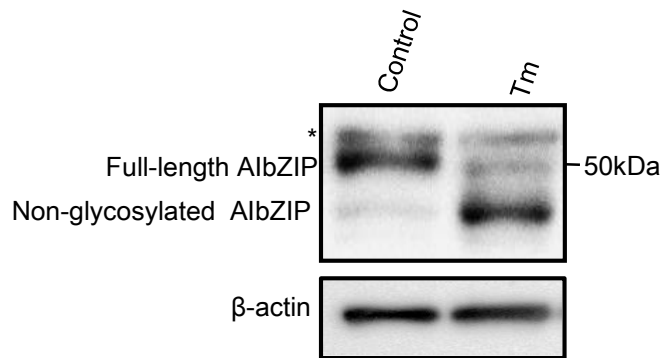


# The androgen-induced protein AlbZIP facilitates proliferation of prostate cancer cells through downregulation of p21 expression

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## Supplementary Information

# Supplementary Figure S1.



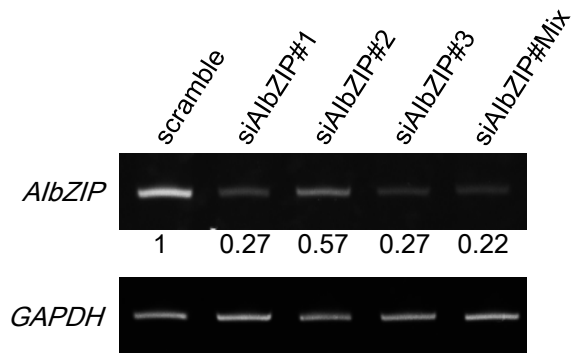
**Supplementary Figure S1. WB analysis for AlbZIP in LNCaP cells treated with tunicamycin**  
LNCaP cells were treated with 3  $\mu$ g/ml tunicamycin (Tm). Asterisk: nonspecific bands.  $\beta$ -actin was used as a loading control.

# Supplementary Figure S2.

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**Supplementary Figure S2. The GGA(A/T) core sequences within the -1 kb upstream of *AlbZIP***  
Sequences colored by green indicate the GGA(A/T) core sequences.

# Supplementary Figure S3.

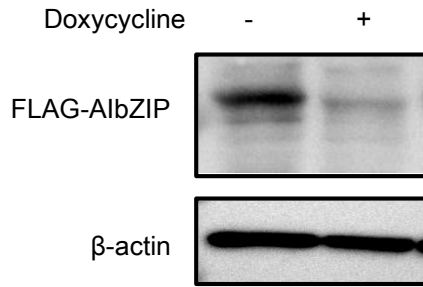


## Supplementary Figure S3. The analysis for the expressions of *AlbZIP* in LNCaP cells transfected with siRNAs targeting *AlbZIP*

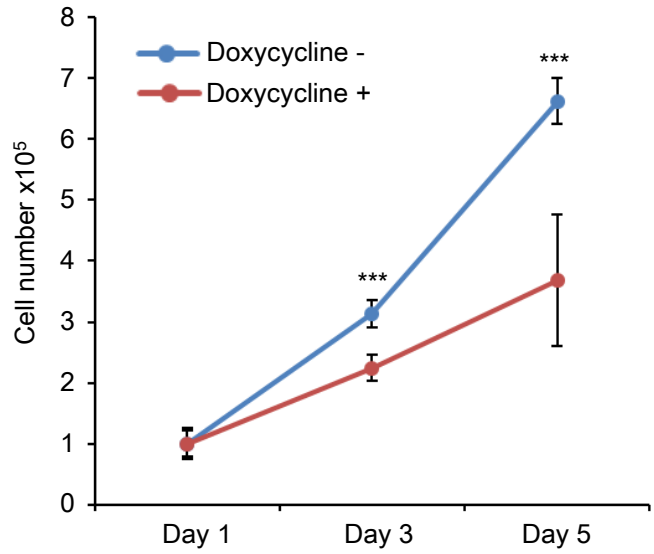
RT-PCR analysis for *AlbZIP* in LNCaP cells transfected with siRNAs targeting *AlbZIP* or scramble. Each siRNA (#1, #2, #3) for *AlbZIP* decreased the expression levels of *AlbZIP* to 27%, 57%, 27% respectively. A mixture of these siRNAs reduced the mRNA level of *AlbZIP* up to 78%. The numbers represent fold changes of mRNA levels. *GAPDH* was used as an internal control.

# Supplementary Figure S4.

(a)



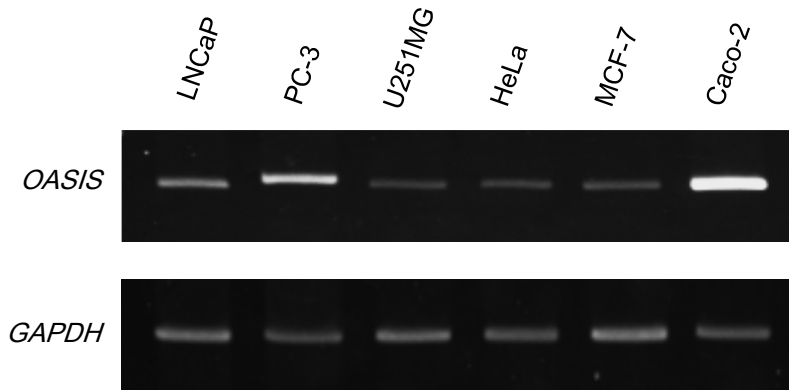
(b)



## Supplementary Figure S4. Proliferation assay for LNCaP tet-off cells stably expressing FLAG-tagged AIbZIP

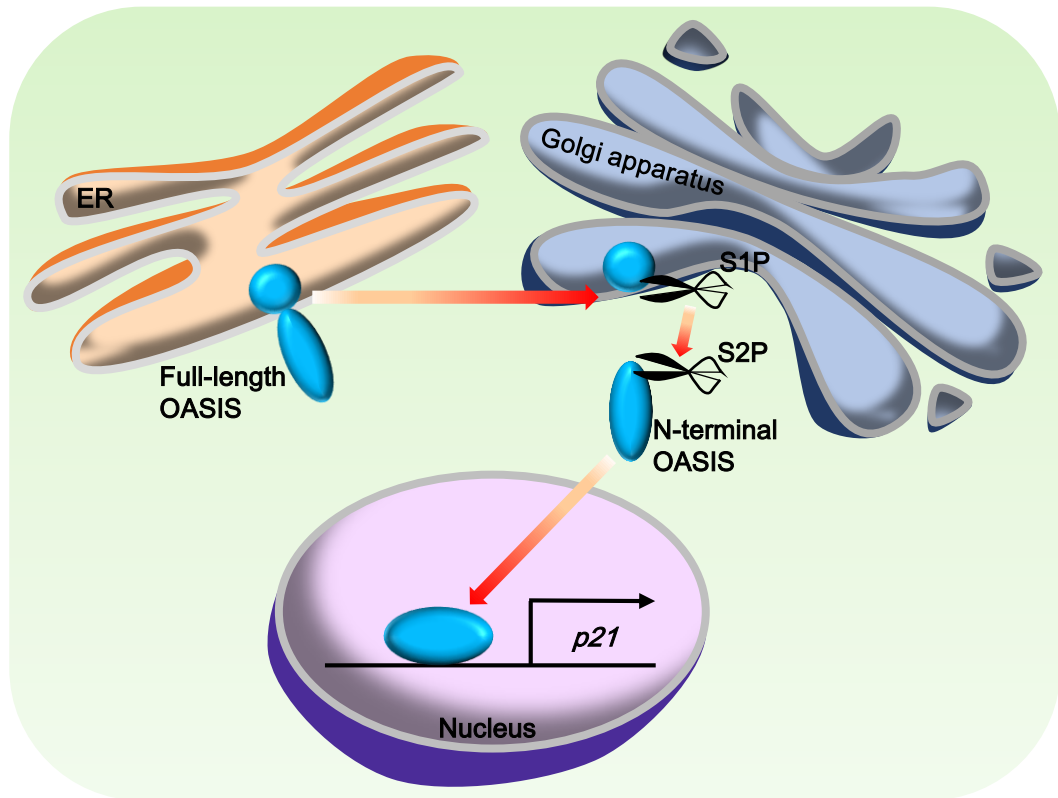
(a) WB analysis for FLAG-tagged AIbZIP in the LNCaP tet-off cells treated with doxycycline or not. (b) LNCaP tet-off cells were cultured with or without doxycycline, and the numbers of cells were counted at day 1, 3 and 5 (means  $\pm$  s.d., n = 3; \*\*\*P < 0.001, vs. Doxycycline+).

