

Supplementary Information to:

**A functional study of genes essential for autogamy and nuclear
reorganization in *Paramecium***

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SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIALS AND METHODS

Spotting and hybridization of dedicated Megabase DNA microarrays

PCR fragments (100ng/ μ L) were spotted on Corning Gaps II slides, according to (21), with the Genetac G3 arrayer (Genomic Solutions). Quality control was performed before and after spotting by scanning each slide with an Axon 4000B scanner and slides with excessive autofluorescence were discarded.

cDNAs from *P. tetraurelia* d4-2 at different stages of autogamy (Figure S1) were synthesized and indirectly labeled by Cy3- or Cy5-dye coupling using the Fairplay Microarray Labeling Kit (Stratagene). As a tentative hybridization reference, EcoRI-digested total genomic DNA from the same strain was indirectly labeled with a 1:4 mixture of dTTP and amino allyl-dUTP (AA-dUTP; GE Healthcare), using the Prime-a-gene Labeling kit (Promega). Cy5- or Cy3-dye coupling was carried out with the Fairplay Microarray Labeling Kit (Stratagene).

Hybridization was performed using the Genetac Hybstation (Genomic solutions) or manually at 42°C in Denhardt Solution containing 70% formamide and 0.7% SDS. Slides were submitted to 3 successive washes (2X SSC 0.1% SDS / 0.5X SSC 0.1% SDS / 0.1X SSC, respectively) before scanning. Three technical replicates were performed for each RNA preparation: two with Cy3-labeled cDNAs and one dye-swap with Cy5 (GEO submission #GSE12988).

Image acquisition and processing

Hybridized slides were scanned using a GenePix 4000B scanner equipped with a laser to excite Cy3 and Cy5 (10 μ m resolution, 100% laser power and AutoPMT). The resulting 16-bit images were analyzed using GenePix Pro 6.0® software. Raw data overview and pre-processing were performed using MAnGO software (16), before morphological background subtraction. The signals obtained by hybridization of total genomic DNA were very heterogeneous among the arrays and, therefore, were not used as an inter-array reference. Instead, single-color normalization was performed using the normalizeQuantiles function of the R limma package (5) (see GSE12988_rawdataetriparID.xls file submitted to GEO). For each array, we calculated the arithmetic mean of normalized signals for all spots corresponding to a given probe (GEO submission #GSE12988). For further statistical analysis, individual normalized signals (3-6 spots per array and 3 replicate arrays) were averaged for each time-point, leading to a mean profile for each probe throughout the time-course experiment. K-means clustering (11) with 20 groups was computed from all mean profiles, by using $1-r^2$ (where r is the Pearson correlation) as a similarity measure and a centroid-based search as a cluster initialization method (Table S1). Among the 20 groups of probes obtained following K-means clustering, some showed similar profiles and were pooled into four expression clusters. (Figure 1A). Within each cluster, probes with the largest induction or repression factors were selected by applying the following filters: T0/TV>2 for cluster I (30 probes), T11/TV>2 for cluster II (23 probes), T20/TV>2 for cluster III (20 probes) and T0/TV<0.5 for cluster IV (31 probes).

Silencing constructs

All RNAi plasmids are derivatives of vector L4440 (26) and carry a target gene fragment inserted between two convergent T7 promoters (Megabase inserts used in this study are listed in Table S6). Control RNAi plasmids were p0ND7c (8) and pICL7a (9), which target non essential *ND7* and *ICL7a* genes, respectively.

GFP fusion constructs

Plasmid p344-GFP encoding a C-terminal GFP fusion to Ptmb344p was obtained in two steps. First, a 2627-bp fragment containing the whole *PTMB.344c* coding sequence with its upstream 96 bp and downstream 121 bp (bp 695245-692938 from accession number CR548612) was cloned into pCRScriptAmpSK+ vector (Stratagene). Then, the EGFP coding sequence optimized for *Paramecium* codon usage (18) was inserted into a *Hpa*I site near the 3'-end of the gene (between codons encoding L769 and T770).

For the construction of plasmid p220-GFP5' encoding an N-terminal GFP fusion to Ptmb.220p, a 5153-bp fragment carrying the whole *PTMB.220* coding sequence with its upstream 527 bp and downstream 182 bp (bp 483140-488292 from gene accession number CR548612) was cloned into pCRScriptAmpSK+. Then, the EGFP coding sequence was inserted into an *Afl*II site near the 5'-end of the gene (between codons encoding Q14 and V15).

Plasmid p170-ZC Δ RIX encoding an N-terminal GFP fusion to Ptmb.170p was constructed by inserting a 4800-bp fragment containing the *PTMB.170c* open reading frame and its potential 251-bp terminator region (bp 368611- 363812 from accession number CR548612) between the *Bam*HI and *Pst*I sites of plasmid pZC Δ RIX (kindly provided by E. Meyer & S. Malinsky), directly downstream of the GFP coding sequence expressed under the control of the constitutive promoter of *P. primaurelia* surface antigen *G*¹⁵⁶ gene (bp 1-290 from accession number X03882).

Before microinjection, all plasmids were purified using a QIAfilter Plasmid Maxi Kit (Qiagen) and linearized within the vector sequence with *Xmn*I (p344-GFP), *Scal*I (p220-GFP5') or *Bgl*I (p170-ZC Δ RIX). They were filtered through a 0.22 μ m Ultrafree-MC filter (Millipore), precipitated with ethanol and dissolved in filtered water to a final concentration of 5 μ g/ μ L. All plasmid sequences are available upon request.

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Figure S5. Multiple alignment of Ptmb.422p with proteins sharing similar Guanylate-Binding Protein (GBP) domains

Sequences were aligned using ClustalW (7, 14) with default parameters. Alignment was colored using Boxshade at http://www.ch.embnet.org/software/BOX_form.html (grey: similar residues; black: identical residues; fraction of aligned residues that must agree for shading: 0.4).

Consensus sequences of the G-domain motifs are based on motifs found for GBP proteins (19) and structural annotations are based on the structure of human Guanylate Binding Protein-1 (PDB accession code 1F5N, see (20)).

Abbreviations and accession numbers of all sequences are as follows:

Tt: *Tetrahymena thermophila* TTHERM_01211770 - XP_001018996, TTHERM_00657240 - XP_001024024

At: *Arabidopsis thaliana* AT5G46070 - NP_199419

Hs: *Homo sapiens* GBP1 - NP_002044, GBP3 - NP_060754, GBP5 - NP_443174 and GBP4 - NP_443173

Mm: *Mus musculus* GBP2 - NP_034390

Dr: *Danio rerio* LOC570622- XP_699217

Dd: *Dictyostelium discoideum* DDB0235201 - XP_640552

Figure S6. Alignment of Cks proteins from *P. tetraurelia* and other organisms

Sequences were aligned using ClustalW and colored using Boxshade (fraction of aligned residues that must agree for shading: 0.5).

The different structural motifs and important residues are marked according to their annotation in (6): orange – residues interacting with CDK2; blue – residues from the anion binding site. Positions of β strands and α helices are indicated.

Abbreviations and accession numbers are as follows:

Ce: *Caenorhabditis elegans* Cks-1 - NP_501457, Cks-2 - NP_490896

At: *Arabidopsis thaliana* CKS1 - NP_180363, CKS2 - NP_180364

Hs: *Homo sapiens* CKS1B - NP_001817, CKS2 - NP_001818

Dm: *Drosophila melanogaster* Cks30A - NP_476947, Cks85A - NP_649817

Sc: *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* Cks1 - NP_009693

Sp: *Schizosaccharomyces pombe* suc1 - NP_595431

Figure S7. Multiple alignment of Ptmb.344p and Msh2 proteins from different species

Sequences were aligned using ClustalW and colored using Boxshade (fraction of aligned residues that must agree for shading: 0.5). All structural annotations are based on the structure of *E. coli* MutS protein (PDB accession code 1E3M_A, see (13)).

Abbreviations and accession numbers are as follows:

At: *Arabidopsis thaliana* - NP_566804
Zm: *Zea mays* - Q9XGC9
Hs: *Homo sapiens* - NP_000242
Dr: *Danio rerio* - NP_998689
Dm: *Drosophila melanogaster* - NP_523565
Ce: *Caenorhabditis elegans* - NP_491202
Mg: *Magnaporthe grisea* - XP_368365
Nc: *Neurospora crassa* - XP_959643
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Tt: *Tetrahymena thermophila* - XP_001013224
Pt: *Paramecium tetraurelia* – PTMB.344c

Figure S8. Immunolabeling of PTMB.170c-silenced autogamous cells with anti- γ tubulin antibodies (see legend below figure)

Figure S9. Alignment of the helicase domain of Ptmb.220p with other similar DExH-box helicases

Full protein sequences were aligned using T-Coffee (17) with default parameters. The alignment was colored using Boxshade (fraction of aligned residues that must agree for shading: 0.3). Only the region encompassing the helicase domain is shown, since N and C-terminal parts of the proteins did not give significant alignment.

Structural annotation is based on the structure of *Bacillus caldotenax* UvrB protein (PDB accession code 1D9Z_A, see (25)).

Consensus amino acid sequence of the 8 helicase motifs constituting the helicase domain of DEAH family genes based on (24).

Abbreviations and accession numbers are as follows:

Tt: *Tetrahymena thermophila* Ema1p - BAF49175
Eh: *Entamoeba histolytica* EHI_090040 - XM_643619
At: *Arabidopsis thaliana* NIH- NP_172152; HVT1 - NP_850154
Hs: *Homo sapiens* DHX29 - NP_061903; DHX57 - NP_945314; TDRD9 - NP_694591; RHA - NP_001348
Dm: *Drosophila melanogaster* CG1582 - NP_572663

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Table S1 (Excel file). K-means clustering of Megabase microarray data

All probes spotted on customized plates are listed in the first column (GEO submission # GPL7296). Mean values of the normalized hybridization signals obtained for each time-point are displayed in the following four columns (linear values). Probes are ordered according to their K-means group (last column).

