

# The Genome of Snakehead Fish



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# General information

- Has long body and cylindrical shape(90cm ,8kg)



# General information

- Can live without water for 4 days.





# General information

- Usually Lives on freshwater, and can survive in the most extreme heat water.



# General information

- It is hunted as a food source especially in Africa and China.



# Genome paper



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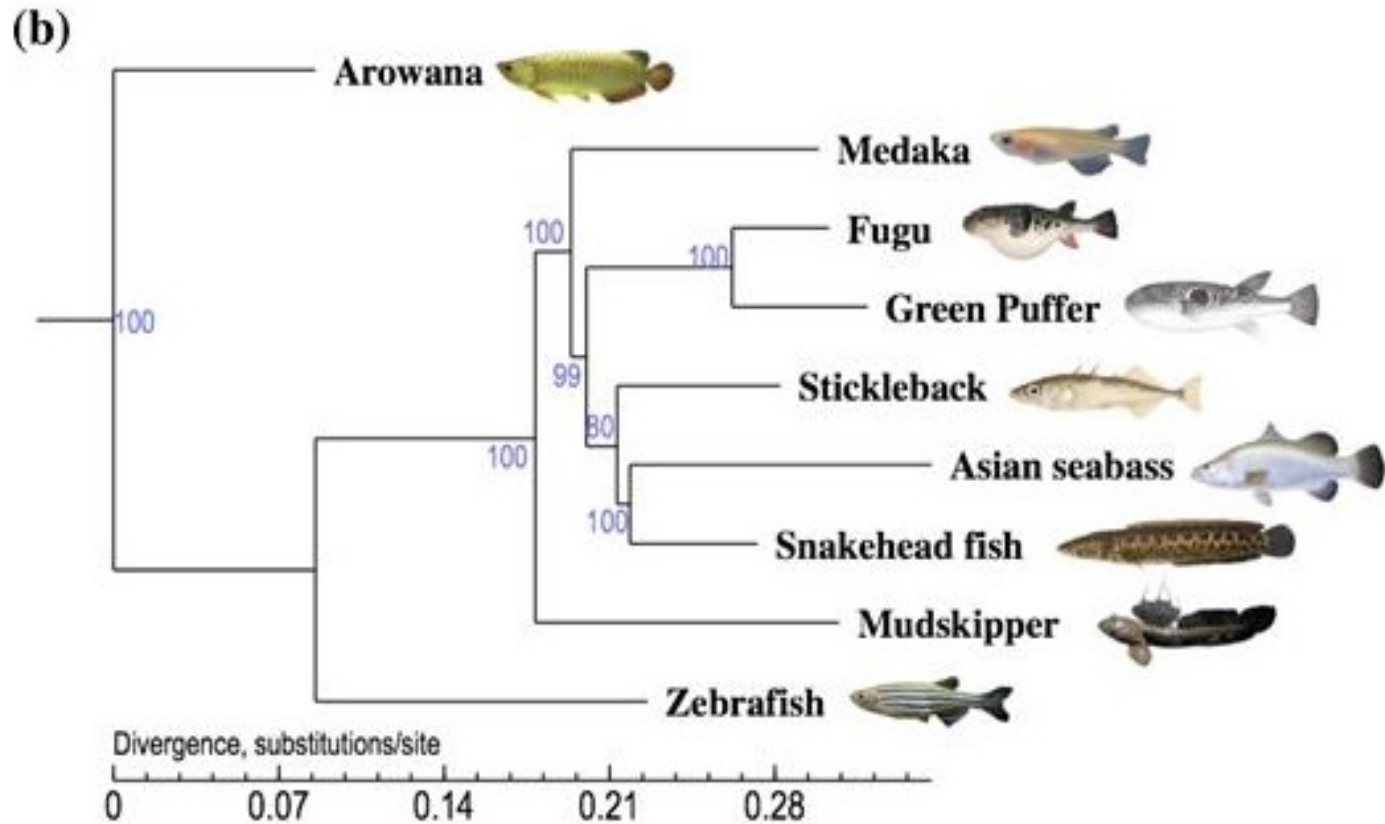
Data Note

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## Draft genome of the Northern snakehead, *Channa argus*

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# General genome information





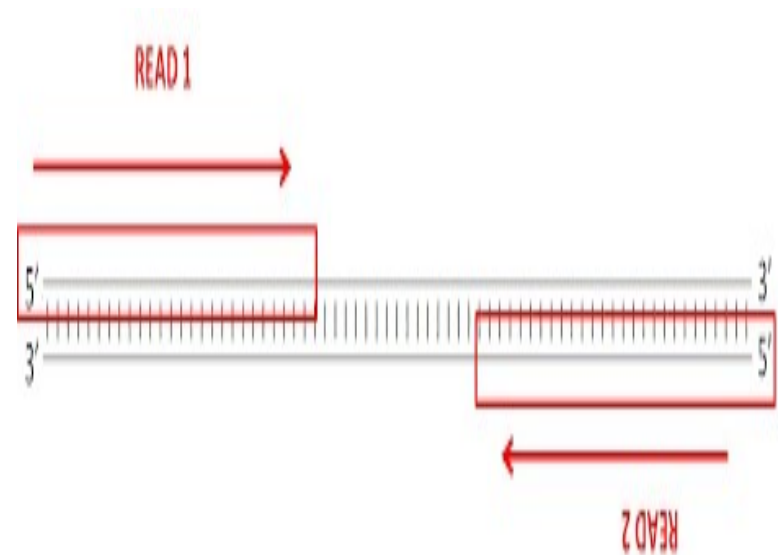
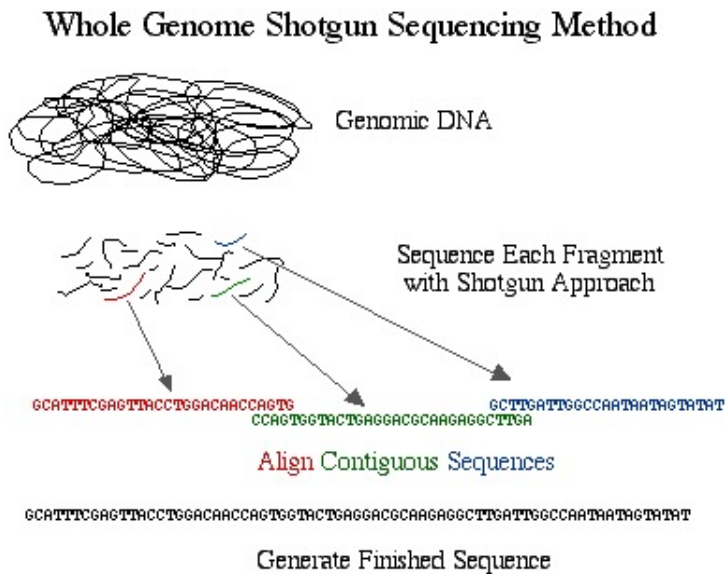
# General genome information

