Supplementary Material for

A comparative study of sleep and diurnal patterns in house mouse (*Mus musculus*) and Spiny mouse (*Acomys cahirinus*)

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Supplementary figure 1. Experiment setups for piezoelectric system and IR camera recording. (A) Piezoelectric system with IR temperature sensor and video camera, (B) A group cage with four IR camera set-up. The top IR camera covered whole area of bottom to observe the activity of spiny mouse.



Supplementary figure 2. Cosinor parameters from piezoelectrically determined rhythm of percentage wake. Cosinor analysis shows both species differences and sex differences. One-way ANOVA, Tukey's post-hoc test *P<0.05, **P<0.01, ***P<0.001. (MESOR - midline estimating statistic of rhythm)

		Species		Male		Female	
2	Time intervals	SW Mus	BL6 Mus	SW Mus	BL6 Mus	SW Mus	BL6 Mus
Light	6:00-7:00	65.0 ± 8.9	63.4 ± 8.8	71.7 ± 5.4	66.1 ± 7.9	58.4 ± 6.3	60.7 ± 9.3
	7:00-8:00	52.3 ± 6.1	52.8 ± 9.7	52.3 ± 5.8	57.3 ± 8.3	52.2 ± 6.5	48.3 ± 9.2
	8:00-9:00	42.5 ± 5.9	42.7 ± 3.5	42.8 ± 8.3	41.8 ± 3.9	42.2 ± 5.5	43.5 ± 3.0
	9:00-10:00	36.8 ± 3.7	39.7 ± 5.2	36.9 ± 3.8	39.7 ± 4.7	36.7 ± 3.8	39.6 ± 6.0
	10:00-11:00	33.1 ± 3.3	37.4 ± 5.0	32.4 ± 3.6	35.9 ± 4.1	33.8 ± 3.0	38.9 ± 5.5
	11:00-12:00	32.4 ± 3.9	37.3 ± 5.6	31.8 ± 3.8	38.4 ± 4.0	33.0 ± 4.0	36.1 ± 7.0
	12:00-13:00	34.8 ± 5.2	38.7 ± 4.3	35.0 ± 4.3	37.7 ± 3.1	34.5 ± 6.1	39.7 ± 5.2
	13:00-14:00	37.5 ± 6.7	40.2 ± 6.6	38.5 ± 5.7	39.3 ± 7.7	36.4 ± 7.6	41.2 ± 5.7
	14:00-15:00	40.1 ± 9.0	39.4 ± 7.0	42.6 ± 9.0	37.7 ± 6.3	37.7 ± 8.6	41.2 ± 7.6
	15:00-16:00	45.0 ± 8.9	41.7 ± 8.3	48.2 ± 9.5	39.8 ± 9.8	41.8 ± 7.2	43.7 ± 6.4
	16:00-17:00	49.0 ± 7.9	$43.5 \pm 6.6^*$	52.6 ± 7.5	45.7 ± 7.3	45.3 ± 6.6	41.3 ± 5.5
	17:00-18:00	63.1 ± 5.4	57.3 ± 4.6*	64.2 ± 5.5	59.7 ± 3.7	62.1 ± 5.3	54.9 ± 4.2
Dark	18:00-19:00	$85.8~\pm~3.8$	82.7 ± 2.5	86.1 ± 3.9	82.5 ± 2.6	85.4 ± 3.9	83.0 ± 2.5
	19:00-20:00	$89.7~\pm~3.5$	90.3 ± 5.8	90.1 ± 3.6	90.5 ± 4.6	89.4 ± 3.6	90.2 ± 7.0
	20:00-21:00	86.0 ± 6.9	87.8 ± 8.7	86.3 ± 6.7	85.8 ± 8.9	85.6 ± 7.4	89.7 ± 6.9
	21:00-22:00	84.3 ± 6.7	87.2 ± 6.9	84.5 ± 5.7	86.8 ± 7.1	84.1 ± 7.7	87.6 ± 7.1
	22:00-23:00	82.7 ± 5.1	83.1 ± 7.5	82.7 ± 5.9	82.7 ± 4.7	82.7 ± 4.5	83.4 ± 9.4
	23:00-0:00	82.2 ± 6.9	82.2 ± 5.4	81.4 ± 8.9	83.4 ± 4.3	83.0 ± 4.3	81.0 ± 6.3
	0:00-1:00	81.1 ± 5.6	85.5 ± 6.0	81.1 ± 7.0	84.8 ± 5.5	81.1 ± 4.1	86.3 ± 6.8
	1:00-2:00	$78.6~\pm~6.2$	83.5 ± 6.7	78.3 ± 7.6	82.3 ± 6.9	78.9 ± 4.8	84.6 ± 6.6
	2:00-3:00	77.3 ± 7.7	75.1 ± 6.0	75.2 ± 9.7	75.3 ± 5.9	79.4 ± 4.4	74.8 ± 6.5
	3:00-4:00	75.4 ± 6.8	72.7 ± 6.0	74.4 ± 7.4	72.8 ± 7.5	76.5 ± 6.3	72.5 ± 4.6
	4:00-5:00	72.1 ± 7.8	73.2 ± 7.4	74.2 ± 7.5	69.5 ± 5.7	70.0 ± 7.8	76.9 ± 7.4
	5:00-6:00	70.8 ± 8.6	74.5 ± 6.3	76.2 ± 5.2	74.8 ± 6.9	64.9 ± 7.3	74.2 ± 6.0*

Supplementary table 1. Piezoelectrically defined sleep amounts (% of total recording time) and sleep bout length (sec) in BL6 Lab *M. musculus* and SW Lab *M. musculus*