Tables S2-S5 (Excel file). Lists of probes in clusters I to IV and human curated annotation of corresponding genes

For each gene shown on these tables, expert human curation of gene models was performed using the Apollo software (15) for scaffold_1, which corresponds to the Genoscope assembly of the Megabase chromosome (2). PTMB numbers refer to Megabase accession numbers (27), GSPATG to Genoscope automatic annotation and PTETG to human curated gene models that can be found in the ParameciumDB database at the following URL: <http://paramecium.cgm.cnrs-gif.fr/> (1).

Statistical validation of individual gene expression profiles was performed using whole-genome microarrays as described in the legend to Tables S7-S10. The genes covered by the Megabase microarray probes, that followed the characteristic expression patterns identified for each cluster, are indicated by a « + » symbol in the last column of Tables S2-S5.

Table S6. Northern blot hybridization probes and feeding inserts used in this study

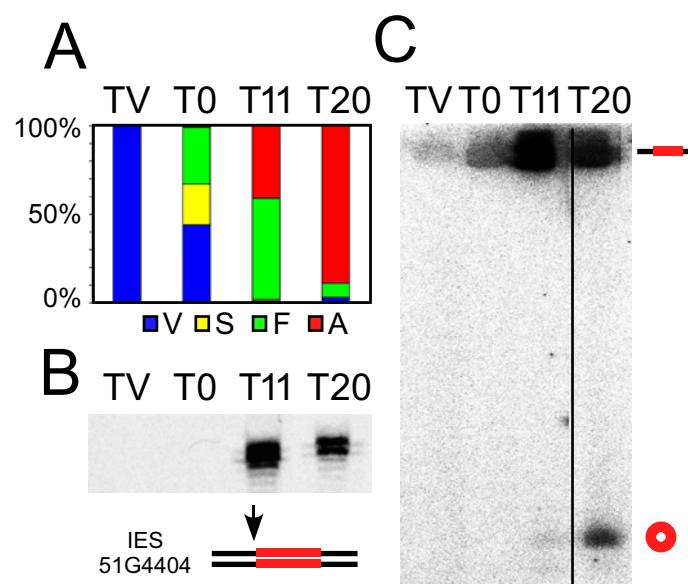
Tables S7-S10 (Excel file). Statistical analysis of expression profiles on NimbleGen microarrays for genes included in clusters I to IV

Whole-genome oligonucleotide microarrays were designed and hybridized at NimbleGen, with six 50-mer oligonucleotide probes for each gene (GEO submission # GPL7221; Arnaiz et al. submitted). cDNAs were prepared from two independent autogamy time-course experiments performed with 51 (Figures S2B and C). Raw signals from the 12 hybridizations (6 for each biological replicate) were normalized simultaneously using the normalizeBetweenArrays function from the Limma package (23) (GEO submission # GSE17998). For each microarray, the expression level of each gene was taken as the median of the normalized signals obtained for its 6 individual probes. Mean expression levels (mV, mS, m0, m5, m11 and m20) are log₂ values corresponding to the mean of the two replicates for each time-point.

To compare changes in expression level between time-points, the difference between mean expression levels was calculated to give logFC. Statistical significance of changes in expression level was estimated using linear modeling and empirical Bayes statistics implemented in the lmFit and eBayes functions from the Limma package (22). To minimize the detection of false positives, adjusted p-values were computed after correction for multiple testing using the Benjamini and Hochberg method (3).

Table S11. Ohnologs and other paralogs of silenced genes

Ohnologs resulting from the known WGDs were identified using the data available in ParameciumDB. Other paralogs were found by Blastp searches and proteins showing amino acid identity higher than 40% are indicated.

**Figure S1. Autogamy time-course of strain d4-2**

A. Histograms showing the progression of autogamy during starvation of d4-2. For each time-point (TV: vegetative culture; T0: 50% of cells with fragmented MAC; T11 and T20: 11 and 20 hours following T0, respectively), cells were stained with DAPI to visualize old and new MACs. V: vegetative parental MAC; S: skein formation; F: fragmented old MAC but no detectable developing new MACs; A: fragmented old MAC + 2 visible anlagen.

B. Double-strand break detection at the left end of IES 51G4404 by LMPCR. Experimental details can be found in (10).

C. Detection of circular excised IES 51G4404 molecules by Southern blot hybridization of total genomic DNA. Experimental procedure was described in (4).

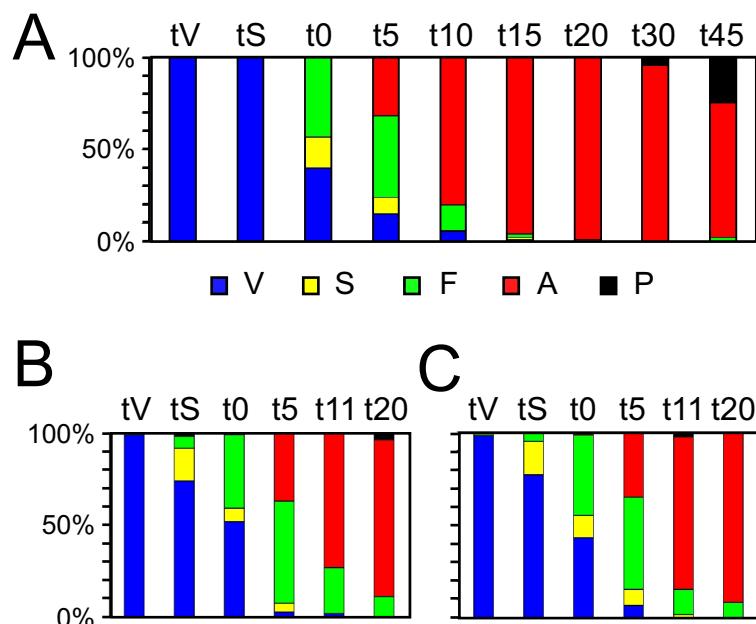


Figure S2. Biological replicates of the autogamy time-course in strain 51

A. Progression of autogamy in the culture of 51 mt8 used for the Northern blot analysis of mRNAs shown in Figure 1.

B and C. Progression of autogamy in two independent cultures of 51 mt8 used in NimbleGen microarray experiments.

Indicated time-points: tV for vegetative cultures ; tS for starved or meiotic cells with intact parental MAC; t0 for 50% of cells with fragmented MAC; the following time-points refer to hours following t0.

At each time-point, cells were stained with DAPI to monitor autogamy stages. The color code is the same as in Figure S1 for V, S, F and A. P: post-karyonidal division (1 anlagen + fragmented old MAC).

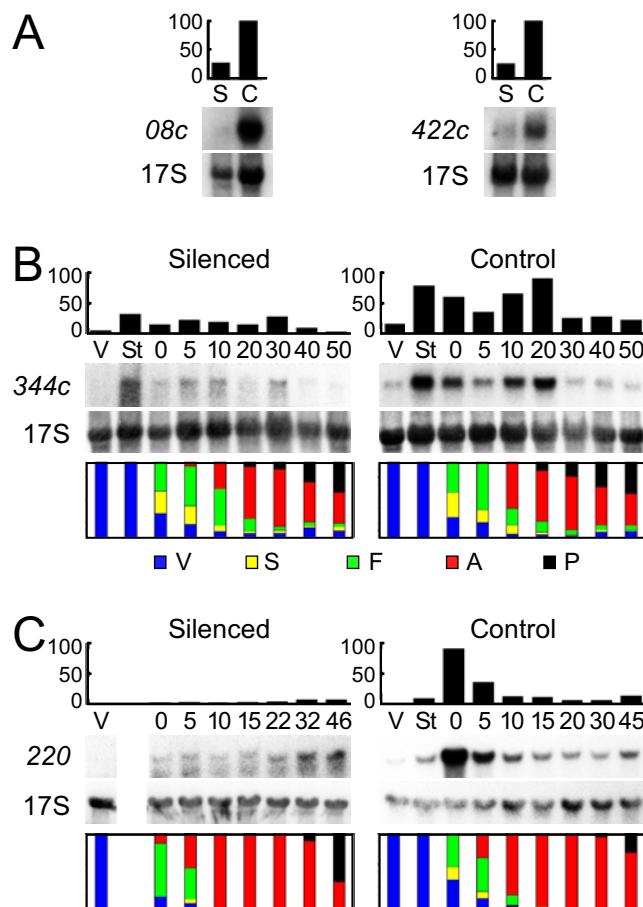


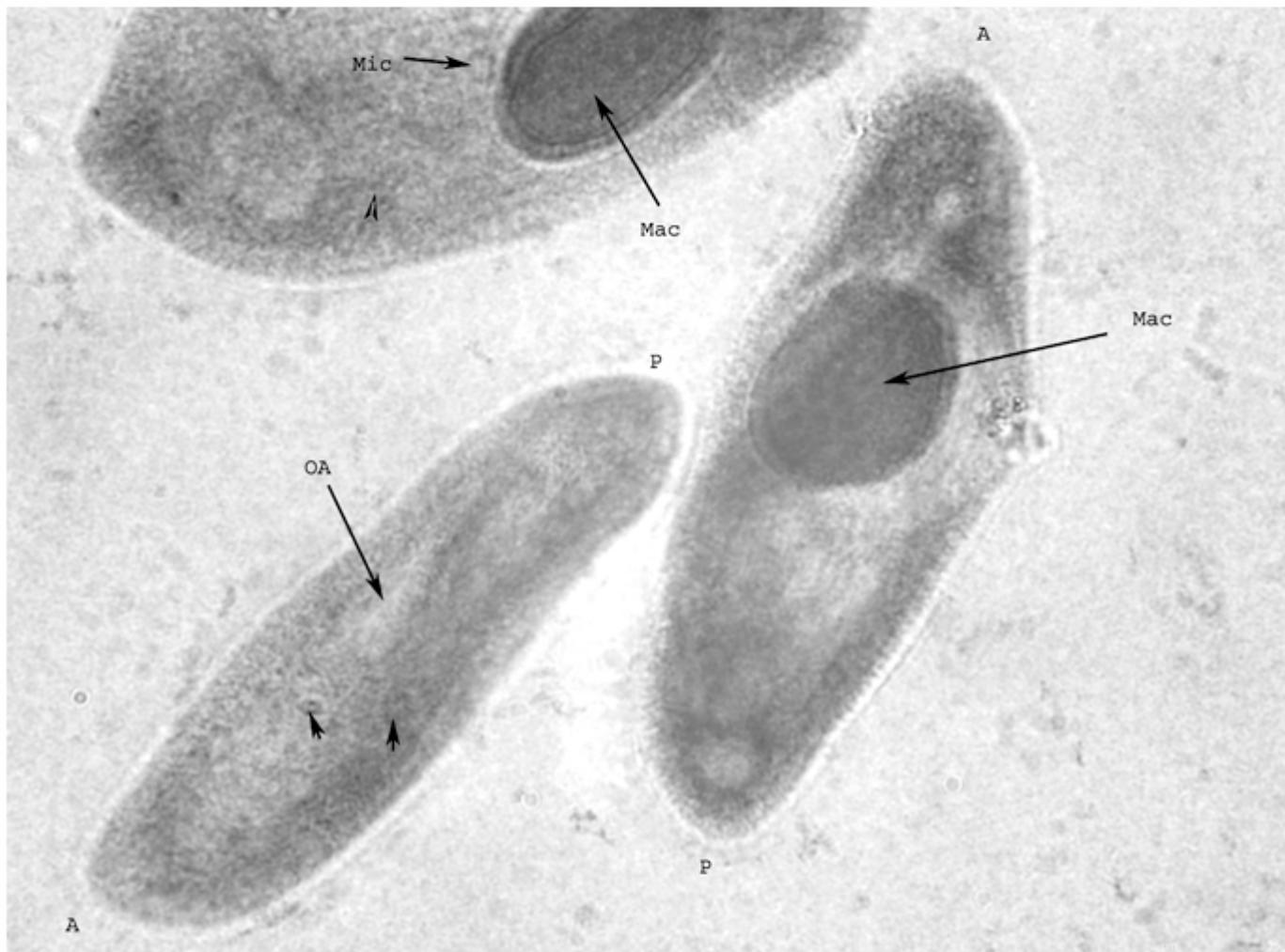
Figure S3. Northern blot analysis of full-size mRNA in cells submitted to RNAi and control cultures

