

Geographic patterns of genetic variation in three genomes of North American diploid strawberries with special reference to *Fragaria vesca* subsp. *bracteata*

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Abstract: Geographic patterns of genetic variation in wild species reflect the interplay of ecological and evolutionary processes. We assessed genetic variation in three genomes across four North American diploid strawberry taxa, with special emphasis on the gynodioecious *F. vesca* subsp. *bracteata*. Specifically, we sequenced one chloroplast (*rpoC2*) and two mitochondrial (*atp8* and *atp8-orf225*) genes along with several nuclear microsatellite markers. In addition we assessed indicators of breeding system (pollen viability and female frequency) for all taxa. The geographic perspective on the distribution of cytoplasmic and nuclear variation revealed the genetic affiliation of the restricted taxa (*F. v.* subsp. *californica* and *F. mexicana*) with the widespread *F. v.* subsp. *bracteata* and identified a hotspot of hybridization within gynodioecious *F. v.* subsp. *bracteata*. Higher pollen viability of hermaphrodites was found in the three hermaphroditic taxa relative to the gynodioecious one. Although theoretically predicted to be associated, proportion females within *F. v.* subsp. *bracteata* populations, was not correlated with population-level genetic variation, suggesting that the history of hybridization or population size variation is more influential on the distribution of genetic variation than sex ratio in this gynodioecious species. The documented patterns of genetic variation in this complex serve as an important point of reference for future ecological and evolutionary research in diploid *Fragaria*.

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Introduction

Patterns of phenotypic and genetic variation of wild species reflect their ecological and evolutionary history. Important questions that have emerged are: How is variation partitioned among and within populations for widespread species, and how differentiated and diverse are rare species relative to widespread ones (Eckert et al. 2008; Gitzendanner and Soltis 2000; Hamrick and Godt 1989)? Placing the answers to these questions in a geographic context can contribute to a landscape-level perspective on how geographic and environmental features influence gene flow, population structure and local adaptation in wild species (Manel et al. 2009).

Studying the landscape level patterns of genetic variation in all three plant genomes (nucleus, chloroplast, and mitochondrion), in particular, can provide unique insight into the distribution of genetic diversity within and among taxa. The cytoplasmic genomes (mitochondria and chloroplast) are haploid and mostly maternally inherited in flowering plants (via ovules) whereas the nuclear genome is biparentally inherited (via pollen and ovules). Thus, comparison of geographic patterns of cytoplasmic genomes to nuclear ones can reveal the spatial pattern of admixture (hybridization), as well as identify the prevailing direction of introgression via pollen or seeds among highly differentiated populations or [sub]species (Matosiuk et al. 2014; Seneviratne et al. 2012; Vekemans and Hardy 2004). Moreover, geographic patterns of nuclear genome diversity can be assessed in light of species or population attributes that are expected to affect diversity. For instance, aspects of the breeding system that enforce outcrossing, such as gynodioecy (the coexistence of females and hermaphrodites), can lead to increased nuclear genetic variation within populations and less differentiation among them than aspects of the

breeding system that promote selfing, e.g., self-compatibility and hermaphroditism (Barrett 2003). Moreover, in gynodioecious species, the frequency of females can also affect how genetic variation is partitioned within the population, i.e., population level of inbreeding. Specifically, the higher the frequency of females, the lower the overall inbreeding level (Cuevas et al. 2006; Tarayre and Thompson 1997). Thus, comparisons among populations, or among closely related taxa, that differ in breeding system can provide insight into drivers behind the patterns of genetic diversity (Hamrick and Godt 1989).

Here we report the geographic patterns of genetic variation in all three genomes of North American diploid wild strawberries (Rosaceae). There are two widespread subspecies (*Fragaria vesca* subsp. *bracteata* [Heller] Staudt, and *F. v.* subsp. *americana* [Porter] Staudt), and two more restricted taxa (*F. v.* subsp. *californica* [Chamiso and Schlecht] Staudt, and *F. mexicana* Schlecht) (Fig. 1). All are interfertile (Bors and Sullivan 2005; R. Dalton et al. unpublished data). The subspecies *F. v.* subsp. *bracteata*, in particular, is of special interest because it is the maternal genome contributor to the octoploid progenitors (i.e., *F. chiloensis* and *F. virginiana*) of the cultivated strawberry (*Fragaria* × *ananassa*) (Govindarajulu et al. 2015; Njuguna et al. 2013; Tennessen et al. 2014). *Fragaria v.* subsp. *bracteata* is also notable because it is the only diploid *Fragaria* reported to have widespread sexual polymorphism (i.e., gynodioecy) (Ahmadi and Bringhurst 1989; Li et al. 2012). The male sterility reported in European *F. vesca* subsp. *vesca* (Irkaeva et al. 1993), in contrast, appears to be of limited occurrence (Ashman, T-L, unpublished data). This, plus the close affinity of *F. v.* subsp. *bracteata* to the octoploids, make it potentially influential in unraveling the evolution of male sterility and sex chromosomes in this clade (Tennessen et al. 2013). However, work-to-date has been based on only a few populations (Ahmadi and Bringhurst 1989; Li et al. 2012) and distinguishing the sexes has proven difficult

(Li et al. 2012). Thus, broader surveys of female frequencies (i.e., sex ratio), and evaluation of male fertility of hermaphrodites (i.e., pollen viability) are needed to fully verify sexual system and to place this variation in a geographic context.

Phylogenetic analysis suggests there may be a subdivision in *F. v. subsp. bracteata* between the Pacific Coast and Rocky Mountain populations (Njuguna et al. 2013). Analysis of the chloroplast genome places some samples in a clade that includes the sexually dimorphic octoploid species while other samples group with *F. v. subsp. americana* and European *F. v. subsp. vesca* (Govindarajulu et al. 2015; Njuguna et al. 2013). However, more populations are needed to fully characterize the geographic pattern of chloroplast diversity and to evaluate it in light of speculation concerning a history of hybridization in *F. v. subsp. bracteata* (Staudt 1999). Finally, Staudt (1999) notes that one of the diploid taxa, *F. mexicana*, is often considered synonymous with *F. v. subsp. bracteata*. However, the genetic affinity this taxon has relative to all the subspecies has never been determined. Thus, documentation of the geographic patterns of natural genetic variation for all the taxa in the North American diploid strawberry complex will serve as an important point of reference for future ecological, evolutionary and functional research in the strawberry genus (Liston et al. 2014; Shulaev et al. 2011).

We characterized the patterns of genetic variation in the four interfertile North American diploid strawberries with special focus on *F. v. subsp. bracteata*. We verified the sexual system differences of the taxa by characterizing female frequencies and pollen viability of hermaphrodites. We determined whether sexual system affected nuclear genetic diversity across all taxa. And finally, we used the genetic data to assess whether there has been a history of hybridization within *F. v. subsp. bracteata* and to assess whether sexual system or sex ratio affected population inbreeding level.

Materials and methods

Study System

The four diploid ($2n = 2 \times = 14$) *Fragaria* taxa have adjacent ranges in North America (Fig. 1). *Fragaria* v. subsp. *bracteata* and *F.* v. subsp. *americana* have the largest ranges, with *F.* v. subsp. *bracteata* extending from British Columbia south along the Pacific Coast into California and east into the Rocky Mountains and *F.* v. subsp. *americana* stretching from Canada's Northwest Territories west to British Columbia and south along the Atlantic Coast to Virginia (Staudt 1999). *Fragaria* v. subsp. *californica* is limited to coastal areas from southern Oregon to southern California with a disjunct population in southern Baja California, Mexico, whereas *F. mexicana* is widespread but disjunctly distributed at high elevations in Mexico south to the state of Chiapas (Staudt 1999). For the purposes of this study, we consider *F. mexicana* as distinct at the outset and evaluate its affiliations with *F.* v. subsp. *bracteata* directly via genetic markers.

