

## R/qtl & R/qtlbim Tutorials

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  - R code: [www.stat.wisc.edu/~yandell/qtlbim/rqtltour.R](http://www.stat.wisc.edu/~yandell/qtlbim/rqtltour.R)

## R/qtl tutorial (www.rqtl.org)

```
> library(qtl)
> data(hyper)
> summary(hyper)
  Backcross

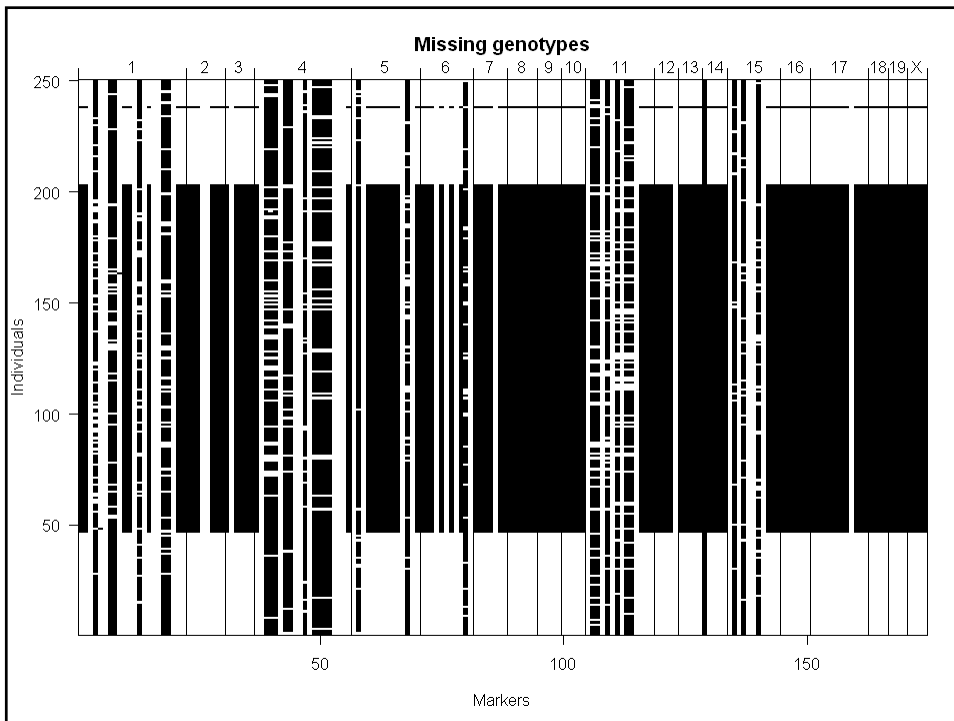
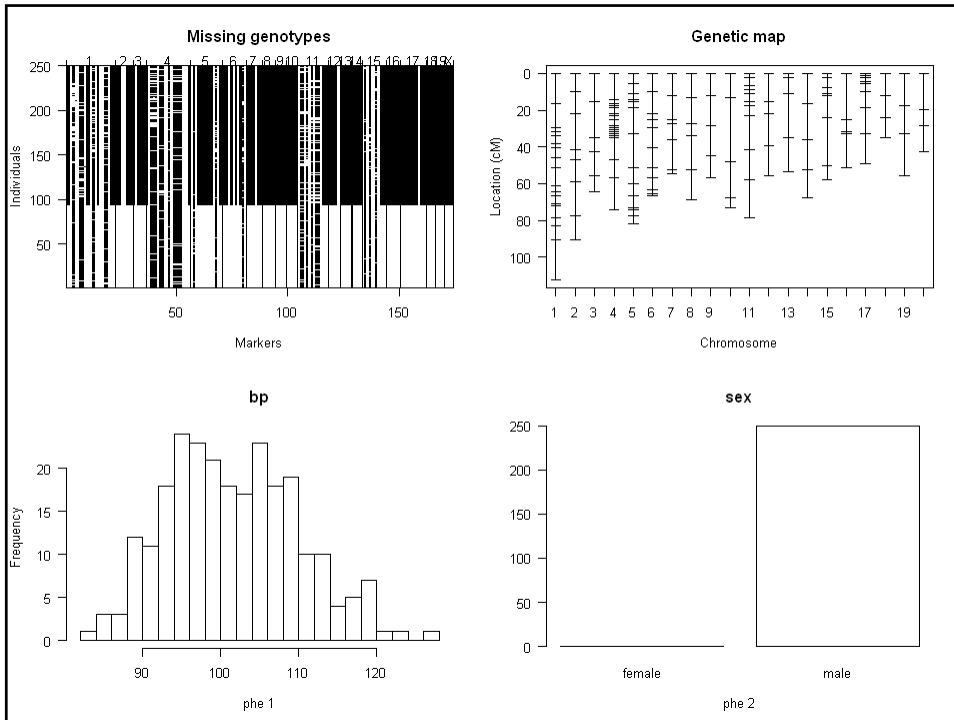
  No. individuals:    250

  No. phenotypes:    2
  Percent phenotyped: 100 100

  No. chromosomes:   20
  Autosomes:         1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19
  X chr:              X

  Total markers:     174
  No. markers:       22 8 6 20 14 11 7 6 5 5 14 5 5 5 11 6 12 4 4 4
  Percent genotyped: 47.7
  Genotypes (%):     AA:50.2 AB:49.8

> plot(hyper)
> plot.missing(hyper, reorder = TRUE)
```

