

1 SUPPLEMENTAL METHODS

3 Vectors

5 The IKZF3 reporter vector ("Aiolos aa130-189 in Artichoke", Addgene #74451)
6 contains SFFV.IKZF3(aa130-189)-17aaRigidLinker-EGFP.IRES.mCherry.cppt.EF1a.PuroR in a
7 lentiviral backbone. The EF1a.PuroR and lentiviral backbone were derived from the Zhang lab
8 LentiGuide-Puro plasmid (Addgene #52963). A derivative version of the IKZF3 reporter was generated
9 which lacks EF1a.Puro ("Aiolos aa130-189 in Pea", Addgene #74459). The gRNA-EGFP vector used
10 for flow cytometry-based competition assays ("Banana", Addgene) contains
11 U6.gRNAclonesite.Scaffold.cppt.EF1a.PuroR.IRES.EGFP in a lentiviral backbone also derived from
12 LentiGuide-Puro (Feng Zhang, Addgene #52963). gRNAs were cloned into the vector using BsmBI
13 restriction enzyme sites. LentiGuide-Puro (Addgene #52963) and pLentiCas9-Blast (Addgene #52962)
14 were both generated by the Feng Zhang lab. The following gRNAs sequencing were used for MM1S,
15 NCIH929 and HEK293T CRISPR knockout experiments:

17	<i>CRBN</i> _gRNA_1	GCACCATACTGACTTCTTGA
18	<i>CRBN</i> _gRNA_2	TTACATACTGTATGTGATGT
19	<i>COPS5</i> _gRNA_1	ACAGCAGCAAGAAATCCTGG
20	<i>COPS5</i> _gRNA_2	GGAGGCAACTTGGAAGTGAT
21	<i>UBE2M</i> _gRNA_1	GCGCAGCTGCGGATCCAGAA
22	<i>UBE2M</i> _gRNA_2	TCCTGGAGCCAGGTGGGCCA
23	<i>UBE2D3</i> _gRNA_1	AATGACAGCCCATATCAAGG
24	<i>UBE2D3</i> _gRNA_2	CTTGCCTTAGGTGGTTTGAA
25	<i>UBE2G1</i> _gRNA_1	TGACAATGATCTCTACCGAT
26	<i>UBE2G1</i> _gRNA_2	CTACTGCGAAGACAGCTGGC
27	Control_gRNA_1	GACGGAGGCTAAGCGTCGCAA
28	Control_gRNA_2	GCGCTTCCGCGGCCCGTTCAA.

30 All novel vectors derived for use in this paper have been deposited in Addgene under "Ebert Lab".

33 Genome-Scale CRISPR-Cas9 Screen

35 The optimal lenalidomide dose and endpoints for the screen were identified using *CRBN* as a positive
36 control. MM1.S cells with stable expression of Cas9 (pLentiCas9-Blast, Addgene #52962) were infected
37 with a non-targeting control gRNA or *CRBN*-targeting gRNA + EGFP. The infected cells were then
38 selected with 1µg puromycin for three days, then day 8 post-infection the control and *CRBN*
39 populations were mixed at a 99:1 ratio respectively and cultured in lenalidomide (Selleck Chemicals) for
40 20 days (Figure S1). Cells were dosed every two days and passaged every four. With each passage,
41 the percentage of EGFP+ cells was measured using flow cytometry. The minimal lenalidomide dose
42 required to elicit >60 fold enrichment by day 12 was 1µM lenalidomide, and we added a day 20
43 endpoint to identify hits with smaller effect sizes than *CRBN*.

45 For the genome-scale screen, we used the same MM1.S-Cas9 cells as those used in the above
46 optimization assays. On day -8 of the screen the MM1.S-Cas9 cells were infected with the Human
47 GeCKOv2 LentiGuide-Puro library (Addgene #100000048, Broad Genetic Perturbations Platform),

48 and on day -7 the cells were selected with 1ug/mL puromycin for three days. The infection efficiency on
49 day -4 was calculated to be 46% and the cells were passaged into puromycin-free media. Given a
50 library size of ~120,000, we calculated that 120 and 60 million cells would result in a representation of
51 each gRNA 1000 times and 500 times respectively. On day 0, 120 million cells were collected as a
52 baseline control, 60 million cells were plated for DMSO treatment, and 6 replicates of 120 million cells
53 were plated for 1µM lenalidomide treatment (3 replicates for the day 12 endpoint, and 3 replicates for
54 the day 20 endpoint). The cells were dosed every two days with either DMSO or 1µM lenalidomide and
55 passaged every four, maintaining a cell density of ~1 million/mL. On day 12, 60 million cells from the
56 DMSO arm, and all remaining cells in the day 12 lenalidomide replicates were pelleted. On day 20, the
57 screen concluded by pelleting 60 million cells from the DMSO arm and all remaining cells in the day 20
58 lenalidomide replicates.

