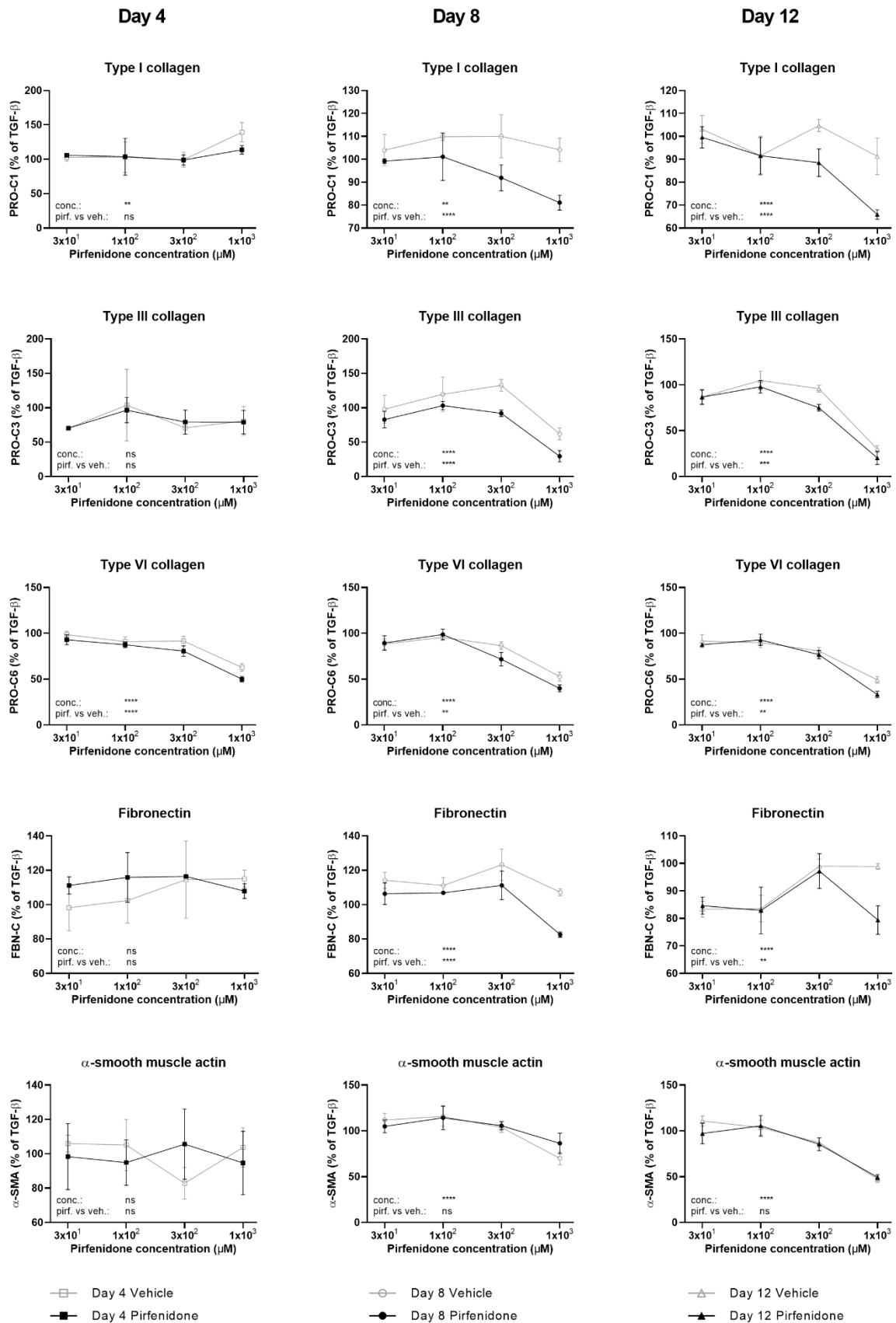


Supplementary material for “Prolonged Scar-in-a-Jar: an *in vitro* screening tool for anti-fibrotic therapies using biomarkers of extracellular matrix synthesis”



Supplementary figure 1: Effect of pirfenidone shown by day

Lung fibroblasts were stimulated with TGF- β 1 and treated with 3×10^1 , 1×10^2 , 3×10^2 or 1×10^3 μ M pirfenidone or corresponding vehicle (0.03%, 0.1%, 0.3% or 1% DMSO). Biomarkers of ECM synthesis (type I (PRO-C1), III (PRO-C3) and VI (PRO-C6) collagen and fibronectin (FBN-C)) and fibroblast activation (α -SMA) were measured in the supernatant at day 4, 8 and 12. Data are shown as dose-response curves for pirfenidone and its vehicle for the different timepoints and are presented as percentage of the TGF- β 1 control over time. All data are shown as mean \pm SD of 3 separate experiments each with 4 replicates/treatment and analyzed by two-way ANOVA with Sidak's multiple comparisons test comparing pirfenidone to vehicle. ns non-significant; *P<0.05; **P<0.01; ***P<0.001; ****P<0.0001.