

Supplemental Information

Timing of Transcriptional Quiescence during Gametogenesis Is Controlled

by Global Histone H3K4 Demethylation

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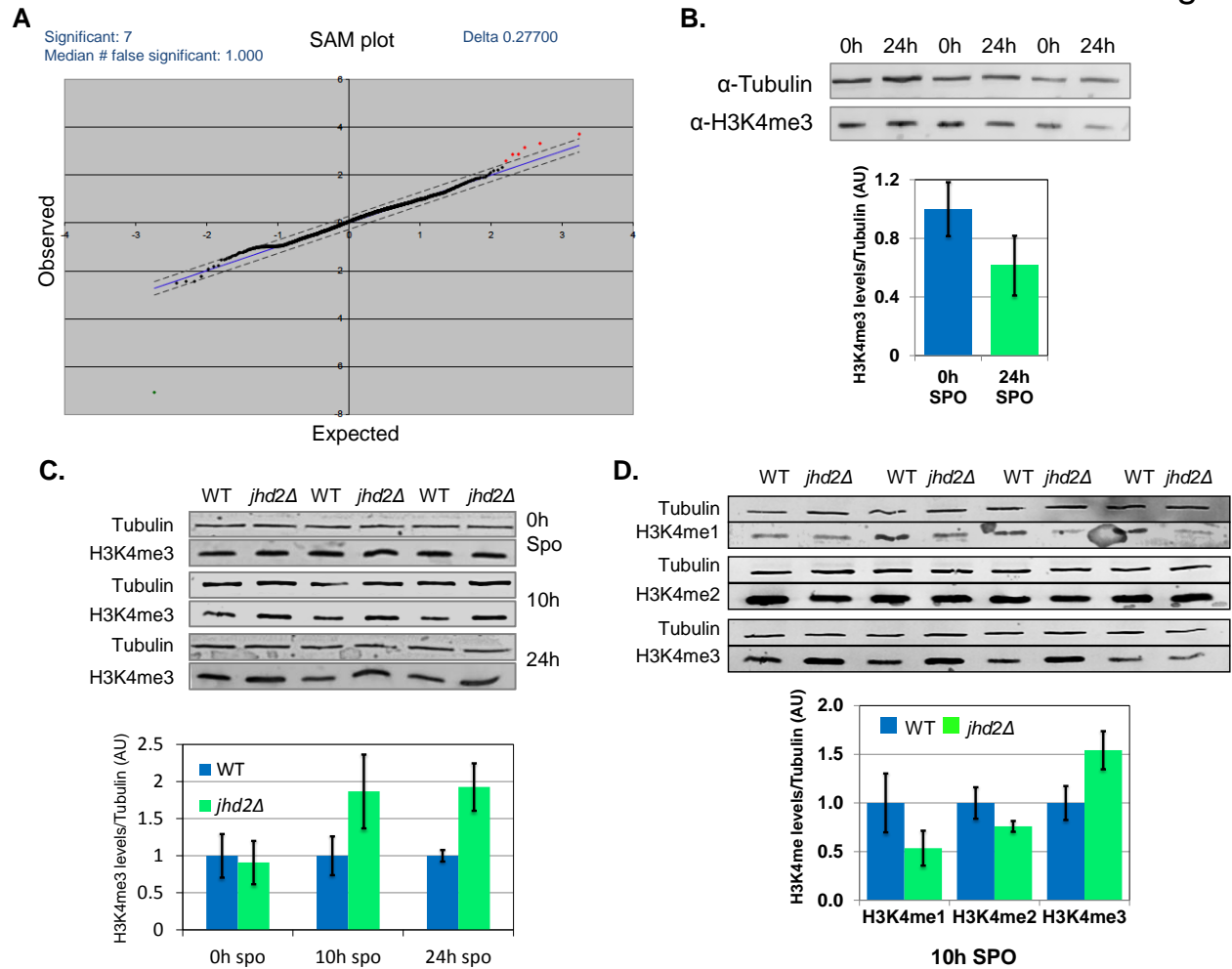


Figure S1. *JHD2*-mediated control of H3K4me in vegetative and sporulating cells.

