

Supplementary Figure 1 Schematic representation of differential gene expression analysis. Level three gene expression data from the TCGA lung SqCC and ADC cohorts were ranked by differential expression (in normalized TPM), P<0.05 with false discovery rate (FDR) < 5%, and a minimum fold change of two between SqCC and ADC. Identified DEGs were then compared to normal tissue to ensure normal/tumor differential expression.

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GLUT1 identified highly Supplementary Figure 2 associated as with lung SqCC. (a) Heatmap depicting the expression distribution of the most significantly differentially expressed genes between 501 SqCC and 517 ADC tumor samples from the TCGA mRNA sequencing data. (b, c) Correlative analysis of GLUT1 mRNA expression with p63, Cytokeratin 5, and Cytokeratin 6A (b), and Ki67, and PCNA (c) mRNA expression in TCGA SqCC samples. Pearson and Spearman R-values and probabilities are presented for correlations. Gene expression values are normalized TPM.

Intensity Score



Positive area Score



Supplementary Figure 3 Histopathological scoring criteria used for analysis of GLUT1 staining in human clinical tumor tissue. SqCC and ADC samples were scored by pathologists based on GLUT1 intensity and % positive area. Scale bar, 50 μ m.



Supplementary Figure 4 High GLUT1 expression is associated with SqCC phenotype in NSCLC tissue microarray samples. (a, b) Correlative analysis between SqCC-specific molecular markers p63 (a) and CK5 (b) with GLUT1 expression in human SqCC tissue microarray tumor samples (n=34). Pearson and Spearman R-values and probabilities are presented for correlations.

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Supplementary Figure 5 Characterization of GLUT1 expression in the spectrum tumors produced by the KL murine model of NSCLC. (a) Representative H&E images of tumor-bearing KL mouse lungs. (b) % distribution of histological phenotypes observed in the KL murine model of NSCLC. AAH, atypical adenomatous hyperplasia; AIS, Adenocarcinoma in situ; mADC, mucin adenocarcinoma; ADC, adenocarcinoma; SqCC, squamous cell carcinoma. (c) Representative immunofluorescent co-staining of p63 and GLUT1 in KL SqCC tumors. Scale bar, 50 µm. (d) Correlation of GLUT1 expression with p63 expression in KL murine model of NSCLC (n=11). Pearson and Spearman R-values and probabilities are presented for correlations. (e) Representative IF images of SqCC markers p63 and CK5 (left), and ADC marker TTF1 in neighboring KL SqCC and ADC tumors (right). Scale bar, 50 µm.



Supplementary Figure 6 GLUT1 is highly elevated in lung SqCC cell lines and contributes to increased glucose uptake. (a) Immunoblot analysis of SqCC markers, p63 and CK5, with GLUT1 in A549 and H522 (ADC), and HCC1588 and HCC95 (SqCC). (b) qPCR analysis of the mRNA expression of glucose transporters, GLUT1-14 and two sodium glucose transporters SGLT1 & 2, in NSCLC cell lines. GLUT1 mRNA expression was normalized relative to -actin mRNA expression. (n=4 from at least two biologically independent experiments). Error bars represent the mean s.e.m. (c) Representative flow cytometry histogram of fluorescent glucose uptake in ADC and SqCC cell lines.



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Supplementary Figure 7 GLUT1 knockdown does not affect lung ADC cell viability and in vivo tumor growth. (a) Immunoblot analysis of GLUT1 expression in control shGFP and shGLUT1 A549 and H522 ADC cells. (b) In vitro proliferation of control shGFP and shGLUT1 A549 and H522 ADC cells (n=6 each group from two biologically independent experiments). Two-way ANOVA, ****P<0.0001. (c) Cell viability was assayed via Annexin-V and 7-AAD staining in control shGFP and shGLUT1 A549 and H522 ADC cells (n=2 each group from two biologically independent experiments). ANOVA. (d) Representative fluorescent images (left), and quantification (right) of fluorescent glucose uptake in shGFP and shGLUT1 A549 and H522 cells (n=3, 6-9 images were captured in each group for quantification). Two-tailed t-test, ****P<0.0001, ***P<0.001. Scale bar, 25 μm. (e) Comparison of relative intracellular ATP levels between shGFP and shGLUT1 A549 and H522 cells (n=6 each group from two - three biologically independent experiments). Two-tailed t-test. (f) In vivo tumor growth (left) and representative GLUT1 immunoblot (right) of shGFP and shGLUT1 A549 and H522 xenograft tumors (n=4 for each group). Scale bars, 50 μm. (g, h) Individual growth curves of shGFP (left) and shGLUT1 (right) xenograft tumors of HCC95 SqCC cells (g) and A549 and H522 ADC cells (h) All error bars represent the mean s.e.m.



