

## **Summary of the 2008 BER S&O Review**

- New JGI Management and Organizational Structure**
- Changes in JGI Informatics**

## **2009 JGI Five Year Strategic plan**

Dec 3-5, 2008, Report Issued March 3, 2009

- **Science**
- Management
- Operations
- Informatics

**2009**

**Total Peer-Reviewed  
Publications  
(Science/Nature/PNAS)**

**81 (18)**

**2009 citations of JGI-  
Authored Papers  
published 2005-Present**

**18,919**

***Sorghum Genome***

***Nature 2009***

**Two algal (Micromonas) Genome**

***Science 2009***



**Manuscripts in various stages of review**

*Genomic Encyclopedia of Bacteria and Archea*

*Brachypodium Genome*

*Soybean Genome*

*(under review Nature)*

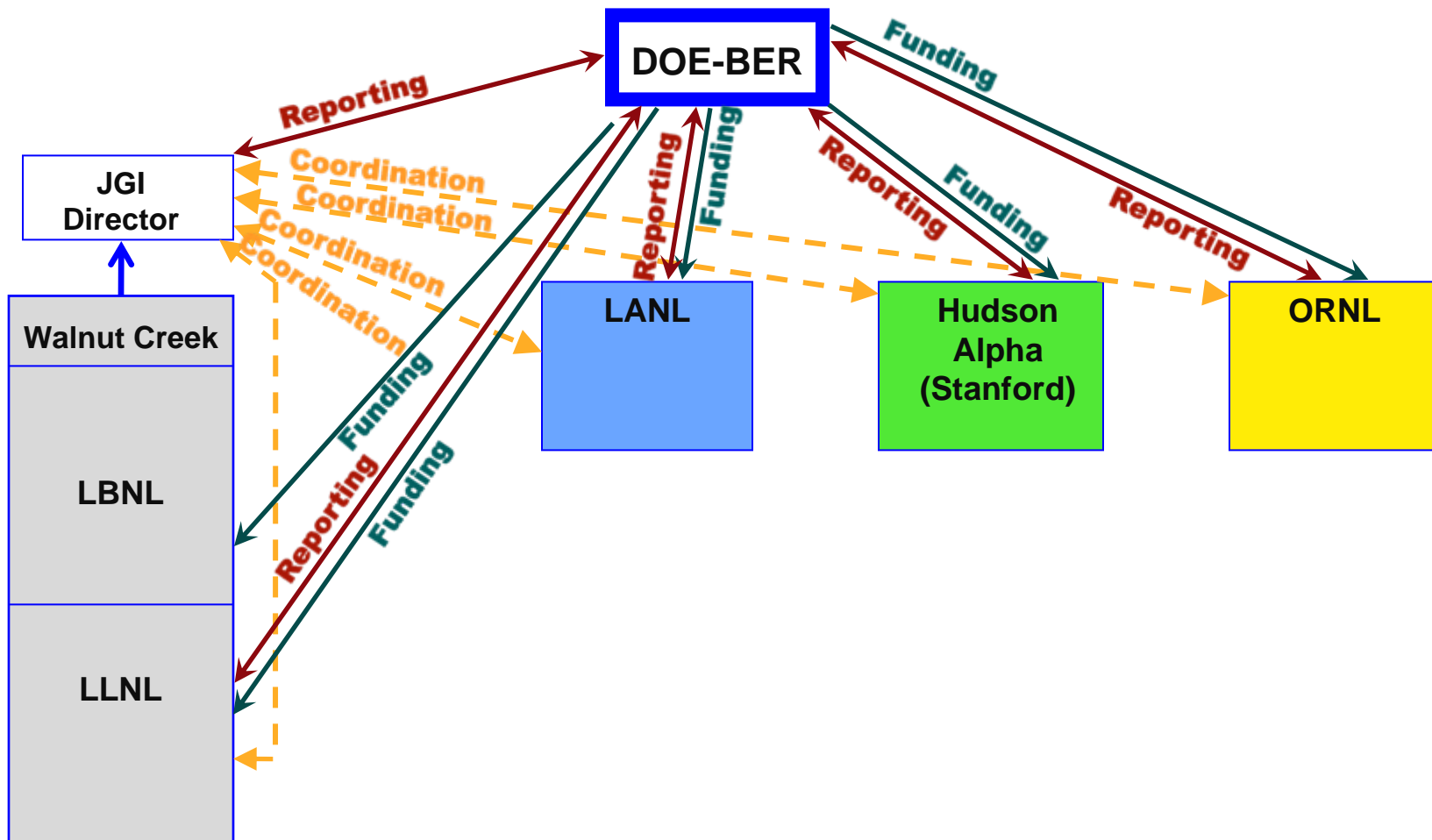
*(submitted to Science)*

*(soon to be submitted)*

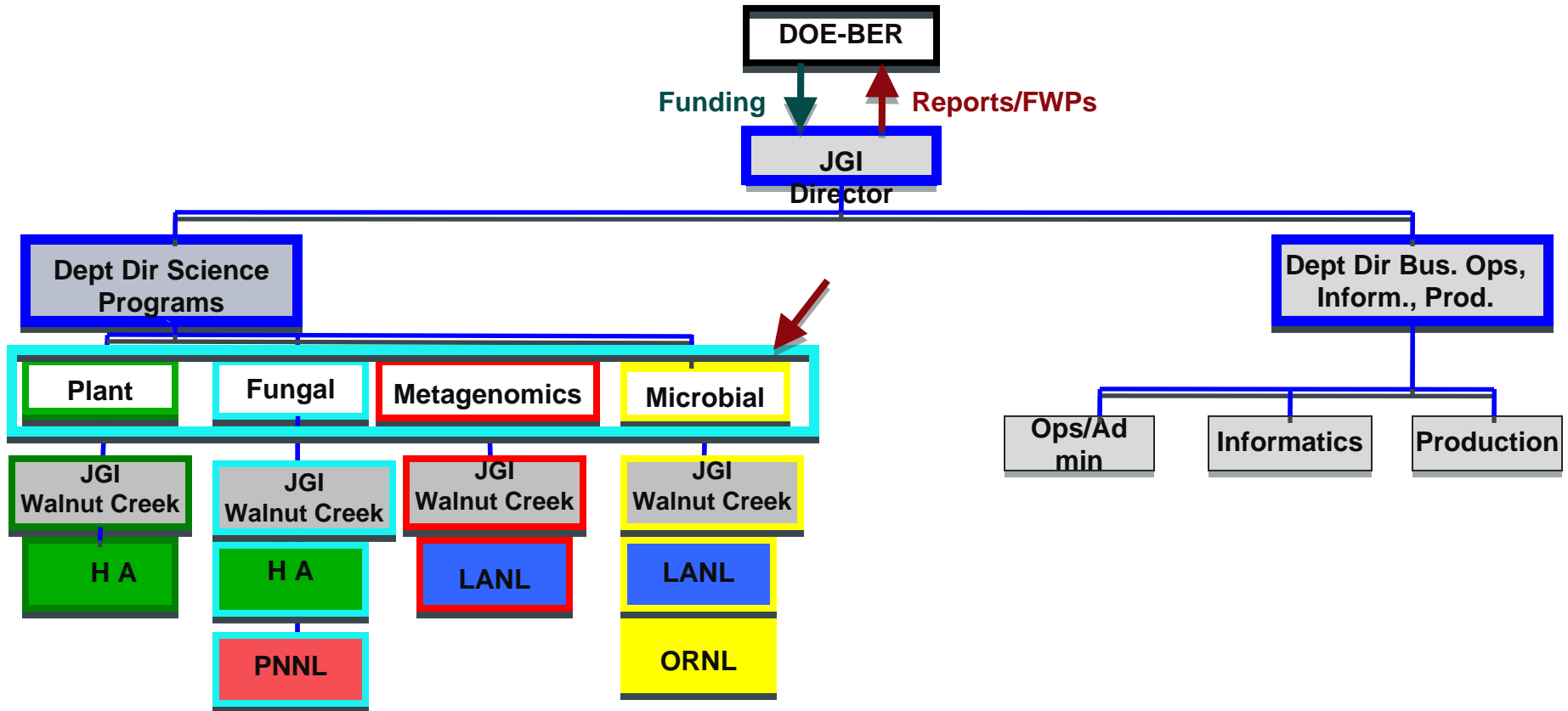
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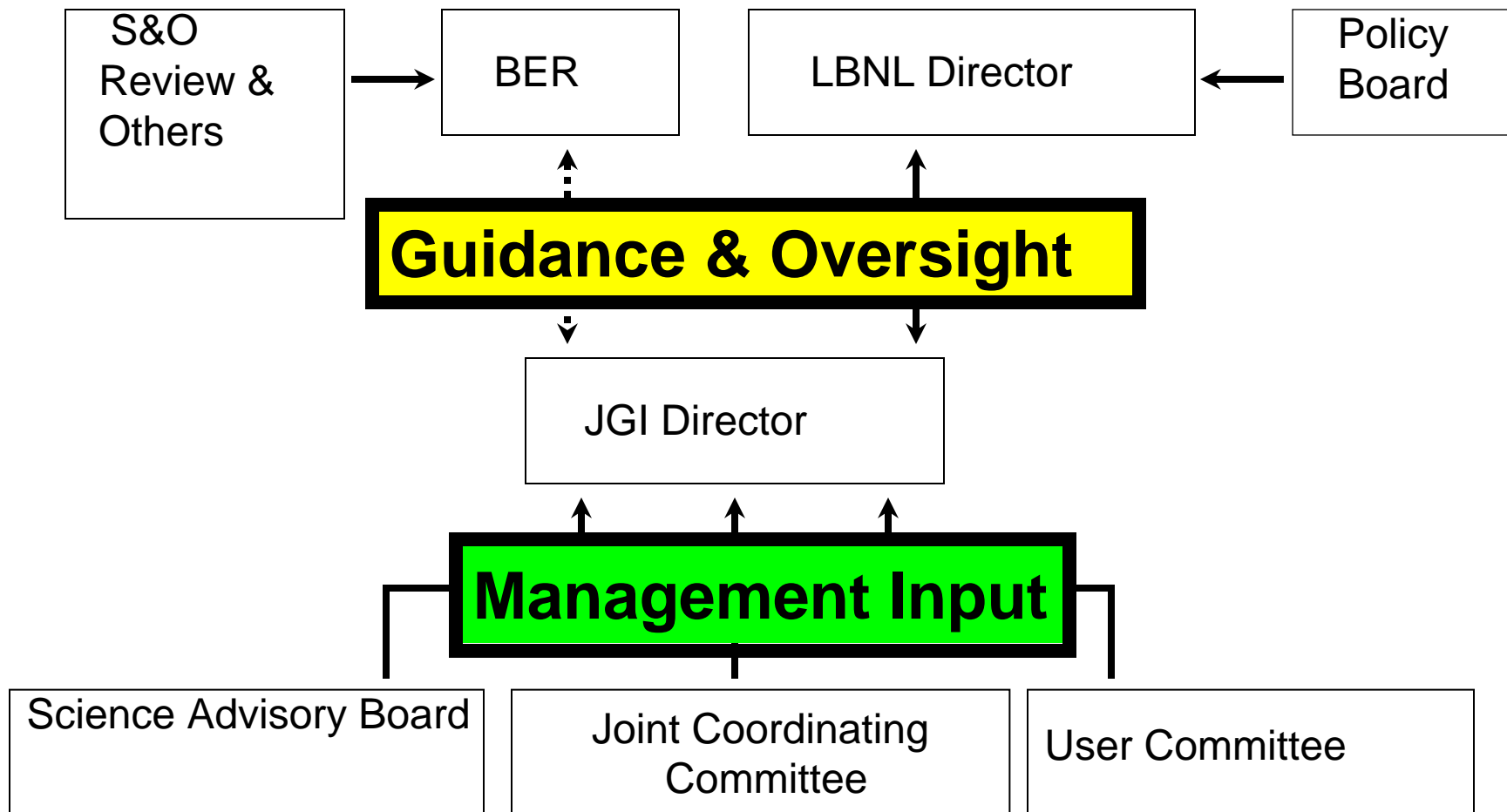
- **“Establish a centralized management and organizational structure”**
- **“Establish funding flow from LBNL to partners to align authority and responsibility”**



