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2 Panpulmonate transcriptomes reveal candidate genes involved in the adaptation to freshwater and
3 terrestrial habitats in gastropods

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57 **Abstract**

58 **Background**

59 The conquest of the land from aquatic habitats is a fascinating evolutionary event that happened
60 multiple times in different phyla. Mollusks are among the organisms that successfully invaded the
61 non-marine realm, resulting in the radiation of terrestrial panpulmonate gastropods. We compared
62 transcriptomes from panpulmonates to study the selective pressures that modeled the transitions
63 from marine into freshwater and terrestrial realms in this molluscan lineage.

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65 **Results**

66 *De novo* assembly of six panpulmonate transcriptomes resulted in 55,000 - 97,000 predicted open
67 reading frames, of which 9 - 14% were functionally annotated. Adding published transcriptomes, we
68 predicted 791 ortholog clusters shared among fifteen panpulmonate species, resulting in 702 amino
69 acid and 736 codon-wise alignments. The branch-site test of positive selection applied to the codon-
70 wise alignments showed twenty-eight genes under positive selection in the freshwater lineages and
71 seven in the terrestrial lineages. Gene ontology categories of these candidate genes include actin
72 assembly, transport of glucose, and the tyrosine metabolism in the terrestrial lineages; and, DNA
73 repair, metabolism of xenobiotics, mitochondrial electron transport, and ribosome biogenesis in the
74 freshwater lineages.

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76 **Conclusions**

77 We identified candidate genes representing processes that may have played a key role during the
78 water-to-land transition in Panpulmonata. These genes were involved in energy metabolism and
79 gas-exchange surface development in the terrestrial lineages and in the response to the abiotic
80 stress factors (UV radiation, osmotic pressure, xenobiotics) in the freshwater lineages. Our study
81 expands the knowledge of possible adaptive signatures in genes and metabolic pathways related to
82 the invasion of non-marine habitats in invertebrates.

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85 **Keywords**

86 Realm transition, Phylogenomics, Panpulmonata, Positive selection.

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88 **Background**

89 The invasion from marine to non-marine habitats is one of the most enthralling events in the
90 evolution of life on Earth. The transition from sea to freshwater and land environments occurred
91 multiple times in different branches of the tree of life. Mollusks, along arthropods and vertebrates,
92 are among the successful phyla that invaded the non-marine realm. Several branches from the
93 molluscan class Gastropoda (Neritimorpha, Cyclophoroidea, Littorinoidea, Rissosoidea, and
94 Panpulmonata) have colonized terrestrial habitats multiple times [1, 2]. Especially, several
95 independent land invasions in the Panpulmonata resulted in a significant adaptive radiation and
96 explosive diversification that likely originated up to a third of the extant molluscan diversity [3].
97 Therefore, panpulmonate lineages are a promising system to study evolution of adaptations to non-
98 marine habitats.

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100 The habitat transition must have triggered several novel adaptations in behavior, breathing,
101 excretion, locomotion, and osmotic and temperature regulation, to overcome problems that did not
102 exist in the oceans such as dehydration, lack of buoyancy force, extreme temperature fluctuations
103 and radiation damage [4-6]. Studies in vertebrates showed different genomic changes involved in
104 the adaptation to the new habitats. Mudskippers, amphibious teleost fishes adapted to live on
105 mudflats, possess unique immune genes to possibly counteract novel pathogens on land, and opsin
106 genes for aerial vision and for enhancement of color vision [7]. Tetrapods showed adaptation
107 signatures in the carbamoyl phosphate synthase I (CPS1) gene involved in the efficient production
108 of hepatic urea [8]. Primitive sarcopterygians like the coelacanth *Latimeria* already possess various
109 conserved non-coding elements (CNE) that enhance the development of limbs, and an expanded
110 repertoire of genes related to the pheromone receptor VR1 that may have facilitated the adaptation
111 to sense airborne chemicals during the water-to-land transition in tetrapods [9]. Also, vertebrate

112 keratin genes responsible for skin rigidity underwent a functional diversification after the water-to-
113 land transition, enhancing the protection against friction imposed by the new terrestrial lifestyle [10].