A. Analysis of total RNA extracted from vegetative cells following 26-30 hours of incubation in *PTMB.08c* (left panel) or *PTMB.422c* (right) silencing medium (S). Control RNAi (C) was against *ND7* gene. Hybridization probes are indicated on the left of each panel. Normalized amounts of each mRNA relative to 17S rRNA are shown on top, with an arbitrary unit for vertical axis

B. Autogamy time-course of *PTMB.344c* (Silenced) and *ND7* (Control) silenced cells. Northern blots of total RNA were hybridized successively with a *PTM344c* probe and a 17S rDNA probe. Normalized amounts of *PTMB344c* mRNA are shown on top. V: vegetative cells; St: starved cells; following time-points are in hours. Histograms at the bottom represent the progression of autogamy in the cultures (same color code as in Figure S2).

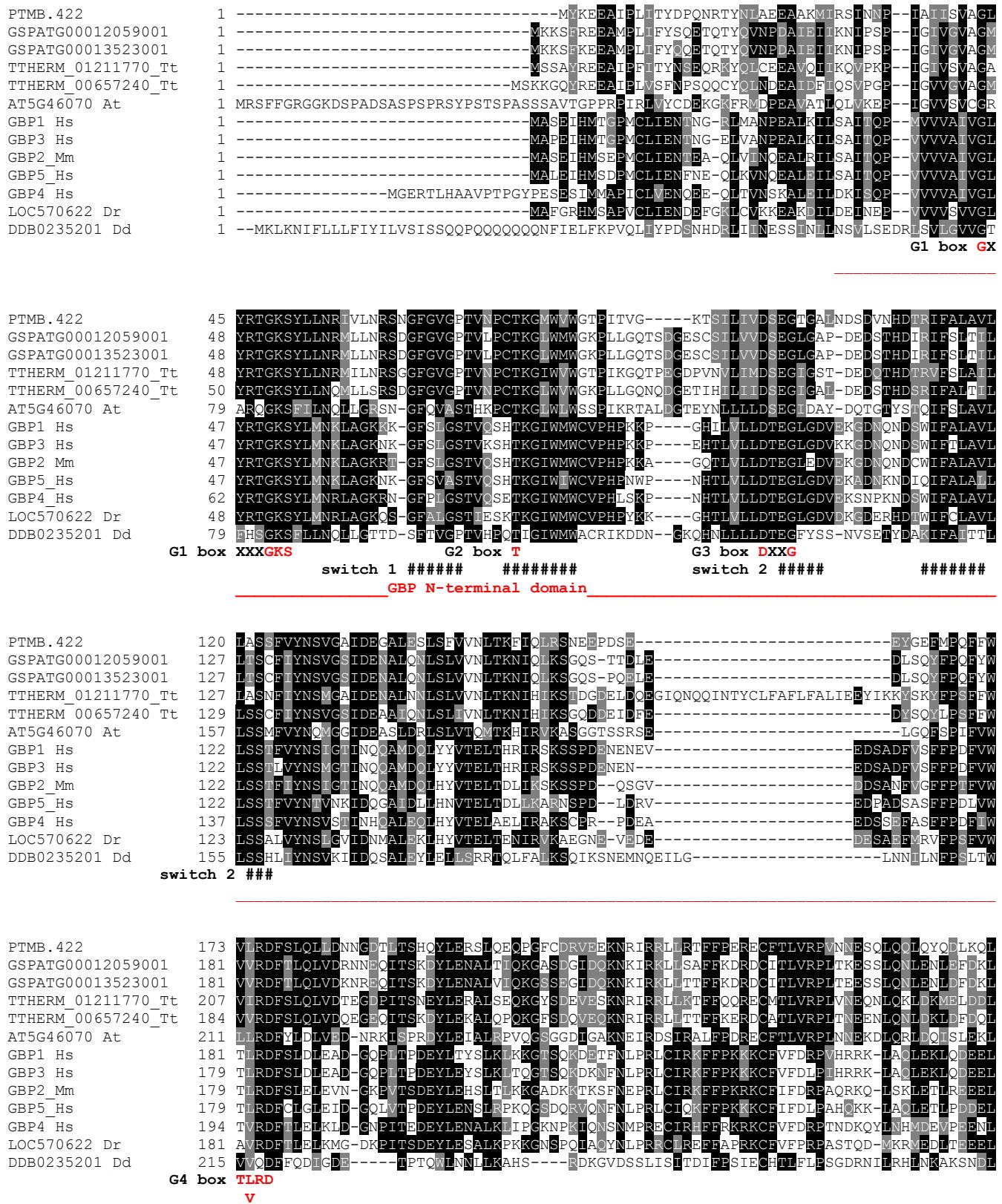
C. Autogamy time-course of *PTMB.220* silenced cells (left). Control time-course (right) was performed with a culture grown in standard *K. pneumoniae* medium (see Figure S2A).

In all panels, the signal corresponding to full-length mRNA was normalized relative to 17S rRNA signal (histograms on top of each panel). The silencing of *PTMB.186* could not be checked by northern blot hybridization because the whole coding sequence was inserted into the RNAi plasmid and bacterial RNA gave a strong hybridization signal when probed with a *PTMB.186* fragment. *PTMB.170* silencing was not quantified either, due to the very low transcription level detected in wild-type cells.

**Figure S4. Protargol-staining of *PTMB.08c*-silenced cells**

After 10 hours of incubation in *PTMB.08c*-silencing medium, 41 cells were fixed and stained with Protargol protein-staining reagent to document the loss of DNA and the absence of the whole macronuclear structure. 27% of cells were small and did not have any visible nuclei, 20% harbored remnants of nuclei in the form of few dispersed dots (see bottom left cell on the picture) and 53% exhibited apparently normal MACs (top and right cells).

Unannotated arrows point at some small nuclear structures, most probably corresponding to the small dots visible in DAPI-stained cells (see Figure 2 panels a-a'). OA: oral apparatus; A: anterior, P: posterior.



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 Msh2 Dd 118 S A S P G N I E Q V N E L M N M N I D S S I I I A S I K Q O W N S Q-----DGN C I L G V A F I D T T A Y K V G M I D I V D N E V Y S N L
 Msh2 Tb 148 KCGSPGN T Q M F E D V L L N G N C E G S V M M A L K I T R E K G-----S I V G F S I G D A F K T I G V S Q F M D N D N L S N L
 Msh2 Tc 103 RCGSPGN T A D F E A M L F A F E D A E I Q L M A I G S V V I D D K A N R V N G-----P G Q Q H V R V G Y A A L N T T L R T I T Y A E Y H D T P Q L T N L
 Msh2 Pf 105 RCGSPGN I T D F E A T L F S F E E A I Q L M A T G A I V L E K N N T S G N A G K C M I S G G Q G I R V E A A L N T T L R T I T Y A E Y L D T L Q L I S L
 Msh2 Py 1 -----M E N H E V E E V N E D Q I L C Y I D T K K Y-----Q K S I G V C E Y N Y L K Y E F I M T E F I D N G H F T A L
 Msh2 Tt 1 -----M E E F E I L V N D K N L M V L A V Y F T Y P P N N-----I R Y V G I C I Y N N T T N E F S I L S E Y I E N D H F T T L
 PTMB.344 1 -----M D Q D Q N L L T L V Q O I Y T N N-----T R Q V N A I L D S D Q R K F Q V T E F O D T E Y Y S N F
 -----E R H I N C A F L D Q D R R M I E V C E F O D N E H F S V F

