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THE ASSESSMENT OF ESSENTIAL DERIVATION IN GRAPEVINE

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The assessment of essential derivation in grapevine

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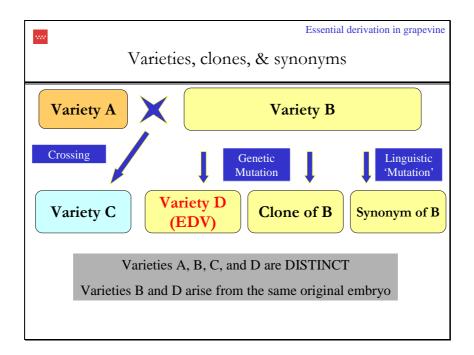
Essential derivation in grapevine

Vitis vinifera L.

- Woody, asexually multiplied
- Very old culture
- Widely spread culture
- Very high number of varieties
- Synonyms and homonyms



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Essential derivation in grapevine

Characterization of grapevine varieties with 9 microsatellites

- Study of 991 accessions (2 plants / accession)
- 490,545 pair wise comparisons
- 3,170 pairs fully matched (18 alleles):
 - 639 accessions
 - 138 genotypes

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Essential derivation in grapevine

Characterization of grapevine varieties with 9 microsatellites

- Full-matching accessions could include:
 - Same variety (clone, synonym)
 - Distinct variety:
 - EDV (same original embryo)
 - Non-EDV (different original embryos)



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Full-matching accessions

Literature / morphology data

- 594 full-matching accessions classified as:
 - Same variety (clone, synonym)
 - Distinct variety:
 - EDV (same original embryo)



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Full-matching accessions

Doubts remaining: 45 accessions

- 20 microsatellites:
 - 19 linkage groups
 - 4 of the first set of 9 (full-matching expected)
 - 16 different



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Full-matching accessions

Doubts remaining: 45 accessions

- Full-matching in 25 microsatellites
- Conclusions:
 - Same variety (clone, synonym)OR
 - Distinct variety: EDV (same original embryo)



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Characterization of grapevine varieties with 9 microsatellites

- Study of 490 non-redundant genotypes
- 119,805 pair wise comparisons
- 1 pair matched 17 of 18 alleles:
- 2 pairs matched 16 of 18 alleles:
- Literature: considered distinct varieties:
 - EDV (same original embryo)
 - Non-EDV (different original embryos)

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Characterization of grapevine varieties with 9 microsatellites

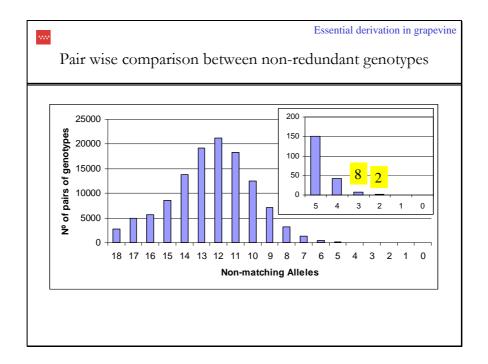
- 1 pair matched 17 of 18 alleles:
- 'Chasselas Blanc' and 'Chasselas Gros Coulard'
- Full-matching in 25 microsatellites (but 1 allele)
- Conclusion:
 - EDV (same original embryo)

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Characterization of grapevine varieties with 9 microsatellites

- 2 pairs matched 16 of 18 alleles:
 Alphonse Lavallée with Princeps
 Pizzutello Moscato Biondo with Galletta Rosa
- 25 microsatellite analysis:
 - 10 different alleles (8 loci) in both cases
- Conclusion:
 - Non-EDV (different original embryos)



