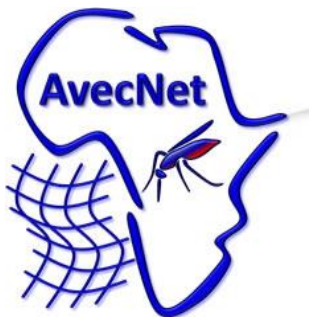


The problem of insecticide resistance in mosquitoes, and the role of modern technologies & novel vector control tools for its management

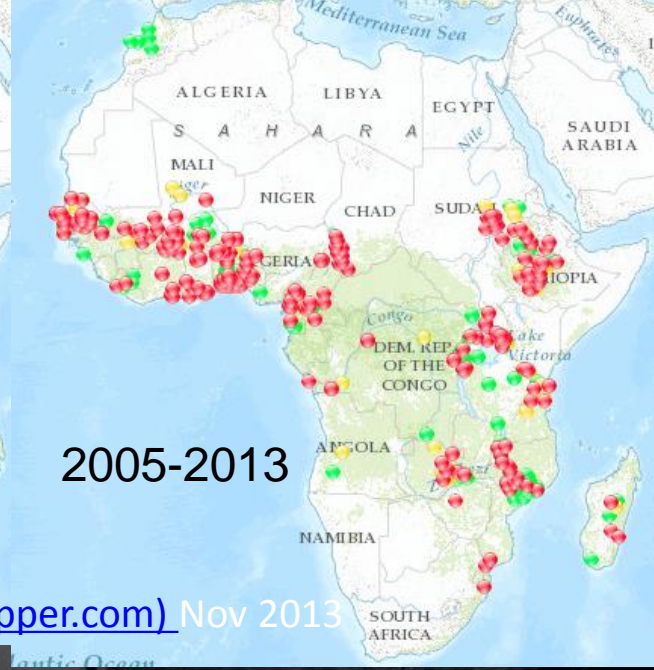
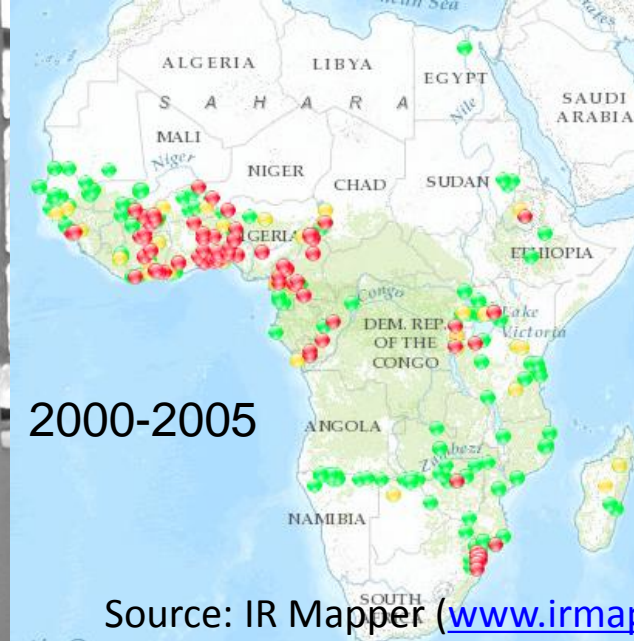
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Insecticides: main tool to control insects and the diseases they transmit



