

### **Supplementary Tables for**

The adaptive benefit of evolved increases in hemoglobin-O<sub>2</sub> affinity is contingent on tissue O<sub>2</sub> diffusing capacity in high-altitude deer mice

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**Table S1.** Effects of inspired  $PO_2$  and acclimation to hypoxia on cardiorespiratory physiology of  $F_2$  inter-population hybrid deer mice at  $\dot{V}O_{2max}$ , without accounting for effects of genotype.

Trait	Animal mass	Acclimation	$PO_2$	Interaction <sup>1</sup>
$\dot{V}O_{2max}$ <sup>2</sup>	$F_{1,98} = 37.9184$ $P < 0.0001^*$	$F_{1,98} = 16.8561$ $P = 0.0001^*$	$F_{1,98} = 94.4737$ $P < 0.0001^*$	NS
Arterial $O_2$ saturation	$F_{1,98} = 3.0602$ $P = 0.0909$	$F_{1,98} = 14.5282$ $P = 0.0003^*$	$F_{1,98} = 181.5338$ $P < 0.0001^*$	$F_{1,98} = 13.0275$ $P = 0.0006^*$
Heart rate <sup>2</sup>	$F_{1,97} = 4.3086$ $P = 0.0457^*$	$F_{1,97} = 4.6517$ $P = 0.0342^*$	$F_{1,97} = 27.5056$ $P < 0.0001^*$	$F_{1,97} = 7.6175$ $P = 0.0073^*$
Total ventilation	NS	$F_{1,99} = 49.9311$ $P < 0.0001^*$	$F_{1,99} = 3.5126$ $P = 0.0648$	$F_{1,99} = 5.5837$ $P = 0.0207^*$
Tidal volume	NS	$F_{1,99} = 22.2705$ $P < 0.0001^*$	$F_{1,99} = 3.3406$ $P = 0.0716$	$F_{1,99} = 5.1393$ $P = 0.0263^*$
Breathing frequency	NS	$F_{1,100} = 24.9573$ $P < 0.0001^*$	$F_{1,100} < 0.0001$ $P = 0.9936$	NS

\* $P < 0.05$ . <sup>1</sup>Interaction between acclimation and inspired  $PO_2$ . NS denotes no significant effect of the factor, which was removed from the final statistical model. <sup>2</sup>Mouse family was also included as a random factor in the mixed model as  $0.05 < P < 0.1$ .

**Table S2.** Effects of acclimation to hypoxia and globin genotype on cardiorespiratory physiology in hypoxia of F<sub>2</sub> inter-population hybrid deer mice.

Trait	Animal mass	Acclimation	Hb genotype	Interaction <sup>1</sup>
Hypoxic $\dot{V}O_2$ max	F <sub>1,41</sub> = 28.0073 P < 0.0001*	F <sub>1,41</sub> = 13.0967 P = 0.0013*	F <sub>4,41</sub> = 1.7576 P = 0.1764	NS
Arterial O <sub>2</sub> saturation	NS	F <sub>1,42</sub> = 15.8951 P = 0.0005*	F <sub>4,42</sub> = 3.0259 P = 0.0407*	NS
Heart rate <sup>2</sup>	NS	F <sub>1,41</sub> = 10.7106 P = 0.0031*	F <sub>4,41</sub> = 0.7020 P = 0.5999	NS
Total ventilation	NS	F <sub>1,42</sub> = 34.0654 P < 0.0001*	F <sub>4,42</sub> = 0.3396 P = 0.8481	NS
Tidal volume	NS	F <sub>1,42</sub> = 15.9684 P = 0.0005*	F <sub>4,42</sub> = 0.6548 P = 0.6300	NS
Breathing frequency	NS	F <sub>1,42</sub> = 23.7780 P < 0.0001*	F <sub>4,42</sub> = 0.5053 P = 0.7323	NS
Hematocrit	NS	F <sub>1,42</sub> = 222.7637 P < 0.0001*	F <sub>4,42</sub> = 0.2031 P = 0.9338	NS
Blood Hb concentration	NS	F <sub>1,42</sub> = 59.4601 P < 0.0001*	F <sub>4,42</sub> = 1.3807 P = 0.2745	NS
Red blood cell P <sub>50</sub>	NS	F <sub>1,42</sub> = 18.8344 P = 0.0002*	F <sub>4,42</sub> = 3.9622 P = 0.0150*	NS
Hill coefficient	NS	F <sub>1,42</sub> = 0.0315 P = 0.8599	F <sub>4,42</sub> = 0.2514 P = 0.9073	NS

