

Supplementary Information

A synthetic lethal interaction between APC/C and topoisomerase poisons uncovered by proteomic screens

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Supplementary Experimental Procedures

Proteomic analysis

For SILAC (Ong et al, 2002) analysis, fifty μg of proteins were separated by SDS-PAGE, sliced into 24 pieces and digested with trypsin as described (Shevchenko et al, 2006). Desalted peptides were separated by reversed-phase chromatography (Reprosil-Pur C18 3 μm , 200x 0.075 mm, Dr. Maisch GmbH, Germany), using a nanoLCUltra1D+ system (Eksigent, Dublin CA, USA), directly coupled in line with a LTQ-Orbitrap Velos (Thermo Fisher Scientific, Waltham, USA) via nanoelectrospray source (Thermo Fisher Scientific) (Olsen et al, 2005). Mass spectra were acquired in a data-dependent manner, with an automatic switch between MS and MS/MS scans using a top 15 method. Raw files were analyzed by MaxQuant (version 1.1.1.25) (Cox and Mann, 2008) interrogating the IPI-mouse V3.77 database. Oxidation of methionines, acetylation of protein n-terminus, SILAC-K8 and SILAC-R10 were set as variable modifications, whereas carbamidomethylation of cysteines was set as fixed. Minimal peptide length was set to 6 amino acids and a maximum of two missed-cleavages were allowed. For protein assessment, at least two unique peptides with a FDR \leq 1% were required. For quantification purposes, only proteins identified with two or more unique peptides and with two or more SILAC pairs were considered. For iTRAQ, (Ross et al, 2004) assays, raw files were processed by Proteome Discoverer 1.3 (Thermo Scientific). Data were searched by interrogating the Uniprot_Mouse database, comprising both the canonical and manually reviewed isoform sequences (release 2012_09, 50544 entries) using MASCOT (v 2.2) (Perkins et al., 1999) as the search engine. Lysine and peptide N-termini labelling with iTRAQ-4plex reagent as well as carbamidomethylation of cysteine were considered as fixed modifications, while oxidation of methionine was chosen as variable modification for database searching. Both peptide and protein identification were filtered at 1% false discovery rate (FDR) using the target-decoy approach (Elias and Gygi, 2007). The thresholds used to determine proteins being up-regulated were calculated by manual inspection of the data. To this end, ratios were plotted against intensities and a cut-off was chosen based on the distribution of the vast majority of proteins showing no change for each the three analyses. The narrower distributions of the iTRAQ-labelled experiments are due to the compression of ratios associated with this technique.