# Supplementary Figure S5.



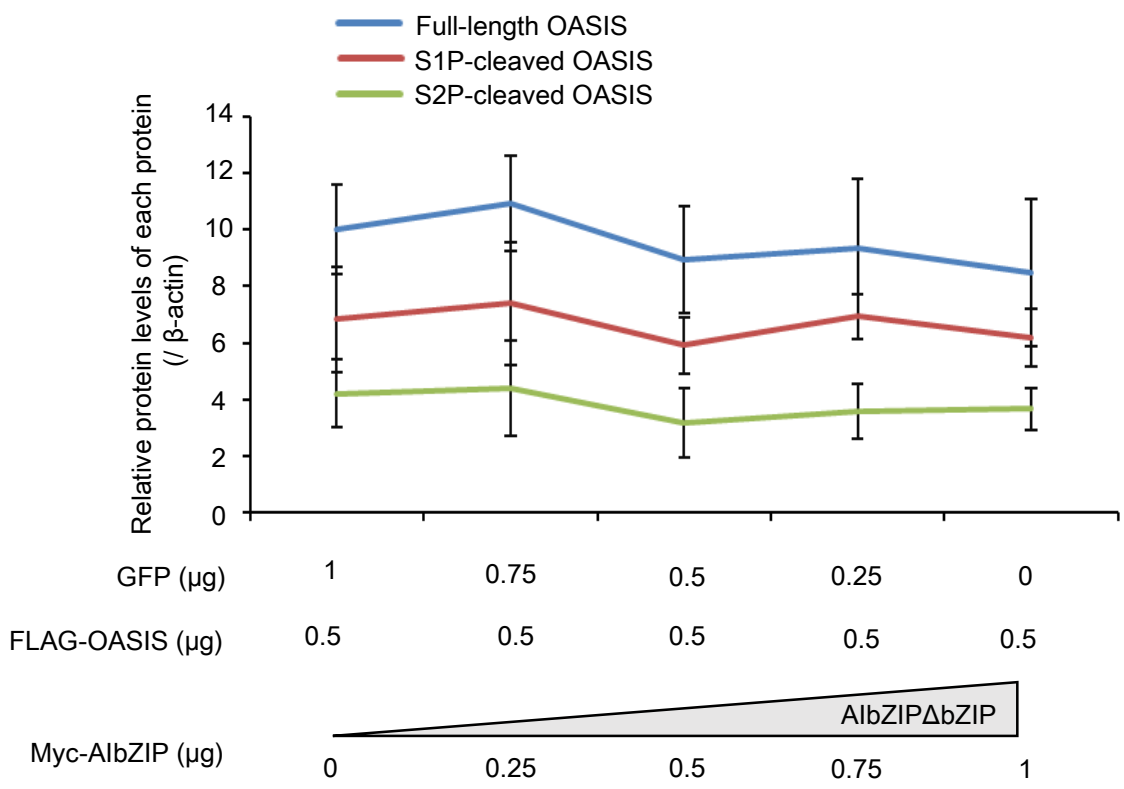
Supplementary Figure S5. RT-PCR analysis for *OASIS* in indicated cancer cell lines.

## Supplementary Figure S6.



**Supplementary Figure S6. Schematic representation for the mechanism of OASIS activation**  
In response to various stimuli, OASIS is translocated from the ER to the Golgi apparatus, and sequentially cleaved by site-1 protease (S1P) and site-2 protease (S2P). Cleaved N-terminal OASIS containing transcription activation and basic leucine zipper (bZIP) domains translocate to the nucleus to promote the transcription of target genes including *p21*.

# Supplementary Figure S7.



**Supplementary Figure S7. Quantification for protein levels of full-length, S1P-, and S2P-cleaved OASIS in Figure 7(e).** (means  $\pm$  s.d., n = 3).



**Supplementary Figure S8.**

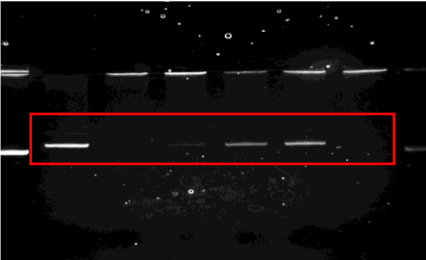


Figure 1(b) *AlbZIP*

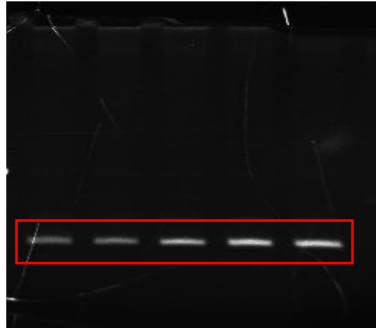


Figure 1(c) *AlbZIP*



Figure 1(c) *GAPDH*

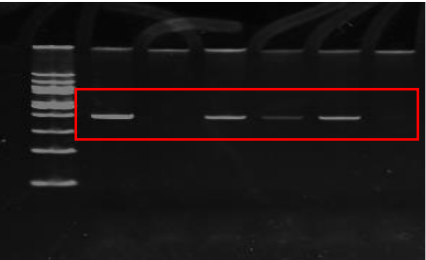


Figure 1(b) *AR*

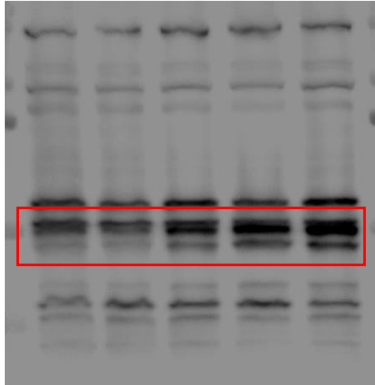


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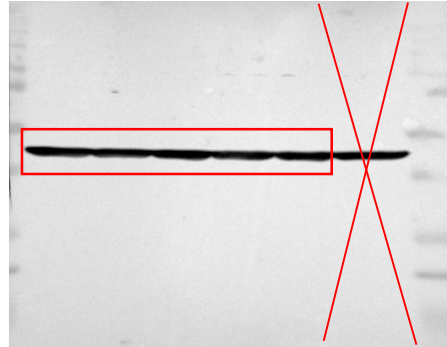


