

Modelling Duchenne muscular dystrophy in *MYOD1*-converted urine-derived cells treated with 3-deazaneplanocin A hydrochloride

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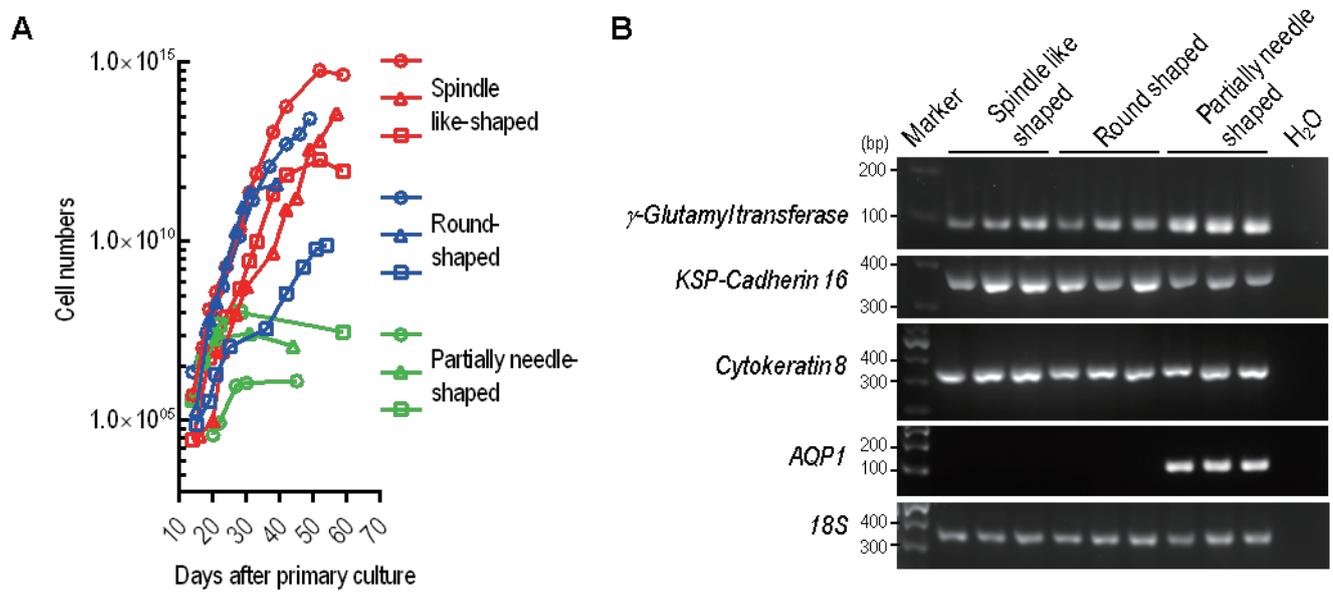
