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45 The extent to which prehistoric migrations of farmers influenced the genetic pool of western 46 North Africans remains unclear. Archaeological evidence suggests the Neolithization process 47 may have happened through the adoption of innovations by local Epipaleolithic 48 communities, or by demic diffusion from the Eastern Mediterranean shores or Iberia. Here, 49 we present the first analysis of individuals' genome sequences from early and late Neolithic 50 sites in Morocco, as well as Early Neolithic individuals from southern Iberia. We show that 51 Early Neolithic Moroccans are distinct from any other reported ancient individuals and 52 possess an endemic element retained in present-day Maghrebi populations, confirming a 53 long-term genetic continuity in the region. Among ancient populations, Early Neolithic 54 Moroccans are distantly related to Levantine Natufian hunter-gatherers (~9,000 BCE) and 55 Pre-Pottery Neolithic farmers (~6,500 BCE). Although an expansion in Early Neolithic times 56 is also plausible, the high divergence observed in Early Neolithic Moroccans suggests a 57 long-term isolation and an early arrival in North Africa for this population. This scenario is 58 consistent with early Neolithic traditions in North Africa deriving from Epipaleolithic 59 communities who adopted certain innovations from neighbouring populations. Late Neolithic (~3,000 BCE) Moroccans, in contrast, share an Iberian component, supporting theories of 60 61 trans-Gibraltar gene flow. Finally, the southern Iberian Early Neolithic samples share the 62 same genetic composition as the Cardial Mediterranean Neolithic culture that reached Iberia 63 ~5,500 BCE. The cultural and genetic similarities of the Iberian Neolithic cultures with that 64 of North African Neolithic sites further reinforce the model of an Iberian migration into the 65 Maghreb.

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#### 67 SIGNIFICANCE STATEMENT (119; 120 WORDS MAX.)

The acquisition of agricultural techniques during the so-called Neolithic revolution has been one of the major steps forward in human history. Using next-generation sequencing and ancient DNA techniques, we directly test if Neolithization in North Africa occurred through the transmission of ideas or by demic diffusion. We show that Early Neolithic Moroccans are

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- 72 composed of an endemic Maghrebi element still retained in present-day North African
- 73 populations and distantly related to Epipaleolithic communities from the Levant. However,
- 74 late Neolithic individuals from North Africa are admixed, with a North African and a
- 75 European component. Our results support the idea that the Neolithization of North Africa
- 76 might have involved both the development of Epipaleolithic communities and the migration
- 77 of people from Europe.
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#### 79 INTRODUCTION

80 One of the greatest transitions in human history was the transition from hunter-gatherer to 81 farming lifestyle. How farming traditions expanded from their birthplace in the Fertile 82 Crescent has been a matter of contention. Two models were proposed: one involving the 83 movement of people and the other based on the transmission of ideas. Over the last decade, 84 paleogenomics has been instrumental in settling long-disputed archaeological questions<sup>1</sup>, including those surrounding the Neolithic revolution<sup>2</sup>. Compared to the extensive genetic 85 86 work done on Europe and the Near East, the Neolithic transition in North Africa, including 87 the Maghreb, remains largely uncharacterized. Archaeological evidence suggests that some 88 of the major innovations associated with the Neolithic, such as farming and pottery 89 production, could have been introduced into northern Morocco through sea voyaging by people from Iberia or the central Mediterranean as early as ca. 5400 BCE<sup>3,4</sup>. In fact, some of 90 91 the Neolithic pottery recorded in North Africa strongly resembles that of European cultures 92 like the Cardial Early Neolithic, the Mediterranean early farmer culture located in Iberia<sup>5</sup>. 93 However, other innovations such as some pottery traditions and bone and lithic technical 94 customs could be the result of *in situ* development from Epipaleolithic communities, indicating a strong continuity in the local population since the Late Pleistocene<sup>6-10</sup>. 95

