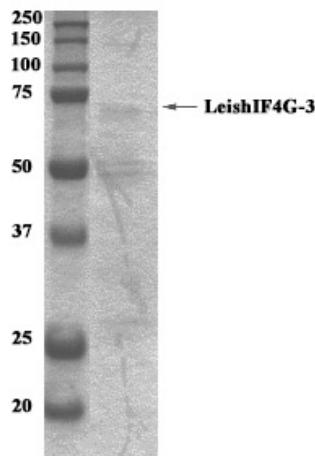


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**SUPPLEMENTARY DATA**

**Supplementary Figure 1**

**A.**



**B.** Protein = hypothetical protein, conserved [Leishmania major] |68125695|

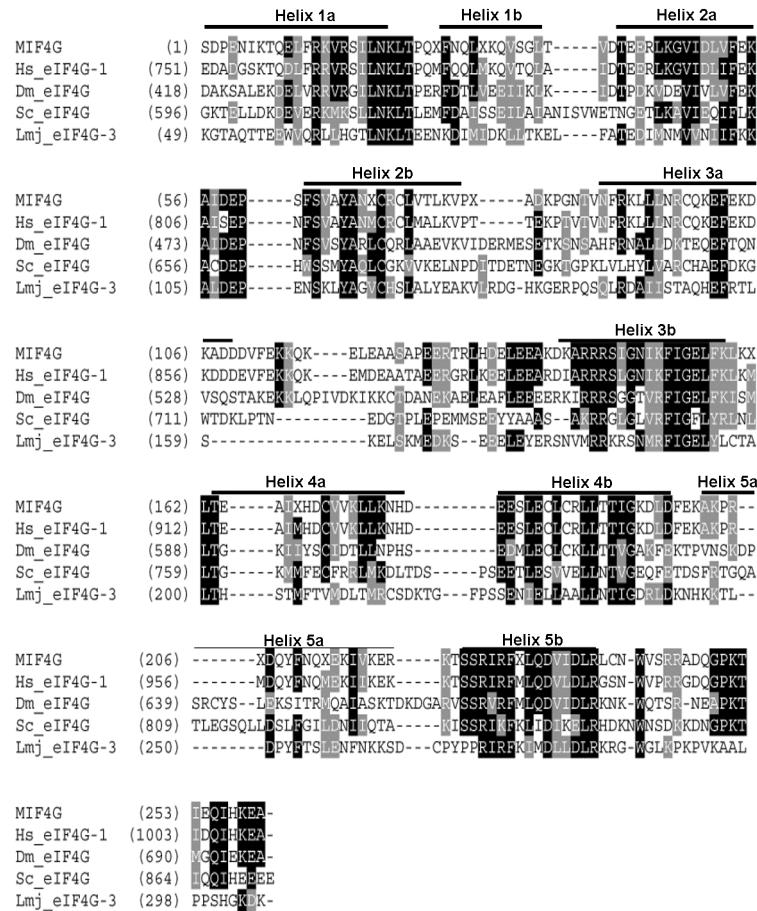
1   **MQFTVEQIRS** VRNNYLEPPI PGFSLDEVVR RRRLTQTKLV RGENAWVAK**G**  
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101   IFKKALDEPE NSKLYAGVCH SLALYEAKVL RDGHKGERPQ SQLR**DAIIST**  
151   **AQHEFRTLSK** ELSKMEDKSE EELEYERSNV MRRKRSNMRF IGELYLCTAL  
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251   PYFTSLENFN KKSDCPYPPR IRFKIMDLLD LRKRGWGLKP KPVKAALPPS  
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351   GLNGRGTSSA APAANTAALS SSAASTAAAT APAGASFRDE ASPQVPLVKF  
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501   KFGERFMSML RLTSTEQETR ADVYFDAANV LRLTYNRLES PDDSAVDTLM  
551   SFWDRVPLPS TDEENMIRMD LDVVYSLCNP EGVQDGLEKL LSRIIHSMLO  
601   MQLMDAEVLD EFLCLDVEDG LCAKVIADYK ERFPK

MS analysis	Peptide	Coverage	score
#1	MQFTVEQIRS		63
	GTAQTTEEWVQRL		77
		3.5%	
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Accession number in LeishDB – LmjF16.6060

