

## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

### **Structural Analysis of Fungi CENP-H/I/K Complex Reveals its Conserved Assembly Mechanism Underlying Faithful Chromosome Alignment**

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## SUPPLEMENTAL TABLE AND FIGURE LEGENDS

**Table S1. Data collection, phasing and refinement statistics for crystal structure of *ct*CENP-I<sup>NT</sup> alone and *ct*CENP-I<sup>NT</sup> complex with *th*CENP-H<sup>CT</sup>/K<sup>CT</sup>**

**Figure S1. The phylogenetic tree of CENP-I (A), CENP-H (B) and CENP-K (C) from divergent species, and the reconstitution of *th*CENP-H/I<sup>NT</sup>/K complex (D).**

**Figure S2. Sequence alignment of the CENP-I from multiple species**

The alignment is generated using the online ESPript 3.0 server. Secondary structural elements predicted from PSI-PRED online server and found from crystal structure are indicated above the sequences, with the color blue and gray. The sequence of *ct*CENP-I shares high similarity (50%) with human CENP-I (E-value 7.65E-20) and high identity (62%) with *th*CENP-I.

**Figure. S3 Sequence alignment of the CENP-K from multiple species**

The sequence similarity between *th*CENP-K and *hs*CENP-K is 40%, based on the reciprocal Best BLAST result (E-value= 1.81E-06).

**Figure. S4 Sequence alignment of the CENP-H from multiple species.**

The *th*CENP-H exhibits a relative low sequence similarity (29%) with *hs*CENP-H, but the residues involved in the binding interfaces for the complex formation show higher conservation levels.

**Figure S5. Density maps of *th*CENP-H<sup>CT</sup> and *th*CENP-K<sup>CT</sup>, and crystal structure of the ternary complex in one asymmetric unit**

**A.** Cartoon view of fungi CENP-H/I/K complex structure. Even though two molecules of *ct*CENP-I<sup>NT</sup> (cyan and green) were found in one asymmetric unit, only one binds to the heterodimer of *th*CENP-H<sup>CT</sup> (magenta) and *th*CENP-K<sup>CT</sup> (yellow).

**B.** SDS-PAGE electrophoresis analyses of the complex crystals, stained with Coomassie Blue.

**C.** Electron density for *th*CENP-H<sup>CT</sup> in the complex structure, composite omit map calculated with Phenix, contoured at 1.0 $\sigma$ .

**Figure S6. Analyses of the binding activities of *thCENP-H* WT or mutants bound to GST-*thCENP-K*<sup>ΔN75</sup> and GST-*thCENP-K*<sup>FL</sup>**

**A.** *In vitro* binding assays were performed to examine the binding activity between *thCENP-H*<sup>N164</sup> (ΔCT) and *thCENP-K*<sup>N143</sup> (ΔCT) complex and *ctCENP-I*<sup>NT</sup>.

**B** and **C.** Recombinant *thCENP-H* WT or mutant proteins were mixed with GST or GST-*thCENP-K*<sup>ΔN75</sup> (**B**) and GST-*thCENP-K*<sup>FL</sup> (**C**) proteins. GST pull-down assays were performed. The bead-bound proteins were resolved with SDS-PAGE and stained with Coomassie Blue. Quantification was summarized for both in **Figure 3B**.

**Figure S7. Analyses of the binding activities of *hsCENP-H* WT or mutants bound to GST-*hsCENP-K*<sup>ΔN85</sup> and GST-*hsCENP-K*<sup>FL</sup>**

**A** and **B.** Recombinant *hsCENP-H* WT or mutant proteins were mixed with GST or GST-*hsCENP-K*<sup>ΔN85</sup> (**A**) and GST-*hsCENP-K*<sup>FL</sup> (**B**) proteins. GST pull-down assays were performed. The bead-bound proteins were resolved with SDS-PAGE and stained with Coomassie Blue. Quantification was summarized for both (**A** and **B**) in **Figure 3D**.

**Figure S8. Analyses of the binding activities of *thCENP-H* WT or mutants bound to *ctCENP-I*<sup>NT</sup>, and Immuno-blotting analyses of gene knock-down and overexpression in cell experiment.**

**A.** Recombinant *thCENP-H* WT or mutant proteins were mixed with GST or GST-*ctCENP-I*<sup>NT</sup> proteins. GST pull-down assays were performed. The bead-bound proteins were resolved with SDS-PAGE and stained with Coomassie Blue. Quantification was available in **Figure 4B**.

**B.** Cell lysates of HeLa Tet-On cells treated with Luciferase, *hsCENP-H* or *hsCENP-I* siRNA were resolved with SDS-PAGE and blotted with the indicated antibodies.

**C.** Cell lysates of HeLa Tet-On cells in **Figure 5D** were resolved with SDS-PAGE and blotted with the indicated antibodies.

## Data collection, phasing and refinement statistics

	<i>ct</i> CENP-INT(Se-Met)	<i>ct</i> CENP-INT complex with <i>th</i> CENP-HCT/ KCT
<b>Wavelength</b>	0.9778	0.986
<b>Resolution range (Å)</b>	46.197 - 2.298(2.38-2.30)*	46.46 - 2.199 (2.24-2.20)*
<b>Space group</b>	P 41212	P 41
<b>Unit cell (<i>a</i>, <i>b</i>, <i>c</i> (Å))</b>	59.671 59.671 145.971 90 90 90	67.847 67.847 186.269 90 90 90
<b>Unique reflections</b>	22388(2244)	42600 (4220)
<b>Multiplicity</b>	4.5 (4.5)	9.4 (7.6)
<b>Completeness (%)</b>	99.7 (99.9)	100 (99.5)
<b>Mean I/sigma(I)</b>	21.42(3.25)	29.64(1.44)
<b>Wilson B-factor</b>	47.39	46.37
<b>R-meas<sup>†</sup></b>	0.070(0.588)	0.102 (1.562)
<b>R-pim<sup>‡</sup></b>	0.033 (0.274)	0.033 (0.559)
<b>CC<sub>1/2</sub><sup>§</sup></b>	0.866	0.694
<b>Phase determination</b>		
<b>Anomalous scatterer</b>	Selenium (1 of 1 possible sites)	
<b>Figure of merit, 46.20–2.30 Å</b>	0.246	
<b>Refinement statistics</b>		
<b>Reflections used in refinement</b>	12379(1202)	42479 (2611)
<b>Reflections used for R-free</b>	1238 (134)	2143 (228)
<b>R-work</b>	0.1739 (0.2132)	0.1877 (0.3134)
<b>R-free</b>	0.2277 (0.2867)	0.2298 (0.3549)
<b>Number of non-hydrogen atoms</b>	1790	4699
<b>macromolecules</b>	1700	4579
<b>solvent</b>	90	120
<b>Protein residues</b>	213	544
<b>RMS(bonds)</b>	0.007	0.008
<b>RMS(angles)</b>	0.961	0.901
<b>Ramachandran favored (%)<sup>#</sup></b>	98.09	97.14
<b>Ramachandran allowed (%)<sup>#</sup></b>	1.91	2.5
<b>Ramachandran outliers (%)<sup>#</sup></b>	0	0.36
<b>Rotamer outliers (%)</b>	3.24	0.82
<b>Clashscore</b>	4.03	8.82
<b>Average B-factor</b>	54.73	69.44
<b>macromolecules</b>	54.44	69.79
<b>solvent</b>	60.28	56.11