(A) Significance Analysis of Microarrays (SAM) was used to identify misregulated genes in *jhd2Δ* compared with a WT isogenic strain. Red and green dots represent significantly UP and DOWN regulated genes, respectively. The only green dot is the *JHD2* transcript, which is absent from the *jhd2Δ* strain. The false discovery rate cutoff was set to 10%. See also Table S1. **(B)** Western blot quantification of H3K4 me3 levels in WT cultures at 0h and 24h of sporulation from three independent sporulation cultures. In the graph, H3K4 me3 signals were normalized to tubulin, and then to the average

signal at 0h of sporulation. Error bars represent one standard deviation from three biological replicates. **(C)** Western blot quantifications of bulk H3K4 me3 levels in WT and *jhd2Δ* cultures at 0h, 10h, and 24h of sporulation. In the graph, H3K4 me3 signals were normalized to tubulin and *jhd2Δ* signals are normalized to WT signal at each timepoint. Error bars represent one standard deviation from three biological replicates. **(D)** Western blot quantifications of bulk H3K4 me1, me2, and me3 levels in WT and *jhd2Δ* cultures at 10h of sporulation. Data was graphed as in **(C)**. Error bars represent one standard deviation from four biological replicates.

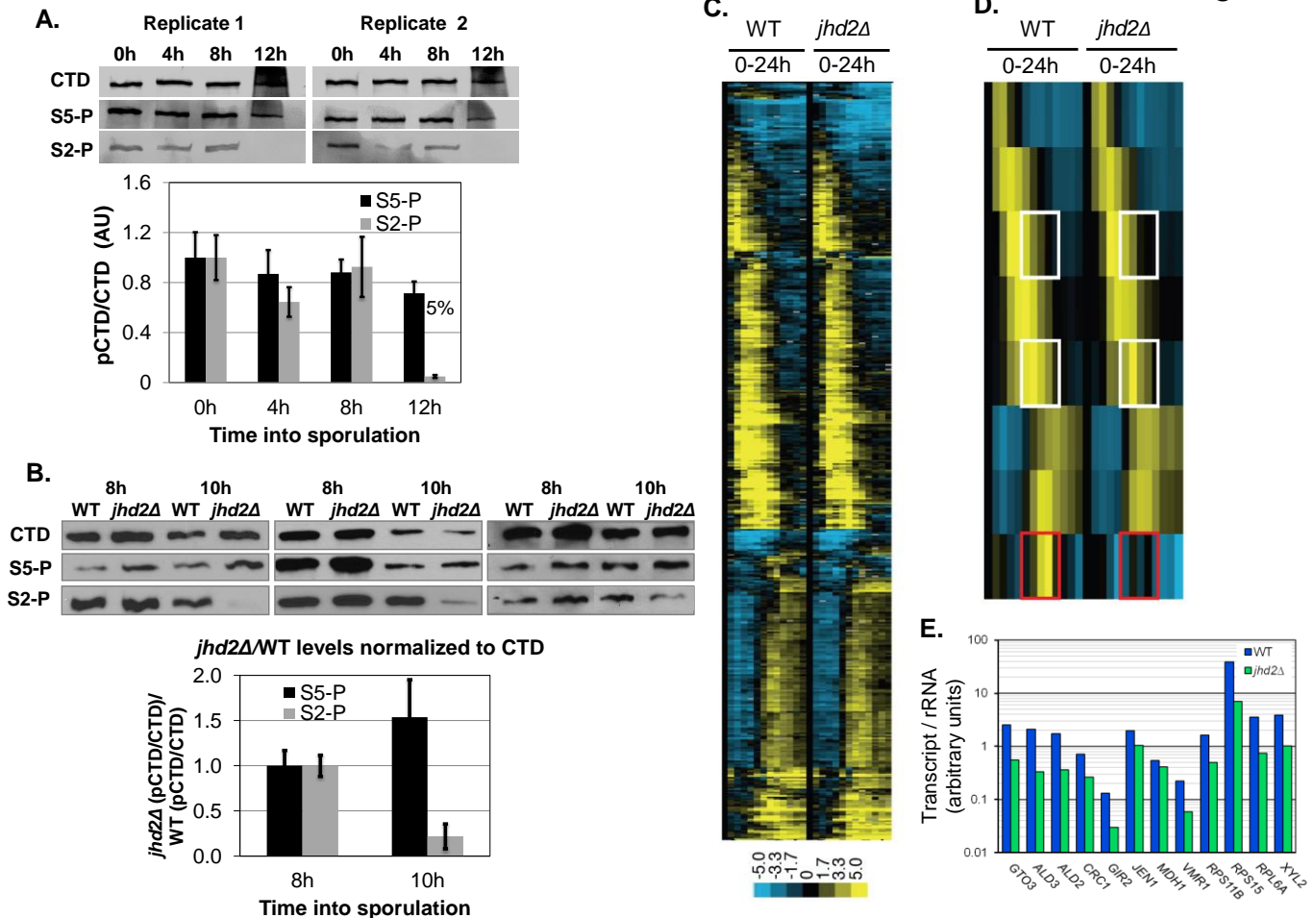