All four taxa are spring-blooming herbaceous perennials. They reproduce sexually by seed (achenes) on fleshy "fruits" (swollen receptacle) or clonally by stolons. Three taxa (*F.* v. subsp. *americana*, *F.* v. subsp. *californica*, and *F. mexicana*) are hermaphroditic and self-compatible, whereas *F. vesca* subsp. *bracteata* is gynodioecious (Ahmadi and Bringhurst 1989; Li et al. 2012). Flowers of female and hermaphrodite *F.* v. subsp. *bracteata* are morphologically very similar, but anthers of pistillate flowers produce no viable pollen grains (Li et al. 2012). A nuclear locus that affects sex expression with a dominant allele for male sterility has been identified in material from a single population of *F.* v. subsp. *bracteata* from Oregon (Tennessee et al. 2013).

Sampling

To explore patterns of genetic variation across the subspecies and among nuclear and cytoplasmic genomes we used two sampling schemes: 1) shallow sampling (11 populations at one plant/population) and 2) deep sampling (15 populations at four to 18 plants/population). For the 11 shallowly sampled populations dried leaves were obtained from our collections (1) or from the National Clonal Germplasm Repository (10) (NCGR: http://www.ars.usda.gov/main/site_main.htm?modecode=53-58-15-00). For deep sampling, we sampled whole plants or fruits (one per maternal plant) along transects from nine populations of *F. v. subsp. bracteata*, two *F. v. subsp. californica*, three *F. v. subsp. americana* and one of *F. mexicana*. Plants or one seed per fruit were grown in the greenhouse at the University of Pittsburgh. For one deeply sampled population (ONT-GRL) leaves were obtained from field-collected seeds grown in the greenhouse by Brian Husband. Population names are represented as a combination of the state (province or country) of origin and a local place name (e.g., OR-MRD, ‘Oregon’ and ‘Mary’s Road’), GPS locations, collection sources and sampling intensity are summarized in Table A1.

DNA extraction

DNA was extracted from 100-150 mg of fresh leaf tissue or 20-30 mg of silica-dried leaf tissue per plant. We used a CTAB DNA protocol (Doyle and Doyle 1990), as modified in Salamone et al. (2013). Nuclear genomic DNA was quantified for PCR using a Spectromax 190 spectrophotometer (Molecular Devices, Sunnyvale, California, USA) and subsequently diluted with deionized sterile water (0.1-0.3ng/mL) as needed.

Amplification and sequencing of chloroplast and mitochondrial genes.

We amplified ca. 700 bp of the *rpoC2* chloroplast gene region using published primers (Table A2). The PCR reaction included 1X standard reaction buffer (New England Biolabs), 100 μ M of each dNTP, 0.5 μ M of each forward and reverse primers, 1.5 units of Standard *Taq* polymerase (New England Biolabs) and 1 μ l of genomic DNA in a 20 μ l reaction. The amplification conditions were 2.5 minutes at 95°C, followed by 35 cycles of 95°C for 30 seconds, 52°C for 30 seconds, and 72°C for 60 seconds, and a final extension at 72°C for eight minutes.

To assess mitotype diversity, we sequenced 425-746 bp portions of ten mitochondrial genes (*atp4*, *atp6*, *atp8*, *atp9*, *cob*, *cox3*, *nad6*, *nad9*, *rps1*) and a novel ORF (*atp8-orf225*) using published primers or those developed herein (i.e., for *atp8*, *rps1* and *atp8-orf225*) (Table A2). PCR amplification used the conditions described above for the chloroplast gene with annealing temperatures between 48-54°C (Table A2).

The ten mitochondrial genes were screened in one individual from 10 populations to first test for polymorphism. Of these only two showed any polymorphism (*atp8* and *rps1*) and we selected the one with a greater number of mitotypes for further study (351 bp of *atp8*). The *atp8-orf225* is a novel 294 bp open reading frame (ORF) with a putative role in cytoplasmic male sterility and a phylogenetic signal inconsistent with the rest of the mitochondrial genome but consistent with the chloroplast genome (Govindarajulu et al. 2015; Tennessen et al. 2013). We amplified 425 bp of *atp8-orf225* (including flanking sequence to avoid co-amplification of the full length *atp8* gene) using primers in Table A2.

The amplified PCR products of both chloroplast and mitochondrial genes were purified using Exo-SAP (Affymetrix/USB, Cleveland, OH) and sequenced on the ABI 3730XL DNA Analyzer (Applied Biosystems, Sunnyvale, CA). Sequences were aligned using CodonCode Aligner (CodonCode Corporation, Centerville, MA) and edited using Bioedit (Hall 1999).

Nuclear genotyping

For the 15 deeply sampled populations (Table A1) we also genotyped four to 18 plants (174 plants in total) at five nuclear microsatellite markers: CX661603, CX661264, UDF002, ARSFL 7, and Fvi11 following Li et al. (2012). Each marker was amplified using the Poor Man's protocol (Govindarajulu et al. 2013; Schuelke 2000). The PCR products for all five primers were either run separately or multiplexed using 1.5 µl aliquots from each reaction with 0.2 µl LIZ500 standard and 10.5 µl Hi-Di formamide (Applied Biosystems, Carlsbad, CA). Fragment analysis was performed using the ABI 3730XL DNA Analyzer. Product sizes were visualized and genotyped using the program GeneMapper ver. 3.0 (Applied Biosystems).

Genetic analyses

Sequences derived from all samples of *rpoC2* were aligned to visualize SNPs at two informative positions 2934 bp (G and C) and 3045bp (T and C). Previously SNPs at the second site (only) in this region were used to differentiate Pacific Coast *F. v. subsp. bracteata* from Rocky Mountain *F. v. subsp. bracteata* and *F. v. subsp. americana* (Njuguna et al. 2013). Here we present both SNP positions to facilitate comparison with past data sets, and refer to the G/T and C/C as chlorotype 1 and 2, respectively. The nucleotide polymorphisms observed in *atp8* and *atp8-orf225* were scored for each sequence and both separate and concatenated mitotype designations were made for all samples. We calculated the number of mitotypes, number of segregating sites and mitotype diversity within and across the deeply sampled populations using DNaSP ver. 5.10.1 (Rozas et al. 2010). Additionally, we tested for evidence of recombination between *atp8* and *atp8-orf225* in all individuals from the deeply sampled populations using the four-gamete test (Hudson and Kaplan 1985) as implemented in DNaSP. Using all distinct haplotypes found in the study (regardless of source population), we created individual minimum

spanning trees for *atp8*, *atp8-orf225*, concatenated *atp8-orf225+atp8* and *rpoC2* in Arlequin ver. 3.5.1.3 (Excoffier and Lischer 2010). We did not concatenate chloroplast and mitochondrial genes because there is evidence that they are unlinked (Govindarajulu et al. 2015). To visualize minimum spanning networks, we constructed haplotype networks in HapStar (Teacher and Griffiths 2011).

