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8 **Dispersal barriers and opportunities drive multiple levels of phylogeographic concordance in the Southern**
9 **Alps of New Zealand**

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21 **Abstract**

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22 Phylogeographic concordance, or the sharing of phylogeographic patterns among co-distributed species,
23 suggests similar responses to topography or climatic history. While the orientation and timing of breaks
24 between lineages are routinely compared, spatial dynamics within regions occupied by individual lineages
25 provide a second opportunity for comparing responses to past events. In environments with complex
26 topography and glacial history, such as New Zealand's South Island, geographically nested comparisons can
27 identify the processes leading to phylogeographic concordance between and within regional genomic clusters.
28 Here, we used single nucleotide polymorphisms (obtained via ddRADseq) for two co-distributed forest beetle
29 species, *Agyrtodes labralis* (Leiodidae) and *Brachynopus scutellaris* (Staphylinidae), to evaluate the role of
30 climate change and topography in shaping phylogeographic concordance at two, nested spatial scales: do
31 species diverge over the same geographic barriers, with similar divergence times? And within regions delimited
32 by these breaks, do species share similar spatial dynamics of directional expansion or isolation-by-distance? We
33 found greater congruence of phylogeographic breaks between regions divided by the strongest dispersal
34 barriers (i.e., the Southern Alps). However, these shared breaks were not indicative of shared spatial dynamics
35 within the regions they delimit, and the most similar spatial dynamics between species occurred within regions
36 with the strongest gradients in historical climatic stability. Our results indicate that lack of concordance as
37 traditionally detected by lineage turnover does not rule out the possibility of shared histories, and variation in
38 the presence and type of concordance may provide insights into the different processes shaping
39 phylogeographic patterns across geologically dynamic regions.

40 **Introduction**

41 A primary interest in the study of comparative phylogeography is the extent to which co-distributed species
42 have responded similarly to past events and to characteristics of the landscape (Avice et al., 1987; Bermingham
43 & Moritz, 1998; Papadopoulou & Knowles, 2016; Rissler, 2016). Complex landscapes have been shown to
44 generate complex spatial and demographic histories (Binks, Gibson, Ottewell, Macdonald, & Byrne, 2019;
45 Carnaval et al., 2014; Massatti & Knowles, 2016; Paz et al., 2018), driving varying levels of phylogeographic
46 concordance between co-distributed species. In such landscapes, similarity between species may be apparent
47 at different spatial scales, from phylogeographic breaks and divergence times shared between lineages (Ellis et
48 al., 2015; Moritz et al., 2009; Oswald, Overcast, Mauck, Andersen, & Smith, 2017; Rissler & Smith, 2010) to
49 spatial or temporal dynamics of individual geographic lineages (Prates et al., 2016; Thomaz & Knowles, 2020).
50 While patterns of turnover between lineages have been described for many systems, the spatial dynamics
51 within the regions delimited by these breaks are typically less scrutinized. However, these regional dynamics

52 are no less critical in understanding species responses to environmental change and the role of landscape
53 features in driving diversification because they clarify the processes by which individual regions accumulate
54 diversity (Carnaval et al., 2014) and provide the historical backdrop for regional community assembly
55 (Bermingham & Moritz, 1998; Marske, Rahbek, & Nogués-Bravo, 2013).

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57 Beyond the impacts of features expected to drive lineage turnover —dispersal barriers or multiple
58 refugia— it is difficult to generalize predictions for spatial or demographic phylogeographic concordance
59 among co-distributed species which are ecologically similar but do not appear to share tight biotic interactions
60 (Burbrink et al., 2016; Carstens & Richards, 2007). Even suites of co-evolved species (e.g., pollination
61 syndromes and other mutualisms; parasites or parasitoids and their hosts) show a range of comparative
62 phylogeographic patterns, from “evolutionary communities” which move through time and space together
63 (Satler & Carstens, 2019; Smith et al., 2011), to intermediate histories where only some members of a
64 pollination syndrome share spatial and demographic histories (Espíndola, Carstens, & Alvarez, 2014), to
65 distinctly different spatial patterns or ecological constraints among hosts and parasites/parasitoids during
66 postglacial expansion (Bunnefeld, Hearn, Stone, & Lohse, 2018; Tsai & Manos, 2010). For non-co-evolved
67 species, where expectations for concordance are shaped solely by shared responses to the environment, the
68 generality of phylogeographic patterns is likely extremely contingent upon the landscape in which they occur
69 (Rissler, 2016) or ecological similarities among species (Papadopoulou & Knowles, 2016).

70 So, should concordance be the null expectation for co-distributed species? It depends. Species subject
71 to similar environmental conditions in the same space may (Moritz et al., 2009; Salces-Castellano et al., 2019)
72 or may not (Ellis et al., 2015; Marske, Leschen, & Buckley, 2012) share lineage boundaries, depending on the
73 structure of the landscape. For example, where mountains and other features reflect hard barriers to dispersal,
74 species are more likely to share phylogeographic breaks (Pyron & Burbrink, 2010), but different lineages are
75 affected by these common barriers in different ways and at different rates (Smith et al., 2014; Thomaz &
76 Knowles, 2020). Finally, phylogeographic concordance at one level (e.g., phylogeographic breaks) does not
77 indicate concordance at others (e.g., spatial or demographic patterns within the regions delimited by those
78 breaks) (Garrick, Rowell, Simmons, Hillis, & Sunnucks, 2008), and glacial refugia that are shared among species
79 may preserve the signal of previous idiosyncratic divergence histories, rather than recent climatic cycles (Wallis
80 & Trewick, 2009). Comparative phylogeographic patterns between and within lineages therefore yield different

81 information on how organisms respond to dynamic environments, and concordance likely varies across species'
82 distributions under different sets of conditions.

83 Due to its dynamic geological history of Pliocene mountain building followed by Quaternary glaciation
84 (reviewed by Wallis, Waters, Upton, & Craw, 2016), New Zealand's South Island is a model system for
85 investigating the impacts of dispersal barriers and variation in environmental stability on phylogeographic
86 concordance at different scales. At the regional level, South Island is divided longitudinally by the Southern Alps
87 forming a dispersal labyrinth of high mountains intercalated by small remnants of Pleistocene glaciers, narrow
88 alpine zones separating mountain beech forests (e.g., Arthurs Pass), and low mountain passes that connect
89 eastern and western forests (e.g., Haast Pass) (Figure 1). These features have served as important drivers of
90 diversification (Craw, Upton, Burrige, Wallis, & Waters, 2016; Dennis, Dunning, Sinclair, & Buckley, 2015;
91 Fernández & Giribet, 2014). Likewise, a diversity of phylogeographic patterns and high degree of mitochondrial
92 genetic structure among South Island arthropods indicates that many persisted through the Last Glacial Period
93 in multiple refugia (Boyer, Baker, & Giribet, 2007; Marshall, Hill, Fontaine, Buckley, & Simon, 2009; Marshall et
94 al., 2012; McCulloch, Wallis, & Waters, 2010; O'Neill, Buckley, Jewell, & Ritchie, 2009; Pons et al., 2011). For
95 many species, these refugia preserved existing phylogeographic structure, with lineage divergence predating
96 the Last Glacial Maximum (Buckley, Krosch, & Leschen, 2015; Wallis & Trewick, 2009). Thus, the geographic
97 contrasts afforded by South Island's dynamic landscapes—regions with glacial refugia and hard barriers to
98 dispersal (northern South Island), juxtaposed against regions with no known forest refugia, for which
99 surrounding barriers are more permeable and therefore species-specific in impact (southern South Island)—
100 have driven a diversity of phylogeographic patterns, allowing a systematic test of the features likely to result in
101 phylogeographic concordance between and within geographic regions.

102 We investigate the depth of concordance between two New Zealand forest beetles with similar life
103 histories, but no direct interaction: *Agyrtodes labralis* (Broun, 1921) (Leiodidae) and *Brachynopus scutellaris*
104 (Redtenbacher, 1868) (Staphylinidae: Scaphidiinae). Both species complete their life cycles on saproxylic fungi
105 and are widely co-distributed across South Island, although *B. scutellaris* are apparently absent from the
106 Westland *Nothofagus* gap, an area of the west coast from which Southern Beech forests are absent (Leschen,
107 Buckley, Harman, & Shulmeister, 2008). A previous study (Marske et al., 2012) based on mitochondrial DNA
108 demonstrated the importance of the Southern Alps and intervening mountain passes in structuring lineages for
109 each species, with a lack of concordance in the orientations of lineages and breaks—despite persistence in
110 many of the same glacial refugia (Figure 1)—indicating different responses to dispersal opportunities. Marske

111 et al. (2012) also identified species-specific geographic origins for each species followed by a general pattern of
112 recent dispersal into Southland, suggesting that concordance varies geographically based on differences in the
113 processes shaping genetic diversity among regions (e.g., environmental stability and population persistence;
114 environmental change and range expansion or shift).