\*Data for the highest-resolution shell are shown in parentheses

<sup>†</sup>R-meas =  $\sum_h (n_h - 1)^{1/2} \sum_i |I_i(h) - \langle I(h) \rangle| / \sum_h \sum_i I_i(h)$ , where  $I_i(h)$  and  $\langle I(h) \rangle$  are the *i*th and mean measurement of the intensity of reflection *h*.

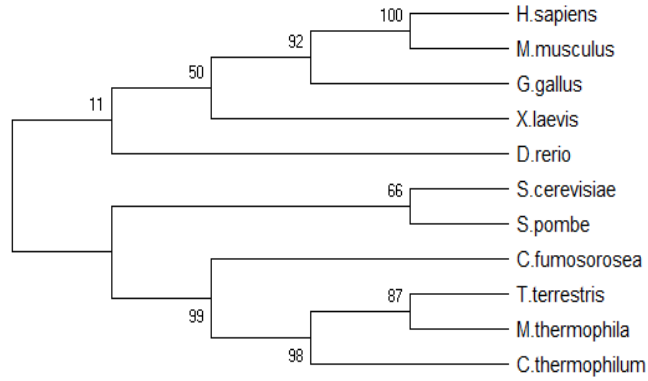
<sup>‡</sup>R-pim =  $100 \sum_h \sum_i [1/(n_h - 1)]^{1/2} |I_{h,i} - \langle I_h \rangle| / \sum_h \sum_i \langle I_{h,i} \rangle$ , where  $n_h$  is the number of observations of reflections *h*.

<sup>§</sup>CC<sub>1/2</sub> values shown are for the highest resolution shell.

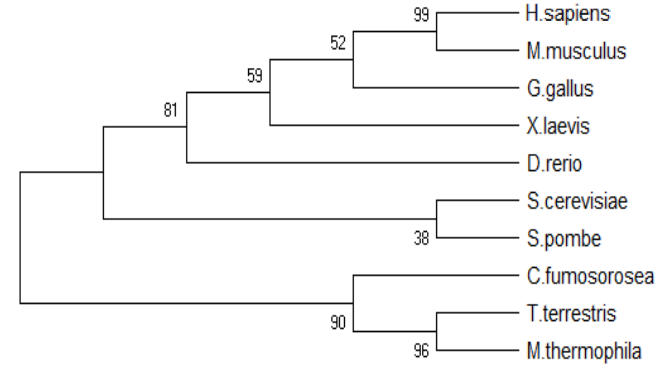
<sup>#</sup>As defined by the validation suite MolProbity.

**Table S1**

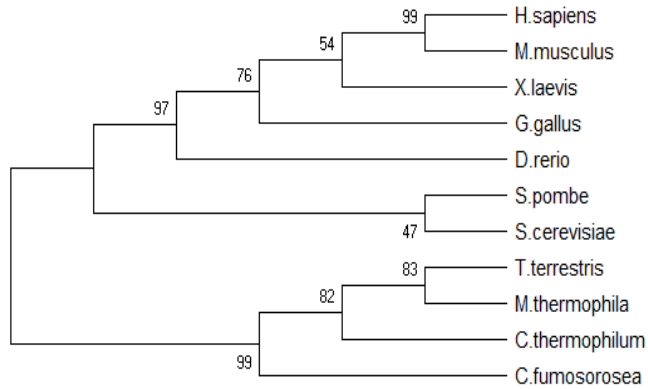
**A** Maximum-Likelihood Phylogenetic Tree of CENP-I



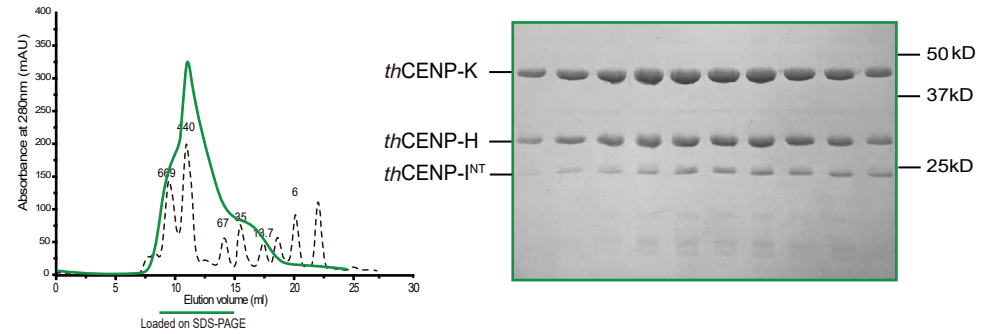
**B** Maximum-Likelihood Phylogenetic Tree of CENP-H



