

Calcineurin Activity Assay

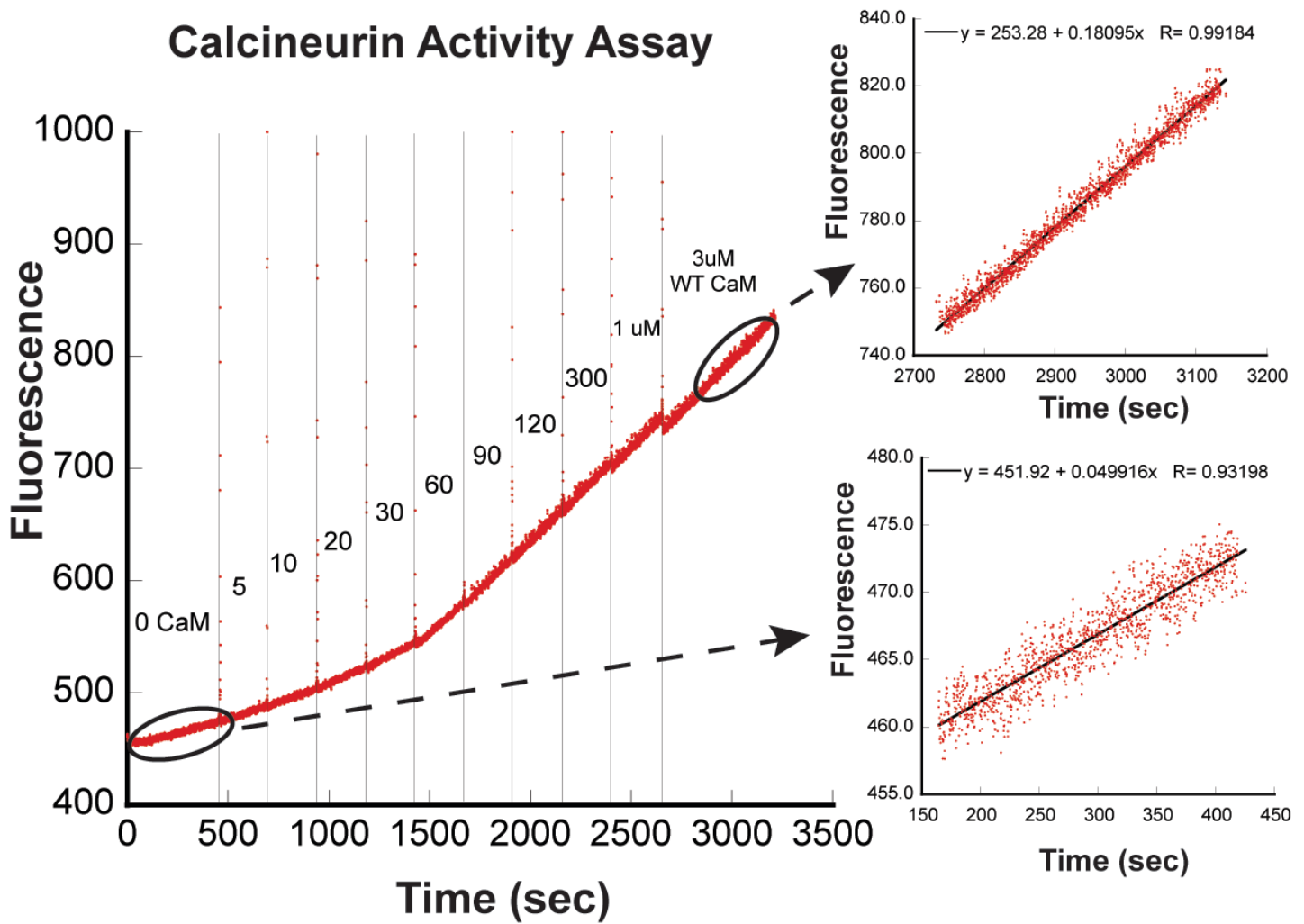


Figure S1. Representative data set of CaN activity measurements. Fluorescence intensity of MUPP substrate monitored during addition of CaM in the presence of 100 μ M Ca^{2+} and 150 nM CaN. Zoomed in regions at the start and end of the titration demonstrate linearity which is consistent with each condition being monitored at steady state. Each steady state measurement is fit to a linear line where the slope corresponds to CaN activity.

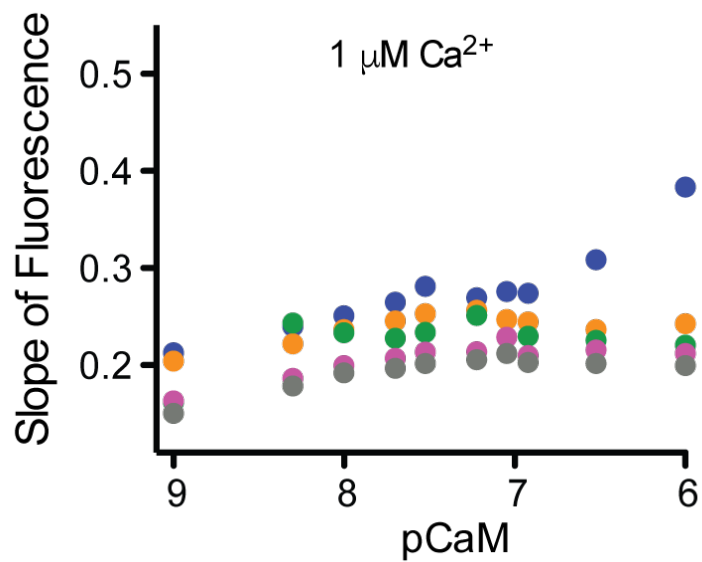


Figure S2. Activation of CaN by CaM at 1 μM $[\text{Ca}^{2+}]$. Data are color coded by CaM mutation identify (WT, N53I, F89L, D129G, and F141L).

