

## Abbreviations

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|---------------|--------------------------------------------|
| E             | embryonic day                              |
| ep            | epithelial tissue                          |
| des(1-3)IGF-I | des(1-3)insulin-like growth factor-I       |
| FGF           | fibroblast growth factor                   |
| fMHC          | fast myosin heavy chain                    |
| GAPDH         | glyceraldehyde-phosphate dehydrogenase     |
| IGF           | insulin-like growth factor                 |
| IGFBP         | insulin-like growth factor binding protein |
| IGFR          | insulin-like growth factor receptor        |
| MCK           | muscle creatine kinase                     |
| nAChR         | nicotinic acetylcholine receptor           |
| PCR           | polymerase chain reaction                  |
| RT            | reverse transcription                      |
| TGF           | transforming growth factor                 |
| Tn            | troponin                                   |