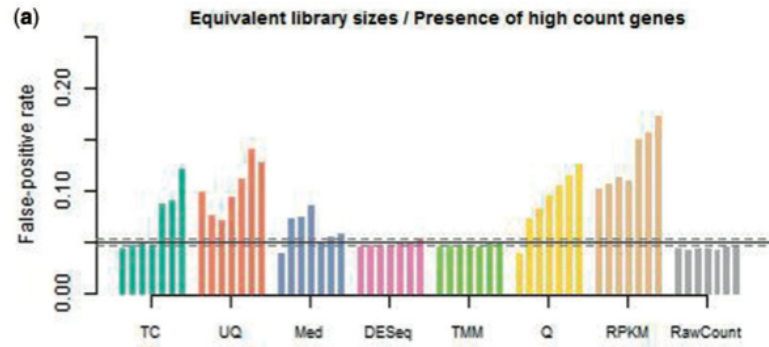
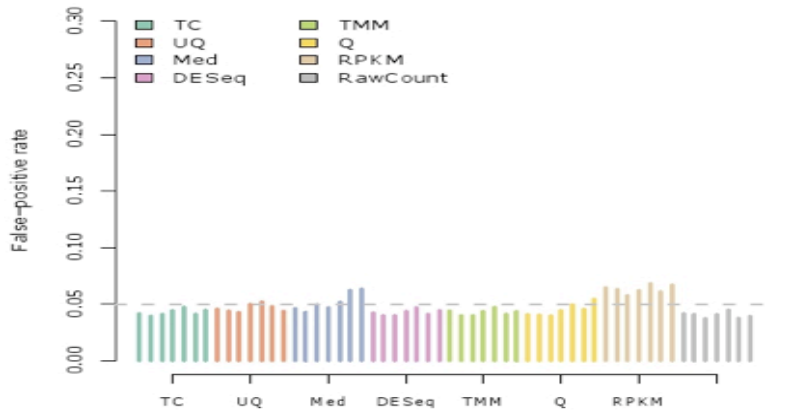


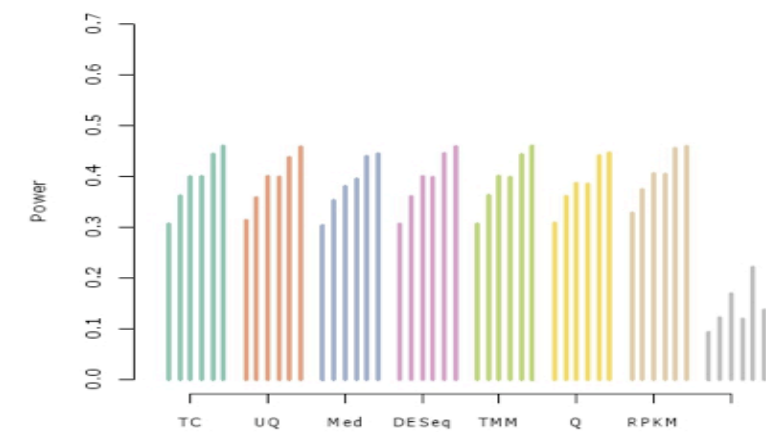
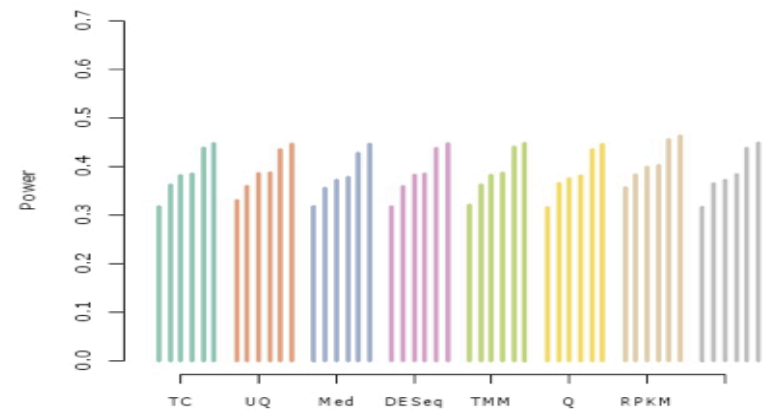
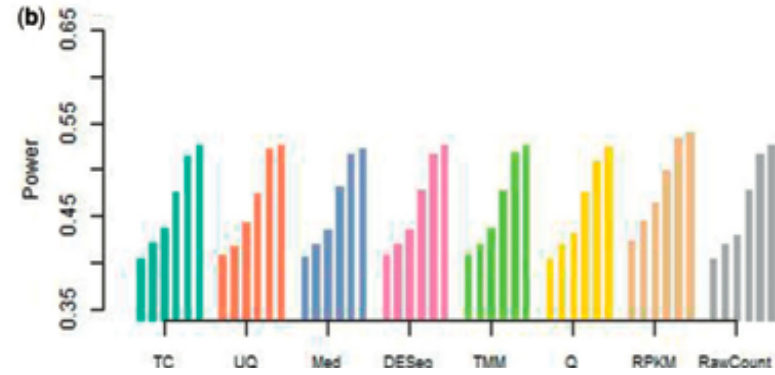
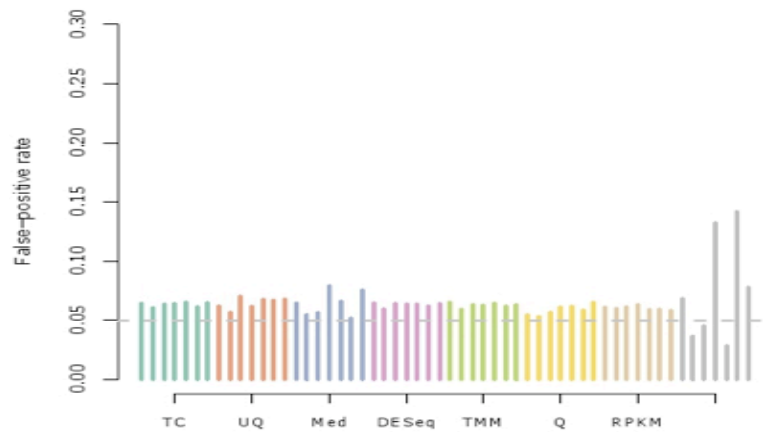
# Data normalization



a. Equivalent library sizes /No majority genes



b. Non-equivalent library sizes /No majority genes



# Human replication timing program : determination by deep sequencing & role in genome evolution

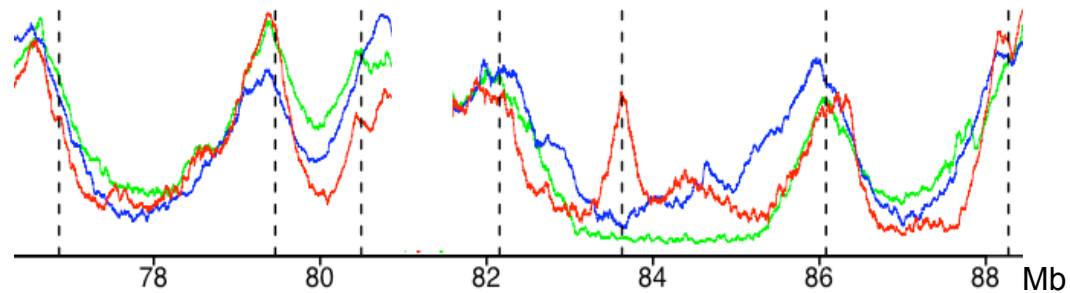
**Chun-Long CHEN**

Genome Analysis lab, Centre de Génétique Moléculaire

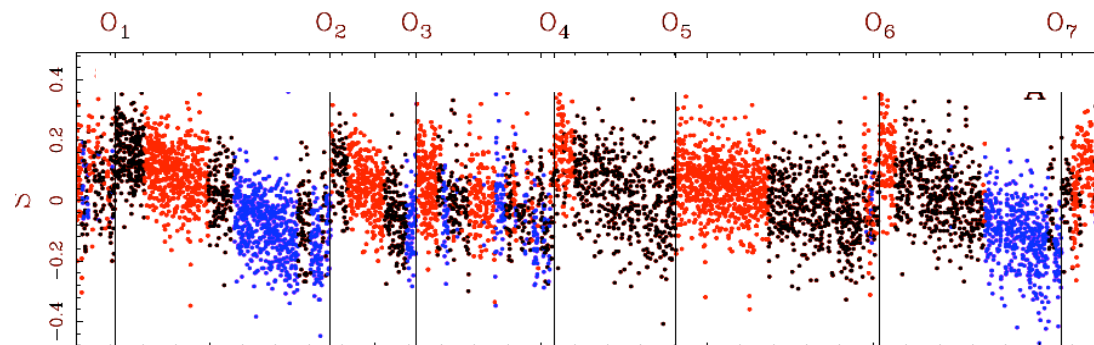


# Human replication timing program : determination by deep sequencing & role in genome evolution

Replication timing



Nucleotide compositional skew

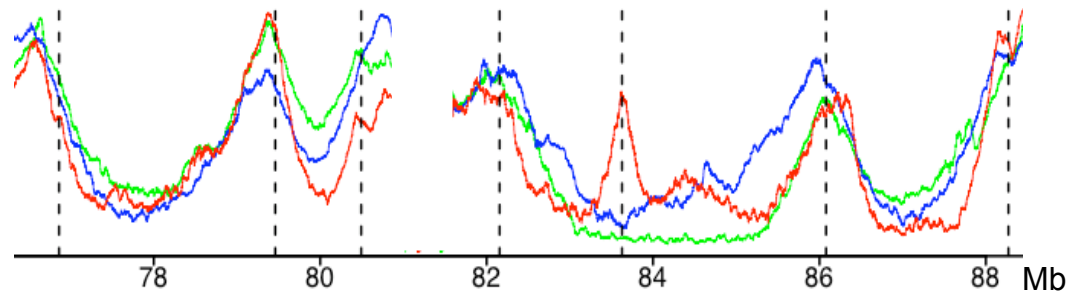


- What are these beautiful profiles?
- What can we learn from these profiles?

# Human replication timing program : determination by deep sequencing & role in genome evolution

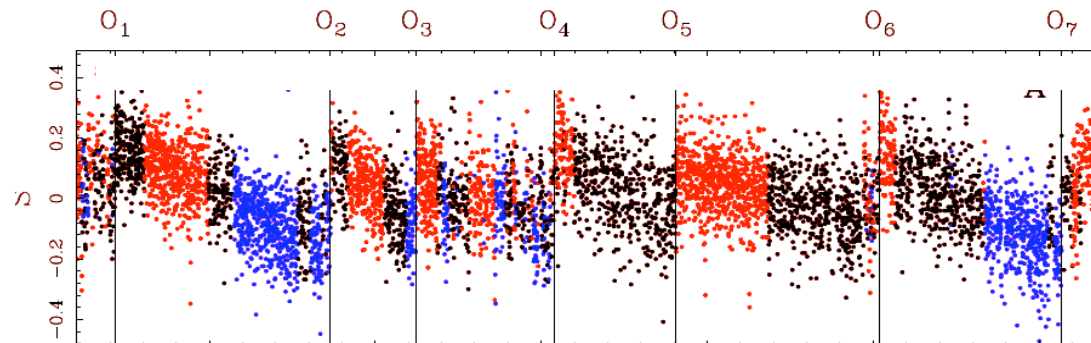
- **Part I: Spatio-temporal replication program of the human genome**

Replication timing



- **Part II: Impact of replication on the evolution and organization of the genome**

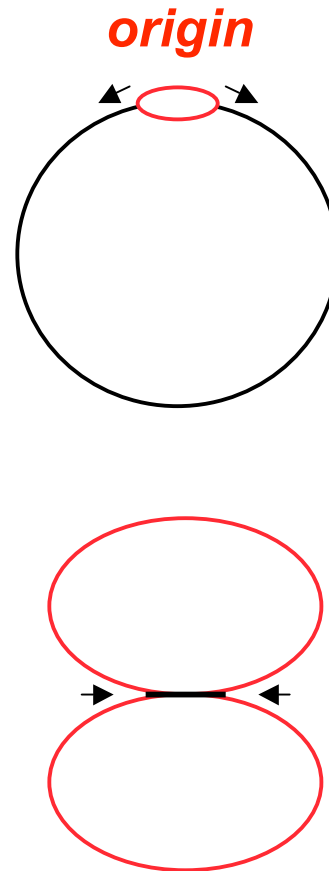
Nucleotide compositional skew



# INTRODUCTION

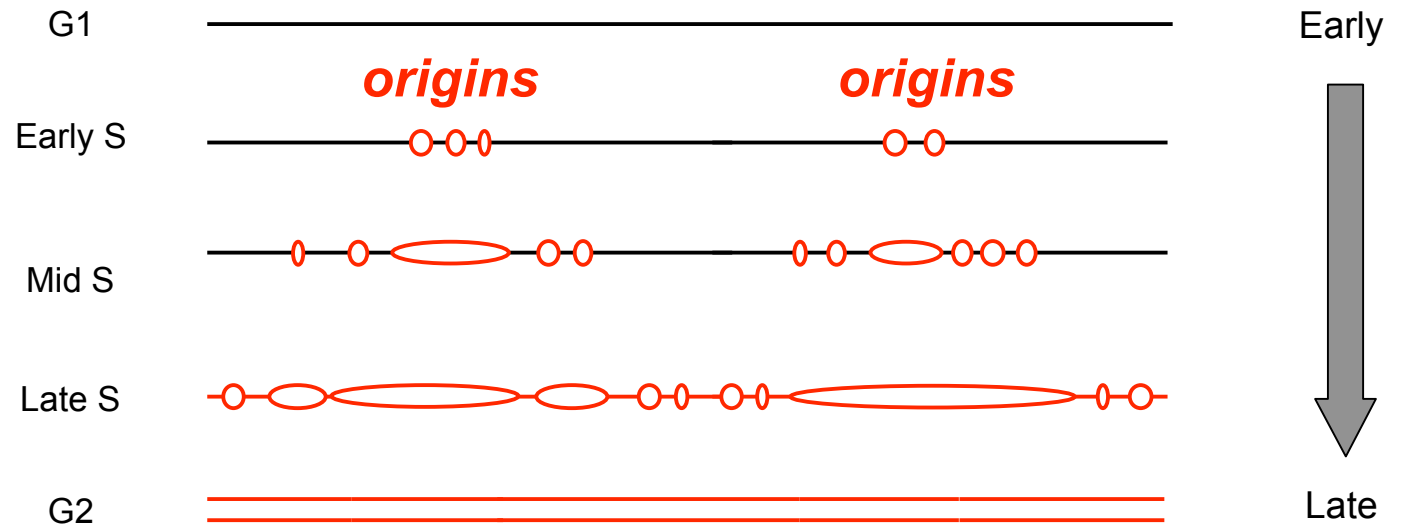
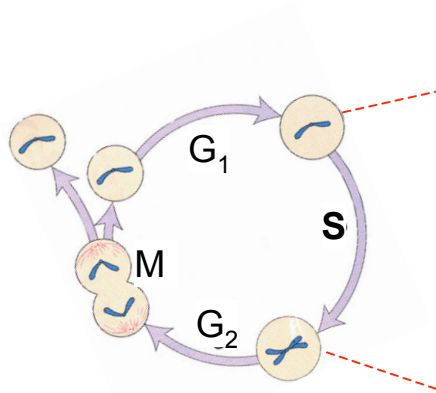
# Genome replication program

**Bacteria:**



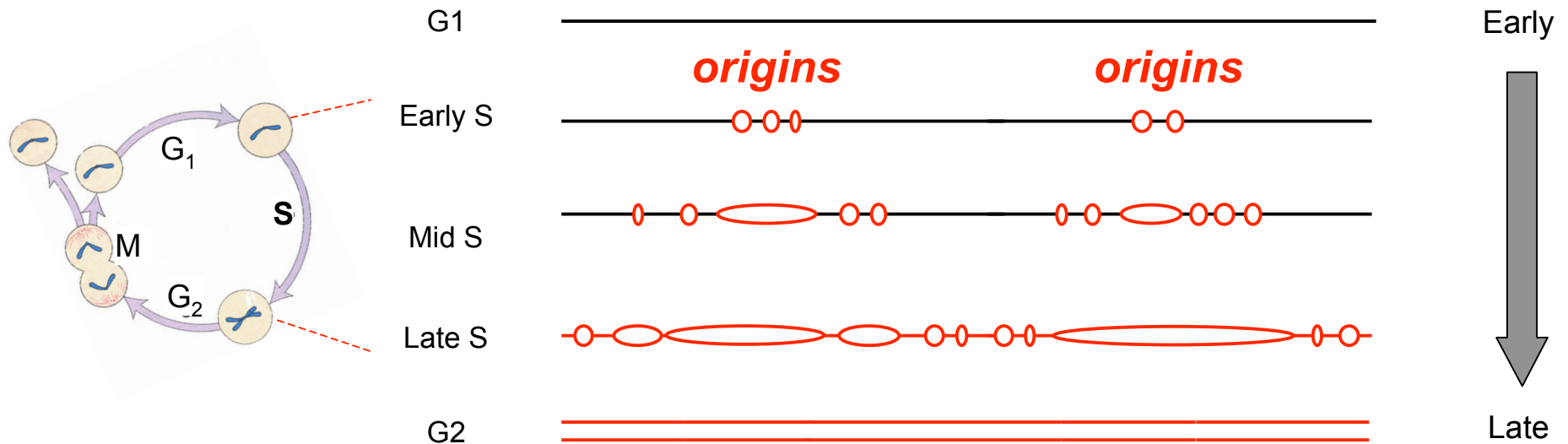
# Genome replication program

## Eukaryote :



# Genome replication program

## Eukaryote :



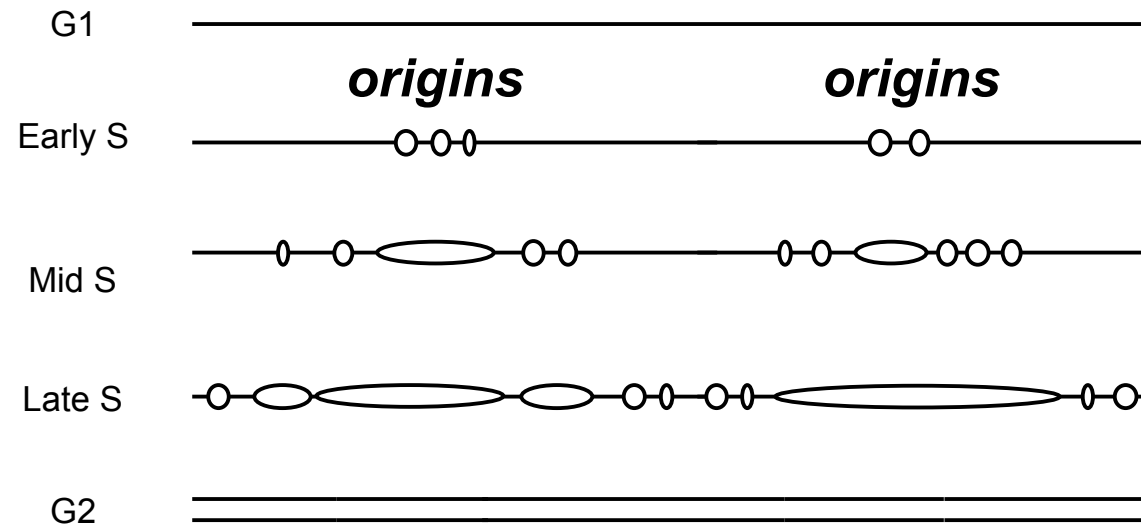
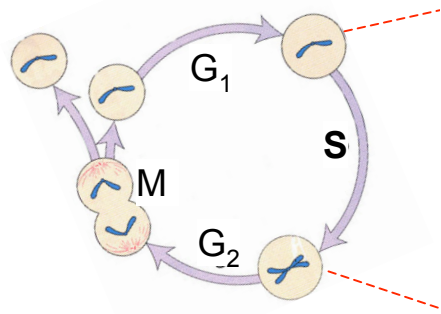
- ***S. cerevisiae*** : ARS regions (~ 125 bp ; 11 bp ACS consensus) ; most origins determined
- ***S. pombe*** : ARS (~ 750 bp; no consensus, but AT-stretch) a large number of origins determined
- **multicellular eukaryotes** : ***replication program is poorly known !***

**Human genome** (3.3 10<sup>9</sup> base pairs)

- replication fork speed: 0.7 – 1.5 kbp/min
- ~ 30 000 to 50 000 replication origins : one origin every 50-100 kbp
- replication is achieved in ~ 8 hours

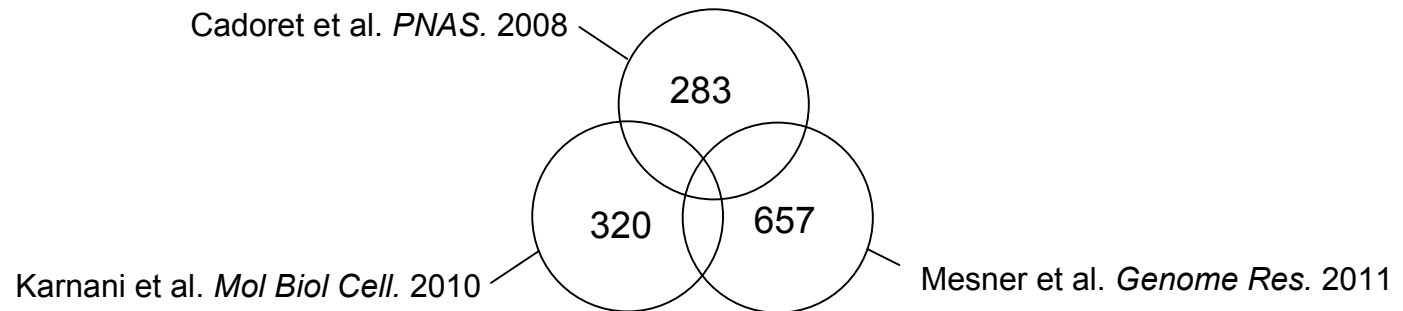


## Human replication origin positions are still poorly known



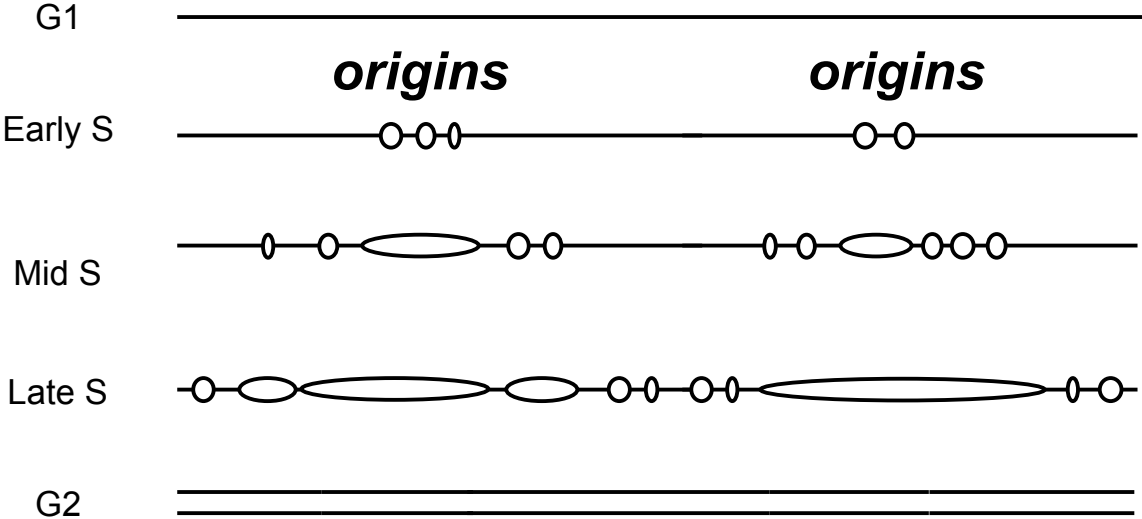
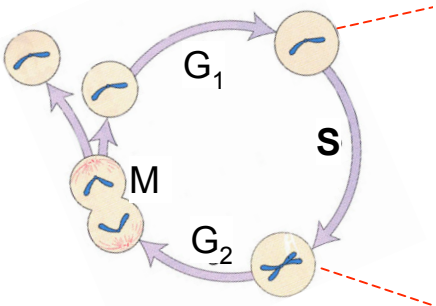
### Replication origins

(ENCODE region, 1% of genome)



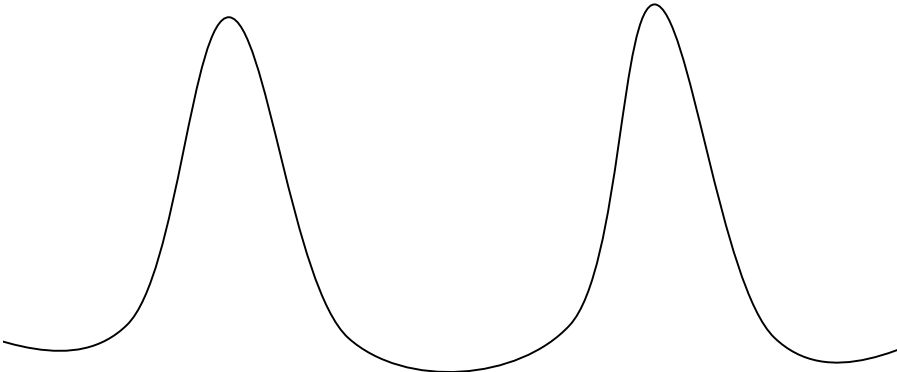
low agreement (<14% overlap) between different studies

But reliable replication timing data



Replication timing

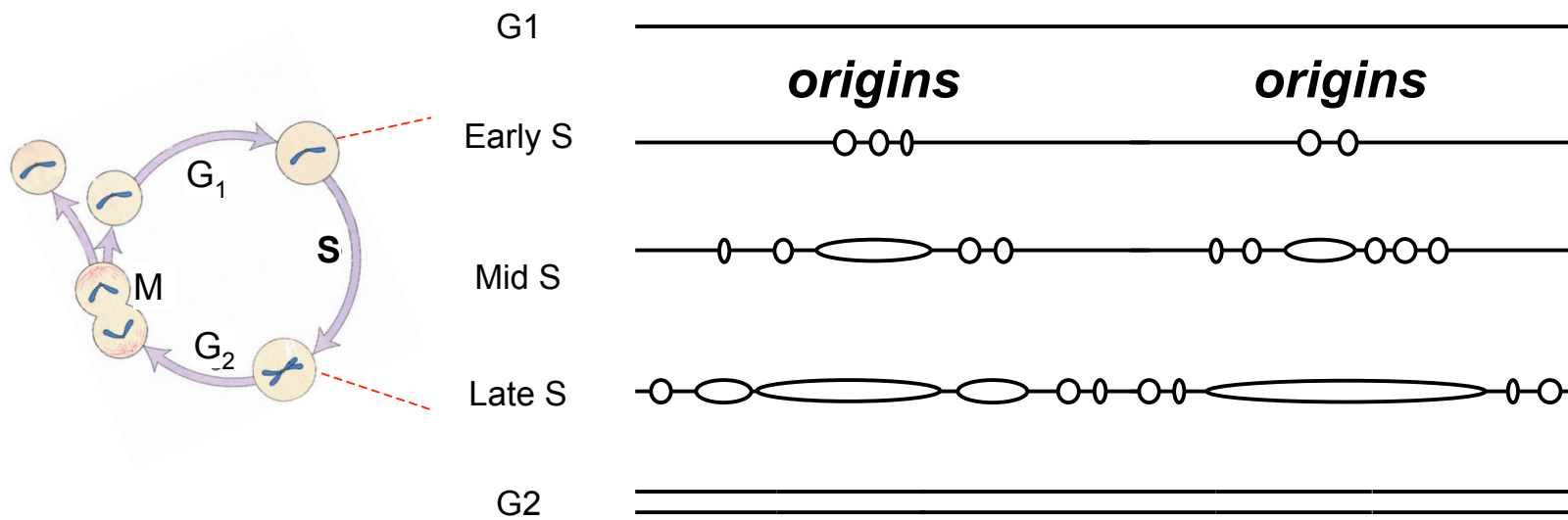
Early  
↓  
Late



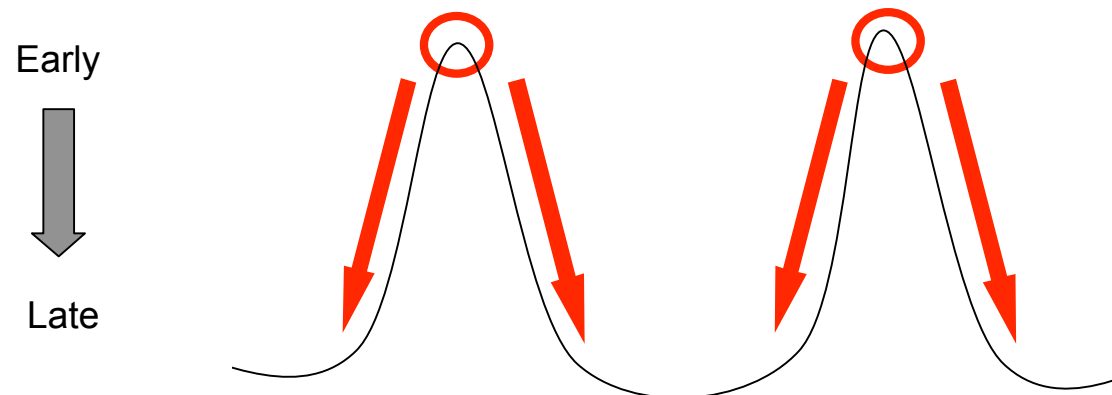
good agreement between different studies

Woodfine et al. *Hum. Mol. Genet.* 2004  
White et al. *PNAS.* 2004  
Woodfine et al. *Cell Cycle.* 2005  
Karnani et al. *Genome Res.* 2007

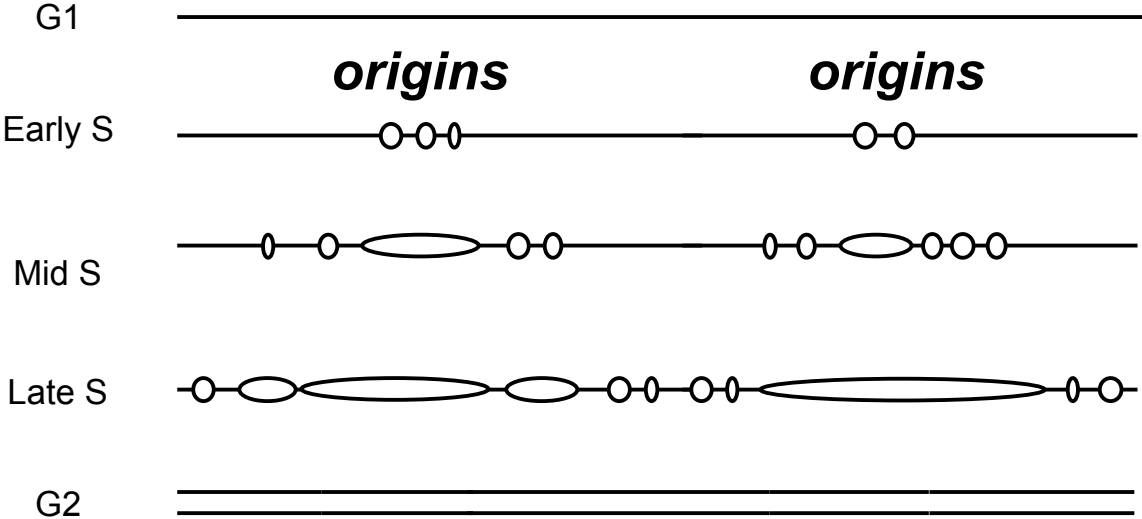
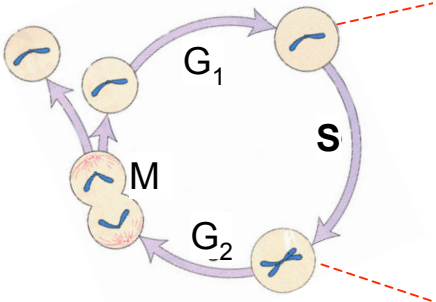
## But reliable replication timing data



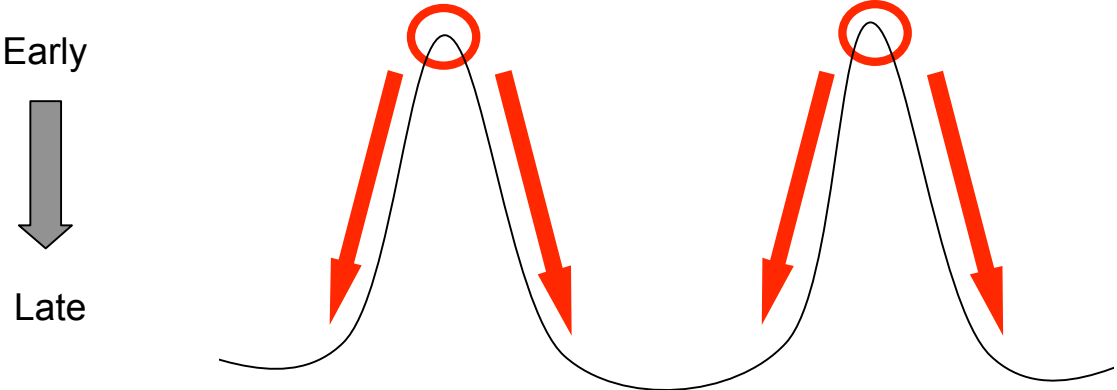
## Initiation zones= regions with multiple replication origins



But reliable replication timing data



Initiation zones= regions with multiple replication origins



Genome-wide replication timing data are lacking !

