Meta Mito-Genomics (MMG): the Next Generation Biodiversity Monitoring Technology



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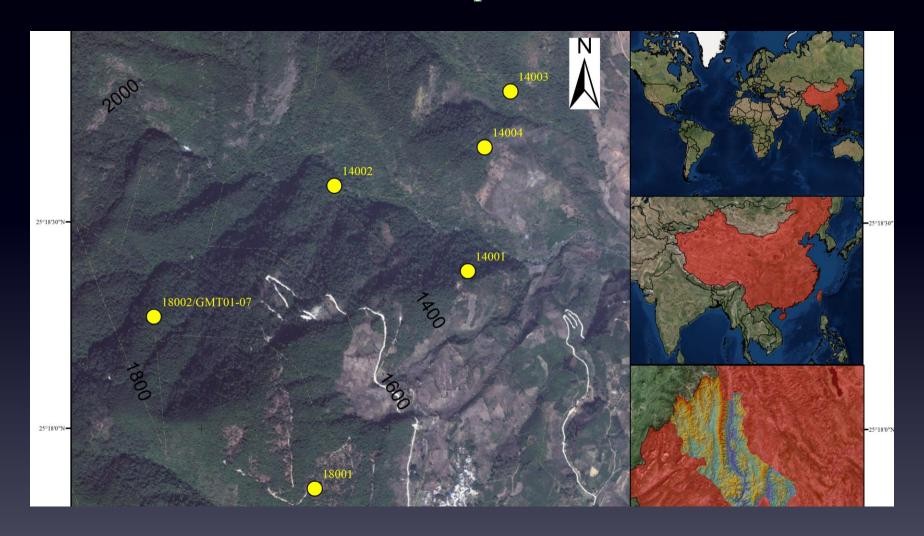
Outline

	Past/now	Now/future	The next generation
Field work	Manually Collection	Malaise Traps	Malaise Traps still.
Lab	Soring and Taxidermy	Meta-barcoding	MMG
Data analysi s	Counting and Comparing	Alignment and Data mining against GenBank/BOLD	Mitogenome assembly, Data analysis against BOLD/Dictionary, and Counting

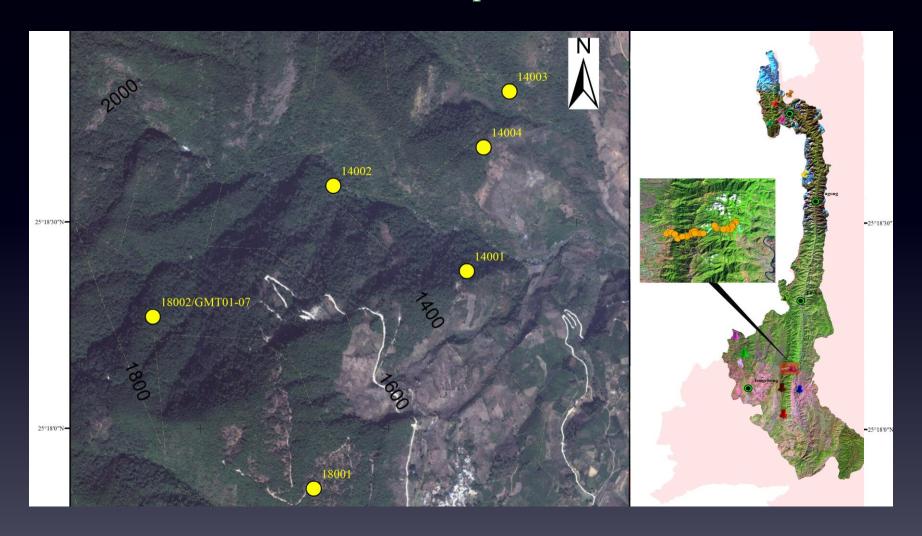
Collection using Malaise Traps

	Features	Advantage	Extra Benefits
1	Automatics	Better statistics power, Less labor cost	Education (Primary School) and Citizen Interaction.
2	Continuous	Time series	
3	Easily set up	Better way to collect unique and rare spp. Better way to set up in Spatial series (like altitude, Vegetation types).	Local community maintain and expand sites.