Pyrethroid resistance first detected in African malaria vectors in 1993

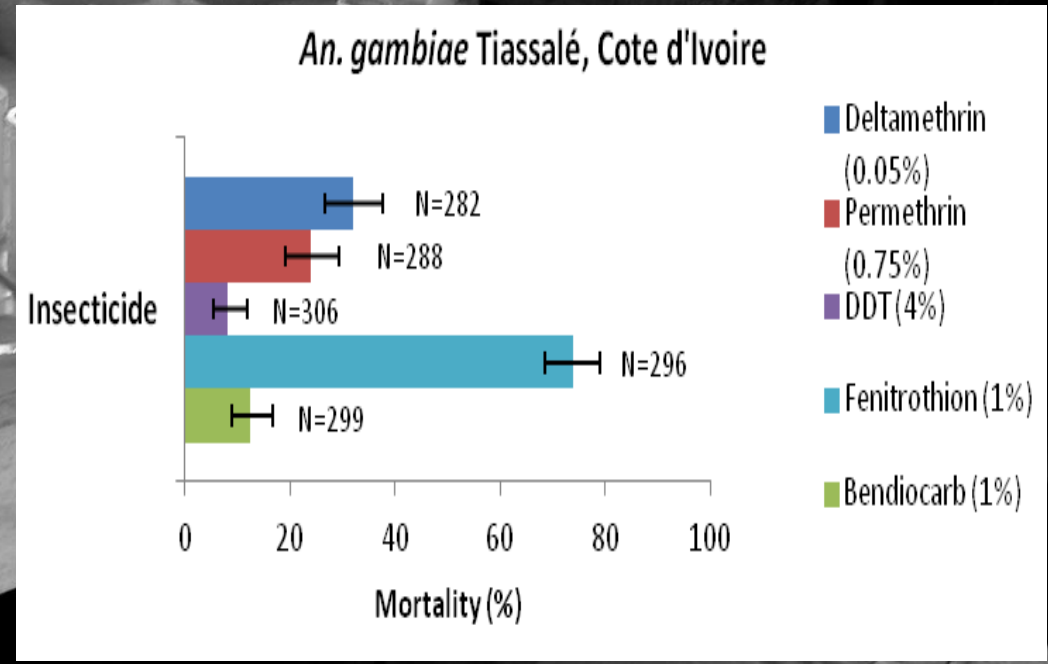


Source: IR Mapper (www.irmapper.com) Nov 2013

Slide: courtesy of Hilary Ranson



- Strength of resistance >100-1000 x not uncommon
- In Burkina Faso resistance increased 10 x in single year



Why are those mosquitoes so resistant?

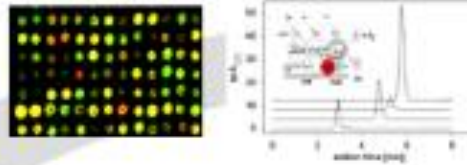
(relative contribution of resistance genes and mutations, alone or in combination?)

Selection pressures? (MC activities? agriculture?)

We don't know ...

Genomics, may help to improve our understanding ..