115 Here, we explicitly test the factors that promote phylogeographic concordance across species'
116 distributions. Specifically, we use single nucleotide polymorphisms (SNPs) to ask whether *A. labralis* and *B.*
117 *scutellaris* show similar phylogeographic patterns at two, nested spatial scales: *Across South Island*, do shared
118 phylogeographic breaks correspond to hard geographic barriers, such as large mountain ranges? Do they share
119 divergence times? *Within regions* delimited by these breaks, do species share similar spatial dynamics (e.g.,
120 directional expansion or isolation-by-distance)? Is concordance conditioned upon climate history? These
121 questions allow us to juxtapose roles of dispersal limitation and opportunity in shaping spatial patterns of
122 genomic divergence and identify the extent to which phylogeographic concordance indicates the influence of
123 similar processes in shaping that structure. We predict that detection of concordance in lineage turnover will
124 vary based on the strength of barriers to dispersal and will be strongest in central South Island along the
125 Southern Alps, while concordance in regional spatial dynamics will be more closely associated with similar
126 histories of recent dispersal than long-term environmental stability and will be strongest in the south. As such,
127 our study implicates processes acting at different temporal scales and spatial extents in driving
128 phylogeographic concordance at multiple levels.

129 **Methods**

130 *Genomic Library Preparation*

131 Genomic DNA for *A. labralis* and *B. scutellaris* were selected among samples available from previous
132 studies (Leschen et al., 2008; Marske, Leschen, Barker, & Buckley, 2009; Marske et al., 2012). All samples were
133 retrieved from the New Zealand Arthropod Collection (Landcare Research, Auckland, New Zealand) after a
134 minimum of 6 years stored in DNA elution buffer at -80°C. From the 189 and 340 samples available,
135 respectively, 100 individuals with ~100 ng DNA template available, following the recommendations of
136 Peterson, Weber, Kay, Fisher, & Hoekstra, 2012, were selected from across each species' South Island
137 distribution (although a few samples fell below 100 ng DNA; see Supplementary Methods). Samples were
138 selected to ensure the inclusion of representatives from multiple mitochondrial lineages, particularly where
139 lineages overlapped. For *B. scutellaris*, we also included four individuals from North Island to assess

140 independence of the evolutionary histories of South and North Islands for this more broadly distributed species
141 (see Supplementary Methods for details about sample selection).

142 Briefly, DNA was digested with the restriction enzymes EcoRI and MseI. Unique barcodes were ligated
143 to the digestion fragments, which were then pooled. DNA fragments between 350-450 bp were selected from
144 the pooled samples using Pippin Prep (Sage Science, Beverly, MA), and the size-selected samples were then
145 amplified via 8-10 PCR cycles to incorporate Illumina adapter sequences. All steps were followed by cleaning
146 using AMPure beads (1.6x ratio; except after Pippin Prep) and a high sensitivity Qubit quantification assay. Each
147 library (one per species with 100 individuals each) was sequenced in one lane of an Illumina HiSeq2500 to
148 generate single-end 150-bp reads at the Centre for Applied Genomics (Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto,
149 Canada).

150 *Processing of Illumina Data*

151 Sequences were de-multiplexed and single nucleotide polymorphisms (SNPs) were identified for each
152 species separately using the STACKS 1.4.1 pipeline, which calls loci from short-read sequences using a
153 maximum likelihood framework (Catchen, Hohenlohe, Bassham, Amores, & Cresko, 2013). During the de-
154 multiplexing stage (`process_radtags`), only reads with a Phred score ≥ 33 , one or fewer mismatch in the adaptor
155 sequence, a barcode distance of two, and individuals with $>200,000$ reads were retained (Thomaz, Malabarba,
156 & Knowles, 2017). Putative loci were determined from the resulting reads for individual beetles (100 *A. labralis*,
157 98 *B. scutellaris*) in USTACKS using a minimum coverage depth of 5. A catalog of consensus loci was generated
158 using CSTACKS, with up to two mismatches allowed between individuals. SSTACKS then matched individuals
159 against this catalog to identify the alleles present at homologous loci. SNP data for loci present in at least two
160 localities were exported via POPULATIONS (each locality was considered a population). We then used a custom R
161 script (https://github.com/ichthya/ThomazKnowles2020_scripts) to remove SNPs from the final 10 positions of
162 each locus and to identify SNPs at segregating sites with a sharp increase in substitutions and exceptionally
163 variable loci (θ within the 95th percentile), both of which indicate a probable increase in incorrect calls. We
164 removed these by creating a whitelist input in a second run of POPULATIONS. All STACKS steps were run with
165 eight parallel threads in the University of Michigan Flux.

166 Because the analyses described below tolerate different thresholds for missing data, we used PLINK
167 1.07 (Purcell et al., 2007) to extract different subsets of individuals and loci from the second POPULATIONS
168 output. For all data subsets, we first checked for individuals with a high frequency of missed calls, and two *A.*

169 *labralis* with approximately four times the missing data of the next highest individual were removed from all
170 subsequent analyses. We next removed loci with the percentage of missing data above a selected threshold
171 (up to 25% unless specified below) for each species; this analysis was carried separately on the regional groups
172 identified below, and for *B. scutellaris* excluding the North Island individuals, to maximize the number of loci
173 shared across individuals for each analysis.

174 *Geographic regions*

175 To identify geographically constrained genomic clusters, we inferred patterns of genetic structure using
176 STRUCTURE 2.3.4 (Pritchard, Stephens, & Donnelly, 2000) without conditioning to any population assignment.
177 Data for each species were analyzed with values of K ranging from 1 until the K -value at which we observed a
178 stabilization of mean likelihood values, and the maximum K -value estimated was 5 and 6 for *B. scutellaris* and
179 *A. labralis*, respectively. For each combination of parameters (i.e., dataset and K -value), ten independent runs
180 were performed with 300,000 Markov Monte Carlo iterations and 100,000 as burn-in. For both species, the K -
181 value that best fit the data was selected using ΔK (Evanno, Regnaut, & Goudet, 2005) implemented in
182 STRUCTURE HARVESTER (Earl & vonHoldt, 2012). Putative ancestral proportion assigned to each individual was
183 graphically presented using CLUMPAK (Kopelman, Mayzel, Jakobsson, Rosenberg, & Mayrose, 2015).

184 For *B. scutellaris*, given the strong genomic structure inferred, we also performed hierarchical
185 STRUCTURE analyses within each major genomic cluster. We used only the individuals in each inferred cluster,
186 for which we re-estimated the 25% missing data for the focal individuals only to take advantage of loci unique
187 to each cluster. We also excluded one extraordinarily divergent individual from a northern population at Mt.
188 Arthur (Flora Saddle) which had a strong impact on the number of minor STRUCTURE clusters identified from the
189 hierarchical STRUCTURE analyses and the downstream analyses which used these clusters (see below). K -values
190 evaluated in these hierarchical analyses ranged from 1 to 5.

191 *Procrustes test for geographic and genetic association*

192 We tested the strength of the relationship between geography and population genetic divergence
193 using a Procrustes analysis, a multivariate method in which two data matrices are rotated to minimize the
194 Euclidean sum-of-squares differences between them (Wang, Zöllner, Rosenberg, Weinblatt, & Shadick, 2012).
195 Unlike tests of IBD based on Mantel or ddRDA, Procrustes retains the spatial structure of the data, allowing
196 visualization of how deviations from IBD are distributed across the landscape (e.g., in relation to geographic
197 barriers; see Knowles, Massatti, He, Olson, & Lanier, 2016). During Procrustean superimposition the

198 significance of the relationship between the two matrices is tested via permutation (Peres-Neto & Jackson,
199 2001; Wang et al., 2012), and this method has been shown to outperform the Mantel test under a variety of
200 conditions (Peres-Neto & Jackson, 2001). Here, the first two Principal Components axes of genetic variation are
201 rotated to match the geographic orientation of sample localities as closely as possible, and the spatial offset
202 between individuals in PC and geographic space represents the extent of deviation from the expected pattern
203 of genetic variation based on geography alone (Knowles et al., 2016; Papadopoulou & Knowles, 2015; Wang et
204 al., 2010, 2012).

