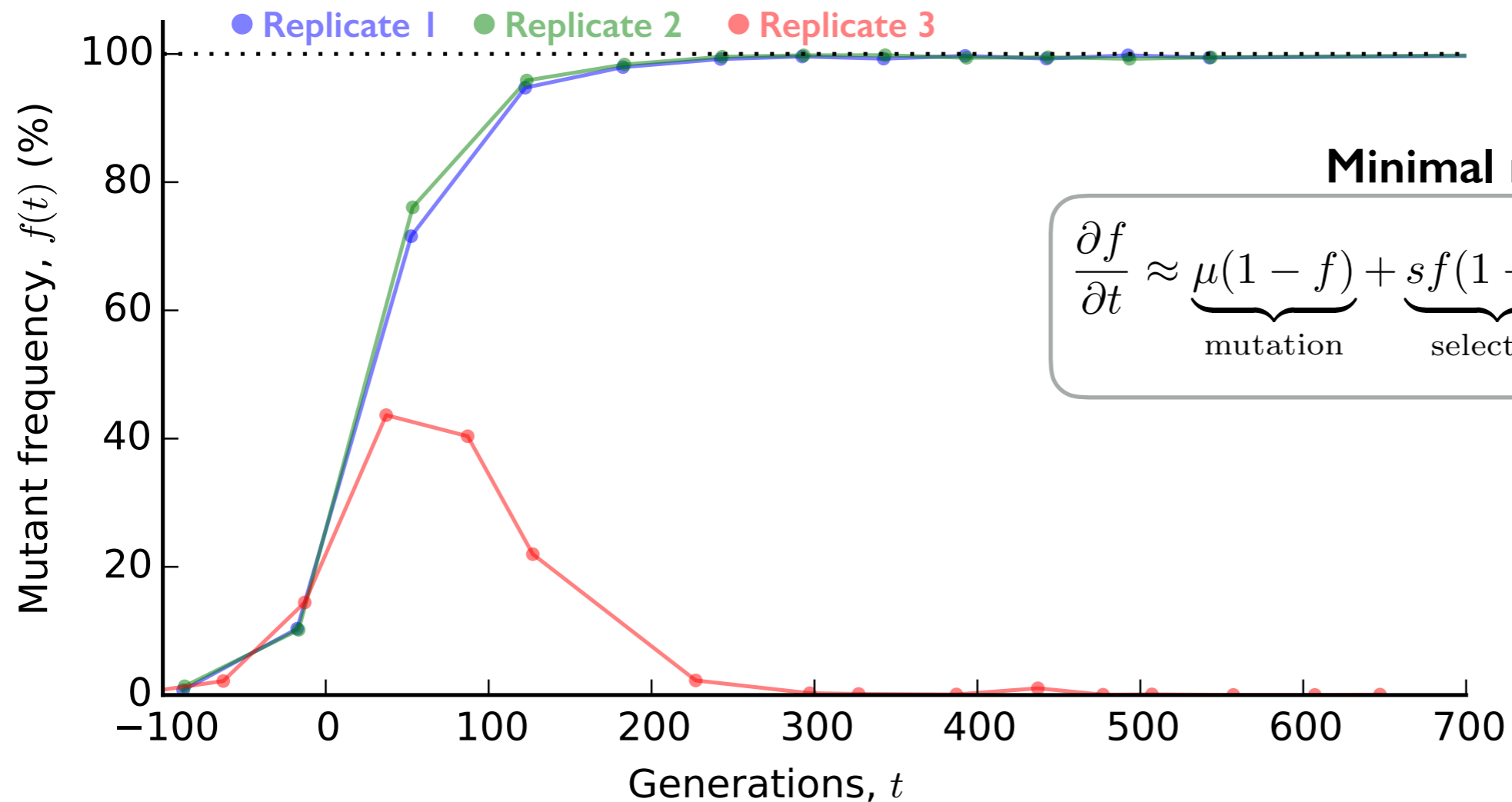


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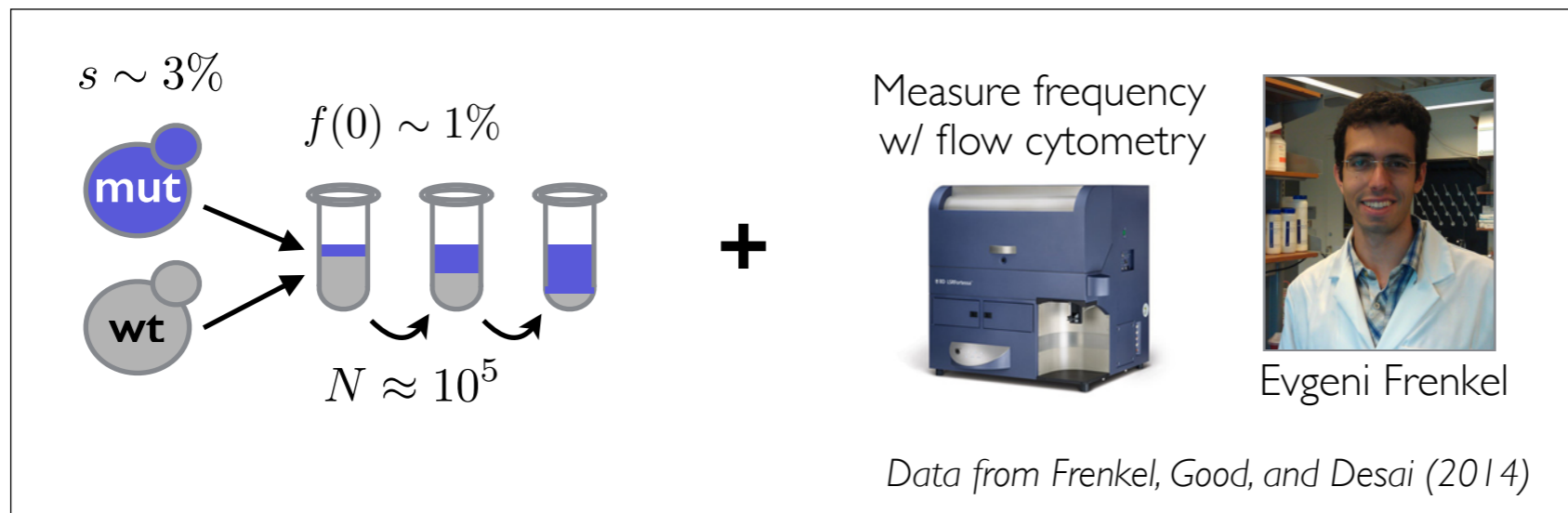


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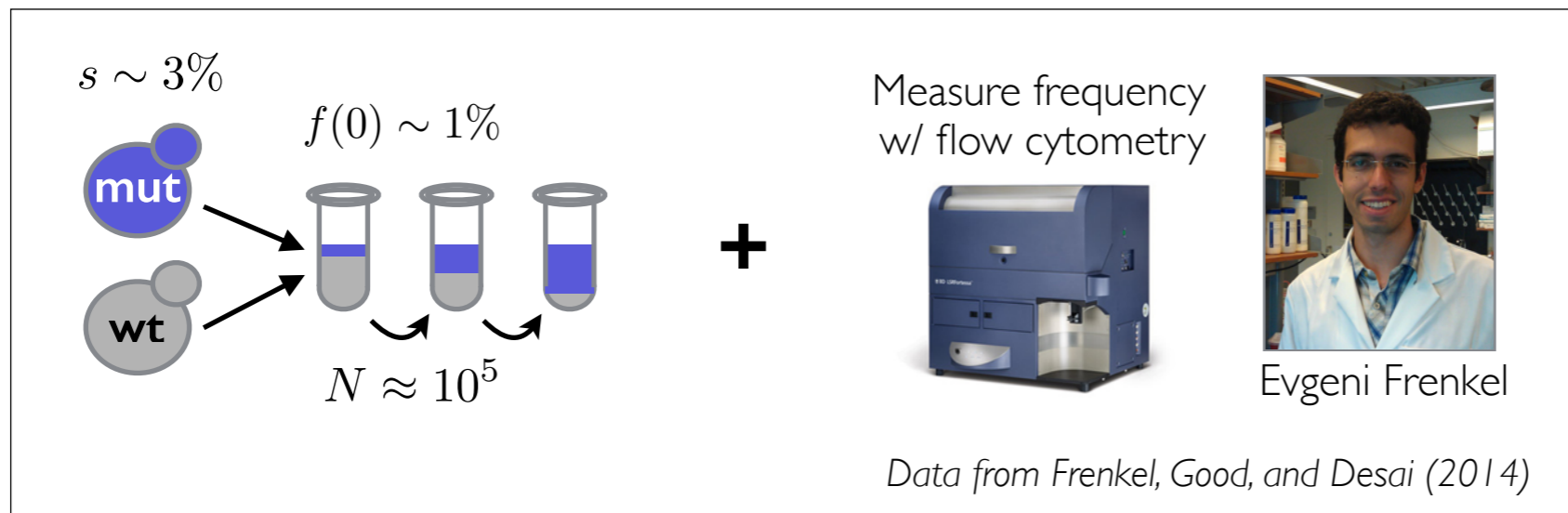
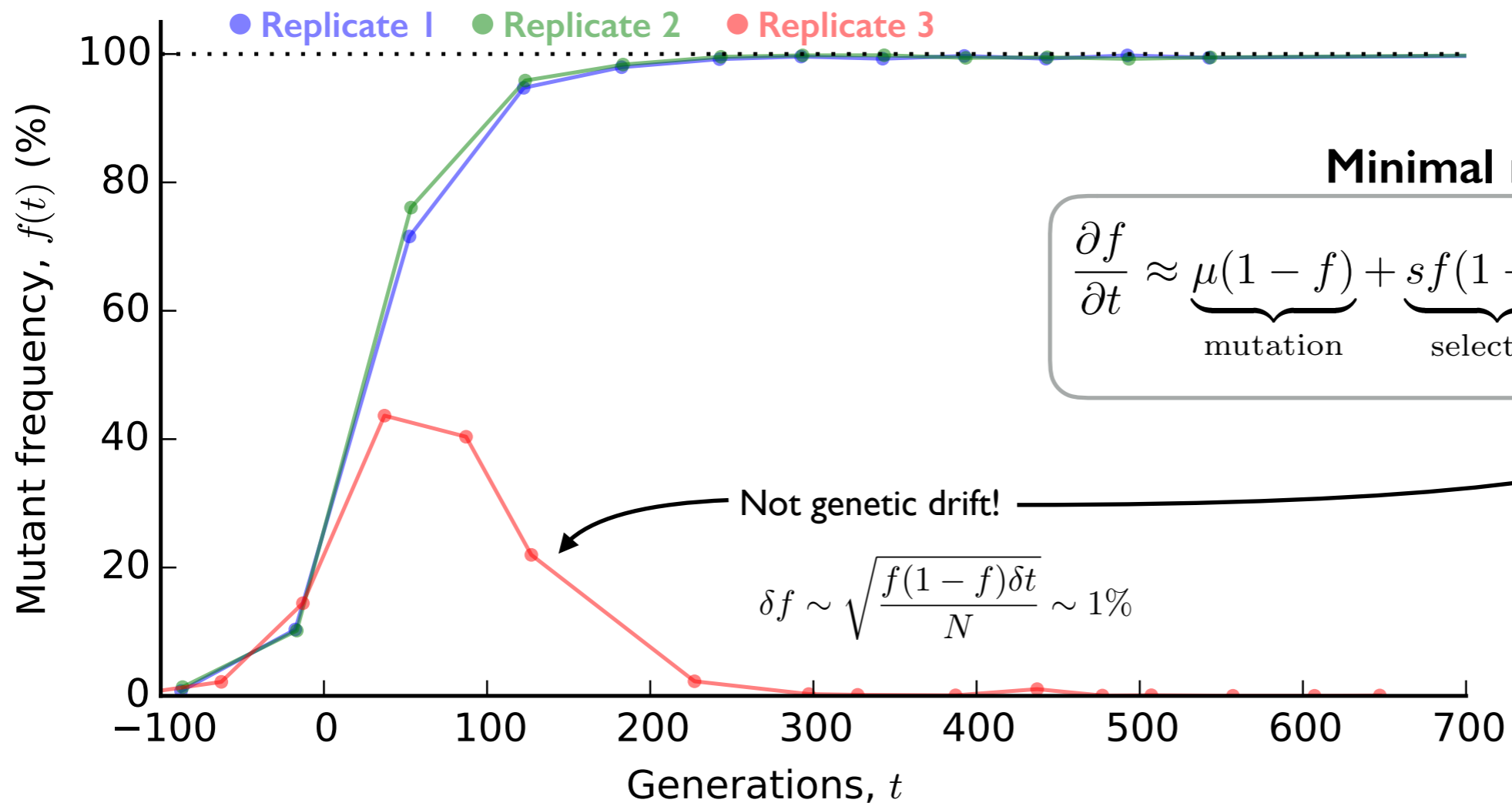
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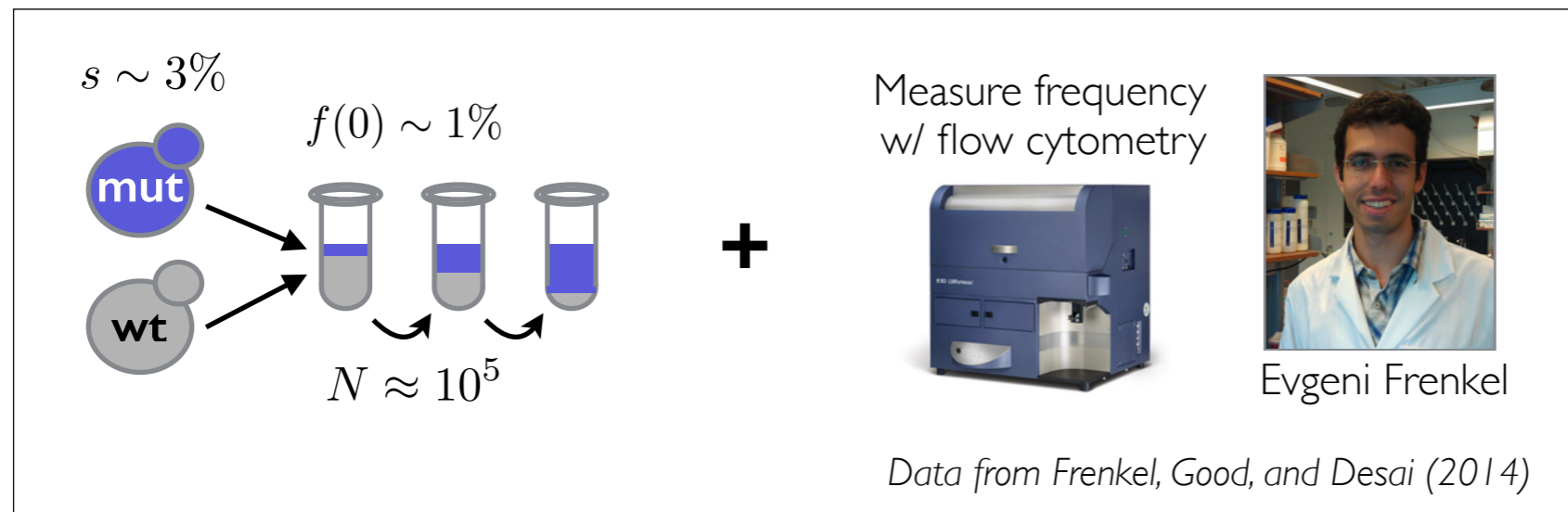
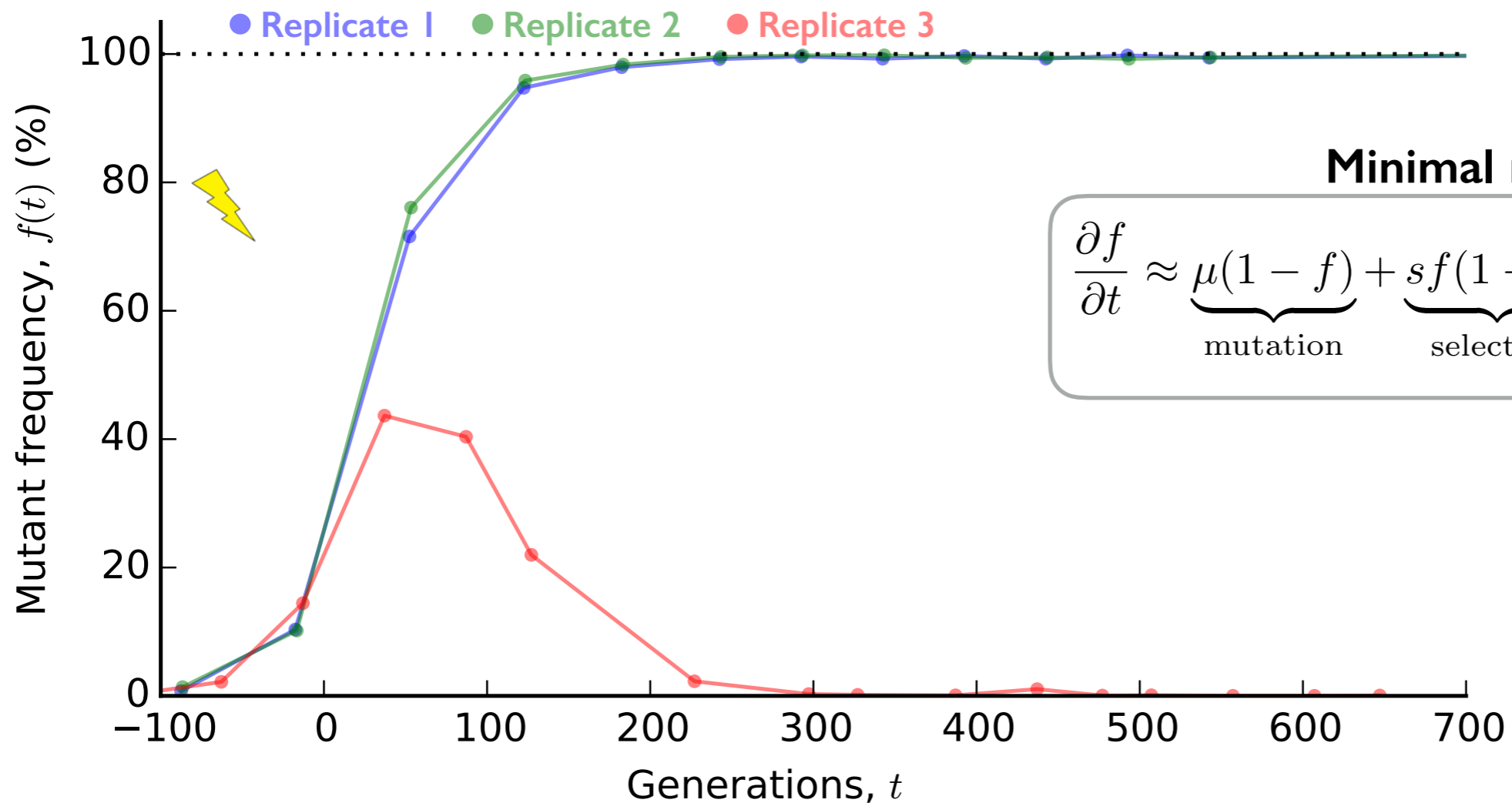




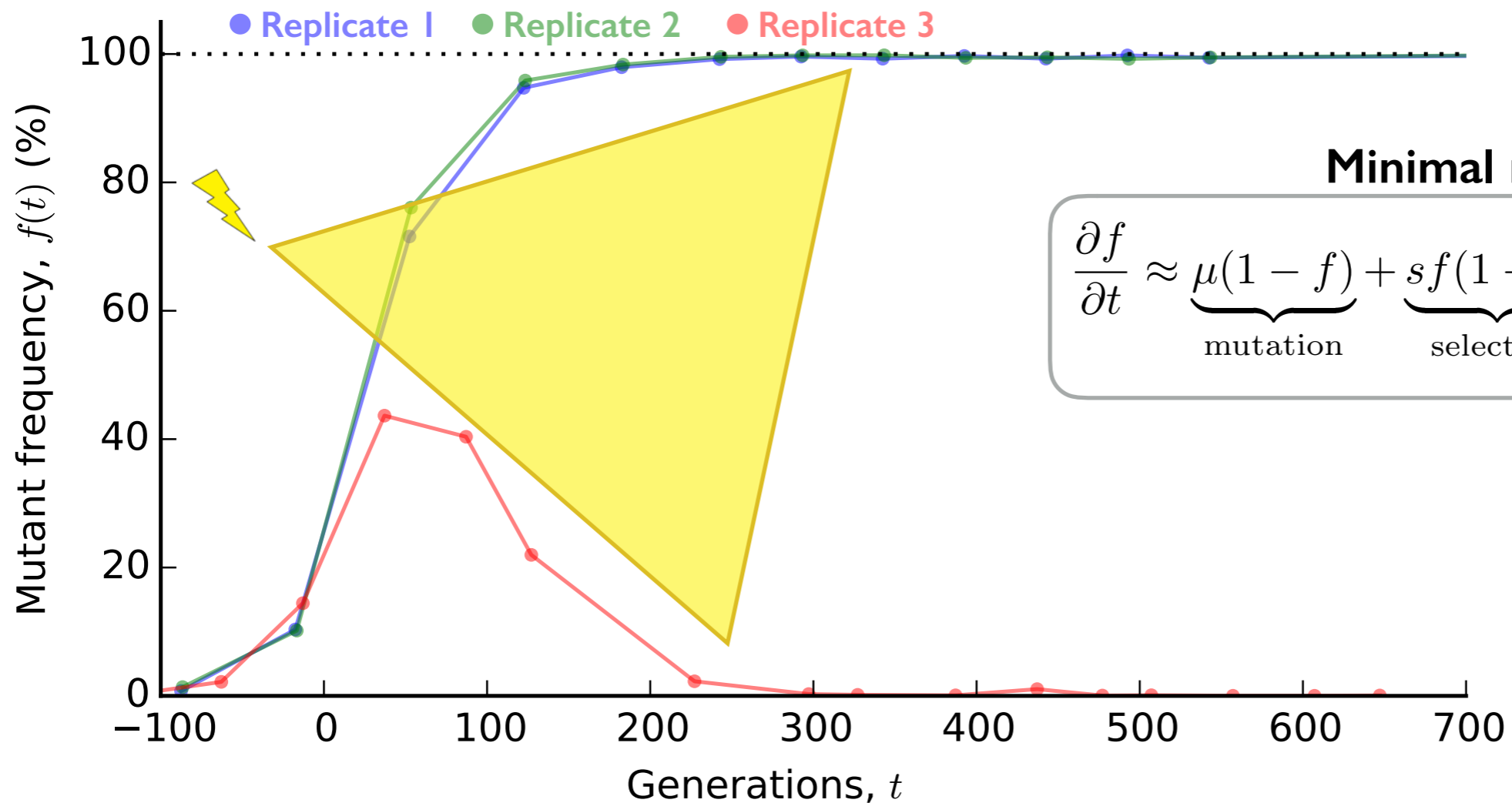
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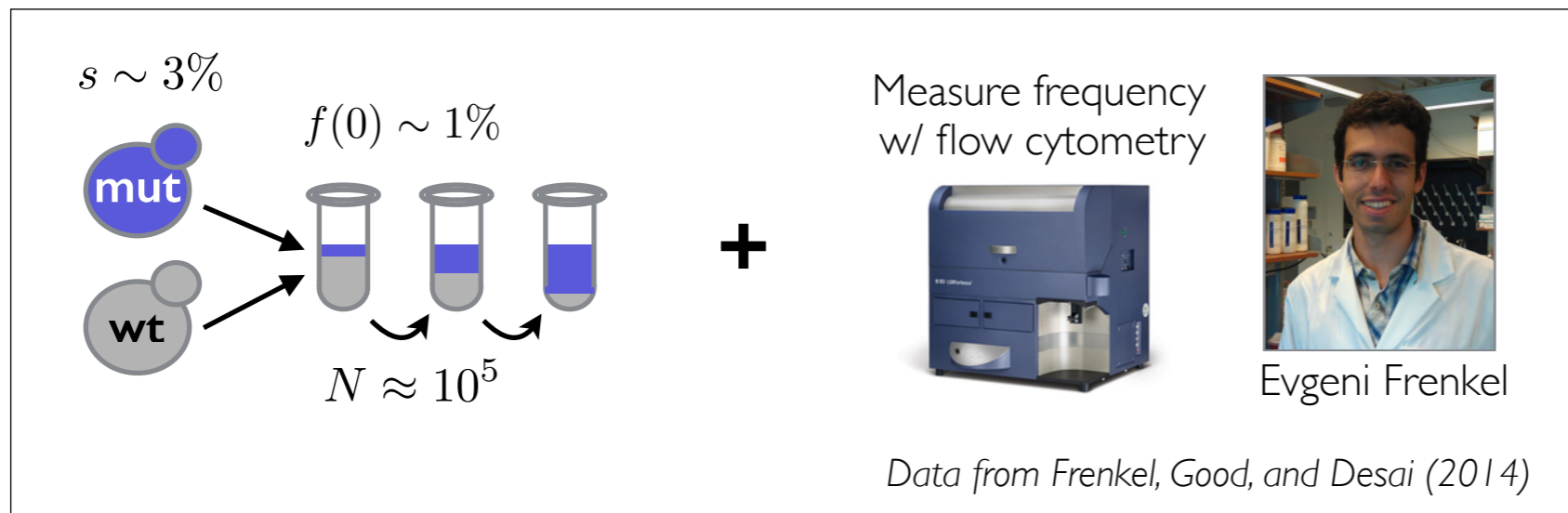


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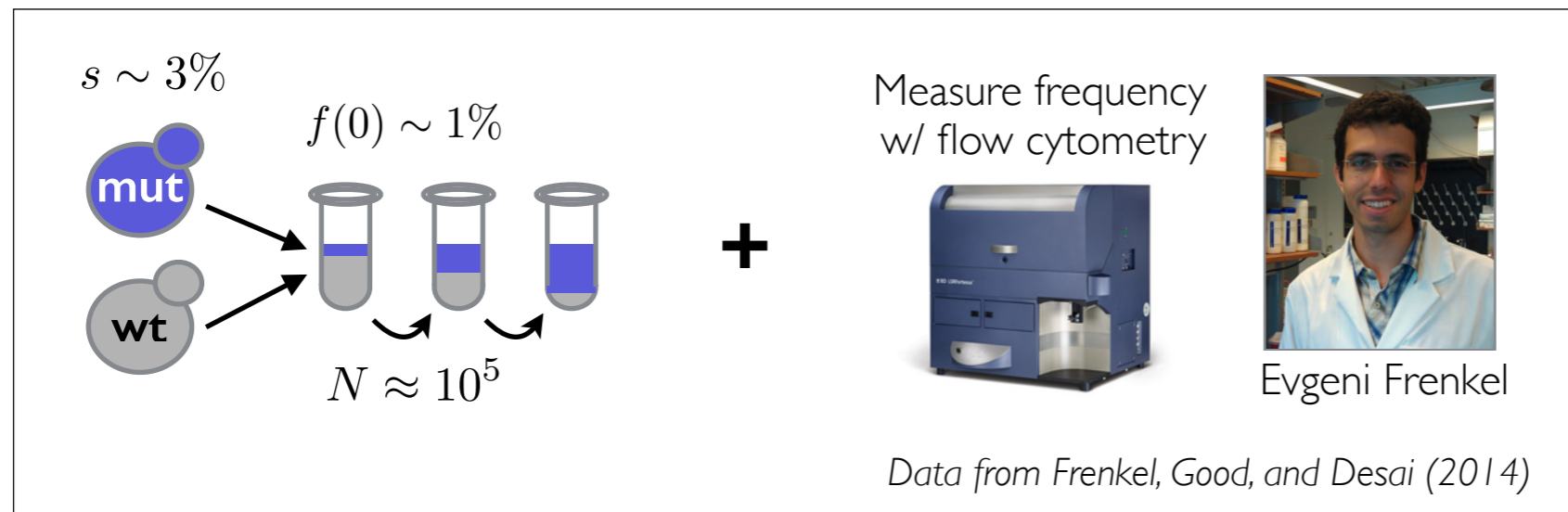
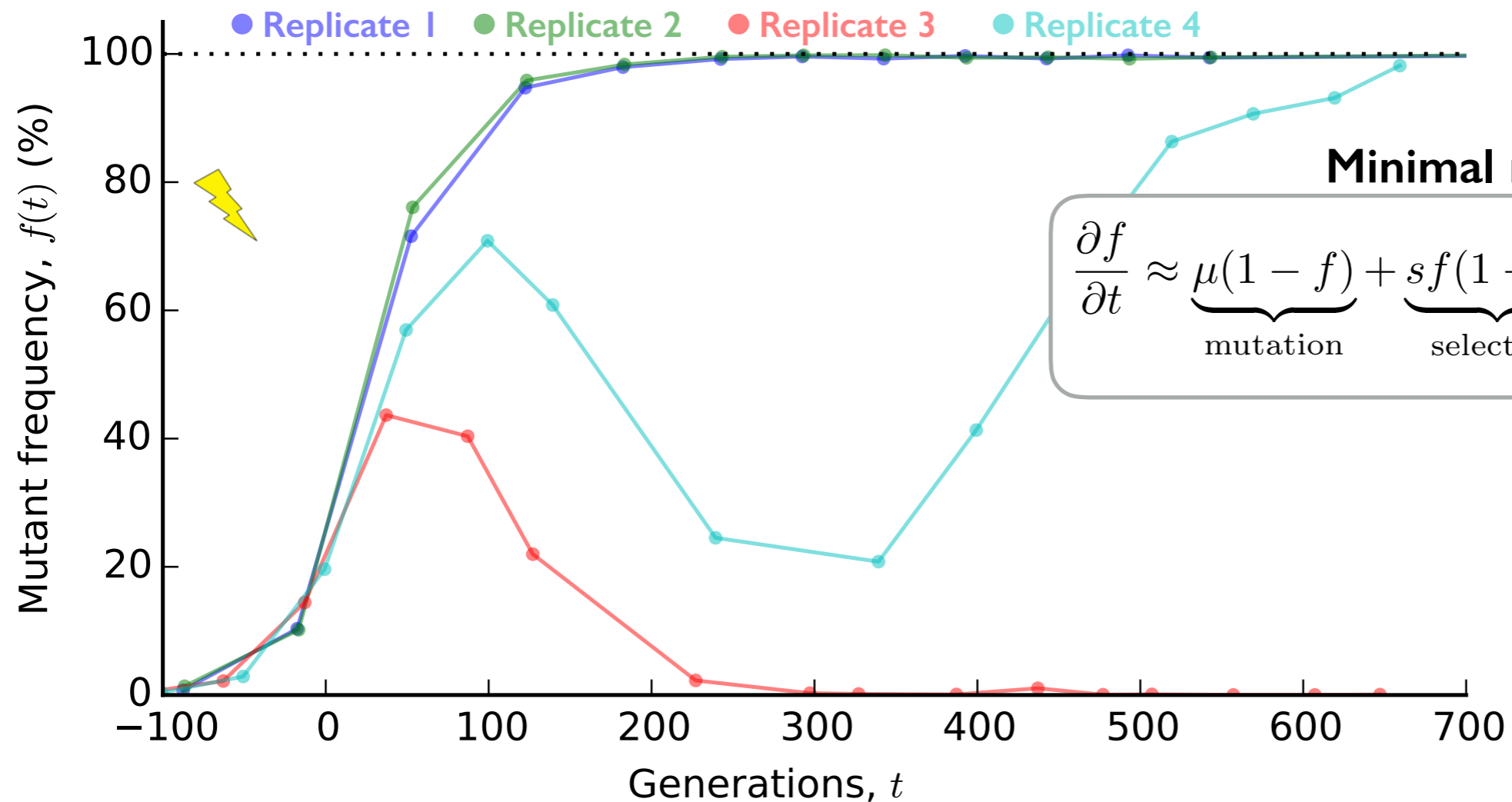


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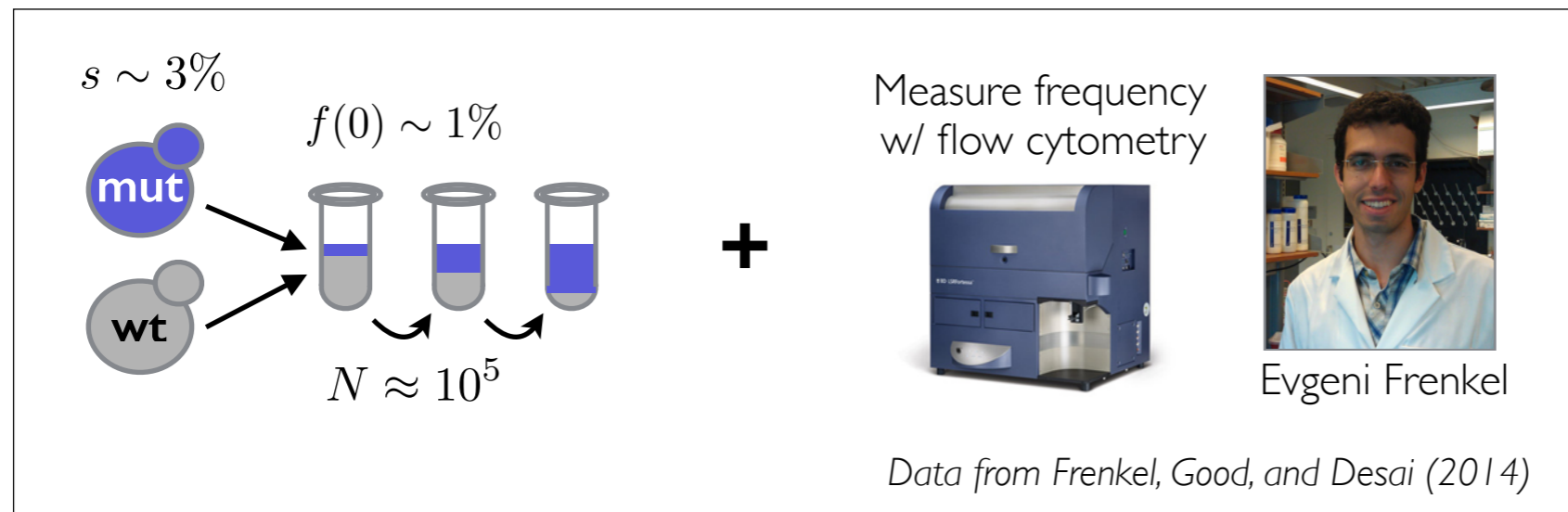
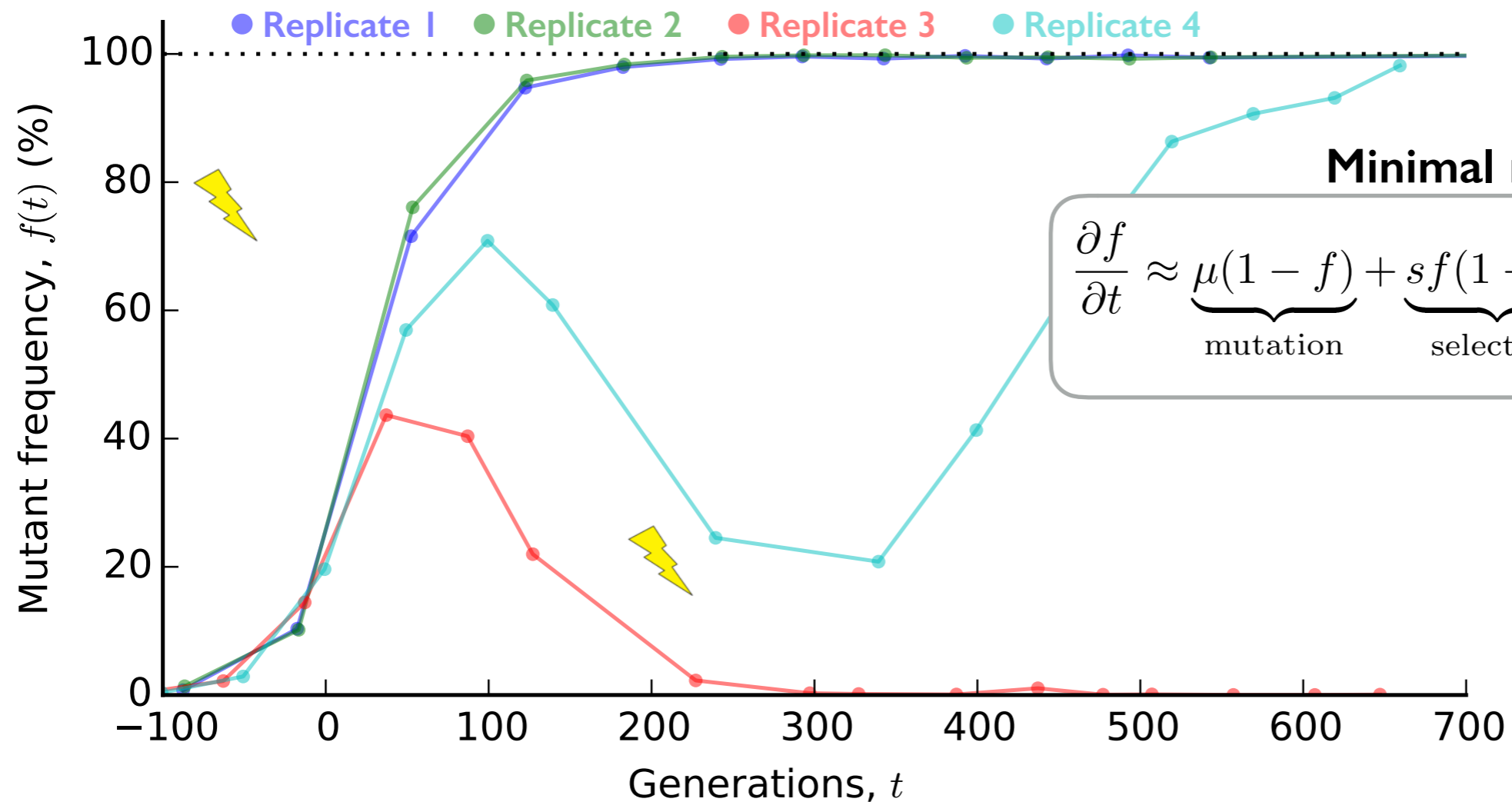
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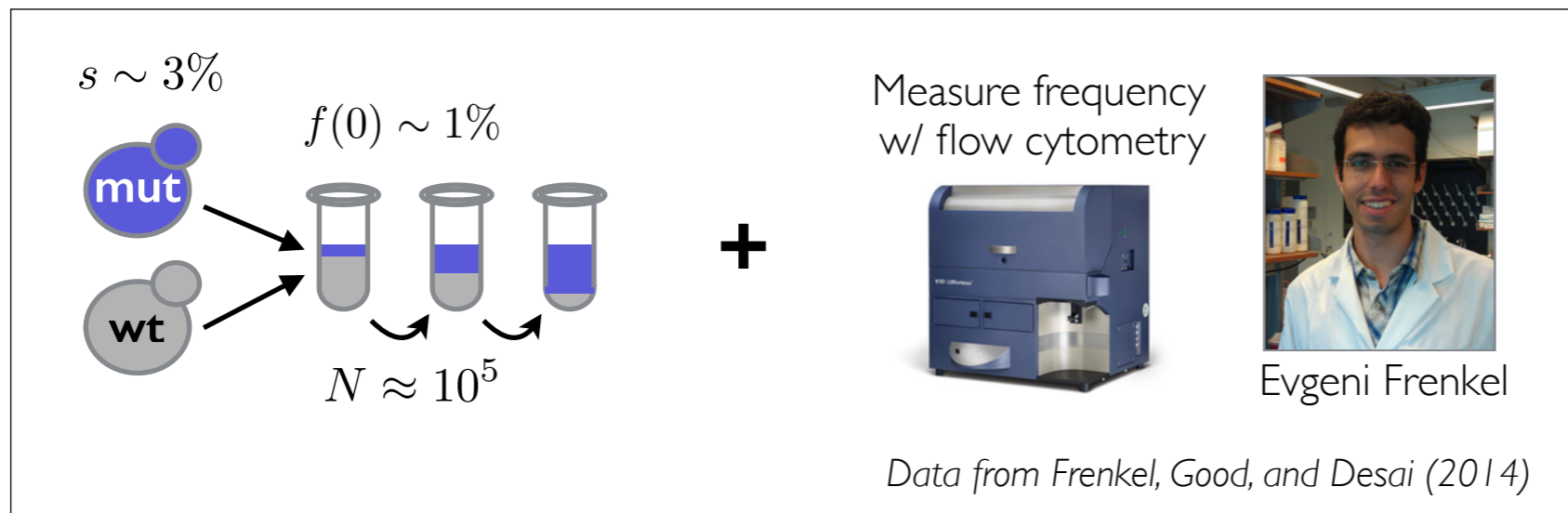
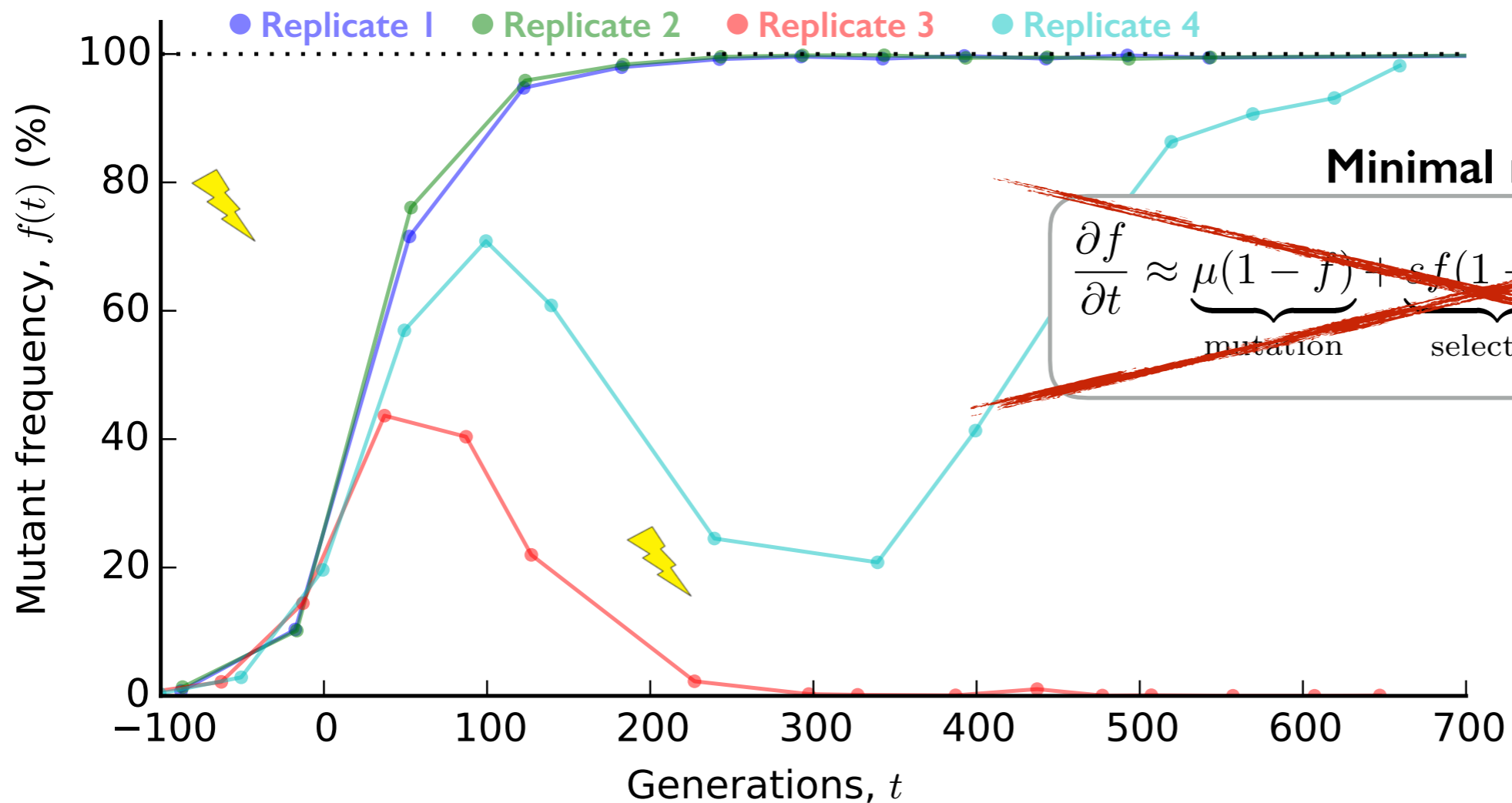
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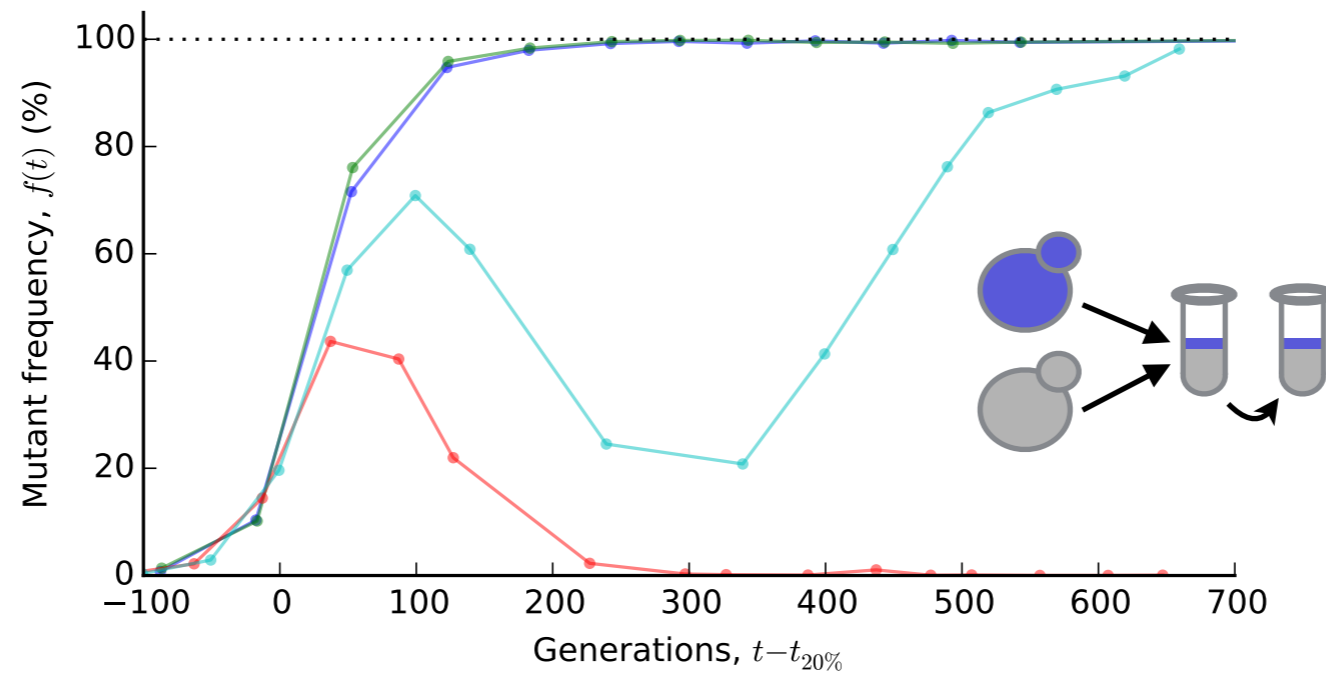
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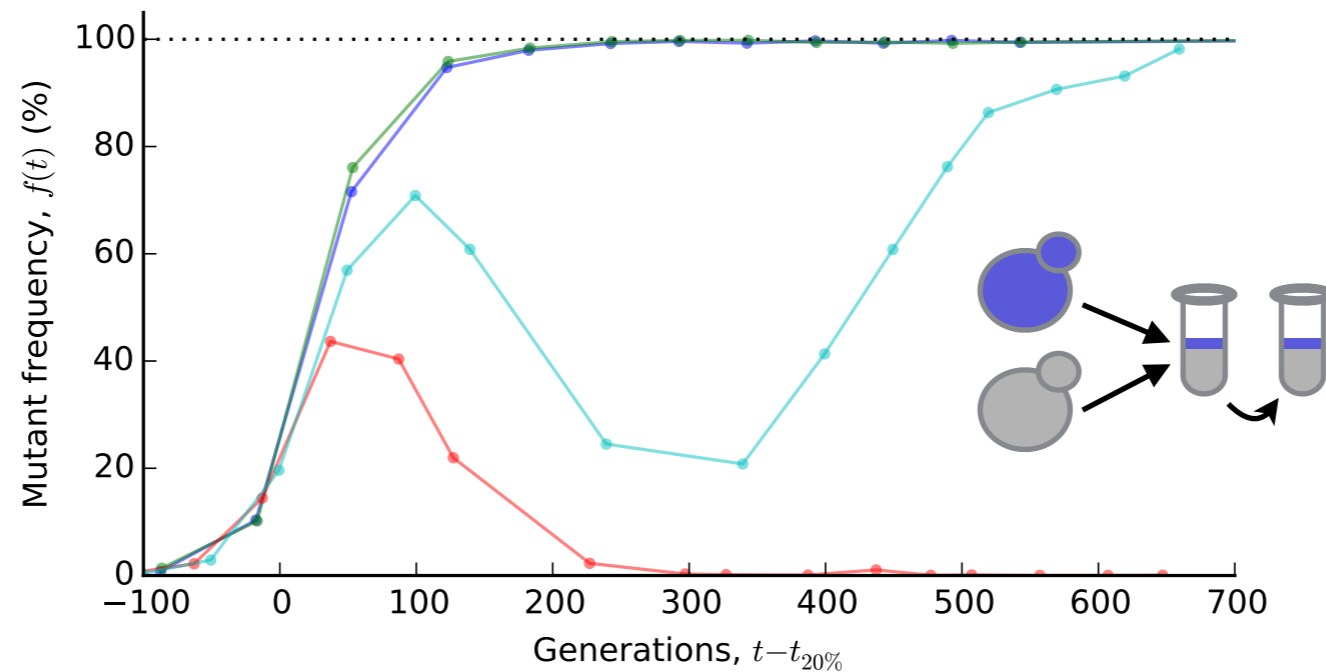


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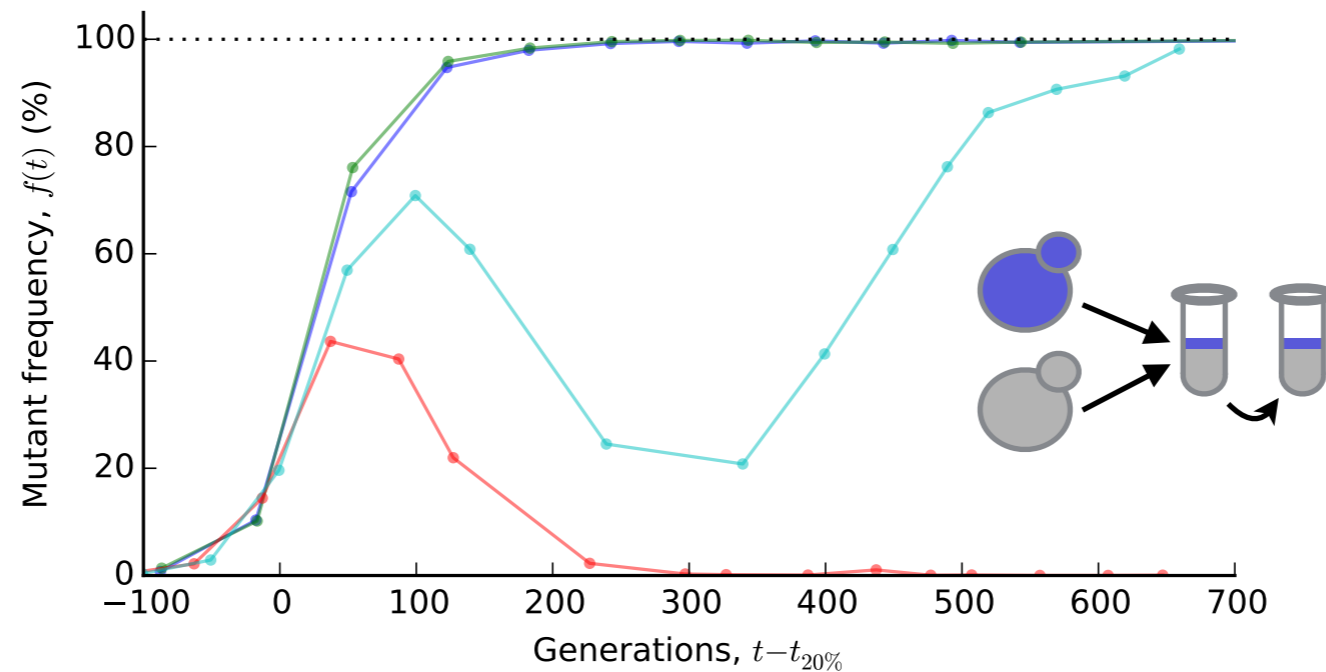
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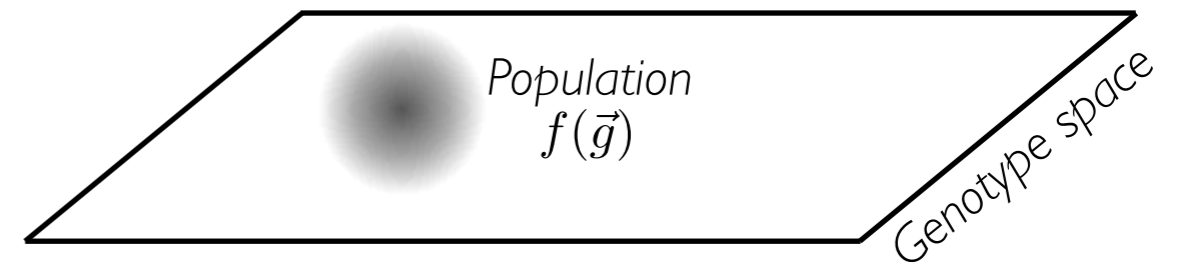
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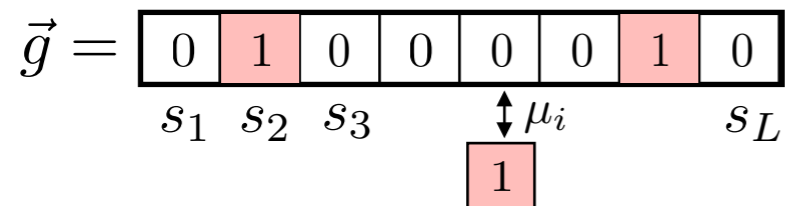
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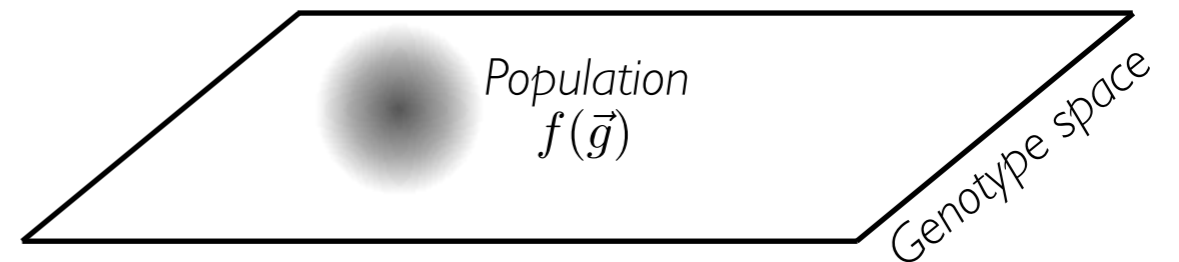


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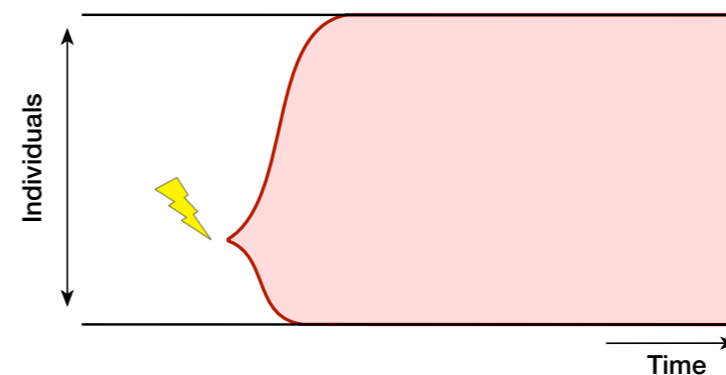
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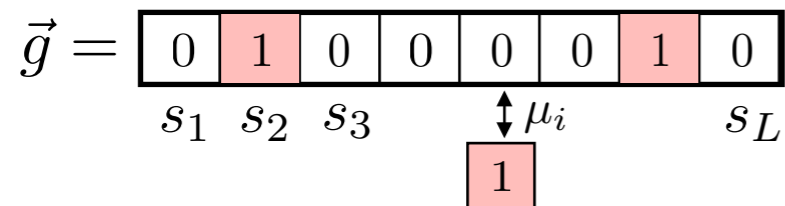
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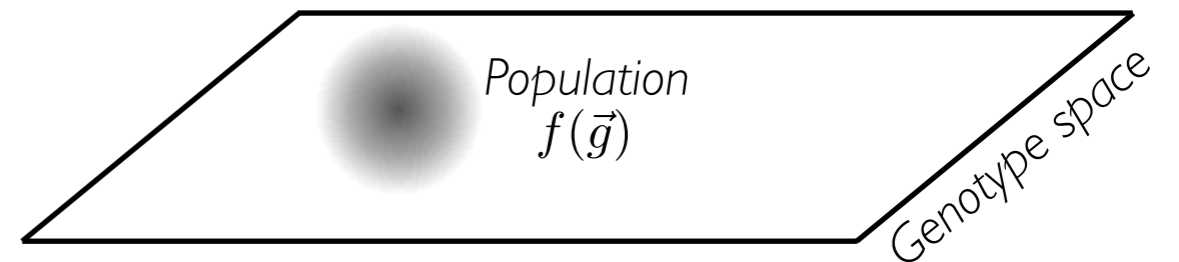


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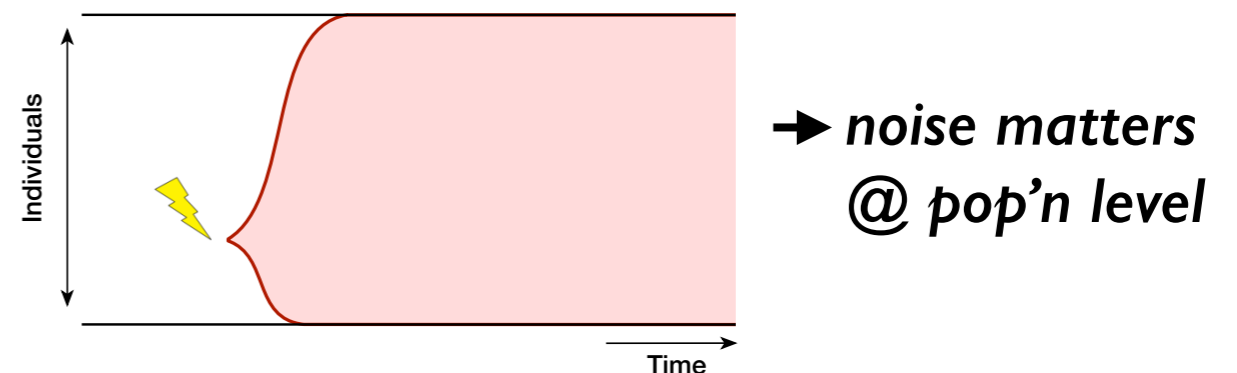
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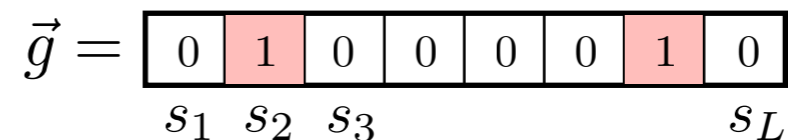


