

Supplemental Material to:

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**Expression and epigenetic regulation of angiogenesis-
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Supplemental table 1. Primers for real-time PCR

Gene	Primer sequences	Product length(bp)
ANG1	S:AGCTACCACCAACAACAGTG A:CAAAGATTGACAAGGTTGTGG	79
ANG2	S:TGCCACGGTGAATAATTCAG A:TTCTTCTTTAGCAACAGTGGG	124
ANG4	S:AACAGCGCGCTCGAGAAG A:GCTTCGCCTTCTTGCTGA	85
TSP1	S:CCTCAGGAACAAAGGCTGCTC A:GCCAATGTAGTTAGTGCGGATG	103
IGFBP3	S:AACTGTGGCCATGACTGAGGA A:CTCCCTGAGCCTGACTTTGC	100
ANGPTL2	S:CCACCCTGGACAGAGATCAT A:CTCGAACTCAGCCCAGTAG	168
RECK	S:CGCGTGGCAGTCGATTACTAT A:GCTGCCAAGAGCGAAGGA	107
SPARC	S:GCGAGCTGGATGAGAACAACAC A:GTGGCAAAGAAGTGGCAGGAAG	136
TIE1	S:GCCCAGATTGCGCTACAG A:ATCAATGCCCGCGTAAGT	96
TIE2	S:TTGAAGTGGAGAGAAGGTCTG A:GTTGACTCTAGCTCGGACCAC	128
TIMP3	S:TTCTCAGCGAGGATGGCACTT A:AAACACGGTTCAGGATGCTGG	200
EFEMP1	S:CAGCTGACCCTCAGCGCATT A:CAGTTGTGCGTCCCTGCAGT	124
SULF1	S:GGCATTTTGAATCAGCTACACGTA A:TCCCATCCATCCCATAACTGTC	152
CDH13	S:TTCAGCAGAAAGTGTTCCATAT A:GTGCATGGACGAACAGAGT	204

