In the jaws of a titan: 3D comparative anatomy of the Canary giant lizards (Gallotinae: Gallotia)

mandibles

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Supplementary information

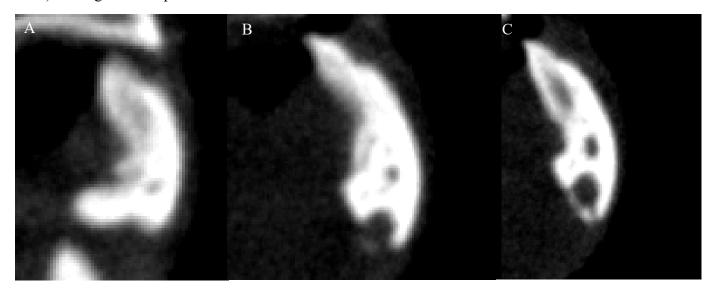
microComputed Tomography data

In order to evaluate different characters, each mandibular bone was digitally segmented. Below there are presented several slices at different positions of *Gallotia* mandibles in order to show differences among extant and extinct species, but also in the case of the subadult specimen of *G. bravoana*. Slices are shown in anteroposterior direction in X-Y axis.

Gallotia bravoana (subadult):

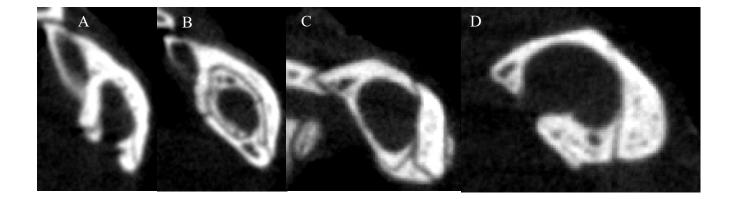
Anterior part of the skull (from left to right):

- a) At third tooth position.
- b) Just before splenial start.
- c) At eighth tooth position.



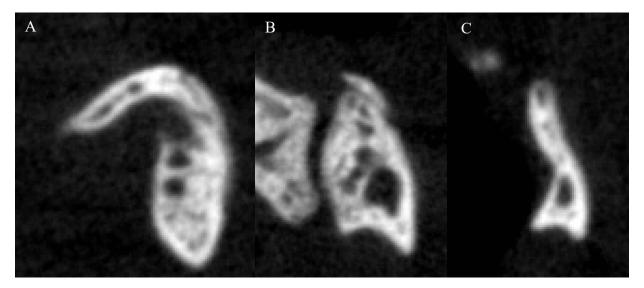
Medial part of the skull (from left to right):

- a) Just before surangular start.
- b) Last tooth position.
- c) Central point of the dorsal process of the coronoid.
- d) Just finished the coronoid.



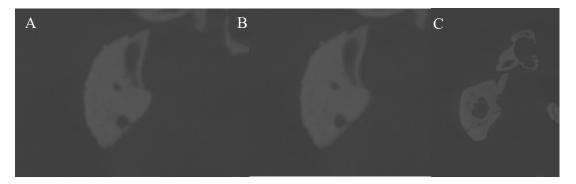
Posterior part of the skull (from left to right):

- a) Posterior border of the angular in lateral view.
- b) Central part of the glenoid fossa.
- c) Tympanic ridge.

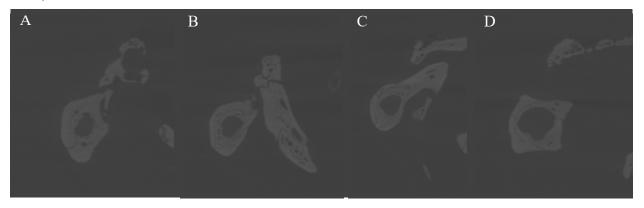


Gallotia bravoana (adult):

- a) At fourth tooth position.
- b) Just before splenial start.
- c) At fourteenth tooth position.

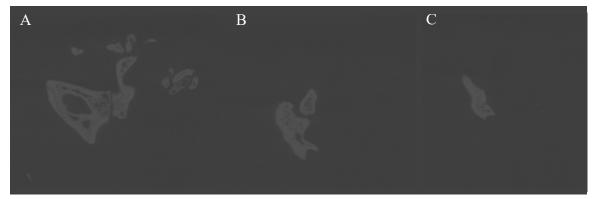


- a) Just before surangular start.
- b) Last tooth position.
- c) Central point of the dorsal process of the coronoid.
- d) Just finished the coronoid.



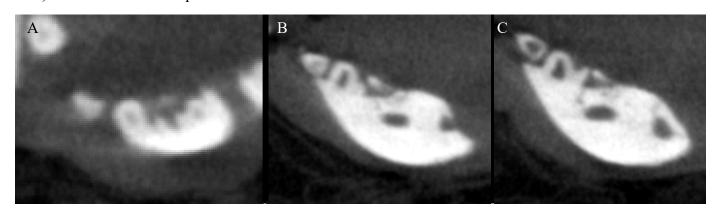
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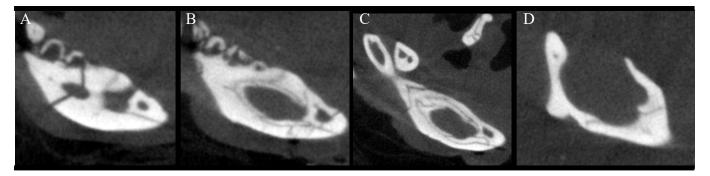


Gallotia intermedia:

- a) At third tooth position.
- b) Just before splenial start.
- c) At fourteenth tooth position.