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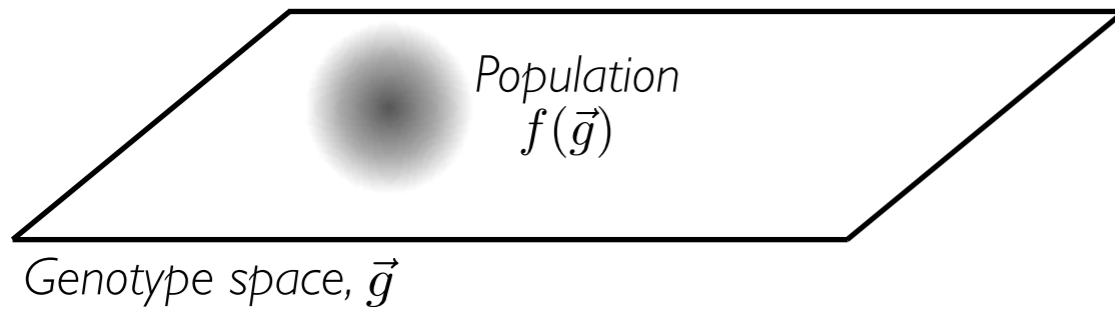
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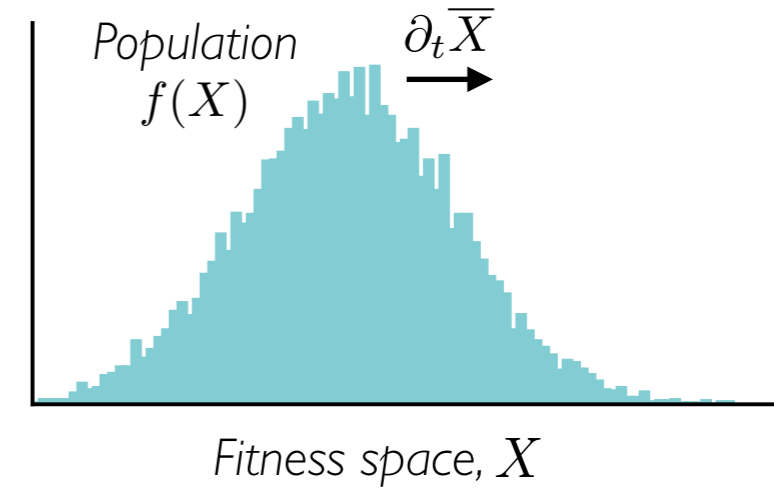
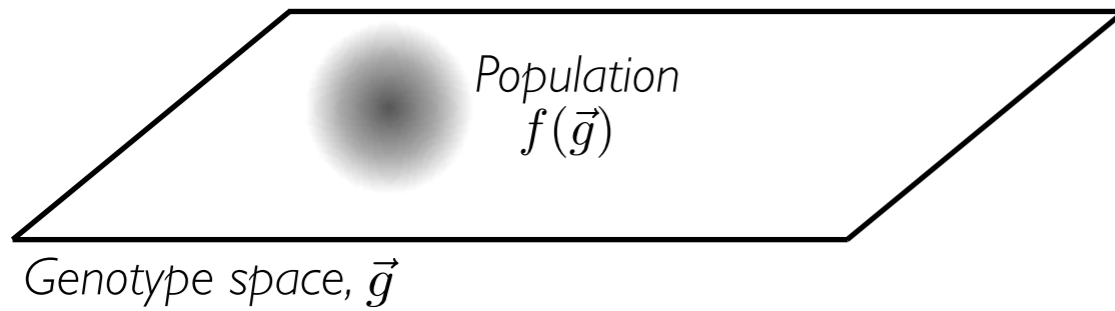
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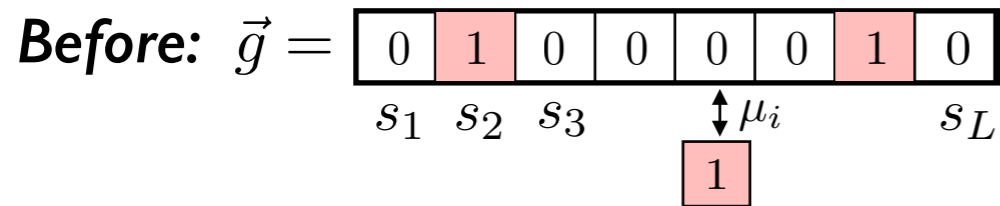
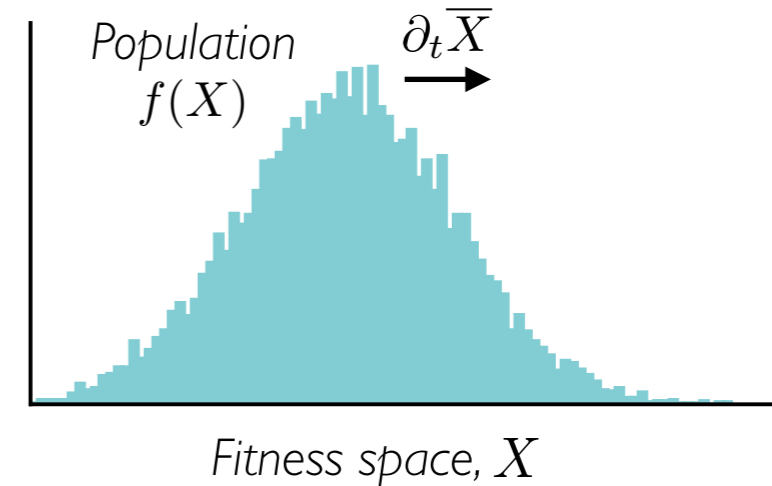
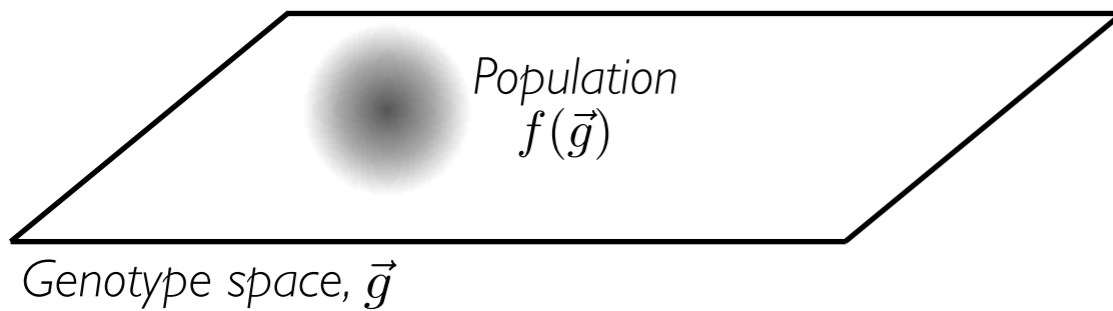
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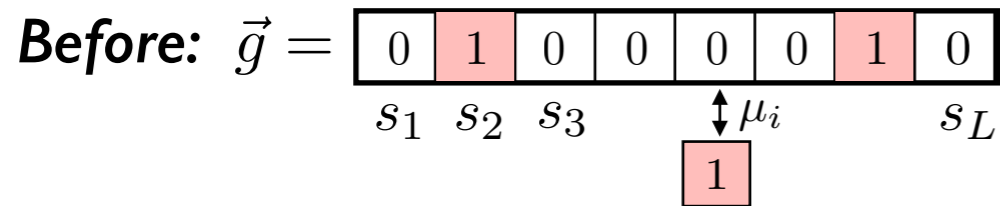
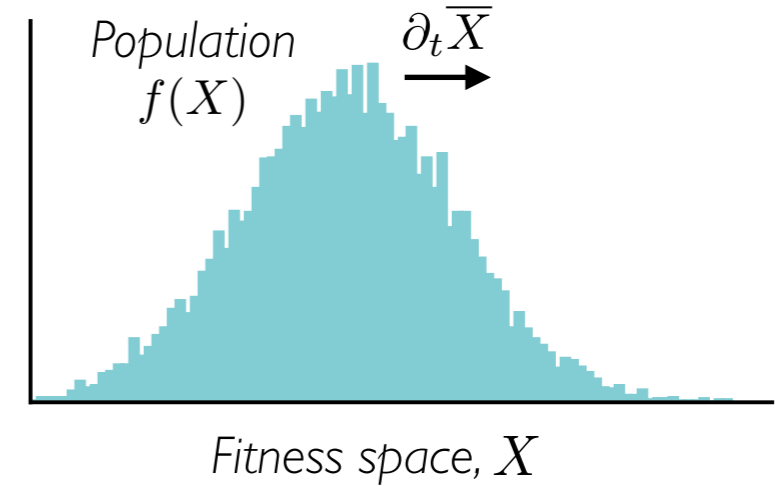
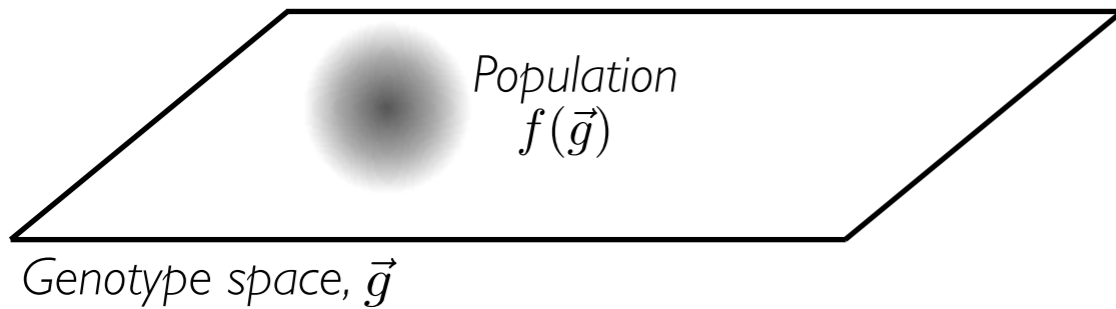
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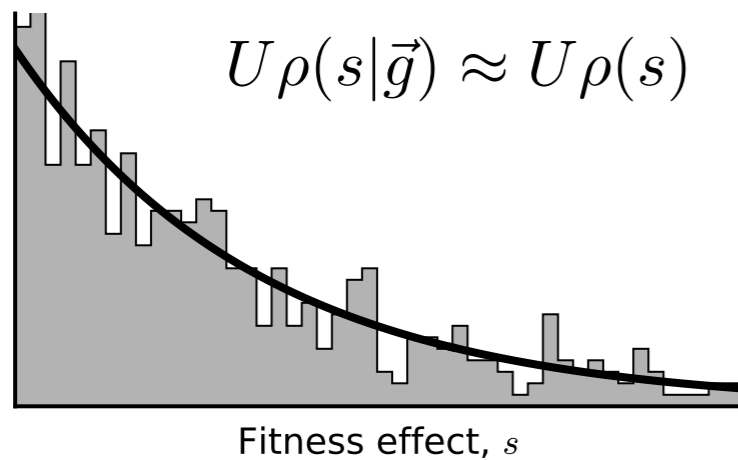
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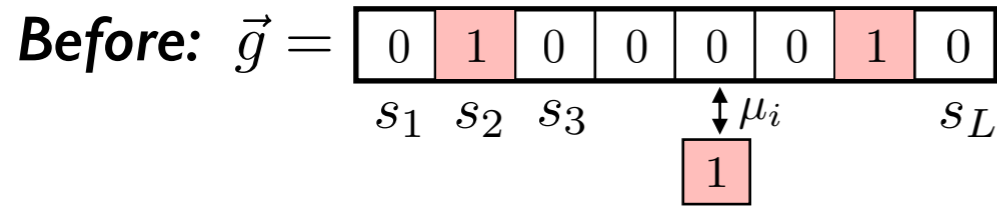
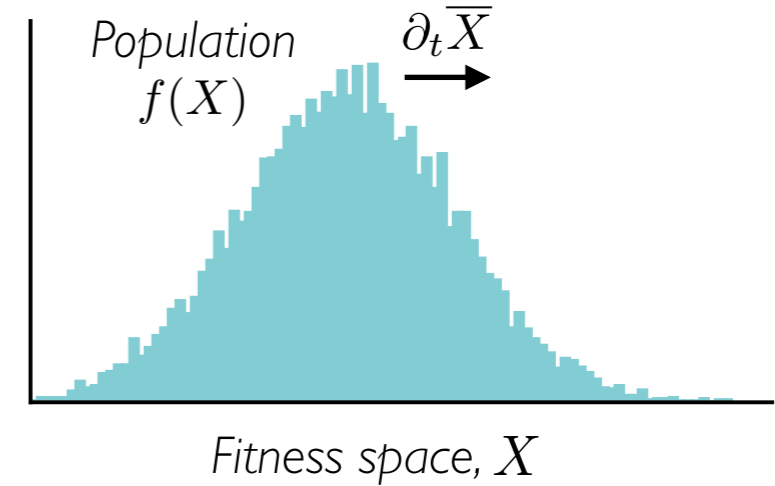
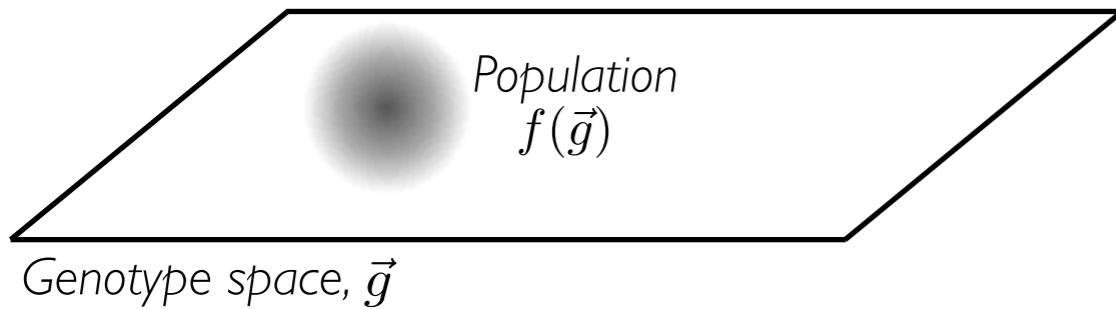
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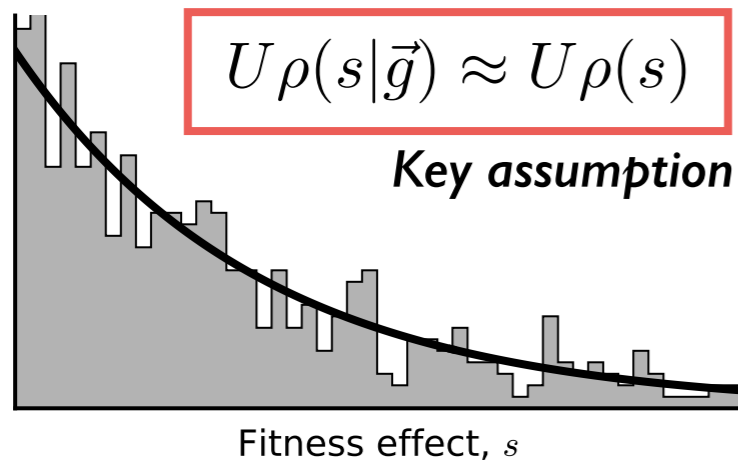
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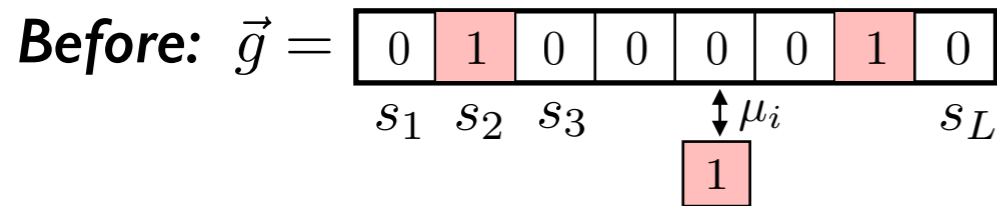
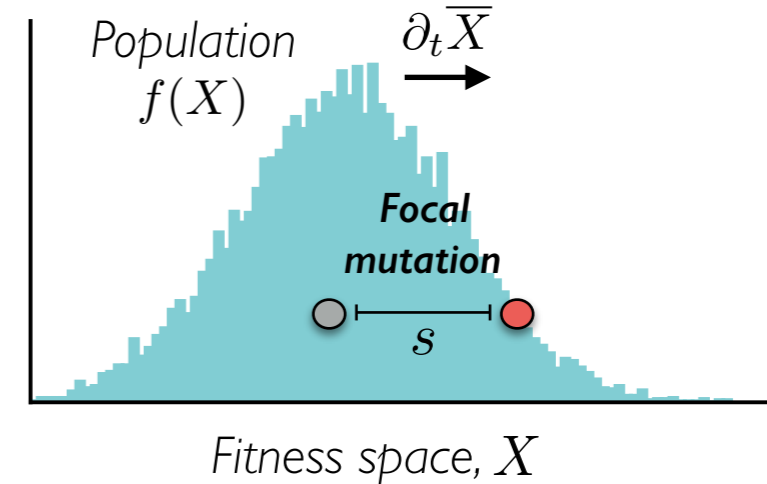
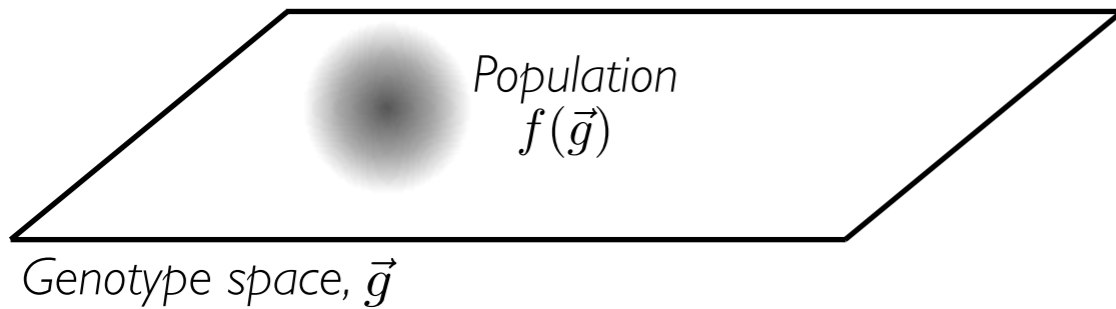
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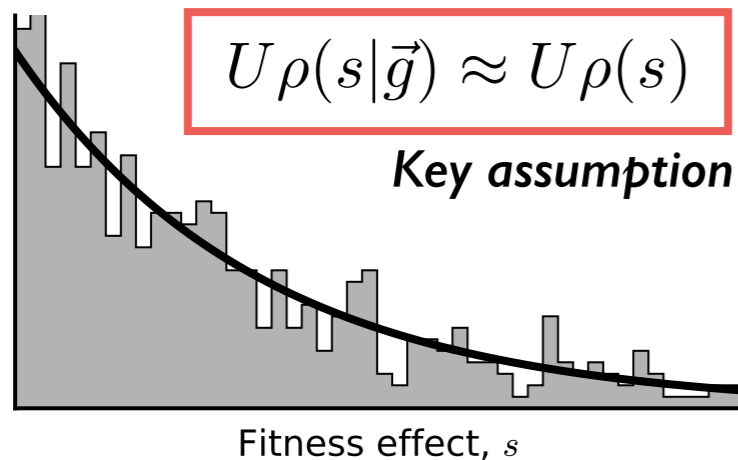
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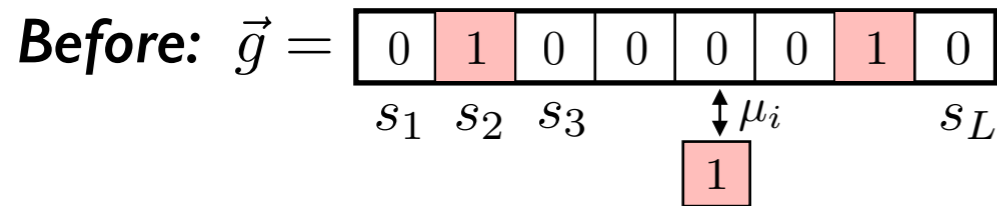
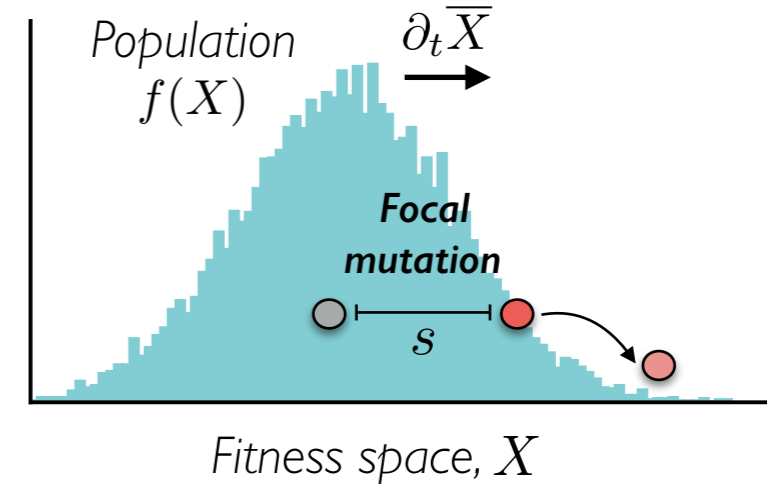
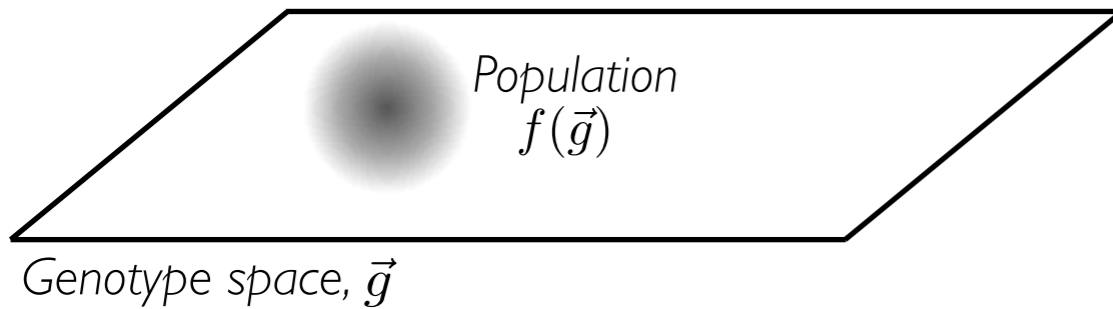
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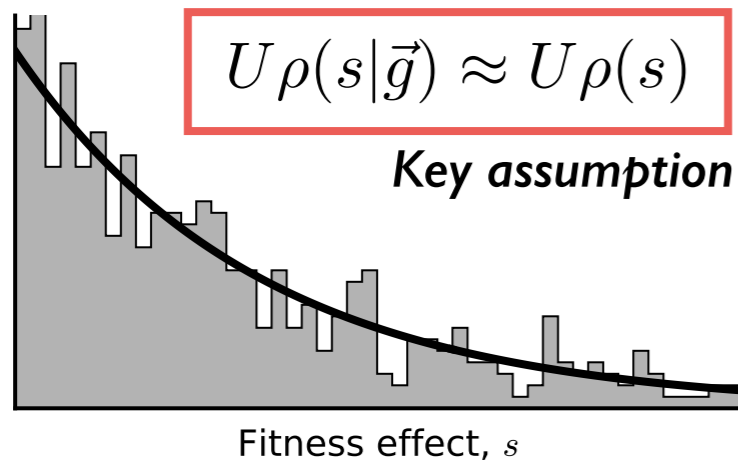
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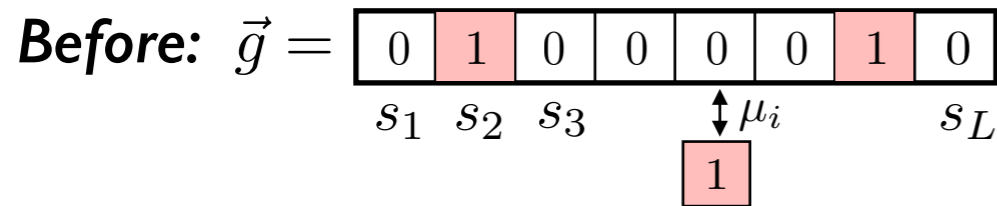
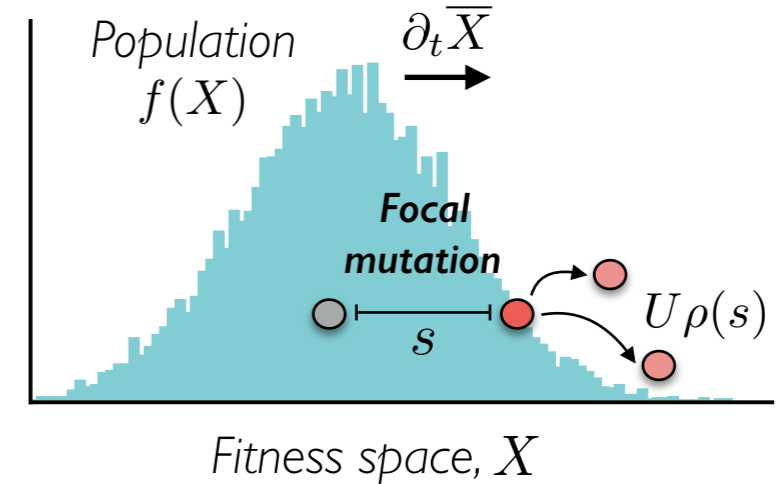
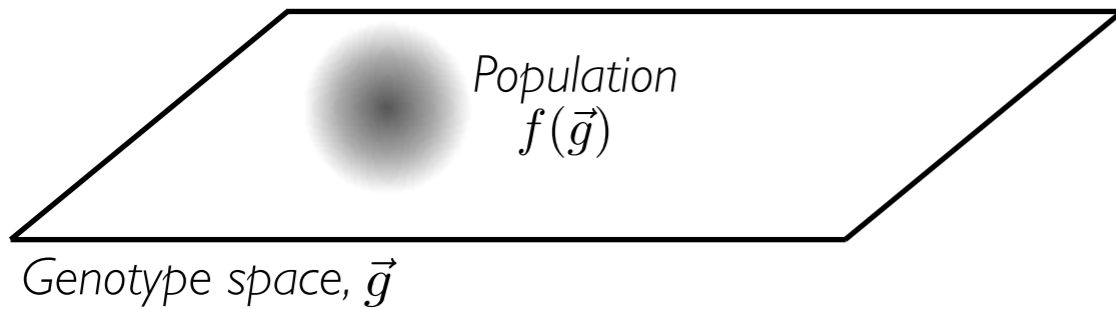
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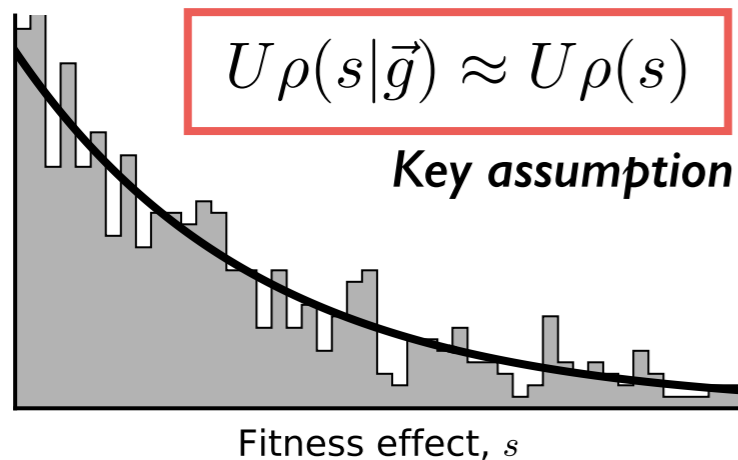
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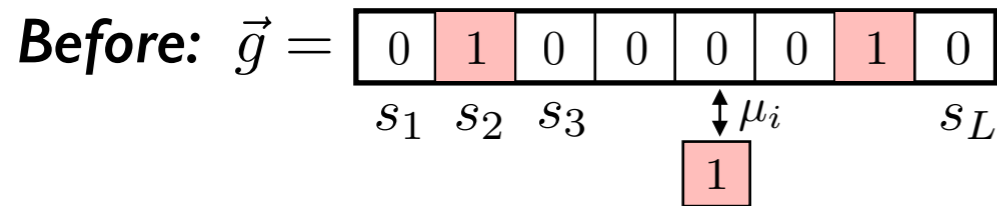
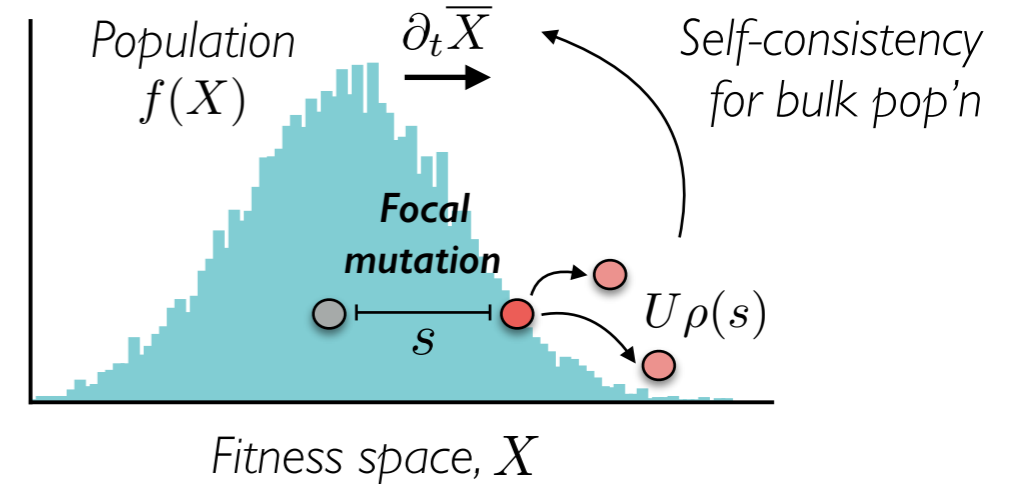
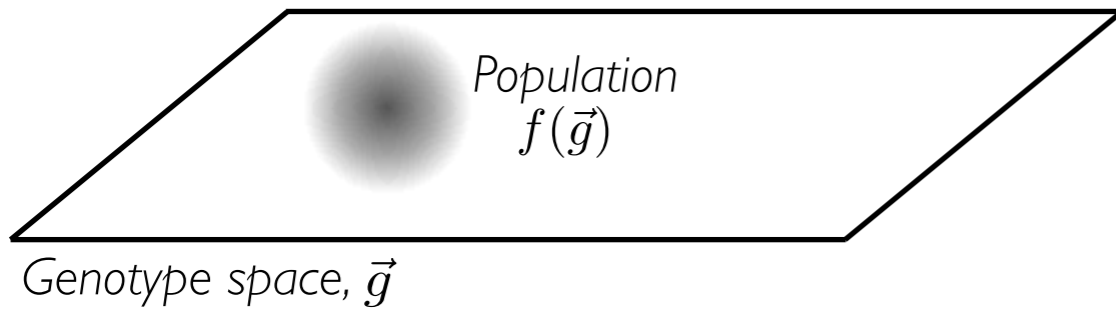
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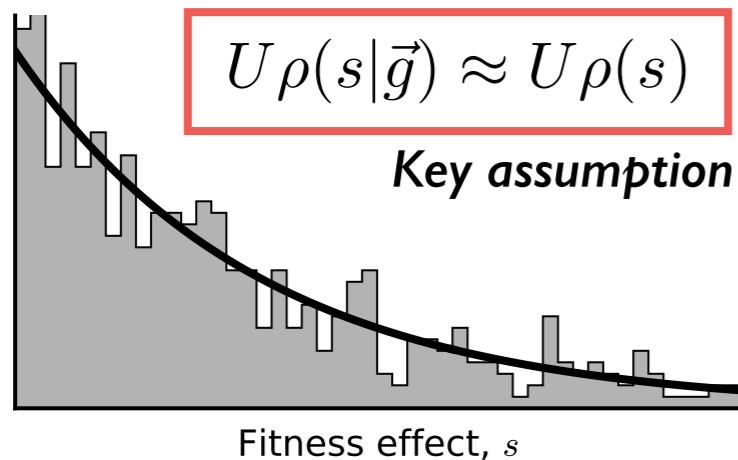
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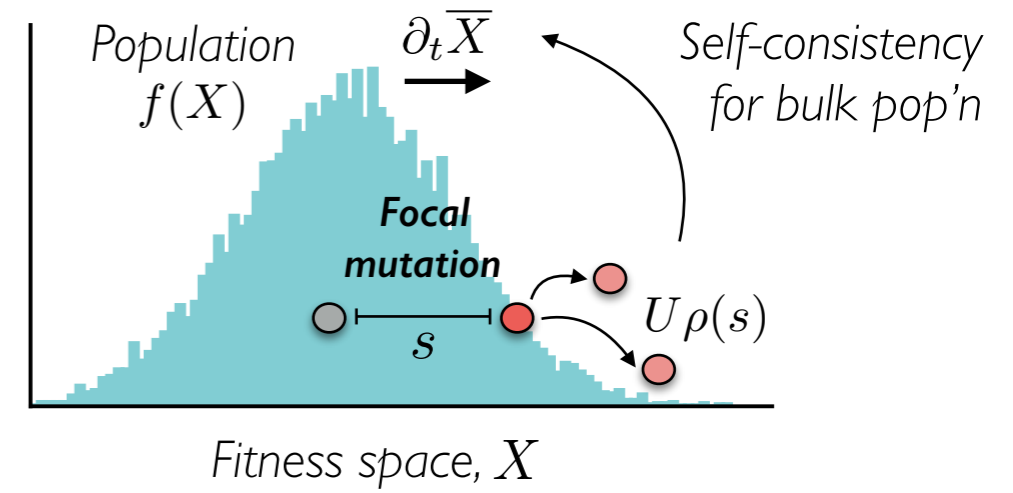
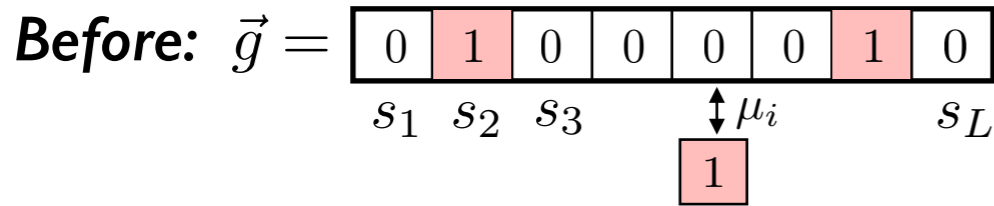
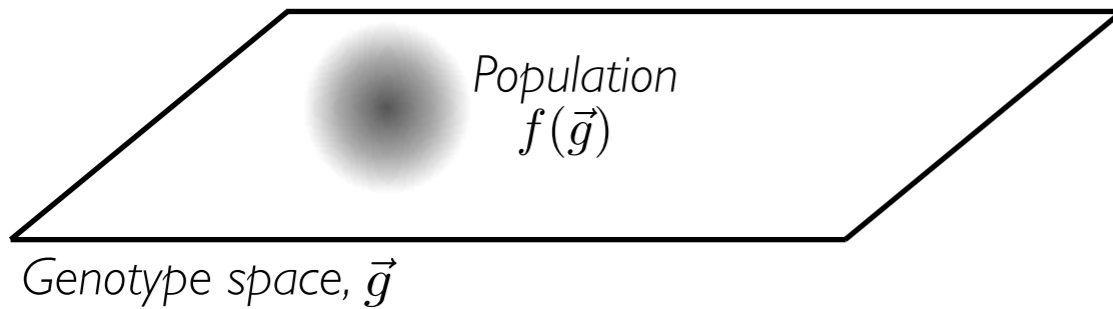
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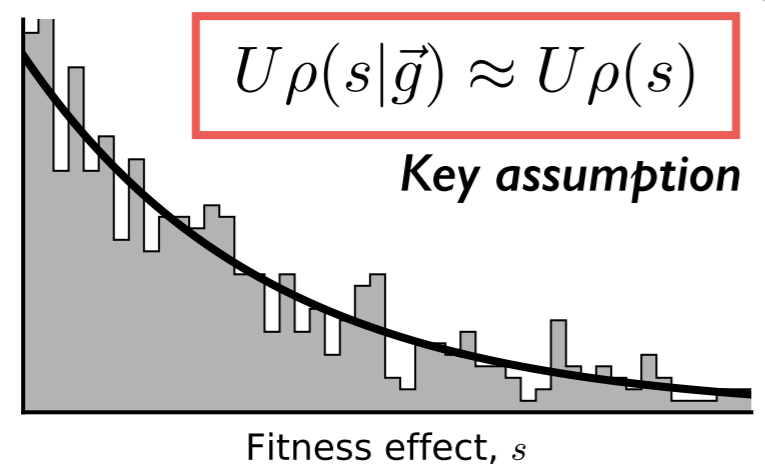
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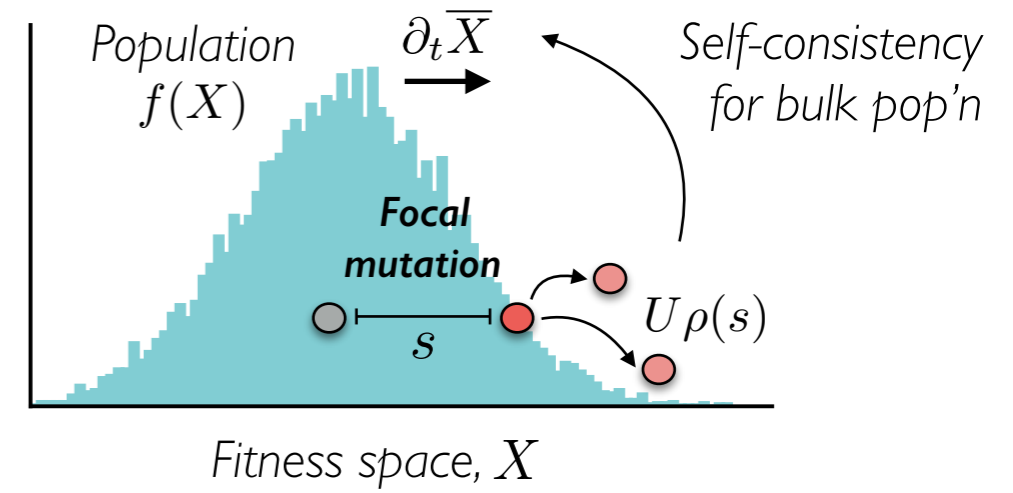
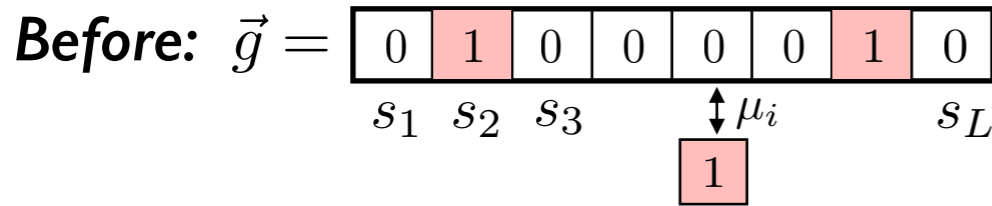
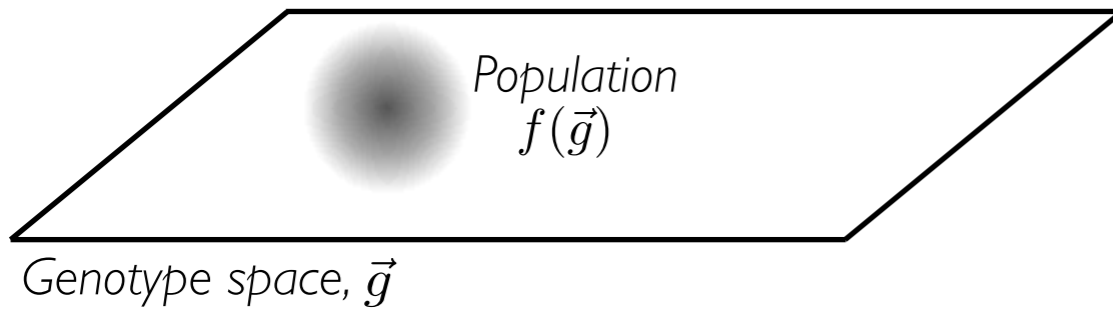


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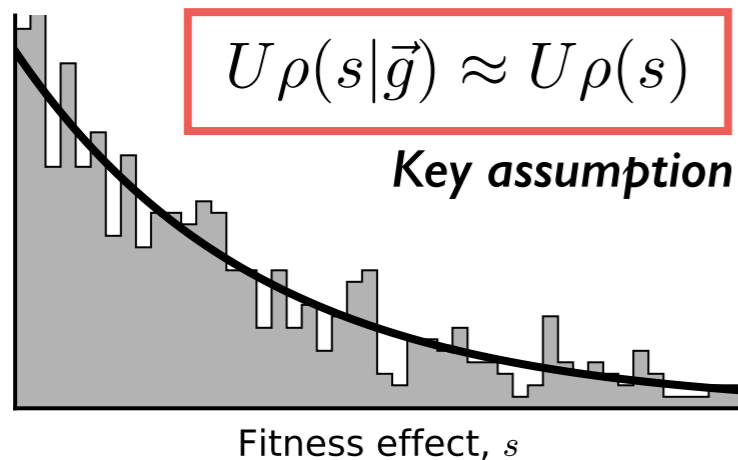
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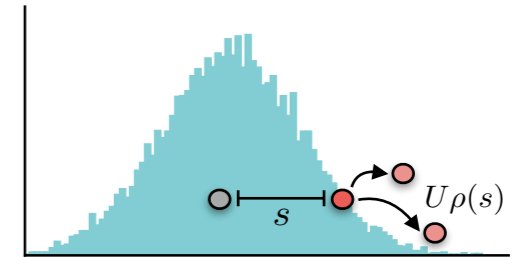
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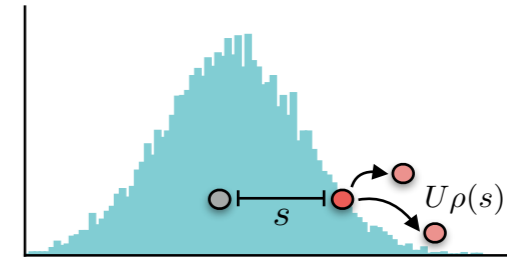
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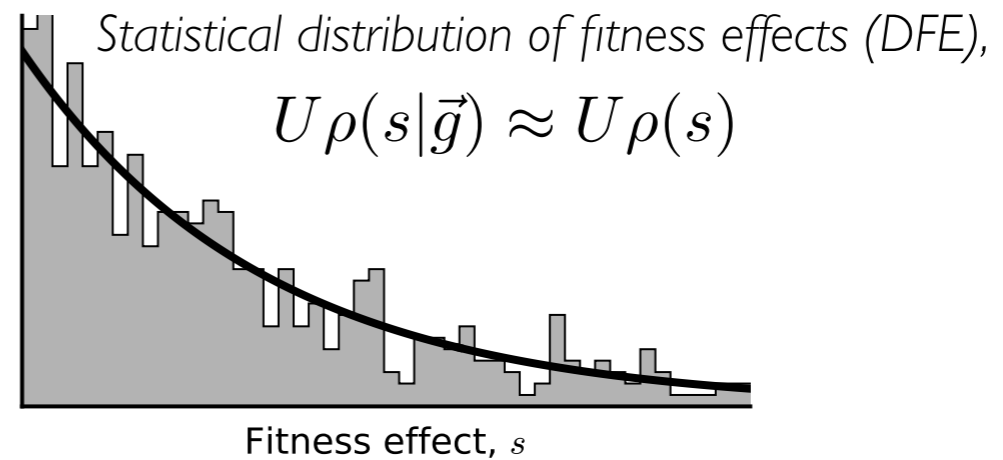
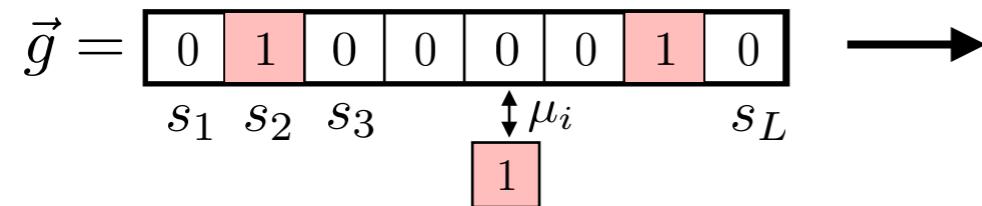
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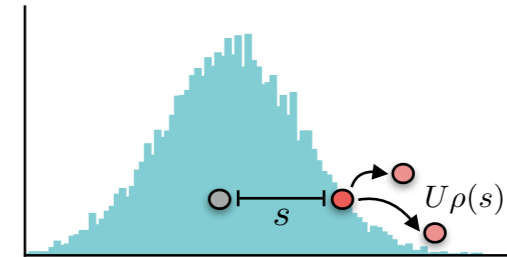
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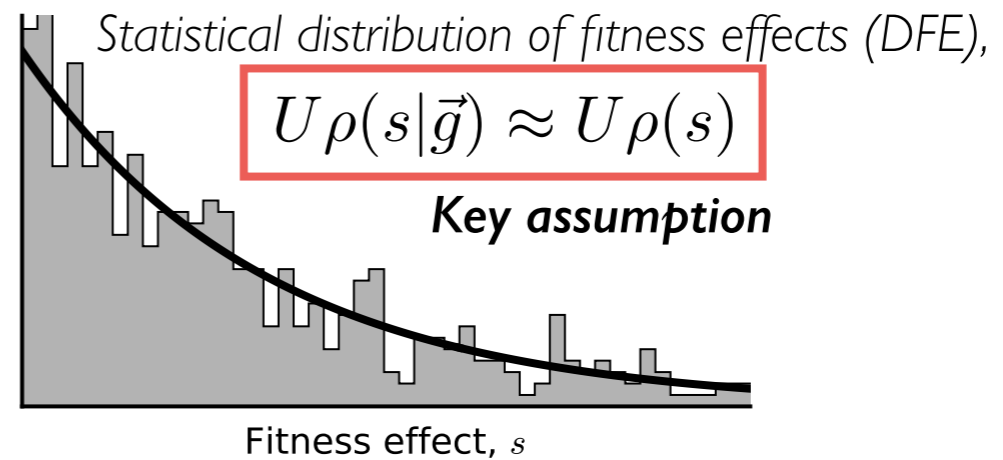
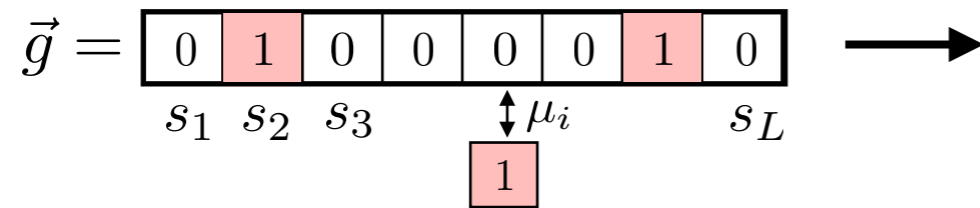
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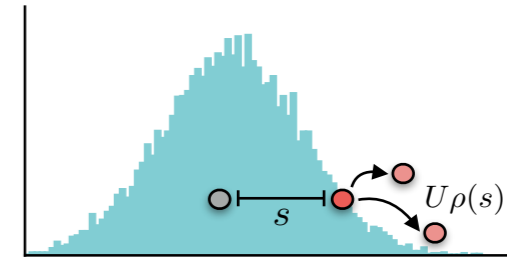




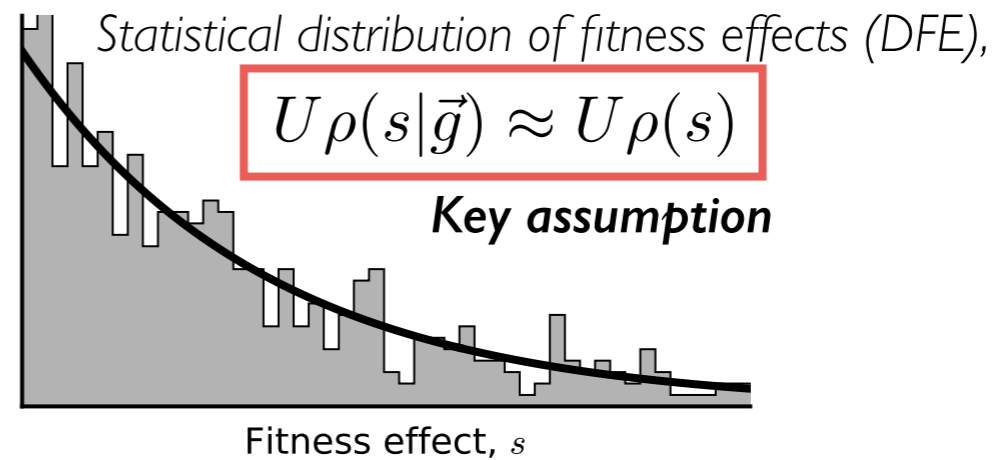
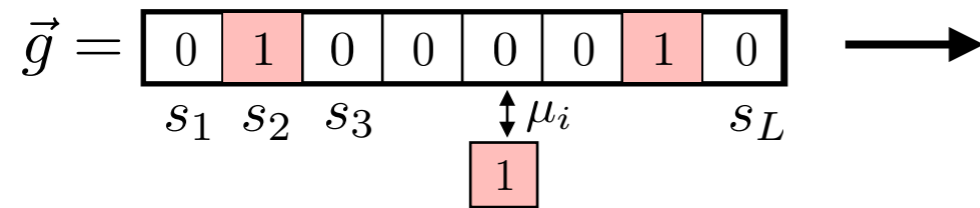
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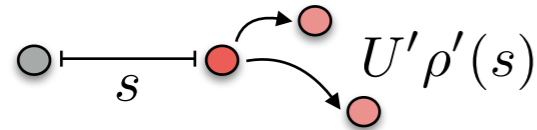


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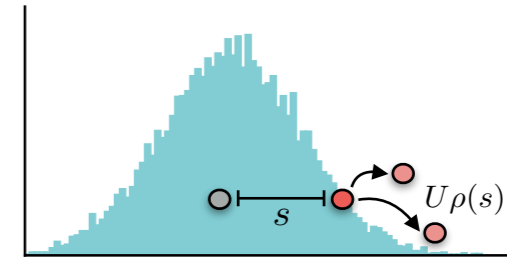
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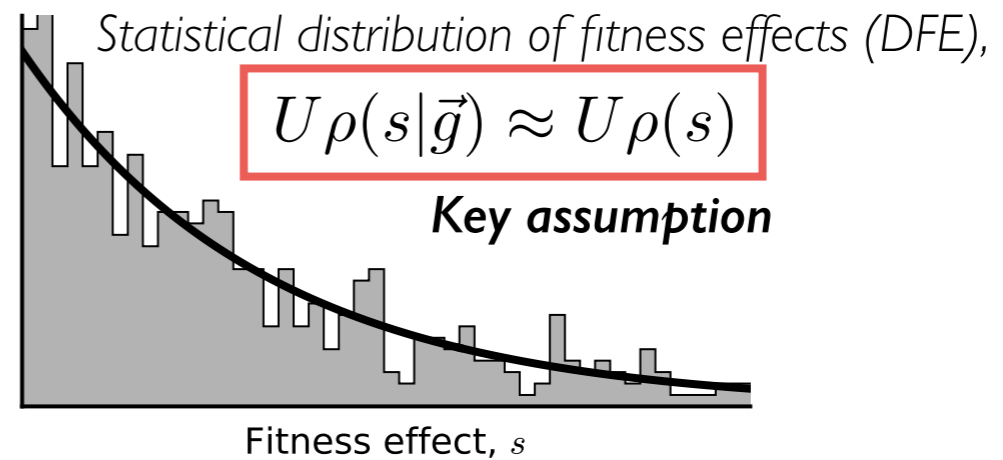
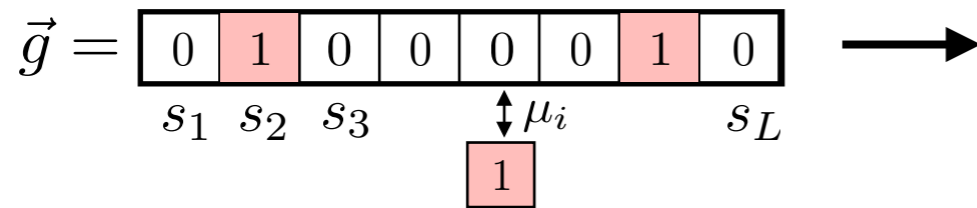
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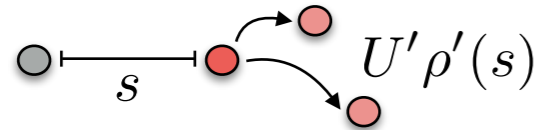


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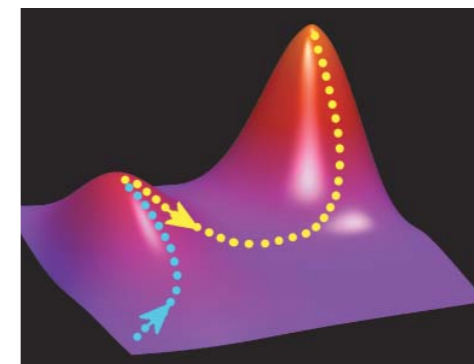


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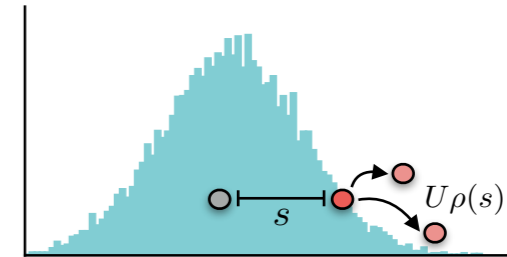


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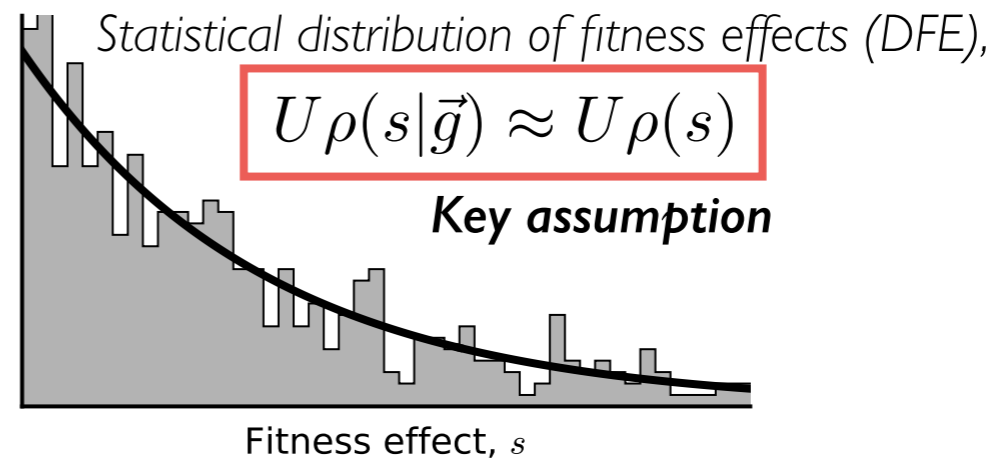
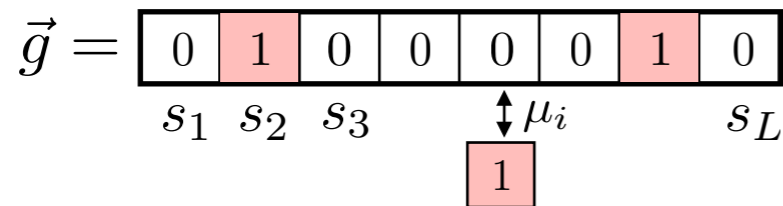
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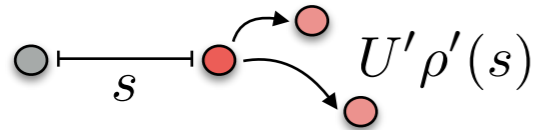


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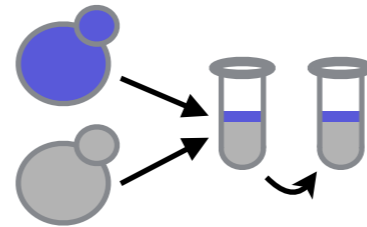
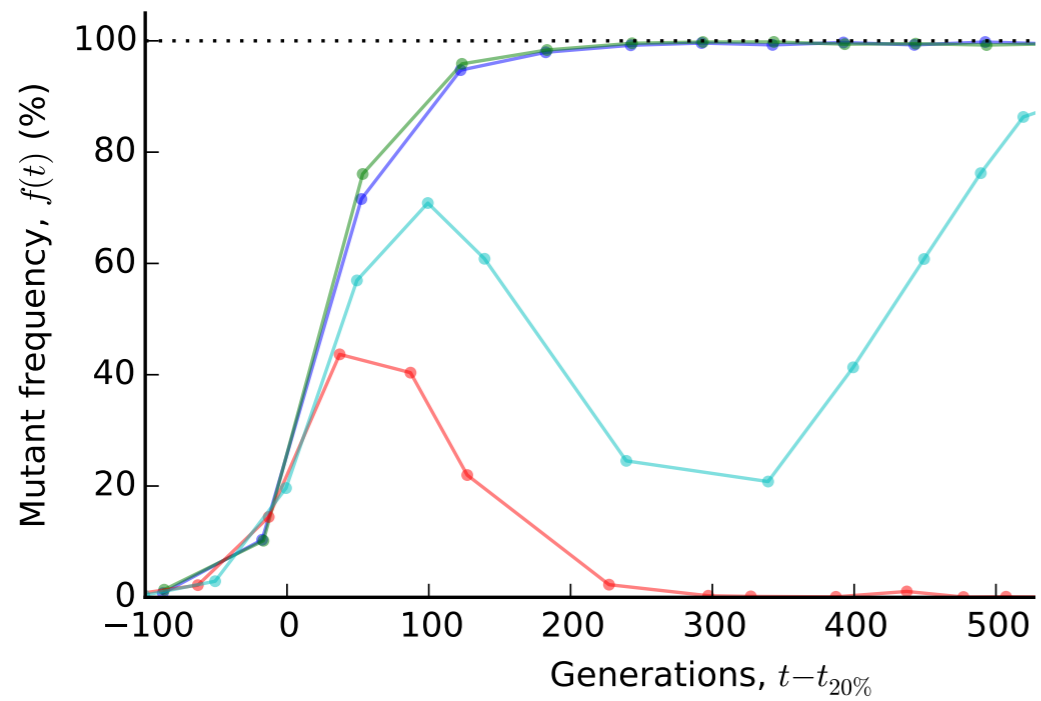


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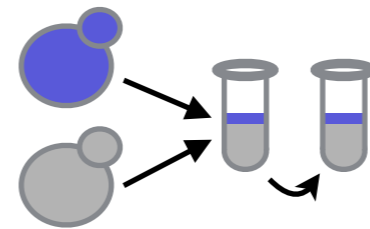
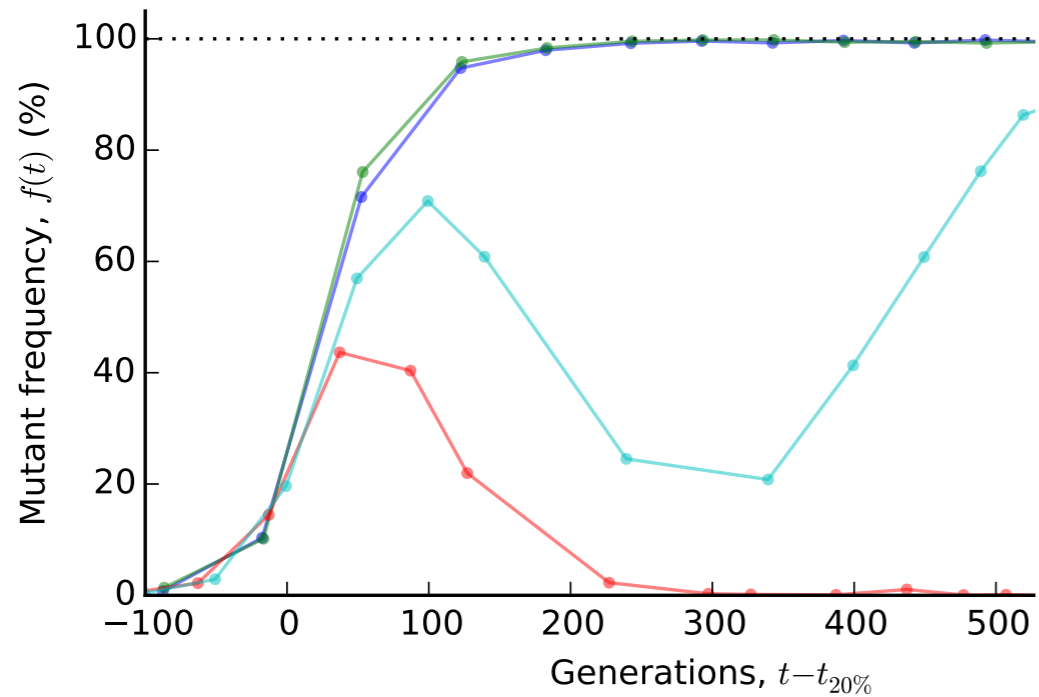
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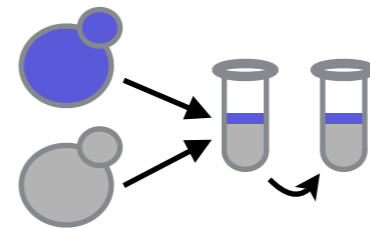
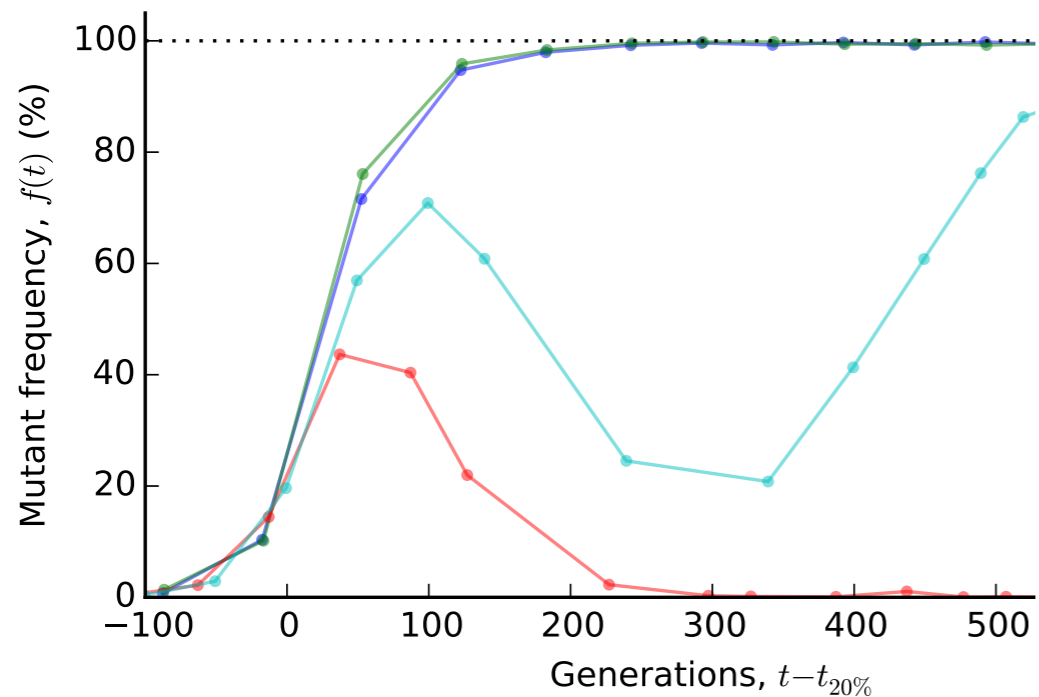
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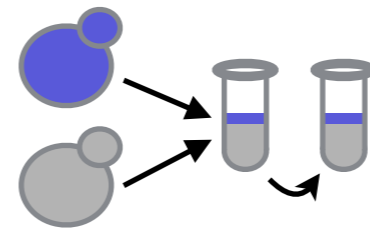
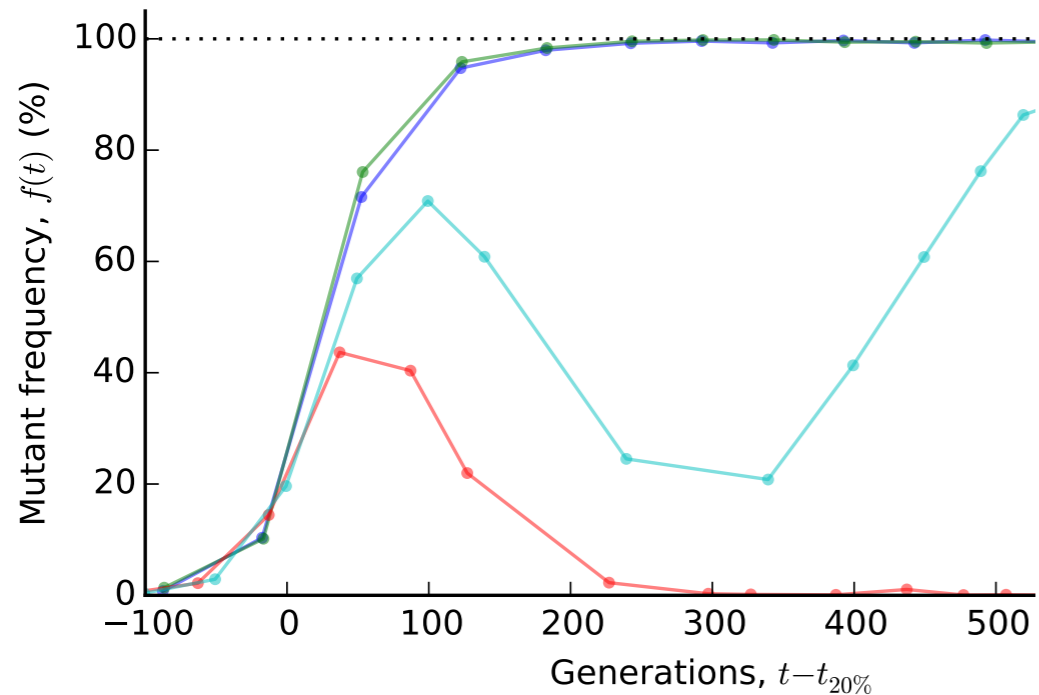


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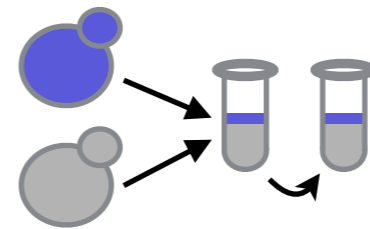
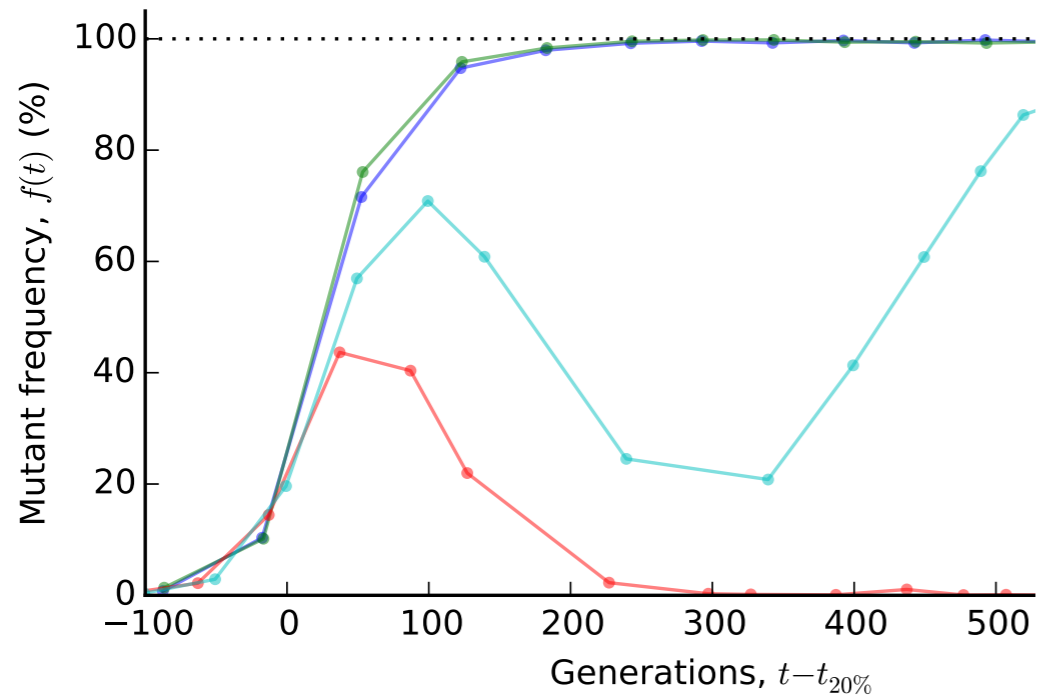


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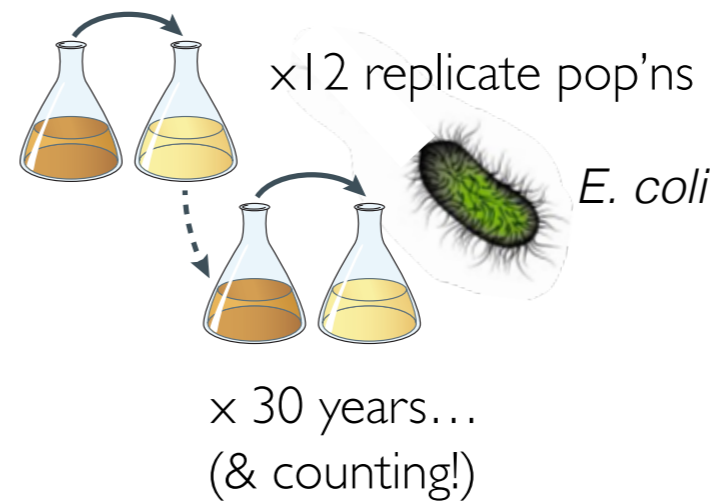
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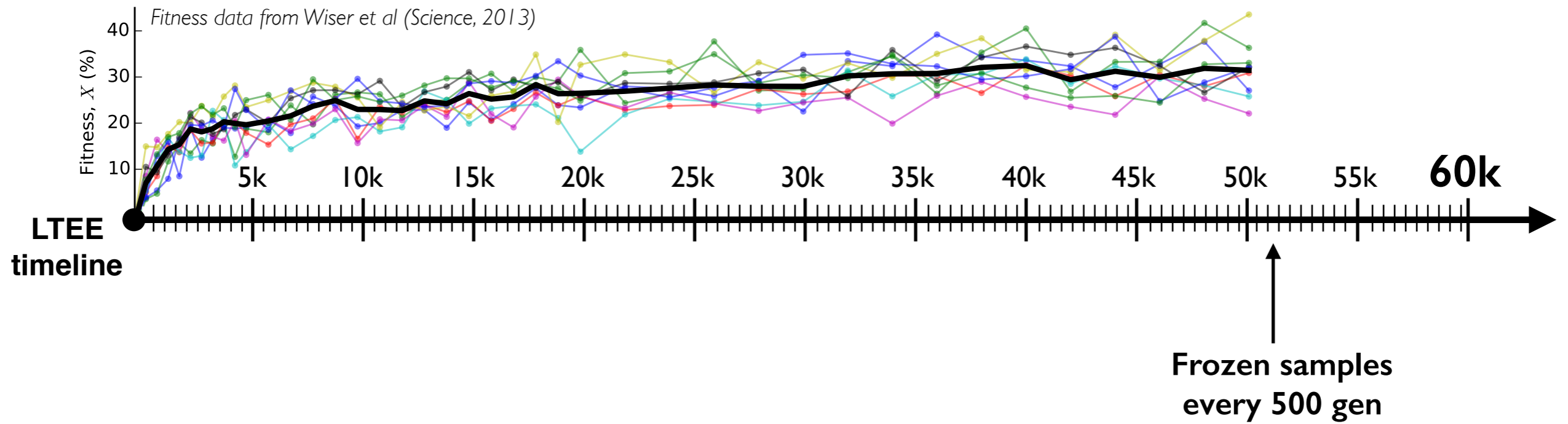


