

Supplementary Figure captions

Figure S1. Calibration curve for determining matrix and cytosolic pH from BCECF fluorescence ratio.

BCECF fluorescence was measured in the presence of 5 and 30 μM CCCP for isolated mitochondria and H9c2 cells, respectively, without the addition of malate. **(A)** Dots show experimental data. The solid line shows the theoretical curve of $(F_L/F_S) = (A + B \times 10^{(7-\text{pH})}) / (C + 10^{(7-\text{pH})})$ and is fitted to the experimental data with least-square fitting, where A is 0.045, B is 0.37, and C is 0.042. The dichroic mirror used is U-MWBV (Olympus, Japan). **(B)** In H9c2 cells, the above-mentioned theoretical curve is fitted to the experimental data with least-square fitting, where A is 0.567, B is 2.40, and C is 0.097. The dichroic mirror used is U-MNIBA (Olympus, Japan).

Figure S2. Effects of TMRE concentration and illumination intensity on the transient depolarizations.

Frequencies of the transient depolarization were determined in the presence of 1 mM malate. **(A)** Effects of TMRE concentration on the transient depolarization. **(B)** Effects of excitation intensity on the transient depolarization. Excitation intensity was changed with the neutral density filters with 12, 25, and 50% transmittance.

Figure S3. Effects of ADP on respiration and antimycin A-induced ROS production.

(A) Effects of ADP on respiration in the absence of oligomycin. ADP was added to the mitochondrial suspension at 5 mM. **(B)** Effects of ADP on antimycin A (AA)-induced ROS production in the presence of oligomycin. Mitochondria were incubated with 1 μM antimycin A for 20 min at 25 °C. Values represent the mean \pm SEM (n = 3). * $p < 0.05$ vs. control.

Figure S4. Effects of CCCP and NH_4^+ on H9c2 cells.

(A) Effects of CCCP concentration on Cell TMRE in H9c2 cells. **(B)** Effects of NH_4^+ on cytosolic pH in H9c2 cells. Values represent the mean \pm SEM (n > 10). * $p < 0.05$ vs 0 μM CCCP for A; control for B.

Figure S5. TMRE fluorescence of mitochondria in H9c2 cells.

The TMRE fluorescence image of H9c2 cells were obtained by using a 40 \times (Uapo40 \times /340, NA = 0.9; Olympus), with binning pixels 1 \times 1, under computer control.

Figure S1

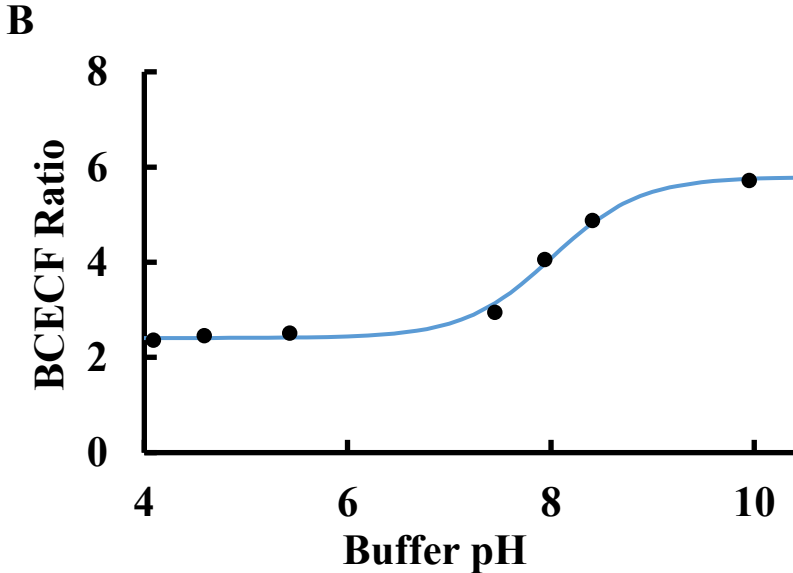
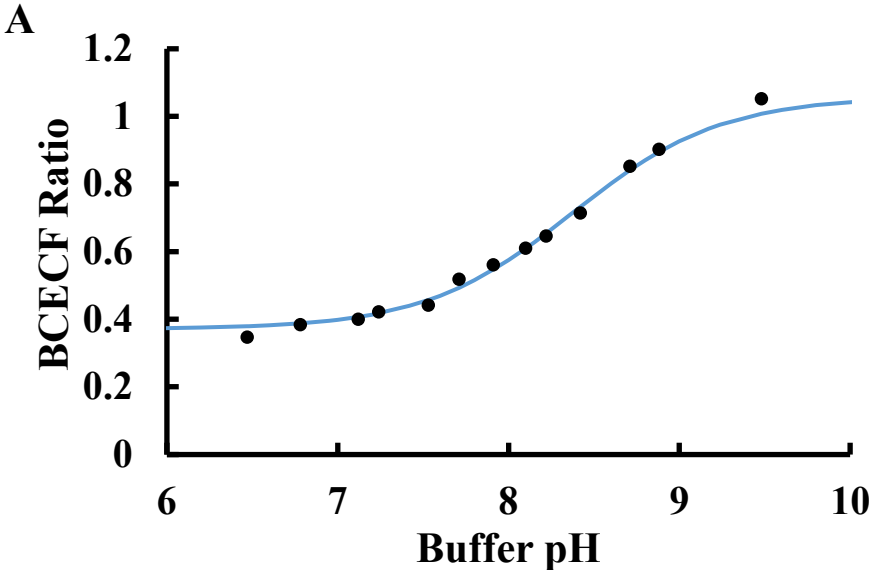


