

Table S1. Spinal cord motion data per group and segment.

| Group | Segment | | Max. Velocity (cm/s) | | | ptp-Amplitude (mm/s) | | | Total Displacement (mm) | | | C2-pAI | | | C7-pAI | | |
|-------|---------|----------|----------------------|-----|----------|----------------------|-----|----------|-------------------------|-----|----------|--------|-----|----------|--------|-----|----------|
| | | | Mean | SD | <i>p</i> | Mean | SD | <i>p</i> | Mean | SD | <i>p</i> | Mean | SD | <i>p</i> | Mean | SD | <i>p</i> |
| C2/C3 | C2/C3 | patients | 0.48 | 0.2 | 0.728 | 6.95 | 2.6 | 0.741 | | | | | | | 1.69 | 0.2 | 0.255 |
| | | controls | 0.42 | 0.1 | | 6.26 | 0.0 | | | | | | | | 1.02 | 0.6 | |
| | C3/C4 | patients | 0.71 | 0.3 | 0.372 | 9.66 | 5.0 | 0.482 | 0.54 | 0.3 | 0.071 | 1.35 | 0.2 | 0.255 | 2.30 | 0.7 | 0.237 |
| | | controls | 0.43 | 0.1 | | 6.58 | 1.1 | | 1.21 | 0.0 | | 1.05 | 0.2 | | 1.11 | 0.7 | |
| | C4/C5 | patients | 0.54 | 0.2 | 0.766 | 8.70 | 5.4 | 0.750 | 0.67 | 0.3 | 0.246 | 1.19 | 0.3 | 0.906 | 2.04 | 0.8 | 0.518 |
| | | controls | 0.47 | 0.2 | | 7.11 | 3.0 | | 0.98 | 0.1 | | 1.13 | 0.5 | | 1.28 | 1.1 | |
| | C5/C6 | patients | 0.51 | 0.1 | 0.831 | 8.83 | 4.4 | 0.752 | 1.13 | 0.7 | 0.697 | 1.24 | 0.2 | 0.959 | 2.11 | 0.6 | 0.329 |
| | | controls | 0.49 | 0.0 | | 7.69 | 0.3 | | 1.35 | 0.0 | | 1.23 | 0.0 | | 1.26 | 0.7 | |
| | C6/C7 | patients | 0.29 | 0.2 | 0.439 | 4.55 | 2.8 | 0.358 | 0.52 | 0.1 | 0.175 | 0.62 | 0.2 | 0.070 | 1.07 | 0.4 | 0.949 |
| | | controls | 0.43 | 0.0 | | 6.94 | 0.5 | | 1.22 | 0.5 | | 1.11 | 0.1 | | 1.10 | 0.5 | |
| | C7/T1 | patients | 0.23 | 0.1 | 0.480 | 4.06 | 1.0 | 0.381 | 0.56 | 0.1 | 0.228 | 0.60 | 0.1 | 0.340 | | | |
| | | controls | 0.42 | 0.3 | | 7.21 | 3.9 | | 1.53 | 0.8 | | 1.15 | 0.6 | | | | |
| C3/C4 | C2/C3 | patients | 0.61 | 0.6 | 0.472 | 8.33 | 8.0 | 0.651 | | | | | | | 1.12 | 0.8 | 0.525 |
| | | controls | 0.42 | 0.1 | | 6.62 | 1.3 | | | | | | | | 0.86 | 0.4 | |
| | C3/C4 | patients | 0.68 | 0.6 | 0.342 | 9.53 | 8.1 | 0.480 | 1.15 | 0.8 | 0.869 | 1.15 | 0.3 | 1.000 | 1.25 | 0.7 | 0.493 |
| | | controls | 0.43 | 0.1 | | 6.98 | 2.7 | | 1.10 | 0.2 | | 1.12 | 0.2 | | 1.02 | 0.4 | |
| | C4/C5 | patients | 0.55 | 0.5 | 0.945 | 9.17 | 7.8 | 0.831 | 1.12 | 0.8 | 0.927 | 1.07 | 0.7 | 0.310 | 1.10 | 0.5 | 0.701 |
| | | controls | 0.53 | 0.2 | | 8.39 | 3.7 | | 1.09 | 0.2 | | 1.38 | 0.4 | | 1.21 | 0.4 | |
| | C5/C6 | patients | 0.44 | 0.3 | 0.734 | 8.14 | 5.8 | 0.886 | 1.19 | 0.7 | 0.902 | 1.10 | 0.6 | 0.400 | 1.04 | 0.3 | 0.408 |
| | | controls | 0.50 | 0.2 | | 8.55 | 3.5 | | 1.15 | 0.4 | | 1.35 | 0.3 | | 1.24 | 0.5 | |
| | C6/C7 | patients | 0.39 | 0.2 | 0.853 | 6.81 | 4.3 | 0.627 | 0.92 | 0.4 | 0.342 | 0.94 | 0.4 | 0.147 | 0.92 | 0.3 | 0.271 |
| | | controls | 0.42 | 0.2 | | 7.87 | 2.9 | | 1.14 | 0.3 | | 1.30 | 0.2 | | 1.11 | 0.3 | |
| | C7/T1 | patients | 0.45 | 0.4 | 0.847 | 8.04 | 6.7 | 0.866 | 1.34 | 1.2 | 0.813 | 1.25 | 0.7 | 0.938 | | | |
| | | controls | 0.42 | 0.2 | | 7.51 | 3.2 | | 1.21 | 0.5 | | 1.28 | 0.4 | | | | |
| C4/C5 | C2/C3 | patients | 0.49 | 0.2 | 0.761 | 9.46 | 4.7 | 0.071 | | | | | | | 1.03 | 0.5 | 1.000 |
| | | controls | 0.46 | 0.2 | | 6.73 | 1.7 | | | | | | | | 0.99 | 0.4 | |

