

**Table 1. Distinct domains within IL-17RA regulate C/EBP $\beta$  phosphorylation.** IL-17RA<sup>KO</sup> cells stably expressing IL-17RA.V553H or IL-17RA $\Delta$ 665 were treated with IL-17 for 0, 15, 30 or 30 minutes, and tandem MS/MS analysis was performed as described for Figure 2.

**Table 2. ERK and GSK3 $\alpha/\beta$  inhibitors block phosphorylation of the C/EBP $\beta$  RD2 domain.** ST2 cells were treated with IL-17 for the indicated times in the presence of PD98095 (ERK inhibitor) or the GSK Inhibitor I and tandem MS/MS analysis was performed as described for Figure 2.

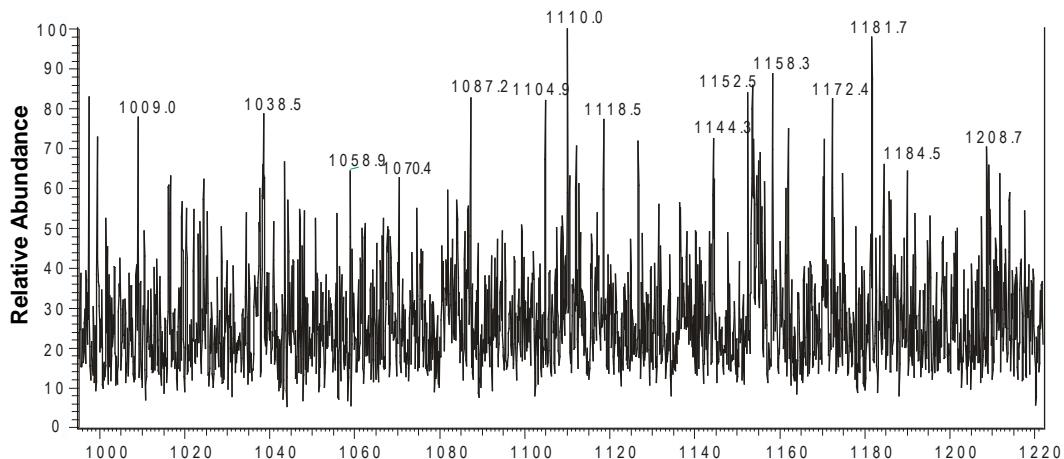
**Table 3. GSK3 $\beta$ -deficient cells fail to induce phosphorylation at T179.** ST2 cells were treated with IL-17 for the indicated times, and tandem MS/MS analysis was performed as described for Figure 2.

**Supplementary Figure 1. Identification of the C/EBP $\beta$ -specific RD2 peak by tandem MS/MS analysis.** C/EBP $\beta\delta^{KO}$  cells were transfected with nothing (panel A) or with a WT C/EBP $\beta$ -LAP construct (panels B-D), stimulated with the indicated times with IL-17, and nuclear extracts were evaluated by tandem MS/MS and CID as described in Fig. 2. Peaks corresponding to the unphosphorylated RD2 peptide ( $m/z$  1067.7), the singly phosphorylated peak ( $m/z$  1094) and the double phosphorylated peak ( $m/z$  1120) are indicated in red.