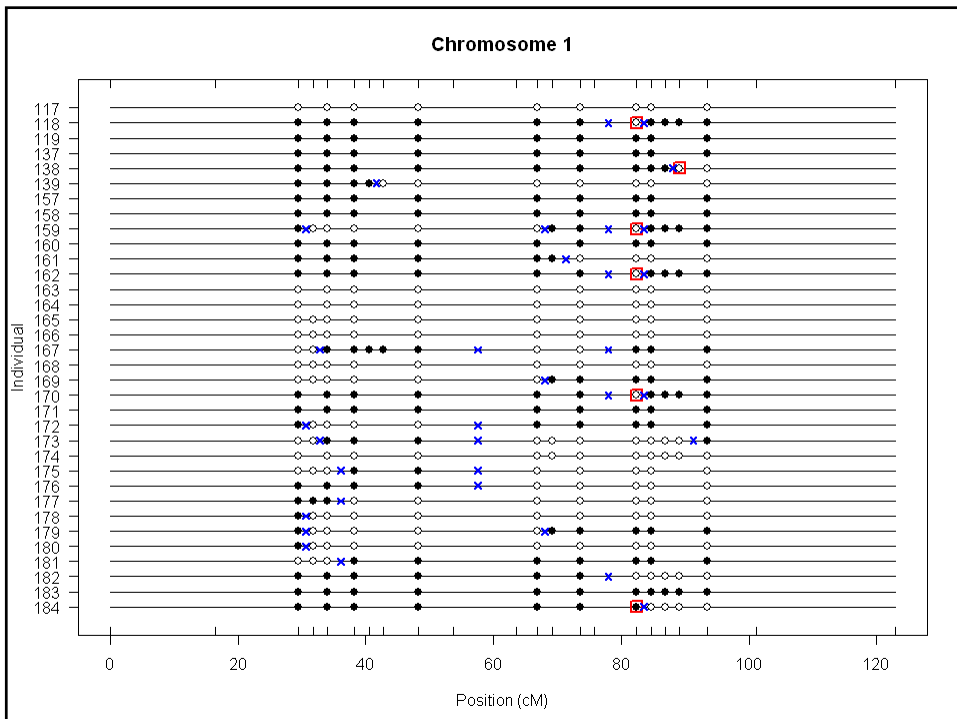


# R/qtl: find genotyping errors

```

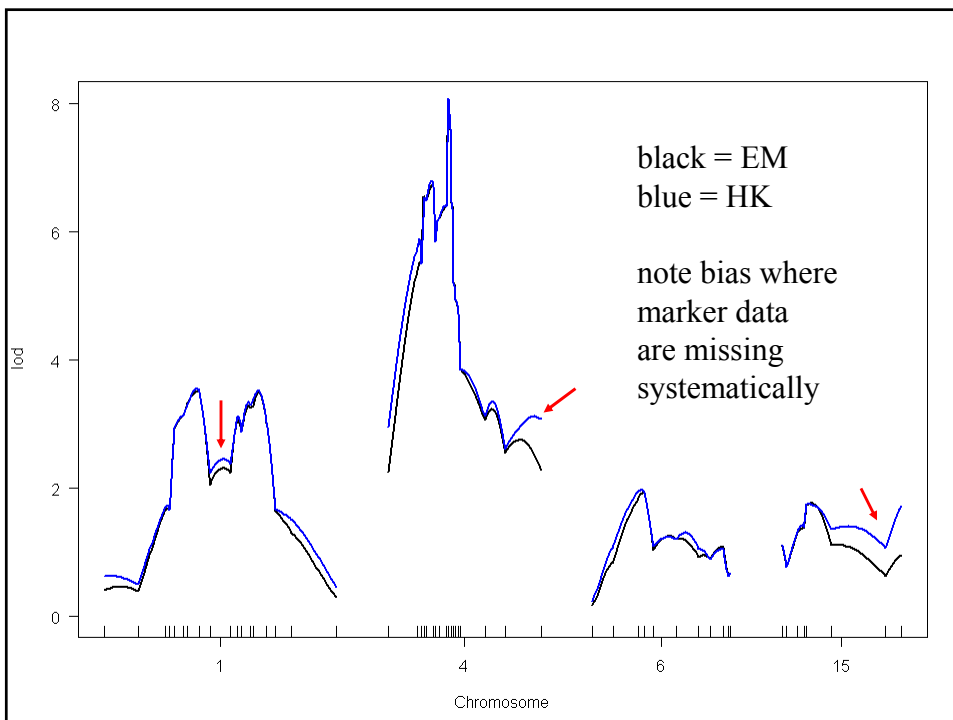
> hyper <- calc.errorlod(hyper, error.prob=0.01)
> top.errorlod(hyper)
  chr id   marker errorlod
1   1 118  D1Mit14  8.372794
2   1 162  D1Mit14  8.372794
3   1 170  D1Mit14  8.372794
4   1 159  D1Mit14  8.350341
5   1  73  D1Mit14  6.165395
6   1  65  D1Mit14  6.165395
7   1  88  D1Mit14  6.165395
8   1 184  D1Mit14  6.151606
9   1 241  D1Mit14  6.151606
...
16  1 215  D1Mit267  5.822192
17  1 108  D1Mit267  5.822192
18  1 138  D1Mit267  5.822192