- Coordination of JGI Scientific Goals Unlinked to Funding and Reporting



- JGI Director Responsible and Accountable for JGI Productivity
- Organization Broken into Programs
- **Programs Coordinate the JGI Scientific Goals Linked to Funding**





**JGI Science Program Management Model Implemented**  
**Science Program Leads Named and Functioning**  
**Implemented Program Based Financial Planning & Reporting**

*(Science based programmatic funding decisions have already been made)*

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## **“Remedy Senior Leadership Deficiencies”**

**Concern about the Informatic Planning and  
Hardware Infrastructure Faced with  
Dramatic Increases in Data Generation**

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## **Informatics Advisory Committee** *(New advisory group)*

**First meeting scheduled Dec 09**

## I. ARRA Funding Targeted for IT Upgrades: \$11.1M

### Funding Received-August 7<sup>th</sup>

Add Infrastructure for Management, Storage and Movement of Genome-Scale Datasets

*Increase Storage (100% increase)*

*Upgrade JGI's Central Computing Cluster (200% increase)*

*Upgrade ESNet Access*



## II. Explore the DOE National Lab's high performance computing capabilities to help JGI's data intense challenges

### Projects already underway or being developed



#### Using ScalaBLAST for Metagenomics

- Porting ScalaBLAST to JGI clusters; help parallelize short read assembler



#### Working with JGI on designing computing nodes

- Scientific engagement with JGI on computational challenges
- IMG update using large BLAST runs focusing on isolate genomes and potentially some of the new Titanium metagenome datasets



#### Two large-scale metagenomics problems identified

- Goal 1: evaluate metagenome assembly by using simulated dataset
- Goal 2 : evaluate gene calling through a large blastx search against NR using joined Illumina pair-end reads.
- Argonne team identified to assist JGI team



- Assisted IMG in solving contentious parallel computing bug
- Working with JGI on designing computing nodes
- Possible Site for Remote Computing

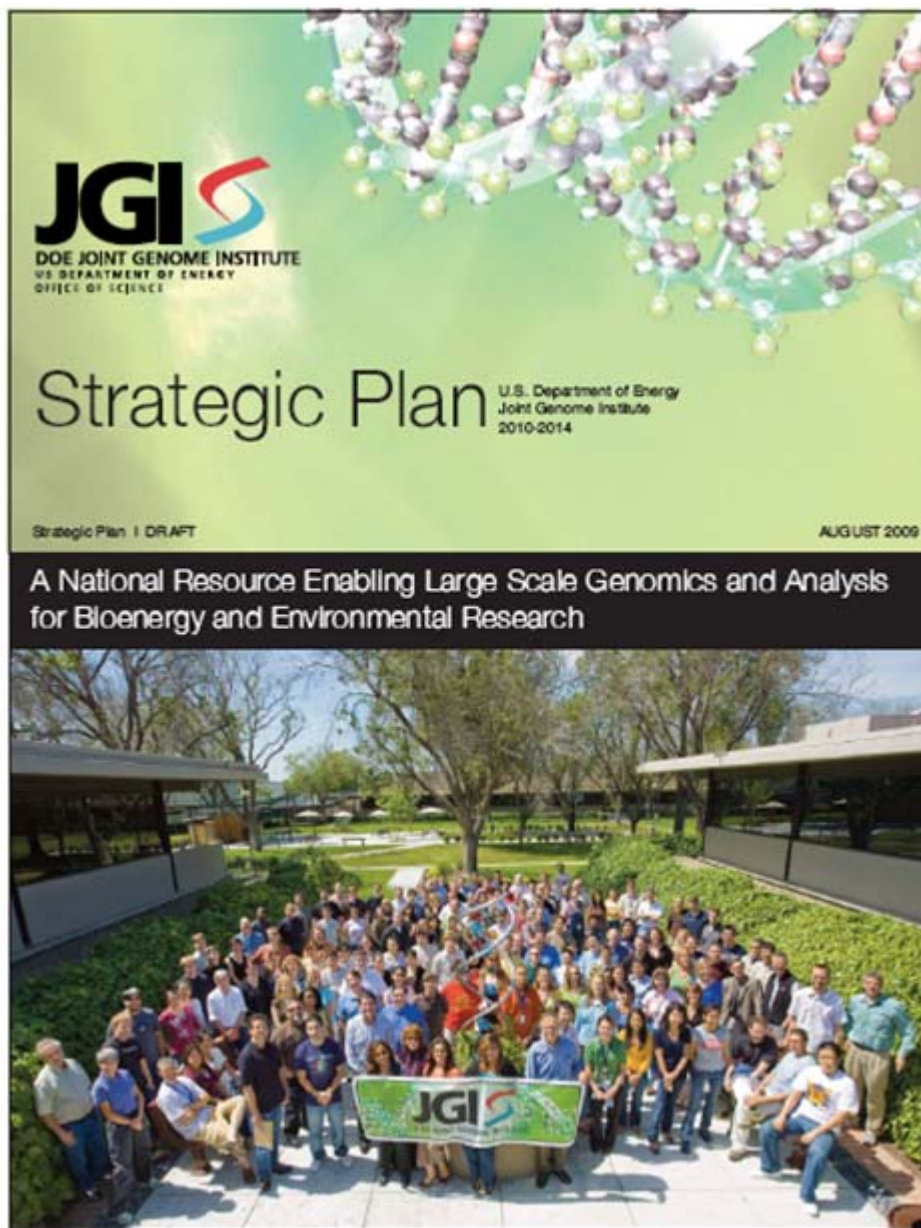
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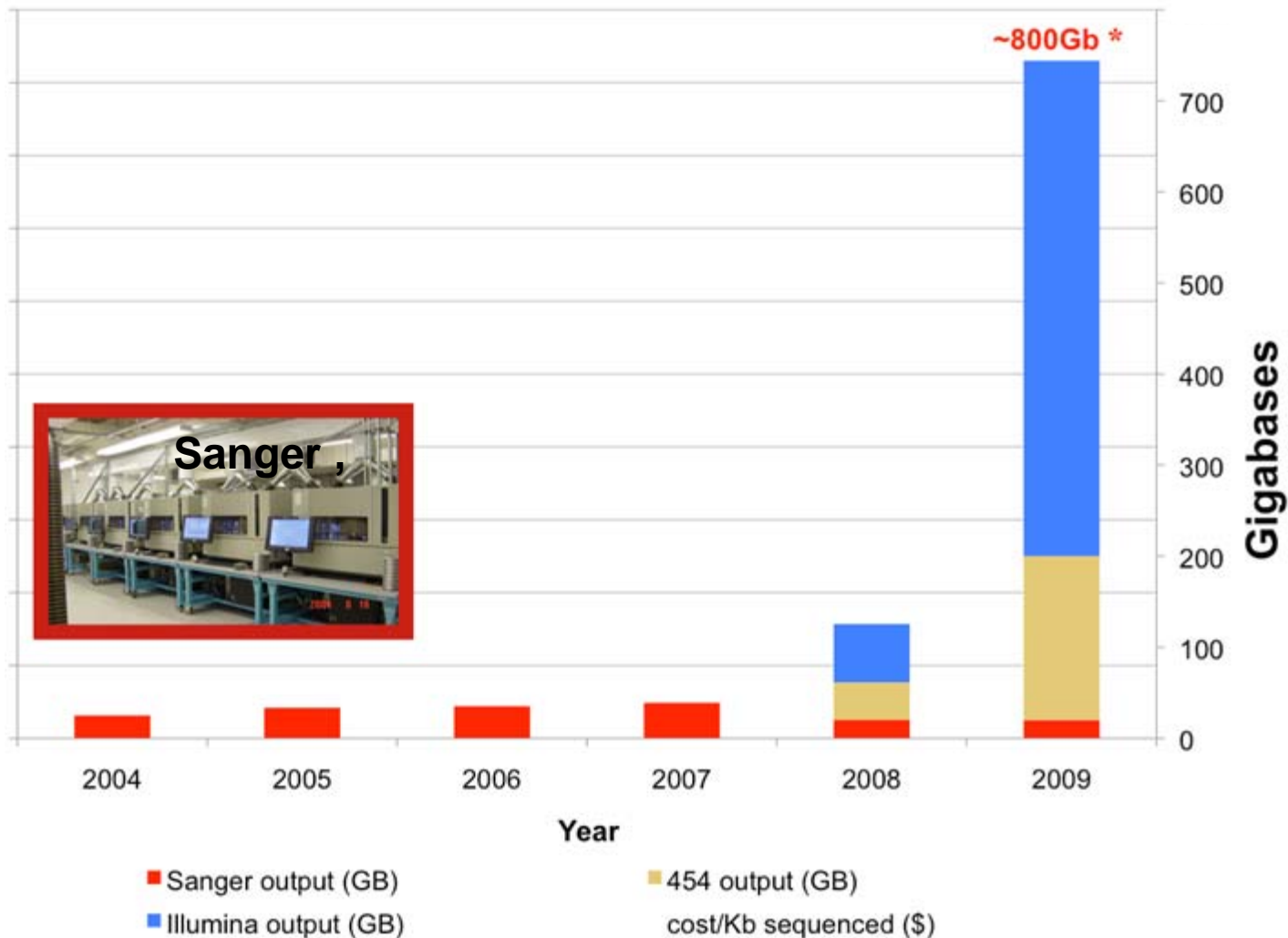
**Recruiting leadership to strategically as well as tactically chart the JGI's informatic directions.**