To characterize nuclear genetic diversity in the deeply sampled populations, we calculated the number of polymorphic loci in Microsatellite Toolkit ver. 3.1.1 (Park 2001). Allelic richness and Weir and Cockerham's global F_{ST} were estimated in FSTAT ver. 2.9.3.2 (Goudet 2002). F_{ST} was calculated for all taxa together and then for *F. v. subsp. bracteata* alone. Wright's inbreeding coefficient (F_{IS}) was only calculated for populations with more than one polymorphic locus, and only plants with genotypic data for at least three of the five SSR loci were included in these analyses ($n = 166$). Allelic richness was used as an indicator of population admixture and size because it can detect bottlenecks even before substantial loss of heterozygosity occurs (Comps et al. 2001; Luikart et al. 1998).

To investigate admixture between the subspecies, we performed a Bayesian model-based clustering analysis in STRUCTURE ver. 2.3.3 (Pritchard et al. 2000) on the 15 deeply sampled populations. Individuals ($n = 166$) were assigned probabilistically to K inferred genetic clusters, each characterized by a set of allele frequencies at Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium and in linkage equilibrium. We ran the program with the admixture model and independent allele frequencies for a range of K values from 1 to 15. We used 10,000 burn-ins and Monte Carlo Markov Chain replicates for each run, with 10 replicate runs conducted for each K value. We used Structure Harvester (Earl and vonHoldt 2012) to calculate a ΔK value that indicates the optimal number of genetic

clusters based on methods from Evanno et al. (2005). The final matrix of nuclear membership for each individual and population was visualized using DISTRUCT ver. 1.1 (Rosenberg 2007).

The geographic distribution of the chloroplast (*rpoC2*) and mitochondrial (*atp8-orf225* and *atp8*) haplotypes was visualized in the program DIVA-GIS (Hijmans et al. 2007). Data from the *F. v.* subsp. *bracteata* individuals from nine locations with known *F. v.* subsp. *bracteata* or *F. v.* subsp. *americana*-type chloroplast SNPs (Njuguna et al. 2013) were also included on the map for comparative purposes.

Sexual system

For each deeply sampled population, the proportion of females was estimated from either surveys (sexual identity of flowering plants every 2 m [to avoid sampling the same clone] along two to three 20m transects in the field; as in Ashman 1999) or from sexual identity of greenhouse grown plants (or one seed per fruit) that were collected similarly along transects in the field. Sample size per population (Table 1) depended on plant abundance and ranged. Hermaphrodite plants had plump yellow anthers that visibly shed pollen, whereas individuals whose anthers were lighter yellow or pale and that never dehisced were categorized as female (following Li et al. 2012). We assessed pollen viability of hermaphrodite plants in the deeply sampled populations by collecting dehiscing anthers from two freshly opened flowers per plant grown under common greenhouse conditions. Pollen was stained with Alexander's stain and viability was scored visually under a light microscope for >100 pollen per flower (Kearns and Inouye 1993). The proportion of viable grains was calculated for each flower, averaged per plant, and the mean calculated for each population from plant means. Anthers from individuals classified as females were also assessed using this method to confirm qualitative assessment of sexual identity (i.e., no pollen produced). Populations with no females were considered hermaphroditic, while

populations with female individuals were considered gynodioecious.

Sexual system analyses

To assess whether sexual system affected nuclear genetic diversity (population-level inbreeding, allelic richness), we conducted a *t*-test comparing the mean nuclear genetic diversity metrics of all populations from hermaphroditic taxa (*F. v. subsp. americana*, *F. v. subsp. californica*, and *F. mexicana*) to that of populations from the gynodioecious subspecies (*F. v. subsp. bracteata*). We also evaluated the relationship between female frequency, pollen viability and nuclear genetic diversity across all *F. v. subsp. bracteata* populations using Pearson correlations. Pearson correlations are viewed as an adequate choice even for zero inflated data (Huson 2007). All analyses were implemented in R (R Core Development Team 2012).

Nuclear microsatellite data were deposited at Dryad (<http://dx.doi.org/XXX>), while chloroplast and mitochondrial gene sequences were deposited in Genbank *atp8*: KM107197 - KM107311; *atp8-orf225*: KM107312 - KM107426; *rpoC2*: KM107427 - KM107563).

Results

Diversity in chloroplast and mitochondrial genes

Sequencing of chloroplast gene *rpoC2* in 25 wild populations of diploid *Fragaria* in North America (Fig. 2a) confirmed the existence of two distinct types (Njuguna et al. 2013). All deeply sampled populations of *F. v. subsp. americana* were chlorotype 1, but those of *F. v. subsp. bracteata* were either monomorphic for chlorotype 1 (four populations) or 2 (three populations), or were polymorphic (three populations: % type 1:

OR-ES: 60%; OR-FB: 10%; ID-SFR: 78%). The deeply sampled *F. v. subsp. californica* populations were monomorphic for chlorotype 2, whereas *F. mexicana* was monomorphic for chlorotype 1, in agreement with the single shallowly sampled population of this subspecies (MX-PE). Thus, *F. v. subsp. californica* was indistinguishable from Pacific Coast *F. v. subsp. bracteata*, while *F. mexicana* was indistinguishable from Rocky Mountain *F. v. subsp. bracteata* and *F. v. subsp. americana* at the chloroplast gene *rpoC2*.

Both mitochondrial genes amplified in all but one population. A total of eight SNPs were found, three in *atp8* and five in *atp8-orf225*. We did not detect any recombination events between *atp8* and *atp8-orf225* based on our four-gamete test (Hudson and Kaplan 1985). Thus there were eight unique concatenated *atp8-orf225+atp8* sequences, referred to as mitotypes A-H (Table 1, Fig. 2b; Table A3). Minimum spanning networks generated from concatenated *atp8-orf225+atp8* sequence characterized mitotype H as the most genetically distant from mitotype A. Most *F. v. subsp. bracteata*, both *F. v. subsp. californica*, and *F. mexicana* populations contained mitotype B or C, and almost all of them (11/12) had the same SNP combination in *atp8* (See Table A3). The exception was population NM-LNF, which was fixed for a novel mitotype (F). In contrast, the *F. v. subsp. americana* populations (NH-FP and ONT-GRL) had mitotype H, or were missing concatenated mitotype information (IA-SSP) because the *atp8-orf225* would not amplify [although *atp8* would]. Population ONT-GRL also had two individuals with mitotype D. Deep sampling revealed polymorphism within several populations of *F. v. subsp. bracteata*: three were dimorphic (OR-MRD C/B: 90/10%; ID-SFR E/C:70/30% and CO-SCR C/G:70/30%) and one was trimorphic (OR-ES- G/C/E: 50/40/10%). Mitotype diversity in these populations ranged from 0.20-0.64 (Table 1). None of the deeply sampled *F. v. subsp. californica*, *F. mexicana*, nor two of the three *F. v. subsp. americana* populations showed mitotypic polymorphism (Table 1).

The single population of *F. v. subsp. americana* with polymorphism (ONT-GRL) was unique among the polymorphic populations in that the two individuals with minority mitotypes also had divergent nuclear affiliations (see below). It is also noteworthy that with the exception of the two individuals with mitotype D in ONT-GRL, the rarer mitotypes (E, F, and G) generally occur in the center of the network, showing sequences intermediate between the more common B/C mitotypes and the H mitotype.

Networks based on *atp8* and *atp8-orf225* sequences separately revealed four distinct mitotypes. Almost all *F. v. subsp. americana* individuals shared the GAGGC *atp8* mitotype, whereas the western subspecies shared three other mitotypes (Fig. 2b; Table A3). For *atp8-orf225* there was a common single nucleotide polymorphic position (TCG) that most populations contained, and three divergent sequences, one shared by four *F. v. subsp. bracteata* populations (two in Oregon [OR-MRD, OR-FB] and two in California [CA-WMR, CA-PDL]), one unique to the high elevation *F. v. subsp. bracteata* population in New Mexico (NM-LNF), and one unique to two individuals of the *F. v. subsp. americana* in Guelph Canada (ONT-GRL). Mitotype diversity was high in these polymorphic populations (Table 1).

