

## Supplemental figure legends

**Figure S1.** Modified Ups1 and Ups2 variants harboring C-terminal tags restore normal phospholipid levels upon expression in  $\Delta ups1$  and  $\Delta ups2$  cells, respectively. The mitochondrial phospholipid profile was determined in wild type cells (WT, CG214),  $\Delta ups1$  cells (PD49),  $\Delta ups2$  cells (CG233), or cells expressing genomically modified *UPS1* (CG593, CG598, CG630) or *UPS2* (CG591, CG597, CG626) by TLC. The asterisk (\*) indicates an unidentified lipid species.

**Figure S2.** Ups1 and Ups2 are present in independent protein complexes in the intermembrane space. Mitochondria (1 mg of protein) isolated from wild type cells (WT) and  $\Delta ups1$  cells harboring Ups2<sup>HA</sup> expressed genomically (PD17, PD94) were resuspended at a protein concentration of 5 mg/ml in 1% (v/v) Triton X-100, 30 mM Tris/HCl pH 7.4, 150 mM K-acetate pH 7.4, 4 mM Mg-acetate, 1 mM PMSF and solubilized for 30 min at 4°C. After a clarifying spin for 20 min at 18,000 rpm, the supernatant was subjected to size exclusion chromatography using a Superose-12 column (GE Healthcare), equilibrated with 0.05% (v/v) Triton X-100, 30 mM Tris/HCl pH 7.4, 150 mM K-acetate pH 7.4, 4 mM Mg-acetate, 1 mM PMSF. Eluate fractions were TCA-precipitated and analyzed by SDS-PAGE and immunoblotting using HA-specific antibodies.

**Figure S3.** Specificity of Ups1 and Ups2 antibodies. Mitochondria isolated from wild type cells (WT, CG214) or cells lacking Yme1, Ups1, or Ups2 as indicated (CG113, PY132, PY153) were analyzed by SDS-PAGE and immunoblotting using Yme1-, Tom40- and affinity purified Ups1- and Ups2-antibodies.

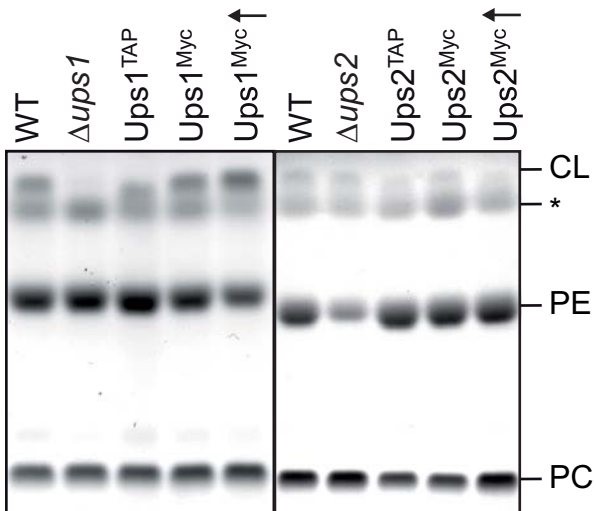
**Figure S4.** (A) Import of Ups1, Ups2 and Su9-DHFR in  $\Delta mdm35$  and  $\Delta mdm35\Delta yme1$  mitochondria. <sup>35</sup>S-labeled Ups1, Ups2 and Su9-DHFR were imported into wild type (WT,

CG1),  $\Delta mdm35$  (CG323) and  $\Delta mdm35\Delta yme1$  (CW414) mitochondria for the indicated time.

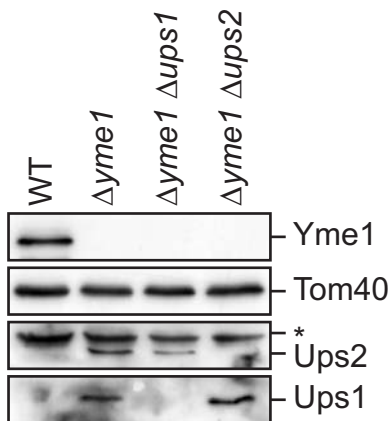
Samples were analyzed by SDS-PAGE and autoradiography. **(B)** Membrane potential of mitochondria isolated from the indicated strains was measured using the potential sensitive dye DiSC(3). Data represent  $\pm$  standard deviation of three independent measurements.

