Table S7. Levels and patterns of nucleotide variation at synonymous sites for highly (top 5%) and lowly (bottom 5%) expressed genes. Significant comparisons are highlighted in red.

Subspecies	Expression category	FPKM <sup>a</sup>	π(%) <sup>b</sup>	$D_t^{\ c}$
O. c. algirus	Highly	552.4	0.912	-0.447
	Lowly	8.0	0.863	-0.318
O. c.cuniculus	Highly	582.7	0.626	-0.445
	Lowly	7.8	0.870	-0.217

Unweighted average values among genes. Genes with less than 50 bp of synonymous sites were excluded.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>Median fragments per kilobase of gene model and million reads values among all O. c. algirus and O. c. cuniculus individuals and averaged across genes for each expression category. <sup>b</sup>Average number of pairwise differences in a sample [68].

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup>Tajima's *D* [69].