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16 Abstract

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31 microbial genomes in complex environmental metagenomes.

32 Introduction

33 Advances in high-throughput sequencing technologies are revolutionizing the field of
34 genomics by allowing researchers to generate large amount of data in a short period of
35 time (Loman & Pallen, 2015). These technologies, combined with advances in
36 computational approaches, help us understand the diversity and functioning of life at
37 different scales by facilitating the rapid recovery of bacterial, archaeal, and eukaryotic
38 genomes (Venter et al., 2001; Schleper, Jurgens & Jonscheit, 2005; Brown et al., 2015). Yet,
39 the recovery of genomes is not straightforward, and reconstructing bacterial and archaeal
40 versus eukaryotic genomes present researchers with distinct pitfalls and challenges that
41 result in different molecular and computational workflows.

42 For instance, difficulties associated with the cultivation of bacterial and archaeal organisms
43 (Schloss & Handelsman, 2003) have persuaded microbiologists to reconstruct genomes
44 directly from the environment through assembly-based metagenomics workflows and
45 genome binning. This workflow commonly entails (1) whole sequencing of environmental
46 genetic material, (2) assembly of short reads into contiguous DNA segments (contigs), and
47 (3) identification of draft genomes by binning contigs that originate from the same
48 organism. Due to the extensive diversity of bacteria and archaea in most environmental
49 samples (Gans, Wolinsky & Dunbar, 2005; Rusch et al., 2007), the field of metagenomics
50 has rapidly evolved to accurately delineate genomes in assembly results. Today,
51 microbiologists often exploit two essential properties of bacterial and archaeal genomes to
52 improve the "binning" step: (1) k-mer frequencies that are somewhat preserved
53 throughout a single microbial genome (Pride et al., 2003), to identify contigs that likely
54 originate from the same genome (Teeling et al., 2004), and (2) a set of genes that occur in
55 the vast majority of bacterial genomes as a single copy, to estimate the level of completion
56 and contamination of genome bins (Wu & Eisen, 2008; Campbell et al., 2013; Parks et al.,

57 2015). These properties, along with differential coverage of contigs across multiple
58 samples when such data exist, are routinely used to identify coherent microbial draft
59 genomes in metagenomic assemblies (Dick et al., 2009; Albertsen et al., 2013; Wu et al.,
60 2014; Alneberg et al., 2014; Kang et al., 2015; Eren et al., 2015).

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62 On the other hand, researchers who study eukaryotic genomes generally focus on the
63 recovery of a single organism, which, in most cases, simplifies the identification of the
64 target genome in assembly results. However, sequences of bacterial origin can contaminate
65 eukaryotic genome assembly results due to their occurrence in samples (Chapman et al.,
66 2010; Artamonova & Mushegian, 2013), DNA extraction kits (Salter et al., 2014), or
67 laboratory environments (Laurence, Hatzis & Brash, 2014; Strong et al., 2014). One of the
68 major challenges of working with eukaryotic genomes is the extent of repeat regions that
69 complicate the assembly process (Richard, Kerrest & Dujon, 2008). To optimize the
70 assembly, researchers often employ multiple library preparations for sequencing (Gnerre
71 et al., 2010; Ekblom & Wolf, 2014), which may increase the potential sources of post-DNA
72 extraction contamination. Contaminants in assembly results can eventually contaminate
73 public databases (Merchant, Wood & Salzberg, 2014), and impair scientific findings
74 (Artamonova et al., 2015). The detection and removal of contaminants poses a major
75 bioinformatics challenge. To identify undesired contigs in a genomic assembly, scientists
76 can simply compare their assembly results to public sequence databases for positive hits to
77 unexpected taxa (Ekblom & Wolf, 2014), use k-mer coverage plots to identify distinct
78 genomes (Percudani, 2013), or employ scatter plots to partition contigs based on their GC-
79 content and coverage (Kumar et al., 2013). However, advanced solutions developed for
80 accurate identification of microbial genomes in complex metagenomic assemblies can
81 leverage these approaches further, and offer enhanced curation options for eukaryotic
82 assemblies.

