

1 **Phospholipid-flipping activity of P4-ATPase drives membrane curvature**

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14 15 **Abstract**

16 P4-ATPases are phospholipid flippases that translocate phospholipids from the
17 exoplasmic/luminal to the cytoplasmic leaflet of biological membranes. All P4-ATPases in
18 yeast and some in other organisms are required for membrane trafficking; therefore, changes
19 in the transbilayer lipid composition induced by flippases are thought to be crucial for
20 membrane deformation. However, it is poorly understood whether the phospholipid-flipping
21 activity of P4-ATPases can promote membrane deformation. In this study, we assessed
22 membrane deformation induced by flippase activity via monitoring the extent of membrane
23 tubulation using a system that allows inducible recruitment of Bin/Amphiphysin/RVS (BAR)
24 domains to the plasma membrane (PM). Enhanced phosphatidylcholine-flippase activity at the
25 PM due to expression of ATP10A, a member of the P4-ATPase family, promoted membrane
26 tubulation upon recruitment of BAR domains to the PM. This is the important evidence that
27 changes in the transbilayer lipid composition induced by P4-ATPases can deform biological
28 membranes.

29 30 **Introduction**

31 P4-ATPases flip phospholipids across the bilayer to generate and regulate the
32 asymmetric distributions of lipids in eukaryotic cells. Phosphatidylserine (PS) and
33 phosphatidylethanolamine (PE) are enriched in the cytoplasmic leaflet of the plasma membrane

34 (PM), whereas phosphatidylcholine (PC) and sphingomyelin are abundant in the exoplasmic
35 leaflet (Devaux, 1991, Murate *et al.*, 2015, Zachowski, 1993). Genetic studies in
36 *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*, *Arabidopsis thaliana*, and *Caenorhabditis elegans* revealed that
37 P4-ATPases play roles in membrane trafficking. All five yeast P4-ATPases are involved in
38 membrane trafficking at different stages of the secretory and endocytic pathways (Graham &
39 Burd, 2011, Muthusamy *et al.*, 2009). In addition, PS flipping at the *trans*-Golgi network
40 participates in exocytic protein sorting and enhances membrane curvature in yeast (Chen *et al.*,
41 1999, Hankins *et al.*, 2015, Xu *et al.*, 2013). The human genome encodes 14 P4-ATPases;
42 however, their functions are poorly understood (Andersen *et al.*, 2016). Among mammalian
43 P4-ATPases, ATP8A1 and ATP9A are required for endosome-mediated membrane trafficking,
44 and PS flipping by ATP8A1 is needed for recruitment of EHD1 to recycling endosomes (Lee
45 *et al.*, 2015, Tanaka *et al.*, 2016). Therefore, the activities of P4-ATPases seem to be required
46 for the recruitment of proteins involved in membrane trafficking to cellular compartments.
47 Another plausible hypothesis is that P4-ATPase-mediated phospholipid translocation
48 generates an imbalance in the level of lipids between the leaflets of the bilayer. The resultant
49 lipid-loading in the cytoplasmic leaflet would drive inwardly directed membrane deformation,
50 leading to the membrane curvature required for vesicle budding (Graham, 2004, Panatala *et al.*,
51 2015, Takeda *et al.*, 2014). Cell shape drastically changes upon exogenous application of lyso-
52 PC or impermeable amphipathic drugs, suggesting that the shape of lipid species and/or an
53 imbalance in lipid mass (translocation of lyso-PC is much slower than that of PC) are involved
54 in the generation of membrane curvature (Devaux *et al.*, 2008, Sheetz & Singer, 1974).
55 Changes in lipid composition following addition of exogenous phospholipids alter the shape
56 of erythrocytes, and it was thus hypothesized that ATP-dependent lipid translocases at the PM
57 are involved in membrane shape changes (Daleke & Huestis, 1989, Seigneuret & Devaux,
58 1984). We and other groups have recently shown the flippase activities of mammalian P4-
59 ATPases (Lee *et al.*, 2015, Naito *et al.*, 2015, Segawa *et al.*, 2016, Takatsu *et al.*, 2014, Zhu *et*
60 *al.*, 2012) using a cell-based flippase assay. However, it remains unknown whether flippase
61 activity of P4-ATPase family can induce membrane curvature because spatiotemporal flippase
62 activity cannot be visualized together with membrane deformation in biological membranes.
63 To overcome this technical problem, we designed an experiment to indirectly assess membrane
64 deformation induced by flippase activity in the PM.

65 We have previously shown that enhanced PC-flippase activity at the PM changes cell
66 shape, decreases cell size, and delays cell spreading on extracellular matrix, possibly by
67 increasing inwardly directed PM bending (Miyano *et al.*, 2016, Naito *et al.*, 2015). Therefore,

68 spatiotemporally regulated movement of lipids between the leaflets of the bilayer could
69 contribute to PM remodeling. In fact, a mutation in the mouse *ATP11C* gene, another member
70 of the P4-ATPase family, alters the morphology of erythrocytes (Yabas *et al.*, 2014), and a
71 complex comprising ATP8A1 and CDC50A has been implicated to play a role in cell migration
72 (Kato *et al.*, 2013). CDC50A interacts with most P4-ATPases and is required for the transport
73 of newly synthesized P4-ATPases from the endoplasmic reticulum to cellular compartments
74 and/or the PM (Naito *et al.*, 2015, Takatsu *et al.*, 2011).

75 To investigate whether a lipid imbalance in the bilayer induced by P4-ATPases is
76 directly linked with membrane curvature, we used BIN/Amphiphysin/Rvs (BAR) domains,
77 which dimerize to form a crescent-shaped structure, sense membrane curvature, and generate
78 tubular membrane structures via self-oligomerizing in biological membranes (Frost *et al.*, 2008,
79 Itoh & De Camilli, 2006, Peter *et al.*, 2004, Yin *et al.*, 2009). BAR domains are categorized
80 into four main subfamilies: classic BAR, N-terminal amphipathic helix-containing BAR (N-
81 BAR), Fes-CIP4 homology BAR (F-BAR), and inverse BAR (I-BAR) (Frost *et al.*, 2009, Itoh
82 & De Camilli, 2006). These domains mediate membrane curvature by performing scaffolding
83 roles and/or inserting amphipathic helices along lipid bilayers, and form membrane tubules in
84 cells and artificial liposomes (Bhatia *et al.*, 2009, Gallop *et al.*, 2006, Masuda *et al.*, 2006,
85 Poudel *et al.*, 2016).

86 Membrane deformation/tubulation induced by BAR domains from the PM has been
87 visualized using a chemically inducible dimerization (CID) technique that allows acute
88 recruitment of these domains to the PM (Komatsu *et al.*, 2010, Suarez *et al.*, 2014). The PM-
89 recruited N-BAR domain induces dramatic membrane tubulation from the PM (Suarez *et al.*,
90 2014). By striking contrast, the Δ N-BAR domain, which lacks the N-terminal amphipathic
91 helix of the N-BAR domain and thus is structurally similar to classic BAR domains, and the F-
92 BAR domain rarely promote the formation of membrane tubules from the PM (Suarez *et al.*,
93 2014), although classic BAR and F-BAR domains can induce membrane tubule formation from
94 liposomes (Henne *et al.*, 2007, Peter *et al.*, 2004). The amphipathic helix of the N-BAR domain
95 penetrates the lipid bilayer, leading to increased membrane curvature into the cytoplasm, and
96 the BAR domain subsequently senses this curvature and drives membrane tubule formation
97 (Figure 8A) (Campelo *et al.*, 2008, Gallop *et al.*, 2006, McMahon & Boucrot, 2015, Poudel *et*
98 *al.*, 2016). Therefore, we hypothesized that if proper membrane curvature is generated, the Δ N-
99 BAR and/or F-BAR domains should be able to induce the generation of membrane tubules
100 from the PM in the same way as the N-BAR domain does. We assessed membrane curvature

101 induced by flippase activity via monitoring the extent of membrane tubulation using the CID
102 technique that allows acute recruitment of BAR domains to the PM.

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104 **Results and Discussion**

105 ***Recruitment of the N-BAR domain, but not of the Δ N-BAR or F-BAR domain, to the PM*** 106 ***induces the generation of membrane tubules from the PM.***

107 We transfected HeLa cells with two constructs: fluorescent protein-fused PM-targeting
108 FRB [FK506-binding protein (FKBP)-rapamycin-binding domain] and fluorescent protein-
109 fused FKBP-BAR domains (Figure EV1A). TagBFP2- or TagRFP-tagged FRB was targeted
110 to the PM by adding the N-terminal 11 amino acids (a.a.) of Lyn, and EGFP- or mCherry-
111 tagged FKBP was fused to each BAR domain [N-BAR (N-BAR domain of human amphiphysin
112 1), Δ N-BAR (lacking the N-terminal amphipathic helix of the N-BAR domain), or F-BAR (F-
113 BAR domain of formin-binding protein 17, FBP17)] (Suarez *et al.*, 2014). The morphology of
114 the PM was visualized by confocal or epifluorescence microscopy, as shown by fluorescent
115 signals of the PM-targeting FRB and FKBP-BAR domains, following treatment with
116 rapamycin, which triggers heterodimerization of FRB and FKBP (Figure EV1A). In the
117 absence of rapamycin, all FKBP-BAR domains, as well as EGFP-FKBP, were predominantly
118 distributed throughout the cytoplasm, and PM-targeting FRB was localized at the PM as
119 described previously (Figure EV1B–D, a and c, Movies EV1–EV4) (Suarez *et al.*, 2014). Upon
120 treatment with rapamycin, the FKBP-BAR domains and EGFP-FKBP were rapidly recruited
121 to the PM (Figure EV1B–D, b–b'' and d–d'', Movies EV1–EV4). The CID-engineered N-BAR
122 domain rapidly induced dramatic formation of tubular structures from the PM (Figure EV1B
123 b–b'' and d–d'', Movie EV2, Figure 8) (Suarez *et al.*, 2014, Yin *et al.*, 2009). These tubular
124 structures did not colocalize with markers of endosomes or the Golgi complex (Figure EV1E);
125 therefore, it is unlikely that they were generated from these intracellular compartments. By
126 contrast, the CID-engineered Δ N-BAR and F-BAR domains, as well as EGFP alone, failed to
127 induce membrane tubulation from the PM, even if they were efficiently recruited to the PM
128 upon rapamycin treatment (Figure EV1C and D, b–b'' and d–d'', Movies EV1, EV3, and EV4)
129 (Suarez *et al.*, 2014). Thus, penetration of the amphipathic helix of the N-BAR domain may
130 have a wedging effect, leading to increased curvature of the PM into the cytoplasm, and the
131 BAR domain may subsequently sense this membrane curvature and drive membrane tubulation
132 via oligomerizing along the membrane (Figure 8A) (Campelo *et al.*, 2008, Gallop *et al.*, 2006,
133 Poudel *et al.*, 2016).

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135 ***Recruitment of the Δ N-BAR or F-BAR domain to the PM leads to the generation of***
136 ***membrane tubules in cells stably expressing ATP10A***

137 We previously showed that ATP10A localizes at the PM and exhibits relatively high PC-
138 flipping activity, and that its exogenous expression changes cell shape and delays cell adhesion
139 and cell spreading on the extracellular matrix (Miyano *et al.*, 2016, Naito *et al.*, 2015). PC is
140 primarily enriched in the exoplasmic leaflet of the PM (Murate *et al.*, 2015). Thus, increased
141 PC-flippase activity due to ATP10A expression allows continuous and excessive phospholipid
142 flipping from the exoplasmic to the cytoplasmic leaflet, resulting in changes in cell shape,
143 decreases in cell size, and delays in cell spreading (Miyano *et al.*, 2016, Naito *et al.*, 2015).
144 ATP10A is not expressed in HeLa cells (Takatsu *et al.*, 2011) (Figure EV4A), and thus its
145 expression may have marked effects on these cells. We hypothesized that ATP10A expression
146 might trigger inward bending of the PM, thereby promoting membrane tubulation induced by
147 PM-recruited BAR domains. To test this hypothesis, we used HeLa cells stably expressing
148 ATP10A; the ATP10A(E203Q) mutant, which lacks ATPase activity; and ATP11A, which
149 specifically flips PS/PE at the PM (Takatsu *et al.*, 2014) (Figure 1). The expression level of
150 ATP10A was comparable to that of ATP10A(E203Q) and lower than that of ATP11A (Figure
151 EV2A), and PC-flippase activity was not altered upon rapamycin treatment (Figure EV2B).
152 We also confirmed that the PC-flippase activity of ATP10A was not altered upon expression
153 of BAR domains or their recruitment to the PM (Figure EV2C).

154 Recruitment of the Δ N-BAR or F-BAR domain to the PM did not cause membrane
155 tubulation in parental HeLa cells (Figures EV1C and D). By contrast, recruitment of the Δ N-
156 BAR or F-BAR domain to the PM induced drastic membrane tubulation in cells expressing
157 ATP10A (Figure 1A and D, b, b', d, and d', Movies EV5, EV6, EV9, and EV10), but not in
158 cells expressing ATP10A(E203Q) (Figure 1B and E, b, b', d, and d', Movie EV7). These results
159 demonstrate that the PC-flippase activity of ATP10A mediates membrane tubule formation.
160 Recruitment of the N-BAR domain to the PM caused membrane tubulation in parental HeLa
161 cells as well as cells expressing ATP10A, ATP10A(E203Q), and ATP11A (Figure 1G-I, b'
162 and d' and Figure EV1B). No tubular membrane structures were observed in cells not treated
163 with rapamycin (Figure 1A, D, and G, a and c, Movies EV5 and EV6). For semi-quantitative
164 analysis, we counted the numbers of cells containing tubular membrane structures following
165 rapamycin treatment. Recruitment of the Δ N-BAR or F-BAR domain to the PM in ATP10A-
166 expressing cells increased the proportion of cells containing tubular structures relative to

167 control and ATP10A(E203Q)-expressing cells (Figure 1J and K). Although the PM-recruited
168 N-BAR domain drove membrane tubulation in parental HeLa cells (Figure EV1B, Figure 1L
169 (-)), the number of cells containing tubular structures was slightly higher among those
170 expressing ATP10A, but not among those expressing ATP10A(E203Q) or ATP11A (Figure
171 1L).

