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## ABSTRACT

Toothed whale remains are common finds from archeological sites across Japan from the Jomon to the Ainu Culture Period, suggesting a key marine resource of subsistence in this region. However, the actual state of whale exploitation at each archeological site remains unclear. The reason is that most assemblages consist of primarily postcranial bones that are similar in morphology and are difficult to identify. To date, zooarchaeological toothed whale bones have been identified by differences in morphological traits based on a small number of specimens. In this study, I attempted to establish taxonomic identification criteria for atlas and axis vertebrae of modern toothed whales using discriminant function analysis (DFA) and applied the criteria to atlas and axis vertebrae from Japanese archeological sites.

Canonical discriminant function analysis was effective at classifying the atlas and axis vertebrae of 18 modern toothed whale species in a hierarchical classification system, with a high successful classification rate at the superfamily (97.1%), family (89.6%), and subfamily (78.9%) levels. At the species level, six received the highest score (100.0%) for correct identification rate for each species, while four other species had sufficiently high correct identification rates (above 80.0%). The established canonical discriminant functions were applied to 44 zooarchaeological atlas and axis vertebrae from three archeological sites in Japan ranging from the early Jomon to the Okhotsk Culture periods. Twenty-seven of the zooarchaeological specimens (61.4%) were identified in a hierarchical taxonomic classification scheme without contradiction and six species

(Pacific white-sided dolphin (N=11), Striped dolphin (N=5), Risso's dolphin (N=5), short-beaked common dolphin (N=3), common bottlenose dolphin (N=2), and northern right whale dolphin (N=1)) including four species not found in the previous morphological analysis and three not distributed around the sites, were found.

Based on these results, DFA-based classification was suggested to be useful for taxonomic identification at the family level and higher, and thus, effective in improving the identification quality of zooarchaeological specimens. Adding more modern reference specimens in the dataset may further improve the certainty and accuracy of identification for future work. Furthermore, the presence of other species as unexpectedly revealed by DFA-based classification offers not only insight into the taxonomic diversity of species exploited by the early Jomon and Okhotsk people but also questions about the acquisition routes from archeological perspectives and temporal distribution changes of the species from zoogeographical perspectives.

## บทคัดย่อ

การขุดค้นซากโครงกระดูกของวาฬมีฟันในชั้นทับถมทางวัฒนธรรมตามแหล่งโบราณคดีหลายแห่งทั่วประเทศญี่ปุ่นนับตั้งแต่สมัยโจมงเรื่อยมาจนถึงสมัยวัฒนธรรมโอบุ นั้น บ่งบอกถึงความเป็นทรัพยากรชีวภาพทางทะเลที่มีบทบาทและความสำคัญต่อการยังชีพ และดำรงอยู่ของผู้คนในภูมิภาคนี้ของสัตว์ทะเลเลี้ยงลูกด้วยนมกลุ่มดังกล่าวมาอย่างต่อเนื่อง และยาวนานนับตั้งแต่สมัยก่อนประวัติศาสตร์ อย่างไรก็ตามแบบแผนในการยังชีพที่รวมทั้งรูปแบบและวิธีการให้ได้มาซึ่งสัตว์ทะเลเลี้ยงลูกด้วยนมในกลุ่มนี้ของแหล่งโบราณคดีแต่ละแห่งนั้นยังไม่เป็นที่ทราบแน่ชัด ทั้งนี้เนื่องมาจากซากโครงกระดูกของวาฬมีฟันที่ขุดพบนั้น ประกอบด้วยกระดูกสันหลังและกระดูกอื่น ๆ ที่อยู่ถัดจากกะโหลกลงมา ซึ่งส่วนใหญ่มีลักษณะทางสัณฐานวิทยาที่คล้ายคลึงกันจนยากที่จะนำมาใช้ในการจัดจำแนกชนิดได้ ปัจจุบันนี้ การจำแนกชนิดวาฬมีฟันจากแหล่งโบราณคดีนั้น ยังคงมีข้อจำกัดในเรื่องของชนิดและจำนวน ตัวอย่างอ้างอิงที่นำมาใช้เป็นดัชนีในการศึกษาทางสัณฐานวิทยาเชิงเปรียบเทียบ ด้วยเหตุดังกล่าว การศึกษาวิจัยได้พยายามสร้างเกณฑ์ในการจำแนกชนิดตามลำดับอนุกรมวิธานโดยใช้กระดูกสันหลังส่วนคอชั้นที่ ๑ และชั้นที่ ๒ ของตัวอย่างวาฬมีฟันปัจจุบันที่พบในนาน้ำญี่ปุ่นด้วยวิธีการวิเคราะห์ทางสถิติแบบจำแนกประเภทเพื่อประยุกต์ใช้ในการจำแนกชนิดวาฬมีฟันจากหลักฐานกระดูกสันหลังส่วนคอชั้นที่ ๑ และชั้นที่ ๒ ที่พบจากแหล่งโบราณคดีของญี่ปุ่นในสมัยวัฒนธรรมโจมงตอนต้น (ประมาณ ๕,๐๐๐ ปีมาแล้ว) และวัฒนธรรมโอคอตสก์ (ระหว่างพุทธศตวรรษที่ ๑๐ – ๑๘ โดยประมาณ)

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# CHAPTER 1

## GENERAL INTRODUCTION

In this chapter, an overview of prehistoric exploitation and cultural significance of cetaceans (baleen and toothed whales), with a focusing on odontocetes (toothed whales) in particular, as a key marine resource are explored. Furthermore, a problem of research in archaeological remains of cetaceans is addressed and discussed along with the proposed method of the discriminant function analysis (DFA) with the aiming to facilitate the identification of toothed whale species in zooarchaeological specimens.

### **1.1 Prehistoric exploitation and cultural significance of odontocetes (toothed whale) in archaeological context**

Cetaceans have long been exploited as a key marine resource for subsistence by coastal communities in many parts of the world since prehistoric times (Savelle & Ishigami, 2013; Bernal-Casasola et al., 2016; Rodrigues et al., 2016; Evans & Mulville, 2018). The archaeological oldest evidence dates back to a late Middle Pleistocene cave site in South Africa by the presence of an isolated whale barnacle compartment that regarded as the indirect evidence of human consumption of a baleen whale (Marean et al., 2007; Collareta et al., 2017) whereas studies on Neanderthals at different sites across Gibraltar providing the earliest direct evidences of marine mammals exploitation (i.e. Stringer et al., 2008).

Evidence of the use of cetaceans by coastal communities on all inhabited continents and archipelagos has been derived from the accumulation of cetacean remains in excavated archaeofaunal assemblages (e.g. Higham & Thosarat, 1998; Sawada et al., 2011; Gruwier, 2017) or the presence of parasitic whale barnacles in archaeological sites, implying meat-processing and blubber rendering at inland locations (Jerardino & Parkington, 1993; Smith, 1993; Kendell & Conrad, 2003). Symbolic representations of cetacean imagery also exist in the form of figurines and effigies (e.g. Yamaura, 1998; Cameron, 2000) or natural rocks bearing resemblance to cetaceans, known as manuports (Koerper et al., 2014). Cetaceans and whaling scenes are also depicted as petroglyphs and pictographs (e.g. Khemnak, 1996; Yamaura, 1998; Lee & Robineau, 2004; Ballestre, 2018), as well as engravings on various household items, such as needle cases, spoon handles, spindle whorls, and pendants (Yamaura, 1998; Kasuya, 2017). These artifacts provide evidence of the strong human–cetacean relationship, in terms of economy and symbolic value in time and space.

Cetaceans provided communities with bone, meat, and oil including blubber, for food and biofuel resources (Monks, 2001; Higgs et al., 2011). Furthermore, they also provided sources of raw material for carvings, ornamentation, and the manufacture of architectural elements (e.g. Savelle, 1997; Mulville, 2002; Schuhmacher et al., 2013). Ideologies related to whaling ceremonialism and whale cults also existed (e.g. Ohba & Ohyi, 1976; Yamaura, 1998), as well as mortuary elements associated with burial practices (Guia-Ramirez, 2014; Roca & Inglesia, 2014). The human exploitation of cetaceans has encompassed the scavenging of naturally stranded dead or live

individuals, low-level opportunistic hunting, organized whaling (Whitridge, 2000; Savelle, 2005; Savelle & Kishigami, 2013; Rodrigues et al., 2016), or even a combination of different strategies (Wellman et al., 2017). These different forms of exploitation undeniably contributed to both primary and supplementary subsistence and the lifestyle of prehistoric coastal communities. As a result, cetacean remains have accumulated to varying degrees in archaeological sites.

## **1.2 Research in archaeological remains of cetaceans**

Cetacean bones found in archaeological deposits tend to be highly fragmented, beyond visual recognition, due to excessive processing, modification, and their friability. However, it is possible to distinguish them from other terrestrial and marine mammals based on their unique cancellous texture (Porcasi & Fujita, 2000). This cancellous structure characterized by a thin cortical layer and moderate to low overall density, is the result of their adaptation to a fully aquatic lifestyle (Cozzi et al., 2017; Gray et al., 2007).

However, the remains of cetaceans in archaeological sites are sometimes difficult to identify at the species level due to the very similar morphology of some different species and the significant sexual dimorphism within some species (Murray, 2008; Evans & Mulville, 2018). Remains fragmented beyond visual recognition are often subjected to molecular techniques (Buckley et al., 2014; Evans et al., 2016; Speller et al., 2016; Wellman et al., 2017). It is possible to identify some long bones, mandibles, and skull in some baleen whale, (Murray, 2008: S42), while teeth, tympanic bones, and skull are well suited for identifying toothed whale species (Evans & Mulville, 2018). These bones have

been successfully used to identify cetacean species from archaeological sites (Castilho, 2008; Castilho & Lopes, 2008; Colten, 2015; McMillan, 2015; Cooke et al., 2016; Kasuya, 2017).

Previous studies on the morphometrics of the thoracic, lumbar, and caudal vertebrae have also provided insights into species identification (Wang, 1984; Buchholtz and Schur, 2004; Cooke et al., 2016; Evans & Mulville, 2018). However, the cervical vertebrae, especially the first two cervical vertebrae (atlas and axis), are less frequently used. Unlike that of other mammals, the atlas vertebra of cetaceans does not have a massive centrum but forms a ring that rotates around an odontoid process on the axis vertebra (Marx et al., 2016). The centrum of the atlas and axis usually fuses together in most cetaceans (balaenids, neobalaenids, and odontocetes), with some exceptions (e.g. Rommel, 1990; Berta et al., 2015; Cozzi et al., 2017). Although comparative morphological descriptions and illustrations of the atlas and axis vertebrae of different taxa of cetaceans have been provided (e.g. Gray 1864a, 1864b) and the atlas and axis vertebrae have a species-specific morphology in baleen whales (Murray, 2008), their potential for distinguishing toothed whale species (dolphins and porpoises) has rarely been explored (but see also Pilleri and Gahr, 1974; Kongthaworn, 2007).

### **1.3 A summary of thesis structure**

This thesis comprises of four main chapters and is summarized as followed:

*Chapter One* provides an overview of prehistoric exploitation and cultural significance of toothed whale species and addresses the problem of research in

archaeological remains of cetaceans along with proposed method of the discriminant function analysis (DFA) approach and the scope of the study.

*Chapter Two* presents the results and discussion on the taxonomic identification criteria based on the atlas and axis vertebrae of modern toothed whale species, using DFA.

*Chapter Three* presents the results and discussion on the species classification of archaeological atlas and axis vertebrae applying the established taxonomic identification criteria.

*Chapter Four* provides discussion over the species exploitation and distribution in the past based on the overall results and discussion further on application of DFA-based identification in zooarchaeological toothed whale atlas and axis vertebrae: contribution to researches, limitation, and implication for future studies.

## CHAPTER 2

### APPLYING DFA-BASED CLASSIFICATION TO MODERN REFERENCE ATLAS AND AXIS VERTEBRAE OF TOOTHED WHALE SPECIES

#### 2.1 INTRODUCTION

This study aims in attempt to investigate the atlas and axis vertebrae of toothed whale for species identification of zooarchaeological specimens using canonical DFA in order to understand the species exploitation and distribution in the past.

It should be noted that at the beginning of this study, it was primary focused on the analysis of atlas and axis vertebrae of toothed whale recovered from Okhotsk Kafukai-1 site. Thus, the specimens were chosen to include those species that were expected to be found in the seas around Hokkaido, based on Ohdachi et al. (2015) and Matsuishi (*pers. comm.*). Except for sperm whale (*Physeter macrocephalus*) as none of the zooarchaeological specimens used in this study showed any comparative size to those of this species. However, these selected specimens were already included those species that had been previously identified from early Jomon Mawaki and Mibiki sites. Moreover, finless porpoises (*Neophocaena phocaenoides*) were also added, with the aim of covering a range of species within the family Phocoenidae.

The content of Chapter 2 is already published in Thongcharoenchaikit and Eda (2020).

#### 2.2 MATERIALS AND METHODS

### **2.2.1 Modern reference samples**

To establish identification criteria for atlas and axis vertebrae of toothed whales at different taxonomic levels, modern specimens of known species from the National Museum of Nature and Science (NMNS), Tsukuba, Ibaraki, and the Hokkaido University Museum (HOUM), Sapporo, Hokkaido, were measured (Table 2.1 and Figure 2.1). Specimens were preferably physically mature, regardless of whether sex was known. At least 10 specimens of each species were intended to be measured, but availability of specimens was limited to that in the museum collections. In total, 173 modern toothed whale specimens were measured.

### **2.2.2 Morphometric discrimination of the atlas and axis vertebrae of modern toothed whales**

A set of 13 linear measurements (Figure 2.2) was applied to the vertebral specimens. Of these, five measurements were based on those described by Perrin (1975), with eight new measurements being included for the partially preserved archaeological specimen (Table 2.2). All measurements were taken once and recorded to the nearest 0.01 mm using a digital caliper.

Statistical analyses were conducted using the statistical software SPSS Statistics version 26 (IBM, U.S.A.) to assess variation in the hierarchical system of taxonomic classification. All data were log transformed before conducting the analyses. DFA was used to discriminate the shape and size of the atlas and axis vertebrae at different taxonomic levels for the modern specimens. Before the DFA, homogeneity of covariance

matrices of each group was measured, using Box's M test. Because the Box's M test found significant differences among covariance matrices in each group, or could not be performed due to fewer than two non-singular group covariance matrices, canonical DFA was conducted for all of the group discriminations. The relative contributions of each of the 13 measurements to each canonical DFA are presented in each case. To check the robustness of the data, cross-validation was conducted for each case in the dataset, and the percentage of total cases correctly assigned to a known group and individual was reported as the 'correct classification rate'.

Modern specimens were classified following the systematics of Perrin (1989), with some current amendments in nomenclature as referred to in the Society for Marine Mammalogy (<https://marinemammalscience.org/>) (Figure 2.3): superfamily level (Delphinoidea, Hyperoodontidae, Physeteroidea), family level (Phocoenidae, Delphinidae, Hyperoodontidae, Kogiidae), and subfamily level (Lissodelphinae, Globicephalinae, Delphininae, Phocoeninae, Phocoenoidinae). Specimens were classified separately at the subfamily level for each family (Delphinidae, Phocoenidae). Moreover, specimens were also classified separately at the species level for each family (Kogiidae, Phocoenidae, Hyperoodontidae) and subfamily (Globicephalinae, Delphininae, Phocoeninae).

## **2.3 RESULTS**

### **2.3.1 SUPERFAMILY CLASSIFICATION: Delphinoidea, Physeteroidea, and Ziphioidae**

At the superfamily level, Box's M test showed significant differences between the covariance matrices (Box's M = 1412.09,  $F \cong 5.53$ ,  $df_1 = 182$ ,  $df_2 = 6008.24$ ,  $P < 0.001$ ). In the canonical DFA (Wilk's lambda = 0.005, Chi-square = 734.45,  $P < 0.001$ ), the correct classification rate was 97.1% (Table 2.3), and 98.0% of the variation in the data was explained by the first canonical discriminant function (Table 2.4). The classification functions are presented in Table 2.5. The correct classification rate for Delphinoidea and Physeteroidea was 100.0% and for Ziphiidea was 81.5% (Table 2.3). A canonical discriminant function plot showed that Delphinoidea was clearly separated from Physeteroidea and Ziphiidea (Figure 2.4). There was some overlap between Physeteroidea and Ziphiidea for both functions; however, Physeteroidea was the most tightly clustered group.

### **2.3.2 FAMILY CLASSIFICATION: Delphinidae, Phocoenidae, Kogiidae, and Hyperoodontidae**

At the family level, Box's M test showed significant differences between the covariance matrices (Box's M = 1624.68,  $F \cong 4.41$ ,  $df_1 = 273$ ,  $df_2 = 10786.87$ ,  $P < 0.001$ ). In the canonical DFA (Wilk's lambda = 0.002, Chi-square = 829.08,  $P < 0.001$ ), the overall correct classification rate was 89.6% (Table 2.6), and the first two canonical discriminant functions described 96.6% and 2.5% of variance, respectively (Table 2.7). The classification functions are presented in Table 2.8. The correct classification rate for Kogiidae was 100.0% (Table 2.6). A canonical discriminant function plot showed that Delphinidae and Phocoenidae overlapped considerably, while being clearly separated

from Hyperoodontidae and Kogiidae, which had a small overlap along the first function (Figure 2.5).

### **2.3.3 SUBFAMILY CLASSIFICATION: Lissodelphinae, Globicephalinae, Delphininae, Phocoeninae, and Phocoenoidinae**

At the subfamily level, BOX'S M showed significant differences between the covariance matrices (Box's  $M = 737.524$ ,  $F \cong 2.72$ ,  $df1 = 182$ ,  $df2 = 5547.19$ ,  $P < 0.001$ ). In the canonical DFA (Wilk's  $\lambda = 0.021$ , Chi-squared = 380.69,  $P < 0.001$ ), the overall correct classification rate was 78.9% (Table 2.9), and the first two canonical discriminant functions described 67.3% and 22.5% of the variance, respectively (Table 2.10). The classification functions are presented in Table 2.11. With the exception of Phocoeninae (59.3%) and Phocoenoidinae (60.0%), the correct classification rate for each subfamily was high, especially for Globicephalinae (94.7%) and Lissodelphinae (90.0%), followed by Delphininae (86.0%) (Table 2.9). A canonical discriminant function plot showed that Lissodelphinae was clearly discriminated from the other subfamilies along the first function (Figure 2.6). Globicephalinae overlapped the least with all other groups, which showed considerable overlap with one another.

### **2.3.4 SUBFAMILY CLASSIFICATION**

#### *2.3.4.1 FAMILY DELPHINIDAE: Lissodelphinae, Delphininae, and Globicephalinae*

At the subfamily level within Family Delphinidae, Box's M showed significant

differences between the covariance matrices (Box's  $M = 365.353$ ,  $F \cong 2.69$ ,  $df_1 = 91$ ,  $df_2 = 2894.83$ ,  $df = 26$ ,  $P < 0.001$ ). In the canonical DFA (Wilk's lambda = 0.052, Chi-squared = 215.22,  $P < 0.001$ ), an overall correct classification rate of 91.9% was obtained (Table 2.12). The first two discriminant functions described most of the variance, with 77.9% and 22.1%, respectively (Table 2.13). The classification functions are presented in Table 2.14. The correct classification rate for each subfamily group within Delphinidae was considerably high, especially for Lissodelphinae (100.0%), whereas Delphininae was also high (94.7%), and Globicephalinae had the lowest correct classification (89.5%; Table 2.12). The combined-groups plot of the canonical discriminant functions showed that Delphininae and Globicephalinae were clearly separated along the first function, whereas Lissodelphinae slightly overlapped with the other two along the second canonical discriminant function (Figure 2.7).

#### *2.3.4.2 FAMILY PHOCOENIDAE: Phocoeninae and Phocoenoidinae*

No Box's  $M$  test could be performed for the subfamily within Family Phocoenidae. In the canonical DFA (Wilk's lambda = 0.110, Chi-squared = 40.82,  $df=13$ ,  $P < 0.001$ ), an overall correct classification rate of 85.7% was achieved (Table 2.15). The percentage of variance accounted for was 100.0% (Table 2.16). The classification function is presented in Table 2.17. Phocoenoidinae had the highest rate of correct classification (86.7%), while Phocoeninae was also usually correctly classified (85.2%; Table 2.15). The separate-groups plot of the canonical discriminant function showed no overlap, and these two groups were clearly separated (Figure 2.8).

## 2.3.5 SPECIES LEVEL CLASSIFICATION

### 2.3.5.1 WITHIN SUBFAMILY DELPHININAE

No Box's M test could be performed at the species-level within the subfamily Delphininae. In the canonical DFA (Wilk's lambda = 0.006, Chi-squared = 229.34, df = 52,  $P < 0.001$ ), an overall correct classification rate of 84.2% was achieved (Table 2.18). The first four canonical discriminant functions explained most of the between-species variance, with 66.8%, 19.6%, 10.4%, and 3.2%, respectively (Table 2.19). The classification functions are presented in Table 2.20. The correct classification rate for individual species was 100.0% for the striped dolphin (*Stenella coeruleoalba*), 92.9% for the Pacific white-sided dolphin (Latin name), and 80.0% for Risso's dolphin (*Grampus griseus*), whereas the common bottlenose dolphin (*Tursiops truncatus*) and the short-beaked common dolphin (*Delphinus delphis*) had the lowest rate (72.7%; Table 2.18). A canonical discriminant function plot showed that Risso's dolphin was clearly discriminated from others along the first canonical discriminant function (Figure 2.9).

### 2.3.5.2 WITHIN SUBFAMILY GLOBICEPHALINAE

No Box's M test could be performed at the species-level within the subfamily Globicephalinae. The canonical DFA (Wilk's lambda = 0.001, Chi-squared = 60.28, df = 24,  $P < 0.001$ ) produced the lowest percentage of correct classification (68.4%; Table 2.21). The first canonical discriminant function of all three species described 93.9% of the variation in the data (Table 2.22). The classification functions are presented in Table 2.23. The correct identification rate for individual species was highest in the killer whale (*Orcinus orca*) (100.0%), lowest in the false killer whale (*Pseudorca crassidens*) (66.7%),

and negligible for the short-finned pilot whale (*Globicephalas macrorhynchus*) (Table 2.21). A canonical discriminant function plot showed that all three species overlapped along the first canonical discriminant function (Figure 2.10).

#### *2.3.5.3 WITHIN SUBFAMILY PHOCOENINAE*

No Box's M test could be performed at the species level within subfamily Phocoeninae. The canonical DFA (Wilk's lambda = 0.005, Chi-squared = 45.77, df = 13,  $P < 0.001$ ) produced a correct classification rate of 96.3% (Table 2.24). The percentage of variance was 100.0% (Table 2.25). The classification function is presented in Table 2.26. The finless porpoise had a correct classification rate of 100.0%, with the harbor porpoise (*Phocoena phocoena*) at 93.6% (Table 2.24). These two species overlapped slightly (Figure 2.11).

#### *2.3.5.4 WITHIN FAMILY PHOCOENIDAE*

No Box's M test could be performed at the species level within family Phocoenidae. The canonical DFA (Wilk's lambda = 0.006, Chi-squared = 90.69, df = 26,  $P < 0.001$ ) gave an overall correct classification rate of 85.7% (Table 2.27). The first canonical discriminant function explained most of the between-species variance (89.6%; Table 2.28). The classification functions are presented in Table 2.29. The correct identification rate for individual species was 100.0% for finless porpoise, and lowest for harbor porpoise at 85.7% (Table 2.27). Dall's porpoise (*Phocoenoides dalli*) and finless porpoise were clearly separated along the first canonical variate, but both overlapped with harbor

porpoises, as shown by the canonical discriminant function plot (Figure 2.2).

#### 2.3.5.5 WITHIN FAMILY HYPEROODONTIDAE

No Box's M test could be performed at the species level within family Hyperoodontidae. In the canonical DFA (Wilk's lambda = 0.001, Chi-squared = 82.24, df = 39, P < 0.001), an overall correct classification rate of 74.1% (Table 2.30) was obtained. The first canonical discriminant function explained most of the between-species variance (93.6%; Table 2.31). The classification functions are presented in Table 2.32. The correct identification rate for individual species was the highest for Cuvier's beaked whale (*Ziphius cavirostris*) at 91.7%, was lowest for Hubbs' beaked whale (*Mesoplodon carlhubbsi*) at 66.7%, and negligible for Baird's beaked whale (*Berardius bairdii*) (Table 2.30). Baird's beaked whale and Cuvier's beaked whale were clearly separated from both Hubbs' beaked whale and Stejneger's beaked whale (*Mesoplodon stejnegeri*) which overlapped, as shown by the combined-group plot of the canonical discriminant functions in Figure 2.13.

#### 2.3.5.6 WITHIN FAMILY KOGIIDAE

At present, there are only two extant species in family Kogiidae. Both belong to the genus *Kogia*, namely, the dwarf sperm whale (*Kogia sima*) and the pygmy sperm whale (*Kogia breviceps*). Although no Box's M test could be performed, the canonical DFA gave a correct classification rate of 100.0% (Table 2.33). Moreover, there was also 100.0% variance accounted for (Table 2.34). The classification function is presented in Table

2.35. Species were clearly discriminated (Figure 2.14).

## **2.4 DISCUSSION**

### **2.4.1 Morphological differences of the atlas and axis vertebrae of toothed whales**

The DFA approach revealed morphological differences in the atlas and axis vertebrae of modern toothed whales in a hierarchical classification system, and the successful classification rate was 97.1% at the superfamily level, 86.9% at the family level, and 78.9% at the subfamily level. The most successful classification (100.0%) at the superfamily level was that of the superfamily Delphinoidea and superfamily Physeteroidea. At the family level, 100.0% DFA classification was obtained for family Kogiidae, with the classification of the other families also being high (over 80.0%), except for Phocoenidae (73.8%). Canonical DFA classification at the subfamily level was also high for the subfamilies Globicephalinae (97.7%) and Lissodelphinidae (90.0%). Three subfamilies in the family Delphinidae (91.2%) and two subfamilies in the family Phocoenidae (85.7%) also had high correct classification rates. These results suggest that using DFA on the measurements of the atlas and axis of toothed whales is useful for taxonomic identification at the family level and higher.

At the species level, this approach was particularly successful (100.0% correct identification) at predicting the taxonomic affiliation for the following species: striped dolphin, killer whale, finless porpoise, dwarf sperm whale, and pygmy sperm whale. In addition, at the subfamily level within family Delphinidae, Lissodelphinae, represented by the northern right whale dolphin (*Lissodelphis borealis*), also showed the highest success

rate (100.0%). High correct identification rates (80.0–99.0%) were also obtained for the Pacific white-sided dolphin (92.9%), Cuvier's beaked whale (91.7%), Dall's porpoise (86.5%), and Risso's dolphin (80.0%). This suggests that DFA is also effective for species level identification in these 10 species. Lower identification (less than 80.0%) was obtained for harbor porpoises (75.0%), common bottlenose dolphins (72.7%), short-beaked common dolphins (72.7%), Stejneger's beaked whale (70.0%), Hubbs' beaked whale (66.7%), and false killer whales (66.7%). The lowest rates were obtained for the short-finned pilot whale and Baird's beaked whale, which were misclassified as other species. These low identification rates are attributed to the morphological similarity of the atlas and axis vertebrae of the short-finned pilot whale and false killer whale, and of Baird's beaked whale and Cuvier's beaked whale, making differentiation difficult. The small sample sizes of the short-finned pilot whale ( $n = 3$ ) and Baird's beaked whale ( $n = 2$ ) might have contributed to the low identification success. Future studies with larger sample sizes and more measurement points are required to increase the correct classification rate for the identification of these species.

#### **2.4.2 Archaeological implication of DFA-based identification to zooarchaeological specimens**

Cooke et al. (2016) attempted to identify delphinid thoracic, lumbar, and caudal vertebrae from archaeofaunal remains using a combination of morphological and morphometric analyses. However, the study failed to distinguish between *Stenella* spp. and Pacific white-sided dolphin vertebrae owing to their morphological similarities. The

DFA-based approach developed here clearly distinguished the Pacific white-sided dolphin from the striped dolphin (*Stenella coeruleoalba*). This suggests the possibility that the atlas and axis vertebrae are more useful for distinguishing different species of toothed whales in comparison with other vertebrae of cetaceans. So far, taxonomic variation in the atlas and axis vertebrae has been found in some of the toothed whale genera: Pilleri and Gahr (1974) showed morphological differences between the Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin (*Tursiops aduncus*) and common bottlenose dolphin (*Tursiops truncatus*), while Kongthaworn (2007) detected morphological differences in three *Stenella* species. These results demonstrate that there are sufficient morphological variations in the atlas and axis vertebrae of a wider range of toothed whales, and that the DFA approach is useful for distinguishing between higher taxonomic groups and, in some cases, even between closely related species.

## CHAPTER 3

### APPLYING DFA-BASED CLASSIFICATION TO ZOOARCHAEOLOGICAL ATLAS AND AXIS VERTEBRAE OF TOOTHED WHALE SPECIES

#### 3.1 INTRODUCTION

Cetacean bones have been excavated from many coastal archaeological sites throughout Japan, in particularly from Jomon period. These sites ranging from north to south; Higashi-kushiro (Kushiro, Hokkaido), Irie (Abuta, Hokkaido), Natagiri (Tateyama, Kanagawa), Idokawa (Ito, Shizuoka), Asahi (Himi, Toyama), and Mawaki (Noto, Ishikawa) (Kasuya, 2017). Of those, numerous harbor porpoises were identified from bone fragments of cetaceans at Higashi-kushiro site, whereas numerous Pacific white-sided dolphins and a false-killer whale were identified at Irie site. Furthermore, some finless porpoises and a harbor porpoise were identified at Miyashita site, whereas numerous common dolphins and pilot whales were identified at Natagiri site. Moreover, Pacific white-sided dolphins, common bottlenose dolphins, common dolphins, and bottlenose dolphins were identified at Shomyoji site, and skulls of six common dolphins was found along with other terrestrial mammals were found at Idokawa site (Kasuya, 2017).

Here, atlas and axis vertebral elements identified from cetacean bone assemblages of three archaeological sites were examined. Two sites were from early Jomon period, whereas the other was from Okhotsk period.

***Early Jomon Mawaki site*** is located on the east coast of the Noto Peninsula in central Japan (Figure 3.1). Excavation in 1983 and 1984 yielded a large number of

toothed whale remains, accounting for at least 286 individuals in one stratum associated with a village and a ceremonial complex occurring within the late early to earliest middle sequence of the Jomon period, dated to approximately 5,000 years BP (Sevelle and Ishikami, 2013; Takada and Takemura, 2016). The samples are currently curated by Mawaki Ruins Jomon Museum (MRJM).

Six species of toothed whale has been identified from the site, namely Pacific white-sided dolphin, short-beaked common dolphin, common bottlenose dolphin, false killer whale, short-finned pilot whale, and Risso's dolphin (Takada and Takemura, 2016) with an addition of unknown species of ziphiids (beaked whale) and balaenopterid (Miyazaki, 1986). Based on the morphological observation of cervical vertebrae, Pacific white-sided dolphin and short-beaked common dolphin were common (accounted for 143 individuals), followed by bottlenose dolphins, a pilot whale, and a Risso's dolphin (Kasuya, 2017) only the results are shown without any identification criteria. Similar result was obtained from species identification results on skull and mandible and the number of Pacific white-sided dolphins and short-beaked common dolphins were the highest, followed by a smaller number of bottlenose dolphins (Kasuya, 2017). Most of identified species are distributed around the Noto Peninsula, except for short-beaked common dolphin that occurs mainly off the Pacific coast of Japan north of the Izu Peninsula (Ohdachi et al., 2015).

In the absence of detachable harpoon head or barbed lance in the archaeological assemblage led to the assumption that the people of the early Jomon Mawaki site probably drove the toothed whale into the bay and slaughtered them using the stone

lances (Kasuya, 2017; Takada and Takemura, 2016), as some of which were inserted in the bone. In addition, a partially preserved symbol carved wooden pole (2.52 m in length; 45 cm in max. dia.) was associated with a large number of toothed whale remains (<http://mawakiiseki.jp/sculpture.html>) suggesting evidence of ritual treatment of toothed whale remains (Savelle & Kishigami, 2013) in the way that similar to Iyomante (bear-spirit-sending ritual/bear festival) in the Ainu Culture (<http://mawakiiseki.jp/sculpture.html>).

**Early Jomon Mibiki site** is also located on the east coast of the Noto Peninsula in central Japan (Figure 3.2). Archaeological excavation during 1995 and 1999 yielded 1,542 whale remains (Hiraguchi, 2004; 2005). Four species of toothed whale has been identified from the archaeofaunal assemblage based on traditional morphological analysis, with short-beaked common dolphin (N=100) was commonly identified, followed by common bottlenose dolphin (N=59), Pacific white-sided dolphin (N=41), and false killer whale (N=2) (Hiraguchi, 2004; 2005). Most of identified species coincided with the modern distribution around the Noto Peninsula, except for short-beaked common dolphin (Ohdachi et al., 2015). Considering that the excavation area of the Mibiki site was relatively large and the layers that containing faunal remains was thick, it is unlikely that dolphins were frequently hunted in the sea nearby the site, although more than 1,500 dolphin bones were recovered from the Mibiki site (Hiraguchi, 2004). Rather, it seems likely that the people of the Mibiki site in the early Jomon Period occasionally captured a small number of stranded toothed whale into the nearby (not the closest) sea and brought disarticulated toothed whale to the site (Hiraguchi, 2005). The samples are currently curated by Ishikawa Archaeological Foundation (IAF).

**Okhotsk Kafukai-1 site** is located at the mouth of the Kafukai River on the east coast of Rebun Island of northern Hokkaido (Figure 3.3). The samples are currently curated by The Hokkaido University Museum (HOUM). The island is located in the northeastern Sea of Japan near the southwest opening of the Okhotsk Sea. The Okhotsk Culture flourished in Sakhalin, Hokkaido, and the Kuril Islands of Northeast Asia during the 5<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> centuries AD (Amano, 2003). Analysis of faunal assemblage excavated from the site demonstrated that subsistence activities tended to rely on marine rather than land resources and that fishing was more relatively important than sea mammal exploitation and sea-urchin fishery in subsistence (Ohba and Ohyi, 1976). Although the fur seal (*Callorhinus ursinus*) was the most commonly identified of all marine mammal remains from the site, eleven species of cetacean have also been identified. Seven of these are toothed whale, namely Pacific white-sided dolphin (N=11), harbor porpoise (N=4), Dall's porpoise (N=5), pilot whale (*Globicephala melas*; N=25), false killer whale (N=5), sperm whale (N=2), and ziphiids (N=1). Four species of baleen whale was also identified, namely sei whale (N=1), humpback whale (N=6), minke whale (N=1), and North Pacific right whale (N=2) ((Ohba and Ohyi, 1976; Kasuya, 2017). Many of these were found in almost every strata, particularly Pacific white-sided dolphin and pilot whale in which the latter was the commonly identified. Although most identified species coincided with the modern distribution in the seas around Rebun Island, some rarely occur in both the Sea of Japan and the Sea of Okhotsk such as sei whale and sperm whale. The distribution of false killer whale is northern limit at Hokkaido, this species is more

commonly found in the south (Ohdachi et al. 2015). Whereas pilot whale has been local extinct from the western North Pacific (Kasuya, 1975).

Most of cetacean bones were largely modified into bone tools, with an exception of the seven skulls of pilot whales and a skull of Pacific white-sided dolphin, including the lower jaw of false killer whale and some vertebrae of cetaceans arranging inside at the base of the stone piling structure suggesting some ritual ceremony for pilot whales caught (Ohba and Ohyi, 1976). Although some of cetacean remains may represent stranded animals, the people of the Okhotsk Culture at the site undoubtedly hunted cetaceans by hand harpoons as supported by bone artefacts found as well as the depiction of whaling scene and probably net engraved on the needle cases from the site.

In this chapter, established species classification criteria based on canonical DFA is applied to archaeological samples from three archaeological sites. The zooarchaeological specimens were identified using the classification functions of those modern reference species and archaeological implications of the results are discussed.

## **3.2 MATERIALS AND METHODS**

### **3.2.1 Zooarchaeological samples**

Cetacean bones identified as atlas and axis vertebrae of toothed whale were sorted out with preferably physically mature (see Pilleri and Gahr, 1974 for additional description of immature bone) and complete. However, as it is common in archaeofaunal assemblages consist of mostly broken bone fragments. Nearly complete specimens were taken into account. Thus, partially broken element which allowed, for at least any 5 out of

13 measurements could be taken were also included in the dataset. Thus, a total of 44 zooarchaeological samples were measured and included into the dataset (Table 3.1).

#### *3.2.1.1 Samples from early Jomon Mawaki site (N=28)*

A total number of 191 atlas and axis vertebrae of toothed whale were recovered from the site. Some of these were put out for display in the gallery of permanent exhibition of the museum. Thus, allowing four complete (M-3, M-20, M-28, and M-69) specimens and other twenty nearly complete atlas and axis vertebrae of mature toothed whale to be sorted out, measured, and included in the data set (Figure 3.4).

#### *3.2.1.2 Samples from early Jomon Mibiki site (N=7)*

A total number of 16 atlas and axis vertebrae of toothed whale was recovered from the site. Mostly broken bone fragments with only one was an exceptionally complete specimen (No. 159) including other six nearly complete atlas and axis vertebrae of mature toothed whale that allowing the samples to be sorted out, measured, and included in the data set (Figure 3.5).

#### *3.2.1.3 Samples from Okhotsk Kafukai-1 site (N=9)*

A total number of 15 atlas and axis vertebrae of toothed whale was recovered from the site. Among these, only one was a complete (RKA18142) atlas and axis vertebrae of mature toothed whale whereas other eight were nearly complete specimens which were sorted out, measured, and included in the data set (Figure 3.6).

### **3.2.2 Sample measurements**

Following the modern reference specimens, a set of 13 linear measurements (Table 2.2 and Figure 2.2) were applied to the selected zooarchaeological samples and taken on the right side in case of bilateral measurement (except for LLeftLtPA) with antimeres substituted in the case of missing data. All measurements were taken once and recorded to the nearest 0.01 mm using a digital caliper. All measuring data was presented in Table 3.2

### **3.2.3 Data analysis**

To identify the species of toothed whale from complete zooarchaeological specimens, all the modern atlas and axis vertebrae measurements were included in the analysis in order to establish discriminant functions and classification functions. On the other hand, for partially broken zooarchaeological specimens, any measurements that could not be taken on each sample were also excluded from the data set of modern reference specimens. Box's M test was used to measure homogeneity of covariance matrices of each group. Because the homogeneity of covariance matrices of each group was rejected or Box's M test could not be performed due to fewer than two non-singular group covariance matrices, canonical DFA was conducted for all of the group discriminations. All data were log transformed before conducting the analyses. Box's M test and DFA were conducted using the statistical software SPSS Statistics version 26 (IBM, U.S.A.).

Samples were classified following the systematics of Perrin (1989) as shown in the Chapter 2: superfamily level (Delphinoidea, Hyperoodontidae, Physeteroidea), family level (Phocoenidae, Delphinidae, Hyperoodontidae, Kogiidae), subfamily level (Lissodelphinae, Globicephalinae, Delphininae, Phocoeninae, Phocoenoidinae), and species level. Thus, DFA-based classification proved to be robust, if each sample was correctly clustered with each known group at each taxonomic level. To check the robustness of the data, cross-validation was conducted for each case in the dataset, and the percentage of total cases correctly assigned to a known group and individual was reported as the 'correct classification rate', and these were summarized and presented in Table 3.3. Thus, DFA-based classification proved to be robust, with sample being correctly clustered with each known group at each taxonomic level.

### **3.3 RESULTS**

Summary of DFA-based classification results of zooarchaeological samples are presented and divided by site. Details were described as followed:

#### **3.3.1 Early Jomon Mawaki zooarchaeological samples**

At the species level classification, seven species of toothed whale were identified in the atlas and axis vertebrae of the early Jomon Mawaki site: Pacific white-sided dolphin (N=8), striped dolphin (N=6), northern right whale dolphin (N=4), Dall's porpoise (N=3), Risso's dolphin (N=3), short-beaked common dolphin (N=2), and common bottlenose dolphin (N=2). Following the hierarchical classification scheme, the canonical DFA of the zooarchaeological sample revealed correct taxonomic affiliation at every level for 20 of

the 28 samples (Table 3.3). M-54 (assigned to common bottlenose dolphin with seven measurements) had the highest correct classification rate (72.3%) at species level whereas M-21 (assigned to Pacific white-sided dolphin with nine measurements) had the lowest (59.0%). More than 70% correct classification rate at species level were also obtained in 14 samples whereas correct classification rate between 60.0 – 70.0% were obtained in 12 samples.

### **3.3.2 Early Jomon Mibiki site zooarchaeological samples**

At the species level classification, four species of toothed whale were identified in the atlas and axis vertebrae of the early Jomon Mawaki site: Pacific white-sided dolphin (N=2), striped dolphin (N=1), Risso's dolphin (N=2), and Dall's porpoise (N=2).

Following the hierarchical classification scheme, canonical DFA of the zooarchaeological sample revealed correct taxonomic affiliation at every level for most of the samples (N=5). While No.159 (assigned to Pacific white-sided dolphin with 13 measurements) had the highest rate for species-level classification, No. 495 (assigned to striped dolphin with six measurements) obtained the lowest rate (52.0%). Five other samples obtained high correct identification rate at species level ranging between 60.0 – 70.0%.

### **3.3.3 Okhotsk Kafukai-1 site zooarchaeological samples**

At the species level classification, five species of toothed whale were identified in the atlas and axis vertebrae of the Okhotsk Kafukai-1 site: Pacific white-sided dolphin

(N=3), short-finned pilot whale (N=2), false killer whale (N=1), short-beaked common dolphin (N=1), and harbor porpoise (N=2).

Following the hierarchical classification scheme, the canonical DFA of the zooarchaeological sample revealed correct taxonomic affiliation at every level for most of the samples (N=6). Among these, the highest rate (71.10%) for species-level classification was obtained for RKA17138 (assigned to pacific white-sided dolphin with eight measurements) and RKA3690 (assigned to harbor porpoise with eight measurements). While most of samples obtained the rate between 60 – 70% (N=5), the classification rate for both RKA2047 (assigned to short-finned pilot whale with six measurements) and RKA2804 (assigned to false killer whale with six measurements) were lower than 60.0%.

### **3.4 DISCUSSION**

#### **3.4.1 Toothed whales exploited at early Jomon Mawaki**

At the species level classification, seven species of toothed whale were identified based on the atlas and axis vertebrae recovered from the site. Following the hierarchical classification scheme, the canonical DFA of the zooarchaeological sample revealed correct taxonomic affiliation at every level for 20 out of the 28 samples in total.

However, group membership classification for eight samples showed contradictions (Table 3.3). M-20 (Figure 3.4) and M-109 (Figure 3.5) were assigned to Dall's porpoise at species level. However, they were classified into Delphininae at subfamily level, Delphinidae at family level, and Delphinoidea at superfamily level,

showing consistency for oceanic dolphin. M-111 (Figure 3.6) was assigned to Dall's porpoise at species level and showed consistency in classification at family (Phocoenidae) and superfamily level (Delphinoidea), but was assigned to Delphininae at subfamily level. M-106 (Figure 3.7), M-91 (Figure 3.8), and M-5 (Figure 3.9) were assigned to northern right whale dolphin at species level and showed consistency in classification at family (Delphinidae) and superfamily level (Delphinoidea), but were assigned to Delphininae at subfamily level. M-3 (Figure 3.10) was assigned to short-beaked common dolphin and showed consistency in classification at subfamily (Delphininae) and superfamily level (Delphinoidea), but was assigned to Phocoenidae at family level. M-90 (Figure 3.11) was assigned to striped dolphin at species level and showed consistency in classification at subfamily (Delphininae) and superfamily level (Delphinoidea), but was assigned to Phocoenidae at family level.

These contradictions seem to be attribute to mensural overlap between Dall's porpoise and pacific white-sided dolphin in case of both M-20 and M-109, between subfamily Delphininae and Phocoenoidinae in case of M-111 and between subfamily Delphininae and Lissodelphinae in case of M-106, M-91, and M-5, and between family Delphinidae and Phocoenidae in case of both M-3 and M-90. Based on these data, M-20 and M-109 should be classified into Delphininae (subfamily-level); M-111 into Phocoenidae (family-level); and M-106, M-91, and M-5 into Delphinidae (family-level). Furthermore, due to the lowest rate of species-level classification in assigning to striped dolphin (59.0%), M-21 would be classified into Delphininae (subfamily-level).

In comparison to previous study of 28 zooarchaeological samples (Miyazaki, 1986), DFA-based classification and morphological-based identification were in accordance with Pacific white-sided dolphin (N=3), short-beaked common dolphin (N=2), and common bottlenose dolphin (N=1) (Table 3.6). This discrepancy between DFA-based classification and morphological-based identification highlights the difficulty in comparisons to be based on the morphological traits of a few individuals rather than multiple specimens of the same species with correct taxonomic affiliation at every level based on correct classification rate.

Moreover, DFA-based classification unexpectedly revealed the presence of three other species; striped dolphin, Dall's porpoise, and northern bottlenose dolphin, providing new evidence for range of toothed whale species exploited by early Jomon People at Mawaki archaeological site. Although Dall's porpoise is endemic and more common than striped dolphin in modern distribution around Noto Peninsula, the presence of only a single Dall's porpoise was more likely a result from stranding or by chance. As Kasuya (2017) noted that large-strong swimming Dall's porpoise could only be caught by hand harpoon method, not by drive-in fishery as commonly practiced by early Jomon People at Mawaki site due to its swimming in unpredictable way. Further analysis should ascertain whether one or multiple individuals were present at the site.

In addition, northern right whale dolphin is another rare species with no record of sightings and stranding from the Sea of Japan or the Sea of Okhotsk (Ohdachi et al., 2015). However, this highly gregarious species are often found in large schools and occasionally in association with many other species including commonly identified from

archaeological sites across Japan, including Pacific white-sided dolphins, Dall's porpoises, pilot whales and bottlenose dolphins (Ohdachi et al., 2015; Kasuya, 2017).

### **3.4.2 Toothed whales exploited at early Jomon Mibiki**

At the species level classification, four species of toothed whale were identified based on the atlas and axis vertebrae recovered from the site. Following the hierarchical classification scheme, the canonical DFA of the zooarchaeological sample revealed correct taxonomic affiliation at every level for four out of the seven samples in total.

In comparison to previous study of seven zooarchaeological samples (add reference), DFA-based classification and morphological-based identification were in accordance with only Pacific white-sided dolphin (N=1) (Table 3.6). Whereas DFA-based classification unexpectedly revealed the presence of another species; Risso's dolphin and a possibly Dall's porpoise providing new evidence for range of toothed whale species exploited by early Jomon People at Mibiki archaeological site apart from short-beaked common dolphin, common bottlenose dolphin, Pacific white-sided dolphin, and false killer whale.

However, group membership classification for No. 749 and No. 748 showed contradictions. No. 749 (Figure 3.12) was assigned to Dall's porpoise at species level but assigned to Delphininae (subfamily-level), Delphinidae (family-level), and Delphinoidea (superfamily-level), showing consistency for oceanic dolphin. No. 748 (Figure 3.13) was assigned to Dall's porpoise at species level, Phocoenidae (family-level), and Delphinoidea (superfamily-level) and showed consistency in classification for porpoise,

but was assigned to Delphininae at subfamily level.

These contradictions seem to be attribute to mensural overlap between Dall's porpoise and pacific white-sided dolphin in case of No. 749, and between subfamily Delphininae and Phocoenoidinae in case of No. 748.

In regarding to these, DFA-based classification on zooarchaeological samples would be best at subfamily-level classification for Delphininae, in case of No. 749. This should also be the same for No. 495, due to the lowest rate (52.0%) of species level classification in assigning to striped dolphin at species level. In case of No. 748, it would be best at family-level classification for Phocoenidae.

Based on results of canonical DFA, three species were assigned to early Jomon Mibiki zooarchaeological samples: Risso's dolphin, Pacific white-sided dolphin, and possibly porpoise.

### **3.4.3 Toothed whales exploited at Okhotsk Kafukai-1**

At the species level classification, five species of toothed whale were identified based on the atlas and axis vertebrae recovered from the site. All species (except for short-beaked common dolphin) were in accordance with previous analysis based on skull and ear bone elements (Ohba and Ohyi, 1976). Following the hierarchical classification scheme, the canonical DFA of the zooarchaeological sample revealed correct taxonomic affiliation at every level for six out of the nine samples in total.

However, group membership classification for three samples showed contradictions: RKA3690 (Figure 3.14) showed consistency in classification at subfamily

level (Phocoenoidinae), at family level (Phocoenidae), and at superfamily level (Delphinoidea) for Dall's porpoise, but was assigned to harbor porpoise at species level. RKA15283 (Figure 3.15) was assigned to harbor porpoise at species level and showed consistency in classification at family level (Phocoenidae) and at superfamily level (Delphinoidea), but was assigned to Delphininae at subfamily level. RKA5918 (Figure 3.16) was assigned to Pacific white-sided dolphin at species level and showed consistency in classification at subfamily level (Delphininae) and at superfamily level (Delphinoidea) for oceanic dolphin, but was assigned to Phocoenidae at subfamily level.

These contradictions seem to be attribute to mensural overlap between Dall's porpoise and harbor porpoise in case of RKA3690, between subfamily Delphininae and Phocoeninae in case of RKA15283, and between family Delphinidae and Phocoenidae in case of RKA5918.

In regarding to the low classification rate that produced at species-level classification for RKA2047 and RKA2804, DFA-based classification on zooarchaeological samples would be best at subfamily-level classification for Globicephalinae. Although there is more likely that short-finned pilot whale was present at the site due to its higher classification rate obtained for RKA3882 (68.80%), there is a need to increase the sample size by including more atlas and axis vertebral specimens of short-finned pilot whale into modern reference dataset.

Furthermore, there is also a need to include the atlas and axis vertebrae of long-finned pilot whale into the dataset. This species was previously identified based on the skulls from the Okhotsk Kafukai-1 site (Kasuya, 1975). However, it is regarded as locally

extinct from Japan Waters and thus no modern specimens available for study in Japan. Therefore, regarding these, RKA3882 should be best assigned to Globicephalinae at subspecies level.

DFA-based classification confirmed that in addition to the skulls, the atlas and axis vertebrae of Pacific white-sided dolphin, harbor porpoise, and possibly pilot whale and/or false killer whale were brought to the Kafukai villages for some reason as well. In addition, another species assigned to short-beaked common dolphin was also detected. This species is known from the Pacific coast of Shikoku to Hokkaido in modern distribution (Kasuya, 2017). However, the presence of only a single short-beaked common dolphin was more likely known from stranding or by chance. Further analysis should ascertain whether one or multiple individuals were present at the site.

Based on results of canonical DFA, two species were assigned to Okhotsk Kafukai-1 site zooarchaeological samples: Pacific white-sided dolphin and short-beaked common dolphin along with possibly porpoise (Phocoenid), and Globicephalinids.

In sum, the analysis of zooarchaeological samples from three different archaeological sites reveals the relative strength of DFA-based classification approach in distinguishing the morphological variation of atlas and axis vertebrae among many toothed whale species. This method shed light on cetacean exploitation, the taxonomic diversity of exploited species and the past occurrence of the species.

## CHAPTER 4

### DISCUSSION

The application of DFA-based identification to zooarchaeological atlas and axis vertebrae to determine the taxonomic affiliation highlights the relatively advantages and limitation of the technique.

Canonical discriminant function analysis was effective at classifying the atlas and axis vertebrae of 18 modern toothed whale species in a hierarchical classification system, with a high successful classification rate at the superfamily (97.1%), family (89.6%), and subfamily (78.9%) levels. At the species level, six received the highest score (100.0%) for correct identification rate for each species, while four other species had sufficiently high correct identification rates (above 80.0%). The established canonical discriminant functions were applied to 44 zooarchaeological atlas and axis vertebrae from three archeological sites in Japan ranging from the early Jomon to the Okhotsk Culture periods. Twenty-seven of the zooarchaeological specimens (61.4%) were identified in a hierarchical taxonomic classification scheme without contradiction and six species (Pacific white-sided dolphin (N=11), Striped dolphin (N=5), Risso's dolphin (N=5), short-beaked common dolphin (N=3), common bottlenose dolphin (N=2), and northern right whale dolphin (N=1)) including four species not found in the previous morphological analysis and three not distributed around the sites, were found.

The presence of other species as unexpectedly revealed by DFA-based classification offers not only insight into the taxonomic diversity of species exploited by

the early Jomon and Okhotsk People but also questions about the acquisition routes from archeological perspectives and temporal distribution changes of the species from zoogeographical perspectives.

Furthermore, the presence of locally extinct long-finned pilot whale at the Okhotsk Kafukai-1 site is affirmed by the presence of skulls found at the site, but the identification of short-finned pilot whale as well as false killer whale is required for further investigation due to the morphological similarity of the atlas and axis vertebrae by including more sample of short-finned pilot whale as well as long-finned pilot whale which could not be included in this study due to the availability of the specimens.

It should also mention about the presence of short-beaked common dolphin. This species has been previously identified based on skull, mandible, and atlas and axis vertebrae at both early Jomon Mawaki site (Miyazaki, 1986) and early Jomon Mibiki site (Hiraguchi 2004; 2005) including in this study based on DFA-based identification at the Okhotsk Kafukai-1 site. However, Kasuya (2017) in summary of cetacean remains found at Mawaki site, proposed *Delphinus* sp. (cf. *D. capensis*) or long-beaked common dolphin. Previously both were considered to be one species, but in 1994 (Heyning and Perrin, 1994) the common dolphin was separated into short and long beaked varieties (but see e.g. Cunha et al. 2015). The distribution ranges of these two species are also different, as for short-beaked common dolphin usually occurs in offshore waters and less commonly in coastal waters, compared with long-beaked common dolphin (Ohdachi et al. 2015). Thus, long-beaked pilot whale could have presented at the site, or perhaps both

species. Further study, should include the atlas and axis vertebrae of long-beaked dolphin into the dataset as well.

Based on these results, DFA-based classification was suggested to be useful for taxonomic identification at the family level and higher, and thus, effective in improving the identification quality of zooarchaeological specimens. Adding more modern reference specimens in the dataset may further improve the certainty and accuracy of identification for future work. Furthermore, the presence of other species as unexpectedly revealed by DFA-based classification also shed light on the taxonomic diversity of species exploited by the early Jomon and Okhotsk People and questions about the acquisition routes from archeological perspectives, including temporal distribution changes of the species from zoogeographical perspectives.

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**Table 2.1** Details of modern toothed whales used as standards in this study, listing the source and common, family, genus, and species names, along with the number of specimens. Classification followed Perrin (1989).

Common name	Classification					n	Sources
	Superfamily	Family	Subfamily	Genus	Species		
killer whale	Delphinoidea	Delphinidae	Globicephalinae	<i>Orcinus</i>	<i>orca</i>	7	NMNS
short-finned pilot whale	Delphinoidea	Delphinidae	Globicephalinae	<i>Globicephala</i>	<i>macrorhynchus</i>	3	NMNS
false killer whale	Delphinoidea	Delphinidae	Globicephalinae	<i>Pseudorca</i>	<i>crassidens</i>	9	NMNS
northern right whale dolphin	Delphinoidea	Delphinidae	Lissodelphinae	<i>Lissodelphis</i>	<i>borealis</i>	10	NMNS
Risso's dolphin	Delphinoidea	Delphinidae	Delphininae	<i>Grampus</i>	<i>griseus</i>	10	NMNS
Pacific white-sided dolphin	Delphinoidea	Delphinidae	Delphininae	<i>Lagenorhynchus</i>	<i>obliquidens</i>	14	NMNS & HOUM
striped dolphin	Delphinoidea	Delphinidae	Delphininae	<i>Stenella</i>	<i>coeruleoalba</i>	11	NMNS
short-beaked common dolphin	Delphinoidea	Delphinidae	Delphininae	<i>Delphinus</i>	<i>delphis</i>	11	NMNS
common bottlenose dolphin	Delphinoidea	Delphinidae	Delphininae	<i>Tursiops</i>	<i>truncatus</i>	11	NMNS
harbor porpoise	Delphinoidea	Phocoenidae	Phocoeninae	<i>Phocoena</i>	<i>phocoena</i>	16	NMNS & HOUM
finless porpoise	Delphinoidea	Phocoenidae	Phocoeninae	<i>Neophocaena</i>	<i>phocaenoides</i>	11	NMNS
Dall's porpoise	Delphinoidea	Phocoenidae	Phocoenoidinae	<i>Phocoenoides</i>	<i>dalli</i>	15	NMNS
pygmy sperm whale	Physeteroidea	Kogiidae		<i>Kogia</i>	<i>breviceps</i>	10	NMNS
dwarf sperm whale	Physeteroidea	Kogiidae		<i>Kogia</i>	<i>sima</i>	8	NMNS
Baird's beaked whale	Ziphoidea	Hyperoodontidae		<i>Berardius</i>	<i>bairdii</i>	2	NMNS
Hubbs' beaked whale	Ziphoidea	Hyperoodontidae		<i>Mesoplodon</i>	<i>carlhubbsi</i>	3	NMNS
Stejneger's beaked whale	Ziphoidea	Hyperoodontidae		<i>Mesoplodon</i>	<i>stejnegeri</i>	10	NMNS
Cuvier's beaked whale	Ziphoidea	Hyperoodontidae		<i>Ziphius</i>	<i>cavirostris</i>	12	NMNS

**NMNS:** National Museum of Nature and Science, Tsukuba, Ibaraki, Japan; **HOUM:** The Hokkaido University Museum, Sapporo, Hokkaido, Japan

**Table 2.2** List of measurements used in this study.

<b>Abbreviation</b>	<b>Measurements</b>	<b>Sources</b>
<b>GWASA</b>	greatest width of articulating surface of atlas	Perrin, 1975
<b>HA</b>	height of atlas	Perrin, 1975
<b>LLPA</b>	length of lateral process of atlas	Perrin, 1975
<b>GLNSA</b>	greatest length of neural spine of atlas	Perrin, 1975
<b>LLeftLtPA</b>	length of left lateral process of Axis from margin of posterior articulating surface to distal end of process	Perrin, 1975
<b>GLCAF</b>	greatest length of cranial articular facet	This study
<b>GWCAF</b>	greatest width of cranial articular facet	This study
<b>BNA</b>	breadth of neural canal	This study
<b>HNA</b>	height of neural canal	This study
<b>GBNSA</b>	greatest breadth of neural spine of atlas	This study
<b>ThLPA</b>	thickness of lateral process of atlas	This study
<b>BLPA</b>	breath of lateral process of atlas	This study
<b>ThNSA</b>	thickness of neural spine of atlas	This study

**Table 2.3** Results from canonical Discriminant Function Analysis (DFA) to classify the atlas and axis vertebrae of 18 toothed whale species from three superfamilies (Delphinoidea, Physeteroidea, and Ziphiidea). The overall accuracy rate in classification after cross-validation was 97.1%.

### Classification Results<sup>a,c</sup>

		Predicted Group Membership				
		SUPERFAMILY	DELPHINOIDEA	PHYSETEROIDEA	ZIPHIOIDEA	Total
Original	Count	DELPHINOIDEA	128	0	0	128
		PHYSETEROIDEA	0	18	0	18
		ZIPHIOIDEA	0	1	26	27
	%	DELPHINOIDEA	100.0	.0	.0	100.0
		PHYSETEROIDEA	.0	100.0	.0	100.0
		ZIPHIOIDEA	.0	3.7	96.3	100.0
Cross-validated <sup>b</sup>	Count	DELPHINOIDEA	128	0	0	128
		PHYSETEROIDEA	0	18	0	18
		ZIPHIOIDEA	0	5	22	27
	%	DELPHINOIDEA	100.0	.0	.0	100.0
		PHYSETEROIDEA	.0	100.0	.0	100.0
		ZIPHIOIDEA	.0	18.5	81.5	100.0

a. 99.4% of original grouped cases correctly classified.

b. Cross validation is done only for those cases in the analysis. In cross validation, each case is classified by the functions derived from all cases other than that case.

c. 97.1% of cross-validated grouped cases correctly classified.

**Table 2.4** Percentage of variance explained by each canonical discriminant function of 18 toothed whale species from three superfamilies (Delphinoidea, Physeteroidea, and Ziphiidea).

Function	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Cumulative %	Canonical Correlation
1	78.570 <sup>a</sup>	98.0	98.0	.994
2	1.574 <sup>a</sup>	2.0	100.0	.782

a. First 2 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis.

**Table 2.5** Classification functions out of three superfamilies (Delphinoidea, Physeteroidea, and Ziphiidea) of toothed whale.

	Function	
	1	2
GWASA	-1.396	9.489
HA	3.684	2.391
LLPA	-2.045	-.038
GLNSA	2.474	2.347
LleftPA	9.076	-7.979
BLPA	-7.598	.483
ThLPA	-8.702	-2.705
GBNSA	-.446	-.231
ThBNSA	-.790	-2.440
GLCAF	5.052	7.384
GWCAF	-1.819	3.220
BNA	2.069	-8.068
HNA	1.468	-1.866
(Constant)	-6.585	-9.499

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table 2.6** Results from canonical DFA to classify the atlas and axis of 18 toothed whale species from four families (Delphinidae, Phocoenidae, Kogiidae, and Hyperoodontidae). The overall accuracy rate in classification after cross-validation was 89.6%.

**Classification Results<sup>a,c</sup>**

		FAMILY	Predicted Group Membership				Total
			DELPHINIDAE	PHOCOENIDAE	KOGIIDAE	HYPEROODONTIDAE	
Original	Count	DELPHINIDAE	83	3	0	0	86
		PHOCOENIDAE	7	35	0	0	42
		KOGIIDAE	0	0	18	0	18
		HYPEROODONTIDAE	0	0	1	26	27
	%	DELPHINIDAE	96.5	3.5	.0	.0	100.0
		PHOCOENIDAE	16.7	83.3	.0	.0	100.0
		KOGIIDAE	.0	.0	100.0	.0	100.0
		HYPEROODONTIDAE	.0	.0	3.7	96.3	100.0
Cross-validated <sup>b</sup>	Count	DELPHINIDAE	82	4	0	0	86
		PHOCOENIDAE	11	31	0	0	42
		KOGIIDAE	0	0	18	0	18
		HYPEROODONTIDAE	0	0	3	24	27
	%	DELPHINIDAE	95.3	4.7	.0	.0	100.0
		PHOCOENIDAE	26.2	73.8	.0	.0	100.0
		KOGIIDAE	.0	.0	100.0	.0	100.0
		HYPEROODONTIDAE	.0	.0	11.1	88.9	100.0

a. 93.6% of original grouped cases correctly classified.

b. Cross validation is done only for those cases in the analysis. In cross validation, each case is classified by the functions derived from all cases other than that case.

c. 89.6% of cross-validated grouped cases correctly classified.

**Table 2.7** Percentage of variance explained by each discriminant function in four families of toothed whale (Delphinidae, Phocoenidae, Kogiidae, and Hyperoodontidae).

Function	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Cumulative %	Canonical Correlation
1	78.571 <sup>a</sup>	96.6	96.6	.994
2	2.066 <sup>a</sup>	2.5	99.1	.821
3	.704 <sup>a</sup>	.9	100.0	.643

a. First 3 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis.

**Table 2.8** Classification functions of 18 toothed whale species from four families (Delphinidae, Phocoenidae, Kogiidae, and Hyperoodontidae).

	Function		
	1	2	3
GWASA	-1.406	13.031	2.999
HA	3.670	2.199	-1.090
LLPA	-2.038	-.050	-.007
GLNSA	2.463	2.559	-.387
LleftPA	9.049	-8.032	2.451
BLPA	-7.571	.034	-.917
ThLPA	-8.673	-1.575	2.782
GBNSA	-.435	-3.875	-6.123
ThBNSA	-.791	-.489	4.095
GLCAF	5.034	5.443	-5.654
GWCAF	-1.816	3.693	-.221
BNA	2.065	-7.161	4.114
HNA	1.463	-1.457	1.289
(Constant)	-6.544	-14.427	-5.352

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table 2.9** Results from canonical DFA to classify the atlas and axis vertebrae of 12 toothed whale species from five subfamilies (Lissodelphinae, Globicephalinae, Delphininae, Phocoeninae, and Phocoenoidinae) within the superfamily Delphinoidea. The overall accuracy rate in classification after cross-validation was 78.9%.