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60 We purified genomic DNA from the cell pellets using the Qiagen DNA Blood Maxi kit (Qiagen #51192).
61 The gRNA sequences were the PCR amplified from the gDNA using primers tailed with barcodes and
62 Illumina sequencing adaptors. The resulting amplicons were then pooled and sequenced across four
63 lanes of the Illumina HiSeq. Reads counts were normalized and log2 transformed, and the triplicate
64 read counts for a given gRNA were averaged. To identify gRNAs which increased in frequency in the
65 lenalidomide treatment condition we subtracted the DMSO read count for a given gRNA from the
66 corresponding lenalidomide day 12 or day 20 read count. The STARS algorithm was employed to
67 collapse the gRNA enrichment results by gene and generate statistics (Mudra Henge and John
68 Doench, Broad Genetic Perturbations Platform, <http://www.broadinstitute.org/rnai/public/software/stars>).

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70 **IKZF3 reporter counter screen**

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72 We designed gRNAs for the top 30 genes identified in the genome-scale screen (FDR<0.05) using the
73 Broad Genetic Perturbations Platform gRNA prediction algorithm
74 (<https://www.broadinstitute.org/rnai/db/analysis-tools/sgRNA-design>). Three gRNAs per gene were
75 chosen with priority given to gRNAs low predicted off-target effects, location in the first 30% of the
76 protein, and target sequences located in different exons. 12 gRNAs targeting no known sequences
77 were included as negative controls. gRNAs were ordered from IDT as paired, single-stranded oligos,
78 after which they were annealed and cloned using BsmBI restriction enzyme sites into the LentiGuide-
79 Puro vector (Addgene #52963). The resulting plasmids were then pooled and used to generate a
80 lentiviral library

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Gene_gRNA	gRNA Sequence (5'-3')
CRBN_1	GCACCATACTGACTTCTTGA
CRBN_2	GGGCGGTTACCAGGCAGGAG
CRBN_3	TTACATACTGTATGTGATGT
GPS1_1	CCAGGATCTGGAACAGTACG
GPS1_2	TTAAACACCTGAACCGGCAG
GPS1_3	ACCTGACGTCAACTACGTGG
COPS2_1	GGAATTCTATGAAACAACAC
COPS2_2	TTATATCTCTACTTCTAAAC
COPS2_3	GGCATTAAAGCAGTTTCCAAA
COPS3_1	ACTGTTACGAACTGCTCCA
COPS3_2	AGGATGCCAATTCCTCGCAG

COPS3_3 GATGGGATAAGTTCTTCGCA
COPS4_1 GCCCAGCTCATGAATTCGAG
COPS4_2 AGAAATCTATCACTTCACCT
COPS4_3 AATGCAGCCCAAGTGTTGGT
COPS5_1 ACAGCAGCAAGAAATCCTGG
COPS5_2 GGAGGCAACTTGGAAGTGAT
COPS5_3 GCCTTGAAAATGCAATCGGG
COPS6_1 GAGATGTTGAGAATGACAAG
COPS6_2 GCTCTGATTGGCAAGCAGGA
COPS6_3 GCAGCTACGAACGGGACCGG
COPS7A_1 AAACACTGTGAGCAGCCGGA
COPS7A_2 CAGCTGCCGCACATTACGCA
COPS7A_3 GAATCTTCCTCCACTAACAG
COPS7B_1 TCAAGGCCAGAGAATGGCAG
COPS7B_2 TCTTGATGCCAAGCTCACGA
COPS7B_3 GGGACATACCCAGATTACAT
COPS8_1 GCTGGACCGTCTCAGACCAC
COPS8_2 AGAAGCTGACCATACTGG
COPS8_3 GGCCGCGAAGATGCCAGTGG
CAND1_1 CCAGCCCTAGACTTGCAAGT
CAND1_2 GCAGAAAGATTCCATCAAGT
CAND1_3 AGATGAAGATGAAAATGCAA
DDB1_1 CGACATGTCGTACAACACTACG
DDB1_2 CTACCAACCTGCGATCACCA
DDB1_3 TGACATGCAGCTCCTCCAGG
GLMN_1 AAGAGATAGCTGATTCCAAA
GLMN_2 AGAATTGTGCTGTCAGCAA
GLMN_3 AATATGGGCTGGAATCTCGT
OTUB1_1 CCAGCCGCTCTGACACCAGA
OTUB1_2 GCGCTGTTTAAAGATGGCGG
OTUB1_3 GCAGGACCGAATTCAGCAAG
PLAA_1 GTAAAGATCTTACCTGAACA
PLAA_2 AGACTTTGTGACAACAGCAG
PLAA_3 TGAGGGTAGATGTCACTTGA
UBE2M_1 GCGCAGCTGCGGATCCAGAA
UBE2M_2 TCCTGGAGCCAGGTGGGCCA
UBE2M_3 TGACCAGCTTGAAGTTGAGG
UBE2D3_1 AATGACAGCCCATATCAAGG
UBE2D3_2 TACTTACTATCATCCCCAAC
UBE2D3_3 CTTGCCTTAGGTGGTTTGAA
UBE2G1_1 TGACAATGATCTCTACCGAT
UBE2G1_2 ACAGAAATCTGGCACCCAAA
UBE2G1_3 CTACTGCGAAGACAGCTGGC
TRAF2_1 TGTGCTGCCTGTGTTACGA
TRAF2_2 GGGGACCCTGAAAGAATACG