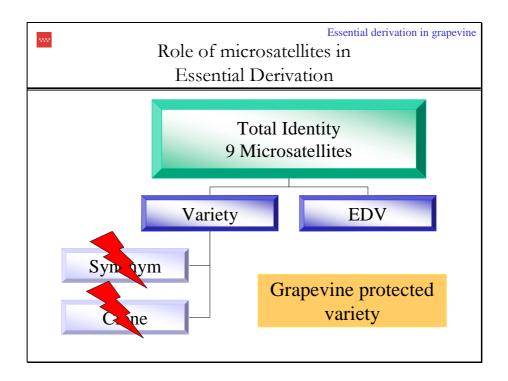
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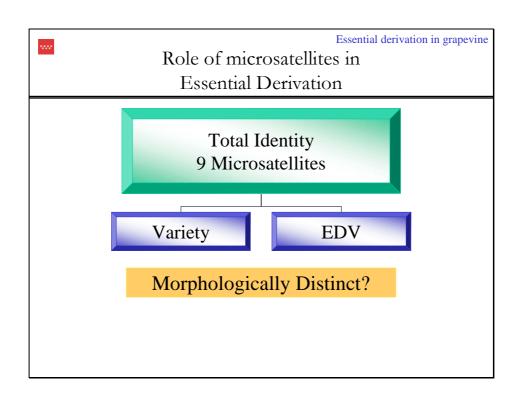
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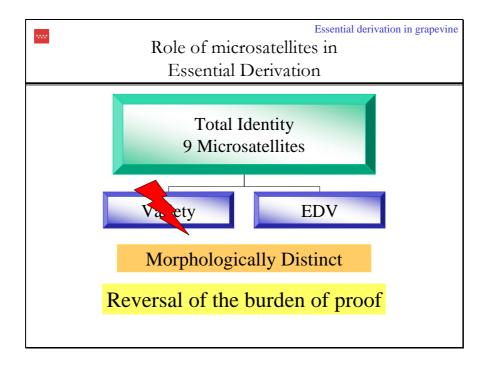
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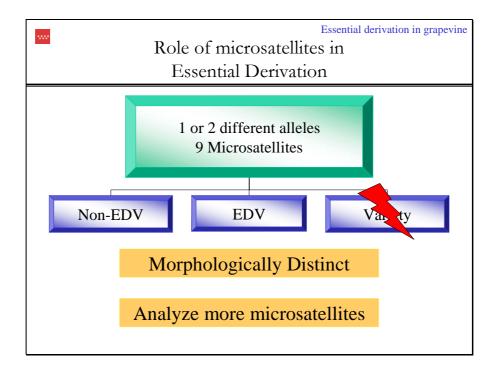
• Conclusions:

- All varieties arising from different embryos
 (=Non-EDVs) were distinguished by 2 or more alleles
- All varieties arising from the same embryo, including EDVs, matched in the 18 alleles (except one case, one different allele)









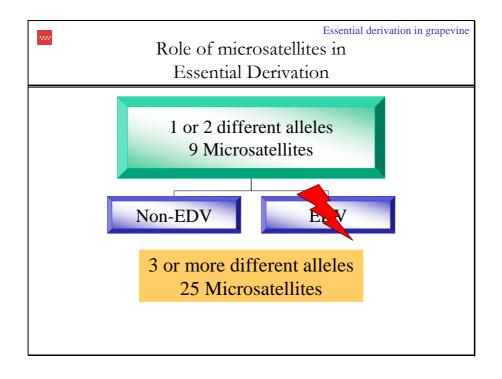
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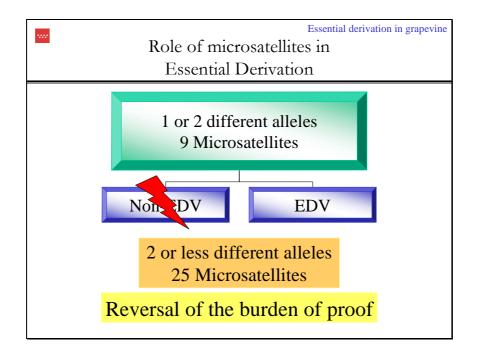
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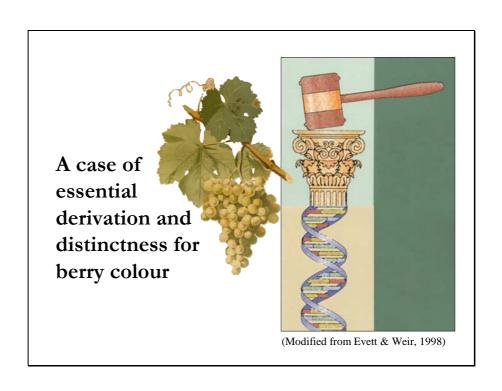
Role of microsatellites in Essential Derivation

