

Supplementary Information

**Split Intein-Mediated Protein Ligation, a Method for Detecting Protein-Protein Interactions and Their Inhibition**

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**Supplementary Table 1.** Different constructs of FRB and FKBP1A and their products used in Fig. 2-3

Name	Description	MW (kDa)	Protein sequence
FRB (IN)	FRB-HA2-V5-EN-IN	29.5	MRVATLWHEMWHEGLFEASRLYFGERNVKGMFEVLEPLHAMMERGPQTLKETSFNQAYGRDLMEAQEWCRKYMSGNVKDLTQAWDLYYHVFRRISYPALFYKVVDSDRGGGGSGGGGSYPVDPDYAGGSYPYDVPDYAGGGSGKPPIPNPLLLGDDSTTRSGYCLDLKTQVQTQPMKEISNIOQGDVLVNTGYNEVNLNVFPKSKKSKYKITLEDGKEIICSEEHLFPTQTGEWMNISGGKL
FRB (NIN)	HA2-V5-EN-IN-FRB	30.7	MYPVDVDPYAGGSYPYDVPDYAGGGSGKPPIPNPLLGDDSTTRSGYCLDLKTQVQTQPGMKM EISNIQVGDLVLSNTGYNEVNLNFVFPKSKKSKYKITLEDGKEIICSEEHLFPTQTGEWMNIS GGLKEGMCLYVKEMLLKILKIEELGGSGGGGGSGGSKLTSLYKAGLMRVAILWHEMW HEGLEASRLYFGERNVKGMFEVLEPLHAMMERGPQTLKETSFNQAYGRDLMEAQEWCRK YMKSGNVKDLTQAWDLYYHVFRRISYPALFYKV
FKBP1A (IC)	IC-EC-FLAGx3-Myc-FKBP1A	22.4	MDERELIDIEVSGNHLYFANDILTHNSSSDVTDYKDHDGDKDHIDYKDDDDKGGGGS GGGGSEQKLISEEDLTLTSLYKAGSTMGVQETISPQDGRTFPKRQGTCVHYHTGMLEDG KKFDSRDRNPKFKMLGQEVIRGWEEGVAQMSVGQRALKTISPDYAVGATGHPGIIPPHATL VFDVELLKLLESDPAFALFYKV
FKBP1A (CIC)	FKBP1A-IC-EC-FLAGx3-Myc	21.8	MGVQETISPQDGRTFPKRQGTCVHYHTGMLEDGKFDSSRDRNPKFKMLGQEVIRGW EEEGAQMSVGQRAKLTISPDYAYGATGHPGIIPPHATLVDVELLKLLESDPAFALFYKV D RGGGGSGGGGGSMDERELIDIEVSGNHLYFANDILTHNSSSDVTDYKDHDGDKDHID YKDDDDKGSEQKLISEEDL
FKBP1A (CIC-GFP)	FKBP1A-IC-EC-FLAGx3-Myc-GFP	49.0	MGVQETISPQDGRTFPKRQGTCVHYHTGMLEDGKFDSSRDRNPKFKMLGQEVIRGW EEEGAQMSVGQRAKLTISPDYAYGATGHPGIIPPHATLVDVELLKLLESDPAFALFYKV D RGGGGSGGGGGSMDERELIDIEVSGNHLYFANDILTHNSSSDVTDYKDHDGDKDHID YKDDDDKGSEQKLISEEDLRSRMVSKGEELFTGVPVPLILEVLDGVNGHKFSGSVEEGEDAT YGKLTLFKICTTGKLPVPWPTLVTLLTYGVQCFSRYPDHMKHQDFKSAMPEGVQERTI FFKDGDNYKTRAEVKFEGDTLVRNRIELKGIDFEDGNILGHKLEYNNYNSHNVYIMADQK NGIKVFNFKIRHNIEDGSVQLADHYQQTNPIDGDPVLLPDNHYLSTQSALSCKPNEKRDM VLLEVFTAAIGITLGMDELYK
Product of FRB (IN) + FKBP1A (IC)	FRB-HA2-V5-EN-EC-FLAGx3-Myc-FKBP1A	37.6	MRVATLWHEMWHEGLFEASRLYFGERNVKGMFEVLEPLHAMMERGPQTLKETSFNQAYGR DLMEAQEWCRKYMSGNVKDLTQAWDLYYHVFRRISYPALFYKVVDSDRGGGGSGGGGSY PVDPDYAGGSYPYDVPDYAGGGSGKPPIPNPLLGDDSTTRSGYSSSDVTDYKDHDGDKYD HDIDYKDDDDKGGGGGGGSEOKLISEEDLTLTSLYKAGSTMGVQETISPQDGRTFPK RQQTCVHYHTGMLEDGKFDSSRDRNPKFKMLGQEVIRGWEEGVAQMSVGQRAKLTIS PDYAYGATGHPGIIPPHATLVDVELLKLLESDPAFALFYKV
Product of FRB (IN) + FKBP1A (CIC)	FRB-HA2-V5-EN-EC-FLAGx3-Myc	20.9	MRVATLWHEMWHEGLFEASRLYFGERNVKGMFEVLEPLHAMMERGPQTLKETSFNQAYGR DLMEAQEWCRKYMSGNVKDLTQAWDLYYHVFRRISYPALFYKVVDSDRGGGGSGGGGSY PVDPDYAGGSYPYDVPDYAGGGSGKPPIPNPLLGDDSTTRSGYSSSDVTDYKDHDGDKYD HDIDYKDDDDKGSEQKLISEEDL
Product of FRB (NIN) + FKBP1A (IC)	HAX2-V5-EN-EC-FLAGx3-Myc-FKBP1A	24.1	MYPVDVDPYAGGSYPYDVPDYAGGGSGKPPIPNPLLGDDSTTRSGYSSSDVTDYKDHDG KYDHDIDYKDDDDKGGGGGGGSEOKLISEEDLTLTSLYKAGSTMGVQETISPQDGRT FPKRQGTCVHYHTGMLEDGKFDSSRDRNPKFKMLGQEVIRGWEEGVAQMSVGQRAKLTIS PDYAYGATGHPGIIPPHATLVDVELLKLLESDPAFALFYKV
Product of FRB (NIN) + FKBP1A (CIC-GFP)	Hax2-V5-EN-EC-FLAGx3-Myc-GFP	36.6	MYPVDVDPYAGGSYPYDVPDYAGGGSGKPPIPNPLLGDDSTTRSGYSSSDVTDYKDHDG KYDHDIDYKDDDDKGSEQKLISEEDLRSRMVSKGEELFTGVPVPLILEVLDGVNGHKFSGSVE EGEGDATYKFLTKLFICTTGKLPVPWPTLVTLLTYGVQCFSRYPDHMKHQDFKSAMPEG YVQERTIFFKDDDGNYKTRAEVKFEGDTLVRNRIELKGIDFEDGNILGHKLEYNNYNSHNVY IMADQKQKNGIKVFNFKIRHNIEDGSVQLADHYQQTNPIDGDPVLLPDNHYLSTQSALSCKP NEKRDMVLLFVTAAGITLGMDELYK

**Supplementary Table 2.** Reference sets for evaluating SIMPL assay.

(a) Positive reference set (PRS)

