

# Sword-belt Mushroom Genome

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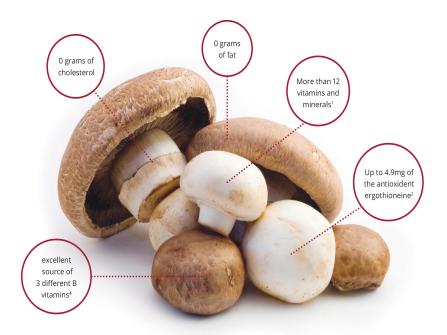
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## **Fun facts**

- Sword-belt agrocybe aegerita known as black poplar
- In italian known as pioppino
- They are very popular for their superb taste. Some say it even tastes like bacon!!
- Preferring hardwoods, cotton woods, willows and poplars
- In Asia, it is used fresh and rehydrated in various dishes, including stir-fry, soup, stew, and hot pot





## **Fun facts**

#### • Characteristics :

They have large fruitbodies

- Also it's very smooth

• Color :

Yellowish and brown

• Growing :

United states and Southern Europe



## My genome paper

Gupta et al. BMC Genomics (2018) 19:48 DOI 10.1186/s12864-017-4430-y

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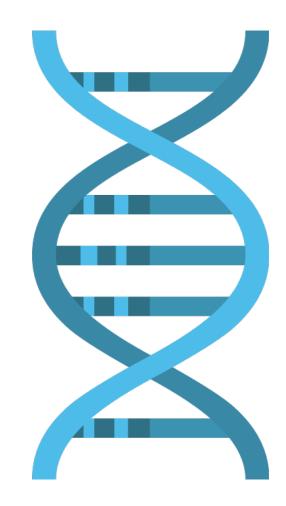
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The genome sequence of the commercially cultivated mushroom *Agrocybe aegerita* reveals a conserved repertoire of fruiting-related genes and a versatile suite of biopolymer-degrading enzymes

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#### **General genomic informations**

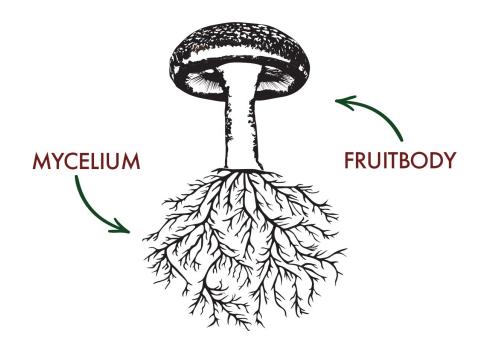
- Common name : Sword-belt mushroom
- Scientific name : Agrocybe aegerita
- 44 Mb in size
- Order : agaricales



#### **Biological sample**

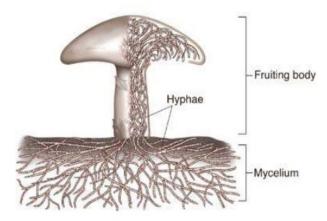
#### • Mycelium

- the vegetative part of a fungus , consisting of a network of fine white filaments (hyphae)



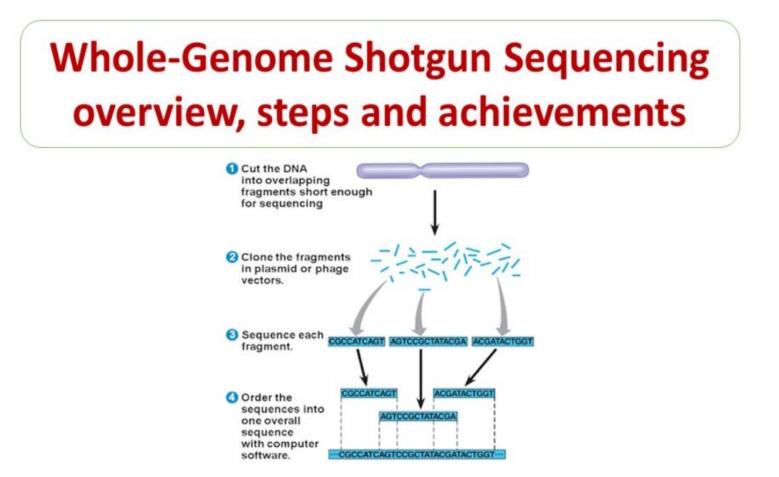
#### Structure of Fungi

The bodies of multicellular fungi are composed of many hyphae tangled together into a thick mass called a mycelium