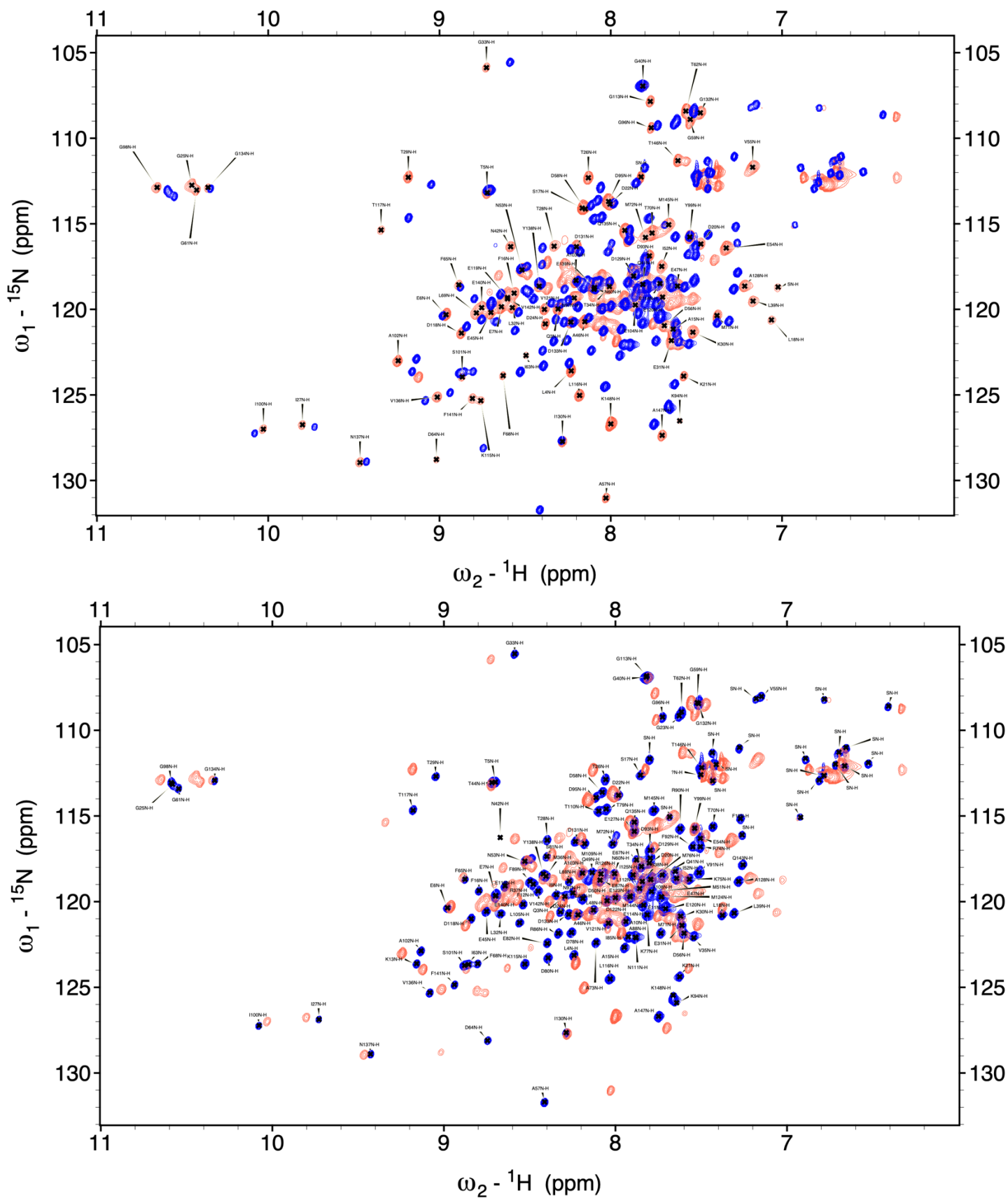
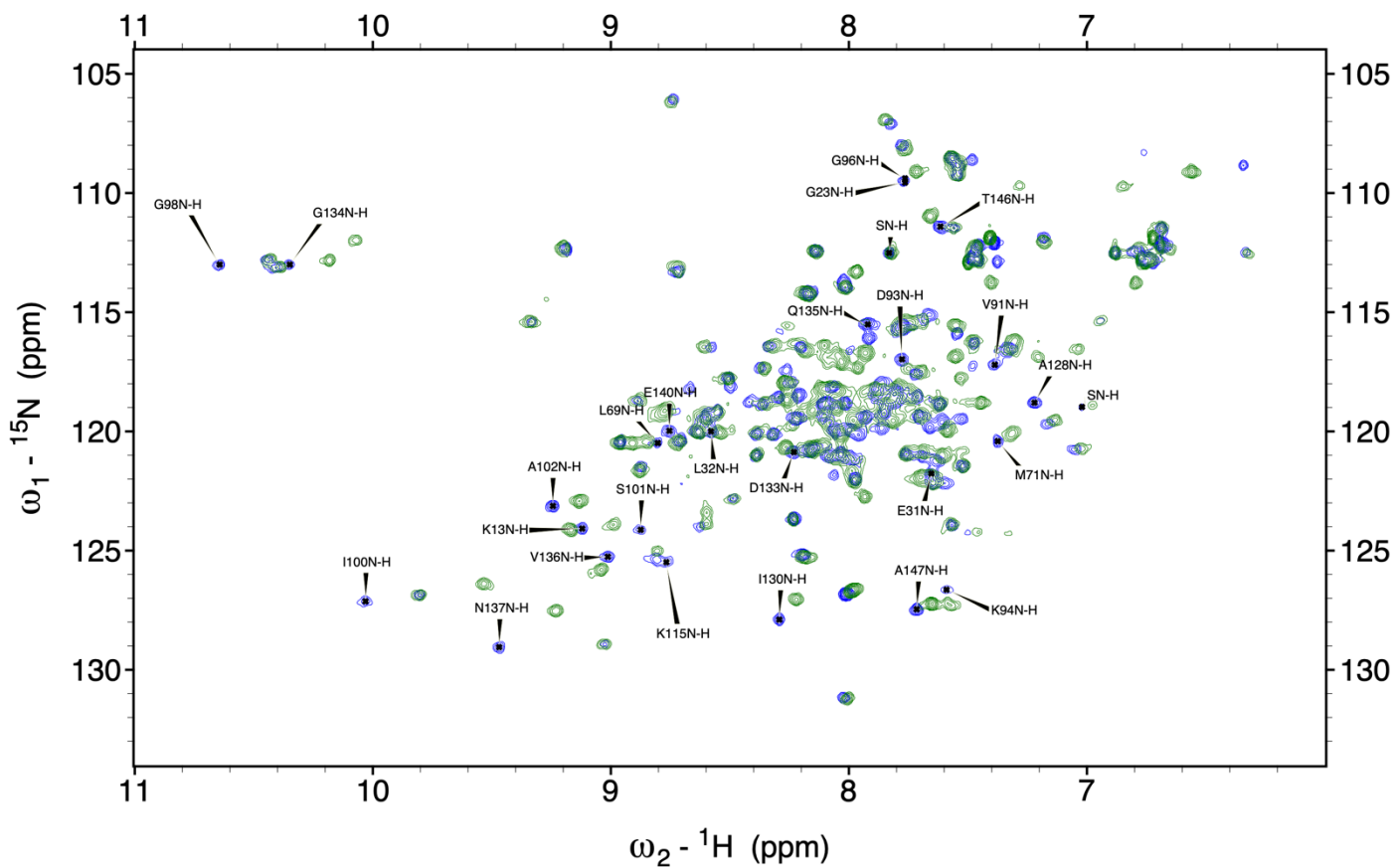