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84 The first release of a tardigrade genome by Boothby et al. (2015) demonstrates a striking
85 example of the importance of careful screening for contaminants in eukaryotic genome
86 assemblies. Tardigrades are microscopic animals occurring in a wide range of ecosystems
87 and they exhibit extended capabilities to survive in harsh conditions that would be fatal to
88 most animals (Ramløv & Westh, 2001; Jönsson, Harms-Ringdahl & Torudd, 2005; Jönsson
89 et al., 2008; Horikawa et al., 2013). Boothby and his colleagues generated a composite DNA
90 sequencing dataset from a culture of the tardigrade *Hypsibius dujardini* by exploiting some
91 of the best practices of high-throughput sequencing available today (Boothby et al., 2015).
92 In their assembled tardigrade genome, the authors detected a large number of genes
93 originating from bacteria, making up approximately one-sixth of the gene pool, and
94 suggested that horizontal gene transfers (HGTs) could explain the unique ability of
95 tardigrades to withstand extreme ranges of temperature, pressure, and radiation. However,
96 Koutsovoulos et al.'s subsequent analysis of Boothby et al.'s assembly suggested that it
97 contained extensive bacterial contamination, casting doubt on the extended HGT
98 hypothesis (Koutsovoulos et al., 2015). By applying two-dimensional scatterplots on their
99 own raw assembly results, Koutsovoulos et al. also reported a curated draft genome of *H.*
100 *dujardini*.

101 Here we re-analyzed the raw sequencing data generated by Boothby et al. (2015) and
102 Koutsovoulos et al. (2015), in combination with an independent RNA-Seq dataset
103 generated by Levin et al. (2016) for *H. dujardini*. Using *anvi'o*, an analysis and visualization
104 platform originally designed for the identification of bacterial genomes in metagenomic
105 assemblies (Eren et al., 2015), we employed bacterial single-copy genes to assess the
106 occurrence of bacterial genomes in the raw and curated assembly results, utilized k-mer
107 frequencies and coverage values across multiple sequencing libraries to organize scaffolds,
108 and visualized our findings in a single display.

109 **Material and methods**

110 **Genome assemblies, and raw sequencing data for DNA and RNA.** Boothby et al.
111 constructed three paired-end Illumina libraries (insert sizes of 0.3, 0.5 and 0.8 kbp) for 2 x
112 100 paired-end sequencing on a HiSeq2000 and six single-end long-read libraries (five
113 Illumina Moleculo libraries sequenced by the Illumina “long read” DNA sequencing service,
114 and one PacBio SMRT library sequenced using the P6-C4 chemistry and a 1 X 240 movie),
115 which altogether provided a co-assembly of 252.5 Mbp (Boothby et al., 2015). The
116 tardigrade genome released by Boothby et al. (2015), along with the nine sequencing data
117 used for its assembly, are available at http://weatherby.genetics.utah.edu/seq_transf.
118 Independently, Koutsovoulos et al. generated a 0.3 kbp insert library and a 1.1 kbp insert
119 mate-pair library for 2 x 100 paired end sequencing on a HiSeq2000 that provided a co-
120 assembly of 185.8 Mbp (nHd.1.0) (Koutsovoulos et al. 2015). These authors subsequently
121 curated a 135 Mbp draft genome (nHd.2.3) by removing potential contamination and re-
122 assembling filtered short reads (Koutsovoulos et al., 2015). The tardigrade raw assembly
123 and curated draft genome released by Koutsovoulos et al. (2015) are available at
124 http://badger.bio.ed.ac.uk/H_dujardini, and their two sequencing datasets are available
125 from the ENA, under study accession PRJEB11910.

