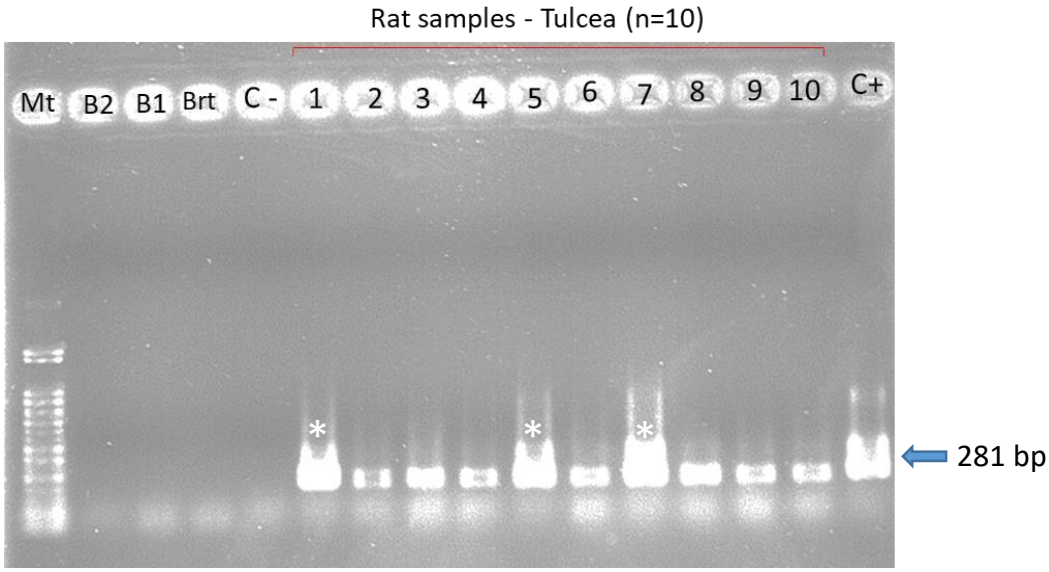


Supplementary Figure S1. Analysis of the results obtained by broad-spectrum RT-PCR for 10 samples collected from rats in Tulcea County (Mt, DNA size markers (DNA Molecular Weight Marker XIV- Roche); B2, B1, Brt, negative controls - free water, used in each PCR reaction round (RT, first PCR and nested PCR); C+, positive control. Expected product size is 281 bp. *Positive samples used for sequencing.