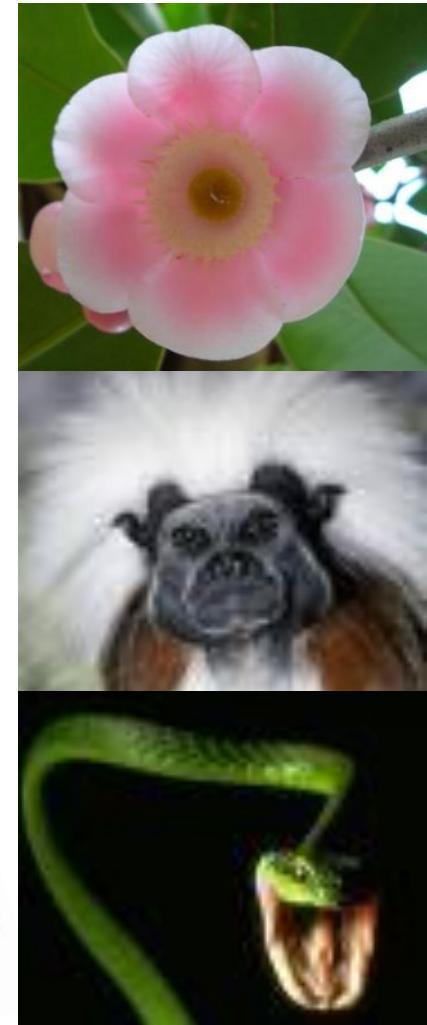
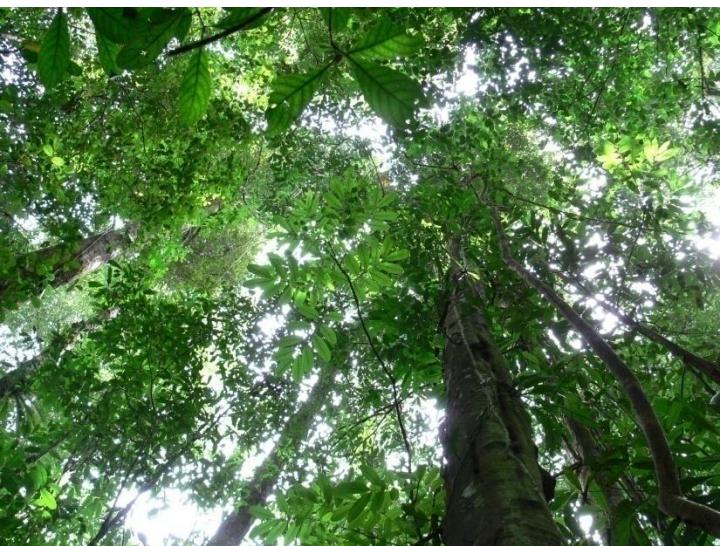




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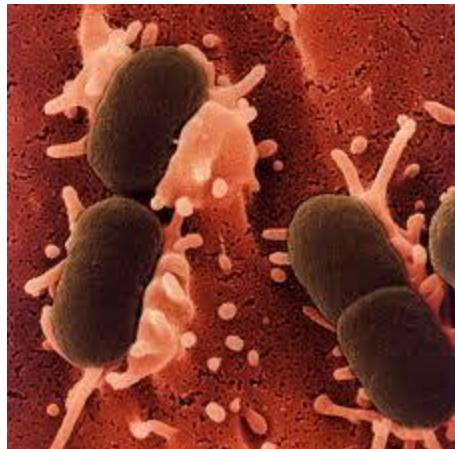
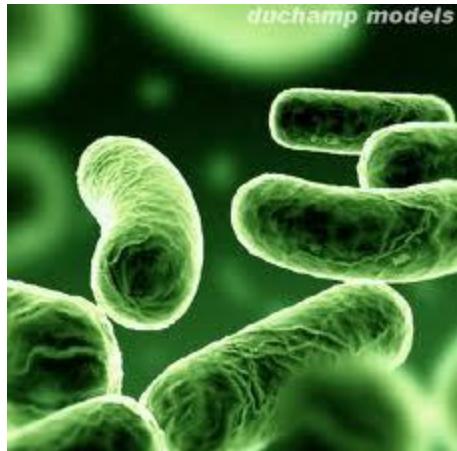


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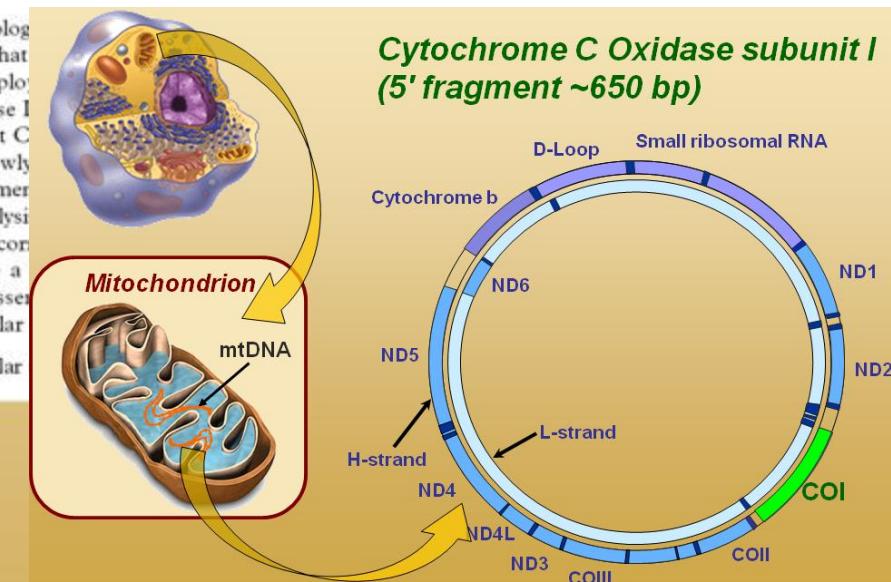
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# Códigos de barras de ADN: Definición