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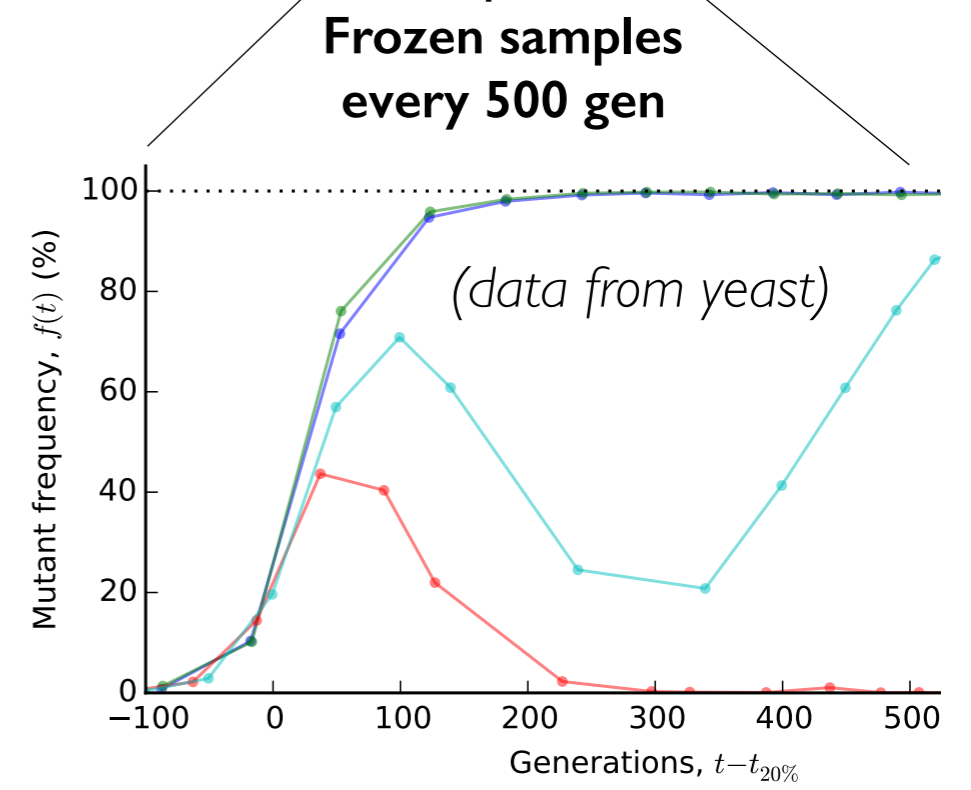
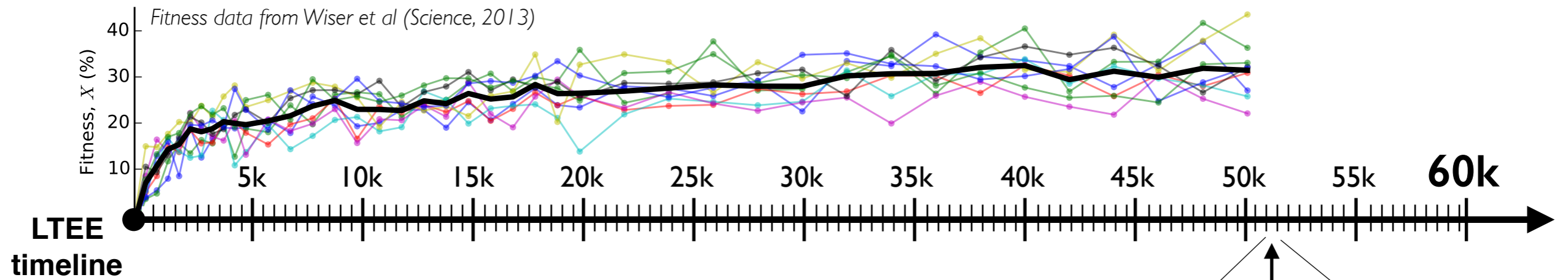




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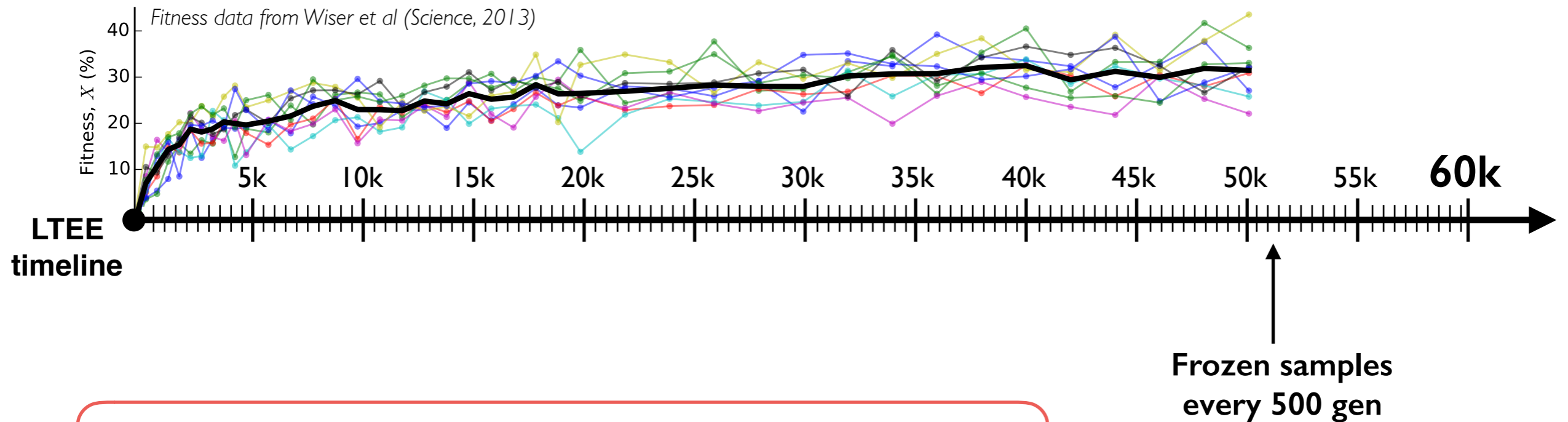


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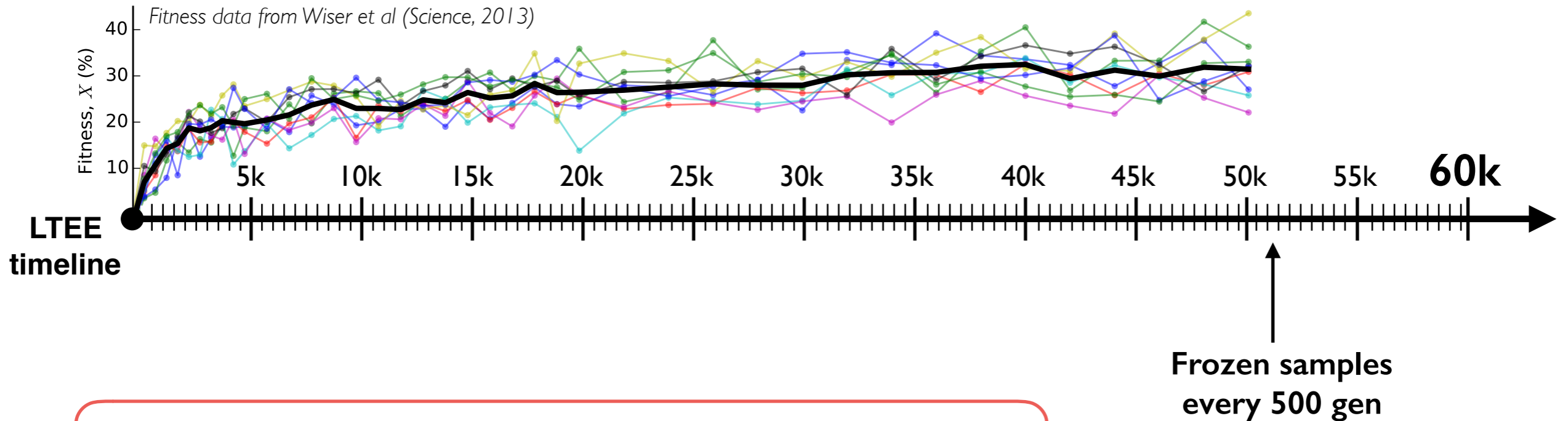
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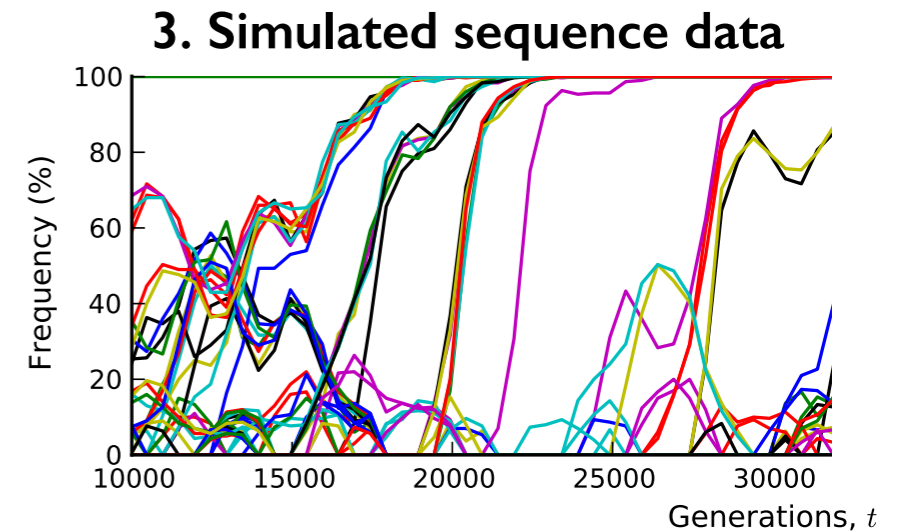
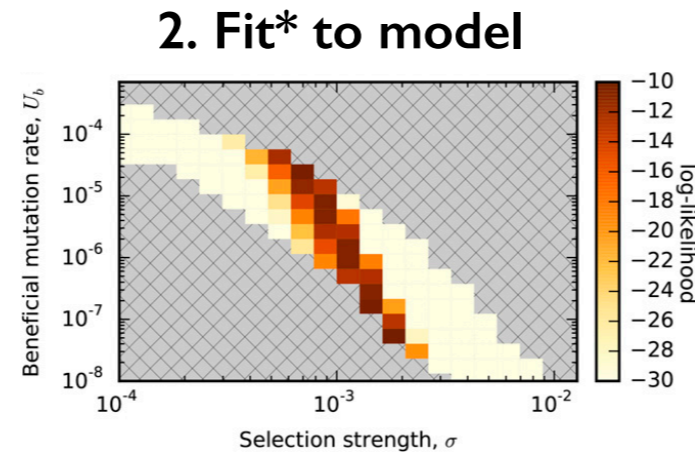
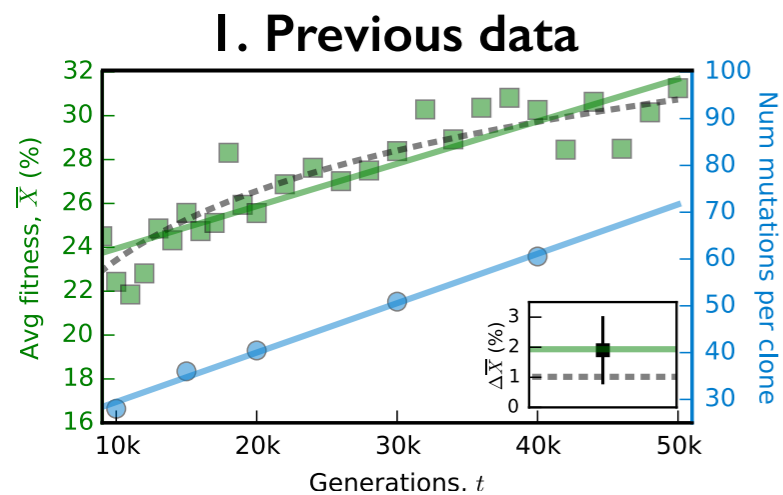
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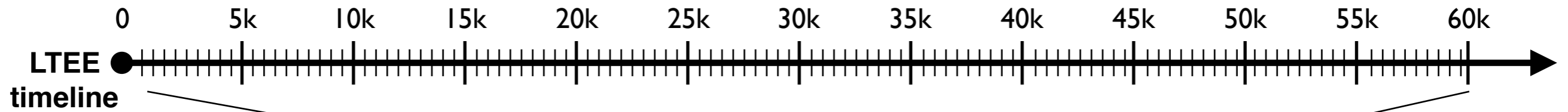


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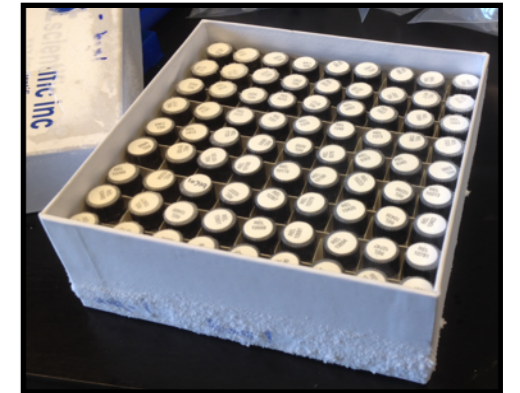
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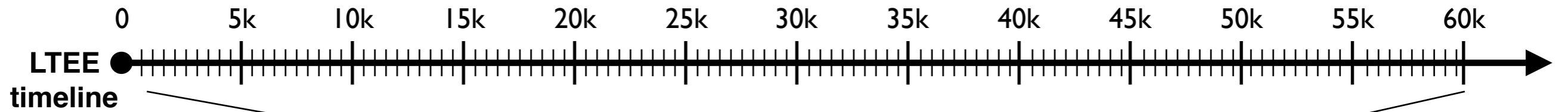
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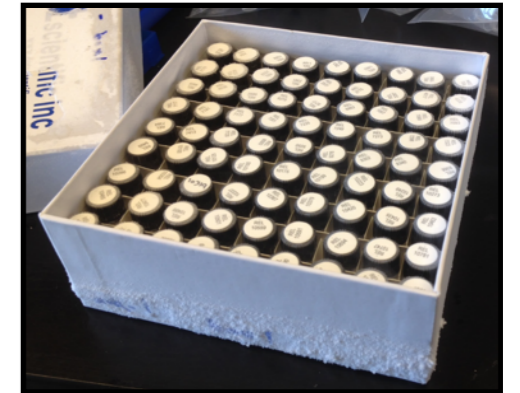
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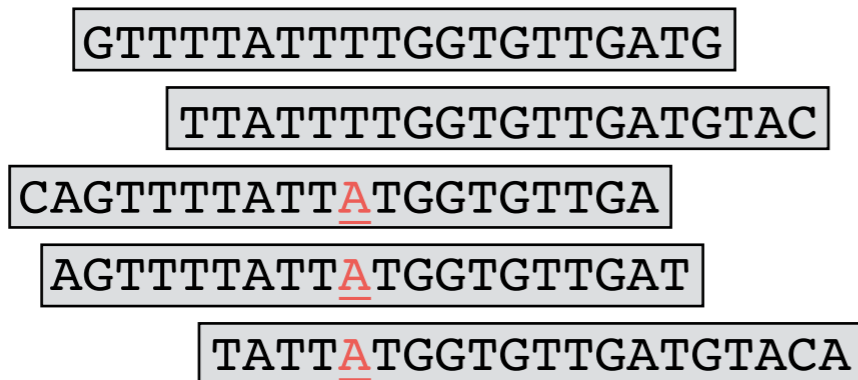


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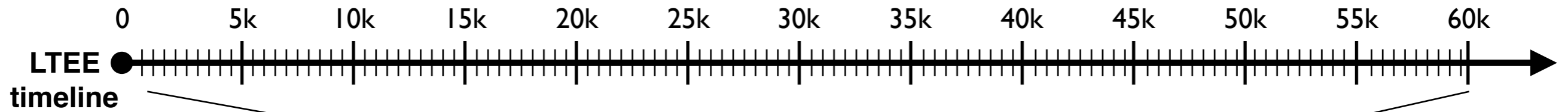
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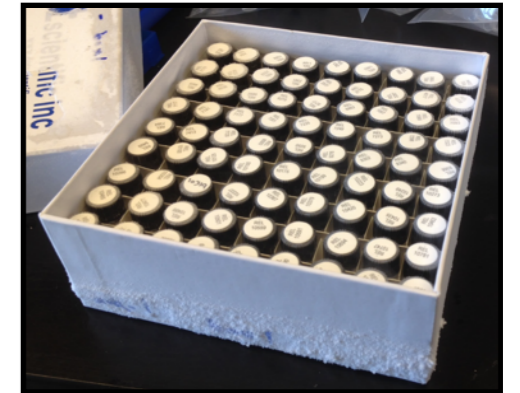
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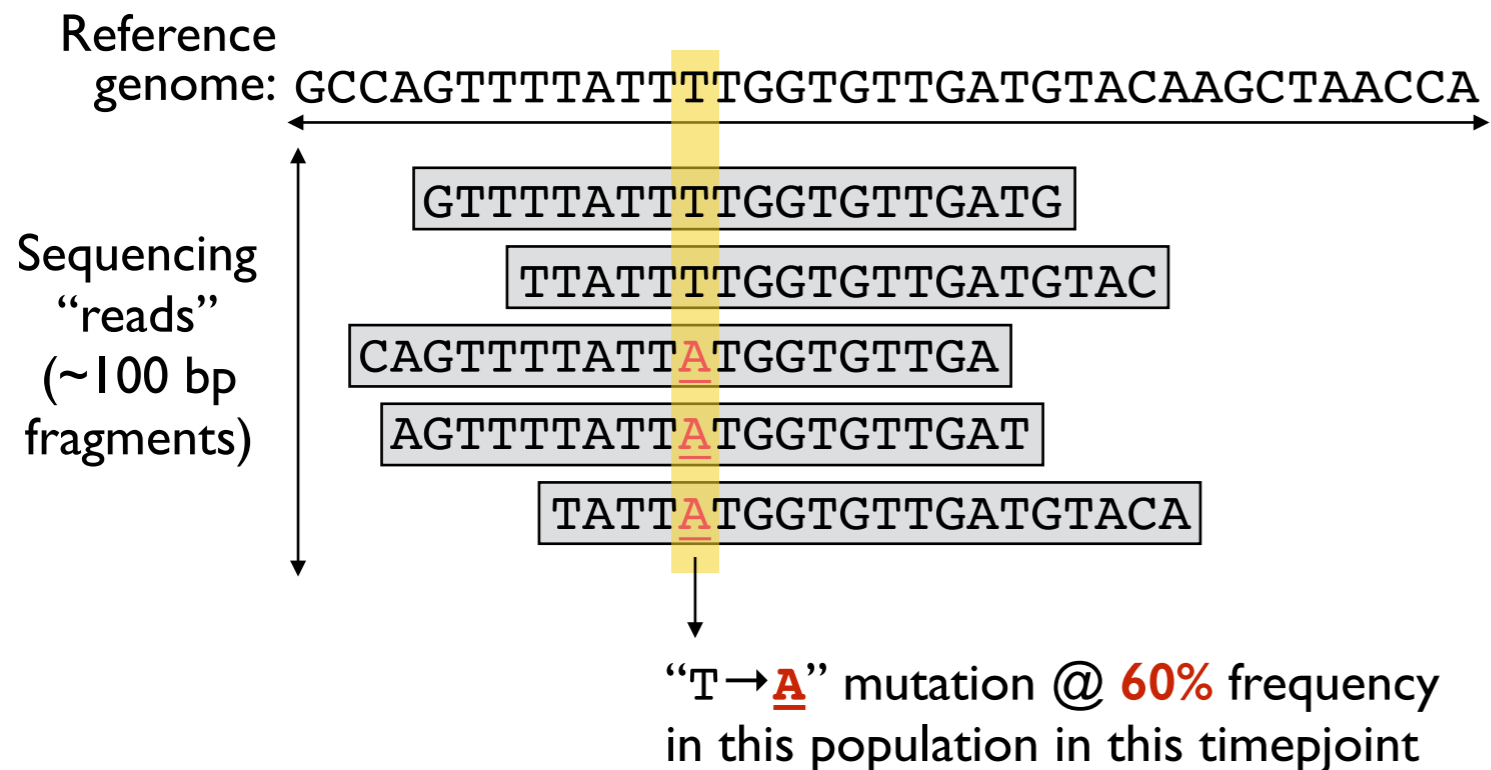
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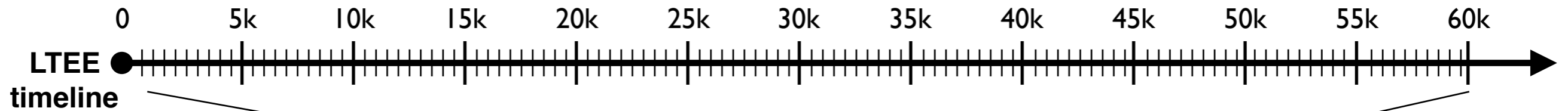


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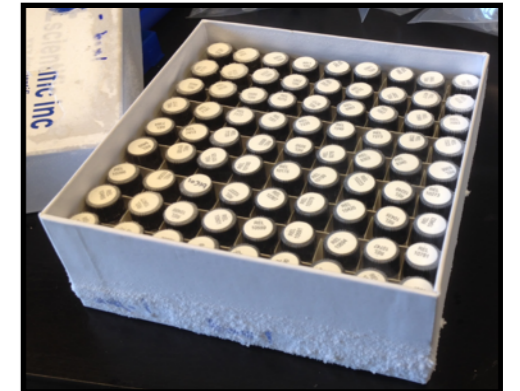
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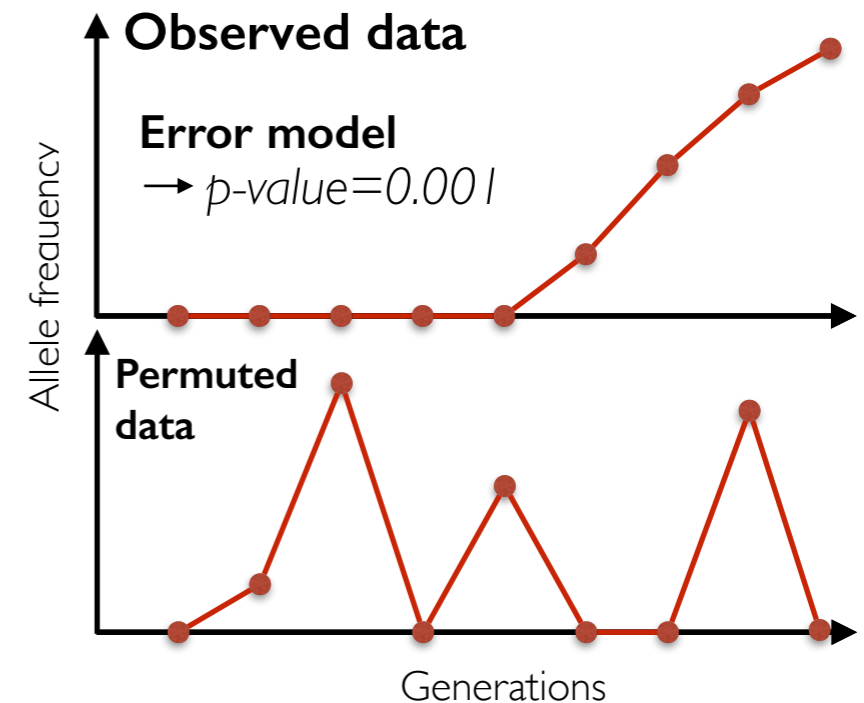
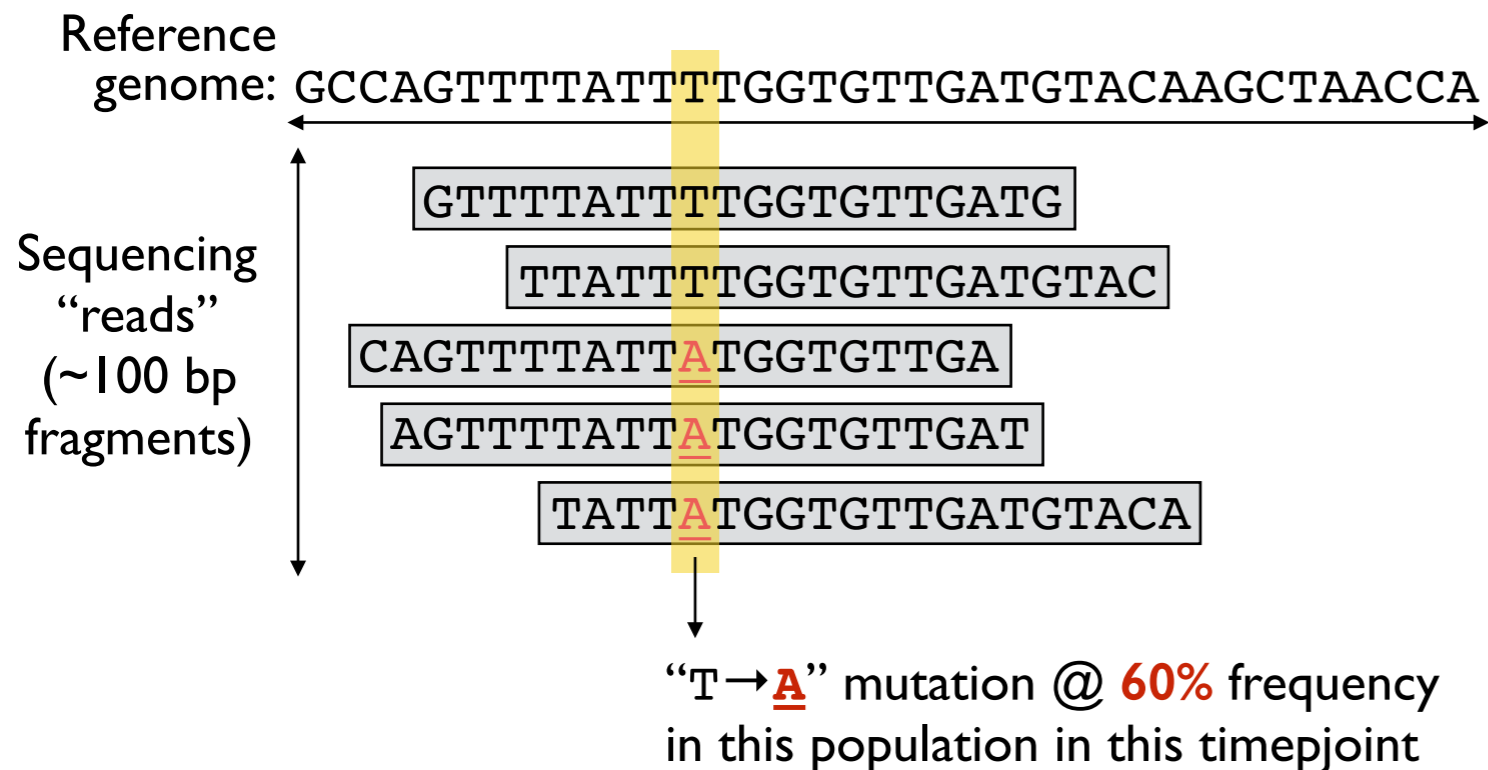
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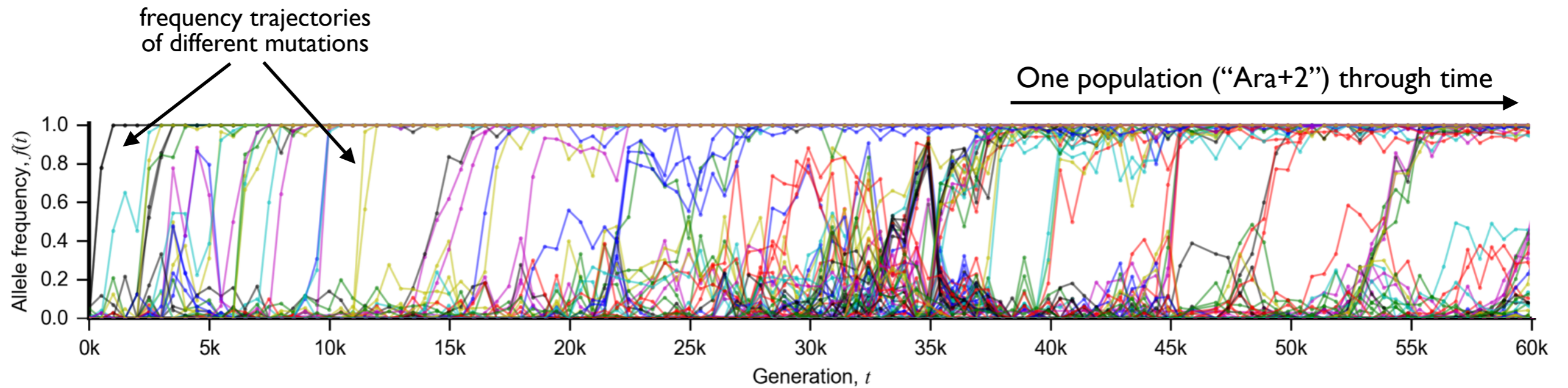


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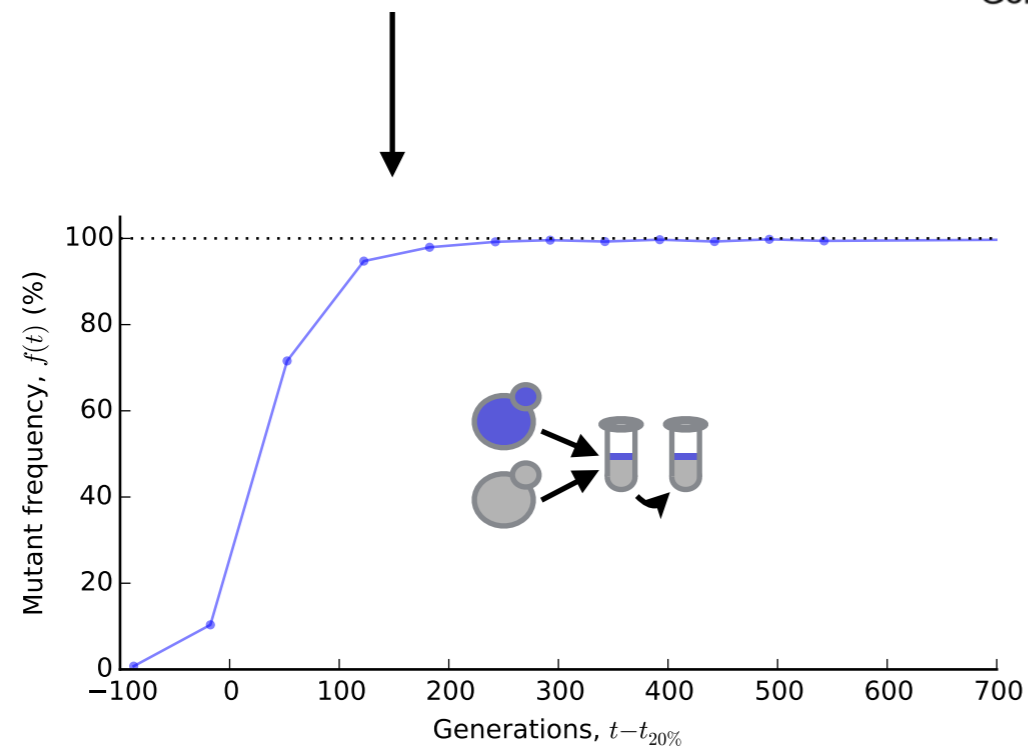
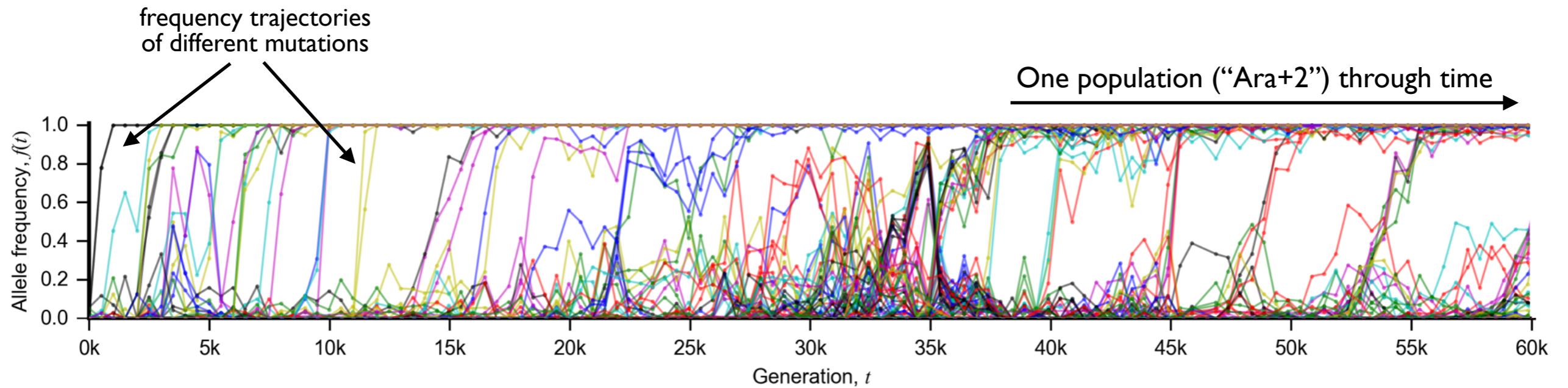




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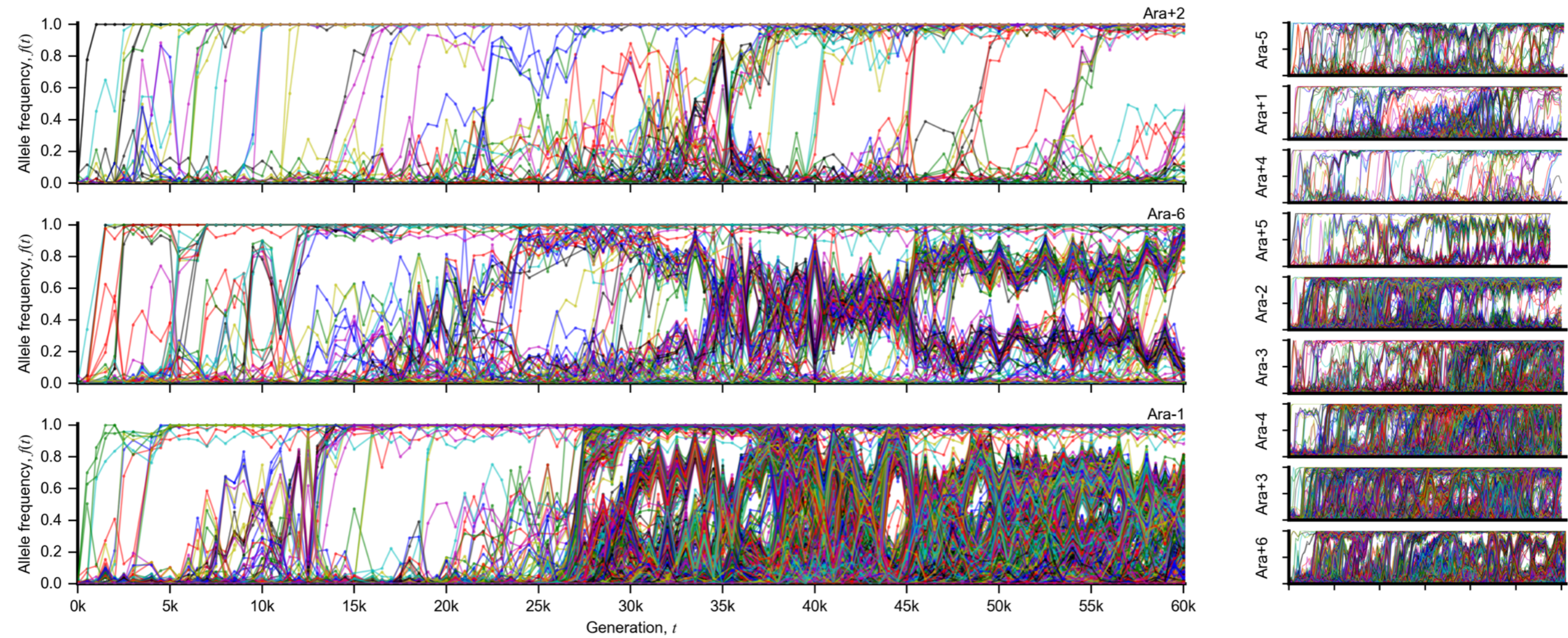


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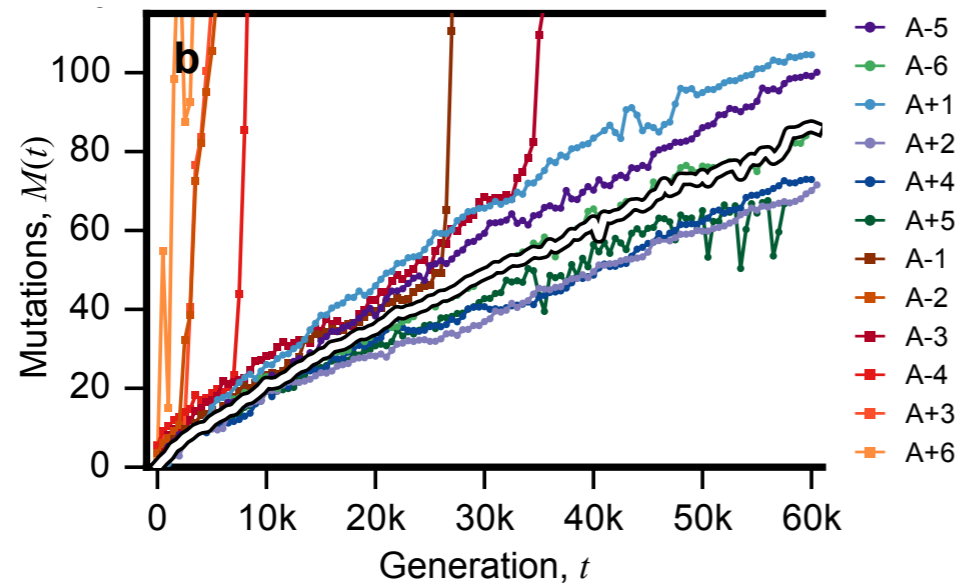




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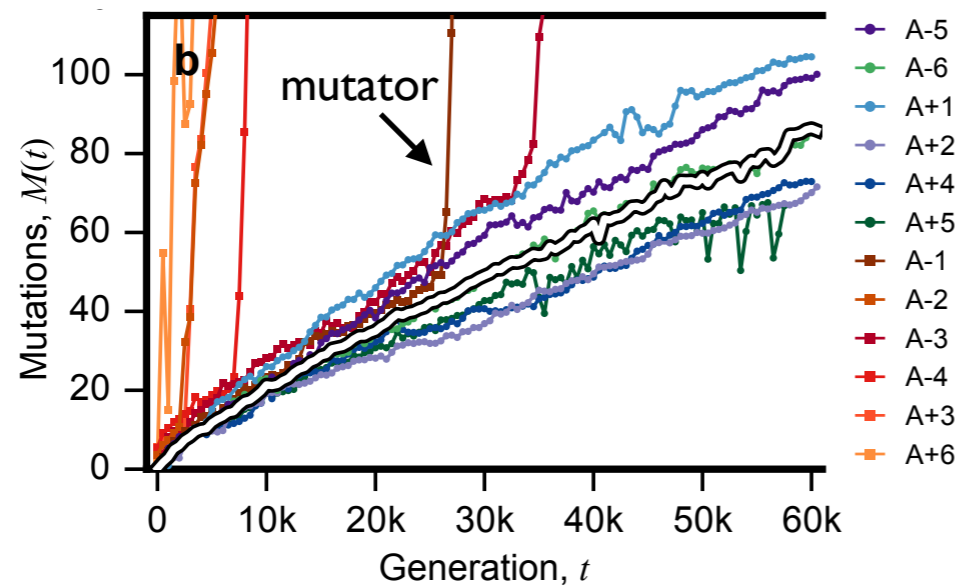


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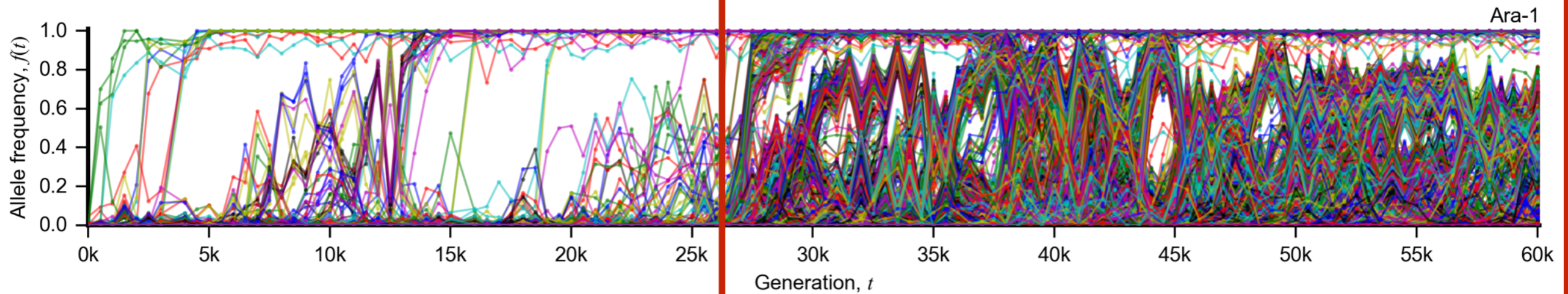


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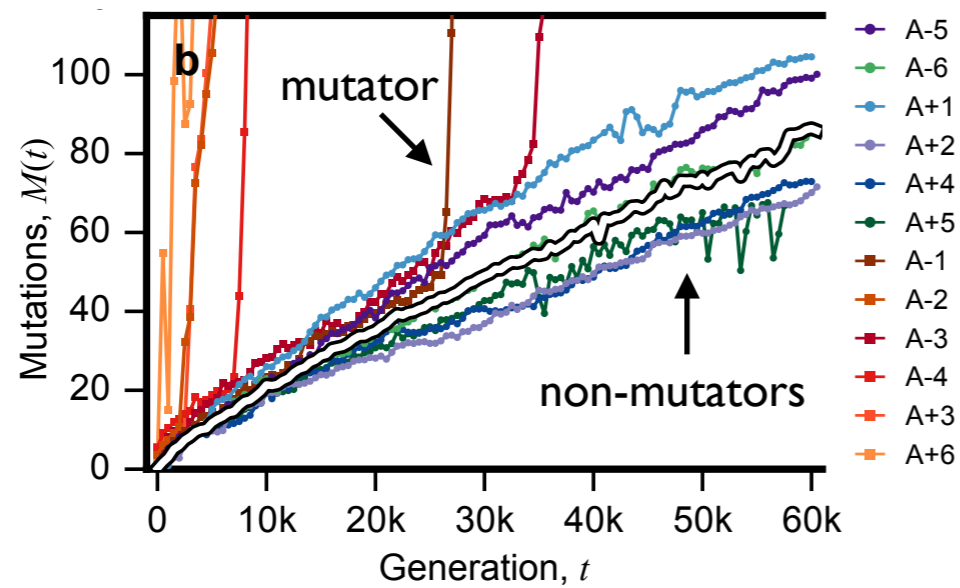


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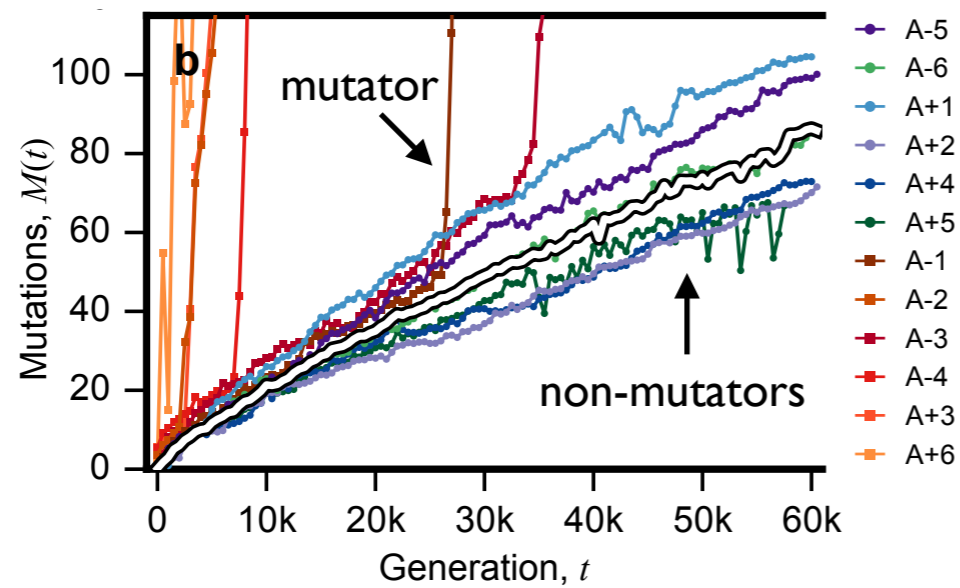
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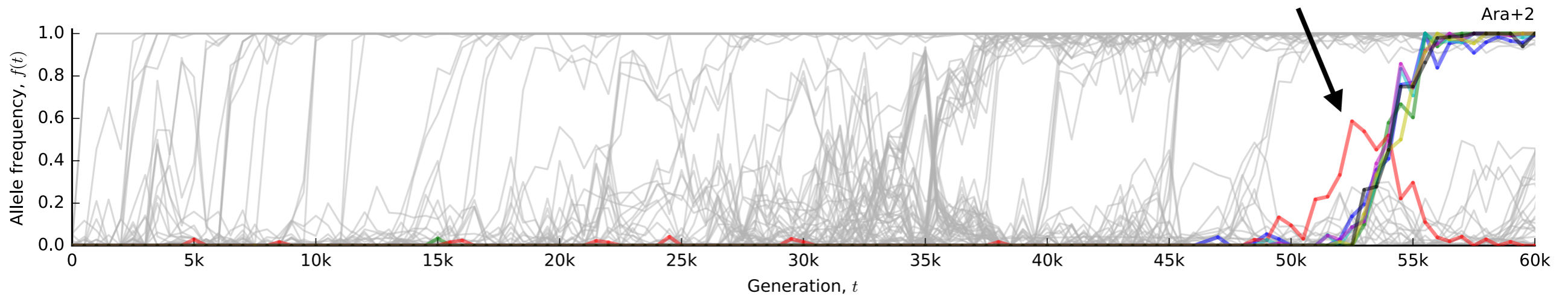
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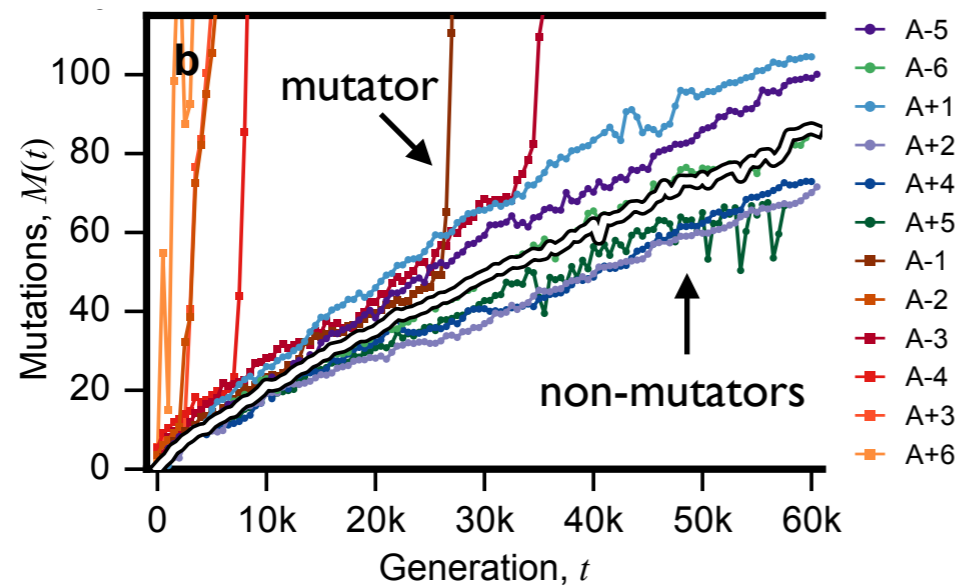


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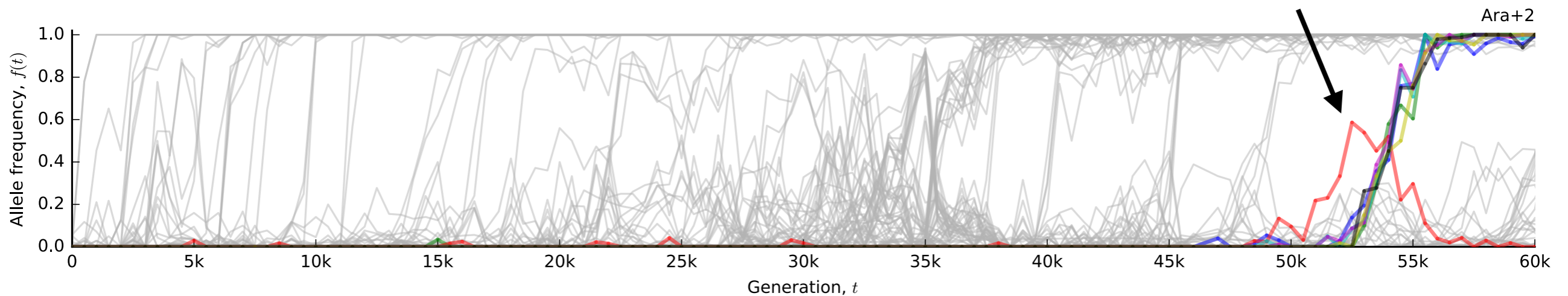
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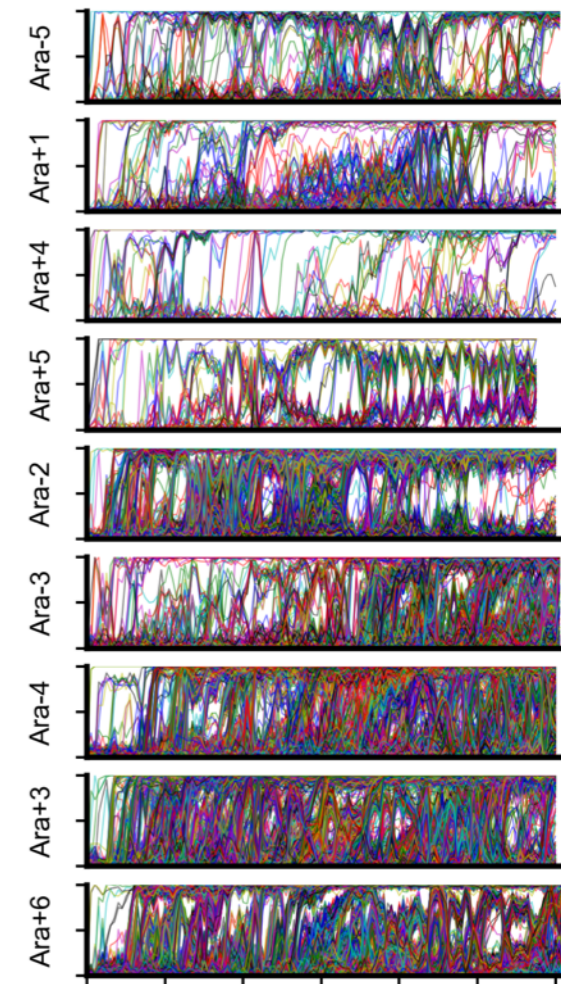
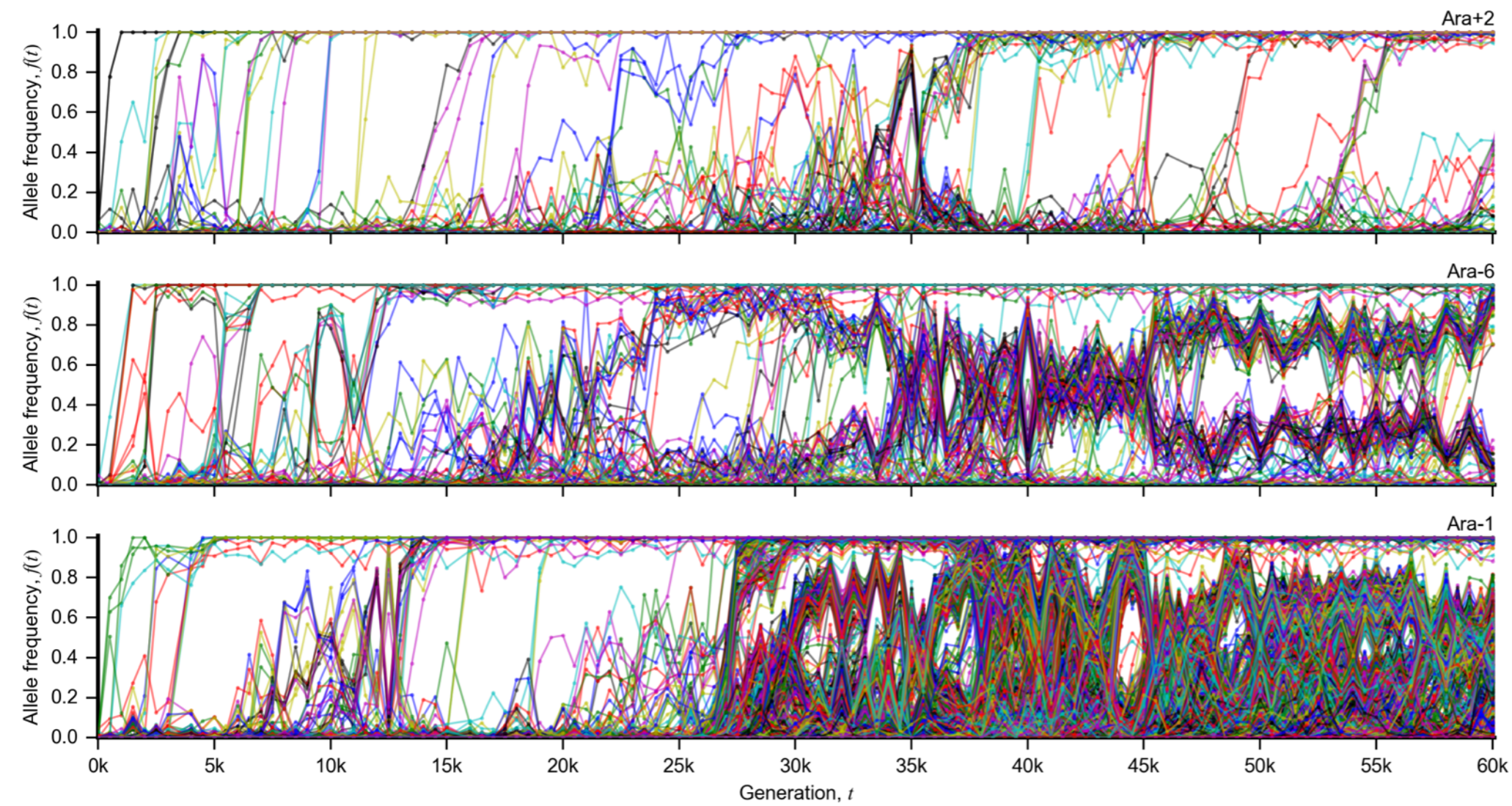
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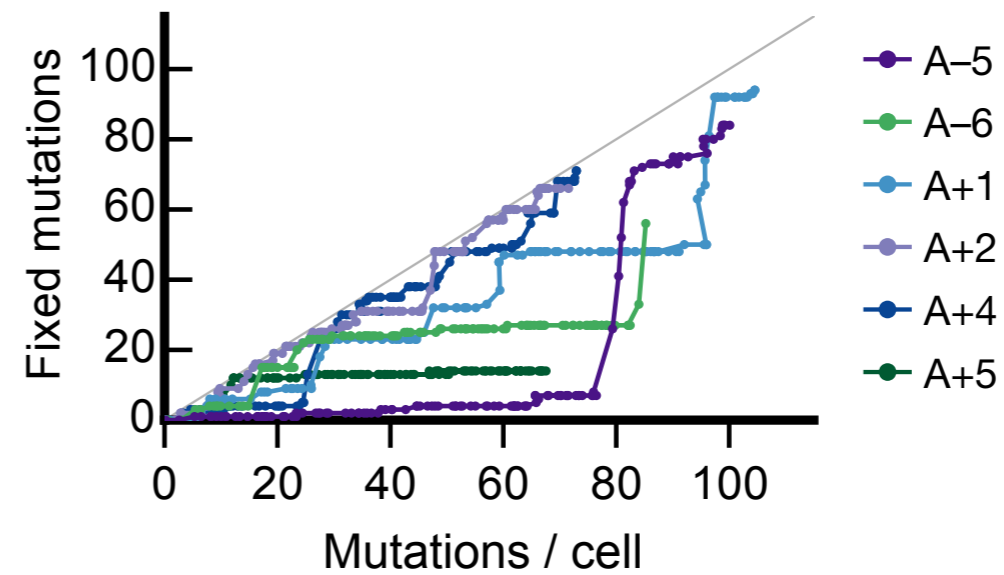
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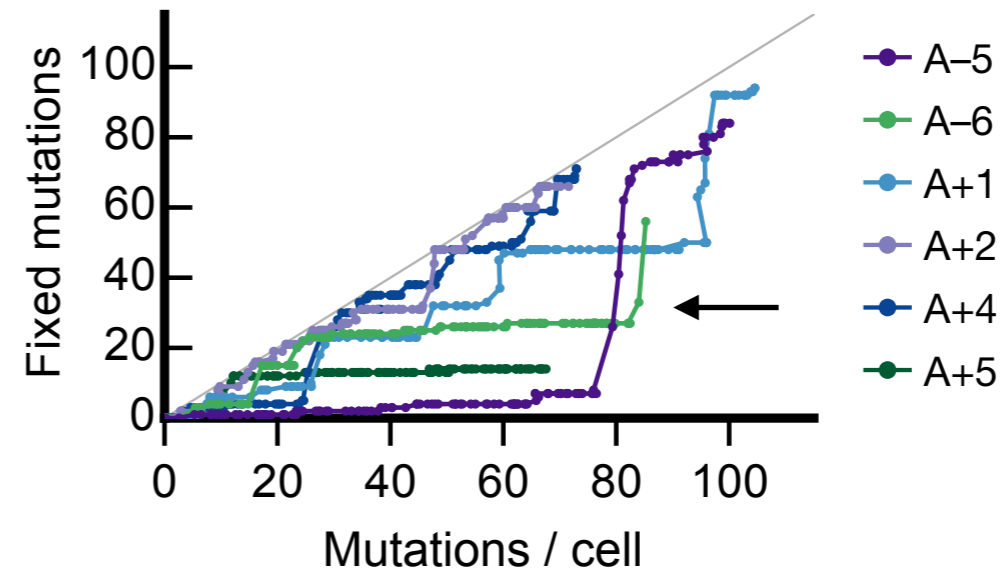


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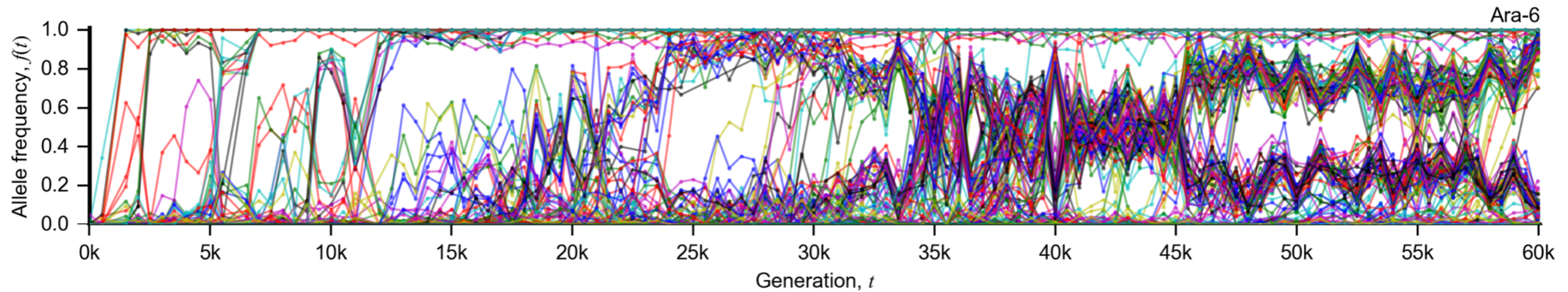
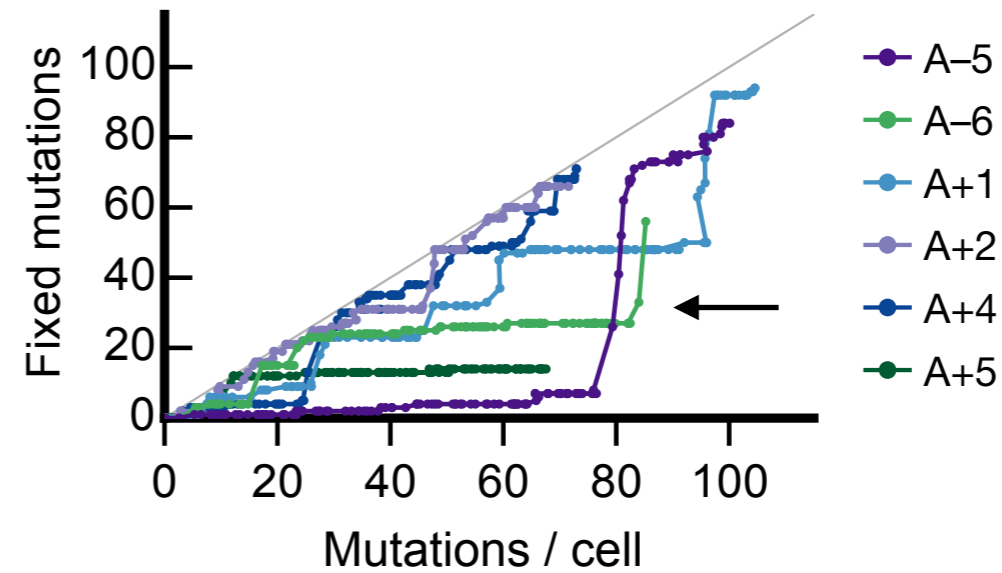


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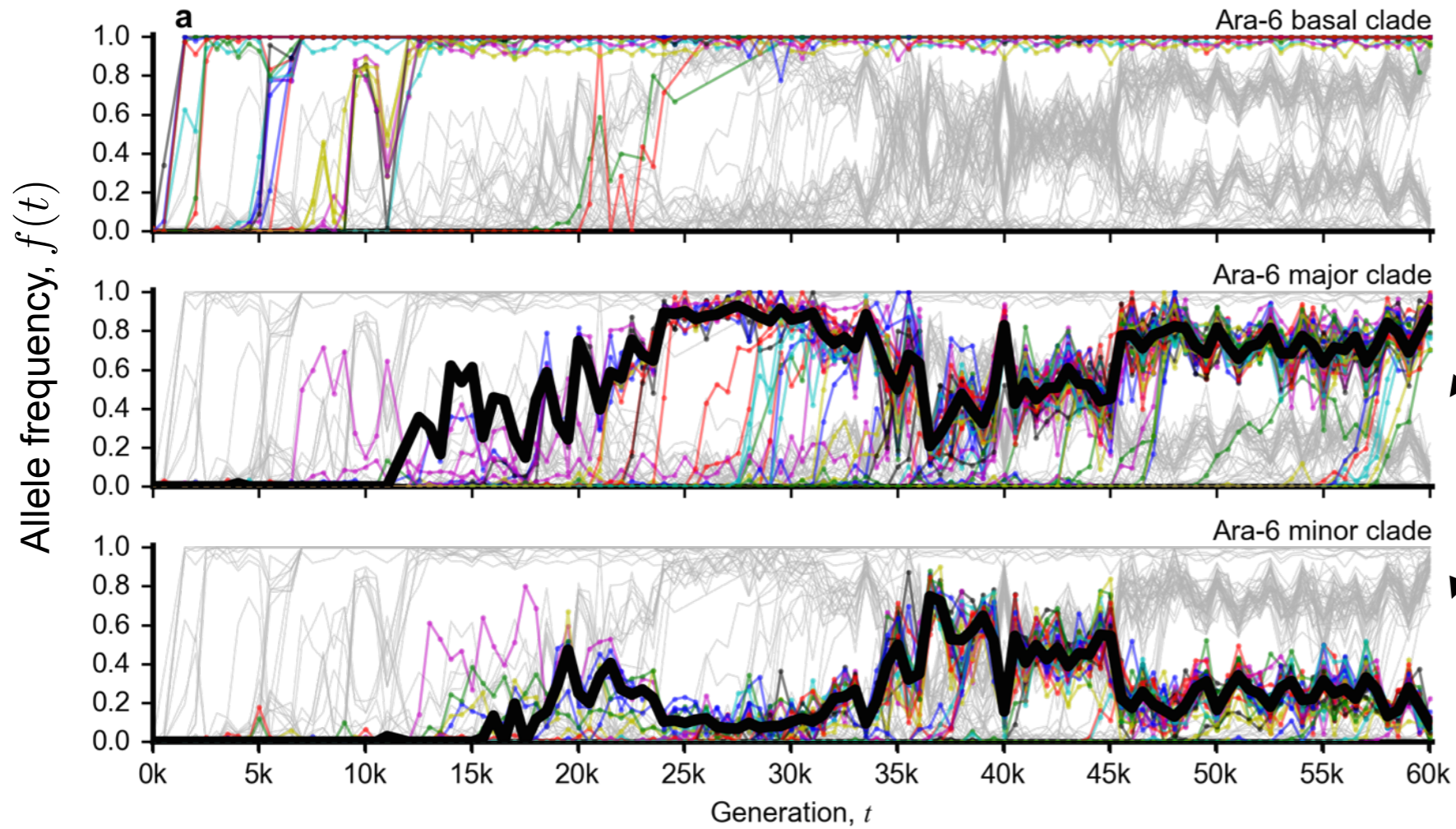
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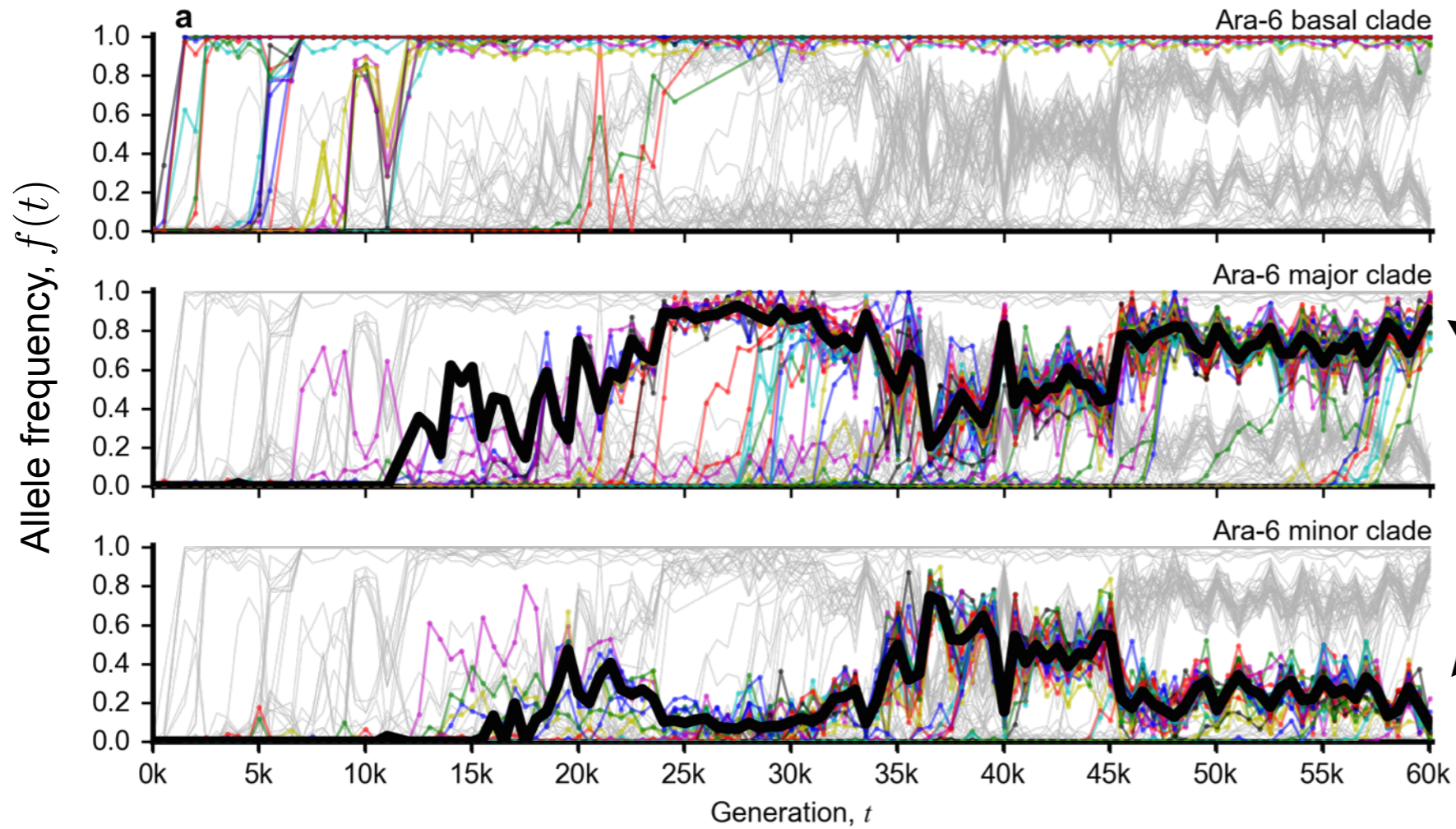