Genetic data from present-day populations<sup>11-13</sup> suggests that North African ancestry has 96 97 contributions from four main sources: 1) an autochthonous Maghrebi component related to a 98 back migration to Africa ~12,000 years ago from Eurasia; 2) a Middle Eastern component 99 probably associated with the Arab conquest; 3) a sub-Saharan component derived from trans-100 Saharan migrations; and 4) a European component that has been linked to recent historic 101 movements. Paleogenomic studies have begun to provide insights into North African Prehistory<sup>14-16</sup>; however, no research to date has tested whether the Neolithic transition in the 102 103 Maghreb was driven by local populations who adopted cultural and technological 104 innovations or the migration of people. Here, we perform genome-wide analysis of remains from the Early Neolithic site of Ifri n'Amr or Moussa (IAM; ~5,200 BCE, n=7) and the Late 105 Neolithic site of Kelif el Boroud (KEB; ~3,000 BCE; n=8) (Supplementary Note 1). To test 106 107 possible migrations through the Strait of Gibraltar, we also analyse human remains from the

- 108 southern Iberian Early Neolithic site of El Toro (TOR; ~5,000 BCE; n=12) (Figure 1). This
- 109 Iberian Early Neolithic culture bears similarities with early Maghrebi pottery decoration, as
- 110 well as bone and lithic tool production traditions which suggest an African influence<sup>17</sup>
- 111 (Supplementary Note 1). Including these southern Iberian samples in our analysis enables a
- 112 direct test of this hypothesis.
- 113 [Figure 1 here]

## 114 **RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

115 We sequenced 38 Illumina pair-end libraries from 27 individuals, and selected the best-116 conserved libraries for subsequent analyses. Endogenous DNA content was generally low 117 (2.88% on average) (Supplementary Note 2). Depth of coverage was consistently improved 118 when enriching using baits targeting specific sites for the Multiethnic Genotyping Array (MEGA) (~100X), compared to whole-genome capture (~15X) (Supplementary Note 2). 119 120 Following enrichment, we generated thirteen low-coverage genomes (five from IAM, four 121 from KEB and four from TOR), with MEGA coverage ranging from 0.04X to 1.72X depth, 122 and genome-wide coverage ranging from 0.01X to 0.74X depth (Table 1). All samples 123 considered in this study met the standard aDNA authentication criteria, including observation 124 of DNA fragmentation (~46 bp average read length) and damage patterns due to cytosine deamination toward the 5' ends of molecules (Supplementary Note 3). 125

126 Mitochondrial DNA and Y-chromosome haplogroups obtained for IAM (Moroccan Early

127 Neolithic) and KEB (Moroccan Late Neolithic) suggest either a population replacement or an

128 important genetic influx into Morocco between 5,000–3,000 BCE. IAM samples belong to

- 129 the mtDNA haplogroups U6a and M1—both of which are associated with the back migration
- 130 to Africa from Eurasia in Upper Palaeolithic times<sup>18,19</sup>—while KEB samples belong to
- 131 haplogroups K1, T2 and X2, prominently found in Anatolian and European Neolithic
- 132 samples<sup>2,20</sup> (Supplementary Note 4). Regarding the paternal lineages, IAM individuals carry
- 133 Y chromosomes distantly related to the typically North African E-M81 haplogroup, while

## the Y chromosome from KEB belongs to the T-M184 haplogroup; though scarce and broadly

- 135 distributed today, this haplogroup has also been observed in European Neolithic individuals<sup>16</sup>
- 136 (Supplementary Note 5). Both mtDNA and Y-chromosome lineages (K1, J2 and T2
- 137 haplogroups, and G-M201 haplogroup, respectively) for samples from TOR (Iberian Early
- 138 Neolithic) are similar to those observed in Europe during Neolithic times<sup>20</sup>.

## 139 [Table 1 here]

140 When projected on a Principal Components Analysis (PCA) space built using sub-Saharan 141 African, North African, European and Middle Eastern population of the Human Genome 142 Diversity Project (HGDP) dataset genotyped with MEGA, IAM samples are placed close to 143 Mozabites, while Iberian Neolithic samples fall close to southern European populations 144 (Supplementary Note 6). As suspected from the mtDNA and Y-chromosome data, KEB 145 samples do not cluster with IAM and are placed in an intermediate position between IAM 146 and TOR. We further explored the genetic structure of these samples using the program ADMIXTURE<sup>21</sup> (Figure 2). At K=5, we observe sub-Saharan African (red), early European 147 148 Neolithic (green), North African (yellow), Middle Eastern (violet) and eastern European 149 components (orange). Congruently with PCA results, TOR is composed of the early 150 European component, clustering with Sardinian samples, and IAM is composed of the North 151 African component, clustering with Mozabites. Finally, KEB is placed in an intermediate 152 position, with ~50% of both early European Neolithic and North African ancestries. It is 153 worth mentioning that, compared to current North African samples, IAM and KEB do not 154 show any sub-Saharan African ancestry, suggesting that trans-Saharan migrations occurred 155 after Neolithic times. This is in agreement with the analysis of present-day genome-wide 156 data from Morocco, which estimated a migration of western African origin into Morocco only  $\sim 1,200$  years ago<sup>11</sup>. 157

