



Supplementary Information for

Somatostatin-type and allatostatin-C-type neuropeptides are paralogous and have opposing myoregulatory roles in an echinoderm

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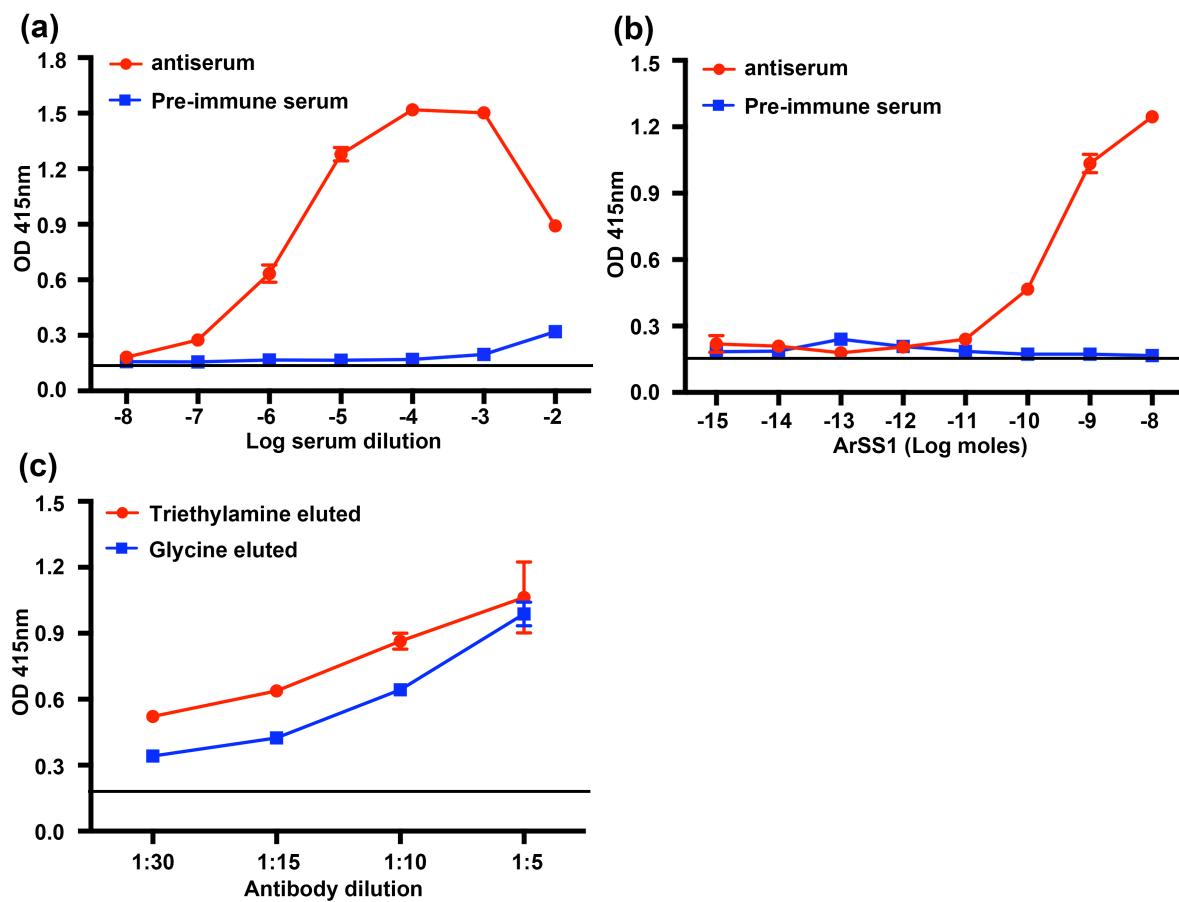