bait		prey	
name	subcellular localization	name	subcellular localization
AKT1	cell membrane (associated), cytoplasm, nucleus	PDPK1	plasma membrane (peripheral), nucleus, cytosol
AKT1	cell membrane (associated), cytoplasm, nucleus	TCL1A	nucleus, ER
ARF1	Golf apparatus (anchored), plasma membrane (anchored)	ARFIP2	plasma membrane, cytosol, Golgi apparatus
ATF3	nucleus	DDIT3	nucleus
B2M	extracellular	HLA-A	plasma membrane, ER, Golgi apparatus
B2M	extracellular	HLA-B	plasma membrane, ER, Golgi apparatus
B2M	extracellular	HLA-C	plasma membrane, ER, Golgi apparatus
BAD	mitochondrion (outer membrane), cytoplasm	BCL2L1	mitochondrion, cytoskeleton, nucleus, cytosol
BAK1	mitochondrion (outer membrane)	BCL2L1	mitochondrion, cytoskeleton, nucleus, cytosol
BDNF	extracellular	NTF4	extracellular
CASP2	cytosol, mitochondrion, nucleus	CRADD	nucleus, cytosol
CBLB	cytoplasm	GRB2	plasma membrane, cytoplasm, nucleus
CCND3	nucleus	CDK6	nucleus, cytoskeleton, cytosol
CD2	cell membrane	CD58	plasma membrane
CDK2	nucleus, cytoplasm, cytoskeleton, endosome	CKS1B	nucleus
CDKN1A	nucleus	CCNA1	nucleus
CDKN1B	nucleus, endosome	CCNA1	nucleus
CEBPG	nucleus	FOS	nucleus, ER, cytosol
CGA	extracellular	CBGB5	extracellular
CRK	cytoplasm, nucleus, membrane (associated)	PDGFRB	plasma membrane, lysosome
CXCL1	extracellular	CXCR2	plasma membrane
DDIT3	nucleus	FOS	nucleus, ER, cytosol
DR1	nucleus	DRAP1	nucleus
ERBB3	plasma membrane	NRG1	membrane, extracellular
FABP5	nucleus, cytosol, membrane, extracellular	S100A7	extracellular, cytoplasm, nucleus
FEN1	nucleus	PCNA	nucleus
FGF1	extracellular, cytosol, nucleus	FGFR1	plasma membrane
GADD45A	nucleus	PCNA	nucleus
GRAP2	endosome, cytosol, nucleus	LAT	plasma membrane
GRB2	plasma membrane, cytoplasm, nucleus	LAT	plasma membrane
GRB2	plasma membrane, cytoplasm, nucleus	PTK2	plasma membrane (associated), cytoskeleton, nucleus, cytosol
GRB2	plasma membrane, cytoplasm, nucleus	VAV1	cytosol, plasma membrane
GTF2F1	nucleus	GTF2F2	nucleus
HBA2	cytosol	HBB	cytosol
HDAC1	nucleus	RB1	nucleus
HDAC1	nucleus	ZBTB16	nucleus
HIF1A	nucleus, cytosol	TP53	nucleus, mitochondrion, ER
IFIT1	cytoplasm	EIF3E	nucleus, cytosol
IGF2	extracellular	IGFBP4	extracellular
JUNB	nucleus	BATF	nucleus
LCP2	cytoplasm	GRAP2	endosome, cytosol, nucleus
LCP2	cytoplasm	NCK1	plasma membrane, ER, nucleus, cytosol
LCP2	cytoplasm	VAV1	cytosol, plasma membrane
LGALS3	extracellular, plasma membrane, nucleus, cytoplasm	LGALS3BP	extracellular, nucleus, plasma membrane
LMNA	nucleus	LMNB1	nucleus
LMNA	nucleus	RB1	nucleus
LSM3	nucleus	LSM2	nucleus
MAD2L1	nucleus, cytoskeleton, kinetochore	MAD11	cytoskeleton, nucleus, kinetochore
MAFG	nucleus	NFE2L1	ER, nucleus
MAPK7	nucleus, cytoplasm	MAP2K5	nucleus, cytoplasm
MCM2	nucleus	MCM3	nucleus
MCM2	nucleus	MCM5	nucleus, cytosol
NCBP1	nucleus	NCBP2	nucleus
NF2	plasma membrane (associated), nucleus	HGS	endosome, cytoplasm
NR3C1	mitochondrion, cytosol, nucleus, cytoskeleton	HSP90AA1	plasma membrane, cytoplasm, nucleus
NR3C1	mitochondrion, cytosol, nucleus, cytoskeleton	RELA	nucleus, cytoplasm
ORC2	nucleus	MCM10	nucleus
ORC2	nucleus	ORC4	nucleus
PDE4D	plasma membrane (associated), cytoskeleton	RACK1	plasma membrane, nucleus, mitochondrion, cytosol
PDGFRB	plasma membrane, lysosome	PTPN11	nucleus, cytoplasm
PEX14	peroxisome	PEX19	peroxisome
PEX19	peroxisome	PEX11B	peroxisome
PEX19	peroxisome	PEX16	peroxisome
PEX19	peroxisome	PEX3	peroxisome
PPP3CA	nucleus, cytosol, plasma membrane (peripheral)	PPP3R1	cytosol, plasma membrane (anchored), nucleus
PRKAR2A	plasma membrane, cytoplasm, nucleus	EZR	plasma membrane (peripheral), cytoskeleton, nucleus, cytosol, endosome
PSMD4	cytosol, nucleus	RAD23A	nucleus, cytosol
PTK2	plasma membrane (associated), cytoskeleton, nucleus, cytosol	SRC	plasma membrane, cytoskeleton, cytoplasm, nucleus, mitochondrion
PTPN11	nucleus, cytoplasm	FRS2	plasma membrane, cytosol, endosome
RAC1	plasma membrane (anchored), cytoplasm	ARFIP2	plasma membrane, cytosol, Golgi apparatus
RAF1	cytosol, plasma membrane, nucleus	RAP1A	plasma membrane (anchored), endosome
RCC1	nucleus	RAN	nucleus, cytosol
RET	plasma membrane, endosome	FRS2	plasma membrane, cytosol, endosome
RHOA	cytoskeleton, plasma membrane (anchored)	ARHGAP1	cytoplasm
RIPK2	cytoplasm	NOD1	plasma membrane, cytoplasm
RPA2	nucleus	RPA3	nucleus
S100A1	nucleus, cytoplasm	S100B	nucleus, cytoplasm
S100A6	plasma membrane (peripheral), nucleus, cytoplasm	S100B	nucleus, cytoplasm
SKP1	cytoplasm, nucleus	BTRC	nucleus, cytosol
SKP1	cytoplasm, nucleus	SKP2	nucleus, cytoplasm
SMAD1	nucleus, cytoplasm	SMAD4	nucleus, cytoplasm
SMAD3	nucleus, cytoplasm	SMAD4	nucleus, cytoplasm
SMAD4	nucleus, cytoplasm	DCP1A	nucleus
TNFSF10	extracellular, plasma membrane	TNFRSF10B	plasma membrane
TP53	nucleus, mitochondrion, ER	UBE2I	nucleus, cytosol
XIAPI	nucleus, cytoplasm	CASP3	cytoplasm, nucleus
XIAPI	nucleus, cytoplasm	CASP7	cytoplasm, nucleus
XIAPI	nucleus, cytoplasm	CASP9	cytosol, mitochondrion

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(b) Random reference set (RRS)