**Supplementary Figure 1 (Shen et al.)**

**A.**

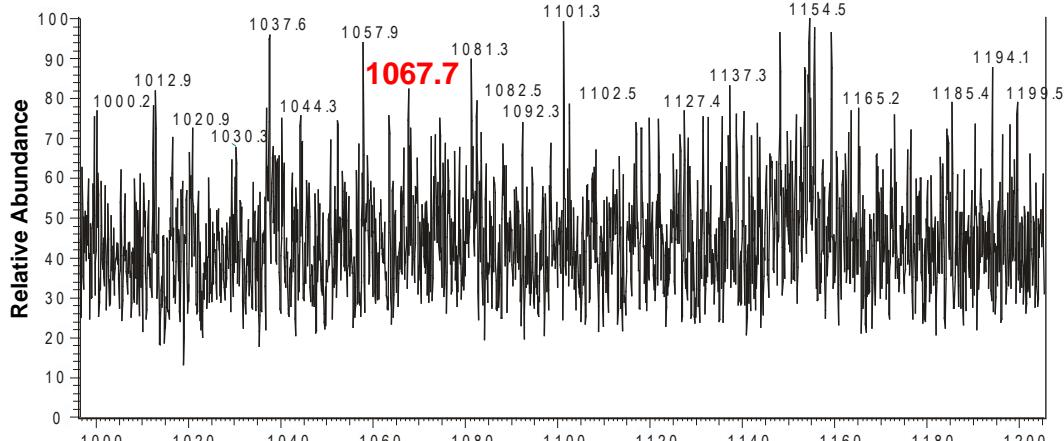
**C/EBP $\beta\delta$ KO**



**B.**

**C/EBP $\beta\delta$ KO  
+ C/EBP $\beta$**

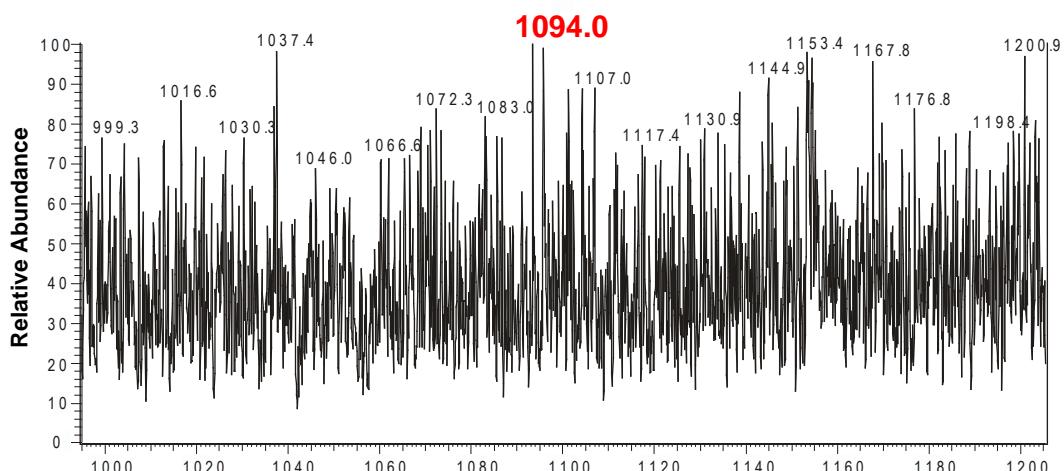
**Untreated**



**C.**

**C/EBP $\beta\delta$ KO  
+ C/EBP $\beta$**

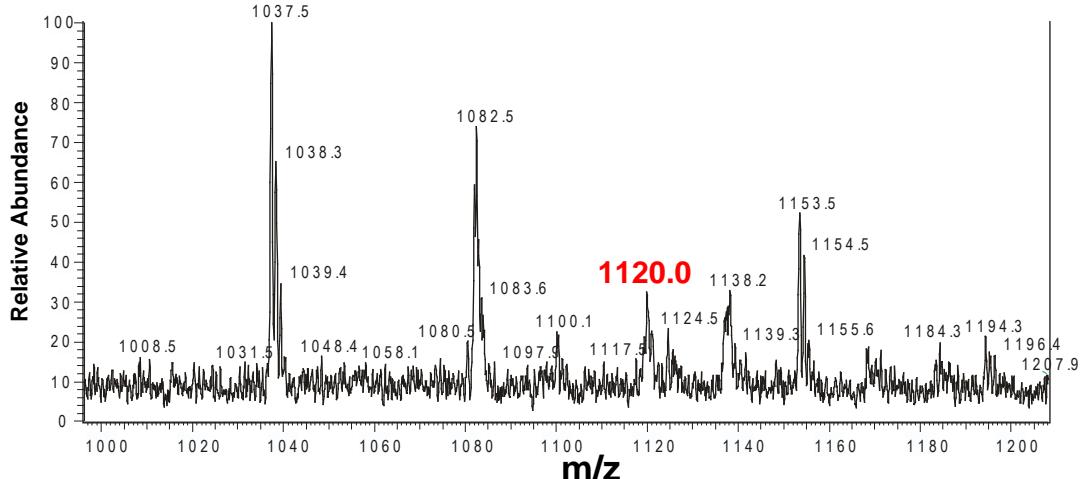
**IL-17, 15 min.**



**D.**

**C/EBP $\beta\delta$ KO  
+ C/EBP $\beta$**

**IL-17, 2 hr**



**Supplementary Table 1. Identification of phosphorylation sites in murine C/EBP $\beta$ .** Phosphopeptide fragments generated by collision induced dissociation (CID) are indicated. \* Indicates characteristic neutral loss of a phosphoric acid group in the MS/MS spectrum.

