

Supplementary Table S2 Primers and results for CNV validations by qPCR

GENE	Forward Pri	Reverse Pri	CN qPCR	CN PennCNV	ADAPTmap code	Goat Group	Breed name	Validation result
			2		control			
			1 cn=2		MG_AND0006	MAD	Androy	0
			0 cn=2		KE_GAL0011	SEA	Galla	0
AHCY	ACACATGACGACTCAAGC		2 cn=2		ML_GUE0024	NWA	Guera	1
			28 state5,cn=3		MG_SOF0023	MAD	Sofia	1
			42 state5,cn=3		ET_ABR0027	SEA	Abergelle	1
			2 state5,cn=3		CM_WAD0026	NWA	WAD	0
			2		control			
ASIP	CTCTCCCGAGTGGTCTGG		0 cn=2		MG_AND0006	MAD	Androy	0
			1 cn=2		ML_GUE0011	NWA	Guera	0
			7 state5,cn=3		TZ_SNJ0016	SEA	Sonjo	1
			2		control			
			1 cn=2		MG_AND0006	MAD	Androy	0
			2 cn=2		ET_GUM0023	SEA	Gumez	1
			1 cn=2		TZ_MAA0005	SEA	Maasai	0
ITCH	IAGCCAGTAGTGGTACTT		10 state5,cn=3		TZ_SNJ0016	SEA	Sonjo	1
			3 state5,cn=3		KE_SEA0015	SEA	SEA	1
			5 state5,cn=3		ZW_MSH0018	SEA	Mashona	1
			17 state2,cn=1		ML_SDN0006	NWA	Soundanaise	0
			2		control			
			4 cn=2		MG_SOF0021	MAD	Sofia	0
			2 cn=2		ML_GUE0011	NWA	Guera	1
EDNRA	JACGCTCTCTGTGGAGAAA		3 cn=2		ET_ABR0011	SEA	Abergelle	0
			18 state5,cn=3		MG_AND0006	MAD	Androy	1
			24 state5,cn=3		KE_GAL0011	SEA	Galla	1
			33 state5,cn=3		ET_GUM0023	SEA	Gumez	1
			2		control			
			1 cn=2		TZ_SNJ0016	SEA	Sonjo	0
			2 cn=2		ET_ABR0027	SEA	Abergelle	1
NR3C2	GCGACTTGTSAAACTTAA		2 cn=2		KE_GAL0011	SEA	Galla	1
			22 state5,cn=3		MG_SOF0021	MAD	Sofia	1
			13 state5,cn=3		ML_GUE0011	NWA	Guera	1
			1 state5,cn=3		ET_ABR0011	SEA	Abergelle	0
			2		control			
			2 cn=2		MG_AND0006	MAD	Androy	1
			1 cn=2		ML_GUE0011	NWA	Guera	0
DGAT1	TCCAAATTGATCCTGCTC		2 cn=2		KE_GAL0011	SEA	Galla	1
			1 state2,cn=1		MG_SOF0024	MAD	Sofia	1
			1 state2,cn=1		TZ_MAA0005	SEA	Maasai	1
			2 state2,cn=1		ML_SDN0006	NWA	Soundanaise	0
			2 state1,cn=0		ML_GUE0024	NWA	Guera	0

**Comment:**

Gene: Primers for MC1R(reference gene); Forward Primer Seq: CTCGTTGGCCTTTCATAGC; Reverse Primer Seq: GAAGTCTTGAAGATGCAGCC

CN\_qPCR: Copy number was calculated by the 2X2-ΔΔCT method using qPCR. Control mean the reference samples selected from outgroup, which included three Saanen and three Alpine goats.

CN\_PENCNV: CNV call results by PennCNV. cn=2 mean copy number normal; state1,cn=0 and state2,cn=1 mean copy number loss; state5,cn=3 mean copy number gain.

Validation result: 1 mean the gene copy number status calculated by two methods were consistent in terms of CNV direction, while 0 mean they were not consistent. The accuracy percent (57%)=Number of consistan (20)/Number of total tests (35)