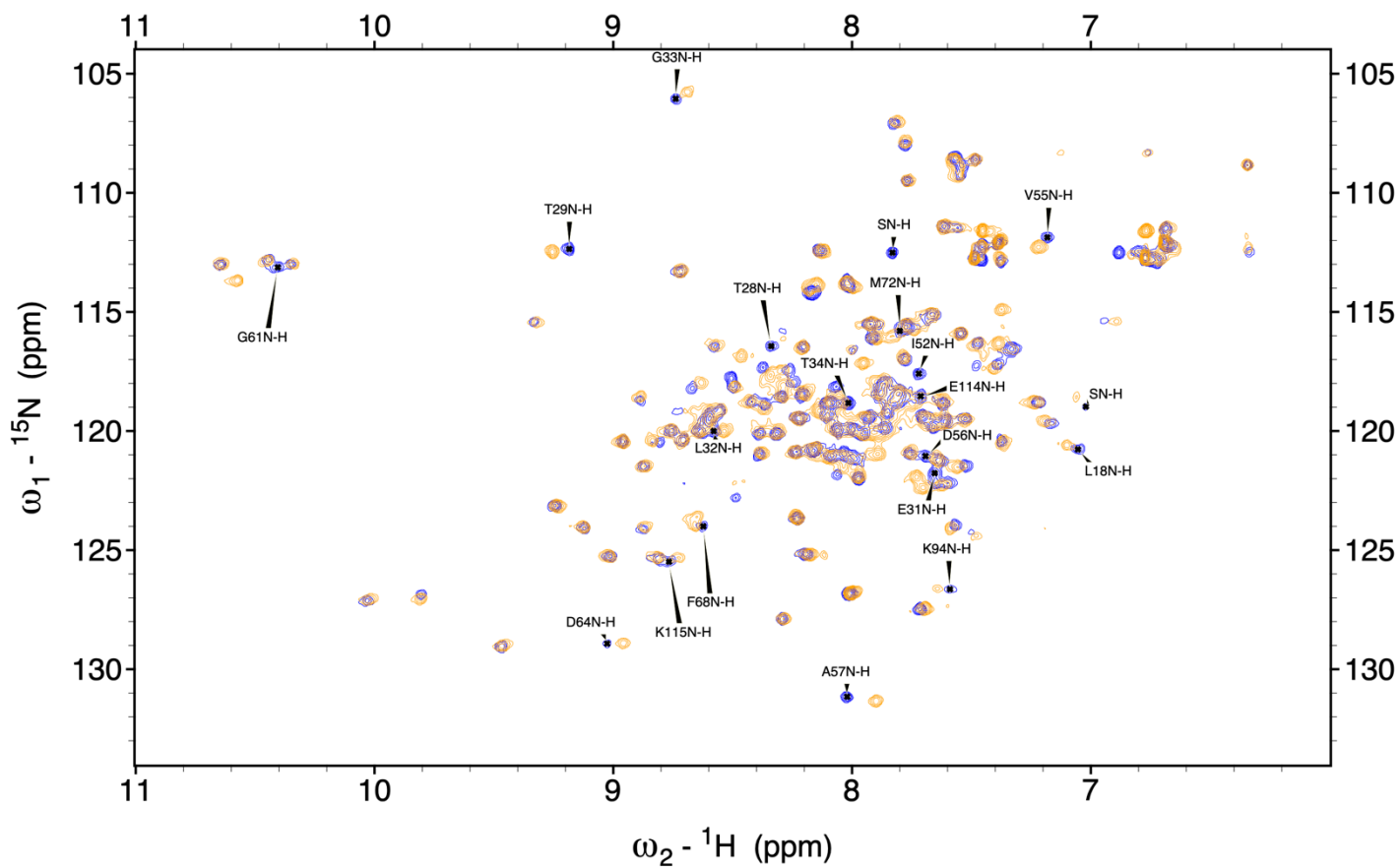


