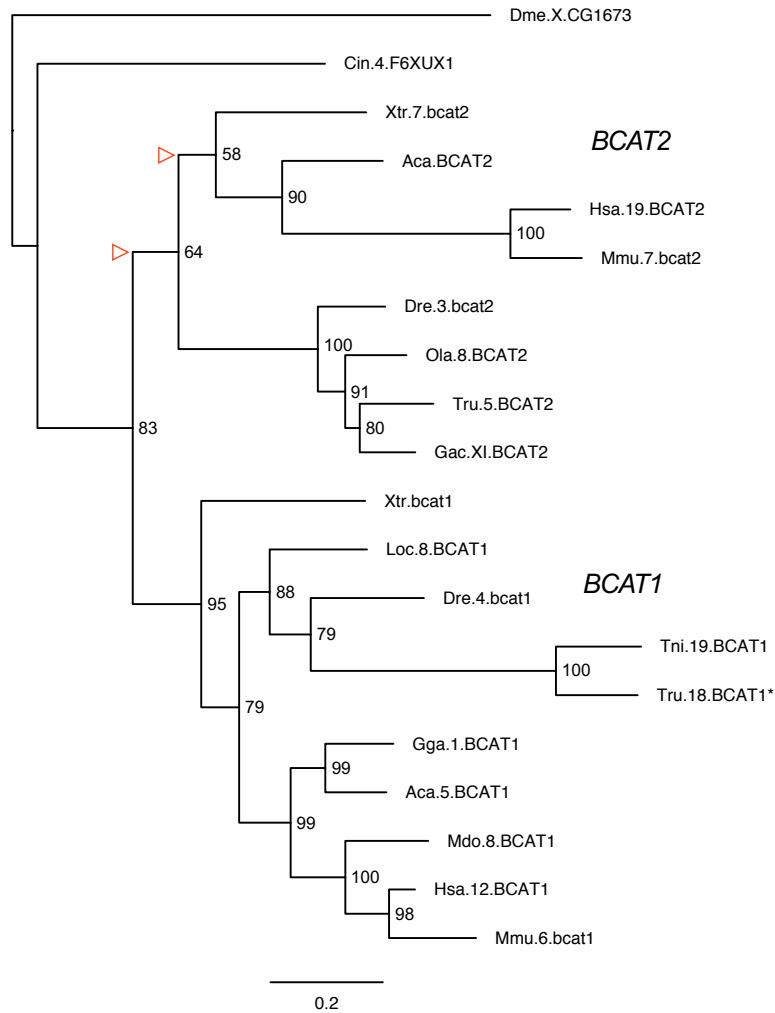


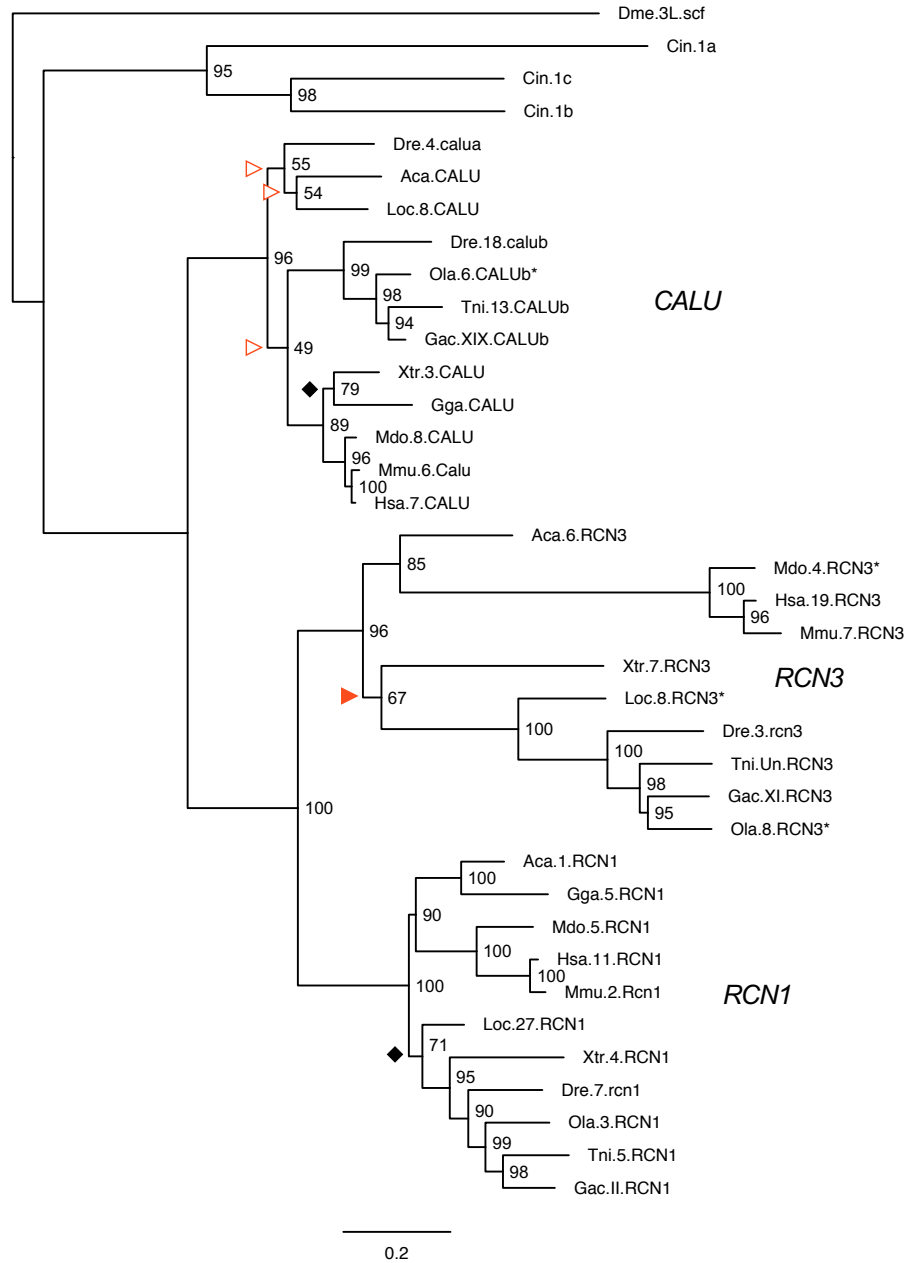
## Supplementary Figures S2 – S32. Maximum likelihood phylogenies of neighboring gene families

Human, mouse, grey short-tailed opossum, chicken, Carolina anole lizard, Western clawed frog, spotted gar, zebrafish, medaka, three-spined stickleback, green spotted pufferfish, vase tunicate and fruit fly sequences were sought as described in Methods. Some neighboring family phylogenies were complemented with sequences from Mexican cave tetra (*Astyanax mexicanus*, accessed through Ensembl), Japanese pufferfish, elephant shark, Florida lancelet and/or purple sea urchin (*Strongylocentrotus purpuratus*, found through HMMER searches in EnsemblMetazoa). Phylogenetic tree topologies are supported by non-parametric Ultra-Fast Bootstrap (UFBoot) and approximate Likelihood-Ratio Test (aLRT) analyses with 1000 replicates. Only UFBoot values are shown. Filled arrowheads indicate nodes with low support in both UFBoot ( $\leq 70\%$ ) and aLRT ( $\leq 50\%$ ) tests. Outlined arrowheads indicate nodes with low UFBoot support only, and diamonds indicate nodes with low aLRT support only. Approved gene symbols and nomenclature guidelines for human, mouse, chicken, *Xenopus tropicalis* and zebrafish genes were used. Numbers following species abbreviations refer to chromosome or linkage group assignments for mapped genes. Asterisks denote partial sequences that do not span the full length of the alignment. Species abbreviations: Aca (Carolina anole lizard), Amf (honey bee), Amx (Mexican cave tetra), Bfl (*Branchiostoma floridae*), Cin (vase tunicate), Cmi (elephant shark), Dme (fruit fly), Dre (zebrafish), Gac (three-spined stickleback), Gga (chicken), Hsa (human), Hro (sea pineapple), Loc (spotted gar), Mdo (grey short-tailed opossum), Mmu (mouse), Ola (medaka), Spu (purple sea urchin), Tca (red flour beetle), Tni (green spotted pufferfish), Tru (Japanese pufferfish), Xtr (*Xenopus tropicalis*).

**Supplementary figure S2. Branched chain amino acid transaminase family (BCAT).** The gene family is made up of the *BCAT1* and *BCAT2* genes. The *BCAT1* branch is well-supported, however the *Xenopus tropicalis bcat1* sequence clusters in the basal-most position rather than with the other tetrapod *BCAT1* sequences. The *BCAT2* branch has low support in the UFBoot test (64). The *BCAT1* and *BCAT2* branches diverge in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R).



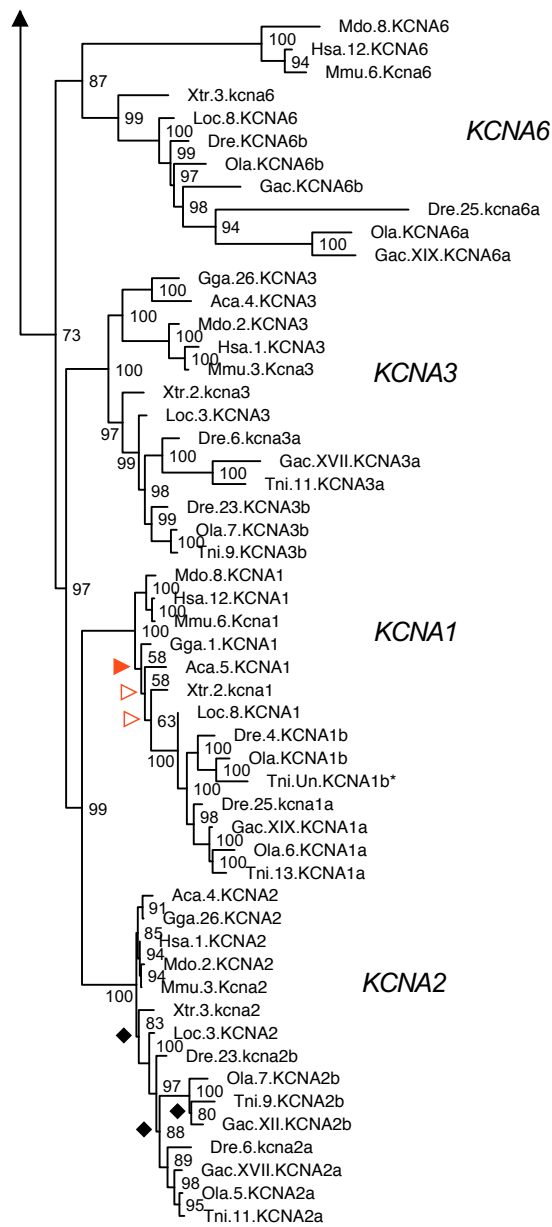
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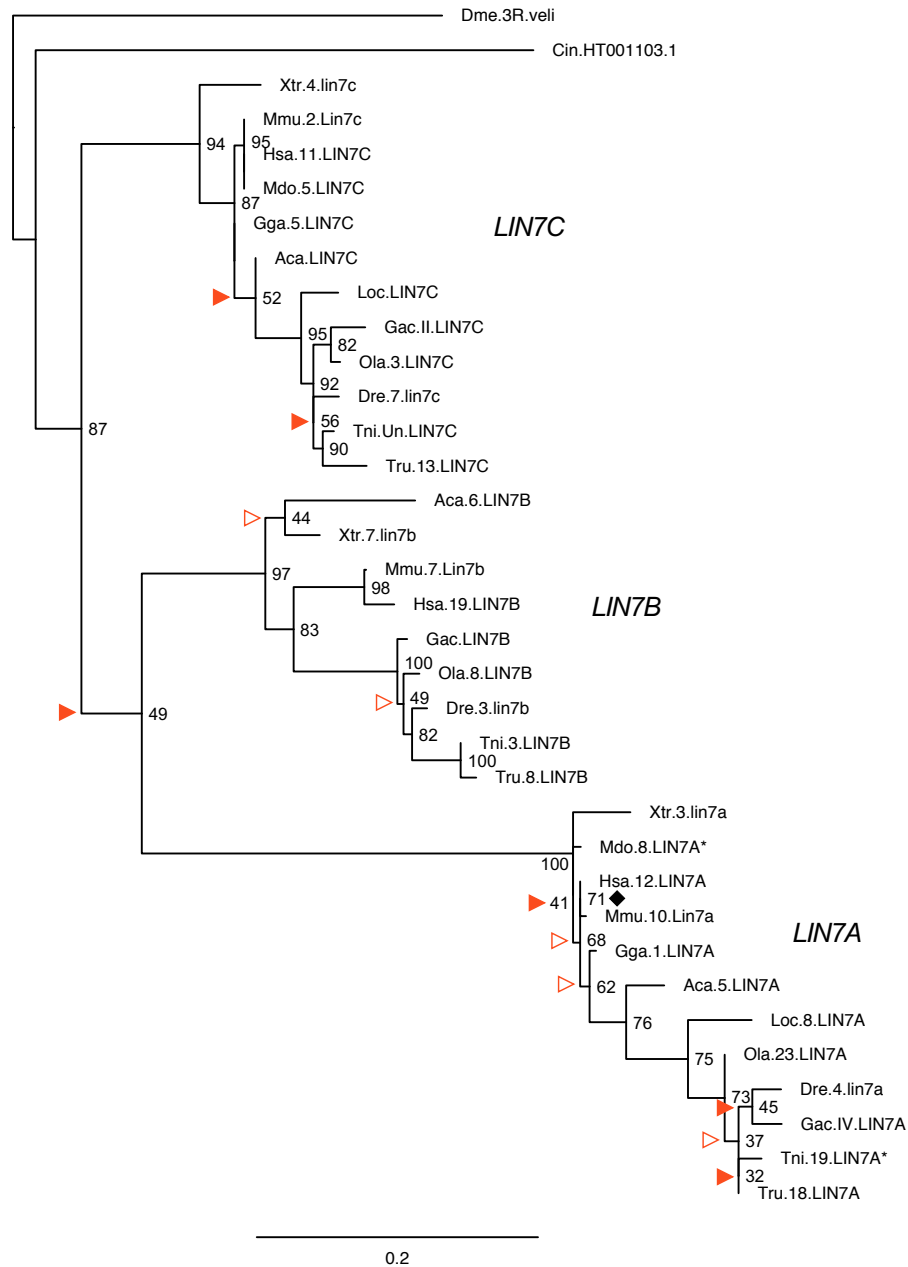


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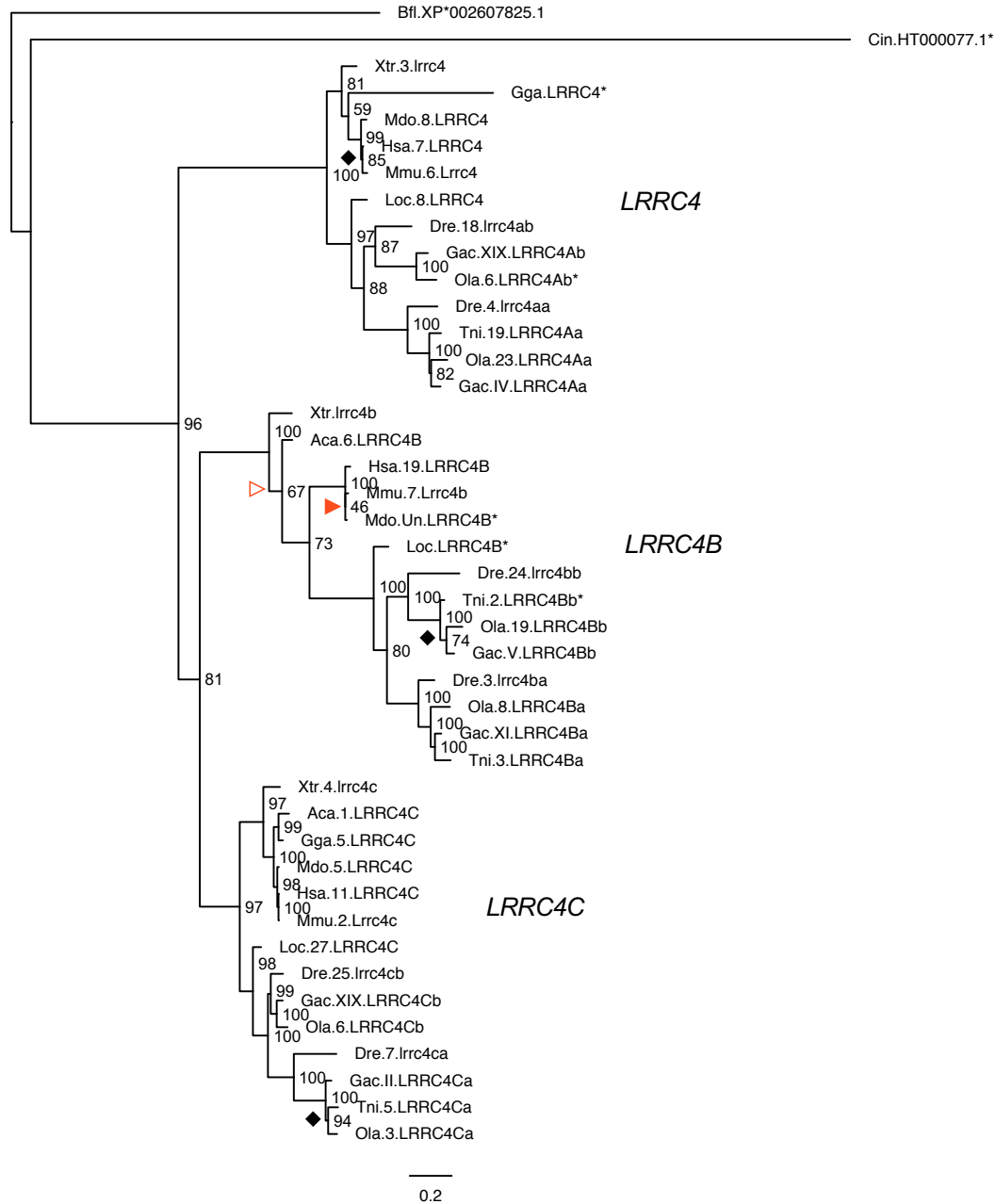