\* $p < 0.05$ , \*\*\*  $p < 0.0005$

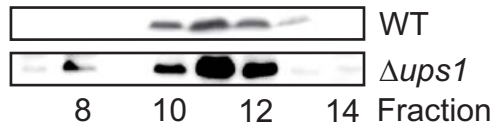
**Fig. S1**



**Fig. S3**



**Fig. S2**



**Fig. S4**

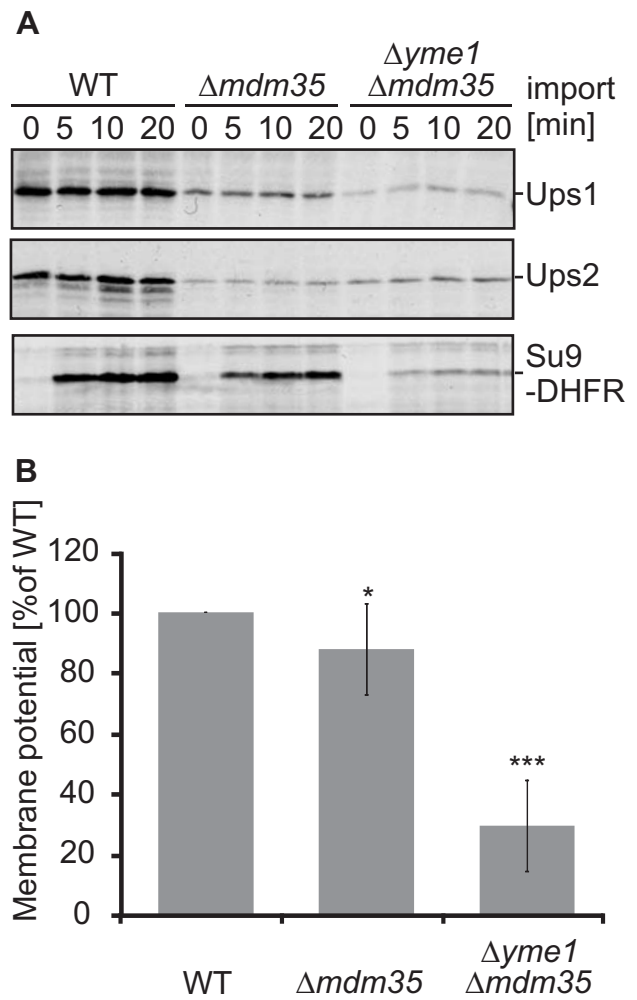


Table S1 Yeast strains used in this study

Strain Name	Alternative strain name	Back-ground	Mat	Genotype
CG1	WT	W303	a	<i>can1Δ100 his3Δ11,15 leu2Δ3,112 ura3Δ1 ade2Δ1 trp1Δ1</i>
CG113 (Euroscarf 7144)	<i>Δyme1</i>	S288c	a	<i>his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 ura3Δ0 yme1::kanMX</i>
CG214	WT	S288c	a	<i>his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 lys2Δ0 ura3Δ0</i>
CG233	<i>Δups2</i>	S288c	a	<i>his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 lys2Δ0 ura3Δ0 Δups2::NAT Δyme1::kanMX</i>
CG278	<i>Δphb1 [PHB1]</i>	W303	a	<i>can1Δ100 his3Δ11,15 leu2Δ3,112 ura3Δ1 ade2Δ1 trp1Δ1 Δphb1::NAT pCM189-PHB1</i>
CG287	<i>Δphb1 Δmdm35 [PHB1]</i>	W303	a	<i>can1Δ100 his3Δ11,15 leu2Δ3,112 ura3Δ1 ade2Δ1 trp1Δ1 Δmdm35::kanMX Δphb1::NAT pCM189-PHB1</i>
CG323	<i>Δmdm35</i>	W303	a	<i>can1Δ100 his3Δ11,15 leu2Δ3,112 ura3Δ1 ade2Δ1 trp1Δ1 Δmdm35::kanMX</i>
CG324	<i>Δmdm35</i>	W303	α	<i>can1Δ100 his3Δ11,15 leu2Δ3,112 ura3Δ1 ade2Δ1 trp1Δ1 Δmdm35::kanMX</i>
CG524	<i>Δmdm35</i>	S288c	a	<i>his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 lys2Δ0 ura3Δ0 Δmdm35::kanMX</i>
CG560	<i>Δmdm35</i>	S288c	α	<i>can1Δ0 his3Δ0 ura3Δ0 lys3Δ0 Δmfa1::MFA1prHIS3 Δmdm35::NAT</i>
CG591	<i>Ups2<sup>TAP</sup></i>	S288c	a	<i>his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 lys2Δ0 ura3Δ0 UPS2-TAP (kanMX)</i>
CG593	<i>Ups1<sup>TAP</sup></i>	S288c	a	<i>his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 lys2Δ0 ura3Δ0 UPS1-TAP (kanMX)</i>
CG597	<i>Ups2<sup>MYC</sup></i>	S288c	a	<i>his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 lys2Δ0 ura3Δ0 UPS2-Myc-7His (kanMX)</i>
CG598	<i>Ups1<sup>MYC</sup></i>	S288c	a	<i>his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 lys2Δ0 ura3Δ0 UPS1-Myc-7His (kanMX)</i>