CDH1	S:CAAGCAGCAGTACATTCTA A:CACTTCCACTCTCTTTTC	148
β -actin	S:GAAGCTGTGCTATGTTGCTCTA A:GGAGGAAGAGGATGCGGCA	64

Supplemental table 2. Primers for bisulfite sequencing PCR

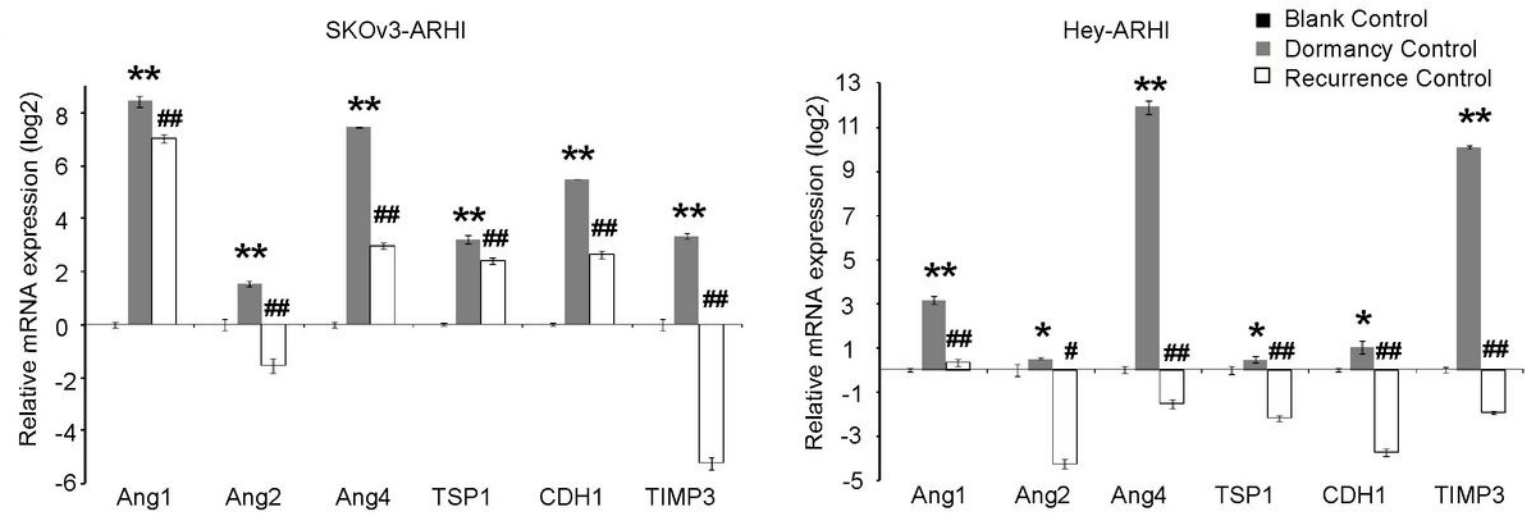
Gene	Primer sequences	Product length(bp)	Annealing temperature(°C)
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ANG2	S:TATTTTGAGTTGTGATTTTGTTTG A:TCTCCAACACTTACAACCTCTACAC	233	64
ANG4	S:TGTTATTAAGATTGAGGAAGGAGGA A:ACAACCAACAATAACCAAACTTAC C	205	61
TSP1	S:GTGGGGTTAGTTTAGGATAGG A:CAAAAAACACCAAAAAAACCATT	124	54
IGFBP3	S:GTGGGTTTTTGGGGATATAAATAGT A:AATCACTCCTAACCAACTCAACAC	278	65
ANGPTL2	S:TTTAGAGATGAGAATGAGGTTTTTA A:AACCTAACCAACTCTACTCCCTAAC	280	64
RECK	S:TTTAGTGATGAATTTTTGTTAGGGG A:AACTTCTCTCCTTCATATACCCTCA A	142	62
SPARC ²²	S:ATTTAGTTTAGAGTTTTGAGTGG A:ACAAAACCTCCCTCCCTTAC	221	56.5
TIE1	S:TGTTGTTTATAAATGGTTAAGATGG TAAA A:CTTACCTCAACCTCCCAAATAACTA	220	57.2
TIE2	S:TGGTTTTTTGGGGTTATATTGAGTA A:ACTAAAAATAACAAACCCTCCACC TATA	270	51.1
TIMP3 ²³	S:GCGGCCGCGTTAGAGATATTTAGTG GTTTAG A:CCCTCAAACCAATAACAAAAC	263	50.3

EFEMP1	S:TATTTGGATTTTATAGGAGTTGGTT AGA A:CTCTTTTTTCTTATCAATCTAAATC CC	223	59
SULF1	S:GGTTATTTGATTGGGAGTTTTTAGAT A:AACAAAACAACCTTCCTTCTCTTAA T	212	51.7
CDH13	F:TTGGAAAAGTGGAAATTAGTTGGTAT R:ACCAAAACCAATAACTTTACAAAA C	187	55
CDH1	S:GTTGTTGTTGTTGTTGTAGGTATTT A:CCACTCCATCACTAAAAAATC	197	54.9

