

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

Identification of Lysophosphatidic Acid Receptor 1 in Astroglial Cells as a Target for Glial Cell Line-derived Neurotrophic Factor Expression Induced by Antidepressants

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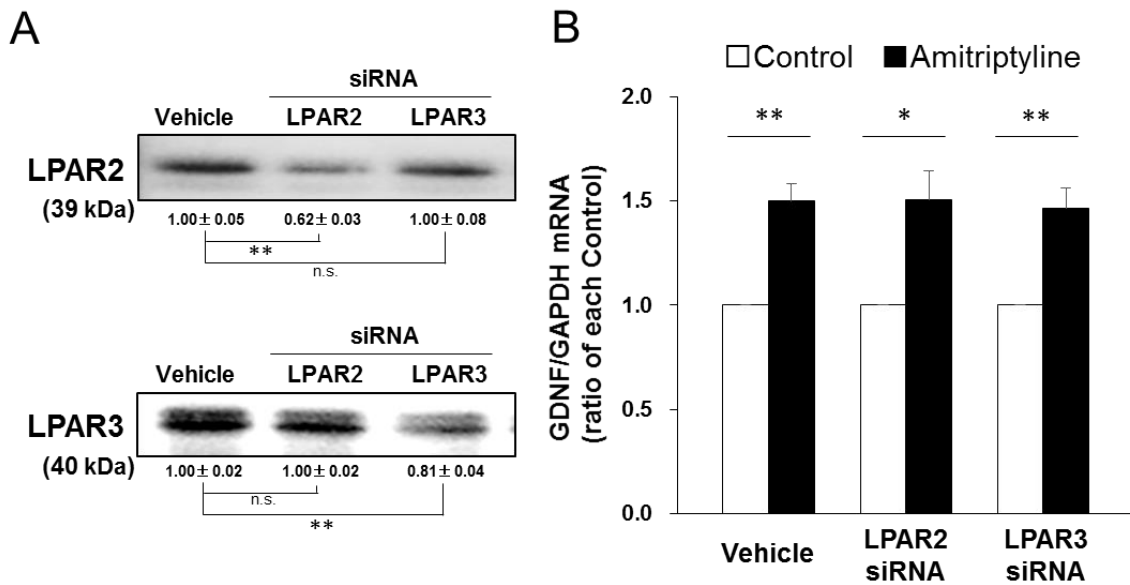


FIGURE S1. Lack of effect of knockdown of LPAR2/3 on amitriptyline-evoked GDNF mRNA expression in C6 cells. A, Effect of LPAR2/3 siRNA on LPARs protein levels. Cells were transfected with either vehicle, LPAR2, or LPAR3 siRNA for 48 h. LPAR2 and LPAR3 protein levels were quantified by immunoblotting. Immunoblots from a representative experiment are shown. The numbers under the immunoblots indicate mean \pm SEM relative-fold change in expression compared to vehicle. ** $p < 0.01$; n.s.: not statistically significant. [Bonferroni's test; $n = 5-6$]. B, Effect of LPAR2/3 siRNA on amitriptyline-evoked GDNF mRNA expression. Cells were transfected with either vehicle, LPAR2, or LPAR3 siRNA for 48 h and subsequently treated with 25 μ M amitriptyline for 3 h. * $p < 0.05$, ** $p < 0.01$ [Student's t -test; $n = 4-6$]

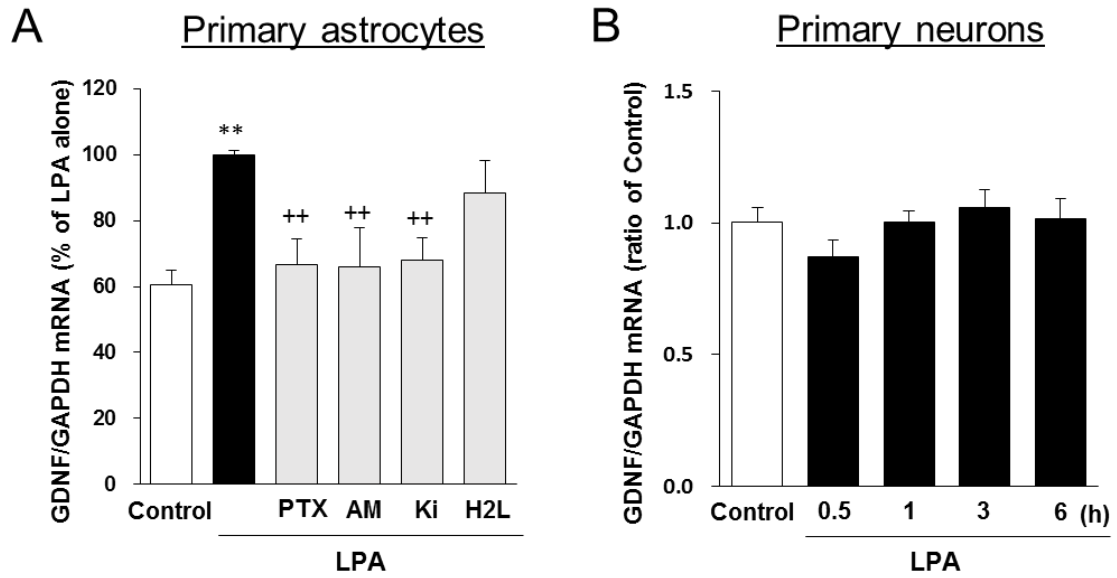


FIGURE S2. Effect of LPA on GDNF mRNA expression in primary cultured astrocytes and neurons. A, Effect of LPAR-related inhibitors on LPA-evoked GDNF mRNA expression in rat primary astrocytes. Cells were pretreated with either pertussis toxin (PTX) for 3h, or AM966 (AM), Ki16425 (Ki), or H2L5186303 (H2L) for 0.5 h and subsequently treated with 1 μ M LPA for 3 h. ** $p < 0.01$ versus control, and ++ $p < 0.01$ versus LPA alone. [Bonferroni's test; $n = 4-9$]. B, Time-dependent effect of LPA on GDNF mRNA expression in rat primary neurons. Cells were treated with 1 μ M LPA for the indicated period in hours (h).