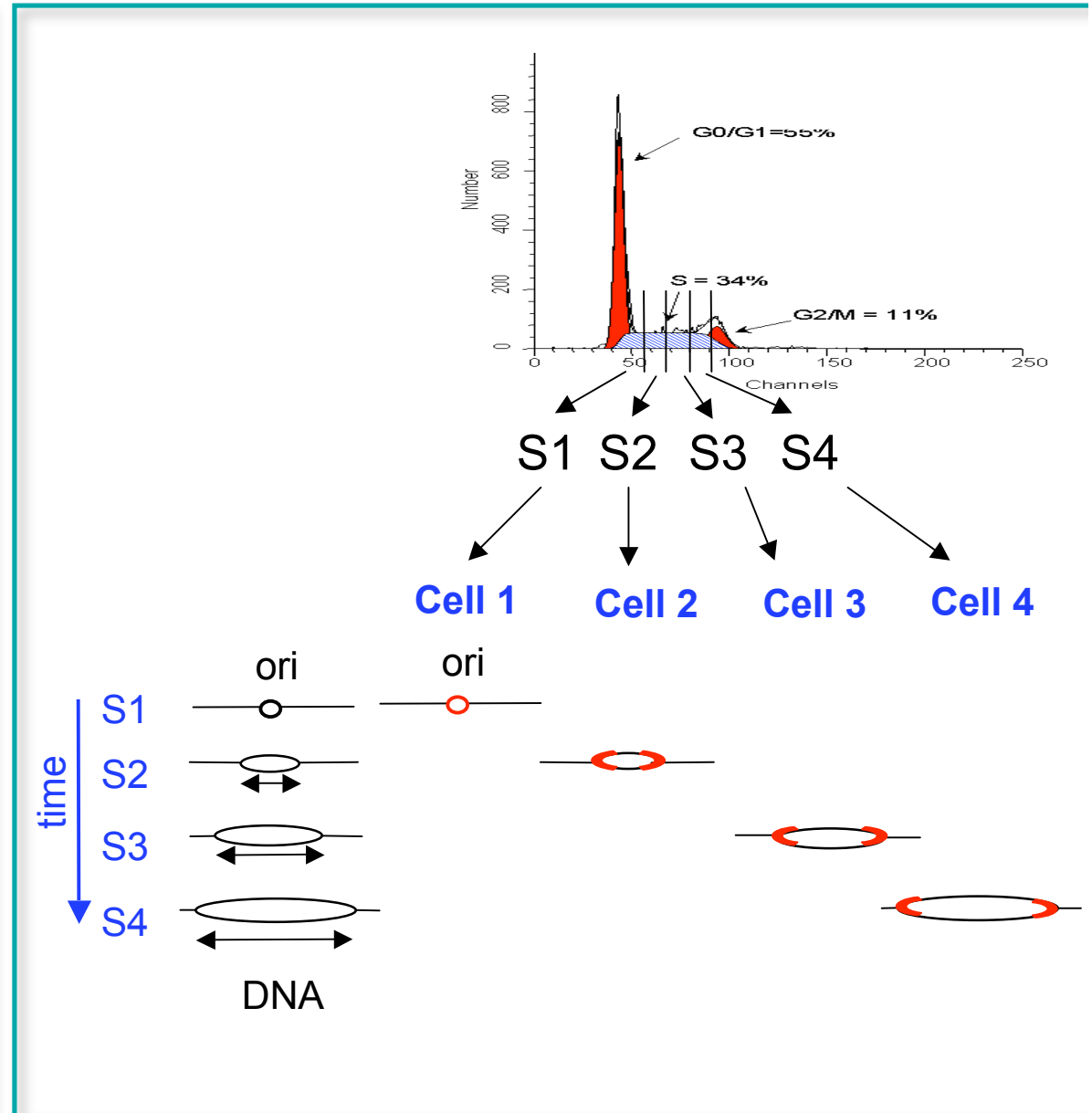
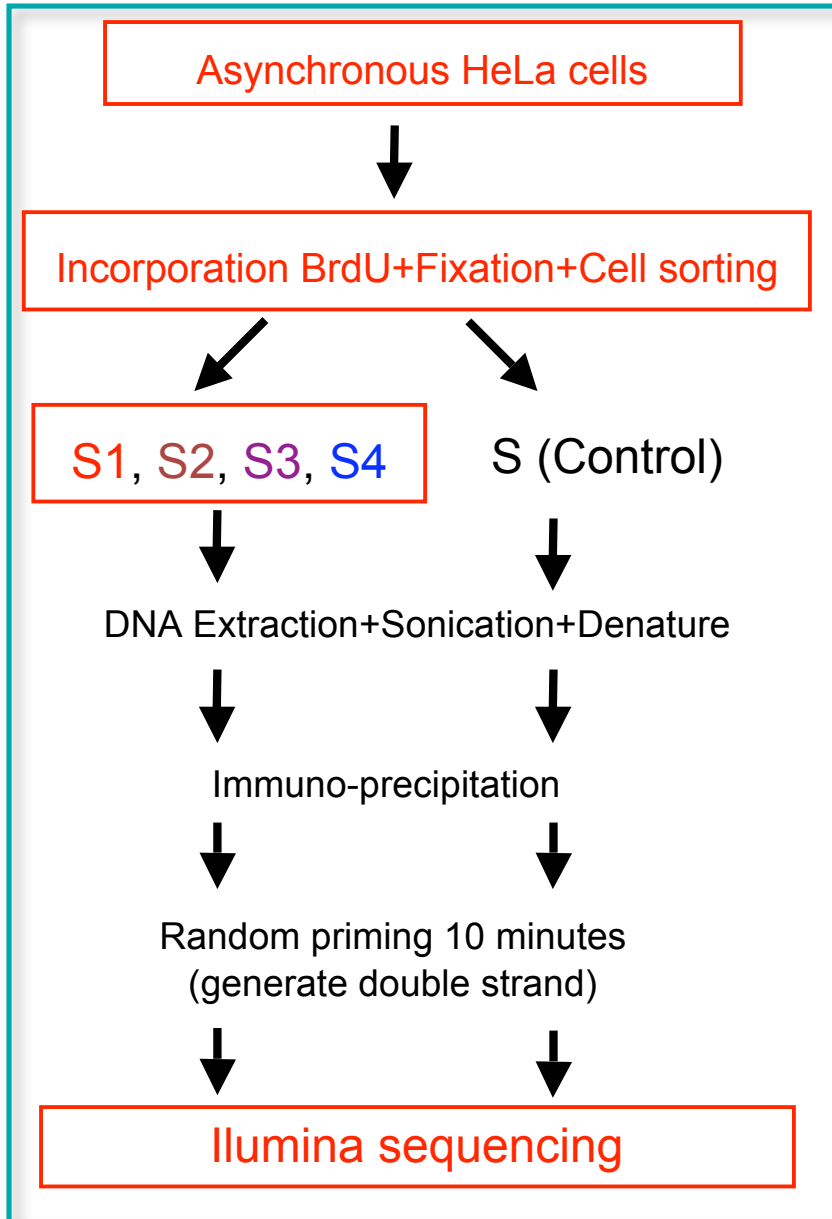
Woodfine et al. *Hum. Mol. Genet.* 2004  
 White et al. *PNAS.* 2004  
 Woodfine et al. *Cell Cycle.* 2005  
 Karnani et al. *Genome Res.* 2007

## PART I

DETERMINATION OF REPLICATION TIMING PROFILE  
ALONG ENTIRE HUMAN GENOME

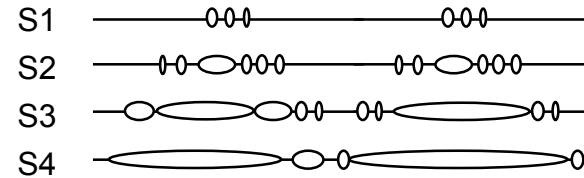
# Determination of replication timing profile by massive sequencing of neo-replicated DNA

(Collaborators: A. Rappailles, G. Guilbaud, O. Hyrien, ENS Paris)



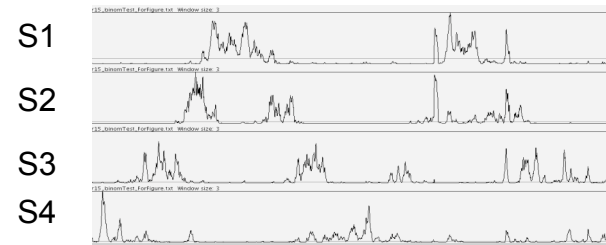
# Determination of replication timing profile by massive sequencing of neo-replicated DNA

Deep sequencing  
of neo-replicated DNA  
cells sorted in 4 fractions of S phase

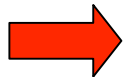
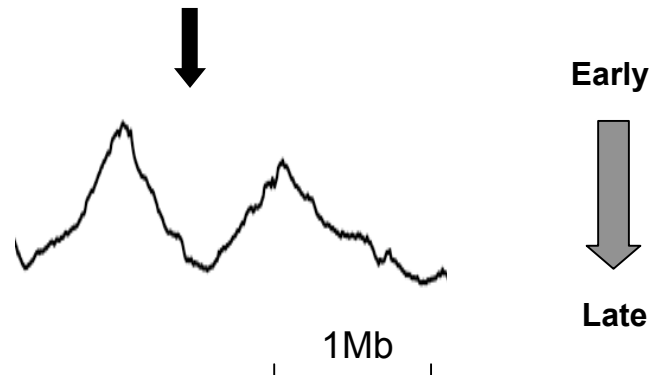


Background evaluation  
Normalization

Density profiles



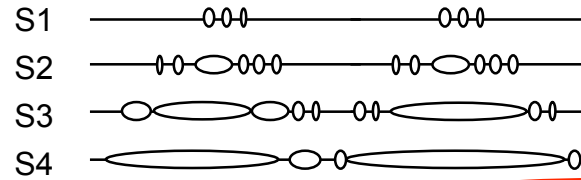
Replication timing profile



One of the first high resolution replication timing profiles of the human genome

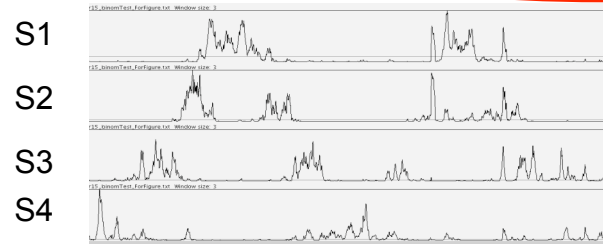
# Determination of replication timing profile by massive sequencing of neo-replicated DNA

Deep sequencing  
of neo-replicated DNA  
cells sorted in 4 fractions of S phase

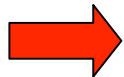
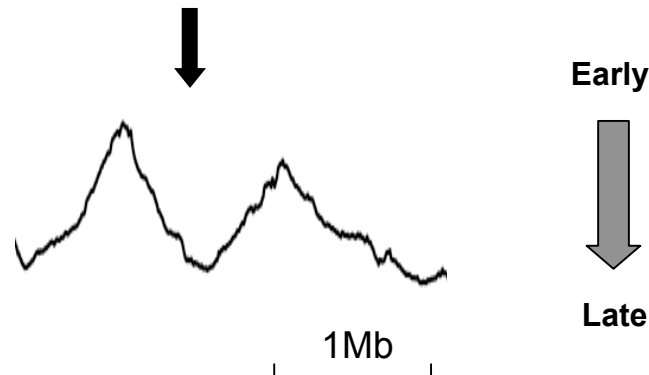


**Background evaluation  
Normalization**

Density profiles



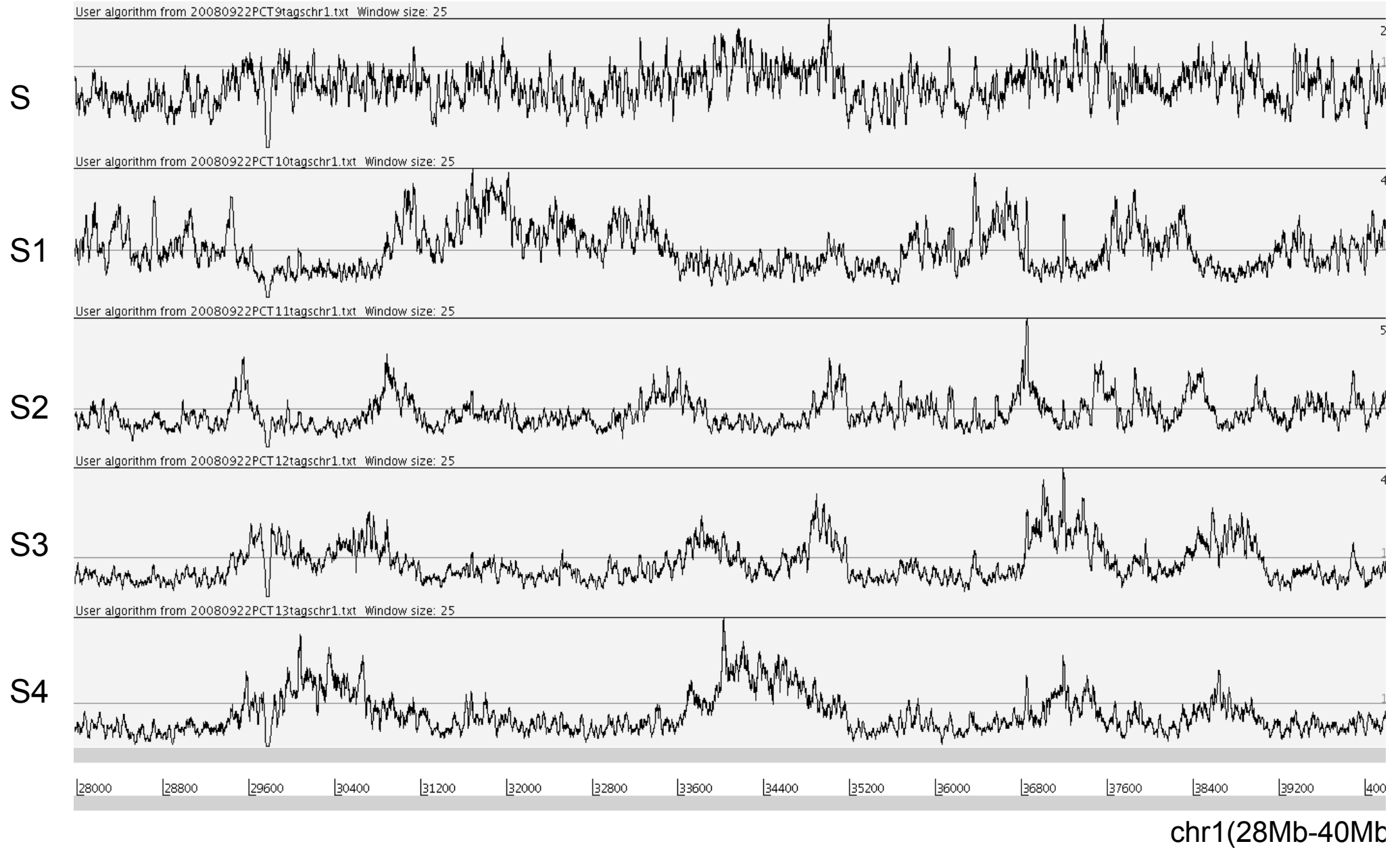
Replication timing profile



One of the first high resolution replication timing profiles of the human genome



# Raw tag density profiles



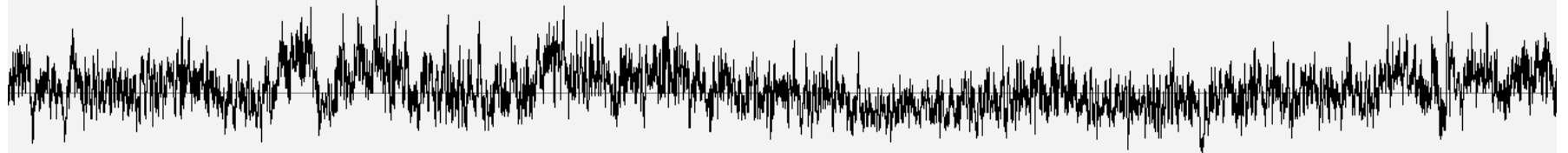
**A considerable variation was observed even for the control sample**

# Correction of sequencing bias

# Variation of tag density associated with GC content

Density  
profile  
(Control)

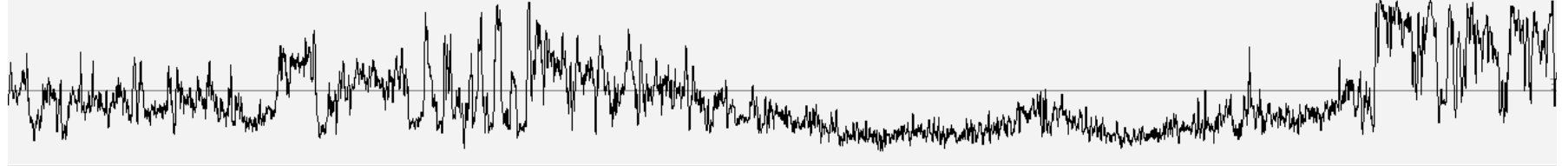
User algorithm from 20080922PCT9tagschr1.txt Window size: 25



User algorithm from 20081001PCT9tagschr1.txt Window size: 25

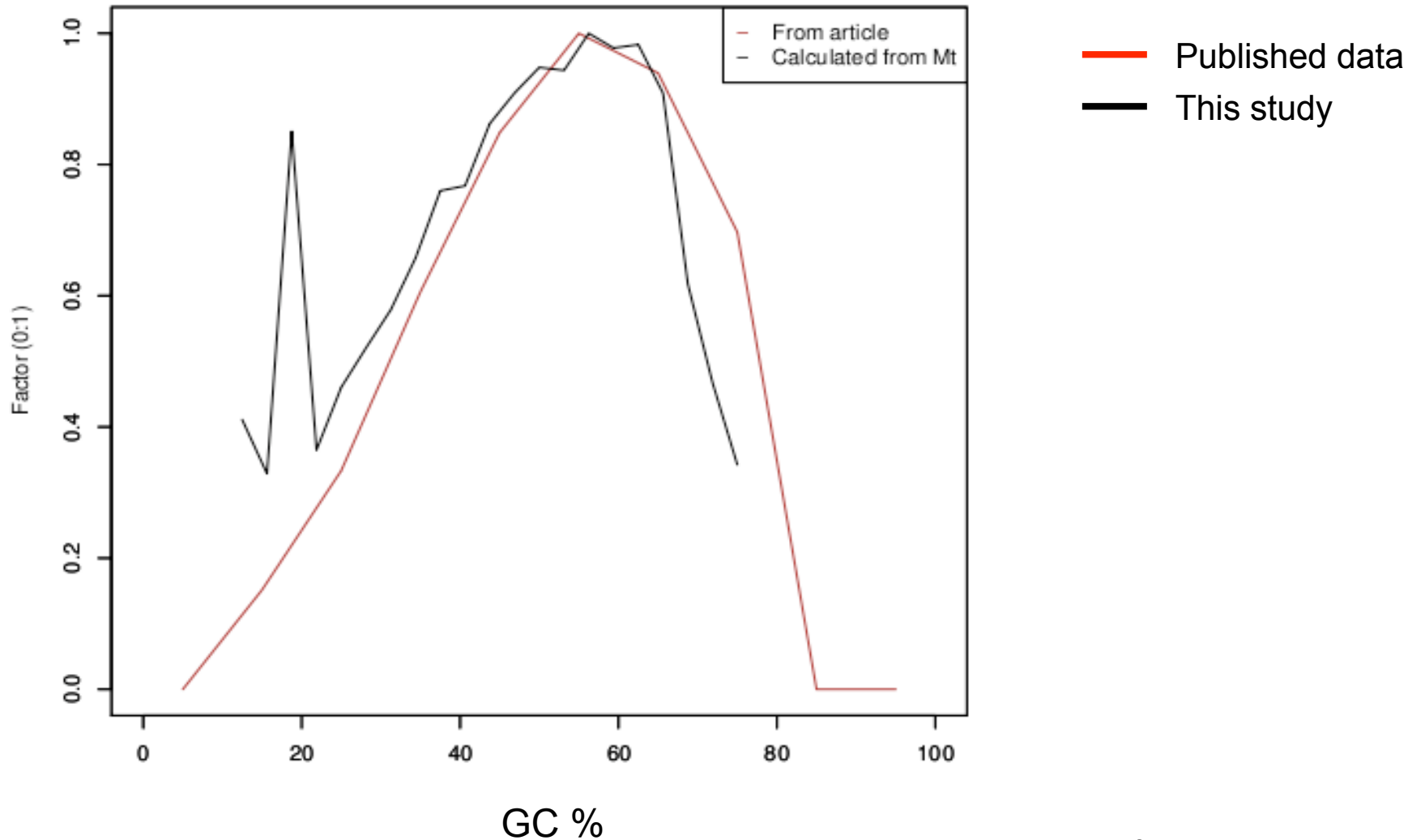
GC%

User algorithm from chr1\_GC10kb.txt Window size: 25



chr1(167Mb-202M)

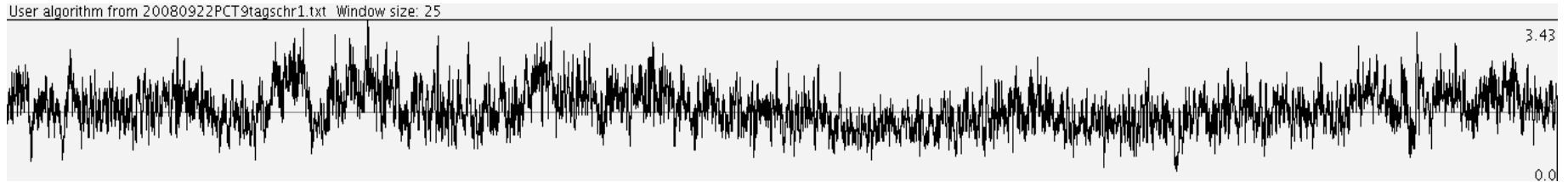
# Variation of tag density at different GC% (computed in the 32nt tag)



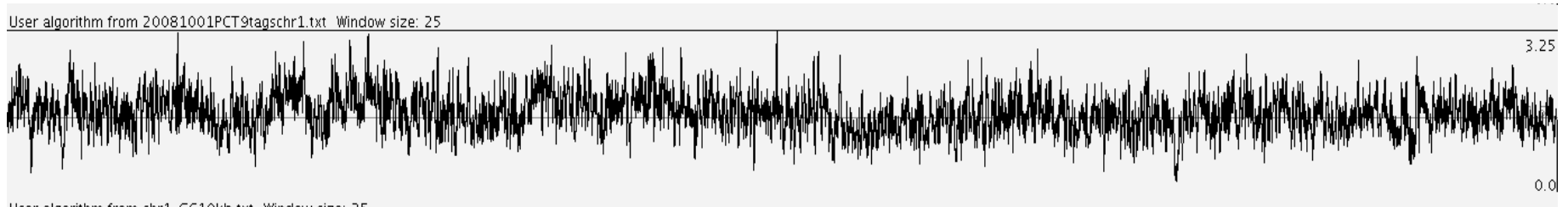
Published data from:  
Hillier LW. et al. *Nat Methods*.(2008) 5:1

# Profile of the tag density with correction of the GC% bias

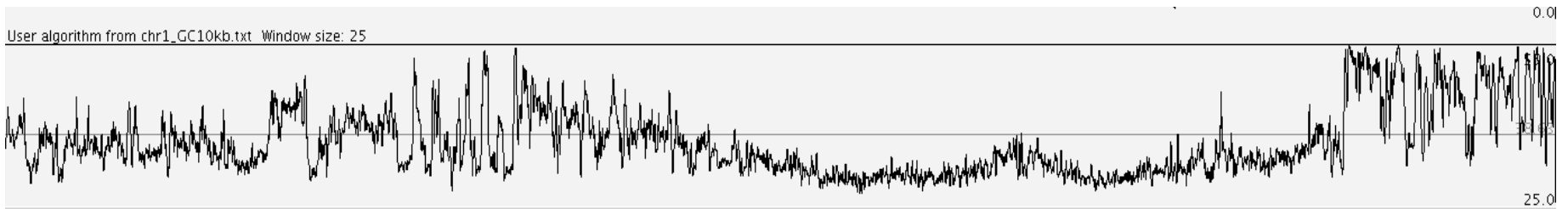
Before



After



GC%



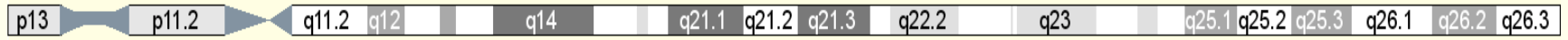
chr1(167Mb-202Mb)

After correction, the tag density profile displays less dependent on the GC%

# Data normalization

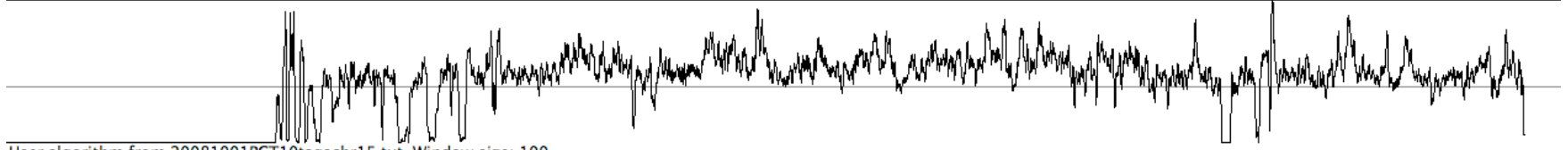
# Compute the enrichment of neo-replicated DNA for each sample

chromosome 15



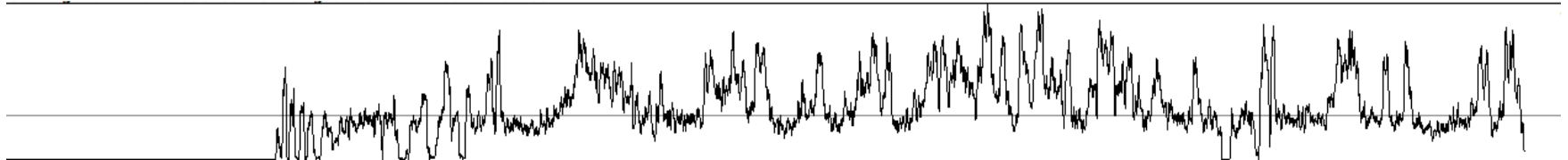
Control (S)

User algorithm from 20081208PCT15tagschr15.txt Window size: 100



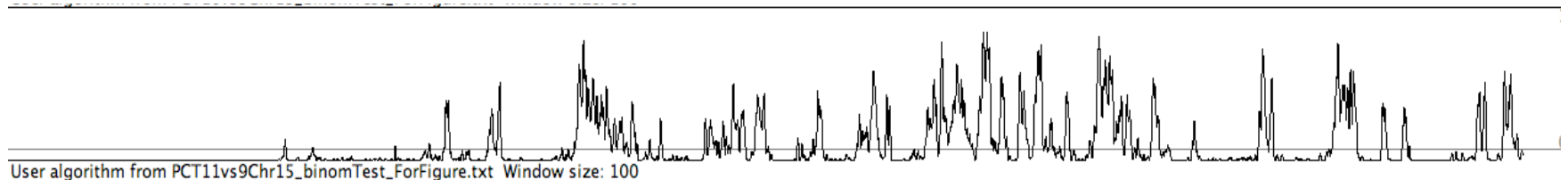
User algorithm from 20081001PCT10tagschr15.txt Window size: 100

Signal (S1)



User algorithm from 20081001PCT11tagschr15.txt Window size: 100

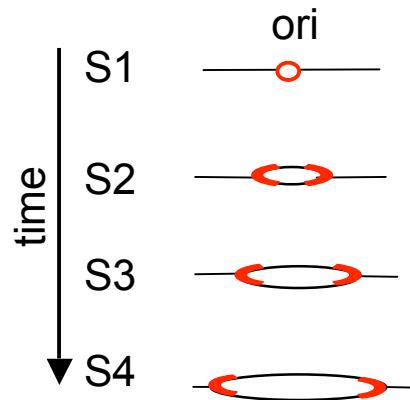
Enrichment  
Signal/Control



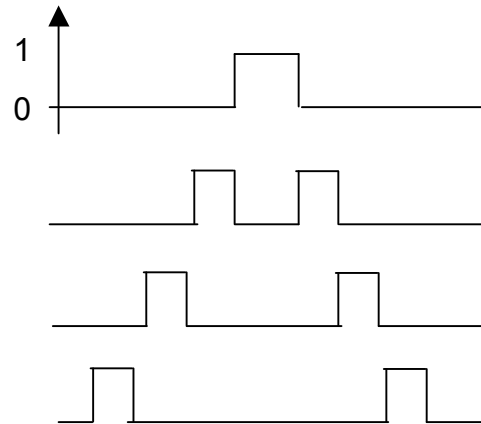
User algorithm from PCT11vs9Chr15\_binomTest\_ForFigure.txt Window size: 100

10Mb

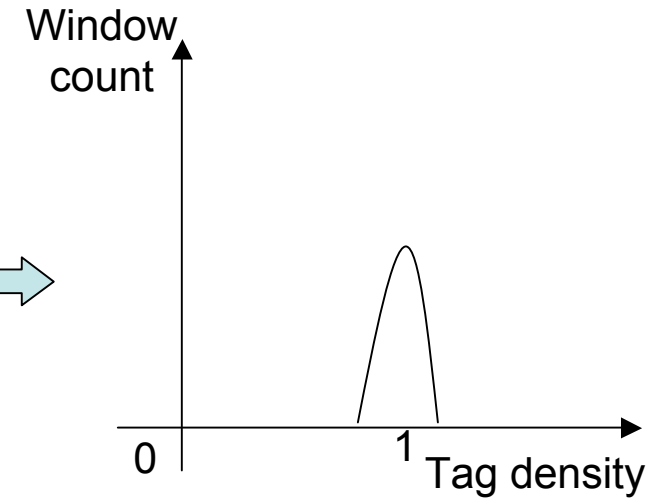
## Ideal case:



## Tag density profiles



## Distribution

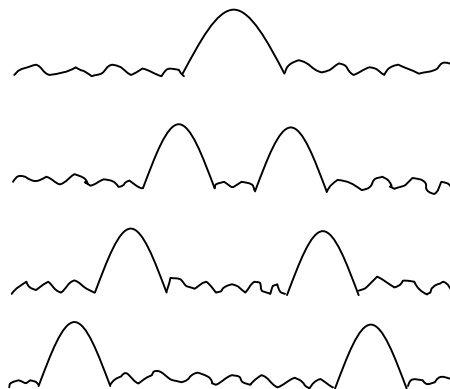


## Expected:

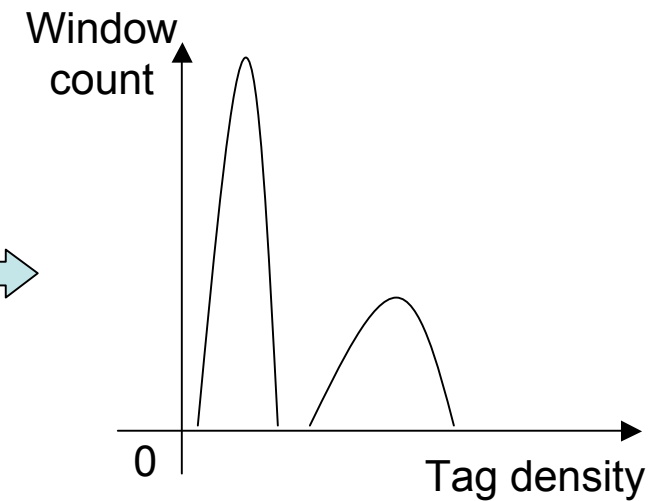
- Variation between cells
- ChIP are not 100% specific
- FACS are not 100% specific

