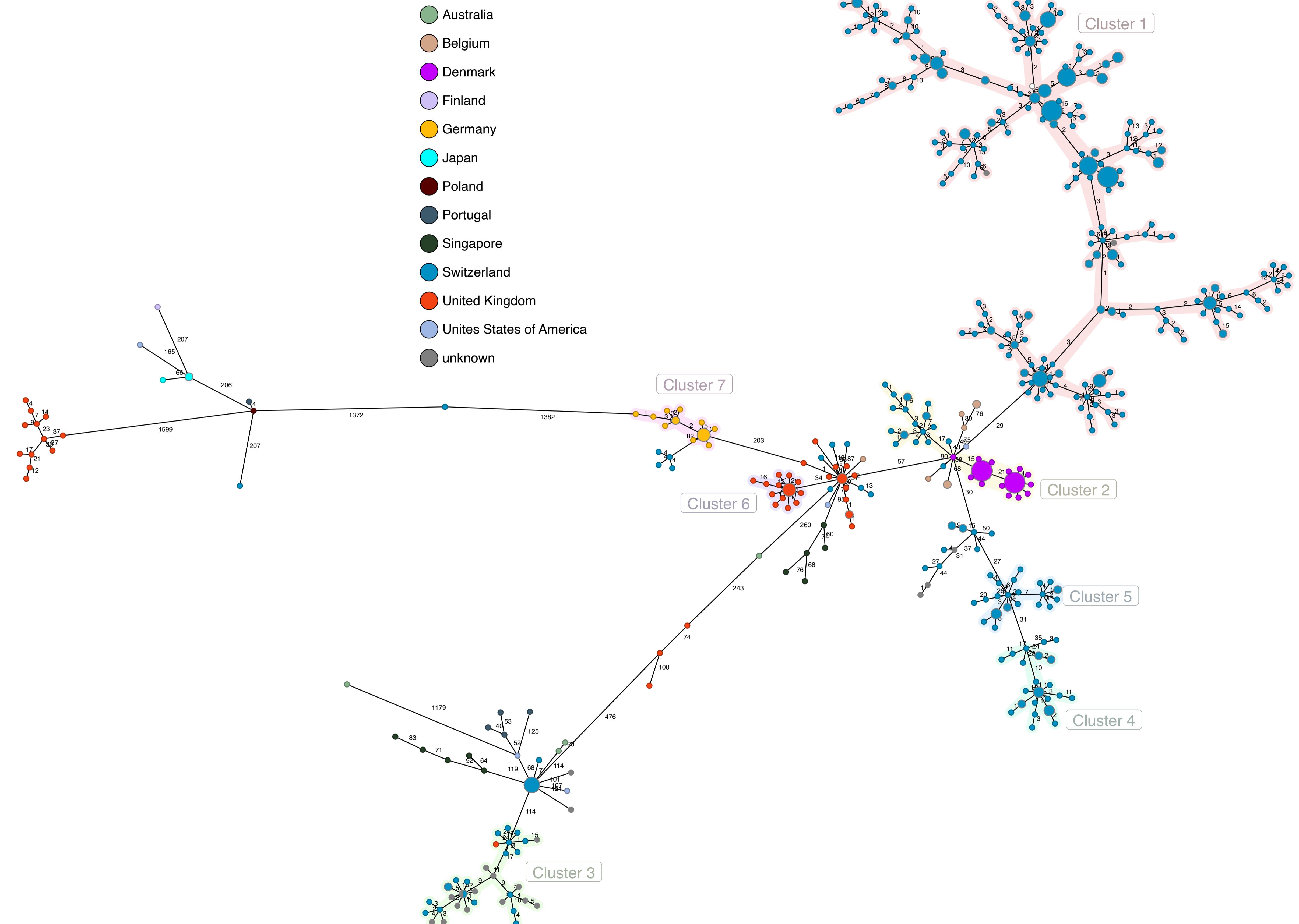


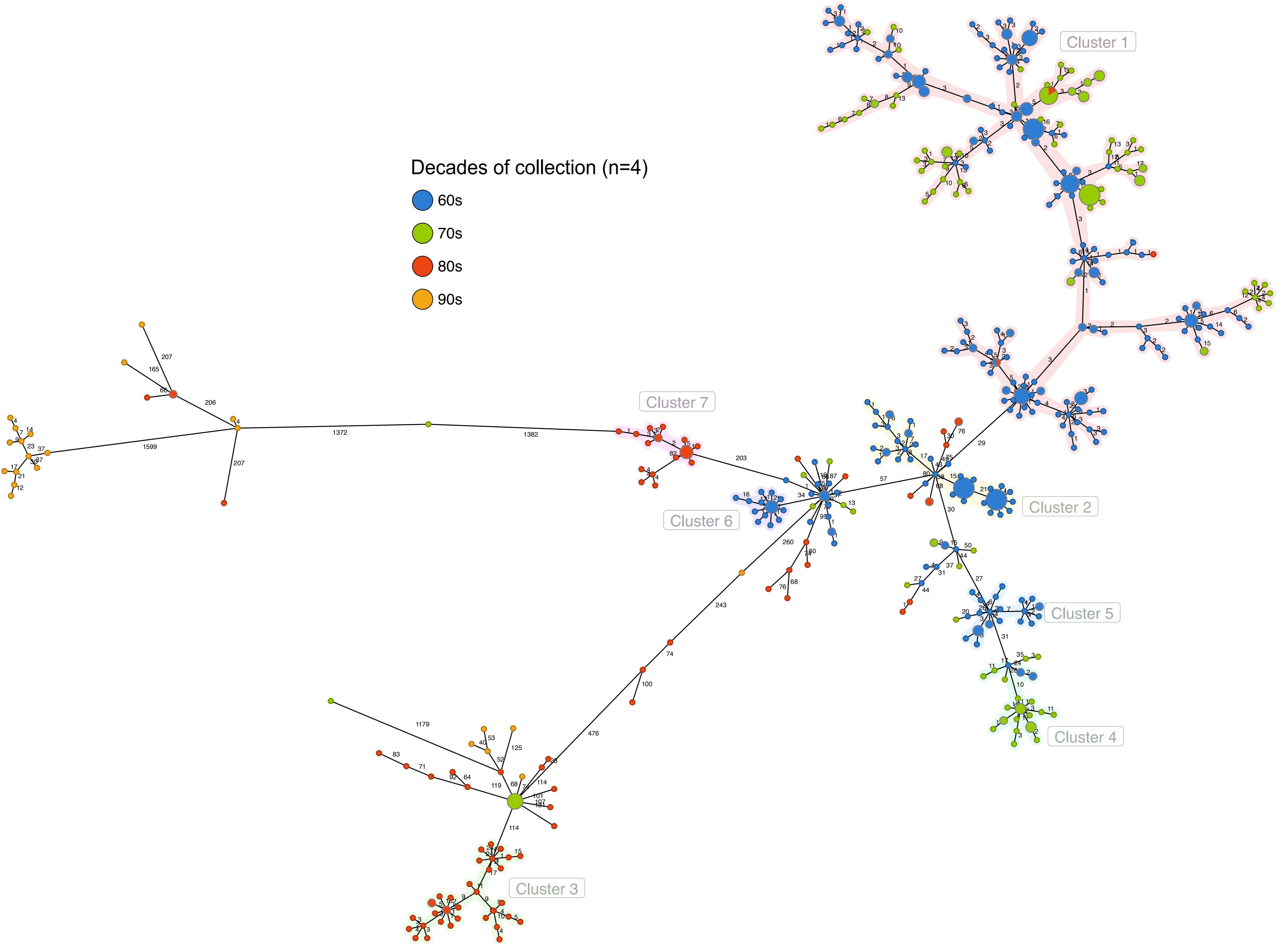
A. Table of MLST sequence type distribution in different datasets

