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Table S7- Parameters used in G-test statistical comparison of tag-proportions among *Tetraodon* gill SuperSAGE libraries.

	Test1	Test2	Test3	Test4
Standard subset ¹	(C2h and C12h) <i>versus</i>	(C2h and LowCa2h) <i>versus</i>	C12h <i>versus</i>	C12h <i>versus</i> (HighCa12h and LowCa12h)
Test subset (s) ¹	(LowCa2h and LowCa12h)	(C12h and LowCa12h)	HighCa12h or LowCa12h	
Rule 1 ²	$G_{\text{intrinsic}} (p < 0.05)$	$G_{\text{intrinsic}} (p < 0.05)$	$G_{\text{intrinsic}} (p < 0.05)$	$G_{\text{intrinsic}} (p < 0.05)$
Rule 2 (homogeneity) ²	$G_{\text{within,standard}} (p > 0.05)$	$G_{\text{within,standard}} (p > 0.05)$	$G_{\text{within,standard}} (p > 0.05)$	$G_{\text{within,standard}} (p > 0.05)$
Rule 3(homogeneity) ²	$G_{\text{within, test}} (p > 0.05)$	$G_{\text{within, test}} (p > 0.05)$	$G_{\text{individual,test} \rightarrow \text{standard}} (p < 0.05)$	$G_{\text{within, test}} (p > 0.05)$
Rule 4 ²	$G_{\text{pooled,test} \rightarrow \text{standard}} (p < 0.05)$	$G_{\text{pooled,test} \rightarrow \text{standard}} (p < 0.05)$		$G_{\text{pooled,test} \rightarrow \text{standard}} (p < 0.05)$

Parameters used in G-test statistics were: ¹ chosen subsets of SuperSAGE libraries compared in each test: gill libraries from fish exposed to control water for 2 or 12h (C2h or C12h), 0.01mM Ca²⁺ water for 2 or 12h (LowCa2h or LowCa12h) and 10mM Ca²⁺ water for 12h (HighCa12h); ² G-test statistics decision rules and significance levels (p) for each test. For more details on G-test principles and decision rules see Schaaf *et al.* (2005) and Schaaf *et al.* (2008).

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