# **Supporting Information**

### **Development of Macrocyclic PRMT5 Adaptor Protein Interaction Inhibitors**

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S2	Ac- <b>Tyr</b> -PGQFDDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1585.55764 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1585.56081		
<b>S</b> 3	Ac- <b>Phe</b> -PGQFDDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1569.56272 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1569.56604		
S4	Ac- <b>hPhe</b> -PGQFDDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1583.57837 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1583.58125		
S5	Ac- <b>Trp</b> -PGQFDDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1608.57362 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1608.57625		
S6	Ac-Asp-PGQFDDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1537.52125 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1537.52441		
S7	Ac-Glu-PGQFDDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1551.53690 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1551.54015		
S8	Ac-VPG-Asn-FDDADK(Fitc)-NH2	1507.54707 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1507.55099		
S9	Ac-VPG-Dab-FDDADK (Fitc) -NH <sub>2</sub>	1493.56781 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1493.56975		
S10	Ac-VPG-Dab (Alloc) -FDDADK (Fitc) -NH2	1577.58894 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1577.59177		
S11	Ac-VPG-Cit-FDDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1550.58927 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1550.59317		
32	Ac-VPGQ- <b>Phe (3-F)</b> -DDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1539.55330 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1539.55557		
34	Ac-VPGQ- <b>Bip</b> -DDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1597.59402 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1597.59731		
35	Ac-VPGQ- <b>Phe (3,4-F<sub>2</sub>)</b> -DDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1557.54388 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1557.54775		
36	Ac-VPGQ-Phe (4-F) -DDADK (Fitc) -NH <sub>2</sub>	1539.55330 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1539.55660		
37	Ac-VPGQ- <b>Phe (4-Br)</b> -DDADK (Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1599.47323 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1599.47609		
38	Ac-VPGQ- <b>Phe(4-I)</b> -DDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1647.45936 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1647.46158		
39	Ac-VPGQ- <b>Phe (4-C1)</b> -DDADK (Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1555.52375 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1555.52694		
41	Ac-VPGQ-Phe (4-NO <sub>2</sub> ) - DDADK (Fitc) - NH <sub>2</sub>	1566.54780 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1566.55130		
S12	Ac-VPGQ-Phe (2-F) -DDADK (Fitc) -NH <sub>2</sub>	1539.55330 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1539.55666		
S13	Ac-VPGQ- <b>Phe (F<sub>5</sub>)</b> -DDADK (Fitc) -NH <sub>2</sub>	1611.51561 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1611.51901		
S14	Ac-VPGQ-Phe (2-I) -DDADK (Fitc) -NH <sub>2</sub>	1647.45936 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1647.46197		
S15	Ac-VPGQ-Phe (3-C1) - DDADK (Fitc) - NH2	1555.52375 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1555.52705		
S16	Ac-VPGQ-Phe (3-CF <sub>3</sub> )-DDADK (Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1589.55011 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1589.55440		
S17	Ac-VPGQ-2-Pal-DDADK (Fitc) -NH2	1522.55797 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1522.56122		
S18	Ac-VPGQ- <b>Tyr</b> -DDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1537.55764 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1537.56120		
S19	Ac-VPGQ-Phe (4-COOH) -DDADK (Fitc) -NH2	1565.55255 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1565.55556		
S20	Ac-VPGQ- <b>Phe (4-guanidino)</b> -DDADK (Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1578.59542 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1578.59706		
S21	Ac-VPGQ- <b>hPhe</b> -DDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1535.57837 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1535.58161		
S22	Ac-VPGQ-3-(2-biphenylyl)-Ala-DDADK(Fitc)-NH2	1597.59402 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1597.59787		
S23	Ac-VPGQ- <b>Bpa</b> -DDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1625.58894 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1625.59170		
S24	Ac-VPGQ-2-Nal-DDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1571.57837 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1571.58183		
S25	Ac-VPGQ-1-Nal-DDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1571.57837 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1571.58167		
S26	Ac-VPGQFD- <b>Gla</b> -ADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1579.56820 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1579.57063		
S27	Ac-VPGQFDD- <b>Abu-</b> DK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1535.57837 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1535.58199		
S28	Ac-VPGQFDD- <b>Nva</b> -DK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1549.59402 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1549.59737		
S29	Ac-VPGQFDD- <b>Nle</b> -DK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1563.60967 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1563.61310		
<b>S</b> 30	Ac-VPGQFDD- <b>Cha</b> -DK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1603.64097 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1603.64485		
S31	Ac-VPGQFDD- <b>Ser</b> -DK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1537.55764 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1537.56164		
33	Ac-VPGQFDDA- <b>Glu</b> -K(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1535.57837 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1535.58145		
40	Ac-VPGQFDDA- <b>Gla</b> -K(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1579.56820 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1579.57062		
S32	Ac-VPGQFDDA- <b>Tyr</b> -K(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1569.59911 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1569.60176		
<b>S</b> 33	Ac-VPGQFDDA- <b>Trp</b> -K(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1592.61509 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1592.61751		
S34	Ac-VPGQFDDA- <b>hPhe</b> -K(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1567.61984 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1567.62296		
42	Ac-VPGQ-Phe (4-Cl) -DDA-Gla-K (Fitc) -NH2	1613.52923 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1613.53080		
43	Ac-VPGQ-Phe (4-NO <sub>2</sub> )-DDA-Gla-K(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1624.55328 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1624.55454		