Supplementary Figures

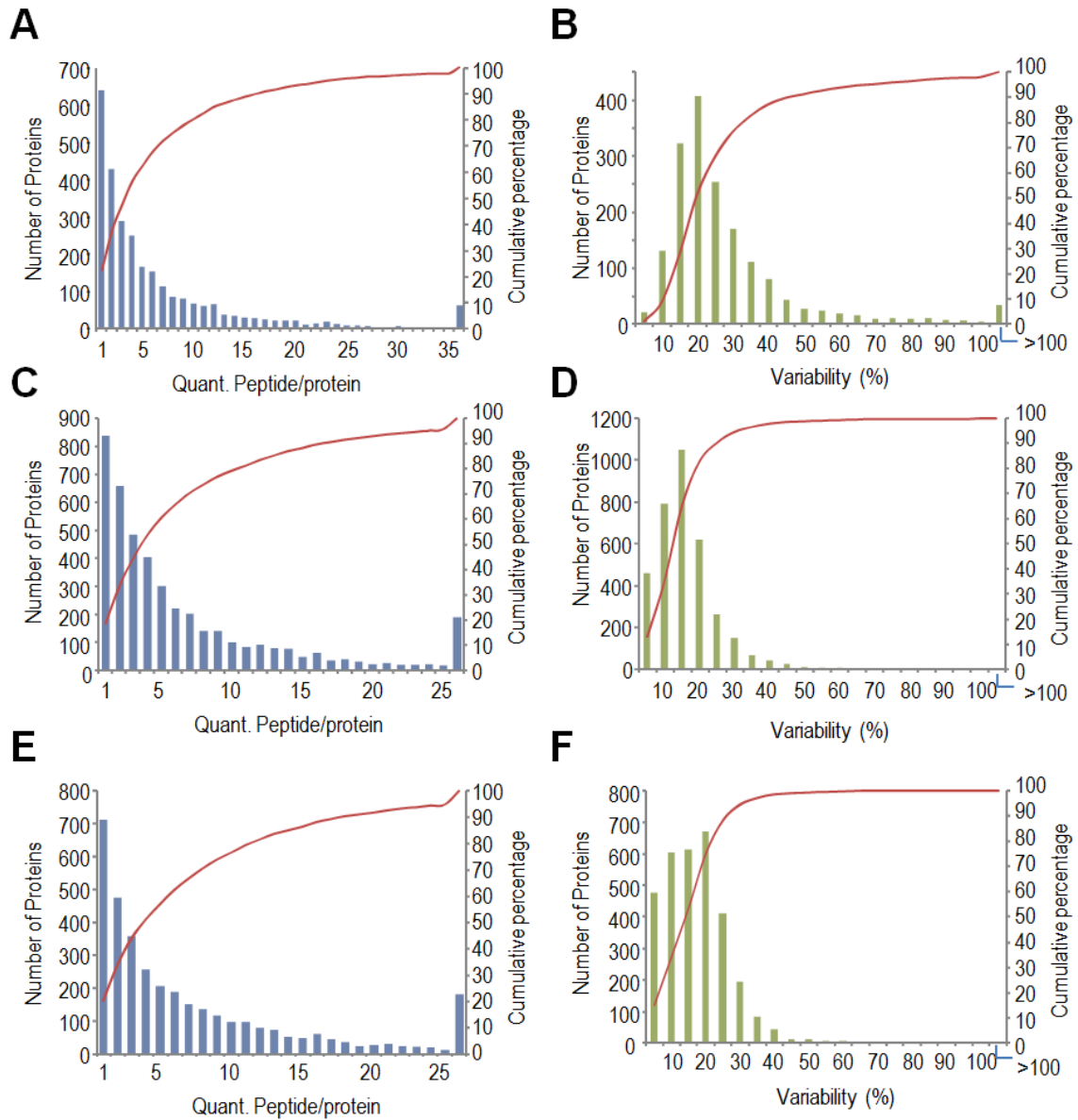


Figure S1. Evaluation of protein quantification quality in the three proteomic screenings (related to Figs. 1 and 2). The number of quantified peptides per protein is shown for **A**, SILAC-labeled MEFs, **C**, iTRAQ-labeled serum-starved MEFs and **E**, iTRAQ-labeled Cdh1-brains. In all three cases, more than 80% of the proteins were quantified on the basis of at least 2 unique peptides. Furthermore, 76-95% of the quantified proteins showed variability levels (i.e. relative standard deviation, RSD) below 30% for **B**, SILAC-labeled MEFs, **D**, iTRAQ-labeled serum-starved MEFs and **F**, iTRAQ-labeled Cdh1-deficient brains.

