



Sequencing and Assembling a Reference Sequence of the 1 Gb Wheat Chromosome 3B

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The 3B sequence

❑ Whole 3B Shotgun



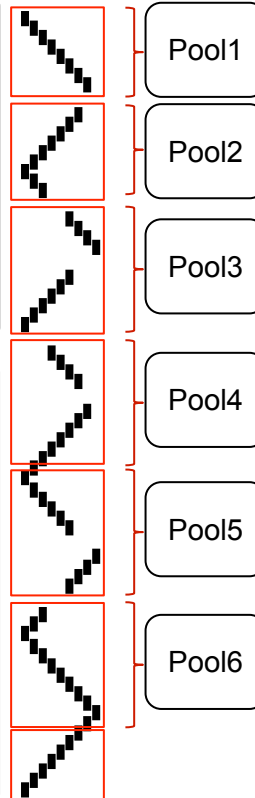
3B DNA

Illumina GAII
PE 2 x 108 nt



82 Gb

❑ MTP BAC Sequencing



8452 BACs

932 pools
MP 8kb

454 GS-FLX



40 Gb

❑ BAC-ends

❑ BAC pool raw assemblies



<i>#scaffolds</i>	16136	scaff
<i>Cumul. size</i>	1	Gb
<i>Gaps</i>	18	%
<i>N50</i>	275	kb

→ Large scaffolds but small contigs (Newbler fragmentation)

□ Finishing

➔ v2.1



V. Barbe, S. Mangenot

Manual

Manual Curation of the scaffolding

Consider : BAC-ends

Mate pair info (Newbler)

➔ v3.0



JM. Aury, A. Couloux

Automated

Gap closer

Homopolymer correction

➔ v4.0



		#scaff	Mb	N50
v2.1	Raw assemblies	16136	1040	275 kb
v4.0	Finishing + gapCloser	5109	993	463 kb

BAC pool – *Issues*

❑ Deal with ~8000 *E. coli* clones

❑ Assignment scaffolds ↔ BACs

❑ Incomplete representation of chr.

