

# Supplementary data

## Site-specific methylation and acetylation of lysine residues in the C-terminal domain (CTD) of RNA polymerase II

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**A**

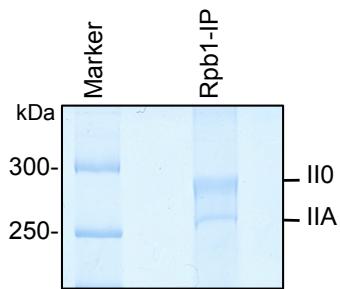
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26	YSPTSPN	52	YSLTSPA

**B**

### Workflow

Cell lysis ( $3 \times 10^8$  Raji cells)

IP of Rpb1 with  $\alpha$ -Ser2/5-P followed by SDS-PAGE and coomassie staining



In-gel trypsinization of Rpb1 protein followed by tandem mass spectrometry (MS/MS) of CTD peptides

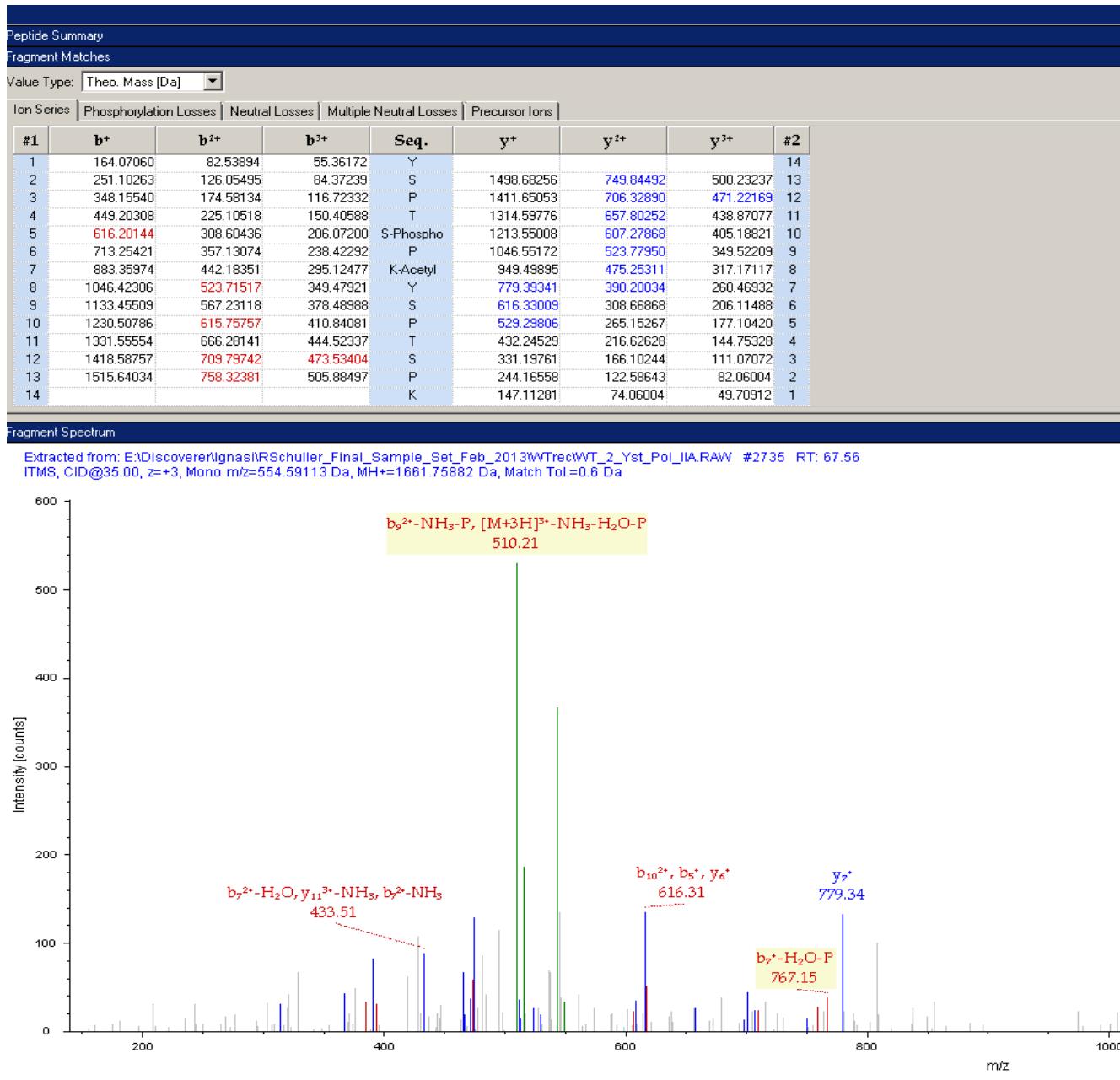
### Amino acid composition of human RNAPII CTD and purification of RNAPII.

