

Supplemental Material

Table S1. Primers for RT-PCR

Primer name	Forward (5'-3')	Reverse (5'-3')
Bim	ATTACCAAGCAGCCGAAGAC	TCCGCAAAGAACCTGTCAAT
NFATc1	GATGCCAAGCACCAGCTTTC	CCATAGTGTTCTTCCTCCGCT
NFATc2	CAGAGAGAGGCTGCGTTCAG	TGCATTCGGCTCTTCTTGGT
NFATc3	ACAGTTTGTGTGATCCAGCG	ACCTGATGGCTGGTGTTC
NFATc4	GGGGATTGGGGGAAGAACTG	GATAGGTGCAGCGCCATAGG
NFATc5	TGTTGTTGCTGCTGATGCTTCTT	TTACTTACCCCCACGGCTGA
NONHSAT253617.1	CCCATTGAACTGACCTAATCTCTTA	GGCAGTTCACAGATAGTCCAGCA
XR_929282.2	ACGATTTCAGACAAGCAGGCA	ACTTTGACCTTGGGCTCGG
NONHSAT179542.1	AAGAAAGGAAAGATTGTGGCCC	CCACAAGACTGTTGGCTTTCTACT
NONHSAT251382.1	CCTTCCTCTGCCACTGATAATAGT	GGTCCAAAACGCCAAAAATG
XR_934942.2	TCTGATGCTTATTGCCAACTTG	CCAATTTGAGAAGAGATTTGTGTCC
NONHSAT220341.1	GGTTTTGTTGCTTGCACTAA	GACGGACAGTTAGGTTGAGGAAC
ENST00000542022	TAGAAGCTCAGCCAAGAGCTCC	AACAAACTCCAGAACAGCAGAAAG
NONHSAT040129.2	GTAACGTTGGGTCTGTAAATGTGT	TTTGAGCCAGGTGATCTGCTC
NONHSAT227535.1	TCTACAAAAAGCTGTGTTTCTCCC	CTGGATGAGAATATTGCACCACA
NONHSAT179237.1	TAGGGCAAATTTGGAAAAGCAG	GGCCTTTCAGAAAAACATCTCCT
NONHSAT203700.1	CTAAAGCTGCCTCAGACACTTGACT	CCTTTATTGTGAAGCCTACATTTC
NONHSAT243847.1	AGCTGGCAACTTGCAAATATATC	CTCAATACCATGGACCTGAAGC
NONHSAT179858.1	GAATGACTTACTTCTCTGGTTTGCT	GACAGGAGTGGGACTTGGCT
NONHSAT040287.2	ACTGTGTCCAAAGACAAGGCTG	GGCTTTGAAGATGCTTGTTTCA