bait		prey	
name	subcellular localization	name	subcellular localization
AKT1	cell membrane (associated), cytoplasm, nucleus	PEX19	peroxisome
ARF1	Golfi apparatus (anchored), plasma membrane (anchored)	SKP2	nucleus, cytoplasm
ATF3	nucleus	LMNB1	nucleus
B2M	extracellular	PEX16	peroxisome
B2M	extracellular	RAD23A	nucleus, cytosol
B2M	extracellular	TP53	nucleus, mitochondrion, ER
BAD	mitochondrion (outer membrane), cytoplasm	DCP1A	nucleus
BAK1	mitochondrion (outer membrane)	RAP1A	plasma membrane (anchored), endosome
BDNF	extracellular	MAD1L1	cytoskeleton, nucleus, kinetochore
BDNF	extracellular	MCM5	nucleus, cytosol
CASP2	cytosol, mitochondrion, nucleus	VAV1	cytosol, plasma membrane
CBLB	cytoplasm	BCL2L1	mitochondrion, cytoskeleton, nucleus, cytosol
CD2	cell membrane	GTF2F2	nucleus
CD2	cell membrane	HGS	endosome, cytoplasm
CDK2	nucleus, cytoplasm, cytoskeleton, endosome	DDIT3	nucleus
CDKN1A	nucleus	PEX11B	peroxisome
CDKN1B	nucleus, endosome	DRAP1	nucleus
CEBPG	nucleus	ARHGAP1	cytoplasm
CEBPG	nucleus	CASP9	cytosol, mitochondrion
CGA	extracellular	CD58	plasma membrane
CGA	extracellular	MCM3	nucleus
CGA	extracellular	NCBP2	nucleus
CRK	cytoplasm, nucleus, membrane (associated)	UBE2I	nucleus, cytosol
CXL1	extracellular	MAP2K5	nucleus, cytoplasm
CXL1	extracellular	ORC4	nucleus
CXL1	extracellular	SMAD4	nucleus, cytoplasm
DDIT3	nucleus	NRG1	membrane, extracellular
DR1	nucleus	NTF4	extracellular
ERBB3	plasma membrane	DDIT3	nucleus
ERBB3	plasma membrane	PCNA	nucleus
FABP5	nucleus, cytosol, membrane, extracellular	PTK2	plasma membrane (associated), cytoskeleton, nucleus, cytosol
FEN1	nucleus	GRAP2	endosome, cytosol, nucleus
FGF1	extracellular, cytosol, nucleus	NCK1	plasma membrane, ER, nucleus, cytosol
FGF1	extracellular, cytosol, nucleus	RB1	nucleus
GADD45A	nucleus	FRS2	plasma membrane, cytosol, endosome
GADD45A	nucleus	PDPK1	plasma membrane (peripheral), nucleus, cytosol
GRAP2	endosome, cytosol, nucleus	NFE2L1	ER, nucleus
GRB2	plasma membrane, cytoplasm, nucleus	PEX3	peroxisome
GTF2F1	nucleus	NOD1	plasma membrane, cytoplasm
HBA2	cytosol	CKS1B	nucleus
HDAC1	nucleus	LAT	plasma membrane
HDAC1	nucleus	PPP3R1	cytosol, plasma membrane (anchored), nucleus
HIF1A	nucleus, cytosol	ARFIP2	plasma membrane, cytosol, Golgi apparatus
IFIT1	cytoplasm	RELA	nucleus, cytoplasm
IGF2	extracellular	ARFIP2	plasma membrane, cytosol, Golgi apparatus
IGF2	extracellular	HSP90AA1	plasma membrane, cytoplasm, nucleus
IGF2	extracellular	RPA3	nucleus
JUNB	nucleus	PTPN11	nucleus, cytoplasm
LCP2	cytoplasm	CRADD	nucleus, cytosol
LGALS3	extracellular, plasma membrane, nucleus, cytoplasm	LSM2	nucleus
LMNA	nucleus	PEX3	peroxisome
LSM3	nucleus	FGFR1	plasma membrane
LSM3	nucleus	LGALS3BP	extracellular, nucleus, plasma membrane
MAD2L1	nucleus, cytoskeleton, kinetochore	NFE2L1	ER, nucleus
MAD2L1	nucleus, cytoskeleton, kinetochore	NTF4	extracellular
MAFG	nucleus	PEX11B	peroxisome
MAFG	nucleus	TNFRSF10B	plasma membrane
MAPK7	nucleus, cytoplasm	PEX16	peroxisome
MCM2	nucleus	S100B	nucleus, cytoplasm
NCBP1	nucleus	S100B	nucleus, cytoplasm
NF2	plasma membrane (associated), nucleus	FOS	nucleus, ER, cytosol
NR3C1	mitochondrion, cytosol, nucleus, cytoskeleton	RAD23A	nucleus, cytosol
ORC2	nucleus	HBB	cytosol
ORC2	nucleus	UBE2I	nucleus, cytosol
PDE4D	plasma membrane (associated), cytoskeleton	EZR	plasma membrane (peripheral), cytoskeleton, nucleus, cytosol, endosome
PDGFRB	plasma membrane, lysosome	RAN	nucleus, cytosol
PEX14	peroxisome	NRG1	membrane, extracellular
PEX19	peroxisome	BATF	nucleus
PPP3CA	nucleus, cytosol, plasma membrane (peripheral)	FOS	nucleus, ER, cytosol
PRKAR2A	plasma membrane, cytoplasm, nucleus	SRC	plasma membrane, cytoskeleton, cytoplasm, nucleus, mitochondrion
PSMD4	cytosol, nucleus	NOD1	plasma membrane, cytoplasm
PSMD4	cytosol, nucleus	TCL1A	nucleus, ER
RAC1	plasma membrane (anchored), cytoplasm	BTRC	nucleus, cytosol
RCC1	nucleus	CASP7	cytoplasm, nucleus
RET	plasma membrane, endosome	NCBP2	nucleus
RHOA	cytoskeleton, plasma membrane (anchored)	CCNA1	nucleus
RHOA	cytoskeleton, plasma membrane (anchored)	ZBTB16	nucleus
RIPK2	cytoplasm	IGFBP4	extracellular
RIPK2	cytoplasm	PDGFRB	plasma membrane, lysosome
RPA2	nucleus	S100A7	extracellular, cytoplasm, nucleus
S100A1	nucleus, cytoplasm	CASP3	cytoplasm, nucleus
S100A6	plasma membrane (peripheral), nucleus, cytoplasm	RAN	nucleus, cytosol
SKP1	cytoplasm, nucleus	CXCR2	plasma membrane
SMAD1	nucleus, cytoplasm	GRB2	plasma membrane, cytoplasm, nucleus
SMAD3	nucleus, cytoplasm	CXCR2	plasma membrane
SMAD4	nucleus, cytoplasm	LAT	plasma membrane
TNFSF10	extracellular, plasma membrane	CDK6	nucleus, cytoskeleton, cytosol
XIAP	nucleus, cytoplasm	ARFIP2	plasma membrane, cytosol, Golgi apparatus

Supplementary Table 3. Detection of reference sets with SIMPL.