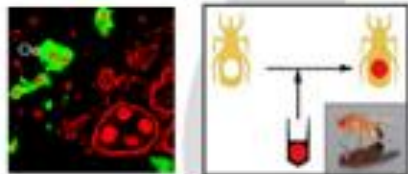
Identify & validate
resistance loci



Phenotype resistance



Immunolocalization &
- *in vivo* analysis

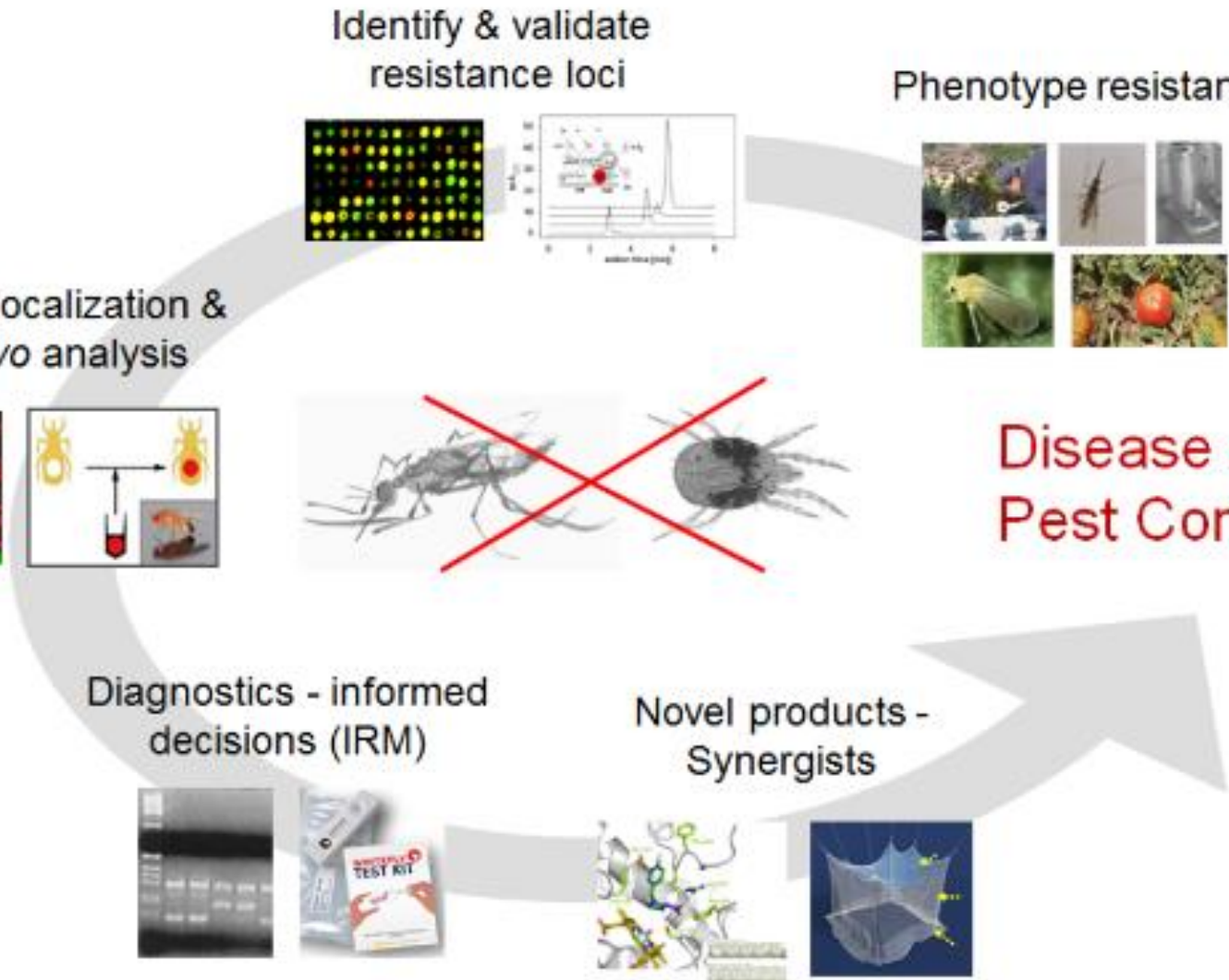


Disease and
Pest Control

Diagnostics - informed
decisions (IRM)



Novel products -
Synergists

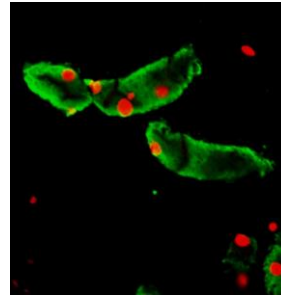


Analysis of insecticide resistance mechanisms

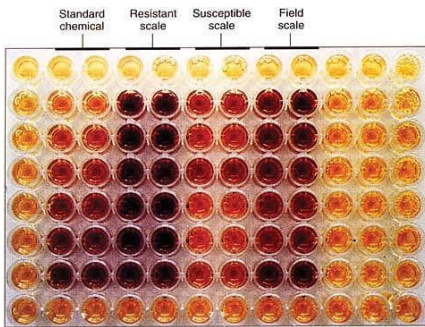
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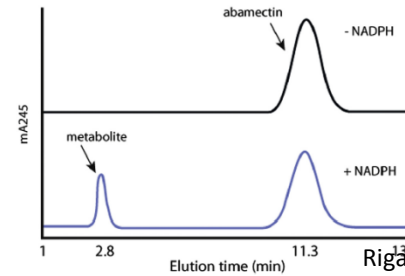
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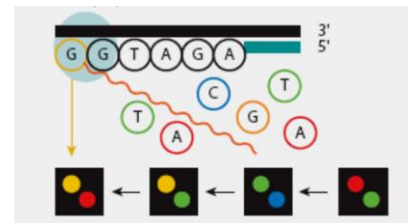
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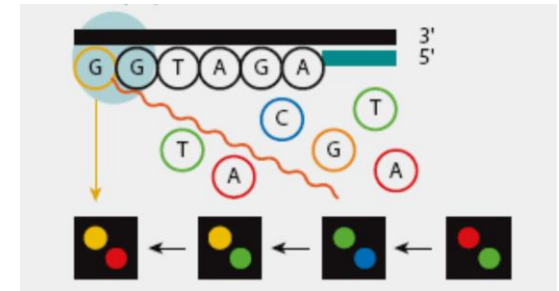


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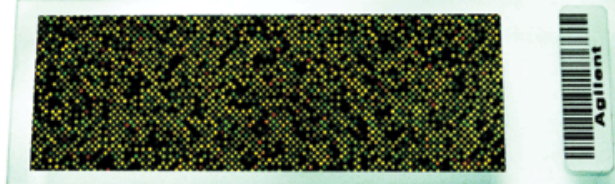


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Molecular analysis of insecticide resistance of *Aedes albopictus*



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Susceptible Parental Selected



AAEL001533-UGT
 AAEL003076-UGT
 CCEAE6A
 CYP6N12
 CYP6M6
 GSTX2
 CYP6M11
 AAEL002688-UGT
 AAEL015264-a esterase
 CYP6Z8

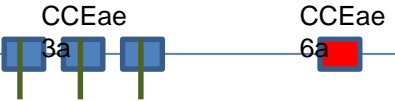
Gene	Parental	Selected
AAEL001533-UGT	4.435	53.81
AAEL003076-UGT	6.11	55.505
CCEAE6A	0	22.995
CYP6N12	0.155	21.195
CYP9J17	1.03	17.56
CYP6Z7	0.005	16.4

Molecular & functional characterization of resistance in *Ae. albopictus*
 Grigoraki et al (2015a) PLoSNTD; Grigoraki et al (2015b) IBMB - submitted

Geographical distribution and origin of amplified esterase loci associated with temephos resistance



