

Supplementary Figure 1. Schematic model of exported protein interactions. A PEXEL-containing protein is recognized by PMV in association with chaperones such as HSP 70 and HSP 101. PM V cleaves the PEXEL, releasing mature protein into the stewardship of the chaperones, which usher the protein through the secretory system to the translocon for export into the host erythrocyte.



Supplementary Fig 2. Expression of plasmepsin V in C-terminal fusion lines. a) western blot. Parasite extracts were prepared and assayed using anti- PM V antibody as in Fig. 2. BiP served as loading control. 3D7: parental line; DC6: Full-length fusion; EF2: tail deletion. b,c) Live fluorescence of fusion lines from a). DC6 (b) and EF2 (c). Left to right: Phase, GFP signal, Dapi, fluorescence merge and merge. Bar, 2 $\mu\chi\rho\sigma\nu\sigma$. d,e) immunofluorescence of fusion lines from a). DC6 (d) and EF2 (e) Parasites were fixed and GFP, anti-PM V (red) and anti-BiP (cyan) signals were detected. Nuclei were imaged with DAPI (blue). Merged images are shown between single channel images and in the center. Phase image is on the right. Bar, 2 microns. Overlap between PM V-GFP and BiP was nearly complete except for a few punctae. These likely represent imaging artifacts since they were seen in the red but not the green channel. Alternatively, they could perhaps represent concentration at ER exit sites (Lee et al., Mol. Micro. 68: 1535-46 (2008)).



Supplementary Figure 3. Effect of aspartic protease inhibitors on activity and protein export. A) inhibition of *in vitro* activity by lopinavir (solid diamonds), ritonavir (open diamonds) and pepstatin (open circles). Error bars indicate the range of triplicate determinations. B) Live fluorescence of histidine-rich protein II (HRPII)-GFP fusion integrant parasites. Mid-trophozoites are shown. Left to right: phase, GFP, DAPI, merges. C) *in vivo* effect on exported protein processing. HRPII-GFP fusion integrant parasites were incubated for 6 h with 50 vM lopinavir, ritonavir or solvent alone, parasite pellets collected and analyzed by western blot using anti-GFP Ab. BiP served as a loading control. Arrows indicate precursor (P) and mature (M) HRPII-GFP. Protease inhibitors: Lopinovir from Kaletra®; Ritonavir from Norvir®; Pepstatin: microbial source from Sigma. The BACE inhibitors BF72 and RP57 (S. Romeo, Milan), BACE inhibitor 1 (Calbiochem) and GRL-8234 (J. Tang, Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation) were all non-inhibitory at high concentrations.

Band #	Mol. Wt.	PlasmoDB ID	Description of Protein	PEX= PEXEL	# of Peptides	# of Peptides	# of Peptides	Mol. Wt. of
	Marker			Motif or	found with	found	found	Protein,
	(kDa)			SP=	PMV-wt	with	with	kDa
				Signal	(α GFP)	PMV-mut	PMV-wt	
				Peptide		(αGFP)	(α ΡΜ V)	
1	250	PFI1475w	MSP1 Precursor	SP	0	3	2	196.7
		PFE0040c	PfEMP2 or MESA	PEX	0	0	3	168.1
			DNA					
			topoisomerase II,					
2	150	PF14_0316	putative	-	0	3	0	169.9
			High molecular					
			weight rhoptry					
		PFI1445w	protein-2	SP	6	22	13	162.5
			Surface Protein,					
3	100	PF14_0201	Pf113	SP	0	0	3	112.5
		PFI0265c	RhopH3	SP	1	2	3	105.5
			Heat Shock					
		PF11_0175	Protein 101	SP	3	4	5	103
		PF13_0133	Plasmepsin 5-GFP	SP	11	7	0	96.7
			endoplasmin					
			homolog					
			precursor,		_		_	
		PFL1070c	putative	SP	6	0	0	95.3
		PF13_0233	myosin A	-	0	4	0	93

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			heat shock protein 86,		_		_	
		PF07_0029	putative	-	3	4	0	86.7
			rhoptry-					
			associated protein				-	<u> </u>
4	75	PF14_0102	1	SP	0	8	2	90.4
			chaperonin,				_	
		PFL1545c	cpn60	SP	0	2	5	81.7
		PF08_0032	DNAJ protein	-	0	3	0	77
			Heat shock					
		PF08_0054	protein 70	-	2	6	14	74.3
			Heat Shock 70					
		MAL7P1.228	KDa Protein	-	0	4	7	73.3
			Heat shock					
		PFI0875w	protein 70	SP	4	5	5	72.4
		PF13_0133	Plasmepsin 5	SP	3	0	0	69.4
			Protein disulfide					
5	50	MAL8P1.17	isomerase	SP	0	0	3	55.5
			Putative Clathrin-					
			adaptor medium					
		PF13_0062	chain	-	0	0	4	50.7
			Plasmodium					
			exported protein					
		PFD0090c	(PHISTa)	PEX	0	1	2	50.1
			phosphoribosylpyr					
		PF13_0143	ophosphate	-	3	2	3	49.8

		synthetase					
		elongation factor-					
	PF13_0304	1 alpha	-	2	3	4	49.1
		PIESP2					
		erythrocyte					
	PFE0060w	surface protein	PEX	0	3	5	48.7
		rhoptry-					
		associated protein					
	PFE0075c	3	SP	0	5	0	47.2
		rhoptry-					
		associated protein					
	PFE0080c	2	SP	0	7	1	46.9
		Plasmodium					
		exported protein					
	PFI1780w	PHISTc	PEX	0	0	8	45.4
		glideosome-					
		associated protein					
	PFI0880c	50	SP	3	5	0	44.8
		conserved					
	MAL13P1.23	Plasmodium					
	7	protein	-	2	3	3	42.4
	PFL2215w	Actin I	-	3	0	3	41.9
		Plasmodium					
		exported protein					
	MAL7P1.174	PHISTb	PEX	0	0	6	37.7
		glyceraldehyde-3-					
		phosphate					
	PF14_0598	dehydrogenase	—	2	0	3	37

		skeleton-binding					
	PFE0065w	protein 1	-	1	2	6	36.4
	PF11_0313	60S Ribosomal protein P0	Ι	0	0	5	34.9
		RNA binding					
	PF10_0068	protein	-	0	0	3	29.5
		Membrane					
		Associated					
		Histidine Rich					
	MAL13P1.41	Protein (MAHRP-					
	3	1)	-	0	0	4	28.9

Supplementary Table 1. Proteins identified from the pulldowns in Supplementary Fig. 6. Included are all proteins for which two or more peptides were identified in one of the samples (p<.05).