

Supplementary Information

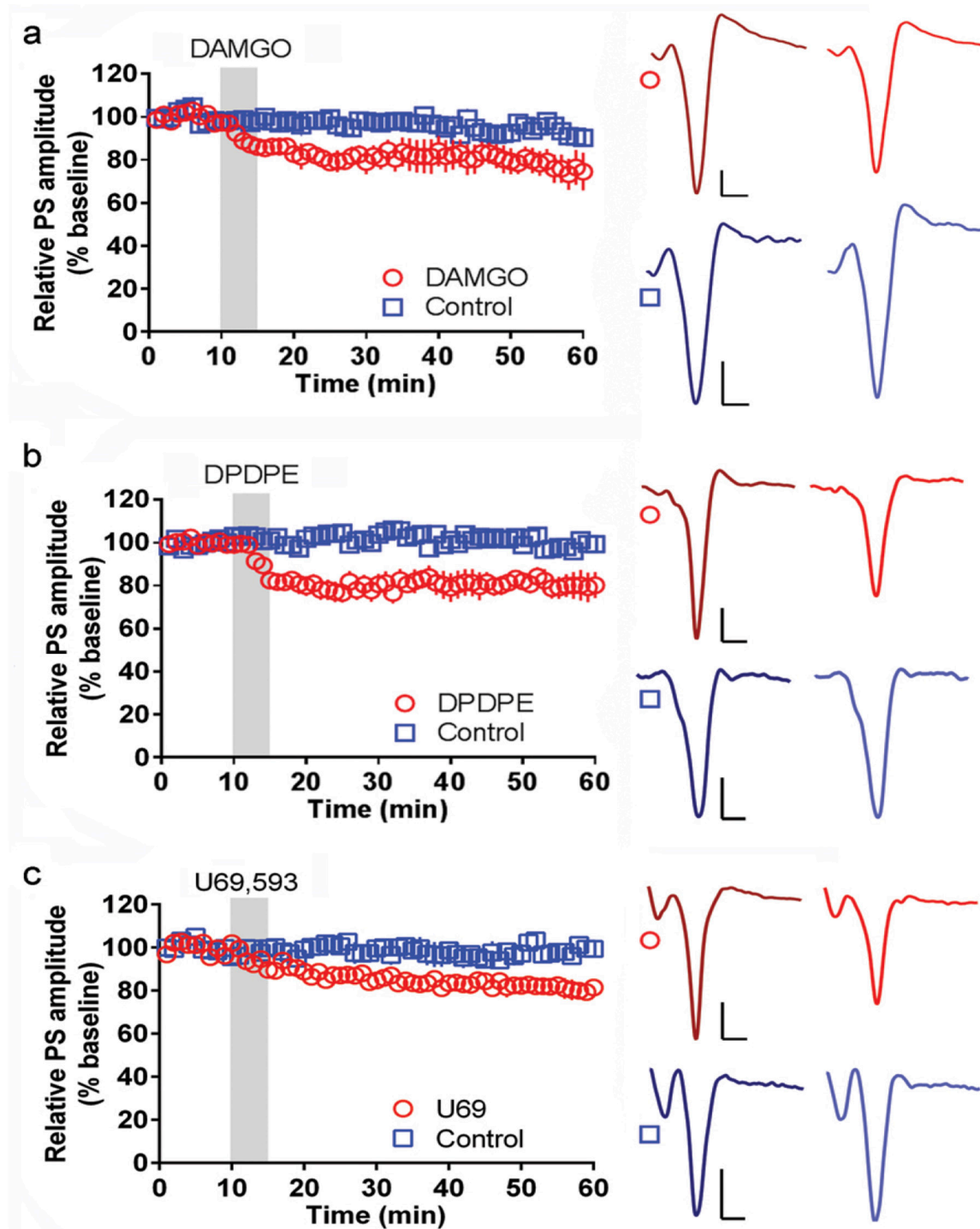
Opioids induce dissociable forms of long-term depression of excitatory inputs to the dorsal striatum