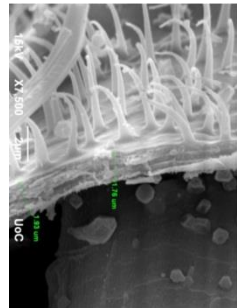
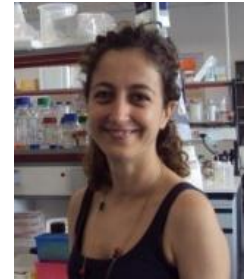
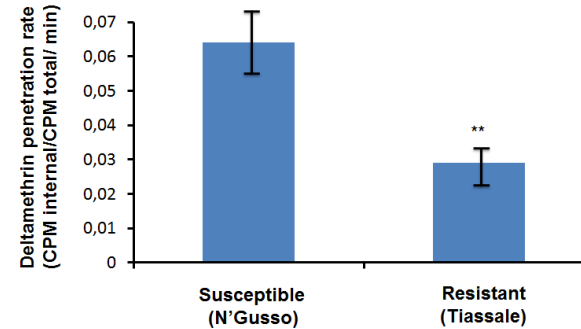
- Amplification found
- No Amplification found
- To be tested



Ανάλυση πολύ υψηλών επιπέδων ανθεκτικότητας *Anopheles gambiae* από τη Δ. Αφρική στα πυρεθροειδή εντομοκτόνα

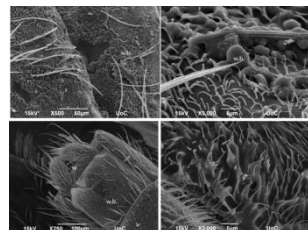
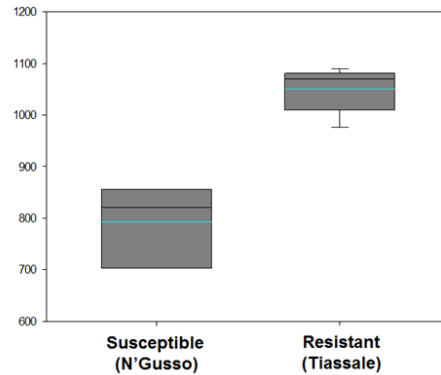


Substantially reduced insecticide uptake in resistance insects

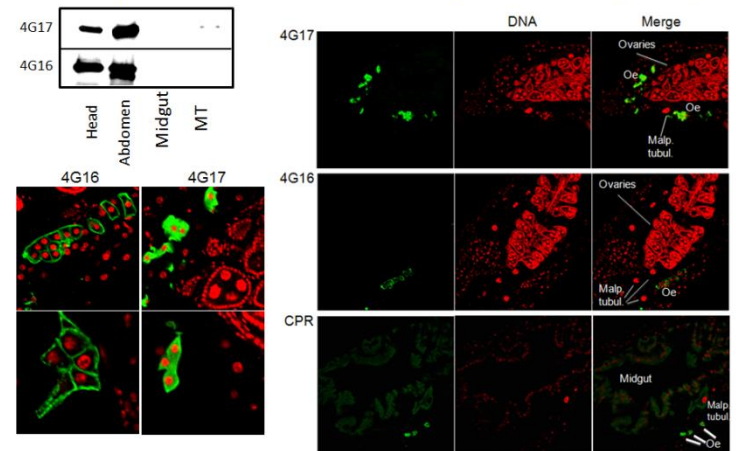


elevated epicuticular HCs

ng epicuticular HC/insect

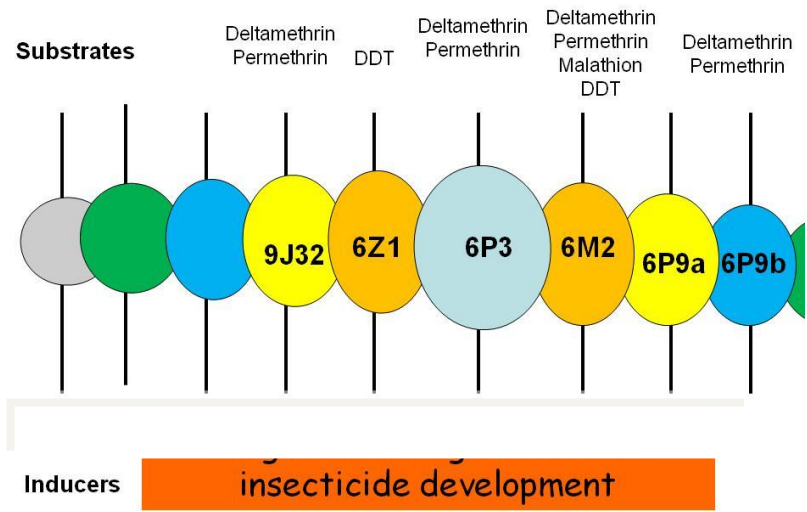


CYP4G16/17 are over-expressed on the oenocytes of R mosquitoes and have decarboxylases activity (HC)