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115 Conversely, information about the molecular basis of adaptation from marine to non-marine habitats
116 in invertebrates is still scarce. Only one study reported adaptive signals in gene families (e. g.
117 ATPases, DNA repair, and ribosomal proteins) that may have played a key role during
118 terrestrialization in springtails and insects (Hexapoda) [11], clades that probably had a common
119 pancrustacean ancestor living in a shallow marine environment [12, 13]. Mutations in the ATPases
120 were suggested to provide the necessary energy to adapt to new high-energy demanding habitats
121 [14], DNA repair genes would have helped reducing the damage produced by increased ultraviolet
122 (UV) irradiation, and finally, as the ribosomal machinery is salt-sensitive, adaptive signs in the
123 ribosomal proteins could have been a result of the different osmotic pressures within aquatic and
124 terrestrial environments [15].

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126 In a previous paper, we explored the adaptive signals in the mitochondrial genomes of
127 panpulmonates [16]. We found that in the branches leading to lineages with terrestrial taxa
128 (Ellobioidea and Stylommatophora), the mitochondrial genes *cob* and *nad5*, both involved in the
129 oxidative phosphorylation pathway that finally produces ATP, appeared under positive selection.
130 Moreover, the amino acid positions under selection have been related to an increased energy
131 production probably linked to novel demands of locomotion [17, 18], and to changes in the
132 equilibrium constant physicochemical property involved in the regulation of ROS production and
133 thus, in the ability to tolerate new abiotic stress conditions [19].

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135 Here, we expanded our search for candidate genes related to the adaptation to non-marine
136 habitats, using transcriptome-wide data from several panpulmonate taxa, including marine,
137 intertidal, freshwater and terrestrial lineages. We used a phylogenomic approach to reconstruct the
138 evolutionary relationships of Panpulmonata and then tested for positive selection in the branches

139 leading to freshwater and land snails. This approach aims to provide new insights into the selective
140 pressures shaping the transition from marine to freshwater and land lifestyles.

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142 **Results**

143 We generated approximately 2,100,000 - 3,400,000 Illumina for our six samples (five ellobiids and
144 one stylommatophoran species, Table 1). The quality trimming eliminated 14 - 39% of short and low-
145 quality fragments in our samples. *De novo* meta assembly with MIRA produced approximately
146 55,000 - 98,000 transcripts in our samples and 54,000 - 130,000 in the other additional samples
147 (Table 1). For further analyses we used transcripts larger than 300 bp. This represented a reduction
148 of less than 1% in our samples but a higher reduction in the public data (3 - 35%). The number of
149 predicted open reading frames was very similar to the number of transcripts > 300 bp in almost all
150 cases, the only exception was *Radix balthica*, where only 57% of the transcripts obtained an ORF
151 prediction. We obtained 9,000 - 30,000 single blast hits for our data, representing 5,000 - 13,000
152 single annotated genes. The percentage of annotated genes from our open reading frame data was
153 9 - 14%.

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155 We predicted 791 orthologous clusters shared among all species, of which 702 ortholog clusters
156 remained after removing spurious and poorly amino acid aligned sequences in trimAL. From this
157 dataset, MARE selected 382 informative clusters to reconstruct the phylogeny of the panpulmonate
158 species (Additional File 1). The amount of missing data corresponds to 10.94% in the complete
159 matrix, and 6.26% in the reduced matrix (Additional Files 2 and 3, respectively).

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161 Most branches in the panpulmonate tree received high support (Figure 1). The clade containing
162 Stylommatophora and Systellommatophora was significantly supported (bootstrap: 94 / posterior
163 probability: 1.0) and appeared as a sister of the monophyletic Ellobioidea (99/1.0). The Acochlidia
164 clade was moderately supported (86/1.0). The association of the Acochlidia with the Ellobioidea,
165 Stylommatophora, Systellommatophora clade had no significant bootstrap support but a high

166 posterior probability (64/1.0). The Hygrophila clade was highly supported (100/1.0). The association
167 of Amphiboloidea and Pyramidelloidea was also highly supported (100/1.0).