CG626	<i>Ups2<sup>MYC</sup>↑</i>	S288c	a	<i>his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 lys2Δ0 ura3Δ0 P<sub>Gal</sub>(NAT)-UPS2-Myc-7His (kanMX)</i>
CG630	<i>Ups1<sup>MYC</sup>↑</i>	S288c	a	<i>his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 lys2Δ0 ura3Δ0 P<sub>Gal</sub>(NAT)-UPS1-Myc-7His (kanMX)</i>
CW1	<i>Δatp23</i>	S288c	a	<i>his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 lys2Δ0 ura3Δ0 Δatp23::HIS3MX6</i>
CW128	<i>Δmdm35 Δups2</i>	W303	a	<i>can1Δ100 his3Δ11,15 leu2Δ3,112 ura3Δ1 ade2Δ1 trp1Δ1 Δmdm35::HIS3 Δups2::NAT</i>
CW130	<i>Δups2</i>	W303	a	<i>can1Δ100 his3Δ11,15 leu2Δ3,112 ura3Δ1 ade2Δ1 trp1Δ1 Δups2::NAT</i>
CW143	<i>Δups1</i>	W303	a	<i>can1Δ100 his3Δ11,15 leu2Δ3,112 ura3Δ1 ade2Δ1 trp1Δ1 Δups1::NAT</i>
CW144	<i>Δmdm35 Δups1</i>	W303	a	<i>can1Δ100 his3Δ11,15 leu2Δ3,112 ura3Δ1 ade2Δ1 trp1Δ1 Δmdm35::HIS3MX6 Δups1::NAT</i>
CW3	<i>Δatp23</i>	W303	a	<i>can1Δ100 leu2Δ3,112 ura3Δ1 ade2Δ1, trp1Δ1, Δatp23::HIS3MX6</i>
CW343	<i>Mdm35↑</i>	W303	a	<i>can1Δ100 his3Δ11,15 leu2Δ3,112 ura3Δ1 ade2Δ1 trp1Δ1 P<sub>Gal</sub>(NAT)-MDM35</i>
CW385	<i>Δmdm35</i>	S288c	a	<i>his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 lys2Δ0 ura3Δ0 UPS1-9myc (HIS3) Δmdm35::NAT</i>
CW394	WT	S288c	a	<i>his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 lys2Δ0 ura3Δ0 UPS1-9myc (HIS3) Ycplac111::ADH</i>
CW396	<i>Δmdm35 [MDM35]</i>	S288c	a	<i>his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 lys2Δ0 ura3Δ0 UPS1-9myc (HIS3) Δmdm35::NAT Ycplac111::ADH-Mdm35-500bp3'</i>
CW398	<i>Δmdm35</i>	S288c	a	<i>his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 lys2Δ0 ura3Δ0 UPS1-9myc (HIS3) Δmdm35::NAT Ycplac111::ADH</i>
CW414	<i>Δmdm35 Δyme1</i>	W303	a	<i>can1Δ100 his3Δ11,15 leu2Δ3,112 ura3Δ1 ade2Δ1 trp1Δ1 Δyme1::ADE2 Δmdm35::kanMX</i>
CW79	<i>Δatp23 Δyme1</i>	W303	a	<i>can1Δ100 his3Δ11,15 Δatp23::HIS3 leu2Δ3,112 ura3Δ1 ade2Δ1 Δyme1::ADE2 trp1Δ1</i>