TRAF2_3	GGACACTCACCTTCTCCCGG
EDC4_1	TACTCACCCCGAATGGCAT
EDC4_2	AGTGGAAACCTCATGATGGG
EDC4_3	GTCCATATTCGGCAGCCAGA
NCOR1_1	TTGCTTTCAGAATTTCAACC
NCOR1_2	CCATGAGCTGATCATAACGC
NCOR1_3	TCATGTTTAGAGTTGGGCAG
DEPDC5_1	TTAGTCGCCACATATCCCCA
DEPDC5_2	TCATGATCCTGACCAAGCAG
DEPDC5_3	GATCCTGTCTGAATTGAGGCT
SRP14_1	GCTGATCTTCTTCTCCCAT
SRP14_2	TATAGACGCTGCCCGACGTC
SRP14_3	GGTGTGTTGGAGAGCGAGC
XRN1_1	GCAAAAATGAACCAGCAGCG
XRN1_2	TTTACAGATGGATCTCAGAG
XRN1_3	TCTCAAATCGAGGTAAGTTG
EIF4A1_1	CTCTGCTCAGATACAGAAGG
EIF4A1_2	GAGGTCTCACCTTGATACA
EIF4A1_3	TCTCACCTCGATGACGCCTT
SNRNP25_1	GGCACTCTGCACTACAACCA
SNRNP25_2	ATCGGCAGATCGCAGAGCAG
SNRNP25_3	AATAGCCCTAGAATACGGCC
RARA_1	AAGCAAGGCTTGTAGATGCG
RARA_2	AGAGTGGTCAGAGCGCCTGG
RARA_3	TGTTCTTCTGGATGCTGCGG
PPP6C_1	ACAAGTATGTGGAAATAGCG
PPP6C_2	CAGTTCTGAACAGTTCACAA
PPP6C_3	TGAGAGTAGACAGATAACAC
SPOP_1	CCTCCGGCAGAAATGTCGAG
SPOP_2	GTTTGCGAGTAAACCCCAAA
SPOP_3	GCAAAGCTAAAGTTATTGA
SYCP2L_1	AGTCCCTGCCGAATTAGCAG
SYCP2L_2	GATTCCTTCTACTTAGCTT
SYCP2L_3	AAGAAGCCTCGTTATGCAAG
DCP2_1	CATCATGGAGACCAAACGGG
DCP2_2	GTTCAATCTGAAAACACACT
DCP2_3	TCACCTTGAGGCAGCAAAA
NFKBIA_1	GAGCCGCAGGAGGTGCCGCG
NFKBIA_2	GGTTGGTGATCACAGCCAAG
NFKBIA_3	GACCATGGAAGTGATCCGCC
RBX1_1	ATGGATGTGGATACCCCGAG
RBX1_2	ACCGTGTGTTTCCAAAATGG
RBX1_3	CACAATATCCCAGGCCCAGA
CUL4A_1	GCAGGACCACTGCAGACAAA
CUL4A_2	GAGGACACTCACCAGATGGA

CUL4A_3 CGAGCGCGAGAGGAGCGGCG
CUL4B_1 GCAAAAAGTAAAGAAGCAG
CUL4B_2 GTTTGATGCGAAGATGGCTG
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Control_3 GATCGTTTCCGCTTAACGGCG
Control_4 GGTAGGCGCGCCGCTCTCTAC
Control_5 GCCATATCGGGGCGAGACATG
Control_6 GTACTAACGCCGCTCCTACAG
Control_7 GTGAGGATCATGTCGAGCGCC
Control_8 GGGGCCCGCATAGGATATCGC
Control_9 GTAGACAACCGCGGAGAATGC
Control_10 GACGGGCGGCTATCGCTGACT
Control_11 GCGCGGAAATTTTACCGACGA
Control_12 GCTTACAATCGTCGGTCCAAT

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83 NCIH929 and HEK293T cells were transduced with pLentiCas9-Blast (Addgene #52962) and selected
 84 with 2µg/mL blasticidin to generate stable Cas9-expressing lines. The MM1.S-Cas9, NCIH929-Cas9,
 85 and HEK293T-Cas9 cells were then transduced with the IKZF3 reporter (“Aiolos aa130-189 in Pea”,
 86 Addgene #74459) and infected cells were isolated using Fluorescence Activated Cell Sorting (BD
 87 FACS Aria). On day 0 of the screen three technical replicates of each reporter cell type were infected
 88 with the lentiviral library at an infection efficiency below 50%, and on day 1 the cells were selected with
 89 1 or 2µg/mL puromycin. On day 4 cells were passaged into puromycin-free media, and on day 11 the
 90 cells were dosed for 20 hours with DMSO or 1µM lenalidomide. On day 12, unsorted baseline controls
 91 were harvested from both the DMSO and 1µM lenalidomide treatment groups, and 1µM lenalidomide-
 92 treated cells were then sorted for cells remaining EGFP+.