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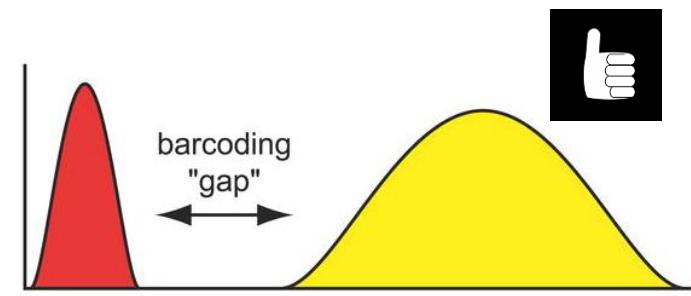
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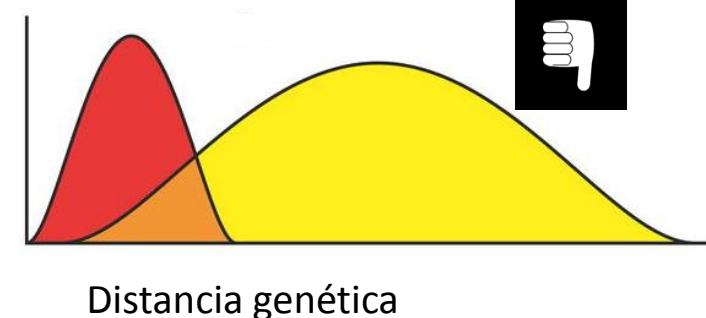
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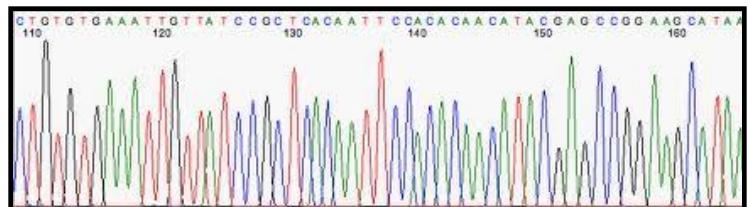
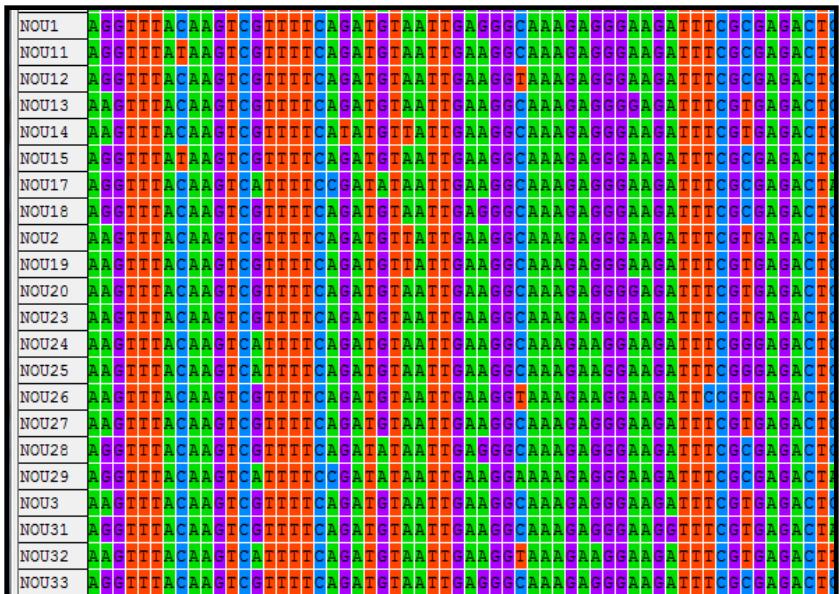
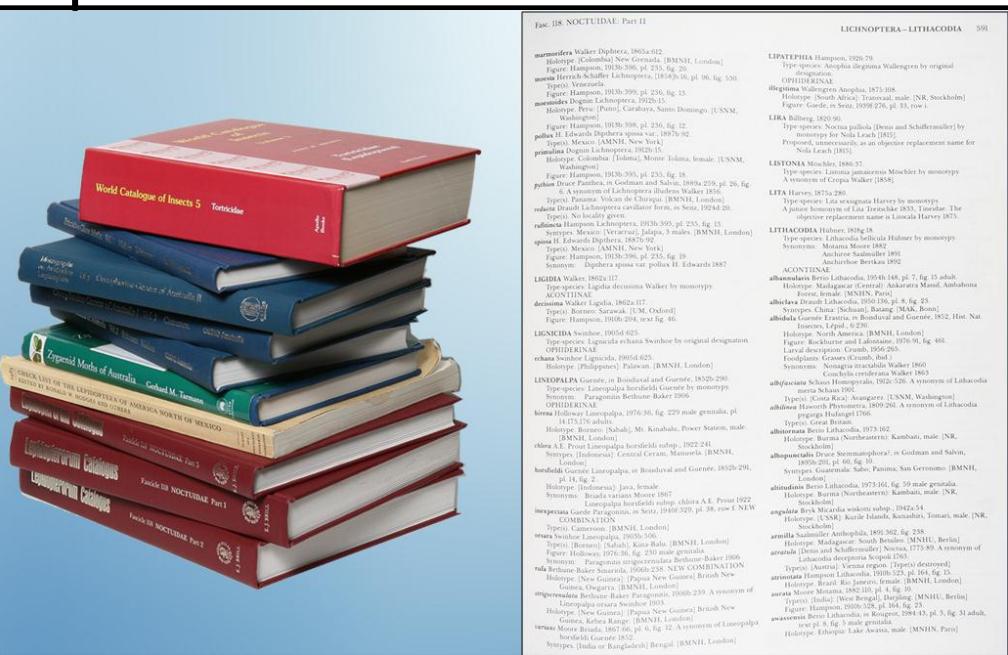


