

Table S3 *sao-1(ik1)* does not improve the uterine π cell defect caused by *sel-12(ar171)*

| Genotype | Uterine π cells/side (n) |
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| <i>sao-1(+); sel-12(+)</i> | 6.05 (38) |
| <i>sel-12(ar171)^a</i> | 0.11 (56) |
| <i>sao-1(ik1); sel-12(ar171)^a</i> | 0.09 (56) |

The average number of uterine π cells per side was determined for mid L4 stage hermaphrodites (Christmas-tree stage) of the indicated genotypes. All strains contained the integrated π -cell specific marker *cog-2::gfp* (HANNA-ROSE and HAN 1999). n, number of animals scored; only one side was counted per animal. ^a *sel-12(ar171)* animals were also homozygous for the marker *unc-1(e538)*.