❑ Redundancy

❑ Misassembled BACs
BAC contamination

Pooling/tagging

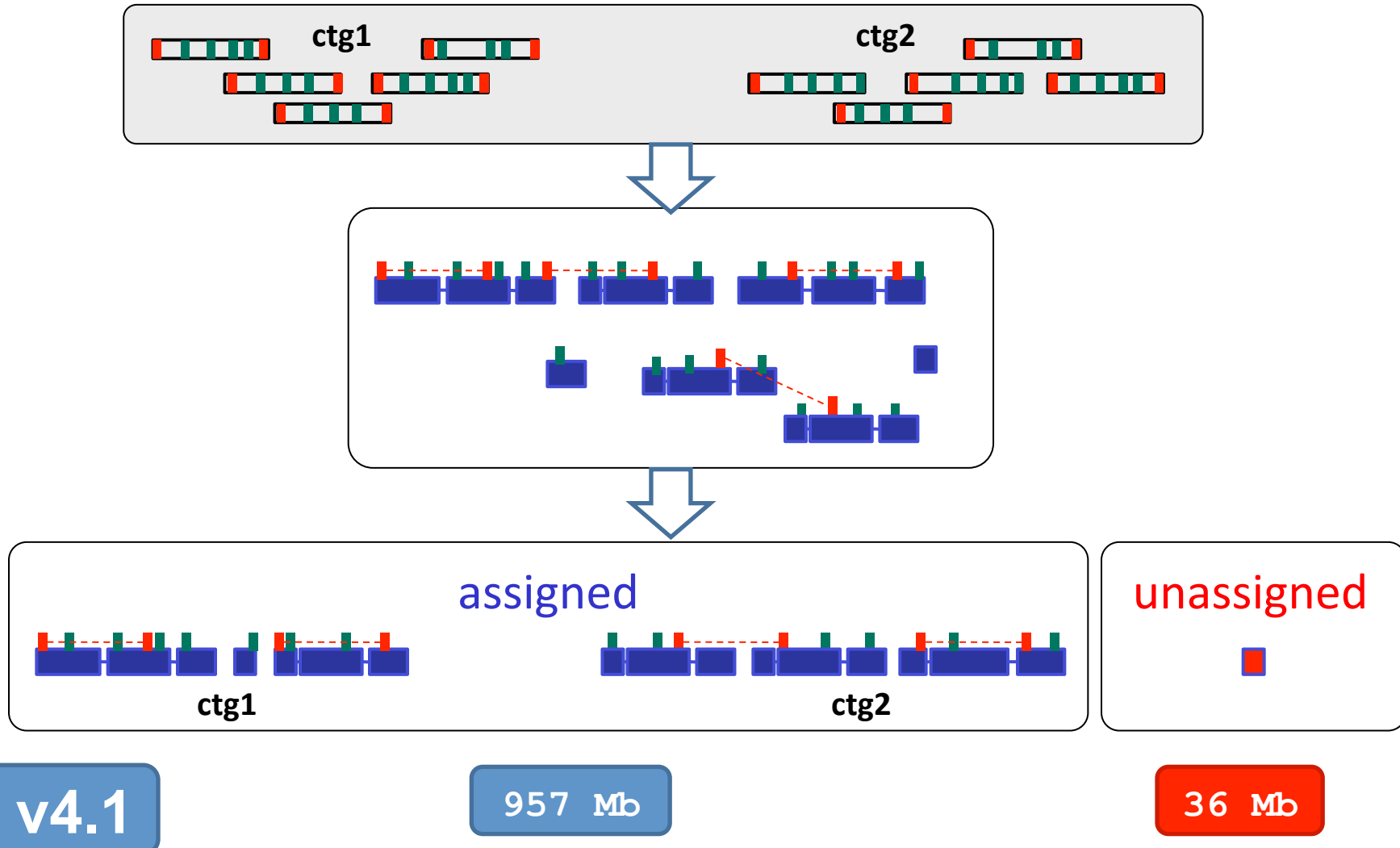
Quality of the
physical map

Assigning scaffolds ↔ BAC-contigs

➤ BAC Ends

➤ Whole Genome Profiling tags

(Philippe *et al.* BMC Genom. 2012)



❑ Incomplete representation of the chr.

	<i>Full map</i>	<i>Sequenced map</i>
• Fingerprinted BACs	133,000 (19x)	-