Figure S2. *JHD2* promotes global transcription in opposition to programmed quiescence during sporulation. (A) Quantitative western blots of bulk RNA pol II CTD (CTD), CTD heptad repeat Serine 2 phosphorylated Pol II (S2-P), and Serine 5 phosphorylated Pol II (S5-P) levels in WT cultures collected at 0h, 8h, 10h, and 12h of sporulation. Two biological replicates are shown. The bar graph is plotted as described in **Figure 2(C)**. Error bars represent one standard deviation. (B) Quantitative western blots as described in (A), performed on WT and *jhd2Δ* cultures at 8h and 10h of sporulation, in three biological replicates. The bar graph is plotted as described before.

(C) Sporulation microarray data were filtered and hierarchically clustered. Data are depicted as a heat map. (D) The same data shown in (C) was analyzed using Self Organizing Maps. The red boxes highlight a gene cluster that is specifically induced in WT, but not in *jhd2Δ*, at 10-18 hours. White boxes highlight classes of genes that are induced normally in *jhd2Δ* during mid-late meiosis but show reduced transcript abundance during the 10-18 hour window of spore differentiation. (E) RT-qPCR was used to measure transcript abundance of the indicated genes at 10h of sporulation.

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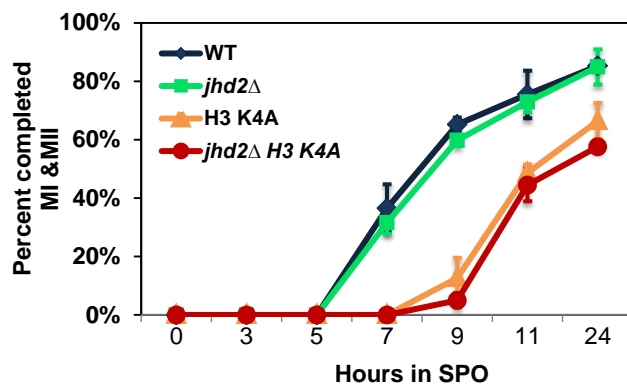


Figure S3. Meiotic progression of cultures of the genotypes indicated was quantified as percent of cells that have completed meiosis I or meiosis I and II. Error bars indicate one standard deviation from three biological replicates.

