H11 Newsletter

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1. FT DNA Project:

There are now 294 members in our H11 project. Full sequence results are completed on 254 members of the group. Interestingly 205 members of this group have also done Family Finder. Unfortunately it is not possible to visually look at the Family Finder results as that would compromise the privacy of individuals. However, you can look at your matches in Family Finder.

2. Project Statistics (yDNA statistics removed):

Combined GEDCOMs Uploaded	47
DISTINCT mtDNA Haplogroups	5 16
Family Finder	205
Genographic 2.0 Transfers	19
Maternal Ancestor Information	n 247
mtDNA	265
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Total Members	294
Unreturned Kits	12

3. The latest release of the phylotree used by FT DNA was dated 18 Feb 2016:

H11 breakdown in the PhyloTree mt:



Within the study group we have members in every sub-haplogroup except H11a5 (and it can be seen in the chart above that the mutation C15040T marks this subgrouping).

http://www.phylotree.org/tree/R0.htm *

*van Oven M, Kayser M. 2009. Updated comprehensive phylogenetic tree of global human mitochondrial DNA variation. *Hum Mutat* 30(2):E386-E394. http://www.phylotree.org.

doi:10.1002/humu.20921

4. Denisovan Ancestry:

Recently I read an online blog

https://iseekdeadpeople.wordpress.com/tag/haplogroup-h11/

and discovered that this H11 individual also had a larger percentage of Denisovan ancestry (2.2%). Testing my brother at National Geographic 2.0 Project had yielded a result of 3.5% Denisovan. The average is 2.1%. H11 does appear to have "wintered" at the Ukraina Refuge during the Last Glacial Maximum and many members of our group are from Eastern Europe. Is it possible that other members of H11 also show a higher value for Denisovan?

5. Breakdown by subclade in the project including "resting spot" as noted by contributor:

H11: Ten members – Croatia (1), Finland (1), Germany (1), Ireland (2), Poland (1), Scotland (1), Spain (1), Sweden (1) and one unknown

H11-C16354T: One member - Scotland (1)

H11-499A-9000G-16354T: Five members – all unknown

H11-93G-6723A: Five members – Scandinavia (Sweden, Norway) (5)

H11a: Fifty six members – Croatia (1), England (3), Estonia (1), Finland (4), France (2), Germany (3), Hungary (1), Ireland (2), Israel (1), Lithuania (1), Norway (4), Poland (2), Russia (1), Scotland (1), Sweden (3) and twenty six unknown H11a-T152C: Nine members – Germany (1), Ireland (1), The Netherlands (1), Norway (3), Germany (1) and two unknown

H11a-14325C: Four members – England (1), France (1) and two unknown

H11a-207A: Two members – British Isles (1), England (1)

H11a-7278C-8227C: Two members – England (1) and one unknown

H11a-4056T: Four members – Finland (2), Sweden (2)

H11a-5515G: Two members – both unknown

H11a1: Forty six members – Croatia (1), England (1), Finland (15), Germany (1), Norway (1), Poland (4), Russia (6), Scotland (1), Spain (1), Sweden (4), Ukraine (1) and ten unknown

H11a1-13434G: Two members – Poland (1), Serbia (1)

H11a1-143A-7906T: Four members – England (1), Ireland (1), Scotland (1), Sweden (1)

H11a1-16209C: Three members – Hungary (1), Slovakia (1) and one unknown

H11a1-16224C: Three members – Finland (1), Hungary (1), Sweden (1)

H11a1-16299G: Three members – all are unknown

H11a1-198T: Two members – Sweden (2)

H11a2: Seven members – England (1), Norway (1) and five unknown

H11a2-16092Y: Two members – Sweden (1) and one unknown

H11a2-16261T: Three members – England (1), Finland (1), Sweden (1)

H11a2-6854T: Two members – Italy (1) and one unknown

H11a2-T16092C: Two members – Croatia (1), Hungary (1)

H11a2-T16092C-16261T: Three members – Finland (3)

H11a2-16092C-14476C: Two members – Greece (1), Ukraine (1)

H11a2a: Six members – all are unknown

H11a2a-523.1C-523.2A-5460A: Four members – Sweden (4)

H11a2a1: Thirteen members – England (1) Ireland (2), United Kingdom (1) and nine unknown

H11a2a1-9204G: Three members – England (2) and one unknown

H11a2a2: Fourteen members – Austria (1), Finland (2), Germany (1), Hungary (1), Poland (2), Russia (4), Sweden (1), Ukraine (1) and one is unknown

H11a2a2-5206T: Two members – Eastern Europe (1), Poland (1)

H11a2a2-7805A: Two members – Poland (1) and one unknown

H11a2a3: Four members – England (1), Finland (1) and two unknown

H11a2a3-16380T: Two members – both are unknown

H11a3: Two members – England (1) and one unknown

H11a4: Five members – England (1), Ireland (1), Scotland (1), Sweden (1) and one unknown

H11a6: One member - unknown

H11a7: Four members – Germany (1), England (1), Ireland (1), Scotland (1)

H11a8: Five members – Ireland (2) and three unknown

H11b: Two members – both are unknown

H11b1: Six members – Germany (1), Norway (1), Poland (1), Serbia (1), Scotland (1) and one unknown

H11b1-16261T: Eight members – Poland (2), Ukraine (1) and five unknown

H11b1-16357C: Four members – Germany (1), Sweden (2) and one unknown

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