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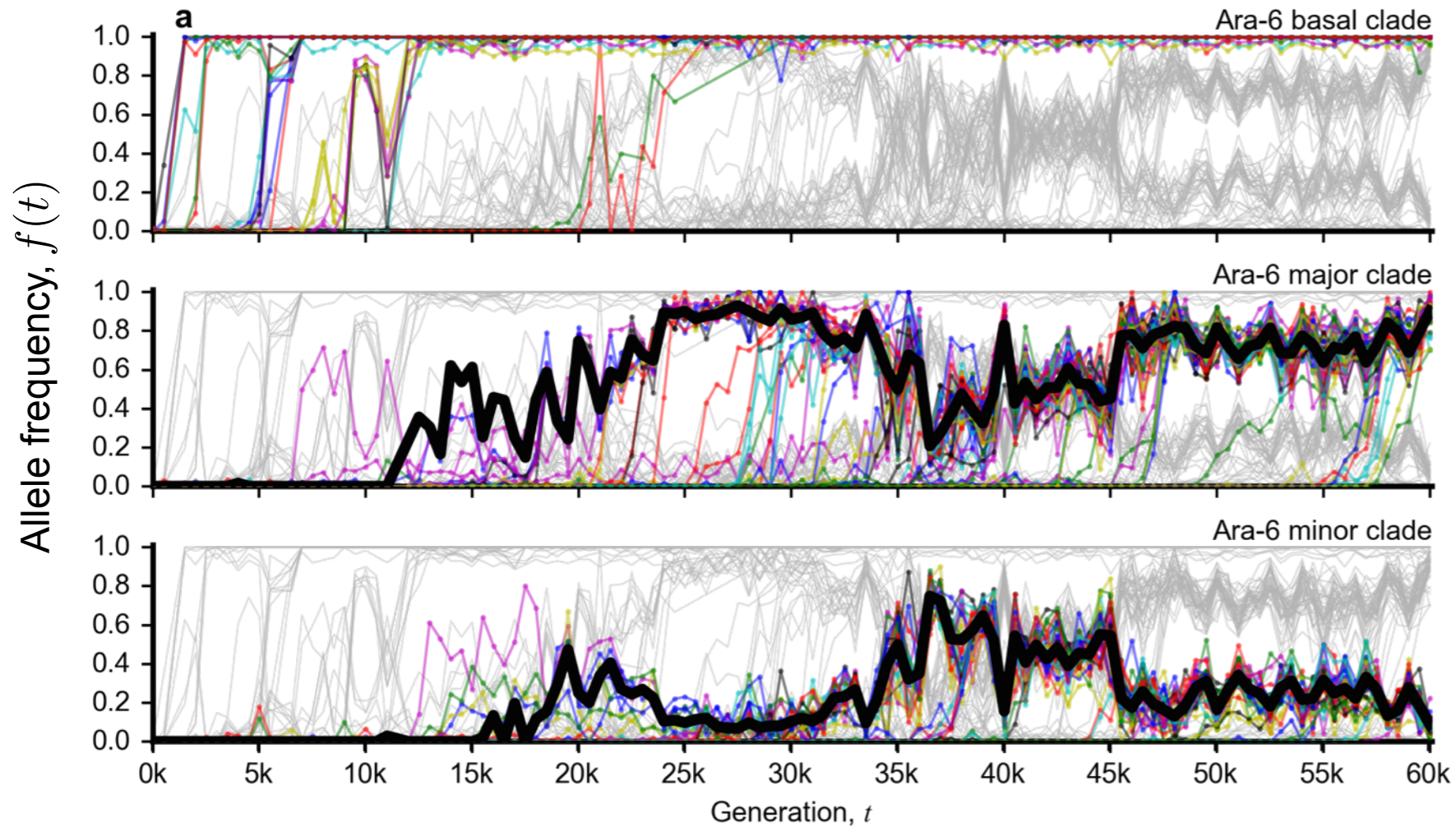


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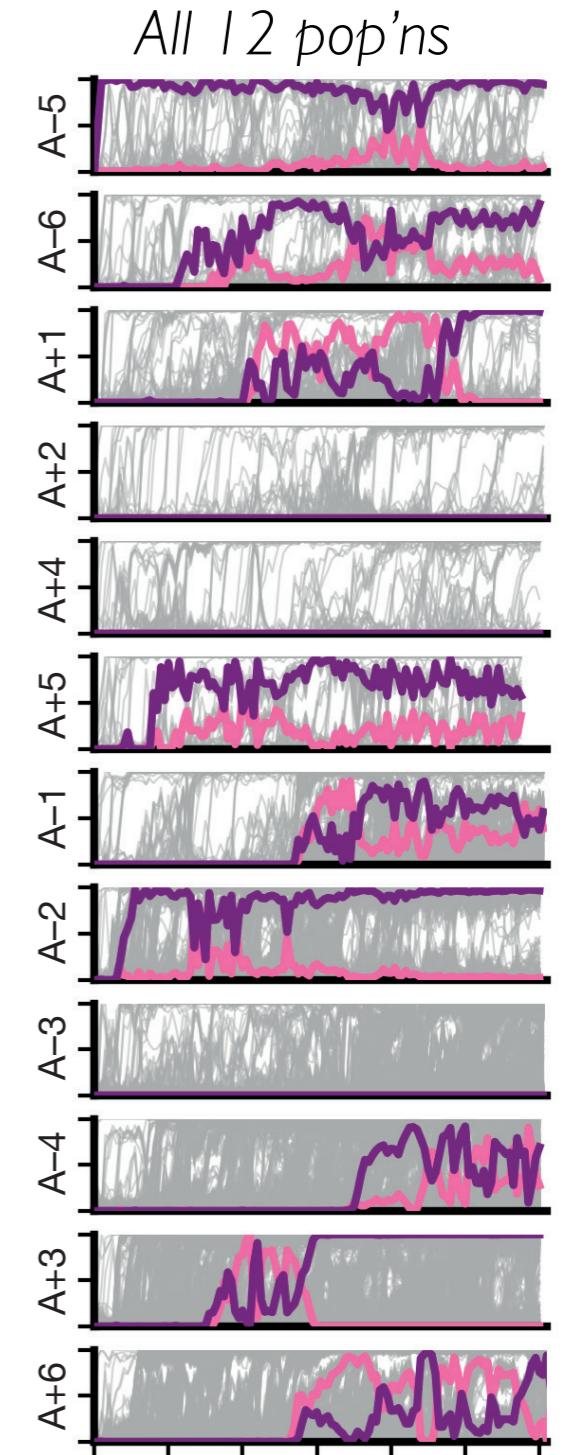
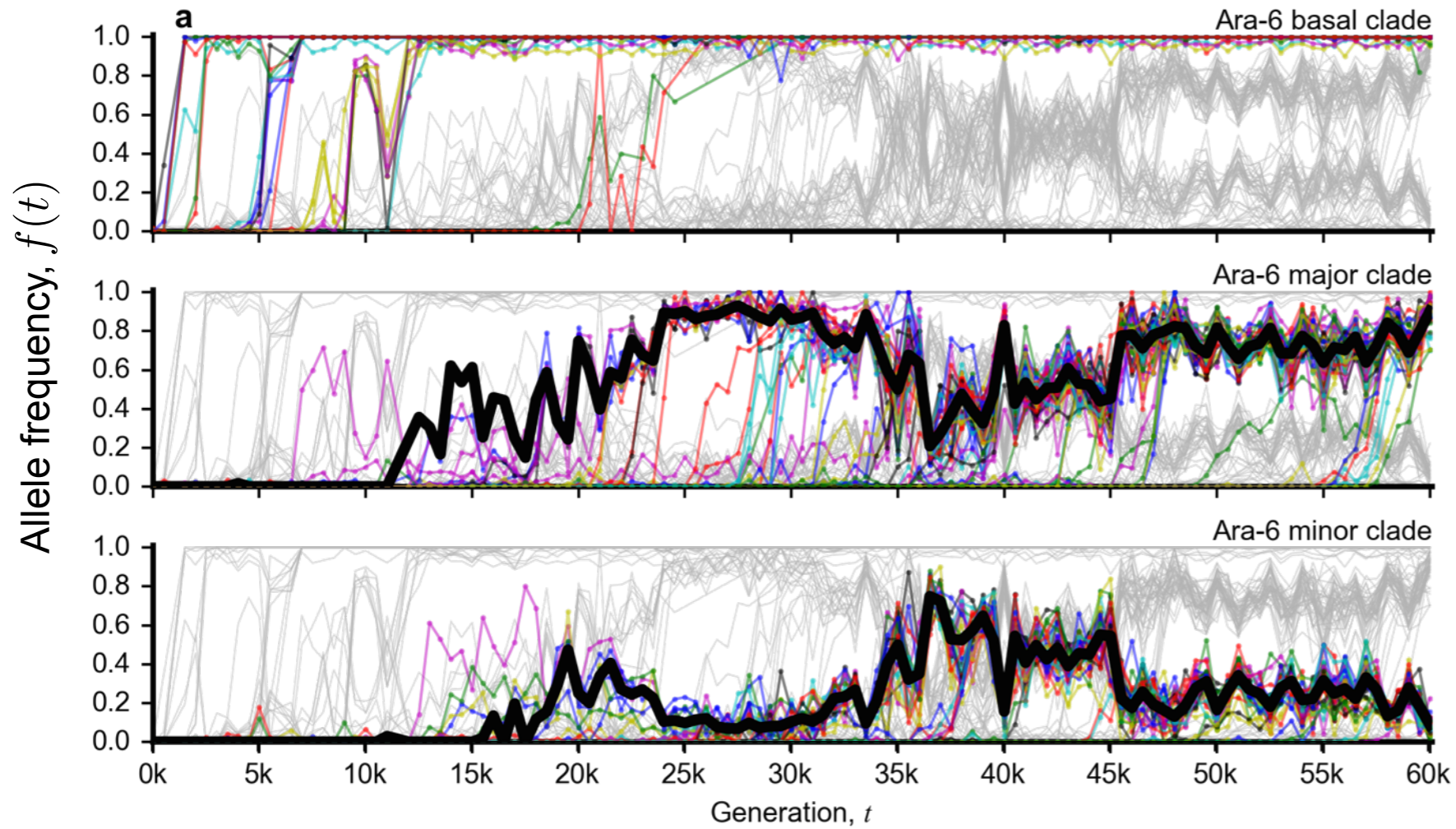
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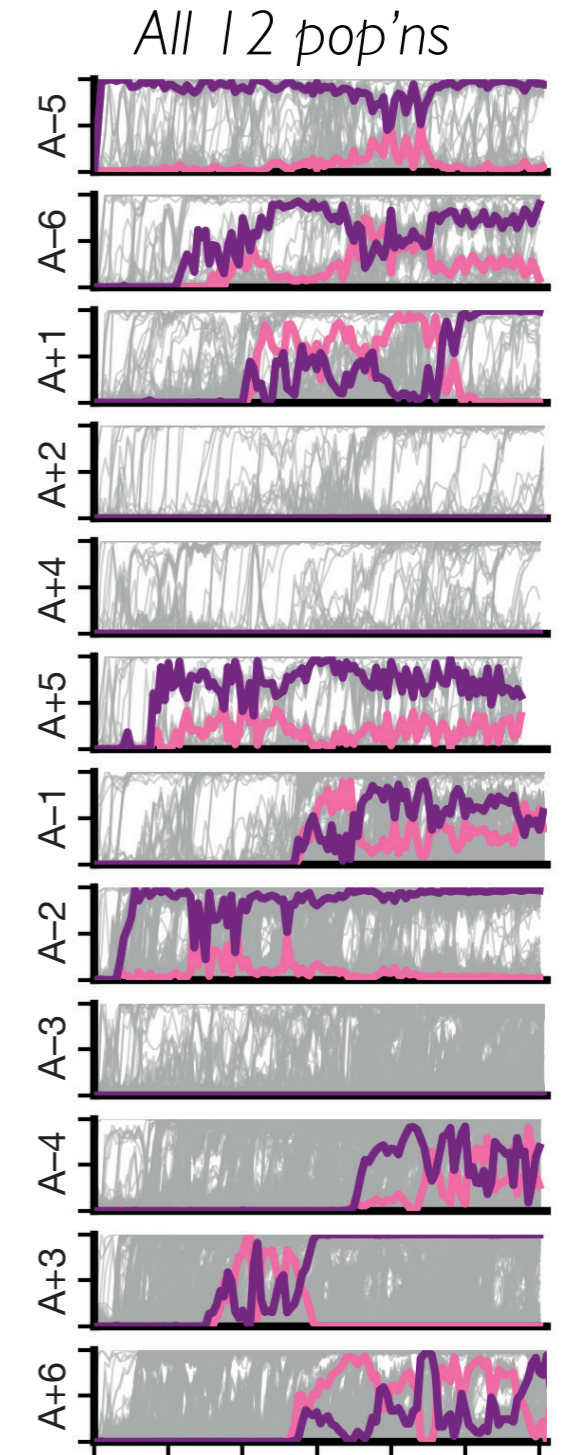
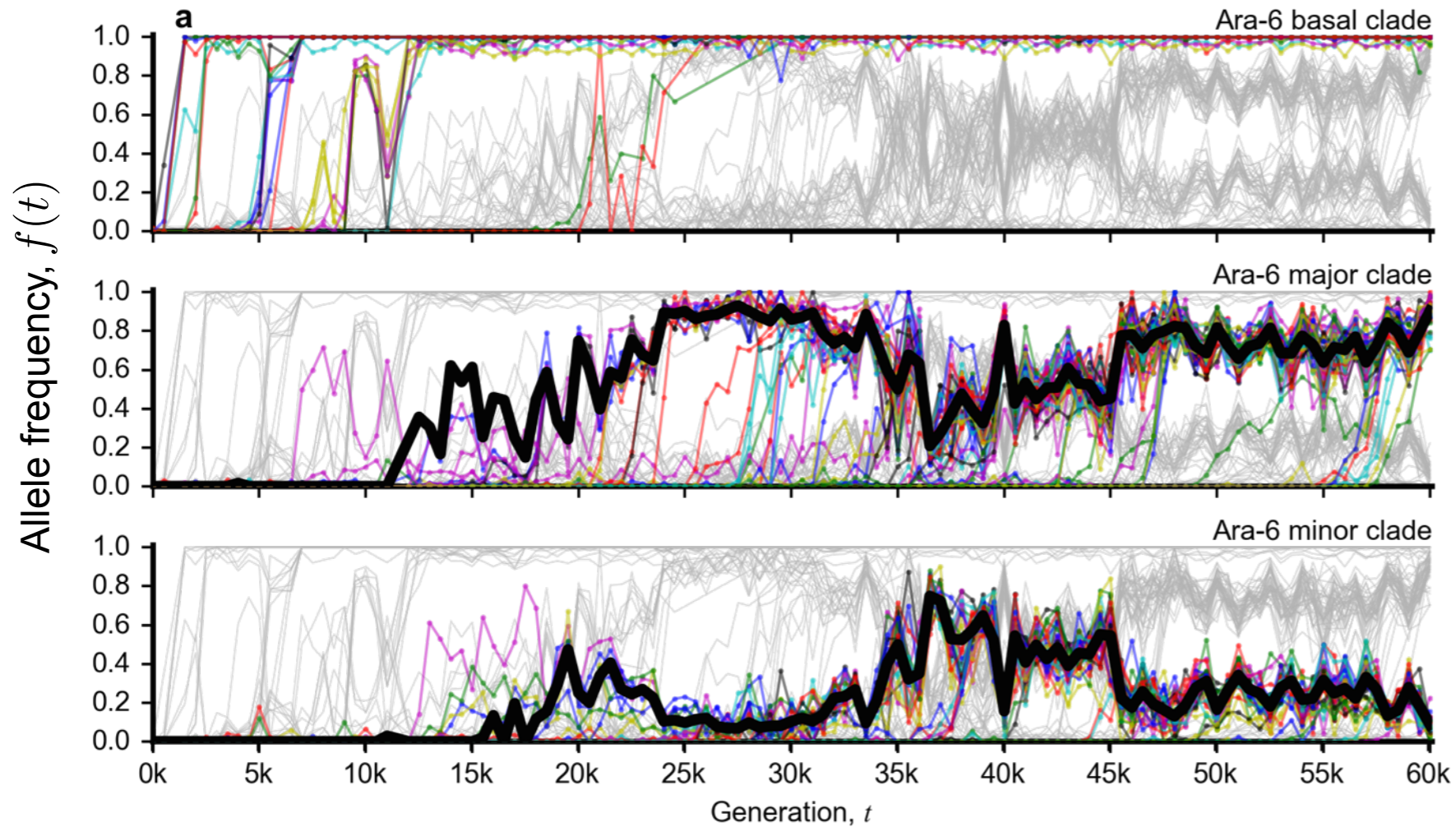


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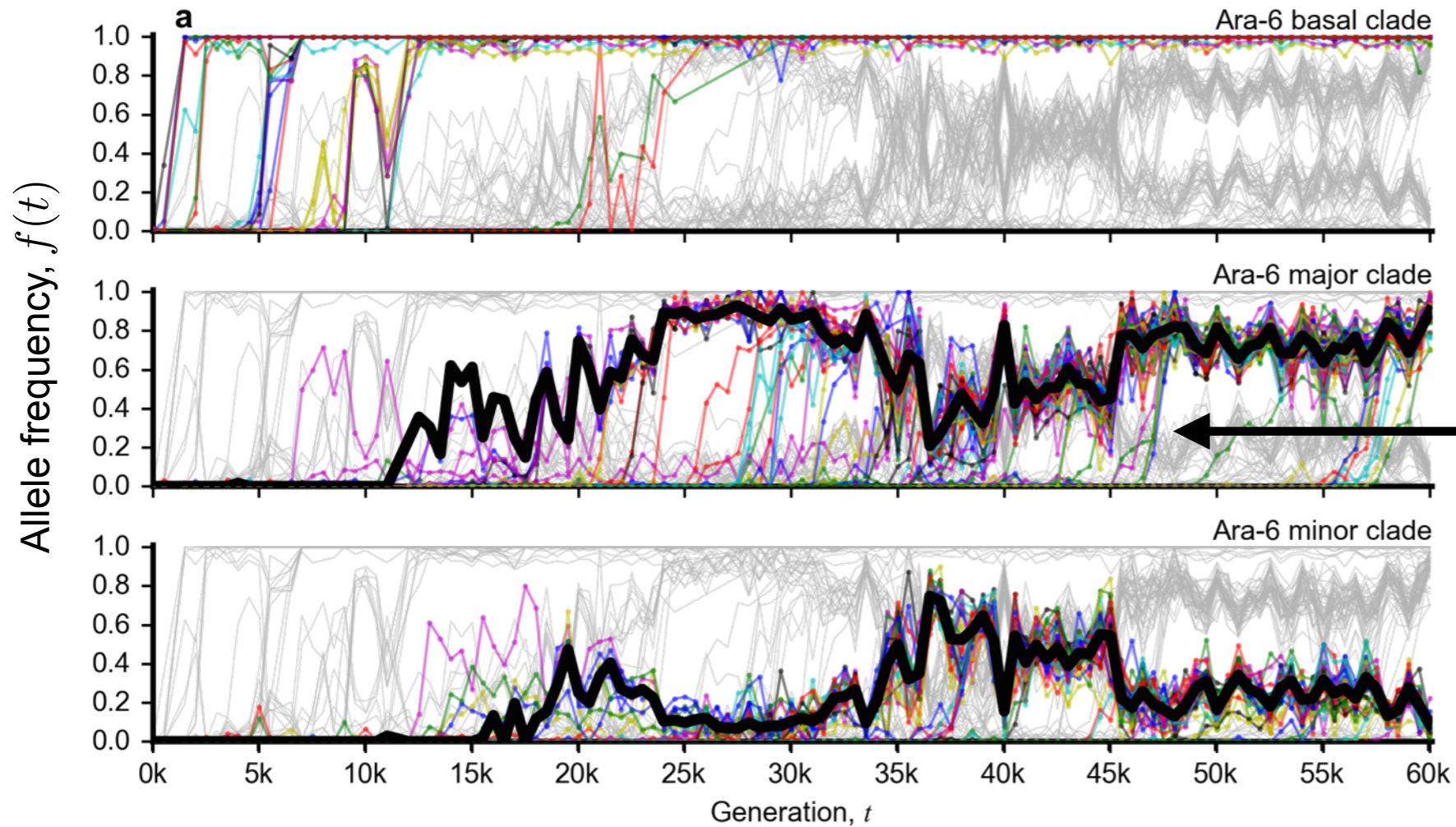
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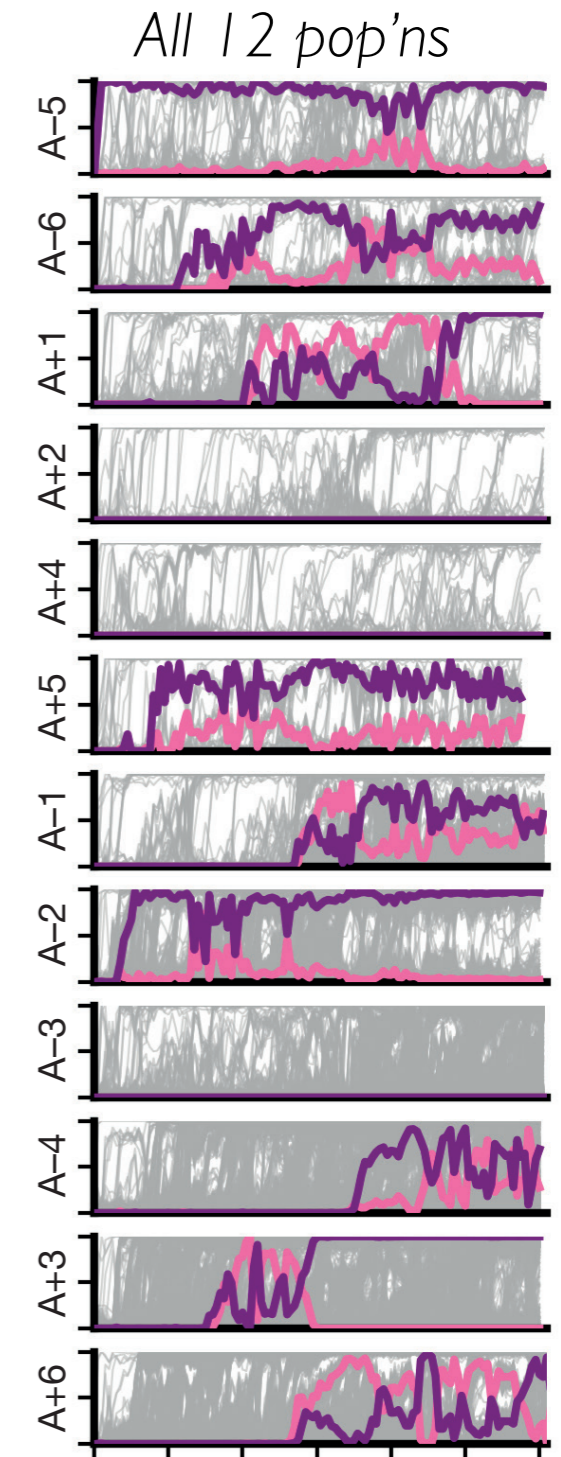


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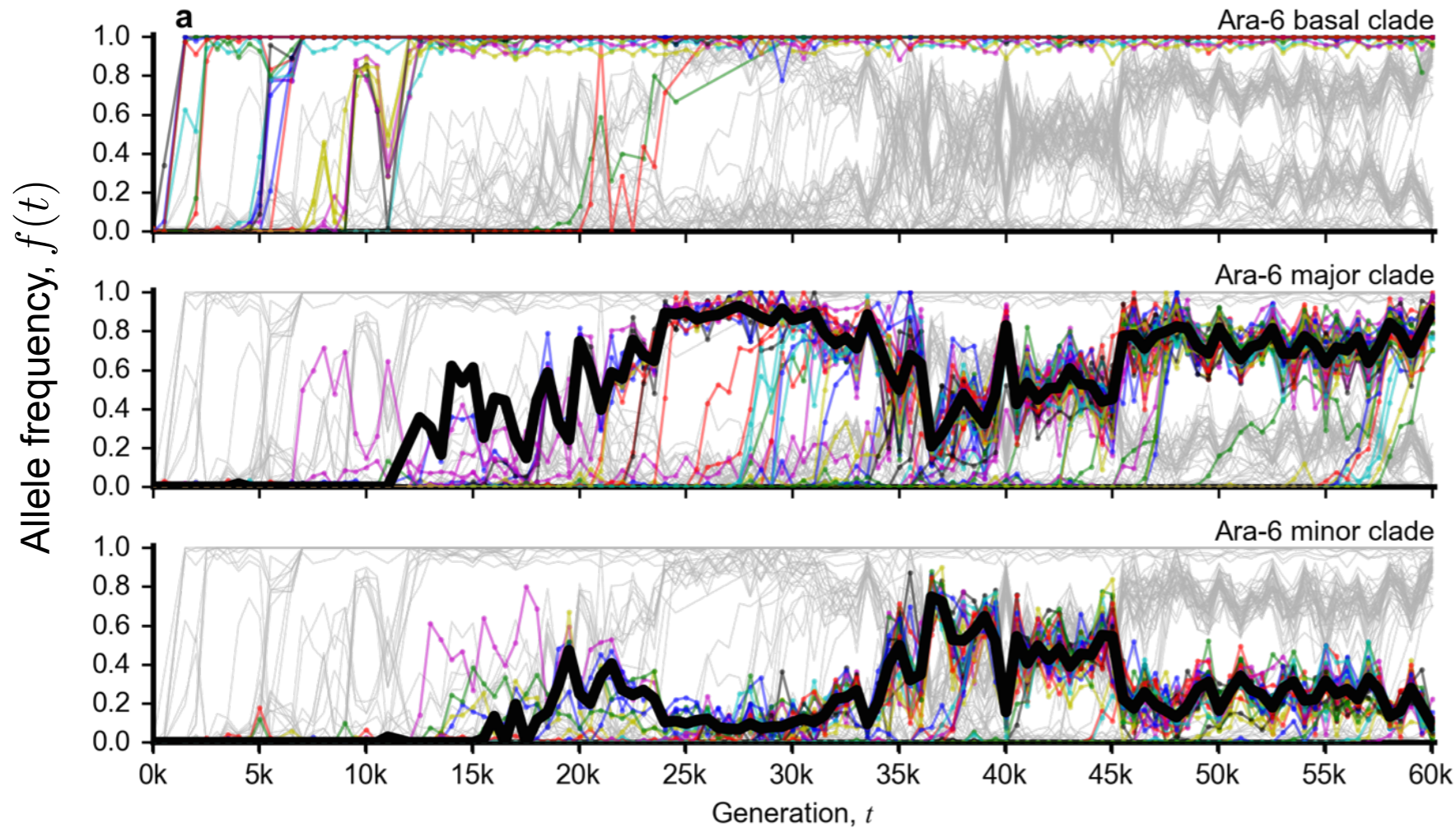
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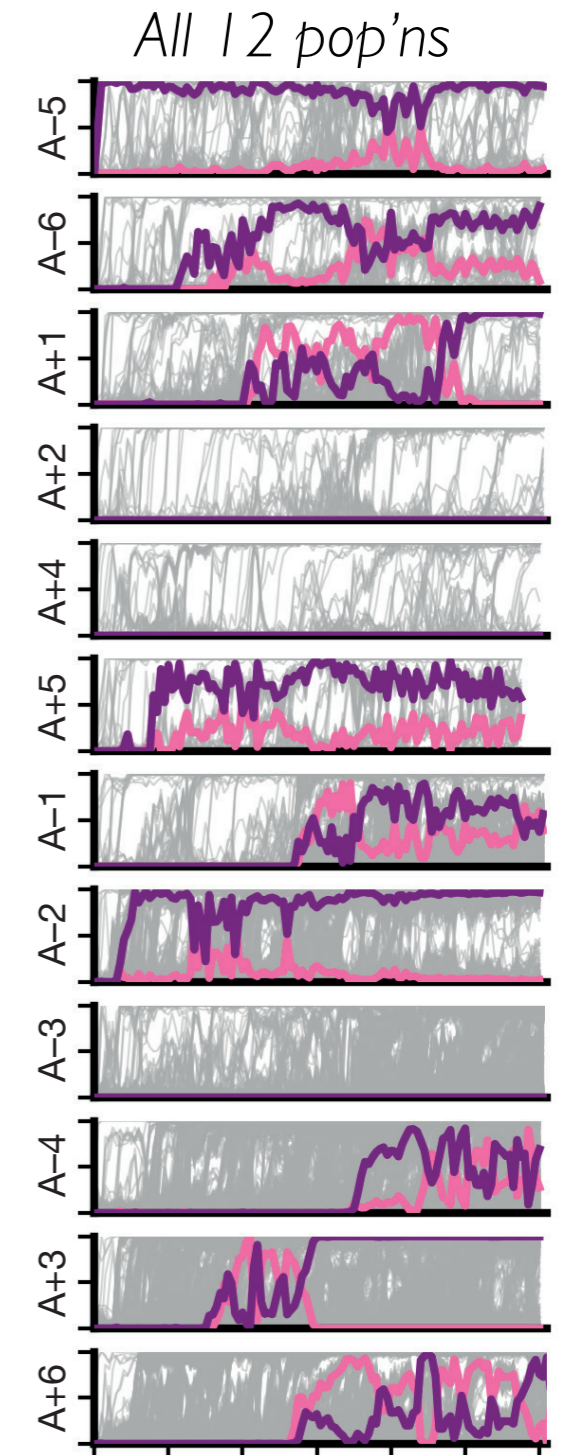




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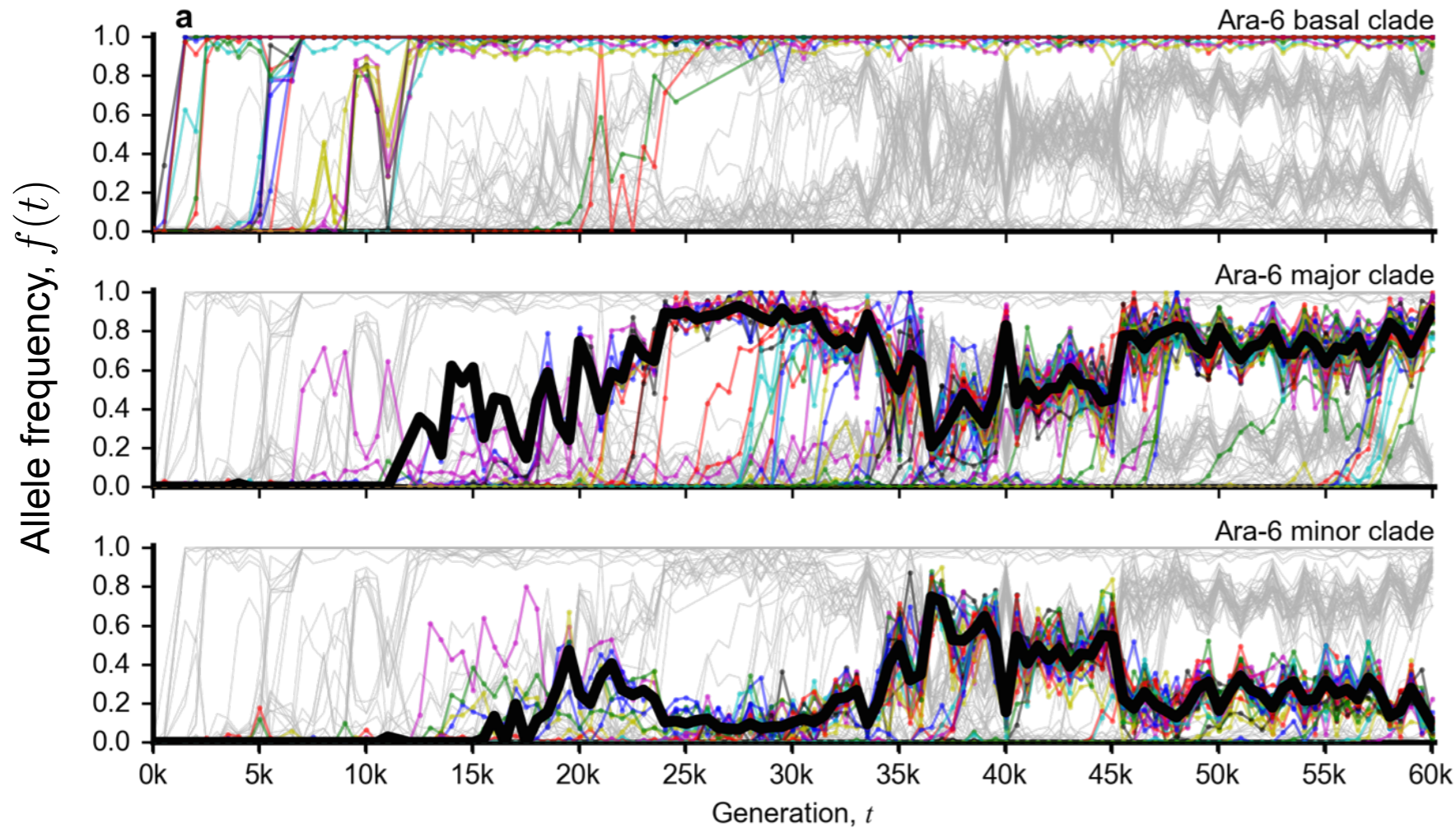


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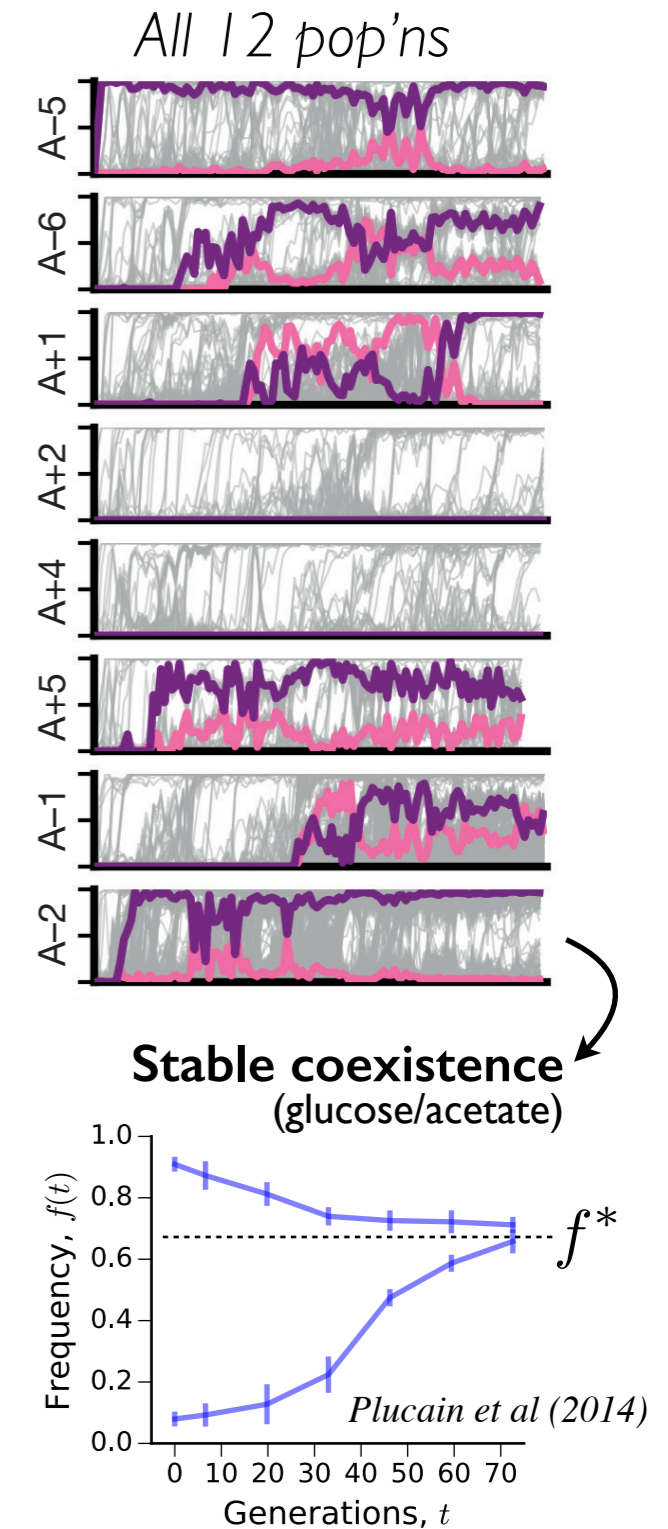




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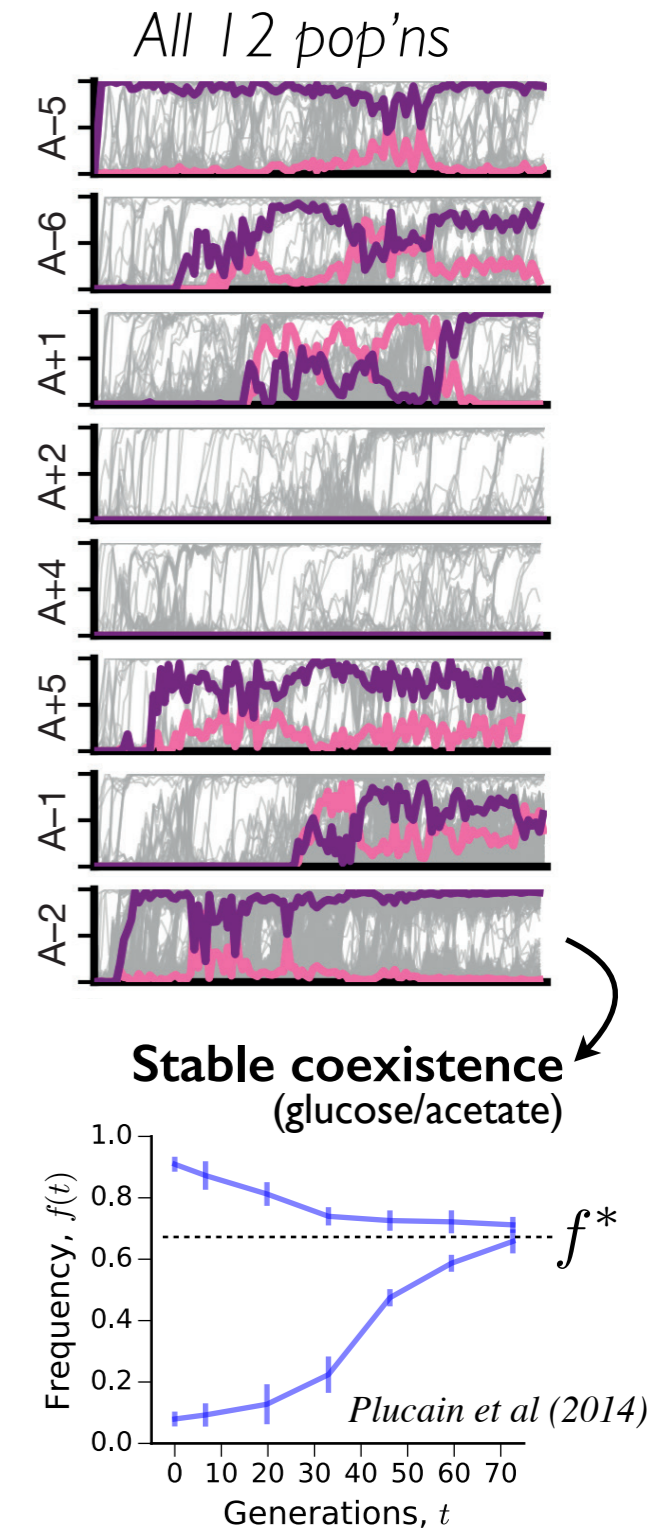
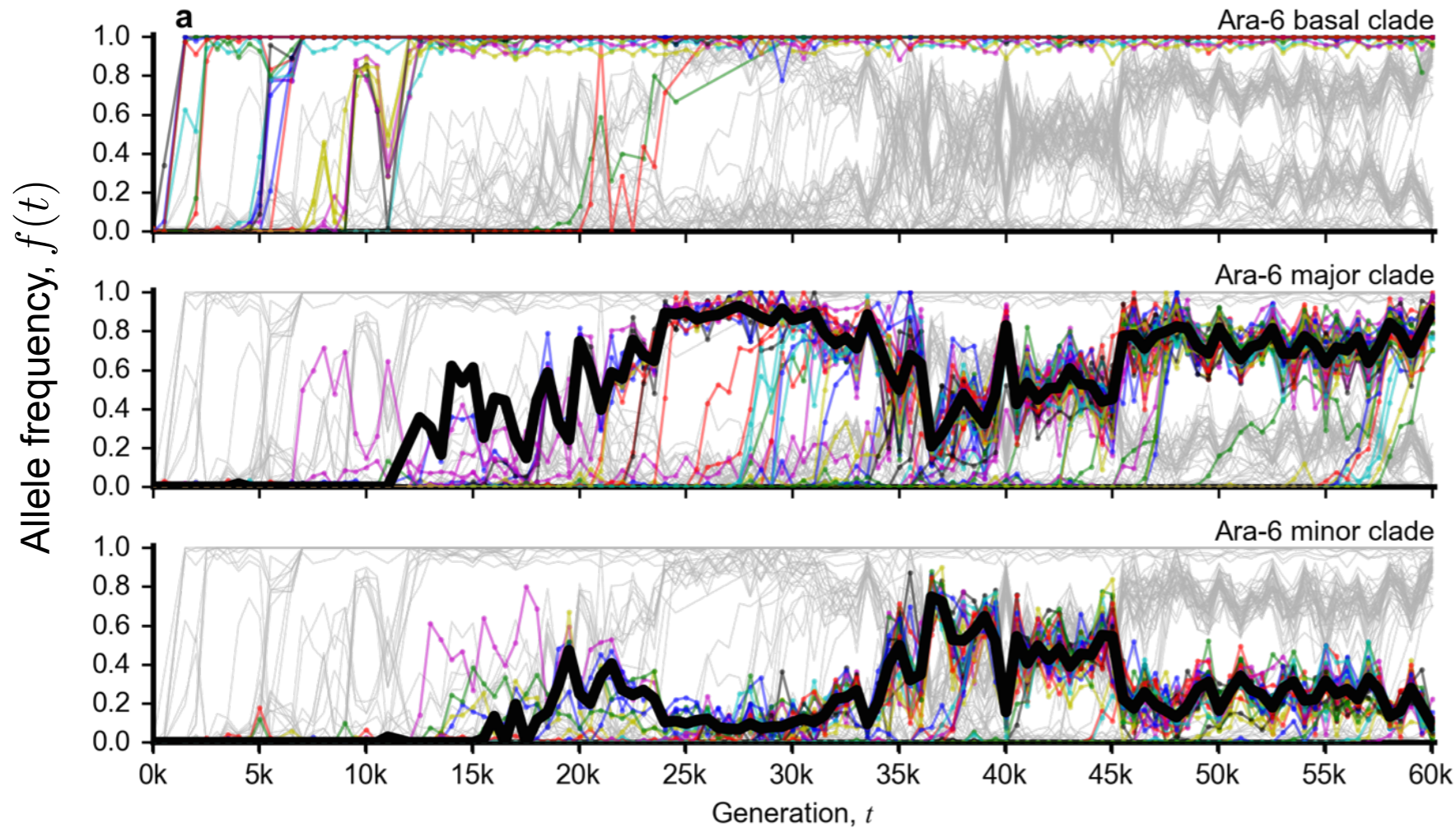


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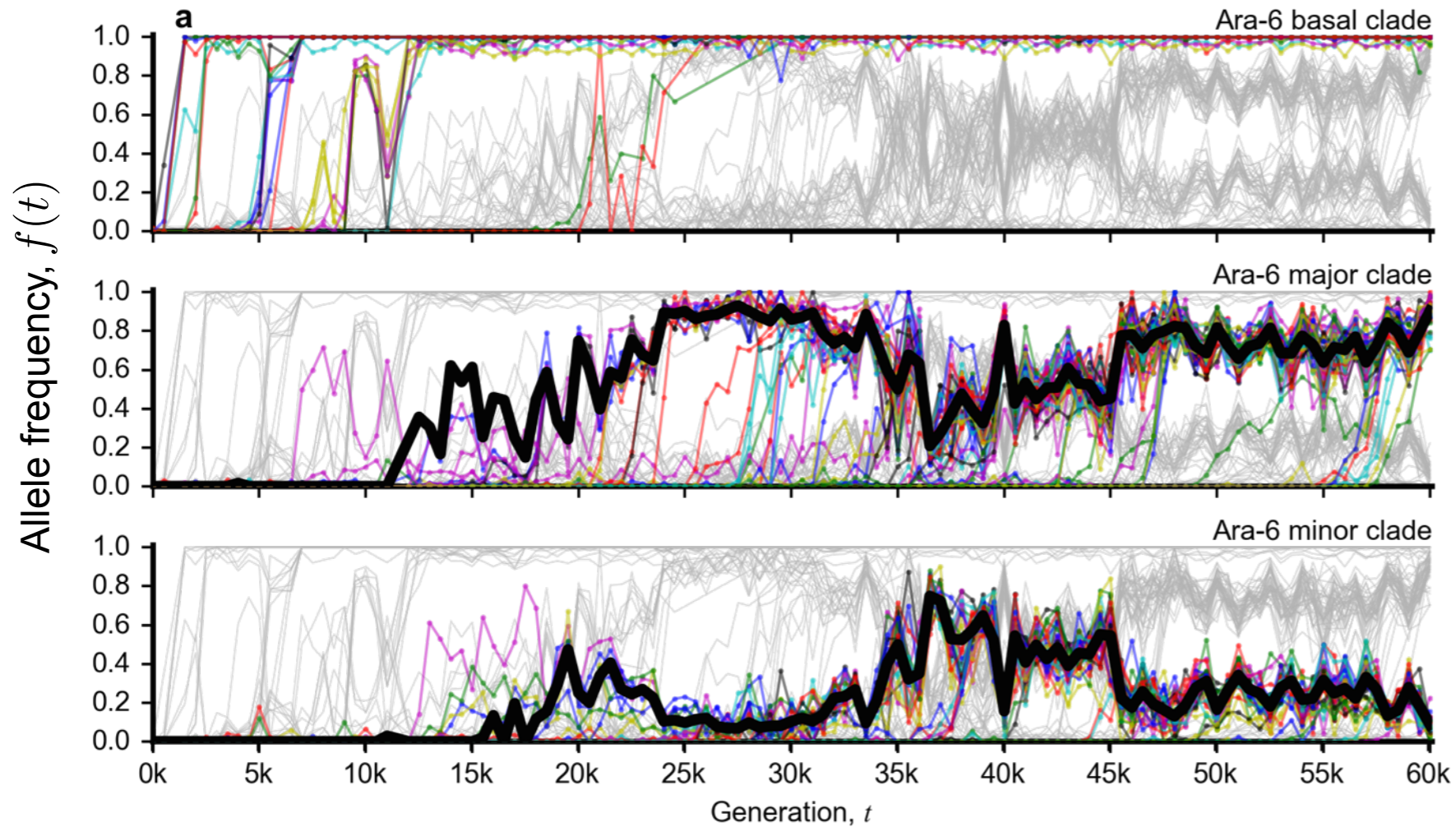
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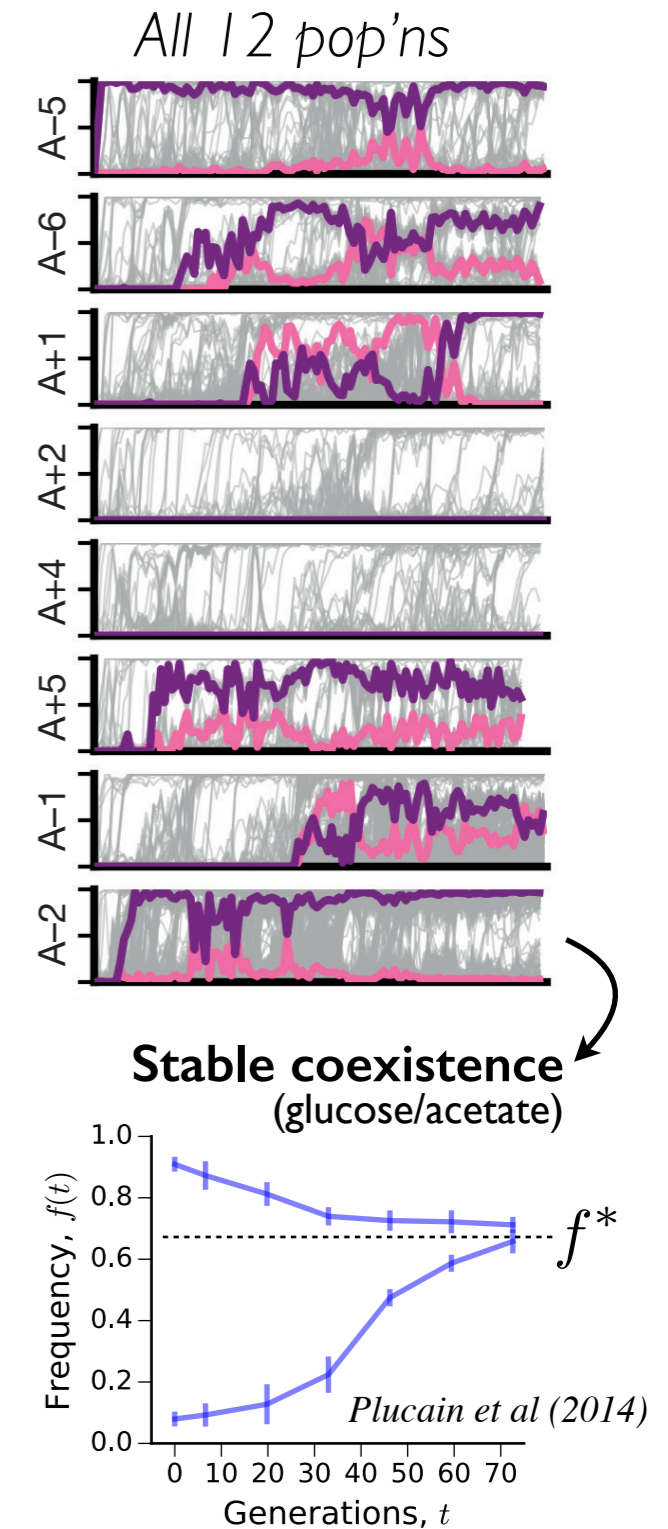
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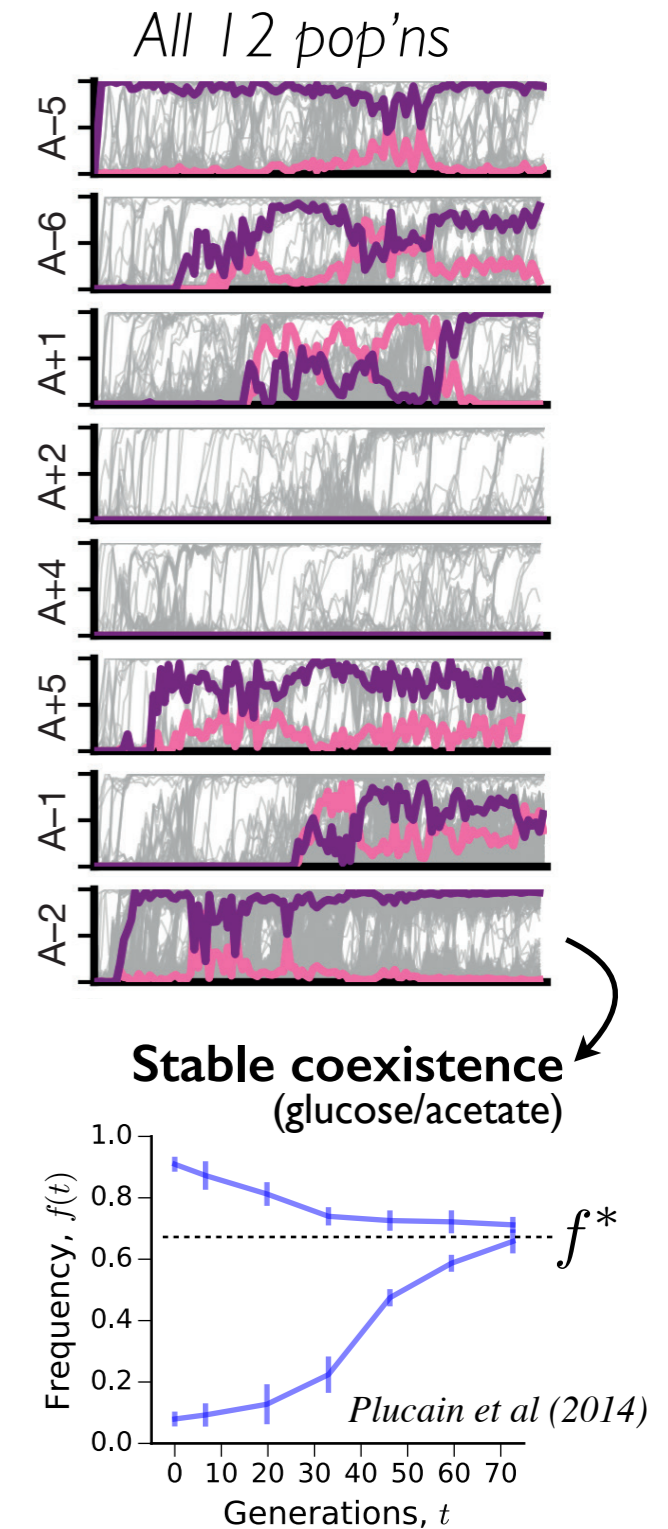
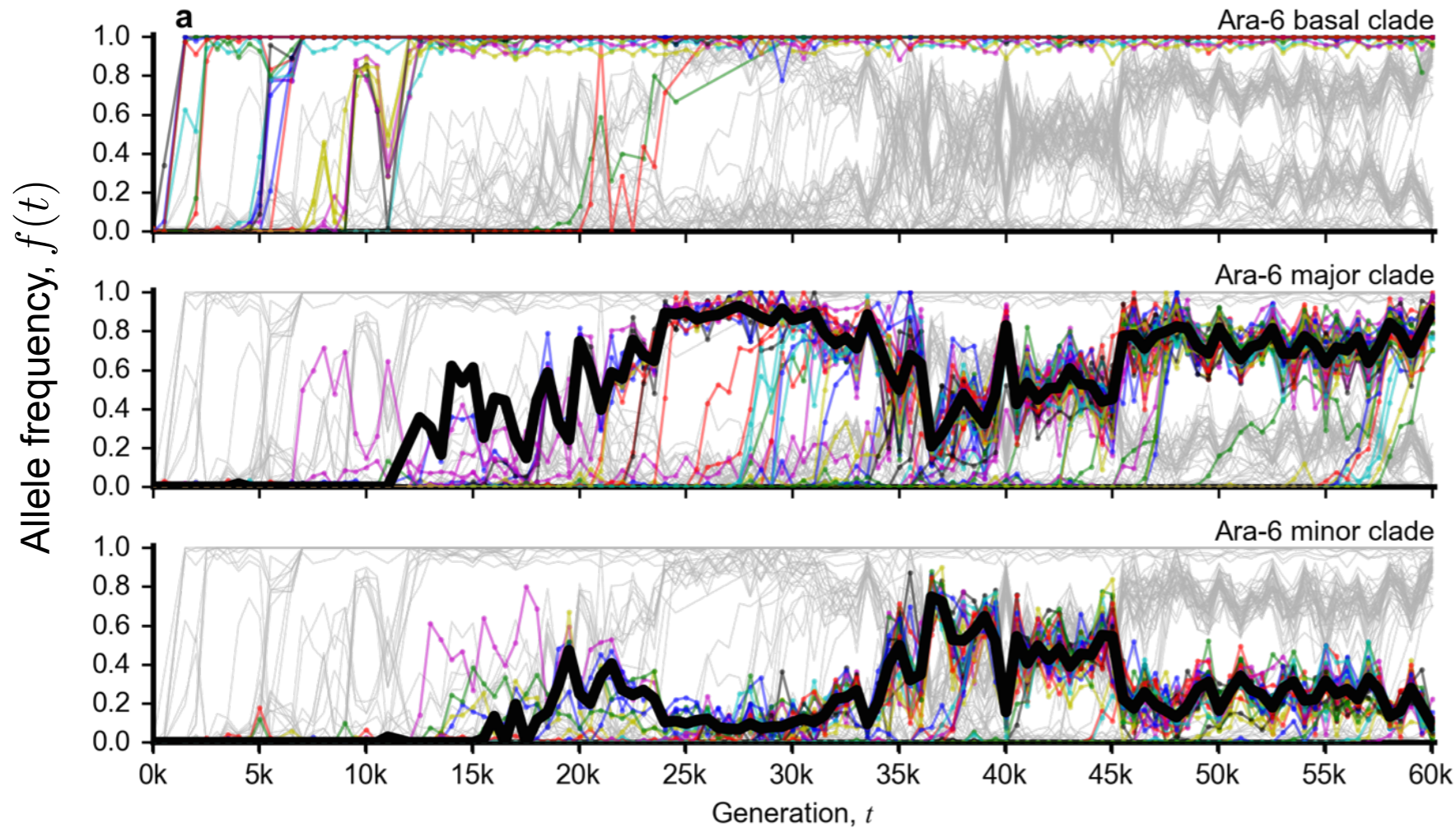


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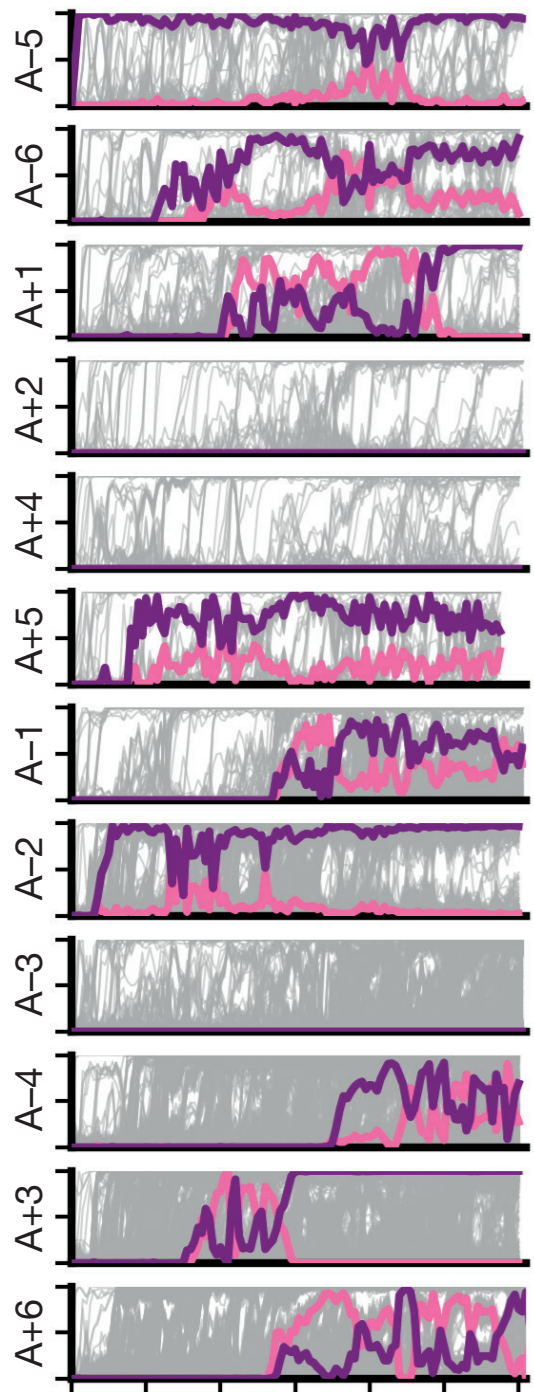


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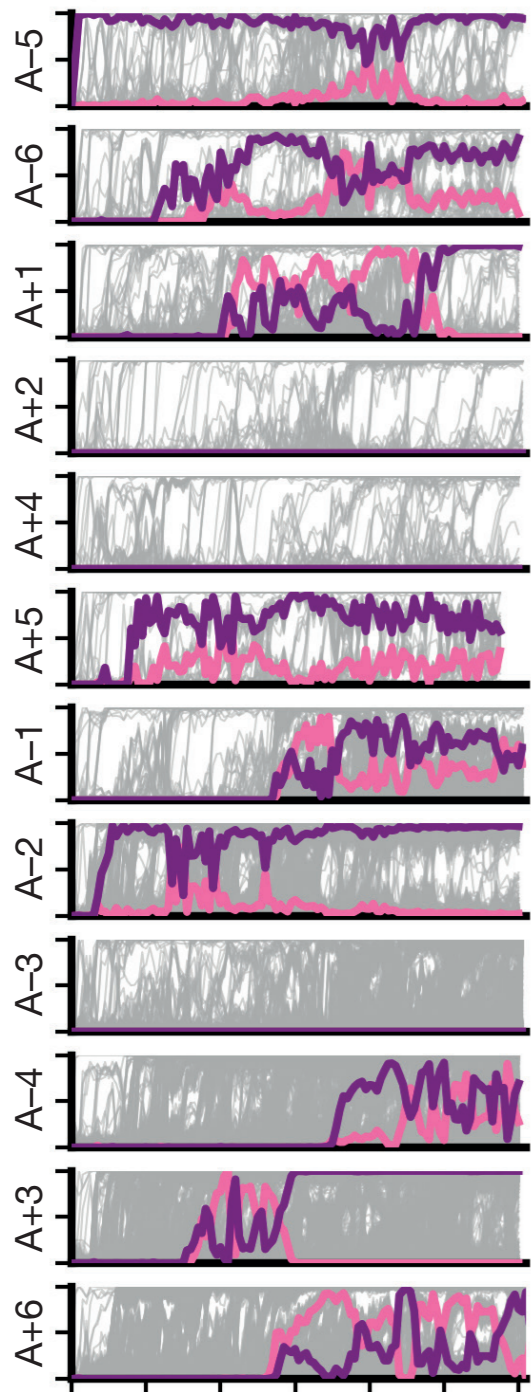