Figure S3. ^1H ^{15}N HSQC spectra of isotopically enriched $75\ \mu\text{M}$ ^{15}N **CaM-CaN peptide complex** (red) overlaid with $75\ \mu\text{M}$ ^{15}N **WT CaM** (blue). Solution conditions were 50 mM HEPES, 100 mM KCl, 6 mM CaCl_2 , pH 7.4 at 298K. Resonance frequency assignments shown for clearly resolved cross peaks of a) CaM-CaN peptide complex and b) WT CaM. Complete list of assigned data from analysis of mutant complexes shown in **Figure S4**.



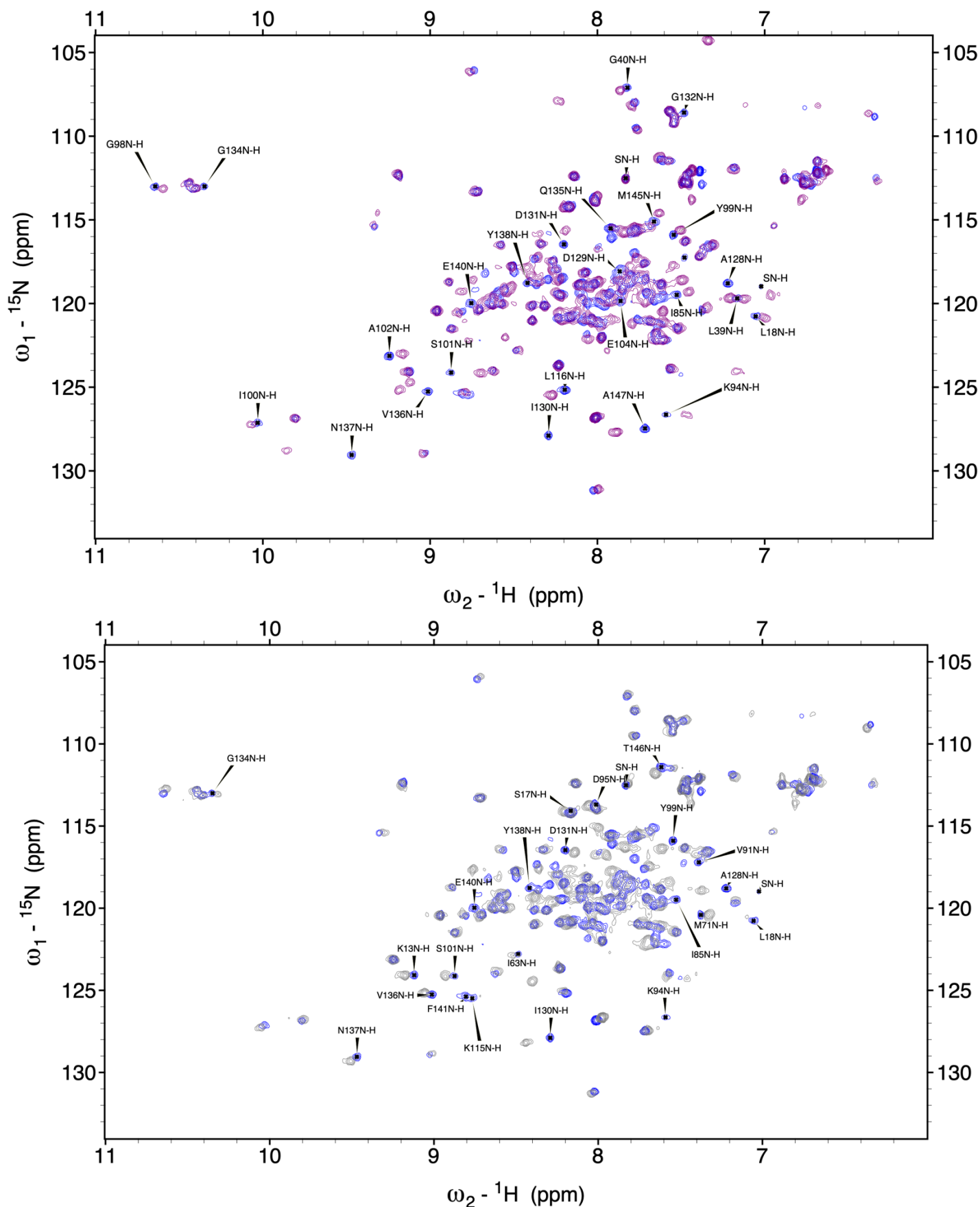


Figure S4. Overlays of ^1H - ^{15}N HSQC NMR spectra of ^{15}N WT CaM -CaN peptide complex compared to spectra of mutant CaM complexes at 80 :1 $[\text{Ca}^{2+}]$: $[\text{protein}]$. Labels are shown on each overlay for cross-peaks of amino acids where data could be clearly attribute to differences imparted each disease-associated mutation. SN-H indicates side chain. Spectra are color coded by CaM mutation identify (WT, N53I, F89L, D129G, and F141L).

CaM	N53I	F89L	D129G	F141L
A1	A1	A1	A1	A1
D2	D2	D2	D2	D2
Q3	Q3	Q3	Q3	Q3
L4	L4	L4	L4	L4
T5	T5	T5	T5	T5
E6	E6	E6	E6	E6
E7	E7	E7	E7	E7
Q8	Q8	Q8	Q8	Q8
I9	I9	I9	I9	I9
A10	A10	A10	A10	A10
E11	E11	E11	E11	E11
F12	F12	F12	F12	F12
K13	K13	K13	K13	K13
E14	E14	E14	E14	E14
A15	A15	A15	A15	A15
F16	F16	F16	F16	F16
S17	S17	S17	S17	S17
L18	L18	L18	L18	L18
F19	F19	F19	F19	F19
D20	D20	D20	D20	D20
K21	K21	K21	K21	K21
D22	D22	D22	D22	D22
G23	G23	G23	G23	G23
D24	D24	D24	D24	D24
G25	G25	G25	G25	G25
T26	T26	T26	T26	T26
I27	I27	I27	I27	I27
T28	T28	T28	T28	T28
T29	T29	T29	T29	T29
K30	K30	K30	K30	K30
E31	E31	E31	E31	E31
L32	L32	L32	L32	L32
G33	G33	G33	G33	G33
T34	T34	T34	T34	T34
V35	V35	V35	V35	V35
M36	M36	M36	M36	M36
R37	R37	R37	R37	R37
S38	S38	S38	S38	S38
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P43	P43	P43	P43	P43
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F65	F65	F65	F65	F65
P66	P66	P66	P66	P66
E67	E67	E67	E67	E67
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L69	L69	L69	L69	L69
T70	T70	T70	T70	T70
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R74	R74	R74	R74	R74