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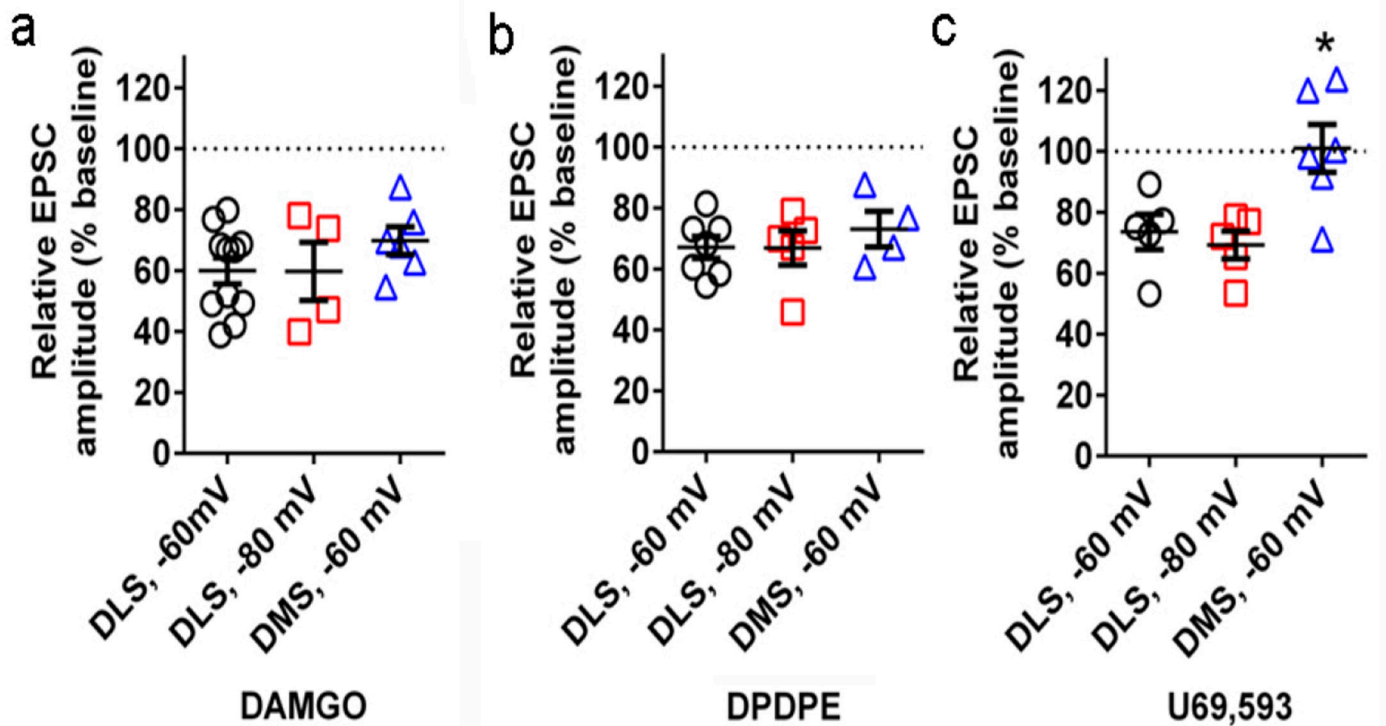
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