

Supporting Information

Phosphorylation but not Alternative Splicing nor Proteolytic Degradation Is Conserved in Human and Mouse Cardiac Troponin T

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Supplemental Figures

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Figure S1. Amino acid sequence alignment of multiple hcTnT isoforms. Sequences were retrieved from UniProtKB/Swiss-Prot database. Isoform 1, accession number P45379 or P45379-1, also known as TNT, which has been chosen as the ‘canonical’ sequence; Isoform 2, P45379-2; Isoform 3, P45379-3; Isoform 4, P45379-4; Isoform 5, P45379-5; Isoform 6, P45379-6 also known as TNT3; Isoform 7, P45379-7, also known as TNT4; Isoform 8, P45379-8, also known as TNT2; Isoform 9, P45379-9; Isoform 10, P45379-10. Exon numbers and boundaries are indicated. Shaded areas indicate the conserved sequence regions.

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mcTnT_A		SDAEEVVEEYEEEEQEEAVE	EEEDWSEEEED	EQEEAVEEEEEAGGAEPEPEGEAEETEEANVEE				60
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Figure S2. Sequence alignment of multiple mouse cTnT isoforms. Sequences were retrieved from NCBI database. The mcTnT isoforms D, E, F, A, C, and B were denoted as mcTnT_D, mcTnT, mcTnT_F, mcTnT_A, mcTnT_C and mcTnT_B respectively. Isoforms D, E, and F also correspond to P50752-4 (isoform A1), P50752-3 (isoform A2), and P50752-2 (isoform A3B) of mouse cTnT in UniProtKB/Swiss-Prot database. Exon numbers and boundaries are indicated. Shaded areas indicate the conserved sequence regions.