Geographic distribution of cytotypes reveals zone of admixture and novelty

Geographic mapping of both deeply and shallowly sampled populations in combination with data from Njuguna et al. (2013) revealed an east-west distribution of chlorotypes within *F. v. subsp. bracteata* (Fig. 3). Populations located west of the Rockies were dominated by chlorotype 2 while those to the east were dominated by chlorotype 1, thus following the distributional ranges of the widespread subspecies (*F. v. subsp. bracteata* and *F. v. subsp. americana*). A hybrid zone extending from the Oregon

Cascades to western Idaho is suggested by the three *F. v. subsp. bracteata* populations (OR-ES, OR-FB, and ID-SFR) with mixed chlorotypes.

Although the geographic distribution of mitotypes is less straightforward than for the chlorotypes, a longitudinal pattern was seen: The westernmost populations showed mitotypes B and/or C (all *F. v. subsp. californica*, *F. mexicana* and many *F. v. subsp. bracteata*), the easternmost populations (all *F. v. subsp. americana*) had mitotype H, whereas, the more central populations of *F. v. subsp. bracteata* showed admixture plus the occurrence of novel mitotypes (E, F, and G). Two of the populations (OR-ES, ID-SFR) that were polymorphic in the mitochondrial genome also showed polymorphism in the chloroplast. These populations are between the Oregon Cascade and the Rocky Mountains in Idaho, and show the highest degree of cytoplasmic admixture (between them, three of the eight observed mitotypes and both of the chlorotypes are represented). Separate from these geographic patterns, a novel mitotype (D) was found in two individuals of ONT-GRL amongst other individuals with the majority mitotype (H) for *F. v. subsp. americana* (Figs. 2,3).

Nuclear genetic variation shows differentiation and distinct population structure

Analysis of microsatellite variation in the 15 deeply sampled populations revealed one to five polymorphic loci per population and 1.1 to 2.6 alleles per locus (Table 1). There was significant genetic differentiation among all North American diploid strawberry populations ($F_{ST} = 0.588$) and among the nine *F. v. subsp. bracteata* populations ($F_{ST} = 0.476$). Inbreeding ranged 10-fold ($F_{IS} = 0.065$ to 0.760 ; Table 1) with significant inbreeding in six populations (4 of the 9 *F. v. subsp. bracteata*, one population of *F. v. subsp. californica*, and *F. mexicana*; Table 1). One *F. v. subsp. californica* population (CA-SBNF) was only polymorphic at one locus, potentially indicating high inbreeding as well.

Structure analysis indicated the presence of two distinct genetic groups ($\Delta K = 2$; $-\ln L = -1971.12$; Fig. 4). The three populations of *F. v. subsp. americana* showed a high proportion of nuclear membership to cluster 1 ($92 \pm 1\%$), whereas eight of the nine populations of *F. v. subsp. bracteata* showed a high proportion of nuclear membership to cluster 2 ($97 \pm 2\%$). The only population to deviate from this pattern was NM-LNF, which showed high membership to cluster 1 (97%). The southern *F. v. subsp. californica* and *F. mexicana* both showed affinity with cluster 2 ($99 \pm 0.05\%$). Overall, the geographic pattern of nuclear genetic variation followed the same east-west distribution seen in the chloroplast, which is consistent with the known ranges of *F. v. subsp. americana* and *F. v. subsp. bracteata*. There was little nuclear admixture observed within populations (less than 5 %) despite the admixture seen in the cytogenomes of three *F. v. subsp. bracteata* populations (OR-ES, OR-FB, and ID-SFR). Plants within these three populations all had nuclear affiliations to cluster 2 but a percentage of individuals within each had chlorotype 1 (OR-ES: 60%, OR-FB: 10%, ID-SFR: 78%). We also detected two populations for which all sampled individuals demonstrated a mismatch between the nuclear and chloroplast affiliations: CO-SCR and MX-LV are strongly affiliated with cluster 2 (*F. v. subsp. bracteata* nuclear genome) but are both monomorphic for chlorotype 1 (*F. v. subsp. americana* type). The northern populations are located along the Rocky Mountains where hybridization is likely to occur. The other evidence of admixture comes from ONT-GRL, a population well within *F. v. subsp. americana* range, but hosting a minority of individuals (2/10) that cluster with the *F. v. subsp. bracteata* (Fig. 4). These individuals are also novel in mitotype and could reflect recent migrants (potentially human introduced) or early generation hybrids.

Sex expression and correlates with population genetic diversity

Consistent with current understanding of sexual systems in the North American diploid strawberries, females were only found in *F. v. subsp. bracteata* populations where they ranged in frequency from 0 - 46% (Table 1). Moreover, hermaphrodites of *F. v. subsp. bracteata* had significantly lower mean proportion pollen viability than those of the hermaphroditic taxa (*F. v. subsp. americana*, *F. v. subsp. californica* and *F. mexicana*; Table 1) (mean \pm s.e.: 0.77 ± 0.02 vs. 0.91 ± 0.02 , $t_{13} = -4.70$, $p = 0.001$). While the inbreeding coefficient was not significantly different (*F. v. subsp. bracteata*: 0.30 ± 0.07 vs. hermaphroditic taxa: 0.49 ± 0.13 , $t_{13} = -1.32$, $p = 0.21$), nuclear allelic richness was higher in populations of gynodioecious *F. v. subsp. bracteata* than those of the hermaphroditic taxa (*F. v. subsp. americana*, *F. v. subsp. californica* and *F. mexicana*) (*F. v. subsp. bracteata*: 2.04 ± 0.12 vs. hermaphroditic taxa: 1.60 ± 0.13 , $t_{13} = 2.43$, $p = 0.03$; Table 1). Among the 9 populations of gynodioecious *F. v. subsp. bracteata*, however, we did not detect a significant correlation of female frequency with allelic richness, inbreeding nor mean pollen viability (all $p > 0.10$). Although we note that some sample sizes are small.

Discussion

Geographic patterns of genetic variation in North American diploid strawberries

Geographic analysis of the three genomes of North American diploid *Fragaria* confirmed the known distributions of the widespread subspecies and gave insight into genetic affiliations of the more restricted taxa. Specifically, the structure analysis of nuclear markers aligned *F. v. subsp. californica* and *F. mexicana* with *F. v. subsp. bracteata*. Thus, these genetic results confirm Staudt's (1999) lumping of *F. mexicana* with *F. v. subsp. bracteata* based on phenotypic data. These two rarer taxa also reflect the chlorotype division observed in the wide spread *F. v.*

subsp. *bracteata* with *F. v. subsp. californica* possessing the Pacific Coast chlorotype and *F. mexicana* the Rocky Mountain chlorotype.

