

Table 1 Mean and standard deviation (SD) of the activation responses of *Anopheles stephensi* in control trials of different experiments

Experiment	Mean (SD) (%)	No. of replicates
Carbon dioxide	77.50 (11.38)	12
L-lactic acid	90.00 (10.44)	12
Carbon dioxide + L-lactic acid	97.44 (5.81)	43