• #BAC contigs	1717	1282
• #MTP BACs	9216	8452

❑ Incomplete

- MTP scaff compared to "survey" contigs

✓ Match 87%
✓ Absent 13%

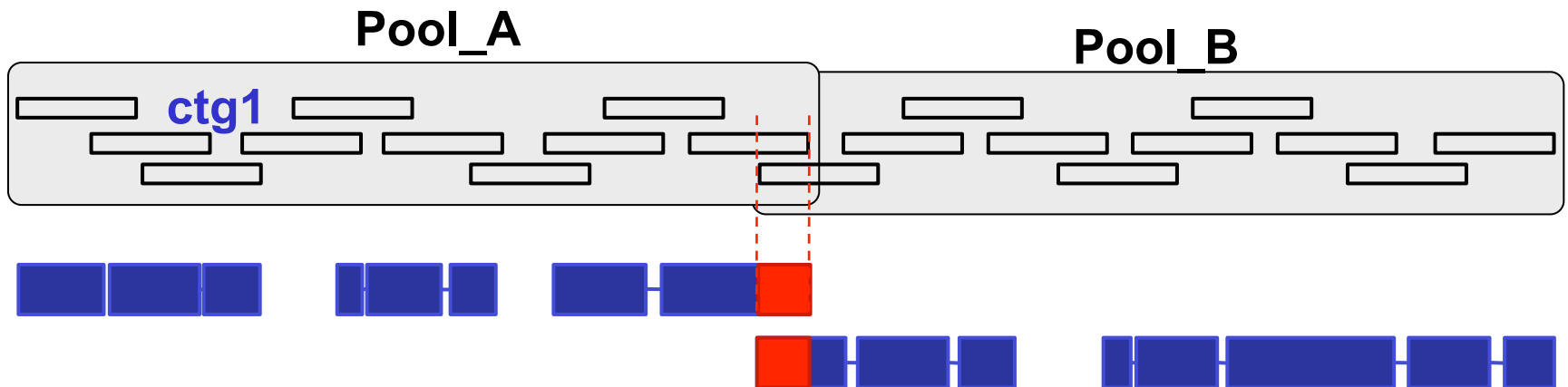
➔ Gaps = 6%
➔ non-3B DNA = 7%

- Inversely (using ~30,000 exons)

✓ Full 89%
✓ Partial 7%
✓ Absent 4%

❑ Redundancy

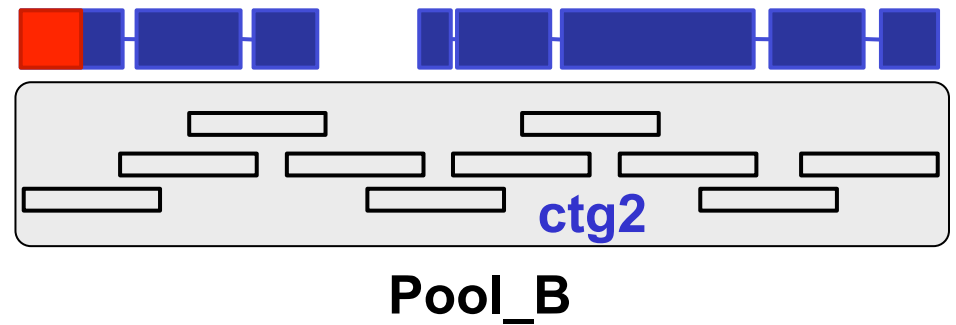
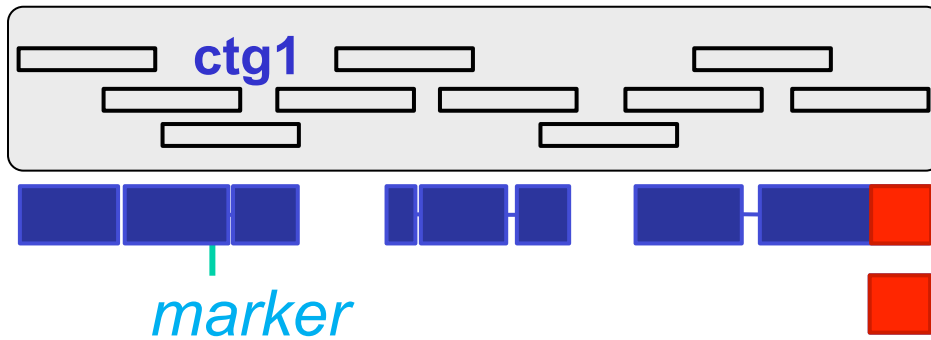
- Expected redundancy