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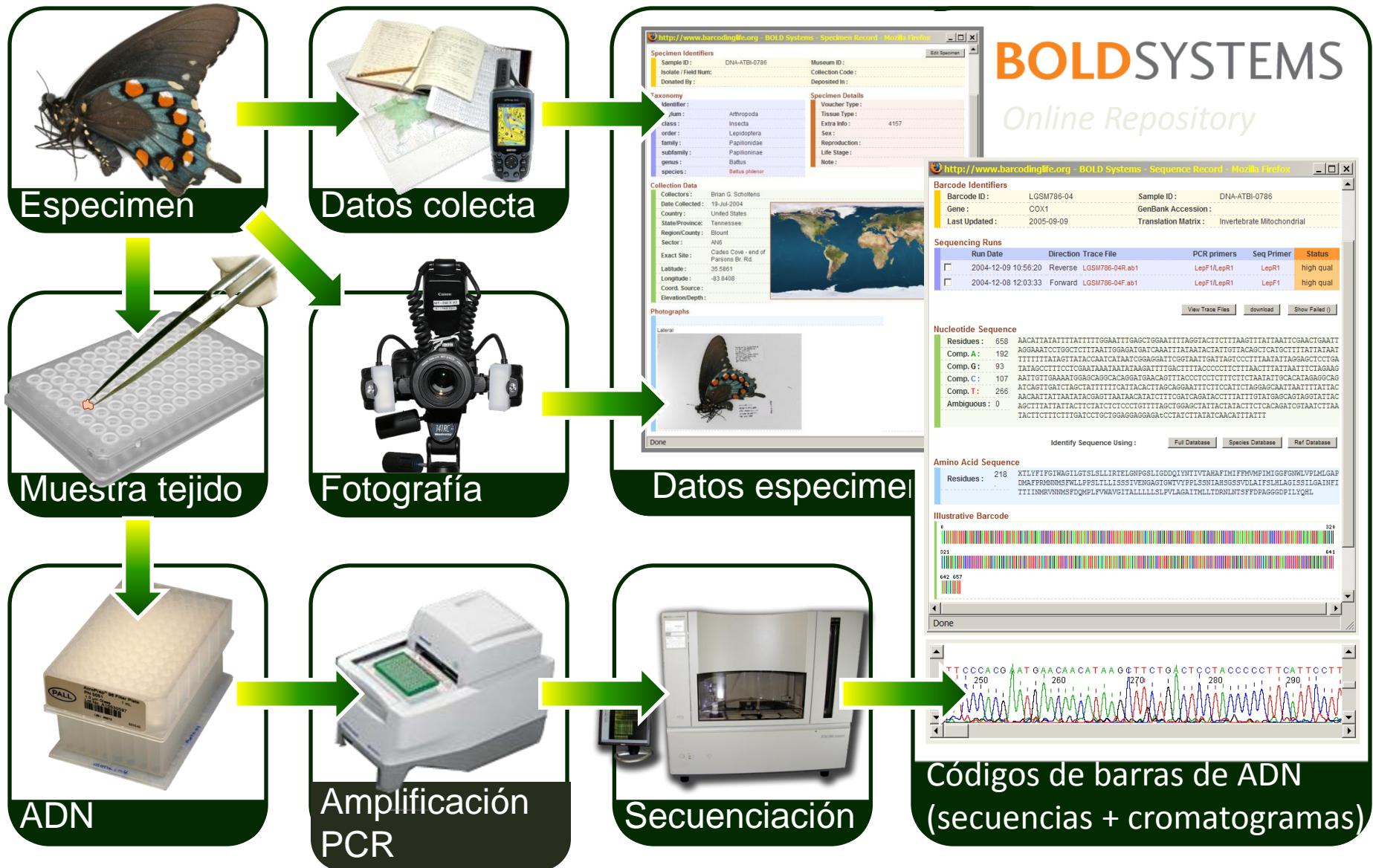
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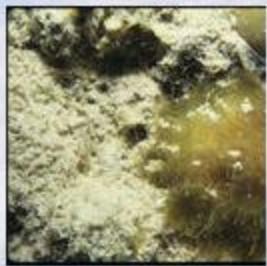
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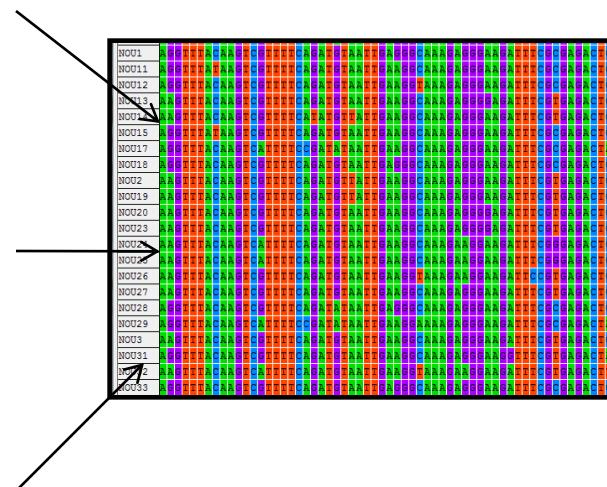
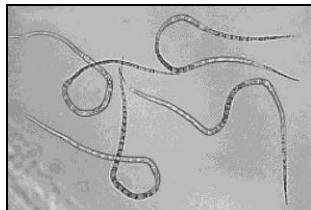
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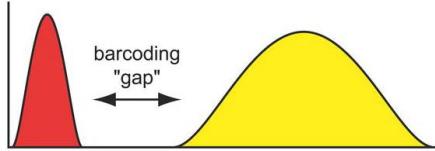
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Divergencia del 2% para diferenciar entre las especies



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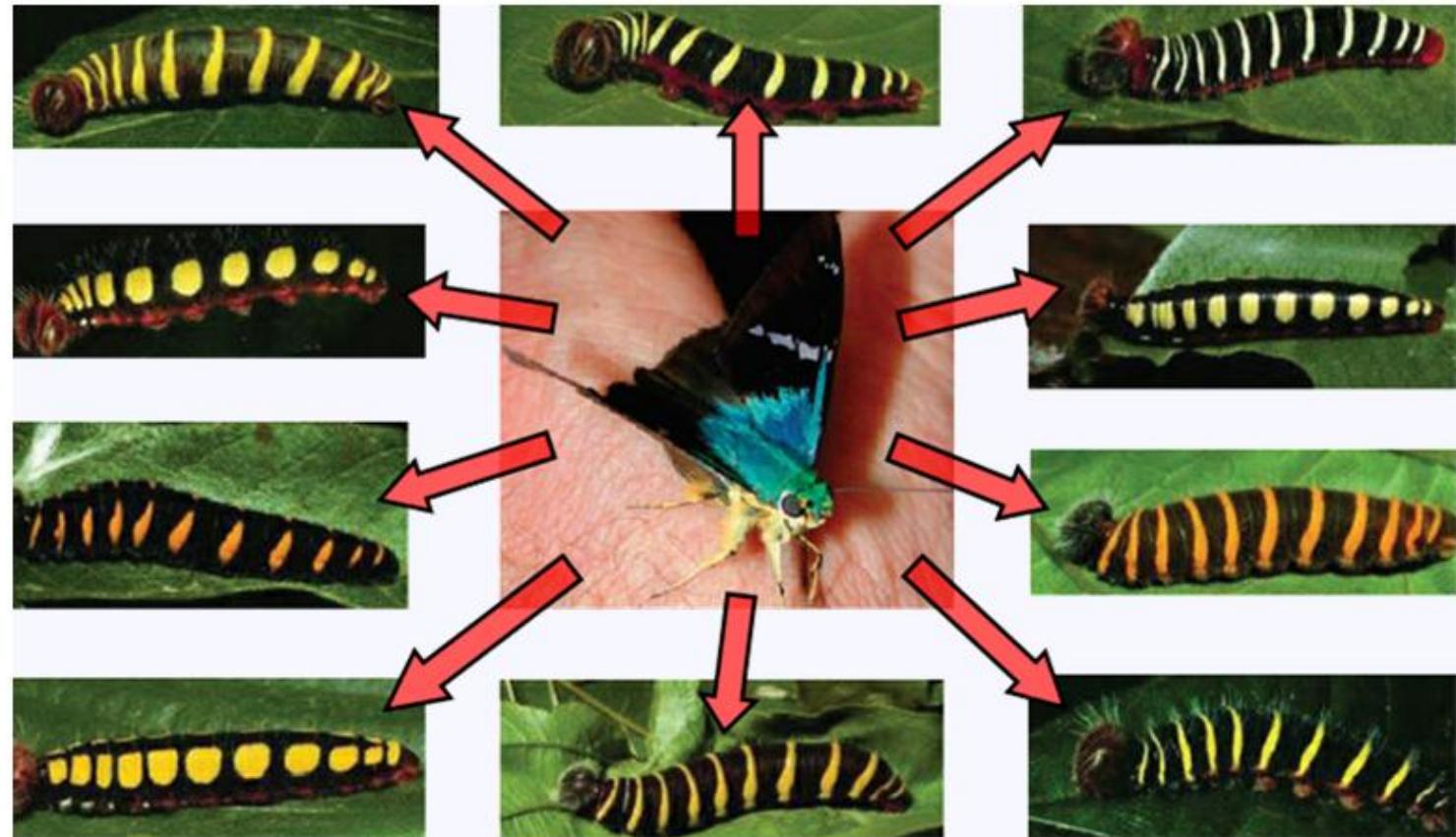
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# Ten species in one: DNA barcoding reveals cryptic species in the neotropical skipper butterfly *Astraptes fulgerator*