Fig. S1. Characterization of rabbit antiserum and affinity-purified rabbit antibodies to ArSS1 using an enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA). (a) Incubation of antiserum (red) and pre-immune serum (blue) at dilutions between 10^{-8} and 10^{-2} with 0.1 nmol of ArSS1 reveals that absorbance values with the pre-immune serum are indistinguishable from the blank control without serum (black line), with the antiserum immunoreaction observed with dilutions from 10^{-7} to 10^{-2} . (b) Incubation of antiserum (red) and pre-immune serum (blue) at 10^{-4} dilution with between 10^{-15} and 10^{-8} moles of ArSS1 reveals that absorbance values with the pre-immune serum are indistinguishable from the blank control without serum (black line), with the antiserum immunoreaction observed with 10^{-10} to 10^{-8} moles of ArSS1. (c) Incubation of affinity-purified antibodies with 0.1 nmol of ArSS1 reveals that antibodies to ArSS1 can be detected in the trimethylamine eluate (red) and the glycine eluate (black) with dilutions from 1:30 to 1:5. The absorbance values with affinity-purified antibodies are distinguishably higher than the blank control (5 % goat serum/PBST; black line). All data points are mean values from two separate experiments performed in duplicate.

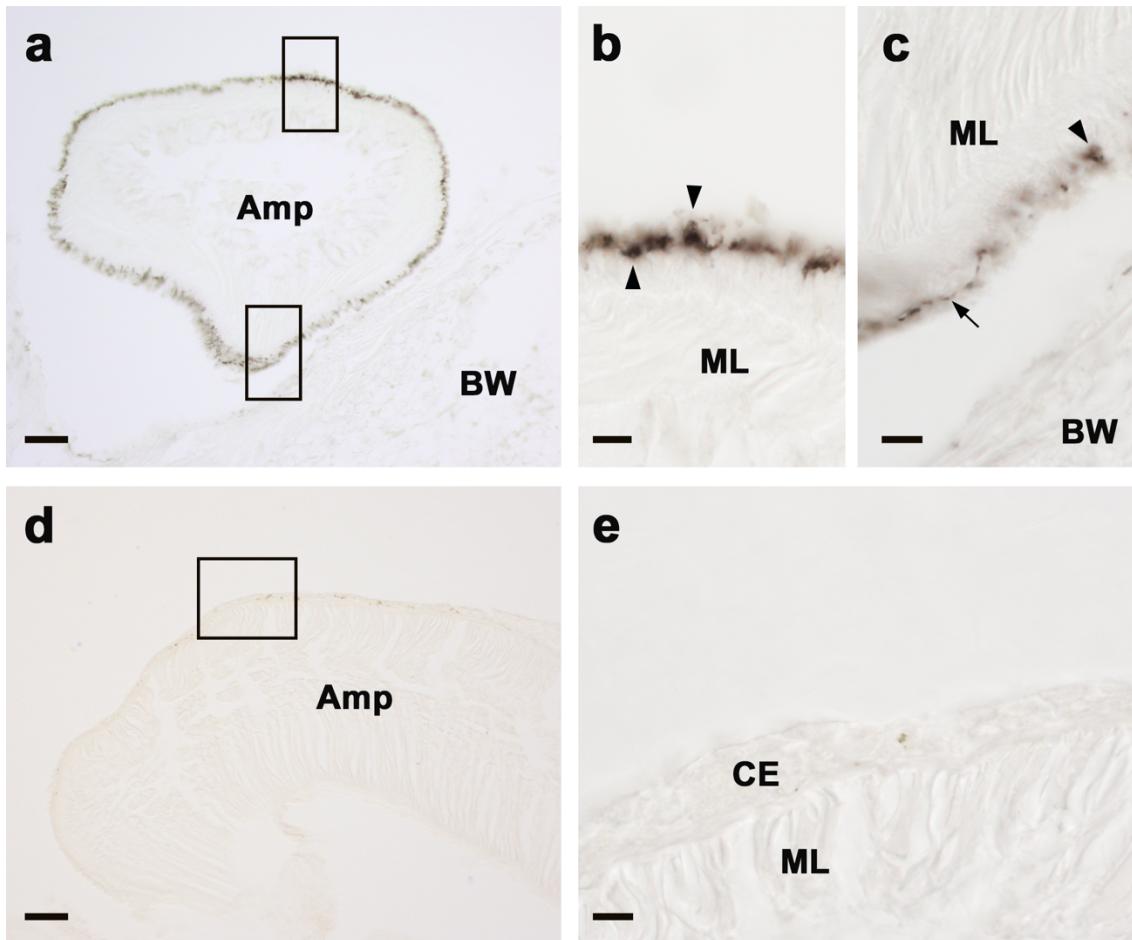


Fig. S2. Comparative immunohistochemical analysis of ArSS1 and ArSS2 expression in tube foot ampullae of *A. rubens*. (a) Transverse section of an arm showing ArSS1-immunoreactivity (immunostaining) in the coelomic epithelial layer of an ampulla. (b) Higher magnification image of the boxed upper region