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| | C3/C4 | patients | 0.70 | 0.2 | 0.017 | 11.16 | 4.3 | 0.011 | 1.47 | 0.7 | 0.040 | 1.34 | 0.6 | 0.574 | 1.34 | 0.6 | 0.376 |
| | | controls | 0.48 | 0.2 | | 7.40 | 2.6 | | 1.07 | 0.2 | | 1.13 | 0.2 | | 1.16 | 0.4 | |
| | C4/C5 | patients | 0.85 | 0.5 | 0.030 | 13.80 | 6.7 | 0.007 | 1.88 | 1.1 | 0.012 | 1.65 | 0.9 | 0.160 | 1.68 | 0.7 | 0.032 |
| | | controls | 0.52 | 0.2 | | 7.94 | 3.3 | | 1.04 | 0.3 | | 1.23 | 0.3 | | 1.21 | 0.3 | |
| | C5/C6 | patients | 0.77 | 0.4 | 0.033 | 12.46 | 6.1 | 0.028 | 1.71 | 1.0 | 0.054 | 1.56 | 1.2 | 0.769 | 1.54 | 0.6 | 0.180 |
| | | controls | 0.48 | 0.3 | | 8.07 | 3.5 | | 1.06 | 0.3 | | 1.22 | 0.3 | | 1.24 | 0.4 | |
| | C6/C7 | patients | 0.58 | 0.4 | 0.274 | 9.61 | 5.9 | 0.701 | 1.32 | 0.8 | 0.943 | 1.09 | 0.6 | 0.496 | 1.11 | 0.4 | 1.000 |
| | | controls | 0.45 | 0.2 | | 7.89 | 3.1 | | 1.16 | 0.4 | | 1.22 | 0.3 | | 1.20 | 0.3 | |
| | C7/T1 | patients | 0.51 | 0.3 | 0.167 | 8.82 | 4.2 | 0.157 | 1.38 | 0.8 | 0.309 | 1.05 | 0.4 | 0.673 | | | |
| | | controls | 0.39 | 0.2 | | 6.85 | 2.8 | | 1.12 | 0.5 | | 1.11 | 0.3 | | | | |
| C5/C6 | C2/C3 | patients | 0.42 | 0.2 | 0.341 | 6.30 | 2.9 | 0.390 | | | | | | | 0.96 | 0.6 | 0.009 |
| | | controls | 0.47 | 0.2 | | 6.86 | 2.3 | | | | | | | | 1.20 | 0.5 | |
| | C3/C4 | patients | 0.54 | 0.2 | 0.890 | 8.07 | 3.1 | 0.879 | 1.07 | 0.4 | 0.837 | 1.40 | 0.6 | 0.047 | 1.26 | 0.6 | 0.263 |
| | | controls | 0.53 | 0.2 | | 7.96 | 2.9 | | 1.06 | 0.2 | | 1.16 | 0.2 | | 1.40 | 0.6 | |
| | C4/C5 | patients | 0.66 | 0.3 | 0.039 | 10.47 | 4.0 | 0.011 | 1.38 | 0.6 | 0.003 | 1.95 | 0.9 | 0.000 | 1.60 | 0.6 | 0.148 |
| | | controls | 0.52 | 0.2 | | 8.09 | 3.3 | | 1.02 | 0.3 | | 1.18 | 0.3 | | 1.40 | 0.5 | |
| | C5/C6 | patients | 0.88 | 0.5 | 0.000 | 13.44 | 6.4 | 0.000 | 1.68 | 1.0 | 0.001 | 2.51 | 1.4 | 0.000 | 2.04 | 0.7 | 0.000 |
| | | controls | 0.50 | 0.2 | | 7.89 | 3.3 | | 0.99 | 0.3 | | 1.16 | 0.3 | | 1.34 | 0.5 | |