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## Identification of poisonous plants by DNA barcoding approach

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**Abstract** The plant exposures are one of the most frequent poisonings reported to poison control centres. The diagnosis of intoxicated patients is usually based on the morphological analysis of ingested plant portions; this procedure requires experience in systematic botany, because the plant identification is based on few evident traits. The objective of this research is to test DNA barcoding approach as a new universal tool to identify toxic plants univocally and rapidly. Five DNA barcode regions were evaluated: three cpDNA sequences (trnH-psbA, rpoB and matK) and two nuclear regions (At103 and sqd1). The performance of these markers was evaluated in three plant groups: (1) a large collection of angiosperms containing different toxic substances, (2) congeneric species showing different degrees of toxicity and (3) congeneric edible and poisonous plants. Based on assessments of PCR, sequence quality and resolution power in species discrimination, we recommend the combination of plastidial and nuclear markers to identify toxic plants. Concerning plastidial markers, matK and tmH-

agreement with CBOL Plant Working Group matK as the best marker, because tmH-psbA problems in sequences sizes and alignments. A relevant observation, we also propose the use of matK with a nuclear marker such as At103 to discriminate hybrids from parental species. In conclusion, our claim that DNA barcoding is a powerful tool for plant identifications.

**Keywords** DNA barcoding · Poisonous plant · tmH-psbA · rpoB · At103 · sqd1

### Introduction

The human diet includes a lot of domesticated (for instance *Hordeum vulgare* L., *Zea mays* L., etc.) derived from an evolutionary people-plants interactions, leading to plants yielding easier cultivation and detoxification



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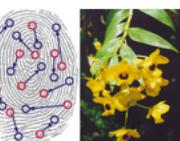
Medicinal materials from natural sources have been used for centuries in China and other countries. They have been recognized as particularly suitable for treating modern diseases such as cardiovascular diseases, asthma and other long-term illnesses. Substitutes and adulterants are often introduced intentionally or accidentally, thus seriously interfering with their therapeutic effects, even leading to life-threatening poisoning. In 1989, two people in Hong Kong suffered serious neuropathy and encephalopathy after consuming a broth made with the roots of *Podophyllum hexandrum*, a toxic herb mistaken as *Gentiana rigescens*. In 2001, 63 people in the Netherlands reported symptoms of general malaise, nausea and vomiting following consumption of an herbal tea, with Japanese star anise (*Illicium anisatum*) mixed in the product. Aristolochic acid nephropathy has also been reported in Hong Kong, Korea and Belgium due to the erroneous substitution with herbs containing aristolochic acids. From March 2004 to May 2006, it was reported 10 cases of aconite poisoning in Hong Kong were reported. In four of them, the aconite herb was not listed in the written prescription. In 2008, a woman in Singapore suffered from antimuscarinic poisoning consuming a brew made with *Datura metel*, which is a toxic herb mistaken as *Rhododendron molle*.

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• Sequences: 31468  
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### DNA barcoding of medicinal materials

Medicinal materials are traditionally identified by their organoleptic characteristics and other physical properties. However, the differences among related species are sometimes too minute. Chemical analyses may be affected by the physiological and the storage conditions. With the advancement of molecular biology, DNA barcoding has now become a popular means for identification and authentication of plant and animal species. We have established this DNA barcode database for users to retrieve and analyze DNA sequences of medicinal materials. This website includes DNA sequences and information and key references of the medicinal materials recorded in the Pharmacopoeia of the People's Republic of China, American Herbal Pharmacopoeia and other related references. Relevant information of common adulterants and substitutes are also listed. This database provides a web-based platform for storage.



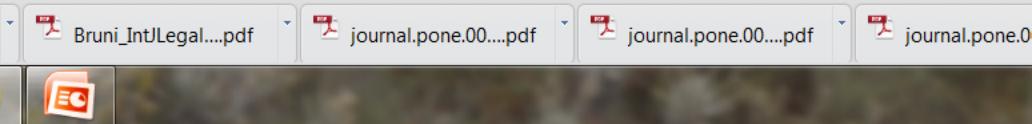
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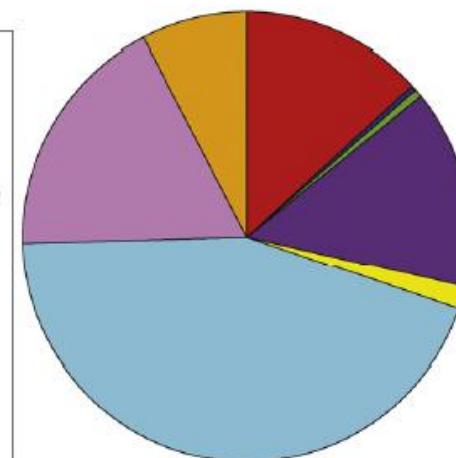
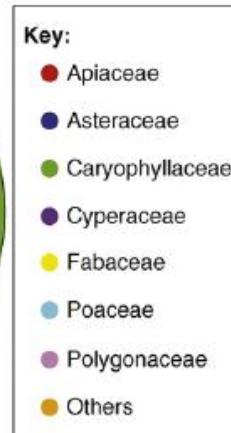
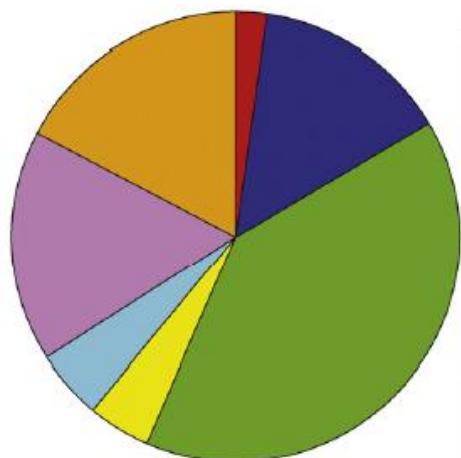
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# Neotropical Bats: Estimating Species Diversity with DNA Barcodes