| ST | Total frequency (n=1761) | Frequency in CCOS (n=451) | Frequency in Public Repositories (n=103) | Frequency in University Hospital Basel (n=1207) |
|------|--------------------------|------------------------------|---|--|
| 247 | 408 (23.2%) | 376 (83.4%) | 29 (28.2%) | 3 (0.2%) |
| 22 | 214 (12.2%) | | 11 (10.7%) | 203 (16.8%) |
| 5 | 153 (8.7%) | 1 (0.2%) | 7 (6.8%) | 145 (12%) |
| 8 | 145 (8.2%) | | 4 (3.9%) | 141 (11.7%) |
| 398 | 93 (5.3%) | | | 93 (7.7%) |
| ? | 73 (4.1%) | 1 (0.2%) | | 72 (6%) |
| 1 | 73 (4.1%) | | | 73 (6%) |
| 6 | 72 (4.1%) | | | 72 (6%) |
| 30 | 56 (3.2%) | | | 56 (4.6%) |
| 45 | 51 (2.9%) | | | 51 (4.2%) |
| 225 | 41 (2.3%) | | | 41 (3.4%) |
| 239 | 39 (2.2%) | 15 (3.3%) | 15 (14.6%) | 9 (0.7%) |
| 250 | 37 (2.1%) | 7 (1.6%) | 30 (29.1%) | |
| 7844 | 25 (1.4%) | 25 (5.5%) | | |
| 2626 | 23 (1.3%) | | | 23 (1.9%) |
| 1472 | 20 (1.1%) | | | 20 (1.7%) |
| 254 | 18 (1%) | 18 (4%) | | |
| 72 | 18 (1%) | | | 18 (1.5%) |
| 80 | 18 (1%) | | | 18 (1.5%) |
| 88 | 14 (0.8%) | | | 14 (1.2%) |
| 1232 | 13 (0.7%) | | | 13 (1.1%) |
| 59 | 13 (0.7%) | | | 13 (1.1%) |
| 97 | 12 (0.7%) | | | 12 (1%) |
| 152 | 10 (0.6%) | | | 10 (0.8%) |
| 4080 | 7 (0.4%) | | | 7 (0.6%) |
| 105 | 6 (0.3%) | | | 6 (0.5%) |
| 672 | 6 (0.3%) | | | 6 (0.5%) |
| 1529 | 5 (0.3%) | | 5 (4.9%) | |
| 1637 | 5 (0.3%) | | | 5 (0.4%) |
| 94 | 5 (0.3%) | | | 5 (0.4%) |
| 130 | 4 (0.2%) | | | 4 (0.3%) |
| 149 | 4 (0.2%) | | | 4 (0.3%) |
| 188 | 4 (0.2%) | | | 4 (0.3%) |
| 49 | 4 (0.2%) | | | 4 (0.3%) |
| 125 | 3 (0.2%) | | | 3 (0.2%) |
| 1413 | 3 (0.2%) | | | 3 (0.2%) |
| 2802 | 3 (0.2%) | | | 3 (0.2%) |
| 368 | 3 (0.2%) | | | 3 (0.2%) |
| 737 | 3 (0.2%) | | | 3 (0.2%) |
| 772 | 3 (0.2%) | | | 3 (0.2%) |
| 834 | 3 (0.2%) | | | 3 (0.2%) |
| 113 | 2 (0.1%) | | | 2 (0.2%) |
| 121 | 2 (0.1%) | | | 2 (0.2%) |
| 241 | 2 (0.1%) | | | 2 (0.2%) |
| 4994 | 2 (0.1%) | | | 2 (0.2%) |
| 7 | 2 (0.1%) | | | 2 (0.2%) |
| 7119 | 2 (0.1%) | | | 2 (0.2%) |
| 7638 | 2 (0.1%) | 2 (0.4%) | | |
| 7839 | 2 (0.1%) | 2 (0.4%) | | |
| 789 | 2 (0.1%) | | | 2 (0.2%) |
| 923 | 2 (0.1%) | | | 2 (0.2%) |
| 111 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 1153 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 1245 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 1327 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 1456 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 146 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 1649 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 207 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 2249 | 1 (0.1%) | | 1 (1%) | |
| 228 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 2371 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 2625 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 3108 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 3124 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 337 | 1 (0.1%) | | 1 (1%) | |
| 338 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 36 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 39 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 3923 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 4006 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 5004 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 5184 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 630 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 6864 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 718 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 7837 | 1 (0.1%) | 1 (0.2%) | | |
| 7842 | 1 (0.1%) | 1 (0.2%) | | |
| 7843 | 1 (0.1%) | 1 (0.2%) | | |
| 87 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |
| 9 | 1 (0.1%) | 1 (0.2%) | | |
| 939 | 1 (0.1%) | | | 1 (0.1%) |