126 **RNA-seq data.** We obtained the RNA-seq data using the NCBI accession id PRJNA272543
127 (Levin et al., 2016). Briefly, Levin et al. isolated RNA from *H. dujardini* using the Trizol
128 reagent (Invotrogen), constructed paired-end Illumina libraries according to the TruSeq
129 RNA-seq protocol, and sequenced their cDNA libraries with a read length of 100 bp.

130 **Quality filtering and read mapping.** We used *illumina-utils* (Eren et al., 2013) (available
131 from <http://github.com/meren/illumina-utils>) for quality filtering of short Illumina reads
132 using ‘*iu-filter-quality-minoche*’ script with default parameters, which implements the
133 quality filtering described by Minoche et al. (Minoche, Dohm & Himmelbauer, 2011).
134 *Bowtie2* v2.2.4 (Langmead & Salzberg, 2012) with default parameters mapped all reads to
135 the scaffolds, and we used *samtools* v1.2 (Li et al., 2009) to convert reported SAM files to
136 BAM files.

137 **Overview of the *anvi'o* workflow.** Our workflow with *anvi'o* to identify and remove
138 contamination from a given collection of scaffolds consists of four main steps. The first step
139 is the processing of the FASTA file of scaffolds to create an *anvi'o* contigs database (CDB).
140 The resulting database holds basic information about each scaffold in the assembly (such as

141 the k-mer frequency, or GC-content). The second step is the profiling of each BAM file with
142 respect to the CDB we generated in the previous step. Each anvi'o profile describes
143 essential statistics for each scaffold in a given BAM file, including their average coverage,
144 and the portion of each scaffold covered by at least one read. The third step is to merge all
145 anvi'o profiles. Merging step combines all statistics from individual profiles, and uses them
146 to compute hierarchical clusterings of scaffolds. The default organization of scaffolds is
147 determined by the average coverage information from individual profiles, and the
148 sequence composition information from the CDB. This organization makes it possible to
149 identify scaffolds that distribute similarly across different library preparations. The final
150 step is to visualize the merged data on the anvi'o interactive interface. The anvi'o
151 interactive interface provides a holistic perspective of the combined data, and allows the
152 identification of draft genome bins, and removal of contaminants.

153 **Processing of scaffolds, and mapping results.** We used anvi'o v1.2.2 (available from
154 <http://github.com/meren/anvio>) to process scaffolds and mapping results, visualize the
155 distribution of scaffolds, and identify draft genomes following the workflow outlined in the
156 previous section, and detailed in Eren et al (2015). We created an anvi'o contigs database
157 CDB for each scaffold collection using the 'anvi-gen-contigs-database' program with default
158 parameters (where k equals 4 for k-mer frequency analysis). We then annotated scaffolds
159 with myRAST (available from <http://theseed.org/>) and imported these results into the CDB
160 using the program 'anvi-populate-genes-table' to store the information about the locations
161 of open reading frames (ORFs) in scaffolds, and their taxonomical and functional inference.
162 We profiled individual BAM files using the program 'anvi-profile' with a minimum contig
163 length of 1 kbp, and the program 'anvi-merge' combined resulting profiles with default
164 parameters. For the analysis of Boothby et al. (2015) assembly, we also profiled the RNA-
165 Seq data published by Levin et al. (2016) to identify scaffolds with transcriptomic activity,
166 and exported the table for proportion of each scaffold covered by transcripts using the
167 script 'get-db-table-as-matrix'. We used the supplementary material published by Boothby
168 et al. (2015) ("Dataset S1" in the original publication) to identify scaffolds with proposed
169 HGTs. Finally, we used the program 'anvi-interactive' visualize the merged data, and to
170 identify genome bins. We included RNA-Seq results and scaffolds with HGTs into our
171 visualization using the `--additional-layers` flag. To finalize the anvi'o generated SVG files
172 for publication, we used Inkscape v0.91 (available from <https://inkscape.org/>).

