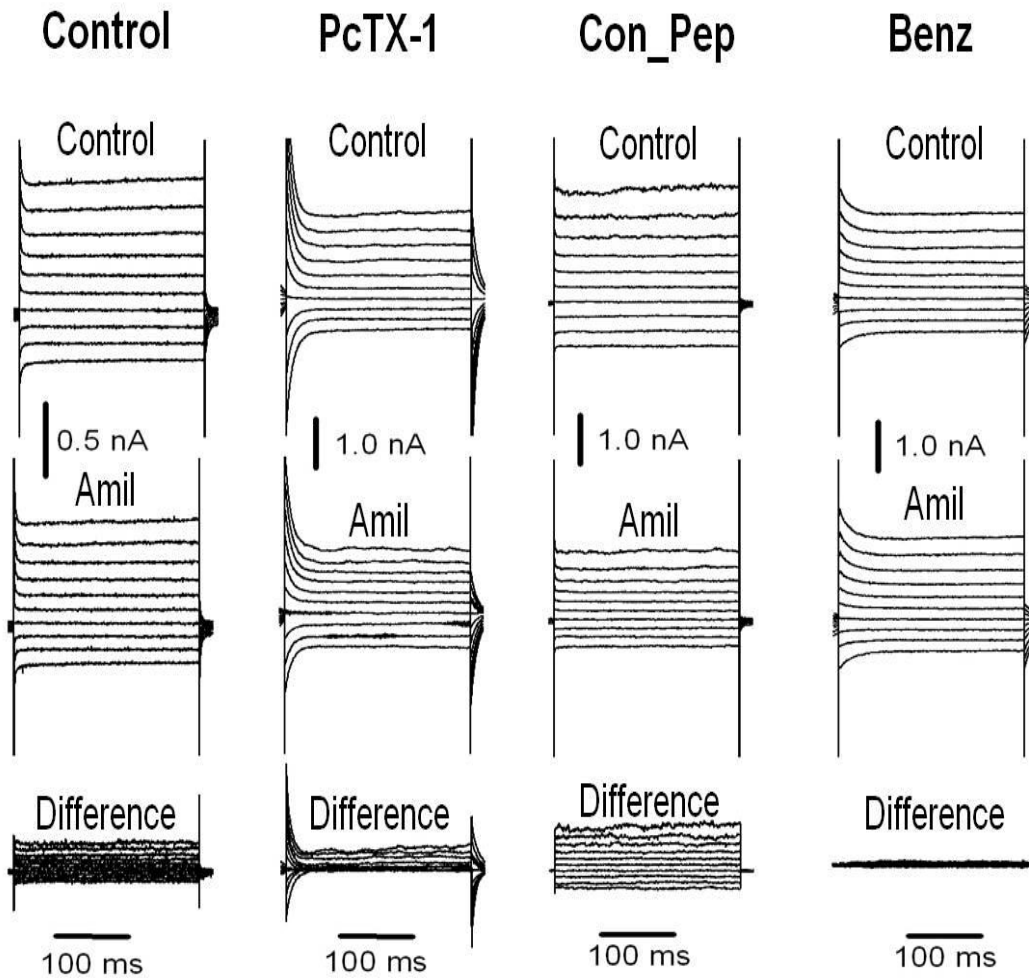


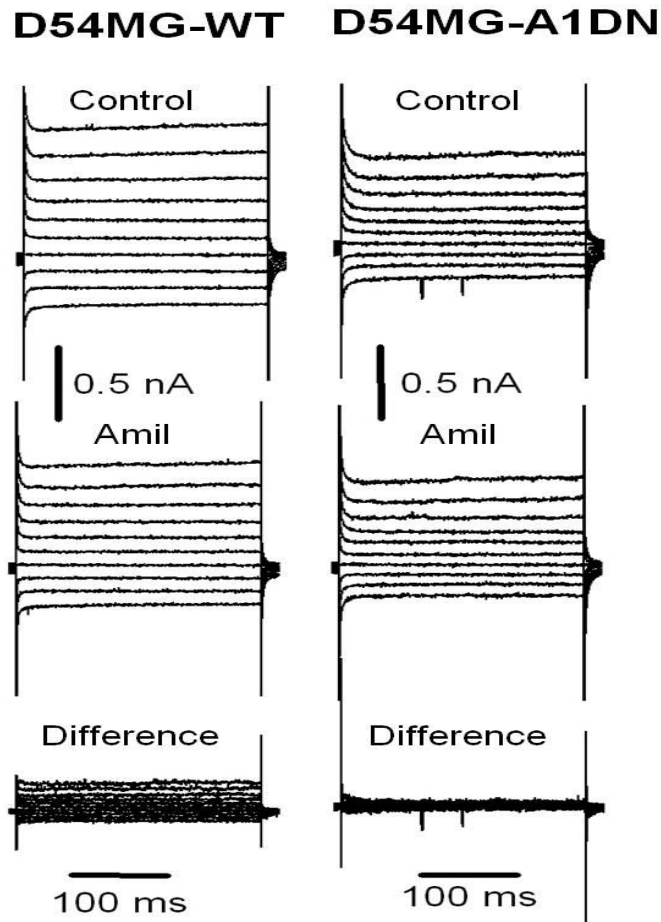
SUPPLEMENTARY DATA

Figure S1



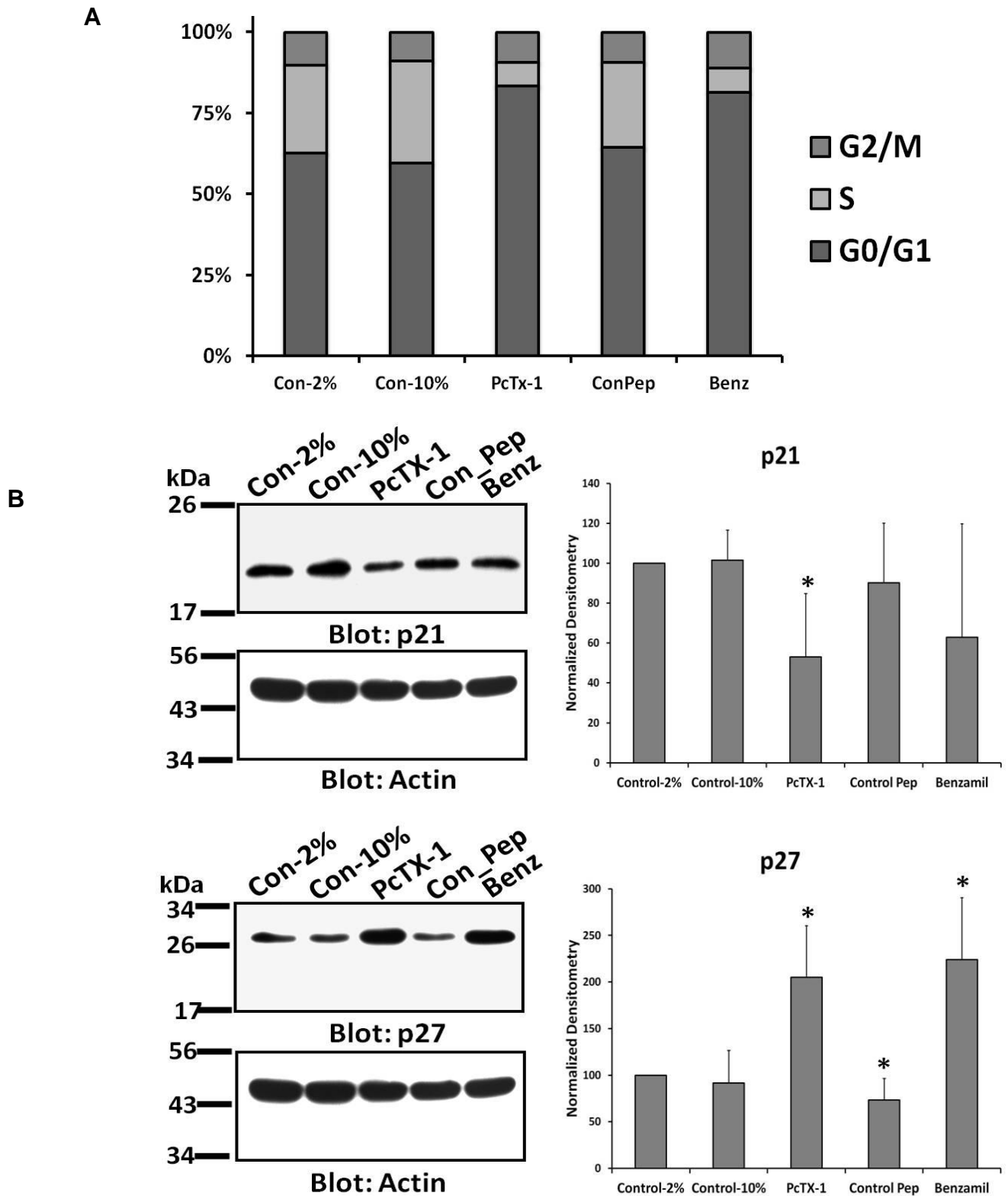
Whole cell patch clamp recording of D54-MG cells treated with PcTX-1, control peptide, and benzamil for 24h. Representative traces of whole cell patch clamp recording of D54-MG cells showing the basally active whole cell current (top traces), current after perfusion of 100 μ M amiloride to the bath solution (middle traces), amiloride sensitive difference current (bottom traces). Current-voltage relationships were obtained using a pulse protocol in which cells were stepped from a -40 mV holding potential from -100 to +80 mV in 20 mV increments for 250 ms. There was a significant difference in amiloride sensitive current in control cells or control peptide pretreated cells as compared to the currents recorded from cells pretreated with PcTx-1 and benzamil.