Supplementary Figure 8 Transient GLUT1 knockdown inhibits in vitro proliferation of lung SqCC while SqCC cell line HCC2814 is susceptible to GLUT1 knockdown. (a) Immunoblot analysis of GLUT1 expression in control siScramble (siScr) and siGLUT1 ADC (A549 and H522) and SqCC (HCC95 and HCC1588) cells. (b) In vitro proliferation of control siScr and siGLUT1 ADC (A549 and H522) and SqCC (HCC95 and HCC1588) cells (n=4 each group from two biologically independent experiments). Two-way ANOVA, ****P<0.0001, *P<0.05. (c) Quantification of fluorescent glucose uptake in siScr and siGLUT1 ADC (A549 and H522) and SqCC (HCC95 and HCC1588) cells (n=2, 8 images were captured in each group for quantification). Two-tailed t-test, ****P<0.0001, ***P<0.001. (d) Immunoblot analysis of GLUT1 expression in control shGFP and shGLUT1 HCC2814 cells. (e) In vitro proliferation of control shGFP and shGLUT1 HCC2814 cells (n=2 each group from two biologically independent experiments). Two-way ANOVA, ****P<0.0001. (f) Cell viability was assayed via Annexin-V and 7-AAD staining in control shGFP and shGLUT1 HCC2814 cells (n=2 each group from two biologically independent experiments). ANOVA, ****P<0.0001, ***P<0.001, *P<0.05 (g) Fluorescent glucose uptake in shGFP and shGLUT1 HCC2814 cells (n=2, 8 images were captured in each group for quantification). ****P<0.0001. (h) Comparison of relative intracellular ATP levels between Two-tailed t-test. shGFP and shGLUT1 HCC2814 cells (n=3 each group from two biologically independent experiments). Two-tailed t-test, ****P<0.0001, ***P<0.001.



Supplementary Figure 9 Elevated glycolytic and branching pathways in TCGA lung SqCC patient tumor samples. (a) The top 30 KEGG gene sets enriched in SqCC patients (n=501) compared to ADC patients (n=517) by GSEA. Red box highlights glycolysis or gene sets which branch from glycolysis. (b) GSEA mountain plots for an enrichment of genes belonging to the KEGG gene sets for fructose and mannose metabolism, pentose phosphate pathway, pyruvate metabolism, and starch and sucrose metabolism in SqCC gene expression profiles compared to ADC. NES, normalized enrichment score. (c) Schematic diagram of chosen glycolytic targets and inhibitors in the current study.



Supplementary Figure 10 Lung SqCC cells are selectively susceptible to glycolytic inhibition. (a, b) Flow cytometry of cell viability assay using Annexin V-PE and 7-AAD after treatment with glycolytic inhibitor, 2-DG (25mM) (a) and GLUT1 inhibitor, WZB117 (50µM) (b) for 48-72 hours (n=5 each group from at least three biologically independent experiments).

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Supplementary Figure 11 GLUT3 does not functionally contribute to lung ADC in vitro proliferation. (a) qRT-PCR analysis of GLUT3 expression in shGFP control and shGLUT3 A549 and H522 (n=2 from 2 biologically independent experiments). (b) In vitro proliferation of control shGFP and shGLUT3 A549 and H522 ADC cells (n=4 each group from two biologically independent experiments). Two-way ANOVA.