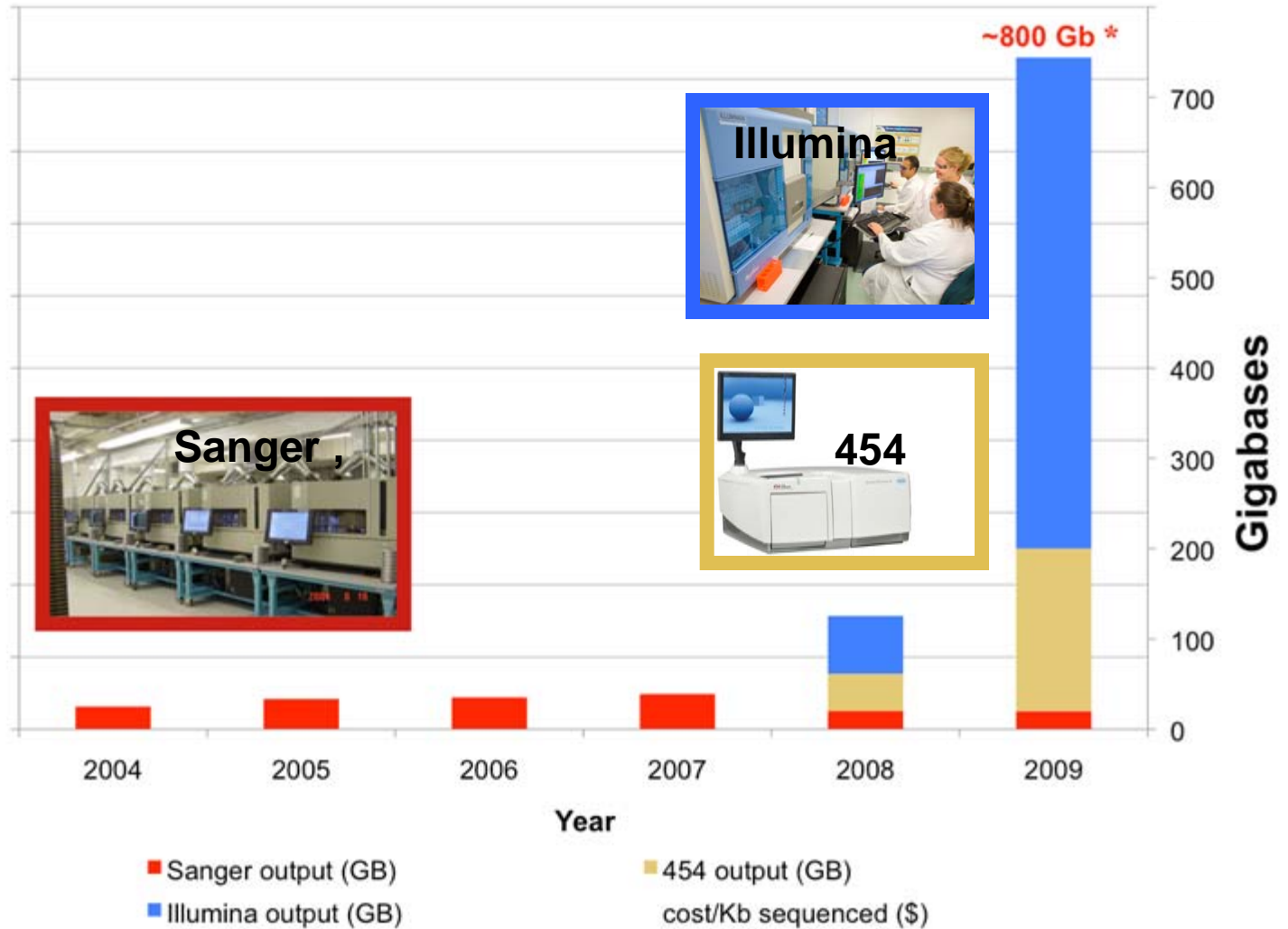
**Additional informatic personnel and hardware.**

**Engaging the DOE National Labs to adapt their high performance computing capabilities to address JGI needs**

- **23 Committee Recommendations**
  - Informatics (10 Recommendations)
  - Operations & Safety (7 Recommendations)
  - Science (4 Recommendations)
  - Management (2 Management)
- **JGI Corrective Action Status**
  - All Recommendations are either fully implemented or are in the process of be implemented
- **Corrective Action Milestones-Reviewed by JGI Senior Managers and Communicated with BER**







## **Mission:**

User Facility for Large Scale Genomics and Analysis  
to Enable Bioenergy and Environmental Research

## **Unique Capabilities**

In carrying out genomics of focus, scale, and complexity  
to help users solve important but hard DOE relevant problems

# Plants, Microbes, Metagenomes User Facility



Genome of a white-rot fungus  
Boosting essential oils in plants  
Imaging cancer drug effects on HER2

Technologies were presented

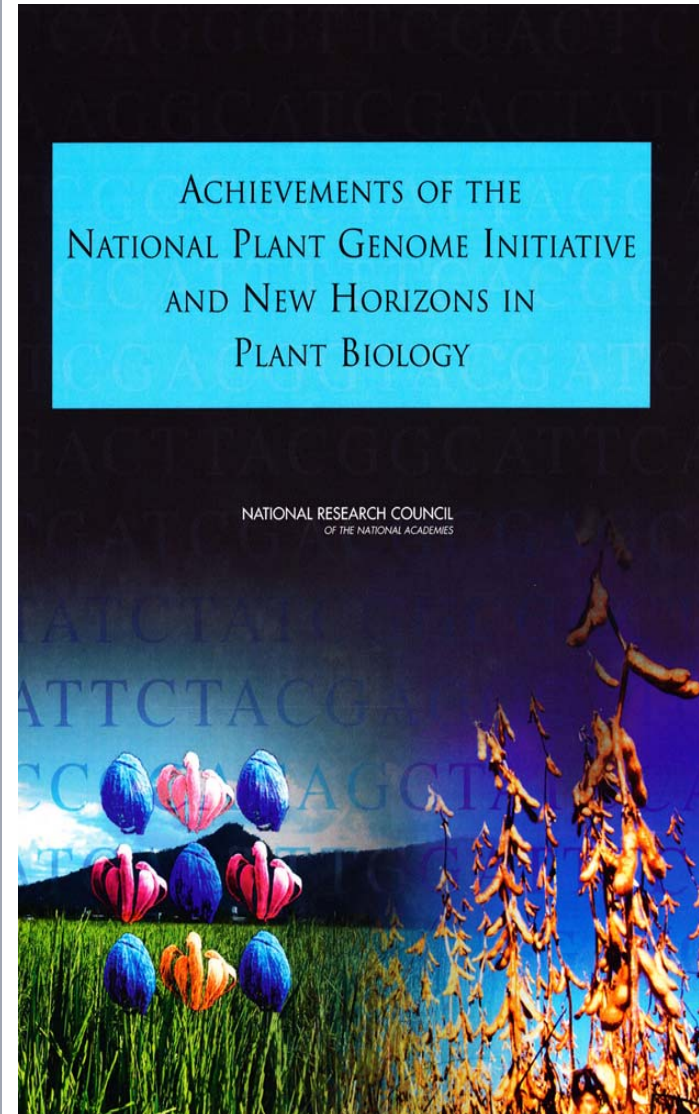




ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE  
NATIONAL PLANT GENOME INITIATIVE  
AND NEW HORIZONS IN  
PLANT BIOLOGY

NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL  
OF THE NATIONAL ACADEMIES

**“It is critical that JGI continue to serve a broad remit for sequencing and resequencing of plant genomes...”**



*Populus trichocarpa*  
*Chlamydomonas reinhardtii*  
*Physcomitrella patens*  
*Sorghum bicolor*  
*Glycine max*  
*Panicum virgatum*  
*Miscanthus x giganteus*  
*Volvox carteri*  
*Arabidopsis lyrata*  
*Selaginella moellendorffii*  
*Brachypodium distachyon*  
*Mimulus guttatus*  
*Manihot esculenta*  
*Prunus persica*  
*Setaria italica*  
*Capsella rubella*  
*Aquilegia coerulea*  
*Gossypium raimondii*  
*Eucalyptus grandis*  
*Phaseolus vulgaris*  
*Zea mays (Mo17 inbred)*

*black cottonwood*  
*chlorophyte alga*  
*bryophyte moss*  
*sorghum*  
*soybean*  
*switchgrass*  
*miscanthus*  
*multicellular green alga*  
*Lyrate rockcress*  
*lycophyte fern*  
*false purple brome*  
*monkeyflower*  
*cassava*  
*peach*  
*foxtail millet*  
*Pink Shepherd's purse*  
*Goldsmith columbine*  
*diploid cotton*  
*rose gum*  
*Common bean*  
*maize*



# Flagship Plant Genomes (High Priority Organisms)

- Produce higher quality accurate and well annotated genomes
- Add additional information



*Sorghum Bicolor*



*Chlamydomonas*



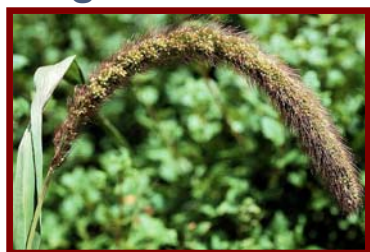
*Brachypodium*



Poplar



Switchgrass



Foxtail millet



Soybean



*Miscanthus*

**Problem with plant genomes:  
Though we have the sequence we  
cannot assign function to most of it**

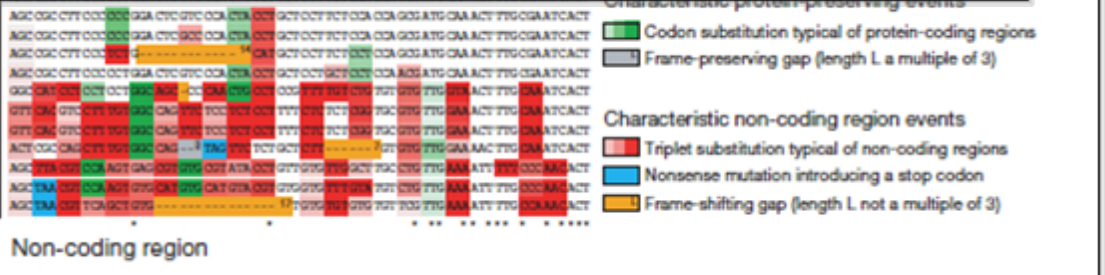
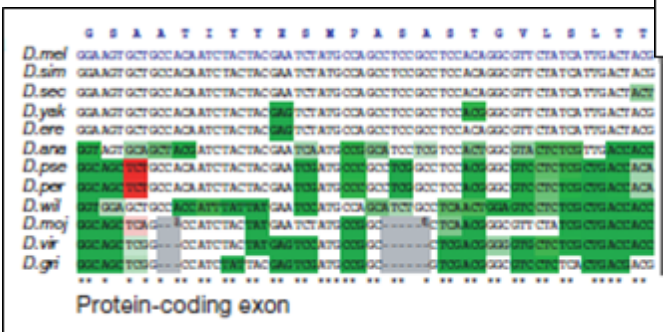
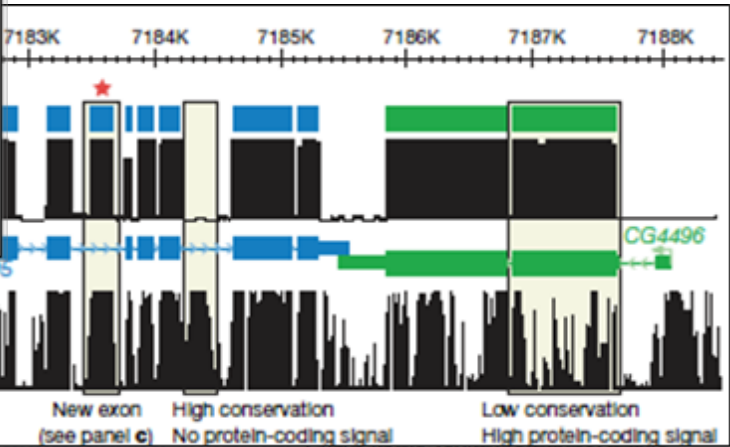
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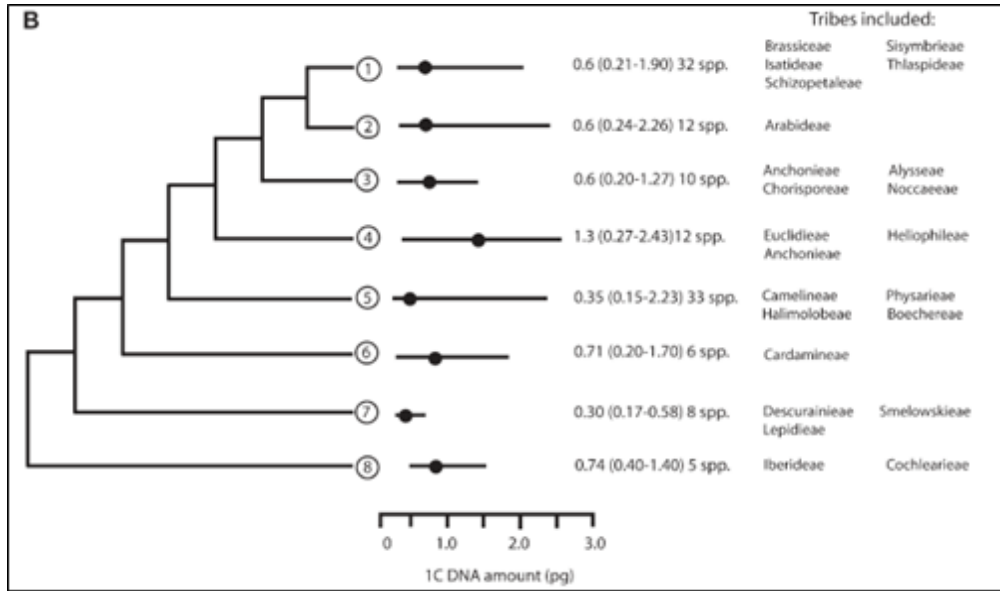
## ARTICLES

