1 Coexistence of multiple endemic and pandemic lineages of the rice

2 blast pathogen

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8 Abstract

9 The rice blast fungus Magnaporthe oryzae (syn. Pyricularia oryzae) is both a threat to global food 10 security and a model for plant pathology. Molecular pathologists need an accurate understanding 11 of the origins and line of descent of *M. oryzae* populations, to identify the genetic and functional 12 bases of pathogen adaptation, and to guide the development of more effective control strategies. 13 We used a whole-genome sequence analysis of samples from different times and places to infer 14 details about the genetic makeup of *M. oryzae* from a global collection of isolates. Analyses of 15 population structure identified six lineages within *M. oryzae*, including two pandemic on japonica 16 and indica rice, respectively, and four lineages with more restricted distributions. Tip-dating 17 calibration indicated that *M. oryzae* lineages separated about a millenium ago, long after the initial 18 domestication of rice. The major lineage endemic to continental Southeast Asia displayed 19 signatures of sexual recombination and evidence of DNA acquisition from multiple lineages. Tests 20 for weak natural selection revealed that the pandemic spread of clonal lineages entailed an 21 evolutionary 'cost', in terms of the accumulation of deleterious mutations. Our findings reveal the 22 coexistence of multiple endemic and pandemic lineages with contrasting population and genetic 23 characteristics within a widely distributed pathogen.

24 Importance

The rice blast fungus *Magnaporthe oryzae* (syn. *Pyricularia oryzae*) is a textbook example of a
rapidly adapting pathogen, and is responsible for one of the most damaging diseases of rice.
Improvements in our understanding of *Magnaporthe oryzae* diversity and evolution are required, to

28 guide the development of more effective control strategies. We used genome sequencing data for 29 samples from around the world to infer the evolutionary history of *M. oryzae*. We found that *M.* 30 oryzae diversified about a thousand years ago ago, separating into six main lineages: two 31 pandemic on japonica and indica rice, respectively, and four with more restricted distributions. We 32 also found that a lineage endemic to continental Southeast Asia displayed signatures of sexual 33 recombination and the acquisition of genetic material from multiple lineages. This work provides a 34 population-level genomic framework for defining molecular markers for the control of rice blast and 35 investigations of the molecular basis of differences in pathogenicity between *M. oryzae* lineages.

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37 Introduction

38 Fungal plant pathogens provide many examples of geographically widespread, often clonal, 39 lineages capable of adapting rapidly to anthropogenic changes, such as the use of new fungicides 40 or resistant varieties, despite extremely low levels of population genetic diversity [1, 2]. An 41 accurate characterization of the population biology and evolutionary history of these organisms is 42 crucial, to understand the factors underlying their emergence and spread, and to provide new, 43 powerful and enduring solutions to control these factors. A knowledge of the origins and lines of 44 descent connecting extant pathogen population provides insight into the pace and mode of disease emergence and subsequent dispersal [2, 3]. By inferring the history and structure of pathogen 45 46 populations, we can also identify disease reservoirs and improve our understanding of the 47 transmissibility and longevity of populations [4, 5]. Finally, quantification of the amount and 48 distribution of genetic variation across space and time provides a population-level genomic 49 framework for defining molecular markers for pathogen control and for investigations of the 50 molecular basis of differences in phenotype and fitness between divergent pathogen lineages.

51 Rice blast is one of the most damaging rice disease worldwide [6-8]. It is caused by the 52 ascomycete fungus *Magnaporthe oryzae* (syn. *Pyricularia oryzae*), which has become a model for 53 plant pathology in parallel with the development of rice as a model crop species [7, 9-11]. The rice-54 infecting lineage of *M. oryzae* coexists with multiple host-specialized and genetically divergent 55 lineages infecting other cereals and grasses [12-14]. The lineage infecting foxtail millet (*Setaria*) 56 italica, referred to hereafter as "Setaria") is the closest relative of the rice-infecting lineage and rice 57 blast was, thus, thought to have emerged following a host shift from Setaria about 2500 to 7500 58 years ago [15], at a time when Setaria was the preferred staple in East Asia [16, 17]. Magnaporthe 59 oryzae infects the two major subspecies of rice, Oryza sativa ssp. indica and japonica (referred to 60 hereafter as "indica" and "japonica", respectively). Population genomics studies have provided 61 support for a model in which de novo domestication occurred only once, to generate the japonica 62 lineage, which subsequently diverged into temperate and tropical japonica, with introgressive 63 hybridization from japonica leading to domesticated indica [18-20]. Using microsatellite markers, 64 Saleh et al. [21] identified multiple endemic and pandemic genetic pools of rice-infecting strains, 65 but were unable to resolve the evolutionary relationships between them. Rice blast has proved able to adapt rapidly to varietal resistance, and is thus a dynamic threat to such resistance in rice 66 67 agrosystems [22]. This ability to adapt is surprising given the low level of diversity in *M. oryzae* and 68 its infertility or asexual mode of reproduction in most rice-growing areas [22, 23]. This pathogen is, 69 thus, particularly exposed to the "cost of pestification" (by analogy to the cost of domestication [24-70 27]), according to which, the combination of a small effective population size, strong selection for 71 pestification genes and a lack of recombination lead to the accumulation of deleterious mutations 72 [28]. Potential limitations to adaptation could be counterbalanced by boom-and-bust cycles in M. 73 oryzae, with adaptation occurring during the boom phases, when short-term effective population 74 size is large [2, 29]. Adaptive mutations may also be introduced by cryptic genetic exchanges with 75 conspecifics or heterospecifics [30-33], but these mechanisms remain to be investigated in natural 76 populations of *M. oryzae* [34]. An accurate understanding of the population genetics of successful 77 clonal fungal pathogens, such as *M. oryzae*, can provide important insight into the genomic and 78 eco-evolutionary processes underlying pathogen emergence and adaptation to anthropogenic 79 changes.

We used pathogenicity data and whole-genome resequencing data for *M. oryzae* samples
distributed over time and space, to address the following questions: What population structure
does *M. oryzae* display? Does this species consist of relatively ancient or recent clonal lineages?
What is history of temperate japonica, tropical japonica and indica japonica rice colonization by *M.*

oryzae? Do *M. oryzae* lineages display differences in pathogenicity toward rice subspecies? Can
we identify genetic exchanges between rice-infecting lineages and which genomic regions have
been exchanged? Is there evidence for a cost of pestification in terms of the accumulation of
deleterious mutations?

88 **Results**

89 Genome sequencing and SNP calling. We elucidated the emergence, diversification and spread 90 of *M. oryzae* in rice agrosystems, by studying genome-wide variation across geographically 91 widespread samples. We used 25 and 18 genomes sequenced by Illumina single-end and paired-92 end read technologies, respectively, with seven published genome sequences obtained with 93 Solexa and mate-pair Titanium methods [10, 12]. We thus had a total of 50 genomes available for 94 analysis (Table S1). Forty-five of the isolates concerned originated from cultivated rice (Oryza 95 sativa), four from cultivated barley (Hordeum vulgare), and one from foxtail millet (Setaria italica). 96 The sample set included multiple samples from geographically separated areas (North and South 97 America, South, Southeast and East Asia, sub-Saharan Africa, Europe and the Mediterranean 98 area), the reference laboratory strain 70-15 and its parent GY11 from French Guiana. Nine 99 samples were collected from tropical japonica rice, seven from temperate japonica, fifteen from 100 indica, and three from hybrid elite varieties. Sequencing reads were mapped onto the 41.1 Mb 101 reference genome 70-15. Mean sequencing depth ranged from 5x to 64x for genomes sequenced 102 with single-end reads, and from 5x to 10x for genomes sequenced with paired-end reads (Table 103 S1). SNP calling identified 182,804 biallelic single-nucleotide polymorphisms (SNPs) distributed 104 over seven chromosomes. The dataset consisted of 95,925 SNPs, excluding the Setaria-infecting 105 lineage, 61,765 of which had less than 30% missing data, and 16,370 of which had no missing 106 data.

