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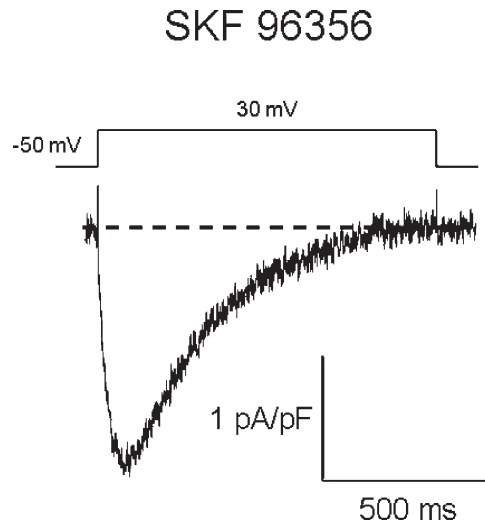


Figure S1. 1-s test potentials reveal near complete block of L-type current by 20 μM SKF 96356. L-type Ca^{2+} current was elicited by a 1-s depolarization from -50 to 30 mV after a prepulse protocol (see Materials and methods). The peak current amplitude (elicited by a 200-ms test pulse) before SKF 96356 application was 10.4 pA/pF.

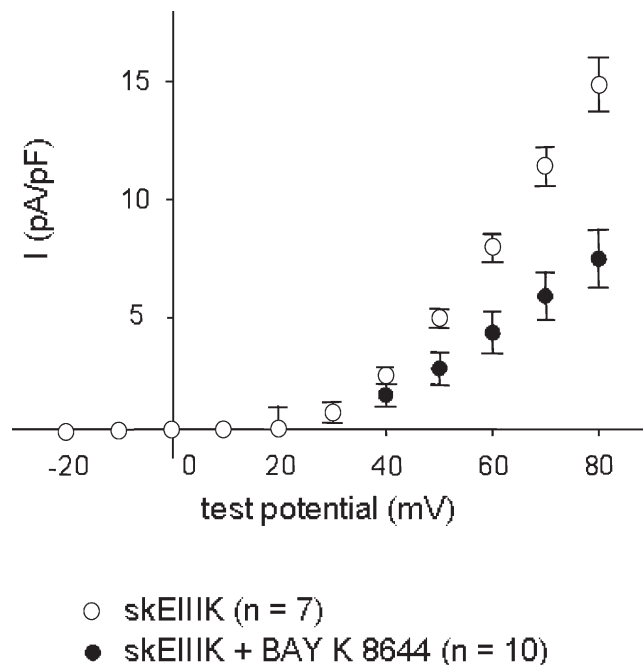


Figure S2. I-V relationships for dysgenic myotubes expressing SkE111K in the presence and absence of 5 μM \pm Bay K 8644. Currents were elicited at 0.1 Hz by test potentials ranging from -20 through $+80$ mV in 10 -mV increments after a prepulse protocol (see Materials and methods). The reduced outward current in the presence of \pm Bay K 8644 reflects entry of L-type channels into the long-duration open state (Leuranguer, V., R.T. Dirksen, and K.G. Beam. 2003. *J. Gen. Physiol.* 121:541–550).

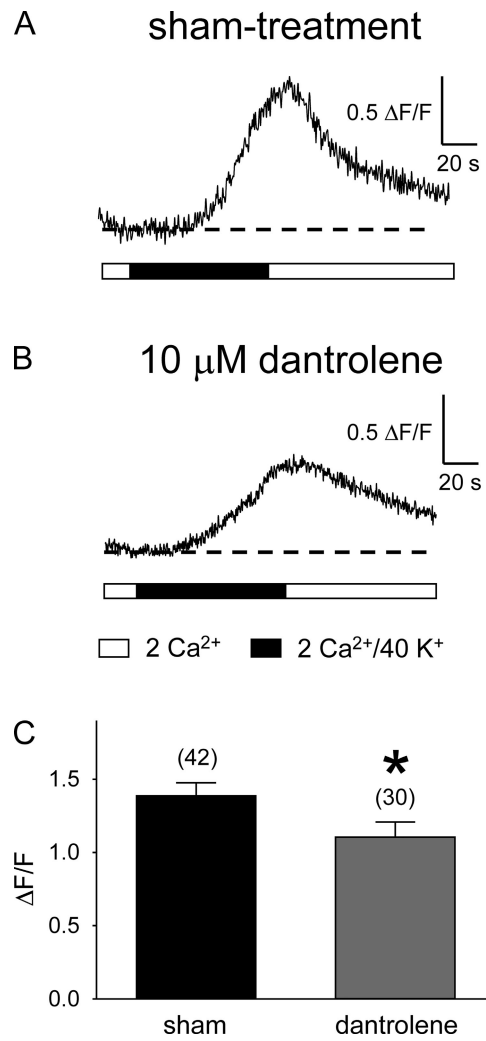


Figure S3. Dantrolene partially inhibits Ca^{2+} entry during long depolarizations. Representative Ca^{2+} transients evoked by bath perfusion of 40 mM KCl Ringer's solution for sham-incubated (20 min; $\sim 25^\circ\text{C}$) normal myotubes (A) and normal myotubes exposed to 10 μM dantrolene for the same duration (B). In each case, myotubes were exposed to 200 μM ryanodine for >1 h at 37°C before experiments to block the contribution of RyR1 to the Ca^{2+} transient. (C) Summary. The asterisk indicates a significant difference in $\Delta F/F$ ($P < 0.05$; t test).