205 Principal components and Procrustes analyses were performed in R using the *ade4*, *ade4* and
206 *vegan* packages (Dray & Dufour, 2007; Jombart, 2008; Oksanen et al., 2018). Prior to PCA, missing data
207 (maximum of 25%) were replaced by the mean frequency of the corresponding allele (Jombart, 2008).
208 Procrustes transformation of the data was performed in *vegan*, with the first two PC axes of genetic variation
209 and the latitude and longitude of collection localities for all individuals as direct inputs. Significance of the
210 relationship between geography and genetic divergence was assessed using the PROTEST function, which
211 tested the non-randomness between the two configurations via 10,000 permutations (Oksanen et al., 2018).
212 We also performed separate Procrustes analyses for the different genomic clusters identified via STRUCTURE
213 analyses and the initial Procrustes runs for each species.

214 *Directionality test for population expansion*

215 To compare population dynamics among geographic regions, and based on previous studies which
216 suggested population expansion from multiple refugia, we tested for evidence of range expansion using a
217 directionality index, Ψ , which infers the strength and directionality of genetic clines in the allele frequency
218 spectrum (Peter & Slatkin, 2013, 2015). The directionality index allows the detection of recent geographic
219 expansion and estimation of the location of origin (Bemmels, Knowles, & Dick, 2019; Manuel et al., 2016;
220 Pierce et al., 2014). We used the *X-Origin* pipeline in R (He, Prado, & Knowles, 2017) to identify the origin and
221 direction of population expansion within each genomically-defined region, as delimited by the STRUCTURE and
222 Procrustes analyses. Given that inferences of expansion and origin are sensitive to both a small number of
223 populations (leading to artificially high R^2), and to small population sizes, all localities for *A. labralis* and *B.*
224 *scutellaris* were grouped into 24 and 22 geographically defined 'populations', respectively, based on
225 topographic breaks or sampling gaps independent of the genetic data itself (omitting, in a few instances, single-
226 individual localities that were geographically remote from the next nearest locality; Supplementary Figure 3).
227 We used South Island as the background for inferring expansion, except for the northern cluster for *B.*

228 *scutellaris*, for which lower North Island was included, with geographic distances among populations estimated
229 using the Haversine formula.

230 *Temporal concordance of population divergence*

231 To identify whether shared phylogeographic breaks correspond to common temporal origins and to
232 test for the permeability of these breaks for each species, we estimated divergence times across different
233 mountain barriers for two divergence models—with and without migration—using the composite-likelihood
234 method FASTSIMCOAL2 (Excoffier, Dupanloup, Huerta-Sánchez, Sousa, & Foll, 2013; Excoffier & Foll, 2011) based
235 on the folded joint Site Frequency Spectrum (SFS) with pairwise comparisons. First, we tested for simultaneous
236 divergence of *A. labralis* and *B. scutellaris* across the Southern Alps, with localities in the south counted as part
237 of the western group based on STRUCTURE and Procrustes results (Figures 2c and 3d). Localities from northern
238 South Island were excluded due to the preponderance of missing data for *B. scutellaris*. Second, we estimated
239 the relative timing and order of divergence among geographic regions denoted by the STRUCTURE results for
240 each species (Figures 2d and 3e). We used a custom Python script (He & Knowles, 2016) to estimate the joint
241 Site Frequency Spectrum (SFS) for each species based on 15 individuals (10 for the northern group of *B.*
242 *scutellaris*) from each region, a single SNP per loci and no missing data.

243 Divergence times were estimated based on two evolutionary models of divergence: strict divergence
244 and divergence with migration. In the latter, two migration parameters were applied (one in each direction).
245 Note that the focus here is on the relative similarity between species at each phylogeographic break and the
246 order of divergences across different breaks, not the absolute timing. As such, while differences in generation
247 times could affect absolute time estimates, an undetected pattern of temporal concordance would require
248 systematic, and in some cases substantial difference in generation times between these ecologically similar
249 species (see Results). To reduce the parameter space and improve accuracy of estimates based on the SFS (see
250 Excoffier & Foll, 2011), we fixed one population size (N_1) based on the nucleotide diversity from the empirical
251 data (i.e., fixed and variable sites π obtained from rerunning POPULATIONS from STACKS for the relevant
252 clusters). These estimates were based on a mutation rate (μ) of 1.05×10^{-8} and 1.47×10^{-8} for *B. scutellaris* and *A.*
253 *labralis*, respectively, which we calculated using the regression formula for cellular organisms (Lynch, 2010) and
254 genome sizes reported for *Biocrypta prospiciens* (Staphylinidae) and *Ptomaphagus hirtus* (Leiodidae) (Hanrahan
255 & Johnston, 2011). The remaining parameters (N_2 , N_{ANC} and T_{DIV} , plus MIG_{21} and MIG_{12} for the migration model)
256 were estimated in FASTSIMCOAL2.

257 A total of 40 FASTSIMCOAL runs were performed for each pairwise comparison per species per model,
258 with 100,000-250,000 simulations per likelihood estimation based on the stopping criteria of 0.001 and 10-40
259 ECM (expectation-conditional maximization). Model comparisons of divergence scenarios were performed on
260 the likelihoods of the best point estimate using Akaike Information Criteria (AIC; Akaike, 1974). The power of
261 each estimated parameter was accessed based on parametric bootstrapping for 100 simulated SFS produced
262 with similar conditions to the empirical SFS (e.g., number of individuals, loci and parameters estimated from
263 the maximum composite-likelihood) for each pairwise comparison in each species. All simulated SFS were
264 analyzed in FASTSIMCOAL using the same settings described for the empirical SFSs, and based on their results we
265 calculated confidence intervals for all parameters in each model. Divergence estimates are given in number of
266 generations. Given their similarity in body size and microhabitat, and the limited natural history information
267 available for most non-pest beetles, we assumed the same generation time for both species.

268 **Results**

269 Illumina sequencing generated >100,000,000 reads for each species, with an average of >1,000,000
270 retained reads per individual (see Supplementary Table 1 and Supplementary Figures 1-2 for detailed
271 sequencing results). After data processing in STACKS, removal of individuals with a relatively high number of
272 missing reads and applying a threshold of 25% missing data, we retained 4422 loci with a single biallelic SNP
273 loci from 98 *A. labralis* and 1327 from 98 *B. scutellaris*. To maximize the number of SNPs for each analysis, we
274 generated separate datasets in Plink for each geographical subset of the data for both species (Supplementary
275 Table 2).

276 *Biogeographic regions and geographic structure*

277 We detected a strong relationship between geography and genomic divergence, as well as shared
278 points of turnover between geographically distinct genomic clusters for both species. For *A. labralis*, STRUCTURE
279 analyses and Evanno's ΔK method indicated $K=4$ as the most probable number of genomic clusters, while $K=2$
280 was the most strongly supported K for *B. scutellaris* (Table 1, Figures 2-3). For both species, admixture was
281 most prevalent at regions of turnover between clusters. The Procrustes analyses indicated a significant, strong
282 association between geography and population genetic divergence for both species, although that relationship
283 was stronger for *A. labralis* ($t = 0.7597$) than for *B. scutellaris* ($t = 0.5393$) (Table 2), consistent with the pattern
284 of more geographically constrained clusters identified by ΔK .

285 For *A. labralis*, STRUCTURE identified distinct clusters in northern, eastern, southern and western South
286 Island, with admixture occurring in places where these clusters meet, including across mountain barriers
287 (Figure 2). Of the four discrete regions, the eastern, southern and western clusters were also evident in the
288 Procrustes results (Figure 4a). Notably, populations from northern South Island in STRUCTURE formed distinct
289 eastern and western sets of genetic clusters on Procrustes, suggesting strong within-region divergence. In
290 contrast, all populations from southern South Island grouped tightly together in PCA space, indicating that they
291 are less divergent than expected based on the distance separating localities. When separate Procrustes
292 analyses were performed for each STRUCTURE region, we recovered a similarly significant, strong association
293 between geography and divergence for each cluster (Table 2, Figure 4a). This hierarchical analysis also revealed
294 a remarkable level of genomic divergence in populations around Kaikoura, as reflected by their distinct
295 positions in PCA space, and this pattern was also detected for *B. scutellaris* (Figure 4b).

296 For *B. scutellaris*, turnover between the two STRUCTURE clusters occurs between Karamea and Nelson in
297 the north and in southern South Island (Figure 3), with the highest admixture in the region between Haast Pass
298 and Central Otago (Supplementary Figure 4). The Procrustes PCA detected three strong regional clusters: the
299 western group, which includes all the west coast plus the southernmost South Island; the eastern cluster,
300 which includes the east coast south of the Kaikoura Ranges plus the Otago highlands; and the northern cluster,
301 which includes Marlborough north of the Kaikouras, the Tasman Bay and Golden Bay regions of Nelson, and
302 the four North Island populations (Figure 3). This configuration also received the second-highest support in the
303 STRUCTURE analyses ($K=3$, Table 1). Within the northeastern ($K=2$) STRUCTURE cluster, an additional $K=2$ minor
304 clusters divided northern South Island and North Island from the east coast (Kaikoura and southward), in line
305 with the Procrustes results (Figure 3, Supplementary Figures 3-4). Within each of the Procrustes clusters, the
306 relationship between geography and population genetic divergence was highly significant (Table 2) and was
307 stronger than for all *B. scutellaris* populations combined ($t = 0.6035$, $t = 0.6975$ and $t = 0.5726$, respectively).
308 Turnover between the western, northern and eastern clusters was broadly congruent between *B. scutellaris*
309 and *A. labralis*.