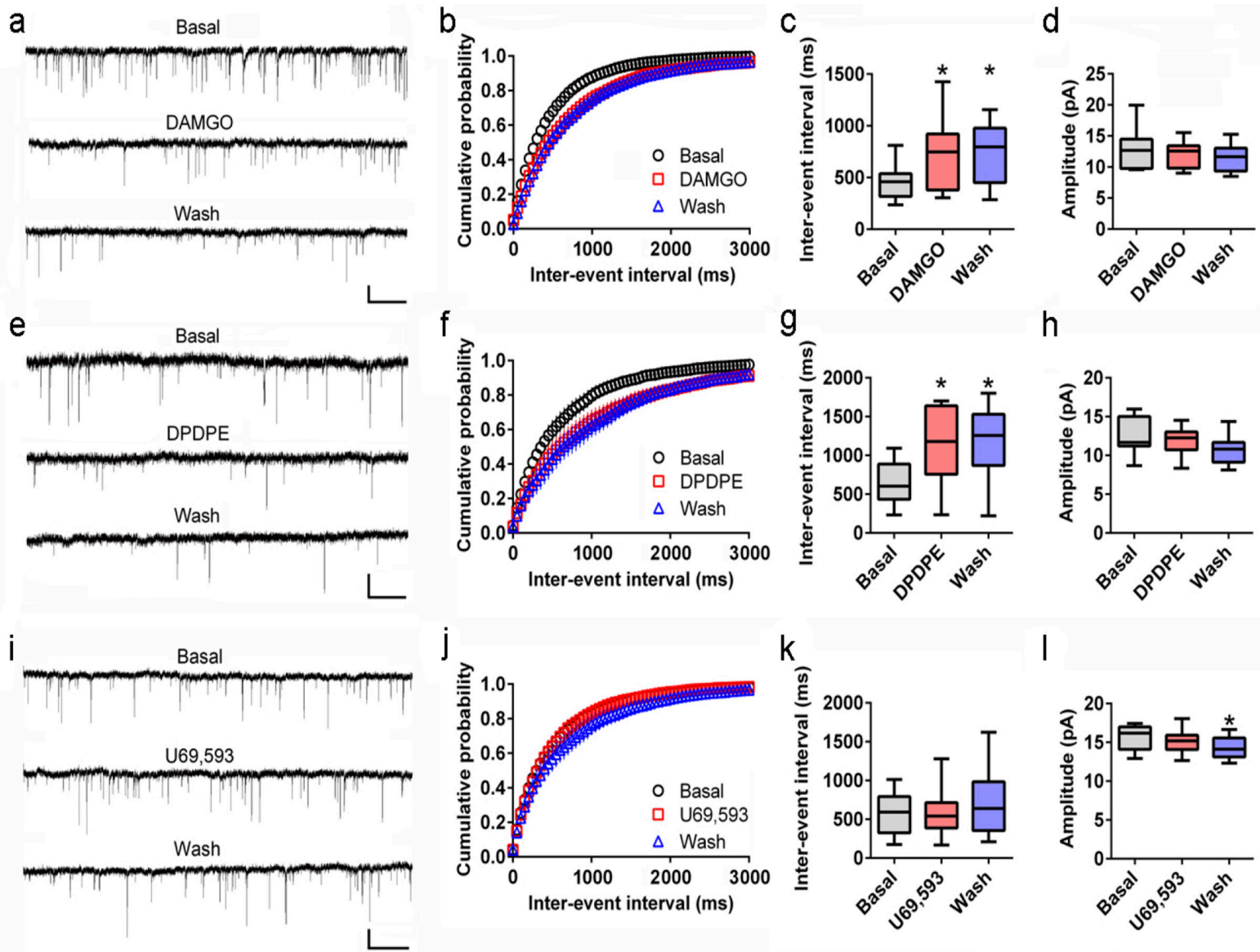
Supplementary Figure 1: Field recordings reveal OP-LTD of net striatal output.