Figure S2



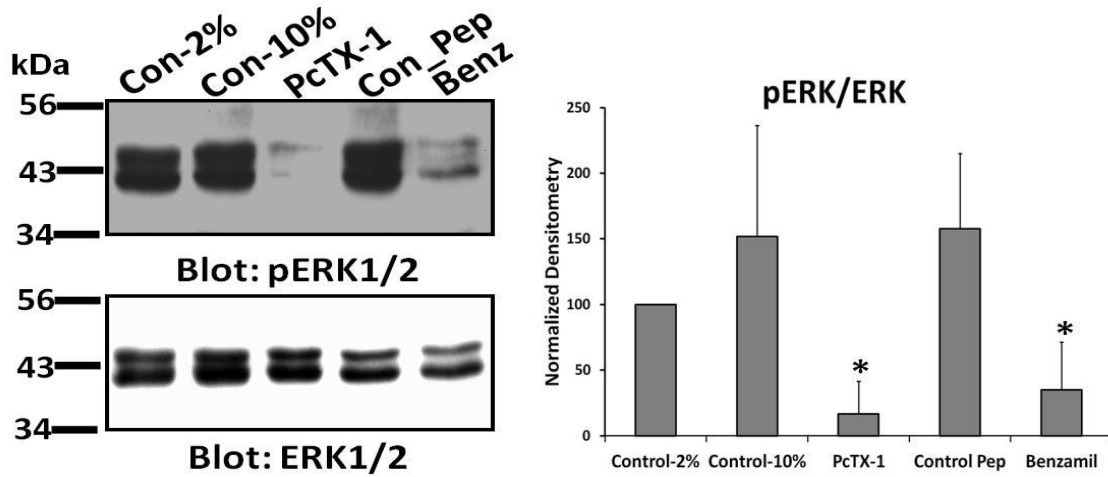
Representative whole cell patch clamp recordings of wild type D54MG (D54MG-WT) and D54-MG cells stably transfected with DN eGFP-ASIC1 cDNA (D54MG-A1DN) showing the basally active whole cell current (top traces), current after perfusion of 100 μ M amiloride to the bath solution (middle traces), amiloride sensitive difference current (bottom traces). Current-voltage relationships were obtained using a pulse protocol in which cells were stepped from a -40 mV holding potential from -100 to +80 mV in 20 mV increments for 250 ms.