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169 We detected selection signatures on genes (codon-wise alignments) across the freshwater and
170 terrestrial lineages in Panpulmonata. The likelihood-ratio test (LRT) comparing the branch-site
171 model A against the null model (neutral) showed seven orthologous clusters under positive
172 selection in the land lineages and twenty-eight clusters in the freshwater lineages (Additional File 4).
173 There was no overlapping within positively selected genes from freshwater and terrestrial lineages.
174 Table 2 shows examples of these candidate genes, their annotations, biological processes,
175 molecular functions, and pathways involved. The BlastX annotations revealed candidate genes
176 involved in the actin assembly, protein folding, transport of glucose, and vesicle transport in the
177 terrestrial lineages. In the freshwater lineages, we found candidate genes associated to DNA repair,
178 metabolism of xenobiotics, mitochondrial electron transport, protein folding, proteolysis, ribosome
179 biogenesis, RNA processing and transport of lipids (Additional Files 5 and 6). We found no
180 significant enriched GO (Gene ontology) terms neither in the freshwater nor terrestrial lineages.

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182 Candidate genes under positive selection in the terrestrial lineages were involved in the
183 carbohydrate digestion, endocytosis, focal adhesion, and the metabolism of lipids and tyrosine
184 pathways. In case of the freshwater lineages, the candidate genes were involved in several
185 metabolic pathways, for example, amino acid biosynthesis, focal adhesion, lysosome, oxidative
186 phosphorylation, and protein signaling (Table 2, Additional Files 5 and 6).

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188 **Discussion**

189 Panpulmonates transitioned from marine to freshwater and terrestrial environments in several
190 lineages and multiple times [20, 2, 21], Thus, they are a very suitable model to study the invasion of
191 non-marine realms. However, the phylogenetic relationships within this clade are yet to be resolved
192 [20]. Our tree topology using 382 orthologous clusters resembles the one obtained from Jörger et al.
193 [21], based on mitochondrial and nuclear markers. In addition, we found support for the Geophila:

194 Stylommatophora (terrestrial) and Systellommatophora (intertidal/terrestrial) as sister groups. This
195 clade has been proposed before based on the position of the eyes at the tip of cephalic tentacles
196 [22]. Still, previous phylogenies using mitochondrial and nuclear markers failed to support this clade
197 [23, 16, 24, 21]. We also found support for Eupulmonata (*sensu* Morton [25, 23]), a clade
198 comprising Stylommatophora and Systellommatophora plus Ellobioidea (intertidal/terrestrial) [20],
199 this clade was supported using a combination of mitochondrial and nuclear markers [21].

200 Generation of high-quality transcriptomic data for other panpulmonate clades (marine Sacoglossa
201 and Siphonarioidea, freshwater Glacidorboidea), and additional data for terrestrial Stylommatophora
202 and Systellommatophora, will definitively illuminate the evolutionary relationships in Panpulmonata.

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204 Our study is the first genome-wide report on the molecular basis of adaptation to non-marine
205 habitats in panpulmonate gastropods. In case of the terrestrial lineages, we found evidence that the
206 different positively selected genes are involved in a general pattern of adaptation to increased
207 energy demands. The adaptive signs found in a gene related to actin assembly (OG0001172, Table
208 2) can be related to the necessity to move (forage, hunt preys or escape from predators) in the
209 terrestrial realms. Moreover, the displacement in an environment lacking the buoyancy force to float
210 or swim requires more energy, which can be obtained by increasing the glucose uptake
211 (OG0000137) to produce energy in form of ATP. The adaptive signatures we found previously in
212 two mitochondrial genes, *cob* and *nad5*, involved in energy production in the mitochondrion, also
213 suggested a response to new metabolic requirements in the terrestrial realm, such as the increase
214 of energy demands (to move and sustain the body mass).