β -actin

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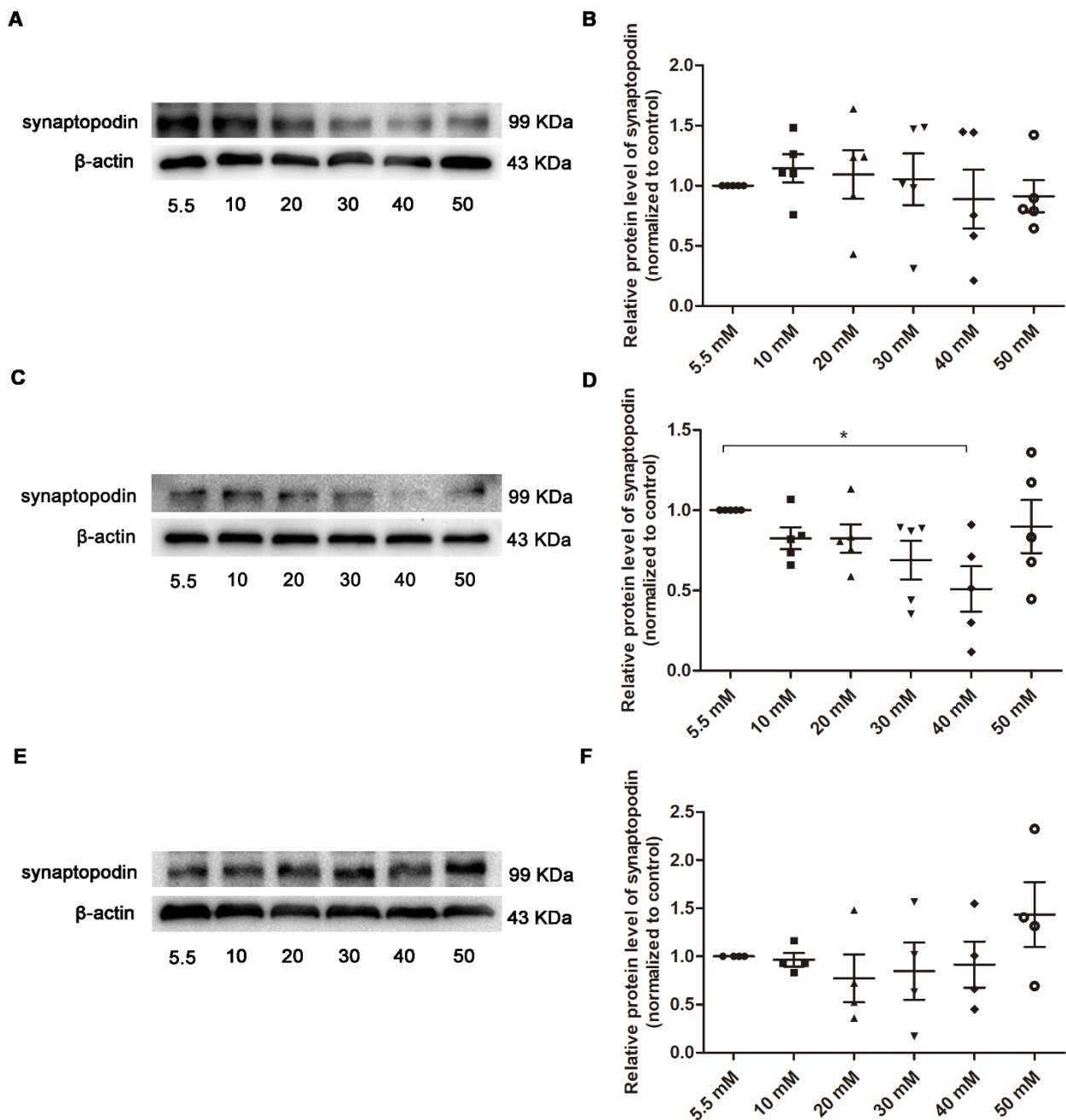


Figure S1. Effect of various glucose concentration treatment for 24 h, 48 h, and 72 h on the synaptopodin level in PCs. (A) Western blotting showed no significant difference in synaptopodin levels in PCs when treated with different HG concentrations for 24 h compared with NG. (B)

Quantification of synaptopodin protein expression in PCs when treated with different HG concentrations for 24 h. (C) Western blotting demonstrated a significant decrease in the synaptopodin level in PCs when treated with 40 mM HG for 48 h compared with NG. (D) Quantification of synaptopodin protein expression in PCs when treated with different HG concentrations for 48 h. (E) Western blotting showed no significant difference in synaptopodin levels in PCs when treated with different HG concentrations for 72 h compared with NG. (F) Quantification of synaptopodin protein expression in PCs when treated with different HG concentrations for 72 h. Data are mean \pm S.E.M. $*P < 0.05$. PCs: podocytes.