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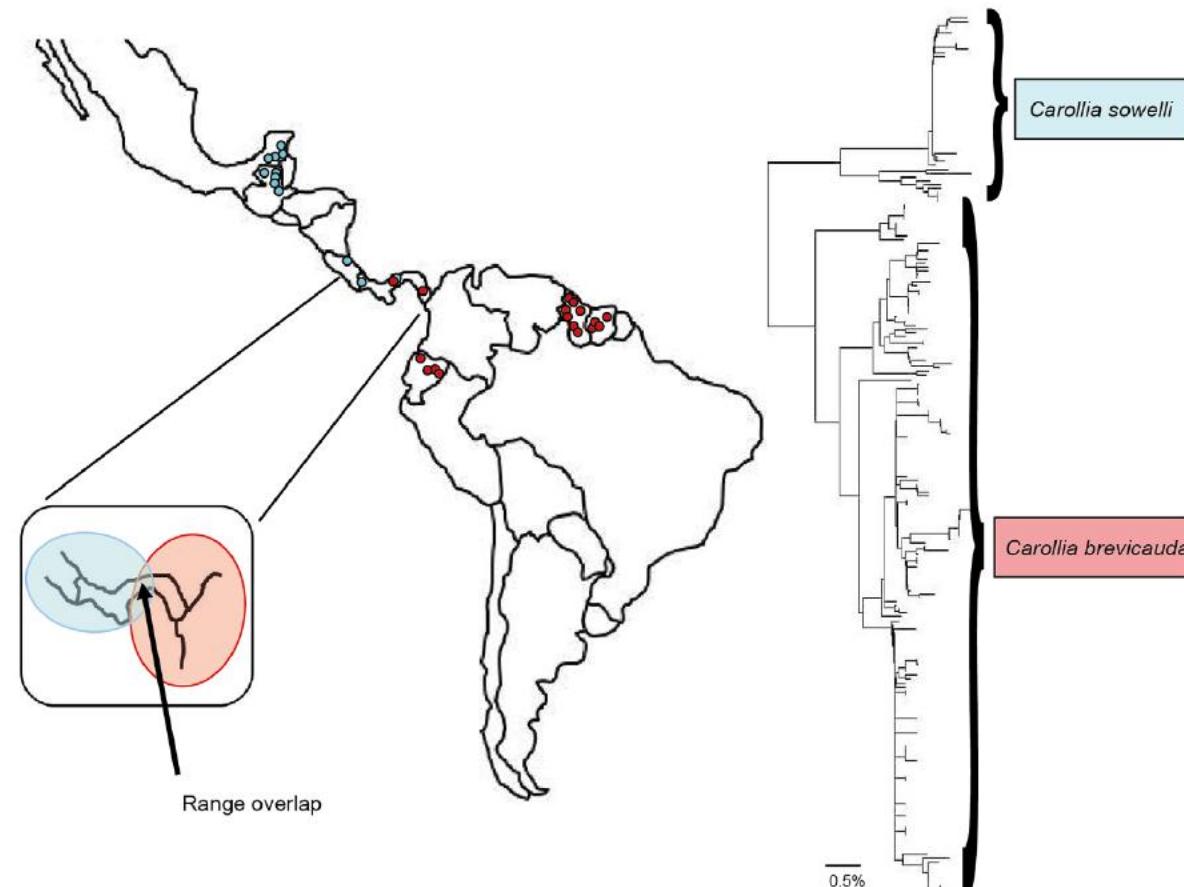
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## Abstract

DNA barcoding using the cytochrome c oxidase subunit 1 gene (COI) is frequently employed as an efficient method of species identification in animal life and may also be used to estimate species richness particularly in understudied faunas. Despite numerous past demonstrations of the efficiency of COI barcoding methodologies on a large geographic scale, particularly in birds, there has been little work on bats. We estimated species diversity and potential species diversity using DNA barcodes with a large dataset of COI sequences from Neotropical bats (order Chiroptera). This represents one of the largest datasets to date for land vertebrates. Our analysis shows that COI barcodes can distinguish geographic distances and across extraordinarily diverse lineages. The Neotropical bat dataset contained 11 distinct sets of COI haplotypes making them easily recognizable by barcode. Intraspecific diversity in the region was high (mean = 11.79%) with respect to birds, though comparable to other mammals. Two new intraspecific lineages were identified which may suggest that COI divergence was not a good predictor of their taxonomic status. Our analysis provides strong support for the continued investigation using complementary molecular techniques of the diversity of bats.

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# Barcode Nemo: DNA-Based Identifications for the Ornamental Fish Trade

