Upregulation of Human Prostaglandin Reductase 1 (PTGR1) Improves Efficacy of Hydroxymethylacylfulvene, an Anti-tumor Chemotherapeutic Agent

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Supplemental Figure 1. Primary sequence comparison of rPTGR1 and hPTGR1. The identical amino acids (83%) are represented in blue and categorically similar substitutions are denoted as "+". The conserved NADPH binding motif is marked green.

Supplemental Figure 2. Expression and purification of recombinant FLAG-tagged hPTGR1. hPTGR1 was PCR cloned and ligated to pFLAG plasmid. The expression was performed in HEK293 cells and PTGR1 was affinity-purified from whole cell lysate. Lane 1-4 on the left panel indicates the input, pre-and post-incubation with FLAG antibody resin and first wash, respectively. Elution fraction 1 and 2 were immunoblotted against PTGR1 and FLAG antibody, respectively. Coomassie staining demonstrates that purity of the recombinant PTGR1 is high.

Supplemental Figure 3 Immunoblots of hPTGR1 in HCT15 transfected with pCep4-GFP or pCep4-hPTGR1 (a); SW620 and HepG2 cells treated with 20 µM D3T (b).

Supplemental Figure 4 Immunoblots of hPTGR1 in HepG2 and SW620 cells treated with 20 μ M D3T, 10, 20 μ M curcumin or 15, 40 μ M resveratrol.

| human: | 1 MVRTKTWTLKKHFVGYPTNSDFELKTSELPPLKNGEVLLEALFLTVDPYMRVAAKRLKEG MV+ KTWTLKKHF G+PT+S+ FEL+T+ELPPL NGEVLLEALFL+VDPYMRVAAK+LKEG |
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| rat: | 1 MVQAKTWTLKKHFEGFPTDSNFELRTTELPPLNNGEVLLEALFLSVDPYMRVAAKKLKEG |
| human: | 61 DTMMGQQVAKVVESKNVALPKGTIVLASPGWTTHSISDGKDLEKLLTEWPDT I PLSLALG D +MMG+QVA +VVESKN A P GTIV+A GWT+HSISDG L KL EWPD +PLSLALG |
| rat: | 61 DSMMGEQVARVVESKNSAFPTGTIVVALLGWTSHSISDGNGLRKLPAEWPDKLPLSLALG |
| human: | 121 TVGMPGLTAYFGLLEICGVKGGETVMVNAAAGAVGSVVGQIAKLKGCKVVGAVGSDEKVA TVGMPGLTAYFGLL+ICG+KGGETV VNAAAGAVGSVVGQIAKLKGCKVVG GSDEKVA |
| rat: | 121 TVGMPGLTAYFGLLDICGLKGGETV LVNAAAGAVGSVVGQIAKLKGCKVVGTAGSDEKVA |
| human: | 181 YLQKLGFDVVFNYKTVESLEETLKKASPDGYDCYFDNVGGEFSNTVIGQMKKFGRIAICG YL+KLGFDV FNYKTV+SLEE L+ ASPDGYDCYFDNVGGEFSNTVI QMK FGRIAICG |
| rat: | 181 YLKKLGFDVAFNYKTVKSLEEALRTASPDGYDCYFDNVGGEFSNTVILQMKTFGRIAICG |
| human: | 241 AISTYNRTGPLPPGPPPE I VIYQELRMEAFVVYRWQGDARQKALKDLLKWV LEGKIQYKE AIS YNRTGP PPGP PE + +IYQ+LRME F+V RWQG+ RQKAL DL+ WV EGKI +Y E |
| rat: | 241 AISQYNRTGPCPPGPSPEVI IYQQLRMEGFIVTRWQGEVRQKA LTDLMNWVSEGKIRYHE |
| human: | 301 YIIEGFENMPAAFMGMLKGDNLGKTIVKA 329 YI EGFE MPAAFMGMLKGDNLGKTIVKA |
| rat: | 301 YITEGFEKMPAAFMGMLKGDNLGKTIVKA 329 |