MutS_II

Msh2 At 185 ESSL IAI LGAKE-----C I F P A E --SGKS N E CKS L Y D S L E R C A V M I T-----E R K K
 Msh2 Zm 187 E S A L V A L G C K E-----C L L P A D --C E K S I D I N P L Q D V I S N C N V L L T-----E R K K
 Msh2 Hs 188 E A L L I Q I G P K E-----C V I P G G -----E T A G D M G K L R Q I I O R G G I L I T-----E R K K
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 Msh2 Dm 189 E A T V V L I G P K E-----C L I P S -----I E G Y S A V K T L L D R N G V M I T-----M P K K
 Msh2 Ce 170 E Q C H F G L C P T E Y-----I L V N E G S V A P K A K K I A S M F T R M E V H N K-----Q O I K
 Msh2 Mg 177 E A L L I Q I G V K E-----C L I Q Y D K A E D L K D P D L A K L K Q I I D N C G V A M S-----E R P M
 Msh2 Nc 178 E A L L I Q I G V K E-----C I V T Q D K G E K E K D P D L A K L K Q I I D N C G V A I A-----E R S A
 Msh2 Sc 184 E S F L I Q I G V K E-----C L V Q D L T S N S N S N A E M Q K V I N V I D R G C V V T-----L L K N
 Msh2 Dd 212 S S F I M Q M S V K E-----C L L C C D -----Q K N Y D Y Q K V K E K U L S D A G I P F T-----E L P K
 Msh2 Tb 178 D V L N A Q C N L K Q L L Y S N-----T D F S M N N T G E K A A D S D E R Q S D L R A L K Q I C E R A N I T L Q E R G Q-----S N L P H G K Q K S
 Msh2 Tc 185 D A L N A Q C N L K E L I Y L D R S R C R I S S N S N K G G G A A G V A G G G S G R E E E S L R A V K Q I C E R A N I T Y R E L G H N G A A P S H D S P Q K P I Q
 Msh2 Pf 55 E S F I Q K R P H K-----C F F N S T N D L V D E R I L L N L F K I C N V Q A I-----P L E K
 Msh2 Py 49 E S L I I Q T N P D S-----L I Y L P C N N I L D N K R I N L I C N I C E I K L C-----E L N K
 Msh2 Tt 56 E S L I I Q T N P Q N Q-----H T Q F L L I Q Y P D L T T E K E K V N D I V Q Q C D I N V K-----E R D K
 PTMB.344 50 E C L V I Q V N P N G Q-----D A K I T V L I Q M P E L E S E N R K V R D I L E Q C E F E V I-----E K N K

Msh2_At 228 HFFKGKRDILSDLKRLVK----GNIEPVDRDVLVSGFDLATPAIGALISFSELLSNEQNYGNFTIRRDTGGFMRLDSAAMRA
Msh2_Zm 230 ADFKSERDLAQDLGRIIR----GSVEPVDRLLSQFDYALGPAGALLSYAELLADDNYGNYTIKEYNINCYMRLDSAAVRA
Msh2_Hs 230 ADFSTKDIYQDLNRLLKGGKGEQMSAVPEMENQAVSSLASAVIKFLELLSDSNFGOFELTTFDFSQYMKLDIAAVRA
Msh2_Dr 230 SEFTTKDIVQDLNRLLKARKGETVSSAAPEMEKKIAMSCLEAVIKYLELLADEANFGSKMTTFDINQYMRLDNAAVQA
Msh2_Dm 229 S--GDNDLLODLNRLIFAKGQQEDATGKELQLQLASNLATAKYLDLVNDAGNLIGHYEIKQLDINRFVHLDAAVA
Msh2_Ce 213 PKSQWSDVIESVHLDYK-----DEAEQNENIKECLQLHSNAADENSISEKYSIFNYGTHGNMLIDSCAEEA
Msh2_Mg 223 ADFGTDRDIEQDLARLLK----DERSASLPQTDLKLAMGAASALIKYLNVLQDPSNFQOYQLFQHDLSQFMKLDAAALKA
Msh2_Nc 224 GFGTKDIEQDLSRLLK----DERAASILPQTDLKLAMGSASALIKYLGILHDPNSFGQYQLYQHDLAQFMKLDAAALKA
Msh2_Sc 230 SEFSEKDVELDLTKLIG----DDLALSIPQKYSKLMGACNALIYGQLLSEQDQVGKYELVEHKDKEFMKLDASAALKA
Msh2_Dd 254 SDFSSKNAEQDLTRLIG----SVKNNIPDIEQEHAQQSASCLIKHLDLLSNPNEYFGFKLKEKYLDRYMKLDSSSFKG
Msh2_Tb 248 RATKRNSTGPNGELLSTLEGILRVPEDRHGLNSFPLASRADESLESADPDFSTNQHTFYLKHVVPSFMKMDAAAEEA
Msh2_Tc 265 PQGRREGVNTKGDFLSALEDILRVPEDRALSNCPLASRAEYLVSNITDNFDAIHRAFYLKHTISSTFMKLDTAAQA
Msh2_Pf 97 KKMDATNIDDELKLIISHND---DVRNYDKHELENAACKCIMVLINYLKLKENODIHNCQCKINIHNMIDLYMRLDKAALSA
Msh2_Py 91 DIFQIMSIEETDLEKLINVNND---DVKNYDSFLNLTGCKAASSITKYLNLNEEISAINKCTLKWYNTISKYVKLDKAALCS
Msh2_Tt 104 KSFLEKGYEDDLNKLKKP----LAQYQESQLTHALSSACIVGDLQLSKEPINQONQFTVETLILNNFMKLDLAAINA
PTMB_344 98 KDFSEINISN-LNKVLKKN----FNTCRVEEIQCT---QCQCLIEHTRLYKDDINTQKFNIQLLNHFKMRDLDAAINA

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Msh2_At 304 LNVMES-----KTDANKNFSLFGLMNRCTAGGMKRLLHMLKOPLVDLNEIKTRLDIVQCFVEEAG
Msh2_Zm 306 LNIAEG-----KTDVKNFNSLFGLMNRCTVGMKRLLNRLKOPLLDVNEINNRIDMVQAFVEPE
Msh2_Hs 310 LNLFQG-----SVEDTTGS---QSLAALLN-KCPTPQGQRVLNVWIKQPLMDKNRIEBRINLIVEAFVEDAE
Msh2_Dr 310 LNLFQG-----SSDDATGT---HSLAGLLN-KCPTPQGQRVLNVWIKQPLIDDKNKTIEBRLDIVETFVEDSE
Msh2_Dm 307 LNIMP-----PGTHPSMPSPYRWQSVLGVLD-ECKTPQGHRLMGOWWKQPLRSRNILDRHNIIVQCLLSEPD
Msh2_Ce 281 LEFQLN-----YNYLEKSNNLTLYNVLN-KCKTLPGEKLLRDLWISRPLCQIDHNERLDIVEAFLFENQT
Msh2_Mg 299 LNTP-----GARDGSKTMSLYGLLN-HCKTPVGSRLLAQWLKQPLMSKDEIEGRQQLVEAFMNDTE
Msh2_Nc 300 LNMP-----GARDGAKNMSLYGLLN-HCKTPVGSRLLSOWLKQPLMNAEEIEKFRQQLVEAFANDTE
Msh2_Sc 305 LNFPQGPQNPFGSNNLAWSGFTSAGNSGKVTSLFQQLN-HCKTNAGVRLLNWIKQPLTNIDEINKRHDIVDYLIDQIE
Msh2_Dd 328 LHIDLK-DSSVSAAGGGGAGGASSSSNKSQDLYNLLN-QCNTPMGSRLLLQWIKQPLNAAEIEARINFVEAFYNDLE
Msh2_Tb 328 LHIIHDK-----PEARGSMPTEIYSWLN-RCTTGMSRLLMQWLQPLRSIEDINQRLSLVQIMVESPI
Msh2_Tc 345 LHIIHQK-----PEARGLPLTSVYSWLN-RCTVGMGSRMMROWLQPLRNAMEEINORLISLVELMWEDSI
Msh2_Pf 174 LNILP-----NKKNIHSYN-----NNTSLLKFLD-KCNTTIGSKKLVSWLTQPLTNVAEINKRNIIVEFFIKEDD
Msh2_Py 168 LNINTYISKE-QKNGIGGSQQTLSQNHHGNTMTLYKFLN-KCKTKIGERKLLKWMPIRDEKKINQRLDMVEIMNDDQA
Msh2_Tt 179 LLIFPKEDI-QRRNLMGGQE-----NNFSTLVDLLD-KCKTQIGSRTLKRWIKOPLKNEAEINERLDIVVEYFVNND
PTMB_344 170 LMFPKQ-----GIKQFDMSG-----NNASTLVDYLD-RCITOMGKRCRLLRWIKMPLQSQIQEINORLNIVEYLYQNS

Msh2_At 366 LRQDIR-QHLKRISDVERILRSLERRRG-----GLQHIIKLYQSTIELPFIKTAMQQYT
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Msh2_Hs 372 LROTLQEDLRRFPDINRIIAKKFQRQAA-----NLQDCYRLYQGQNQLPNVIQALEKHE
Msh2_Dr 372 LRKSCOEDLRRFPDINRMAKKFQRQSS-----NLQDCYRVYQSVGQLPNVVLALERYS
Msh2_Dm 373 TMETISLIDYLKRIPDILMITKIKLMLRKA-----NLQDLFRIYQVILRTEKILKVLHLLD
Msh2_Ce 345 IROKIRDISLALARMPDCSQLARRLMRKCT-----LQDLNRFYQAAITLETVEMQLIQLS
Msh2_Mg 360 LROTMQEEHLRSIPDLYRIAKRFQRKKA-----NLEDVVRAYQVYIRLPGFIGTLEGVM
Msh2_Nc 361 LROSQEEHLRSIPDLYRISKRFQRGKA-----TLEDVVRAYQVYIRLPGFIGTLEGVM
Msh2_Sc 384 LROMITSEYLPMPDIFRITKKLNK-RG-----NLEDVVKIYQFSKRIPEIVQVFTSFL
Msh2_Dd 406 LROSRSRNSDLKKIGDLDRISKKLHGQKA-----TLEDCCVNLYGIITRLPVVLQSLNNHS
Msh2_Tb 391 LRDALITQVLRRCTDMDRINRKLQRRTV-----ALKDLQSIILVFANTVPLAVDVLRTYH
Msh2_Tc 408 LRDALLSQVLRCCGMDRINRKLQRRTS-----ALKDLQSIILTFVNTTERAVQVLRTHQ
Msh2_Pf 238 ARNVLFCNYLKRIPEDKLKNHYLKEIN---QNNEIRVNS-----KYNEEMIILKDIVKMYYSILDFKQIYFTLKIPIQ
Msh2_Py 246 LRSMTQGEYLRKVCDDLIKKLKIANNIVKNNNMSDHGAKQNRSGNSNNKCTIEDLVKLYDTVIASKNIYHALDEYN
Msh2_Tt 250 LRNYIQQEFLRKIADLDKIYAKFYKVAS-----KKKHNASIADCIVKLYQLVTNISTLAQYI--EN
PTMB_344 236 FROFLINEDFLKRIPDLDKIYAKFYKVAS-----DKRNNANLSDCVKVYOLIICKIKDIIKRVNQEM

