

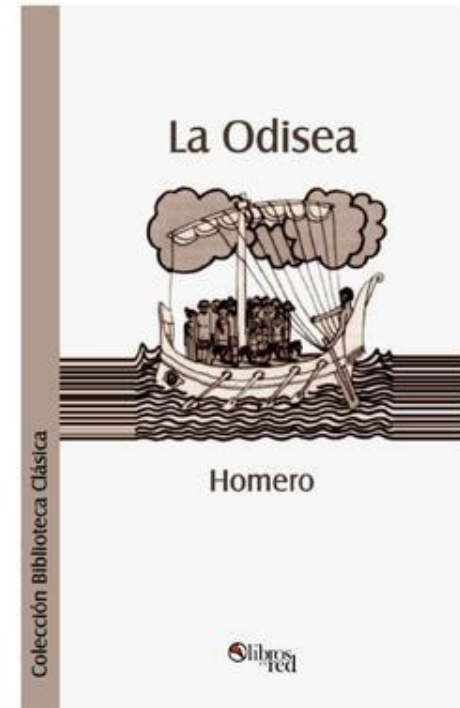
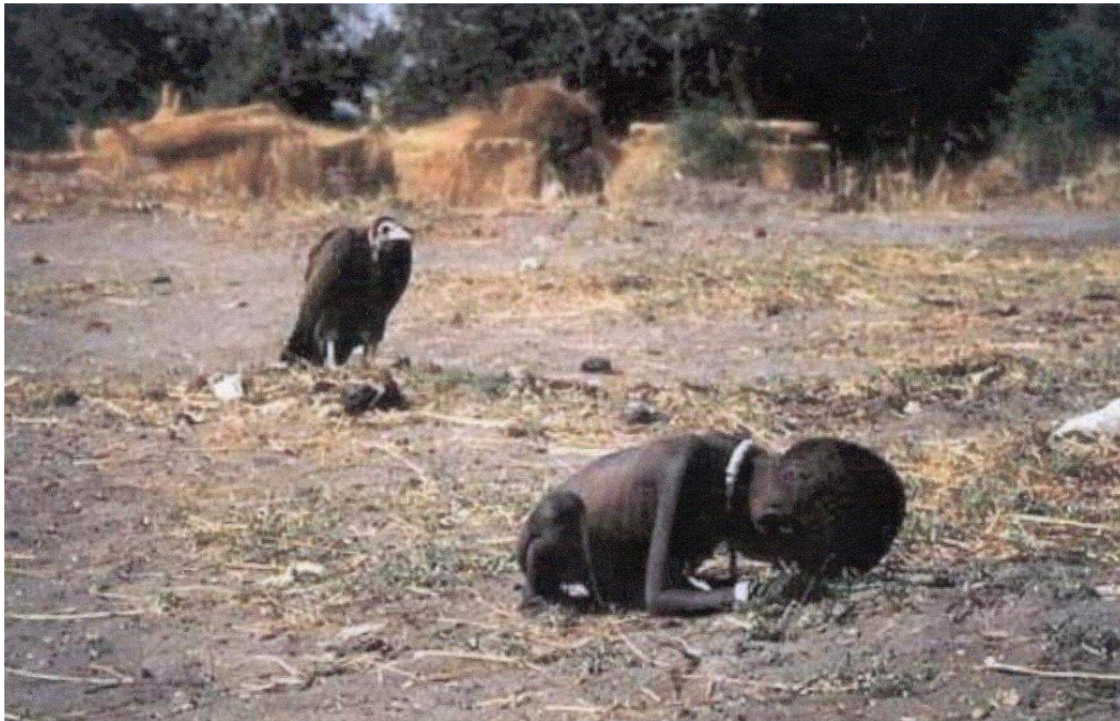
A magnifying glass is positioned over a corn cob, focusing on a stylized DNA double helix structure. The background shows the yellow kernels and green husks of the corn. The text is overlaid on the image.

Herramientas moleculares para el mejoramiento genético de plantas

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“Morir de hambre es el más amargo de los destinos”

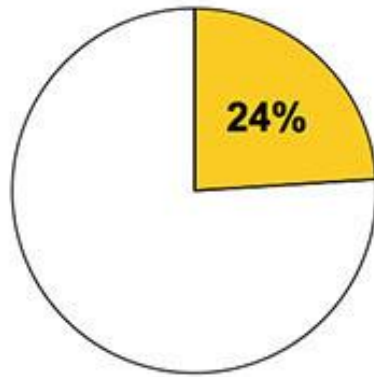
Homero, La Odisea.



La agricultura tiene impactos . . .

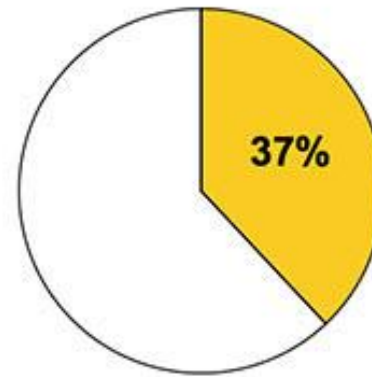
Agriculture's Share of Global Environmental Impact (2010)

GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS



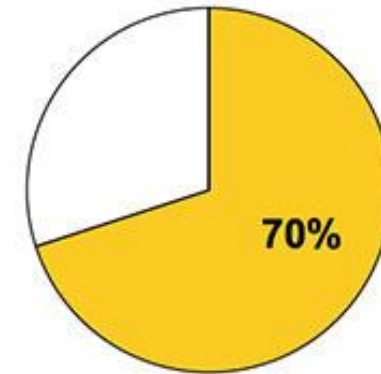
100% = 49 Gt CO₂e

EARTH'S LANDMASS (EX-ANTARCTICA)



100% = 13.3 bn ha

WATER WITHDRAWAL

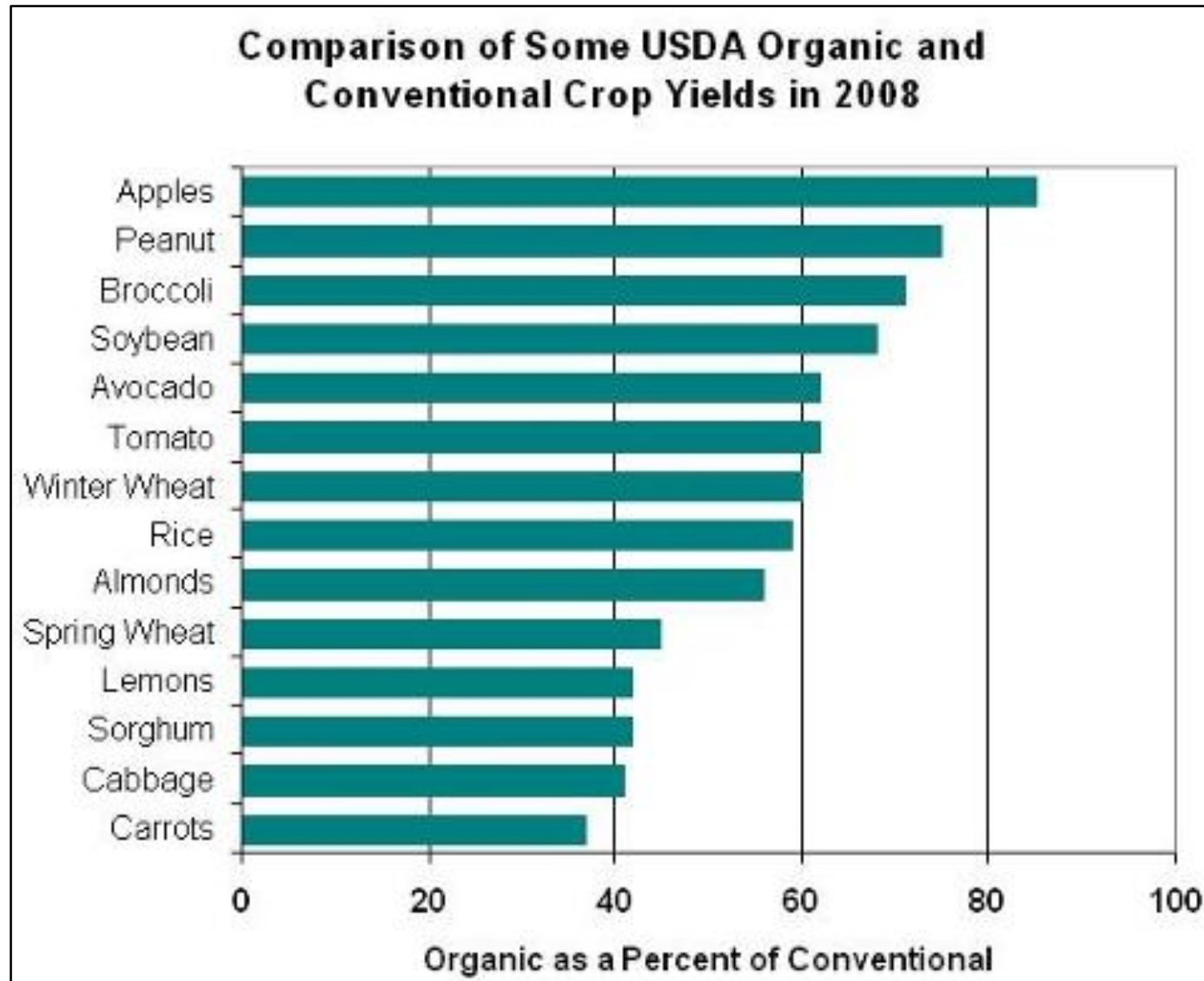


100% = 3862 km³ H₂O

El Mito de “La Agricultura es Natural”