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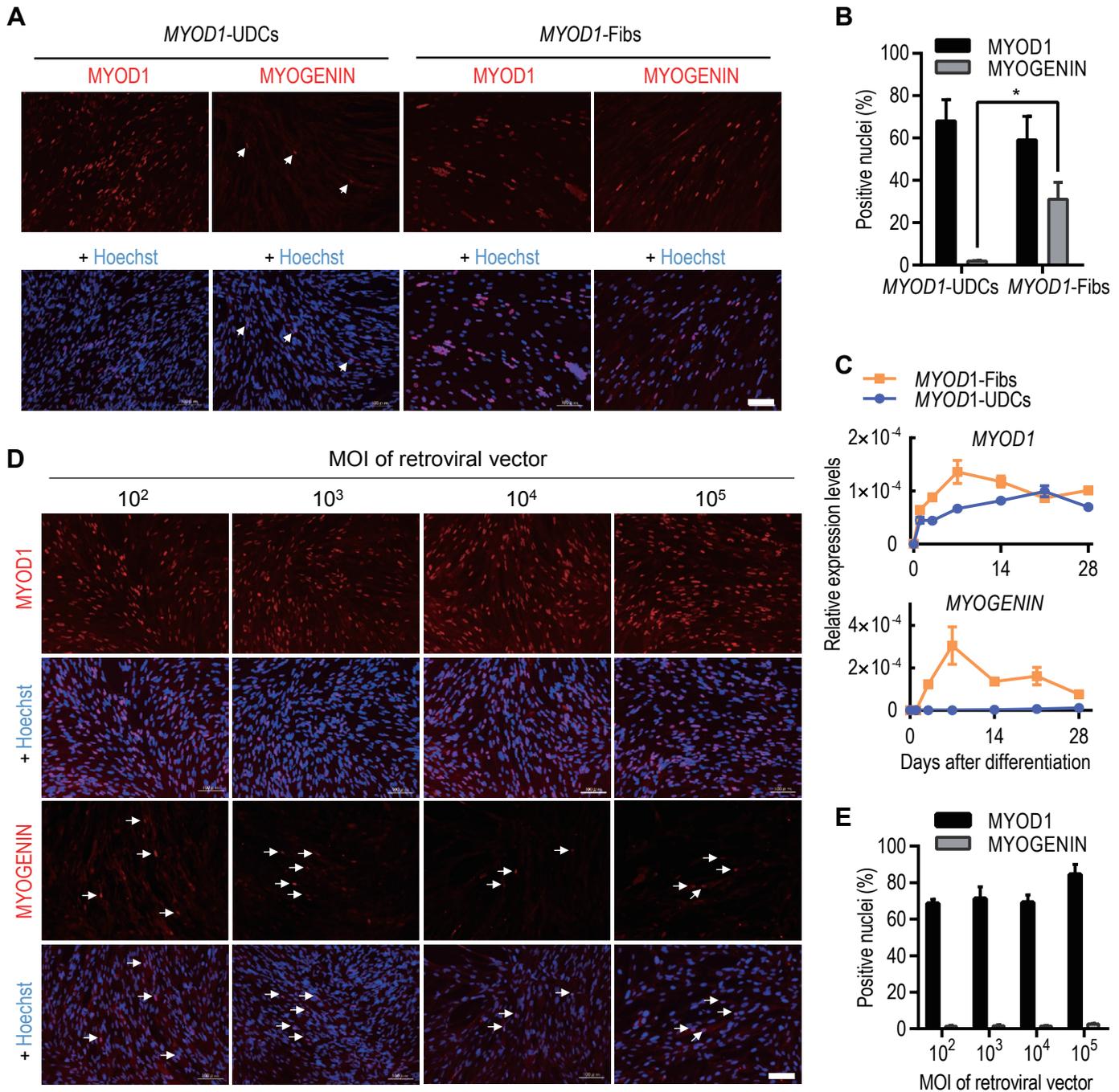
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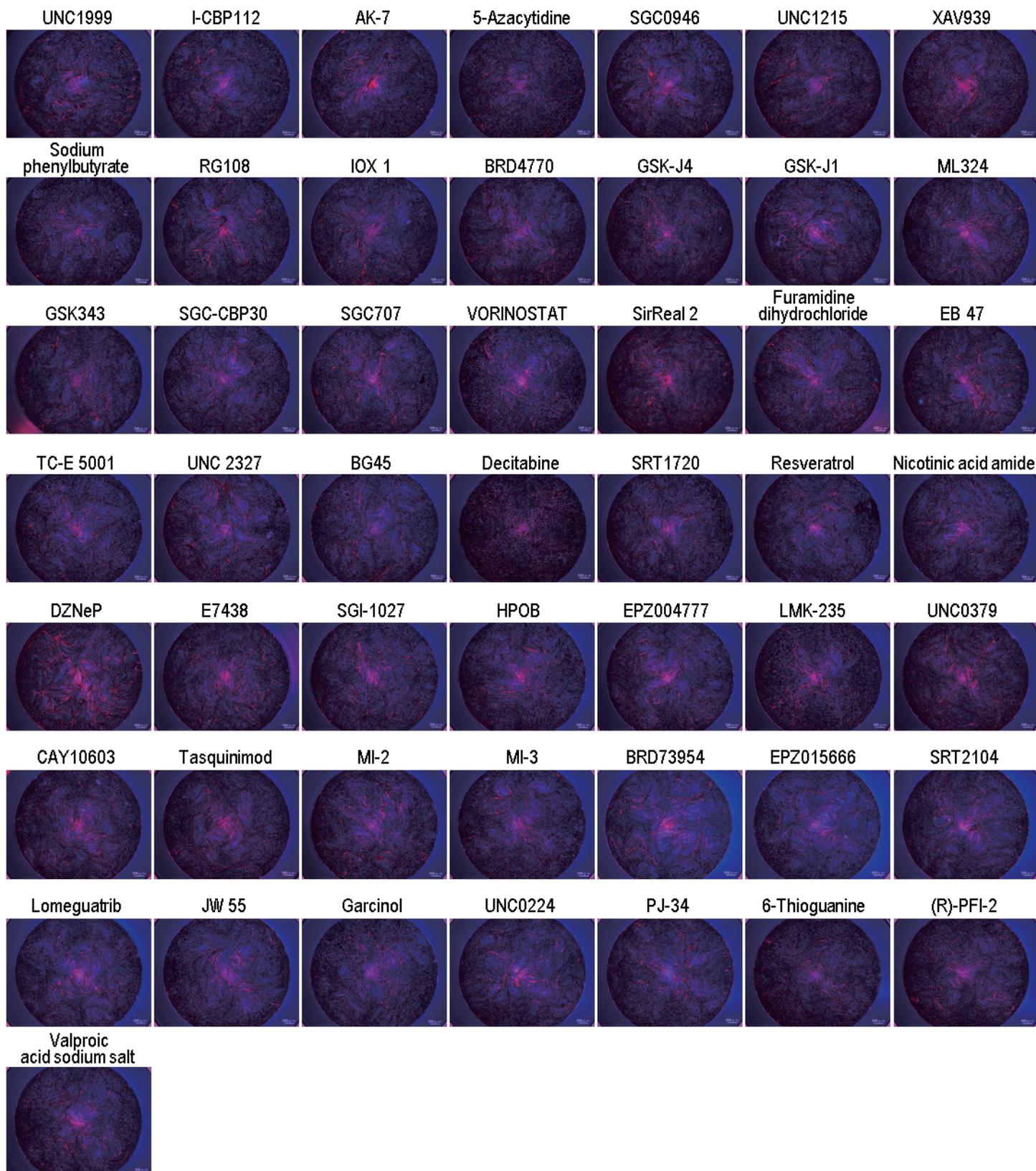
Supplementary Figure S1. Characteristics of urine-derived cells (UDCs). (A) Cell proliferation curves of UDCs with the three morphologies. (B) mRNA expression in UDCs with the three morphologies (three colonies each), as detected by RT-PCR targeting renal-specific genes.

