

examen

- Question de cours & problème/excercice

MUTAGENÈSE

COLLECTION DE MUTANTS



CRIBLE/SELECTION
IDENTIFICATION DE MUTANTS



TESTS DE COMPLÉMENTATION



LOCALISATION GÉNÉTIQUE

GENE ?



INTERACTIONS GÉNÉTIQUES

FONCTION ?



MUTAGÈNE Choix du mutagène

COLLECTION DE MUTANTS

Stratégie du crible
et
Choix du phénotype ?

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On veut de
nombreux
mutants

LOCALISATION GÉNÉTIQUE

GENE ?

comment être sûr que
l'on a le bon gène ?

INTERACTIONS GÉNÉTIQUES

FONCTION ?

II- Mutagenèses et cribles

- A. Choix mutagène
 - B. Collections de mutants
 - C. Phénotype et crible
 - D. Stratégies croisements cribles
 - E. Mutants conditionnels
- Bilan : avantages et inconvénients

A. Mutagenèse: choix de la nature et la dose de mutagène

NATURE

- Chimique
- Physique
- Transposons

DOSE

- Ni trop, ni trop peu....

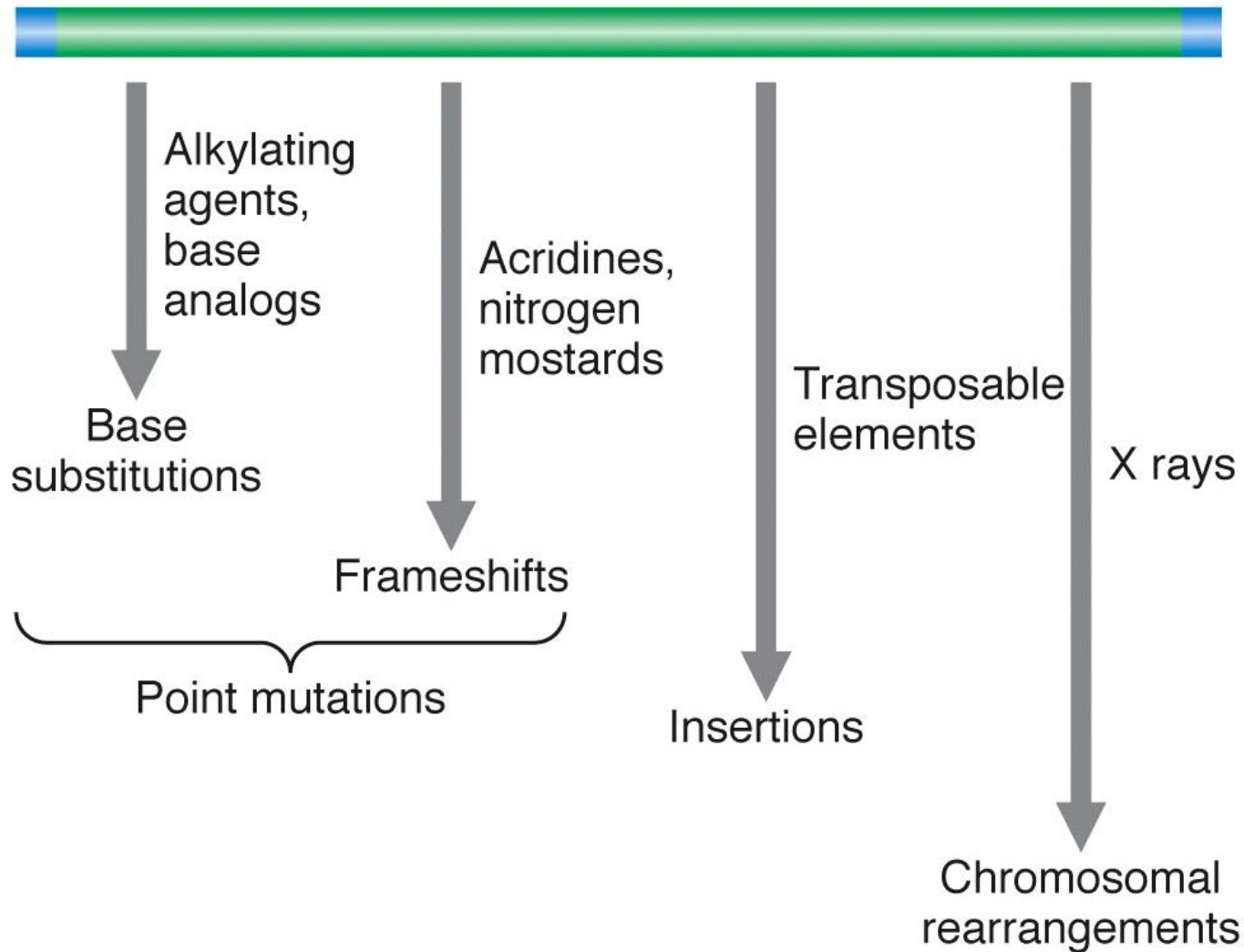
Nature du mutagène

- Chimique
- Physique
- Transposons



1. Le type de mutations
2. La facilité que l'on aura à identifier le gène muté

Each chemical causes a different spectrum of base pair changes, a reflection of chemistry and repair systems.



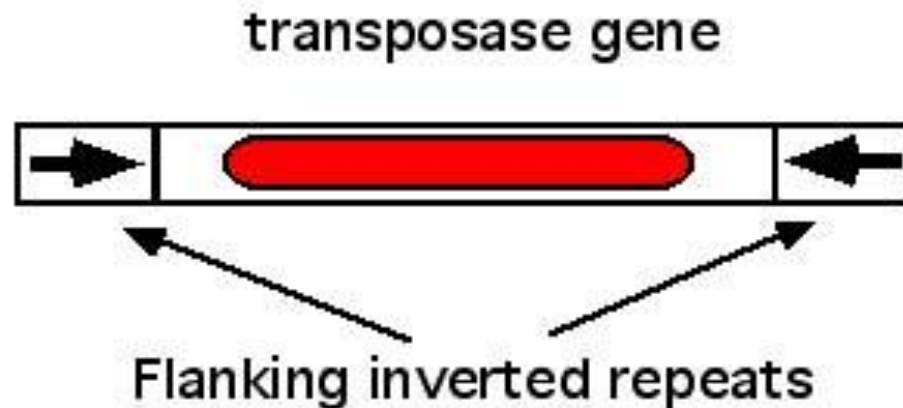
Transposons based mutagenesis

TRANSPOSONS :

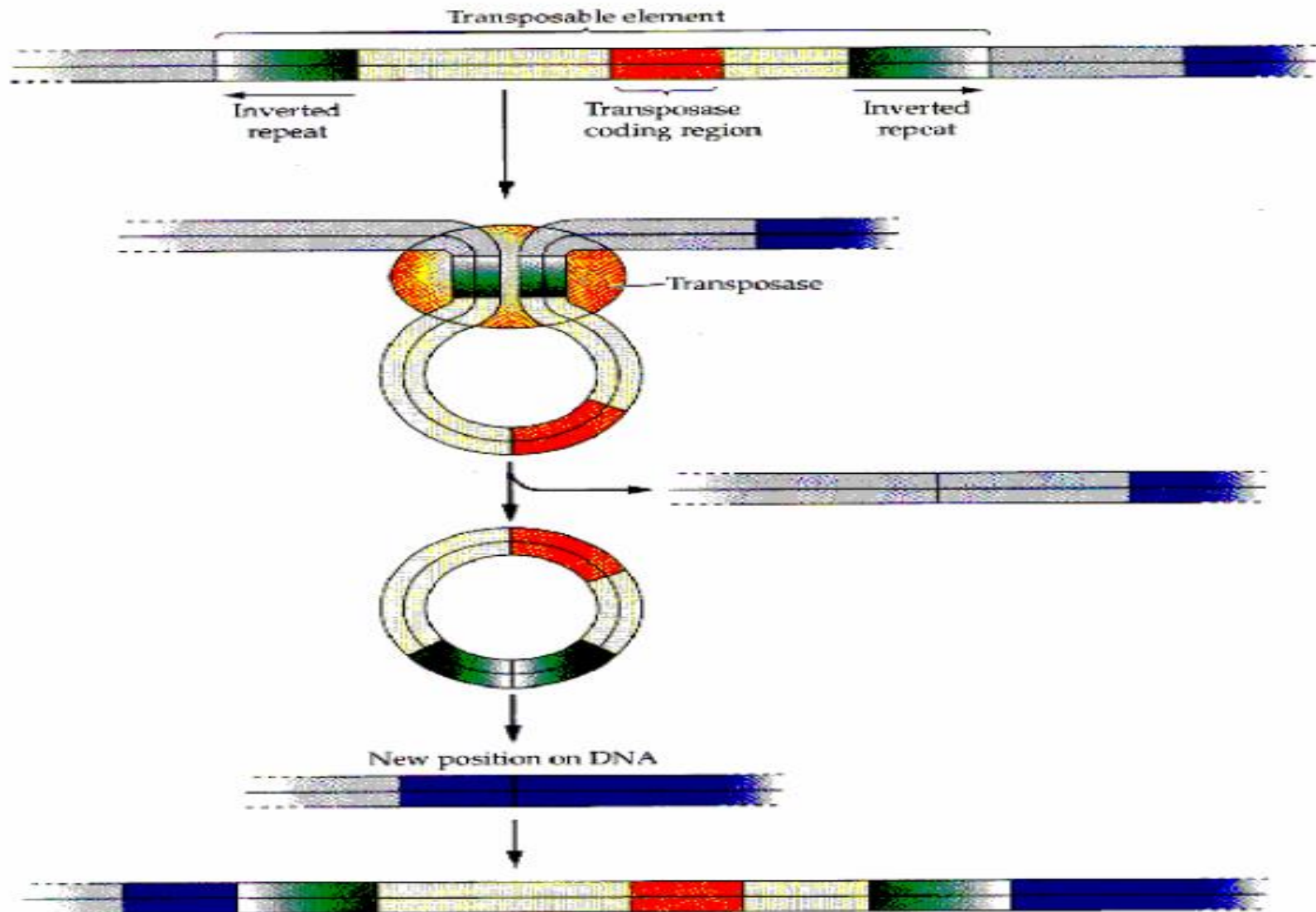
DNA elements or Retroelements which move, or transpose, from one site in the genome to another

DNA Mobile Genetic Elements

- transpose via DNA intermediates
- Examples: Ac/Ds and Spm in plants, P elements in animals, Tn in bacteria
- Have Short inverted repeats at the ends of the element
-> substrates for recombination reactions mediated by a transposase



