

## Supplementary materials for

Evaluation of electrical impedance as a biomarker of myostatin inhibition in wild type and muscular dystrophy mice

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**Supplementary Table 1.** Estimated parameters  $\hat{x}$  and their standard errors  $\hat{\sigma}_{\hat{x}}$  in wild-type (wt) and muscular dystrophy (mdx) mice. Parameters:  $\mu$  and  $s$ , mean myofiber area and standard deviation;  $\omega_c$ , Cole central frequency;  $R_0/R_\infty$  Cole resistance ratio;  $\mathcal{F}$ , maximum isometric force;  $m$ , muscle mass;  $L_o$ , optimal length.

	Animal	$\hat{\mu} \pm \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{\mu}}^\dagger$ ( $\mu\text{m}^2$ )	$\hat{s} \pm \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{s}}^\dagger$ ( $\mu\text{m}^2$ )	$\hat{\omega}_c \pm \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{\omega}_c}$ (kHz)	$\hat{R}_0/\hat{R}_\infty \pm \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{R}_0/\hat{R}_\infty}^\S$ -	$\hat{\mathcal{F}}_{\max} \pm \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{\mathcal{F}}_{\max}}$ (N)	$m^*$ (g)	$L_o^*$ (mm)
WT <sub>untreated</sub>	1	2614±85	848±60	61.4±1.4	5.5±0.09	3.7±0.1	0.21	17.1
	2	2175±45	454±32	61.7±0.7	4.6±0.04	4.7±0.2	0.17	18.1
	3	1871±66	656±47	64.2±1.9	4.7±0.08	5.4±0.3	0.19	16.2
	4	2659±52	523±37	69.9±0.7	3.6±0.02	2.6±0.1	0.23	18.4
	5	2454±82	816±58	77.1±1.3	4.8±0.08	2.9±0.1	0.19	15.8
	6	2548±60	599±43	51.7±0.2	4.0±0.03	3.9±0.1	0.21	17.0
WT <sub>RAP-031</sub>	1	2601±98	984±70	32.6±2.0	6.1±0.14	3.5±0.1	0.27	16.5
	2	2713±87	869±62	37.2±0.5	6.2±0.06	4.7±0.1	0.23	16.4
	3	3364±89	893±64	50.4±1.1	5.3±0.07	5.1±0.3	0.26	18.8
	4	2155±96	957±68	52.9±0.7	5.3±0.05	5.2±0.2	0.28	17.6
	5	2949±69	694±49	38.0±1.1	6.1±0.11	4.9±0.1	0.28	18.6
	6	2500±57	571±41	63.3±0.6	6.5±0.15	5.2±0.2	0.25	18.3
	7	*	*	65.1±1.2	3.4±0.06	5.6±0.6	0.30	18.5
	8	1898±53	533±38	51.2±2.0	5.1±0.12	4.6±0.1	0.26	16.8
	Animal	$\hat{\mu} \pm \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{\mu}}^\dagger$ ( $\mu\text{m}^2$ )	$\hat{\lambda} \pm \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{\lambda}}^\ddagger$ ( $\mu\text{m}^2$ )	$\hat{\omega}_c \pm \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{\omega}_c}$ (kHz)	$\hat{R}_0/\hat{R}_\infty \pm \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{R}_0/\hat{R}_\infty}^\S$ -	$\hat{\mathcal{F}}_{\max} \pm \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{\mathcal{F}}_{\max}}$ (N)	$m^*$ (g)	$L_o^*$ (mm)
MDX <sub>untreated</sub>	1	1317±119	1602±227	52.6±0.4	4.8±0.006	2.7±0.4	0.25	16.4
	2	1760±100	5420±766	32.8±0.3	4.4±0.003	3.7±0.2	0.22	15.3
	3	1618±180	1297±183	45.6±0.3	4.6±0.003	3.4±0.2	0.25	15.5
	4	2982±195	6967±985	51.3±2.2	4.3±0.008	2.6±0.3	0.19	15.5
	5	1000±67	2216±313	31.8±0.4	6.8±0.33	2.9±0.2	0.24	16.1
	6	*	*	43.7±0.7	4.8±0.05	2.9±1.1	0.25	18.3
	7	1955±186	2133±300	74.3±0.9	3.0±0.02	2.4±0.3	0.22	14.4
	8	1886±138	3540±501	45.1±0.3	5.2±0.06	3.1±0.4	0.23	15.2
	9	1869±110	5405±764	86.4±7.8	3.6±0.31	2.6±2.3	0.24	15.7
MDX <sub>RAP-031</sub>	1	1416±133	1595±225	41.5±0.9	4.3±0.05	2.9±0.8	0.25	16.3
	2	2076±206	2102±297	30.3±0.6	4.4±0.03	2.5±0.3	0.31	17.9
	3	1261±110	1658±234	50.8±1.2	4.4±0.05	2.4±0.1	0.33	16.3
	4	1921±187	2024±286	40.9±1.5	4.4±0.06	2.7±0.6	0.33	16.6
	5	1905±162	2623±371	39.1±0.4	4.4±0.02	4.1±0.3	0.33	16.7
	6	2449±169	5131±725	34.2±1.0	5.0±0.08	2.8±0.5	0.27	15.2
	7	1416±94	3189±451	55.9±1.2	4.0±0.05	3.0±0.5	0.31	16.7
	8	3525±185	12707±1797	42.8±0.5	5.0±0.04	2.8±0.2	0.31	17.9
	9	2318±146	5827±824	49.0±1.2	5.8±0.11	3.2±0.3	0.31	15.4
	10	1899±142	3367±476	41.8±0.7	4.2±0.05	3.2±0.1	0.24	15.1

\* Not determined.

† Myofiber cross-sectional area distribution mean  $\mu$  and standard deviation  $s$  parameters of a normal distribution

$$f(x; \mu, s) = \frac{1}{s\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2s^2}}.$$

‡ Myofiber cross-sectional area distribution scale  $\mu$  and shape  $\lambda$  parameters of an inverse Gaussian distribution

$$f(x; \mu, \lambda) = \sqrt{\frac{\lambda}{2\pi x^3}} e^{-\frac{\lambda(x-\mu)^2}{2\mu^2 x}}.$$

§ The estimated resistance ratio standard error is approximated as  $\hat{\sigma}_{\hat{R}_0/\hat{R}_\infty} \approx \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{\hat{R}_\infty}\right)^2 \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{R}_0}^2 + \left(\frac{-\hat{R}_0}{\hat{R}_\infty^2}\right)^2 \hat{\sigma}_{\hat{R}_\infty}^2}$ , assuming  $\hat{R}_0$  and  $\hat{R}_\infty$  uncorrelated variables.

\* The muscle mass ( $m$ ) and the muscle optimal length ( $L_o$ ) are not the result of an estimation process and therefore are denoted without  $\hat{\cdot}$ .