310 Within the western *B. scutellaris* group detected by STRUCTURE and Procrustes, we noted that the
311 individual from Flora Saddle (Mount Arthur, Nelson) strongly dominated the axes of variation within the
312 genomic PCA (Figure 4b). While inclusion or exclusion of this individual had relatively little impact on the
313 Procrustes association (0.6035 vs 0.6249, both highly significant) or membership of the major ($K=2$) STRUCTURE
314 clusters, it strongly affected the number of minor clusters identified by STRUCTURE within the western group.

315 With Flora Saddle included, $K=3$ sub-clusters were supported, including a distinct northern cluster in the
316 northern region that includes Flora Saddle, one cluster south of the Westland *Nothofagus* gap, and one that is
317 mostly north of the gap but includes Southland and Stewart Island (Supplementary Figure 4). Excluding the
318 Flora Saddle individual, STRUCTURE analyses of the western cluster identified two geographically coherent minor
319 clusters north and south of the *Nothofagus* gap (Figure 3, Supplementary Figures 3 and 5), which we used in all
320 subsequent analyses.

321 *Spatial dynamics within regions*

322 Tests for geographic expansion within genomically-defined regions using allele frequency patterns (Ψ)
323 indicated different spatial dynamics between species, and among regions for both *A. labralis* and *B. scutellaris*.
324 For *A. labralis*, expansion was detected for the southern and western clusters, but not the north or the east,
325 although a signal of expansion was marginally non-significant for the north ($p=0.08$). For *B. scutellaris*, recent
326 expansion was detected for the northern, eastern and western clusters; however, when considered separately,
327 the western populations north of the *Nothofagus* gap had a signal of expansion while those to the south did
328 not (Table 3). Kaikoura and Nelson/Karamea (Tasman coast) were inferred as points of origin for the eastern
329 and western clusters, respectively, for both species, although this pattern was not accompanied by a signal of
330 recent expansion for *A. labralis* in both regions (Figures 2d and 3e, Supplementary Figures 6-7). For *B.*
331 *scutellaris*, we included the North Island individuals as a single population, and results indicate a North Island
332 origin for the northern cluster. For both species, the origin of the southernmost populations was inferred in the
333 Haast region: for *A. labralis*, the origin was at the coast, south of the Haast River mouth, while for *B. scutellaris*,
334 the origin was closer to Haast Pass, although there was no signal of expansion.

335 *Temporal divergence among regions*

336 The model of divergence with migration was more probable than the strict divergence model in all in
337 comparisons (Supplementary Table 3), indicating that dispersal barriers are permeable over time. Beyond this
338 commonality, we failed to detect concordant divergence times across the Southern Alps or across other
339 geographic barriers. Under the conservative assumption of similar numbers of generations per year (see
340 below), divergence across the Southern Alps occurred deeper in the past for *B. scutellaris* than *A. labralis* (5
341 times older for the full comparison; 2 times older when considering breaks between specific regions) (Figures
342 2c-d & 3d-e, Table 4; see Supplementary Table 4 for results using the strict divergence model). For *A. labralis*,
343 the deepest divergence among regions occurred between the south and east at $\sim 156,000$ generations, with

344 other divergences ranging from 37,000 to 133,000 generations ago. For *B. scutellaris*, the deepest divergence
345 among STRUCTURE regions separated the east and southwest (~252,000 generations), although the north-west
346 and northeast-northwest divergences were of a similar magnitude (Figure 3e). While there were no distinct
347 patterns in the order of divergence among regions between *A. labralis* and *B. scutellaris*, the oldest breaks for
348 both species appear to delineate east from west: for *A. labralis* the oldest breaks separated the eastern region
349 from its neighbors, while the oldest for *B. scutellaris* separated the two major STRUCTURE CLUSTERS (northeast
350 and southwest). The shallow divergence of ~9,000 generations between *B. scutellaris* populations spanning the
351 *Nothofagus* gap falls outside the 95% bootstrap confidence interval for divergence time, as do estimates for
352 N_{ANC} and N_2 . This indicates a lack of power to infer these parameters with confidence, potentially caused by a
353 model misspecification, which suggests an absence of actual divergence across this break (Table 4). Generally
354 low migration rates of less than one individual per generation were estimated for both species, with *B.*
355 *scutellaris* showing slightly lower rates than *A. labralis*.

356 The closest available generation time information for these taxa are from laboratory observations for
357 *Scaphisoma castaneum* (Staphylinidae: Scaphidiinae) for which complete developmental time averaged 22 days
358 (Hanley, 1996). Translating this into generation time under natural conditions is difficult because reproductive
359 and developmental rates are likely contingent on environmental conditions and seasonality. Therefore, we
360 avoid explicitly translating our divergence times into calendar years. However, we note that under a
361 conservative estimate of 6 generations per year, which assumes cessation of reproduction over the winter
362 months, the deeper divergences for *B. scutellaris* (Figure 3e) occur around 41,000 years ago while the oldest
363 for *A. labralis* (Figure 2d) are around 22,000-26,000 years ago. With greater numbers of generations (e.g., 12
364 generations per year) most divergences for *B. scutellaris* would still predate the Holocene period (beginning
365 ~12,000 years ago), whereas even with as few as 3 generations per year, divergences for both species would
366 predate or coincide with the Last Glacial Period. Note that the generations times would have be very dissimilar
367 between these ecologically similar taxa to produce a false pattern of temporal concordance (and there is no
368 evidence to suggest such differences between the species).

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370 Discussion

371 The dynamic geological histories of regions like New Zealand set the stage for diverse phylogeographic histories
372 among intraspecific populations of widely distributed species, leading to complex patterns of phylogeographic
373 concordance among species which co-occur across large parts of their geographic distributions. We tested

374 whether SNPs for two widely distributed beetle species showed the impact of similar processes at the scale of
375 South Island (similar orientation and timing of phylogeographic breaks) and within the regions delimited by
376 these barriers (similar spatial dynamics of isolation-by-distance or geographic expansion). While differences
377 between species were apparent at both scales, we found two exciting results: 1) shared phylogeographic
378 breaks between regions were not indicative of shared spatial patterns within regions, suggesting that
379 concordance of patterns within and between species varies between regions and scales of comparison,
380 depending on regional impacts of geography and climate; and 2) congruence in spatial dynamics occurred only
381 in the case of geographic expansion, in regions with a refugium immediately next to an area heavily impacted
382 by glaciation. If these patterns are broadly replicated across the community, they suggest that detection of
383 shared spatial dynamics within regions may be contingent upon that region's history of stability, providing an
384 explicitly process-based framework for when phylogeographic concordance should be expected. Further, our
385 findings reflect the limits of measures of concordance based on divergence *between* lineages or regions in
386 characterizing the extent to which species share responses to historical events. We propose that the spatial
387 dynamics that occur *within* distinct regional lineages offer an additional avenue for identifying the processes
388 leading to phylogeographic concordance. This expanded focus provides historical context for the interpretation
389 of species-level divergence patterns that are otherwise geographically and temporally idiosyncratic.

390
391 *Phylogeographic breaks: variation in geographic and temporal concordance*

392 In northern and central South Island, both species share the hard barriers of the central Southern Alps,
393 Paparoa and Kaikoura Ranges, delimiting distinct eastern, western and northern genomic clusters. However,
394 different divergence date estimates across these ranges suggest that *A. labralis* and *B. scutellaris* reached these
395 barriers at different times, rather than as a shared divergence event. Given scant knowledge on the life
396 histories of both species, our divergence estimates are left as generations rather than converted to years,
397 preventing an explicit test of the importance of specific geological and climatic events. We also assume that
398 both species undergo a similar number of generations per year, given that adults were collected from similar
399 microhabitats on the same collecting trips. However, even if these species do vary in voltinism, we would still
400 expect the geographic sequence of divergences to be held in common if divergence occurred in synchrony.
401 Although a lack of overall geographical order points to species-specific responses to dispersal opportunities
402 despite similar ecological requirements, there is agreement in the relatively old east-west splits for both
403 species. This potential congruence indicates the importance of the Southern Alps as one of the key drivers of

404 phylogeographic structure in South Island, with the impacts of this dispersal barrier likely heightened by the
405 distinct refugial dynamics in the eastern and western South Island during the lower Pleistocene (Marske et al.,
406 2012).

