



S5 Fig. Distribution of ΔC_T values of individual male worms from the *T. circumcincta* strains RS^3 and S_{inbred} . Note that ΔC_T values represent the difference in the number of PCR cycles required to reach a fixed DNA threshold for the target (*Tci-pgp-9*) and reference genes (*Tci-tbb-iso-1*). Thus low ΔC_T values indicate high template concentrations of target relative to the reference gene while high ΔC_T values indicate low template concentrations of target relative to the reference gene.