

Supplementary Table 8A: deFuse post analysis filtering.

deFuse Filters	Threshold
: number of split reads supporting the prediction	≥ 2
: number of spanning reads supporting the fusion	≥ 5
: <i>p</i> -value, lower values are evidence the prediction is a false positive	> 0.1
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: maximum percent identity of fusion sequence alignments to EST islands	< 0.3
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: maximum percent identity of fusion sequence alignments to cDNA	< 0.1
: maximum percent identity of fusion sequence alignments to genome	
: number of spanning reads that map to more than one genomic location	< 1
: fusion involving adjacent potentially resulting from co-transcription rather than genome rearrangement (Readthrough)	NO
: fusion between adjacent genes	
: fusion likely the product of alternative splicing between adjacent genes	
: probability produced by classification using adaboost	≥ 0.75
: fusion combines genes in a way that preserves a reading frame	YES

Supplementary Table 8B: Fusion candidates that were common in TopHat-Fusion and deFuse analysis and had been validated by RT-PCR technique.

Gene name 1	Gene name 2	Strand	Spanning read count	Split read count	Gene location 1	Gene location 2	Genomic break pos 1	Genomic break pos 2	Library name	Probabi lity
<i>DUS1L</i>	<i>B4GALNT2</i>	-/+	69	49	coding	coding	80021344	47241450	IMPC_13	0.99
<i>ZNF256</i>	<i>SKA2</i>	-/-	32	29	5'utr	coding	57232703	58458813	IMPC_13	0.85
<i>RERE</i>	<i>ACTN4</i>	-/+	10	11	coding	coding	8482787	39191240	IMPC_14	0.98
<i>ZNF8</i>	<i>GIP</i>	+/-	50	92	coding	5'utr	58790513	47044615	IMPC_13	0.99
<i>HEATR7A</i>	<i>RSPRY1</i>	+/+	36	71	coding	coding	145235426	57265079	IMPC_21	0.95
<i>CHD6</i>	<i>GATA5</i>	+/-	211	437	coding	intron	40034129	61044084	IMPC_16	0.76