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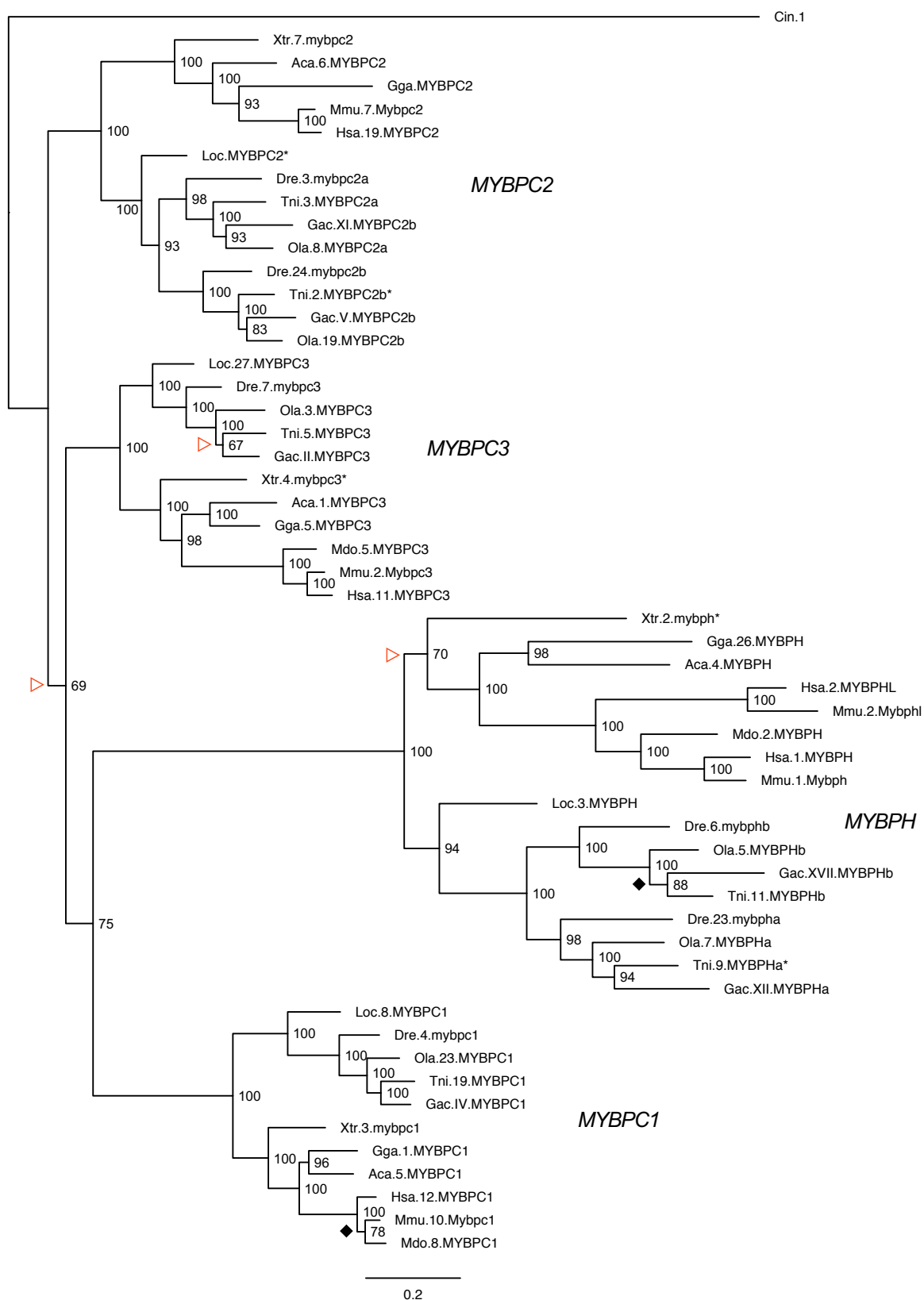
**Supplementary figure S5. *Lin-7* homolog family (LIN7).** The gene family is made up of the *LIN7A*, *LIN7B* and *LIN7C* genes. All three branches are well-supported and diverge in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). Due to the high degree of conservation and shortness of these sequences, the topologies within each branch diverge from the accepted species taxonomy.



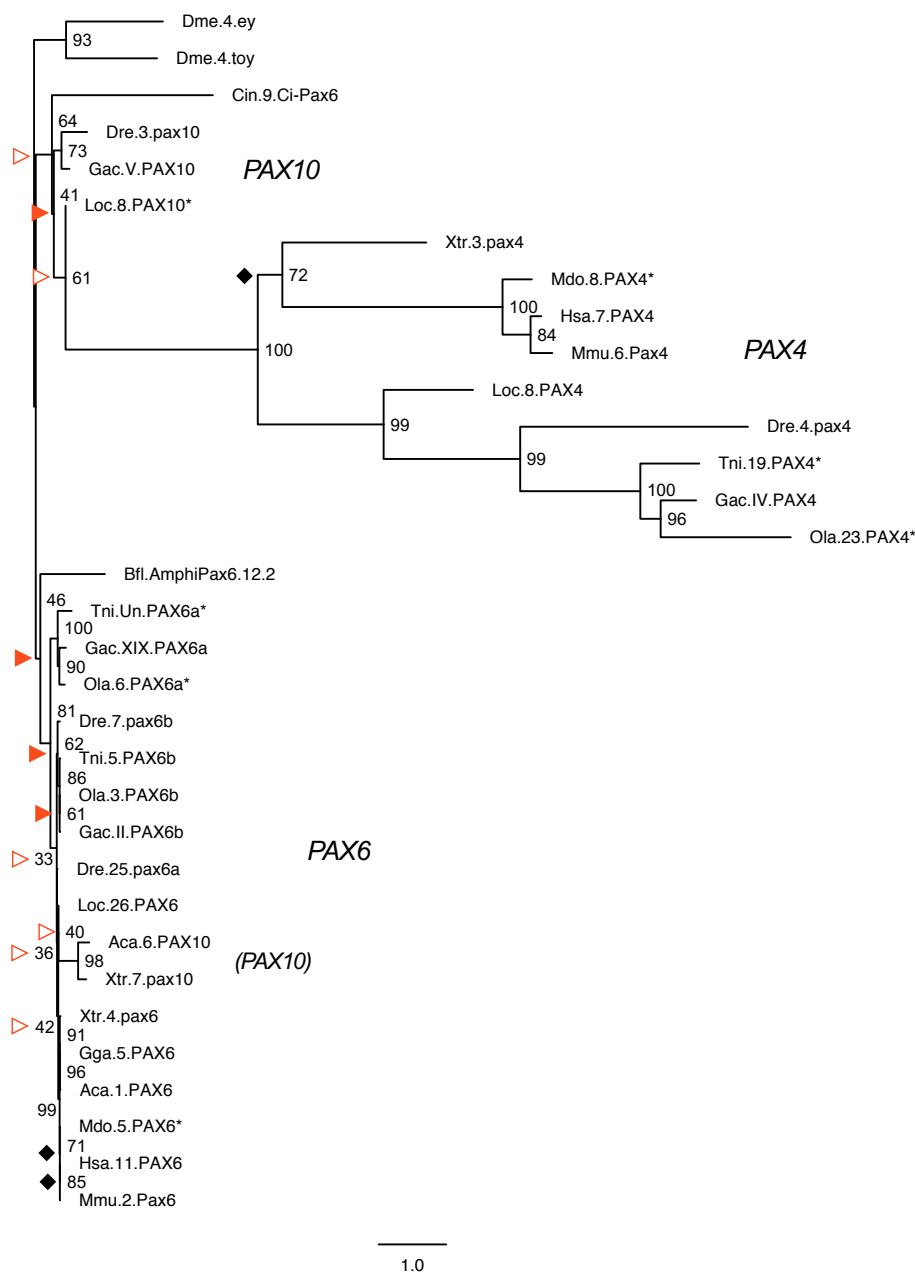
**Supplementary figure S6. Leucine rich repeat containing 4 family (LRRC4).** The gene family is made up of the *LRRC4* (*LRRC4A* in teleosts), *LRRC4B* and *LRRC4C* genes. All three branches are well supported and diverge in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). All three branches also have teleost duplicates diverging in the time window of the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R).



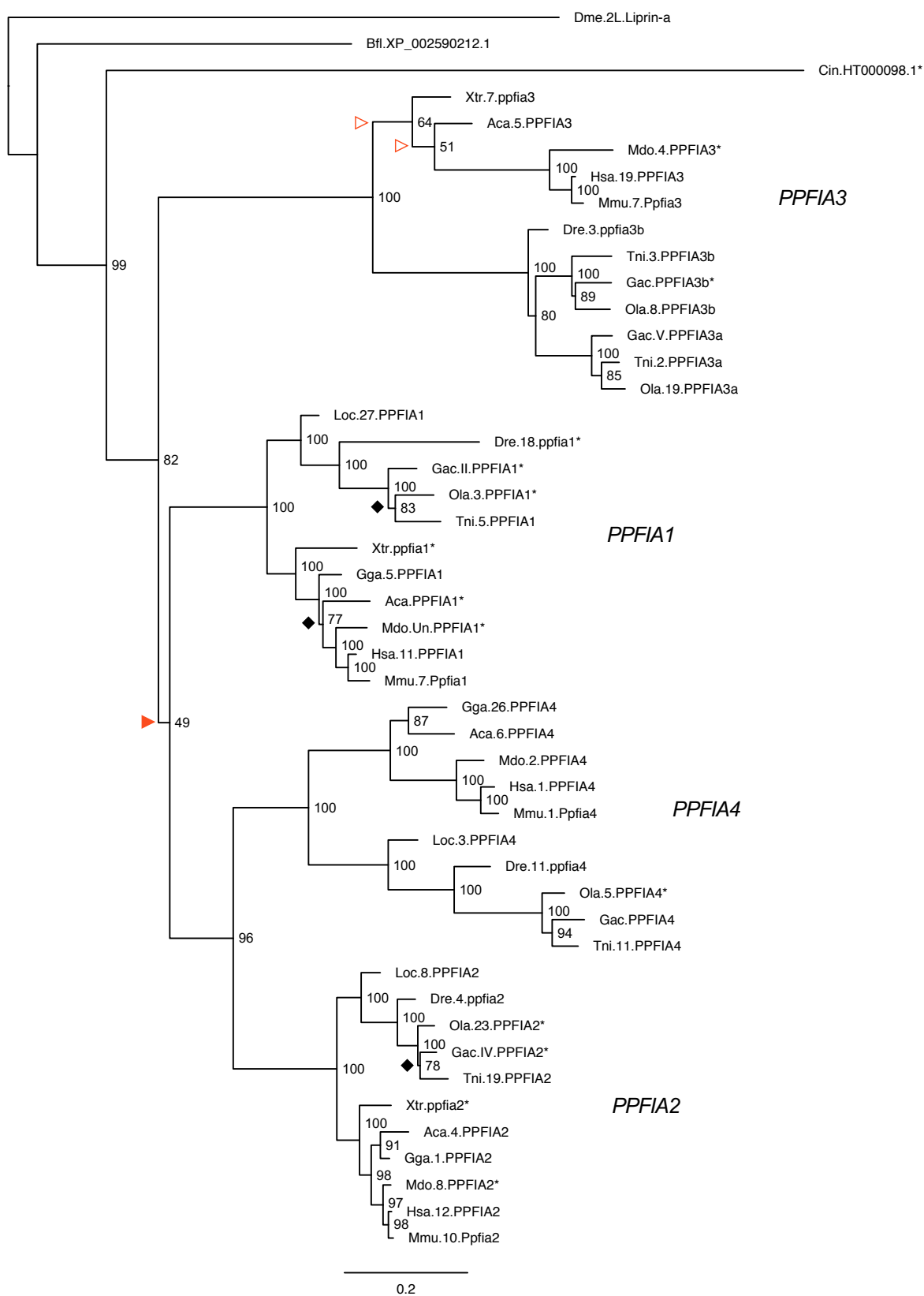
**Supplementary figure S7. Myosin binding protein C family (MYBPC).** (See following page.) The gene family is made up of the *MYBPC1*, *MYBPC2*, *MYBPC3* and *MYBPH* genes. All four branches are well supported, and the phylogeny is consistent with origins in the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). However, since no other outgroup could be identified and the phylogeny is rooted with the vase tunicate sequence, the relative dating of the early divergences is uncertain. The *MYBPC2* and *MYBPH* branches have teleost duplicates diverging in the time window of the teleost tetraploidization 3R. The alignment used to create this phylogeny was edited to remove the N- and C-terminal ends, which could not be identified for many of the sequences. The final alignment consists of 1169 amino acid positions.



**Supplementary figure S8. Paired box 4, -6 and -10 family (PAX4/6/10).** The gene family is made up of the *PAX4*, *PAX6* and *PAX10* genes, a subfamily of the larger *paired box* gene family that includes the fruit fly *eyeless* (*ey*) and *twin of eyeless* (*toy*) genes. The phylogeny and evolution of this *paired box* subfamily has been studied previously, see for instance Wang et al., 2010 and Manousaki et al., 2011. Notably, in the study that first named the *PAX10* genes, the authors concluded that the three vertebrate genes had arisen in the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R), based on the chromosomal locations (Feiner et al., 2014). However, they also declared that their phylogenetic analysis did not support this conclusion. Our phylogeny was rooted with the fruit fly *ey* and *toy* genes, and also includes the vase tunicate *Ci-Pax6* (Irvine et al., 2008) and Florida lancelet *AmphiPax6* (Glargdon et al., 1998) sequences. If the weakly supported tunicate and lancelet branches are collapsed, our phylogeny supports the origin of *PAX4* and *PAX6* in 1R/2R. However, the *PAX10* branch is not resolved. This is likely due to the uneven evolutionary rates within this gene family. There are duplicate *PAX6* genes in teleost fishes, however the time window for this divergence is not resolved in our phylogeny, likely due to the relatively slow rate of evolution for *PAX6*.

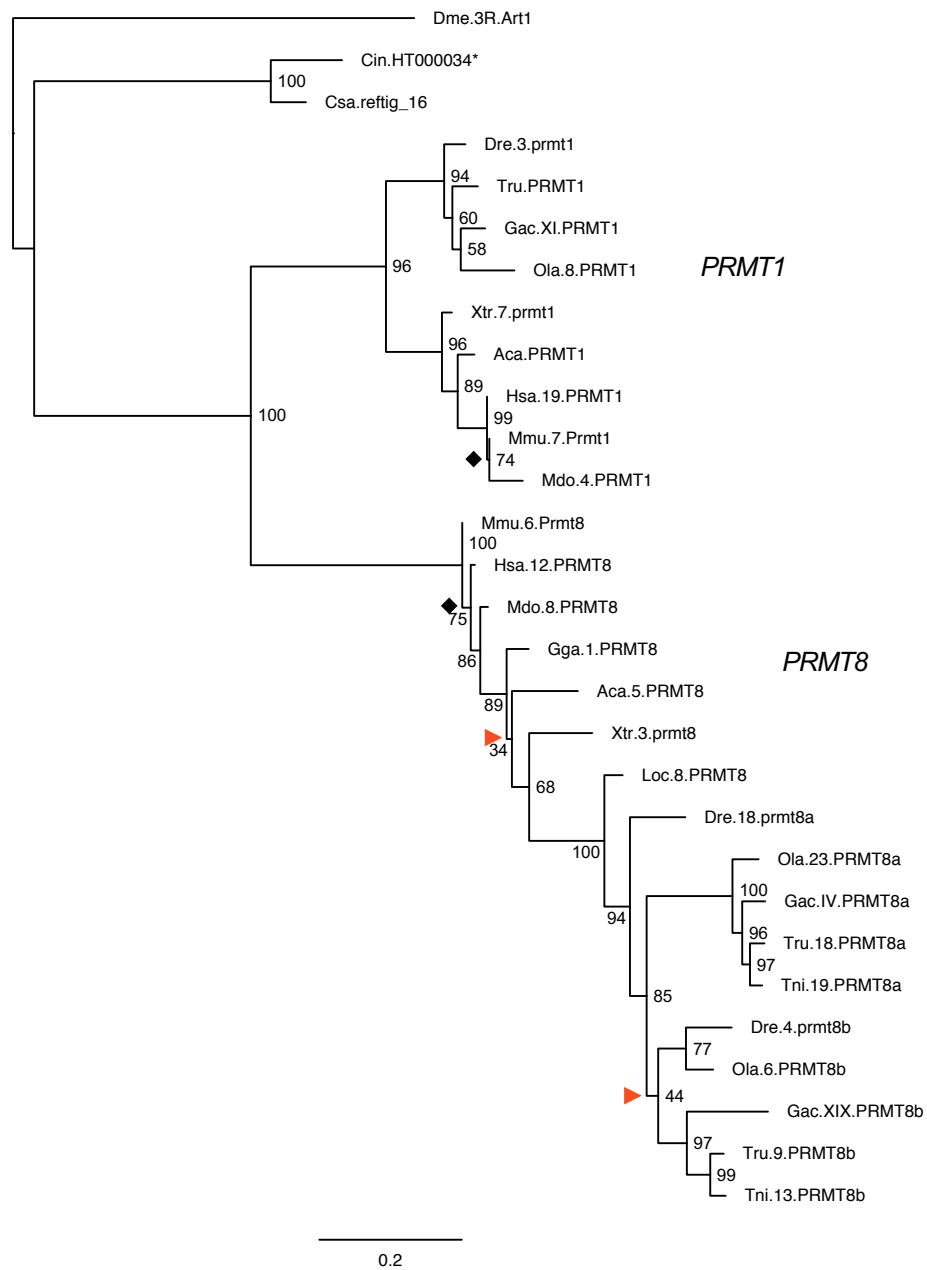


**Supplementary figure S9. PTPRF-interacting protein alpha (PPFIA).** (See following page.) The gene family is made up of the *PPFIA1*, -2, -3 and -4 genes. All three branches are well supported and diverge in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). There are *PPFIA3* duplicates in teleost fishes. Our phylogeny suggests that these duplicates arose within teleosts, after the divergence of the lineage leading to zebrafish, however the chromosomal locations are consistent with origins in the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R) – See Fig. 4. Accordingly, we have renamed the single *PPFIA3* gene in zebrafish *ppfia3b*.



