Figure S3  DNA methylation of autosomal lacZ reporter was not significantly different between the sexes. Three categories of mice with an autosomal lacZ reporter at the ROSA26 locus (Gt(ROSA)26Sor<sup>tm1Sor</sup> /J; Soriano 1999) were assessed. Category 1: lacZ is activated by EGFP/cre driven by different X-linked MiniPs. Category 2: lacZ had been previously activated by cre. Category 3: lacZ expression did not require activation by cre (Friedrich and Soriano 1991). Each circle represents the level of DNA methylation in an individual mouse. In all categories the autosomal lacZ was driven by the same promoter. Bar, average; error bars, ± one standard deviation between mice for the strain. Significance was tested using Mann-Whitney t-test; n.t., not tested.