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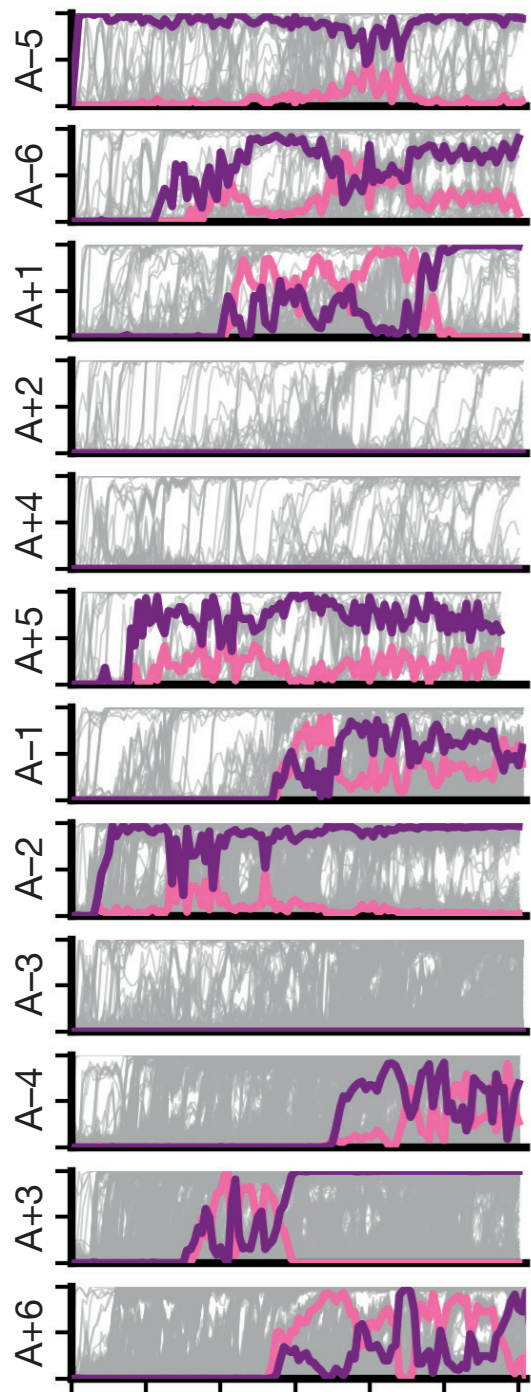
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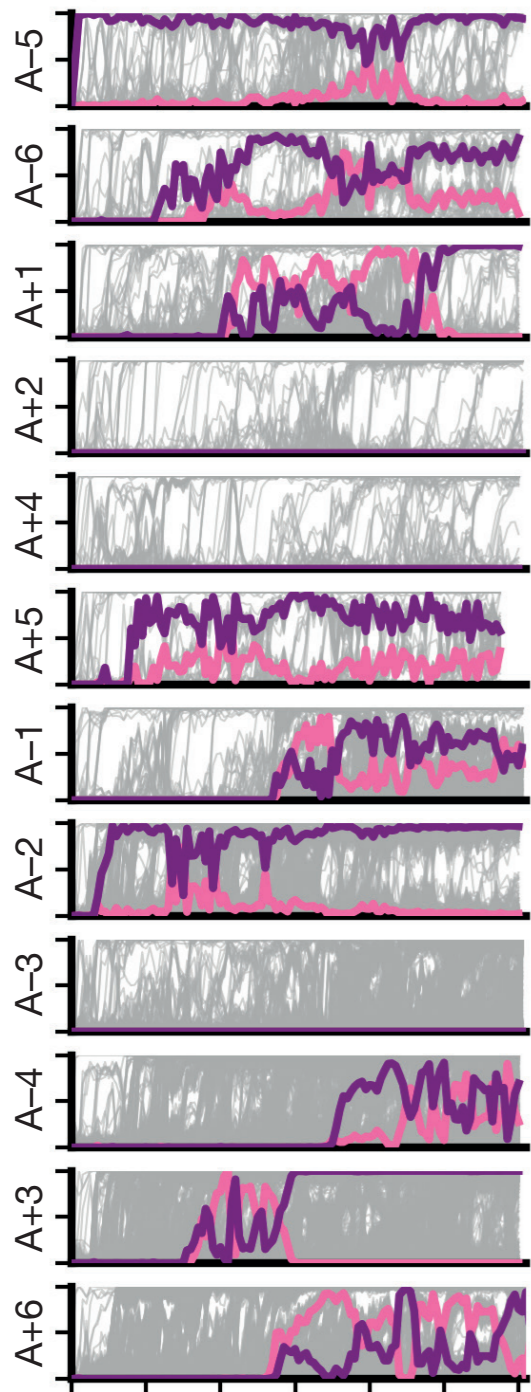
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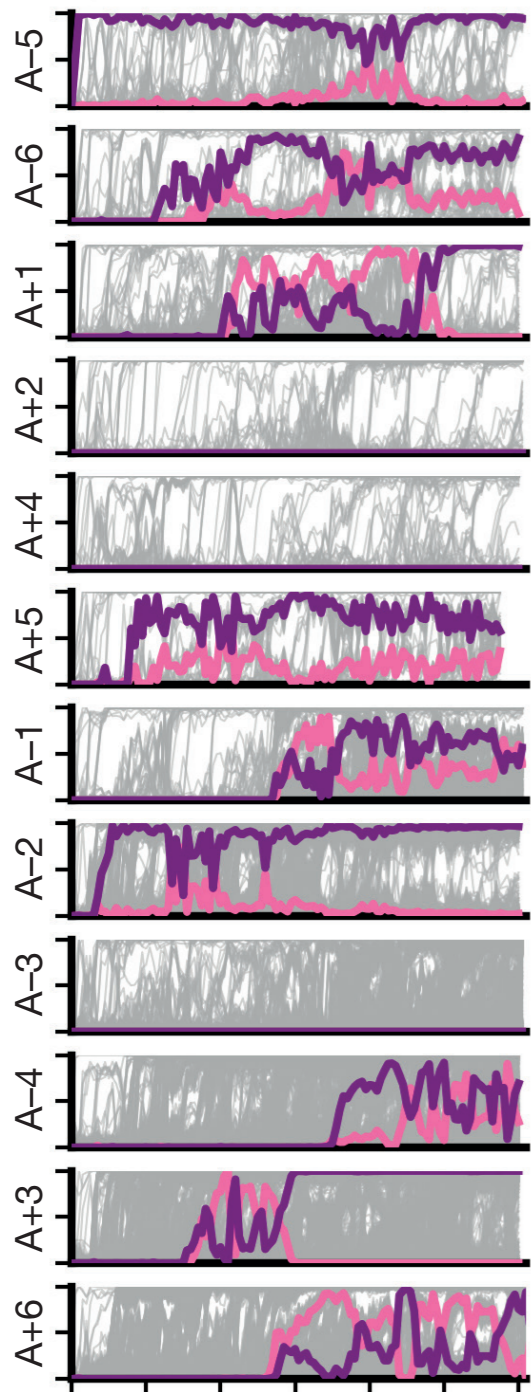
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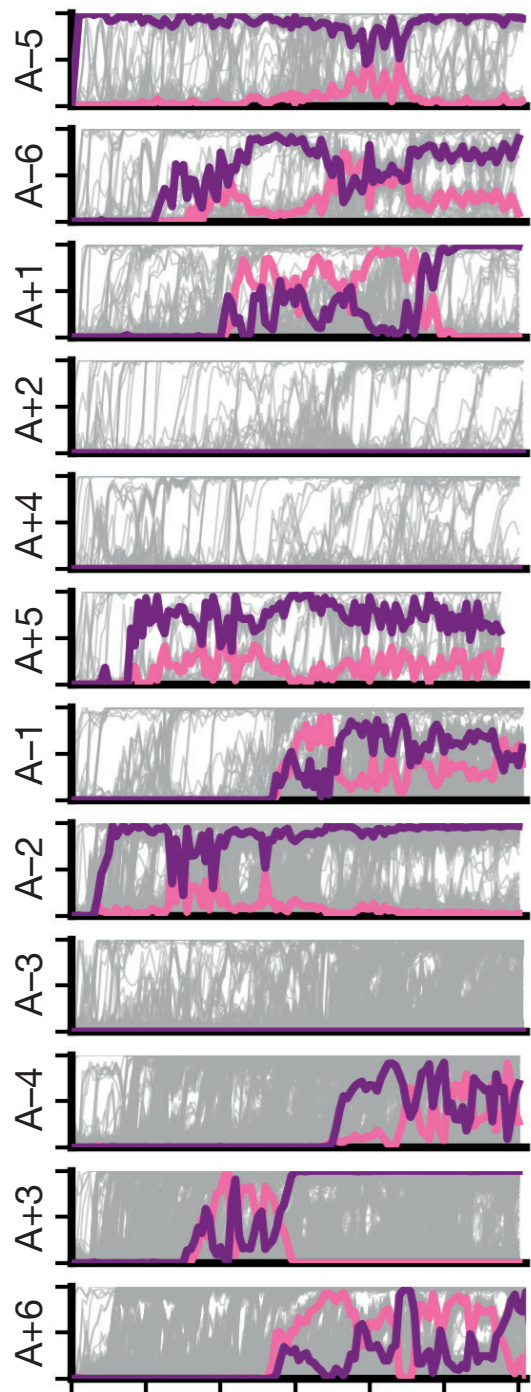
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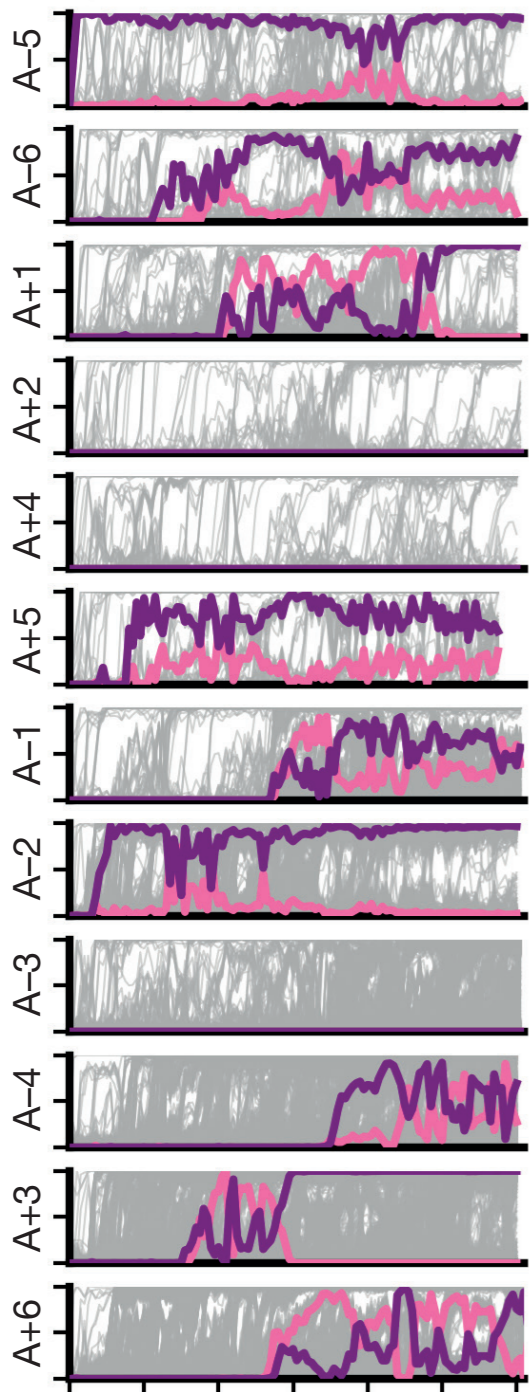
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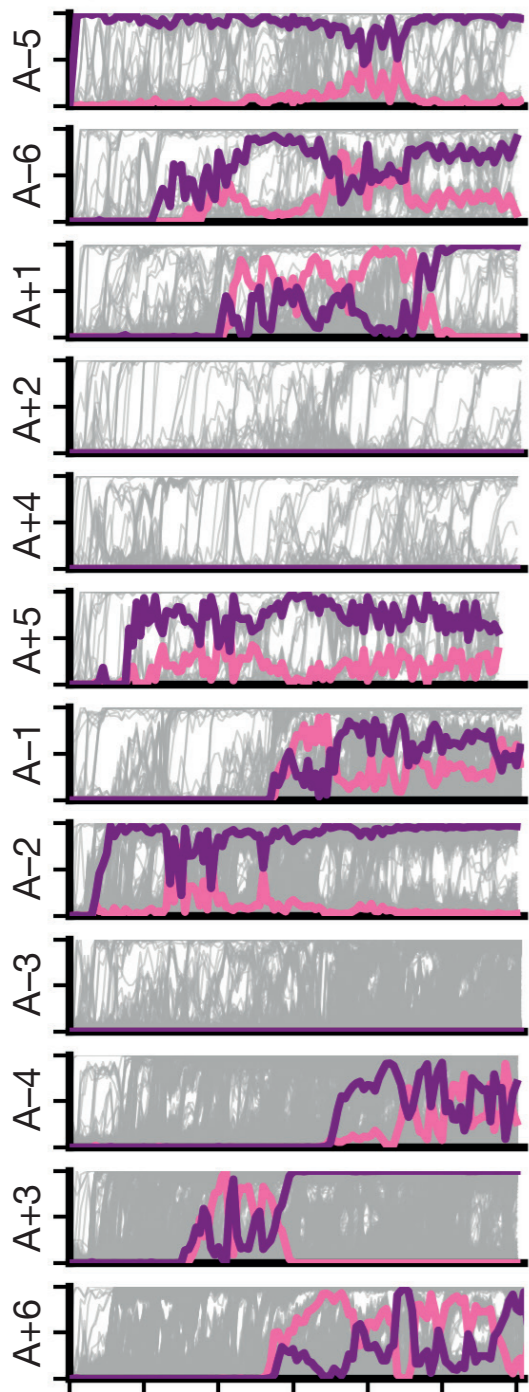
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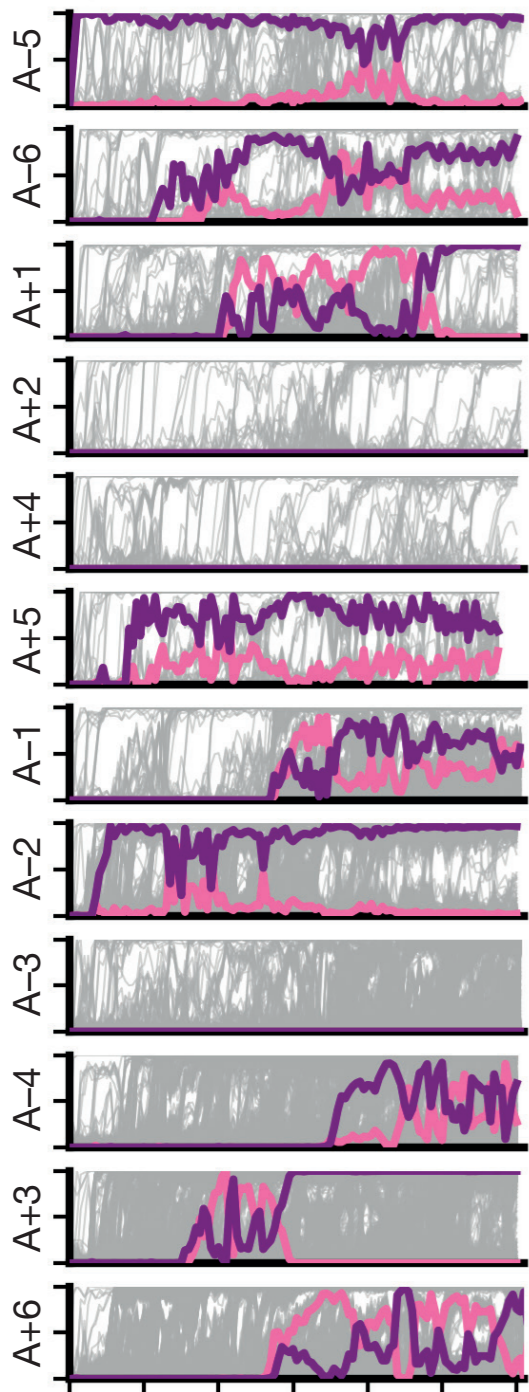
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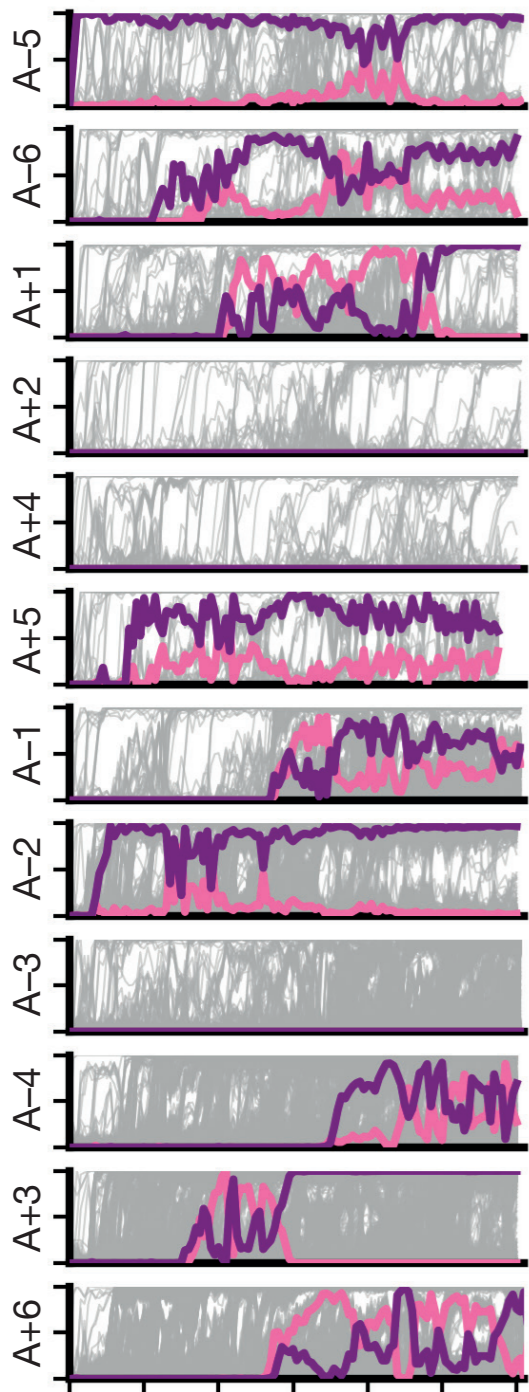
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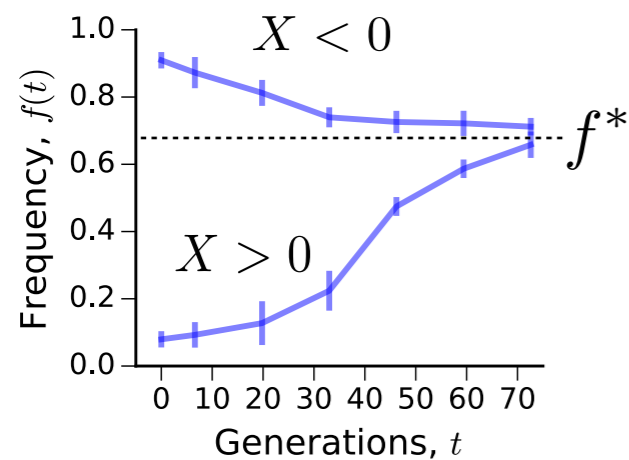
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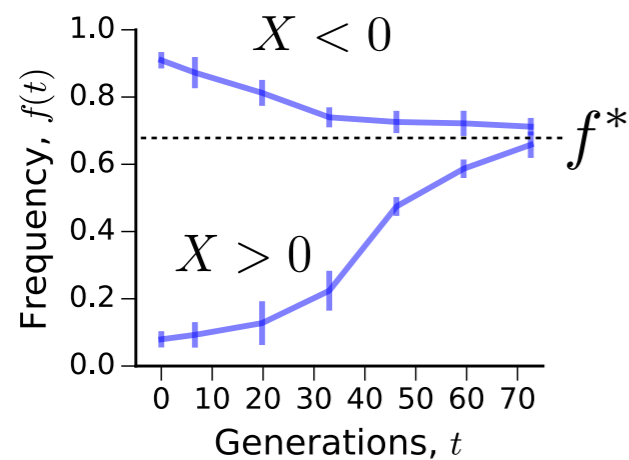


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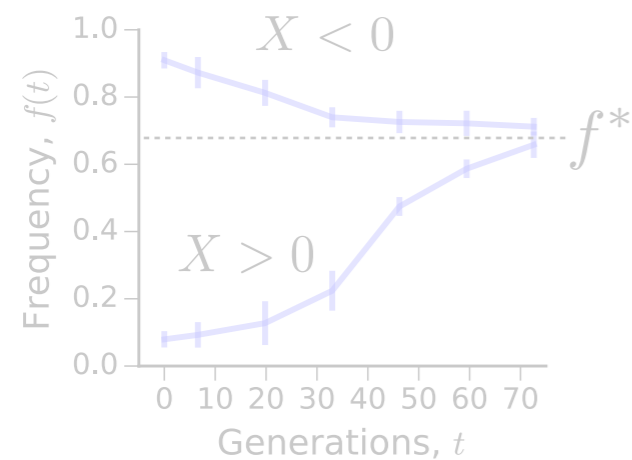
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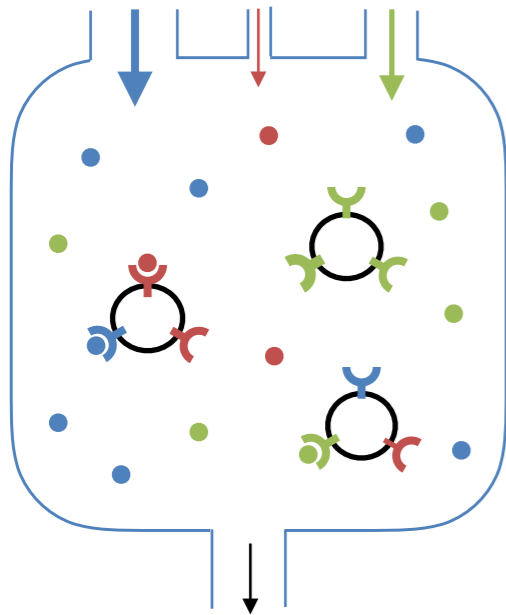
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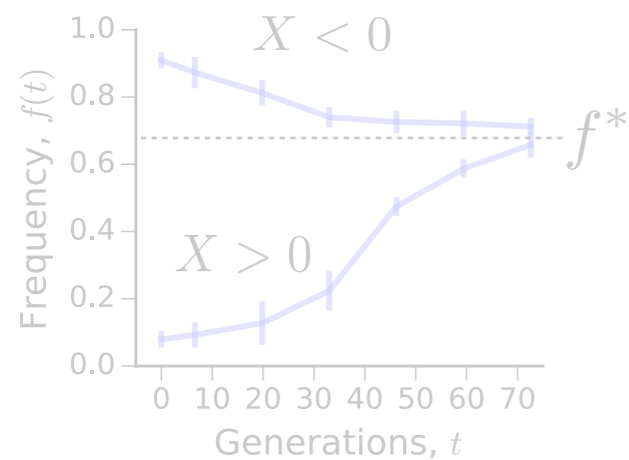
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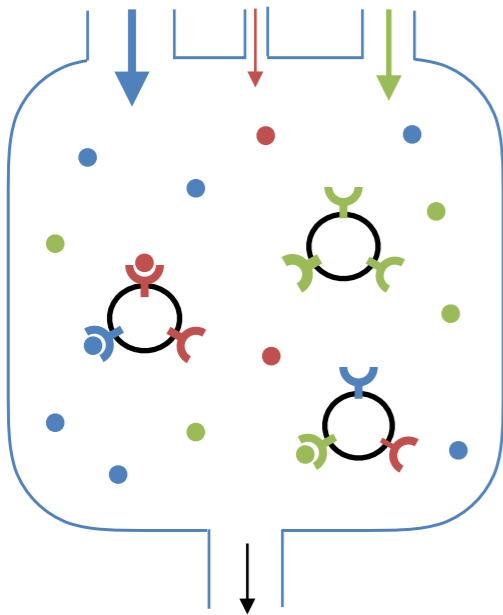
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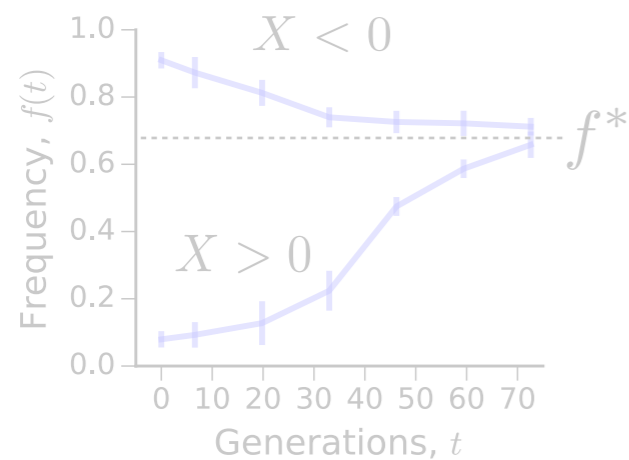


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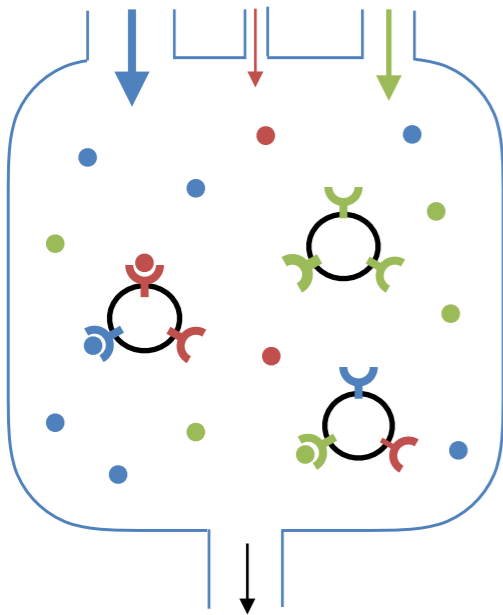
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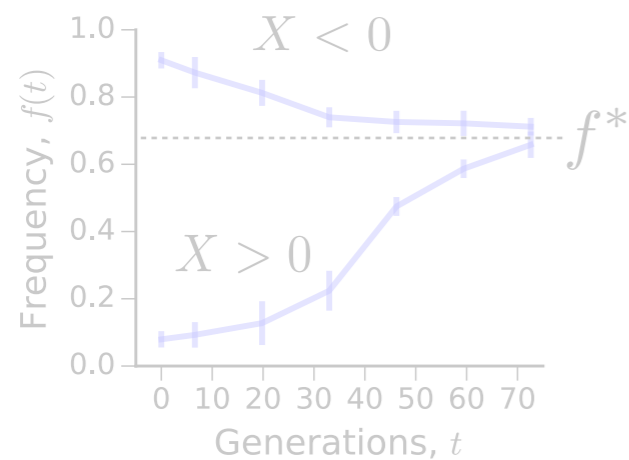
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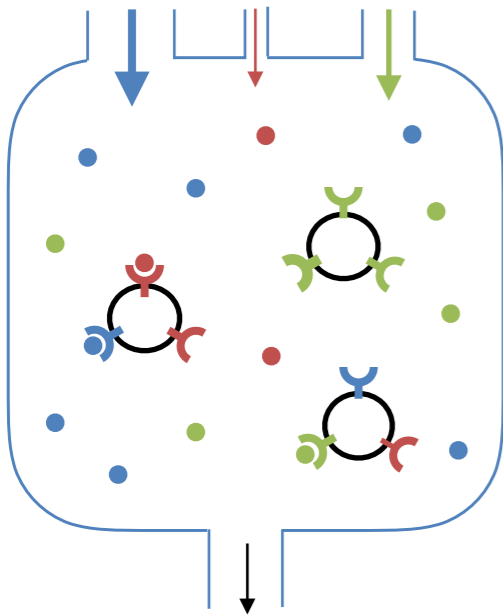
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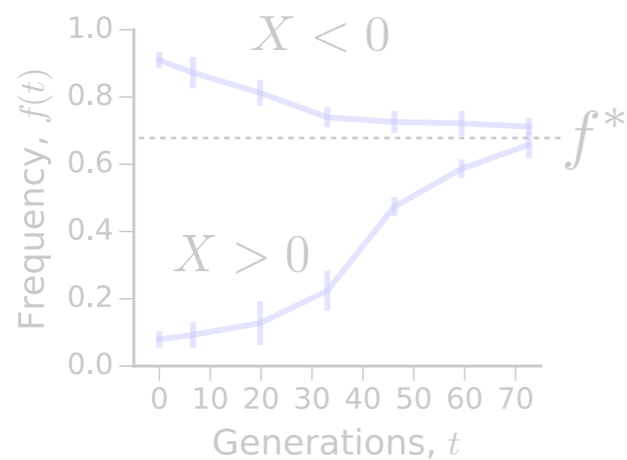
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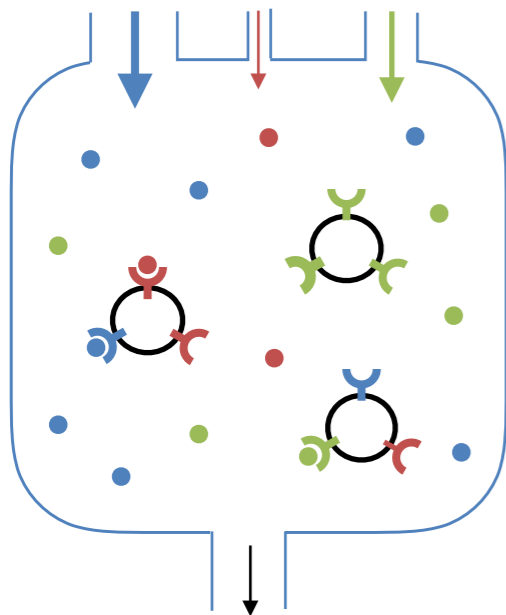
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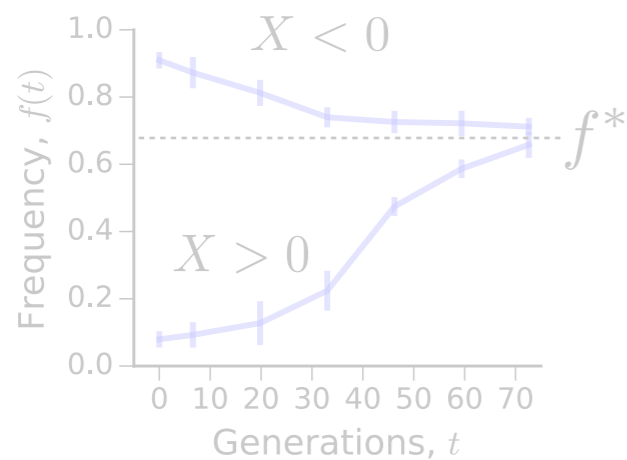
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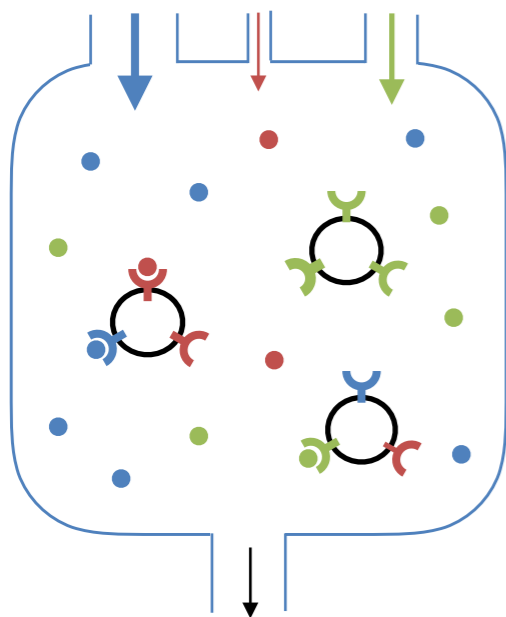
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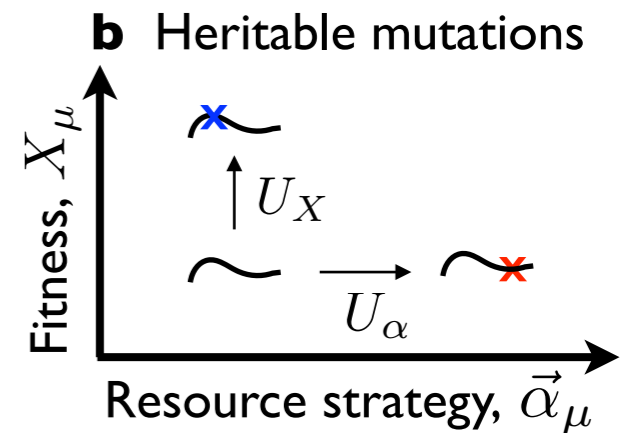


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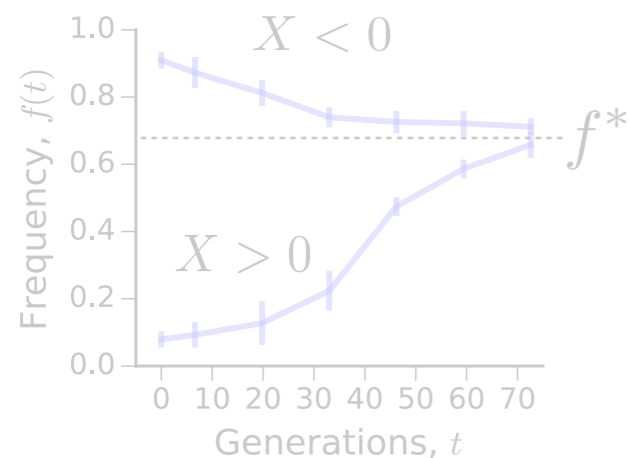
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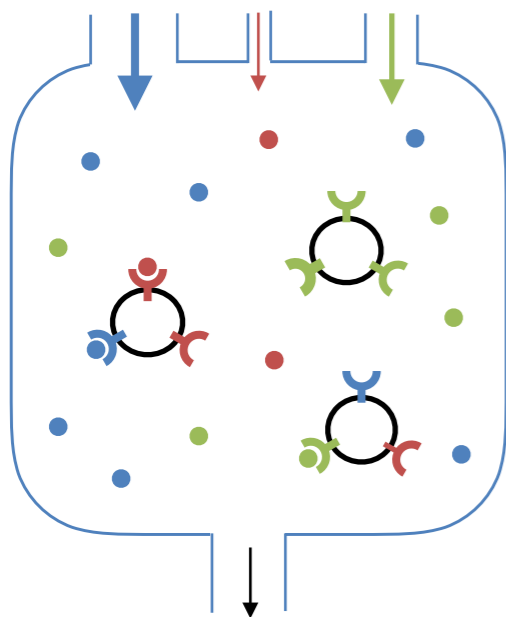
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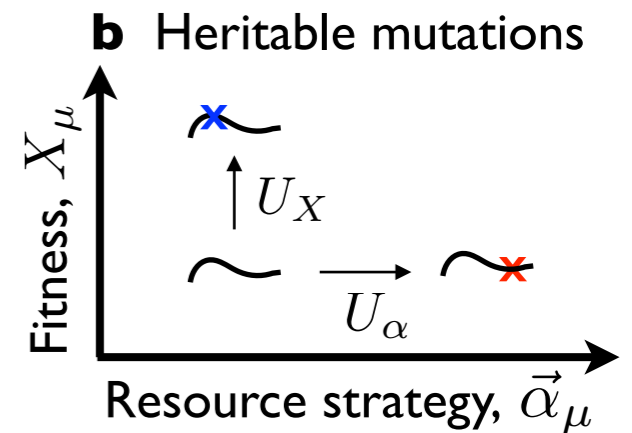
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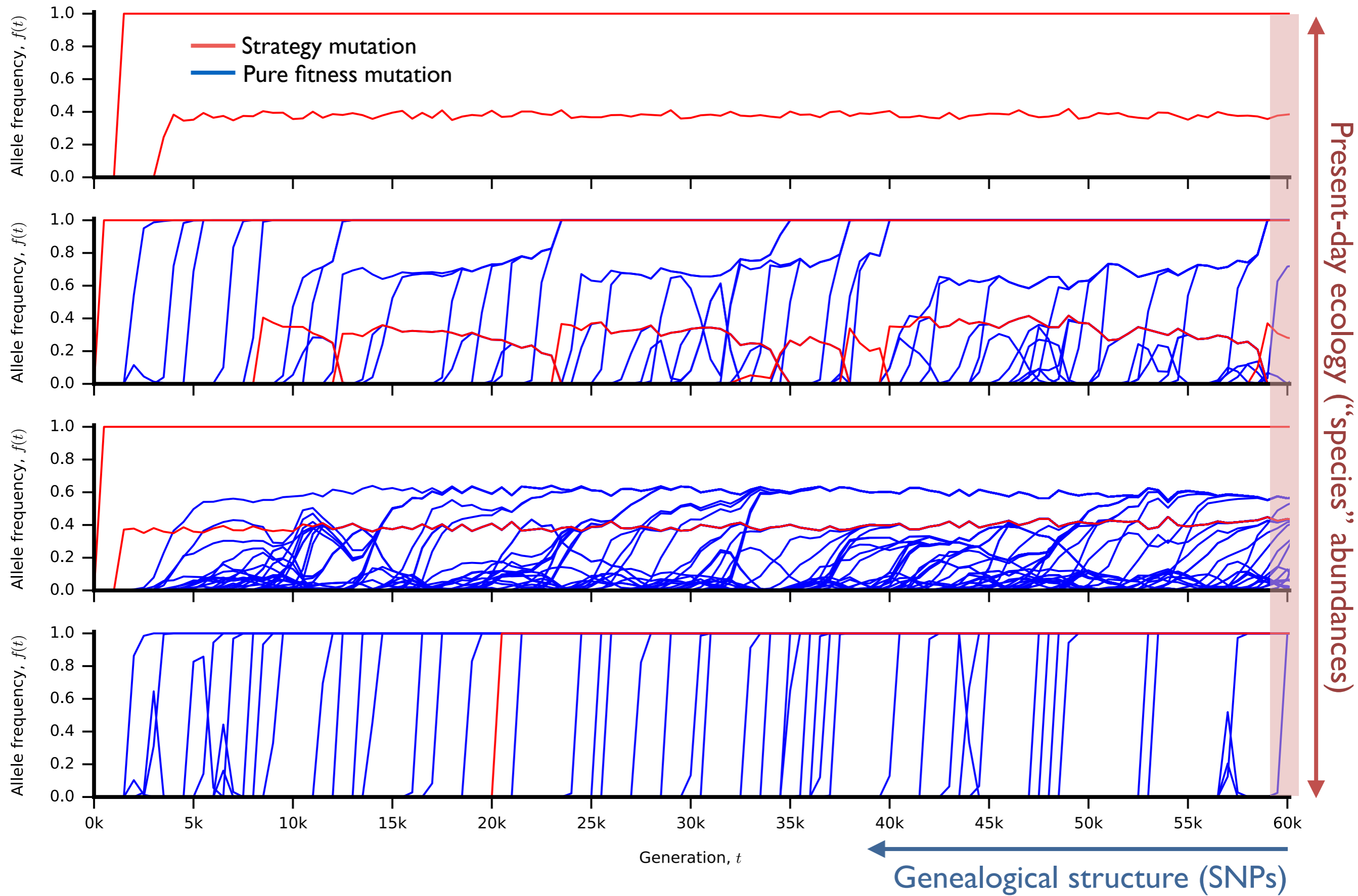
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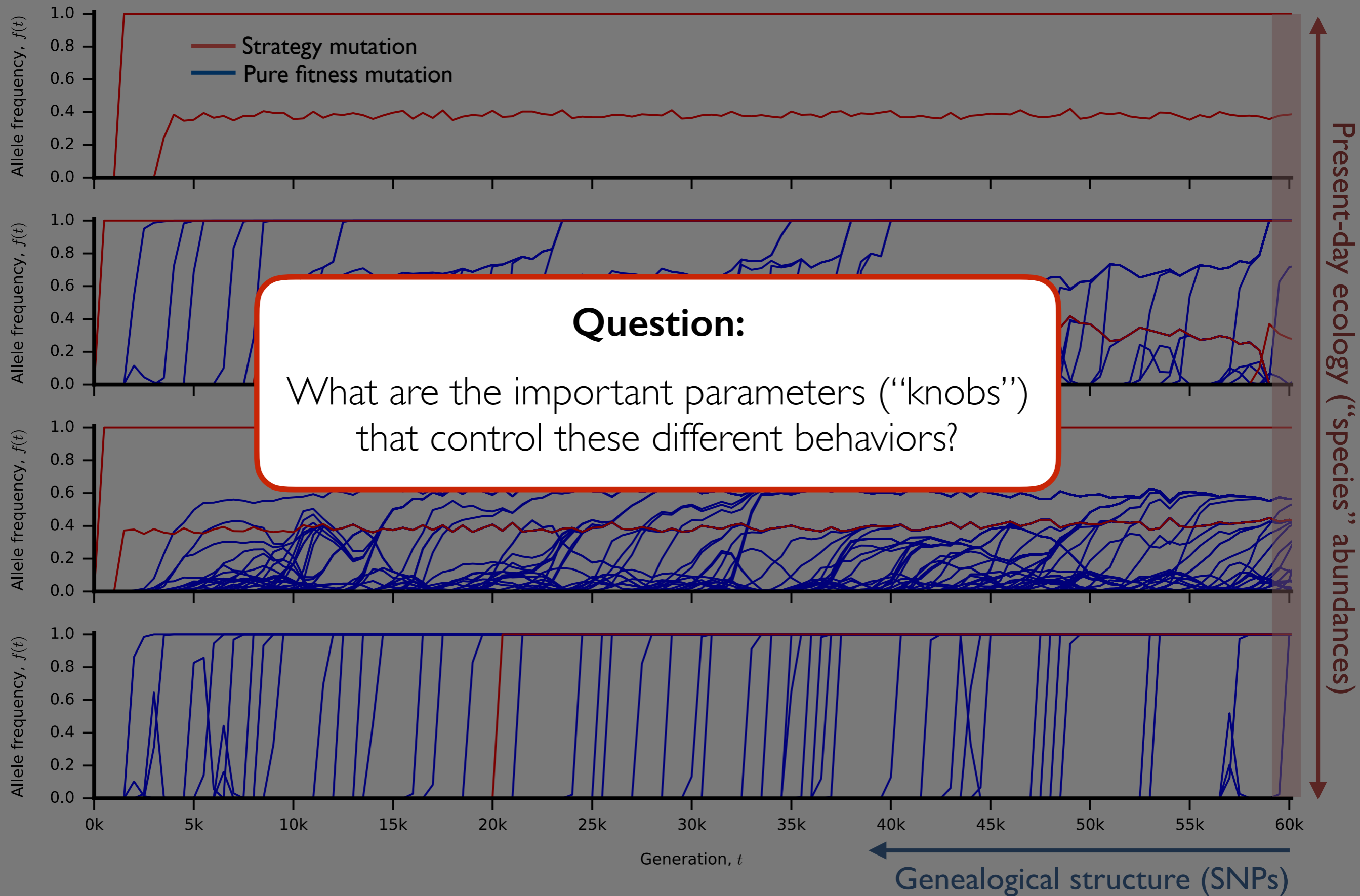
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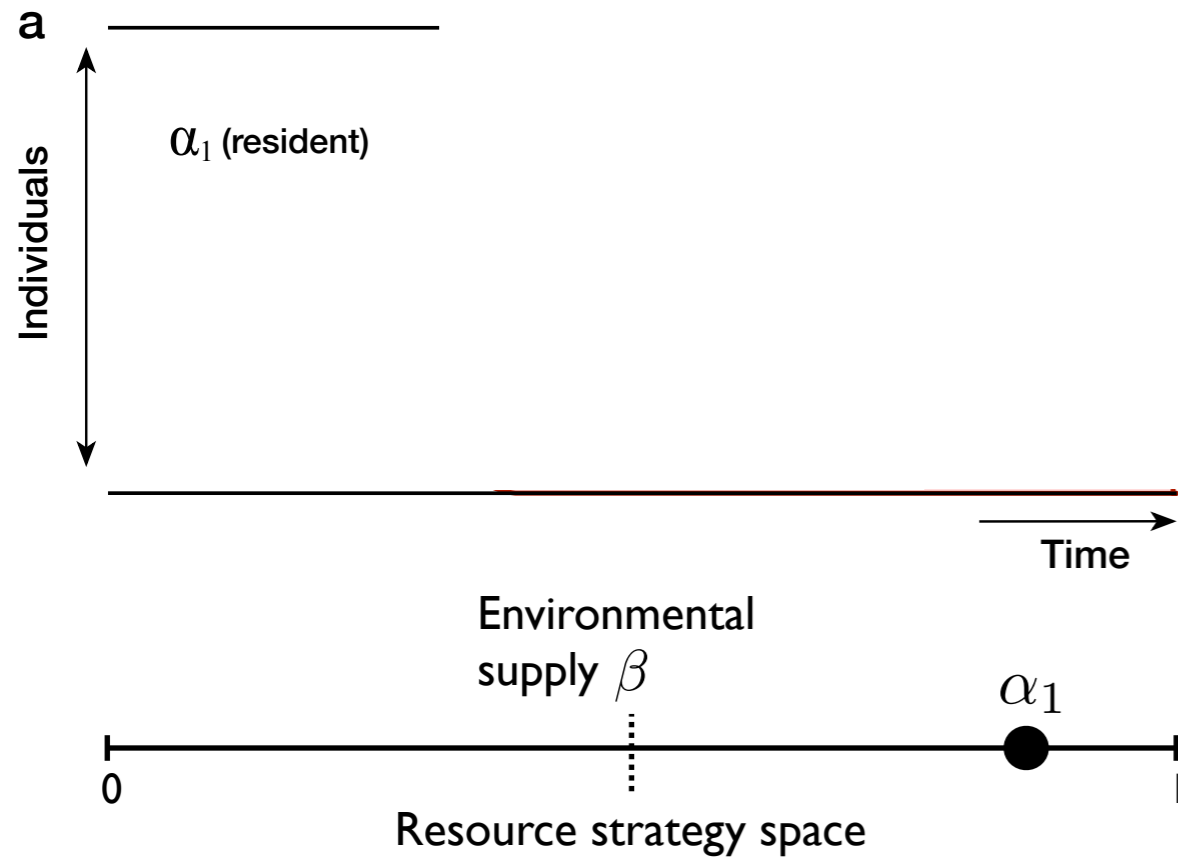