**Classification Results<sup>a,c</sup>**

		Predicted Group Membership					Total	
SUBFAMILY		LISSODELPHINAE	GLOBICEPHALINAE	DELPHININAE	PHOCOENINAE	PHOCOENOIDINAE		
Original	Count	LISSODELPHINAE	10	0	0	0	0	10
		GLOBICEPHALINAE	0	19	0	0	0	19
		DELPHININAE	1	1	53	2	0	57
		PHOCOENINAE	0	0	2	22	3	27
		PHOCOENOIDINAE	0	0	5	0	10	15
	%	LISSODELPHINAE	100.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	100.0
		GLOBICEPHALINAE	.0	100.0	.0	.0	.0	100.0
		DELPHININAE	1.8	1.8	93.0	3.5	.0	100.0
		PHOCOENINAE	.0	.0	7.4	81.5	11.1	100.0
		PHOCOENOIDINAE	.0	.0	33.3	.0	66.7	100.0
Cross-validated <sup>b</sup>	Count	LISSODELPHINAE	9	0	1	0	0	10
		GLOBICEPHALINAE	0	18	1	0	0	19
		DELPHININAE	3	2	49	2	1	57
		PHOCOENINAE	1	0	1	16	9	27
		PHOCOENOIDINAE	0	0	6	0	9	15
	%	LISSODELPHINAE	90.0	.0	10.0	.0	.0	100.0
		GLOBICEPHALINAE	.0	94.7	5.3	.0	.0	100.0
		DELPHININAE	5.3	3.5	86.0	3.5	1.8	100.0
		PHOCOENINAE	3.7	.0	3.7	59.3	33.3	100.0
		PHOCOENOIDINAE	.0	.0	40.0	.0	60.0	100.0

a. 89.1% of original grouped cases correctly classified.

b. Cross validation is done only for those cases in the analysis. In cross validation, each case is classified by the functions derived from all cases other than that case.

c. 78.9% of cross-validated grouped cases correctly classified.

**Table 2.10** Percentage of variance explained by each canonical discriminant function in five subfamilies of toothed whale within the superfamily Delphinoidea (Lissodelphinae, Globicephalinae, Delphininae, Phocoeninae, and Phocoenoidinae).

Function	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Cumulative %	Canonical Correlation
1	6.169 <sup>a</sup>	67.3	67.3	.928
2	2.058 <sup>a</sup>	22.5	89.7	.820
3	.638 <sup>a</sup>	7.0	96.7	.624
4	.303 <sup>a</sup>	3.3	100.0	.482

a. First 4 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis.

**Table 2.11** Classification functions of five subfamilies of toothed whale within the superfamily Delphinoidea (Lissodelphinae, Globicephalinae, Delphininae, Phocoeninae, and Phocoenoidinae).

	Function			
	1	2	3	4
GWASA	2.083	7.060	15.333	-12.105
HA	-.195	11.907	-5.306	5.513
LLPA	.417	-.226	1.930	-.787
GLNSA	-.080	2.055	5.056	-3.981
LleftPA	1.314	-5.179	-5.119	19.761
BLPA	-1.873	-.426	.369	1.838
ThLPA	-1.937	-.126	7.262	-.850
GBNSA	-4.216	7.015	-.406	2.160
ThBNSA	.531	-5.892	.376	1.925
GLCAF	3.109	-11.553	-18.447	-10.453
GWCAF	4.241	.425	4.737	-4.734
BNA	12.874	.913	-1.698	5.136
HNA	2.440	-2.923	-4.222	1.136
(Constant)	-34.659	-8.345	2.827	-3.783

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table 2.12** Results from canonical DFA to classify the atlas and axis vertebrae of three toothed whale species into three subfamilies within the family Delphinidae (Lissodelphinae, Delphininae, and Globicephalinae). The overall accuracy rate in classification after cross-validation was 91.9%.

### Classification Results<sup>a,c</sup>

		Predicted Group Membership				
		SUBFAMILY	LISSODELPHINAE	GLOBICEPHALINAE	DELPHININAE	Total
Original	Count	LISSODELPHINAE	10	0	0	10
		GLOBICEPHALINAE	0	19	0	19
		DELPHININAE	2	1	54	57
	%	LISSODELPHINAE	100.0	.0	.0	100.0
		GLOBICEPHALINAE	.0	100.0	.0	100.0
		DELPHININAE	3.5	1.8	94.7	100.0
Cross-validated <sup>b</sup>	Count	LISSODELPHINAE	10	0	0	10
		GLOBICEPHALINAE	0	18	1	19
		DELPHININAE	3	3	51	57
	%	LISSODELPHINAE	100.0	.0	.0	100.0
		GLOBICEPHALINAE	.0	94.7	5.3	100.0
		DELPHININAE	5.3	5.3	89.5	100.0

a. 96.5% of original grouped cases correctly classified.

b. Cross validation is done only for those cases in the analysis. In cross validation, each case is classified by the functions derived from all cases other than that case.

c. 91.9% of cross-validated grouped cases correctly classified.

**Table 2.13** Percentage of variance explained by each canonical discriminant function in three subfamilies of toothed whale within the family Delphinidae (Lissodelphinae, Delphininae, and Globicephalinae).

Function	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Cumulative %	Canonical Correlation
1	6.030 <sup>a</sup>	77.9	77.9	.926
2	1.713 <sup>a</sup>	22.1	100.0	.795

a. First 2 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis.

**Table 2.14** Classification functions of three subfamilies of toothed whale within the family Delphinidae (Lissodelphinae, Delphininae, and Globicephalinae).

	Function	
	1	2
GWASA	-1.994	14.311
HA	6.468	2.005
LLPA	.007	1.418
GLNSA	1.135	5.995
LLefLtPA	-1.154	-12.810
BLPA	-1.976	-.712
ThLPA	-2.454	4.703
GBNSA	-.798	6.361
ThBNSA	-4.523	-5.973
GLCAF	-1.600	-14.950
GWCAF	7.910	4.150
BNA	13.627	-5.280
HNA	3.056	-3.366
(Constant)	-33.695	7.402

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table 2.15** Results from canonical DFA to classify the atlas and axis vertebrae of two toothed whale species in two subfamilies within the family Phocoenidae (Phocoeninae and Phocoenoidinae). The overall accuracy rate in classification after cross-validation was 85.7%.

### Classification Results<sup>a,c</sup>

		SUBFAMILY	Predicted Group Membership		Total
			PHOCOENINAE	PHOCOENOIDINAE	
Original	Count	PHOCOENINAE	27	0	27
		PHOCOENOIDINAE	0	15	15
	%	PHOCOENINAE	100.0	.0	100.0
		PHOCOENOIDINAE	.0	100.0	100.0
Cross-validated <sup>b</sup>	Count	PHOCOENINAE	23	4	27
		PHOCOENOIDINAE	2	13	15
	%	PHOCOENINAE	85.2	14.8	100.0
		PHOCOENOIDINAE	13.3	86.7	100.0

a. 100.0% of original grouped cases correctly classified.

b. Cross validation is done only for those cases in the analysis. In cross validation, each case is classified by the functions derived from all cases other than that case.

c. 85.7% of cross-validated grouped cases correctly classified.

**Table 2.16** Percentage of variance explained by a canonical discriminant function between two subfamilies of toothed whale within the family Phocoenidae (Phocoeninae and Phocoenoidinae).

Function	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Cumulative %	Canonical Correlation
1	8.082 <sup>a</sup>	100.0	100.0	.943

a. First 1 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis.

**Table 2.17** Classification function of two subfamilies of toothed whale within the family Phocoenidae (Phocoeninae and Phocoenoidinae).

	Function 1
GWASA	6.667
HA	6.642
LLPA	3.322
GLNSA	-1.249
LLefLtPA	4.802
BLPA	3.622
ThLPA	5.982
GBNSA	-6.667
ThBNSA	6.635
GLCAF	-17.441
GWCAF	.522
BNA	18.154
HNA	17.333
(Constant)	-67.340

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table 2.18** Results from canonical DFA to classify the atlas and axis vertebrae of five species within the subfamily Delphininae (Risso’s dolphin, common bottlenose dolphin, Pacific white-sided dolphin, striped dolphin, and short-beaked common dolphin). The overall accuracy rate in classification after cross-validation was 84.2%.

**Classification Results<sup>a,c</sup>**

		SPECIES	Predicted Group Membership					Total
			Risso's dolphin	common bottlenose dolphin	Pacific white-sided dolphin	striped dolphin	short-beaked common dolphin	
Original	Count	Risso's dolphin	10	0	0	0	0	10
		common bottlenose dolphin	0	9	2	0	0	11
		Pacific white-sided dolphin	0	0	14	0	0	14
		striped dolphin	0	0	0	11	0	11
		short-beaked common dolphin	0	0	0	0	11	11
	%	Risso's dolphin	100.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	100.0
		common bottlenose dolphin	.0	81.8	18.2	.0	.0	100.0
		Pacific white-sided dolphin	.0	.0	100.0	.0	.0	100.0
		striped dolphin	.0	.0	.0	100.0	.0	100.0
		short-beaked common dolphin	.0	.0	.0	.0	100.0	100.0
Cross-validated <sup>b</sup>	Count	Risso's dolphin	8	2	0	0	0	10
		common bottlenose dolphin	1	8	2	0	0	11
		Pacific white-sided dolphin	0	1	13	0	0	14
		striped dolphin	0	0	0	11	0	11
		short-beaked common dolphin	0	0	2	1	8	11
	%	Risso's dolphin	80.0	20.0	.0	.0	.0	100.0
		common bottlenose dolphin	9.1	72.7	18.2	.0	.0	100.0
		Pacific white-sided dolphin	.0	7.1	92.9	.0	.0	100.0
		striped dolphin	.0	.0	.0	100.0	.0	100.0
		short-beaked common dolphin	.0	.0	18.2	9.1	72.7	100.0

a. 96.5% of original grouped cases correctly classified.

b. Cross validation is done only for those cases in the analysis. In cross validation, each case is classified by the functions derived from all cases other than that case.

c. 84.2% of cross-validated grouped cases correctly classified.

**Table 2.19** Percentage of variance explained by each canonical discriminant function among five toothed whale species within the subfamily Delphininae (Risso's dolphin, common bottlenose dolphin, Pacific white-sided dolphin, striped dolphin, and short-beaked common dolphin).

Function	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Cumulative %	Canonical Correlation
1	9.980 <sup>a</sup>	66.8	66.8	.953
2	2.922 <sup>a</sup>	19.6	86.3	.863
3	1.558 <sup>a</sup>	10.4	96.8	.780
4	.484 <sup>a</sup>	3.2	100.0	.571

a. First 4 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis.

**Table 2.20** The classification functions among five toothed whale species within the subfamily Delphininae (Risso’s dolphin, common bottlenose dolphin, Pacific white-sided dolphin, striped dolphin, and short-beaked common dolphin).

	Function			
	1	2	3	4
GWASA	12.795	-15.905	-24.279	-10.613
HA	10.858	16.453	10.752	2.815
LLPA	-2.167	6.389	-.065	1.121
GLNSA	.328	.061	7.295	2.805
LLeftPA	-6.897	-18.411	-21.981	15.651
BLPA	-1.382	-3.517	-1.882	-6.139
ThLPA	1.845	-1.383	-1.710	1.745
GBNSA	2.829	3.339	1.925	1.529
ThBNSA	2.767	-3.418	2.295	1.604
GLCAF	-18.198	-19.144	-9.262	-13.922
GWCAF	3.629	18.034	18.880	-6.354
BNA	13.988	-.846	.946	-3.963
HNA	15.539	6.583	1.304	7.237
(Constant)	-54.816	27.170	39.174	14.604

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table 2.21** Results from canonical DFA to classify the atlas and axis vertebrae of three toothed whale species within subfamily Globicephalinae (false killer whale, killer whale, and short-finned pilot whale). The overall accuracy rate in classification after cross-validation using a jackknifed model was 68.4%.

### Classification Results<sup>a,c</sup>

		SPECIES	Predicted Group Membership			Total
			false killer whale	killer whale	short-finned pilot whale	
Original	Count	false killer whale	8	1	0	9
		killer whale	1	6	0	7
		short finned-pilot whale	0	0	3	3
	%	false killer whale	88.9	11.1	.0	100.0
		killer whale	14.3	85.7	.0	100.0
		short finned-pilot whale	.0	.0	100.0	100.0
Cross-validated <sup>b</sup>	Count	false killer whale	6	0	3	9
		killer whale	0	7	0	7
		short finned-pilot whale	3	0	0	3
	%	false killer whale	66.7	.0	33.3	100.0
		killer whale	.0	100.0	.0	100.0
		short finned-pilot whale	100.0	.0	.0	100.0

a. 89.5% of original grouped cases correctly classified.

b. Cross validation is done only for those cases in the analysis. In cross validation, each case is classified by the functions derived from all cases other than that case.

c. 68.4% of cross-validated grouped cases correctly classified.

**Table 2.22** Percentage of variance explained by each canonical discriminant function in three toothed whale species within the subfamily Globicephalinae (false killer whale, killer whale, and short-finned pilot whale).

Function	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Cumulative %	Canonical Correlation
1	127.653 <sup>a</sup>	93.9	93.9	.996
2	8.341 <sup>a</sup>	6.1	100.0	.945

a. First 2 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis.

**Table 2.23** The classification functions in five toothed whale species within the subfamily Globicephalinae (false killer whale, killer whale, and short-finned pilot whale).

	Function	
	1	2
GWASA	184.809	-3.757
HA	-14.571	-13.118
LLPA	-170.040	-21.636
GLNSA	78.975	7.205
LleftPA	-116.699	5.046
BLPA	71.111	4.370
ThLPA	-10.223	38.663
GBNSA	35.203	-3.709
ThBNSA	99.056	9.831
GLCAF	-126.171	-16.972
GWCAF	-89.945	-16.192
HNA	-62.217	-6.118
(Constant)	300.577	62.361

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table 2.24** Results from canonical DFA to classify the atlas and axis vertebrae of two toothed whale species within the subfamily Phocoeninae (harbor porpoise and finless porpoise). The overall accuracy rate in classification after cross-validation was 96.3%.

### Classification Results<sup>a,c</sup>

		SPECIES	Predicted Group Membership		Total
			harbor porpoise	finless porpoise	
Original	Count	harbor porpoise	13	3	16
		finless porpoise	0	11	11
	%	harbor porpoise	81.3	18.8	100.0
		finless porpoise	.0	100.0	100.0
Cross-validated <sup>b</sup>	Count	harbor porpoise	15	1	16
		finless porpoise	0	11	11
	%	harbor porpoise	93.8	6.3	100.0
		finless porpoise	.0	100.0	100.0

a. 88.9% of original grouped cases correctly classified.

b. Cross validation is done only for those cases in the analysis. In cross validation, each case is classified by the functions derived from all cases other than that case.

c. 96.3% of cross-validated grouped cases correctly classified.

**Table 2.25** Percentage of variance explained by a canonical discriminant function in two toothed whale species within the subfamily Phocoeninae (harbor porpoise and finless porpoise).

Function	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Cumulative %	Canonical Correlation
1	217.075 <sup>a</sup>	100.0	100.0	.998

a. First 1 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis.

**Table 2.26** The classification functions of two toothed whale species within the subfamily Phocoeninae (harbor porpoise and finless porpoise).

	Function 1
GWASA	-568.473
HA	-521.442
LLPA	108.680
GLNSA	42.902
LLefLtPA	243.827
BLPA	-78.616
ThLPA	25.837
GBNSA	32.167
ThBNSA	17.916
GLCAF	-754.600
GWCAF	582.012
BNA	333.353
HNA	14.706
(Constant)	1212.406

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table 2.27** Results from canonical DFA to classify the atlas/axis vertebra of three species within the family Phocoenidae (Dall's porpoise, harbor porpoise, and finless porpoise). The overall accuracy rate in classification after cross-validation was 85.7%.

**Classification Results<sup>a,c</sup>**

		SPECIES	Predicted Group Membership			Total
			Dall's porpoise	harbor porpoise	finless porpoise	
Original	Count	Dall's porpoise	15	0	0	15
		harbor poprpoise	0	15	1	16
		finless porpoise	0	0	11	11
	%	Dall's porpoise	100.0	.0	.0	100.0
		harbor poprpoise	.0	93.8	6.3	100.0
		finless porpoise	.0	.0	100.0	100.0
Cross-validated <sup>b</sup>	Count	Dall's porpoise	13	2	0	15
		harbor poprpoise	4	12	0	16
		finless porpoise	0	0	11	11
	%	Dall's porpoise	86.7	13.3	.0	100.0
		harbor poprpoise	25.0	75.0	.0	100.0
		finless porpoise	.0	.0	100.0	100.0

a. 97.6% of original grouped cases correctly classified.

b. Cross validation is done only for those cases in the analysis. In cross validation, each case is classified by the functions derived from all cases other than that case.

c. 85.7% of cross-validated grouped cases correctly classified.

**Table 2.28** Percentage of variance explained by each canonical discriminant function for three toothed whale species within the family Phocoenidae (Dall's porpoise, harbor porpoise, and finless porpoise).

Function	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Cumulative %	Canonical Correlation
1	31.907 <sup>a</sup>	89.6	89.6	.985
2	3.687 <sup>a</sup>	10.4	100.0	.887

a. First 2 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis.

**Table 2.29** The classification functions of three species within the family Phocoenidae (Dall's porpoise, harbor porpoise, and finless porpoise).

	Function	
	1	2
GWASA	-19.512	16.865
HA	6.237	4.559
LLPA	5.367	1.208
GLNSA	2.120	-2.428
LLefLtPA	43.305	-15.203
BLPA	-4.648	6.324
ThLPA	4.184	4.789
GBNSA	-8.858	-3.338
ThBNSA	4.182	5.532
GLCAF	-47.491	2.865
GWCAF	14.151	-6.155
BNA	15.799	13.056
HNA	-6.993	22.993
(Constant)	-7.404	-72.844

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table 2.30** Results from canonical DFA to classify the atlas and axis vertebrae of four toothed whale species within the family Hyperoodontidae (Baird’s beaked whale, Cuvier’s beaked whale, Hubbs’ beaked whale, and Stejneger’s beaked whale). The overall accuracy rate in classification after cross-validation was 74.1%.

**Classification Results<sup>a,c</sup>**

		SPECIES	Predicted Group Membership				Total
			Baird's beaked whale	Cuvier's beaked whale	Hubbs' beaked whale	Stejneger's beaked whale	
Original	Count	Baird's beaked whale	2	0	0	0	2
		Cuvier's beaked whale	1	11	0	0	12
		Hubbs' beaked whale	0	0	3	0	3
		Stejneger's beaked whale	0	0	1	9	10
	%	Baird's beaked whale	100.0	.0	.0	.0	100.0
		Cuvier's beaked whale	8.3	91.7	.0	.0	100.0
		Hubbs' beaked whale	.0	.0	100.0	.0	100.0
		Stejneger's beaked whale	.0	.0	10.0	90.0	100.0
Cross-validated <sup>b</sup>	Count	Baird's beaked whale	0	2	0	0	2
		Cuvier's beaked whale	1	11	0	0	12
		Hubbs' beaked whale	0	0	2	1	3
		Stejneger's beaked whale	0	0	3	7	10
	%	Baird's beaked whale	.0	100.0	.0	.0	100.0
		Cuvier's beaked whale	8.3	91.7	.0	.0	100.0
		Hubbs' beaked whale	.0	.0	66.7	33.3	100.0
		Stejneger's beaked whale	.0	.0	30.0	70.0	100.0

a. 92.6% of original grouped cases correctly classified.

b. Cross validation is done only for those cases in the analysis. In cross validation, each case is classified by the functions derived from all cases other than that case.

c. 74.1% of cross-validated grouped cases correctly classified.

**Table 2.31** Percentage of variance explained by each canonical discriminant function among four toothed whale species within the family Hyperoodontidae (Baird’s beaked whale, Cuvier’s beaked whale, Hubbs’ beaked whale, and Stejneger’s beaked whale).

Function	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Cumulative %	Canonical Correlation
1	88.979 <sup>a</sup>	93.6	93.6	.994
2	4.514 <sup>a</sup>	4.7	98.3	.905
3	1.571 <sup>a</sup>	1.7	100.0	.782

a. First 3 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis.

**Table 2.32** The classification functions of four species within the family Hyperoodontidae (Baird’s beaked whale, Cuvier’s beaked whale, Hubbs’ beaked whale, and Stejneger’s beaked whale).

	Function		
	1	2	3
GWASA	.112	-16.445	-9.603
HA	84.258	-19.366	-24.905
LLPA	-21.974	-24.674	-4.426
GLNSA	-5.988	25.799	3.933
LLeftPA	39.306	11.439	-6.542
BLPA	13.739	19.115	4.822
ThLPA	2.594	-23.696	3.872
GBNSA	-10.706	-7.351	3.580
ThBNSA	8.253	2.926	-1.883
GLCAF	61.157	31.196	32.504
GWCAF	-10.093	8.138	13.206
BNA	8.146	-5.384	1.214
HNA	-50.747	-8.243	-12.013
(Constant)	-245.016	16.171	3.484

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table 2.33** Results from canonical DFA to classify the atlas and axis vertebrae of two species within the family Kogiidae (pygmy sperm whale and dwarf sperm whale). The overall accuracy rate in classification after cross-validation was 100.0%.

### Classification Results<sup>a,c</sup>

		SPECIES	Predicted Group Membership		Total
			pygmy sperm whale	dwarf sperm whale	
Original	Count	pygmy sperm whale	10	0	10
		dwarf sperm whale	0	8	8
	%	pygmy sperm whale	100.0	.0	100.0
		dwarf sperm whale	.0	100.0	100.0
Cross-validated <sup>b</sup>	Count	pygmy sperm whale	10	0	10
		dwarf sperm whale	0	8	8
	%	pygmy sperm whale	100.0	.0	100.0
		dwarf sperm whale	.0	100.0	100.0

- a. 100.0% of original grouped cases correctly classified.
- b. Cross validation is done only for those cases in the analysis. In cross validation, each case is classified by the functions derived from all cases other than that case.
- c. 100.0% of cross-validated grouped cases correctly classified.

**Table 2.34** Percentage of variance explained by a canonical discriminant function of two toothed whale species within the family Kogiidae (pygmy sperm whale and dwarf sperm whale).

Function	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Cumulative %	Canonical Correlation
1	1252.363 <sup>a</sup>	100.0	100.0	1.000

a. First 1 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis.

**Table 2.35** The classification functions of two species within the family Kogiidae (pygmy sperm whale and dwarf sperm whale).

	Function 1
GWASA	-168.240
HA	-6.010
LLPA	74.199
GLNSA	-72.606
LleftPA	81.623
BLPA	37.707
ThLPA	-92.306
GBNSA	-21.183
ThBNSA	69.290
GLCAF	155.134
GWCAF	51.519
BNA	-197.614
HNA	259.243
(Constant)	-246.409

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table 3.1** Summary of specimens measured in this study along with identification information for archaeological specimens.

Specimens	Field No.	Period	Preservation	Morphological ID	References	Collection
M-1	CA-1	early Jomon	Incomplete	short-beaked common dolphin (♂)	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-2	CA-2	early Jomon	Incomplete	short-beaked common dolphin (♂)	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-3	CA-3	early Jomon	Complete	short-beaked common dolphin (♂)	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-5	CA-5	early Jomon	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-8	CA-8	early Jomon	Incomplete	short-beaked common dolphin (♂)	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-12	CA-12	early Jomon	Incomplete	short-beaked common dolphin (♂)	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-20	CA-20	early Jomon	Complete	short-beaked common dolphin (♂)	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-21	CA-21	early Jomon	Incomplete	short-beaked common dolphin (♂)	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-23	CA-23	early Jomon	Incomplete	short-beaked common dolphin (♂)	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-28	CA-29	early Jomon	Complete	Pacific white-sided dolphin (♀)	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-29	CA-30	early Jomon	Incomplete	Pacific white-sided dolphin (♂)	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-36	CA-45	early Jomon	Incomplete	short-beaked common dolphin?	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-39	CA-48	early Jomon	Incomplete	Pacific white-sided dolphin (♂)	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-40	CA-59	early Jomon	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-43	CA-58	early Jomon	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-45	CA-60	early Jomon	Incomplete	Pacific white-sided dolphin (♂)	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-49	CA-66	early Jomon	Incomplete	common bottlenose dolphin (♀?)	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-50	CA-67	early Jomon	Incomplete	common bottlenose dolphin	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-54	-	early Jomon	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-58	CA-84	early Jomon	Incomplete	short-beaked common dolphin	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-61	CA-88	early Jomon	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-69	CA-109	early Jomon	Complete	<i>Dolphin</i>	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-87	CA-131	early Jomon	Incomplete	Pacific white-sided dolphin (♂) ?	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-90	CA-149	early Jomon	Incomplete	short-beaked common dolphin (♂)	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM

**MRJM:** Mawaki Ruins Jomon Museum

**Table 3.2** (*continued*)

Specimens	Field No.	Period	Preservation	Morphological ID	References	Collection
M-91	CA-150	early Jomon	Incomplete	Pacific white-sided dolphin ( $\sigma$ )?	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-106	CA-184	early Jomon	Incomplete	common bottlenose dolphin or Pacific white-sided dolphin ?	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-109	CA-221	early Jomon	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
M-111	CA-285	early Jomon	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	(Miyazaki, 1986)	MRJM
159	-	early Jomon	Complete	short-beaked common dolphin	Hiraguchi (2004; 2005)	IAF
161	-	early Jomon	Incomplete	Pacific white-sided dolphin	Hiraguchi (2004; 2005)	IAF
483	-	early Jomon	Incomplete	Pacific white-sided dolphin	Hiraguchi (2004; 2005)	IAF
494	-	early Jomon	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	Hiraguchi (2004; 2005)	IAF
495	-	early Jomon	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	Hiraguchi (2004; 2005)	IAF
748	-	early Jomon	Incomplete	Pacific white-sided dolphin	Hiraguchi (2004; 2005)	IAF
749	-	early Jomon	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	Hiraguchi (2004; 2005)	IAF
RKA2047	-	Okhotsk	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	-	HOUN
RKA2804	-	Okhotsk	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	-	HOUN
RKA3690	-	Okhotsk	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	-	HOUN
RKA3982	-	Okhotsk	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	-	HOUN
RKA5918	-	Okhotsk	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	-	HOUN
RKA15283	-	Okhotsk	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	-	HOUN
RKA15547	-	Okhotsk	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	-	HOUN
RKA17138	-	Okhotsk	Incomplete	<i>Dolphin</i>	-	HOUN
RKA18142	-	Okhotsk	Complete	<i>Dolphin</i>	-	HOUN

**MRJM**: Mawaki Ruins Jomon Museum; **IAF**: Ishikawa Archaeological Foundation; **HOUN**: The Hokkaido University Museum.

**Table 3.2** Detailed list of specimens and measurements data

Site	Specimens	Measurement (mm)												
		GWASA	HA	GLNSA	LLPA	LLeftLtPA	GLCAF	GWCAF	BNA	HNA	GBNSA	THLPA	BLPA	THNSA
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-1</b>	88.41	55.41	35.02		59.71	46.68	28.13	38.86	25.41	10.65	9.10	17.23	6.10
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-2</b>	89.78			28.34	58.21	49.21	31.69	38.18			10.97	17.49	
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-3</b>	83.49	56.32	24.38	51.95	55.92	49.96	29.87	40.46	23.12	14.09	8.32	11.19	7.43
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-5</b>	83.74					46.06	28.71	38.97			8.76	17.49	
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-8</b>	83.67	61.95		27.22	57.27		29.41	40.79	27.23		10.75	19.33	
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-12</b>	85.73			31.37	61.13	48.69	27.44	37.15			9.50	18.04	
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-20</b>	89.47	60.94	31.18	46.52	52.00	49.26	33.67	37.58	26.87	12.89	10.07	24.02	10.68
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-21</b>	87.76	56.90				51.36	32.45	39.98	25.62		9.46	21.76	11.30
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-23</b>	86.72						34.64	38.96			11.74	21.49	
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-28</b>	78.43	55.42	26.26	36.74	44.84	47.94	30.75	36.54	27.76	6.26	8.58	14.65	11.22
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-29</b>	92.10			32.05	54.44	49.30	34.39	41.77			10.23	18.32	
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-36</b>	85.96	55.35				46.82	30.06	39.90	22.54	9.52	10.23	11.98	6.51
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-39</b>	92.79			30.15	54.06	46.37	32.32	38.28			10.81	20.01	
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-40</b>	90.16					53.08	29.55	39.37			13.23	23.78	
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-43</b>	90.57					44.68	31.76	39.27			9.80	18.92	
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-45</b>	85.32		29.87	23.66	51.72	52.04	31.15	36.80			10.93	21.46	
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-49</b>	107.44			39.81	63.29	64.59	40.09	47.47			10.34	22.30	
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-50</b>	108.90					58.70	36.72	52.50			13.64	30.62	
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-54</b>	113.65			36.81	73.55	63.25	40.44				17.59	24.25	
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-58</b>	81.58	53.29				49.18	26.93	35.01	23.91	8.98	9.99	15.14	9.20
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-61</b>	105.78					51.62	41.18	50.65			12.85	30.56	
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-69</b>	112.09	73.97	27.13	50.31	64.05	54.97	38.87	50.15	29.20	18.20	10.62	17.07	12.01
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-87</b>	82.45			27.44	53.67	47.43	29.11	39.22			10.82	18.02	
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-90</b>	82.20	61.56	26.63		54.19	51.98	28.67	39.58	31.79	14.12	9.30	21.49	11.03

**Table 3.2 (continued)**

Site	Specimens	Measurement (mm)												
		GWASA	HA	GLNSA	LLPA	LLeftLtPA	GLCAF	GWCAF	BNA	HNA	GBNSA	THLPA	BLPA	THNSA
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-91</b>	89.93	59.08	27.22		55.97	50.42	31.15	34.92	24.98		8.74	21.07	
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-106</b>	88.43			29.64	56.91	49.81	32.95	42.07			10.14	16.47	
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-109</b>	77.11	51.96				47.05	25.78	36.35	22.16	11.50	7.80	14.97	9.60
<i>Mawaki</i>	<b>M-111</b>	85.72	60.60	25.94		54.65	51.64	28.50	40.42	28.62	14.14	9.82	18.56	8.93
<i>Mibiki</i>	<b>159</b>	82.24	55.89	46.95	24.19	47.56	46.81	27.78	37.43	22.94	7.29	9.59	15.08	10.05
<i>Mibiki</i>	<b>161</b>	90.42	59.86				51.95	32.44	39.69	24.45		8.29	21.17	
<i>Mibiki</i>	<b>483</b>	89.21	60.93	50.88			50.28	33.04	35.82	26.4	10.52	11.34	22.22	11.66
<i>Mibiki</i>	<b>494</b>	83.10	58.44				52.35	29.19	39.48	26.48		11.04	18.42	
<i>Mibiki</i>	<b>495</b>		74.03				65.38	30.03	46.2	33.09			25.53	
<i>Mibiki</i>	<b>748</b>	88.16	60.22				47.12	31.43	36.81	26.88	15.38	11.66	17.79	7.45
<i>Mibiki</i>	<b>749</b>	86.00	57.69				46.60	27.63	39.36	25.16	12.09	9.29	17.87	7.42
<i>Kafukai-1</i>	<b>RKA2047</b>			64.42		25.36			31.03	62.89	87.57			56.39
<i>Kafukai-1</i>	<b>RKA2804</b>		18.11		109.11		64.59			82.64	83.72			48.96
<i>Kafukai-1</i>	<b>RKA3690</b>	71.68			20.81	51.18	38.59	26.21	32.24			11.08	13.08	
<i>Kafukai-1</i>	<b>RKA3982</b>	175.92	118.9	80.00	50.19	83.26	99.93	62.90	85.10	57.43	30.73		23.12	27.12
<i>Kafukai-1</i>	<b>RKA5918</b>	82.44	56.37	36.39	22.38		46.04	27.66	41.68	27.09	19.74	12.05	16.15	12.30
<i>Kafukai-1</i>	<b>RKA15283</b>	70.64	44.91		22.24	46.85	37.98	23.3	35.4	22.85		8.86	13.24	
<i>Kafukai-1</i>	<b>RKA15547</b>					47.84	46.49	30.70				9.10	15.28	
<i>Kafukai-1</i>	<b>RKA17138</b>	78.32			20.3	43.65	42.27	29.21	37.27			12.05	12.8	
<i>Kafukai-1</i>	<b>RKA18142</b>	88.96	58.55	49.41	28.00	47.29	46.78	34.92	39.79	22.09	16.89	13.46	10.42	18.00

**Table 3.3** Summary results of DFA-based identification of early Jomon Mawaki zooarchaeological samples for correct classification rate, following taxonomic hierarchical classification system

SPECIMENS	Taxonomic hierarchical classification							
	SPECIES	%CORRECT	SUBFAMILY	%CORRECT	FAMILY	%CORRECT	SUPERFAMILY	%CORRECT
M-3	<i>D. delphis</i>	70.50	DELPHININAE	78.90	PHOCOENIDAE	86.90	DELPHINOIDEA	97.10
M-20	<i>P. dalli</i>	70.50	DELPHININAE	78.90	DELPHINIDAE	89.60	DELPHINOIDEA	97.10
M-28	<i>L. borealis</i>	70.50	LISSODELPHINAE	78.90	DELPHINIDAE	89.60	DELPHINOIDEA	97.10
M-69	<i>G. griseus</i>	70.50	DELPHININAE	78.90	DELPHINIDAE	89.60	DELPHINOIDEA	97.10
M-1	<i>S. coeruleoalba</i>	71.70	DELPHININAE	79.70	DELPHINIDAE	90.00	DELPHINOIDEA	98.10
M-2	<i>L. obliquidens</i>	71.10	DELPHININAE	75.80	DELPHINIDAE	78.80	DELPHINOIDEA	97.50
M-5	<i>L. borealis</i>	61.80	DELPHININAE	72.70	DELPHINIDAE	82.50	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90
M-8	<i>S. coeruleoalba</i>	67.60	DELPHININAE	70.30	DELPHINIDAE	78.80	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90
M-12	<i>S. coeruleoalba</i>	71.10	DELPHININAE	75.80	DELPHINIDAE	78.80	DELPHINOIDEA	97.50
M-21	<i>L. obliquidens</i>	59.00	DELPHININAE	74.20	DELPHINIDAE	76.30	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90
M-23	<i>L. obliquidens</i>	60.70	DELPHININAE	70.30	DELPHINIDAE	81.90	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90
M-29	<i>L. obliquidens</i>	71.10	DELPHININAE	75.80	DELPHINIDAE	78.80	DELPHINOIDEA	97.50
M-36	<i>D. delphis</i>	64.20	DELPHININAE	78.90	DELPHINIDAE	86.90	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90
M-39	<i>L. obliquidens</i>	71.10	DELPHININAE	75.00	DELPHINIDAE	78.80	DELPHINOIDEA	97.50

striped dolphin (*S. coeruleoalba*); Pacific white-sided dolphin (*L. obliquidens*); common bottlenose dolphin (*T. truncatus*); Risso's dolphin (*G. griseus*); northern right whale dolphin (*L. borealis*); and Dall's porpoise (*P. dalli*).

**Table 3.3** (*continued*)

SPECIMENS	Taxonomic hierarchical classification							
	SPECIES	%CORRECT	SUBFAMILY	%CORRECT	FAMILY	%CORRECT	SUPERFAMILY	%CORRECT
<b>M-40</b>	<i>S. coeruleoalba</i>	61.80	DELPHININAE	72.70	DELPHINIDAE	82.50	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90
<b>M-43</b>	<i>L. obliquidens</i>	61.80	DELPHININAE	72.70	DELPHINIDAE	82.50	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90
<b>M-45</b>	<i>L. obliquidens</i>	69.40	DELPHININAE	78.10	DELPHINIDAE	80.00	DELPHINOIDEA	97.50
<b>M-49</b>	<i>T. truncatus</i>	71.10	DELPHININAE	75.80	DELPHINIDAE	78.80	DELPHINOIDEA	97.50
<b>M-50</b>	<i>G. griseus</i>	61.80	DELPHININAE	72.70	DELPHINIDAE	82.50	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90
<b>M-54</b>	<i>T. truncatus</i>	72.30	DELPHININAE	76.60	DELPHINIDAE	78.80	DELPHINOIDEA	96.30
<b>M-58</b>	<i>L. obliquidens</i>	64.20	DELPHININAE	78.90	DELPHINIDAE	86.90	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90
<b>M-61</b>	<i>G. griseus</i>	61.80	DELPHININAE	72.70	DELPHINIDAE	82.50	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90
<b>M-87</b>	<i>S. coeruleoalba</i>	71.10	DELPHININAE	75.80	DELPHINIDAE	78.80	DELPHINOIDEA	97.50
<b>M-90</b>	<i>S. coeruleoalba</i>	71.10	DELPHININAE	79.70	PHOCOENIDAE	90.00	DELPHINOIDEA	98.10
<b>M-91</b>	<i>L. borealis</i>	66.50	DELPHININAE	78.90	DELPHINIDAE	81.90	DELPHINOIDEA	97.50
<b>M-106</b>	<i>L. borealis</i>	71.10	DELPHININAE	75.80	DELPHINIDAE	78.80	DELPHINOIDEA	97.50
<b>M-109</b>	<i>P. dalli</i>	64.20	DELPHININAE	78.90	DELPHINIDAE	86.90	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90
<b>M-111</b>	<i>P. dalli</i>	71.70	DELPHININAE	75.80	PHOCOENIDAE	90.00	DELPHINOIDEA	98.10

striped dolphin (*S. coeruleoalba*); Pacific white-sided dolphin (*L. obliquidens*); common bottlenose dolphin (*T. truncatus*); Risso's dolphin (*G. griseus*); northern right whale dolphin (*L. borealis*); and Dall's porpoise (*P. dalli*).

**Table 3.4** Summary results of DFA-based identification of early Jomon Mibiki zooarchaeological samples for correct classification rate, following taxonomic hierarchical classification system

SPECIMENS	Taxonomic hierarchical classification							
	SPECIES	%CORRECT	SUBFAMILY	%CORRECT	FAMILY	%CORRECT	SUPERFAMILY	%CORRECT
159	<i>L. obliquidens</i>	70.50	DELPHININAE	78.90	DELPHINIDAE	89.60	DELPHINOIDEA	97.10
161	<i>L. obliquidens</i>	60.70	DELPHININAE	75.00	DELPHINIDAE	81.30	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90
483	<i>G. griseus</i>	68.20	DELPHININAE	78.10	DELPHINIDAE	86.90	DELPHINOIDEA	94.80
494	<i>G. griseus</i>	68.20	DELPHININAE	75.00	DELPHINIDAE	81.30	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90
495	<i>S. coeruleoalba</i>	52.00	DELPHININAE	73.40	DELPHINIDAE	81.90	DELPHINOIDEA	95.60
748	<i>P. dalli</i>	64.20	DELPHININAE	78.90	PHOCOENIDAE	86.90	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90
749	<i>P. dalli</i>	64.20	DELPHININAE	78.90	DELPHINIDAE	86.90	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90

Pacific white-sided dolphin (*L. obliquidens*); Risso's dolphin (*G. griseus*); striped dolphin (*S. coeruleoalba*); and Dall's porpoise (*P. dalli*).

**Table 3.5** Summary results of DFA-based identification of Okhotsk Kafukai-1 zooarchaeological samples for correct classification rate, following taxonomic hierarchical classification system

SPECIMENS	Taxonomic hierarchical classification							
	SPECIES	%CORRECT	SUBFAMILY	%CORRECT	FAMILY	%CORRECT	SUPERFAMILY	%CORRECT
<b>RKA18142</b>	<i>L. obliquidens</i>	70.50	DELPHININAE	78.90	DELPHINIDAE	89.60	DELPHINOIDEA	97.10
<b>RKA2047</b>	<i>G. macrorhynchus</i>	59.90	GLOBICEPHALINAE	74.20	DELPHINIDAE	81.90	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90
<b>RKA2804</b>	<i>P. crassidens</i>	56.90	GLOBICEPHALINAE	71.70	DELPHINIDAE	76.90	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90
<b>RKA3690</b>	<i>P. phocoena</i>	71.10	PHOCOENOIDINAE	75.80	PHOCOENIDAE	78.80	DELPHINOIDEA	97.50
<b>RKA3982</b>	<i>G. macrorhynchus</i>	68.80	GLOBICEPHALINAE	80.50	DELPHINIDAE	89.40	DELPHINOIDEA	98.10
<b>RKA5918</b>	<i>L. obliquidens</i>	67.60	DELPHININAE	78.90	PHOCOENIDAE	87.50	DELPHINOIDEA	97.50
<b>RKA15283</b>	<i>P. phocoena</i>	69.40	DELPHININAE	78.10	PHOCOENIDAE	80.00	DELPHINOIDEA	96.90
<b>RKA15547</b>	<i>D. delphis</i>	65.90	DELPHININAE	76.60	DELPHINIDAE	81.90	DELPHINOIDEA	96.30
<b>RKA17138</b>	<i>L. obliquidens</i>	71.10	DELPHININAE	75.80	DELPHINIDAE	78.80	DELPHINOIDEA	97.50

Pacific white-sided dolphin (*L. obliquidens*); short-finned pilot whale (*G. macrorhynchus*); false killer whale (*P. crassidens*); harbor porpoise (*P. phocoena*); and short-beaked common dolphin (*D. delphis*)

**Table 3.6** Summary of DFA-based identification (this study) results in comparison with previous morphological comparative analysis (Red color denoted result that were in accordance).

Site	Specimens	Morphological ID	DFA-based ID
Mawaki	<b>M-1</b>	short-beaked common dolphin	striped dolphin
Mawaki	<b>M-2</b>	short-beaked common dolphin	Pacific white-sided dolphin
<b>Mawaki</b>	<b>M-3</b>	<b>short-beaked common dolphin</b>	<b>short-beaked common dolphin</b>
Mawaki	<b>M-5</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	nothern right whale dolphin
Mawaki	<b>M-8</b>	short-beaked common dolphin	striped dolphin
Mawaki	<b>M-12</b>	short-beaked common dolphin	striped dolphin
Mawaki	<b>M-20</b>	short-beaked common dolphin	DELPHININAE
Mawaki	<b>M-21</b>	short-beaked common dolphin	DELPHININAE
Mawaki	<b>M-23</b>	short-beaked common dolphin	Pacific white-sided dolphin
Mawaki	<b>M-28</b>	Pacific white-sided dolphin	nothern right whale dolphin
<b>Mawaki</b>	<b>M-29</b>	<b>Pacific white-sided dolphin</b>	<b>Pacific white-sided dolphin</b>
<b>Mawaki</b>	<b>M-36</b>	<b>short-beaked common dolphin?</b>	<b>short-beaked common dolphin</b>
<b>Mawaki</b>	<b>M-39</b>	<b>Pacific white-sided dolphin</b>	<b>Pacific white-sided dolphin</b>
Mawaki	<b>M-40</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	striped dolphin
Mawaki	<b>M-43</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	Pacific white-sided dolphin
<b>Mawaki</b>	<b>M-45</b>	<b>Pacific white-sided dolphin</b>	<b>Pacific white-sided dolphin</b>
<b>Mawaki</b>	<b>M-49</b>	<b>common bottlenose dolphin?</b>	<b>common bottlenose dolphin</b>
Mawaki	<b>M-50</b>	common bottlenose dolphin	Risso's dolphin
Mawaki	<b>M-54</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	common bottlenose dolphin
Mawaki	<b>M-58</b>	short-beaked common dolphin	Pacific white-sided dolphin
Mawaki	<b>M-61</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	Risso's dolphin
Mawaki	<b>M-69</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	Risso's dolphin
Mawaki	<b>M-87</b>	Pacific white-sided dolphin?	striped dolphin
Mawaki	<b>M-90</b>	short-beaked common dolphin	striped dolphin

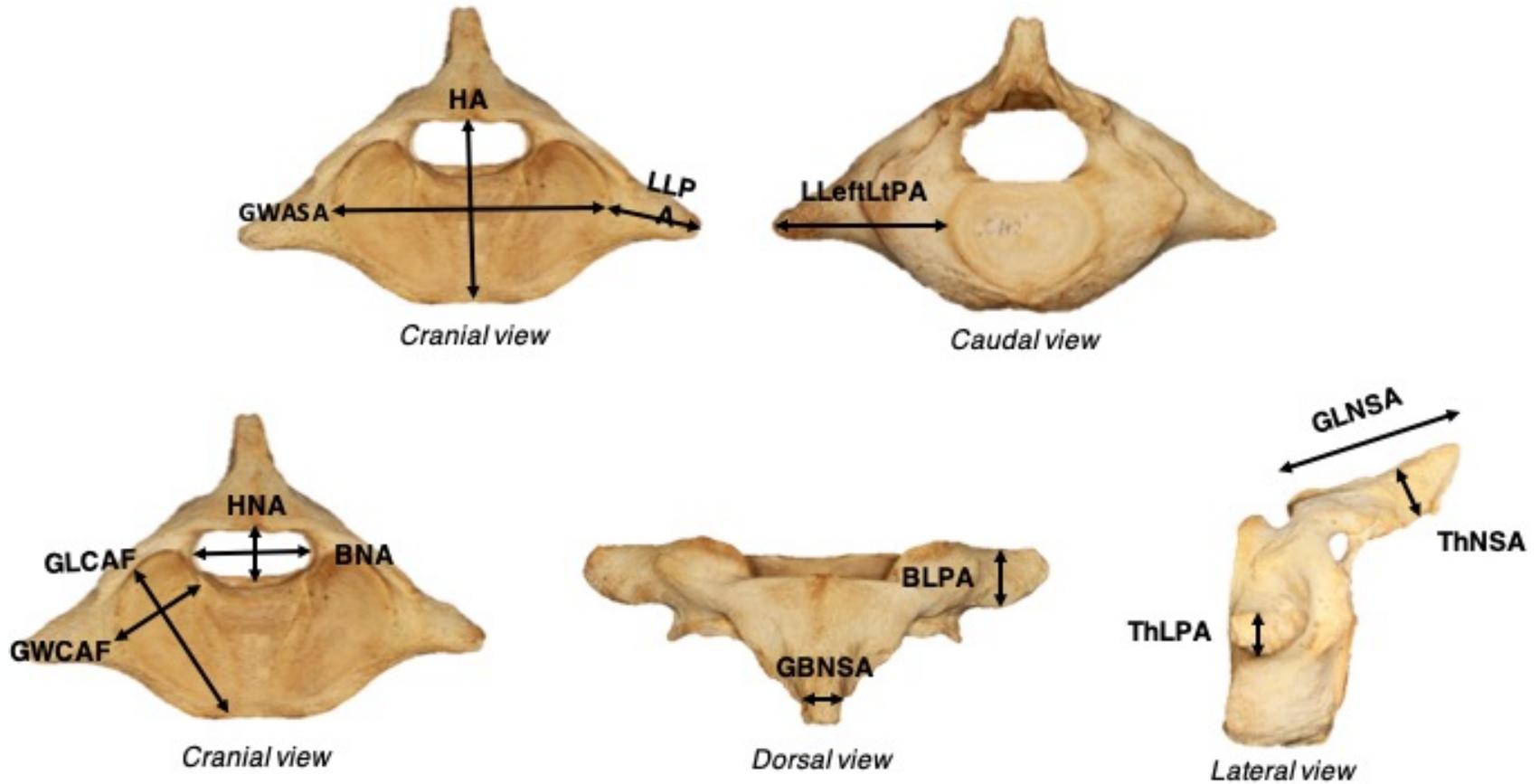
**Table 3.6** (*continued*)

<b>Site</b>	<b>Specimens</b>	<b>Morphological ID</b>	<b>DFA-based ID</b>
Mawaki	<b>M-91</b>	Pacific white-sided dolphin?	northern right whale dolphin
Mawaki	<b>M-106</b>	common bottlenose dolphin or Pacific white-sided dolphin?	northern right whale dolphin
Mawaki	<b>M-109</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	DELPHININAE
Mawaki	<b>M-111</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	Dall's porpoise
Mibiki	<b>159</b>	short-beaked common dolphin	Pacific white-sided dolphin
Mibiki	<b>161</b>	Pacific white-sided dolphin	Pacific white-sided dolphin
Mibiki	<b>483</b>	Pacific white-sided dolphin	Risso's dolphin
Mibiki	<b>494</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	Risso's dolphin
Mibiki	<b>495</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	DELPHININAE
Mibiki	<b>748</b>	Pacific white-sided dolphin	PHOCOENIDAE
Mibiki	<b>749</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	DELPHININAE
Kafukai-1	<b>RKA2047</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	GLOBICEPHALINAE
Kafukai-1	<b>RKA2804</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	GLOBICEPHALINAE
Kafukai-1	<b>RKA3690</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	PHOCOENIDAE
Kafukai-1	<b>RKA3982</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	GLOBICEPHALINAE
Kafukai-1	<b>RKA5918</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	Pacific white-sided dolphin
Kafukai-1	<b>RKA15283</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	Harbor porpoise
Kafukai-1	<b>RKA15547</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	short-beaked common dolphin
Kafukai-1	<b>RKA17138</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	Pacific white-sided dolphin
Kafukai-1	<b>RKA18142</b>	<i>Dolphin</i>	Pacific white-sided dolphin

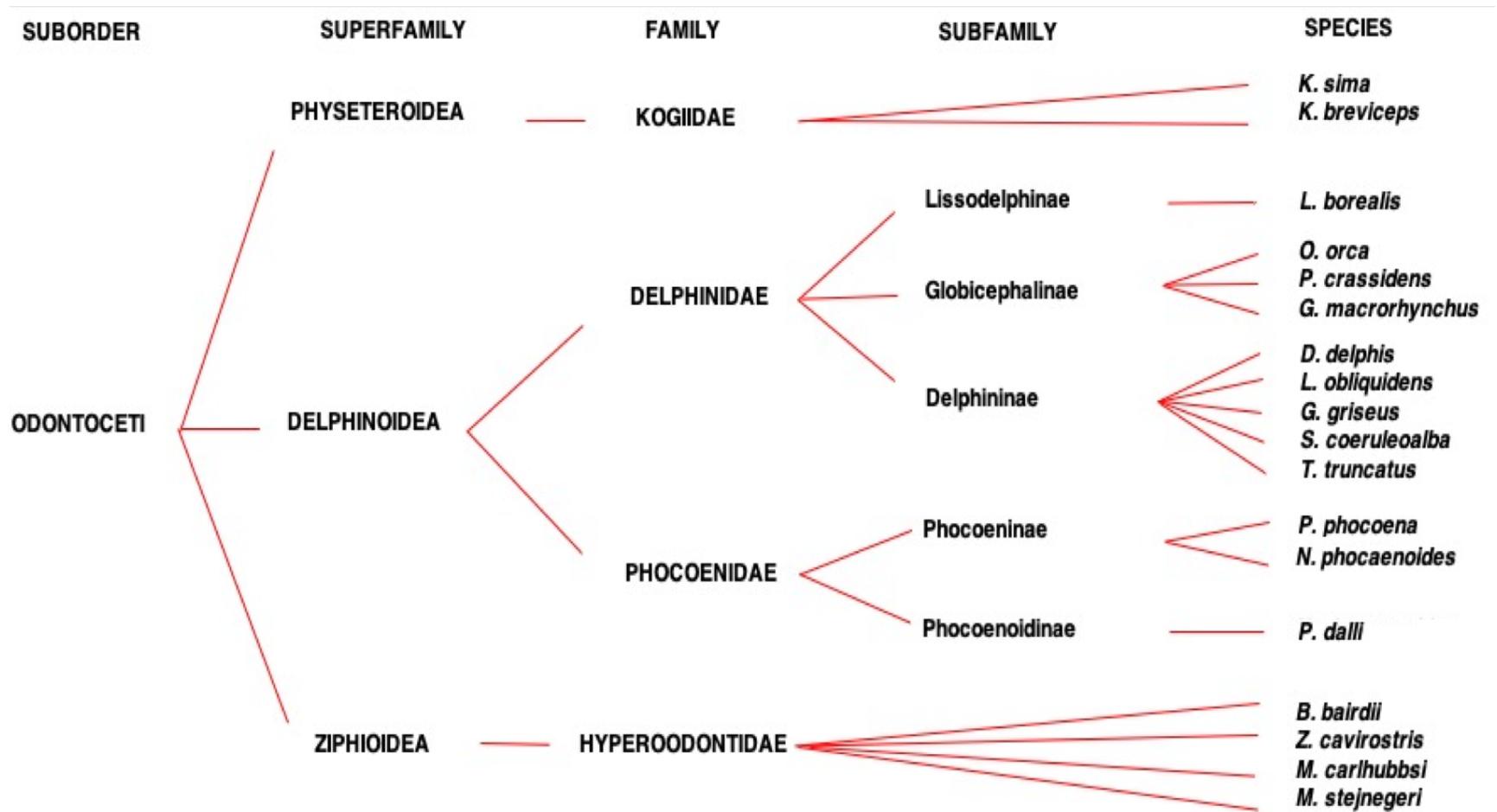
**Figure 2.1** Representative atlas and axis vertebrae specimens of 18 toothed whale species from the National Museum of Nature and Science, Tsukuba, Ibaraki, Japan used in this study.



**Figure 2.2** Thirteen linear measurements used in this study. The details are described in Table 2.2

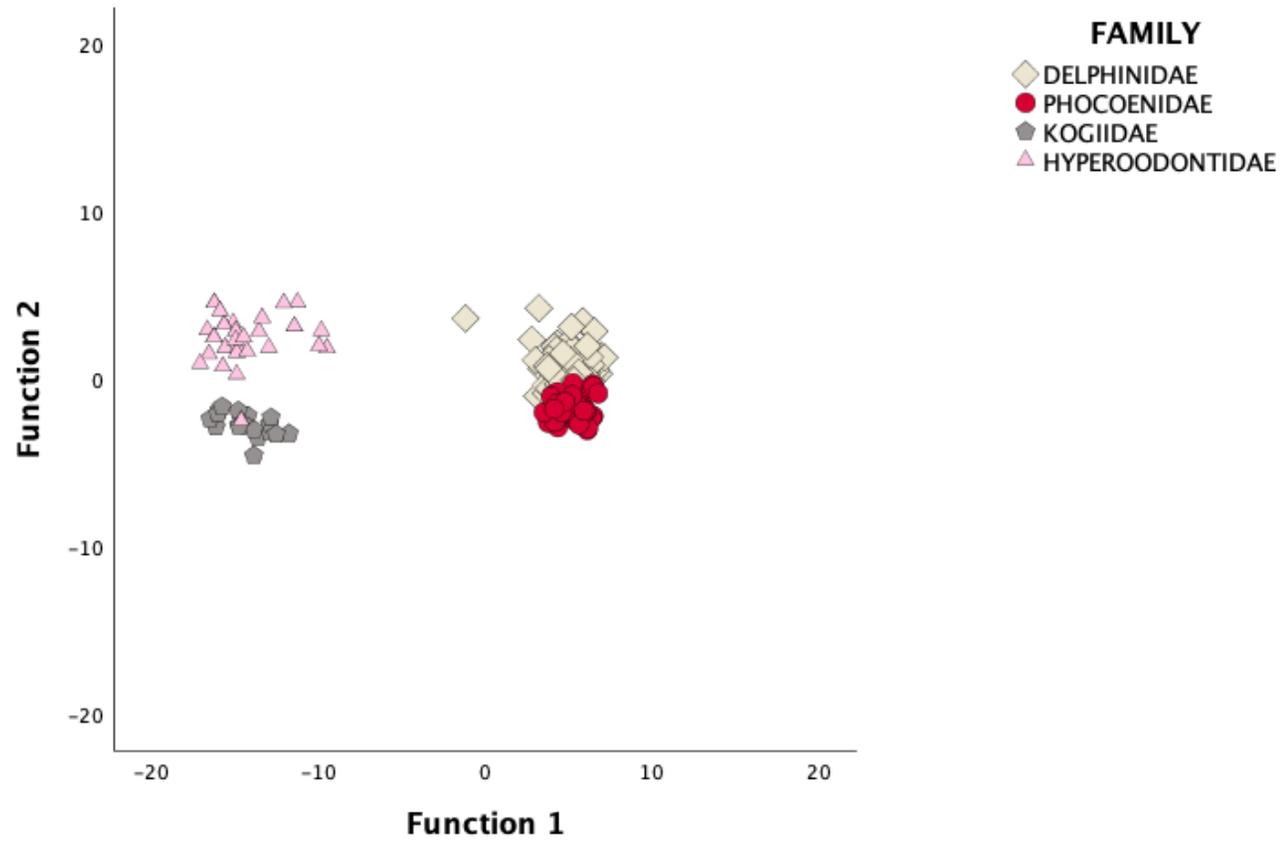


**Figure 2.3** Classification scheme used in this study following Perrin (1989).

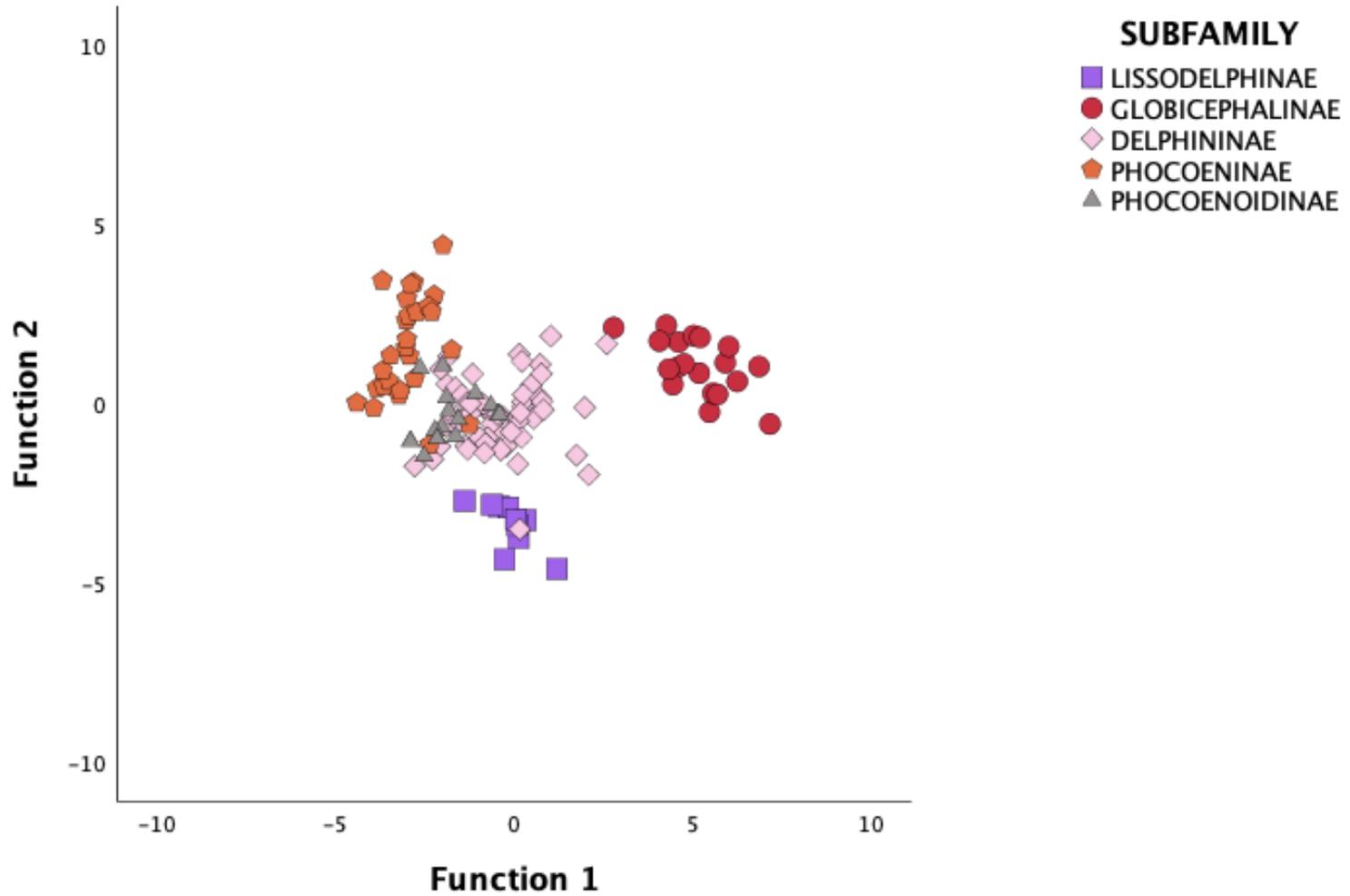




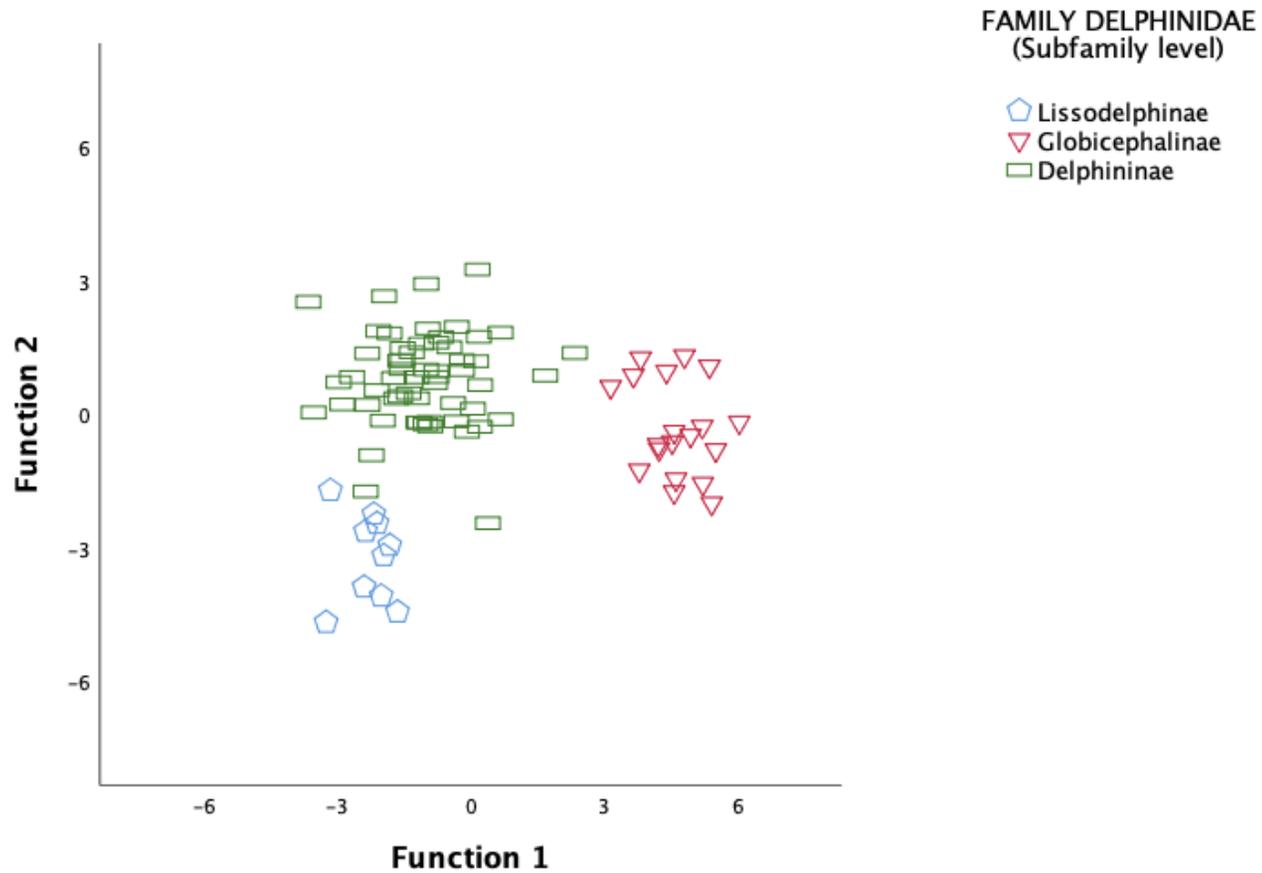
**Figure 2.5** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the family level classification of 18 toothed whale species.