(a) Detection with SIMPL in bait-IN/C-prey format

bait	prey	reference set	RLU_mean	RLU_sd	SIMPL result
RPA2	RPA3	PRRS	3.4432	0.3631	positive
DR1	DRAPI	PRRS	2.8255	0.4781	positive
CCND3	CDK6	PRRS	2.6886	0.2360	positive
JUNB	BATF	PRRS	2.6670	0.3886	positive
LSM3	LSM2	PRRS	2.5840	0.3028	positive
GTF2F1	GTF2F2	PRRS	2.1478	0.3250	positive
BAK1	BCL2L1	PRRS	2.0739	0.2237	positive
PEX14	PEX19	PRRS	2.0669	0.1983	positive
CBLB	GRB2	PRRS	1.9893	0.6659	positive
HBA2	HBB	PRRS	1.8942	0.0660	positive
PEX19	PEX3	PRRS	1.8937	0.0574	positive
BAD	BCL2L1	PRRS	1.7771	0.2071	positive
PPP3CA	PPP3R1	PRRS	1.7320	0.2225	positive
CDK2	CKS1B	PRRS	1.6499	0.1770	positive
ERBB3	NRG1	PRRS	1.5434	0.6700	positive
FEN1	PCNA	PRRS	1.2627	0.1536	positive
ATF3	DDIT3	PRRS	1.2622	0.1849	positive
LCP2	GRAP2	PRRS	1.1838	0.1851	positive
S100A1	S100B	PRRS	1.1498	0.1600	positive
LMNA	LMNB1	PRRS	1.1180	0.1548	positive
NF2	HGS	PRRS	1.0724	0.2408	positive
NCBP1	NCBP2	PRRS	1.0597	0.1701	positive
PEX19	PEX16	PRRS	1.0292	0.1177	positive
HIF1A	TP53	PRRS	1.0262	0.1409	positive
RIPK2	NOD1	PRRS	1.0134	0.1334	positive
SKP1A	BTRC	PRRS	1.0033	0.0818	positive
CASP2	CRADD	PRRS	0.9343	0.0988	positive
PEX19	PEX18	PRRS	0.8860	0.0670	positive
TNFSF10	TNFRSF10B	PRRS	0.8622	0.1170	positive
GADD45A	FRS2	PRRS	0.8477	0.1434	positive
XIAP	CASP9	PRRS	0.8388	0.0395	positive
RET	FRS2	PRRS	0.7796	0.1145	positive
CASP2	VAV1	PRRS	0.7738	0.0403	positive
FABP3	S100A7	PRRS	0.7703	0.0242	positive
CEBPG	FOS	PRRS	0.7644	0.3913	positive
MAFG	NFE2L1	PRRS	0.7280	0.2500	positive
CD2	CD58	PRRS	0.7039	0.0441	positive
RIPK2	PDGRFB	PRRS	0.7012	0.0385	positive
HDAC1	ZBTB16	PRRS	0.6820	0.4423	positive
RET	NCBP2	PRRS	0.6734	0.3991	positive
IFT1	EIF3E	PRRS	0.6638	0.3544	positive
LMNA	R81	PRRS	0.6623	0.2735	positive
IGF2	IGFBP4	PRRS	0.6385	0.1957	positive
NR3C1	HSP90AA1	PRRS	0.6146	0.0308	positive
RCC1	RAN	PRRS	0.6139	0.1312	positive
RIPK2	IGFBP4	PRRS	0.6059	0.0301	negative
PDE4D	RACK1	PRRS	0.5972	0.0294	negative
HDAC1	R81	PRRS	0.5959	0.0286	negative
PEX14	NRG1	PRRS	0.5888	0.0438	negative
S100A6	S100B	PRRS	0.5874	0.0182	negative
GADD45A	PDPK1	PRRS	0.5841	0.0095	negative
MAPK7	MAP2K3	PRRS	0.5642	0.0233	negative
PSMD4	RAD23A	PRRS	0.5577	0.0557	negative
IGF2	RPA3	PRRS	0.5443	0.0322	negative
CDKN1A	CCNA1	PRRS	0.5356	0.1474	negative
PTK2	SRC	PRRS	0.5319	0.0367	negative
RAF1	RAP1A	PRRS	0.5305	0.0396	negative
LCP2	NFE2L1	PRRS	0.5280	0.1268	negative
BAD	DCP1A	PRRS	0.4796	0.0683	negative
NF2	FOS	PRRS	0.4749	0.0968	negative
SMAD4	DCP1A	PRRS	0.4734	0.0803	negative
S100A1	CASP3	PRRS	0.4714	0.0458	negative
MCM2	MCM3	PRRS	0.4644	0.0526	negative
RAC1	ARFIP2	PRRS	0.4452	0.0384	negative
BAK1	RAP1A	PRRS	0.4413	0.1913	negative
DDIT3	FOS	PRRS	0.4361	0.0525	negative
FGF1	NCK1	PRRS	0.4314	0.0122	negative
MAFG	PEX18	PRRS	0.4226	0.0877	negative
CEBPG	CASP9	PRRS	0.4163	0.1929	negative
PTPN11	FRS2	PRRS	0.4053	0.1141	negative
ARI1	ARFIP2	PRRS	0.4037	0.0272	negative
IFT1	RELA	PRRS	0.3984	0.0852	negative
MAFG	TNFRSF10B	PRRS	0.3964	0.0726	negative
HIF1A	ARFIP2	PRRS	0.3917	0.0704	negative
ORC2	MCM10	PRRS	0.3911	0.0303	negative
ATF3	LMNB1	PRRS	0.3878	0.0598	negative
BDNF	NTF4	PRRS	0.3704	0.0853	negative
CRK	UBE2J1	PRRS	0.3665	0.1165	negative
CDKN1B	CCNA1	PRRS	0.3659	0.1050	negative
IGF2	HSP90AA1	PRRS	0.3610	0.0726	negative
NCBP1	S100B	PRRS	0.3175	0.1453	negative
AKT1	PDPK1	PRRS	0.3439	0.0243	negative
ORC2	ORC4	PRRS	0.3385	0.0566	negative
MCM2	S100B	PRRS	0.3360	0.0200	negative
RHOA	ARHGAP1	PRRS	0.3216	0.0633	negative
IGF2	ARFIP2	PRRS	0.3180	0.2286	negative
NCBP1	S100B	PRRS	0.3175	0.1453	negative
AKT1	TCL1A	PRRS	0.3071	0.0383	negative
BDNF	MADI1L1	PRRS	0.3025	0.1799	negative
JUNB	PTPN11	PRRS	0.2965	0.0640	negative
ERBB3	DDIT3	PRRS	0.2921	0.0671	negative
PDGFRB	PTPN11	PRRS	0.2892	0.103	negative
TNFSF10	CDK6	PRRS	0.2847	0.0237	negative
FGF1	R81	PRRS	0.2767	0.0291	negative
SMAD3	SMAD4	PRRS	0.2730	0.0261	negative
BDNF	MCM5	PRRS	0.2600	0.0444	negative
PSMD4	TCL1A	PRRS	0.2458	0.0368	negative
CGA	CGB5	PRRS	0.2458	0.0653	negative
XIAP	CASP3	PRRS	0.2444	0.0266	negative
CXCL1	CXCR2	PRRS	0.2441	0.0244	negative
HDAC1	PPP3R1	PRRS	0.2428	0.1576	negative
CDB	HGS	PRRS	0.2394	0.0189	negative
CBLB	BCL2L1	PRRS	0.2388	0.0662	negative
XIAP	CASP7	PRRS	0.2274	0.0121	negative
FEN1	GRAP2	PRRS	0.2249	0.0246	negative
PEX19	BATF	PRRS	0.2231	0.0156	negative
AKT1	PEX19	PRRS	0.2170	0.1564	negative
HDAC1	LAT	PRRS	0.2144	0.0078	negative
SMAD4	LAT	PRRS	0.2118	0.0374	negative
TP53	UBE2J1	PRRS	0.2117	0.0324	negative
HBA2	CKS1B	PRRS	0.2113	0.0309	negative
RHOA	ZBTB16	PRRS	0.2108	0.0398	negative
CGA	CGB5	PRRS	0.2106	0.0212	negative
GRAP2	LAT	PRRS	0.2084	0.0407	negative
GRB2	PTK2	PRRS	0.2078	0.0279	negative
MCM2	MCM5	PRRS	0.2022	0.0462	negative
NR3C1	RAD23A	PRRS	0.1958	0.1008	negative
SMAD1	SMAD4	PRRS	0.1937	0.0254	negative
AKR1	SKP2	PRRS	0.1903	0.0234	negative
LCP2	VAV1	PRRS	0.1881	0.0068	negative
LSM3	LGAL53BP	PRRS	0.1875	0.0665	negative
BZM	HLA-C	PRRS	0.1875	0.0347	negative
FABP5	PTK2	PRRS	0.1837	0.0038	negative
LGAL53	LGAL53BP	PRRS	0.1794	0.0450	negative
CDK2	DDIT3	PRRS	0.1786	0.0530	negative
PSMD4	NOD1	PRRS	0.1762	0.0201	negative
LSM3	FGFR1	PRRS	0.1749	0.0246	negative
PDGFRB	RAN	PRRS	0.1711	0.0369	negative
GRB2	LAT	PRRS	0.1585	0.0421	negative
RCC1	CASP7	PRRS	0.1530	0.0145	negative
RHOA	CCNA1	PRRS	0.1528	0.1188	negative
LMNA	PEX3	PRRS	0.1484	0.0408	negative
S100A6	RAN	PRRS	0.1435	0.0207	negative
LGAL53	LGAL53BP	PRRS	0.1411	0.0338	negative
GADD45A	PCNA	PRRS	0.1400	0.0118	negative

**Supplementary Table 4.** Mitochondrial PPIs tested by SIMPL.

Bait				Prey				Function	Reference
Name	Alias	Transit signal	Localization	Name	Alias	Transit signal	Localization		
SDHA	SDH1, SDHF	N-terminal	Matrix protein peripheral to inner membrane	SDHB	SDH2	N terminal	Matrix protein peripheral to inner membrane	complex II	Sun et al, Cell (2005) 121, 1043-1057
ETFA	alpha-ETF	N-terminal	Matrix	ETFB	beta-ETF	unknown	Matrix	ETF complex, OXPHOS complexes	Toogood et al, J Biol Chem (2004) 279, 32904-32912
ETFA	alpha-ETF	N-terminal	Matrix	ETFRF1	LYRM5	unknown	Matrix	ETF complex, OXPHOS complexes	Floyd et al, Mol Cell (2016) 63, 621-632
TIMM10	TIM10	middle	Intermembrane space	TIMM9	TIM9	middle	Intermembrane space	TIM9/10 complex	Webb et al, Mol Cell (2006) 21, 123-133
CHCHD6	MIC25	unknown	Lipid-anchored to inner membrane in the intermembrane space.	CHCHD3	MIC19	unknown	Lipid-anchored to inner membrane in the intermembrane space.	MICOS complex	Kozjak-Pavlovic, Cell Tissue Res (2017) 367: 83-93
UQCRC2	QCR2, UQCRC2	N-terminal	Matrix side peripheral protein to inner membrane	UQCRC2	QCR2, UQCRC2	N-terminal	Matrix side peripheral protein to inner membrane	complex III	Guo et al, Cell (2017) 170, 1247-1257
TIMM50	TIM50, TIM50L	N-terminal	Transmembrane protein at the inner mitochondrial membrane, exposing the C-terminus to the intermembrane space with interacting with TIMM23 N-terminal domain	TIMM23	TIM23	unknown	Inner membrane multiple transmembrane protein with N-terminus in the intermembrane space	TIM23 complex	Geissler et al, Cell (2002) 111, 507-518; Yamamoto et al, Cell 111 (2002), 519-528; Demishtain-Zohary et al, Cell Tissue Res (2017) 367, 33-41
ATP5MC1	ATP5G1, ATP5A, ATP5G	N-terminal	Multipass transmembrane protein in the inner membrane with both N- and C-termini in the intermembrane space	ATP5MC1	ATP5G1, ATP5A, ATP5G	N-terminal	Multipass transmembrane protein in the inner membrane with both N- and C-termini in the intermembrane space	Fo complex of ATPase	Rastogi et al, Nature (1999) 402, 263-268
NDUFV1	UQOR1, CI61KD	N-terminal	Matrix protein peripheral to inner membrane	NDUFV3	CI9KD	N-terminal	Matrix protein peripheral to inner membrane	N module of complex I	Guo et al, Cell (2017) 170, 1247-1257
PDHA1	PHE1A, PDHA, PDHAD	N-terminal	Matrix	PDHB	PHE1B, PDHE1B, PDHBD	N-terminal	Matrix	Pyruvate dehydrogenase complex	Ciszak et al, J Biol Chem (2003) 278, 21240-21246