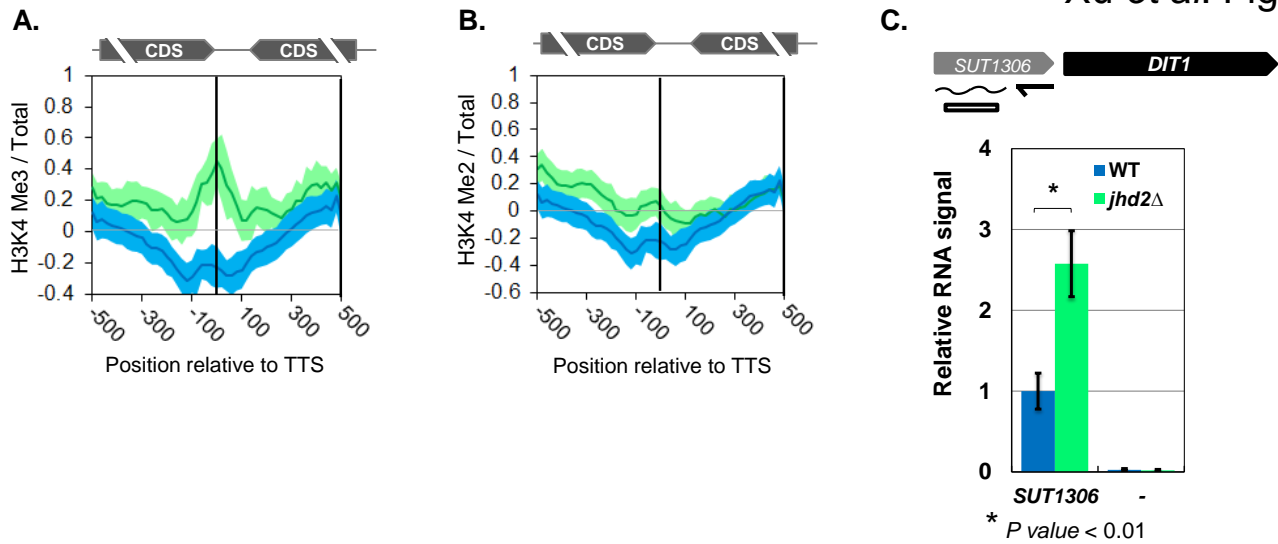


Figure S4. Accumulation of H3K4me signal at 3' ends of genes in *jhd2Δ* cells is not due to H3K4me deposition from downstream coding gene transcription. ChIP chip was performed as described in **Figure 4 (A) & (B)**. Shown are TTS-centered average profiles of H3K4 me3 **(A)** and me2 **(B)** ChIP signal from genes that have converging 3' ends (54 genes). Error-“clouds” represents one standard error. **(C)** RT q-PCR was performed with transcript-specific primers to measure levels of *SUT1306* RNA and *DIT1* mRNA in WT and *jhd2Δ* cells at 10h of sporulation. RNA signals were normalized to *RDN25-1* rRNA, and shown as relative abundance compared to WT *SUT1306* transcript levels. Negative control reaction “no RT” was identical to RT, except no reverse transcriptase enzyme was used. Error bars represent one standard deviation of technical replicates. * $P < 0.01$.