- 158 West Eurasian populations can be modelled as admixture of four different ancestral
- 159 components<sup>2</sup>: Eastern and Western European hunter-gatherers, and Iranian and Levantine
- 160 Neolithic. We explored the placement of Moroccan and Southern Iberian Neolithic samples

161 in this context, and compared their genetic affinities to ancient and present-day West 162 Eurasian and Levant populations in the Human Origins panel. Interestingly, PCA reveals that 163 IAM individuals are different from any aDNA sample studied to date (Figure 2; 164 Supplementary Note 6). When projected, IAM samples are close to modern North Africans, 165 in the Levantine corner of the PCA space (Figure 2). Southern Iberian Neolithic individuals 166 from TOR cluster with Sardinians and with other Anatolian and European Neolithic samples. 167 Moreover, KEB samples are placed halfway between the IAM and Anatolian/European farmer clusters, in close proximity to Levant aDNA samples and also to Guanche samples<sup>16</sup>, 168 the indigenous population of the Canary Islands known to have a Berber  $origin^{22}$ . When 169 170 compared using ADMIXTURE (See Supplementary Note 7 for details), IAM samples 171 possess ~100% of a component partially shared by aDNA samples from the Middle East and 172 Levant at low K values. At K=6, this IAM-like component is observed mainly in modern 173 North Africa, following a west-to-east cline, and in the Guanches. TOR and other Early 174 Neolithic samples from Iberia cluster together with farmers from Anatolia, the Aegean area 175 and Europe. At K=8, the Early Neolithic individuals from Iberia differentiate from the 176 Anatolian, Aegean and European Early Neolithic samples, and share their main component 177 (purple) with Middle Neolithic/Chalcolitic samples (Figure 2). Finally, at low K values, KEB 178 can be explained as having both IAM-like and European Neolithic components, suggesting 179 an admixture process between IAM-like people and early farmers. Nevertheless, at K=8, the 180 European component in KEB is predominantly "purple," with some "green" component. 181 This "green" component is also present, at a low frequency, in Natufians and other ancient 182 Levantine populations. The substantially larger contribution of the "purple" component, 183 when compared with the "green", suggests a significant genetic contribution of ancient 184 Iberians in Morocco (Figure 2). The same admixture profile is observed in Guanches, but the 185 amount of IAM ancestry is consistently higher in all the samples. Given that the Guanches 186 could have had originated in a different area of the Maghreb, this result might suggest that 187 the European Neolithic impact in North Africa was heterogeneous.

188 [Figure 2 here]

189 To compare our samples directly to the genomes of ancient and modern populations, we 190 calculated pair-wise F<sub>ST</sub> distances, which, unlike PCA and global ancestry analyses, are 191 insensitive to the inclusion of large numbers of individuals from modern populations. F<sub>ST</sub> 192 values indicate that the IAM samples are as differentiated from all other populations as 193 Yoruba are from non-Africans (Supplementary Note 9), with the sole exception of KEB and, 194 to a lesser extent, the Guanches and modern North African populations. Given the relatively 195 low heterozygosity and high identity-by-descent proportions observed in IAM 196 (Supplementary Note 8), this differentiation could be driven by isolation and genetic drift. 197 IAM is divergent from the other populations, with the exception of populations that likely 198 received genetic influx from them. This raises the possibility that IAM was isolated in North 199 Africa since Palaeolithic times, when a back migration from Eurasia brought mtDNA haplogroups M1 and U6 to the Maghreb<sup>18</sup>. Although IAM is clearly more similar to KEB 200 than to any other population, the converse is not true. KEB has lower F<sub>ST</sub> distances with any 201 202 Anatolian, European (excluding European hunter gatherers), Levantine and Iranian 203 population, rather than with IAM. In the modern DNA reference panel, KEB is similar to 204 North African, European and Middle Eastern populations. Among the ancient populations, 205 TOR is more similar to Middle Neolithic/Chalcolithic Europeans, and, among modern 206 populations, to populations from Spain, North Italy and Sardinia.