172 The PM-recruited Δ N-BAR and F-BAR domains did not cause membrane tubulation in
173 cells expressing ATP11A, which flips PS/PE at the PM (Takatsu *et al.*, 2014) (Figure 1C and
174 F, b, b', d, and d'). The level of PS/PE is limited in the exoplasmic leaflet (Murate *et al.*, 2015,
175 Op den Kamp, 1979); therefore, exogenous expression of ATP11A may not trigger membrane
176 deformation. Therefore, excessive PC flipping from the outer to the inner leaflet driven by
177 ATP10A generates membrane curvature by inducing an imbalance of lipid mass between the
178 two leaflets.

179 Disruption of cytoskeleton leads to a reduction in membrane tension that can initiate
180 membrane tubulation mediated by an N-BAR domain-containing protein (Gauthier *et al.*, 2012,
181 Masters *et al.*, 2013, Shi & Baumgart, 2015). We therefore investigated whether this membrane
182 tubulation, which is induced by BAR domains in ATP10A-expressing cells, is caused by
183 disruption of cytoskeleton. The integrity of the actin cytoskeleton and microtubules was not
184 affected by expression of ATP10A or recruitment of the Δ N-BAR domain to the PM in
185 ATP10A-expressing cells in comparison with control cells (Figure 2A and B, a, a', d, d', g,
186 and g'). These results suggest that enhanced PC-flipping activity increases inward bending of
187 the PM and generates membrane curvature. Thus, the PM-recruited Δ N-BAR and F-BAR
188 domains stably interact with curved membranes, resulting in membrane tubulation from the
189 PM.

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191 ***Disruption of microtubules attenuates membrane tubulation caused by BAR domains***

192 We next asked whether the membrane tubulation generated by the recruitment of BAR
193 domains to the PM is dependent on microtubules. To this end, we treated cells with nocodazole
194 to disrupt microtubules (Figure 3A–D, d). We confirmed that nocodazole treatment did not
195 affect the flippase activity of ATP10A (Figure EV2D). Nocodazole treatment reduced the
196 formation of tubular membrane structures by PM-recruited N-BAR domain (Figure 3A e–f',
197 and E). In addition, membrane tubules generated by PM-recruited Δ N-BAR or F-BAR domain
198 in ATP10A-expressing cells were also reduced by treatment with nocodazole (Figure 3C and
199 D, e–f', and F and G). Therefore, the membrane tubulation by the BAR-domains was in a

200 manner dependent on microtubules. Although cell populations containing long tubular
201 structures were reduced upon nocodazole treatment (Figure 3E–G), very short tubules were
202 observed (Figure 3A and C, e'' and f'') suggesting the possibility that elongation of membrane
203 tubules require the integrity of microtubules.

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205 *An increase in PM tension prevents the generation of membrane tubules by BAR domains*

206 We next investigated whether inward bending of the PM is a prerequisite for membrane
207 tubulation driven by PM-recruited BAR domains. To this end, we examined whether an
208 increase in PM tension inhibited BAR domain-driven membrane tubulation by exposing cells
209 to hypotonic medium (Figures 4 and 5). Intriguingly, recruitment of the N-BAR domain to the
210 PM did not induce membrane tubulation in cells exposed to hypotonic conditions (Figure 4A
211 e–f' and E, Movies EV2 and EV8). Cells were exposed to hypotonic medium before or after
212 treatment with rapamycin (Movie EV8 and EV2, respectively) and cells did not generate
213 membrane tubules in either case. Upon exposure to hypotonic conditions, cells swelled acutely
214 (Movies EV2, EV5, and EV8), indicating that PM tension was increased. These results suggest
215 that outward swelling of cells negatively affects membrane curvature toward the cytoplasm.
216 We next investigated whether a decrease in membrane tension triggers membrane tubulation
217 by exposing cells to hypertonic medium. However, hypertonic stress did not significantly affect
218 membrane tubulation driven by the N-BAR domain (Figure 4B e–f' and F) or trigger membrane
219 tubulation driven by the Δ N-BAR domain (Figure 4D e–f' and G). Thus, even in shrunken cells
220 exposed to hypertonic medium, the PM may not bend properly to allow the Δ N-BAR domain
221 to form membrane tubules.

222 Exposure to hypotonic medium also abrogated membrane tubulation induced by the PM-
223 recruited Δ N-BAR and F-BAR domains in ATP10A-expressing cells (Figure 5A and C, e–f',
224 E, F, Movie EV5). Membrane tubules induced by the PM-recruited Δ N-BAR domain was
225 readily disappeared upon exposure to hypotonic medium (Movie EV5), suggesting that tubular
226 structures are highly dynamic and susceptible to a change in membrane tension. Thus, outward
227 swelling of cells prevents inward PM bending triggered by the flippase activity of ATP10A
228 and by insertion of the amphipathic helix of the N-BAR domain. Notably, the PC-flippase
229 activity of ATP10A was abrogated under hypotonic conditions (Figure EV2D). Therefore, we
230 cannot exclude the possibility that ablation of membrane tubules upon hypotonic stress is
231 associated with the lack of flippase activities. However, we think that the disappearance of
232 membrane tubules under hypotonic condition is due to the increase in membrane tension which

233 prevents inward PM bending, because the N-BAR domain did not generate membrane tubules
234 (Figure 4A). Exposure to hypertonic medium did not affect membrane tubulation driven by the
235 Δ N-BAR or F-BAR domain in ATP10A-expressing cells (Figure 5B and D, e–f). This result
236 corresponds to the membrane tubulation driven by the N-BAR domain (Figure 4B and F).
237 Membrane tubulation was not observed in ATP10A(E203Q)-expressing cells under any
238 condition (Figure EV3).

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240 ***Depletion of ATP10A inhibits membrane tubulation induced by the Δ N-BAR and F-BAR*** 241 ***domains in cells stably expressing exogenous ATP10A***

242 To confirm that the flippase activity of ATP10A is indispensable for deformation of the
243 PM, we knocked down ATP10A via RNAi in cells stably expressing this flippase. Efficient
244 knockdown of ATP10A was confirmed by immunoblot analysis (Figure EV4B), measurement
245 of PC-flippase activity (Figure EV4C), and immunofluorescence analysis (Figure 6A, C, and
246 E, k and l). Membrane tubulation driven by recruitment of the Δ N-BAR and F-BAR domains
247 to the PM was significantly decreased in ATP10A-depleted cells (Figure 6A and C, h, h', j,
248 and j', B, and D). These results revealed that membrane tubulation induced by the Δ N-BAR
249 and F-BAR domains in ATP10A-expressing cells is due to increased PC-flippase activity at
250 the PM. Membrane tubulation induced by the N-BAR domain was not decreased in ATP10A-
251 depleted cells (Figure 6E h, h', j, and j', and F), probably due to its high membrane-deforming
252 activity and/or a modest level of residual ATP10A protein (Figure EV4B).

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254 ***Enhanced PC-flipping activity increases endocytosis of β 1-integrin***

255 Since incubation with phospholipids, but not lyso-phospholipids, enhances endocytosis in
256 K562 cells (Farge *et al.*, 1999), it was hypothesized that phospholipid treatment increased the
257 concentration of phospholipids in the inner leaflet of the PM and endocytosis was subsequently
258 enhanced. We examined whether increased flippase activity upon ATP10A expression
259 facilitates endocytosis. To this end, β 1-integrin internalization was examined by following an
260 extracellularly applied anti- β 1-integrin antibody (Figure 7A). Cells were incubated with an
261 anti- β 1-integrin antibody at 4°C for 1 h, washed with ice-cold PBS to remove unbound
262 antibodies, and incubated at 37°C for the indicated durations to allow the internalization of β 1-
263 integrin (Figure 7). Cells were then washed with acidic solution to remove residual antibodies
264 on the PM. The fluorescence intensity of intracellular β 1-integrin was estimated in cells
265 expressing ATP10A and ATP10A(E203Q) and parental cells. Internalization of β 1-integrin

266 was significantly increased at 15 and 30 min in cells stably expressing ATP10A, but not in
267 those stably expressing ATP10A(E203Q) (Figure 7B). In addition, the internalization was not
268 altered in cells stably expressing ATP11A as compared with control cells (Figure 7B). As we
269 discussed above, the level of PS/PE is limited in the exoplasmic leaflet (Murate *et al.*, 2015,
270 Op den Kamp, 1979); therefore, exogenous expression of ATP11A may not trigger the
271 phospholipids imbalance and membrane deformation. Therefore, enhanced inward bending of
272 the PM induced by ATP10A expression facilitates the internalization of β 1-integrin, which
273 may delay cell adhesion and cell spreading on extracellular matrix (Miyano *et al.*, 2016, Naito
274 *et al.*, 2015). We also recognized that ATP1A1 (Na/K pump), which mainly localizes to the
275 PM, appeared more frequently in intracellular puncta in cells expressing ATP10A than in
276 control cells (Figure EV5A). Counting of cells in which ATP1A1 localized to the PM, and the
277 PM and cellular puncta revealed that intracellular ATP1A1 was substantially increased in cells
278 expressing ATP10A but not ATP10A(E203Q) (Figure EV5B) suggesting that ATP10A
279 expression increased the internalization of ATP1A1.

280 Then we asked whether depletion of endogenous ATP10A affects the β 1-integrin
281 endocytosis. To this end, we depleted ATP10A by CRSIPR/Cas9 system in MDA-MB-231
282 cells which express endogenous ATP10A (Figures EV4A, and EV6A and B) and examined the
283 β 1-integrin internalization in the knockout cells. As shown in Figure EV6, although knockout
284 of endogenous ATP10A tended to decrease the endocytosis of β 1-integrin, the decrease was
285 not statistically significant (Figure EV6C). One possibility would be a functional redundancy
286 of other PC-flippases because MDA-MB-231 cells express PC-flippases such as ATP8B1 and
287 ATP8B2 (Takatsu *et al.*, 2014) (Figure EV6D).

288 Taken together, these results strongly suggest that enhancement of PC-flipping in
289 ATP10A-expressing cells induces an imbalance in the level of lipids between the leaflets of
290 the bilayer and increases inward PM bending, driving membrane curvature and allowing
291 membrane tubulation by BAR domains, even those that lack the N-terminal amphipathic helix.
292 Given that an increase in PM tension following hypotonic treatment suppressed membrane
293 tubulation driven by the N-BAR domain in parental HeLa cells, as well as by the Δ N-BAR and
294 F-BAR domains in ATP10A-expressing cells, membrane curvature induced by the N-terminal
295 amphipathic helix of N-BAR or enhanced PC-flippase activity (Figure 8A and B) is a
296 prerequisite for membrane tubulation. PC is abundant in the outer leaflet of the PM; therefore,
297 enhanced PC flipping by ATP10A most likely causes a lipid imbalance. On the other hand,
298 PS/PE is confined to the inner leaflet of the PM, meaning that expression of ATP11A may not

299 generate a lipid imbalance to allow membrane deformation. Notably, phospholipid flipping at
300 the PM was generally suppressed in hypotonic conditions but not in hypertonic conditions
301 (Figure EV2D). This suggests that an acute increase in membrane tension inhibits not only
302 membrane bending but also transbilayer lipid translocation.

303 In yeast, inactivation of Drs2p, a Golgi-localized PS-flippase, inhibits recruitment of Arf-
304 GTPase-activating protein (Gcs1p) to Golgi and endosomal membranes. Gcs1p contains an
305 amphipathic, α -helical ArfGAP lipid packing sensor (ALPS) motif, which plays a critical role
306 in recruitment of Gcs1p to membranes by sensing membrane curvature. Therefore, the PS-
307 flippase activity of Drs2p may be required to generate membrane curvature, which allows the
308 recruitment of Gcs1p to membranes (Xu *et al.*, 2013). Indeed, yeast cells depleted of Drs2p
309 accumulated aberrant membrane structures (Chen *et al.*, 1999). There are other explanations
310 for these observations, such as an electrostatic interaction between Gcs1p and PS. While this
311 study provides evidence for an effect of transbilayer lipid-mass changes on membrane
312 deformation since electrostatic effects on the PM can be excluded because PC is a neutral
313 phospholipid. In addition, phospholipid flipping itself, regardless of which phospholipid is
314 flipped, seems to be required for vesicle formation in yeast (Takeda *et al.*, 2014). Together with
315 our findings, phospholipid-flipping activities of P4-ATPases are able to induce membrane
316 curvature by generating an imbalance in the level of lipids between the two leaflets of the PM
317 and other cellular compartments, regardless of the flipped phospholipid species. The data
318 presented herein provide the important experimental evidence that phospholipid-flippase
319 activity can deform biological membranes. This raises questions when, where, and how
320 flippases can act. We recently have revealed the signal-dependent regulation mechanism of
321 ATP11C, a PS-flippase (Takatsu *et al.*, 2017). Elucidation of regulation mechanisms of P4-
322 ATPases including PC-flippases enable understanding of how P4-ATPases play roles in many
323 cellular processes involving membrane deformation, including membrane trafficking and cell
324 migration.

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326 **Materials and Methods**

327 ***Plasmids***

328 Constructs for C-terminally HA-tagged P4-ATPases were generated as described
329 previously (Takatsu *et al.*, 2011, Takatsu *et al.*, 2014). Constructs for FKBP-conjugated
330 fluorescent N-BAR (human amphiphysin 1, a.a. 1–248), Δ N-BAR (a.a. 26–248), F-BAR
331 (human FBP17, a.a. 1–300), and FRB-conjugated Lyn (a.a. 1–11) were obtained as described

332 previously (Komatsu *et al.*, 2010, Suarez *et al.*, 2014). DNA fragments of Lyn-mCherry-FRB
333 were amplified by PCR and inserted into pcDNA3 using the *EcoRI* and *XhoI* sites. Thereafter,
334 DNA fragments encoding TagBFP2 (Evrogen) and TagRFP (a kind gift from Hideki Shibata,
335 Nagoya University) (Shibata *et al.*, 2010) were amplified and inserted in place of mCherry
336 cDNA at the *AgeI* and *BsrGI* sites using an In-Fusion HD cloning kit (Clontech). To construct
337 Lifeact-EGFP and Lifeact-mCherry, sense and antisense oligonucleotides corresponding to the
338 first 17 a.a. of Abp140 (Riedl *et al.*, 2008) were synthesized, annealed, and inserted into
339 pEGFP-N1 (Invitrogen) and pcDNA3-mCherry-N (a kind gift from Roger Tsien, University of
340 California).