### Discovery of functional elements in 12 *Drosophila* genomes using evolutionary signatures

Alexander Stark<sup>1,2\*</sup>, Michael F. Lin<sup>1,2\*</sup>, Pouya Kheradpour<sup>2\*</sup>, Jakob S. Pedersen<sup>3,4\*</sup>, Leopold Parts<sup>5,6</sup>, Joseph W. Carlson<sup>7</sup>, Madeline A. Crosby<sup>8</sup>, Matthew D. Rasmussen<sup>2</sup>, Sushmita Roy<sup>9</sup>, Ameya N. Deoras<sup>2</sup>, J. Graham Ruby<sup>10,11</sup>, Julius Brennecke<sup>12</sup>, Harvard FlyBase curators<sup>13</sup>, Berkeley Drosophila Genome Project<sup>14</sup>, Emily Hodges<sup>12</sup>, Angie S. Hinrichs<sup>4</sup>, Anat Caspi<sup>13</sup>, Benedict Paten<sup>4,5,14</sup>, Seung-Won Park<sup>15</sup>, Mira V. Han<sup>16</sup>, Morgan L. Maeder<sup>17</sup>, Benjamin J. Polansky<sup>17</sup>, Bryanne E. Robson<sup>17</sup>, Stein Aerts<sup>18,19</sup>, Jacques van Helden<sup>20</sup>, Bassem Hassan<sup>18,19</sup>, Donald G. Gilbert<sup>21</sup>, Deborah A. Eastman<sup>17</sup>, Michael Rice<sup>22</sup>, Michael Weir<sup>23</sup>, Matthew W. Hahn<sup>16</sup>, Yongkyu Park<sup>15</sup>, Colin N. Dewey<sup>24</sup>, Lior Pachter<sup>25,26</sup>, W. James Kent<sup>4</sup>, David Haussler<sup>4</sup>, Eric C. Lai<sup>27</sup>, David P. Bartel<sup>10,11</sup>, Gregory J. Hannon<sup>12</sup>, Thomas C. Kaufman<sup>21</sup>, Michael B. Eisen<sup>28,29</sup>, Andrew G. Clark<sup>20</sup>, Douglas Smith<sup>31</sup>, Susan E. Celniker<sup>7</sup>, William M. Gelbart<sup>30,32</sup> & Manolis Kellis<sup>1,2</sup>



# JGI Pilot Project to Sequence and Analyze 12 Arabidopsis Relatives (Project Leaders: Joe Ecker, Detlef Weigel, Dan Rokhsar)

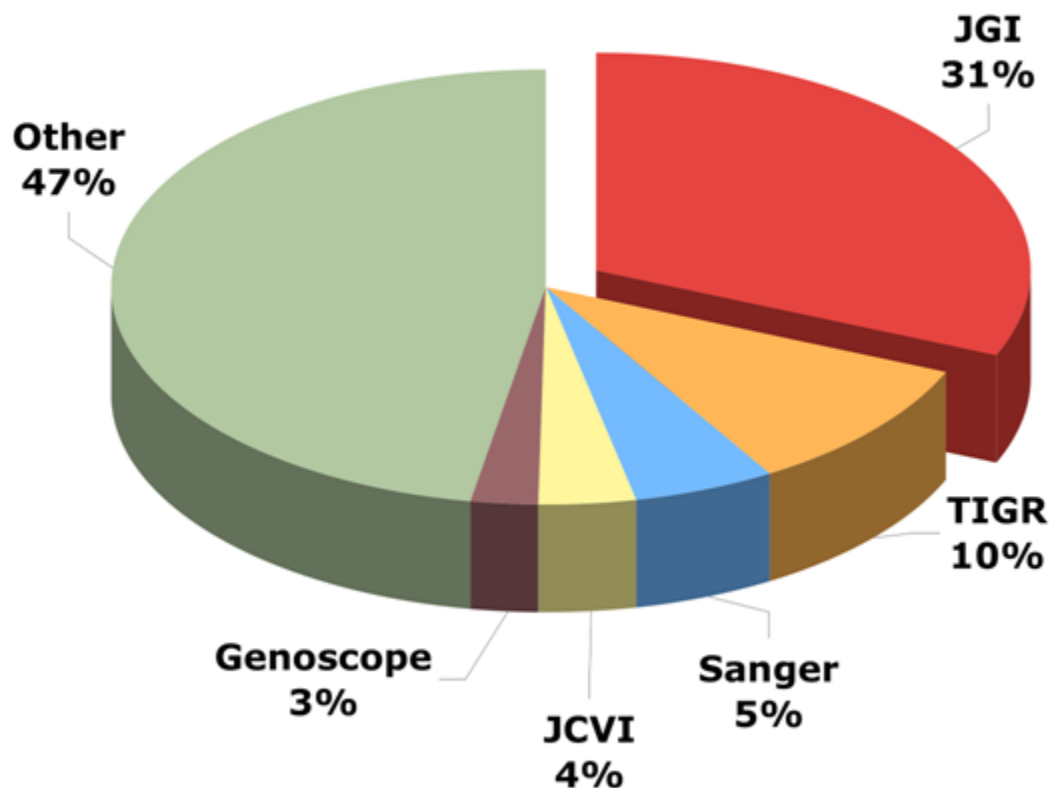


The 12 Arabidopsis Relatives Project will:

- Identify functional elements in these genomes based on evolutionary constraint
- Provide a road map for similar projects in plant groups with much larger genomes  
e.g., grasses

**Produce the genomic tools necessary to understand cell wall construction, feedstock production and carbon sequestration and sunlight energy harvesting pathways**