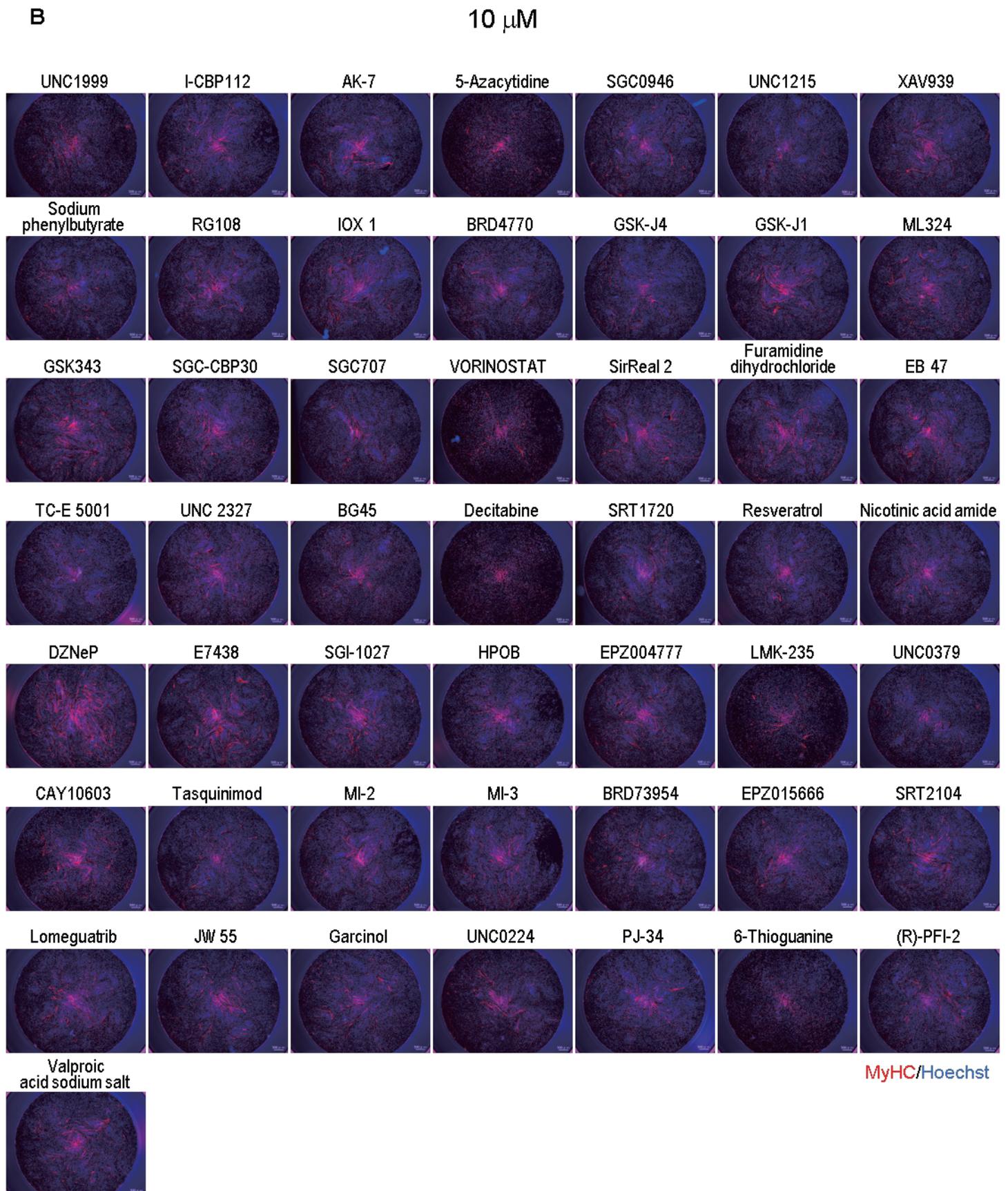


Supplementary Figure S2. Expression levels of *MYOD1* and *MYOGENIN* in *MYOD1*-converted urine-derived cells (UDCs) and *MYOD1*-converted fibroblasts. (A) Immunocytochemistry on *MYOD1*-UDCs and *MYOD1*-Fibs 2 weeks after differentiation. Representative images are shown. Arrows show *MYOGENIN*-positive nuclei in *MYOD1*-UDCs. Scale bar: 100 μ m. (B) The percentage of *MYOD1*- and *MYOGENIN*-positive nuclei were compared between *MYOD1*-UDCs and *MYOD1*-Fibs shown in figure A. Three pictures were randomly selected from *MYOD1*-UDCs and *MYOD1*-Fibs respectively. (C) qRT-PCR analysis of *MYOD1* (upper) and *MYOGENIN* (lower) expression levels relative to *EIF2B1*, an internal control, after differentiation; $n = 3$, for each. Data are expressed as mean \pm SEM. (D) Immunocytochemistry on *MYOD1*-UDCs after retroviral infection at various MOIs, 2 weeks after differentiation. Representative images are shown. Arrows show *MYOGENIN*-positive nuclei. MOI: multiplicity of infection. (E) The percentage of *MYOD1*- and *MYOGENIN*-positive nuclei were compared between *MYOD1*-UDCs infected at various MOIs shown in figure D. Three pictures were randomly selected from various MOIs respectively.