Population subdivision, genealogical relationships and levels of genetic variation. We used
 a multivariate analysis of population subdivision method, rather than model-based clustering
 algorithms, because multivariate methods require no assumptions about outcrossing, random
 mating or linkage equilibrium within clusters, and previous studies have shown that, in many

111 populations, *M. oryzae* has lost its sexual recombination capacity ([21-23] and references therein). 112 We used a discriminant analysis of principal components to determine the number of lineages 113 represented in our dataset. Progressively increasing the number of clusters K from two to five 114 identified the four lineages previously described by Saleh et al. in Asia [21] on the basis of 115 microsatellite data, and a cluster of three strains collected from the Yunnan and Hunan Provinces 116 of China (Figure 1). Further increases in K led to the subdivision of this Yunnan/Hunan cluster. 117 Barley-infecting isolates clustered within rice-infecting lineage 1, confirming previous phylogenetic 118 studies [12, 13]. Barley is "universally susceptible" to rice-infecting isolates, at least in laboratory 119 conditions. However, the barley isolates included in this study were collected in Thailand, and no 120 major blast epidemic has since been reported on this host in this area, indicating that barley is a 121 minor host for rice-infecting populations.

122 We investigated whether the clusters observed at K>4 in the DAPC represented new independent 123 lineages or subdivisions of the main clusters, by using RAXML to infer a genome genealogy [35]. 124 We based the analysis on a dataset combining the full set of SNPs and monomorphic sites, rather 125 than just SNPs, to increase topological and branch length accuracy [36]. The total-evidence 126 genealogy revealed the existence of four lineages, corresponding to lineages 1 to 4 described by 127 Saleh et al. [21], and two new lineages (named lineages 5 and 6) corresponding to the three-128 individual cluster observed at K=5 in the DAPC (Figure 1). With the 41 Mb dataset, including 129 missing data, the most basal divergence within the rice-infecting lineage was that between lineage 130 1 and the other five lineages (Figure 1). If positions with missing data were excluded (15 Mb), the 131 most basal divergence was that between a group composed of lineages 1, 2 and 6, and a group 132 composed of lineages 3, 4 and 5 (not shown).

Absolute divergence (dxy) between pairs of lineages was of the order of 10^{-4} differences per base pair and was highest in comparisons with lineage 6 (Table S2). Nucleotide diversity within lineages was an order of magnitude smaller than divergence in lineages 2 to 4 (θ_w per site: 5.2e-5 to 7.2e-5, per site: 4.5e-5 to 4.9e-5) and was highest in lineage 1 (θ_w per site: 2.3e-4; π per site: 2.1e-4) (Table 1). Tajima's D was negative in all lineages, indicating an excess of low-frequency polymorphism, and values were closer to zero in lineages 1 and 4 (D=-0.56 and D=-0.82,

- respectively) than in lineages 2 and 3 (D=-1.45 and D=-1.72). The same differences in levels of
- 140 variability across lineages, and individual summary statistics of the same order of magnitude, were
- 141 observed if missing data were excluded from computations.
- 142 Table 1. Summary of population genomic variation in non-overlapping 100 kb windows

Lineage	n	S	К	H _e	θ _w	Π	D
1	10	57.6	3.6	0.31	2.25E-04	2.11E-04	-0.558
2	14	19.7	7.2	0.20	6.94E-05	4.92E-05	-1.454
3	16	21.5	7.9	0.17	7.24E-05	4.53E-05	-1.718
4	6	10.5	4.3	0.38	5.15E-05	4.52E-05	-0.824

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Lineages 5 and 6 were not included in calculations because the sample sizes for these lineages were too small (*n*=2 and *n*=1, respectively); *n* is sample size; θ_w is Watterson's θ per bp; π is nucleotide diversity per bp; H_e is haplotype diversity; K is the number of haplotypes; D is Tajima's neutrality statistic.

147 Footprints of natural selection and the cost of pestification. We tested for standard neutral 148 molecular evolution by the McDonald-Kreitman method, based on genome-wide patterns of 149 synonymous and nonsynonymous variation (Table 2). The null hypothesis could be rejected for all 150 four lineages (p<0.0001). The neutrality index, which quantifies the direction and degree of 151 departure from neutrality, was greater than 1, indicating an excess of amino-acid polymorphism. 152 This pattern suggests that lineages 1 to 4 accumulated slightly deleterious mutations during 153 divergence from the Setaria-infecting lineage. Under near- neutrality, the ratio of nonsynonymous 154 to synonymous nucleotide diversity π_N/π_S provides an estimate of the proportion of effectively 155 neutral mutations that are strongly dependent on effective population size N_e [37]. The π_N/π_S ratio 156 ranged from 0.43 in lineage 1 to 0.61 in lineage 4, and was intermediate in lineages 2 and 3 157 $(\pi_N/\pi_S=0.49)$, and the ratio of nonsense (i.e premature stop codons) to sense nonsynonymous 158 mutations ($P_{nonsense}/P_{sense}$) followed the same pattern. Overall, the π_N/π_S and $P_{nonsense}/P_{sense}$ ratios 159 obtained suggest a higher proportion of slightly deleterious mutations segregating in lineage 4, 160 and, to a lesser extent, in lineages 2 and 3, than in lineage 1. Assuming identical mutation rates,

161 we can estimate that the long-term population size of lineage 1 (π_s =0.00018/bp) was 2.5 to 3 times

162 greater than that of the other lineages, consistent with the effect of Ne on the efficacy of negative

163 selection predicted under near-neutrality.

- 164 Table 2. McDonald-Kreitman tests based on genome-wide patterns of synonymous and non
- synonymous variation, and measurements of the genome-wide intensity of purifying selection.
- 166 Divergence was measured against predicted gene sequences of the Setaria-infecting
- 167 Magnaporthe oryzae isolate US71.