19  1 226  D1Mit267  5.822192
20  1 199  D1Mit267  5.819250
21  1  84  D1Mit267  5.808400
> plot.geno(hyper, chr=1, ind=c(117:119,137:139,157:184))

```



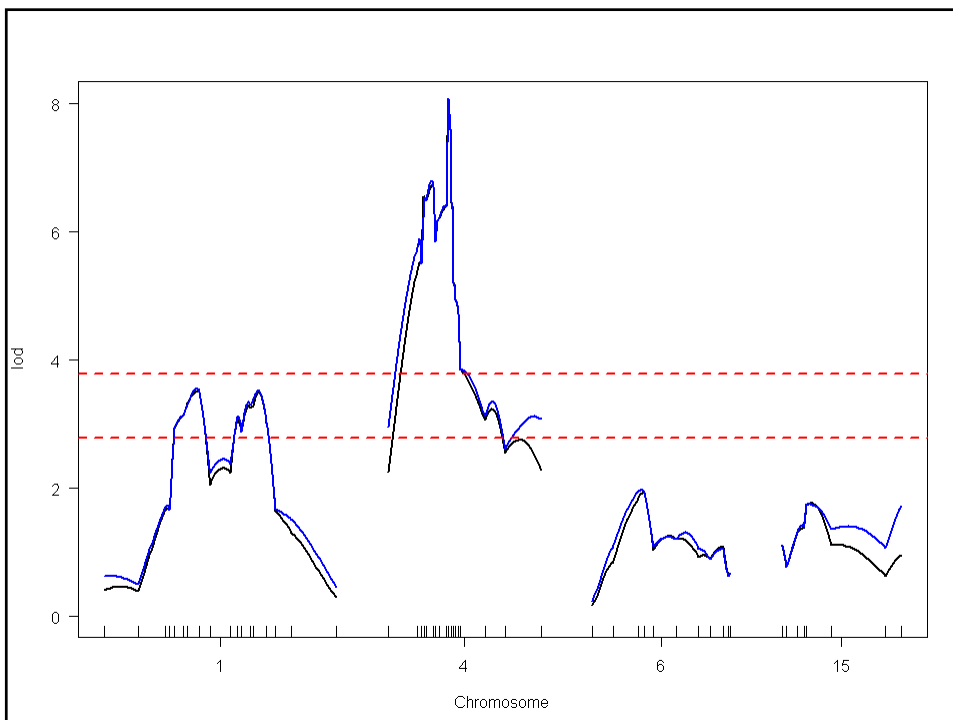
# R/qtl: 1 QTL interval mapping

```
> hyper <- calc.genoprob(hyper, step=1,
  error.prob=0.01)
> out.em <- scanone(hyper)
> out.hk <- scanone(hyper, method="hk")
> summary(out.em, threshold=3)
      chr pos lod
c1.loc45  1 48.3 3.52
D4Mit164  4 29.5 8.02
> summary(out.hk, threshold=3)
      chr pos lod
c1.loc45  1 48.3 3.55
D4Mit164  4 29.5 8.09
```