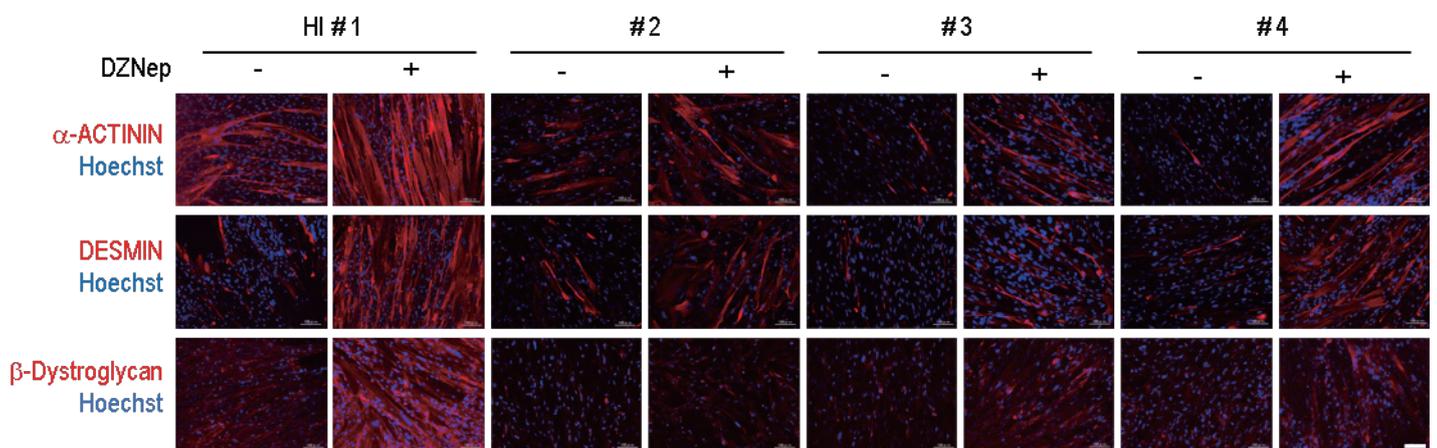
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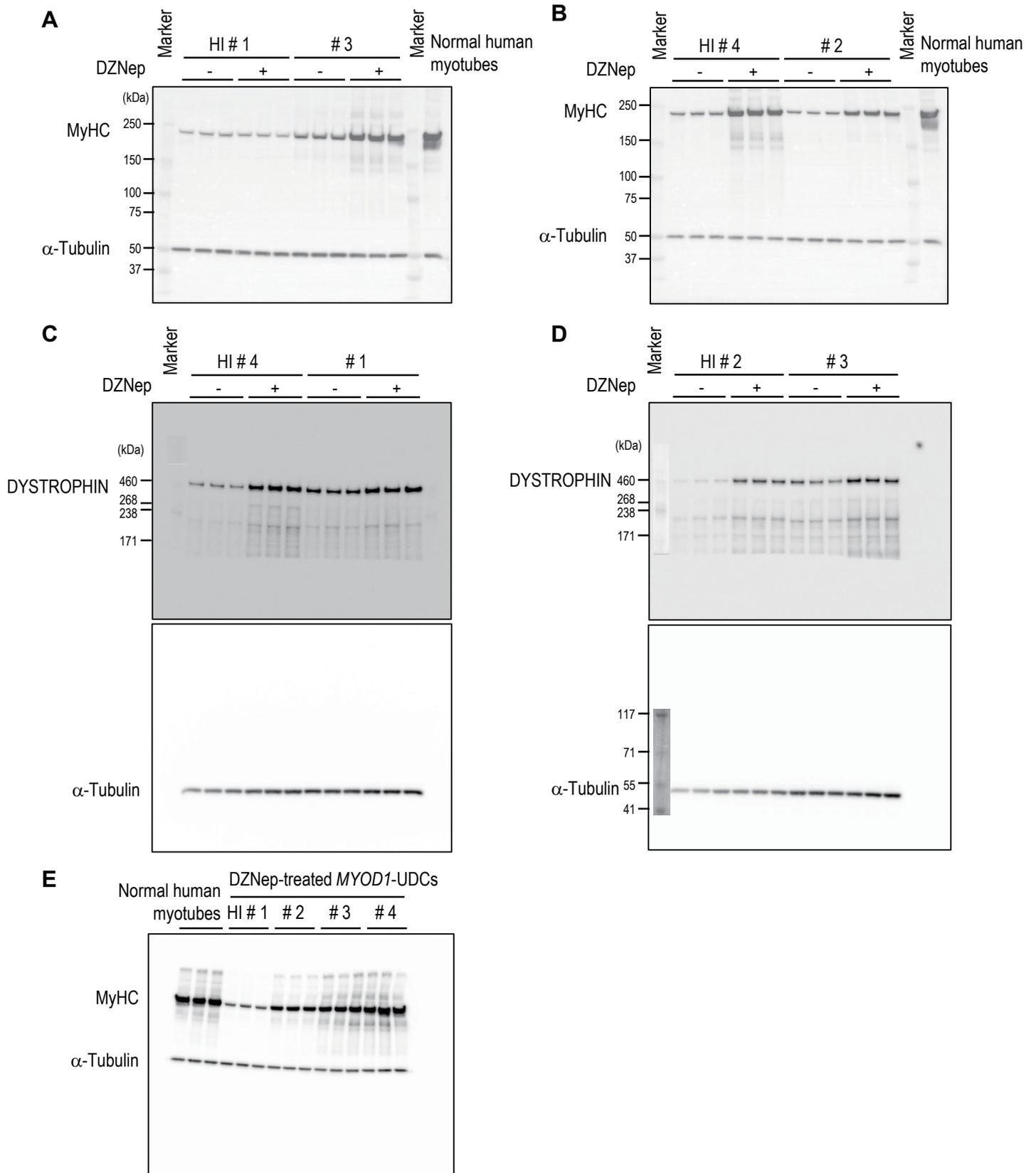




