

SUPPLEMENT

The orphan receptor GPR139 signals via Gq/11 to oppose opioid effects

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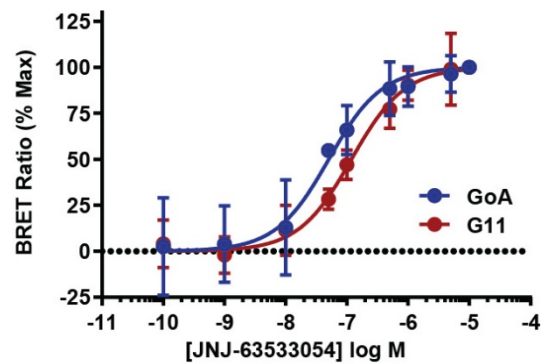


Figure S1. GPR139 activates G11 and GoA with similar potency

Using the G protein BRET fingerprinting assay, the efficacy of activation was measured over multiple doses of JNJ-63533054 and normalized within each experiment to the maximum dose tested. GoA exhibited slightly higher potency compared to G11.

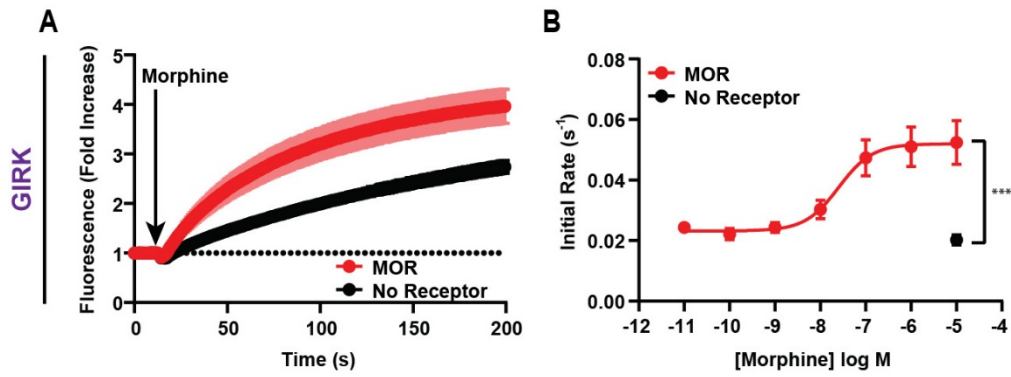


Figure S2. MOR activates GIRK1/2 channels

(A) Thallium flux through GIRK channels in control or MOR-expressing HEK293T cells was measured in response to 10 μ M morphine. (B) A dose response of morphine was tested and the initial activation rates were calculated in GraphPad Prism8. Data are mean \pm S.E.M. of 5 independent experiments. Students unpaired t-test, *** $p < 0.001$.

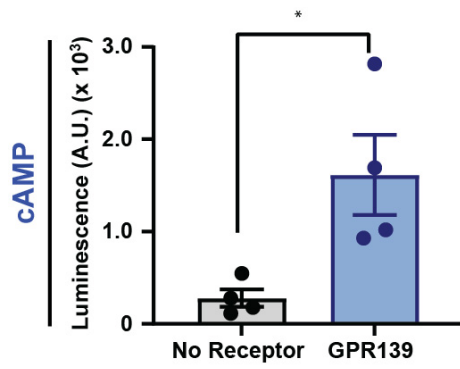


Figure S3. Basal cAMP is increased in GPR139-transfected cells

cAMP was measured in control or GPR139-expressing cells transfected with -22F pGloSensor®. Data are mean \pm S.E.M. of 4 independent experiments. Students unpaired t-test, * $p < 0.05$.