CaM	N53I	F89L	D129G	F141L
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E87	E87	E87	E87	E87
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F89	F89	F89	F89	F89
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V91	V91	V91	V91	V91
F92	F92	F92	F92	F92
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G96	G96	G96	G96	G96
N97	N97	N97	N97	N97
G98	G98	G98	G98	G98
Y99	Y99	Y99	Y99	Y99
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A102	A102	A102	A102	A102
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R106	R106	R106	R106	R106
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L112	L112	L112	L112	L112
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A147	A147	A147	A147	A147
K148	K148	K148	K148	K148

KEY
Clearly Resolved Cross-Peaks
< 0.5 peak width deviation
> 0.5, < 1 peak width deviation
> 1 peak width deviation or peak missing
unable to resolve overlapped peaks

Figure S5. CaM sequence color coded by chemical shift perturbation relative to WT-CaM-CaN peptide complex at 80:1 [Ca²⁺]:[protein]. Disease associated point mutations highlighted in yellow. Amino acids shaded green denote cross-peaks where cross-peaks could be clearly attributed to a specific amino acid. Grey amino acids indicate cross-peaks overlapped to an extent where it was not possible to discern which amino-acid was altered. We note

were we were not overly surprised to observe overlapped cross peaks for amino acids that connected the CaM -N and -C domains, as others have indicated this helix a propensity for unwinding in solution (1,2). Unwound or disordered amino acids often have resonance frequencies that are similar and often overlapped.

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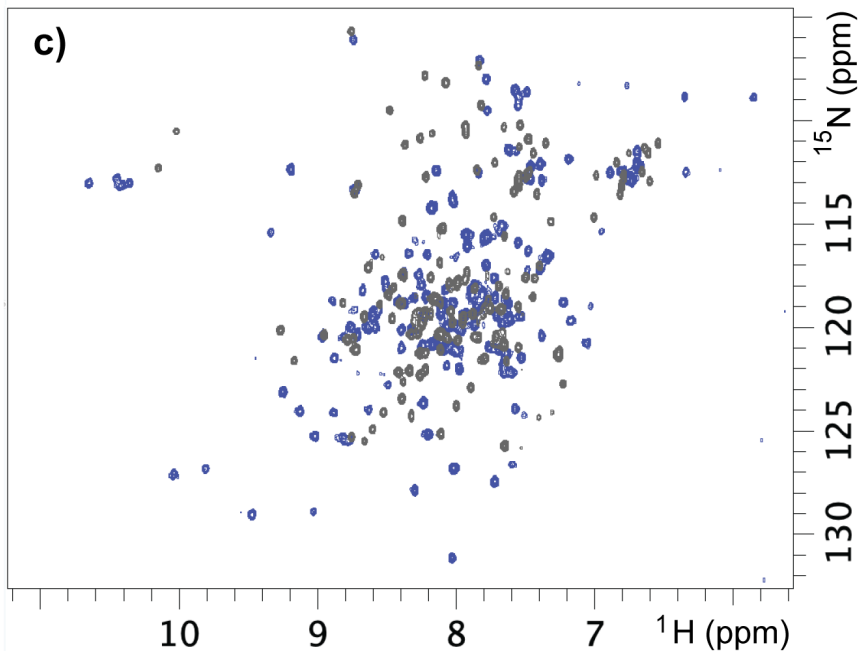
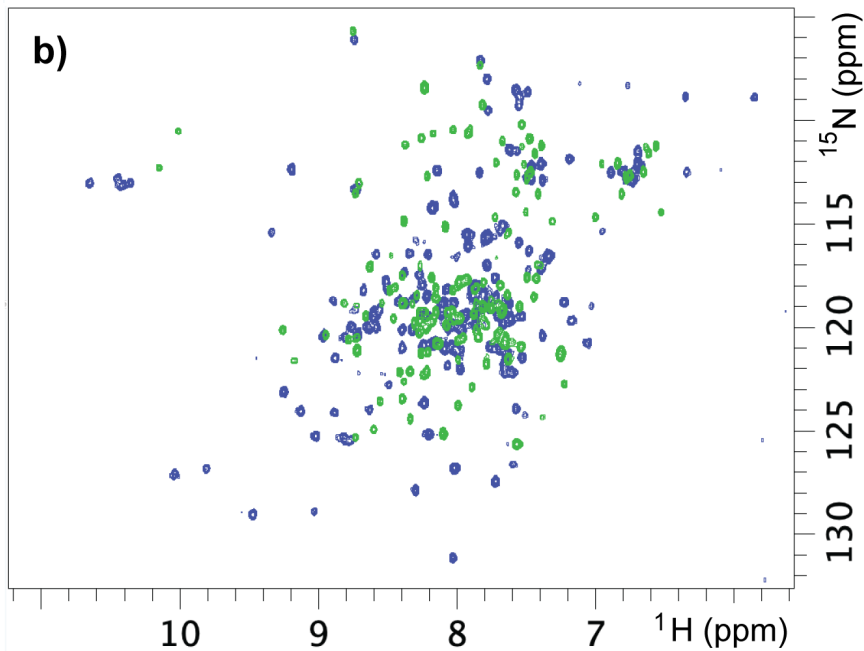
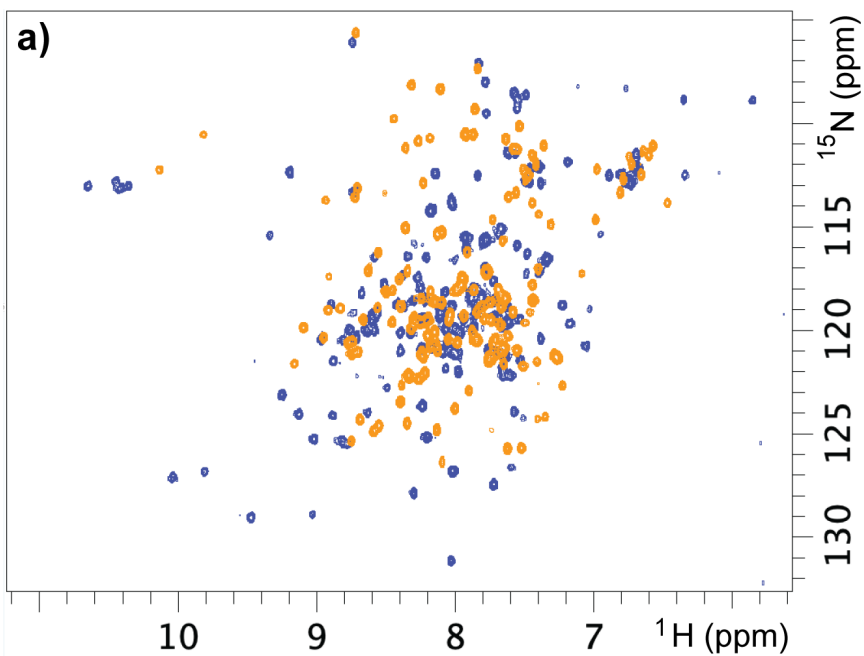