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216 One gene found under positive selection in the terrestrial genus *Pythia*, was involved in the
217 metabolism of tyrosine (OG0000060). Tyrosine is the principal component of the thyroid hormones
218 (TH). Despite invertebrates lack the thyroid gland responsible of the production of TH's; the
219 synthesis of TH's has been demonstrated in mollusks and echinoderms. In these organisms, iodine
220 is ligated to the tyrosine in the peroxisomes, producing thyroid hormones [26]. Notably, it has been
221 suggested that iodinated tyrosine may have been essential in vertebrates during the transition to

222 terrestrial habitats for TH's are required in the expression of transcription factors involved in the
223 embryonic development and differentiation of the lungs [27]. Land snails adapted to breath air by
224 losing their gills and transforming the inner surface of their mantle into a lung [5]. Therefore, we
225 propose that the tyrosine pathway was also a key component in invertebrates probably promoting
226 the development of novel gas exchange tissues in land snails.

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228 In case of the freshwater lineages, one of the positively selected genes was similar to the subunit 4
229 of the cytochrome c oxidase (*cob*) respiratory complex (OG0004174, Table 2). As mentioned above,
230 *cob* is part of the energy production pathway in the cell. This enzyme complex contains many
231 subunits encoded both in the mitochondrial and nuclear genome. The subunit 4 belongs to the
232 nuclear genome and has an essential role in the assembly and function of the *cob* complex [28]. In
233 agreement with our previous results that found the mitochondrial *cob* subunit under positive
234 selection [16], we suggest that this gene was also involved in enhancing the metabolic performance
235 of the enzyme and aided to cope with the new energy demands the realm transition.

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237 A gene similar to cytochrome P450 was also found under positive selection (OG000120).

238 Cytochrome P450s are proteins involved in the metabolism of xenobiotics. They were also under
239 positive selection in the terrestrial Hexapoda lineages in comparison to other water-dwelling
240 arthropods [11]. This result suggests that adaptations in these genes probably improve the
241 response to new organic pollutants and toxins absent in the marine realm.

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243 Another gene that showed adaptive signatures was the 40S ribosomal protein S3a (OG0002708).
244 Likewise, ribosomal genes were also identified in a previous study on land-to-water transitions in
245 hexapods [11] and plants [15]. In the latter study, it was suggested that the difference in the osmotic
246 pressure from aquatic and terrestrial realms could affect the salt-sensitive ribosomal machinery,
247 triggering adaptations to tolerate new salt conditions. This could also be the case for the freshwater
248 animals (hypertonic) in comparison to the marine ones (hypotonic).

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250 Finally, we found adaptive signatures in a DNA methyltransferase gene (OG0004116). This enzyme
251 is part of the DNA repair system in the cell. Specifically, it removes methyl groups from O6-
252 methylguanine produced by carcinogenic agents and it has been showed that its expression is
253 regulated by the presence of ultraviolet B (UVB) radiation [29]. Positive selection on DNA repair
254 genes has been found in hexapods [11], and in vertebrates living in high altitude environments
255 (Tibetan antelopes) [14] or in mudflats (mudskippers) [7], suggesting an important role in the
256 maintenance of the genomic integrity in response to the rise of temperature gradients or UV
257 radiation in the terrestrial realms. In case of the aquatic environments, an extensive review has
258 found an overall negative UVB effect on marine and freshwater animals [30]. However, the authors
259 did not find a significant difference of the survival among taxonomic groups or levels of exposure in
260 marine and freshwater realms, and suggested that the negative effects are highly variable among
261 organisms and depends on several factors including cloudiness, ozone concentration, seasonality,
262 topography, and behavior. Interestingly, it has been reported that survival in the freshwater snail
263 *Physella acuta* (Hygrophila) depends of the combination of a photoenzymatic repair system plus
264 photoprotection provided by the shell thickness and active selection of locations below the water
265 surface avoiding the sunlight [31]

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267 **Conclusions**

268 We found that the positively selected genes in the terrestrial lineages were related to motility and to
269 the development of novel gas-exchange tissues; while most of the genes in freshwater lineages
270 were related to the response to abiotic stress such osmotic pressure, UV radiation and xenobiotics.
271 These adaptations at the genomic level combined with novel responses in development and
272 behavior probably facilitated the success during the transitions to the non-marine realm. Our results
273 are very promising to understand the genomic basis of the adaptation during the sea-to-land
274 transitions, and also highlight the necessity of more genome-wide studies especially in
275 invertebrates, comparing marine, freshwater and terrestrial taxa, to unravel the evolution of the
276 molecular pathways involved in the invasion of new realms.