Supplementary Figure 12 NSCLC xenograft tumors. Representative H&E and immunofluorescent images of GLUT1 and p63 in serial sections from ADC (A549 and H522) and SqCC (HCC95 and HCC1588) xenograft tumors. Scale bar, 100 μ m.



Supplementary Figure 13 Growth of individual xenograft tumors under vehicle, 2-DG, or WZB117 treatment. (a, b) Individual xenograft tumor growth of ADC A549 (PBS, n=9; 2-DG, n=5) (a) and SqCC HCC1588 (PBS, n=12; 2-DG, n=12) (b) tumors treated with PBS as vehicle or glycolytic inhibitor 2-DG (500mg/kg, once daily). (c, d) Individual xenograft tumor growth of ADC A549 (PBS, n=11; WZB117, n=6) (c) and H1299 (PBS, n=5; WZB118, n=5) (d) tumors treated with PBS/DMSO as vehicle or GLUT1 inhibitor WZB117 (10mg/kg, once daily) (e, f) Individual xenograft tumor growth of SqCC HCC1588 (PBS, n=7; WZB117, n=5) (e) and HCC2814 (PBS, n=5; WZB117, n=4) (f) tumors treated with PBS/DMSO as vehicle or GLUT1 inhibitor, WBZ117 (10mg/kg, once daily).



Supplementary Figure 14 Elevated PIK3/AKT/HIF-1 pathways in TCGA patient samples. (a, b) GISTIC analysis of TCGA SqCC tumor samples shows the landscape of genomic amplifications (a) and deletions (b). (c, d) Correlation analysis of mRNA expression (normalized TPM) and copy number variation of PIK3CA (c) and PTEN (d) in the TCGA cohort of lung SqCC (n=498). Spearman r is provided for correlation.(e, f) GSEA mountain plots for the enrichment of AKT and mTOR oncogenic signatures in SqCC compared to ADC. NES, normalized enrichment score. (g) GLUT1 mRNA expression (normalized TPM) and the genomic loss of CDKN2B (p15) in TCGA SqCC patients. Each dot represents one SqCC patient (n=501). n.s., not significant. (h) GSEA mountain plot for the enrichment score. (i) Heatmap depicting analysis of HIF-1 target gene expression profiles of the TCGA SqCC and ADC patients.



Supplementary Figure 15 Elevated PI3K/AKT signaling is associated with GLUT1 expression in TCGA lung SqCC tumors. (a) Pan-TCGA analysis of PIK3CA mRNA expression. Boxes represent the median the interquartile range, error bars are drawn from the 10th to the 90th percentile, outliers are denoted with open circles. (b, c) Correlative analysis of GLUT1 mRNA expression (nprmalized TPMA) and RPPA PI3K pathway signaling protein expression in the TCGA cohorts of lung SqCC, n=328 (b) and ADC, n=365 (c). Spearman correlation coefficients are presented with probabilities for correlations.



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Supplementary Figure 16 Elevated PIK3/AKT/HIF-1 pathways in lung SqCC cell lines and xenograft tumors. (a) IHC analysis of p-AKT in KL mouse model. Scale bar, 100 µm. (b) Immunoblot analysis of p-AKT level in ADC cell lines, A549 and H522, and SqCC cell lines, HCC1588 and HCC95. (c) IHC analysis of p-AKT and HIF-1 expression in ADC (A549 and H522) and SqCC (HCC95 and HCC1588) cell line-derived xenograft tumors. Scale bar, 100 µm.



Supplementary Figure 17 High GLUT1 expression is associated poor survival in TCGA lung ADC tumors. Kaplan-Meier 5-year survival analysis comparing GLUT1 high and low expressing patients in the TCGA lung ADC cohort. GLUT1 high and low groups were separated by the median expression. Significance was determined with log rank test. P=0.002; HR, 1.74.