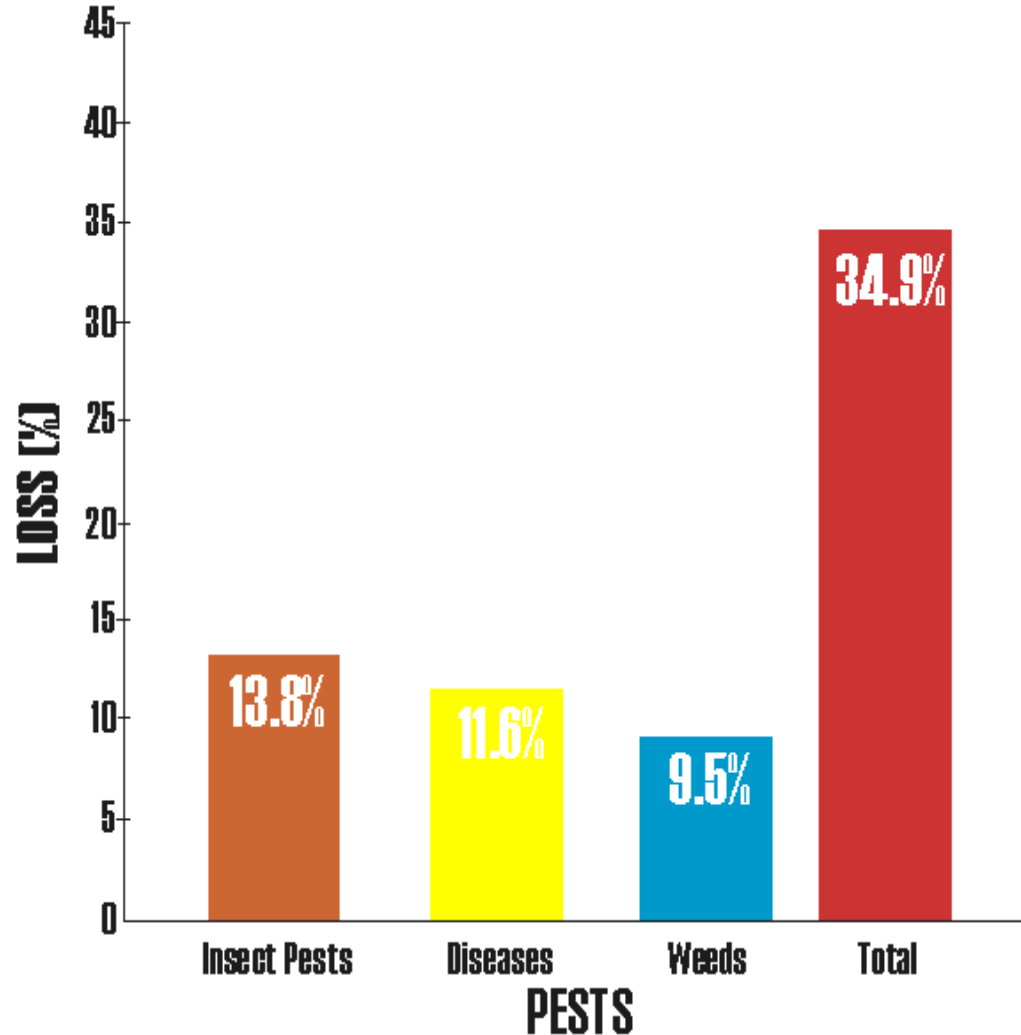
Agricultura Orgánica rinde menos



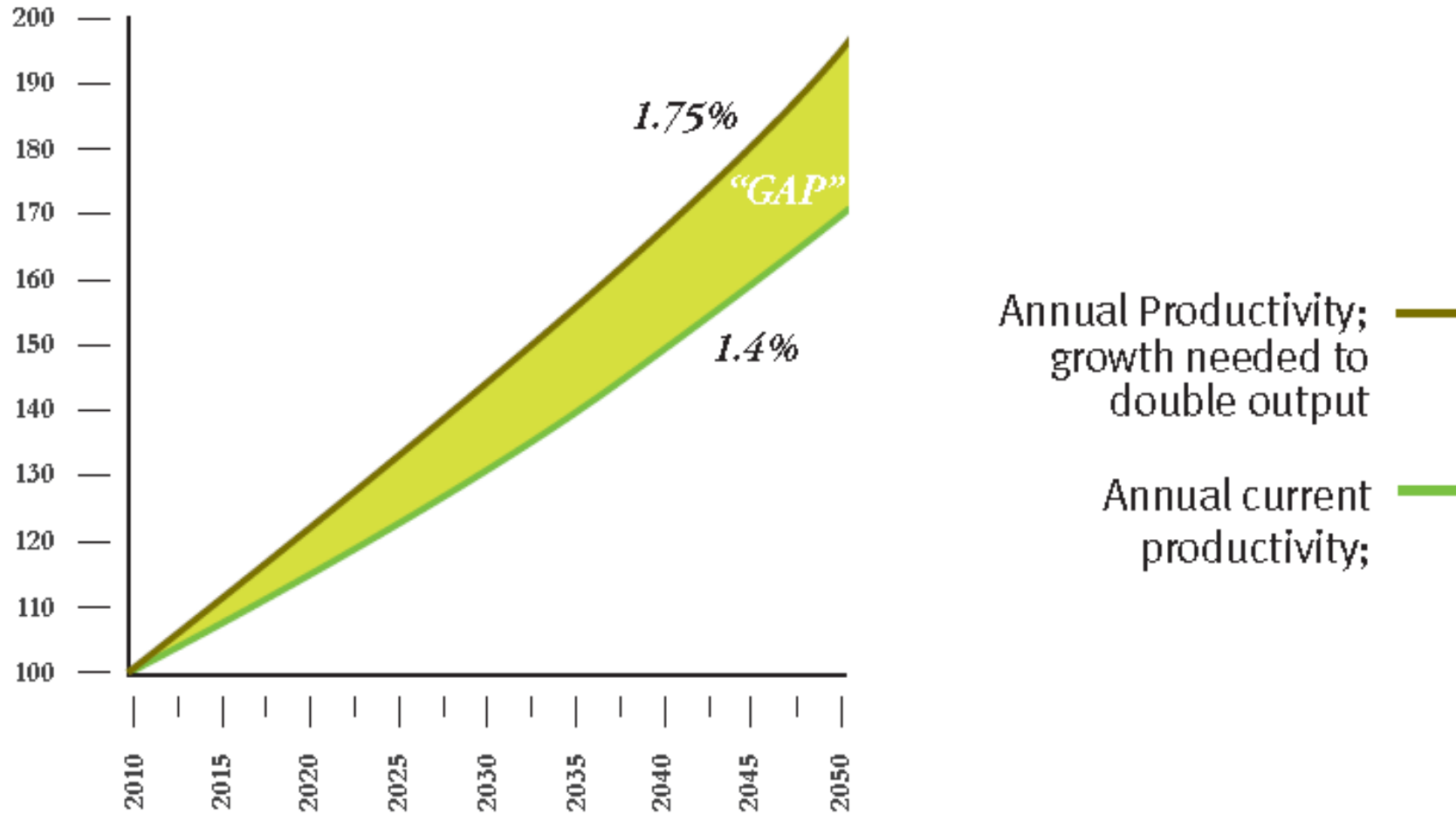
Rendimientos Promedios y Récords de algunos cultivos importantes (Bray *et. al.*, 2000)

Cultivo	Rendimiento o Récord (Kg/Há)	Rendimiento Promedio (Kg/Há)	Rendimiento Promedio (% del récord)	Pérdida Promedio por factor Biótico (% del récord)	Pérdida Promedio por factor Abiótico (% del récord)
Trigo	14,500	1,880	13.0	5.0	82.1
Cebada	11,400	2,050	18.0	6.7	75.4
Soya	7,390	1,610	21.8	9.0	69.3
Maíz	19,300	4,600	23.8	10.1	65.8
Papa	94,100	28,300	30.1	18.9	54.1
Remolacha Azucarera	121,000	42,600	35.2	14.1	50.7

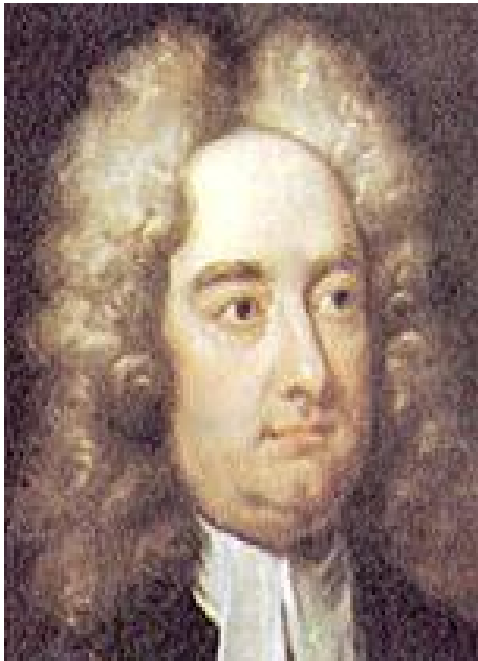
Factores que causan pérdidas en agricultura



La brecha global de Productividad Agrícola: 2010-2050



Jonathan Swift



“And he gave it for his opinion, "that whoever could make two ears of corn, or two blades of grass, to grow upon a spot of ground where only one grew before, would deserve better of mankind, and do more essential service to his country, than the whole race of politicians put together.”

– Jonathan Swift, *Gulliver's Travels*

"Y él lo dio por su opinión", que cualquiera que pudiera hacer crecer dos mazorcas de maíz, o dos hojas de pasto, sobre un terreno donde solo creció uno antes, se merecería más de la humanidad, y haría un servicio más esencial para su país, que toda la raza de políticos juntos".

