

SUPPORTING INFORMATION S2

Text: Estimation of Global Moran's I statistic and Local $G_i^*(d)$ statistic

- Global Moran's I statistic

The global spatial autocorrelation statistical method was used to measure the correlation among neighboring sites, to find the patterns and the levels of spatial clustering. The Moran's I statistic is calculated by the following formula:

$$I = \frac{N}{S_O} \sum_i \sum_j w_{ij} \frac{(x_i - u)(x_j - u)}{\sum_i (x_i - u)^2}, \quad (1)$$

where N is the number of sites; w_{ij} is the element in the spatial weight matrix corresponding to the observation pair i, j ; and x_i and x_j are observations for areas i and j with mean u and

$$S_O = \sum_i \sum_j w_{ij} \quad (2)$$

The first step in the spatial autocorrelation analysis is to construct a spatial weight matrix that contains information about the neighborhood structure for each site. Adjacency is defined as immediately neighboring sites, inclusive of the site itself. Non-neighboring sites are given a weight of zero.

- Local $G_i^*(d)$ statistic

The local $G_i^*(d)$ statistic (local G-statistic) is used to test the statistical significance of local clusters of M/S hybrids frequencies, and to determine the spatial extent of these clusters. The local G-statistic is useful for identifying individual members of local clusters by determining the spatial dependence and relative magnitude between a site and neighboring sites. The local G-statistic can be written as follows:

$$G_i^*(d) = \frac{\sum_j w_{ij}(d)x_j - W_i \bar{x}}{s \sqrt{\frac{(nS_{1i} - W_i^2)}{(n-1)}}}, \text{ for all } j \quad (3)$$

where x is a measure of the M/S hybrids frequencies within a given polygon (i.e., each site); w_{ij} is a spatial weight that defines neighboring sites j to i ; W_i is the sum of the weights w_{ij} ,

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_j x_j \quad S_{1i} = \sum_j w_{ij}^2, \quad s^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_j x_j^2 - \bar{x}^2.$$

Developing the spatial weights w_{ij} is the first step to calculating $G_i^*(d)$. The spatial weight matrix includes $w_{ij} = 1$. Non-neighboring sites are given a weight of zero.

The local G-statistic includes the value in the calculation at i . Assuming that $G_i^*(d)$ is approximately normally distributed, the output of $G_i^*(d)$ can be calculated as a standard normal variant with an associated probability from the z-score distribution. Statistically significant (at a level of 0.05) clusters of sites with high M/S frequencies were identified with Z scores >1.96 . Clustered sites with low M/S frequencies were identified with Z scores <-1.96 .

Sites	Z scores
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Neteboulou	0,02680303
Tourema	0,02680303
Gouloumbou	1,22336807
Afia	2,21740575
Temento Malede	1,41206487
Sare Sidy	1,24698827
Sankagne	1,75113205
Dialiko	-1,0364073
Nguene	-1,0364073
Koar	-1,9423252
Saal	-1,1861733
Tamba Soce	2,02274922
Djounkore Mafing	2,02274922
Madina Dian	0,0143648
Missirah	0,0143648
Barkeyel	-1,3829601
Gourel Ndiapalde	-1,7608864
Bira	-1,3829601
Badi	-1,1169364
Wassadou	-1,0869621

Table: Z scores for each of the 20 sites

(Z score>0 indicates a clustering trend of high MS hybrids frequencies and Z score<0 indicates a clustering trend of low MS hybrids frequencies.

References

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