π_N/π_S	$P_{nonsense}/P_{sense}$	P _n /P _s	D _n /D _s	NI
0.43 (0.00041/0.00018)	0.011 (49/4244)	1.23 (4293/3492)	0.70 (16444/23656)	1.77*
0.49 (0.00012/0.00006)	0.022 (36/1622)	1.52 (1658/1088)	0.72 (15565/21745)	2.13*
0.49 (0.00015/0.00007)	0.018 (32/1814)	1.17 (1846/1578)	0.97 (14789/15293)	1.21*
0.61 (0.00012/0.00007)	0.034 (31/914)	1.59 (945/593)	0.72 (15302/21347)	2.22*
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169 π_N/π_S is the ratio of nonsynonymous to synonymous nucleotide diversity. Under near-neutrality, π_N/π_S 170 provides an estimate of the proportion of effectively neutral mutations strongly dependent on effective 171 population size N_e. π_{s} is a proxy for N_e. P_{nonsense}/P_{sense} is the number of nonsynonymous nonsense mutations 172 (i.e., 'premature' stop codon) divided by the number of nonsynonymous sense mutations. *P-value<0.0001, 173 chi-square tests of independence. The neutrality index NI=(Pn/Ps)/(Dn/Ds) determines the direction and 174 degree of departure from neutrality. NI=1 if nonsynonymous mutations are neutral or strongly deleterious. NI 175 < 1 indicates amino-acid substitutions and implies that advantageous mutations have fixed. NI > 1 indicates 176 an excess of amino-acid polymorphism, as expected in a context of slightly deleterious mutations.

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Distribution and reproductive biology of *M. oryzae* lineages. The strains of lineages 1 and 2 originated from rainfed upland rice, including rice grown in experimental fields. Lineage 2 was exclusively associated with tropical and temperate japonica, whereas lineage 1 was sampled from barley, tropical japonica and hybrid rice varieties (Table S1; Figure 1). Lineage 1 was restricted to continental Southeast Asia (Laos, Thailand, Yunnan). The reference laboratory strain GY-11

183 (=Guy11) was collected in French Guiana, from fields cultivated by Hmong refugees, who fled

184 Laos in the 1970s. Lineage 2 was pandemic, and included all the European samples.

Lineage 3 and 4 samples originated from irrigated or rainfed upland/lowland rice. They were mostly associated with indica rice, with two samples collected from hybrid varieties and one collected from tropical japonica (Table S1; Figure 1). Lineage 3 was pandemic and included all sub-Saharan Africa samples, whereas lineage 4 was found on the Indian subcontinent, in Zhejiang (China) and the USA. Lineages 5 and 6 were collected from indica and tropical japonica varieties of rainfed upland rice in Yunnan and Hunan (China), respectively.

Lineages 2, 3 and 4 displayed low rates of female fertility (20%, 0%, 0%, respectively), and a

significant imbalance in mating-type ratio (frequency of Mat-1: 100%, 14.3% and 100%,

respectively; Chi² test, P<0.001), whereas lineage 1 had a female fertility of 88.9% and a non-

significant imbalance in mating type ratio (frequency of Mat-1:33.3%; Chi² test, *P*=0.083). Lineage

195 5 was Mat-1 and only one of the two strains was female-fertile (no data for lineage 6).

196 Pathogen compatibility range. Gallet et al. [38] analyzed the range of compatibility, in terms of 197 the qualitative success of infection, between 31 *M. oryzae* isolates and 57 rice genotypes. 198 Analyses of variance revealed a pattern of host-pathogen compatibility strongly structured by the 199 host of origin of the isolates (i.e. the rice subspecies from which samples were collected). We 200 investigated whether the compatibility between rice hosts and *M. oryzae* isolates was also 201 structured by the lineage of origin of the isolates, by supplementing the dataset published by Gallet 202 et al. [38] with pathotyping data for 27 isolates. We added microsatellite data to the SNP data, to 203 overcome the absence of sequence data for 28 isolates, and we used clustering methods to 204 confidently assign 46 of the 58 isolates with pathotyping data to identified lineages (no isolates 205 could be assigned to lineage 5 or 6, see *Methods*). The final pathogenicity dataset included 46 206 isolates from lineages 1 to 4, inoculated onto 38 tropical japonica, temperate japonica, and indica 207 varieties and 19 differential varieties with known resistance genes (Table S3).

Infection success (binary response) was analyzed with a generalized linear model. An analysis of
 the proportion of compatible interactions revealed significant effects of rice subspecies, pathogen

210 lineage and the interaction between them (Table S4). The lineage effect could be explained by 211 lineage 2 having a lower infection frequency than lineage 1 (comparison of lineages 1 and 2; z-212 value=-2.779; p-value=0.005) and lineage 3 having a higher infection frequency than lineage 1 213 (comparison of lineages 3 and 1; z-value=2.683; p-value=0.007), whereas the infection frequency 214 of lineage 4 was not significantly different from that of lineage 1 (comparison of lineages 4 and 1; 215 z-value=1.121; p-value=0.262). The rice subspecies effect could be attributed to tropical japonica 216 varieties having a wider compatibility range than indica varieties (comparison of tropical japonica 217 and indica; z-value=1.793; p-value=0.073), and temperate japonica having a wider compatibility 218 range than indica varieties (comparison of temperate japonica and indica; z-value=1.830; p-219 value=0.067). The significant interaction between rice subspecies and pathogen lineage indicates 220 that the effect of the lineage of origin of the isolate on the proportion of compatible interactions 221 differed between the three rice subspecies. This interaction effect can be attributed to pathogen 222 specialization on indica and tropical japonica, with lineage 1 (mostly originating from tropical 223 japonica or from areas in which tropical japonica is grown) infecting tropical japonica varieties more 224 frequently than indica varieties, lineage 2 (the lineage sampled from temperate japonica) infecting 225 temperate japonica varieties more frequently than other varieties, lineages 3 and 4 (mostly 226 originating from indica varieties) infecting indica varieties more frequently than tropical japonica 227 varieties, and all four lineages infecting temperate japonica varieties at relatively high frequencies 228 (Table S4; Figure 2A).

229 Major resistance (R) genes can be a major determinant of pathogen host range, and promote 230 divergence between pathogen lineages by exerting strong divergent selection on a limited number 231 of pathogenicity-related genes [39-41]. We investigated the possible role of major resistance (R) 232 genes in the observed differences in compatibility between rice subspecies and pathogen lineages. 233 by challenging 19 differential varieties with the 46 isolates assigned to lineages 1 to 4. An analysis 234 of the number of R genes overcome revealed a significant effect of pathogen lineage (Table S5). 235 This effect was driven mostly by lineage 2, which overcame fewer R genes than the other lineages 236 (Table S5; Figure 2B).

237 Recombination within and between lineages. We visualized evolutionary relationships, while 238 taking into account the possibility of recombination within or between lineages, using the 239 phylogenetic network approach Neighbor-Net, as implemented in SPLITSTREE 4.13 [42]. Neighbor-240 Net is an applomerative method that generates planate split graph representations. A split is a 241 partitioning of the dataset, and a collection of splits is considered *compatible* if they fall within the 242 set of splits of a tree. Gene genealogies represent compatible collections of splits, whereas 243 Neighbor-Net can be used to visualize conflicting phylogenetic signals, represented by network 244 reticulation, through a condition weaker than compatibility. The Neighbor-Net network inferred from 245 the set of 16,370 SNPs without missing data presented a non tree-like structure of the inner 246 connections between lineages, consistent with genetic exchanges between unrelated isolates or 247 incomplete lineage sorting (Figure 3). Greater network reticulation was observed between lineages 248 1, 5 or 6 and the other lineages than between these other lineages themselves. Lineages 2 to 4 249 had long interior branches and star-like topologies, consistent with long-term clonality.

