

Supplementary Materials for

A Monoclonal Antibody Against $\alpha_V\beta_3$ Integrin Inhibits Development of Atherosclerotic Lesions in Diabetic Pigs

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Fig S1 Effect of C-loop $\beta 3$ F(ab)₂ on IGF-I signaling events

SMCs were maintained and treated as described for Fig 1.

(A) $\beta 3$ phosphorylation (left hand panel) was visualized following immunoprecipitation and immunoblotting with an anti-phosphotyrosine antibody (p-Tyr). $\beta 3$ protein (right hand panel) was visualized by direct immunoblotting with an anti- $\beta 3$ antibody. The arrow indicates the (phosphorylated) $\beta 3$ subunit.

(B) Shc phosphorylation was visualized following immunoprecipitation (IP) with an anti-Shc antibody and immunoblotting (IB) with an anti-phosphotyrosine antibody (p-Tyr; left hand panel). Shc association with Grb-2 was determined by immunoprecipitating with an anti-Shc antibody and immunoblotting with an anti-Grb-2 antibody (middle panel). To control for loading, blots were reprobbed with an anti-Shc antibody (right hand panel).

(C) Phosphorylated/total ERK1/2 was visualized following immunoblotting (IB) with an anti-phospho ERK1/2 (left hand panel) or anti-ERK antibody (right hand panel).

Fig S2 $\beta 3$ phosphorylation in lesions. Aortic tissue was obtained from 3 hyperglycemic and 3 normoglycemic pigs that were from the same strain and of similar age. Lysates were prepared as described in methods. The lysates were immunoprecipitated using anti- $\beta 3$ antibody and immunoblotted for phosphotyrosine (left hand panel) or immunoblotted using an anti- $\beta 3$ antibody directly (right hand panel), as described in methods. The arrow indicates the (phosphorylated) $\beta 3$ subunit. The graph shows the extent of the $\beta 3$ phosphorylation in aortic extracts expressed as scanning units (mean \pm SEM). The aortic tissue was obtained from 8 normoglycemic and to 8 hyperglycemic animals.

Fig S3: Effect of C-loop $\beta 3$ F(ab)₂ infusion on IGF signaling events in porcine arteries.

Femoral artery lysates were prepared as described for fig 3. Proteins were visualized following western immunoblotting (IB) with the appropriate antibody as indicated above each panel. Lanes 1 & 2 (homogenates from arteries that received control vehicle. Lanes 3 & 4 homogenates from arteries that received the anti C-loop $\beta 3$ F(ab)₂).