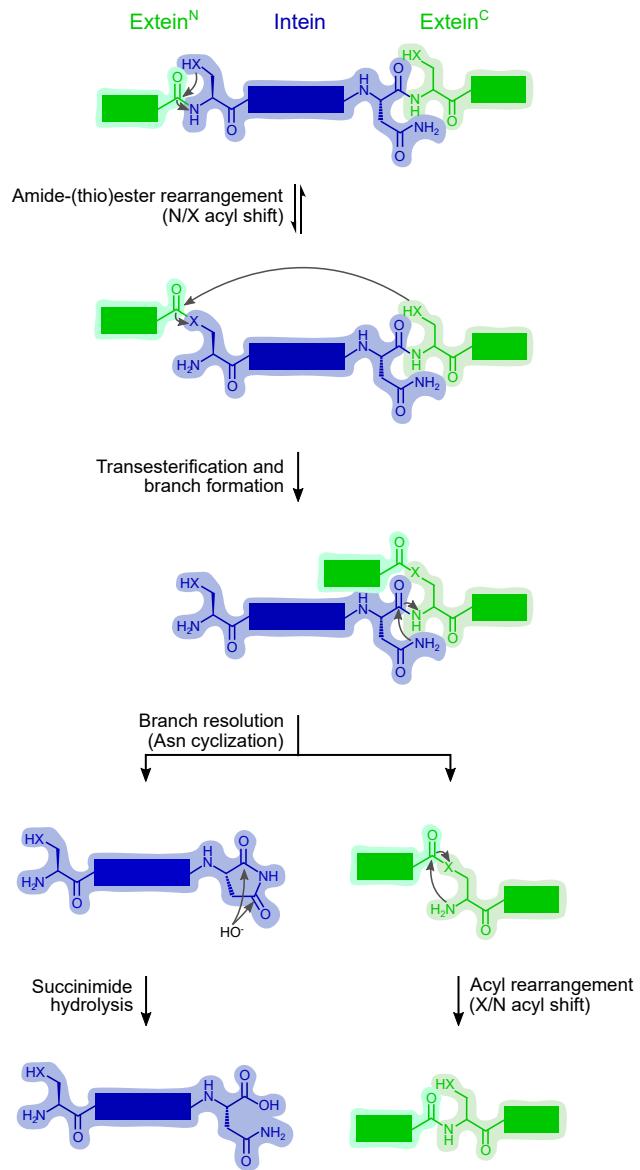
**Supplementary Table 5.** *C. elegans* reference set studied by SIMPL

#	Reference Set	Bait Protein (IN-VS/HA)	Prey Protein (IC/CIC-FLAG)	Configuration	ELISA Value Replicate 1	ELISA Value Replicate 2	PPI Description/Homologs	Source	Pubmed ID			
		CDS	Protein	CDS	Protein	IN/IC	IN/IC					
1	Positive	T05H4.2	<a href="#">FBXA-196</a>	F46A9.4	<a href="#">SKR-2</a>	Yes	Yes	0.81 1.1	0.51 0.28	SKP1/F-Box Domain	CePRS	
2	Positive	Y45F10C.3	<a href="#">FBXA-215</a>	F46A9.4	<a href="#">SKR-2</a>	Yes	Yes	0.84 0.73	0.58 0.42	SKP1/F-Box Domain	CePRS	
3	Positive	ZK792.6	<a href="#">LET-60</a>	AC7.2	<a href="#">SOC-2</a>	Yes	Yes	1.2 0.79	0.59 0.70	SHOC2/HRAS	CePRS	
4	Positive	F53F10.5	<a href="#">NPP-11</a>	K07F5.13	<a href="#">NPP-1</a>	Yes	inj.	1.8	-	Nuclear pore complex components Nup54 and Nup62	LIT/EE	<a href="#">7531196</a>
5	Positive	F58F6.4	<a href="#">RFC-2</a>	F44B9.8	<a href="#">F44B9.8</a>	Yes	inj.	0.66	-	RFC5/RFC2 Replication factor subunits	LIT/EE	<a href="#">15201901</a>
6	Positive	T10E9.1	<a href="#">T10E9.1</a>	F46A9.4	<a href="#">SKR-2</a>	Yes	inj.	0.78	-	SKP1/F-Box Domain	CePRS	
7	Positive	T05G5.3	<a href="#">CDK-1</a>	ZC168.4	<a href="#">CYB-1</a>	inj.	Yes	-	0.80	Cyclin B2/Cyclin Dependent Kinase 1	LIT/EE	<a href="#">7575488</a>
8	Positive	C06G3.10	<a href="#">COGC-2</a>	Y51H7C.6	<a href="#">COGC-4</a>	n.c.	n.c.	-	-	COG2/COG4 (component of oligomeric golgi complex 4)	LIT/EE	<a href="#">15047703</a>
9	Positive	F10B5.6	<a href="#">EMB-27</a>	B0511.9	<a href="#">CDC-26</a>	inj.	inj.	-	-	Cdc26p and Cdc16p components of the anaphase promoting complex	LIT/EE	<a href="#">8895471</a>
10	Positive	K08B4.1	<a href="#">LAG-1</a>	C32A3.1	<a href="#">SEL-8</a>	n.c.	n.c.	-	-	CSL (CBF-1, Su(H), Lag-1)/Mastermind	CePRS	
11	Positive	F58A3.1	<a href="#">LDB-1</a>	F46C8.5	<a href="#">CEH-14</a>	n.c.	n.c.	-	-	LDB2 (LIM domain binding 2)/LHX3 (LIM homeobox 3) and LHX4 (LIM homeobox 4)	CePRS	
12	Positive	M7.1	<a href="#">LET-70</a>	F54G8.4	<a href="#">NHL-1</a>	n.c.	n.c.	-	-	UBE2D2 (ubiquitin conjugating enzyme E2 D2)/TRIM2 (tripartite motif containing 2) and TRIM3 (tripartite motif containing 3)	CePRS	
13	Positive	F59E12.5	<a href="#">NPL-4.2</a>	F19B6.2	<a href="#">UFD-1</a>	n.c.	n.c.	-	-	NPLOC4 (NPL4 homolog, ubiquitin recognition factor)/UFD1 (ubiquitin recognition factor in ER associated degradation 1)	LIT/EE	<a href="#">10811609</a>
14	Positive	F59A2.1	<a href="#">NPP-9</a>	K01G5.4	<a href="#">RAN-1</a>	n.c.	n.c.	-	-	RANBP1 (RAN binding protein 1)/RAN (RAN, member RAS oncogene family)	LIT/EE	<a href="#">7603572</a>
15	Positive	F21C3.4	<a href="#">RDE-2</a>	F21C3.4	<a href="#">RDE-2</a>	n.c.	n.c.	-	-	RDE2 RNA interference protein	CePRS	
16	Positive	M03D4.1	<a href="#">ZEN-4</a>	B0207.4	<a href="#">AIR-2</a>	inj.	inj.	-	-	Aurora Kinase C/KIF23	CePRS	
17	Positive	Y37H2A.5	<a href="#">FBXA-210</a>	F46A9.4	<a href="#">SKR-2</a>	inj.	inj.	-	-	SKP1/F-Box Domain	CePRS	
18	Positive	Y113G7B.5	<a href="#">FOG-2</a>	T23G11.3	<a href="#">GLD-1</a>	inj.	inj.	-	-	QKI (QKI, KH domain containing RNA binding)/Germline protein UBE2D2 (ubiquitin conjugating enzyme E2 D2)/RSPRY1 (ring finger and SPRY domain containing 1)	CePRS	
19	Positive	M7.1	<a href="#">LET-70</a>	F16A11.1	<a href="#">F16A11.1</a>	n.c.	n.c.	-	-	UBE2D2 (ubiquitin conjugating enzyme E2 D2)/TRIM2 (tripartite motif containing 2) and TRIM3 (tripartite motif containing 3)	CePRS	
20	Positive	M7.1	<a href="#">LET-70</a>	C45G7.4	<a href="#">C45G7.4</a>	n.c.	n.c.	-	-	EXD3 (exonuclease 3'-5' domain containing 3)/RDE2 involved in RNA interference	CePRS	
21	Positive	ZK1098.8	<a href="#">MUT-7</a>	F21C3.4	<a href="#">RDE-2</a>	n.c.	n.c.	-	-	Nuclear pore complex components Nup35 and Nup93	LIT/EE	<a href="#">16631361</a>
22	Positive	R06F6.5	<a href="#">NPP-19</a>	Y37E3.15	<a href="#">NPP-13</a>	inj.	inj.	-	-	mRNA 3'-UTR binding activity/ubiquitin-dependent protein SNW1 (SNCL (CBF-1, Su(H), Lag-1)W domain containing 1)/	CePRS	
23	Positive	Y49E10.14	<a href="#">PIE-1</a>	F59B2.6	<a href="#">ZIF-1</a>	inj.	inj.	-	-	SKP1/F-Box Domain	CePRS	
24	Positive	T27F2.1	<a href="#">SKP-1</a>	K08B4.1	<a href="#">LAG-1</a>	n.c.	n.c.	-	-	Interaction between Aurora A kinase and microtubule binding protein TPX2	LIT/EE	<a href="#">16054030</a>
25	Positive	T07E3.4	<a href="#">T07E3.4</a>	F46A9.4	<a href="#">SKR-2</a>	inj.	inj.	-	-	UBE2W (ubiquitin conjugating enzyme E2 W)/TRIM2 (tripartite motif containing 2) and TRIM3 (tripartite motif containing 3)	CePRS	
26	Positive	Y39G10AR.12	<a href="#">TPXL-1</a>	K07C11.2	<a href="#">AIR-1</a>	inj.	inj.	-	-	Description/Homolog information from WormBase		
27	Positive	Y54E5B.4	<a href="#">UBC-16</a>	F54G8.4	<a href="#">NHL-1</a>	n.c.	n.c.	-	-			

