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Software and code

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Data collection	<input type="text" value="No software was used"/>
Data analysis	Albacore Sequencing Pipeline Software (v.2.2); NanoPlot (v.1.19); Canu (v.1.7); FinisherSC (v.2.1); SMRT Link v.5.0.1; Racon (v.1.0); Nanopolish (v.0.10.1); Pilon (v.1.22); GATK (v.4.0); bcftools stats (v.1.9); purge_haplotigs (v.1.0.1); MUMmer (v.4.0); RaGOO (v.1.02); minimap2 (v.2.9); MUMmer4 (v.4.0); BUSCO (v.3.0.2); MAFFT v.7.4; REPET package (v.2.5); PASTEC (v2.0); BLAT (v.35); RepeatMasker (v.3 and v.4); MUSCLE (v.3.5); Geneious (v.10.0.2); TEMP (v.1.05); TIDAL (v.1.0); BEDtools (v.2.18); minimap2 (v.2.9); UpSetR (v.1.3); VennDiagram (v.1.6); fastp package (v.0.20); salmon package (v.1.0.0); DESeq2 (v.1.28.1); QTLTools package (v.1.2); selscan (v.1.2.0a); GATK (v.4.0); SHAPEIT4 (v.4.1); DAVID (v.6.8) . https://github.com/gabyrech/deNovoTESDmel ; https://github.com/sradiouy/deNovoTESDmel

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- Accession codes, unique identifiers, or web links for publicly available datasets
- A description of any restrictions on data availability
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All the databases/datasets used in the study along with appropriately accessible links/accession codes are included in the manuscript under the "data availability" section as well as in this reporting summary. For example: all scaffolded assemblies and the raw data (long and short read sequencing) have been deposited in NCBI

under the BioProject accession PRJNA559813. The VCF file containing SNP callings for 46 *D. melanogaster* genomes used for testing positive selection evidences is available at <http://dx.doi.org/10.20350/digitalCSIC/13708>. Fasta sequences for the *D. melanogaster* Manually Curated Transposable Elements (MCTE) library are available at <http://dx.doi.org/10.20350/digitalCSIC/13765>. The new consensus sequences were deposited in Dfam (Storer et al 2021). Recombination rates according to Fiston-Lavier et al. (2010) and Comeron et al. (2012) for *D. melanogaster* genome release 6 are available at <http://dx.doi.org/10.20350/digitalCSIC/13766>. BED files containing Transposable Element (TE) annotations for 47 *Drosophila melanogaster* genomes are available at: <http://dx.doi.org/10.20350/digitalCSIC/13894>.

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Life sciences study design

All studies must disclose on these points even when the disclosure is negative.

Sample size	32 genomes that represent European climates and one North American population were sequenced in this work. These genomes were chosen to represent the diversity of climatic regions present in Europe.
Data exclusions	No data were excluded from the analysis
Replication	No replication of the sequencing genomes was performed. This is the standard in the field.
Randomization	No experimental groups
Blinding	No group allocation

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Methods

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Animals and other organisms

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Laboratory animals	<i>Drosophila melanogaster</i> natural strains from Europe and North America
Wild animals	5-10 day old <i>Drosophila melanogaster</i> female flies
Field-collected samples	Female flies were collected in the field and inbred lines were established in the lab
Ethics oversight	No ethical approval was needed

Note that full information on the approval of the study protocol must also be provided in the manuscript.