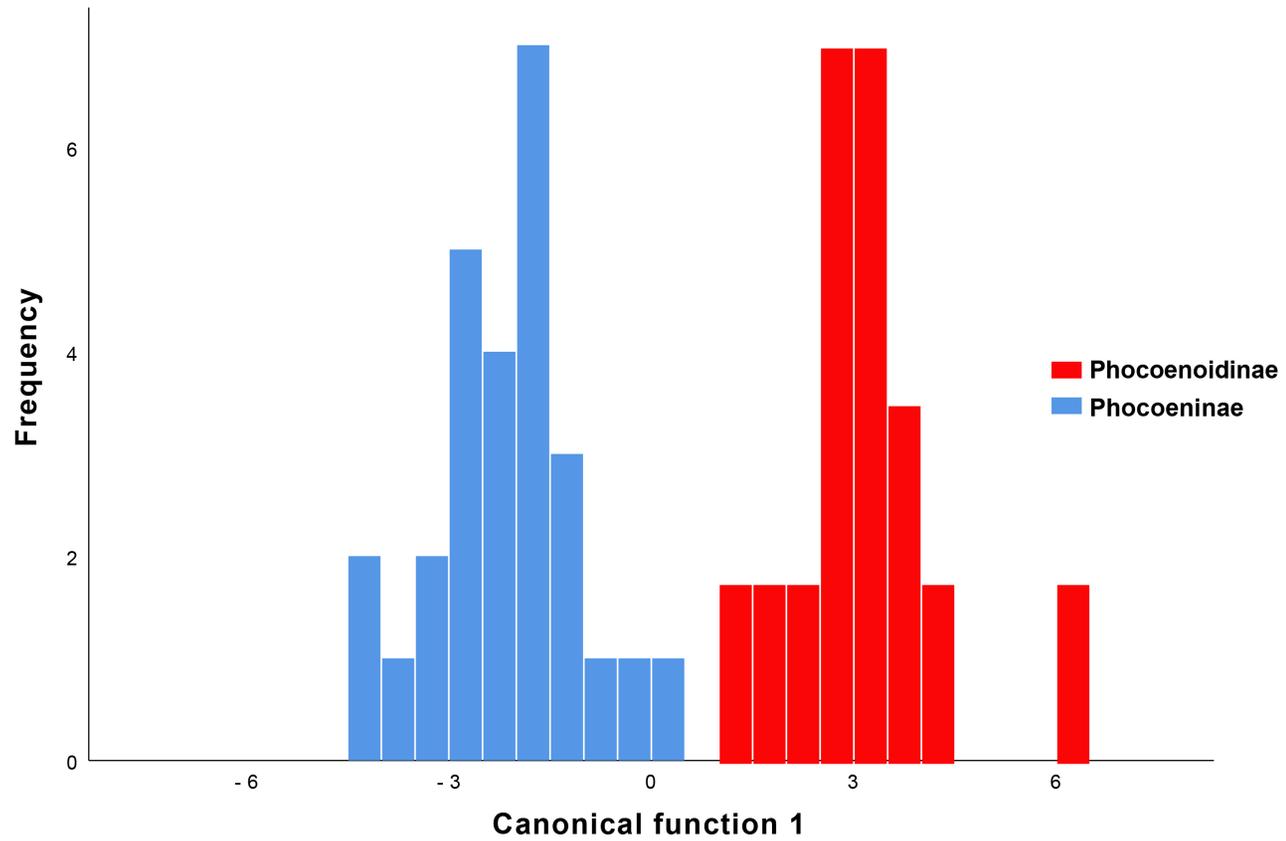
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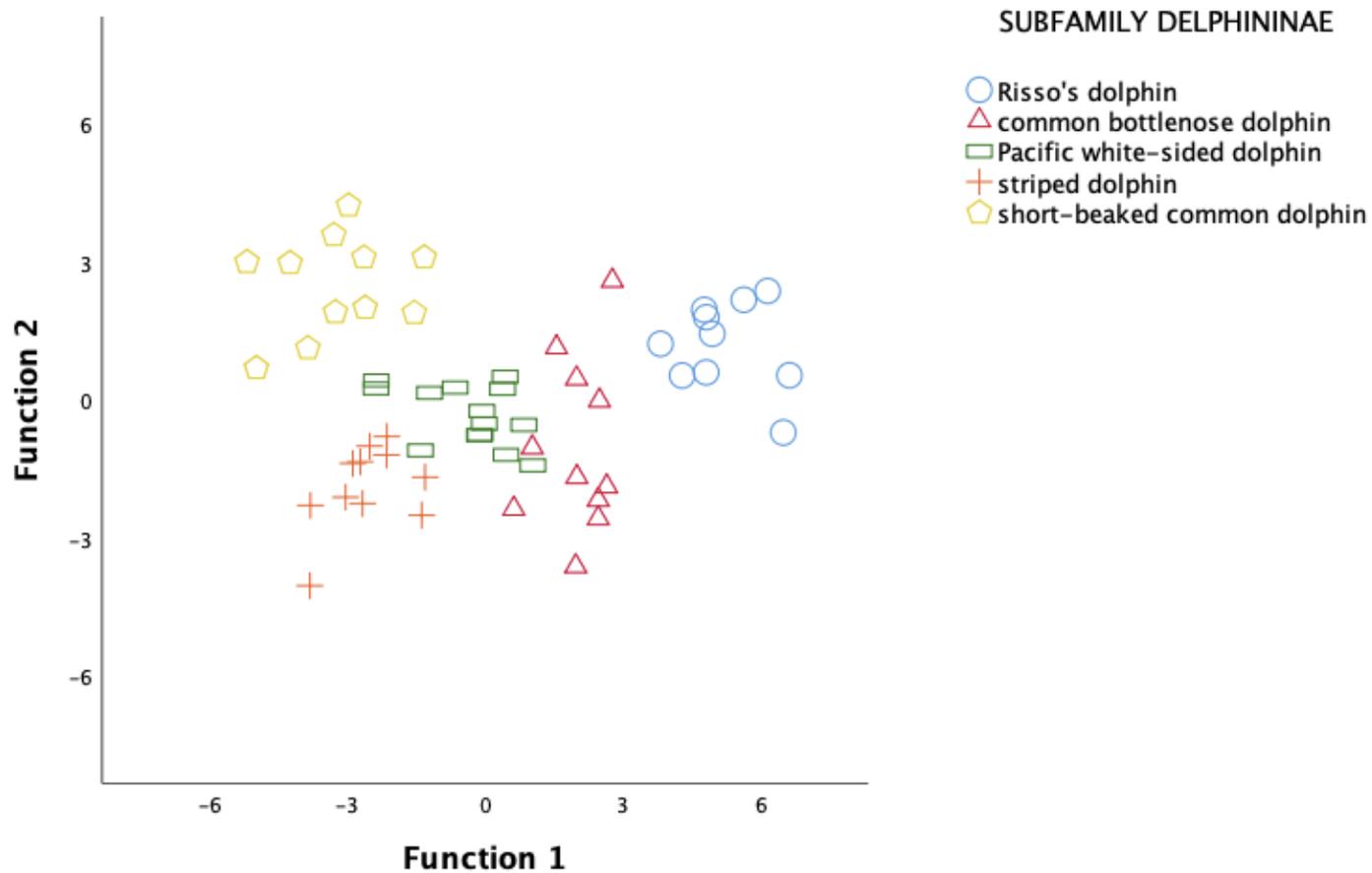
**Figure 2.7** Combined-groups plot of canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebrae for subfamily level classification within the family Delphinidae of nine toothed whale species (Lissodelphinae, Delphininae, and Globicephalinae).



**Figure 2.8** Histogram of the canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebrae for subfamily level classification within the Family Phocoenidae of three toothed whale species (Phocoeninae and Phocoenoidinae).



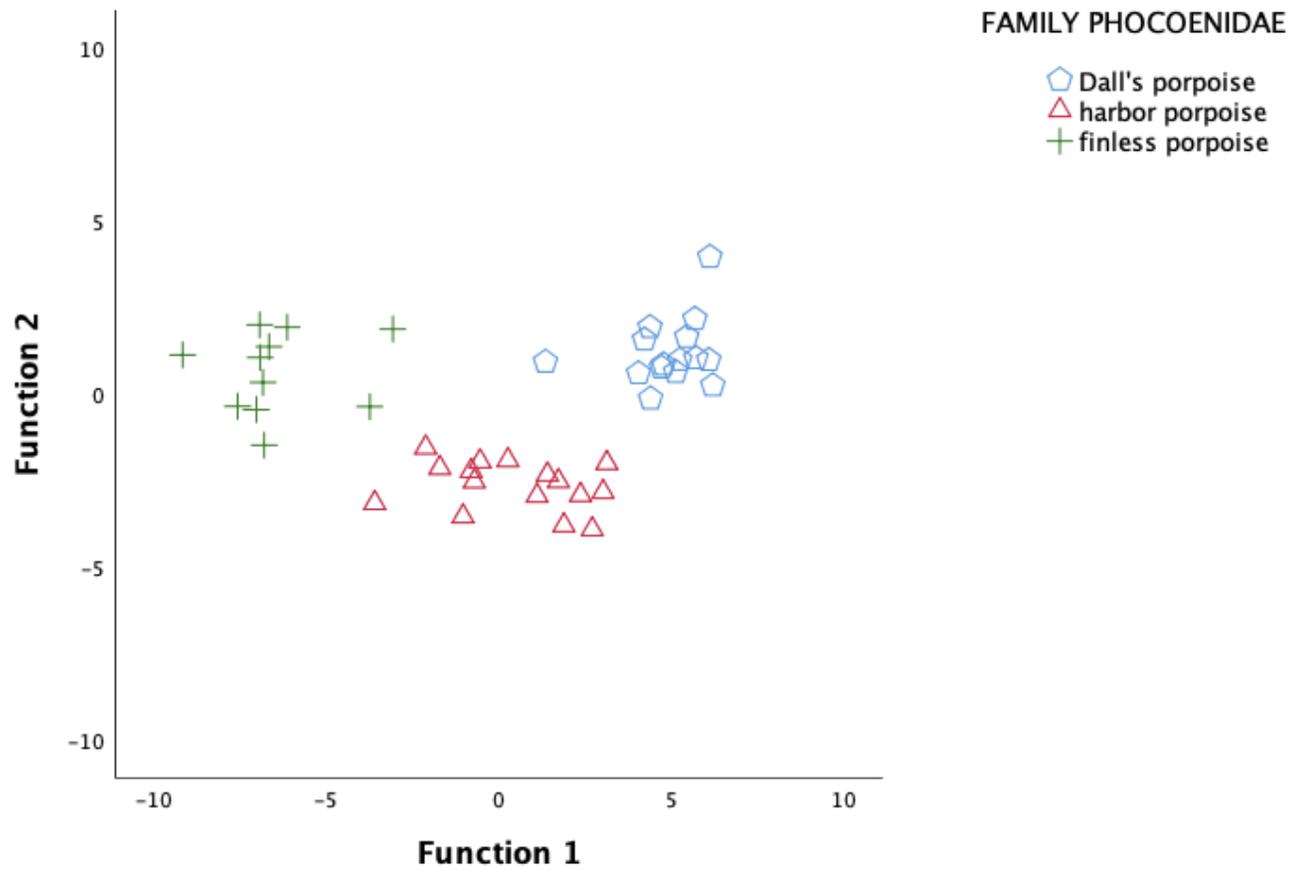
**Figure 2.9** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for species-level classification within the subfamily Delphininae with 5 toothed whale (Risso's dolphin, common bottlenose dolphin, Pacific white-sided dolphin, striped dolphin, and short-beaked common dolphin).



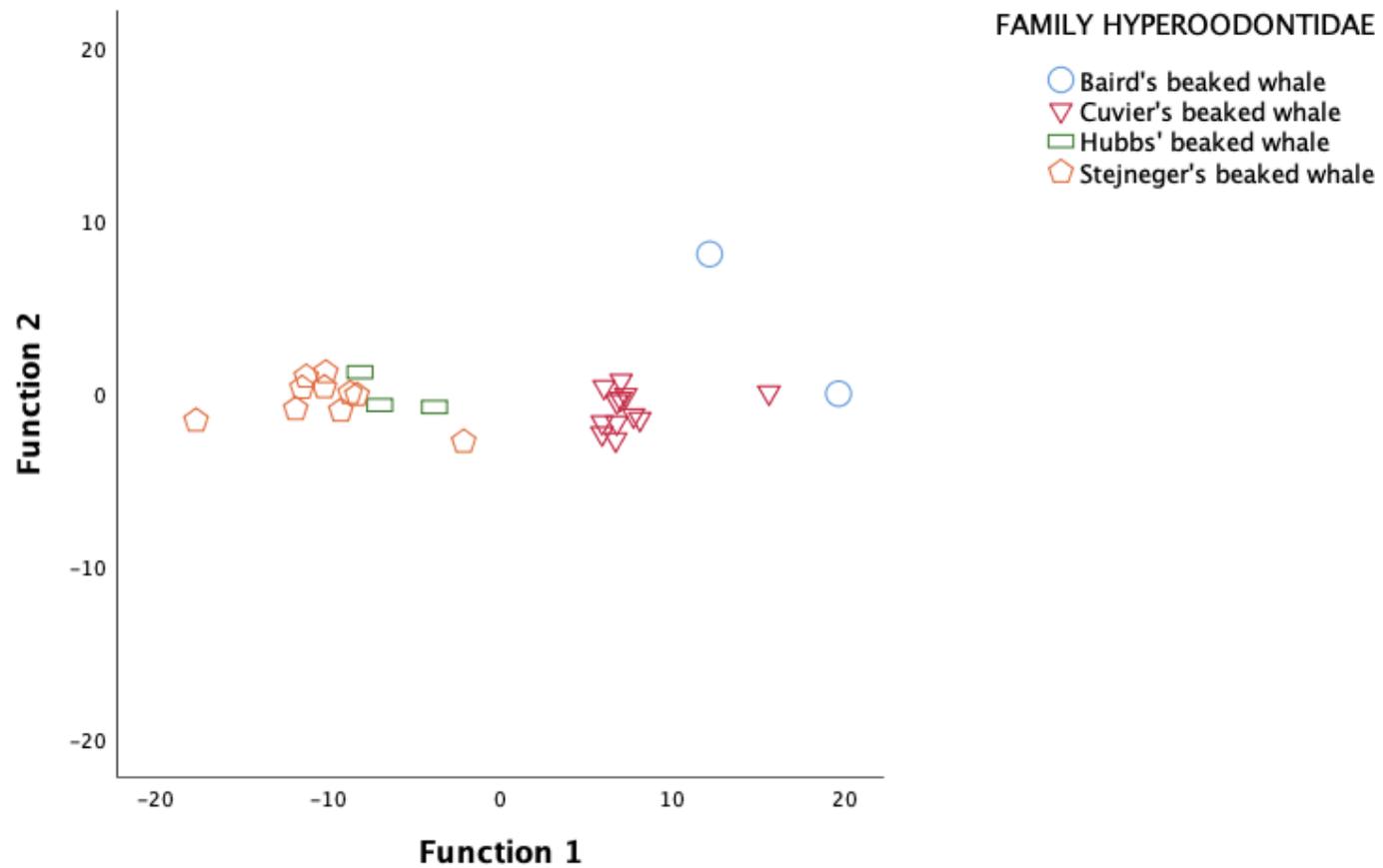




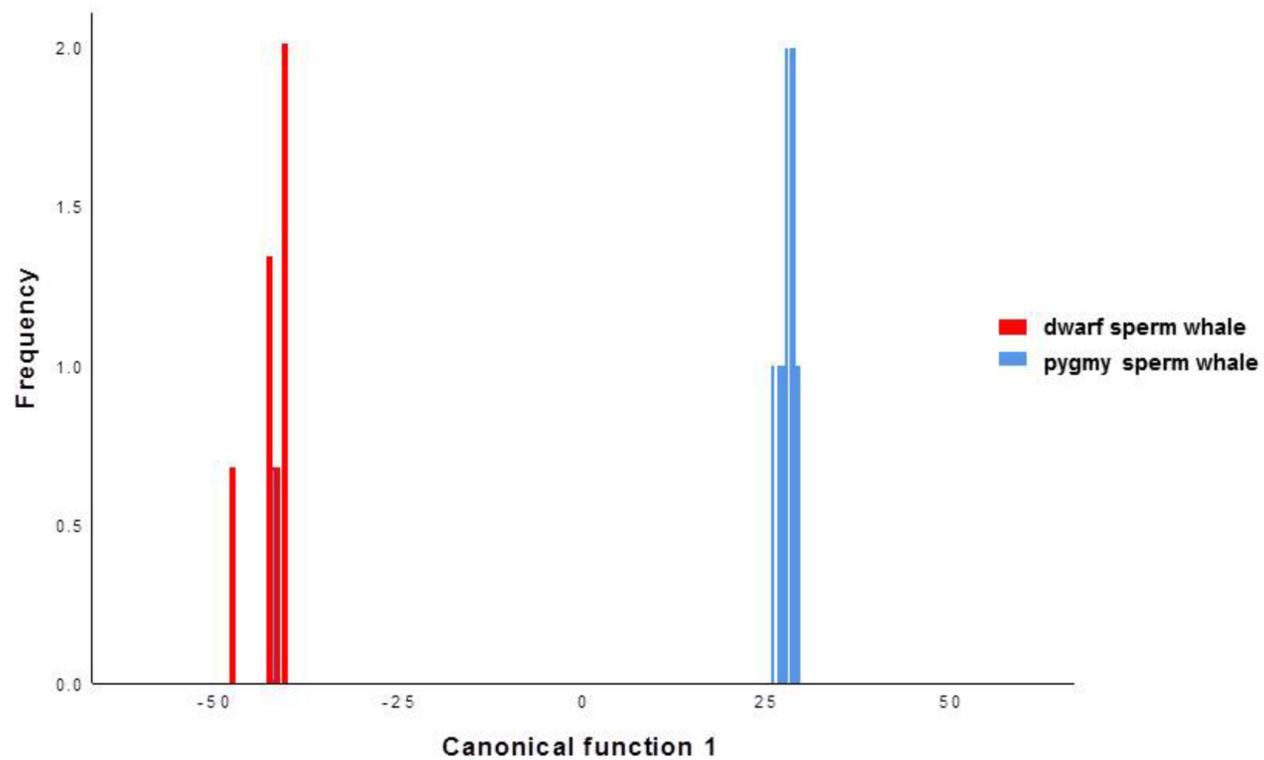
**Figure 2.12** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebrae for species-level classification within the Family Phocoenidae with three toothed whale species (Dall's porpoise, harbor porpoise, and finless porpoise).



**Figure 2.13** Combined-groups plot of canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebrae for species-level classification within the family Hyperoodontidae (Baird's beaked whale, Cuvier's beaked whale, Hubbs' beaked whale, and Stejneger's beaked whale).



**Figure 2.14** Separate-group plot showed no overlap and clearly discriminated the atlas and axis vertebra for species level classification in the Family Kogiidae of two toothed whale species (pygmy sperm whale and dwarf sperm whale).



**Figure 3.1** Map showing location of early Jomon Mawaki site of Noto Peninsula, central Japan (Source: Nakamura & Takada, 2016)

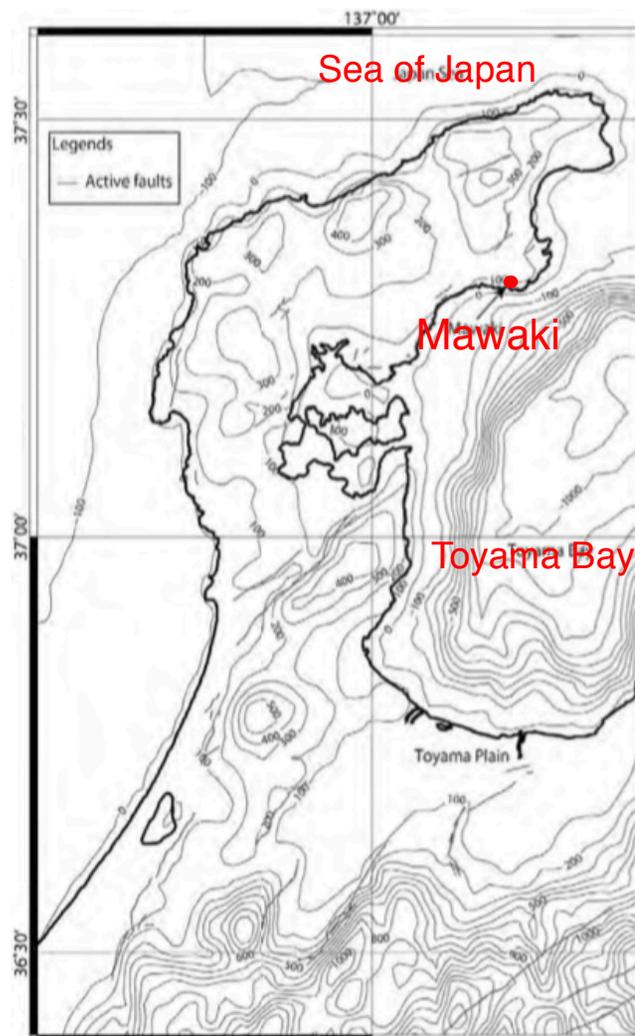
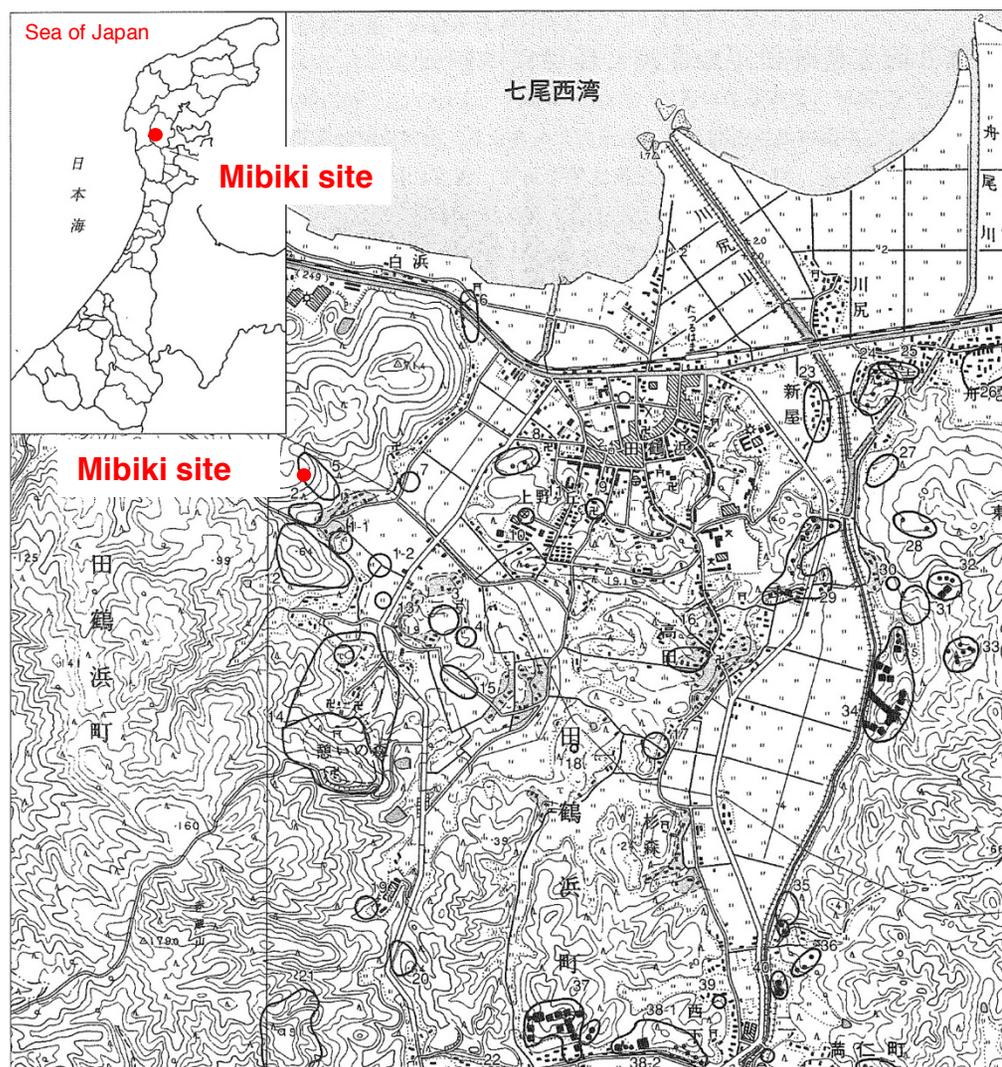


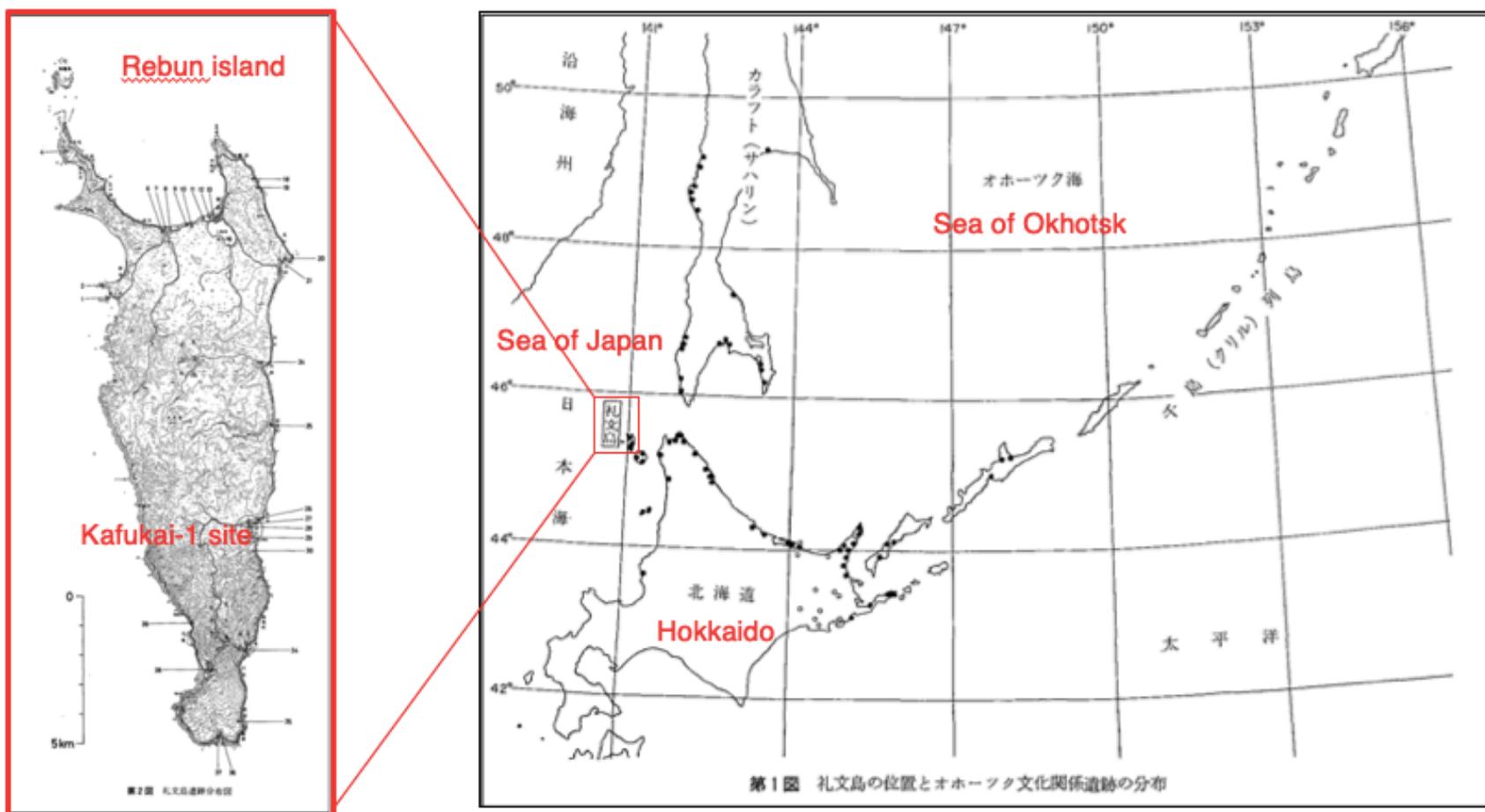
Figure 3.2 Map showing location of early Jomon Mibiki site of Noto Peninsula, central Japan



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**Figure 3.3** Map showing location of Okhotsk Kafukai-1 site on Rebun Island, Hokkaido, northern Japan (Source: Ohba & Ohya, 1976)



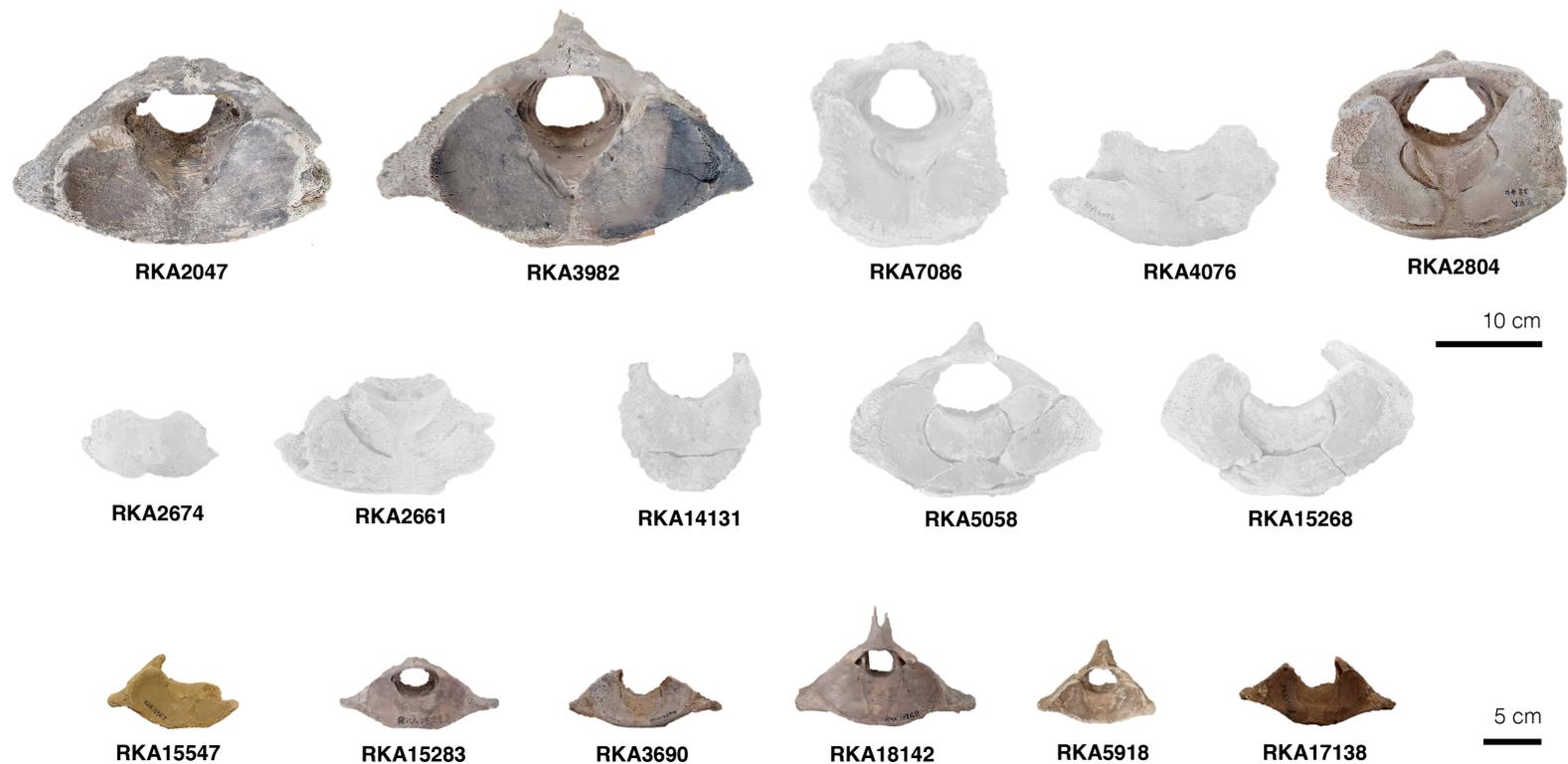
**Figure 3.4** Representatives early Jomon Mawaki zooarchaeological samples examined in this study (4/28 samples)



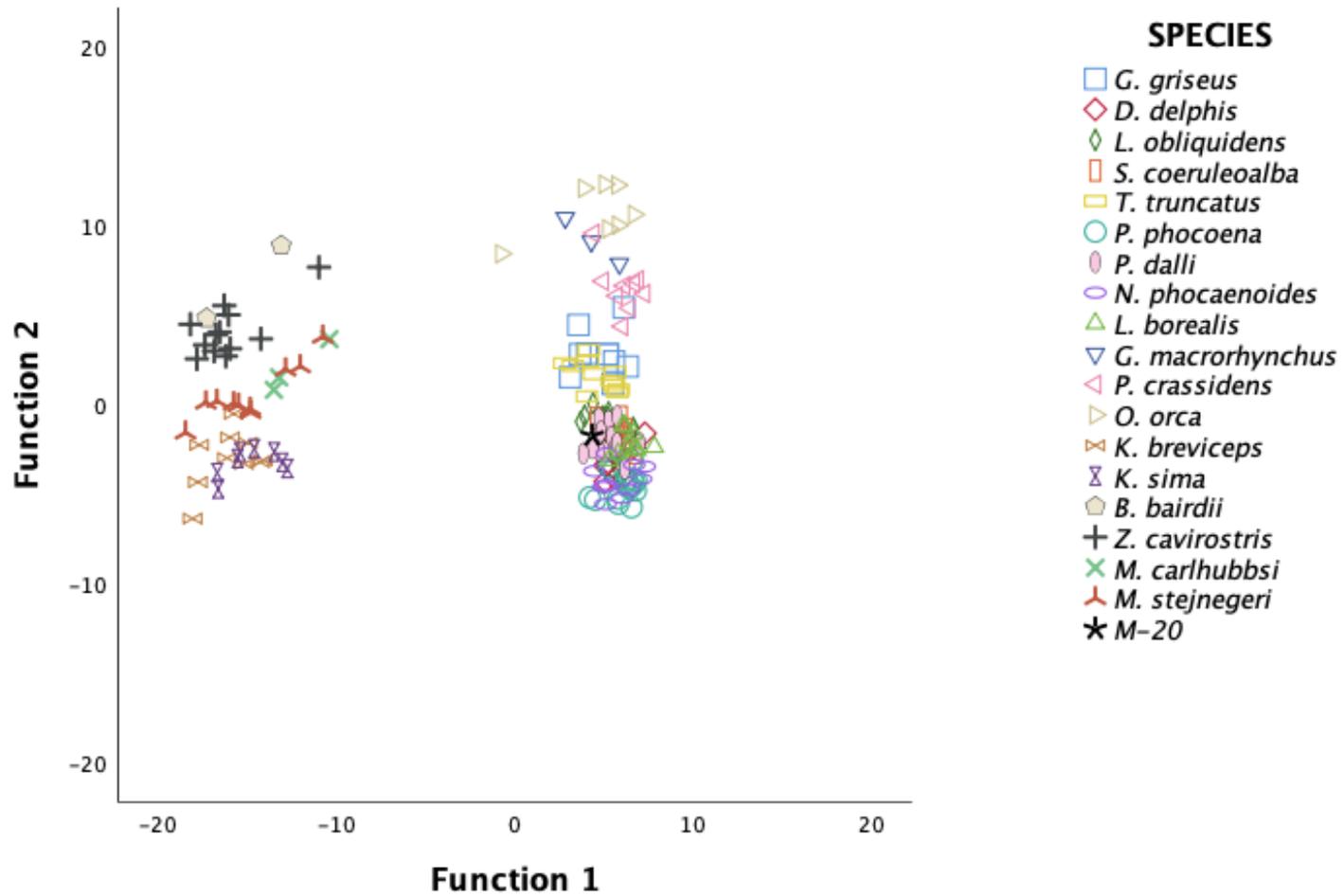
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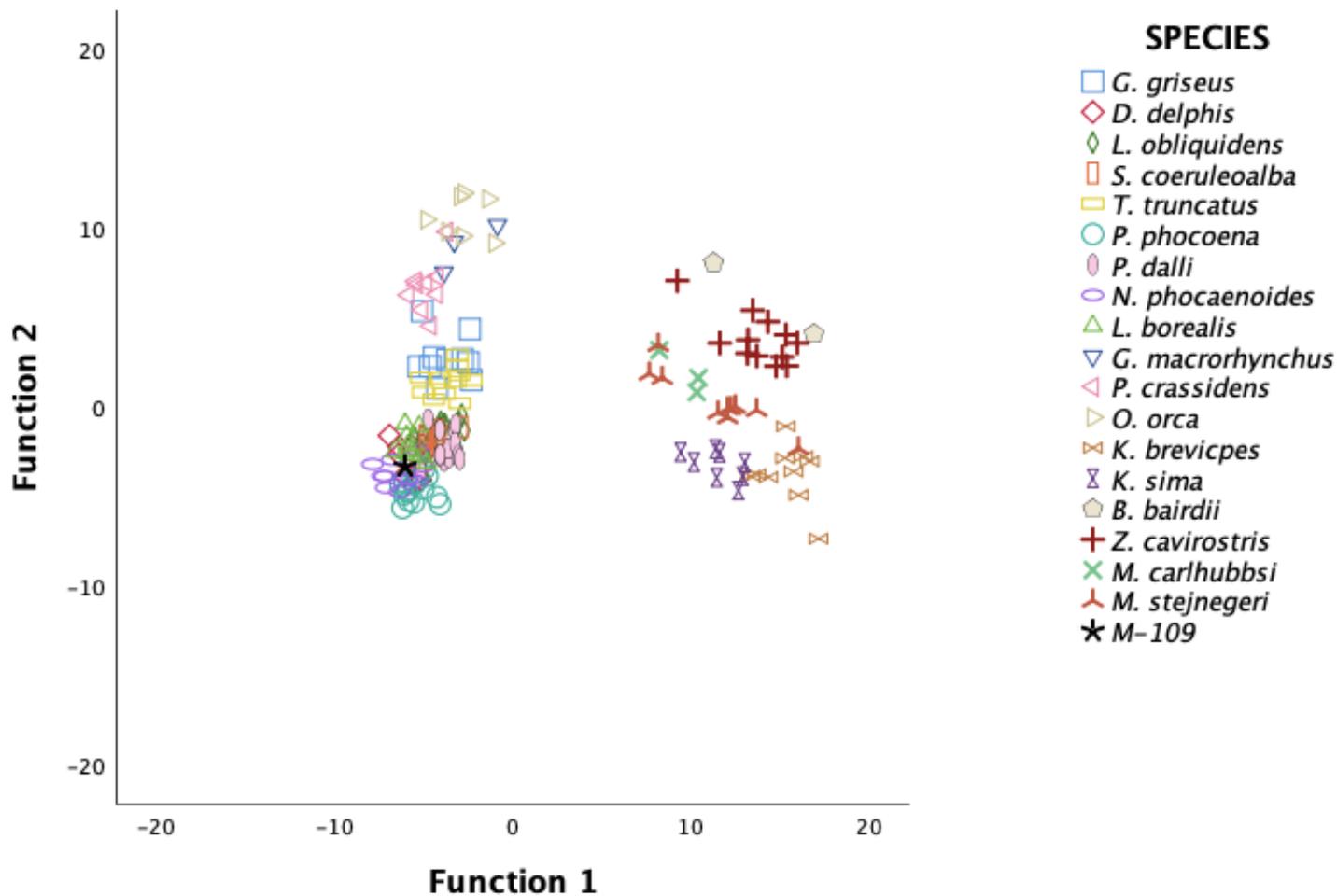
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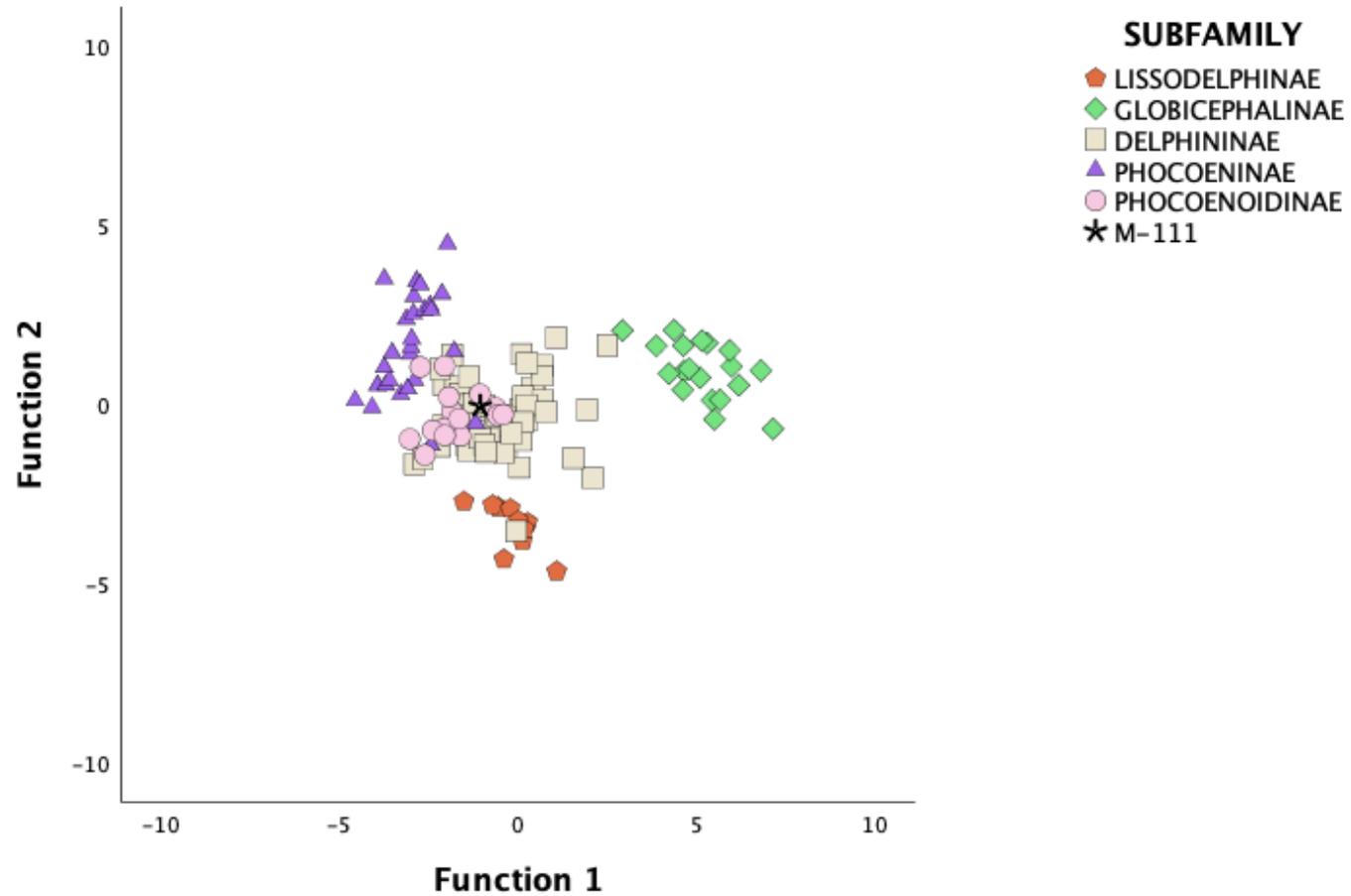
**Figure 3.4** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical DFA for prediction of group membership of M-20 at species-level classification. Note that the sample (M-20) was assigned to Dall's porpoise (*P. dalli*).



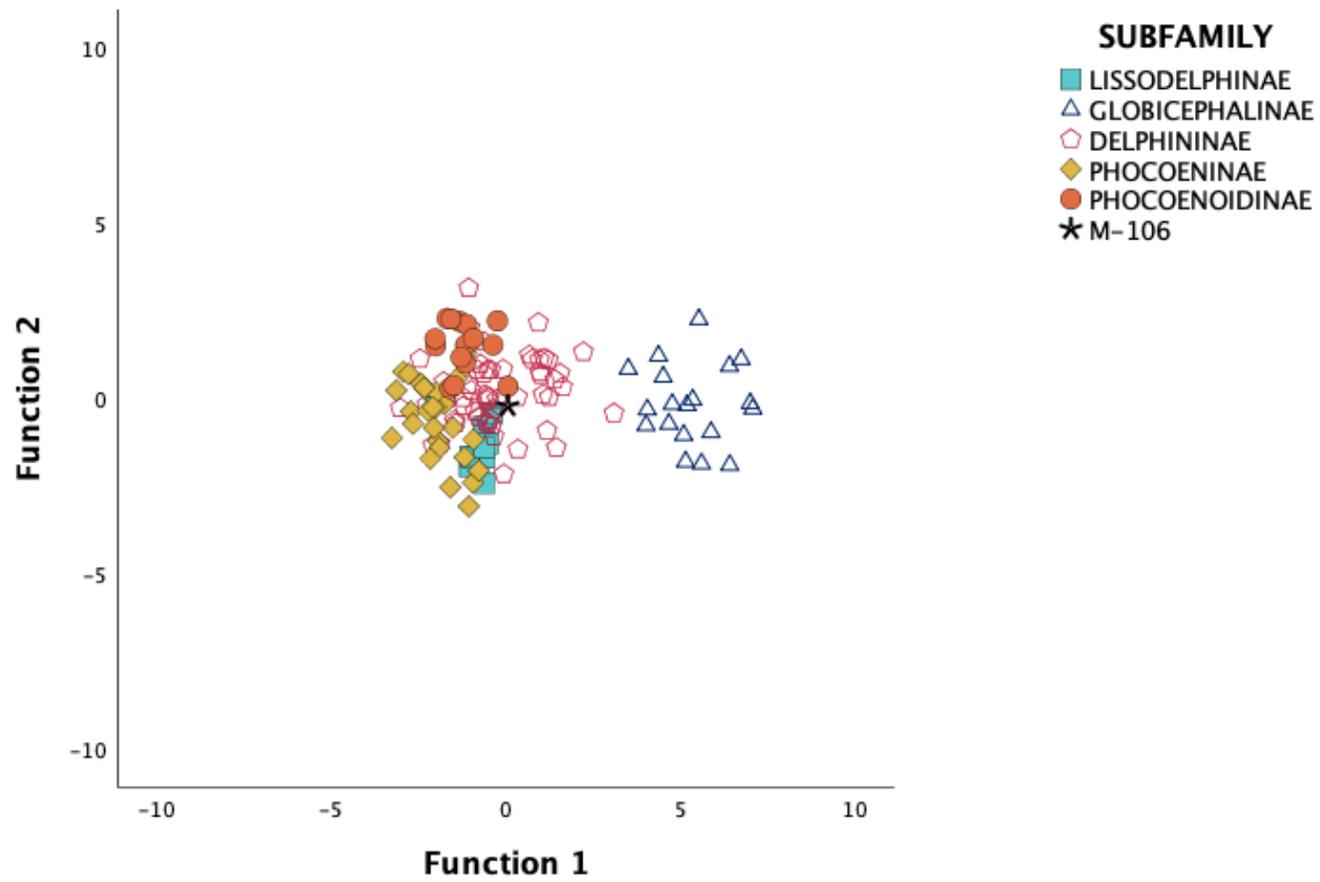
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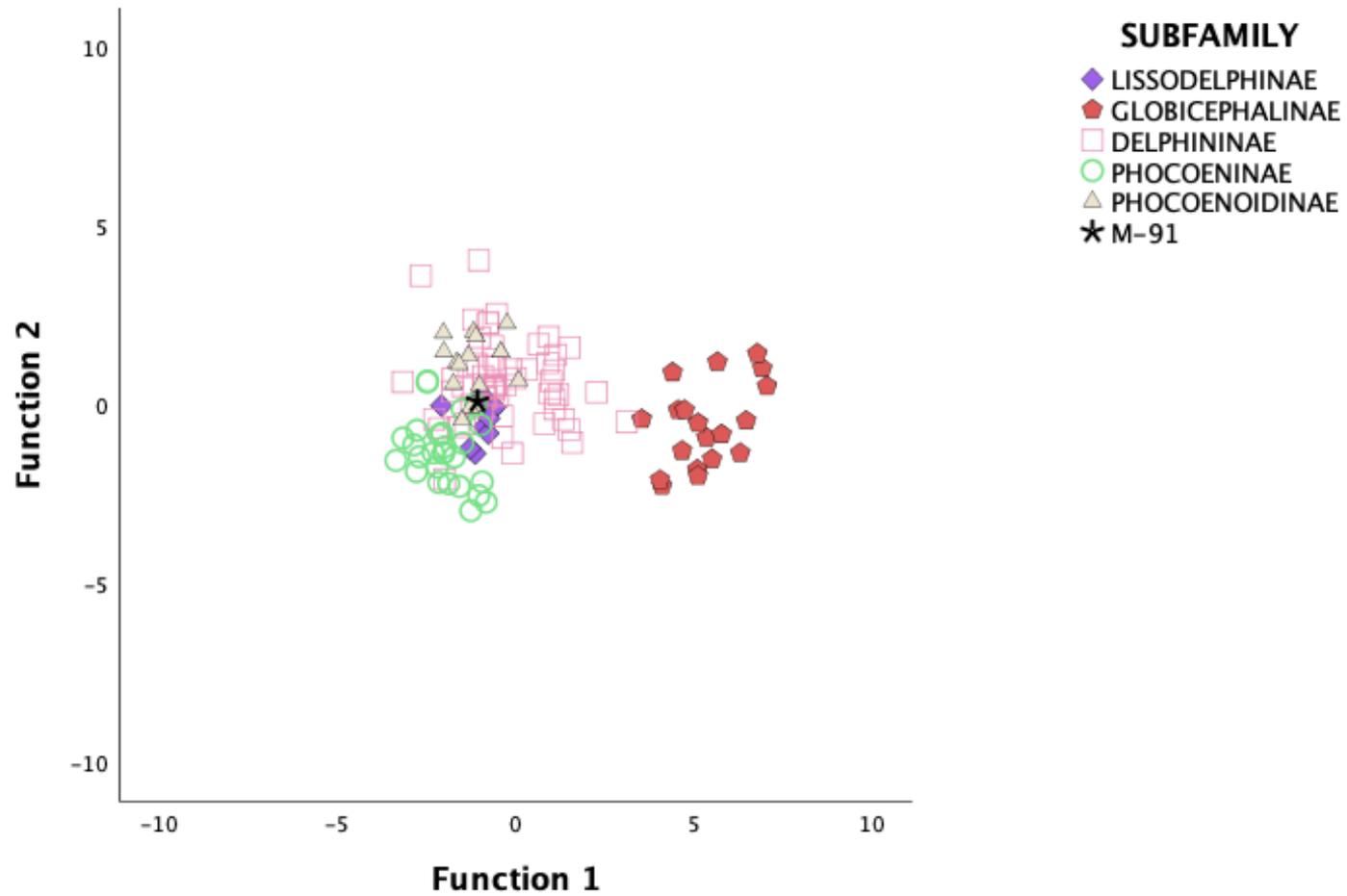
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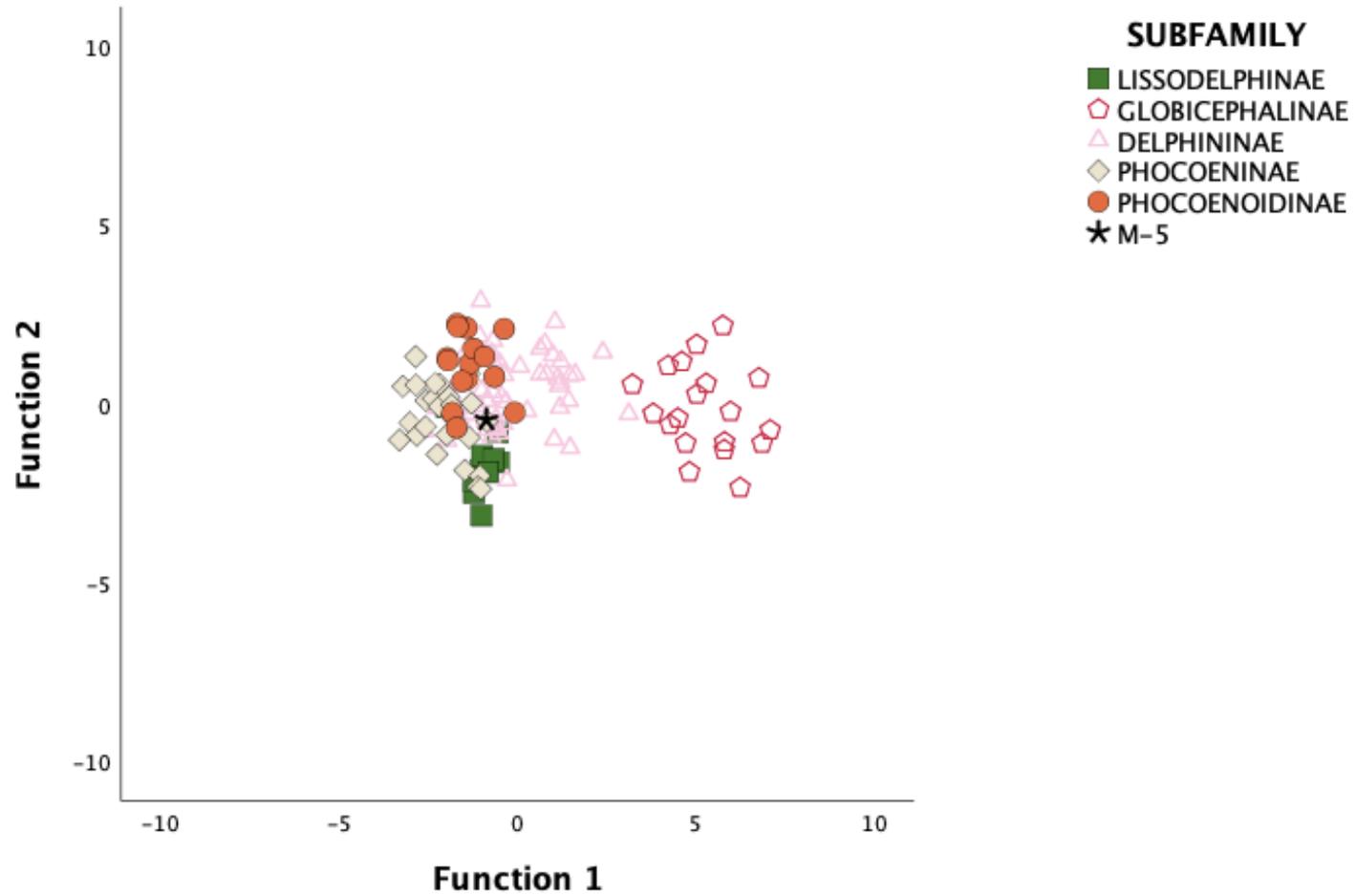
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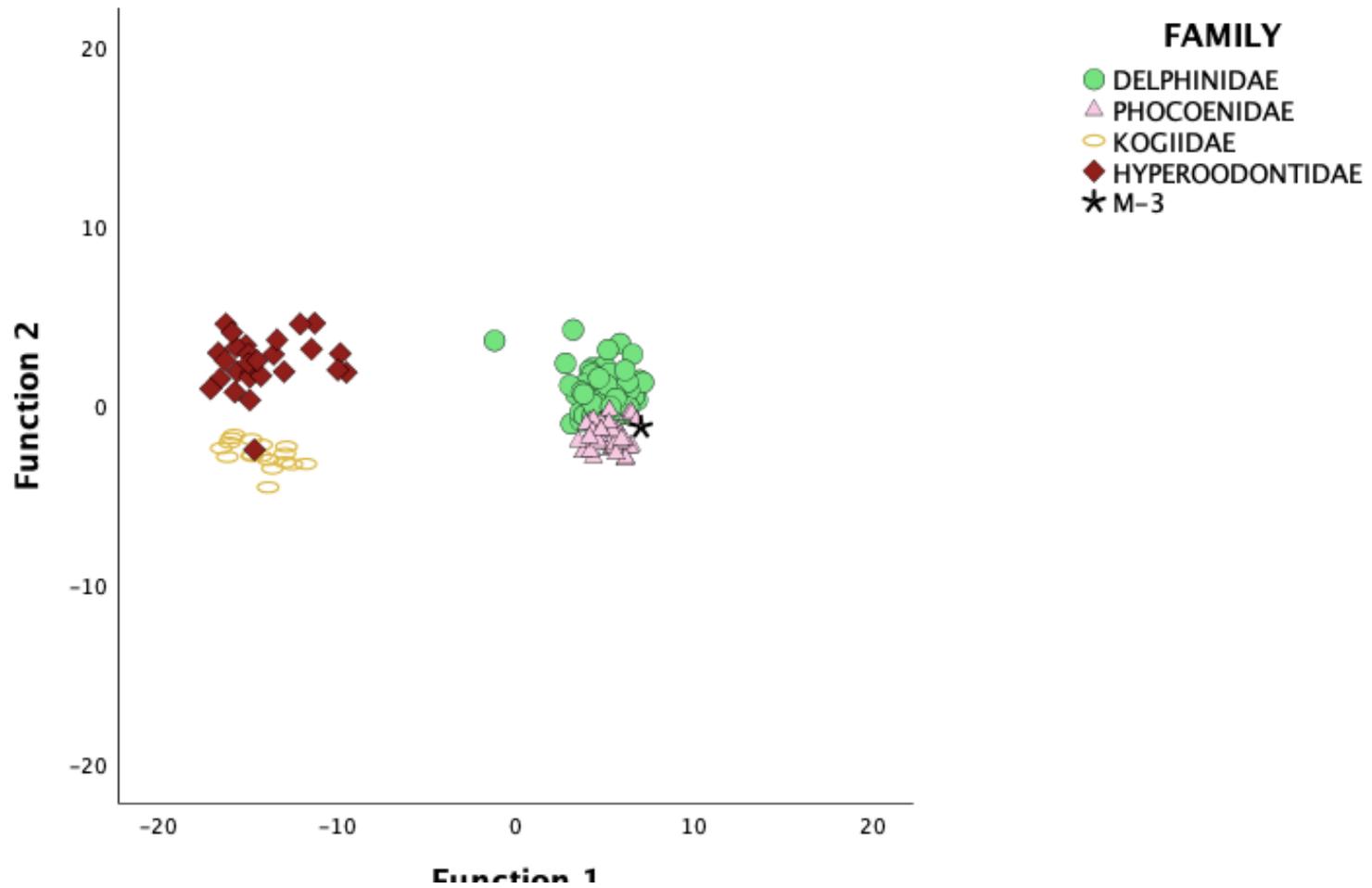
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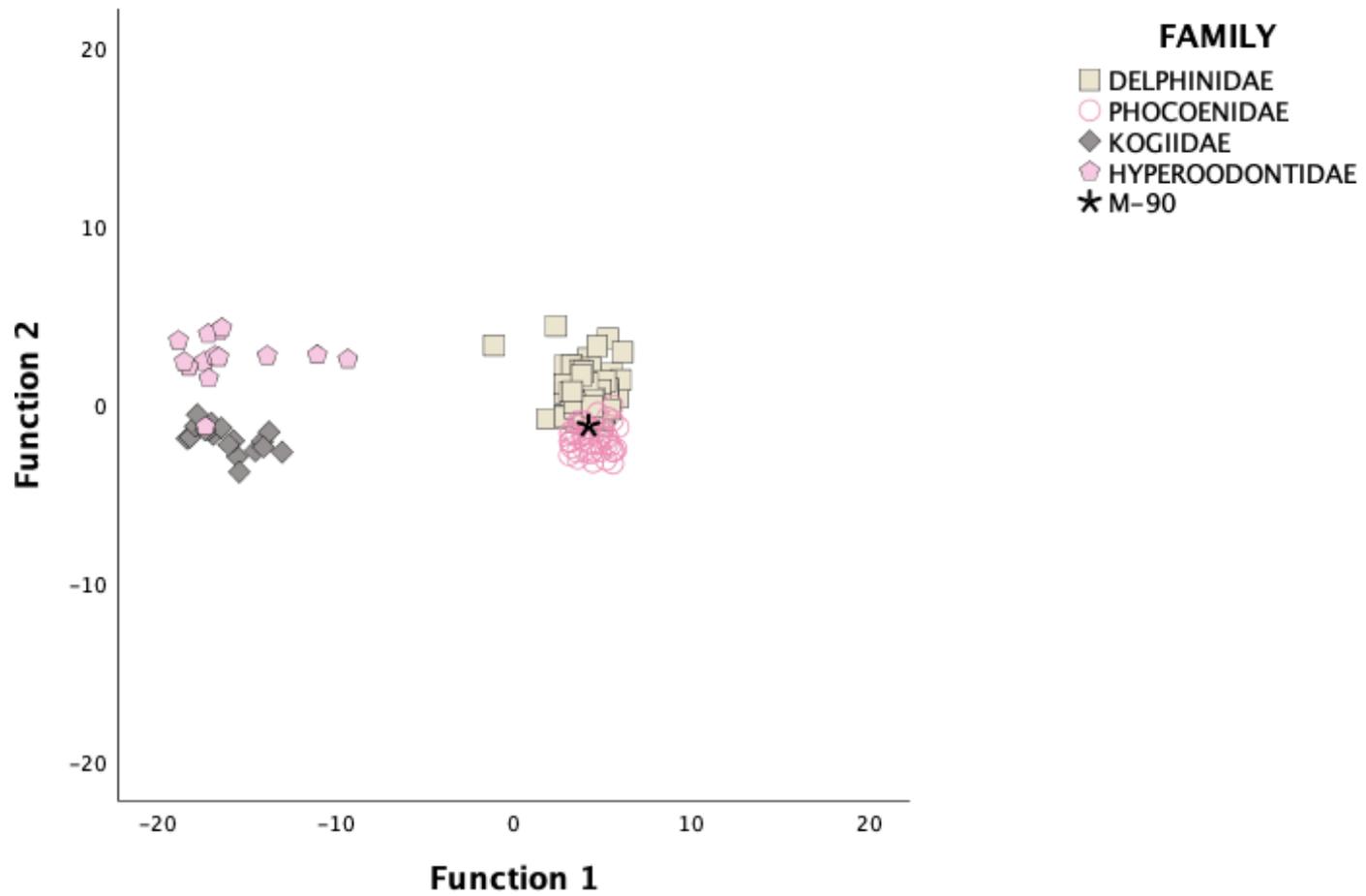
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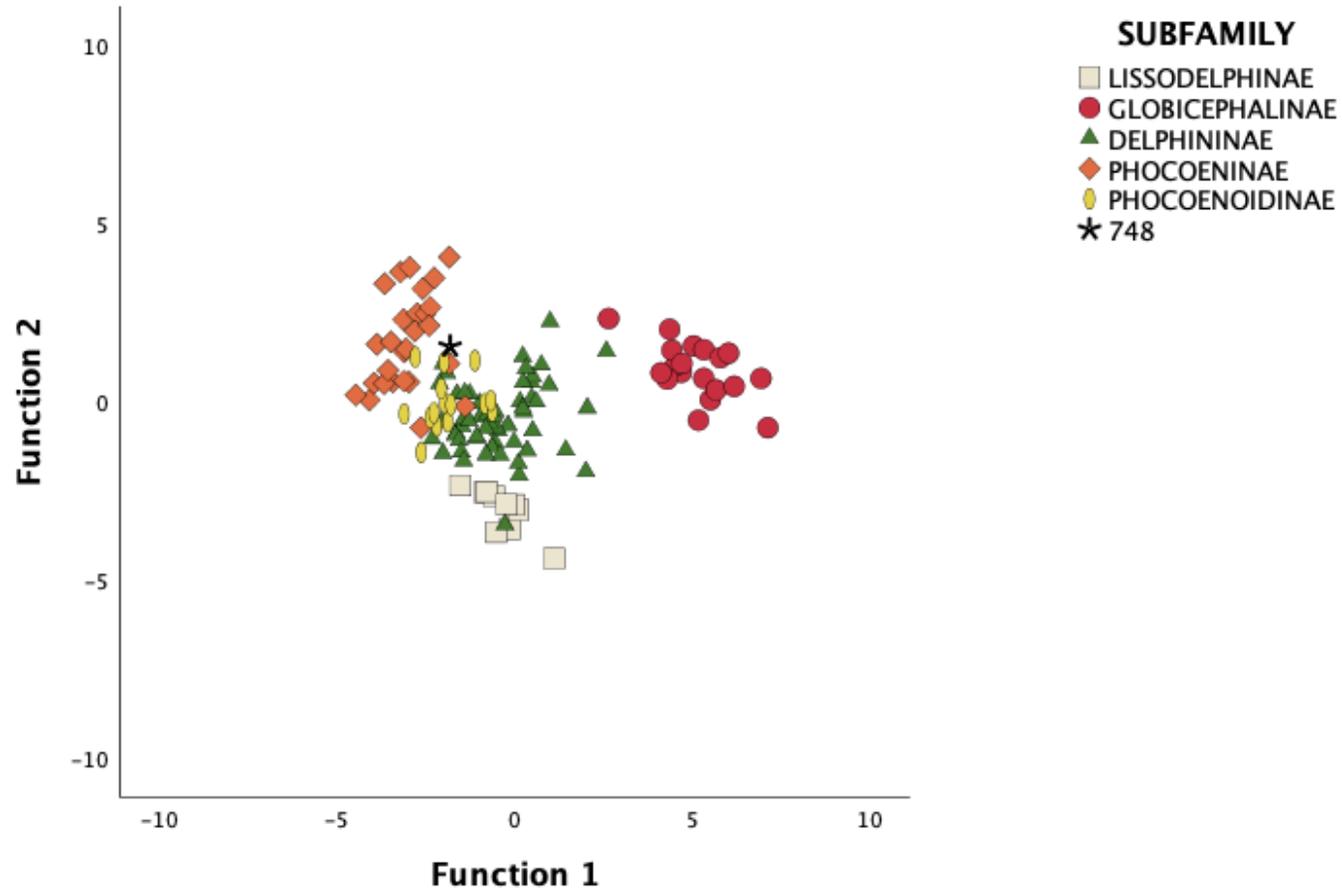
**Figure 3.10** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical DFA for prediction of group membership of M-3 at family-level classification. Note that the sample (M-3) was assigned to Phocoenidae



