Article: **Defining the conformation of the ER complex that controls estrogen induced apoptosis in breast cancer.**

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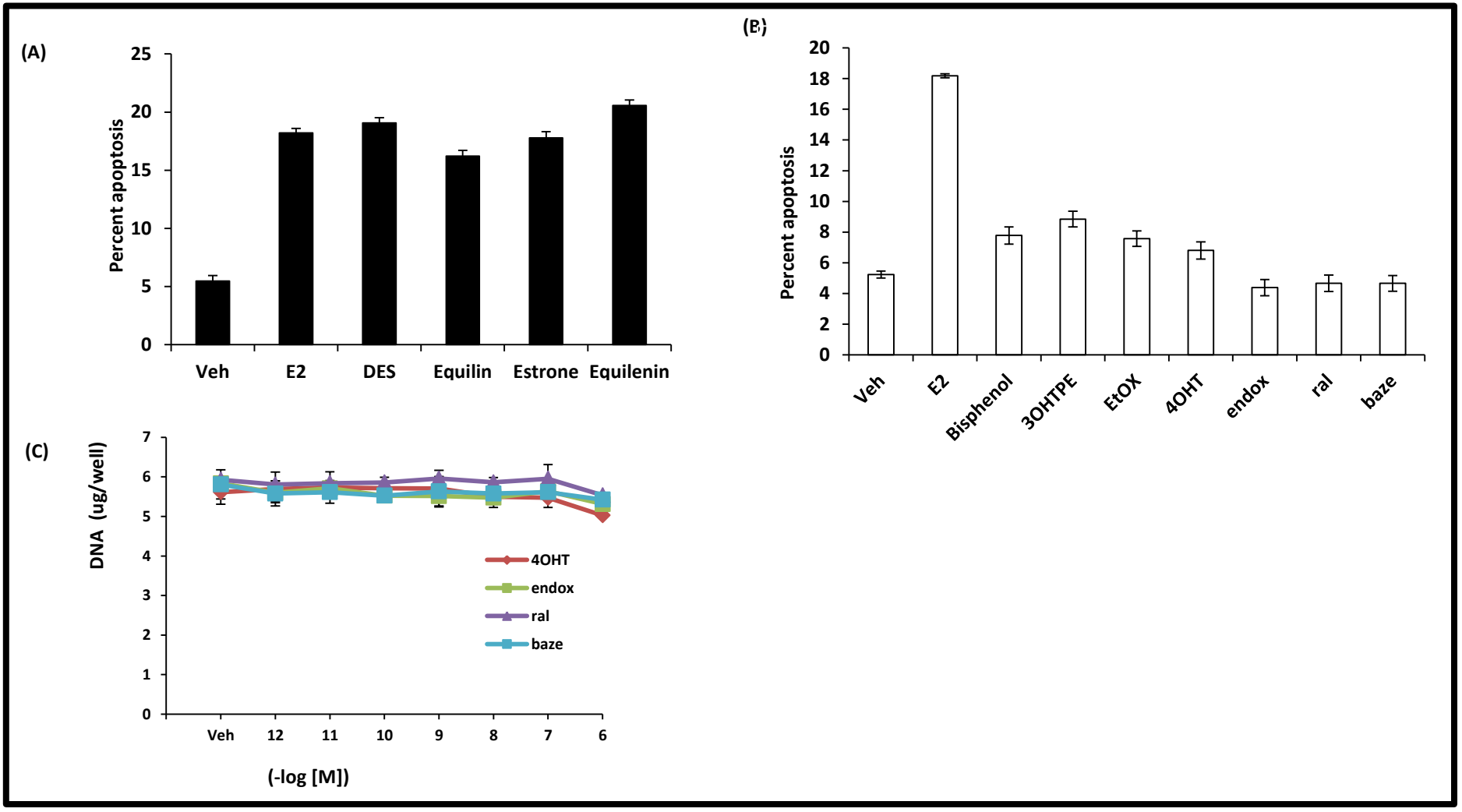
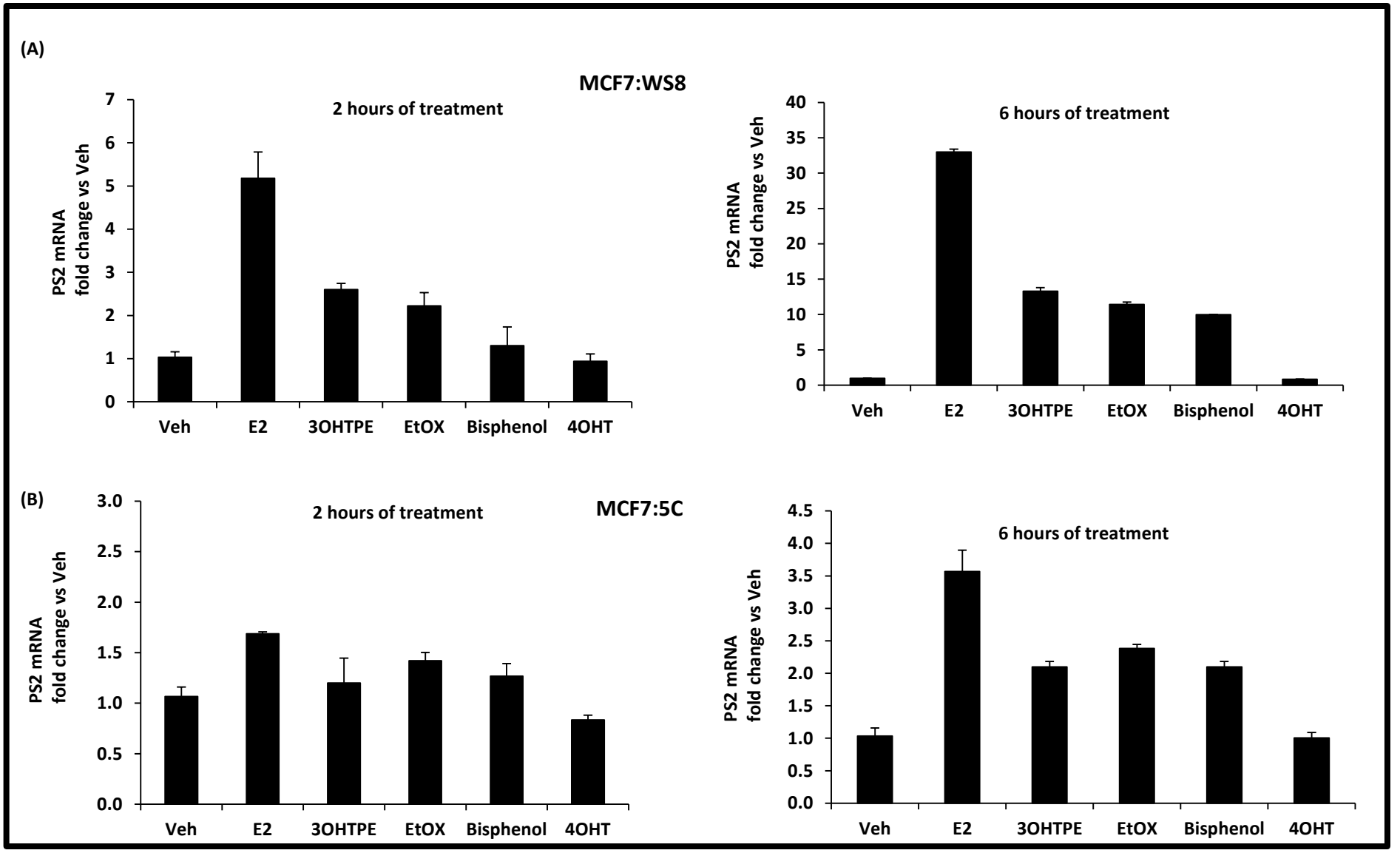
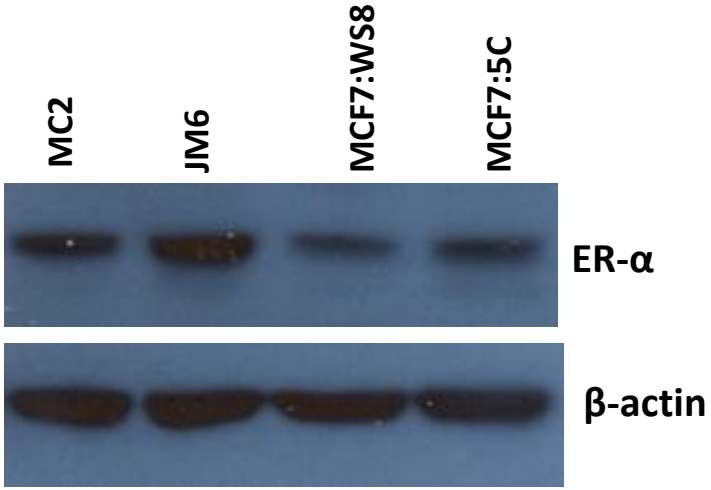