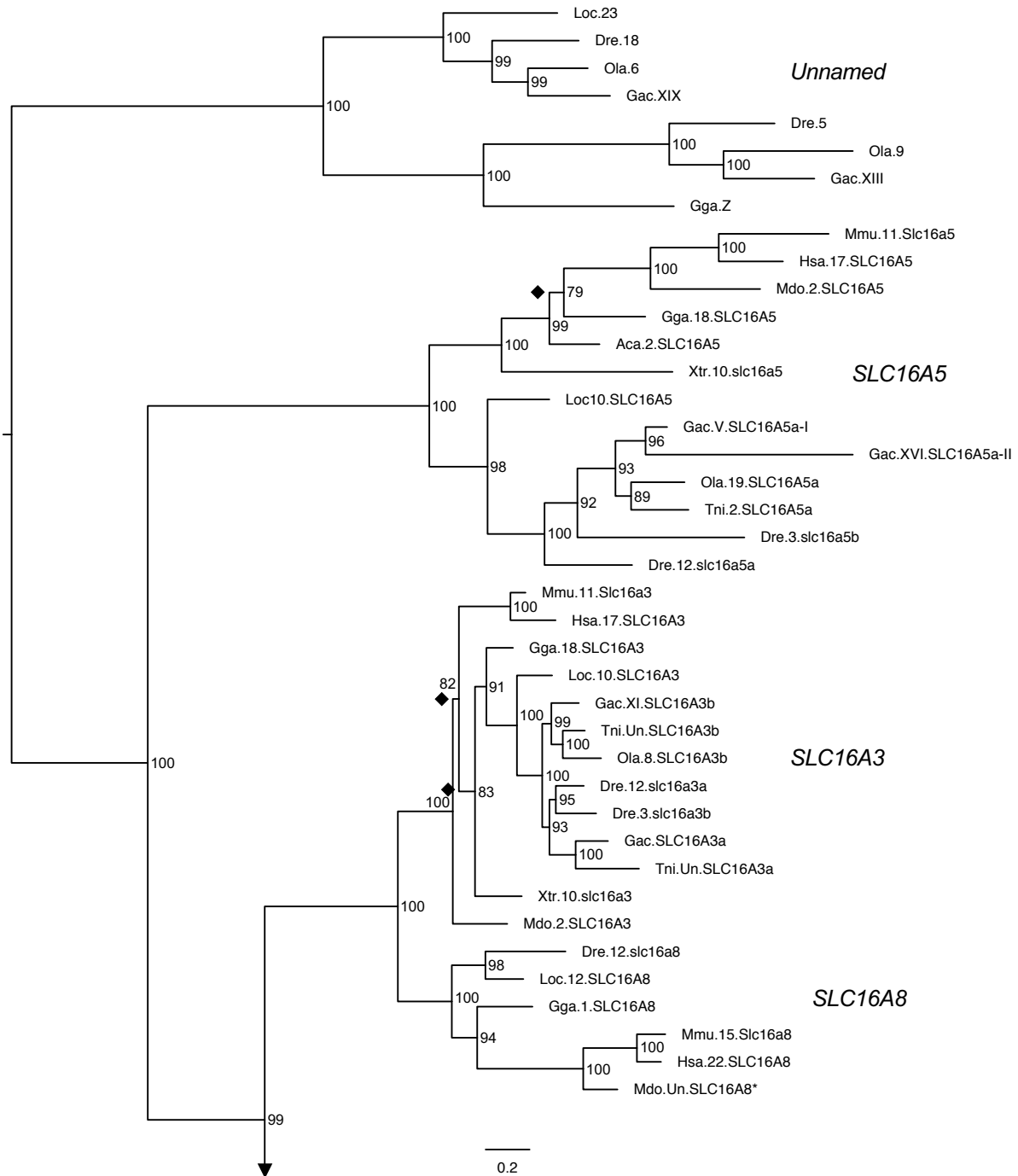


**Supplementary figure S10. Protein arginine methyltransferase 1 and -8 (PRMT1/8).** The family is made up of the *PRMT1* and *PRMT8* genes. Both branches are well-supported and diverge in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). The tetrapod *PRMT8* branch is not resolved, however this does not affect our conclusions. There are *PRMT8* duplicates in teleosts. While the topology of these duplicate branches is not resolved, the phylogeny is consistent with origins in the time window of the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R).



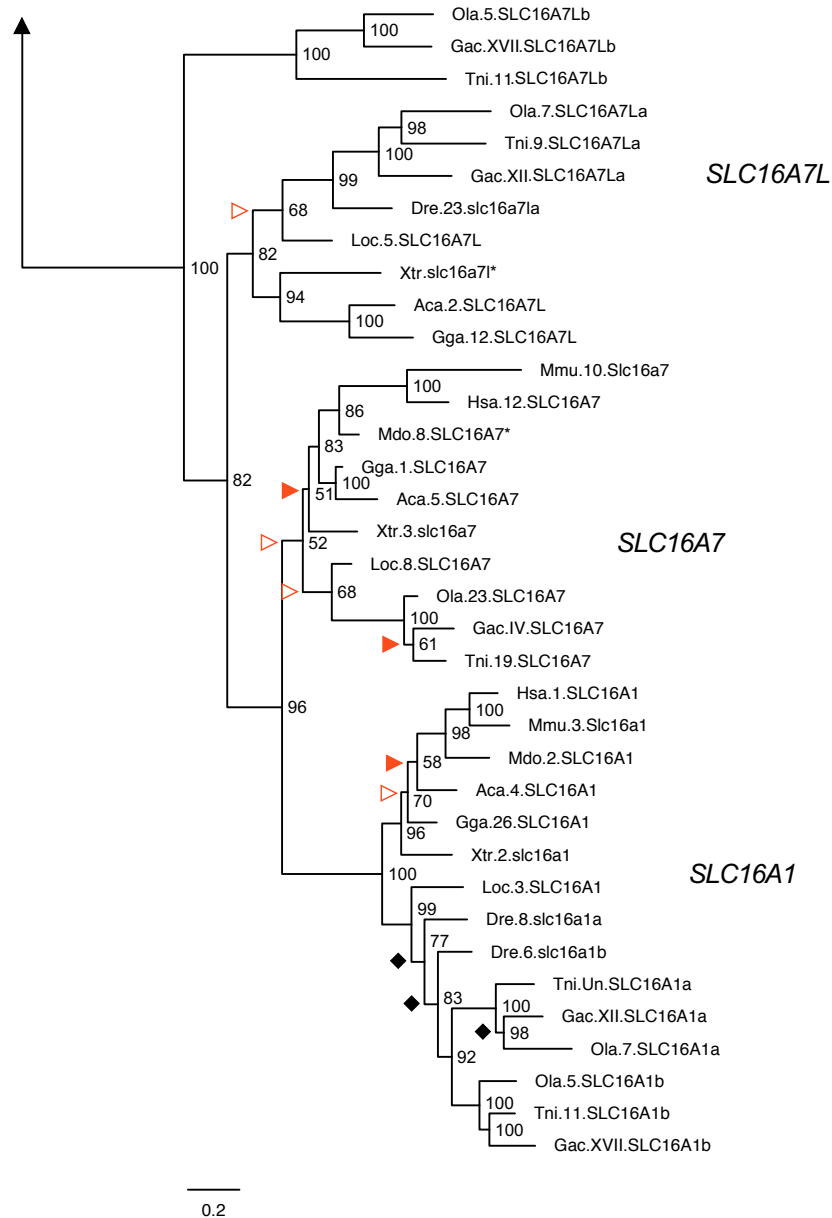
**Supplementary figure S11. Solute carrier family 16, subfamily 1 (SLC16A1).** This subfamily of the larger SLC16A family is made up of the *SLC16A1*, -3, -5, -7 and -8 genes, as well as two clades of unnamed genes. We have named one of these clades *SLC16A7L* following the accepted name for the chicken gene in this branch, *MCT2L* (*MCT2* is a synonym of *SLC16A7*). All branches, except the *SLC16A7L* branch, are well-supported. No outgroups could be identified (Liu et al., 2008), and the phylogeny is displayed as a midpoint-rooted tree. Thus, it is not possible to infer a relative time window for the origin of these genes from the phylogeny alone. The chromosomal locations of the *SLC16A1*, -3, -5, -7 and -8 genes suggest that they arose through a combination of local gene duplications and the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). (Continued on next page.)

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There are putative duplicates of the *SLC16A7L* gene in teleost fishes. One such clade clusters basal to the other *SLC16A7L*, and the *SLC16A7* and *SLC16A1* branches, however their chromosomal locations are consistent with the duplication of an *SLC16A7L* gene in the basal teleost tetraploidization (see Figs. S3 and S4). The chromosomal locations of these genes in the medaka, three-spined stickleback and green spotted pufferfish also suggest that the *SLC16A7L* gene might have arisen through a local gene duplication that also gave rise to an ancestral *SLC16A1/7* gene before 1R/2R. There are also likely 3R-generated duplicates of *SLC16A1*, *SLC15A3* (with good phylogenetic support), and *SLC15A5*. Finally, the origin of the basal-most unnamed clade of genes remains unknown. These genes seem to be located on completely unrelated chromosome regions (see Figs. S2 – S4).

## B.



**Supplementary figure S12. Synaptotagmin 1, -2, -5 and -8 family (SYT1/2/5/8).** (See following page.)

The gene family is made up of the *SYT1*, *SYT2*, *SYT5* and *SYT8* genes. All four branches are well supported and diverge in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). The *SYT1* and -2 branches have teleost duplicates diverging in the time window of the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R). There are likely 3R-generated duplicates of *SYT5* as well, however the topology of this branch is less clear.

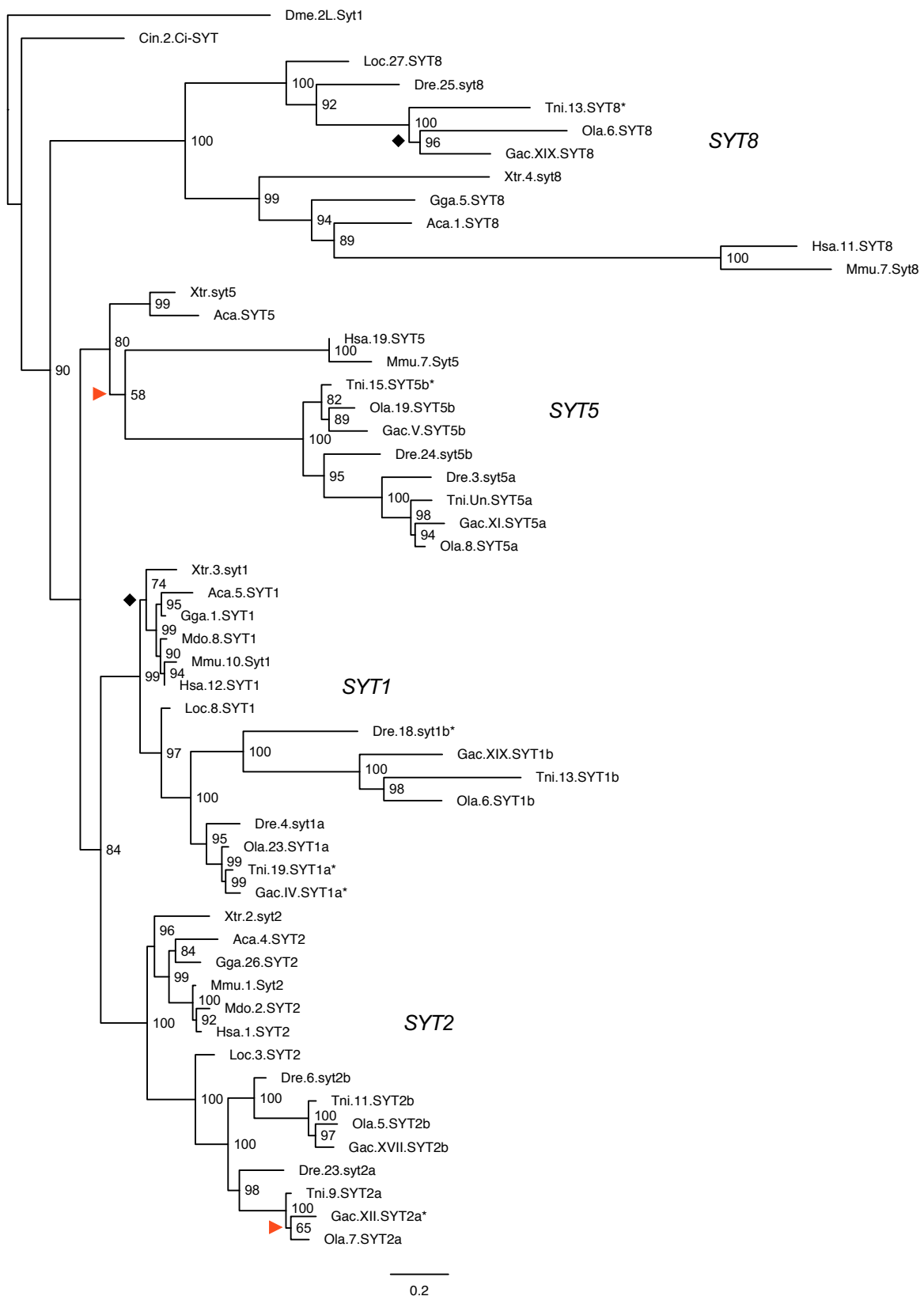
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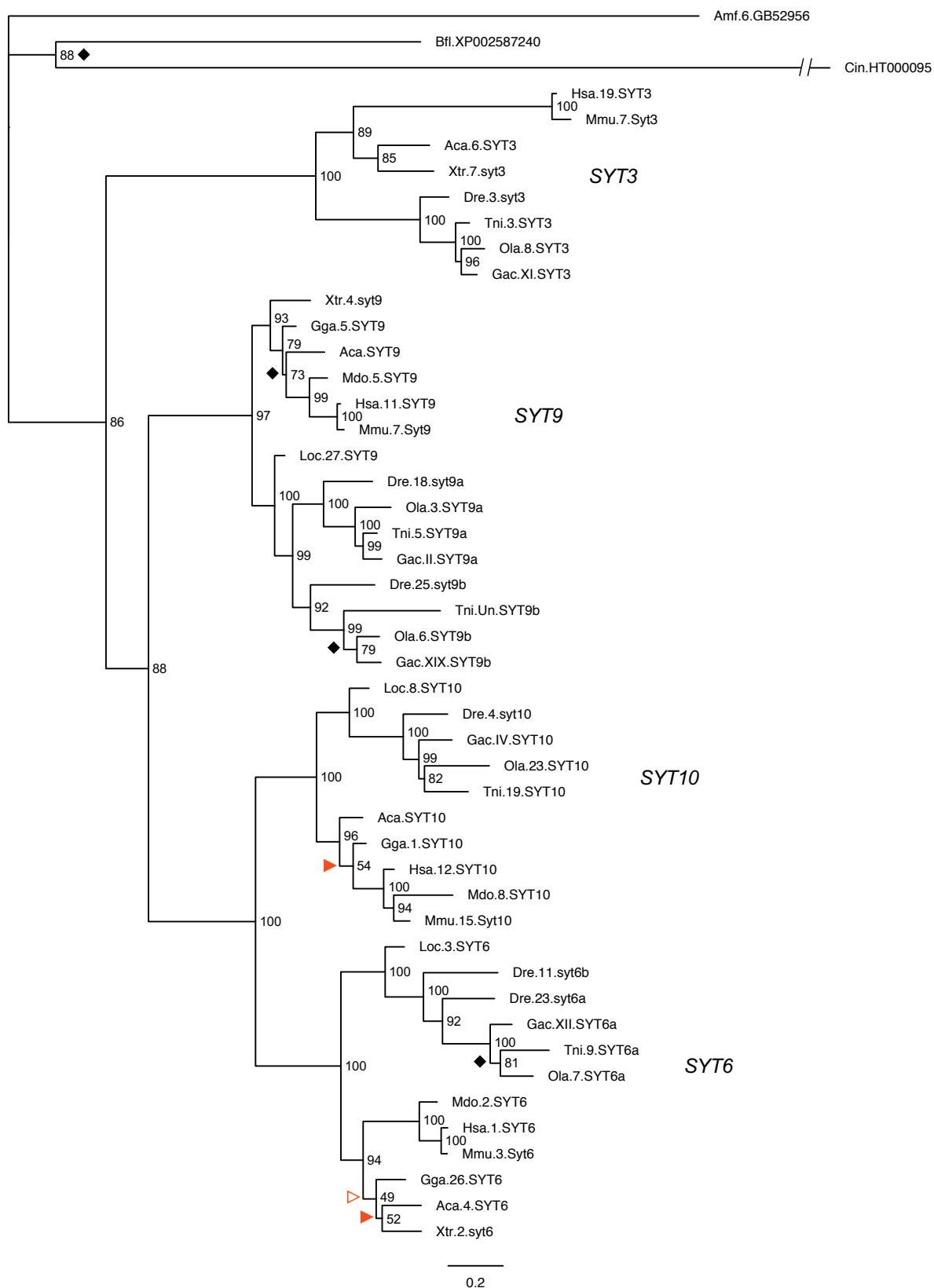
The gene family is made up of the *SYT3*, *SYT6*, *SYT9* and *SYT10* genes. All four branches are well supported and diverge in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). The *SYT6* and -9 branches have teleost duplicates diverging in the time window of the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R), however *SYT6b* could only be identified in the zebrafish. The phylogeny is rooted with the honey bee *GB52956* sequence, based on a previously published study (see Additional file 8 in Craxton, 2010). The branch of the vase tunicate sequence has been shortened for clarity.

