**S4 Table. Postzygoprezygapophyseal lamina (PPRL), serial variation in presacral vertebrae of Lacertini.**

Boxes represent the vertebrae in the column, including the atlas. Filled boxes indicate presence of the lamina in the respective vertebrae, whereas a dash stands for absence. Only the seven specimens with articulated vertebral column could be assessed.

| Species         | Specimen | Cervical Vertebrae | Dorsal Vertebrae |
|-----------------|----------|--------------------|------------------|
| *Lacerta agilis*| MDHC 176 | [Filled boxes]     | [Filled boxes]   |
| *Lacerta agilis*| MDHC 177 | [Filled boxes]     | [Filled boxes]   |
| *Lacerta agilis*| MDHC 178 | [Filled boxes]     | [Filled boxes]   |
| *Lacerta bilineata* | MDHC 15 | [Filled boxes]     | [Filled boxes]   |
| *Lacerta bilineata* | MDHC 77 | [Filled boxes]     | [Filled boxes]   |
| *Zootoca vivipara* | MDHC 179 | [Filled boxes]     | [Filled boxes]   |
| *Takydromus sp.* | MDHC 151 | [Filled boxes]     | [Filled boxes]   |