

**Table S1. Genes and primers used for RT-PCR analyses**

Gene	Accession number	Primer	Sequences (5' to 3')	Size (bp)
<i>orf088</i>	AAS18103.1	ORF088F	ATGGGCGCAGCGCAATC	520
		ORF088R	CGATGTCGCTGAGCTG	
<i>oct4</i>	AY639946	oct4F	GTAGGTCACCTGACAGGATG	660
		oct4R	CTGATTGCACTCTGACAGC	
<i>nanog</i>	FJ436046	nanogF	ATGGTTGAGTCCCAATC	321
		nanogR	ATATCGCTCTGAAACCCAG	
<i>brachyury</i> ( <i>ntl</i> , no tail)	ENSORLG000000 11262	ntlF	CTGCCTACCAGAACGAAGAGA	985
		ntlR	TTCGATCAGTAGAAGGCACGT	
<i>β-actin</i>	S74868	ActinF	TTCAACAGCCCTGCCATGTA	650
		ActinR	CCTCCAATCCAGACAGTAT	