## Mitotic and meiotic functions for the SUMOylation pathway in the *Caenorhabditis elegans* germline

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Supplementary tables

Number of nuclei in PMT	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc-9; mre- 11(iow1)	mre- 11(iow1)	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11
N2	X						
ubc-9	0.0191	Х					
smo-1	0.0006	0.1049	X				
<i>ubc-9; mre-11(iow1)</i>	< 0.0001	0.004	0.1376	Х			
mre-11(iow1)	0.123	0.4999	0.1375	0.0156	X		
ubc-9;spo-11	< 0.0001	0.0142	0.3451	0.5352	0.033	X	
spo-11	0.0965	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	0.0026	< 0.0001	Х
Number of nuclei in gonad before diplotene	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc-9; mre- 11(iow1)	mre- 11(iow1)	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11
N2	X						
ubc-9	0.0357	X					
smo-1	0.1	>0.9999	Х				
<i>ubc-9; mre-11(iow1)</i>	0.1	0.1429	0.4	Х			
mre-11(iow1)	>0.9999	0.0357	0.1	0.1	X		
ubc-9;spo-11	0.1	0.1607	0.7	0.1	0.1	X	
spo-11	0.1	0.0357	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.1	Х

**Table S1: Pairwise comparisons of number of nuclei in the PMT and number of nuclei in the gonad prior to diplotene.** The number of nuclei in the PMT and the number of nuclei in the germline from PMT through late pachytene were counted. Significance was determined through Mann-Whitney analysis. Significant p-values < 0.05 are in blue text, non-significant values are in red text.

Gonad Length	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc-9; mre- 11(iow1)	mre- 11(iow1)	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11
N2	Х						
ubc-9	< 0.0001	X					
smo-1	< 0.0001	0.4716	X				
<i>ubc-9; mre-11(iow1)</i>	< 0.0001	0.0089	< 0.0001	Х			
mre-11(iow1)	0.123	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	0.0089	Х		
ubc-9;spo-11	< 0.0001	0.0089	0.0048	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	Х	
spo-11	0.0005	0.0039	< 0.0001	0.9118	0.0355	< 0.0001	Х
Gonad Width (PMT)	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc-9; mre- 11(iow1)	mre- 11(iow1)	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11
N2	X						
ubc-9	0.0021	X					
smo-1	0.3119	0.0059	X				
<i>ubc-9; mre-11(iow1)</i>	0.0853	0.05	0.741	Х			
mre-11(iow1)	0.4359	0.0115	0.7088	0.6976	Х		
ubc-9;spo-11	0.0065	0.0853	0.0372	0.2398	0.0177	Х	
spo-11	0.0784	0.0276	0.5992	0.795	0.7034	0.0452	Х
Gonad Width (MLP)	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc-9; mre- 11(iow1)	mre- 11(iow1)	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11
N2	X						
ubc-9	0.0002	Х					
smo-1	< 0.0001	0.0001	Х				
ubc-9; mre-11(iow1)	0.0024	0.2475	< 0.0001	X			
mre-11(iow1)	0.0045	0.0066	< 0.0001	0.3054	Х		

ubc-9;spo-11	< 0.0001	0.1903	0.0031	0.0021	0.0001	Х	
spo-11	0.001	0.219	< 0.0001	0.8585	0.2419	0.0133	Х

**Table S2: Pairwise comparisons of gonad length and width measurements.** The length of the gonad from PMT to diplotene, width at the midpoint of the PMT, and width at mid-pachytene were measured. Significance of gonad measurements were determined through Mann-Whitney analysis. Significant p-values < 0.05 are in blue text, non-significant values are in red text.

