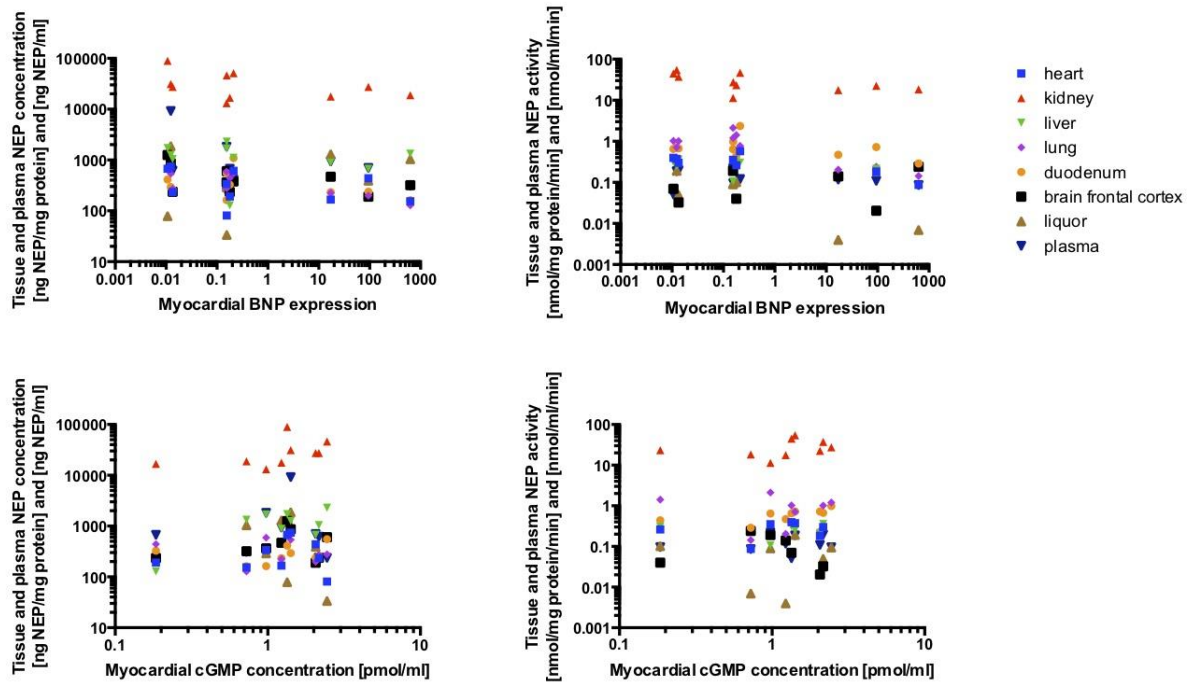
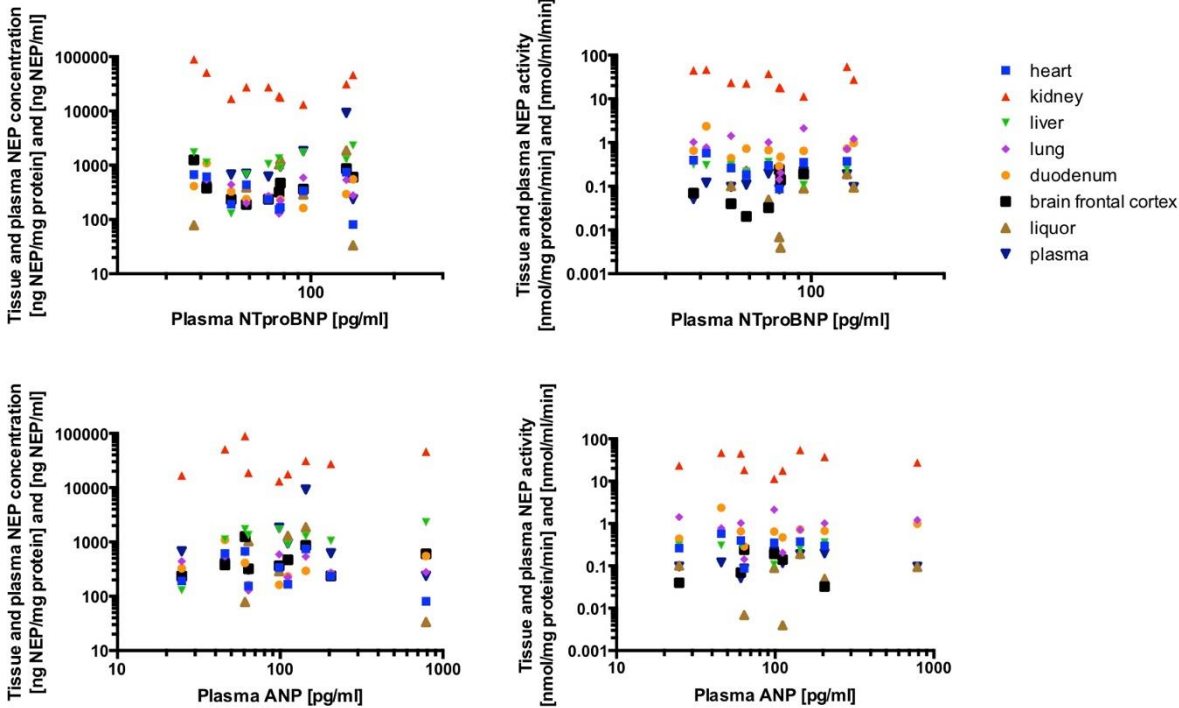


Supplementary Figures

Supplementary Figure 1. Relation of myocardial BNP expression and cGMP concentrations with different tissues and plasma NEP concentrations and activity.



Supplementary Figure 2. Relation of plasma NTproBNP and ANP concentrations with different tissues and plasma NEP concentrations and activity.



Supplementary Figure 3. Plasma and liquor A. NEP concentrations and B. NEP activity for HF animals and controls. Results are shown as median and Q1-Q3 (25th and 75th percentiles). Pooled samples were compared by the Mann-Whitney-U test.