- Scientific name ( *Channa argus*).
- Total reads is 140 Gb.
- Genome source ( blood sample)



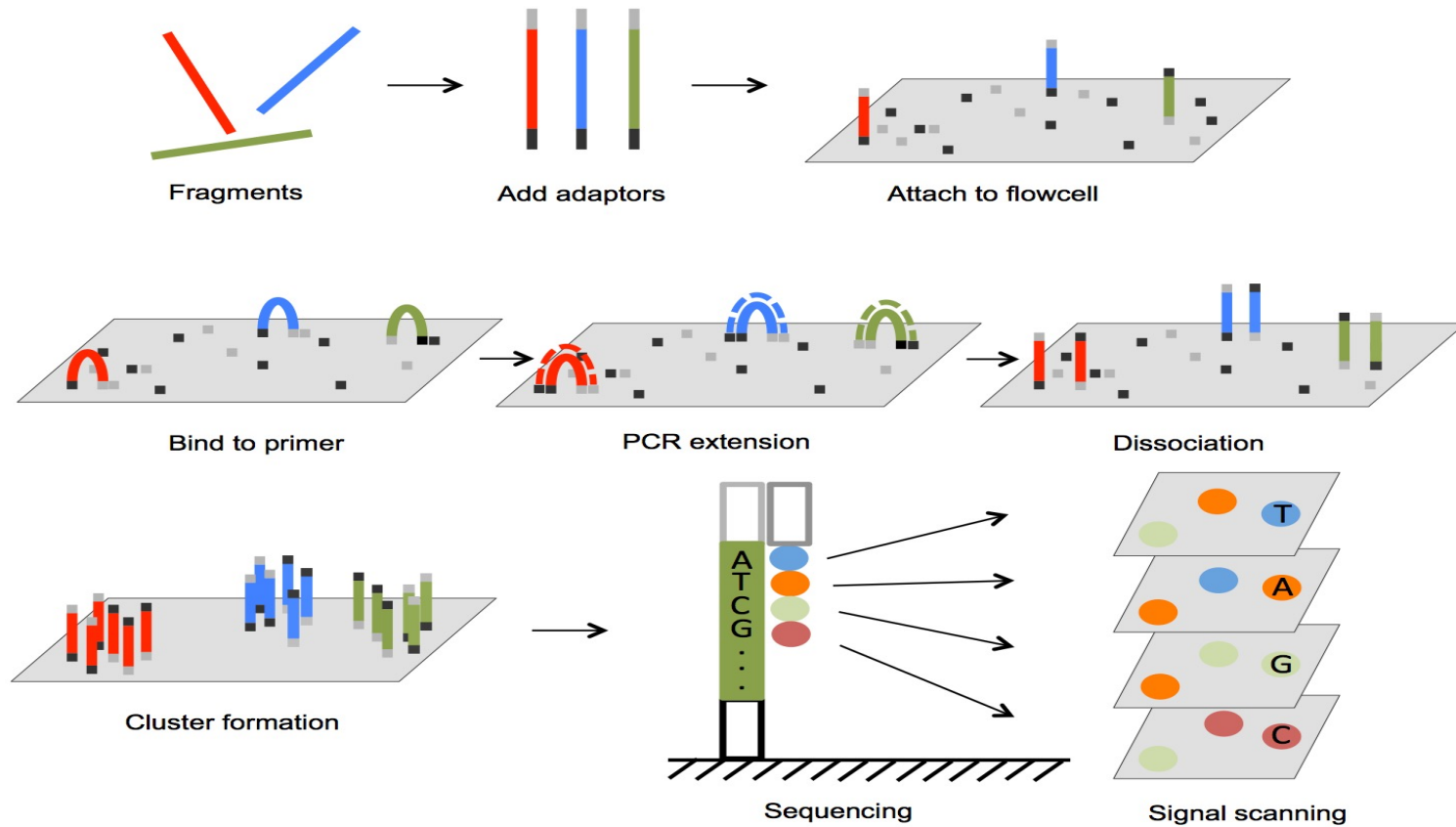
# Sequencing strategy

- Whole-genome shotgun sequencing.
- Paired-end sequencing.



# Sequencing methods

- Illumina sequence method



# Genome assembly

- 615.3Mb was assembled.
- Contig number is 29146bp
- Contig N50 size is 81kb
- Scaffold N50 size is 4.5Mb





# Genome outcome

- The repeat sequence is about 18.9%
- Exon length is 175bp
- Intron length is 1537bp
- Mean exon per gene is 10.5