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Supplementary Figure 18 GLUT1 mRNA expression in Kras or EGFR mutant lung ADC tumors. (a) TCGA mRNA sequencing analysis of GLUT1 mRNA expression (normalized TPM) in ADC patients (n=518) with KRAS activating mutations (n=73), EGFR mutations (n=32), LKB1 mutations (n=40), BRAF mutations (n=22), PIK3CA mutations (n=15), and PTEN mutations (n=3). Boxes represent the median the interquartile range, error bars are drawn from the 10th to the 90th percentile, outliers are denoted with open circles. Mann Whitney u-test, ns, not significant. (b) Analysis of TCGA GLUT1 mRNA expression (normalized TPM) and PIK3CA genomic copy number alteration profiles. Each dot represents one ADC patient (n=518). Boxes represent the interquartile range and whiskers are drawn to the minimum and maximum. Kruskal-Wallis non-parametric ANOVA.





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Supplementary Figure 19 Serine biosynthesis and pentose phosphate pathway in lung SqCC. (**a**, **b**) TCGA mRNA sequencing expression (normalized TPM) of serine biosynthesis genes (**a**) and pentose phosphate pathway genes (**b**) in TCGA ADC and SqCC tumor samples. Error bars represent the mean s.e.m. Mann Whitney u-test. ****P<0.0001, ***P<0.001. (c) Nrf2 mRNA expression in TCGA ADC and SqCC tumor samples. Mann Whitney u-test. ****P<0.0001.

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Supplementary Figure 20 High GLUT1 expression is correlated with proliferation markers in lung ADC. Correlative analysis of GLUT1 mRNA expression with proliferative markers, Ki67 (left) and PCNA (right), mRNA expressions in the TCGA cohort of ADC (n=517). Pearson and Spearman R-values and probabilities are presented for correlations. Gene expression values are normalized TPM.



Supplementary Figure 21 Hematological and histological profiles of WZB117-treated mice. (a) Comparison of hematocrit, RBC count, WBC count, platelet content, and hemoglobin in vehicle (n=3) and WZB117 (n=3) treated mice after 3 weeks of treatment (10mg/kg daily). Error bars represent mean \pm s.e.m. Two-tailed t-test. (b) Comparison of representative H&E stained tissues of brain, muscle, lung, heart, liver, kidney, and pancreas of vehicle (n=3) and WZB117 (n=3) treated mice after 3 weeks of treatment (10mg/kg daily). Error bars











Related to Supplementary Fig. 8d

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Supplementary Figure 22 Unprocessed immunoblots Unprocessed, uncropped images of immunoblots are presented with reference to the original figures for each blot.

