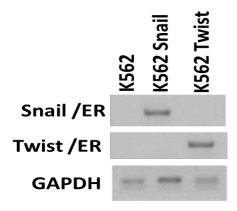
## **Supplemental Materials**

## Ectopic expression of Snail and Twist in Ph+ leukemia cells upregulate CD44 expression and alter their differentiation potential

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**Figure S1:** validation of K562 cells harboring Snail and Twist by RT-PCR using Snail (Table S1) and ER primers (ER reverse 5`-GTC CAG GAG CAA GTT AGG AG-3') for monitoring Snail-ER and Twist (Table S1) and ER primers for monitoring expressing of Twist-ER hybrid transcript

**Table S1: Primers used in this study:** 

Gene	DNA Sequence	Annealing
		Temperature (°C)
CD44	Forward 5'-AACCGCGAGAATCAAAGCCAAGGC-'3	58
	Reverse 5'-GATCCACCCCAATTCCATCTGTGC-'3	
β-actin	Forward 5'-GCC CTG GACTTCGAGCAAGA-'3	60
	Reverse 5'-TGC CAG GGTACATGGTGG TG-'3	
γ-globin	Forward 5'- CAT GGCAAGAAG GTGCTG AC -3'	60
	Reverse 5'- GCTCTGCATCATGGG CAG TG -3'	
β-catenin	Forward 5'-TGGAACATGAGATGGGTGGC-'3	58
	Reverse 5'-TGCAAGTTCAGACAATACAGCTAA-'3	
CXCR4	Forward 5' AGGGGATCAGTATATACACTTCAGA-	58
	Reverse 5'-AGGTGCAGCCTGTACTTGTC-'3	

GAPDH	Forward 5'-GAGTCAACGGATTTGGTCGT-'3	60
GAFDII	Reverse 5'-GGTGCCATGGAATTTGCCAT-'3	00
Slug	Forward 5'-TTAGAACTCACACGGGGGAGAA-3'	58
	Reverse 5'-GCTACACAGCAGCCAGATTC-3'	
Snail	Forward 5'-GCACATCCGAAGCCACACGC-3'	60
	Reverse 5'-CTTGACATCTGAGTGGGTCTGG-3'	
Twist1	Forward 5'-CTGGCGGCCAGGTACATCGAC-3'	60
	Reverse 5'- GGACGCGGACATGGACCAGGCC-3'	
Zeb1	Forward 5'-GTGTAAGCGCAGAAAGCAGGC-3'	60
	Reverse 5'-CTTTCCTGTGTCATCCTCCCAG-3'	
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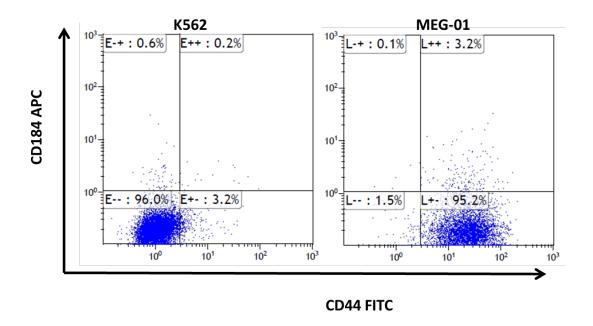
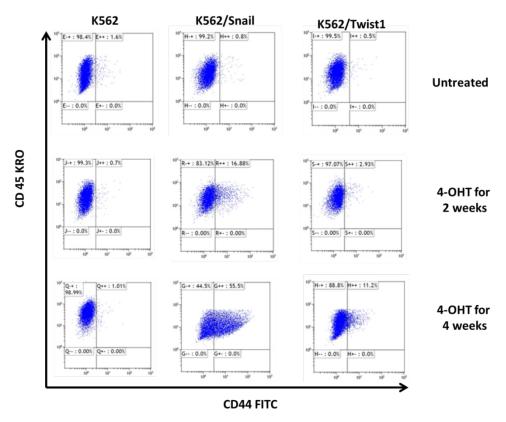


Figure S2: Expression levels of CD44 and CD184 (CXCR4) surface proteins in K562 and MEG-01 cells. FACS was utilized to monitor levels of CD44 and CD184 in K562 and MEG-01 cells.



**Figure S3: Expression of CD44 in K562 cells treated with 4-OHT.** FACS analysis of CD44 expression in K562 cells treated with 4-OHT for 2 and 4 weeks.

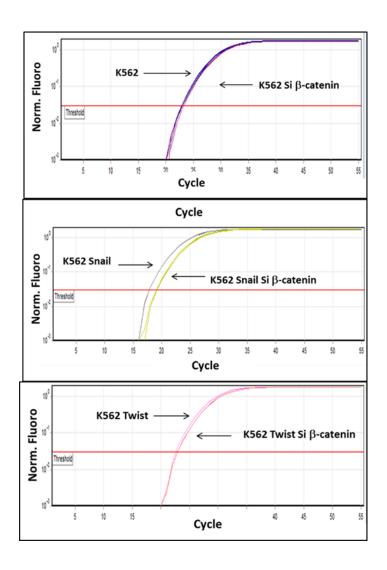


Figure S4: Effect of  $\beta$ -catenin on Snail-dependent expression of CD44: Real-time PCR monitoring levels of CD44 in WT K562 cells or silenced  $\beta$ -catenin.