❑ Redundancy

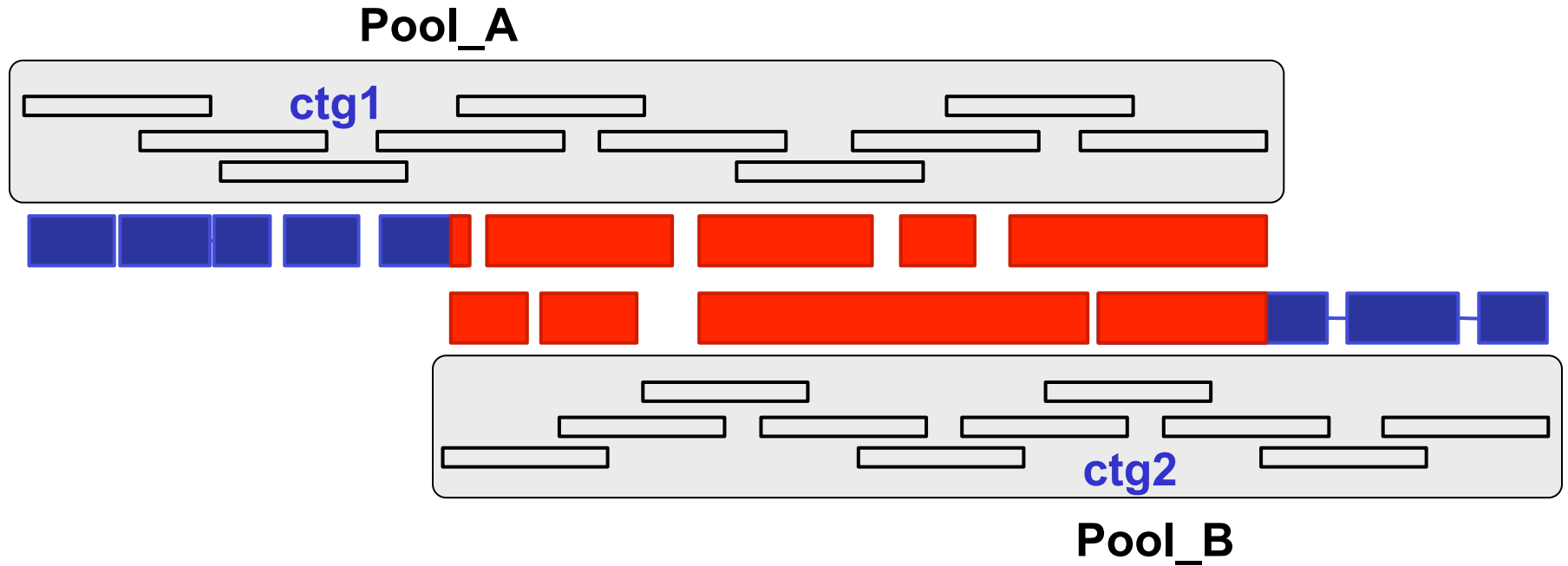
- Unexpected redundancy

Pool_A



❑ Redundancy

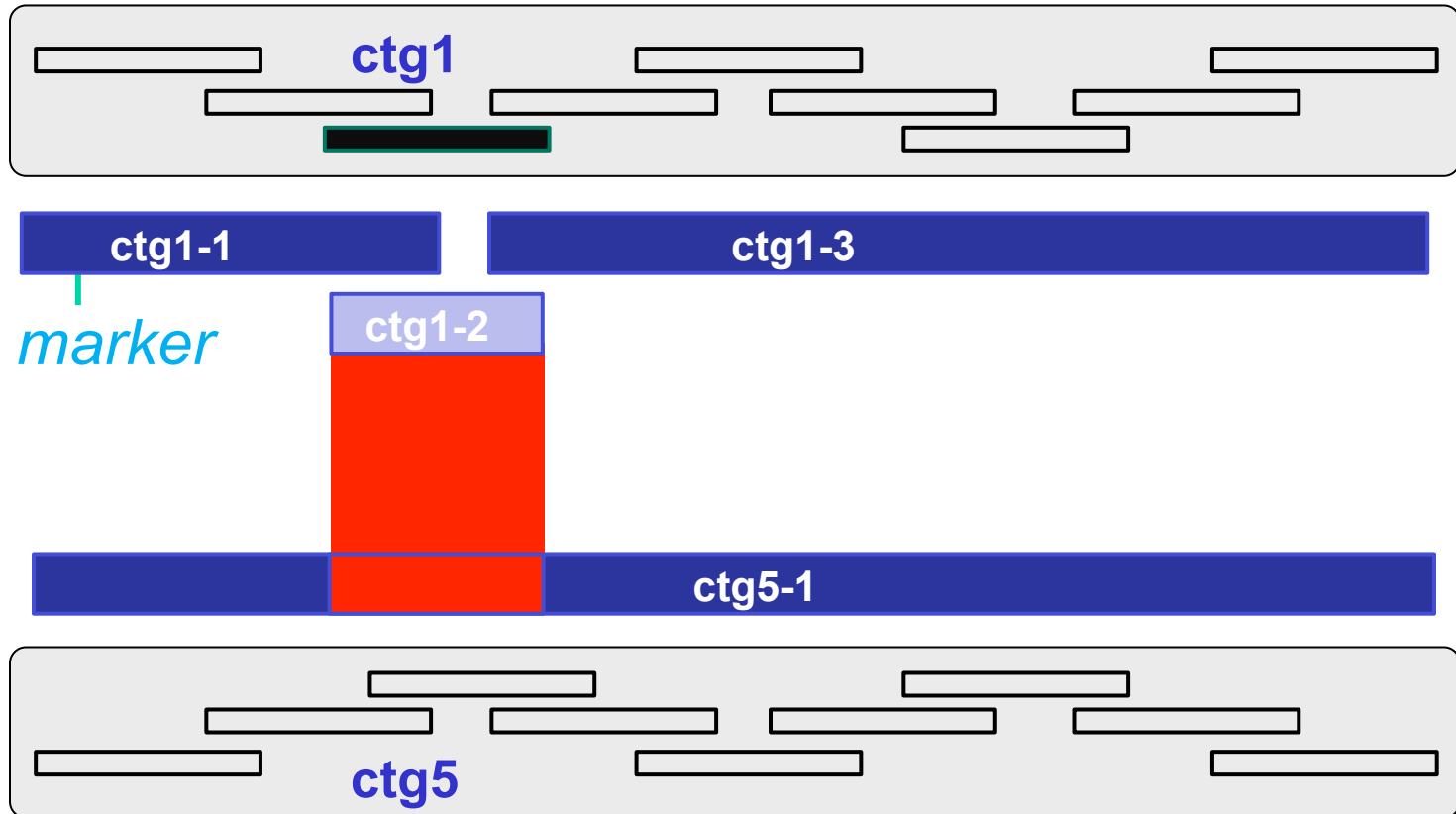
- Unexpected redundancy



➤ `scaffAssembler.pl`

❑ Redundancy

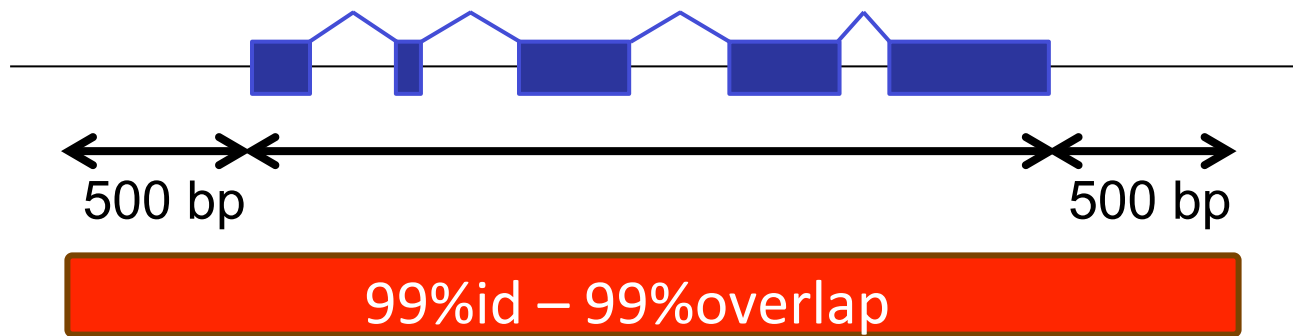
- Misassembled BACs / contaminations



➔ Produce wrong associations betw contigs

❑ Redundancy

- Estimate redundancy with annotated genes



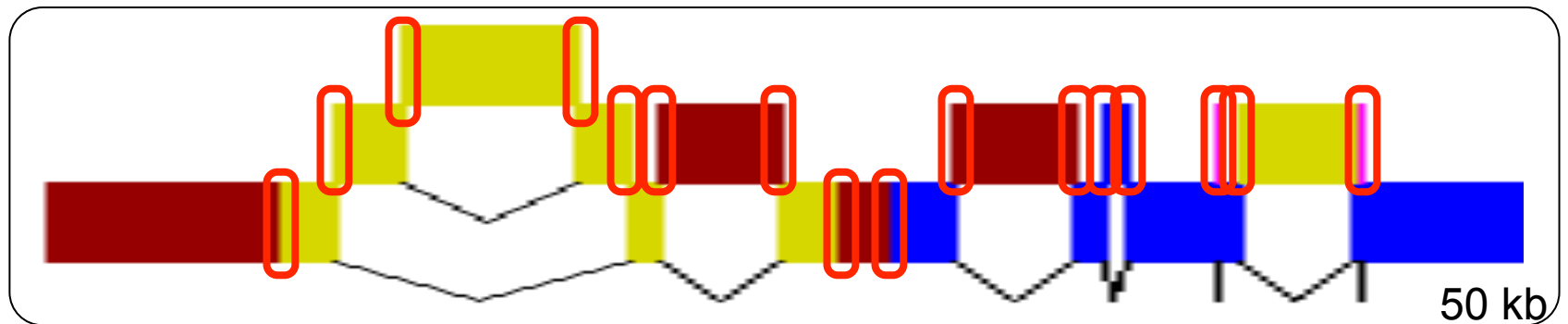
17% redundant gene copies (unexpected)

❑ Redundancy

○ Unexpected redundancy

➤ Problem: "all by all" alignment (1 Gb vs 1 Gb)

- ~~Solution1: Mask TEs?~~
- Solution2: Compare TE junctions=ISBPs



➔ Search for shared ISBPs between scaffolds

		#scaff	Mb	N50
v2.1	Raw assemblies	16136	1040	275 kb
v4.0	Finishing + gapCloser	5109	993	463 kb
v4.1.2	Assigning scaff ⇔ ctg	–	–	–
v4.2.2	Merging expected overlap	4747	981	495 kb
v4.4.3	Merging all vs all	2808	833	892 kb

v4.4.3

redundancy

6%

- Misassemblies
- Duplicated regions

➔ work on a set of **non-redundant genes**

❑ Ordering scaffolds

➤ How many scaffolds with genes?

with genes → 675 Mb (81%)

wo genes → 158 Mb (19%)

➤ SNP discovery (Agilent-*SureSelect*®)



39,077 SNPs

❑ Ordering scaffolds

➤ Genetic mapping (*P. Sourdille INRA-GDEC*)

Pseudomolecule

- Cs-Re map
(**1891** SNPs)