⋮

## Tag density profiles



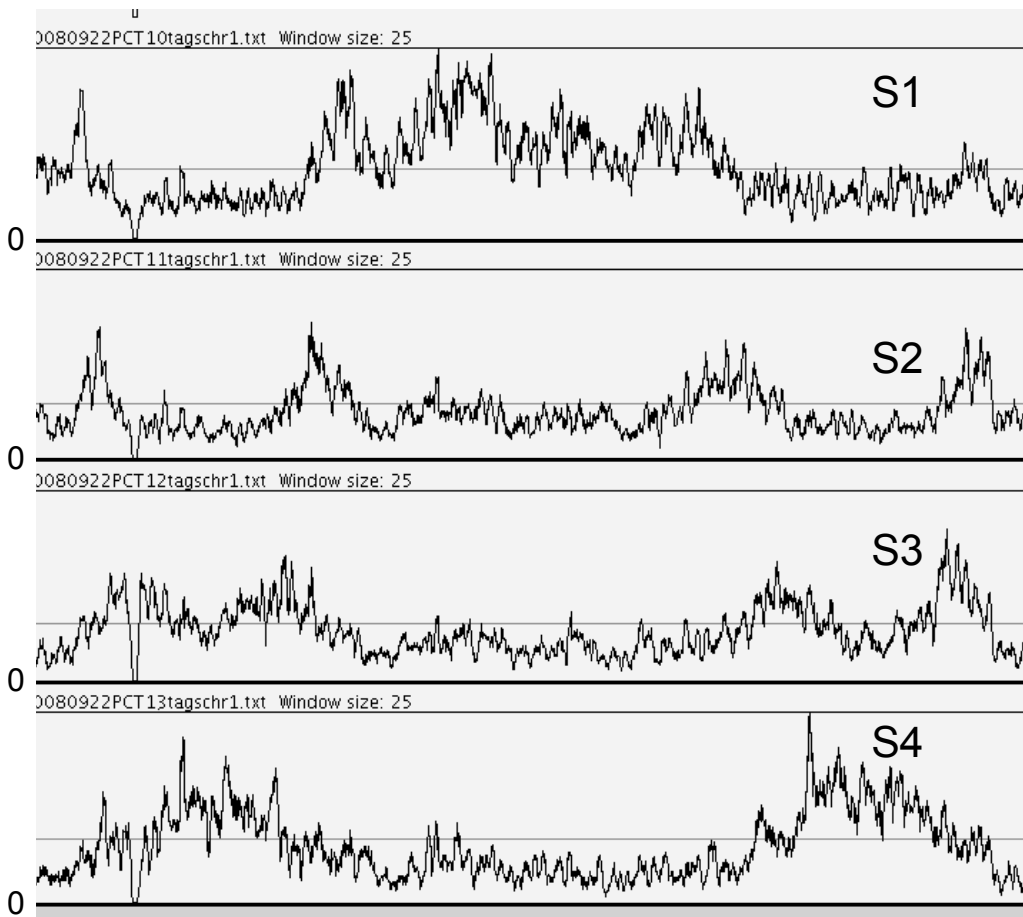
## Distribution



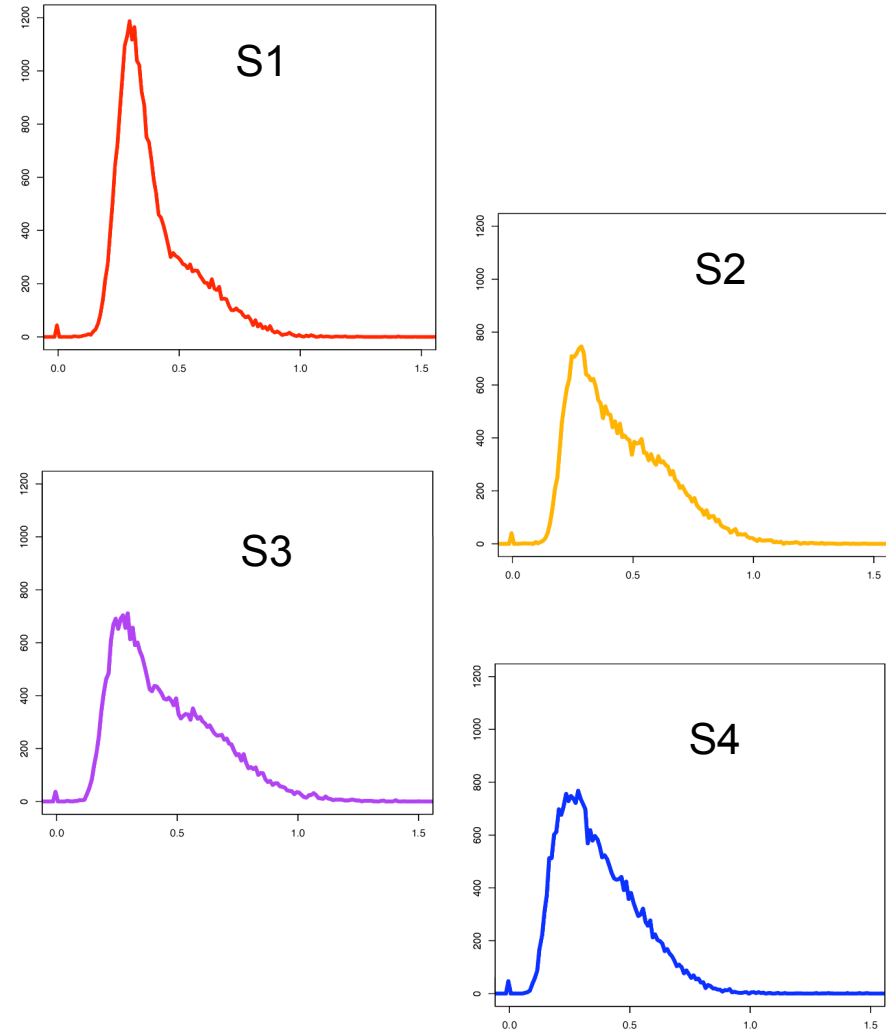


# Real data:

## Tag density profiles

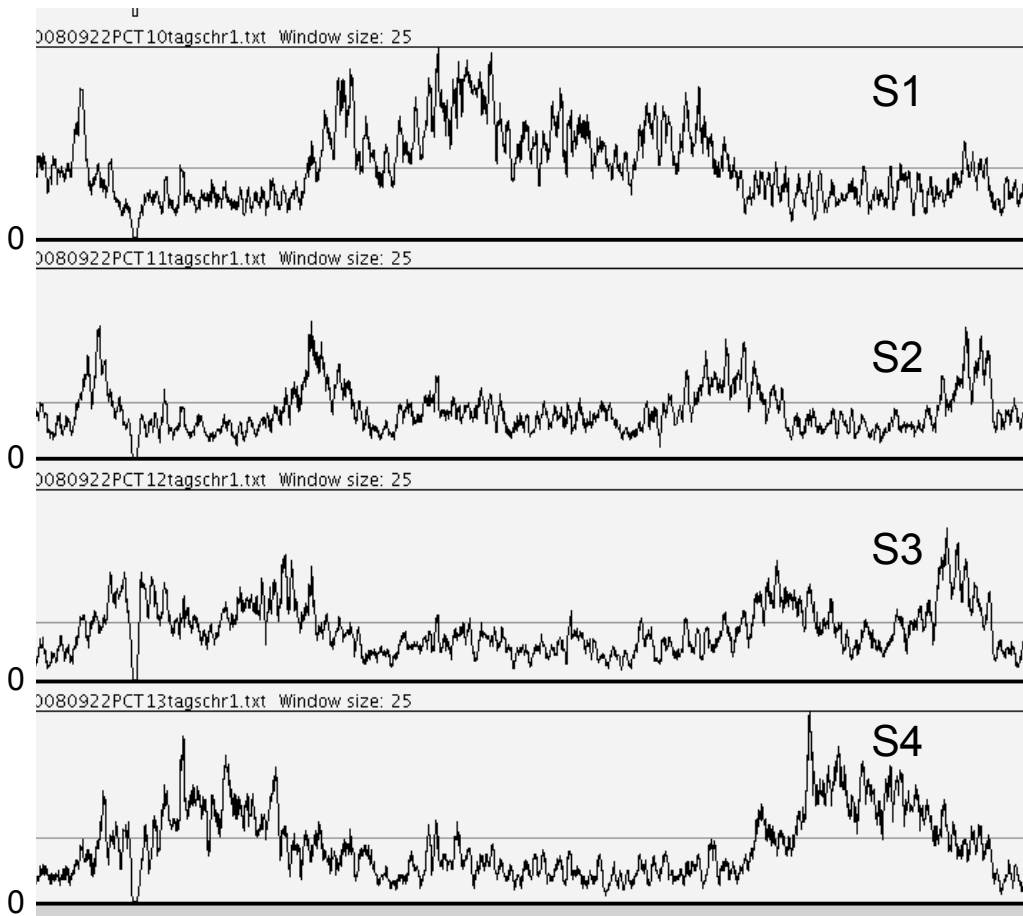


## Distribution

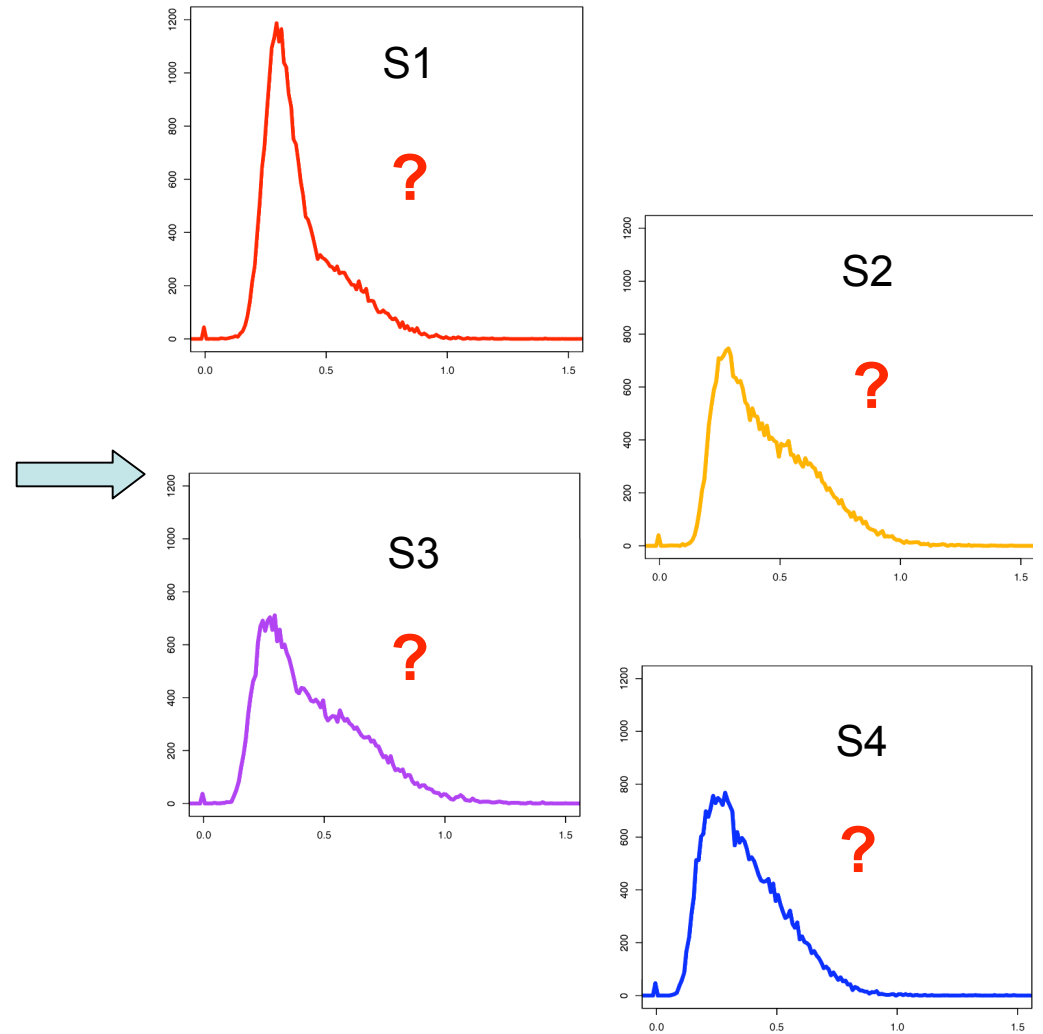


# Real data:

## Tag density profiles

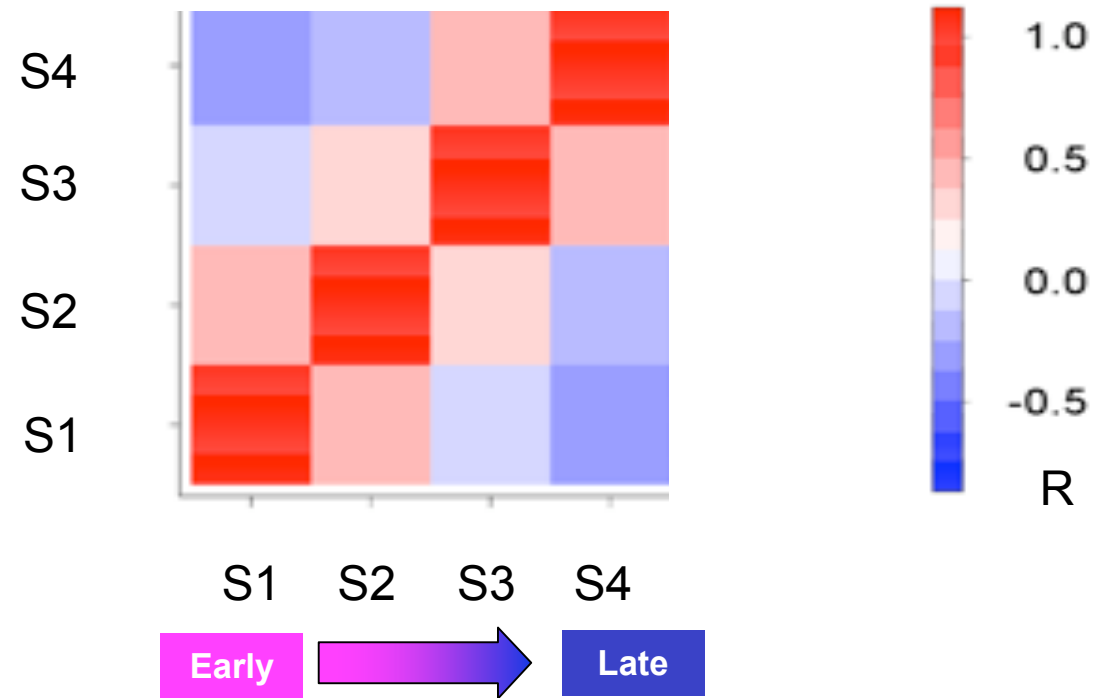


## Distribution



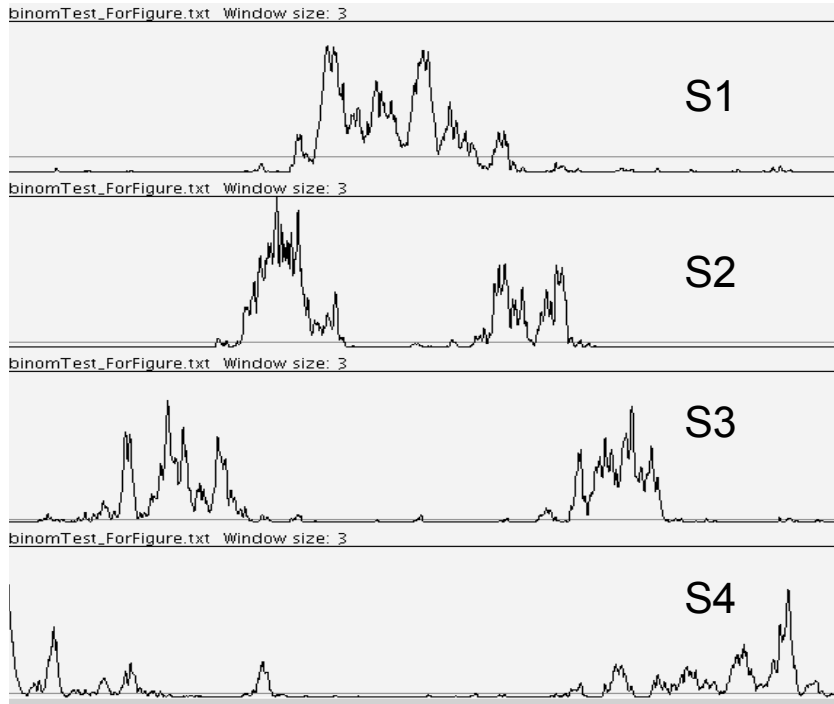
**How to separate the signal from the background for each sample?**

## Genome wide pairwise correlations between $S_i$ samples



Positive correlations are observed only between neighboring  $S_i$  fractions:

# Process to estimate the background values

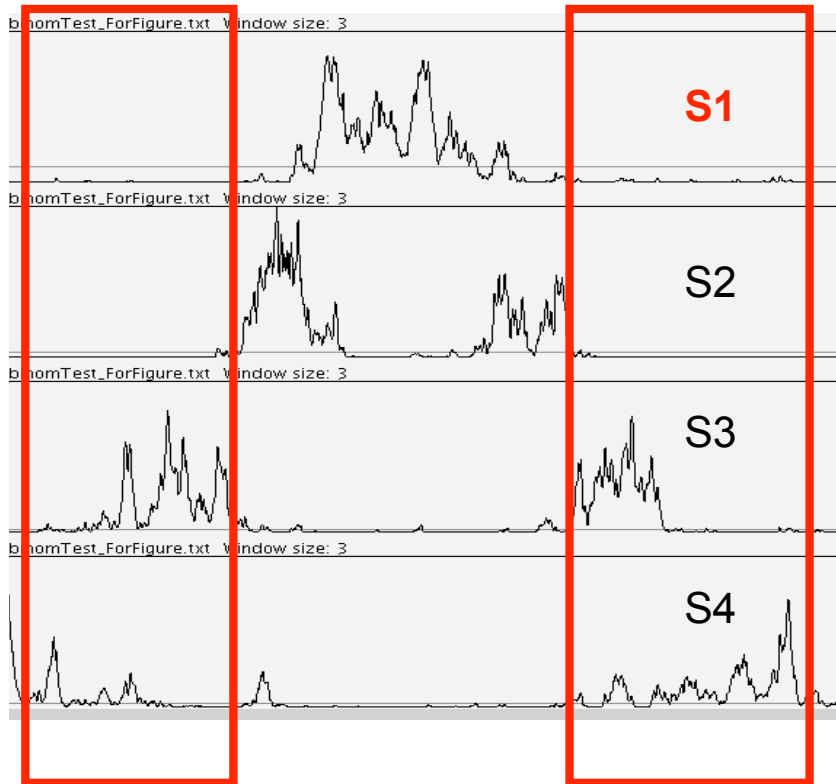


Initial background values

↓ *Probability test  $S_i$  vs  $S$*

Probability enrichment profiles

# Process to estimate the background values



Background regions of S1:  
significant enrichment in S3 or S4 but not S2

Initial background values

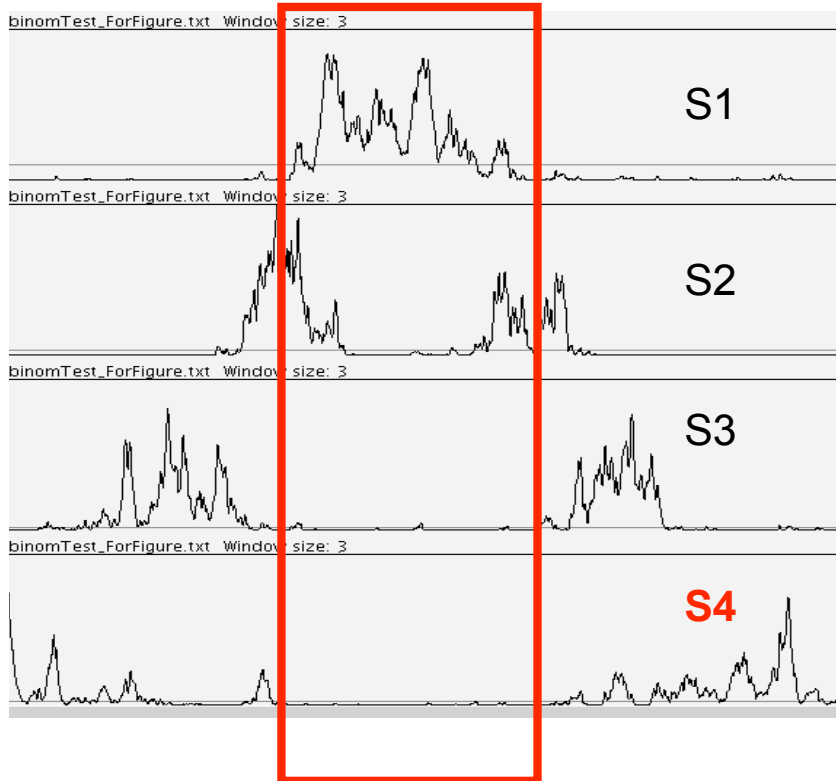
↓ *Probability test  $S_i$  vs  $S$*

Probability enrichment profiles



Define the background regions

# Process to estimate the background values



Background regions of S4:  
significant enrichment in S1 or S2 but not S3

Initial background values

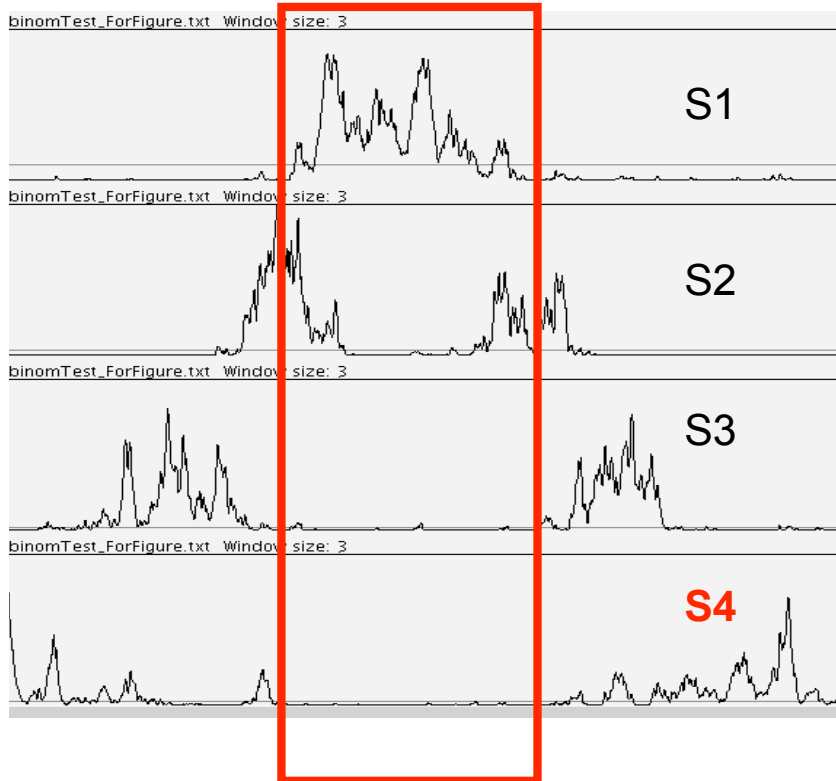
↓ *Probability test  $S_i$  vs  $S$*

Probability enrichment profiles



Define the background regions

# Process to estimate the background values



Background regions of S4:  
significant enrichment in S1 or S2 but not S3

Initial background values

↓ *Probability test  $S_i$  vs  $S$*

Probability enrichment profiles

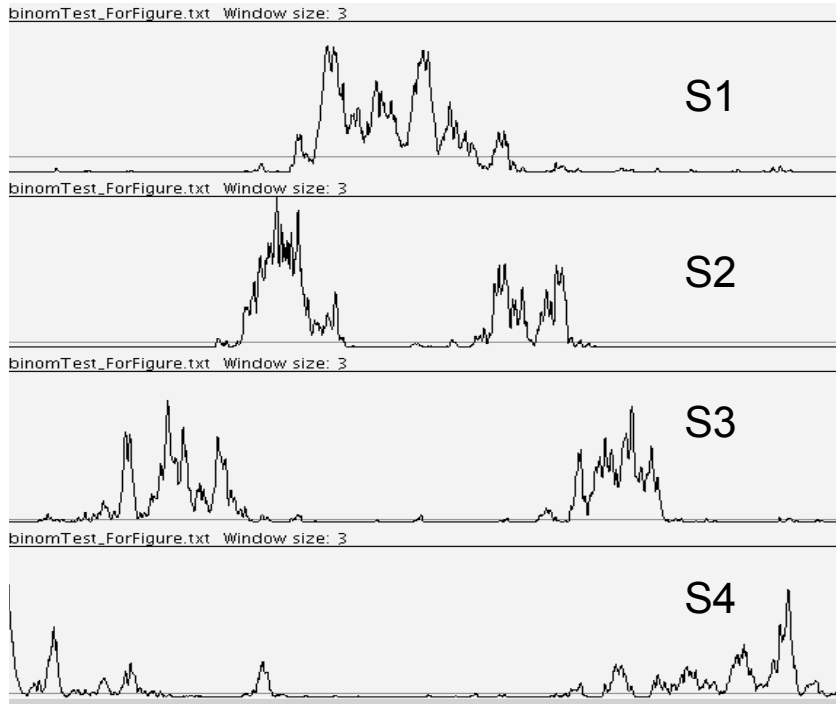


Define the background regions



Compute the new background values

# Process to estimate the background values



Initial background values

↓ Probability test  $S_i$  vs  $S$

Probability enrichment profiles



Define the background regions

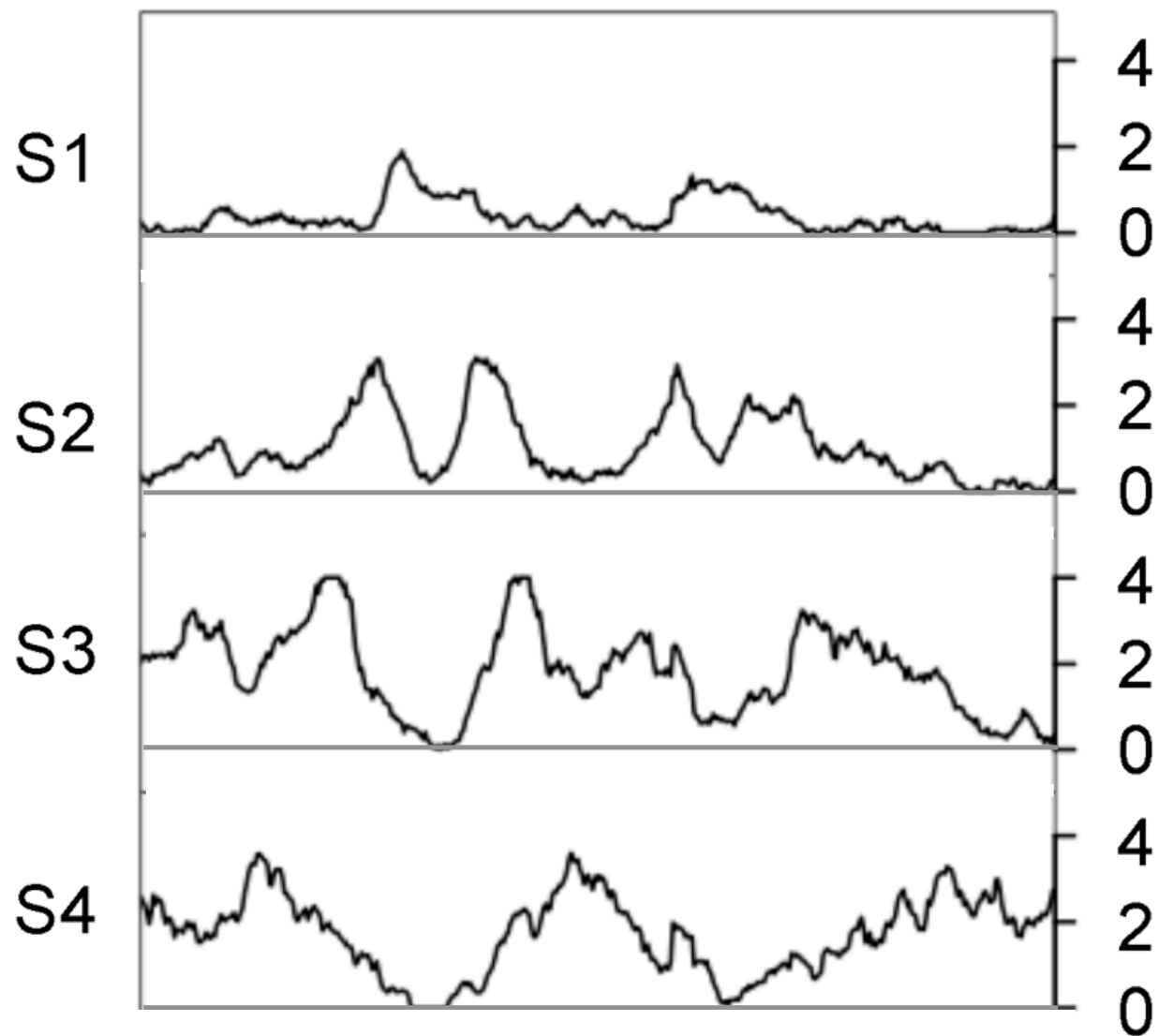


Compute the new background values

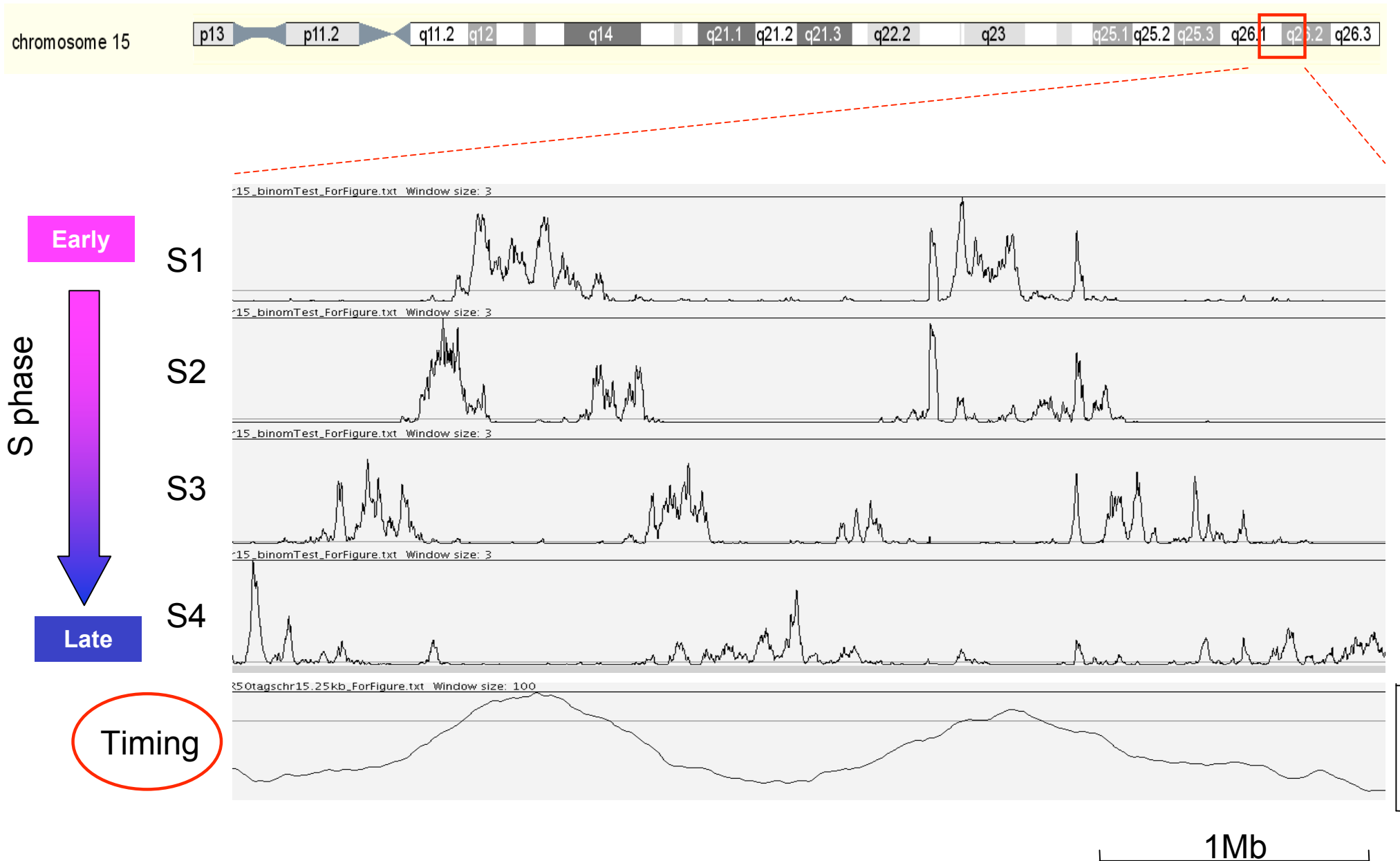
Repeat the processes up to get stable values for normalization.



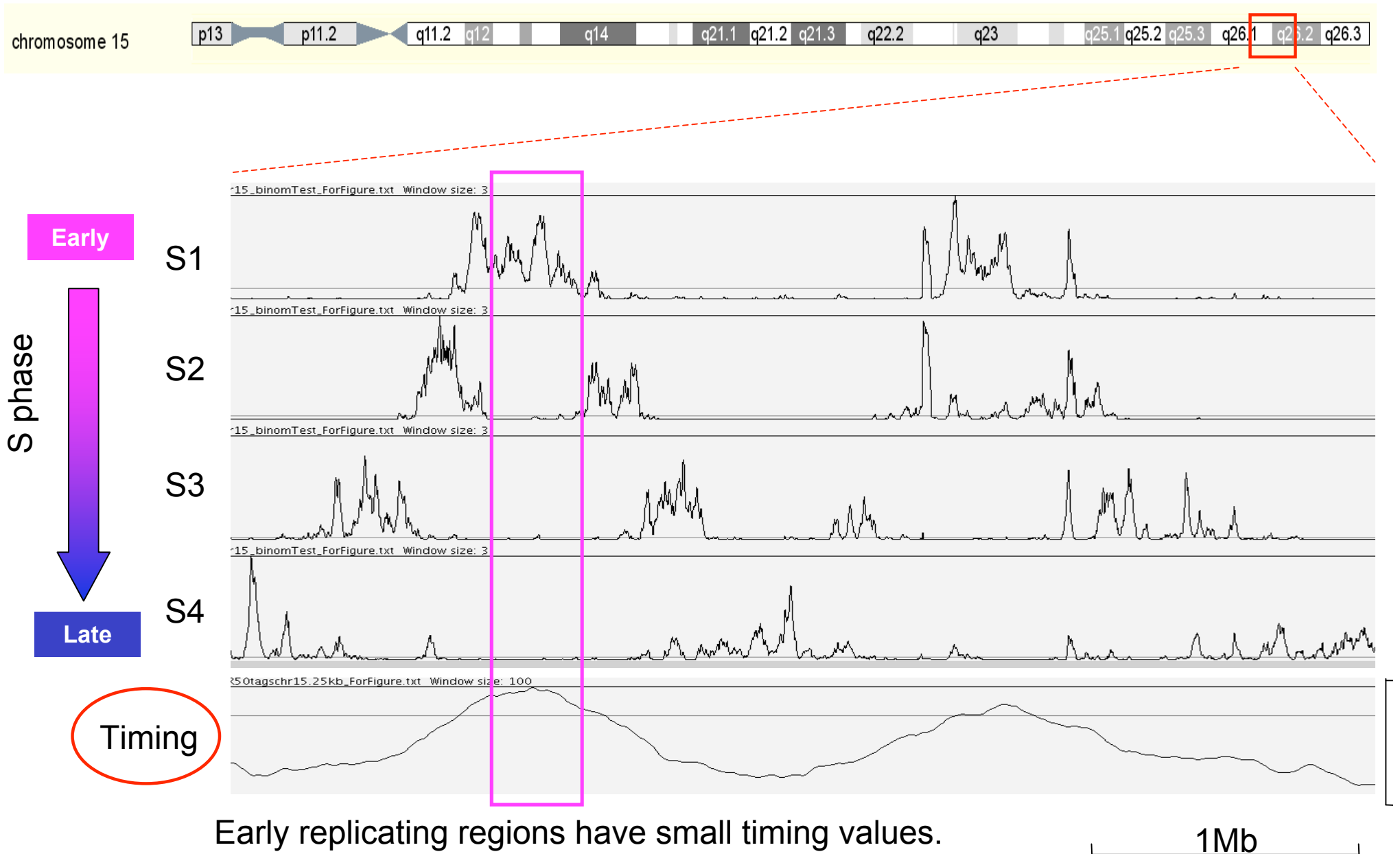
## Results: Tag density profiles after normalization