250 Table 3. Estimates of the population recombination rate p, tests of recombination based on

251	homoplasy ar	nd linkage o	disequilibrium,	proportion of	homoplastic SNPs

			ρ (cr	ossove	ers/Mb/	'genera	tion)			
Lineage			Ch	romos	omes				Homoplastic SNPs	PHI test (<i>p</i> -value)
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Mean		
1	8.6*	3.8*	15.1*	1.4	8.5*	10.6*	13.5*	10.57	34.56 %	0.0000
2	0.0	0.2	0.2*	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.28	0.09 %	0.0944
3	0.4*	0.2*	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.01	0.47 %	0.0535
4	0.2	0.2*	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.33	0.40 %	0.0014

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253 *P<0.05. PHI test assesses pairwise homoplasy. The null hypothesis of no recombination was tested, for the

254 PHI test and for ρ, using random permutations of the positions of the SNPs based on the expectation that

255 sites are exchangeable if there is no recombination. For the ρ test, significance was determined from the

distribution of maximum composite likelihood values calculated from permuted data.

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258 We evaluated the amount of recombination within lineages, by estimating the population 259 recombination parameter (rho=2Ner) and testing for the presence of recombination with a likelihood 260 permutation test implemented in the PAIRWISE program in LDHAT. Recombination analyses 261 confirmed the heterogeneity between lineages of the contribution of recombination to genomic 262 variation, with recombination rates averaged across chromosomes being more than two to three 263 orders of magnitude higher in lineage 1 (10.57 crossovers/Mb/generation) than in other lineages 264 (lineage 2: 0.28; lineage 3: 0.01; lineage 4: 0.33 crossovers/Mb/generation) (Table 3). SPLITSTREE 265 analyses displaying the reticulations within each lineage and testing for recombination with the PHI 266 test were consistent with this pattern (Table 3; Figure 3; Figure S1). The null hypothesis of no 267 recombination was rejected only for lineages 1 and 4 [43].

268 Differences in recombination-based variation between lineages were confirmed by analyses of 269 homoplasy (Table 3). Homoplastic sites display sequence similarities that are not inherited from a 270 common ancestor, instead resulting from independent events in different branches. Homoplasy 271 can result from recurrent mutations or recombination, and the contribution of recombination to 272 homoplasy is expected to predominate in outbreeding populations. Homoplastic sites were 273 identified by mapping mutations onto the total-evidence genome genealogy with the 'Trace All 274 Characters' function of MESQUITE [44], applying ancestral reconstruction under the maximum 275 parsimony optimality criterion. The resulting matrix of ancestral states for all nodes was then 276 processed with a python script, to determine the number of mutations that had occurred at each 277 site within each lineage, counting sites displaying multiple substitutions across the tree as 278 homoplastic. Only 0.09%, 0.47% and 0.40% of the SNPs were homoplastic in lineages 2, 3 and 4, 279 respectively, versus 34.6% in lineage 1 (lineages 5 and 6 were not tested due to the small sample 280 size). The very small numbers of homoplastic sites in lineages 2, 3 and 4 suggest that these 281 lineages are largely clonal, whereas the high level of homoplasy detected in lineage 1 is consistent 282 with repeated recombination events between the strains of this lineage.

We assessed the genomic impact of recombination, by analyzing patterns of linkage disequilibrium
(LD), corresponding to the tendency of different alleles to occur together in a non-random manner.

For lineage 1 (S=13 kSNPs), LD decayed smoothly with physical distance, reaching half its maximum value at about 10 kb, whereas, for lineages 2, 3 and 4 (S=3.7, 3.2 and 2.7 kSNPs), no LD decay pattern was observed (Figure S2). These analyses also revealed that background LD levels were no higher in lineages 2, 3, or 4, which appeared to be largely clonal, than in lineage 1. However, both simulation work and empirical data have shown that population history, including bottlenecks and admixture, strongly affects the background level of LD in the population [45].

291 Genome scan for genetic exchanges between lineages

292 We scanned the genomes for the exchange of mutations between lineages, using a method based 293 on lineage-diagnostic SNPs and a probabilistic method of 'chromosome painting' (Figure 4). In the 294 lineage-diagnostic SNP approach, each isolate is removed from the dataset in turn to identify 295 SNPs specific to a particular lineage (i.e. biallelic sites displaying a mutation specific to a given 296 lineage). Each focal isolate is then added back to the dataset and scanned for the presence of 297 lineage-diagnostic SNPs identified in lineages other than its lineage of origin. Using this approach, 298 we identified 515 lineage-diagnostic singletons with 276, 96 and 140 singletons in lineages 1, 5 299 and 6, respectively, and only one singleton in lineages 2, 3 and 4. Putatively migrant singletons 300 were assigned to all other lineages for lineages 1 and 5, and to all other lineages except lineage 1 301 for lineage 6 (Table S6). 'Chromosome painting' is a probabilistic method for reconstructing the 302 chromosomes of each individual sample as a combination of all other homologous sequences. We 303 identified the migrant mutations present in each isolate, these mutations being defined as having a 304 probability greater than 90% of having been copied from a lineage other than the lineage of origin 305 of the focal isolate. This method uses population data from recipient populations only, and we were 306 therefore able to include only lineages 1 to 4 in the analysis. Chromosome painting identified 464 307 migrant mutations, all of which segregated in lineage 1. Putative migrant mutations were assigned 308 to all five of the other lineages (92.8 mutations per lineage, on average), with lineage 2 making the 309 largest contribution (165 mutations) and lineage 4 the smallest contribution (39 mutations).

The sets of putative migrant mutations identified by the two methods matched different sets of genes enriched in NOD-like receptor [46], HET-domain [47] or GO term 'lipid catabolic process'

312 (Table S6) genes. However, the presence of false positives due to the random sorting of ancestral 313 polymorphisms in lineage 1 and other lineages cannot be excluded. We minimized the impact of 314 the retention of ancestral mutations, by reasoning that series of adjacent mutations are more likely 315 to represent genuine gene exchange events. We identified all the genomic regions defined by 316 three adjacent putative migrant mutations originating from the same donor lineage. We searched 317 for such mutations among the set of putative migrant mutations identified by the two methods. We 318 identified 12 such regions in total, corresponding to 1917 genes. Functional enrichment tests for each recipient isolate revealed enrichment in the GO term 'pathogenesis' for isolate CH999, the 319 320 GO term 'phosphatidylinositol biosynthetic process' for isolate TH17 and the GO term 'telomere 321 maintenance' for isolate CH1019 (Table S6).