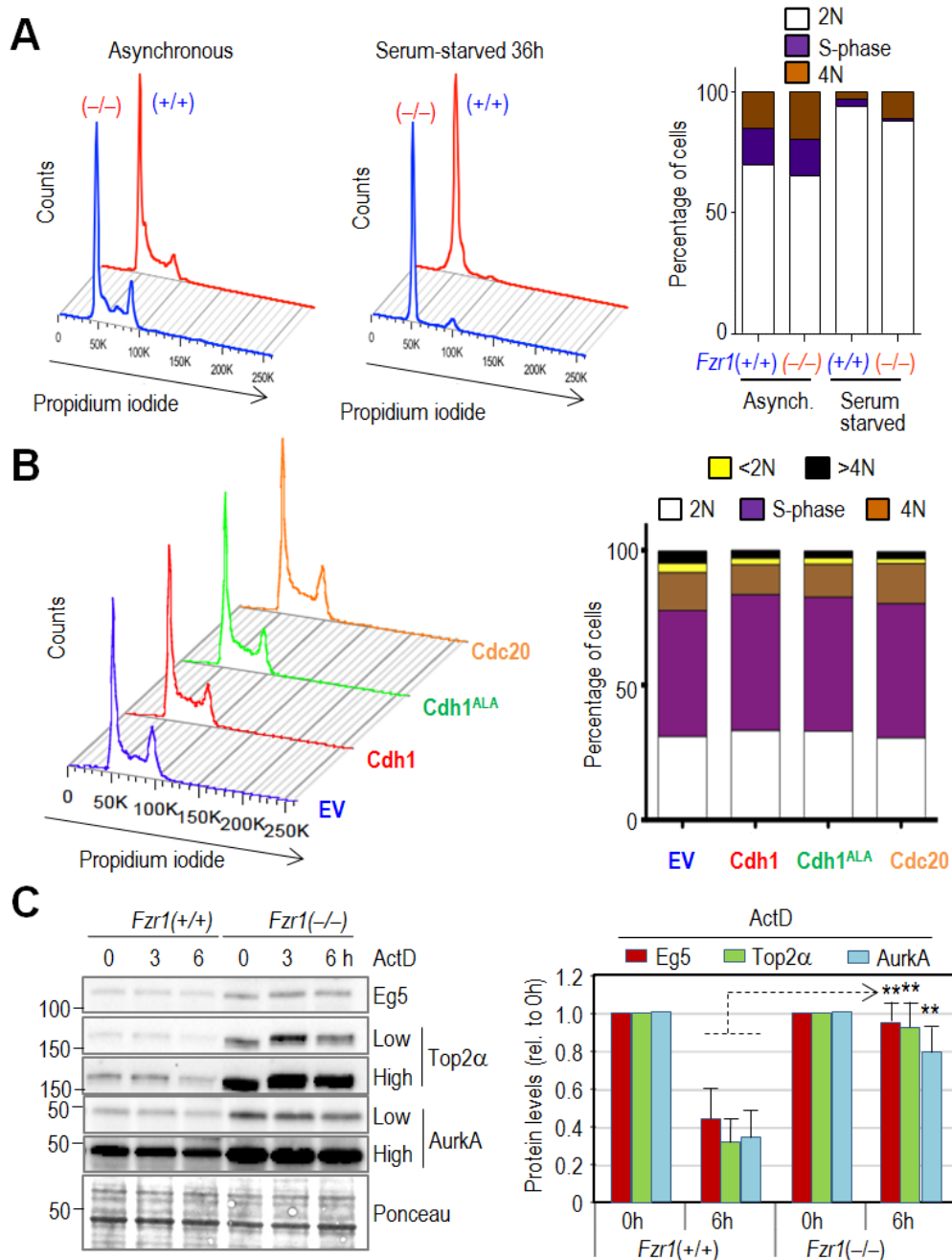


Figure S2. Cell Cycle profiles of cells deficient or overexpressing Cdh1 and stability of substrates upon treatment with actinomycin D (Related to Figs. 1-3). **A**, Cell cycle profiles of Cdh1-wild-type or Cdh1-null cells in the conditions used for the proteomic analysis. Note that Cdh1-null cells usually display increased 4N content due to the presence of tetraploid/binucleated cells. Histogram indicates representative average percentage of 2N cells (G0/G1), intermediate 2N-4N content (S-phase) or 4N (G2/M or tetraploid). **B**, Cell cycle profile of 293T cells after the expression of the indicated proteins or the empty vector (EV). The histogram represents the quantification of the percentage of cells in the different phases of the cell cycle in the previous assay. **C**, Protein stability of the indicated molecules in the presence of Actinomycin D (ActD) in Cdh1-null and control cells. Signals after low or high exposure are indicated for Aurora A and Top2 α . The quantification of protein levels at 0 and 6 h after the addition of ActD is shown in the histogram. Data indicate mean \pm SEM in two separate assays. **, $p < 0.01$, Student's t-test.