## Bacteria and Archaea 939 Complete Genomes (NCBI, August 2009)

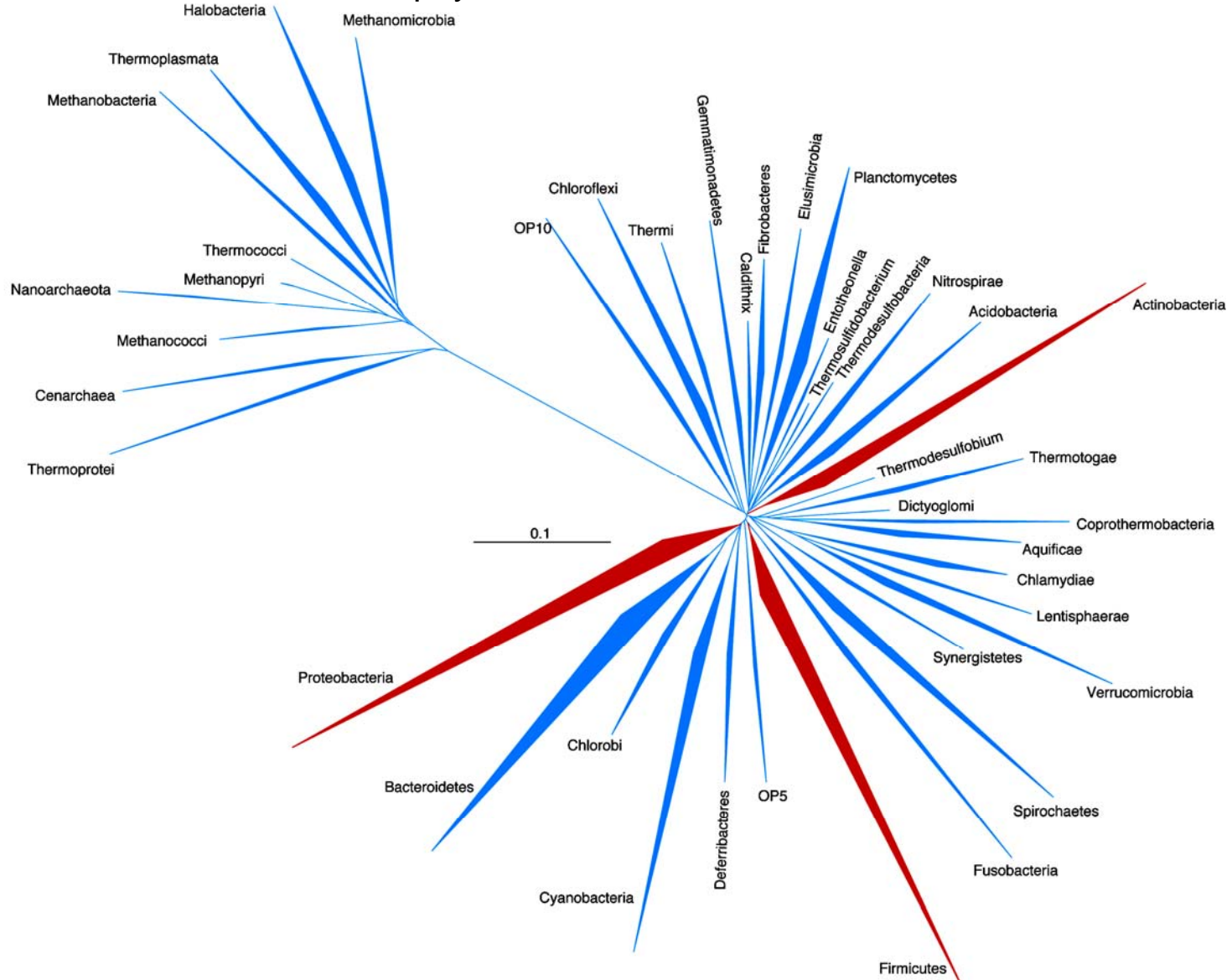


**JGI has produced ~30% of the world's complete archaeal and bacterial genomes**



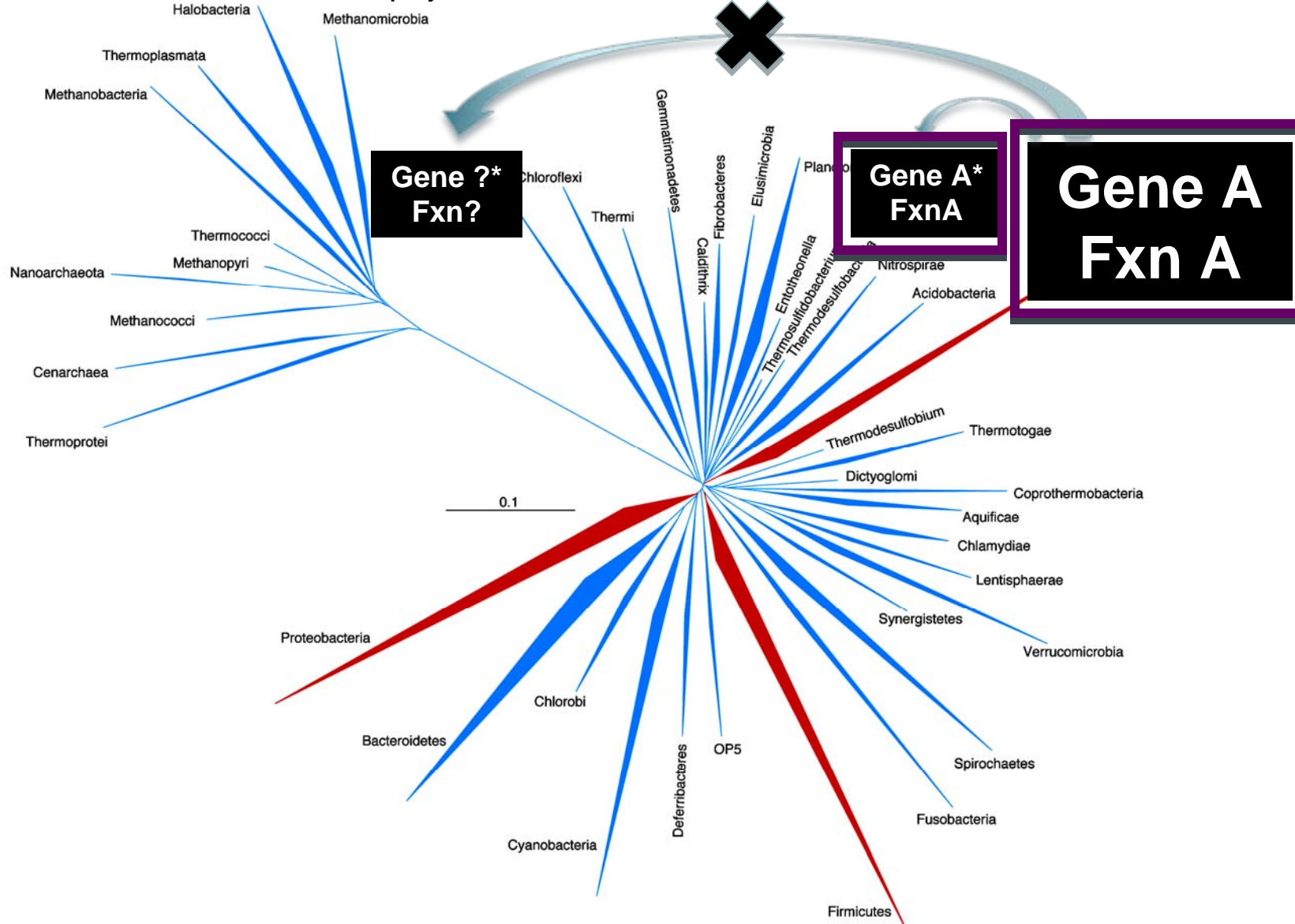
# 3/4 of sequenced genomes belong to just three bacterial phyla

bacterial and archaeal phyla with cultured isolate



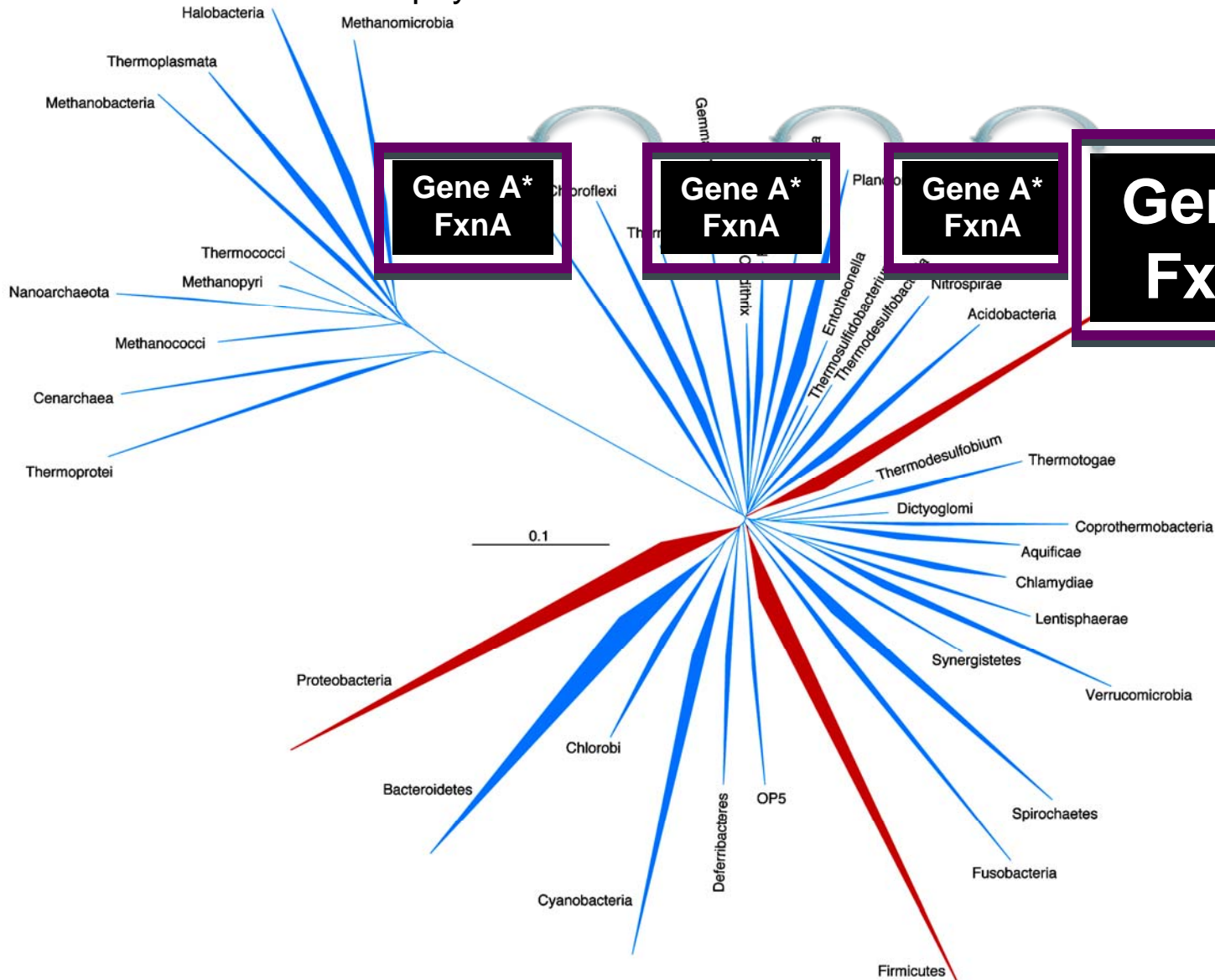
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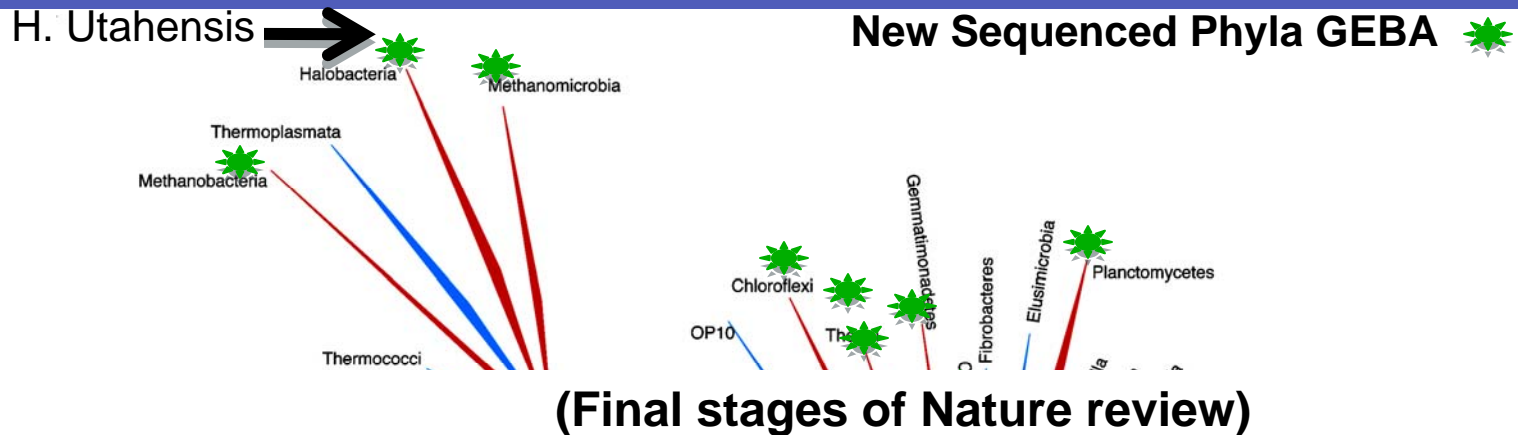


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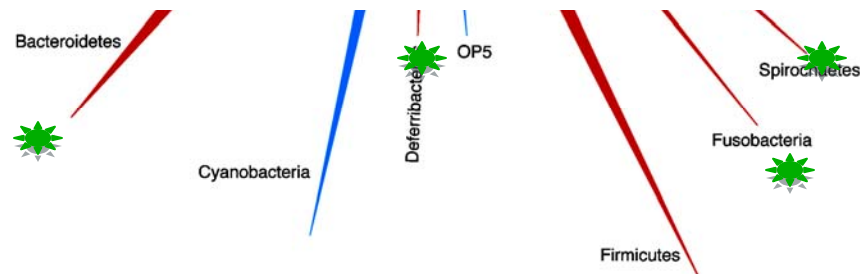


# Pilot Genomic Encyclopedia of Bacteria and Archaea GEBA (Sequencing and analysis of 64 genomes)

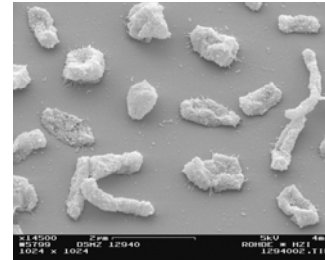


- “Significantly improves analysis of metagenomic data”
- “Markedly improves the identification of new gene families and members of gene families”

*including those of DOE relevance*



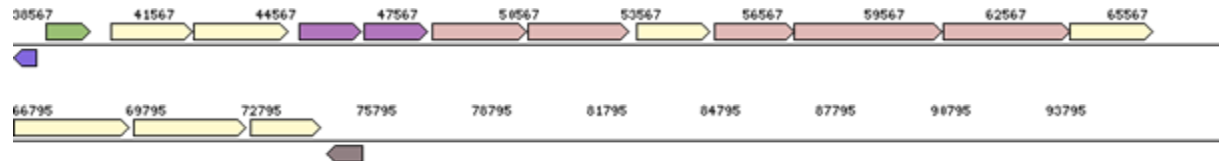
## Great Salt Lake



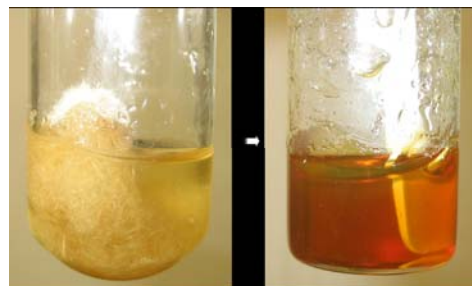
*Halorhabdus utahensis*  
27% NaCl

6x saltier than ocean

## A cellulase gene cluster



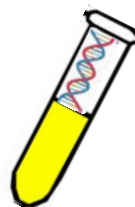
## Ionic Liquid Detergents for Cellulose Dissolution