of (a), showing immunostained cells (arrowheads) in the coelomic epithelial layer. (c) Higher magnification image of the boxed lower region of (a), showing an immunostained cell (arrowhead) and varicose fibre (arrow) in the coelomic epithelial layer. (d) Transverse section of an arm showing absence of ArSS2 immunostaining in an ampulla. (e) Higher magnification image of the boxed region in (d), showing absence of ArSS2 immunostaining in the coelomic epithelial layer and the muscle layer of the ampulla. Abbreviations: Amp, ampulla; BW, body wall; CE, coelomic epithelium; ML, muscle layer. Scale bars: 6 µm in (b), (c), (e); 32 µm in (a), (d).

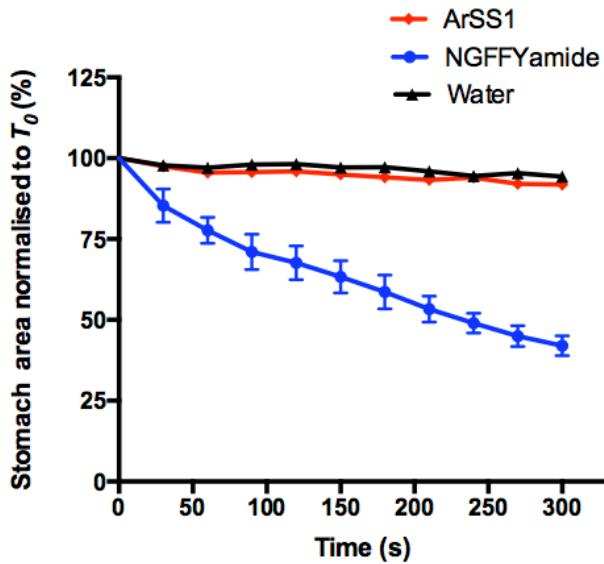


Fig. S3. ArSS1 does not induce cardiac stomach retraction in *A. rubens*. Retraction of the cardiac stomach was quantified by determining the area of the everted stomach as a percentage of the area of cardiac stomach everted at the time of injection (Time 0; T_0). The graph shows the mean area (\pm SEM) of the everted cardiac stomach expressed as a percentage of the area at T_0 and at 50 s intervals over a five-minute period following injection of distilled water (black; $n = 6$), 10 μ l 1 mM ArSS1 (red; $n = 6$) or 10 μ l 100 nmol NGFFYamide (blue; $n = 3$). Statistical analysis of these data by using mixed-effect regression model revealed no significance difference in slope between injection with ArSS1 and injection with water ($p = 0.0758$). In contrast NGFFYamide (used here as a positive control) clearly triggers cardiac stomach retraction, with significant difference in slope to injection with water or ArSS1 ($p < 0.0001$).