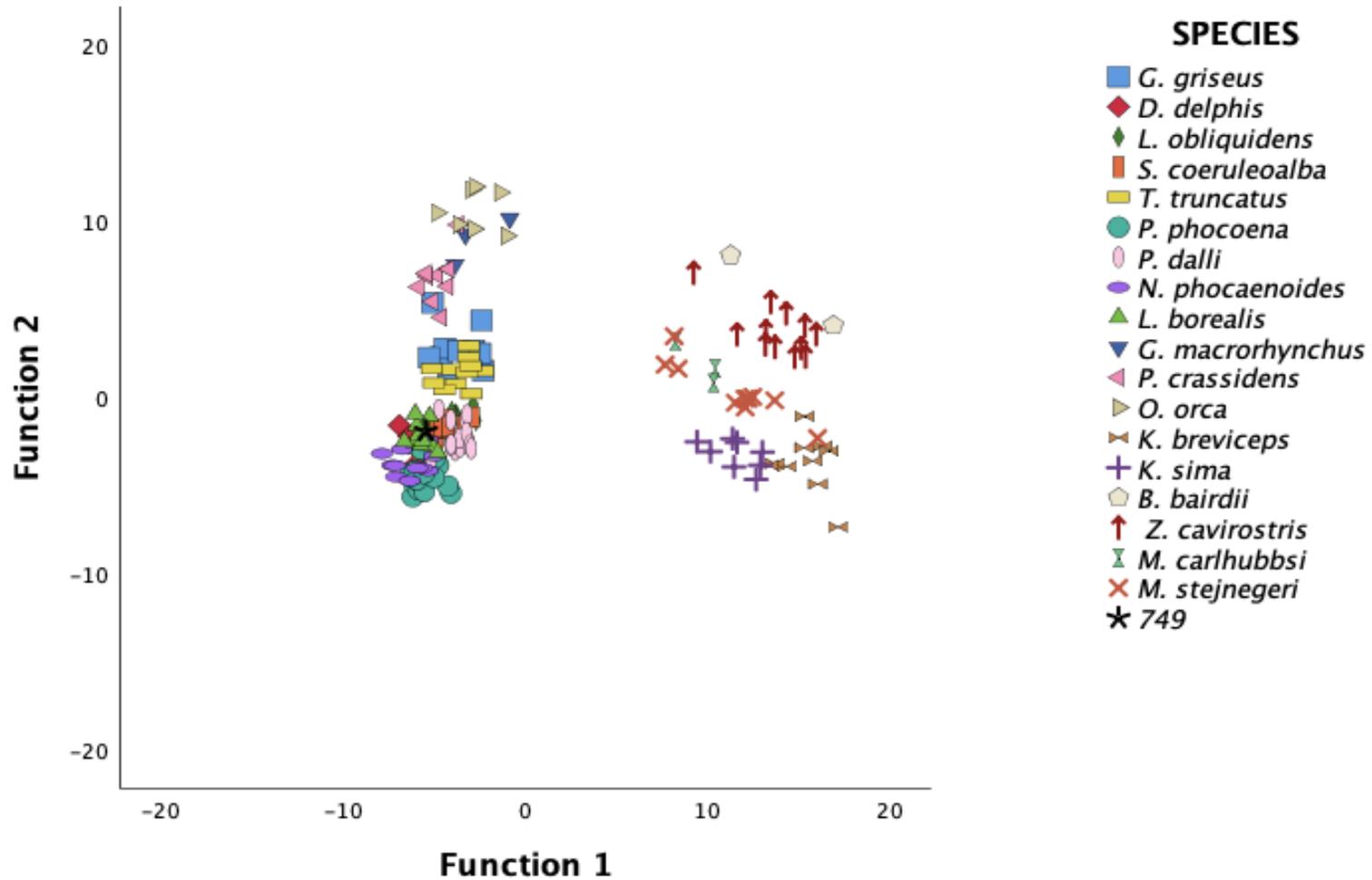
**Figure 3.11** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical DFA for prediction of group membership of M-90 at family-level classification. Note that the sample (M-90) was assigned to Delphininae



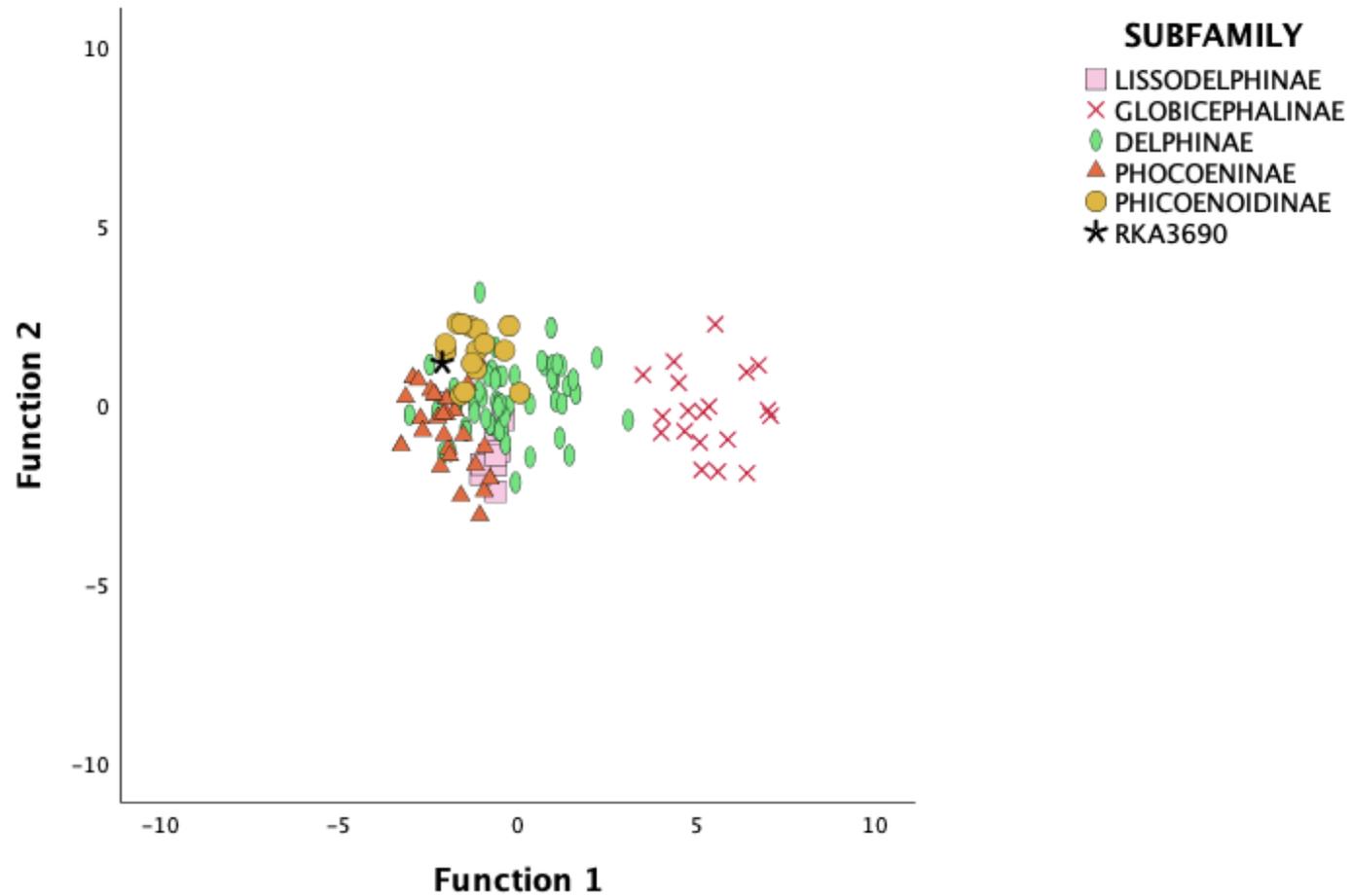
**Figure 3.12** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical DFA for prediction of group membership of 748 at subfamily-level classification. Note that the sample (748) was assigned to Delphininae.



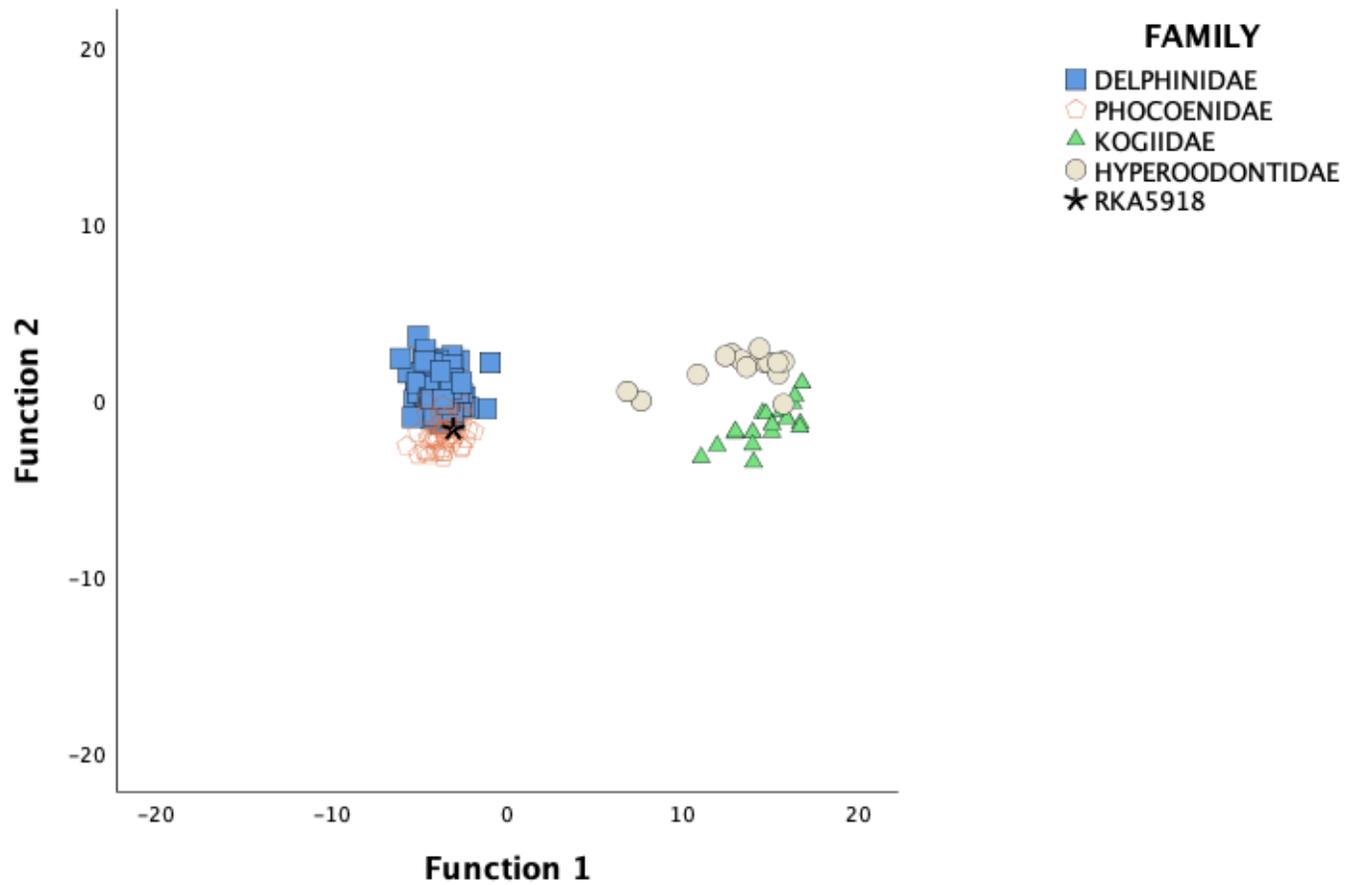
**Figure 3.13** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical DFA for prediction of group membership of 749 at species-level classification. Note that the sample (749) was assigned to Dall's porpoise (*P. dalli*).



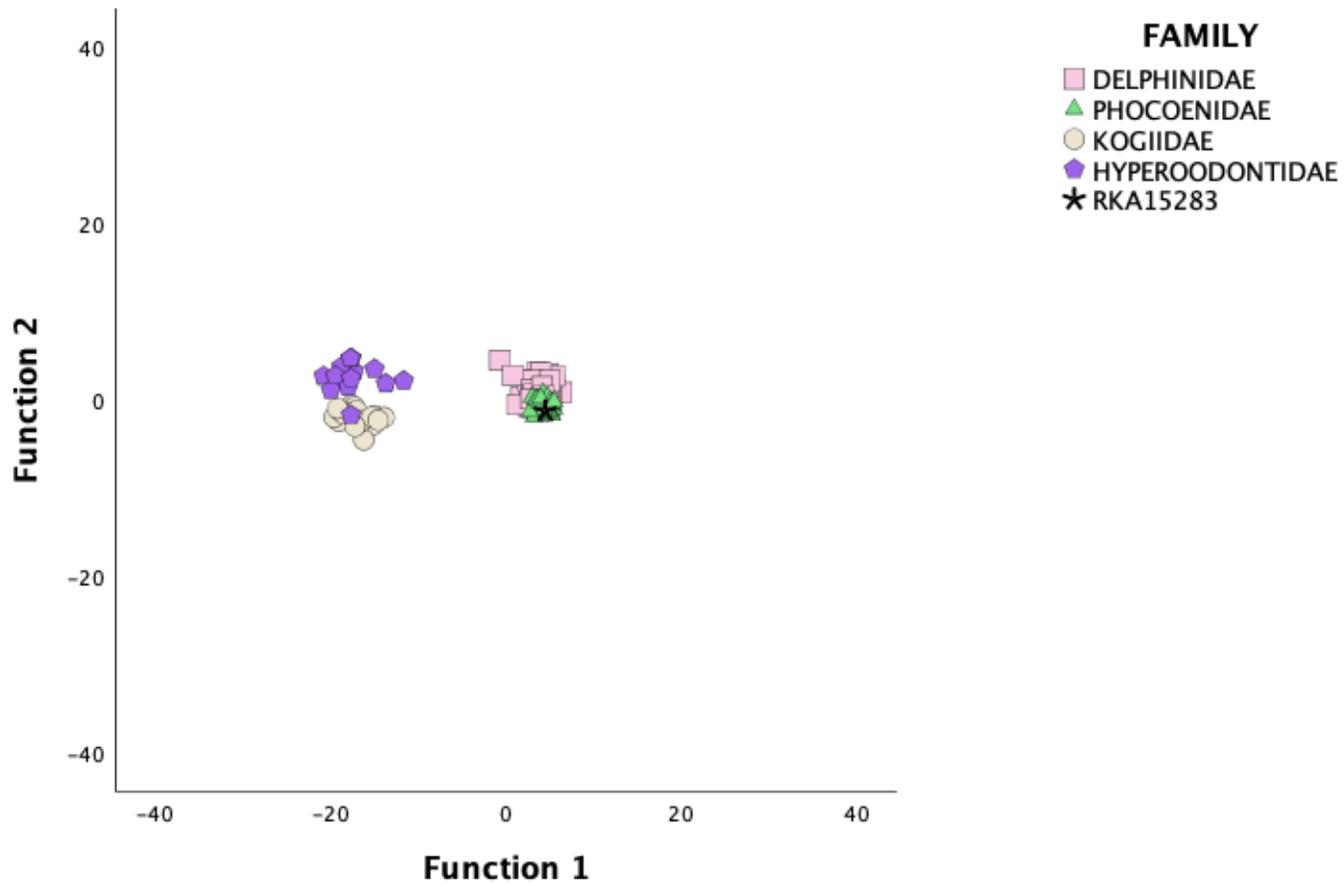
**Figure 3.14** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical DFA for prediction of group membership of RKA3690 at subfamily-level classification. Note that the sample (RKA3690) was assigned to Phocoenoidinae.



**Figure 3.15** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical DFA for prediction of group membership of RKA5918 at family-level classification. Note that the sample (RKA5918) was assigned to Phocoenidae



**Figure 3.16** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical DFA for prediction of group membership of RKA15283 at subfamily-level classification. Note that the sample (RKA15283) was assigned to Delphininae



## **APPENDIX A**

Detailed list of modern reference samples and measurements data

**Table S1** Detailed list of modern samples and measurements data (N = 173)

SPECIMENS	SPECIES	Measurement (mm)													SOURCES
		GWASA	HA	GLNSA	LLPA	LLeftLiPA	GLCAF	GWCAF	BNA	HNA	GBNSA	ThLPA	BLPA	ThNSA	
M33075	<i>Grampus griseus</i>	102.49	73.78	36.29	45.95	66.61	53.75	39.25	45.98	39.47	17.15	12.39	19.43	13.85	NMNS
M29326	<i>Grampus griseus</i>	106.95	58.86	37.37	51.97	57.78	64.06	40.76	51.26	39.65	25.87	16.76	22.41	13.92	NMNS
M32618	<i>Grampus griseus</i>	129.50	102.28	57.16	63.32	78.13	78.12	50.79	58.00	37.90	19.82	21.93	31.98	24.20	NMNS
M36338	<i>Grampus griseus</i>	114.66	76.58	43.97	53.03	63.46	55.56	39.22	45.81	34.14	21.04	12.38	17.55	15.86	NMNS
M35066	<i>Grampus griseus</i>	112.27	80.74	34.71	47.66	67.09	56.33	45.43	46.49	35.69	18.38	18.69	17.41	17.23	NMNS
M42006	<i>Grampus griseus</i>	115.16	82.44	36.34	51.84	61.63	57.98	40.96	49.65	36.06	21.04	14.14	16.78	18.06	NMNS
M33736	<i>Grampus griseus</i>	111.79	80.83	26.53	41.91	68.30	59.50	38.06	50.28	34.94	15.80	14.07	15.81	6.97	NMNS
M33550	<i>Grampus griseus</i>	103.65	79.62	38.20	55.56	61.99	61.56	38.68	49.56	34.43	17.97	24.95	14.11	20.29	NMNS
M32712	<i>Grampus griseus</i>	139.67	97.94	46.46	62.71	71.54	74.91	45.40	59.78	38.16	18.55	16.82	17.65	12.73	NMNS
M37876	<i>Grampus griseus</i>	115.20	85.71	35.81	50.04	76.82	61.97	45.44	44.06	35.37	22.14	15.35	18.46	22.29	NMNS
M38056	<i>Pseudorca crassidens</i>	188.34	146.14	43.00	83.11	81.04	124.04	71.52	80.58	59.91	29.86	27.00	26.73	26.50	NMNS
M32610	<i>Pseudorca crassidens</i>	152.09	110.43	39.38	65.23	79.89	85.58	54.24	78.54	49.07	23.00	17.02	16.70	17.84	NMNS
M28370	<i>Pseudorca crassidens</i>	166.06	106.52	30.32	60.34	77.66	82.12	63.06	74.33	40.80	20.67	18.32	24.45	11.55	NMNS
M24616	<i>Pseudorca crassidens</i>	133.71	93.50	36.02	59.41	83.36	71.61	48.25	66.87	36.79	22.15	16.03	21.56	10.24	NMNS
M32743	<i>Pseudorca crassidens</i>	137.79	103.12	55.35	61.64	77.48	80.23	48.72	75.61	66.82	17.30	15.20	26.69	10.97	NMNS
M29893	<i>Pseudorca crassidens</i>	153.74	123.88	47.63	66.45	81.87	99.33	56.28	78.97	43.21	23.19	18.38	21.62	14.81	NMNS
PC-24	<i>Pseudorca crassidens</i>	144.20	97.08	30.68	46.96	72.98	75.23	53.82	74.42	40.35	10.42	15.08	15.01	12.14	NMNS
M29345	<i>Pseudorca crassidens</i>	160.57	106.01	36.84	N/A	80.76	83.22	64.42	84.23	44.75	22.85	15.12	24.98	13.90	NMNS
M26474	<i>Pseudorca crassidens</i>	154.25	102.91	34.58	65.41	87.68	87.64	65.85	73.84	41.83	22.43	15.84	26.03	16.95	NMNS
M28353	<i>Delphinus delphis</i>	85.93	56.73	21.22	37.49	45.40	46.80	31.93	38.87	24.65	8.30	7.59	10.97	7.31	NMNS
M28356	<i>Delphinus delphis</i>	77.64	47.24	5.81	25.94	33.09	37.44	23.36	33.51	21.11	7.21	9.82	7.86	3.50	NMNS
M27074	<i>Delphinus delphis</i>	73.58	46.04	24.33	42.03	50.16	40.02	25.37	35.83	21.25	6.86	8.35	17.61	5.44	NMNS
M27135	<i>Delphinus delphis</i>	83.36	55.09	26.29	43.82	51.77	48.65	31.53	37.44	25.33	9.35	10.41	15.31	5.70	NMNS
M29636	<i>Delphinus delphis</i>	84.64	52.70	25.13	44.52	51.93	46.62	32.22	37.63	21.25	7.10	8.55	15.15	6.64	NMNS
M29855	<i>Delphinus delphis</i>	73.70	49.79	17.85	38.96	40.58	43.48	27.74	32.22	20.54	7.40	8.50	15.58	5.28	NMNS
M27818	<i>Delphinus delphis</i>	84.25	51.37	22.35	40.90	51.25	42.91	31.92	22.76	36.55	7.98	7.25	17.74	7.22	NMNS
M29624	<i>Delphinus delphis</i>	85.18	53.85	25.87	50.51	51.00	43.78	28.50	40.83	24.96	9.72	6.94	16.89	7.84	NMNS
M26194	<i>Delphinus delphis</i>	79.34	52.39	23.21	43.07	52.00	43.21	27.15	35.84	22.91	10.46	9.78	13.37	5.48	NMNS
M27811	<i>Delphinus delphis</i>	77.92	50.91	18.96	44.21	41.84	39.41	26.81	35.84	20.85	7.82	8.94	14.12	5.45	NMNS
M27810	<i>Delphinus delphis</i>	77.94	51.71	23.43	36.77	46.10	41.69	28.92	34.97	20.29	9.90	7.03	17.22	4.39	NMNS
M24743	<i>Lissodelphis borealis</i>	81.75	55.70	25.43	21.05	54.13	51.89	29.56	34.43	22.98	4.75	7.39	15.65	9.20	NMNS
M27078	<i>Lissodelphis borealis</i>	91.64	58.84	19.03	36.60	49.98	53.30	31.38	36.71	26.22	3.51	8.51	19.51	9.65	NMNS
M28400	<i>Lissodelphis borealis</i>	79.77	51.96	23.68	44.77	53.03	51.31	30.60	36.79	22.32	7.25	9.30	17.03	9.13	NMNS
M26273	<i>Lissodelphis borealis</i>	79.58	50.89	29.04	40.55	55.21	45.75	29.16	37.88	24.68	7.46	7.70	15.52	11.44	NMNS
M27807	<i>Lissodelphis borealis</i>	80.60	57.85	25.75	41.41	51.14	49.15	30.94	33.24	29.83	8.07	7.40	15.77	12.81	NMNS
M27819	<i>Lissodelphis borealis</i>	80.49	55.54	27.52	35.55	55.89	53.62	21.12	38.14	28.45	5.78	9.97	18.78	11.49	NMNS
M26103	<i>Lissodelphis borealis</i>	87.11	53.61	22.69	32.19	52.28	48.77	30.77	36.93	25.43	5.75	7.98	16.01	10.04	NMNS
M24829	<i>Lissodelphis borealis</i>	90.87	58.28	20.19	24.14	58.23	50.04	33.08	37.06	25.56	6.94	8.83	18.55	13.77	NMNS
M25021	<i>Lissodelphis borealis</i>	82.91	53.67	25.21	42.80	54.77	51.35	29.92	38.09	25.73	6.88	7.89	20.15	10.20	NMNS
M26249	<i>Lissodelphis borealis</i>	76.55	52.29	22.08	33.95	49.31	42.67	28.01	31.73	23.49	6.16	9.48	16.10	9.77	NMNS

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SPECIMENS	SPECIES	Measurement (mm)													SOURCES
		GWASA	HA	GLNSA	LLPA	LLofLiPA	GLCAF	GWCAF	BNA	HNA	GBNSA	ThLPA	BLPA	ThNSA	
M24911	<i>Globicephalus macrorhynchus</i>	195.42	181.10	111.12	124.84	120.45	129.82	91.35	85.70	46.97	29.14	44.63	48.77	27.31	NMNS
M24603	<i>Globicephalus macrorhynchus</i>	156.19	106.77	55.47	73.14	89.86	81.01	56.59	70.46	43.05	17.09	24.21	16.62	15.06	NMNS
M42129	<i>Globicephalus macrorhynchus</i>	173.80	126.78	35.55	60.61	78.27	103.09	65.12	81.57	48.64	16.24	31.85	20.60	17.13	NMNS
M21262	<i>Orcinus orca</i>	220.55	181.82	120.86	127.32	142.53	154.98	94.48	88.20	59.99	21.51	33.07	39.23	32.64	NMNS
M38056	<i>Orcinus orca</i>	186.52	144.17	45.49	87.70	96.62	119.74	76.35	80.01	60.65	25.38	27.01	24.25	24.87	NMNS
M36330	<i>Orcinus orca</i>	181.67	164.68	115.95	133.65	136.21	123.90	81.30	90.95	72.35	38.12	29.16	34.85	31.16	NMNS
M34166	<i>Orcinus orca</i>	196.49	169.28	70.03	91.73	106.89	136.76	69.76	84.10	53.41	20.55	27.32	25.33	21.47	NMNS
M33459	<i>Orcinus orca</i>	223.85	184.84	123.06	136.83	128.01	156.19	93.80	94.23	65.37	30.11	34.90	40.93	28.62	NMNS
M32458	<i>Orcinus orca</i>	180.05	157.94	N/A	66.16	N/A	123.27	76.87	78.33	58.64	29.52	40.85	46.45	24.93	NMNS
M4510	<i>Orcinus orca</i>	214.50	170.96	121.54	157.48	128.84	141.46	98.55	93.03	68.25	45.95	40.39	37.71	36.31	NMNS
M23631	<i>Lagenorhynchus obliquidens</i>	89.56	57.97	46.55	24.78	53.79	49.18	33.51	41.61	28.52	7.83	11.87	22.01	11.11	NMNS
M23636	<i>Lagenorhynchus obliquidens</i>	90.15	63.65	49.50	21.71	52.29	56.58	35.90	39.10	28.62	10.64	12.26	21.13	9.08	NMNS
M23638	<i>Lagenorhynchus obliquidens</i>	83.24	60.00	46.74	22.40	47.68	49.53	31.90	43.26	24.15	12.56	18.26	16.87	8.69	NMNS
M23640	<i>Lagenorhynchus obliquidens</i>	87.54	61.07	38.20	20.41	50.46	49.77	30.54	40.57	24.83	13.77	15.93	17.77	15.37	NMNS
M24914	<i>Lagenorhynchus obliquidens</i>	81.94	55.35	39.70	20.48	44.30	45.32	30.97	34.25	20.58	9.27	9.12	17.24	9.94	NMNS
M24962	<i>Lagenorhynchus obliquidens</i>	73.23	53.72	41.44	23.22	46.07	41.70	25.66	32.08	25.12	7.77	8.87	17.88	9.56	NMNS
M25185	<i>Lagenorhynchus obliquidens</i>	84.52	55.26	45.85	26.13	49.70	45.76	29.52	37.26	25.64	7.68	9.49	14.37	8.42	NMNS
M42082	<i>Lagenorhynchus obliquidens</i>	84.51	59.42	47.33	22.18	47.43	48.57	31.99	40.53	25.30	6.91	9.36	16.14	8.79	NMNS
M42582	<i>Lagenorhynchus obliquidens</i>	86.92	57.07	42.17	20.81	50.60	45.25	29.47	39.78	23.99	10.61	9.88	16.34	10.25	NMNS
M46805	<i>Lagenorhynchus obliquidens</i>	91.78	60.04	49.28	27.58	54.57	53.15	35.28	38.89	28.17	12.14	11.90	21.46	9.27	NMNS
HOU MVC1001	<i>Lagenorhynchus obliquidens</i>	89.40	64.22	49.90	31.32	54.79	53.31	34.36	41.11	27.41	11.45	13.02	18.30	11.15	HOU
HOU MVC1002	<i>Lagenorhynchus obliquidens</i>	85.34	60.38	50.83	24.10	47.31	47.93	29.46	39.48	24.23	14.90	10.22	19.52	20.21	HOU
HOU MVC1003	<i>Lagenorhynchus obliquidens</i>	86.65	52.26	51.09	24.20	51.11	49.63	31.12	38.85	23.37	13.36	10.18	16.56	9.95	HOU
HOU MVC0026	<i>Lagenorhynchus obliquidens</i>	93.66	60.17	52.34	30.13	58.66	53.57	37.73	38.39	24.98	14.91	14.84	18.56	13.58	HOU
M19772	<i>Stenella coeruleoalba</i>	78.65	48.23	38.85	25.72	50.44	44.51	26.67	37.09	23.06	8.83	9.50	16.45	8.55	NMNS
M19774	<i>Stenella coeruleoalba</i>	85.35	54.04	49.89	35.60	63.96	50.35	28.62	38.77	22.13	5.30	13.24	16.54	10.90	NMNS
M19775	<i>Stenella coeruleoalba</i>	87.24	60.76	42.08	25.59	58.59	52.07	30.85	39.78	25.85	10.15	10.43	19.78	8.69	NMNS
M23654	<i>Stenella coeruleoalba</i>	86.01	52.00	44.63	33.49	58.46	42.02	27.44	39.18	23.97	6.23	11.75	16.91	5.04	NMNS
M24838	<i>Stenella coeruleoalba</i>	88.88	58.45	49.96	31.07	67.07	53.67	33.24	40.11	27.73	10.39	15.41	23.91	8.25	NMNS
M25187	<i>Stenella coeruleoalba</i>	90.20	46.83	57.55	31.71	64.68	41.03	33.04	38.03	23.55	6.37	10.42	23.19	6.84	NMNS
M26235	<i>Stenella coeruleoalba</i>	86.86	60.77	38.85	37.09	62.49	52.11	29.97	39.12	24.00	13.02	11.11	18.92	8.75	NMNS
M26239	<i>Stenella coeruleoalba</i>	83.30	56.84	47.85	33.15	57.89	51.16	30.11	37.86	25.13	8.92	11.67	21.62	7.75	NMNS
M34531	<i>Stenella coeruleoalba</i>	78.00	47.43	42.21	17.16	45.51	39.00	20.05	36.57	19.37	7.41	9.75	12.84	4.45	NMNS
M41969	<i>Stenella coeruleoalba</i>	87.47	51.34	55.10	28.45	55.05	48.81	30.24	36.79	24.38	7.30	10.87	21.03	6.90	NMNS
M19789	<i>Stenella coeruleoalba</i>	87.33	58.79	31.51	53.13	59.63	53.37	30.84	40.35	24.59	12.19	10.97	22.44	11.67	NMNS
M26994	<i>Tursiops truncatus</i>	108.97	65.62	72.46	31.33	N/A	55.59	38.69	24.06	47.38	9.31	17.29	20.00	12.92	NMNS
M26995	<i>Tursiops truncatus</i>	114.35	79.68	58.82	35.78	64.95	68.4	39.45	50.20	32.13	13.27	19.04	28.53	8.98	NMNS
M29360	<i>Tursiops truncatus</i>	112.10	71.45	60.91	32.17	68.50	64.57	38.90	48.28	31.41	19.09	13.38	24.24	10.51	NMNS
M32427	<i>Tursiops truncatus</i>	105.26	67.03	62.75	32.81	61.22	57.60	33.30	50.68	28.05	14.32	17.09	22.17	12.86	NMNS
M32431	<i>Tursiops truncatus</i>	99.13	67.75	56.06	40.78	69.90	57.41	34.21	52.45	29.80	14.36	15.32	20.34	10.74	NMNS
M28346	<i>Tursiops truncatus</i>	97.91	65.22	35.83	N/A	41.71	54.74	35.86	47.55	27.37	9.15	24.46	10.24	9.45	NMNS
M29464	<i>Tursiops truncatus</i>	95.35	61.20	39.65	5.11	42.32	54.76	34.74	42.98	25.12	7.83	14.93	12.89	8.51	NMNS
M54842	<i>Tursiops truncatus</i>	97.61	72.95	61.69	33.23	61.51	60.98	35.28	44.76	27.11	11.14	16.47	29.25	13.53	NMNS
M29853	<i>Tursiops truncatus</i>	112.12	71.93	24.54	45.01	58.91	66.47	41.95	49.23	29.29	8.67	10.85	24.11	11.68	NMNS
080222-2	<i>Tursiops truncatus</i>	103.52	65.61	24.58	46.77	58.71	58.68	39.65	46.83	29.92	14.40	11.05	16.80	10.20	NMNS
M24702	<i>Tursiops truncatus</i>	115.43	73.65	32.47	63.94	66.23	64.88	45.76	50.38	29.17	12.03	18.61	17.89	15.92	NMNS

Table S1 (continued)

SPECIMENS	SPECIES	Measurement (mm)													SOURCES
		GWASA	HA	GLNSA	LLPA	LLfLlPA	GLCAF	GWCAF	BNA	HNA	GBNSA	ThLPA	BLPA	ThNSA	
M24958	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	68.04	49.68	24.16	22.04	45.52	34.57	20.87	32.04	22.99	N/A	8.61	10.00	N/A	NMNS
M24959	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	62.08	46.64	15.65	21.36	42.01	34.84	21.30	30.80	20.60	5.62	7.97	11.19	4.87	NMNS
M24960	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	69.54	50.72	25.23	17.08	40.33	35.64	24.76	35.70	21.07	7.21	8.15	11.52	3.80	NMNS
M24961	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	62.15	46.88	22.56	20.72	39.32	34.83	22.59	29.68	22.38	N/A	10.05	11.35	N/A	NMNS
M29356	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	67.97	49.46	29.31	23.49	44.31	39.91	21.94	33.41	23.48	N/A	8.10	11.95	5.08	NMNS
M29357	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	67.76	46.87	21.07	18.57	38.59	34.78	22.38	34.78	21.53	N/A	7.04	13.96	5.77	NMNS
M29358	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	67.37	50.98	30.55	20.93	43.62	36.76	19.24	30.13	20.55	N/A	8.03	11.23	N/A	NMNS
M29793	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	70.21	49.83	25.72	20.70	42.08	35.93	21.47	33.76	23.20	N/A	8.92	9.70	4.58	NMNS
M29794	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	66.54	49.14	22.10	22.29	39.36	34.39	22.91	32.11	20.27	N/A	9.05	14.91	N/A	NMNS
M29795	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	69.20	51.64	24.22	17.52	40.76	35.70	24.78	33.81	22.29	N/A	9.98	9.70	N/A	NMNS
M29796	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	63.93	47.51	24.26	19.39	38.56	35.80	19.01	27.61	21.71	N/A	8.21	10.42	N/A	NMNS
M29798	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	76.36	48.3	19.35	26.00	44.36	37.00	26.06	29.16	18.96	12.14	9.35	11.23	7.90	NMNS
M27024	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	70.55	48.83	29.82	35.36	56.86	41.37	23.70	29.76	22.21	13.92	9.65	13.86	5.18	NMNS
M27139	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	69.12	47.82	24.31	27.62	46.18	34.17	20.65	30.19	22.28	9.97	8.24	12.14	4.56	NMNS
M30121	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	81.13	52.59	26.33	31.97	58.21	39.84	25.43	37.71	23.82	13.97	8.89	15.81	3.19	NMNS
HOU MVC1004	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	72.76	49.51	26.06	31.57	59.11	41.60	22.83	36.89	22.53	16.69	9.28	15.41	2.92	HOU M
M26166	<i>Phocoenoides dalli</i>	87.02	59.51	59.77	37.21	70.78	50.31	29.12	42.12	26.42	21.21	12.66	21.47	22.81	NMNS
M27746	<i>Phocoenoides dalli</i>	79.66	51.35	39.71	27.11	57.11	41.63	26.37	39.74	24.15	N/A	12.57	18.65	N/A	NMNS
M27770	<i>Phocoenoides dalli</i>	78.75	48.24	49.04	31.28	54.94	40.62	25.04	33.94	21.76	11.32	10.13	18.83	14.81	NMNS
M27778	<i>Phocoenoides dalli</i>	90.76	53.34	41.41	29.97	62.22	44.92	32.54	43.53	23.83	N/A	12.28	18.97	N/A	NMNS
M28352	<i>Phocoenoides dalli</i>	78.58	53.08	38.77	29.49	55.81	41.08	23.06	38.97	25.98	5.43	10.51	14.39	4.02	NMNS
M28360	<i>Phocoenoides dalli</i>	78.60	53.66	40.19	29.60	55.52	41.07	28.54	36.73	25.40	10.91	12.52	18.89	5.59	NMNS
M29348	<i>Phocoenoides dalli</i>	81.46	51.17	50.85	27.00	58.47	42.22	30.75	36.20	24.69	15.33	10.66	16.36	15.80	NMNS
M29354	<i>Phocoenoides dalli</i>	83.43	53.37	42.77	45.25	64.23	44.12	29.18	37.76	25.19	N/A	12.33	18.18	N/A	NMNS
M31393	<i>Phocoenoides dalli</i>	76.37	53.44	45.76	31.64	57.61	42.85	23.80	39.79	24.74	16.43	15.38	17.75	8.41	NMNS
M32606	<i>Phocoenoides dalli</i>	77.08	59.58	41.86	30.09	58.80	43.43	27.21	36.75	25.45	N/A	11.60	15.71	N/A	NMNS
M32732	<i>Phocoenoides dalli</i>	75.88	52.21	42.35	27.99	55.35	44.14	25.49	33.35	31.06	N/A	11.89	12.65	N/A	NMNS
M46876	<i>Phocoenoides dalli</i>	78.41	58.27	35.01	44.73	64.41	46.46	26.30	34.92	23.37	12.81	7.91	24.79	11.59	NMNS
M46890	<i>Phocoenoides dalli</i>	88.93	60.27	18.31	38.80	63.33	47.72	31.75	37.11	25.73	9.41	13.40	18.35	4.67	NMNS
M37919	<i>Phocoenoides dalli</i>	78.28	51.87	29.00	57.96	57.83	42.91	30.04	32.38	24.98	17.08	11.86	17.74	15.52	NMNS
M46882	<i>Phocoenoides dalli</i>	94.54	62.40	25.78	57.80	62.20	49.99	40.20	38.65	24.34	13.52	9.73	16.39	11.45	NMNS
60712	<i>Neophocoena phocoenoides</i>	76.56	50.64	21.39	29.17	42.25	40.36	27.66	33.46	23.65	13.94	7.57	19.42	4.04	NMNS
90419	<i>Neophocoena phocoenoides</i>	77.60	45.99	15.78	31.44	35.70	40.23	26.76	35.00	26.28	18.46	4.61	18.34	4.62	NMNS
M41964	<i>Neophocoena phocoenoides</i>	78.35	51.55	22.46	29.69	39.19	42.95	29.08	36.93	28.57	15.94	5.97	14.34	2.15	NMNS
M35160	<i>Neophocoena phocoenoides</i>	80.15	52.63	21.92	31.77	39.14	43.39	29.93	36.69	26.67	20.85	8.48	18.22	4.68	NMNS
60616	<i>Neophocoena phocoenoides</i>	76.98	43.22	15.01	24.45	37.79	38.49	24.03	34.46	25.40	14.86	6.95	16.67	4.34	NMNS
M32688	<i>Neophocoena phocoenoides</i>	73.44	50.24	15.18	24.53	33.92	37.77	24.46	34.81	21.73	22.34	7.91	11.30	6.05	NMNS
M34047	<i>Neophocoena phocoenoides</i>	83.51	50.20	20.65	30.77	40.97	44.22	28.47	38.32	26.32	21.34	8.94	13.69	5.57	NMNS
M35048	<i>Neophocoena phocoenoides</i>	78.16	48.68	18.60	30.37	33.50	38.74	24.13	36.00	24.18	16.97	5.77	8.71	6.20	NMNS
M35049	<i>Neophocoena phocoenoides</i>	75.40	47.21	7.62	18.29	35.95	36.46	23.86	37.42	21.41	19.14	6.46	9.90	3.97	NMNS
M34168	<i>Neophocoena phocoenoides</i>	73.92	44.00	12.18	27.14	34.77	37.22	22.92	34.44	21.42	16.35	5.25	17.69	9.70	NMNS
M41963	<i>Neophocoena phocoenoides</i>	80.26	56.65	18.65	N/A	48.55	45.75	25.59	37.41	27.11	N/A	6.24	15.83	N/A	NMNS

Table S1 (continued)

SPECIMENS	SPECIES	Measurement (mm)													SOURCE
		GWASA	HA	GLNSA	LLPA	LLefLIPA	GLCAF	GWCAF	BNA	HNA	GBNSA	ThLPA	BLPA	ThNSA	
M24784	<i>Kogia breviceps</i>	93.28	75.66	25.63	51.14	49.05	64.20	33.34	47.86	45.78	7.50	21.16	43.89	12.50	NMNS
110127	<i>Kogia breviceps</i>	96.11	81.50	39.77	53.88	56.57	64.16	33.56	51.98	46.51	4.78	20.58	36.65	19.07	NMNS
K.b-7	<i>Kogia breviceps</i>	84.46	74.19	24.96	43.29	42.16	59.69	34.67	35.43	38.92	7.55	19.52	40.41	11.93	NMNS
10414	<i>Kogia breviceps</i>	89.47	80.56	36.14	71.99	42.87	66.66	33.47	51.28	39.90	6.30	18.43	37.21	21.50	NMNS
M29645	<i>Kogia breviceps</i>	80.74	60.86	12.82	51.36	40.20	54.80	26.56	42.66	28.11	7.81	11.25	27.40	22.91	NMNS
M26611	<i>Kogia breviceps</i>	73.54	61.05	18.23	40.31	30.56	55.40	26.97	37.50	33.39	3.35	9.12	27.55	8.81	NMNS
30811	<i>Kogia breviceps</i>	84.47	69.00	9.26	39.47	25.87	52.12	29.72	41.46	34.17	11.46	11.67	36.65	18.87	NMNS
90118	<i>Kogia breviceps</i>	99.17	72.38	18.02	48.55	44.55	62.18	30.51	56.68	41.46	6.34	11.11	33.53	14.86	NMNS
100725	<i>Kogia breviceps</i>	83.55	71.90	19.47	44.55	36.39	58.70	29.29	44.66	33.39	12.93	11.57	38.16	23.43	NMNS
130527	<i>Kogia breviceps</i>	105.83	89.47	31.41	68.01	47.26	62.14	41.04	52.22	45.98	6.63	25.72	36.77	25.55	NMNS
121126	<i>Kogia sima</i>	85.95	62.96	29.09	53.08	42.79	55.17	32.03	41.55	30.45	9.17	31.44	19.34	17.08	NMNS
M24613	<i>Kogia sima</i>	72.25	66.74	25.26	42.68	35.32	53.98	27.79	42.41	31.78	9.14	29.99	12.21	20.48	NMNS
M32612	<i>Kogia sima</i>	80.21	65.56	25.93	40.98	30.81	49.52	27.38	41.56	32.61	6.67	25.11	13.01	24.18	NMNS
141019	<i>Kogia sima</i>	81.80	67.12	24.05	39.94	28.28	48.85	29.80	46.21	29.99	11.04	17.05	32.24	20.07	NMNS
M26460	<i>Kogia sima</i>	83.40	66.85	21.23	47.20	35.85	50.72	33.36	44.66	29.80	13.99	34.19	17.59	32.58	NMNS
80815	<i>Kogia sima</i>	80.26	59.10	21.85	N/A	22.12	51.09	24.95	40.76	33.73	13.49	24.41	14.25	N/A	NMNS
M24612	<i>Kogia sima</i>	77.00	68.10	26.79	41.19	34.08	48.09	26.47	38.31	31.75	14.66	35.81	18.90	29.70	NMNS
110127	<i>Kogia sima</i>	81.38	74.21	17.99	33.00	35.28	54.63	28.32	44.01	34.72	13.17	32.63	14.61	20.81	NMNS
90628	<i>Beradius bairdii</i>	174.92	121.12	59.38	90.47	83.72	102.99	54.67	73.66	54.51	8.35	21.87	47.53	16.72	NMNS
M24755	<i>Beradius bairdii</i>	182.17	149.75	41.87	N/A	102.23	119.85	65.72	98.43	76.32	N/A	25.75	32.83	N/A	NMNS
M25078	<i>Ziphius cavirostris</i>	157.40	102.58	50.83	61.91	89.50	85.41	59.32	71.54	41.33	8.76	36.50	18.19	23.50	NMNS
M24290	<i>Ziphius cavirostris</i>	149.45	96.55	19.20	62.60	57.82	89.75	36.94	70.50	44.88	13.09	19.32	52.77	32.91	NMNS
M24296	<i>Ziphius cavirostris</i>	159.59	140.19	69.96	N/A	101.49	106.58	61.17	81.46	64.80	N/A	42.50	28.46	N/A	NMNS
M54843	<i>Ziphius cavirostris</i>	153.95	120.21	88.78	113.35	108.10	100.44	62.91	76.34	59.34	16.81	50.22	29.14	42.45	NMNS
M25298	<i>Ziphius cavirostris</i>	161.67	120.72	95.94	97.88	94.65	104.26	53.82	78.25	62.76	19.42	38.72	24.03	47.79	NMNS
M32497	<i>Ziphius cavirostris</i>	133.72	116.74	44.34	65.64	68.61	85.71	58.67	64.82	48.33	9.83	32.52	22.39	42.58	NMNS
M24291	<i>Ziphius cavirostris</i>	139.36	119.73	82.92	72.32	95.11	87.37	49.01	68.48	48.31	24.83	41.29	24.47	24.81	NMNS
M26258	<i>Ziphius cavirostris</i>	139.02	111.18	72.86	75.81	93.78	89.03	54.23	67.98	45.01	17.12	42.39	16.33	44.16	NMNS
M31331	<i>Ziphius cavirostris</i>	132.27	114.63	67.67	92.30	88.16	91.14	45.96	71.47	52.80	10.88	36.78	22.12	34.08	NMNS
M33616	<i>Ziphius cavirostris</i>	127.82	113.39	66.51	84.75	78.68	90.83	53.17	60.59	47.94	10.86	41.76	27.91	36.29	NMNS
140515	<i>Ziphius cavirostris</i>	142.79	120.58	90.72	97.99	107.49	93.80	51.35	58.28	46.35	17.33	36.38	20.60	17.62	NMNS
M24294	<i>Ziphius cavirostris</i>	130.13	113.60	62.40	87.03	75.17	88.53	49.19	56.01	42.36	18.00	37.25	22.78	51.76	NMNS
M46965	<i>Mesoplodon carlhabbsi</i>	119.45	96.15	50.20	N/A	71.59	79.09	48.14	60.74	43.98	N/A	31.03	25.10	N/A	NMNS
M346867	<i>Mesoplodon carlhabbsi</i>	119.18	94.39	72.13	76.40	72.46	83.44	43.33	61.28	42.40	32.97	36.75	26.20	18.86	NMNS
M36185	<i>Mesoplodon carlhabbsi</i>	119.34	97.05	75.21	75.56	71.38	76.10	46.87	53.63	37.05	29.69	28.18	23.70	13.47	NMNS
M33090	<i>Mesoplodon stejnegeri</i>	107.18	93.26	46.16	68.68	64.46	72.14	38.13	52.60	39.23	22.09	22.15	25.33	16.78	NMNS
M35186	<i>Mesoplodon stejnegeri</i>	113.05	87.15	49.58	65.41	63.85	67.24	36.45	54.81	38.11	17.88	20.01	19.44	23.29	NMNS
M35060	<i>Mesoplodon stejnegeri</i>	111.47	93.35	62.60	59.50	56.69	73.65	37.38	54.37	40.62	14.34	27.74	18.35	15.70	NMNS
M31328	<i>Mesoplodon stejnegeri</i>	103.99	81.04	24.36	41.18	55.92	62.77	41.92	49.89	37.74	5.67	17.71	18.50	8.91	NMNS
M42143	<i>Mesoplodon stejnegeri</i>	115.53	81.46	45.36	N/A	56.49	66.93	40.68	57.71	37.64	N/A	17.23	15.54	N/A	NMNS
M32410	<i>Mesoplodon stejnegeri</i>	122.59	98.35	46.40	N/A	69.27	78.02	41.16	55.48	40.99	N/A	30.62	23.79	N/A	NMNS
M29888	<i>Mesoplodon stejnegeri</i>	111.12	96.55	46.29	57.09	59.51	71.46	36.57	52.47	44.96	11.47	20.87	16.33	25.22	NMNS
M31324	<i>Mesoplodon stejnegeri</i>	116.72	94.18	52.55	67.65	57.98	73.03	44.08	60.71	37.83	17.50	17.02	16.72	21.71	NMNS
M30134	<i>Mesoplodon stejnegeri</i>	111.34	92.45	45.49	N/A	60.62	76.16	41.22	57.40	38.48	N/A	17.69	14.69	N/A	NMNS
M42578	<i>Mesoplodon stejnegeri</i>	108.82	92.07	51.77	62.05	66.20	72.66	38.86	52.95	42.78	22.75	25.09	20.95	13.06	NMNS

## **APPENDIX B**

Summary of DFA statistical analyses of  
all zooarchaeological specimens examined

**Table S2.1** Summary of Box's M test for all zooarchaeological specimens examined (N = 44) at superfamily level

<b>SITE</b>	<b>SPECIMENS</b>	<b>Box's M</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>df1</b>	<b>df2</b>	<b>P</b>
MAWAKI	M-1 <sup>a</sup>	1009.424	9.135	78	2557.310	0.000
MAWAKI	M-2	632.871	6.679	72	3054.764	0.000
MAWAKI	M-3	1412.093	5.530	182	6008.241	0.000
MAWAKI	M-5	439.398	8.609	42	3202.775	0.000
MAWAKI	M-8	785.390	6.348	90	3013.768	0.000
MAWAKI	M-12	632.871	6.679	72	3054.764	0.000
MAWAKI	M-20	1412.093	5.530	182	6008.241	0.000
MAWAKI	M-21	790.321	6.387	90	3023.617	0.000
MAWAKI	M-23	303.124	8.624	30	3363.679	0.000
MAWAKI	M-28	1412.093	5.530	182	6008.241	0.000
MAWAKI	M-29	632.871	6.679	72	3054.764	0.000
MAWAKI	M-36	885.381	5.587	110	2998.968	0.000
MAWAKI	M-39	632.871	6.679	72	3054.764	0.000
MAWAKI	M-40	439.398	8.609	42	3202.775	0.000
MAWAKI	M-43	439.398	8.609	42	3202.775	0.000
MAWAKI	M-45	724.009	5.852	90	3013.768	0.000
MAWAKI	M-49	632.871	6.679	72	3054.764	0.000
MAWAKI	M-50	439.398	8.609	42	3202.775	0.000
MAWAKI	M-54	501.202	7.085	56	3115.08	0.000
MAWAKI	M-58	885.381	5.587	110	2998.968	0.000
MAWAKI	M-61	439.398	8.609	42	3202.775	0.000
MAWAKI	M-69	1412.093	5.530	182	6008.241	0.000
MAWAKI	M-87	632.871	6.679	72	3054.764	0.000
MAWAKI	M-90 <sup>a</sup>	1009.424	9.135	78	2557.310	0.000
MAWAKI	M-91	933.384	5.893	110	2980.845	0.000
MAWAKI	M-106	632.871	6.679	72	3054.764	0.000

**Table S2.1** (continued)

<b>SITE</b>	<b>SPECIMENS</b>	<b>Box's M</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>df1</b>	<b>df2</b>	<b>P</b>
MAWAKI	M-109	885.381	5.587	110	2998.968	0.000
MAWAKI	M-111 <sup>a</sup>	1009.424	9.135	78	2557.310	0.000
MIBIKI	No.159	1412.093	5.530	182	6008.241	0.000
MIBIKI	No.161	739.086	7.801	72	3048.475	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 483	1094.392	6.300	132	6052.042	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 494	739.086	7.801	72	3048.475	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 495	483.397	9.471	42	3202.775	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 748	885.381	5.587	110	2998.968	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 749	885.381	5.587	110	2998.968	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2047	390.240	7.646	42	3202.775	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2804	464.444	9.097	42	3221.860	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3690	632.871	6.679	72	3054.764	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3982 <sup>b</sup>	1026.822	9.291	78	2562.338	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA5918 <sup>c</sup>	943.452	8.538	78	2559.793	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15283	967.072	6.105	110	2984.584	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15547	292.868	8.332	30	3366.459	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA17138	632.871	6.679	72	3054.764	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA18142	1412.093	5.530	182	6008.241	0.000

<sup>a</sup> Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -57.772

<sup>b</sup> Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -57.109

<sup>c</sup> Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -56.560

**Table S2.3** Summary of Wilk's Lambda value for all zooarchaeological specimens examined (N = 44) at superfamily level

<b>SITE</b>	<b>SPECIMENS</b>	<b>Wilk's Lambda</b>	<b>Chi-square</b>	<b>df</b>	<b>P</b>
MAWAKI	M-1	0.006	668.027	24	0.000
MAWAKI	M-2	0.010	669.023	16	0.000
MAWAKI	M-3	0.005	734.465	26	0.000
MAWAKI	M-5	0.033	518.544	12	0.000
MAWAKI	M-8	0.009	679.387	18	0.000
MAWAKI	M-12	0.010	669.023	16	0.000
MAWAKI	M-20	0.005	734.465	26	0.000
MAWAKI	M-21	0.013	601.505	18	0.000
MAWAKI	M-23	0.050	455.155	10	0.000
MAWAKI	M-28	0.005	734.465	26	0.000
MAWAKI	M-29	0.010	669.023	16	0.000
MAWAKI	M-36	0.012	590.491	20	0.000
MAWAKI	M-39	0.010	669.023	16	0.000
MAWAKI	M-40	0.033	518.544	12	0.000
MAWAKI	M-43	0.033	518.544	12	0.000
MAWAKI	M-45	0.010	674.699	18	0.000
MAWAKI	M-49	0.010	669.023	16	0.000
MAWAKI	M-50	0.033	518.544	12	0.000
MAWAKI	M-54	0.013	634.654	14	0.000
MAWAKI	M-58	0.012	590.491	20	0.000
MAWAKI	M-61	0.033	518.544	12	0.000
MAWAKI	M-69	0.005	734.465	26	0.000
MAWAKI	M-87	0.010	669.023	16	0.000
MAWAKI	M-90	0.006	668.027	24	0.000
MAWAKI	M-91	0.008	717.553	20	0.000
MAWAKI	M-106	0.010	669.023	16	0.000

**Table S2.3** (*continued*)

<b>SITE</b>	<b>SPECIMENS</b>	<b>Wilk's Lambda</b>	<b>Chi-square</b>	<b>df</b>	<b><i>P</i></b>
MAWAKI	M-109	0.012	590.491	20	0.000
MAWAKI	M-111	0.006	668.027	24	0.000
MIBIKI	No.159	0.005	734.465	26	0.000
MIBIKI	No.161	0.015	630.573	16	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 483	0.010	651.435	22	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 494	0.015	630.573	16	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 495	0.023	571.674	12	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 748	0.012	590.491	20	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 749	0.012	590.491	20	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2047	0.039	491.064	12	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2804	0.028	493.979	12	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3690	0.010	669.023	16	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3982	0.009	606.771	24	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA5918	0.010	606.436	24	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15283	0.007	714.531	20	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15547	0.015	628.120	10	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA17138	0.010	669.023	16	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA18142	0.005	734.465	26	0.000

**Table S2.4** Summary of percentage of variance explained by each canonical discriminant function of eighteen toothed whale species from three superfamilies for all zooarchaeological specimens examined (N = 44)

SITE	SPECIMENS	Function 1 <sup>a</sup>		Function 2 <sup>a</sup>	
		Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance
MAWAKI	M-1	73.677	98.5	1.153	1.5
MAWAKI	M-2	52.307	98.4	0.863	1.6
MAWAKI	M-3	78.570	98.0	1.574	2.0
MAWAKI	M-5	19.698	97.6	0.481	2.4
MAWAKI	M-8	65.747	99.1	0.623	0.9
MAWAKI	M-12	52.307	98.4	0.863	1.6
MAWAKI	M-20	78.570	98.0	1.574	2.0
MAWAKI	M-21	44.814	98.4	0.706	1.6
MAWAKI	M-23	13.690	97.4	0.360	2.6
MAWAKI	M-28	78.570	98.0	1.574	2.0
MAWAKI	M-29	52.307	98.4	0.863	1.6
MAWAKI	M-36	45.942	98.5	0.718	1.5
MAWAKI	M-39	52.307	98.4	0.863	1.6
MAWAKI	M-40	19.698	97.6	0.481	2.4
MAWAKI	M-43	19.698	97.6	0.481	2.4
MAWAKI	M-45	54.117	98.4	0.903	1.6
MAWAKI	M-49	52.307	98.4	0.863	1.6
MAWAKI	M-50	19.698	97.6	0.481	2.4
MAWAKI	M-54	43.609	98.4	0.732	1.6
MAWAKI	M-58	45.942	98.5	0.718	1.5
MAWAKI	M-61	19.698	97.6	0.481	2.4
MAWAKI	M-69	78.570	98.0	1.574	2.0
MAWAKI	M-87	52.307	98.4	0.863	1.6

**Table S2.4** (continued)

SITE	SPECIMENS	Function 1 <sup>a</sup>		Function 2 <sup>a</sup>	
		Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance
MAWAKI	M-90	73.677	98.5	1.153	1.5
MAWAKI	M-91	67.326	98.7	0.897	1.3
MAWAKI	M-106	52.307	98.4	0.863	1.6
MAWAKI	M-109	45.942	98.5	0.718	1.5
MAWAKI	M-111	73.677	98.5	1.153	1.5
MIBIKI	No.159	78.570	98.0	1.574	2.0
MIBIKI	No.161	41.825	98.7	0.541	1.3
MIBIKI	No. 483	51.267	98.3	0.880	1.7
MIBIKI	No. 494	41.825	98.7	0.541	1.3
MIBIKI	No. 495	28.666	98.4	0.467	1.6
MIBIKI	No. 748	45.942	98.5	0.718	1.5
MIBIKI	No. 749	45.942	98.5	0.718	1.5
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2047	16.854	97.5	0.432	2.5
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2804	20.566	97.0	0.641	3.0
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3690	52.307	98.4	0.863	1.6
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3982	50.766	97.9	1.093	2.1
KAFUKAI-1	RKA5918	57.222	98.6	0.791	1.4
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15283	73.684	98.8	0.881	1.2
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15547	38.293	98.3	0.676	1.7
KAFUKAI-1	RKA17138	52.307	98.4	0.863	1.6
KAFUKAI-1	RKA18142	78.570	98.0	1.574	2.0

<sup>a</sup> First 2 canonical functions were used in the analyses

**Table S2.5** Summary of Box's M tests for all zooarchaeological specimens examined (N = 44) at family level

<b>SITE</b>	<b>SPECIMENS</b>	<b>Box's M</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>df1</b>	<b>df2</b>	<b>P</b>
MAWAKI	M-1 <sup>a</sup>	1202.768	5.860	156	6904.757	0.000
MAWAKI	M-2	792.246	5.928	108	5297.998	0.000
MAWAKI	M-3	1624.679	4.413	273	10786.867	0.000
MAWAKI	M-5	530.558	7.236	63	5477.436	0.000
MAWAKI	M-8	975.047	5.648	135	5239.554	0.000
MAWAKI	M-12	792.246	5.928	108	5297.998	0.000
MAWAKI	M-20	1624.679	4.413	273	10786.867	0.000
MAWAKI	M-21	944.180	5.413	135	5416.126	0.000
MAWAKI	M-23	376.668	7.396	45	5702.059	0.000
MAWAKI	M-28	1624.679	4.413	273	10786.867	0.000
MAWAKI	M-29	792.246	5.928	108	5297.998	0.000
MAWAKI	M-36	1031.869	4.643	165	5417.801	0.000
MAWAKI	M-39	792.246	5.928	108	5297.998	0.000
MAWAKI	M-40	530.558	7.236	63	5477.436	0.000
MAWAKI	M-43	530.558	7.236	63	5477.436	0.000
MAWAKI	M-45	890.884	5.161	135	5239.554	0.000
MAWAKI	M-49	792.246	5.928	108	5297.998	0.000
MAWAKI	M-50	530.558	7.236	63	5477.436	0.000
MAWAKI	M-54	642.937	6.381	84	5383.756	0.000
MAWAKI	M-58	1031.869	4.643	165	5417.801	0.000
MAWAKI	M-61	530.558	7.236	63	5477.436	0.000
MAWAKI	M-69	1624.679	4.413	273	10786.867	0.000
MAWAKI	M-87	792.246	5.928	108	5297.998	0.000
MAWAKI	M-90 <sup>a</sup>	1202.768	5.860	156	6904.757	0.000
MAWAKI	M-91	1120.197	4.040	198	5390.149	0.000