The mitochondria showed similar broad scale patterns to the chloroplast (especially with respect to *F. v. subsp. californica* and *F. mexicana*), but revealed the potential for finer scale diversity in the widespread species as well. Many populations were polymorphic and some showed entirely novel mitotypes. For instance, within *F. v. subsp. americana* a novel mitotype was found in the Guelph, Ontario population along with two individuals that were potentially recent immigrants (i.e., were in the minority but belonged to the *F. v. subsp. bracteata* nuclear cluster). Unfortunately, human introduction cannot be ruled out, considering the proximity to University of Guelph, where diverse *Fragaria* species have been grown in the past (Bors and Sullivan 2005). Whether this reflects the introduction of a novel mitotype in a *F. v. subsp. bracteata* migrant, or if it is the result of undetected intragenomic recombination facilitated by heteroplasmy (McCauley 2013) in association with hybridization (Kmieć et al. 2006) is unknown. Additionally, in another *F. v. subsp. americana* population (IA-SSP) the primers for *atp8-orf225* did not amplify a product. This could reflect the loss of this gene from the mitochondria in this population (as in Kmieć et al. 2006) or simply a mutation in the primer site. Nonetheless, these data suggest that these mitochondrial genes are valuable for tracking fine-scale geographic patterns. In fact, if *atp8-orf225* (Govindarajulu et al. 2015), is confirmed to have had a functional role in male sterility, then these patterns could reflect past cyto-nuclear evolutionary dynamics (e.g., Städler and Delph 2002) in a species that at present is phenotypically hermaphroditic.

Geographic patterns of genetic variation reveal hybridization in F. v. subsp. bracteata

Our landscape-level analysis also identifies a zone of cytoplasmic introgression between the Cascades and Northern Rocky Mountains where the ranges of *F. v. subsp. bracteata* and *F. v. subsp. americana* contact. This discovery of admixed populations west of the Rocky Mountains is consistent with Staudt's (1999) observations of hybrids between *F. v. subsp. americana* and *F. v. subsp. bracteata* in Yellowstone National Park and southwest of the Rocky Mountains. These data plus Staudt's (1999) reports of hybrids between *F. v. subsp. bracteata* and *F. v. subsp. californica* in Curry county in southern Oregon and Humboldt and Del Norte counties in northern California define a hotspot of past admixture between these subspecies in Northern California/Oregon/Idaho. This region is also an active area of hybridization in the octoploid strawberries (Salomone et al. 2013) suggesting that both diploids and octoploids may have responded in parallel to past climate change. In contrast with the octoploid hybrid populations, however, *F. v. subsp. bracteata* populations showed few admixed individuals, consistent with the high degree of population structure observed in the nuclear genome across this large area. Rocky Mountain *F. v. subsp. bracteata* display a strong signal of introgression of the *F. v. subsp. americana* chloroplast into *F. v. subsp. bracteata* nuclear background, suggesting long distance seed dispersal followed by pollen swamping (Beatty et al. 2010), or extensive backcrossing after a past hybridization event, as in *Vasconcellea* (Van Droogenbroeck et al. 2006) and *Eucalyptus* (McKinnon et al. 1999). Alternatively, it could reflect chloroplast capture, possibly facilitated by gynodioecy in this subspecies. Specifically, Tsitroni and colleagues (2003) show theoretically that a combination of female seed advantage and partial selfing can lead to rapid replacement of chloroplasts in hybridizing lineages. In the context of *Fragaria*, Li et al. (2012) showed that both of these predicted promoters of chloroplast capture exist within *F. v. subsp. bracteata*. Moreover, Govindarajulu et al. (2015) has ruled out incomplete lineage sorting for the taxa in

question, and there is high support that *F. v. subsp. americana* and *F. v. subsp. bracteata* are in distinct clades, with *F. mexicana* and *F. v. subsp. californica* being in the same clade as *F. v. subsp. bracteata* (Syring et al. ms. in prep.). Thus, we conclude that the pattern of chloroplast-nuclear mismatches documented here reflect recent signatures of introgression where the taxa come in contact.

It is interesting to note as well that two distant populations in Colorado and Mexico (CO-SCR, MX-LV) have the same cyto-nuclear incongruence (*F. v. subsp. americana* chloroplast with *F. v. subsp. bracteata* nuclear genome) and one could speculate that it reflects range expansion of a single hybrid lineage, or strong ecological advantage of this combination over the alternative (*F. v. subsp. bracteata* chloroplast with *F. v. subsp. americana* nuclear genome). The adaptive value of sequence variation of cytoplasmic genomes, as well as the opportunity for ecological differentiation by nuclear-cytoplasmic interactions is only just now being appreciated (reviewed in Bock et al. 2014). Specific adaptive effects of cytoplasmic genome variation have been observed with regard to drought and thermal tolerances (Ballard and Melvin 2010; Sambatti et al. 2008), which could also be important for diploid *Fragaria* along the continental divide. The NM-LNF population is also interesting as it is a high elevation ‘island’ in the midst of desert and thus could be a relic of past glaciation, or simply genetic drift. This population has a high frequency of females, which could also be the result of founder events and restricted gene flow. These types of forces have been found to be the primary determinants of sex ratio in other gynodioecious species (e.g., *Beta vulgaris*; DeCauwer et al. 2012). More populations along this southern range are needed to understand the patterns of genetic admixture and phylogeography of diploid *Fragaria* in this region and to test these hypotheses explicitly. Artificial hybridization and transplant experiments would also be particularly useful (e.g., Sambatti et al. 2008).

Sexual system variation and its effects on genetic diversity in F. v. subsp. bracteata

Eight of the nine *F. v. subsp. bracteata* populations showed clear evidence of females confirming the existence of gynodioecy in this subspecies over a much wider geographic range than previously studied (Ahmadi and Bringhurst 1989). Sex ratio varied dramatically (from 0-46% females) as is common in gynodioecious species (e.g., Medrano et al. 2005; Nilsson and Ågren 2006), but there was no relation between female frequency and population-level inbreeding. Although such a relation has been found in three species (*Kallstroemia grandiflora* [Cuevas et al. 2006], *Daphne laureola* [Medrano et al 2005], and *Schizopepon bryoniaefolius* [Akimoto et al. 1999]), our work joins the findings of Tarayre and Thomspson (1997) who failed to find a negative relation between female frequency and population-level inbreeding in *Thymus vulgaris*. We hypothesize that factors such as gene flow or drift, as the result of past hybridization or population bottlenecks, have stronger fingerprints on genetic diversity than gynodioecy, or that biparental inbreeding occurs in females neutralizing their expected effect on population inbreeding level. The latter explanation may hold for *Thymus vulgaris* where there was no significant difference in inbreeding between females and hermaphrodites (Tarayre and Thompson 1997). In contrast, however, in *F. v. subsp. bracteata*, Li et al. (2012) found no biparental inbreeding by females but significant inbreeding by hermaphrodites. So if the results in one population (OR-MRD) studied by Li et al. (2012) are representative then the explanation may instead lie with the patterns of gene flow and drift. The present work provides evidence of the existence of the former: we found introgression in about half of the *F. v. subsp. bracteata* populations. A final alternative is that our sample size of populations or individuals was not adequate to reveal a relationship that exists. Deeper and broader sampling and knowledge of population size would ultimately be needed to distinguish among these possibilities.

Interestingly, the lower average pollen viability for hermaphrodites from *F. v.* subsp. *bracteata* populations compared to those from hermaphroditic taxa could also reflect hybridization because frequently hybridizing species can have lower pollen viabilities than rarely hybridizing ones (e.g., *Cirsium*, Bureš et al. 2010). Specifically, cyto-nuclear mismatches can cause pollen dysfunction, as has been seen in *Helianthus* and *Oenothera* (Levin 2003; Stubbe and Steiner 1999), and are thought to result from breakdown of coadapted interactions between organelle and nuclear genomes (reviewed in Burton et al. 2013). Alternatively, pollen inviability may be directly related to the influence of the chimeric open reading frame *atp8-orf225*, which is known to be expressed (Liston A. and R.C. Cronn, unpublished data), and is a candidate for a cytoplasmic male sterility gene (Govindarajulu et al. 2015). If the latter is the case, then populations must vary in the degree that expression is regulated by other factors (e.g., Dufay et al. 2008).