**C** Maximum-Likelihood Phylogenetic Tree of CENP-K



**D**



**Figure S1**

# CENP-I Alignment

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1      10      20      30      40      50      60
H. sapiens  MSPQKRVRVKNVQAQNRRTSQGSSSFQTTLTSAWKVKQDPNSKNISKHGQNNPVGDEYHADDQ
G. gallus   ...MQRRQSSKHSKRPLQVHHSNQTDLSAWR...KGGTVDTEKSAQNRQSLSDQKNDNE
M. musculus MATQVRVTRNSQQQNRISQGSNSRQTSLLDDWMVKDKSGNFKSVLK...ESSSVEDSTRTDDR
X. laevis   .....MEERPP.....KSSQDESMRKQDV
D. rerio    .....MAGLSNLTGL...VSEPSGEAESSVSVSNRSLRLAEKKEKK
S. cerevisiae .....
S. pombe    .....MESFENK
C. fumosorosea .....MPA
T. terrestris .....MSS
C. thermophilum .....MVN
M. thermophila .....MPS
consensus>50 .....
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70      80      90      100     110
H. sapiens  AEEEDATQMAVGYFEKGIKASQNKDKTLEKHLKTVENVAWKNGLASEETDITLNL.IALS
G. gallus   ..QDSELEQALSYFEKIQDRVSLKSEVLEKHLSTMESIALKRNGLPPEGFVLDL.VALS
M. musculus T.EGALQVAVGYFQKPKKASLSKDKVLEKHLTTVENVALSNGLAPEAIDITLNL.VALS
X. laevis   S.IQQMEDALFLKKNVSKVPLKGNHTLISHISAVENLGLKKGIPDPGIVITLNL.LALS
D. rerio    GEADPEATAAAKYLQFKAGTTRVGNDELERLILVVEVVAVKGLPPEGVITLNL.LALS
S. cerevisiae .MSLILDDIILSLTANERTP...PQALKTLSLLYEKSKQYGLSSPQLQALVRL.LLCT
S. pombe    G.FLDIEEGIQWIKKNSENLSSKKTILAR.LQFHKLCSEVCLNOHSSISSLILNHSK
C. fumosorosea AGDDEITNLIADIVAASKLPPKARATLVRP.SVNSLASLAYERGLLFAALDEILA.LVLTTP
T. terrestris PERDDLDDGLLGLLEAASKLPKARRQTSIKPTVERTITLILYDRGALPDELARLVLD.LLTVR
C. thermophilum TEEDGLPRLIDATEEASKIPAKRRQTPIKPTIEKLTTHLYTHGASPDLLRLAD.LLTVR
M. thermophila PEDDDLGGLIQDLEAASKVPAKRRQTNIKS.TVEKATALLYDRGALPDELARLVLD.LLTVR
consensus>50 ..ed.le.i...e.....q.l...i.....Glp.e.d.lid..l.l.
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G. gallus   GKLADTVNTRLLK.SLIPASAIPESSIVSVSWFPCVS.....KCSNIIQLFLRWLI
M. musculus GKFGNAVNSRILK.CMIPESHISEDSVVKAVSWLVCV.....KCSGNTKVLFYRWLV
X. laevis   GYLVDLINVRLMK.CLIPASEVTRSSILQAVSLFCVV.....KCSNTQILFLRWLI
D. rerio    LNAGTPNCSRILK.FLIPATVVPQEAIVKGVSWLVCV.....KMPMNAQVFLRWLV
S. cerevisiae SIIDTVTKVYIVENCFLPDGYLELLELHHLGTPTVFSRYRIQTPPVLSALCKWLV
S. pombe    THFDKNHVQLLIK.CLYPNEELISQTIAIRIISLDPH.....GLRCSYAIQAKLLNWL
C. fumosorosea SLDQAS.....
T. terrestris NHLDAQSLAAIVR.NLYPSGKVADETVLRVVGALGHG.....QLKPSLP LQALFLRWLV
C. thermophilum NHLDAQSLAAIVR.NLYPSTVSDEVVLRFIGALGHG.....QLKPTLALQALFLRWLV
M. thermophila NHLDAQSLGAIIVR.NLYPSGKVSDEVVLRFIGALGHG.....QLKPSFPLQALFLRWLV
consensus>50 ..ldqa...i.k..l.p...v.ee.vl..vs.l.....k.s...q.lflrwlv
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170     180     190     200     210     220
H. sapiens  AMFDFID.RKEQINLL.YGFFFAQLQDDAFC.PYVCHL.LYLLTKKENVKPFVRKLLDLO
G. gallus   TMFDFID.HKEQVHAL.YGFFFSFLNDEKCPYICHV.LYLLTKKENVKPFVRKLLDLO
M. musculus AMFDFID.HKKQISSL.YGFFFASLQDDTFC.PYVCHL.LYLLTKKENVKPFVRKLLDLO
X. laevis   TVFDFIT.CKDILSSFYNFPCFLNYDNL.....
D. rerio    TVFDFID.CKDDLRSI.YGFFFSFVTEETLCPFFICHL.LYLLTTRHVPYRVRKLLDIO
S. cerevisiae HVYFLFVHSEREHNS.SSIWHLWQFSFLQKWITPLVWQATTPVDVKPKLSI IKRCA
S. pombe    HVEFLD.GNNLCRY.YGVLFHFLDFLTLRPIYSNL.LVLLTKHYHVKSFRIHQLLALY
C. fumosorosea GVHHALE.EPGVLSRA.YPVFLNLDTAATRPQLAHL.LALITRRKHVRPFRIQNLNLS
T. terrestris MVYHLE.NPTILSQA.YGVFLNLDTAATRPQLCHL.LALVTRRKHVRPFRIQNLNLS
C. thermophilum MVYHLE.NPGVLQGV.YGVFLDLDTAATRPQLCHL.LALVTRRKHVRPFRIQALITLS
M. thermophila MVYHLE.NPAVLSQV.YSVFLNLDTAATRPQLCHL.LALVTRRKHVRPFRIQGLD.
consensus>50 .vfd..d...e.l...ygv.f..ld...l.p.ichl.l.l.t.r.hv.pfrv..lldl.
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230     240     250     260     270
H. sapiens  AKMG.M..QP.....HQLALLS.LYKFFAPALISVSLPVRKKIYFKN..SENLWKTALL
G. gallus   SKMG.M..QP.....HQLALLS.LYKLFCELVSITLPQKMKIYFKN..ADGFWKAAN
M. musculus AKMG.M..QP.....HQLALLS.LYKFFAPTLISVSLPVRKKIYFNN..SNLWTSASL
X. laevis   ..GL..QP.....HLLGLLSVYKIFCELVTLTLPFRFKSYFKS..SHLWRMELK
D. rerio    AKMGR..QP.....FLTQLLALYKVFPRDLVTLTLPSPRARTGFKN..HNSWTKVALS
S. cerevisiae MHPGYRDAPGSATLILQR.FQCLVGASSQRTESIITINGNRKTLKSHRNKLDLHFLSILK
S. pombe    QKPGNTADP.....YLLALLLTYKQHFDPVIVGSVYTRKHGGSVR..LDSEWIAATK
C. fumosorosea RQTGN..DP.....TLVGLLRVYKDYYPEIIVGEAVRGRASAFKH..PDPWRERMD
T. terrestris .....DP.....TLVGLLRVYKDYYPEIIVGEAVRGRASAFKH..PDPWRERMD
C. thermophilum RQTGG..DP.....NLTGLLRVYKDYYPEIIVGDATKGRASAFKH..PDPWRQHLD
M. thermophila .....DP.....NLTGLLRVYKDYYPEIIVGDATKGRASAFKH..PDPWRQHLD
consensus>50 ..g...qp.....l..ll.yk.f.pe.i.....fk...d..w...l.
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G. gallus   AVQRNQANSTVBPQLLLGTAQ...PHSRKRRWN.TQILVFPASSANAQNLVVGK.MSRA
M. musculus AVRLRNQGAFFPEPLNPLRPTT...GSLKRRKWN.SHSVIPALN..SANKEYGEKTASLF
X. laevis   EVKRNAGDPAADSRLLIFGDKEQVLSYSRKRKWN.SNMPPPVHG...IIWGKAPVLAD
D. rerio    AVQRNKGAVLVDQSLVSVKVEK..PSSRKRKRH.HLAVPPLSS...AF
S. cerevisiae RILSRAH.PANFPADTVQNTIDM..YLSETHQLG.ADSIYPLRL...QSLP
S. pombe    AILNRQSEDEVPLET.....WSSKRRKRS.SLIPDLIT.....
C. fumosorosea ELQEAHLQQTQERMSRPRDAFR...VHKSVGRGQ.RKTAALPSVH...
T. terrestris EIQR.RSKRQDDRSVRNGFAV..NHALSRRLKGAQVLPFAVH...
C. thermophilum EIQR.RSEAQED.GVRNGFSV..NHALGRRLRGTAKAVLPTVH...
M. thermophila EIQR.RSEYRDDQGVNRNGFAV..NHALDOKLKTARS.SLPIVR...
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Sequence alignment for PSIPRED 340-380. Species: H. sapiens, G. gallus, M. musculus, X. laevis, D. rerio, S. cerevisiae, S. pombe, C. fumosorosea, T. terrestris, C. thermophilum, M. thermophila, consensus>50. Conserved residues: NRS, SFP, LEO, Q, S, F, P, Q, L, L, Q, N, I, H, C, L, E, L, P, S, Q, M, G, S, V, L, N, S, P, L, L, L, H, Y, I, N, C, V, R, D, E, P, V, L, L.