Figure 1(d)  $\beta$ -actin

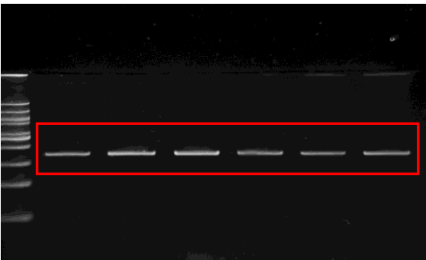


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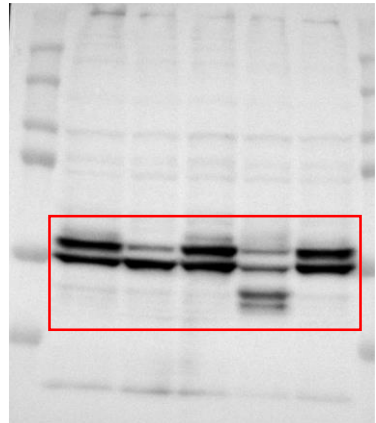


Figure 1(g) *AlbZIP*

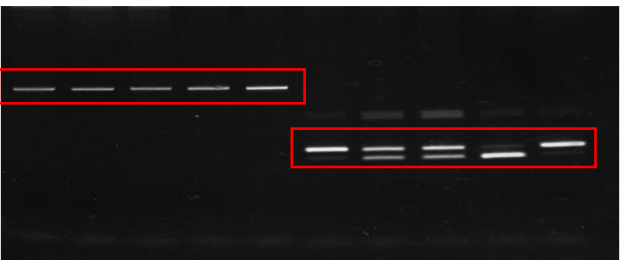


Figure 1(f) *AlbZIP*    Figure 1(f) *uXBP1, sXBP1*

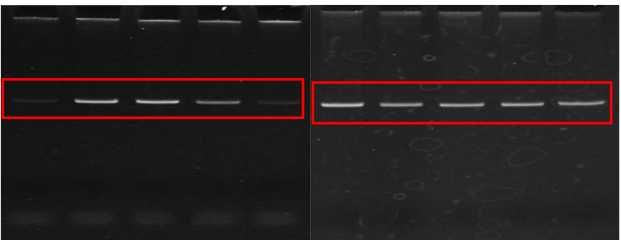


Figure 1(f) *BiP*    Figure 1(f) *GAPDH*

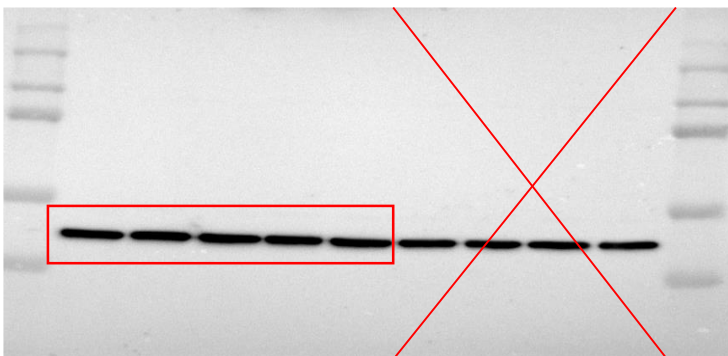
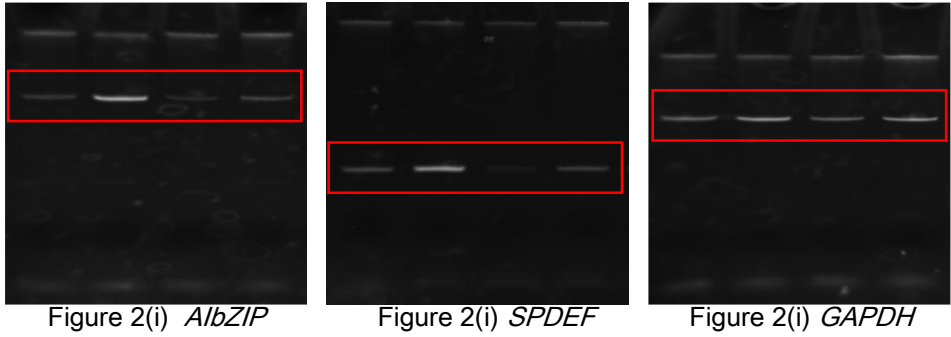
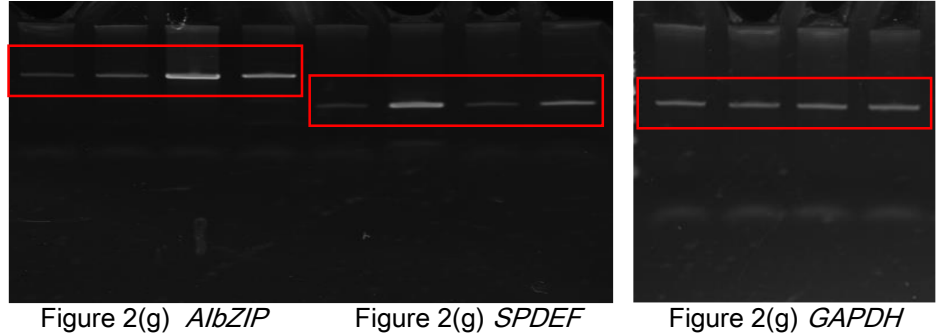
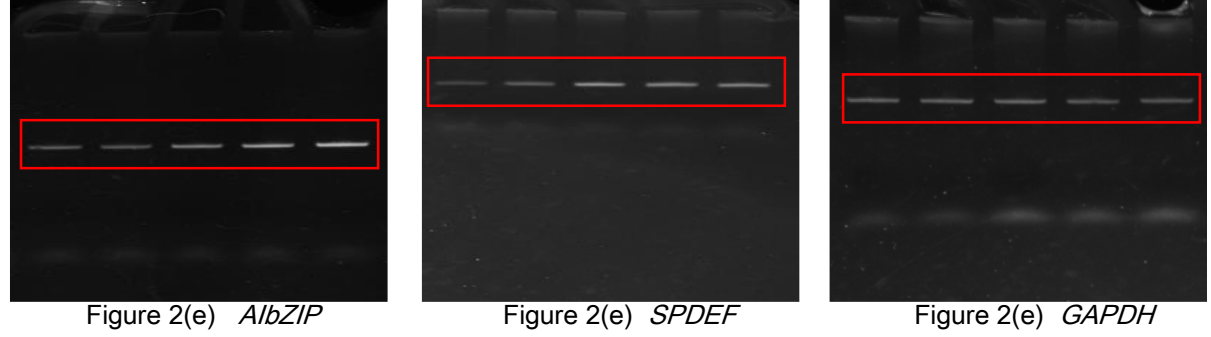
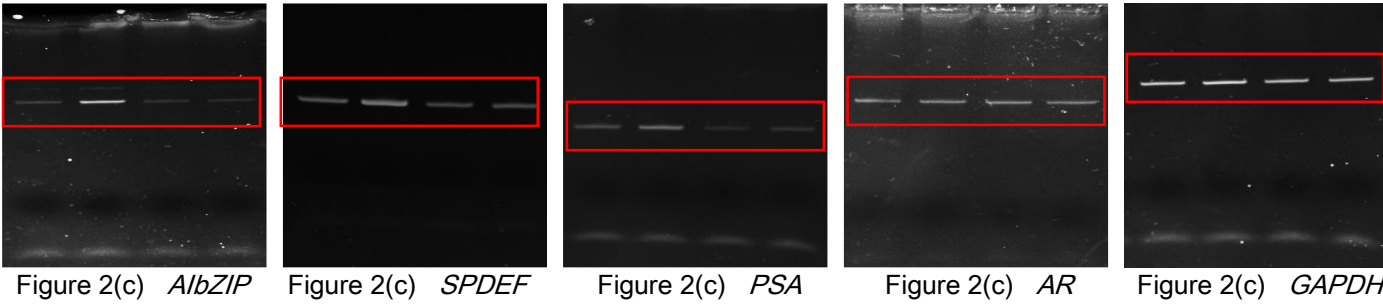
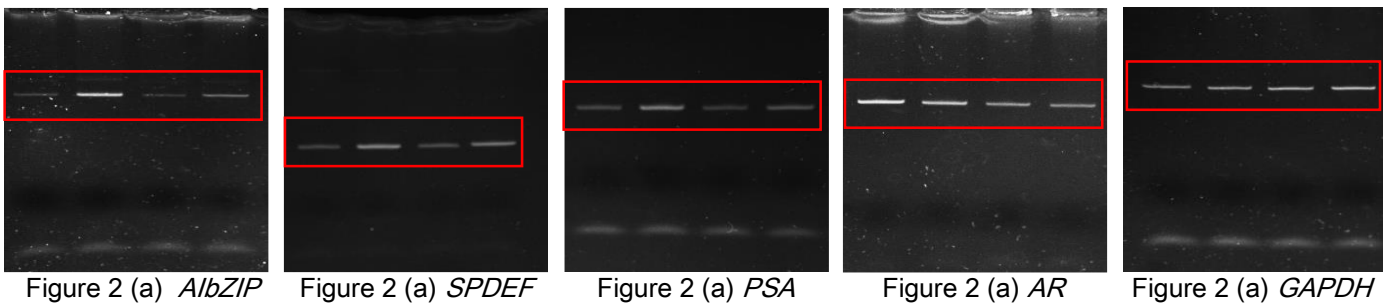