**Table S2.5** (continued)

<b>SITE</b>	<b>SPECIMENS</b>	<b>Box's M</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>df1</b>	<b>df2</b>	<b>P</b>
MAWAKI	M-106	792.246	5.928	108	5297.998	0.000
MAWAKI	M-109	1031.869	4.643	165	5417.801	0.000
MAWAKI	M-111 <sup>a</sup>	1202.768	5.860	156	6904.757	0.000
MIBIKI	No.159	1624.679	4.413	273	10786.867	0.000
MIBIKI	No.161	907.549	6.797	108	5260.222	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 483	1120.197	4.040	198	5390.149	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 494	907.549	6.797	108	5260.222	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 495	633.632	8.642	63	5477.436	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 748	1031.869	4.643	165	5417.801	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 749	1031.869	4.643	165	5417.801	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2047	505.091	6.889	63	5477.436	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2804	595.670	8.064	63	5715.815	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3690	792.246	5.928	108	5297.998	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3982 <sup>b</sup>	1238.424	6.031	156	6930.392	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA5918 <sup>c</sup>	1143.165	5.568	156	6917.398	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15283	1199.661	5.439	165	5197.870	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15547	397.748	7.810	45	5713.564	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA17138	792.246	5.928	108	5297.998	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA18142	1624.679	4.413	273	10786.867	0.000

<sup>a</sup> Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -58.399

<sup>b</sup> Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -57.728

<sup>c</sup> Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -56.115

**Table S2.6** Summary of Wilk's Lambda value for all zooarchaeological specimens examined (N = 44) at family level

<b>SITE</b>	<b>SPECIMENS</b>	<b>Wilk's Lambda</b>	<b>Chi-square</b>	<b>df</b>	<b>P</b>
MAWAKI	M-1	0.003	760.179	36	0.000
MAWAKI	M-2	0.007	717.631	24	0.000
MAWAKI	M-3	0.002	829.082	39	0.000
MAWAKI	M-5	0.023	567.034	18	0.000
MAWAKI	M-8	0.006	727.718	27	0.000
MAWAKI	M-12	0.007	717.631	24	0.000
MAWAKI	M-20	0.002	829.082	39	0.000
MAWAKI	M-21	0.009	640.956	27	0.000
MAWAKI	M-23	0.036	503.430	15	0.000
MAWAKI	M-28	0.002	829.082	39	0.000
MAWAKI	M-29	0.007	717.631	24	0.000
MAWAKI	M-36	0.006	680.561	30	0.000
MAWAKI	M-39	0.007	717.631	24	0.000
MAWAKI	M-40	0.023	567.034	18	0.000
MAWAKI	M-43	0.023	567.034	18	0.000
MAWAKI	M-45	0.007	724.685	27	0.000
MAWAKI	M-49	0.007	717.631	24	0.000
MAWAKI	M-50	0.023	567.034	18	0.000
MAWAKI	M-54	0.009	681.732	21	0.000
MAWAKI	M-58	0.006	680.561	30	0.000
MAWAKI	M-61	0.023	567.034	18	0.000
MAWAKI	M-69	0.002	829.082	39	0.000
MAWAKI	M-87	0.007	717.631	24	0.000
MAWAKI	M-90	0.003	760.179	36	0.000
MAWAKI	M-91	0.005	769.158	30	0.000
MAWAKI	M-106	0.007	717.631	24	0.000

**Table S2.6** (*continued*)

<b>SITE</b>	<b>SPECIMENS</b>	<b>Wilk's Lambda</b>	<b>Chi-square</b>	<b>df</b>	<b><i>P</i></b>
MAWAKI	M-109	0.006	680.561	30	0.000
MAWAKI	M-111	0.003	760.179	36	0.000
MIBIKI	No.159	0.002	829.082	39	0.000
MIBIKI	No.161	0.011	678.870	24	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 483	0.005	702.041	33	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 494	0.011	678.870	24	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 495	0.017	618.975	18	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 748	0.006	680.561	30	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 749	0.006	680.561	30	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2047	0.028	538.688	18	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2804	0.021	532.885	18	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3690	0.007	717.631	24	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3982	0.005	696.846	36	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA5918	0.005	694.026	36	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15283	0.005	763.083	30	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15547	0.011	673.968	15	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA17138	0.007	717.631	24	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA18142	0.002	829.082	39	0.000

**Table S2.7** Summary of percentage of variance explained by each canonical discriminant function of eighteen toothed whale species from four families for all zooarchaeological specimens examined (N = 44)

SITE	SPECIMENS	Function 1 <sup>a</sup>		Function 2 <sup>a</sup>		Function 3 <sup>a</sup>	
		Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance
MAWAKI	M-1	73.726	96.9	1.763	2.3	0.604	0.8
MAWAKI	M-2	52.720	97.3	1.287	2.4	0.148	0.3
MAWAKI	M-3	78.571	96.6	2.066	2.5	0.704	0.9
MAWAKI	M-5	19.775	95.3	0.902	4.3	0.082	0.4
MAWAKI	M-8	66.311	98.3	1.043	1.5	0.119	0.2
MAWAKI	M-12	52.720	97.3	1.287	2.4	0.148	0.3
MAWAKI	M-20	78.571	96.6	2.066	2.5	0.704	0.9
MAWAKI	M-21	45.087	97.6	0.873	1.9	0.226	0.5
MAWAKI	M-23	13.901	94.5	0.753	5.1	0.062	0.4
MAWAKI	M-28	78.571	96.6	2.066	2.5	0.704	0.9
MAWAKI	M-29	52.720	97.3	1.287	2.4	0.148	0.3
MAWAKI	M-36	46.007	96.3	1.267	2.7	0.507	1.1
MAWAKI	M-39	52.720	97.3	1.287	2.4	0.148	0.3
MAWAKI	M-40	19.775	95.3	0.902	4.3	0.082	0.4
MAWAKI	M-43	19.775	95.3	0.902	4.3	0.082	0.4
MAWAKI	M-45	54.368	97.3	1.370	2.5	0.148	0.3
MAWAKI	M-49	52.720	97.3	1.287	2.4	0.148	0.3
MAWAKI	M-50	19.775	95.3	0.902	4.3	0.082	0.4
MAWAKI	M-54	43.696	97.2	1.134	2.5	0.136	0.3
MAWAKI	M-58	46.007	96.3	1.267	2.7	0.507	1.1
MAWAKI	M-61	19.775	95.3	0.902	4.3	0.082	0.4
MAWAKI	M-69	78.571	96.6	2.066	2.5	0.704	0.9

**Table S2.7** (continued)

SITE	SPECIMENS	Function 1 <sup>a</sup>		Function 2 <sup>a</sup>		Function 3 <sup>a</sup>	
		Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance
MAWAKI	M-87	52.720	97.3	1.287	2.4	0.148	0.3
MAWAKI	M-90	73.726	96.9	1.763	2.3	0.604	0.8
MAWAKI	M-91	67.905	97.8	1.344	1.9	0.163	0.2
MAWAKI	M-106	52.720	97.3	1.287	2.4	0.148	0.3
MAWAKI	M-109	46.007	96.3	1.267	2.7	0.507	1.1
MAWAKI	M-111	73.726	96.9	1.763	2.3	0.604	0.8
MIBIKI	No.159	78.571	96.6	2.066	2.5	0.704	0.9
MIBIKI	No.161	41.928	97.6	0.924	2.1	0.119	0.3
MIBIKI	No. 483	56.985	96.9	1.283	2.2	0.511	0.9
MIBIKI	No. 494	41.928	97.6	0.924	2.1	0.119	0.3
MIBIKI	No. 495	28.785	96.8	0.878	3.0	0.780	0.3
MIBIKI	No. 748	46.007	96.3	1.267	2.7	0.507	1.1
MIBIKI	No. 749	46.007	96.3	1.267	2.7	0.507	1.1
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2047	17.072	94.8	0.900	5.0	0.032	0.2
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2804	20.594	95.2	0.818	3.8	0.211	1.0
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3690	52.720	97.3	1.287	2.4	0.148	0.3
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3982	50.766	95.7	1.741	3.3	0.563	1.1
KAFUKAI-1	RKA5918	57.511	96.9	1.321	2.2	0.533	0.9
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15283	74.010	98.1	1.310	1.7	0.155	0.2
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15547	38.790	97.1	1.004	2.5	0.138	0.3
KAFUKAI-1	RKA17138	52.720	97.3	1.287	2.4	0.148	0.3
KAFUKAI-1	RKA18142	78.571	96.6	2.066	2.5	0.704	0.9

<sup>a</sup> First 3 canonical functions were used in the analyses

**Table S2.8** Summary of Box's M test for all zooarchaeological specimens examined at subfamily level

<b>SITE</b>	<b>SPECIMENS</b>	<b>Box's M</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>df1</b>	<b>df2</b>	<b>P</b>
MAWAKI	M-1 <sup>b</sup>	550.338	2.499	156	5911.574	0.000
MAWAKI	M-2	354.269	1.892	144	5796.824	0.000
MAWAKI	M-3 <sup>a</sup>	737.524	2.723	182	5.547.187	0.000
MAWAKI	M-5	208.103	2.068	84	6095.442	0.000
MAWAKI	M-8	484.699	1.986	180	5736.102	0.000
MAWAKI	M-12	354.269	1.892	144	5796.824	0.000
MAWAKI	M-20 <sup>a</sup>	737.524	2.723	182	5.547.187	0.000
MAWAKI	M-21	489.915	1.885	180	4307.032	0.000
MAWAKI	M-23	166.592	2.397	60	6334.337	0.000
MAWAKI	M-28 <sup>a</sup>	737.524	2.723	182	5.547.187	0.000
MAWAKI	M-29	354.269	1.892	144	5796.824	0.000
MAWAKI	M-36 <sup>h</sup>	421.179	2.933	110	6286.683	0.000
MAWAKI	M-39	354.269	1.892	144	5796.824	0.000
MAWAKI	M-40	208.103	2.068	84	6095.442	0.000
MAWAKI	M-43	208.103	2.068	84	6095.442	0.000
MAWAKI	M-45	488.863	2.003	180	5736.102	0.000
MAWAKI	M-49	354.269	1.892	144	5796.824	0.000
MAWAKI	M-50	208.103	2.068	84	6095.442	0.000
MAWAKI	M-54	283.342	2.023	112	5886.192	0.000
MAWAKI	M-58 <sup>h</sup>	421.179	2.933	110	6286.683	0.000
MAWAKI	M-61	208.103	2.068	84	6095.442	0.000
MAWAKI	M-69 <sup>a</sup>	737.524	2.723	182	5.547.187	0.000
MAWAKI	M-87	354.269	1.892	144	5796.824	0.000
MAWAKI	M-90 <sup>b</sup>	550.338	2.499	156	5911.574	0.000
MAWAKI	M-91 <sup>f</sup>	458.703	2.155	165	8613.470	0.000
MAWAKI	M-106	354.269	1.892	144	5796.824	0.000

**Table S2.8 (continued)**

<b>SITE</b>	<b>SPECIMENS</b>	<b>Box's M</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>df1</b>	<b>df2</b>	<b>P</b>
MAWAKI	M-109 <sup>h</sup>	421.179	2.933	110	6286.683	0.000
MAWAKI	M-111 <sup>b</sup>	550.338	2.499	156	5911.574	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 159 <sup>a</sup>	737.524	2.723	182	5.547.187	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 161	373.297	2.010	144	5865.893	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 483 <sup>e</sup>	469.543	2.612	132	5923.426	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 494	373.297	2.010	144	5865.893	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 495	259.508	2.578	84	6095.442	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 748 <sup>h</sup>	421.179	2.933	110	6286.683	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 749 <sup>h</sup>	421.179	2.933	110	6286.683	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2047	251.951	2.503	84	6095.442	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2804	324.176	3.087	84	4521.812	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3690	354.269	1.892	144	5796.824	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3982 <sup>c</sup>	671.197	3.007	156	5572.621	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA5918 <sup>d</sup>	646.957	2.900	156	5550.984	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15283 <sup>g</sup>	487.284	2.268	165	8237.825	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15547	176.143	2.530	60	6299.790	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA17138	354.269	1.892	144	5796.824	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA18142 <sup>a</sup>	737.524	2.723	182	5547.187	0.000

<sup>a</sup> Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -70.554

<sup>b</sup> Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -66.123

<sup>c</sup> Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -65.513

<sup>d</sup> Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -63.515

**Table S2.8 (continued)**

- e Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -59.458*
- f Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -59.328*
- g Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -59.430*

**Table S2.9** Summary of Wilk's Lambda for all zooarchaeological specimens examined (N = 44) at subfamily level

<b>SITE</b>	<b>SPECIMENS</b>	<b>Wilk's Lambda</b>	<b>Chi-square</b>	<b>df</b>	<b>P</b>
MAWAKI	M-1	0.021	391.313	48	0.000
MAWAKI	M-2	0.068	310.212	32	0.000
MAWAKI	M-3	0.021	380.689	52	0.000
MAWAKI	M-5	0.087	296.368	24	0.000
MAWAKI	M-8	0.070	305.683	36	0.000
MAWAKI	M-12	0.068	310.212	32	0.000
MAWAKI	M-20	0.021	380.689	52	0.000
MAWAKI	M-21	0.059	305.945	36	0.000
MAWAKI	M-23	0.111	268.262	20	0.000
MAWAKI	M-28	0.021	380.689	52	0.000
MAWAKI	M-29	0.068	310.212	32	0.000
MAWAKI	M-36	0.030	368.085	40	0.000
MAWAKI	M-39	0.068	310.212	32	0.000
MAWAKI	M-40	0.087	296.368	24	0.000
MAWAKI	M-43	0.087	296.368	24	0.000
MAWAKI	M-45	0.059	324.873	36	0.000
MAWAKI	M-49	0.068	310.212	32	0.000
MAWAKI	M-50	0.087	296.368	24	0.000
MAWAKI	M-54	0.081	292.207	28	0.000
MAWAKI	M-58	0.030	368.085	40	0.000
MAWAKI	M-61	0.087	296.368	24	0.000
MAWAKI	M-69	0.021	380.689	52	0.000
MAWAKI	M-87	0.068	310.212	32	0.000
MAWAKI	M-90	0.021	391.313	48	0.000

**Table S2.9** (continued)

<b>SITE</b>	<b>SPECIMENS</b>	<b>Wilk's Lambda</b>	<b>Chi-square</b>	<b>df</b>	<b><i>P</i></b>
MAWAKI	M-91	0.046	361.775	40	0.000
MAWAKI	M-106	0.068	310.212	32	0.000
MAWAKI	M-109	0.030	368.085	40	0.000
MAWAKI	M-111	0.021	391.313	48	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 159	0.021	380.689	52	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 161	0.066	327.309	32	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 483	0.026	374.141	44	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 494	0.066	327.309	32	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 495	0.092	290.483	24	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 748	0.030	368.085	40	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 749	0.030	368.085	40	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2047	0.082	303.518	24	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2804	0.077	278.814	24	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3690	0.068	310.212	32	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3982	0.025	268.980	48	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA5918	0.026	367.986	48	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15283	0.053	335.988	40	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15547	0.096	280.666	20	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA17138	0.068	310.212	32	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA18142	0.021	380.689	52	0.000

**Table S2.10** Summary of percentage of variance explained by each canonical discriminant function of eighteen toothed whale species from five subfamilies for all zooarchaeological specimens examined (N = 44)

SITE	SPECIMENS	Function 1 <sup>a</sup>		Function 2 <sup>a</sup>		Function 3 <sup>a</sup>		Function 4 <sup>a</sup>	
		Eigenvalue	% of Variance						
MAWAKI	M-1	6.368	68.2	2.063	22.1	0.615	6.6	0.296	3.2
MAWAKI	M-2	5.364	84.5	0.513	8.1	0.319	5.0	0.155	2.4
MAWAKI	M-3	6.169	67.3	2.058	22.5	0.638	7.0	0.303	3.3
MAWAKI	M-5	5.500	89.3	0.453	7.3	0.181	2.9	0.028	0.5
MAWAKI	M-8	5.318	84.3	0.644	10.2	0.226	3.6	0.120	1.9
MAWAKI	M-12	5.364	84.5	0.513	8.1	0.319	5.0	0.155	2.4
MAWAKI	M-20	6.169	67.3	2.058	22.5	0.638	7.0	0.303	3.3
MAWAKI	M-21	5.623	82.8	0.633	9.3	0.448	6.6	0.085	1.3
MAWAKI	M-23	5.454	93.7	0.253	4.3	0.087	1.5	0.026	0.4
MAWAKI	M-28	6.169	67.3	2.058	22.5	0.638	7.0	0.303	3.3
MAWAKI	M-29	5.364	84.5	0.513	8.1	0.319	5.0	0.155	2.4
MAWAKI	M-36	6.375	72.3	1.893	21.5	0.459	5.2	0.088	1.0
MAWAKI	M-39	5.364	84.5	0.513	8.1	0.319	5.0	0.155	2.4
MAWAKI	M-40	5.500	89.3	0.453	7.3	0.181	2.9	0.028	0.5
MAWAKI	M-43	5.500	89.3	0.453	7.3	0.181	2.9	0.028	0.5
MAWAKI	M-45	5.364	81.9	0.615	9.4	0.381	5.8	0.188	2.9
MAWAKI	M-49	5.364	84.5	0.513	8.1	0.319	5.0	0.155	2.4
MAWAKI	M-50	5.500	89.3	0.453	7.3	0.181	2.9	0.028	0.5
MAWAKI	M-54	4.806	84.2	0.513	9.0	0.293	5.1	0.093	1.6
MAWAKI	M-58	6.375	72.3	1.893	21.5	0.459	5.2	0.088	1.0
MAWAKI	M-61	5.500	89.3	0.453	7.3	0.181	2.9	0.028	0.5
MAWAKI	M-69	6.169	67.3	2.058	22.5	0.638	7.0	0.303	3.3

<sup>a</sup> First 4 canonical functions were used in the analyses

**Table S2.10** (continued)

SITE	SPECIMENS	Function 1 <sup>a</sup>		Function 2 <sup>a</sup>		Function 3 <sup>a</sup>		Function 4 <sup>a</sup>	
		Eigenvalue	% of Variance						
MAWAKI	M-87	5.364	84.5	0.513	8.1	0.319	5.0	0.155	2.4
MAWAKI	M-90	6.368	68.2	2.063	22.1	0.615	6.6	0.296	3.2
MAWAKI	M-91	5.503	78.4	0.731	10.4	0.471	6.7	0.312	4.5
MAWAKI	M-106	5.364	84.5	0.513	8.1	0.319	5.0	0.155	2.4
MAWAKI	M-109	6.375	72.3	1.893	21.5	0.459	5.2	0.088	1.0
MAWAKI	M-111	6.368	68.2	2.063	22.1	0.615	6.6	0.296	3.2
MIBIKI	No.159	6.169	67.3	2.058	22.5	0.638	7.0	0.303	3.3
MIBIKI	No.161	5.528	84.4	0.550	8.4	0.432	6.6	0.044	0.7
MIBIKI	No. 483	6.195	69.9	1.943	21.9	0.613	6.9	0.107	1.2
MIBIKI	No. 494	5.528	84.4	0.550	8.4	0.432	6.6	0.044	0.7
MIBIKI	No. 495	5.371	89.4	0.489	8.1	0.114	1.9	0.034	0.6
MIBIKI	No. 748	6.375	72.3	1.893	21.5	0.459	5.2	0.088	1.0
MIBIKI	No. 749	6.375	72.3	1.893	21.5	0.459	5.2	0.088	1.0
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2047	5.426	87.9	0.431	7.0	0.277	4.5	0.035	0.6
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2804	4.963	83.8	0.62	10.5	0.302	5.1	0.039	0.7
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3690	5.364	84.5	0.513	8.1	0.319	5.0	0.155	2.4
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3982	6.049	68.3	2.058	23.2	0.455	5.1	0.300	3.4
KAFUKAI-1	RKA5918	6.075	68.9	1.972	22.4	0.623	7.1	0.140	1.6
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15283	5.370	80.1	0.649	9.7	0.461	6.9	0.226	3.4
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15547	4.459	85.4	0.517	9.9	0.199	3.8	0.044	0.8
KAFUKAI-1	RKA17138	5.364	84.5	0.513	8.1	0.319	5.0	0.155	2.4
KAFUKAI-1	RKA18142	6.169	67.3	2.058	22.5	0.638	7.0	0.303	3.3

<sup>a</sup> First 4 canonical functions were used in the analyses

**Table S2.11** Summary of Box's M test for all zooarchaeological specimens examined (N = 44) at species level

<b>SITE</b>	<b>SPECIMENS</b>	<b>Box's M</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>df1</b>	<b>df2</b>	<b>P</b>
MAWAKI	M-1 <sup>a</sup>	-	-	-	-	-
MAWAKI	M-2 <sup>h</sup>	1344.404	2.469	360	9453.311	0.000
MAWAKI	M-3 <sup>a</sup>	-	-	-	-	-
MAWAKI	M-5 <sup>j</sup>	933.534	2.273	294	9167.651	0.000
MAWAKI	M-8 <sup>f</sup>	1762.581	2.718	405	9046.773	0.000
MAWAKI	M-12 <sup>h</sup>	1344.404	2.469	360	9453.311	0.000
MAWAKI	M-20 <sup>a</sup>	-	-	-	-	-
MAWAKI	M-21 <sup>g</sup>	1875.956	2.482	450	9121.655	0.000
MAWAKI	M-23 <sup>o</sup>	543.892	1.985	210	9482.513	0.000
MAWAKI	M-28 <sup>a</sup>	-	-	-	-	-
MAWAKI	M-29 <sup>h</sup>	1344.404	2.469	360	9453.311	0.000
MAWAKI	M-36 <sup>d</sup>	1373.255	3.470	220	4707.821	0.000
MAWAKI	M-39 <sup>h</sup>	1344.404	2.469	360	9453.311	0.000
MAWAKI	M-40 <sup>j</sup>	933.534	2.273	294	9167.651	0.000
MAWAKI	M-43 <sup>j</sup>	933.534	2.273	294	9167.651	0.000
MAWAKI	M-45 <sup>e</sup>	1703.325	2.626	405	9046.773	0.000
MAWAKI	M-49 <sup>h</sup>	1344.404	2.469	360	9453.311	0.000
MAWAKI	M-50 <sup>j</sup>	933.534	2.273	294	9167.651	0.000
MAWAKI	M-54 <sup>i</sup>	1095.681	2.472	308	9454.385	0.000
MAWAKI	M-58 <sup>d</sup>	1373.255	3.470	220	4707.821	0.000
MAWAKI	M-61 <sup>j</sup>	933.534	2.273	294	9167.651	0.000
MAWAKI	M-69 <sup>a</sup>	-	-	-	-	-
MAWAKI	M-87 <sup>h</sup>	1344.404	2.469	360	9453.311	0.000
MAWAKI	M-90 <sup>a</sup>	-	-	-	-	-
MAWAKI	M-91 <sup>b</sup>	1825.794	3.360	330	7473.908	0.000
MAWAKI	M-106 <sup>h</sup>	1344.404	2.469	360	9453.311	0.000

**Table S2.11** (continued)

<b>SITE</b>	<b>SPECIMENS</b>	<b>Box's M</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>df1</b>	<b>df2</b>	<b>P</b>
MAWAKI	M-109 <sup>d</sup>	1373.255	3.470	220	4707.821	0.000
MAWAKI	M-111 <sup>a</sup>	-	-	-	-	-
MIBIKI	No. 159 <sup>a</sup>	-	-	-	-	-
MIBIKI	No. 161 <sup>g</sup>	1627.891	2.740	396	10630.23	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 483 <sup>a</sup>	-	-	-	-	-
MIBIKI	No. 494 <sup>g</sup>	1627.891	2.740	396	10630.23	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 495 <sup>m</sup>	1153.144	2.807	294	9167.651	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 748 <sup>d</sup>	1373.255	3.470	220	4707.821	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 749 <sup>d</sup>	1373.255	3.470	220	4707.821	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2047 <sup>k</sup>	971.767	2.366	294	9167.651	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2804 <sup>l</sup>	1160.675	3.018	273	9019.245	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3690 <sup>h</sup>	1344.404	2.469	360	9453.311	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3982 <sup>a</sup>	-	-	-	-	-
KAFUKAI-1	RKA5918 <sup>a</sup>	-	-	-	-	-
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15283 <sup>c</sup>	1641.383	3.644	275	6588.616	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15547 <sup>n</sup>	678.237	2.449	210	8549.30	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA17138 <sup>h</sup>	1344.404	2.469	360	9453.311	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA18142 <sup>a</sup>	-	-	-	-	-

*a* No test can be performed with fewer than two nonsingular group covariance matrices

*b* Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -50.426

*c* Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -49.433

*d* Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -44.845

*e* Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -48.032

**Table S2.11** (continued)

- f* Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -48.000
- g* Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -47.168
- h* Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -44.144
- i* Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -38.737
- j* Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -34.820
- k* Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -34.820
- l* Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -29.105
- m* Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -32.207
- n* Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -27.125
- o* Some covariances matrices are singular and the usual procedure will not work. The non-singular groups will be tested against their own pooled within-groups covariance matrix. The log of its determinant is -29.119

**Table S2.12** Summary of Wilk's Lambda value for all zooarchaeological specimens examined at species level

<b>SITE</b>	<b>SPECIMENS</b>	<b>Wilk's Lambda</b>	<b>Chi-square</b>	<b>df</b>	<b>P</b>
MAWAKI	M-1	0.000	1789.107	204	0.000
MAWAKI	M-2	0.000	1573.581	136	0.000
MAWAKI	M-3	0.000	1826.003	221	0.000
MAWAKI	M-5	0.000	1288.711	102	0.000
MAWAKI	M-8	0.000	1679.246	153	0.000
MAWAKI	M-12	0.000	1573.581	136	0.000
MAWAKI	M-20	0.000	1826.003	221	0.000
MAWAKI	M-21	0.000	1427.058	153	0.000
MAWAKI	M-23	0.000	1198.135	85	0.000
MAWAKI	M-28	0.000	1826.003	221	0.000
MAWAKI	M-29	0.000	1573.581	136	0.000
MAWAKI	M-36	0.000	1543.276	170	0.000
MAWAKI	M-39	0.000	1573.581	136	0.000
MAWAKI	M-40	0.000	1288.711	102	0.000
MAWAKI	M-43	0.000	1288.711	102	0.000
MAWAKI	M-45	0.000	1644.926	153	0.000
MAWAKI	M-49	0.000	1573.581	136	0.000
MAWAKI	M-50	0.000	1288.711	102	0.000
MAWAKI	M-54	0.000	1095.681	119	0.000
MAWAKI	M-58	0.000	1543.276	170	0.000
MAWAKI	M-61	0.000	1288.711	102	0.000
MAWAKI	M-69	0.000	1826.003	221	0.000
MAWAKI	M-87	0.000	1573.581	136	0.000
MAWAKI	M-90	0.000	1789.107	204	0.000
MAWAKI	M-91	0.000	1767.933	170	0.000
MAWAKI	M-106	0.000	1573.581	136	0.000

**Table S2.12** (*continued*)

<b>SITE</b>	<b>SPECIMENS</b>	<b>Wilk's Lambda</b>	<b>Chi-square</b>	<b>df</b>	<b><i>P</i></b>
MAWAKI	M-109	0.000	1543.276	170	0.000
MAWAKI	M-111	0.000	1789.107	204	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 159	0.000	1826.003	221	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 161	0.000	1483.233	136	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 483	0.000	1626.364	187	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 494	0.000	1483.233	136	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 495	0.000	1187.285	102	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 748	0.000	1543.276	170	0.000
MIBIKI	No. 749	0.000	1543.276	170	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2047	0.000	1219.805	102	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA2804	0.000	1084.001	102	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3690	0.000	1573.581	136	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA3982	0.000	1714.695	204	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA5918	0.000	1668.104	204	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15283	0.000	1732.033	170	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA15547	0.000	1254.599	85	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA17138	0.000	1573.581	136	0.000
KAFUKAI-1	RKA18142	0.000	1826.003	221	0.000

**Table S2.13** Summary of percentage of variance explained by each canonical discriminant function of eighteen toothed whale species for Early Jomon Mawaki zooarchaeological specimens examined (N = 28)

SPECIMENS	Function 1		Function 2		Function 3		Function 4		Function 5		Function 6	
	Eigenvalue	% of Variance										
M-1	98.855	77.0	18.541	14.4	4.310	3.4	2.292	1.8	1.849	1.4	1.146	0.9
M-2	79.515	77.8	17.088	16.7	2.494	2.4	1.496	1.5	0.880	0.9	0.354	0.3
M-3	100.646	77.0	18.225	13.9	4.313	3.3	2.267	1.7	1.866	1.4	1.332	1.0
M-5	46.701	71.0	16.817	25.6	1.296	2.0	0.448	0.7	0.357	0.5	0.187	0.3
M-8	87.499	77.9	18.129	16.1	2.953	2.6	1.347	1.2	1.049	0.9	0.823	0.7
M-12	79.515	77.8	17.088	16.7	2.494	2.4	1.496	1.5	0.880	0.9	0.354	0.3
M-20	100.646	77.0	18.225	13.9	4.313	3.3	2.267	1.7	1.866	1.4	1.332	1.0
M-21	73.071	76.1	18.620	19.4	1.873	2.0	1.107	1.2	0.540	0.6	0.411	0.4
M-23	41.176	69.5	16.520	27.9	0.973	1.6	0.398	0.7	0.204	0.3		
M-28	100.646	77.0	18.225	13.9	4.313	3.3	2.267	1.7	1.866	1.4	1.332	1.0
M-29	79.515	77.8	17.088	16.7	2.494	2.4	1.496	1.5	0.880	0.9	0.354	0.3
M-36	72.975	74.4	18.396	18.7	2.765	2.8	1.855	1.9	0.934	1.0	0.493	0.5
M-39	79.515	77.8	17.088	16.7	2.494	2.4	1.496	1.5	0.880	0.9	0.354	0.3
M-40	46.701	71.0	16.817	25.6	1.296	2.0	0.448	0.7	0.357	0.5	0.187	0.3
M-43	46.701	71.0	16.817	25.6	1.296	2.0	0.448	0.7	0.357	0.5	0.187	0.3
M-45	79.842	76.9	17.403	16.8	2.662	2.6	1.516	1.5	1.405	1.4	0.462	0.4
M-49	79.515	77.8	17.088	16.7	2.494	2.4	1.496	1.5	0.88	0.9	0.354	0.3
M-50	46.701	71.0	16.817	25.6	1.296	2.0	0.448	0.7	0.357	0.5	0.187	0.3
M-54	74.272	78.2	16.620	17.5	2.313	2.4	0.901	0.9	0.372	0.4	0.273	0.3
M-58	72.975	74.4	18.396	18.7	2.765	2.8	1.855	1.9	0.934	1.0	0.493	0.5
M-61	46.701	71.0	16.817	25.6	1.296	2.0	0.448	0.7	0.357	0.5	0.187	0.3
M-69	100.646	77.0	18.225	13.9	4.313	3.3	2.267	1.7	1.866	1.4	1.332	1.0
M-87	79.515	77.8	17.088	16.7	2.494	2.4	1.496	1.5	0.880	0.9	0.354	0.3
M-90	98.855	77.0	18.541	14.4	4.310	3.4	2.292	1.8	1.849	1.4	1.146	0.9
M-91	91.197	77.5	18.852	16.0	2.896	2.5	2.029	1.7	1.573	1.3	0.498	0.4
M-106	79.515	77.8	17.088	16.7	2.494	2.4	1.496	1.5	0.88	0.9	0.354	0.3
M-109	72.975	74.4	18.396	18.7	2.765	2.8	1.855	1.9	0.934	1.0	0.493	0.5
M-111	98.855	77.0	18.541	14.4	4.310	3.4	2.292	1.8	1.849	1.4	1.146	0.9

**Remark:**

1. First 13 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analyses for M-3, M-20, M-28, and M-69
2. First 12 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analyses for M-1, M-90, M-28, and M-111
3. First 10 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analyses for M-36, M-58, M-91, and M-109
4. First 9 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analyses for M-8, M-21, and M-45

Table S2.13 (continued)

SPECIMENS	Function 7		Function 8		Function 9		Function 10		Function 11		Function 12		Function 13	
	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance
M-1	0.545	0.4	0.415	0.3	0.234	0.2	0.144	0.1	0.060	0.0	0.019	0.0		
M-2	0.228	0.2	0.122	0.1										
M-3	0.870	0.7	0.473	0.4	0.366	0.3	0.159	0.1	0.137	0.1	0.045	0.0	0.015	0.0
M-5														
M-8	0.291	0.3	0.213	0.2	0.034	0.0								
M-12	0.228	0.2	0.122	0.1										
M-20	0.870	0.7	0.473	0.4	0.366	0.3	0.159	0.1	0.137	0.1	0.045	0.0	0.015	0.0
M-21	0.245	0.3	0.106	0.1	0.052	0.1								
M-23														
M-28	0.870	0.7	0.473	0.4	0.366	0.3	0.159	0.1	0.137	0.1	0.045	0.0	0.015	0.0
M-29	0.228	0.2	0.122	0.1										
M-36	0.378	0.4	0.215	0.2	0.086	0.1	0.046	0.0						
M-39	0.228	0.2	0.122	0.1										
M-40														
M-43														
M-45	0.231	0.2	0.136	0.1	0.166	0.1								
M-49	0.228	0.2	0.122	0.1										
M-50														
M-54	0.169	0.2												
M-58	0.378	0.4	0.215	0.2	0.086	0.1	0.046	0.0						
M-61														
M-69	0.870	0.7	0.473	0.4	0.366	0.3	0.159	0.1	0.137	0.1	0.045	0.0	0.015	0.0
M-87	0.228	0.2	0.122	0.1										
M-90	0.545	0.4	0.415	0.3	0.234	0.2	0.144	0.1	0.060	0.0	0.019	0.0		
M-91	0.291	0.2	0.167	0.1	0.091	0.1	0.040	0.0						
M-106	0.228	0.2	0.122	0.1										
M-109	0.378	0.4	0.215	0.2	0.086	0.1	0.046	0.0						
M-111	0.545	0.4	0.415	0.3	0.234	0.2	0.144	0.1	0.060	0.0	0.019	0.0		

**Remark:**

5. First 8 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analyses for M-2, M-12, M-29, M-39, M-49, M-87, and M-106
6. First 7 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis for M-57
7. First 6 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analyses for M-5, M-40, M-43, M-50, and M-61
8. First 5 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis for M-5

**Table S2.14** Summary of percentage of variance explained by each canonical discriminant function of eighteen toothed whale species for Early Jomon Mibiki zooarchaeological specimens examined (N = 7)

SPECIMENS	Function 1		Function 2		Function 3		Function 4		Function 5		Function 6	
	Eigenvalue	% of Variance										
No. 159	100.646	77.0	18.225	13.9	4.313	3.3	2.267	1.7	1.866	1.4	1.332	1.0
No. 161	70.344	75.8	18.798	20.2	1.811	2.0	1.000	1.1	0.431	0.5	0.257	0.3
No. 483	81.380	75.4	18.474	17.1	3.293	3.1	1.856	1.7	1.174	1.1	0.545	0.5
No. 494	70.344	75.8	18.798	20.2	1.811	2.0	1.000	1.1	0.431	0.5	0.257	0.3
No. 495	39.466	75.1	10.620	20.2	1.773	3.4	0.369	0.7	0.203	0.4	0.92	0.2
No. 748	72.975	74.4	18.396	18.7	2.765	2.8	1.855	1.9	0.934	1.0	0.493	0.5
No. 749	72.975	74.4	18.396	18.7	2.765	2.8	1.855	1.9	0.934	1.0	0.493	0.5

SPECIMENS	Function 7		Function 8		Function 9		Function 10		Function 11		Function 12		Function 13	
	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance
No. 159	0.870	0.7	0.473	0.4	0.366	0.3	0.159	0.1	0.137	0.1	0.045	0.0	0.015	0.0
No. 161	0.113	0.1	0.088	0.1										
No. 483	0.501	0.5	0.345	0.5	0.214	0.2	0.065	0.1	0.034	0.0				
No. 494	0.113	0.1	0.088	0.1										
No. 495														
No. 748	0.378	0.4	0.215	0.2	0.086	0.1	0.46	0.0						
No. 749	0.378	0.4	0.215	0.2	0.086	0.1	0.46	0.0						

**Remark:**

1. First 13 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis for No. 159
2. First 11 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis for No. 483
3. First 10 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analyses for No. 748 and No. 749
4. First 8 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analyses for No. 494 and No. 161
5. First 8 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis for No. 495

**Table S2.15** Summary of percentage of variance explained by each canonical discriminant function of eighteen toothed whale species for Okhotsk Kafukai-1 zooarchaeological specimens examined (N = 9)

SPECIMENS	Function 1		Function 2		Function 3		Function 4		Function 5		Function 6	
	Eigenvalue	% of Variance										
RKA2047	47.697	78.7	10.591	17.5	1.478	2.4	0.449	0.7	0.293	0.5	0.106	0.2
RKA2804	27.222	71.8	7.125	18.8	1.990	5.2	0.933	2.5	0.515	1.4	0.148	0.4
RKA3690	79.515	77.8	17.088	16.7	2.494	2.4	1.496	1.5	0.88	0.9	0.354	0.3
RKA3982	66.766	70.5	17.117	18.1	3.780	4.0	2.263	2.4	1.798	1.9	1.313	1.4
RKA5918	81.333	75.1	18.137	16.7	3.249	3.0	1.869	1.7	1.395	1.3	0.879	0.8
RKA15283	95.608	78.9	18.133	15.0	2.968	2.5	1.875	1.5	1.060	0.9	0.824	0.7
RKA15547	68.109	83.9	10.579	13.00	1.867	2.3	0.376	0.5	0.251	0.3		
RKA17138	79.515	77.8	17.088	16.7	2.494	2.4	1.496	1.5	0.88	0.9	0.354	0.3
RKA18142	100.646	77.0	18.225	13.9	4.313	3.3	2.267	1.7	1.866	1.4	1.332	1.0

SPECIMENS	Function 7		Function 8		Function 9		Function 10		Function 11		Function 12		Function 13	
	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance	Eigenvalue	% of Variance
RKA2047														
RKA2804														
RKA3690	0.228	0.2	0.122	0.1										
RKA3982	0.650	0.7	0.384	0.4	0.353	0.4	0.144	0.2	0.086	0.1	0.017	0.0		
RKA5918	0.502	0.5	0.470	0.4	0.281	0.3	0.162	0.1	0.050	0.0	0.032	0.0		
RKA15283	0.296	0.2	0.225	0.2	0.91	0.1	0.34	0.0						
RKA15547														
RKA17138	0.228	0.2	0.122	0.1										
RKA18142	0.870	0.7	0.473	0.4	0.366	0.3	0.159	0.1	0.137	0.1	0.045	0.0	0.015	0.0

**Remark:**

1. First 13 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis for RKA18142
2. First 12 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analyses for RKA3982 and RKA5918
3. First 10 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis for RKA15283
4. First 8 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analyses for RKA17138 and RKA3690
5. First 6 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analyses for RKA29047 and RKA2804
6. First 5 canonical discriminant functions were used in the analysis for RKA15547

## **APPENDIX C**

Summary of classification functions of  
all zooarchaeological specimens examined

**Table S3.1** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zooarchaeological toothed whale specimens M-3, M-20, M-28, M-69 (Early Jomon Mawaki site), No. 159 (Early Jomon Mibiki site), and RKA18142 (Okhotsk Kafukai-1 site)

(a.)	Function		(b.)	Function			(c.)	Function			
	1	2		1	2	3		1	2	3	4
GWASA	-1.396	9.489	GWASA	-1.406	13.031	2.999	GWASA	2.083	7.060	15.333	-12.105
HA	3.684	2.391	HA	3.670	2.199	-1.090	HA	-.195	11.907	-5.306	5.513
GLNSA	2.474	2.347	GLNSA	2.463	2.559	-.387	GLNSA	-.080	2.055	5.056	-3.981
LLPA	-2.045	-.038	LLPA	-2.038	-.050	-.007	LLPA	.417	-.226	1.930	-.787
LLefLtPA	9.076	-7.979	LLefLtPA	9.049	-8.032	2.451	LLefLtPA	1.314	-5.179	-5.119	19.761
GLCAF	5.052	7.384	GLCAF	5.034	5.443	-5.654	GLCAF	3.109	-11.553	-18.447	-10.453
GWCAF	-1.819	3.220	GWCAF	-1.816	3.693	-.221	GWCAF	4.241	.425	4.737	-4.734
BNA	2.069	-8.068	BNA	2.065	-7.161	4.114	BNA	12.874	.913	-1.698	5.136
HNA	1.468	-1.866	HNA	1.463	-1.457	1.289	HNA	2.440	-2.923	-4.222	1.136
GBNSA	-.446	-.231	GBNSA	-.435	-3.875	-6.123	GBNSA	-4.216	7.015	-.406	2.160
ThLPA	-8.702	-2.705	ThLPA	-8.673	-1.575	2.782	ThLPA	-1.937	-.126	7.262	-.850
BLPA	-7.598	.483	BLPA	-7.571	.034	-.917	BLPA	-1.873	-.426	.369	1.838
ThBNSA	-.790	-2.440	ThBNSA	-.791	-.489	4.095	ThBNSA	.531	-5.892	.376	1.925
(Constant)	-6.585	-9.499	(Constant)	-6.544	-14.427	-5.352	(Constant)	-34.659	-8.345	2.827	-3.783
Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients				Unstandardized coefficients				

(d.)	Function												
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
GWASA	-1.929	24.263	-8.395	-3.131	-9.143	-5.136	-10.474	-1.440	-21.304	.509	-25.769	1.051	-8.804
HA	5.091	1.018	-3.469	-6.829	.729	1.582	6.378	3.287	-.854	-1.239	2.039	-2.910	-4.568
GLNSA	1.648	1.458	2.349	-4.427	1.529	4.318	-.111	-3.122	4.609	2.365	-4.695	-1.957	.942
LLPA	-1.240	-.092	-.600	.374	-.762	-6.228	6.820	-2.643	2.514	3.843	-2.722	-1.106	1.104
LLefLtPA	8.260	.943	10.309	10.328	-3.959	3.295	.018	-.273	-1.058	.244	6.348	.759	2.032
GLCAF	5.603	-.205	1.489	-4.505	-7.676	-.593	-1.061	.109	1.647	4.134	.478	13.023	2.653
GWCAF	-3.096	.702	1.623	.749	-3.229	.197	-3.750	.877	16.617	-9.866	11.963	-13.553	6.519
BNA	2.954	2.119	-4.525	6.485	13.698	-.308	-3.332	-3.170	-7.916	.459	3.245	-3.917	6.935
HNA	.306	2.229	.508	5.832	4.130	-2.030	-4.109	.077	8.616	-.176	1.199	4.060	-5.218
GBNSA	-1.074	-1.177	-7.530	3.276	-2.803	7.001	.742	1.902	.572	1.946	.442	.643	.952
ThLPA	-9.301	3.100	4.638	-.524	2.505	1.657	6.544	-3.950	-.791	-5.189	3.079	5.118	-1.512
BLPA	-6.573	-3.688	-1.240	-2.000	1.327	-1.212	-4.477	-.094	-8.812	5.283	5.472	-3.478	-5.511
ThBNSA	-.956	.965	3.838	-.454	3.559	-1.436	-4.90	7.216	-.815	.642	-.921	.524	1.429
(Constant)	-4.826	-59.500	4.741	-5.900	7.654	2.422	10.986	5.072	18.770	-5.209	11.668	3.037	6.740
Unstandardized coefficients													

**Table S3.2** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zooarchaeological toothed whale specimens M-1, M-90, and M-111 (Early Jomon Mawaki site)

(a.)	Function		(b.)	Function			(c.)	Function				
	1	2		1	2	3		1	2	3	4	
GWASA	-3.424	9.704	GWASA	-3.627	13.489	.763	GWASA	1.996	7.186	14.694	-12.887	
HA	7.468	.794	HA	7.449	.301	-.932	HA	.251	12.237	-4.647	4.827	
GLNSA	2.550	2.271	GLNSA	2.512	2.436	-.712	GLNSA	-.379	2.119	4.202	-3.739	
LLeftLtPA	7.318	-7.931	LLeftLtPA	7.360	-7.213	4.079	LLeftLtPA	2.508	-5.267	-1.398	17.972	
GLCAF	6.780	8.127	GLCAF	6.767	4.736	-7.465	GLCAF	2.432	-11.566	-18.680	-10.045	
GWCAF	-3.193	2.463	GWCAF	-3.230	3.176	-.111	GWCAF	4.361	-.031	4.987	-4.558	
BNA	.075	-8.344	BNA	.104	-6.207	6.000	BNA	13.419	.433	-1.951	5.694	
HNA	-1.563	.685	HNA	-1.575	1.006	.121	HNA	2.374	-3.064	-3.879	1.292	
GBNSA	-.432	-.435	GBNSA	-.299	-4.837	-5.259	GBNSA	-4.002	7.156	.034	1.882	
THLPA	-7.653	-2.554	THLPA	-7.636	-1.295	2.587	THLPA	-2.568	-.210	6.608	-.164	
BLPA	-7.357	.886	BLPA	-7.320	.127	-1.291	BLPA	-1.461	-.359	.919	1.297	
THNSA	-1.155	-2.693	THNSA	-1.197	-.069	4.326	THNSA	.497	-5.951	.454	1.971	
(Constant)	-4.788	-10.654	(Constant)	-4.498	-16.160	-2.501	(Constant)	-36.183	-7.879	.071	-1.337	
Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients						
(d.)	Function											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
GWASA	-2.316	24.785	-8.093	-3.662	-8.497	-10.081	-1.459	-12.416	-24.074	-19.056	4.975	-10.575
HA	5.235	.957	-3.393	-6.920	.786	4.272	6.116	-.587	2.155	.864	-2.539	-4.724
GLNSA	1.856	1.359	2.414	-4.402	1.388	4.697	-5.933	3.651	-1.745	-2.540	-1.330	-.043
LLeftLtPA	7.779	.889	10.165	10.489	-4.366	2.166	.440	-1.421	2.182	5.200	-.195	2.713
GLCAF	5.649	-.341	1.511	-4.712	-7.639	-1.179	-1.210	1.956	-.895	3.066	12.676	4.411
GWCAF	-3.163	.595	1.501	.961	-3.770	-2.552	-3.462	10.514	17.273	2.508	-16.655	6.136
BNA	2.828	2.271	-4.603	6.748	13.752	.003	-.201	-7.488	-3.069	3.177	-4.998	6.367
HNA	.322	2.182	.374	5.974	3.949	-3.577	-3.734	6.831	5.267	.522	4.620	-4.311
GBNSA	-1.447	-1.086	-7.731	3.216	-3.328	6.028	.251	2.376	-1.472	1.311	.649	1.064
THLPA	-8.880	2.923	4.522	-.350	2.232	4.427	1.400	-5.891	6.495	-.094	4.173	-.222
BLPA	-7.435	-3.445	-1.264	-2.040	1.736	-3.705	.877	-5.263	-4.920	7.679	-2.550	-5.764
THNSA	-1.106	.941	3.789	-.308	3.645	-1.897	5.634	3.561	-2.673	-.525	.394	1.540
(Constant)	-4.438	-60.383	4.119	-5.238	7.193	7.591	4.887	12.238	18.453	5.369	-.149	8.428
Unstandardized coefficients												

**Table S3.3** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zoarchaeological toothed whale specimens RKA3982 (Okhotsk Kafukai-1 site)

(a.)	Function	
	1	2
GWASA	-9.379	7.270
HA	7.957	1.557
GLNSA	-.252	1.451
LLPA	-2.162	-.646
LLeflIPA	8.538	-7.179
GLCAF	7.139	8.897
GWCAF	-4.226	1.897
BNA	.303	-8.380
HNA	-.707	.865
GBNSA	-.663	-.634
BLPA	-6.076	.639
THNSA	-1.679	-3.092
(Constant)	1.254	-8.734

Unstandardized coefficients

(b.)	Function		
	1	2	3
GWASA	-9.319	12.272	2.980
HA	7.926	.632	-1.759
GLNSA	-.247	2.021	.080
LLPA	-2.154	-.462	.490
LLeflIPA	8.498	-6.736	3.522
GLCAF	7.112	4.998	-8.386
GWCAF	-4.205	2.958	.485
BNA	.298	-6.144	6.175
HNA	-.703	1.147	-.021
GBNSA	-.675	-4.993	-4.971
BLPA	-6.055	-.082	-1.133
THNSA	-1.668	-.154	4.815
(Constant)	1.218	-15.099	-4.008

Unstandardized coefficients

(c.)	Function			
	1	2	3	4
GWASA	2.659	7.122	14.915	-13.763
HA	-1.338	11.830	-.917	5.175
LLPA	.659	-.208	1.160	-.826
GLNSA	-.199	2.055	6.382	-4.849
LLeflIPA	.367	-5.244	-.403	19.575
GLCAF	2.142	-11.635	-18.863	-8.681
GWCAF	4.248	.438	5.143	-5.383
BNA	12.433	.899	-.354	5.091
HNA	2.746	-2.908	-6.554	2.092
GBNSA	-4.334	7.002	.366	2.069
BLPA	-1.559	-.408	-.743	2.077
ThBNSA	.481	-5.894	.866	1.812
(Constant)	-32.620	-8.259	-4.254	-2.556

Unstandardized coefficients

(d.)	Function											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
GWASA	-5.043	27.401	-1.987	-3.944	-5.995	-3.547	-7.652	-10.912	-19.148	-20.887	12.373	-9.201
HA	5.440	.310	-4.951	-6.535	-.437	.655	6.242	-1.755	.113	.827	-3.166	-4.928
GLNSA	1.390	1.359	2.341	-4.427	1.759	4.628	.739	7.066	-.054	-2.859	1.018	.311
LLPA	-.916	-.092	-.838	.410	-1.065	-7.042	5.002	6.345	-2.230	-.408	1.342	.679
LLeflIPA	9.593	-.892	9.494	10.090	-4.291	2.940	-.911	-1.460	.088	5.424	-2.085	2.330
GLCAF	5.501	-.871	1.364	-4.765	-7.554	-1.073	-2.526	-.746	2.922	3.758	11.748	5.107
GWCAF	-3.824	1.448	3.088	.444	-2.281	.714	-2.364	7.086	16.157	3.474	-20.059	4.230
BNA	2.901	1.925	-5.658	7.117	12.878	.269	-1.195	-2.037	-8.380	2.359	-5.472	6.101
HNA	.907	2.025	.557	5.907	4.432	-1.355	-3.702	3.196	8.756	1.459	3.726	-4.270
GBNSA	-3.053	-.006	-6.656	3.322	-3.692	6.636	2.020	-.243	.652	1.502	1.211	.978
BLPA	-8.040	-2.322	.092	-2.114	2.402	-.314	-3.011	-5.157	-7.340	7.265	-1.620	-6.180
THNSA	-1.074	1.090	4.329	-.518	4.510	-.670	4.094	-4.624	2.024	-.268	1.297	1.387
(Constant)	-8.179	-60.433	-1.894	-5.084	4.831	.785	9.339	6.924	18.842	7.036	-5.348	7.778

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table S3.4** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zoarchaeological toothed whale specimens RKA5918 (Okhotsk Kafukai-1 site)

(a.)	Function		(b.)	Function			(c.)	Function				
	1	2		1	2	3		1	2	3	4	
GWASA	-7.022	-1.079	GWASA	-7.341	4.385	-5.395	GWASA	4.922	6.975	11.507	-9.854	
HA	-9.214	-2.726	HA	-9.120	-2.600	-1.421	HA	-.537	10.980	-4.922	12.497	
GLNSA	-3.515	-.172	GLNSA	-3.535	.287	-.494	LLPA	.592	-1.200	1.248	4.114	
LLPA	.545	-2.129	LLPA	.581	-1.609	-1.479	GLNSA	.293	1.220	4.084	-1.927	
GLCAF	-7.422	6.955	GLCAF	-7.339	2.337	7.427	GLCAF	2.978	-11.133	-19.311	-12.404	
GWCAF	5.508	7.448	GWCAF	5.294	6.818	4.118	GWCAF	3.725	.025	4.915	-9.590	
BNA	4.137	-2.851	BNA	4.074	-.539	-3.418	BNA	10.722	-.629	.372	5.944	
HNA	2.491	2.180	HNA	2.423	2.064	1.145	HNA	3.189	-2.045	-4.748	2.784	
GBNSA	.509	.215	GBNSA	.852	-5.054	4.804	GBNSA	-4.350	7.370	.163	.300	
ThLPA	8.061	-1.702	ThLPA	7.991	.070	-2.385	ThLPA	-1.531	-.562	6.671	.605	
BLPA	5.481	1.981	BLPA	5.499	.623	2.161	BLPA	-1.919	-.880	.347	4.930	
THNSA	1.101	-2.720	THNSA	.964	.692	-4.339	ThBNSA	.464	-5.873	.524	3.057	
(Constant)	8.117	-9.550	(Constant)	8.762	-14.605	-.036	(Constant)	-34.909	-11.022	1.750	5.618	
Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients						
(d.)	Function											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
GWASA	-4.183	25.177	-2.556	-8.563	-7.974	-10.906	-20.077	-8.670	-22.914	.951	3.132	1.193
HA	-7.208	1.401	1.372	-2.449	3.143	6.472	1.550	4.033	-.884	-1.531	-2.406	5.041
GLNSA	-2.842	1.434	4.411	-.190	4.876	.032	-2.196	-4.312	3.851	2.946	-1.605	-1.802
LLPA	.148	-.022	-.169	.392	-6.403	6.759	-.198	-3.041	2.372	4.078	-.632	-1.246
GLCAF	-4.949	-.427	1.097	-8.469	-.975	-1.043	2.214	.896	1.134	3.738	12.624	-3.914
GWCAF	5.015	.225	-1.931	-2.337	.540	-3.573	7.872	3.579	18.177	-9.084	-14.977	-1.714
BNA	-1.696	2.685	-2.862	13.448	1.468	-.320	5.423	-1.132	-6.576	.448	-5.032	-5.206
HNA	.347	1.923	-2.662	7.268	-1.705	-4.176	-.098	-.214	7.219	-.374	4.698	4.748
GBNSA	.932	-.984	-8.845	-2.169	6.145	.809	-1.623	1.492	.578	1.954	.588	-.663
ThLPA	9.910	2.822	3.842	1.750	2.045	6.547	3.467	-2.932	-.889	-5.703	4.755	1.311
BLPA	5.799	-3.457	.881	-.495	-.316	-4.500	4.625	1.885	-8.271	4.610	-3.039	7.201
THNSA	1.220	.883	4.294	3.231	-.975	-.463	-2.535	6.787	-.610	.699	.428	-1.647
(Constant)	3.500	-59.903	5.888	4.713	6.118	11.293	10.728	8.881	19.063	-5.254	1.795	-3.918
Unstandardized coefficients												

**Table S3.5** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zoarchaeological toothed whale specimens No.483 (Early Jomon Mibiki site)

(a.)	Function		(b.)	Function			(c.)	Function			
	1	2		1	2	3		1	2	3	4
GWASA	-9.241	-4.368	GWASA	-6.880	3.697	-6.586	GWASA	5.817	6.945	12.011	-10.559
HA	-4.937	.129	HA	-9.055	-2.721	-1.710	HA	.491	10.444	-4.421	15.936
GLNSA	-4.431	.054	GLNSA	-3.700	.720	-.031	GLNSA	.136	1.548	3.895	-3.065
GLCAF	-5.080	8.608	GLCAF	-7.349	2.260	8.168	GLCAF	1.909	-11.524	-18.827	-16.244
GWCAF	4.223	7.816	GWCAF	5.273	6.432	4.226	GWCAF	3.805	-.513	5.331	-8.675
BNA	1.522	-5.518	BNA	4.007	-.498	-3.807	BNA	10.900	-.887	-.071	7.074
HNA	-.430	-1.956	HNA	2.491	1.879	1.181	HNA	3.237	-2.488	-4.588	4.122
GBNSA	1.240	.649	GBNSA	.968	-5.463	4.378	GBNSA	-4.055	7.424	.178	.398
ThLPA	8.791	-.627	ThLPA	7.789	.173	-2.107	ThLPA	-2.171	-.274	6.414	.889
BLPA	7.131	.802	BLPA	6.070	-.170	1.197	BLPA	-1.166	-1.346	.878	8.059
ThBNSA	1.108	-2.871	ThNSA	1.054	.667	-4.593	ThNSA	.332	-5.930	.550	4.102
(Constant)	9.526	-4.955	(Constant)	8.284	-13.956	.584	(Constant)	-36.509	-9.543	.663	5.095

Unstandardized coefficients

(d.)	Function										
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
GWASA	-4.051	25.642	-2.202	-7.748	-12.765	-7.714	-19.511	-19.546	13.079	4.314	.730
HA	-7.270	1.325	1.417	-2.625	5.382	6.591	1.233	-1.142	-1.354	-2.191	4.847
GLNSA	-2.891	1.360	4.478	-.165	5.102	-5.905	-1.867	3.049	.300	-1.547	-.919
GLCAF	-4.959	-.522	1.217	-8.582	-1.215	-.518	2.270	3.068	2.040	12.503	-4.424
GWCAF	4.926	.179	-1.954	-2.570	-2.005	-.429	7.411	13.248	-14.426	-16.744	-1.538
BNA	-1.786	2.742	-3.066	13.547	1.085	.047	5.526	-4.585	5.021	-5.090	-4.726
HNA	.308	1.925	-2.771	7.295	-3.347	-2.764	-.014	5.692	-5.072	4.847	4.210
GBNSA	1.021	-.914	-8.851	-2.235	5.564	.114	-1.652	2.333	1.587	.758	-.585
ThLPA	9.727	2.687	3.724	1.277	4.648	1.522	3.527	-5.670	-5.311	3.962	.262
BLPA	6.148	-3.256	.946	.164	-3.030	1.299	4.691	-3.091	7.978	-1.607	7.515
ThNSA	1.246	.874	4.229	3.405	-1.713	5.520	-2.978	2.676	1.918	.376	-1.822
(Constant)	3.681	-60.732	5.183	3.911	10.443	9.093	9.998	14.505	-14.047	-.299	-4.519

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table S3.6** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zooarchaeological toothed whale specimens M-91 (Early Jomon Mawaki site)

(a.)	Function		(b.)	Function			(c.)	Function			
	1	2		1	2	3		1	2	3	4
GWASA	-4.628	7.996	GWASA	-5.207	10.645	3.827	GWASA	3.343	14.052	10.670	-18.563
HA	7.821	1.081	HA	7.744	1.511	.675	HA	1.214	-20.384	16.686	3.509
GLNSA	2.136	2.209	GLNSA	2.011	2.665	.327	GLNSA	.187	2.816	2.705	-3.840
LLeftLiPA	7.771	-8.404	LLeftLiPA	7.962	-7.543	5.432	LLeftLiPA	2.272	5.406	-7.380	20.194
GLCAF	6.057	9.327	GLCAF	5.916	7.887	-7.338	GLCAF	2.758	-1.520	-36.285	-8.570
GWCAF	-3.012	1.314	GWCAF	-3.126	1.891	1.005	GWCAF	2.889	5.727	-.496	-2.688
BNA	1.223	-8.309	BNA	1.428	-7.662	4.862	BNA	10.803	-6.446	7.358	7.595
HNA	-2.467	.501	HNA	-2.351	-.674	-3.233	HNA	-.133	-4.151	2.418	5.688
THLPA	-8.286	-3.607	THLPA	-8.186	-3.499	1.691	ThLPA	-2.274	5.768	3.583	.084
BLPA	-6.975	-.443	BLPA	-6.974	-.385	.345	BLPA	-2.502	.771	2.322	.711
(Constant)	-4.687	-7.171	(Constant)	-3.742	-13.308	-13.168	(Constant)	-34.039	-1.417	-1.441	-2.018
Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients					

(d.)	Function							Function		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
GWASA	-4.975	25.713	-9.227	1.029	-13.489	-4.011	-22.212	-23.963	.665	12.700
HA	5.846	1.602	-4.776	6.692	3.051	-5.932	2.178	2.315	-4.781	3.671
GLNSA	1.216	1.402	1.681	4.911	5.574	6.051	-.296	-3.876	-2.000	-.287
LLeftLiPA	7.424	.436	14.968	-4.787	-2.133	-1.600	.401	5.385	1.582	-2.778
GLCAF	5.042	.050	1.460	7.650	-5.644	3.053	.109	1.444	13.755	1.247
GWCAF	-3.446	.545	2.484	.212	-3.479	6.688	17.583	6.625	-13.310	-14.046
BNA	3.967	2.183	-4.894	-12.421	9.662	-2.810	-7.362	3.105	-.841	-8.165
HNA	-.140	2.120	.479	-8.158	.476	6.313	7.716	1.013	2.315	5.596
THLPA	-9.927	2.323	3.588	.442	5.828	-7.275	3.184	1.190	4.658	.496
BLPA	-7.398	-3.553	-3.801	-.602	-.476	-.976	-7.794	7.475	-2.928	4.736
(Constant)	-.551	-61.989	-.085	5.650	9.248	1.167	19.759	9.898	.897	-8.360
Unstandardized coefficients										

**Table S3.7** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zoarchaeological toothed whale specimens RKA15283 (Okhotsk Kafukai-1 site)

(a.)	Function	
	1	2
GWASA	-5.176	6.839
HA	7.833	1.145
LLPA	-2.860	-1.855
LLeftLtPA	10.042	-6.691
GLCAF	6.005	9.317
GWCAF	-2.531	1.570
BNA	2.328	-7.296
HNA	-1.618	.954
THLPA	-8.075	-2.523
BLPA	-4.616	1.219
(Constant)	-6.495	-7.638

Unstandardized coefficients

(b.)	Function		
	1	2	3
GWASA	-5.554	9.501	4.514
HA	7.765	1.534	.585
LLPA	-2.792	-2.099	.062
LLeftLtPA	10.093	-5.528	5.627
GLCAF	5.894	7.903	-7.335
GWCAF	-2.597	1.951	.426
BNA	2.432	-6.488	4.928
HNA	-1.554	-.075	-3.103
THLPA	-8.011	-2.458	1.154
BLPA	-4.695	1.878	1.303
(Constant)	-5.769	-14.102	-14.331

Unstandardized coefficients

(c.)	Function			
	1	2	3	4
GWASA	2.870	7.068	6.169	-20.482
HA	1.209	-22.395	10.922	6.088
LLPA	-.373	-.311	.793	1.008
LLeftLtPA	2.694	11.810	-.485	16.419
GLCAF	4.334	5.965	-36.076	.347
GWCAF	2.440	4.498	.049	-4.031
BNA	10.172	-6.729	8.462	6.304
HNA	.122	-3.596	2.475	5.904
ThLPA	-2.338	4.979	7.049	-6.322
BLPA	-2.618	1.491	3.522	-3.056
(Constant)	-34.084	-1.867	.393	-3.689

Unstandardized coefficients

(d.)	Function									
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
GWASA	-4.236	25.447	-7.158	-7.868	-11.185	-7.133	-25.786	-18.594	-6.771	12.532
HA	5.415	1.484	-5.650	-4.255	6.861	4.225	.678	-.375	5.347	3.765
LLPA	-2.039	-.197	-2.111	1.323	-3.048	9.384	-2.005	2.969	-.917	-.450
LLeftLtPA	8.969	1.098	16.087	1.886	.836	-1.059	1.506	3.081	.314	-3.000
GLCAF	5.228	.243	1.490	-9.346	-1.046	-.354	2.349	4.034	-13.408	.518
GWCAF	-3.368	.251	2.646	-1.409	-5.238	-1.197	18.685	1.472	15.724	-12.479
BNA	4.213	2.521	-4.345	14.674	4.931	-3.217	-6.657	2.035	1.932	-8.532
HNA	.081	2.290	1.105	7.461	-4.738	-2.146	8.652	1.753	-2.085	5.840
THLPA	-10.075	2.522	3.387	1.864	9.556	3.173	3.002	-2.058	-3.490	.213
BLPA	-5.700	-3.027	-2.075	-1.226	2.744	-6.840	-6.444	6.242	4.489	4.494
(Constant)	-1.843	-61.450	-2.750	.864	7.937	9.568	20.740	6.703	1.707	-7.840