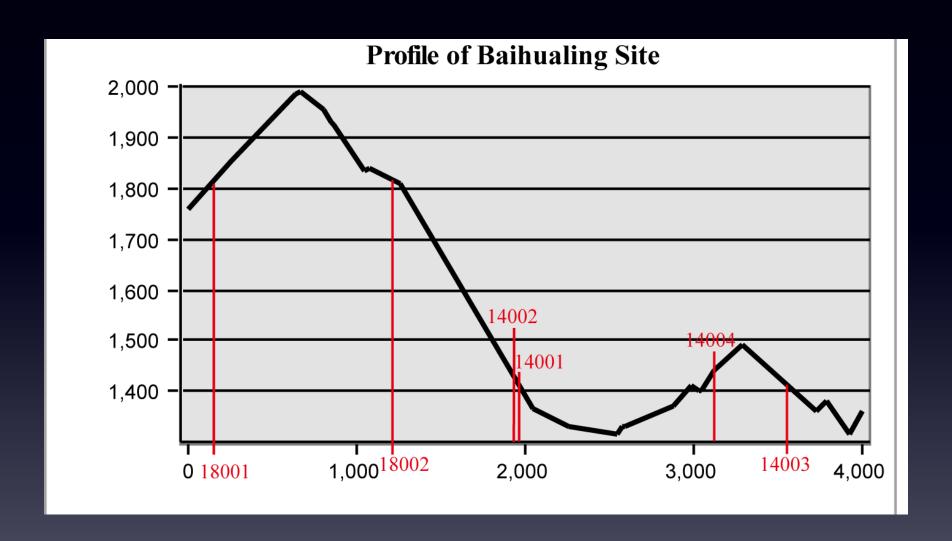
The Baihualing Site in Gaoligong Mt. (Top)



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The Baihualing Site in Gaoligong Mt. (Cutout)



The Baihualing Site in Gaoligong Mt. (Traps)







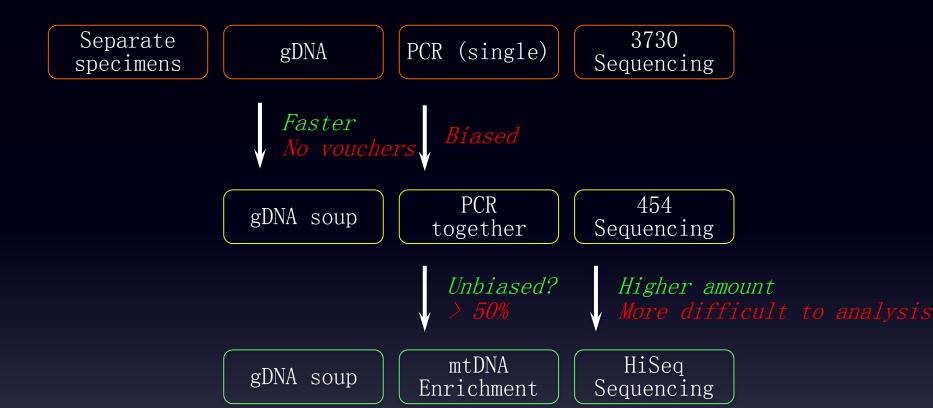
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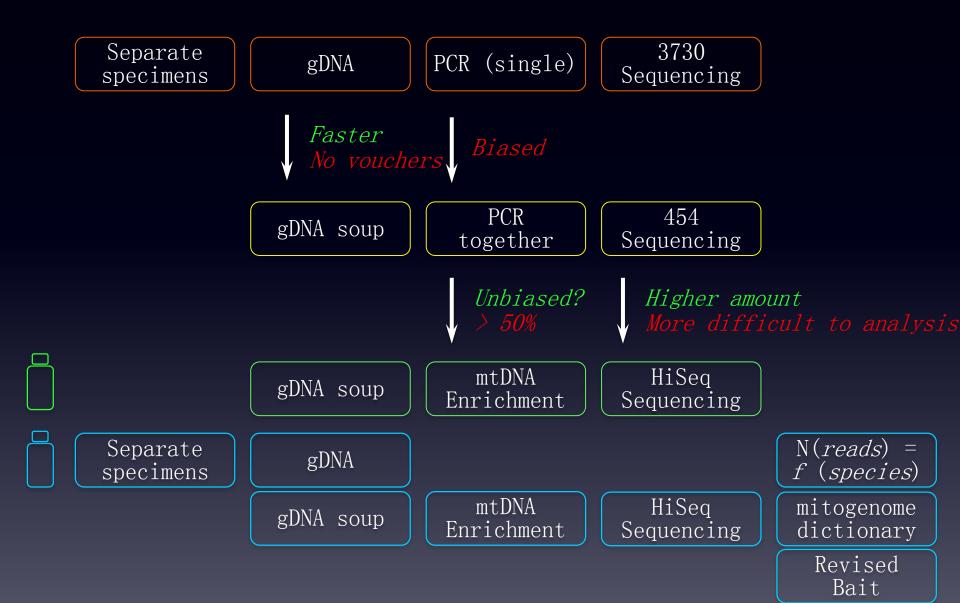
"Bottle Mountain Bottle Sea" - So many specimens!