Structure and transposition of a transposable element



Transposon mediated mutagenesis

Strain with a transposon
+ Transposase

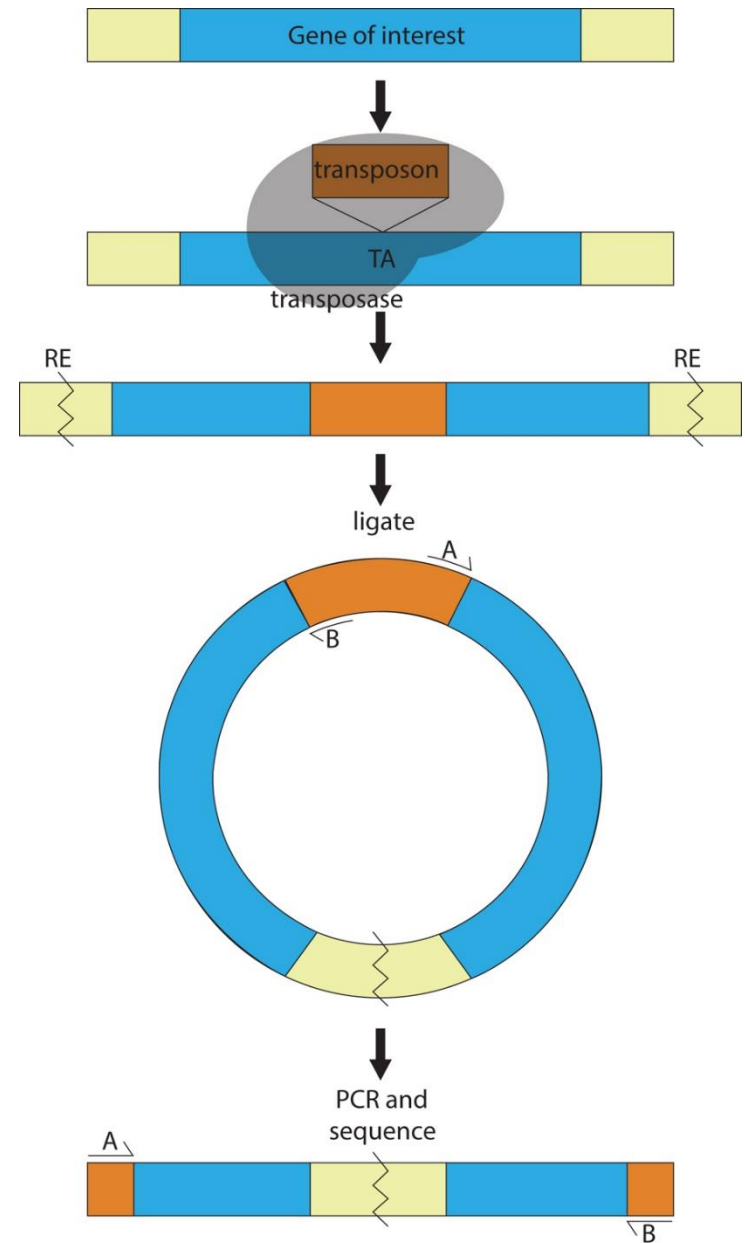


Mobilization of the transposon



Insertion in other position

Easy to map/clone



Transposons based mutagenesis

- **The insertion and excision of transposable elements result in changes to the DNA at the transposition site**
- **The transposition can be identified when a known DNA sequence or selection markers are inserted within the elements**
- **The site of insertion can be “easily” identified**

- Many variants of this method (to be seen later) :
 - Simple
 - Enhancer traps
 - Fusion protein
 - Over/ectopic expression

Cribler jusqu'à plus soif....

Spontaneous Mutation

10^{-9} per base/generation

a 1 Kb ORF gene mutated every 10^{-6} generation

Chemical mutagenesis can increase mutation rates several orders of magnitude.

Cribler jusqu'à plus soif....

Levure

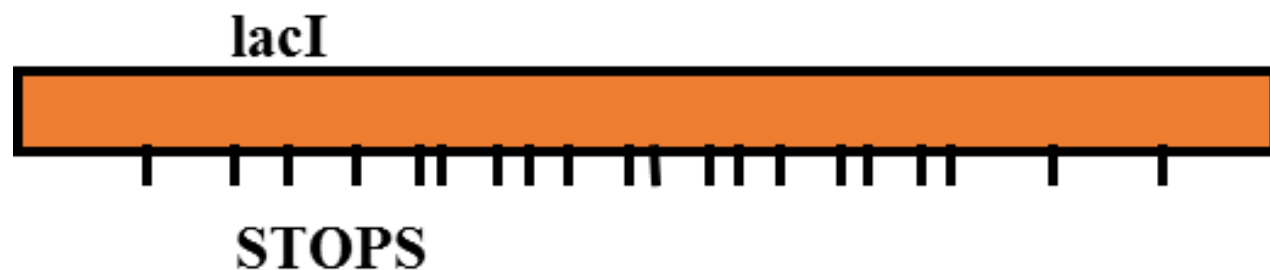
14 Mb genome

1.4×10^7 base pairs $\times 3 = 4.2 \times 10^7$ possible single base changes.

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		T	C	A	G				
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	C	CTT } CTC } Leu CTA } CTG }	CCT } CCC } Pro CCA } CCG }	CAT } His CAC } CAA Gln CAG }	CGT } CGC } Arg CGA } CGG }	T	C	A	G
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Les changements d'aa sont restreints par le code !

E. coli, lacI gene



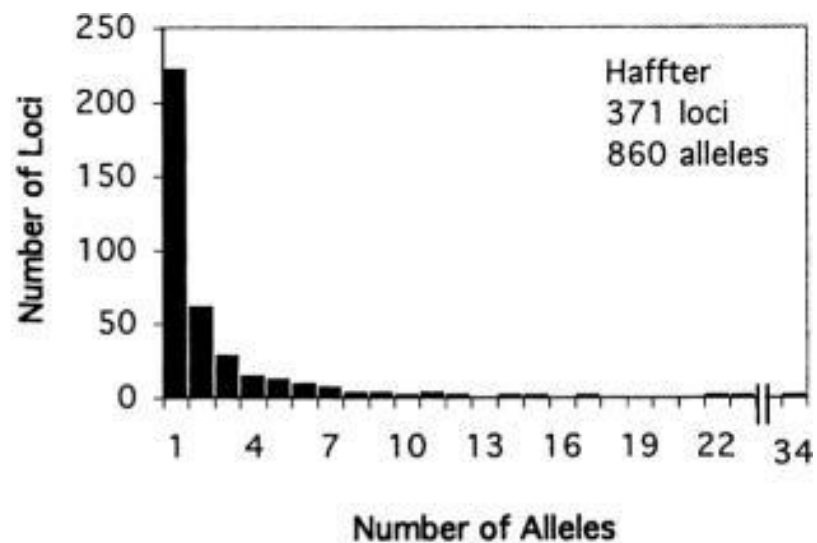
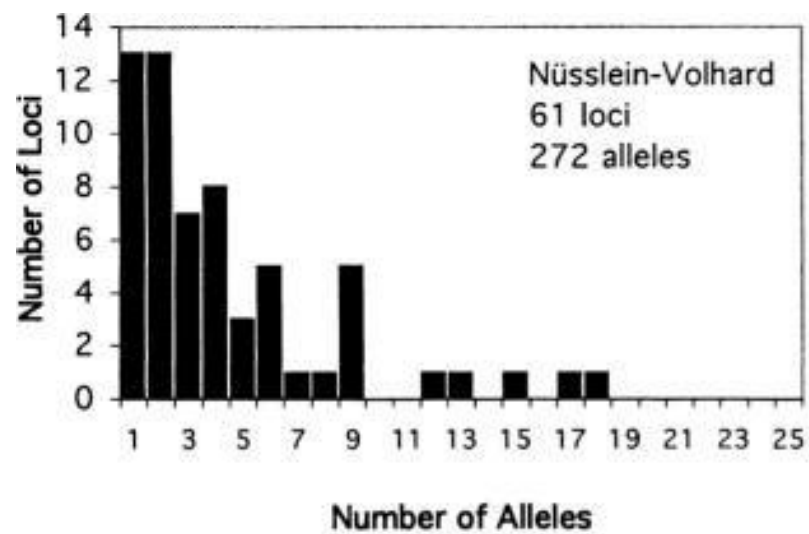
90% of all positions can tolerate any amino acid

10% can tolerate only a few different amino acids

Cribler jusqu'à plus soif....

Notions d'indépendance des mutants et de saturation du crible

- Indépendance mutants: en parallèle
- Saturation
 - Pourquoi ?
 - Comment l'estimer ?



D Collections de mutants

- Collection de « délétions KO »
- Banques d'insertions de transposons
- Banques ARN interférence

etc

1- La collection de disruptants de levure

Séquencage *S. cerevisiae*

1996: 1^{er} génome eucaryote séquencé

- The project got started in 1989
- May 1992, the complete nucleotide sequence (315 kb) of an entire chromosome (yeast chromosome III) was published by 35 European laboratories.
- 1994, the sequence of two more chromosomes was published: chromosome II of 820 kb and chromosome XI of 666 kb.
- Spring 1996 the entire sequence of the yeast genome known (More than 100 laboratories from Europe, USA, Canada and Japan took part of the joined effort.)

Analyse fonctionnelle

Trois points critiques :

- Identification séquences codantes (analyse bioinformatique)
- Attribuer fonction nouvelles gènes putatifs (approches globales + analyse bioinfo)
- Gérer les informations (banques de données)

Life with 6000 Genes

A. Goffeau, * B. G. Barrell, H. Bussey, R. W. Davis, B. Dujon, H. Feldmann, F. Galibert, J. D. Hoheisel, C. Jacq, M. Johnston, E. J. Louis, H. W. Mewes, Y. Murakami, P. Philippsen, H. Tettelin, S. G. Oliver

The genome of the yeast *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* has been completely sequenced through a worldwide collaboration. The sequence of 12,068 kilobases defines 5885 potential protein-encoding genes, approximately 140 genes specifying ribosomal RNA, 40 genes for small nuclear RNA molecules, and 275 transfer RNA genes. In addition, the complete sequence provides information about the higher order organization of yeast's 16 chromosomes and allows some insight into their evolutionary history. The genome shows a considerable amount of apparent genetic redundancy, and one of the major problems to be tackled during the next stage of the yeast genome project is to elucidate the biological functions of all of these genes.

→ 5885 protein-encoding genes initially found in the *S.cerevisiae*

TABLE 1. The yeast genome broken down into its various identified genetic elements

Genetic element	Total number	Density ^a (kb per element)	Average size (kb)	Total kb	Contribution to yeast genome ^b (%)
Protein-coding elements					
ORFs (total ^c)	6183	2.0	1.450	8965.0	68.03
Actual protein-coding genes ^d	5800	2.1	1.450	8410.0	65.82
Introns	233	52.0	0.500	116.0	0.88
RNA-coding elements					
rDNA repeats	120–130	–	9.000	1125.0	8.54
tRNA genes	262	46.0	0.080	21.0	0.16
Introns in tRNA genes	80	–	0.020	1.6	0.01
Other RNA species	37	326.0	0.500	18.0	0.14
Mobile elements^e					
Complete Ty elements	53	227.0	5.600	297.0	2.25
Solo LTRs	363	33.0	0.330	119.0	0.90
Chromosomal elements					
ARS consensus	750	16.0	0.020	15.0	0.11
Centromeres	16	–	0.095	1.5	0.01
Subtelomeric elements (Y) ^e	21	–	5.800	121.0	0.92
Subtelomeric elements (X) ^e	31	–	0.400	12.0	0.09
Telomeric (C _{1–3} A) repeats	32	–	0.300	9.6	0.07
‘Intergenic’ regions					
Including promoters, terminators, regulatory sequences, and all unidentified elements	–	–	0.500	2912.0	22.10

^aDensity is calculated for the whole yeast genome, except rDNA.

^bRelative contribution is calculated from the whole yeast genome, including rDNA.

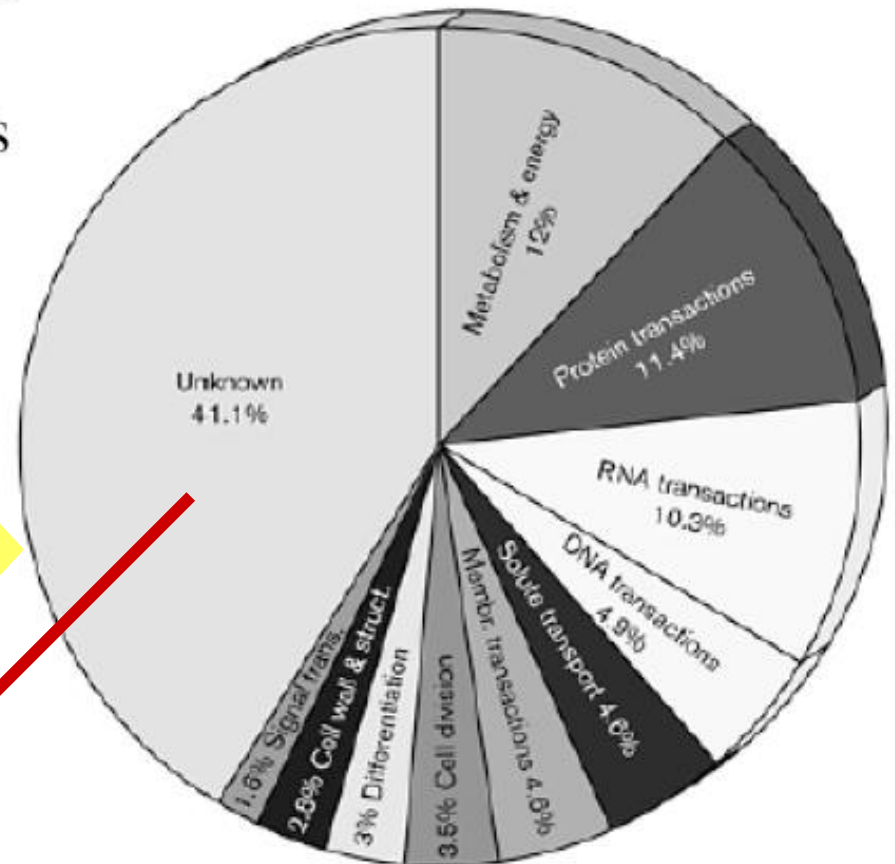
^cORFs as defined in the European sequencing program¹¹.