Fragment	Theoretical Peak (Unmodified)	m/z: 1067	Experimental Peak m/z: 1094	m/z: 1120
y <sub>4</sub> -NH <sub>3</sub>	387.2	--	387.3	--
y <sub>5</sub> -H <sub>2</sub> O	483.3	--	--	483.4
y <sub>5</sub>	501.3	501.2	501.2	501.1
y <sub>6</sub> -H <sub>2</sub> O	570.3	570.3	570.3	570.3
y <sub>6</sub> -NH <sub>3</sub>	571.3	571.4	571.3	571.4
y <sub>6</sub>	588.3	--	588.3	588.5
y <sub>7</sub> -H <sub>2</sub> O <sup>+2</sup>	334.2	--	334.1	--
y <sub>7</sub> -H <sub>2</sub> O	667.3	667.2	--	667.2
y <sub>7</sub> -NH <sub>3</sub>	668.3	668.2	668.3	668.4
y <sub>8</sub> -NH <sub>3</sub> <sup>+2</sup>	385.2	385.5	--	425.3
y <sub>8</sub> <sup>+2</sup>	393.7	--	433.3	433.1
y <sub>8</sub> -H <sub>2</sub> O	768.4	768.4	848.0	848.6
y <sub>8</sub> -NH <sub>3</sub>	769.4	769.4	--	849.6
y <sub>8</sub>	786.4	786.4	866.6	866.3
y <sub>8</sub> *	786.4	786.4	--	768.5*
y <sub>9</sub> -H <sub>2</sub> O <sup>+2</sup>	413.2	--	--	453.0
y <sub>9</sub> <sup>+2</sup>	422.2	422.7	462.7	--
y <sub>9</sub> -H <sub>2</sub> O	825.4	825.7	905.9	905.3
y <sub>9</sub> -NH <sub>3</sub>	826.4	826.6	906.5	906.3
y <sub>9</sub>	843.4	843.3	923.5	--
y <sub>9</sub> *	843.4	843.3	825.3*	825.2*
y <sub>10</sub> -H <sub>2</sub> O <sup>+2</sup>	461.7	--	501.8	501.1
y <sub>10</sub> -H <sub>2</sub> O	922.5	922.8	1002.1	--
y <sub>10</sub> -NH <sub>3</sub>	923.5	923.8	--	1003.5

$y_{10}$	940.5	940.0	1020.8	1020.4
$y_{10}^*$	940.5	940.0	922.6*	922.3*
$y_{11}\text{-H}_2\text{O}^{+2}$	510.3	--	--	550.0
$y_{11}\text{-NH}_3^{+2}$	510.8	511.1	--	-
$y_{11}^{+2}$	519.3	519.7	559.2	559.3
$y_{11}$	1037.5	1037.4	--	--
$y_{11}^*$	1037.5	1037.4	1019.5*	1019.4*
$y_{11}\text{-H}_2\text{O}$	1019.5	1019.7	1100.1	1099.5
$y_{11}\text{-NH}_3$	1020.5	1020.5	--	--
$y_{12}\text{-H}_2\text{O}^{+2}$	553.8	--	--	593.9
$y_{12}\text{-NH}_3^{+2}$	554.3	--	594.5	594.3
$y_{12}\text{-NH}_3$	1107.5	--	1187.1	--
$y_{12}$	1124.6	1124.5	1205.1	--
$y_{12}^*$	1124.6	1124.5	--	1106.0*
$y_{13}\text{-H}_2\text{O}^{+2}$	597.3	597.2	--	637.2
$y_{13}\text{-NH}_3^{+2}$	597.8	--	637.8	637.9
$y_{13}^{+2}$	606.3	606.5	--	646.0
$y_{13}\text{-H}_2\text{O}$	1193.6	--	1273.7	1273.5
$y_{13}$	1211.6	1211.8	1291.9	--
$y_{13}^*$	1211.6	1211.8	--	1193.7*
$y_{14}\text{-H}_2\text{O}^{+2}$	640.8	640.8	--	680.5
$y_{14}\text{-NH}_3^{+2}$	641.3	641.1	681.3	681.1
$y_{14}^{+2}$	649.8	649.6	689.9	689.7
$y_{15}\text{-H}_2\text{O}^{+2}$	684.3	684.4	724.4	724.1
$y_{15}\text{-NH}_3^{+2}$	684.8	--	724.8	724.5
$y_{15}^{+2}$	693.3	693.5	733.2	733.3
$y_{15}\text{-NH}_3$	1368.6	1368.3	1448.6	--
$y_{15}$	1385.6	--	1465.1	--
$y_{16}\text{-H}_2\text{O}^{+2}$	727.8	727.7	767.5	767.9