Figure 1(g)  $\beta$ -actin

# Supplementary Figure S9.



Supplementary Figure S9. Full-length gels of Figure 2(a), (c), (e), (g) and (i)

# Supplementary Figure S10.

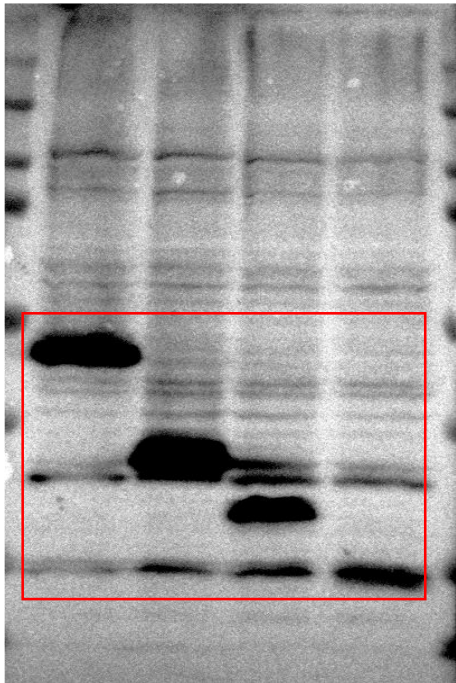


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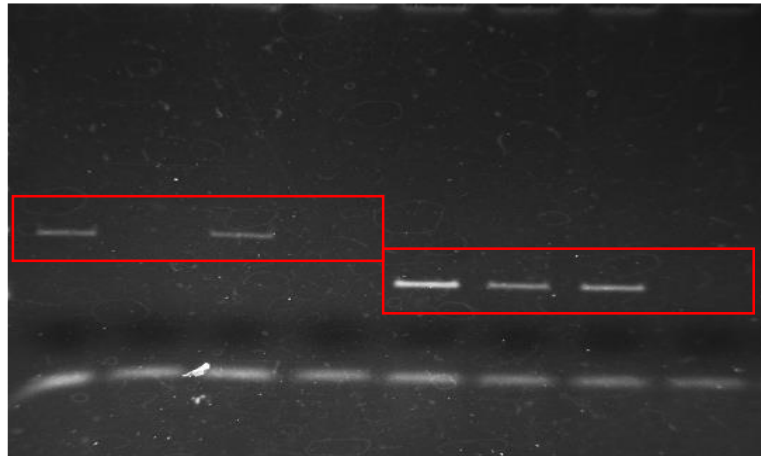


Figure 3(d) P1

Figure 3(d) P2

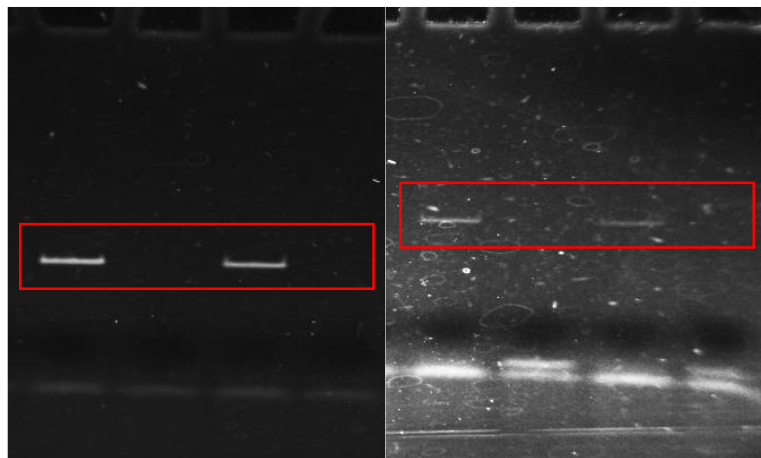


Figure 3(d) P3

Figure 3(d) P4

Supplementary Figure S10. Full-length gels/blots of Figure 3(b) and (d)

