

Sample #	1	2
<i>Health status</i>	Severe equine asthma	No respiratory symptoms
<i>Breed</i>	Selle Français	Swiss Warmblood
<i>Sex</i>	Mare	Mare
<i>Age (years)</i>	21	12
<i>HOARSI¹</i>	4	1
<i>Weight (kg)</i>	634	613
<i>Clinical score (/23)²</i>	9	0
<i>Tracheal mucus score (/5)³</i>	2	1
<i>BALF yield %*</i>	40	48
<i>BALF macrophages %</i>	56.25	48.50
<i>BALF lymphocytes %</i>	18	47.25
<i>BALF neutrophils %</i>	25.75	2.25
<i>BALF mast cells %</i>	0	2
<i>BALF eosinophils %</i>	0	0

Table S1. Characteristics of the study animals. HOARSI, Horse Owner Assessed Respiratory Signs Index; BALF, Bronchoalveolar Lavage Fluid *BALF yield % = [(Volume saline instilled (mL) – Volume saline reaspirated (mL)) / Volume saline instilled (mL)] x 100

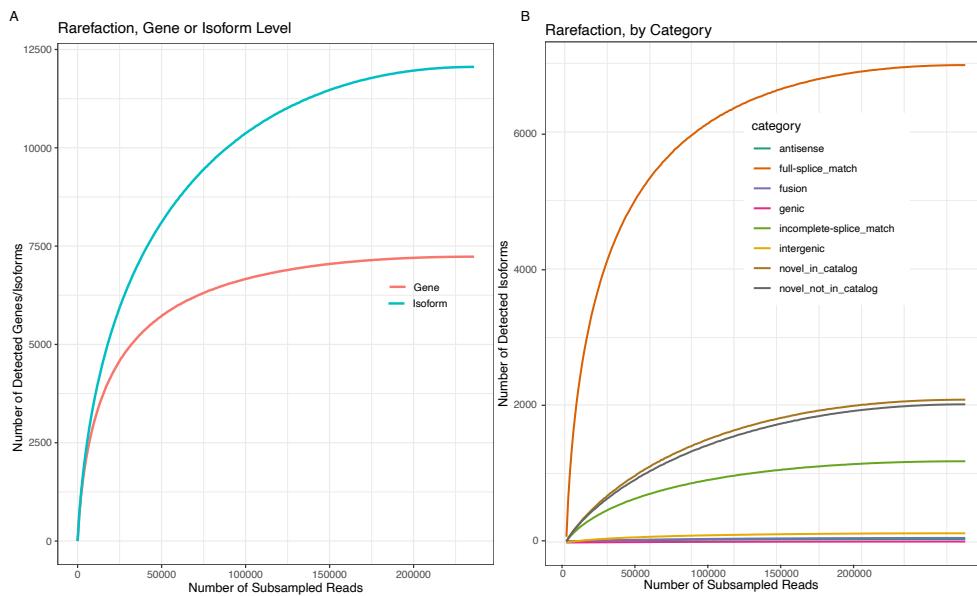


Fig S1. Saturation-discovery curve to determine the relationship between number of full-length reads subsampled and total number of genes and isoforms detected(A) and for different isoform structural classes(B).

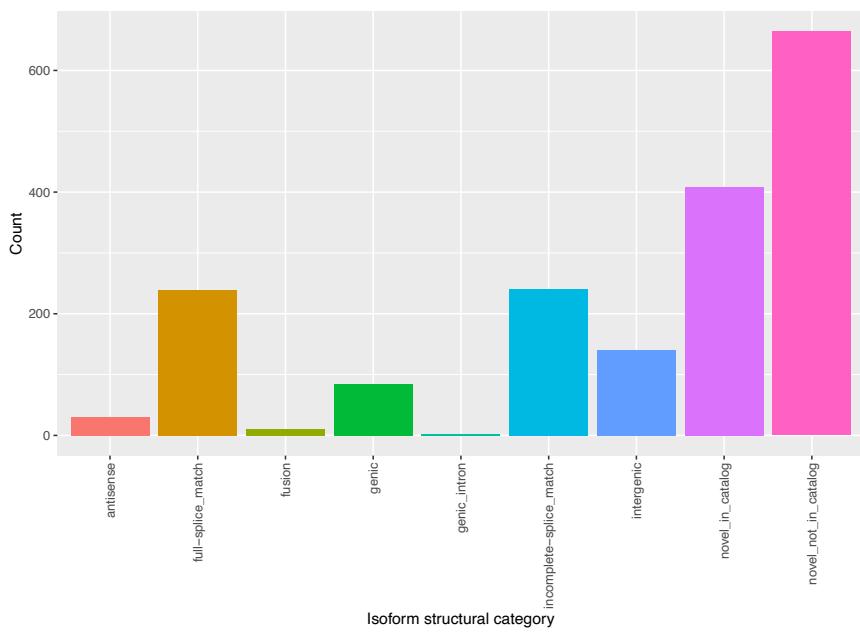


Fig S2: Count of filtered isoforms for different structural categories.