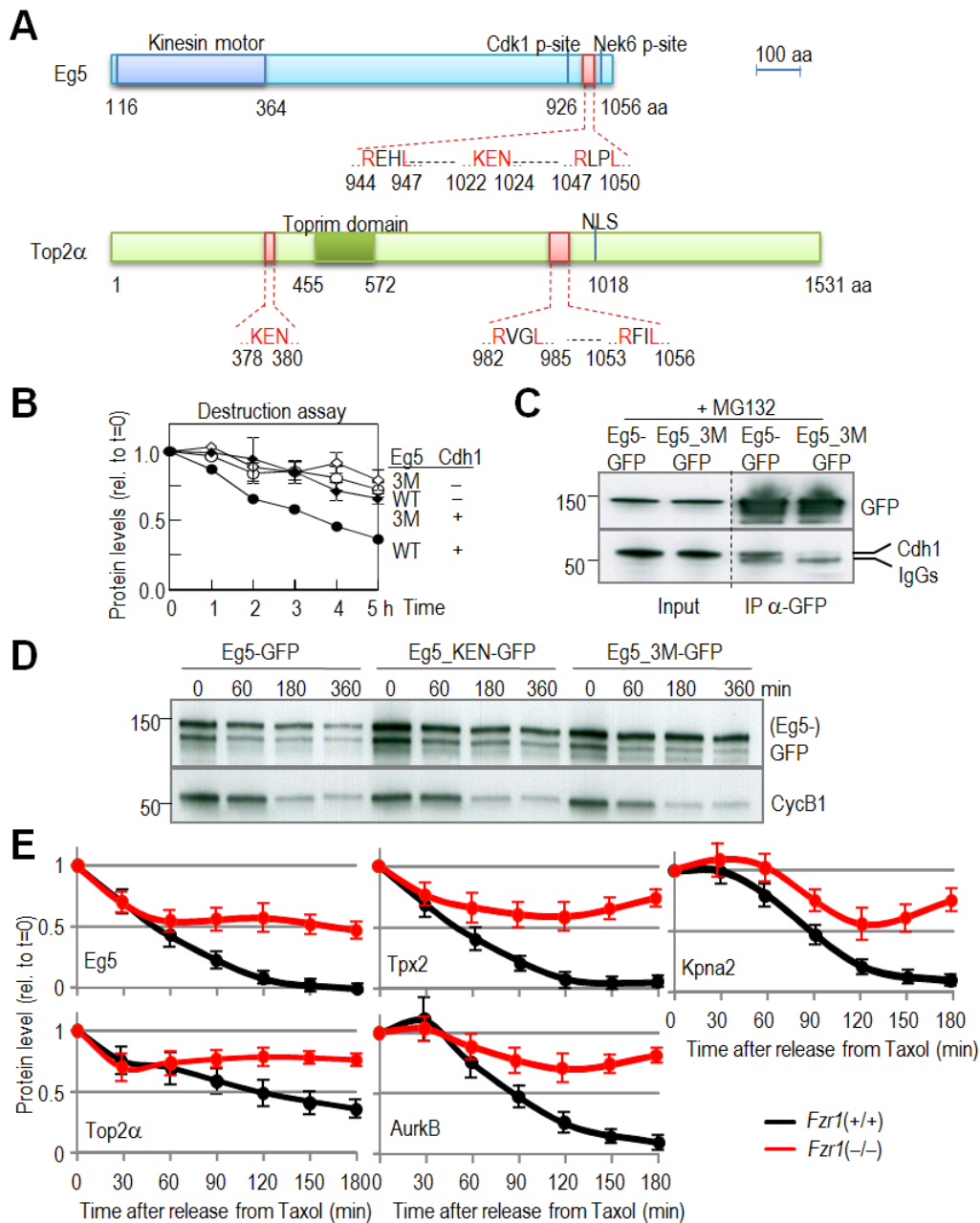


Figure S3. KEN and D-boxes in Eg5 and Top2 α and kinetics of substrates in Cdh1-null cells. (related to Figs. 3-4) **A**, Schematic representation of human Eg5 and Top2 α domains including putative KEN and D-boxes. Residues in red were mutated to alanine to generate stable proteins (3M mutants). **B**, Quantification of the destruction assay in Fig. 3H. Both the upper and lower (likely a prematurely terminated or partly cleaved product) bands in Fig. 3H show a similar kinetics. Only the upper band is quantified in the plot. Error bars, SEM from three independent experiments. **C**, Co-immunoprecipitation studies in 293T cells expressing Eg5-GFP or Eg5_3M-GFP fusion proteins. Protein extracts were immunoprecipitated with antibodies against GFP and the endogenous Cdh1 was detected in the presence of the proteasome inhibitor MG132. **D**, Protein levels of the exogenous Eg5-GFP fusion protein at different time points after a release from nocodazole. Eg5-KEN-GFP is mutated in the KEN box whereas Eg5_3M-GFP contains mutations in the KEN and two putative D-boxes. **E**, Comparative quantification of the levels of the indicated proteins after release from taxol in Cdh1-null [*Fzr1(-/-)*] or control [*Fzr1(+/+)*] MEFS. Values (mean \pm SEM) were normalized to the amount of protein at t=0 (in the presence of taxol).

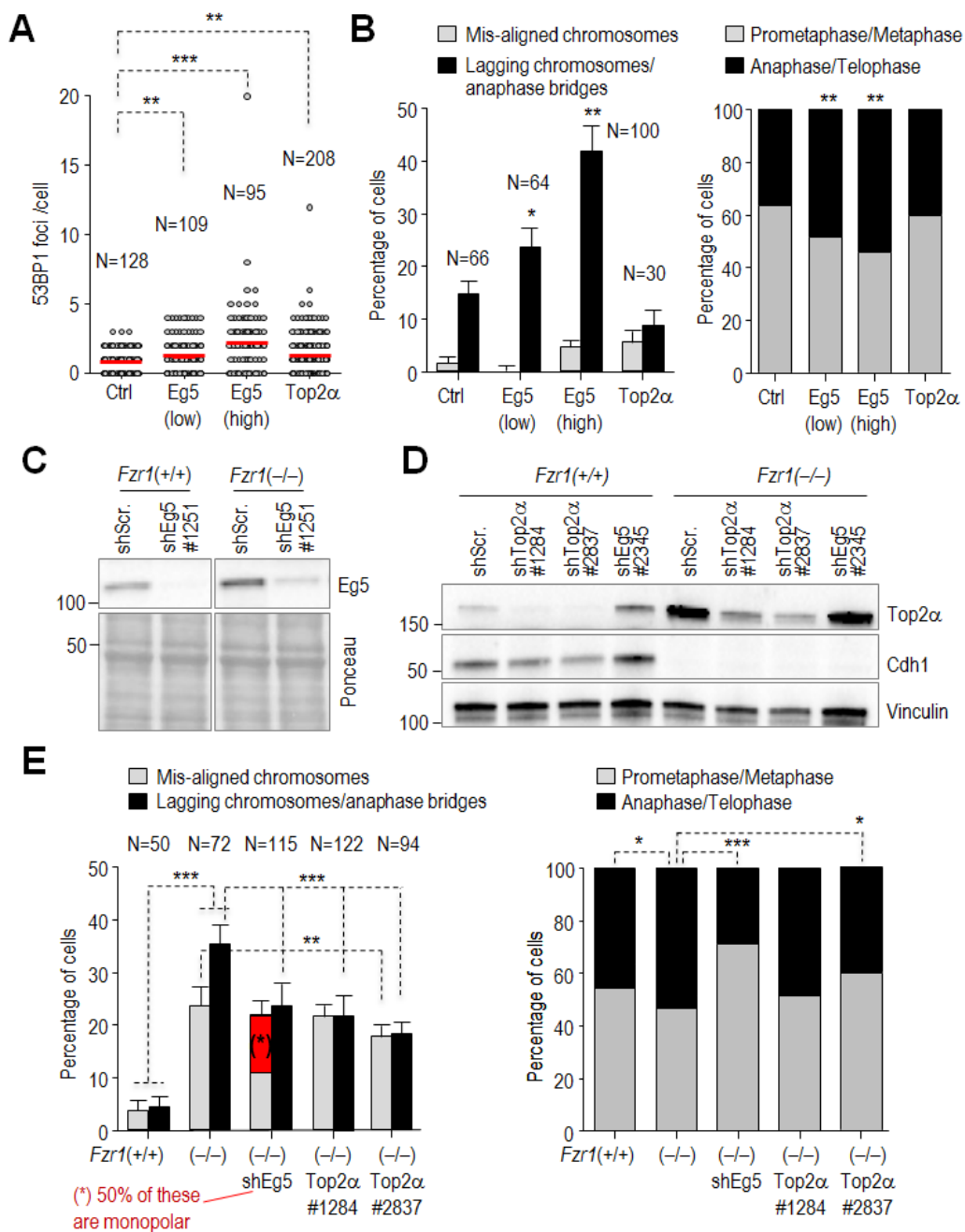


Figure S4. Effect of Eg5 and Top2 α levels in genomic instability (related to Fig. 4). **A**, U2OS cells were transfected with Eg5 (low or high concentration) or Top2 α and the number of 53BP1 foci was scored by immunofluorescence. Means are indicated by a red bar. N, number of cells. **B**, Mitotic aberrations were scored by immunofluorescence with antibodies against α -tubulin and DAPI to stain DNA. Data represent percentage of mitotic cells (mean \pm SEM in three experiments). **C-D**, Downregulation of endogenous Eg5 (**C**) or Top2 α (**D**) after transfection of Cdh1-null [*Fzr1(-/-)*] or control [*Fzr1(+/+)*] MEFs with short hairpin interfering RNAs (shRNAs) against these molecules. **E**, Mitotic aberrations (mean \pm SEM in three experiments) in wild-type or Cdh1-null cells after knock-down of Eg5 or Top2 α with the indicated shRNAs. N, number of cells. *, $p < 0.05$; **, $p < 0.01$; ***, $p < 0.001$ (Student's t-test).