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94 Genomic DNA was isolated from the resulting cell pellets using the QiaAmp DNA Blood Midi and Micro
 95 Kits (Qiagen #51183, #56304). We then PCR-amplified the gRNA sequences using primers tailed with
 96 barcodes and Illumina sequencing adaptors. The resulting amplicons were pooled and then sequenced
 97 across a single lane of the Illumina NextSeq. Reads counts were normalized and log₂ transformed. To
 98 identify gRNAs which increased in frequency in the lenalidomide-treated EGFP+ population we
 99 subtracted the DMSO gRNA read count from the corresponding, EGFP+ 1µM lenalidomide read count,
 100 and then averaged the triplicate values. The averaged, log₂ fold enrichment was then normalized to the
 101 average enrichment of the 12 non-targeting control gRNAs.

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104 **Cell Culture**

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106 MM1.S (MM.1s, multiple myeloma, ATCC #2974) and NCIH929 (multiple myeloma, Broad Institute Cell
 107 Line Repository) were grown in RPMI supplemented with 10% fetal bovine serum, penicillin, and
 108 streptomycin.

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110 HEK293T cells were single cell cloned via limiting dilution and subsequently grown for ~21 days prior to
 111 harvesting. Genomic DNA purification was performed using the Zymo Research ZR-96 Quick-gDNA

112 kit (#D3012). PCR amplification of the genomic DNA target sites was performed with site-specific
113 primers and sequenced via next generation sequencing at the MGH CCIB DNA Core.

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115 **Viability Assays**

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117 NCIH929-Cas9 cells infected with control or *UBE2G1* gRNAs were treated with DMSO, pomalidomide
118 (Selleck), or CC-122 (Medkoo, Morrisville, NC, USA) for 10 days, with dosing at Day 0 and Day 5. At
119 day 10, cell viability was measured using Cell Titer-Glo Luminescent Cell Viability Assays (Promega,
120 Madison, WI, USA) and analyzed on an Envision Plate Reader (Perkin Elmer, Waltham, MA, USA).

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125 **Competition Assays**

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127 gRNAs targeting genes of interest were cloned using BsmBI restriction enzyme sites into the gRNA-
128 EGFP reporter vector ("Banana", Addgene) and HEK293T cells were used to generate lentivirus.
129 MM1.S cells stably expressing Cas9 (pLentiCas9-Blast Addgene #52962) were infected with the either
130 the gRNA-EGFP vector or control gRNAs in LentiGuide-Puro vector (Addgene #52963), selected in
131 1ug/mL puromycin for three days, and then expanded for 20 days until sufficient cell numbers were
132 achieved for the experiment.

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134 Two biological replicates (different gRNAs targeting same gene) and three technical replicates were
135 performed.

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137 **Reporter Assays in HEK293T Single Cell Clones**

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139 Single cell HEK293T cell clones were transduced with the IKZF3 aa130-189 reporter vector ("Aiolos
140 aa130-189 in Artichoke", Addgene #74451) and selected for three days with 2ug/mL puromycin. On
141 day 0, 15,000 cells were plated per well in a 96-well plate. On day 1 the cells were dosed with a titration
142 of doses of lenalidomide (HP D300 digital dispenser) and 20 hours later on day 2 the cells were
143 harvested for flow cytometry to read the EGFP and mCherry fluorescence. Analysis consisted of
144 calculating the EGFP:mCherry fluorescence ratio on a per-cell basis and then taking the geometric
145 mean of the values for ~1000 cells. Three experimental replicates were performed.

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148 ***In Vitro* Ubiquitination Assays**

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150 *In vitro* ubiquitination assay was run on Tris-Glycine SDS-PAGE gel and immunoblotted as indicated.
151 Secondary antibodies IRDye 800CW Goat anti-rabbit 926-32211 and IRDye680LT Goat anti-mouse
152 926-68020 were purchased from Licor and imaged on Licor Odyssey.

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155 **Immunoblots**

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157 Cells were washed with phosphate buffered saline and lysed in buffer (150 mM NaCl, 50 mM Tris pH
158 7.5, 1% NP-40, 1% glycerol, 1X Halt Cocktail protease and phosphatase inhibitors) for 20 minutes on

159 ice. Cullin probed lysates were lysed with additional 2mM 1,10-orthophenathroline (SIGMA). To
160 pre-clear cell lysates, we centrifuged at 13,000 rpm at 4°C for 15 minutes. We measured protein
161 concentration with Pierce BCA protein assay kit and resolved lysates on BioRad any kD TGX
162 polyacrylamide gels by SDS-PAGE and transferred by electrophoresis to nitrocellulose membrane (Life
163 Technologies) at 100V for 70 minutes. Membranes were blocked in 5% milk/ TBST for 1 hour. Blots
164 were incubated, with indicated primary antibody, overnight at 4°C. The membrane was then washed in
165 TBST, three times at 15 minute intervals, before 1 hour secondary horseradish peroxidase-conjugated
166 antibody incubation at room temperature. We again washed nitrocellulose membranes in TBST, three
167 times for 15 minutes, prior to enhanced chemiluminescent substrate detection (Pierce).

