

Table S2. Fusion of the dorsal aortae in unmanipulated quail and chick embryos compared with somite position

Quail		Chick	
Stage	Somite position at fusion	Stage	Somite position at fusion
12	No fusion (n=14)	12	No fusion (n=15)
13	10.7 (n=12)	13	10.5 (n=13)
14	13.6 (n=10)	14	13.2 (n=7)
15	16.2 (n=6)	15	15.9 (n=8)