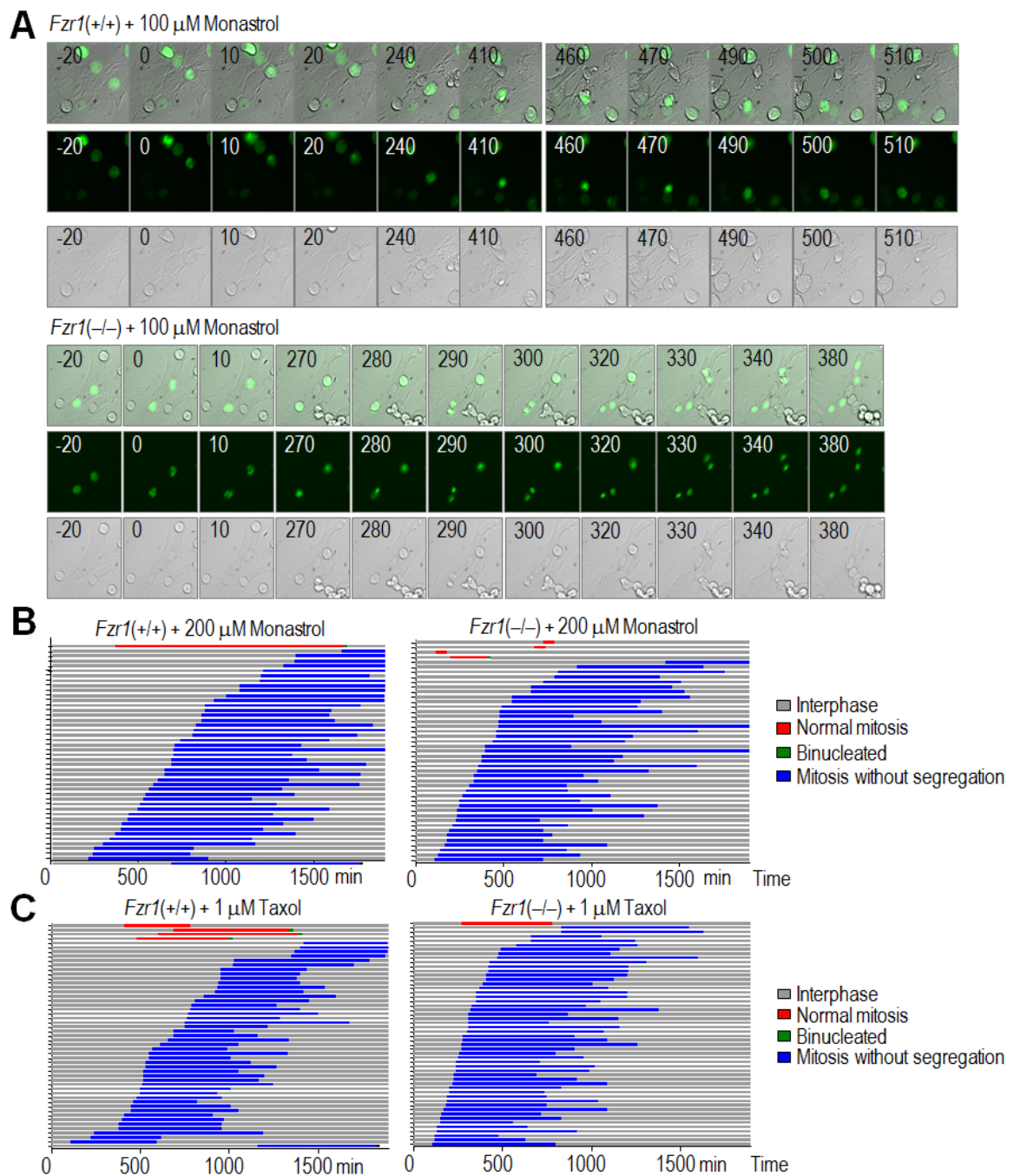


Figure S5. Effect of monastrol or taxol in Cdh1-null [*Fzr1(-/-)*] or wild-type [*Fzr1(+/+)*] cells (related to Fig. 5). **A**, Extended version from Figure 6B. Scale bars, 10 μ M. **B**, Effect of increased (200 μ M) dose of monastrol in wild-type or Cdh1-null cells, showing that the resistance of Cdh1-null cells to monastrol is dose-dependent. **C**, Effect of taxol in wild-type and Cdh1-null cells showing that lack of Cdh1 does not result in resistance to this microtubule poison.