✓ Tools for early screen of novel insecticides

In vitro



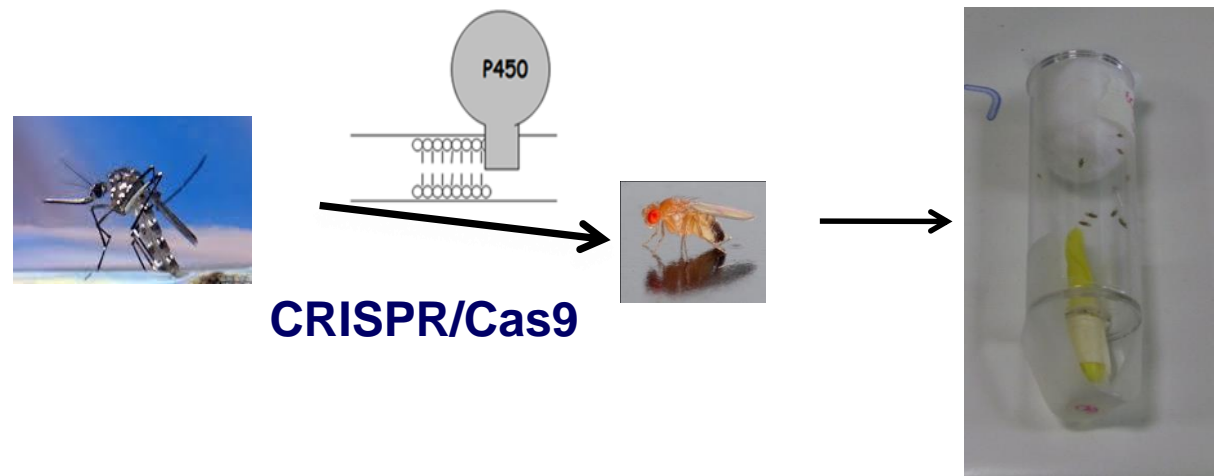
Commercial Quantities



CYP6P3, 6P9a, 9J32
Cypex, Scotland



In vivo



CRISPR/Cas9

New paradigms in vector control

Spatial Repellents

Durable lining

Pyriproxifen to breeding sites

Combination nets

ATSB

“antimosquito cattles”

Environmental management

Fish – larvae control

Algae dsRNA

Laser Kill

GM mosquito

wolbachia

SIT

Ventilators

Ivermectins (human)

Novel traps- attract and kill

Plastic screens



Using adult mosquitoes to transfer insecticides to *Aedes aegypti* larval habitats

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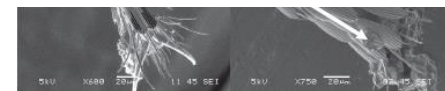
Vector control is a key means of combating mosquito-borne diseases and the only tool available for tackling the transmission of dengue, a disease for which no vaccine, prophylaxis, or therapeutic currently exists. The most effective mosquito control methods include the use of insecticides that target adult mosquitoes.