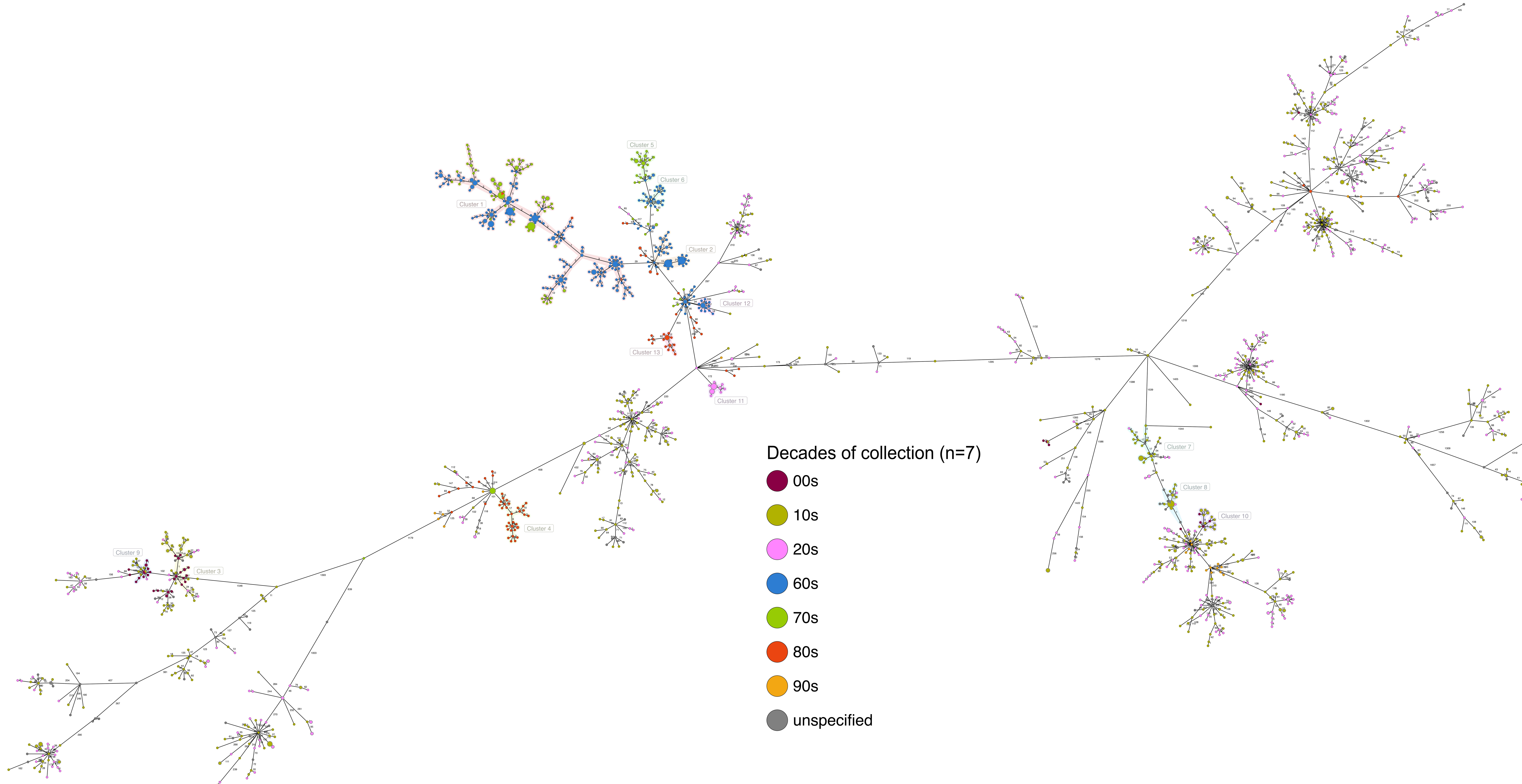
Countries of collection (n=12)



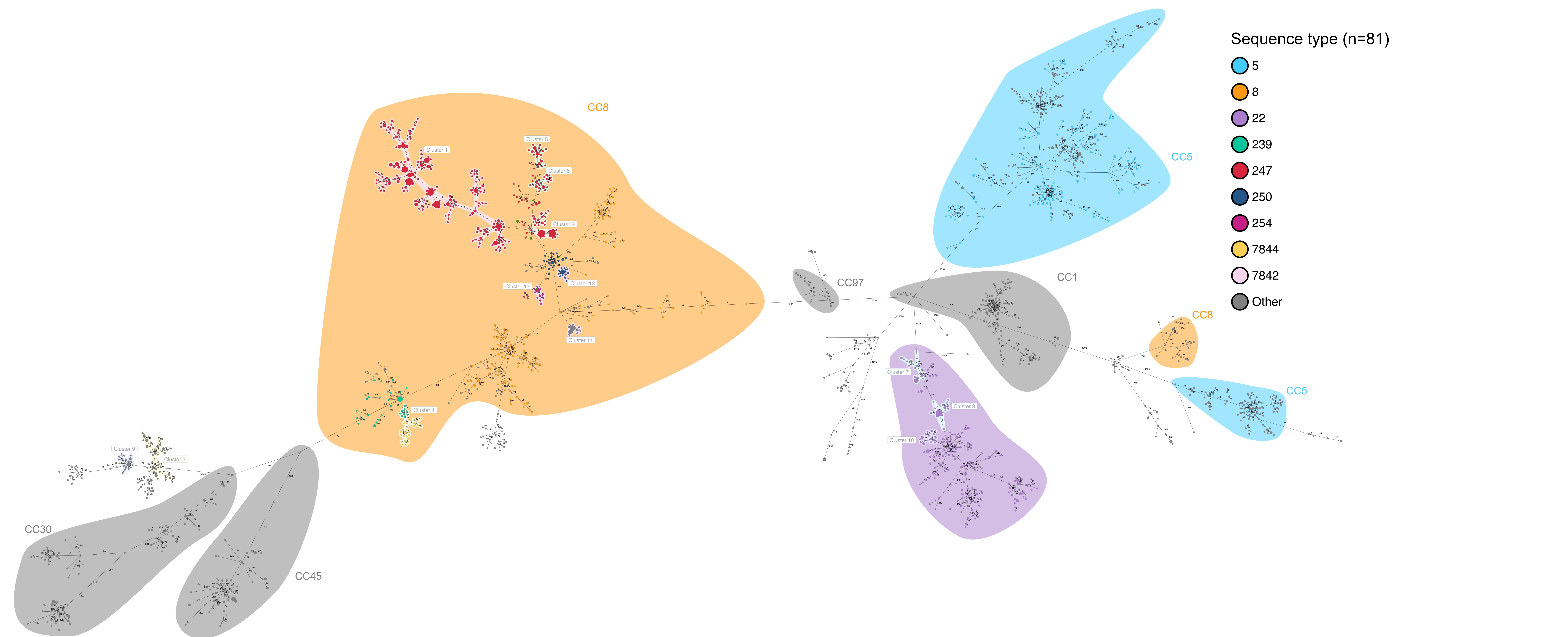
B. cgMLST MST of CCoS and public repository genomes of MRSA (1960-1992, n = 554), nodes colored by collection country. Clusters are shown with a maximal cluster distance of 24 allele differences and a minimal cluster size of 15.



