2 Novel *O*-GlcNAcylation on Ser⁴⁰ of canonical H2A isoforms specific to viviparity.

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58.029	29.518	1	Gly	38	-	-	58.029	29.518	1	Gly	38	-	-	-
172.072	86.54	2	Asn	37	3922.04	1961.52	172.072	86.54	2	Asn	37	4125.11	2063.06	1375.71
335.136	168.071	3	Tyr	36	3807.99	1904.5	335.136	168.071	3	Tyr	36	4011.07	2006.04	1337.7
422.168	211.587	4	Ser	35	3644.93	1822.97	625.247	313.127	4	Ser- HexNA	35	3848.01	1924.51	1283.34
551.21	276.109	5	Glu	34	3557.9	1779.45	754.29	377.648	5	Glu	34	3557.9	1779.45	1186.64
707.311	354.159	6	Arg	33	3428.85	1714.93	910.391	455.699	6	Arg	33	3428.85	1714.93	1143.62
806.38	403.693	7	Val	32	3272.75	1636.88	1009.46	505.233	7	Val	32	3272.75	1636.88	1091.59
863.401	432.204	8	Gly	31	3173.69	1587.35	1066.48	533.744	8	Gly	31	3173.69	1587.35	1058.57
934.438	467.723	9	Ala	30	3116.66	1558.84	1137.52	569.262	9	Ala	30	3116.66	1558.84	1039.56
991.46	496.234	10	Gly	29	3045.63	1523.32	1194.54	597.773	10	Gly	29	3045.63	1523.32	1015.88
1062.5	531.752	11	Ala	28	2988.61	1494.81	1265.58	633.292	11	Ala	28	2988.61	1494.81	996.873
1159.55	580.278	12	Pro	27	2917.57	1459.29	1362.63	681.818	12	Pro	27	2917.57	1459.29	973.194
1258.62	629.813	13	Val	26	2820.52	1410.76	1461.7	731.352	13	Val	26	2820.52	1410.76	940.843
1421.68	711.344	14	Tyr	25	2721.45	1361.23	1624.76	812.884	14	Tyr	25	2721.45	1361.23	907.82
1534.77	767.886	15	Leu	24	2558.38	1279.7	1737.85	869.426	15	Leu	24	2558.38	1279.7	853.466
1605.8	803.405	16	Ala	23	2445.3	1223.15	1808.88	904.945	16	Ala	23	2445.3	1223.15	815.771
1676.84	838.923	17	Ala	22	2374.26	1187.64	1879.92	940.463	17	Ala	22	2374.26	1187.64	792.092
1775.91	888.458	18	Val	21	2303.23	1152.12	1978.99	989.997	18	Val	21	2303.23	1152.12	768.413
1888.99	945	19	Leu	20	2204.16	1102.58	2092.07	1046.54	19	Leu	20	2204.16	1102.58	735.39
2018.04	1009.52	20	Glu	19	2091.07	1046.04	2221.11	1111.06	20	Glu	19	2091.07	1046.04	697.696
2181.1	1091.05	21	Tyr	18	1962.03	981.518	2384.18	1192.59	21	Tyr	18	1962.03	981.518	654.681
2294.18	1147.6	22	Leu	17	1798.97	899.987	2497.26	1249.13	22	Leu	17	1798.97	899.987	600.327
2395.23	1198.12	23	Thr	16	1685.88	843.445	2598.31	1299.66	23	Thr	16	1685.88	843.445	562.632
2466.27	1233.64	24	Ala	15	1584.84	792.921	2669.35	1335.18	24	Ala	15	1584.84	792.921	528.95
2595.31	1298.16	25	Glu	14	1513.8	757.402	2798.39	1399.7	25	Glu	14	1513.8	757.402	505.271
2708.39	1354.7	26	lle	13	1384.76	692.881	2911.47	1456.24	26	lle	13	1384.76	692.881	462.256
2821.48	1411.24	27	Leu	12	1271.67	636.339	3024.56	1512.78	27	Leu	12	1271.67	636.339	424.562
2950.52	1475.76	28	Glu	11	1158.59	579.797	3153.6	1577.3	28	Glu	11	1158.59	579.797	386.867
3063.6	1532.31	29	Leu	10	1029.54	515.276	3266.68	1633.85	29	Leu	10	1029.54	515.276	343.853
3134.64	1567.82	30	Ala	9	916.46	458.734	3337.72	1669.36	30	Ala	9	916.46	458.734	306.158
3191.66	1596.34	31	Gly	8	845.423	423.215	3394.74	1697.88	31	Gly	8	845.423	423.215	282.479
3305.71	1653.36	32	Asn	7	788.401	394.704	3508.79	1754.9	32	Asn	7	788.401	394.704	263.472
3376.74	1688.88	33	Ala	6	674.359	337.683	3579.82	1790.42	33	Ala	6	674.359	337.683	225.458
3447.78	1724.39	34	Ala	5	603.321	302.164	3650.86	1825.93	34	Ala	5	603.321	302.164	201.779
3603.88	1802.44	35	Arg	4	532.284	266.646	3806.96	1903.98	35	Arg	4	532.284	266.646	178.1
3718.91	1859.96	36	Asp	3	376.183	188.595	3921.99	1961.5	36	Asp	3	376.183	188.595	126.066
3832.95	1916.98	37	Asn	2	261.156	131.082	4036.03	2018.52	37	Asn	2	261.156	131.082	87.724
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Cellular amino acid derivative biosynthetic process	9.8E-03
Regulation of neurological system process	1.2E-02
Pathway analysis (KEGG)	P-value
Axon guidance	3.7E-03
Neuroactive ligand-receptor interaction	4.7E-02
Glycerophospholipid metabolism	6.9E-02
Adipocytokine signaling pathway	6.9E-02

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Annotation of dTS-specific targets

GO analysis (BP)	P-value	
organ morphogenesis	2.7E-12	
regulation of gene expression	2.0E-11	
negative regulation of macromolecule biosynthetic process	1.1E-07	
central nervous system development	3.0E-09	
positive regulation of nucleobase, nucleoside, nucleotide and nucleic acid metabolic process	8.6E-07	
Pathway analysis (KEGG)	P-value	
Wnt signaling pathway	1.2E-07	
Hedgehog signaling pathway	1.2E-05	
Basal cell carcinoma	1.7E-05	
Calcium signaling pathway	2.3E-05	
Pathways in cancer	6.1E-05	

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3xFlag_H2A3_F1 ^a	AAAGATCATGATATCGATTACAAGGATGACGATGACAAGATGTCTGGTCGTGGCAAGCAGGGCG
3xFlag_H2A3_R ^{a, c}	AAGAGCCTTTGGTGTCTGTAAAAGTC
3xFlag_F2 ^{c, d}	CACCATGGACTACAAAGACCATGACGGTGATTATAAAGATCATGATATCGATTACAAGG
3xFlag_R ^d	CTACTTGTCATCGTCATC
H2A3-S40A_F ^e	AATTATTCGGAGCGGGTGGGCGCTGGT
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