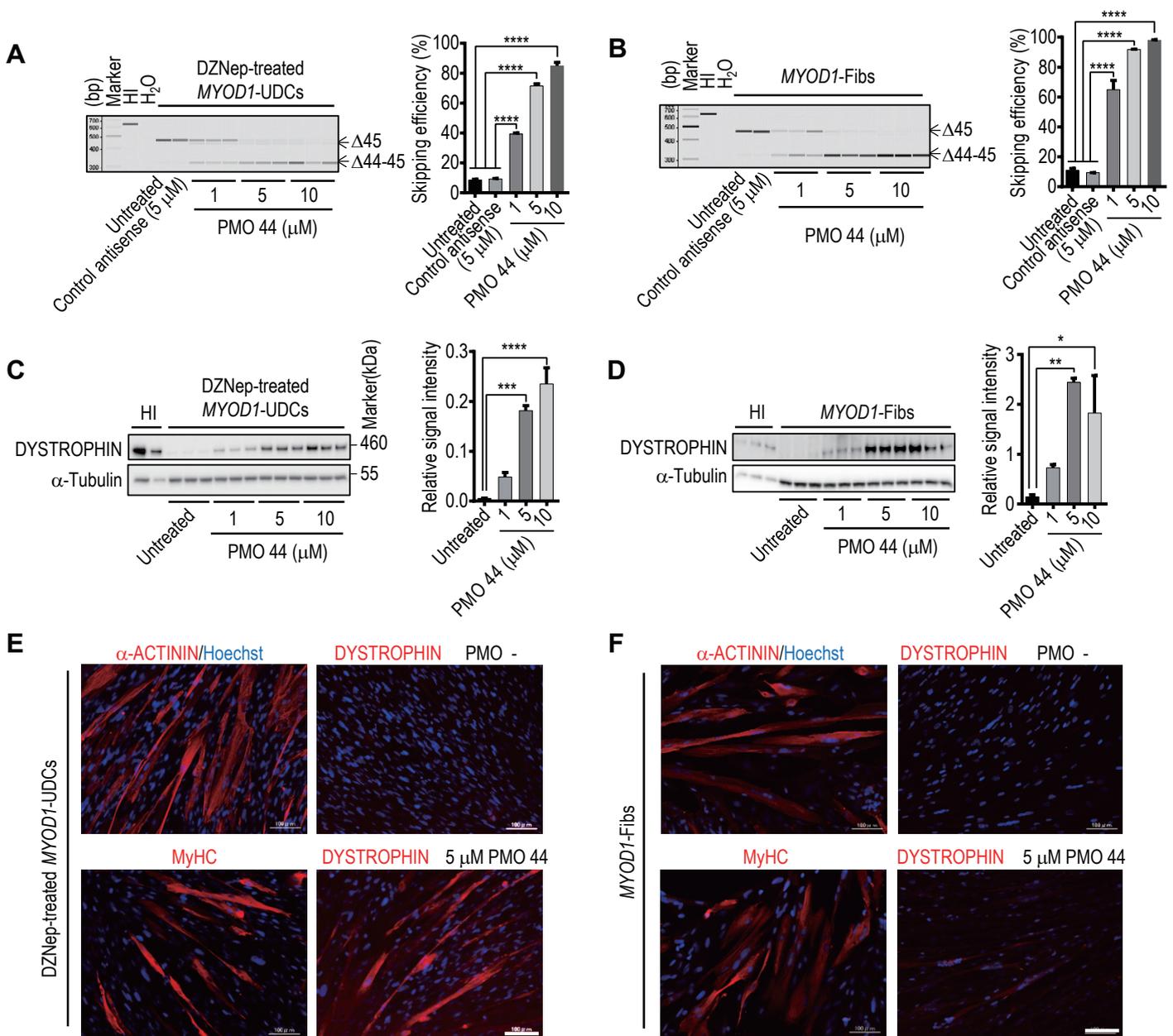
Supplementary Figure S3. Screening of epigenetic drugs that promote myotube formation in *MYOD1*-converted urine-derived cells (UDCs). Immunocytochemistry for myosin heavy chain (MyHC) on the 14th day after myogenic differentiation. Representative images are shown. *MYOD1*-transduced UDCs were treated with epigenetic drugs at 1 μ M (A) and 10 μ M (B) including 3-deazaneplanocin A hydrochloride (DZNeP, histone methyltransferase inhibitor) for initial 3 days after differentiation. Scale bar: 500 μ m.