Conclusions and future work

This landscape-level study of genetic variation in the four diploid strawberry taxa adds important genetic insight to the biogeographic history of North American strawberries. It confirms the differences in sexual system among the taxa and starts to untangle the effects on genetic diversity. Future work in *F. v.* subsp. *bracteata* should be aimed at expanding the sampling in the southern portion of its range and determining the bioclimatic triggers of the geographic pattern of cyto-nuclear association observed in its northern hybrid zone.

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Table 1

Genetic and sexual system variation across 15 populations of North American diploid strawberry

| Taxon | Population Code | N | Mitotype | Mitotype Diversity | Chlorotype | Nuclear Membership | | Allelic Richness | F_{IS} | Proportion Female | Mean Pollen Viability |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|-----------|------------------|----------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | <i>atp8-orf225</i> + <i>atp8</i> | | <i>rpoC2</i> | Cluster 1 | Cluster 2 | | | | |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | OR-MRD | 10, 9, 15, 37 | C/B | 0.20 | 2 | 0.004 | 0.996 | 2.58 | 0.15 | 0.3 | 0.75 |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | WA-DC | 7, 7, 7, 20 | B | 0 | 2 | 0.004 | 0.996 | 2.00 | 0.13 | 0.1 | 0.81 |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | OR-FB | 9, 10, 15, 9 | C | 0 | 2/1 | 0.009 | 0.991 | 2.13 | 0.46* | 0.3 | 0.77 |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | CA-PDL | 9, 10, 15, 20 | B | 0 | 2 | 0.011 | 0.989 | 1.94 | 0.08 | 0.05" | 0.67 |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | CA-WMR | 9, 10, 15, 22 | B | 0 | 2 | 0.011 | 0.989 | 2.07 | 0.09 | 0 | 0.87 |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | OR-ES | 9, 10, 11, 38 | G/C/E | 0.64 | 1/2 | 0.009 | 0.991 | 2.20 | 0.29* | 0.18 | 0.79 |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | ID-SFR | 7, 9, 8, 9 | E/C | 0.46 | 1/2 | 0.004 | 0.996 | 1.60 | 0.27 | 0.1" | 0.71 |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | CO-SCR | 10, 12, 9, 11 | C/G | 0.41 | 1 | 0.034 | 0.966 | 1.46 | 0.66* | 0.18" | 0.73 |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NM-LNF | 9, 10, 18, 36 | F | 0 | 1 | 0.972 | 0.028 | 2.36 | 0.60* | 0.46 | 0.80 |
| <i>F. v. subsp. californica</i> | CA-INASD | 2, 3, 4, 4 | C | 0 | 2 | 0.005 | 0.995 | 1.80 | 0.74* | 0 | 0.90 |
| <i>F. v. subsp. californica</i> | CA-SBNF | 8, 10, 10, 18 | C | 0 | 2 | 0.005 | 0.995 | 1.20 | N/A | 0 | 0.85 |
| <i>F. mexicana</i> | MX-LV | 9, 10, 15, 27 | C | 0 | 1 | 0.004 | 0.996 | 1.58 | 0.62* | 0 | 0.84 |
| <i>F. v. subsp. americana</i> | IA-SSP | 0, 4, 6, 6 | na | na | 1 | 0.979 | 0.021 | 1.53 | 0.07 | 0 | 0.95 |
| <i>F. v. subsp. americana</i> | ONT-GRL | 10, 10, 10, 10 | D/H | 0.46 | 1 | 0.789 | 0.211 | 2.12 | 0.76 | 0 | 0.94 |
| <i>F. v. subsp. americana</i> | NH-FP | 3, 3, 18, 18 | H | 0 | 1 | 0.996 | 0.004 | 1.39 | 0.26 | 0" | 0.96 |

Note. Population code is given, see Table A1 for location details. N is the number of individuals used for the mitochondrial, chloroplast, and nuclear sequencing analyses, and for estimating proportion of females, respectively. Mitotype reflects the combination of sequence data for *atp8-orf225* and *atp8* (Fig. 2*b*, Table A2). Chlorotype is sequence data from *rpoC2* (Fig. 2*a*, Table A2). Order in polymorphic populations reflects majority/minority types. Nuclear membership in two clusters based on STRUCTURE analyses (Fig. 3). Allelic richness (number of alleles per locus) and inbreeding coefficients (F_{IS}). The proportion of females and pollen viability of hermaphrodites from each population.

"Determined from field-collected plants grown in the greenhouse. All other proportions estimated from plants observed in the field.

*Inbreeding coefficient is significant.

Na: not available.

Figure captions

Fig. 1. Schematic of the distributions of *Fragaria vesca* subspecies and *F. mexicana* in North America based on data from Staudt (1999) and Liston et al. (2014).

Fig.2. Minimum spanning networks of *F. vesca* haplotypes. (A) 351 bp of *rpoC2* cpDNA, (B) 776 bp of concatenated *atp8-orf225* and *atp8* mtDNA, (C) 351 bp of *atp8* mtDNA, (D) 425 bp of *atp8-orf225* mtDNA. Colors indicate taxa and shades within them populations. Population codes reflect state and population moniker as in Table A1. Letters correspond to mitotype (Table A3) and numbers to chlorotype. Black dots represent unknown ancestral haplotypes.

Fig.3. Geographic patterns of diversity in the cytoplasmic genes in North American diploid *F. vesca*. Large symbols represent deeply sampled populations, while small ones represent single individuals (see Table A1). The outer circle represents mitotype, with pattern representing the concatenated of *atp8* and *atp8-orf225* genes (Fig. 2B). Dashed lines indicate that mitotype is unknown. The inner circle shows chlorotype based on *rpoC2* (see Table A2). Squares represent chlorotypes reported in Njuguna et al. (2013).

Fig.4. STRUCTURE analysis of nuclear microsatellite loci showing population and individual membership to $K = 2$ genetic groups. Yellow represents cluster 1 (*F. v. subsp. americana* type). Blue represents cluster 2 (*F. v. subsp. bracteata* type). Each population is identified by the population code name (Table 1) followed by the taxon in parentheses (A= *F. v. subsp. americana*; B= *F. v. subsp. bracteata*; C= *F. v. subsp. californica*; M= *F. mexicana*). Cytoplasmic membership for each population is illustrated above. The outer circle represents

mitotype, with pattern representing the concatenated of *atp8* and *atp8-orf225* genes (Fig. 2B). The inner circle shows chlorotype based on *rpoC2* (see Table A2). Dashed lines indicate that mitotype is unknown.