407 In contrast, the orientation of phylogeographic breaks varies in southern South Island, where *A. labralis*
408 has a distinct genomic cluster bounded by the Central Otago Highlands but where the eastern and western
409 clusters of *B. scutellaris* meet and spatially interdigitate. In southwestern South Island, long river valleys forge
410 potential connections through the Southern Alps, with Haast Pass as a low, forested route between the west
411 coast and the region south of the Central Otago Highlands. The importance of the Haast corridor as a potential
412 conduit for dispersal is supported by the STRUCTURE results, inferred dispersal patterns, and for *A. labralis*, the
413 deep divergence between the southern and eastern regions, supporting a western origin for southern
414 populations. Thus, similarity in the orientation of phylogeographic lineages and genomic clusters among these
415 ecologically similar species likely has more to do with the dispersal landscape than the orientation of glacial
416 refugia, with greater interspecific variation in phylogeographic regionalization where dispersal filters are less
417 difficult to traverse (i.e., southern South Island), in line with previous mitochondrial results for these (Marske et
418 al., 2012) and other New Zealand species.

419 Notably, we found limited support for distinct *B. scutellaris* populations on either side of the
420 *Nothofagus* gap, heightening the mystery of the species' apparent absence from this region of the west coast.
421 Curiously, the evidence for this lack of divergence in western South Island is tied to the genetically distinct Flora
422 Saddle individual (hereafter FS) from northern South Island. First, FS is unremarkable in terms of missing data
423 or genomic admixture, so it most likely has a divergent history that is not well represented in our data, which
424 would explain its effect on the hierarchical STRUCTURE results (Figure 3 vs Supplementary Figure 4b). Mount
425 Arthur, where FS was collected, also yielded the sole specimen of a deeply divergent lineage of another forest
426 litter beetle species (Marske, Leschen, & Buckley, 2011), supporting the idea that there is undetected genetic
427 diversity in this region. Second, only by excluding FS from the hierarchical STRUCTURE analysis do we detect
428 support for the *Nothofagus* gap as a dispersal barrier (Figure 3). Divergence among the resulting clusters is the
429 shallowest across our study, but the estimated divergence time falls outside the 95% confidence interval for
430 this estimate (Table 4), suggesting a lack of support for this western split, in agreement with the Procrustes
431 results and second-best *K* from the STRUCTURE analysis (Table 1). Taken together, our data suggest recent gene
432 flow across or around the *Nothofagus* gap, raising new questions about species dispersal across this glacially
433 impacted area.

434 *Regional dynamics: congruence of expansion events*

435 The intraspecific differences in regional dynamics observed between species indicate that congruent
436 phylogeographic breaks do not indicate congruent processes in the regions they delimit, and each genomically-
437 defined region represents a discrete opportunity for inter- and intra-specific comparisons of regional histories
438 (within and across regions, respectively). Interestingly, the one region that is well-defined for both species by
439 phylogeographic breaks and in which regional spatial dynamics are shared—the west—shows that geographic
440 expansion originates in the area with the best evidence for a large glacial refugium (Karamaea) (Alloway et al.,
441 2007; Marske et al., 2012) and expands through an area heavily impacted by glaciation (central west coast)
442 (Figures 2d and 3e). This region's gradient of historical environmental stability, combined with a long, narrow
443 geography, may have shaped a concordance of genomic patterns that are driven by recent dispersal events. In
444 northern and eastern South Island, the other two regions whose boundaries are largely shared between
445 species, we see different regional histories between *A. labralis* and *B. scutellaris*, due to differences in refugial
446 histories and immigration from North Island for *B. scutellaris*, suggesting that absence of a common response
447 to environmental gradients allowed species-specific patterns to emerge. Together, these patterns indicate a
448 process, climate change, and a mechanism, dispersal, likely to impact the detection of phylogeographic
449 concordance in regional spatial dynamics.

450 In southern South Island, evidence for expansion of both species via the Haast corridor into the region
451 south of the Otago Highlands suggests that climatic instability and dispersal has shaped the southern
452 distributions of both species, despite the lack of shared phylogeographic breaks delimiting this region. For
453 lowland species, southern South Island has been less well studied phylogeographically than the north, likely
454 due to the near absence of glacial refugia, inaccessibility of its southwest corner, and extensive deforestation.
455 However, the Haast corridor has proven important as a potential glacial refugium (Weir, Haddrath, Robertson,
456 Colbourne, & Baker, 2016) and contact zone (Davis, Brav-Cubitt, Buckley, & Leschen, 2019) for lineages of
457 multiple species. For *B. scutellaris*, expansion into the south from the east as well as via Haast highlights that
458 the Otago highlands may be more permeable to some species than the topographic barriers delimiting
459 northern South Island. If additional species share this combination of concordance of process despite variation
460 in colonization pathways, these spatial dynamics provide critical information on the role of immigration in
461 shaping species richness and coexistence patterns in regions heavily impacted by climate change.

462 Our legacy sampling design (few individuals from each of ~100 localities) does limit our ability to test
463 these complex spatial hypotheses: For the Ψ analyses, localities were aggregated into populations, which

464 restricts our ability to use a more spatially explicit dispersal landscape, while for the Procrustes analysis,
465 numerous diffuse population clusters that conform strongly or loosely to a pattern of IBD make it difficult to
466 identify where areas with divergent histories may be unduly influencing the pattern (Knowles et al., 2016). An
467 explicit population genetic focus in sampling design will easily alleviate these issues for future studies, allowing
468 a deeper investigation of differences in genomic diversity among localities within regions. However, for the
469 regional scale patterns we present here, our methods already provide a powerful test for differences in the
470 geography of diversification and the circumstances likely to lead to phylogeographic concordance. These
471 analyses leverage the power of reduced-representation library preparation methods for quick, inexpensive
472 data generation which characterizes population-level variation for species lacking other genomic resources
473 (i.e., most insects; Li et al., 2019), as innovations in sequencing and library preparation methods (e.g., Bayona-
474 Vásquez et al., 2019) continue to reduce the cost.

475 *Anticipating phylogeographic concordance: contingent upon climate history?*

476 Our results indicate that lack of range-wide phylogeographic concordance, as measured by the
477 geographic turnover or timing of divergence between lineages, does not rule out the possibility of shared
478 spatial histories within individual regions. Further, variation in the occurrence of different types of concordance
479 may provide insights into the different processes that shape species' histories. We found that the likelihood of
480 detecting phylogeographic concordance is heavily context-dependent and may be based on the strength of the
481 barrier or ecological gradient through their impact on dispersal limitation or facilitation. While dispersal is often
482 invoked as a driver of species-specific rather than concordant phylogeographic patterns (e.g., Marske et al.
483 2012; Thomaz and Knowles, 2020), our results highlight the role of dispersal opportunities, such as expansion,
484 in driving patterns of similarity in regional spatial dynamics among species.

485 These explicitly process-based histories, and the expansion of tests for spatial concordance to include
486 patterns that are not related to vicariance, could provide invaluable insights into the history of diversification
487 and community assembly in geologically and climatically dynamic regions. For *A. labralis* and *B. scutellaris*, the
488 combination of species-specific divergences across long term barriers, plus longer relative environmental
489 stability in the north (Marske et al., 2012), suggest that this region has had more time to accumulate forest
490 species, and predicts that the species in this region will have a variety of regional histories—including long-term
491 residents showing isolation-by-distance or local adaptation and recent colonizers showing geographic
492 expansion. In contrast, communities that experienced stronger environmental variation, such as southern
493 South Island, should be skewed toward recent dispersers, yielding a higher likelihood of shared historical

494 dynamics among species in this region. While this idea remains to be tested at the community level, it suggests
495 a novel expansion of the hypothesis of environmental stability as an engine driving the accumulation of inter-
496 (Mittelbach et al., 2007) and intraspecific diversity (Carnaval et al., 2014; Hewitt, 2000). As well as collecting
497 species and genotypes, long-stable regions may capture a larger diversity of spatial histories, as species may
498 arise locally, persist in these regions over long periods or arrive via dispersal. In contrast, regions which have
499 only recently gained suitable habitats should have younger communities dominated by recent dispersers,
500 potentially arriving via different routes. If replicated across ecologically similar species, these patterns provide a
501 mechanistic interpretation for complex patterns of phylogeographic concordance in geographically and
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515 Supplementary methods and results, including four Tables and seven Figures, are included as a single file.