**Key to Abbreviations**

Yes = Line successfully established and analyzed by SIMPL ELISA platform  
n.c. = not cloned / cloning unsuccessful  
inj. = injected, but no transgenic line could be established with expression of both Bait and Prey  
CePRS = *C. elegans* Positive Reference Set  
LIT/EE = Literature derived and previously confirmed by yeast two-hybrid.  
Description/Homolog information from WormBase

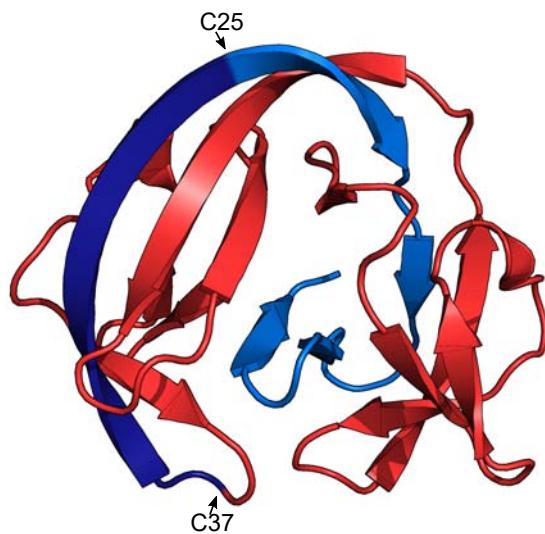
## Supplementary Figure 1



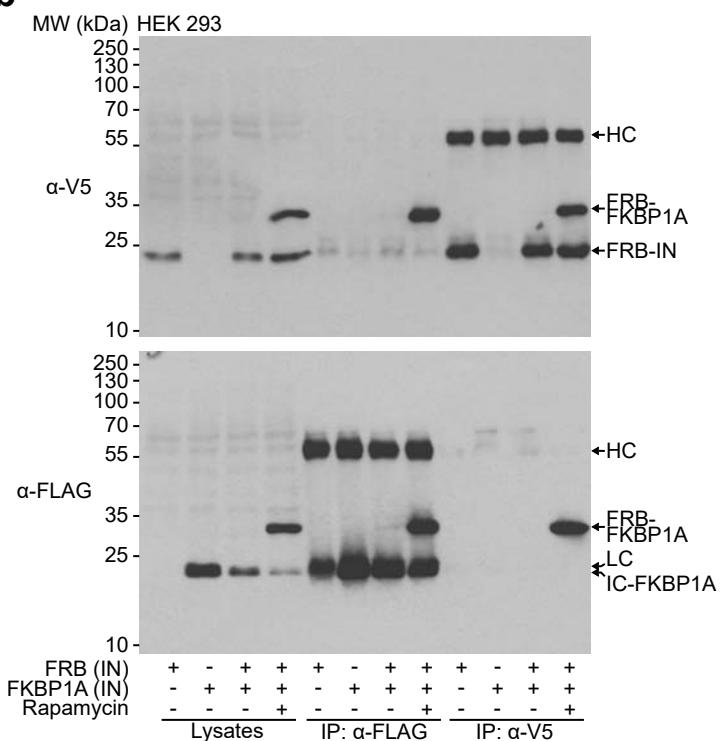
**Supplementary Figure 1.**Mechanism of protein splicing reaction.“X” stands for a sulfur (“S”)or oxygen (“O”) atom.

## Supplementary Figure 2

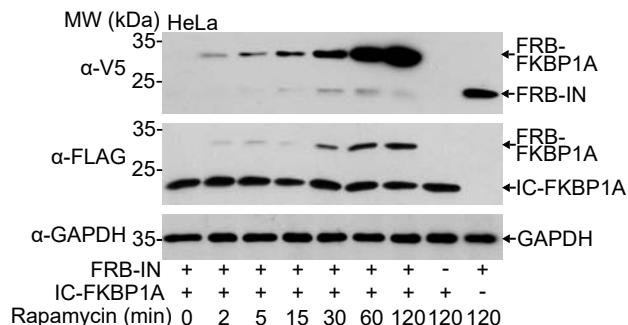
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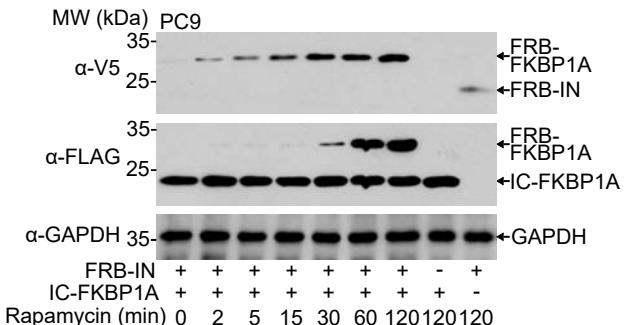
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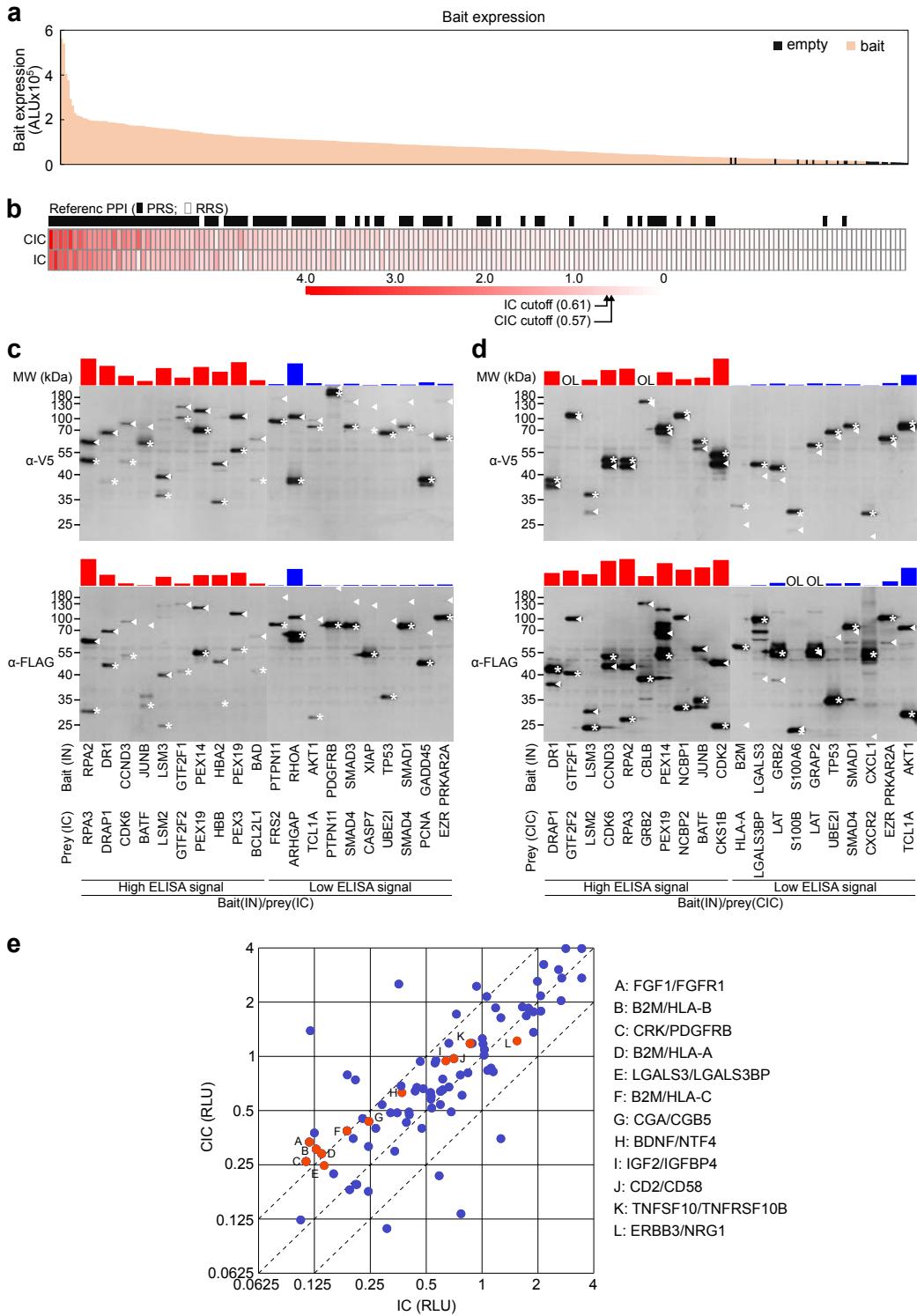