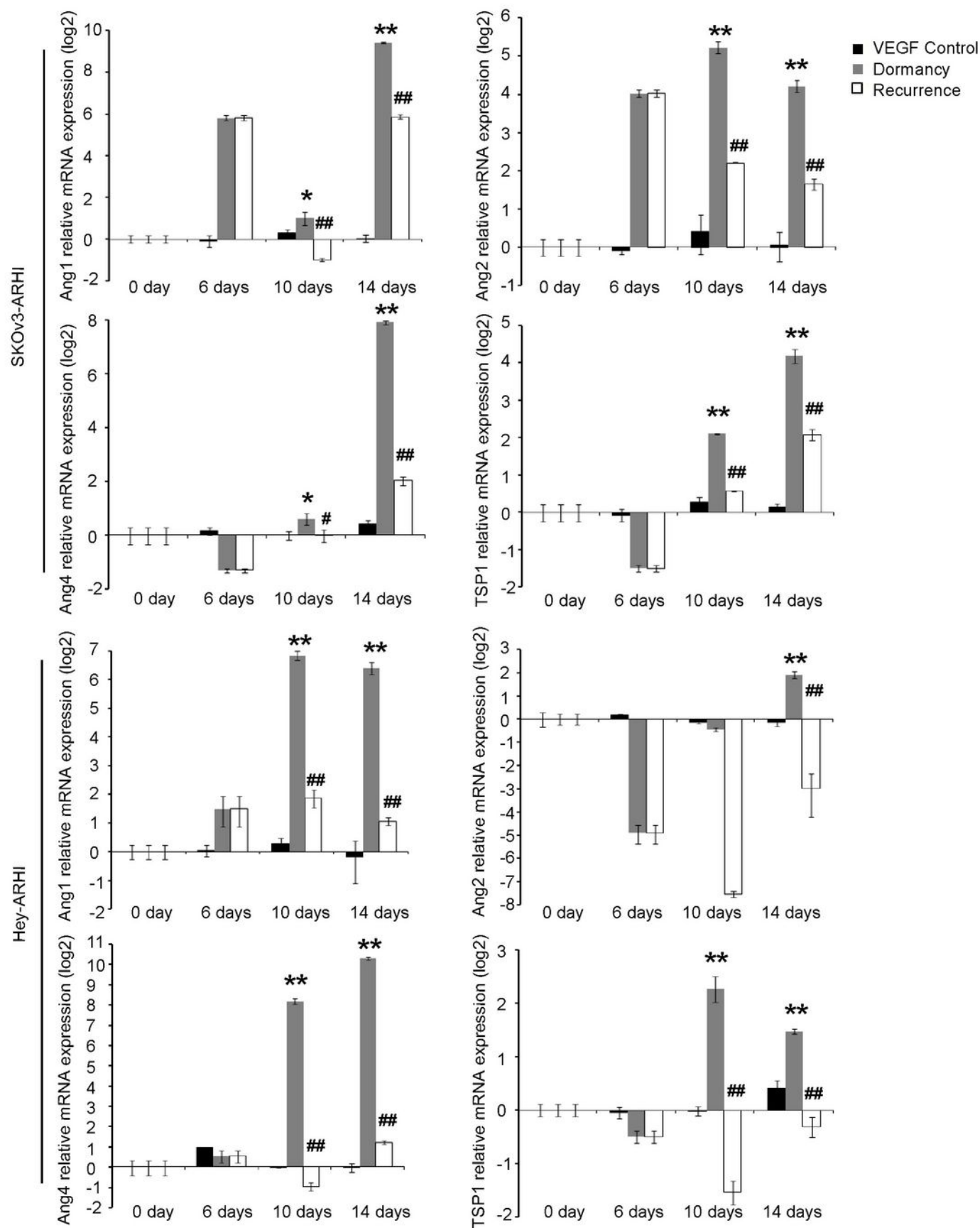
Supplemental table 3. Primers for CHIP-PCR

Gene	Primer sequences	Product length(bp)
CDH1	S: ACTCCAGGCTAGAGGGTCACC A: CCGCAAGCTCACAGGTGCTTTGC AGTTCC	219
TIMP3	S:GCAACTCCGACATCGGTAAG A:GCCCAAGGACATCGAGTTT	167