# Supplementary Figure S11.

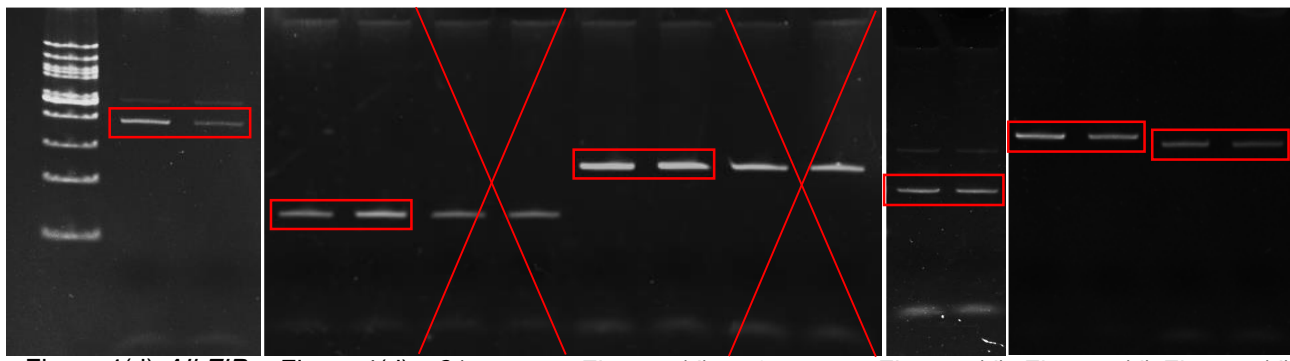


Figure 4(d) *AlbZIP*    Figure 4(d) *p21*    Figure 4(d) *p53*    Figure 4(d) *p27*    Figure 4(d) *CCNA2*    Figure 4(d) *CCNE1*



Figure 4(d) *CDK2*    Figure 4(d) *CDK4*    Figure 4(d) *GAPDH*

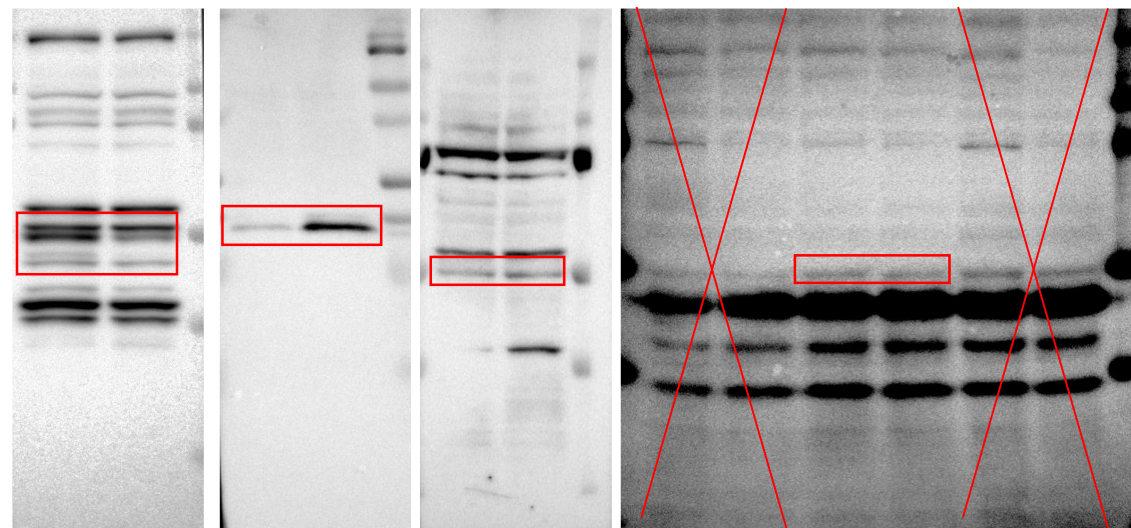


Figure 4(e) *AlbZIP*    Figure 4(e) *p21*    Figure 4(e) *p53*    Figure 4(e) *ser15p53*

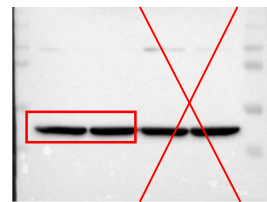


Figure 4(e)  $\beta$ -actin

## Supplementary Figure S11. Full-length gels/blots of Figure 4(d) and (e)



# Supplementary Figure S12.

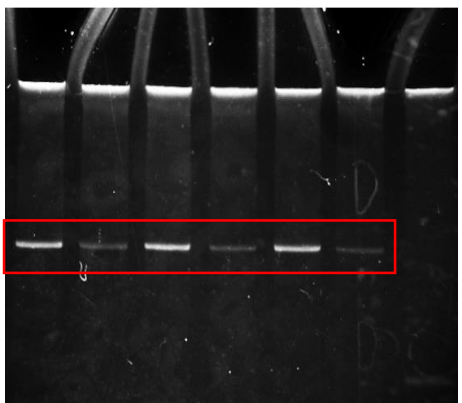


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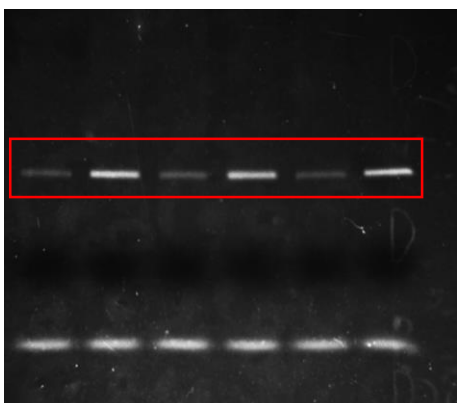


Figure 5(a) *p21*

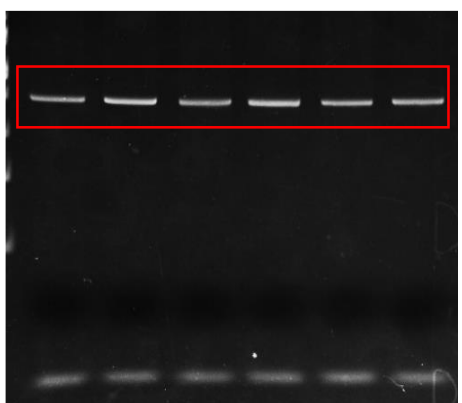


Figure 5(a) *GAPDH*

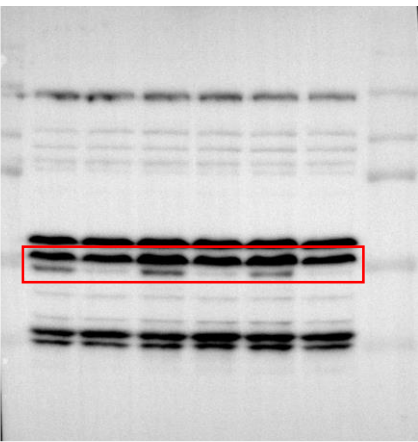


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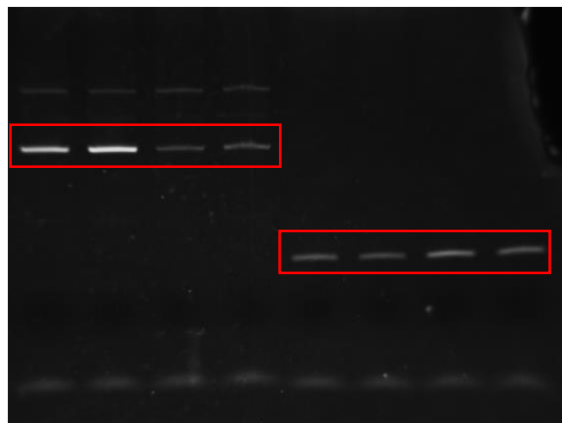