(A) Human CTD is composed of 52 consensus and non-consensus heptad repeats. Peptides of CTD after tryptic digestion are marked by red and blue boxes, basic amino acids by red letters.

(B) Purification scheme of RNAPII large subunit Rpb1.

Figure S1

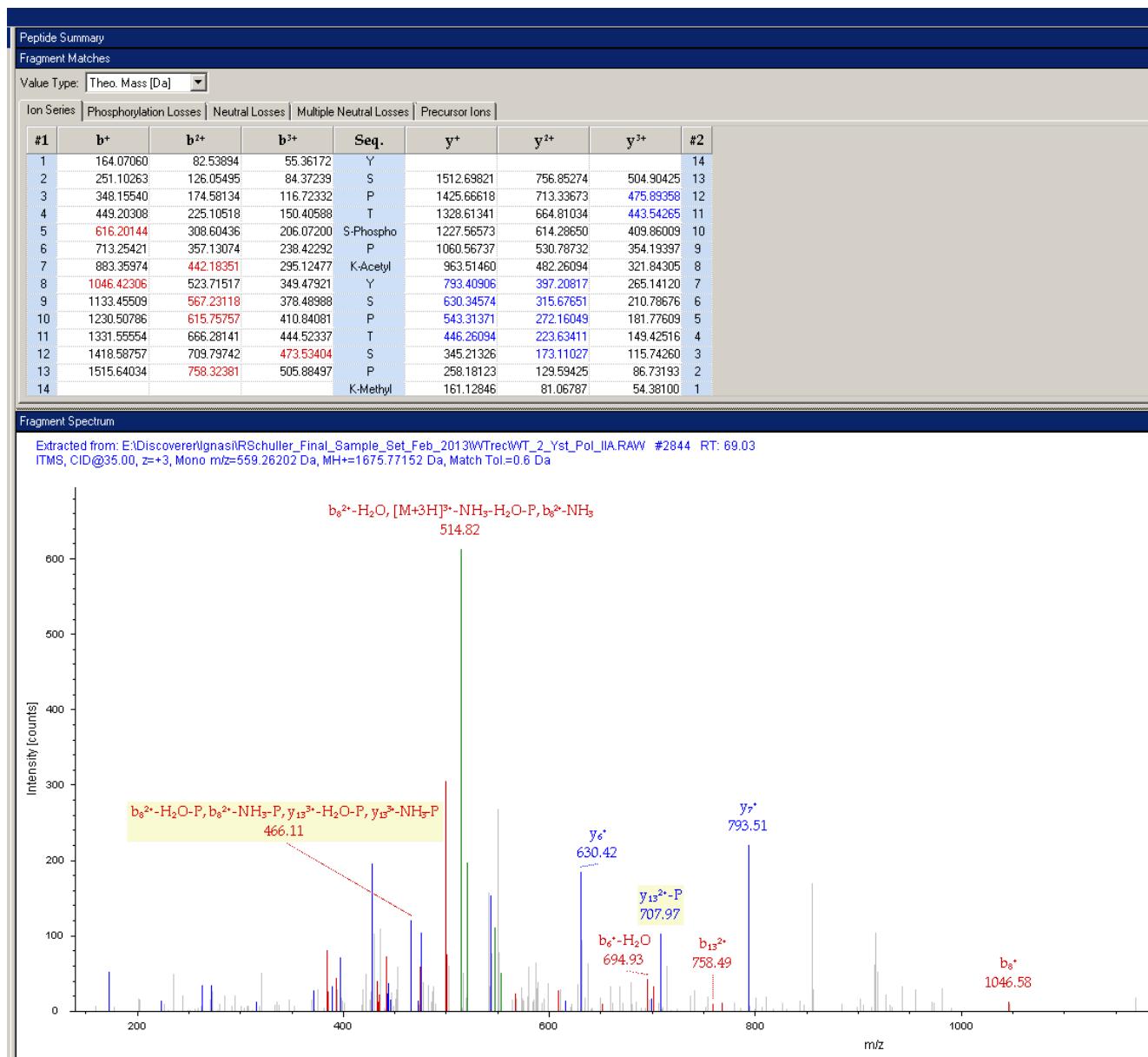
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MS/MS spectrum of peptide with heptad-repeats 39-40

