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Figure S1. **TLC1RNA localization in pif1** and pif1-m2 strains. (A) Image and linescan analysis of TLC1 RNA, ITS1 probe and DAPI of a pif1 Δ cell in G2. Bar, 1 µm. (B) Distribution of TLC1 RNA in a pif1-m2 yeast cell in G2. Bar, 1 µm.



Figure S2. Validation of bleomycin and nocodazole treatments of yeast cells. (A) Quantification of the number of γ -H2A foci per cell in the yeast population after treatment with bleomycin; n = 300 cells. Error bars represent \pm SD. (B) Cell cycle synchronization of WT or *rad52* Δ cells treated with nocodazole.



Figure S3. Analysis of *TLC1* RNA colocalization with double-strand breaks. (A) Quantification of colocalization events between *TLC1* RNA foci and Rfa1-GFP foci in WT and *pif1-m2* strains; n = 45-63 cells. Error bars correspond to \pm SD. ***, P < 0.005 (two-tailed *t* test). (B) Linescan analysis of *TLC1* RNA, Rfa1-GFP and DAPI colocalization in the nucleus of *rad52* cells. Arrowheads mark a Rfa1-GFP focus that does not colocalize (top) or colocalizes (bottom) with a *TLC1* RNA focus. (C) Quantification of *TLC1* RNA foci colocalization with a nuclear *MDN1* transcription site in G2/M cells. FISH against *TLC1* RNA focus (red) and the *MDN1* transcription site focus (green). (D) Maximum intensity projection of *rad52* yeast cell to show distribution of *TLC1* RNA foci, Rfa1-GFP focus, nucleolus (*ITS1*), and nucleoplasm (DAPI). Bars, 1 µm.



Figure S4. Quantitative analysis of Cdc13 foci and clusters after induction of DNA damage. (A) *TLC1* RNA localization in WT and *cdc13-2* strains before and after bleomycin treatment; n = 300 cells. Error bars correspond to ±SD. *, P < 0.05; **, P < 0.01 (two-tailed *t* test). (B) Formation of Cdc13-GFP foci in living yeast cells with DNA damage. Cdc13-GFP *rad52* cells were treated or not with bleomycin. Quantification of each phenotype in the yeast cell population is indicated in both panels on the right. Bar, 1 µm. (C) Mean diameter of Cdc13 foci and clusters. The dot plot shows the distribution of the diameter of 10 Cdc13 foci and 13 Cdc13 clusters. Cdc13 foci have a mean diameter of 283 nm, whereas Cdc13 clusters have a mean diameter of 575 nm. (D) Mean maximal fluorescence intensities of Cdc13 foci and clusters. The dot plot shows the distribution of the maximal fluorescence intensities of 10 Cdc13 foci and 13 Cdc13 clusters. Cdc13 foci have a mean maximal fluorescence intensity of 355 arbitrary fluorescence units (AUs), whereas clusters have a mean maximal fluorescence intensity of 883 AUs.



Figure S5. **Siz1 is not involved in the resection of DSBs.** (A) Schematic representation of the HO- TG_{81} -*URA3* locus used to assess resection of the HO-induced DSB. Notice that the resection is measured on the fragment without TG_{81} repeats. 5'-3' degradation eliminates the Pcil site, which results in the disappearance of the 1.5-kb fragment generated by the Pcil/HO cut site. Horizontal bars indicate the position of the probe used for Southern blotting to detect the 2.7-kb and 1.5-kb fragments. (B) Kinetic of HO cut resection in *rad52* and *rad52* siz1 strains. Means from two to three independent experiments are presented. Error bars correspond to ±SD. (C) Quantification of resected DSBs marker Rfa1-GFP foci in G2/M cells from WT and siz1 strain treated with bleomycin. ns, not significant. n = 217-226 cells. Error bars correspond to ±SD. (D, top) Growth assay of siz1 siz2 or *rad52* cells on plates containing various concentrations of bleomycin. Fivefold serial dilutions were spotted on each plate, from 5×10^{-3} to 10^{-3} cells. These images are representative of at least four independent experiments.