Figure S3



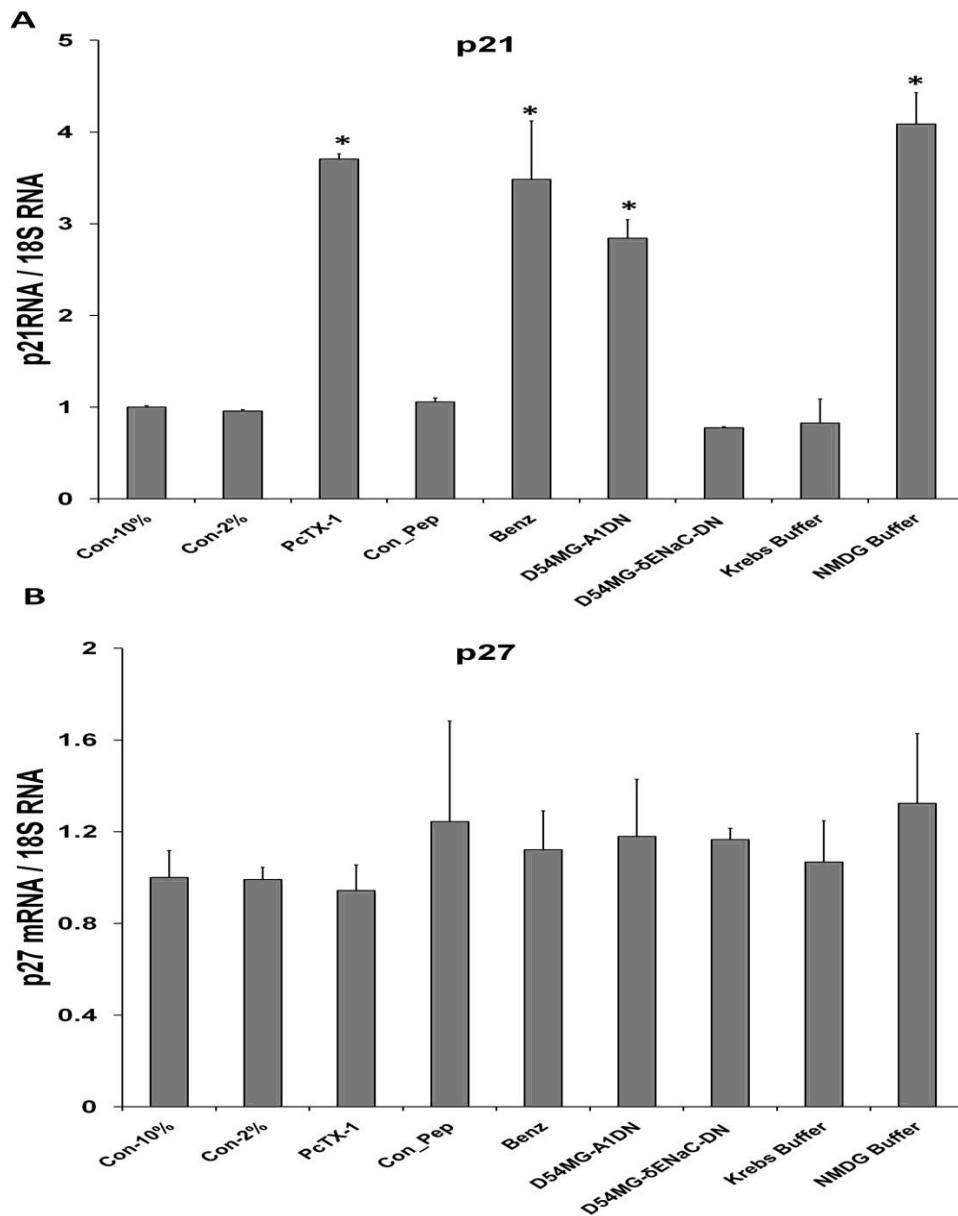
Inhibition of glioma conductance caused cell cycle arrest in U87MG cells **A.** The stacked bar graph shows the percentage of U87MG cells in each cell cycle phase for different experimental conditions. Values are mean \pm S. D. (n=5). **B.** PcTx1 and benzamil increased expression of p27^{kip1} following 24h incubation, but had no effect on the expression of p21^{cip1} (n=4). The blots were stripped and reprobbed with β -actin for loading control. Each bar represents the normalized density compared to control with 2% FBS.

Figure S4



Inhibition of glioma conductance inhibited ERK1/2 phosphorylation in U87MG cells. The phosphorylation of ERK1/2 was significantly reduced in PcTX-1 (by $83 \pm 25\%$, $n=4$) or benzamil (by $65 \pm 36\%$, $n=4$) treated U87MG cells. Each bar represents the normalized density compared to control with 2% FBS.

Figure. S5



Real-time PCR of p21^{Cip1} and p27^{Kip1} from D54-MG cells. This figure shows average relative mRNA expression for different conditions proportional to 18S rRNA in D54-MG cells. Expression for p21^{Cip1} (**A**) is significantly higher (n=4) in cells treated with either PcTX-1 (100nM), or benzamil (100 μ M) or incubated in low [Na⁺] buffer for 24h as compared to D54-MG cells. The expression of p21^{Cip1} was also increased by knock-down of ASIC-1, but not the δ ENaC subunit. The results are the averages of four different samples run in duplicate. The mRNA level for p27^{Kip1} (**B**) were unchanged by the same experimental maneuvers (n=4).