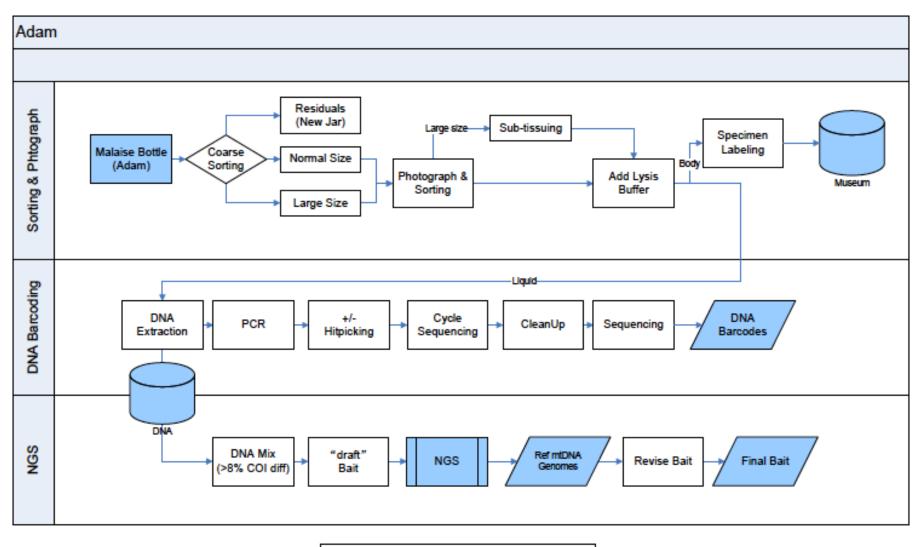


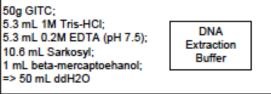
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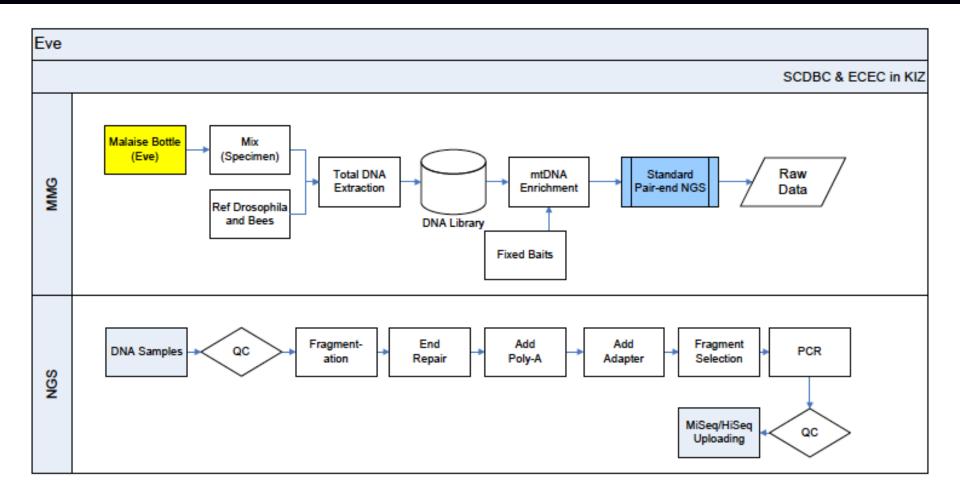