804 sc 599 Mb 72%

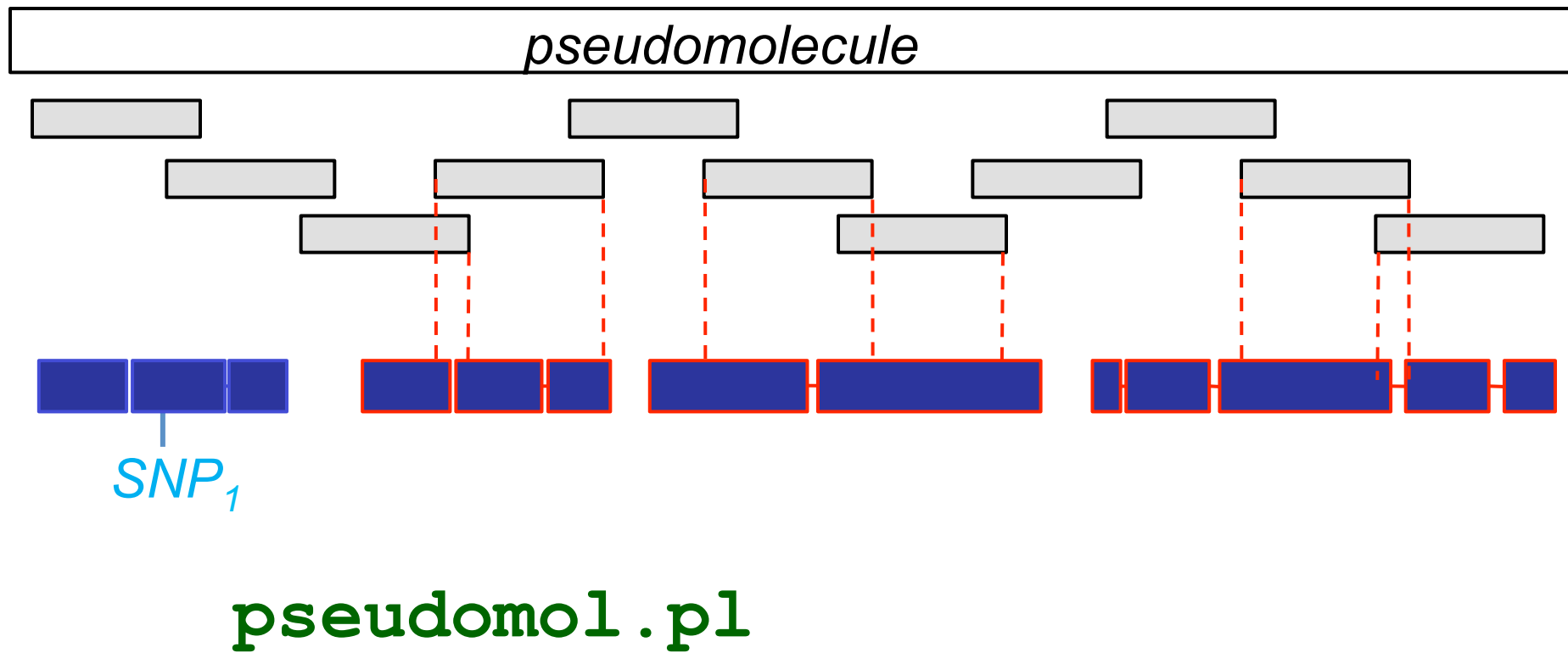


- Neighbor map
(**3865** markers)

964 sc 679 Mb 82%



- Use phys. map
info to infer scaff
position



❑ Ordering scaffolds

➤ Genetic mapping

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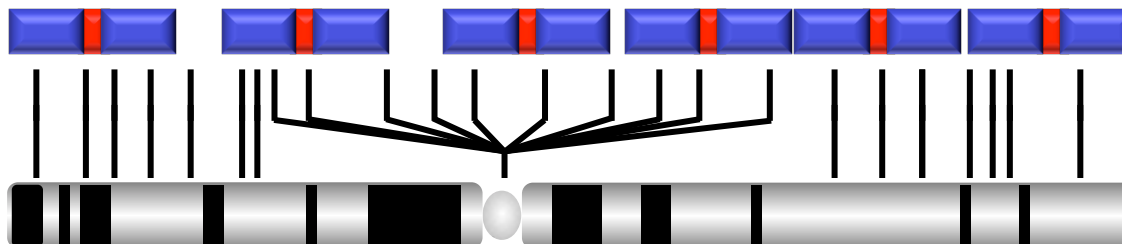
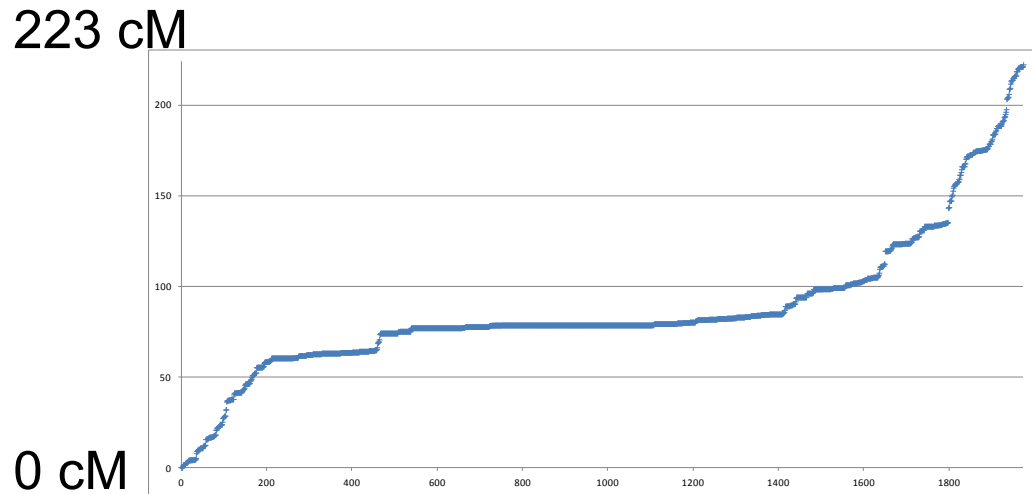
964 sc 679 Mb 82%