Mejoramiento Genético de Plantas

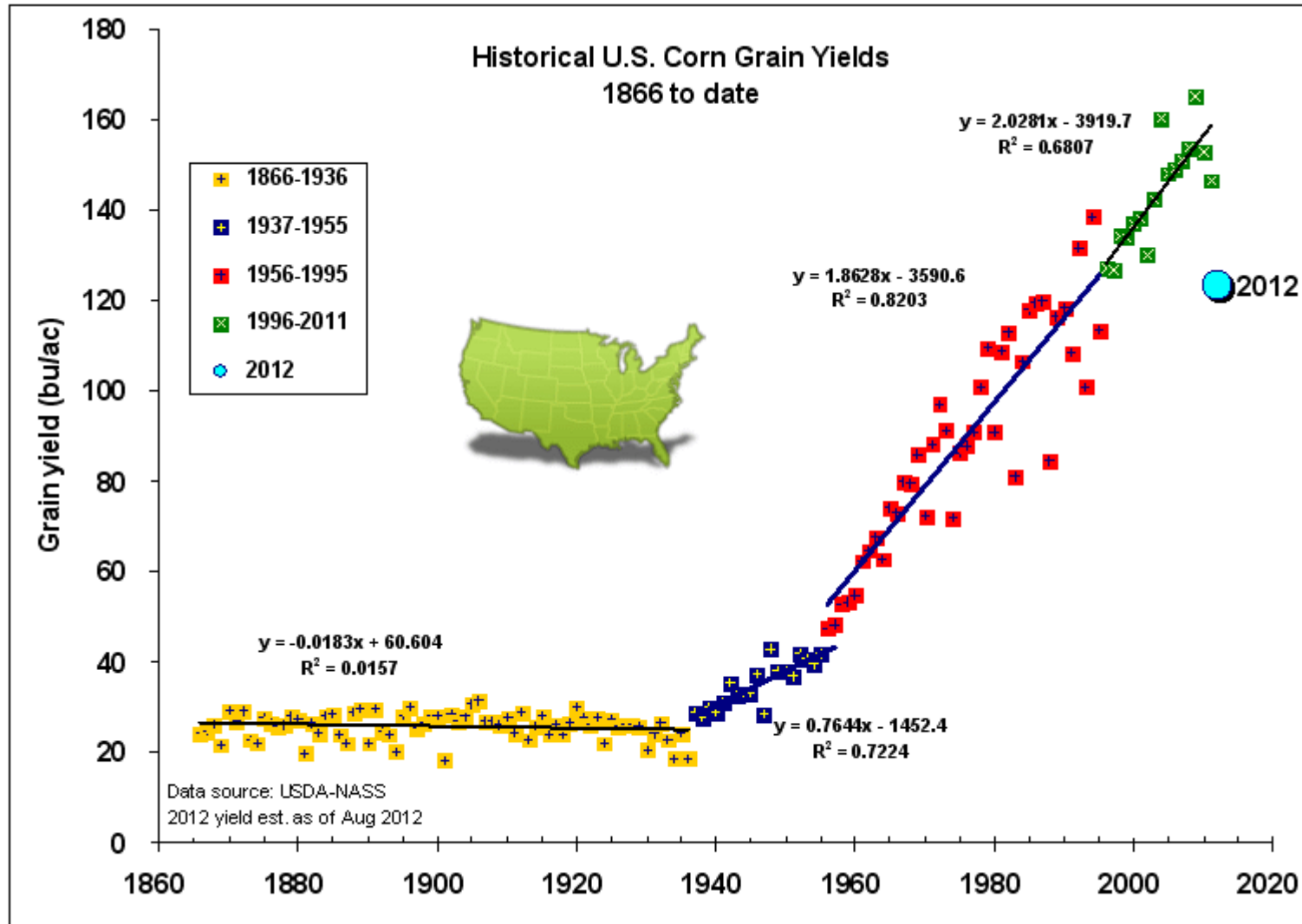


**Bajo relieve asirio de 750 AC
polinización artificial de una
palmera datilera**

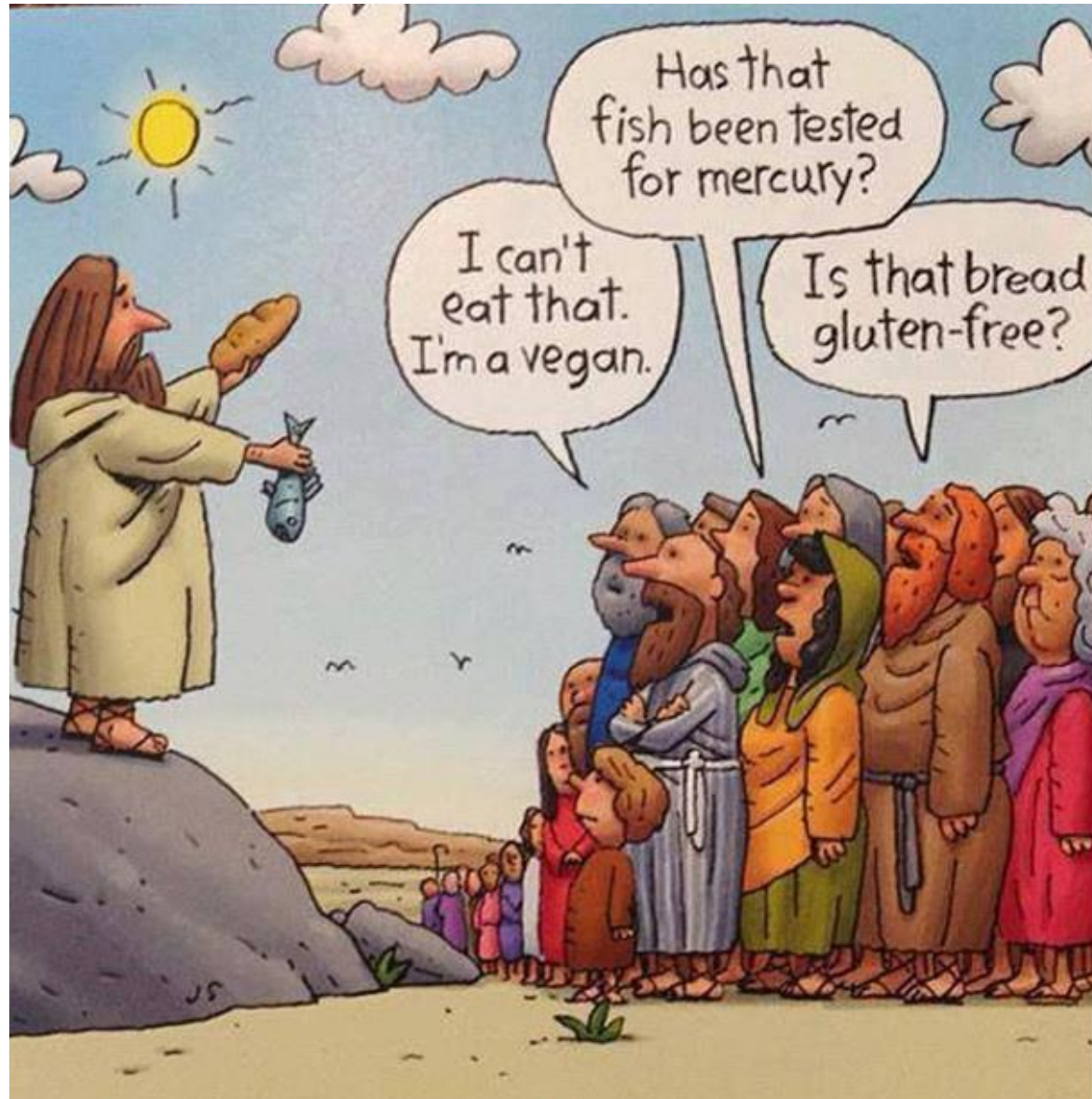


Mejorador de maíz contemporaneo

Rendimientos Históricos del Maíz (1866-2014)



Resistencia al cambio tecnológico (I)



Resistencia al cambio tecnológico (II)

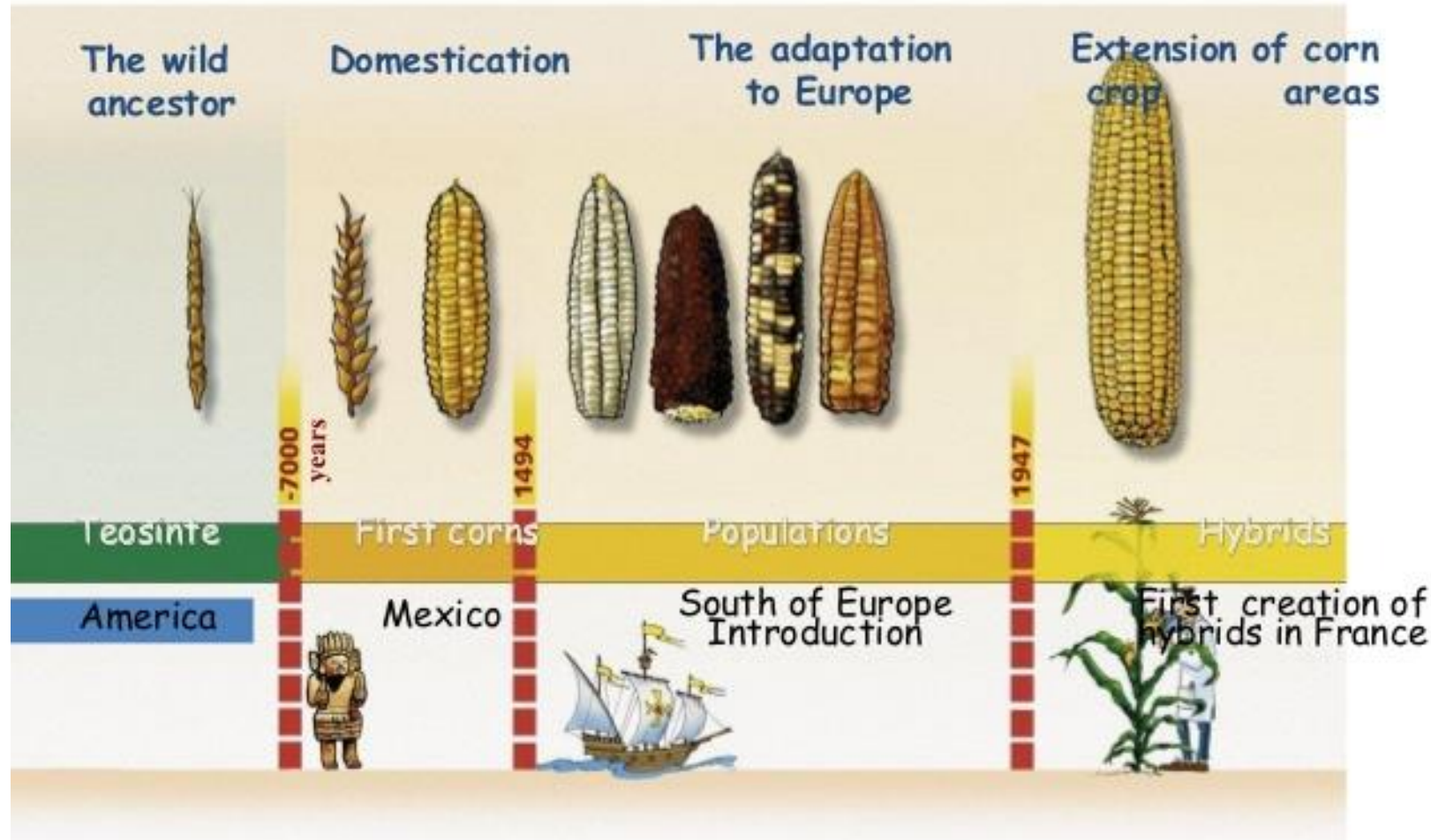
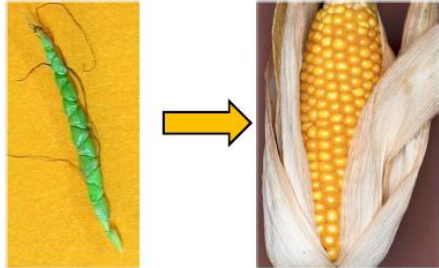


Domesticación de Cultivos

Centers of origin of selected crops



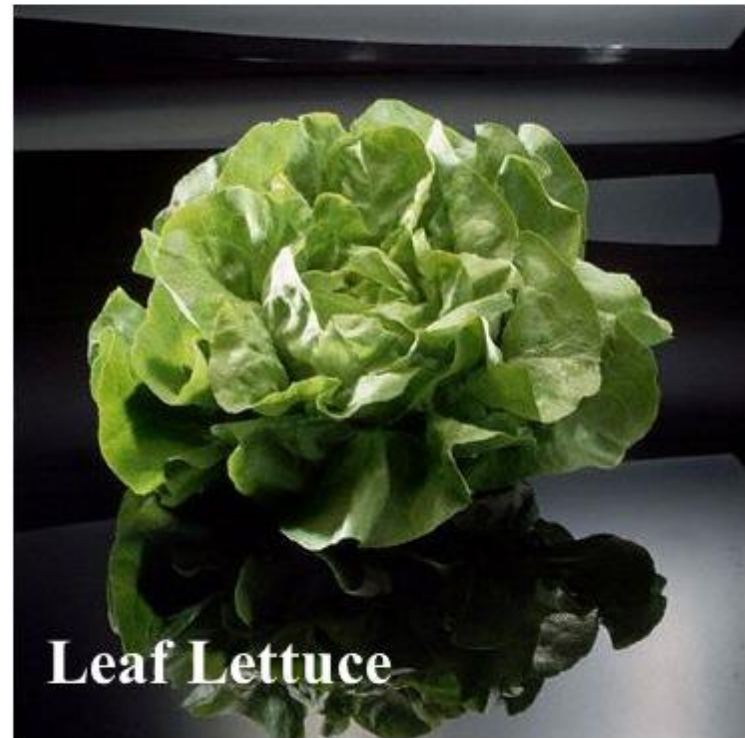
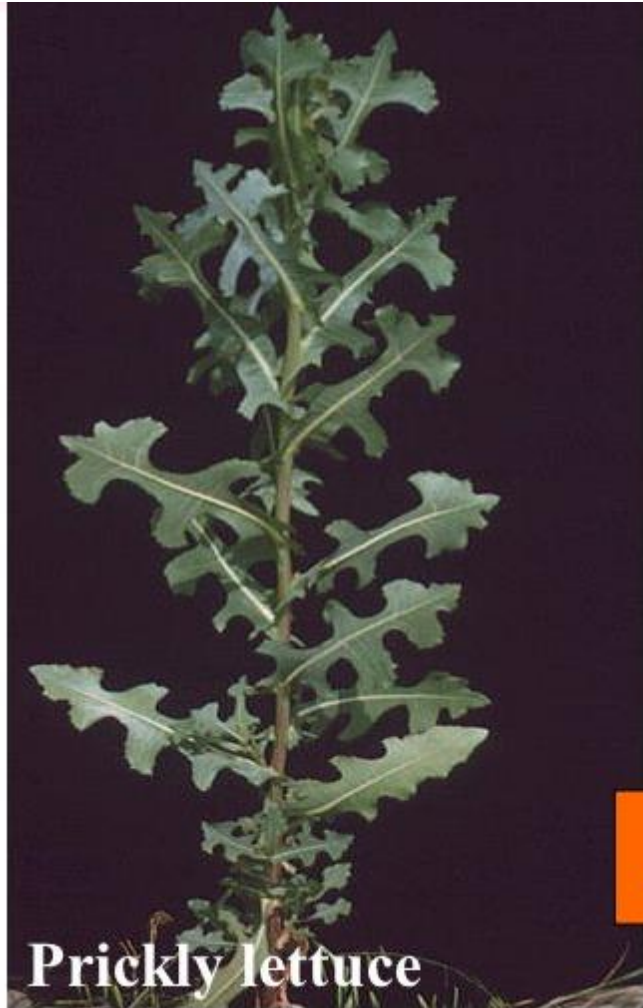
La “Creación” del Maíz