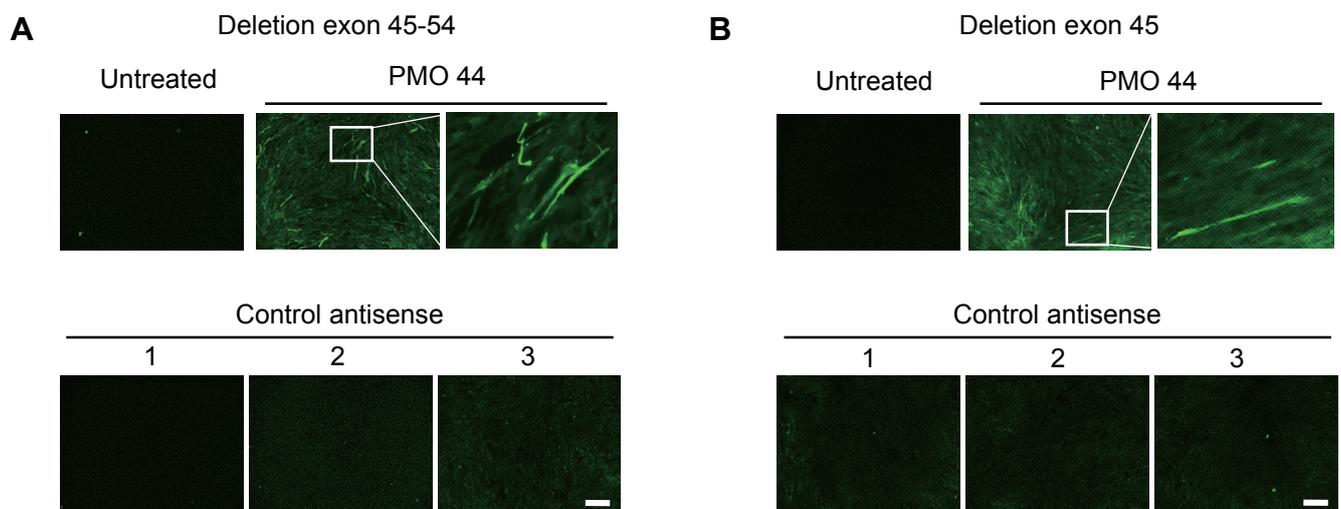
Supplementary Figure S4. Successful myotube differentiation of 3-deazaneplanocin A hydrochloride (DZNep)-treated *MYOD1*-urine-derived cells (UDCs) derived from healthy individuals. Representative images of immunocytochemistry for α -ACTININ, DESMIN, and β -Dystroglycan in *MYOD1*-UDCs from healthy children and adults 14 days after differentiation. UDCs were treated with 1 μ M 3-deazaneplanocin A hydrochloride (DZNep) for initial 3 days after differentiation. HI: healthy individual. #1: 8-year-old male; #2: 13-year-old male; #3: 33-year-old male; #4: 38-year-old male. Scale bar: 100 μ m.



Supplementary Figure S5. Immunoblotting analysis for MyHC and dystrophin using *MYOD1*-converted urine-derived cells (UDCs) from healthy individuals. (A) (B) Images of whole membranes of MyHC staining. An anti- α -Tubulin antibody was used as a loading control. (C) (D) Images of whole membranes of dystrophin staining (upper) and α -Tubulin (lower). (E) Immunoblotting analysis of MyHC in normal human myotubes (Lonza; CC-2580) and DZNep-treated *MYOD1*-UDCs. HI: healthy individual. #1: 8-year-old male; #2: 13-year-old male; #3: 33-year-old male; #4: 38-year-old male.