Msh2_At 419 G-----EFASLISERVYIKKLEALSDQDHLGKFIDLVECSVLDQLE-NGEYMISSSYDTKLASLKDQKELLEQQIHEHL
Msh2_Zm 421 G-----QFSTLIRSKFLEPLEEWMAKNEGFRFSSLVETAIDIAQLE-NGEMYRISPLYSSDLGVLKDELSVVENHINNIH
Msh2_Hs 426 G-----KHQKLLLAVFVPLTDIISD--FSKFQEMIETTIDMDQVE-NHEFLVKPFSFDPNLSELREIMNDEKKMQSTL
Msh2_Dr 426 G-----KHQVLLHAAFISPLNDLISD--FSKFQEMIETTIDMDQVE-NHEFLVKPFSFDPTLSDLRENMDRLEKAMQAAL
Msh2_Dm 427 -----NSTIESVICAPFKSFLKD--LTGLKQMVQVVFEEAIE-RGEYLVKAFSDSRLMELQQMFTELYSKMEELQ
Msh2_Ce 398 EAEQ----FAPSINRLLKSEITEILKK--VERFQVLCDEFDEDYEKENKEIRVRVDFVPEIQLSEKLEQMERVAEKL
Msh2_Mg 414 D-----EAYRDPDVAYTTKIRELSDS--LVRLQEMVETTVVDLDALE-NHEFIKLEFDDGLRIIRKKLDRIRTEMREF
Msh2_Nc 415 D-----EAYRDPDLEVYTNKIRELSDS--LVKLQEMVETTVVDLDALE-NHEFIKLEFDDSLRIIRKKLDRIRTDMDNEF
Msh2_Sc 437 EDDSPTEPVNELVRSVWILAPISSHVEP--LSKFEEMVETTVVDLDAYEENNEFMKVEFNEELGKIRSKLDTLRDETHSIIH
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Msh2_Tb 445 GGH----DSSLLKGVTFLEDISEH--LNLRTLINATVDISDEN--TVRNFEDDDLSFIERQRQNLVKAIIFKEN
Msh2_Tc 462 GGR----NDKLLMDEYIAPLEDINEH--FSNLRLITATVDISDEN--TTRNFEDDELMELEEQRKSVVKAIESEH
Msh2_Pf 306 G-----KNKETIDEIIINPLRDILNK--FSKLLDMEIEITDLEEVQENKVYIISTSFDNELEIITANEKNALMKKIKKKH
Msh2_Py 326 NGTQK-KNTKTKLEENFIIPLKSIIIS--LTSFLKLIELTVDQIKN-QFLISENFDDNLMAISKEKEEYIYQIILHHR
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PTMB_344 296 YQS----QNSILQEIIFKPFEEINLSD--FEKLEEMIEKSIDIISKAYTG-EFIVNFERSEKLMQLSKNTQCMNDIENVR

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Msh2_Zm 494 VDTASDILDLSV-----DKQLKLEKGS-LCHVFRMSKKE-EQKVRKKLTGSYLIIEETRKDGVKFTNS
Msh2_Hs 497 ISAARDILGLDP-----GKQIKLDDSSAQFGYFRVTCKE-EKSLRNNKK--FTTLDVQKNGVFRFTNS
Msh2_Dr 497 SSAARELGLEA-----AKTVKLESNAQIGYFRVTCKE-EKSLRNNKK--FTTLDVQKNGVFRFTNS
Msh2_Dm 495 FKCSQELNLDG-----KNQVKLESVAKLGHFRITVKD-DSVLRKNKN--YRIVDVVIKGGVFRFTSD
Msh2_Ce 472 KKYSAKFECDN-----LKLDKNSQYCFYFRVTLKE--EKSIRKKDVHILETTKGSGVFKFSG
Msh2_Mg 486 SKAAADDLGQEK-----EKKIFLENHKVHGFCMRLLTRTE-AGCIRNNNSG--YQECSTQKNGVYFTTK
Msh2_Nc 487 AAFAEDDLGQER-----EKKIFLENHKVHGFCMRLLTRTE-AGCIRNNNSG--YQECSTQKNGVYFTTK
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Msh2_Dd 532 VDTAEPDINLD-----EAKVKLHYSEKDMFILRISRKD-EWAIRDKKK--YIVHATAKDGVRFADR
Msh2_Tb 515 HRVLKQCGWT-----EKQMCKEYHASGYGVFRVPRKD--DHQVRTSKEFIVTGSTAKDGVRVFSG
Msh2_Tc 532 QRVMKVGWT-----EKQLCKEYHTTYGVFRVTRKE--DQQVRTSKELITVSTSVDGVRFVSE
Msh2_Pf 378 DVVEKDI-FADKYDRTYKRAN-----REDIRLVDCTNVFLFRVTKK--DCGLVQQDKKKYMTVRMNKNEFLFTTN
Msh2_Py 402 SEVEEIDINYLKKGDKQSKNNKNISSNNSGMKEDVKLIDCCTNVFLFRAVKK--DIFIQQRKKTYNQVRVNKNEILFNIN
Msh2_Tt 381 NEYAQEL-----GVEPKLVESTTHYLFESEKKETDEAFRLHSRKYKSISVKKGCISFTID
PTMB_344 368 LDTETEL-----GITVTLIESGTYTIFYFEAKKQSADEAFR-KNPKKYKTISVKNRALTFTVE

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Msh2_Zm 553 KLNKNSDQYQALFGEYTSQQKKVVGDVYRVSGBTFSEVFNFAAVLSELDVLSQSFADLATSCPVPYVREDITAS-----
Msh2_Hs 555 KLTSSINEEYTKNKTVEEEAQAIDAIKVEIYVNTSSGYVEPMQTINDVLAQOLDAAVVSFAHVSNGAPVPYVRAJLEK-----
Msh2_Dr 555 KLTSSINEEYTKSREEEAQAIDAIKVEIYVNTSSGYVEPMQTINDVLAQOLDAAVVSFAHVSNGAPVPYVRAJLEK-----
Msh2_Dm 553 KLEGAYADEFASCRTREEEQQLSIVEEIIHVAVGYAAPLTLINNELAQLDCLVSPATAARSAPTPYVREKMLLEE-----
Msh2_Ce 527 ELSDDINDEFLEFHLYTRAEEEVISMCKKAEEFIPILIPAMQLIATLTDVFVSLSTFAATSSGIYTRNLLPLG-----
Msh2_Mg 544 HLOSIRREFDQLSQSYNRTQSSLVNEVSVAAASYAPLLENAGI LAHLDVIVSFACSHMAPISYVREKIHPR-----
Msh2_Nc 545 TLOAQLRREEDQLSQSNRTOSSLVNEVGVAAASYCPVLERIAAVLAHLDVIVSFACSHMAPISYVREKIHPR-----
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Msh2_Tc 589 RLSSLSEQYKGIRKVMDFRQQDLKQKLVSTVVTYLPVLDDAKEELIAALDVFAAATVVRDSPHPVYRPTIRTPETEEQ-----
Msh2_Pf 446 TLKNICKQYDHCLNIVNTLQSEIINKTICAVSTYTPTVIEKFIDLVSTLDVLISESVVCHNSPFYVVRPVIVDHG-----
Msh2_Py 480 KLRDICKQYQYVLHSYNTSQEHLANKAIEEVASSYWEFPNKLSKIIISQIDIIFCSFAYVISQCISTYVRFIVEQNG-----
Msh2_Tt 438 ELQACVAEYNSLKDNYQEOKSVVQKIIDVYSTYYPAMERASFVISELDVIANFASLVSNSATRPPVYRPNIHASN-----
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Msh2_At 625 -----DAGDIVLEGSRHPCVEAQDW--VN FIPNDCRIMRGKSWFOIVTGPNMGGKSTFIRQVGVIVLMAQVGSFVPCDK
Msh2_Zm 626 -----DEGDIVVLLGSRHPCLEAQDG--VN FIPNDCTLVRGKSWFOIITGPNMGGKSTFIRQVGVIVLMAQVGSFVPCDQ
Msh2_Hs 628 -----GQGRRIILKAARHCAVEVQDE--IAFIPNDVYFEKDQMFHIIITGPNMGGKSTYIROQITGVIVLMAQIGCFVPCBS
Msh2_Dr 628 -----GSGRVLVKAARHCPVCEAQDE--VAFIPNDVTFIRGEKMFHIIITGPNMGGKSTYIROQIVLMAQIGCFVPCDE
Msh2_Dm 626 -----GARELVEDRHPCLQEH--VN FIPNDVLDKKECNMFIIITGPNMGGKSTYIRS VGTAVLMAHIGAFVPCSL
Msh2_Ce 601 -----SKRLELKQCRHFWIEGNSE--KFIPNDVVLDC--KCRLIIITGANMGKKSTYLRSAALISLLAQIGSFVPCSS
Msh2_Mg 617 -----GQGRTRLLREARHPFCLLEVQDD--VQFITNDVLELDRSGCSSFIIITGPNMGGKSTYIROQIVLMAQIGCFVPCSE
Msh2_Nc 618 -----GTGRTVLTEARHPFCEMVQDD--VTFITNDVTLTREDSSFLIIITGPNMGGKSTYIROQIVLMAQIGCFVPCSS
Msh2_Sc 647 -----SERRTHLISSRHPFCLLEMQDD--JSFISNDVTLLESGKGDFLIITGPNMGGKSTYIROQVGVISLMAQIGCFVPCCE
Msh2_Dd 664 -----DENAGTIVIIGGERHPFCEVQDNN--VNFIAANDIDLTGQSQFQIITGPNMGGKSTFIRQVGLIVLMAQIGCFVPAOK
Msh2_Tb 652 NVDNNNSNGAIIITVNRHFLVELRQP--AETPNTVQLTNEAN-ALITGPNMGGKSTFMRSIGVCVAAQAGCFVPADS
Msh2_Tc 668 -----EGNKSLLTLLNVRHFLVELRQP--VYPTNTLHLTDDDN-ALITGPNMGGKSTFMRSVGLCVVLAQAGCFVPADS
Msh2_Pf 520 -----ENVIMRKSRHFLLELOQYI-LNNFIPNDIHMNKKNSRLIIVTGPNMGGKSTYIROQTAIIICILIAQIGMFVPCDF
Msh2_Py 554 -----KVLEIKNSRHFELVEANYLQIKNFIPNDIHMDDKENNRLNIITGPNMGGKSTYIROQIAISLMAHIGCFVPCSTY
Msh2_Tt 512 -----KQINLVESRHPFCLEMDN--NOVANDCFMDNDKSRHIITGPNMGGKSTFIRQVAICVLLAHIGCFIPCKS
PTMB_344 497 -----KEILLKESRHFILLEAIDS--TCIVNDIEMDRKSSRLIITGPNMGGKSTYIROQIAICVLLAHIGCFVPCDTT