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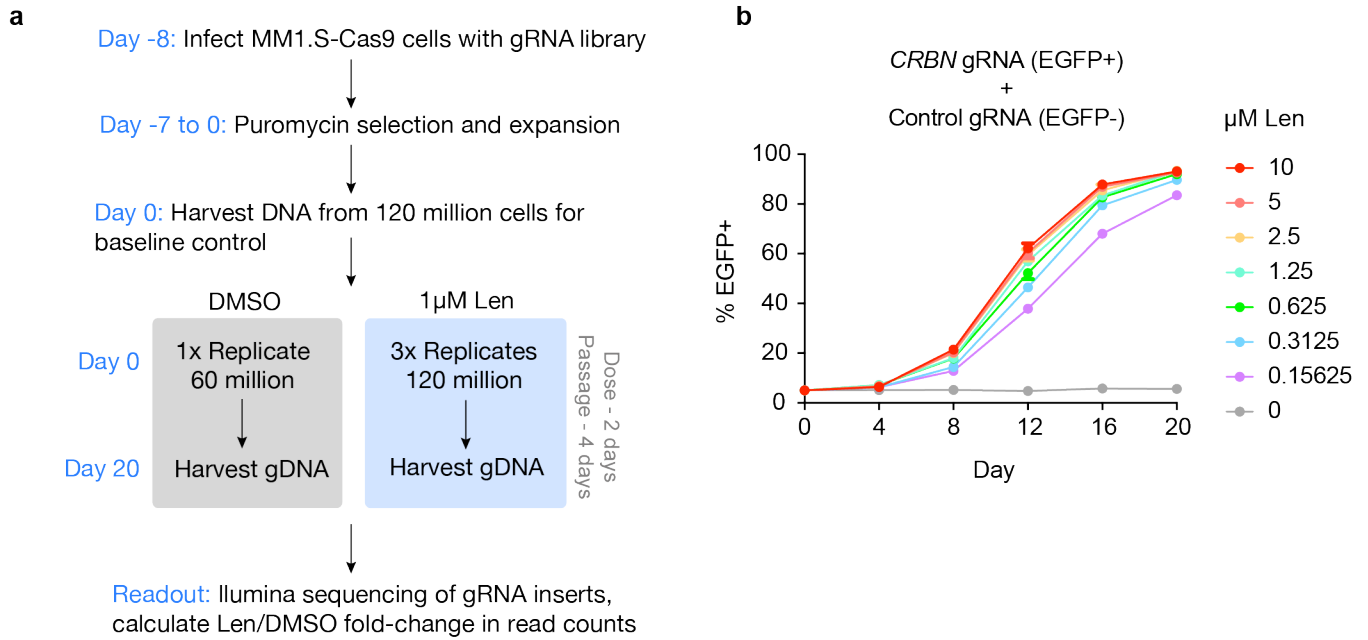
170 **Antibodies**

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172 Anti-HA (#2367), anti-UBE2M (# 4913), anti- β Actin (#3700) primary antibodies were purchased from
173 Cell Signaling Technologies. Anti-CK1 α (sc-6477) and anti-IKZF1 (sc-13039) were obtained from
174 Santa Cruz. Anti-CRBN (#NBP1-918010) and Anti-IKZF3 (NBP2-16938) antibodies were acquired
175 from Novus. Antibodies detecting UBE2G1 (ab135508), UBE2D3 (ab127578), COPS5 (ab12323), and
176 cullin 4A (ab72548) were purchased from Abcam. Horseradish peroxidase-conjugated anti-rabbit and
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SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURES

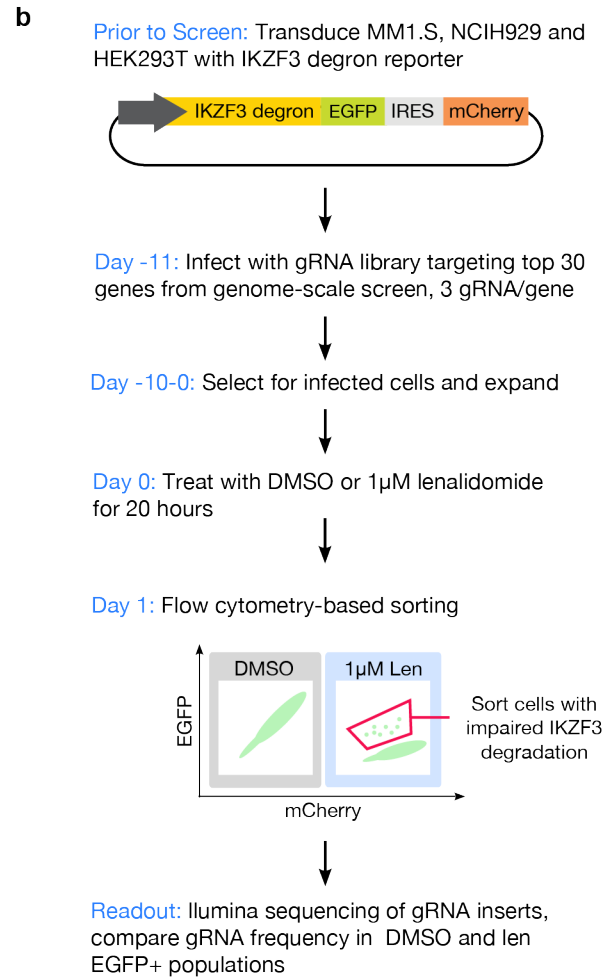
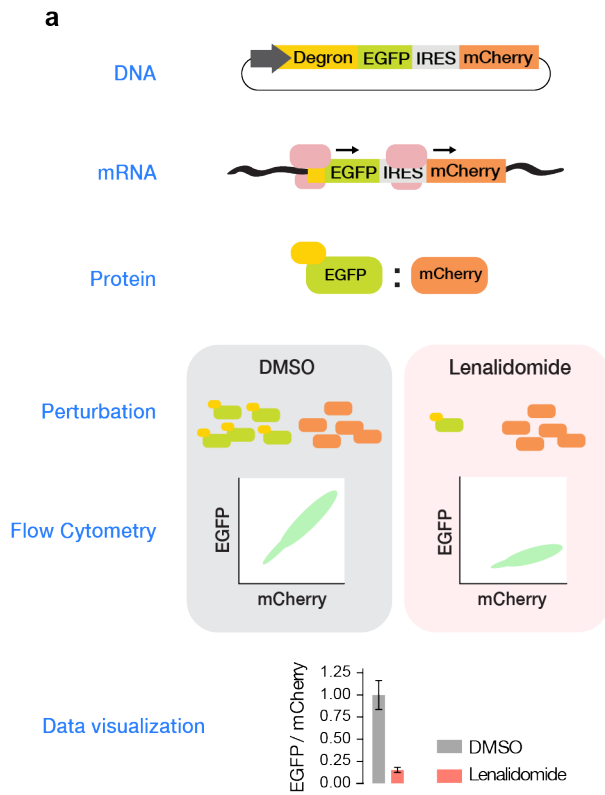


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Figure S1 | *CRBN* is required for lenalidomide's anti-myeloma effects and is a non-essential gene

a, Detailed schematic of the genome-scale CRISPR-Cas9 screen.

b, MM1.S-Cas9 cells expressing EGFP were infected with gRNAs targeting *CRBN* and mixed at a 5:95 ratio with control gRNA-infected cells lacking EGFP. The cells were then grown for 20 days in the presence of lenalidomide and the percentage of EGFP+ cells was quantified every four days using flow cytometry.



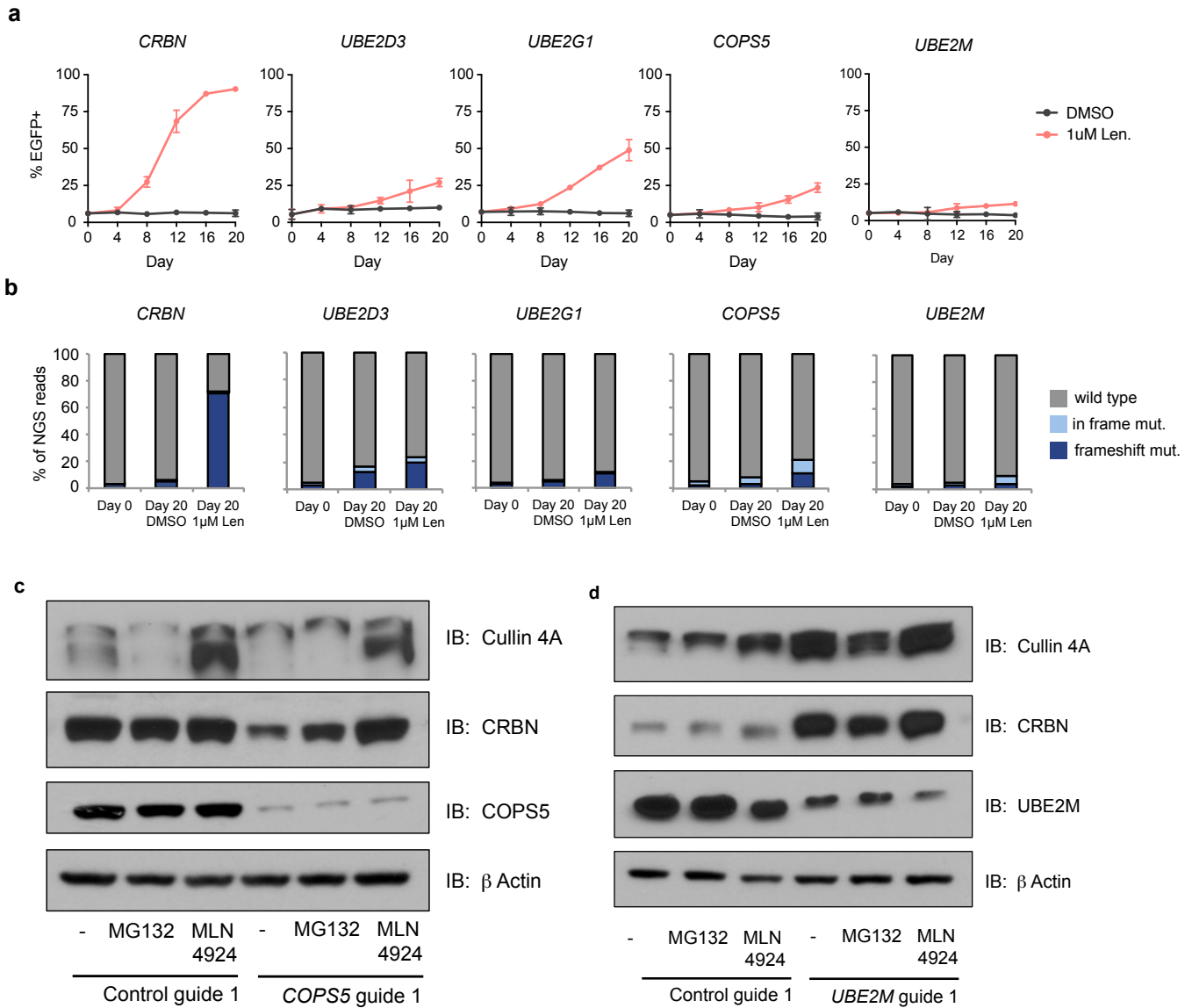
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Figure S2 | IKZF3 degron reporter vector and detailed schematic of the counter screen

