

A note on the presence of blood groups A and B in pre-Columbian South America

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The results of ABO typing in Chilean mummies, a review of published South American paleoserological studies and a systematic discrepancy of admixture estimates based on ABO and Gm genes support the hypothesis that Andean pre-Columbian populations possessed the A (and perhaps the B) gene in small frequencies. Copyright © 1988 Wiley-Liss, Inc., A Wiley Company