Supplementary Figures 1-3

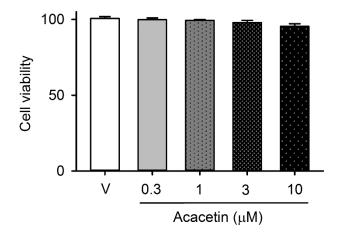


Figure S1. Effect of acacetin on cell viability. The cell viability was assayed by MTT in H9C2 cardiomyoblasts incubated without or with acacetin (0.3, 1, 3, or 10 μ M) for 24 h. Acacetin had no effect on cell viability (n=5, mean± SEM).

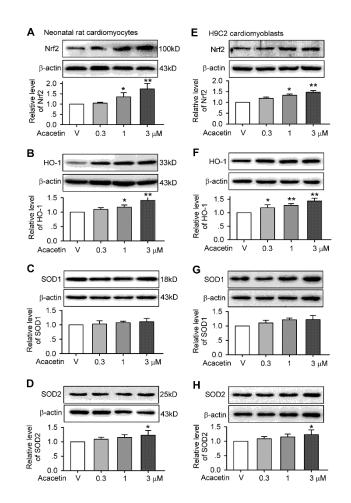


Figure S2. Effects of acacetin on antioxidative proteins. A-D. Western blots and mean relative levels of Nrf2 (A), HO-1 (B), SOD1 (C), SOD2 (D) in neonatal rat cardiomyocytes in the absence (V, vehicle) or presence of 0.3, 1 or 3 μ M acacetin. E-H. Western blots and mean relative levels of Nrf2 (E), HO-1 (F), SOD1 (G), SOD2 (H) in H9C2 cardiomyoblasts in the absence and presence of 0.3, 1 or 3 μ M acacetin. Data were expressed as mean ± SEM and analyzed by one-way ANOVA followed by Bonferroni-test (n=5 individual experiments, **P*<0.05, ***P*<0.01 vs. control).

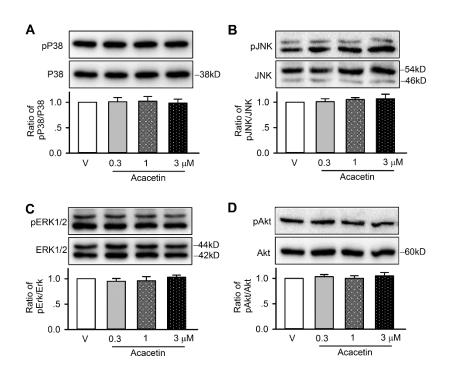


Figure S3. Acacetin has no effect on pP38 (A), pJNK (B), pERK1/2 (C), or pAkt(D) in H9C2 cardiomyoblasts (n=5, V, vehicle, mean ± SEM).