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342 ***Cell culture, siRNA-mediated knockdown, and transfection***

343 HeLa cells were cultured in Minimal Essential Medium (MEM) supplemented with
344 10% heat-inactivated fetal bovine serum (FBS) at 37°C in 5% CO₂. Cells stably expressing
345 HA-tagged P4-ATPases were generated as described previously (Naito *et al.*, 2015, Takatsu *et*
346 *al.*, 2014). HeLa cells were transfected with plasmids carrying each FKBP-fused fluorescent
347 BAR domain and FRB-fused fluorescent Lyn using X-tremeGENE9 (Roche Applied Science).

348 siRNAs were prepared as described previously (Naito *et al.*, 2015). In brief, pools of
349 siRNAs targeting the coding region of human ATP10A (nucleotides 655–1399 of ATP10A
350 mRNA; the A nucleotide of the ATG initiation codon was defined as nucleotide 1) were
351 prepared using the T7 RiboMAX Express RNAi System (Promega) and PowerCut Dicer
352 (Fynzymes). Cells were transfected with siRNAs using Lipofectamine 2000 (Invitrogen) and
353 incubated for 24 h. Transfected cells were seeded onto culture dishes. After 24 h, cells were
354 transfected with the siRNAs again and incubated for an additional 24 h. Finally, transfected
355 cells were transferred to new culture dishes containing coverslips, incubated for an additional
356 48 h, and processed for immunoblot and immunofluorescence analyses.

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358 ***Antibodies and reagents***

359 Antibodies were obtained from the following sources: monoclonal mouse anti- β -
360 tubulin (KMX-1) (Millipore); monoclonal mouse anti-EEA1 (clone 14), anti-Lamp-1 (H4A3),
361 anti-SNX1 (clone 51), anti- β 1-integrin (Mab13), and anti-GM130 (BD Biosciences);
362 monoclonal rat anti-HA (3F10; Roche Applied Science); monoclonal rabbit anti-ATP1A1
363 (EP1845Y) (Abcam); Alexa Fluor-conjugated secondary antibodies (Molecular Probes); and
364 Cy3- and horseradish peroxidase-conjugated secondary antibodies (Jackson ImmunoResearch

365 Laboratories). Alexa Fluor 488- and 555-conjugated phalloidin was purchased from Molecular
366 Probes. The NBD-labeled phospholipids (Avanti Polar Lipids) used in this study were NBD-
367 PS (1-oleyl-2-[6-[(7-nitro-2-1,3-benzoxadiazol-4-yl)amino]hexanoyl]-sn-glycero-3-
368 phosphoserine), NBD-PE (1-oleyl-2-[6-[(7-nitro-2-1,3-benzoxadiazol-4-yl)amino]hexanoyl]-
369 sn-glycero-3-phosphoethanolamine), and NBD-PC (1-oleyl-2-[6-[(7-nitro-2-1,3-
370 benzoxadiazol-4-yl)amino]hexanoyl]-sn-glycero-3-phosphocholine. Nocodazole, rapamycin,
371 and fibronectin were obtained from Sigma-Aldrich and LC Laboratories, respectively.

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373 ***Immunofluorescence and live-cell imaging***

374 Cells grown on coverslips were treated with 200 nM rapamycin for 15 min, 16.7 μ M
375 of nocodazole for 60 min, hypotonic medium (10% MEM and 90% H₂O) for 15 min, or
376 hypertonic medium (MEM containing 200 mM sucrose) for 20 min. Time schedule for the
377 treatment(s) was shown in table EV. Treated cells were fixed with 3% paraformaldehyde in
378 PBS at 37°C for 15 min, permeabilized with 0.1% Triton X-100 at room temperature for 5 min,
379 and incubated in PBS containing 10% FBS at room temperature for 30 min. Cells exposed to
380 hypotonic or hypertonic medium were fixed with 3.7% formaldehyde prepared in 0.1 \times PBS or
381 3.7% formaldehyde prepared in 1 \times PBS containing 200 mM sucrose, respectively. Fixed cells
382 were incubated with primary antibodies at room temperature for 1 h, washed three times with
383 PBS, and incubated with secondary antibodies at room temperature for 1 h. Coverslips were
384 placed onto Mowiol, and cells were observed using an Axiovert 200M microscope (Carl Zeiss).
385 To obtain semi-quantitative data regarding membrane tubulation, cells containing more than
386 two tubular membrane structures longer than 20 μ m, as shown by the epifluorescent signal of
387 each FKBP-BAR domain, were counted. Statistical significance was determined by Welch's t
388 test.

389 For time-lapse recording, cells were placed on a microscope stage prewarmed to
390 37°C, and merged differential interference and fluorescence images were obtained using an
391 A1R-MP confocal laser-scanning microscope (Nikon). Images were acquired every 16.0 sec,
392 and movies play at a rate of 12.5 frames per second.

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394 ***Immunoblotting***

395 Cells were lysed in lysis buffer (20 mM HEPES-KOH [pH 7.4], 150 mM NaCl, 1 mM
396 EDTA, and 1% NP-40) containing a protease inhibitor cocktail (Nacalai Tesque) for 20 min
397 on ice. Cell lysates were centrifuged at 16,100 g for 15 min at 4°C in a microcentrifuge. Proteins

398 (30 μg) were separated by SDS-PAGE and electroblotted onto an Immobilon-P transfer
399 membrane (Millipore EMD). The membrane was blocked with 5% skimmed milk and
400 sequentially incubated with the indicated primary and horseradish peroxidase-conjugated
401 secondary antibodies. Signals were detected using a Chemi-Lumi One L or Chemi-Lumi One
402 Super kit (Nacalai Tesque).

403

404 ***Flippase assay***

405 Incorporation of NBD-phospholipids was analyzed by flow cytometry as described
406 previously (Takatsu *et al.*, 2014). In brief, HeLa cells were detached from dishes in PBS
407 containing 5 mM EDTA and harvested by centrifugation. Thereafter, cells (1×10^6 cells per
408 sample) were washed and equilibrated at 15°C for 15 min in 500 μL Hank's balanced salt
409 solution (pH 7.4) containing 1 g/L glucose (HBSS-glucose). An equal volume of 2 μM NBD-
410 phospholipid prepared in HBSS-glucose was added to the cell suspension and incubated at
411 15°C. At each time point, 200 μL of the cell suspension was collected and mixed with 200 μL
412 of ice-cold HBSS-glucose containing 5% fatty acid-free bovine serum albumin (BSA, Wako
413 Pure Chemical) to extract NBD-lipids incorporated into the exoplasmic leaflet of the PM as
414 well as unincorporated NBD-lipids. Next, 10,000 cells were analyzed on a FACSCalibur
415 instrument (BD Biosciences) to measure the fluorescence of NBD-lipids that had translocated
416 into the cytoplasmic leaflet of the PM. Mean fluorescence intensities per cell were calculated.
417 Propidium iodide-positive cells (i.e., dead cells) were excluded from the analysis.

418 HeLa cells in 12-well plates (5×10^5 cells/well) were treated with rapamycin or
419 nocodazole, or were exposed to hypotonic or hypertonic conditions in 500 μL of $0.1 \times$ HBSS-
420 glucose or 500 μL HBSS-glucose containing 200 mM sucrose, respectively, at 37°C for the
421 indicated durations. Cells were equilibrated at 15°C for 15 min in the same buffer, and then
422 treated with 500 μL HBSS-glucose containing 2 μM NBD-phospholipid at 15°C for 15 min.
423 Thereafter, cells were detached from the plate and suspended in ice-cold PBS containing 2.5%
424 fatty acid-free BSA, 5 mM EDTA, and 0.04% propidium iodide. Next, 10,000 cells were
425 analyzed on a FACSCalibur instrument. Mean fluorescence intensities per cell were calculated.
426 Propidium iodide-positive cells (i.e., dead cells) were excluded from the analysis.

427

428 ***Uptake of anti- $\beta 1$ -integrin antibody***

429 Cellular uptake of an anti- $\beta 1$ -integrin antibody was assayed using a previously
430 described method with some modifications (Nakai *et al.*, 2013, Shin & Nakayama, 2004,

431 Tanaka *et al.*, 2016). HeLa cells stably expressing ATP10A or ATP10A(E203Q) or *ATP10A*-
432 knockout MDA-MB-231 cells were incubated with an anti- β 1-integrin antibody (Mab13) at
433 4°C for 1 h (HeLa cells) or 30 min (MDA-MB-231 cells), washed with ice-cold PBS, and
434 incubated in medium lacking the antibody at 37°C for the indicated durations. Cells were
435 washed with acidic solution (0.5% acetic acid and 0.5 M NaCl, pH 3.0) to remove residual
436 antibodies from the PM prior to fixation. In case of MDA-MB-231 cells, fibronectin-coated
437 cover glass was used to prevent detachment of cells from the cover glass upon temperature
438 shift. Fixed cells were processed for immunofluorescence analysis as described above and
439 imaged using an Axiovert 200 MAT microscope (Carl Zeiss). The fluorescence intensity of
440 intracellular β 1-integrin was quantitated using MetaMorph software (Molecular Devices).
441 Variance was assessed by a one-way ANOVA and comparisons were made by Tukey's post-
442 hoc analysis.

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444 ***RT-PCR***

445 Total RNA was isolated from HeLa, MDA-MB-231, RPE-1, and HEK293T cells
446 using an RNeasy mini kit (Qiagen). RT-PCR analysis was performed using a SuperScript III
447 One-Step RT-PCR system (Invitrogen) and the following primer pairs: human CDC50A: sense,
448 GAAAAAGAAAGGTATTGCTTGGTG, antisense, GTAATGTCAGCTGTATTACTACTG;
449 human ATP10A: sense, CACAATGTTCGTGGGCCTCC, antisense,
450 AAGGACACTGAAGCCACACG; human ATP8B1: sense, GTGGCCTCCACCAACCGGG,
451 antisense, CACCTCTATTCCTCTGGTTTTCC; human ATP8B2: sense,
452 GGGAGAGAGGCCTGAACCTG, antisense, GGAGTCCAGGATGGCCAGCAG.

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454 ***Establishment of KO cell lines by the CRISPR/Cas9 system***

455 To edit the *ATP10A* gene, we used the CRISPR/Cas9 system described previously
456 (Kato *et al.*, 2017, Tanaka *et al.*, 2016). Two single guide RNA (sgRNA) sequences (#1 and
457 #2, Figure EV6A) targeting the human *ATP10A* gene were designed using the CRISPR Design
458 Tool from the Zhang lab (<http://crispr.mit.edu/>). We used a donor plasmid of pDonor-tBFP-
459 NLS-Neo (Addgene #80766) (Tanaka *et al.*, 2016) and PX459 (Addgene #48139). Two
460 plasmids (plasmid containing *ATP10A* target sequences and the Cas9 gene, and a donor
461 plasmid) were introduced into MDA-MB-231 cells by transfection using the X-tremeGENE9
462 DNA Transfection Reagent (Roche). Transfected cells were selected in medium containing
463 G418 (1-4 mg/ml), and clones were isolated on the basis of expression of the reporter gene
464 Tag-BFP. To confirm editing of *ATP10A*, genomic DNA was extracted from individual clones,

465 and subjected to PCR using KOD FX Neo DNA polymerase (TOYOBO). Three primer sets
466 used to amplify *ATP10A* lacking the donor vector integration (S1, 5'-
467 CGAGTGATGATAACCTAAGAGG-3', and AS1, 5'-GTTGATCTTGTGGTCGGAGC-3'),
468 *ATP10A* with donor vector integrated in the forward orientation (donor vector-primer, 5'-
469 GTTGTCCACGGTGCCCTCCATGTAC-3' and S1), and *ATP10A* with donor vector
470 integrated in the reverse orientation (donor vector-primer and AS1). Among clones with donor
471 vector integration in either orientation, the knockout was confirmed by direct sequencing of
472 the amplified PCR product, *ATP10A* without donor vector integration, using a specific
473 sequencing primer (S1 and/or donor vector-primer). Three clones (1-1, 2-1, and 2-6) carrying
474 biallelic changes that resulted in donor vector integration in forward or reverse and frame-
475 shifting indels were used in this study.

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483 The authors declare that they have no conflict of interest.

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620 **Figure legends**

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622 **Figure 1. Enhancement of PC-flippase activity at the PM upon expression of ATP10A**
623 **triggers membrane tubulation by PM-recruited Δ N-BAR and F-BAR domains**

624 HeLa cells stably expressing C-terminally HA-tagged ATP10A, ATP10A(E203Q), and
625 ATP11A were transiently co-transfected with expression vectors for Lyn-TagBFP2-FRB (PM)
626 and EGFP-FKBP-N-BAR (N-BAR), EGFP-FKBP- Δ N-BAR (Δ N-BAR), or mCherry-FKBP-
627 F-BAR (F-BAR). Cells were treated with vehicle alone [Rapa(-)] or 200 nM rapamycin [Rapa
628 (+)] for 15 min and fixed. Fixed cells were stained for an anti-HA primary antibody, followed
629 by a Cy3-conjugated (A–C, G–I) or Alexa Fluor 488-conjugated (D–F) anti-rat secondary
630 antibody. Panels b' and d' show enlarged images of the insets in b and d, respectively. Bars,
631 20 μ m. Bars in enlarged images, 2 μ m. (J–L) Cells containing membrane tubules were counted
632 [420–672 cells (Δ N-BAR), 417–527 cells (F-BAR), and 422–805 cells (N-BAR) per sample].
633 Graphs display means \pm SD of three independent experiments. **, $p < 0.01$; ***, $p < 0.005$.

