

Supplementary Information

Caspase-8 regulates endoplasmic reticulum stress-induced necroptosis independent of the apoptosis pathway in auditory cells

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Supplementary Figure S1a

Representative transmission electron microscopy photomicrographs of low magnifying scales in HEI-OC1 cells treated with tunicamycin (50 $\mu\text{g/ml}$ for 24 h). Tunicamycin-treated cells showed morphological characteristics of apoptosis (arrow) or necroptosis (arrowhead) (left and middle panel: 2,000 \times , and right panel: 2,500 \times magnifications).

Supplementary Figures S1-6.

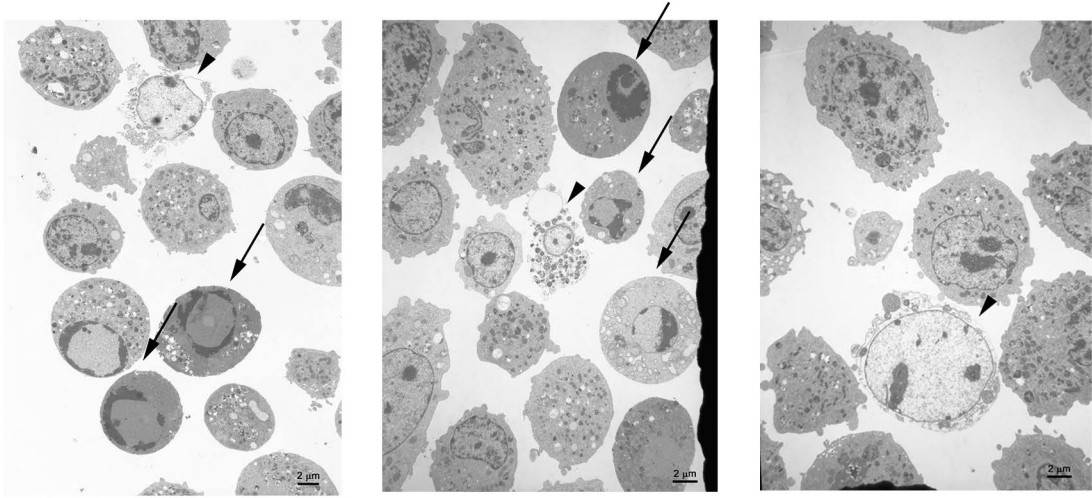
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Supplementary Figure S4j.

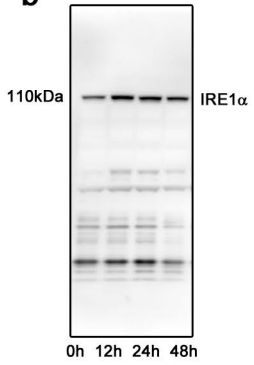
Representative western blots showing the expressions of caspase-8 and MLKL in tunicamycin-treated caspase-8 KD cells (50 $\mu\text{g/ml}$ for 48 h). β -actin was included as the loading control. The expressions of caspase-8 and MLKL were detected, and the means \pm S.D. (fold changes compared to the control group) of three or more independent studies were presented.

Supplementary Figure 1.