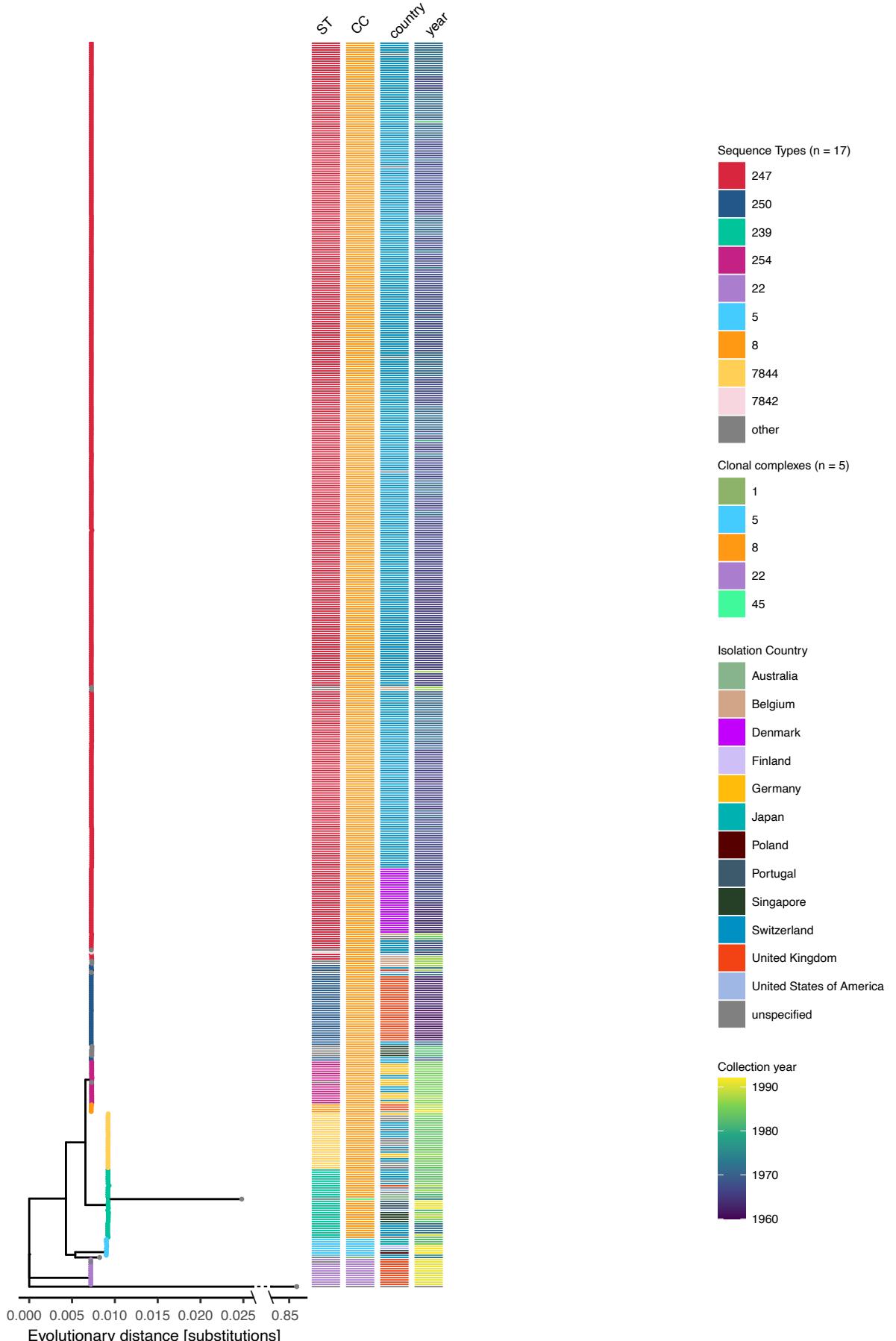
C. cgMLST MST of CCoS and public repository genomes of MRSA (1960-1992, n = 554), nodes colored by sequence type and CCs are shaded. Clusters are shown with a maximal cluster distance of 24 allele differences and a minimal cluster size of 15.



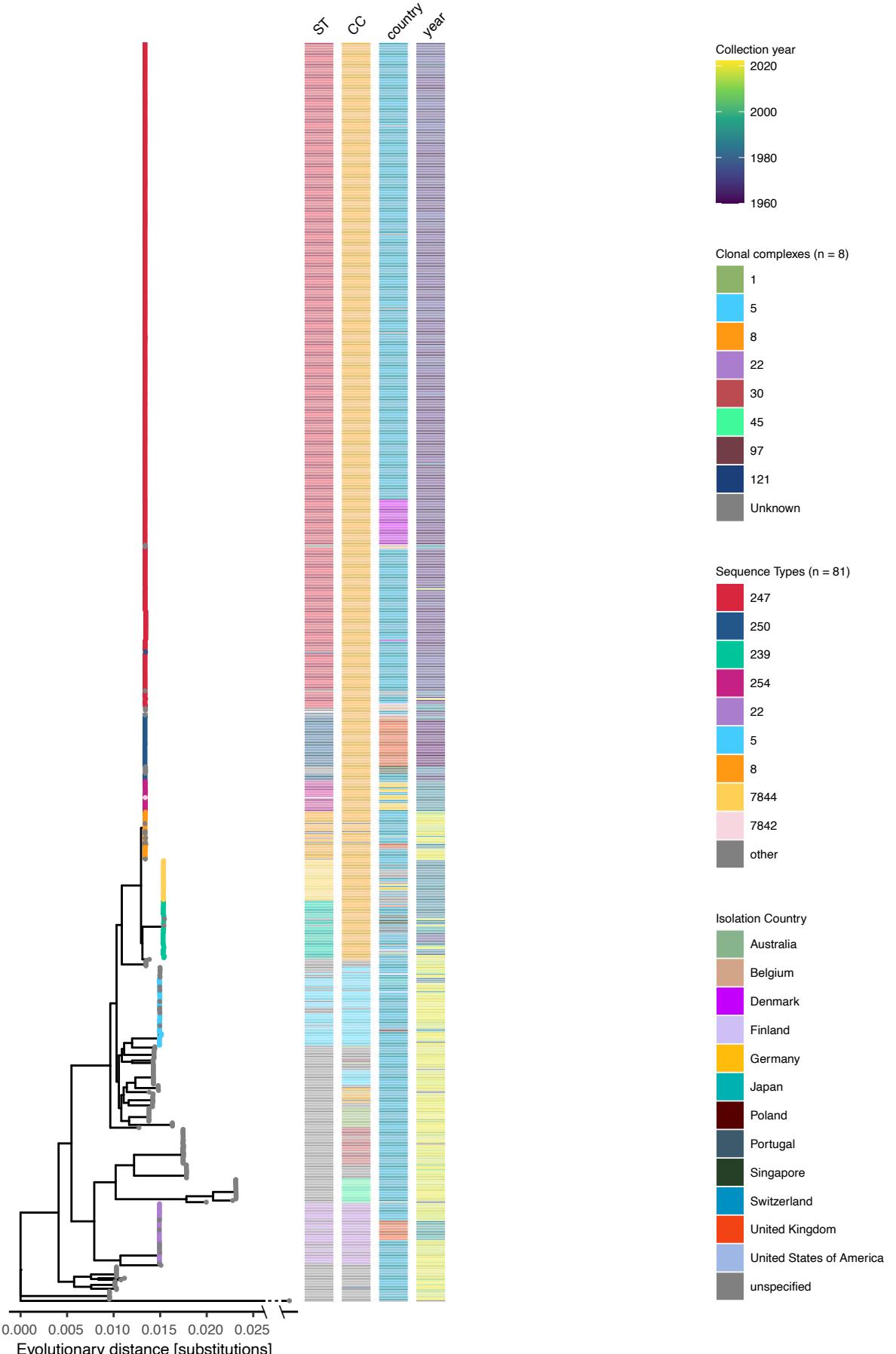
D. cgMLST MST of CCoS, public repository and University Hospital of Basel genomes of MRSA (1960-2022, n = 1761), nodes colored by collection decade. Clusters are shown with a maximal cluster distance of 24 allele differences and a minimal cluster size of 15.