322 **Molecular dating.** We investigated the timing of rice blast emergence and diversification, by 323 performing Bayesian phylogenetic analyses with BEAST. Isolates were collected from 1967 to 2009 324 (Table S1), making it possible to use a tip-based calibration approach to estimate evolutionary 325 rates and ancestral divergence times together. We analyzed the linear regression of sample age 326 against root-to-tip distance (i.e. the number of substitutions separating each sample from the 327 hypothetical ancestor at the root of the tree). The temporal signal obtained in this analysis was 328 strong enough for thorough tip-dating inferences (Figure S3) [48]. We therefore used tip-dating to 329 estimate the rate at which mutations accumulate (i.e. the substitution rate) and the age of every 330 node in the tree, including the root (i.e. time to the most recent common ancestor), simultaneously. 331 At the scale of the genome, the mean substitution rate was estimated at 1.98e-8 332 substitutions/site/year (Figure S3). The six rice-infecting lineages were estimated to have 333 diversified ~900 to ~1300 years ago (95% HPD [175-2700] years ago) (Figure 5). Bootstrap node 334 support was strong and similar node age estimates were obtained when the recombining lineage 1 335 and the potentially recombining lineages 5 and 6 (not shown) were excluded, indicating the limited 336 effect of recombination on our inferences. We also inferred that the ancestor of rice-infecting and 337 Setaria-infecting lineages lived ~9,800 years ago. However, the credibility intervals were relatively 338 large (95% HPD [1200-22,000] years ago), covering the period from japonica rice domestication 339 and Setaria domestication to the last glacial maximum, and overlapping with previous estimates

suggesting that the rice- and Setaria-infecting lineages diverged shortly after rice domestication, or
even during the period of rice domestication (range of point estimates in ref [15]: 2500 to 7300
years ago).

343 **Discussion**

344 We performed a whole-genome sequence analysis of 50 isolates with different temporal and 345 spatial distributions, to elucidate the emergence, diversification and spread of M. oryzae as a 346 rapidly evolving pathogen with a devastating impact on rice agrosystems. Analyses of population 347 subdivision confirmed the four lineages previously identified by Saleh et al. [21]. Previous analyses 348 of microsatellite data were unable to resolve the genealogical relationships between clusters or to 349 capture the phylogenetic depth of population subdivision within M. oryzae. By contrast, our 350 population genomic analyses of resequencing data revealed weak divergence between clusters (absolute divergence dxy of the order of 10⁻⁴ differences per base pair), consistent with recent 351 352 diversification. Phylogenetic analyses using sampling dates for calibration confirmed the recent 353 origin of the six lineages, with estimates of divergence time ranging from ~900 to ~1300 years ago 354 (95% credible intervals [175-2700] years ago). Lineage 1 (which includes the reference strains 355 GY11 and 70-15) was found in mainland Southeast Asia and originates from barley, tropical 356 japonica or undetermined varieties. All isolates from lineages 1, 5 and 6 were collected in rainfed 357 upland agrosystems typical of japonica rice cultivation, and pathogenicity test results were 358 consistent with the local adaptation of lineage 1 to tropical japonica rice. Lineage 2 was pandemic 359 in irrigated fields of temperate japonica rice outside Asia, and cross-inoculation experiments 360 revealed specialization on this host and an ability to overcome fewer R genes, on average, than 361 other lineages. Lineages 3 and 4 were associated with indica. Lineage 3 is pandemic, and cross-362 inoculation indicated local adaptation to this host, relative to tropical japonica, although lineages 3 363 and 4 had relatively wide compatibility ranges consistent with generalism. One possible 364 explanation of the wide compatibility range of temperate japonica varieties and the narrow 365 compatibility range of lineage 2 is that temperate japonica varieties have smaller repertoires of R 366 genes, as resistance to blast is of less concern to breeders in temperate irrigated conditions, which 367 are less conducive to epidemics [38]

368 The continental Southeast Asian lineage was the most basal in total-evidence genome 369 genealogies, reflecting a pathway of domesticated Asian rice evolution [16, 18] in which the de 370 novo domestication of rice occurred only once, in japonica. However, the diversification of M. 371 oryzae into multiple rice-infecting lineages (point estimates ranging from ~900 to ~1300 years ago) 372 appears to be much more recent than the *de novo* domestication of rice (8500-6500 years ago [16, 373 49, 50]), the spread of rice cultivation in paddy fields, and the domestication of indica in South 374 Asia, following introgressive hybridization from the early japonica gene pool into 'proto-indica' rice (about 4000 years ago [16, 51]). At the time corresponding to the upper bound of the 95% credible 375 376 interval (2700 years ago), japonica rice and paddy-field cultivation had spread to most areas of 377 continental and insular South, East and Southeast Asia, and indica rice was beginning to spread 378 out of the Ganges plains [16, 52]. The point estimates for the splitting of *M. oryzae* lineages 379 correspond to the Tang dynasty ('the Golden Age') in China, and the late classical period in India, 380 during which food production became more rational and scientific and intensive irrigated systems 381 of cultivation were developed, bringing about economic, demographic and material growth [53].

382 Genome scans based on polymorphism and divergence revealed heterogeneity in the genomic 383 and life-history changes associated with the emergence and spread of the different lineages. Using 384 microsatellite data and a larger collection of samples, Saleh et al. [21] identified differences in 385 variability between lineages, with similar or higher levels of genetic variability in lineages 1 and 4 386 than in lineages 2 and 3. Lineages 1 and 4 were also the only lineages displaying biological 387 features (fertile female rates and mating type ratios) consistent with sexual reproduction. Our 388 genome-wide analyses of variability and linkage diseguilibrium provided clear evidence that the 389 continental Southeast Asian lineage 1 displays recombination and is genetically diverse, 390 suggesting that sexual reproduction occurs and that long-term population size is relatively high, 391 whereas pandemic lineages 2 and 3 are largely clonal and genetically depauperate, suggesting a 392 lack of sexual reproduction and demographic bottlenecks associated with their emergence in 393 agrosystems. However, population genomic analyses did not confirm the previously reported high 394 variability and capacity for sexual recombination of the South Asia/US lineage 4 [21], possibly due 395 to differences in sample size between studies. The null hypothesis of clonality was not rejected in 396 PHI-tests for recombination, but both total (θ_w) and average (π) nucleotide diversity, and the

397 population recombination rate (ρ), were of the same order of magnitude in lineage 4 as in lineages
398 2 and 3, consistent with a lack of recombination and a small effective population size.

399 The patterns of polymorphism and diversity at non-synonymous and synonymous sites indicated 400 that deleterious mutations were particularly abundant in clonal lineages 2-4 of M. oryzae, with their 401 smaller long-term population size, consistent with a higher cost of pestification in these lineages. 402 The introgression of genetic elements from clonal lineages harboring greater loads of deleterious 403 mutations may counteract the efficient purging of deleterious mutations in the recombining lineage 404 1 from mainland Southeast Asia, and lead to smaller differences in the proportion of 405 nonsynonymous mutations between recombining and clonal lineages. However, the extensive 406 variability of the origin and genomic distribution of the detected putative migrant mutations 407 suggests that most of these mutations are false-positive, with only series of adjacent mutations of 408 this type originating from the same donor lineage corresponding to genuine genetic exchange 409 events. Field-scale studies in areas in which different lineages coexist should provide more 410 detailed insight into the relative importance of interlineage recombination, and make it possible to 411 determine whether genetic exchanges are driven by positive selection or are an incidental 412 byproduct of the sympatric coexistence of interfertile lineages. We hypothesize that the 413 accumulation of deleterious mutations in pandemic clonal complexes and gene flow into sexual 414 lineages during disease emergence and spread are widespread phenomena, not due to 415 idiosyncrasies of *M. oryzae*, and we expect these patterns to hold true in other invasive fungal 416 plant pathogens.