ID	Histology	Sex	Age	Smoking status	ΡY	Pathologic stage	Tumor cell differentiation	SUVmax	GLUT1 IHC Intensity score	GLUT1 IHC positive area (%)	mRNA tumor	mRNA normal
1	ADC (A100)	М	65	current	30	la	well	4.8	0	0	23.75	1.07
2	ADC (A80 P10 L10)	Μ	64	current	45	lb	well	6	0	0	6.59	3.39
3	ADC (P100)	Μ	80	former	33	la	moderately	3.2	0	0	5.1	1.97
4	ADC (L90 A10 Muc)	Μ	55	former	30	lb	moderately	1.9	0	0	10.48	4.92
5	ADC (A70 P30)	F	68	never	0	lb	moderately	4	0	0	5.24	2.27
6	ADC (A60 P40)	F	74	never	0	V	moderately	5.6	0	0	6.06	13.55
7	ADC (A80 P19 MP1)	F	76	never	0	lb	moderately	7.5	2	1	15.67	10.63
8	ADC (P80 A10 L10)	F	71	never	0	lb	well	10.9	1	5	5.06	1.82
9	ADC (P85 MP15)	F	58	never	0	llla	moderately	5.4	2	10	3.68	1
10	ADC (A50 MP30 P20)	Μ	61	former	20	lla	well	11.7	2	20	13.27	2.38
11	SqCC	F	56	former	10	la	moderately	11	3	20	117.78	24.08
12	SqCC	Μ	77	current	50	la	moderately	7.5	3	30	17.75	3.23
13	SqCC	Μ	72	current	50	lla	moderately	11.9	3	30	238.86	3.23
14	SqCC	Μ	57	former	35	lla	moderately	18.9	3	40	17.88	1.68
15	ADC (A90 S10)	Μ	63	current	40	lla	moderately	12.8	3	40	85.04	1.95
16	ADC (A50 MP40 P10)	Μ	55	current	40	llla	moderately	16.3	3	40	28.25	57.28
17	SqCC	Μ	61	former	35	lla	moderately	8.9	3	45	91.77	3.92
18	ADC (A70 P30)	F	69	never	0	la	moderately	9.2	3	50	8	66.72
19	SqCC	Μ	74	former	40	lb	poorly	38.6	3	50	11.55	7.21
20	ADC (A95 S5 feta)	Μ	54	current	30	lb	moderately	13.1	1	60	12.04	15.03
21	SqCC	F	70	current	20	la	moderately	9.3	3	60	235.57	4.23
22	SqCC	Μ	77	former	25	lb	moderately	19.1	3	60	151.17	33.13
23	SqCC	F	69	never	0	lla	moderately	37.1	3	60	5.86	
24	SqCC	Μ	59	former	40	lla	moderately	12.5	3	60	10.85	3.97
25	SqCC	Μ	63	current	75	llla	moderately	12.1	3	60	276.28	1.58
26	SqCC	Μ	70	former	75	llb	poorly	17.7	3	65	120.26	1.73
27	SqCC	Μ	71	current	50	llb	moderately	14.7	3	80	380.04	2.27
28	ADC (A95 S5 muc)	Μ	65	former	30	llb	moderately		3	80	65.8	1.65
29	SqCC	Μ	61	current	35	llb	moderately	16.4	3	80	152.22	1.47
30	SqCC	Μ	64	former	30	la	moderately	8.9	3	90	205.07	2.31
31	SqCC	Μ	66	former	38	lla	moderately	21.5	2	100	140.07	1.69
32	SqCC	Μ	64	current	20	la	moderately	6.7	3	100	60.97	3.73
33	SqCC	Μ	57	current	60	la	moderately	7.4	3	100	167.73	
34	SqCC	Μ	71	former	6	lb	moderately	15.2	3	100	44.32	38.32
35	SqCC	Μ	50	former	50	lb	moderately	10.3	3	100	178.53	1.99
36	SqCC	М	63	former	60	lla	poorly	20.3	3	100	58.08	1.16

Supplementary Table 1: Clinical characteristics of NSCLC patient cohort

Abbreviations: PY, pack-year of smoking; IHC, immunohistochemistry; ADC, adenocarcinoma; SqCC, squamous cell carcinoma. A, Acinar ADC; P, Papillary ADC; L, Lepidic ADC; MP, Micropapillary ADC; S, Solid ADC; Muc, Mucinous; feta, fetal ADC

SUVmax by 18F-FDG PET scan.

GLUT1 mRNA is relative expression.

PDX No.	Histology	Age	Sex	Stage	Clinical Outcome	Source	Disease Free (M)	KRAS*	EGFR*
E784	SqCC	60s	М	IA	no recurrence	tumor	36.2		
E1110	SqCC	70s	М	IIA	recurrence	tumor	13.5		
E1034	SqCC	50s	М	IB	no recurrence	tumor	11.9		
E1036	SqCC	80s	М	IIIB	recurrence	tumor	5.6		
E1088	SqCC	50s	М	IIIA	no recurrence	tumor	5.7		
E1024	SqCC	50s	М	IB	no recurrence	tumor	6.2		
E1069	SqCC	60s	М	IIB	no recurrence	tumor	6.8		
E1124	ADC	50s	М	IV	metastasis	tumor	0.0		
E851	ADC	60s	F	IV	metastasis	pl. effusion	0.0	G12V	wt
E1032	ADC	60s	М	IV	metastasis	pl. effusion	0.0	wt	wt
E994	ADC	30s	М	IV	metastasis	pl. effusion	0.0	wt	ex19del
E815	ADC	60s	М	IIB	recurrence	tumor	6.9	wt	wt
E1104	ADC	70s	М	IV	metastasis	tumor	0.0	wt	wt
E1092	ADC	70s	М	IB	no recurrence	tumor	15.0	wt	ex19del

Supplementary Table 2: Clinical characteristics of patient cohort used to establish PDX model