Figure 5(f) *AlbZIP*

Figure 5(f) *p21*

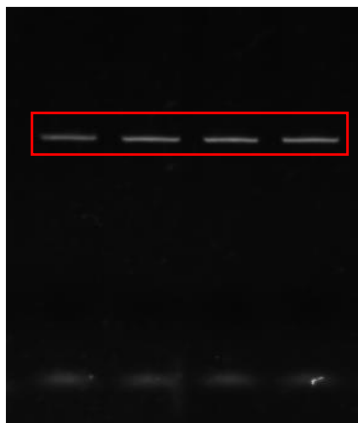


Figure 5(f) *GAPDH*

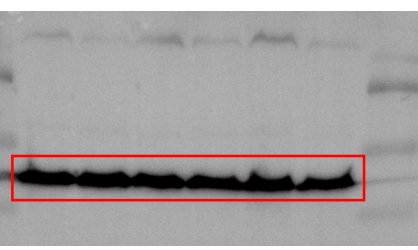


Figure 5(c)  $\beta$ -actin

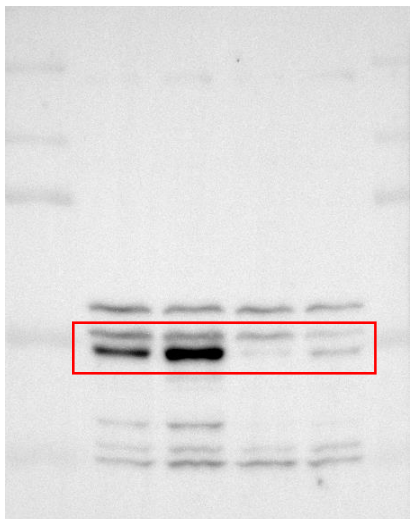


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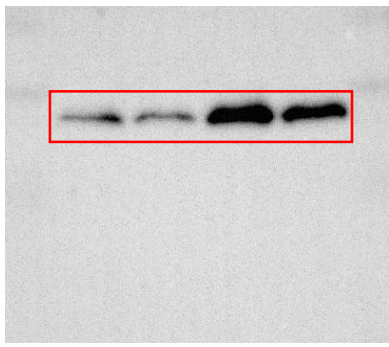


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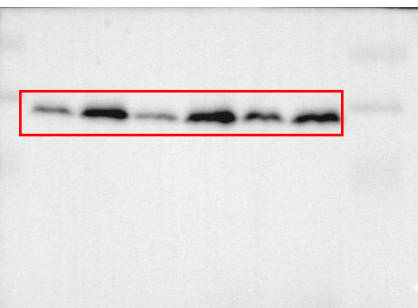


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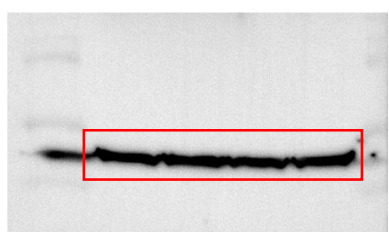


Figure 5(h)  $\beta$ -actin

# Supplementary Figure S13.

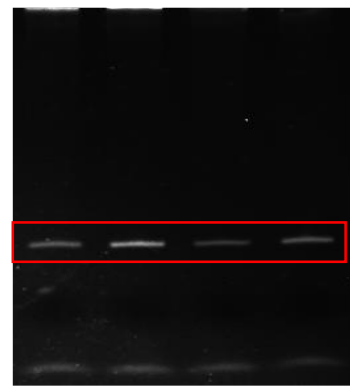


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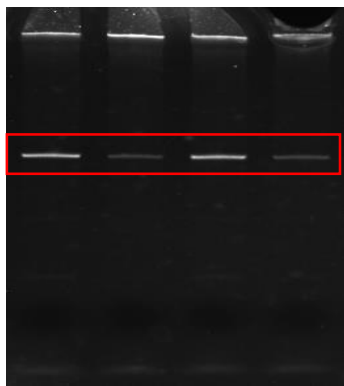


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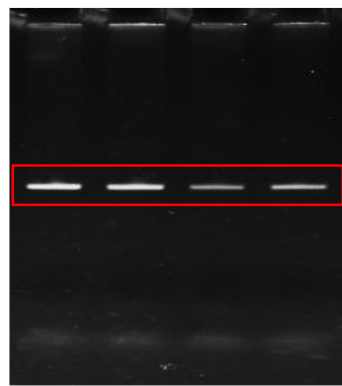


Figure 6(a) *OASIS*

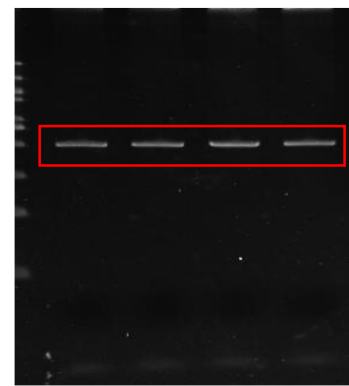


Figure 6(a) *GAPDH*

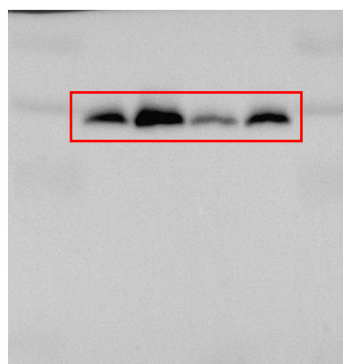


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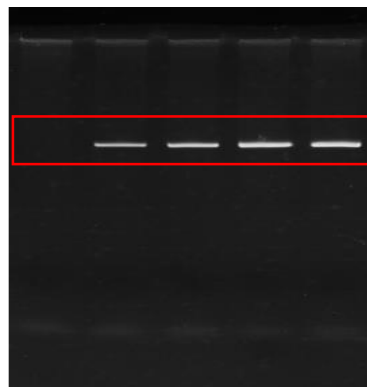


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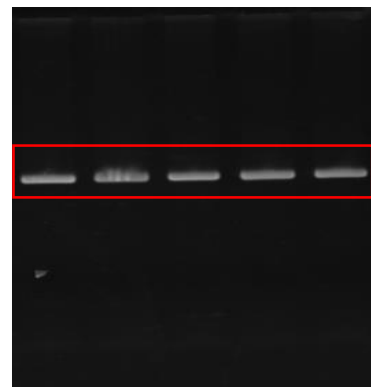


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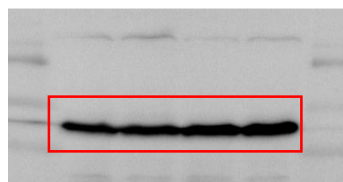


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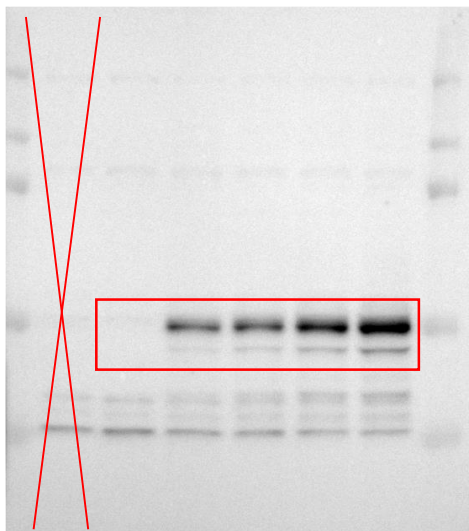


