

Supplementary Materials

Figure S1. Genotyping of *Polh*, *Polk*, *Poli* triple-gene (TKO) (A), *Rev1* (B) and *Rev3l* (C) single gene knockout MEFs by genomic PCR

PCR was performed at 94°C for 30 seconds, 55°C for 30 seconds, and 72°C for 1 min with 40 cycles using primer sets listed below: “WT” and “TKO” represent a wild-type and Pol η Pol k Pol i triple-gene knockout MEFs, respectively. Size markers: M1, 1-kb ladder; M2, 100-bp ladder; and M3, 25-bp ladder

Allele	PCR primer (5'→3')	Length (base pair) of PCR product
<i>Polh</i> wild type	TTTCGATCTTGTTAGCCTCTCC GTAGTCTGGGGGTTGAATC	1.9 k
<i>Polh</i> mutant	GTAGTCTGGGGGTTGAATC GTCTGTTGTGCCAGTCATAGC	1.4 k
<i>Polk</i> wild type	GCACTGATCGATATGTCCATTAGGG GTGAGACCAAACCTTGACAGGCTAAG	300
<i>Polk</i> mutant	GGGCCAGCTCATCCTCCACTCATGATC CAGGCTGCAGGGTTGGAAACAGCCACAC	180
<i>Poli</i> wild type	CAGTTGCAGTCAGGGCC TCGACCTGGGCATAAAAGC	49 + 39 ^a
<i>Poli</i> mutant	CAGTTGCAGTCAGGGCC TCGACCTGGGCATAAAAGC	88 ^a
<i>Rev1</i> wild type	ATTGTGAGTCTCTAGCGTTGTCCCTC TCCTGGCTGGAATTGAAATTCTAGGACAC	360
<i>Rev1</i> mutant	ATTGTGAGTCTCTAGCGTTGTCCCTC GCTTCATTGCTCAGCGGTG	480
<i>Rev3l</i> wild type	GTGCTGAGAAAGCTCATGTCTAGGC GATTGCCTTCCCTATCTGCCTTCATTG	384
<i>Rev3l</i> mutant	GATTGCCTTCCCTATCTGCCTTCATTG CTAAAGCGCATGCTCCAGACT	275

^a Generated by Taq^aI digestion of PCR products

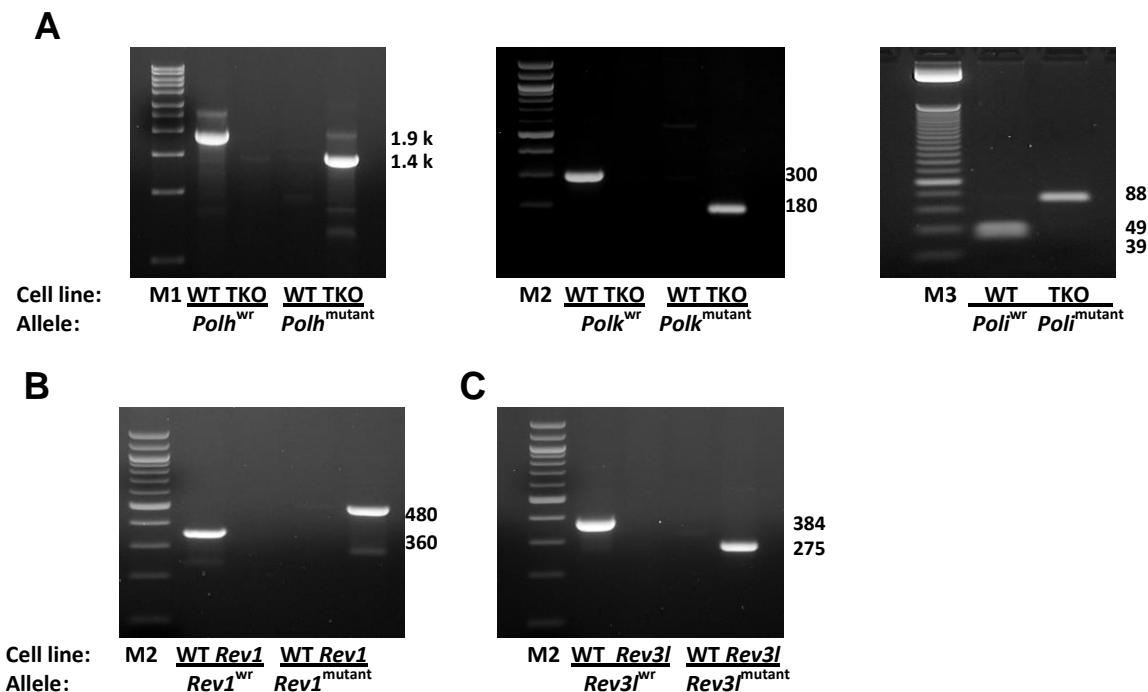


Figure S2. TLS efficiency in 5'AAT context in gene knockout MEFs

TLS efficiency in wild-type MEFs was set to 100 %.

