

Summary: URGI is a bioinformatics research INRA unit (previously only dedicated to Genoplante projects but now open to other projects). It hosts a bioinformatics platform which offers services (databases, tools, power units...) to biologists. It develops also an information system (I.S.) to store genomic and genetic data for plant, plant models or plant of agronomical interest (Wheat, Grapevine, Maize, Rape...) and its bioaggressors (fungi). Our research axis are data integration (in our GnpIS information system) and dynamic genome study based on repeat detection (REPET software). The results presented here are the development of all the I.S., its evolution in time, its databases, data content and the current development concerning the creation of a new portal to query through all the databases of the S.I. using both Lucene (via HibernateSearch) and BIOMART (EBI) technologies.

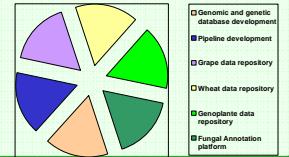
GnpIS, the plant information system of INRA URGI unit: Towards a bridge between genomic and genetic data

GnpIS description

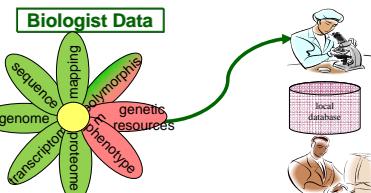
The GnpIS information system is composed of 8 modules: 5 genomic modules and 3 genetic modules and above all these modules, a new portal allowing to query through the different modules separately (via the flower) or simultaneously via datamarts or indexes (publication in prep.).

- 1) GnpSeq, the EST, mRNA sequence database which contains home-made clusters, contigs and annotations
- 2) GnpMap, the mapping database
- 3) GnpGenome, a multispecies database based on Chado/Gbrowse GMOD tools, containing genomic sequences and their annotations
- 4) GnpArray, the MIAME compliant expression database
- 5) GnpProt, the proteomic database
- 6) GnpSNP, the polymorphic (SNP/DIP/STR) database
- 7) SiReGal, Genetic Resources database for accessions collections
- 8) Ephesis (development in progress), the genotypes, environment and experimentation database

Platform missions



GnpIS data flow



GnpIS interoperability project development

Project aim: « Bridge Genomics and Genetics »

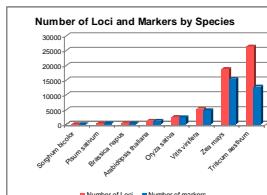
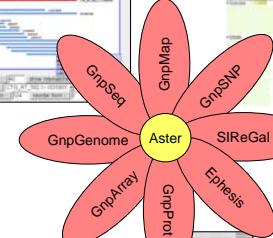
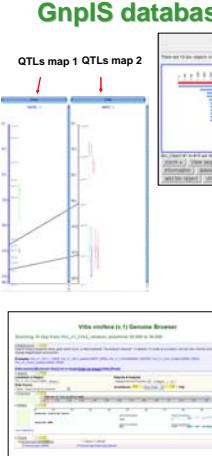
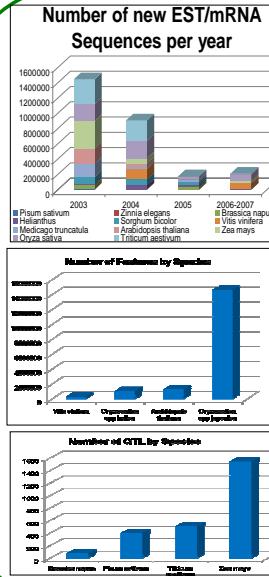
Build an information system to store and query through all genetic and genomic data in a convivial and powerful way.

Project Organization:

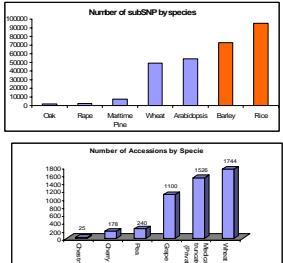
Phase I : 2001 - building of each database module (Gnp*): « the Flower »

Phase II : 2005 - building of links between Gnp* interfaces : (GnpMap-GnpGenome, GnpSNP-GnpGenome, GnpMap-GnpSeq)

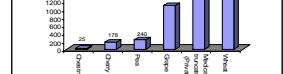
GnpIS databases results



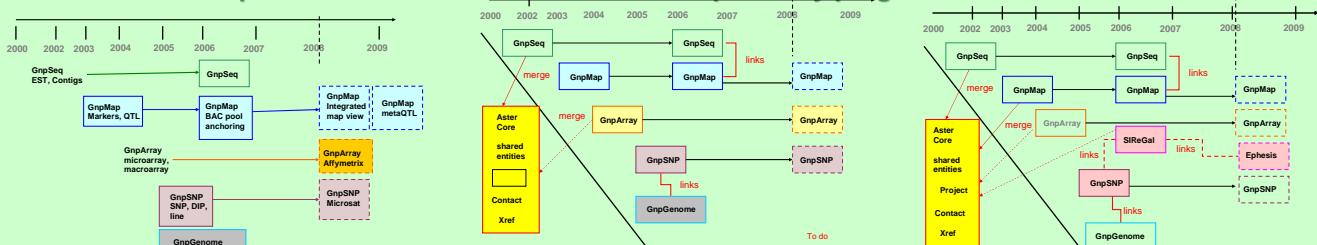
Number of SNP data in 2008



Number of Accessions by Species



GnpIS time evolution and database interoperability progress



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