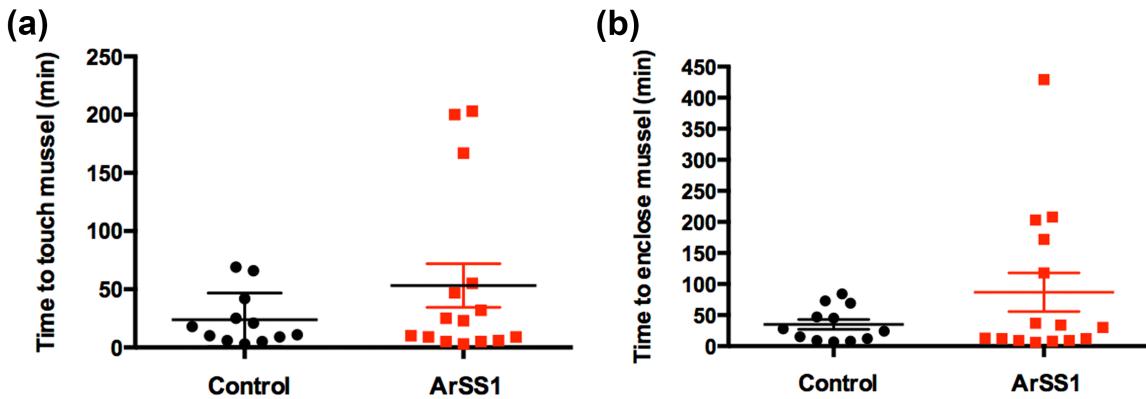


Fig. S4. (a) Injection of 10 μ l of 10^{-3} M ArSS1 (red; n=15) did not cause a significant difference (t-test; p = 0.1905) in the time elapsed (minutes) before starfish touch a mussel in comparison with a control group injected with distilled water (black; n=12). (b) Injection of 10 μ l of 10^{-3} M ArSS1 (red; n=15) did not cause a significant difference (t-test; p = 0.1605) in the time elapsed (minutes) before starfish enclose a mussel in comparison with a control group injected with distilled water (black; n=12). Data are shown as scatter plots and were analysed statistically using a two-tailed Student's t-test in Prism 6.

Table S1. Accession numbers of the precursor sequences used for the neuropeptide alignment in Figure 1.

Species name	Neuropeptide precursor name	Accession number or reference
<i>Asterias rubens</i>	Somatostatin1	ALJ99950.1
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<i>Apostichopus japonicus</i>	Somatostatin1	AWU78771.1
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<i>Limulus polyphemus</i>	Allatostatin C	XP_022249713.1
<i>Drosophila melanogaster</i>	Allatostatin CC	NP_609483.2
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<i>Deroceras reticulatum</i>	Allatostatin C	ARS01353
<i>Charonia tritonis</i>	Allatostatin C	AQS80487
<i>Pecten Maximus</i>	Allatostatin C	XP_033764281
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Table S2. Accession numbers of the sequences used for CLANS analysis in Figure 2.

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<i>Scaptodrosophila lebanonensis</i>	ASTC	XP_030384485_1
<i>Musca domestica</i>	ASTC	XP_005184918_1
<i>Anopheles gambiae</i>	ASTC	XP_001689183_1
<i>Anopheles darlingi</i>	ASTC	ETN61475_1
<i>Photinus pyralis</i>	ASTC	KAB0794209_1
<i>Sarcophaga bullata</i>	ASTC	TMW48585_1
<i>Drosophila arizonae</i>	ASTC	XP_017858602_1
<i>Drosophila busckii</i>	ASTC	XP_017848162_1
<i>Tribolium castaneum</i>	ASTC	NP_001137205_1
<i>Galendromus occidentalis</i>	ASTC	XP_018495151_1
<i>Limulus polyphemus</i>	ASTCC	(2)
<i>Anopheles sinensis</i>	ASTC	KFB49259_1
<i>Drosophila mauritiana</i>	ASTC	XP_033161907_1
<i>Drosophila willistoni</i>	ASTC	XP_002067656_1
<i>Zeugodacus cucurbitae</i>	ASTC	XP_011178321_1
<i>Bactrocera oleae</i>	ASTC	XP_014086382_1
<i>Bactrocera latifrons</i>	ASTC	XP_018787536_1