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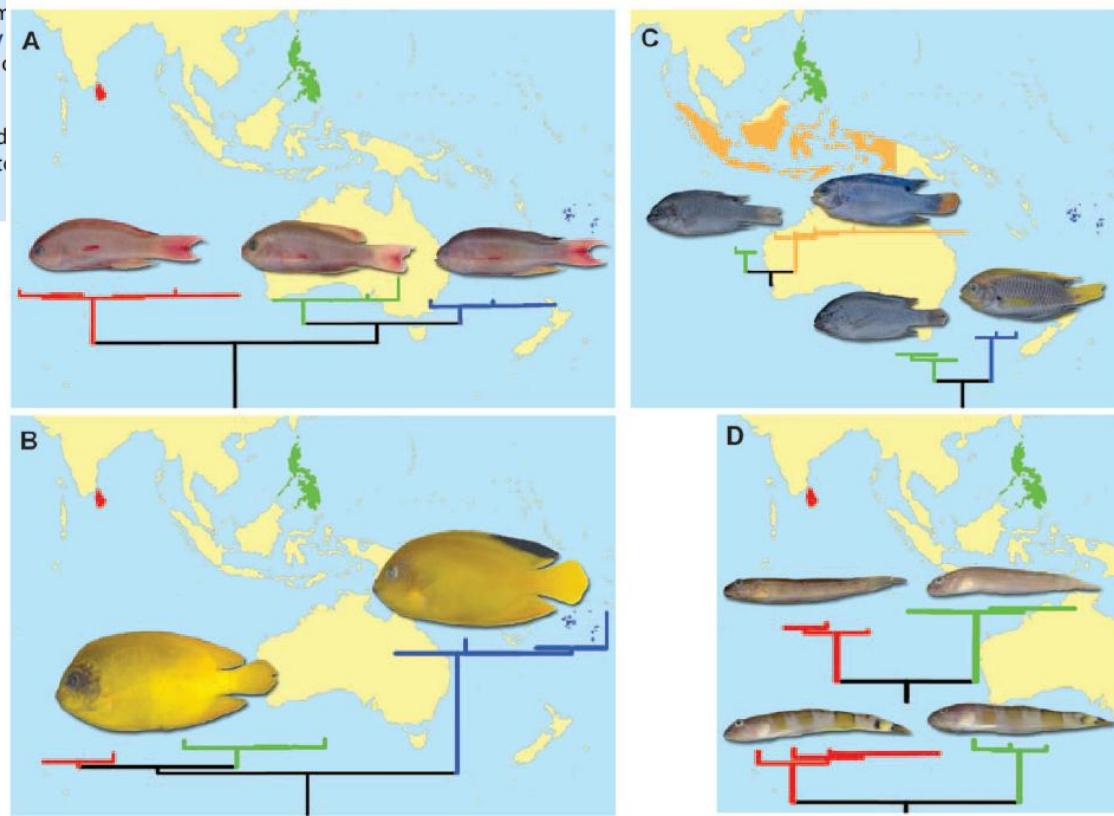
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## Abstract

**Background:** Trade in ornamental fishes represents, by far, the largest route for the importation of exotic vertebrates. There is growing pressure to regulate this trade with the goal of ensuring that species are sustainably harvested and that their point of origin is accurately reported. One important element of such regulation involves easy access to specimen identifications, a task that is currently difficult for all but specialists because of the large number of species involved. The present study represents an important first step in making identifications more accessible by assembling a DNA barcode reference sequence library for nearly half of the ornamental fish species imported into North America.

**Methodology/Principal Findings:** Analysis of the cytochrome c oxidase subunit I (COI) gene from 391 species from 8 coral reef locations revealed that 98% of these species exhibit distinct barcode clusters, allowing their unambiguous identification. Most species showed little intra-specific variation (adjusted mean = 0.0%), while 10% showed three lineages showing much more divergence (2.19–6.52%) and likely represent subspecies or distinct species. In contrast, three genera contained a species pair or triad that lacked barcode differentiation, suggesting either very young taxa or taxonomic over-splitting.

**Conclusions/Significance:** Although incomplete, this barcode library already provides a valuable tool for the identification of species in the ornamental fish industry, opening a realm of applications linked to trade monitoring and conservation.



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## Identification of shark and ray fins using DNA barcoding

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## Oligonucleotide indexing of DNA barcodes: identification of tuna and other scombrid species in food products

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### Abstract

**Background:** DNA barcodes are a global standard for species identification and have countless applications in the medical, forensic and alimentary fields, but few barcoding methods work efficiently in samples in which DNA is degraded, e.g. foods and archival specimens. This limits the choice of target regions harbouring a sufficient number of diagnostic polymorphisms. The method described here uses existing PCR and sequencing methodologies to detect mitochondrial DNA polymorphisms in complex matrices such as foods. The reported



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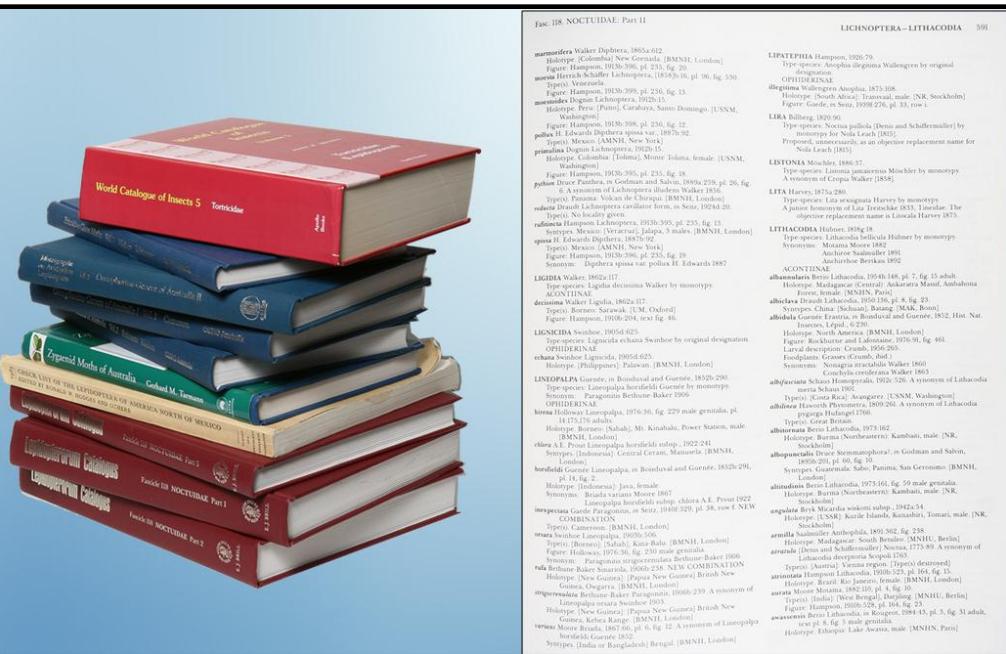
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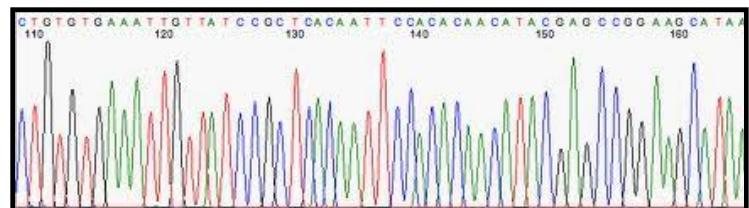
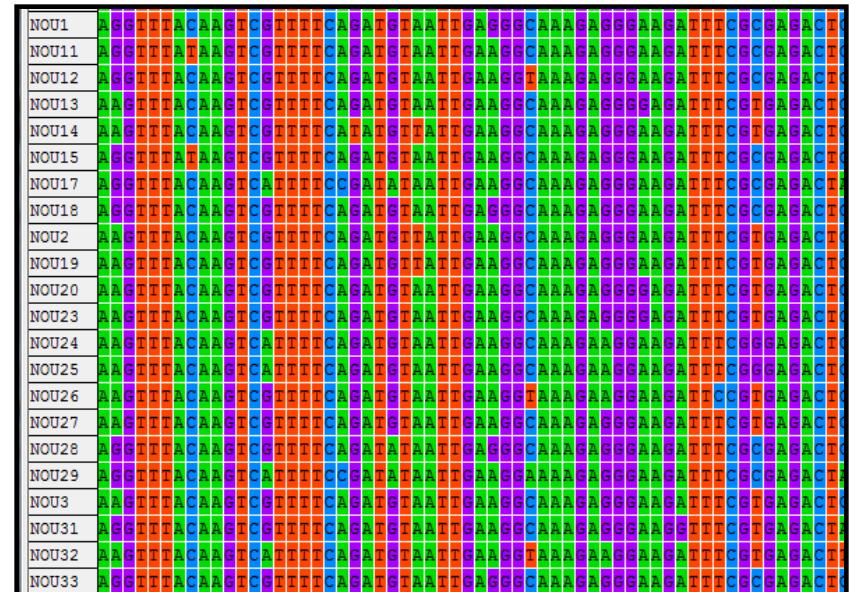