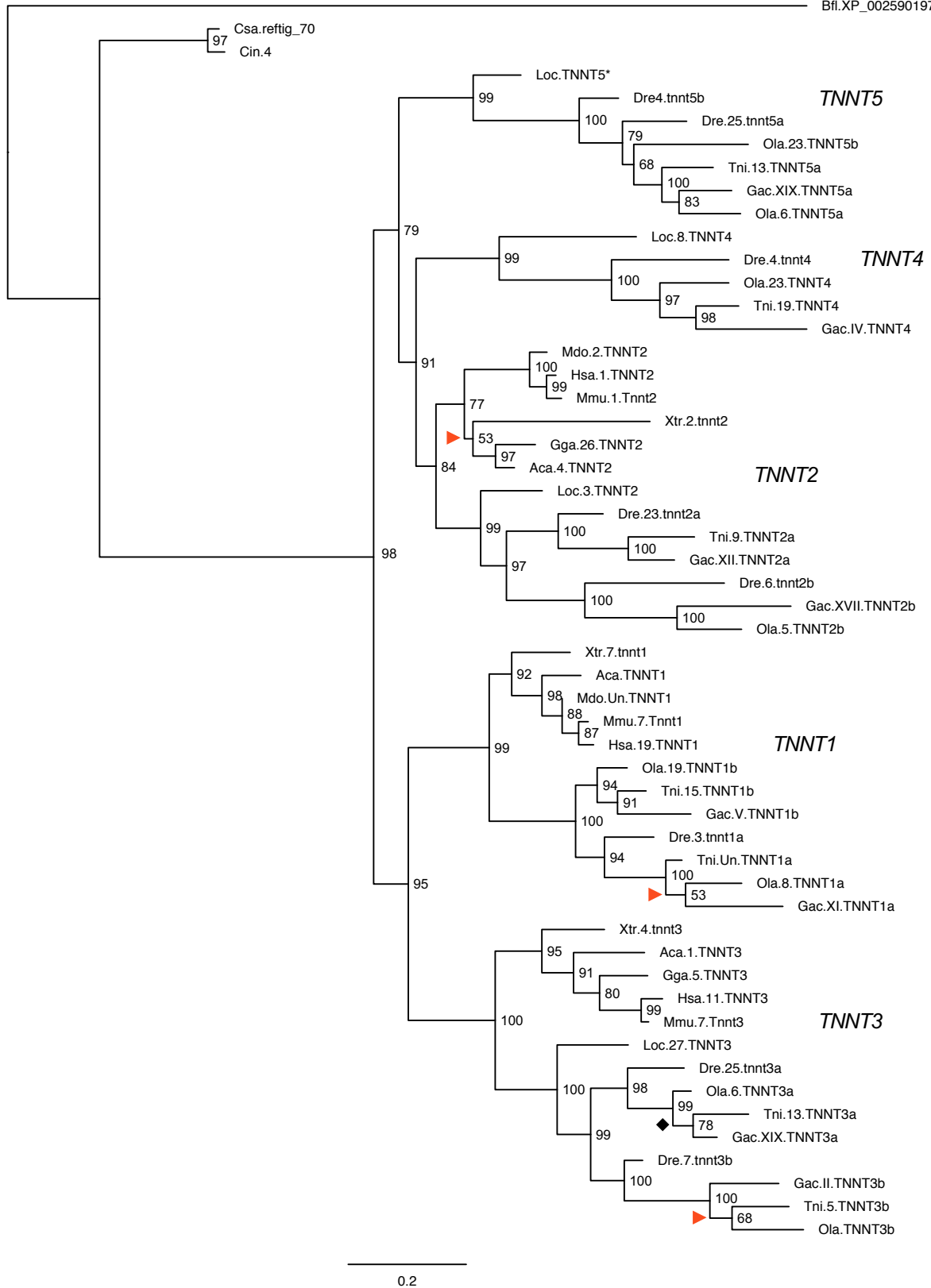
**Supplementary figure S14. Troponin T family (TNNT).** (See page 19.) The gene family is made up of the *TNNT1*, -2 and -3 genes, as well as two clades of previously undescribed troponin T genes we have named *TNNT4* and -5. The *TNNT1*, -2, -3 branches are well supported and diverge in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). The *TNNT4* and -5 branches also diverge in this time window, and the chromosomal locations of the *TNNT4* genes suggest that they make up the fourth branch generated in 1R/2R. However, the *TNNT4* genes either lack introns (spotted gar, zebrafish and medaka) or have an exon/intron structure that diverges from that of the *TNNT1*, -2 and -3 genes (three-spined stickleback and green spotted pufferfish). This suggests a different origin: through the retrotransposon-mediated duplication of a related gene, likely *TNNT2*. There is also some support that the *TNNT5* branch makes up the fourth 1R/2R branch, however the chromosomal locations are ambiguous in this regard (see Fig. 4). The *TNNT1*, -2, -3 and -5 branches have teleost duplicates that diverge in the time window of the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R). The *TNNT4* and *TNNT5* clades have not been fully described previously. A study focusing on zebrafish identified the *tnnt4*, *tnnt5a* and *tnnt5b* genes and named them *tnnt2c*, -2d and -2e, respectively (Ferrante et al., 2011). We propose a change of the nomenclature suggested by Ferrante et al., naming these genes *TNNT4* and *TNNT5* to better reflect the evolutionary scenario for this family, and to avoid confusion with the 3R-generated duplicates *TNNT2a* and -2b. The phylogeny is rooted with a Florida lancelet sequence identified through BLAST. We also found two putative purple sea urchin family members, *TropT* and *Trop1*; however, these sequences produced very long outgroup branches when used to root preliminary phylogenies. This indicates a high degree of divergence from the chordate *TNNT* sequences. Thus, the purple sea urchin *TropT* and *Trop1* sequences were not used to root this phylogeny. The alignment used to create this phylogeny was edited to remove the N-terminal encoding exons, which could not be identified for many of the sequences. The final alignment consists of 246 amino acid positions.

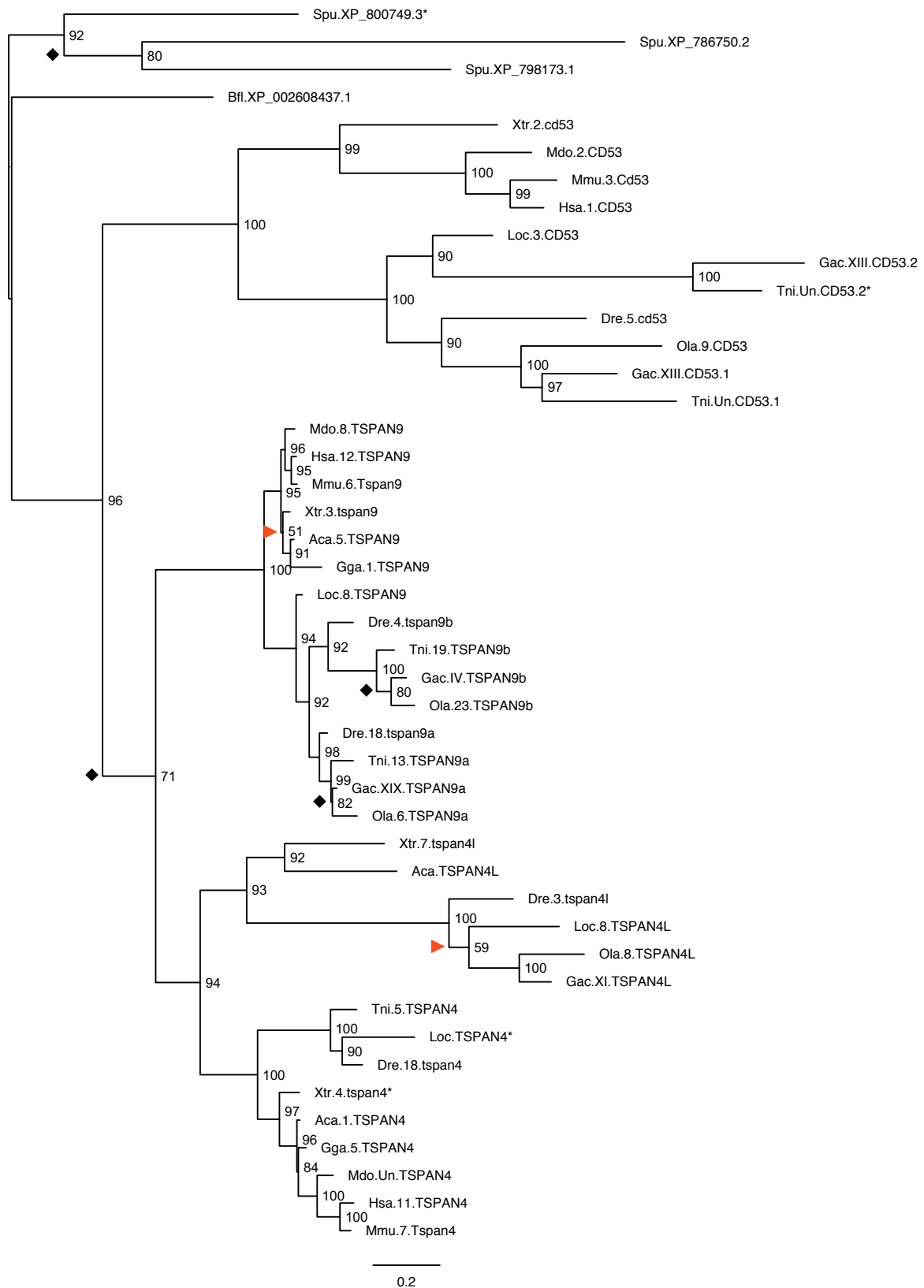
**Supplementary figure S15. Tetraspanin 4, -9 and -25 (CD53) family (TSPAN4/6/25).** (See page 20.)

The gene family is made up of the *TSPAN4*, *TSPAN4L*, *TSPAN9* and *TSPAN25* genes. *TSPAN25* is a synonym of *CD53*, which is the accepted gene name in most species. All four branches are well supported and diverge in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). Our phylogeny recapitulates the evolutionary relationships demonstrated by a previously published study of the *Tetraspanin* superfamily in vertebrates (Huang et al., 2010). The *TSPAN9* branch has teleost duplicates that diverge in the time window of the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R). In the three-spined stickleback and green spotted pufferfish, there are local duplicates of *CD53*, which we have called *CD53.1* and *CD53.2*.



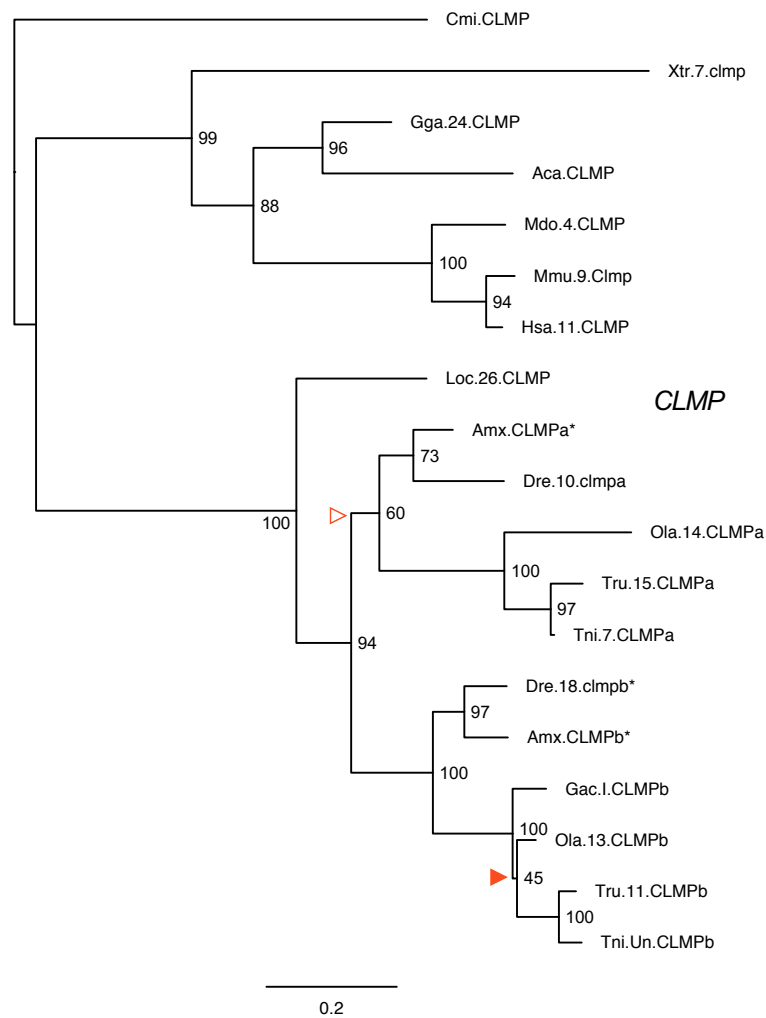




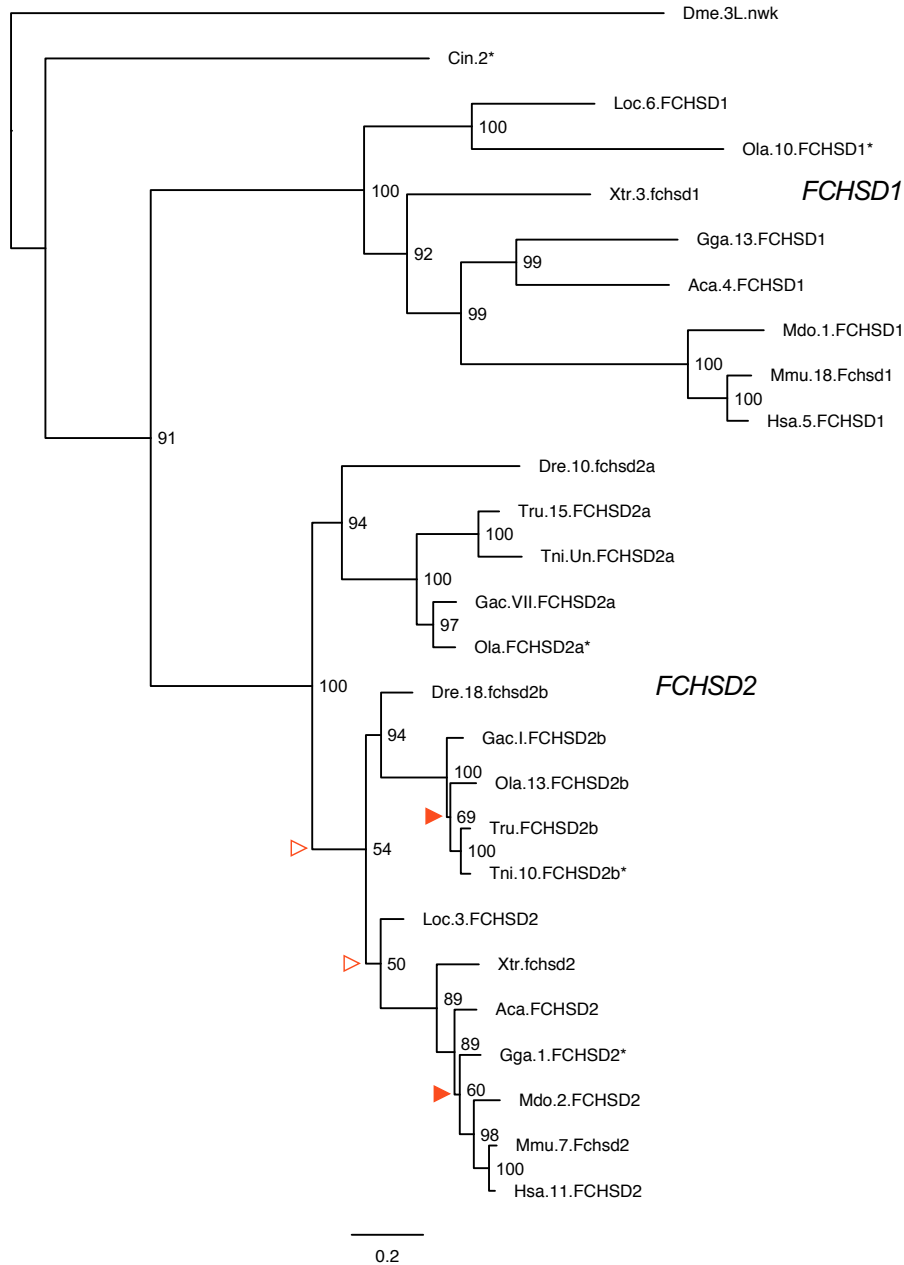




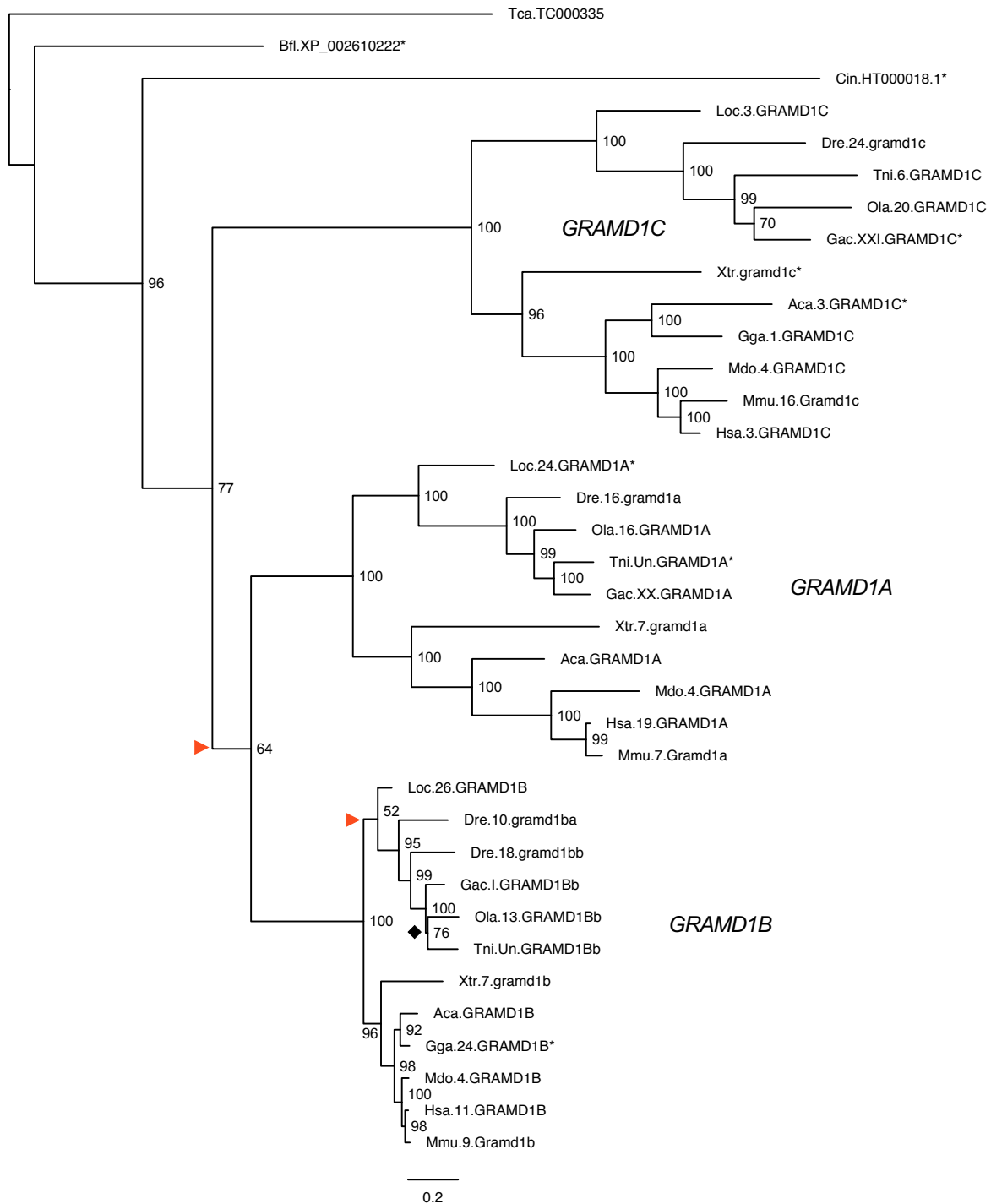
**Supplementary figure S16. Coxsackie- and adenovirus receptor-like membrane protein (CLMP).** The gene family consist of only one branch in jawed vertebrates, made up by the *CLMP* genes. No putative invertebrate family members could be identified, and the phylogeny is rooted by the elephant shark *CLMP* sequence. The duplicate *CLMPa* and *-b* branches in teleost fishes diverge in the time window of the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R). The *CLMPa* branch has somewhat low support in the UFBoot test. The alignment used to create this phylogeny was edited to remove the short N-terminal encoding exon 1, which could not be identified for many of the sequences. The final alignment consists of 389 amino acid positions.