^dPredicted number of actual protein-coding genes, assuming that 6–7% of ORFs are not actual genes.

^eActual number of such elements varies from strain to strain.

- environ 6000 gènes
- seulement 4% avec des introns
- organisation compacte avec 70%
-du génome contenant des gènes
- et très peu de séquences répétées

**Comparaison autres organismes
Identification séquences consensus**



Current Opinion in Genetics & Development

1/3 ORF non annotées
« orphelines »

Analyse fonctionnelle du génome

Analyse systématique, à grande échelle
(automatisation, outils informatique)

Profil d'expression « Transcriptome, Protéome »

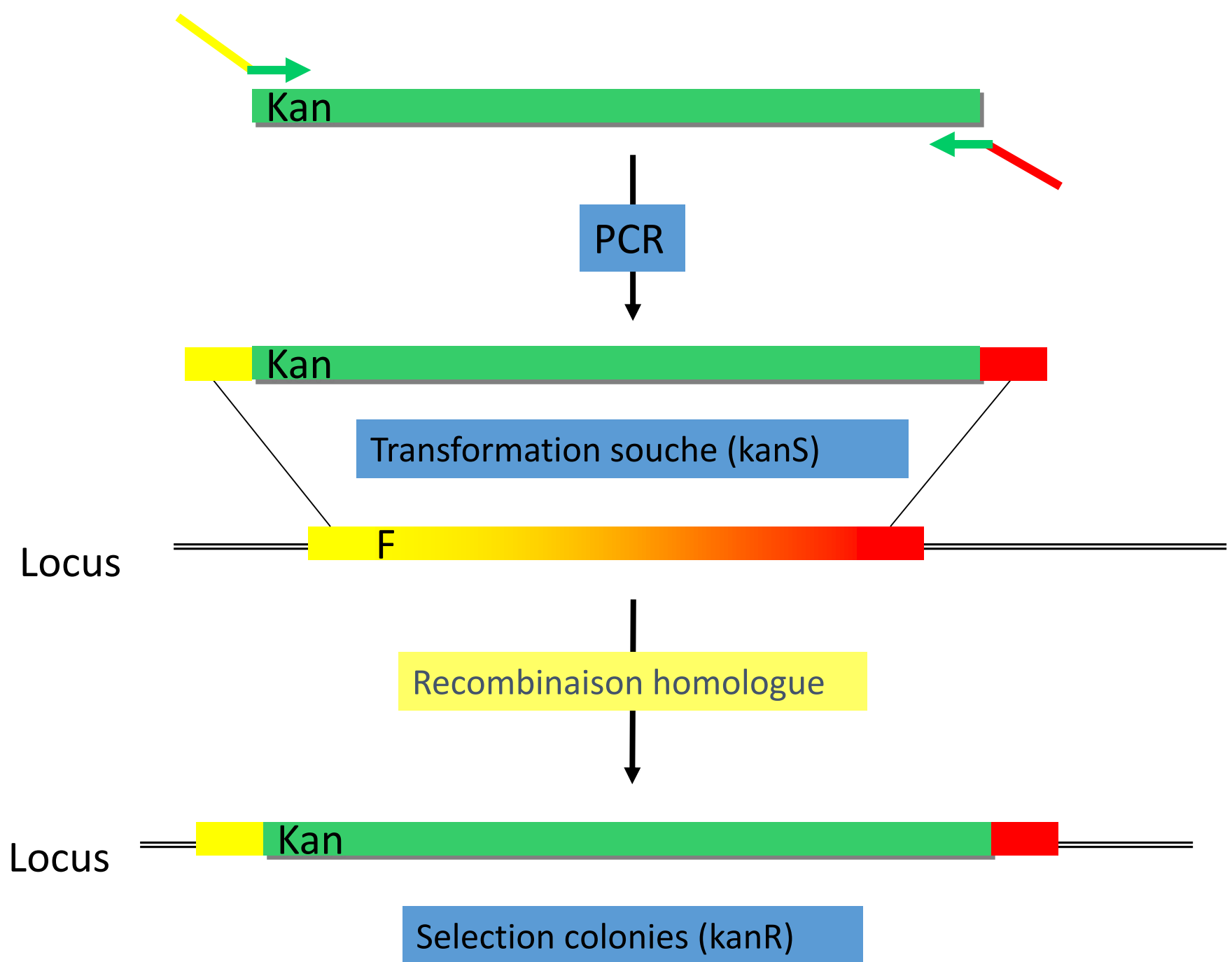
Phénotype de disruptants simples « Phénome »

Localisation « Localisome »

Partenaires physiques « Interactome »

Elaboration d'une collection de disruptants

- But: inactiver chacun des gènes ->

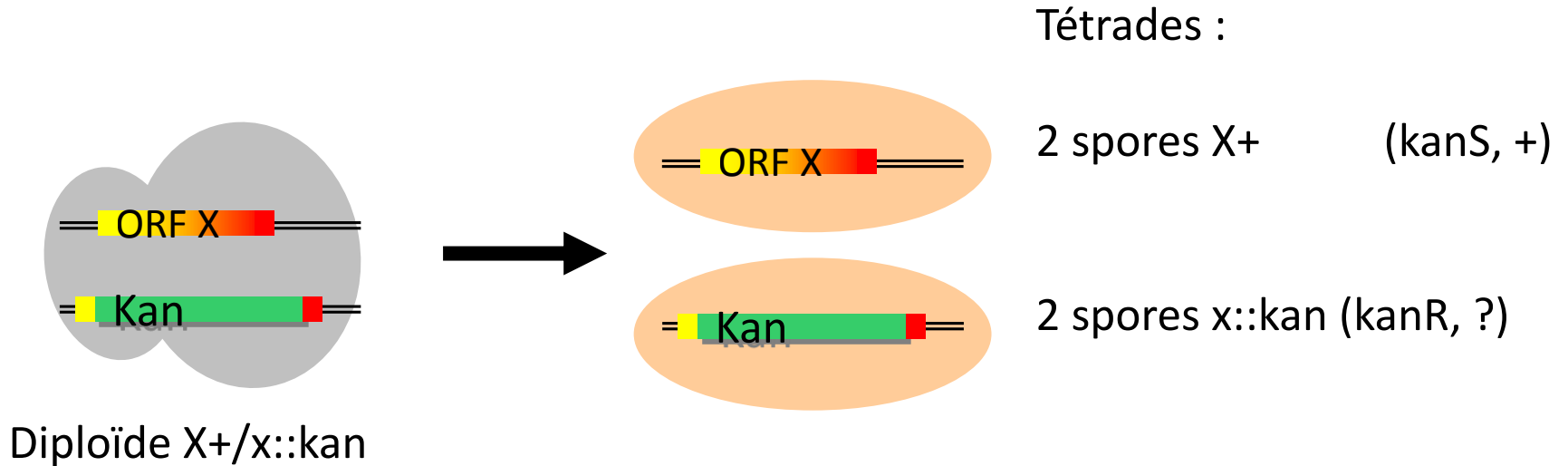


- Repose sur rec homologue
 - Disruption faite chez diploïdes (un seul allèle disrupté à la fois)
- > collection de plus de 6000 mutants

Cribles de la collection de disruptants

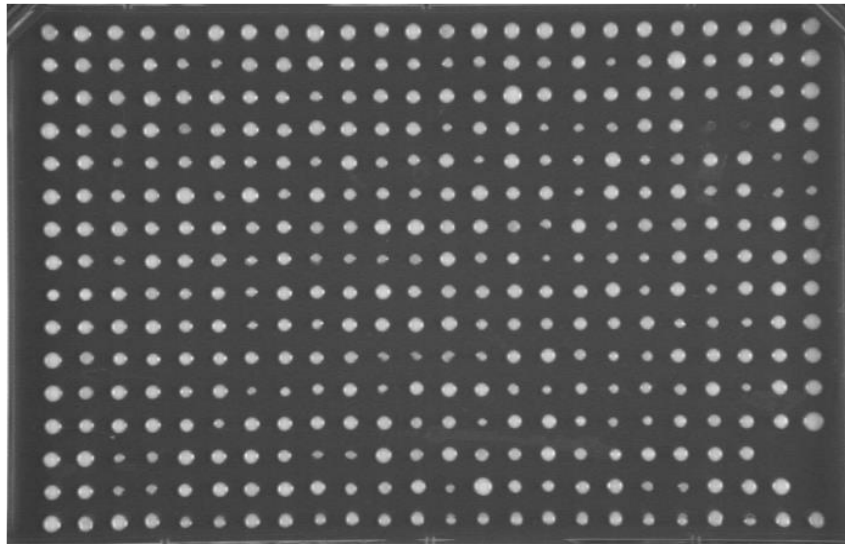
- 1- crible de viabilité
- 2- mutants viables -> autres cribles
- 3- cribles de co-létalité

crible de viabilité

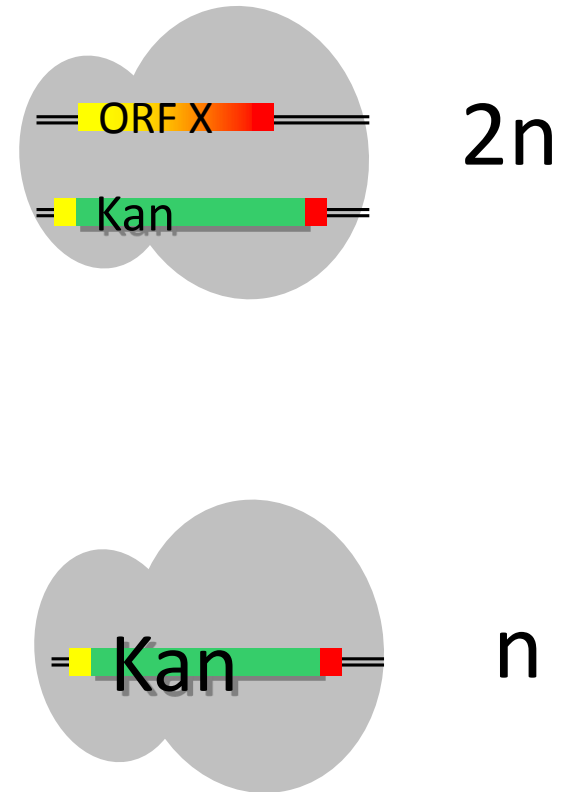


-> Environ 800 gènes « essentiels »
2 spores kan^S / 2 non viables

Analyse des gènes non essentiels



384 délétants par plaque



La collection Knock-Out : environ 5000 souches (gènes non-essentiels)

-> tests croissance sur différents milieux

(sucres, drogues, pression osmotique etc)

2n, n et compétitions

-> tests spécifiques

(trafic, épissage, activité biochimique... etc)

