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Electronic Appendix A

15 out of 17 published examples for gene conversion come from multi copy regions (Afzal *et al.* 2000; Benevolenskaya *et al.* 1997; Charles *et al.* 1997; Chen & Ferec 2000; Cheung *et al.* 1999; DeBry 1998; Gloor & Lankenau 1998; Hughes & Petersen 2001; King 1998; Lazzaro & Clark 2001; Luque *et al.* 1997; Popadic & Anderson 1995; Rourke & East 1997; Wang *et al.* 1999; Zhang *et al.* 2001) versus (Richter *et al.* 1997; Rozas *et al.* 1999).

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