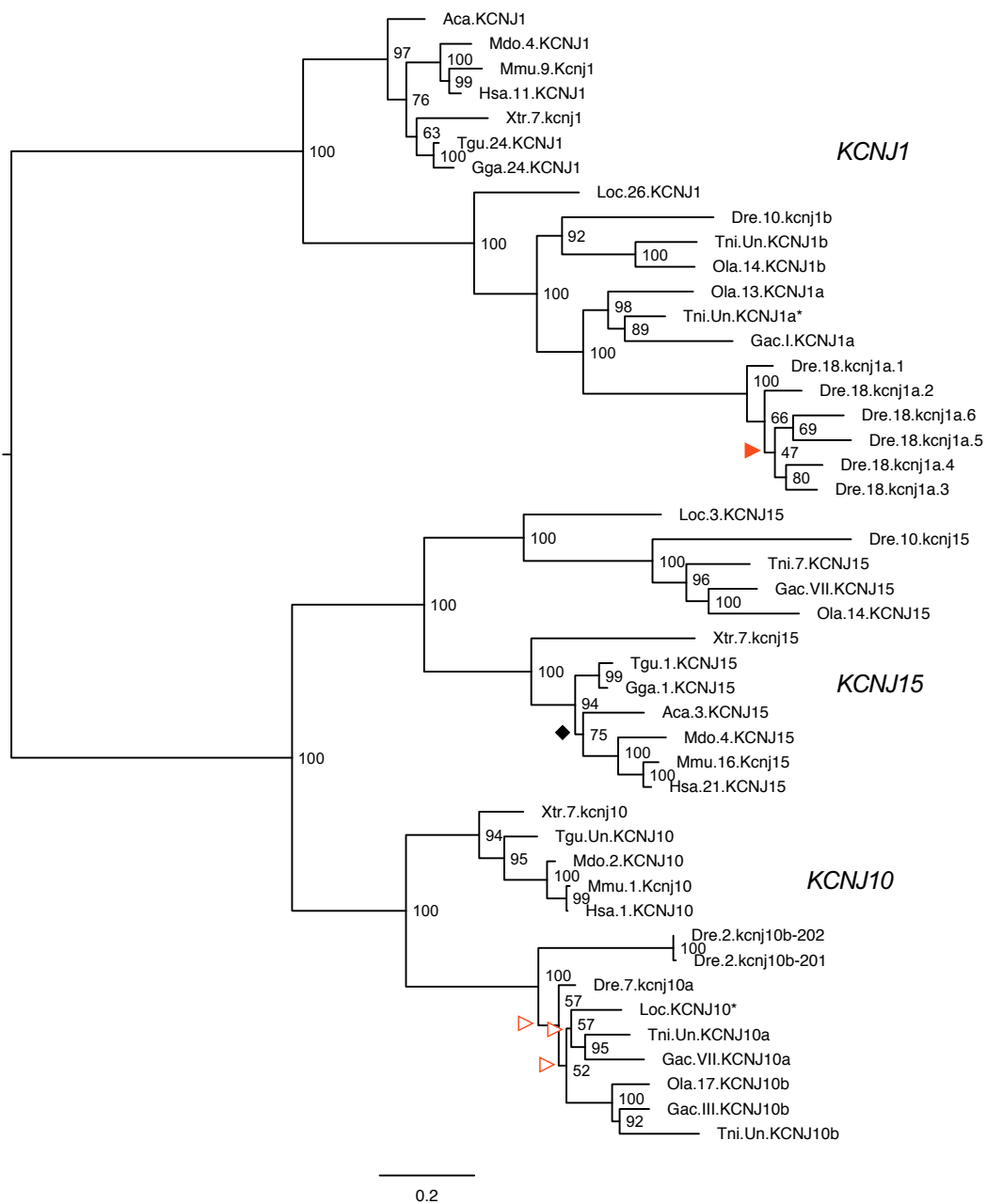
**Supplementary figure S17. FCH and double SH3 domain protein (FCHSD).** The gene family is made up of the *FCHSD1* and *FCHSD2* genes. Both branches are well-supported and diverge in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). The *FCHSD2* branch has teleost duplicates, however the topology of this branch is not well-resolved. The chromosome locations of the *FCHSD2a* and *-2b* genes nonetheless suggest an origin in the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R).



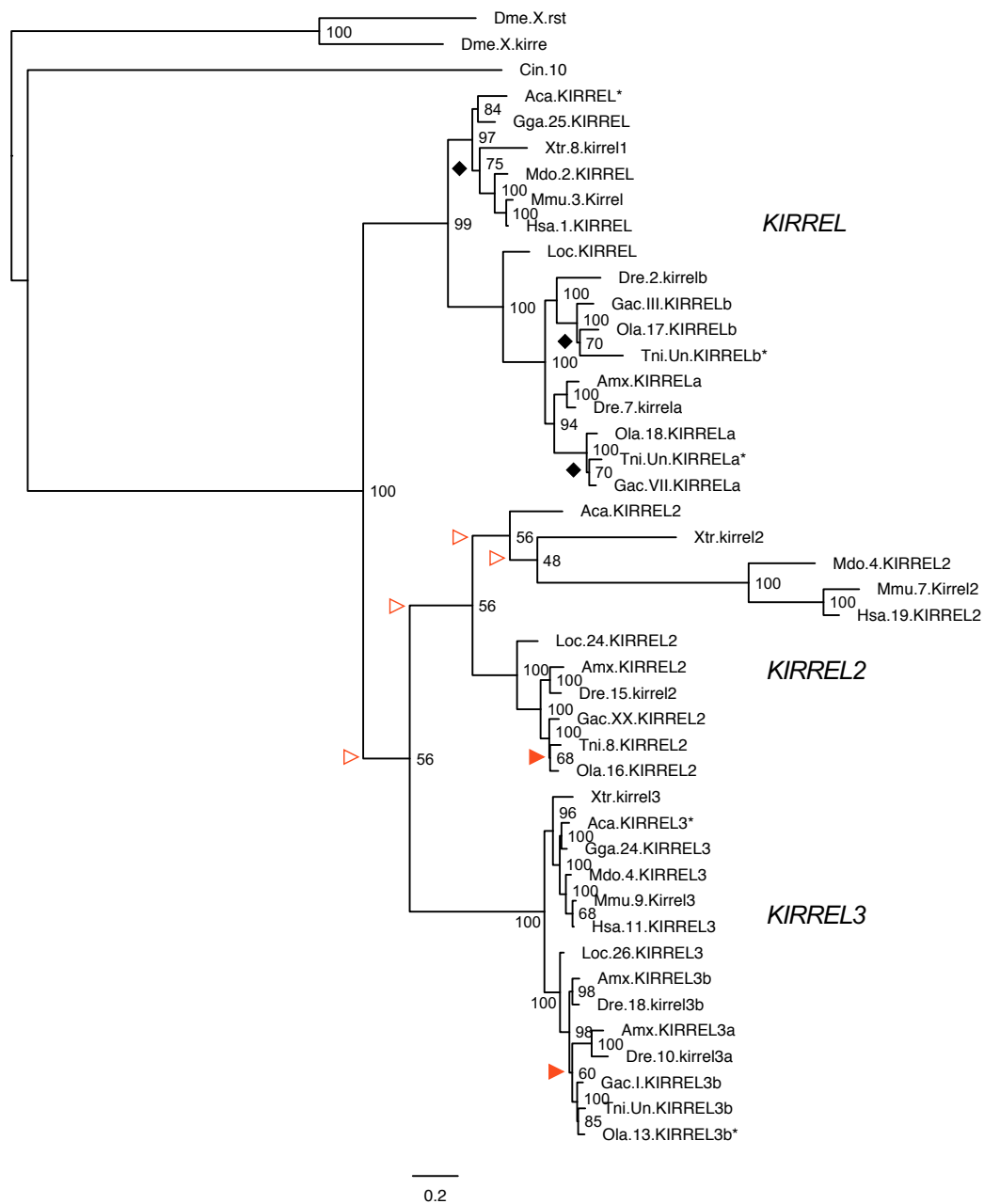
**Supplementary figure S18. GRAM domain-containing protein 1 family (GRAMD1).** The family is made up of the *GRAMD1A*, *GRAMD1B* and *GRAMD1C* genes. All three branches are well-supported and diverge in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). There are duplicates of *GRAMD1b* in zebrafish that diverge in the time window of the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R), however duplicates could not be found in other teleost species. The phylogeny is rooted with a red flour beetle sequence annotated as “*GRAM domain-containing protein 1B-like*”, identified through HMMER search. There is a putative fruit fly family member (CG34394); however, all predicted transcripts of this gene are considerably longer than the vertebrate sequences, and therefore it was not used.



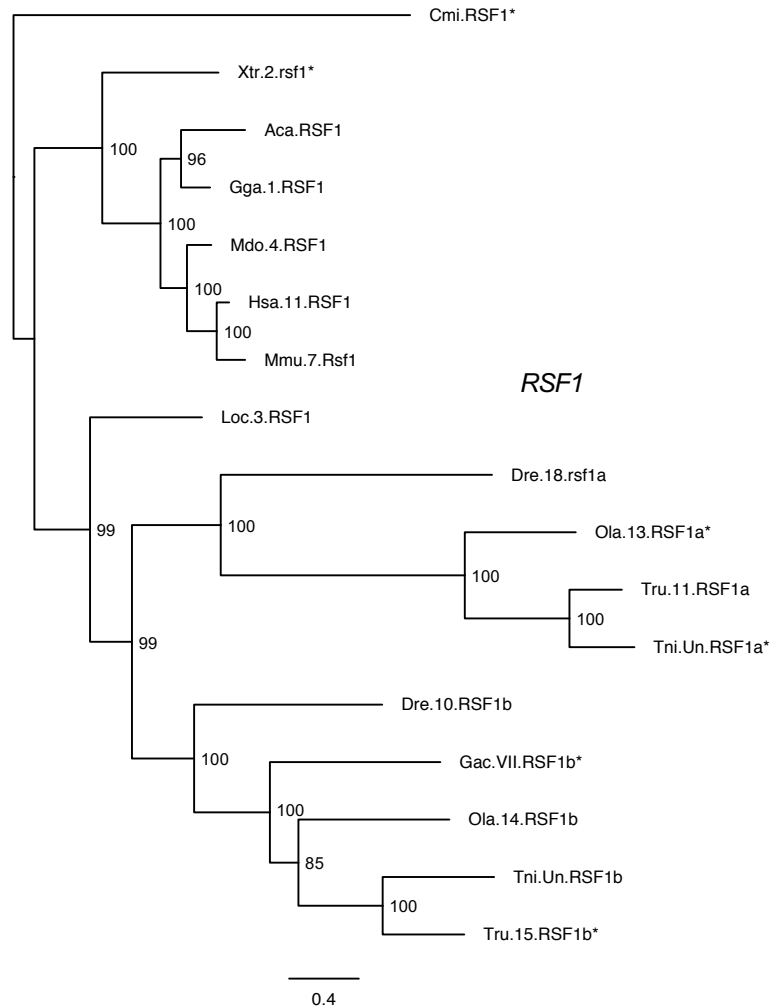
**Supplementary figure S19. Voltage-gated potassium channel J, member 1, -10 and -15 family (KCNJ1/10/15).** The gene family is made up of the *KCNJ1*, *KCNJ10* and *KCNJ15* genes. All three branches are well supported; however, no outgroups could be found for this family. Thus, it is not possible to infer a relative time window for the origin of these genes from the phylogeny alone. The phylogeny is displayed as a midpoint-rooted tree. There are teleost duplicates of *KCNJ1* that diverge in the time window of the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R). The zebrafish has 6 tandem duplicates of the *kcnj1a* gene on chromosome 18. There are teleost duplicates of *KCNJ10* as well, however the topology of this branch is not well resolved. The chromosomal locations of the *KCNJ1a* and *KCNJ1b* genes are nonetheless consistent with an origin in 3R (Fig. 4). We could identify two *kcnj10b* tandem duplicates in the genome of the zebrafish. These are annotated as copy number variants *kcnj10b-201* and *kcnj202* in the Ensembl database.



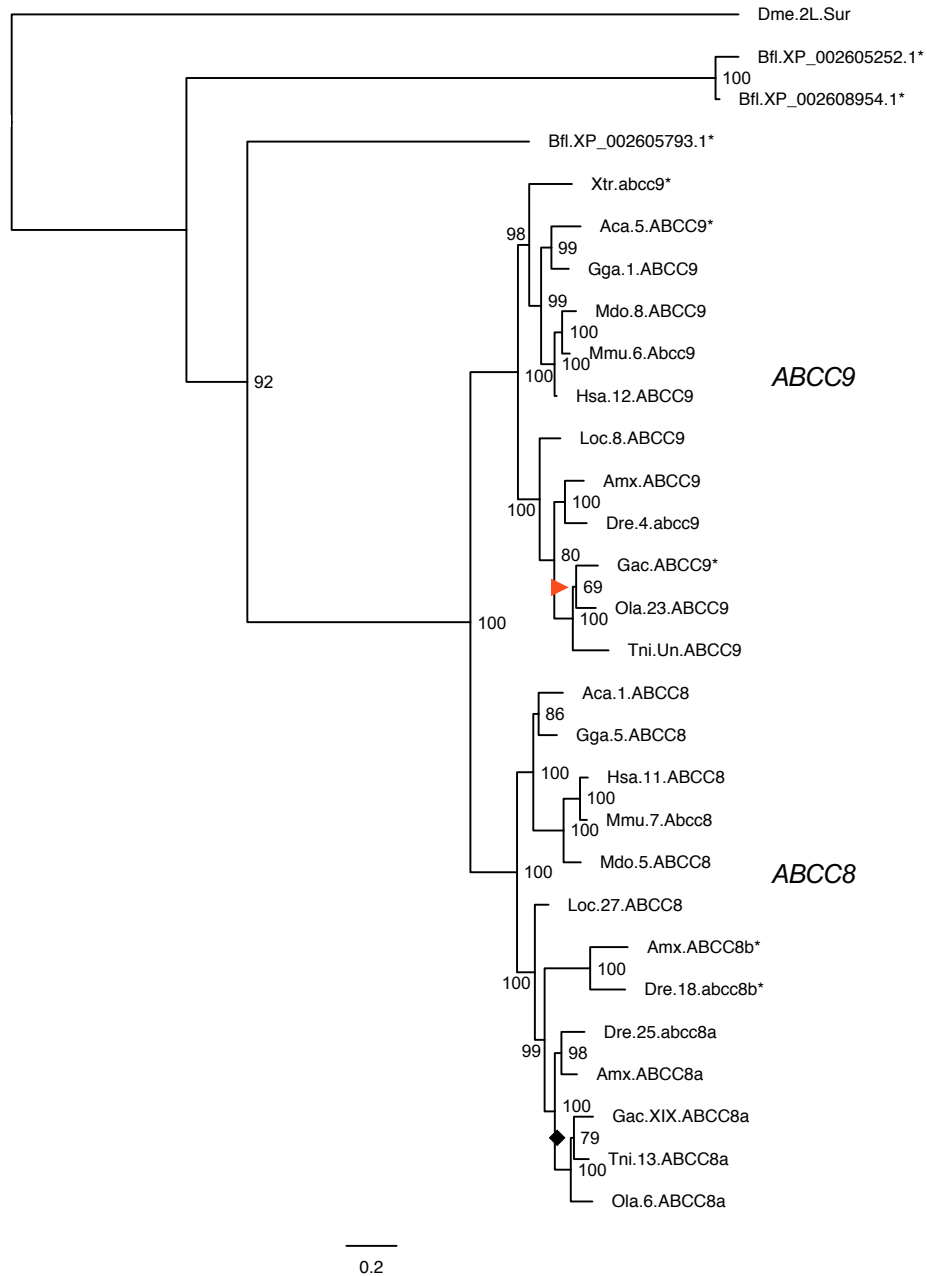
**Supplementary figure S20. Kin of irregular chiasm-like protein family (KIRREL).** The gene family is made up of the *KIRREL*, *KIRREL2* and *KIRREL3* genes. The *KIRREL* and *KIRREL3* branches are well supported, while the *KIRREL2* branch is poorly supported in the UFBoot test. This is likely due to the relatively faster evolutionary rate of the tetrapod *KIRREL2* sequences. Nonetheless, all three branches diverge in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). The *KIRREL* and *KIRREL3* branches have duplicates in teleost fishes, however only the *KIRREL* branch shows the duplicate *KIRRELa* and *KIRRELb* branches diverging in the time window of the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R). The topology of the *KIRREL3* branch is not well resolved in this respect. The chromosomal locations of the *KIRREL3a* and *KIRREL3b* genes are nonetheless consistent with an origin in 3R (Fig. 4). The alignment used to create this phylogeny was edited to remove the N-terminal ends, which could not be identified for many of the sequences. The final alignment consists of 1018 amino acid positions.



**Supplementary figure S21. Remodeling and spacing factor 1 family (RSF1).** The gene family consist of only one branch in jawed vertebrates, made up by the *RSF1* genes. No putative invertebrate family members could be identified, and the phylogeny is rooted by the elephant shark *RSF1* sequence. The duplicate *RSF1a* and *-b* branches in teleost fishes diverge in the time window of the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R).