-> analyse des doubles mutatiants

2- La collection de P chez la Drosophile

The Drosophila Genome Project

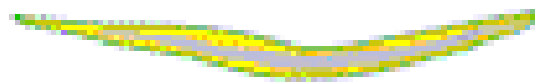
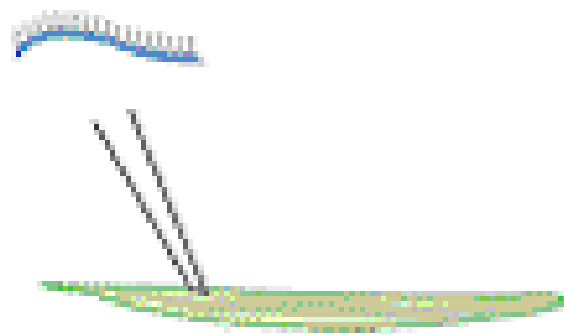
- 13,600 known or predicted genes present
- One gene every 9 kb
- Half of fly proteins homologous with mammalian proteins
- One third homologous to nematodes
- 61% of human disease genes have homologues in flies
- 30% of genes unrelated to genes in other organisms
- Only 4000 genes essential for viability

A New Direction for Drosophila Genome Project: Obtaining Mutations in All Fly Genes

- Isolate as many P element insertion alleles as possible of as many genes as possible
- To date – P element disruptions for 65% of genes
- New methods of gene knockout such as RNAi to circumvent difficulties with knockouts by homologous recombination

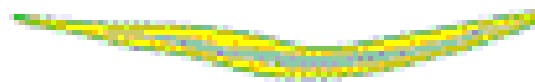
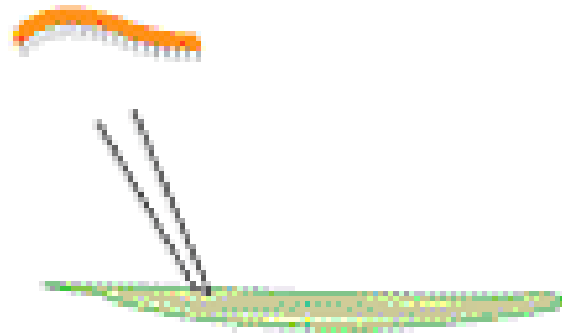
3- La collection de RNAi chez *C. elegans*

Sense RNA



Wild type

Antisense RNA



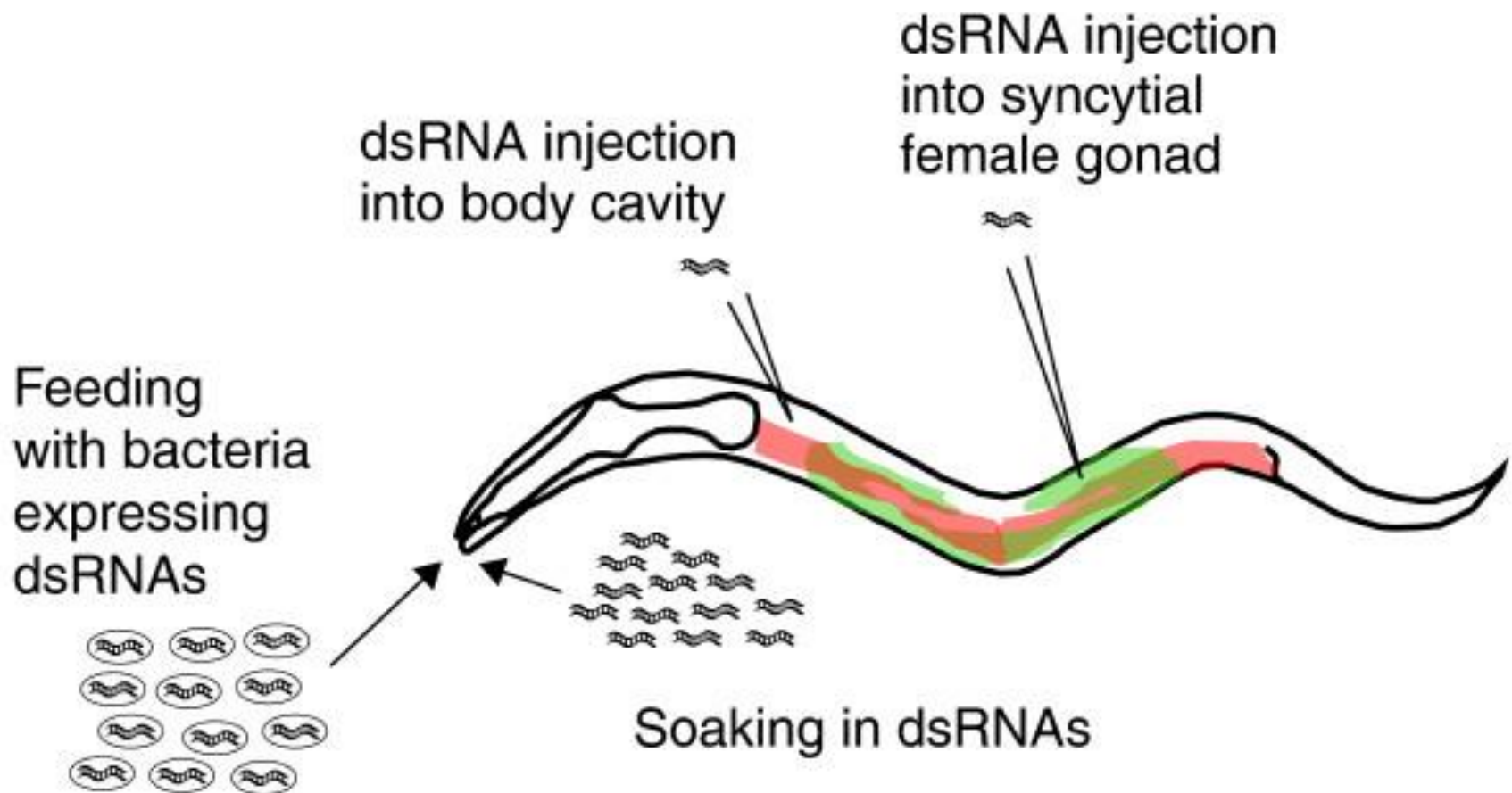
Wild type

Double-stranded RNA



Twitcher

C. elegans



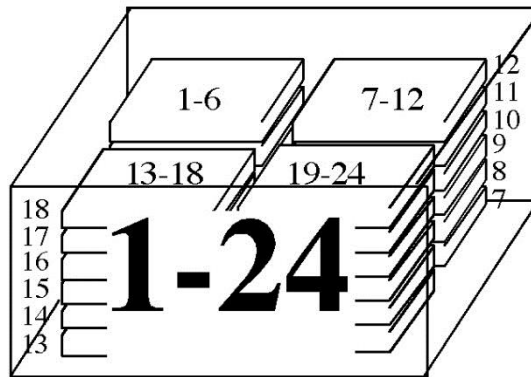
Deletion Library Arrangement in the -80° freezer

Always keep the plates meticulously in order! This protects the library from warming by minimizing the amount of time it takes to retrieve plates.

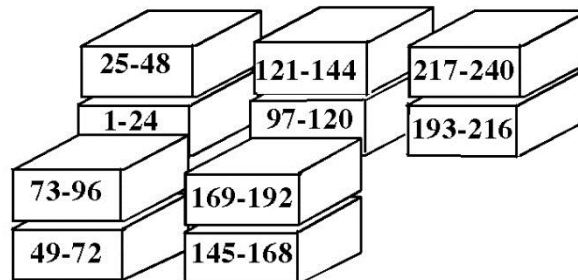
The library has two parts housed on separate freezer shelves:

1. a set of soft plastic plates with frozen worms (upper shelf)
2. a set of hard plastic plates with single-well lysates (lower shelf)

Each shelf is arranged identically in a set of 10 Tupperware-style containers, each container holding 24 plates. Each container is labelled on the front with the plate numbers it contains. The plates are arranged within a box as shown in this example:



Boxes are arranged on the freezer shelves as follows:



C Crible: Choix du phénotype

Genetic screens can be carried out for a wide variety of biological functions (phenotypes):

- **Growth**
- **Biochemical**
- **Morphological**
- **Anatomical**
- **Behavioral**
- **Lethality**

Genetic screening *versus* selection

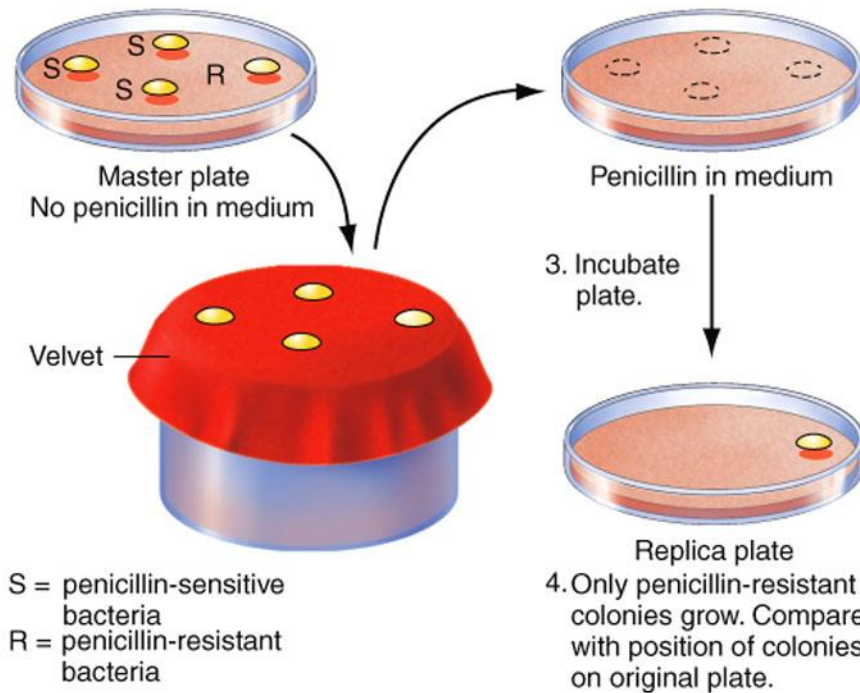
Genetic screen: produce and sort through many non-mutant individuals to find the rare desired mutation