\*P < 0.05. <sup>1</sup>Interaction between acclimation and globin genotype. NS denotes no significant effect of the factor, which was removed from the final statistical model. <sup>2</sup>Mouse family was also included as a random factor in the mixed model, for which 0.05 < P < 0.1.

**Table S3.** Effects of inspired  $PO_2$  and hemoglobin genotype on cardiorespiratory physiology of  $F_2$  inter-population hybrid deer mice acclimated to normoxia.

Trait	Animal mass	$PO_2$	Hb genotype	Interaction <sup>1</sup>
$\dot{V}O_2$ max	$F_{1,41} = 31.2238$ $P < 0.0001^*$	$F_{1,41} = 61.0119$ $P < 0.0001^*$	$F_{4,41} = 3.0346$ $P = 0.0416^*$	NS
Arterial $O_2$ saturation	NS	$F_{1,41} = 122.1012$ $P < 0.0001^*$	$F_{4,41} = 3.7422$ $P = 0.0189^*$	$F_{4,41} = 3.0674$ $P = 0.0389^*$
Heart rate <sup>2</sup>	NS	$F_{1,41} = 32.4464$ $P < 0.0001^*$	$F_{4,41} = 2.8000$ $P = 0.0545$	NS
Total ventilation	NS	$F_{1,42} = 0.3248$ $P = 0.5738$	$F_{4,42} = 0.6799$ $P = 0.6136$	NS
Tidal volume	NS	$F_{1,42} = 0.1428$ $P = 0.7087$	$F_{4,42} = 1.4425$ $P = 0.2551$	NS
Breathing frequency	$F_{1,41} = 5.9183$ $P = 0.0242^*$	$F_{1,41} = 0.8443$ $P = 0.3669$	$F_{4,41} = 1.0643$ $P = 0.3999$	NS
Hematocrit	NS	NA	$F_{4,21} = 0.3604$ $P = 0.8339$	NA
Blood Hb concentration	NS	NA	$F_{4,21} = 0.2008$ $P = 0.9351$	NA
Red blood cell $P_{50}$	NS	NA	$F_{4,21} = 5.1298$ $P = 0.0048^*$	NA
Hill coefficient	NS	NA	$F_{4,21} = 0.4016$ $P = 0.8053$	NA

\* $P < 0.05$ . <sup>1</sup>Interaction between inspired  $PO_2$  and globin genotype. NS denotes no significant effect of the factor, which was removed from the final statistical model. NA, not applicable.

<sup>2</sup>Mouse family was also included as a random factor in the mixed model, for which  $P < 0.05$ .

**Table S4.** Effects of acclimation to hypoxia and globin genotype on cardiorespiratory physiology in normoxia of F<sub>2</sub> inter-population hybrid deer mice.

