

Supplemental Figure 1. Functional differences between THR isoforms in positive and negative regulation of gene expression. (a) Both Thra and Thrb were knocked down in $T\alpha T1.1$ cells. Relative expression of *Thrb* in control (scr KD, GFP) and *Thrb* KD cells measured by qRT-PCR and normalized to Actb mRNA (see Materials and methods). THR gene expression was reduced over 70% (p<0.05). (b) Expression level of each HA-THR isoform in *Thrb* KD TαT1.1 cells were tested by western blotting with anti-HA antibody. High levels of HA-THRA expression were observed when the amounts of adenovirus comparable to other THR constructs were used (THRA1*). Relative expression of (c, d) negatively and (e, f) positively regulated genes were measured by qRT-PCR and normalized to Actb mRNA. Relative expression (Y axis (log2) of (c) Tshb, and (d) Rxrg decreased with increased concentration of T3 (X axis (log10), KD of Thrb abolishes T3 dependent repression. Expression of HA-tagged THRB2 proteins in double KD TαT1.1 cells reconstituted T3 dependent gene repression, THRB1 had weaker ability to regulate Tshb and Rxrg. Expression of THRA1 was unable to rescue Thrb KD phenotype even at high levels of HA-THRA expression (see right panels for two levels of THRA, HA-THRA and HA-THRA*) Relative expression (Y axis (log2) of (e) Rab27, and (f) Sema3c increased with increased concentration of T3 (X axis (log10), Y intersects at 0nM). Double KD abolishes T3 dependent gene activation). Expression of HA tagged THR isoforms in KD TαT1.1 cells reconstituted T3 dependent gene activation. Data points are presented as mean \pm SEM. Differences were considered to be significant at p<0.05.