Figure S6. 2D ^1H ^{15}N HSQC NMR spectra of Ca^{2+} free ^{15}N enriched mutant CaM (**N53I**, **F89L** and **F141L**) in the presence of CaN peptide overlaid on spectra of **WT** Ca^{2+} CaM-CaN. The lack of similarity in the spectra confirm that the individual point mutations do not facilitate interaction between CaM and the traditional CaM binding region of CaN in the absence of Ca^{2+} .

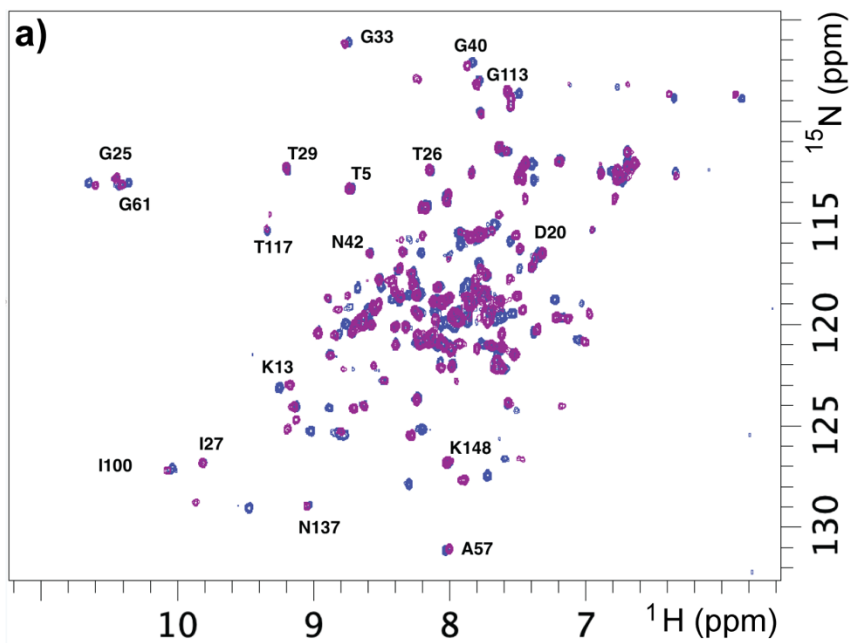
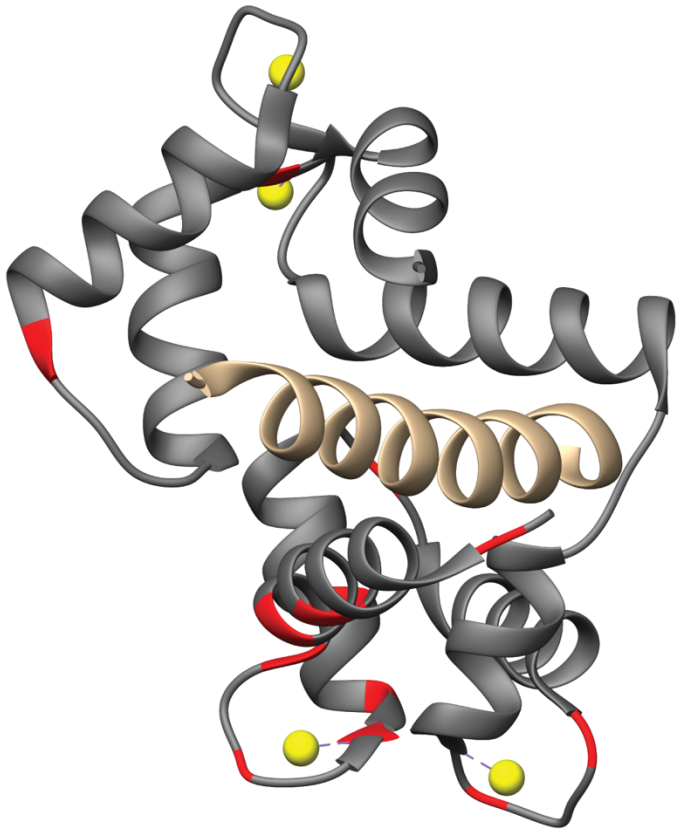


Figure S7. a) 2D ^1H ^{15}N HSQC NMR spectra of Ca^{2+} free ^{15}N enriched **D129G** CaM in the presence of CaN peptide overlaid on spectra of **WT** Ca^{2+} CaM-CaN. **b)** Overlapped chemical shifts mapped onto structure of CaM-CaN peptide complex in red (PDB ID 4Q5U) reveal that the spectral similarities are for amino acids not contained at the CaM-CaN binding interface. CaM shown in grey, CaN peptide shown in tan.

b)