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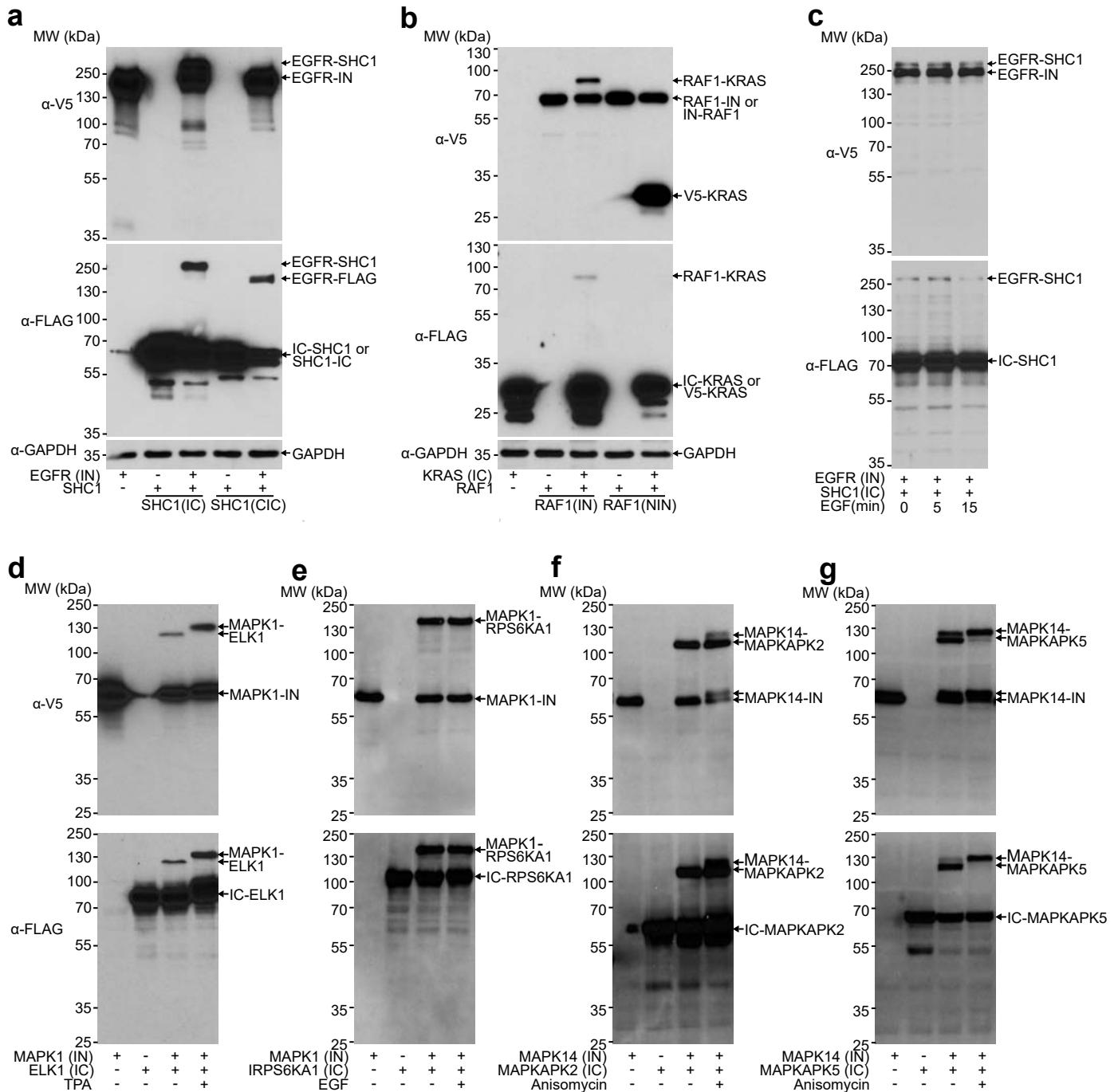
**Supplementary Figure 2.** Setting up the SIMPL system. (a) Crystal structure of GP41-1 split intein. Crystal coordinate file 6QAZ was retrieved from PDB (Beyer et al, 2019). The natural splitting site at C37 and the resplitting site (C25) used in the SIMPL system are highlighted. (b) Characterizing the identity of spliced protein with immunoprecipitation. Cells expressing FRB-IN, IC-FKBP1A or both were treated with rapamycin or left untreated. The proteins were immunoprecipitated with  $\alpha$ -FLAG or  $\alpha$ -V5 antibodies and subjected to Western analysis with indicated antibodies. HC: antibody heavy chain; LC: light chain. The blot is representative for three independent experiments. (c-d) Time course of rapamycin-induced FRB/FKBP interaction in HeLa (c) and PC9 (d) cells. Cells were transfected with FRB-IN and IC-FKBP1A and treated with rapamycin (100 nM) for different periods of time, as indicated, followed by Western blot analysis. The blot is representative for three independent experiments.

### Supplementary Figure 3



**Supplementary Figure 3.** Performance of ELISA coupled SIMPL evaluated with reference PPIs. **(a)** Plot of bait expression for data in Fig. 3d. Samples with mock transfection or unrelated vectors are highlighted with black. **(b)** Heatmap of splicing signal (normalized by bait signal) with prey in either IC format or CIC format. PRS pairs are symbolized with black rectangles and the RRS pairs are symbolized with white rectangles in the upper row. **(c-d)** Comparison of SIMPL ELISA and Western blot readouts. PPI pairs from the PRS, either in IN/IC (c) or IN/CIC format (d), with high signal or low signal obtained in ELISA assay, were re-tested by Western blot. Bands of parental proteins are highlighted with asterisks. Bands of spliced proteins or their predicted positions are labelled with triangles. The densities of spliced bands were quantified and are presented as bar graphs above the blots. OL indicates overlap of a spliced band and its parental bands, which prevents accurate measurement of the band. In each panel, electrophoreses were performed on two separate gels but the samples were transferred and probed on the same nitrocellulose membrane. **(e)** Comparison of the performance of IC and CIC prey formats. The SIMPL readings in (b-c) from the PRS analysis (Fig. 3d) are plotted as IC vs CIC. Prey proteins with signal peptides are highlighted in red and listed at the right side of the scatter plot. Data are presented in logarithmic scale.