Euroscarf 3451	$\Delta mgr1$	S288c	a	<i>his3<math>\Delta</math>1 leu2<math>\Delta</math>0 met15<math>\Delta</math>0 ura3<math>\Delta</math>0 <math>\Delta mgr1::kanMX</math></i>
Euroscarf 3464	$\Delta prd1$	S288c	a	<i>his3<math>\Delta</math>1 leu2<math>\Delta</math>0 met15<math>\Delta</math>0 ura3<math>\Delta</math>0 <math>\Delta prd1::kanMX</math></i>
Euroscarf 4266	$\Delta cym1$	S288c	a	<i>his3<math>\Delta</math>1 leu2<math>\Delta</math>0 met15<math>\Delta</math>0 ura3<math>\Delta</math>0 <math>\Delta cym1::kanMX</math></i>
Euroscarf 4731	$\Delta pcp1$	S288c	a	<i>his3<math>\Delta</math>1 leu2<math>\Delta</math>0 met15<math>\Delta</math>0 ura3<math>\Delta</math>0 <math>\Delta pcp1::kanMX</math></i>
Euroscarf 6003	$\Delta oma1$	S288c	a	<i>his3<math>\Delta</math>1 leu2<math>\Delta</math>0 met15<math>\Delta</math>0 ura3<math>\Delta</math>0 <math>\Delta oma1::kanMX</math></i>
Euroscarf 6555	$\Delta mgr3$	S288c	a	<i>his3<math>\Delta</math>1 leu2<math>\Delta</math>0 met15<math>\Delta</math>0 ura3<math>\Delta</math>0 <math>\Delta mgr1::kanMX</math></i>
Euroscarf 732	$\Delta imp1$	S288c	a	<i>his3<math>\Delta</math>1 leu2<math>\Delta</math>0 met15<math>\Delta</math>0 ura3<math>\Delta</math>0 <math>\Delta imp1::kanMX</math></i>
PD17	Ups2 <sup>HA</sup>	S288c	a	<i>his3<math>\Delta</math>1 leu2<math>\Delta</math>0 (met15<math>\Delta</math>0/MET15?) lys2<math>\Delta</math>0 ura3<math>\Delta</math>0 UPS2-6xHA (kanMX)</i>
PD49	$\Delta ups1$	S288c	$\alpha$	<i>his3<math>\Delta</math>1 leu2<math>\Delta</math>0 ura3<math>\Delta</math>0 <math>\Delta ups1::HYG</math></i>
PD94	Ups2 <sup>HA</sup> $\Delta ups1$	S288c	a	<i>his3<math>\Delta</math>1 leu2<math>\Delta</math>0 (met15<math>\Delta</math>0/MET15?) lys2<math>\Delta</math>0 ura3<math>\Delta</math>0 UPS2-6xHA (kanMX) <math>\Delta ups1::HYG</math></i>
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PY132	$\Delta ups2$ $\Delta yme1$	S288c	a	<i>his3<math>\Delta</math>1 leu2<math>\Delta</math>0 met15<math>\Delta</math>0 lys2<math>\Delta</math>0 ura3<math>\Delta</math>0 <math>\Delta ups2::NAT</math> <math>\Delta yme1::kanMX</math></i>
PY153	$\Delta ups1$ $\Delta yme1$	S288c	$\alpha$	<i>his3<math>\Delta</math>1 leu2<math>\Delta</math>0 ura3<math>\Delta</math>0 <math>\Delta ups1::HYG</math> <math>\Delta yme1::kanMX</math></i>
PY64	$\Delta mdm35$ UPS2 <sup>MYC</sup> ↑	S288c	a	<i>his3<math>\Delta</math>1 leu2<math>\Delta</math>0 met15<math>\Delta</math>0 lys2<math>\Delta</math>0 ura3<math>\Delta</math>0 PGal(NAT)-UPS2-Myc-7His (kanMX) <math>\Delta mdm35::HIS3MX6</math></i>
VI A4	$\Delta yme1$	W303	$\alpha$	<i>can1<math>\Delta</math>100 his3<math>\Delta</math>11,15 leu2<math>\Delta</math>3,112 ura3<math>\Delta</math>1 ade2<math>\Delta</math>1 trp1<math>\Delta</math>1 <math>\Delta yme1::HIS3MX6</math></i>
VI A5	$\Delta yme1$	W303	a	<i>can1<math>\Delta</math>100 his3<math>\Delta</math>11,15 leu2<math>\Delta</math>3,112 ura3<math>\Delta</math>1 ade2<math>\Delta</math>1 trp1<math>\Delta</math>1 <math>\Delta yme1::ADE2</math></i>
YTE26	Yme1 <sup>E541Q</sup>	W303	$\alpha$	<i>ade2<math>\Delta</math>1 his3<math>\Delta</math>11,15 leu2<math>\Delta</math>112 trp1<math>\Delta</math>1 ura3<math>\Delta</math>52 can1<math>\Delta</math>100 <math>\Delta yme1::HIS3</math> pRS314-Yme1E541Q</i>
YTE89	His-Yme1 <sup>E541Q</sup>	W303	$\alpha$	<i>ade2<math>\Delta</math>1 his3<math>\Delta</math>11,15 leu2<math>\Delta</math>112 trp1<math>\Delta</math>1 ura3<math>\Delta</math>52 can1<math>\Delta</math>100 <math>\Delta yme1::HIS3</math> pRS314-Yme1(1-50)-6His-Yme1(51-747)-E541Q</i>