* $p<0.001$ when compared with a value for wild-type (WT) MEFs.

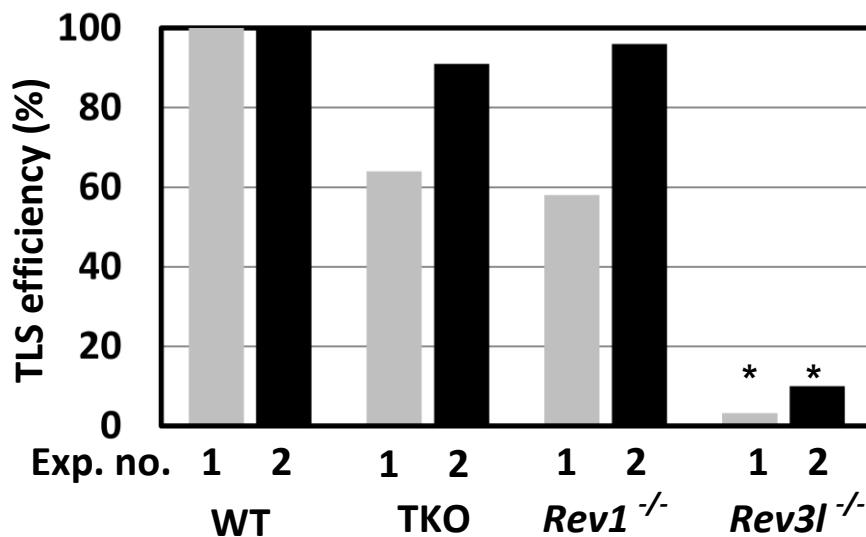


Table S1. Targeted coding specificity of translesion DNA synthesis across dA-AL-I

Host cells	Exp.	Sequence context	Total no. sequenced	[dA-AL-I] →					
				A	T	G	C	Δ	Others
Wild-type	1	<u>CAG</u>	181	71 (39%)	88 (49%) ^a	0 (0%)	4 (2%)	5 (3%)	13 (7%)
		<u>AAT</u>	181	121 (67%)	44 (24%) ^a	7 (4%)	3 (2%)	3 (2%)	3 (2%)
	2	<u>CAG</u>	189	76 (40%)	96 (51%) ^b	2 (1%)	1 (0.5%)	6 (3%)	8 (4%)
		<u>AAT</u>	183	123 (67%)	45 (25%) ^b	4 (2%)	3 (2%)	7 (4%)	1 (0.5%)
TKO	1	<u>CAG</u>	94	33 (35%)	45 (48%) ^c	0 (0%)	2 (2%)	1 (1%)	13 (14%)
		<u>AAT</u>	92	58 (63%)	32 (35%) ^c	1 (1%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	1 (1%)
	2	<u>CAG</u>	93	27 (29%)	60 (65%) ^d	1 (1%)	2 (2%)	0 (0%)	3 (3%)
		<u>AAT</u>	89	60 (67%)	25 (28%) ^d	0 (0%)	2 (2%)	2 (2%)	0 (0%)
<i>Rev3l</i> ^{-/-}	1	<u>CAG</u>	90	49 (54%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	3 (3%)	36 (40%)	2 (2%)
		<u>AAT</u>	96	84 (88%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	7 (7%)	5 (5%)
	2	<u>CAG</u>	70	18 (26%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	30 (43%)	20 (29%)	2 (3%)
		<u>AAT</u>	78	46 (59%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	30 (39%)	2 (3%)
<i>Rev1</i> ^{-/-}	1	<u>CAG</u>	92	34 (37%)	44 (48%) ^e	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	5 (5%)	9 (10%)
		<u>AAT</u>	88	49 (56%)	34 (39%) ^e	1 (1%)	1 (1%)	0 (0%)	3 (3%)
	2	<u>CAG</u>	91	36 (40%)	46 (51%) ^f	0 (0%)	5 (6%)	0 (0%)	4 (4%)
		<u>AAT</u>	90	58 (64%)	27 (30%) ^f	1 (1%)	2 (2%)	2 (2%)	0 (0%)

Exp. No. 1 and 2 show the results of two independent experiments for each MEFs. The results in 5'CAG context were adopted from Table 1. ^{a, b, d, f} p<0.001, ^c p<0.01, ^e p>0.05 when values in 5'CAG and 5'AAT are compared with each other. **'Others'** includes untargeted and multiple mutations.