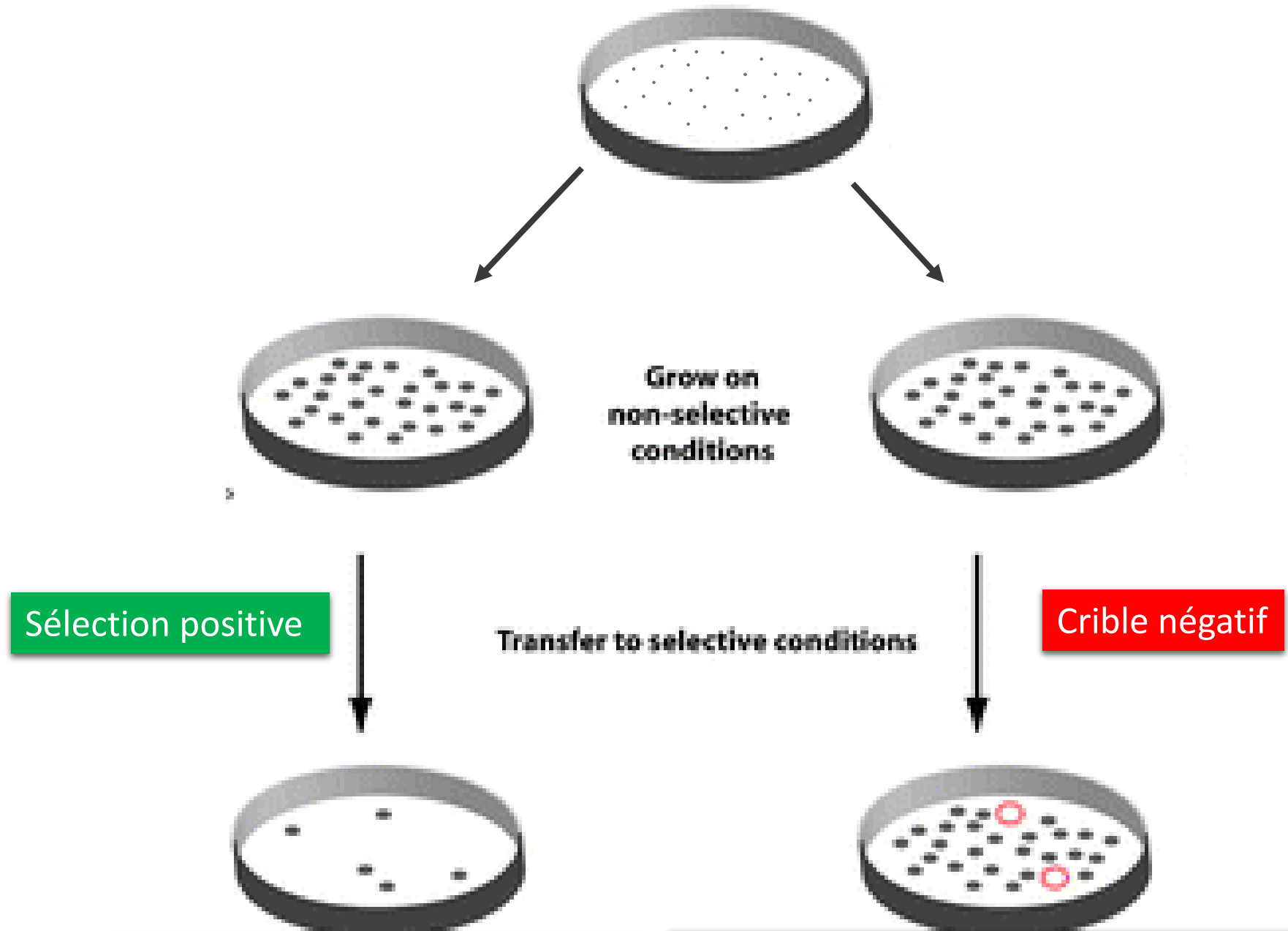
Genetic selection: only the desired mutation survives

(a) The replica plating technique

1. Invert master plate; pressing against velvet surface leaves an imprint of colonies. Save plate.

2. Invert second plate (replica plate); pressing against velvet surface picks up colony imprint.

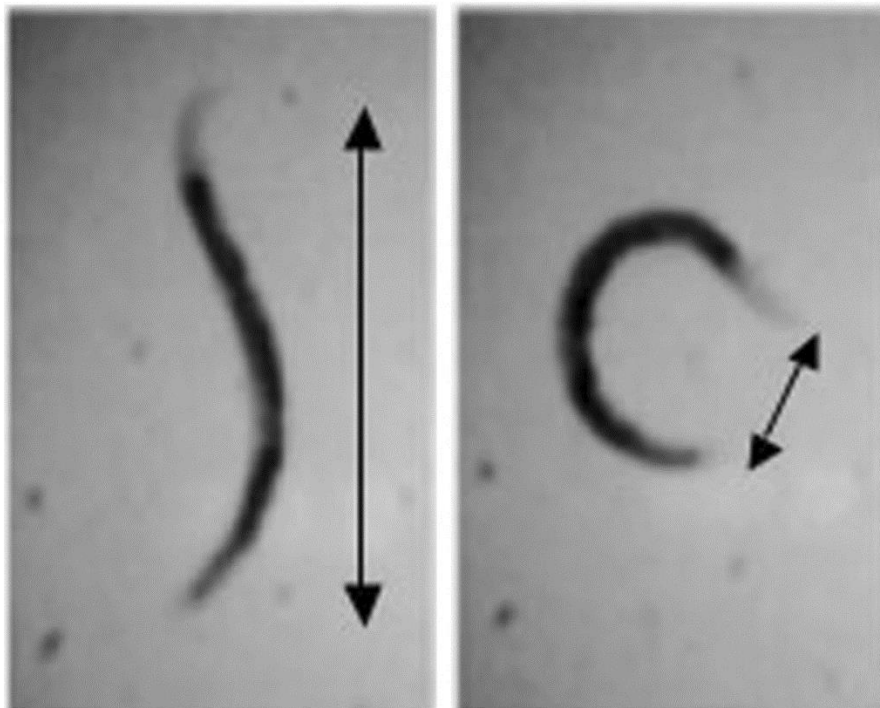
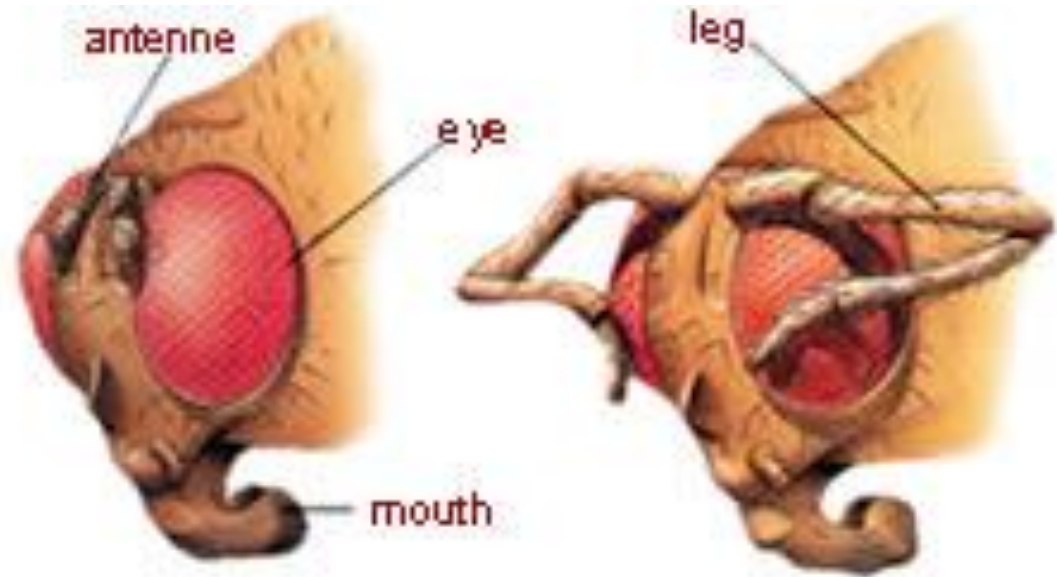




- « Résister à » drogue, toxine, virus...

- Auxotrophie: pouvoir produire aa, base
- Capacité à utiliser certains sucres...

Morphologie



Comportement

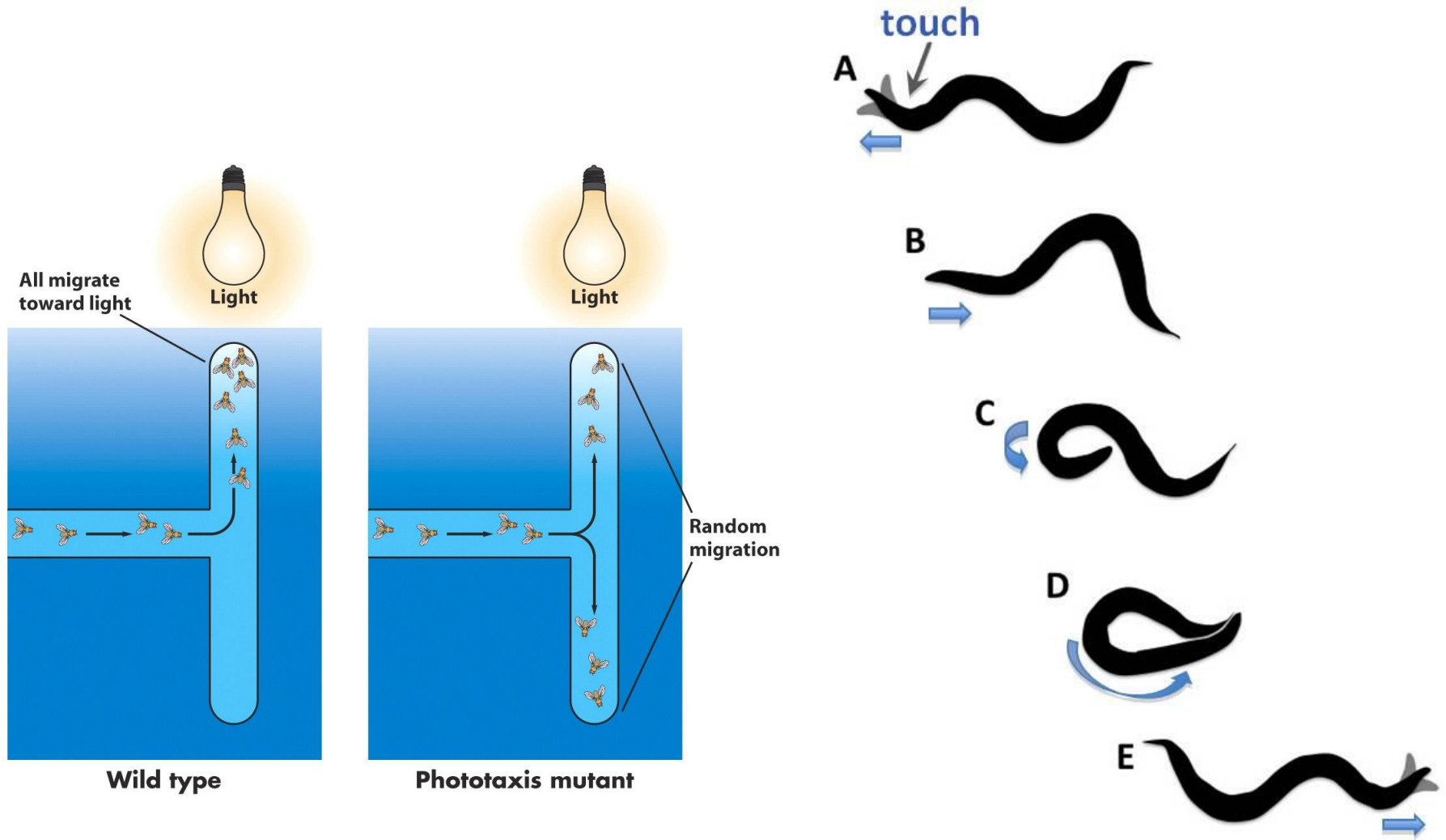


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D. Crible: Stratégie

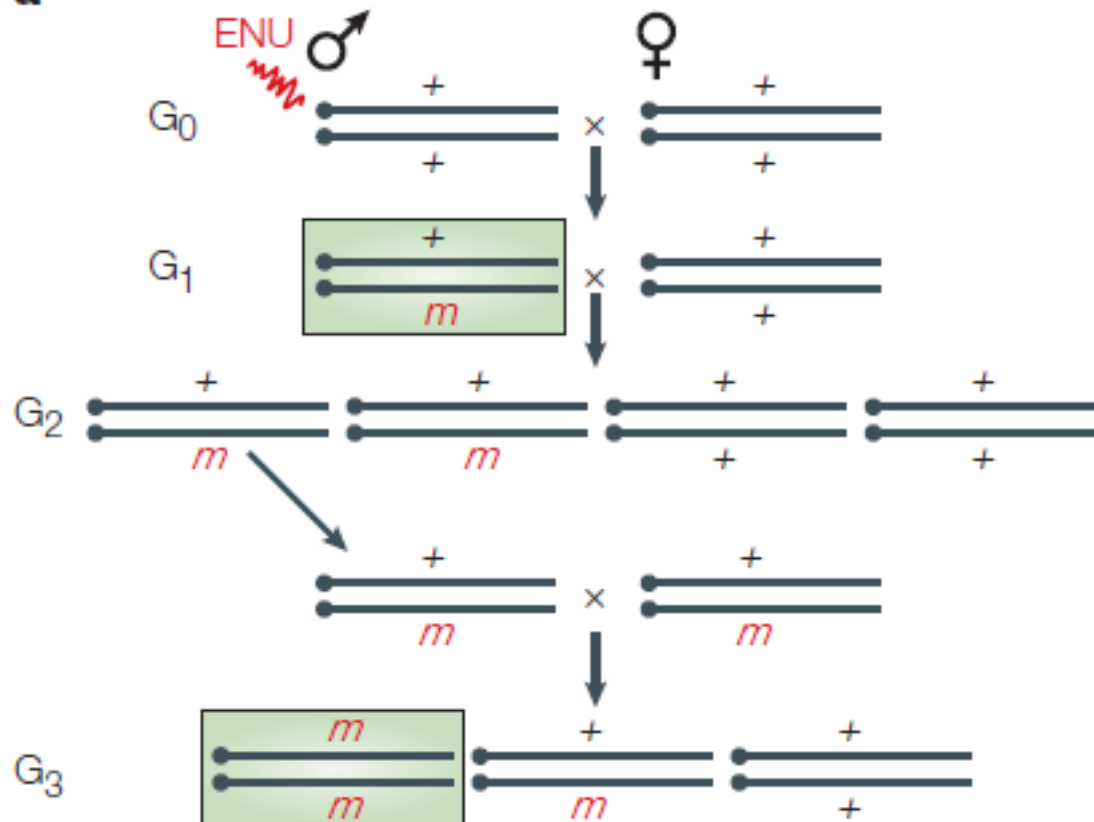
PREMIERS CRITERES À CONSIDERER

- Organisme (haploïde vs diploïde, hermaphrodisme...)
- Mutation à effet dominant ou récessif
- Létalité, stérilité etc