contamination of sentinel site containing juvenile stages

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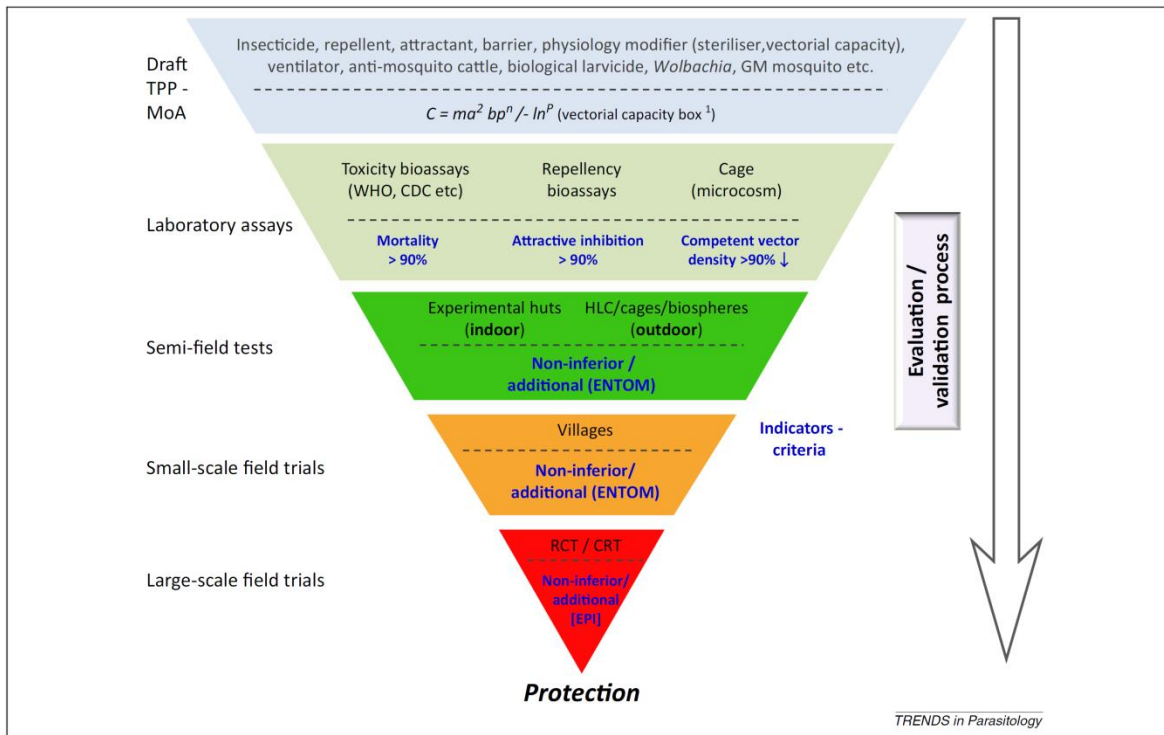
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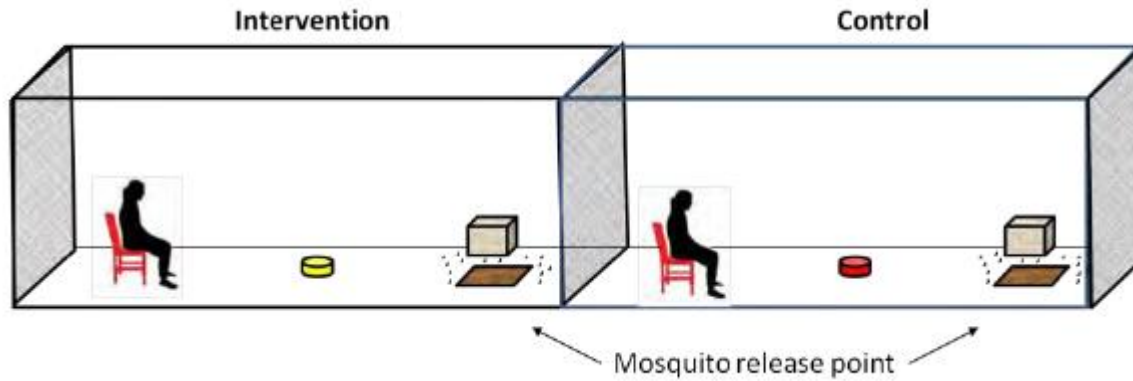