Supplemental Figure 1. Differential effect of planar and non planar estrogens and SERMs on apoptosis.
Annexin V staining for apoptosis . MCF7:5C cells were treated with **(A)** ethanol Vehicle (Veh), planar estrogens (1 nM) **(B)** TPE (1 μ M) and SERMS(1 μ M) for 72h, and then cells were stained with FITC – annexin V and propidium iodide (PI) and analyzed by flow cytometry.**(C)** MCF7:5C cells treated with either Veh or 1μM SERMS for 7 days and apoptosis was quantified by measuring DNA content using a fluorescent DNA quantitation kit .

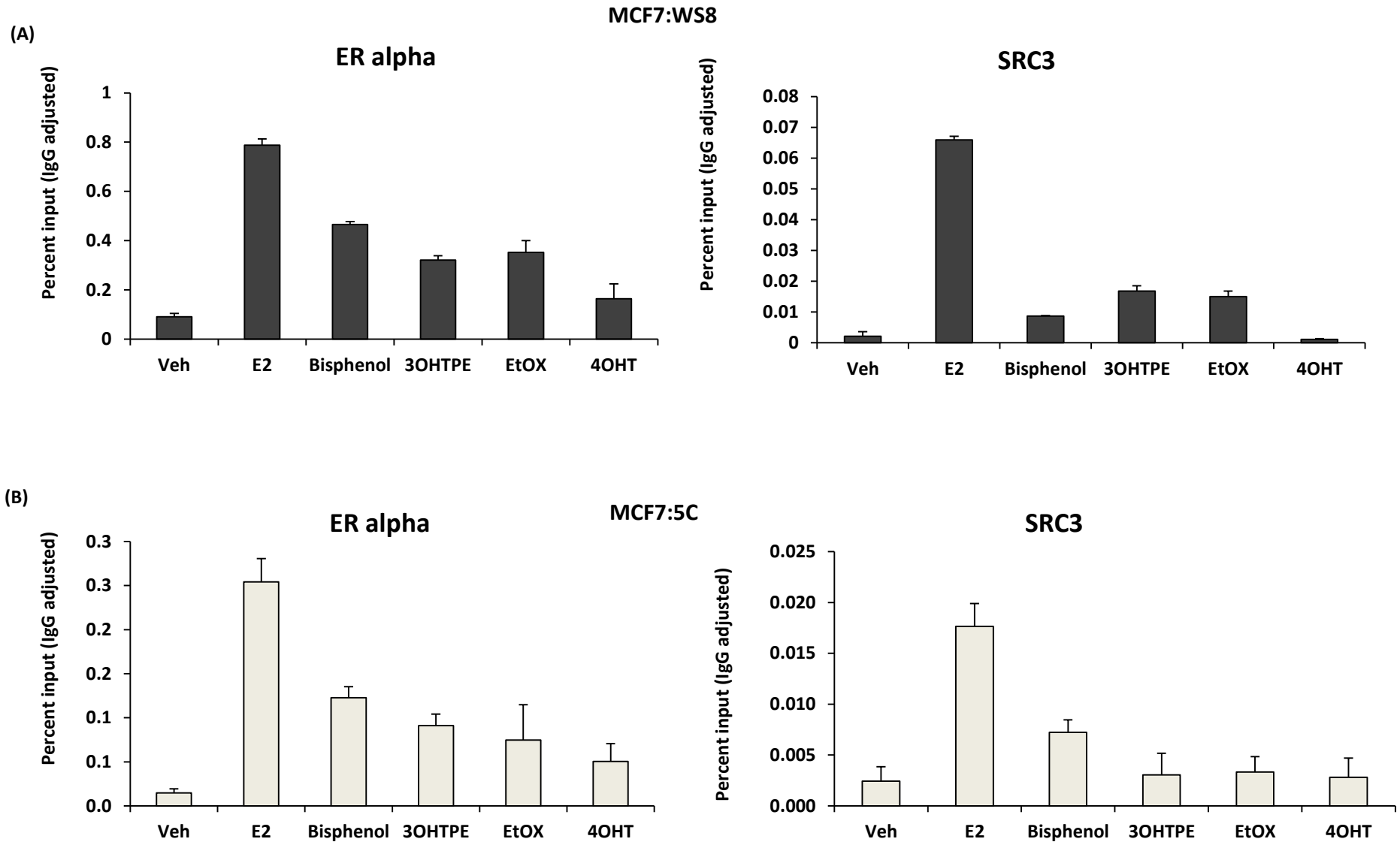


Supplemental Figure 2. Regulation of PS2 (TFF1) gene by triphenylethylenes, E_2 and 4OHT in MCF7:WS8 and MCF7:5C cells.

