Supplementary information

Multiple sodium channel isoforms mediate the pathological effects of Pacific ciguatoxin-1

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Supplementary Figure 1. In vitro and in vivo activity of the Nav1.7-selective inhibitor Pn3a. Nav subtype-selectivity of Pn3a was assessed using a high-throughput FLIPR^{Tetra} membrane potential assay in HEK293 cells heterologously expressing hNav1.1 – hNav1.8. (a) Representative concentration-response curve illustrating full inhibition of Nav1.7-mediated responses at concentrations >300 nM) that do not affect any other Nav subtype substantially. n = 3wells/concentration (b) IC₅₀ (expressed as –log [concentration] (M), or pIC₅₀) values of Pn3a at hNav1.1 – hNav1.8. n = 3-5 independent experiments (c) To assess in vivo on-target effects of Pn3a, effects on pain behaviours after intraplantar injection of the selective Nav1.7 activator OD1 (300 nM) were assessed as previously described (Deuis, Wingerd et al., 2016). Intraplantar administration of Pn3a (30 nM – 1 μ M, 40 μ l) significantly (P<0.05) reverses Nav1.7-mediated pain behaviours. n = 3-12 animals/group. Data is presented as mean \pm SEM. Statistical significance (*, defined as P<0.05) was determined using One-way ANOVA.