РМТ	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	mre- 11(iow1)	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11	mre- 11(ok179)
N2	Х							
ubc-9	< 0.0001	Х						
smo-1	< 0.0001	0.0038	Х					
ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	< 0.0001	0.1083	< 0.0001	Х				
mre- 11(iow1)	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	<0.0001	Х			
ubc-9;spo- 11	<0.0001	0.1083	0.2478	0.005	< 0.0001	Х		
spo-11	0.7791	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	Х	
Mre-11 (ok179)	<0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	0.5559	<0.0001	< 0.0001	Х
TZ	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	mre- 11(iow1)	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11	mre- 11(ok179)
N2	Х							
ubc-9	< 0.0001	Х						
smo-1	< 0.0001	0.5971	Х					
ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	< 0.0001	0.0071	0.062	Х				
mre- 11(iow1)	0.4544	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	<0.0001	Х			
ubc-9;spo- 11	<0.0001	0.0017	0.0235	0.465	< 0.0001	X		
spo-11	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	Х	
Mre-11 (ok179)	0.404	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	<0.0001	0.9384	<0.0001	< 0.0001	X
EP	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	mre- 11(iow1)	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11	mre- 11(ok179)

N2	Х							
ubc-9	< 0.0001	Х						
smo-1	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	X					
ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	0.102	<0.0001	< 0.0001	X				
mre- 11(iow1)	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	Х			
ubc-9;spo- 11	0.0003	< 0.0001	<0.0001	0.0235	< 0.0001	Х		
spo-11	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	0.0008	< 0.0001	Х	
Mre-11 (ok179)	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	<0.0001	< 0.0001	0.0015	0.0004	<0.0001	X
MLP	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	mre- 11(iow1)	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11	mre- 11(ok179)
N2	Х							
ubc-9	0.3338	Х						
smo-1	0.2895	0.7853	Х					
ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	Х				
mre- 11(iow1)	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	Х			
ubc-9;spo- 11	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	0.3719	X		
spo-11	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	<0.0001	< 0.0001	<0.0001	Х	
Mre-11 (ok179)	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	<0.0001	0.0036	0.0006	< 0.0001	X

**Table S3: Pairwise significance for PMT, TZ, EP, and MLP RAD-51 focus counts (clustered).** Mann-Whitneyanalysis was performed on raw data for each pairwise comparison. n-values were at least 200 nuclei per genotype.Significant p-values are in blue text and non-significant p-values are in red text.

PMT	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc- 9;iow1	iow1	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11	ok179
N2	Х							
ubc-9	< 0.0001	Х						
smo-1	< 0.0001	0.0001	Х					
ubc- 9;iow1	<0.0001	0.391	0.0022	Х				
iow1	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	Х			
ubc-9;spo- 11	< 0.0001	0.0236	0.1415	0.1333	< 0.0001	X		
spo-11	0.7991	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	X	
ok179	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	0.8264	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	Х
TZ	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc- 9;iow1	iow1	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11	ok179
N2	Х							
ubc-9	< 0.0001	Х						
smo-1	< 0.0001	0.064	X					
ubc- 9;iow1	< 0.0001	0.0005	0.1875	Х				
iow1	0.5765	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	X			
ubc-9;spo- 11	<0.0001	0.0016	0.183	0.8378	<0.0001	X		
spo-11	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	X	
ok179	0.7759	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	0.7979	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	Х
EP	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc- 9;iow1	iow1	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11	ok179
N2	Х							
ubc-9	< 0.0001	Х						
smo-1	<0.0001	<0.0001	X					

ubc- 9;iow1	0.1858	< 0.0001	<0.0001	Х				
iow1	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	Х			
ubc-9;spo- 11	0.0054	<0.0001	< 0.0001	0.1178	<0.0001	X		
spo-11	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	0.0007	< 0.0001	Х	
ok179	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	0.0003	0.0012	< 0.0001	Х
MLP	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc- 9;iow1	iow1	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11	ok179
N2	Х							
ubc-9	0.3279	Х						
smo-1	0.2694	0.0001	Х					
ubc- 9;iow1	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	Х				
iow1	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	Х			
ubc-9;spo- 11	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	0.338	X		
spo-11	<0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	<0.0001	< 0.0001	<0.0001	X	
ok179	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	0.0241	0.004	< 0.0001	Х