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Sequence alignment for PSIPRED 390-430. Species: H. sapiens, G. gallus, M. musculus, X. laevis, D. rerio, S. cerevisiae, S. pombe, C. fumosorosea, T. terrestris, C. thermophilum, M. thermophila, consensus>50. Conserved residues: R, F, Y, Y, W, T, S, Q, T, L, Q, E, E, C, I, W, Y, K, V, N, N, Y, E, H, G, K, E, F, T, N, F, L, D, T, I, I, R, A, E, C, F, L, Q, E, G, F, Y, S, C, E, A, F.

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Sequence alignment for PSIPRED 440-480. Species: H. sapiens, G. gallus, M. musculus, X. laevis, D. rerio, S. cerevisiae, S. pombe, C. fumosorosea, T. terrestris, C. thermophilum, M. thermophila, consensus>50. Conserved residues: L, Y, K, S, L, P, L, W, D, G, V, C, C, R, S, Q, F, L, Q, L, V, S, W, I, P, L, S, S, F, S, E, V, K, P, L, L, F, D, H, L, A, Q, L, F, F, T, S, T, I, Y.

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Sequence alignment for PSIPRED 490-540. Species: H. sapiens, G. gallus, M. musculus, X. laevis, D. rerio, S. cerevisiae, S. pombe, C. fumosorosea, T. terrestris, C. thermophilum, M. thermophila, consensus>50. Conserved residues: F, K, C, S, V, L, Q, S, L, K, E, L, L, Q, N, W, L, W, L, S, M, D, H, M, K, P, V, T, N, S, F, L, E, T, T, L, G, S, M, N, S, V, S, K, L, I, H, Y, V, G, W.

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Sequence alignment for PSIPRED 550-590. Species: H. sapiens, G. gallus, M. musculus, X. laevis, D. rerio, S. cerevisiae, S. pombe, C. fumosorosea, T. terrestris, C. thermophilum, M. thermophila, consensus>50. Conserved residues: L, S, T, A, M, R, L, E, S, N, T, F, L, L, H, F, I, L, D, F, Y, E, K, V, C, D, I, Y, I, N, Y, N, L, P, L, V, V, L, F, P, P, G, I, F, Y, S, A, L, L, S, D, T, S, I.

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G. gallus	WT	SSAF	QKDNHP	..	E	G	IR	LD	..	DE	LL	KK	T	.....	GV	REY	KNS	..	FN	IV	YH	PA	LM	CY
M. musculus	WT	SRPF	KA	.....	GV	YD	..	PE	TI	ENT	.....	GG	TQY	KST	..	LN	IV	YH	PS	LS	LS	Y		
X. laevis	WT	SHAF	HQDTHP	..	Q	G	IQ	LE	..	TH	LL	ESS	.....	GV	LTY	KKA	..	FN	IV	YH	PA	LIG	Y	
D. rerio	WNS	QWC	IP	.....	GS	DL	E	INKD	L	LALS	.....	KI	AEP	WCC	..	FD	I	HH	PA	LFS	Y			
S. cerevisiae	YRN	KVL	SSKSLF	..	GV	S	PDF	FKQ	I	LEN	LYI	.....	PT	ADF	KNA	KF	FT	IT	GI	PA	LSY	I		
S. pombe	LL	KEKR	AILSFLQLW	EP	FKS	DYSQ	FL	PIA	TRIA	.....	ND	HPYA	QR	V	F	SLT	CA	PQ	FF	SY				
C. fumosorosea	WR	MHAF	GVERGDVEQ	GC	MLP	..	AA	ARER	L	GRYAAAA	ADR	GV	VTL	AAA	..	LS	LS	YS	PV	L	CLQ			
T. terrestris	WR	GRAF	STTDENA	Q	GCC	VP	..	QS	IQ	PR	LESYLRAAD	S	D	LSL	ATA	..	FN	LS	HS	PL	L	CLQ		
C. thermophilum	WR	GRAF	TTTDLNA	R	GCL	LP	..	QS	VQ	TV	LEKYVRAVD	S	E	MSL	AVV	..	F	GLS	YA	PT	L	CLQ		
M. thermophila	WR	GRAF	STTDVNA	Q	GCR	IP	..	QP	VO	AT	LEAYMRTAD	P	D	LSL	ATA	..	F	GLS	HS	PL	L	CLQ		
consensus>50	w	..	a	f	..	g	..	d	..	e	..	y	..	f	n	i	..	P	..	l	..	y		

