



# MiGA

Microbial Genomes Atlas

[www.microbial-genomes.org](http://www.microbial-genomes.org)

“The genome-equivalent of RDP”

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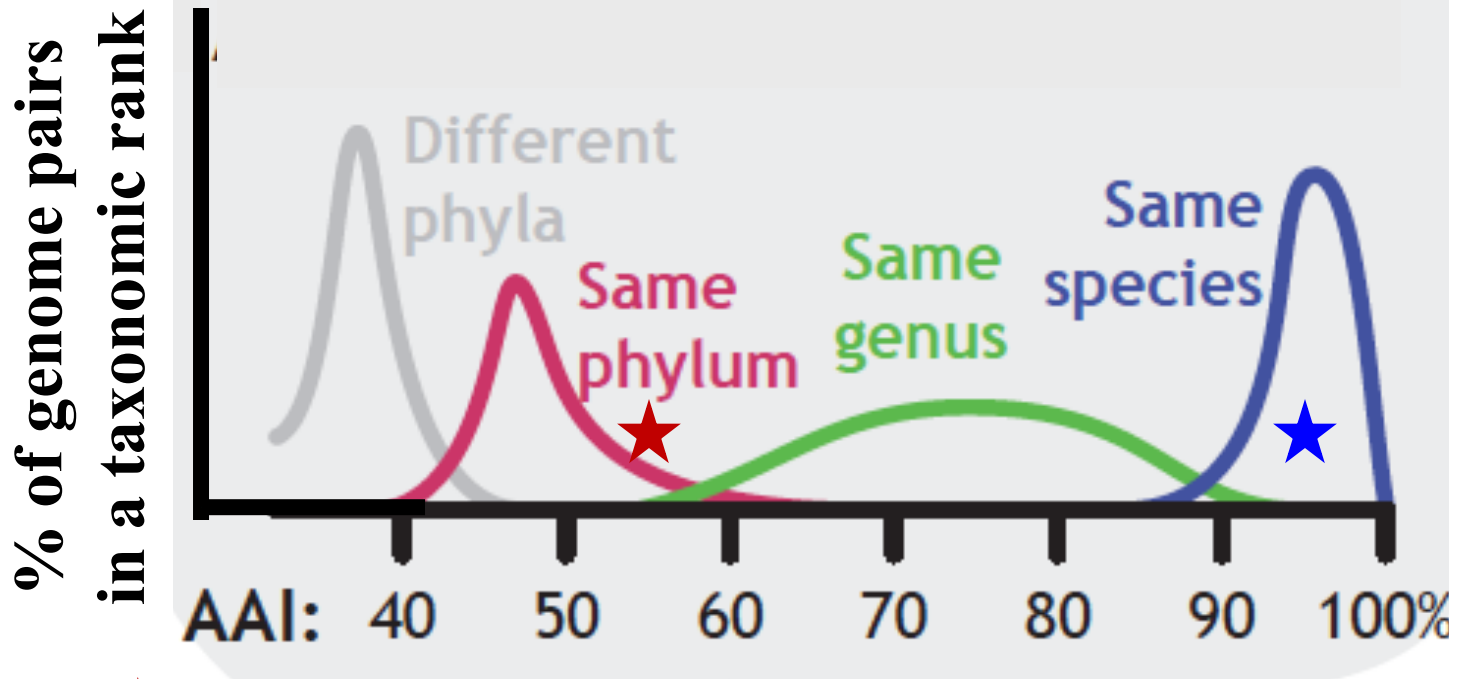
**The Microbial Genomes Atlas (MiGA) webserver:  
taxonomic and gene diversity analysis of *Archaea* and  
*Bacteria* at the whole genome level**

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# Key underlying data is AAI values among Type Genomes\*

\*Or another genome collection. Type Genomes is based on NCBI's Type Material database and includes named isolates & some *Candidatus*.

So, it is very easy to incorporate new Taxonomies



★ Query is novel genus    ★ Query is member of existing species

Protologues with key metadata will be highly useful!

Novel taxa can be identified at species, genus & phylum levels

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Novel species <95% AAI  
Novel genus <65% AAI  
Novel phylum <45% AAI

# MAGs and SAGs in MiGA

- Not yet available as a single large searchable database (this is coming soon...~20% more MAGs/SAGs than found in NCBI based on manual hunting)
- Many MAGs/SAGs available as separate databases by habitat (e.g., TARA Oceans, Oil spills) or project (e.g., Chattahoochee River, Bio-Gas microbiome).
- Taxonomy of MAGs/SAGs is (**currently**) based on AAI values against Type Genomes. Taxonomy of Type Genomes is based on NCBI (**no corrections applied**).
- MAG/SAG quality is check by completeness and contamination using universal protein HMMs, and (optionally) by MyTaxa\_Scan (Luo et al., NAR 2014).
- Low quality MAGs flagged by not removed.