Evolución del Maíz



Domesticación de la Lechuga



purple kale



Boston bibb



romaine



nappa cabbage



green leaf

cabbage



frisee



spinach

mache



treviso



rainbow chard

arugula



Lots Of Lettuce

little gem



mesclun



kale



belgian endive



watercrest



collards



red leaf



redicchio



dandelion greens



iceberg



butter lettuce



Domesticación de la Zanahoria

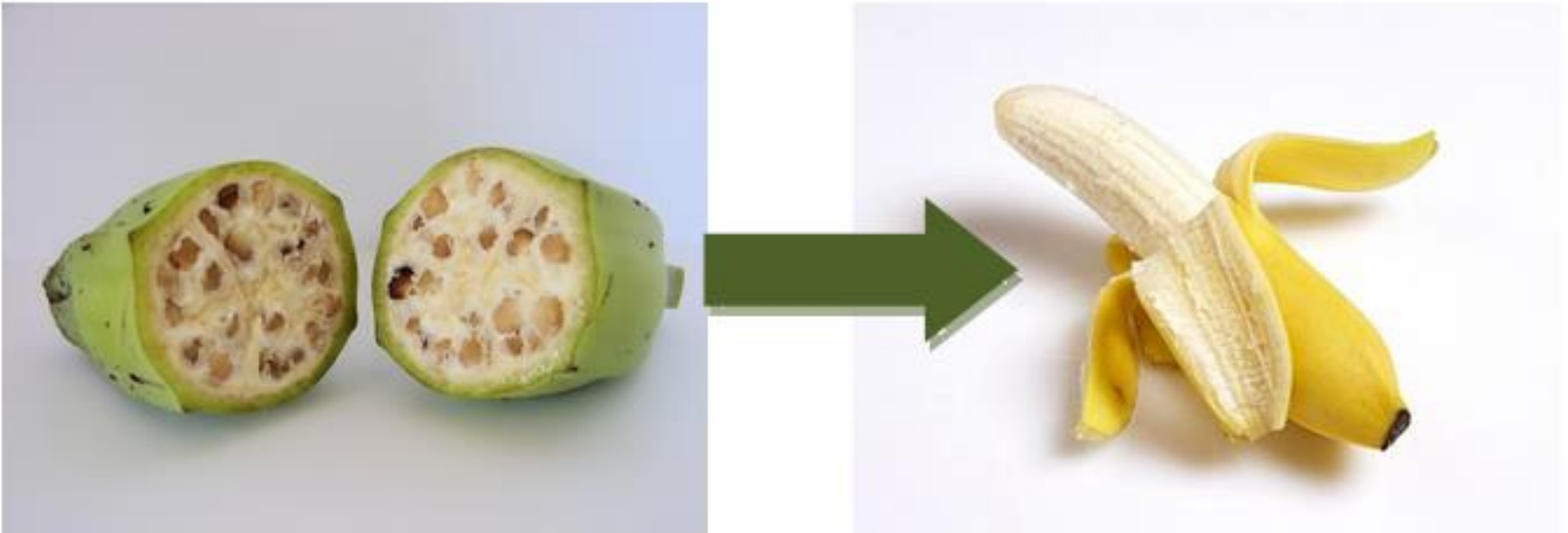




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Domesticación del Banano



Diversas Variedades del Banano



BRUSSELS SPROUTS

Lateral leaf buds



BROCCOLI

Flower buds/stems



CABBAGE

Terminal leaf bud



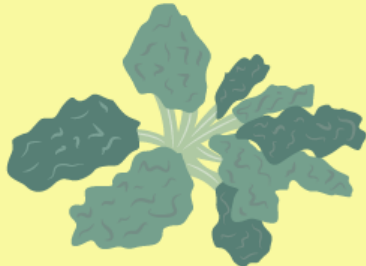
CAULIFLOWER

Flower buds



KALE

Leaves

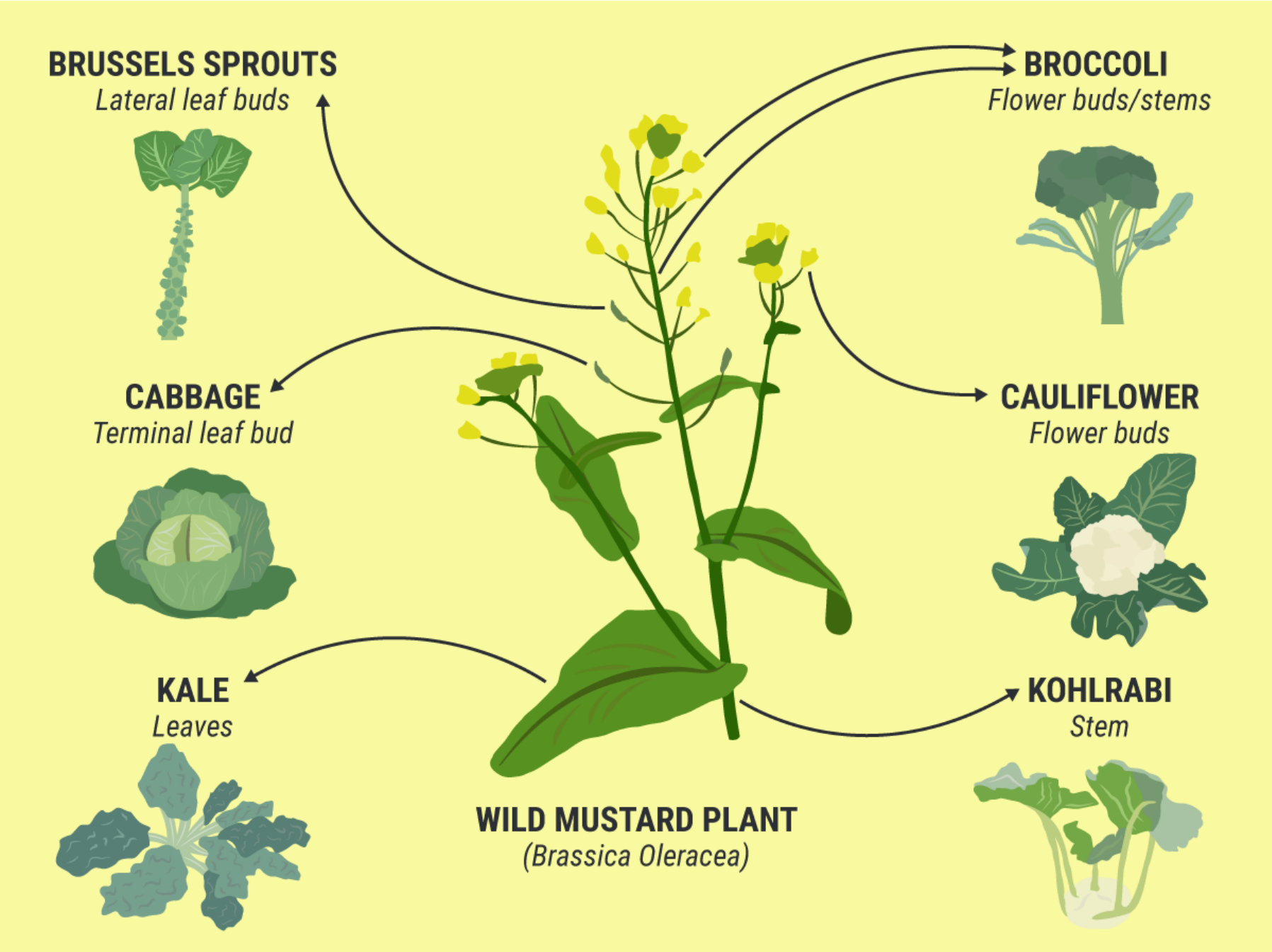


KOHLRABI

Stem



WILD MUSTARD PLANT
(Brassica Oleracea)



Principales Objetivos de los Mejoradores

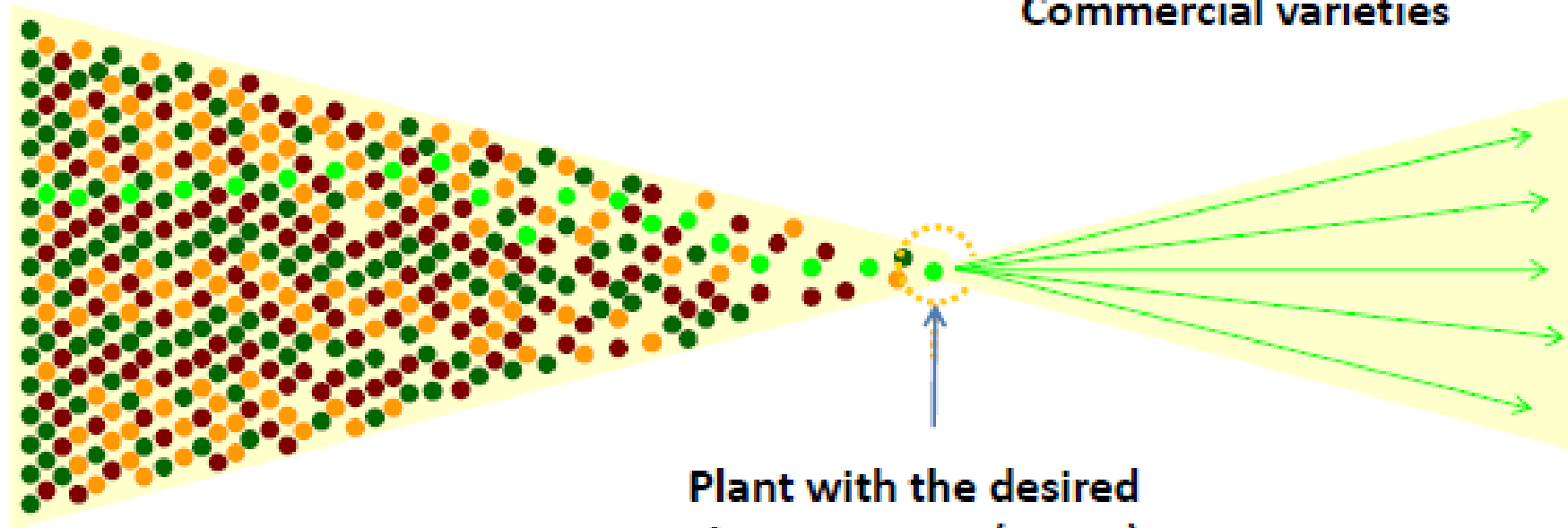
- **Tolerancia múltiple a herbicidas**
- **Resistencia a enfermedades**
- **Producción de híbridos**
- **Uso eficiente de nutrientes**
- **Mejor calidad de aceite, almidón y aa´s esenciales**
- **Tolerancia al frío y a las heladas**
- **Tolerancia a la salinidad**
- **Resistencia a insectos**
- **Calidad nutritiva**

Mejoramiento Tradicional de Plantas

Crossing or
mutation

Successive generations
of selection

Commercial varieties



Thousands

Hundreds

10s

1

Producción de Híbridos a partir de Líneas Endogámicas

Se necesitan 7 generaciones de auto polinización para crear líneas endogámicas



Depresión endogámica

B73

Mo17



¿Cómo se diferencia el MGP tradicional del actual?