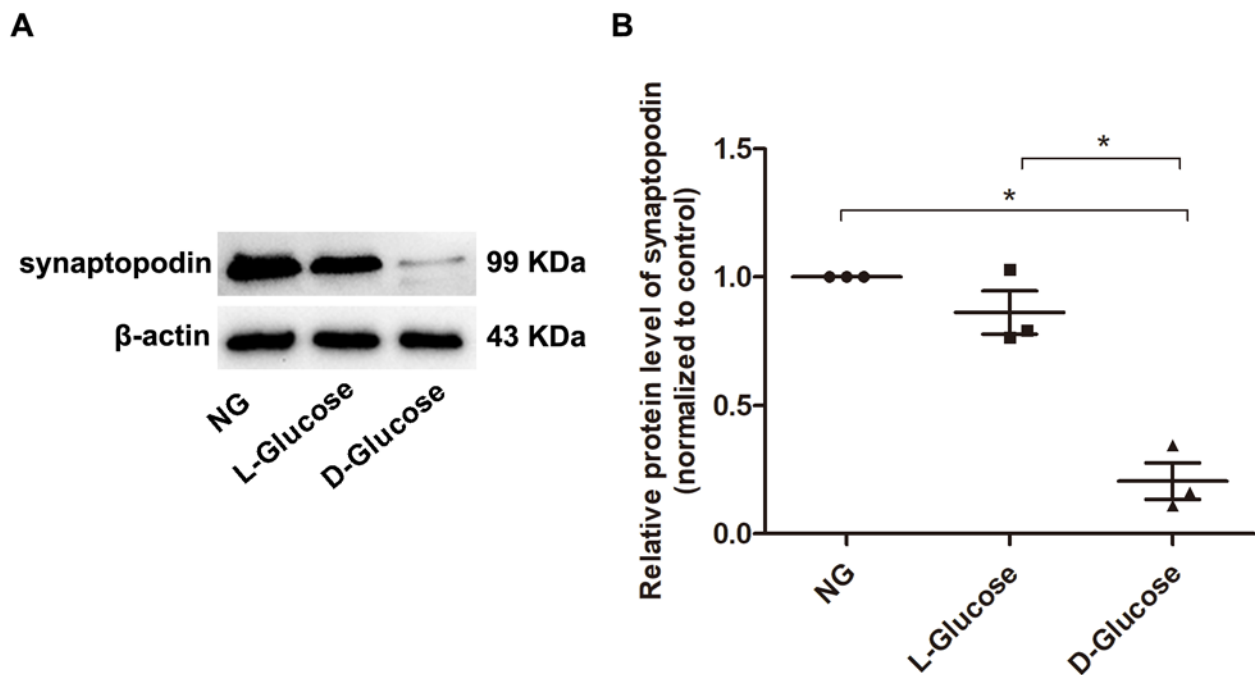


Figure S2. Effect of high D-glucose on synaptopodin level in PCs. (A) Western blotting showed that high D-glucose significantly reduced the expression of synaptopodin in PCs compared with NG. In contrast, with high L-glucose, treatment with high D-glucose reduced synaptopodin expression in PCs. (B) Quantification of synaptopodin protein expression in PCs after various glucose treatments. Data are mean \pm S.E.M. $*P < 0.05$. NG: normal glucose.