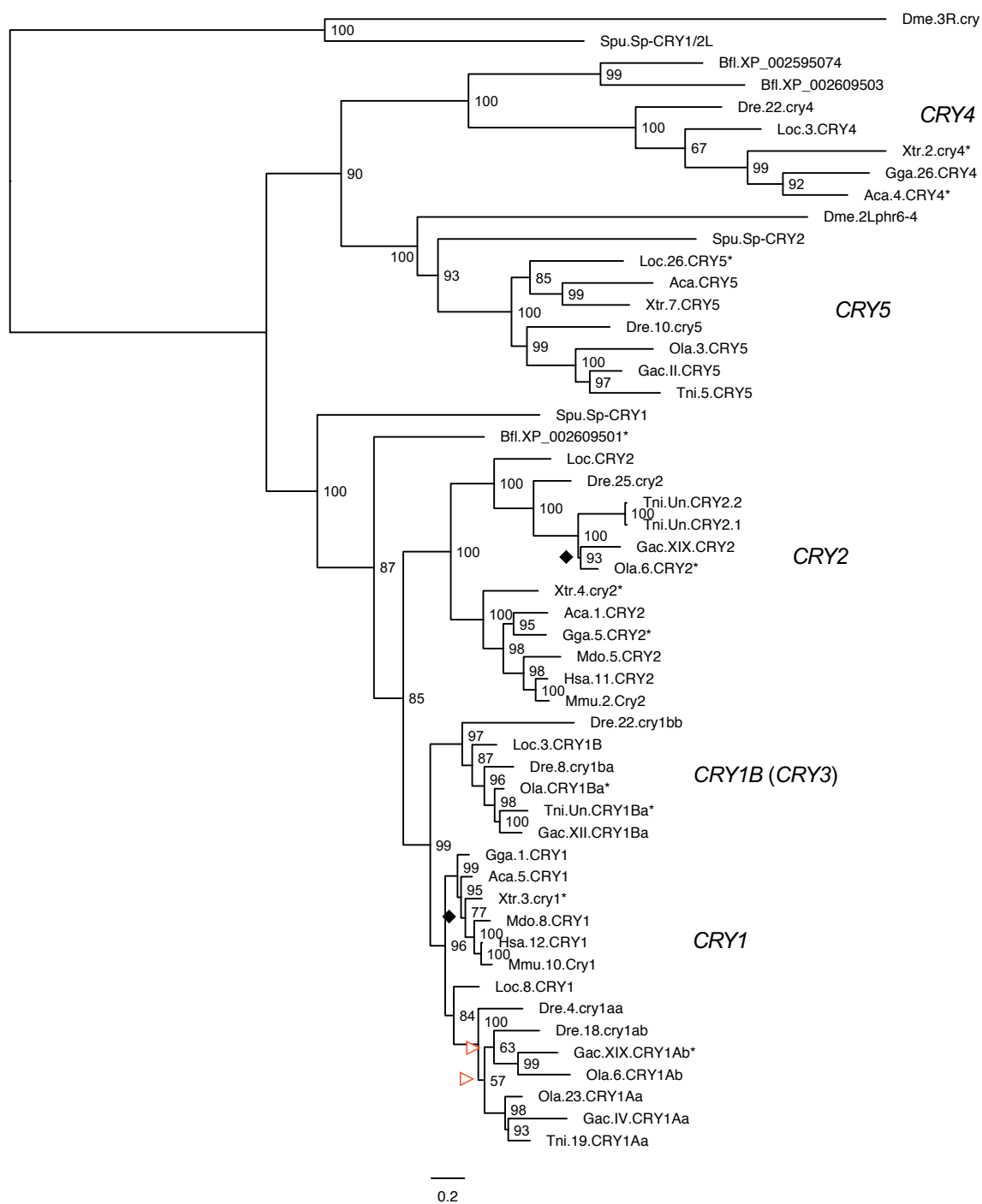


**Supplementary figure S22. ATP-binding cassette subfamily C, member 8 and -9 (ABCC8/9).** The gene family is made up of the *ABCC8* and *ABCC9* genes. Both branches are well-supported and diverge in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). The *ABCC8* branch has teleost duplicates diverging in the time window of the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R).

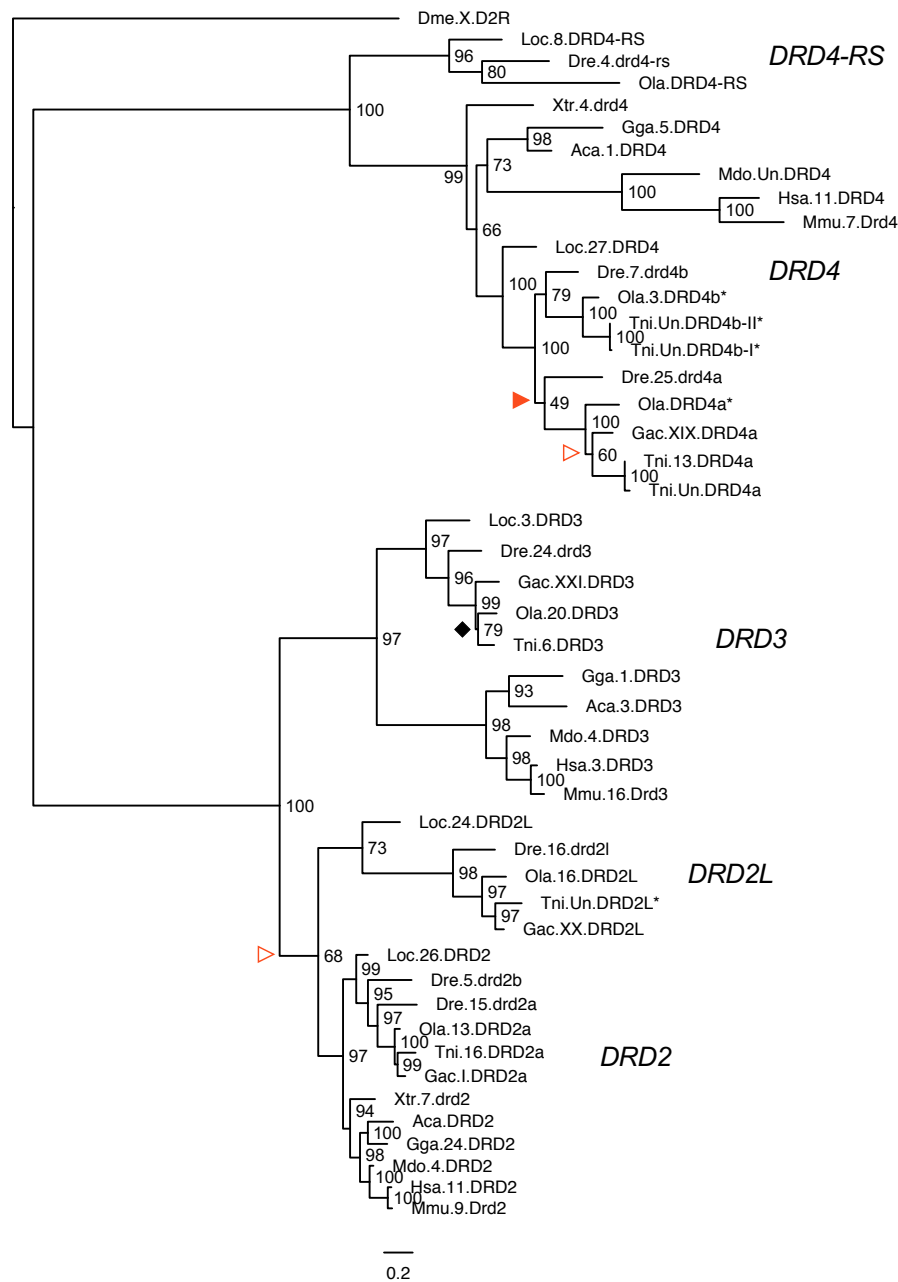


**Supplementary figure S23. Cryptochrome family (CRY).** (See following page.) The gene family is made up of the *CRY1* (*CRY1A* in teleost fishes), *CRY1B* (also known as *CRY3*), *CRY2*, *CRY4* and *CRY5* genes. All five branches are well supported, and our phylogeny supports the divergence of the *CRY1*, *CRY1B* (*CRY3*) and *CRY2* genes in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations. The *CRY1* branch has duplicates in teleost fishes named *CRY1Aa* and *CRY1Ab* that diverge in the time window of the basal teleost tetraploidization. Although the topologies of these duplicate branches are not well-resolved, the chromosomal locations of the *CRY1Aa* and *CRY1Ab* genes are nonetheless consistent with an origin in 3R (Fig. 4). Our results and conclusions are consistent with previously published phylogenomic studies of this gene family (Haug et al., 2015; Liu et al., 2015). Our phylogeny suggests a much earlier time window for the divergences of *CRY4* and *CRY5*, in line with the above cited study by Haug et al. The chromosomal locations of the *CRY4* and *CRY5* genes in vertebrate genomes, in the same chromosomal regions as *CRY1B* and *CRY2* (see Figs. S2 – S4), suggests that the ancestral *CRY1/1B/2*, *CRY4* and *CRY5* genes were located on the same ancestral chromosome pre-1R/2R, possibly even further back. After 1R/2R, only 1 duplicate was preserved in each of the *CRY4* and *CRY5* lineages. In our phylogeny, the fruit fly *cry* and *phr6-4* sequences serve as outgroups. However, since they don't cluster together, our phylogeny is presented as a midpoint-rooted tree.



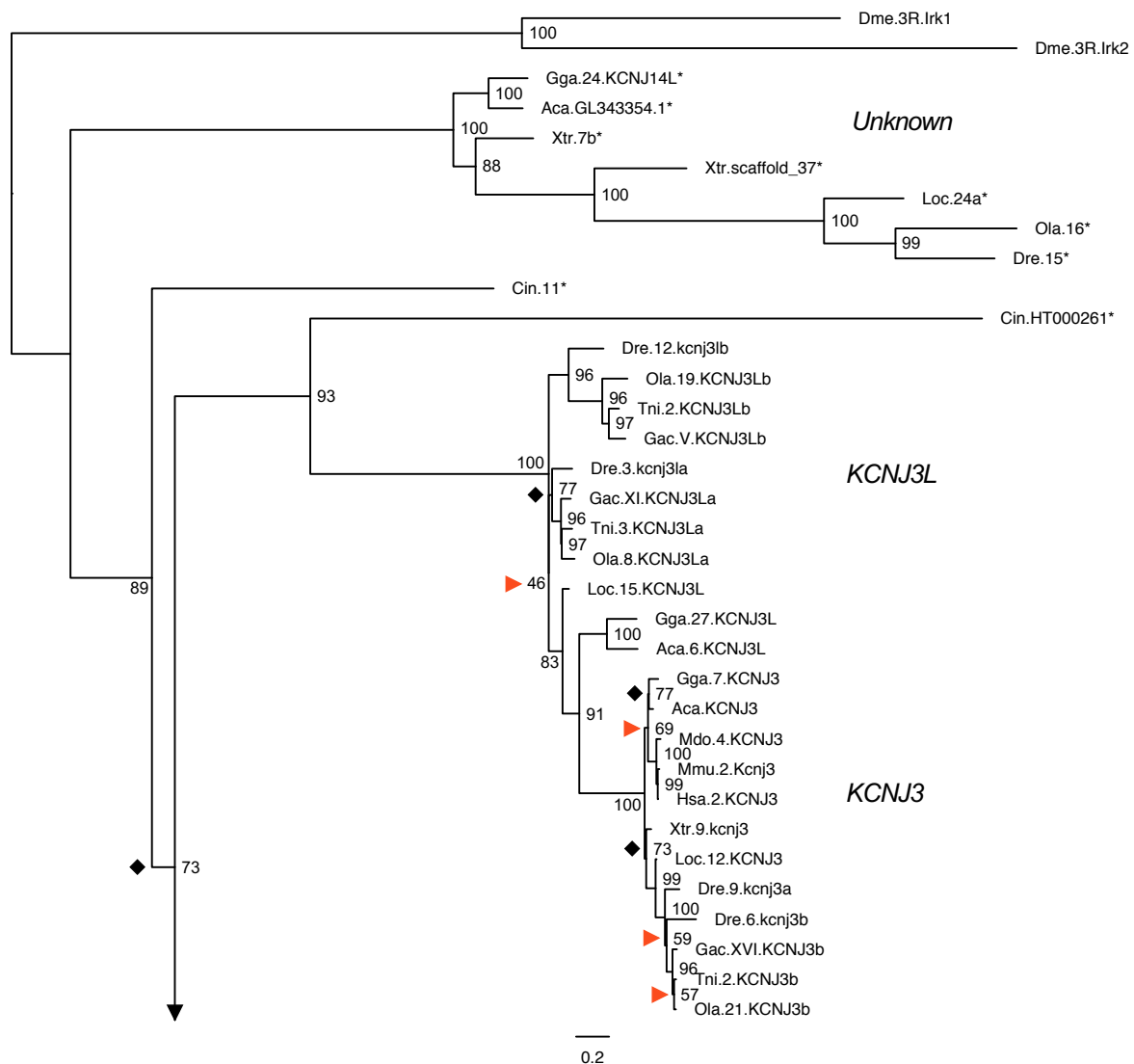


**Supplementary figure S24. Dopamine receptor D2 family (D2).** The gene family is made up of the *DRD2*, *DRD2L*, *DRD3*, *DRD4* and *DRD4-RS* genes. All five branches are well-supported; however, the lack of invertebrate chordate sequences in this family means that it is not possible to infer a relative time window for the origin of the genes from the phylogeny alone. The chromosomal locations indicate that the *DRD2*, *DRD2L* and *DRD3* genes on one side, and the *DRD4* and *DRD4-RS* genes on the other, arose from ancestral genes in the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). Notably, the *DRD2*, *DRD2L* and *DRD3* genes are located in the *SL* gene-bearing chromosome regions (Fig. 5), while the *DRD4* and *DRD4-RS* genes are located in the *GH/PRL/PRL2* gene-bearing chromosome regions (Figs. S2 – S4). The *DRD2* and *DRD4* branches have duplicates in teleost fishes diverging in the time window of the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R). Our results and conclusions are consistent with previously published detailed analyses of the dopamine receptor family (Haug-Baltzell et al., 2015; Yamamoto et al., 2015).

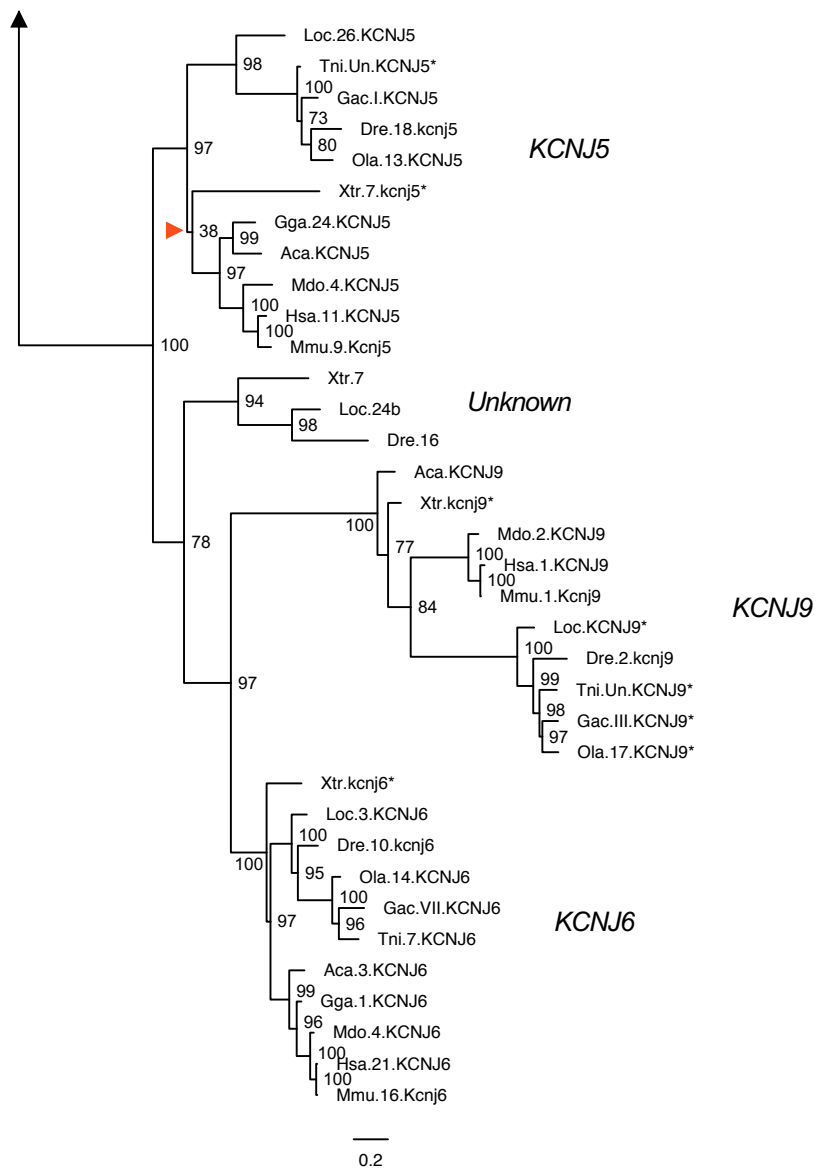


**Supplementary figure S25. Voltage-gated potassium channel J, member 3, -5, -6 and -9 family (KCNJ3/5/6/9).** The gene family is made up by the *KCNJ3*, *KCNJ5*, *KCNJ6* and *KCNJ9* genes, as well as three previously undescribed clades. One of these “unknown” clades makes up the most basal branch in our phylogeny (excluding the root), indicating that it diverged from the rest of the family before the split between tunicates and the lineage leading to vertebrates. The chicken gene annotated as *KCNJ14L* belongs to this branch. Another of these “unknown” clades clusters with the *KCNJ3* genes, and together they have a vase tunicate outgroup. We have named these *KCNJ3*-like sequences *KCNJ3L*. The *KCNJ3L* branch is not resolved in our phylogeny. Both *KCNJ3* and *KCNJ3L* genes are located outside our chromosomal regions of interest. Thus, they were not considered in our conserved synteny analyses. In the context of our analyses, the *KCNJ5*, *KCNJ6* and *KCNJ9* genes are of interest. All three branches are well supported and diverge in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). None of these branches seem to have preserved duplicates from the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R). The third “unknown” clade in our phylogeny clusters close to the *KCNJ6* and *KCNJ9* branches, and is made up of only *Xenopus tropicalis*, spotted gar and zebrafish sequences. The *Xenopus tropicalis* gene in this clade (located on chromosome 7) has wrongly been identified as *kcnj9*. In fact, we could find the correct *kcnj9* gene on scaffold\_7147. Our phylogeny, as well as the chromosomal locations (Fig. 5), support this branch as the fourth duplicate generated in 1R/2R.