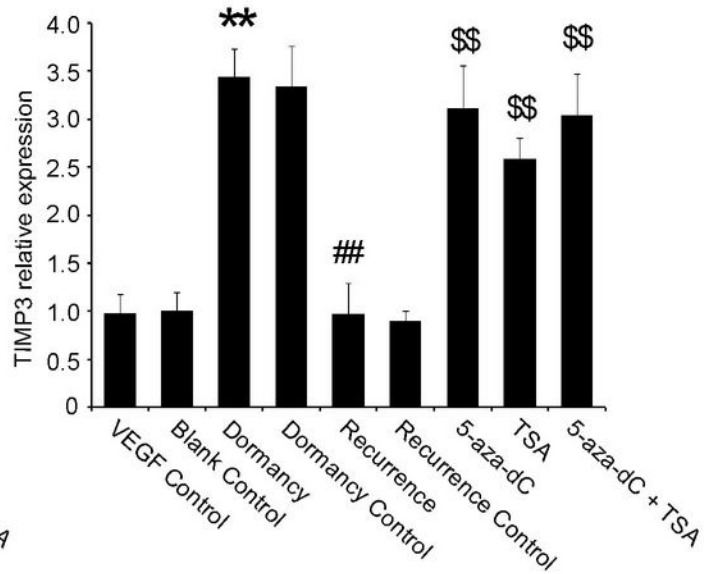
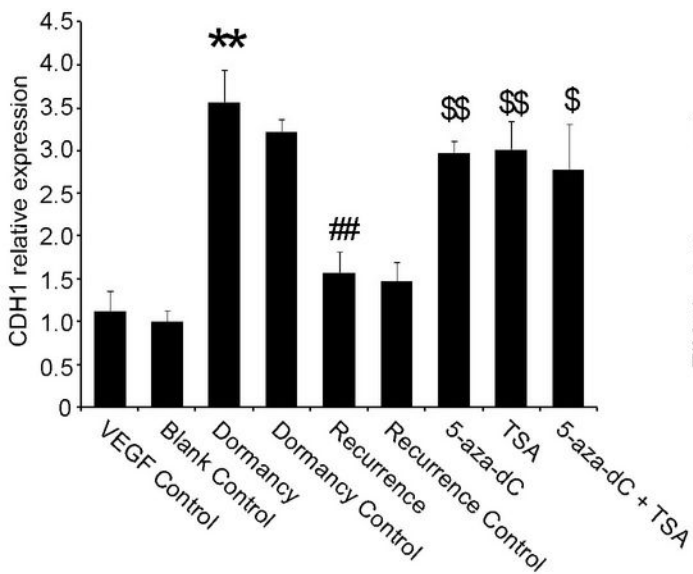