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table S3.8** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zooarchaeological toothed whale specimens M-36, M-58, M-109 (Early Jomon Mawaki site), No. 748, and No.749 (Early Jomon Mibiki site)

(a.)	Function		(b.)	Function			(c.)	Function			
	1	2		1	2	3		1	2	3	4
GWASA	-6.217	-2.513	GWASA	-6.371	3.952	-6.449	GWASA	5.246	5.461	11.941	-13.204
HA	-10.186	-3.027	HA	-10.118	-2.493	-1.969	HA	1.060	11.003	-3.455	17.655
GLCAF	-7.758	7.746	GLCAF	-7.698	2.392	8.207	GLCAF	1.569	-10.788	-22.417	-12.051
GWCAF	7.464	7.055	GWCAF	7.348	5.965	4.455	GWCAF	3.767	-1.464	3.319	-8.899
BNA	3.931	-3.139	BNA	3.887	-.438	-3.750	BNA	10.738	-.842	.988	7.156
HNA	2.775	2.040	HNA	2.737	1.791	1.236	HNA	3.299	-1.897	-3.932	4.638
GBNSA	1.028	-.160	GBNSA	1.214	-5.643	4.304	GBNSA	-3.992	7.320	.280	.503
THLPA	5.635	-1.480	THLPA	5.583	.390	-2.243	ThLPA	-1.845	.323	9.424	-3.470
BLPA	3.249	.840	BLPA	3.249	.117	1.006	BLPA	-.738	-.126	4.489	4.927
THNSA	.578	-2.953	THNSA	.502	.873	-4.557	ThBNSA	.261	-5.686	1.379	3.774
(Constant)	7.031	-8.050	(Constant)	7.358	-13.861	.567	(Constant)	-36.306	-8.297	2.931	3.550

Unstandardized coefficients

(d.)	Function									
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
GWASA	-2.954	25.672	-1.283	-7.927	-13.595	-16.901	-22.182	13.484	3.284	-1.145
HA	-7.337	1.857	-1.515	-2.648	8.479	-.608	1.175	-1.177	-1.329	5.062
GLCAF	-4.860	-.399	-1.571	-8.651	-.695	2.426	2.421	1.826	10.335	-8.574
GWCAF	5.749	-.558	3.182	-2.509	-4.315	7.045	13.634	-14.713	-14.760	4.911
BNA	-2.128	3.104	2.307	13.611	1.541	5.253	-3.046	5.249	-7.169	-2.787
HNA	.227	1.985	2.197	7.326	-4.895	.684	4.013	-5.317	6.795	2.410
GBNSA	.885	-.880	10.176	-2.049	3.161	-1.528	1.738	1.456	1.046	-.770
THLPA	9.221	2.703	-3.470	1.258	6.582	3.147	-4.911	-5.149	2.726	-1.313
BLPA	4.254	-2.459	-2.972	.034	-.312	3.959	-1.448	8.269	.179	7.357
THNSA	1.147	.820	-5.281	3.316	1.132	-4.425	4.286	1.912	-.580	-1.955
(Constant)	-.142	-60.406	-2.305	4.003	12.774	7.625	16.850	-14.314	-1.222	-3.655

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table S3.9** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zoarchaeological toothed whale specimens M-45 (Early Jomon Mawaki site)

(a.)	Function		(b.)	Function			(c.)	Function			
	1	2		1	2	3		1	2	3	4
GWASA	-1.755	9.039	GWASA	-2.177	11.339	2.581	GWASA	3.227	15.162	-15.120	6.103
GLNSA	1.652	1.883	GLNSA	1.576	2.194	.077	LLPA	-.368	2.114	-1.557	-1.337
LLPA	-2.392	-1.176	LLPA	-2.338	-1.438	-.229	GLNSA	-.024	4.664	-3.215	2.957
LLeftLtPA	11.149	-7.412	LLeftLtPA	11.223	-6.230	6.114	LLeftLtPA	2.888	-4.702	22.105	-9.751
GLCAF	6.127	9.089	GLCAF	6.006	7.749	-7.267	GLCAF	5.039	-28.885	4.912	11.397
GWCAF	-2.425	1.598	GWCAF	-2.517	2.237	1.090	GWCAF	2.540	3.312	.026	4.693
BNA	6.011	-6.834	BNA	6.136	-6.357	4.001	BNA	10.161	.804	-4.747	-18.987
THLPA	-9.268	-3.679	THLPA	-9.155	-3.814	1.141	ThLPA	-2.220	7.092	-1.225	-.166
BLPA	-7.101	-.197	BLPA	-7.115	.110	.928	BLPA	-2.712	1.983	2.473	2.870
(Constant)	-9.233	-8.605	(Constant)	-8.468	-14.955	-13.621	(Constant)	-34.098	1.162	-4.140	3.399

Unstandardized coefficients

(d.)	Function								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
GWASA	3.375	27.563	-13.107	-6.968	-1.525	-12.781	-7.754	3.827	-29.421
GLNSA	-.691	1.477	3.339	2.901	-6.066	3.849	.986	-5.218	-3.515
LLPA	2.247	-.293	-2.473	-.707	5.540	7.437	3.641	-2.131	-2.391
LLeftLtPA	-11.298	2.150	11.667	-.561	6.137	-2.774	1.576	2.487	5.837
GLCAF	-6.366	1.169	1.253	-8.216	-6.074	7.754	.481	10.453	-.607
GWCAF	3.694	-.676	3.959	-5.567	-2.138	-.457	-2.456	-17.472	20.028
BNA	-5.115	2.894	-8.094	15.947	4.715	-3.614	2.627	-.196	5.027
THLPA	10.729	1.608	5.473	4.932	2.542	2.868	-4.600	6.254	2.485
BLPA	6.261	-3.716	-2.015	.622	-1.181	-9.824	8.246	4.213	-.486
(Constant)	.457	-62.448	5.769	1.980	-2.346	15.009	-1.380	-3.587	17.205

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table S3.10** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zooarchaeological toothed whale specimens M-8 (Early Jomon Mawaki site)

(a.)	Function		(b.)	Function			(c.)	Function			
	1	2		1	2	3		1	2	3	4
GWASA	-6.367	5.248	GWASA	-6.867	8.306	5.227	GWASA	4.297	8.438	-20.587	-14.591
HA	7.975	2.514	HA	7.884	2.584	-.880	HA	2.961	-20.279	6.192	-1.616
LLPA	-2.897	-2.603	LLPA	-2.805	-2.605	1.066	LLPA	-.360	-.223	1.032	1.515
LLeftLiPA	10.484	-5.999	LLeftLiPA	10.555	-4.415	6.225	LLeftLiPA	2.601	11.677	16.363	-3.929
GWCAF	1.289	9.087	GWCAF	1.101	7.678	-7.098	GWCAF	2.672	4.618	-4.095	-5.598
BNA	5.344	-2.530	BNA	5.416	-2.280	1.616	BNA	10.550	-5.610	6.517	11.851
HNA	-2.046	.118	HNA	-1.948	-.936	-2.576	HNA	.302	-3.238	5.962	2.910
THLPA	-8.208	-4.167	THLPA	-8.124	-3.565	3.170	ThLPA	-2.108	5.795	-6.159	9.334
BLPA	-3.776	2.592	BLPA	-3.910	2.960	-.162	BLPA	-2.075	2.122	-3.051	-2.517
(Constant)	-6.038	-8.936	(Constant)	-5.048	-15.693	-12.571	(Constant)	-34.621	-2.219	-3.527	14.391
Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients					

(d.)	Function								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
GWASA	4.859	25.404	-7.699	-6.274	-12.357	-7.531	-23.790	-21.695	12.364
HA	-5.960	1.526	-5.699	-7.166	5.576	4.042	1.479	1.355	3.958
LLPA	2.006	-.200	-2.058	2.146	-2.780	9.426	-2.503	2.343	-.489
LLeftLiPA	-8.291	1.092	16.139	1.196	1.049	-1.006	1.134	3.154	-2.999
GWCAF	.780	.364	3.040	-6.205	-6.833	-1.632	20.470	7.901	-11.926
BNA	-7.216	2.691	-2.931	10.081	6.105	-3.037	-6.682	1.818	-8.440
HNA	-.155	2.298	1.496	9.321	-3.190	-1.896	7.868	1.557	5.747
THLPA	10.019	2.494	3.424	1.406	9.990	3.389	2.662	-2.859	.090
BLPA	4.760	-3.000	-2.006	-2.933	2.212	-6.949	-6.496	6.774	4.643
(Constant)	1.861	-61.464	-2.800	1.520	8.448	9.827	19.712	8.524	-7.820
Unstandardized coefficients									

**Table S3.11** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zooarchaeological toothed whale specimens M-21 (Early Jomon Mawaki site)

(a.)	Function		(b.)	Function			(c.)	Function			
	1	2		1	2	3		1	2	3	4
GWASA	-5.777	-2.794	GWASA	-5.623	-.827	5.976	GWASA	6.938	5.593	12.367	-12.095
HA	-10.532	-3.072	HA	-10.472	-1.962	3.716	HA	2.708	-19.279	3.180	18.090
GLCAF	-8.244	7.995	GLCAF	-8.119	7.579	-3.084	GLCAF	1.258	14.783	-31.071	-14.737
GWCAF	7.801	7.003	GWCAF	7.822	5.876	-4.723	GWCAF	2.486	.988	3.900	-8.638
BNA	4.289	-3.203	BNA	4.214	-3.266	.618	BNA	8.318	-4.972	2.781	7.661
HNA	3.163	2.113	HNA	3.101	1.131	-3.155	HNA	1.251	-5.391	-2.162	4.892
ThLPA	5.895	-1.435	ThLPA	5.879	-1.280	.780	ThLPA	-1.553	2.728	9.203	-3.018
BLPA	3.267	.693	BLPA	3.219	.127	-1.691	BLPA	-1.031	.607	4.903	5.468
THNSA	.606	-3.044	THNSA	.714	-1.440	5.070	ThBNSA	-1.495	4.755	-.764	3.817
(Constant)	6.851	-7.691	(Constant)	6.373	-10.648	-6.099	(Constant)	-35.709	4.397	.775	2.932
Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients					

(d.)	Function					Function			
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
GWASA	-2.396	25.632	-7.199	-12.550	-13.897	-22.774	17.423	3.450	-.447
HA	-7.456	2.038	-3.492	7.834	1.335	-.501	-2.404	-2.974	4.761
GLCAF	-5.019	-.285	-9.018	-.523	.623	4.078	2.730	11.758	-5.458
GWCAF	5.740	-.598	-1.038	-6.786	5.151	11.982	-18.074	-14.158	.557
BNA	-1.973	3.153	13.889	1.965	5.093	-.265	5.923	-6.373	-4.649
HNA	.347	1.951	7.973	-3.914	-1.340	4.073	-5.085	6.591	3.966
ThLPA	9.540	2.213	.387	6.234	5.828	-4.344	-3.358	3.924	-.739
BLPA	4.424	-2.652	-.593	.444	2.546	1.469	8.657	-2.246	7.238
THNSA	1.515	.597	1.485	4.407	-6.217	3.026	.692	-.512	-2.015
(Constant)	-1.022	-60.651	2.336	12.908	6.353	14.953	-17.357	-.141	-3.658
Unstandardized coefficients									

**Table S3.12** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zooarchaeological toothed whale specimens M-2, M-12, M-29, M-39, M-49, M-87, M-106 (Early Jomon Mawaki site), RKA17138, and RKA3690 (Okhotsk Kafukai-1 site)

(a.)	Function		(b.)	Function			(c.)	Function			
	1	2		1	2	3		1	2	3	4
GWASA	-2.769	8.015	GWASA	-3.258	10.086	2.551	GWASA	3.257	5.819	-15.192	10.371
LLPA	-2.888	-1.842	LLPA	-2.791	-2.203	-2.259	LLPA	-.358	.237	-.807	-2.602
LLeftLtPA	12.206	-6.104	LLeftLtPA	12.251	-4.674	6.162	LLeftLtPA	2.852	8.321	14.755	-10.589
GLCAF	6.209	9.532	GLCAF	6.052	8.219	-7.240	GLCAF	5.019	-25.680	17.671	3.339
GWCAF	-2.757	1.192	GWCAF	-2.859	1.752	1.075	GWCAF	2.544	2.519	.163	5.295
BNA	6.809	-5.926	BNA	6.930	-5.266	4.032	BNA	10.157	.961	-9.804	-17.102
ThLPA	-8.352	-2.871	ThLPA	-8.266	-2.858	1.171	ThLPA	-2.224	7.560	-5.771	4.447
BLPA	-6.046	.905	BLPA	-6.132	1.384	.975	BLPA	-2.722	4.289	-.208	5.850
(Constant)	-9.074	-8.815	(Constant)	-8.099	-15.111	-13.648	(Constant)	-34.093	-1.123	-2.909	4.179

Unstandardized coefficients      Unstandardized coefficients      Unstandardized coefficients

(d.)	Function							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
GWASA	3.499	27.761	-11.996	-7.238	-.867	-16.361	-10.562	-27.155
LLPA	2.282	-.346	-1.907	1.272	-9.679	2.422	3.211	-.732
LLeftLtPA	-11.500	2.641	13.577	2.367	.910	.310	2.378	3.517
GLCAF	-6.366	1.207	1.087	-9.881	1.891	11.391	2.754	-6.009
GWCAF	3.839	-1.034	3.605	-5.959	-.894	-2.475	-3.576	26.254
BNA	-5.298	3.382	-8.000	16.484	3.070	-1.702	2.848	4.309
ThLPA	10.623	1.746	5.801	5.770	2.216	7.106	-2.943	-1.299
BLPA	5.920	-3.086	-1.201	.328	6.622	-6.821	8.273	-2.735
(Constant)	.082	-62.593	3.762	.780	-2.294	15.804	.564	16.663

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table S3.13** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zooarchaeological toothed whale specimens No.494 and No.161 (Early Jomon Mibiki site)

(a.)	Function		(b.)	Function			(c.)	Function			
	1	2		1	2	3		1	2	3	4
GWASA	-4.903	-4.883	GWASA	-4.722	.378	13.695	GWASA	6.510	12.052	8.508	-23.073
HA	-10.813	-3.343	HA	-10.767	-1.581	5.242	HA	1.818	-23.436	10.343	1.641
GLCAF	-7.672	9.312	GLCAF	-7.581	7.208	-8.403	GLCAF	2.149	9.188	-36.404	4.650
GWCAF	7.458	6.245	GWCAF	7.512	5.195	-4.801	GWCAF	1.847	5.411	-.250	-4.972
BNA	3.719	-3.018	BNA	3.653	-3.005	1.227	BNA	7.978	-6.829	7.113	7.509
HNA	3.495	2.284	HNA	3.443	.509	-4.867	HNA	.979	-6.252	2.542	8.775
THLPA	6.045	-2.612	THLPA	6.015	-1.959	2.505	THLPA	-1.331	7.174	6.996	-.140
BLPA	3.298	-.825	BLPA	3.305	-.235	1.655	BLPA	-1.463	3.144	4.328	7.996
(Constant)	6.267	-4.448	(Constant)	5.801	-11.669	-14.398	(Constant)	-33.814	3.078	-.633	7.367
Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients					

(d.)	Function							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
GWASA	3.499	27.761	-11.996	-7.238	-.867	-16.361	-10.562	-27.155
LLPA	2.282	-.346	-1.907	1.272	-9.679	2.422	3.211	-.732
LLeftLIPA	-11.500	2.641	13.577	2.367	.910	.310	2.378	3.517
GLCAF	-6.366	1.207	1.087	-9.881	1.891	11.391	2.754	-6.009
GWCAF	3.839	-1.034	3.605	-5.959	-.894	-2.475	-3.576	26.254
BNA	-5.298	3.382	-8.000	16.484	3.070	-1.702	2.848	4.309
THLPA	10.623	1.746	5.801	5.770	2.216	7.106	-2.943	-1.299
BLPA	5.920	-3.086	-1.201	.328	6.622	-6.821	8.273	-2.735
(Constant)	.082	-62.593	3.762	.780	-2.294	15.804	.564	16.663
Unstandardized coefficients								

**Table S3.14** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zooarchaeological toothed whale specimens M-54 (Early Jomon Mawaki site)

(a.)	Function		(b.)	Function			(c.)	Function			
	1	2		1	2	3		1	2	3	4
GWASA	-2.839	3.147	GWASA	-2.638	5.852	5.711	GWASA	12.683	6.432	-24.712	-19.568
LLPA	2.598	-2.039	LLPA	2.542	-2.345	.007	LLPA	-.550	.195	-.258	-3.091
LLeftLtPA	-9.852	-5.336	LLeftLtPA	-9.837	-3.785	6.007	LLeftLtPA	2.669	8.454	16.583	-7.447
GLCAF	-10.428	5.407	GLCAF	-10.369	4.343	-4.832	GLCAF	6.784	-25.276	16.455	7.208
GWCAF	4.656	3.533	GWCAF	4.717	3.773	-.737	GWCAF	.408	2.399	.824	12.125
THLPA	8.015	-2.696	THLPA	7.955	-2.622	1.246	ThLPA	-1.646	7.547	-7.086	1.687
BLPA	6.594	2.122	BLPA	6.631	2.446	.027	BLPA	-2.683	4.311	-1.111	7.511
(Constant)	9.713	-8.086	(Constant)	9.211	-14.673	-13.739	(Constant)	-35.981	-1.458	-.542	14.461
Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients					

(d.)	Function						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
GWASA	3.088	28.444	-15.157	-.913	-9.384	-23.455	19.934
LLPA	2.299	-.461	-1.605	-9.779	1.465	3.483	1.713
LLeftLtPA	-11.575	3.227	13.511	1.090	-.880	3.633	-2.136
GLCAF	-8.739	3.072	-3.426	3.316	9.954	4.957	4.427
GWCAF	3.319	-.760	1.768	1.245	-7.261	7.764	-25.275
THLPA	10.737	1.346	7.503	1.039	8.324	-1.927	-.247
BLPA	6.307	-3.619	-.393	6.676	-7.162	3.519	7.102
(Constant)	-3.184	-61.767	4.338	-1.883	11.741	11.780	-15.949
Unstandardized coefficients							

**Table S3.15** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zooarchaeological toothed whale specimens M-5, M-40, M-43, M-50, and M-61 (Early Jomon Mawaki site)

(a.)	Function		(b.)	Function			(c.)	Function			
	1	2		1	2	3		1	2	3	4
GWASA	-13.067	-8.873	GWASA	-12.836	-1.566	21.665	GWASA	7.860	11.474	-12.601	-12.522
GLCAF	-10.041	7.542	GLCAF	-9.908	6.171	-6.758	GLCAF	3.514	-28.590	13.749	4.270
GWCAF	10.339	8.906	GWCAF	10.410	6.367	-10.075	GWCAF	1.972	2.439	4.847	-9.531
BNA	-.256	-4.072	BNA	-.340	-3.638	2.866	BNA	7.719	2.560	-13.461	14.667
ThLPA	6.858	-1.464	ThLPA	6.816	-1.358	.954	ThLPA	-1.130	9.445	1.224	-1.089
BLPA	5.224	.661	BLPA	5.221	.423	-.838	BLPA	-1.538	5.611	4.475	7.226
(Constant)	11.762	-1.684	(Constant)	11.158	-10.399	-20.415	(Constant)	-34.011	1.533	8.843	.187
Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients					

(d.)	Function					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
GWASA	-2.775	31.468	-3.276	-21.627	-7.785	16.838
GLCAF	-6.089	2.142	-9.715	9.160	-8.392	3.896
GWCAF	7.481	-3.348	-6.217	2.097	14.241	-21.263
BNA	-4.045	4.120	16.666	2.924	5.136	-1.158
ThLPA	11.662	-.247	4.374	2.641	-7.803	-1.120
BLPA	4.596	-3.321	1.439	1.464	6.582	9.018
(Constant)	-10.485	-62.510	-.964	14.304	-.127	-15.671
Unstandardized coefficients						

**Table S3.16** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zoarchaeological toothed whale specimens RKA2047 (Okhotsk Kafukai-1 site)

(a.)	Function		(b.)	Function			(c.)	Function			
	1	2		1	2	3		1	2	3	4
GLCAF	-10.132	7.200	GLCAF	-9.911	6.062	-8.850	GLCAF	5.027	-24.038	-17.978	1.645
GWCAF	2.749	3.769	GWCAF	3.157	5.559	4.220	GWCAF	4.263	7.142	-4.039	-15.247
BNA	-.411	-5.086	BNA	-.516	-3.597	8.566	BNA	9.350	3.819	15.116	3.761
HNA	-2.621	-.699	HNA	-2.639	-.452	1.272	HNA	2.007	-.733	12.387	7.528
ThLPA	6.084	-1.719	ThLPA	6.050	-1.387	2.416	ThLPA	-1.222	9.628	-.090	-1.109
BLPA	5.866	1.531	BLPA	5.857	.550	-4.386	BLPA	-1.821	5.454	-2.345	9.010
(Constant)	1.950	-8.933	(Constant)	1.185	-11.608	-4.119	(Constant)	-29.711	8.192	-2.491	-6.689
Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients					

(d.)	1	2	3	4	5	6
GLCAF	-5.723	.367	-11.200	9.594	-1.388	7.323
GWCAF	6.156	10.049	-7.879	-15.343	-3.720	-10.320
BNA	-4.193	6.776	12.796	3.800	6.192	-8.172
HNA	-2.129	6.776	4.297	-5.147	-2.507	8.503
ThLPA	11.547	1.249	3.783	6.786	-5.008	1.382
BLPA	4.944	-4.267	1.582	-.490	10.823	2.278
(Constant)	-11.592	-32.506	-1.854	1.523	-6.515	-.235
Unstandardized coefficients						

**Table S3.17** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zoarchaeological toothed whale specimens RKA2804 (Okhotsk Kafukai-1 site)

(a.)	Function		(b.)	Function			(c.)	Function			
	1	2		1	2	3		1	2	3	4
HA	-11.906	-4.103	HA	-11.839	-2.489	5.083	HA	4.266	-17.200	11.123	9.658
GLNSA	-.276	.157	GLNSA	-.251	.629	1.144	GLNSA	-.452	.297	6.021	-2.753
GLCAF	-2.117	11.286	GLCAF	-2.044	10.159	-5.746	GLCAF	2.651	20.598	-19.858	-21.309
BNA	4.041	-3.413	BNA	4.001	-3.236	1.334	BNA	9.887	-4.720	4.891	4.492
HNA	5.424	3.069	HNA	5.390	1.987	-3.495	HNA	2.923	-4.508	-1.956	3.930
THNSA	4.192	-2.526	THNSA	4.228	-.939	4.642	ThBNSA	-1.403	4.858	.318	5.454
(Constant)	4.797	-8.771	(Constant)	4.597	-10.737	-2.658	(Constant)	-30.695	4.616	-.506	5.175
Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients			Unstandardized coefficients					

(d.)	Function					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
HA	10.159	-.234	4.157	.888	-6.431	1.518
GLNSA	.212	1.763	4.856	6.714	3.962	.487
GLCAF	-.210	.832	7.278	-11.220	5.951	.541
BNA	3.647	5.854	-11.522	6.255	.374	-10.373
HNA	-1.309	4.933	-7.733	-1.145	3.217	8.815
THNSA	-4.130	4.854	.398	-.286	-5.746	-.677
(Constant)	-15.693	-25.544	2.141	-.743	-4.403	.359
Unstandardized coefficients						

**Table S3.18** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zooarchaeological toothed whale specimens No.495 (Early Jomon Mibiki site)

(a.)	Function		(b.)	Function			(c.)	Function			
	1	2		1	2	3		1	2	3	4
HA	-11.346	-2.975	HA	-11.269	-.677	6.961	HA	1.110	23.383	3.664	-.841
GLCAF	-8.044	11.337	GLCAF	-7.932	8.032	-13.257	GLCAF	2.680	-31.330	-24.057	6.594
GWCAF	9.619	-.168	GWCAF	9.814	3.164	8.375	GWCAF	4.151	-5.677	12.397	-18.813
BNA	3.675	-3.639	BNA	3.592	-3.318	2.428	BNA	9.224	9.138	4.606	2.495
HNA	3.728	1.294	HNA	3.679	.026	-3.697	HNA	1.851	6.196	-3.267	8.397
BLPA	4.483	-1.884	BLPA	4.486	-.932	3.215	BLPA	-1.542	.356	9.348	7.195
(Constant)	.163	-7.484	(Constant)	-.258	-10.892	-5.123	(Constant)	-28.735	-4.004	1.474	-6.378

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(d.)	Function					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
HA	9.688	1.350	-5.036	2.611	-6.540	3.311
GLCAF	4.401	-2.096	-9.066	-1.324	13.972	.565
GWCAF	-8.932	15.247	-3.675	-9.666	-9.767	-6.106
BNA	3.654	3.533	13.729	8.618	-1.232	-7.718
HNA	-.423	4.940	7.943	-6.251	4.013	6.964
BLPA	-6.243	-1.139	-.111	9.978	-1.105	5.221
(Constant)	-5.833	-33.739	-3.457	-5.113	.224	-1.701

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table S3.19** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zooarchaeological toothed whale specimens No.495 (Early Jomon Mibiki site)

(a.)	Function	
	1	2
LLeftLtPA	-9.351	-5.344
GLCAF	-10.557	6.388
GWCAF	5.036	3.422
THLPA	7.113	-2.595
BLPA	7.850	1.190
(Constant)	6.565	-5.517

Unstandardized coefficients

(c.)	Function			
	1	2	3	4
LLeftLtPA	3.264	9.543	-16.838	-8.564
GLCAF	11.018	-22.087	-6.992	5.765
GWCAF	5.853	4.477	10.079	-6.186
ThLPA	-1.685	7.355	7.505	-.110
BLPA	-3.463	3.965	2.294	11.597
(Constant)	-27.452	1.628	15.314	.215

Unstandardized coefficients

(b.)	Function		
	1	2	3
LLeftLtPA	-9.336	-3.394	6.895
GLCAF	-10.439	5.601	-4.350
GWCAF	5.394	4.949	2.807
THLPA	7.091	-2.149	2.111
BLPA	7.876	.836	-1.293
(Constant)	5.776	-9.934	-9.526

Unstandardized coefficients

(d.)	Function				
	1	2	3	4	5
LLeftLtPA	-10.006	8.775	9.841	-1.387	1.827
GLCAF	-8.771	3.266	-5.354	10.604	4.799
GWCAF	4.928	10.656	-7.547	-15.806	-10.090
THLPA	10.559	4.065	5.741	7.773	-2.343
BLPA	7.790	-4.846	.157	-3.006	10.078
(Constant)	-.096	-35.356	-2.905	3.714	-6.119

Unstandardized coefficients

**Table S3.20** Summary of classification functions out of three superfamilies (a), four families (b), five subfamilies (c), and eighteen species (d) of zooarchaeological toothed whale specimens M-23 (Early Jomon Mawaki site)

(a.)	Function	
	1	2
GWASA	-13.203	-7.780
GWCAF	4.664	14.482
BNA	-5.008	.339
ThLPA	7.589	-3.747
BLPA	4.237	.850
(Constant)	11.932	-4.317

Unstandardized coefficients

(b.)	Function		
	1	2	3
GWASA	-12.758	.560	22.974
GWCAF	4.969	9.718	-17.711
BNA	-5.055	-.050	-1.156
ThLPA	7.493	-3.011	3.561
BLPA	4.262	.474	-1.200
(Constant)	10.730	-13.189	-18.787

Unstandardized coefficients

(c.)	Function			
	1	2	3	4
GWASA	10.064	-9.389	-7.296	-7.480
GWCAF	2.349	2.622	-8.913	-7.260
BNA	8.123	-7.358	12.625	13.054
ThLPA	-.699	7.881	6.082	-2.907
BLPA	-1.072	5.435	-3.426	8.637
(Constant)	-34.590	11.279	5.184	-3.065

Unstandardized coefficients

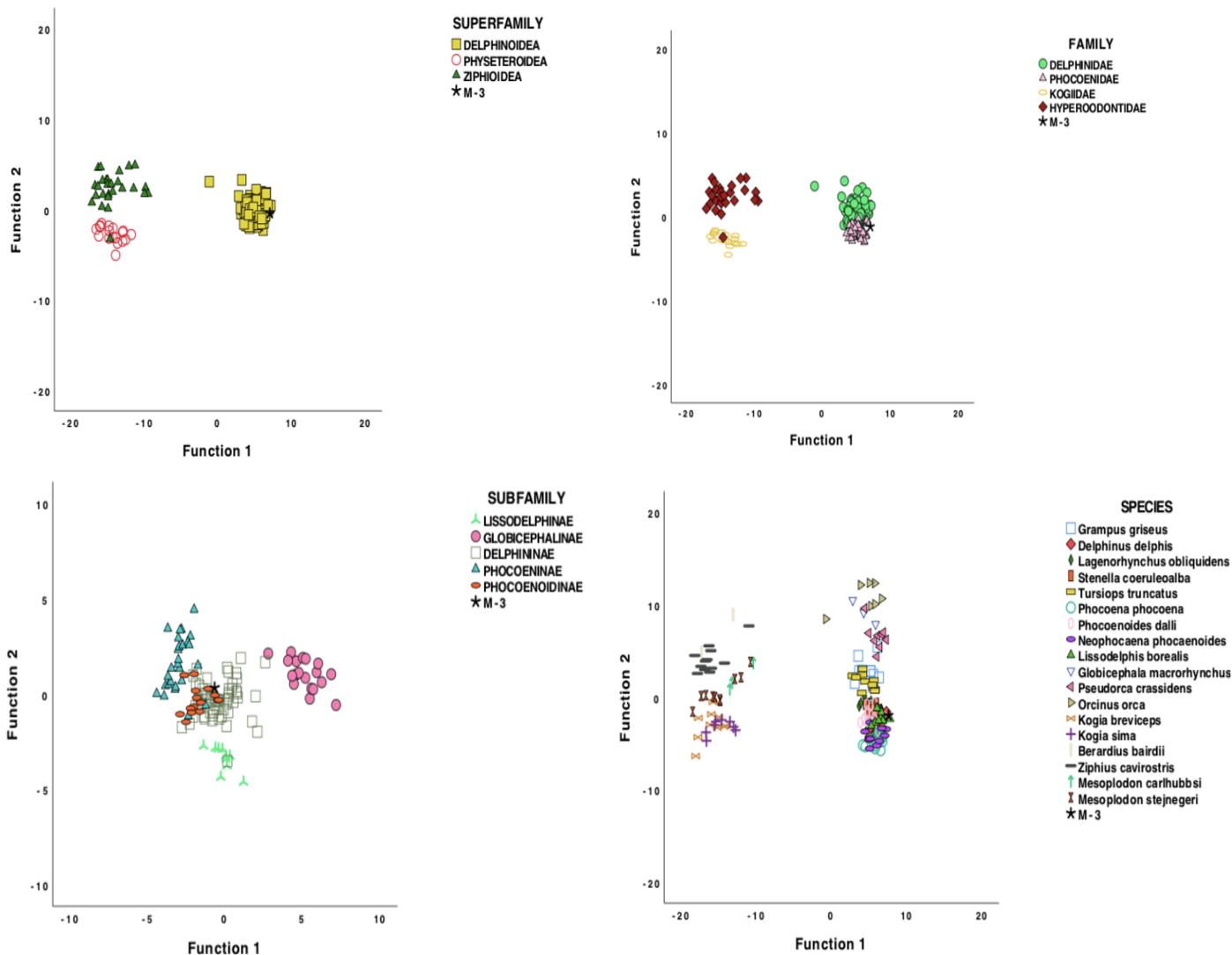
(d.)	Function				
	1	2	3	4	5
GWASA	-.983	31.517	-7.728	-21.169	17.622
GWCAF	4.240	-2.520	-11.897	13.637	-17.679
BNA	-7.366	5.821	12.626	5.180	.229
ThLPA	11.780	-.909	7.429	-4.133	-3.118
BLPA	3.619	-3.228	.663	5.189	9.998
(Constant)	-12.807	-62.270	4.027	10.503	-17.323

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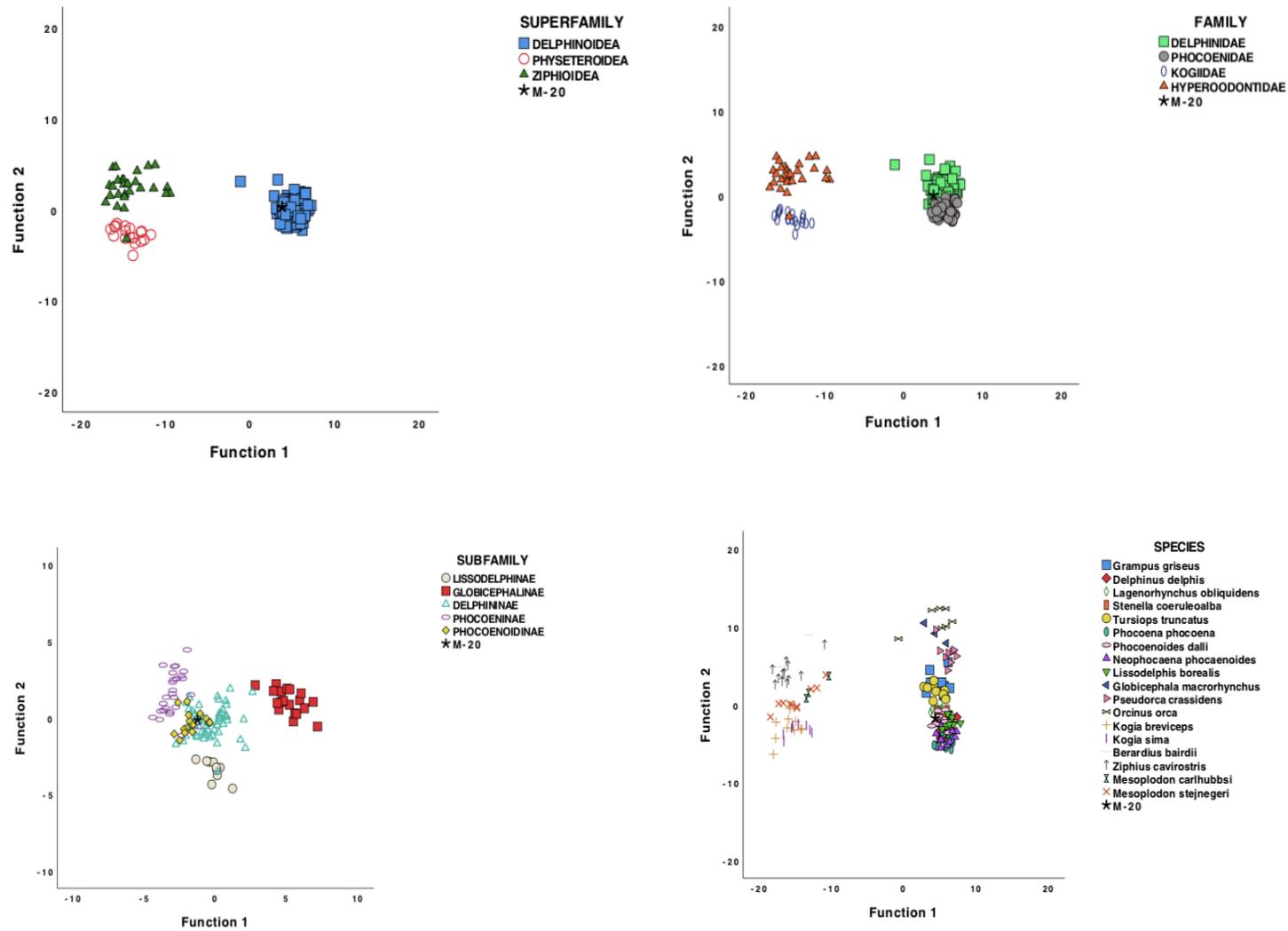
## **APPENDIX D**

Combined-groups plot of canonical function analysis  
of all zooarchaeological specimens examined

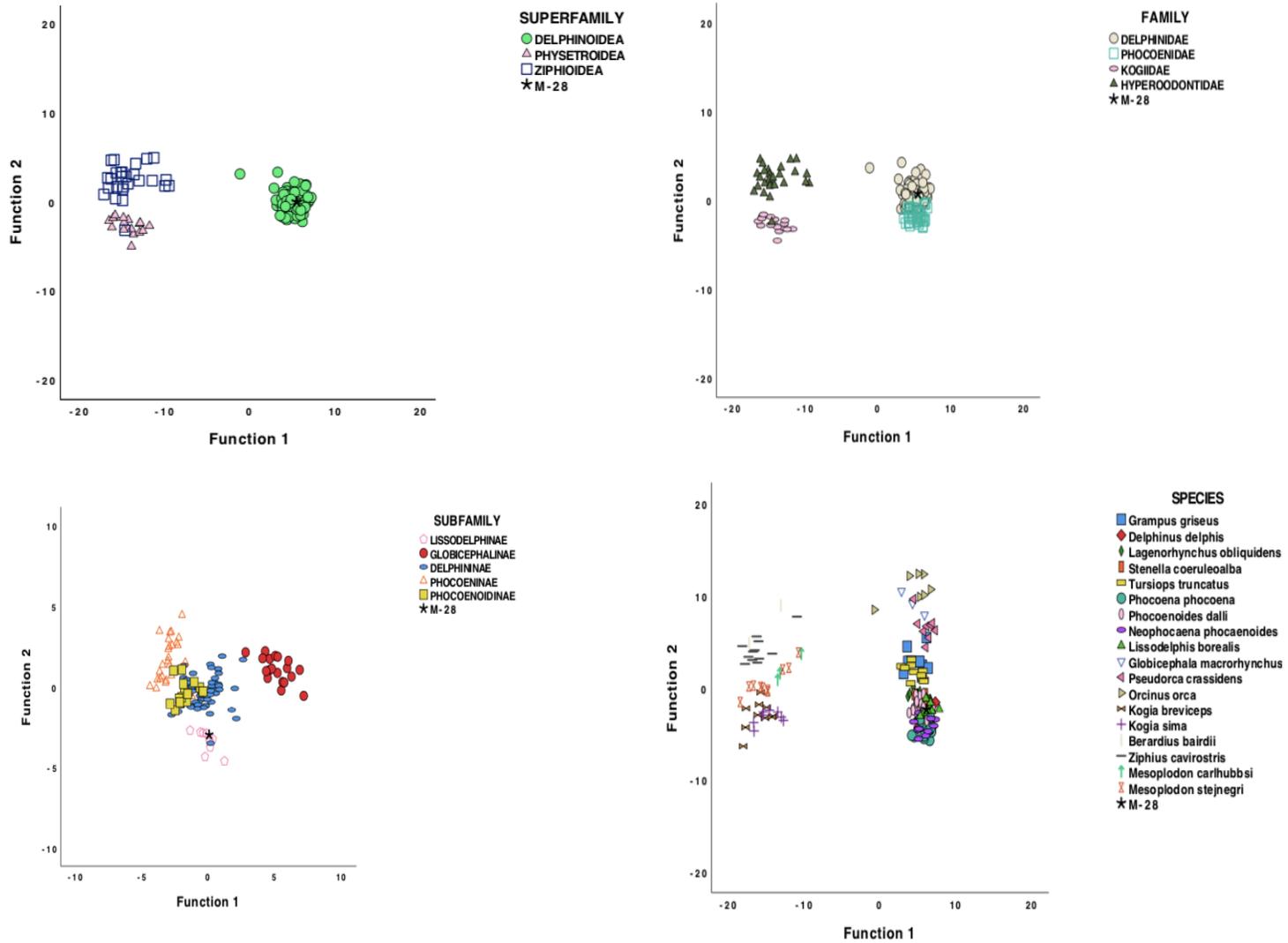
**Figure S4.1** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Early Jomon Mawaki zoarchaeological specimen (M-3).



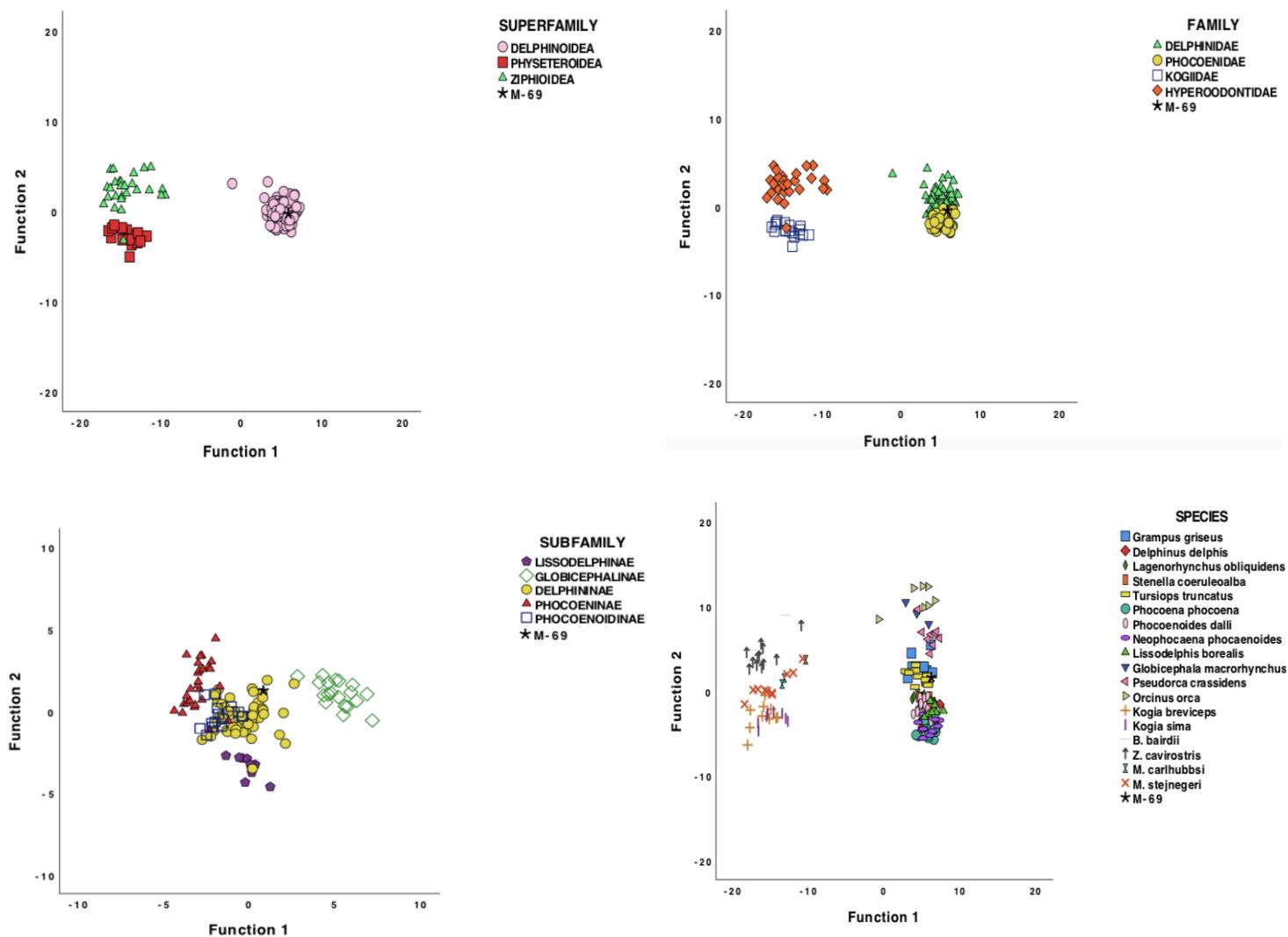
**Figure S4.2** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Early Jomon zooarchaeological specimen (M-20).



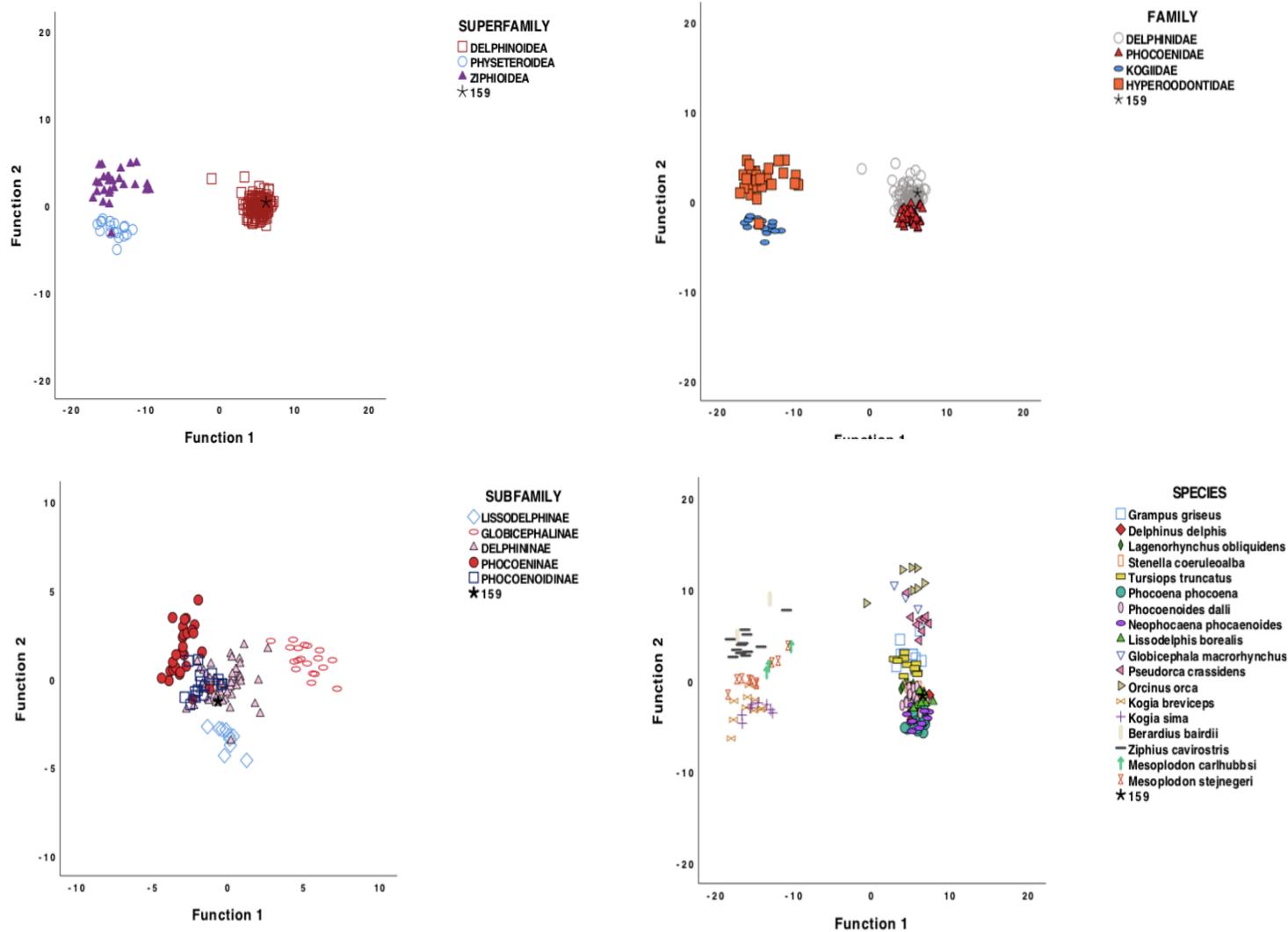
**Figure S4.3** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Early Jomon zooarchaeological specimen (M-28).



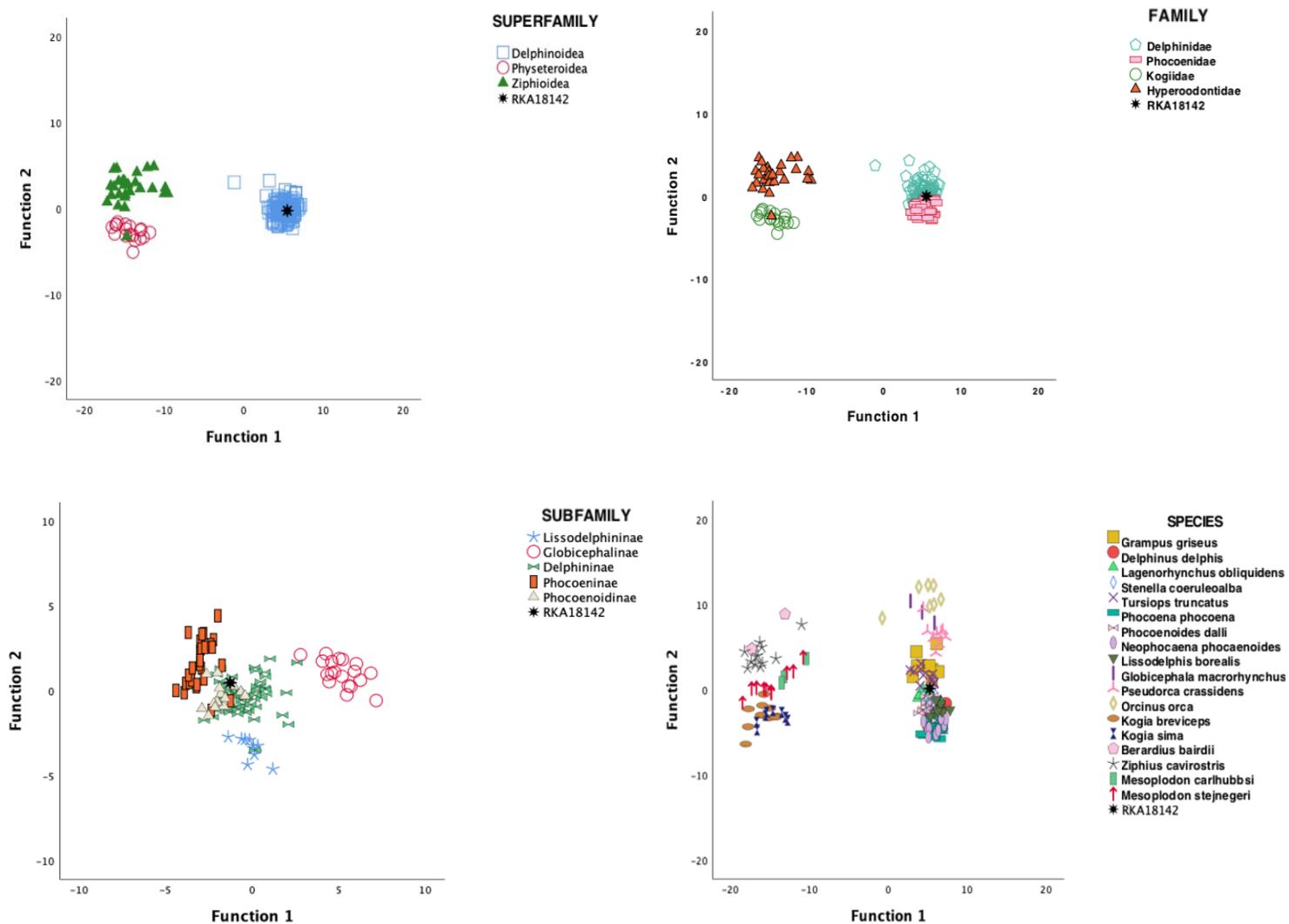
**Figure S4.4** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Early Jomon Mawaki zooarchaeological specimen (M-69).



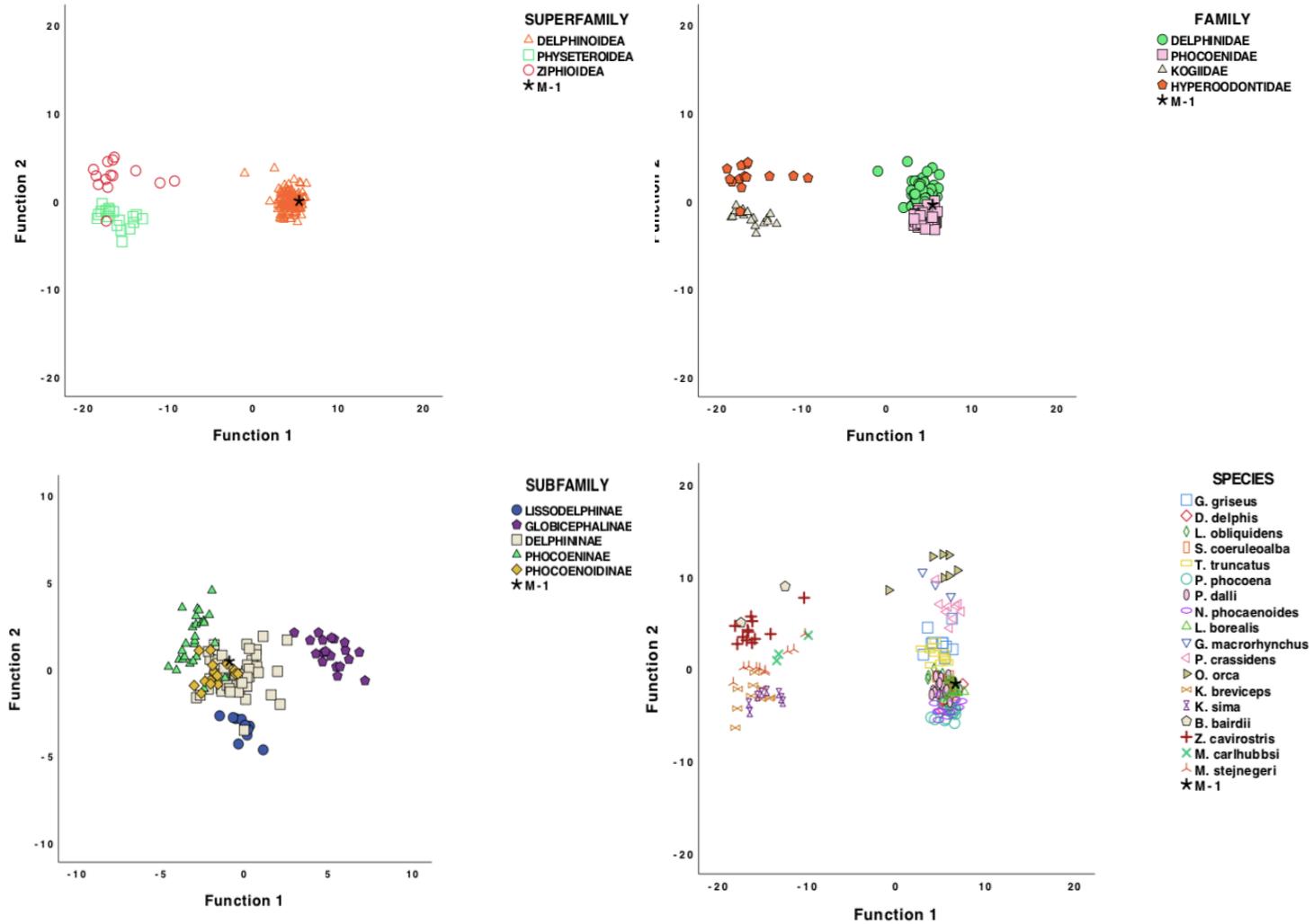
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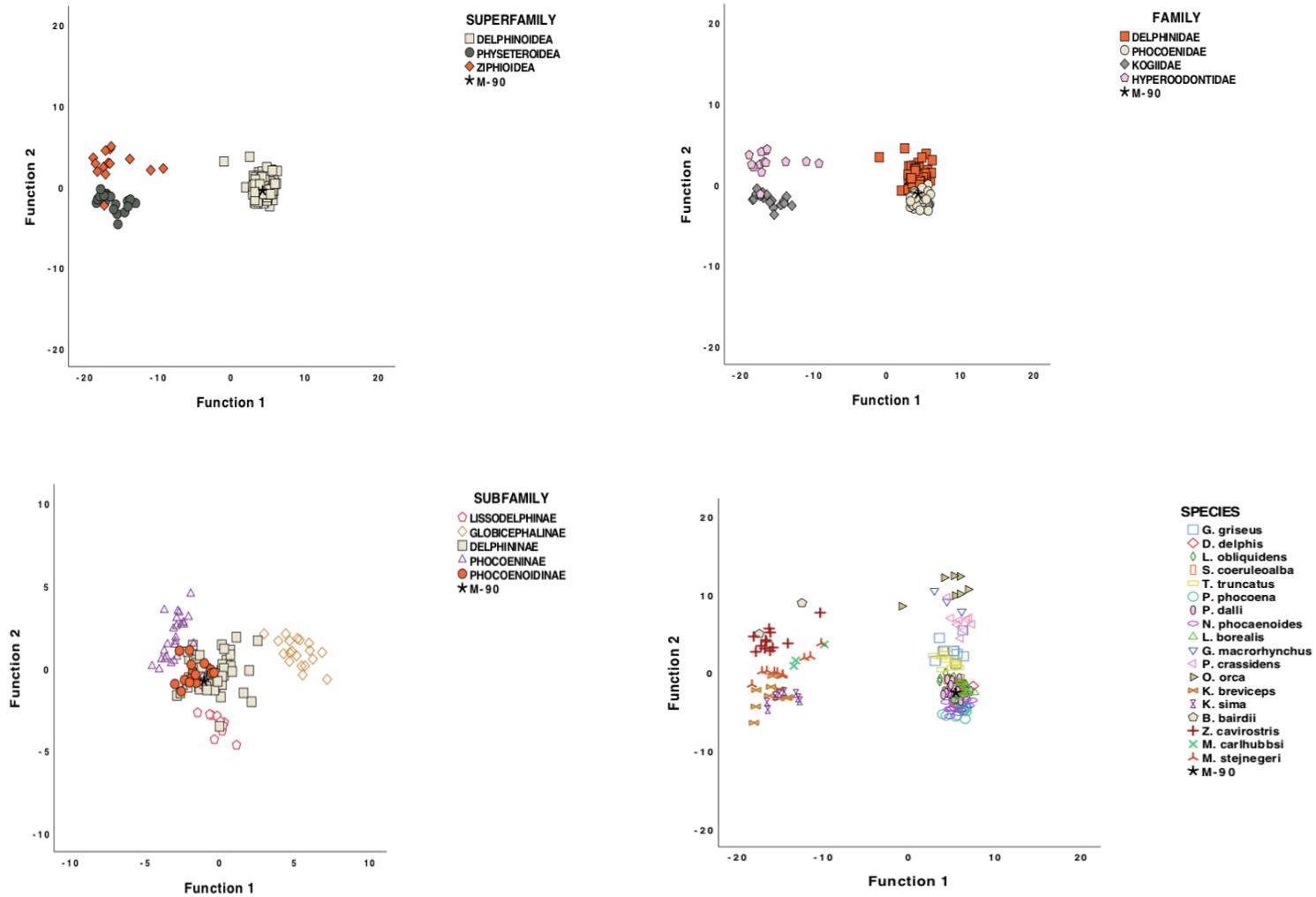
**Figure S4.6** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Okhotsk Kafukai-1 zooarchaeological specimen (RKA18142).



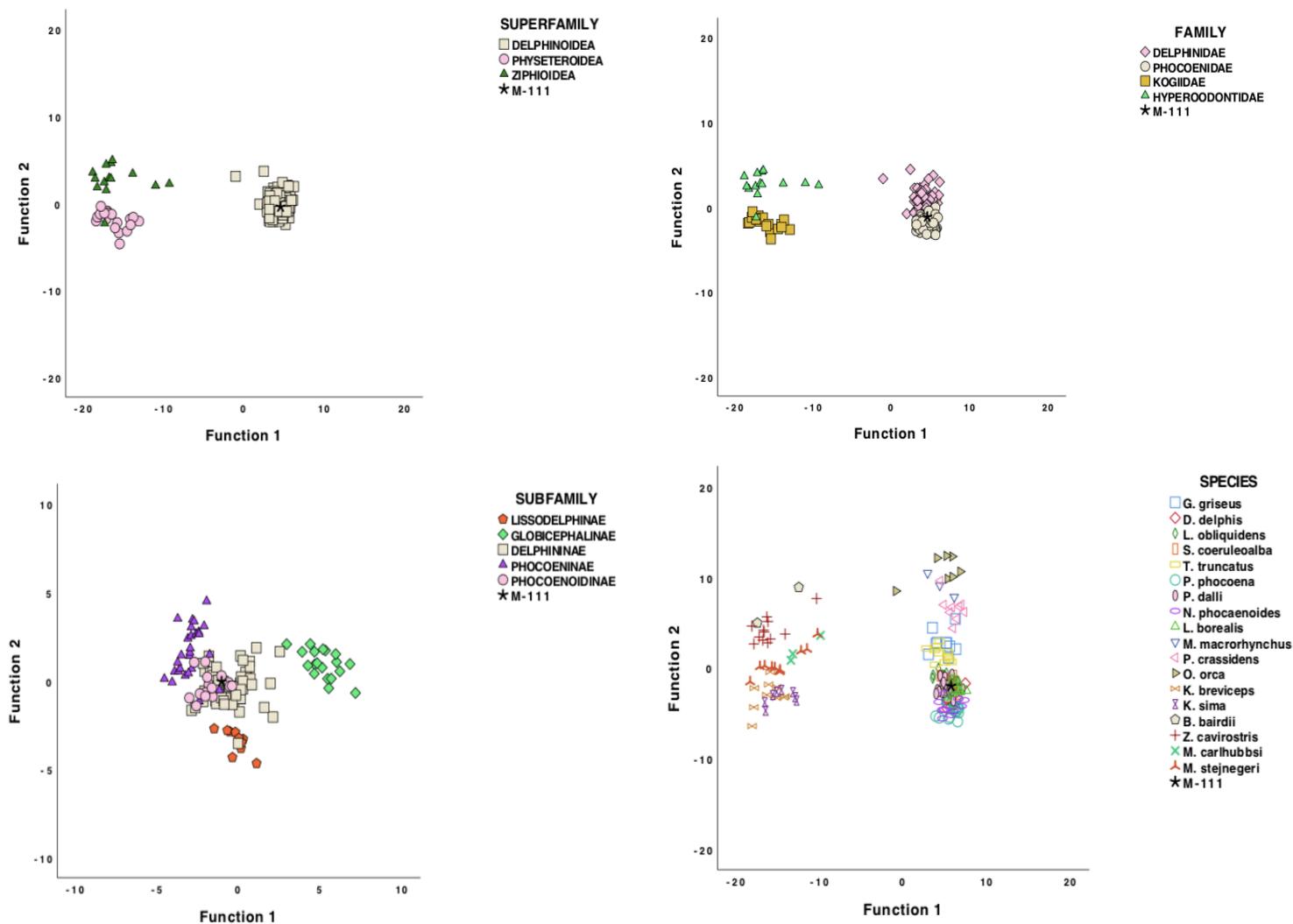
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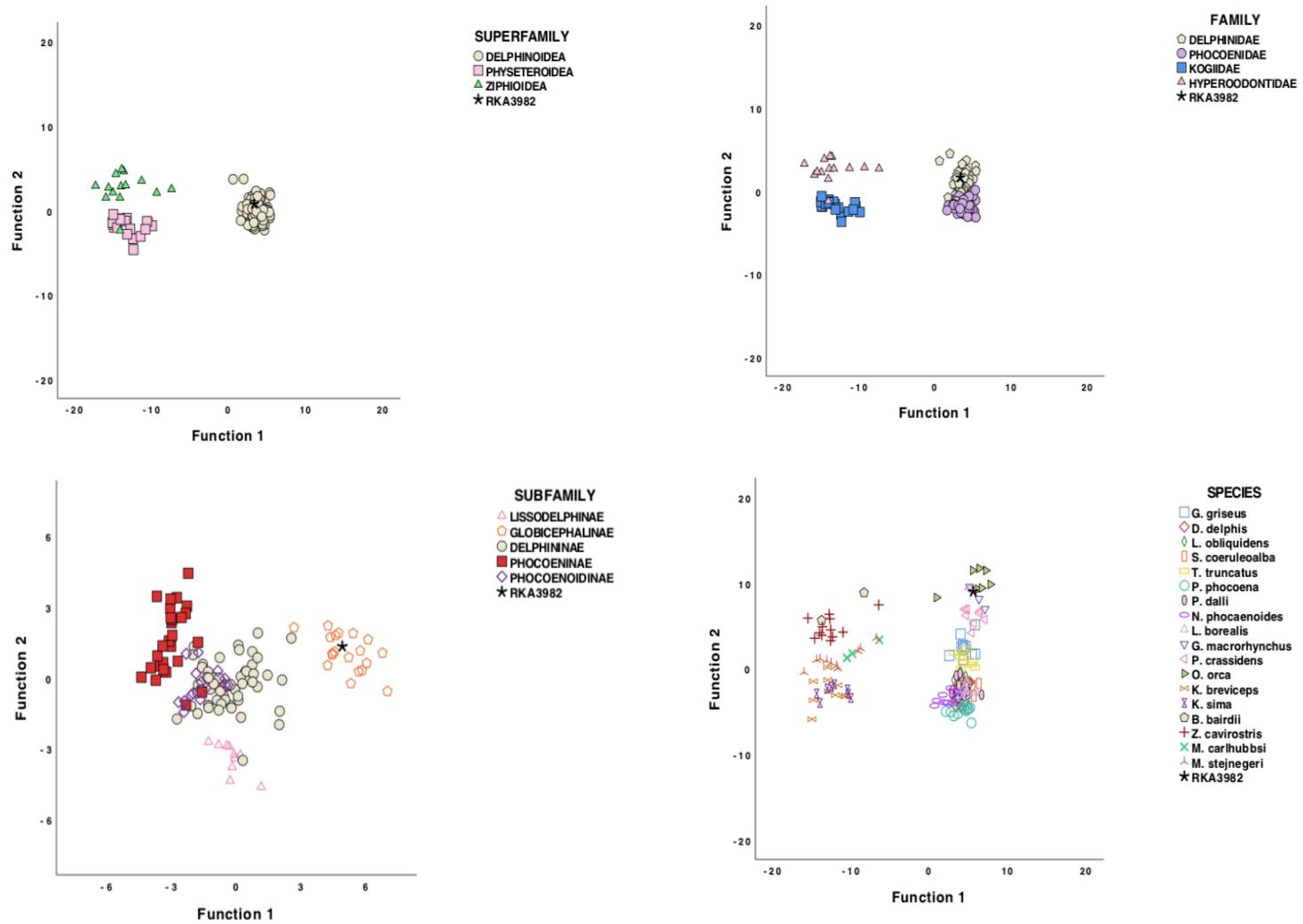
**Figure S4.8** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Early Jomon Mawaki zooarchaeological specimen (M-90).