<i>Limulus polyphemus</i>	ASTCCC	(2)
<i>Stegodyphus dumicola</i>	ASTC	XP_035230852_1
<i>Samia ricini</i>	ASTC	AAY68369_1
<i>Stegodyphus mimosarum</i>	ASTC	KFM78946_1
<i>Drosophila virilis</i>	ASTC	XP_002051772_1
<i>Bactrocera oleae</i>	ASTC	XP_014086384_1
<i>Vanessa tameamea</i>	ASTC	XP_026492179_1
<i>Ceratitis capitata</i>	ASTC	XP_020714951_1
<i>Amyelois transitella</i>	ASTC	XP_013186846_1
<i>Closteria anastomosis</i>	ASTCC	(9)
<i>Apis mellifera</i>	ASTCC	(10)
<i>Apis mellifera</i>	ASTCCC	(2)
<i>Arctia plantaginis</i>	ASTC	CAB3261401_1
<i>Ostrinia furnacalis</i>	ASTC	XP_028171302_1
<i>Plutella xylostella</i>	ASTC	NP_001295989_1
<i>Chilo suppressalis</i>	ASTC	ALM30301_1
<i>Spodoptera frugiperda</i>	ASTC	Q868F8_1
<i>Hyposmocoma kahamanoa</i>	ASTC	XP_026327560_1
<i>Aphantopus hyperantus</i>	ASTC	XP_034831767_1
<i>Heliothis virescens</i>	ASTC	PCG77404_1
<i>Bombyx mandarina</i>	ASTC	XP_028043051_1
<i>Bicyclus anynana</i>	ASTC	XP_023936107_1
<i>Galleria mellonella</i>	ASTC	XP_026761889_1
<i>Operophtera brumata</i>	ASTC	KOB78759_1
<i>Papilio xuthus</i>	ASTC	XP_013164626_1
<i>Danaus plexippus</i>	ASTC	XP_032517390_1
<i>Mythimna unipuncta</i>	ASTC	AAA93257_1
<i>Papilio machaon</i>	ASTC	XP_014367295_1
<i>Agrotis ipsilon</i>	ASTC	C0HKS0_1
<i>Manduca sexta</i>	ASTC	XP_030040870_1
<i>Cydia pomonella</i>	ASTC	QDK59880_1
<i>Rhagoletis zephyria</i>	ASTC	XP_017473348_1
<i>Papilio polytes</i>	ASTC	XP_013145137_1
<i>Spodoptera exigua</i>	ASTC	AXY04234_1
<i>Lucilia cuprina</i>	ASTC	XP_023293632_1
<i>Asbolus verrucosus</i>	ASTC	RZC32467_1
<i>Nicrophorus vespilloides</i>	ASTC	XP_017776616_1
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<i>Parasteatoda tepidariorum</i>	ASTC	XP_015908719_1

<i>Parasteatoda tepidariorum</i>	ASTC	XP_015908717_1
<i>Pieris rapae</i>	ASTC	XP_022129619_1
<i>Anoplophora glabripennis</i>	ASTC	XP_018572075_1
<i>Trichoplusia ni</i>	ASTC	XP_026734642_1
<i>Daphnia magna</i>	ASTC	KZS12162_1
<i>Contarinia nasturtii</i>	ASTC	XP_031623836_1
<i>Rhynchophorus ferrugineus</i>	ASTC	QGA72540_1
<i>Culex pipiens</i>	ASTC	AHG94988_1
<i>Aethina tumida</i>	ASTC	XP_019881141_1
<i>Dendroctonus ponderosae</i>	ASTC	XP_019760338_1
<i>Lingula anatina</i>	ASTC	XP_013393587.1
<i>Novocrania anomala</i>	ASTC	(6)
<i>Cephalothrix hongkongensis</i>	ASTC	(6)
<i>Tubulanus polymorphus</i>	ASTC	(6)
<i>Lineus Longissimus</i>	ASTC1	(6)
<i>Cerebratulus spec</i>	ASTC1	(6)
<i>Lineus lacteus</i>	ASTC1	(6)
<i>Lineus ruber</i>	ASTC1	(6)
<i>Riseriellus occultus</i>	ASTC	(6)
<i>Cerebratulus marginatus</i>	ASTC	(6)
<i>Malacobdella grossa</i>	ASTC	(6)
<i>Notospermus geniculatus</i>	ASTC	(6)
<i>Cerebratulus spec</i>	ASTC2	(6)
<i>Lineus lacteus</i>	ASTC2	(6)
<i>Lineus longissimus</i>	ASTC2	(6)
<i>Lineus ruber</i>	ASTC2	(6)
<i>Nipponemertes spec</i>	ASTC	(6)
<i>Homo sapiens</i>	UII	NP_006777.1
<i>Homo sapiens</i>	UII	NP_068835.1
<i>Danio rerio</i>	UII	NP_998013.2
<i>Rattus norvegicus</i>	UII	NP_062033.1
<i>Pelophylax ridibundus</i>	UII	P33715.2
<i>Rattus norvegicus</i>	UII	NP_596876.2
<i>Sus scrofa</i>	UII	NP_999308.1
<i>Macaca mulatta</i>	UII	NP_001028067.1
<i>Phaethon lepturus</i>	UII	XP_010282914.1
<i>Macaca mulatta</i>	UII	XP_028699396.1
<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>	UII	XP_025862965.1
<i>Callorhinus ursinus</i>	UII	XP_025724981.1