Figure S2

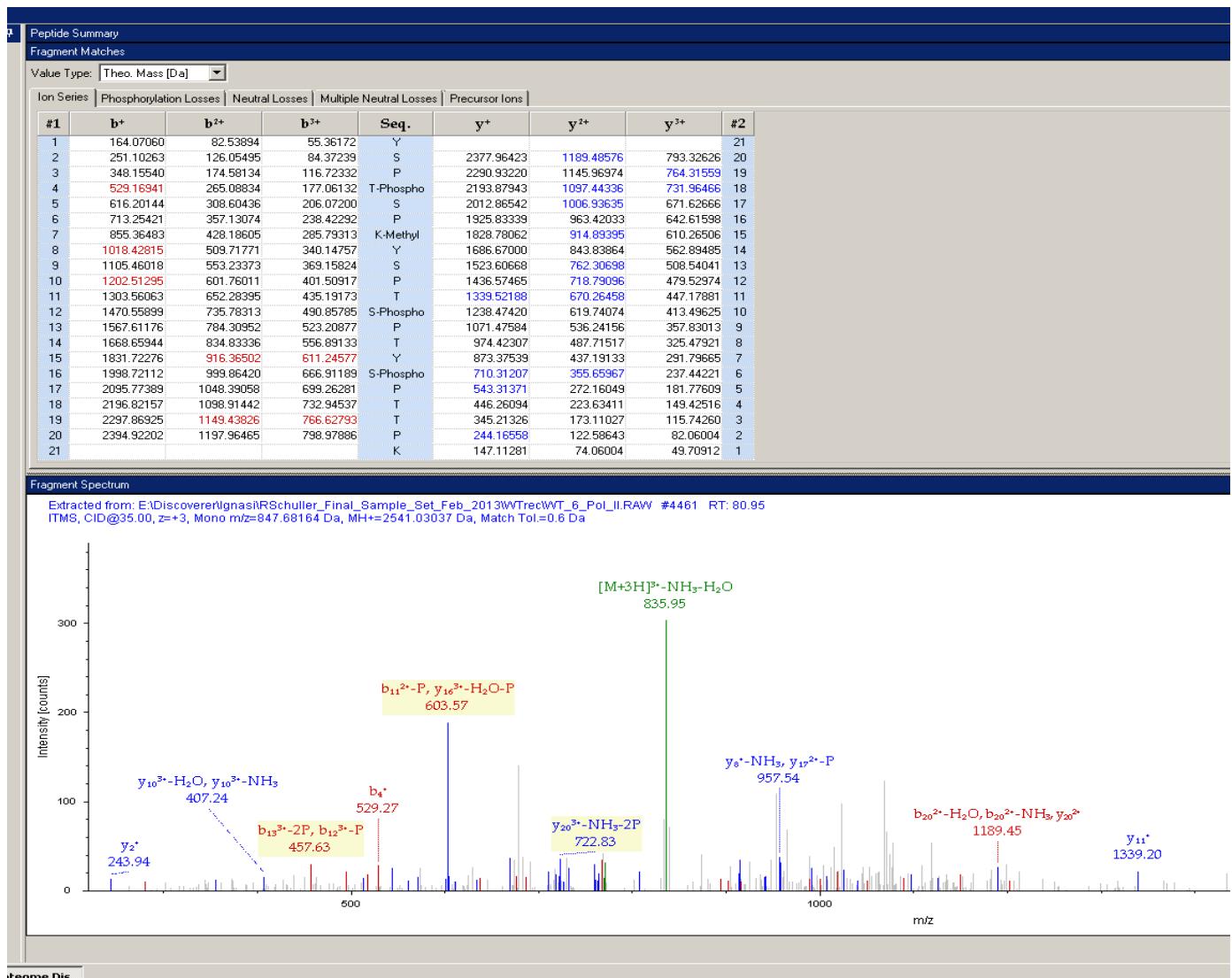
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MS/MS spectrum of peptide with heptad-repeats 39-40