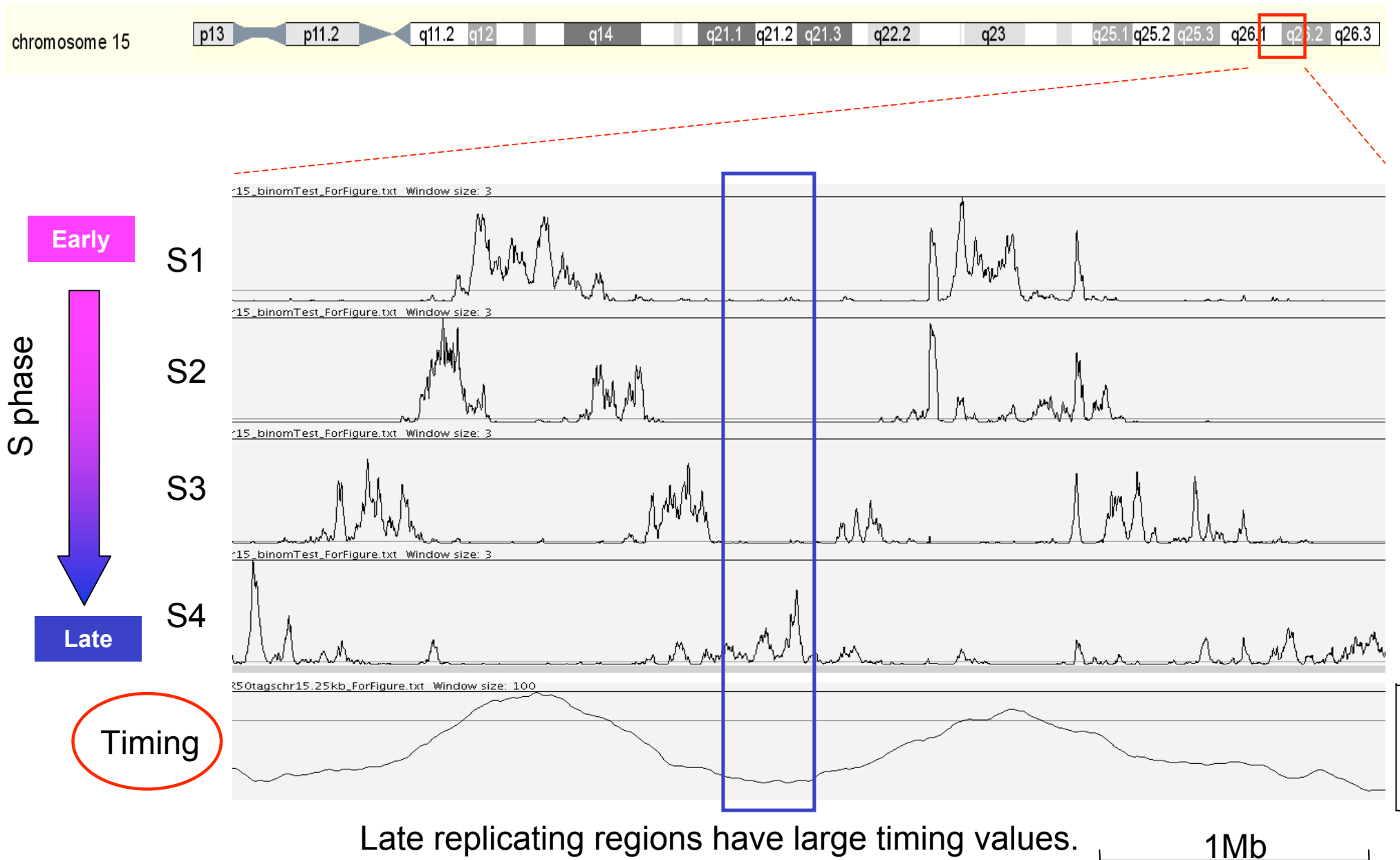
# Computation of S50 (time for 50% replication) for each defined window

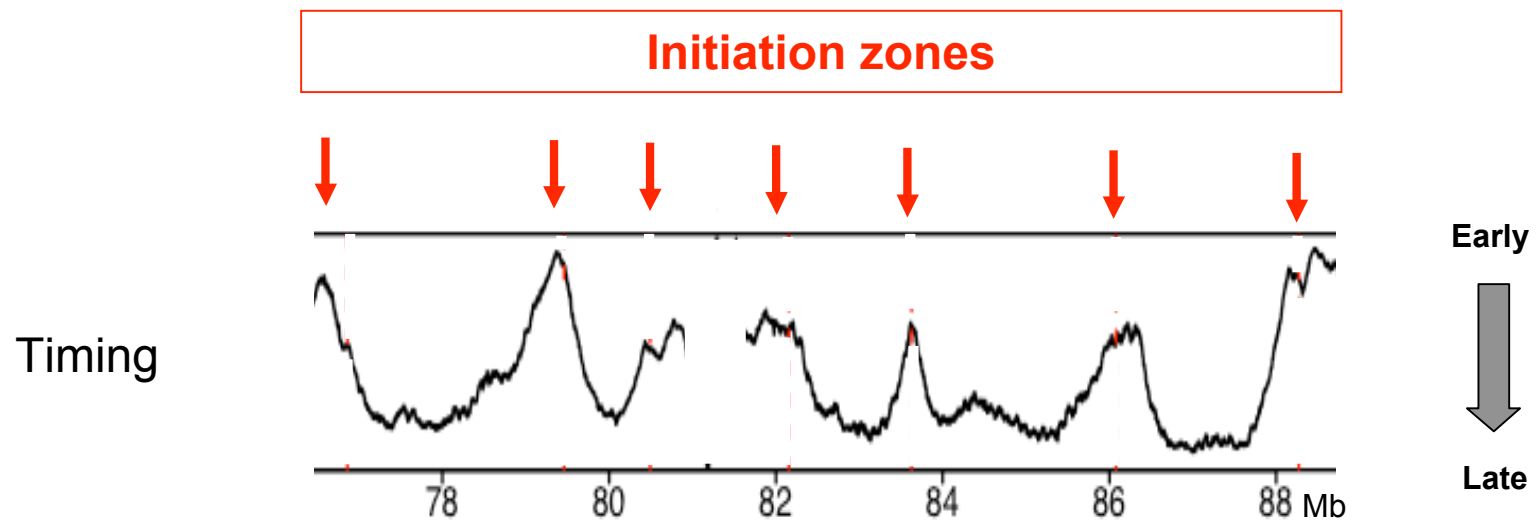


# Computation of S50 (time for 50% replication) for each defined window



# Computation of S50 (time for 50% replication) for each defined window

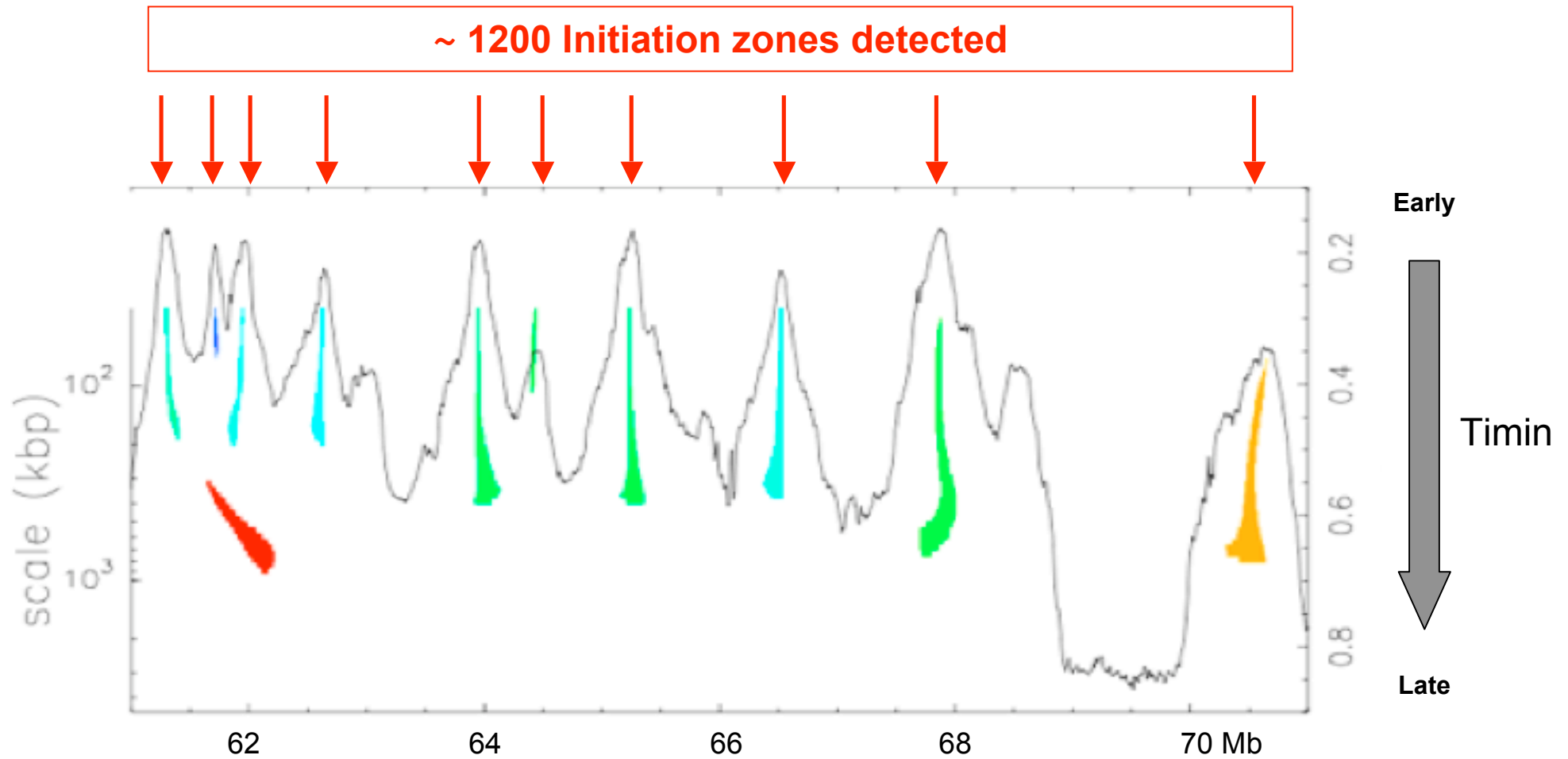




Detect the peaks in the timing profile to obtain the replication initiation zones

# Detection of replication initiation zones

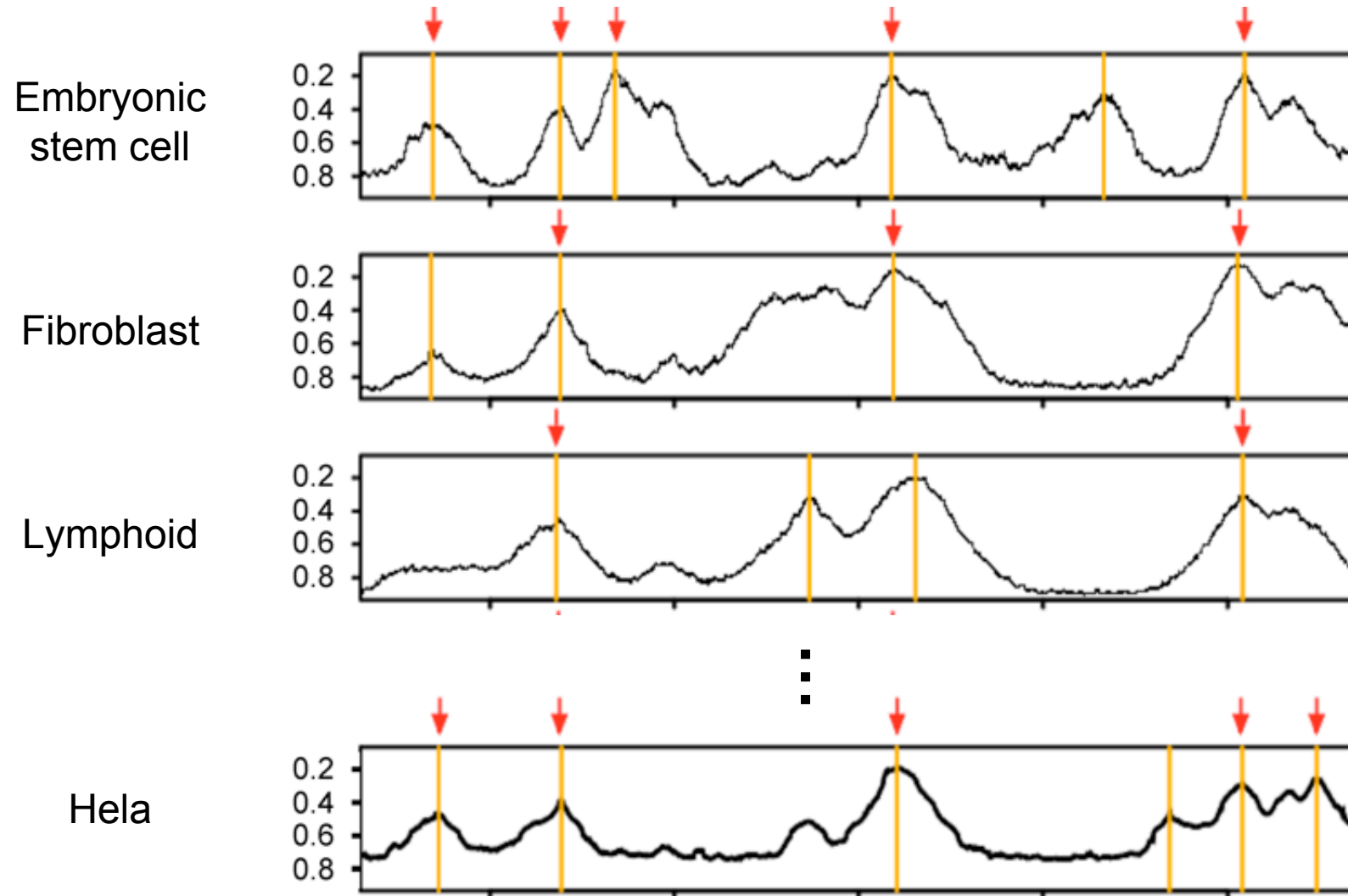
Collaborators: *B. Audit and A. Arneodo* (ENS Lyon)



Wavelet-based method (multiple-scale analysis)

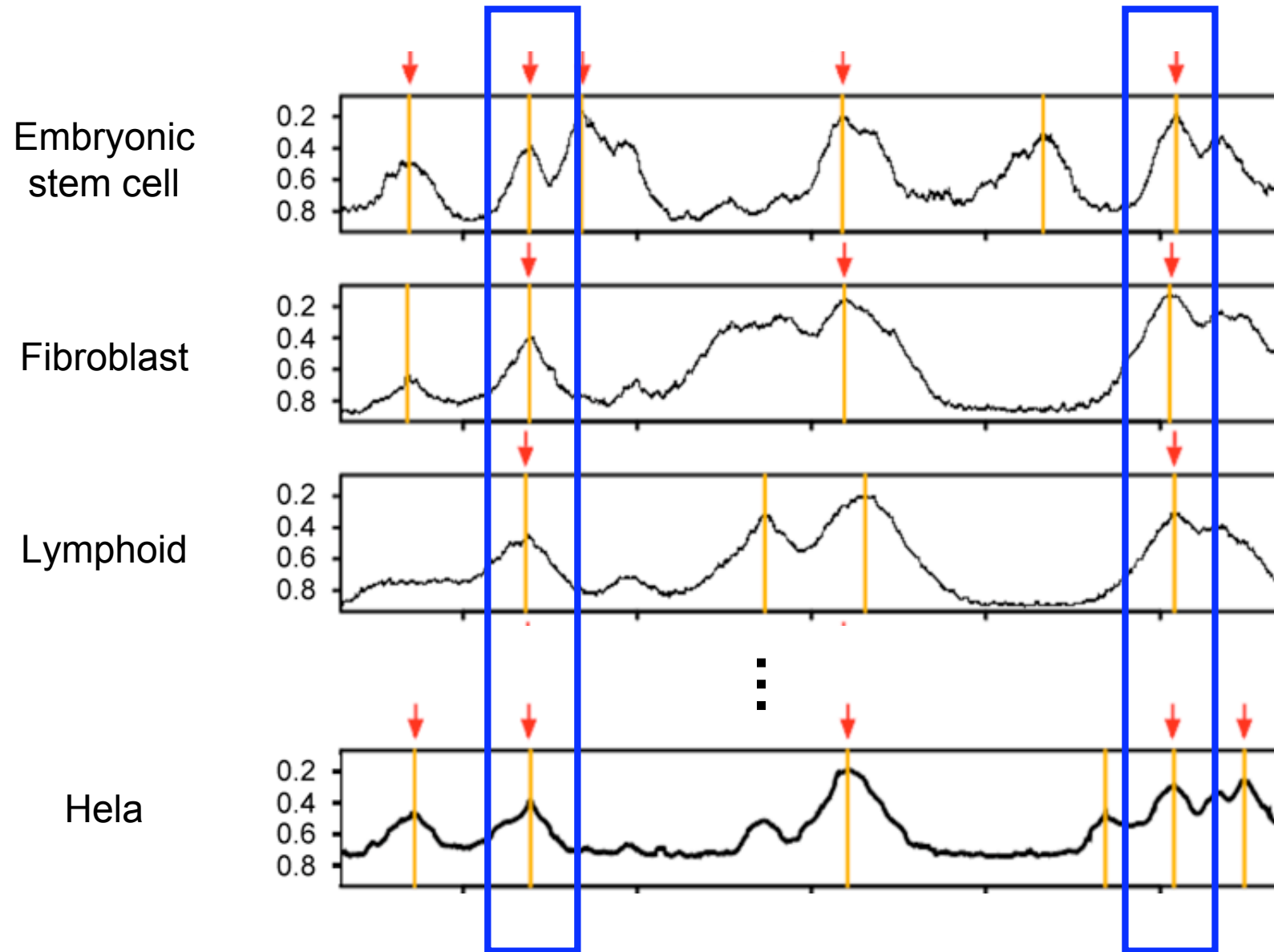
Are these replication initiation zones conserved amongst different cell types?

# Comparison of initiation zones of different cell types

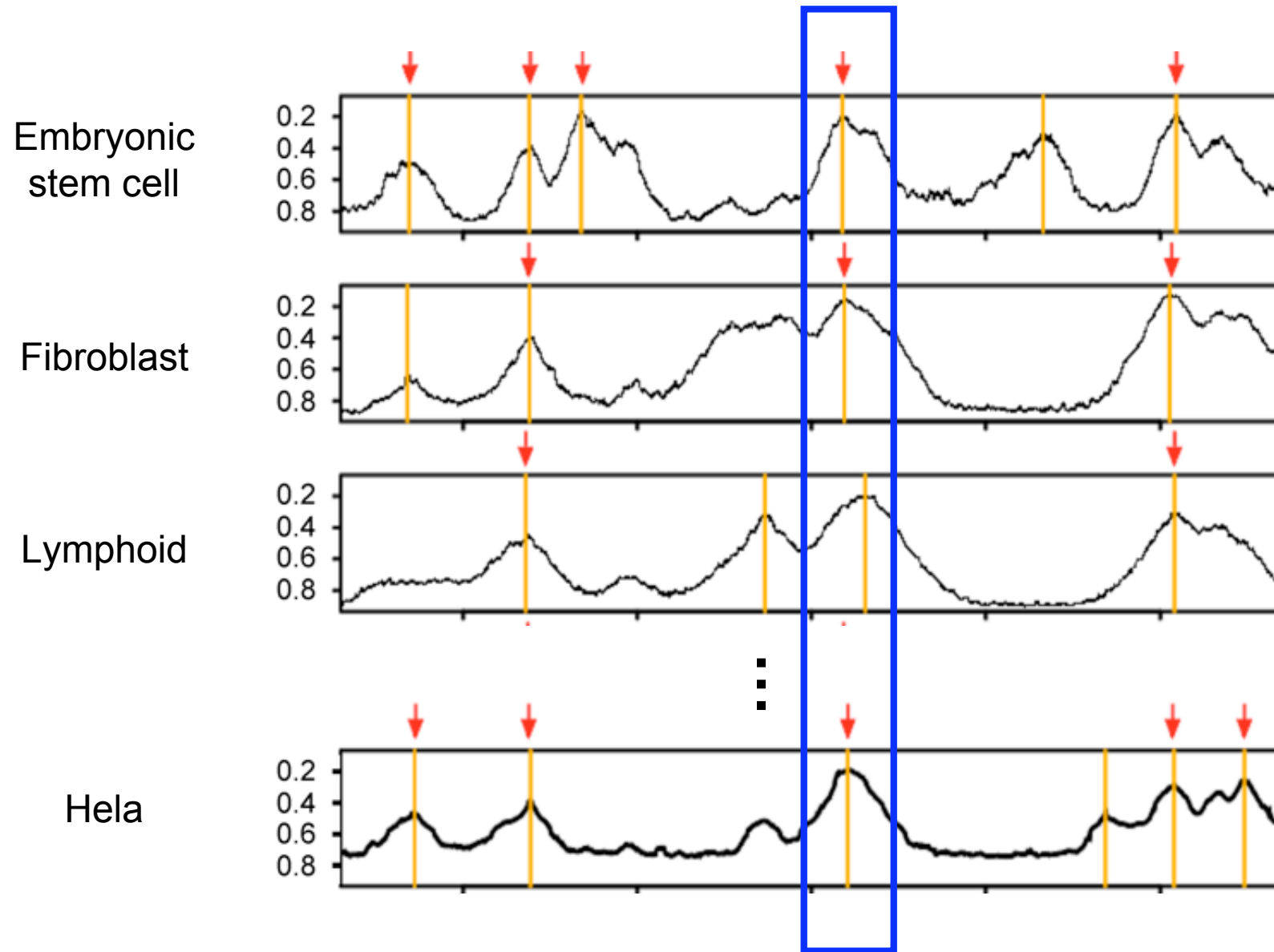




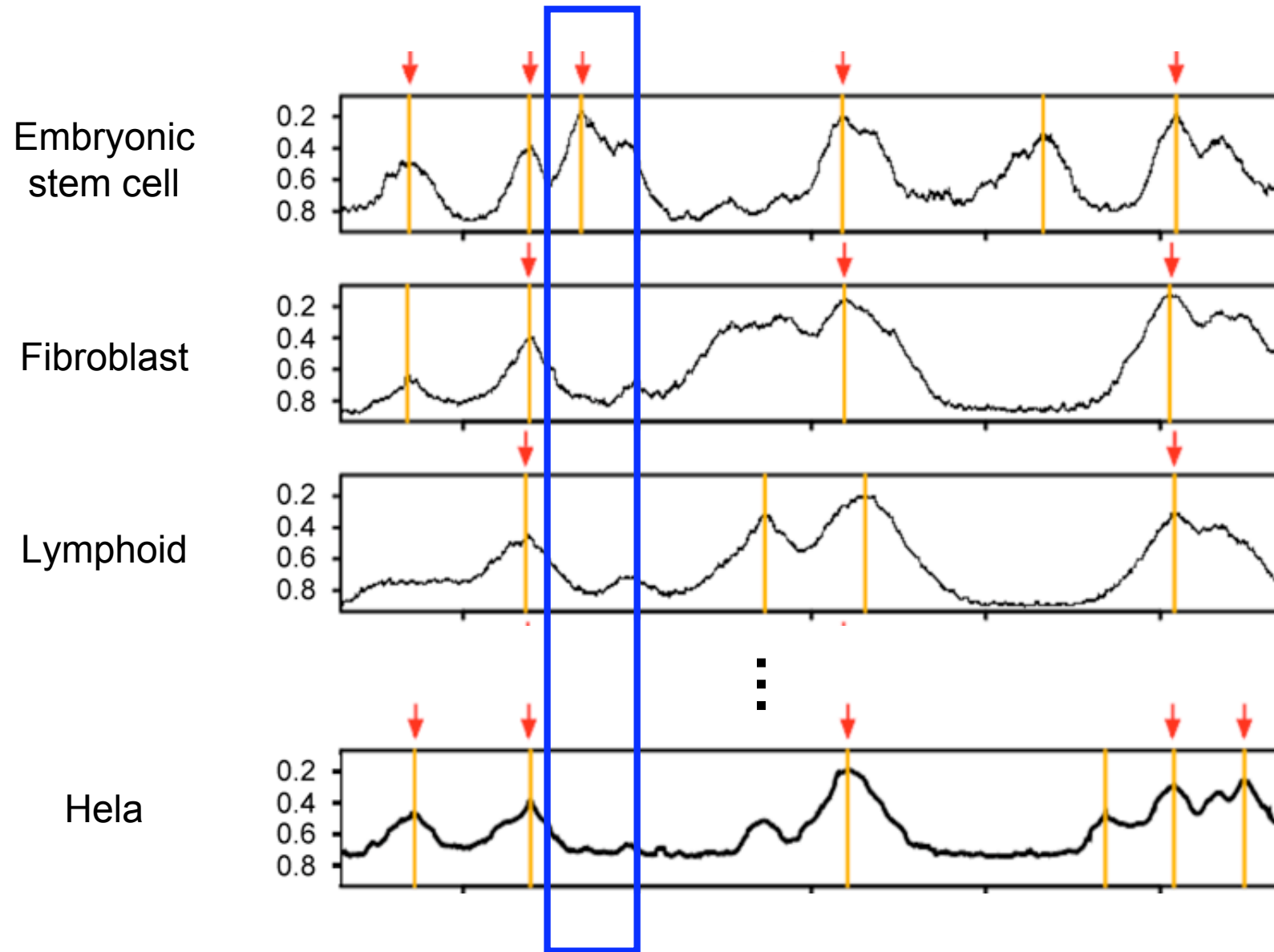
# Comparison of initiation zones of different cell types



# Comparison of initiation zones of different cell types

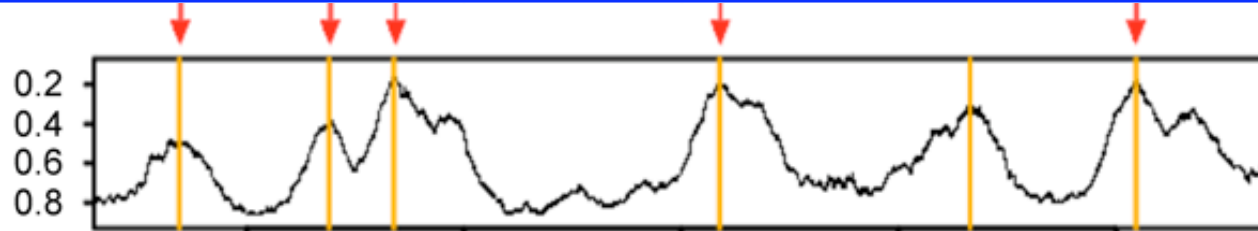


# Comparison of initiation zones of different cell types

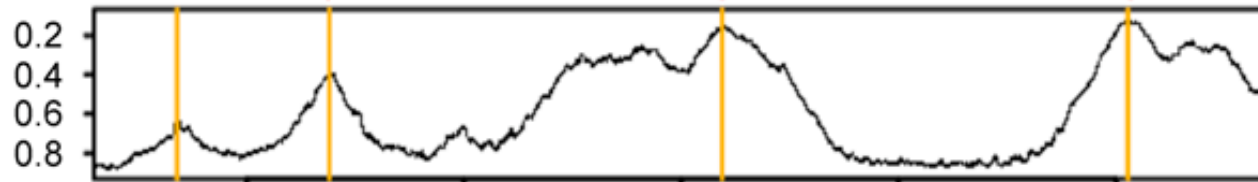


## Statistical evaluation : comparison with null distribution of simulation

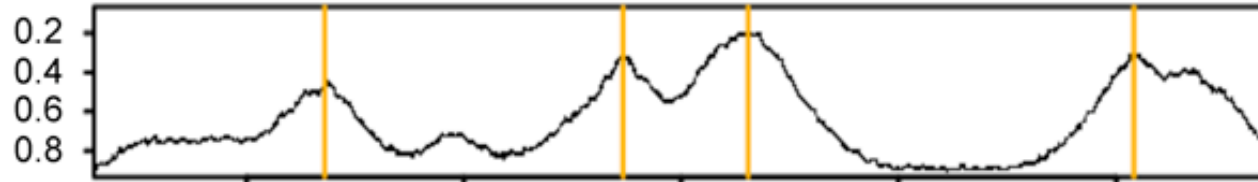
Embryonic  
stem cell



Fibroblast

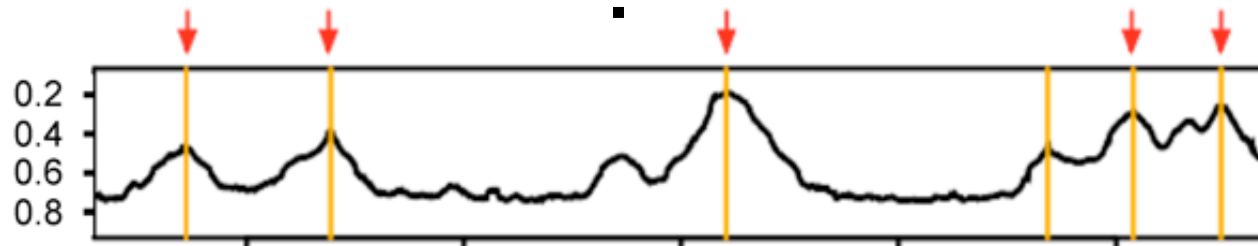


Lymphoid

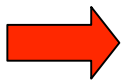
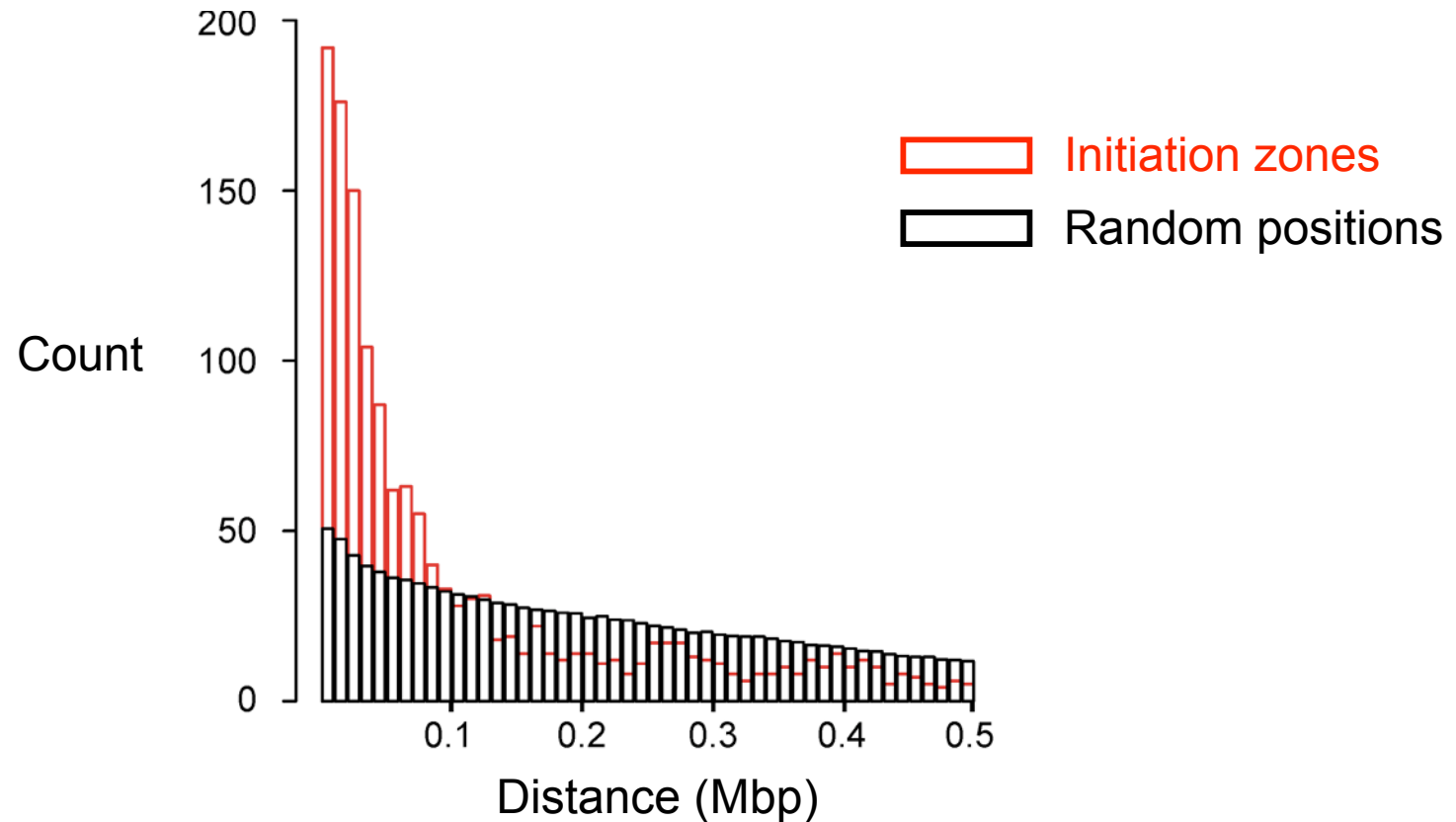


⋮

Hela



## Statistical evaluation : comparison with null distribution of simulation



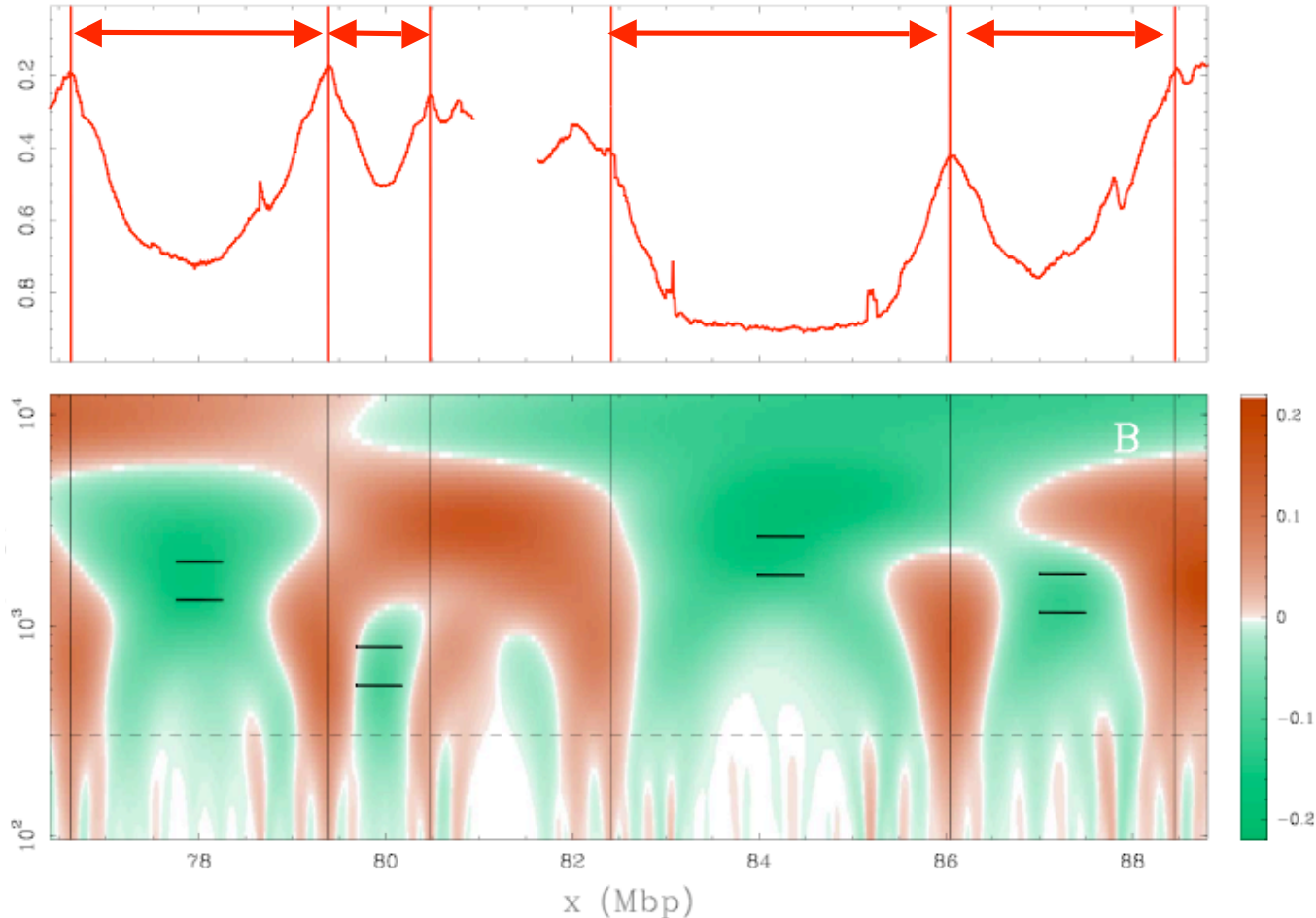
**Replication initiation zones of one cell type are significantly associated with replication initiation zones of other cell types**