<i>Takifugu rubripes</i>	UII	NP_001072085.1
<i>Cariama cristata</i>	UII	XP_009698098.1
<i>Xenopus laevis</i>	UII	NP_001267509.1
<i>Ovis aries</i>	UII	XP_027821791.1
<i>Gasterosteus aculeatus</i>	UII	ALD51541.1
<i>Tetraodon nigroviridis</i>	UII	ALD51540.1
<i>Aptenodytes forsteri</i>	UII	KFM09588.1
<i>Corvus brachyrhynchos</i>	UII	KFO54906.1
<i>Homo_sapiens</i>	URP	BAC98929.1
<i>Rattus_norvegicus</i>	URP	NP_937766.1
<i>Mus_musculus</i>	URP	NP_937809.1
<i>Danio rerio</i>	URP	NP_001245247.1
<i>Danio rerio</i>	URP	NP_001076411.1
<i>Hippoglossus stenolepis</i>	URP	XP_035006504.1
<i>Epinephelus lanceolatus</i>	URP	XP_033471682.1
<i>Anguilla_japonica</i>	URP	BAJ51782.1
<i>Homo sapiens</i>	MCH	AAA63214.1
<i>Mus_musculus</i>	MCH	NP_084247.1
<i>Oreochromis_mossambicus</i>	MCH	P49794.1
<i>Oncorhynchus keta</i>	MCH	P19713.1

Neuro-peptide	Nervous system					Digestive system					Locomotory systems		
	RNC Ec	RNC Hy	CONR Ec	CONR Hy	PM	Es	CS	PS	PD	PC	TF Pod	TF Amp	AM
ArSS1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
ArSS2	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
NGFFYa (*)	✓		✓				✓	✓	✓		✓		✓
ArSK/CCK1,2	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
ArGnRH	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
ArCRZ (*)	✓		✓				✓	✓	✓		✓		✓
Asterotocin	✓		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓
SALMFa1 (+)	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓
SALMFa2 (+)	✓		✓			✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		
ArPPLN1b/SMP	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
ArPPLN2h	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
ArLQ (*)	✓		✓				✓	✓			✓		
ArCT	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
ArCRH	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

KEY:

✓ = expression reported

In vitro pharmacological effects reported = Myoexcitatory effect Myoinhibitory effect No effect

Table S3 Comparison of the expression patterns and pharmacological actions of ArSS1, ArSS2 and other neuropeptides that have been characterised in *Asterias rubens*. Reports of expression are based on use of mRNA *in situ* hybridisation and immunohistochemical methods, with the exception of neuropeptides labelled with an asterisk (*) where only mRNA *in situ* hybridisation has been employed and neuropeptides labelled with a cross (+) where only immunohistochemistry has been employed. Anatomical abbreviations: AM, apical muscle; CONR Ec; circumoral nerve ring ectoneural region; CONR Hy, circumoral nerve ring hyponeuronal region; CS, cardiac stomach; Es, esophagus; PC, pyloric caeca; PD, pyloric duct; PM, peristomial membrane; PS, pyloric stomach; RNC Ec; radial nerve cord ectoneural region; RNC Hy radial nerve cord hyponeuronal region; TF Amp, tube foot ampulla; TF Pod, tube foot podium. The findings summarised in this table are derived from the following publications, which are listed below: ArSS1 (this paper); ArSS2 (11); NGFFYamide (12); ArSK/CCK1,2 (13); ArGnRH (14); ArCRZ (14); Asterotocin (15); SALMFamide-1 (16-18); SALMFamide-2 (17-20); ArPPLN1b/SMP (21); ArPPLN2h (22); ArLQ (23); ArCT (24); ArCRH (25, 26).

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