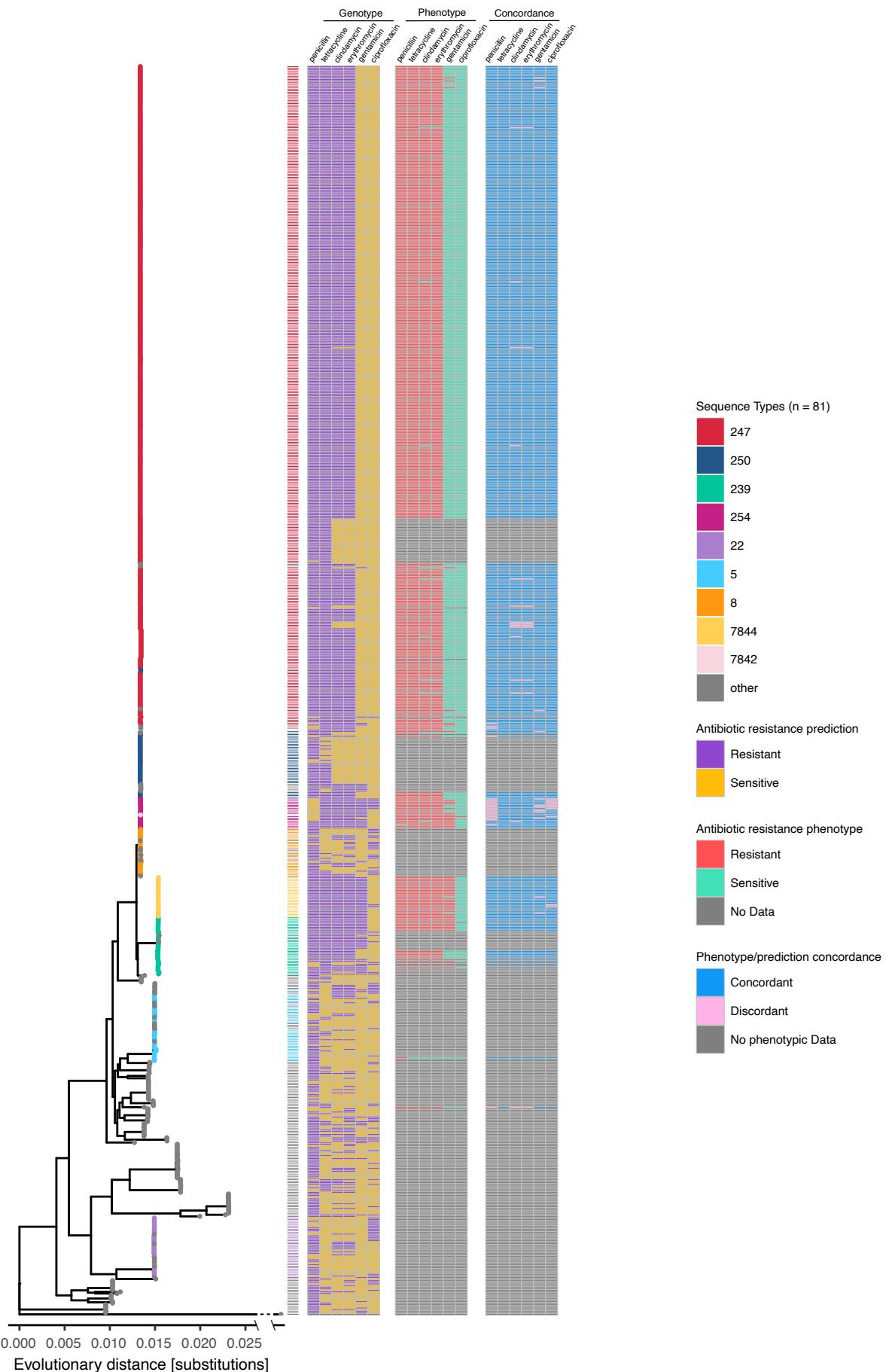
E. cgMLST MST of CCoS, public repository and University Hospital of Basel genomes of MRSA (1960-2022, n = 1761), nodes colored by collection country. Clusters are shown with a maximal cluster distance of 24 allele differences and a minimal cluster size of 15. Clonal complexes are shaded in.