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H. sapiens	AV	S	FLI	QES	.....	PE	ER	T	VNV	SS	IR	GK	..	.....	KW	.....	SW	Y																								
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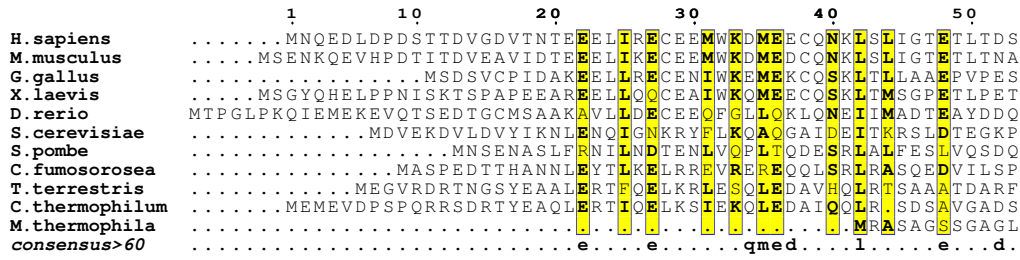
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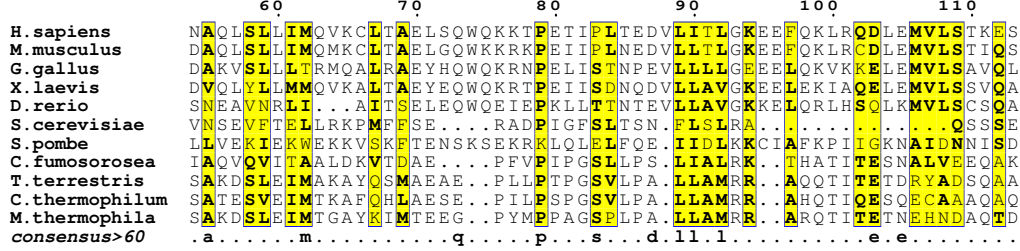