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278 **Methods**

279 **Dataset collection**

280 The dataset from Zapata et al. [32] was used as a starting point for our study. We added to this
281 dataset the transcriptome from *Radix balthica* [33] and retrieved additional freshwater specimens
282 from the NCBI Sequence Read Archive (SRA) (<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/sra>). We complemented
283 the dataset with five intertidal and terrestrial specimens from Ellobioidea (*Carychium* sp., *Cassidula*
284 *plecotremata*, *Melampus flavus*, *Pythia pachyodon*, *Trimusculus* sp.) and one terrestrial
285 Stylommatophora (*Arion vulgaris*), collected in Japan (2013) and Germany (2014), respectively
286 (Additional File 7). RNA was isolated following the RNeasy kit (QIAGEN) following the
287 manufacturer's protocol. cDNA production and sequencing on the Illumina NextSeq500 platform
288 (150 bp paired- end reads) was performed by StarSEQ GmbH (Mainz, Germany), according to their
289 Illumina standard protocol. The final dataset comprised fifteen transcriptomes of panpulmonate
290 species occurring in marine, intertidal, freshwater and terrestrial habitats (Table 1).

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292 **Read processing and quality checking**

293 FastQC [34] was used for initial assessment of reads quality. Then, Trimmomatic v0.33 [35] was
294 used to remove and trim Illumina adaptor sequences and other reads with an average quality below
295 15 within a 4-base wide sliding window. In addition, we repeated the trimming analysis specifying a
296 minimum length of 25 nt for further assembly comparisons. The same procedure was applied to all
297 samples, except for *Radix* (454 reads). In this latter case, we got the transcriptome assembly
298 directly from the author [33].

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300 **Transcriptome assembly**

301 *De novo* assembly was performed for all samples, except *Radix* (see last section), using Trinity
302 v2.0.6 [36] with a minimum contig length of 100 amino acids, and Bridger v2014-12-01 [37] with
303 default options. Bridger required the trimmed set with the minimum length of 25 nt. We combined
304 the results from Trinity and Bridger in a meta-assembly using MIRA [38] with default settings. Only
305 sequences with longer than 100 aa were retained for further analyses. This step was done to

306 improve the accuracy in ortholog determination and facilitate phylogenomic analyses [39].
307 Furthermore, we used the ORFpredictor server [40] to predict open reading frames (ORF) within the
308 transcripts.

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310 **Construction of ortholog clusters**

311 Ortholog clusters shared among protein sequences of the fifteen panpulmonate species were
312 predicted using OrthoFinder [41] with default parameters. In case clusters contained more than one
313 sequence per species, only a single sequence per species with the highest average similarity was
314 selected using a homemade script. The predicted amino acid sequences from each ortholog cluster
315 were aligned using MAFFT [42] with standard parameters. Nucleotide sequences in each
316 orthogroup were aligned codon-wise using TranslatorX [43] taking into account the information from
317 the amino acid alignments. Ambiguous aligned regions from the amino acid or codon alignments
318 were removed using Gblocks [44] with standard settings. We used TrimAL [45] to remove poorly
319 aligned or incomplete sequences in each ortholog cluster, using a minimum residue overlap score
320 of 0.75.

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322 **Phylogenomic analyses**

323 Phylogenetic relationships among the Panpulmonata were reconstructed based on a subset of 382
324 ortholog clusters. The subset selection was done using MARE [46], a tool designed to find
325 informative subsets of genes and taxa within a large phylogenetic dataset of amino acid sequences.
326 The concatenated amino acid alignment length resulted in 88622 positions. Data were partitioned
327 by gene using the partition scheme suggested in PartitionFinder [47] using the *-rcluster* option
328 (relaxed hierarchical clustering algorithm), suitable for phylogenomic data [48]. We reconstructed an
329 unrooted tree to be used as an input for the selection analyses. Maximum likelihood analyses were
330 conducted in RAxML-HPC2 (8.0.9) [49]. We followed the “hard and slow way” suggestions indicated
331 in the manual and selected the best-likelihood tree after 1000 independent runs. Then, branch
332 support was evaluated using bootstrapping with 100 replicates, and confidence values were drawn
333 in the best-scoring tree. Bayesian inference was conducted in MrBayes v3.2.2 [50]. Four