- **Aceleración vía marcadores moleculares**
- **Genético antes que fenotípico**
- **Identificación de los genes que contribuyen a la característica**
- **Eficiencia a través del uso de herramientas moleculares y robótica**
- **Toma menos generaciones**
- **Adición de genes específicos**
- **Cambios específicos por genes específicos**
- **Mayor comprensión de la estructura del genoma**

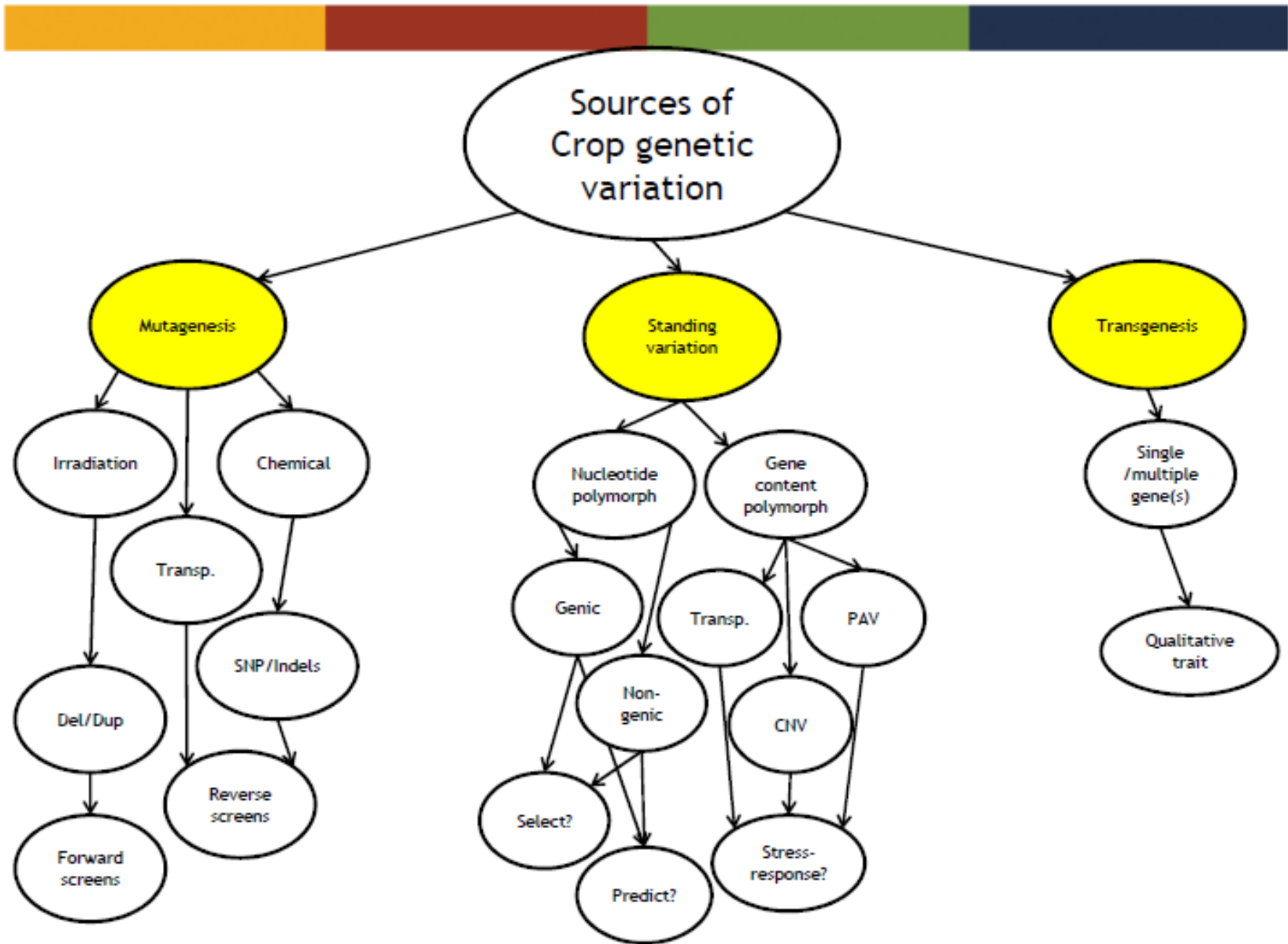


Table 1 Ten leading institutions developing new plant breeding technologies ranked according to absolute number of publications and number of covered techniques

Institution	Location	Number of publications	Techniques ^a
Wageningen University	Wageningen, The Netherlands	21	C,R,G,B,A
University of California, Riverside	Riverside, CA, USA	11	O,R,G,A
John Innes Centre	Norwich, UK	9	C,R,G,A
J.R. Simplot ^b	Boise, Idaho, USA	9	C
Austrian Academy of Sciences	Salzburg, Austria	9	R
University of Amsterdam	Amsterdam	6	Z,O,C,R
Iowa State University	Ames, Iowa, USA	6	Z
Max-Planck Institute	Koln, Germany	4	O,R,G
University of Michigan	Ann Arbor, Michigan, USA	4	C,Z
Institute of Plant Genetics and Crop Plant Research (IPK)	Gatersleben, Germany	4	O,G

^aEach technique is represented by a letter. Z, ZFN; O, ODM; C, cisgenesis/intragenesis; R, RdDM; G, grafting; B, reverse breeding; A, agro-infiltration. ^bPrivate institution.

Nuevas Tecnologías de Mejoramiento Genético de Plantas

- **Tecnología de las Nucleasas de los Dedos de Zinc**
- **CRISPR/Cas9**
- **Mutagénesis de Oligonucleótido Dirigida**
- **Metilación del ADN dependiente del ARN**
- **Cisgénesis e Intragénesis**
- **Grafting**
- **Reverse Breeding**
- **Agroinfiltración**

NPBT: New Plant Breeding Techniques

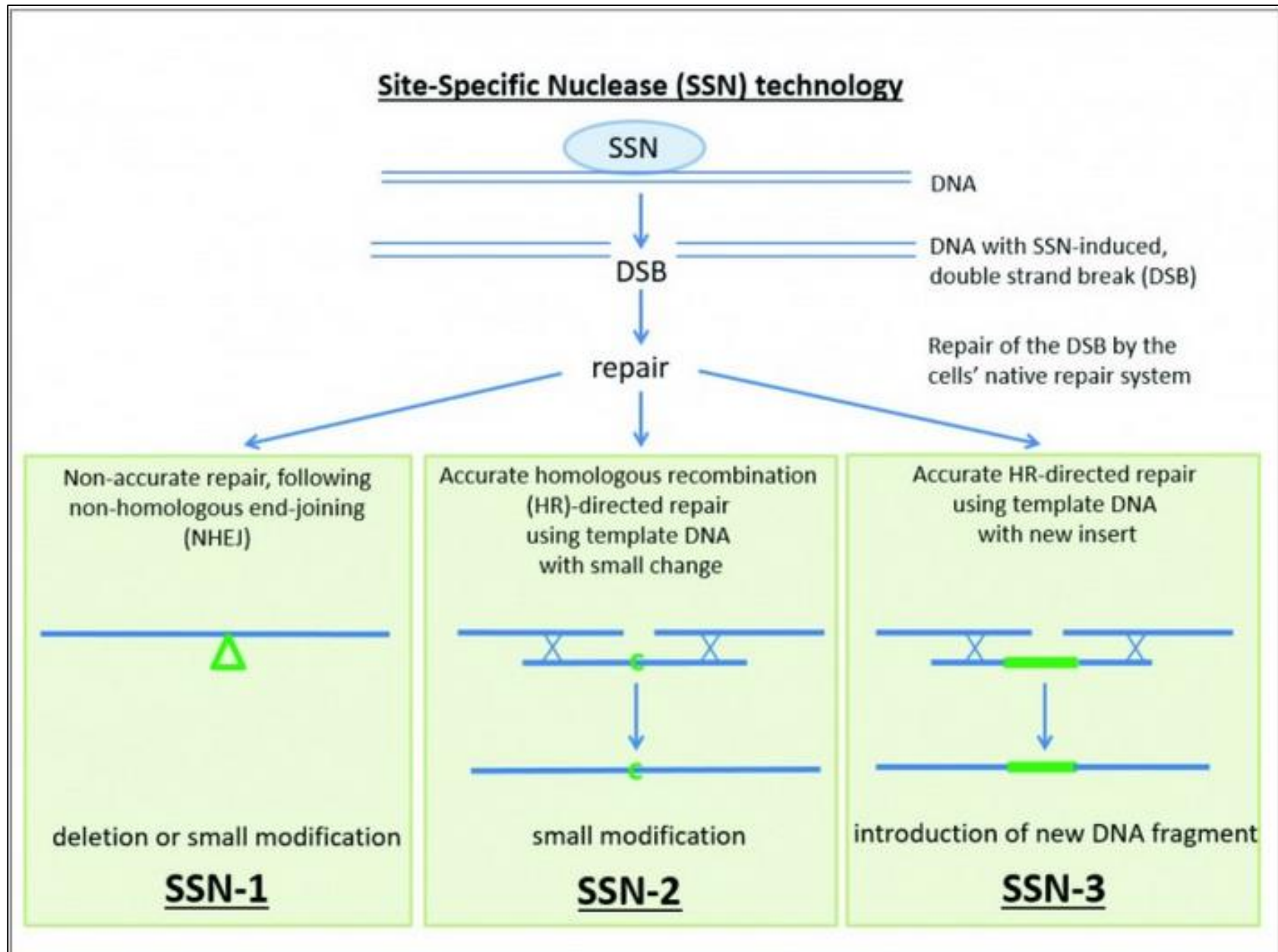
BOX 2

Groups of NPBTs

Group 1:	Site specific mutagenesis	Zinc Finger Nuclease (ZFN) technique Meganuclease (MN) technique Transcription Activator-Like Effector Nuclease (TALEN) technique Oligonucleotide-Directed Mutagenesis (ODM)
Group 2:	Cisgenesis and Intragenesis	Cisgenesis Intragenesis
Group 3:	Breeding with transgenic inducer line	RNA-dependent DNA methylation (RdDM*) Reverse breeding Accelerated breeding following early flowering
Group 4:	Grafting techniques	Grafting on GM rootstock
Group 5:	Agro-infiltration techniques	Agro-infiltration 'sensu stricto' Agro-infection Floral dip

* RdDM leads to changes in the methylation status of the genome (epigenetic effect) but not to changes in the DNA sequence. Our view of a genome change is confined to changes in the DNA sequence.

Mutagénesis de Sitio Dirigido

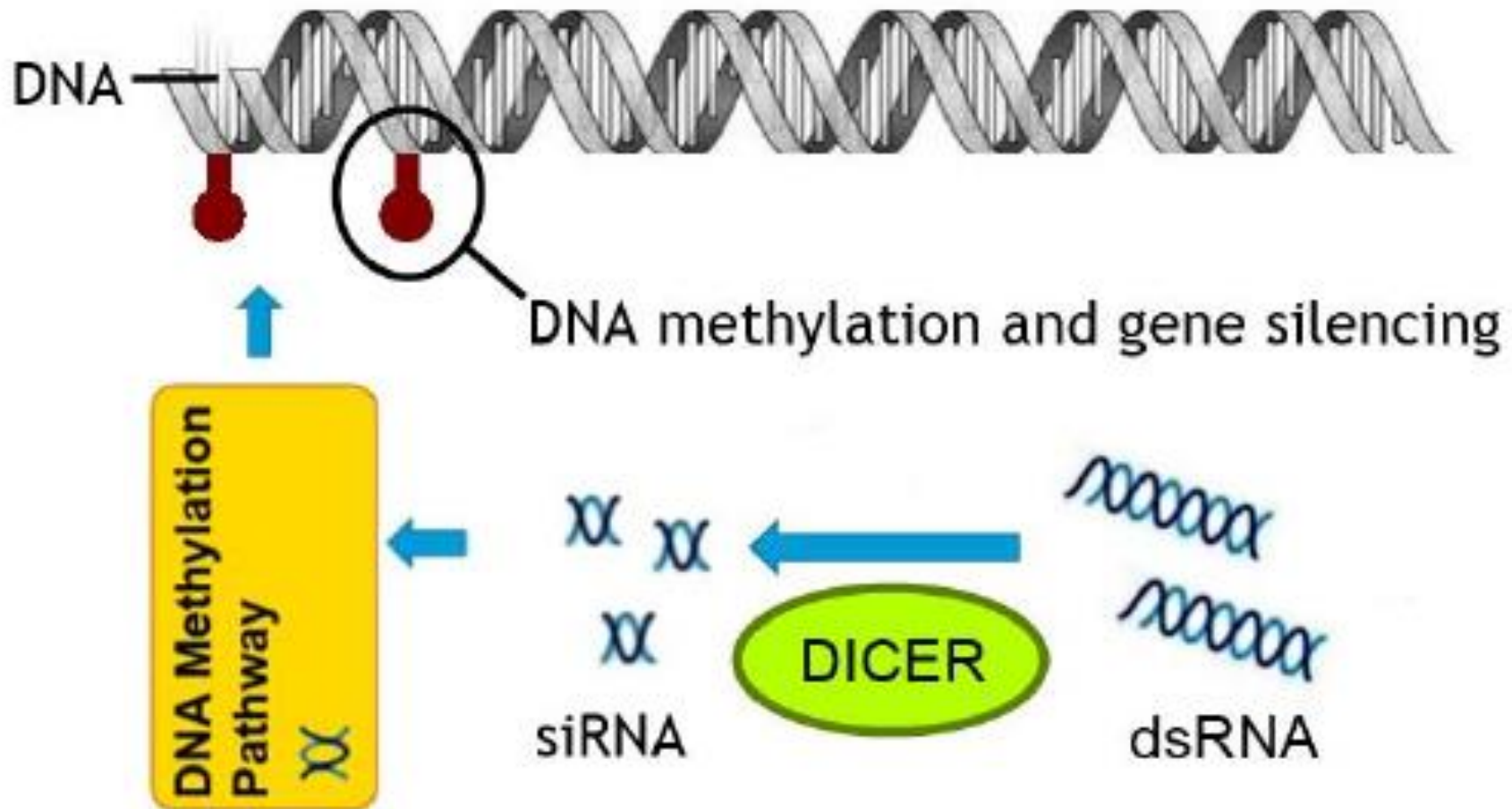


Mutagénesis Dirigida por Oligonucleótido (ODM)