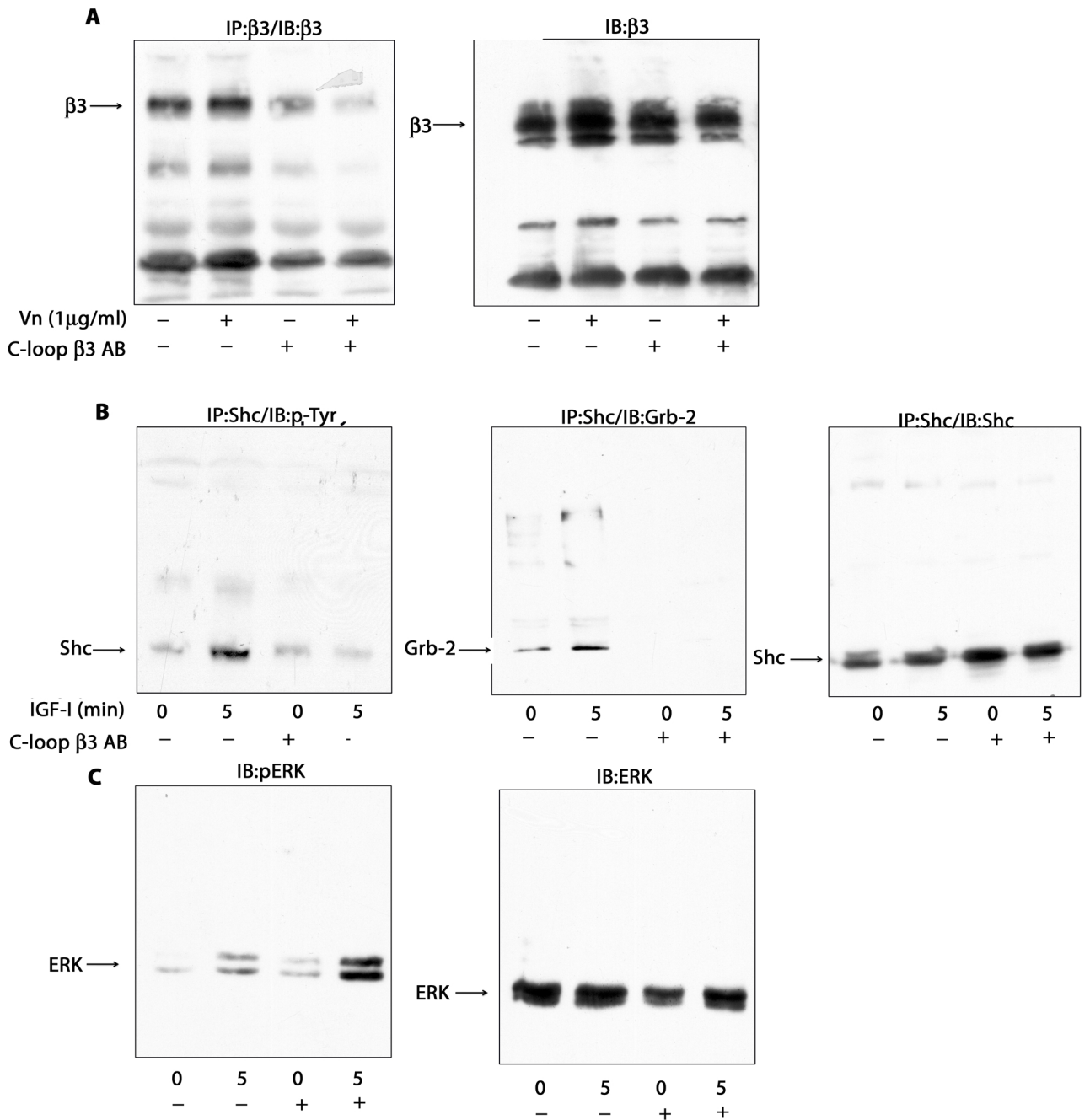


Figure S1

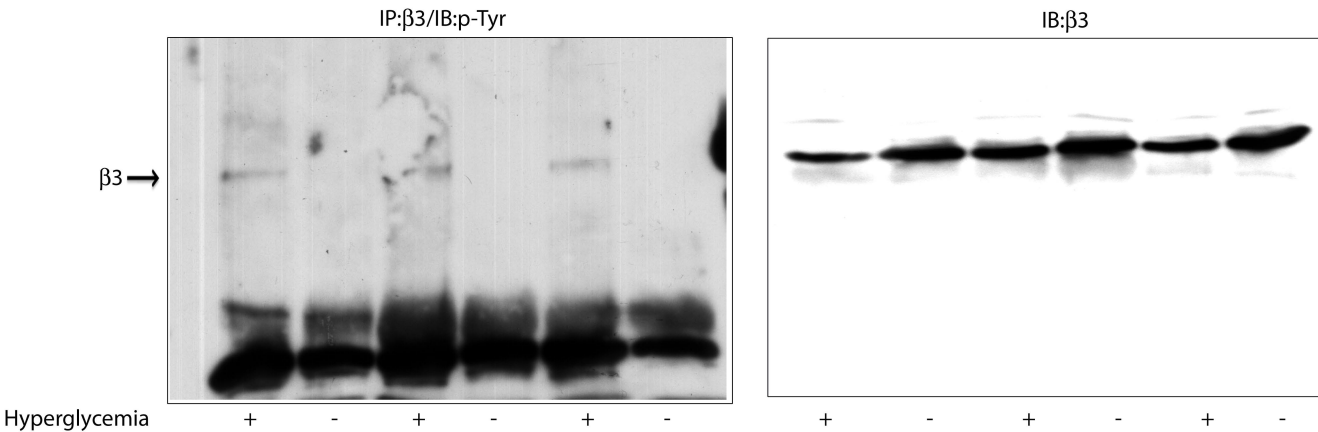
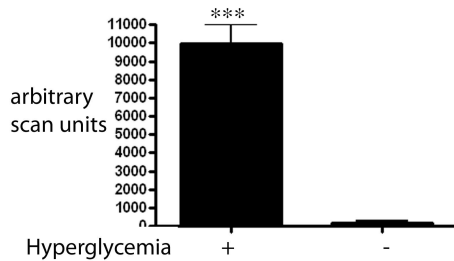