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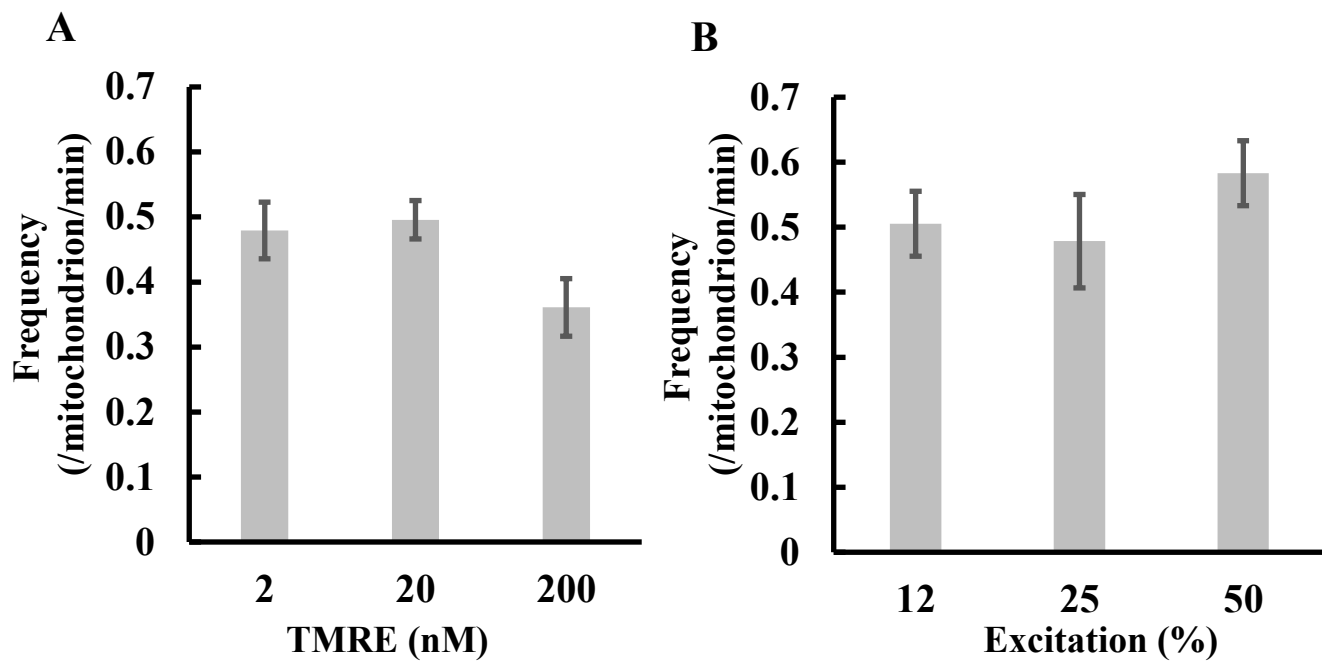
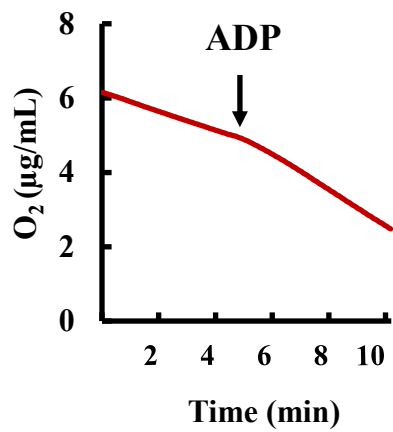