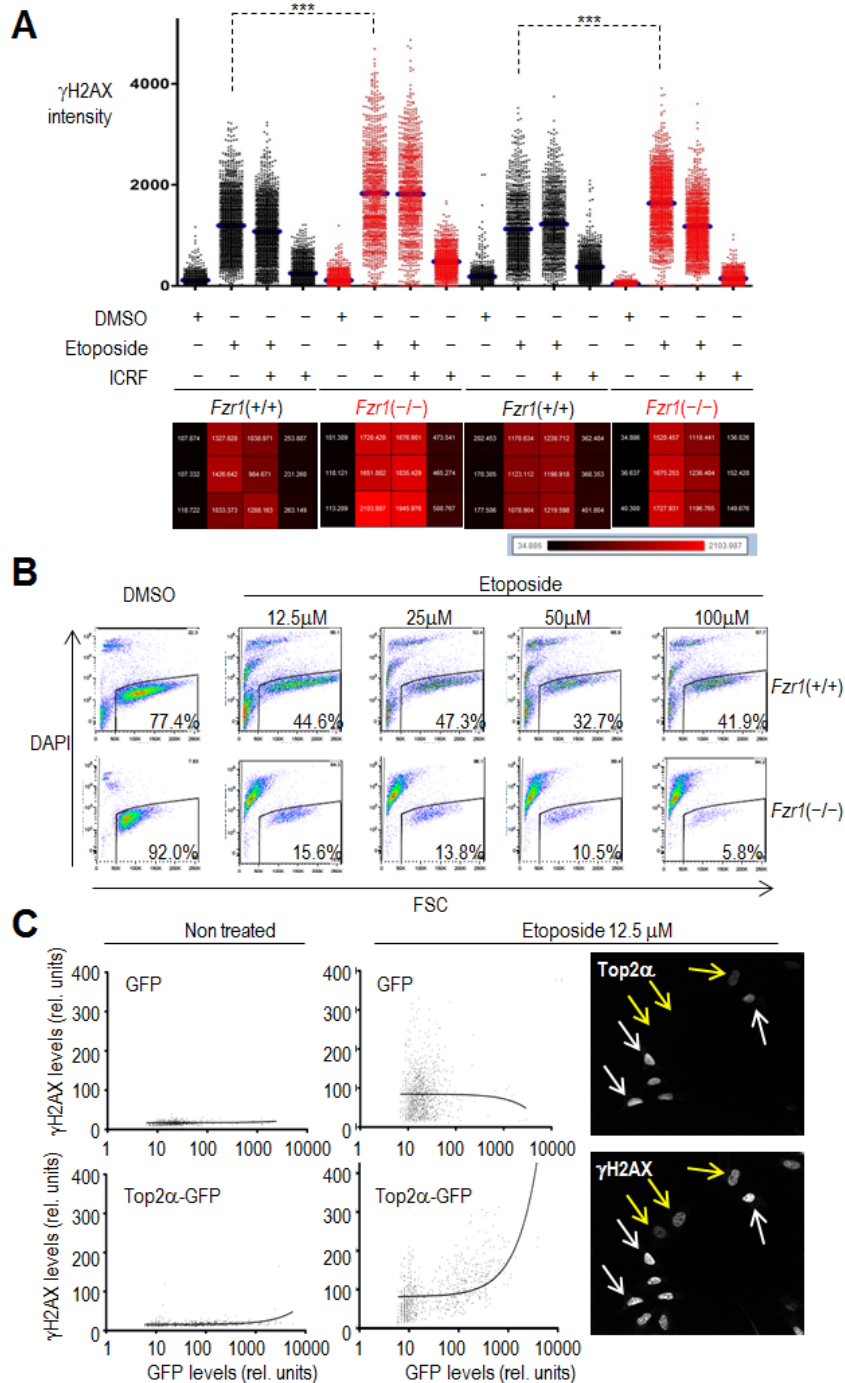


Figure S6. Effect of etoposide in Cdh1-null and control cells (related to Fig. 6). **A**, Quantification of phosphorylation of H2AX (γ H2AX intensity per cell) after treatment of Cdh1-null or control cells with etoposide or ICRF-193. Please note that etoposide and ICRF-193 were added at the same time and, in these conditions, the addition of ICRF-193 is not efficient in preventing DNA damage induced by etoposide. **B**, Quantification of the lethal effect of etoposide at the indicated doses in Cdh1-null or control cells. The percentage of live cells (negative for DAPI) is indicated in each condition. Data show a representative assay of three independent experiments. **C**, γ H2AX intensity per cell after overexpression of GFP or Top2 α -GFP, in the absence or presence of the indicated dose of etoposide. Lines indicate regression analysis of the data. Pictures on the right represent levels of γ H2AX in cells positive (white arrows) or negative (yellow arrows) for Top2 α overexpression.