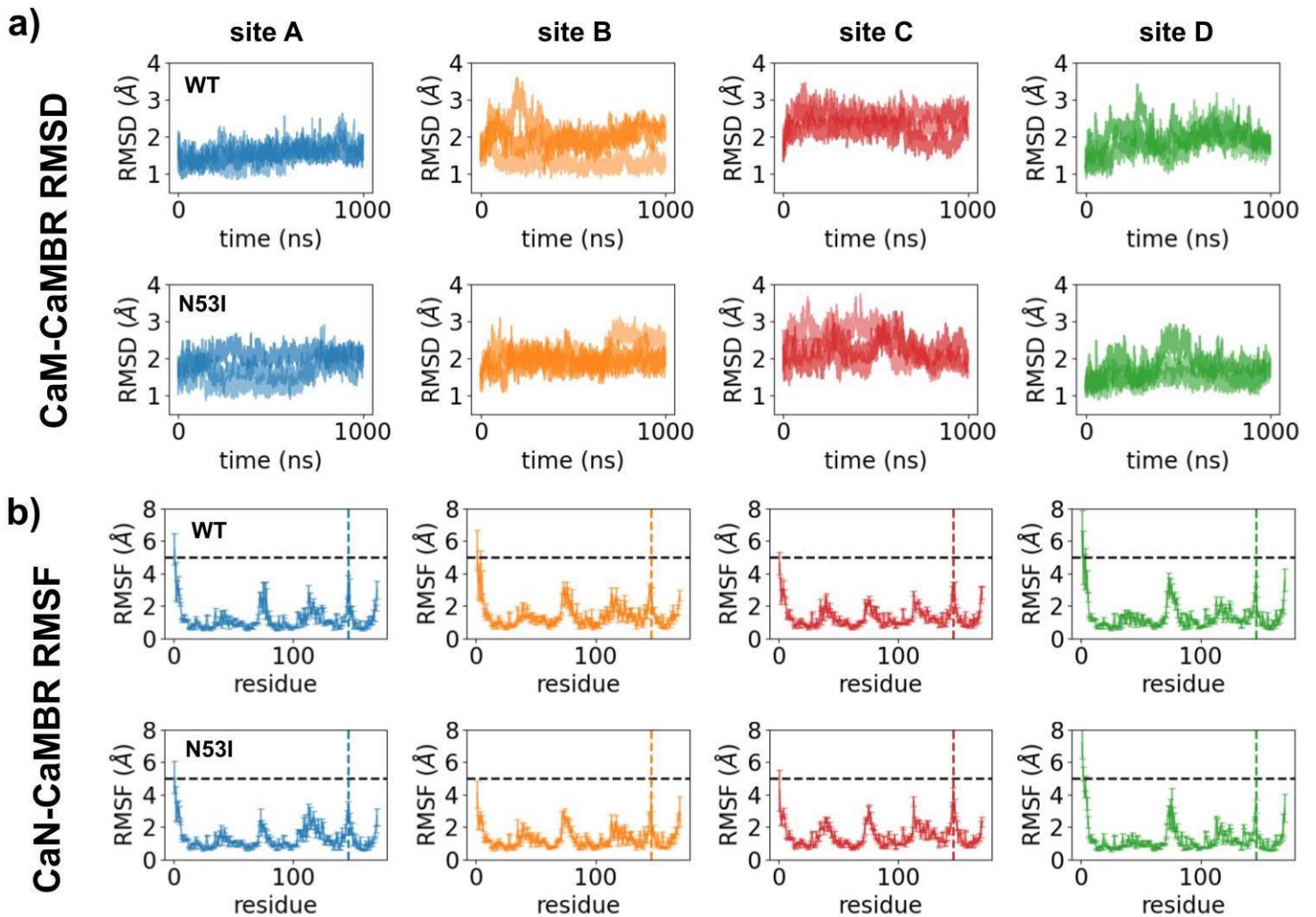


Figure S8. Molecular Dynamic Simulation Analysis. Plots of RMSD and RMSF for CaM binding region (CaMBR) of simulation contain CaMBR and distal helix for WT and N53I systems. **a)** Backbone RMSD of CaM WT (top) and N53I (bottom) at the four different distal helix binding sites. Data color-coded according to sites labeled in Figure 8 (**Site A**, **Site B**, **Site C**, **Site D**). Crystal structure of CaM-CaMBR (PDB: 4Q5U) was used as reference. **b)** RMSF of the CaM-CaN binding region of WT (top) and N53I (bottom) at the posited binding sites. Black dashed line denote 5 Å cutoff under which residues are deemed stable during the simulations.