To further investigate the genetic affinities of IAM, KEB and TOR samples, we conducted 207 outgroup f3-statistic analysis<sup>23</sup>. Results indicate that, when KEB and Guanches are excluded, 208 209 IAM shares more drift with ancient Levantine populations, such as Natufians (Epipaleolithic) 210 and Pre-Pottery Neolithic individuals (Figure 3; Supplementary Note 10), than with any 211 other ancient population. To explore further the connection between IAM and Levantine 212 populations, we performed an f4-statistic analysis to test whether IAM shares more alleles with any other population in the Human Origins panel<sup>2,24</sup> than with ancient populations from 213 214 the Levant (Supplementary Note 10). Consistently, and also with the exception of KEB and 215 Guanches, all comparisons indicated higher similarity with Natufians and Levantine farmers. 216 This suggests that most of IAM ancestry originates from an out-of-Africa source, as IAM 217 shares more alleles with Levantines than with any sub-Saharan Africans, including the

218	4,500-year-old genome from Ethiopia <sup>14</sup> . To further test the hypothesis that IAM is more
219	closely related to out-of-Africa populations, we determined if we could detect Neanderthal
220	ancestry in IAM, which is typical of non-African populations. A signal of Neanderthal
221	ancestry has been detected in modern North African populations <sup>25</sup> . A lack of Neanderthal
222	ancestry in IAM would imply that the signal observed today is a product of more recent
223	migration into North Africa from the Middle East and Europe in historical times. When
224	compared to the Neanderthal high coverage genome sequence from Altai <sup>26</sup> and the low-
225	coverage sequence from Vindija Cave <sup>27</sup> , and using the S-statistic <sup>23</sup> , we detected a
226	Neanderthal introgression signal into IAM, suggesting derivation from the same event shared
227	by non-African populations. All these results together indicate that the origin of IAM was
228	outside Africa, most probably from the Levant. However, it is important to take into account
229	that the number of ancient genomes for comparison is low and future sampling can provide
230	further refinement in the origin of IAM.

231 Both F<sub>ST</sub> and outgroup-f3 statistic analyses indicate that KEB shares ancestry with IAM, but

also more genetic drift with Neolithic and Chalcolithic populations from Anatolia and

Europe, with the highest shared genetic drift appearing in Iberian Early Neolithic samples

234 (Figure 3; Supplementary Note 10). This pattern and the result from ADMIXTURE could be

235 explained if the KEB population was a mixture between IAM-related and European

236 Neolithic groups. To formally test this hypothesis, we used an admixture-f3 test<sup>23</sup>, using

237 KEB as the test population, IAM as a reference population and one of the Anatolian and

238 European Neolithic and Chalcolithic populations as the second reference population. All

239 comparisons produced negative values of the f3-statistic, which suggests the KEB population

240 can be modelled as a mixture of IAM and Anatolian/European Neolithic.

TOR has more shared ancestry with Iberian Early Neolithic samples and other Neolithic and
Chalcolithic populations from Europe. Archaeological studies have suggested that there was
an Andalusian Early Neolithic culture with North African influences before the Cardial
expansion into the Western Mediterranean basin<sup>28</sup>. However, we observe that TOR samples

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have a similar genetic composition to that of Cardial individuals from Iberia, evidencing a

common origin, and ruling out an Andalusian Early Neolithic distinct from Cardial Culture.

#### 247 [Figure 3 here]

Finally, although limited by low coverage, phenotypic predictions based on genetic variants

of known effects agree with our estimates of global ancestry. IAM people do not possess any

250 of the European SNPs associated with light pigmentation, and most likely had dark skin and

251 eyes. IAM samples present ancestral alleles for pigmentation-associated variants present in

252 SLC24A5 (rs1426654), SLC45A2 (rs16891982) and OCA2 (rs1800401 and 12913832)

253 genes. On the other hand, KEB individuals exhibit some European- derived alleles that

254 predispose individuals to lighter skin and eye colour, including those on genes SLC24A5

255 (rs1426654) and OCA2 (rs1800401) (Supplementary Note 11).