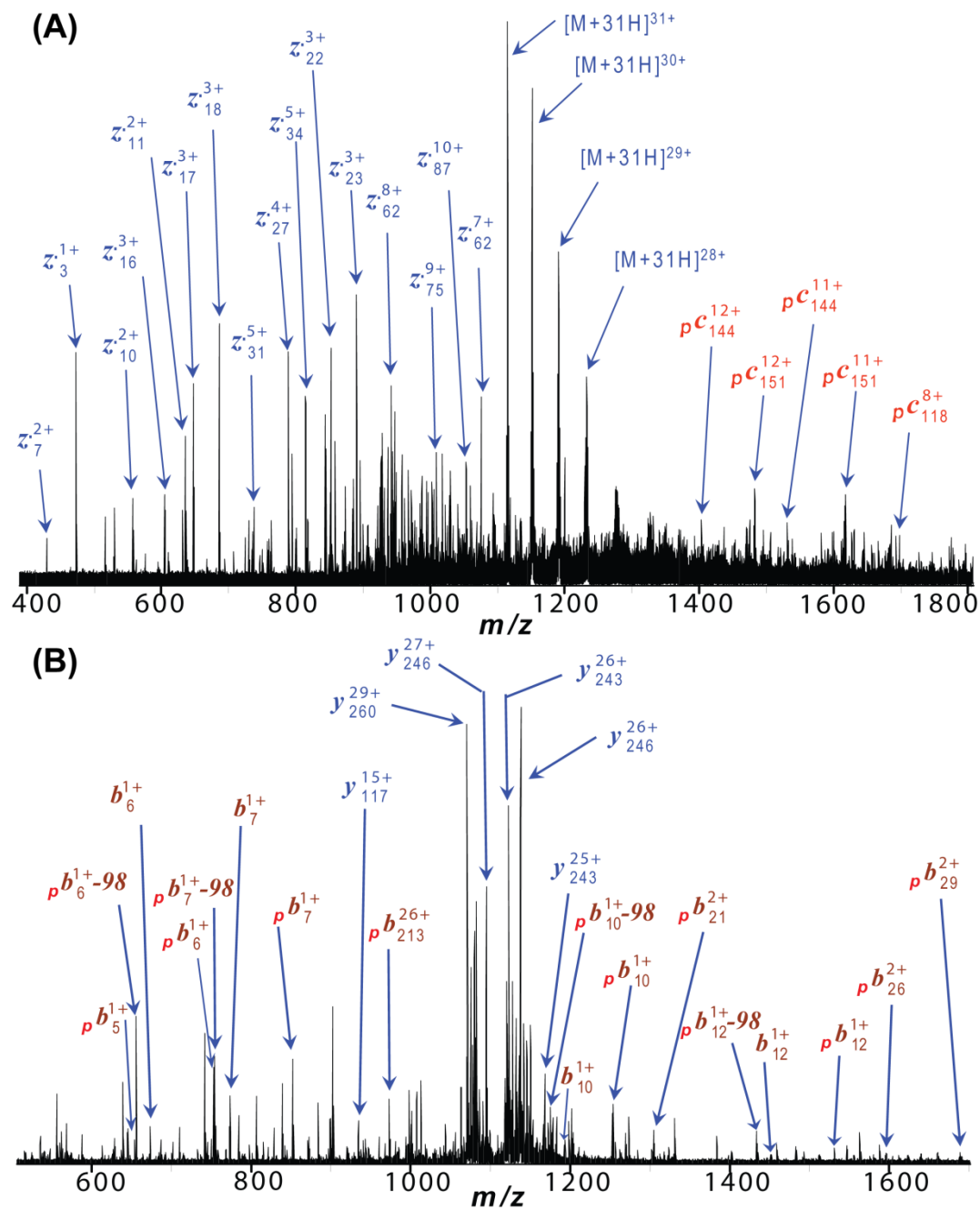


Figure S3. Representative MS/MS spectra of phosphorylated mcTnT for determination of phosphorylation site in mouse heart samples. (A) ECD spectrum of mouse pc TnT; No neutral loss of phosphate moiety is detected. (B) CAD spectrum of mouse pc TnT. Subscript p stands for product ions carrying phosphorylation. Neutral loss of phosphate moiety is evident. -98 indicates the loss of H_3PO_4 (-98 Da). Note that the masses of b ions (e.g. b_6) equal to those with the loss of HPO_3 (-80 Da) from their phosphorylated counterparts (e.g. pb_6).