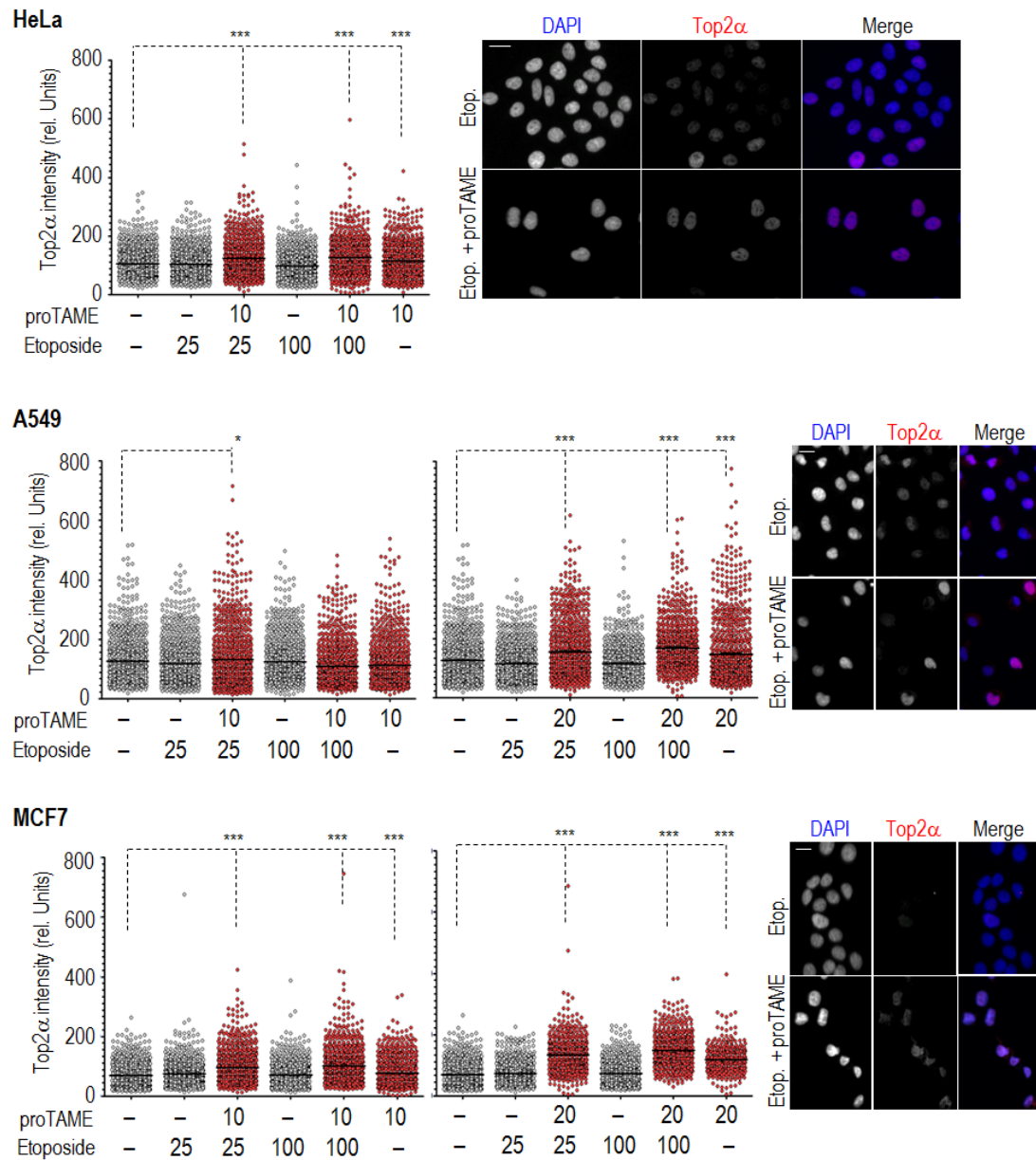


Figure S7. Protein levels of Top2 α after inhibition of the APC/C in human cell lines (related to Fig. 7). Quantification of Top2 α levels in HeLa, A549 or MCF7 cells treated with the indicated dose of proTAME or etoposide (μ M). Representative images of cells treated with 25 μ M etoposide or 25 μ M etoposide + 10 μ M proTAME (HeLa) or 25 μ M etoposide + 20 μ M proTAME (A549 and MCF7) are shown. Top2 α is in red and DAPI in blue. Scale bars, 10 μ M. At least 4000 cells per condition were quantified in these assays and only 1000 are represented in the plots for clarity. ***, $p < 0.001$; Student's t-test.

Supplementary Tables

Table S1. Known APC/C substrates identified in our work (related to Table 1 and Figs 1-2).

Symbol	Uniprot	Description	Asynchr. Log*	G0 Log*	Brains Log*	Reference
Anln	Q8K298	Actin-binding protein anillin	1.668	0.983	nd	(Zhao & Fang, 2005)
Aurka	P97477	Aurora kinase A	nd	0.225	nd	(Taguchi et al, 2002) (Littlepage & Ruderman, 2002)
Aurkb	O70126	Aurora kinase B	0.991	nd	2.355	(Stewart & Fang, 2005) (Nguyen et al, 2005)
Brsk2	Q69Z98	Serine/threonine-protein kinase BRSK2	nd	nd	0.188	(Li et al, 2012)
Ccna2	P51943	Cyclin-A2	nd	-0.44	nd	(den Elzen & Pines, 2001) (Geley et al, 2001)
Ccnb1	P24860	Ccnb1 protein	nd	0.136	nd	(Clute & Pines, 1999)
Cdk5	P49615	Cyclin-dependent kinase 5	nd	0.085	-0.03	(Zhang et al, 2012)
Ckap2	Q3V1H1	Cytoskeleton-associated protein 2	2.116	1.024	0.845	(Seki & Fang, 2007) (Hong et al, 2007)
Dnmt1	P13864	DNA (cytosine-5)-methyltransferase 1	nd	0.03	-0.18	(Ghoshal et al, 2005)
Fan1	Q69ZT1	Fanconi-associated nuclease 1	-0.15	nd	nd	(Lai et al, 2012)
FoxM1	O08696	Forkhead box protein M1	nd	nd	-0.05	(Park et al, 2008)
Gls	D3Z7P3-2	Isoform 2 of Glutaminase kidney isoform, mitochondrial	nd	-0.37	-0.28	(Colombo et al, 2011)
Gtse1	Q8R080	G2 and S phase-expressed protein 1	nd	0.794	nd	(Pfleger & Kirschner, 2000)
Hmmr	Q00547	Hyaluronan mediated motility receptor	0.27	nd	nd	(Song & Rape, 2010)
Iqgap1	Q9JKF1	Ras GTPase-activating-like protein IQGAP1	0.877	-0.01	-0.19	(Ko et al, 2007)
Kif22	Q3V300	Kinesin-like protein KIF22	1.322	nd	nd	(Feine et al, 2007)
Mapk9	Q9WTU6	Isoform Alpha-1 of Mitogen-activated protein kinase 9	nd	-0.07	nd	(Gutierrez et al, 2010)
Mcl1	P97287	Induced myeloid leukemia cell differentiation protein Mcl-1 homolog	nd	-0.06	nd	(Harley et al, 2010)
RacGAP1	Q9WVM1	Rac GTPase-activating protein 1	0.33	nd	nd	(Nishimura et al, 2013)
Ndc80	Q9D0F1	Kinetochore protein NDC80 homolog	nd	nd	0.654	(Li et al, 2011)
Neurod2	Q62414	Neurogenic differentiation factor 2	nd	nd	-0.24	(Yang et al, 2009)
Nusap1	Q9ERH4	Nucleolar and spindle-associated	nd	nd	2.377	(Song & Rape,

