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S3 Table. Primer sequences for qPCR analyses.

Gene	Primer	Primer sequence	Note
Reference genes			
<i>Tcact</i>	<i>Tc-act-Fw</i>	TCCATCATGAAGTGCGATGT	actin (Act)
	<i>Tc-act-Rv</i>	CACCGATCCAGACGGAGTAT	
<i>Tctbpaf</i>	<i>Tc-tbpaf-Fw</i>	GAAAGCGTGCTTTAGCCAAG	tbp-association factor (Tbpaf)
	<i>Tc-tbpaf-Rv</i>	GGTGCTTACGCCAGTGGTAT	
Target genes			
<i>Tctat</i>	<i>Tc-tat-Fw</i>	AAAGCCGAAAAGTGGGAAGT	tyrosine aminotransferase (Tat)
	<i>Tc-tat-Rv</i>	GGGTTTCAAGTTGCCGTAAA	
<i>Tchpd</i>	<i>Tc-hpd2-Fw</i>	TTTGATGGCTAGAGGGGTTG	4-hydroxyphenylpyruvate dioxygenase
	<i>Tc-hpd2-Rv</i>	CAGCAAATACCCCTTGTCGT	(Hpd)
<i>Tcddc</i>	<i>Tc-ddc3-Fw</i>	CGTGAGGCTGGCCTTATTCCATTT	DOPA decarboxylase (Ddc), designed
	<i>Tc-ddc3-Rv</i>	GTGCAGCCAGATGTTGTTTCGAGTT	by Arakane et al. (2009)
<i>Tcnat</i>	<i>Tc-nat-Fw</i>	AACTGGGCTGCGGTATAATG	N-acetyltransferase (Nat)
	<i>Tc-nat-Rv</i>	GCCTTGTGGCACGATTATTT	