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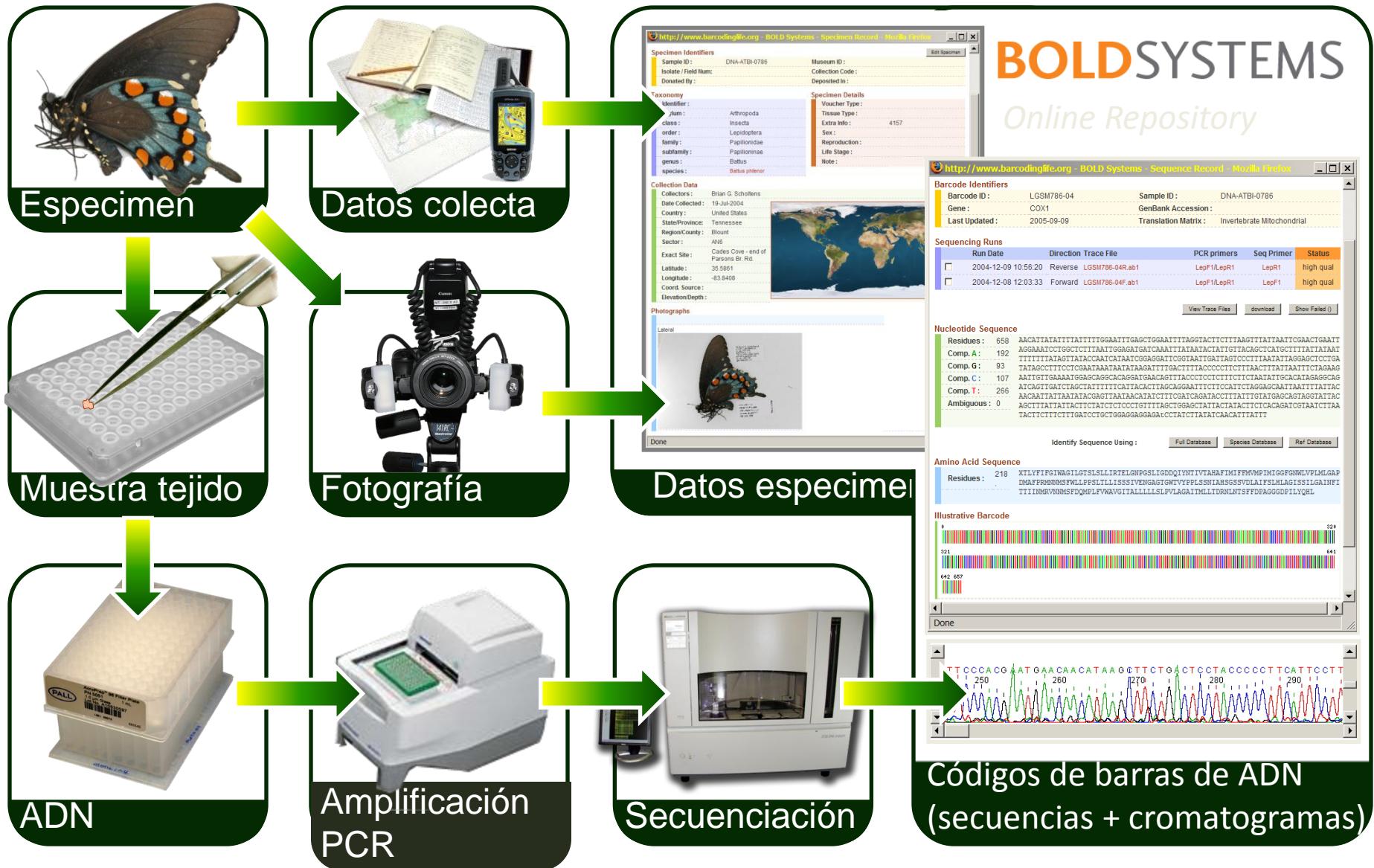