a, Schematic of the reporter vector and how it functions.

b, Detailed overview of the reporter-based flow cytometry counter screen.

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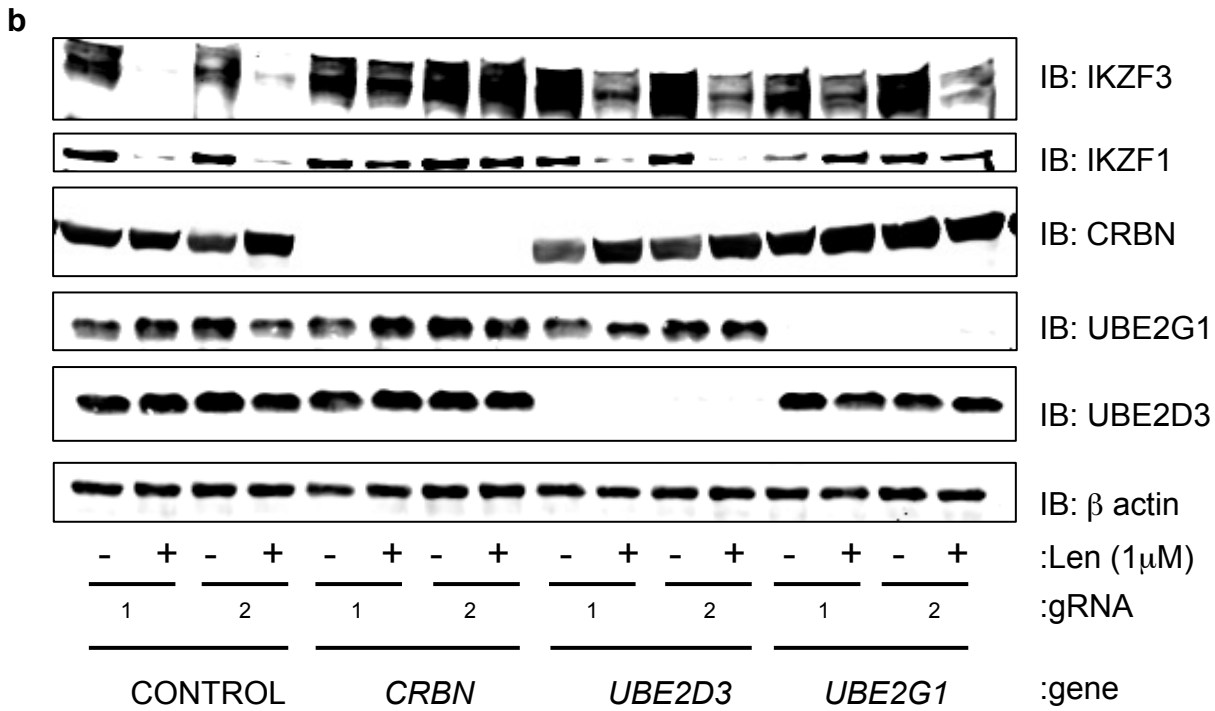
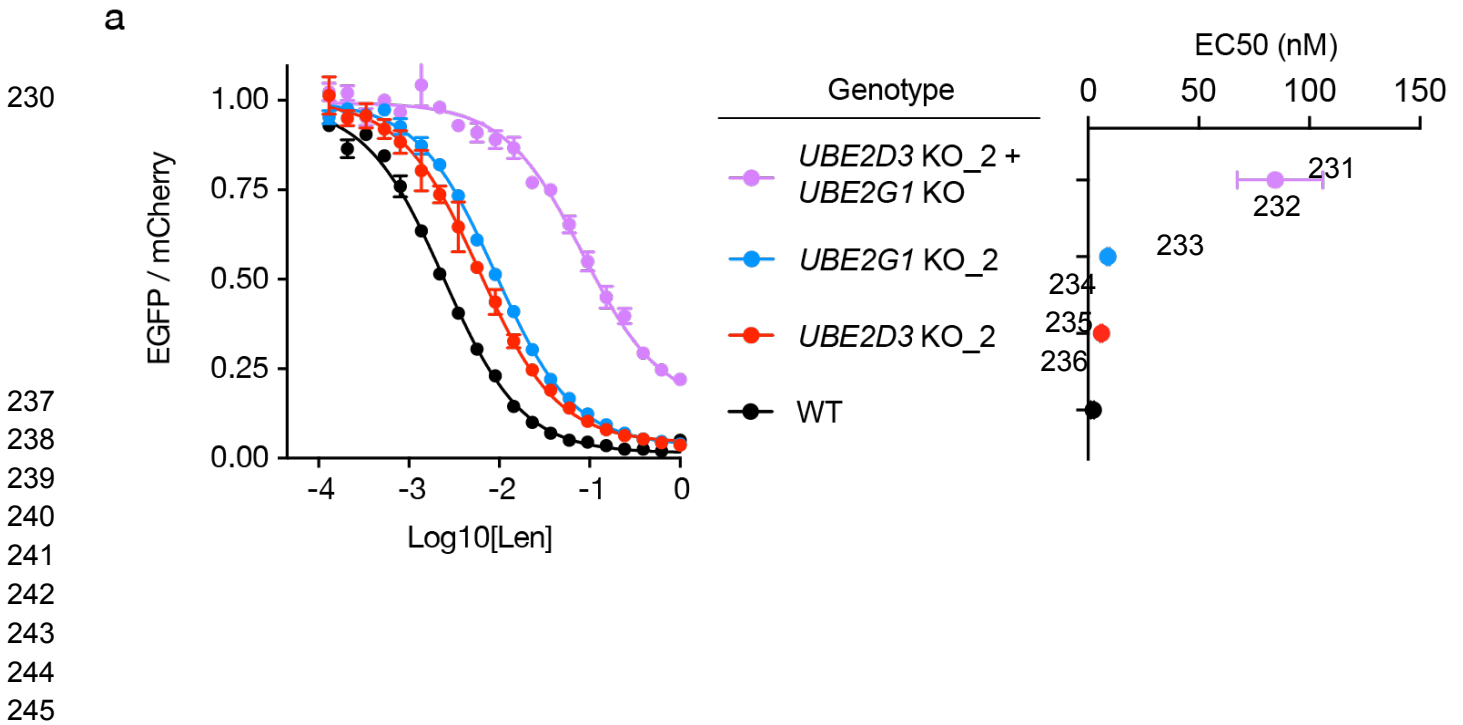
Figure S3 | Replicate competition assays and sequencing