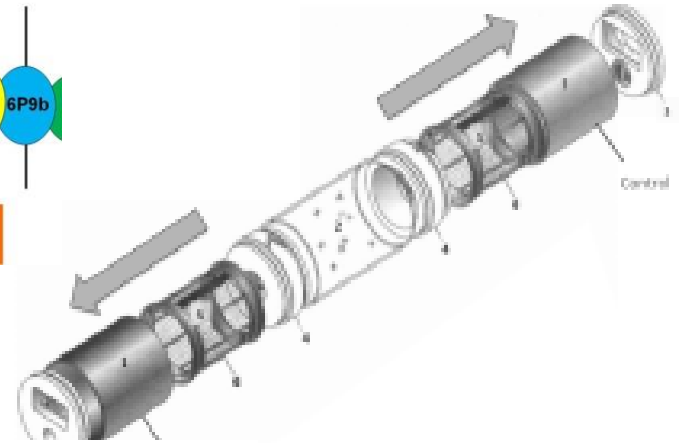
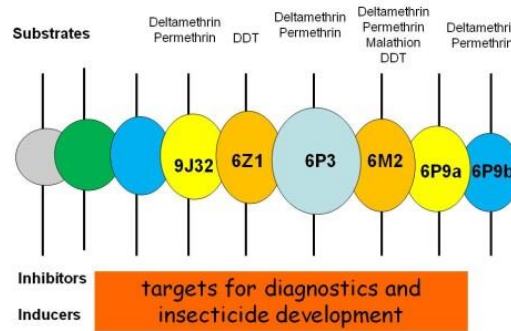
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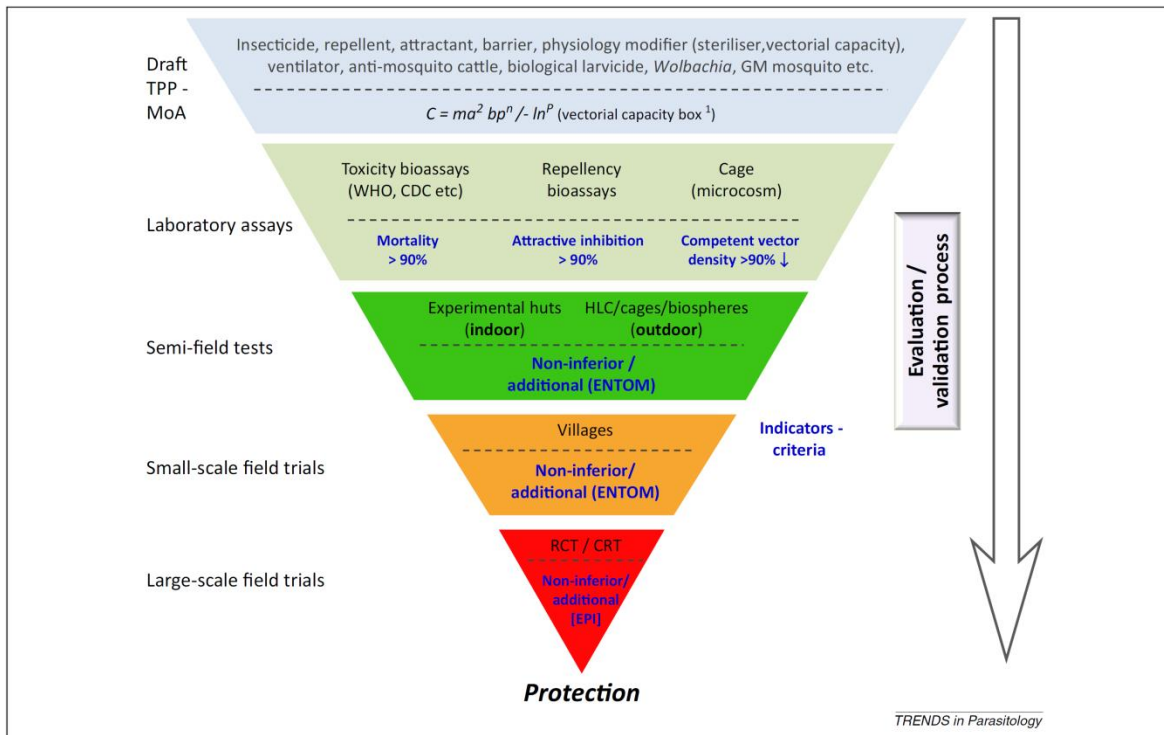
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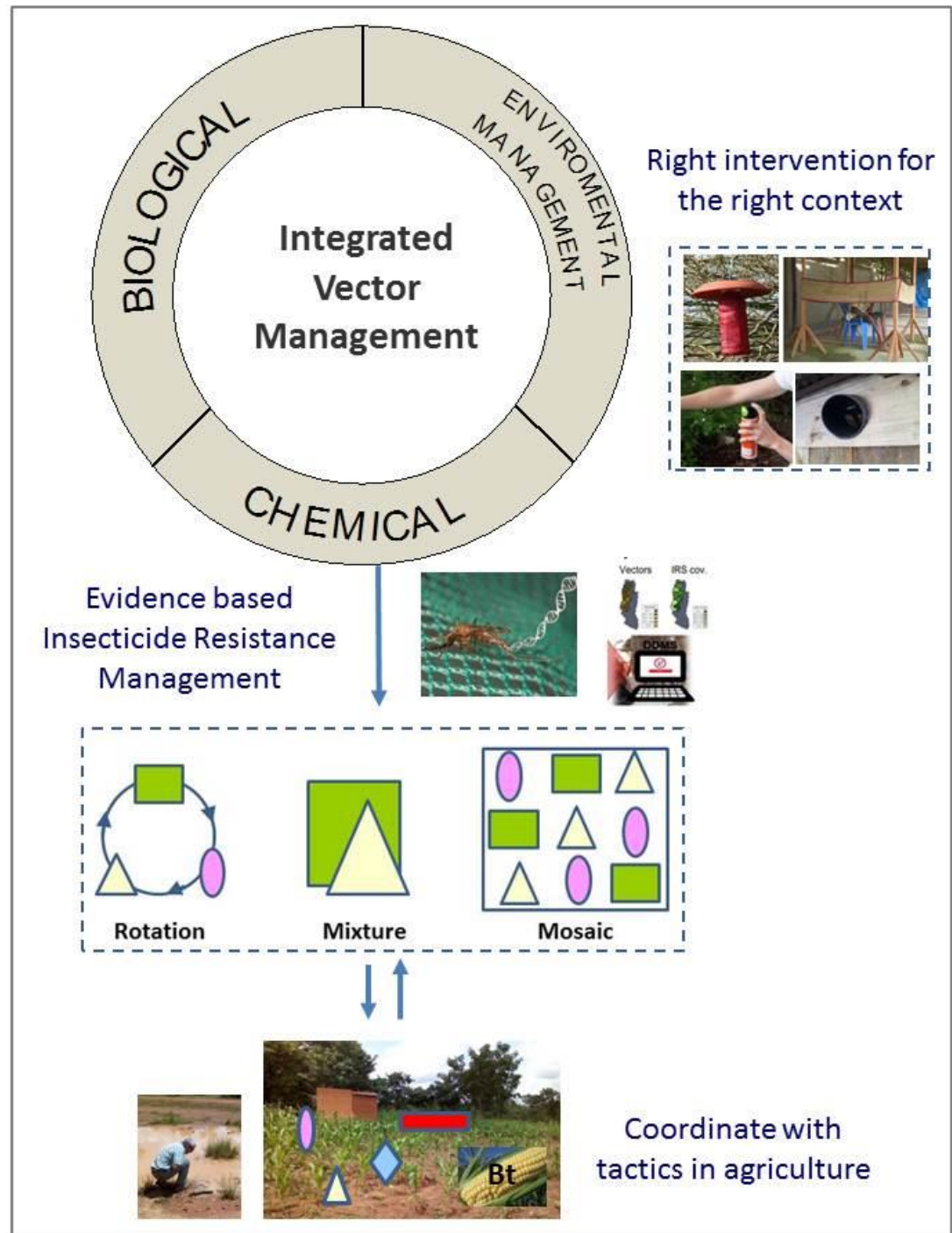