## 256 CONCLUSION

257 Genetic analyses have revealed that the population history of modern North Africans is quite complex<sup>11</sup>. Based on our aDNA analysis, we identify an Early Neolithic Moroccan 258 259 component that is restricted to North Africa in present-day populations<sup>11</sup>, and that is the sole 260 ancestry in IAM samples. We hypothesize that this component represents the autochthonous 261 Maghrebi ancestry associated with Berber populations. This Maghrebi component is 262 different from those of any ancient samples studied so far and is distantly related to that of 263 Epipaleolithic people from the Levant. Our data suggests that the IAM population was 264 isolated in the Maghreb since the Upper Palaeolithic back migration, although it is 265 impossible to be certain without paleogenomic data from North African Palaeolithic samples. 266 An expansion in Early Neolithic times followed by strong genetic drift might also be 267 plausible.

Our hypothesis is in agreement with archaeological research pointing to the first stage of the
Neolithic expansion in Morocco as the result of a local population who adopted some

technological innovations, such as pottery production or farming, from neighbouring areas.

271 By 3.000 BCE, a continuity in the Neolithic spread brought Mediterranean-like ancestry to 272 the Maghreb, most likely from Iberia. Other archaeological remains, such as African 273 elephant ivory and ostrich eggs found in Iberian sites, confirm the existence of contacts and 274 exchange networks through both sides of the Gibraltar strait at this time. Our analyses 275 strongly support that at least some of the European ancestry observed today in North Africa 276 is related to prehistoric migrations, and local Berber populations were already admixed with 277 Europeans before the Roman conquest. Furthermore, additional European/Iberian ancestry 278 could have reached the Maghreb after KEB people; this scenario is supported by the 279 presence of Iberian-like Bell-Beaker pottery in more recent stratigraphic layers of IAM and 280 KEB caves. Future palaeogenomic efforts in North Africa will further disentangle the 281 complex history of migrations that forged the ancestry of the admixed populations we 282 observe today.

#### 283 MATERIAL AND METHODS

284 Measures to avoid and monitor contamination from modern DNA were applied, at all times,

285 during sample manipulation. Ancient DNA was extracted from teeth or bone, built into

double-stranded indexed libraries and sequenced on an Illumina NextSeq 500

287 (Supplementary Note 2). Due to the environmental conditions of the burial sites, we

288 expected to recover low proportions of endogenous DNA from these ancient remains. To

289 overcome limitations due to DNA degradation, we applied two different capture methods to

290 enrich for human reads (Supplementary Note 2): one targeting the whole genome<sup>29</sup> and one

291 targeting the variants of the MEGA array (Illumina Inc.).

Reads were trimmed and adapters removed using AdapterRemoval<sup>30</sup>, and then mapped to the human reference genome (hg19) using BWA<sup>31</sup>. Low quality (MAPQ<30) and duplicate reads were removed using SAMtools<sup>32</sup>. MapDamage<sup>33</sup> was used to visualize misincorporation and fragmentation patterns, and to rescale the quality of bases likely affected by post-mortem damage. Confidence intervals of sex determination were calculated following Skoglund et al.<sup>34</sup>. MtDNA haplogroups were determined using HaploGrep<sup>35</sup>. Y-chromosome haplogroup inference was carried out as in Schroeder et al.<sup>36</sup>. As the reference panel, we used both the

- Human Origins panel<sup>2</sup> and the HGDP dataset genotyped with MEGA-ex (Illumina Inc.). For
- 300 principal component analysis, we projected the aDNA samples on the PCA space built with
- 301 the modern dataset, using smartpca<sup>37</sup> and LASER<sup>38</sup>. Admixture estimations were done using
- 302 ADMIXTURE software<sup>21</sup>.  $F_{ST}$  distances were calculated using smartpca<sup>37</sup>. Identity-by-
- 303 descent proportions were estimated using PLINK<sup>39</sup>, and heterozygosity estimations using a
- 304 newly developed method for low-coverage genomes (Supplementary Note 8). f-statistics
- 305 estimates were calculated using admixtools software<sup>23</sup>. All plots were prepared using R
- 306 software<sup>40</sup>. Detailed information about methods is included in the Supplementary Notes.