516 **Data Accessibility**

517 RADseq data are archived at the NCBI Sequence Read Archive (BioProject ID: PRJNA655212). Locality data,
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742 **Tables**

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Table 1: Summary of STRUCTURE results for *A. labralis*, *B. scutellaris*, and the two genomic clusters within *B. scutellaris*. For each analysis, we report the two most likely *K*-values and corresponding ΔK . For *B. scutellaris*, the second-best *K* recovers the three regional clusters identified by the Procrustes analysis, and for southwestern South Island, the second-best *K* including Flora Saddle recovers the same regional clusters as the first *K* when Flora Saddle is excluded. South Island and North Island are abbreviated as SI and NI, respectively.

Species and regions	Best <i>K</i>	ΔK	Second-best <i>K</i>	ΔK
<i>Agyrtodes labralis</i>	4	367.007	2	16.957
<i>Brachynopus scutellaris</i>	2	5528.913	3	761.399
<i>B. scutellaris</i> , northeast SI & NI	2	3569.913	3	31.821

B. scutellaris, southwest SI

Including Flora Saddle	3	7138.363	2	396.120
Excluding Flora Saddle	2	700.425	4	16.605

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753 **Table 2:** Summary of Procrustes results for *A. labralis*, *B. scutellaris*, and three geographical clusters within *B.*
754 *scutellaris*. We present the strength of association (represented by the *t*-value; see Wang et al. 2010) in a
755 symmetric Procrustes rotation between genomic differentiation and geography, based on 10,000
756 permutations. All associations are highly significant ($t < 0.001$). Geographic and genomic associations with
757 climate are shown in Supplementary Table 3.

Species and regions	Geography
<i>Agyrtodes labralis</i>	0.76 ***
<i>A. labralis</i> , northern SI	0.72***
<i>A. labralis</i> , eastern SI	0.70***
<i>A. labralis</i> , southern SI	0.80***
<i>A. labralis</i> , western SI	0.80***
<i>Brachynopus scutellaris</i>	0.54 ***
<i>B. scutellaris</i> , northern SI	0.70 ***
<i>B. scutellaris</i> , eastern SI	0.57 ***
<i>B. scutellaris</i> , western SI	0.60 ***
<i>B. scutellaris</i> , NW SI (excl. Flora Saddle)	0.66***
<i>B. scutellaris</i> , SW SI	0.80***

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760 **Table 3:** Inferred geographic origins and results of the test for geographic expansion, where q is the strength of
 761 the directionality index, R100 is the estimated decrease in genomic diversity over 100 km, and rsq and p are
 762 the correlation coefficient and p-value for the most likely geographic origin, respectively. N pop is the number
 763 of populations included in each analysis after aggregating localities; due to this aggregation, we report an area
 764 of origin rather than geographic coordinates. For *B. scutellaris*, 'with FS' and 'no FS' indicate inclusion and
 765 exclusion of the individual from Flora Saddle.

Species, region	Origin	q	R100	rsq	p	N pop
<i>A. labralis</i> , north	Marlborough	0.0003	0.9482	0.4695	0.0803	4
<i>A. labralis</i> , east	Kaikoura	0.0000	0.9965	-0.0979	0.6685	5
<i>A. labralis</i> , south	Haast	0.0003	0.9374	0.8383	0.0000	7
<i>A. labralis</i> , west	Nelson	0.0001	0.9732	0.6242	0.0000	8
<i>B. scutellaris</i> , north	North Island	0.0008	0.8687	0.6567	0.0314	4
<i>B. scutellaris</i> , east	Kaikoura	0.0003	0.9451	0.2975	0.0207	6
<i>B. scutellaris</i> , west (with FS)	Nelson	0.0002	0.9619	0.5668	0.0000	13
<i>B. scutellaris</i> , west (no FS)	Karamea	0.0002	0.9648	0.4769	0.0000	12
<i>B. scutellaris</i> , northwest (no FS)	Karamea	0.0012	0.8060	0.6346	0.0035	5
<i>B. scutellaris</i> , southwest	Haast Pass	0.0000	0.9956	-0.0454	0.7211	7

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767 **Table 4 (next page):** FASTSIMCOAL2 results for the Divergence with Migration model per species for
 768 each geographic division, including the point estimate and 95% confidence interval in parentheses for
 769 each demographic parameter. Included are the number of individuals per population and total
 770 number of loci used to calculate each site frequency spectrum (SFS) that were used to infer the
 771 population size for one population (N_2), ancestral population size (N_{ANC}), divergence time (T_{DIV}) and
 772 migration rate in each direction (MIG). Population size N_1 (from the population indicated in bold) was

773 directly estimated from the empirical data based on the reported π for variant and invariant sites and
774 the estimated μ for each species. Point estimates indicated by * fall outside the confidence intervals,
775 indicating uncertainty.

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Species	Scenario	Inds per Pop	Loci	π	N_1	N_2	N_{ANC}	MIG	T_{DIV} (in generations)
<i>A. labralis</i>	Main (East-West)	15	3061	0.0028	95238	33667 (24898 - 50175)	11924 (10610 - 735187)	1.13E-05 - 2.99E-06 (3.7E-6 - 2.0E-5; 8.9E-7 - 9.1E-6)	91670 (61454 - 2050616)
	East-South	15	1221	0.0021	71429	41935 (35610 - 59496)	2074* (3752 - 244187)	3.66E-06 - 1.10E-06 (2.7E-6 - 6.2E-6; 3.2E-7 - 1.9E-6)	155577 (76773 - 1762852)
	East-West	15	1575	0.0027	91837	39489 (27563 - 47927)	5256 (3304 - 774333)	8.33E-06 - 2.15E-06 (6.0E-6 - 1.5E-5; 7.3E-7 - 2.7E-6)	133387 (72427 - 1876640)
	West-South	15	3114	0.0027	91837	17993 (12185 - 25553)	3571 (2519 - 825158)	5.20E-06 - 1.26E-06 (8.3E-7 - 2.1E-5; 3.2E-9 - 1.7E-5)	36667 (32097 - 1856275)
	North-East	15	2486	0.0021	71429	1501984 (1231559 - 1849091)	72660 (54711 - 130503)	3.21E-06 - 6.21E-08 (1.2E-6 - 3.8E-6; 5.0E-11 - 7.0E-6)	110427 (93852 - 1194136)
	North-West	15	4317	0.0027	91837	610055 (537652 - 698536)	241010 (182866 - 295873)	9.97E-07 - 2.50E-06 (5.1E-7 - 1.3E-6; 1.7E-6 - 3.6E-6)	65852 (61221 - 75394)
<i>B. scutellaris</i>	Main (East-West)	15	1251	0.0024	114286	117511 (100939 - 146716)	15350* (17978 - 686059)	1.80E-07 - 3.76E-06 (3.9E-9 - 3.1E-7; 3.3E-6 - 4.3E-6)	561751 (223080 - 1560904)
	East-South	15	666	0.0011	52381	25470 (18085 - 35428)	39228 (24139 - 842880)	3.74E-06 - 8.24E-06 (2.3E-6 - 4.9E-6; 5.1E-6 - 1.2E-5)	251657 (60466 - 1768380)
	East-West	15	848	0.0026	123810	59483 (41426 - 76558)	5207 (2199 - 594384)	2.65E-06 - 7.93E-09 (1.7E-6 - 6.0E-6; 7.2E-10 - 9.3E-8)	240992 (155578 - 2043782)
	West-South	15	4544	0.0026	123810	8410* (8525 - 17034)	1021* (1061 - 841418)	5.54E-05 - 5.70E-06 (1.4E-5 - 5.0E-5; 1.6E-9 - 9.0E-5)	8966* (9187 - 1929744)
	East-North (with NI)	15	1089	0.0011	52381	481711 (394411 - 640717)	35047 (23903 - 643312)	2.75E-06 - 3.75E-07 (2.5E-9 - 4.4E-6; 2.4E-10 - 1.3E-5)	58214 (50473 - 1588498)
	West-North (with NI)	15	1156	0.0026	123810	611636 (487072 - 732192)	303600 (82335 - 547474)	8.85E-08 - 7.79E-07 (1.4E-9 - 2.2E-7; 4.0E-7 - 1.2E-6)	227470 (191877 - 298561)
	East-North (only SI)	15,10	1189	0.0011	52381	298750 (225570 - 345060)	31080 (14270 - 698721)	1.91E-06 - 7.71E-07 (1.4E-7 - 2.6E-6; 3.1E-7 - 1.0E-5)	89286 (72090 - 1432082)
	West-North (only SI)	15,10	1375	0.0026	123810	427834 (376395 - 535374)	165513 (8538 - 381054)	2.74E-07 - 7.95E-07 (6.1E-8 - 5.3E-7; 4.5E-7 - 9.9E-7)	247928 (194585 - 334500)