a, Replicate experiment of Figure 3a with distinct gene-targeting and control gRNAs: MM1.S-Cas9 cells expressing EGFP were infected with gRNAs targeting indicated genes and mixed at a 5:95 ratio with control gRNA-infected cells. The cells were then grown for 20 days in the presence of DMSO or 1µM lenalidomide and the percentage of EGFP+ cells was quantified every 4 days using flow cytometry. Data points are average of three technical replicates and error bars represent 95% confidence interval.

b, gDNA was harvested from the day 0 and day 20 DMSO or 1µM Len samples, the gRNA target site was PCR amplified, and next generation sequencing was used to quantify the percentage of reads containing frameshifting indels. (indel frequency is likely underrepresented due to use of sequencing parameters for gRNA target site limiting product size to 300 base pairs, which may systematically omit detection of large indels).

c, HEK293T-Cas9 cells were infected with *COPS5* or control targeting gRNAs. The cells were then treated with 5µM MG132, 5µM MLN4924 or DMSO for 12 hours. Protein lysates were harvested and immunoblotted (IB) for the indicated proteins.

d, HEK293T-Cas9 cells were infected with *UBE2M* or control targeting gRNAs. The cells were then treated with 5µM MG132, 5µM MLN4924 or DMSO for 12 hours. Protein lysates were harvested and immunoblotted (IB) for the indicated proteins.



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248 **Figure S4 | Biological replicate of lenalidomide titration in HEK293T single cell clones**

249 **a**, HEK293T single cell clones in which *UBE2G1* and/or *UBE2D3* were knocked out via CRISPR-Cas9 were

250 transduced with the IKZF3 degron reporter and were then treated with a titration of lenalidomide. After 20 hours

251 the EGFP/mCherry ratio was assayed via flow cytometry. Data points are an average of three experimental

252 replicates and error bars represent standard error of the mean.

253 **b**, NC1H929-Cas9 cells were infected with gRNAs targeting the indicated genes, treated with DMSO or 1 μ M

254 lenalidomide for 20 hours, then lysates were harvested and immunoblotted as indicated. Data are representative

255 of three experimental replicates

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