Walker A/P-loop #####

ATP-binding ## ####

ABC_MSH2_euk

Msh2_At 697 ASISIIRDCAFARVGAGDQQLRGVSTFMOEMLETASILKGASDKSLIIIDEGRGTSTYDGFGLAWAICEHLVQVKRAPTL
Msh2_Zm 698 ASISIVRDCIFARVGAGDQQLHGKVSTFMOEMLETASILKGASDKSLIIIDEGRGTSTYDGFGLAWAICEHLMEVTRAPTL
Msh2_Hs 700 AEVSIVDCILARVGAGDSQKGKVSTFMAEMLETASILRSATKDSLIIIDEGRGTSTYDGFGLAWAISEYIATKIGAFCM
Msh2_Dr 700 AELSIVDCILARVGAGDSQIKGVSTFMAEMLETAAIERSATEDSLITIDEGRGTSTYDGFGLAWAISEYIATRLKSFCL
Msh2_Dm 698 ATISMVDSILGRVGASDNITKGISTFMEVMETSGIIRTATDKSIVIIDEGRGTSTYEGCGTIAWSIAEHLAKETKCFCL
Msh2_Ce 670 ATISVVDGIFTRVGASDKQSGIISTFMAEMLDSCAILQRAITKNSVFEVIDEGRGTSTEDFGFIASASIAODILNRIQCLS
Msh2_Mg 689 AELTIEDDAILARVGASDSQKGKVSTFMAEMLETANILKSATAESLIIIDEGRGTSTYDGFGLAWAISEHIVVEIGCSAL
Msh2_Nc 690 AELTIEDDSILARVGASDSQKGKVSTFMAEMLETANILKSATAESLIIIDEGRGTSTYDGFGLAWAISEHIVKEIGCIAL
Msh2_Sc 719 AEIAIVDAILCRVGAAGDSQKGKVSTFMEVTELETASILKNASKNSLIVDEGRGTSTYDGFGLAWAIAEHIASKIGCFAL
Msh2_Dd 738 ATTAIVVDCILSRVGAAGDSQLRGVSTFMAEMLETTSYIILKVAITKNSLIIIDEGRGTSTYDGFGLAWAIAQEVAVNAKSALL
Msh2_Tb 728 ADIVVRAIMCRVGAHDHLAQGVSTFMEVLESAAMNSAQQTIAIVDEGRGTSTYDGFGLAWAIAQEVAVKARSAIL
Msh2_Tc 740 ADMVTRDAVMCRVGAHDHLAQGVSTFMEVLESAAMNSAQQTIAIIDEGRGTSTYDGFGLAWAIAQEVAVKARSAIL
Msh2_Pf 591 CEVIFTQIMCRVGAAGDSQKGISTFMSMEVTEAAAVKNAQDNSEIIVDEGRGTSTYEGGLISWSICKYILDNIKCECL
Msh2_Py 626 AKTFIFSQIMCRIGSSDQIOLKGISTFFSEMEVSAIIKNAQDSDTLVIIDEGRGTSTYEGFGISWSWANYLLNNIKCLCL
Msh2_Tt 581 GEMPIIDAIITRVGASDMQLRGISTFMSMELASNMLMTATENSLIIIDEGRGTSTSEGFGIAWAISEHIANKIKCCL
PTMB_344 566 AVVPPVDAIIITRVGASDVTQKGISTFMSMELASCMKTAKPDSLIIIDEGRGTSTSEGFGIAWAIAEHIAKQIQSMCL

Q-loop/lid #####

Walker B #####

H-loop/switch region #

ABC transporter signat. motif #####

D-loop ####

ATP-binding #

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Msh2_At	777	FATHFHELTALAQANSEVSG--NTVGWANFHVSAGHIDT-----	ESRKLTMLYKVEPGACDQSFGIHVAE
Msh2_Zm	778	FATHFHELTALAHRNDDHQHISDIGVANYHVGAGHIDP-----	LSRKLTMLYKVEPGACDQSFGIHVAE
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Msh2_Tb	808	FSTHFHEMTQLAARHTN-----VRNVHFGADVDT-----	AARTLRFSSYQIOPQGPCGRSYIGLYVAQ
Msh2_Tc	820	FSTHFHEMTQLAEEHHTN-----VRNAHFGAEVNT-----	VEGTLRFSSYRLEPGPCGRSYIGLYVAQ
Msh2_Pf	671	FATHFHEMSNIAQYCEG-----VINRHVTETTIDKE-----	KKKICFLYEIKDGASNKSNGNVVAE
Msh2_Py	706	FATHFHEISNLDEHAA-----VSNNHVSASKIDEA-----	KKKISFLYEIKKGFADKSISGVHVAQ
Msh2_Tt	661	FATHFHEMTKMEQEVKG-----VINYYVSCVTID-----	NKLTMQYKLRGFAERSYIGLFVAE
PTMB_344	646	FATHFHEMTLMEHEITG-----VKNYYVSCVTEED-----	DKITMBYFVRYGAVDRSYIGLILVAQ
H-loop #####			
ATP-binding #			

Msh2 At	839	FANFPEESVVALA R EKA A E L E D FSPSSMIIN--NEESGKRKSREDDPDEVSRAERAHKF I KEFAAI T PL-----DKMEL
Msh2 Zm	842	FANFPEAVVVALAK S KA A E L E D FSTTPFTSDLKDEVGSKRKRVFPSPDITRGAARARLF I EEFAALPM-----DEM DG
Msh2 Hs	833	LAN F KHVIE C AK Q KA L E E F Q YIGESQGY----DIMEPAAKKC L ERE Q GEKI I QEFLSKV Q KMPF-----TEM SE
Msh2 Dr	833	LAS F PKHVIAN A R E K A L E E F QDISSVG----EEAGPKAKKRC M ME Q EG E R I IEAF L AKV S MPV-----DGMSD I
Msh2 Dm	831	LAN F PEHV V QNA Q EV Y N E FE D E H V D -----KQKK KED K A LL E K I Q V A I QQ I ST-----AGNNV I
Msh2 Ce	802	MVGIDENVINKA A Q L LEG L E K LV I D-----
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Msh2 Nc	841	IVRFPDKVV R MA K RKA D E L FT S KE H EE E N-----GGGLGVQYSK Q D V E E G S ALLKD V L V K W DE V K-----SGRMSK I
Msh2 Sc	861	V V Q F PK I V K MA K R K ANE L DD L KTNN N ED L K-----KAKL S L Q EV N EG N IR I KA L LE W IR K V K EE G L H D P SK I TE
Msh2 Dd	871	LAN F FS Q VI E NA K OK A KE L E S F E SNT L K Q N-----HNKF L EE E K E I INF-----NSND V
Msh2 Tb	863	LA H IP D D V L D S A R O K A VE L E D FG G DET K NR-----AQALF S TA T PE V V Q R V TE Y AK R I R LES-----GEG DG
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Msh2 Py	761	I A K I L K Q V I D K S F E S K LE E SI N -----KHY F K N K L K S NN D NS I EY D K A TEM H N K CE A Y L E I FK-----AN NE
Msh2 Tt	714	T L D F P R VE I LE H AS N KL E LE S Y S KG I SEN Q SS D QN F EN F N K NS Q T D DI F LL S KN I TA Q KE A V U D I AS-----SY NE
PTMB_344	699	ML K E F KE V I D DA K OK A KE L E T FE H N L ES N -F I DE E V P I F --N I D D E L O Y K V R N ST L QA K ER V KE A E-----KW KN

Msh2	At	910	KDSLQRVREMKDDELEKDAAD--CHWLQRQFL-----
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Msh2	Hs	902	ENITIKLKQLKAEVIAKNNNSFVNIEIISR--IKVTT-----
Msh2	Dr	900	KAVKEELRLKQLKAEVIISQNNSFVNIEIVSRSGKVKLSSA-----
Msh2	Dm	883	DINVEDITQLVTQFTKIDIEQLSDSYFKS---VLATSEA-----
Msh2	Ce	831	KKELESADIQRAILSLVK-----
Msh2	Mg	896	PEMVKMKALVAADTKLLEN--PFFQS---IKAL-----
Msh2	Nc	909	EMMARLKLVELVQKDERLLGN--PFFKS---VQAL-----
Msh2	Sc	931	EASQHKIQELLRAIAANEPEKENDNYIKY--IKALL-----
Msh2	Dd	919	EKSLSLVINSILLNKYSIDIN-----
Msh2	Tb	926	DSREAARHRLCSEIKEDALLSSLVEV-----
Msh2	Tc	938	GNEEASON-LRLEIQQDSLISYLL-----
Msh2	Pf	793	NEFMERFVSKKNYLKELAI-----
Msh2	Py	828	QEFLSLEKNGKGLFVELFKNDNFNST-----
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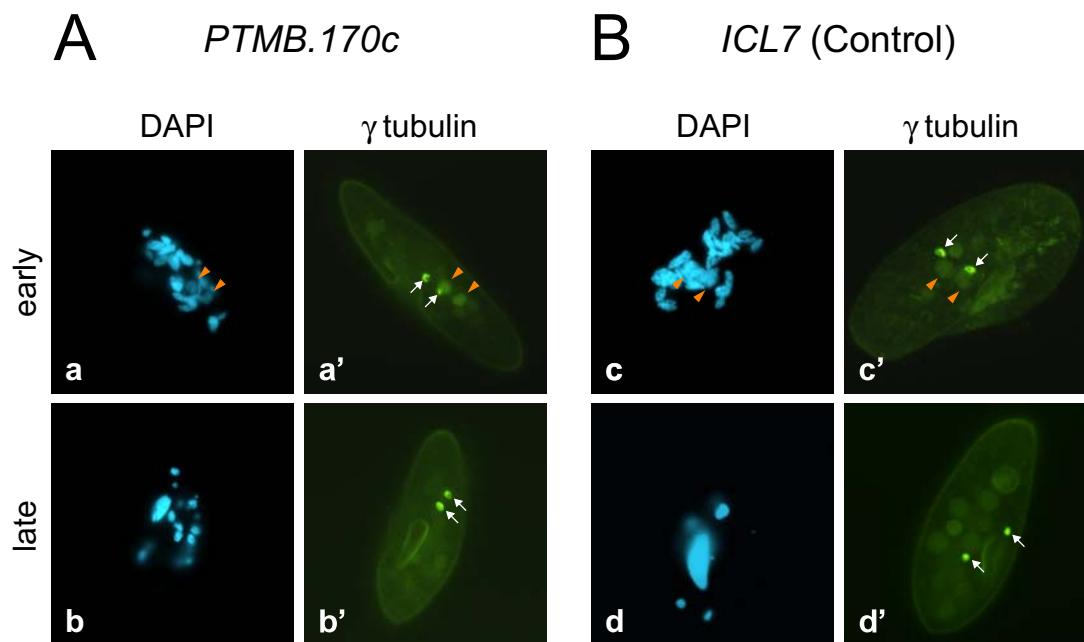