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779 **Figure Captions**

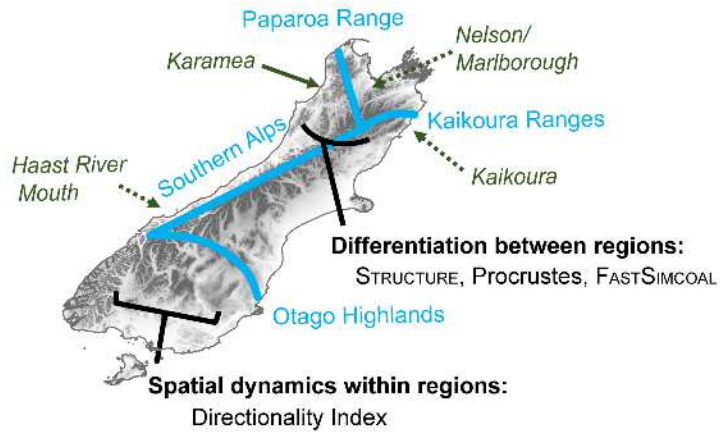
780 **Figure 1:** Map of South Island geographic features referenced in this study, and major analyses used to quantify phylogeographic breaks
781 between regions and spatial dynamics within regions. Key topographic barriers are highlighted in blue, and glacial refugia previously
782 inferred for these species are indicated in green. The solid green arrow indicates a forest refugium modelled via diverse climate proxies
783 (Alloway et al., 2007), while the dotted arrows indicate additional refugia inferred by Species Distribution Models for these species
784 (Marske et al., 2012).

785 **Figure 2:** Geographical population structure, divergence times (in thousands of generations) and summaries of regional histories for
786 *Agyrtodes labralis*. a) Four major STRUCTURE clusters for *A. labralis*, with biogeographic regions ordered in a clockwise direction around the
787 South Island beginning at Kaikoura. b) Geographic distribution of STRUCTURE clusters. c) Divergence times between eastern and western
788 South Island for *A. labralis*. Southland populations were grouped with western South Island due to their separation from the east by the
789 Otago highlands. d) Divergence times among geographically contiguous STRUCTURE clusters for *A. labralis*, and regional histories estimated
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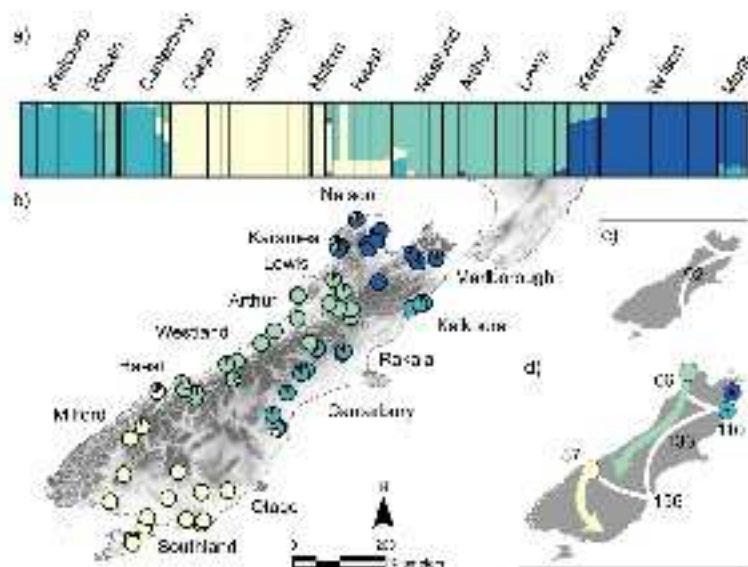
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793 *Brachynopus scutellaris*. a) Two major and b) four minor STRUCTURE clusters for *B. scutellaris*. c) Geographic distribution of STRUCTURE
794 clusters. Flora Saddle is indicated in a) and c) with a red asterisk, and minor clusters shown were estimated with that individual excluded;
795 results with it included are shown in Supplementary Figure 4. All North Island localities (3 not shown) belong to the northern (dark blue)
796 cluster. d) Divergence time between eastern and western South Island, using the same geographical break as for *A. labralis*. e) Divergence
797 times among geographically contiguous minor STRUCTURE clusters and regional histories for *B. scutellaris*. Regional dynamics are shown for