173 **Predicting the number of bacterial genomes in an assembly.** We used the occurrence of
174 bacterial single-copy genes as a proxy to the expected number of bacterial genomes in a
175 raw assembly or in a curated genome bin. First, we ran on each CDB generated in this study
176 the anvi'o program 'anvi-populate-search-tables' to search using HMMer v3.1b2 (Eddy,
177 2011) for bacterial single-copy genes Campbell et al. (2013) published. Then, we used the
178 anvi'o script 'gen-stats-for-single-copy-genes' to report the number of hits per single-copy
179 gene as an array of integers from each CDB. We finally used mode (i.e., the most frequently
180 occurring number) of this array as the expected number of complete bacterial genomes in a
181 given collection of scaffolds. The script 'gen-stats-for-single-copy-genes' also used the R
182 library 'ggplot' v1.0.0 (R Development Core Team, 2011; Ginestet, 2011) to plot the
183 occurrence of single-copy genes.

184 **Taxonomical and functional annotation of bacterial genomes.** We uploaded bacterial
185 draft genomes identified from the raw tardigrade genomic assembly results into the RAST
186 server (Aziz et al., 2008), and used the RAST best taxonomic hits and FigFams to infer the
187 taxonomy of genome bins and functions they harbor.

188 **Data availability:** The URL <http://merenlab.org/data/> reports (1) anvio files to
189 regenerate Figure 1 and Figure 2, (2) our curation of the tardigrade genome from Boothby
190 et al.'s assembly (which is also available through the NCBI under the bioproject ID
191 PRJNA309530), and (3) the FASTA files for bacterial genomes we identified in the raw
192 assemblies from Boothby et al. and Koutsovoulos et al..

193 **Results and Discussion**

194 Boothby et al. generated sequencing data from a tardigrade culture using three short read
195 (Illumina) and six long read (Moleculo and PacBio) libraries, which altogether provided a
196 co-assembly of 252.5 Mbp (Boothby et al., 2015). Using this assembly, the authors
197 suggested that 6,663 genes were entered into the tardigrade genome through HGTs.
198 Independently, Koutsovoulos et al. generated sequencing data from another tardigrade
199 culture using two short read Illumina libraries that provided a co-assembly of 185.8 Mbp,
200 from which they could curate a 135 Mbp tardigrade draft genome by removing potential
201 bacterial contamination using two-dimensional scatterplots of scaffolds with respect to
202 their GC-content and coverage (Koutsovoulos et al., 2015).

203 **A holistic view of the data**

204 The use of multiple library preparations and sequencing strategies is likely to result in
205 more optimal assembly results (Gnerre et al., 2010). Hence, we focused on the scaffolds
206 generated by Boothby et al. (2015) as a foundation to maximize the recovery of the
207 tardigrade genome. To provide a holistic understanding of the composite sequencing data
208 generated by the two teams, we mapped the raw data from the nine DNA sequencing
209 libraries from Boothby et al., and the two Illumina libraries from Koutsovoulos et al. (2015)
210 on this assembly. Anvi'o generated a hierarchical clustering of scaffolds by combining the
211 tetra-nucleotide frequency and coverage of each scaffold across the 11 DNA sequencing
212 libraries (Eren et al., 2015). Besides visualizing the coverage of each scaffold in each
213 sample, we highlighted scaffolds with HGTs identified by Boothby et al. on the resulting
214 organization of scaffolds, and visualized RNA-seq mapping results. Figure 1 displays the
215 anvio merged profile that represents all this information in a single display.