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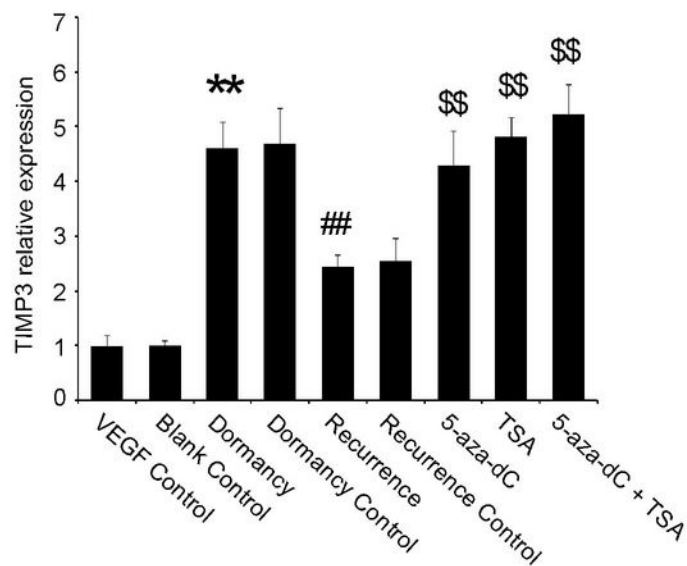
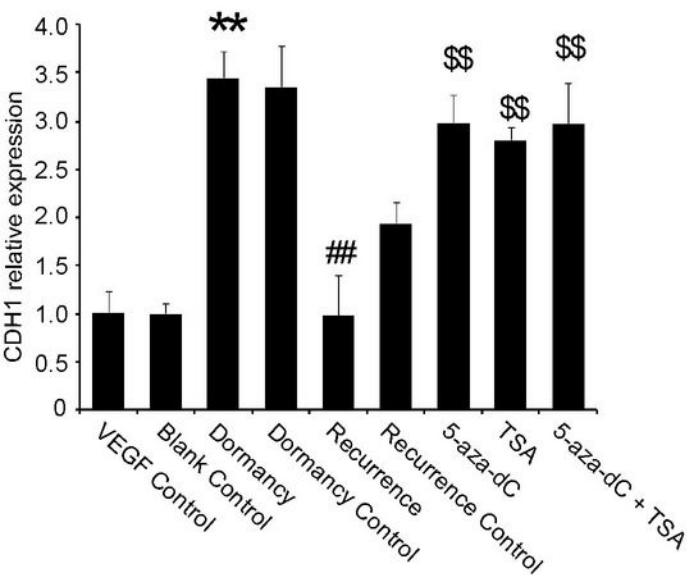