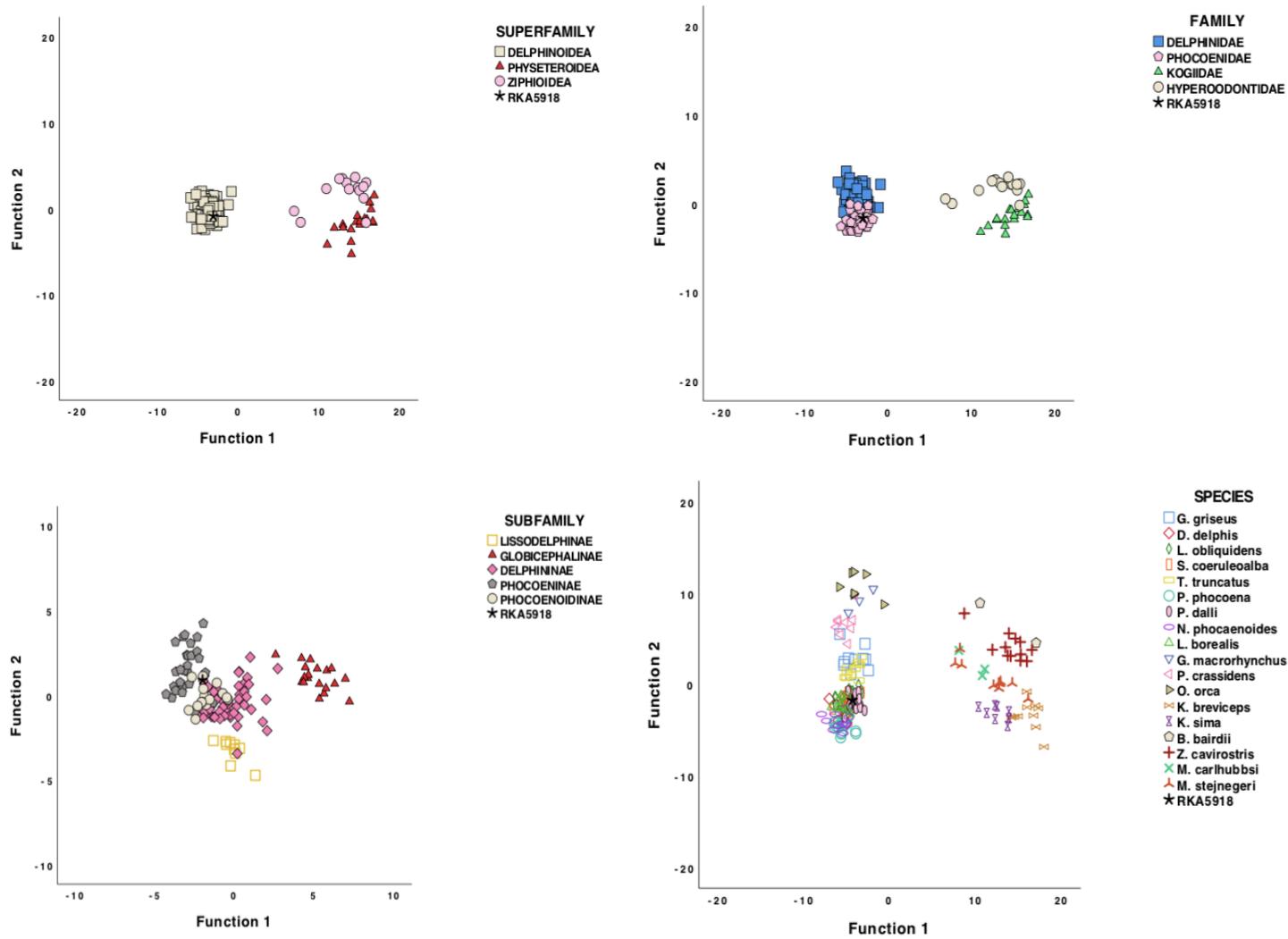
**Figure S4.9** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Early Jomon Mawaki zooarchaeological specimen (M-111).



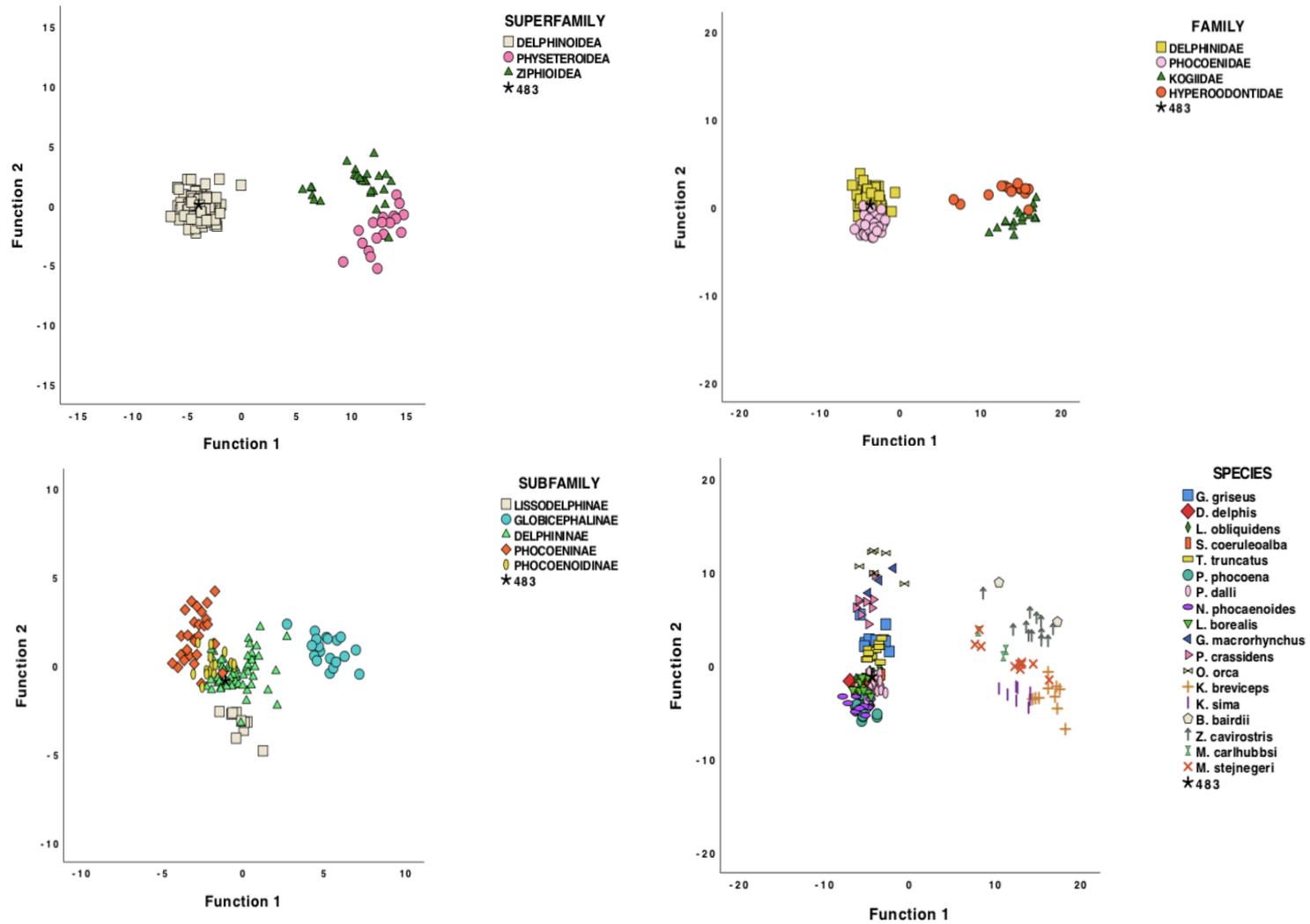
**Figure S4.10** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Okhotsk Kafuki-1 zooarchaeological specimen (RKA3982).



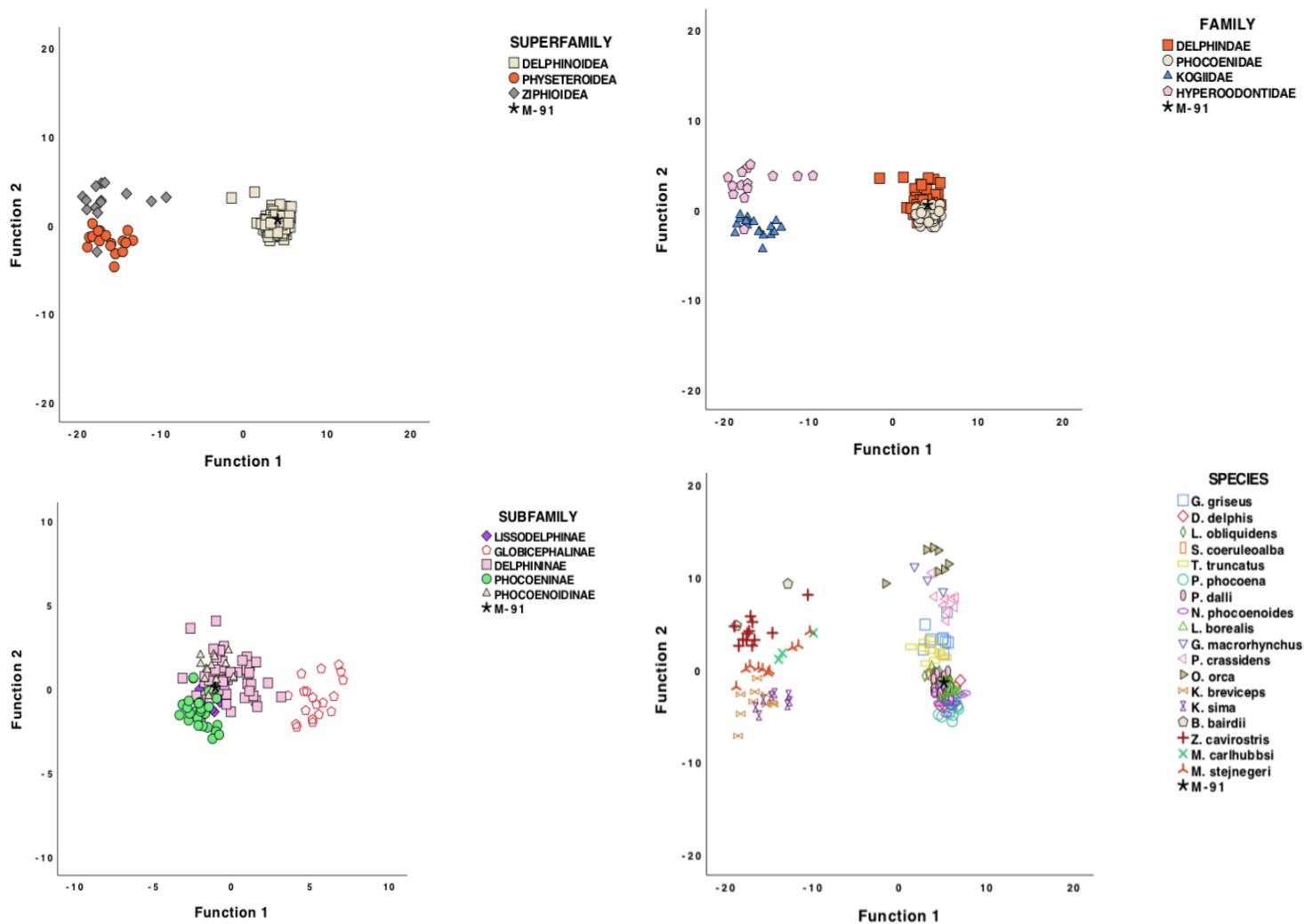
**Figure S4.11** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Okhotsk Kafukai-1 zooarchaeological specimen (RKA5918).



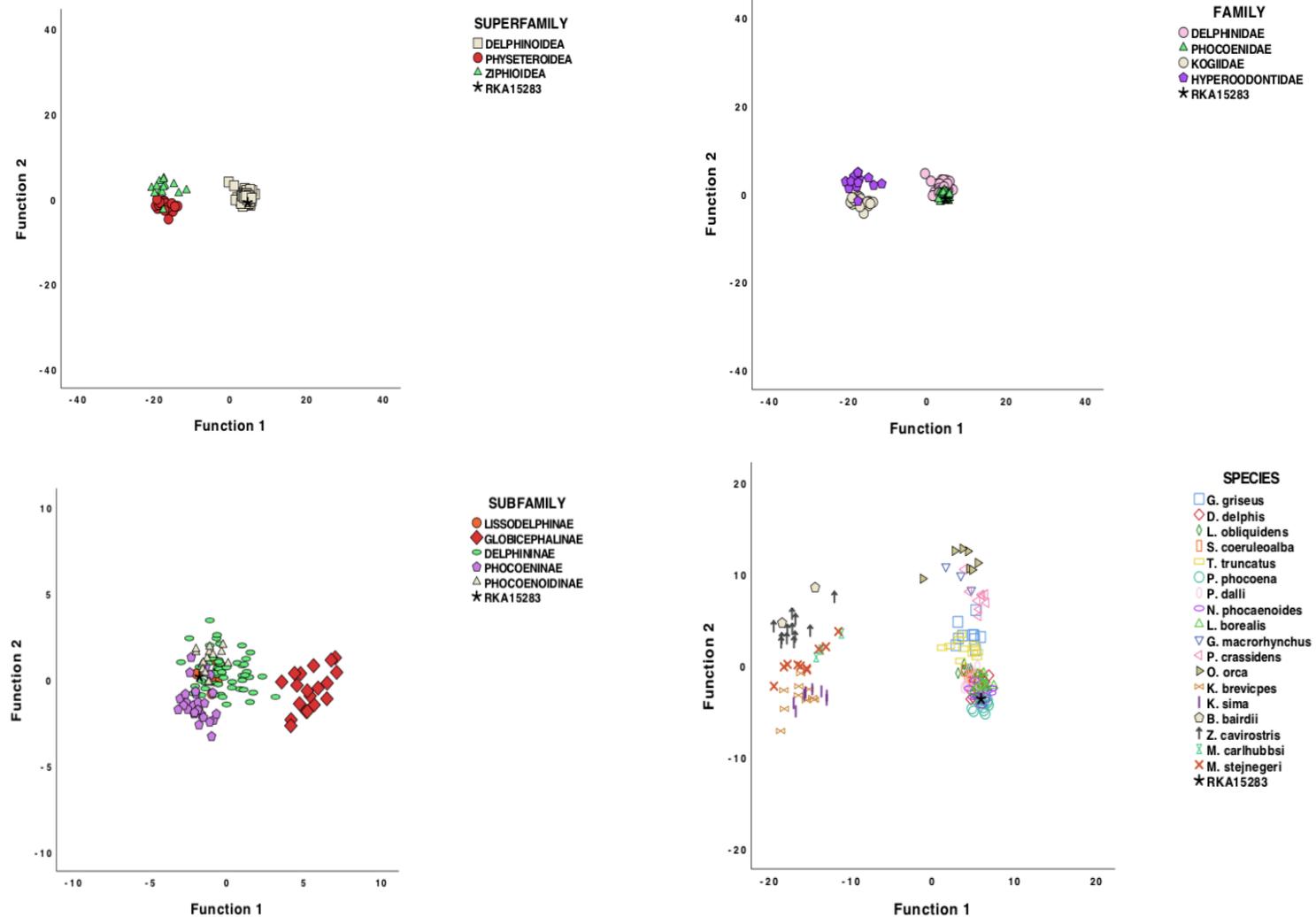
**Figure S4.12** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Early Jomon Mibiki zooarchaeological specimen (No.483).



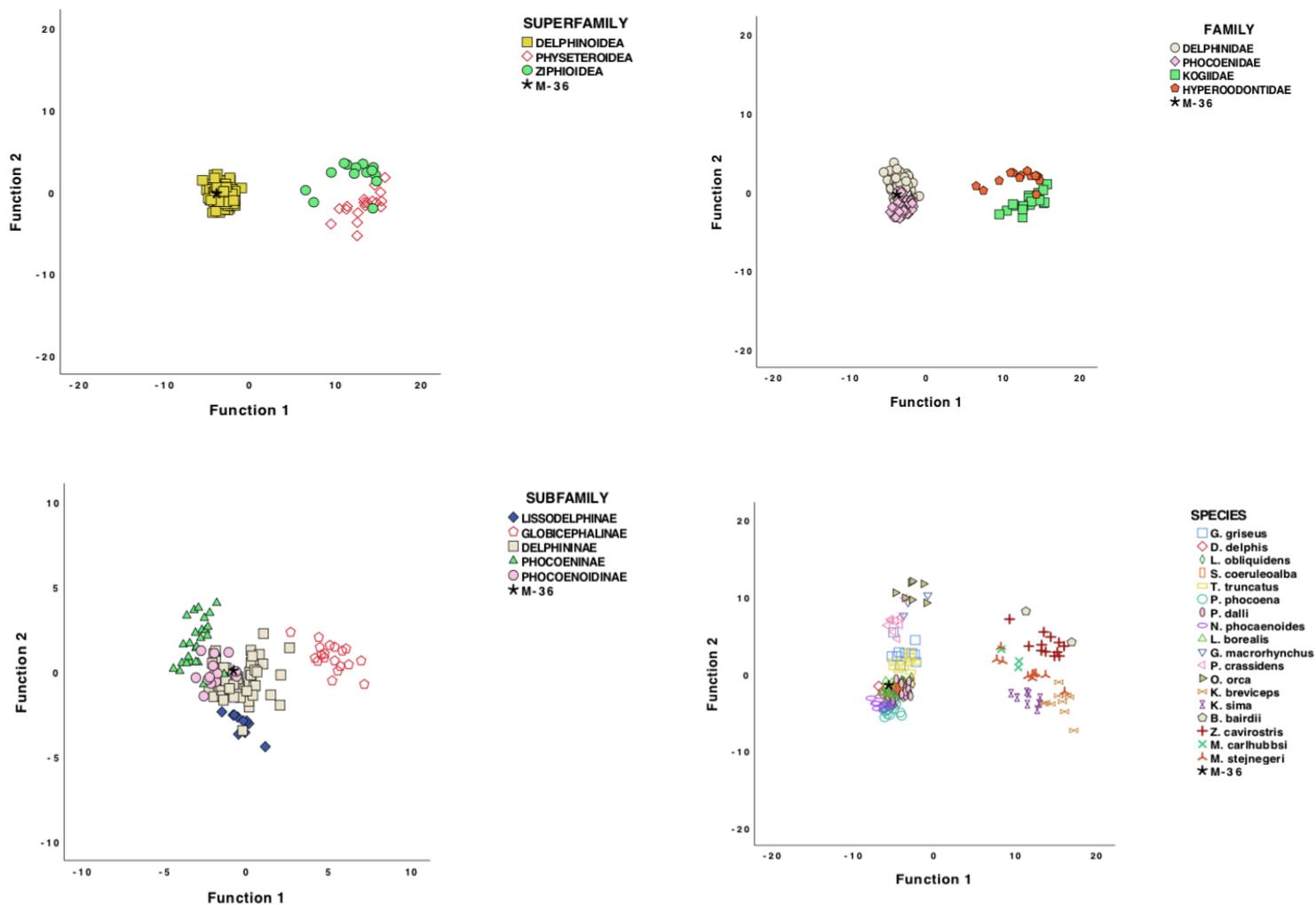
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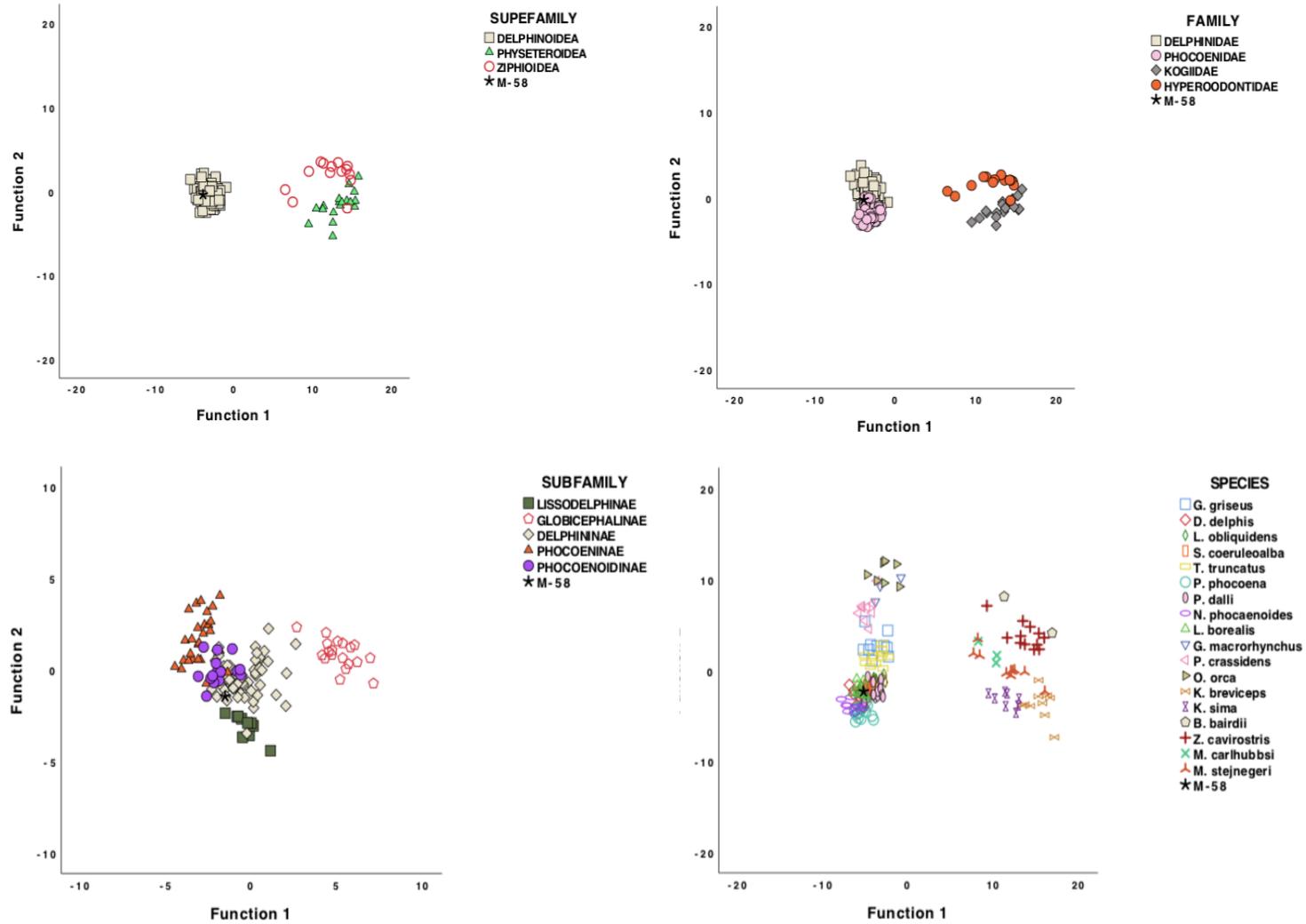
**Figure S4.14** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Okhotsk Kafukai-1 zooarchaeological specimen (RKA15283).



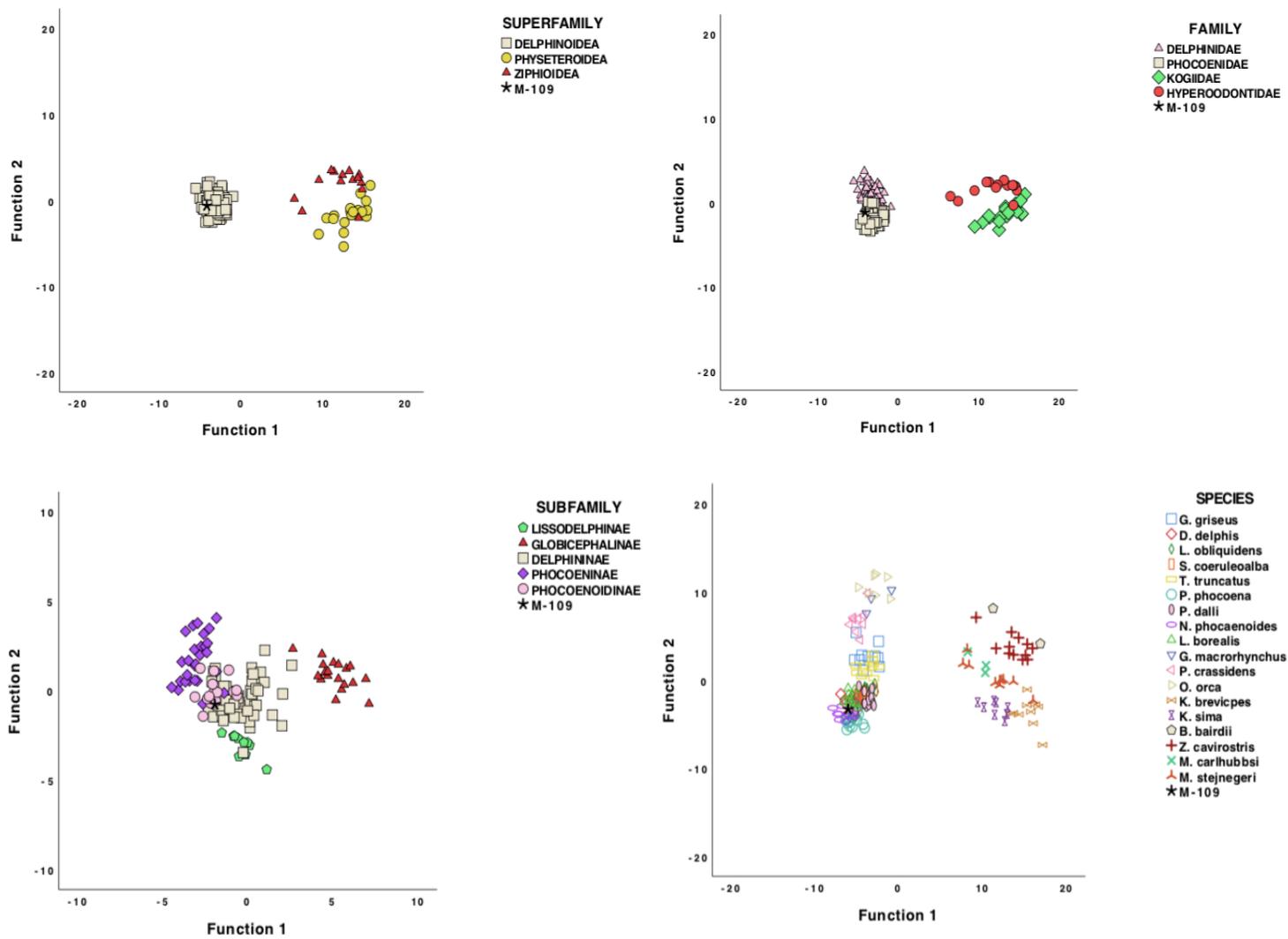
**Figure S4.15** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Early Jomon Mawaki zooarchaeological specimen (M-36).



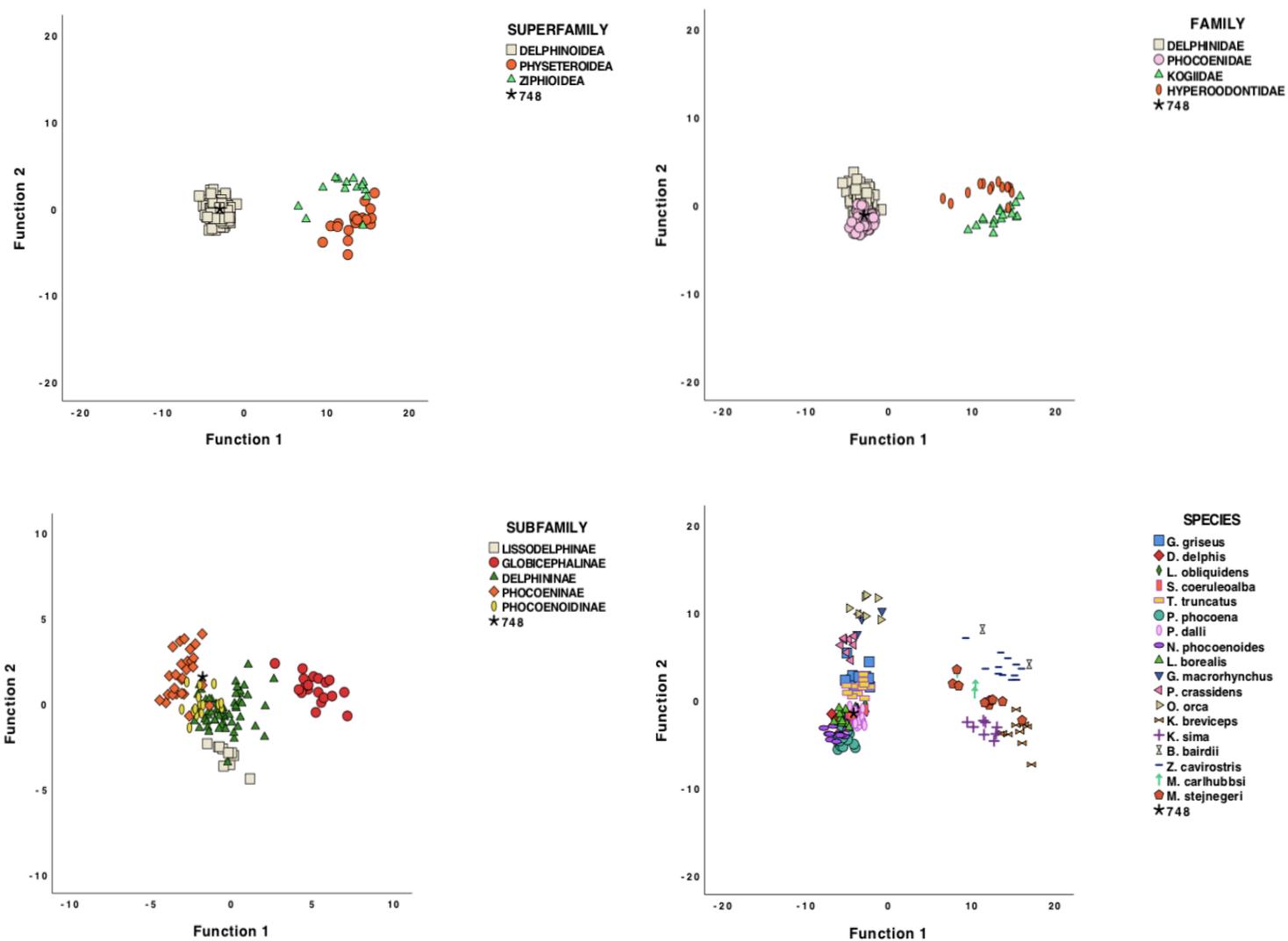
**Figure S4.16** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Early Jomon Mawaki zooarchaeological specimen (M-58).



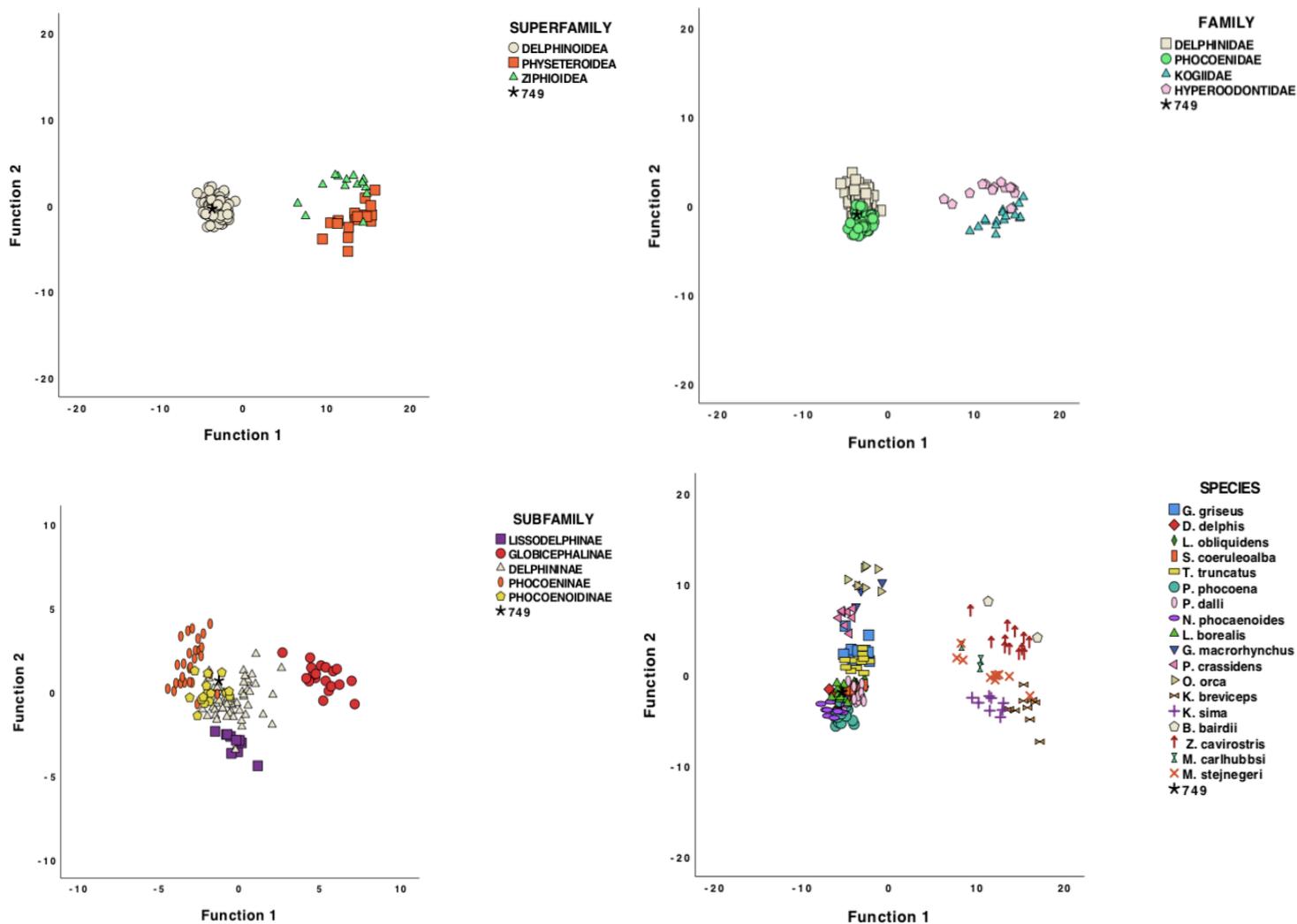
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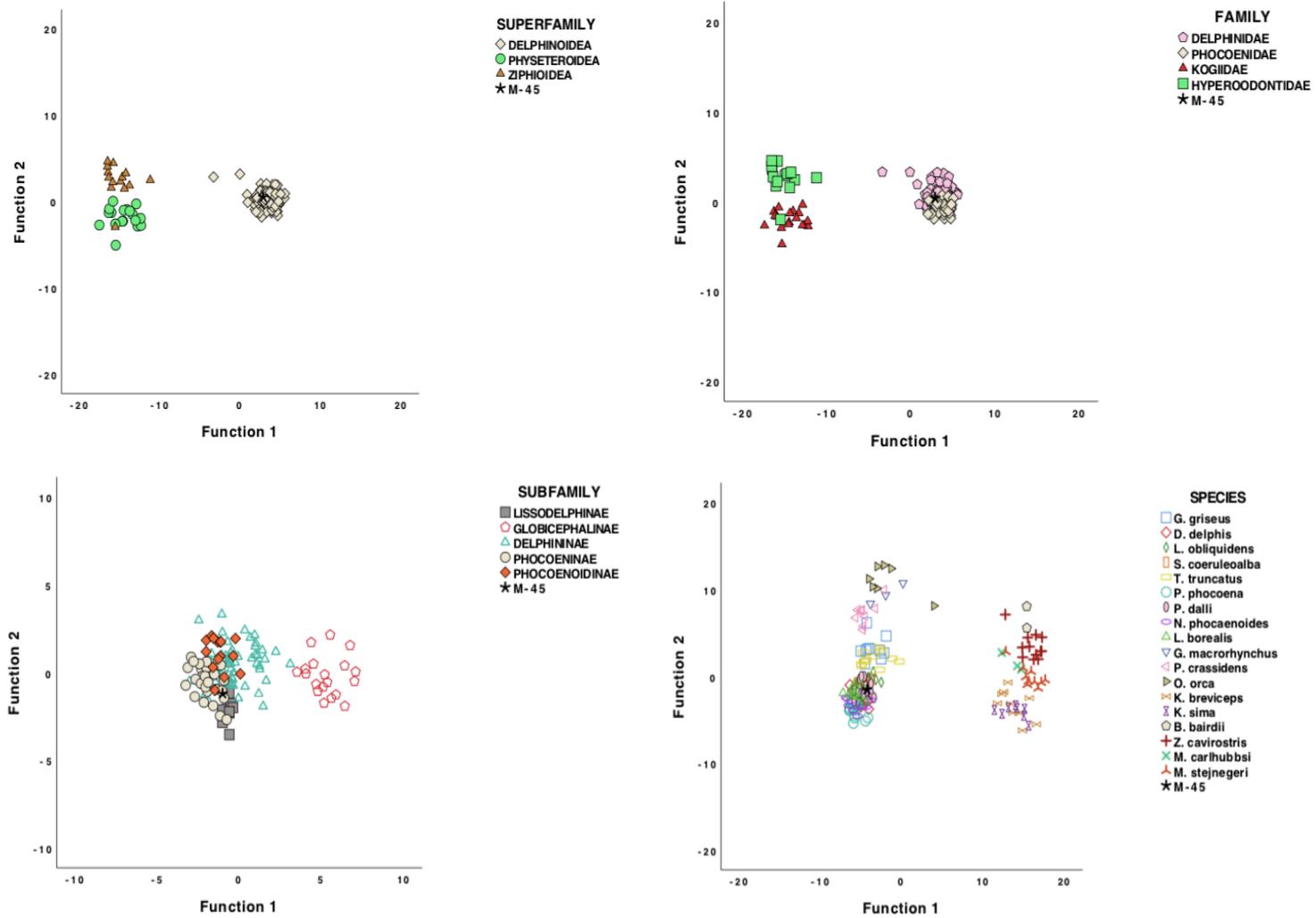
**Figure S4.18** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Early Jomon Mibiki zooarchaeological specimen (No.748).



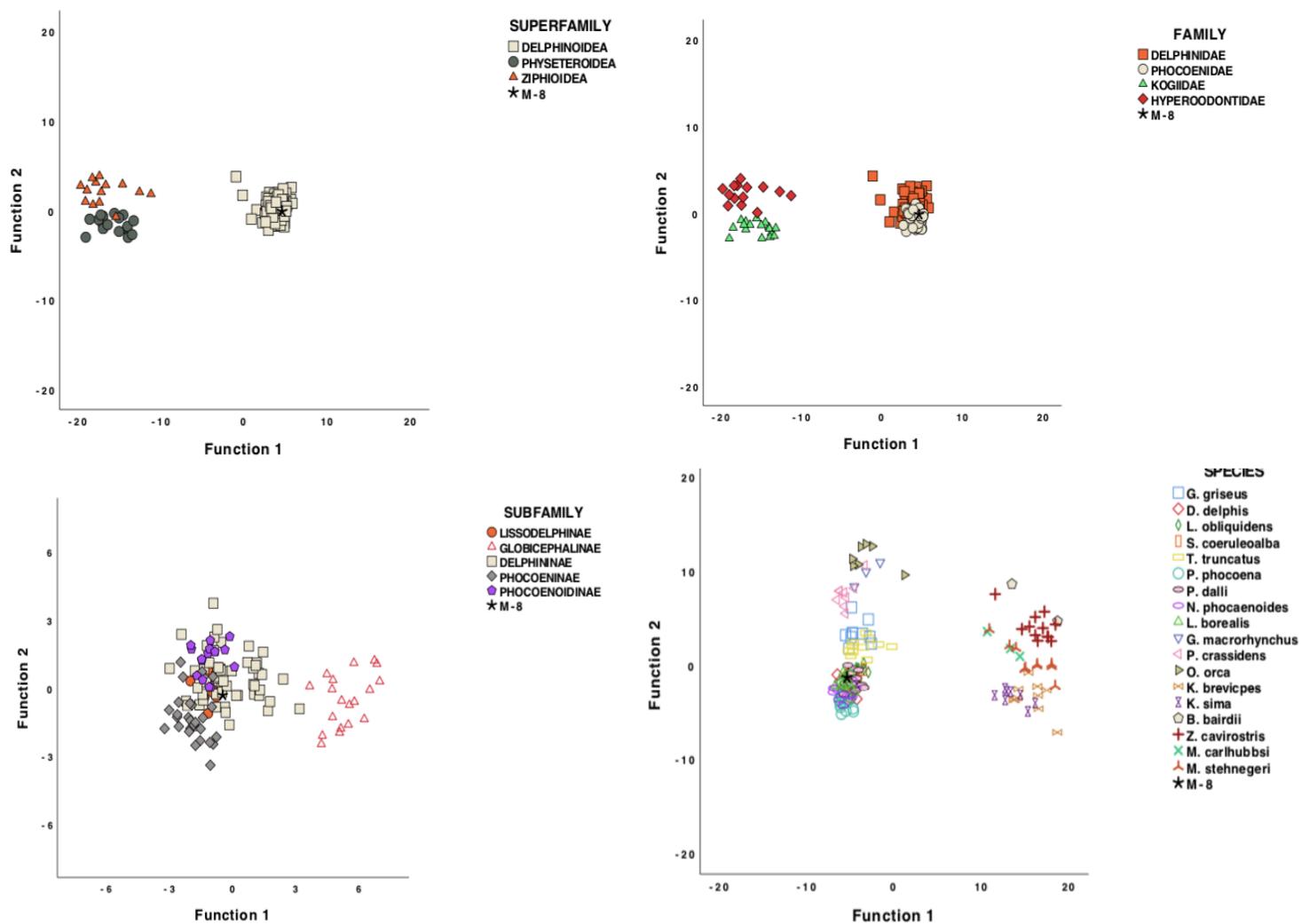
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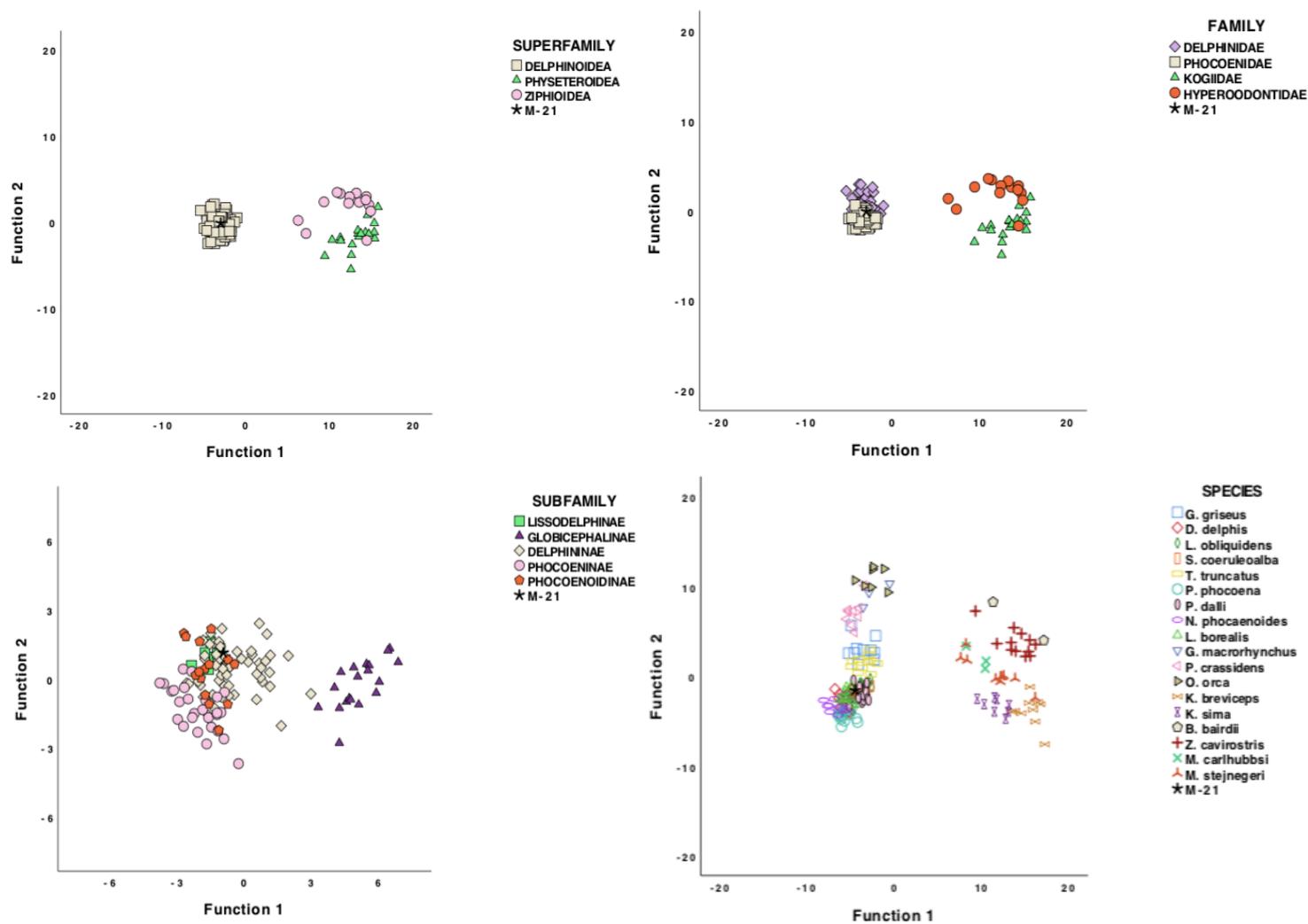
**Figure S4.20** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Early Jomon Mawaki zooarchaeological specimen (M-45).



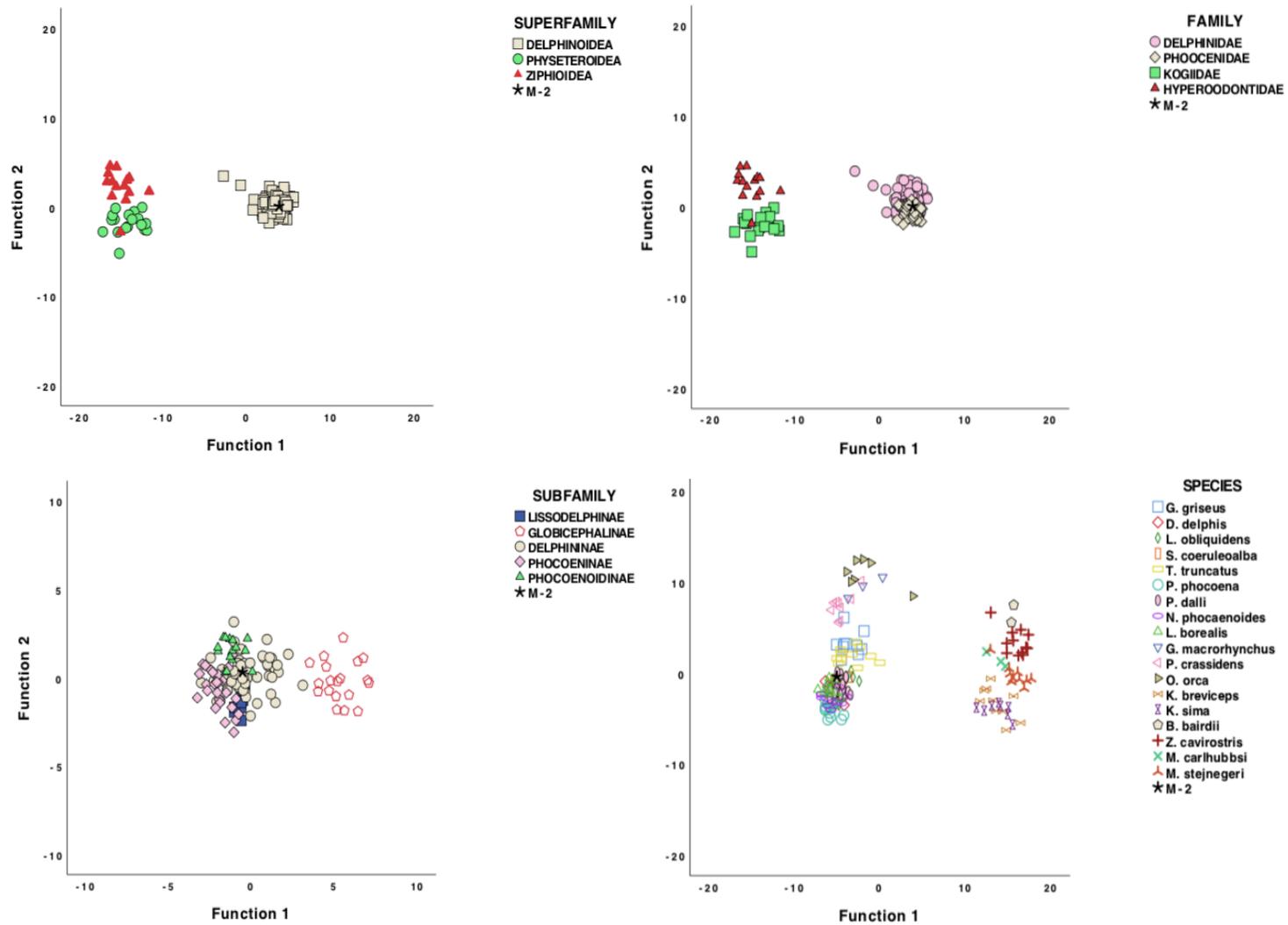
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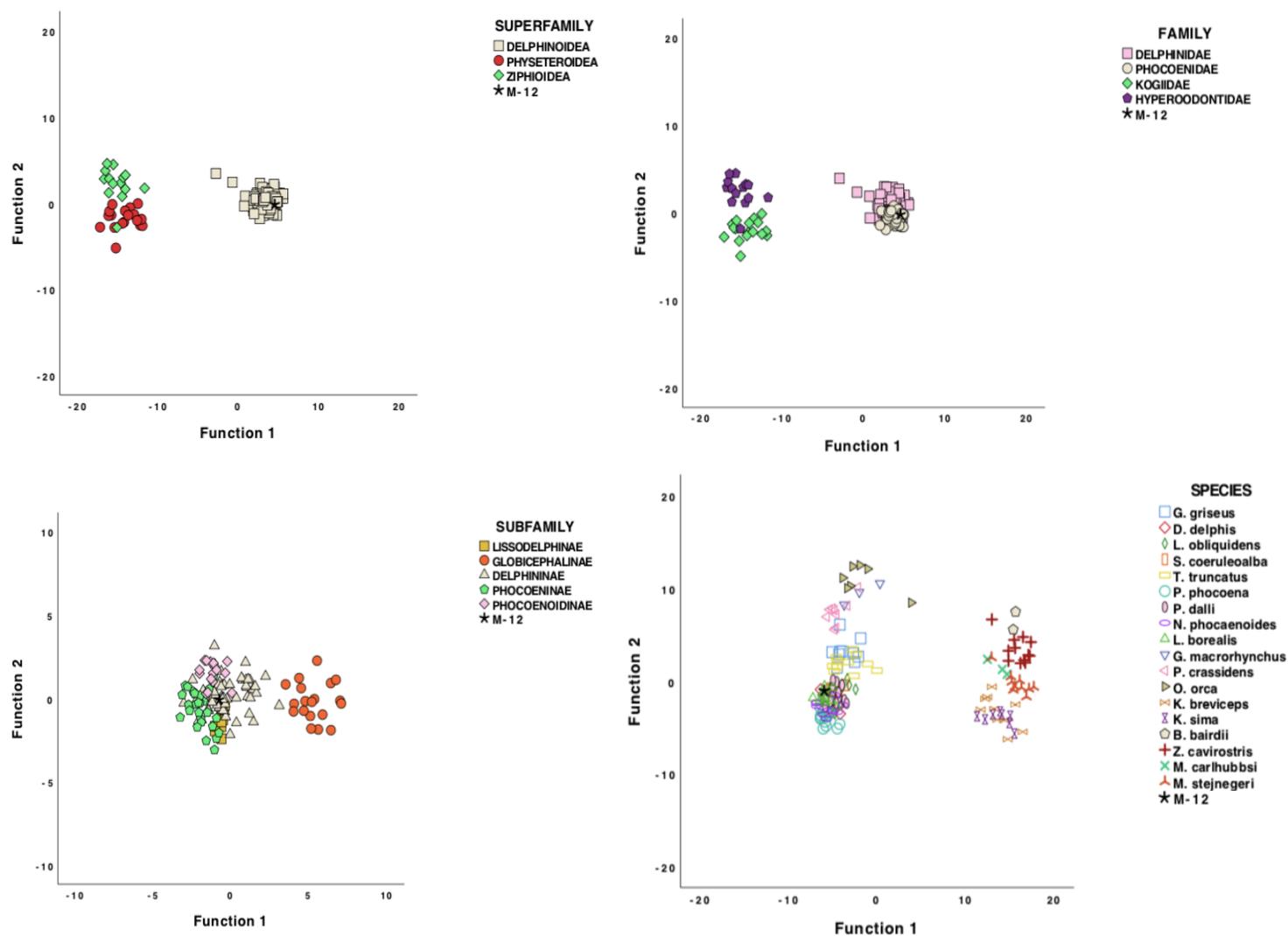
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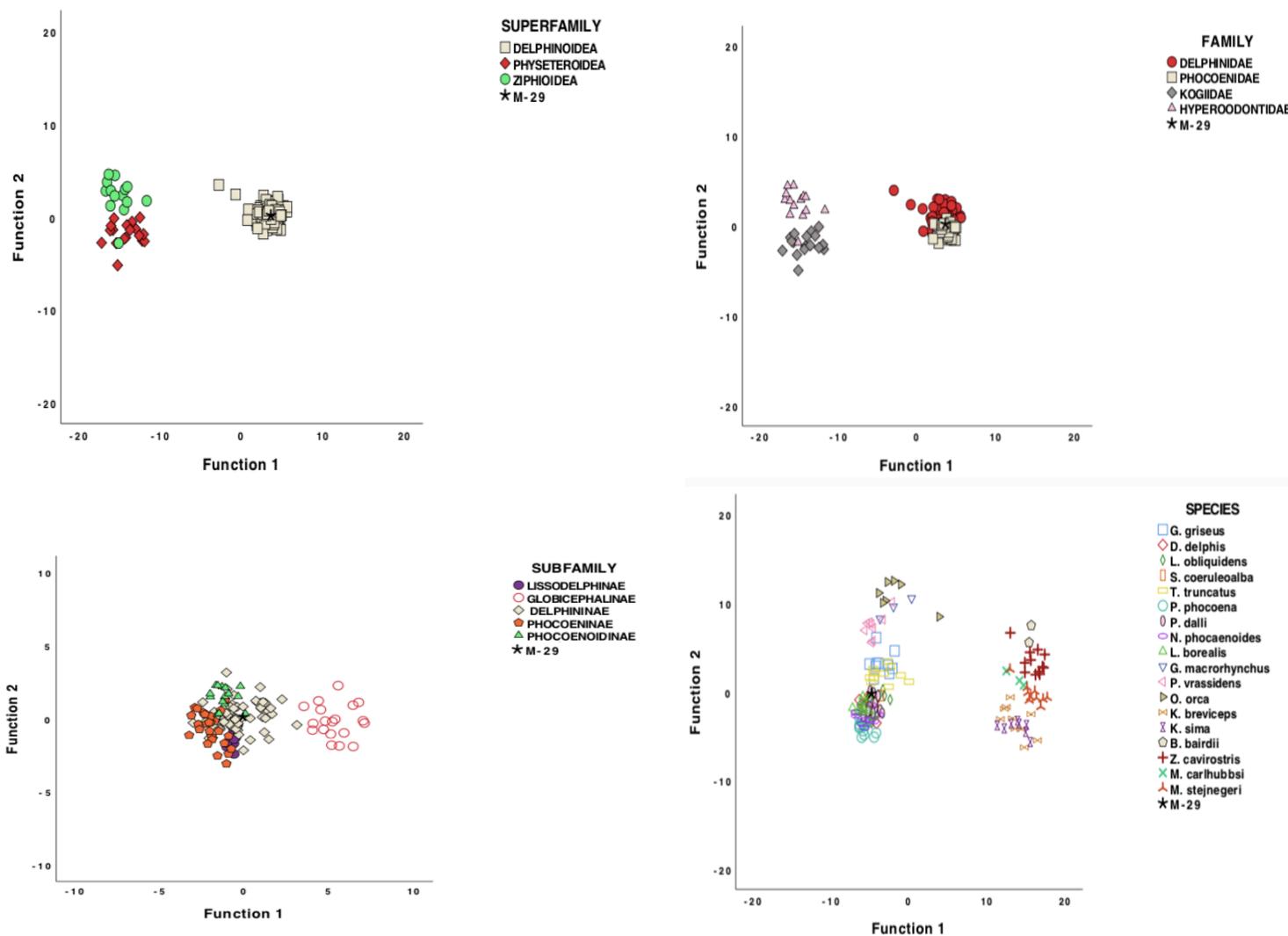
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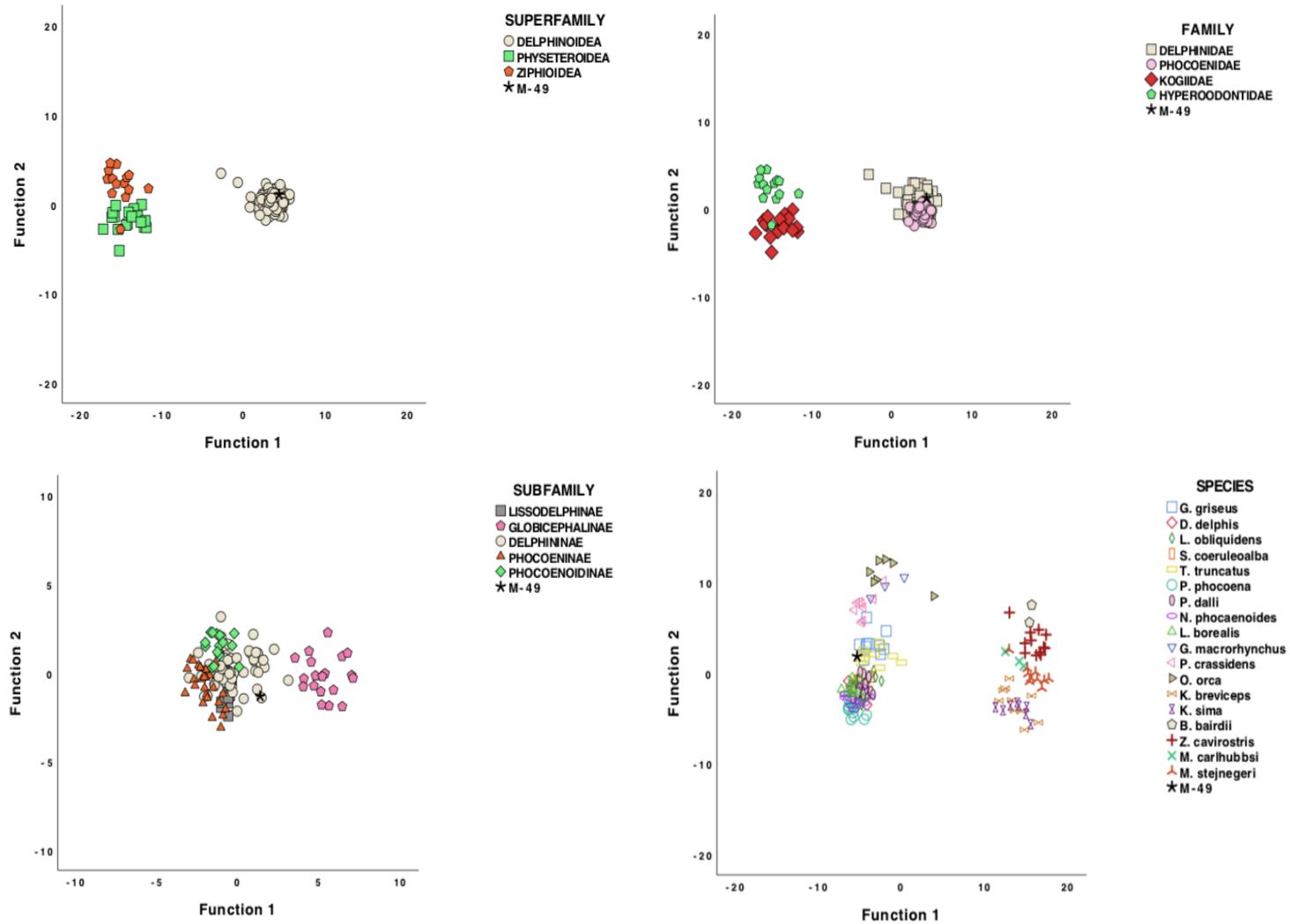
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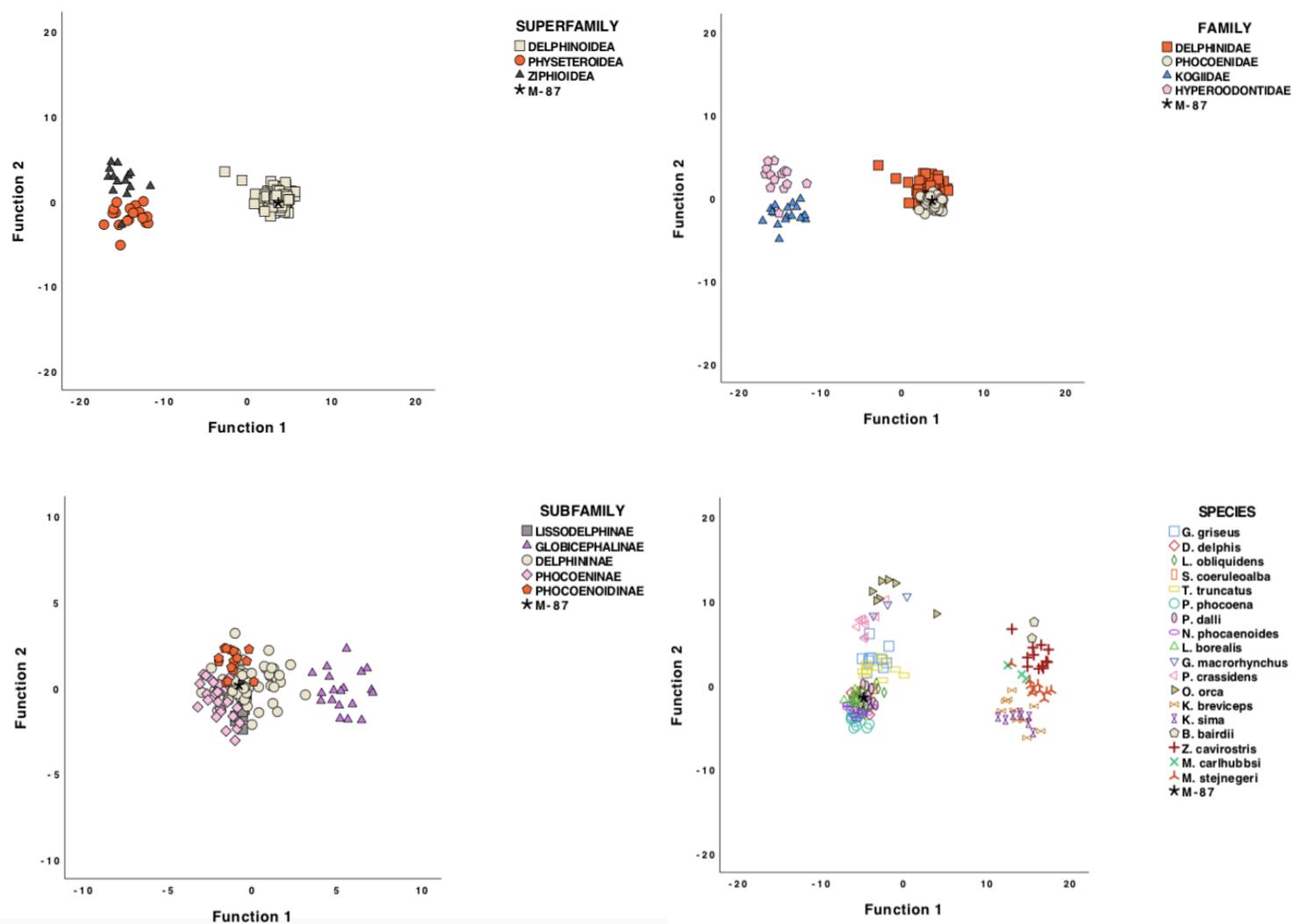
**Figure S4.25** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Early Jomon Mawaki zooarchaeological specimen (M-29).