634

635 **Figure 2. Expression of ATP10A does not affect the integrity of the actin cytoskeleton or**
636 **microtubules**

637 HeLa cells stably expressing C-terminally HA-tagged ATP10A or ATP10A(E203Q) were
638 transiently co-transfected with expression vectors for Lyn-TagBFP2-FRB (PM) and EGFP-
639 FKBP- Δ N-BAR (Δ N-BAR). Cells were treated with 200 nM rapamycin for 15 min and fixed.
640 Fixed cells were permeabilized and incubated with Alexa Fluor 555-conjugated phalloidin (A),
641 or stained with an anti- β -tubulin primary antibody followed by an Alexa Fluor 555-conjugated
642 anti-mouse secondary antibody (B). Panels a', and d'–i' show enlarged images of the insets in
643 a, and d–i, respectively. Bars, 20 μ m. Bars in enlarged images, 2 μ m.

644

645 **Figure 3. Disruption of microtubules reduced tubular structures caused by PM-recruited**
646 **BAR-domains**

647 (A, B, E) HeLa cells were transiently co-transfected with expression vectors for Lyn-TagBFP2-
648 FRB (PM) and EGFP-FKBP-N-BAR (N-BAR), or EGFP-FKBP- Δ N-BAR (Δ N-BAR). (C, D,
649 F, G) HeLa cells stably expressing HA-tagged ATP10A were transiently co-transfected with
650 expression vectors for Lyn-TagBFP2-FRB (PM) and EGFP-FKBP- Δ N-BAR (Δ N-BAR), or
651 mCherry-FKBP-F-BAR (F-BAR). (A–G) Transfected cells were pretreated with vehicle alone
652 (Mock) or Nocodazole (Noz). The cells were further treated with vehicle alone or nocodazole

653 in the presence of rapamycin. Cells were fixed, permeabilized and stained with antibody against
654 β -tubulin followed by Alexa Fluor 555– or Alexa Fluor 488–conjugated anti-mouse secondary
655 antibody. Panels of b', c', e', e'', f', and f'' are enlarged images of insets in b, c, e, and f. Bars,
656 20 μ m. Bars in enlarged images, 2 μ m. (E–G) Cells containing membrane tubules were counted
657 [429–492 cells (E), 397–479 cells (F), and 404–436 cells (G) in each sample]. Graphs display
658 means \pm SD from three independent experiments. *, $p < 0.05$; ****, $p < 0.001$. The experiments
659 of (G) were performed together with Fig. 5F and thus the graph of Mock is equivalent to that
660 of Fig. 5F.

661

662 **Figure 4. Hypotonic treatment of HeLa cells prevents membrane tubulation induced by**
663 **the PM-recruited N-BAR domain**

664 HeLa cells were transiently co-transfected with expression vectors for Lyn-TagBFP2-FRB
665 (PM) and EGFP-FKBP-N-BAR (N-BAR) or EGFP-FKBP- Δ N-BAR (Δ N-BAR). (A–D)
666 Transfected cells were incubated in isotonic medium containing rapamycin (Mock) or exposed
667 to hypotonic or hypertonic medium containing rapamycin. Cells were fixed, permeabilized,
668 and incubated with Alexa Fluor 555-conjugated phalloidin. Panels b', c', e', and f' show
669 enlarged images of the insets in b, c, e, and f, respectively. Bars, 20 μ m. Bars in enlarged
670 images, 2 μ m. (E, F, G) Cells containing membrane tubules were counted [416–577 cells (N-
671 BAR) and 402–467 cells (Δ N-BAR) per sample]. Graphs display means \pm SD of three
672 independent experiments. ***, $p < 0.005$.

673

674 **Figure 5. Hypotonic treatment of ATP10A-expressing cells prevents membrane**
675 **tubulation induced by PM-recruited Δ N-BAR and F-BAR domains**

676 HeLa cells stably expressing C-terminally HA-tagged ATP10A were transiently co-transfected
677 with expression vectors for Lyn-TagBFP2-FRB (PM) and EGFP-FKBP- Δ N-BAR (Δ N-BAR)
678 (A, B, E) or mCherry-FKBP-F-BAR (F-BAR) (C, D, F). Transfected cells were incubated in
679 isotonic medium containing rapamycin (Mock) or exposed to hypotonic or hypertonic medium
680 containing rapamycin. Cells were fixed, permeabilized, and incubated with Alexa Fluor 555-
681 conjugated (A, B) or Alexa Fluor 488-conjugated (C, D) phalloidin. Panels b', c', e', and f'
682 show enlarged images of the insets in b, c, e, and f, respectively. Bars, 20 μ m. Bars in enlarged
683 images, 2 μ m. (E, F) Cells containing membrane tubules were counted [400–452 cells (Δ N-
684 BAR) and 404–436 cells (F-BAR) per sample]. Graphs display means \pm SD of three
685 independent experiments. **, $p < 0.01$; ***, $p < 0.005$.

686

687 **Figure 6. Depletion of ATP10A abrogates membrane tubulation induced by Δ N-BAR and**
688 **F-BAR domains in ATP10A-expressing cells**

689 HeLa cells stably expressing HA-tagged ATP10A were transfected with a pool of siRNAs
690 against LacZ (as a control) or ATP10A. After 96 h, cells were transiently co-transfected with
691 expression vectors for Lyn-TagBFP2-FRB (PM) and EGFP-FKBP-N-BAR (N-BAR), EGFP-
692 FKBP- Δ N-BAR (Δ N-BAR), or mCherry-FKBP-F-BAR (F-BAR). Cells were treated with
693 vehicle alone [Rapa(-)] or 200 nM rapamycin [Rapa(+)] for 15 min and fixed. Fixed cells were
694 stained with an anti-HA primary antibody followed by a Cy3-conjugated (A, E) or Alexa Fluor
695 488-conjugated (C) anti-rat secondary antibody. Bars, 20 μ m. Bars in enlarged images, 2 μ m.
696 (B, D, F) Cells containing membrane tubules were counted [410–535 cells (Δ N-BAR), 389–
697 464 cells (F-BAR), and 331–645 cells (N-BAR) per sample]. Graphs display means \pm SD of
698 three independent experiments. **, $p < 0.01$; ***, $p < 0.005$.

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700 **Figure 7. Expression of ATP10A increases the internalization rate of β 1-integrin**

701 HeLa cells stably expressing C-terminally HA-tagged ATP10A, ATP10A(E203Q), or
702 ATP11A were incubated with an anti- β 1-integrin antibody at 4°C for 1 h, washed with ice-cold
703 PBS to remove unbound antibodies, and incubated at 37°C for the indicated durations to allow
704 internalization of β 1-integrin. Cells were washed with acidic solution to remove residual
705 antibodies on the PM prior to fixation. Fixed cells were permeabilized and incubated with a
706 Cy3-conjugated anti-rat secondary antibody and Alexa Fluor 488-conjugated phalloidin. (A)
707 Representative images are displayed. Insets show phalloidin staining. Bars, 20 μ m. (B)
708 Fluorescence intensities of internalized β 1-integrin were quantitated using MetaMorph
709 software. A total of 115–224 cells were analyzed per sample. Graphs display means \pm SD of
710 four independent experiments. *, $p < 0.05$; **, $p < 0.01$; ***, $p < 0.005$.

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712 **Figure 8. Schematic illustration of the sensing and/or generation of membrane curvature**
713 **by BAR domains**

714 (A) Penetration of the N-terminal amphipathic helix of the N-BAR domain has a wedging
715 effect, leading to increased membrane curvature into the cytoplasm. The N-BAR domain
716 subsequently senses this membrane curvature and triggers membrane tubulation by
717 oligomerizing along the membrane (PDB: 4ATM, N-BAR domain of amphiphysin 1). (B) By
718 contrast, the Δ N-BAR domain, which lacks the amphipathic helix, cannot generate membrane

719 curvature by itself, but can still sense membrane curvature. Thus, the Δ N-BAR domain can
720 generate membrane tubulation following induction of membrane deformation by P4-ATPases.

721 **EV Figure Legends**

722 **Figure EV1. Membrane tubulation is induced by recruitment of the N-BAR domain, but** 723 **not of the Δ N-BAR or F-BAR domain, to the PM**

724 (A) Schematic illustration of the CID system that allows acute recruitment of BAR domains to
725 the PM following treatment with rapamycin. FP, fluorescent protein; FKBP, FK506-binding
726 protein; FRB, FKBP-rapamycin-binding domain. (B–D) HeLa cells were transiently co-
727 transfected with expression vectors for Lyn-TagBFP2-FRB (PM) and EGFP-FKBP-N-BAR
728 (N-BAR), EGFP-FKBP- Δ N-BAR (Δ N-BAR), or mCherry-FKBP-F-BAR (F-BAR). After 24
729 h, cells were treated with vehicle alone [Rapa(–)] or 200 nM rapamycin [Rapa(+)] for 15 min,
730 fixed, and observed using an epifluorescence microscope. Panels b', b'', d', and d'' show
731 enlarged images of the insets in b and d. (E) HeLa cells were transiently co-transfected with
732 expression vectors for Lyn-TagBFP2-FRB (PM) and EGFP-FKBP-N-BAR (N-BAR). After 24
733 h, cells were treated with 200 nM rapamycin for 15 min, fixed, and stained with an antibody
734 against EEA1, Lamp-1, sorting nexin 1 (SNX1), or GM130 (markers of early endosomes, late
735 endosomes/lysosomes, endosomes, and the Golgi complex, respectively) followed by an Alexa
736 Fluor 555-conjugated anti-mouse secondary antibody.

737

738 **Figure EV2. Flippase activity in ATP10A-expressing cells**

739 (A) HeLa cells stably expressing HA-tagged P4-ATPases were lysed and subjected to SDS-
740 PAGE and immunoblotting with an anti-HA or anti- β -tubulin antibody to determine the total
741 level of the P4-ATPase protein. (B) HeLa cells stably expressing P4-ATPases were treated
742 with vehicle alone [Rapa(–)] or 200 nM rapamycin [Rapa(+)] for 15 min. (C) HeLa cells stably
743 expressing ATP10A were mock-transfected (Mock) or transiently co-transfected with
744 expression vectors for Lyn-TagRFP-FRB (PM) and mCherry-FKBP, mCherry-FKBP- Δ N-
745 BAR (Δ N-BAR), or mCherry-FKBP-N-BAR (N-BAR). After 24 h, cells were treated with 200
746 nM rapamycin. (D, E) HeLa cells stably expressing P4-ATPases were treated with vehicle
747 alone (Mock), or 16.7 μ M of nocodazole or incubated in isotonic, hypotonic, or hypertonic
748 medium. (B–E) Cells were then incubated with the indicated NBD-lipids at 15°C for 15 min.
749 After extraction with fatty acid-free BSA, the residual fluorescence intensity associated with
750 cells was determined by flow cytometry. The fold increase in NBD-lipid uptake relative to that

751 in vector-infected control cells (–) (B and D) or mCherry-FKBP-transfected cells (FKBP, (–))
752 (C) is shown. Graphs display means \pm SD of three independent experiments.

753

754 **Figure EV3. PM-recruited Δ N-BAR and F-BAR domains do not induce membrane**
755 **tubulation in ATP10A(E203Q)-expressing cells**

756 HeLa cells stably expressing C-terminally HA-tagged ATP10A(E203Q) were transiently co-
757 transfected with expression vectors for Lyn-TagBFP2-FRB (PM) and EGFP-FKBP- Δ N-BAR
758 (Δ N-BAR) (A, B) or mCherry-FKBP-F-BAR (F-BAR) (C, D). Transfected cells were
759 incubated in isotonic medium containing rapamycin (Mock) or exposed to hypotonic or
760 hypertonic medium containing rapamycin. Cells were fixed, permeabilized, and incubated with
761 Alexa Fluor 555- or 488-conjugated phalloidin. Bars, 20 μ m. Bars in enlarged images, 2 μ m.

762

763 **Figure EV4. Depletion of ATP10A in ATP10A-expressing cells**

764 (A) RT-PCR was performed using total RNA isolated from the indicated cell lines. RNA was
765 omitted in control reactions. (B) HeLa cells stably expressing HA-tagged ATP10A were treated
766 with a pool of siRNAs targeting LacZ or ATP10A. After 120 h, cells were lysed and subjected
767 to SDS-PAGE and immunoblotting with an anti-HA or anti- β -tubulin antibody. (–) indicates
768 parental HeLa cells. (C) Cells treated with a pool of siRNAs targeting LacZ or ATP10A were
769 incubated with NBD-PC at 15°C as described in the legend of Figure EV2. The fold increase
770 in NBD-PC uptake relative to that in parental cells is shown. Graphs display means \pm SD of
771 three independent experiments.

772

773 **Figure EV5. ATP1A1 localization in ATP10A-expressing cells**

774 HeLa cells stably expressing C-terminally HA-tagged ATP10A, and ATP10A(E203Q) were
775 fixed and stained for an anti-HA and anti-ATP1A1 primary antibodies, followed by a Cy3-
776 conjugated anti-rat and Alexa488-conjugated anti-rabbit secondary antibodies. (A) Bars, 20
777 μ m. (B) Cells in which ATP1A1 localized to the plasma membrane (black), or to the plasma
778 membrane and intracellular puncta (white) were counted: counts were normalized against the
779 total number of counted cells (562-644 cells). Graphs display means of two independent
780 experiments and error bars show minimum and maximum values.

781

782 **Figure EV6. Internalization of β 1-integrin in ATP10A-knockout (KO) cells**

783 *ATP10A* gene of MDA-MB-231 cells was edited by the CRISPR/Cas9 system. (A) Target
784 sequences of *ATP10A* gene are shown. (B) In clone 1-1, clone 2-1, and clone 2-6, *ATP10A*
785 carries biallelic modifications: insertion of a base and donor vector (reverse integration),
786 deletion of 31 bases and insertion of donor vector (forward integration), and deletion of a base
787 and insertion of donor vector (forward integration), respectively. (C) Parental MDA-MB-231
788 cells (-) and *ATP10A*-KO cell lines were incubated with an anti- β 1-integrin antibody at 4°C for
789 30 min, washed with ice-cold PBS to remove unbound antibodies, and incubated at 37°C for
790 30 min to allow internalization of β 1-integrin. Cells were washed with acidic solution to
791 remove residual antibodies on the PM prior to fixation. Fixed cells were permeabilized and
792 incubated with a Cy3-conjugated anti-rat secondary antibody. Fluorescence intensities of
793 internalized β 1-integrin were quantitated using MetaMorph software. A total of 70–174 cells
794 were analyzed per sample. Graphs display means \pm SD of three independent experiments. (D)
795 RT-PCR was performed using total RNA isolated from the indicated cell lines. RNA was
796 omitted in control reactions.