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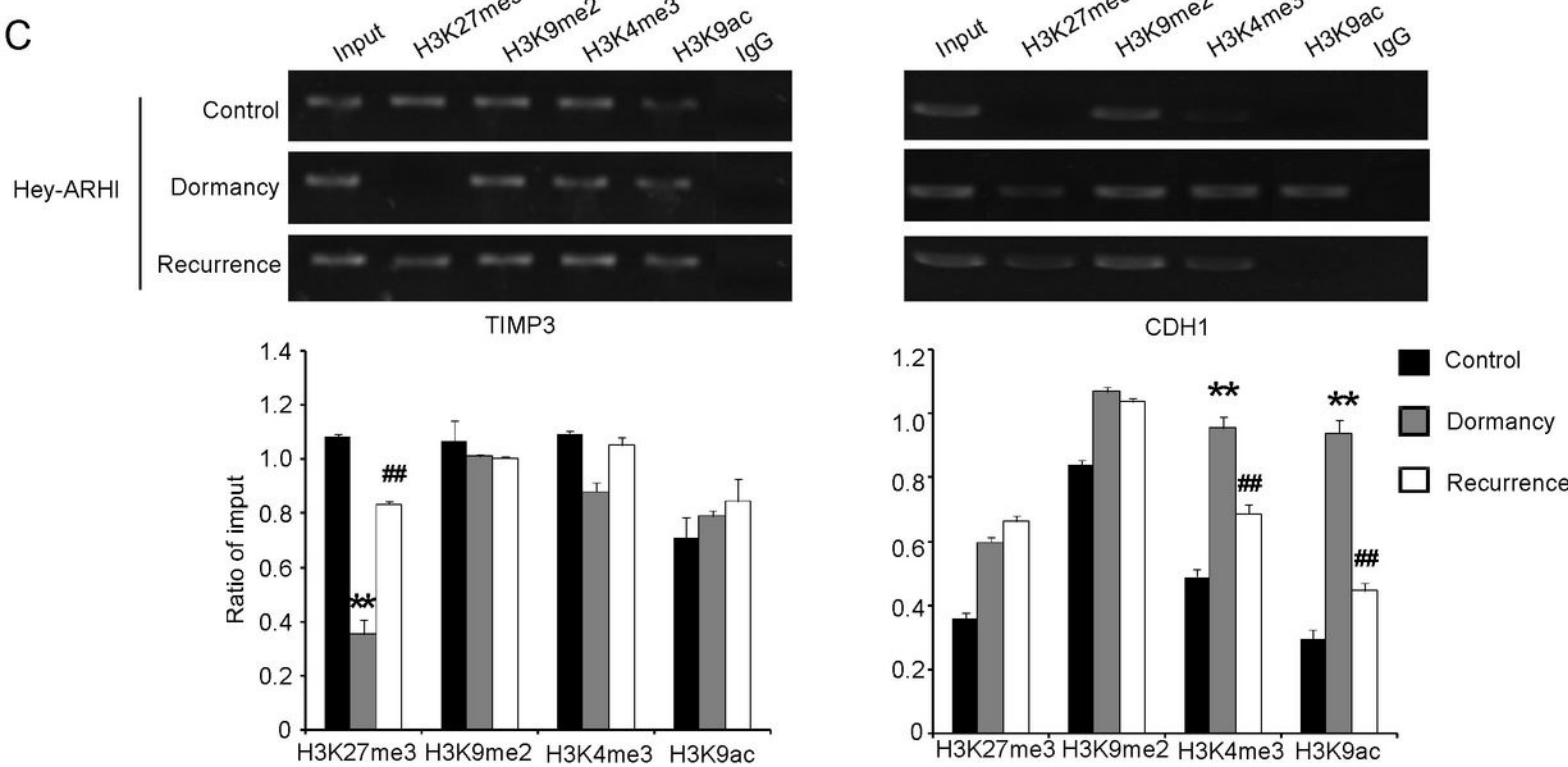