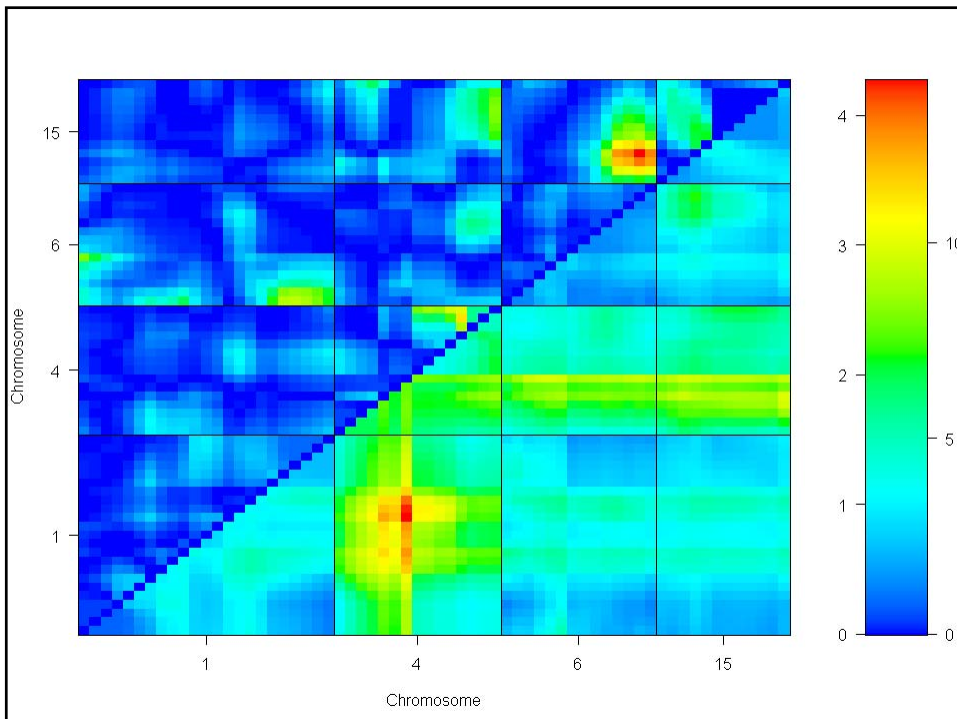
## R/qtl: permutation threshold

```
> operm.hk <- scanone(hyper, method="hk",  
  n.perm=1000)  
Doing permutation in batch mode ...  
> summary(operm.hk, alpha=c(0.01,0.05))  
LOD thresholds (1000 permutations)  
  lod  
1% 3.79  
5% 2.78  
> summary(out.hk, perms=operm.hk, alpha=0.05,  
  pvalues=TRUE)  
  chr pos lod pval  
1   1 48.3 3.55 0.015  
2   4 29.5 8.09 0.000
```



# R/qtl: 2 QTL scan

```
> hyper <- calc.genoprob(hyper, step=5, error.prob=0.01)
>
> out2.hk <- scantwo(hyper, method="hk")
--Running scanone
--Running scantwo
(1,1)
(1,2)
...
(19,19)
(19,X)
(X,X)
> summary(out2.hk, thresholds=c(6.0, 4.7, 4.4, 4.7, 2.6))
      pos1f pos2f lod.full lod.fv1 lod.int      pos1a pos2a lod.add lod.av1
c1 :c4    68.3  30.0   14.13   6.51  0.225    68.3  30.0   13.90  6.288
c2 :c19   47.7   0.0    6.71   5.01  3.458    52.7   0.0    3.25  1.552
c3 :c3    37.2  42.2    6.10   5.08  0.226    37.2  42.2    5.87  4.853
c6 :c15   60.0  20.5    7.17   5.22  3.237    25.0  20.5    3.93  1.984
c9 :c18   67.0  37.2    6.31   4.79  4.083    67.0  12.2    2.23  0.708
c12:c19   1.1  40.0    6.48   4.79  4.090     1.1   0.0    2.39  0.697
> plot(out2.hk, chr=c(1,4,6,15))
```



## R/qtl: ANOVA imputation at QTL

```
> hyper <- sim.geno(hyper, step=2, n.draws=16, error.prob=0.01)
> qtl <- makeqtl(hyper, chr = c(1, 1, 4, 6, 15), pos = c(50, 76, 30, 70, 20))

> my.formula <- y ~ Q1 + Q2 + Q3 + Q4 + Q5 + Q4:Q5
> out.fitqtl <- fitqtl(hyper$pheno[,1], qtl, formula=my.formula)
> summary(out.fitqtl)
```