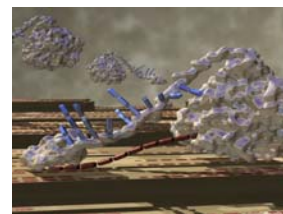
before

after

DOE Bioenergy Center (JBEI)  
of Synthesized *H. Utahensis*  
Cellulases

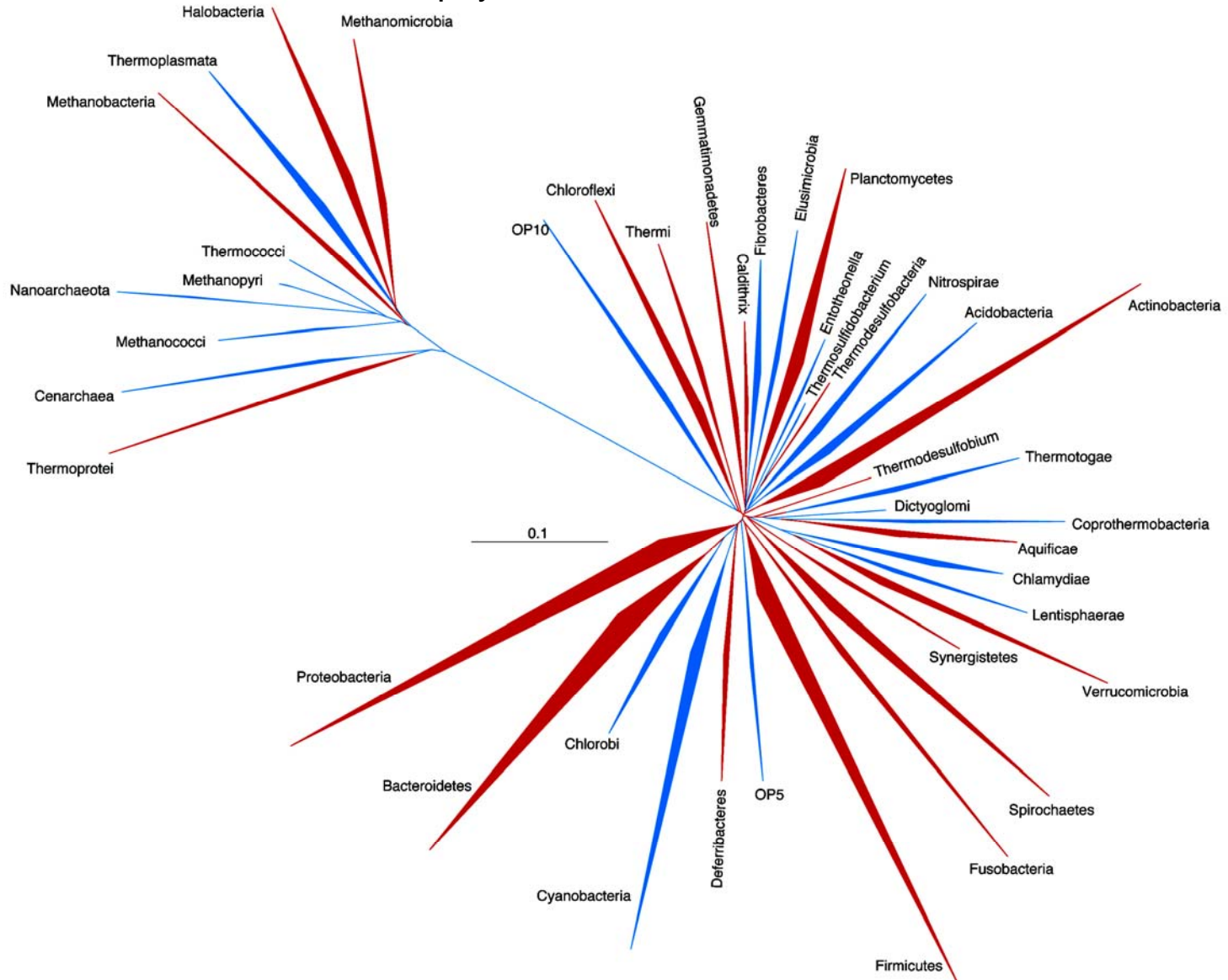


High Salt  
Cellulase Activity



# Present State of Bacteria and Archaeal Genome Coverage (post *GEBA*)

bacterial and archaeal phyla with **cultured isolate**

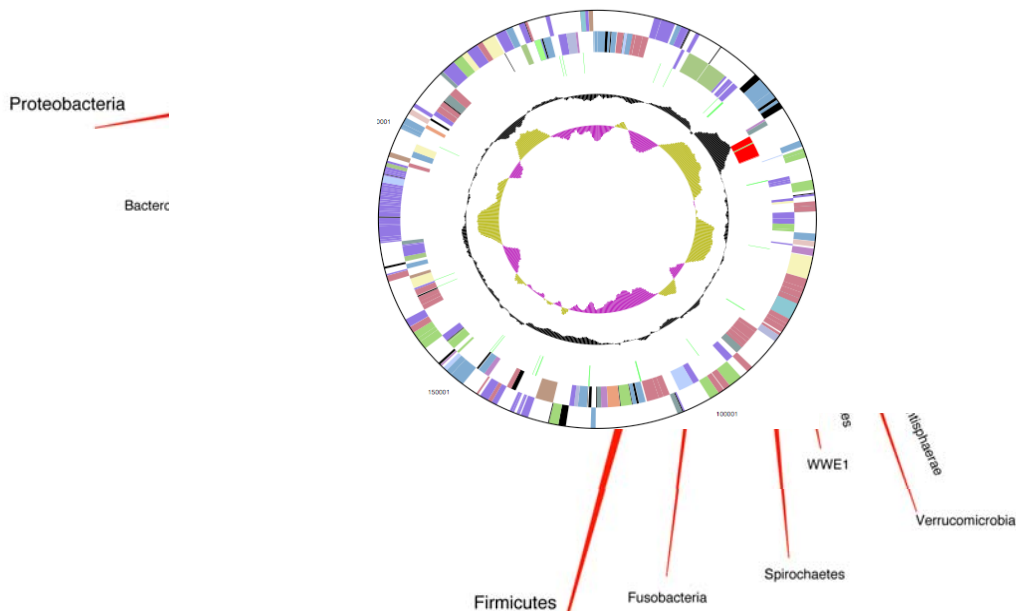
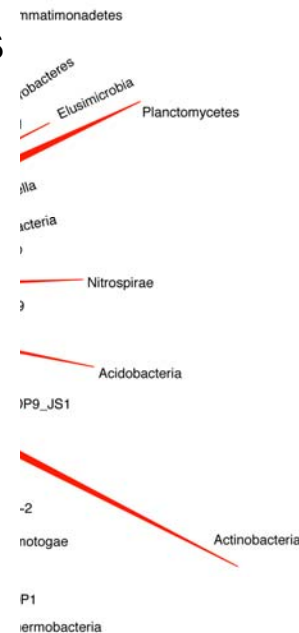
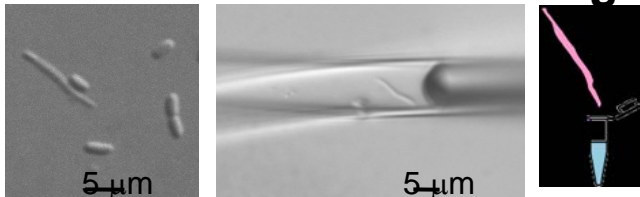




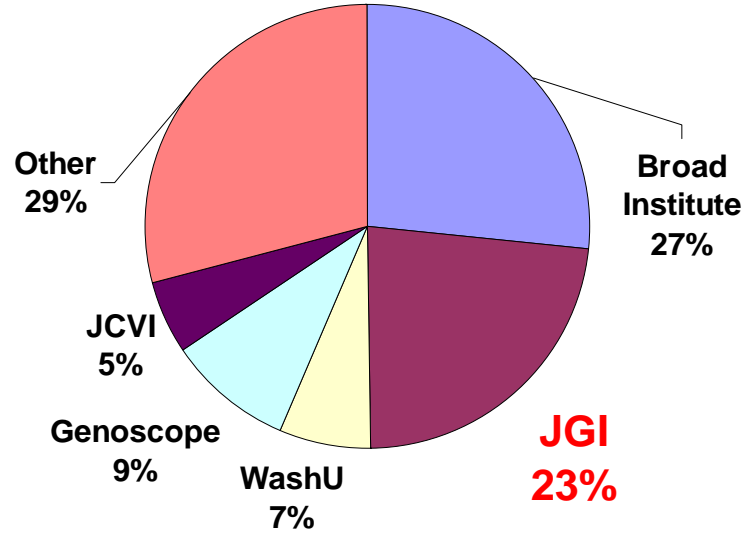


# Our ultimate goal....

bacterial and archaeal diversity  
including major uncultured phyla



## Fungal genome projects worldwide



## Vol. 1. Plant feedstock health

Part 1. Mycorrhizal Symbionts (Basidiomycota)

Part 2. Plant Pathogens (Dothideomycota)

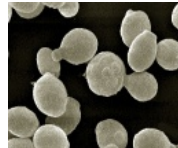


## Vol. 2. Lignocellulose degradation

White and brown rot (Basidiomycota)



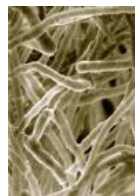
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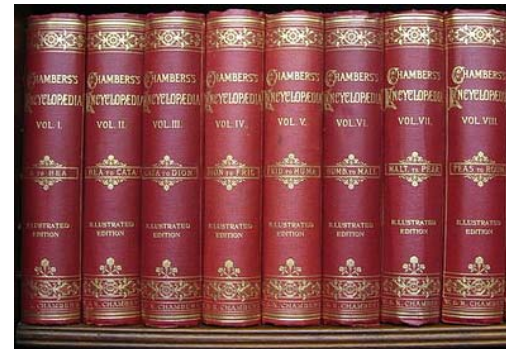
## Vol. 4. Industrial organisms

Part 1. *Trichoderma* spp.