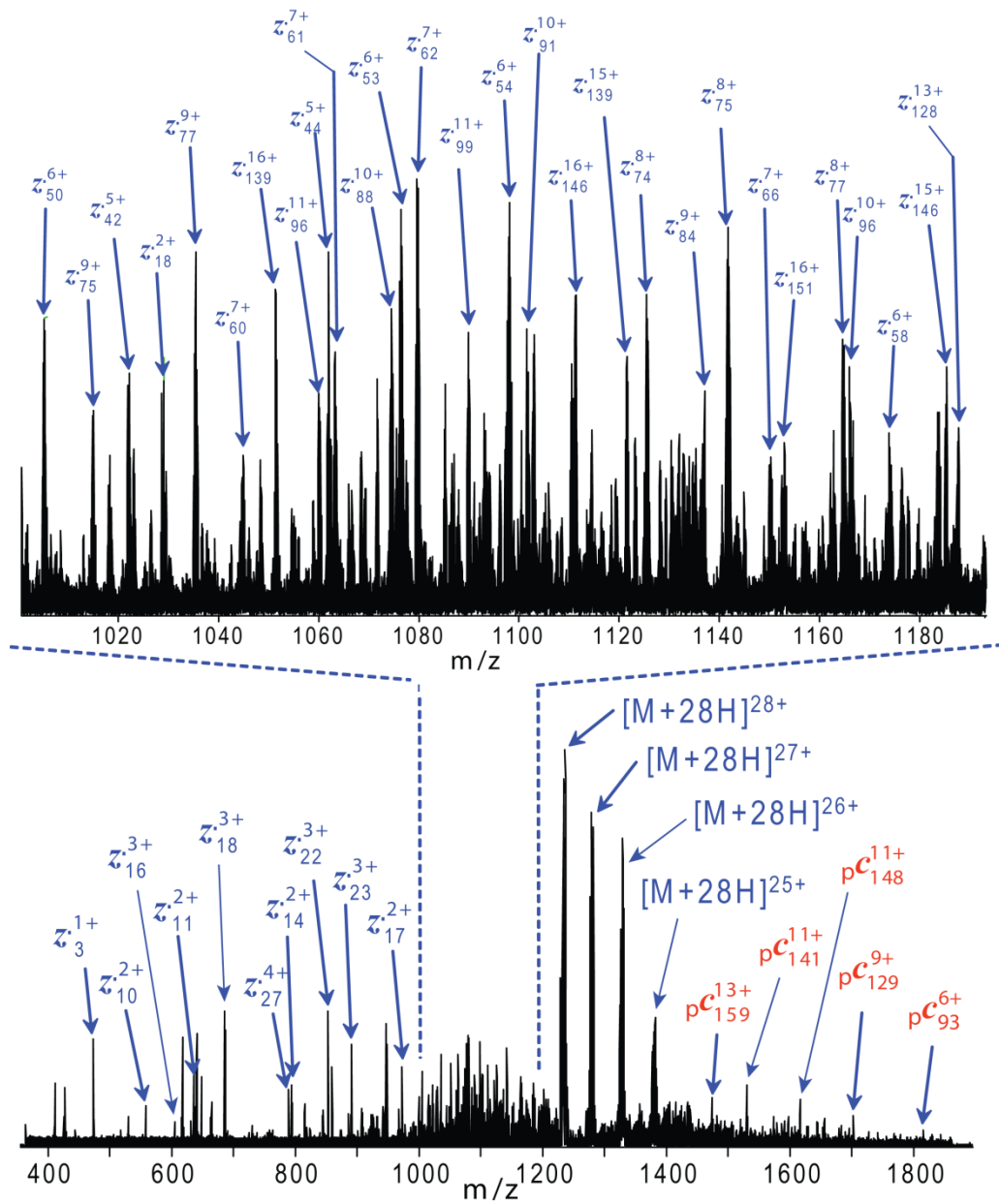


Figure S4. Representative ECD spectra of $p,hcTnT$ for determination of phosphorylation site in $cTnT$ purified from normal human heart samples. No neutral loss of phosphate moiety is detected.

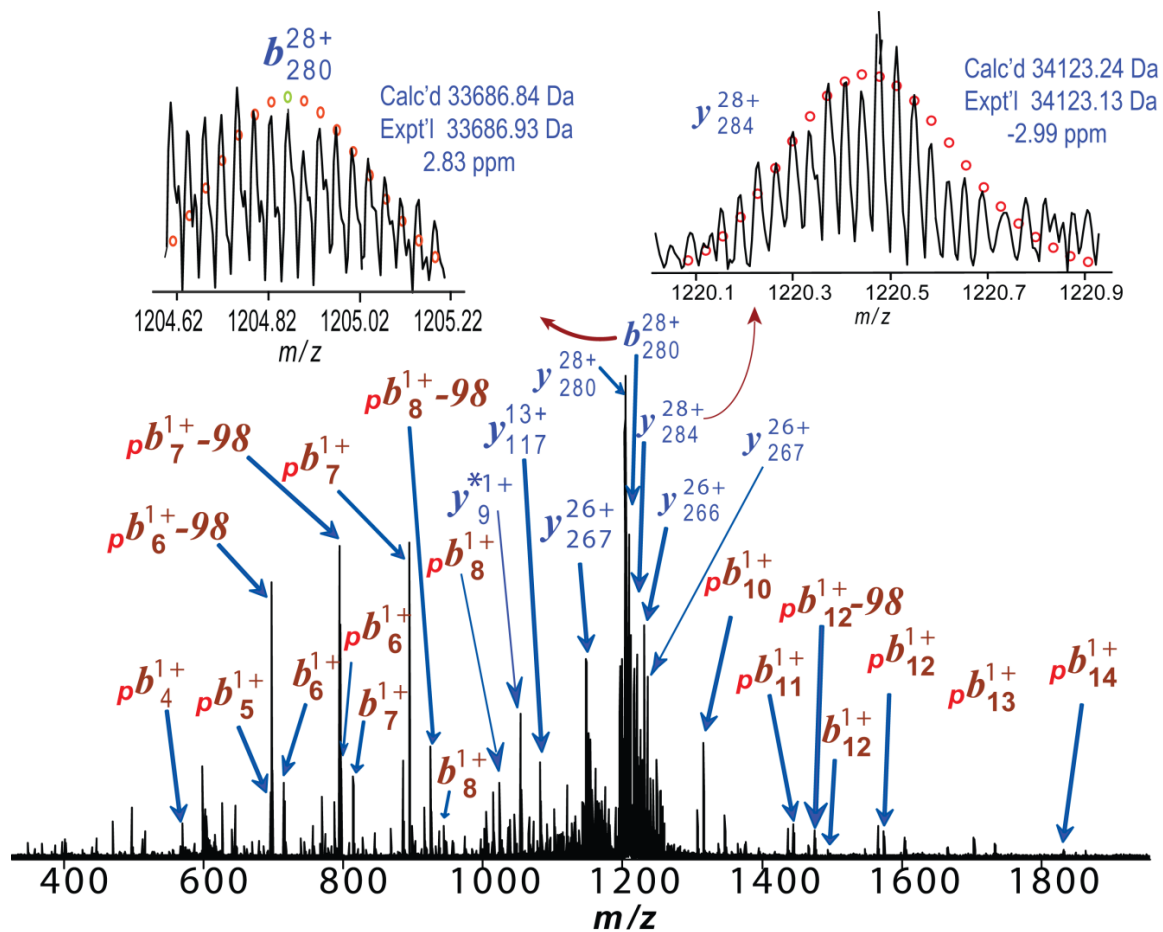


Figure S5. Representative CAD spectra of $p_{hc}TnT$ for determination of phosphorylation site in $cTnT$ purified from normal human heart samples. Neutral loss of phosphate moiety is evident. -98 indicates the loss of H_3PO_4 (-98 Da). Note that the masses of b ions (e.g. b_6) equal to those with the loss of HPO_3 (-80 Da) from their phosphorylated counterparts (e.g. p_b_6).