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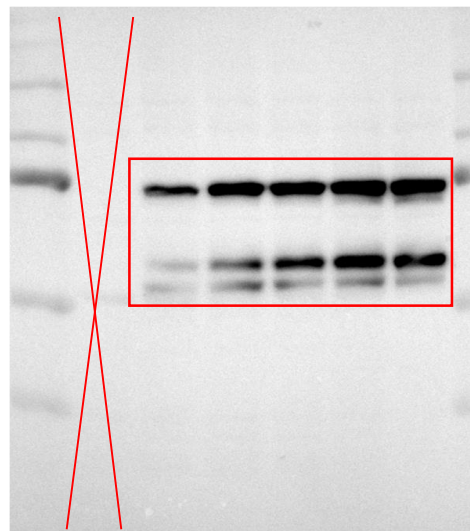


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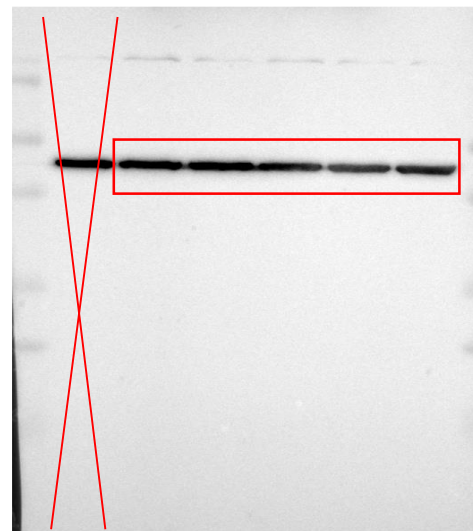


Figure 6(e)  $\beta$ -actin

# Supplementary Figure S14.

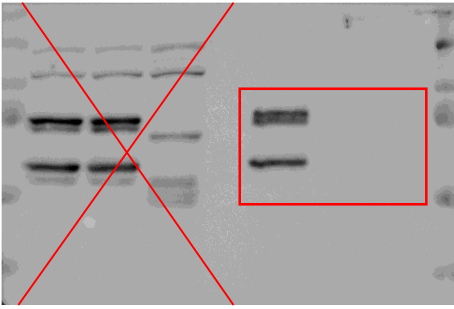


Figure 7(a) WB:OASIS  
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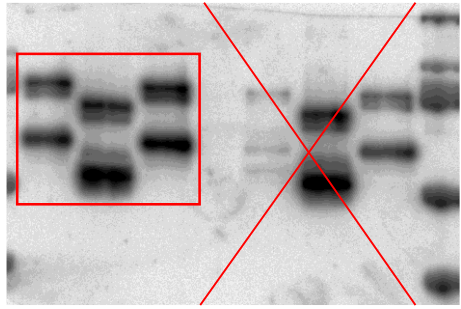


Figure 7(a) WB:OASIS  
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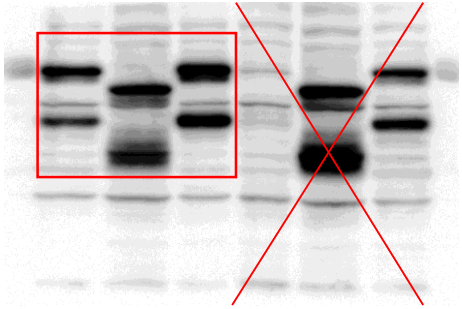


Figure 7(a) WB:OASIS  
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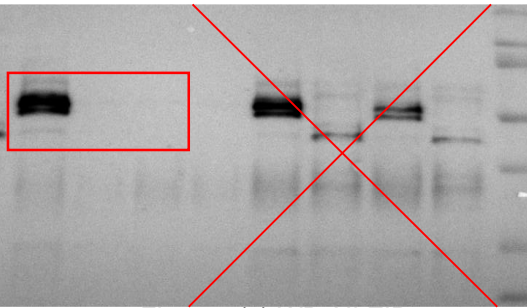


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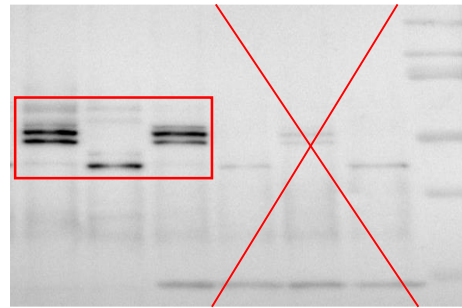


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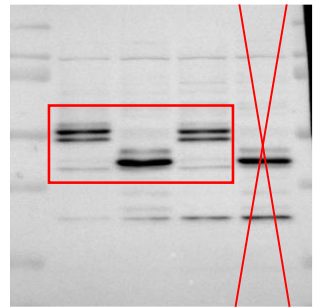


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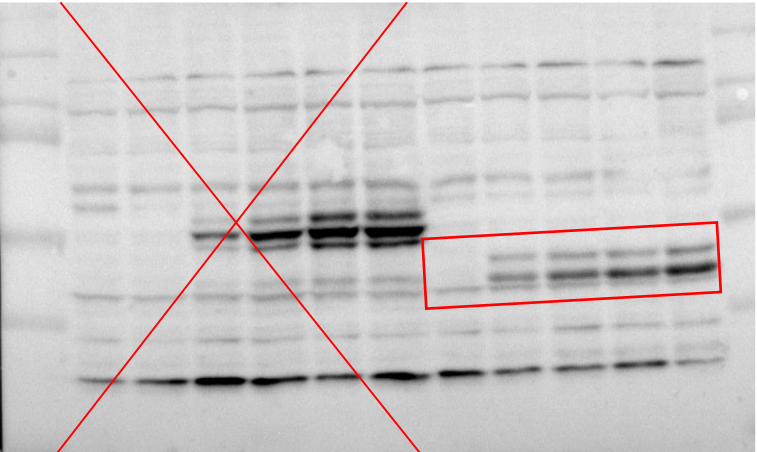


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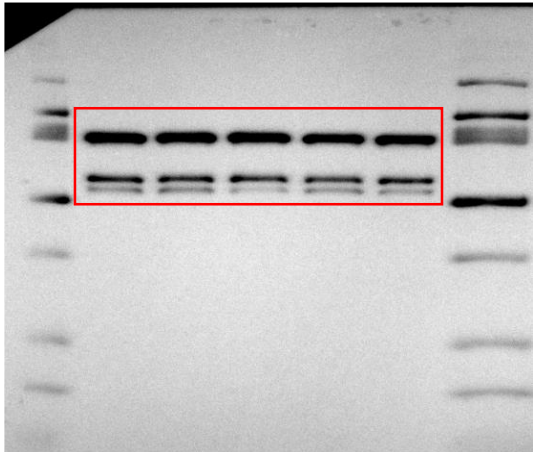


Figure 7(e) FLAG-OASIS

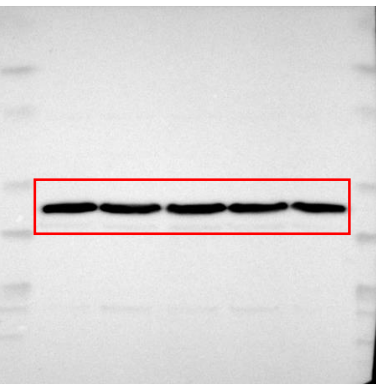


Figure 7(e) β-actin

Supplementary Figure S14. Full-length blots of Figure 7(a) and (e)

