Table 5. List of the primers used in this study for amplification and sequencing of sturgeon cytochrome b.

Name	Sequence	Usage	Ref
L14769	5'-TGTAAAACGACGGCCAGTGACCAACATCCGAAAAACAC-3'	P,C	this study
H15149	5'-CTCAGAATGATATTTGTCCTCA-3'	P	Kocher *et al.* 1989
L14851-13	5'-TGTAAAACGACGGCCAGTGTGTGATGAAATTTTGGCTC-3'	P,C	this study
H15125	5'-AGTACATATCCTACGAAGGC-3'	P	this study
L15021-13	5'-TGTAAAACGACGGCCAGTTTCATGCAAACGGGGCCTC-3'	P,C	this study
H14996	5'-GAAAGAGGCCCCGTTTGC-3'	P	this study

Names identify the DNA strand (H/L) and the position of the 3' end of the primer according to the numbering system for the human mtDNA sequence (Anderson *et al.* 1981). Primers were used in primary amplifications (P) and in cycle sequencing amplifications (C). Underlined sequences are complementary to the -21M13 sequencing primer.

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