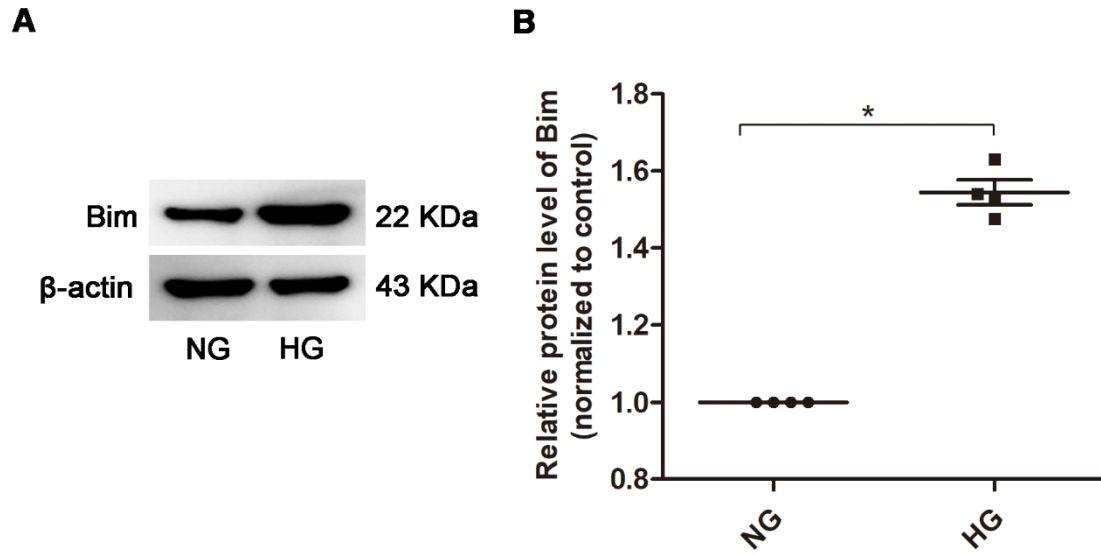


Figure S3. Effect of HG on the Bim level in PTECs. (A) Western blotting showed significantly increased expression of Bim in PTECs in response to HG. (B) Quantification of Bim protein expression in PTECs after HG treatment. Data are mean \pm S.E.M. * $P < 0.05$. HG: high glucose. PTECs: proximal tubular epithelial cells.

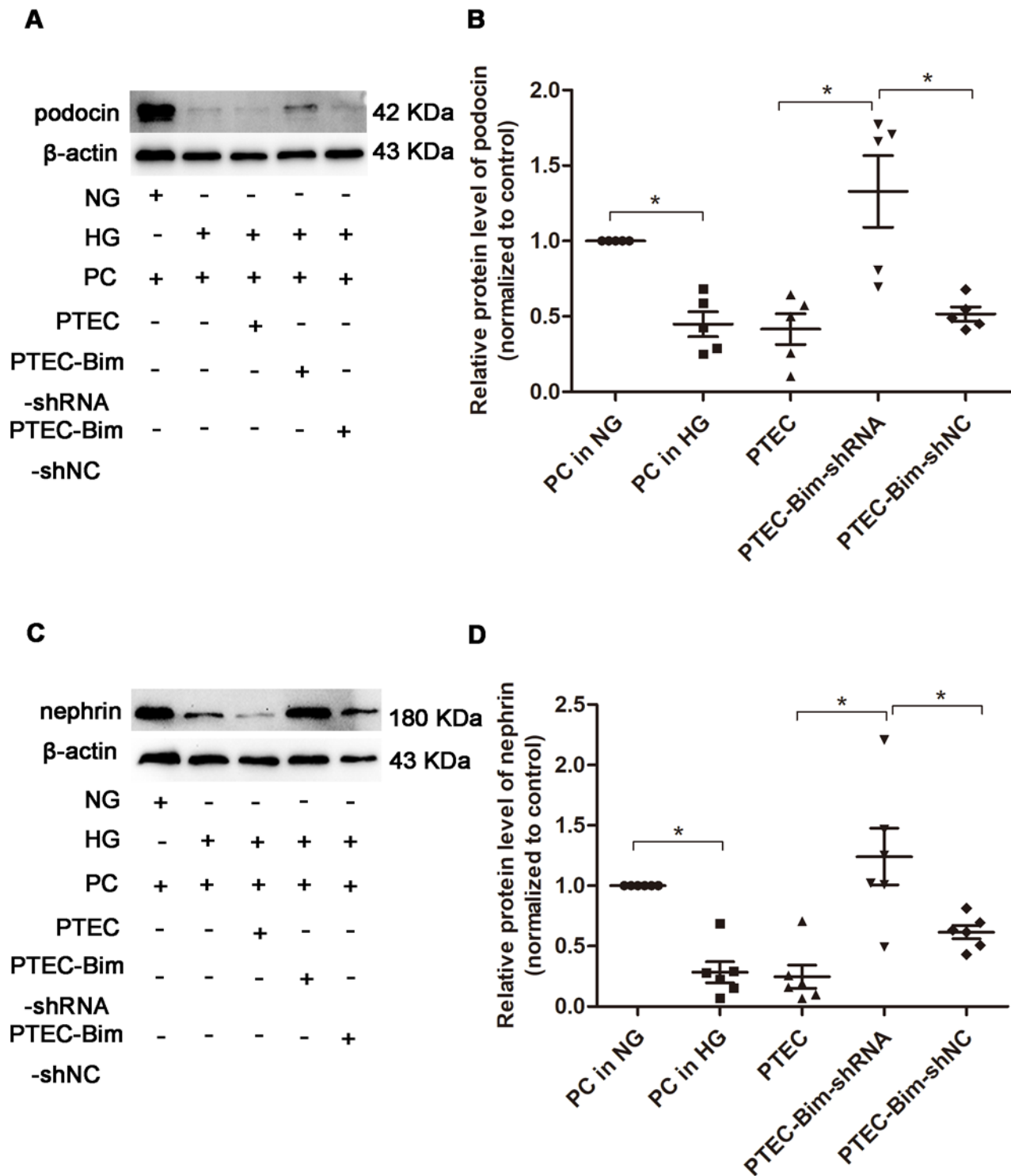
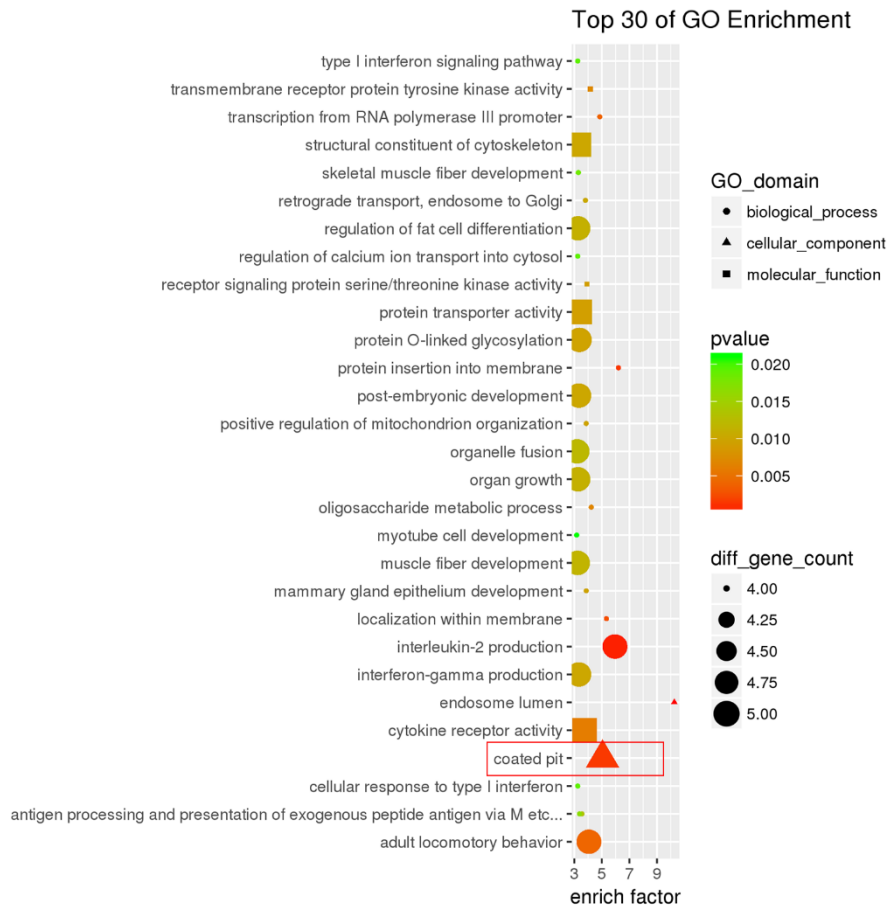


Figure S4. Effect of different treatments on specific proteins in PCs. (A) Western blotting showed HG significantly decreased podocin level compared with the NG. Podocin level was significantly up-regulated in PCs after coculturing with PTEC-Bim-shRNA compared to negative

control (PTEC-Bim-shNC). (B) Quantification of podocin protein expression in PCs was detected by Western blotting. (C) Western blot analysis showed HG significantly decreased nephrin level compared with the NG. Nephrin level was significantly up-regulated in PCs after coculturing with PTEC-Bim-shRNA compared to PTEC-Bim-shNC. (D) Quantification of nephrin protein expression in PCs by Western blotting. Data are the mean \pm S.E.M. * $P < 0.05$.

A



B



Figure S5. GO term and KEGG pathway enrichment analysis of differentially expressed lncRNA in PCs. (A) GO term analysis showed that differentially expressed lncRNAs in PCs were enriched in coated-pit. (B) KEGG pathway enrichment analysis indicated that the differentially expressed lncRNAs in PCs were enriched in phagosome. lncRNA: long noncoding RNA.