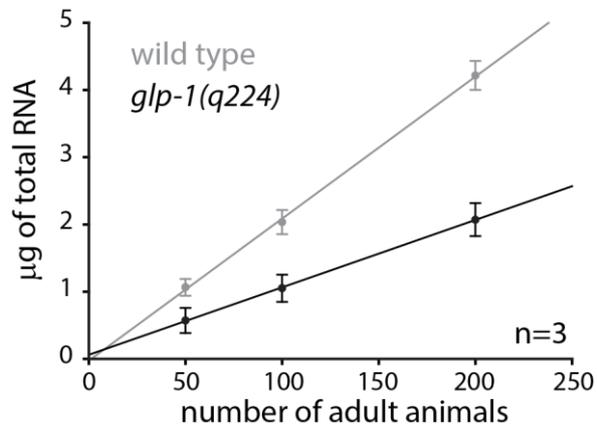


## Figure S1



### Figure S1: Half of the total RNA in an adult animal originates in germ cells.

Total RNA was isolated and quantified from 50, 100 and 200 hand-picked adult animals (age 24h past mid-L4) from the indicated genetic backgrounds. Adult *glp-1(q224)* animals contain only a handful of germ cells and are therefore commonly considered germ cell-less.