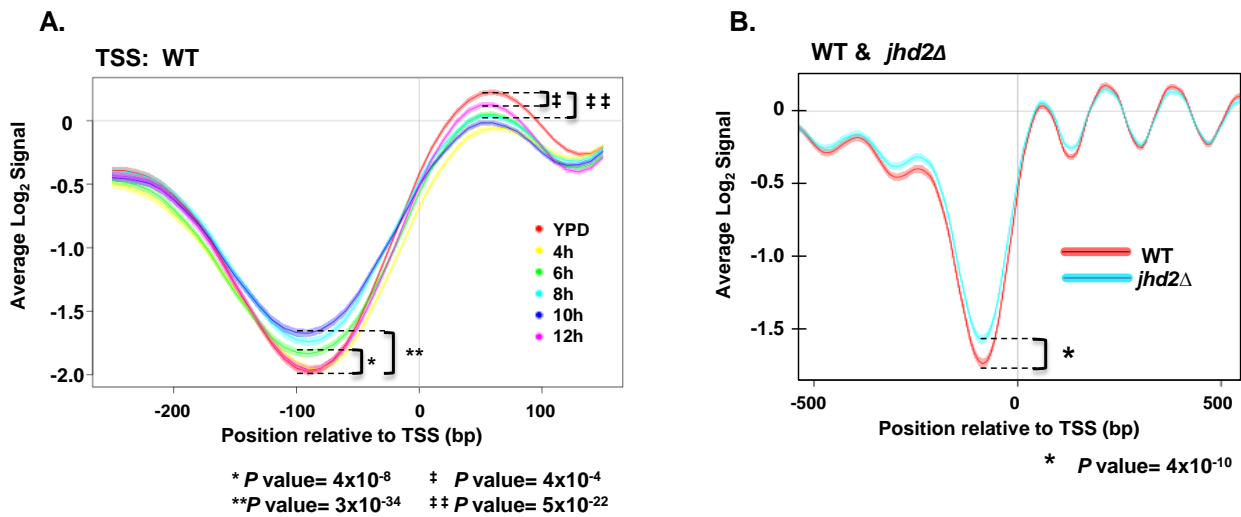


Figure S5. Global mean NDR and +1 nucleosome occupancy signals change significantly over the course of sporulation. Global average signals from 5147 genes are shown with 95% confidence intervals ($\pm 97.5\%$) (represented by colored clouds). *P* values from two-component t-tests are shown. **(A)** During sporulation in WT cells, global mean nucleosome occupancy at the 5' NDR and +1 nucleosome becomes significantly different from the basal state observed in YPD. **(B)** TSS-proximal NDR occupancy is significantly increased in *jhd2Δ* cells at 8h into sporulation.