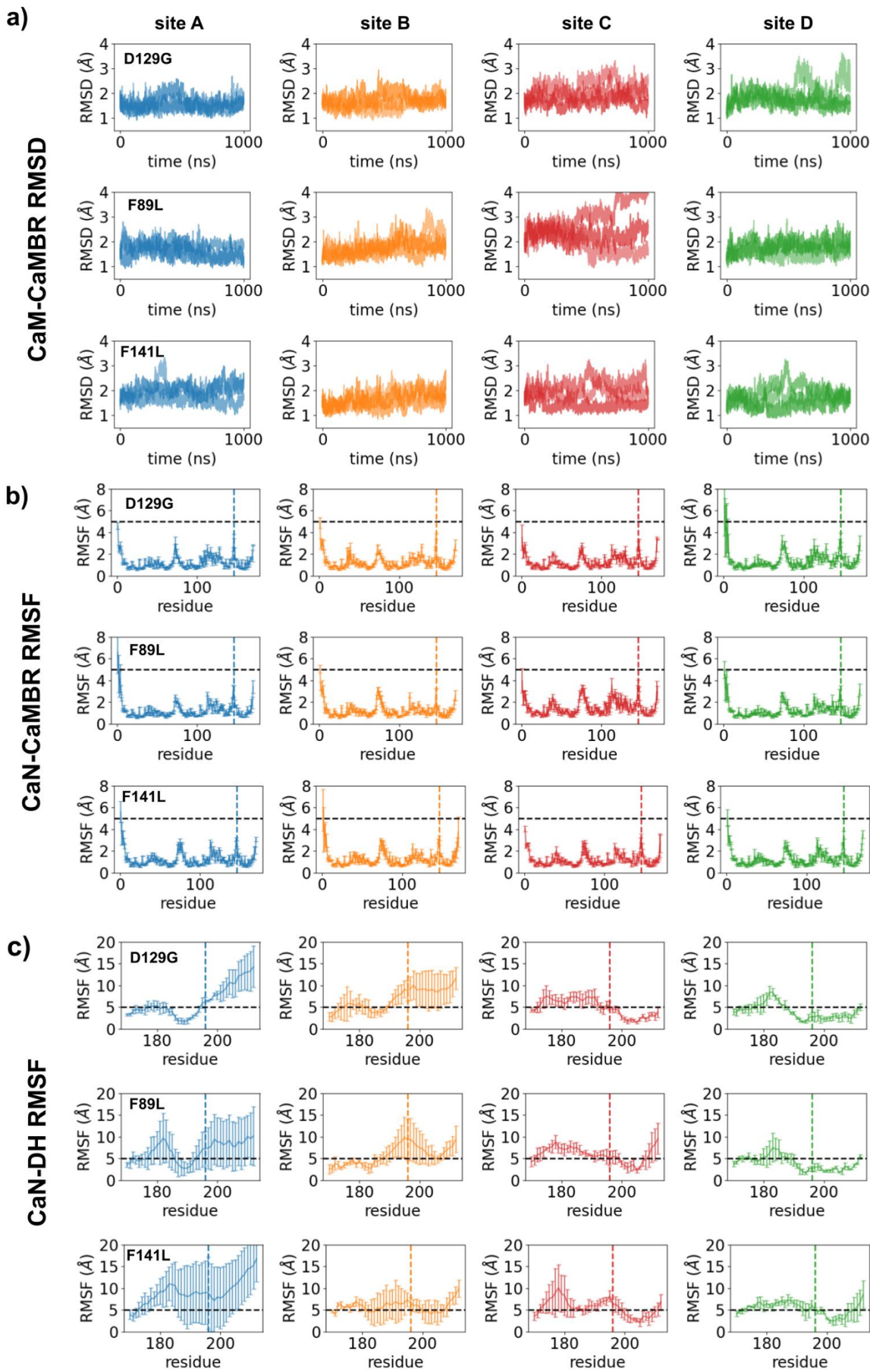


Figure S9. Analysis of molecular dynamic simulations for D129G, F89L and F141L CaM-CaN systems.

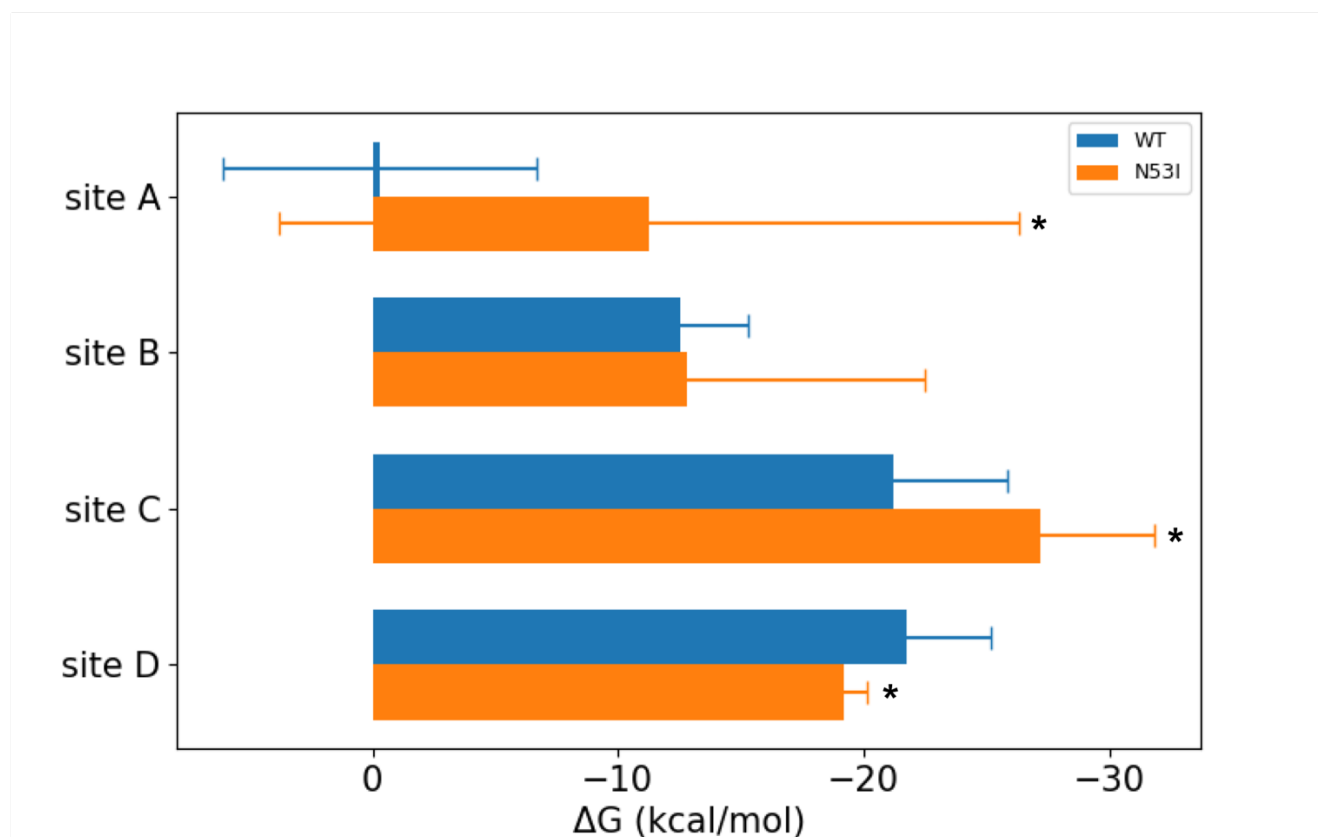


Figure S10. Approximate binding free energies between CaM and DH at four different sites computed via MM/GBSA. N53I indicates enhanced interaction between CaM and CaN-DH at sites A and C, with reduced interaction at site D. * denotes statistical significance of $p < 0.05$.