**Table S4: Pairwise significance for PMT, TZ, EP, and MLP RAD-51 focus counts (individual).** Mann-Whitney analysis was performed on raw data for each pairwise comparison. n-values were at least 200 nuclei per genotype. Significant p-values are in blue text and non-significant p-values are in red text.

singlet	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	mre- 11(iow1)	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11
N2	Х						
ubc-9	< 0.0001	Х					
smo-1	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	X				
ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	X			
mre- 11(iow1)	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	Х		
ubc-9;spo- 11	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	0.185	< 0.0001	Х	
spo-11	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	0.2918	< 0.0001	Х
doublet	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	mre- 11(iow1)	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11
N2	Х						
ubc-9	< 0.0001	Х					
smo-1	< 0.0001	0.0003	X				
ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	0.0306	X			
mre- 11(iow1)	< 0.0001	0.0087	0.0243	0.008	Х		
ubc-9;spo- 11	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	0.0091	Х	
spo-11	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
triplet	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	mre- 11(iow1)	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11
N2	X						
ubc-9	< 0.0001	X					
smo-1	< 0.0001	0.2313	X				

ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	< 0.0001	0.3629	0.4088	Х			
mre- 11(iow1)	< 0.0001	0.386077	0.34426957	0.5790305	Х		
ubc-9;spo- 11	<0.0001	0.0302	0.0037	0.0078	0.3618	Х	
spo-11	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
quadruplet	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	mre- 11(iow1)	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11
N2	Х						
ubc-9	0.061156	Х					
smo-1	0.128205	0.478107	Х				
ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	0.15151	1	0.678571	Х			
mre- 11(iow1)	0.2222222	0.999999	0.999999	1	Х		
ubc-9;spo- 11	0.02424	0.493292	0.249999	1	1	Х	
spo-11	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
strings	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	mre- 11(iow1)	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11
N2	Х						
ubc-9	0.24615	Х					
smo-1	0.382352	0.2145856	Х				
ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	1	0.834458	0.3763996	X			
mre- 11(iow1)	0.666666	0.869988	0.637981	0.8951	Х		
ubc-9;spo-	0.0047619	0.0184907	0.01165	0.01612358	0.0496685	Х	

11							
spo-11	1	1	1	1	1	1	Х

**Table S5: Pairwise comparison of typical and atypical RAD-51 foci in different germline stages.** Pairwise comparison of genotypes for typical and atypical RAD-51 foci. Chi-squared analysis was used for singlets, doublets, and triplets. Fisher's exact test with the Freeman-Halton extension was used for mre-11(iow1) comparisons for triplets, as well as all quadruplet and string comparisons due to low sample size of these atypical RAD-51 structures.

Germline	
stage	P-value
PMT	0.52
ΤZ	0.32
EP	0.93
LP	0.25

Table S6: Statistical analysis of RAD-51 strings upon IR exposure. There were no significant differences in number of strings observed in any stage of the germline (wild type or *ubc-9* mutant) upon exposure to IR.

			mre-	ubc-9; mre-	rad-	ubc-9;rad-
LARVAL	+/ <i>nT1</i>	ubc-9/nT1	11(ok179)/nT1	11(ok179)/nT1	50/nT1	50/nT1
+/ <i>nT1</i>	Х					
ubc-9/nT1	0.0012	Х				
mre-11(ok179)/nT1	0.0006	0.9397	Х			
ubc-9; mre-						
11(ok179)/nT1	>0.0001	0.2391	0.2764	Х		
rad-50/nT1	1	0.0272	0.021	0.0024	Х	
ubc-9;rad-50/nT1	0.13266	0.4201	0.3653	0.0805	0.254446	Х
			mre-	ubc-9; mre-	rad-	ubc-9;rad-
ADULT	+/ <i>nT1</i>	ubc-9/nT1	11(ok179)/nT1	11(ok179)/nT1	50/nT1	50/nT1
+/ <i>nT1</i>	Х					
ubc-9/nT1	>0.0001	Х				
mre-11(ok179)/nT1	0.0053	0.0131	Х			
ubc-9; mre-						
11(ok179)/nT1	>0.0001	0.02	>0.0001	Х		
rad-50/nT1	0.791147	0.0004	0.1119	>0.0001	X	
ubc-9;rad-50/nT1	0.012927	0.2707	0.5156	0.0045	0.064139	X