(a) DAMGO (1 μ M, 5 min) induced mOP-LTD of population spike amplitude in field recordings of the DLS (vs. control: $P=0.0219$, $t(12)=2.631$, $n=14$). (b) DPDPE (1 μ M, 5 min) induced dOP-LTD of population spike amplitude in field recordings of the DLS (vs. control: $P=0.0047$, $t(14)=3.360$, $n=16$). (c) U69,593 (1 μ M, 5 min) induced kOP-LTD of population spike amplitude in field recordings of the DLS (vs. control: $P=0.0317$, $t(14)=2.386$, $n=16$). Representative traces are the average of the first 5 min (first of each pair) and the final 5 min (second of each pair) of recording. Scale bars: 0.2 mV, 2 ms. Data analyzed with unpaired Student's t-test.



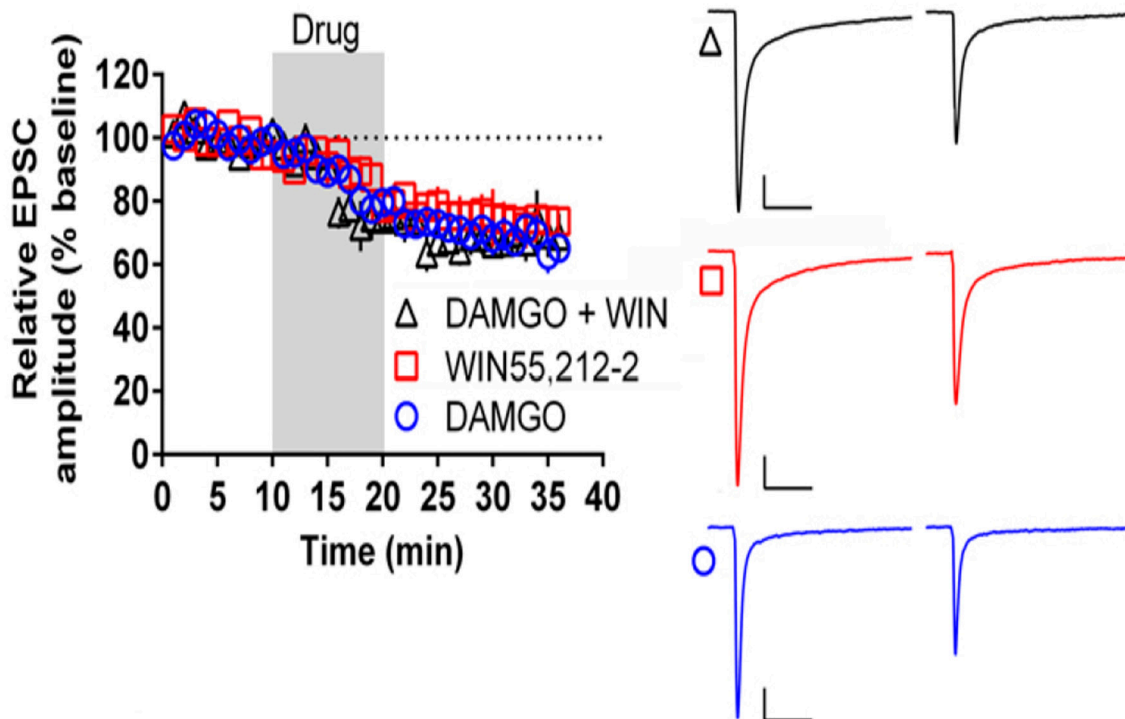
Supplementary Figure 2: OP-LTD is equivalent at -60 mV and -80 mV holding potentials in DLS, but only mOP- and dOP-LTD occur in DMS.

(a) DAMGO (1 μ M, 5 min) induced comparable mOP-LTD in MSNs recorded at -60 mV (n=11) and -80 mV in DLS (n=4), and at -60 mV in DMS (n=6) (at 25 min: $P=0.3741$, $F_{(2,18)}=1.039$). (b) DPDPE (1 μ M, 5 min) induced comparable dOP-LTD in MSNs recorded at -60 mV (n=7) and -80 mV in DLS (n=5), and at -60 mV in DMS (n=4) (at 25 min: $P=0.6461$, $F_{(2,13)}=0.4518$). (c) U69,593 (0.3 μ M, 5 min) induced comparable kOP-LTD in MSNs recorded at -60 mV (n=5) and -80 mV in DLS (n=5). U69,593 failed to induce LTD in DMS (n=6) (at 25 min: $P=0.0075$, $F_{(2,13)}=7.308$). Data analyzed with a one-way ANOVA with Dunnett's multiple comparisons post-test: vs. DLS, -60 mV. *: $P<0.05$.