○ Use phys. map
info to infer scaff
position

1295 sc 760 Mb 91%

□ Ordering scaffolds

➤ Genetic mapping



1295 scaff
366 bins

❑ Ordering scaffolds

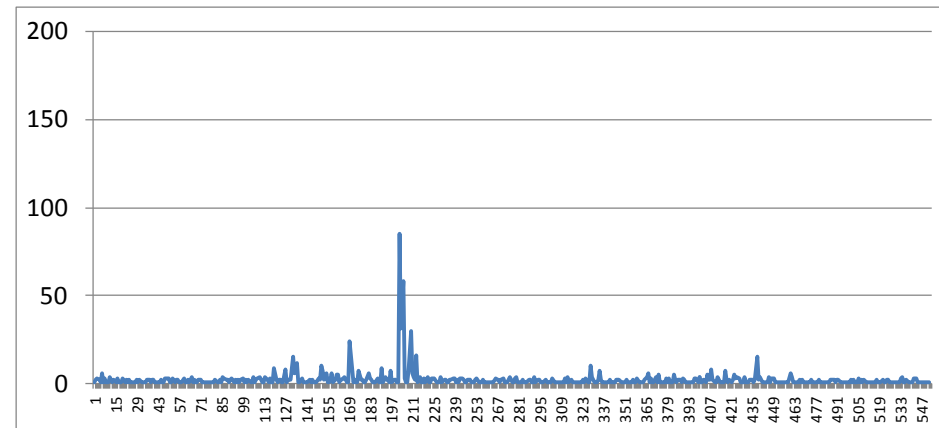
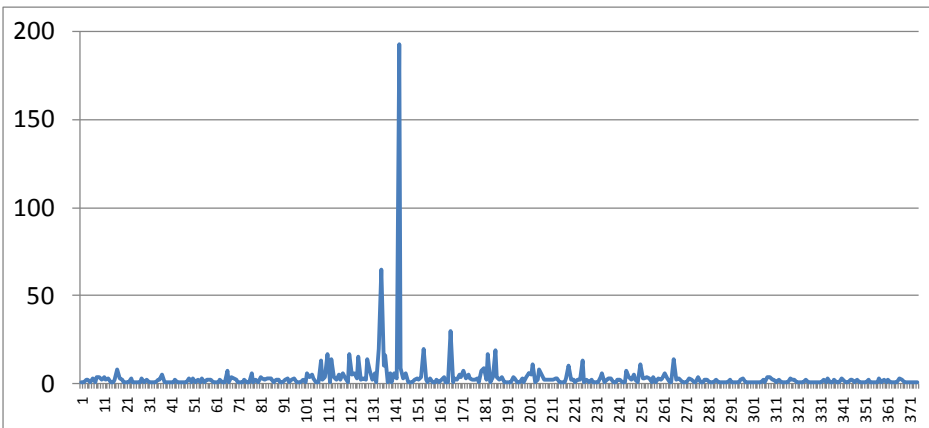
➤ LD mapping (*F. Balfourier - INRA-GDEC*)

