

Conclusion:

Based on your experience and knowledge so far, is it beneficial to animals to be domesticated? Explain?

It can be depending on what the animal is used for. Some animals went from roaming the plains to pulling plows and could be treated poorly. Others like dogs have come from scavenging for food to having a steady home and food supply.

What is the difference between taming wild animals and domesticating them?

Taming is different because the animal is still wild and is just trained to behave and interact with humans. Domestication is when animals are brought under human control for certain uses or products.

In your opinion, why can one animal be domesticated while another animal in a closely related species, i.e. dogs and wolves, cannot?

Dogs are a branching species from wolves and the "dogs" were domesticated and the wolves weren't trained. Wolves also are more carnivorous where dogs are omnivores.