Part 2. *Aspegillus nigri*



## Genomic Encyclopedia of Fungi (GEF)

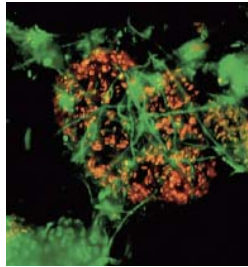


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Acid Mine Drainage  
Banfield/Chapman  
*Nature*



Marine Archaeal  
Methane Oxidation  
DeLong/Putnam  
*Science*



Fossil  
Noonan  
*Science*



Soil  
Tringe  
*Science*

2006



*Olavius algarvensis*  
Dubilier/Woyke  
*Nature*

Marine Planktonic  
DeLong  
*Science*

Wastewater EBR  
Hugenholtz  
*Nature Biotech*

Deep Mine  
Chivian  
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2008

Termite Gut  
Leadbetter/  
Hugenholtz  
*Nature*



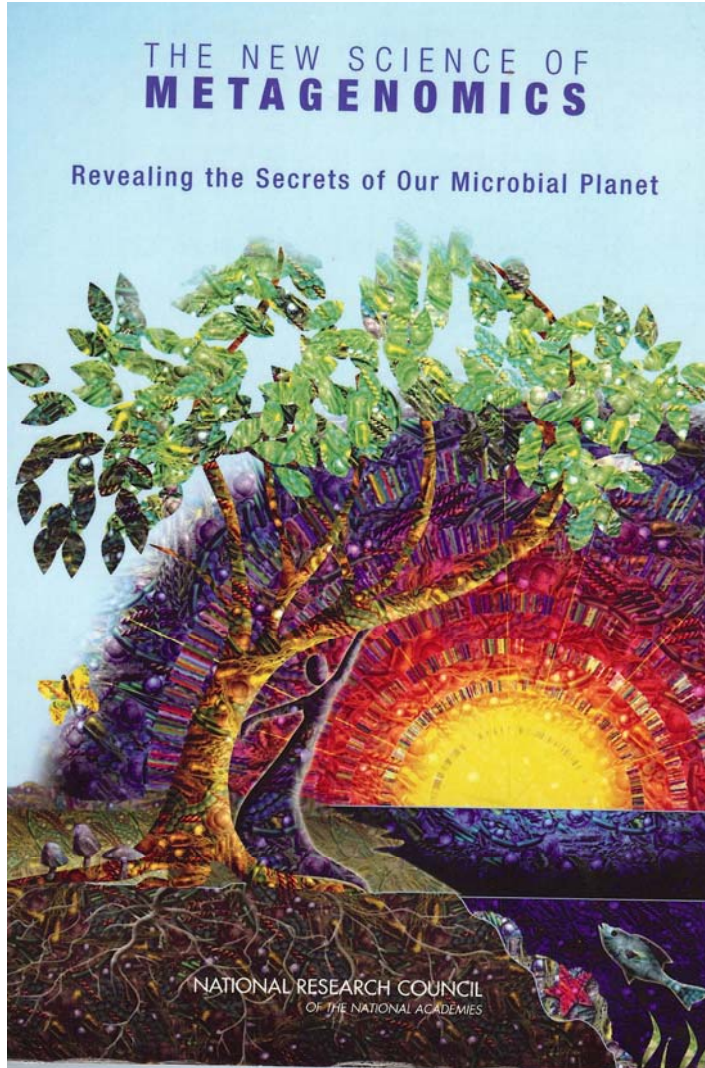
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Lake Washington  
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recommended the establishment of a small number of large-scale projects to study particular habitats

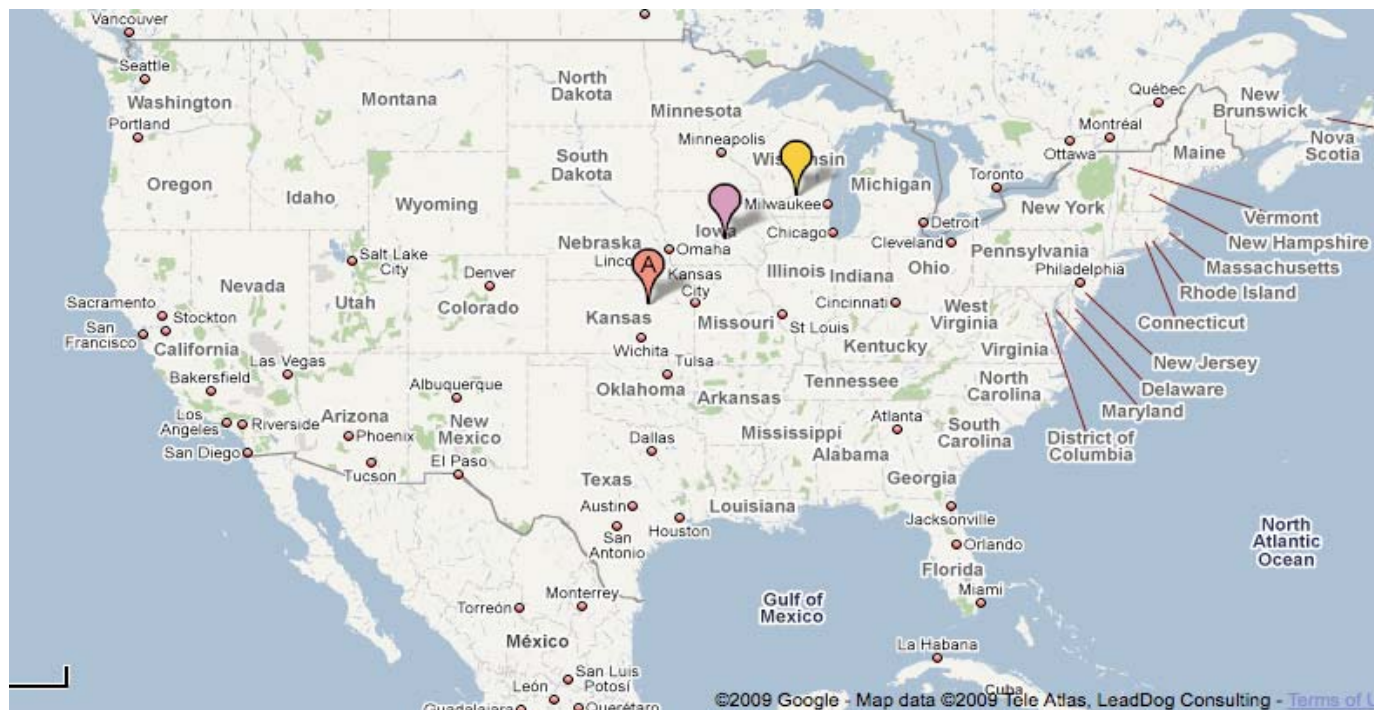
## Soil

Represents a habitat that is important due to its role in carbon and nitrogen cycling and biomass production. It is a particularly “genomically” challenging environment due to its complexity.

# Great Prairie Soil Metagenome Project (Jim Tiedge, Phil Hugenholtz)

## Multiple samplings of 3 Different Prairie Sites

- **Midwest prairie represents largest expanse of world's most fertile soils**
- **Sequesters the most carbon of any soil system in the U.S.**
- **Produces large amounts of biomass annually: Key for biofuels, carbon sequestration**



Iowa never-tilled prairie



Iowa >100 yr tilled (corn)





# How Do We hope to Use the Information: Great Prairie Soil Metagenome Project

- To improve soil management, carbon sequestration,
- Through genetic understanding maybe able to potentially manage traits such as green house gas fluxes, and carbon stability



62 | **Termite hindgut, 62 Mbp**

100,000 | **Great Prairie metagenomic project , ~100 Gbp**

1,000,000

**Potential Future Projects:  
Terabase Projects**

*Terror* terabase projects

- **Sequence the 12 Great Soil Orders (the major soil types)**
  - Covers the extremes in soil diversity, e.g. permafrost to tropical desert to alkali flats to taiga forest to wetlands to discover gene adaptation to environmental extremes.

*Sequence the State Soil of each State*

*These official state soils share the same distinction as state flowers and birds.*

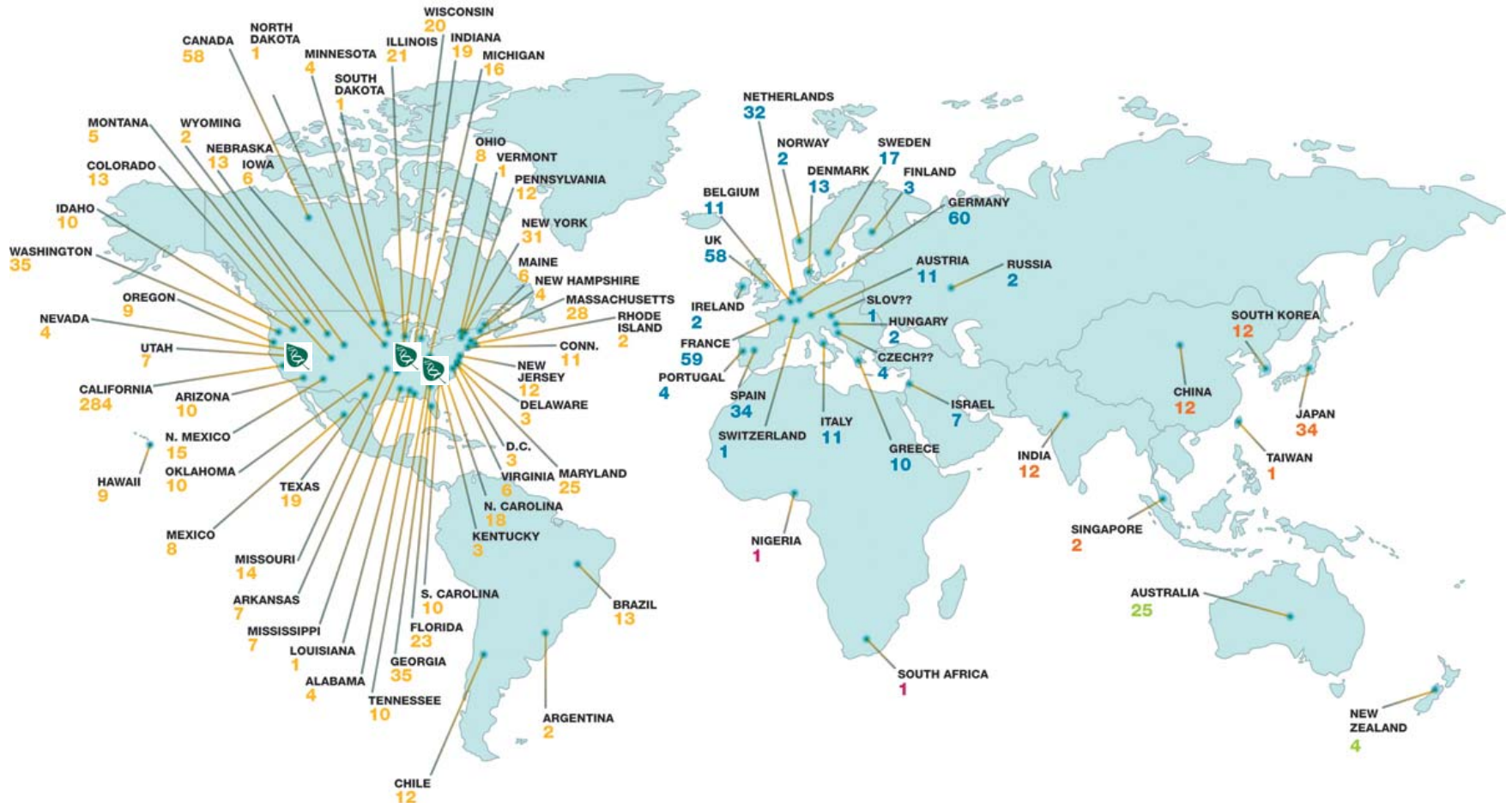
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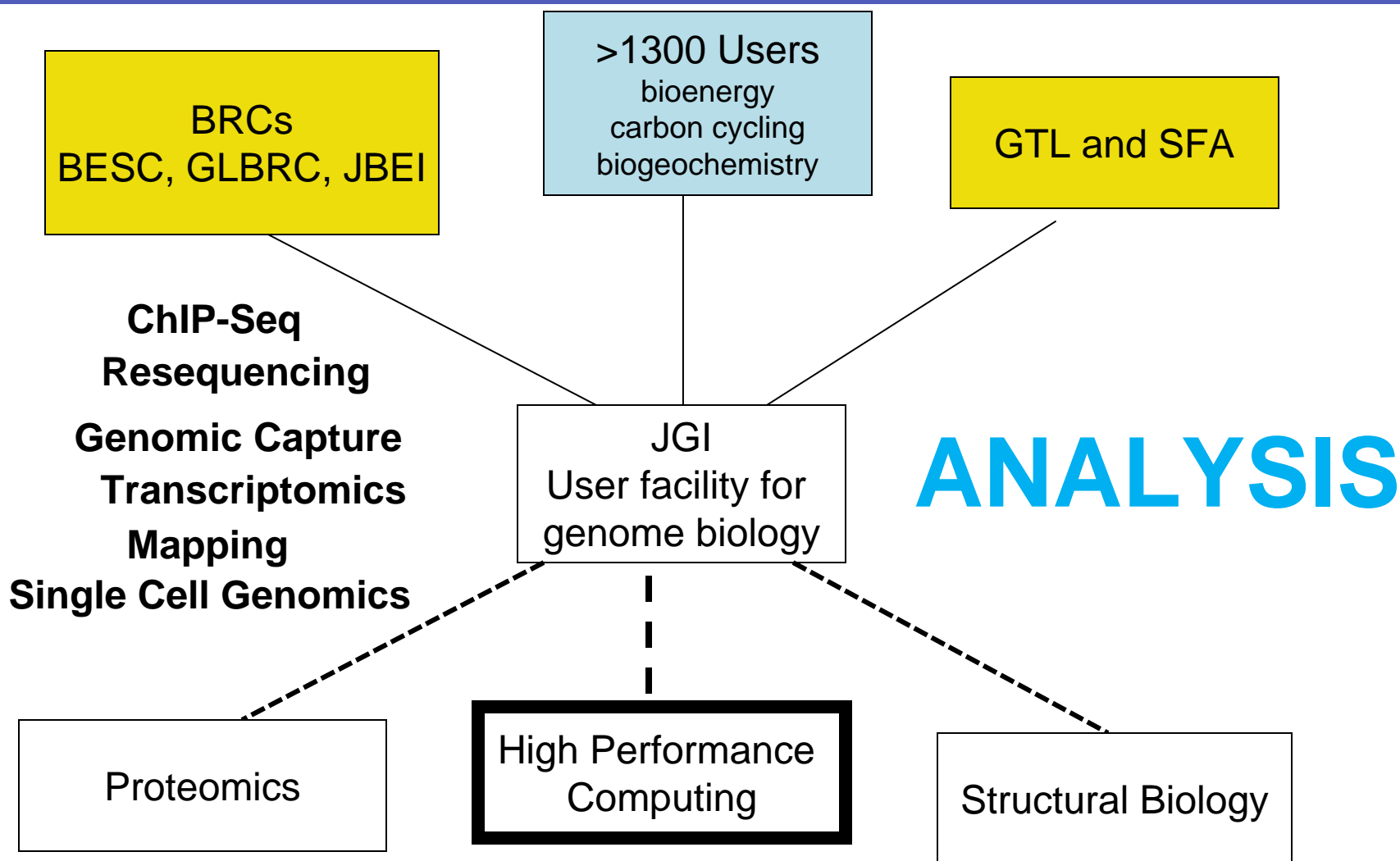
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JGI Users Worldwide in 2008