Table S1. Yeast strains used in this study

Strains	Genotype	Source
W303	Mat a, ura3-1, leu2-3, his3-11, trp1-1, ade2-1	NA
rad52∆	Mat a, ura3-1, leu2-3, his3-11, trp1-1, ade2-1, rad52::TRP1	This study
mre11∆ rad52∆	Mat a, ura3-1, leu2-3, his3-11, trp1-1,ade2-1, mre11::KAN rad52::TRP1	This study
xrs2∆ rad52∆	Mat a, ura3-1, leu2-3, his3-11, trp1-1,ade2-1, xrs2::KAN rad52::TRP1	This study
tel1∆ rad52∆	Mat a, ura3-1, leu2-3, his3-11, trp1-1,ade2-1, tel1::KAN rad52::TRP1	This study
sml1 Δ rad52 Δ	Mat a, ura3-1, leu2-3, his3-11, trp1-1,ade2-1, sml1::KAN rad52::TRP1	This study
sml1∆ rad52∆ mec1∆	Mat a, ura3-1, leu2-3, his3-11, trp1-1, ade2-1, sml1 mec1::KAN rad52::TRP1	This study
rad51∆	Mat a, ura3-1, leu2-3, his3-11, trp1-1, ade2-1, rad51::TRP1	This study
Rfa 1-GFP	Mata, ura3-1, leu2-3, his3-11, trp1-1, ade2-1,RFA1-GFP::KAN	This study
Rfa1-GFP <i>rad52∆</i>	Mata, ura3-1, leu2-3, his3-11, trp1-1,ade2-1,RFA1-GFP::KAN, rad52::TRP1	This study
Rfa1-GFP siz14	Mata, ura3-1, leu2-3, his3-11, trp1-1, ade2-1, RFA1-GFP::TRP1, siz1::KAN	This study
Cdc13-GFP rad52∆	Mat a, ura3-1, leu2-3, his3-11, trp1-1, ade2-1, CDC13-GFP::KAN rad52::TRP1	This study
Cdc13-GFP Rfa1-mCherry <i>rad52∆</i>	Mat a, ura3-1, leu2-3, his3-11, trp1-1,ade2-1, CDC13-GFP::KAN RFA1-mCherry::TRP1 rad52::hygro	This study
Cdc13-myc <i>rad52∆</i>	Mat a, ura3-1, leu2-3, his3-11, trp1-1,ade2-1, CDC13-13Myc rad52:: TRP1	This study
Cdc13-myc <i>siz1∆ rad52∆</i>	Mat a, ura3-1, leu2-3, his3-11, trp1-1,ade2-1, siz1::TRP1, CDC13-13Myc::KAN rad52:: HYGRO	This study
Cdc13-myc <i>rad51∆</i>	Mat a, ura3-1, leu2-3, his3-11, trp1-1,ade2-1, CDC13-13Myc rad51:: TRP1	This study
DVL162	MAT a ura3-52 ade2-101, trp1Δ-1, his3-Δ200 leu2-Δ1cdc13-Δ::LYS2CF-SUP11-TRP1/ pVL 438)	V. Lundblad (Salk Institute, San Diego, CA)
DVL162 <i>rad52</i> ∆	MAT a ura3-52 ade2-101, trp1Δ-1, his3-Δ200 leu2-Δ1cdc13-Δ::LYS2CF- SUP11-TRP1 rad52::KAN	This study
JC1323	Mat a, ura3-1, leu2-3 leu2-112 Rad5+, his3-11 his3-15, trp1-1,ade2-, siz1::TRP1; can1-100;	J. Cobb (University of Calgary, Calgary, Canada)
JC1323 <i>rad52</i> ∆	Mat a, ura3-1, leu2-3 leu2-112 Rad5+, his3-11 his3-15, trp1-1,ade2-, siz1::TRP1; can1-100; rad52::HYGRO	This study