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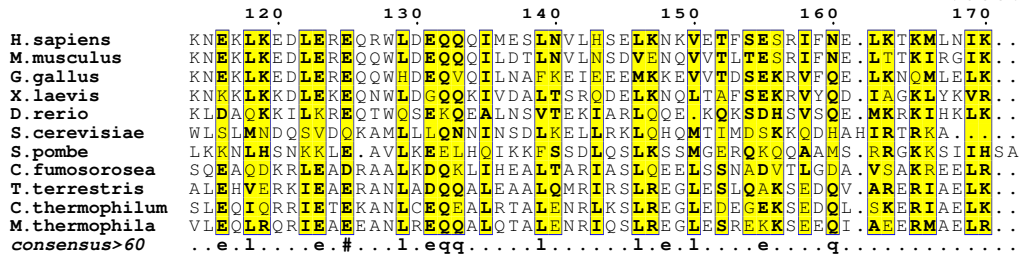
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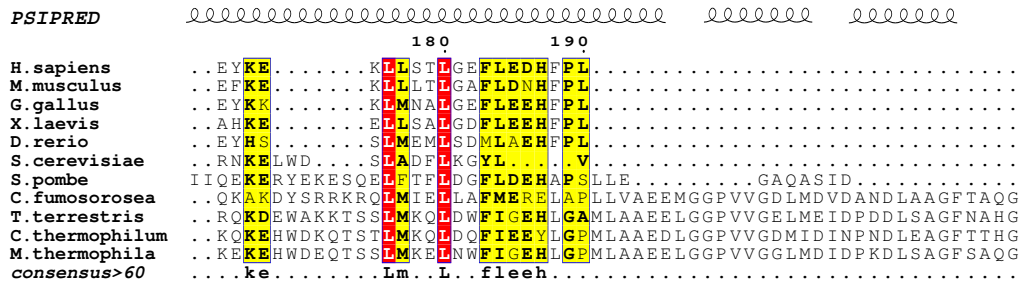
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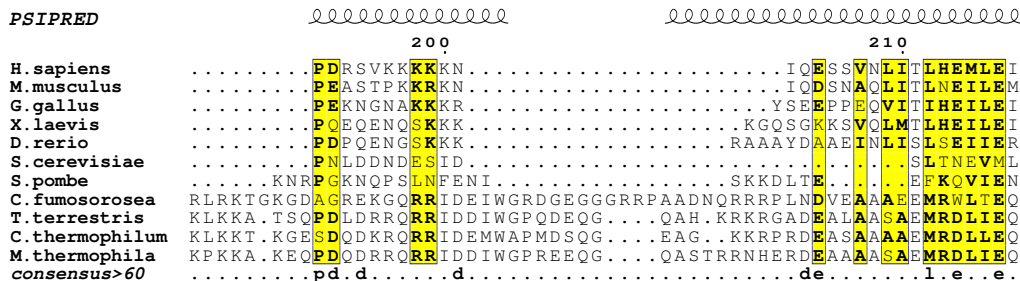