**Table S7:** Pairwise comparison of GFP negative offspring from balanced hermaphrodites. Fisher's exact test was performed on each pair of genotypes. Significant p-values < 0.05 are in blue text, non-significant values are in red text.

	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc-9; mre- 11(iow1)	mre- 11(iow1)	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11	mre- 11(ok179 )
N2	Х							
ubc-9	0.0174	X						
smo-1	0.1744	0.4269	Х					
ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	>0.0001	0.0121	0.0009	X				
mre-11(iow1)	0.0017	>0.0001	0.0001	>0.0001	Х			
ubc-9;spo-11	0.7486	0.0941	0.4171	> 0.0001	0.0061	Х		
spo-11	0.4485	0.0033	0.05	>0.0001	0.0199	0.3574	X	
mre-11(ok179)	>0.0001	0.0032	0.0001	1	>0.0001	>0.0001	>0.0001	Х

**Table S8:** Pairwise comparison of S-phase PMT nuclei. Cells positive for PCN-1 were counted; significance was determined through Fisher's exact test. Significant p-values < 0.05 are in blue text, non-significant values are in red text.

	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc-9; mre- 11(iow1)	mre- 11(iow1)	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11	mre- 11(ok17 9)
N2	Х							
ubc-9	0.0003	Х						
smo-1	>0.0001	0.0001	X					
ubc-9;mre- 11(iow1)	>0.0001	0.3779	0.0033	X				
mre-11(iow1)	0.3893	0.0534	>0.0001	0.0011	Х			
ubc-9;spo-11	>0.0001	0.4188	0.0128	0.0002	1	Х		
spo-11	0.0409	0.0388	>0.0001	0.001	0.3777	0.0053	Х	
mre-11(ok179)	0.0096	0.2433	>0.0001	0.0252	0.0798	0.0638	0.3015	X

**Table S9: Pairwise comparison of M-phase PMT nuclei.** Cells positive for PH3 were counted; significance was determined through Fisher's exact test. Significant p-values < 0.05 are in blue text, non-significant values are in red text.

	ubc-9(tm2610)	N2	p-Value
Average:	5.77	5.82	0.84

 Table S10: GFP::COSA-1 statistics in wild type and ubc-9 mutants. GFP::COSA-1 foci were counted. Averages are displayed and Mann-Whitney p-value is not significant.

Chromosom	non-recombinant	recombinant	Double recombinant	map distance	Chi-square p-
e II	chromosomes	chromosomes	chromosomes	(cM)	value:
Wild Type	36	42	1	33.4	
<i>ubc-</i> 9( <i>tm</i> 2610)/ +	31	29	13	50.3	0.001
Chromosom	non-recombinant	recombinant	Double recombinant	map distance	Chi-square p-
e I	chromosomes	chromosomes	chromosomes	(cM)	value:
Wild Type	54	21	4	20.44	
<i>ubc-</i> 9( <i>tm</i> 2610)/ +	43	43	7	37.78	0.0139

 Table S11: Chi-squared analysis of recombination frequencies from wild type and *ubc-9* heterozygotes.

 Recombination frequencies were used to determine map distance (equation can be found in materials and methods). Chi-squared analysis was used to determine significance.