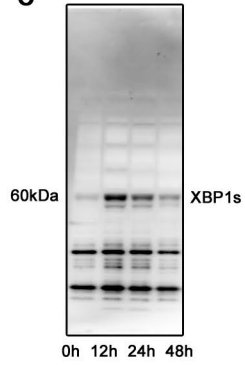
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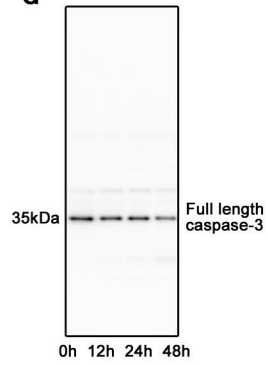
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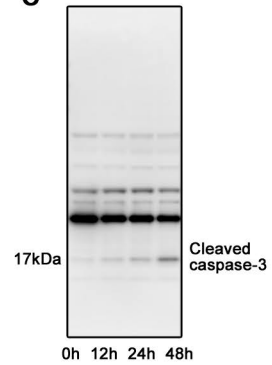
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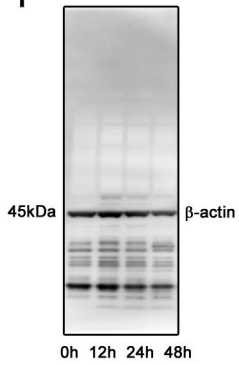