$y_{16}-\text{NH}_3^{+2}$	728.3	--	--	768.5
$y_{16}^{+2}$	736.8	736.5	--	776.8
$y_{16}^*$	1472.7	--	--	1454.7*
$y_{17}-\text{H}_2\text{O}^{+2}$	778.4	778.4	--	858.5
$y_{17}-\text{NH}_3^{+2}$	778.9	778.7	819.3	858.9
$y_{17}^{+2}$	787.4	787.2	827.1	867.5
$y_{17}-\text{H}_2\text{O}$	1555.7	--	1635.8	--
$y_{17}^*$	1573.3	--	1556.0*	1537.2*
$y_{18}-\text{H}_2\text{O}^{+2}$	821.9	821.7	--	901.5
$y_{18}-\text{NH}_3^{+2}$	822.4	822.9	862.5	902.5
$y_{18}^{+2}$	830.9	--	870.7	910.9
$y_{19}-\text{H}_2\text{O}^{+2}$	878.4	878.2	918.5	958.4
$y_{19}-\text{NH}_3^{+2}$	878.9	878.9	--	959.3
$y_{19}^{+2}$	887.4	887.3	927.5	967.2
$y_{19}-\text{H}_2\text{O}$	1755.8	1755.9	--	1915.3
$y_{20}-\text{H}_2\text{O}^{+2}$	921.9	921.9	--	1002.1
$y_{20}-\text{NH}_3^{+2}$	922.4	922.3	962.1	1002.8
$y_{20}^{+2}$	930.9	--	--	1010.7
$y_{20}^*$	1860.9	--	1842.2*	--
$y_{21}-\text{H}_2\text{O}^{+2}$	950.4	950.3	990.3	1030.4
$y_{21}-\text{NH}_3^{+2}$	950.9	950.6	990.7	1031.1
$y_{21}^{+2}$	959.5	959.7	1000.1	1039.9
$y_{22}-\text{H}_2\text{O}^{+2}$	994.0	994.1	1033.8	--
$y_{22}-\text{NH}_3^{+2}$	994.4	994.4	1034.3	1074.4
$y_{22}^{+2}$	1003.0	1003.2	--	1083.1
$y_{23}-\text{H}_2\text{O}^{+2}$	1037.5	1037.4	1077.6	--
$y_{23}-\text{NH}_3^{+2}$	1038.0	--	--	1118.3
$y_{24}-\text{NH}_3^{+2}$	1066.5	1066.8	1107.1	--
$y_{24}^{+2}$	1075.0	--	1114.9	1155.5

