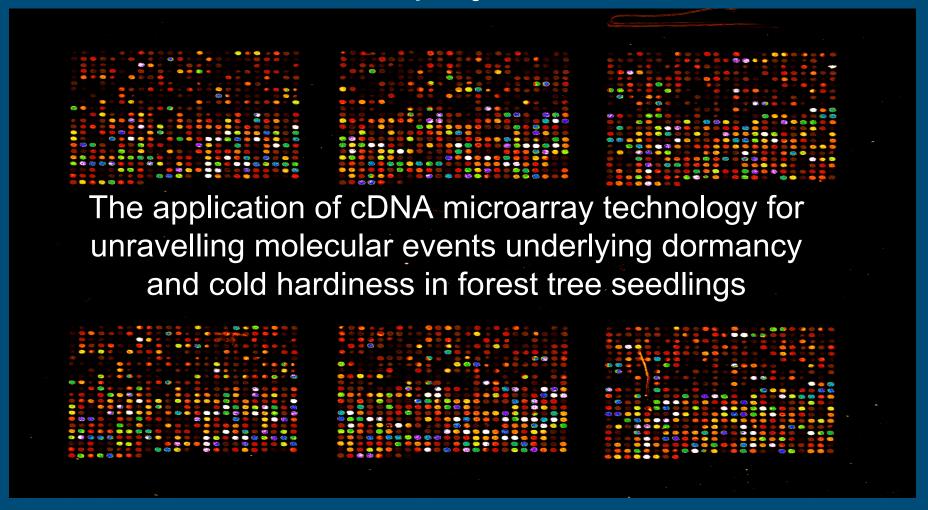
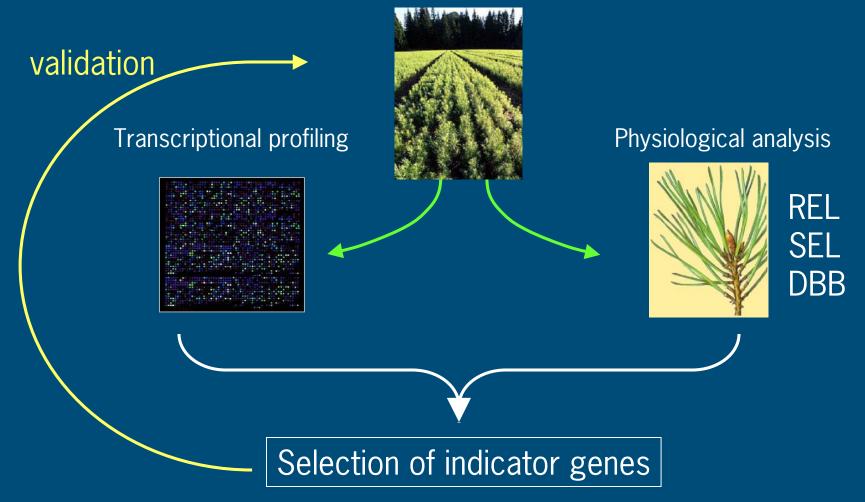
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Finding markers for cold tolerance of pine seedlings

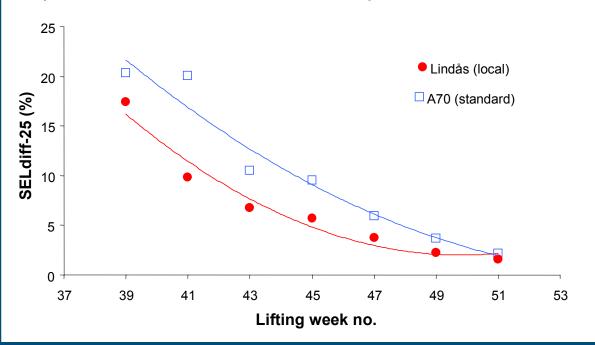




Physiological characterization of pine seedlings:

Selection of samples for chip hybridisations

Shoot frost hardiness (SELdiff-25) of Scots pine standard provenance A70 and local Danish provenance Lindås



- Physiological status
- •seedling age
- location
- period
- •select physiological transitions
- start with extremes
- work towards details
- training set
- blind set

Average expression of genes related to cold tolerance



Using a cDNA microarray containing 1500 genes, over 100 genes were identified that showed cold tolerance related gene expression. These genes can be developed into molecular markers