Supplementary Figure 3: mOP- and dOP-LTD are expressed presynaptically, whereas KOP-LTD has an unclear site of expression.

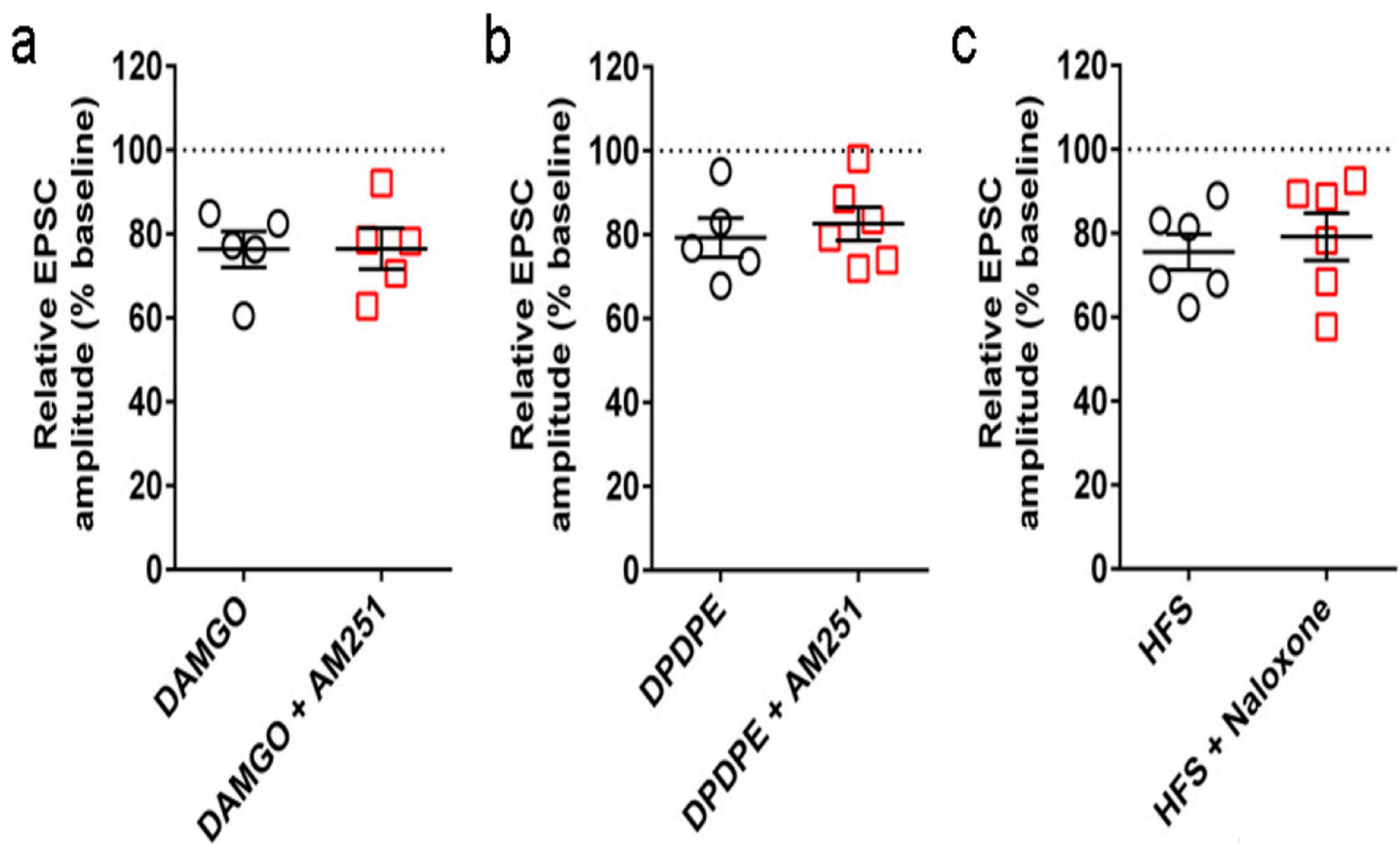
(a) Representative traces of sEPSCs recorded from a DLS MSN before, immediately after, and 20-25 min following DAMGO (0.3 μ M, 5 min). DAMGO (0.3 μ M, 5 min) induced a long-lasting increase in sEPSC inter-event interval (IEI) (b,c; $P=0.0063$, Friedman statistic=9.800, $n=9$) with no change in sEPSC amplitude (d; $P=0.2223$, Friedman statistic=3.200). (e) Representative sEPSC traces for DPDPE (0.3 μ M, 5 min). DPDPE (0.3 μ M, 5 min) produced a long-lasting increase in sEPSC IEI (f,g; $P=0.0207$, Friedman statistic=7.714, $n=7$) with no change in sEPSC amplitude (h; $P=0.0854$, Friedman statistic=5.429). (i) Representative sEPSC traces for U69,593 (0.3 μ M, 5 min). U69,593 (0.3 μ M, 5 min) produced no change in sEPSC IEI (j,k; $P=0.0570$, Friedman statistic=6.000, $n=9$), but produced a delayed decrease in sEPSC amplitude (l; $P=0.0307$, Friedman statistic=6.889). Scale bars: 20 pA, 2 s. Data in c-d, g-h, and k-l analyzed with Friedman test with Dunn's multiple comparisons post-test. *: $P<0.05$.