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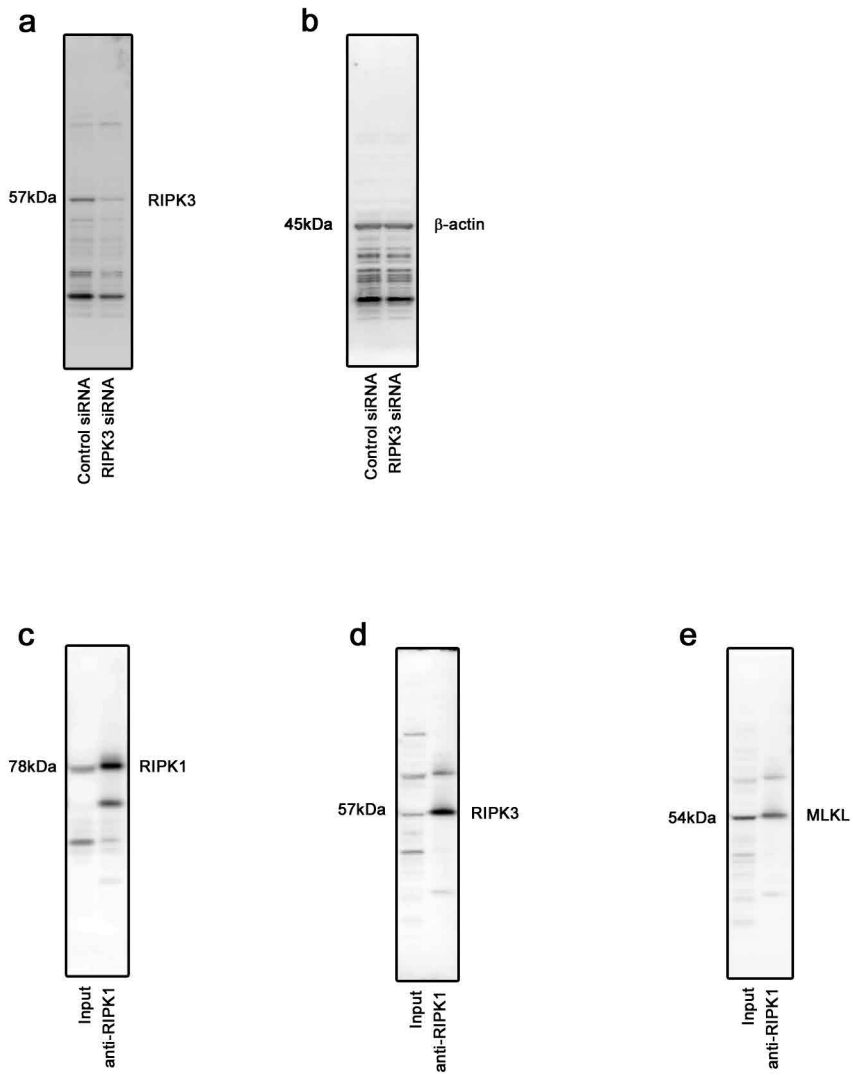
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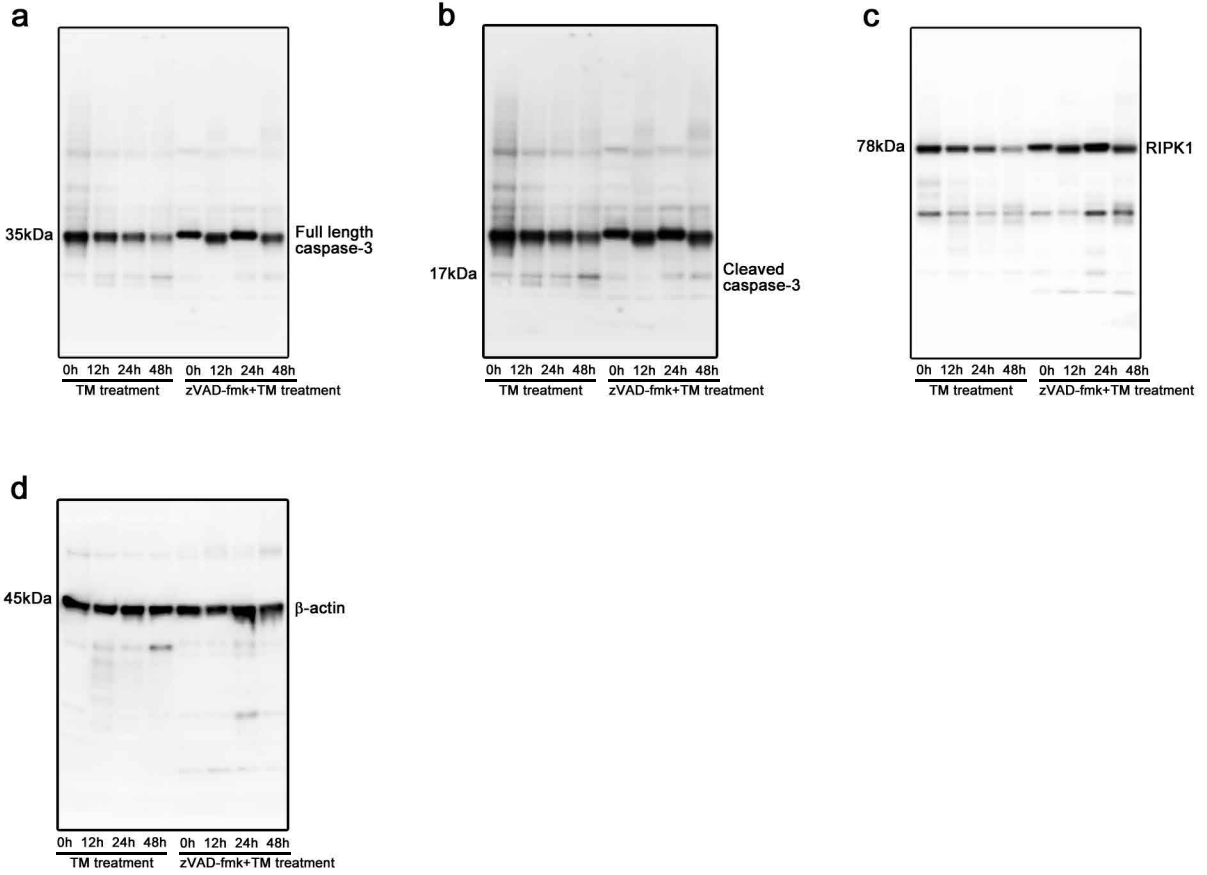
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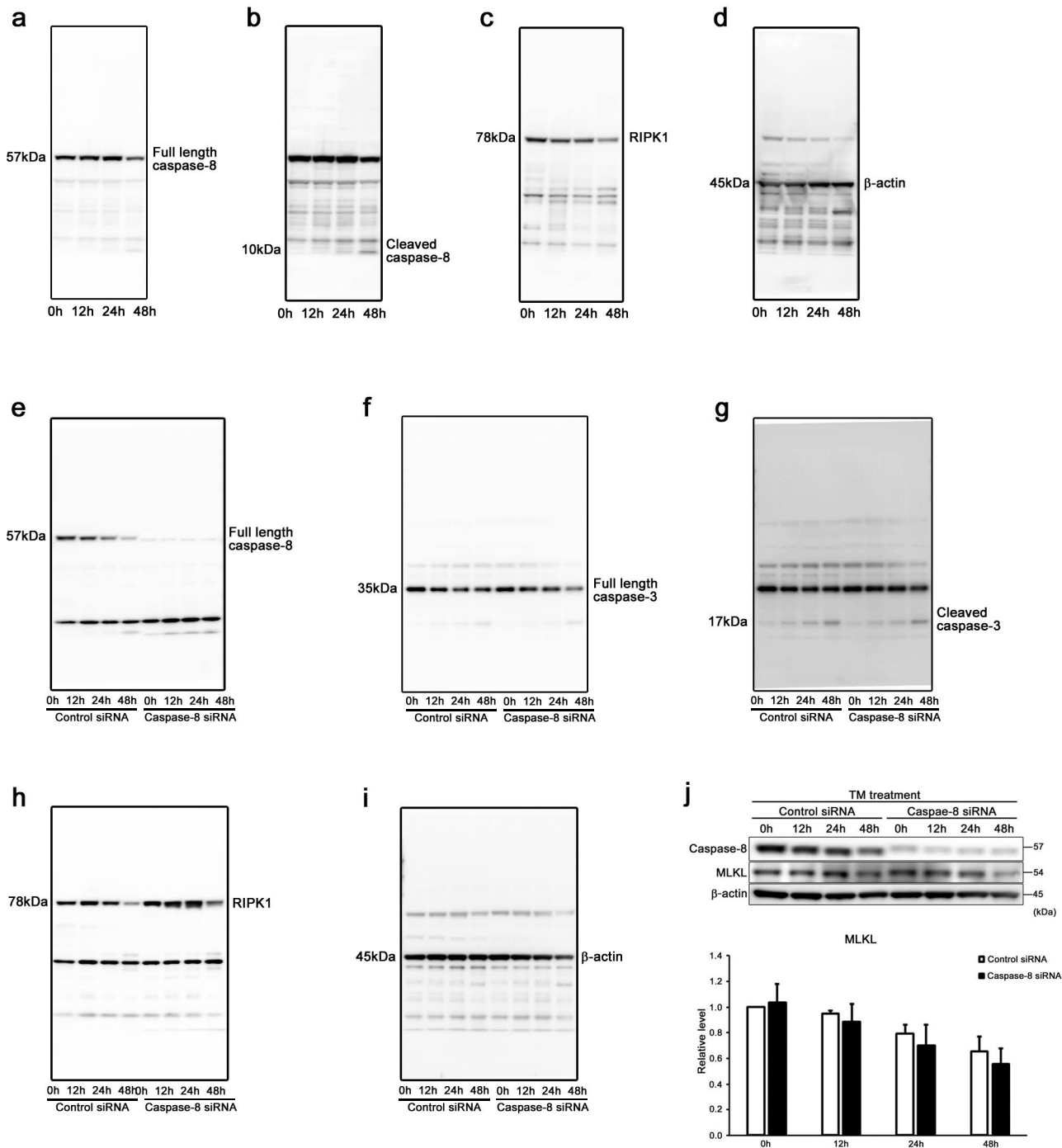
Supplementary Figure 2.



Supplementary Figure 3.



Supplementary Figure 4.



Supplementary Figure 5.