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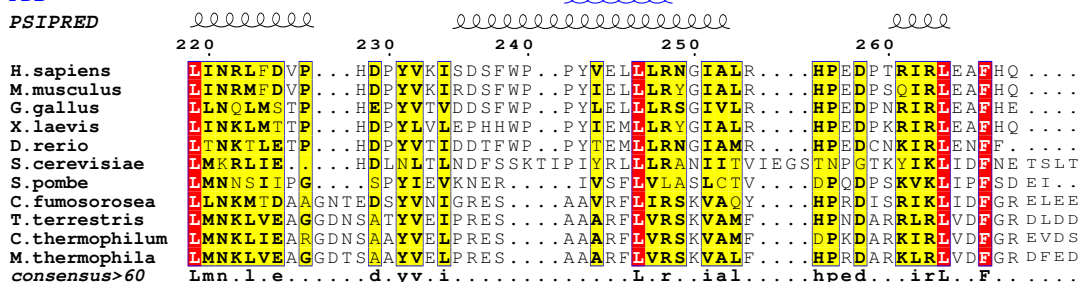
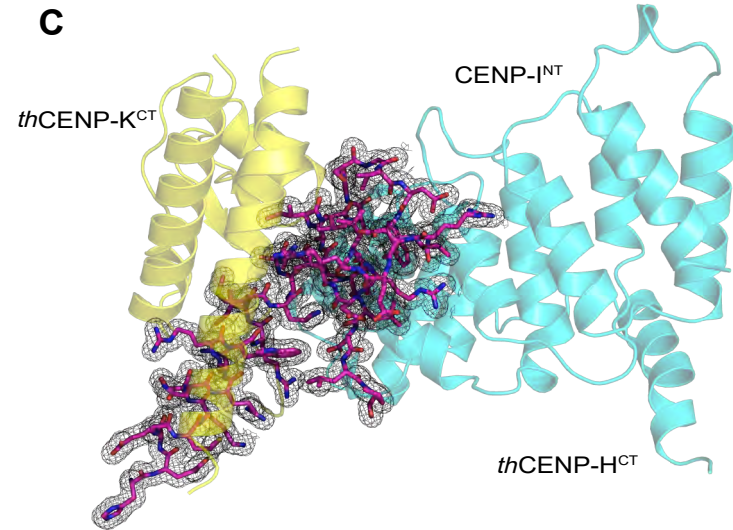
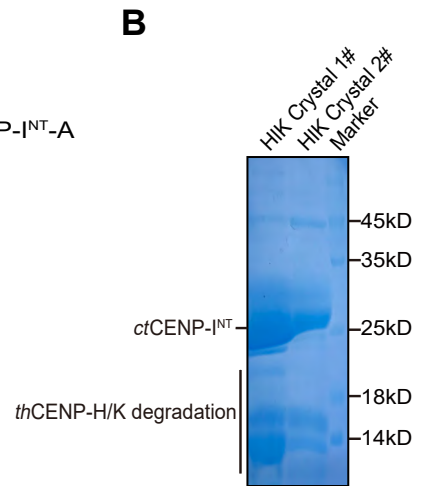
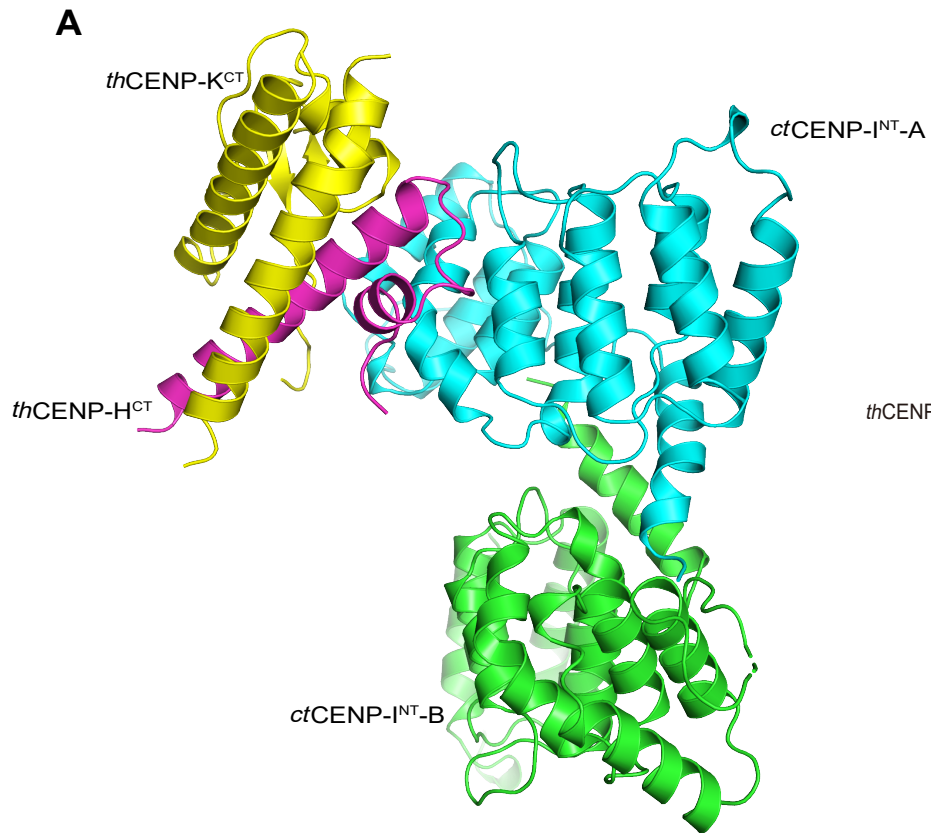
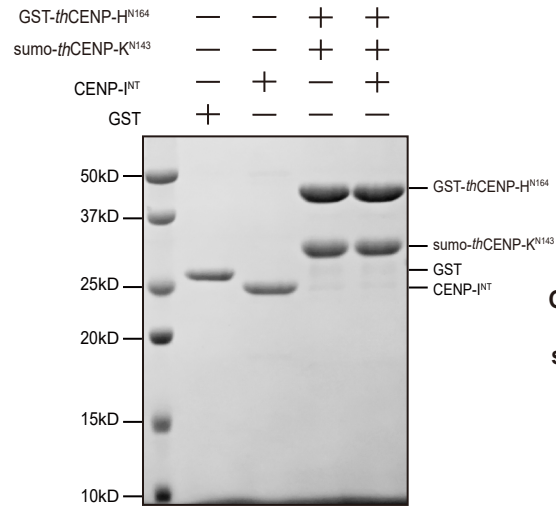
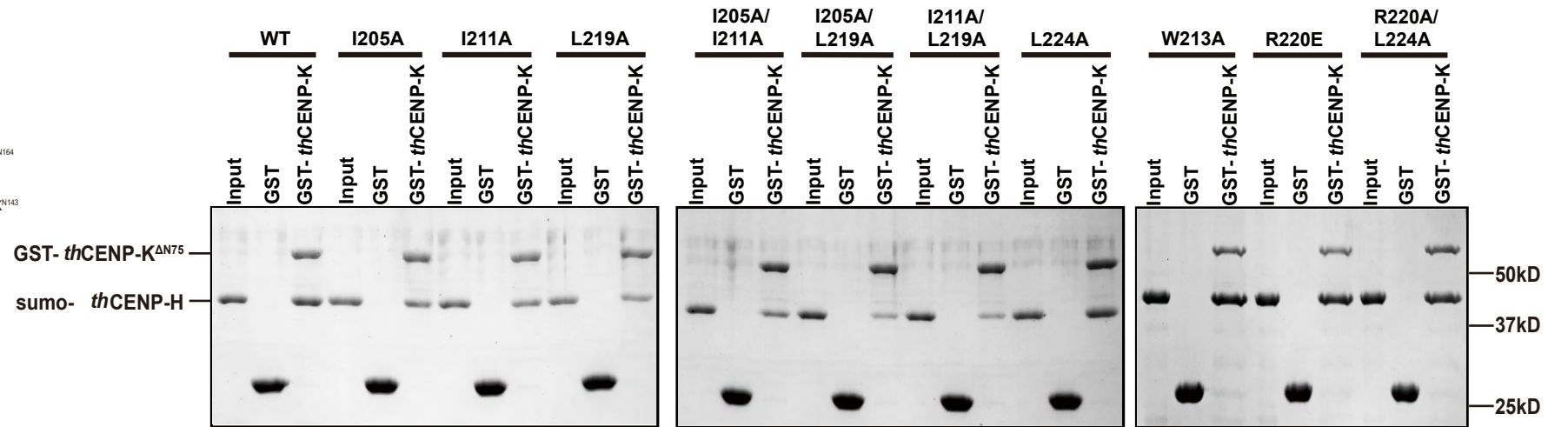
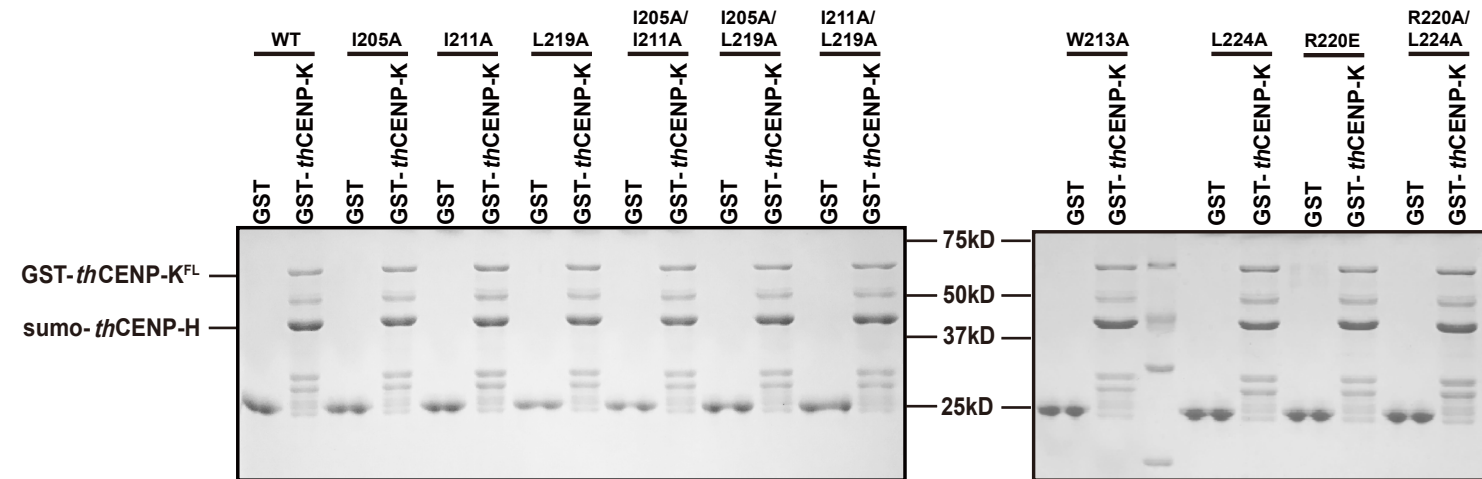