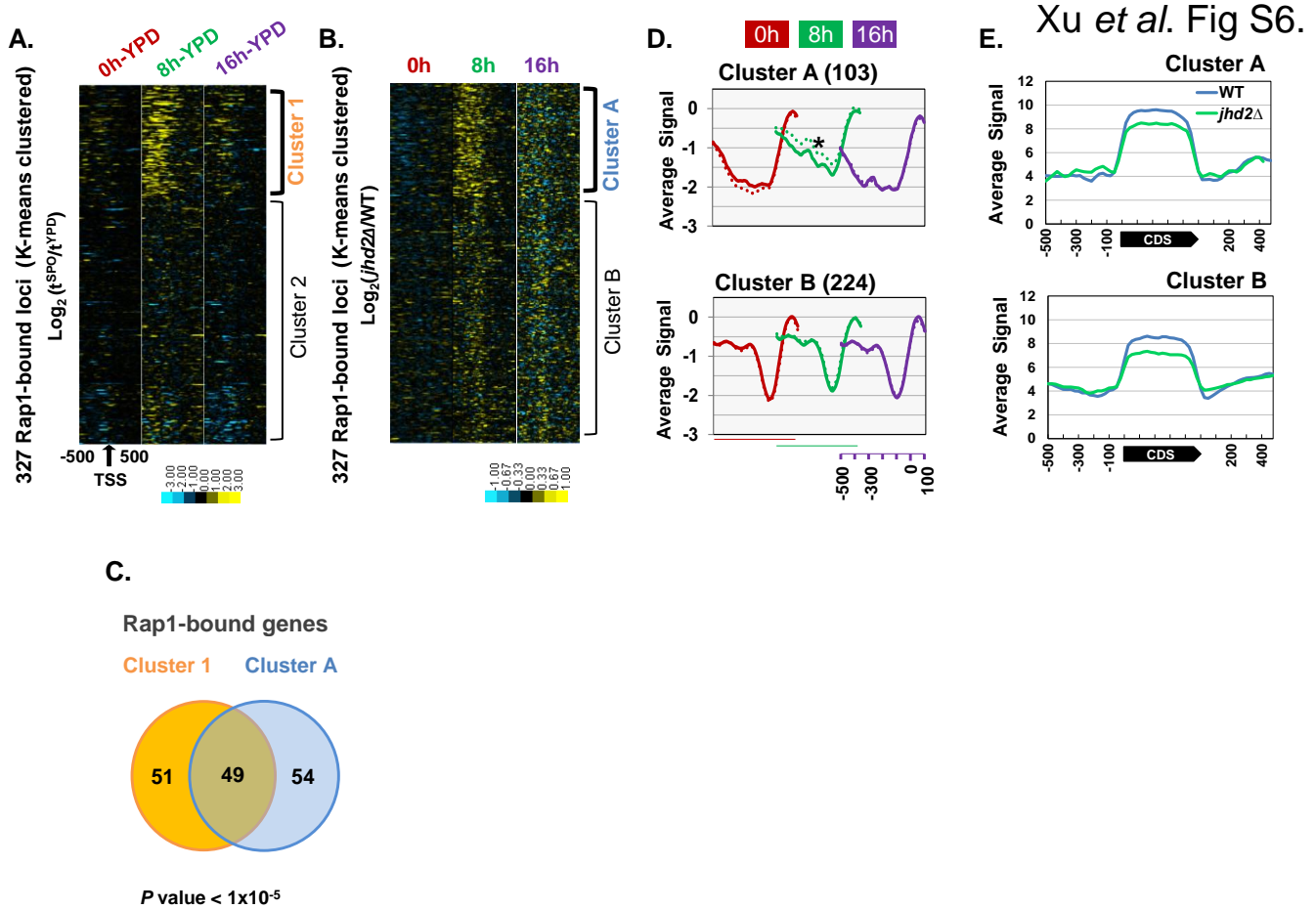


Figure S6. *JHD2* opposes Transcriptional Interference that Targets Rap1-bound genes and TSS-associated nucleosome accumulation in post-meiotic cells. (A) $\text{Log}_2(t^{\text{SPO}}/t^{\text{YPD}})$ signal of 326 Rap1-bound genes (Rhee & Pugh 2011) (RP genes were excluded) was K-means clustered into two groups (Cluster 1 and Cluster2) using a Euclidian distance matrix. **(B)** $\text{Log}_2(jhd2\Delta/\text{WT})$ signal of the same genes as in **(A)** were independently K-means clustered into two groups (Cluster A and Cluster B). **(C)** There is significant overlap of genes in Cluster 1 and Cluster A. P -value from the hypergeometric distribution test is shown. **(D)** Shown are the average nucleosome occupancy signals of the genes in Cluster A and Cluster B, respectively. Timepoints in

sporulation are represented by color as shown in the color-key. For clarity, data from different sporulation timepoints are shown offset from each other, with the x-axes for each timepoint shown underneath. * *P value* <0.05. **(E)** The average normalized Affymetrix RNA transcript signals at 20h of sporulation for clusters in **(D)** are shown. Signal associated with coding region are scaled into 20 bins. An additional 500bp of flanking signals are shown on each side of the CDS.

Table S1. Expression microarray data for vegetative WT and *jhd2* Δ cells

See accompanying Excel file

Contains the log₂ normalized *jhd2* Δ /WT ratio transcript signal for each gene.

Table S2. Sporulation timecourse expression microarray data for WT and *jhd2* Δ

See accompanying Excel file

Contains the log₂ normalized transcript signal for WT and *jhd2* Δ cells at 0, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, and 24h into the sporulation program.

Table S3. Tiling resolution H3K4me CHIP chip data

See accompanying Excel file

Contains tiling resolution H3K4 3Me, and 2Me CHIP signal from Chromosome III, for WT and *jhd2* Δ cells at 10h of the sporulation program.