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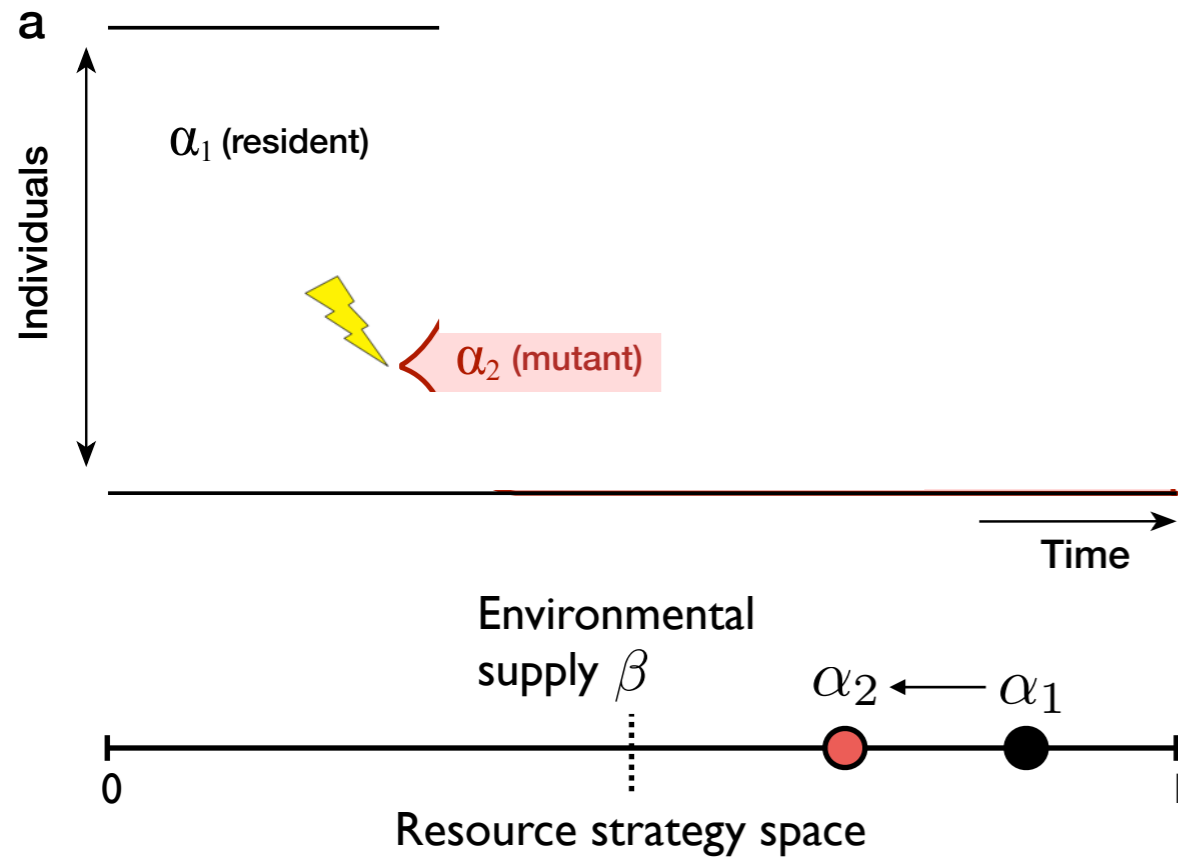
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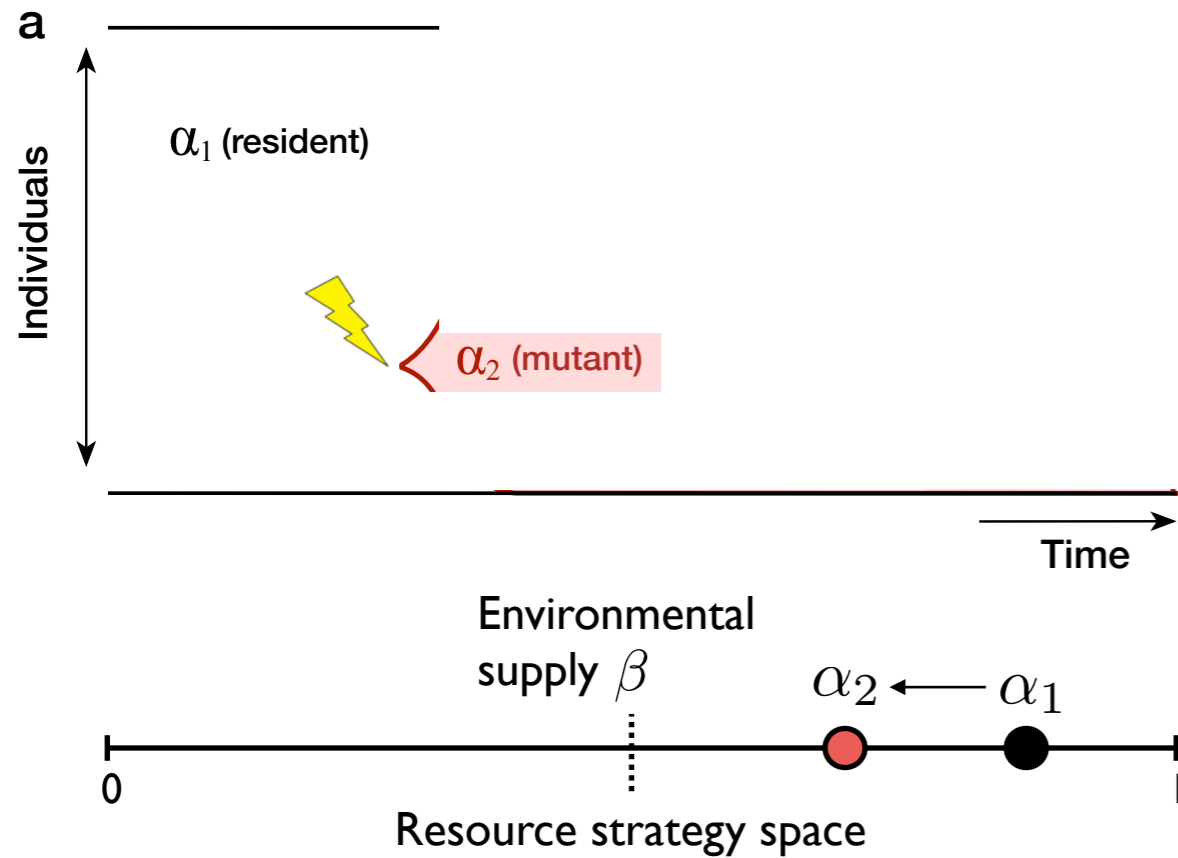
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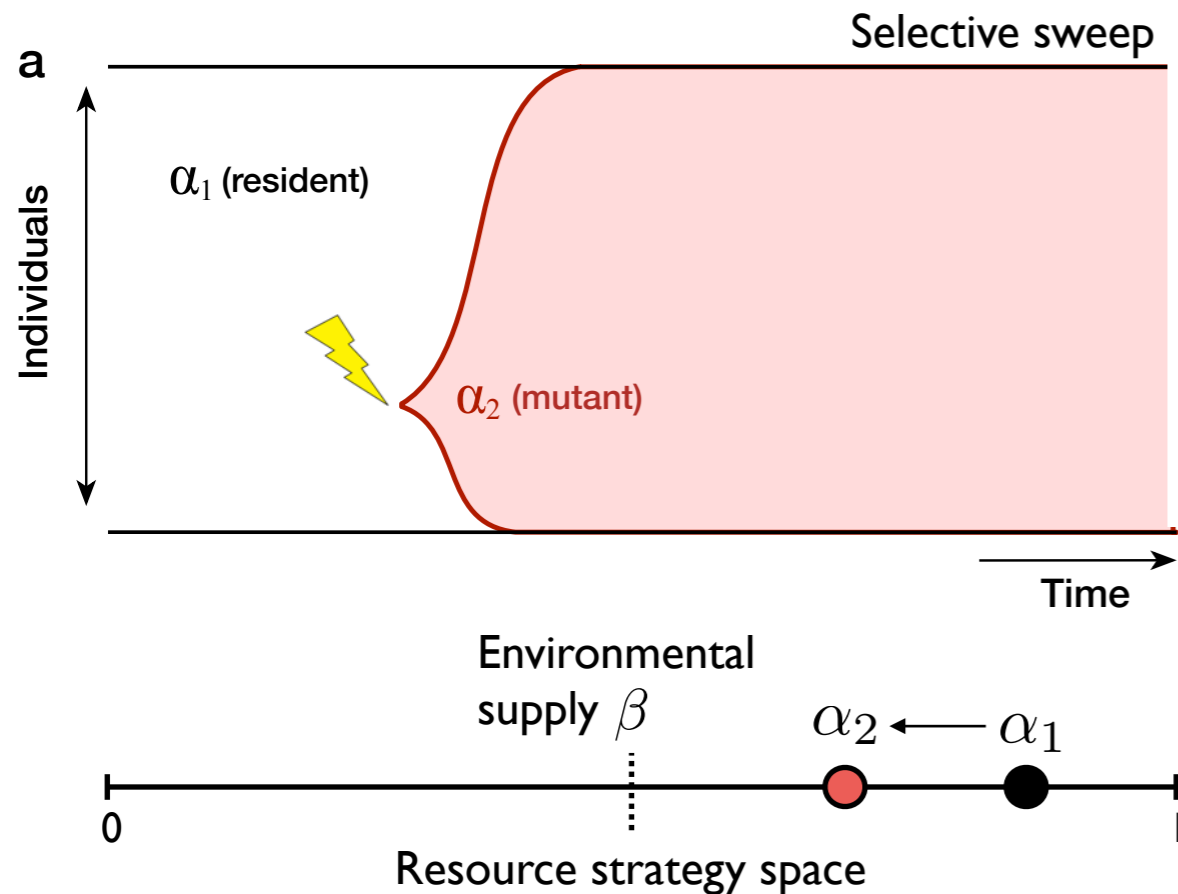
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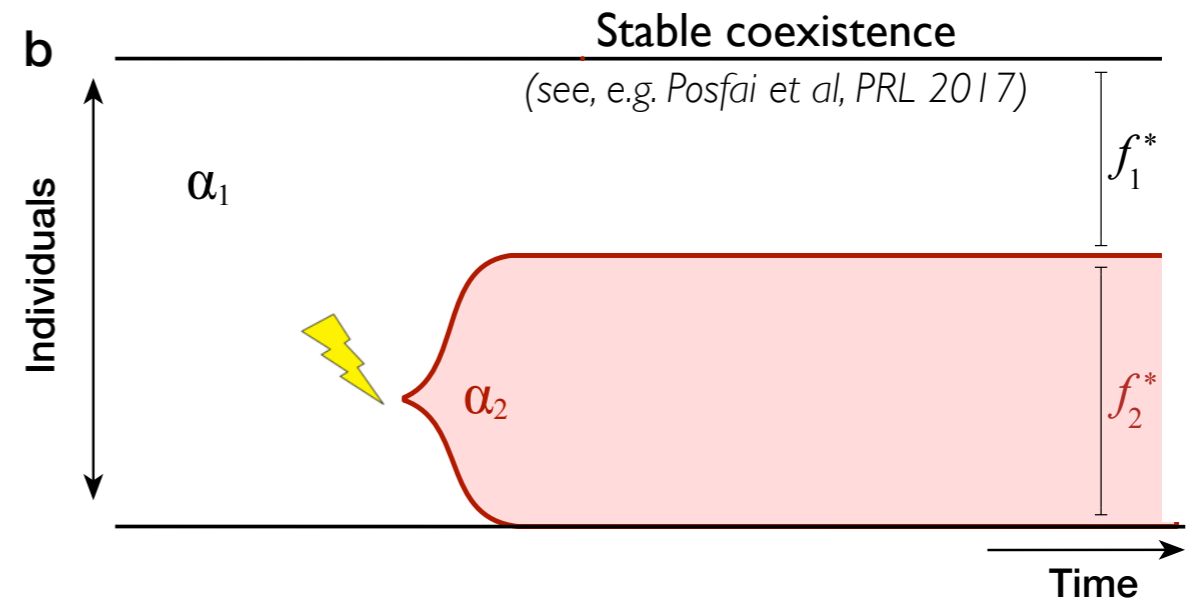
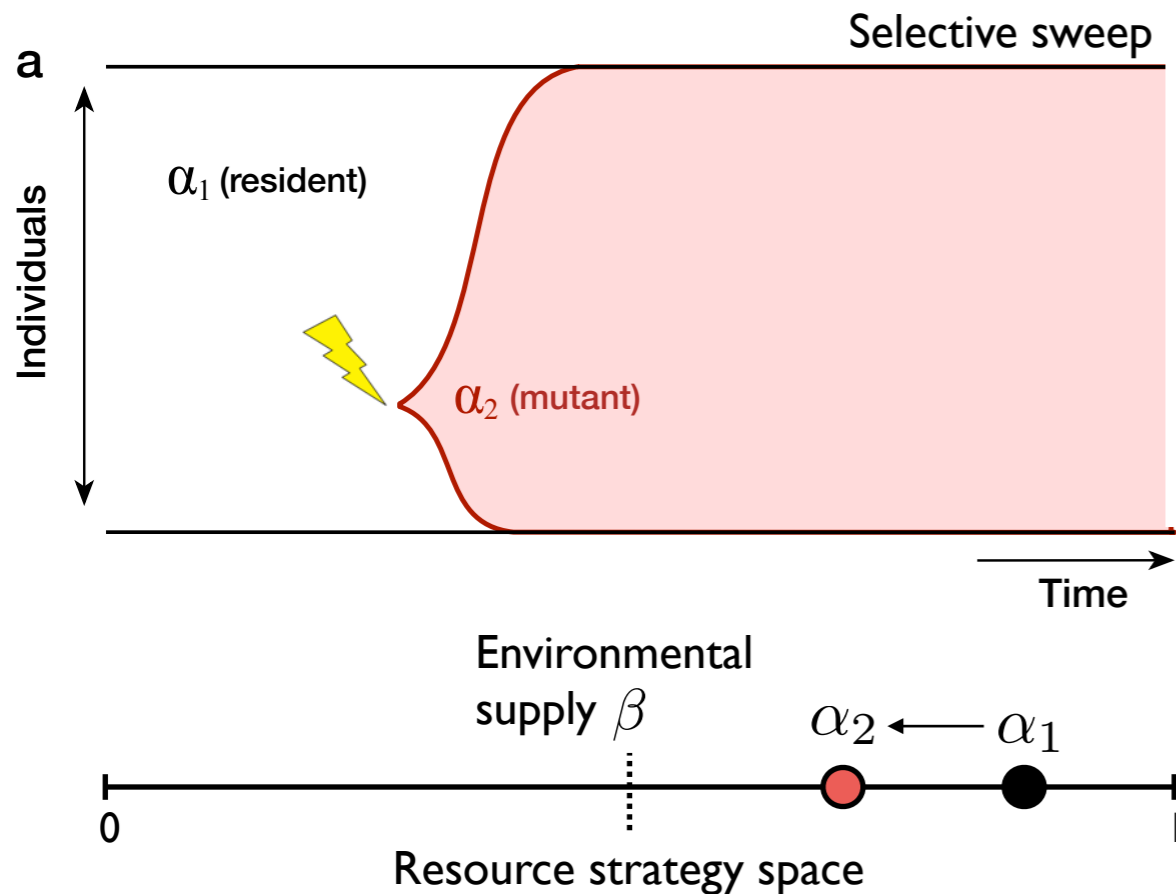
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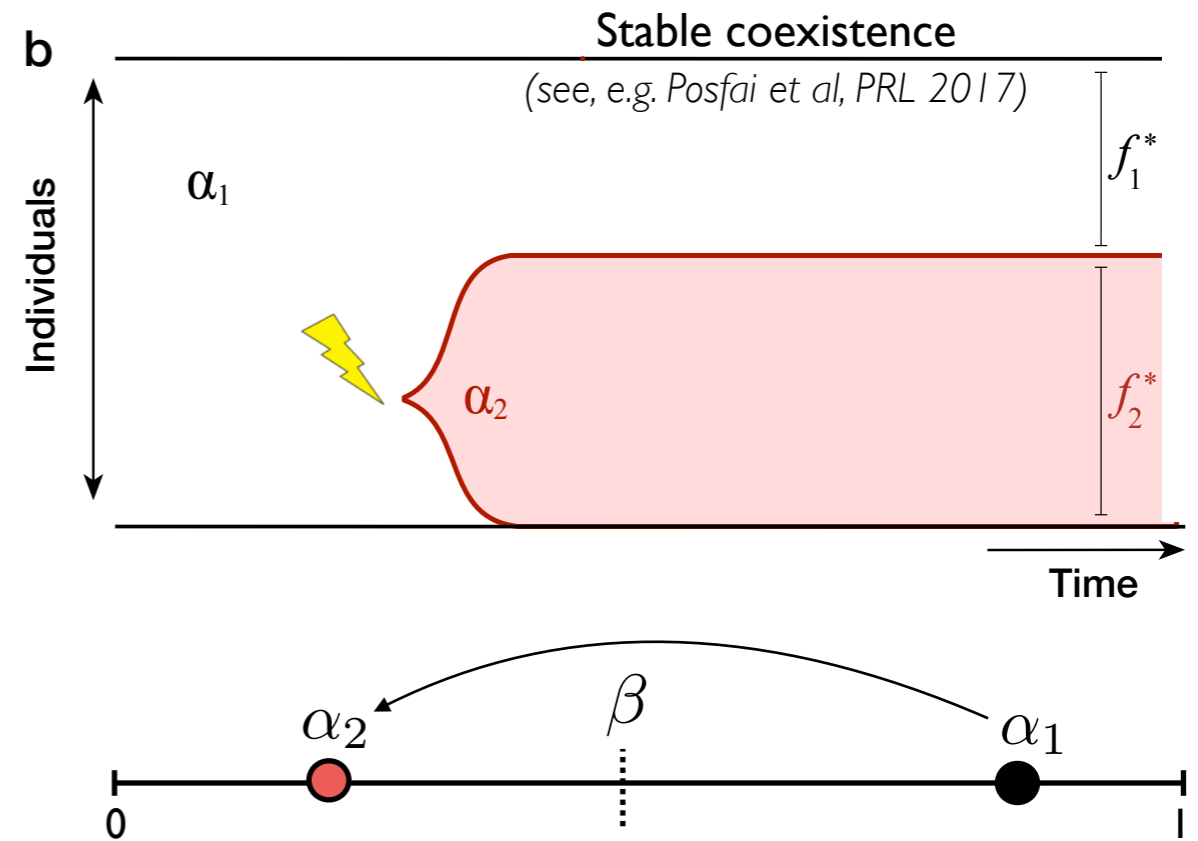
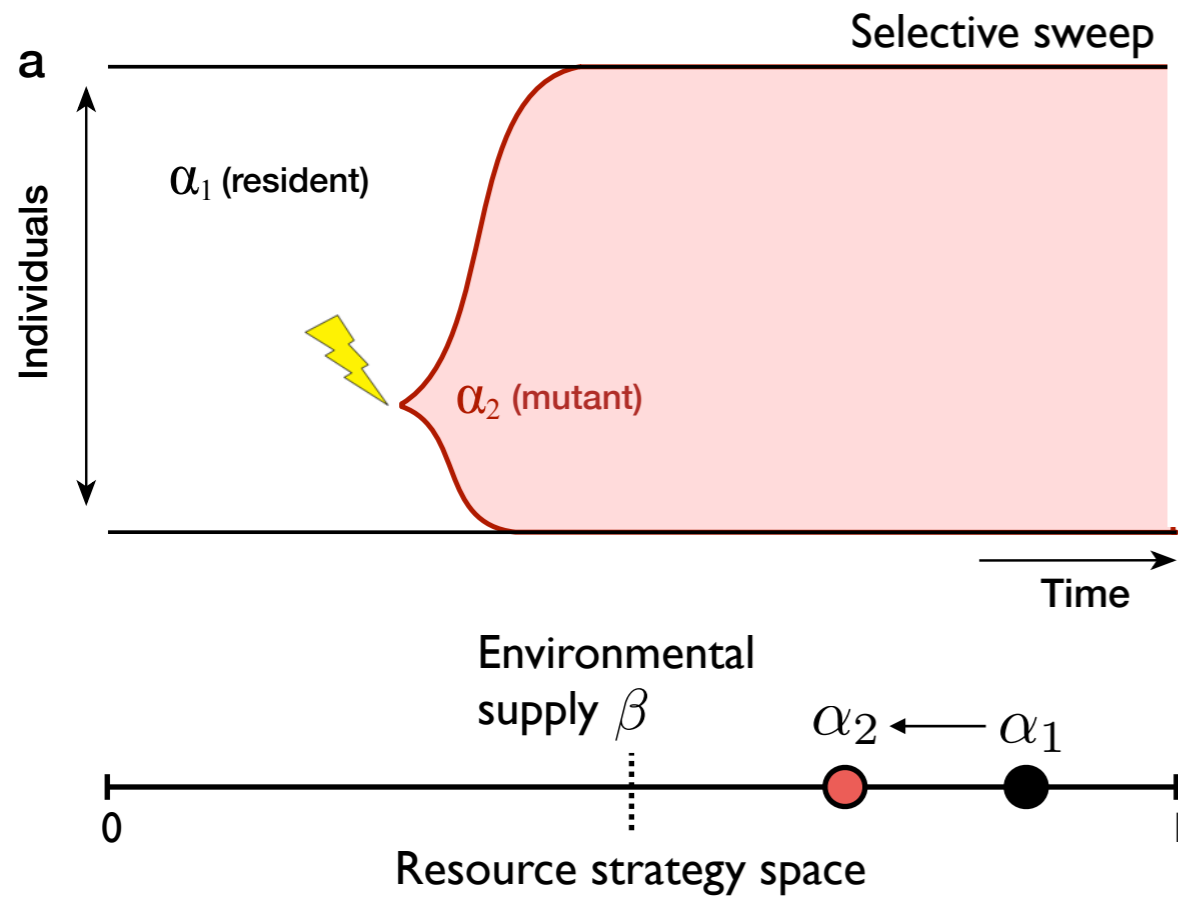
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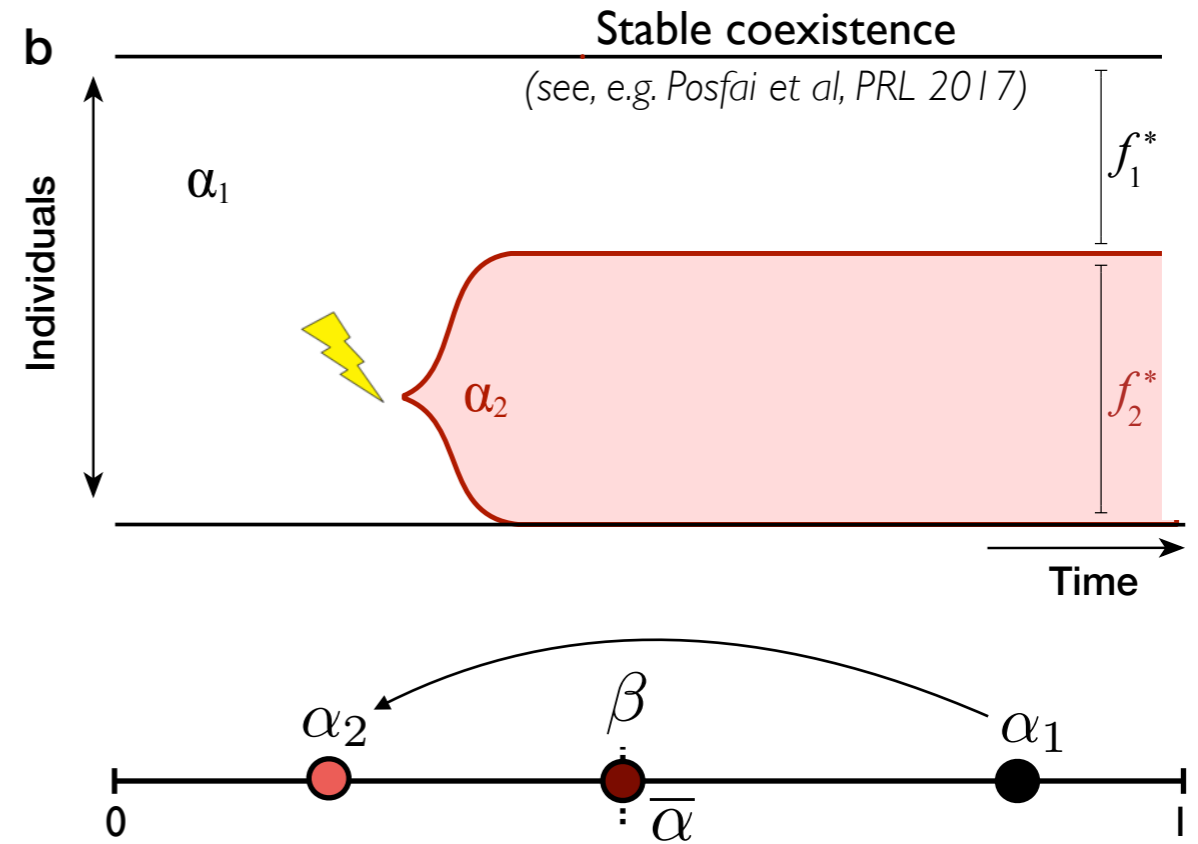
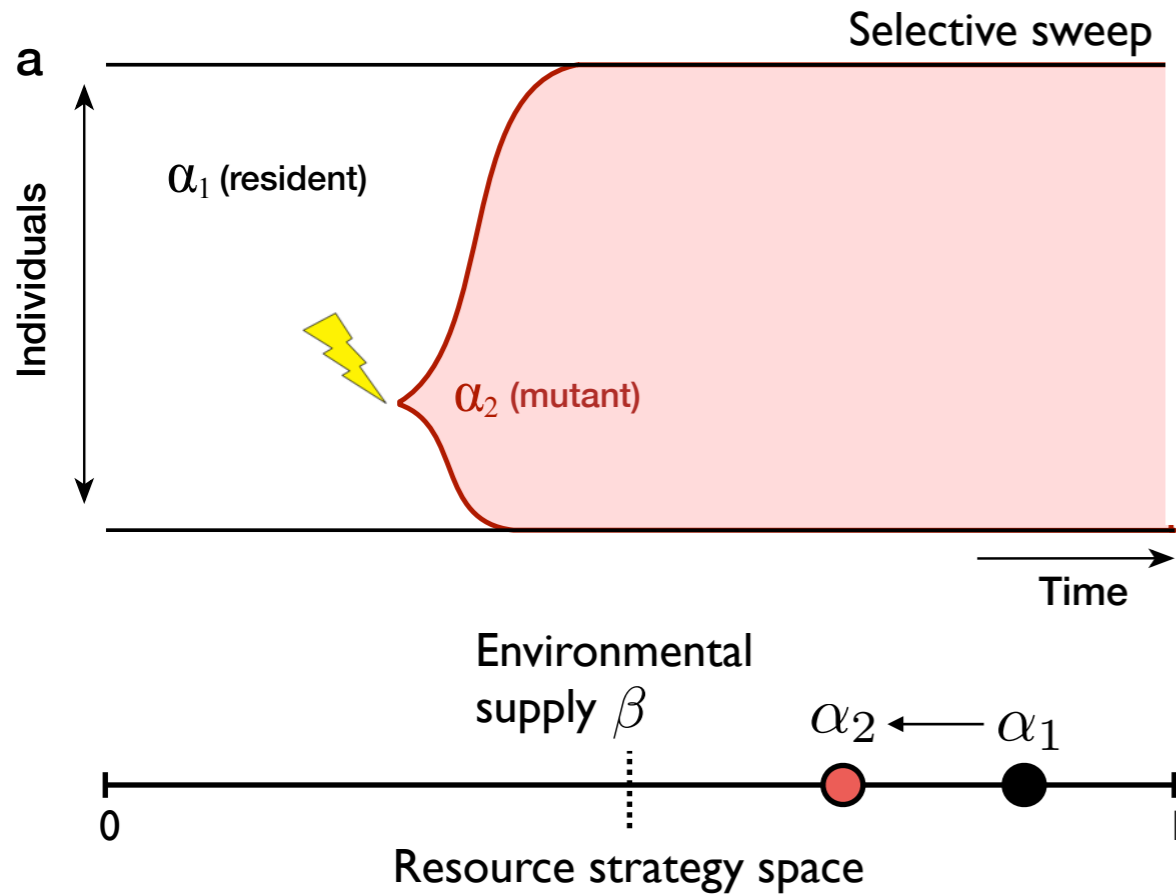
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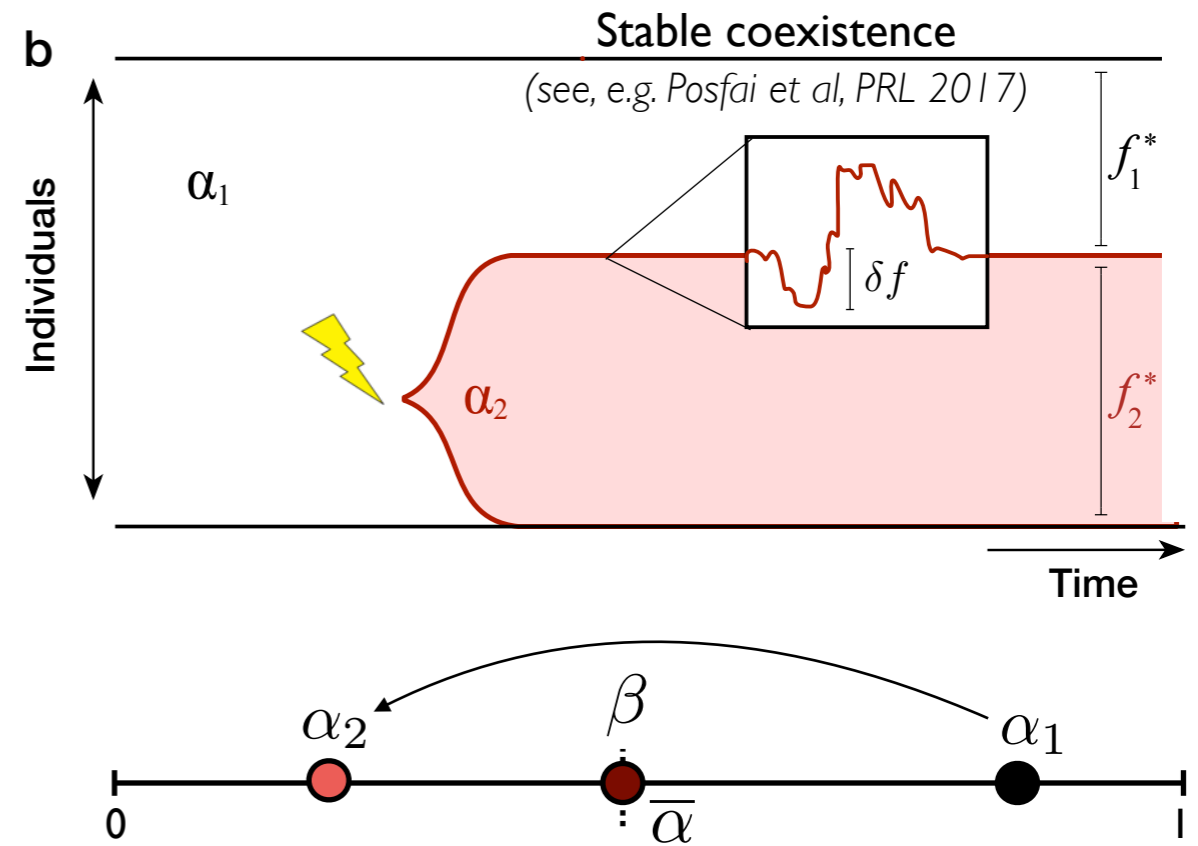
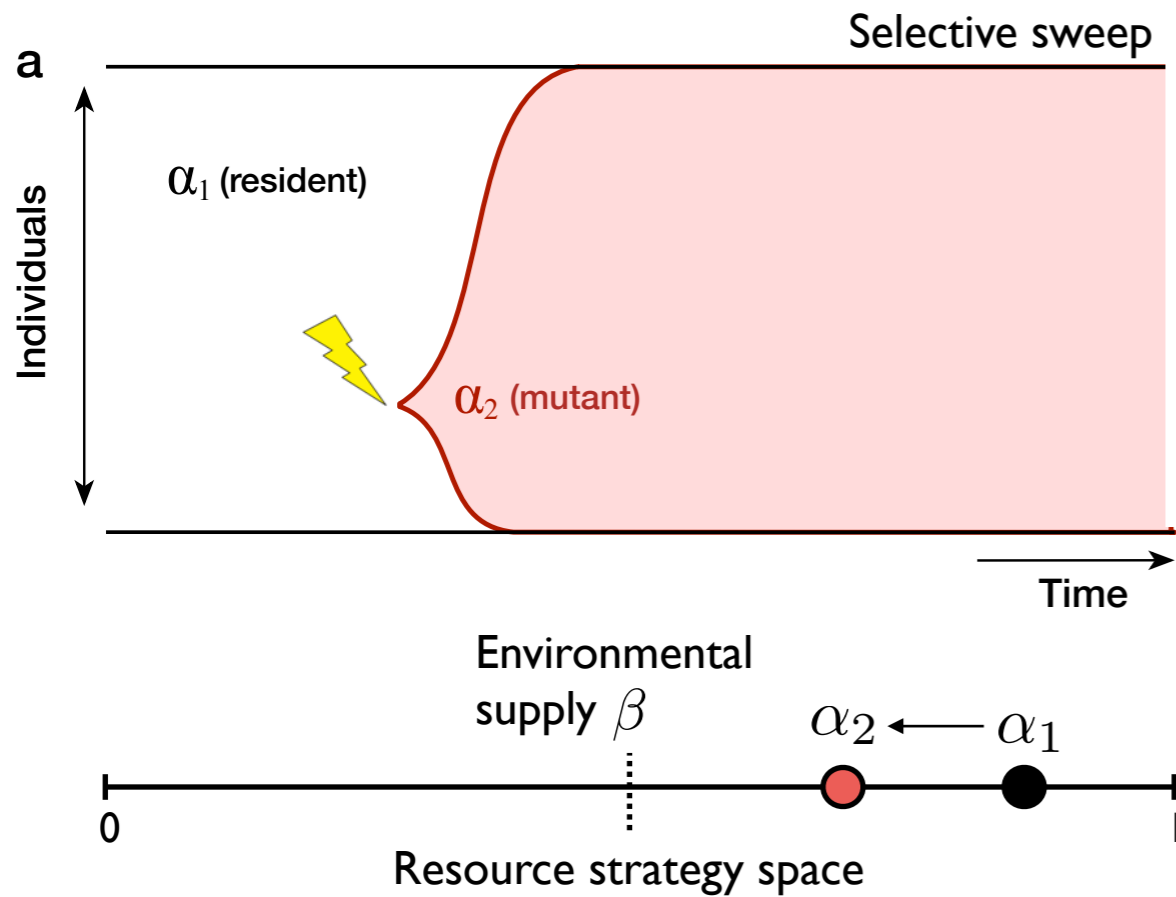
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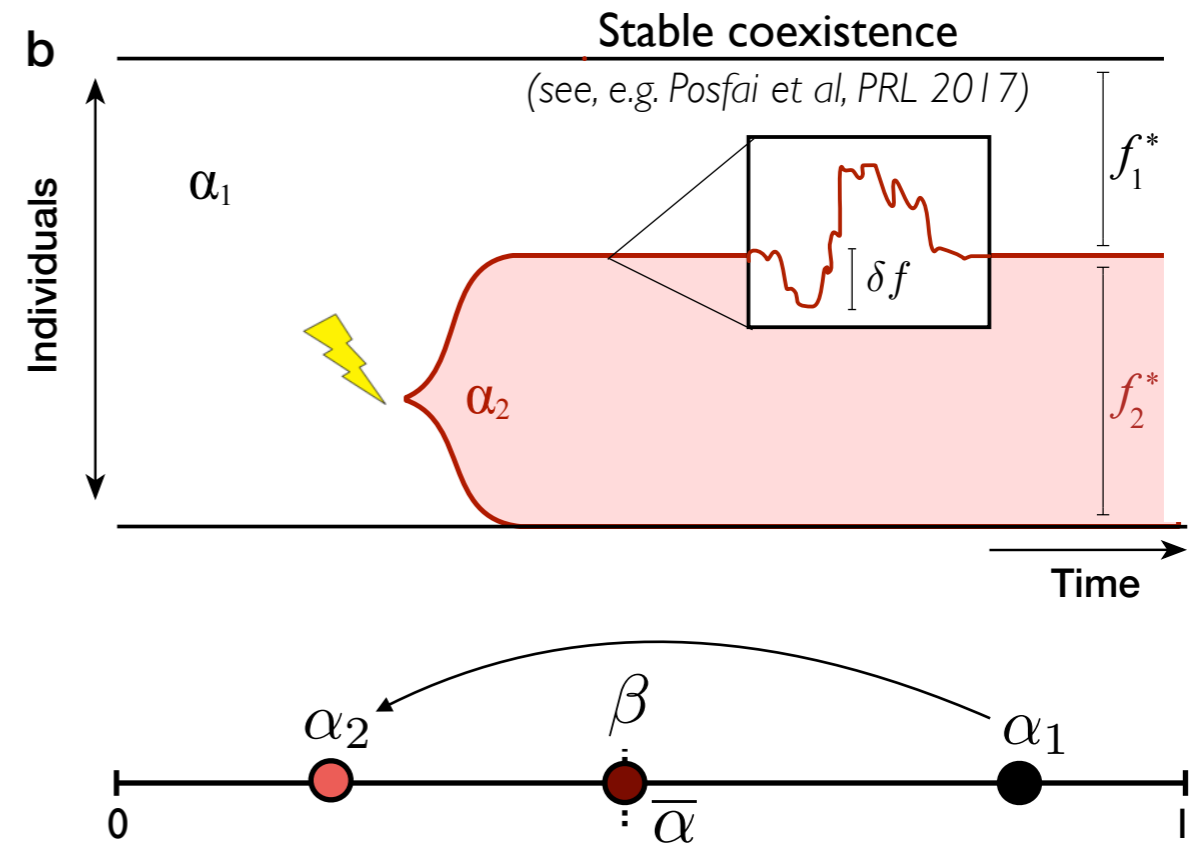
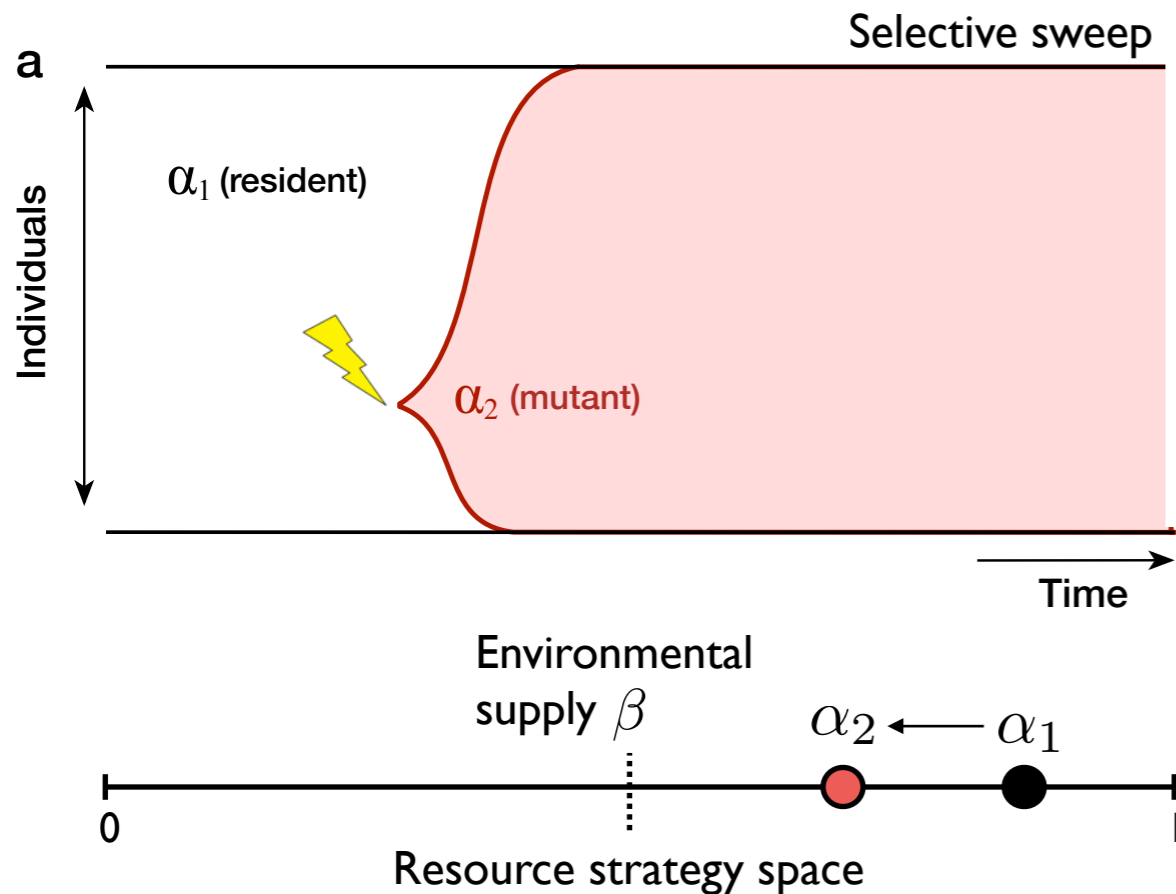
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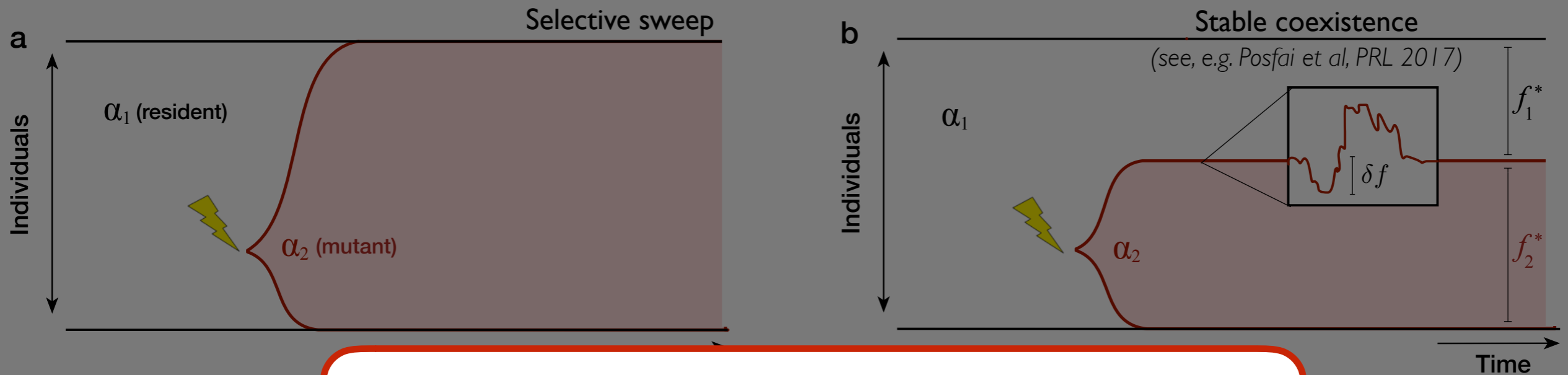
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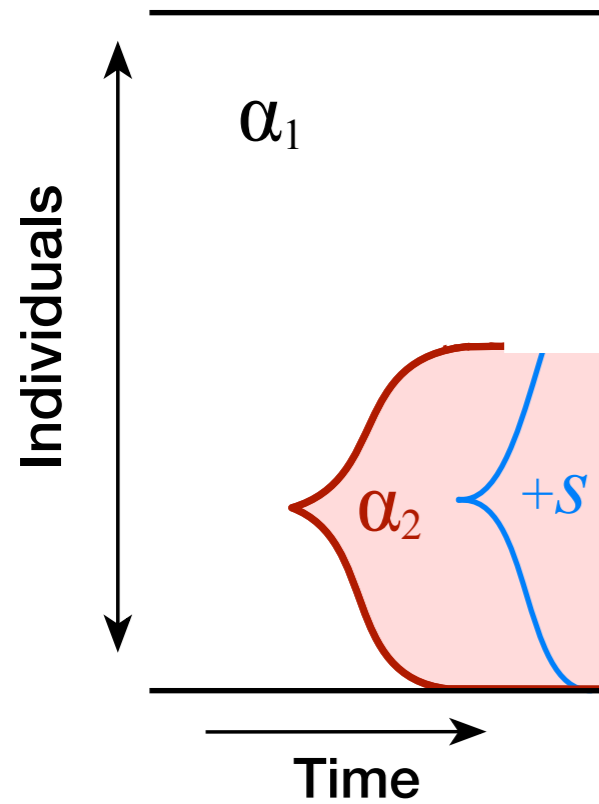
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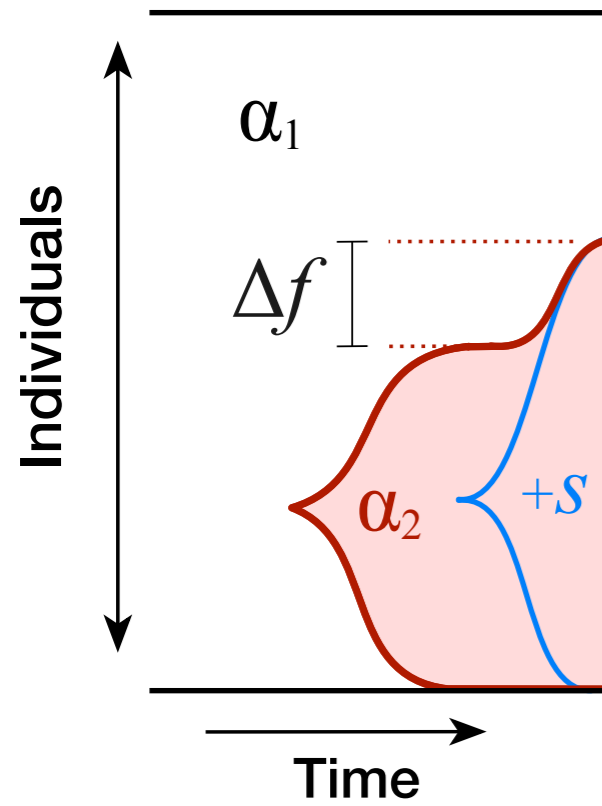
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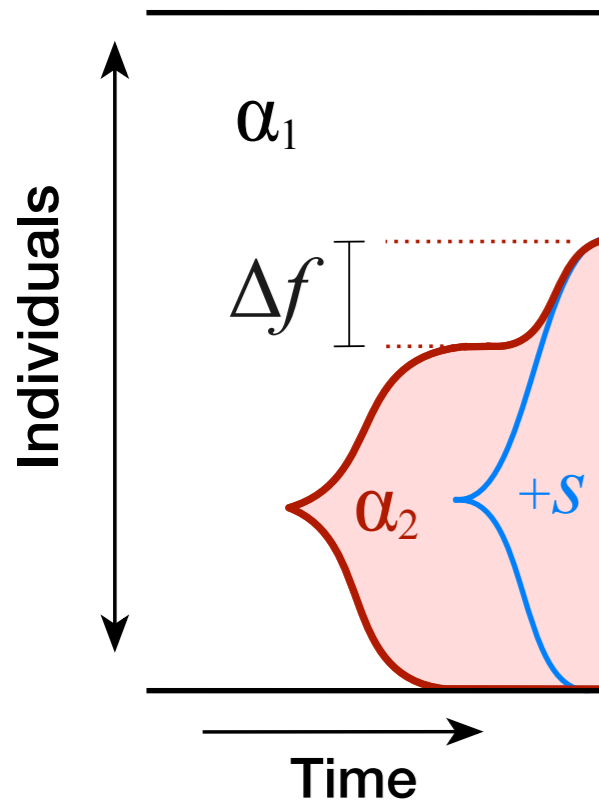
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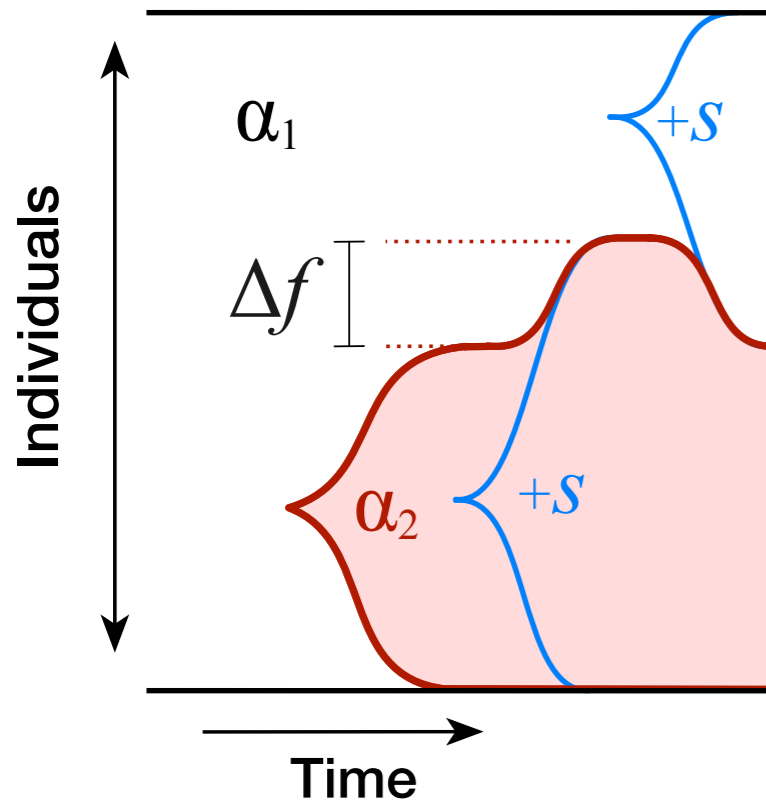
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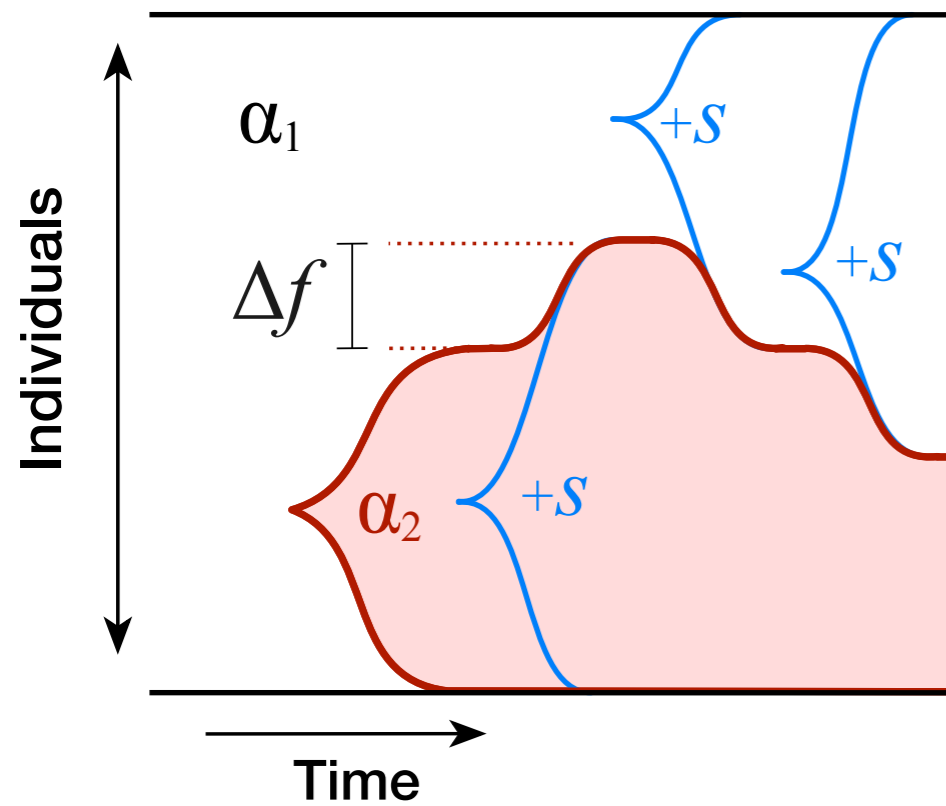
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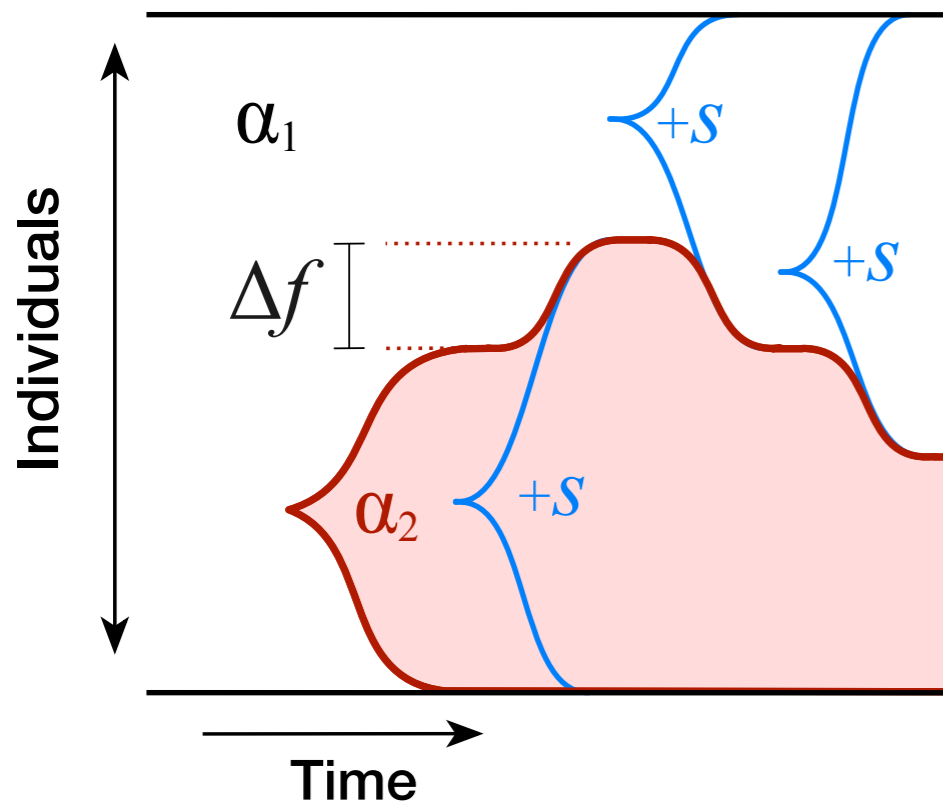
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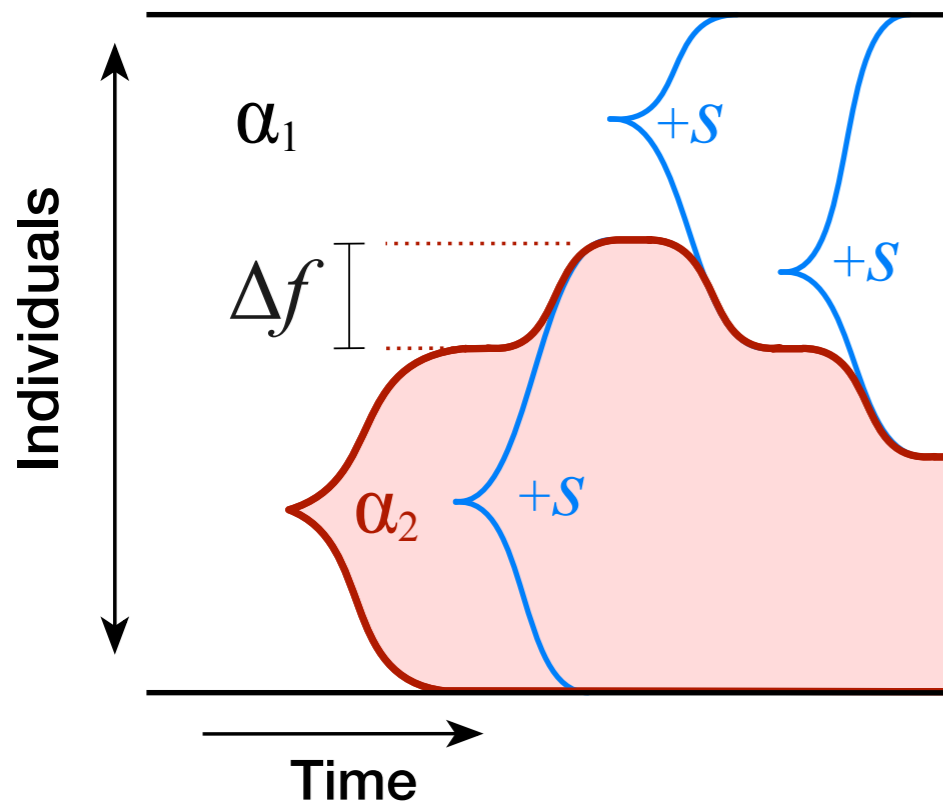
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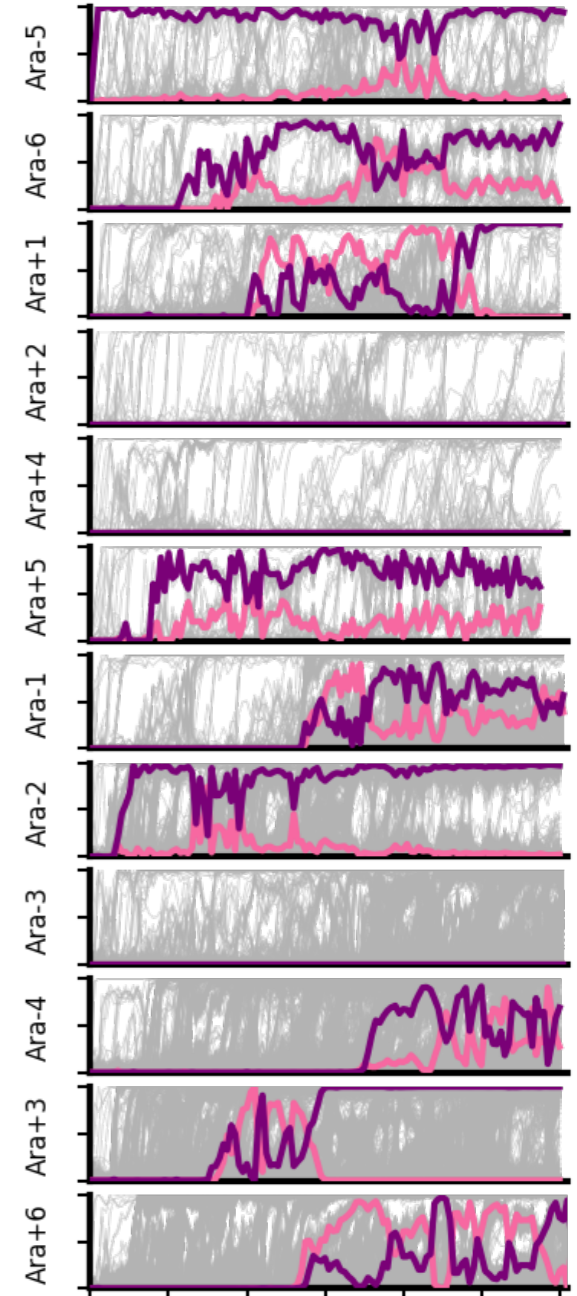
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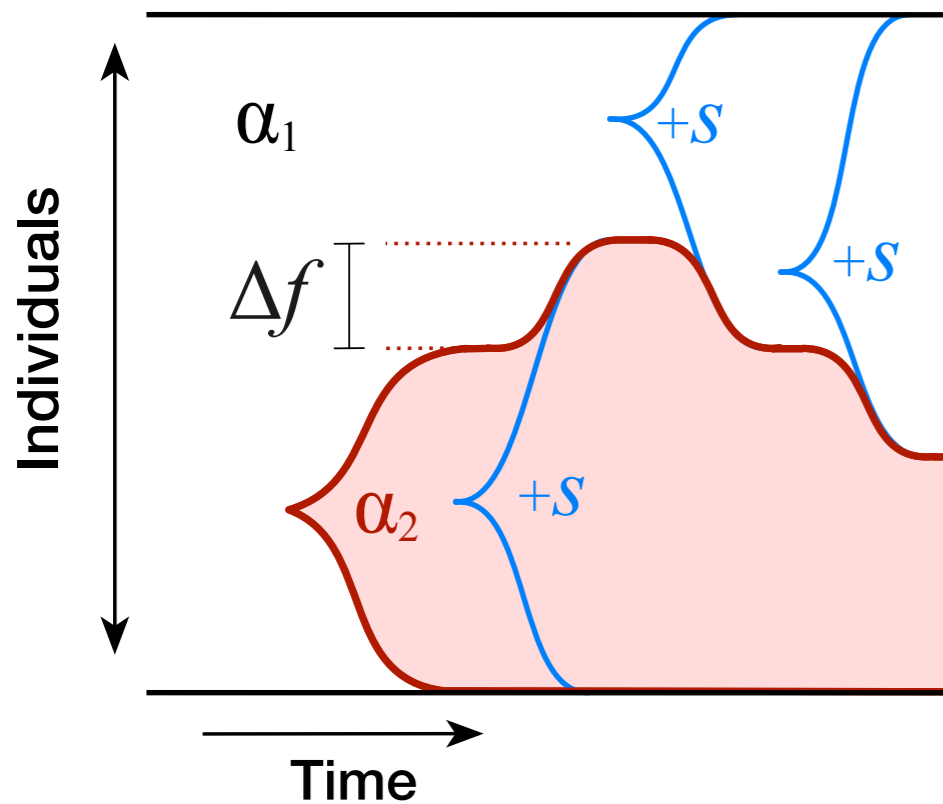
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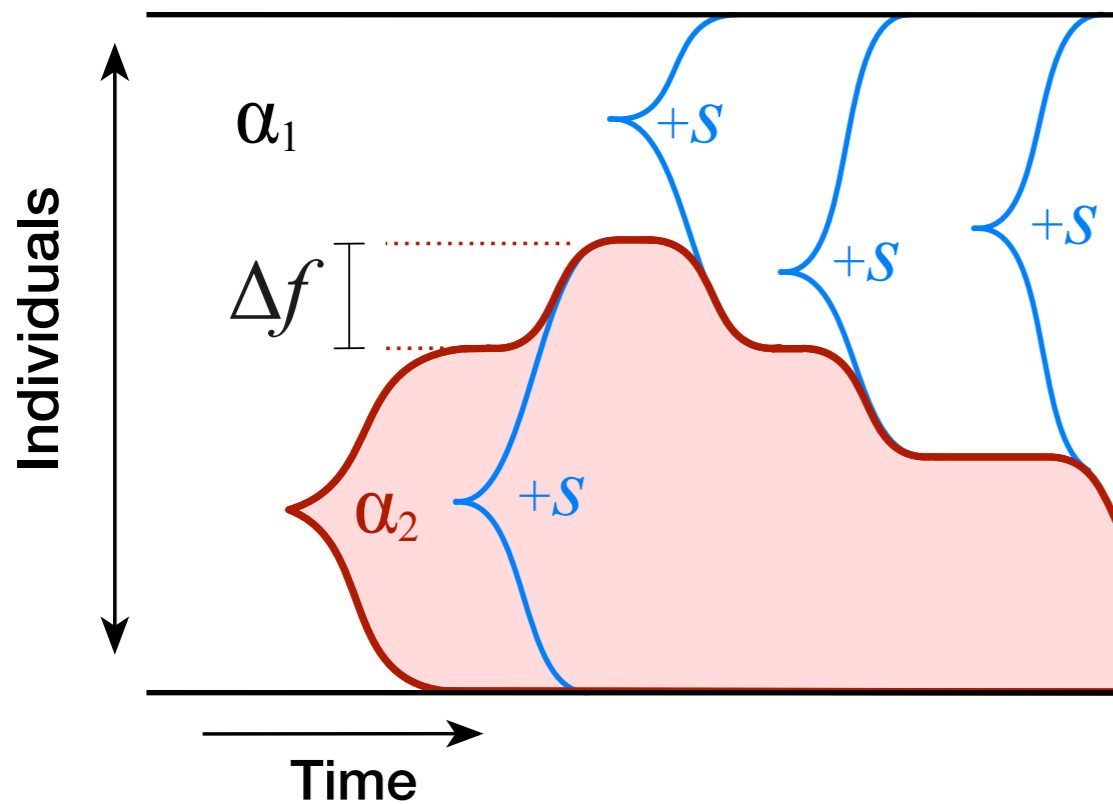
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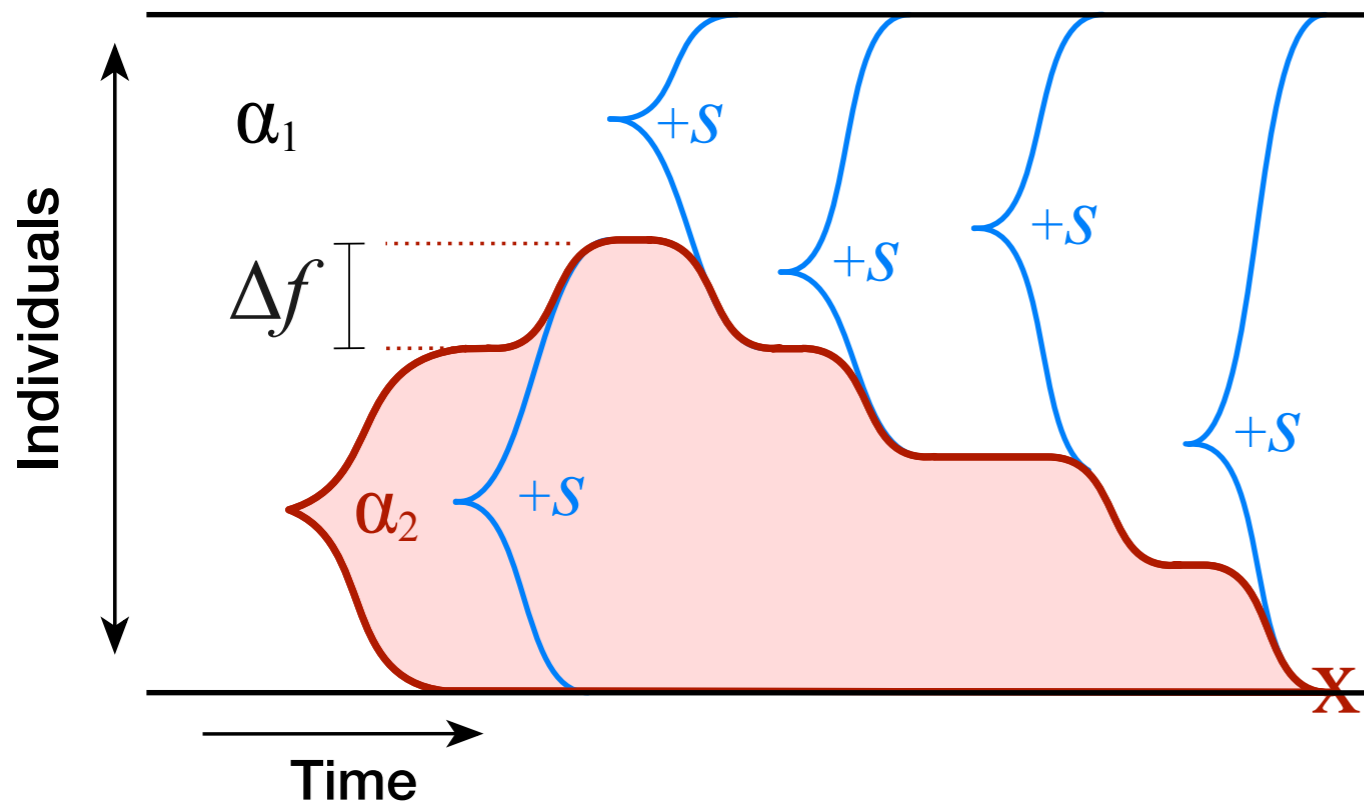
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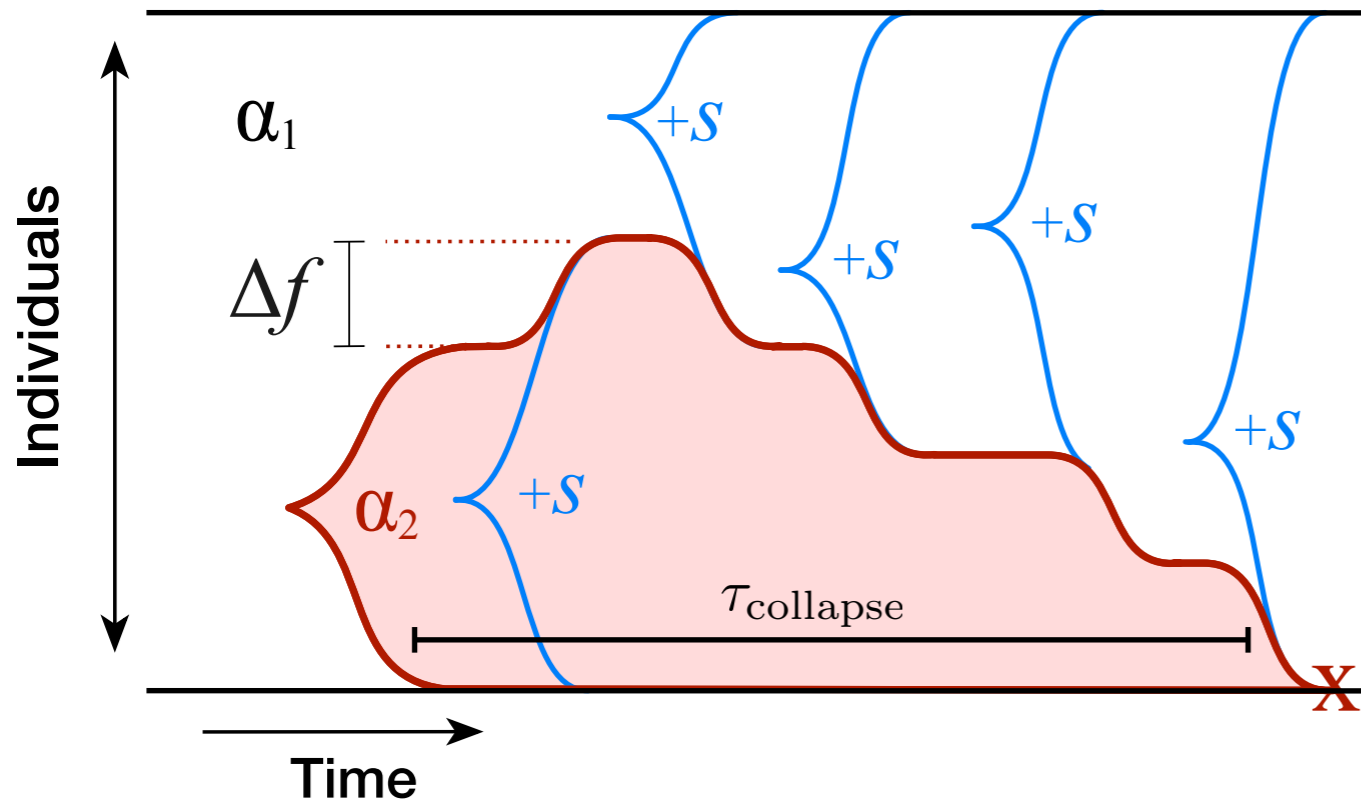
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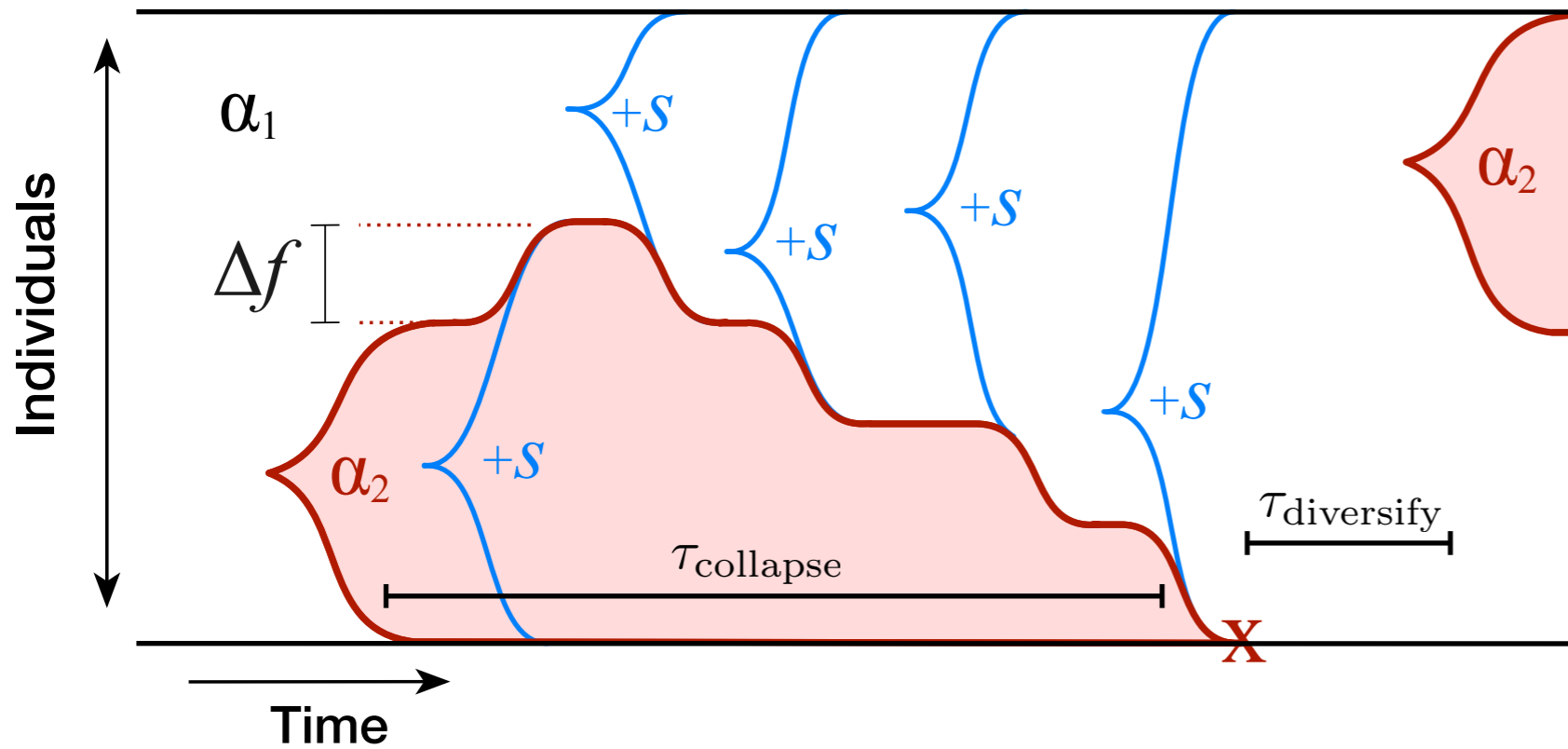
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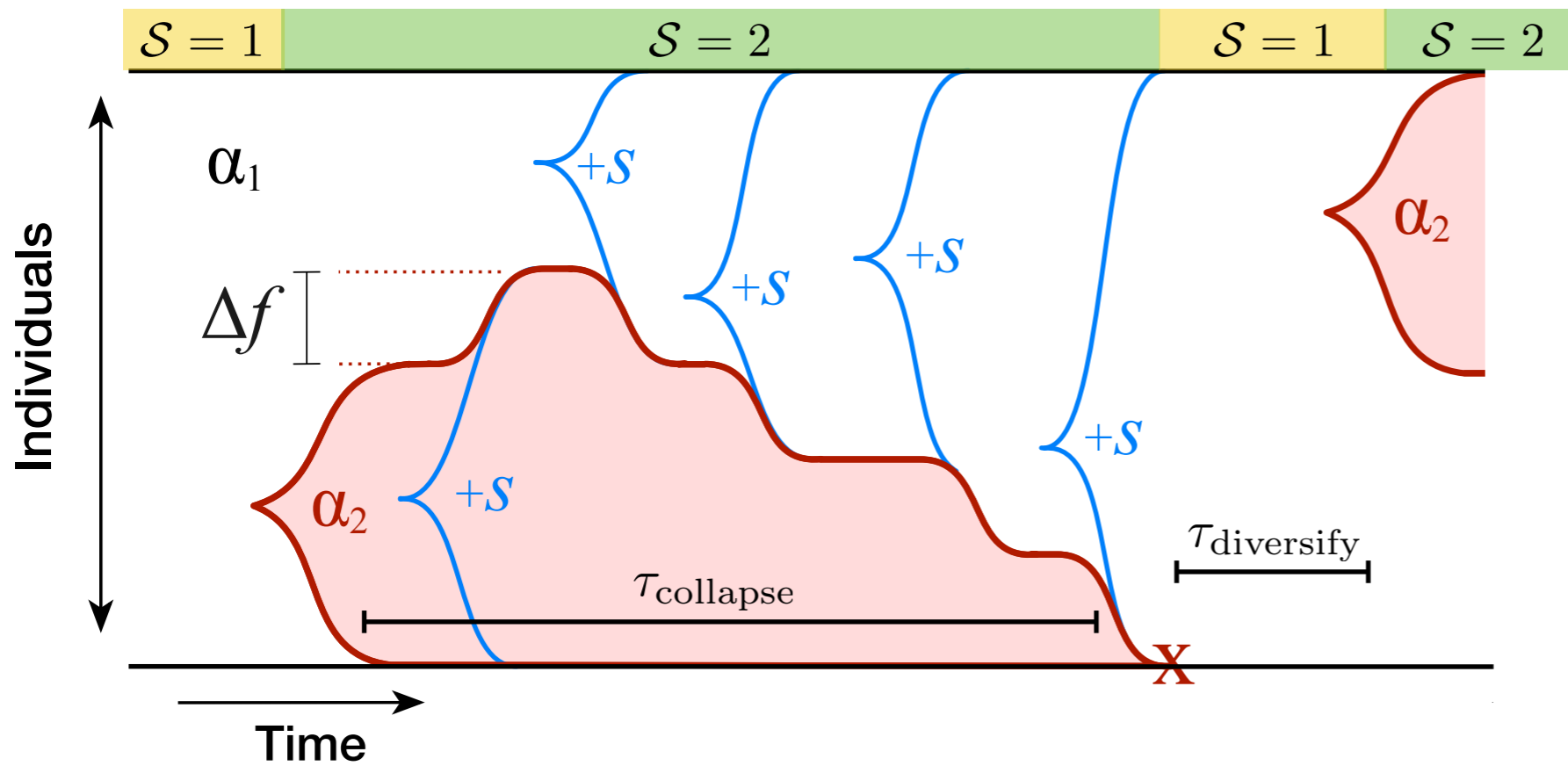
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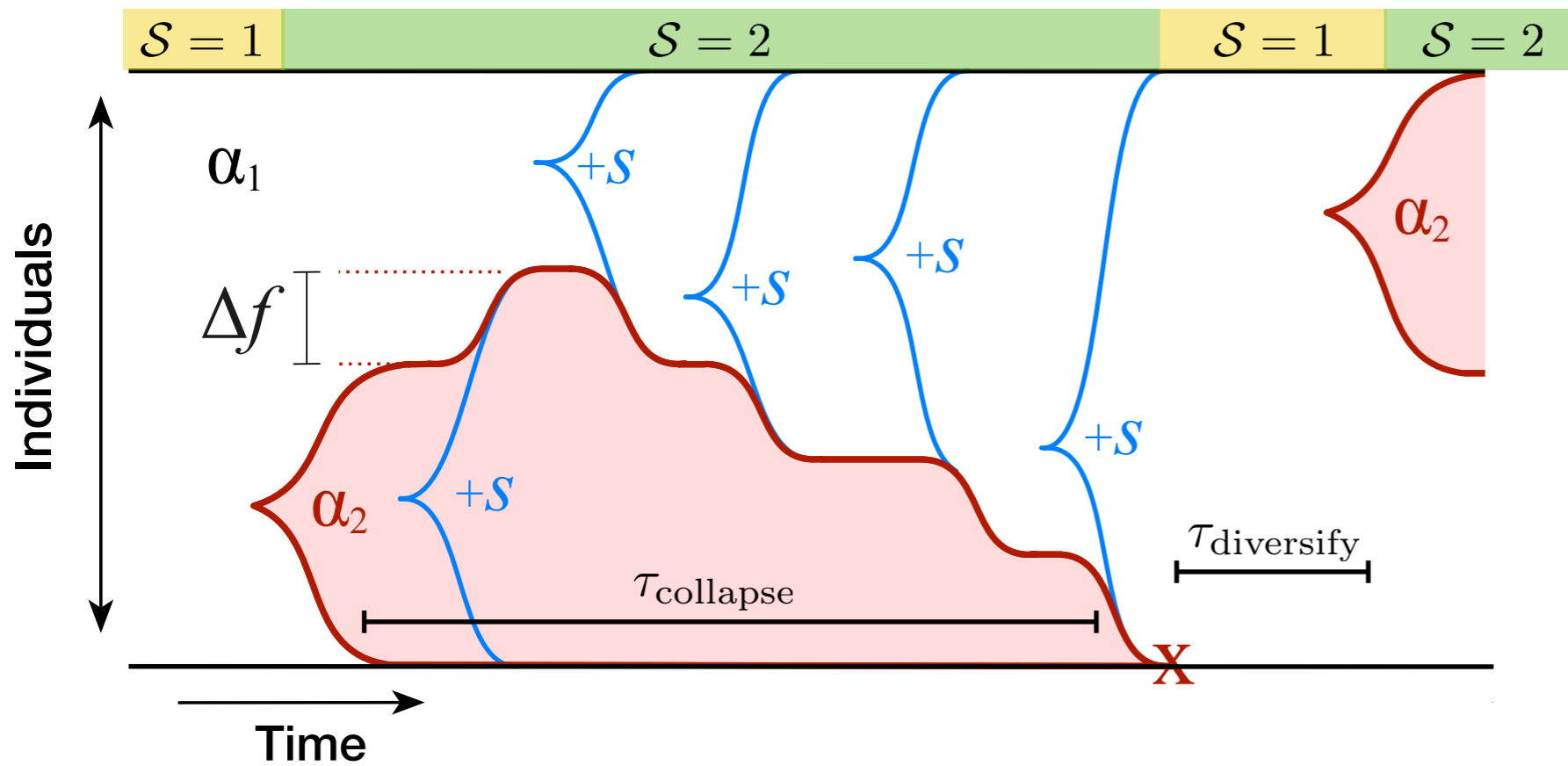
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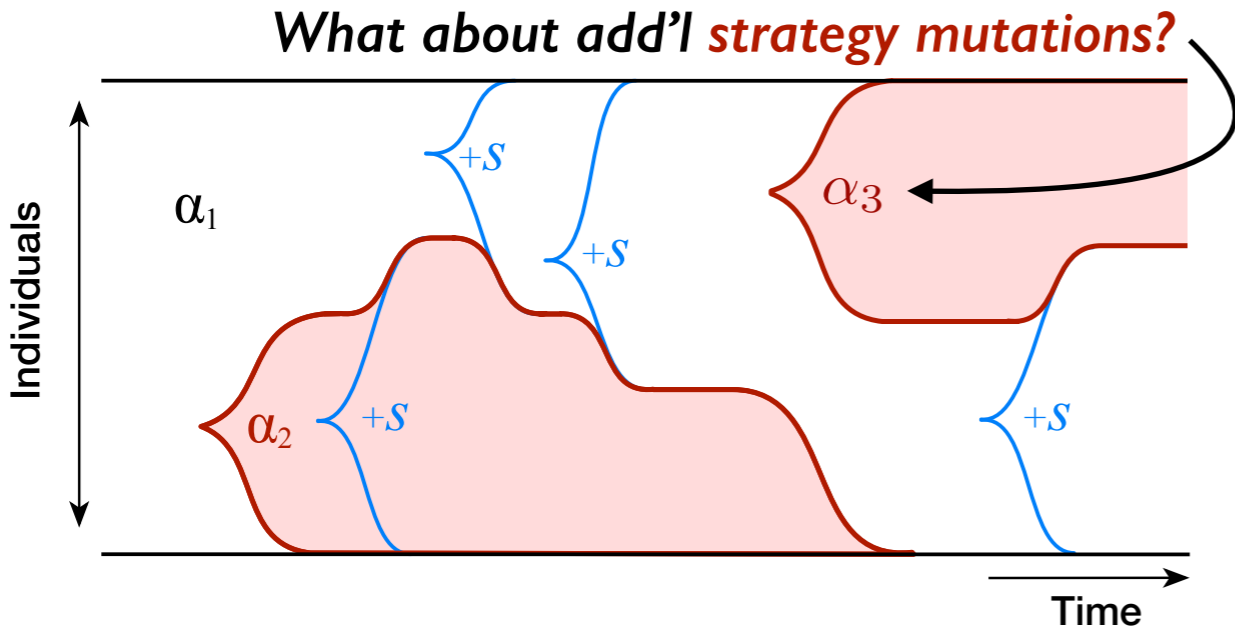
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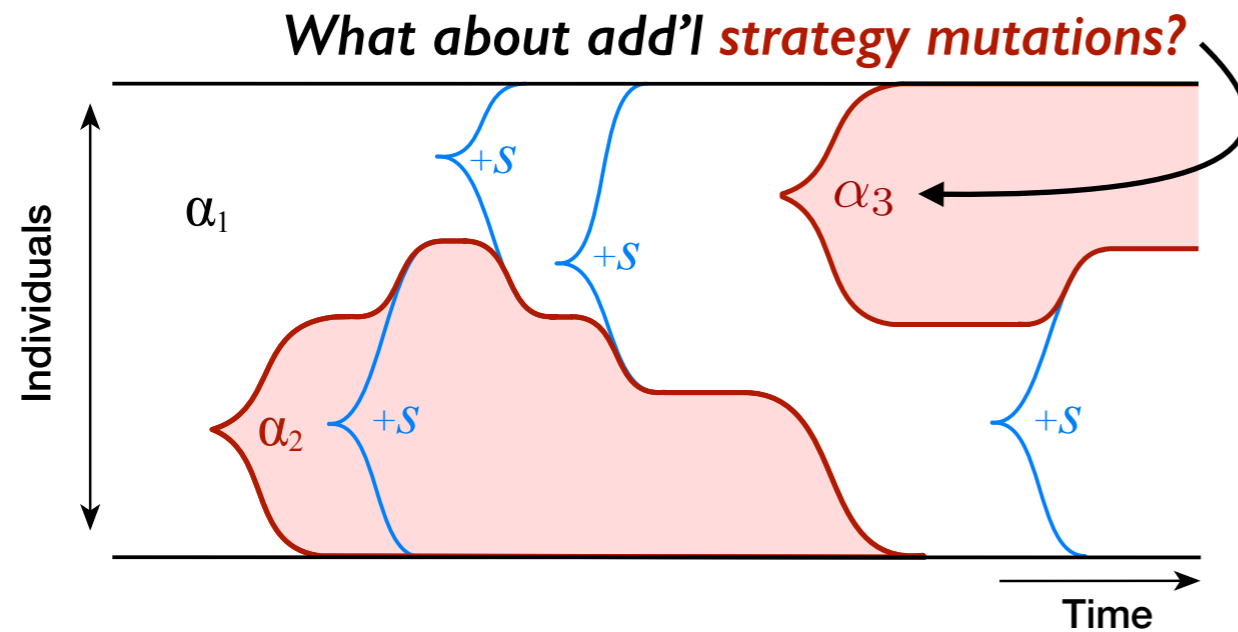
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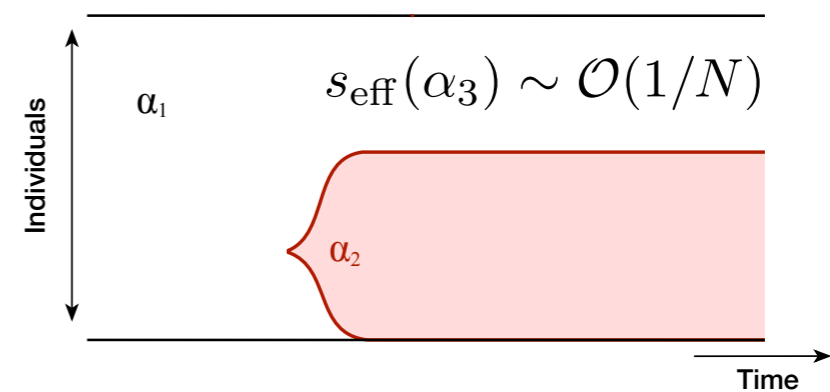
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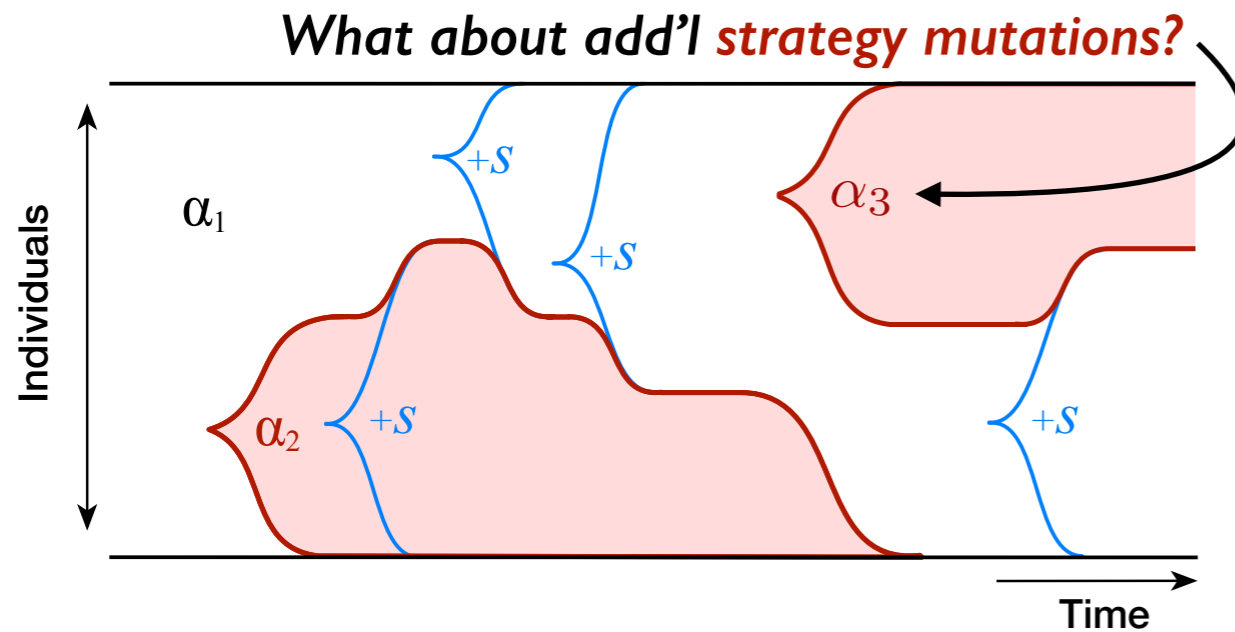
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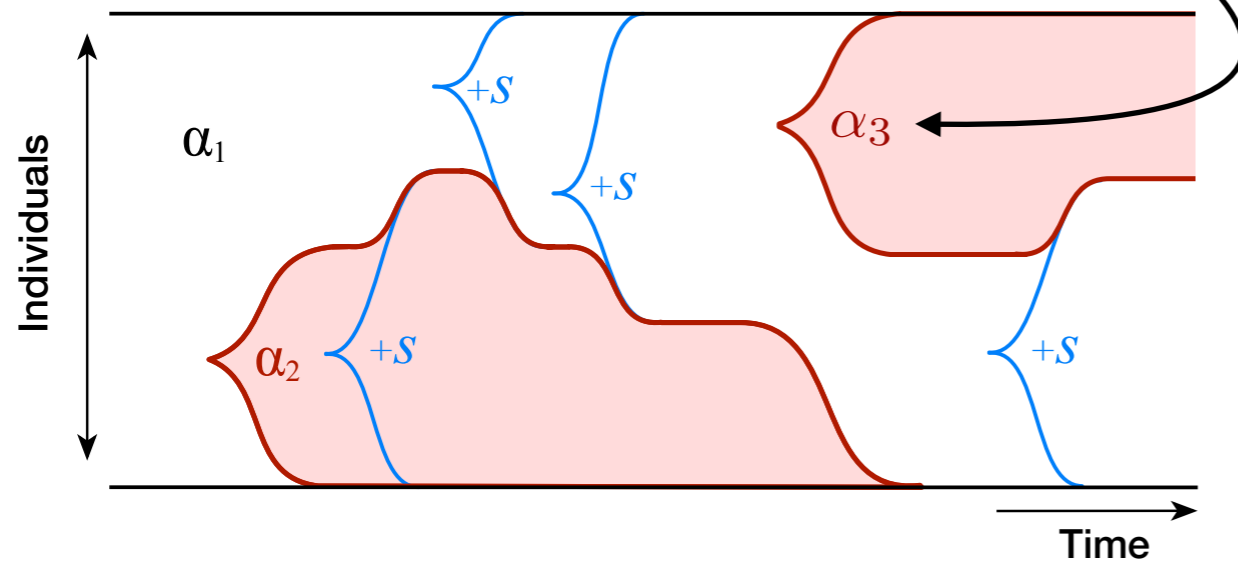
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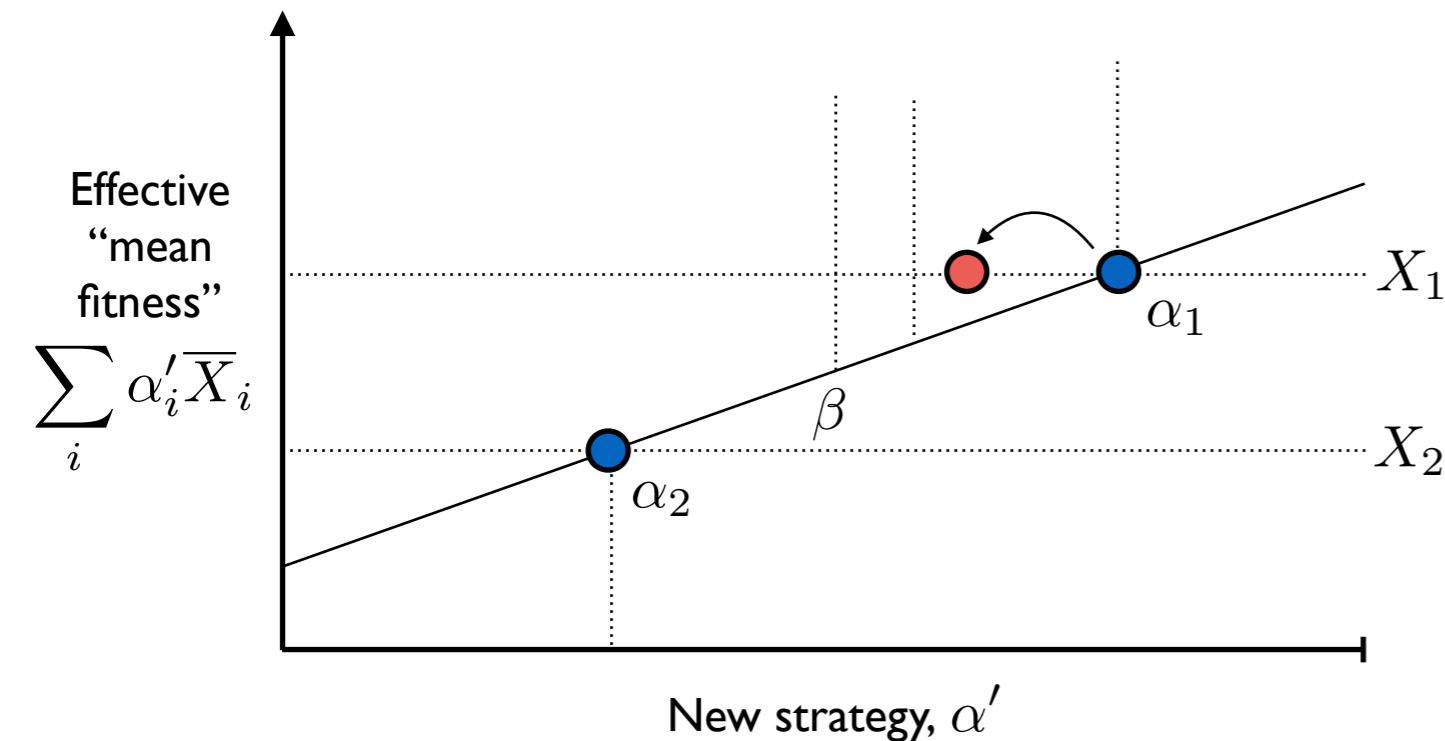
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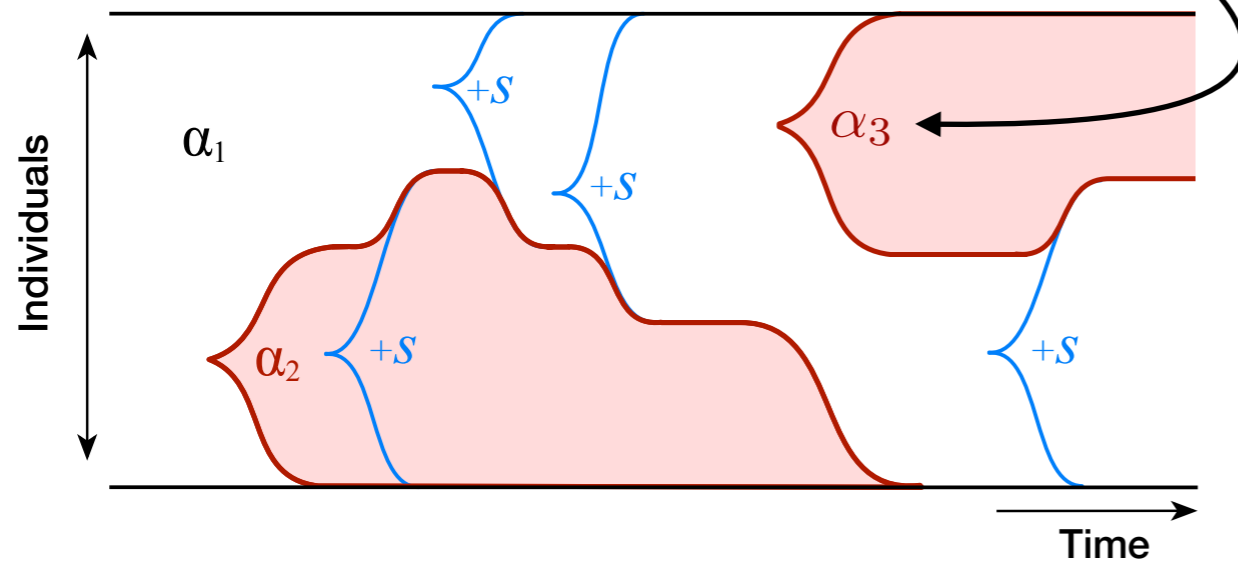
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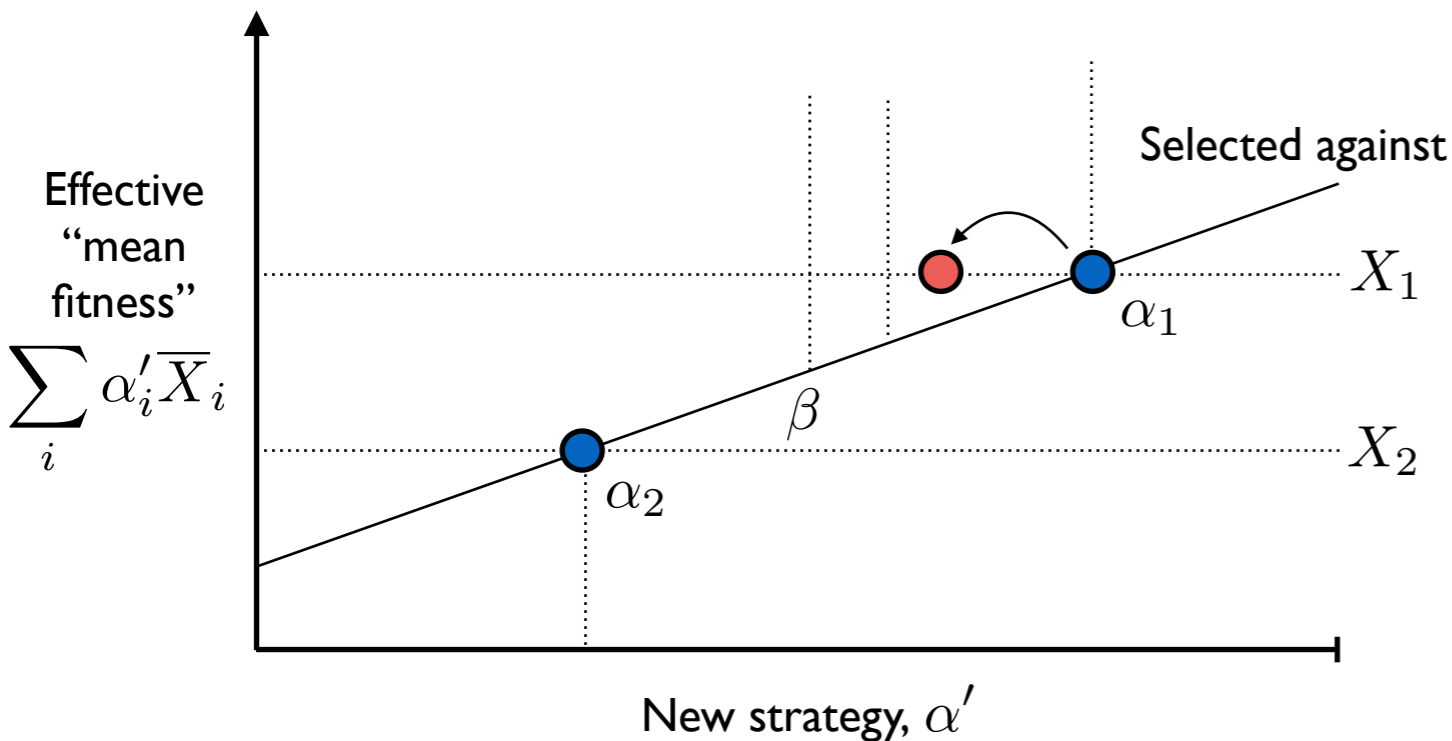
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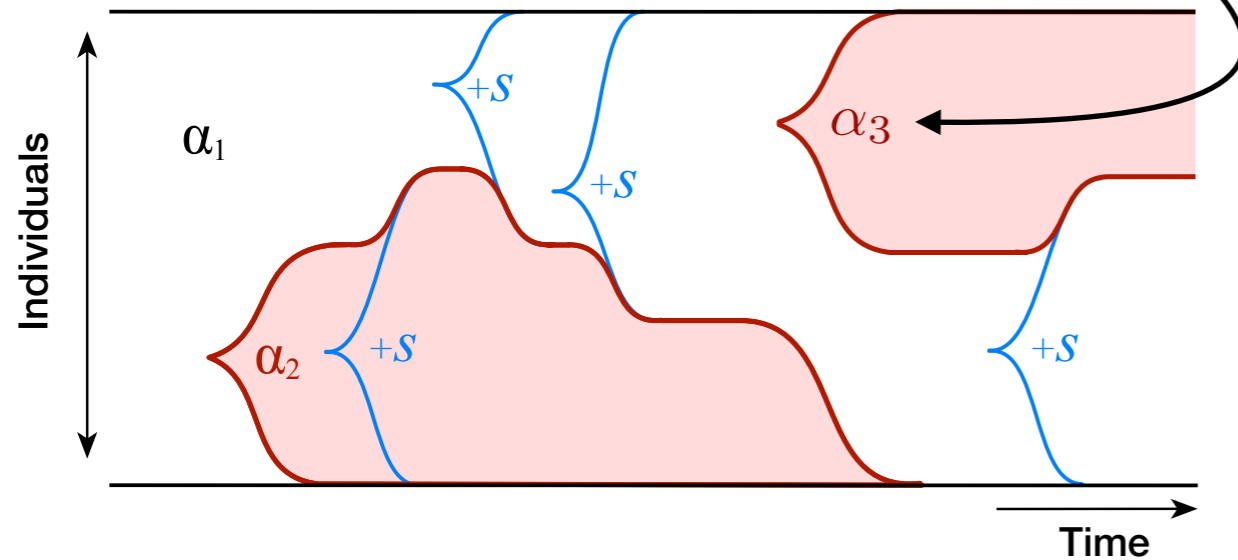
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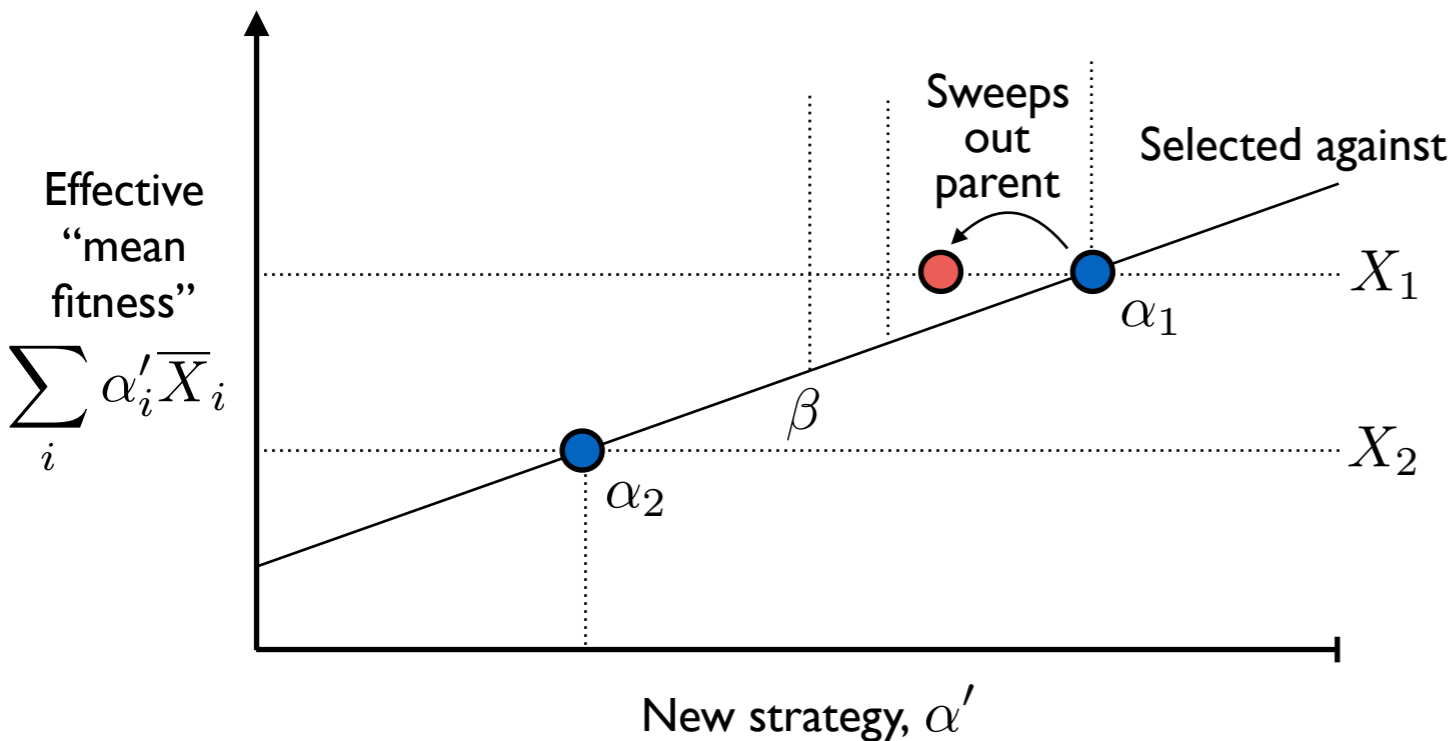
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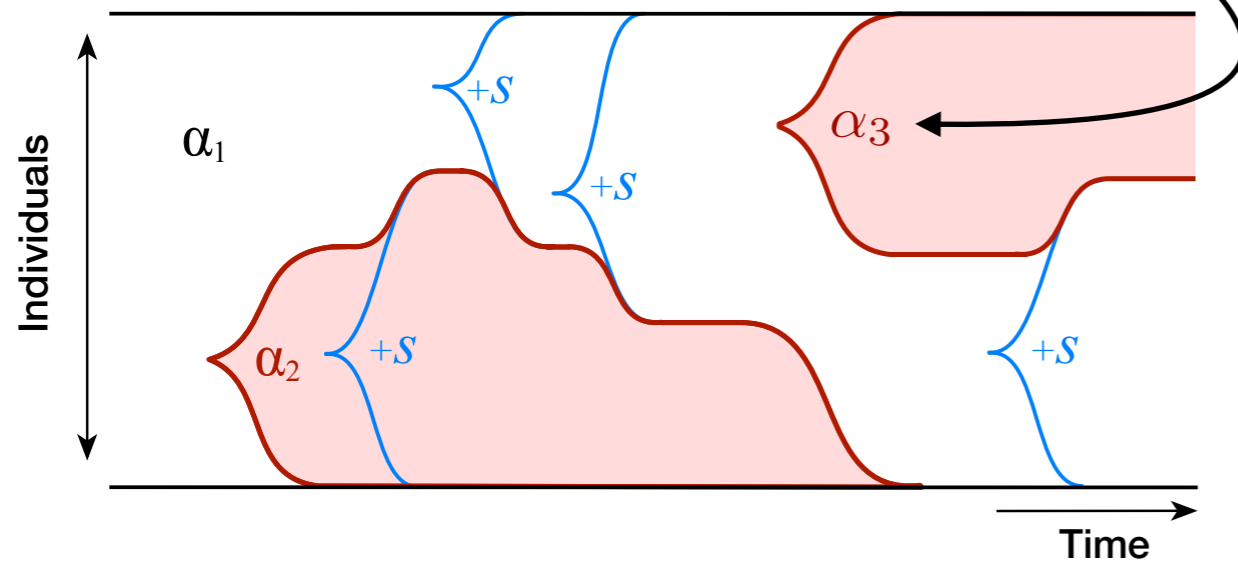
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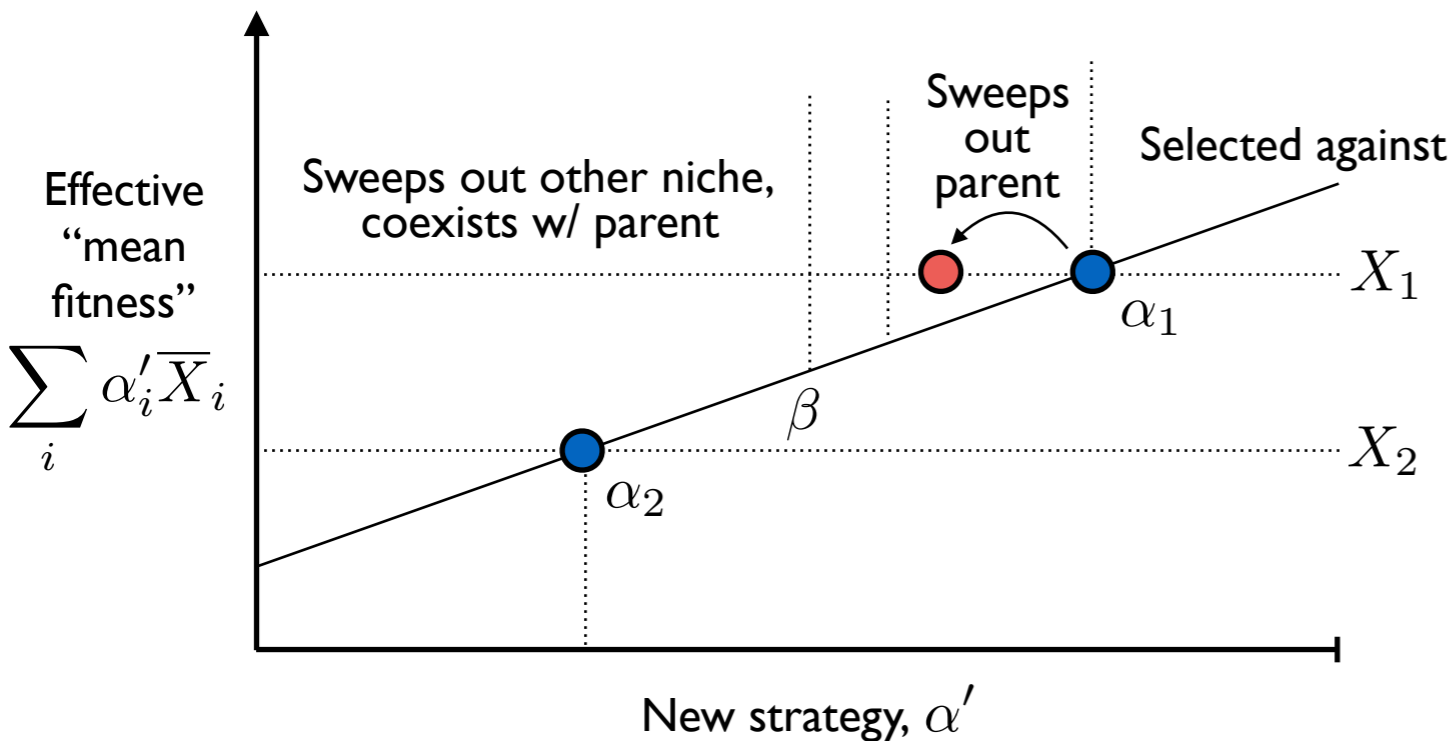
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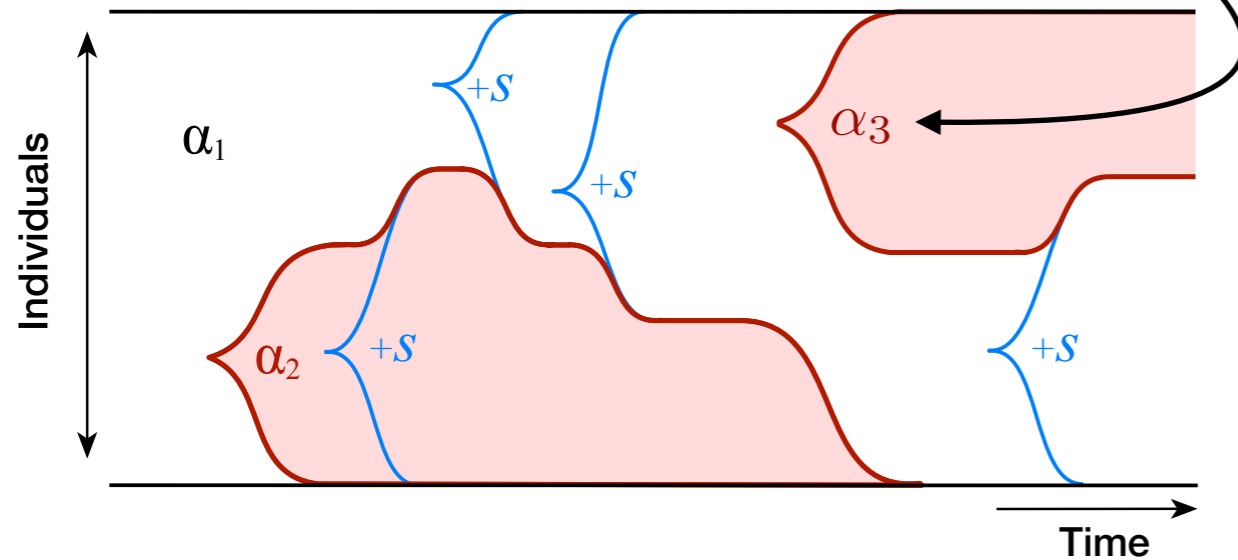
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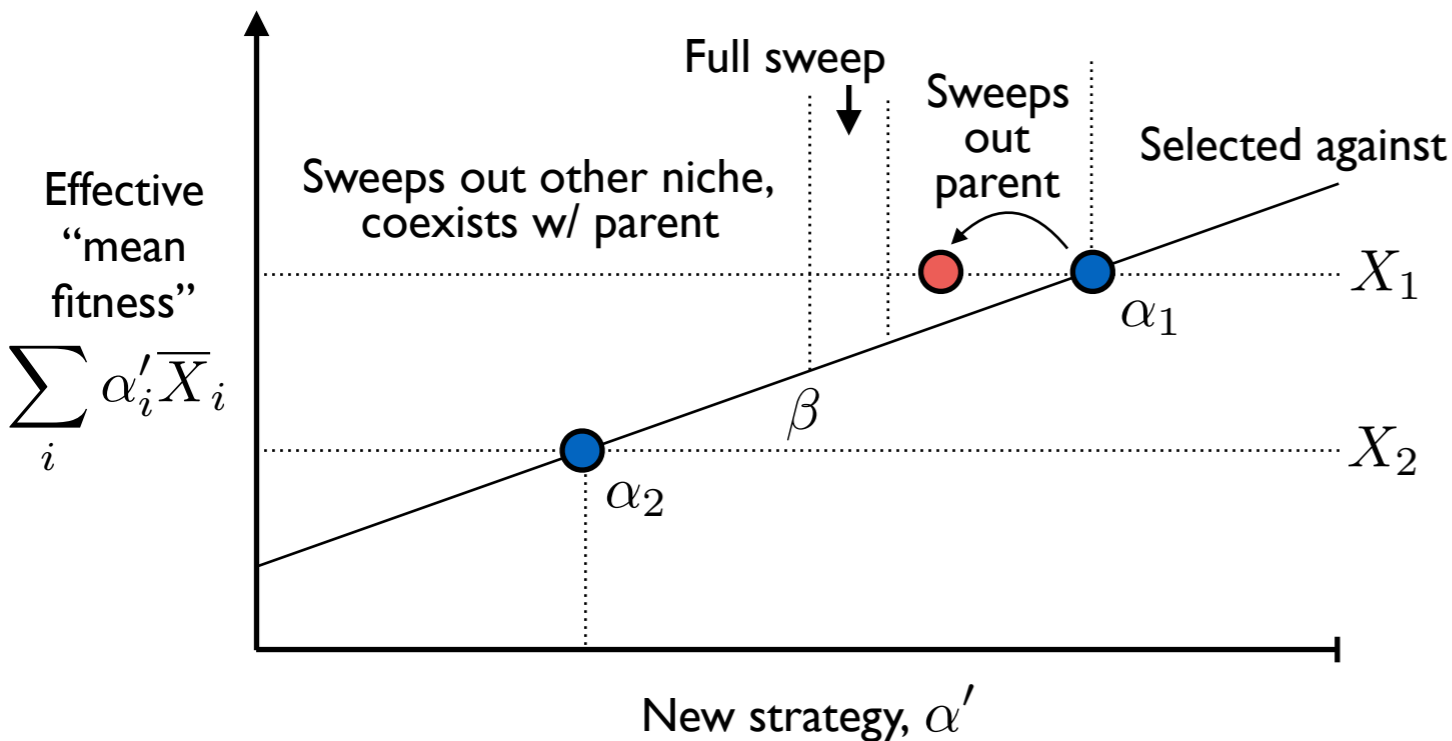
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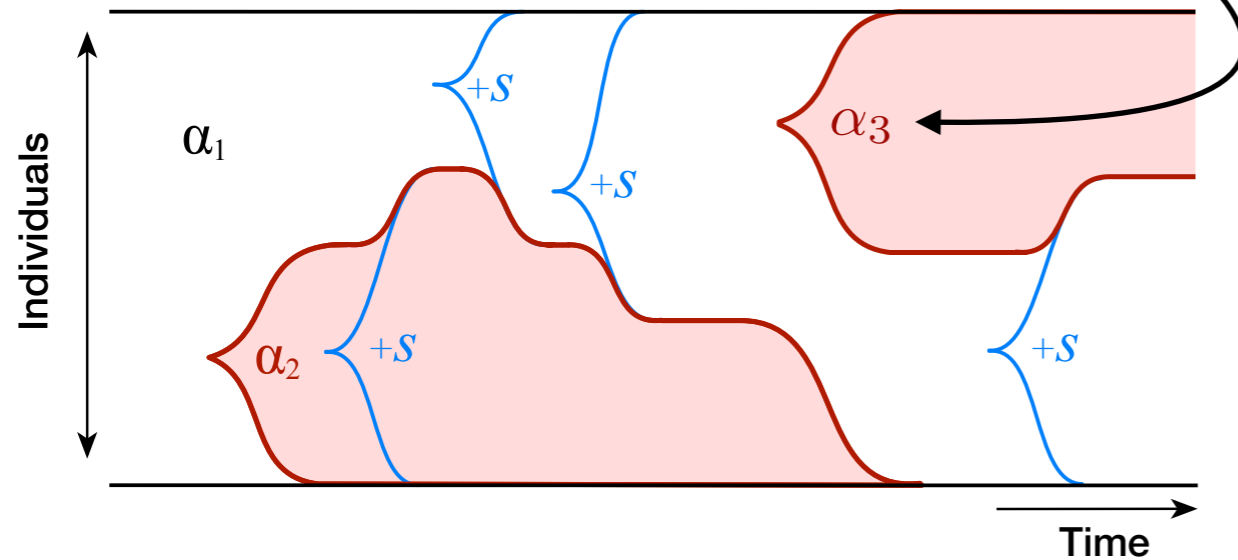
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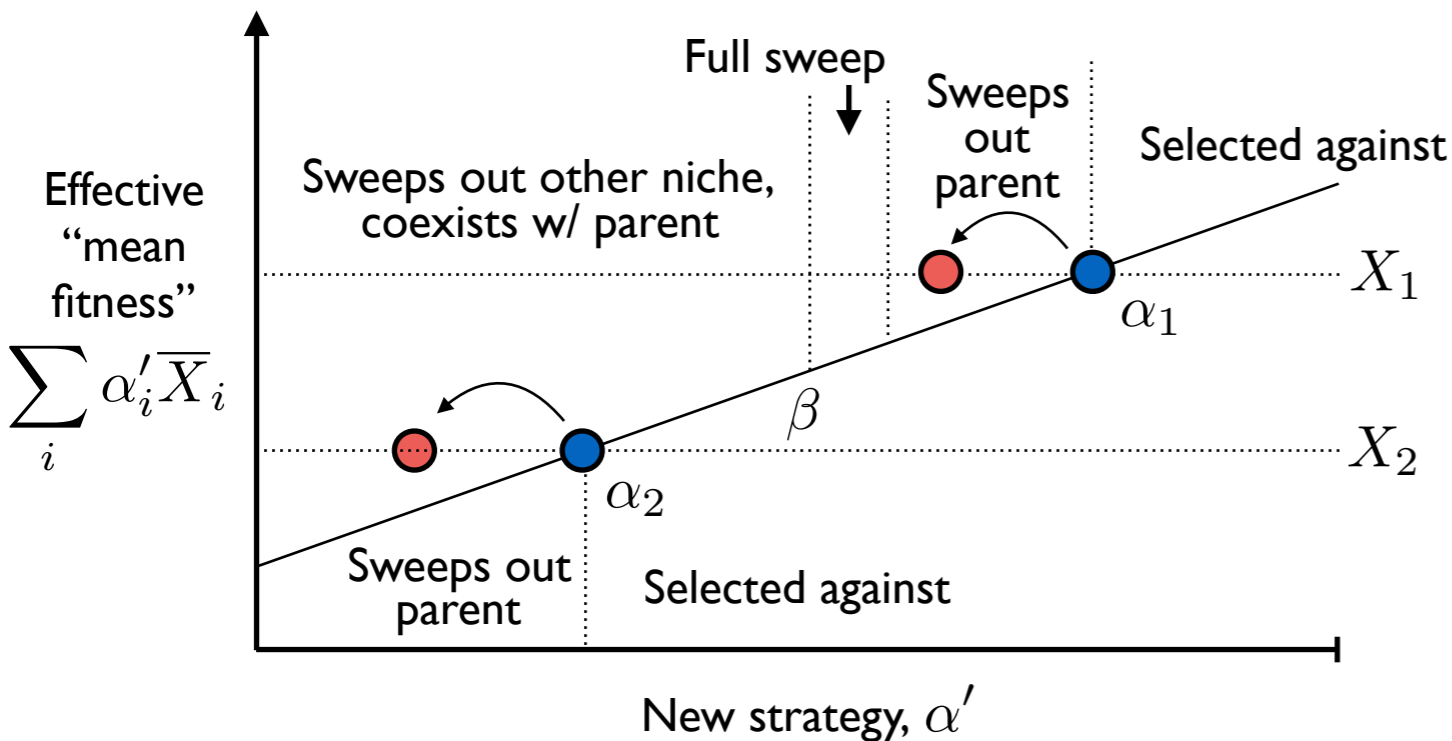
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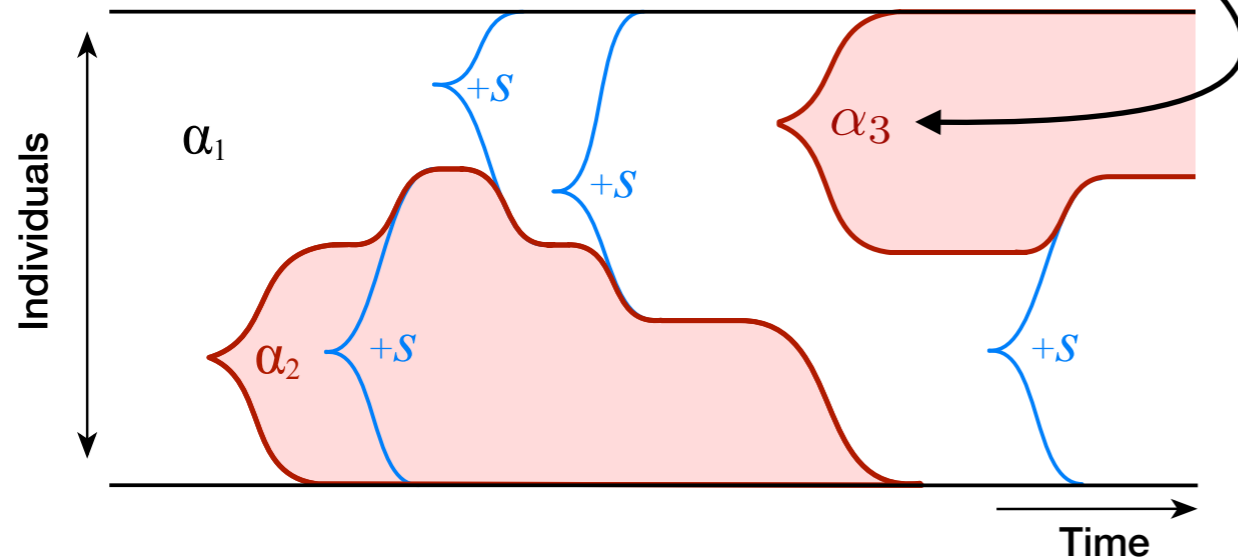
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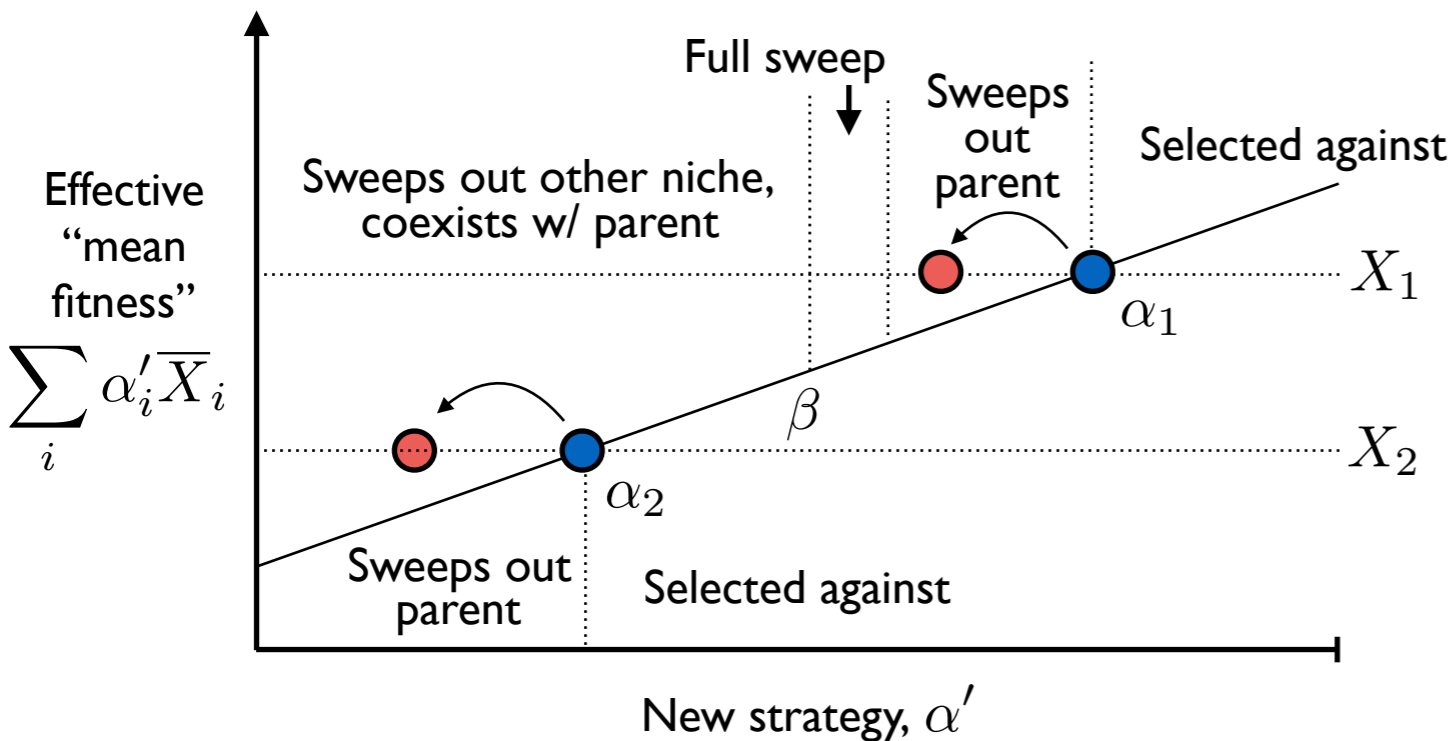
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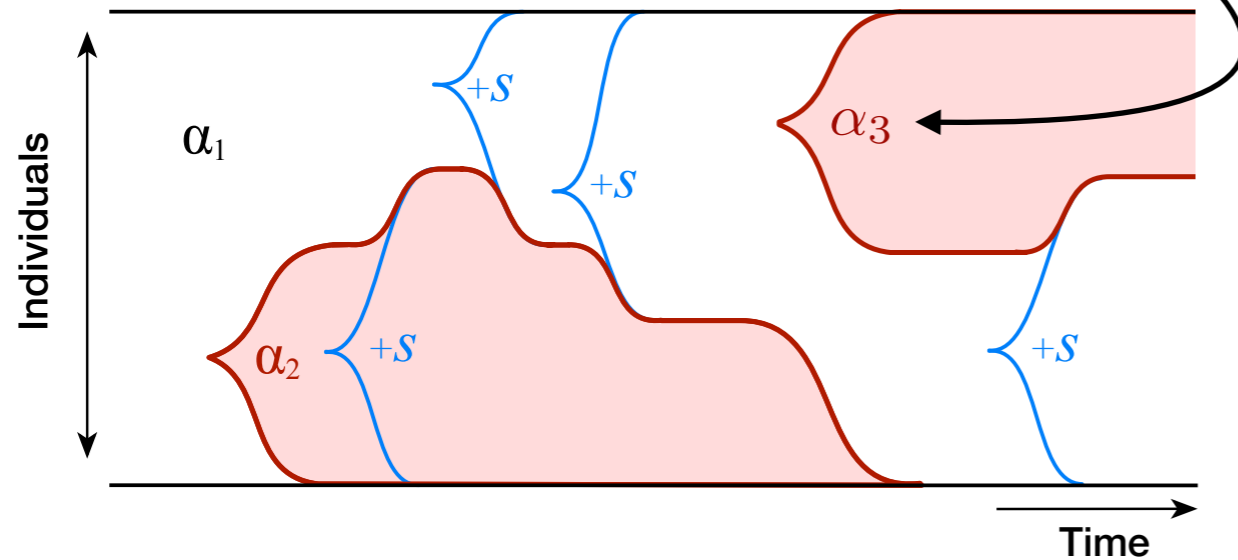
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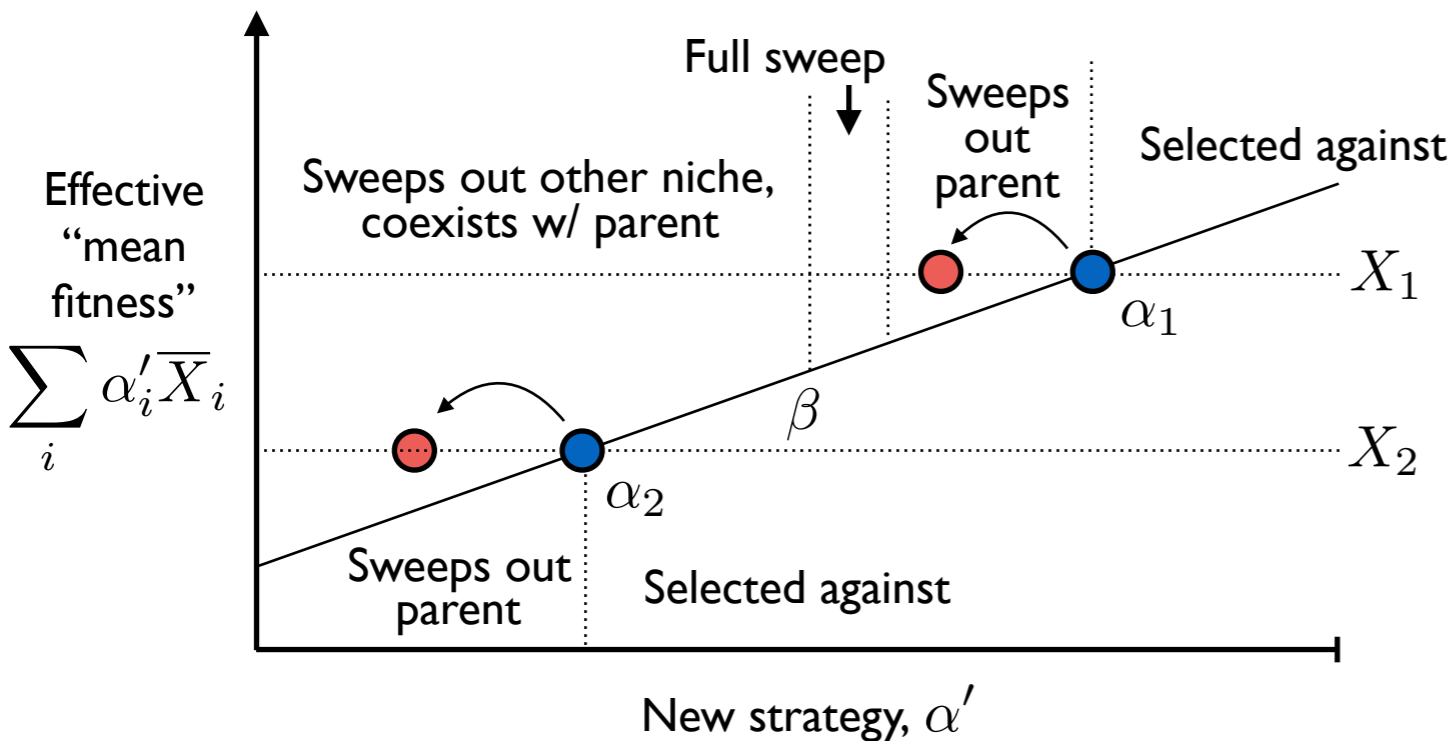
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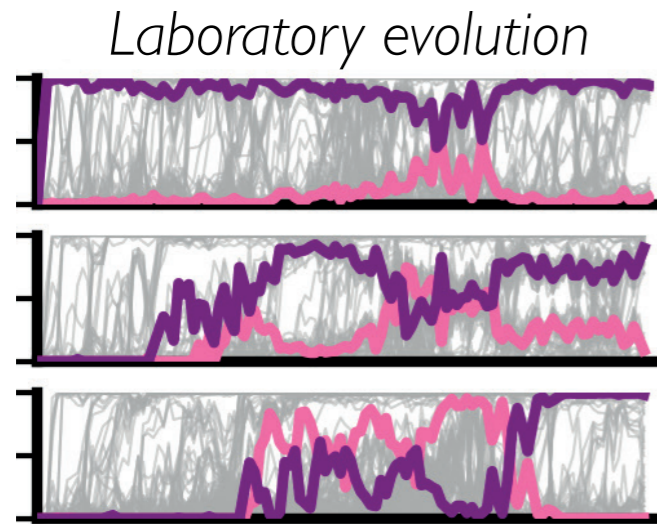
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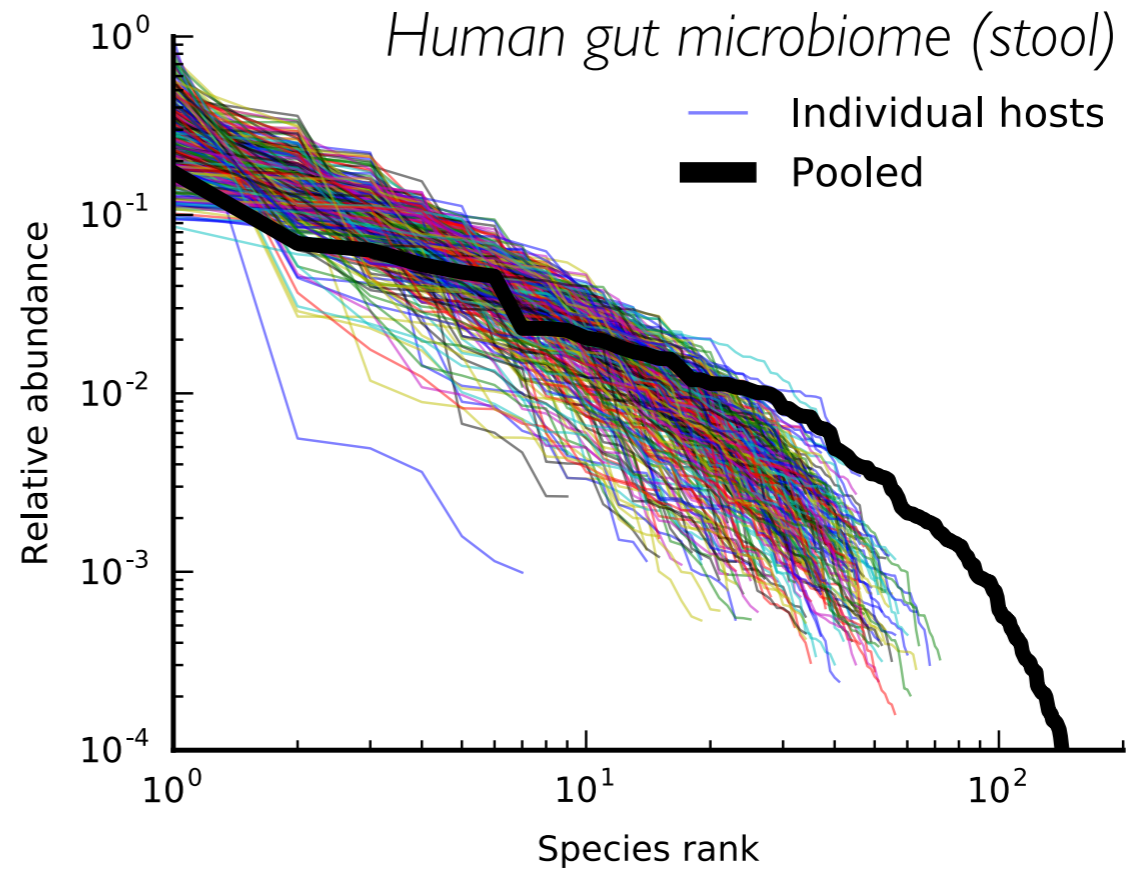
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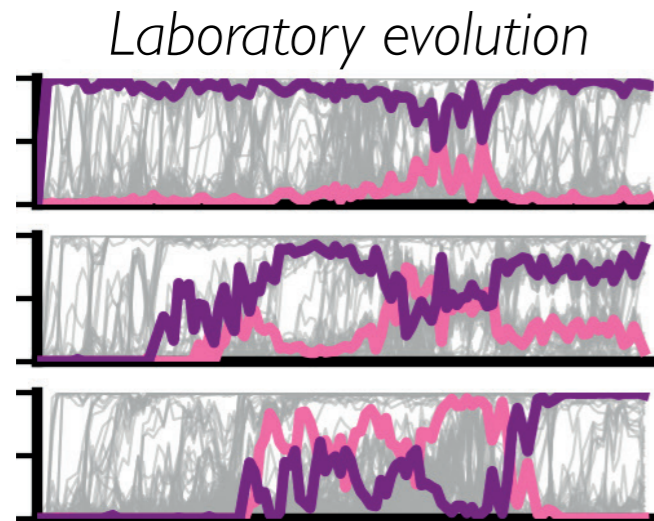