Supplementary Figure 4: The lack of an additive effect of a MOPr and a CB₁ agonist suggests a presynaptically localized occlusiveness of mOP-LTD and CB₁-LTD.

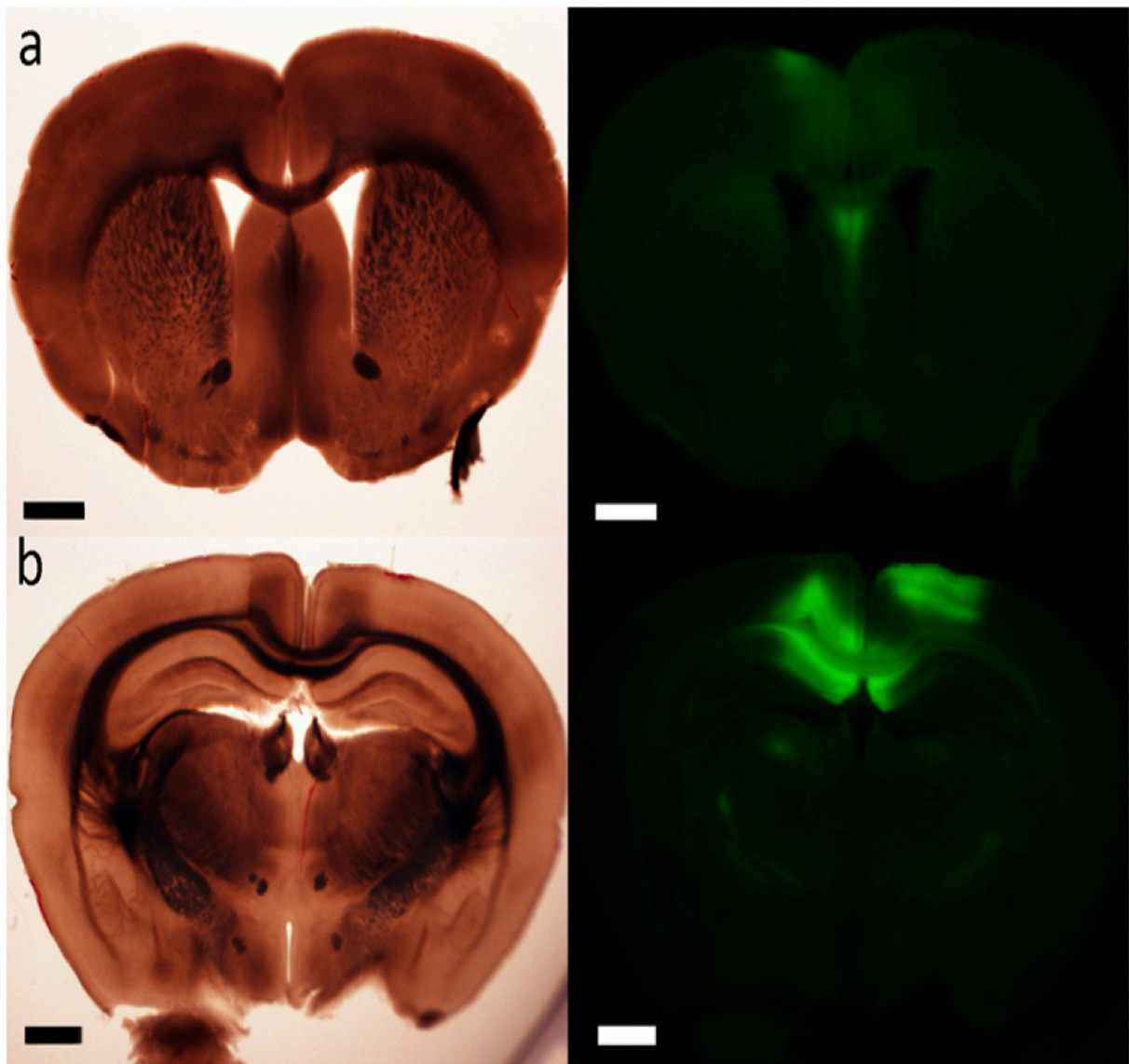
DAMGO (0.3 μ M; n=5), WIN55,212-2 (1 μ M, n=5), or their combination (n=6), each applied for 10 min, induced comparable magnitudes of depression ($P=0.7797$, $F_{(2,13)}=0.2537$).

Representative traces are the average of the first 10 min (first of pair) and the final 10 min (second of pair) of recording. Scale bars: 50 pA, 50 ms. Data analyzed with one-way ANOVA with Tukey's post-test.



Supplementary Figure 5: eCB-LTD is not blocked by opioid receptor antagonists, and OP-LTD is not blocked by a CB₁ antagonist.

(a) Pre-application of the CB₁ receptor antagonist, AM251 (3 μM), did not alter mOP-LTD induced by DAMGO (0.3 μM to 1 μM, 5 min; at 30 min: $P=0.9836$, $t(8)=0.02127$, $n=5$ each). (b) Pre-application of AM251 (3 μM) did not alter dOP-LTD induced by DPDPE (0.3 μM to 1 μM, 5 min; at 30 min: $P=0.5996$; $t(9)=0.5441$, $n=5$ control, $n=6$ AM251). (c) Pre-application of the opioid receptor antagonist, naloxone (2 μM), did not alter eCB-LTD induced by HFS paired with postsynaptic depolarization (at 30 min: $P=0.6162$, $t(10)=0.5173$, $n=6$ each). Data analyzed with unpaired Student's t-test.



Supplementary Figure 6: Expression of ChR2-Venus in hippocampus does not result in striatal ChR2-Venus expression

(a) Lack of striatal expression of ChR2-Venus in striatum following an injection of AAV vector in hippocampus. Injection coordinates: A/P: -2.0, M/L: \pm 0.35, D/V: -1.45. (b) AAV vector injection in hippocampus produces substantial ChR2-Venus expression at the injection site. Images are representative of 1 injected mouse. Scale bars: 1 mm.