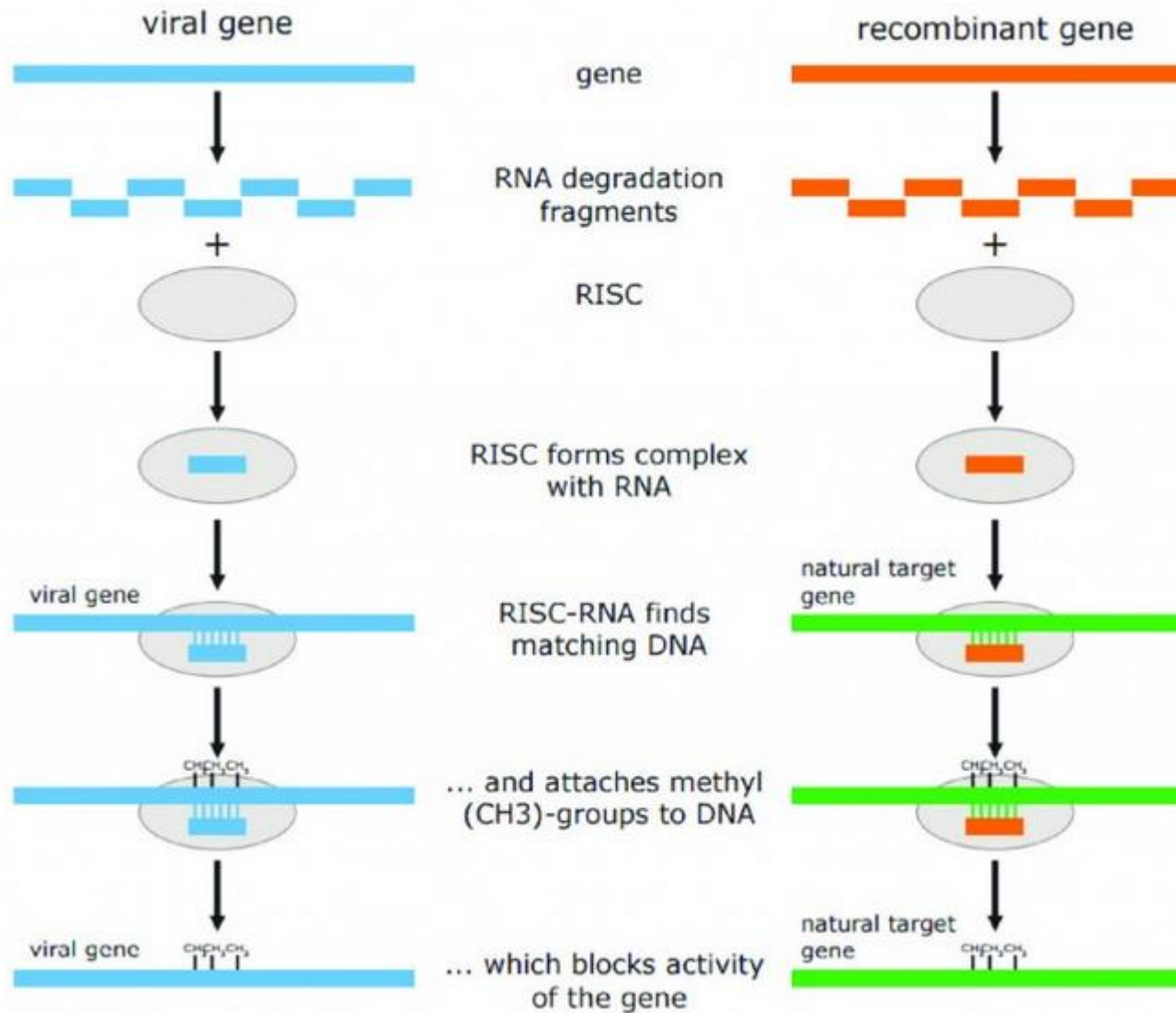


Solo funciona con plantas que pueden ser regeneradas a partir de protoplastos

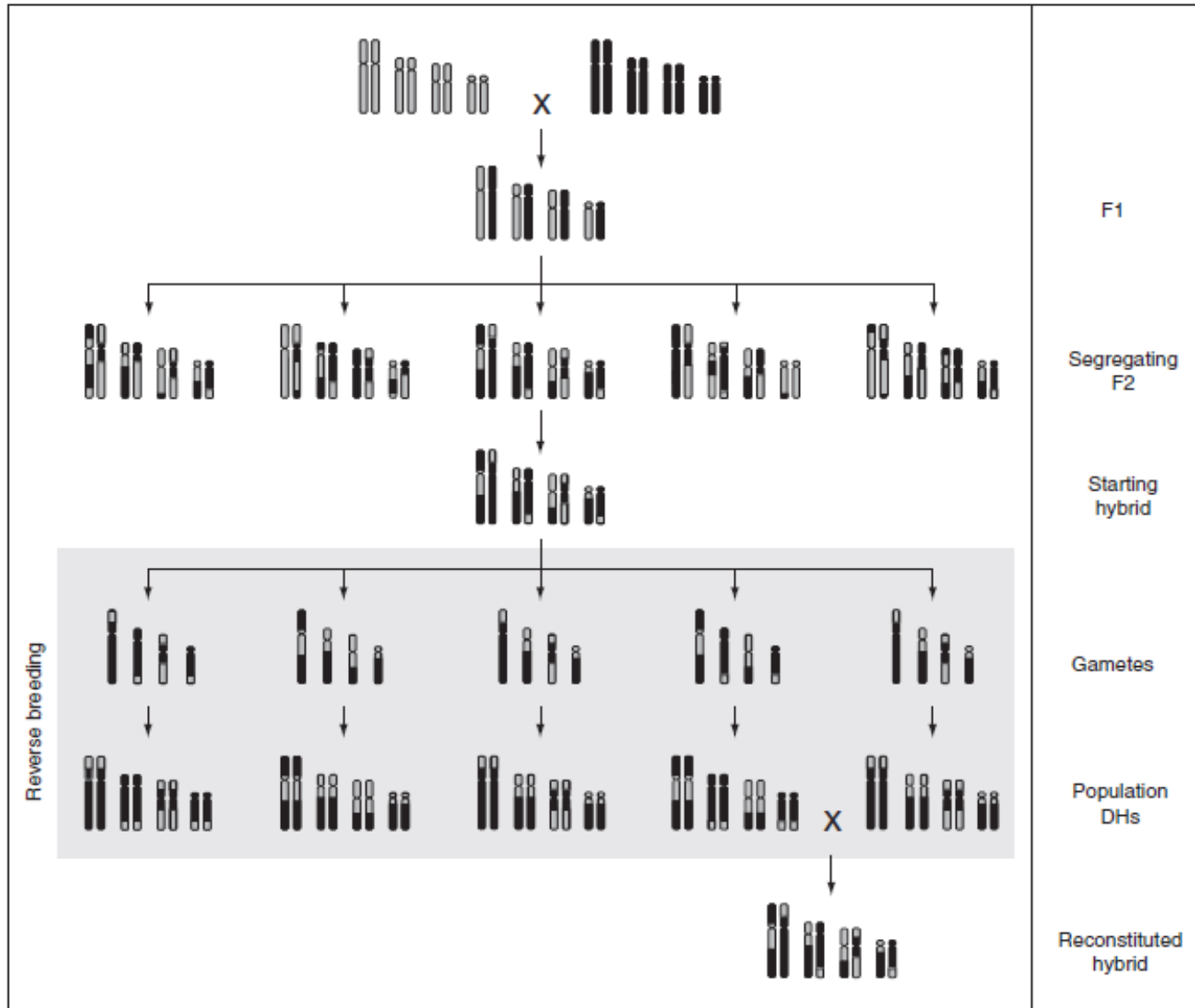
RNA-dependent DNA Methylation



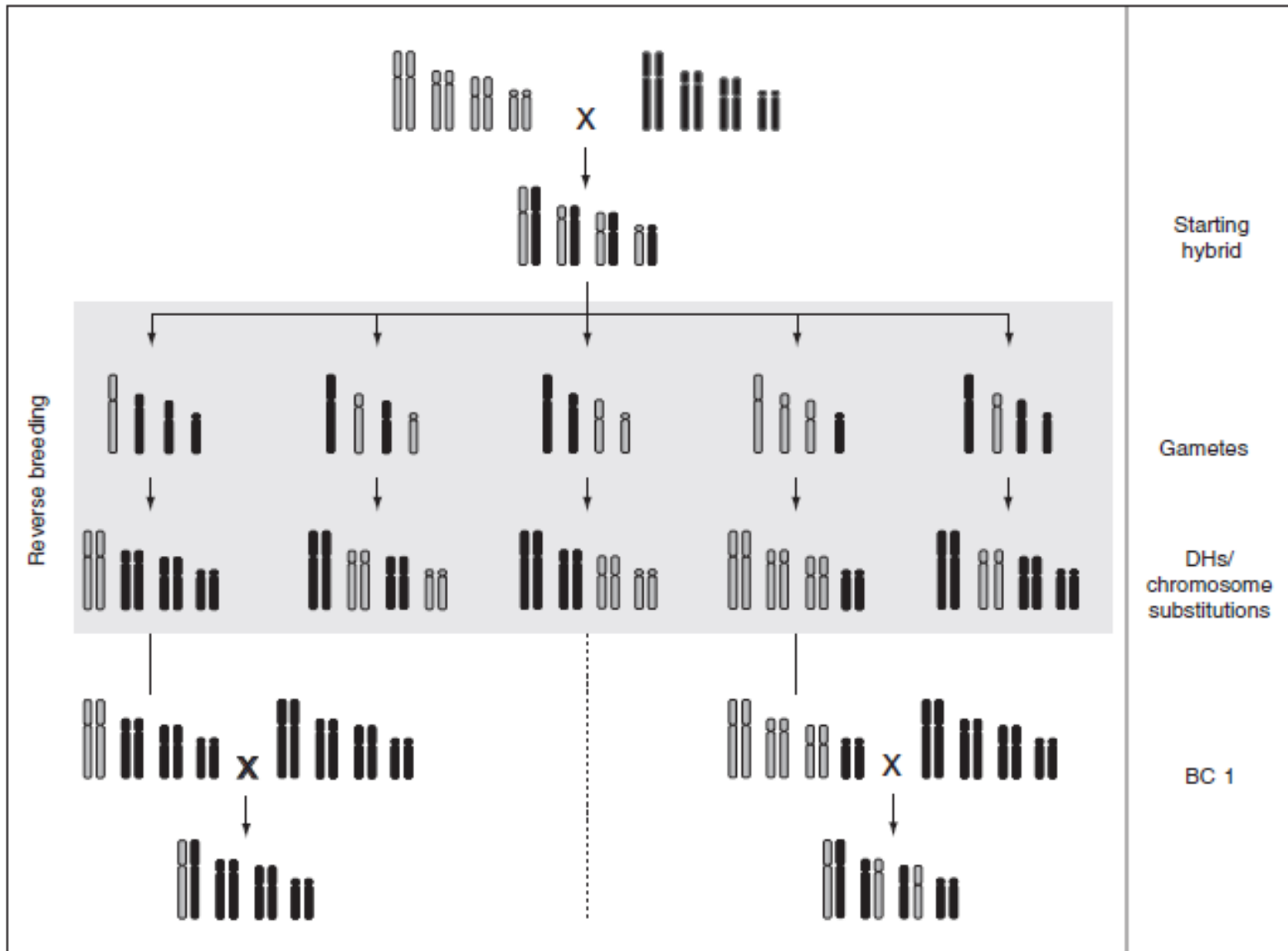
RdDM en detalle



Reverse Breeding (I)