AMERICAS 856    EUROPE 336    AFRICA 2    ASIA 64    AUSTRALASIA 29

DOE  
Bioenergy  
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Centers



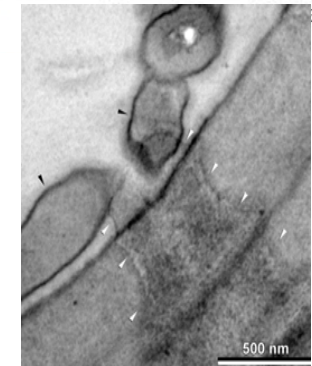
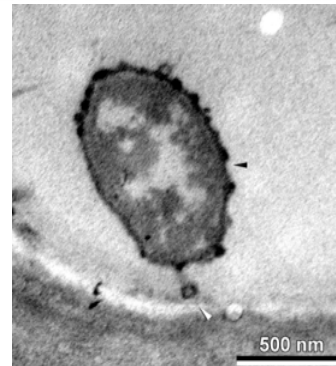
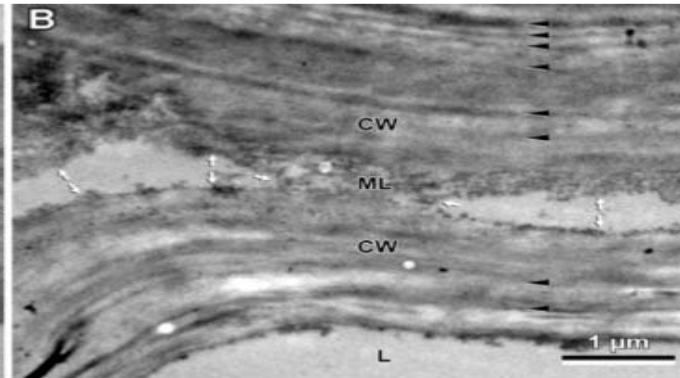
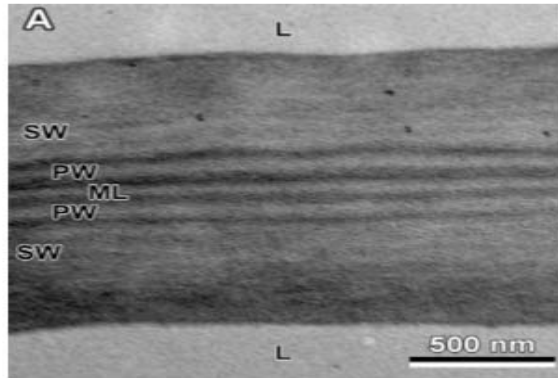


# Opportunities and Challenges

# Mining for biomass deconstruction enzymes within the cow rumen

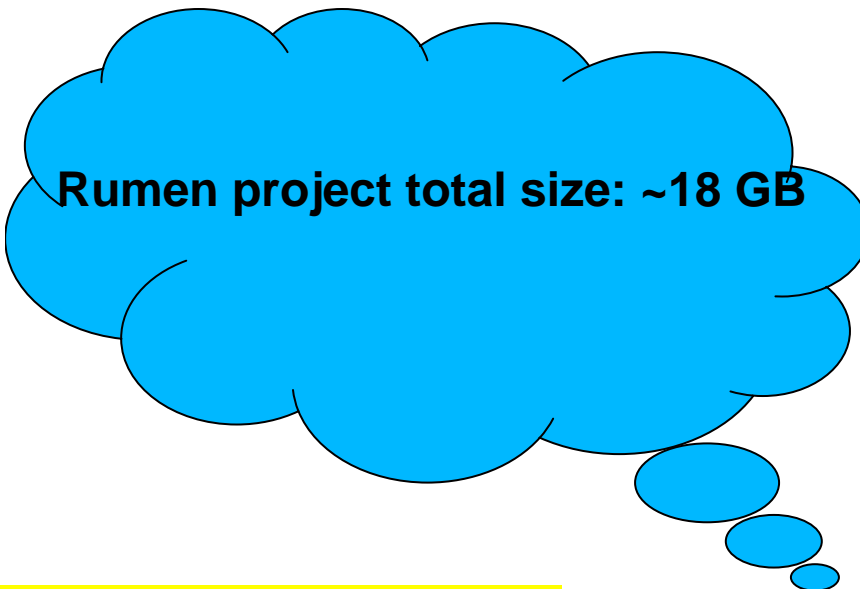


# Degradation of switchgrass in the rumen (72 hr incubation)

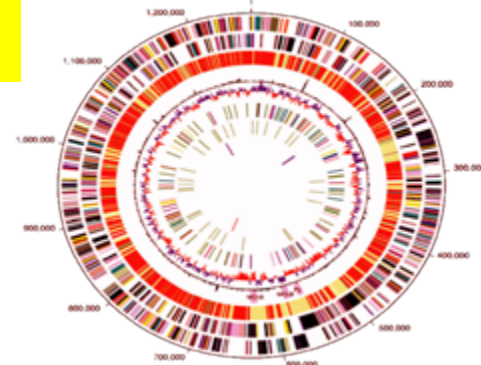


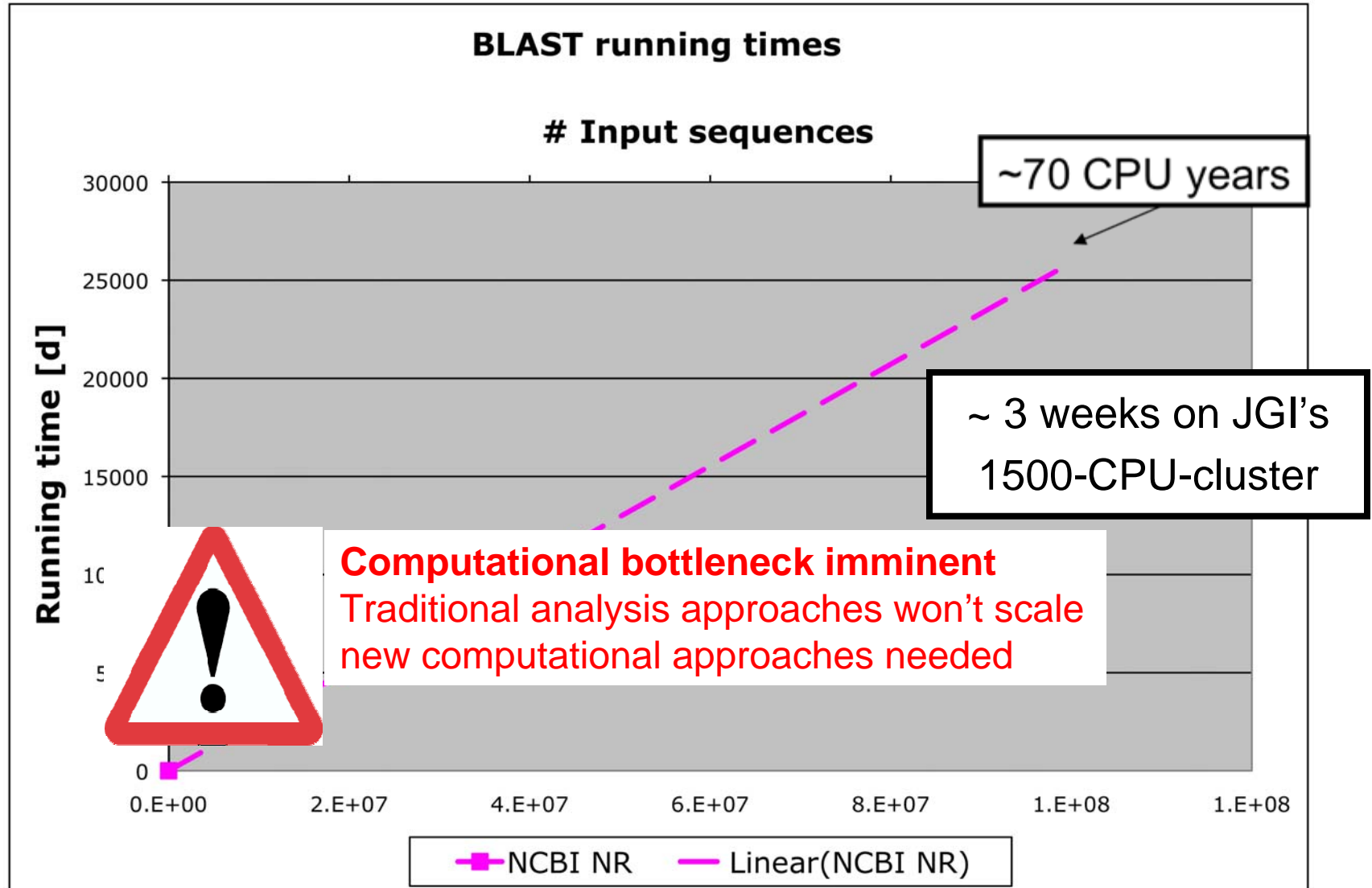


(Termite project total size: ~62 MB)



## Full Length Lignocellulolytic Genes





## **JGI-Sponsored Workshop on HPC for Next Gen Sequencing**

**Focus on bringing National Lab computational infrastructure and expertise to bear on problems associated with the volume and nature of next gen sequencer out-put**

# It is not about the machines