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798 **EV Table Legend**

799 **Table EV. Time schedule for treatment(s) of cells**

800 Arrows indicate the treatments of cells. Rapa, rapamycin; Noz, nocodazole; Hypo, hypotonic
801 stress; Hyper, hypertonic stress

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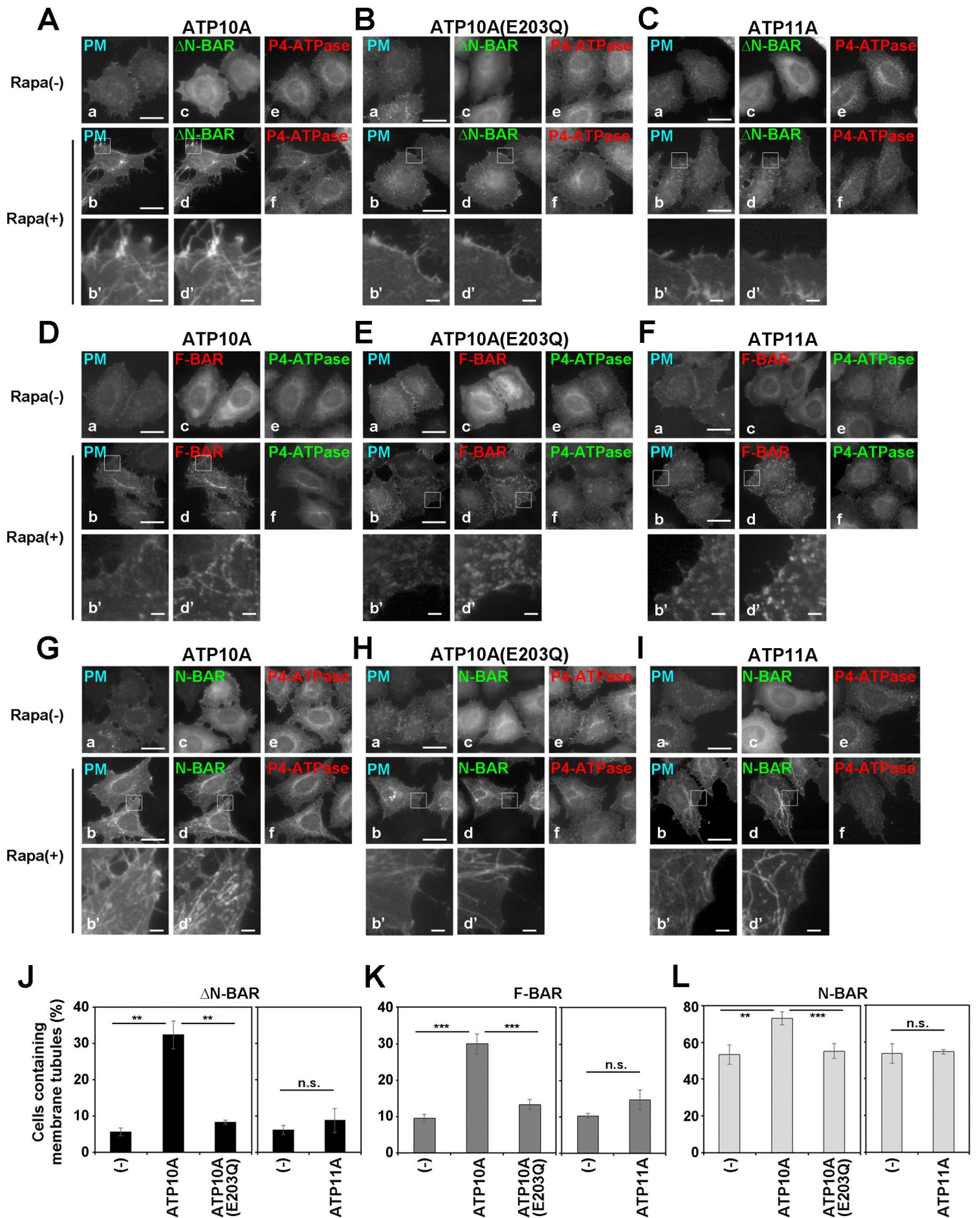


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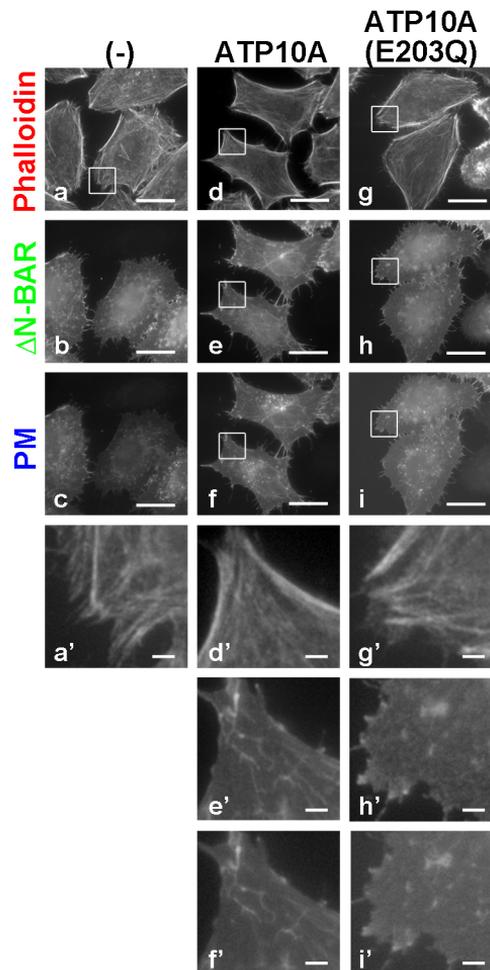
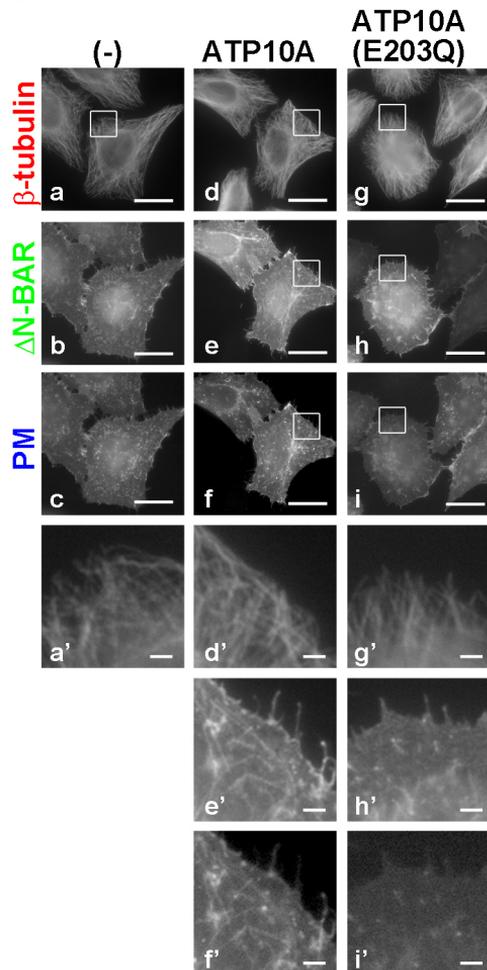
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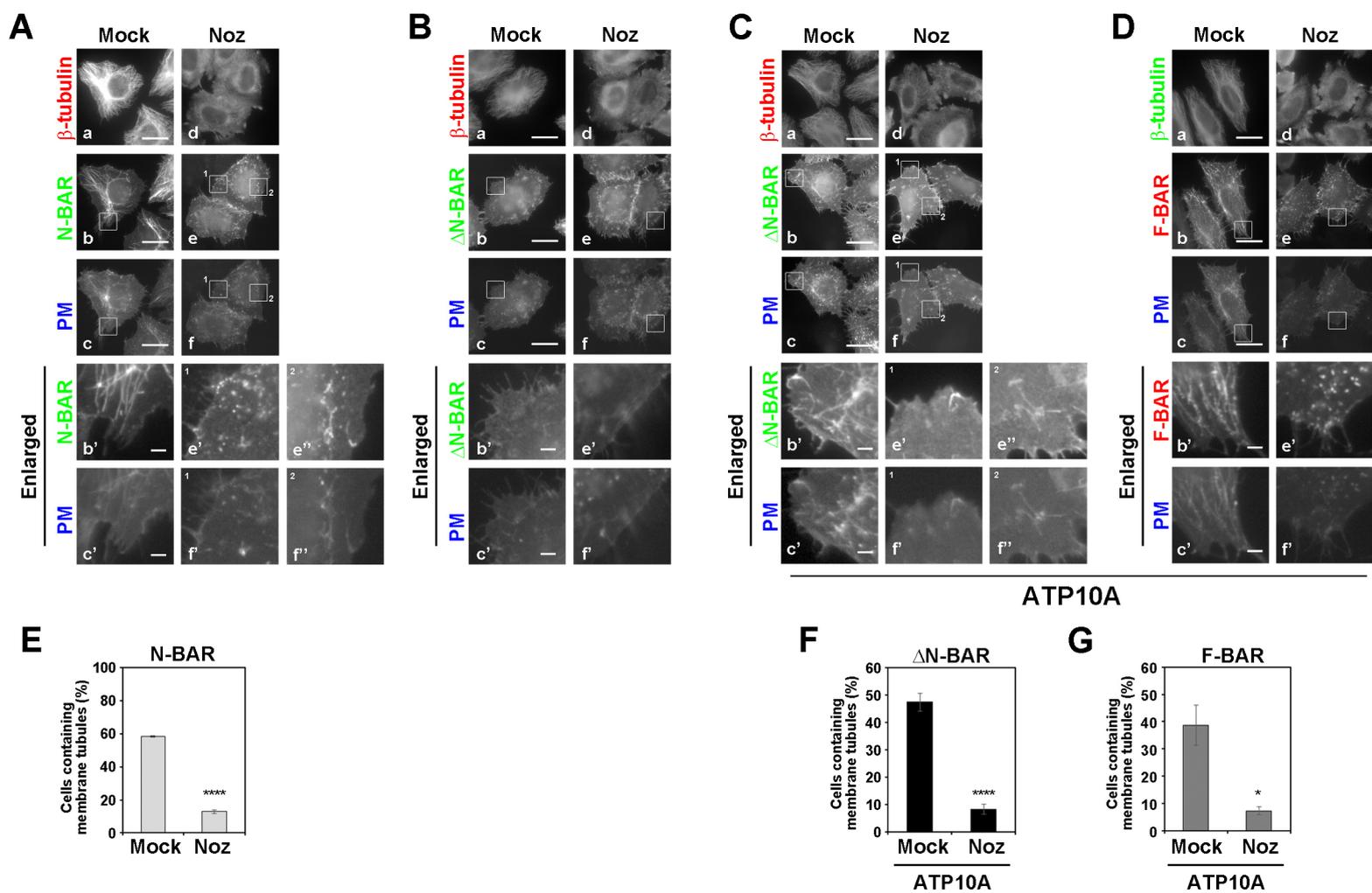


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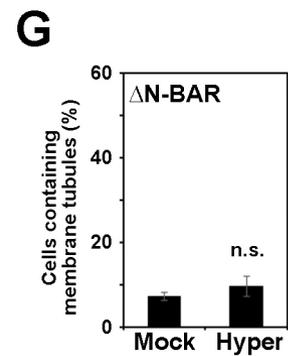
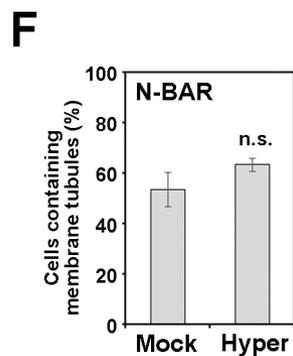
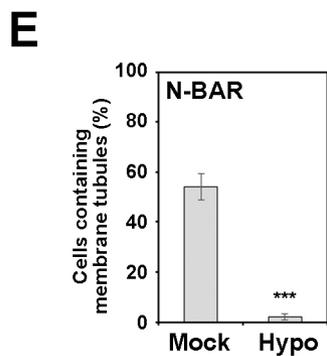
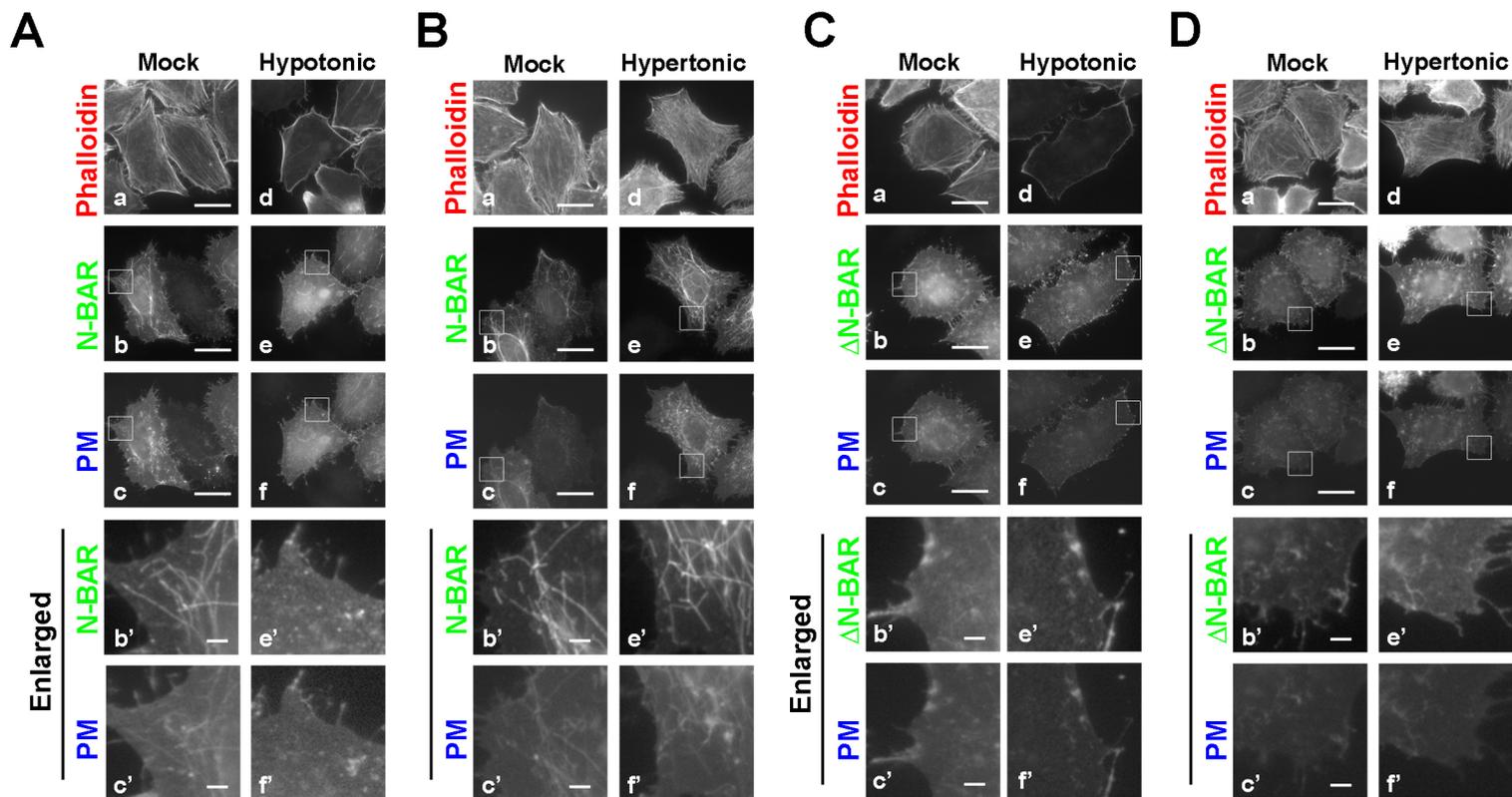