Supplementary Figure S6. Detection of exon-skipping after phosphorodiamidate morpholino oligomer (PMO) treatment in *MYOD1*-urine-derived cells (UDCs) and *MYOD1*-Fibs derived from a Duchenne muscular dystrophy (DMD) patient with a deletion in exon 45. (A, B) Quantification of exon-skipping after PMO treatment evaluated by RT-PCR in DZNeP-treated *MYOD1*-UDCs and *MYOD1*-Fibs derived from a DMD patient with exon 45 deletion. The upper bands are unskipped products ($\Delta 45$) that remained out of reading frame. The lower bands are exon 44-skipped products ($\Delta 44-45$) that restored the open reading frame. Skipping efficiency was calculated as (exon 44-skipped transcript molarity) / (native + exon 44-skipped transcript molarity (marked with arrows)) \times 100% using MultiNA. One-way ANOVA followed by Bonferroni's post hoc test was used to compare the skipping efficiencies in patient-derived cells with and without PMO treatment. DZNeP-treated *MYOD1*-UDCs and *MYOD1*-Fibs were also treated with control antisense at 5 μ M as controls; n = 3, for each. ****P < 0.0001. Data are expressed as mean \pm SEM. HI: healthy individual. (C, D) Immunoblotting for dystrophin in DZNeP-treated *MYOD1*-UDCs and *MYOD1*-Fibs from the DMD patient after PMO treatment. The relative intensities of the bands normalized to α -Tubulin expression were compared in patient-derived cells with and without PMO treatment by performing a one-way ANOVA followed by a Bonferroni's post hoc test; n = 3, for each; *P < 0.05, **P < 0.01, ***P < 0.001, ****P < 0.0001. (E, F) Immunocytochemistry for α -ACTININ, MyHC, and DYSTROPHIN in DZNeP-treated *MYOD1*-UDCs and *MYOD1*-Fibs after PMO treatment. Representative pictures are shown. Scale bar: 100 μ m.



Supplementary Figure S7. Highly efficient and specific screening using a fluorescent microscope.

Representative images of immunocytochemistry for DYSTROPHIN (green; scale bar, 300 μ m) in 3-deazaneplanocin A hydrochloride (DZNep)-treated *MYOD1*-urine-derived cells (UDCs) from Duchenne muscular dystrophy (DMD) patients (A: patient with exon 45–54 deletion, B: deletion of exon 45, both of which were altered “in frame” by skipping exon 44. PMO44: PMO for skipping exon 44.

Supplementary Table S1. Phosphorodiamidate morpholino oligomer (PMO) sequences and positions.

Target exon	Sequence (5' to 3')	Position	Length (bp)	Reference
44	TG TTCAGCTTCTGTTAGCCACTGA	H44 (+61+84)	24	Wilton, S. D. <i>et al. Mol Ther</i> , 2007
50	AACTTCCTCTTTAACAGAAAAGCATA C	H50 (-19-8)	27	Wu, B. <i>et al. PLoS One</i> , 2011
51	CTCCAACATCAAGGAAGATGGCATT CTAG	H51 (+66-95)	30	Cirak, S. <i>et al. Lancet</i> , 2011
55	TCTTCCAAAGCAGCCTCT	H55 (+13-30)	18	WO2004/048570

Supplementary Table S2. Antibodies used for FACS analysis.

Primary antibody	Source	Dilution
PE anti-human CD13	BioLegend; 344015	1:20
FITC anti-human CD34	BioLegend; 343603	1:20
APC anti-human CD45	BioLegend; 368511	1:20
FITC anti-human CD73	BioLegend; 344015	1:20
FITC anti-human CD90	BioLegend; 328107	1:20
APC anti-human CD105	BioLegend; 323207	1:10
PE Mouse IgG1, κ Isotype control	BioLegend; 400111	1:20
FITC Mouse IgG1, κ Isotype control	BioLegend; 400109	1:20
FITC Mouse IgG2a, κ Isotype control	BioLegend; 400207	1:20
APC Mouse IgG1, κ Isotype control	BioLegend; 400121	1:10

Supplementary Table S3. RT-PCR primers.

Gene	Forward primer (5' to 3')	Reverse primer (5' to 3')	Reference
γ -Glutamyl transferase	TGAGCCCAGAAGTGAGAG CAGTTG	ATGTCCACCAGCTCAGAG AGGGT	Yamaguchi, S. et al. Scientific reports,2016
KSP-Cadherin 16	CAAGTCATGAGGTGGTGG TG	TCATCTGTATCCTGGGCC TC	Thedieck, C., et al. Br J Cancer, 2005
Cytokeratin 8	GCCACTACTACACGACCA TCC	GAATCCACCTCCCACTG ACC	Lee, K. M. et al. Laboratory investigation, 2005
AQP1	TAACCCTGCTCGGTCCTT TG	AGTCGTAGATGAGTACAG CCAG	Yamaguchi, S. et al. Scientific reports,2016

Supplementary Table S4. TaqMan primers.

Gene	TaqMan assay ID
<i>MYH2</i>	Hs00430042_m1
<i>DMD</i>	Hs00758098_m1
<i>EIF2B1</i>	Hs00426752_m1
<i>MYOGENIN</i>	Hs01072232_m1
<i>MYOD1</i>	Hs00159528_m1