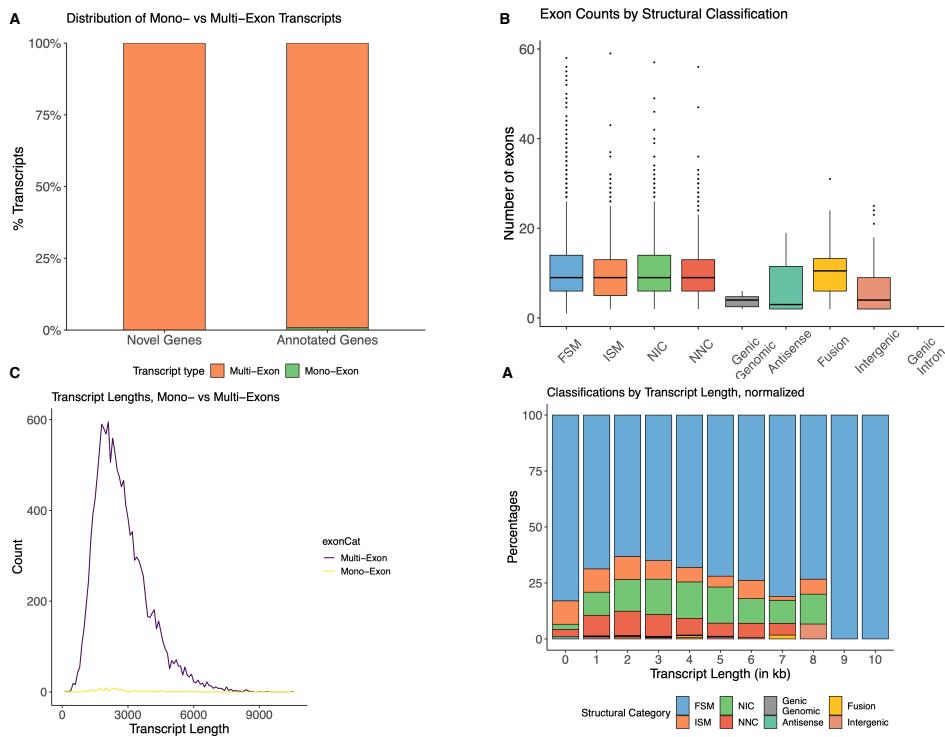


Fig S3: A. Exon distribution in novel and known genes. B. Exon counts in different structural category of transcripts. C. Length of mono- and multi-exonic transcripts. D Length of transcripts classified by structural category

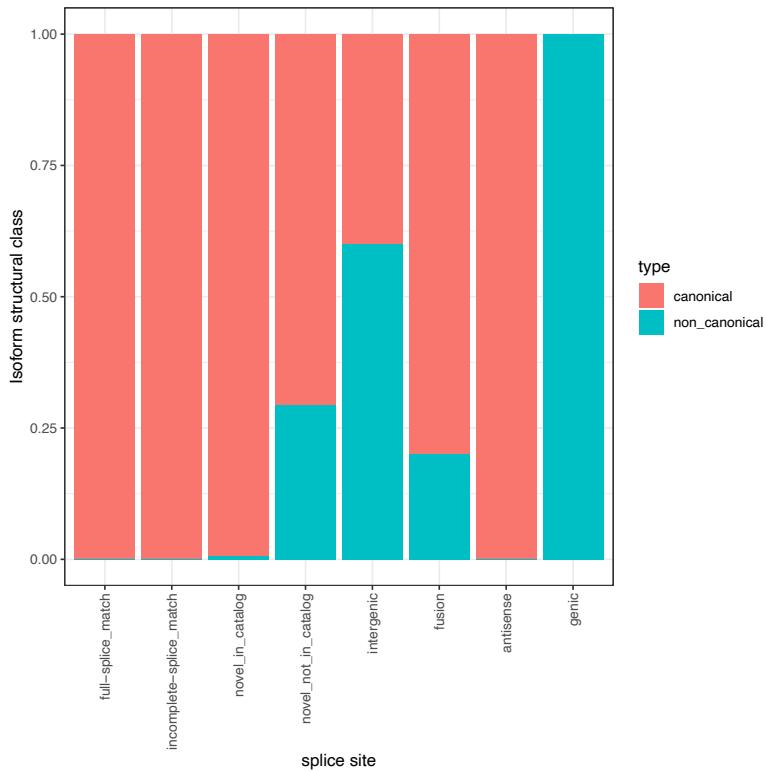


Fig S4: RT-Switching templates predicted by SQANTI3 in the different isoform classes.

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