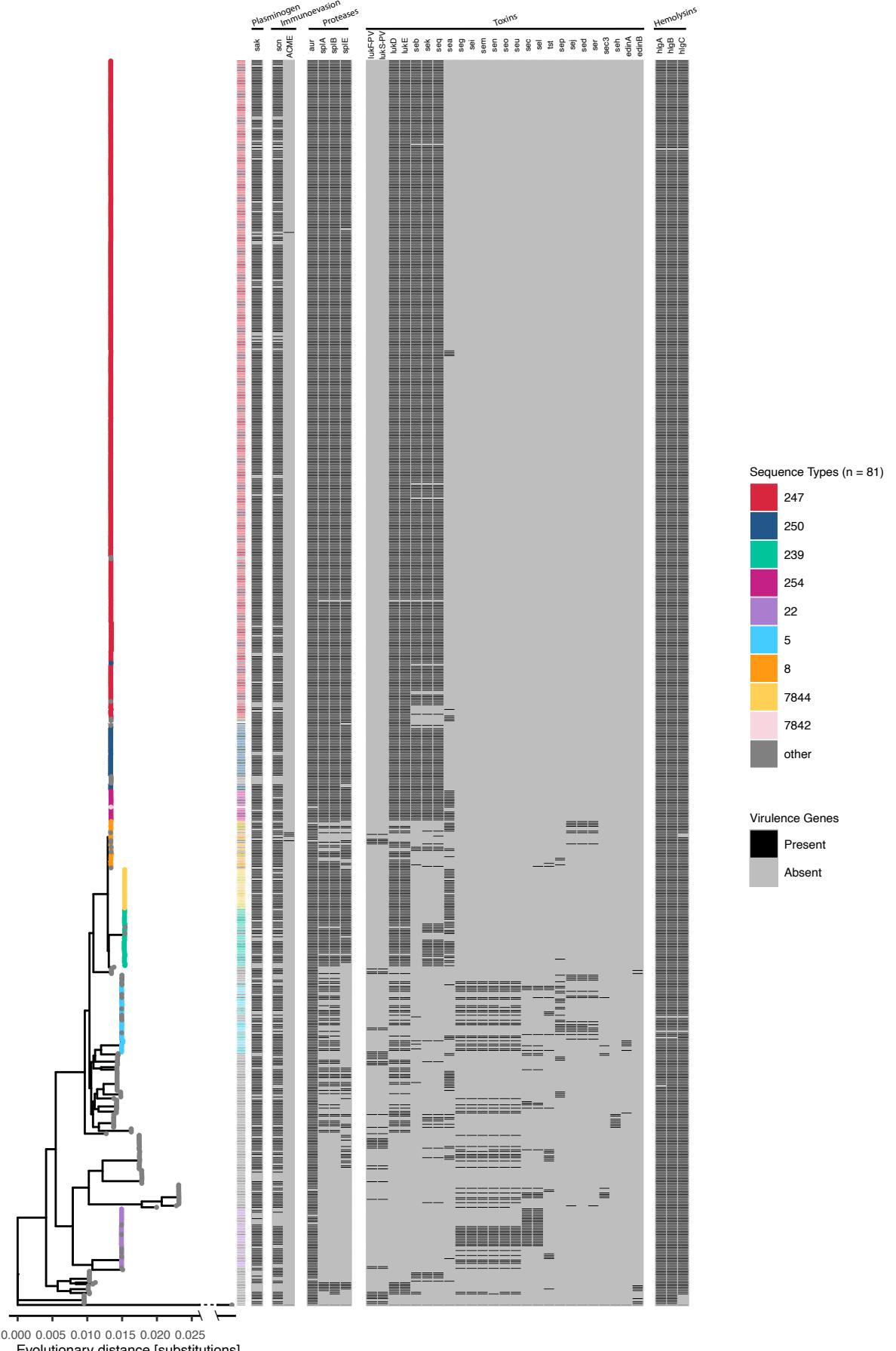
F. MLST sequence type, clonal complex, collection country and collection year mapped to a maximum likelihood core genome SNP tree of ancient Swiss and international MRSA (1960 -1992, n = 554). Leaves colored by sequence type. Outgroup (*S. epidermidis*) line shortened through X-axis break for visualization purposes.



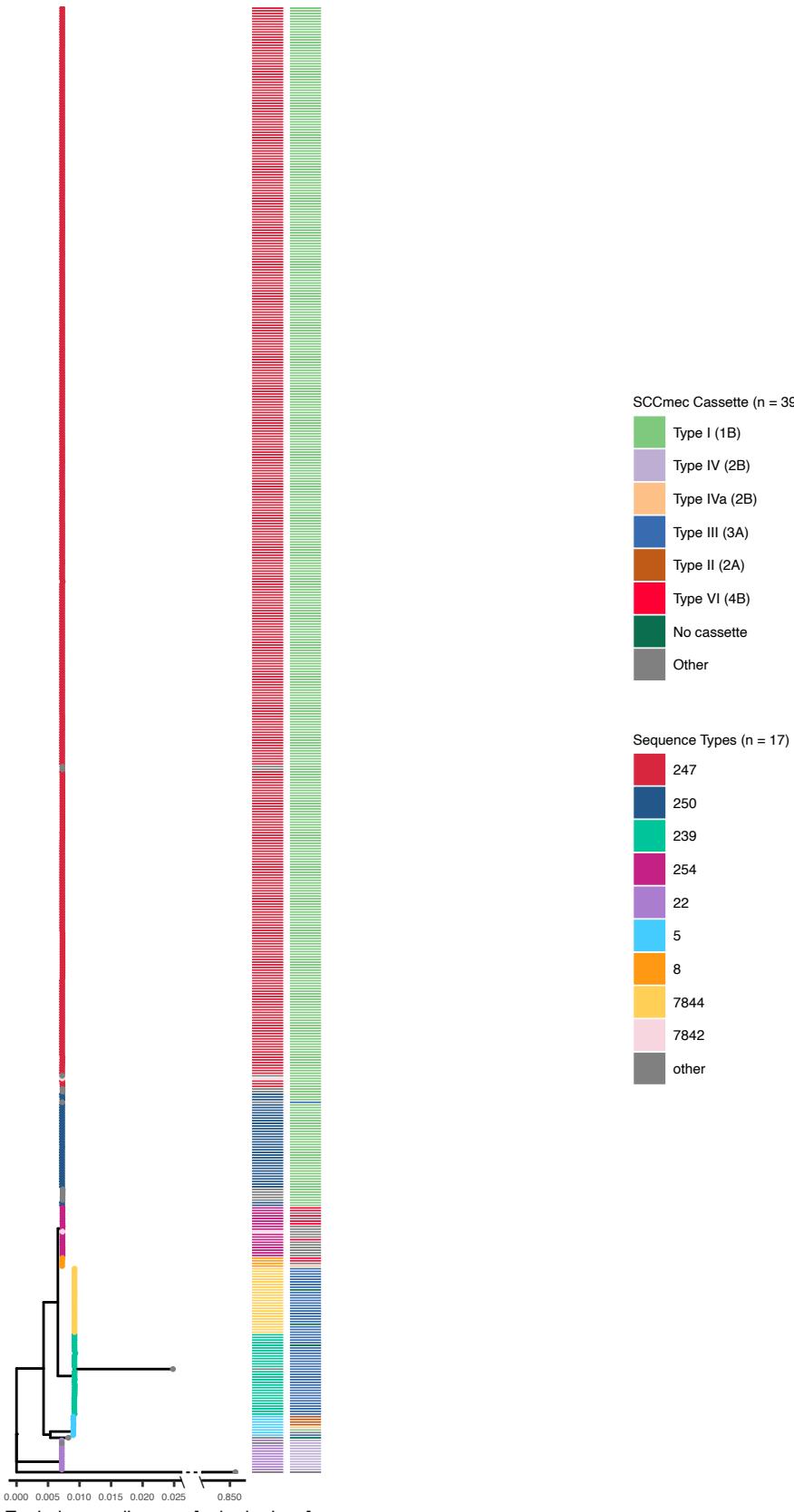
G. MLST sequence type, clonal complex, collection country and collection year mapped to a maximum likelihood core genome SNP tree of MRSA from the CCoS, public repositories and dereplicated modern Swiss isolates (1960 -2022, n = 777). Leaves colored by sequence type. Outgroup (*S. epidermidis*) line shortened through X-axis break for visualization purposes.



