

Table S1 Sequence of primers used in this work

<i>smn2 gene</i>	Primer sequences 5'-3'		
	Forward	Reverse	Ta (°C)
exon2a	TCTCCAACTCCTTGTGTTGTG	TATTCCAACACAGGGGCCAC	58
exon3	TGCCAACGAATGAATGTTG	CCTTAGCACCTAGGCAGTGG	50
exon6	TTCACATTCAAGAAGTCGATAGAA	GAATTGATAGATGCAGATCAACC	50
<i>Constructions of mutants</i>	Primer sequences 5'-3'		
	Forward	Reverse	Ta (°C)
20del_exon2a	GATACAGCTCTCATTCTTCTTTAAGGTAAGAAT	TACCTTAAAAGAAGAAATGAGAGCTGTATCGTCCC	58
20del_exon3	TGGCTGACCTGCGCTGAAAGTGACCAGAGGGAGCA	CCTCTGGTCACTTTCAGCGCAGGTCAAGCCAACTT	50
20del_exon6	TCCTCCAATGAGCCCAGGCATTGGCAGTATGCTG	TACTGCCAATGCCTGGCTCATGGAGGAGGTGG	50