D. Crible: Stratégie

- Crible pour mutations à effet dominant
- Crible pour mutations à effet récessif
- Crible pour mutations à effet maternel
- Cribles mutants conditionnels
- Cribles de collection/banques de mutants

a



Crible en F1 (G1)

Crible en F3 (G3)

Héritable ???

Les grands cribles

- Cycle cellulaire levure
- Heidelberg Mouche
- Poisson zèbre
- Cribles souris
- Cribles *C. elegans*
- Cribles *Arabidopsis*

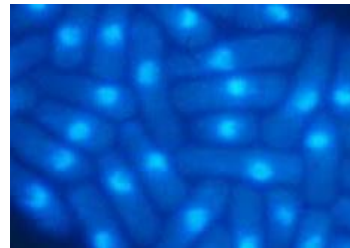
Yeasts: cell cycle regulation screens



**2001 Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine to
Lee Hartwell, Paul Nurse, and Tim Hunt**



Saccharomyces cerevisiae



Schizosaccharomyces pombe



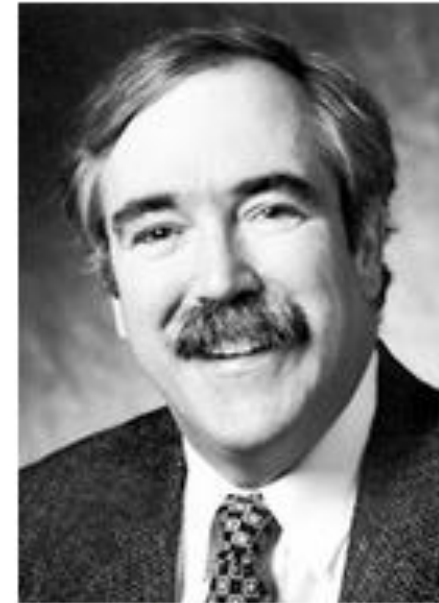
The Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine 1995



Edward B. Lewis
Prize share: 1/3

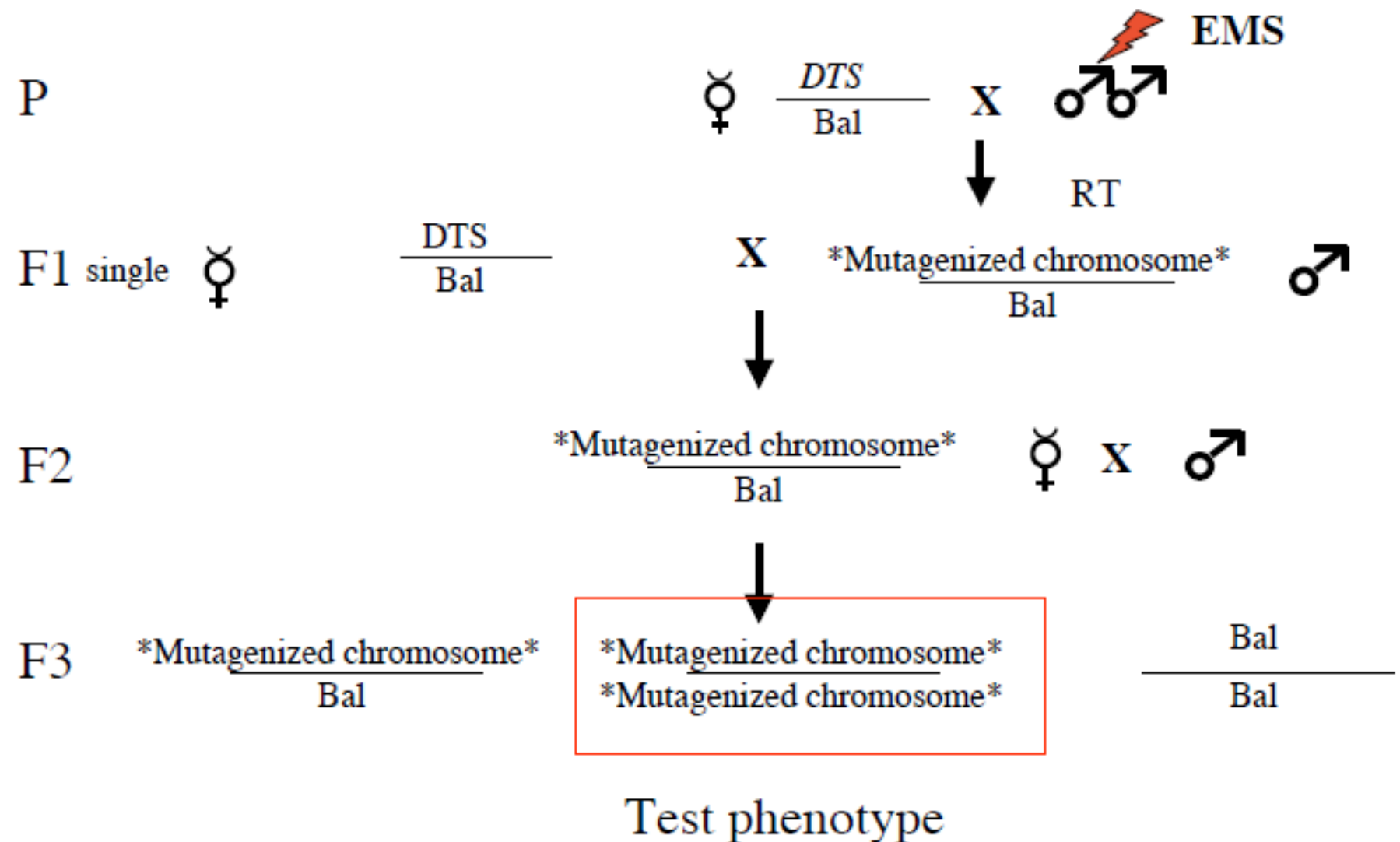


Christiane Nüsslein-Volhard
Prize share: 1/3

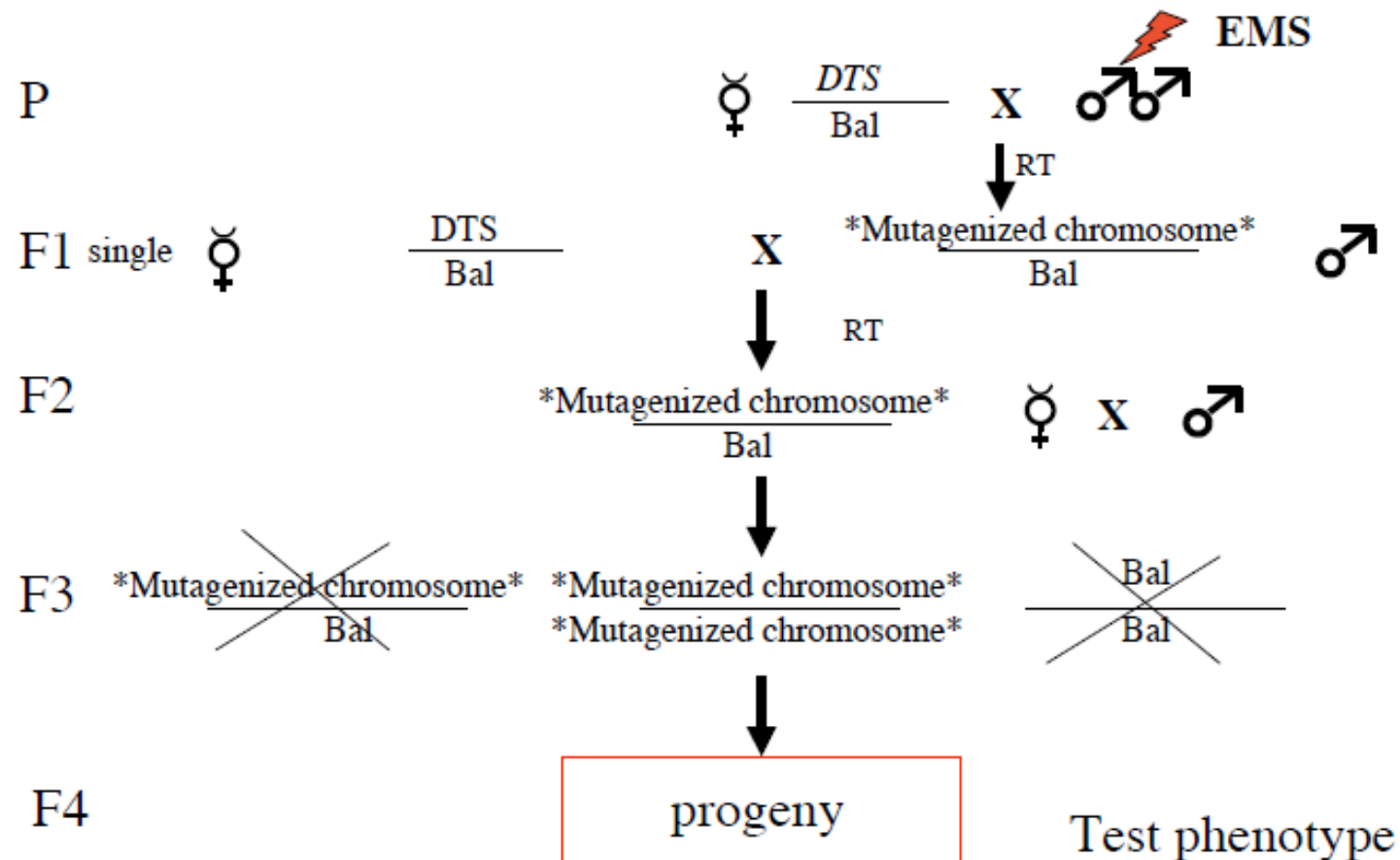


Eric F. Wieschaus
Prize share: 1/3

General mutagenesis approach to isolate zygotic genes



Screen for maternal effect mutants



C. Elegans screens

The Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine 2002



Sydney Brenner
Prize share: 1/3



H. Robert Horvitz
Prize share: 1/3



John E. Sulston
Prize share: 1/3

The Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine 2002 was awarded jointly to Sydney Brenner, H. Robert Horvitz and John E. Sulston *"for their discoveries concerning genetic regulation of organ development and programmed cell death"*.