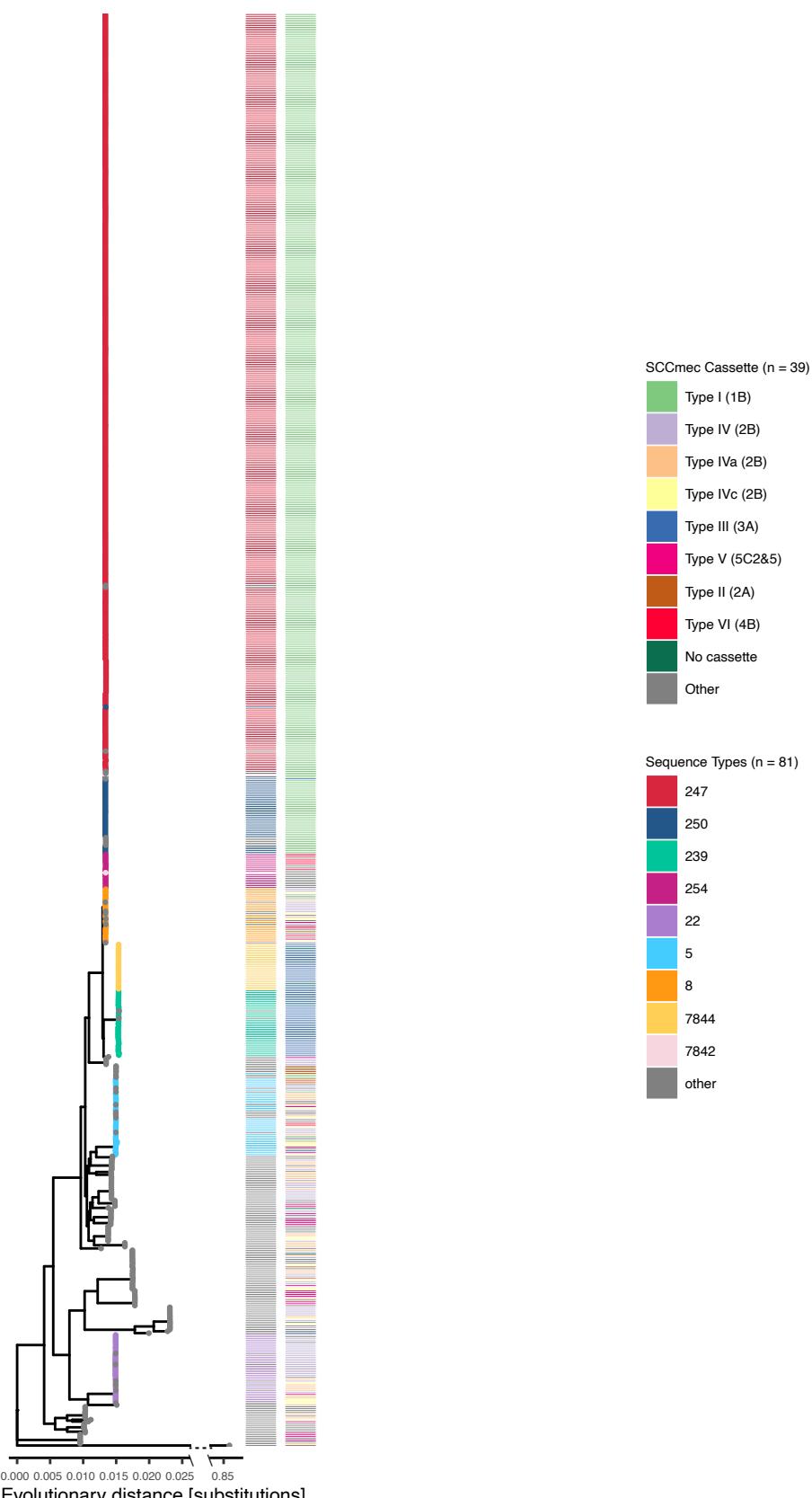
H. Predicted resistance/sensitivity, phenotypical resistance/sensitivity and concordance between the two mapped to a maximum likelihood core genome SNP tree of MRSA from the CCoS, public repositories and dereplicated modern Swiss isolates (1960 -2022, n = 777). Leaves colored by sequence type. Outgroup (*S. epidermidis*) line shortened through X-axis break for visualization purposes.



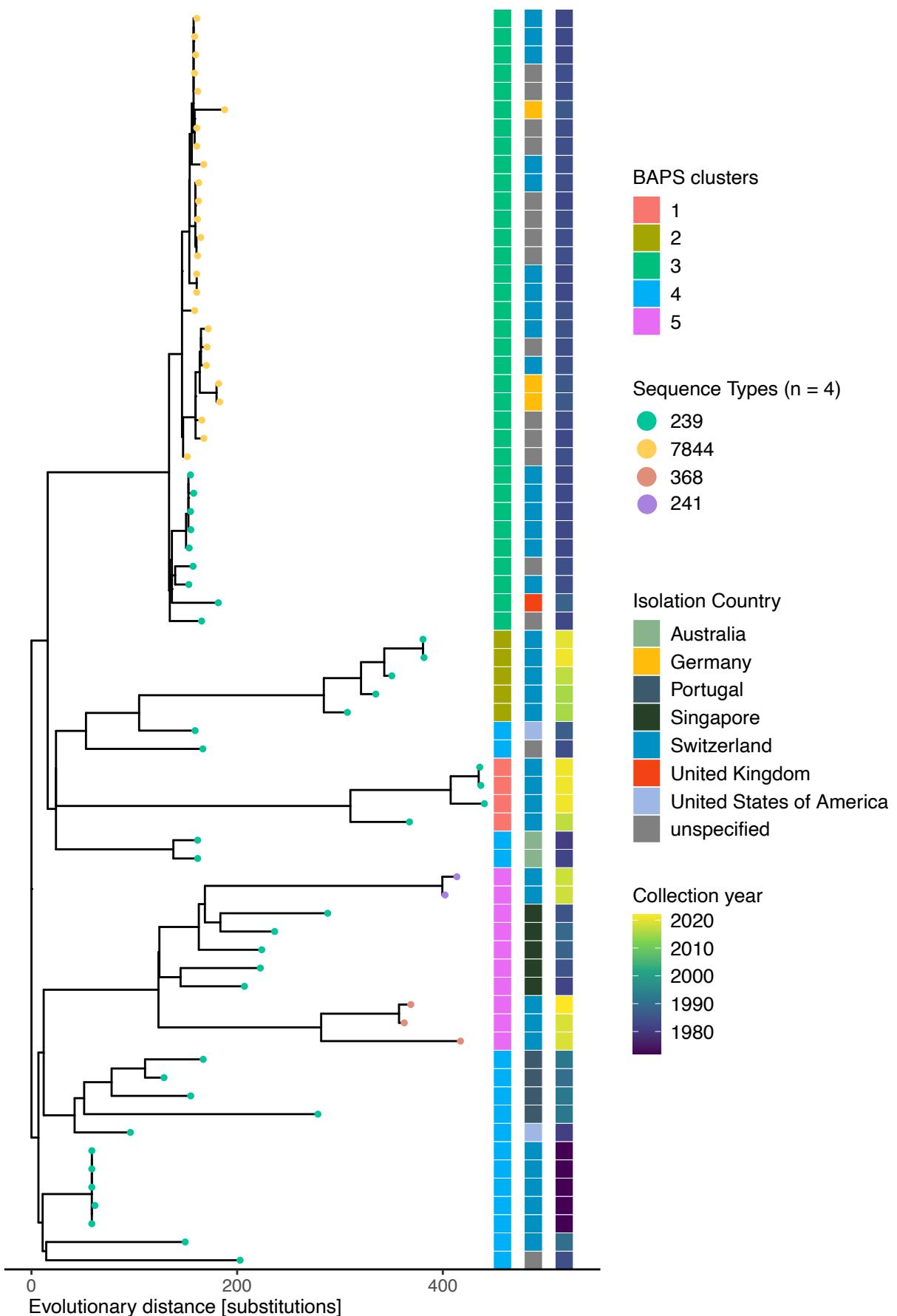
I. Virulence gene presence/absence heatmap mapped to a maximum likelihood core genome SNP tree of MRSA from the CCoS, public repositories and dereplicated modern Swiss isolates (1960 -2022, n = 777). Leaves colored by sequence type. Outgroup (*S. epidermidis*) line shortened through X-axis break for visualization purposes.