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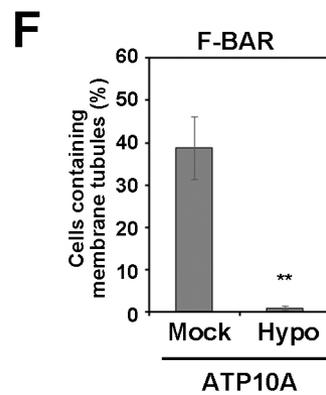
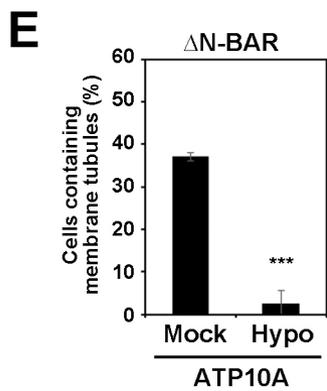
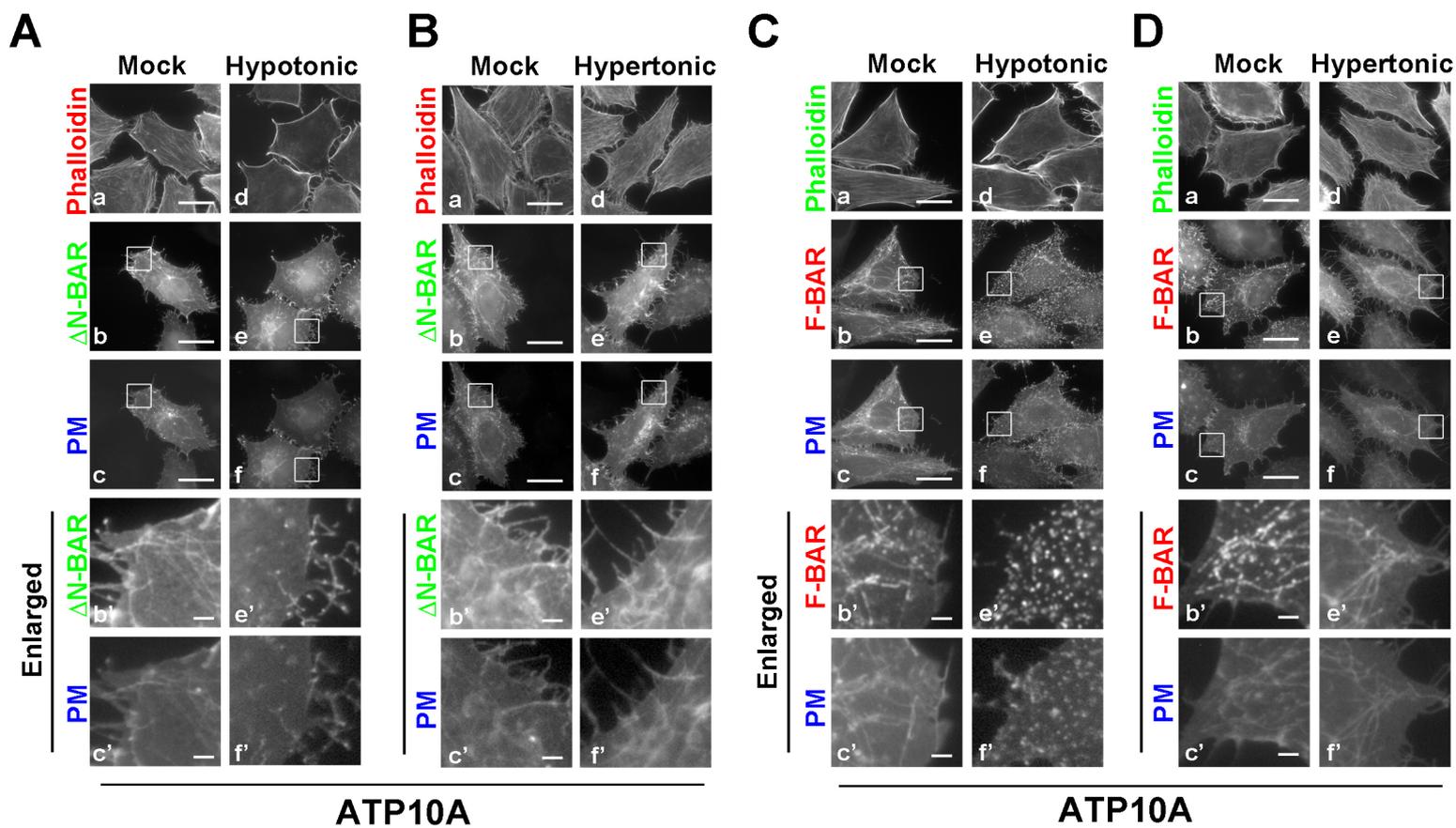


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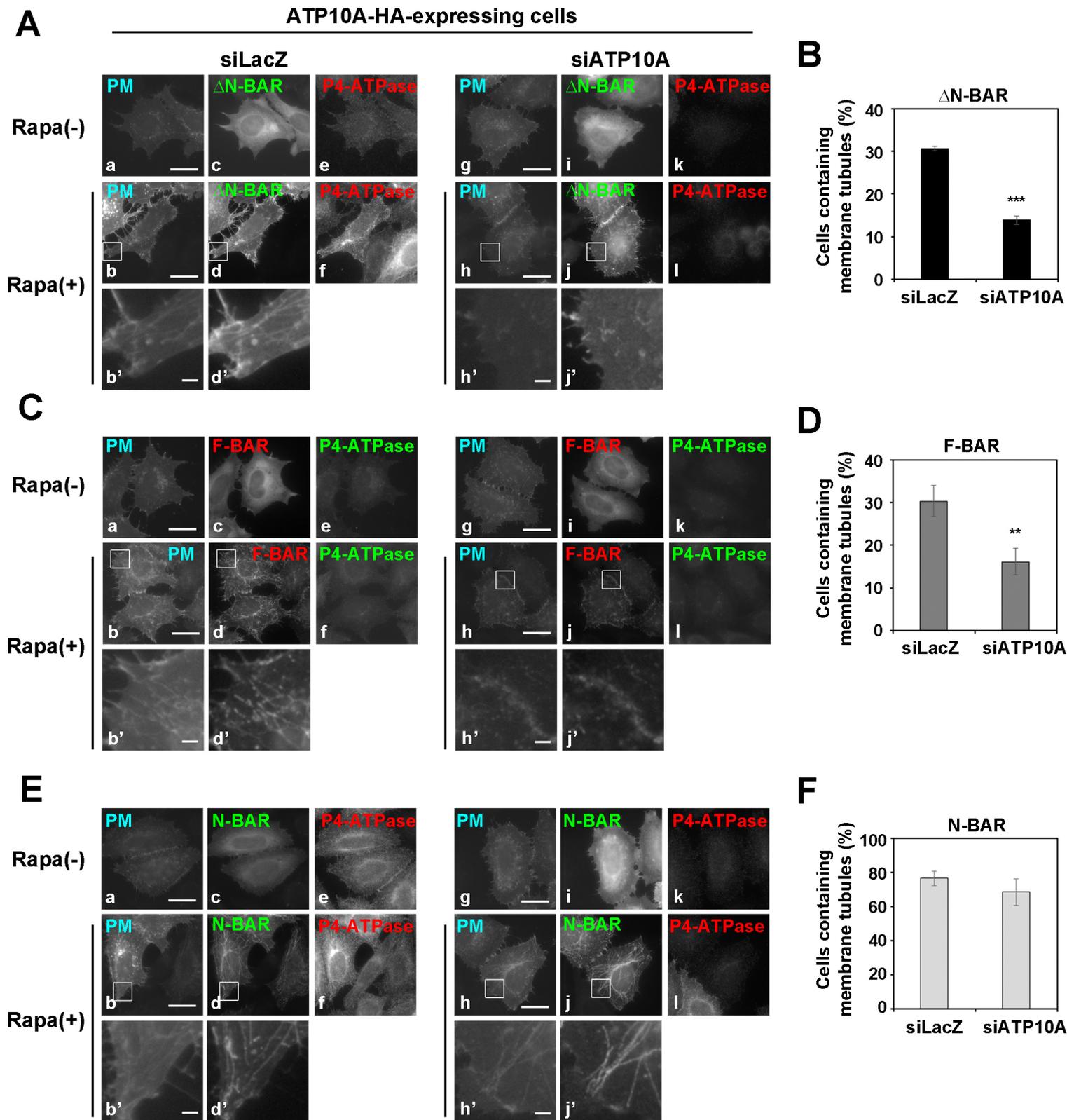


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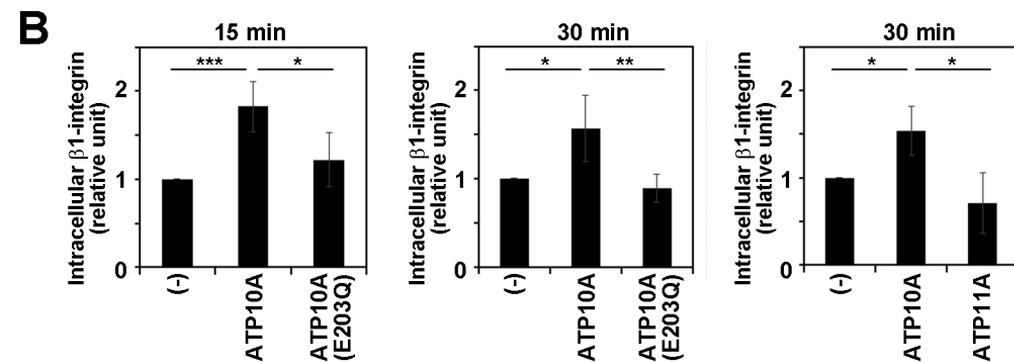
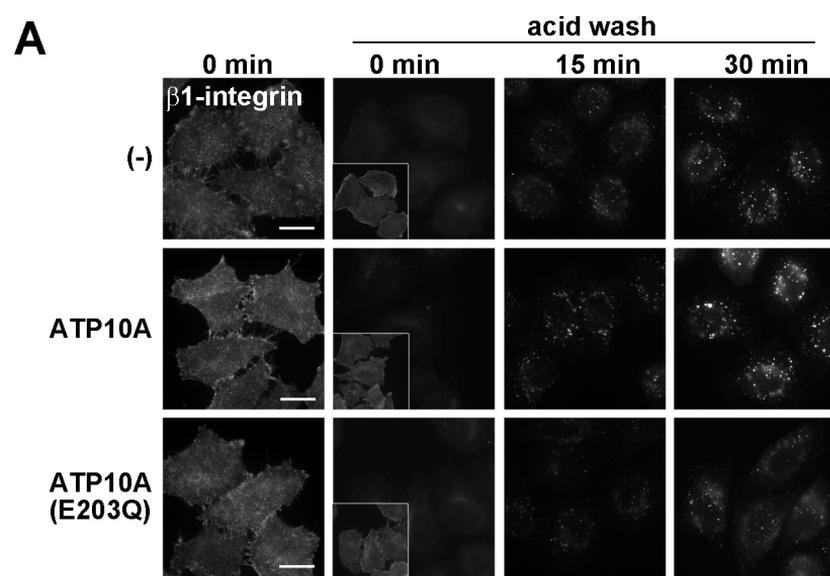
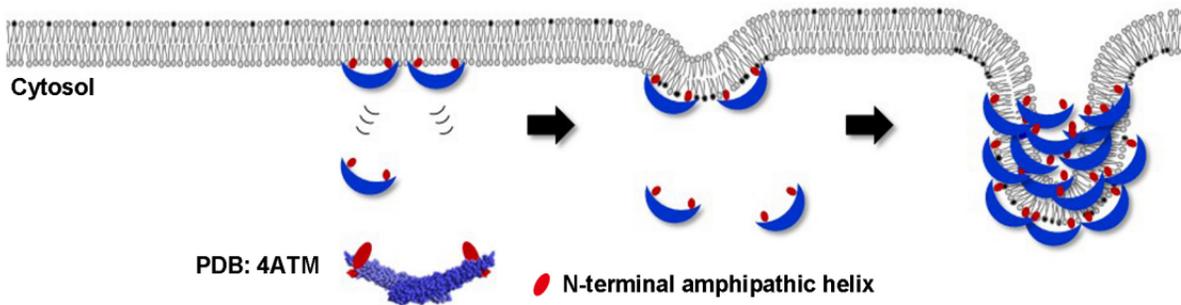