# Detection of U-shaped domains in replication timing profile

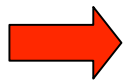
A. Baker, B. Audit, A. Arneodo

U-shaped timing domains

Early  
time  
↓  
Late

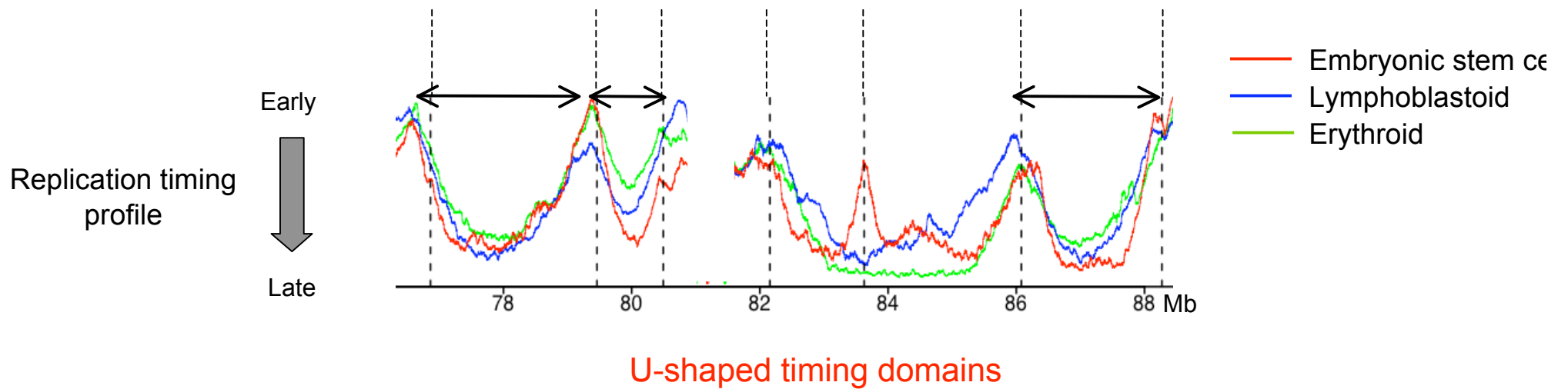


Wavelet-based method

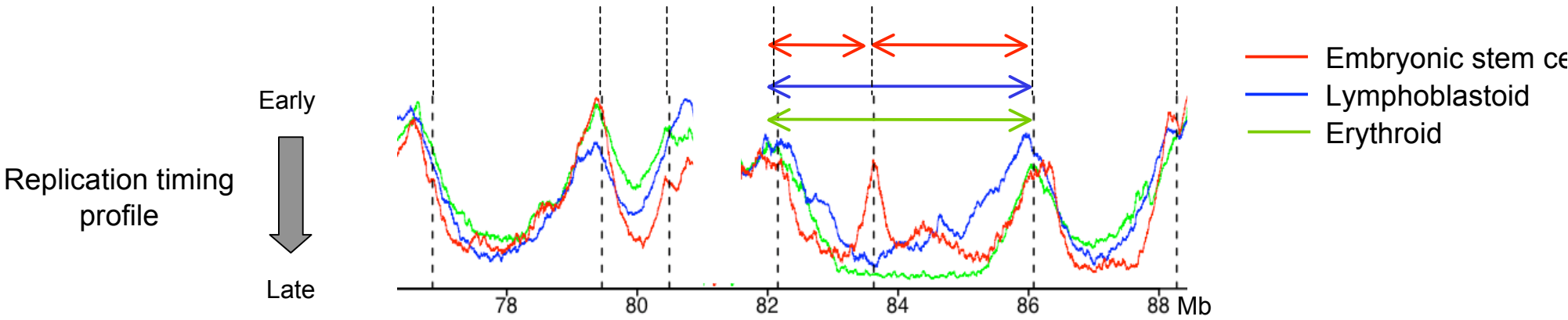


Detect >1000 U-shaped timing domains (average size ~1Mb) covering half of the genome in each of 7 examined cell types

## A larger fraction of replication domains are conserved in different cell types



**But also vary in some cases**



**U-shaped timing domains**

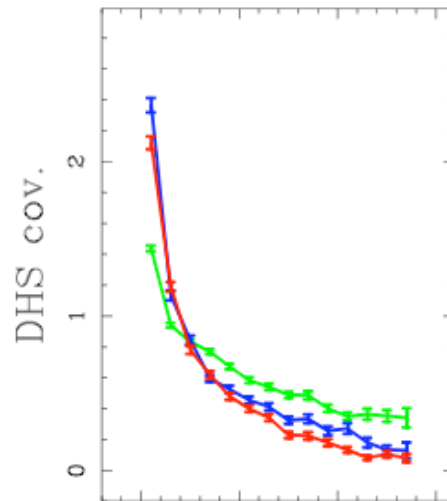


**How is this replication program controlled?**

**Higher order chromatin structure?**

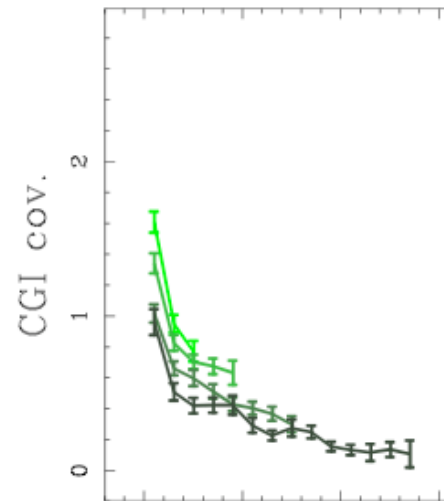
# Replication domain corresponds to specific chromatin organization

## HYPERSENSITIVITY TO DNASE I



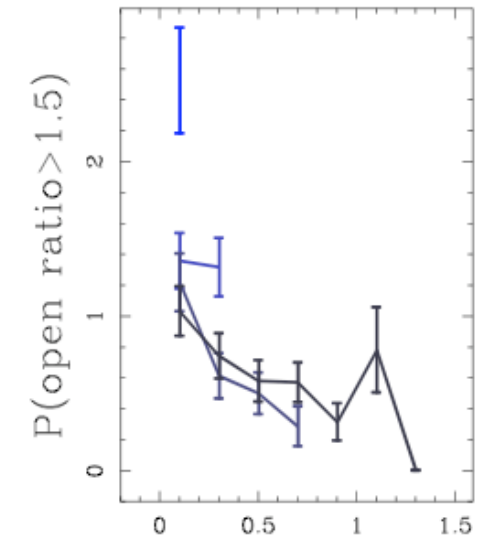
Distance to **U-domain** borders (Mbp)

## CpG ISLAND

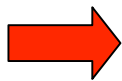


Distance to **U-domain** borders (Mbp)

## OPEN CHROMATIN



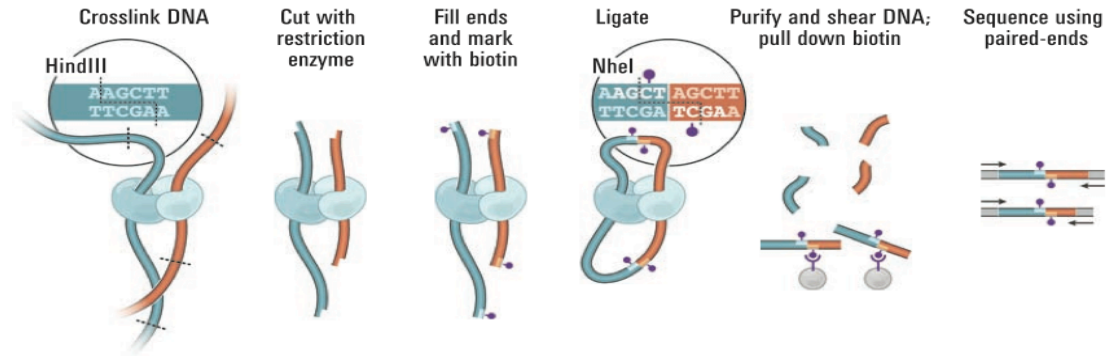
Distance to **U-domain** borders (Mbp)



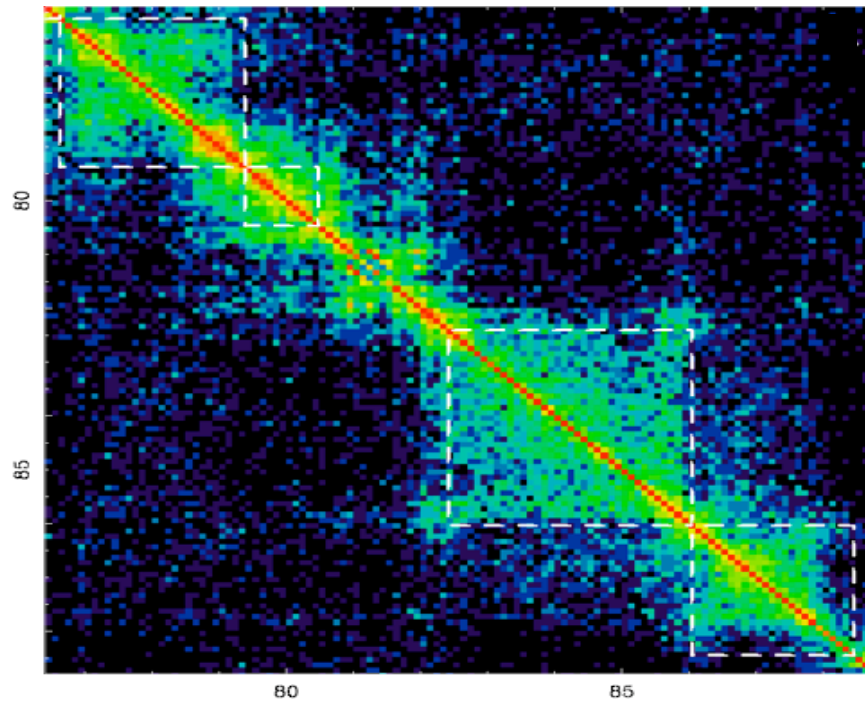
Gradient of open chromatin structure along replication U-domains

# Replication domain corresponds to specific chromatin organization

Capturing  
Chromatin  
Conformation

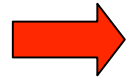


Chromatin interaction (Hi-C) matrix  
(spatial proximity map)



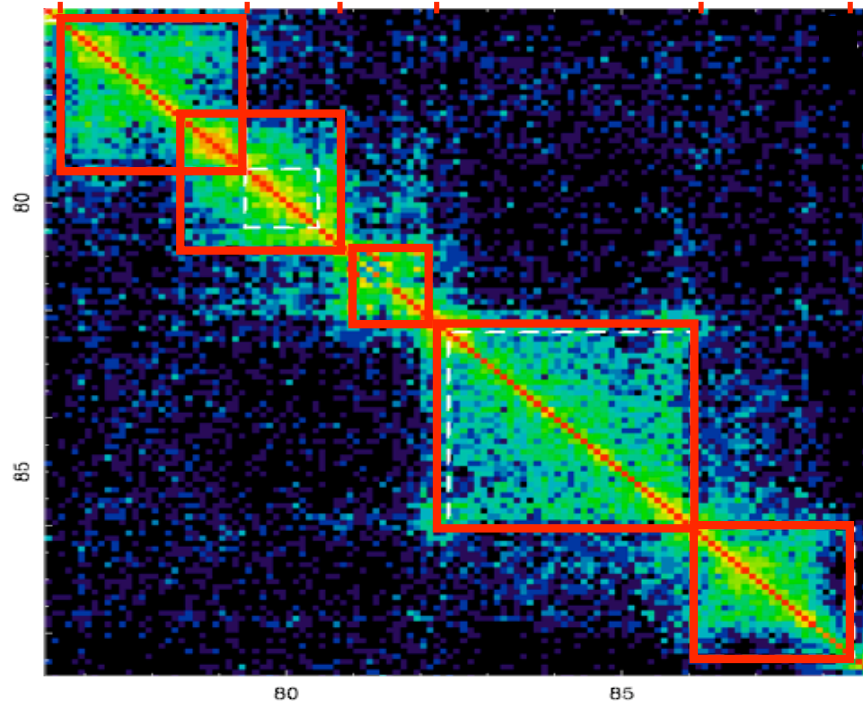
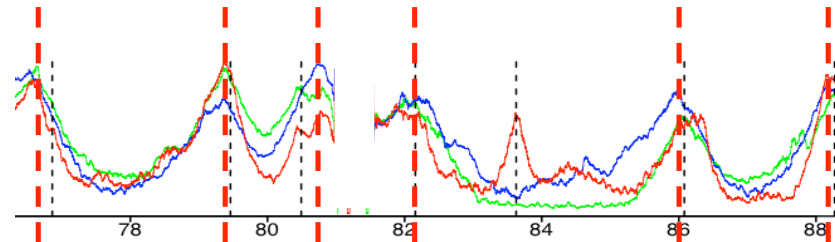
(data of erythroid from Lieberman-Aiden et al *Science*. 2)

# Replication domain corresponds to specific chromatin organization

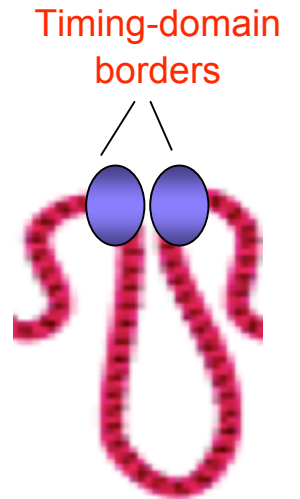


Replication domains correspond to self-interacting units

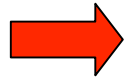
Timing



Chromatin interaction (Hi-C) matrix  
(spatial proximity map)

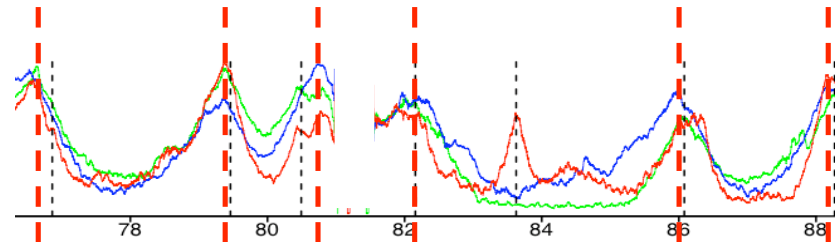


# Replication domain corresponds to specific chromatin organization

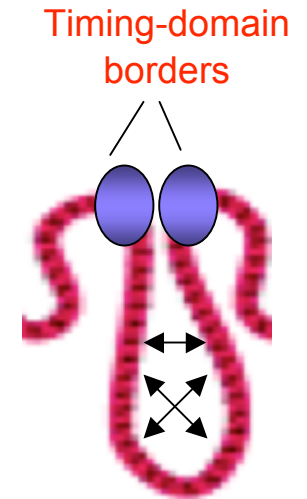
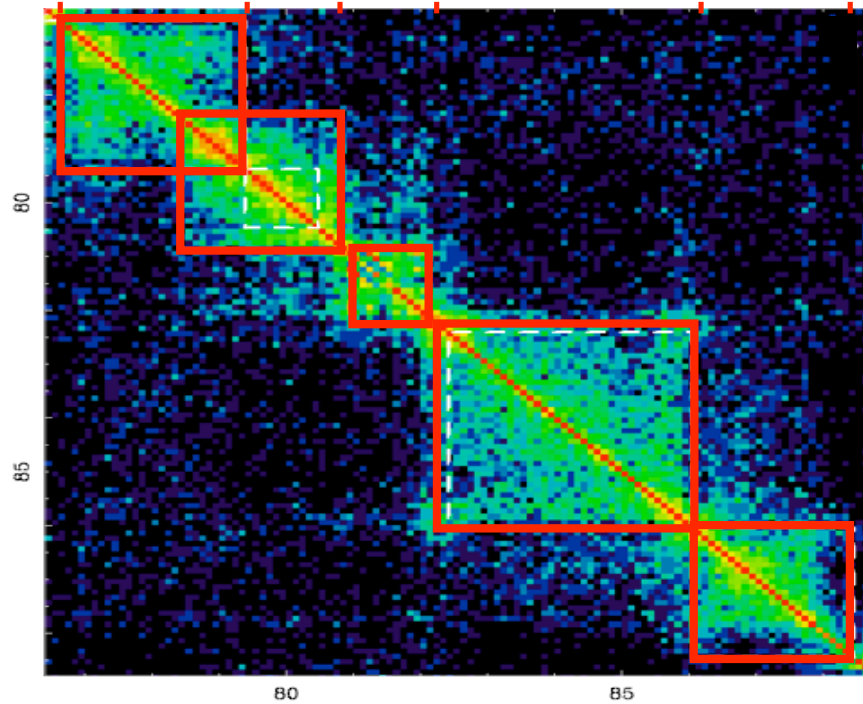


Replication domains correspond to self-interacting units

Timing



Chromatin interaction (Hi-C) matrix  
(spatial proximity map)



# Conclusions of Part I

- A **method** was developed and used to obtain one of the first high resolution **replication timing profile** of human genome by massive sequencing;
- A large fraction of genome displays **conserved replication program** in different cell types;
- **U-shaped timing domains** are **widely observed** in human cell types;
- U-domains corresponds to **higher order chromatin organization**.

## PART II

# IMPACT OF REPLICATION ON THE EVOLUTION AND ORGANIZATION OF THE GENOME

- Replication time as a major determinant of mammalian neutral substitution rates

CHEN et al. *Genome Res.* 2010

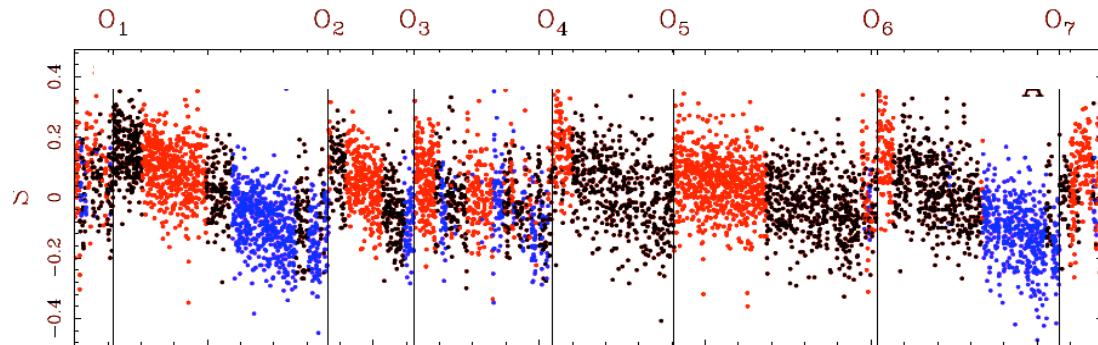
- Impact of replication on the evolution of human genome nucleotide composition

CHEN et al. *Mol Biol Evol.* 2011

## PART II

# IMPACT OF REPLICATION ON THE EVOLUTION AND ORGANIZATION OF THE GENOME

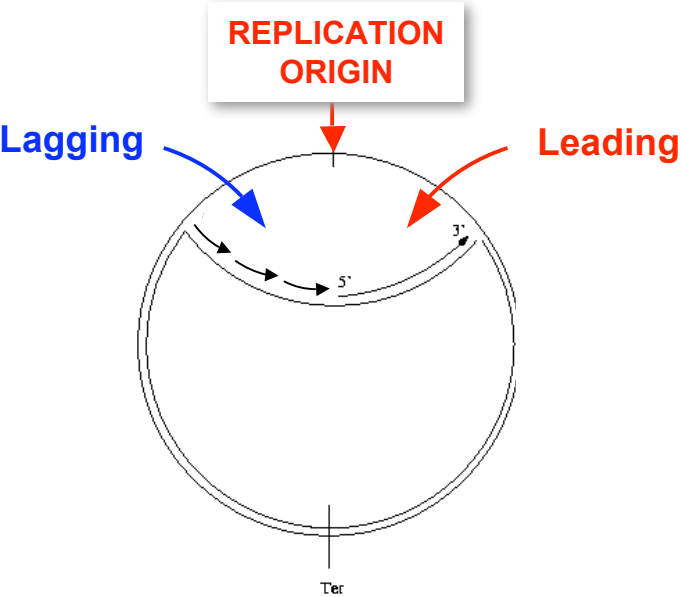
Nucleotide compositional skew



- Impact of replication on the evolution of human genome nucleotide composition

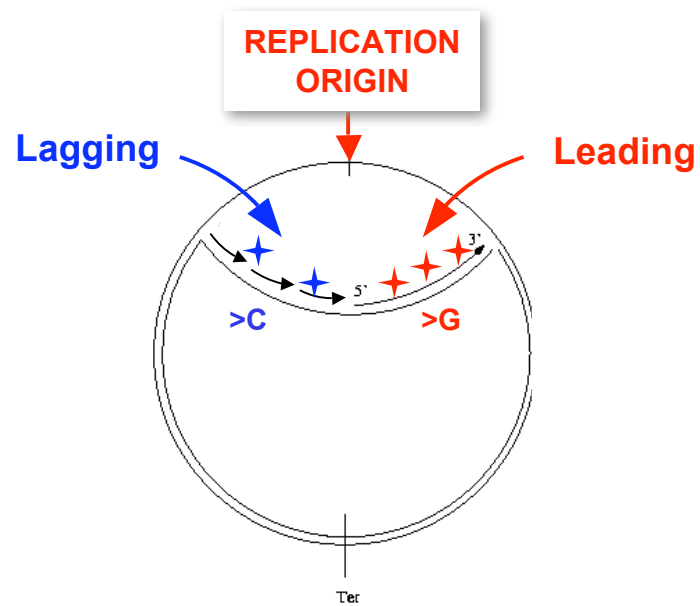


Eubacteria:



Eubacteria:

Substitution rates  
differ between  
leading and lagging strands



Francino & Ochman *Trends Genet.* 199  
Frank & Lobry *Gene.* 199  
Mrazek & Karlin *PNAS.* 199

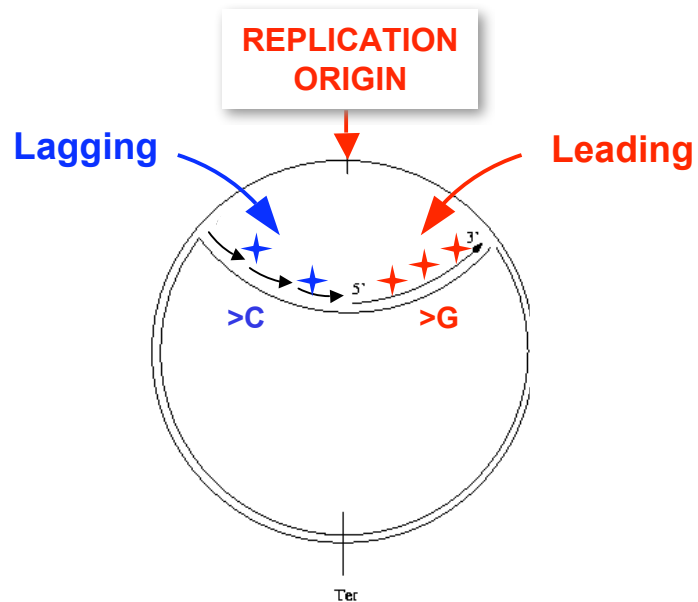
Eubacteria:

Substitution rates  
differ between  
leading and lagging strands

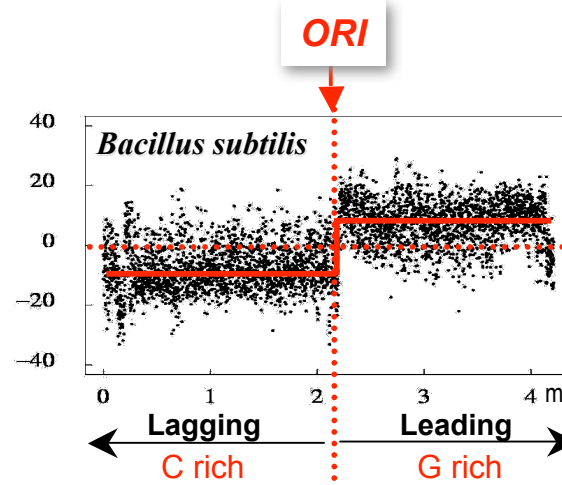


Compositional skew

$$S_{GC} = \frac{n_G - n_C}{n_G + n_C}$$



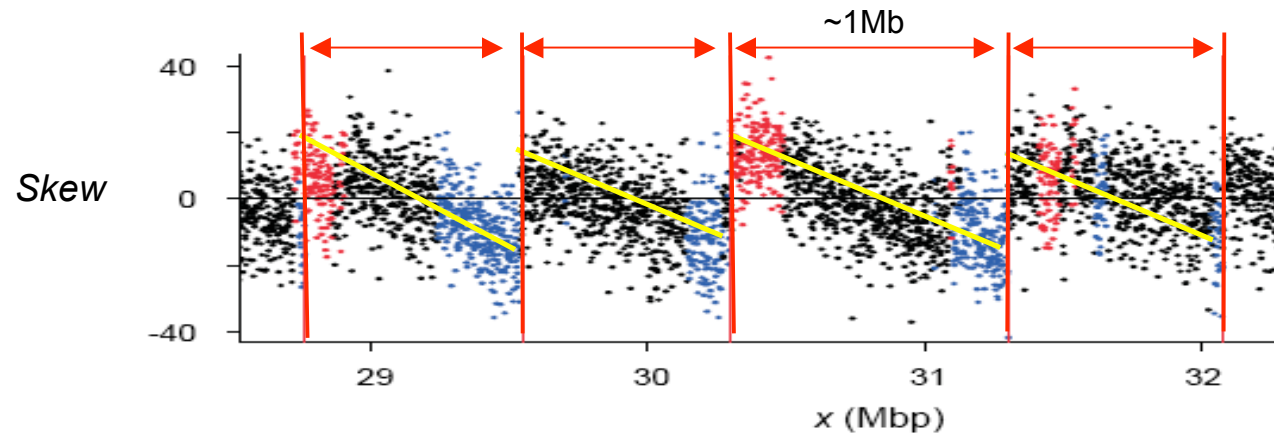
Francino & Ochman *Trends Genet.* 199  
Frank & Lobry *Gene.* 199  
Mrazek & Karlin *PNAS.* 199



Upward jump  
that allows to predict replication origin

Human:

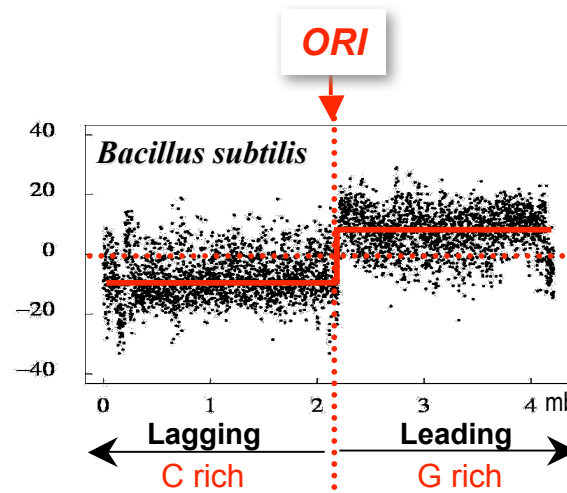
N-domains : > 1/3 of the genome



Touchon et al. *PNAS*. 20  
Huvet et al. *Genome Res.* 20

*Compositional skew*

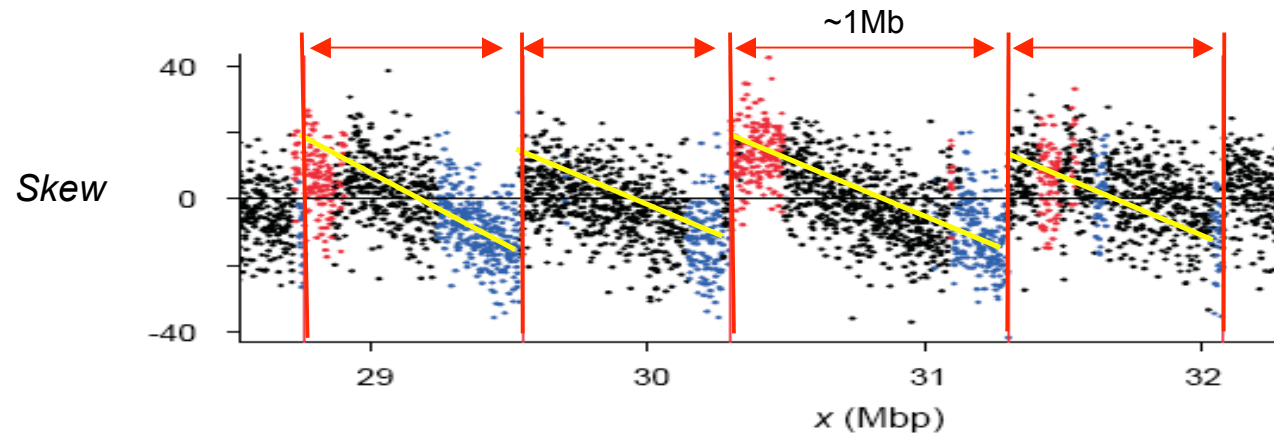
$$S_{GC} = \frac{n_G - n_C}{n_G + n_C}$$



**Upward jump  
that allows to predict replication origin**

Human:

N-domains :  $> 1/3$  of the genome

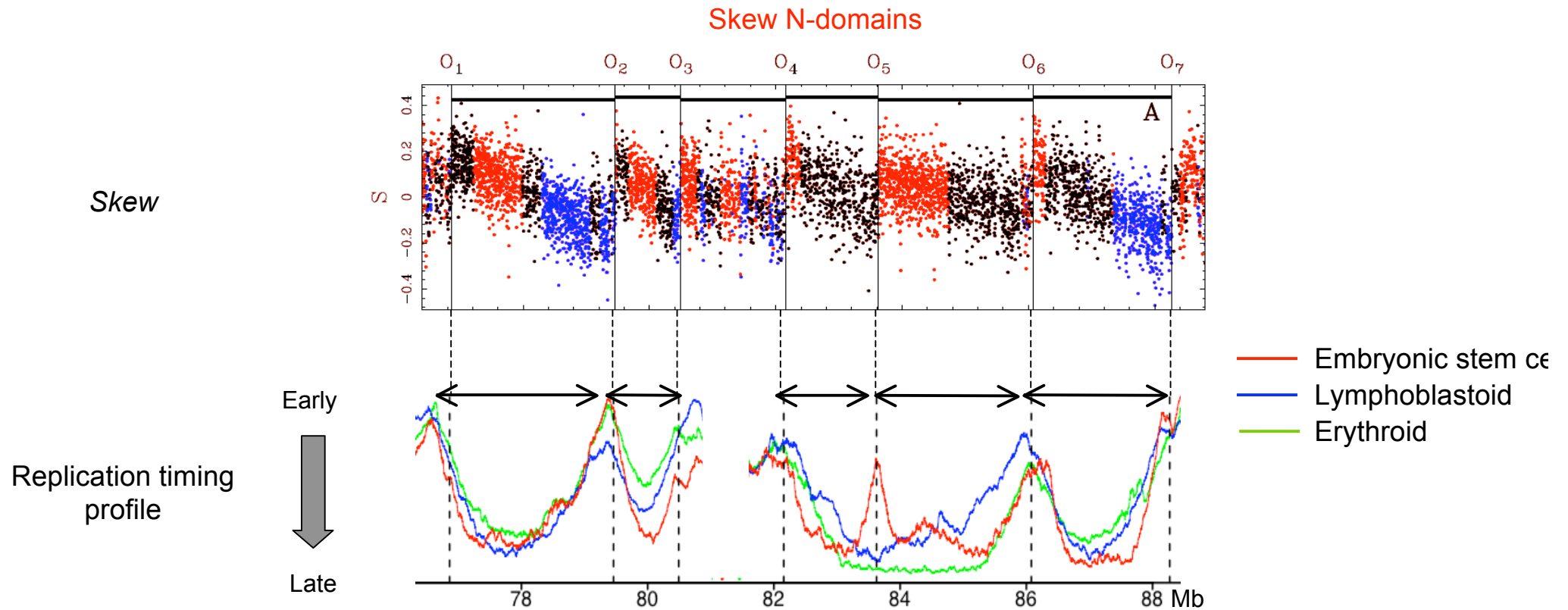


Touchon et al. *PNAS*. 20  
Huvet et al. *Genome Res*. 20

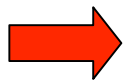
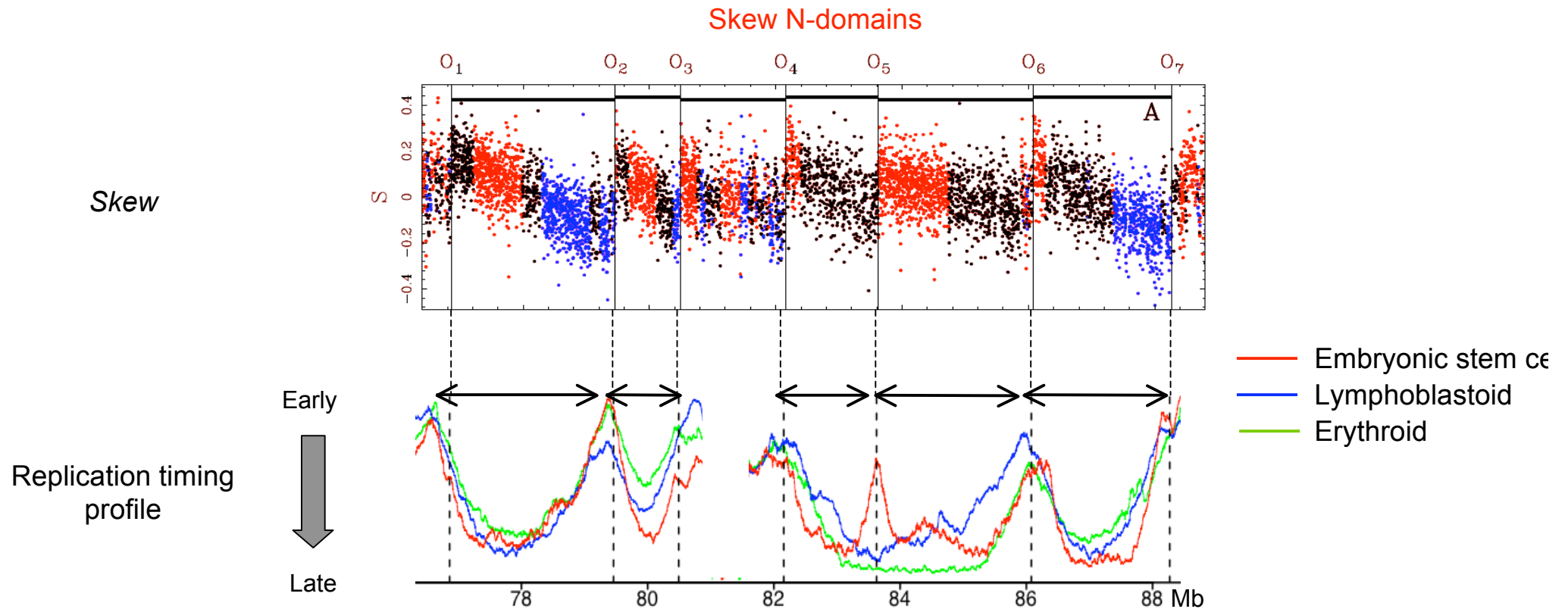
**Do N-domains result from replication?**