Full model result

Model formula is:  $y \sim Q1 + Q2 + Q3 + Q4 + Q5 + Q4:Q5$

	df	SS	MS	LOD	%var	Pvalue (Chi2)	Pvalue (F)
Model	6	5789.089	964.84822	21.54994	32.76422	0	0
Error	243	11879.847	48.88826				
Total	249	17668.936					

Drop one QTL at a time ANOVA table:

	df	Type III SS	LOD	%var	F value	Pvalue (F)
Chr1@50	1	297.149	1.341	1.682	6.078	0.01438 *
Chr1@76	1	520.664	2.329	2.947	10.650	0.00126 **
Chr4@30	1	2842.089	11.644	16.085	58.134	5.50e-13 ***
Chr6@70	2	1435.721	6.194	8.126	14.684	9.55e-07 ***
Chr15@20	2	1083.842	4.740	6.134	11.085	2.47e-05 ***
Chr6@70:Chr15@20	1	955.268	4.199	5.406	19.540	1.49e-05 ***

Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

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## R/qtlbim ([www.qtlbim.org](http://www.qtlbim.org))

- cross-compatible with R/qtl
- model selection for genetic architecture
  - epistasis, fixed & random covariates, GxE
  - samples multiple genetic architectures
  - examines summaries over nested models
- extensive graphics

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# R/qtlbim: tutorial

([www.stat.wisc.edu/~yandell/qtlbim](http://www.stat.wisc.edu/~yandell/qtlbim))

```
> data(hyper)
## Drop X chromosome (for now).
> hyper <- subset(hyper, chr=1:19)
> hyper <- qb.genoprob(hyper, step=2)
## This is the time-consuming step:
> qbHyper <- qb.mcmc(hyper, pheno.col = 1)
## Here we get stored samples.
> qb.load(hyper, qbHyper)
> summary(qbHyper)
```

# R/qtlbim: initial summaries

```
> summary(qbHyper)
Bayesian model selection QTL mapping object qbHyper on cross object hyper
had 3000 iterations recorded at each 40 steps with 1200 burn-in steps.

Diagnostic summaries:
      nqtl  mean envvar  varadd  varaa  var
Min.   2.000  97.42  28.07  5.112  0.000  5.112
1st Qu. 5.000 101.00 44.33 17.010 1.639 20.180
Median  7.000 101.30 48.57 20.060 4.580 25.160
Mean    6.543 101.30 48.80 20.310 5.321 25.630
3rd Qu. 8.000 101.70 53.11 23.480 7.862 30.370
Max.   13.000 103.90 74.03 51.730 34.940 65.220

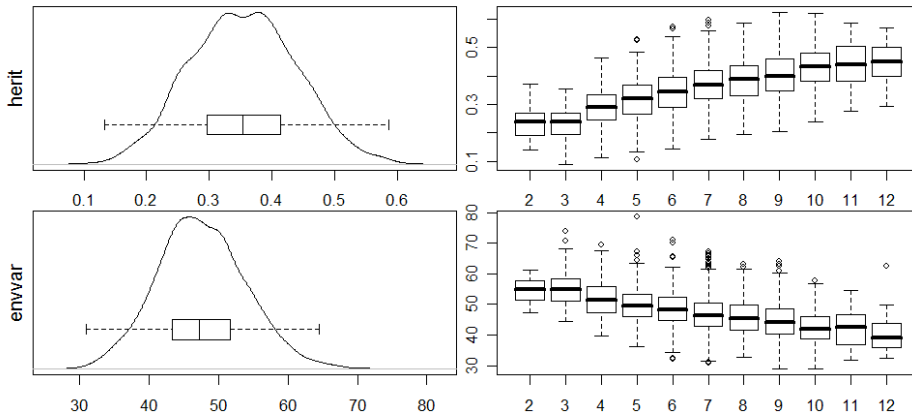
Percentages for number of QTL detected:
  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  9 10 11 12 13
  2  3  9 14 21 19 17 10  4  1  0  0

Percentages for number of epistatic pairs detected:
pairs
  1  2  3  4  5  6
29 31 23 11  5  1

Percentages for common epistatic pairs:
 6.15 4.15 4.6 1.7 15.15 1.4 1.6 4.9 1.15 1.17 1.5 5.11 1.2 7.15 1.1
 63 18 10 6 6 5 4 4 3 3 3 2 2 2 2
> plot(qb.diag(qbHyper, items = c("herit", "envvar")))
```