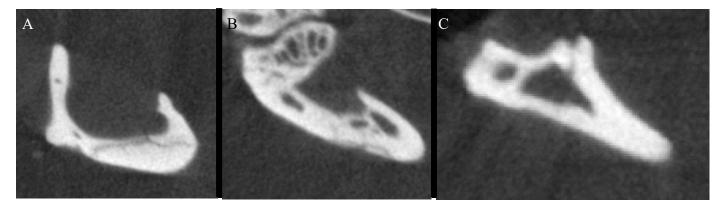


- a) Just before surangular start (note that a fracture in the dentary can be observed).
- b) Last tooth position.
- c) Central point of the dorsal process of the coronoid.
- d) Just finished the coronoid.



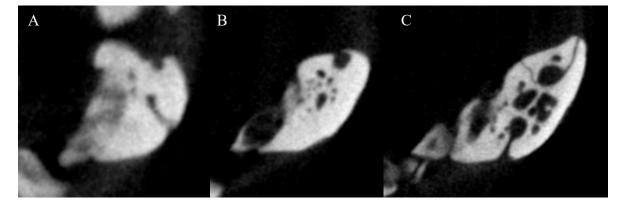
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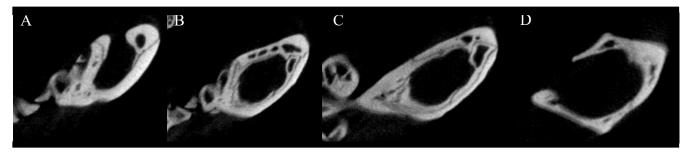


Gallotia simonyi:

- a) At fourth tooth position.
- b) Just before splenial start.
- c) At fourteenth tooth position.

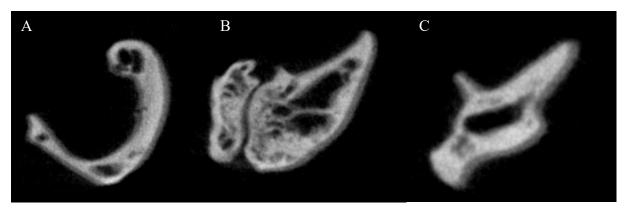


- a) Central part of the anterior inferior alveolar foramina.
- b) Last tooth position.
- c) Central point of the dorsal process of the coronoid.
- d) Just finished the coronoid.



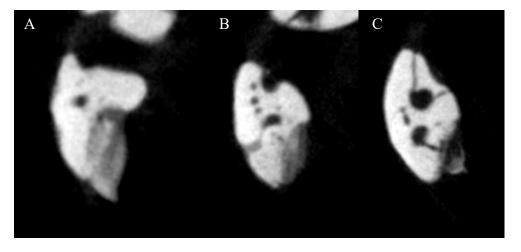
Posterior part of the skull (from left to right):

- a) Contact area of the surangular and angular within the mandibular fossa.
- b) Central part of the glenoid fossa.
- c) Tympanic ridge.

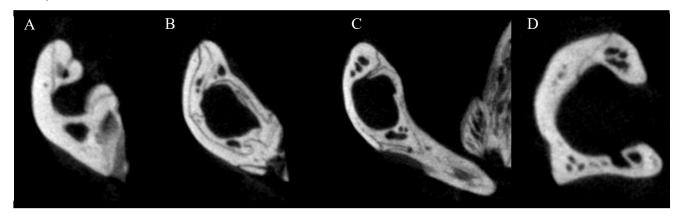


Gallotia stehlini:

- a) At fourth tooth position.
- b) Just before splenial start.
- c) At fourteenth tooth position.

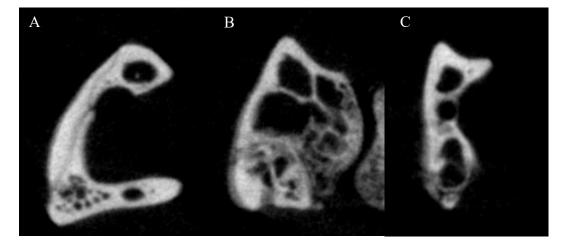


- a) Central part of the anterior inferior alveolar foramina.
- b) Last tooth position.
- c) Central point of the dorsal process of the coronoid.
- d) Just finished the coronoid.



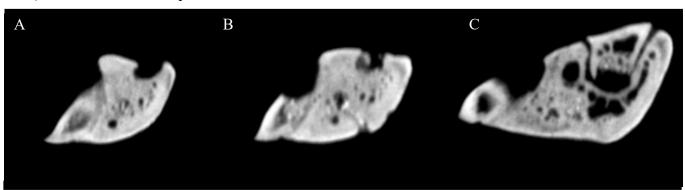
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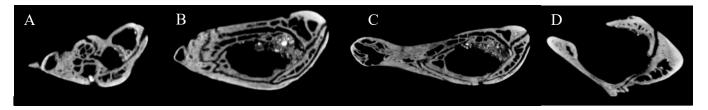


Gallotia goliath:

- a) At fourth tooth position.
- b) Just before splenial start.
- c) At fourteenth tooth position.



- a) Central part of the anterior inferior alveolar foramina.
- b) Last tooth position.
- c) Central point of the dorsal process of the coronoid.
- d) Just finished the coronoid.



- a) Contact area of the surangular and angular within the mandibular fossa.
- b) Central part of the glenoid fossa.
- c) Tympanic ridge.