Considerations:

- Study of 72 varieties involved in pedigrees:
 - Closest varieties differed in 7 alleles for the 16 additional microsatellites
- Probability of finding two different mutations in the microsatellites of one variety is 6.8 10⁻⁹ (the mutation rate in grapevine per microsatellite is 8.2 10⁻⁵ after Crespan, 2004)







Essential derivation in grapevine

A case of essential derivation and distinctness for berry colour

- Three grapevine varieties:
 - A: white colour, original variety
 - B: rose colour
 - C: rose colour
- Full-matched for the 9 microsatellites

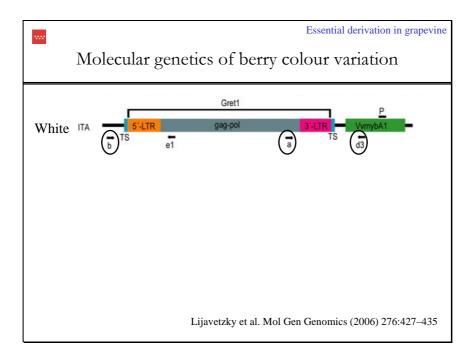
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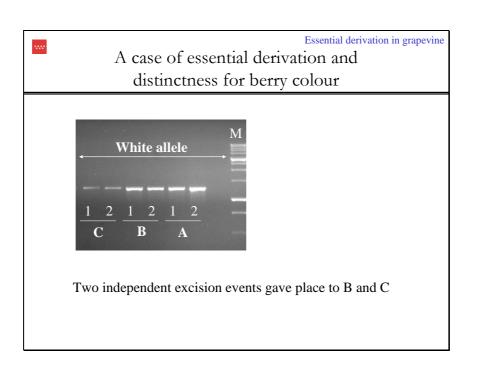
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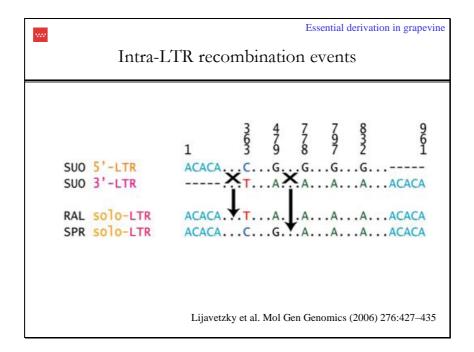
A case of essential derivation and distinctness for berry colour

- Initial conclusion:
 - B and C are EDVs from A
- Possibilities regarding B and C:
 - Same variety
 - Distinct varieties

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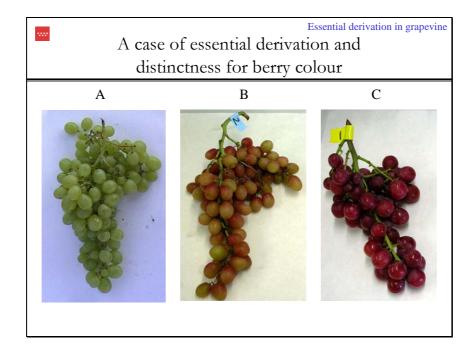






A case of essential derivation and distinctness for berry colour

- B and C are different, but are they distinct?
- Option 1 for distinctness?



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A case of essential derivation and distinctness for berry colour

- B and C are different, but are they distinct?
 - Differ in berry colour
 - Differ in the uniformity of berry colour
- Option 1 for distinctness?
 - Study for a correlation between marker and berry colour
 - Probably, different excision events may give place to a non-distinct berry colour

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Conclusions

- Total identity for the set of 9 microsatellites between two distinct varieties are enough evidence as to reverse the burden of proof
- Differences of 1-2 alleles should be studied with more microsatellites
- Molecular analysis of berry colour is not ready for an option 1 approach yet

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