## diagnostic summaries



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## R/qtlbim: 1-D (*not* 1-QTL!) scan

```
> one <- qb.scanone(qbHyper, chr = c(1,4,6,15),
  type = "LPD")
> summary(one)
LPD of bp for main,epistasis,sum

      n.qtl  pos m.pos e.pos  main epistasis  sum
c1  1.331 64.5  64.5  67.8  6.10    0.442  6.27
c4  1.377 29.5  29.5  29.5 11.49    0.375 11.61
c6  0.838 59.0  59.0  59.0  3.99    6.265  9.60
c15 0.961 17.5  17.5  17.5  1.30    6.325  7.28
> plot(one)
> plot(out.em, chr=c(1,4,6,15), add = TRUE, col =
  "red", lty = 2)
```

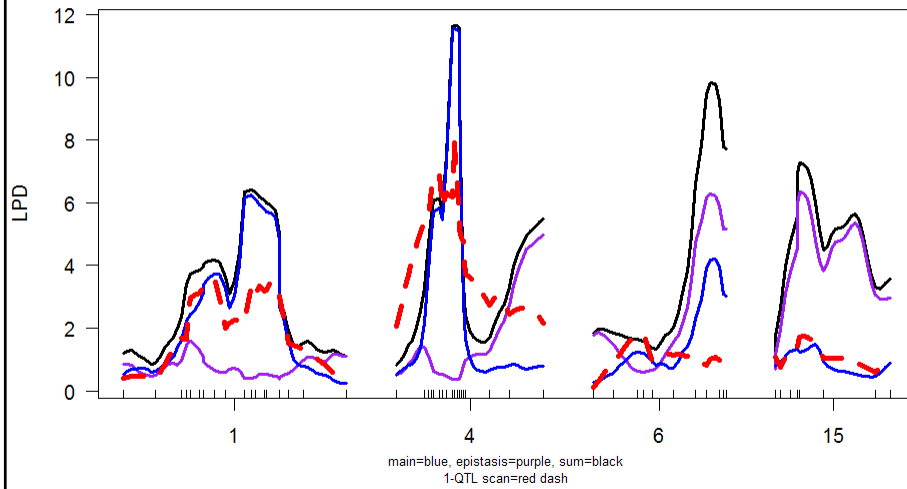
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# hyper data: scanone

LPD of bp for main+epistasis+sum



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## R/qtlbim: automated QTL selection

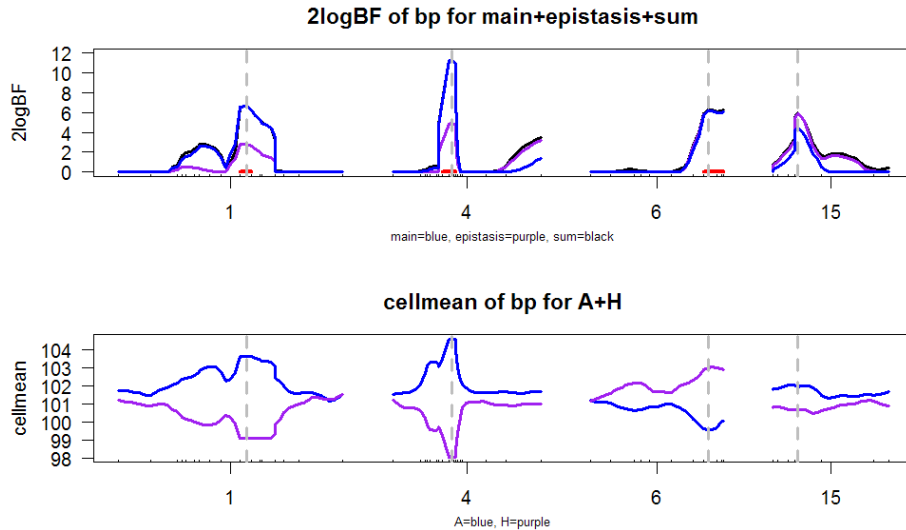
```
> hpd <- qb.hpdone(qbHyper, profile = "2logBF")
> summary(hpd)
  chr n.qtl  pos lo.50% hi.50% 2logBF      A      H
  1    1 0.829 64.5   64.5   72.1  6.692 103.611 99.090
  4    4 3.228 29.5   25.1   31.7 11.169 104.584 98.020
  6    6 1.033 59.0   56.8   66.7  6.054  99.637 102.965
 15   15 0.159 17.5   17.5   17.5  5.837 101.972 100.702
> plot(hpd)
```

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## 2log(BF) scan with 50% HPD region