Figure S3

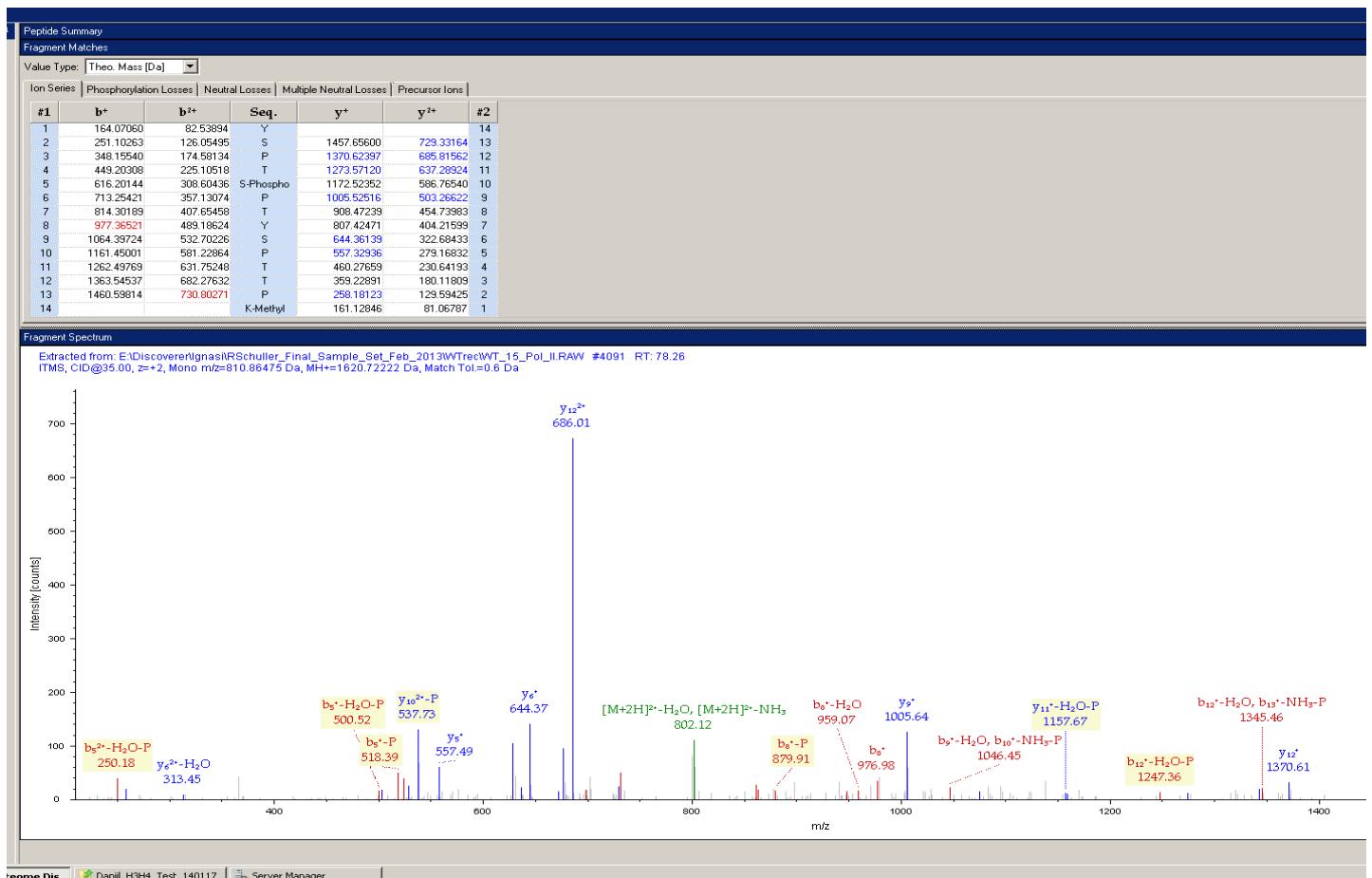
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MS/MS spectrum of peptide with heptad-repeats 40-42