C. Elegans screens

- Morphology, locomotion, muscle ...: uncorordinated, rolled
- PAR genes
- Apoptosis pathway voir TD

1^{ère} Limitation majeure

Une grande proportion des gènes agissent dans de multiples processus

2^{ème} Limitation majeure

A large fraction of genes have no obvious knockout phenotypes

Des solutions

- Mutations conditionnelles
- Fond génétique « sensibilisé pour détecter des pertes de fonctions ou activation partielles
- Cribles modificateurs
- Synthetic screens
- Cribles surexpression
- Cribles dans des tissus spécifiques ou en utilisant des mosaïques génétiques
- Crible pour expression gène (avec “reporters”)

D. Mutants conditionnels

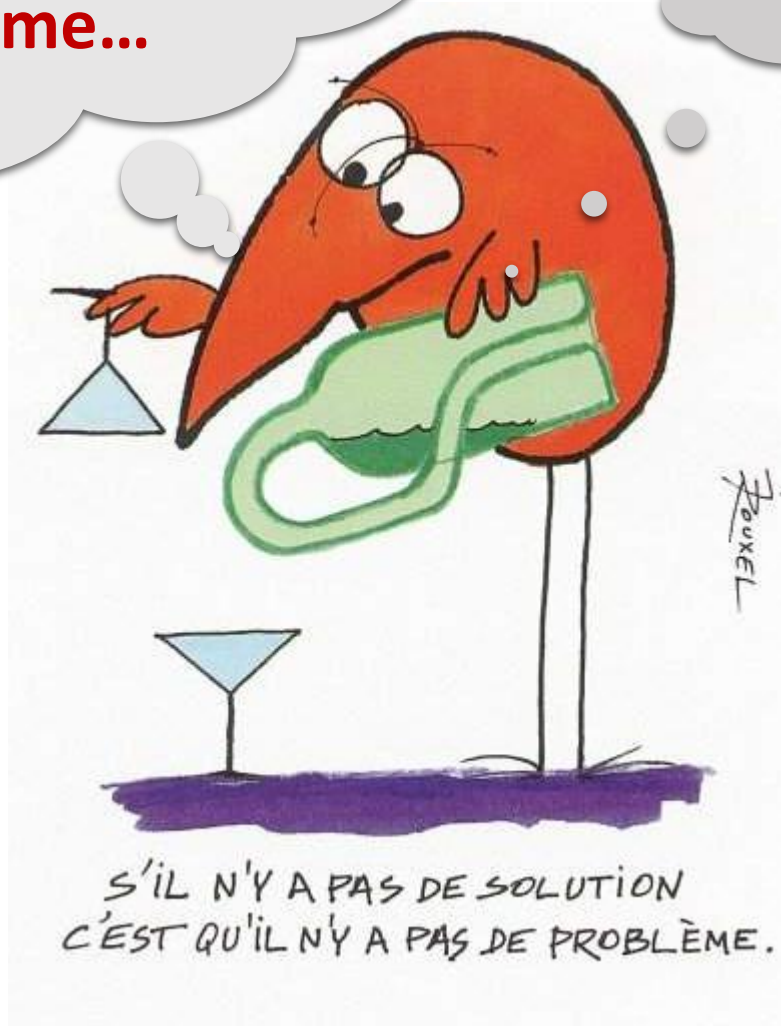
- **Ts, Cs, Salt-sensitive, degon....**
- They allow us to
 - easily work with mutations in essential genes (voir above cdc^{ts} in yeast).
 - To study phenotypes at late stages
 - to observe changes in the organism as we change from permissive to non-permissive conditions.

D. Mutants conditionnels

- **Temperature sensitive (ts), cold sensitive (cs) , Salt-sensitive,**
- They allow us to
 - easily work with mutations in essential genes (excdc^{ts} in yeast).
 - To study phenotypes at late stages of development (fly)
 - to observe changes in the organism as we change from permissive to non-permissive conditions.

Avec la
thermosensibilité,
plus de problème...

ts... ts...
ts...



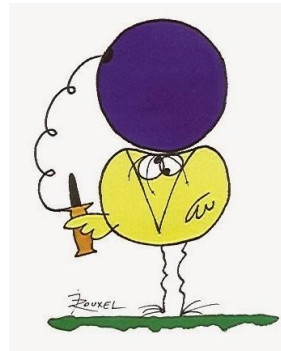
What does a conditional phenotype mean at a molecular level?

1) ts-synthesis.

2) ts-activity.

3) ts-stability.

4) ts-process.



30°C

Température
permissive



42°C

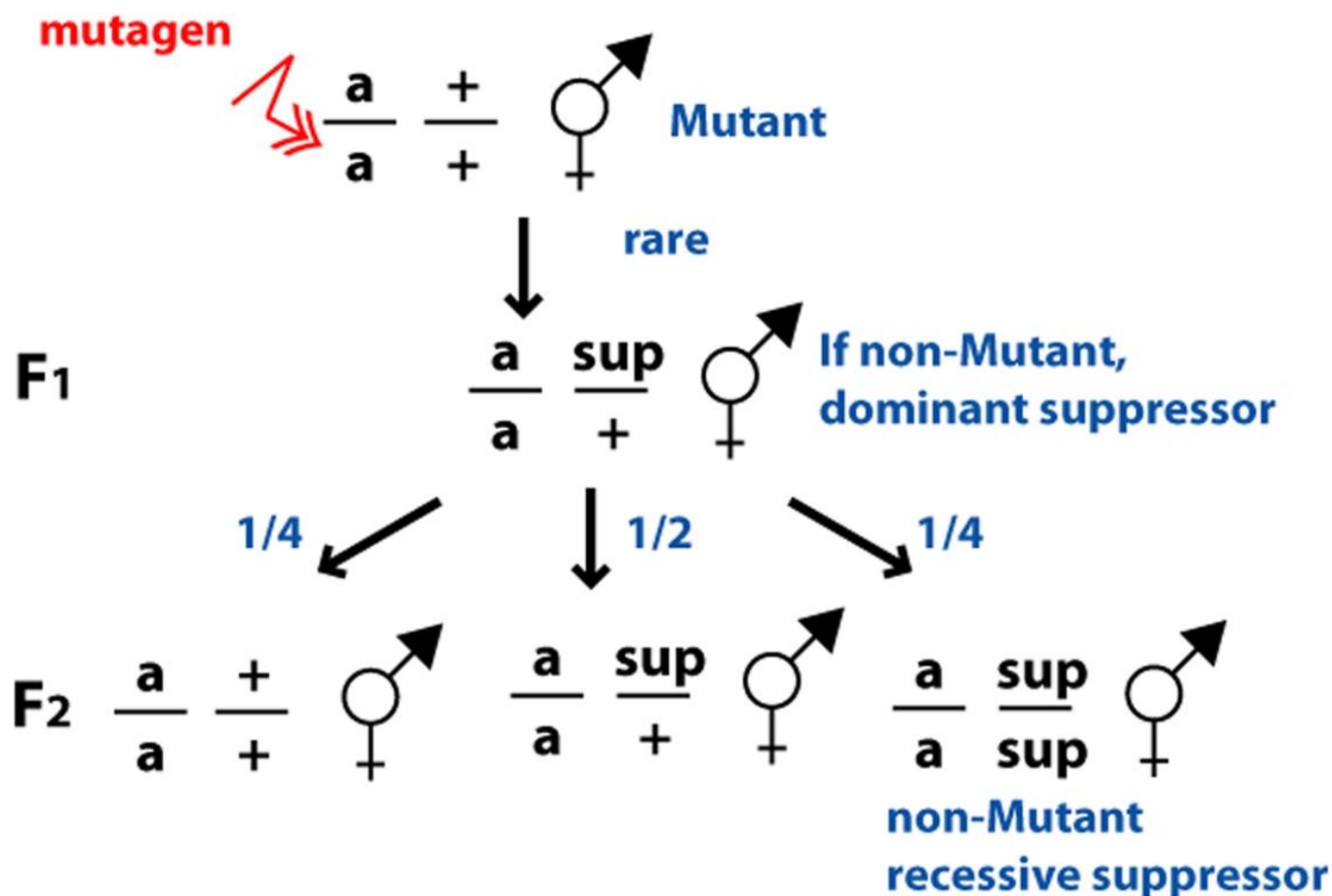
Température
non permissive

D. Cribles basés sur interactions génétique

- Suppression
- Agravation
- Colétabilité

Pourquoi étudier l'effet de double-mutations?

- **Genetic interactions reflect functional interaction between genes**
- **Relationship of complex genotypes to complex phenotypes**
- **Conserved genetic interactions may be applicable to humans**

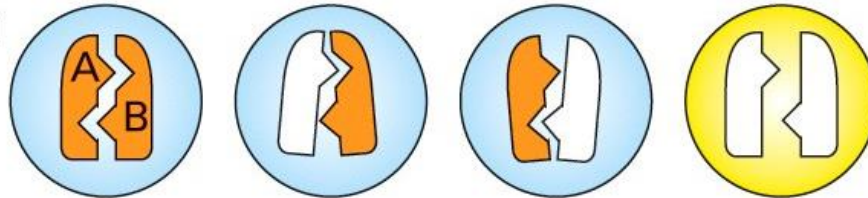


Synthetic Lethal Mutations

(b) Synthetic lethality 1

Genotype	AB	aB	Ab	ab
Phenotype	Wild type	Partial defect	Partial defect	Severe defect

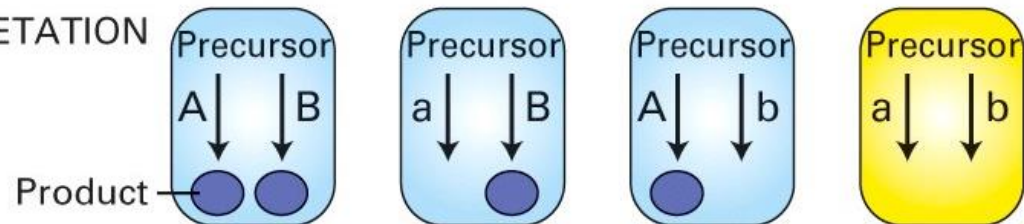
INTERPRETATION



(c) Synthetic lethality 2

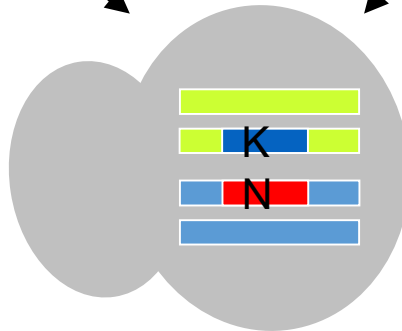
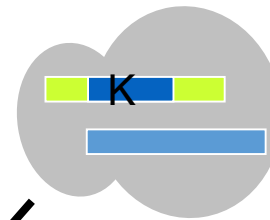
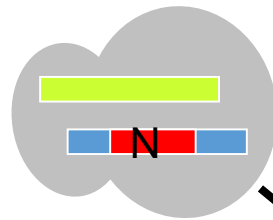
Genotype	AB	aB	Ab	ab
Phenotype	Wild type	Wild type	Wild type	Mutant

INTERPRETATION



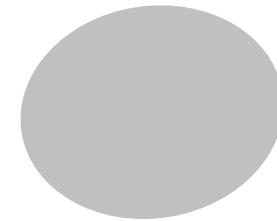
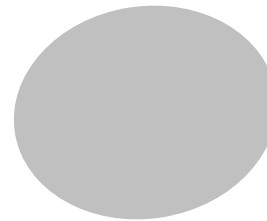
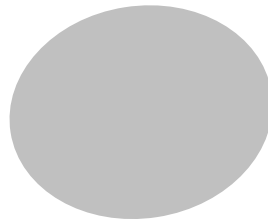
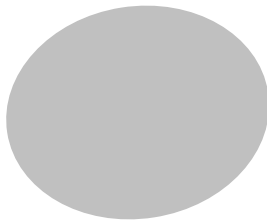
KO gène connu,
étiqueté NR