<b>y<sub>25</sub></b> <sup>+2</sup>	1118.5	--	--	1198.4
<b>y<sub>25</sub>-H<sub>2</sub>O</b> <sup>+2</sup>	1109.5	--	1149.4	1189.1
<b>y<sub>26</sub>-NH<sub>3</sub></b> <sup>+2</sup>	1158.5	--	1198.9	--
<b>y<sub>27</sub>-H<sub>2</sub>O</b> <sup>+2</sup>	1208.6	--	1248.1	--
<b>y<sub>27</sub>-NH<sub>3</sub></b> <sup>+2</sup>	1209.1	1209.2	1249.7	--
<b>y<sub>28</sub></b> <sup>+2</sup>	1253.1	--	1293.1	--
<b>y<sub>29</sub></b> <sup>+2</sup>	1317.1	1317.4	1356.9	--
<b>y<sub>30</sub>-H<sub>2</sub>O</b> <sup>+2</sup>	1389.6	--	1429.2	--
<b>y<sub>30</sub>-NH<sub>3</sub></b> <sup>+2</sup>	1390.1	--	1430.3	--
<b>y<sub>30</sub></b> <sup>+2</sup>	1398.6	--	--	1478.3
<b>y<sub>33</sub>-NH<sub>3</sub></b> <sup>+2</sup>	1556.7	1556.2	--	1636.5
<b>b<sub>4</sub></b>	405.2	405.2	405.1	--
<b>b<sub>5</sub></b>	568.3	--	--	568.7
<b>b<sub>6</sub></b>	696.3	696.1	696.3	696.5
<b>b<sub>6</sub>-NH<sub>3</sub></b>	679.3	679.1	679.3	679.5
<b>b<sub>7</sub>-NH<sub>3</sub></b>	750.4	750.4	750.2	750.4
<b>b<sub>7</sub></b>	767.4	767.3	767.3	-
<b>b<sub>8</sub>-H<sub>2</sub>O</b>	850.4	850.8	850.3	850.4
<b>b<sub>8</sub>-NH<sub>3</sub></b>	851.4	--	851.4	851.3
<b>b<sub>8</sub></b>	868.4	868.3	868.4	868.6
<b>b<sub>9</sub>-H<sub>2</sub>O</b>	947.5	947.5	947.5	947.2
<b>b<sub>9</sub>-NH<sub>3</sub></b>	948.5	948.6	948.5	948.4
<b>b<sub>9</sub></b>	965.5	965.6	965.8	965.5
<b>b<sub>10</sub></b>	1052.5	1052.6	1052.3	1052.7
<b>b<sub>10</sub>-H<sub>2</sub>O</b>	1034.5	1034.6	1034.5	1034.5
<b>b<sub>10</sub>-NH<sub>3</sub></b>	1035.5	1035.6	1035.6	1035.5
<b>b<sub>11</sub>-H<sub>2</sub>O</b>	1091.5	--	--	1091.3
<b>b<sub>11</sub>-NH<sub>3</sub></b>	1092.5	--	1092.8	1092.7
<b>b<sub>11</sub></b>	1109.5	--	1109.8	1109.9

<b>b<sub>12</sub>-NH<sub>3</sub></b>	1179.5	--	1180.3	--
<b>b<sub>12</sub></b>	1196.5	--	1196.1	1196.3
<b>b<sub>14</sub>-NH<sub>3</sub></b>	1323.6	--	--	1323.5
<b>b<sub>15</sub>-H<sub>2</sub>O</b>	1409.6	1409.8	--	1409.5
<b>b<sub>15</sub>-NH<sub>3</sub></b>	1410.6	1410.5	--	--
<b>b<sub>15</sub></b>	1427.6	--	1427.8	--
<b>b<sub>16</sub>-NH<sub>3</sub></b>	1523.7	--	--	1523.1
<b>b<sub>17</sub></b>	1627.7	--	1627.7	--
<b>b<sub>17</sub>-H<sub>2</sub>O</b>	1609.8	--	--	1609.8
<b>_M+3H_-<sup>+3*</sup></b>	1067.4	--	1061.5 <sup>*</sup>	1088.7 <sup>*</sup>

**Supplementary Table 2. C/EBP $\beta$  phosphorylation in ST2 cells by combinatorial activation of TNF $\alpha$  and IL-17.**

<i>Treatment of ST2 cells</i>	<i>Unphosphorylated</i> ( $m/z=1067$ )	<i>pT188</i> ( $m/z=1095$ )	<i>pT188, pT179</i> ( $m/z=1120$ )
Untreated	-	-	-
IL-17 15 min	-	+	-
IL-17, 30 min	-	+	-
IL-17, 60 min	-	-	+
IL-17+ TNF $\alpha$ , 15 min	-	+	-
IL-17+ TNF $\alpha$ , 30 min	-	-	+
IL-17+ TNF $\alpha$ , 60 min	-	-	+

**Supplementary Table 1. Identification of phosphorylation sites in C/EBP $\beta$  by tandem MS/MS.** Phosphopeptide fragment y and b ions were generated by collision induced dissociation (CID), with the theoretical versus experimental mass values indicated.

**Supplementary Table 2. Accelerated C/EBP $\beta$  phosphorylation by TNF $\alpha$  and IL-17.** ST2 cells were treated with TNF $\alpha$  (2 ng/ml) and IL-17 (100 ng/ml) for the indicated time periods, and tandem MS analysis was performed as described in Figure 2.