

## Supplemental Data

Supplemental Figure S1. aSMA expression level by PCR analyzed by age (left) and weight (right) groups did not show any significant differences as analyzed by one-way ANOVA. The Ct numbers are normalized to the housekeeping genes (HPRT and RPS19). n = 9 (<5 year old), 7 (6-10 year old), 20 (11-15 year old), 2 (> 15 year old), 15 (< 10 kg), 5 (11-20 kg), 6 (21-30 kg), 3 (> 30 kg).