Collection KO étiquetés KR
Ordonnée



Sélection 2n (NR, KR)
-> collection 2n

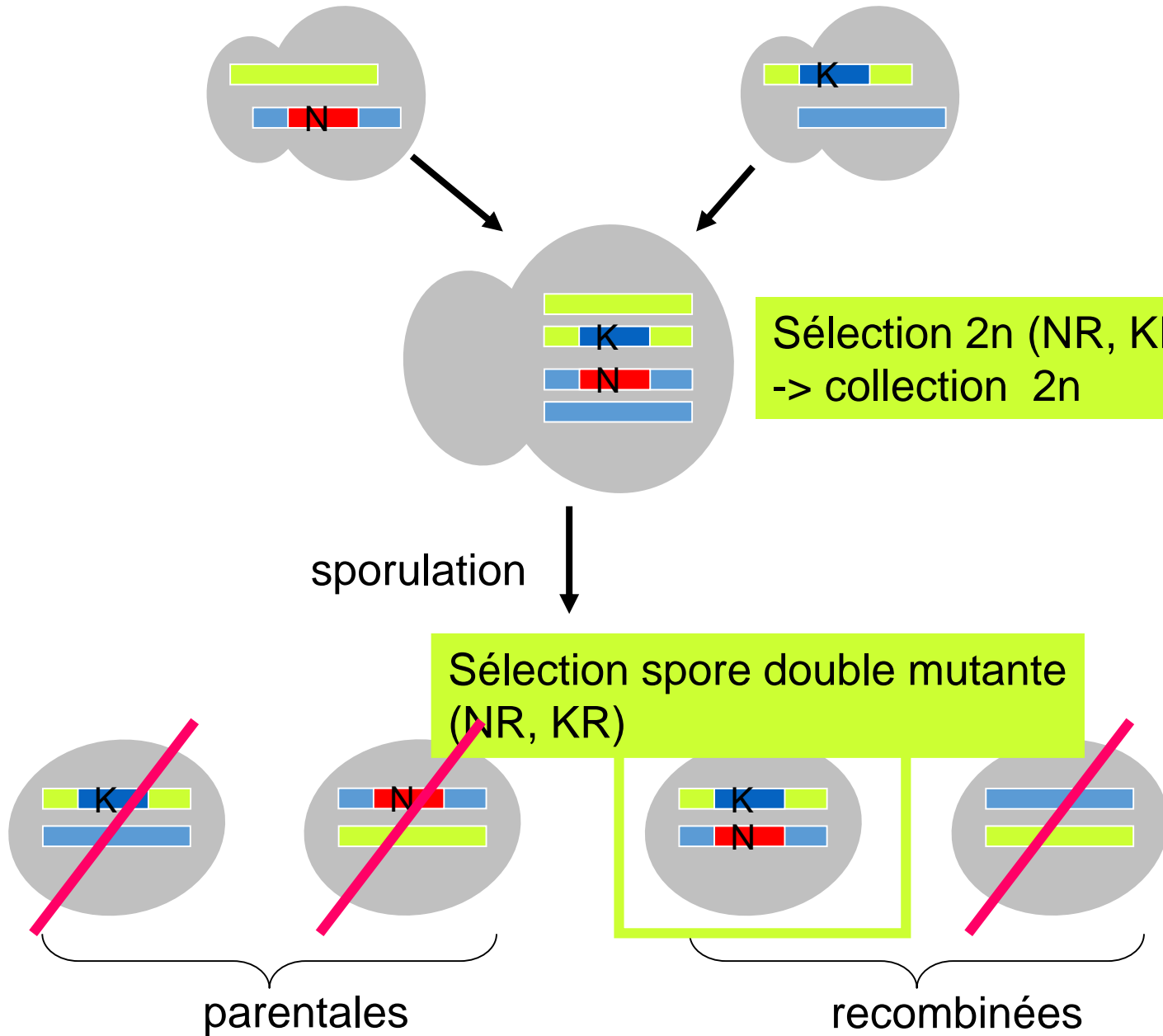
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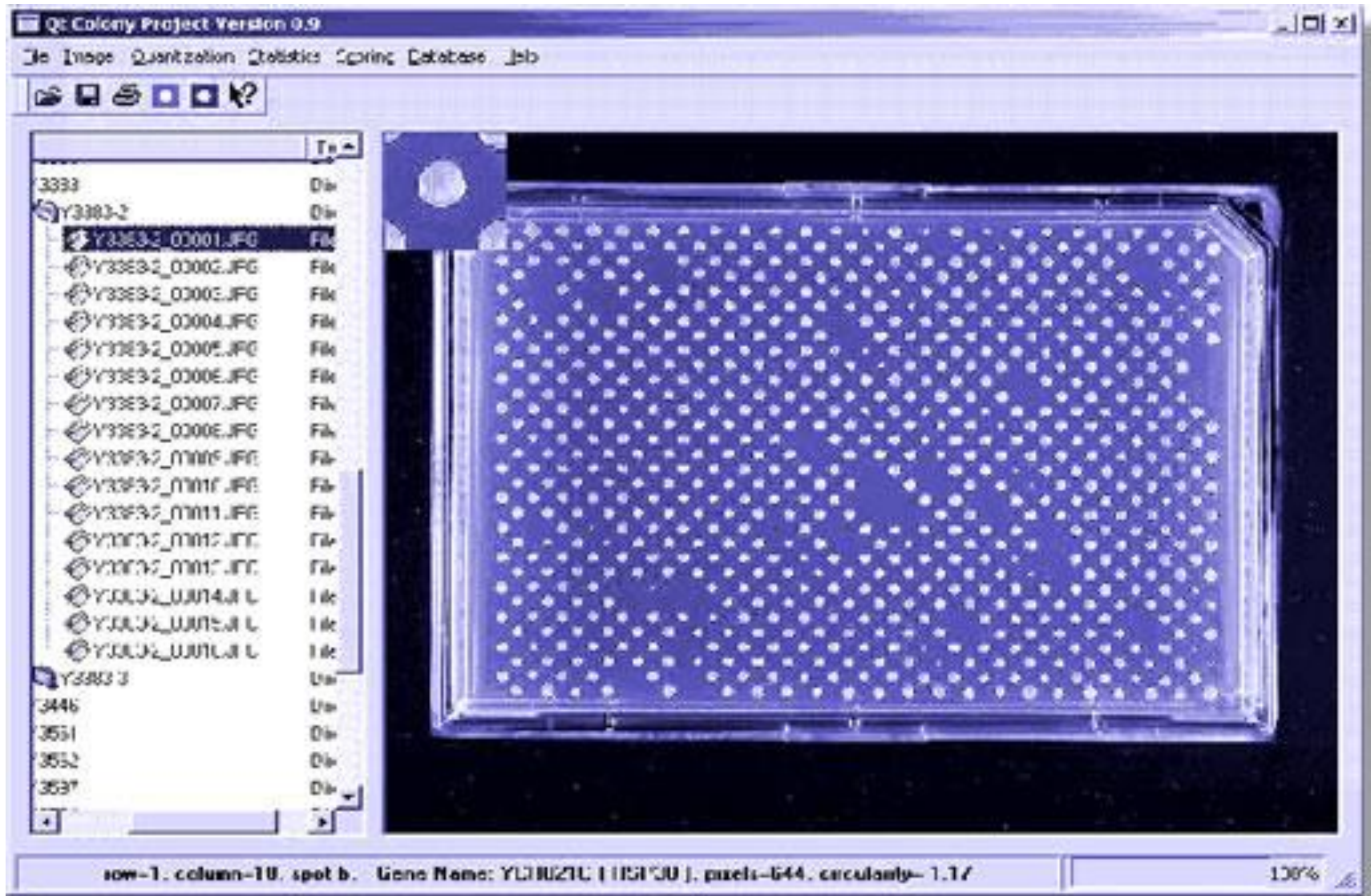
Sélection haploïdes

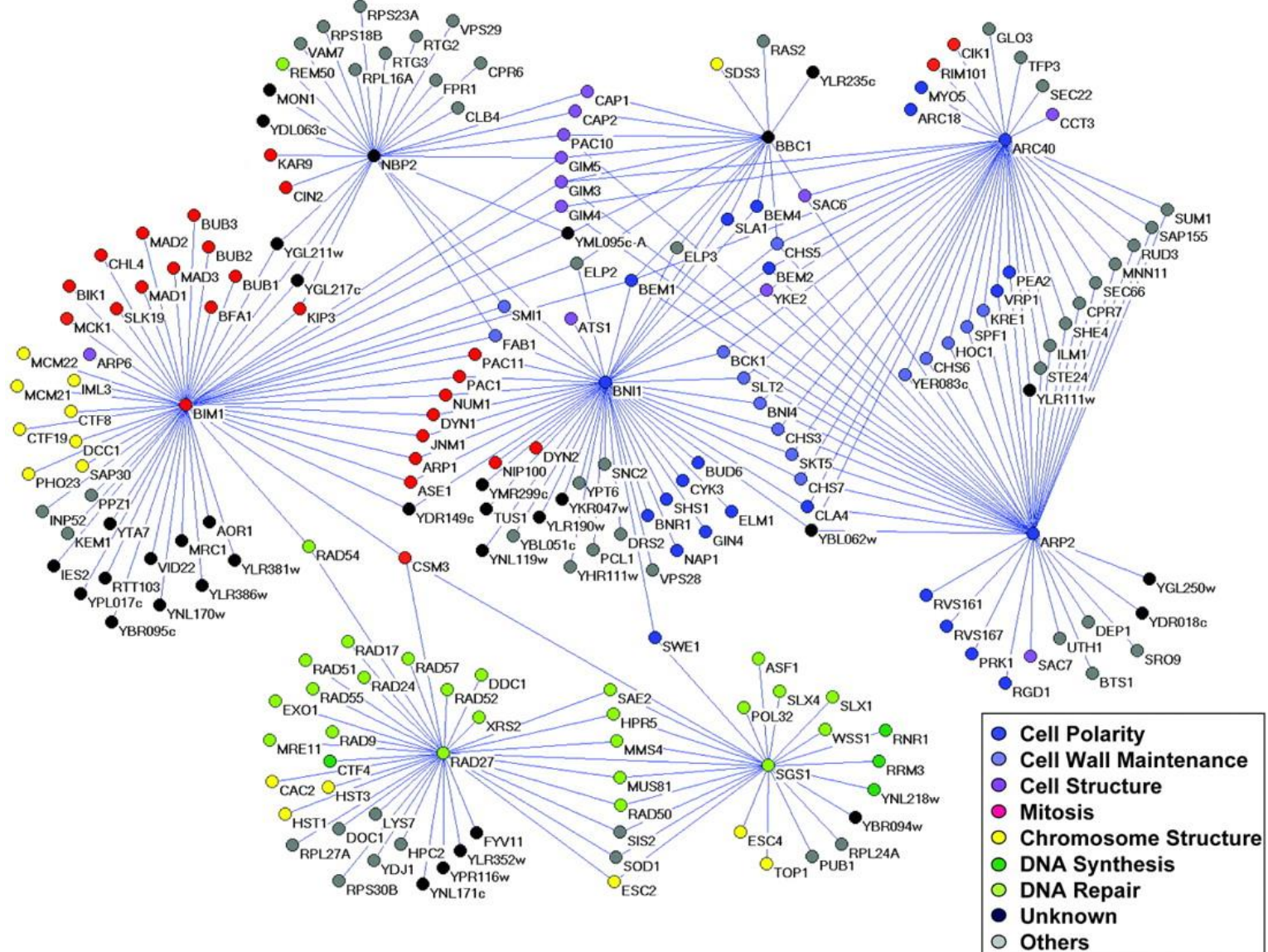
KO gène connu,
étiqueté NR

Collection KO étiquetés KR
Ordonnée



Automated scoring





132 délétants croisés avec la collection knock-out

1000 interactions SL soit: **34 interactions par gène!!!**

Tong et al. Science 2001

Advantages:

The potential to systematically survey the entire genome for any desired genetic interactions

Can be largely automated

Disadvantages:

High false positive rate (e.g. sporulation/germination defects)

Linked genes will be underrepresented (or false positives)

Only uses complete nulls

Essential genes not included