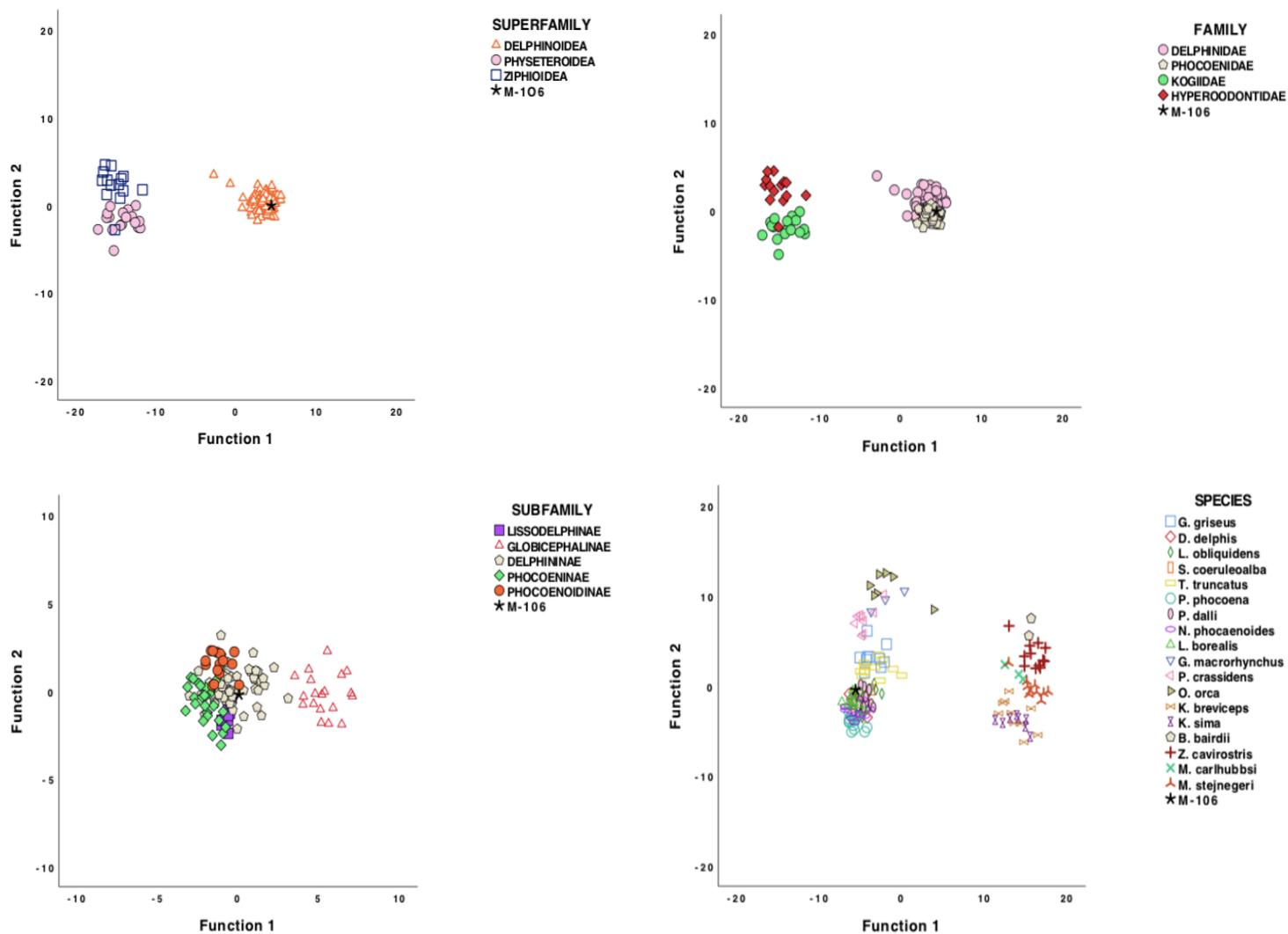
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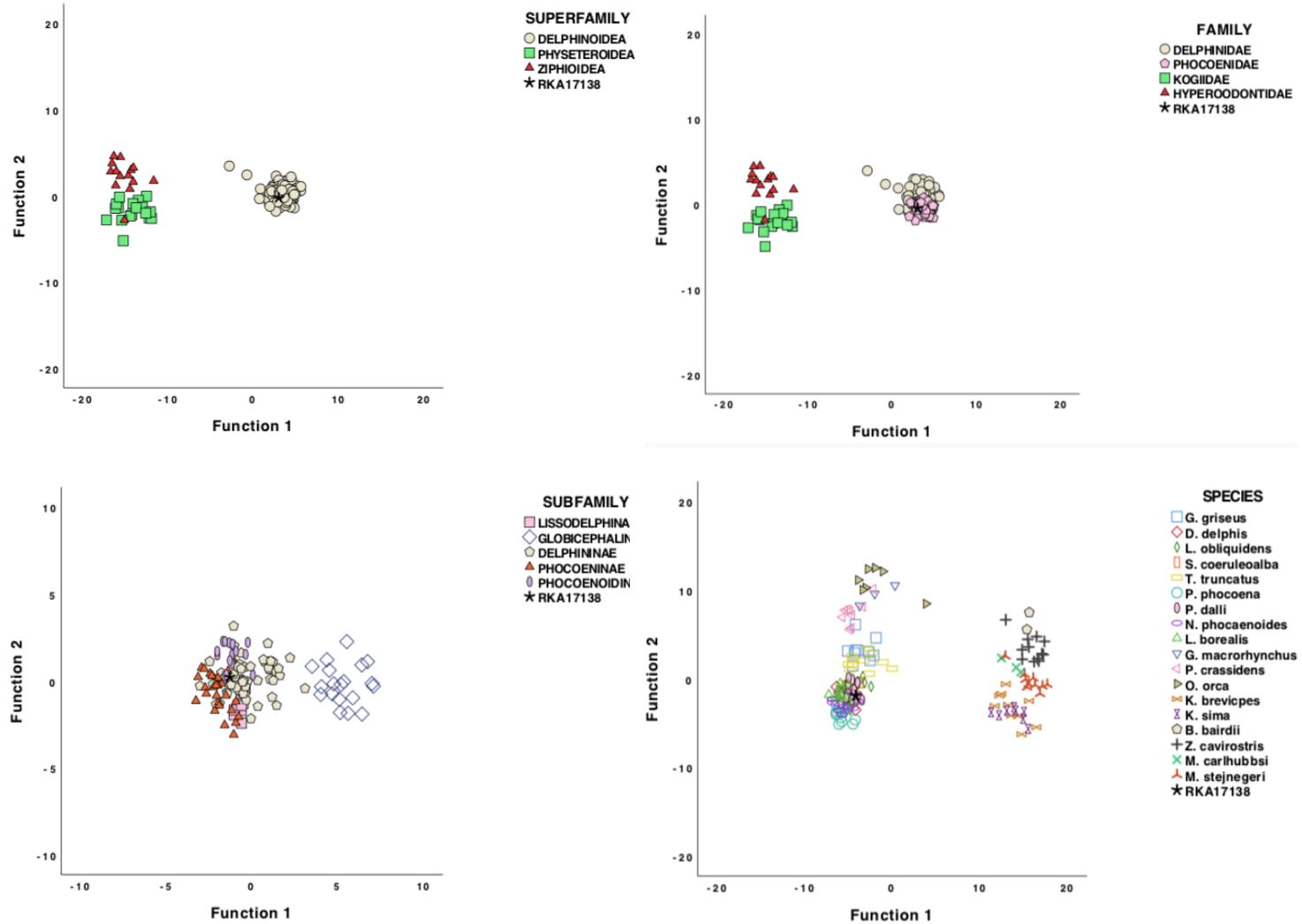
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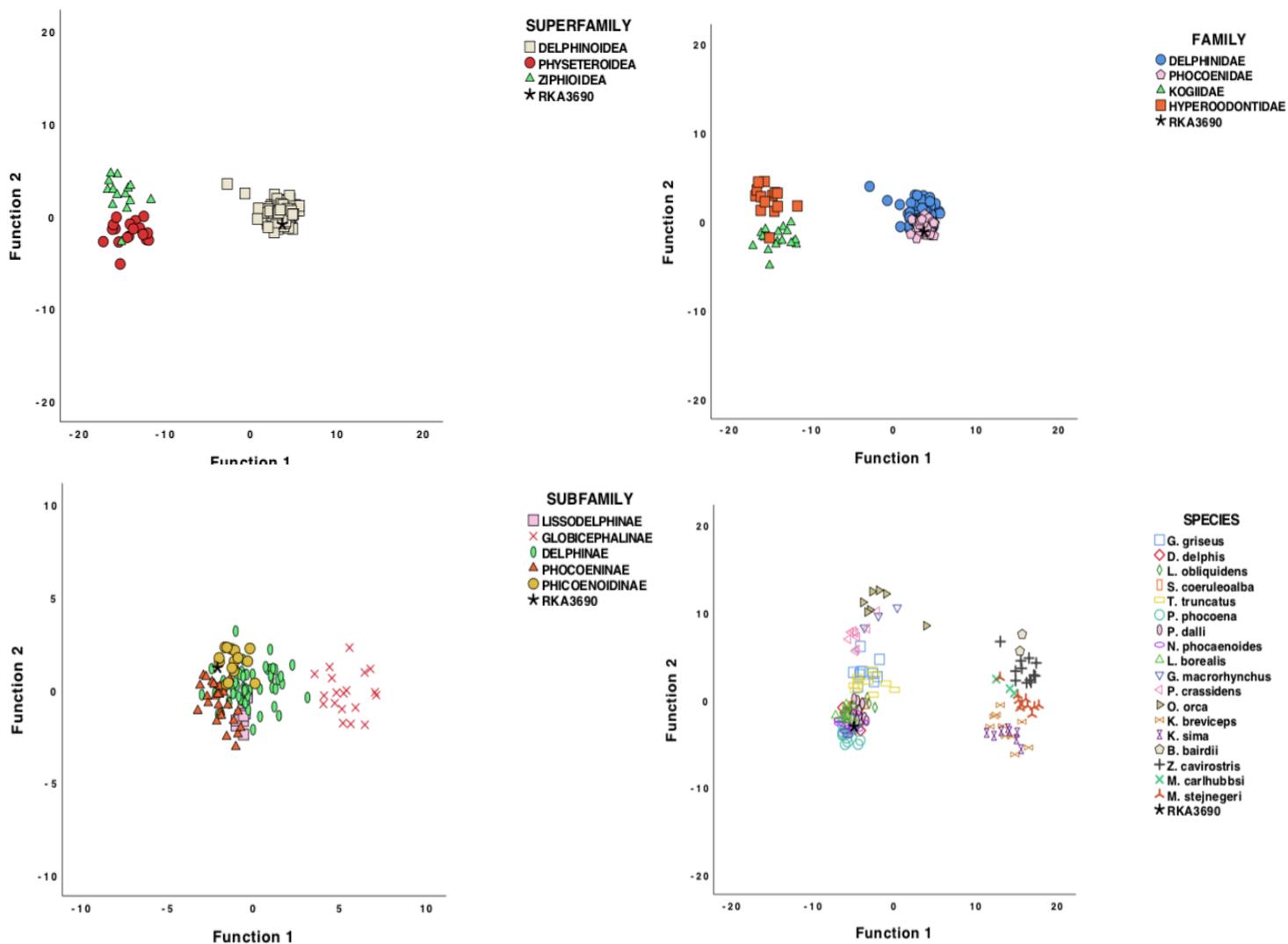
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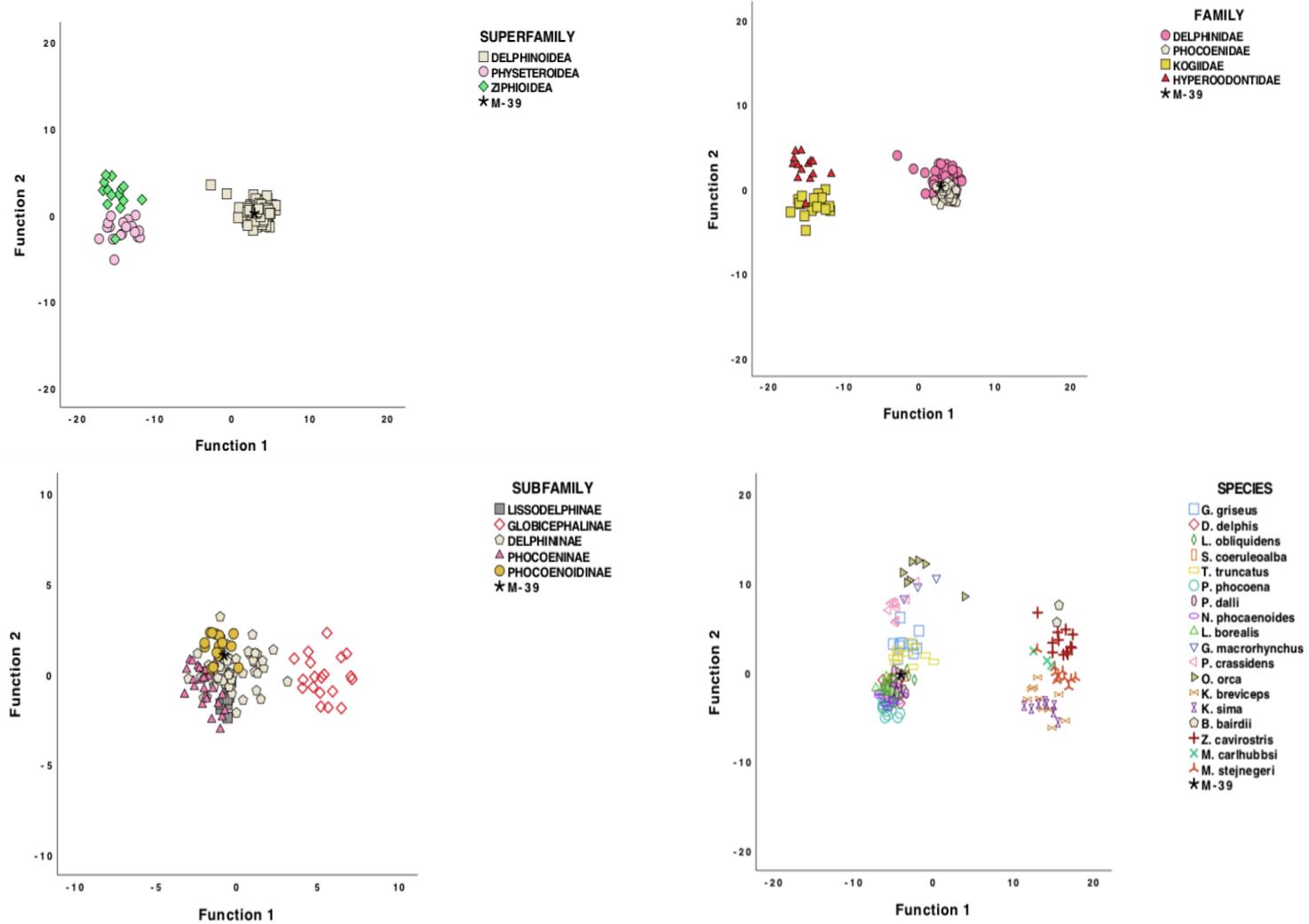
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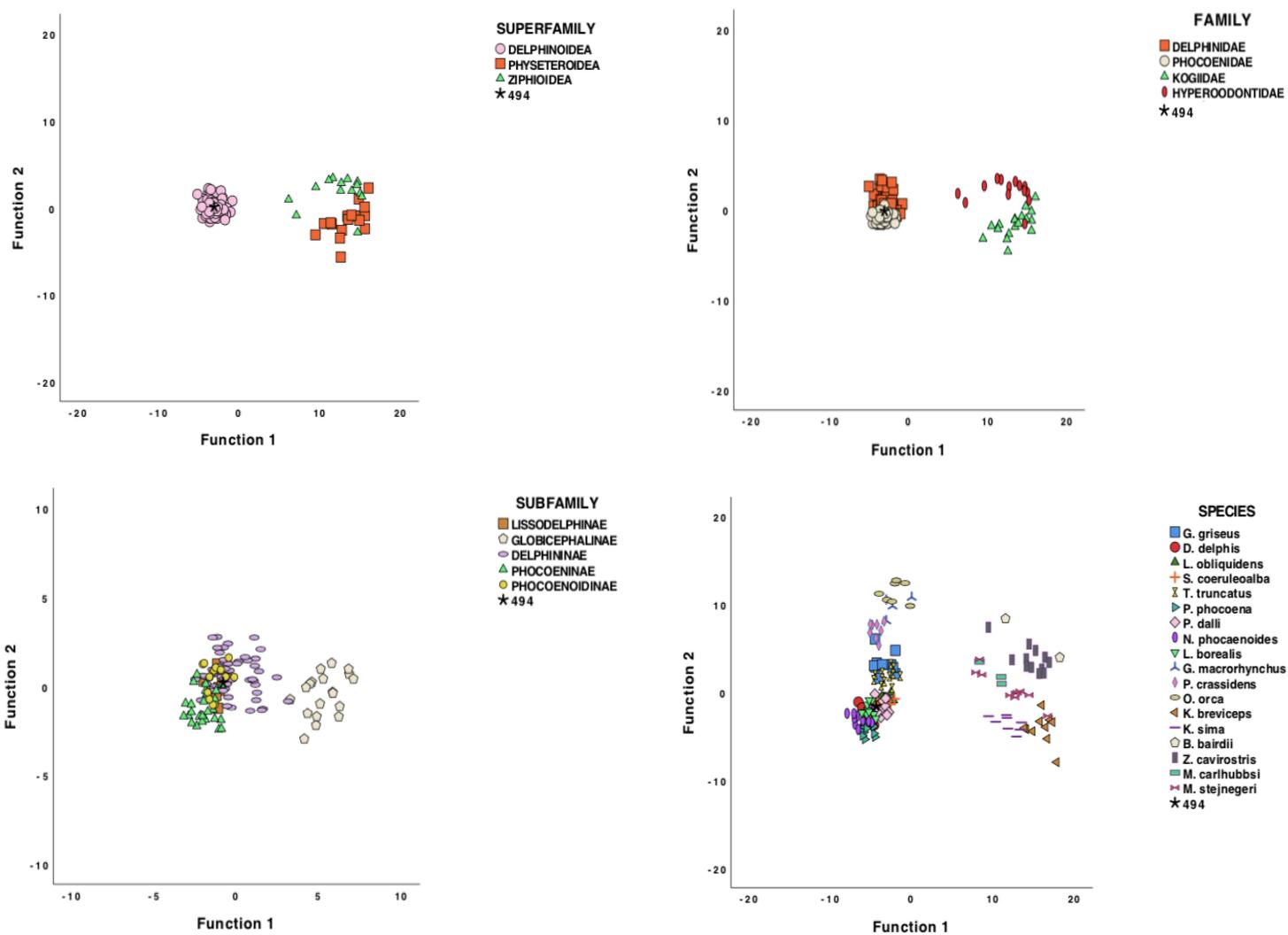
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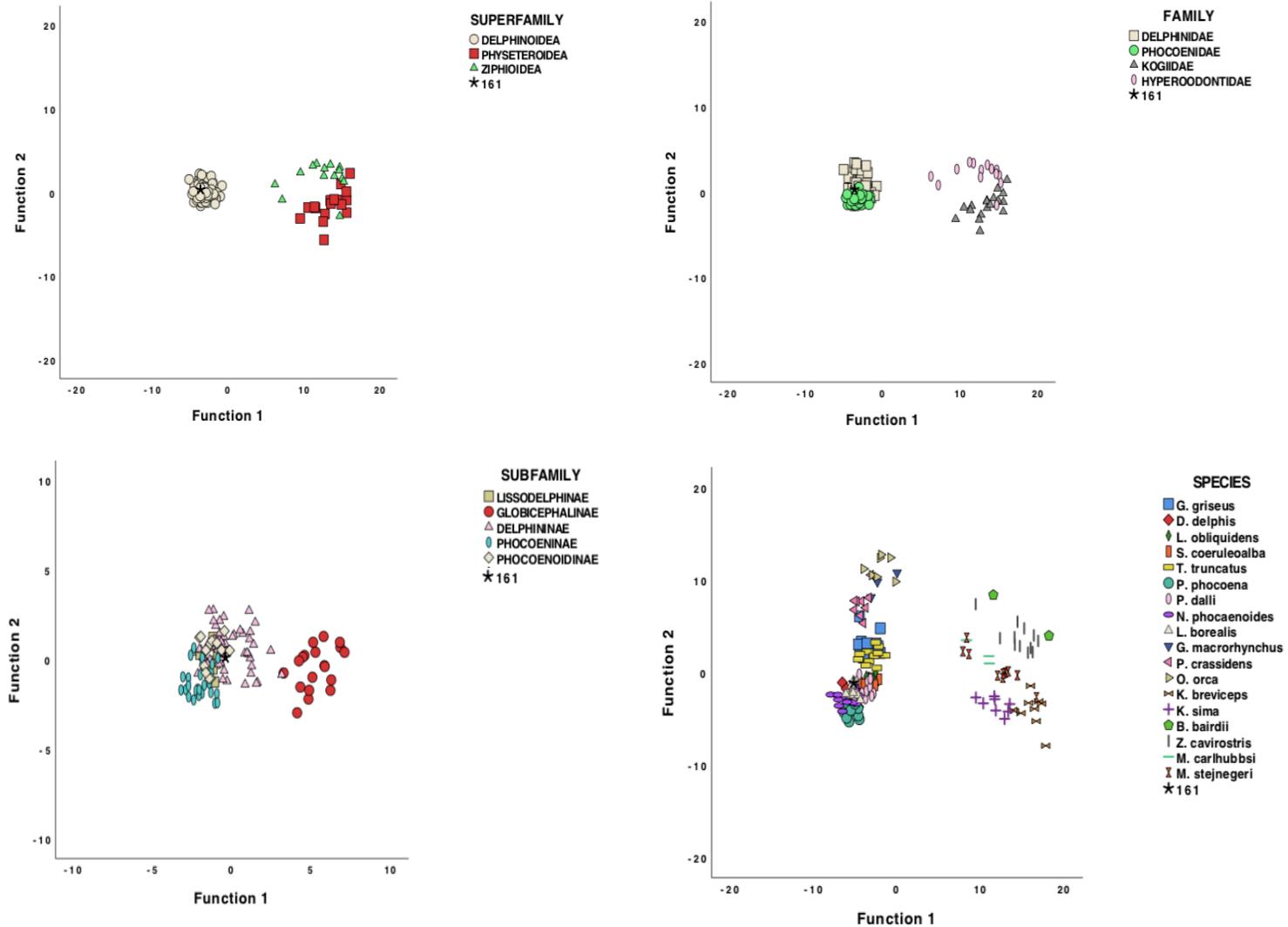
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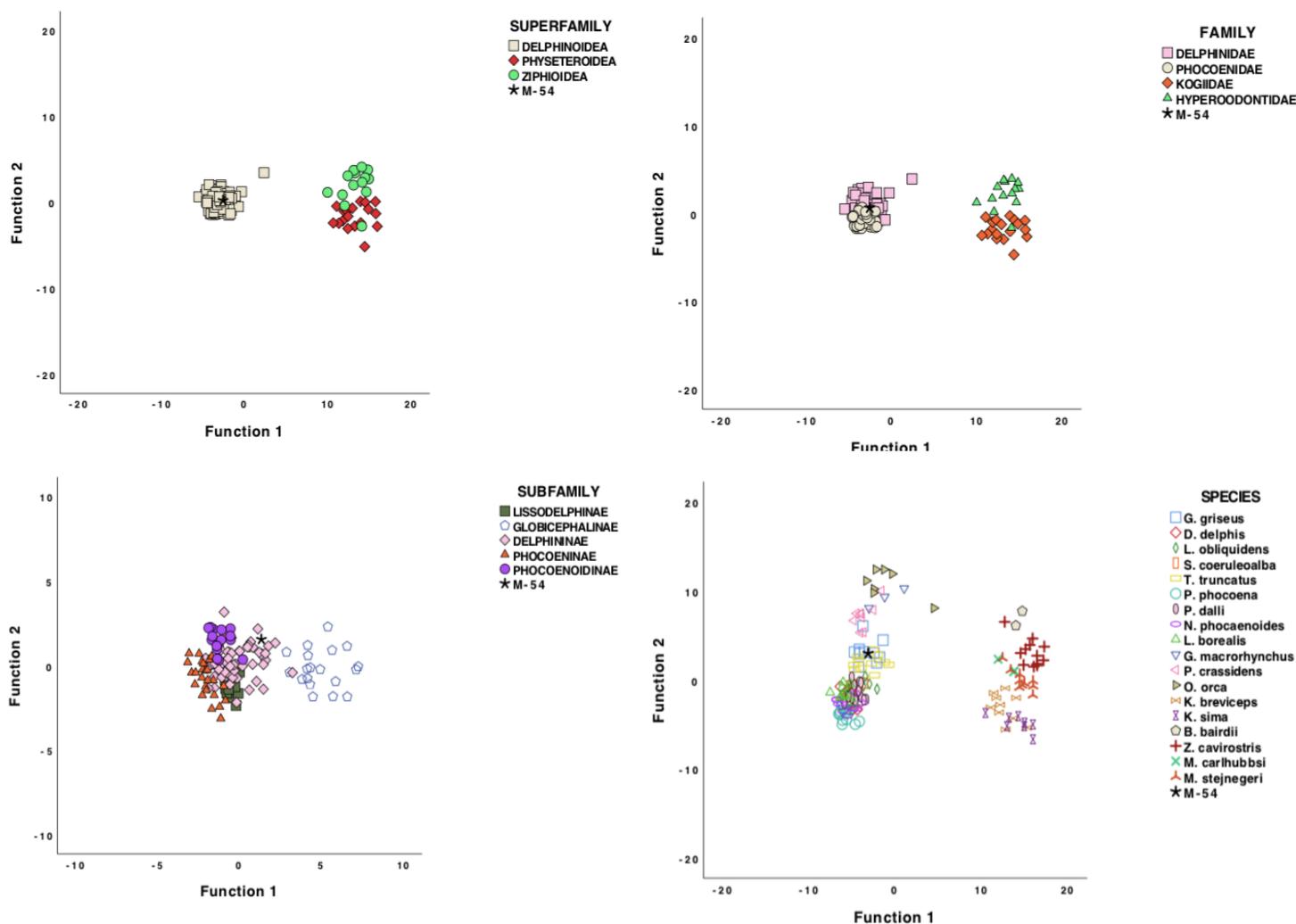
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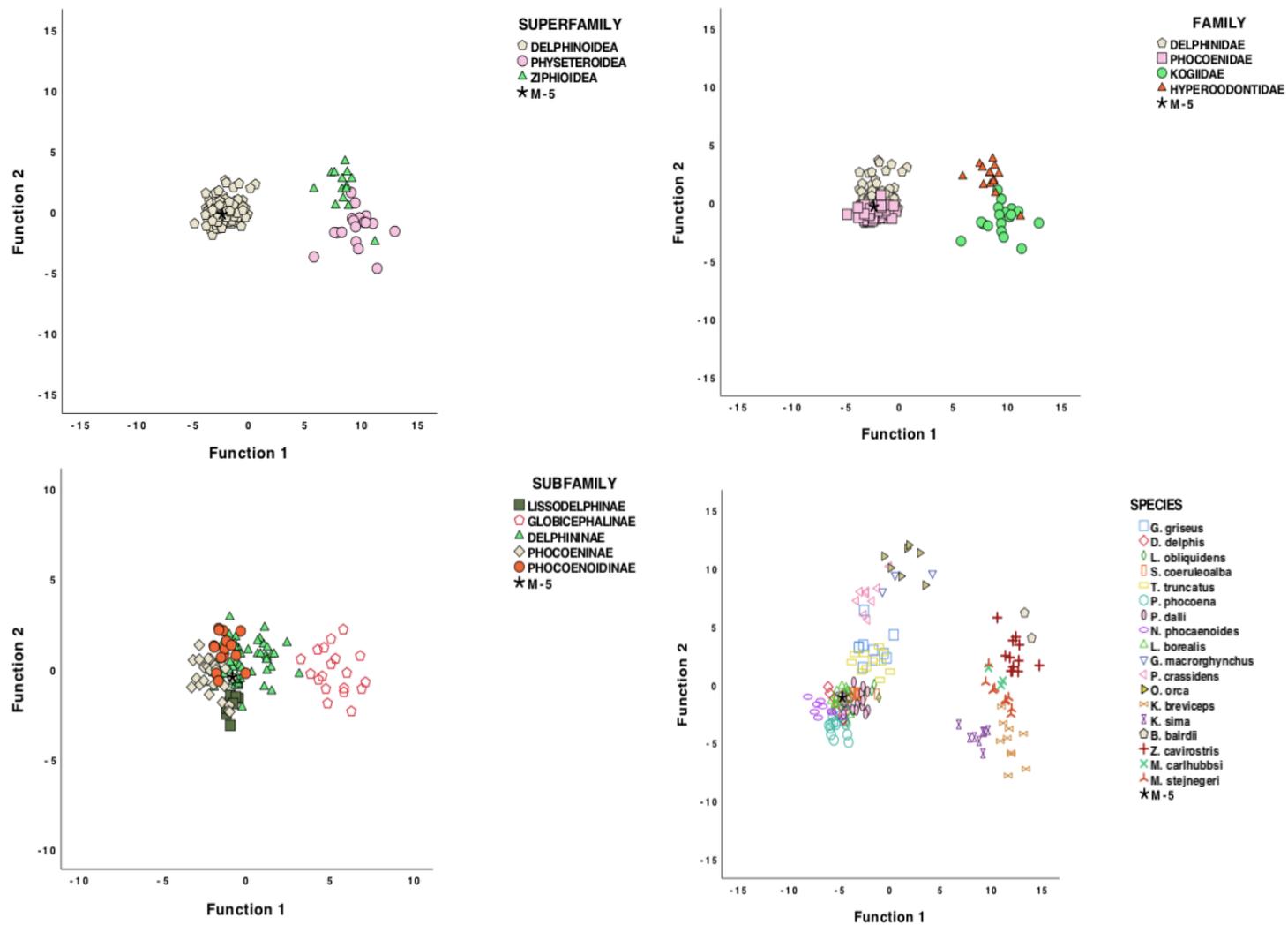
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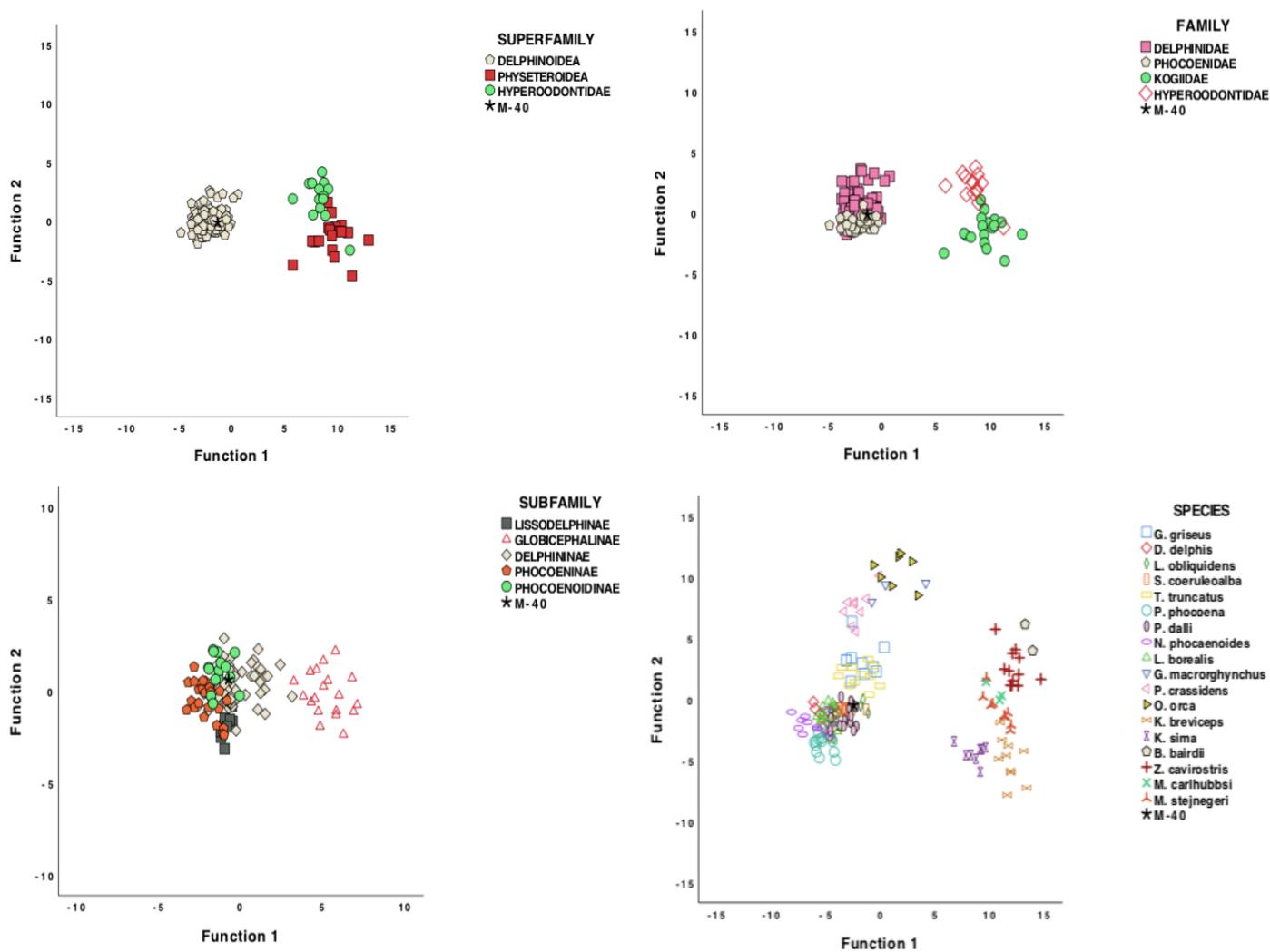
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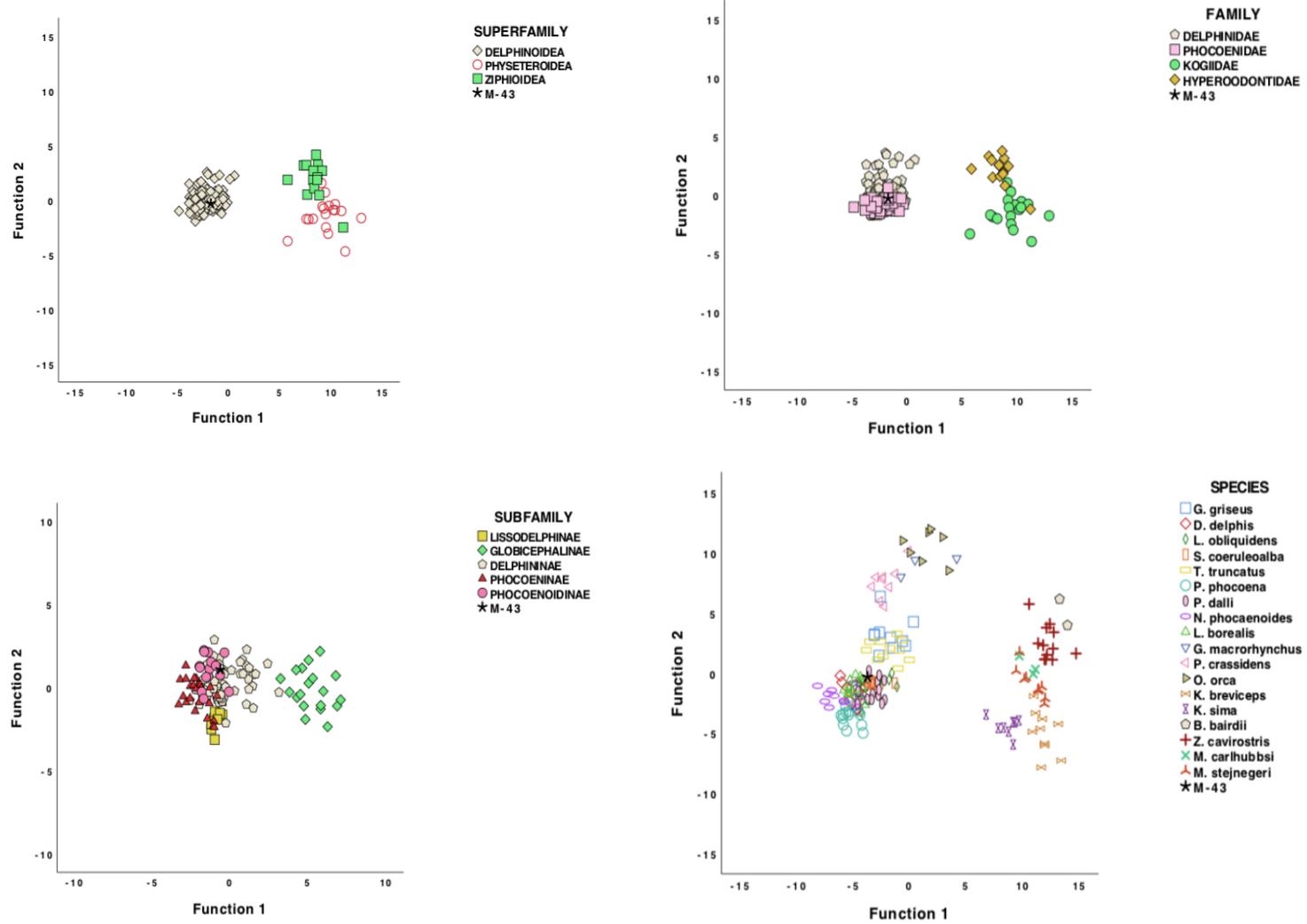
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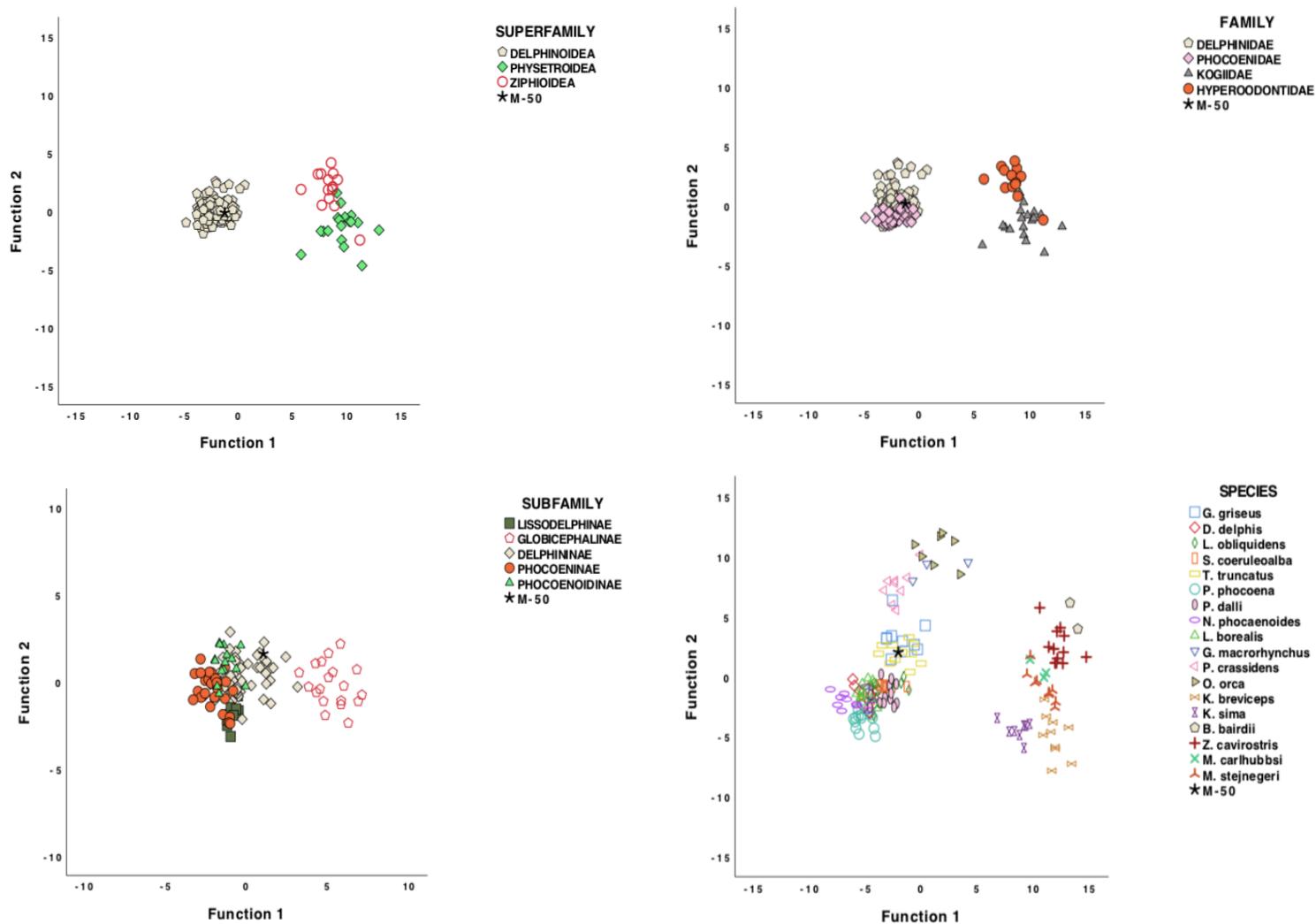
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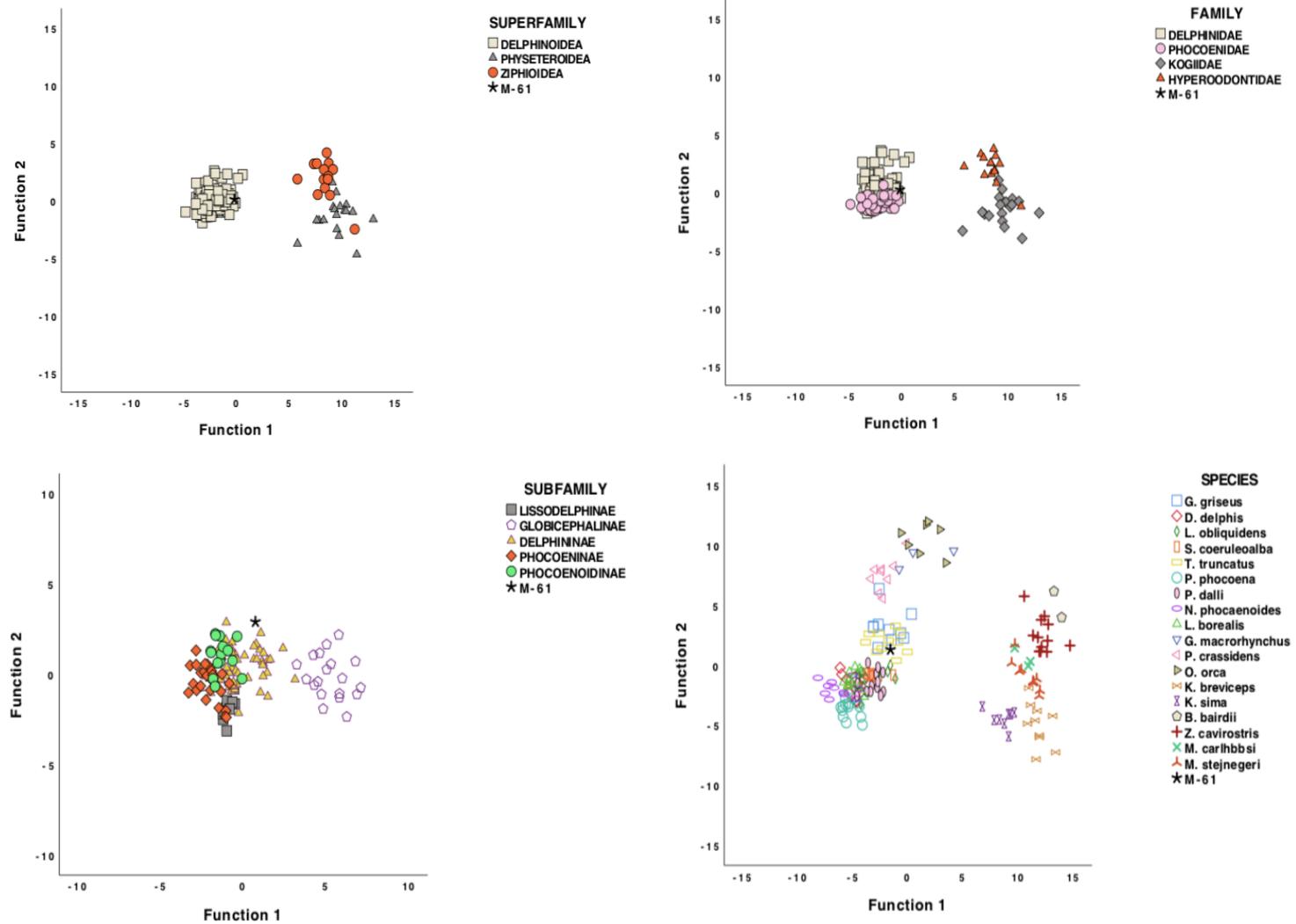
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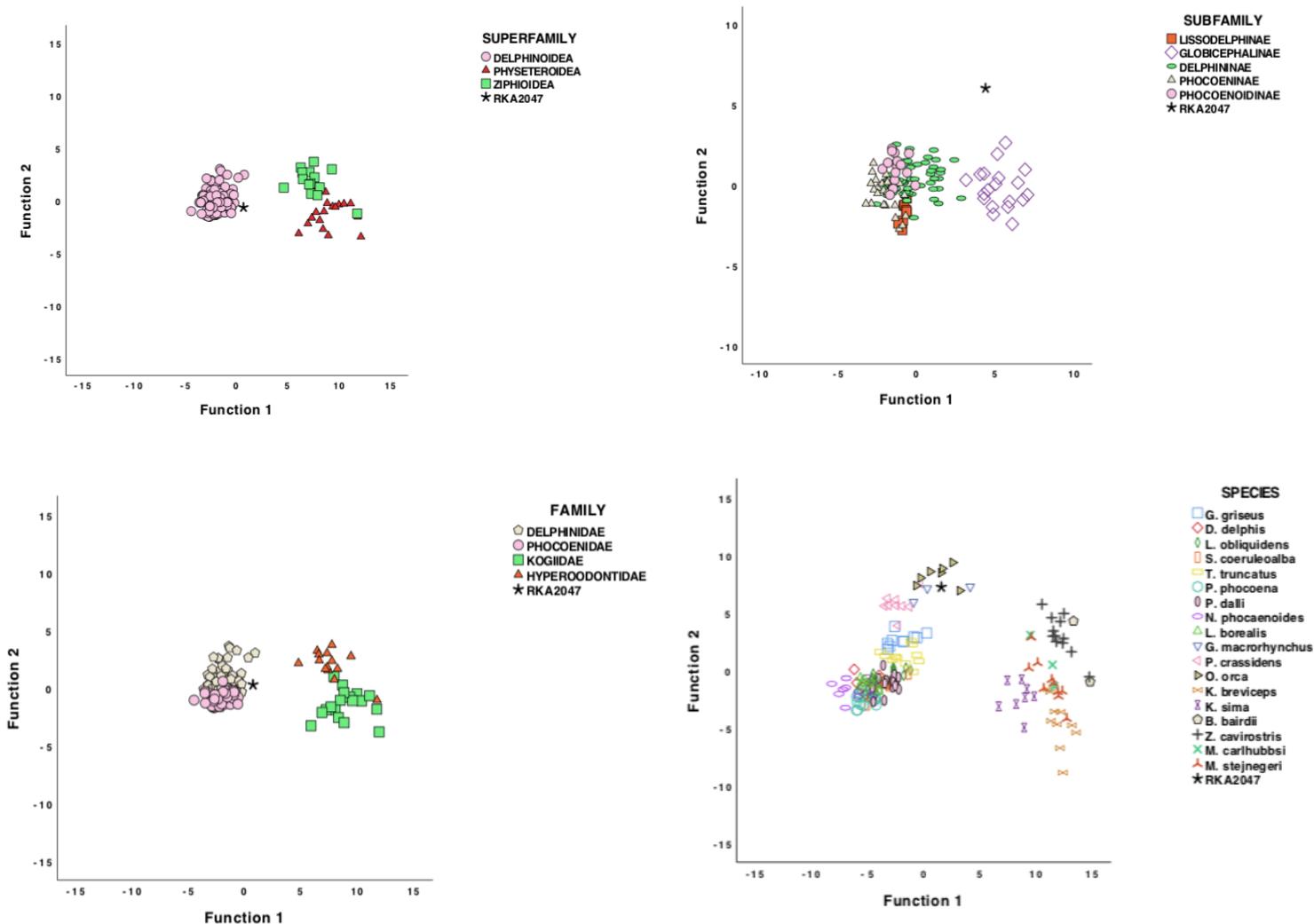
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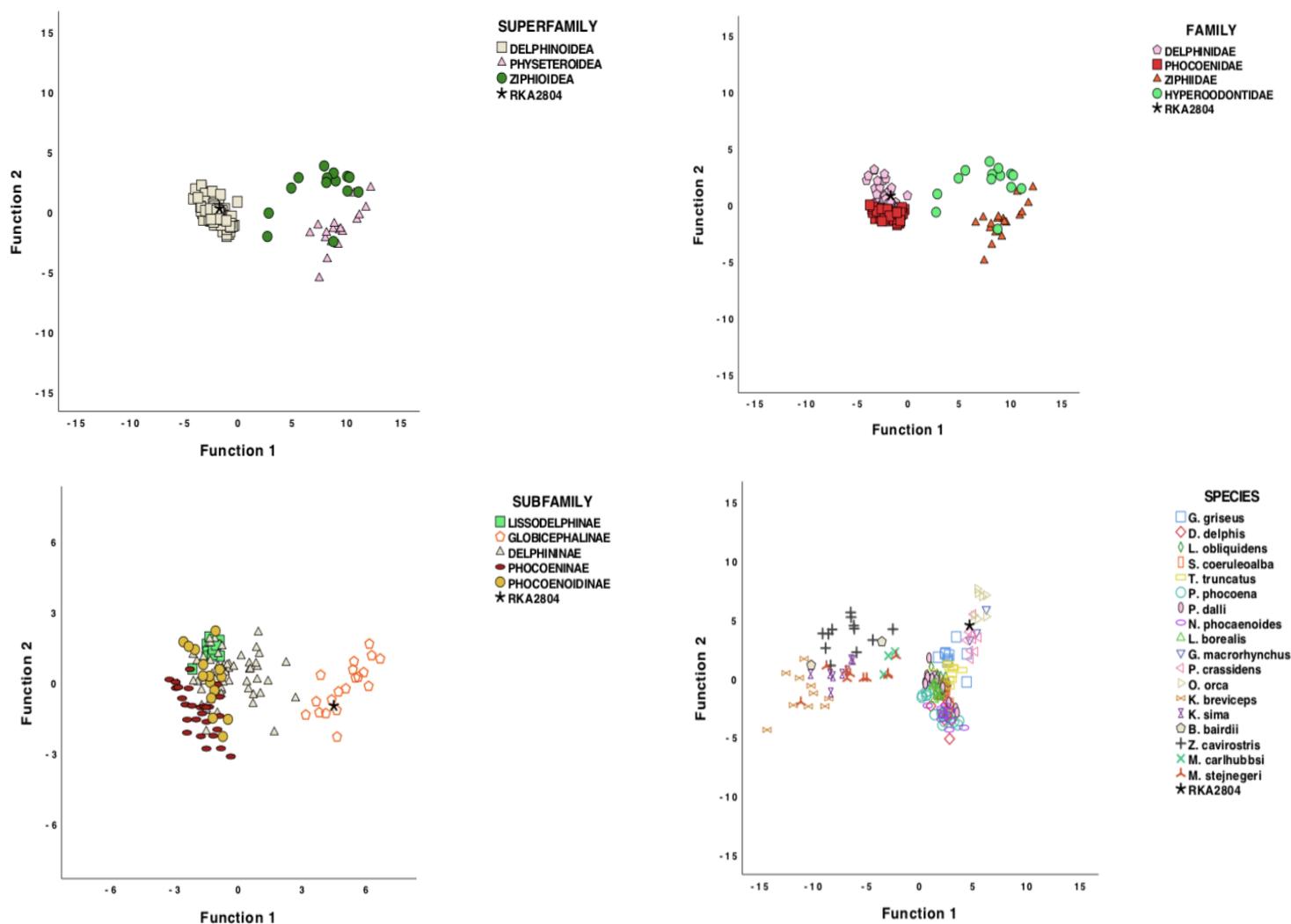
**Figure S4.39** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Early Jomon zooarchaeological specimen (M-61).



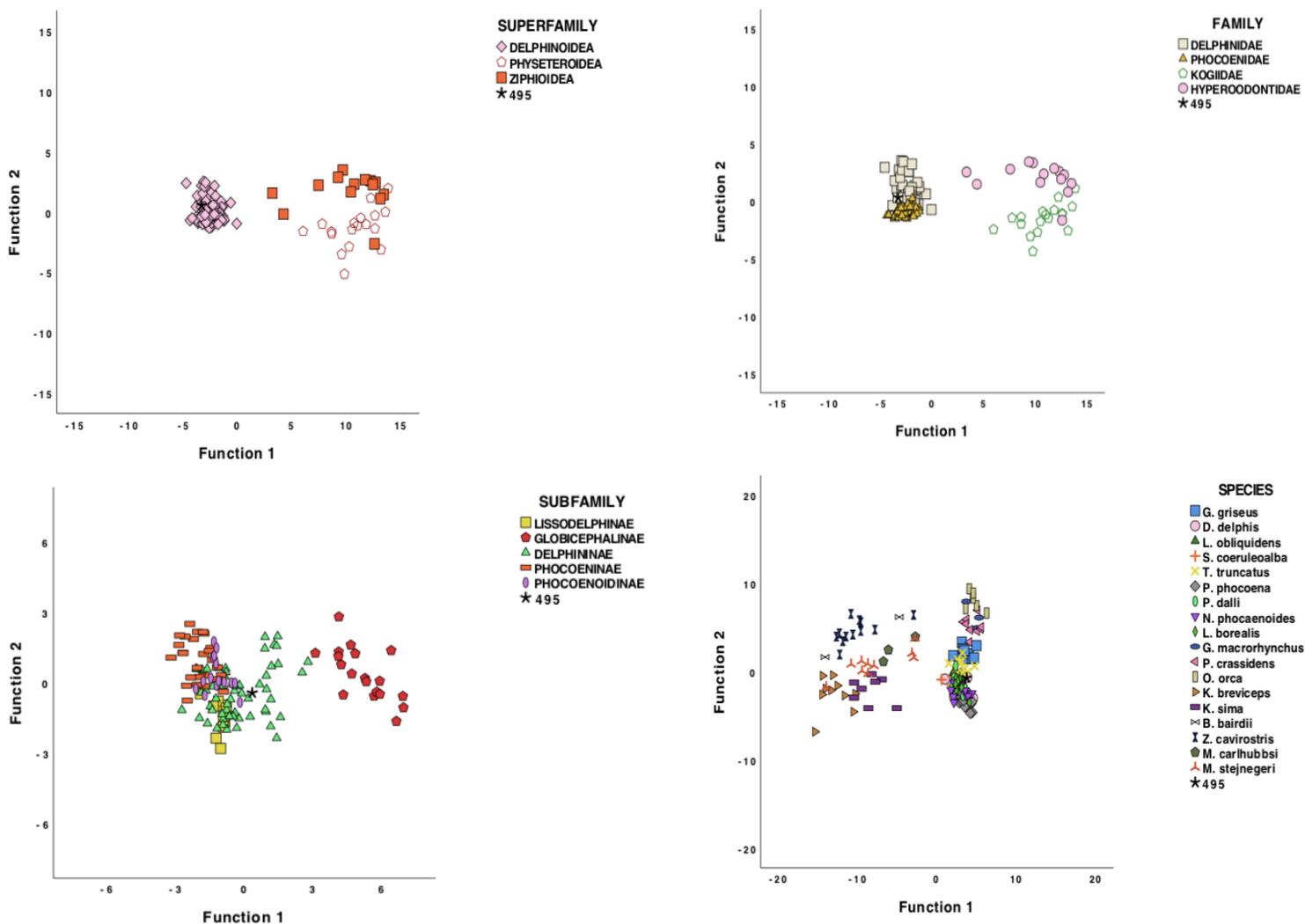
**Figure S4.40** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Okhotsk Kafukai-1 zooarchaeological specimen (RKA2047).



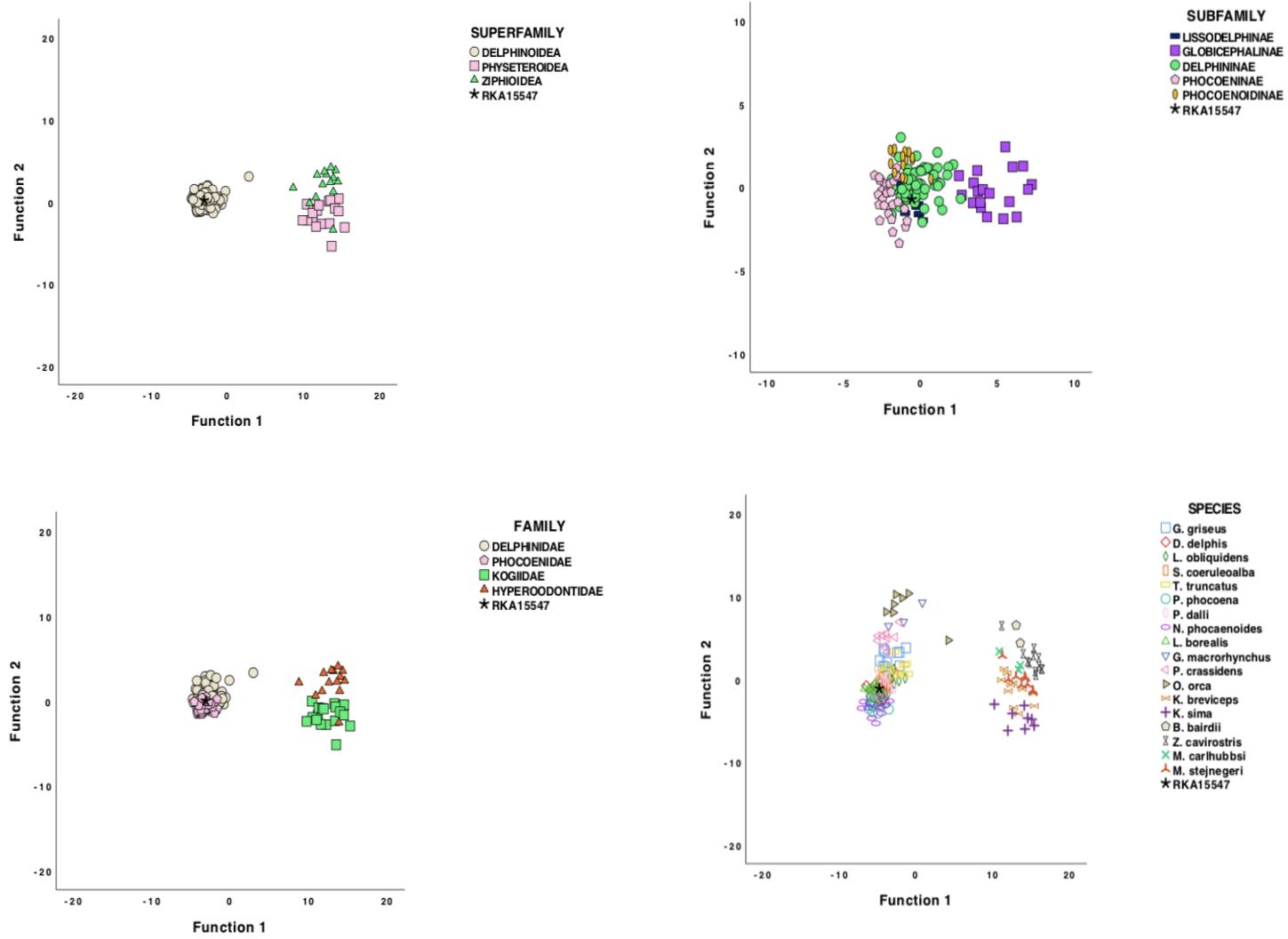
**Figure S4.41** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Okhotsk Kafukai-1 zooarchaeological specimen (RKA2804).



**Figure S4.42** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Early Jomon Mibiki zooarchaeological specimen (No.495).



**Figure S4.43** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Okhotsk Kafukai-1 zooarchaeological specimen (RKA15547).



**Figure S4.44** Combined-groups plot of the first two canonical discriminant functions of the atlas and axis vertebra for the superfamily, family, subfamily and species level classification of Okhotsk Kafukai-1 zooarchaeological specimen (M-23).