Table S1. Sequences and HRMS of linear peptides with amino acid modifications.

Peptide	Sequence	K <sub>D</sub> (μM)
44	Ac-VPGQFDDA-(N-Me)D-K(Fitc)-NH2	0.6 ± 0.1
45	Ac-VPGQFDD- (N-Me) A-DK (Fitc) -NH2	>2
46	Ac-VPGQFD-( <b>N-Me)D</b> -ADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	>2
47	Ac-VPGQ-( <b>N-Me)F</b> -DDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	>2
48	Ac-VP-( <b>N-Me)G</b> -QFDDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	>2
49	Ac- (N-Me) V-PGQFDDADK (Fitc) -NH2	>2

#### Table S2. Direct binding FP results for N-methylated linear peptides 44-49.

#### Table S3. Sequences and HRMS data of linear RioK1-derived peptides.

Name	Sequence	HRMS		
		m/z calculated	m/z found	
1	Ac-SRVVPaQFDDAD-NH <sub>2</sub>	1360.64917 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1360.65083	
2	$Ac-SRVVPGQFaDAD-NH_2$	1302.64369 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1302.64518	
3	Ac-SRVVPaQFaDAD-NH <sub>2</sub>	1316.65934 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1316.66100	
4	Ac-SRVVPGQFDDAD-NH <sub>2</sub>	1346.63352 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1346.63623	
28	Fitc-020c-VPGQFDDAD-NH2	1496.53109 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1496.53270	
29	Ac-VPGQFDDADK(Fitc)-NH2	1521.56272 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1521.56580	
31	Ac-VPGQFDDAD-NH2	1004.43197 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1004.42952	
44	Ac-VPGQFDDA- (N-Me)D-K(Fitc)-NH2	1535.57837 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1535.58195	
45	Ac-VPGQFDD-( <b>N-Me)A</b> -DK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1535.57837 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1535.58169	
46	Ac-VPGQFD- ( <b>N-Me)D</b> -ADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1535.57837 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1535.58178	
47	Ac-VPGQ-( <b>N-Me)F</b> -DDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1535.57837 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1535.58196	
48	Ac-VP-( <b>N-Me)G-</b> QFDDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1535.57837 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1535.58188	
49	Ac-( <b>N-Me) V</b> -PGQFDDADK(Fitc)-NH <sub>2</sub>	1535.57837 [M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1535.58070	
S1	Fitc-020c-SRVVPGQFDDADSSD-NH2	1064.41546 [M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	1064.41816	
H4 peptide	Ac-SGRGKGGKGLGKGGAKRHRKV-NH2	1066.64103 [M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	1066.64198	

Table S4. HRMS	of c	yclic	peptides.
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News	HRMS		
Name	m/z ca	lculated	m/z found
5	925.37795	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	925.37895
6	932.38578	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	932.38677
7	932.38578	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	932.38673
8	939.39360	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	939.39476
9	925.37795	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	925.37888
10	932.38578	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	932.38677
11	932.38578	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	932.38673
12	939.39360	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	939.39480
13	916.88287	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	916.88398
14	917.89069	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	917.89179
15 isomer 1	916.88287	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	916.88396
15 isomer 2	916.88287	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	916.88397
16	917.89069	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	917.89172
17	758.29791	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	758.29659
18 isomer 1	765.30573	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	765.30446
18 isomer 2	765.30573	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	765.30464
19	765.30573	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	765.30440
20	772.31356	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	772.31227
21	766.31356	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	766.31240
22	773.32138	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	773.32047
23	765.30573	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	765.30441
24	765.30573	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	765.30475
25	772.31356	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	772.31239
26	766.31356	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	766.31275
27	773.32138	[M+2H] <sup>2+</sup>	773.32047
30	1014.48909	[M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1014.48752
50	1634.61040	[M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1634.61054
51	1438.48922	[M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1438.48948
52	1634.61040	[M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1634.61064
53	1117.47964	[M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1117.48050
54	1117.47964	[M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1117.48031
55	1460.66521	[M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1460.66729
56	1460.66521	[M+H] <sup>+</sup>	1460.66757

### **Supporting Synthetic Schemes**



**Scheme S1.** On-resin protection with Dmb and coupling of the resulting Dmb-DAD sequence to Fmoc-Asp(OAII), en route to peptides **5**, **7**, **9** and **11**.