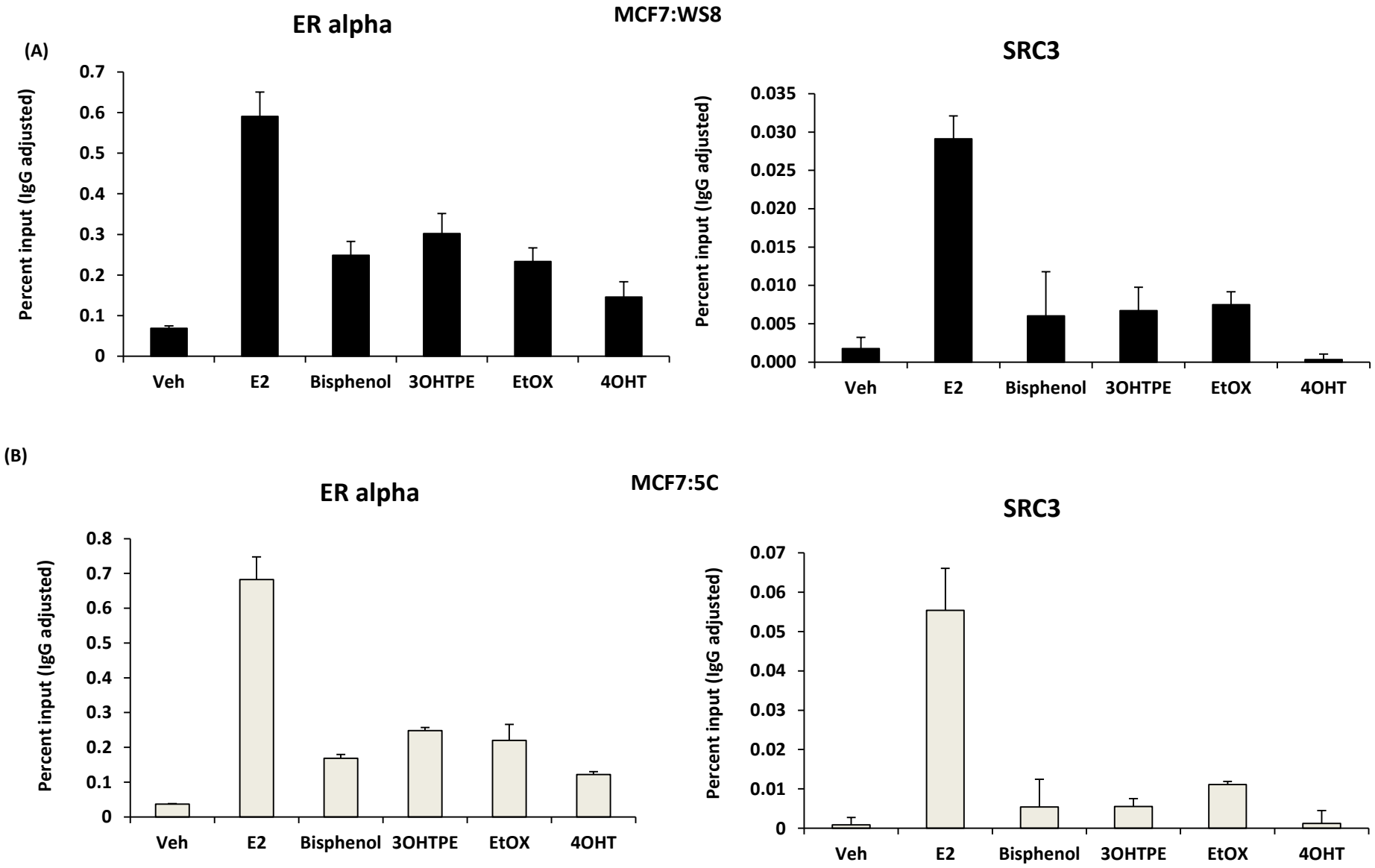
(A) MCF7:WS8 and **(B)** MCF7:5C cells were treated E_2 (1 nM) ,3OHTPE (1 μ M) , EtOX(1 μ M), bisphenol(1 μM) and 4OHT (1μM) for 2 h or 6h. Cells were harvested and RNA extracted. Expression level of PS2 (TFF1) was assessed using RT-PCR. Data is represented as fold difference versus vehicle(veh) treated cells. All data points are average of three replicates ± SD.



Supplemental Figure 3. ERα expression levels in breast cancer cell lines used in the study.
MC2, JM6,MCF7:WS8 and MCF7:5C cells were treated with control(0.1% ethanol) for 24h and lysates were prepared and analysed by immunoblotting for ERα protein levels. β actin was used as a loading control.



Supplemental Figure 4. Recruitment of ER alpha and SRC3 (AIB1) at PS2 proximal promoter region containing ERE in MCF7:WS8 and MCF7:5C cells. (A) MCF7:WS8 cells treated for 45 minutes with E_2 (1nM), 3OHTPE (1µM), EtOX (1µM), bisphenol (1µM) and 4OHT (1µM) and ChIP assay was performed as described in materials and methods. **(B)** MCF7:5C cells were treated identically as mentioned above and ChIP assay was performed under identical conditions. Data is represented as percent input of the starting chromatin used for the ChIP



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