

***Pituitary Tumor Transforming Gene 1* orchestrates gene regulatory variation in mouse ventral midbrain during aging**

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**Supplementary Information**

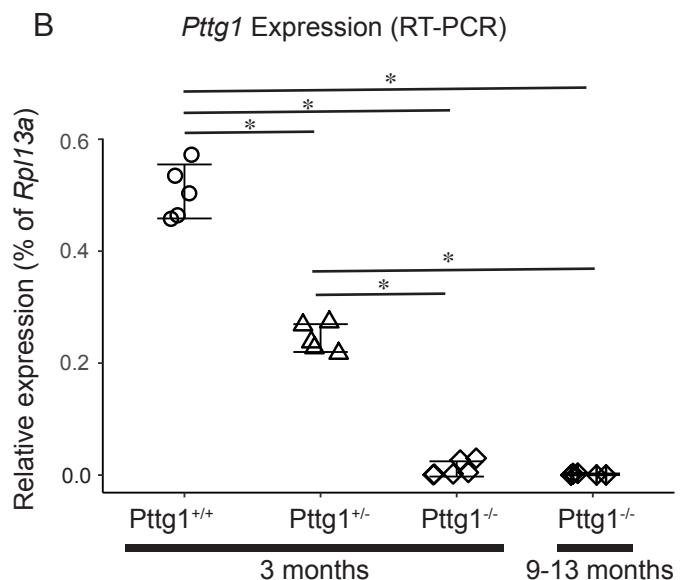
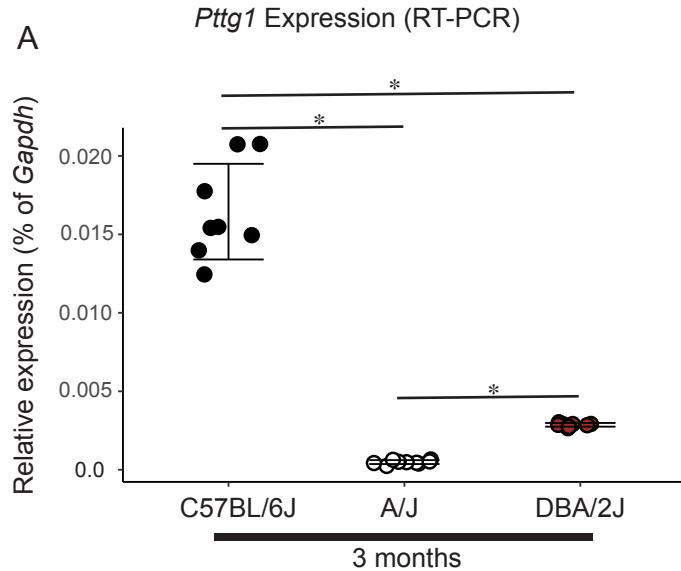
## Supplementary Figures

**Supplementary Figure S1. RT-PCR measurements of *Pttg1* expression in isolated midbrains are consistent with the RNA-seq results.**

A. *Pttg1* expression measured by RT-PCR is consistent with the RNA-seq data across the three strains. Expression levels are presented relative to *Gapdh*. Two-sided Student's t-test was used for statistical testing. \*=p<0.05.

B. *Pttg1* expression measured by RT-PCR is consistent with the RNA-seq data across the 3 months old *Pttg1*<sup>+/+</sup>, *Pttg1*<sup>+-</sup>, *Pttg1*<sup>-/-</sup>, and 9-13 months old *Pttg1*<sup>-/-</sup> mice. Expression levels are presented relative to *Rpl13a*. Two-sided Student's t-test was used for statistical testing. \*=p<0.05.

Supplementary Figure S1



## Supplementary Tables

**Supplementary Table S1. Primer sequences used in the study.**

Gene	Forward primer (5' – 3')	Reverse primer (5' – 3')
<i>Pttg1</i>	TCAAGGTCGGCTGTTGGT	AGTTGCCGAAAAGCCTATGAAG
<i>Rpl13a</i>	TGGTCCCTGCTGCTCTCA	CCCCAGGTAAGCAAACTTCT
<i>Gapdh</i>	TGCGACTTCAACAGCAACTC	CTGCTCAGTGTCCCTTGCTG

**Supplementary Table S2. DEGs (FDR < 0.05, log2FC > 1) from three comparisons in**

**Figure 2A.** The base mean, log2FC, and FDR are reported for each gene in each comparison: A/J vs. C57BL/6J: 1145 genes; DBA/2J vs. A/J: 1039 genes; DBA/2J vs. C57BL6/J: 1251 genes.

**Supplementary Table S3. DEGs (FDR < 0.05, log2FC > 1) shared by at least two**

**comparisons in Figure 2B.** The base mean, log2FC, and FDR are reported for each gene in each comparison: A/J vs. C57BL/6J: 853 genes; DBA/2J vs. A/J: 804 genes; DBA/2J vs. C57BL6/J: 980 genes.

**Supplementary Table S4. DEGs (FDR < 0.05, log2FC > 2.5) from 3 months old vs. 9**

**months old mice.** The DEGs from C57BL/6J A/J, DBA/2J and *Pttg1*<sup>-/-</sup> mice are shown on individual worksheets. The base mean, log2FC, and FDR are reported for each gene in each comparison.