JC1322	Mat a, ura3-1, leu2-3 leu2-112 Rad5+, his3-11 his3-15, trp1-1,ade2-, siz2::HIS3; can1-100;	J. Cobb
JC1322 <i>rad52</i> ∆	Mat a, ura3-1, leu2-3 leu2-112 Rad5+, his3-11 his3-15, trp1-1,ade2-, siz2::HIS3; can1-100; rad52::HYGRO	This study
RDKY3615	$MATa \ ura3.52 \ leu2\Delta1 \ trp1\Delta63 \ his3\Delta200 \ lys2\DeltaBgl \ hom3.10 \ ade2\Delta1 \ ade8 \ hxt13::URA3$	R. Kolodner (Ludwig Institute for Cancer Research, San Diego, CA)
RDKY4343	MATa ura3::KAN leu2∆1 trp1∆63 his3∆200 lys2∆Bgl hom3-10 ade2∆1 ade8 hxt13::URA3 pif1-m2	R. Kolodner
RDKY3615 <i>rad52</i> ∆	RDKY3615 rad52::TRP1	This study
RDKY3615 siz1∆	RDKY3615 siz1::HYGRO	This study
RDKY3615 rad52 Δ siz1 Δ	RDKY3615 rad52::TRP1 siz1::HYGRO	This study
RDKY3615 Rfa1-GFP	RDKY3615 RFA1-GFP::TRP1	This study
RDKY4343 <i>rad52</i>	RDKY4343 rad52::TRP1	This study
RDKY4343 siz1	RDKY4343 siz1::HYGRO	This study
RDKY4343 <i>siz1</i> ∆ <i>rad52</i> ∆	RDKY4343 siz1::HYGRO rad52::TRP1	This study
RDKY4343 Rfa1-GFP	RDKY4343 RFA1-GFP::TRP1	This study
RDKY4343 Rfa1-GFP <i>rad52∆</i>	RDKY4343 RFA1-GFP::TRP1 rad52::HYGRO	This study
B365-17A	Mat trp1-1 can1-100 ura3-1 leu2-3,112 ade2::hisG-URA3-hisG his3— ade2-5'4TRP1—ade2-n-his3 rad51::HIS3 rad52::TRP1	L. Symington (Columbia University, New York, NY)
B365-7A	Mat trp1-1 can1-100 ura3-1 leu2-3,112 ade2::hisG his3- ade2-5'ΔTRP1—ade2-n-his3 rad51::HIS3	L. Symington
B365-9A	MatA trp1-1 can1-100 ura3-1 leu2-3,112 ade2::hisG his3- ade2-5'ΔTRP1 — ade2-n-his3 rad52::TRP1	L. Symington
DDY2472	S288C GAL-HO (leu) URA3-TG81-HOcs-LYS2 rad52::his	D. Durocher (Lunenfeld-Tanenbaum Research Institute, Toronto, Canada)
DDY2472 siz1 Δ	DDY2472 siz1::KAN	This study

Table S2. Statistical analysis of Fig. 4 B (nucleoplasmic localization of TLC1 RNA)

Strain	P-value
rad52Δ versus rad52Δ mre11Δ	0.0002
rad52∆ versus rad52∆ xrs2∆	0.0001
rad52∆ versus rad52∆ tel1∆	0.0002
rad52∆ versus rad52∆ sml1∆	Not significant
rad52∆ versus rad52∆ sml1∆ mec1∆	0.02
$rad52\Delta \ sml1\Delta \ versus \ rad52\Delta \ sml1\Delta \ mec1\Delta$	0.13
rad52∆ versus rad52∆ cdc13-2	0.0013

Provided online is Table S3 in Excel, which lists all de novo telomere additions found with the Illumina sequencing approach.