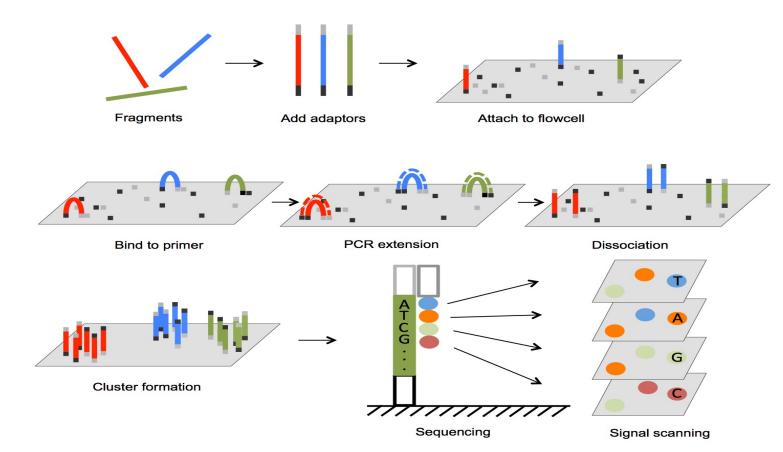
### Sequencing strategy

• They used whole genome shot-gon sequencing strategy



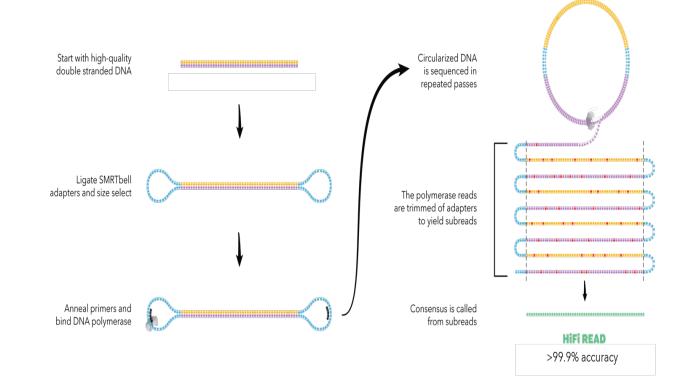
### **Sequencing method**

- Quality analysis of genomic DNA and total RNA before sequencing, library construction, and sequencing on PacBio (RS II) and Illumina (HiSeq 2500) instruments
- Illumina sequencing method was used



## **Sequencing method**

- PacBio sequencing was used
- PacBio have long reads



#### **Genome assembly**

- 127 scaffolds
- L50 scaffolds = 20
- Shortest scaffolds = 2417
- Genome coverage = 0.258 X
- N50 scaffolds length = 768,404



### **Genome biological outcome**

- ✓ Agrocybe aegerita able to complete its life cycle by the formation of typical agaric fruit bodies on agar medium after three weeks, depending on light. In the absence of light, a 'dark stipe' phenotype occurs.
- ✓ It shows more similarity to white-rot fungi than to litter decomposers, including 18 genes coding for unspecific peroxygenases and three dye-decolourising peroxidase genes expanding its lignocellulolytic machinery.
- ✓ In nature, it is a saprotrophic or facultative pathogenic fungus causing a white-rot of hardwood in forests of warm and mild climate.
- ✓ For some genes involved in fruit body formation, paralogisation was observed, but not all fruit body maturation-associated genes known from other agaricomycetes seem to be conserved in the genome sequence of A. aegerita.

## Questions

- What is the sequencing method was used? Explain it
- Why the organism is called black poplar?