# Supplementary Table 1.

List of primers used for plasmids construction		
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Myc-AlbZIP	forward reverse	5'-ATGGAACAGAACTGATCTCTGAAGAAGACATGACAAGGATCTCGGAATCCCTGAC-3' 5'-TCACATCTCATCTGCATGCAG-3'
Myc-AlbZIP $\Delta$ bZIP	forward reverse	5'-TCCTCCAGACGCTAATTGCTCAAAC-3' 5'-GTCTGGAGGACCCTCTCCTCTGCC-3'
FLAG-SPDEF	forward reverse	5'-CCACCATGGACTACAAGGATGACGATGACAAGATGGGCAGCGCCAG-3' 5'-TCAGATGGGGTGCACGAACTGGTAG -3'
FLAG-SPDEF $\Delta$ ETS	forward reverse	5'-GCGGCCGCTCGAGTCTAGAGGGCCC-3' 5'-TCACTGCCCGGAGCATGATGAGTCCACC-3'
FLAG-SPDEF $\Delta$ SAM	forward reverse	5'-GATGAAAGAGCGGACTTCACC-3' 5'-GCCACCACCATGGACTGCAC-3'
AlbZIP-5k	forward reverse	5'-CAAGTGACTTATTCAGGGAGACTGC-3' 5'-CGGAAAGAGTCAAGAGACCTG-3'
AlbZIP-5k to -1.7k	forward reverse	5'-CAAGTGACTTATTCAGGGAGACTGC-3' 5'-CCTTCCGACGAAACAGAGAAGTGATG-3'
AlbZIP-3k to -1.7k	forward reverse	5'-CTGGGCAACAACAGCGAAAC-3' 5'-CCTTCCGACGAAACAGAGAAGTGATG-3'
AlbZIP-1.7k	forward reverse	5'-GGAAGGCTGCTTTGTCTCTTCACTAC-3' 5'-CGGAAAGAGTCAAGAGACCTG-3'
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## Supplementary Table 2.

List of antibodies			
antibody name	species	type	Manufacturer
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anti-AlbZIP	mouse	monoclonal	H00148327-AP51, Abnova
anti-FLAG M2	mouse	monoclonal	F3165, Sigma-Aldrich
anti-FLAG	rabbit	polyclonal	600-401-383, ROCKLAND
anti-p21	mouse	monoclonal	SC-6246, Santa Cruz Biotechnology
anti-p53	mouse	monoclonal	#9282, Cell Signaling Technology
anti-phospho-p53 (Ser15)	rabbit	polyclonal	#9284, Cell Signaling Technology
anti-Myc	mouse	monoclonal	M192-3, MBL
anti-Myc	rabbit	polyclonal	562, MBL
anti-calnexin	mouse	monoclonal	ADI-SPA-860, Enzo
anti-GM130	rabbit	polyclonal	D6B1, Cell Signaling Technology
anti-Histone H3	mouse	monoclonal	SC-10809, Santa Cruz Biotechnology
anti-mouse IgG	mouse	monoclonal	G3A1, Cell Signaling Technology
anti-rabbit IgG	rabbit	polyclonal	Cell Signaling Technology

## Supplementary Table 3.

List of primers used for RT-PCR

Gene	forward primer	revers primer
<i>AlbZIP</i>	5'-GGTTCCGGTAACTAGGCT-3'	5'-AGACGCTTCTCCTCATCG-3'
<i>PSA</i>	5'-CCAGACACTCACAGCAAGGA-3'	5'-CTGAGGGTTGTCTGGAGGAC-3'
<i>BiP</i>	5'-GTTTGCTGAGGAAGACAAAAAGCTC-3'	5'-CACTTCCATAGAGTTTGCTGATAAT-3'
<i>XBP1</i>	5'-CAGCAGGTGCAGGCCAGTTGTC-3'	5'-GACACTAATCAGCTGGGGAAAGAC-3'
<i>AR</i>	5'-TCCAAATCACCCCCCAGGAA-3'	5'-GACATCTGAAAGGGGGCATG-3'
<i>SPDEF</i>	5'-GTCAGCGGCCTGGATGAAAGA-3'	5'-AAGATGCCCTTCTCCTTGTTG-3'
<i>p21</i>	5'-GGAAGACCATGTGGACCTGT-3'	5'-GGCGTTTGGAGTGGTAGAAA-3'
<i>p53</i>	5'-AGTCACAGCACATGACGGAGG-3'	5'-TGGAGTCTTCCAGTGTGATGATG-3'
<i>p27</i>	5'-CAGCTTGCCCGAGTTCTACTACAG-3'	5'-AGGTCGCTTCTCATCCCTG-3'
<i>CCNE1</i>	5'-CCAGGAAGAGGAAGGCAAACG-3'	5'-GTGTTGCTCAAGAAAGTGCTG-3'
<i>CCNA2</i>	5'-GCATGTCACCGTTCCTCCTTG-3'	5'-GTGATGTCTGGCTGTTTCTTC-3'
<i>CDK2</i>	5'-GGGCCTAGCTTTCTGCCATTC-3'	5'-GGAACTTGGCTTGTAAATCAGG-3'
<i>CDK4</i>	5'-CTTCCCATCAGCACAGTTCG-3'	5'-GGTGTAAGTGCCATCTGGTAG-3'
<i>OASIS</i>	5'-GAACATGGAGGACTTCTCCAATG-3'	5'-CGGGCTCTGCTCCTGCTTCAC-3'
<i>GAPDH</i>	5'-AGGTGAAGGTCGGAGTCAAC-3'	5'-GACGGTGCCATGGAATTTGC-3'

## Supplementary Table 4.

List of siRNA sequences		
Gene	sense	anti-sense
scramble	5'-UUCUCCGAACGUGUCACGU-3'	5'-ACGUGACACGUUCGGAGAA-3'
<i>AlbZIP</i> #1	5'-GAACCAAGAAUACAGAAA-3'	5'-UUUCUGUAAUUCUUGGUUC-3'
<i>AlbZIP</i> #2	5'-CAGAAAAUCUGGAGACCCA-3'	5'-UGGGUCUCCAGAUUUUCUG-3'
<i>AlbZIP</i> #3	5'-GGAAUAAGUUUUGAGUGA-3'	5'-UCACUCAAACUUAUUC-3'
<i>AR</i>	5'-AAGAAGGCCAGUUGUAUGGAC-3'	5'-GUCCAUACAACUGGCCUUCUU-3'
<i>SPDEF</i>	5'-CCUUCUACCUCUCCUACUU-3'	5'-AAGUAGGAGAGGUAGAAGG-3'

## Supplementary Table 5.

List of primers used for ChIP assay		
primer number	forward primer	revers primer
1	5'-CTGAGTTTTGGTATTACTACTTTTC-3'	5'-CATACAGTTACCGGGAACAT-3'
2	5'-TGCTGTTCTCCATTAACGCCACAC-3'	5'-AGTCAACAGCCCGCTGACCC-3'
3	5'-TGGGGTCAGCGGGCTGTTGAC-3'	5'-GTCAGGCGGGGATTGGGTTC-3'
4	5'-ACCCAATCCCCGCCTGACAAATAAG-3'	5'-TGGCTGTTTCAGGAGAGTCAGGCCAA-3'