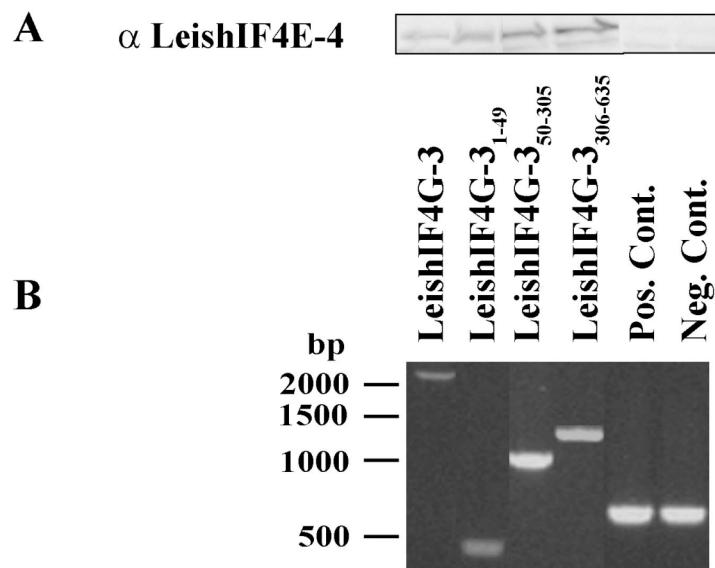
**Analysis of the 70 kDa protein eluted from m<sup>7</sup>GTP-Sepharose.** **A.** Coomassie staining of proteins that were eluted from a m<sup>7</sup>GTP-Sepharose column, following their concentration by TCA. The ~70 kDa band that was excised and analyzed by Mass spectrometry is marked by an arrow. **B.** The amino acid coverage of peptides identified in independent Mass Spectrometry analysis is given in different colors (blue and red).

## Supplementary Figure 2



**Sequence alignment of MIF4G domains.** The amino acid sequences of MIF4G domains from different eIF4G proteins were subjected to multiple alignment using the Muscle algorithm. The predicted  $\alpha$ -helical secondary structure elements (1-5, a and b) are indicated above the sequences. Accession numbers are: MIF4G, gi:13399859; eIF4G-1 of Human (Hs), Q04637; *Drosophila melanogaster* (Dm), NP\_524640; *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* (Sc), Tif4631, NP\_011678; and *Leishmania major* (Lmj) LeishIF4G-3, LmjF16.1600. Identical and similar residues are highlighted in black and gray, respectively.

### Supplementary Figure 3



**Genes encoding for *Leishmania* proteins are present in the transgenic yeast cells.** The presence of the LeishIF4E-4 and LeishIF4G-3 was detected by Western analysis (A) or PCR (B), respectively.

## Supplementary Table 1

**Primers used for the cloning and site-directed mutagenesis.** Small letters represent addition of restriction sites.

Leish4G-3 FwBamHI	cgggatccATGCAGTTCACCGTGGAGCA
Leish4G-3 RvStuI	aaggcctTAACTTGGGAAGCGCTCCT
Leish4G-3 RvHindIII_NoStop	cccaagcttCTTGGGAAGCGCTCCT
Leish4G-3 RvXbaFLAG	ctagtctagaCTA TTTATCGTCATCGTCCTGTAGTCCTGGGAAGCGCTCCT
Leish4G-3 147-129 StopRvEcoRI	ccggaattcTTACTTCGCAACCCAAGCATT
Leish4G-3 148-166 FwBamHI	cgggatccGGCACCGCTCAGACGAC
Leish4G-3 915- 898 StopRvEcoRI	ccggaattcTTATTTCCTGCCGTGGCT
Leish4G-3 916-934 FwBamHI	cgggatccAAGTACGCCACTGCC
Leish4G-3 Δ23-29 Fw	GAGCCGCCGTACCCGGGCGACGCCGTCGCTTGAC
Leish4G-3 Δ23-29 Rv	GTCAAGCGACGGCGTGGGGTACGGCGGCTC
Leish4G-3 Δ20-25 Fw	TACCTTGAGCCGCCGAAGTGGTGCACGC
Leish4G-3 Δ20-25 Rv	GCGTCGCACCACCTCCGGCGGCTCAAGGTA
Leish4G-3 Y20A Fw	ACCTTGAGCCGCCGGCCCCGGGCTTTCTCT
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Leish4G-3 Y20F Rv	AGAGAAAAGCCCAGGGAACGGCGGCTCAAGGT
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Leish4G-3 S24A Rv	ACCACTTCATCCAGAGCAAAGCCCAGGTACG
Leish4G-3 L25A Fw	ACCCGGGCTTTCTGGATGAAGTGGTGC
Leish4G-3 L25A Rv	CGCACCACTTCATCCGAGAAAAGCCCAGGT
Leish4G-3 D26A Fw	CGGGCTTTCTGGCTGAAGTGGTGCACG
Leish4G-3 D26A Rv	CGTCGACCACTTCAGCCAGAGAAAAGCCC
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Leish4E-1 RvXba_No STOP	gctctagaAGACGCCCTGCCGTGCTT
Leish4E-4 FwBamHI	cgcggatccATGAACCCCAACGCCACGGA
Leish4E-4 RvXba_No STOP	gctctagaGTAGCGCCGACGGTTCTT
Leish4E-4 FwEcoRI	ggaattcATGAACCCCAACGCCACGGA
Leish4E-4 RvSall	acgcgtcgacTTAGTAGCGCCGACGGTTCTT
pAD 5'	Agggatgttaataccactac
pAD 3'	Gcacagttgaagtgaacttgc