**If yes, what kind of replication program generates the N-shape?**

# COMPARISON OF SKEW PROFILE AND REPLICATION TIMING PROFILES

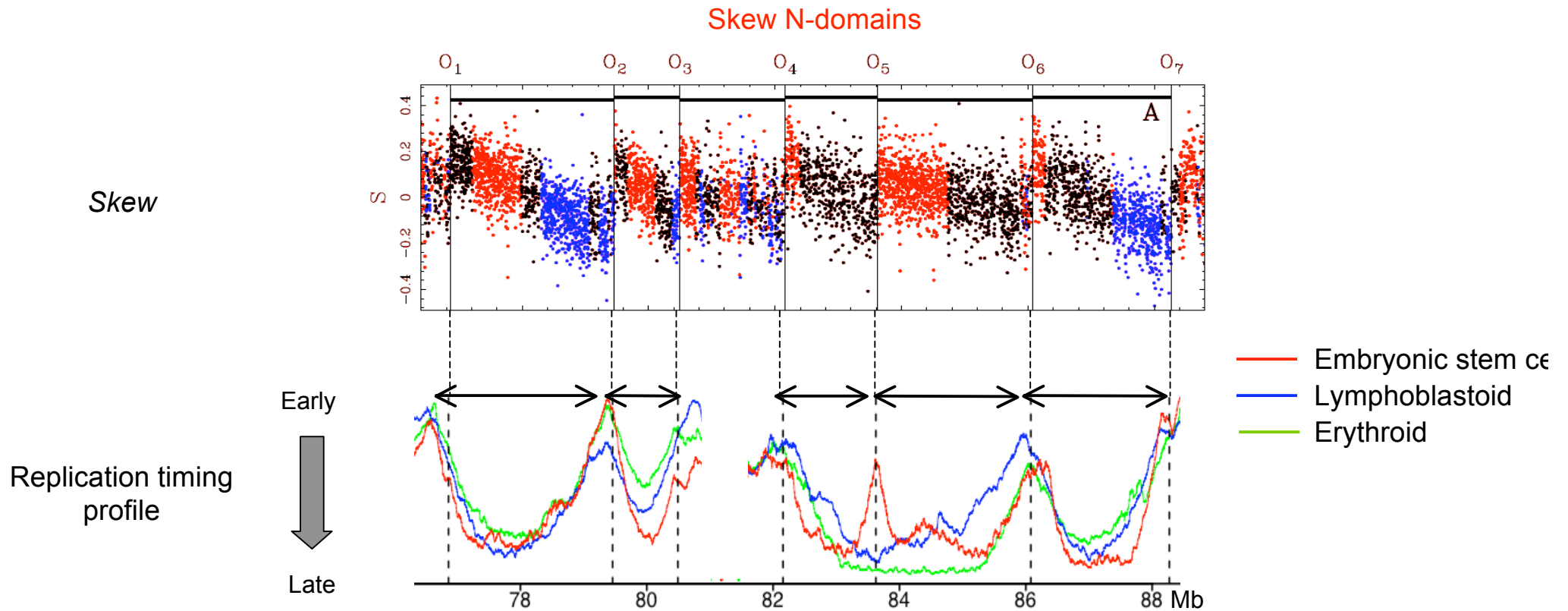


# COMPARISON OF SKEW PROFILE AND REPLICATION TIMING PROFILES



- N-domain extremities are significantly associated with replication initiation zones
- Replication starts from N domain borders and propagates to center in late S phase

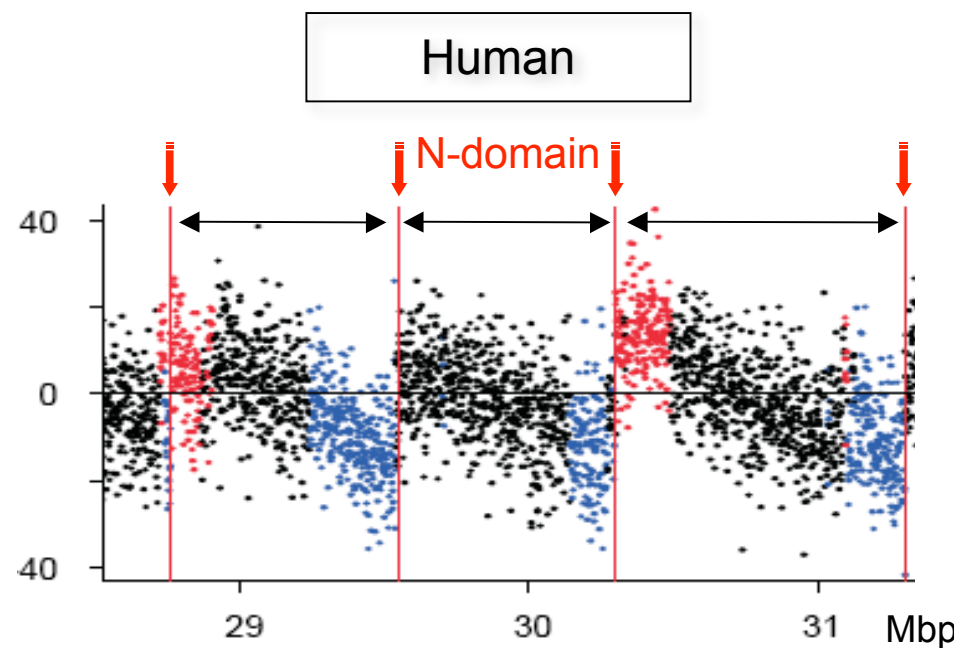
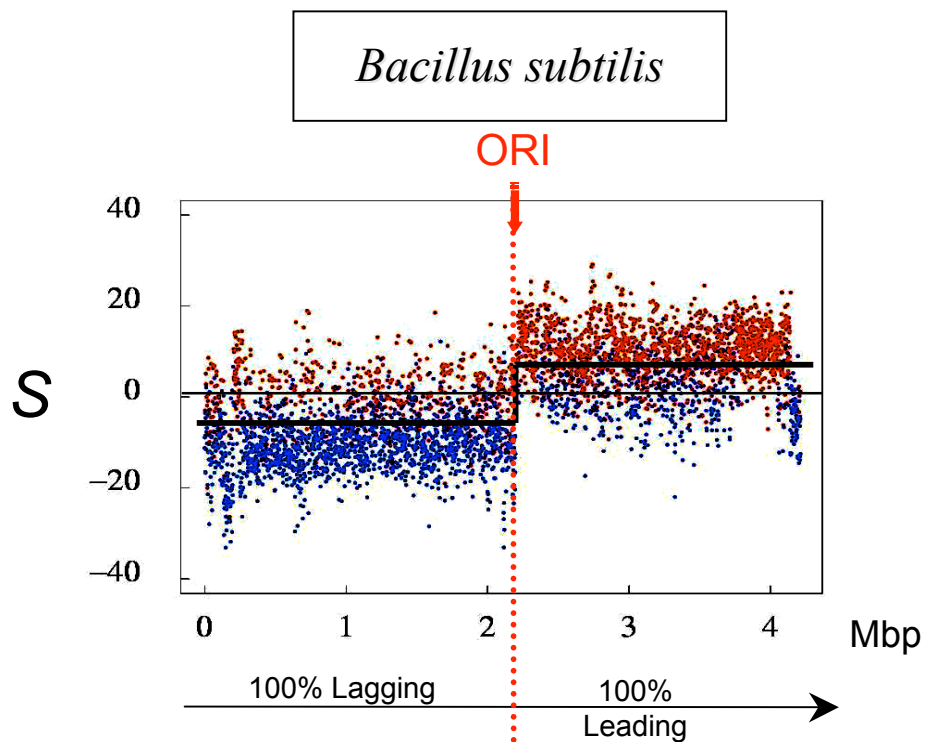
# COMPARISON OF SKEW PROFILE AND REPLICATION TIMING PROFILES



N-domains  $\longleftrightarrow$  replication domains in germline cells

U-domains  $\longleftrightarrow$  replication domains in somatic cells

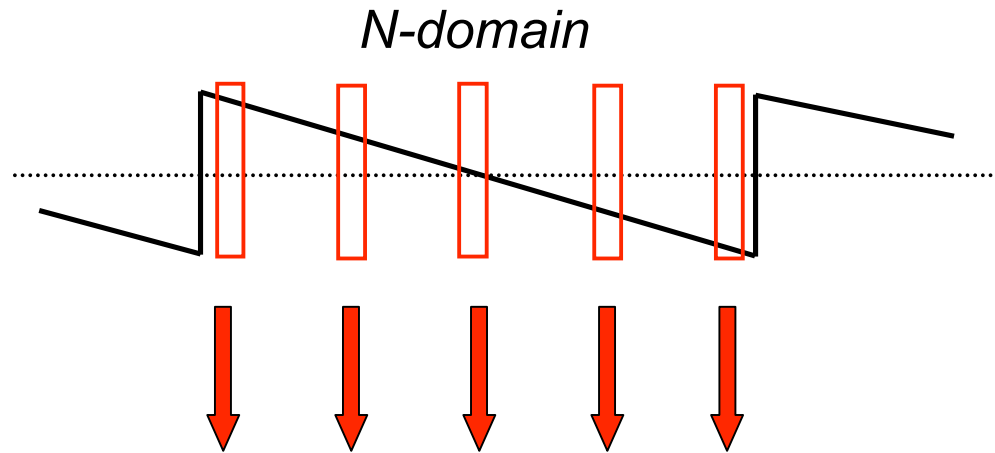
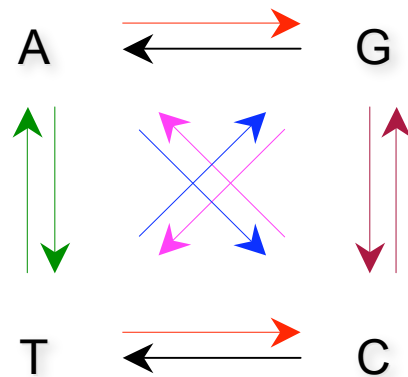




Is the “N” skew pattern generated by asymmetric nucleotide substitution rates ?

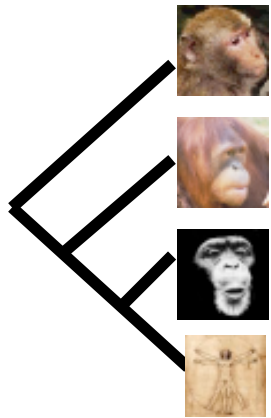


# Computation of nucleotide substitution rates



A -> C	?	?	?	?	?
A -> G	?	?	?	?	?
A -> T	?	?	?	?	?
C -> A	?	?	?	?	?
C -> G	?	?	?	?	?
C -> T	?	?	?	?	?
G -> A	?	?	?	?	?
G -> C	?	?	?	?	?
G -> T	?	?	?	?	?
T -> A	?	?	?	?	?
T -> C	?	?	?	?	?
T -> G	?	?	?	?	?

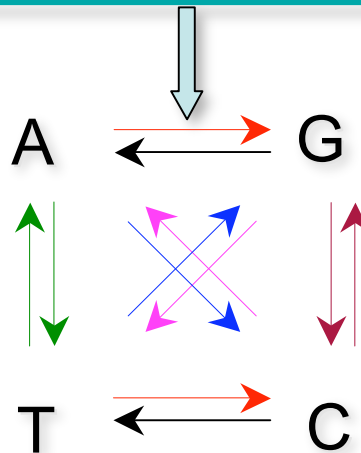
# Computation of nucleotide substitution rates



*Macaca mulatta*  
(rhesus monkey)  
*Pongo pygmaeus abelii*  
(orangutan)  
*Pan troglodytes*  
(chimpanzee)  
*Homo sapiens*  
(human)

AACTTTCGGTAGTGGATGACATCCCATGTCGTGT  
 AACTTTCGGTAGCGGATGACATCCCATGTCGTGT  
 AACTTTCGATAGTGGATGAGATCCCATGTCGTGT  
 AACTTTCGTTAGTGGATGACATCC**T**ATGTCGTGT

↑ ↑      ↑      ↑  
 non-informative site      chimp      human  
                                   C → G      C → T



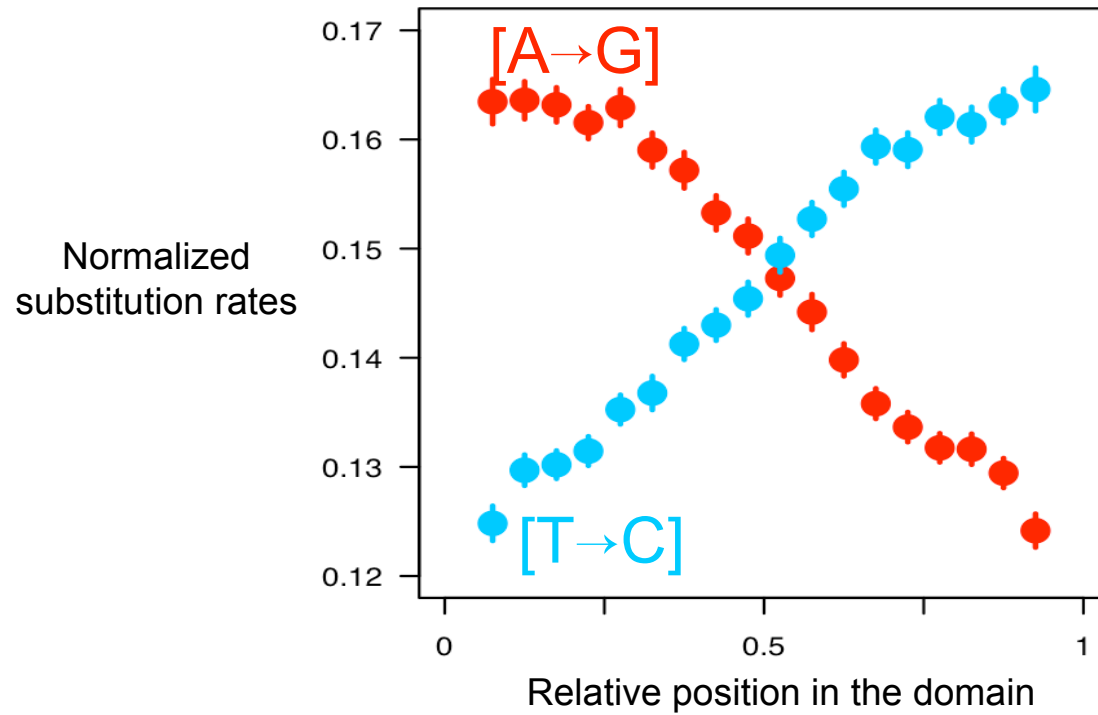
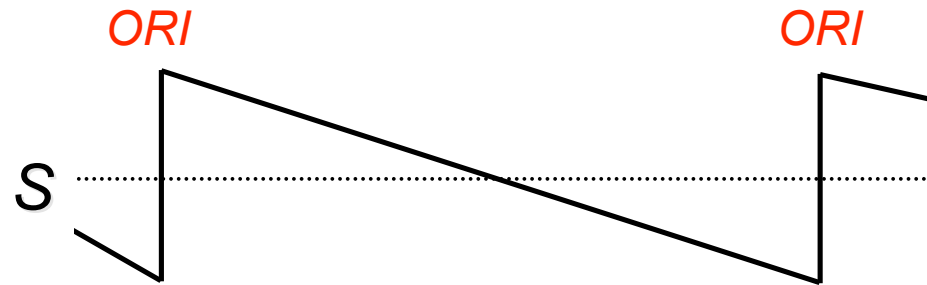
Compare A→G values on the two strands



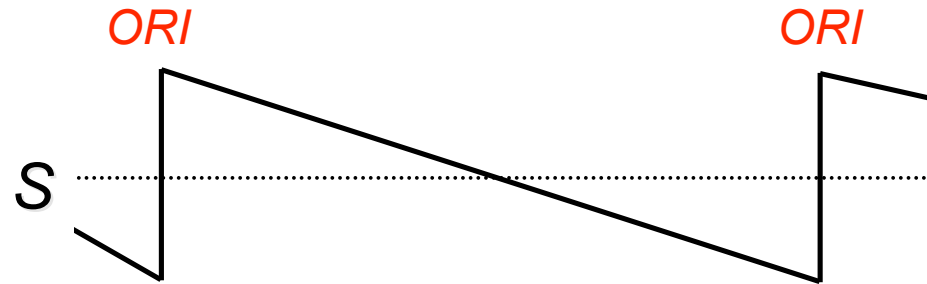
Compare A→G to T→C on the same strand

Compare complementary substitution rates on the same strand

# Complementary substitution rate along N-domains

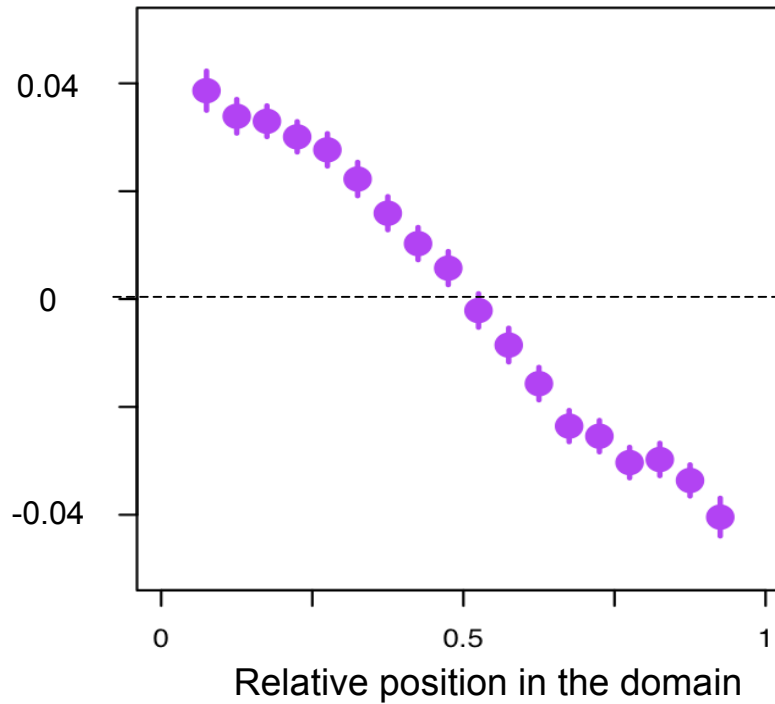


# Complementary substitution rate along N-domains



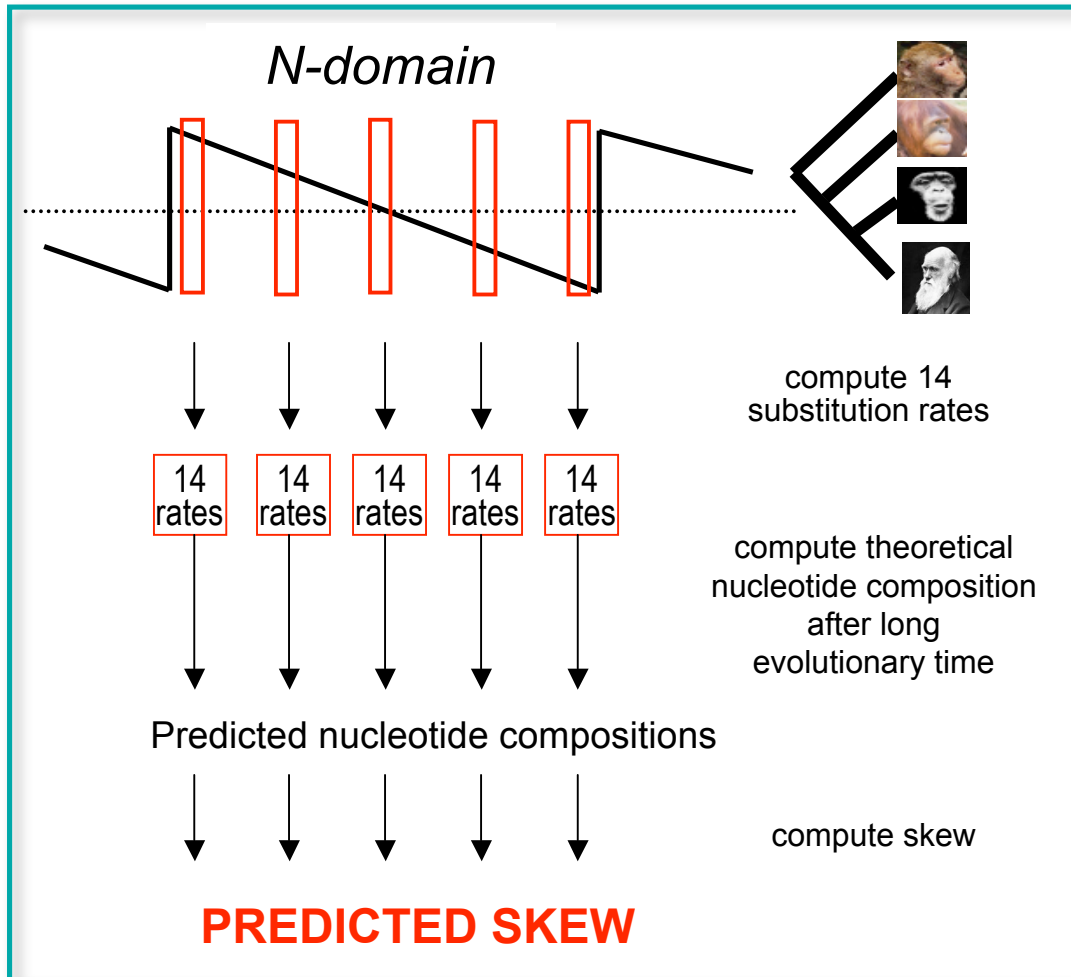
Asymmetry

$$\Delta = [A \rightarrow G] - [T \rightarrow C]$$



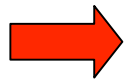
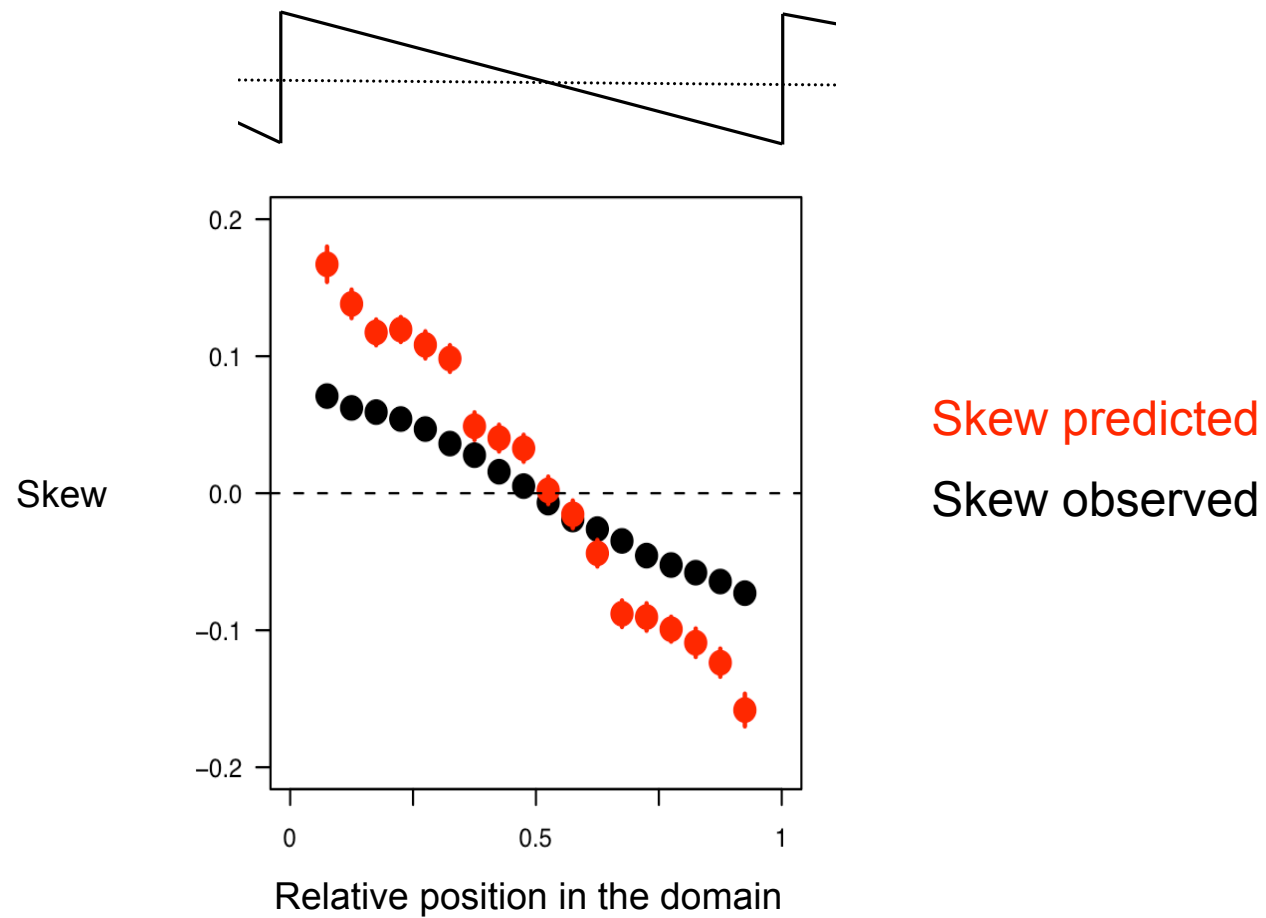
Reproduces perfectly the "N" skew profile

# Compute the predicted skew (S at equilibrium) along N-domain



$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial f_{aa}}{\partial t} &= ca f_{ca} + ga f_{ga} + ta f_{ta} - ac f_{aa} - ag f_{aa} - at f_{aa} + ca f_{ac} + ga f_{ag} + ta f_{at} - ac f_{aa} - ag f_{aa} - at f_{aa} + \frac{pgpa f_{cg} f_{ga}}{f_{ga} + f_{gc} + f_{gg} + f_{gt}} \\ \frac{\partial f_{ac}}{\partial t} &= ca f_{cc} + ga f_{gc} + ta f_{tc} - ac f_{ac} - ag f_{ac} - at f_{ac} + ac f_{aa} + gc f_{ag} + tc f_{at} - ca f_{ac} - cg f_{ac} - ct f_{ac} + \frac{pgpa f_{cg} f_{gc}}{f_{ga} + f_{gc} + f_{gg} + f_{gt}} - \frac{cptp}{f_{ca} + f_{cc}} \\ \frac{\partial f_{ag}}{\partial t} &= ca f_{cg} + ga f_{gg} + ta f_{tg} - ac f_{ag} - ag f_{ag} - at f_{ag} + ag f_{aa} + cg f_{ac} + tg f_{at} - ga f_{ag} - gc f_{ag} - gt f_{ag} + \frac{pgpa f_{cg} f_{gg}}{f_{ga} + f_{gc} + f_{gg} + f_{gt}} \\ \frac{\partial f_{at}}{\partial t} &= ca f_{ct} + ga f_{gt} + ta f_{tu} - ac f_{at} - ag f_{at} - at f_{at} + at f_{aa} + ct f_{ac} + gt f_{ag} - ta f_{at} - tc f_{at} - tg f_{at} + \frac{pgpa f_{cg} f_{gt}}{f_{ga} + f_{gc} + f_{gg} + f_{gt}} + \frac{cptp f_{t}}{f_{ca} + f_{cc}} \\ \frac{\partial f_{ca}}{\partial t} &= ac f_{aa} + gc f_{ga} + tc f_{ta} - ca f_{ca} - cg f_{ca} - ct f_{ca} + ca f_{ca} + ta f_{ct} - ac f_{ca} - ag f_{ca} - at f_{ca} + pgpa f_{cg} \\ \frac{\partial f_{cc}}{\partial t} &= ac f_{ac} + gc f_{gc} + tc f_{tc} - ca f_{cc} - cg f_{cc} - ct f_{cc} + ac f_{ca} + gc f_{cg} + tc f_{ct} - ca f_{cc} - cg f_{cc} - ct f_{cc} - \frac{cptp f_{cc} f_{cg}}{f_{ca} + f_{cc} + f_{cg} + f_{ct}} \\ \frac{\partial f_{cg}}{\partial t} &= ac f_{ag} + gc f_{gg} + tc f_{tg} - ca f_{cg} - cg f_{cg} + ag f_{ca} + cg f_{cc} + tg f_{ct} - gc f_{cg} - gt f_{cg} - cptp f_{cg} - pgpa f_{cg} \\ \frac{\partial f_{ct}}{\partial t} &= ac f_{at} + gc f_{gt} + tc f_{tu} - ca f_{ct} - cg f_{ct} - ct f_{ct} + at f_{ca} + ct f_{cc} + gt f_{cg} - ta f_{ct} - tc f_{ct} - tg f_{ct} + \frac{cptp f_{cc} f_{cg}}{f_{ca} + f_{cc} + f_{cg} + f_{ct}} \\ \frac{\partial f_{ga}}{\partial t} &= ag f_{aa} + cg f_{ca} + tg f_{ta} - ga f_{ga} - gc f_{ga} - gt f_{ga} + ca f_{gc} + ga f_{gg} + ta f_{gt} - ac f_{ga} - ag f_{ga} - at f_{ga} - \frac{pgpa f_{cg} f_{ga}}{f_{ga} + f_{gc} + f_{gg} + f_{gt}} \\ \frac{\partial f_{gc}}{\partial t} &= ag f_{ac} + cg f_{cc} + tg f_{tc} - ga f_{gc} - gc f_{gc} - gt f_{gc} + ac f_{ga} + gc f_{gg} + tc f_{gt} - ca f_{gc} - cg f_{gc} - ct f_{gc} - \frac{pgpa f_{cg} f_{gc}}{f_{ga} + f_{gc} + f_{gg} + f_{gt}} - \frac{cptp}{f_{ca} + f_{cc}} \\ \frac{\partial f_{gg}}{\partial t} &= ag f_{ag} + cg f_{cg} + tg f_{tg} - ga f_{gg} - gc f_{gg} - gt f_{gg} + ag f_{ga} + cg f_{gc} + tg f_{gt} - ga f_{gg} - gc f_{gg} - gt f_{gg} - \frac{pgpa f_{cg} f_{gg}}{f_{ga} + f_{gc} + f_{gg} + f_{gt}} \\ \frac{\partial f_{gt}}{\partial t} &= ag f_{at} + cg f_{ct} + tg f_{tu} - ga f_{gt} - gc f_{gt} - gt f_{gt} + at f_{ga} + ct f_{gc} + gt f_{gt} - ta f_{gt} - tc f_{gt} - tg f_{gt} - \frac{pgpa f_{cg} f_{gt}}{f_{ga} + f_{gc} + f_{gg} + f_{gt}} + \frac{cptp f_{t}}{f_{ca} + f_{cc}} \\ \frac{\partial f_{ta}}{\partial t} &= at f_{aa} + ct f_{ca} + gt f_{ga} - ta f_{ta} - tc f_{ta} - tg f_{ta} + ca f_{tc} + ga f_{tg} + ta f_{tu} - ac f_{ta} - ag f_{ta} - at f_{ta} \\ \frac{\partial f_{tc}}{\partial t} &= at f_{ac} + ct f_{cc} + gt f_{gc} - ta f_{tc} - tc f_{tc} - tg f_{tc} + ac f_{ta} + gc f_{tg} + tc f_{tu} - ca f_{tc} - cg f_{tc} - ct f_{tc} - \frac{cptp f_{tc} f_{cg}}{f_{ca} + f_{cc} + f_{cg} + f_{ct}} \\ \frac{\partial f_{tg}}{\partial t} &= at f_{ag} + gt f_{gg} - ta f_{tg} - tc f_{tg} - tg f_{tg} + ag f_{ta} + cg f_{tc} + tg f_{tu} - ga f_{tg} - gc f_{tg} - gt f_{tg} + cptp f_{cg} \\ \frac{\partial f_{tu}}{\partial t} &= at f_{at} + ct f_{ct} + gt f_{gt} - ta f_{tu} - tc f_{tu} - tg f_{tu} + at f_{ta} + ct f_{tc} + gt f_{tg} - ta f_{tu} - tc f_{tu} - tg f_{tu} + \frac{cptp f_{tc} f_{cg}}{f_{ca} + f_{cc} + f_{cg} + f_{ct}} \end{aligned}$$