Figure S8. Immunolabeling of *PTMB.170c*-silenced autogamous cells with anti- γ tubulin antibodies

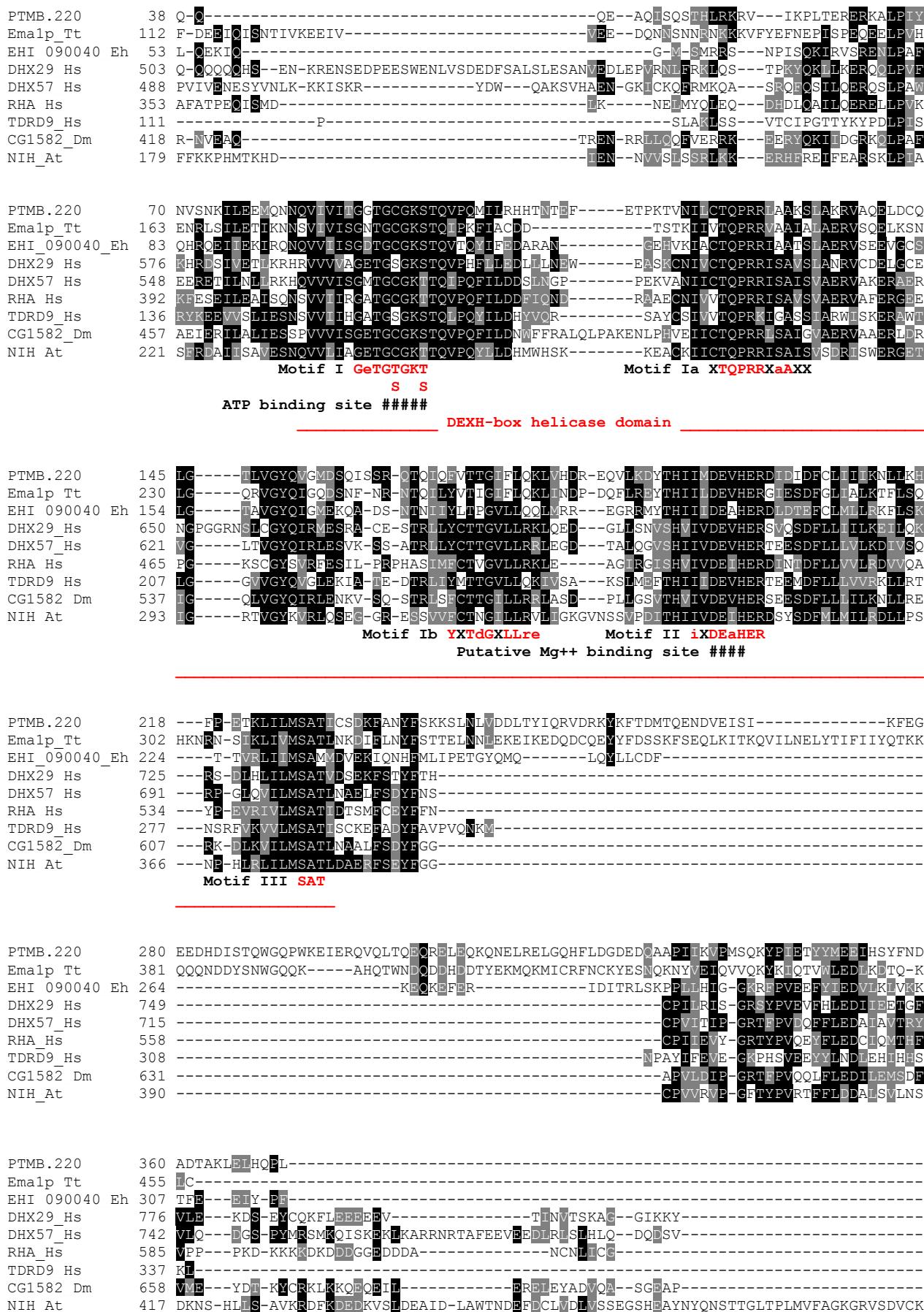
A. Silencing of *PTMB.170c*.

B. Control silencing of the non-essential *ICL7* gene.

Paramecium 51 mt7 cells were grown for 10 vegetative divisions in the presence of bacteria overproducing dsRNA homologous to each target gene. During autogamy, fixed cells were labeled with anti- γ tubulin antibody γ -4 to reveal MICs (panels a'-d') and early new MACs (12). DAPI was used to stain all nuclei (panels a-d).

Top panels (early): cells were fixed after the second division of the zygotic nucleus, when MAC development starts. At this stage, anti- γ tubulin antibody labels new MICs (white arrows) and early new MACs (orange arrowheads). No significant difference can be seen between both silencing experiments.

Bottom panels (late): cells were isolated 24 hours later, after karyonidal division. Normally looking MICs are decorated with anti- γ tubulin antibody. Developing MACs can only be detected by DAPI staining.



PTMB.220 372 -----RFQTSLYFQDTPKVQODSVQAMIQILEFLD
 Emalp_Tt 457 -----NKNYFNARKPELNEDELYKEIKRVQ
 EHI_090040_Eh 315 -----QOKENIESTLYPELDSTSRTLGLGVDLIOYII
 DHX29_Hs 809 -----QEYITIVQTGAHADINPFY-----QKYSSRTOHALLYMNEHKINLDL---IEELLLAYLD
 DHX57_Hs 790 -----KDAVFDQOLDFKQILARY-----KGVSKSIVIKTMSIMDFEKVNLEL---IEALLEWIV
 RHA_Hs 614 -----DEYGPE-----TRLSMSQINEKETPFEL---IEALKYIE
 TDRD9_Hs 339 -----SPHLEEEPVITKDHYEVAVSЛИQMFD
 CG1582_Dm 694 -----GKKIKDEKLTLAETYQRY-----AEYSKPTCKSIYIMEPMTINPEL---IESVЛKYIV
 NIH_At 494 LLSVGADCTLKSKEGITALELAEKENQFETAOIIREHAGNIQSNSQQAQDLLDKYMATKPEEVDVGL---IVKLMKKIC

PTMB.220 402 SNKI-----KDTIGMOGAGAILIFLPGYQEIMDIREEIY-----OKFG---EERFIIIIIILHSTVTIPKE--
 Emalp_Tt 485 FQE-----EPMLRSYKGDILVFLPGYNEIVKLHSILDQIMMEFKQTNQSIIN---QNKYKIIIELHSCLGDINTKE
 EHI_090040_Eh 345 R-----NETAPICILVFLPGMAEEMKSRLEC-----CSYRG---EIPCNFIFIKLHSTVSMEQRS
 DHX29_Hs 859 KS-----PQFRNIEGAVLIFLPGLAHQOLYDILLSN-----DRRFY---SERVKVIALHSILSTQDQAA
 DHX57_Hs 840 DG-----KHS-YPGAILLVFLPGLABIKMLYEQLQS-----NSLENNRFSRNRCVIIPLHSSISSEEQQA
 RHA_Hs 646 T-----LNVPAGAVLVFLPGWNIIYTMQKHLPM-----NPHFG---SHRYQILPLHSQIPREEQRK
 TDRD9_Hs 365 DLDMKESGNKAWSAQFVLERSSVLVFLPGLEINYMHELLTS-----LV---HKRLQVYPLHSSVALEEONN
 CG1582_Dm 744 EG-----SHDWPRECTILIFLPGFGEIQSVHDSSL-----NALFSP---RAGKFILVPLHSALSGEDOAL
 NIH_At 571 S-----DSNDGAILVFLPGWEETSKTKEKLD-----DRFFA---HSAKFIIILCHSRVPAEEEQKK

Motif IV LvFLXG
Nucleotide binding region ####
Helicase superfamily C-terminal domain