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#### 432 FIGURES

- 433 Figure 1. Geographical location (A) and calibrated radiocarbon date (B) of the
- 434 samples included in this study, as well as other ancient DNA samples from the
- 435 literature.



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Figure 2. Ancestry inference in ancient samples from North Africa and the Iberian
Peninsula. (A) PCA analysis using the Human Origins panel, (B) ADMIXTURE
analysis using the HGDP-MEGA dataset (K=5), (C) ADMIXTURE analysis using
the Human Origins dataset for modern and ancient populations (K=8), and (D)
detailed ADMIXTURE analysis for European Neolithic samples (K=8).



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# 445 Figure 3. Outgroup f3-statistic for IAM (A), KEB (B) and TOR (C), and admixture



446 f3-statistic for KEB (D).

TOR.12 TOR.11

El Toro

174X 124X 234X 126X

K la2a J2b1a

3.88% (5.00% - 2.98%)

1.50% (2.30% - 0.93%)

XX XX XX XX X ХХ

Klal T2b3

3.95% (4.80% - 3.26%)

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212,370

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115,652

0.18X

318,110

101,698

0.67X

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80,687

17,306 46,364 24,719

0.15X

0.03X 0.06X 0.03X 0.17X

0.38X

7.06% (8.36% - 5.88%) 4.15% (5.89% - 2.94%)

TOR.7

El Toro

TOR.6

TOR.8

El Toro

5280 - 4780

El Toro

TOR.5 TOR.1

El Toro El Toro

> J2b1a T2c1d

4.47% (8.76% - 1.96%)

G-M201

1.42% (2.07% - 0.98%)

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53 X 18X

T2b3

170X

23 X 12X

X2b

3.03% (6.23% - 1.27%)

XX XΧ

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34,385

18,974

0.06X

0.05X

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KEB.8 KEB.7 KEB.6 KEB.4 KEB.3

Kelif el Boroud

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Kelif el Boroud

K1a4a1

3.77% (6.72% - 1.98%)

52,694

0.16X

0.14X 0.12X

77,964

0.64X

T2b3

1.44% (4.31% - 0.31%)

IAM.6 IAM.7 KEB.1

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Origin	Ifri n'Amr or Moussa	Ifri n'Amr or Moussa	Ifri n'Amr or Moussa	Ifri n'Amr or Moussa	Ifri n'Amr or Moussa	Kelif el Boroud	Kelif el Boroud	Kelif el Boroud	Kelif el Boroud
2 sigma calibrated radiocarbon date (BCE)	5325 - 5210	5215 - 5005	5199 - 5176 5066 - 4942	5290 - 5265 5230 - 5195 5180 - 5060	5000 - 4840			1700 1/50	0000 - 06/ 0
MtDNA coverage	5X	52X	82X	21X	129X	18X	20X	135X	14X
MtDNA haplogroup	M1b1	U6a1b	U6a1b	U6a7b2	U6a3	X2b	Klalbl	Klalbl	K1a4a1
Contamination estimation	6.42% (21.49% - 1.90%)	4.66% (6.64% - 3.26%)	3.68% (5.26% - 2.62%)	5.28% (8.48% - 3.02%)	2.35% (3.39% - 1.67%)	3.03% (6.31% - 1.23%)	3.16% (5.73% - 1.72%)	2.49% (3.27% - 1.89%)	3.77% (6.72% - 1.98%)
Molecular sex	хх	ΥХ	ХХ	XX	XY	хх		XX	XY
Y-chromosome haplogroup		E-L19*	E-L19*						T-M184
SNPs in MEGA dataset	26,798	62,729	408,744	90,226	177,041	96,946		304,607	95,152

208,661

17,093

0.12X 1.72X

0.02X

0.04X

0.01X

SNPs in Human Origins dataset 5,353

MEGA coverage

Genome-wide coverage

45,134

0.38X

0.06X

18,285

0.17X

0.02X 0.74X

39,312

0.16X

0.08X

Ifri n'Amr	IAM.5
Ifri n'Amr	IAM.4
Ifri n'Amr	IAM.3

Table 1 - Summary statistics for North African and Iberian samples

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Sample