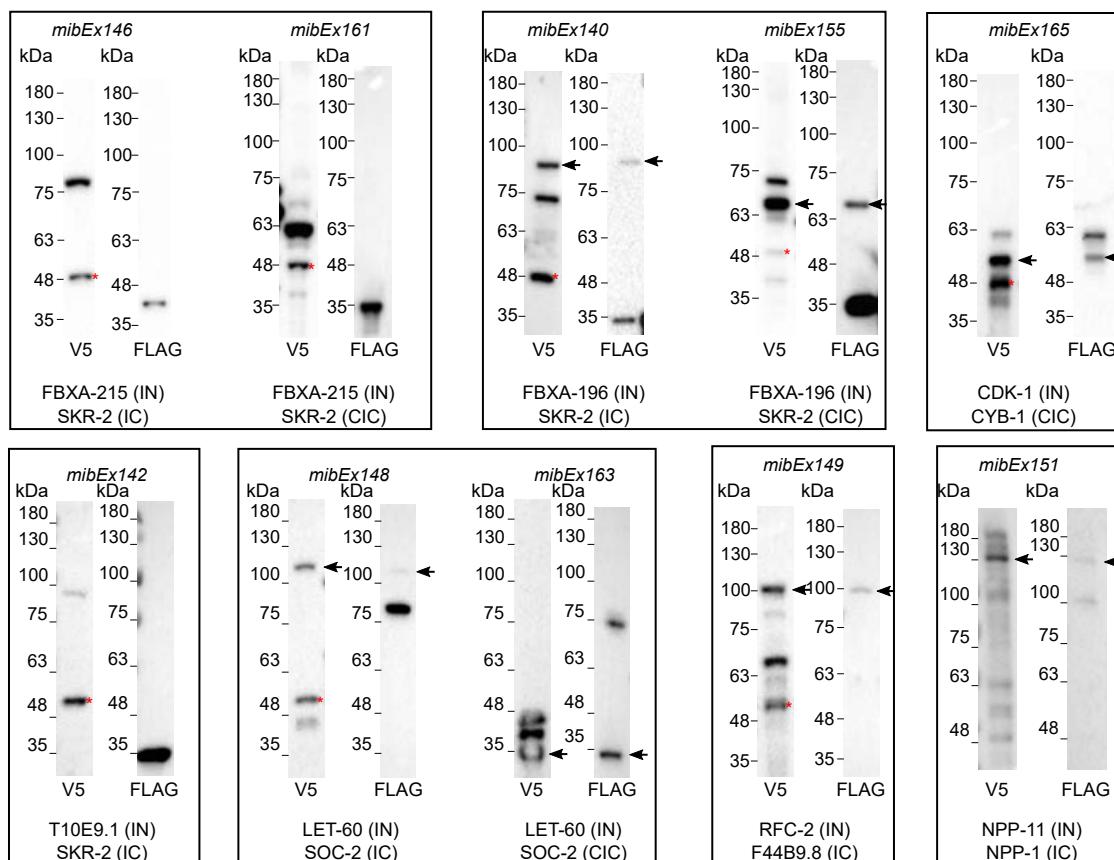
## Supplementary Figure 4



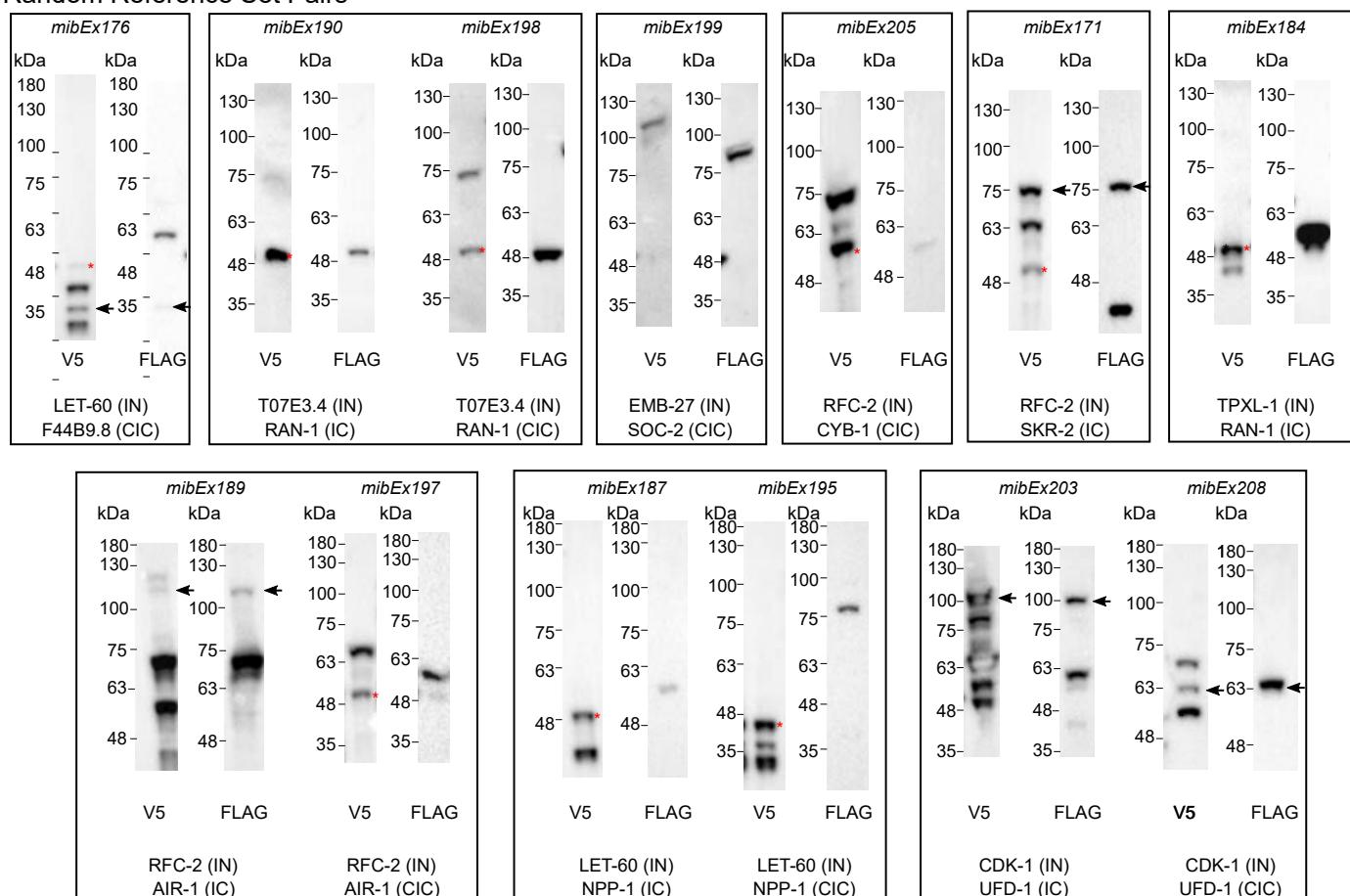
**Supplementary Figure 4.** Using SIMPL to study physiological PPIs. **(a)** The interaction between EGFR (in IN format) and SHC1 were detected with either SHC1 (IC) or SHC1 (CIC) formats. **(b)** KRAS (in IC format)/RAF1 interaction were detected with both RAF1-IN and NIN-RAF1 formats. Each blot in (a,b) is representative for three independent experiments. **(c)** EGFR (IN) and SHC1 (IC) were co-transfected into HEK 293 cells. After 16 hours starvation (DMEM supplemented with 0.1% FCS), the cells were stimulated with EGF (100 ng/ml) for indicated periods of time. The cells were subjected to Western blot analysis. The blot is representative for four independent experiments. **(d-g)** Kinase/substrate interactions were followed by SIMPL. The plasmids coding the indicated kinases in IN format and related substrates in IC format were transfected in HEK 293 Flp-In T-Rex cells. The expression was induced by incubation with tetracycline for 6 hrs in starvation medium. The indicated kinases are either in basal state or activated by related stimulation for 30 mins. Activation of the kinases can be judged by the mobility up-shift of substrate and spliced bands derived from phosphorylation. Each blot in (d-g) is representative for two to three independent experiments.

## Supplementary Figure 5

### Positive Reference Set Pairs



### Random Reference Set Pairs



**Supplementary Figure 5.** Western blot screen results of *C. elegans* lines. Western blot results for the *C. elegans* SIMPL lines generated. Analysis of each protein pair consists of a blot using the V5 antibody to detect the Prey protein, and the FLAG antibody to detect the Bait protein. Size in kilodaltons is shown for each blot. Red asterisk indicates a non-specific V5 band, while splicing is indicated by a black arrow at the expected product size. The blot is representative for two independent experiments.