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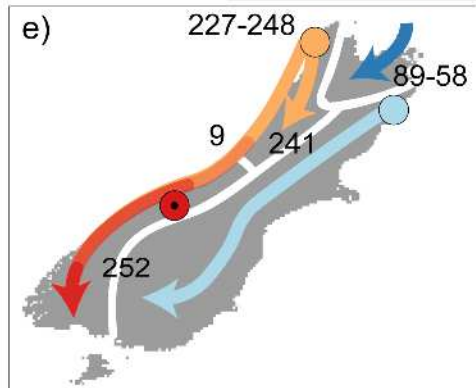
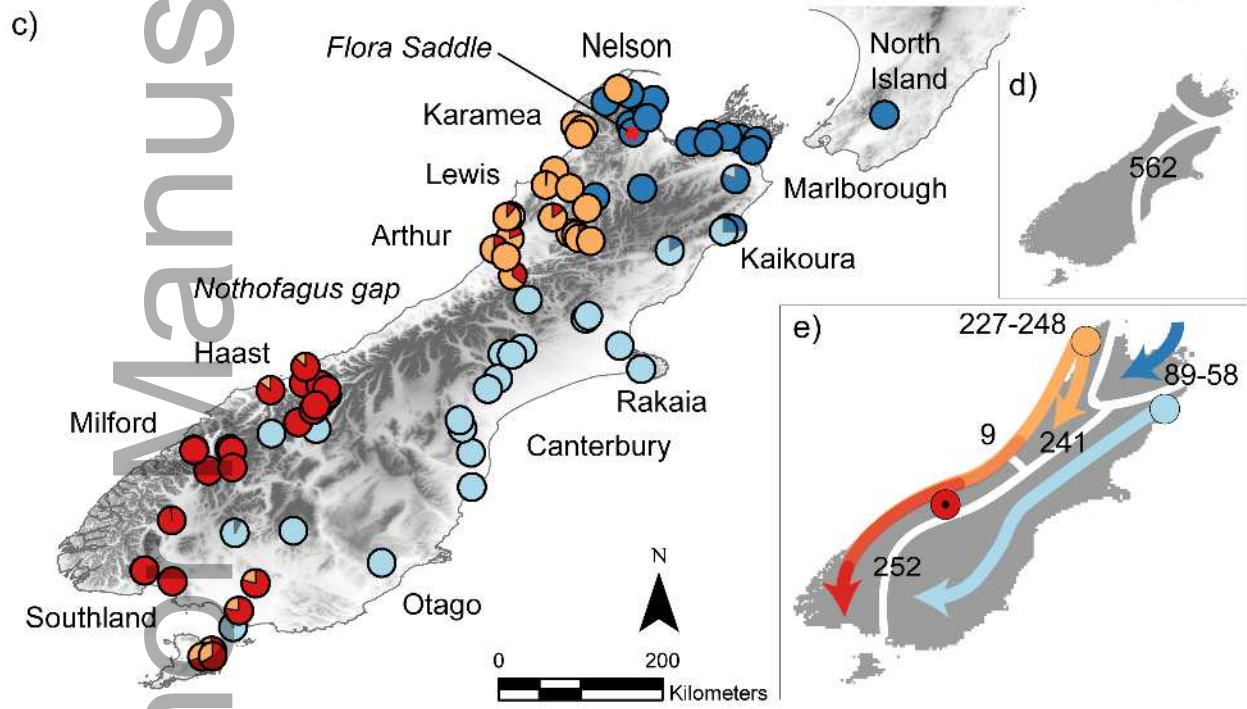
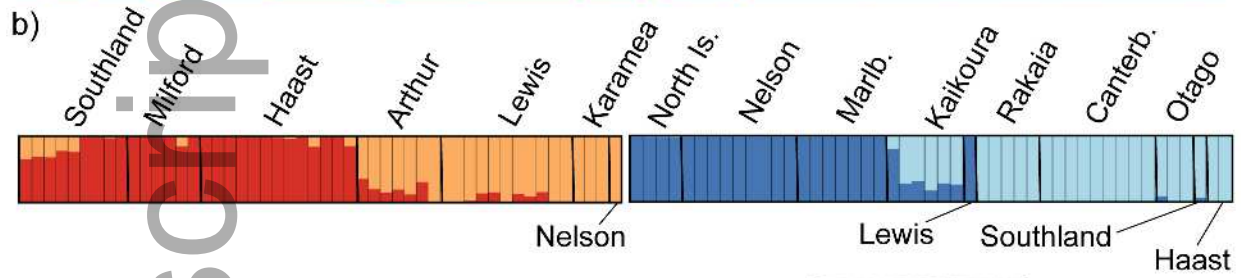
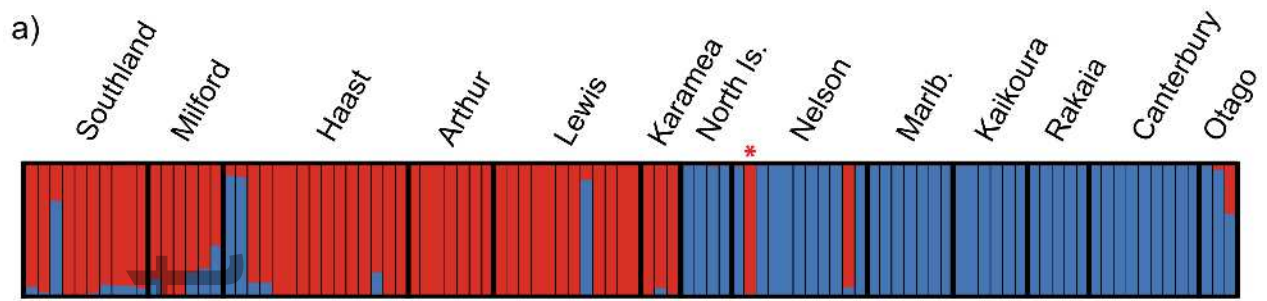
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801 **Figure 4:** Results of the Procrustes analysis comparing the spatial orientation between geography and genomic divergence for *Agyrtodes*
802 *labralis* and *Brachynopus scutellaris*. a) Procrustes transformation for all *A. labralis* localities and for the four STRUCTURE clusters, with
803 colors as in Figure 2. Triangles indicate individual sampling localities while circles indicate their relative positions within the genomic PCA.
804 The orientation of the dots and the length of the lines connecting the triangles and dots indicate departure from expectations based on
805 geographic orientation: for example, the southern (yellow) populations are more similar to each other than expected based on the
806 geographic distance between localities, while in the eastern (teal) cluster, the individuals from the Kaikoura region are strongly divergent
807 from each other, despite their geographic proximity. b) Procrustes transformation for all *B. scutellaris* localities and for the three genomic
808 clusters identified (excluding individuals from the NI). Coloration follows Figure 3, although the Procrustes indicated only one western
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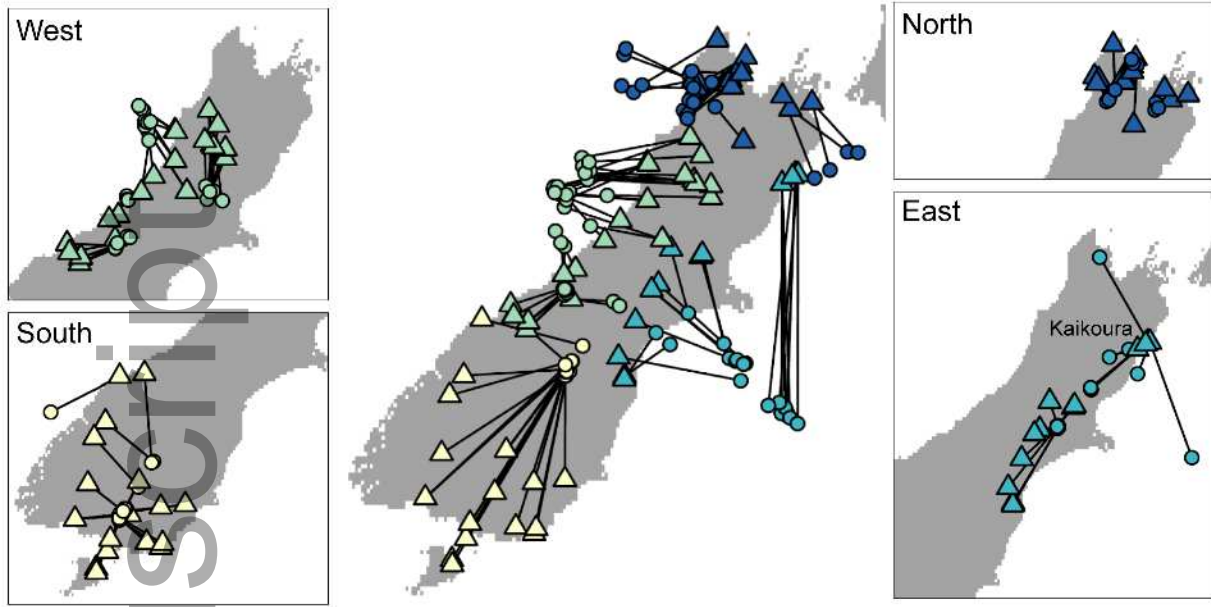


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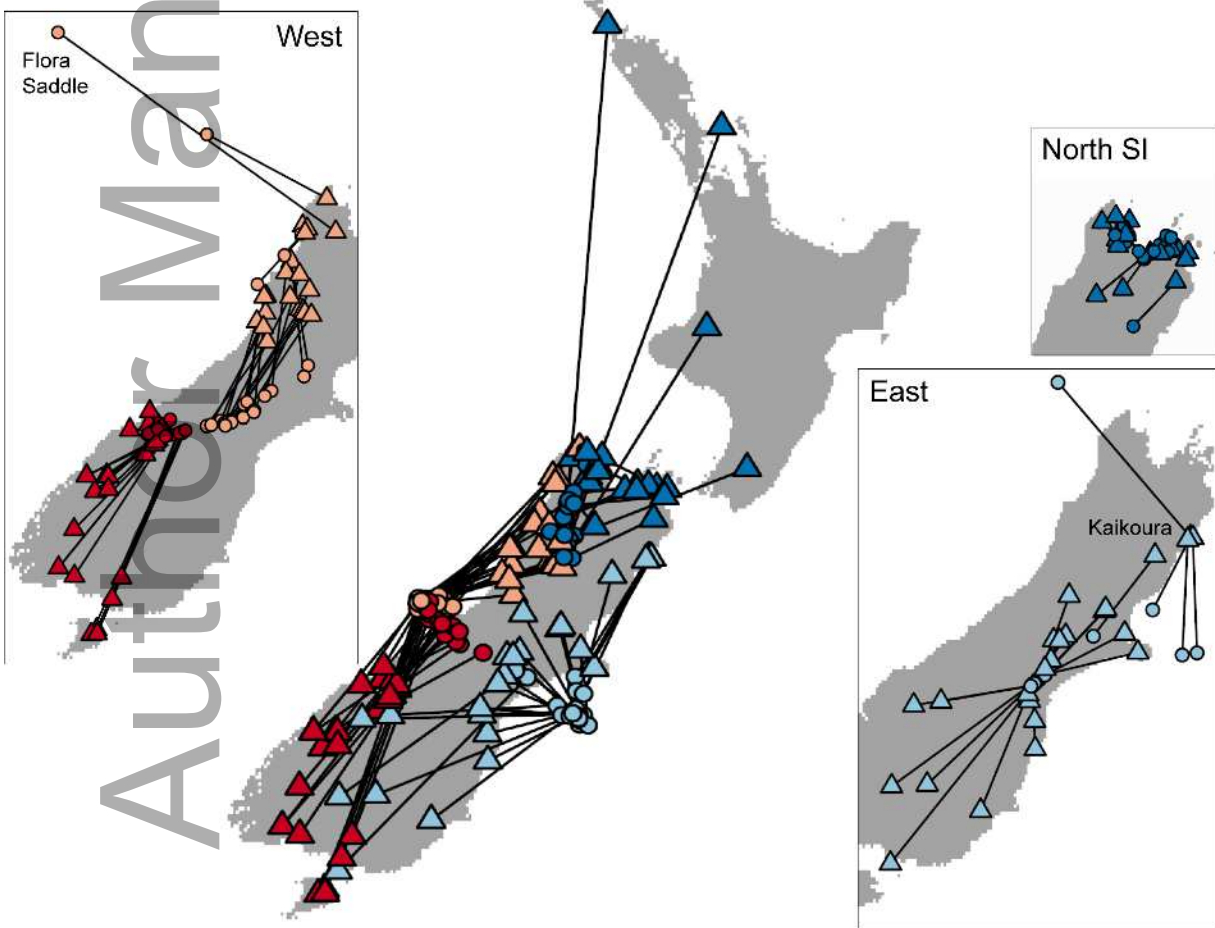


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a) *Agyrtodes labralis*



b) *Brachynopus scutellaris*



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