Reverse Breeding (II)

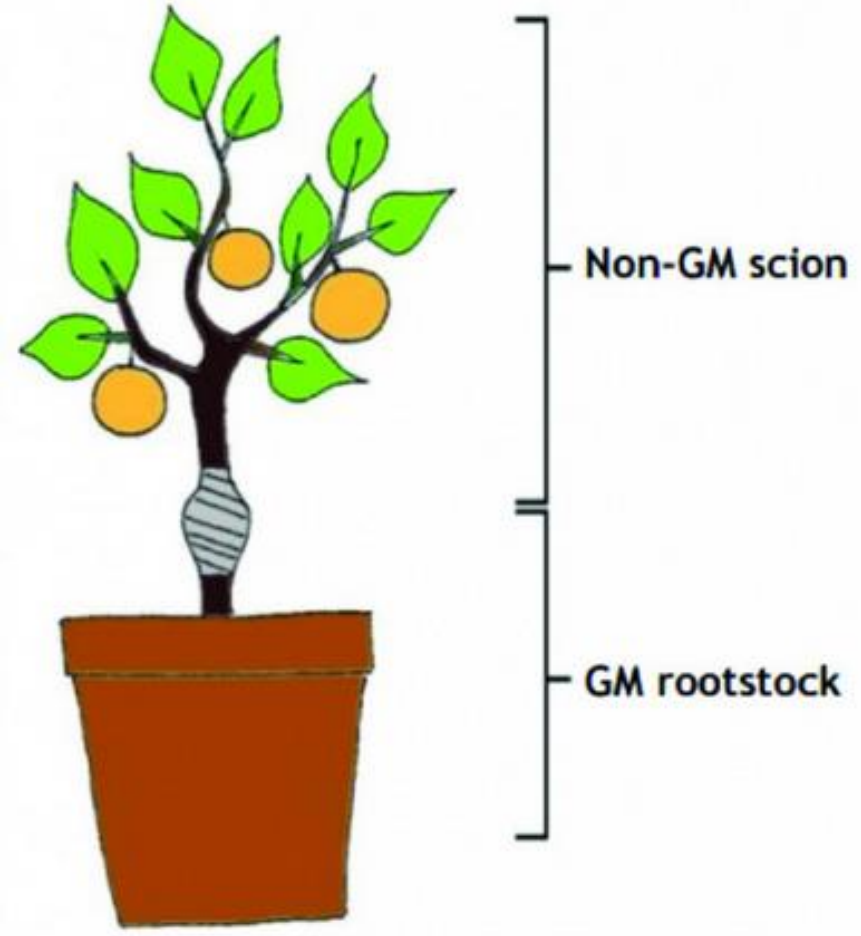


Reverse Breeding (III)

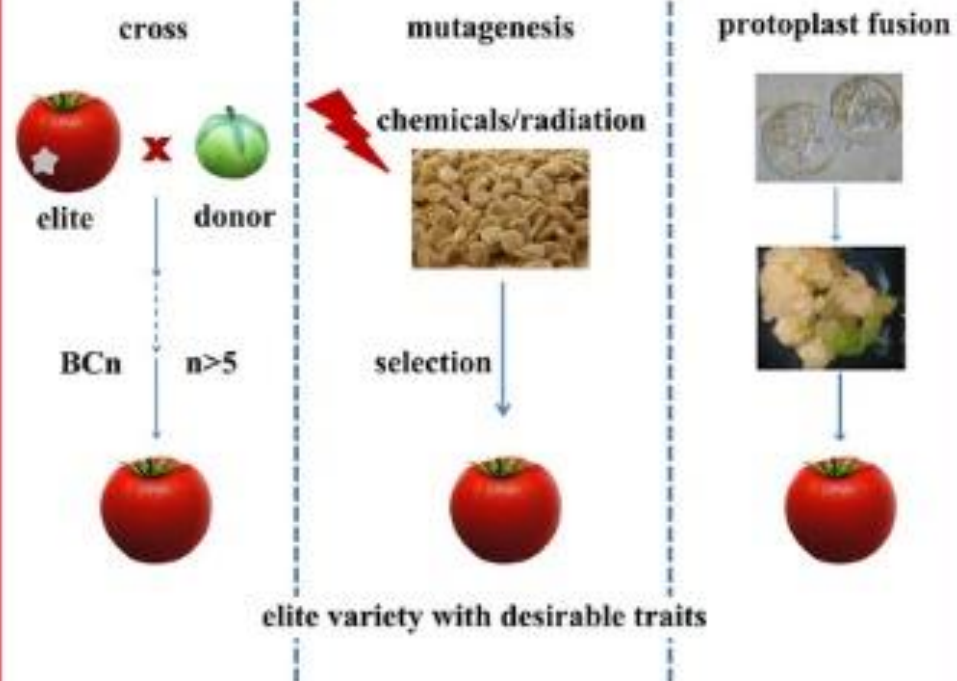
Table 1 Number of non-recombinant DHs required for reconstructing the original starting plant at different probability levels in various species

Haploid chromosome number (<i>x</i>)	Probability				Model species/crop
	0.90	0.95	0.99	1.00	
5	13	14	18	47	<i>Arabidopsis</i>
6	18	20	25	67	Spinach, corn salad
7	25	28	35	94	Cucumber
8	35	40	49	133	Onion
9	49	56	69	188	Barley, carrot, sugarbeet, most vegetable Brassicas, lettuce
10	69	79	98	266	Maize, sorghum, asparagus, cocoa
11	98	111	138	377	Banana, watermelon, celery, fennel, common bean
12	138	157	195	532	Tomato, pepper, melon, rice, egg plant

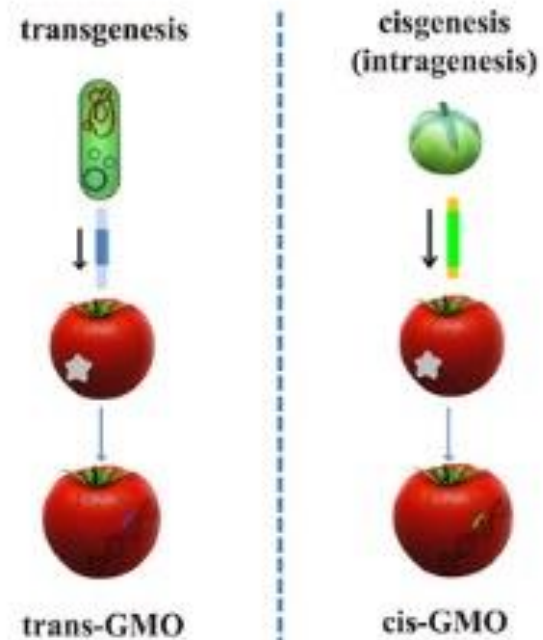
Injerto de Patrón OGM (Grafting)



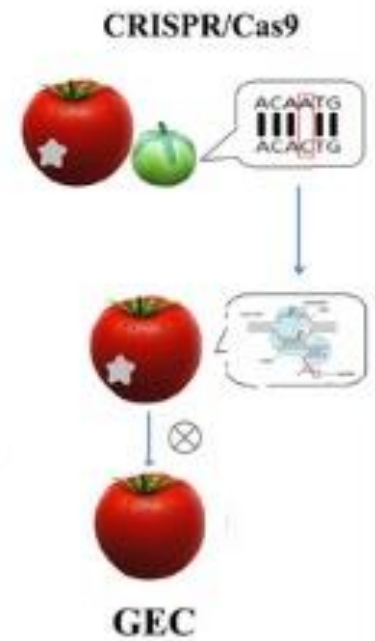
Conventional breeding



Genetic modification

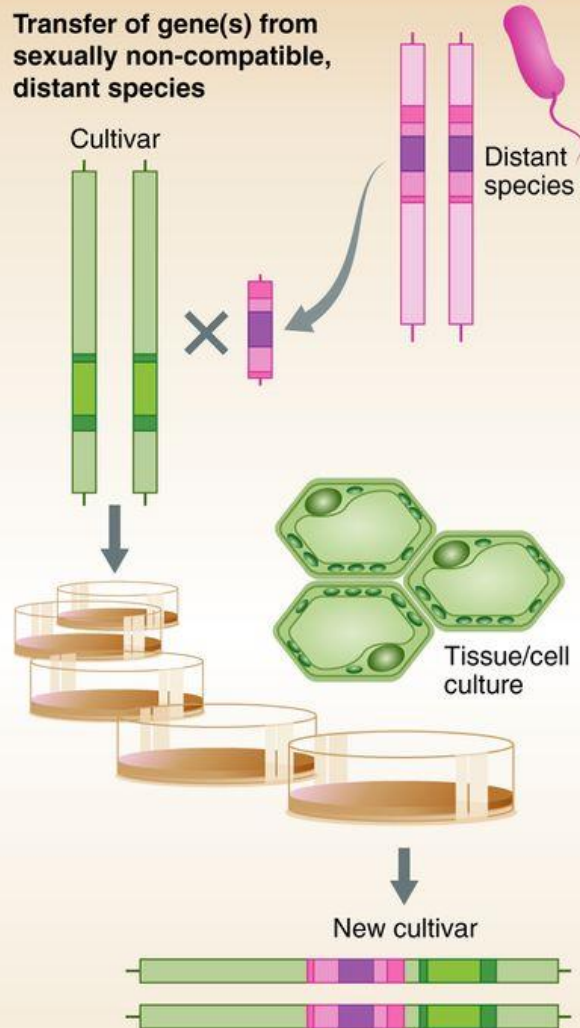


Genome editing



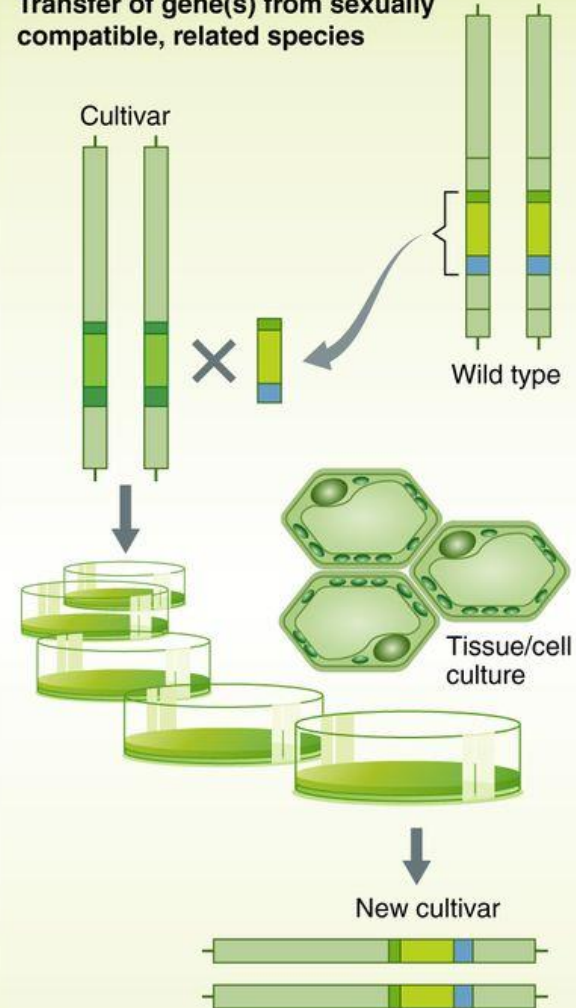
TRANSGENIC

Transfer of gene(s) from sexually non-compatible, distant species



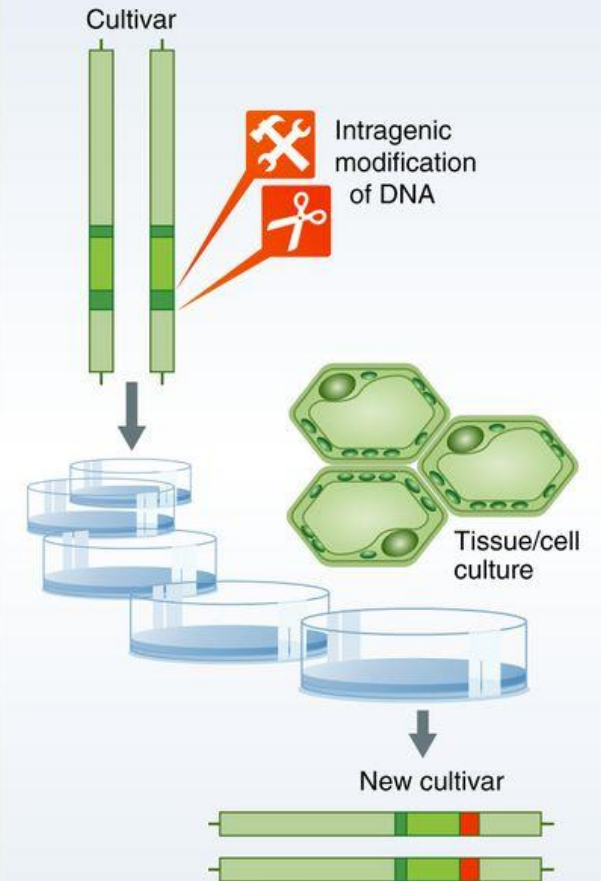
CISGENIC

Transfer of gene(s) from sexually compatible, related species



INTRAGENIC

Direct modification of target genes or gene expression via regulatory RNAs, e.g., gene silencing via short hairpin RNAs (shRNAs)



