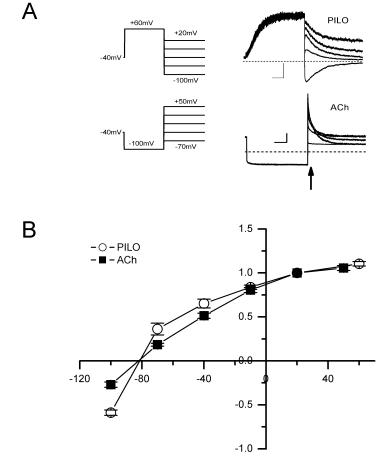
Suppl. Fig. 1. "Fully-activated" current-voltage relationships for PILO- and ACh-activated current. A, Currents elicited by 3 μ M PILO (top) and 100 nM ACh (bottom) using the protocols shown at the left. Scale bars correspond to 0.5 s and 200 pA. B, Fully-activated I-V curves measured as a relationship between the instantaneous current (arrow) and the membrane voltage of the test pulse, normalized to the current obtained at +20 mV (n = 5-12).

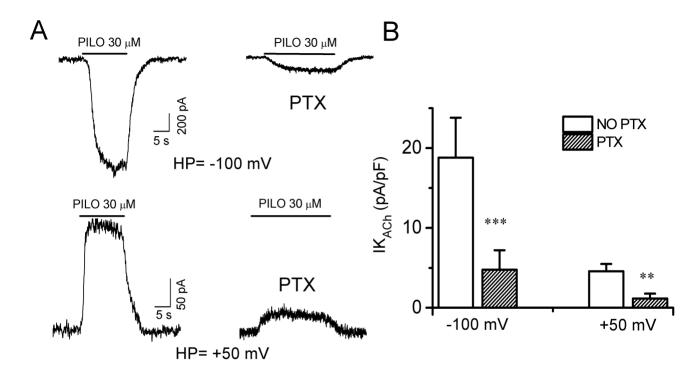
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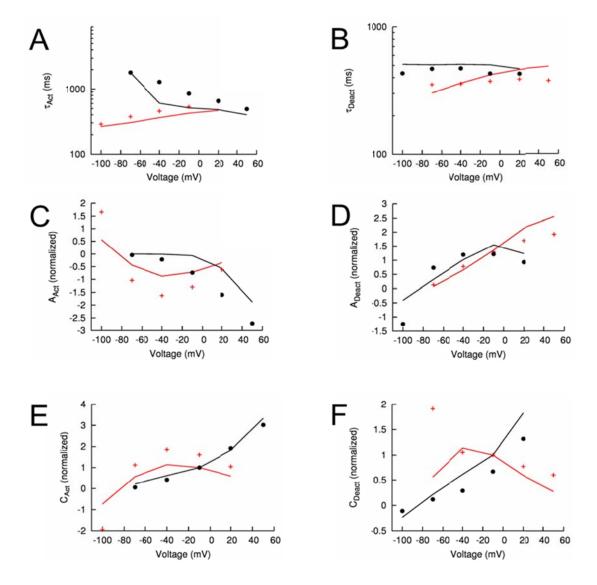
Suppl. Fig. 3. Comparison of the kinetic features of modeled and measured I_{KACh} . Features result from a mono-exponential fit of the measured and modeled data for activation and deactivation kinetics using the voltage protocol in Figure 5. Features result from a mono-exponential fit (I(t)=C+A $e^{-t/\tau}$) of the measured and modeled data for activation (A,C,E) and deactivation (B,D,F). Measured ACh and PILO data are shown with red plus symbols and black dots, respectively. Modeled ACh and PILO data are shown with red and black lines, respectively.

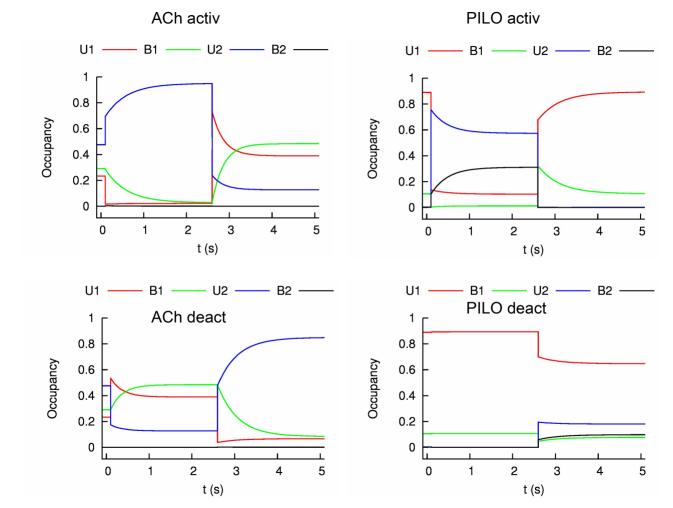
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induced deactivating currents (top right), ACh-induced deactivating currents (bottom left) and PILO-induced activating currents (bottom right) as in Fig. 9.









Suppl. Table 1: States and initial values at -100 mV for ACh and Pilo model.

| States | Symbol | ACh Value | Pilo Value |
|---------------------------|--------|-----------|------------|
| Ligand not bound, state 1 | U1 | 0.389 | 0.894 |
| Ligand bound, state 2 | B1 | 0.483 | 0.106 |
| Ligand not bound, state 1 | U2 | 0.126 | 3.097e-3 |
| Ligand bound, state 2 | B2 | 4.342e-5 | 1.678e-5 |

Suppl. Table 2: Parameters for models.

| Parameter | Symbol | Value | Unit |
|---|--------------------------------|-------|------|
| Temperature | Т | 309 | K |
| Extracellular concentration of K ⁺ | [K ⁺] _o | 5.4 | mM |
| Intracellular concentration of K ⁺ | [K ⁺] _i | 130 | mM |

Suppl. Table 3: Features for model fitting and their fit errors $E_i = \left\|f_{m,i} - f_{e,i}\right\|_2 / \left\|f_{e,i}\right\|_2$. (*) A weighting factor of 2 was applied to emphasize this feature.

| Feature | ACh model | Pilo model |
|-------------------------------|-----------|------------|
| τ _{ACT} * | 0.4490 | 0.2502 |
| A _{ACT} | 0.5460 | 0.4323 |
| C _{ACT} | 0.4860 | 0.4677 |
| τ _{DEACT} * | 0.3662 | 0.6258 |
| A _{DEACT} | 0.2620 | 0.4611 |
| C _{DEACT} | 0.5403 | 0.1102 |
| Max _{-100mV} (B1+B2) | 0.5453 | 0.3227 |
| Min _{60mV} (B1+B2) | 0.0293 | 0.7831 |

Suppl. Table 4: Rate constant parameters for ACh and Pilo model

| Parameter | Symbol | ACh Value | Pilo Value | Unit |
|-----------|-----------------|-----------|------------|---------------------|
| | α_0 | 10000 | 10000 | s ⁻¹ |
| | Z _{Cl} | 0.7374 | 1.676 | |
| | β ₀ | 1445 | 161060 | s ⁻¹ |
| | Zβ | 0.07652 | 0.3184 | |
| | γ | 2.442 | 0.06237 | s ⁻¹ /µM |
| | δ | 1.964 | 1.756 | s ⁻¹ |
| | K | 0.0002756 | 4.577 | |
| | [L] | 0.1 | 3 | μM |