1295 scaff
366 genetic bins



1295 scaff
554 genetic+LD bins

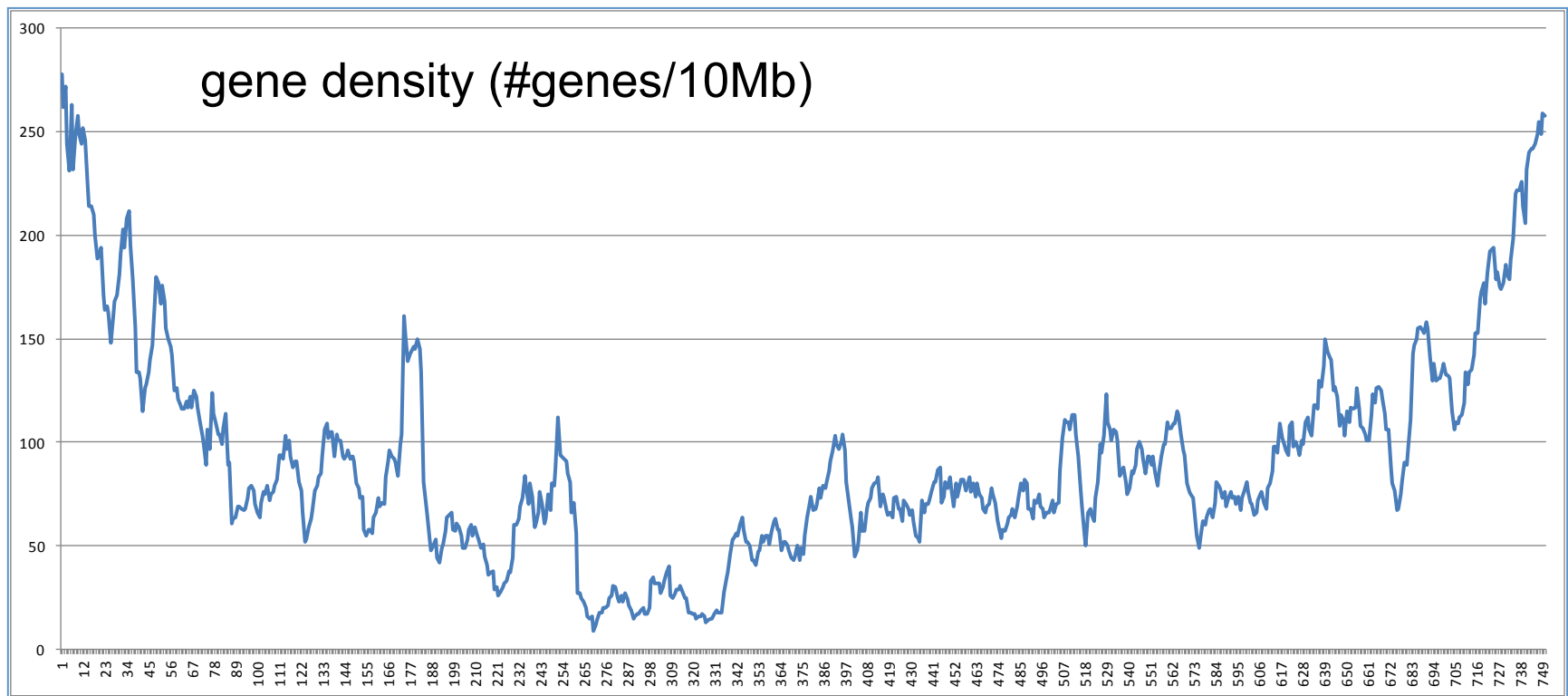
#scaff per bin



❑ 3B pseudomolecule

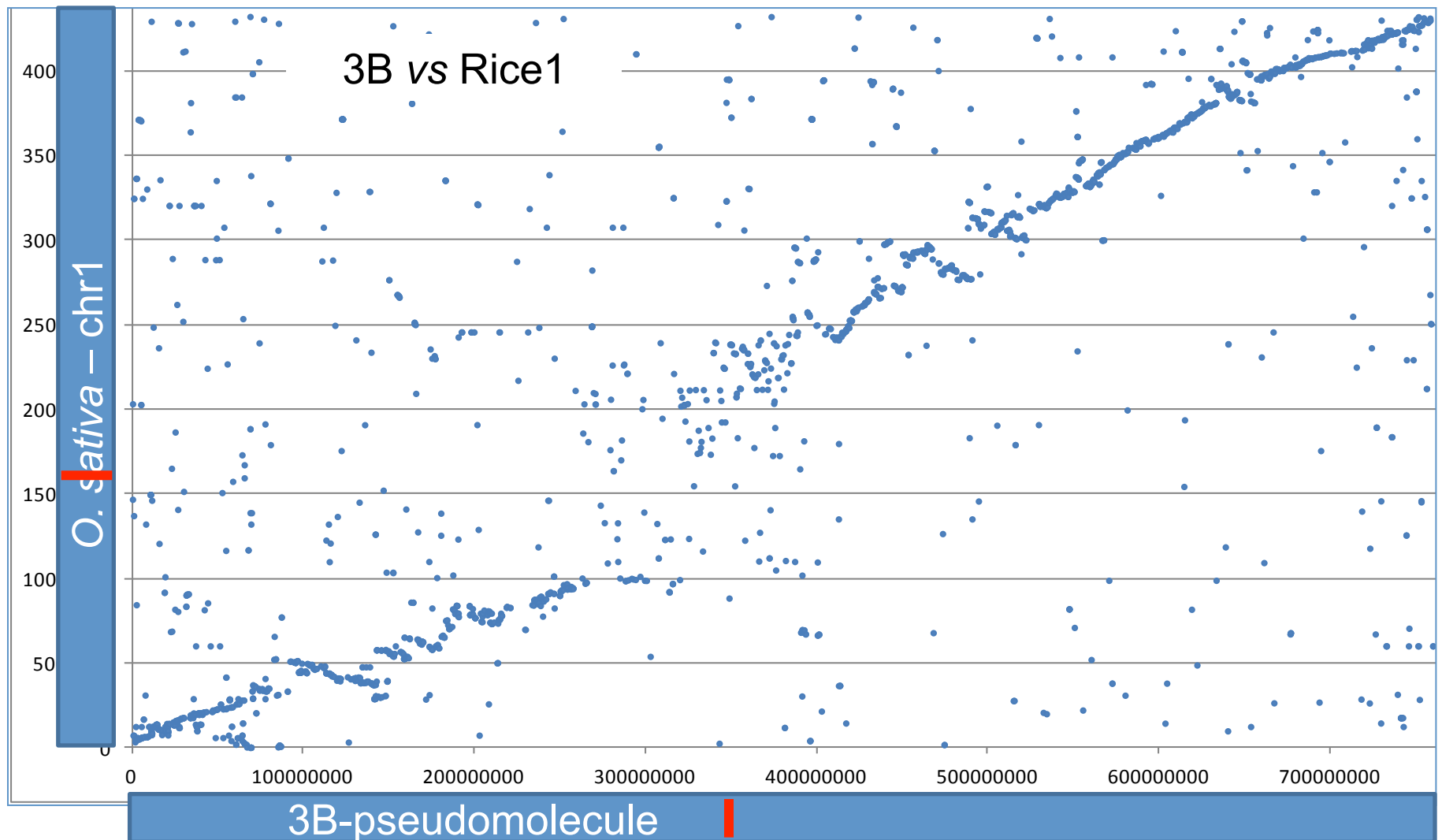
➤ TriAnnot pipeline

7703 prot-coding genes



3B-pseudomolecule

3B pseudomolecule



❑ Ongoing studies

- Gene space
 - Comparative genomics (duplicated genes!)
 - TE
 - Gene expression
 - Structural variations
 - Recombination studies
- + 15 map-based cloning projects on 3B (collab.)



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