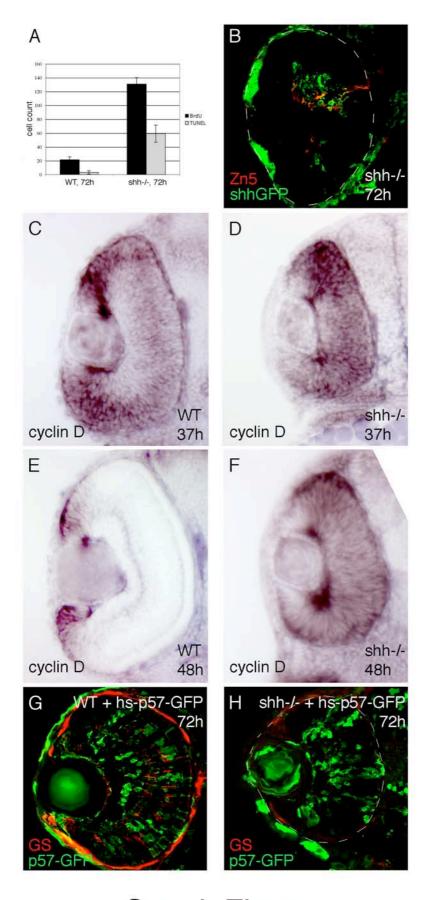
## **Supplementary Figure 1**

- (A) Bar graph showing the mean number of BrdU-positive and TUNEL-positive cells counted per retinal section (n=9 eyes) in wildtypes and in *shh* mutants.
- (B) Confocal sections through the *shh-/-* retina at 72 hpf (anterior to the top). Zn5 (red) labels RGCs expressing also the Shh-GFP reporter (green).
- (C-F) A time course of *cyclin D*1 expression in wildtype and *shh* mutants. Shown are whole-mount *in situ* hybridization analyses (anterior to the top).
- (C) At 37 hpf, cyclin D1 is expressed at the retinal margin and at a reduced level in the central retina whereas at 48 hpf cyclin D1 expression was detected at the margin only (E).
- (D, F) *shh* mutants fail to downregulate *cyclin D1* expression in the central retina at any stage.
- (G-H) Wildtype and *shh-/-* embryos expressing p57Kip2/GFP (green) were stained for glutamine synthetase (GS) (red). *shh* mutants with p57Kip2/GFP expressing cells (green) show no GS-positive Mueller glia cells.



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