Supplemental Experimental Procedures: Yeast Strains

| Strain | Background | Genotype |
|---------|------------|--|
| MMY718 | SK1 | <i>MA Ta/α his3/his3 leu2/leu2 ura3/ura3 trp1/trp1</i> |
| MMY1879 | SK1 | <i>MA Ta/α his3/his3 leu2/leu2 ura3/ura3 trp1/trp1 jhd2Δ::Nat/jhd2Δ::Nat</i> |
| MMY1622 | SK1 | <i>MA Ta/α his3/his3 leu2/leu2 ura3/ura3 trp1/trp1 JHD2(H427A)/JHD2(H427A)</i> |
| MMY1657 | SK1 | <i>MA Ta/α his3/his3 leu2/leu2 ura3/ura3 trp1/trp1 JHD2(H427A)/JHD2(H427A) SPS2-GFP::Hyg/SPS2-GFP::Hyg</i> |
| MMY1662 | SK1 | <i>MA Ta/α his3/his3 leu2/leu2 ura3/ura3 trp1/trp1 SPS2-GFP::Kan/SPS2-GFP::Kan</i> |
| MMY1898 | SK1 | <i>MA Ta/α his3/his3 leu2/leu2 ura3/ura3 trp1/trp1 HTA2-GFP::Kan/ HTA2</i> |
| MMY1996 | SK1 | <i>MA Ta/α his3/his3 leu2/leu2 ura3/ura3 trp1/trp1 jhd2Δ::Nat/jhd2Δ::Nat HTA2-mCherry::Hyg/ HTA2</i> |
| MMY1995 | SK1 | <i>MA Ta/α his3/his3 leu2/leu2 ura3/ura3 trp1/trp1 HTA2-mCherry::Hyg/HTA2</i> |
| MMY3032 | SK1 | <i>MA Ta/α his3/his3 leu2/leu2 ura3/ura3 trp1/trp1 jhd2Δ::Nat/jhd2Δ::Nat HTA2-GFP::Kan/ HTA2</i> |
| MMY2773 | SK1 | <i>MA Ta/α ura3/ura3 trp1/trp1 hht1-hhf1::KAN/hht1-hhf1::KAN hht2-hhf2::KAN/hht2-hhf2::KAN Plasmid HHT2-HHF2 CEN ARS TRP1 HTA2-GFP::KAN/HTA2</i> |
| MMY2777 | SK1 | <i>MA Ta/α ura3/ura3 trp1/trp1 jhd2Δ::NAT/jhd2Δ::NAT hht1-hhf1::KAN/hht1-hhf1::KAN hht2-hhf2::KAN/hht2-hhf2::KAN Plasmid HHT2-HHF2 CEN ARS TRP1 HTA2-GFP::KAN/HTA2</i> |
| MMY2781 | SK1 | <i>MA Ta/α ura3/ura3 trp1/trp1 jhd2Δ::NAT/jhd2Δ::NAT hht1-hhf1::KAN/hht1-hhf1::KAN hht2-hhf2::KAN/hht2-hhf2::KAN Plasmid HHT2-HHF2 CEN ARS TRP1 HTA2-mCherry::KAN/HTA2</i> |
| MMY2826 | SK1 | <i>MA Ta/α ura3/ura3 trp1/trp1 hht1-hhf1::KAN/hht1-hhf1::KAN hht2-hhf2::KAN/hht2-hhf2::KAN Plasmid HHT2(K4A)-HHF2 CEN ARS TRP1 HTA2-GFP::KAN/HTA2</i> |
| MMY2828 | SK1 | <i>MA Ta/α ura3/ura3 trp1/trp1 hht1-hhf1::KAN/hht1-hhf1::KAN hht2-hhf2::KAN/hht2-hhf2::KAN</i> |

MMY2829 SK1 *Plasmid HHT2(K4A)-HHF2 CEN ARS TRP1*
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MA Ta/α ura3/ura3 trp1/trp1 jhd2Δ::NAT/jhd2Δ::NAT
hht1-hhf1::KAN/hht1-hhf1::KAN hht2-hhf2::KAN/hht2-hhf2::KAN
Plasmid HHT2(K4A)-HHF2 CEN ARS TRP1
HTA2-mCherry::KAN/HTA2