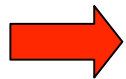
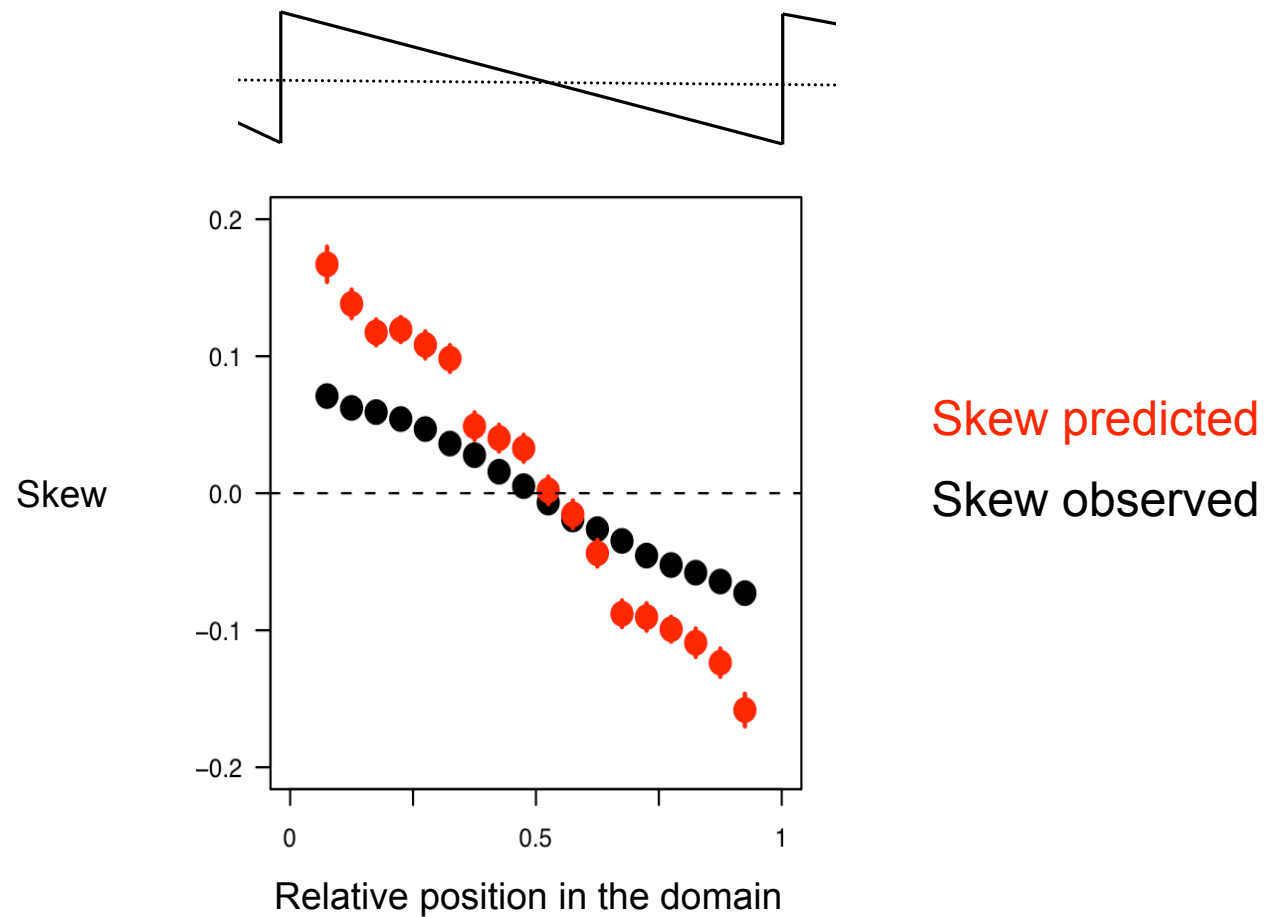
# COMPOSITION AT EQUILIBRIUM REPRODUCES PERFECTLY THE “N” SKEW PROFILE



N-domains result from mutation asymmetry in germline cells



# COMPOSITION AT EQUILIBRIUM REPRODUCES PERFECTLY THE “N” SKEW PROFILE



N-domains result from mutation asymmetry in germline cells

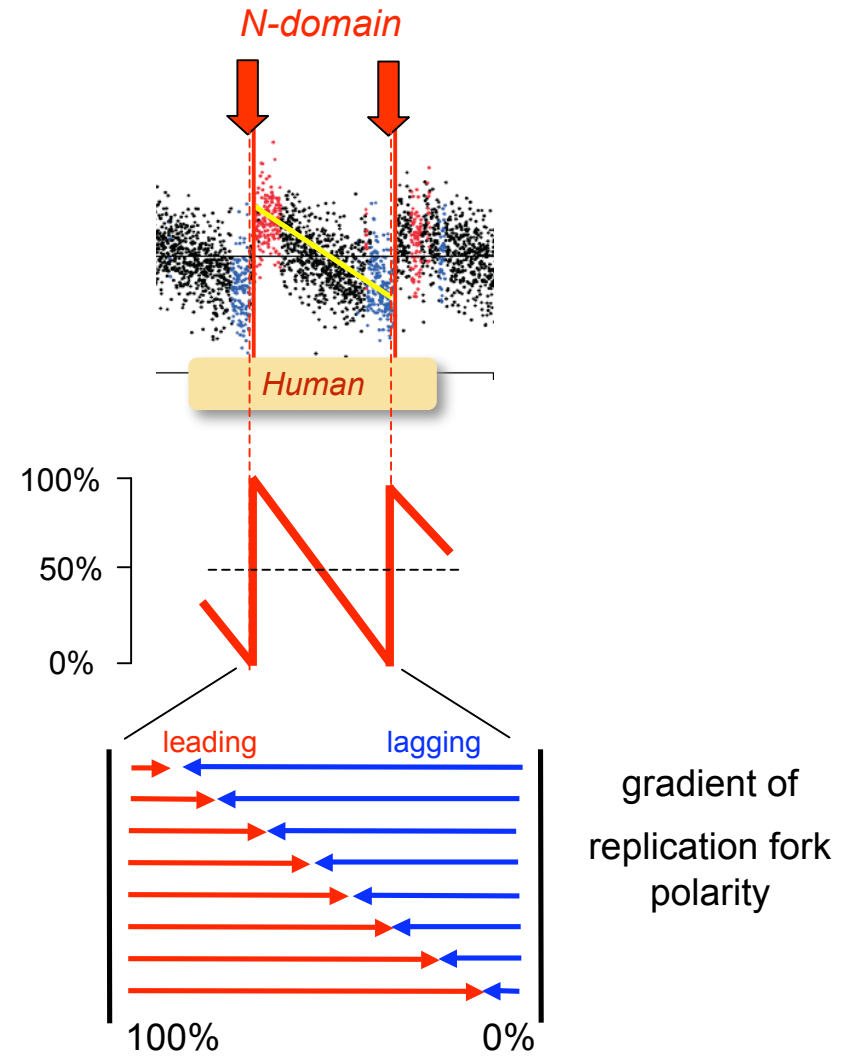
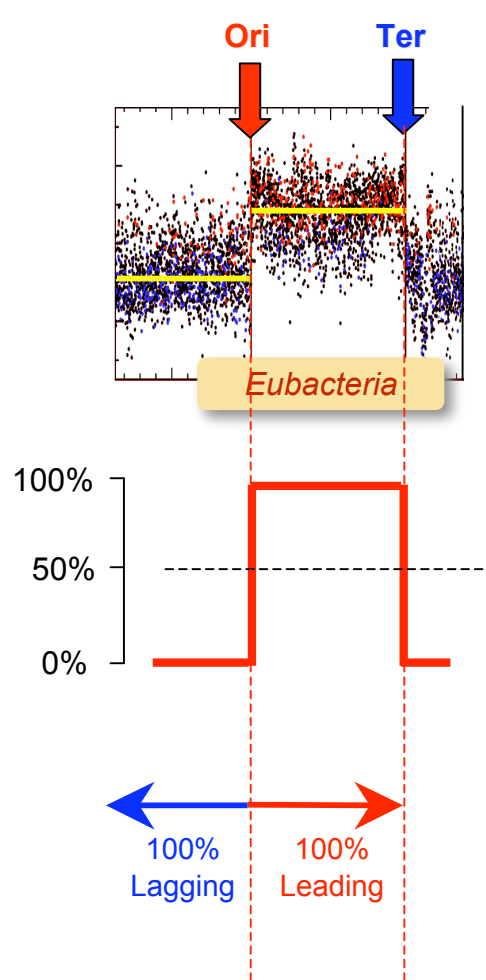
The skew is not at equilibrium. Time to reach the observed skew : 300 – 400 million years

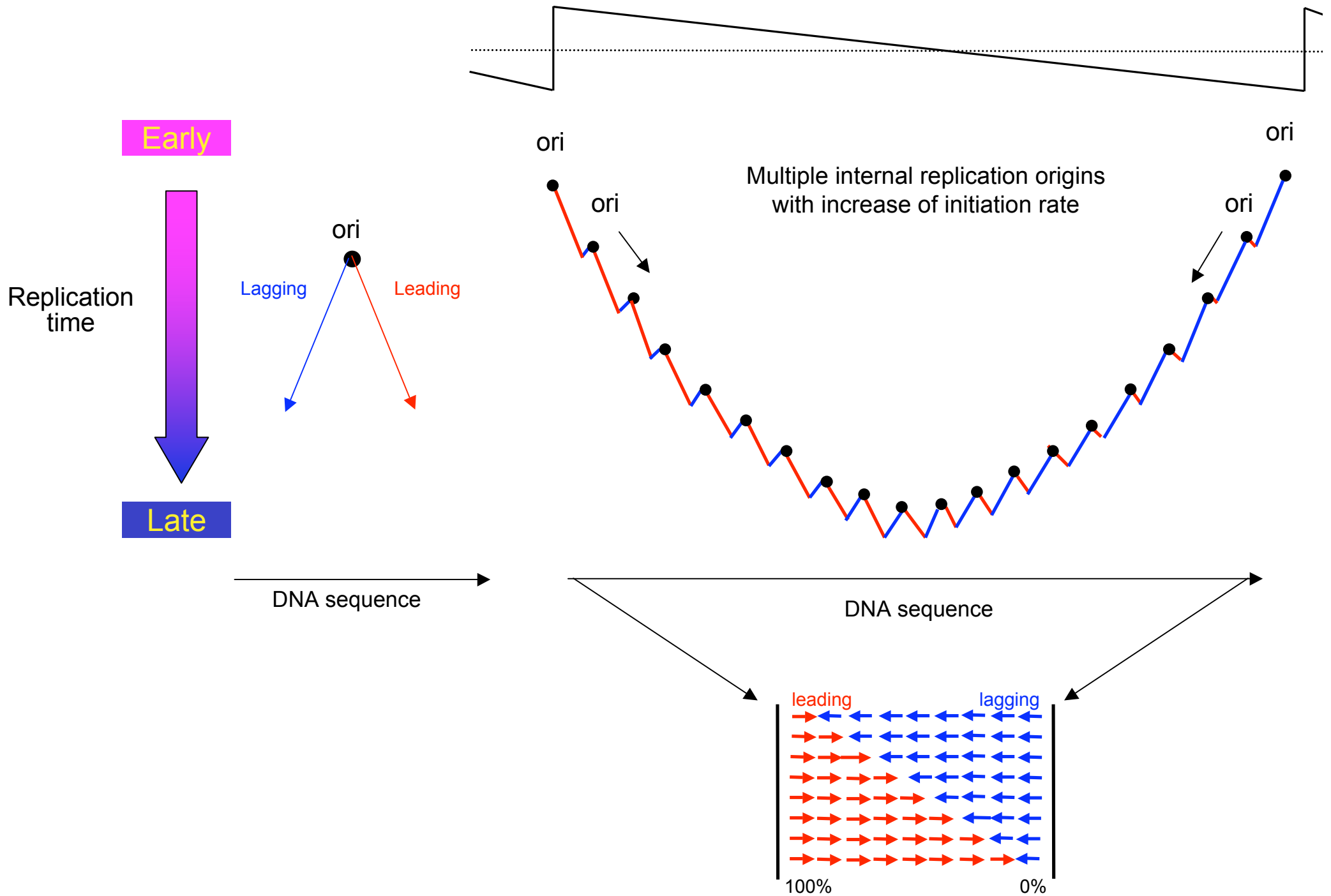
What model of replication can explain the N-pattern ?

# MODEL: N-shape results from gradient of replication fork polarity

## Replication fork polarity

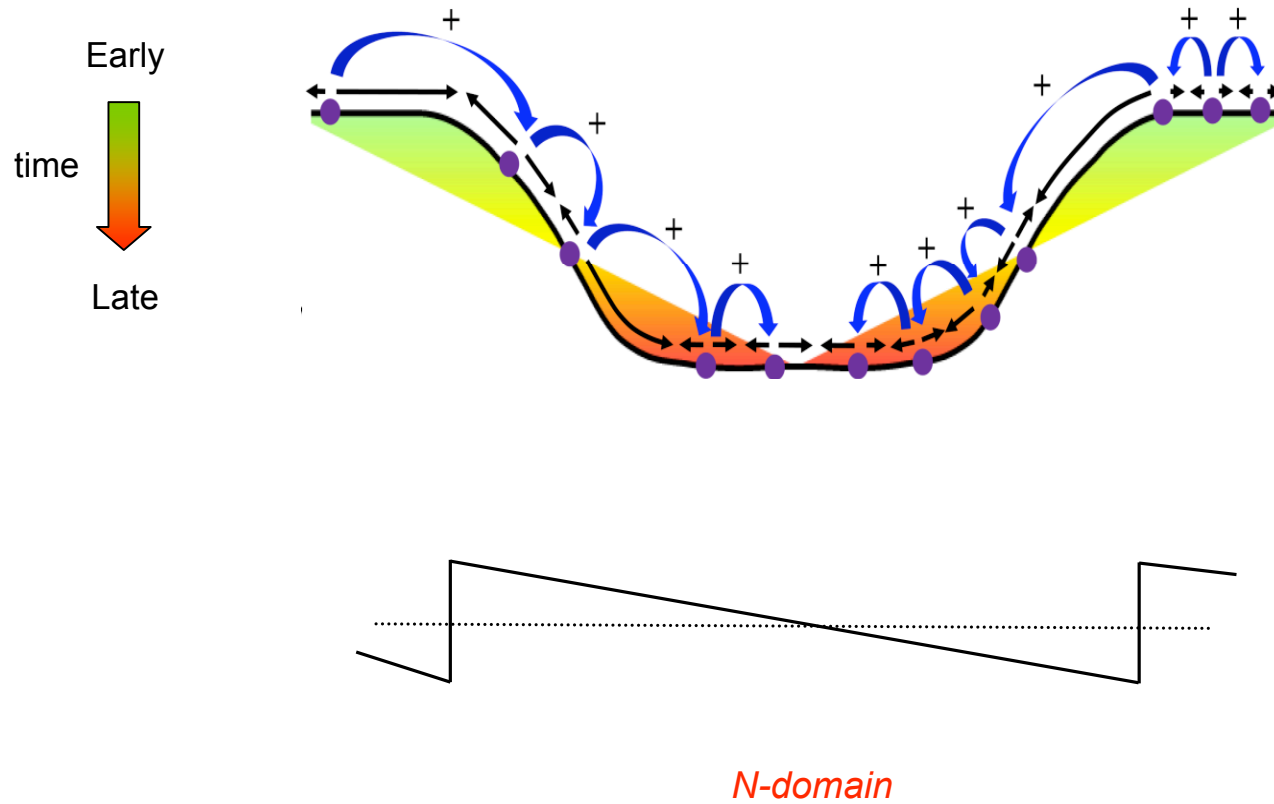
$\frac{\text{Leading}}{\text{Leading} + \text{lagging}}$





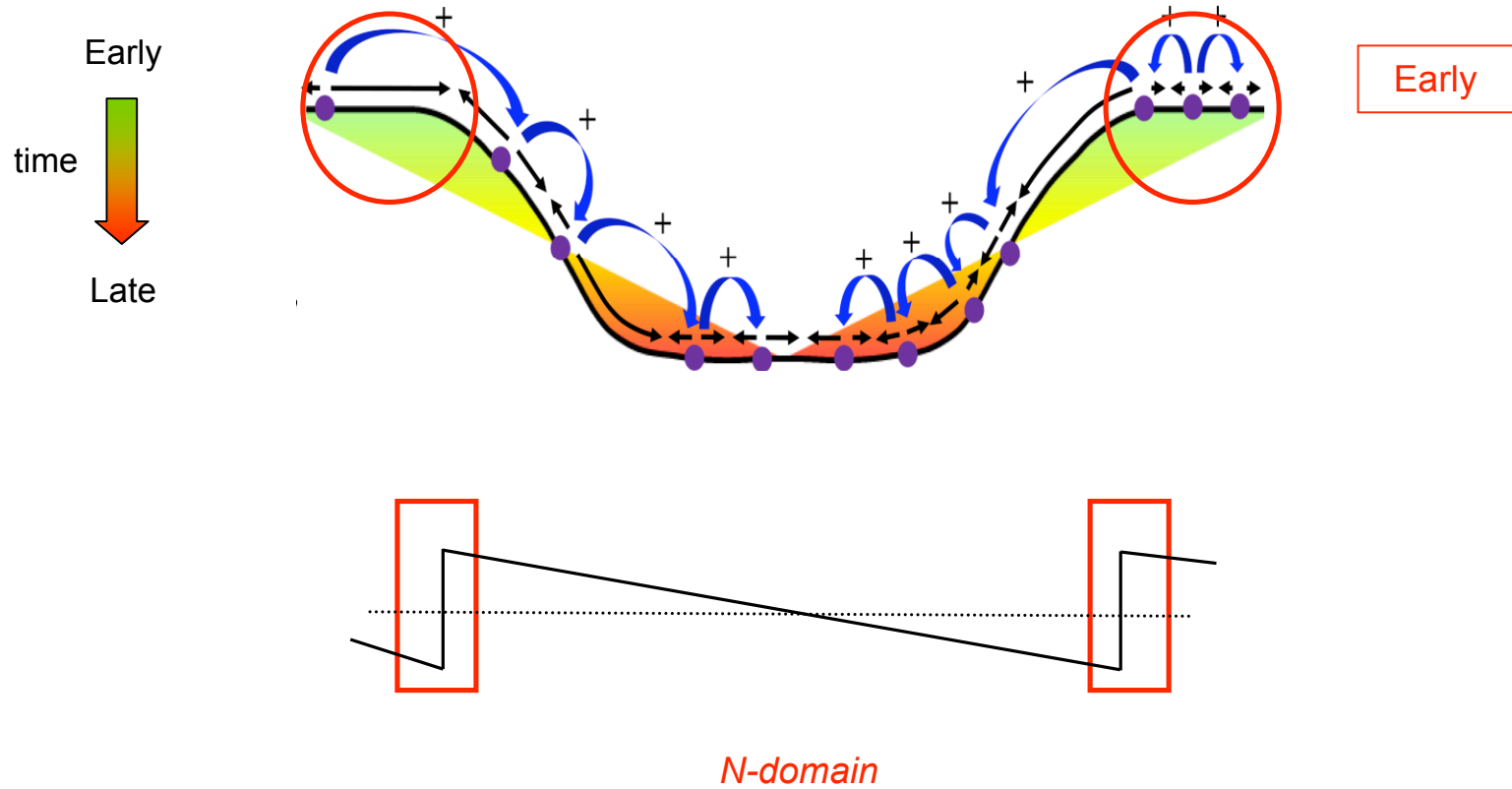
# Domino replication model

(based on our timing and DNA combing data)



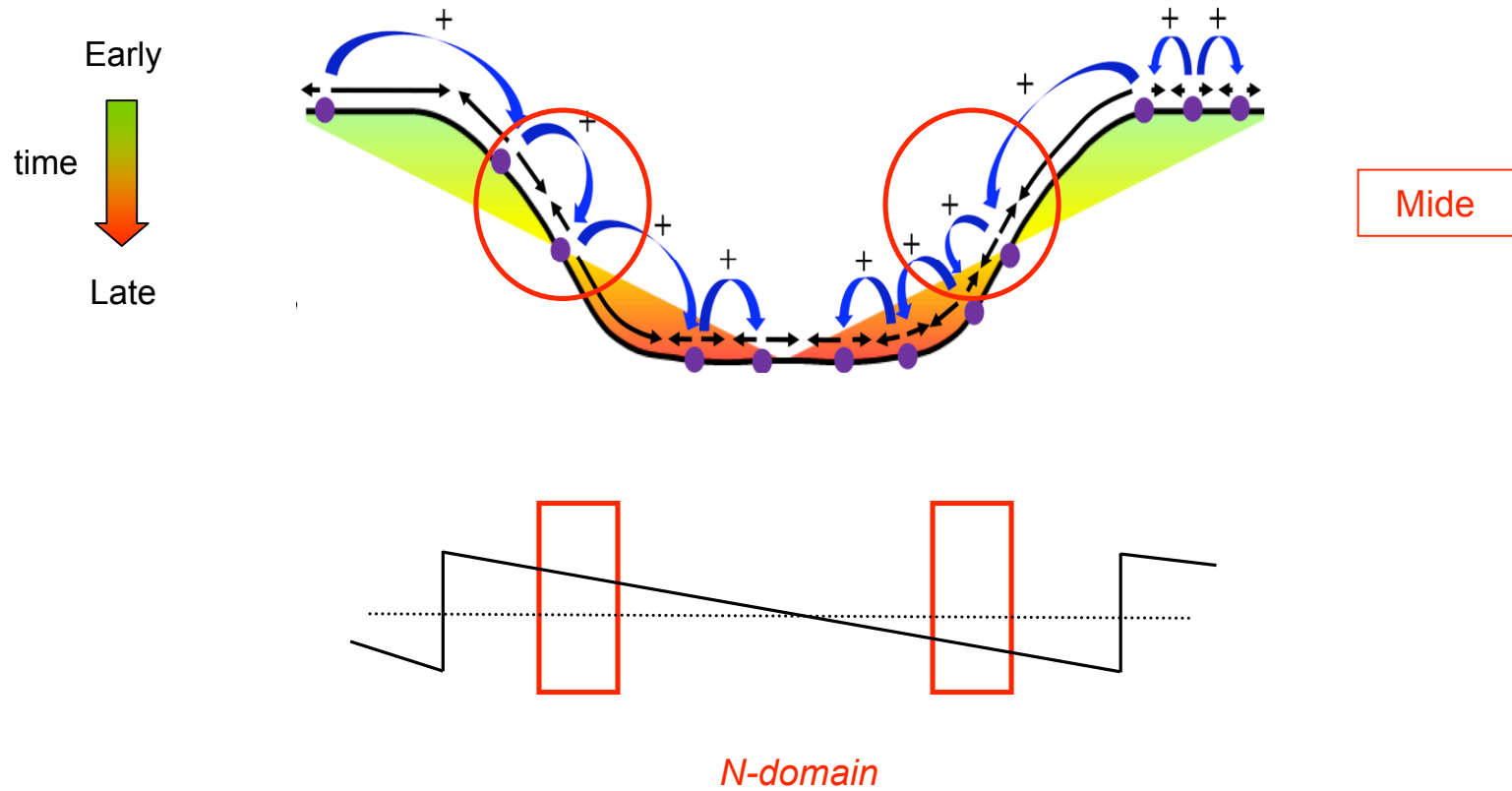
# Domino replication model

(based on our timing and DNA combing data)



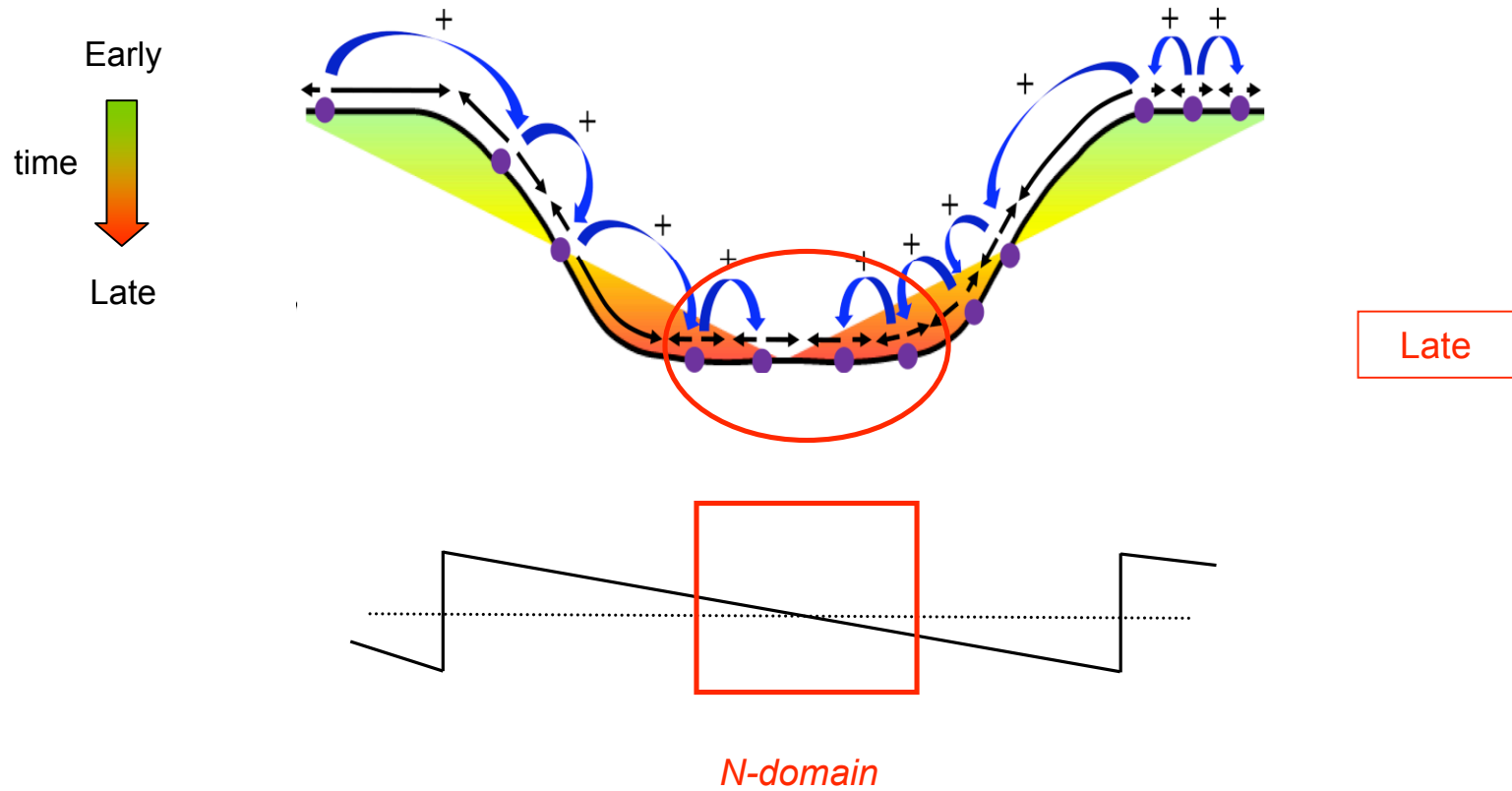
# Domino replication model

(based on our timing and DNA combing data)



# Domino replication model

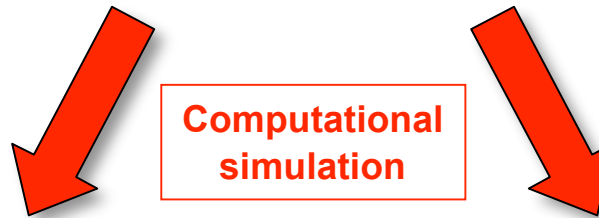
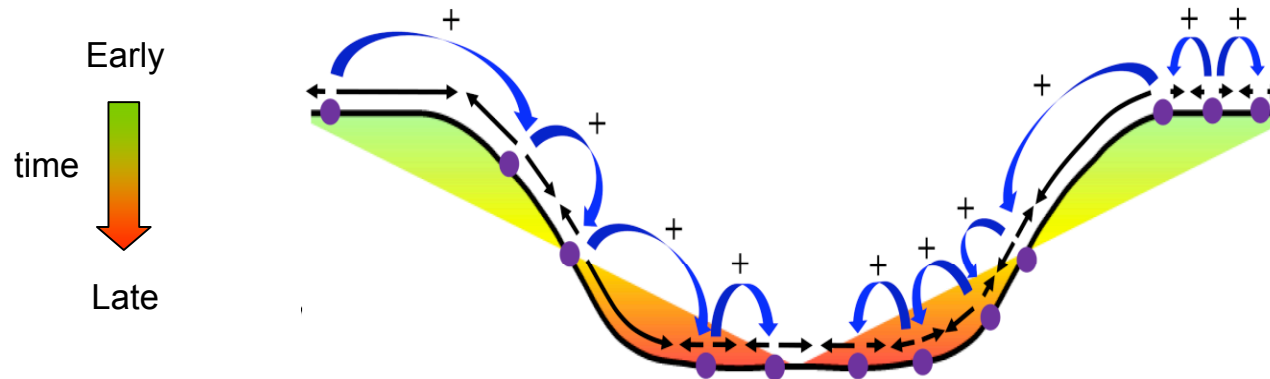
(based on our timing and DNA combing data)





# Domino replication model

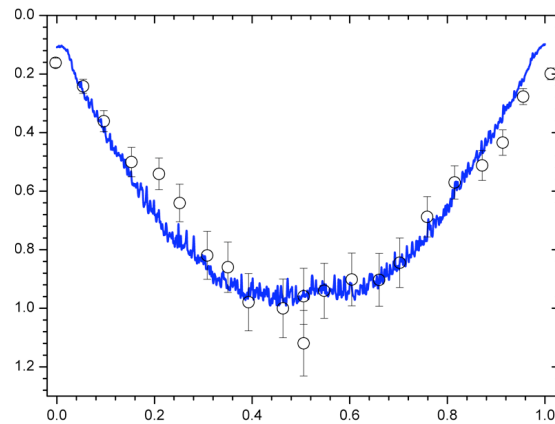
(based on our timing and DNA combing data)



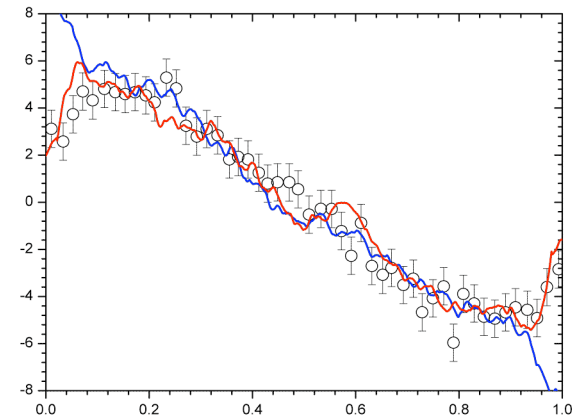
**Computational simulation**

A. Goldar, O. Hyrien

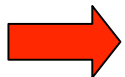
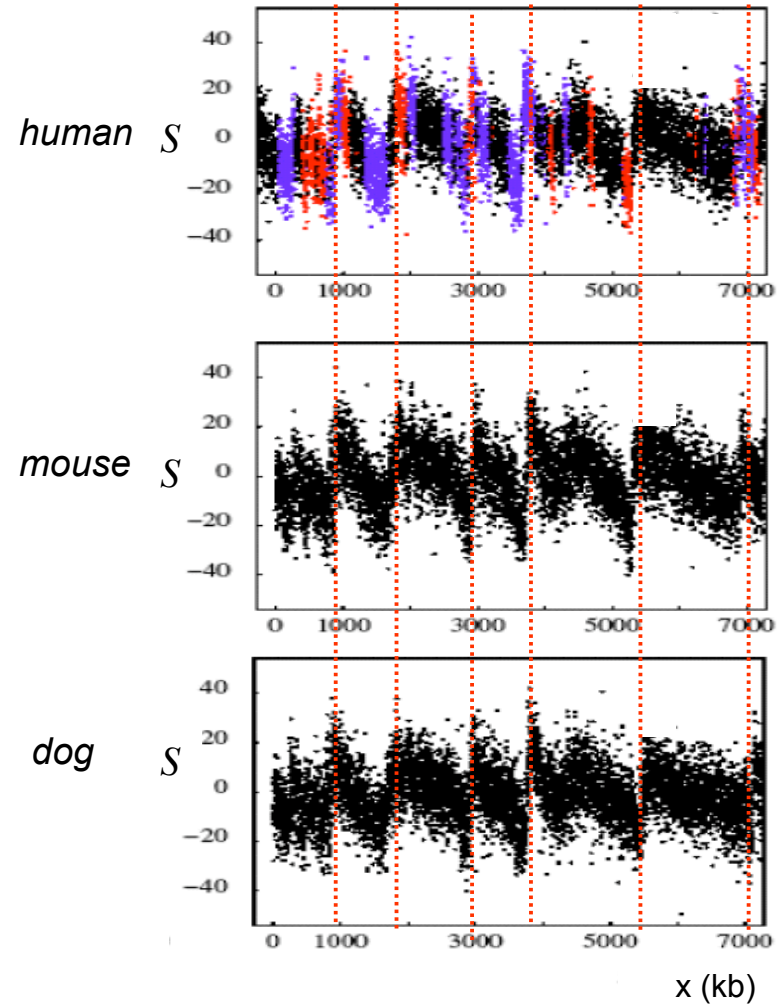
U-shaped replication timing



N-shaped compositional skew

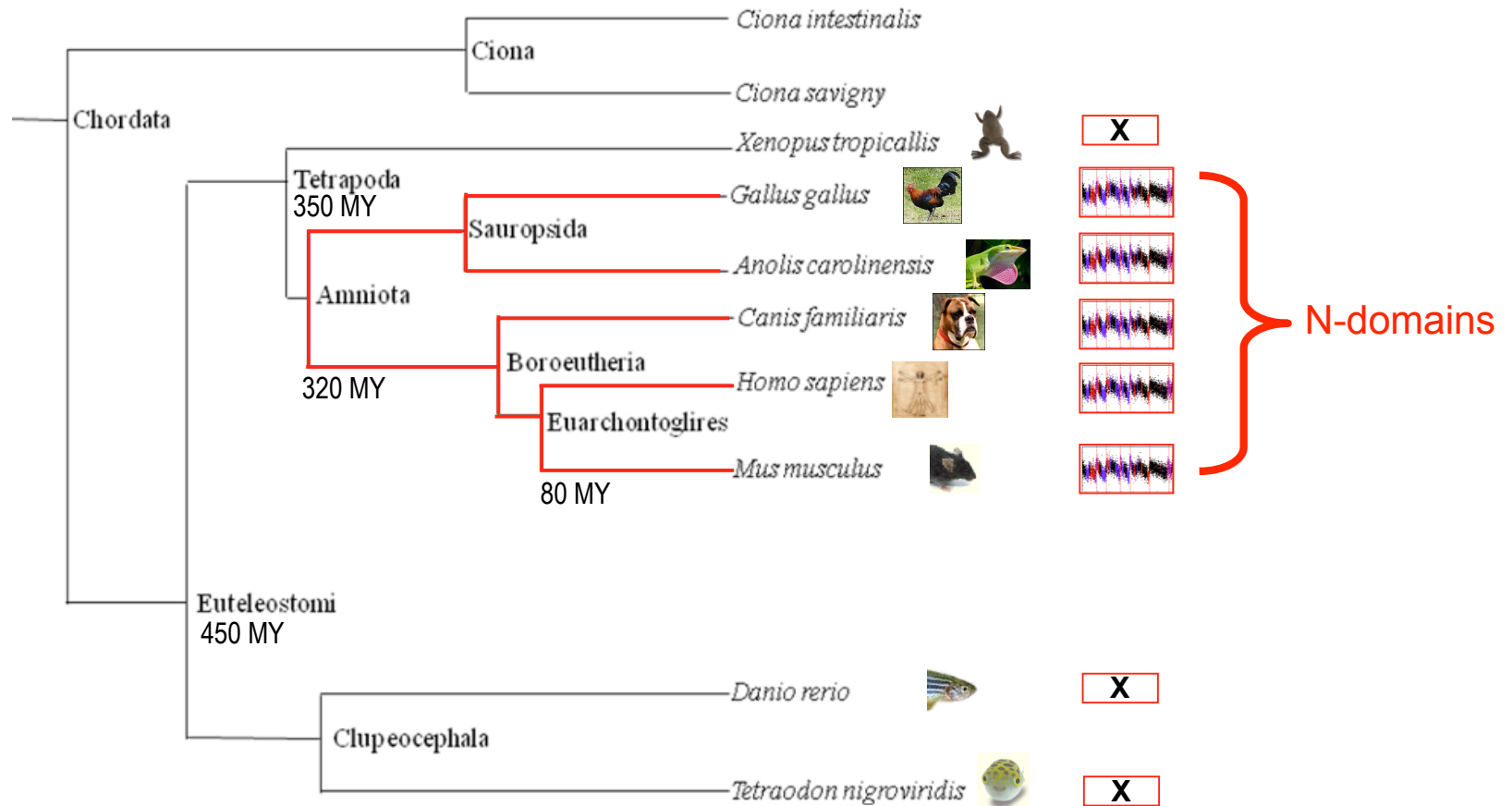


## Skew N-domains in mammalian genomes



The N-domains are conserved during mammalian evolution.