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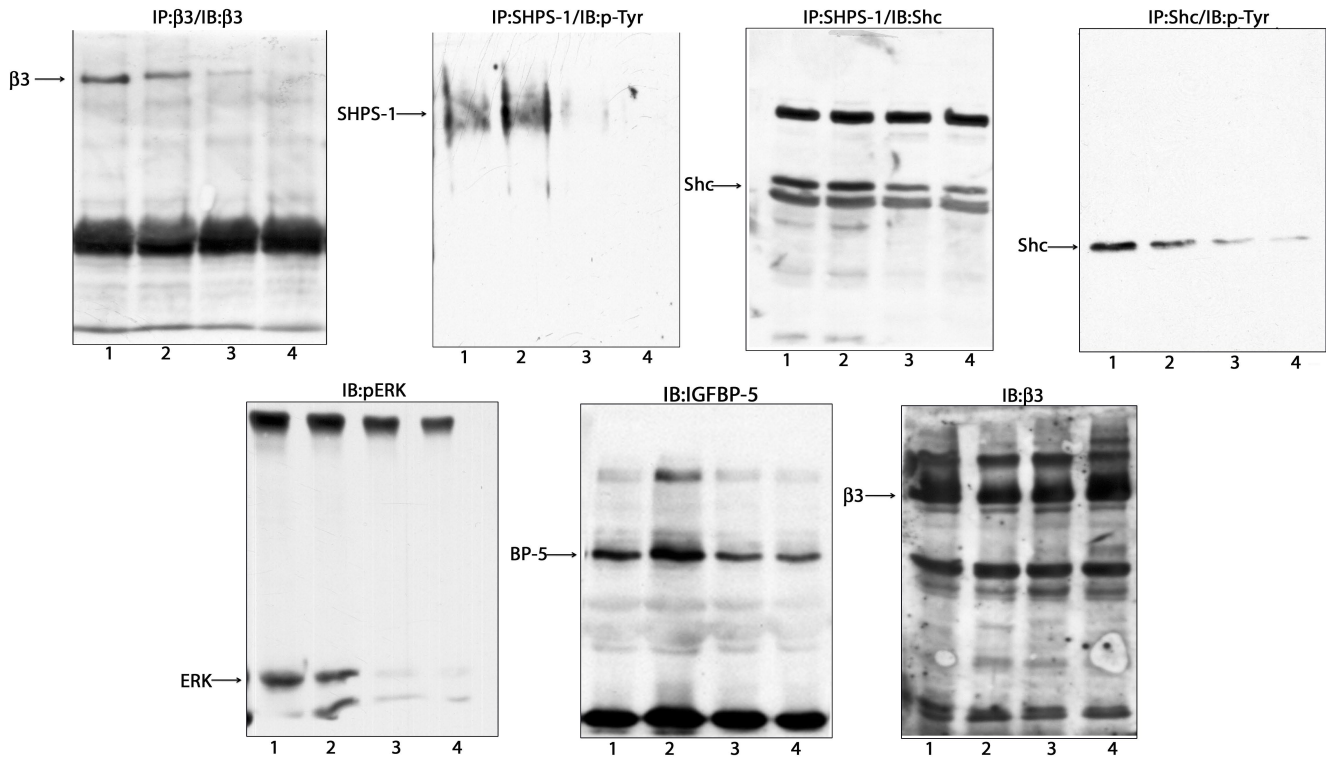


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