Trait	Animal mass	Acclimation	Hb genotype	Interaction <sup>1</sup>
Normoxic $\dot{V}O_2\text{max}^2$	F <sub>1,40</sub> = 23.2664 P < 0.0001*	F <sub>1,40</sub> = 4.2325 P = 0.0502	F <sub>4,40</sub> = 1.6212 P = 0.2115	NS
Arterial O <sub>2</sub> saturation	F <sub>1,41</sub> = 15.3290 P = 0.0003*	F <sub>1,41</sub> = 0.4014 P = 0.5296	F <sub>4,41</sub> = 2.9739 P = 0.0291*	NS
Heart rate <sup>2</sup>	F <sub>1,40</sub> = 4.8558 P = 0.0381*	F <sub>1,40</sub> = 0.1977 P = 0.6605	F <sub>4,40</sub> = 2.6116 P = 0.0698	NS
Total ventilation	NS	F <sub>1,42</sub> = 22.9660 P < 0.0001*	F <sub>4,42</sub> = 0.3536 P = 0.8386	NS
Tidal volume	F <sub>1,41</sub> = 5.1639 P = 0.0317*	F <sub>1,41</sub> = 3.1282 P = 0.0892	F <sub>4,41</sub> = 1.5707 P = 0.2199	NS
Breathing frequency	NS	F <sub>1,42</sub> = 8.0995 P = 0.0087*	F <sub>4,42</sub> = 0.6049 P = 0.6634	NS

\*P < 0.05. <sup>1</sup>Interaction between acclimation and globin genotype. NS denotes no significant effect of the factor, which was removed from the final statistical model. <sup>2</sup>Mouse family was also included as a random factor in the mixed model as P < 0.05.

**Table S5.** Parameters used to generate the initial solution in the model of the oxygen transport pathway representing the ‘ancestral condition’ with the most lowland  $P_{50}$ .

Variable	Value
<i>Measured input parameters</i>	
$P_B$ (kPa)	101
$F_{I}O_2$	0.123
$\dot{V}$ (ml min <sup>-1</sup> g <sup>-1</sup> )	4.96
$V_T$ (μl g <sup>-1</sup> )	13.0
[Hb] (g dl <sup>-1</sup> )	14.2
$P_{50}$ (kPa)	4.84
$n$	2.85
$T_b$ (°C)	31.4
<i>Estimated input parameters</i>	
$V_D$ (μl g <sup>-1</sup> )*	6.40
$\dot{Q}$ (ml min <sup>-1</sup> g <sup>-1</sup> ) †	1.06
<i>Calculated input parameters</i>	
$D_{L}O_2$ (ml kPa <sup>-1</sup> min <sup>-1</sup> )	0.0661
$D_{T}O_2$ (ml kPa <sup>-1</sup> min <sup>-1</sup> )	0.0322
<i>Output parameters (ancestral values shown)</i>	
<b><math>P_AO_2</math></b> (kPa)	7.18
<b><math>P_aO_2</math></b> (kPa) †	6.85
<b><math>P_vO_2</math></b> (kPa) †	2.29
<b><math>\dot{V}O_{2max}</math></b> (ml min <sup>-1</sup> g <sup>-1</sup> )	0.131

$P_B$ , barometric pressure;  $F_{I}O_2$ , inspired oxygen fraction;  $\dot{V}O_{2max}$ , maximal oxygen consumption rate measured during acute cold exposure;  $\dot{V}$ , total ventilation;  $V_T$ , tidal volume; [Hb], blood hemoglobin concentration;  $P_{50}$ ,  $PO_2$  at 50%  $O_2$  saturation;  $n$ , Hill coefficient;  $P_aO_2$ , arterial  $O_2$  tension;  $T_b$ , body temperature;  $V_D$ , dead space volume;  $\dot{Q}$ , cardiac output;  $P_vO_2$ , mixed venous  $O_2$  tension;  $P_AO_2$ , alveolar  $O_2$  tension;  $D_{L}O_2$ ,  $O_2$  diffusing capacity of the lungs;  $D_{T}O_2$ ,  $O_2$  diffusing capacity of the tissues. \*Indicates value was taken from Fallica *et al* 2011 (1). †Indicates value was taken from, or calculated using, data in Tate *et al* 2020 (2). Variables in bold were then calculated by the model in our sensitivity analysis in response to changes in  $D_{T}O_2$  and/or  $P_{50}$ .

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