Aceleración de la Domesticación de Plantas Silvestres

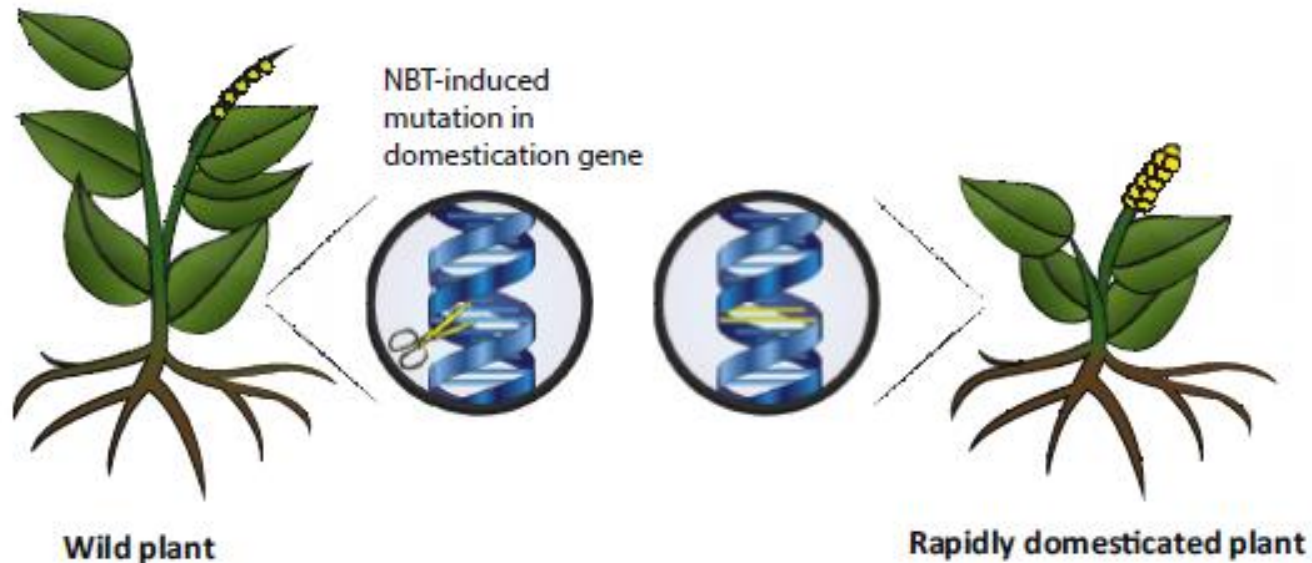
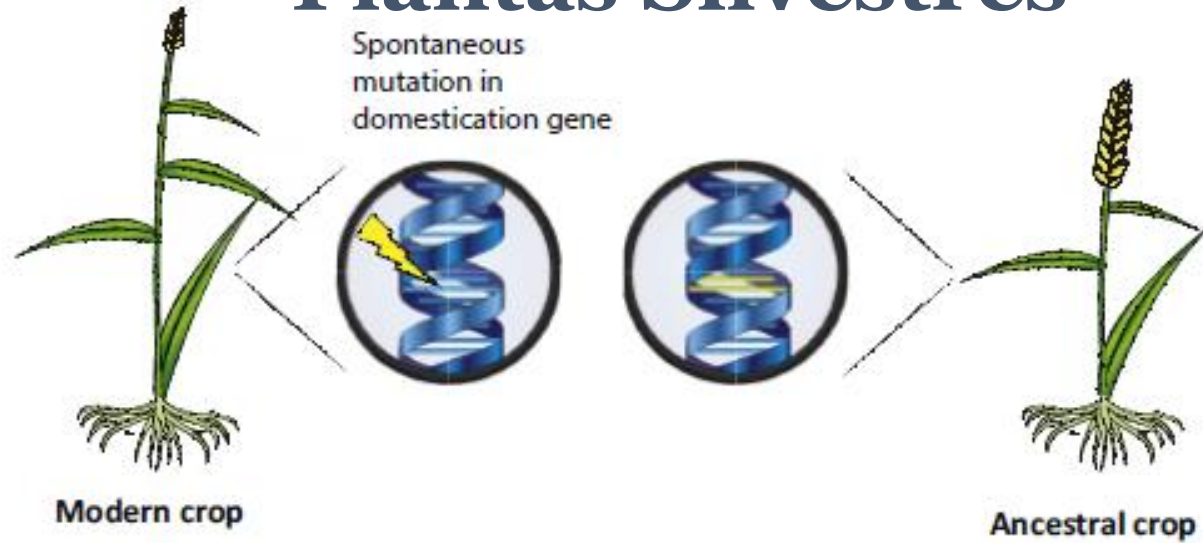
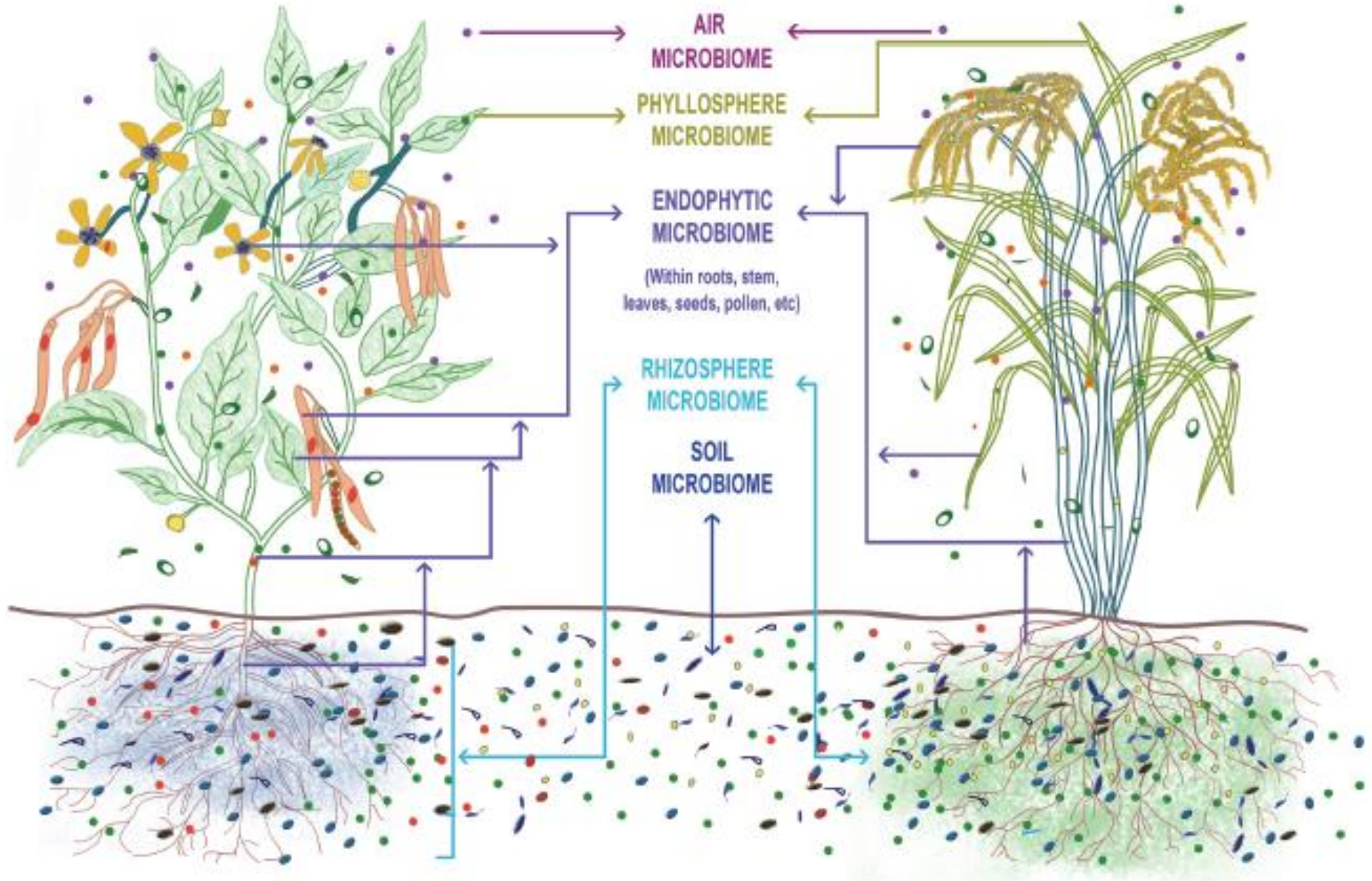


Table 1. Examples of Genes Important for Crop Domestication Where Mutations Creating Similar Loss of Function Could Be Achieved By Genome Editing

Crop	Gene	Function	Trait	Mutation	Refs
Barley (<i>Hordeum vulgare</i>)	<i>Btr1/2</i>	Unknown	Brittle rachis	Shortened transcript ^a	[83]
	<i>Vrs 1</i>	Transcription factor, HD-ZIP	Inflorescence structure	Shortened transcript	[84]
Maize (<i>Zea mays</i>)	<i>Tga1</i>	Transcription factor, SBP	Inflorescence structure	Amino acid change ^b	[85]
	<i>ZmSh1-1/1-5</i>	Transcription factor, YABBY-like	Seed shattering	Structural change/regulatory change ^{c,d}	[86]
Rice (<i>Oryza sativa</i>)	<i>LABA1</i>	Cytokinin-activating enzyme secreted peptide	Inflorescence structure	Shortened transcript	[26]
	<i>RAE2</i>	EPF/EPFL family	Inflorescence structure	Shortened transcript	[27]
	<i>sh1</i>	Transcription factor, YABBY-like	Seed shattering	Regulatory change ^d	[86]
	<i>sh4</i>	Transcription factor, Myb3	Seed shattering	Amino acid change ^d	[87]
	<i>qSH1</i>	Transcription factor, BEL1-type	Seed shattering	Regulatory change	[88]
	<i>PROG1</i>	Transcription factor, C2H2-type	Plant structure	Amino acid change	[89,90]
Sorghum (<i>Sorghum bicolor</i>)	<i>SbSh1</i>	Transcription factor, YABBY-like	Seed shattering	Shortened transcript/regulatory change ^d	[86]
Tomato (<i>Solanum lycopersicum</i>)	<i>Style2.1</i>	Transcription factor, HLH	Inflorescence structure	Regulatory change	[91]

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Gracias, ¿preguntas?