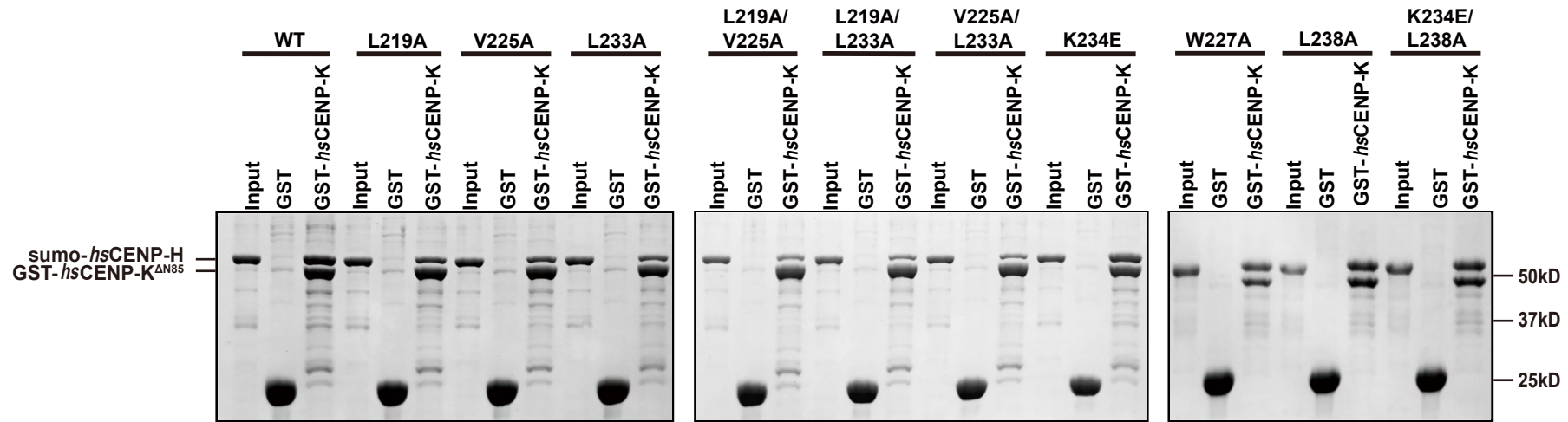
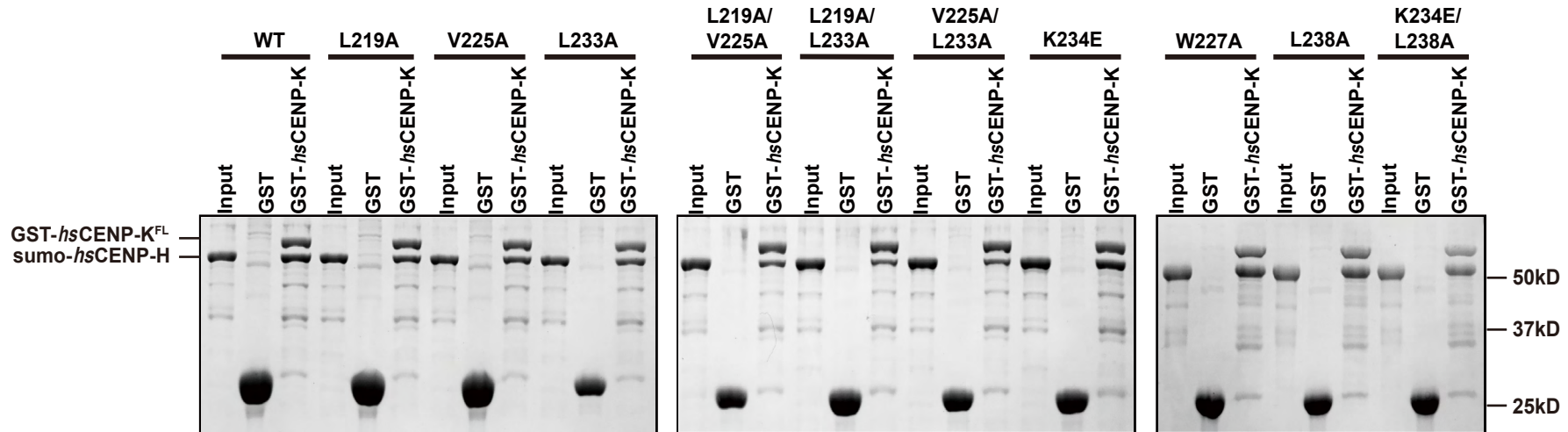
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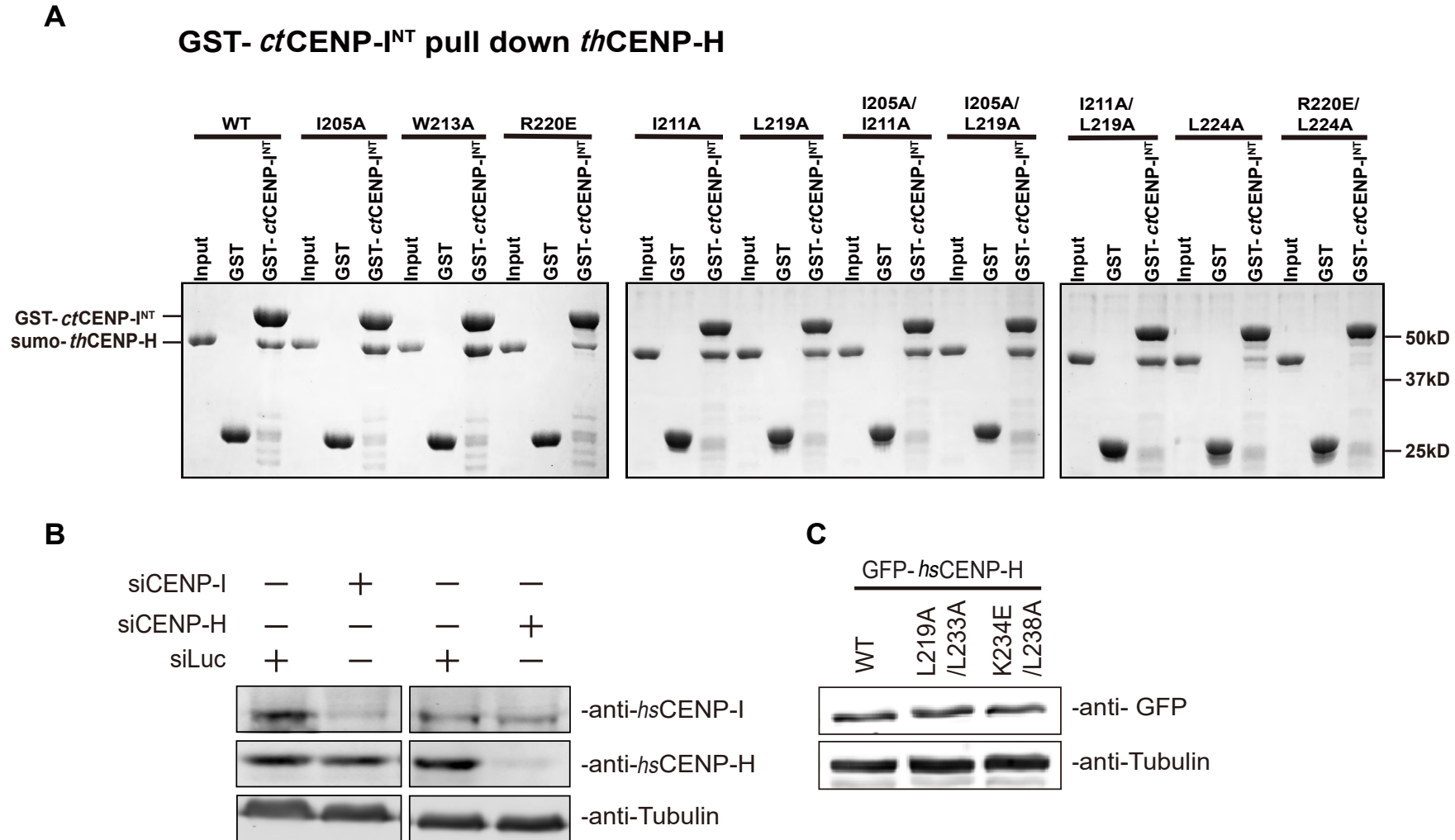




**Figure S5**

**A****B****GST- *thCENP-K*<sup>ΔN75</sup> pull down *thCENP-H*****C****GST- *thCENP-K*<sup>FL</sup> pull down *thCENP-H*****Figure S6**

**A****GST-*hsCENP-K*<sup>ΔN85</sup> pull down *hsCENP-H*****B****GST-*hsCENP-K*<sup>FL</sup> pull down *hsCENP-H*****Figure S7**



**Figure S8**