An examination of additional isolates from under-sampled geographic regions (including Africa and
South America), based on sequencing approaches and sampling schemes tailored to detect
adaptation from *de novo* mutations, will be required to enhance our understanding of the
biogeography of *M. oryzae* and the genetic basis of adaptation in the different *M. oryzae* lineages.
Nevertheless, the catalog of variants detected in our study provides a solid foundation for future
research into the population genomics of adaptation in *M. oryzae*. Our work also provides a
population-level genomic framework for defining molecular markers for the control of rice blast and

424 investigations of the molecular basis of the differences in phenotype and fitness between divergent425 lineages.

426 Methods

427 Genome sequencing and SNP calling. Sequencing libraries were prepared and Illumina HiSeq 428 2500 sequencing was performed either at Beckman Coulter Genomics (Danvers, USA) or at the 429 Iwate Biotechnological Research Center (Table S1). Genomic DNA for sequencing at BCG was 430 isolated from 100 mg of fresh mycelium grown in liquid medium. The mycelium was treated with 431 enzymes degrading the cell walls (mainly betaglucanase) and then incubated in lysis buffer (Triton 432 2 X – 1% SDS - 100 mM NaCl – 10 mM Tris-HCl – 1 mM EDTA). Nucleic acids were extracted by 433 treatment with chloroform: isoamyl alcohol (24:1), followed by precipitation overnight in isopropanol. 434 They were then rinsed in 70% ethanol. The nucleic acid extract was treated with RNase A (0.2 435 mg/mL final concentration) to remove RNA. The DNA was purified by another round of 436 chloroform: isoamyl alcohol (24:1) treatment. Genomic DNA for sequencing at IBRC was isolated 437 with a protocol adapted from the animal tissue (Mouse tail) protocol available in the Promega 438 Wizard® Genomic DNA Purification Kit. Nucleic acids were extracted from 20 mg of fresh 439 mycelium grown in liquid medium, which was ground into powder in liquid nitrogen, with a pre-440 chilled pestle and mortar. The centrifugation time specified in the mouse tail protocol was 441 increased to 15 min, and centrifugation was carried out at 4°C, after precipitation for 3 hours at -442 20°C. Nucleic acids were resuspended in water, treated with RNase A (0.2 mg/mL final 443 concentration), purified by treatment with chloroform: isoamyl alcohol (24:1), precipitated overnight 444 in isopropanol supplemented with 0.1 volumes of sodium acetate (3 M pH = 5), and rinsed in 70% 445 ethanol.

Sequencing reads were either paired-end (read length 100 nucleotides, insert size ~ 500 bp, DNAs sequenced at IBI) or single-end (read length 100 nucleotides, DNAs sequenced by BCG). Reads were trimmed to remove barcodes and adapters, and were then filtered to eliminate sequences containing ambiguous base calls. Reads were mapped against the 70-15 reference genome version 8 [10] with BWA [54] (subcommand alb, option -n 5; subcommand sampe option -a 500). Alignments were sorted with SAMTOOLS [55], and reads with a mapping quality below 30 were

452 removed. Duplicates were removed with PICARD (http://broadinstitute.github.io/picard/). We used 453 REALIGNER-TARGETCREATOR, TARGETCREATOR and INDELREALIGNER within the GENOME ANALYSES 454 TOOLKIT (GATK) [56] to define intervals to target for local realignment and for the local realignment 455 of reads around indels, respectively, and UNIFIED GENOTYPER to call SNPs. We used GATK's 456 SELECTVARIANTS to apply hard filters and to select high-confidence SNPs based on annotation values. Numbers of reference and alternative alleles were calculated with JEXL expressions based 457 458 on the vc.getGenotype().getAD() command. Variants were selected based on the following 459 parameters: counts of all reads with a MAPQ = 0 below 3.0 (MQ0 in GATK), number of reference 460 alleles + number of alternative alleles ≥15.0, and number of reference alleles/number of alternative alleles \leq 0.1. With these parameters, SNP calls are limited to positions with relatively high 461 462 sequencing depths and limited discordance across high-quality sequencing reads. We used a 463 second SNP caller, FREEBAYES v0.9.10-3-g47a713e [57], to assess the impact of the SNP calling 464 method on the sets of SNPs detected, given the presence in our dataset of isolates sequenced at 465 relatively low depth (<10X). We set the --min-alternate-count option to one in FREEBAYES. When 466 the sample-by-sample FREEBAYES SNP calls were compared with the GATK SNP calls, after 467 filtration, FREEBAYES identified 1.63X (stdev 0.28) more SNPs per sample on average than 468 analyses with GATK, and 92.3% (stdev 2.3) of the SNPs identified with GATK were also identified 469 with FREEBAYES. The size of the intersection between the sets of SNPs identified by the two 470 methods was negatively correlated with sequencing depth (i.e. the concordance between SNP 471 callers was higher for isolates sequenced less deeply), indicating a minimal impact of isolates 472 sequenced at lower depth on confidence in SNP calls. When the multisample FREEBAYES SNP 473 calls were compared with the GATK SNP calls, after filtration, 83% of the SNPs identified with 474 GATK were confirmed with FREEBAYES, and the GATK SNPs that were not confirmed with 475 FREEBAYES were identified in sets of isolates with a genome-wide sequencing depth of 47.8X on 476 average (stdev 8.2), consistent with a minimal impact of isolates sequenced at lower depth on 477 confidence in SNP calls. High-confidence SNPs were annotated with SNPEFF v4.3 [58].

478 Mating type and female fertility assays. Mating type and female fertility had previously been
479 determined [23], or were determined as previously described [59].

Genealogical relationships and population subdivision. Total-evidence genealogy was inferred with RAxML from pseudo-assembled genomic sequences (i.e. tables of SNPs converted into a fasta file using the reference sequence as a template), assuming a general time-reversible model of nucleotide substitution with the Γ model of rate heterogeneity. Bootstrap confidence levels were determined with 100 replicates. DAPC was performed with the ADEGENET package in R [60]. Sites with missing data were excluded. We retained the first 20 principal components, and the first six discriminant functions.

487 Diversity and divergence. Polymorphism and divergence statistics were calculated with EGGLIB
488 3.0.0b10 [61], excluding sites with >30% missing data. The neutrality index was calculated as

 $(P_n/P_s)/(D_n/D_s)$, where P_n and P_s are the numbers of nonsynonymous and synonymous

490 polymorphisms, and D_n and D_s are the numbers of nonsynonymous and synonymous substitutions,

491 respectively. D_n and D_s were calculated with GESTIMATOR [62] using the Setaria-infecting lineage as

492 an outgroup. P_n and P_s were calculated with EGGLIB.

493 **Linkage disequilibrium and recombination.** The coefficient of linkage disequilibrium (r^2) [63] was 494 calculated with VCFTOOLS [64], excluding missing data and sites with minor allele frequencies below 10%. For all lineages, we calculated r² between all pairs of SNPs less than 100 kb apart and 495 496 averaged LD values in distance classes of 1 kb for lineages 1 and 4, and 10 kb for lineages 2 and 497 3, to minimize noise due to low genetic diversity. Only sites without missing data and with a minor 498 allele frequency above 10% were included, to minimize the dependence of r² on minor allele 499 frequency [65]. Recombination rates were estimated for each chromosome with PAIRWISE in LDHAT 500 version 2.2 [66]. Singletons and sites with missing data were excluded.