Figure 5. Introduction and management of novel VCTs in the context of IRM and IVM strategies

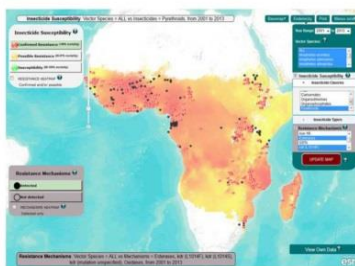
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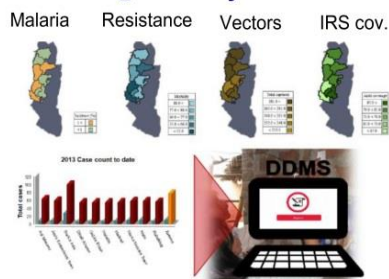
... means to systematically gather and organize IR and other entomological data, such as the DDMS and the IR Mapper, as well as the use of communication technologies, for exemplifying good practices can facilitate IRM...

 **IR Mapper**



interactive website for reporting/visualising insecticide resistance in disease vectors.

DDMS: Disease Data Management System



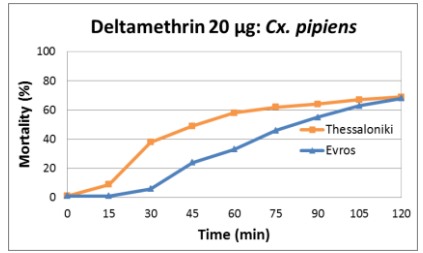
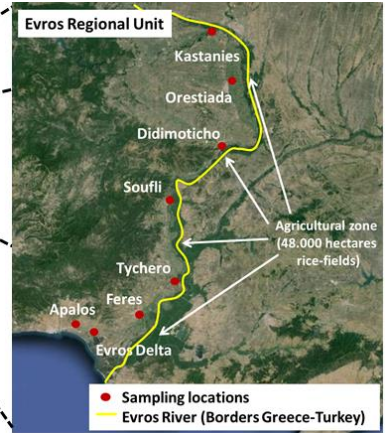
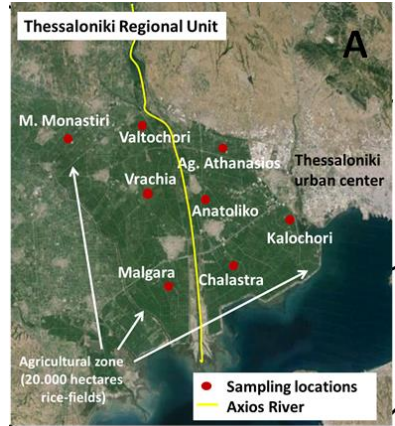
Bringing data together, to make informed decisions

Serious GAMING

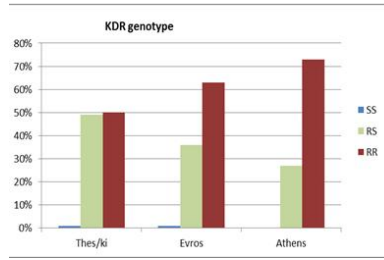
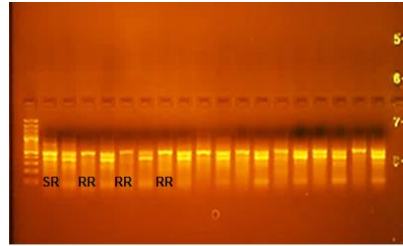


for effectively communicating disease vector control management guidelines to vector control programmes

Παρακολούθηση της συχνότητας και διασποράς της ανθεκτικότητας σε πληθυσμούς *Culex pipiens* στην Ελλάδα

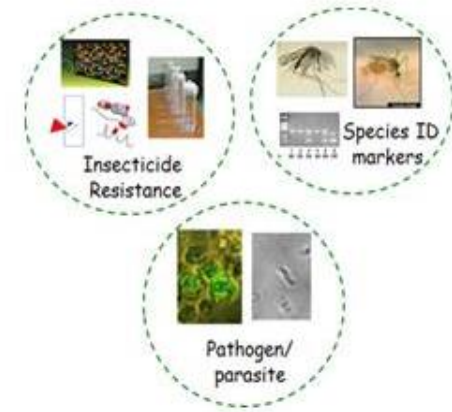


Sampling Areas	Common Species									
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WEST THESSALONIKI										
Chalastra										
Malgara										
Vrachia										
Monastiri										
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Ag. Athanasios										
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Feres										
Tycherio										
Soufli										
Didimoticho										
Orestiada										
Kastanies										



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