Rrm2	P11157	protein 1 Ribonucleoside-diphosphate reductase subunit M2	nd	0.255	-0.08	2010) (Chabes et al, 2003)
Skp2	Q9Z0Z3	S-phase kinase-associated protein 2	nd	nd	0.283	(Bashir et al, 2004)(Wei et al, 2004)
Tacc3	Q9JJ11	Transforming acidic coiled-coil- containing protein 3	nd	0.845	1.959	(Jeng et al, 2009)
Tpx2	A2APB8	Targeting protein for Xklp2	0.623	nd	nd	(Stewart & Fang, 2005)
Trrap	Q80YV3	Transformation/transcription domain-associated protein	-0.04	-0.01	0.07	(Ichim et al, 2013)
Ube2c	Q9D1C1	Ubiquitin-conjugating enzyme E2 C	nd	0.041	nd	(Williamson et al, 2009)
Ube2s	Q921J4	Ubiquitin-conjugating enzyme E2 S	1.59	0.11	nd	(Williamson et al, 2009)

* nd, not detected.

Table S2. Antibodies used in this work (related to Figs. 1-4,6,7,S2,S3,S4,S6,S8).

Antigen	Ig	Source	Clone	Cat Number	Dilution	Technique*
53BP1	Rabbit	Novus Biologicals		NB100-304	1:1000	IF
AurkA	Mouse	Becton Dickinson	4/IAK1	610938	1:25	IHC
AurkA	Mouse	Abcam		ab13824	1:500	WB
AurkB	Rabbit	Abcam		ab2254	1:100- 1:200	IHC/WB
β -Catenin	Mouse	Sigma		C 7207	1:1500	WB
Cdc20/p55CDC	Rabbit	Santa Cruz Biotechnology		sc-8358	1:200	WB
Cdc27	Mouse	Abcam		ab10538	1:500	WB
Cdh1	Mouse	Neomarkers	CH01	MS-1116-P	1:200	WB
Cyclin B1	Mouse	Chemicon		MAB3684	1:1000	WB
Gapdh	Mouse	Sigma		G9545	1:10000	WB
GFP	Mouse	Roche		11814460001	1:2000	WB
Kif11/Eg5	Rabbit	Cytoskeleton		AKIN03	1:500- 1:1000	WB/IF
Kpna2	Rabbit	Novus			1:500	WB
Phospho-Histone H2A.X (Ser139)	Mouse	Millipore	JBW301	05-636	1:1000	IF
Rock2	Rabbit	Santa Cruz Biotechnology	H-85	sc-5561	1:200	WB
Securin	Mouse	Abcam		ab3305	1:500	WB
Skp1 p19	Rabbit	Santa Cruz Biotechnology	H-163	sc-7163	1:200	WB
Top2 α	Rabbit	TopoGEN		2011-1	1:500- 1:1000	WB/IF
Tpx2	Rabbit	Lifespan Biosciences		LS-B146	1:250- 1:1000	IHC, WB
	Rabbit	Hyman's lab (MPI- CBG)			1:500	IF
	Mouse	Abcam		ab32795	1:500	WB
Vinculin	Mouse	Sigma-Aldrich	hVIN1	V9131	1:3000	WB

* IF, Immunofluorescence; IHC, immunohistochemistry; WB, immunoblot

Table S3. Oligonucleotides used in this work against mouse sequences (related to Fig. 3).

Primer	Sequence
Top2 α _Forward	5 ' TGGTCAGTTTGGAAACCAGGC 3 '
Top2 α _Reverse	5 ' TCAGGCTCAACACGTTGGTT 3 '
Kif11_Forward	5 ' TGGCAGTGCGAAACAAAAGG 3 '
Kif11_Reverse	5 ' TCTGAGAAACACGAGCGGAC 3 '
Gadd45a_Forward	5 ' GCTCAACGTAGACCCCGATA 3 '
Gadd45a_Reverse	5 ' GTTCGTCACCAGCACACAGT 3 '
Cdkn1a_Forward	5 ' GTGGGTCTGACTCCAGCCC 3 '
Cdkn1a_Reverse	5 ' CCTTCTCGTGAGACGCTTAC 3 '
Tpx2_Forward	5 ' CCTCACAGATGAGCGAATCA 3 '
Tpx2_Reverse	5 ' TCTTCCCTTTGGACAGGTTG 3 '
Gapdh_Forward	5 ' GCCACCCAGAAGACTGTGGATGGC 3 '
Gapdh_Reverse	5 ' CATGATGGCCATGAGGTCCACCAC 3 '

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