216 **A draft genome for *H. dujardini***

217 Through the anvio interactive interface we selected 14,961 scaffolds from the Boothby et
218 al. assembly that recruited large number of short-reads in a consistent manner (Fig. 1).
219 This 182.2 Mbp selection with consistent coverage (#1 in Fig. 1) represents our curation of
220 the tardigrade draft genome from Boothby et al.'s assembly. The remaining 7,535 scaffolds,
221 which total about 70 Mbp of the assembly, harbored 96.1% of HGTs identified by Boothby

222 et al. These scaffolds recruited only 0.05% of the reads from the RNA-Seq data, highlighting
223 the extent of contamination in the original assembly. This finding is in agreement with
224 Koutsovoulos et al.'s findings; however, our curated draft genome from the Boothby et al.'s
225 assembly is 47 Mbp larger than the draft genome released by Koutsovoulos et al. (2015),
226 most probably due to Boothby et al.'s inclusion of longer reads from Molecu libraries.
227 While the portion of scaffolds covered by RNA-Seq data suggests that this additional 47
228 Mbp still originate from the tardigrade genome, the biological relevance of this information
229 (or lack thereof) for the characterization of the tardigrade genome falls outside of the scope
230 of our study.

231 **The origin of bacterial contamination**

232 Our mapping results indicate the presence of non-target sequences in the assembly that
233 recruit reads only from long-read libraries. One interpretation could be that most of the
234 contamination in Boothby et al.'s assembly originated from Molecu libraries, post DNA-
235 extraction (Fig. 1). However, while a recent study shows that the majority of long reads
236 from Molecu libraries originated from low-abundance organisms in the analyzed samples
237 (Sharon et al., 2015), another study suggests relatively more sequencing bias in Molecu
238 library preparation results (Kuleshov et al., 2015). Therefore, an alternative interpretation
239 of the mapping results can be that the bacterial contaminants were present in the sample
240 pre-DNA extraction at very low abundances, and each Molecu library preparation
241 included long reads originating from different parts of this rare community. Regardless,
242 long reads considerably improved Boothby et al.'s assembly, which resulted in a larger
243 tardigrade genome following the removal of non-target sequences. While these results
244 reiterate that the use of long-read libraries is essential to generate more comprehensive
245 assemblies, they also suggest that extra care should be taken to better mitigate the
246 presence of non-target sequences in assembly results when long-read libraries are used for
247 sequencing.

248 We identified three near-complete bacterial genomes affiliated to *Chitinophaga* and
249 *Thermosinus* in Boothby et al.'s assembly (Fig. 1). Surprisingly, Boothby et al. identified only
250 a small portion of these complete bacterial genomes as sources of HGTs while applying a
251 metric specifically designed to detect foreign DNA in eukaryotic genomes. For instance,
252 none of the 4,459 genes in bacterial draft genome #2 (selection #3 in Fig. 1) were reported
253 in Boothby et al.'s findings as HGTs. We also processed and visualized the raw assembly
254 (nHd.1.0) from Koutsovoulos et al. (2015) using anvio (Figure S1), and recovered eight
255 bacterial genomes. However, we found no taxonomical overlap between high-completion
256 bacterial genomes from the two sequencing projects (Table S1).
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258 Interestingly, one bacterial genome (selection #2 in Fig. 1) was detected in DNA libraries
259 from both groups, as well as in the RNA-seq data, suggesting that the related bacterial
260 population was in all samples prior to the DNA/RNA extraction step. This genome is
261 affiliated to *Chitinophaga*, and harbors genes coding for chitin degradation and utilization
262 (Table S2). Chitin occurs naturally in the feeding apparatus of tardigrades (Guidetti et al.,
263 2015), and might be a source of carbon for its microbial inhabitants. The genome also
264 harbors genes coding for the biosynthesis of proteorhodopsin, host invasion and

265 intracellular resistance, dormancy and sporulation, oxidative stress, and tryptophan, which
266 is an essential amino acid for animals (Crawford, 1989; Zelante et al., 2013). Although this
267 genome may belong to a tardigrade symbiont, the generation of the data does not allow us
268 to rule out the possibility that it may be associated with the food source. Nevertheless, this
269 finding suggests that there may be cases where non-target genomes in an assembly can
270 provide clues about the lifestyle of a given host.