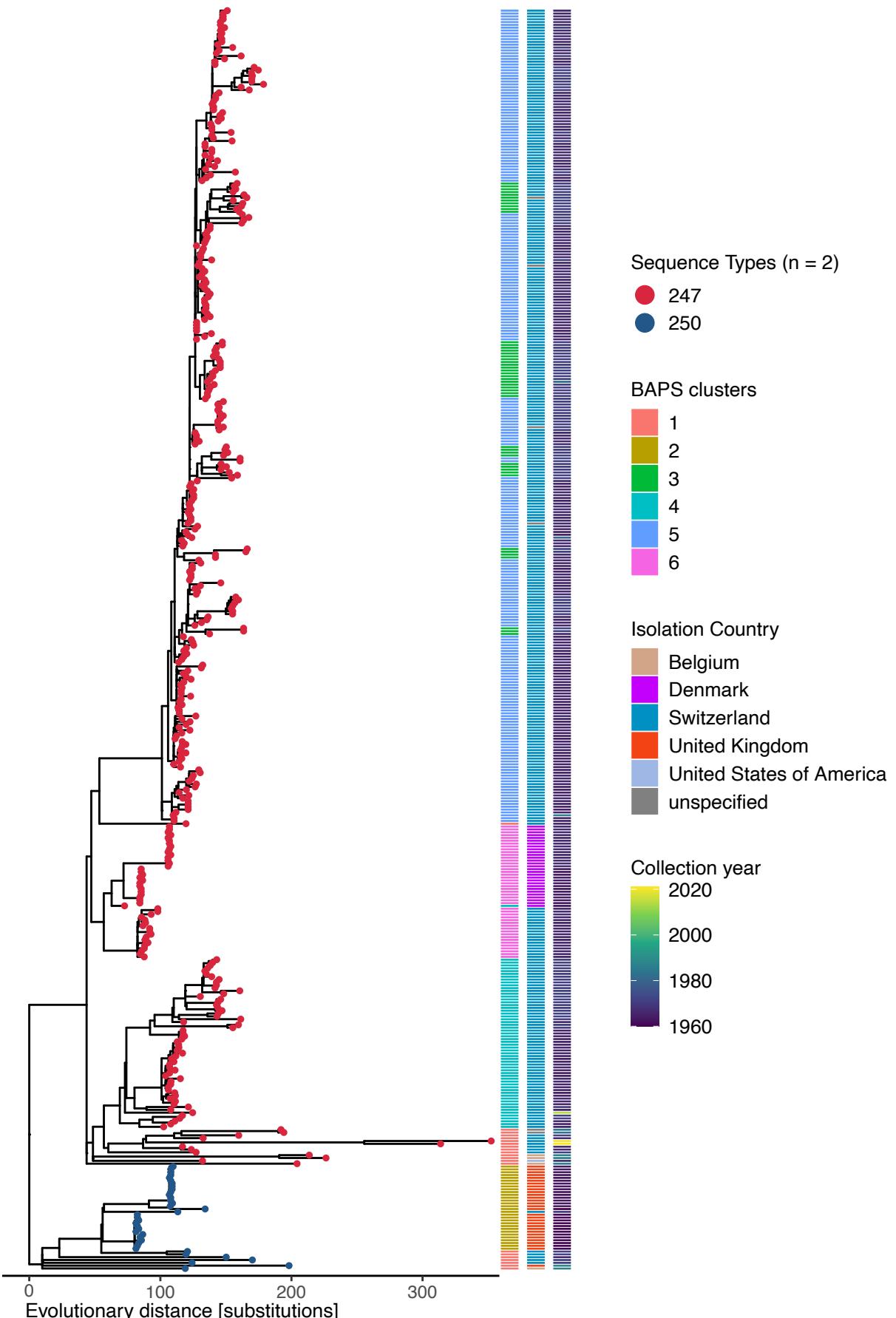
J. SCCmec type mapped to a maximum likelihood core genome SNP tree of ancient Swiss and international MRSA (1960 -1992, n = 554). Leaves colored by sequence type. Outgroup (*S. epidermidis*) line shortened through X-axis break for visualization purposes.



K. SCCmec type mapped to a maximum likelihood core genome SNP tree of MRSA from the CCoS, public repositories and dereplicated modern Swiss isolates (1960 -2022, n = 777). Leaves colored by sequence type. Outgroup (*S. epidermidis*) line shortened through X-axis break for visualization purposes.



L. BAPS clusters, collection country and collection year mapped to a maximum likelihood whole genome SNP tree of ST239, ST7844, ST368 and ST241 MRSA (n = 69). Leaves colored by sequence type.



M. BAPS clusters, collection country and collection year mapped to a maximum likelihood whole genome SNP tree of ST247 and ST250 MRSA (n = 445). Leaves colored by sequence type



N. BAPS clusters, collection country and collection year mapped to a maximum likelihood whole genome SNP tree of ST22 MRSA (n = 214). Leaves colored by sequence type.