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P4-ATPase

 Δ N-BAR

Curvature sensing

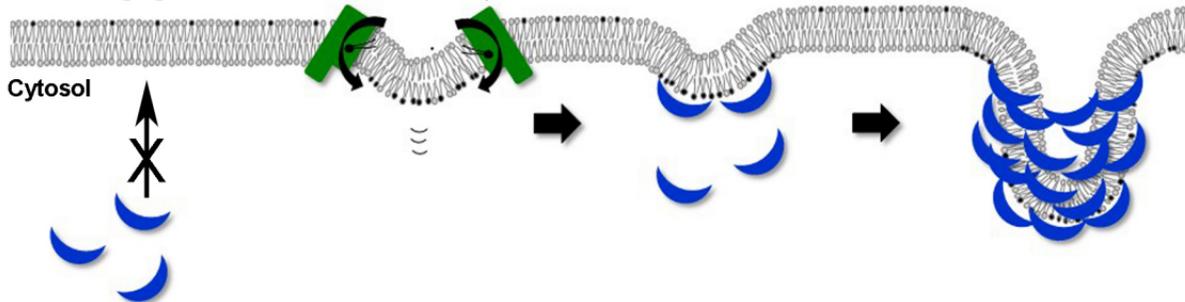


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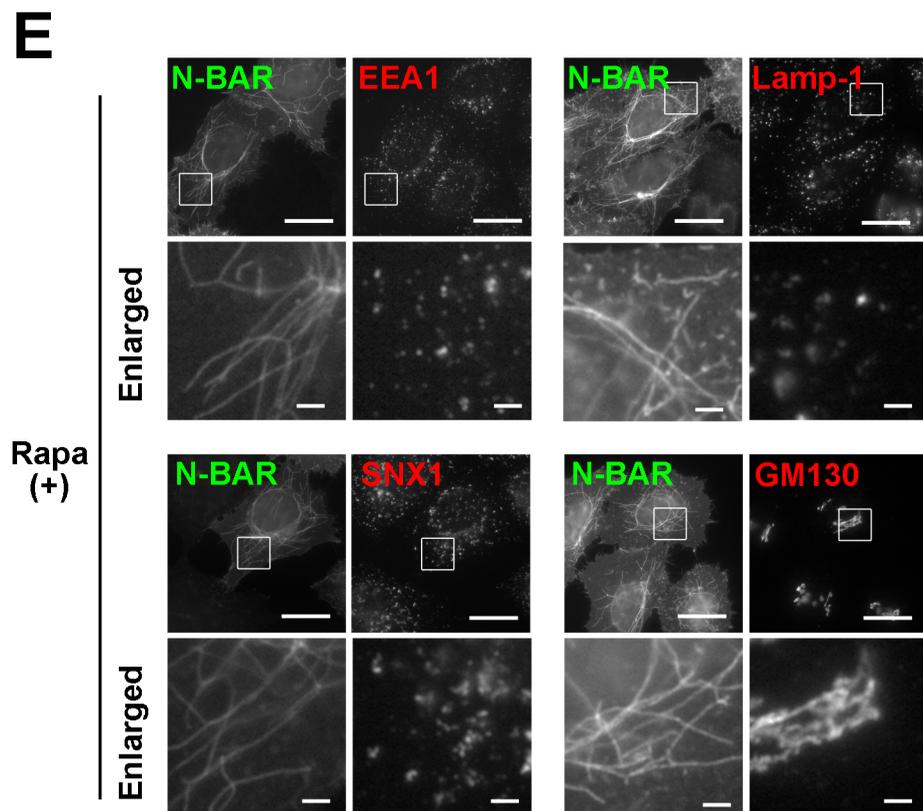
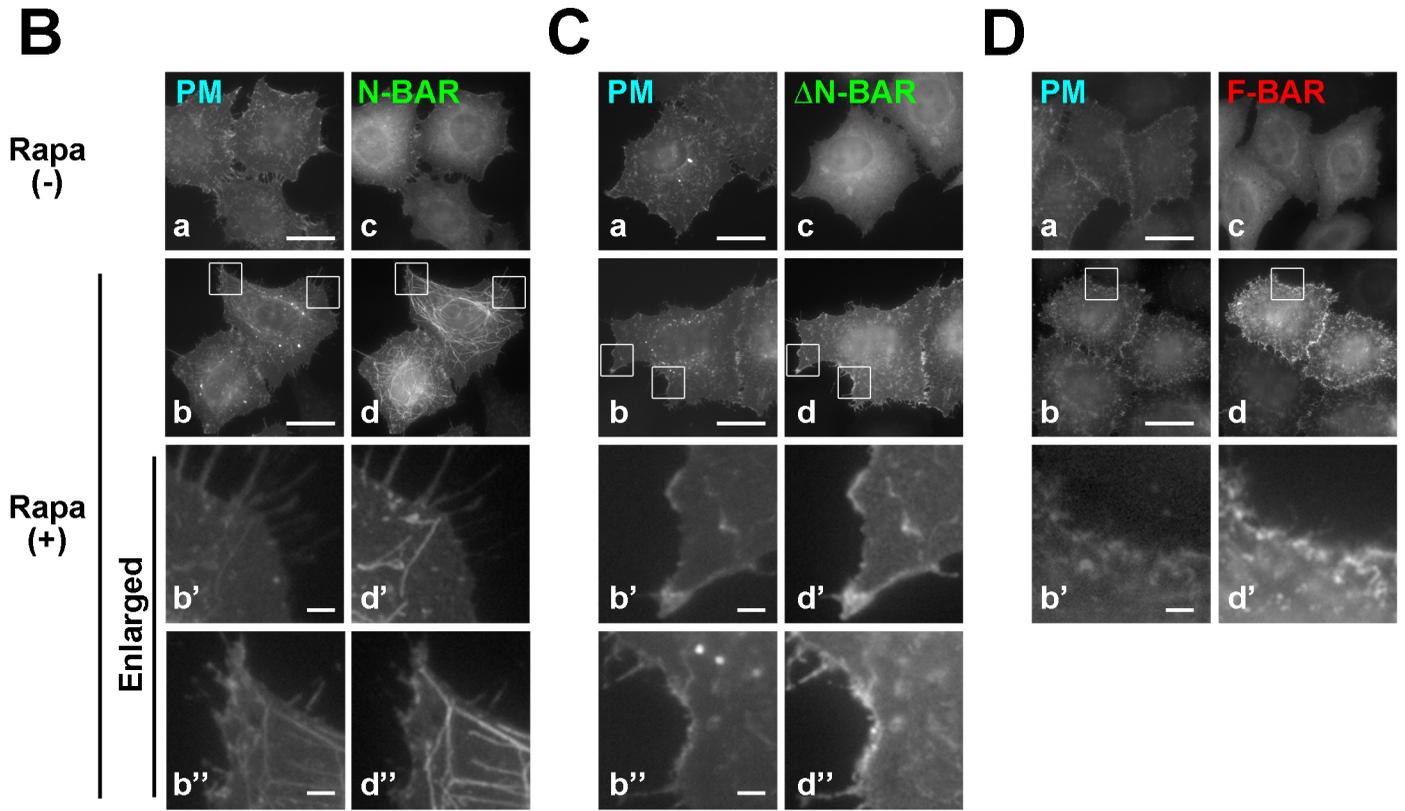
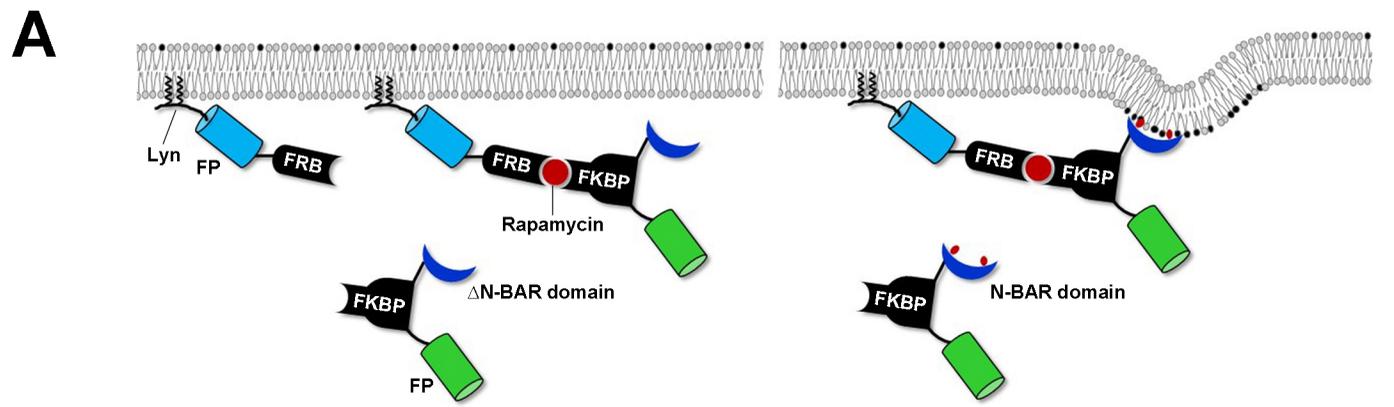


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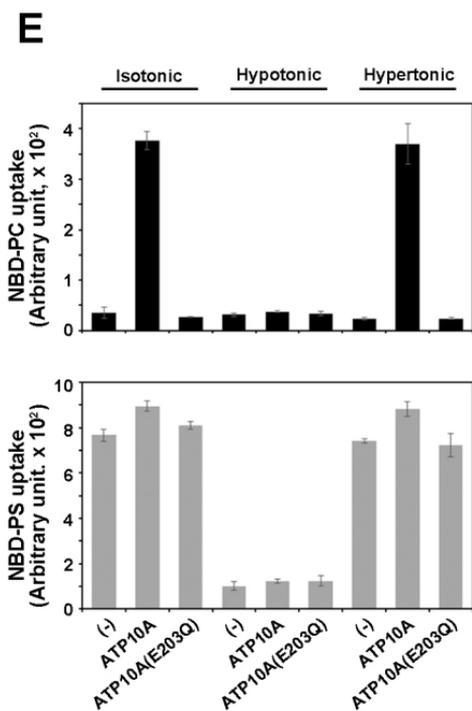
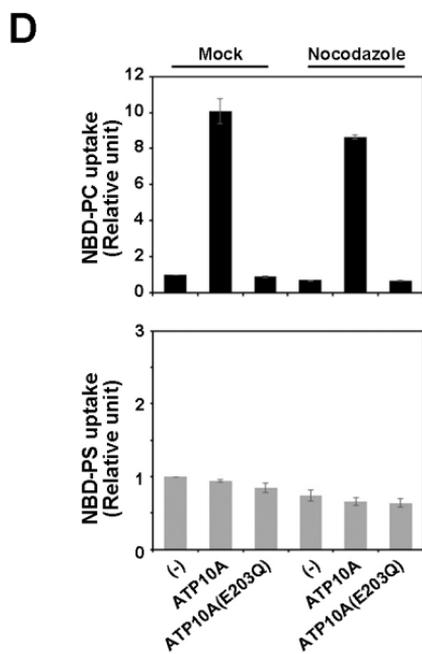
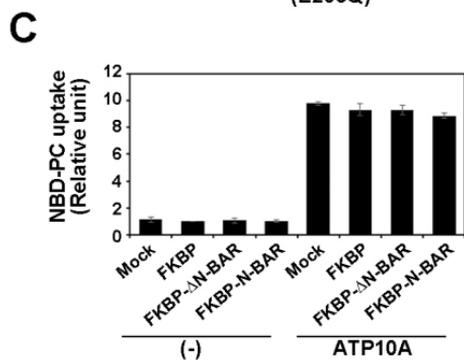
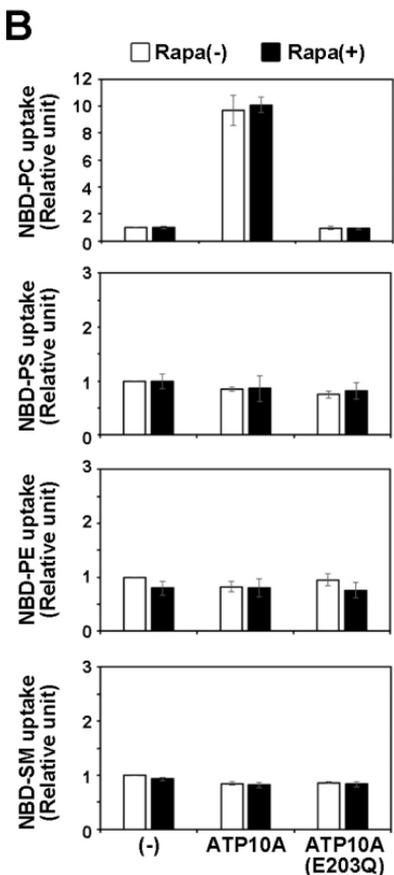
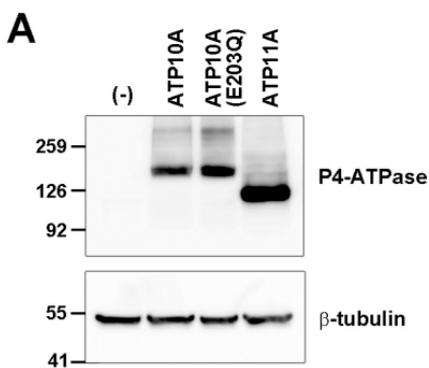