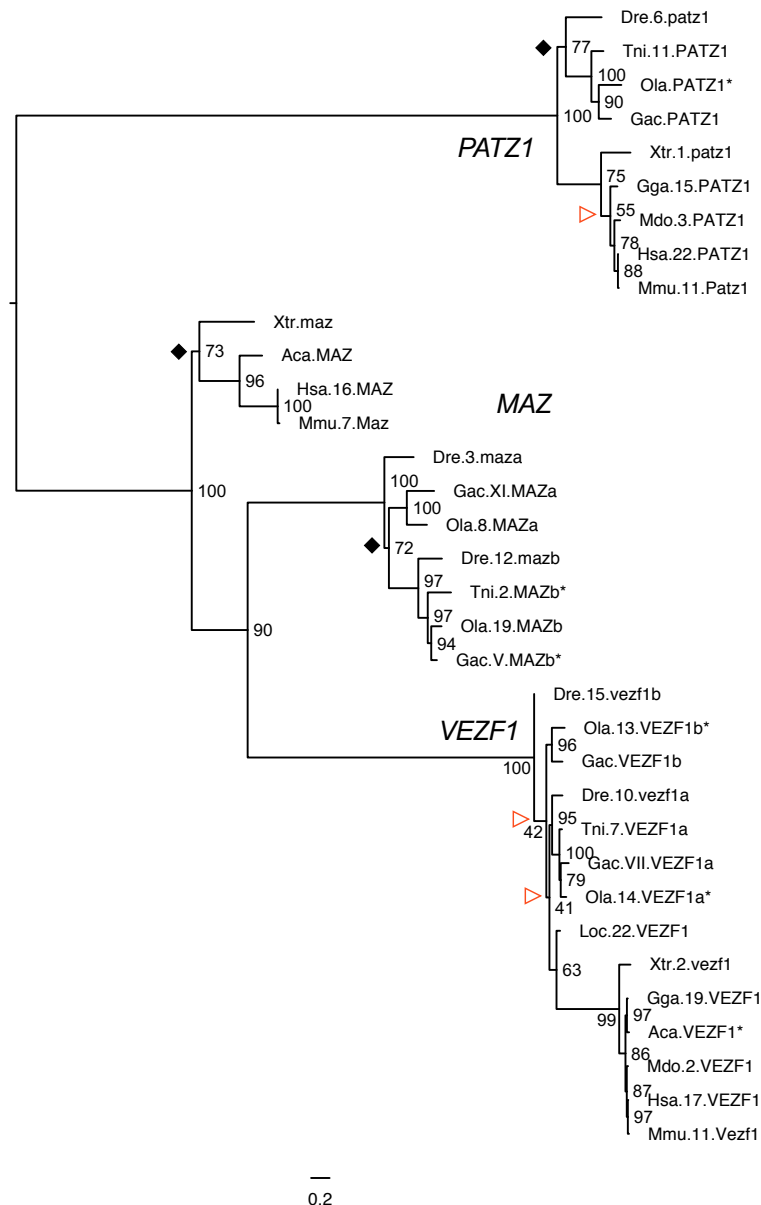
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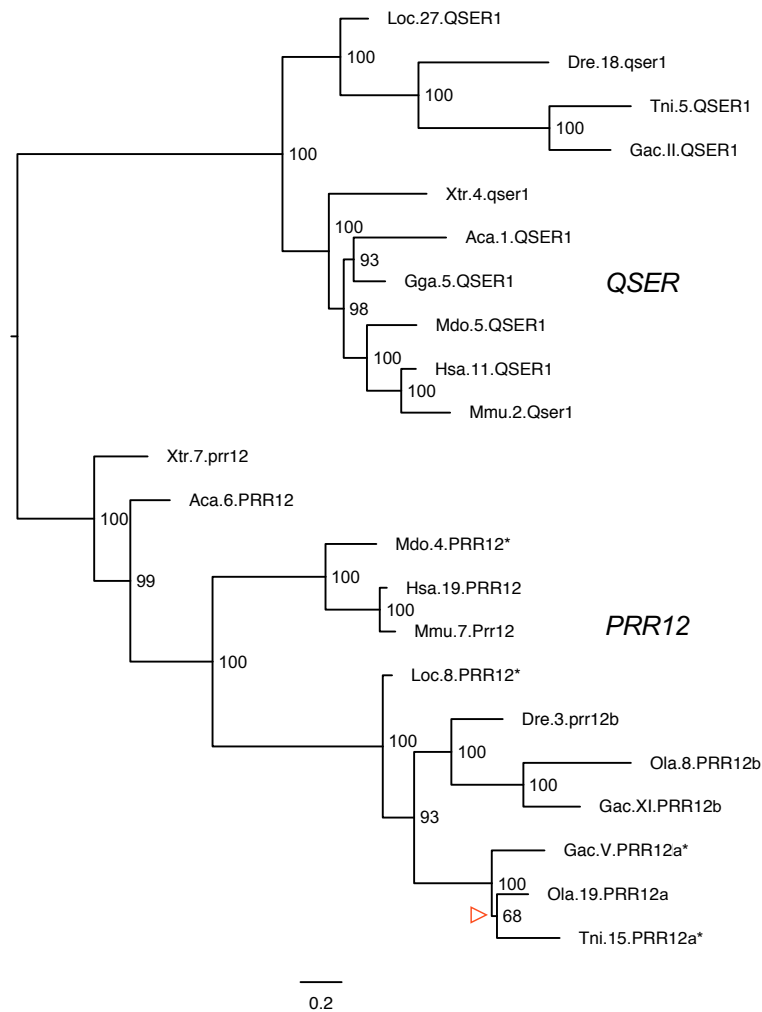
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**Supplementary figure S26. MYC-associated zinc finger transcription factor family.** The gene family is made up of the *MAZ*, *PATZ1* (POZ/BTB and AT hook containing zinc finger 1) and *VEZF1* (vascular endothelial zinc finger 1) genes. No outgroups could be found for this family, and the phylogeny is displayed as a midpoint-rooted tree. Thus, it is not possible to infer a relative time window for the origin of these genes from the phylogeny alone. Additionally, the *MAZ* branch is not resolved in our phylogeny. Nonetheless, the chromosomal locations of these genes are consistent with origins in the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R) (Figs. S2 – S4). There are teleost duplicates in the *MAZ* and *VEZF1* branches; however, these duplicate teleost branches are not well-supported. The chromosomal locations of the *MAZa* and *MAZb* genes are consistent with an origin in the basal teleost tetraploidization (Figs. S3 and S4).

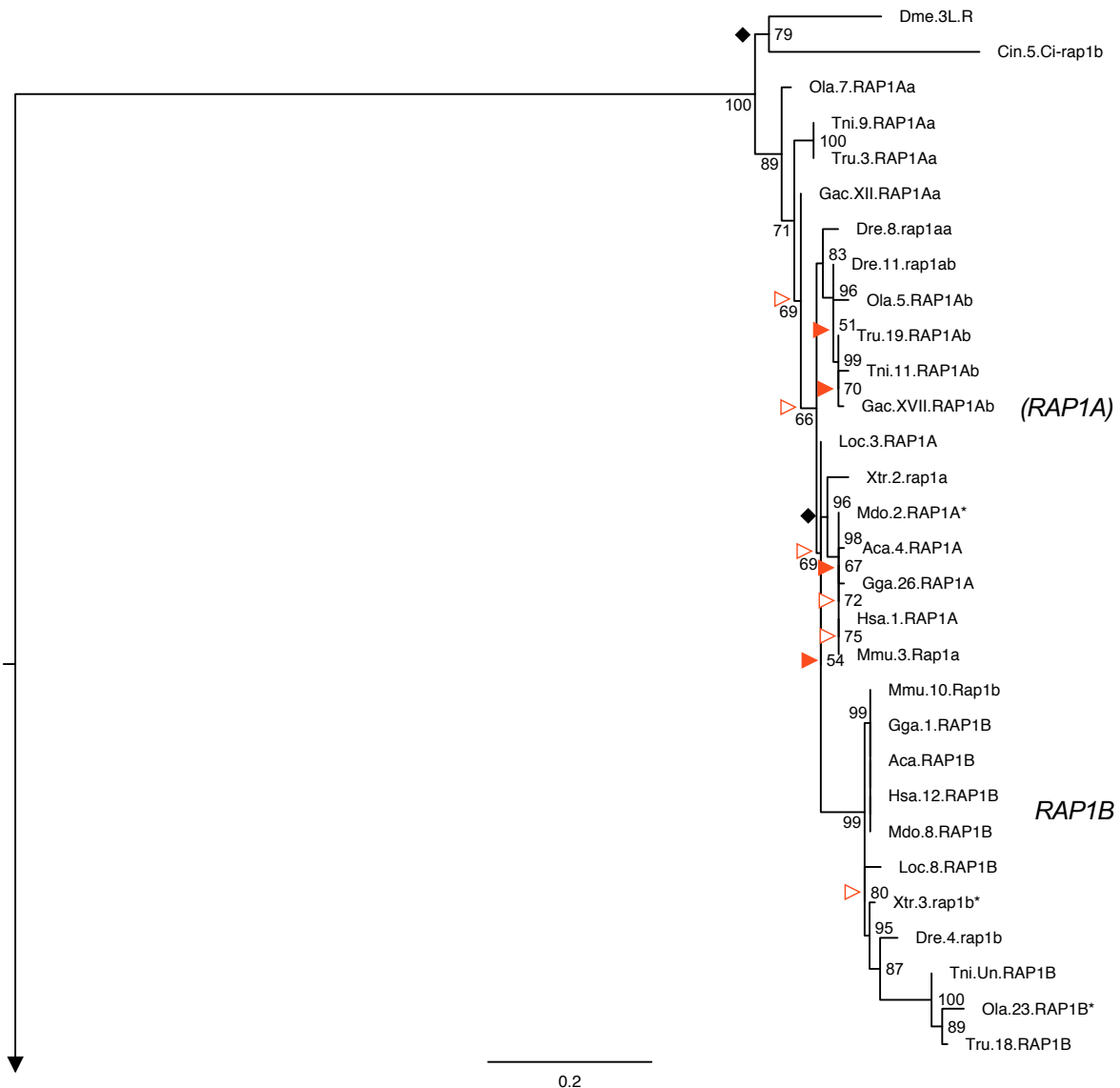


**Supplementary figure S27. Glutamine and serine rich 1 protein and proline rich 12 protein family (QSER/PRR12).** The gene family is made up of the *QSER* and *PRR12* genes. Both branches are well-supported, however the tetrapod *PRR12* branch is not resolved. No outgroups could be found for this family, and the phylogeny is displayed as a midpoint-rooted tree. Thus, it is not possible to infer a relative time window for the origin of these genes from the phylogeny alone. The chromosomal locations are nonetheless consistent with an origin in the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R) (Figs. S2 – S4). The *QSER* branch has teleost duplicates that diverge in the time window of the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R).



**Supplementary figure S28. RAS oncogene family (RAP).** Our phylogeny shows two clearly defined subfamilies: One made up of the *RAP1A* and *RAP1B* genes, and one made up of the *RAP2A*, *RAP2B* and *RAP2C* genes. The latter form three well-supported branches diverging in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). However, these genes are located outside our chromosomal regions of interest. Thus, they were not considered in our conserved synteny analyses. In the context of our analyses, only the *RAP1A* and *RAP1B* are of interest. In our phylogeny, only the *RAP1B* branch is resolved and well-supported. Additionally, the vase tunicate family member clusters with the fruit fly outgroup. Thus, the phylogeny of the *RAP1A* and *RAP1B* subfamily is inconclusive with respect to 1R/2R. Nevertheless, the chromosomal locations are consistent with origins in 1R/2R.

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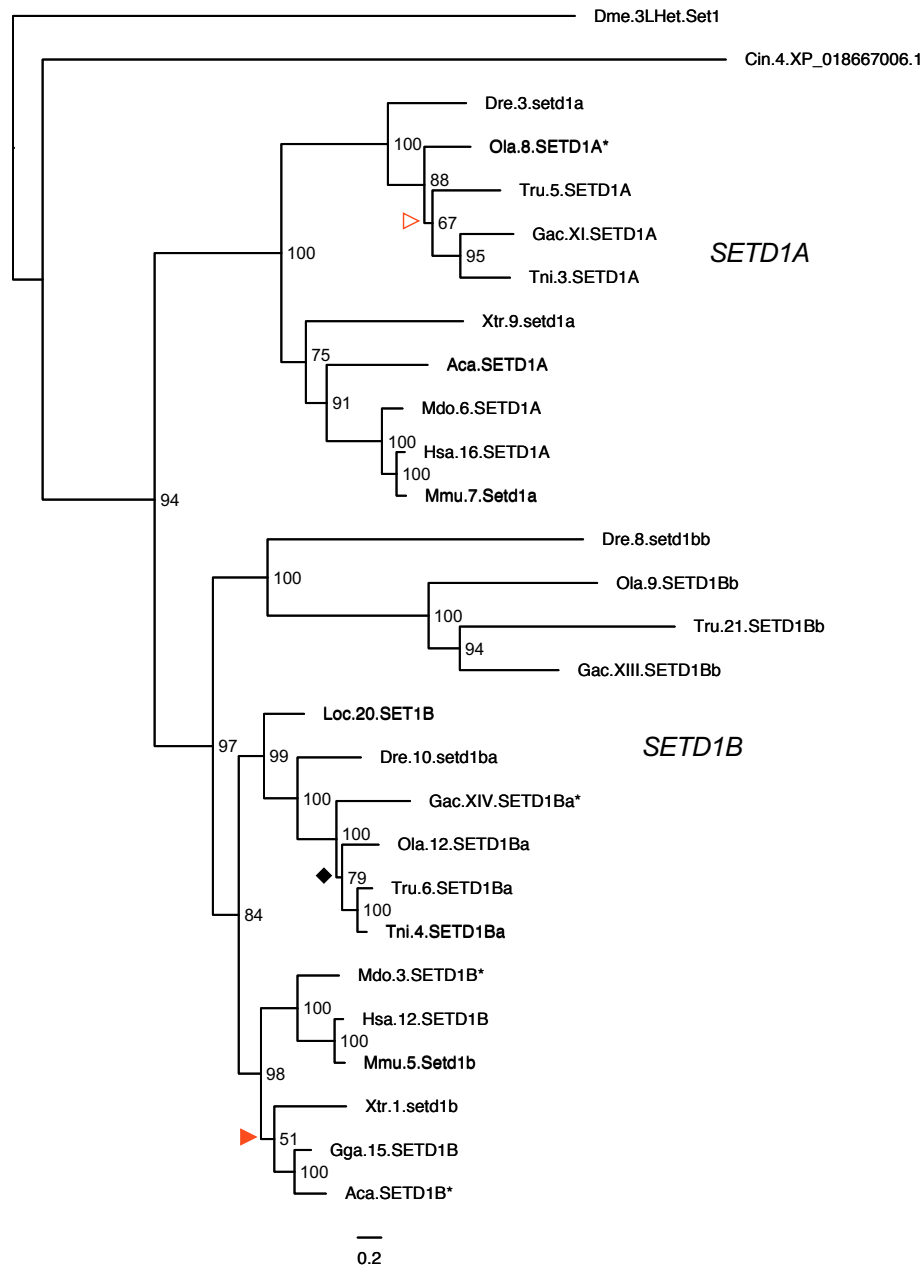


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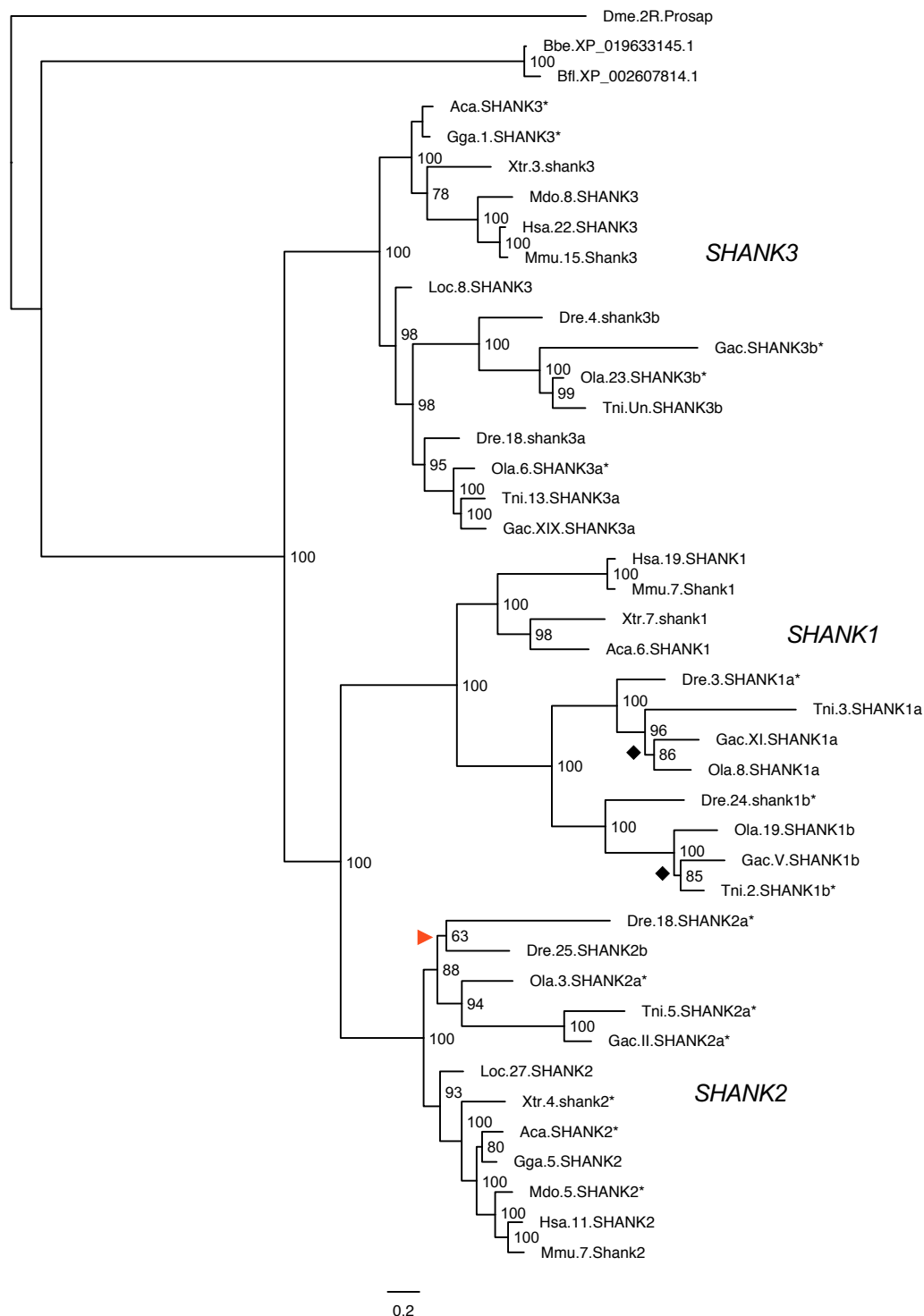




**Supplementary figure S29. SET domain-containing 1 family (SETD1).** The gene family is made up of the *SETD1A* and *SETD1B* genes. Both branches are well-supported and diverge in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). There is a third branch diverging in this same time window; however, the species representation as well as the chromosomal positions (Fig. S3 and S4) are consistent with this being a teleost duplicate branch that arose in the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R). The position of this branch, basal to the rest of the *SETD1B* sequences, is likely cause by its relatively faster rate of evolution, as indicated by the branch lengths.