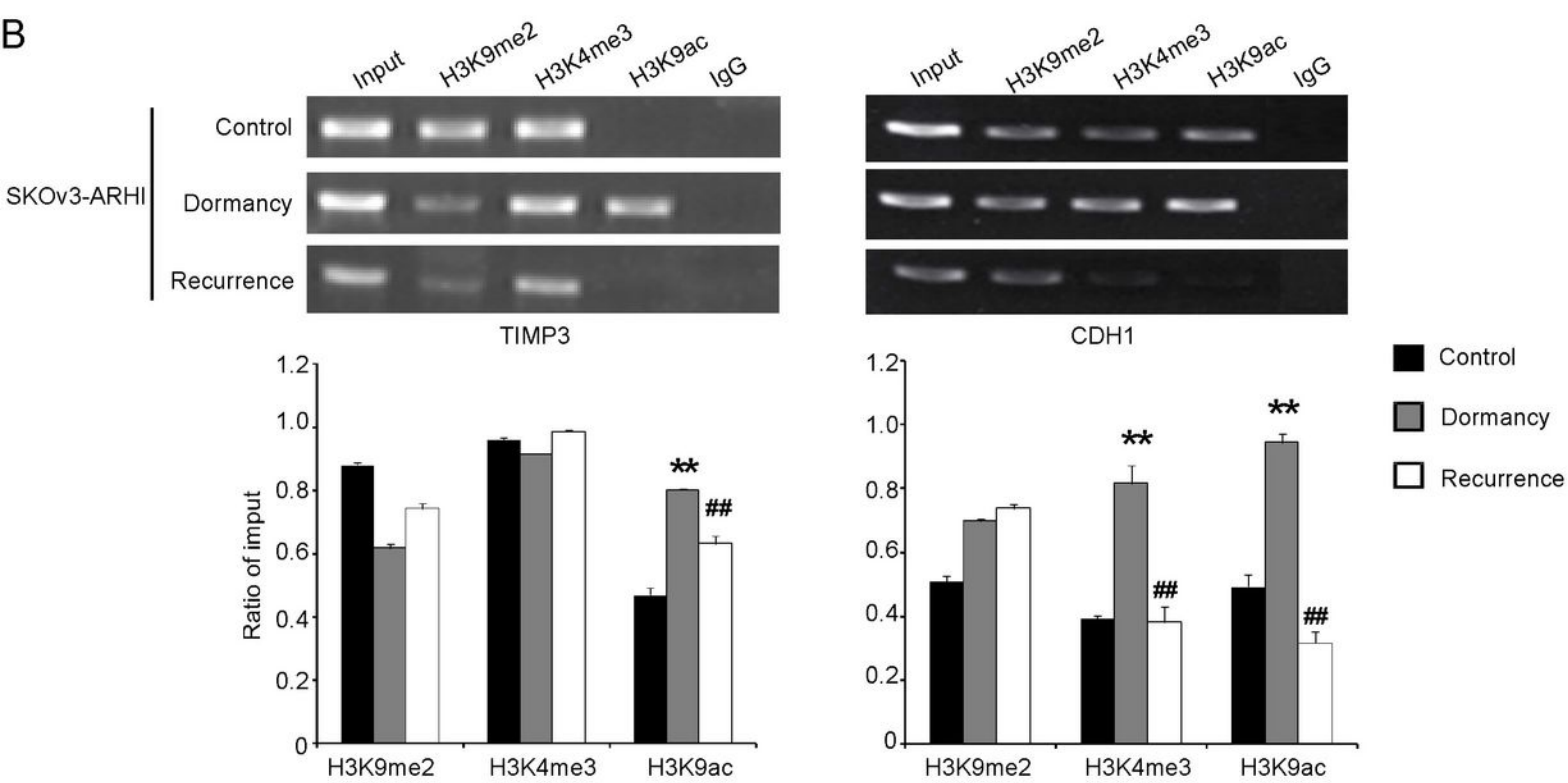
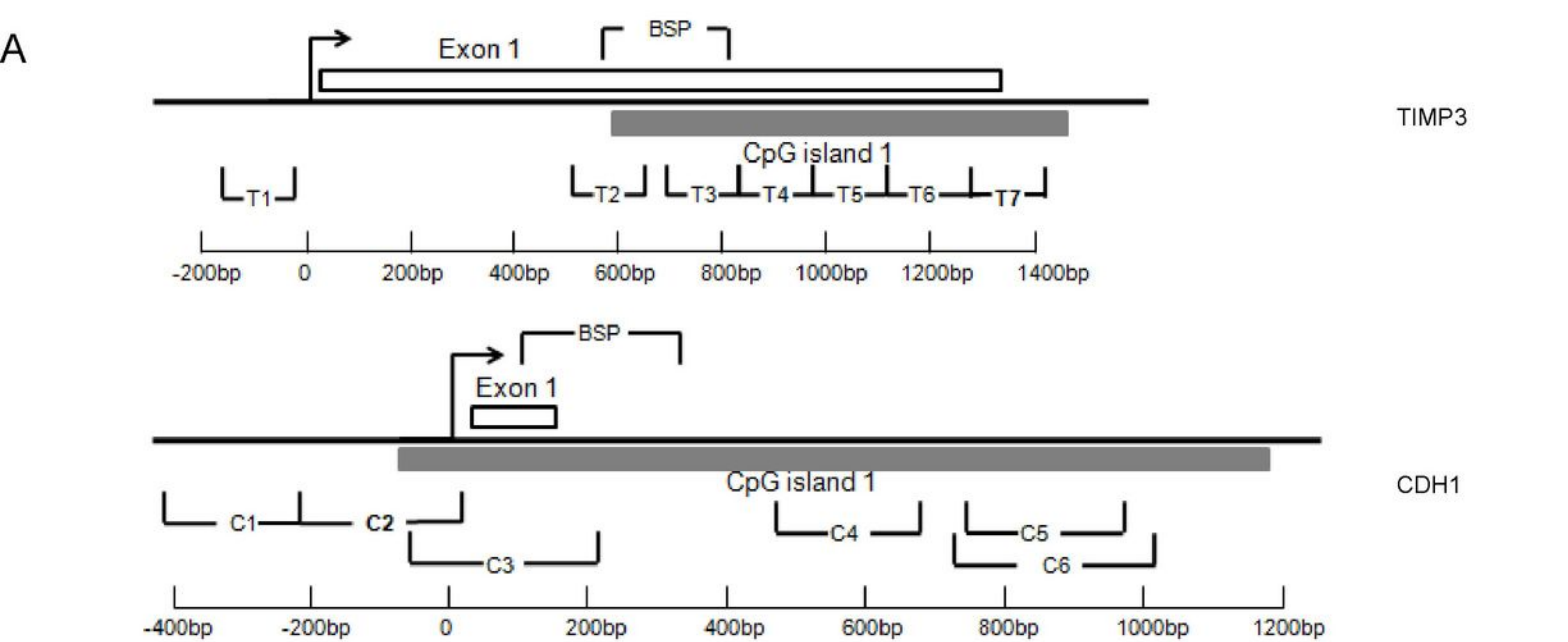