Pathogenicity tests. We used pathotyping data for 31 isolates previously described by Gallet et al. [38]. We supplemented this dataset with pathotyping data for 27 isolates, produced by the same authors, using the same protocol, but not included in the publication due to uncertainty in the nature of the rice subspecies of origin. We used a combination of multilocus microsatellite and SNP data to assign the 58 pathotyped isolates to the six lineages, because SNP data were available for only 30 pathotyped isolates (20 of the 31 isolates from Gallet et al. and 10 of the 27 additional isolates). Multilocus microsatellite genotypes at 12 loci were obtained from the Saleh et

al. [21] dataset, or produced as described by Saleh et al. [21]. We improved the accuracy of
assignment tests by adding the 19 isolates that had been sequenced but for which no pathotyping
data were available to the full dataset, which included 77 multilocus genotypes in total (58
pathotyped isolates, and 19 additional non-pathotyped isolates). For 49 of the 77 isolates for which
genomic data were available, we retained 1% of the SNP loci with no missing data (i.e. 164 SNPs).
Missing data were introduced at SNP and microsatellite loci for the 28 non-sequenced isolates and
the four sequenced isolates without microsatellite data.

515 STRUCTURE 2.3.1 program was used for assignment [67-69]. The model implemented allowed 516 admixture and correlation in allele frequencies. Burn-in length was set at 10 000 iterations, and the 517 burn-in period was followed by 40,000 iterations. Four independent runs were performed to check 518 for convergence. At K=6 the four main clusters identified with the full genomic dataset were 519 recovered, although 15 of the 77 genotypes could not be assigned due to admixture or a lack of 520 power. Finally, 46 of the 58 isolates inoculated could be assigned to lineages 1 to 4; the other 12 521 isolates could not be assigned to a specific lineage among lineages 1, 5 and 6, and were not 522 analyzed further (Figure S4). Infection success was analyzed with a generalized linear model with 523 a binomial error structure and logit link function. Treatment contrasts were used to assess the 524 specific degrees of freedom of main effects and interactions.

525 Genome scan for genetic exchanges. Probabilistic chromosome painting was carried out with 526 CHROMOPAINTER version 0.0.4 [70]. This method "paints" individuals in "recipient" populations as a 527 combination of segments from "donor" populations, using linkage information for probability 528 computation, assuming that linked alleles are more likely to be exchanged together during 529 recombination events. All lineages were used as donors, but only lineages 1-4 were used as 530 recipients (sample size too small for lineages 5 and 6). We initially ran the model using increments 531 of 50 expectation-maximization iterations, starting at 10 iterations, and examined the convergence 532 of parameter estimates to determine how many iterations to use. Hence, the recombination scaling 533 constant N_e and emission probabilities (μ) were estimated in lineages 1-4 by running the 534 expectation-maximization algorithm with 200 iterations for each lineage and chromosome. 535 Estimates of N_e and μ were then calculated as averages weighted by chromosome length

536 (N_e=8160 for all lineages, lineage 1; μ =0.0000506; lineage 2, μ =0.0000171; lineage 3,

 μ =0.000021; lineage 4, μ =0.000011). These parameter values and the per-chromosome recombination rates estimated with LDHAT were then used to paint the chromosome of each lineage, considering the remaining lineages as donors, using 200 expectation-maximization iterations. We used a probability threshold of 0.9 to assign mutations in a recipient lineage to a donor lineage.

542 Tip-calibrated phylogenetic analysis. Tip-calibrated phylogenetic inferences were performed 543 with only the 48 isolates for which sampling date was recorded, i.e. all isolates except the 544 reference 70-15 and PH0018 isolates, with the exclusion of missing data. We investigated whether 545 the signal obtained with our dataset was sufficiently high for thorough tip-dating inferences, by 546 building a phylogenetic tree with PHYML [71], without constraining tip-heights on the basis of 547 isolate sampling time, and then fitting root-to-tip distances (a proxy for the number of substitutions 548 accumulated since the most recent common ancestor, TMRCA) to collection dates with TEMPEST 549 [70]. We observed a significant positive correlation (Figure S3), demonstrating that the temporal 550 signal was sufficiently strong for thorough tip-dating inferences at this evolutionary scale. The tip-551 calibrated inferences were then carried out using Markov chain-Monte Carlo sampling in BEAST 552 1.8.2 [72]. The topology was fixed as the total-evidence genome genealogy inferred with RAXML. 553 We used an annotation of the SNPs with SNPEFF [57] to partition Bayesian inference (i.e. several 554 substitution models and rates of evolution were fitted to the different sets of SNPs during a single 555 analysis). The optimal partitioning scheme and the best-fit nucleotide substitution model for each 556 partitioning of the genome were estimated with PARTITIONFINDER software [73]. The best 557 partitioning was obtained for K=3 schemes (synonymous: HKY, non-synonymous: GTR and non-558 exonic SNPs: GTR) and was used for subsequent analyses. Node age was then estimated with 559 this optimal partitioning scheme. Rate variation between sites was modeled with a discrete gamma 560 distribution, with four rate categories. We assumed an uncorrelated lognormal relaxed clock, to 561 account for rate variation between lineages. We minimized prior assumptions about demographic 562 history, by adopting an extended Bayesian skyline plot approach, to integrate data over different coalescent histories. The tree was calibrated using tip-dates only. We applied flat priors (i.e., 563 uniform distributions) for substitution rate $(1 \times 10^{-12} - 1 \times 10^{-2} \text{ substitutions/site/year})$ and for the 564

565	age of any internal node in the tree (including the root). We ran five independent chains, in which
566	samples were drawn every 5,000 MCMC steps, from a total of 50,000,000 steps, after a discarded
567	burn-in of 5,000,000 steps. We checked for convergence to the stationary distribution and for
568	sufficient sampling and mixing, by inspecting posterior samples (effective sample size >200).
569	Parameter estimation was based on samples combined from the different chains. The best-
570	supported tree was estimated from the combined samples using the maximum clade credibility
571	method implemented in TREEANNOTATOR.
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573	Functional enrichment. Gene enrichment analysis was conducted with the R package TOPGO for
574	GO terms, and Fisher's exact tests for enrichment in HET-domain genes, NLRs, small-secreted
575	protein and MAX-effector genes. MAX-effector genes were obtained from de Guillen et al. [71],
576	NLRs were as identified in Dyrka et al. [46], and small secreted proteins and HET-domain proteins
577	were identified with Ensembl's Biomart.
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583 Figure Captions

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Figure 1. Population subdivision in the sample set analyzed. (A) Total-evidence maximum likelihood genome genealogy and discriminant analysis of principal components, (B) geographic distribution of the six lineages identified, based on results presented in (A). In panel A, all nodes had more than 95% bootstrap support (100 resamplings), except for the node carrying isolates BR0026, US0098, PR0009 and MC0016 (support: 72%). On the barplot, each isolate is represented by a thick horizontal line divided into *K* segments indicating the isolate's estimated probability of belonging to the *K* assumed clusters. In panel B, diameters are proportional to the

592 number of isolates collected per site (the smallest diameter represents 1 isolate). TRJ, tropical

japonica; TEJ, temperate japonica; IND, indica; HYB, hybrid; BAR, barley; ND, no data.