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## R/qtlbim: Bayes Factor evaluations

```
> tmp <- qb.BayesFactor(qbHyper)
> summary(tmp)
$nqtl

$pattern
      posterior  prior    bf  bfse
7:2*1,2*15,2*4,6 0.00500 3.17e-07 220.00 56.700
6:1,2*15,2*4,6   0.01400 1.02e-06 192.00 29.400
7:1,2*15,2*4,5,6 0.00600 4.49e-07 186.00 43.800
7:1,2*15,2,2*4,6 0.00433 5.39e-07 112.00 31.000
5:1,15,2*4,6     0.00867 5.81e-06  20.80  4.060
5:1,15,4,2*6     0.00733 5.22e-06  19.60  4.170
4:1,15,4,6       0.03770 2.71e-05  19.40  1.790

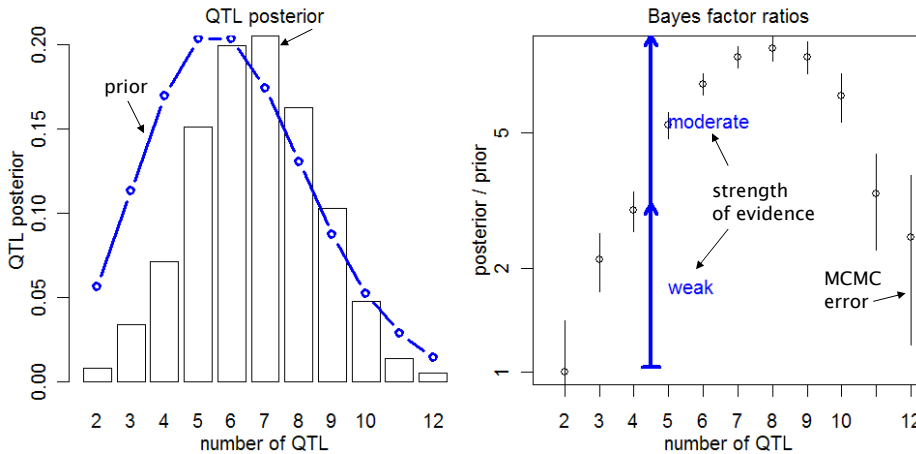
$chrom
      posterior  prior    bf  bfse
4       0.2100 0.0595 15.00 0.529
15      0.1470 0.0464 13.40 0.589
6       0.1280 0.0534 10.10 0.483
1       0.2030 0.0901  9.55 0.345
> plot(tmp)
```

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## hyper: number of QTL posterior, prior, Bayes factors



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## R/qtlbim: 2-D (*not* 2-QTL) scans

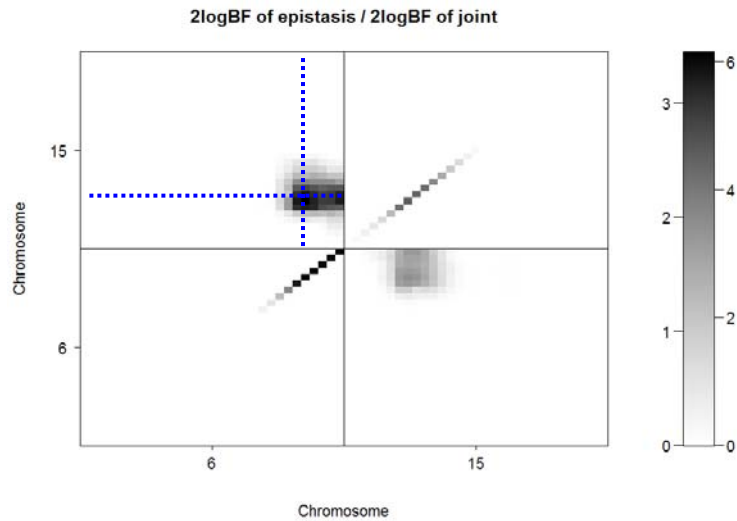
```
> two <- qb.scantwo(qbHyper, chr = c(6,15),
  type = "2logBF")
> plot(two)
> plot(two, chr = 6, slice = 15, show.locus =
  FALSE)
> plot(two, chr = 15, slice = 6, show.locus =
  FALSE)
> two <- qb.scantwo(qbHyper, chr = c(6,15),
  type = "LPD")
> plot(two, chr = 6, slice = 15, show.locus =
  FALSE)
> plot(two, chr = 15, slice = 6, show.locus =
  FALSE)
```