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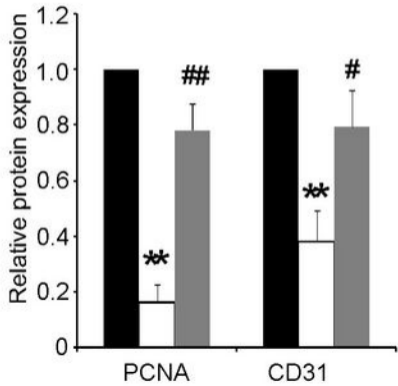


Hey-ARHI

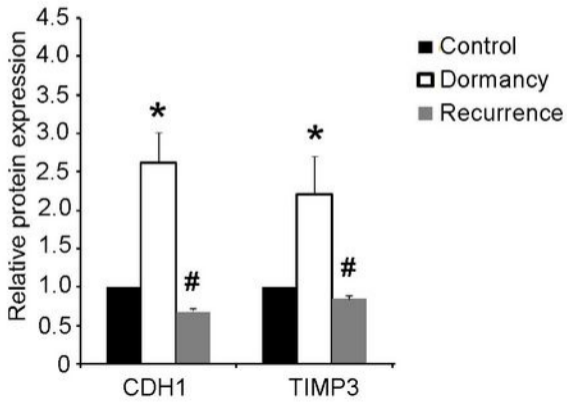


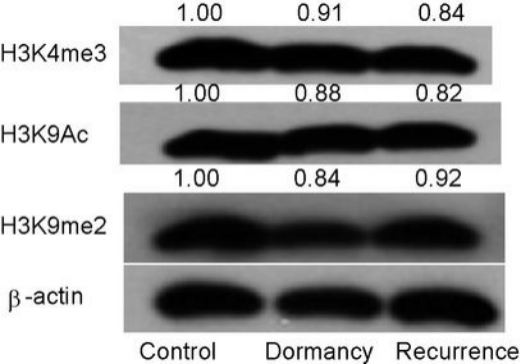


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Supplemental Figure 1. Angiogenesis-related genes were differentially expressed in ovarian cancer cells treated with DOX or DOX withdrawal. Ang1, Ang2, Ang4 and TSP1 dynamically express during the dormancy-to-recurrence transition. (A) Expression of angiogenesis-related factors in three non-VEGF control groups of SKOv3-ARHI and Hey-ARHI cells. (B) Dynamic expression of Ang1, Ang2, Ang4 and TSP1 during the dormancy-to-recurrence transition during a time line of 0, 6, 10 and 14 days, as measured by real-time PCR in SKOv3-ARHI and Hey-ARHI cells. *Compared with the VEGF control group, $P < 0.05$, ** Compared with the VEGF control group, $P < 0.01$, #Compared with the dormancy group, $P < 0.01$. ##Compared with the dormancy group, $P < 0.01$.

Supplemental Figure 2. The TIMP3 and CDH1 protein levels were semi-quantified according to immunocytochemistry experiments. **Compared with the control group, $P < 0.05$. ##Compared with the dormancy group, $P < 0.05$. \$Compared with the recurrence group, $P < 0.05$; \$\$Compared with the recurrence group, $P < 0.05$

Supplemental Figure 3. H3K9Ac, H3K4me3, and H3K27me3 may regulate the expression of *TIMP3* and *CDH1*. (A) Design of primers for BSP and ChIP analysis across the promoter and exon 1 of *TIMP3* and *CDH1*. Seven pairs of ChIP primers for *TIMP3* and 6 pairs of ChIP primers for *CDH1* were tested. T1~T7 and C1~C6 mean the respective location of the PCR products. The results showed that the histone markers were modulated in the T7 (*TIMP3*) and C2 (*CDH1*) regions. The T7 and C2 primers were used in the subsequent ChIP experiments. (B) H3K4me3, H3K9me2, and H3K9Ac at the

TIMP3 and *CDH1* promoter were analyzed by ChIP analysis in the SKOV3-ARHI cells. (C) H3K27me3, H3K4me3, H3K9me2, and H3K9Ac at the *TIMP3* and *CDH1* promoter were analyzed by ChIP analysis in the Hey-ARHI cells. The acetylation and methylation levels were expressed as the ratio of the signal intensity of the immunoprecipitation product (IP) to the input (see Methods). **Compared with the control group, $P < 0.01$. ##Compared with the recurrence group, $P < 0.01$. Independent ChIP experiments were repeated at least twice to confirm the reproducibility of the results.

Supplemental Figure 4. PCNA, CD31, *TIMP3* and *CDH1* protein levels were semi-quantified in the in-vivo dormancy-to-recurrence transition model. (A) Semi-quantitative PCNA and CD31 protein levels in the in-vivo dormancy-to-recurrence transition model. The scores were made according to immunohistochemistry experiments (Fig. 7) (B) Semi-quantitative *TIMP3* and *CDH1* protein levels in the in-vivo dormancy-to-recurrence transition model. The scores were made according to immunohistochemistry experiments (Fig. 8). * Compared with the control group, $P < 0.05$. ** Compared with the control group, $P < 0.01$. #Compared with the dormancy group, $P < 0.05$. ##Compared with the dormancy group, $P < 0.01$.

Supplemental Figure 5. No significant changes in the general histone modification were found during the transition from dormancy to recurrent growth in vivo.

Supplemental Table 1. Primers for real-time PCR.

Supplemental Table 2. Primers for bisulfite sequencing PCR.

Supplemental Table 3. Primers for ChIP-PCR.