Appendices

Table A1

Collection information for sampled populations/individuals of diploid North American strawberry

| Taxon | Population/Accession Name | Population Code | State/Province, Country | Latitude (N) | Longitude (W) | N | Collection Type | DNA |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|--------------|---------------|----|-----------------|---------|
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 616651* | . | British Columbia, Canada | 49.150 | -124.500 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | Mary's Road | OR-MRD | Oregon, USA | 44.496 | -123.540 | 16 | Whole plant | C, M, N |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | Dungeness Campground | WA-DC | Washington, USA | 48.139 | -123.190 | 7 | Whole plant | C, M, N |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 664439 | FVB1 | Oregon, USA | 42.111 | -122.709 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C,M |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | Fishermen's Bend | OR-FB | Oregon, USA | 44.756 | -122.520 | 15 | Whole plant | C, M, N |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 664438 | FVB2 | California, USA | 41.352 | -122.285 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C,M |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 551835* | . | Oregon, USA | 44.500 | -122.000 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 664413 | FVB3 | Oregon, USA | 45.373 | -121.823 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C,M |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | Paradise Lake | CA-PDL | California, USA | 39.859 | -121.581 | 15 | Whole plant | C, M, N |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 551807* | . | California, USA | 39.782 | -121.321 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 551749* | . | California, USA | 34.504 | -120.498 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | White Meadow Road | CA-WMR | California, USA | 38.774 | -120.456 | 17 | Whole plant | C, M, N |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 551551 | FVB4 | Oregon, USA | 44.517 | -120.371 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C,M |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | Emigrant Springs | OR-ES | Oregon, USA | 45.543 | -118.460 | 11 | Whole plant | C, M, N |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 551646* | . | Idaho, USA | 48.538 | -116.357 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 551644 | FVB5 | Idaho, USA | 48.978 | -116.157 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C,M |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | South Fork Rd | ID-SFR | Idaho, USA | 44.014 | -115.512 | 9 | Seed | C, M, N |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 551525 | FVB6 | Montana, USA | 46.031 | -114.171 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C,M |

| | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------|--------------------|--------|----------|----|-------------|---------|
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 651550* | . | Idaho, USA | 42.163 | -111.646 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 551523 | FVB7 | Wyoming, USA | 43.634 | -110.547 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C,M |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 551874 | FVB8 | Wyoming, USA | 44.667 | -110.500 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C,M |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 637952 | FVB9 | Arizona, USA | 31.882 | -109.284 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C,M |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | Spring Creek Road | CO-SCR | Colorado, USA | 38.762 | -106.767 | 10 | Seed | C, M, N |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | Lincoln National Forest | NM-LNF | New Mexico, USA | 32.968 | -105.750 | 15 | Whole plant | C, M, N |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 637947 | FVB10 | New Mexico, USA | 35.703 | -105.686 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C,M |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 657860* | . | Colorado, USA | 39.693 | -105.501 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C |
| <i>F. v. subsp. bracteata</i> | NCGR PI 551881* | . | South Dakota, USA | 43.833 | -103.500 | 1 | Leaf tissue | C |
| <i>F. v. subsp. californica</i> | Inaja Picnic Area | CA-INASD | California, USA | 33.023 | -117.095 | 5 | Whole plant | C, M, N |
| <i>F. v. subsp. californica</i> | San Bernadino National Forest | CA-SBNF | California, USA | 34.163 | -116.911 | 10 | Whole plant | C, M, N |
| <i>F. mexicana</i> | Las Vigas | MX-LV | Veracruz, Mexico | 19.539 | -97.174 | 15 | Seed | C, M, N |
| <i>F. mexicana</i> | Perote | MX-PE | Veracruz, Mexico | 19.381 | -97.090 | 1 | Seed | C, M |
| <i>F. v. subsp. americana</i> | Springbrook State Park | IA-SSP | Iowa, USA | 41.775 | -94.465 | 6 | Seed | C, M, N |
| <i>F. v. subsp. americana</i> | Guelph Radial Line | ONT-GRL | Ontario, Canada | 43.549 | -80.218 | 10 | Leaf tissue | C, M, N |
| <i>F. v. subsp. americana</i> | Fish Pond Road | NH-FP | New Hampshire, USA | 44.871 | -71.504 | 15 | Seed | C, M, N |

Note. Taxonomic designations were based on Staudt (1999) except for the recognition of *F. mexicana*. Location is name of the collection site or accession number from the National Clonal

Germplasm Repository. Population code is the abbreviated name used in the text. N is reported as the maximum number of plants used in sequencing analyses. Tissue collection type is reported as whole plant, leaf tissue (either dried or fresh) or seed (grown in greenhouse). DNA type shows which genomes (C= chloroplast, M = mitochondrial, N = nuclear) have been analyzed for each population/individual in the study. Asterisks indicate individuals with known sequences from Njuguna et al. 2013.

Table A2

Primer sequences for the mitochondrial genes and nuclear microsatellites screened to assess polymorphism

| Genome | Gene/SSR Locus | Primer sequence | Expected | Annealing | |
|---------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | product size | temperature (°C) | Source |
| Chloroplast | <i>rpoC2</i> | F: GGAATTCGAAATTCTCCCGTTT | | | |
| | | R: AGGGATAATCTAGAGCTTCGAGTTG | 700 | 52 | Njuguna et al. 2013 |
| Mitochondrial | <i>atp4</i> | F: CACGACTAGAAAGATGCTATTTGC | | | |
| | | R: TAAGACCACCAAGCCCTCTC | 526 | 54 | Barr et al. 2007 |
| Mitochondrial | <i>atp6</i> | F: CAATTTGCCATTCTCCCATT | | | |
| | | R: TGATGGAGATTTGTAGCATCATTC | 746 | 52 | Barr et al. 2007 |
| Mitochondrial | <i>atp8</i> | F: CTTCTGGTCATGCCTTTTCC | | | |
| | | R: CTTGGCCGTGTGGAACAT | 425 | 54 | In this study |
| Mitochondrial | <i>atp9</i> | F: ATAGGTGCCGGAGCTGCTA | | | |
| | | R: CGGAATACGGATGAGATCAAA | 203 | 54 | Darracq et al. 2012 |
| Mitochondrial | <i>cob</i> | F: TGTTTGGTGTCTCGGAGTTG | | | |
| | | R: TAACAAATGGTGCCTCCACA | 713 | 54 | Touzet and Delph 2009 |
| Mitochondrial | <i>cox3</i> | F: CCAAGTCCATGGCCTATTTTC | | | |
| | | R: CAAATGGGAATAACCGAACC | 730 | 52 | Barr et al. 2007 |
| Mitochondrial | <i>nad6</i> | F: TGCTTTGGTCTCTGGTTTGA | | | |
| | | R: GTAGATCGTGACGGGGTCTG | 589 | 54 | Case and Willis 2008 |
| Mitochondrial | <i>nad9</i> | F: TGGGAGACTTTACCTAAGAAATGG | | | |
| | | R: TCCGTCGCTACGCTGTTC | 540 | 54 | Case and Willis 2008 |
| Mitochondrial | <i>rps1</i> | F: TTTGAGTCGATCATTTCCAAGA | | | |
| | | R: AGTAATGAAACCCCGATGC | 496 | 52 | In this study |
| Mitochondrial | <i>atp8- orf225</i> | F: CATTTAATAATGCAGGGGTACG | | | |
| | | R: CTGTGGTAGTCTTTCGTGG | 425 | 48 | In this study |