Supplemental Experimental Procedures: Oligos

| Primer set | Oligo sequences |
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| <i>Q-PCR primers</i> | |
| <i>CIT2</i> | GCGAGGTTCCAACCTCAAG / GCAAGTCTAGTGAATCTTCAA |
| <i>ICL1</i> | GGACACCGTTCCAAACAAAG / GGGTATAACACATCTTCCTGCCA |
| <i>ACO1</i> | GCCTCTGCCACTGCGAAAT / TGACAGTTGTGATACCAGCCA |
| <i>DIT1</i> | TTCCTGACAAAGGCGAAGAA / ATCGTTCAATCCACAAAAGC |
| <i>PEX18</i> | AACAACGGGCTACGGACATC / ATTTTCCTCTTCTGTATGGACATCTTC |
| <i>UGO1</i> | CGATTCTTTCAATGCTGGGTA / TTTCGCCATTACTTCCCTCC |
| <i>RDN25</i> | TGCGATGGTCAGAAAGTGATG / ATTCTGCCAAGCCCGTTC |
| <i>ALD3</i> | CAAACCTGCTGAAAATACCTCT / TTCAAATACAAGAGCAGGAGACT |
| <i>MRPL32</i> | CCATTTGAATAAGTGCCCATC / TCCTTGGTATATTTGGTATCTCTTC |
| <i>GFA1</i> | GCTGGTCCTGAAATTGGTGT / TCAACTCACCTGCCAAAACA |
| <i>HXT3</i> | CGGCCATGTTTAAGCGTACT / CATAACAGTTACCAGCACCCCTTG |
| <i>GTO3</i> | ATTCAAAAGGCAGTCATCGC / TCAAGGAATCGCCAGCC |
| <i>ALD2</i> | CATCAAACCTGCTGAGAATACCT / CAGGAGACTTACCACCGCATT |
| <i>CRC1</i> | GGTGTATATCCCGCCCTTATT / CGCCTGAATGAAAGAGCCC |
| <i>VMR1</i> | GCCGAGTGCGATTTAGTGAAC / CGTTAGTCCACCATGATTTTTAG |
| <i>RPS11B</i> | GGATTCAAGACCCCAAAGACC / ACGTTGAATCTAACAGTCTTGGAG |
| <i>RPS15</i> | CTGAAGATTTTCGTCAAGTTGGC / ACTGGGGTGTAAGTAATGGAGAA |
| <i>RPL6A</i> | CTAAAGAAGACCAGAAAGGCTGC / TGGACCAGAAATCAACAAAGTG |
| <i>XYL2</i> | TGCCACCCACATCGTCA / ACAGTATCGGAAACAGCCTTG |
| <i>GIR2</i> | AAGGAAGAACAGAAGCAGGAACT / GTTGTCATTGAGGGCTACTTCTTG |
| <i>JEN1</i> | GCACATCCACGAGTTTTCTTG / AACACCAATCCCAACCCC |
| <i>MDH1</i> | TGTTGCCACCGATTTGTCTC / AGCATTGGGAGCGGATTC |
| <i>RT-primers</i> for ncRNAs and associated CDSs | |
| <i>RPS6A ncRNA</i> | TTG TCA CTT CTC TTA AGC AA |
| <i>RPS6A CDS</i> | GAG CTT GAG CGT TTC TGA CC |
| <i>RPL10 ncRNA</i> | GTCAGCATTATTGTGCTAAC |
| <i>RPL10 CDS</i> | TCCAAAGAACCCTTCTTGGACA |

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| <i>RPL11B ncRNA</i> | CCTCTCTTAACAGTATACTTC |
| <i>RPL11B CDS</i> | ACCAAGAGACGGTGTCTTCC |
| <i>RPS1B ncRNA</i> | TCACACCGGCACCACCTTGATT |
| <i>RPS1B CDS</i> | CCGGAACCTTCACCATGCAA |
| <i>Q-PCR primers</i> | for ncRNAs and associated CDSs |
| <i>RPS6A ncRNA</i> | GAAAGTTATCTCTCCTGGTAAGCG/CAATGACGAATAAGCATTAAACCAC |
| <i>RPS6A CDS</i> | CGGGTCTCAAAGACCT/ GGC AAC AAA ACA CCT TGC TTC |
| <i>RPL10 ncRNA</i> | GTCAGCATTATTGTGCTAAC/ TATAGTAGCGGTTATTTCCG |
| <i>RPL10 CDS</i> | AGAAGGCTACCGTCGATGAA/ ACCGGCACAAGACAACATCT |
| <i>RPL11B ncRNA</i> | TCTTTTGGAACCCGCTCTGC/ CTTTAATGATGAGTTATGTCC |
| <i>RPL11B CDS</i> | ACATCTCCGTTGGTGAATCTGG/ TTGGACCTCTGACGGTAACGT |
| <i>RPS1B ncRNA</i> | AAGAGCAGCATGGATGTCCG/ ACCACCTTGATTCCACACTGGA |
| <i>RPS1B CDS</i> | AGAAGAAGGTCGTTGACCCA/ ACTCTACCCTTCAAAGCATCGG |