| | C6/C7 | patients | 0.62 | 0.3 | 0.002 | 9.95 | 3.9 | 0.002 | 1.31 | 0.6 | 0.026 | 1.95 | 1.1 | 0.000 | 1.49 | 0.4 | 0.004 |
| | | controls | 0.42 | 0.2 | | 7.16 | 3.1 | | 1.03 | 0.3 | | 1.07 | 0.4 | | 1.20 | 0.3 | |
| | C7/T1 | patients | 0.41 | 0.2 | 0.287 | 7.06 | 3.2 | 0.295 | 1.08 | 0.4 | 0.595 | 1.29 | 0.5 | 0.008 | | | |
| | | controls | 0.36 | 0.2 | | 6.27 | 2.7 | | 1.03 | 0.4 | | 0.95 | 0.3 | | | | |
| C6/C7 | C2/C3 | patients | 0.47 | 0.3 | 0.867 | 6.91 | 3.5 | 1.000 | | | | | | | 0.62 | 0.2 | 0.019 |
| | | controls | 0.49 | 0.2 | | 6.91 | 2.7 | | | | | | | | 1.29 | 0.7 | |
| | C3/C4 | patients | 0.58 | 0.3 | 0.559 | 9.04 | 4.7 | 0.555 | 1.22 | 0.6 | 0.652 | 1.28 | 0.1 | 0.174 | 0.78 | 0.3 | 0.015 |
| | | controls | 0.50 | 0.3 | | 7.92 | 3.5 | | 1.12 | 0.3 | | 1.15 | 0.2 | | 1.46 | 0.7 | |
| | C4/C5 | patients | 0.68 | 0.5 | 0.420 | 10.43 | 6.5 | 0.394 | 1.26 | 0.7 | 0.333 | 1.35 | 0.3 | 0.295 | 0.84 | 0.3 | 0.030 |
| | | controls | 0.54 | 0.3 | | 8.29 | 4.3 | | 1.03 | 0.3 | | 1.20 | 0.3 | | 1.55 | 0.9 | |
| | C5/C6 | patients | 0.90 | 0.6 | 0.054 | 13.32 | 7.9 | 0.082 | 1.56 | 0.8 | 0.060 | 1.79 | 0.4 | 0.003 | 1.08 | 0.3 | 0.141 |
| | | controls | 0.50 | 0.3 | | 8.09 | 4.3 | | 1.02 | 0.3 | | 1.17 | 0.3 | | 1.43 | 0.6 | |
| | C6/C7 | patients | 1.16 | 0.6 | 0.001 | 17.69 | 7.5 | 0.001 | 1.99 | 0.8 | 0.002 | 2.71 | 0.9 | 0.000 | 1.57 | 0.5 | 0.216 |

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| | controls | 0.43 | 0.2 | | 7.31 | 3.7 | | 1.01 | 0.3 | | 1.05 | 0.3 | | 1.28 | 0.5 |
| C7/T1 | patients | 0.79 | 0.5 | 0.037 | 12.88 | 7.9 | 0.038 | 1.59 | 0.8 | 0.071 | 1.84 | 0.7 | 0.008 | | |
| | controls | 0.39 | 0.3 | | 6.57 | 4.1 | | 1.00 | 0.6 | | 0.98 | 0.4 | | | |

Max.: maximum, ptp: peak-to-peak, pAI: peak-to-peak amplitude index = peak-to-peak amplitude per segment referenced to the individual's peak-to-peak amplitude at C2/C3 (C2-pAI) or C7/T1 (C7-pAI) ; SD: standard deviation. Significant differences ($p < 0.05$) are indicated in bold lettering.