

**Table S6.** Nonsynonymous to synonymous nucleotide substitution frequency ratios (dN/dS) for Carnivora UGT genes obtained using 3 different input tree topologies.

Input tree	Order (sub-order)	Family	UGT1A6			UGT1A1		
			Taxa (n) <sup>1</sup>	Seq. (n) <sup>1</sup>	dN/dS	Taxa (n) <sup>1</sup>	Seq. (n) <sup>1</sup>	dN/dS
Maximum likelihood		All species (average value)	49	50	0.3926	47	38	0.3811
Carnivora (Feliformia)	<i>Felidae</i>	18	16	0.6785	18	15	0.4476	
	<i>Hyenidae</i>	4	4	0.508	4	3	0.5258	
	<i>Herpestidae</i>	1	1	0.2533	1	1	0.2171	
	<i>Viverridae</i>	2	2	0.4815	2	2	0.3556	
	<i>Ursidae</i>	2	2	0.2148	2	1	0.9952	
	<i>Procyonidae</i>	1	1	0.4983	1	1	0.2866	
	<i>Ailuridae</i>	1	1	0.2102	0	0	-	
	<i>Mustelidae</i>	2	2	0.3215	2	2	0.2832	
Carnivora (Caniformia)	<i>Otariidae</i>	0	0	-	3	1	>999	
	<i>Phocidae</i>	2	2	1.1708	2	2	0.7129	
	<i>Canidae</i>	4	4	0.1826	4	3	0.1211	
	Cattle, sheep, pig, horse	4	6	0.3945	1	1	0.4166	
	Mouse, rat, rabbit	3	4	0.3659	2	2	0.4112	
	Primates	5	5	0.3969	5	4	0.4127	
Bayesian		All species (average value)	49	50	0.3922	47	38	0.3826
Carnivora (Feliformia)	<i>Felidae</i>	18	16	0.6332	18	15	0.4325	
	<i>Hyenidae</i>	4	4	0.5043	4	3	0.5148	
	<i>Herpestidae</i>	1	1	0.2546	1	1	0.216	
	<i>Viverridae</i>	2	2	0.4843	2	2	0.3454	
	<i>Ursidae</i>	2	2	0.2056	2	1	1.3389	
	<i>Procyonidae</i>	1	1	0.5168	1	1	0.2928	
	<i>Ailuridae</i>	1	1	0.1952	0	0	-	
	<i>Mustelidae</i>	2	2	0.328	2	2	0.2761	
Carnivora (Caniformia)	<i>Otariidae</i>	0	0	-	3	1	>999	
	<i>Phocidae</i>	2	2	1.1337	2	2	0.6003	
	<i>Canidae</i>	4	4	0.1778	4	3	0.1215	
	Cattle, sheep, pig, horse	4	6	0.3954	1	1	0.4133	
	Mouse, rat, rabbit	3	4	0.3719	2	2	0.4137	
	Primates	5	5	0.3925	5	4	0.3543	
Maximum parsimony		All species (average value)	49	50	0.3889	47	38	0.384
Carnivora (Feliformia)	<i>Felidae</i>	18	16	0.6512	18	15	0.4378	
	<i>Hyenidae</i>	4	4	0.5064	4	3	0.5142	
	<i>Herpestidae</i>	1	1	0.2523	1	1	0.2159	
	<i>Viverridae</i>	2	2	0.4805	2	2	0.3453	
	<i>Ursidae</i>	2	2	0.1992	2	1	1.3439	
	<i>Procyonidae</i>	1	1	0.6332	1	1	0.2926	
	<i>Ailuridae</i>	1	1	0.1262	0	0	-	
	<i>Mustelidae</i>	2	2	0.1672	2	2	0.276	
Carnivora (Caniformia)	<i>Otariidae</i>	0	0	-	3	1	>999	
	<i>Phocidae</i>	2	2	1.1193	2	2	0.6192	
	<i>Canidae</i>	4	4	0.1819	4	3	0.1214	
	Cattle, sheep, pig, horse	4	6	0.3937	1	1	0.4133	
	Mouse, rat, rabbit	3	4	0.4412	2	2	0.3294	
	Primates	5	5	0.3621	5	4	0.4688	

<sup>1</sup> Number of sampled taxa and unique translated sequences (seq.) used in each analysis. Differences between the numbers of taxa and sequences within each group arise from the presence of multiple UGT1A6 genes in mouse (2) and horse (3) (see Tables S1 for details), as well as exclusion of any sequences found to be identical to any other sequence after cropping. Sequences that were excluded from the final analysis (and the identical sequence included in the analysis) were as follows: PanTro\_A1 (HomSap\_A1), CanRuf\_A1 (CanFam\_A1), HyaHya\_A1 (ParBru\_A1), PumCo2\_A1 (PumCon\_A1), LeoGeo\_A1 (LeoTig\_A1), PanPar\_A1 (PanUnc\_A1), PhoHoo\_A1 (CalUrs\_A1), UrsThi\_A1 (UrsMar\_A1), LeoGeo\_A6 (LeoTig\_A6), PriBen\_A6 (FelCat\_A6).