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Figure 2. Proportion of compatible interactions between 46 isolates from lineages 1 to 4 of *M*. *oryzae* and 38 varieties representing three rice subspecies (B) and the proportion of R genes
overcome by 36 isolates from lineages 1 to 4 of *M. oryzae* used to inoculate 19 differential lines of
rice.

Figure 3. Neighbor-Net networks showing relationships between haplotypes identified on the basis of the full set of 16,370 SNPs without missing data, (A) in the whole sample set, (B) in lineage 1,

601 (C) in lineage 2, (D) in lineage 3, (E) in lineage 4.

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603 **Figure 4.** Genomic distribution of candidate immigrant mutations in lineages 1, 5 and 6. (A)

604 Lineage-diagnostic mutations segregating as singletons in other lineages. (B) Lineage 1 mutations

for which the most probable donor is lineage 2, 3, or 4 in probabilistic chromosome painting

analysis. Lineages 5 and 6 (*n*=2 and *n*=1, respectively) could not be included as recipient

607 populations in the chromosome painting analysis due to their small sample sizes. No candidate

608 immigrant mutations were identified in lineages 2, 3, and 4. (C) Genomic regions corresponding to

609 series of adjacent putative migrant mutations identified with lineage-diagnostic singletons in

610 lineage 1. Chromosomes 1 to 7, in clockwise order, with ticks at megabase intervals.

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Figure 5. Tip-calibrated genealogy inferred by maximum-likelihood phylogenetic inference in
BEAST 1.8.2, based on single-nucleotide variation in 50 *M. oryzae* genomes. Approximate historical
periods are shown for context.

615 Supporting information

Figure S1. Neighbor-Net networks showing relationships between haplotypes identified on the
basis of the full set of 16,370 SNPs without missing data, (A) in lineage 1, (B) in lineage 2, (C) in
lineage 3, (D) in lineage 4.

Figure S2. Linkage disequilibrium (r²) against distance. Only SNPs of less than 100 kb and with a minor allele frequency of more than 10% are shown. Averaged values in 1 kb windows for lineages 1 and 4. Averaged values in 10 kb windows for lineages 2 and 3, to minimize the noise associated with smaller sample size.

623 **Figure S3.** (A) Root-to-tip distances (mutations/site) estimated with Beast are correlated with

624 collection date; (B) Marginal posterior densities of the substitution rates of the three data partitions

625 (non-coding sites, nonsynonymous sites and synonymous sites), as estimated by tip-calibrated

626 phylogenetic analysis.

627 **Figure S4.** Proportions of ancestry in *K*=6 ancestral populations inferred with STRUCTURE

628 program from 77 multilocus genotypes. Individuals were genotyped at 12 microsatellite loci and

629 164 SNP loci. Each individual is represented by a bar, partitioned into K segments representing the

630 extent to which its genome is descended from each ancestral population.

631 **Table S1.** Isolates and genome sequencing information

632 **Table S2.** Absolute divergence (dxy) per base pair between *Magnaporthe oryzae* lineages.

633 **Table S3.** Binary interactions (infection: +; no infection: -; no data: empty cell) between rice

634 varieties from three rice subspecies (left) or rice differential lines (right) and Magnaporthe oryzae

635 isolates of six lineages

636 **Table S4.** General linear model analysis of the proportion of compatible interactions (A) and

637 contrasting results for the analysis of the proportion of compatible interactions (B).

638 **Table S5.** General linear model analysis of the proportion of R genes overcome (A) and

639 contrasting results for the general linear model analysis of the proportion of R genes overcome (B)

640 **Table S6.** Distribution of putative migrant mutations, list of predicted genes matching putative

641 migrant mutations and functional enrichment analysis.

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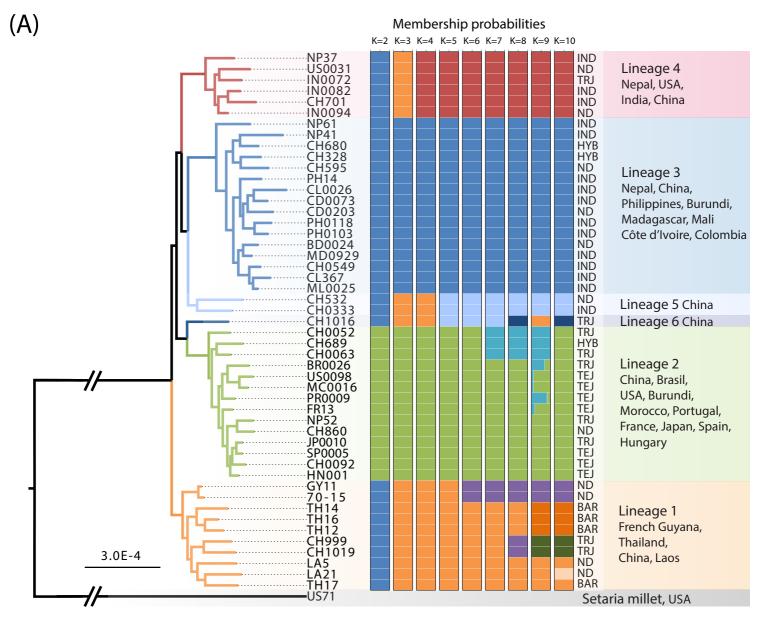
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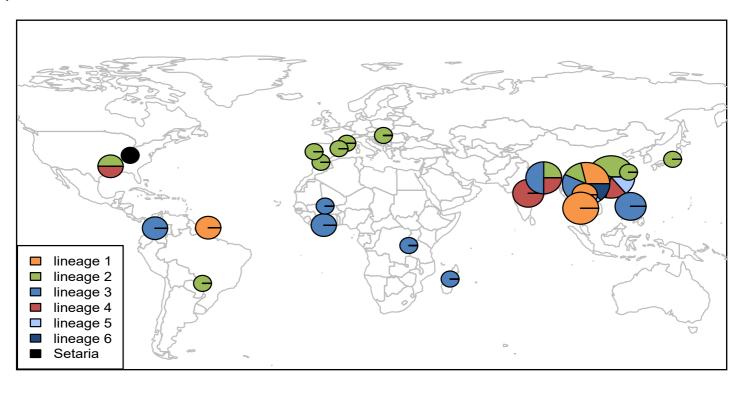
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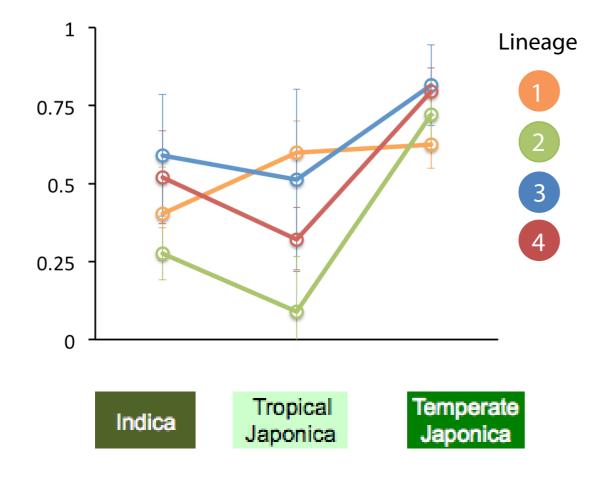
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(A) Proportion of compatible interactions



(B) Proportion of R genes overcome