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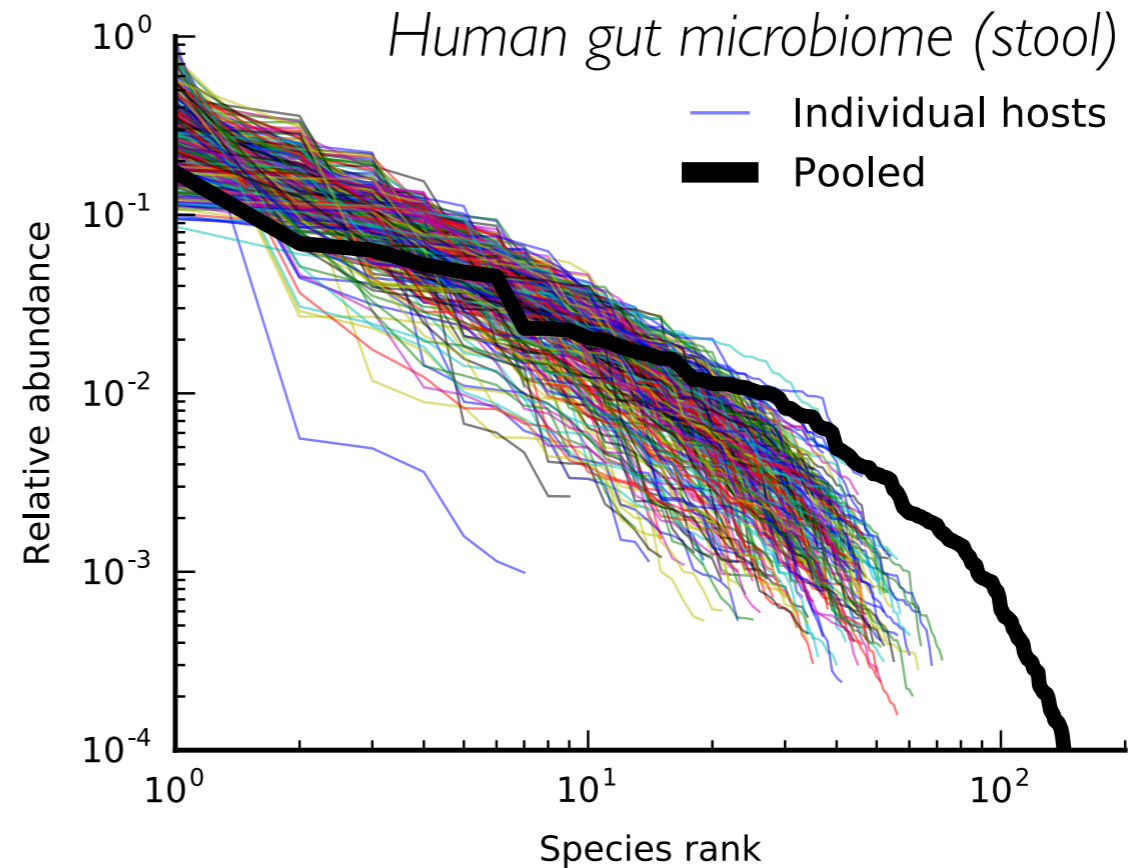




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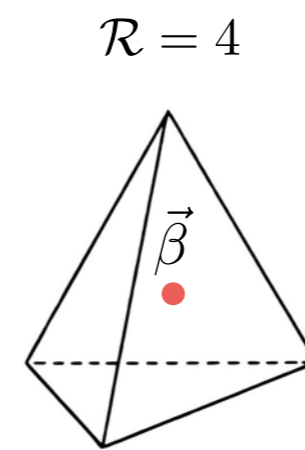
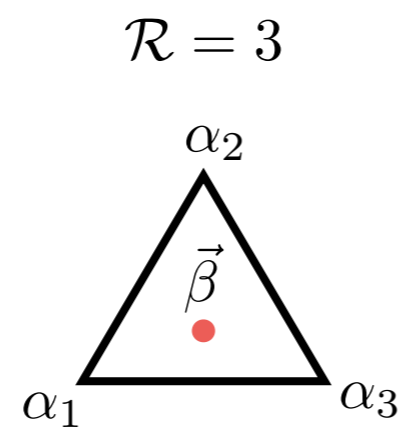
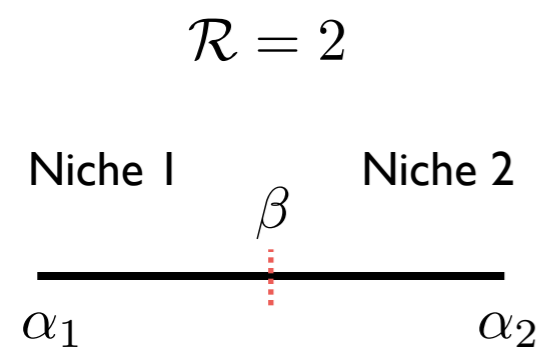


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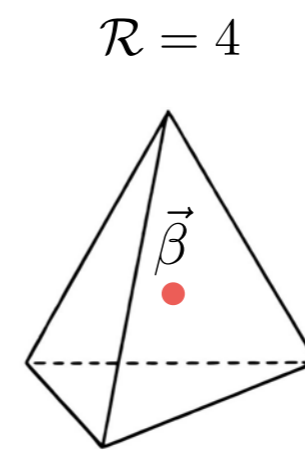
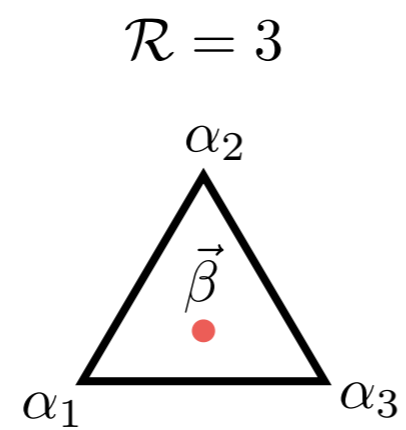
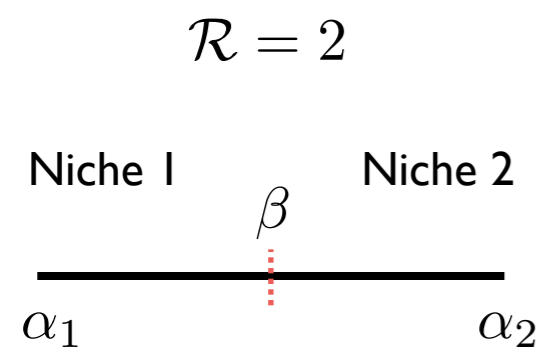
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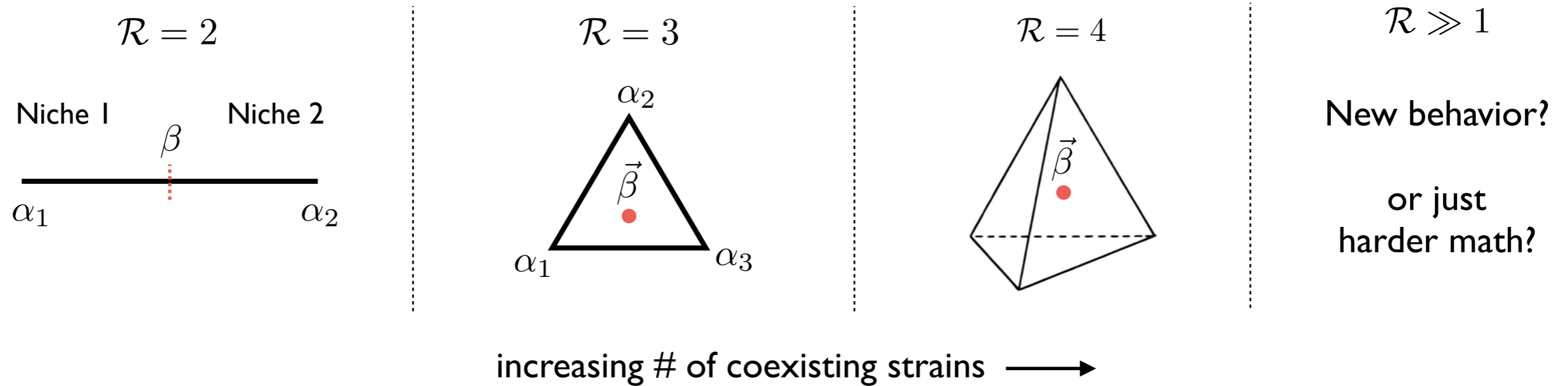
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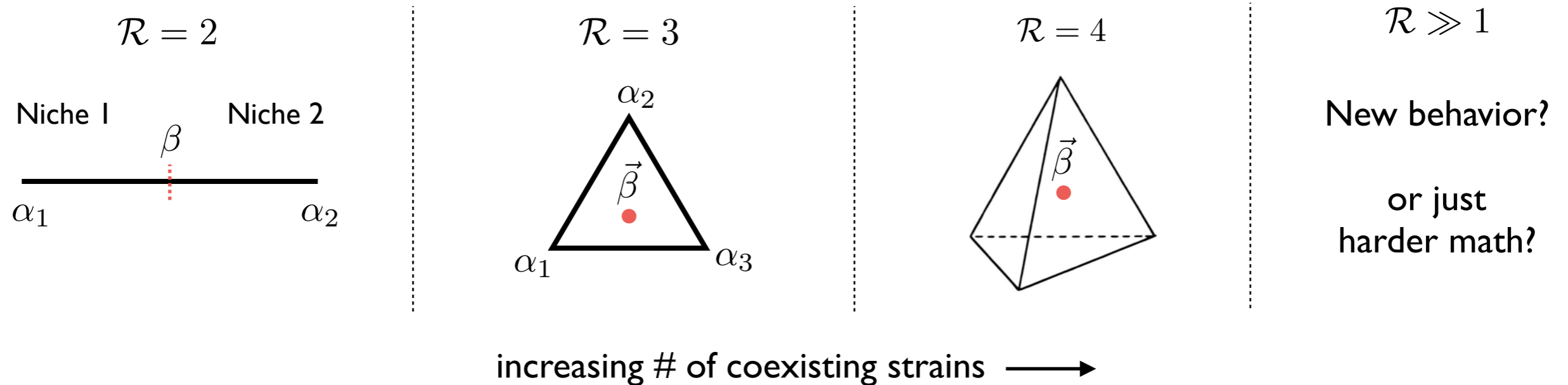
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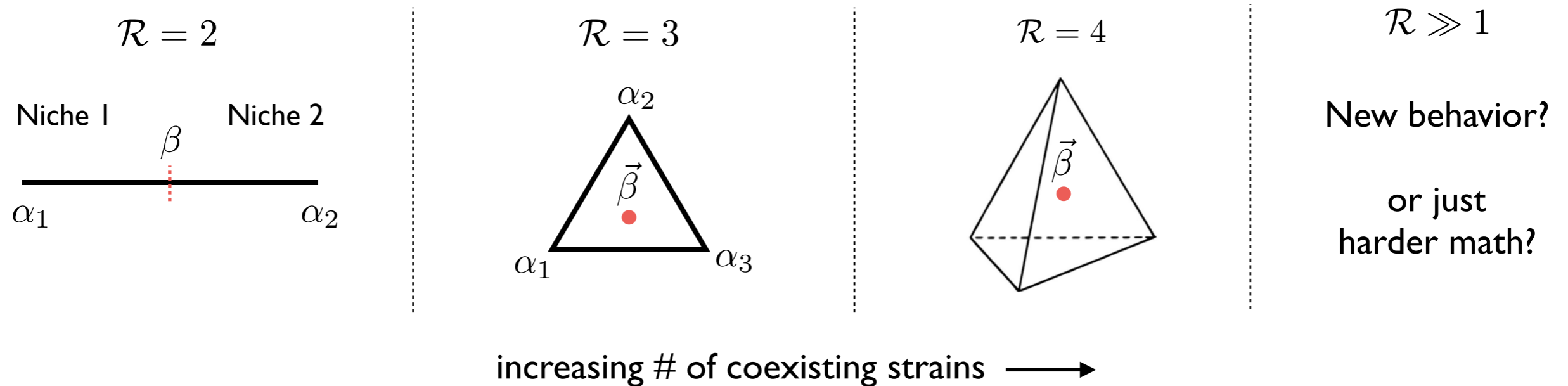