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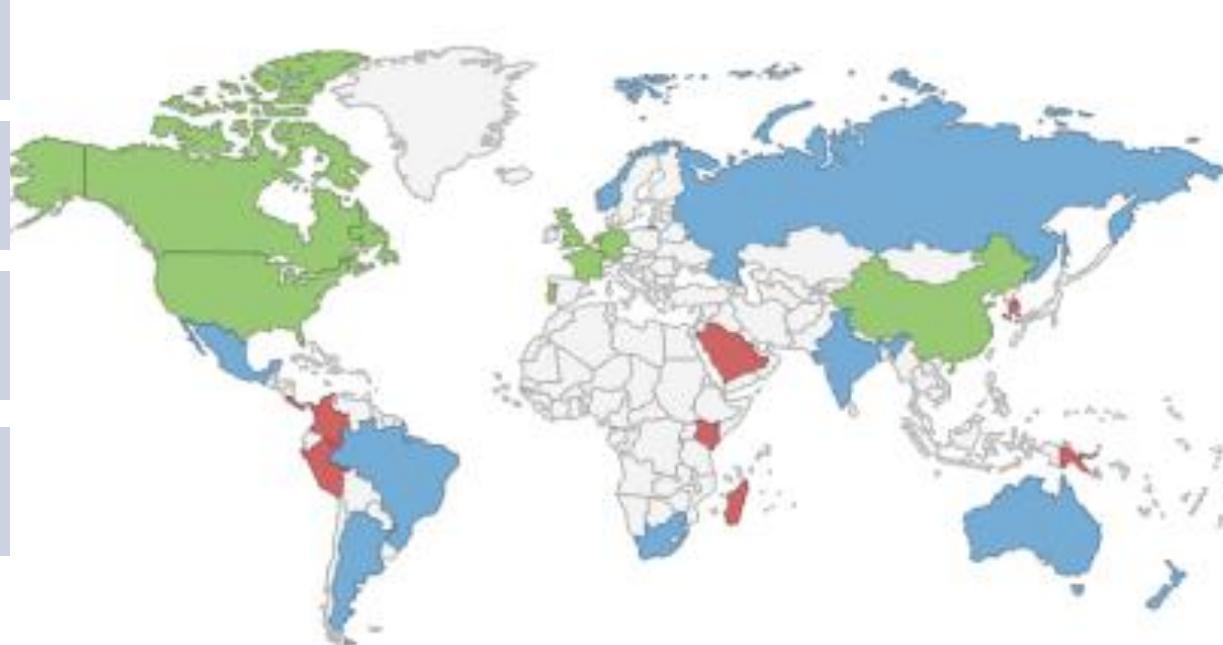
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Canadian researchers are 'barcoding' Australia's moths and butterflies as part of a project to comprehensively map the planet's biodiversity.

In the last 10 weeks a team from the University of Guelph in Ontario, Canada, has successfully 'barcoded' 28,000 moth and butterfly specimens from the CSIRO's Australian National Insect Collection (ANIC). That covers around 6500 of Australia's 10,000 known species.

The Canadian team proposed the new system of species identification and discovery in 2003. The method uses a very short genetic sequence from a standard part of the genome, and is similar to the way a supermarket scanner distinguishes products using the black stripes of the Universal Product Code.

The work at ANIC, in collaboration with the Atlas of Living Australia (ALA), is contributing to the International Barcode of Life (IBoL) project. The IBoL reference library currently contains records for more than 100,000 species and their aim is to have 500,000 species barcoded by 2015.

ANIC is the first national collection to integrate the new barcoding approach for a major group of insects.

The collection's Director, Dr John LaSalle, says DNA barcoding is like 'genetic fingerprinting'.

"What's different about this blitz is that we said let's take a real priority look at Australian moths and butterflies," says

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# Australian National Insect Collection (ANIC)

The Australian National Insect Collection (ANIC) is the world's largest collection of Australian insects and related groups such as mites, spiders, earthworms, nematodes and centipedes.



## Australian National Insect Collection



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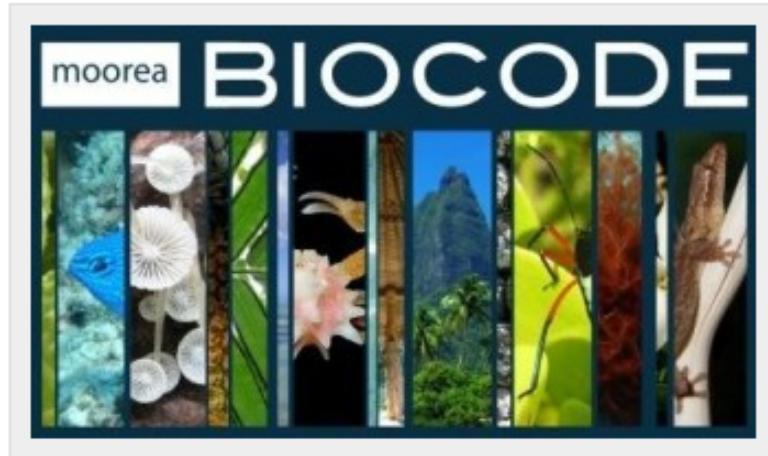
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# Otras aplicaciones del DNA barcoding





The **Moorea Biocode Project** aims to create the first comprehensive inventory of all non-microbial life in a complex tropical ecosystem. Supported by a grant from the Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation, the Moorea Biocode Project over the 2008-2010 period is sending researchers climbing up jagged peaks, trekking

through lush forests and diving down to coral reefs to sample the French Polynesian island's animal and plant life. A library of genetic markers and physical identifiers for every species of plant, animal and fungi on the island is being constructed. This database will be publicly available as a resource for ecologists and evolutionary biologists around the world.

### Moorea Biocode Introduction

### Biocode Stats

4796 Collecting Events

46789 Specimens Collected

45 Phyla Collected

## New taxonomy and old collections: integrating DNA barcoding into the collection curation process

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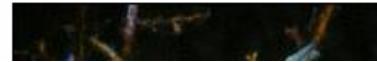


*"... the only other place comparable to these marvelous nether regions, must surely be naked space itself, out far beyond atmosphere, between the stars, where sunlight has no grip upon the dust and rubbish of planetary air, where the blackness of space, the shining planets, comets, suns, and stars must really be closely akin to the world of life as it appears to the eyes of an awed human being, in the open ocean, one half mile down."*

William Beebe, 1934.

MarBOL is an international initiative to enhance our capacity to identify marine life by utilizing DNA Barcoding, a new technique for that uses a short DNA sequence from a standardized and agreed-upon position in the genome as a molecular diagnostic for species-level identification. DNA barcode sequences are very short relative to the entire genome and they can be obtained reasonably quickly and cheaply. A part of the mitochondrial gene cytochrome c oxidase subunit 1 (COI) is emerging as the standard barcode region for almost all groups of higher animals. This fragment is 648 nucleotide base pairs long in most groups and is flanked by regions of conserved sequences, making it relatively easy to amplify and analyze. A number of studies have shown that the barcode sequence variability is very low within species (generally less than 1-2%) and that the COI sequences of even closely related species differ by several percent, making it possible to identify species with high confidence.

MarBOL is a joint effort of the Consortium for the Barcode of Life (CBOL) and the Census of Marine Life (CAML). CAML is a global



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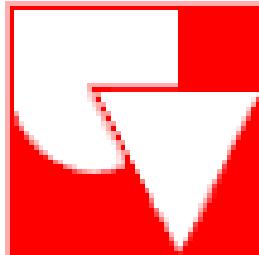
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