

Expanded View Figures

Figure EV1. Effect of Nox4 on subcellular calcium levels in stressed cells.

A, B Time course of changes in mitochondrial calcium levels in serum-starved WT and Nox4KO MEFs after treatment with histamine (Hist, A) or ATP (B). Images show the YFP/CFP ratio; agonists were added at t = 15 s. Related to Fig 2C and D, respectively. Scale bars: 10 μ m.

C, D Time course of changes in ER calcium levels in serum-starved WT and Nox4KO MEFs after treatment with histamine (C) or ATP (D). Images show YFP/CFP ratio; agonists added at t = 15 s. Related to Fig 2E and F, respectively. Scale bars: 10 μ m.

- E, F Time course of changes in cytosolic calcium levels in serum-starved WT and Nox4KO MEFs after treatment with histamine (E) or ATP (F). Images show Fluo4 fluorescence. Related to Fig 2G and H, respectively. Scale bars: 10 μm.
- G Time course of histamine-induced changes in mitochondrial calcium levels in serum-starved WT and Nox4KO MEFs as in (A). Cat = PEG-catalase. Nox4KO MEFs were transfected with active Nox4 or a catalytically inactive mutant (Mut). Relates to Fig 2I and J. Scale bars: 10 µm.

Figure EV2. Nox4 influences mitochondrial calcium levels via InsP₃R.

- A, B Time course of histamine (Hist)-induced changes in mitochondrial calcium levels in serum-starved WT and Nox4 KO MEFs. TMRE⁺ cells shown in (A) and TMRE⁻ cells in (B). Sequential images to the right show YFP/CFP ratio, with quantification presented in the graphs. *n* = 3/group (with > 30 cells per individual experiment). Scale bars: 10 μm.
- C Peak histamine-induced increase in mitochondrial calcium levels in serum-starved WT and Nox4 KO MEFs with or without treatment with bongkrekic acid (BA) to inhibit the mPTP. *n* = 3/group (with > 30 cells per individual experiment).
- Effect of caffeine or histamine on subcellular calcium levels in serum-starved cardiomyocytes depleted of Nox4 or treated with a control scrambled siRNA (siScr).
 Percent changes in peak calcium levels are shown. n = 3/group (with > 30 cells per individual experiment).

Data information: Data are mean \pm SEM. **P < 0.01; ***P < 0.001; ****P < 0.001 among compared groups or vs. control. (A,B): 2-way repeated measures ANOVA; (C): 1-way ANOVA; (D): unpaired *t*-test.







ER Ca²⁺







Figure EV2.

siScr Nox4 siRNA

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Figure EV3. Effect of serum starvation on Nox4 levels at the MAM.

- A Effect of serum starvation on Nox4 protein levels in WT MEFs. FACL4 and VDAC used as MAM markers. n = 3/group.
- B Simplified photomicrographs of proximity ligation studies in WT MEFs under serum-replete and serum-starved conditions (as in Fig 4). Nuclei are in blue, while yellow dots denote co-localization of proteins. Quantification of the number of dots/cell is shown to the right. Proximity was tested for FACL4/Nox4. Scale bars: 10 μ m. n = 3/group (with > 50 cells/individual experiment).

Data information: Data are mean \pm SEM. **P < 0.01; ***P < 0.001 compared to control. Unpaired *t*-test. Source data are available online for this figure.

Figure EV4. Nox4 regulates serine/threonine phosphatase activity.

- A Mitochondrial ROS levels in serum-starved WT and Nox4 KO MEFs indexed using a mitochondrial-targeted HyPer probe (Mito HyPer). Representative photomicrographs of the fluorescence ratio are shown to the left and mean data for changes in fluorescence ratio to the right. The corresponding ROS-insensitive SypHer probe was used to correct for any pH-induced changes in fluorescence. *n* = 3 independent cell preparations/group, with at least 50 cells imaged/preparation. Scale bars: 10 µm.
- B Effect of Mito-TEMPO on the phosphorylation of $InsP_3R$ and Akt in serum-starved WT MEFs. $InsP_3R$ was first immunoprecipitated and then the precipitate was immunoblotted for total $InsP_3R$ and for the phosphorylated Akt substrate motif RXRXX(pS/T) (p-InsP₃R). FACL4 was used as a loading control for the MAM. Mean data shown to the bottom. n = 4/group.
- C Effect of Mito-TEMPO on histamine-induced changes in mitochondrial calcium in serum-starved cells. Representative images of YFP/CFP ratio are shown to the right. n = 3/group (with > 30 cells per individual experiment). Scale bars: 10 μ m.
- D Ser/Thr phosphatase activity measured in crude mitochondrial fractions of MEFs in the presence or absence of okadaic acid (OA, 10 nmol/l; specific for PP2a inhibition) or calyculin A (Caly, 60 nmol/l; which inhibits PP1 and PP2a) or H_2O_2 (500 μ mol/l). PP2a activity was calculated as the difference between control and OA, and PP1+PP2a activity as the difference between control and Caly. n = 5/group. ****P < 0.0001 compared to respective control; ${}^{\#}P < 0.05$, ${}^{\#\##}P < 0.001$, ${}^{\#\#\#P}P < 0.001$ comparing Nox4KO to respective WT group.
- E Effect of treatment of cells with PEG-catalase (Cat) or transfection of Nox4KO cells with active Nox4 or mutant Nox4^{P437H} (Mut) on Ser/Thr phosphatase activity. n = 4/group. ***P < 0.001, ****P < 0.0001 compared to WT control group; ####P < 0.0001 compared to Nox4KO group.

Data information: Data are mean ± SEM. (A,B): unpaired t-test; (C): 2-way repeated measures ANOVA; (D, E): 1-way ANOVA.



Figure EV4.

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WT

Nox4KO

VT +Cat Nox4KO +Nox4 Nox4KO +Mut

Figure EV5. Functional effects of Nox4-dependent regulation of $InsP_3R$.

- A Changes in histamine-induced mitochondrial calcium levels in serum-starved WT and Nox4KO MEFs in the presence or absence of Akti or xestospongin C (XeC). Images show the YFP/CFP ratio at different time points. Relates to Fig 6C. Scale bars: 10 μ m.
- B Percentage of serum-starved cardiomyocytes with depolarized mitochondria in the absence or presence of XeC. n = 9/group.
- C Cell death in serum-starved cardiomyocytes depleted of Nox4 or control cells, in the absence or presence of XeC. n = 7/group.
- D Changes in histamine-induced mitochondrial calcium levels in serum-starved WT and Nox4KO MEFs in the presence or absence of okadaic acid, as in (A). Scale bars: $10 \ \mu m. n = 3/group$ (with > 50 cells per individual experiment).
- E Cell death in serum-starved WT and Nox4KO MEFs in the presence or absence of okadaic acid. n = 5/group.
- F Indices of cardiac contractile function in perfused WT and Nox4KO hearts at baseline (Basal) and then after 25 min ischemia/30 min reperfusion (recovery). Hearts were treated with XeC (1 μ mol/l) or vehicle control for 20 min prior to ischemia. HR = heart rate; dP/dt_{max} and dP/dt_{min} = maximal rate of rise and fall, respectively, of left ventricular (LV) pressure; EDP = LV end-diastolic pressure. n = 6-7/group.

Data information: Data are mean \pm SEM. *P < 0.05; ****P < 0.001; ****P < 0.0001 among compared groups or vs. control. "P < 0.05, "###P < 0.0001 vs. Nox4KD or vehicle control. (B,C,E,F): 1-way ANOVA; (D): paired *t*-test.



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