PTMB.220 458 -FDETHKRKRRLSTNVAESSITVPDCRFVIDECLTKEIIYNPKNLTEKLALQYCSKASADQRKGRTRGRIFPGTCFRLI
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 EHI_090040_Eh 398 LFIEST-NAHKIILSSNIAESSITVPGVKVVINFGMEKSMQEDTAMNIEALKLTWISSASETQRVGRAGRASSGKCYHMY
 DHX29_Hs 915 AFTLPPPGVRKIVLATNIAETGTTIPDVVEIDTGRTKENKYHESSOMSSILVETFVSKASALQRQGRAGRVRDGFCFRMY
 DHX57_Hs 898 VFVKPPAGVTKIIISTNIAETSITIDDVVYVIDSGKMKRVDASKGMESLEDTFVSKANALQRKGRAGRVASGVCFHLC
 RHA_Hs 698 VFDPPVPGVTKVILSTNIAETSIITINDVVYVIDSKQKVLETAAHNMNTNYATVWASKTNLEQRKGRAGRVRPGFCFHLC
 TDRD9_Hs 430 VFLSPVPGYRKIILSTNIAESSITVPDVKYVIDECLTRTLVCDEDTNYQSLRLSWASKTSCNQRKGRAGRVRSGCYRLV
 CG1582_Dm 802 VFKKRAPGKRKIVLSTNIAETSVTIDPCVFWVDDGLMKEKCFDSNRNMESDLIVWVSKANAKQRKGRAGRVMFGVCIHLY
 NIH_At 624 VFNRPPRGRKIVLATNIAESAVIDDDVVYVIDSGRMKESYDPYNDVSTLQSWVSKANAKQRAGRAZCQAGICYHLY

Motif V TNAIETSXTiXg
Nucleotide binding region ####
ATP-binding site #

Motif VI aXQRXGRAGRXX

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PTMB.220 537 PQTIFKNKMTQYSVCEMLRCPLEIILRLKKIYQLSMENE-----
 Emalp_Tt 632 PKQFFMEDIKDYQTPEIILRCPTEKVKIKILPEGESDYQKIHLSDDDDVEQNNLIEEIIKEKQSEKSKKRLNFSTD
 EHI_090040_Eh 476 PRTF-ARELGLRYSEPEIQRSPLEKIMLIMLEVK-----
 DHX29_Hs 995 TRERFE-GFMDYSVPEIILRVPLEEILCHIMKCNGSPE-----
 DHX57_Hs 978 TSHHYNHOLLKQQLPEIQRSPLEQCLCRRIKLEMESAH-----
 RHA_Hs 778 SRARFE-RLETHMTPEMFRTPEIHEIALSIKLLRLGG-----
 TDRD9_Hs 510 HKDFWDNSTPDHVVPVEMLRCPLGSTILVKVLLDMGEP-----
 CG1582_Dm 882 TSYRYQYHIAQPVPEIQRSPLEQIVLRIKTLQTFASR-----
 NIH_At 704 SKLRAA-SLPYRVPPEVMRMPVDELCLQVKMLDPNC-----

PTMB.220 577 -----NKTEKELNTIVDLKQVFNDPSRTLKTAIDPPSTKQIENAISNLQMLGALS
 Emalp_Tt 712 DIDYMKQFDTPKVFQDQTAFLIAGPITKNKSKQQLENSQLN-RLFEDPVRVLQRAIBAFDDYSICOSMENLMSVGALK
 EHI_090040_Eh 509 -----GRELLDYGICOPPSDSNIRSIDNIIII-CCFV
 DHX29_Hs 1032 -----DFLSKALDPPQLOQVISNAANILRKGIA
 DHX57_Hs 1016 -----NLQSVFSRLEPPHTDSLIRASKRLRDLGALT
 RHA_Hs 813 -----IGQFLAKIAEPPPPLDAVIAEHTLRELDALD
 TDRD9_Hs 547 -----RALLATAISPPGLSDIERTHILLKEVGALA
 CG1582_Dm 920 -----NTLSVLLETLEAPTEDSVLGAITRLRDVGALD
 NIH_At 739 -----NVNDFLQKLMDPPEVAQSIENALIILKDI

PTMB.220 628 YPNS-----QDSTIHITRLGOMMGDMPIDFITRFIMYCNIIIGGAYEGVTIAAISLQRKNYFLHHFMRSG---KL--
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 EHI_090040_Eh 539 VKENR-----IDNAITIAPLGRFAVKLPLDVRVAKLTVFFGLYFCGVFTETARIAALFGINQT-LRRET---SEM---
 DHX29_Hs 1061 LN-----EPKLTPLQHAAALPVNVIGKMLIFGAIIFGCLDEPVATIAAVMTKSP-FTTPIGR---KDEAD-
 DHX57_Hs 1048 P-----DERLTPLGYHLASLPLVDRIGKLMFLGSIFRCLDPALTIAASIAKSP-FVSPWDK---KEAN-
 RHA_Hs 844 A-----NDELTPLGRILAKLPIEFEGKMMIMGCIFYVDAICTIAAACTCEPEP-FINE---GK---RLG-
 TDRD9_Hs 577 VSGQR-EDE--NPHDGEITFLGRVLAQLPVNQOIGKLIVLGHVFGCLDECIIIAAALSIKNF-FAMPFRQ---HLDGY-
 CG1582_Dm 952 A-----EDQLTPLGHHLAALPVDRIGKLMYGAIFQCLDSVLTIAACLSNKSP-FVSPLNK---RTEAD-
 NIH_At 771 P-----EEELTELQQKFQQLPVHPRISKMIYFAIIVNCLDPALILACAADEKDP-FTMPLSPGD--RKKAA-

Helicase associated domain HA2

PTMB_220	695	FFNSIYLYDKGNEDDLLIQLRVYQEWEIKFFNI-LKSTITQH-----DLKRE-----
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EHI_090040_Eh	603	L-QKKMVI-DKLYSDIITSL-----
DHX29_Hs	1123	LAKSA--IAM-ADSDHLTYYNAYLGWKKARQECGYR-----
DHX57_Hs	1109	QKKLE--FAF-ANSDYLALLQAYKGWQLSTKEC-VR-----
RHA_Hs	902	YIHRN--FAGNRFSDHVALLSVEQAWDDARMGG-EE-----
TDRD9_Hs	648	RNKVN--ESGSSSKSDCTIALVEAEFKTWKACRQTCELR-----
CG1582_Dm	1013	KCKRM--FAL-GNSDHITVLNAYRKWLDVARRCNYA-----
NIH_At	834	AAKHELASLYGDHSIDLATVAAFQCWKNAKASG-QA-----

Gene	Coordinates of hybridization probe		Coordinates of silencing insert	
Cluster I - early induction peak				
PTMB.08c	29612	...	30529	30580 ... 31351
PTMB.96	nt		208991	... 209866
PTMB.104	nt		220433	... 221343
PTMB.157c	nt		334832	... 336442
PTMB.170c	367695	...	368605	365562 ... 366800
PTMB.182	nt		401645	... 403784
PTMB.186c	414934	...	415237	414934 ... 415237
PTMB.220	485312	...	486442	483829 ... 484842
PTMB.236c	nt		521796	... 523272
PTMB.238c	nt		529894	... 532410
PTMB.239c	nt		532496	... 533275
PTMB.285c	609853	...	610264	610922 ... 612118
PTMB.422c	873575	...	874983	876703 ... 878481
PTMB.344c	693077	...	693866	694411 ... 695111
Cluster II - late induction peak				
PTMB.169c	362850	...	363407	nt
PTMB.219	481729	...	482273	nt
PTMB.443c	932116	...	932675	931872 ... 932705
Cluster III - gradually induced genes				
PTMB.10c	36175	...	36761	nt
PTMB.143c	316219	...	316717	nt
Cluster IV - repressed genes				
PTMB.142c	314022	...	314891	nt
PTMB.176c	388926	...	389542	nt
PTMB.400c	798492	...	799038	nt

All coordinates refer to Megabase chromosome (Acc. No. CR548612).

nt – not tested

Table S11. Ohnologs and other paralogs of silenced genes.

Gene	Ohnologs from WGD						Other proteins with AA identity >40%					
	recent WGD		intermediary WGD		old WGD		<i>Acc. number (AA identity)</i>	<i>Co-silenced</i>	<i>Acc. number (AA identity)</i>	<i>Co-silenced</i>	<i>Acc. number (AA identity)</i>	<i>Co-silenced</i>
	<i>Acc. number (AA identity)</i>	<i>Co-silenced*</i>	<i>Acc. number (AA identity)</i>	<i>Co-silenced</i>	<i>Acc. number (AA identity)</i>	<i>Co-silenced</i>						
PTMB.08c	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PTMB.96	GSPATG00003747001 (94%)	Yes (11; 363nt)	-	-	-	-	-	-	GSPATG00027670001 (54%)	No	-	-
PTMB.104	GSPATG00003737001 (31%)	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	GSPATG000032765001 (54%)	No	-	-
PTMB.157c	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PTMB.170c	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PTMB.182	GSPATG00003662001 (91%)	Yes (18; 547nt)	-	-	No	-	GSPATG00005730001**	No	-	-	-	-
PTMB.186c	PTETG800015001 (98%)	Yes (4; 149nt)	-	-	No	-	GSPATG00007856001**	No	-	-	-	-
PTMB.220	GSPATG00003619001 (93%)	Yes (6; 193nt)	-	-	No	-	GSPATG00008012001**	No	-	-	-	-
PTMB.236c	GSPATG00003603001 (79%)	Yes (9; 274nt)	GSPATG00008659001 (62%)	No	-	-	GSPATG00004184001 (89%)	No	-	-	-	-
PTMB.238c	GSPATG00003600001 (73%)	Yes (10; 294nt)	GSPATP00000836001 (59%)	-	-	-	GSPATG00010146001 (89%)	No	-	-	-	-
PTMB.239c	-	-	-	-	-	-	GSPATG00024666001 (88%)	No	-	-	-	-
PTMB.285c	GSPATG00003553001 (93%)	Yes (3; 100nt)	GSPATGG0000904001 (65%)	No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

PTMB.422c	GSPATG00003412001 (96%)	Yes (15; 590nt)	-	-	-	-	GSPATG00012059001 (40%) GSPATG00013523001 (40%) GSPATG00015493001 (39%)	No
PTMB.344c	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PTMB.443c	-	-	-	-	-	-	GSPATG00034046001 (49%) GSPATG00037262001 (48%)	No

* between parenthesis: identical stretches ≥ 23 nt (= Paramecium siRNA length) within RNAi insert and total length covered by identical stretches. Comparison of silencing inserts with paralogous genes was done using Smith-Waterman alignment tool (<http://paramecium.cgm.cnrs-gif.fr/cgi-bin/other/alignmen>)

** conserved domains only

*** GSPATG00005766001 and GSPATG00007882001 each share one identical ≥ 23 nt stretch with PTMB.186c silencing insert covering 23 and 29nt, respectively.

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