* KRAS and EGFR mutational statuses are not available from all SqCC patients and ADC patient E1124

		P53	KRAS	EGFR	LKB1	PIK3CA	PTEN
	H23	M247I	G12C	WT	W332STOP	WT	WT
	A549	WT	G12S	WT	Del, Q37STOP	WT	WT
	A427	WT	G12D	WT	WT	WT	WT
Ā	H1299	Del	WT	WT	WT	Del	WT
	H522	Del	WT	WT	WT	Amp	WT
	H1568	H179R	WT	WT	Del	WT	WT
I	H1155	R273H	61H`	WT	WT	D843E	R233STOP
1	HCC1588	WT	G12D	WT	WT	WT	WT
	H1897	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
S	HCC2450	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
ğ	H1869	M247I	WT	WT	WT	WТ	WT
ĵ,	HCC95	WT	WT	WT	Del	Amp	WT
I	HCC15	D259V	WТ	WТ	Del	Del	WТ

Supplementary Table 3: Mutational status of NSCLC cell lines

Supplementary Table 4: qRT-PCR primer sequences for hGLUT1-14 (hSLC2A1-14)

Gene	Orientation	Sequences (5'-3')
hSLC2A1	Forward Reverse	ACCTCAAATTTCATTGTGGG GAAGATGAAGAACAGAACCAG
hSLC2A2	Forward Reverse	AGAAGATTAGACTTGGACTCTC GTGACCTTATCTTCTGTCATTG
hSLC2A3	Forward Reverse	GGATAACTATAATGGGATGAGC CCACAATAAACCAGGGAATG
hSLC2A4	Forward Reverse	TCCTTCCTCATTGGTATCATC CCAAGGATGAGCATTTCATAG
hSLC2A5	Forward Reverse	TAAATTTGGCAGAAAAGGGG ATATTCCCACCAAAAGTCTG
hSLC2A6	Forward Reverse	TCTTCATCATGGGCTACG CGCGAAGAAGAAGAAAGG
hSLC2A7	Forward Reverse	AATGCGATCAACTACTATGC CGTTACATATTGGGAGTGAG
hSLC2A8	Forward Reverse	CAAGTTCAAGGACAGCAG TCTGTCCATGATGAGAGC
hSLC2A9	Forward Reverse	AAAAGTGAACCATGAAGCTC GTCCAATTTCTTTTCGCTG
hSLC2A10	Forward Reverse	GATCTCATTGGCACCATC AACTGCTGGTCTATCTCTG
hSLC2A11	Forward Reverse	GGATTTCCCTTTATCATGGAG AGATCTCTTGGAAGGTCTTG
hSLC2A12	Forward Reverse	GACTGTAACTGATCTTATTGGC ATTTGTTCCAAAGAGCATCC
hSLC2A13	Forward Reverse	ATGGAGCTTTCTTCCTCTATG CACATGTACATAGCCTGTTG
hSLC2A14	Forward Reverse	CTGTGTTCTATTACTCAACAGG GATAGTATTAACCACACCCG
hACTIN	Forward Reverse	GTGACAGCAGTCGGTTGGAG AGGACTGGGCCATTCTCCTT

Gene	RNA	Sequence
HIF-1A	shHIF-1α	CCGGTGCTCTTTGTGGTTGGATCTACTCGAGTAGATCCAACCACAAAGAGCATTTTT
SLC2A1	shGLUT1 #1	CCGGGCCACACTATTACCATGAGAACTCGAGTTCTCATGGTAATAGTGTGGCTTTTTG
SLC2A1	shGLUT1 #2	CCGGTGCTCTTTGTGGTTGGATCTACTCGAGTAGATCCAACCACAAAGAGCATTTTT
SLC2A1	siRNA	GUAUGUGGGUGAAGUGUCA
SLC2A1	siRNA	AGACAUGGGUCCACCGCUA
SLC2A1	siRNA	CAAAUUUCAUUGUGGGCAU
SLC2A1	siRNA	ACUCAUGACCAUCGCGCUA

Supplementary Table 5: shRNA and siRNA Targeting Sequences