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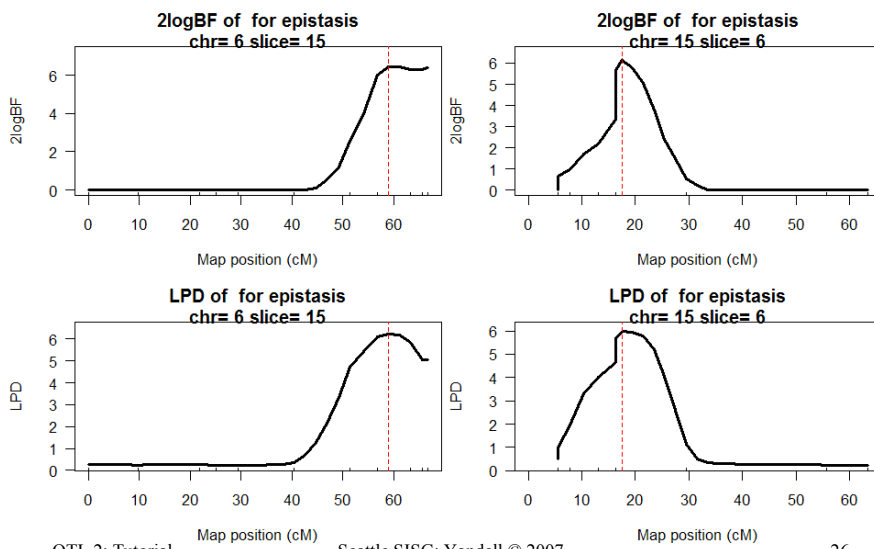
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## 2-D plot of 2logBF: chr 6 & 15



## 1-D Slices of 2-D scans: chr 6 & 15



# R/qtlbim: slice of epistasis

```
> slice = qb.slicetwo(qbHyper, c(6,15), c(59,19.5))
> summary(slice)
2logBF of bp for epistasis

  n.qtl  pos m.pos e.pos epistasis slice
c6  0.838 59.0 59.0 66.7      15.8 18.1
c15 0.961 17.5 17.5 17.5      15.5 60.6

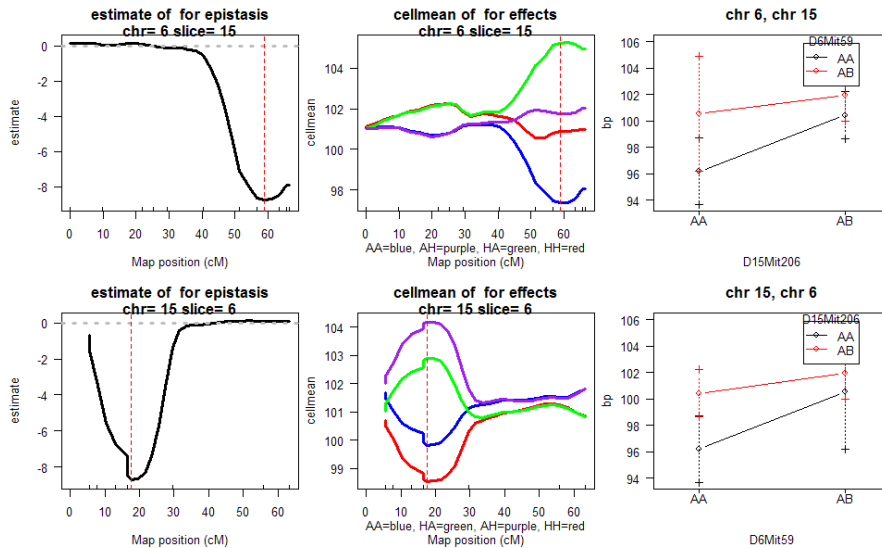
cellmean of bp for AA,HA,AH,HH

  n.qtl  pos m.pos  AA  HA  AH  HH slice
c6  0.838 59.0 59.0 97.4 105 102 100.8 18.1
c15 0.961 17.5 17.5 99.8 103 104  98.5 60.6

estimate of bp for epistasis

  n.qtl  pos m.pos e.pos epistasis slice
c6  0.838 59.0 59.0 66.7      -7.86 18.1
c15 0.961 17.5 17.5 17.5      -8.72 60.6
> plot(slice, figs = c("effects", "cellmean", "effectplot"))
```

## 1-D Slices of 2-D scans: chr 6 & 15



## selected publications

[www.stat.wisc.edu/~yandell/statgen](http://www.stat.wisc.edu/~yandell/statgen)

- Broman et al. (2003 *Bioinformatics*)
  - R/qtl introduction
- Broman (2001 *Lab Animal*)
  - nice overview of QTL issues
- Basten, Weir, Zeng (1995) *QTL Cartographer*
- Yandell, Bradbury (2007) *Plant Map* book chapter
  - overview/comparison of QTL methods
- Yandell et al. (2007 *Bioinformatics*)
  - R/qtlbim introduction
- Yi et al. (2005 *Genetics*)
  - methodology of R/qtlbim