

TableS2 Number of samples and amplification success for historical Finnish wolves divided into four different temporal groups. In each cell is shown the number of samples in that category and below amplification success rate for mtDNA/microsatellites.

Sample type	Temporal group									
	Before 1920		1920 - 1959		1960 - 1979		1980 - 1993			
Dental bone	22		6		7		13		N = 58	
	0.636	0.364	0.667	0.500	0.882	0.588	0.769	0.385	0.741	0.448
Tissue inside dental cavity	6		2		11		11		N = 30	
	1	0.833	1	1	1	0.727	1	0.727	1	0.767
Other bones	2		1		2		7		N = 12	
	0.500	0	1	1	0.500	1	0.857	0.714	0.750	0.667
Pelt samples	3		1		1		5		N = 10	
	0.670	0.670	1	1	1	1	0	0	0.400	0.400
Other	2 *		0		2 **		0		N = 4	
	1	1			1	1			1	1
Number of samples	N = 35		N = 10		N = 33		N = 36		N = 114	
Prop. amplified mtDNA/microsat.	0.706	0.486	0.800	0.700	0.909	0.697	0.750	0.500	0.788	0.579

* two claw samples; mtDNA amplification done for one sample, ** foot pad and fresh frozen tissue samples