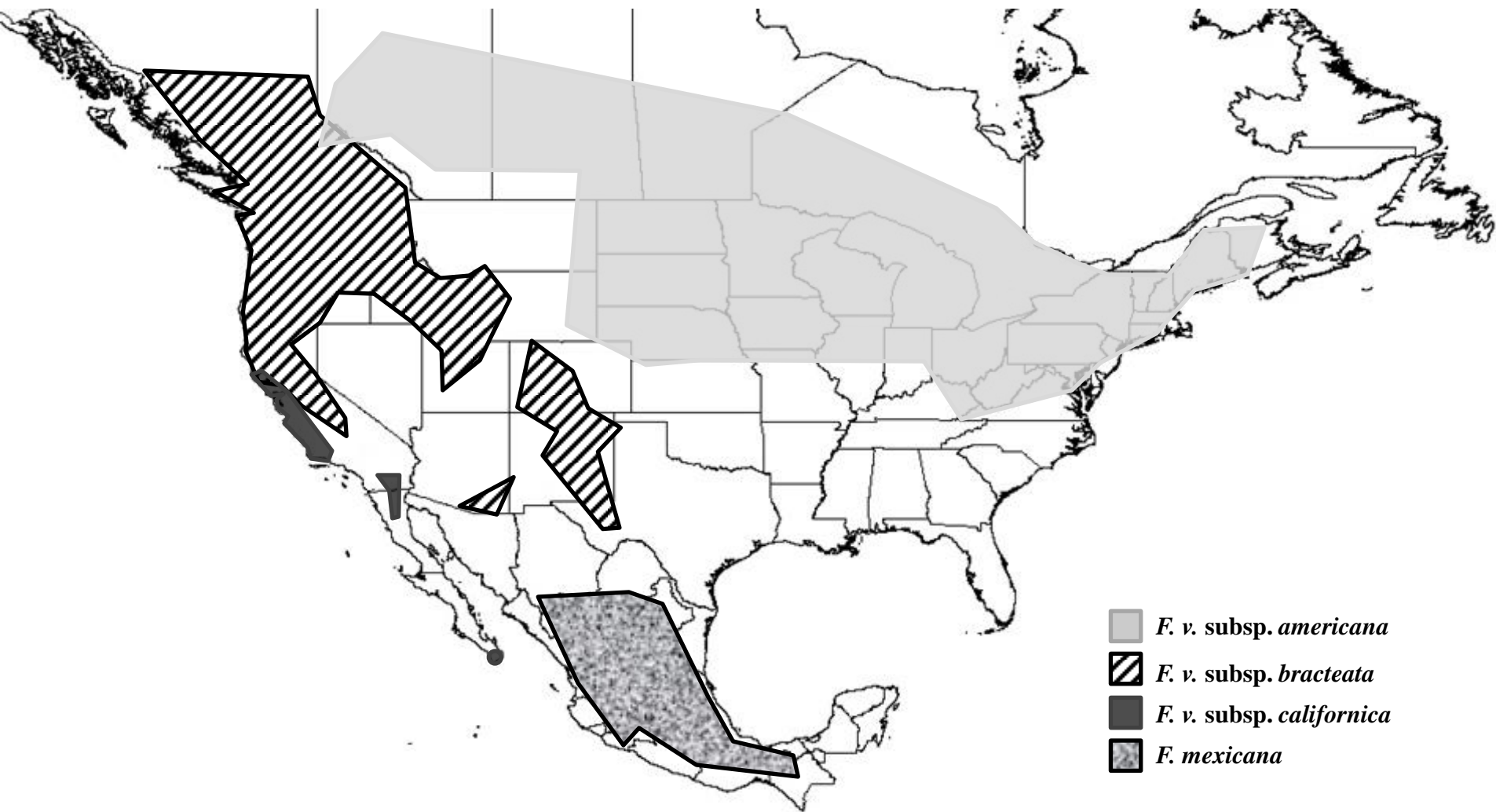
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|---------|----------|-----------------------------|---------|----|---------------------|
| Nuclear | CX661264 | F: GTTCTCAGATCCCTCTACCG | | | |
| | | R: AATTTGCAGCCATCAAGTCC | 483-487 | 59 | Spigler et al. 2008 |
| Nuclear | ARSFL007 | F: GCGCGCATAAGGCAACAAAG | | | |
| | | R: GCGAATGGCAATGACATCTTCTCT | 227-238 | 59 | Lewers et al. 2005 |
| Nuclear | CX661603 | F: ATCAACCACACCGCTACTCC | | | |
| | | R: ATTTACGAAAATGCCATCGG | 99-128 | 59 | Spigler et al. 2008 |
| Nuclear | UDF002 | F: TATGGCCAGGATTGTTTGCT | | | |
| | | R: TAGGAGGAGGCGTTGAAATG | 132-148 | 59 | Sargent et al. 2004 |
| Nuclear | Fvi11 | F: GCATCATCGTCATAATGAGTGC | | | |
| | | R: GGCTTCATCTCTGCAATTCAA | 320-358 | 59 | Ashley et al. 2003 |

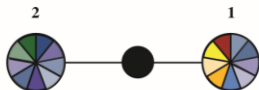
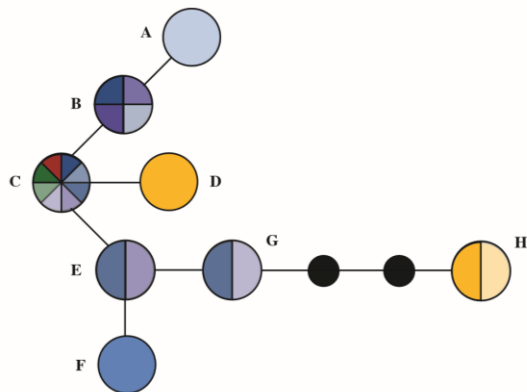
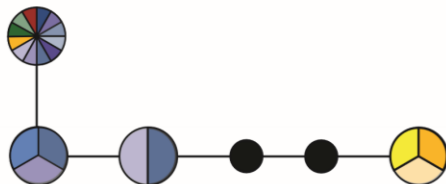
Table A3

DNA polymorphism for *atp8-orf225* and *atp8* for four diploid *Fragaria* taxa.

| Gene | <i>atp8-orf225</i> | | | <i>atp8</i> | | | | |
|----------|--------------------|----------|----------|-------------|-----|----------|----------|-----|
| Variable | | | | | | | | |
| Locus | 20 | 130 | 164 | 153 | 202 | 364 | 369 | 439 |
| Mitotype | | | | | | | | |
| A | <u>G</u> | <u>C</u> | <u>G</u> | G | A | <u>G</u> | <u>G</u> | C |
| B | <u>T</u> | <u>A</u> | <u>G</u> | G | A | <u>G</u> | <u>G</u> | C |
| C | <u>T</u> | <u>C</u> | <u>G</u> | G | A | <u>G</u> | <u>G</u> | C |
| D | <u>T</u> | <u>C</u> | <u>T</u> | G | A | <u>G</u> | <u>G</u> | C |
| E | <u>T</u> | <u>C</u> | <u>G</u> | G | A | <u>G</u> | <u>T</u> | C |
| F | <u>G</u> | <u>C</u> | <u>G</u> | G | A | <u>G</u> | <u>T</u> | C |
| G | <u>T</u> | <u>C</u> | <u>G</u> | G | A | <u>T</u> | <u>T</u> | C |
| H | <u>T</u> | <u>C</u> | <u>G</u> | T | C | <u>T</u> | <u>T</u> | T |

Note. For each of the mitotypes (Table 1 and depicted in Fig.2) the variable sites in *atp8-orf225* and *atp8* (numbered from the first codon position) are given. Underline indicates position at which nonsynonymous substitutions occur. Mitotype A occurred in a single herbarium sample.



a**b****c****d**

= OR-MRD (B)

= CA-WMR (B)

= NM-LNF (B)

= IA-SSP (A)

= OR-ES (B)

= WA-DC (B)

 = FVB10^o (B)

= CA-INASD (C)

= OR-FB (B)

= ID-SFR (B)

= ONT-GRL (A)

= CA-SBNF (C)

= CA-PDL (B)

= CO-SCR (B)

= NH-FP (A)

= MX-LV (M)