271 **Best practices to assess bacterial contamination**

272 Initial assessment of the occurrence of bacterial single-copy genes in eukaryotic assemblies
273 can provide a quick estimation of the number of bacterial genomes that occur in assembly
274 results. The use of bacterial single-copy genes can give much more accurate representation
275 of potential bacterial contamination than screening for 16S rRNA genes alone, as they are
276 less likely to be found in co-assembly results (Miller et al., 2011; Delmont et al., 2015).
277 Although Boothby et al. reported the lack of 16S rRNA genes in their assembly (Boothby et
278 al., 2015), *anvi'o* estimated that it contained at least 10 complete bacterial genomes (Fig. 2)
279 using a bacterial single-copy gene collection (Campbell et al., 2013). This simple yet
280 powerful step could identify cases of extensive contamination, and alert researchers to be
281 diligent in identifying scaffolds originating from bacterial organisms. Figure 2 also
282 summarizes the HMM hits in scaffolds found in curated tardigrade genomes from our
283 analysis and Koutsovoulos et al.'s study. We observed that the average significance score
284 for the remaining HMM hits for bacterial single-copy genes in curated genomes was 4.2
285 times lower in average compared to the HMM hits in assembly results (Table S3). The
286 decrease in the significance scores, and the very similar patterns of occurrence of HMM hits
287 between the two curation efforts suggest that some of the HMM profiles may not be specific
288 enough to be identified only in bacteria.

289 Two-dimensional scatterplots have a long history of identifying distinct genomes in
290 assembly results (Tyson et al., 2004) and continue to be used for delineating microbial
291 genomes in metagenomic assemblies (Albertsen et al., 2013; Cantor et al., 2015), as well as
292 detecting contamination in eukaryotic assembly results (Kumar et al., 2013). Although
293 scatterplots can describe the organization of contigs in assembly results, they suffer from
294 limited number of dimensions they can display, and their inability to depict complex
295 supporting data that can improve the identification of individual genomes. These
296 limitations are particularly problematic in sequencing projects covering multiple
297 sequencing libraries, where displaying mapping results from each library can help
298 detecting sources of contaminants. Despite their successful applications, two dimensional
299 scatter plots limit researchers to the use of simple characteristics of the data that can be
300 represented on an axis (such as GC-content). In contrast, clustering scaffolds, and
301 overlaying multiple layers of independent information produce more comprehensive
302 visualizations that display multiple aspects of the data.

303 Conclusions

304 The field of genomics requires advanced computational approaches to take best advantage
305 of constantly evolving ways to generate sequencing data, and to identify and remove
306 contamination from genome assemblies. Our study indicates that some of these advanced
307 approaches may emerge from the field of metagenomics, where the need for *de novo*
308 reconstruction of microbial genomes from environmental samples has given rise to
309 techniques and software platforms that can make sense of complex assemblies. Here we
310 used k-mer frequencies to organize scaffolds, the occurrence of bacterial single-copy genes
311 to estimate the extent of contamination, and advanced visualization strategies to detect and
312 remove contamination in a eukaryotic assembly project while simultaneously
313 characterizing the sources of contamination. Our results also suggest that metagenomic
314 binning strategies can be used to recover near-complete bacterial genomes from raw
315 eukaryotic assemblies, which can provide insights into the potential host-microbe
316 interactions during the curation step.

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Holistic assessment of the tardigrade genome release from Boothby et al. (2015).

Dendrogram in the center organizes scaffolds based on sequence composition and coverage values in data from 11 DNA libraries. Scaffolds larger than 40 kbp were split into sections of 20 kbp for visualization purposes. Splits are displayed in the first inner circle and GC-content (0-71%) in the second circle. In the following 11 layers, each bar represents the portion of scaffolds covered by short reads in a given sample. The next layer shows the same information for RNA-Seq data. Scaffolds harboring genes used by Boothby et al. to support the expanded HGT hypothesis is shown in the next layer. Finally, the outermost layer shows our selections of scaffolds as draft genome bins: the curated tardigrade genome (selection #1), as well as three near-complete bacterial genomes originating from various contamination sources (selection #2, #3, and #4).