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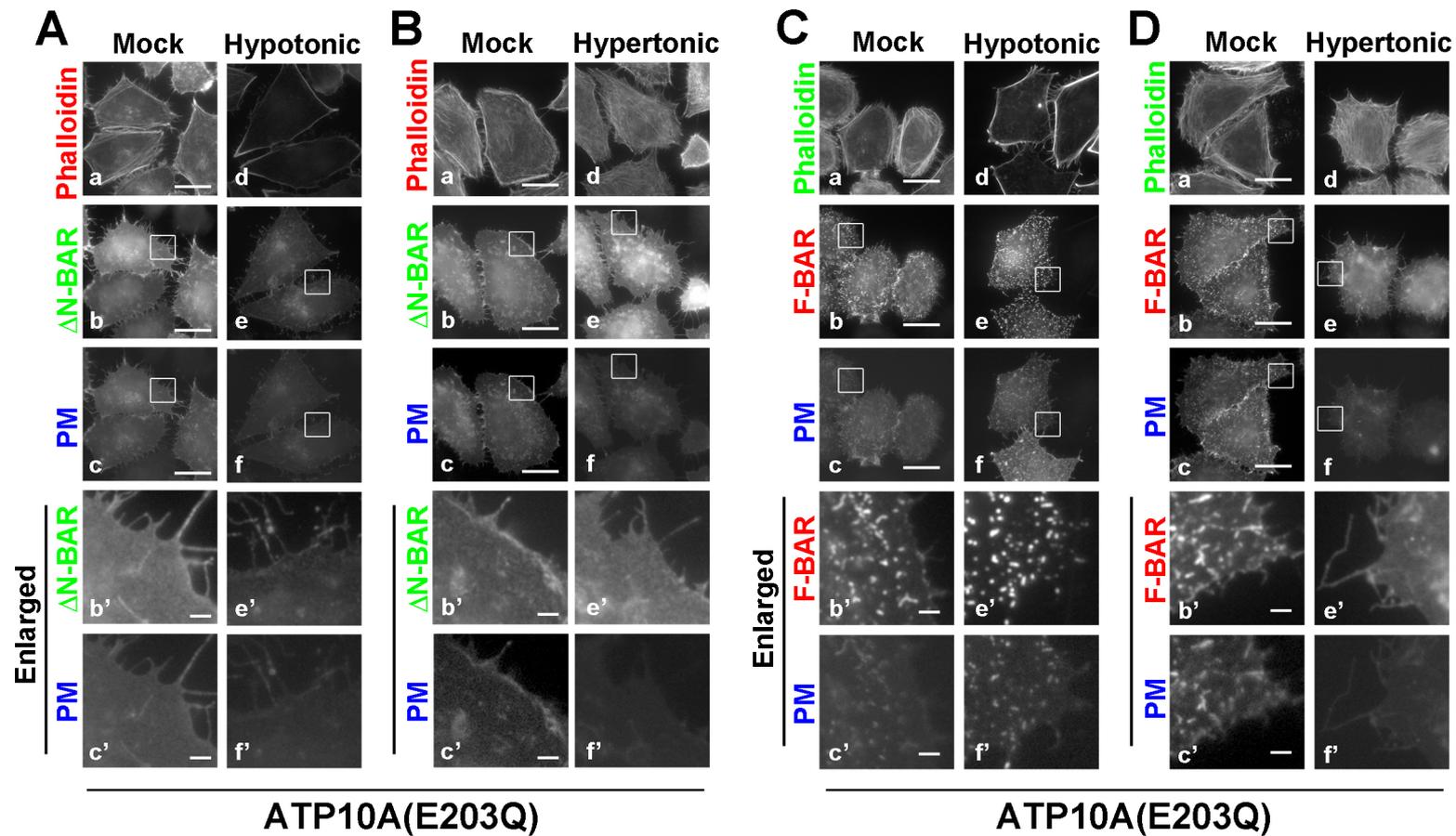


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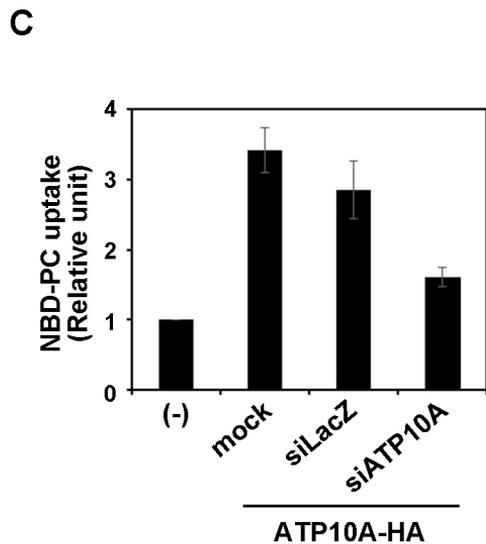
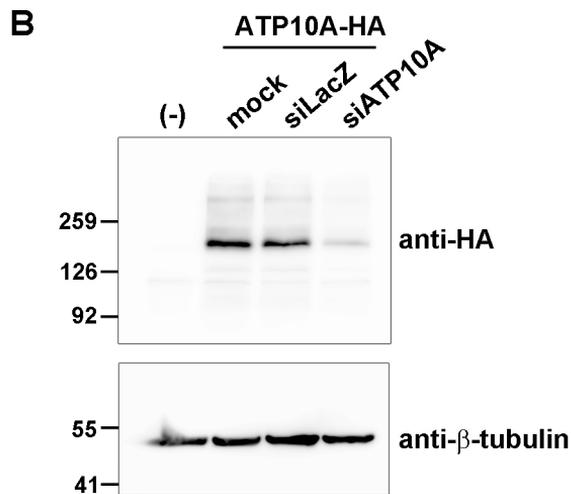
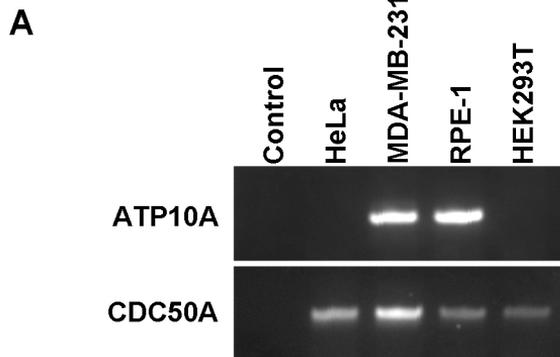


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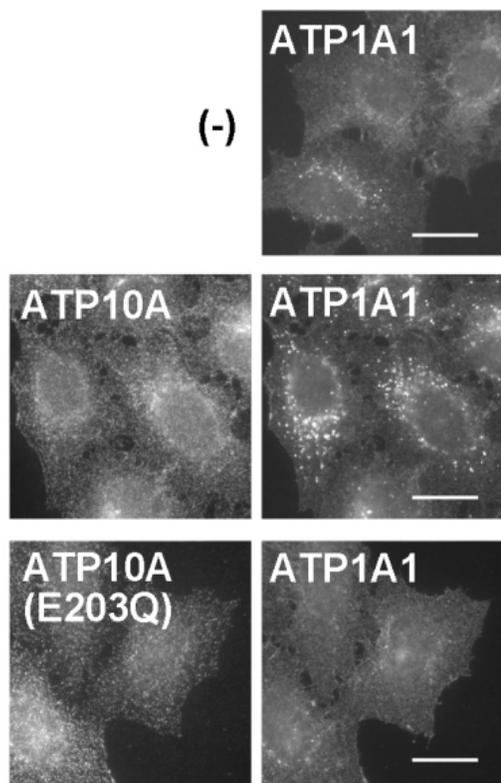
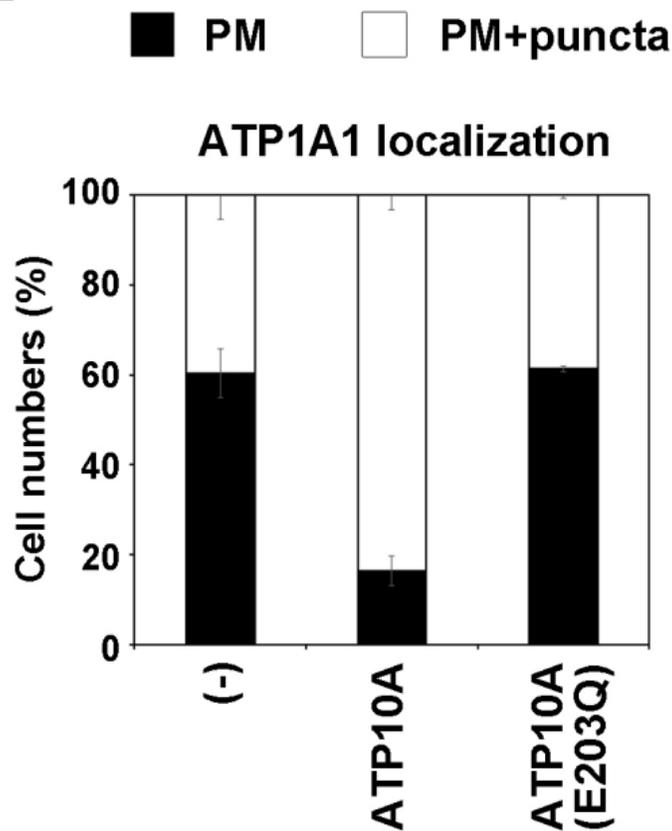
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                                     |→ donor vector inserted (forward)

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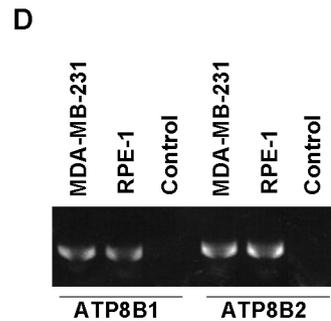
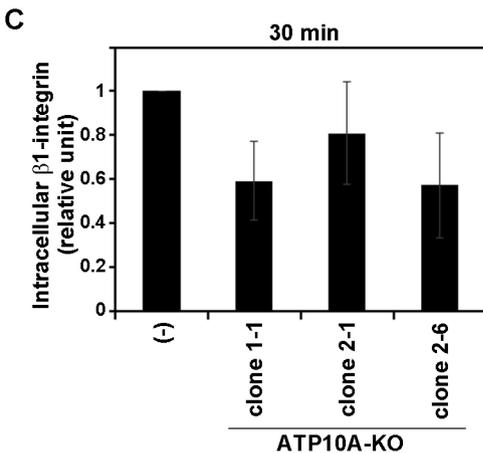


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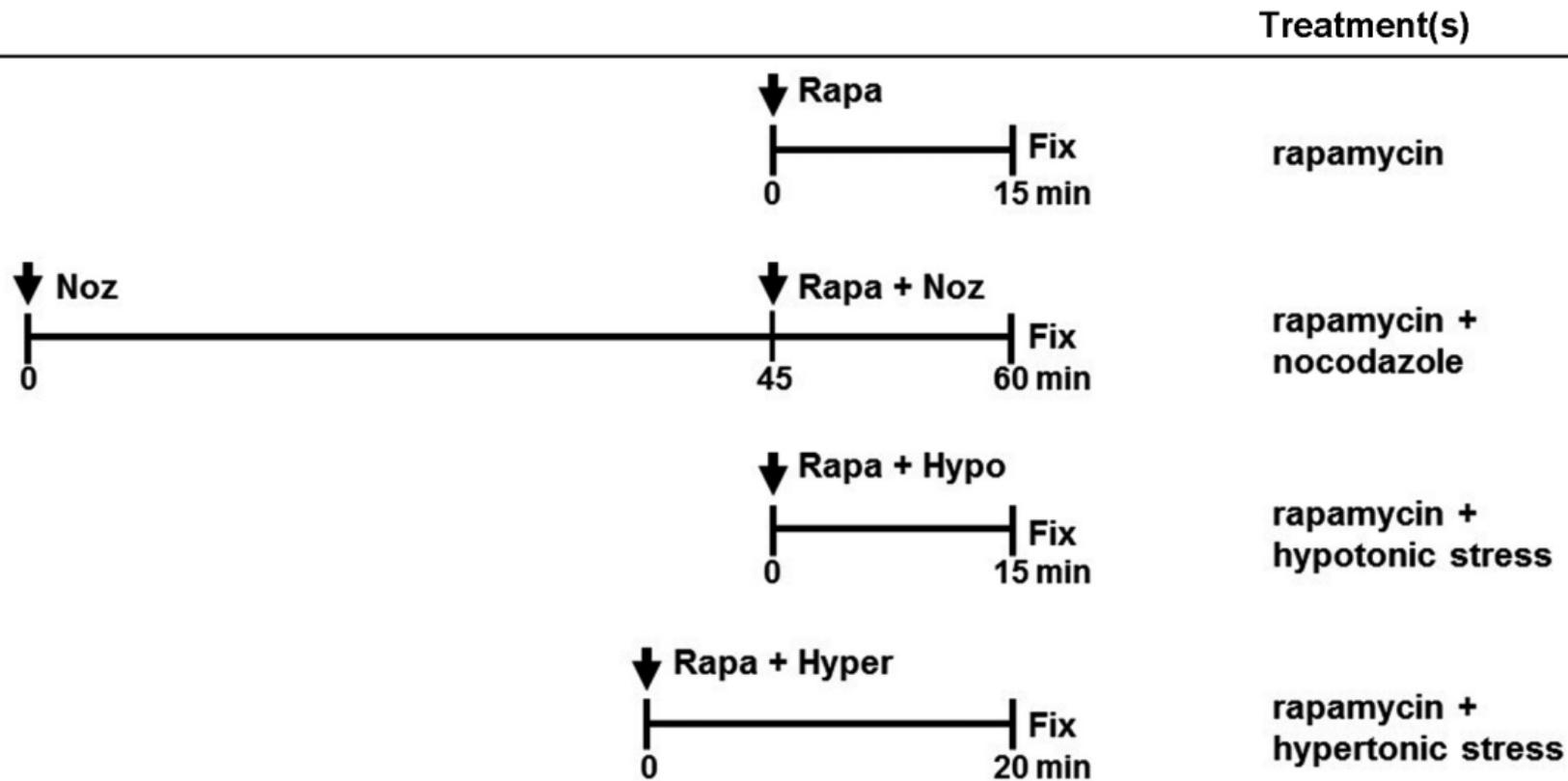


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