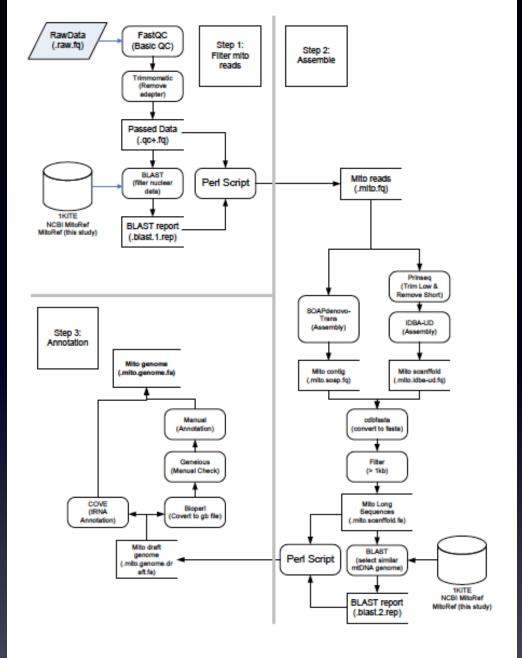
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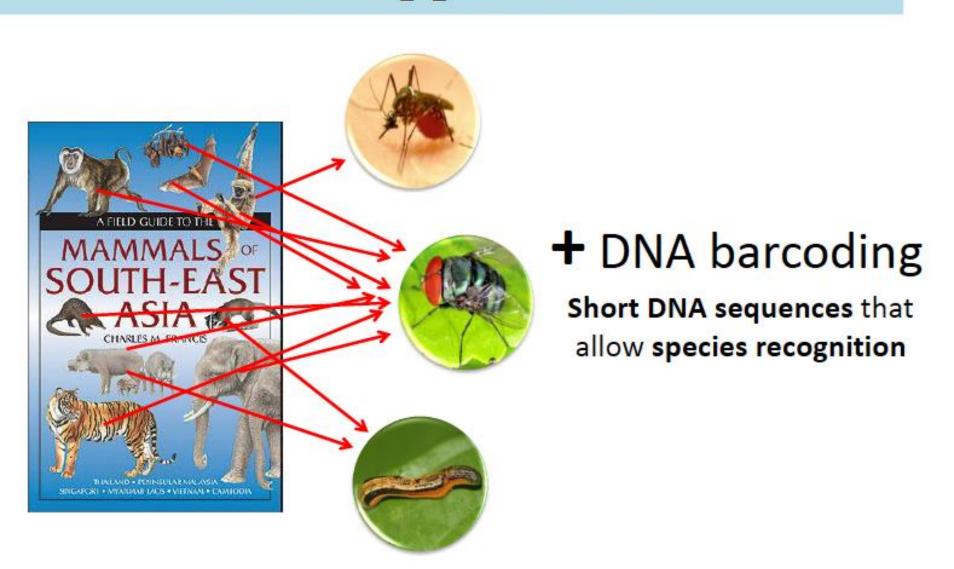
$N(\text{reads}) = n(\text{sp}) \cdot bodysize(\text{sp}) \cdot \delta(*)$

- 1. The body size of the species is a NORMAL distribution with average body size and variation.
- 2. gDNA is the DIRECT RATIO of the body size.
- 3. Non-PCR MMG with the (near-)unbiased bait mtDNA enrichment solution make mtDNA is a constant ratio of the gDNA.
- 4. apart from the sequencing bias, the total number of reads which could be mapping to one species can be the estimation of the number of this species (biomass).
- 5. Inner species marker controls the

Conclusion

- Malaise trap is a SAMPLE of the biodiversity of the site of that given time range (population).
- MMG provides a solution to monitoring the biodiversity (species number, biomass, genetic variations w/ the species) at a certain space-time point.

New approaches



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