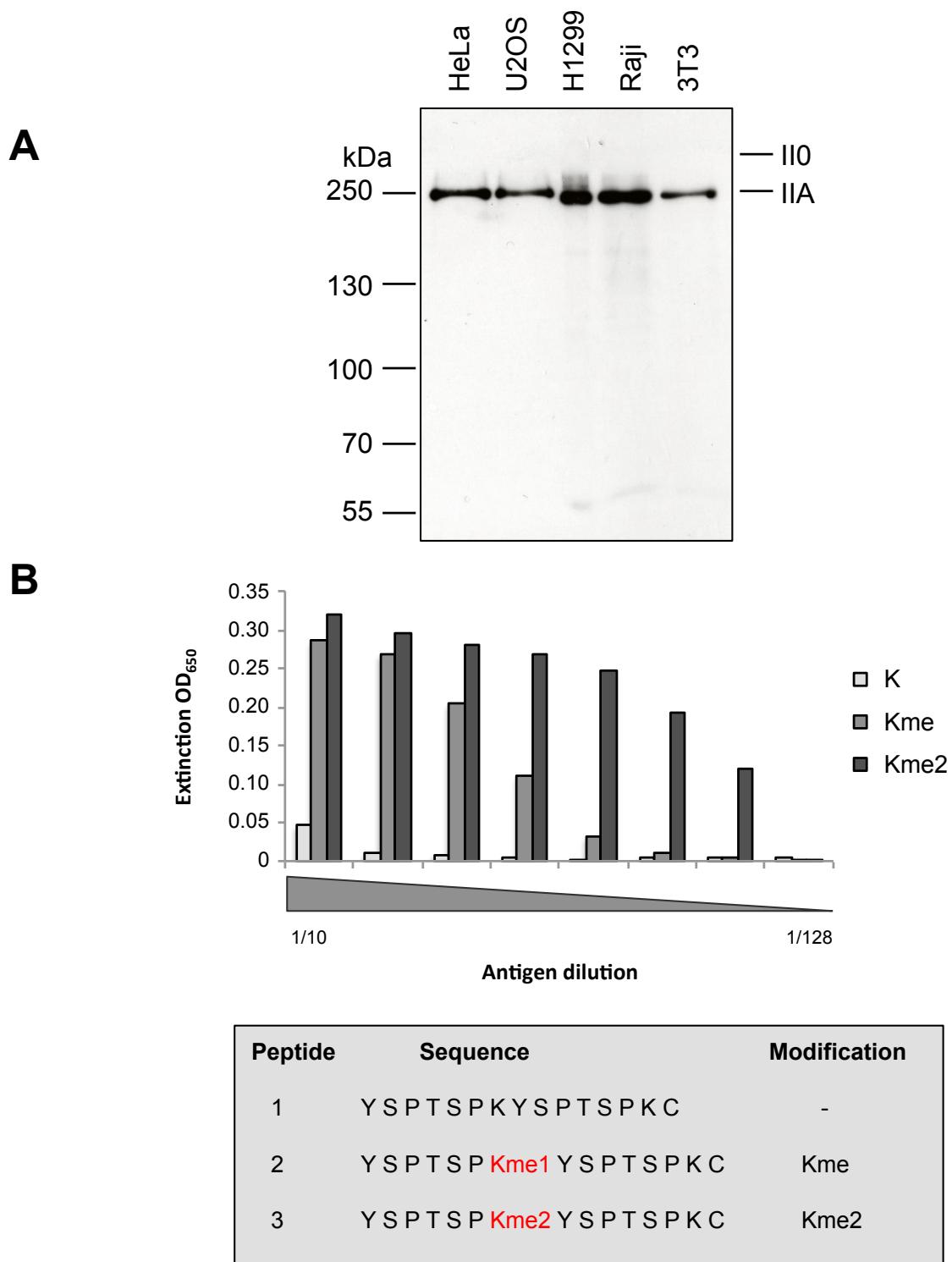
Figure S4

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MS/MS spectrum of peptide with heptad-repeats 41-42

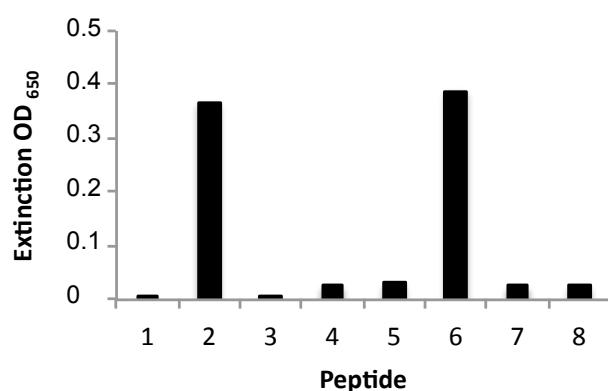
Figure S5



- (A) Reactivity of mAb 1F5 for RNAPII in cellular extracts of human cell lines HeLa, U2OS, H1299, and Raji, and mouse cell line NIH3T3.
- (B) Titration of the specificity of mAb 1F5 for K7me1 and K7me2 epitopes in ELISA using synthetic di-heptad peptides with the corresponding modification.