# nuclei in gonad	N2	ubc-9	smo-1	ubc-9; mre- 11(iow1)	mre- 11(iow1)	ubc-9;spo- 11	spo-11
N2	X						
ubc-9	>0.0001	X					
smo-1	0.0527	>0.0001	X				
ubc-9; mre-11(iow1)	>0.0001	0.384	>0.0001	Х			
mre-11(iow1)	1	>0.0001	0.0483	>0.0001	X		
ubc-9;spo-11	>0.0001	0.5701	>0.0001	0.093	>0.0001	X	
spo-11	1	>0.0001	0.073	>0.0001	1	>0.0001	Х

**Table S12: Pairwise comparison of diakinesis EMO nuclei.** EMO nuclei and total nuclei were counted in all genotypes listed. Significance was determined through Fisher's exact test. Significant p-values < 0.05 are in blue text, non-significant values are in red text.

0hr	N2	ok	ubc-9
N2	Х		
ok	0.0653	Х	
ubc-9	<0.0001	<0.0001	Х
2hr	N2	ok	ubc-9
N2	Х		
ok	<0.0001	Х	
ubc-9	0.4328	0.0024	Х
4hr	N2	ok	ubc-9
N2	Х		
ok	0.7526	Х	
ubc-9	0.0011	<0.0001	Х
6hr	N2	ok	ubc-9
N2	Х		
ok	0.1775	Х	
ubc-9	<0.0001	<0.0001	Х
8hr	N2	ok	ubc-9
N2	Х		
ok	< 0.0001	Х	
ubc-9	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	Х

**Table S13: CPT pair-wise comparisons between genotypes at each time point.** N2 is wild type, ok is *mre-11(ok179)*, and ubc-9 is the *ubc-9(tm2610)* strain. All comparisons were performed using the Mann-Whitney test.

N2	0	2	4	6	8
0	Х				
2	<0.0001	Х			
4	<0.0001	0.0702	Х		
6	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	Х	
8	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	Х
ok179	0	2	4	6	8
0	Х				
2	<0.0001	Х			
4	<0.0001	<0.0001	Х		
6	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	Х	
8	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	Х
ubc-9	0	2	4	6	8
0	Х				
2	<0.0001	Х			
4	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	Х		
6	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	0.4397	Х	
8	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	0.0003	0.0026	Х

**Table S14: CPT pair-wise comparisons within a genotype at each time point.** N2 is wild type, ok is *mre-11(ok179)*, and ubc-9 is the *ubc-9(tm2610)* strain. All comparisons were performed using the Mann-Whitney test.

0hr	N2	ok	ubc-9
N2	х		
ok	<0.0001	х	
ubc-9	<0.0001	0.4438	Х
2hr	N2	ok	ubc-9
N2	х		
ok	<0.0001	х	
ubc-9	<0.0001	<0.0001	х
4hr	N2	ok	ubc-9
N2	х		
ok	<0.0001	х	
ubc-9	<0.0001	<0.0001	х
6hr	N2	ok	ubc-9
N2	х		
ok	<0.0001	х	
ubc-9	<0.0001	0.02	х
8hr	N2	ok	ubc-9
N2	х		
ok	<0.0001	х	
ubc-9	<0.0001	0.0275	Х

**Table S15: HU pair-wise comparisons between genotypes at each time point.** N2 is wild type, ok is *mre-11(ok179)*, and ubc-9 is the *ubc-9(tm2610)* strain. All comparisons were performed using the Mann-Whitney test.

N2	0	2	4	6	8
0	х				
2	<0.0001	х			
4	<0.0001	<0.0001	х		
6	<0.0001	0.6458	<0.0001	х	
8	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	х
ok	0	2	4	6	8
0	х				
2	0.0022	х			
4	0.485	<0.0001	х		
6	0.0034	<0.0001	0.0188	х	
8	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	0.0002	х
ubc-9	0	2	4	6	8
0	х				
2	<0.0001	х			
4	<0.0001	<0.0001	х		
6	<0.0001	0.0112	<0.0001	x	
8	<0.0001	0.0002	0.2321	<0.0001	х

**Table S16: HU pair-wise comparisons within a genotype at each time point.** N2 is wild type, ok is *mre-11(ok179)*, and ubc-9 is the *ubc-9(tm2610)* strain. All comparisons were performed using the Mann-Whitney test.