334 simultaneous Monte Carlo Markov Chains (MCMC) were run, with the following parameters: eight
335 chains of 20 million generations each, sampling every 20000 generations and a burn-in of 25%.
336 Tracer 1.6 [51] was used to evaluate effective sample sizes ($ESS > 200$). We assume that a
337 bootstrap value of $>70\%$ and a posterior probability of > 0.95 are evidence of significant nodal
338 support.

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340 **Selection analyses**

341 The test of positive selection was performed for 736 ortholog clusters (codon-wise alignments) in
342 CODEML implemented in the software PAML v4.8 [52]. PAML estimated the omega ratio ($\omega = dN:$
343 non-synonymous sites / dS : synonymous sites); $\omega = 1$ indicates neutral evolution, $\omega < 1$ purifying
344 selection, and $\omega > 1$ indicates positive selection [53]. To detect positive selection affecting sites
345 along the terrestrial or freshwater branches (foreground) in comparison to the intertidal or marine
346 lineages (background), the branch-site model A [54] in CODEML was applied (model = 2, NSsites =
347 2) for each orthologous cluster. The unrooted tree obtained using maximum likelihood was set as
348 the guide tree. In order to avoid problems in convergence in the log-likelihood calculations, we ran
349 three replicates of model A with different initial omega values ($\omega = 0.5$, $\omega = 1.0$, $\omega = 5.0$). We also
350 calculated the likelihood of the null model (model = 2, NSsites = 2, fixed $\omega = 1.0$). Both models were
351 compared in a likelihood ratio test ($LRT = 2 * (\ln L \text{ model A} - \ln L \text{ null model})$). The Bayes Empirical
352 Bayes (BEB) algorithm implemented in CODEML was used to calculate posterior probabilities of
353 positive selected sites. We corrected p-values with a false discovery rate (FDR) cut-off value of 0.05
354 using the Benjamini and Hochberg method [55] implemented in R. The statistical significance of the
355 overlap between positively selected genes from freshwater and terrestrial lineages was calculated
356 using the R function *phyper*.

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358 **Functional annotation**

359 The transcripts were annotated using BlastX [56]. We blasted the nucleotide sequences against the
360 invertebrate protein sequence RefSeq database (release 73, November 2015), with an e-value cut-
361 off of 10^{-6} . We selected top hits with the best alignment and the lowest e-value. Gene ontology (GO)

362 terms for each BLASTx search were obtained in the Blast2GO suite [57]. Functional annotation
363 information was obtained from InterPro database [58] using the InterProScan [59]. GO terms were
364 then assigned to each orthologous group that was found under positive selection. In addition, we
365 added to this clusters the metabolic pathway information retrieved from the KAAS server [60]. This
366 server assigns orthology identifiers from the KEGG database (Kyoto Encyclopedia of Genes and
367 Genomes). Functional enrichment analysis using the Fisher exact test was also performed in
368 Blast2GO comparing the genes under positive selection against all ortholog clusters.

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370 **Declarations**

371 **Ethics approval and consent to participate**

372 Not applicable.

373 **Consent to publish**

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375 **Availability of data and materials**

376 Raw sequence data is deposited in the Sequence Read Archive as BioProject (PRJNA339817), in
377 the NCBI database. All other data sets (including trees, alignments, orthologous clusters, and
378 scripts) supporting the results are available in the FigShare database: <https://dx.doi.org/>.

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540 **Tables titles and legends**

541 Table 1. Descriptive statistics of the assembled transcriptomes. *De novo* assemblies of new panpulmonate transcriptomes are highlighted in
 542 bold.