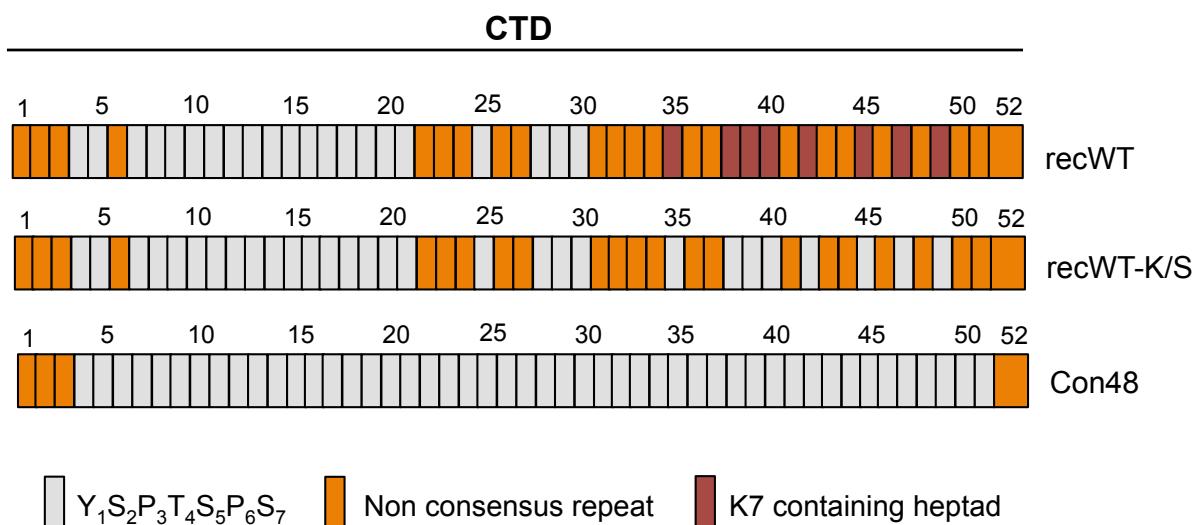
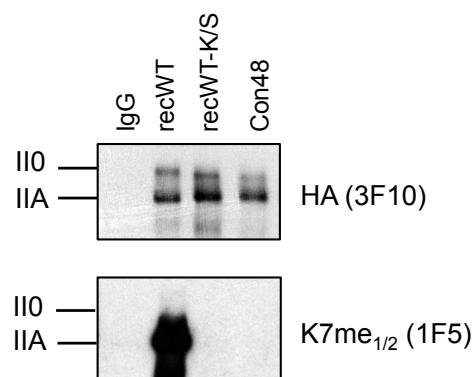
Figure S6

Peptide	Sequence	Modification
1	T S P S Y S P T S P K Y S P T S P S-PEG-Biotin	-
2	T S P S Y S P T S P $\text{K}_{\text{me}2}$ Y S P T S P S-PEG-Biotin	Kme2
3	T S P S Y S P T $\text{S}_P$ P K Y S P T S P S-PEG-Biotin	Ser5P
4	T S P S Y S P T $\text{S}_P$ P $\text{K}_{\text{me}2}$ Y S P T S P S-PEG-Biotin	Ser5P, Kme2
5	T S P S Y S P T S P K Y $\text{S}_P$ P T S P S-PEG-Biotin	Ser2P
6	T S P S Y S P T S P $\text{K}_{\text{me}2}$ Y $\text{S}_P$ P T S P S-PEG-Biotin	Kme2, Ser2P
7	T S P S Y S P T $\text{S}_P$ P K Y $\text{S}_P$ P T S P S-PEG-Biotin	Ser2P/Ser5P
8	T S P S Y S P T $\text{S}_P$ P $\text{K}_{\text{me}2}$ Y $\text{S}_P$ P T S P S-PEG-Biotin	Ser2P/Ser5P, Kme2



Phosphorylation of adjacent amino acids (red) can inhibit reactivity of mAb 1F5. ELISA experiment.

Figure S7

**A****B**

Recognition of RNAPII by mAb 1F5 requires CTD K7 residues.

(A) recWT: wild-type CTD; recWT-K/S: K7 containing heptads were replaced by consensus repeats; Con48, CTD with 48 consensus repeats.

(B) Western analysis of RNAPII mutants with mAb 1F5.

Figure S8