Figure S3

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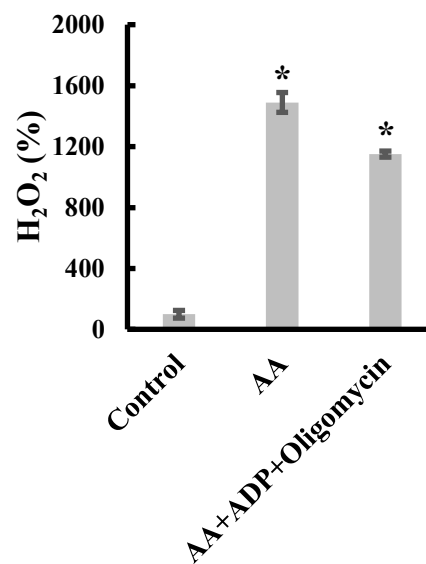
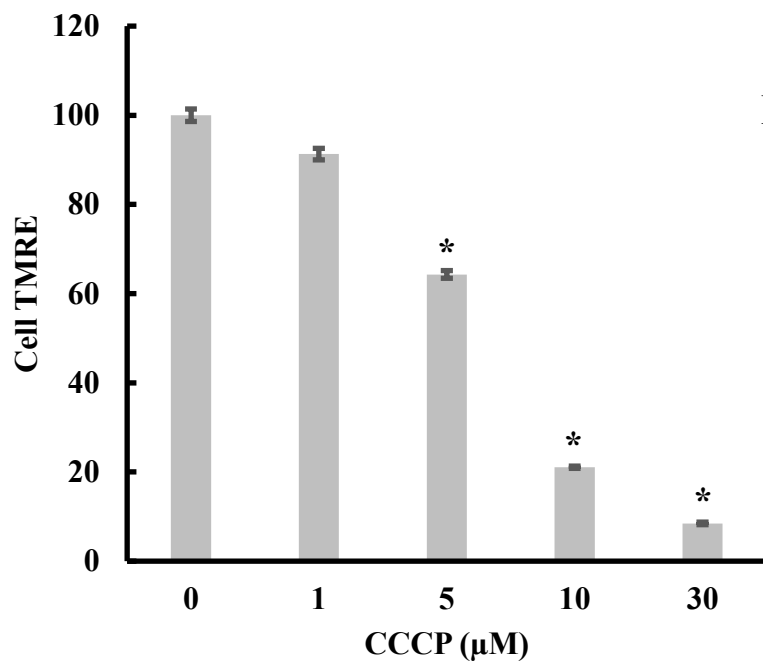


Figure S4

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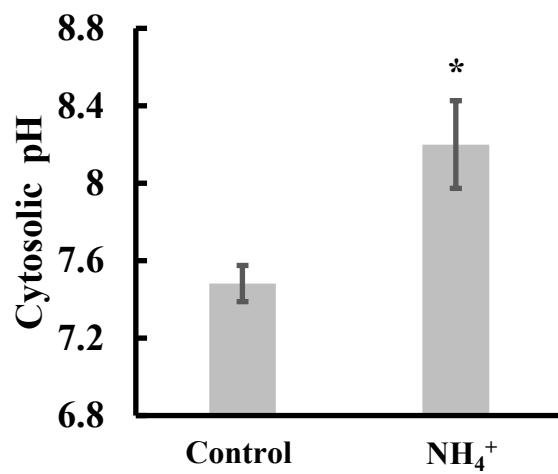


Figure S5