**Scheme S2.** Cyclisation through RCM and reduction of the resulting double bond, followed by Mtt removal and labelling with FITC for C-terminally labelled macrocycles. For peptides with a double bond the TPSH reduction step was omitted.



**Scheme S3.** An exemplary synthetic scheme leading to N-terminally acetylated and C-terminally FITC-labelled linear peptide **29**.



Scheme S4. Synthesis of the covalent PRMT5 PPI inhibitor BRD0639.

## **Supporting Figures**



**Figure S1.** Competitive binding FP with PRMT5-MEP50 and peptide **S1** (Table S1) used as a fluorescent tracer, for compounds **1-4**.



Figure S2. Direct binding FP with PRMT5-MEP50 for compounds 5-16.



Figure S3. Direct binding FP with PRMT5-MEP50 for compound 28 and 29.



Figure S4. Direct binding FP with PRMT5-MEP50 for compounds 17-27.



**Figure S5.** Competitive binding FP with PRMT5-MEP50 and fluorescent **21** used as a tracer, for compounds **30** and **31**.



**Figure S6.** HPLC analysis of cyclic **30** and linear **31** after incubation in the U2OS cell lysate. Presented timepoints: between 0-7 days for **30** and between 0-24 h for **31**. IS = Internal Standard.



**Figure S7.** Linear regression models based on the obtained stability data for **30** and **31**.  $T\frac{1}{2}$  = 299 h or 12.5 days for **30** and  $t\frac{1}{2}$  = 4.4 h for **31** (n=2).



**Figure S8.** Mtase-Glo<sup>TM</sup> Methyltransfarase Assay performed on the isolated PRMT-MEP50 complex with **30** and the reference active-site methyltransferase inhibitor **EPZ015666**. Compound **EPZ015666** is able to inhibit the direct methylation of the H4 histone tail peptide by PRMT5, whereas **30** has no effect (n=3).



Figure S9. Direct binding FP with PRMT5-MEP50 for compounds 29 and 32-43.



Figure S10. Direct binding FP with PRMT5-MEP50 for compounds 29 and S3-S14.



Figure S11. Direct binding FP with PRMT5-MEP50 for compounds 29 and S14-S25.



Figure S12. Direct binding FP with PRMT5-MEP50 for compounds 29 and S26-S34.



Figure S13. Direct binding FP with PRMT5-MEP50 for compounds 29 and 44-49.



Figure S14. Structures of cyclic peptides 55 and 56, equipped with azide group.



**Figure S15. A)** Results of the pull-down assay with peptide **55** and scrambled peptide **56** immobilised on the DBCO beads, using MCF7 cell lysate. **B)** Western blot of the purified PRMT5-MEP50 complex analysed at a higher concentration than in A).



**Figure S16. A)** GFP-Immunopurification (GFP-IP) in Flp-In T-REx 293-GFP and Flp-In T-REx 293-GFP-PRMT5 overexpressing cells after testing active **53** and scrambled **54** at 50 μM and DMSO as a control. Therefore, cells were stimulated with 0.1 μg/ml doxycycline for 18 h before cytoplasm extraction (S100). GFP-IP was performed and analyzed by Tris/Glycine-SDS-PAGE and western blotting using antibodies against RioK1, PRMT5, MEP50, plCln and GFP. **B)** GFP-IP from Flp-In T-REx 293-GFP-plCln and Flp-In T-Rex 293-GFP-RioK1 cytoplasmic extract after testing active **53** and scrambled **54** at 50 μM and DMSO as a control. Induction of the overexpression, Tris/Glycine-SDS-PAGE and western blotting using antibodies against RioK1, PRMT5, MEP50 and plCln was performed as described in **A**.

## **HPLC Traces**

















































Peptide 15 isomer 2 (Method A)











































































Peptide 37 (Method A)



















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Peptide S26 (Method A)



























H4 histone tail peptide(the MTase Glo substrate) (Method A)