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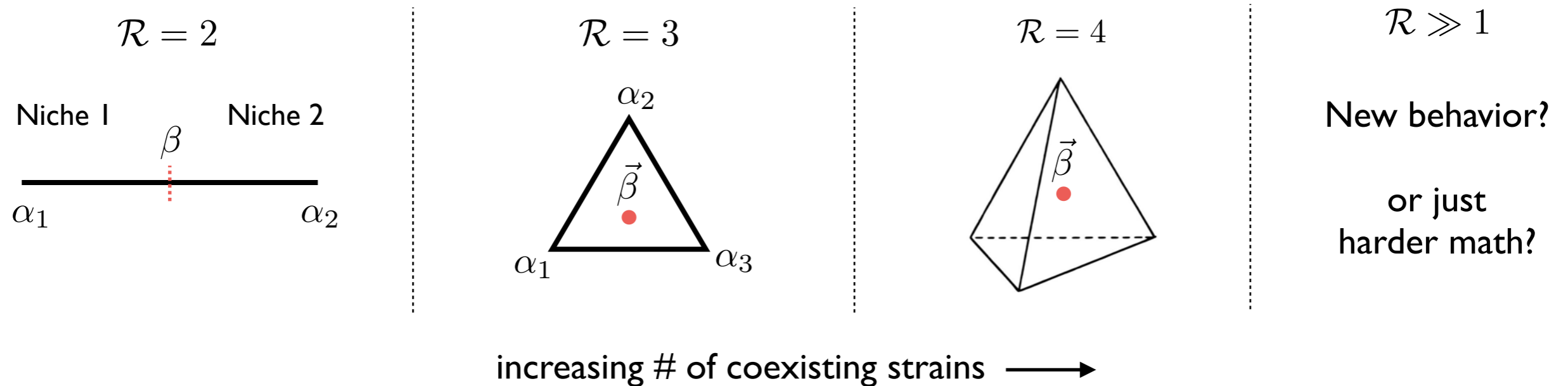
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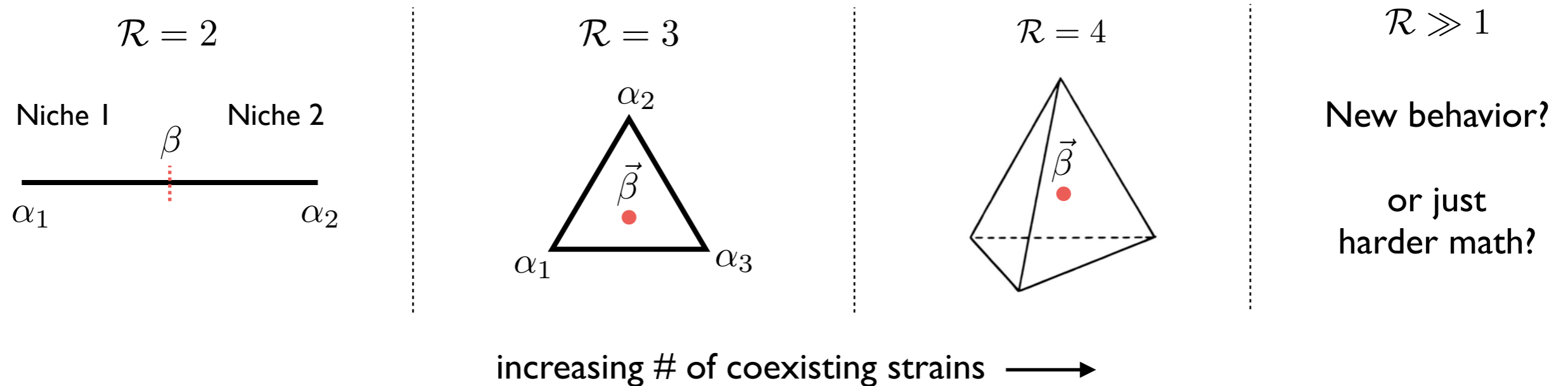
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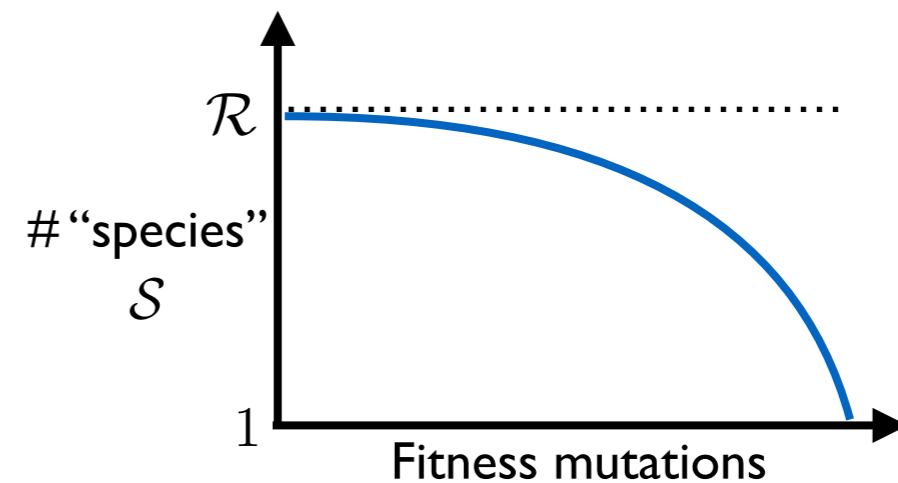
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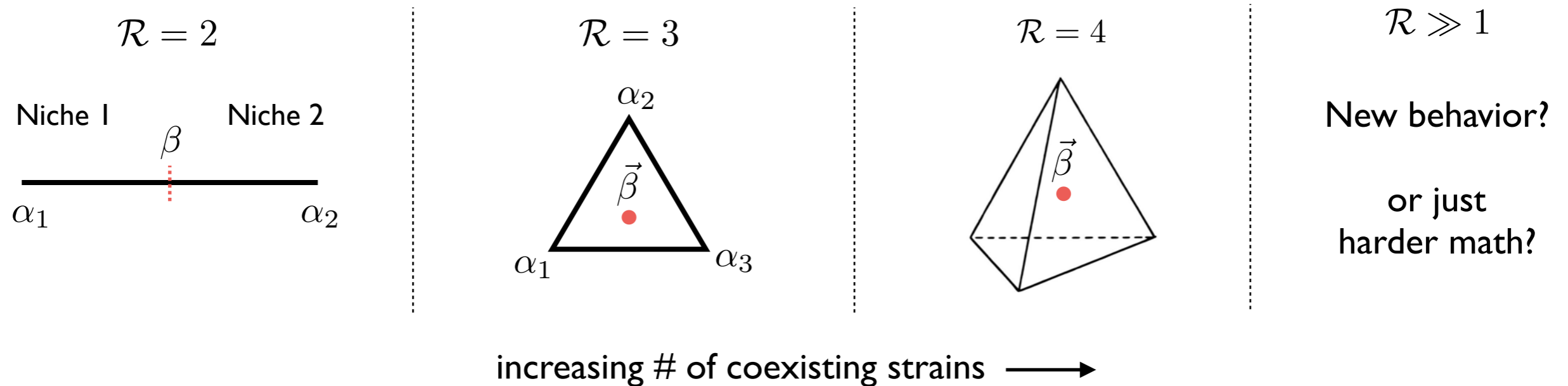
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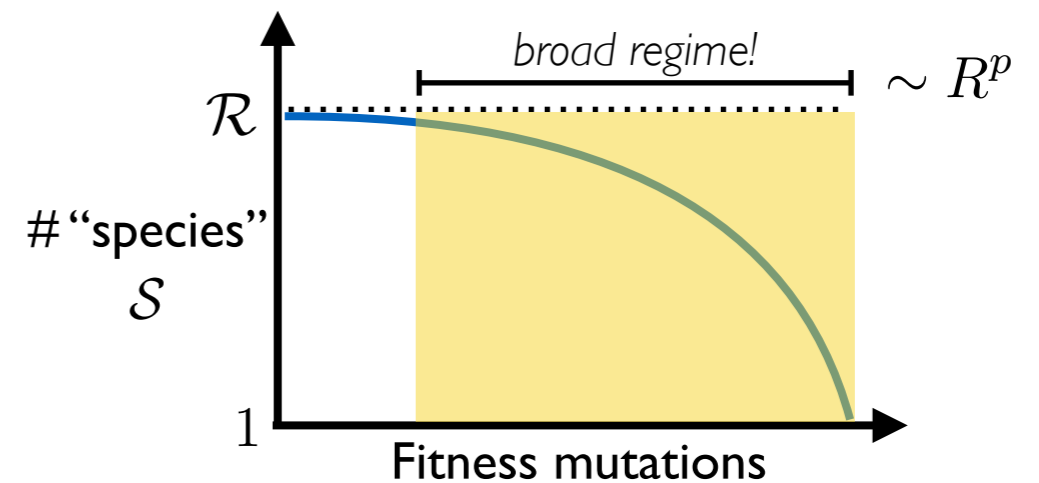
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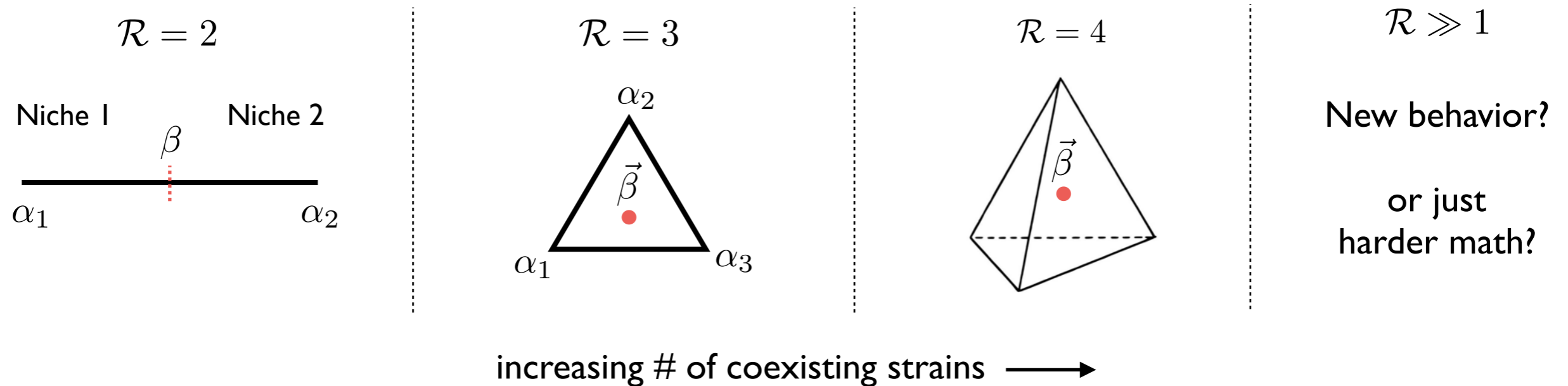
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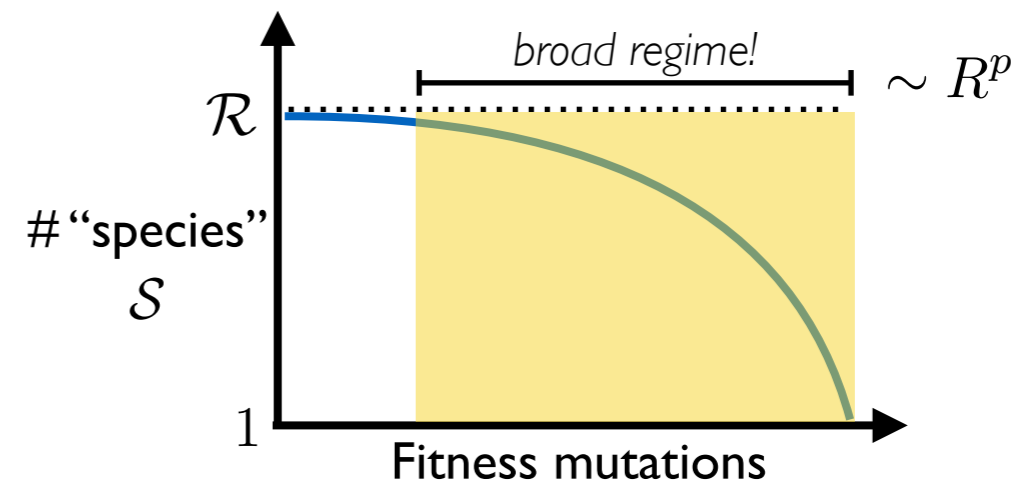
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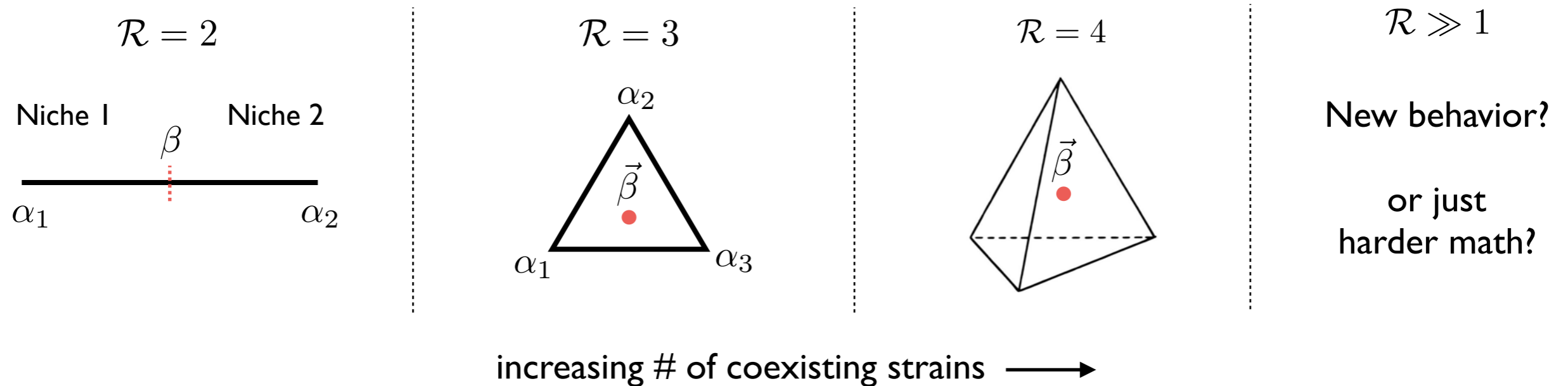
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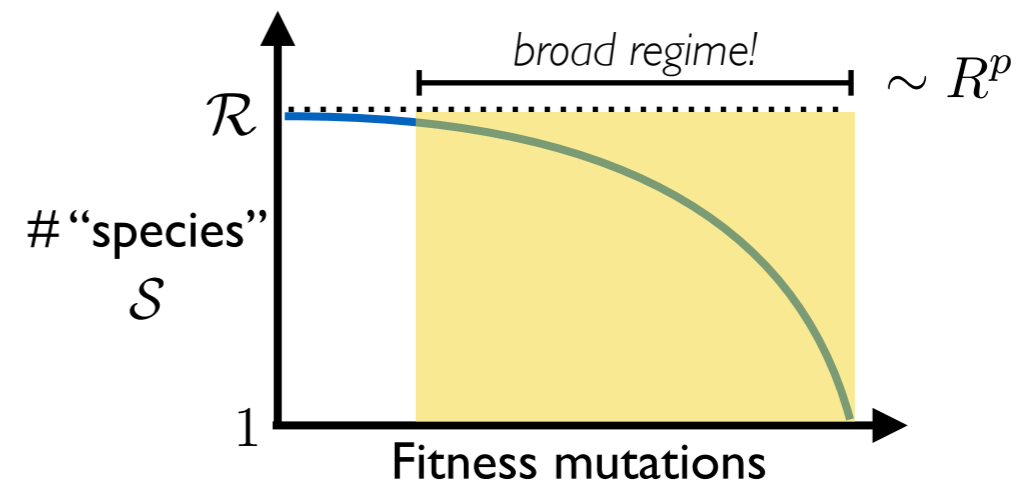
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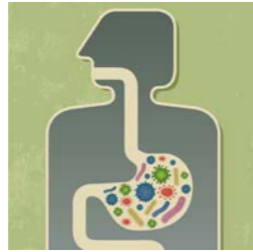


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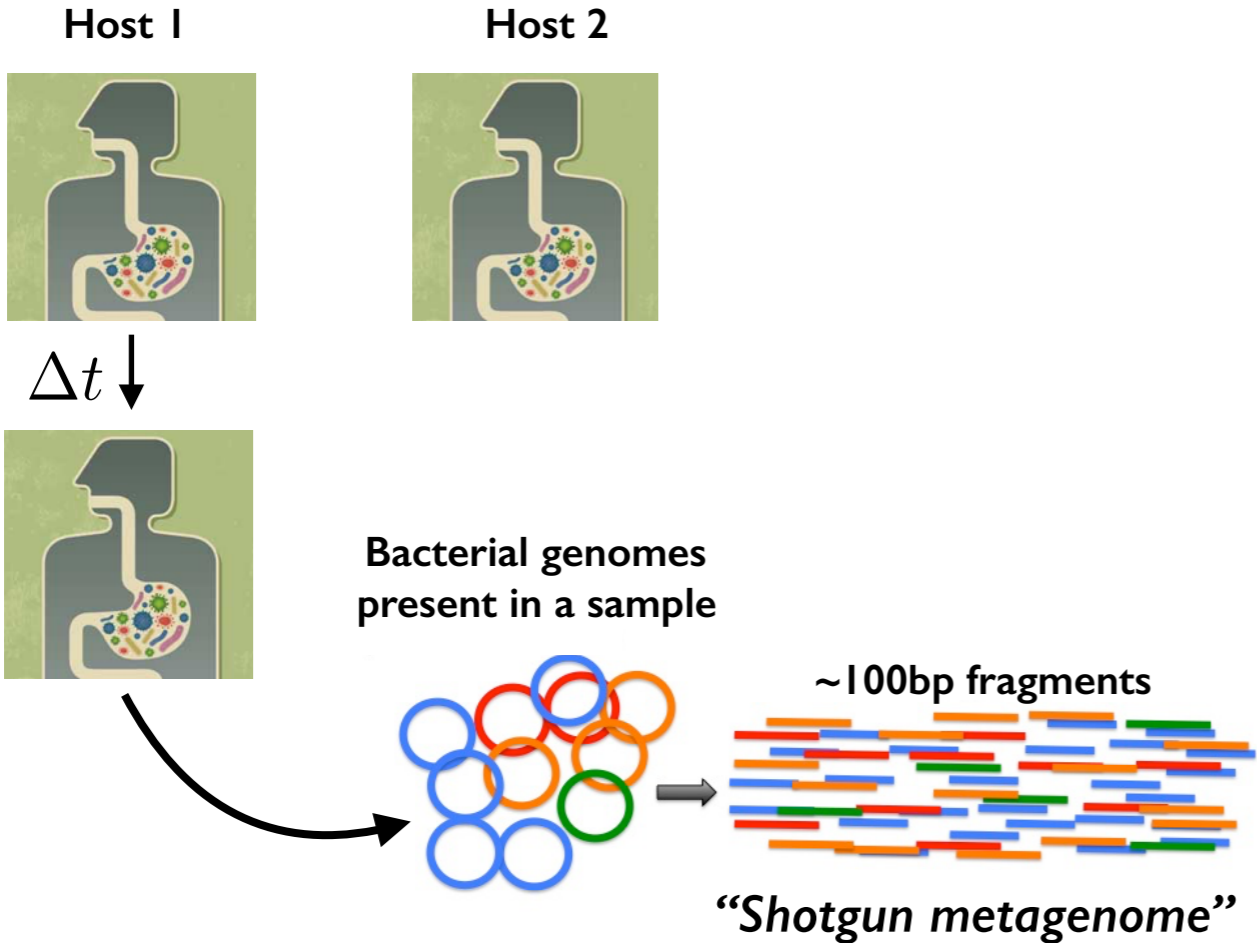
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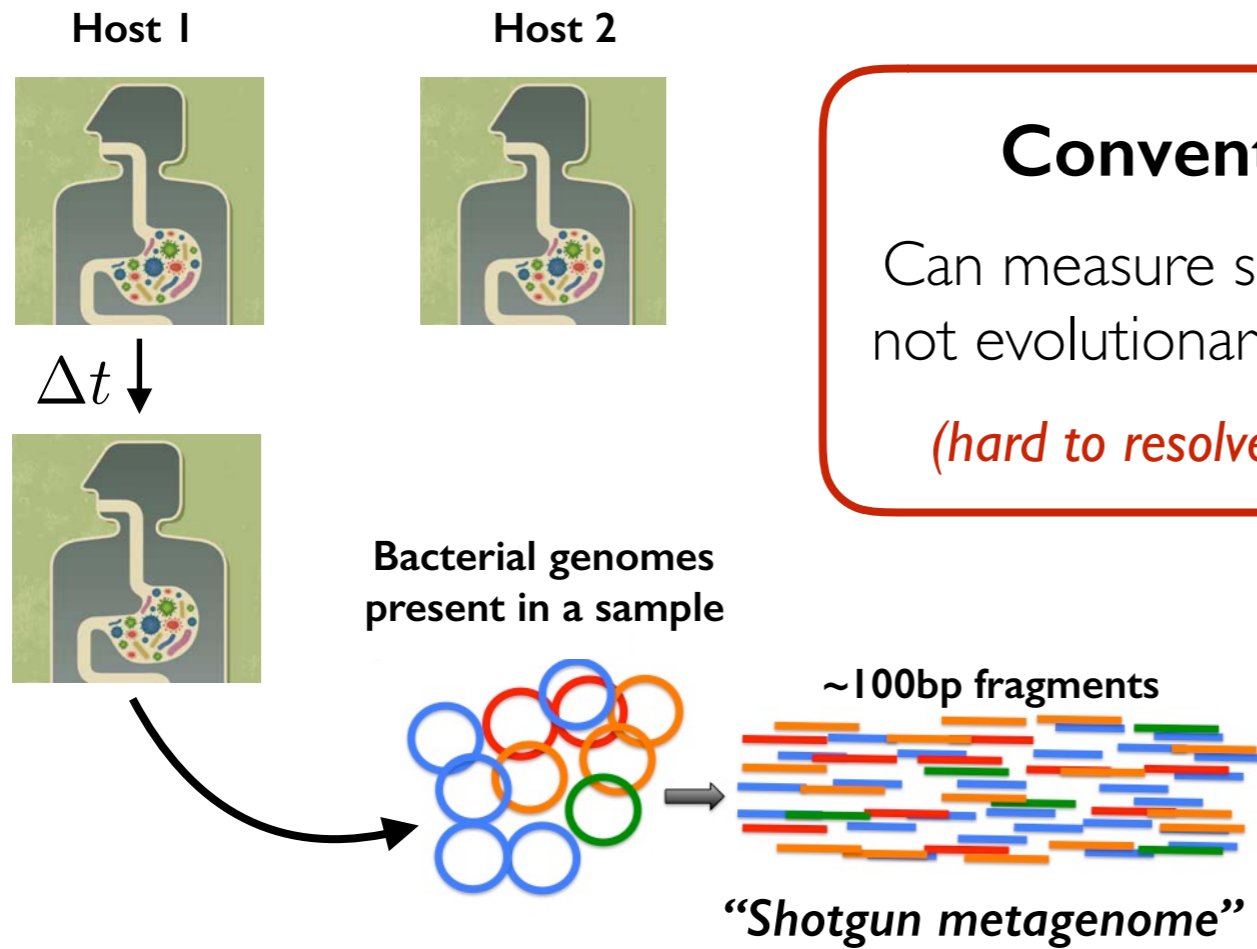
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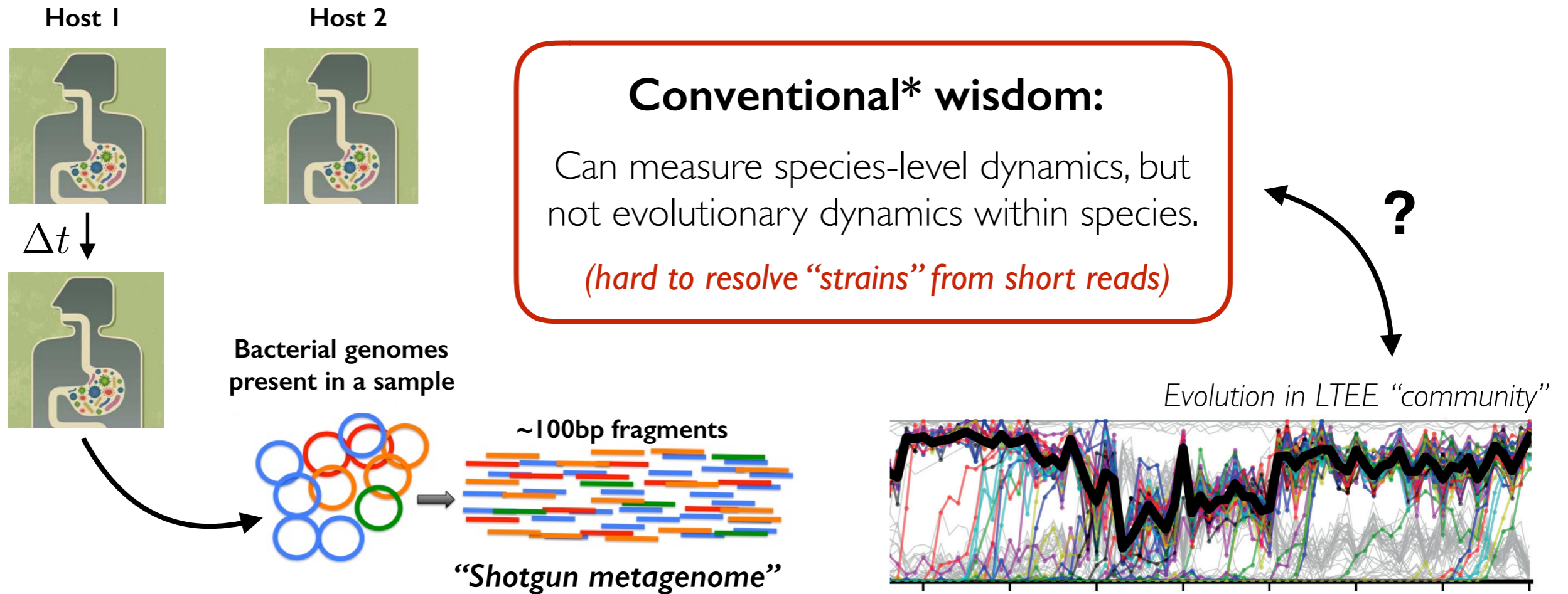


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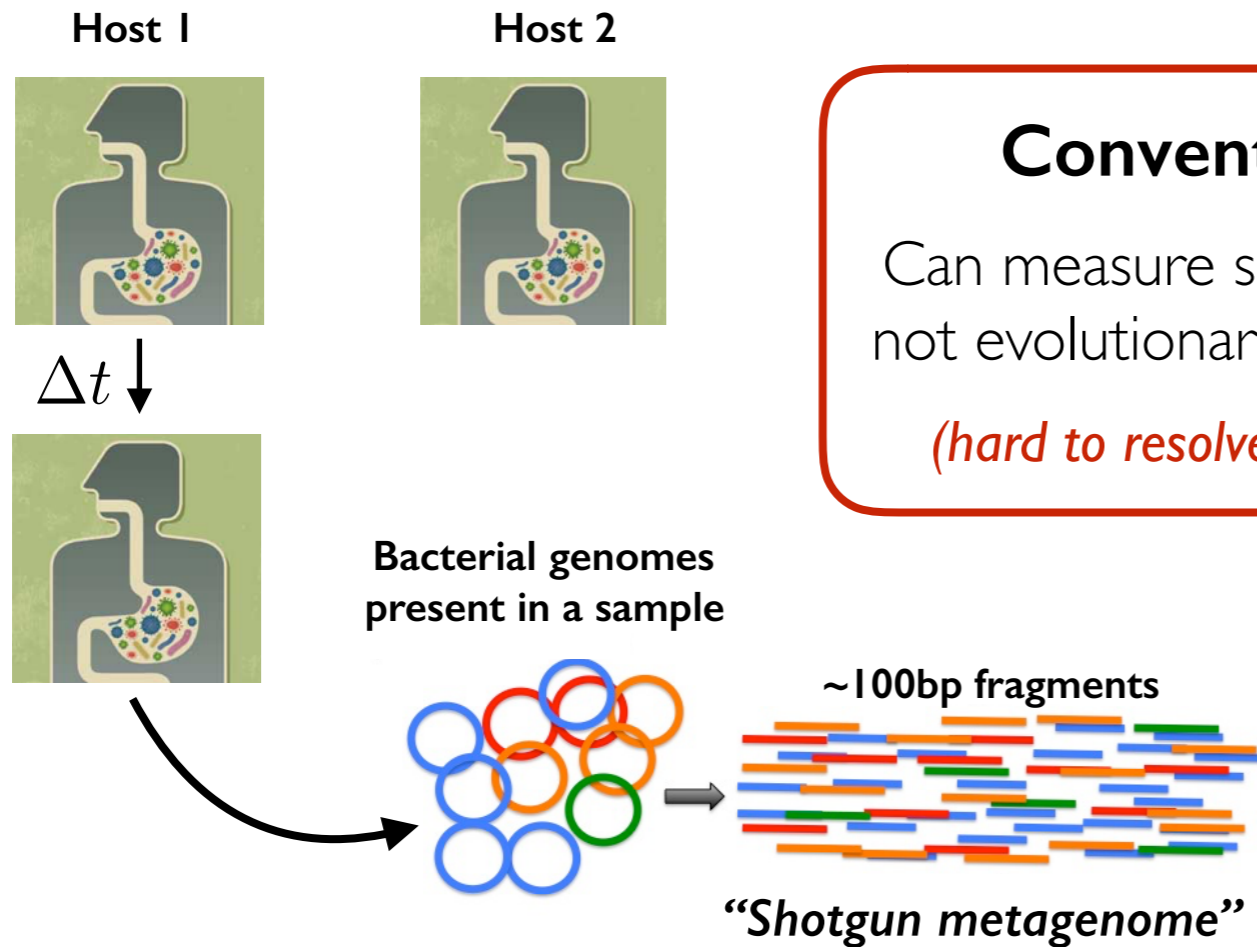
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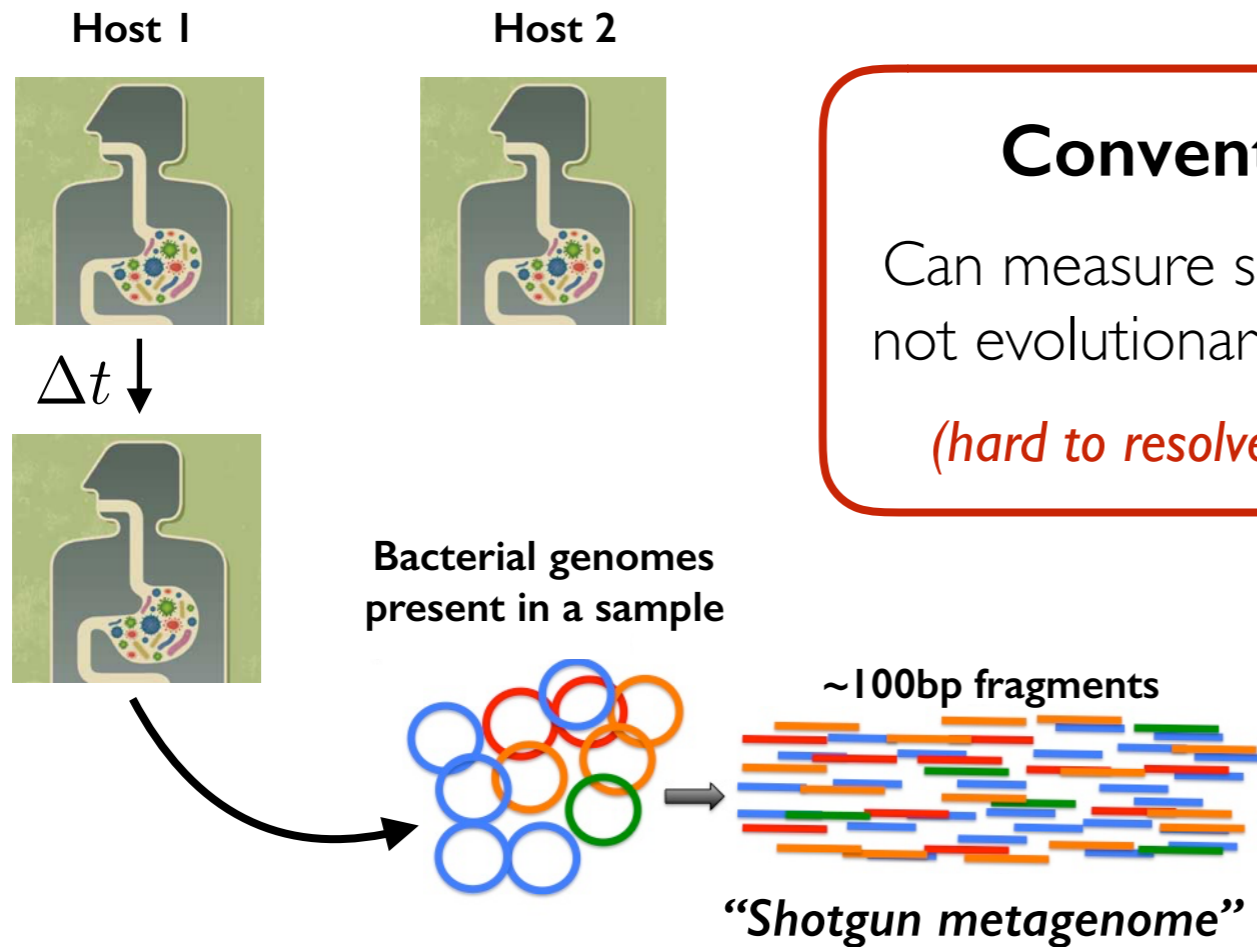
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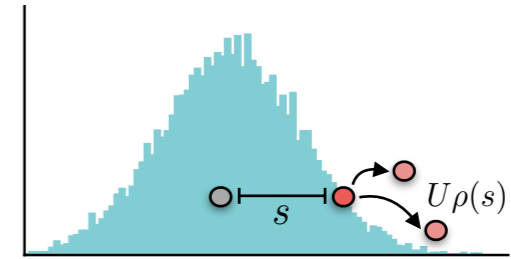
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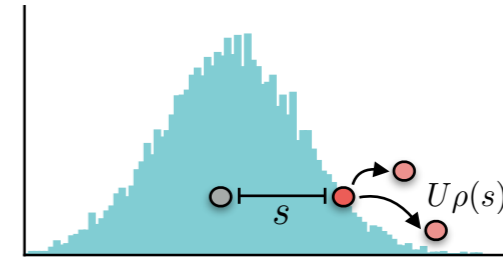
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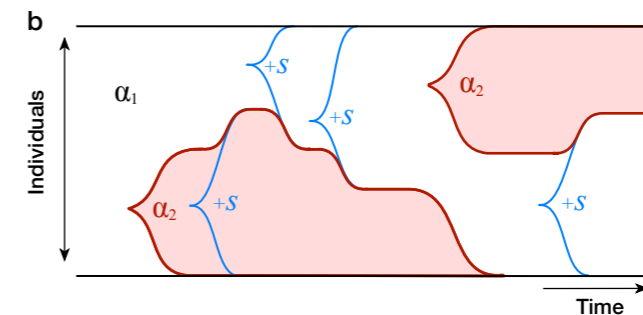


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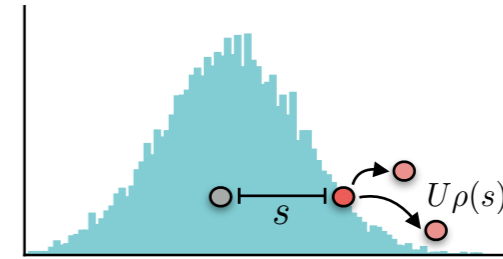


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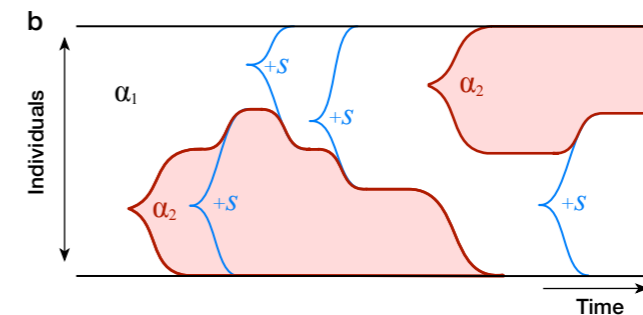


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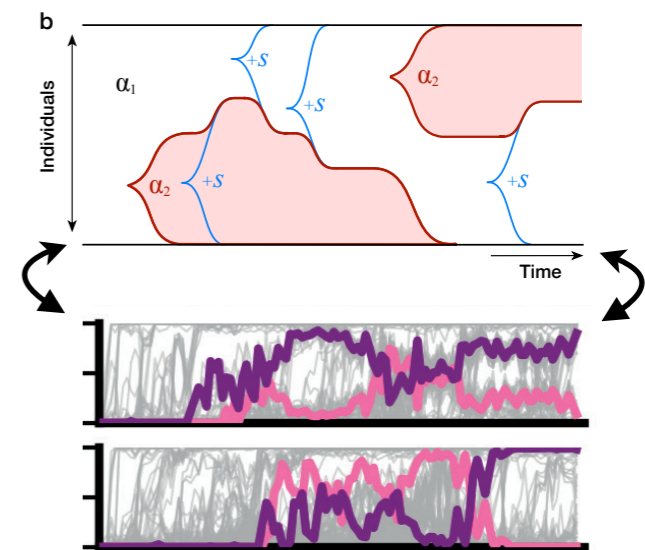
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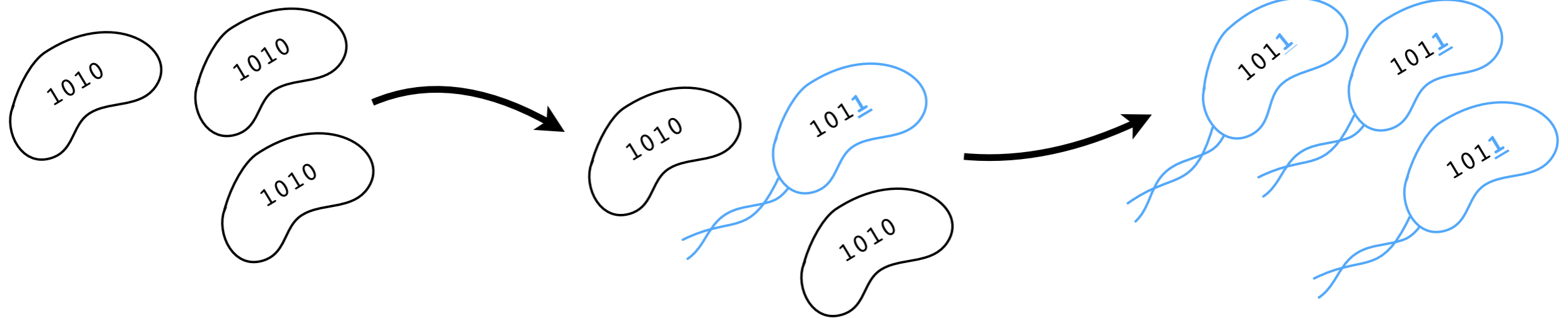
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Integrated approach of **empirically-guided theory** and **theoretically-motivated data analysis** and **experimental design** is a promising path toward understanding these processes.



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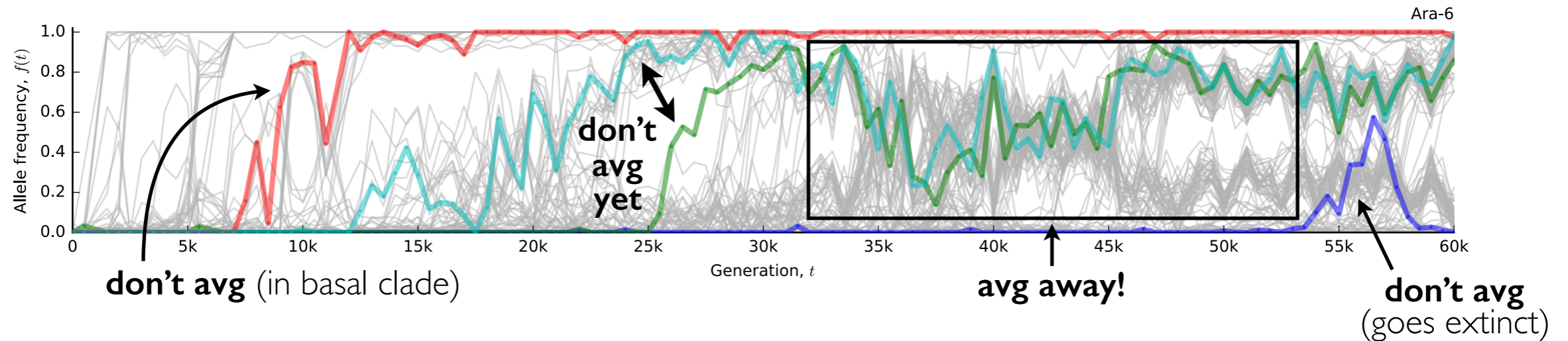
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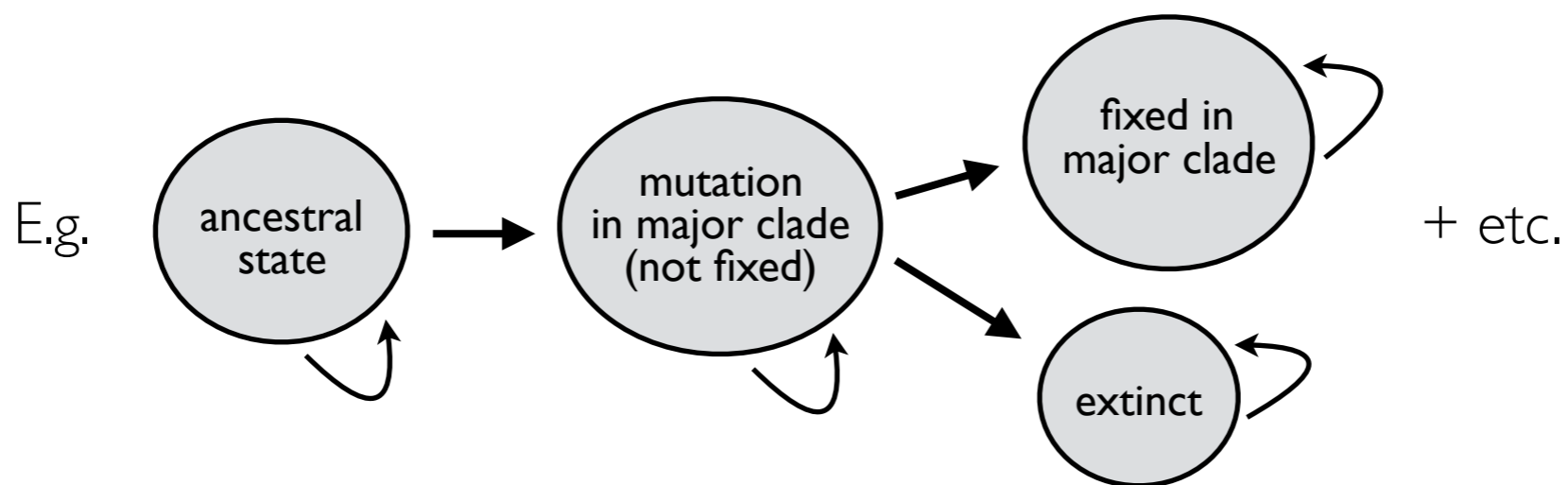
# Inferring clade dynamics with hidden Markov models

**Basic idea:** individual mutations noisy → avg together to measure clade freq

**Problem:** which mutations to average, which times to average?

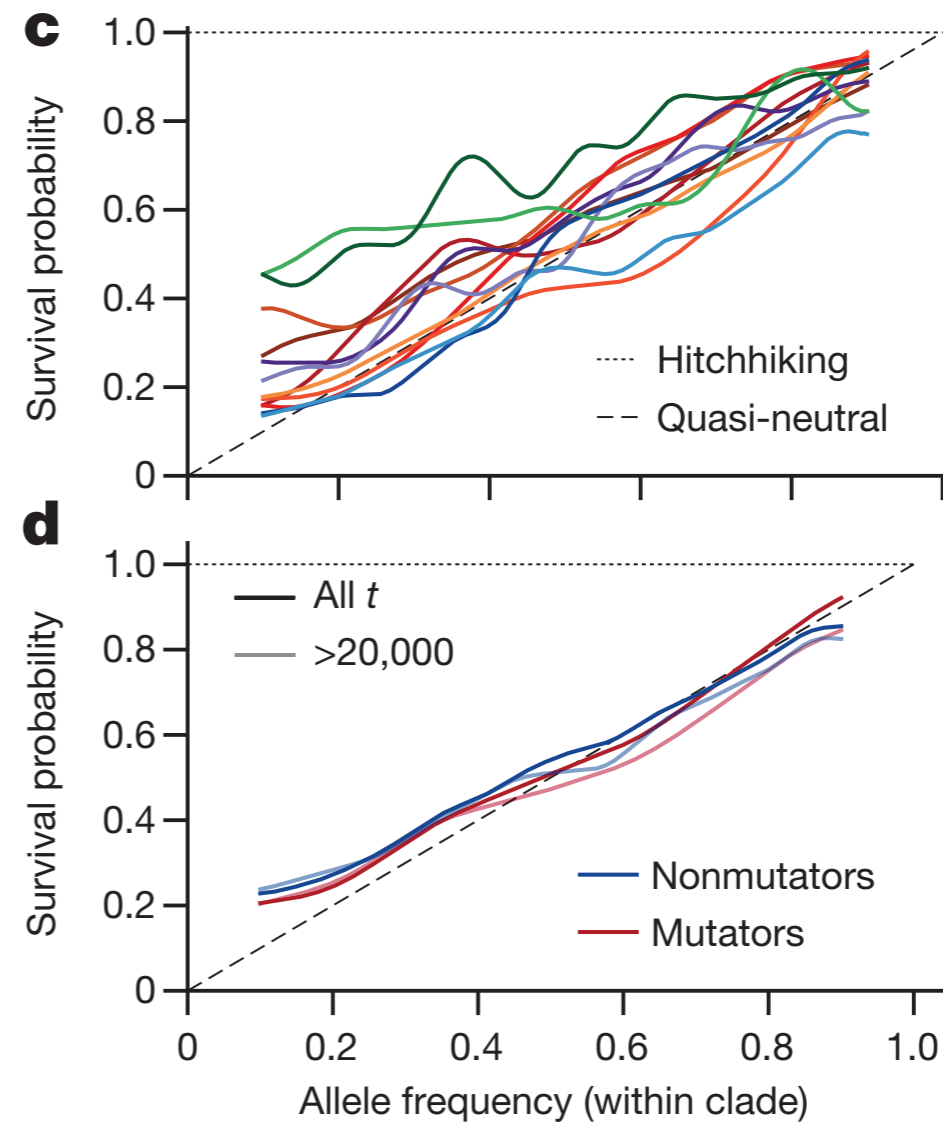
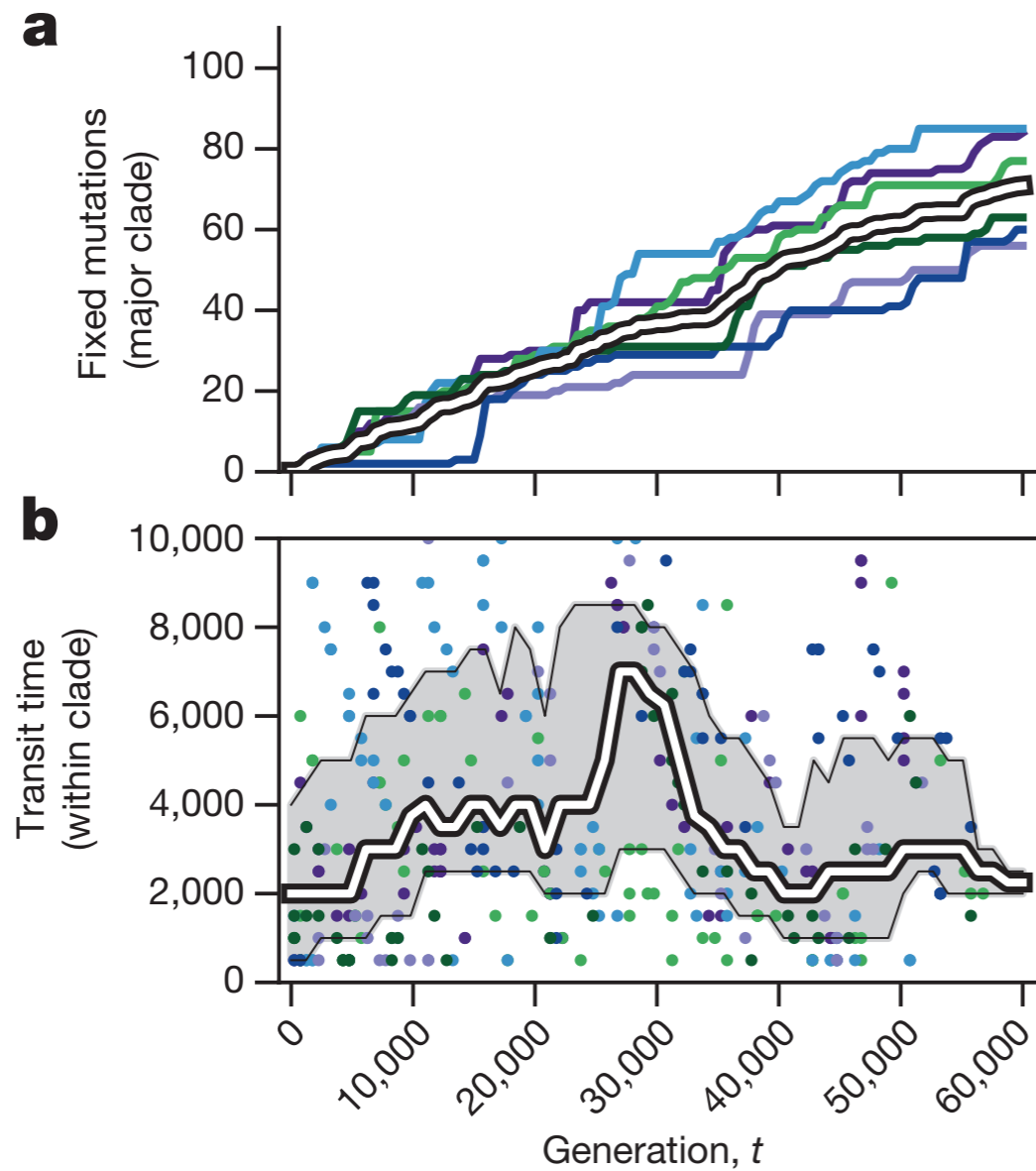


**Solution:** infer with custom hidden Markov model (**cladeHMM**)  
→ like clustering, but phylogenetically-aware

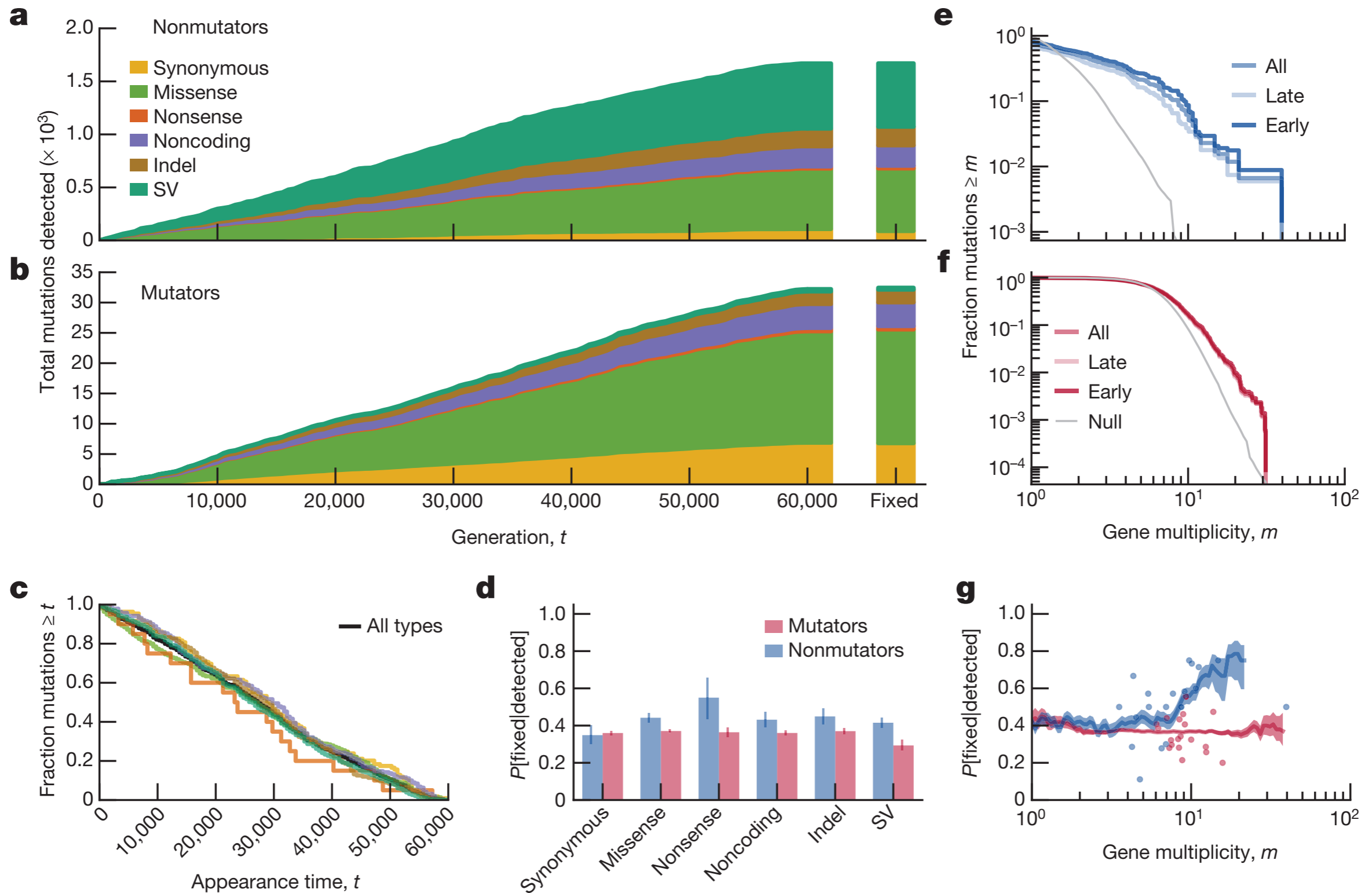




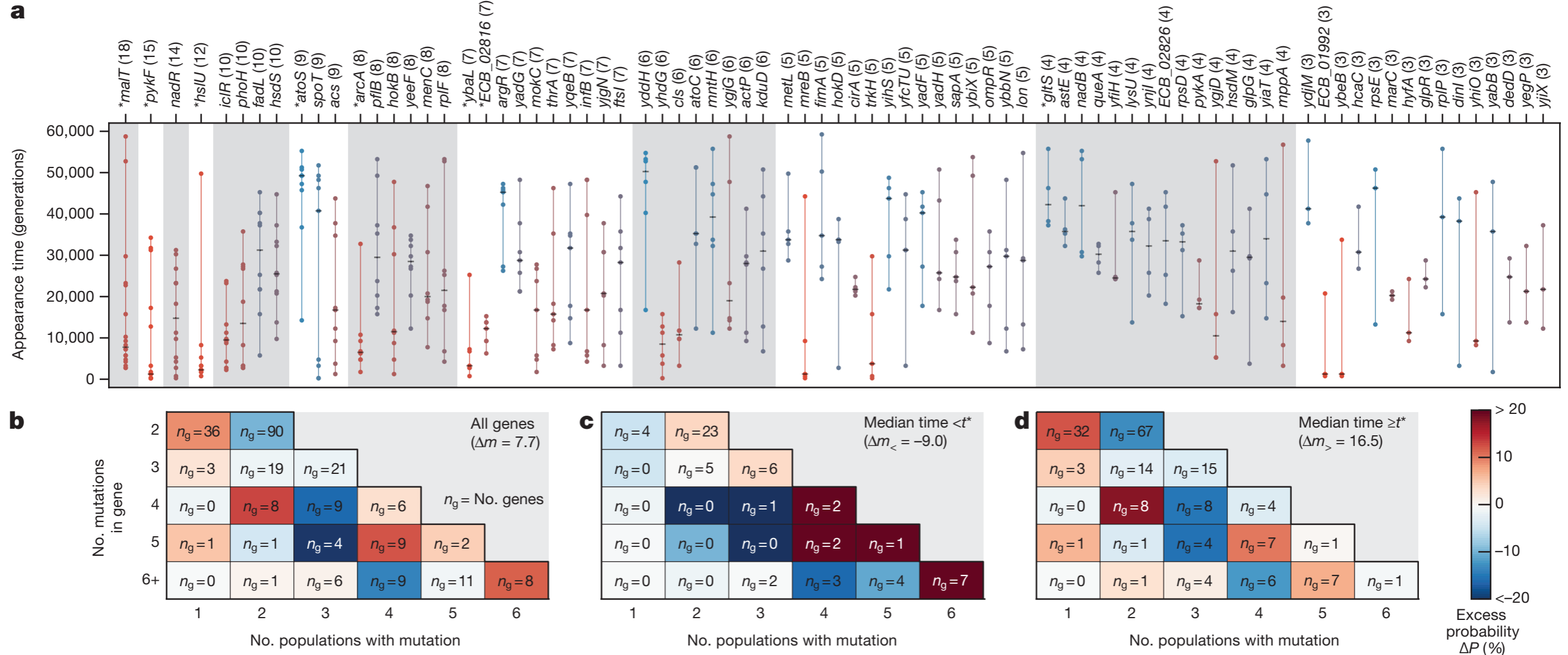
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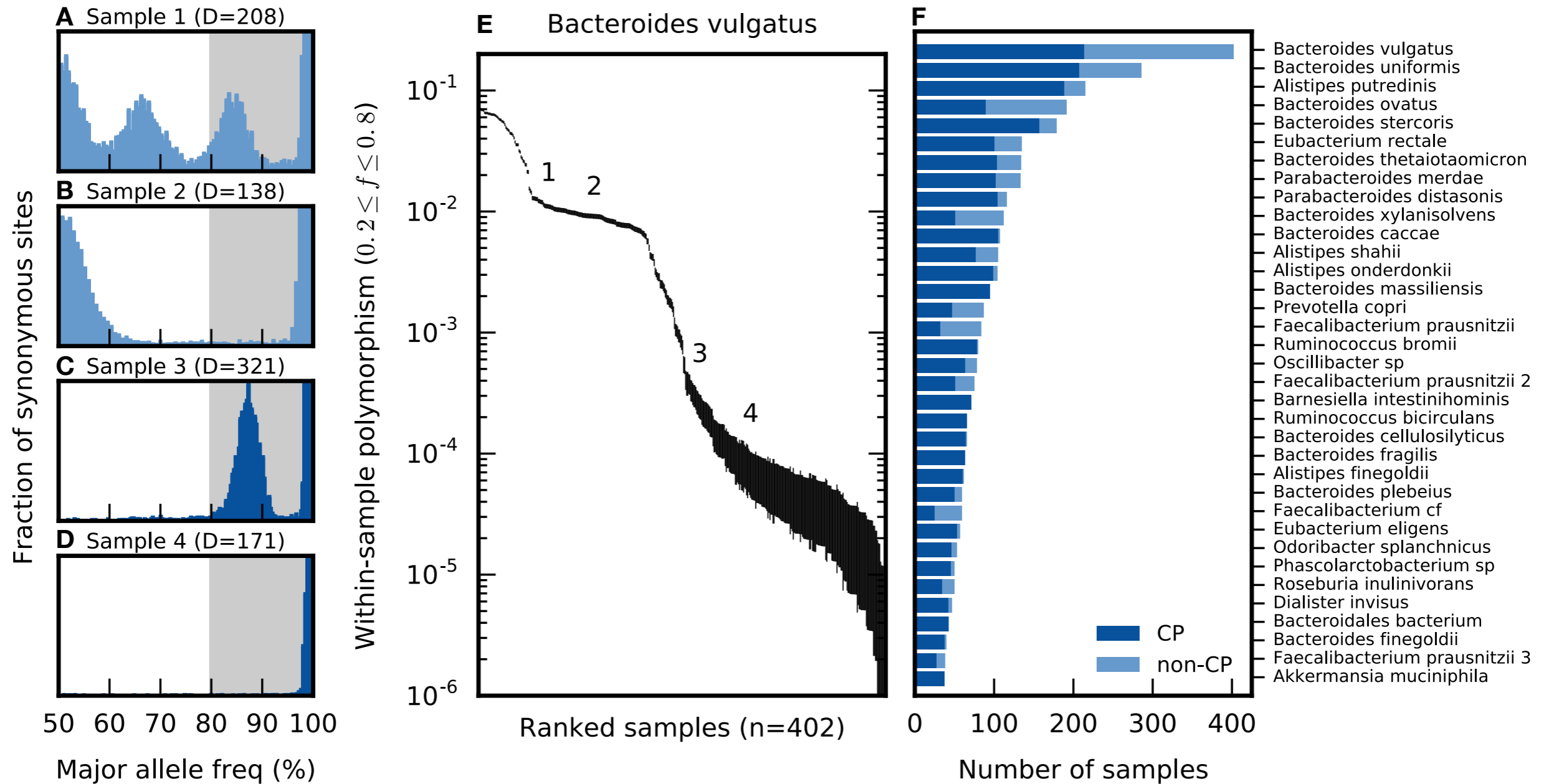
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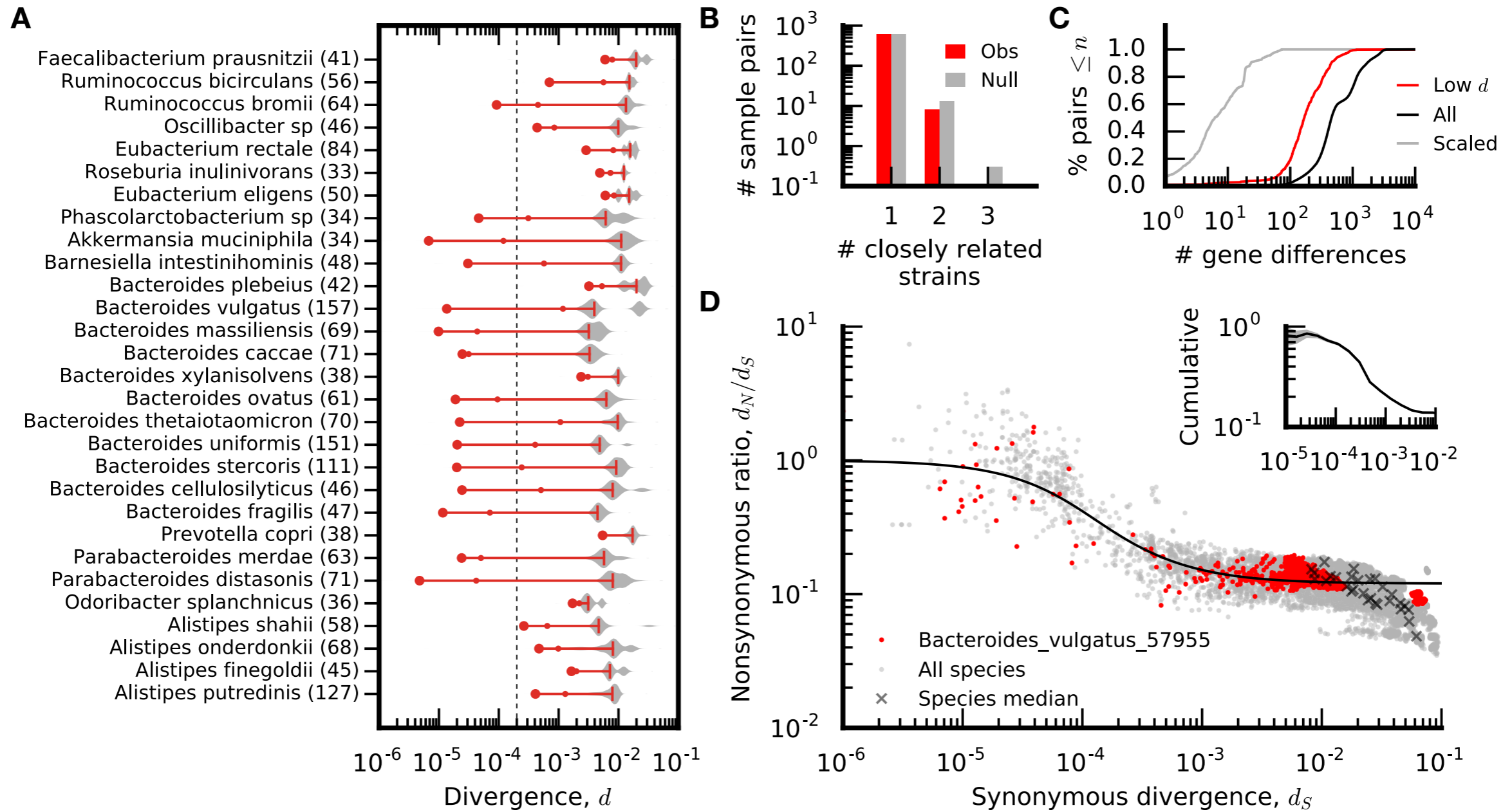
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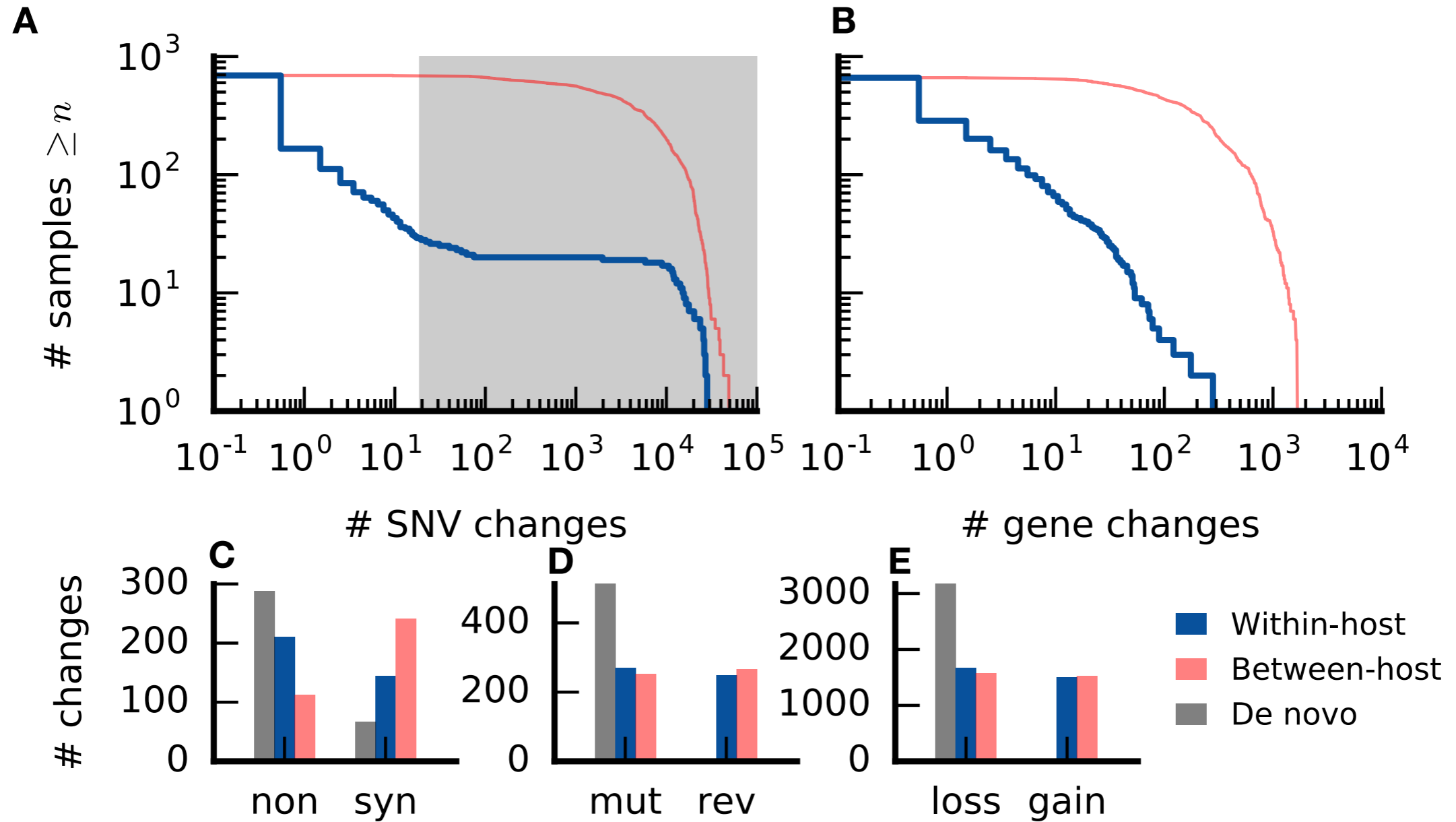
# Patterns of genetic diversity within hosts



# Patterns of genetic divergence across hosts



# Short-term succession within hosts



# Putative model of within-host evolution

