## Supplementary information to accompany HACSim: Iterative extrapolation of haplotype accumulation curves for assessment of intraspecific COI DNA barcode diversity estimates

## **1** Additional Algorithm Parameters

The user also has the ability to subsample data. The function arguments subset.haps, subset.seqs = TRUE, prop.haps and prop.seqs are in place to allow for this. A user simply inputs the proportion of haplotype labels (prop.haps in the case of hypothetical species) or DNA sequences (prop.seqs in the case of real species) to subsample from the entire dataset. Thus, if a species COI alignment comprises N = 100 DNA barcode sequences and a subsample of 10% of the data is desired, then a random subset will contain N = 10 sequence reads (100 × 0.10). The effect of subsetting data is that it results in haplotype frequencies being reweighted according to the number of haplotypes contained in the subsample. For instance, if a hypothetical species comprises five unique haplotypes, each with a frequency of 0.20 (20%), and a subsample of four haplotypes is desired (*i.e.*, a proportion of 80% via prop.haps = 0.80), then each remaining haplotype in the reduced dataset will have a frequency of 0.25 (25%). A random subsample of haplotypes can be regarded as having been sampled from a single subpopulation/deme in which individuals have migrated into from neighouring locations. While this bypasses the challenge of estimating the total number of demes in addition to per-generation migration rates, correlations among sampled populations separated by hundreds to thousands of kilometres will be evident. Hence, in utilizing a subsampling scheme, an important assumption is that all individuals within a given subpopulation are sampled, which may not be the case in reality. Alternatively, a subsampling scheme can be employed to limit the size of large sequence datasets to reduce computation overhead without sacrificing a reduction in the number of permutations (**perms**). Subsampled DNA sequences are automatically written to a FASTA file called 'seqs.fas'.

The function arguments subsample and prop are used to initialize subset.haps, subset.seqs, prop.haps and prop.seqs described previously. These latter four arguments are not used directly by the user. The argument subsample takes a binary logical argument of either TRUE or FALSE, whereas prop takes a numeric value between zero and one, exclusive.

Parameter	Definition	Range
subset.haps	random subset of species haplotypes	(1, H)
prop.haps	proportion of haplotypes to subsample	(0, 1)
subset.seqs	random subset of species DNA sequences	TRUE, FALSE
prop.seqs	proportion of DNA sequences to subsample	(0,1)

 Table S1: Algorithm parameters for subsampling haplotype labels or DNA sequences