Clade	Species	Habitat	Accession Number (SRA database)	Number of raw reads	Trimmed reads		MIRA meta-assembly			BlastX		
					For Trinity	For Bridger	All transcripts	Transcripts > 300 (bp)	N50 (bp)	Predicted ORF's	Single hits	Single gene
Acochlidia	<i>Microhedyle glandulifera</i>	Marine	SRR1505118	6194970	6103287	6028350	129453	84468	742	83983	28750	12772
Acochlidia	<i>Strubellia wawrai</i>	Freshwater	SRR1505137	24132673	24049385	23436737	82681	79947	1582	79735	27911	13735
Amphiboioidea	<i>Phallomedusa solida</i>	Intertidal	SRR1505127	25685273	25496722	24822510	68633	65500	1424	64978	24560	12722
Ellobioidea	<i>Carychium sp.</i>	Terrestrial	XXXXXXXXXX	33608344	23461211	23461211	87994	87719	2035	87242	23586	11672
Ellobioidea	<i>Cassidula plecotremata</i>	Intertidal	XXXXXXXXXX	26316221	18928297	17989294	62318	62031	1533	61569	9583	5717
Ellobioidea	<i>Melampus flavus</i>	Intertidal	SRR4103303	21068142	16919851	16052613	97629	97334	1640	96816	22187	10778
Ellobioidea	<i>Ophicardelus sulcatus</i>	Intertidal	SRR1505124	16026272	15737826	15425623	74467	71073	1499	70573	20851	10937
Ellobioidea	<i>Pythia pachyodon</i>	Terrestrial	XXXXXXXXXX	24016251	20555474	19399330	92548	92264	2035	91759	24077	11776
Ellobioidea	<i>Trimusculus sp.</i>	Intertidal	SRR4102394	25613160	16343735	15696090	55728	55391	1240	55213	9310	5547
Hygrophila	<i>Planorbarius corneus</i>	Freshwater	SRR1185333	28040804	27417761	26569686	86067	82815	2587	78934	39051	16959
Hygrophila	<i>Biomphalaria glabrata</i>	Freshwater	SRR942795	172317158	170810180	164139487	70439	67493	2070	66689	33757	17015
Hygrophila	<i>Radix balthica</i>	Freshwater	SRR097739	16923850	NA	NA	54450	54450	679	30883	14614	8140
Pyramidelloidea	<i>Turbonilla sp.</i>	Marine	SRR1505139	26619896	26219791	25806515	132978	127301	1023	126409	34180	14316
Stylommatophora	<i>Arion vulgaris</i>	Terrestrial	XXXXXXXXXX	24874185	19179005	17977774	92316	91984	1454	91417	29208	13134
Systellommatophora	<i>Onchidella floridana</i>	Intertidal	SRR1505123	14872953	14797399	14528352	79502	74540	1057	74146	28257	13679

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544 Table 2. Examples of ortholog clusters under positive selection in the terrestrial and freshwater
 545 lineages. The complete information can be found in the Additional Files 4 and 5.
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Orthologous cluster	BlastX annotation	Molecular function	Biological process	KEGG pathway
Terrestrial				
OG0000060	tyramine beta-hydroxylase-like	Copper ion binding, oxidoreductase activity	Oxidation-reduction process	Tyrosine metabolism
OG0000137	sodium glucose cotransporter 4-like	Transmembrane transport	Transporter activity	Carbohydrate digestion and absorption
OG0001172	alpha-sarcomeric-like isoform X2	Actin filament binding, calcium ion binding	Actin crosslink formation, actin filament bundle assembly	Focal adhesion
Freshwater				
OG0000120	cytochrome P450 3A7-like	Monoxygenase activity, iron ion binding	Xenobiotic metabolic process	Aminobenzoate degradation, steroid hormone biosynthesis
OG0004116	methylated-DNA--cysteine methyltransferase-like isoform X2	methylated-DNA-[protein]-cysteine S methyltransferase activity	DNA repair	-
OG0004174	cytochrome c oxidase subunit 4 isoform mitochondrial-like	Cytochrome c oxidase activity	Proton transport, mitochondrial electron transport, cytochrome c to oxygen	Oxidative phosphorylation
OG0002708	40S ribosomal protein S3a	-	RNA binding, protein binding	rRNA processing, translation

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