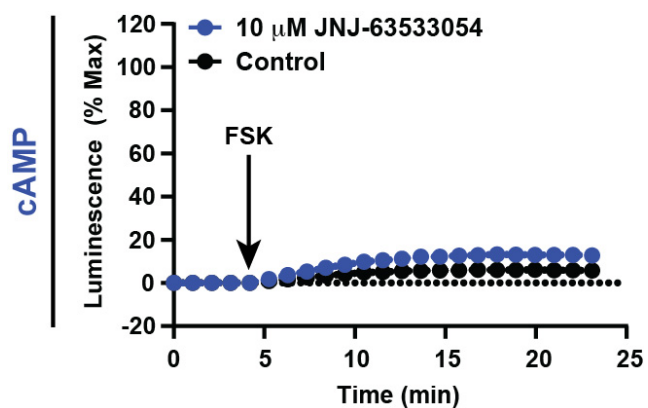


Figure S4. JNJ-63533054 does not enhance cAMP generation in control cells

HEK293T cells transfected with the -22F pGloSensor® were stimulated with 1 μM forskolin and pre-treated with vehicle or 10 μM JNJ-63533054. Data are mean ± S.E.M. of 5 independent experiments and normalized to the maximum response elicited by GPR139-transfected, JNJ-63533054-treated cells (Fig 3A, blue line).

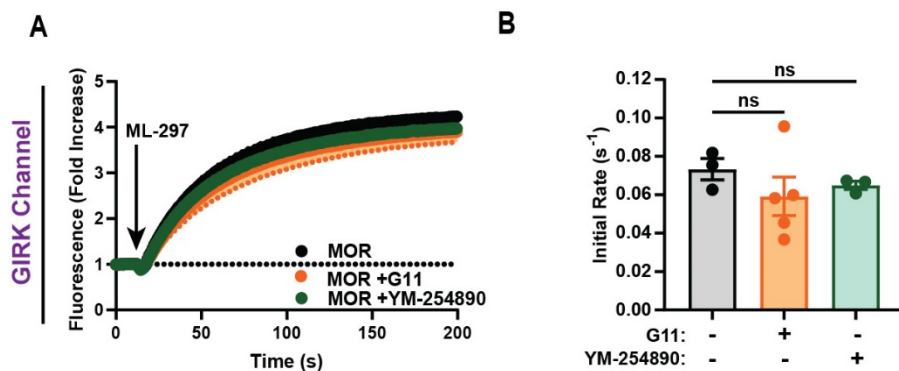


Figure S5. MOR does not affect GIRK opening mediated by ML-297

(A) GIRK channel activity was assessed in MOR-expressing or MOR + G11-expressing HEK293T cells following stimulation with 10 μ M ML-297. MOR-expressing cells were additionally treated with vehicle or 10 μ M YM-254890. (B) Quantification of the initial GIRK channel activation rates. Data are mean \pm S.E.M. of 3-5 independent experiments. One-way ANOVA with Tukey's post hoc, ns, not significant.

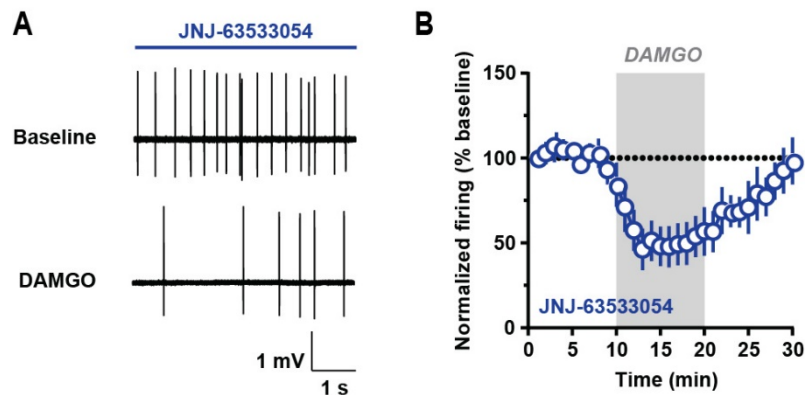


Figure S6. JNJ-63533054 does not affect DAMGO-mediated firing inhibition in *GPR139*^{-/-} mice.

(A) Representative firing traces and (B) normalized firing rates recorded from medial habenula neurons in prepared slices from *GPR139* knockout mice. Slices were treated with 1 μ M DAMGO and pre-treated with 10 μ M JNJ-63533.