# N-domains are 320 million years old



# Conclusions of Part II

- N-shape of skew profile is generated by **gradient of replication fork polarity**
- Skew N-domains correspond to **U-shaped timing domains of germline cells**
- We construct a **domino-model** of replication : replication initiates at master origins and propagates by cascade of secondary initiations associated with **a gradient of open chromatin structure**
- This replication program has been **conserved during mammalian evolution**

# Acknowledgments and collaborations

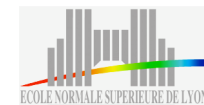
Chun-Long Chen  
Maud Silvain  
Yves d'Aubenton-Carafa  
Claude Thermes  
(CGM, Gif sur Yvette)

Arach Goldar  
(CEA, iBiTec-S, Gif-sur-Yvette)

Guillaume Guilbaud  
Aurélien Rappailles  
Olivier Hyrien  
(ENS-Paris)

Benoit Moindrot  
Fabien Mongelard  
(ENS-Lyon)

Benjamin Audit  
Antoine Baker  
Alain Arneodo  
(ENS-Lyon)



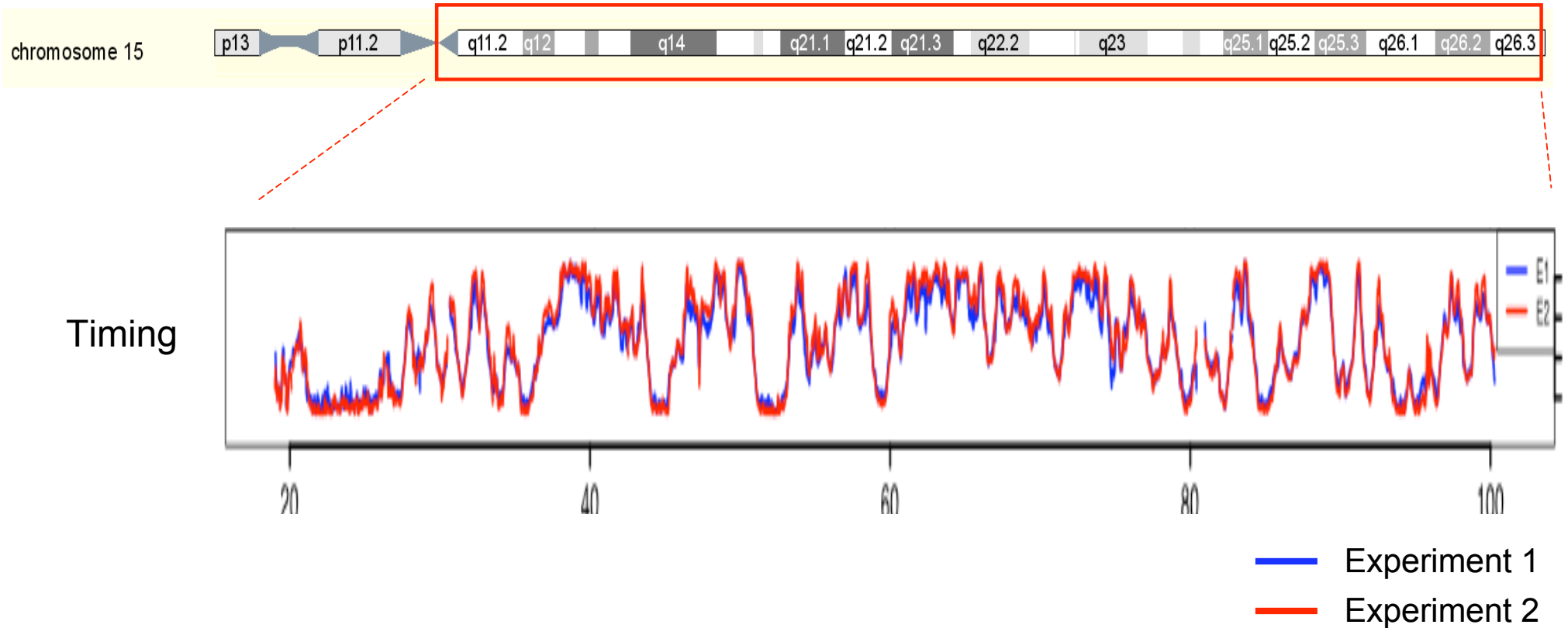
Merci!

謝謝





# Correlation between two experiments

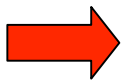
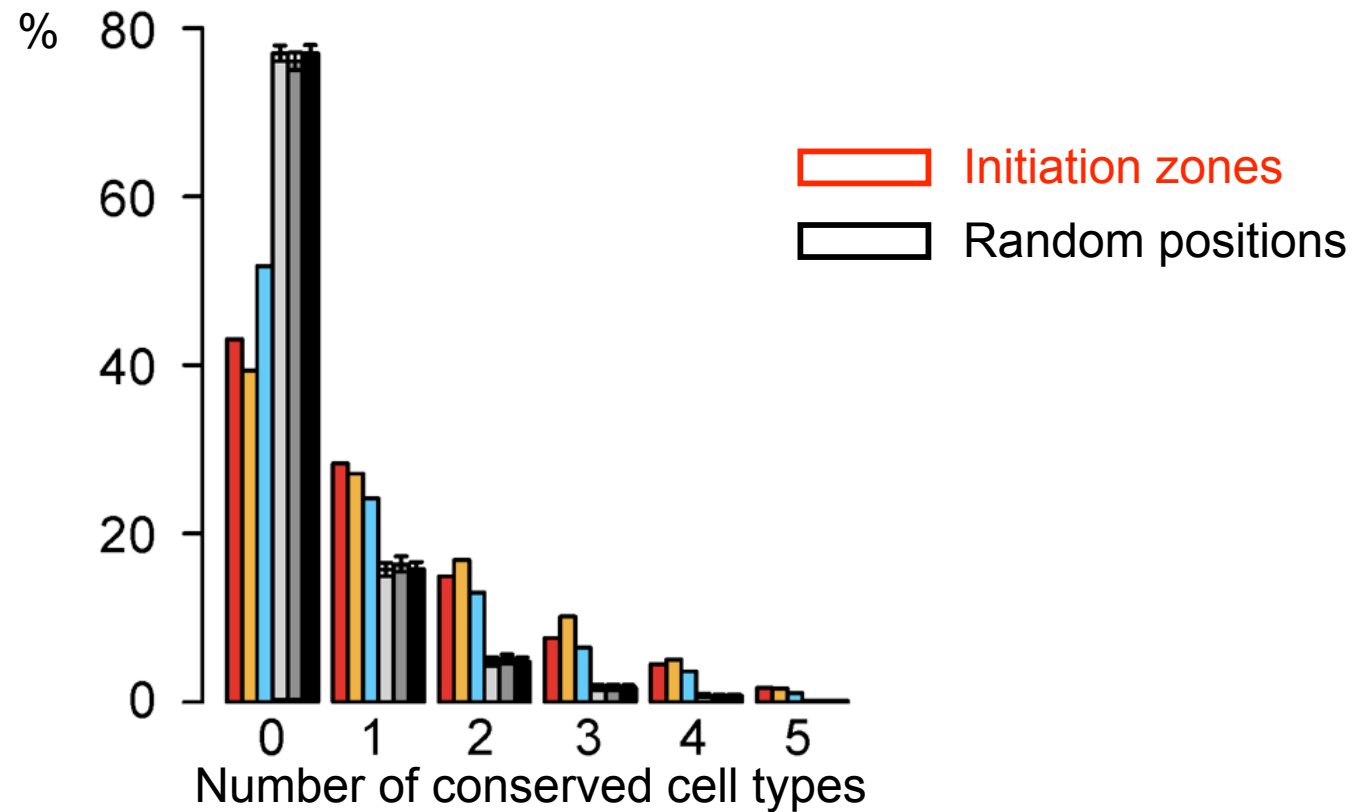


**Replication timing values are highly correlated between two biological duplicates**

**$R=0.97, P<10^{-15}$**



## Statistical evaluation : comparison with null distribution of simulation



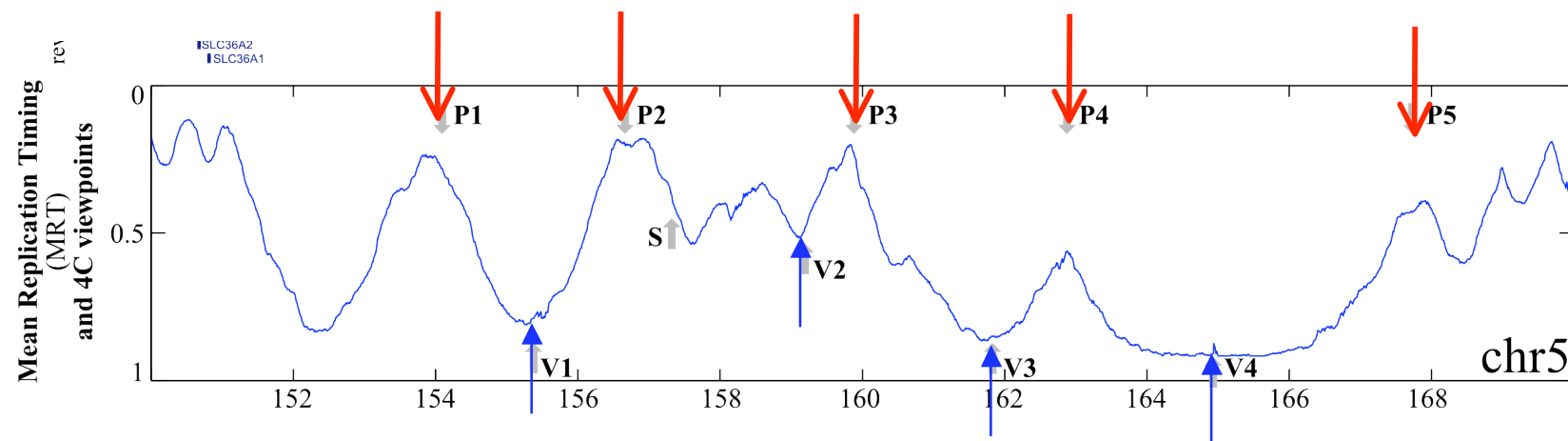
**Replication initiation zones of one cell type are significantly associated with replication initiation zones of other cell types**

## 3D structure of U-domains

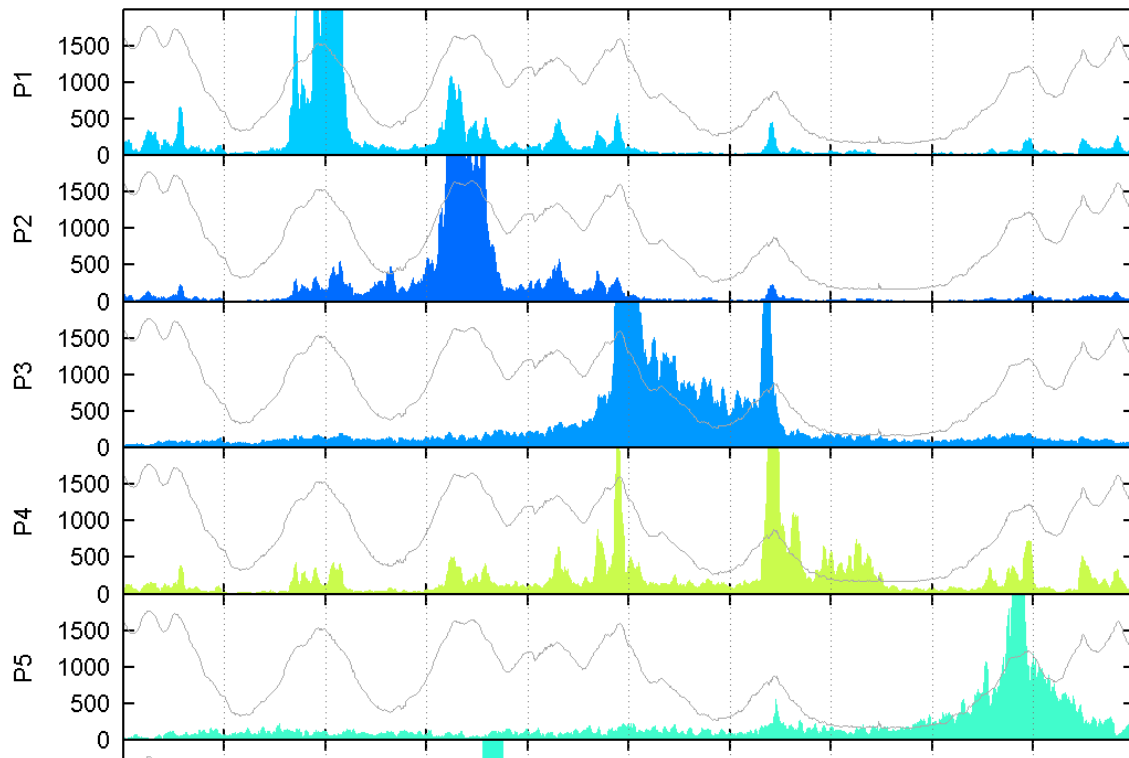
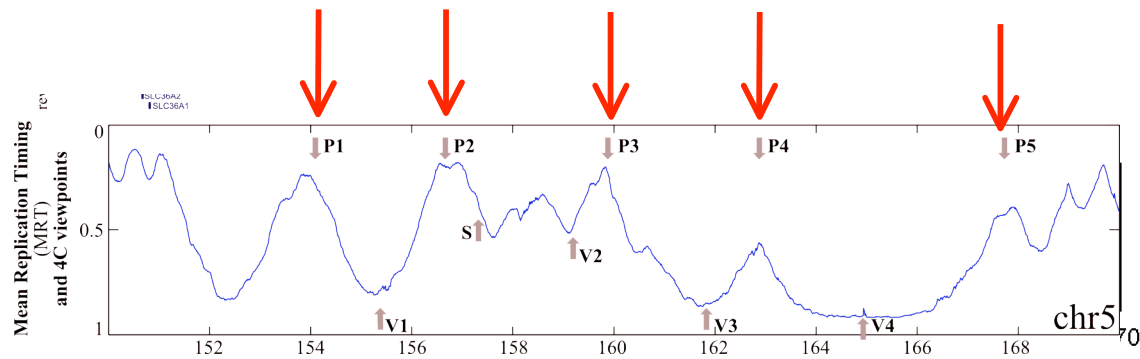
### 4C experiments (Circularized Chromosome Conformation Capture)

Contacts between DNA fragments

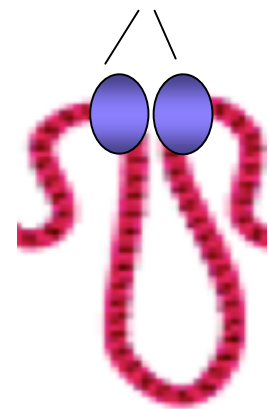
- at N-domain extremities (P1-P5 ) and other genome regions
- at N-domain centers (V1-V4) and other genome regions



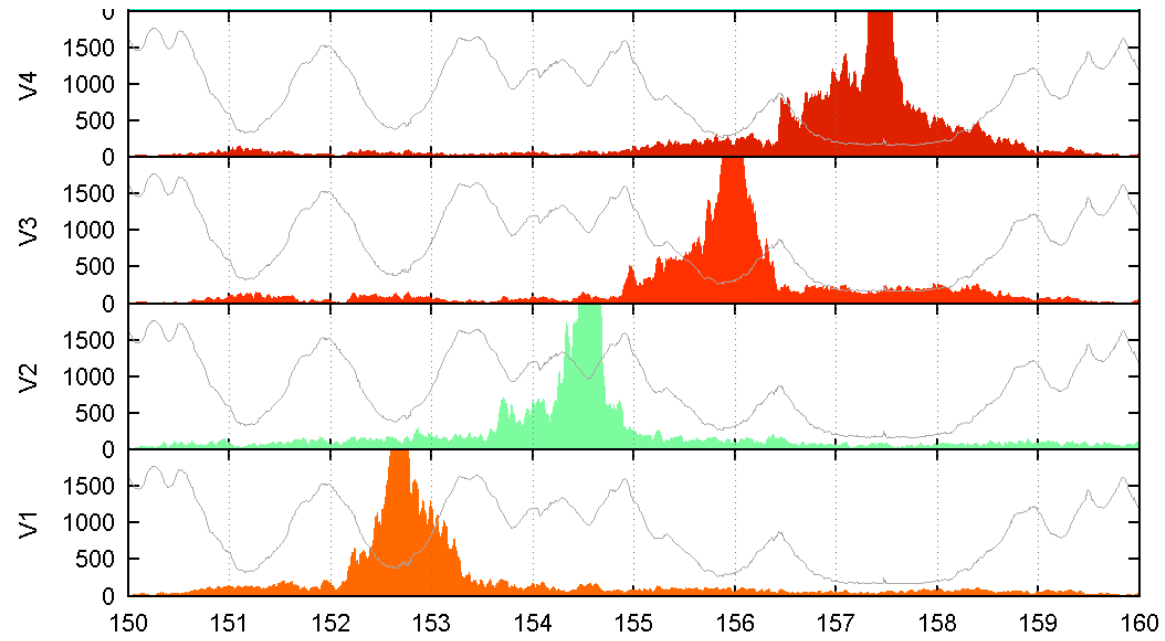
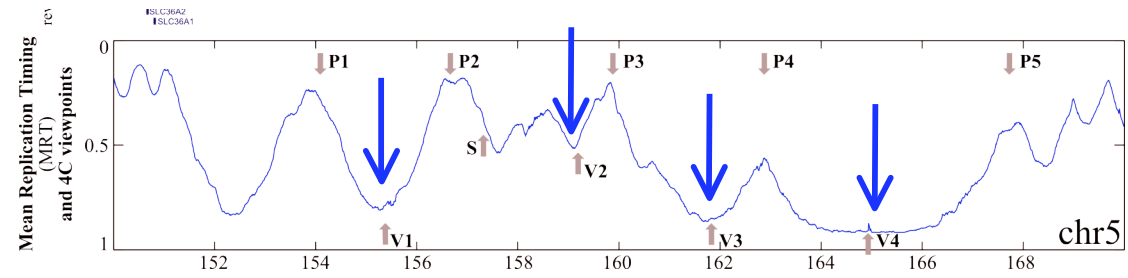
Resting Lymphocytes

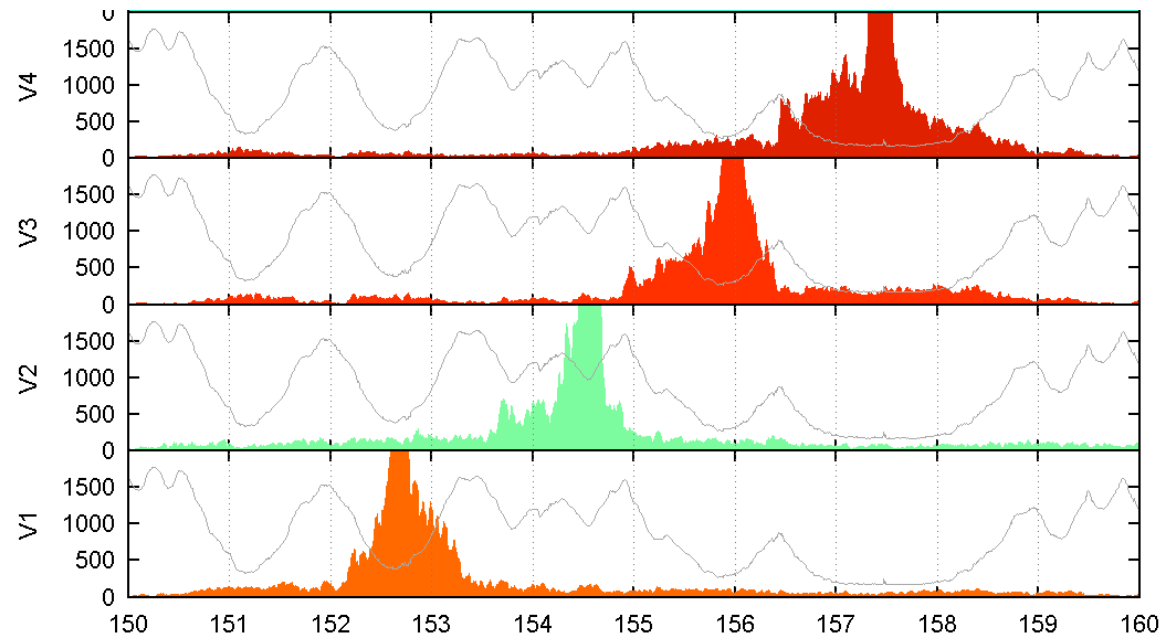
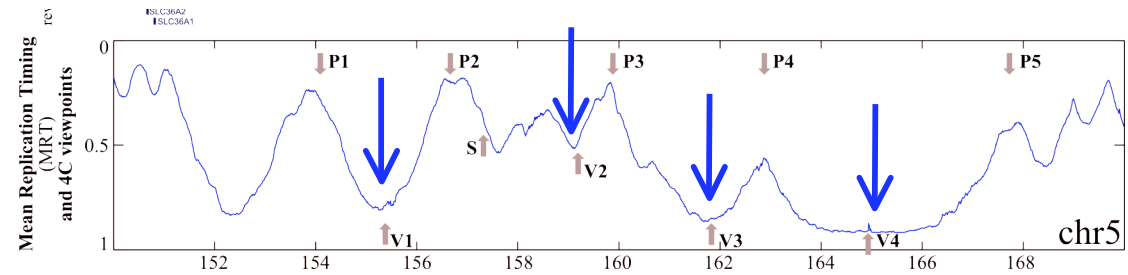


Timing-domain borders

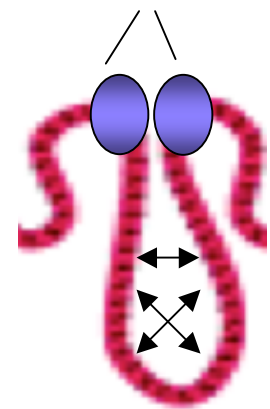


The two domains extremities contact each other

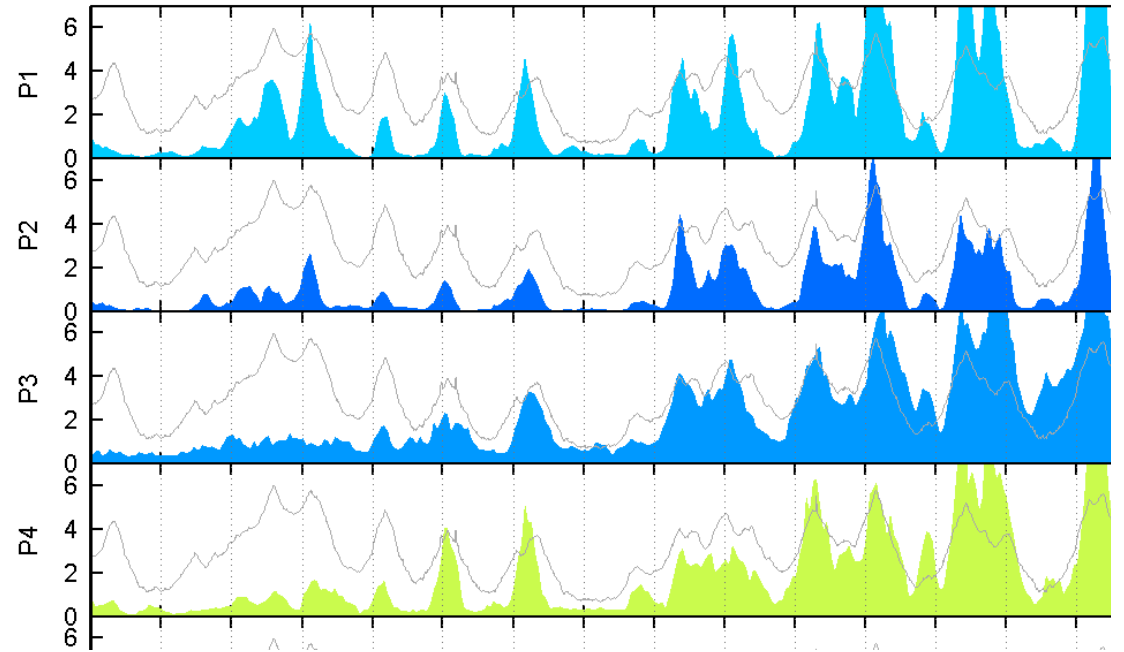
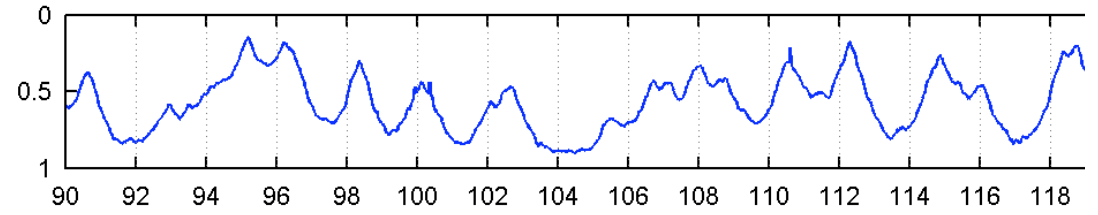
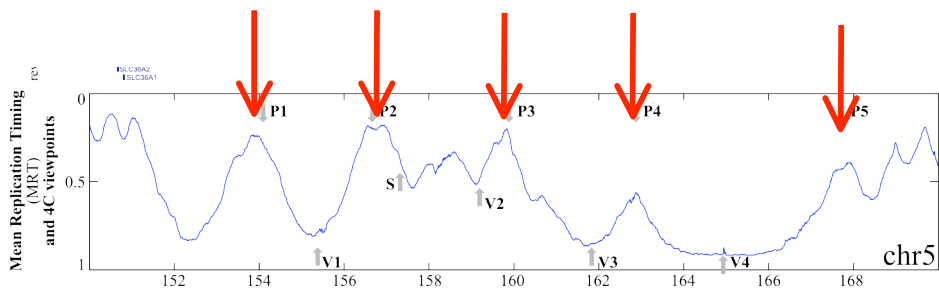




Timing domain borders



U-domains are self-interacting units

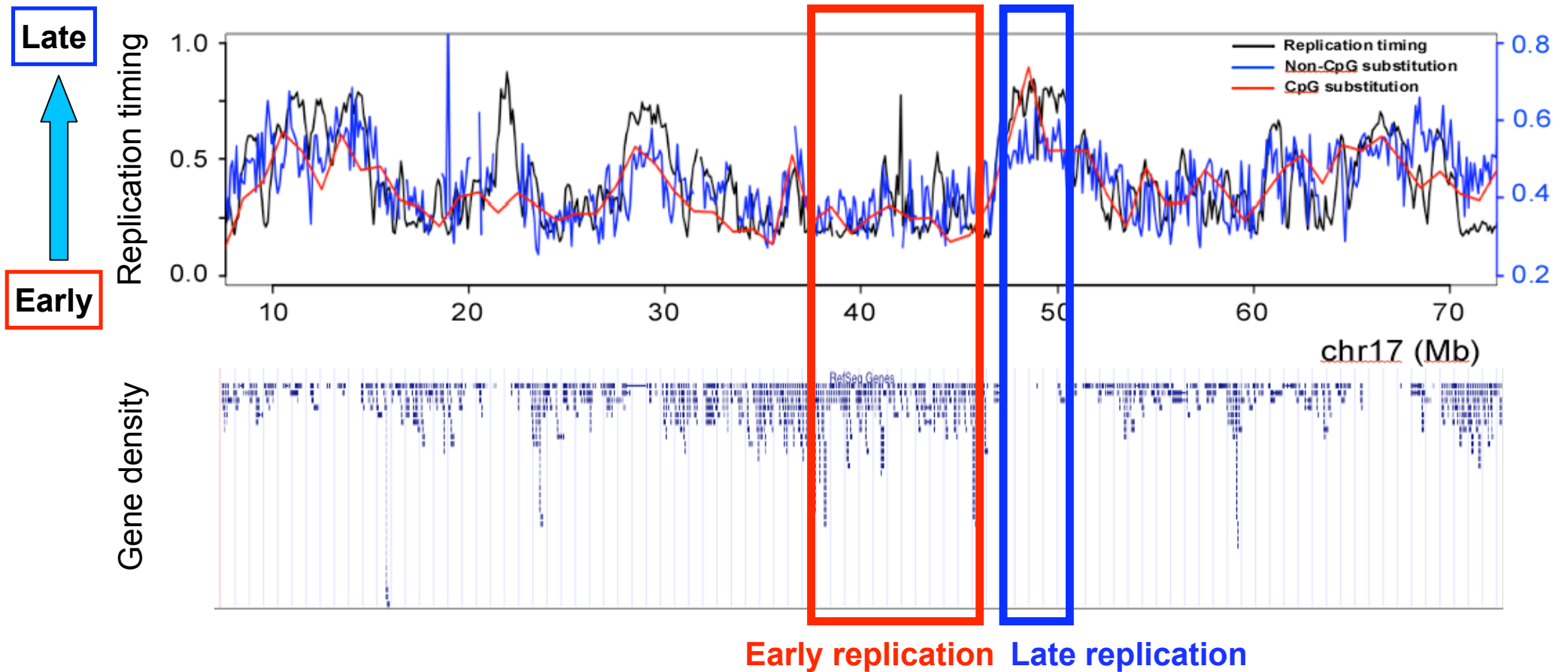


Distant U-domain extremities contact each other at large genomic distance  
and across chromosomes

↓

higher order chromatin organization

# Impact of replication on evolution and organization of the human genome



Watanabe et al. *Hum. Mol. Genet.* 2002

Woodfine et al. *Hum. Mol. Genet.* 2004

Woodfine et al. *Cell Cycle.* 2005

Huvet et al. ***Genome Res.*** 2007

Stamatoyannopoulos et al. *Nat. Genet.* 2009

Chen CL. et al. ***Genome Res.*** 2010

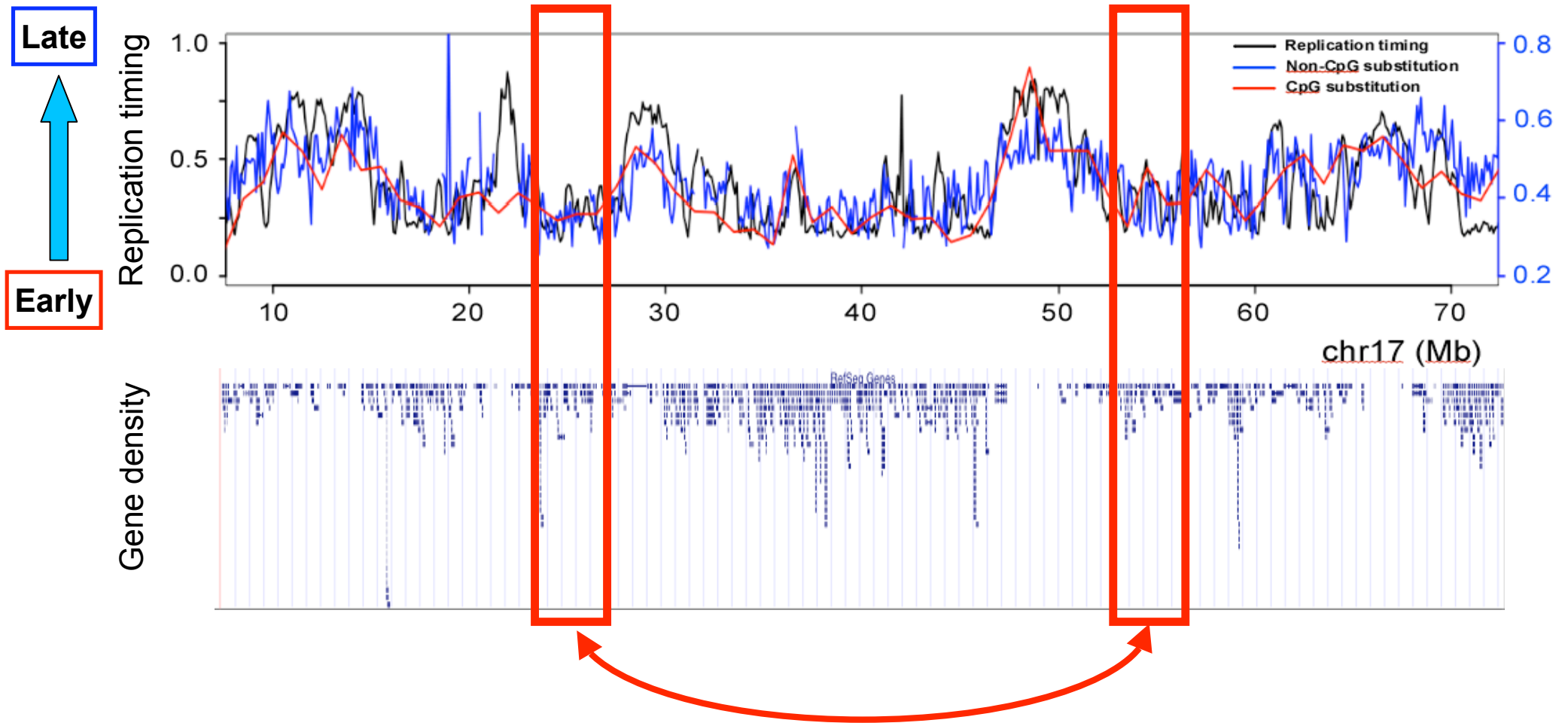
Chen CL et al. *Mol. Biol. Evol.* 2011

.....

- High GC content
- High gene density
- Housekeeping gene
- Low methylation
- Low substitution rate

- Low GC content
- Low gene density
- Tissue-specific gene
- High methylation
- High substitution rate

# Impact of replication on evolution and organization of the human genome



Lemaitre et al. *BMC Genomics*. 2009

Yaffe et al. *PLoS Genet*. 2010

Ryba et al. *Genome Res*. 2010

.....