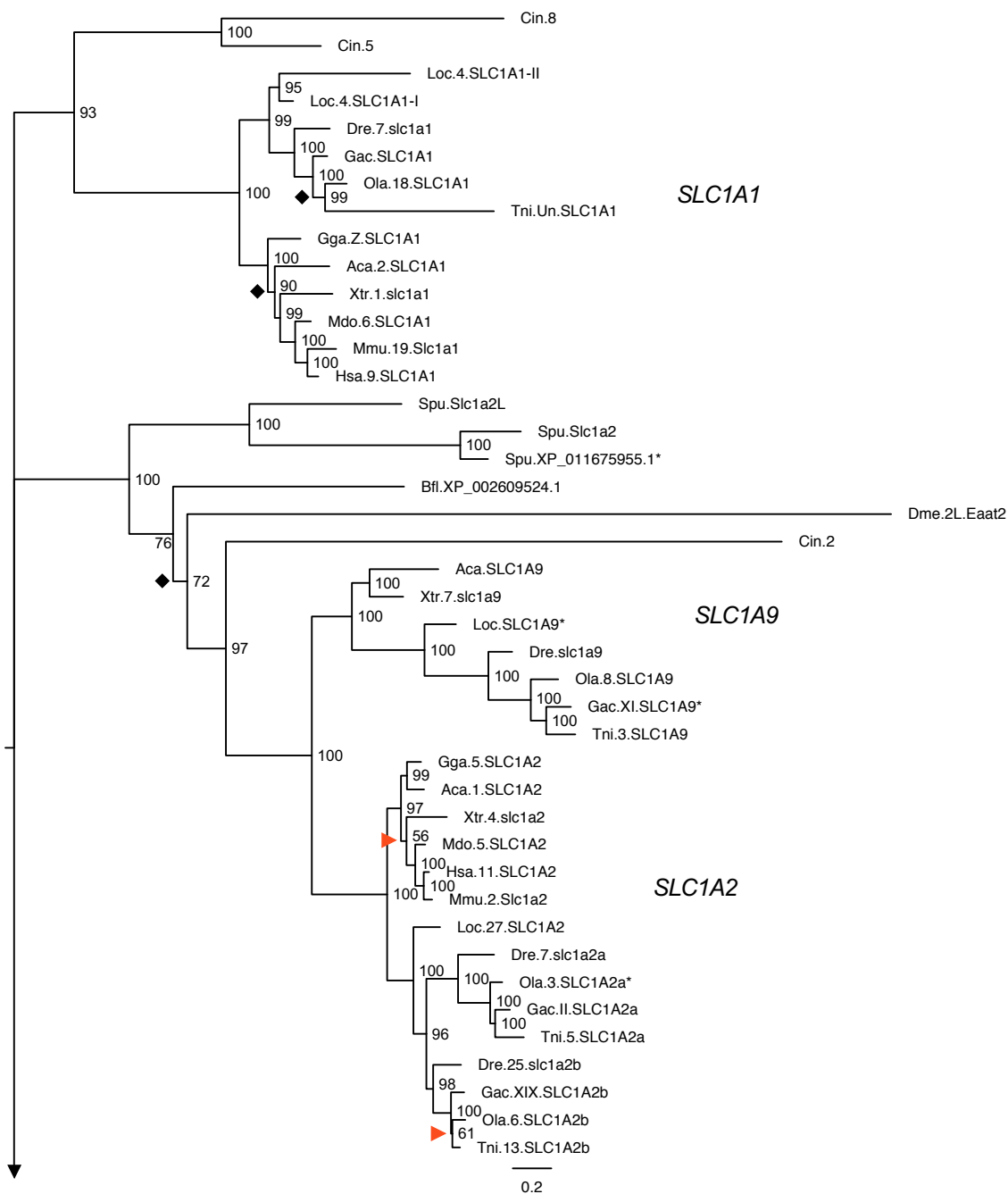


**Supplementary figure S30. SH3 and multiple ankyrin repeat domains family (SHANK).** The gene family is made up of the *SHANK1*, *SHANK2* and *SHANK3* genes. All three branches are well-supported and diverge in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations. There are teleost duplicates in all three branches; however, only the topology of the *SHANK3* branch conclusively shows the duplicate branches diverging in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidization (3R). The species distributions and chromosome locations nonetheless support the duplication of all three branches in 3R (Figs. S3 – S4). The Florida lancelet sequence used in this phylogeny could also be found in Belcher's lancelet (*Branchiostoma belcheri*, abbreviated Bbe).

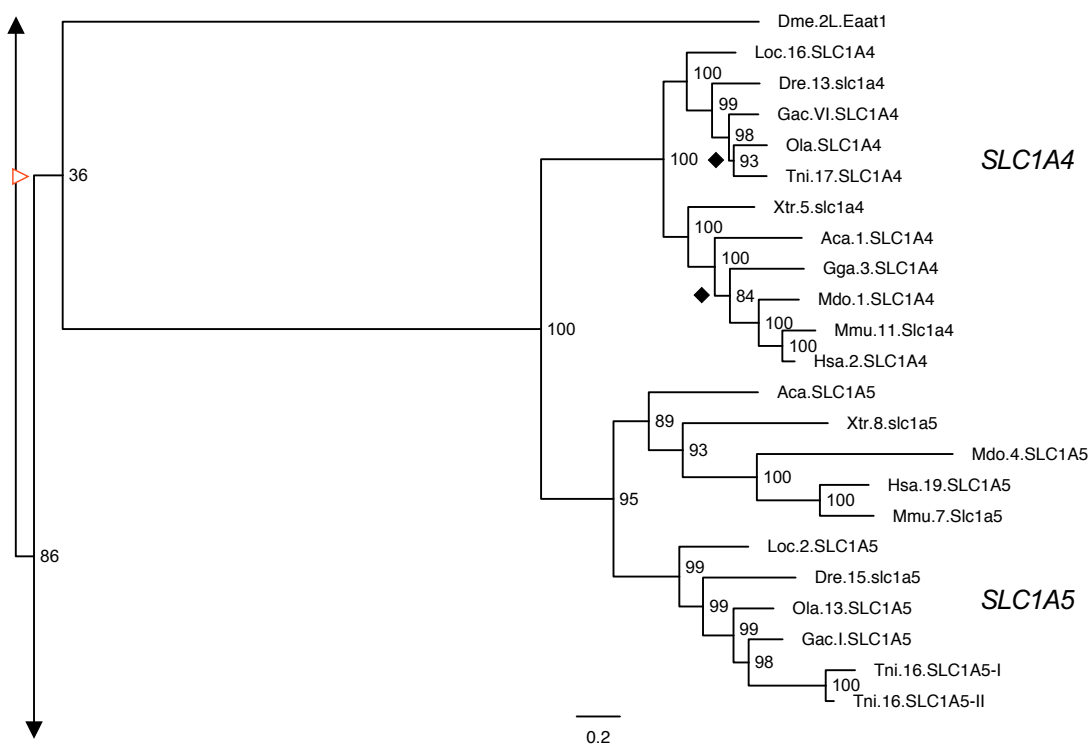


**Supplementary figure S31. Solute carrier family 1 (SLC1A).** (See page 40 – 42.) This large family of excitatory/neutral amino acid transporters is made up of 9 subtype genes in vertebrates (Gesemann et al., 2010). The majority of these genes are located outside our chromosomal regions of interest. Thus, they were not considered in the conserved synteny analyses of this study. Our midpoint-rooted phylogeny of the full SLC1A family is shown below. In the context of our analyses, only the *SLC1A2* and *SLC1A9* genes are of interest (Fig. S31A below). Both these branches are well-supported and diverge in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R). In addition, the *SLC1A2* branch has teleost duplicates that diverge in the time window of the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R). We have analysed this family previously: The *SLC1A3*, *SLC1A6*, *SLC1A7* and *SLC1A8* genes (Fig. S31C below) are located in the chromosomal regions bearing the growth hormone and prolactin receptor genes *GHR* and *PRLR*, as well as the genes for the erythropoietin and thrombopoietin receptors *EPOR* and *TPOR*. In this study, we could show that these chromosomal regions arose in the 1R/2R tetraploidizations, and duplicated further in the 3R tetraploidization (Ocampo Daza and Larhammar, 2017).

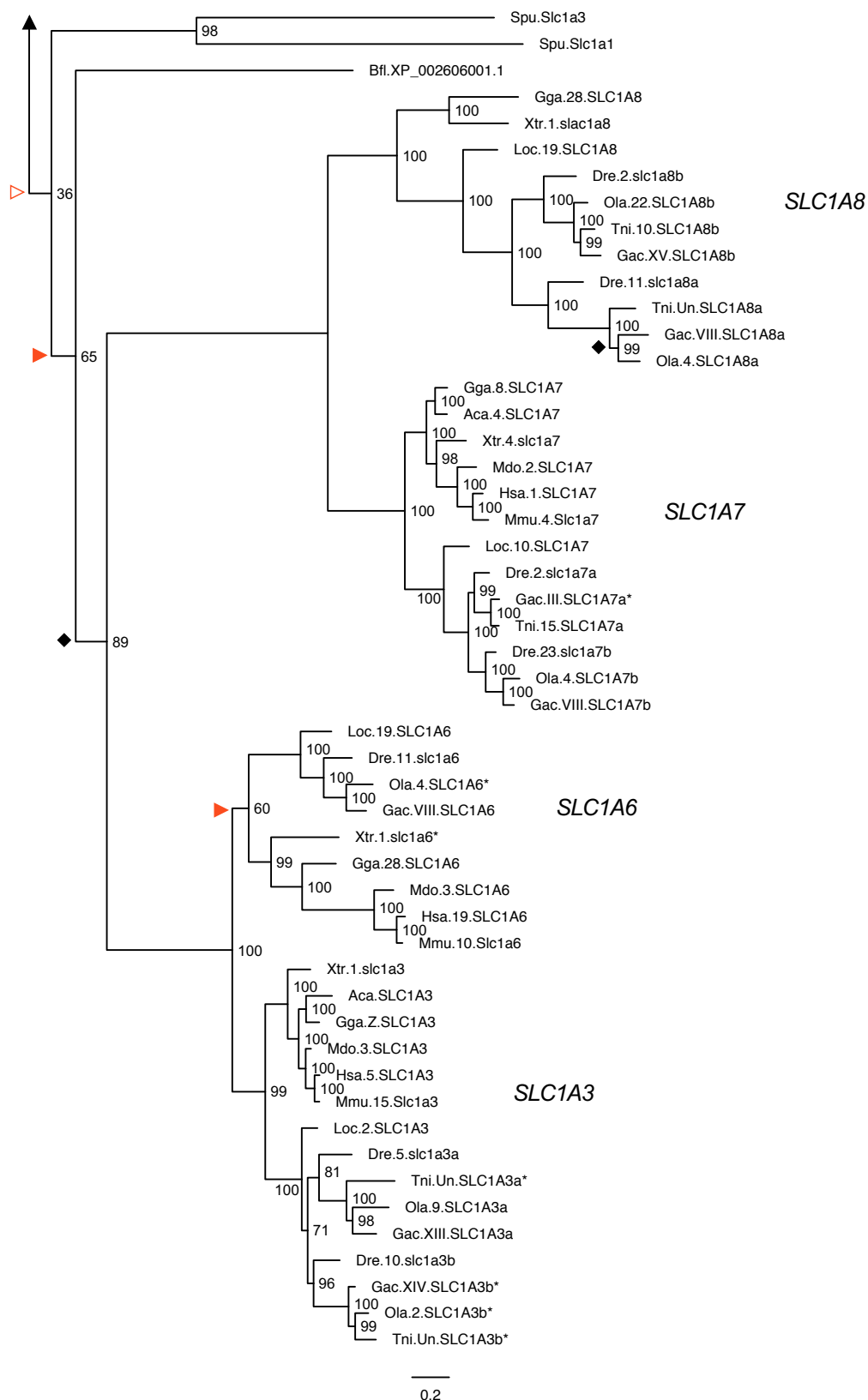
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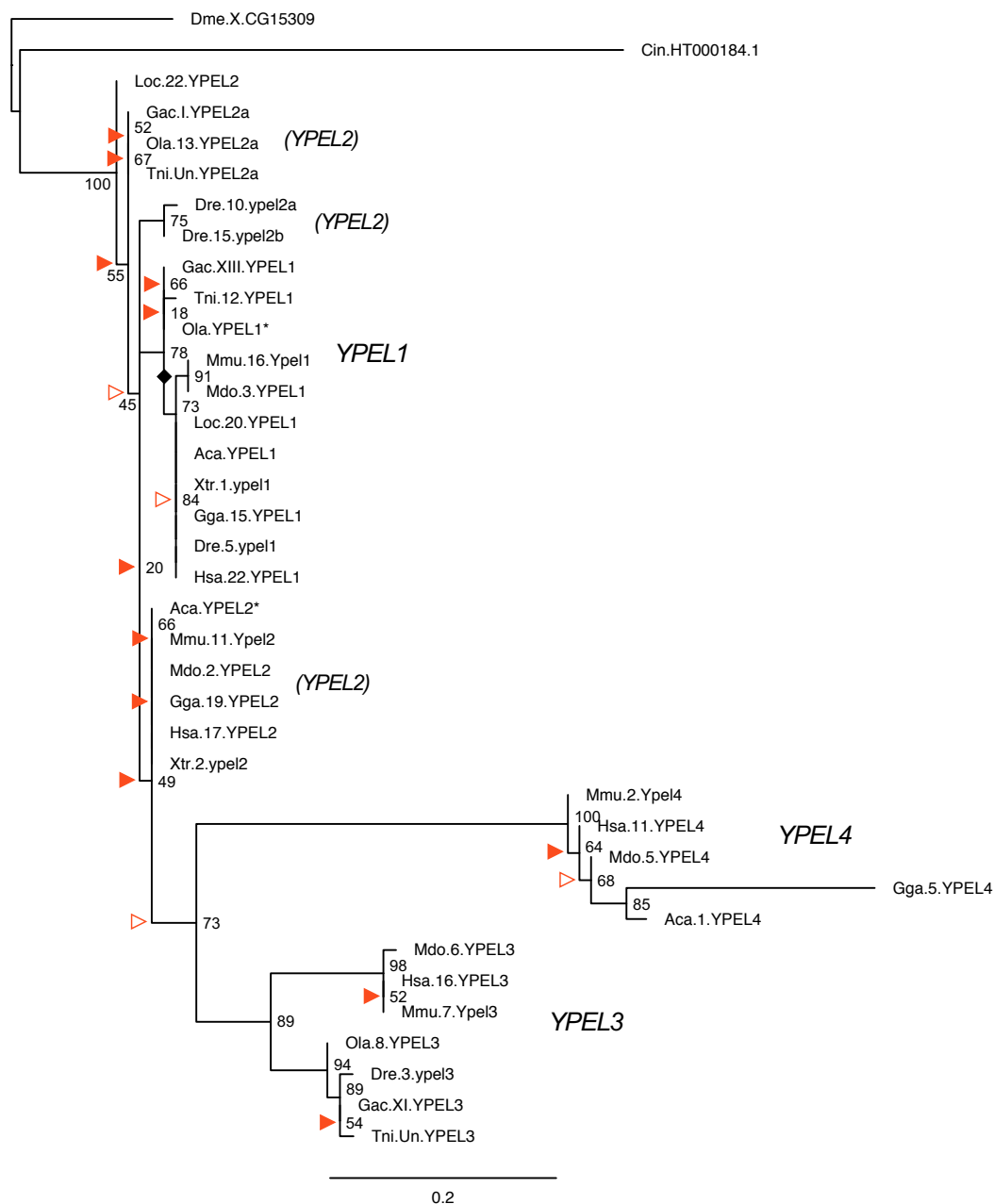
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**Supplementary figure S32. Yippee-like family.** The gene family is made up of the *YPEL1*, *YPEL2*, *YPEL3* and *YPEL4* genes. While our phylogeny shows that this family diverges in the time window of the basal vertebrate tetraploidizations (1R/2R), only the *YPEL1*, *YPEL3* and *YPEL4* branches are well-supported. The *YPEL1* branch is not resolved with regard to the species taxonomy. This is likely caused by a combination of short sequence lengths (the alignment used to create this phylogeny consist of only 145 amino acid positions), and a high degree of sequence conservation within the family. Additionally, the *YPEL2* genes, and to some extent the *YPEL1* genes, are located outside the identified paralogous chromosomal regions in several of the genomes we investigated (Figs. 3 and 4). There are putative teleost duplicates of *YPEL2* in the zebrafish genome; however, neither our phylogeny nor the chromosomal locations of these genes give conclusive support for an origin in the basal teleost tetraploidization (3R). The syntenic localization of the *YPEL2a* and *VEZF1b* genes in all teleost genomes we investigated was used to distinguish the *YPEL2a* and *YPEL2b* genes.



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