

**Table S5. Stochastic model parameter values**

	Value	Unit	Parameter Description	Reference
Protein synthesis and degradation				
c1,a	0.1	s <sup>-1</sup>	I $\kappa$ B $\alpha$ inducible mRNA synthesis	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
<b>c1e</b>	0.07	s <sup>-1</sup>	I $\kappa$ B $\epsilon$ inducible mRNA synthesis	Fitted
c2,a,e	0.5	s <sup>-1</sup>	Protein translation	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
c3,a,e	0.00048	s <sup>-1</sup>	mRNA degradation	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
c4a,e	0.0001	s <sup>-1</sup>	Free I $\kappa$ B $\alpha$ degradation	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
c4	0.0045	s <sup>-1</sup>	A20 degradation	(Werner <i>et al</i> , 2008)
Complex parameters				
c5a,e	0.00001	s <sup>-1</sup>	Degradation of complexed I $\kappa$ B	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
<b>ka1a,e</b>	3.33 <sup>-7</sup>	s <sup>-1</sup>	NF- $\kappa$ B-I $\kappa$ B association	Fitted
kd1a,e	5·10 <sup>-4</sup>	s <sup>-1</sup>	I $\kappa$ B_NF- $\kappa$ B dissociation	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
kc1a,e	5·10 <sup>-7</sup>	s <sup>-1</sup>	IKKa phosphorylation of free I $\kappa$ B	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
kc2a,e	2·10 <sup>-6</sup>	s <sup>-1</sup>	IKKa phosphorylation of I $\kappa$ B_NF- $\kappa$ B	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
kt1a,e	0.1	s <sup>-1</sup>	Degradation of free pI $\kappa$ B	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
kt2a,e	0.1	s <sup>-1</sup>	Degradation of complexed pI $\kappa$ B	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
ke2a,e	0.05	s <sup>-1</sup>	I $\kappa$ B_NF- $\kappa$ B nuclear export	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
<b>ki3a,e</b>	0.0005	s <sup>-1</sup>	I $\kappa$ B nuclear import	Fitted
<b>ke3a,e</b>	0.00125	s <sup>-1</sup>	I $\kappa$ B nuclear export	Fitted
IKKK and IKK activation				
kr	0.025	s <sup>-1</sup>	IKKKn activation by TNF $\alpha$	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
kri	0.0003	s <sup>-1</sup>	IKKKa $\rightarrow$ IKKKn	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
kp	1.75·10 <sup>-4</sup>	s <sup>-1</sup>	IKKii $\rightarrow$ IKKn	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
ka	7·10 <sup>-7</sup>	s <sup>-1</sup>	IKKn $\rightarrow$ IKKa	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
ki	0.005	s <sup>-1</sup>	IKKa $\rightarrow$ IKKi	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
kii	0.0015	s <sup>-1</sup>	IKKi $\rightarrow$ IKKii	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
kaA20	3·10 <sup>-7</sup>	s <sup>-1</sup>	IKKKn inactivation by A20	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
kbA20	6·10 <sup>3</sup>	s <sup>-1</sup>	A20 inhibition of IKKii $\rightarrow$ IKKn	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
Other parameters				
ki1	0.005	s <sup>-1</sup>	NF- $\kappa$ B nuclear import	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
<b>q1</b>	1.5·10 <sup>-4</sup>	s <sup>-1</sup>	nfkb DNA binding	(Bosisio <i>et al</i> , 2006)
<b>q2a,e</b>	10 <sup>-3</sup>	s <sup>-1</sup>	I $\kappa$ B-mediated NF- $\kappa$ B dissociation from DNA	(Bosisio <i>et al</i> , 2006)
-	60,000		Total NF- $\kappa$ B	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
K <sub>NN</sub>	10,000		Total level of IKKK	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
K <sub>N</sub>	200,000		Total level of IKK	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
-	60,000		Total NF- $\kappa$ B	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
T <sub>D</sub>	45	min	Delay in I $\kappa$ B $\epsilon$ transcription	Fitted
tv	2·10 <sup>-12</sup>	<i>l</i>	Total cell volume	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
kv	5		Cytoplasm:Nucleus ratio	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)
TR	1		TNF $\alpha$ input (10ng/ml)	(Paszek <i>et al</i> , 2010)