THE EFFECT OF TRIPLE CFTR MODULATOR THERAPY AND AZITHROMYCIN ON ION CHANNELS AND INFLAMMATION IN CYSTIC FIBROSIS

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Supplementary Data

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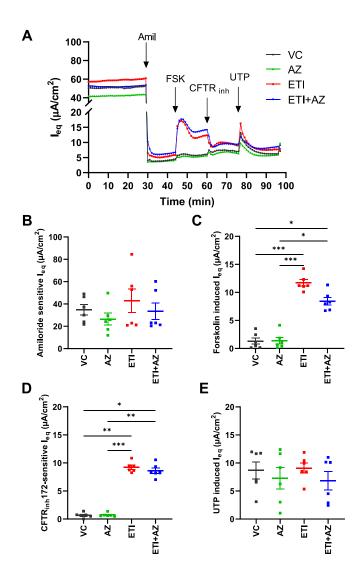


Figure S1: AZ has no synergistic/antagonist effect on ion channels upon combination with ETI in homozygous (F508del/F508del) CF HBE cells at 96 hours. (A) Representative traces of I_{eq} over time. CF HBEs primary cells grown at air liquid interface were pretreated basolaterally for <u>96 hours</u> with: vehicle (DMSO 0.08%; v/v) and AZ (10 µg/mL). ETI (ELX/TEZ/LUM; 3/18/1 µM) was added to all assigned wells 24 hours prior to experiment. Changes in I_{eq} were measured using the MTECC-24 system after the apical addition of amiloride (10 µM), Forskolin (20 µM), CFTR_{inh}172 (20 µM) and UTP (100µM). Quantified (B) Amiloride sensitive leq; (C) Forskolin induced leq; (D) CFTRinh172 sensitive leq and (E) UTP sensitive current responses (µA/cm²) are shown. Data presented as the mean ±SEM. Statistical analyses were performed using a Kruskal-Wallis statistical test with Dunn's multiple comparisons post-hoc test. * p value * \leq 0.05. N=6 (3 filters each from two donors).

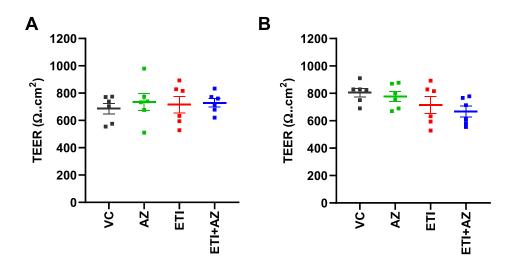


Figure S2: TEER assessment of homozygous (F508del/F508del) CF HBE cells over the course of the treatment period. CF HBEs primary cells grown at air liquid interface were pretreated basolaterally for (A) 24 and (B) 96 h with: vehicle (DMSO 0.08%; v/v) and AZ ($10~\mu g/mL$). ETI (ELX/TEZ/LUM; $3/18/1~\mu M$) was added to all assigned wells 24 hours prior to measurement. TEER values ($\Omega.cm^2$) were measured using the MTECC-24 system. Data presented as the mean \pm SEM. Statistical analyses were performed using a Kruskal-Wallis statistical test. No significant difference was reported. N=6 (3 filters each from two donors).